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## About This Catalog

The Law Catalog of ProQuest microform contains approximately 60 research collections and over 50 serials. Inside you will find titles related to U.S. & International Law. This catalog also contains information on obtaining Dissertations on Law.

This catalog would be of particular interest to researchers in the fields of U.S. & International Law, Political Science, Philosophy of Law and Policy Studies.

One pivotal collection from the catalog is, *British Trials*, 1660-1900. This collection includes detailed first-hand accounts of thousands of trials along with the record of what was actually said in trials and covers nearly two and a half centuries. For libraries looking to enhance their serials on microform, *The Official Journal of the European Union*, available in the following versions: French, German, Italian, Dutch, English, Danish, Spanish, Portuguese, Greek, Swedish & Finnish; would make an excellent addition to any library. From Legislative decisions to committee resolutions, The Official Journal of the European Union allows users to study the history and expansion of the European, as well as access the full record of the Union's dialogue with other world bodies.

This preface provides a glimpse into the contents of the Law Catalog of ProQuest microform. Feel free to browse through our titles, or if you are looking for a particular research collection, please consult the index in the back. If you have any questions regarding any of our titles, please contact your ProQuest representative at umisalesinfo@proquest.com, 800.521.0600 ext. 2793 or 734.761.4700 ext. 2793.

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## Research Collections

(Organized Alphabetically by Subject)



## **United States**

#### **Abstracts on Crime & Juvenile Delinquency**

1968 - 1988

This powerful research tool provides nearly 40,000 in-depth abstracts of studies published in more than 180 professional journals and also includes: abstracts of material from books, pamphlets, monographs, federal and state documents, dissertations, case studies, task force findings and statistical analyses. There is also significant material that was never released in print and would be nearly impossible to acquire otherwise. The abstracts cover the entire spectrum of criminal justice literature from 1968 to current year. The collection spans a broad range of research topics, including: criminal law, criminal courts, juvenile law, juvenile courts, criminal justice reform, law enforcement and the police, crime and the adult offender, correction, probation, prisons and parole, prison reform, drug abuse and related social issues. Criminal justice researchers, law and criminology students, law enforcement training academies and criminal lawyers rely on these abstracts to speed and focus their research. The abstracts provide comprehensive information and are fully indexed, with bibliographic citations.

Index to Abstracts on Crime & Juvenile Deliquency, 1968-1975, free with collection; Separate indexes available with annual updates MARC records are available for the units from 1978-1988

772 fiche (Individual fiches may be purchased)

#### **American Association for Labor Legislation**

1905 - 1943

In 1905 a small group of economists formed the American Association for Labor Legislation. The group's initial purpose was the study of labor conditions and labor legislation in the United States. By 1909, however, under the leadership of John Andrews, this "study" group took an activist turn and began actively promoting, lobbying for and effecting major changes in worker's compensation, occupational health and safety and child labor laws. Now the history of this powerful labor reform group is available for political scientists, labor law researchers, historians, social scientists and students interested in: charting the evolution of major labor legislation in the United States, tracing the growth of the labor movement and the labor lobby movement, studying reform movements and reform patterns in the early 20th century and obtaining documentation in the study of famous labor leaders.

The collection contains the AALL's correspondence, organizational papers and research materials from exhaustive studies of labor problems and legislative reform, as well as pamphlets, broadsides and press releases. The Correspondence section is the largest and most significant part of the collection - a who's-who of American labor reform in the 20<sup>th</sup> century. A sample listing of the individual and institutional correspondents includes: Jane Addams, Louis D. Brandeis, Felix Frankfurter, Samuel Gompers, National Child Labor Committee, National Women's Trade Union League, American Federation of Labor and National Consumer's League. The legislative program of the AALL is defined and traced historically through this valuable collection of records. The AALL concerned itself with four major areas during its 36-year history: alleviation of adverse working conditions, promotion of health and safety measures, action against unemployment and social insurance. By resolving such elementary problems as safety and health conditions on the job, the AALL laid the groundwork for future progressive labor legislation. And, it directed the nation's attention to far-ranging social issues concerning the labor movement.

A Guide to the Microfilm Edition, edited by Mary S. Arluck, free with collection New York, NY, USA; In English

#### American Civil Liberties Union Records and Publications

1917 - 1989

The right to privacy. Freedom of speech and association. Equal employment opportunities. Liberties that are sometimes taken for granted but often exist in part because of the bitter court battles waged in their defense by the American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU). Now historians, legal scholars, students, political scientists and other researchers can study and evaluate the ACLU and explore the background behind some of history's most important court cases through this comprehensive microfilm collection. It includes early cases such as the Scopes trial and landmark decisions including Brown versus Board of Education and more current legal briefs such as Island Trees Union Free School District versus Pico. This timely collection is organized and divided into the following sections:

#### Base Collection 1917-1973, 106 reels 35mm

- **Series I**: Minutes of the Board of Directors
- Series II: Mailings to the Board of Directors organization activity reports, reports of standing committees, policy and position statements, agendas, memoranda, circular letters and reprints of articles
- Series III: Biennial Conference Papers documents review the history and development of the ACLU's structure
- Series IV: ACLU Policy Guides present formal position statements
- Series V: National Legal Docket subject-oriented, descriptive list of all the cases in which the National Office or the affiliates were involved
- Series VI: Organization Manuals
- Series VII: Constitutions and Bylaws
- Series VIII: Legal Briefs partial records for the U.S. Supreme Court cases involving the ACLU. A subject guide is included
- Series IX: ACLU Publications serials published by the ACLU include: Civil Liberties, Civil Liberties Alert, First Principles, ACLU Lawyer, Annual Report and Women's Rights Report. Also includes 731 pamphlets, leaflets and broadsides

#### Updates 1974-1978; 1978-1980; 1981-1984; 1985-1989, 42 reels 35mm

- Minutes and Mailings to the Board of Directors
- Biennial Conference Materials
- **ACLU Policy Guide**
- Legal Briefs
- Press Releases
- **Publications**

The 1974-1978 update also includes Organization Manuals and the Constitution. This collection was filmed in cooperation with the National Office of the ACLU and it provides unparalleled insight into the history of 20th century American legal and social changes. The American Civil Liberties Union Records and Publications is the most comprehensive source for studying the historic civil liberties battles of the 20th century.

Updates also available on 42 reels of 35mm microfilm USA; In English

#### **American Labor Unions**

1836 - 1989

As labor union publications and documents attract increasing interest from researchers, there follows a need for comprehensive reference tools to facilitate their use. This microform collection compiles the widely scattered records of the labor unions in the U.S. The evolution of this body continues today, making current information as vital as historical material. This section offers both the historical perspective and the recent information necessary for labor research. These American labor union constitutions and proceedings from 1836 to the current year are a valuable reference source for students of labor law and history, labor lawyers, government officials, labor leaders and negotiators and unionized and non-unionized corporations. The records document the inner workings of more than 250 union organizations formed in the 19th and 20th centuries and provide incomparable insights into the philosophies of union leaders of the past. Researchers will find material on: election of officers, institutional forms, official reports and resolutions, convention floor debates and statements to the public. Part 1 covers 11 industry groups (A through K, below) for the years 1836-1977 and includes the available constitutions and proceedings of 55 active and 61 inactive unions. Part 2 includes 42 active and 93 inactive unions in the 11 additional industry groups (L-V) spanning the years 1864-1976. The industry groups are arranged as follows:

- **Group A**: The Federations
- **Group B**: Machinery, Automotive and other Transportation
- **Group C**: Clothing
- Group D: Electrical and Electrical Machinery
- Group E: Public Sector-State and Local
- Group F: Metals-Primary and Fabricated
- **Group G**: Transportation-Railroads
- Group H: Transportation-Others
- Group I: Paper, Printing and Publishing
- **Group J**: Services and Trades
- Group K: Communications
- **Group L**: Construction
- **Group M**: Food and Kindred Product
- **Group N**: Textiles
- **Group O**: Leather
- Group P: Mining and Quarrying
- **Group Q**: Chemicals and Petroleum
- **Group R**: Stone, Clay and Glass
- **Group S**: Lumber, Wood and Furniture
- **Group T**: Rubber
- **Group U**: Insurance
- **Group V**: Public Sector-Federal

Annual updates provide new constitutions and proceedings for the active unions. Material from the inactive unions in both parts appear from their inception to their termination. Inside this compilation of internal affairs and policies are reports by elected union officials on a variety of labor-related topics, such as legal and financial activities, regional union activities, newly established local chapters, strike mediations and organizing activities. Both historical and current perspectives are provided through the eyes of the union leaders. Their philosophies, hopes and dreams for the American laborer are recorded in the official records of the Officers' Reports section. The organization of the Officers' Reports appears in the same industry groupings as the set of Constitutions and Proceedings. This section of American Labor Unions is also updated annually. Beginning with the 1983 Update, the Officers' Reports are included in the Constitutions and Proceedings and are no longer a separate section; further additions to the two parts appear together in combined updates. Also included are selected Supplementary Documents. These official union papers contain conference reports, joint industry and labor papers and minutes, which delineate accomplishments, interests and activities of various unions. Documents are selected from Cornell University and the U.S. Department of Labor libraries. American Labor Unions' Constitutions, Proceedings, Officers' Reports and Supplementary Documents: A Guide to the Microform Edition, free with collection

New York, NY, USA; In English

## Brandeis, Louis Dembitz. The Public Papers of Louis Dembitz Brandeis

1801 - 1941

#### OmniSys World Literature Collections (OWL)

This collection includes many of the legal writings of Louis D. Brandeis before his appointment to the U.S. Supreme Court in 1916 and sheds light on U.S. social and legal history during the late 19th and 20th centuries. The papers are divided into six sections:

- The Early Years
- The Concerned Citizen
- Labor & Social Welfare
- Women's Working Hours and Wage Scales
- The Railroads
- Trusts Monopolies & Big Business

Includes printed guide; From the Jacob & Bertha Goldfarb Library of Brandeis University USA; In English

8 reels 35mm

#### **Constitutions and Laws of the American Indian**

This 35mm microfilm program contains approximately 157 separate constitutions, statutes, session acts and resolutions passed by thirteen bodies of semi-independent and self-governing Indian tribes and nations of the United Sates. All titles listed in the Hargrett bibliography that could be located are included. Additional Indian constitutions and laws discovered have also been filmed. Some of the items were 'last known copies' and their condition is occasionally inferior to that of the rest of the collection; the material was, however, thought too valuable to exclude. Illegible items were not included.

Please inquire for a listing of tribes and nations included; Includes a hardbound copy of A Bibliography of the Constitutions and Laws of the American Indians by Lester Hargrett, Cambridge, Mass. 1947 and a listing of titles included USA

7 reels 35mm

### **Crime & Juvenile Delinquency Documents**

1950 - 1990

This collection of documents selected from the NCCD Collection holdings contains nearly 6,000 full-text titles chosen for their timeliness and research value. Documents are selected to meet the in-depth research needs of colleges, universities, public libraries, law enforcement agencies, law schools and other research institutions focusing on criminology. The documents include municipal, county, state, federal and privately generated documents and reports, from the years 1950 to 1990. Titles from earlier years are also represented, as well as vital crime-related literature from sources outside the U.S., such as Australia, England, Europe, South America and Asia. This collection is the perfect complement to the abstracts, since it provides in-depth, sophisticated research into specific aspects of crime.

MARC records are available for the units from 1978-1990

11,798 fiche (Individual fiches may be purchased)

#### **Draft and Military Law Collection**

1960 - 1969

Many of the issues raised by the war in Indochina remain unresolved today. This collection presents the legal documents of that period from 181 court cases that grappled with moral, legal and religious questions related to the draft. The cases are documented through memos, briefs, transcripts of court proceedings, completed selective service forms, news clippings and attorneys' work papers. Much of the material, such as pre-trial depositions and judicial opinions delivered from the bench, exists nowhere else. Researchers and students concentrating on recent American history can study such questions as:

- What, according to the courts, constitutes a definition of conscientious objector status?
- What is the nature of due process as it applies to the draft?
- How did the courts judge the question of the Roman Catholic "just war" doctrine in relation to selective conscientious objection?

Certain cases documented in this collection involve religious belief. Many others involving members of minority groups and aliens raised the issue of racism in the selective service system. And there are 23 cases based on the U.S. Constitution, U.S. treaties and agreements and the Nurenberg Judgment. For students of law, military science, political science, religion, ethics and sociology, this collection of recent court cases is central to researching and understanding the 1960s.

Delivered in two standard 9 x 12-inch looseleaf binders; A printed index is included in the binder, free with collection; Cases are entered under two headings - Conscientious Objection and Due Process of Law; Divided into 40 sub-topics USA

188 fiche

#### La Follette, Robert M. Papers of Robert M. La Follette

1876 - 1924

The microfilm edition of his Papers focuses on his fight to reform corruption and injustice in the political system of the State of Wisconsin. Under La Follette's dynamic leadership the Wisconsin State legislature enacted sweeping domestic reforms including the railroad regulation act and the primary election law which replaced the old caucus and convention system. The Papers include correspondence with Carnegie, McKinley, Roosevelt and other major figures of his day.

The Papers of Robert M. La Follette at The State Historical Society of Wisconsin: Guide to a Microfilm Edition, free with collection USA

#### **Massachusetts Historical Society Collections**

1419 - 1970

The Massachusetts Historical Society is an independent, not-for-profit research institution incorporated by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. It was founded in 1791 for the threefold purpose of collecting, preserving and disseminating resources for the study of American history. It was not only the first North American historical society but also the first library of any kind to devote its primary attention to collecting Americana. These collections cannot be matched either in scope or depth by those of any similar institution in North America. Titles from the MHS Collections may be purchased by individual reel.

Please inquire about additional subsets

MA, USA

#### 1,731 reels 35mm

#### Livingston, William. The Papers of William Livingston, 1695 -1839

The papers of William Livingston, a prominent Massachusetts attorney, consist of two major collections of papers from Livingston's personal files pertaining to his life and work. Included are letterbooks, several large manuscripts and valuable law and case registers. The material will provide students of American legal history with a look into the law as it was practiced before the Revolution and during the period of the new Federalist government. Individual reels may be purchased. *Guide free with collection* 

MA, USA

25 reels 35mm

#### Shaw, Lemuel. The Lemuel Shaw Papers, 1648 - 1923

Shaw's personal and professional papers provide scholars with research opportunities into state law in the first half of the 19th century. Lemuel Shaw (1781-1861) was perhaps one of the most influential state jurists in the history of American law and this collection reveals the meticulous care with which he studied each case, the logic and clarity of his judicial utterances and his sensitivity to human qualities. This collection stands unmatched as a record of one of the keenest legal minds in the history of our country. Though his reputation is based primarily on decisions dealing with problems of industry and public utilities in a changing society, Shaw also presided over criminal cases and litigations involving fugitive slaves. Also represented is Shaw's close association with the Melville family including background material on the career of his famous son-in-law, Herman Melville Individual reels may be purchased..

Guide free with collection

MA, ÚSA

65 reels 35mm

### The Official Transcripts of the Watergate Trial

1974 - 1975

In October 1974, the eyes of the world were focused on the United States as the trial of H.R. Haldeman, John Erlichman, John Mitchell, Robert Mardian and Kenneth Parkinson began. Nixon had resigned and the Watergate co-conspirators had to answer to the court for their alleged involvement in the break-in and coverup. The official court transcripts of this famous trial are now available in their entirety to students in political science, history, journalism and government. The New York Times acquired these transcripts daily to support the efforts of its on-the-scene reporters during the trial. This historic collection filmed from those transcripts includes the day-to-day account of the trial proceedings from October 15, 1974 through January 1, 1975, plus the sentencing of the defendants in February 1975. Watergate is a topic that sparks on-going interest and allegations even today and access to the nearly 10,000 pages in the official transcript is in demand as valuable background file for exploring the Watergate affair. These documents represent a permanent, timely collection that will only increase in historical value in the coming years. 97 fiche & 3 reels 35mm; The printout from The New York Times Information Bank contains all abstracts relating to the trial and appears on the first reel and final fiche in the collection; A table of contents keyed to specific pages in the transcript accompanies each day's proceedings

100 Various

#### **Parral Papers**

1631 - 1821

This unique microfilm collection represents perhaps the most definitive historical record of the Southwestern United States and Mexico. Spanning the years 1631-1821, El Archivo de Hildalgo del Parral is a collection of official records, directives, treaties, court transcripts, wills, letters and other documents relating to the Spanish Colonial Era in "Nueva Vizcaya" - the region now including much of the southwestern United States and much of Mexico. Over 360,000 manuscript pages, written in Spanish, provide primary reference on the administration of government, Indian uprisings, slavery, public entertainment, military organization, silver mining, official residences, crime and punishment and civil law. Since the history of the Southwest is often clouded by fiction, the Parral Papers benefit serious researchers attempting to uncover accurate historical data. Included are references to Father Eusebio Koni, the accusation of Juan Mange by the Jesuits, a report on the assassination of the governor of New Mexico in 1644, plus an account of the 1,720 peace treaties with the Apaches and the Texans.

Includes index available in either Spanish or English

In Spanish

324 reels 35mm

## Primary Sources for the History of Pharmacy in the United States: Pharmacy from the Colonial Period through 1940

1700 - 1940

This microfiche collection provides scholars, students and historians with a fine collection of primary sources for comprehensive study of the history of pharmacy as a science and a profession in the United States. It traces the practice of pharmacy from the Colonial Period, when European methods met Native American naturalist treatments, through the development of modern pharmaceutical practice based on biomedical research. The collection contains books on pharmaceutical law, treatises, lectures, textbooks and other antiquarian and scholarly materials. There are drug catalogs and formula books that provide vivid descriptions of medicines and instructions on how to use them. Botany texts document the medicinal use of various plants in the treatment of illness. Any institution supporting a degree-granting pharmacy program as well as allied health science programs such as nursing or medicine will find this collection to be a necessary resource for teaching and research. The collection was filmed at the University of Wisconsin in cooperation with the American Institute of the History of Pharmacy. Some books are from the National Library of Medicine at Bethesda, Maryland and the Center for Research Libraries, Chicago, Illinois.

Includes A Selection of Primary Sources for the History of Pharmacy in the United States: Books and Trade Catalogs from the Colonial Period to 1940, edited by Dr. Nydia M. King WI, MA & IL, USA; In English

396 fiche

#### Records of the Children's Bureau

1912 - 1969

The publication of the microfilm edition of the Children's Bureau records is an important event for scholars of women, the family and the welfare state. Molly Ladd-Taylor American Civilization Program, Brown University. Though the Children's Bureau is one of the least well- known Federal agencies, its records provide one of the richest sources for an understanding of 20th century American society. Founded in 1912 as part of the Federal Government's new commitment to promoting individual and family welfare, the Children's Bureau played an active role in the design and administration of many important social welfare measures including the 1921 Sheppard-Towner Maternity and Infancy Act to reduce infant mortality and the campaign to reduce child labor in the 1930s. The Bureau's voluminous records, including correspondence, research reports, radio scripts, brochures, bills and laws, court hearings and speeches, represent the largest and most important collection of primary material for the study of the family and the health and well being of children in the 20th century. Not only do the documents enable researchers to trace the various stages of Federal involvement in the welfare of children and the development of family law, they also throw a fascinating light on the way welfare policies affected ordinary women. USA: In English

#### Reform of Local Government Structures in the United States

1945 - 1971

...a microfiche collection with a printed finding aid that assembles in one package non-serial and non-periodical materials such as legislative studies and research reports, reports of official commissions and civic groups, studies and reports of state and local governments that deal with organizational reform on local government. It is those materials in the area of public affairs that are often characterized as "difficult to obtain", "out of the mainstream" or "fugitive". In bringing some of this material together in one place, the package performs a service... "Significant" documents and reports for the period covered are included... As for technical aspects, the set gets very high marks. Each fiche is clearly marked with document descriptions and the document number is clearly displayed, making for easy filing and retrieval. The filmed copy is clear and legible even though some of the original copy is aged and was not printed on the best quality paper. The contrast is excellent. The workmanship is among the best this reviewer has seen ... The microfiche document amounts to a notable research collection and provides many documents not easily available. Any library involved with public affairs would be wise to consider its purchase.

1,199 fiche

#### Salem Witchcraft

1648 - 1930

This unique microfilm collection brings together the written histories and interpretations of witchcraft occurrences in New England from 1648 through the early 20th century. The subject of witchcraft will be forever tied to New England in American minds. Researchers in every generation since have been fascinated by the old trial records and attempts at explaining the hysteria that gripped New England's residents during the late 1600s. The collection touches on witchcraft incidents throughout New England and North America during colonial times. However, the majority of materials surround the most famous and well-documented witch-hunt in history - that of Salem Village in the Massachusetts Bay Colony in 1692. This collection brings together over 60 works representing some 7,000 pages of information gleaned from the Salem Village Witchcraft Collection maintained by the Danvers (Massachusetts) Archival Center. The microfilm edition provides a resource by which students and researchers can understand the events of the witchcraft outbreak and how these events have been interpreted by various writers and scholars from the time of the trials up to the 20th century. Included are:

- Early publications by contemporaries of the events in Salem, such as John Hale's 1702 work A Modest Enquiry into the Nature of Witchcraft
- Imprints directly concerning the trials, such as Thomas Hutchinson's 1767 History of the Province of Massachusetts Bay and Peleg Chandler's 1841 American Criminal Trials
- Full-length histories of the New England witchcraft outbreak including Charles Upham's 1831
   Lectures on Witchcraft and his well-known 1867 two-volume work, Salem Witchcraft
- Sections from often-overlooked local publications and histories, such as History of the Town of Danvers (1848), by John W. Hanson
- Legal, moral and psychological interpretations about the witchcraft hysteria outbreak
- Bibliographical materials on the period, including Justin Winsor's The Literature of Witchcraft in New England

The material in this collection was carefully selected by Richard B. Trask, curator at the Danvers Archival Center. The printed index accompanying the collection provides easy access to the film through a listing of reel and item numbers.

Witchcraft in New England, an Index, free with collection Salem, MA, USA

## State Reports on Correction and Punishment, Poverty and Public Welfare, prior to 1930

This microfiche program includes all series of official reports, issued prior to 1930, of the state agencies concerned with penology and the historically allied field of public welfare in California, Colorado, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Massachusetts, New York, North Carolina, Ohio, Pennsylvania and Texas. The documents are available as a complete collection or each of the eleven state segments can also be acquired at a package price. *USA*; *In English* 

#### 2,592 fiche

- USA; In English
  102 fiche
- Colorado
   USA; In English
   39 fiche
- **Georgia**USA; In English
  23 fiche
- USA; In English
- Indiana
  USA; In English
  85 fiche
- New York
  USA; In English
  969 fiche
- North Carolina
   USA; In English
   62 fiche
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  253 fiche
- Pennsylvania
   USA; In English
   283 fiche
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  50 fiche

#### The California Code of Regulations

This incredible microfiche program is designed to replace the 60 loose-leaf volumes published by Barclay's Law Publishers with approximately 300 space-saving microfiche. The microfiche edition contains the same information – all the regulations emanating from the over 200 state agencies comprising the California regulatory system. Now lawyers, law librarians, students, researchers and legal professionals can have at their fingertips the administrative codes that form California law – the state that is most watched for new interpretations and precedents nationwide. Here's how the codes of an enormous state organization distill to a comprehensive, organized, space-saving and current reference source for your library:

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- In addition to the register updates, you will receive a cumulative table of sections affected
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  amendments to the section you are referencing.
- This updating process requires no time-consuming interfiling.
- The updates are simply slipped into the storage binder provided and you are ready to determine in minutes what, if any, changes have been made to the particular regulations you are researching.

#### Comprehensive Index to the California Code of Regulations - no longer published.

Indexes are available through 1999 only

The entire code is indexed by subject, using a controlled thesaurus developed by Proquest's professional staff of lawyers and librarians to facilitate data retrieval. In addition, two authority tables simplify research by citing the Regulations-to-Statutes and Statutes-to-Regulations – a cross-referencing system that makes it easy to move back and forth from regulatory data to regulatory source. The CCR Index also includes a retrospective history table, which cites all changes to regulations, including additions or repealers, from January 1, 1975 to the year of the index. Beginning in 1989, Parts 2-5 of Title 24 are no longer included; The table of sections loose-leaf edition is updated quarterly CA, USA

Please inquire for additional information

#### **United States v. Rosenberg**

The debate over the Rosenbergs' innocence is as contested today as it was nearly 50 years ago. Those who believe they are innocent see the husband and wife as either heroic martyrs or tragic scapegoats. Others see them as victims of alleged anti-Semitic views held by many high-ranking U.S. Government officials during that time. Those convinced of their guilt see them as vicious traitors who put the lives of every U.S. citizen in jeopardy during one of the nation's most vulnerable times. This microfilm collection includes the United States Supreme Court transcripts, the Rosenberg and Sobell Court of Appeals Briefs and the U.S. Supreme Court briefs. There are also copies of the applications for judicial clemency and motions for reduction of sentences, as well as pages pertaining to an attempt for a re-trial on the grounds of newly discovered evidence. Though this collection is by no means a complete record of all motions and proceedings for this trial, it nevertheless provides valuable insights into one of the most famous cases in U.S. history. USA

5 reels 35mm

### Webster, Daniel. The Papers of Daniel Webster

1798 - 1852

"It is probable," Charles M. Wiltse writes in his guide to this collection, "that no man of his time had greater impact upon the development of American institutions than Daniel Webster." As a politician, lawyer, writer and orator, Webster's contributions to the development of American life were substantial. For students in American history, law and political science, this collection will provide valuable background information for research into such areas as:

- Webster's lasting contributions to American diplomatic efforts as secretary of state
- His impact on political thought as the voice of American nationalism at a time when the weight of authority was on the side of state sovereignty
- The lasting value of his legal reasoning as demonstrated in constitutional interpretations, that are still valid today

The 16,000 items in the Papers of Daniel Webster date from 1798-1852, and comprise the most comprehensive collection of Webster materials ever assembled. These papers feature personal and political correspondence, including his resignation as secretary of state. Also among these materials are poems, essays, and orations he wrote while at Dartmouth College, drafts of editorials for the National Intelligencer, legal papers and Congressional and diplomatic documents. This collection is conveniently arranged in chronological order within the broad categories of General Correspondence, Business Papers, Congressional Papers, and State Department Papers. Items already available on microfilm such as official files of the Department of State, or items published separately such as legal papers and courthouse records, are excluded.

Microfilm Edition of the Papers of Daniel Webster: Guide and Index to the Microfilm, edited by Charles M. Wiltse, free with collection; Each reel begins with a contents page
USA

41 reels 35mm

## United Kingdom

## A Letter to the Merchants and Tradesmen of Great Britain, E. Budgell\*

1733

Particularly to those of London and Bristol; upon their late Glorious Behavior and Happy Success in opposing the Extension of the Excise laws.

#### **British Trials**

1660 - 1900

This exciting collection includes:

- Detailed first-hand accounts of thousands of trials, putting flesh on the bones of the official records
- Rare and elusive literature, from major libraries all over the world, in a unified collection for the first time
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At the heart of any system of law and justice is the trial, the moment in a case when the evidence is heard and a verdict reached. One of the most distinctive features of trial by jury is its reliance on the verbal presentation of evidence in open court. The formal written records of these verbal proceedings have often been laconic in the extreme. For both criminal and civil proceedings, the official manuscript records of cases preserved in the Public Record Office or County Record Offices frequently provide no more than the barest outline of the dispute at issue, the identity of the litigants and the final outcome of the case.

The well-known series of printed law reports were usually compiled by lawyers only to inform their fellow professionals on detailed points of legal interpretation. Any sense of what actually went on in court, often indeed any sense of the evidence that was presented, is missing. It is for this reason that the detailed non-official accounts of what was said in court are so immensely valuable. Without them researchers lack a whole body of contemporary evidence and a truly complete picture of the age cannot be attempted. Fortunately, these non-official accounts survive in their thousands. But they are dispersed among many libraries and have not been easy to locate. British Trials 1660-1900 republishes, in an organized and thoroughly indexed collection, those accounts which were originally published as separate pamphlets or books for sale to the public at large. The majority are verbatim transcripts of what was said in court and from 1750 these were compiled by the foremost shorthand experts of the day. In the 17th century the reports tended to be brief summaries of trial proceedings, but even these usually provide more information than other sources. In the main, they were published as commercial undertakings by printers and booksellers, who clearly found there to be a ready market for accounts of a vast range of trials.

#### **Criminal Trials**

The most common type of published trials are those concerned with serious criminal offences. Murder trials involving the wealthy and the famous - aristocrats, gentry, prominent local worthies - were especially popular. Cases involving cruelty, ingratitude, or duelling were also in high demand. By comparison, the trials of highwaymen, forgers and burglars may appear mundane, Chartists and trades unions, many trials for treason, sedition and riot arising out of such activities were printed. Here is a record of face-to-face political confrontation under cross-examination, offering fresh insights into the radical thought and methods of repression of the time. Not all criminal cases fall into these broad categories. All sorts of offences were of sufficient local interest or notoriety to prompt publication. For example, the attempt by Jonathan Martin to burn down York Minster in 1829 was so extraordinary that the transcript of his subsequent trial at York assizes was a bestseller.

#### Civil Trials

There was also a market for printed accounts of many other sorts of litigation. Sometimes the attraction of such accounts was public scandal, but often economic or political concerns were the source of public interest. Among the most titillating of the non-criminal trials were those involving sexual scandal, particularly the famous adultery trials on charges of "criminal conversation" which were usually the prelude to divorce proceedings. Normally these involved the rich and sometimes the famous. They excited all the prurient fascination associated with their modern tabloid equivalents. Commercial disputes were common and included disputes over the powers of official bodies such as corporations, port commissioners, and turnpike trusts. Libel cases frequently occur and there are also trials involving contested wills and contested elections.

#### British Trials cont.

#### Value for Social, Economic and Legal History

The value of the collection for teaching and research in social, economic and legal history is immense. Most directly, it offers historians of law and crime the opportunity to consider the mechanics of the law; in particular, to investigate how decisions were made in the courtroom by judges, juries and lawyers and to explore the ways in which evidence was constructed and evaluated. Where most studies of this kind have so far concentrated on the criminal courts and particularly those in London, British Trials 1660-1900 enables historians to expand their enquiries to other parts of Britain, including Scotland and Ireland and to other types of court. The collection is, equally importantly, a unique source of primary contemporary evidence for the study of the social and economic circumstances of the period.

The accounts of what was said in court are frequently so rich that it is possible to glean from them detailed information on the structure and operation of British society at all levels - during nearly two hundred and fifty years. It is the very stuff of history. The records of criminal trials tell us as much about the people and the property on whom criminal offenders preyed as about the offenders themselves. Similarly the non-criminal cases are a mine of information about many aspects of the social and economic history of the period. "Criminal conversation" cases illustrate the seamier side of upper-class marriage, the manners and morals of the day, the role, responsibilities and attitudes of servants; commercial litigation demonstrates contemporary business practice and the perils of all kinds of business enterprise. British Trials 1660-1900 offers the most detailed accounts of what was said in court, the most extensive geographic coverage and the widest possible range of different types of case, criminal, courts martial, civil and ecclesiastical. It provides the historian with an unrivalled opportunity to study almost every aspect of social and economic life between the 17th and 19th centuries.

#### **Value for Literary History**

The commercially published accounts of trials which make up this collection are also a largely untapped source for historians of publishing. They are a quite distinct literary genre, of importance both for the market which they commanded in their own day and for the place they occupy in the evolution of popular reading. Until the last years of the 19th century, this type of sub-literary publication was a staple ingredient of publisher' lists, both in London and in the provinces. Regular and reliable sales could confidently be expected from them. The true-life, human-interest dramas which they so graphically portrayed were then and have remained, irresistible to a wide reading public. At the same time, the characters, events and disputes which they described were a rich source of raw material for novelists of the period. A hundred years and more later these accounts provide valuable research material for the literary historian which cannot be found elsewhere. 2 volume guide available

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### **Castleacre Manor Court Rolls**\*

1300 - 1400

A transcript of 1,623 of the Court Rolls of the Honor Court of Castleacre.

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## Coke, Chief Justice Sir Edward. Legal and State Memoranda\*

1500 - 1700

The majority of these manuscripts date from the 16th and 17th centuries and are mainly of legal interest. *Holkham Mss.* 723, 725, 732A, 748A, 748B, 748C and 751

### Coke, Chief Justice Sir Edward. Legal, Political and Personal Papers Relating to Chief Justice Sir Edward Coke\*

1550 - 1650

A rival of Francis Bacon, he was the man who prosecuted Sir Walter Raleigh and Guy Fawkes. However, his fame is due to his writings on English law. The majority of these papers are of legal interest, ranging from reports on important cases to treatises. Ms. 724 is household accounts for 1596 and 1597, showing the prices of meat, fish, fowl and other household requisites.

Holkham Mss. 227, 249, 250, 251, 252, 677, 681, 724, 726, 727, 764, 723 and 728

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## Court Rolls - Billingford, Castleacre, Elmham, Longham, Wellingham and West Lexham $^{\ast}$

1300 - 1800

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### **Court Rolls - Holkham and Miscellaneous Documents\***

1200 - 1500

Also contains Tittleshall Court Rolls

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### **Court Rolls - Minister Lovell, Oxfordshire**\*

1560 - 1627

#### **English Poor Laws**

1639 - 1890

The early English Poor Laws had a great influence on the development of international public policy regarding the poor and unemployed. This collection provides an unparalleled opportunity for researchers in the fields of sociology, public health, social work, psychology, history and others, to study the evolving laws over a 200-year period. Filmed from the archives at Sutro Library, a branch of the California State Library, the collection contains books, pamphlets and public papers arranged by date. Included are materials from England, Scotland and Ireland, such as:

- London labour and the London poor by Henry Mayhew, renowned for its clinical descriptions
  of living conditions in the slums
- A 20-year run of the accounts and expenditures of the parish of Paddington
- The Local Government Board reports as presented to the British Parliament
- Reports from more obscure institutions, such as Princess Mary's Village Homes for Little Girls and the Destitute Children's Dinner Society
- Other works outlining the philosophical, economic, or sociological basis on which policy was formulated

Pre-1850 material focuses on the able-bodied unemployed poor. This group of dependent poor aroused the most controversy and inspired passionate writings on their treatment. Various proposals were submitted ranging from the construction of workhouses to a national system of labor exchanges. Joseph Townsend's Dissertation on the poor laws, published anonymously in 1786, supported the abolition of the Poor Law system, declaring that the trouble came from the Poor Laws themselves. Material published after 1850 focuses on the care of the poor, including discussions of the relationship between sanitary conditions and disease and poverty and crime. Items concerning poor children, delinquency and health also appear in documents from this era. Examples of this are Florence Nightingale's Suggestions for improving the nursing service of hospitals and on the method of training nurses for the sick poor and Mary Bayly's Ragged homes and how to mend them. Containing rare and fascinating material - much of it unavailable from any other source - English Poor Laws is sure to be a unique and highly valued addition to any library's collection.

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655 fiche

## Janson, Cobb, Pearson\*

1728 - 1928

The firm of Janson, Cobb, Pearson & Co is believed to be the oldest surviving City of London solicitors. As such, the Archives provide a unique source of information which no researcher or student should be without. The firm has consistently been at the very centre of commercial life in the City, with many high-profile clients including the Royal Exchange Office, the Imperial Fire Office and the Barclay Brothers (proprietors of what is now Barclay's Bank). The Janson, Cobb, Pearson archives are particularly unusual in that they are the actual internal records of the firm and its activities on behalf of clients. No other extant solicitors records are so extensive. *London, England* 

#### **London Directories**\*

1677 - 1991

From the Guildhall Library, London and from Westminster Reference Library, London, with several significant additions from other British sources. A unique major collection of street, commercial, trades, law, court, parliamentary and postal directories relating to London.

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## Losh, James. The Diary of James Losh\*

1796 - 1815

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### **Neath: Court Minute Books of the Borough of Neath\***

1759 - 1853

Minute Books of Court Leet, view of Frankpledge, Court Baron, Court of Pleas, Court of Pye Powdre, Record Books of Manors, etc.

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## **Poor Law Commissioners' Report**\*

1834

The Report covers the operation of the Poor Law as administered, the character of persons who distributed and awarded relief, remedial measures, etc.

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### Poor Law: Report of the Royal Commission on the Poor Law\*

1909

Vol. 47

#### **Records of the Court of Arches: Lambeth Palace Library**

1554 - 1911

The Court of Arches is the Archbishop's court of appeal for the province of Canterbury. In its heyday it stood at the centre of a complex network of church courts, exercising an extensive jurisdiction, placing many local communities under close and rigorous scrutiny. All human vice and misfortune are chronicled in its records. Though the original records are in a fragile state, their reproduction in microform makes them widely available opening up a rich primary source to researchers in social, economic, legal, ecclesiastical, architectural and genealogical history.

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#### 12,850 Various

#### • Series 1: The Process Books of the Court of Arches, 1660-1911

Most cases came to the Court of Arches on appeal from the lower courts. The process books contain certified copies of the proceedings in the lower court submitted by the plaintiff. They cover four main types of case:

- Matrimonial disputes including much intriguing circumstantial and background information
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Includes Index on 7 fiche London, England

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These records consist of a wide range of documents including the Act Books - formal records of the proceedings of each court sitting - supporting documents such as the depositions of witnesses, copies of exhibits shown in court, sentences and details of the stages of each appeal.

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1825

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## Trades Union Congress: Parliamentary Committee Minutes 1888-1921; Parliamentary Committee Reports 1908-1919\*

1888 - 1921

The Parliamentary Committee of the Trades Union Congress was set up in 1871 to lobby M.P.s with a view to influencing legislation. The Minutes provide essential background information on the activities of the Parliamentary Committee. This hitherto unpublished information is an extremely valuable adjunct to Labour History resources. *London, England; In English* 

### Africa

## Government Publications Relating to African Countries prior to Independence\*

1808 - 1965

This is a major series of publications covering the entire period of colonial rule and contains the Annual Reports, Blue Books and the Government Gazettes together with the Supplements in which legislation, government notices and law reports were published. The microfilms provide a unique research source since the material included has hitherto been widely dispersed and difficult to obtain. Each collection is accompanied by a printed Guide, which includes an introduction and a complete index to the microfilms.

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  Includes printed Guide; Introduction by Dr. H.F. Morris, School of Oriental and African Studies, University of London
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  Includes printed Guide; Introduction by Dr. D.C. Dorward, La Trobe University, Melbourne, Australia
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   Includes printed Guide; Introduction by Dr. H.F. Morris, University of London
   Tanzania

### **Government Publications Relating to Basutoland\***

1868 - 1966

This collection includes a comprehensive series of Government documents on Basutoland, the colonial mane for Lesotho. It comprises the Annual Reports, Gazettes, Proclamations and Notices, Laws of Basutoland, Law Reports, reports on Customary law (including the Laws of Lerotholi), the Proceedings of the National Council/Legislative Council, Census reports, financial reports and numerous miscellaneous reports. This is a unique collection gathered from a wide variety of different sources covering the entire colonial period from 1868, when the territory became a British Protectorate, until the formation of the independent state of Lesotho in 1966. The collection includes documents for the period of direct administrative rule by the Cape Colony (1871-1884). Also included are documents from the pre-colonial period from the consolidated Basutoland Records compiled by the Secretary of Native Affairs of the Cape Colony in 1883.

Includes printed guide; Edited by Doctor Thackway Driver; From various UK libraries Lesotho

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## Juridical Techniques and the Judicial Process, A.L. Epstein\*

Institute for Social Research, University of Zambia (formerly Rhodes Livingstone Institute) Paper No. 23 Zambia

2 fiche

## Selected Pamphlets, Handbooks, Congress and Other Reports Relating to Southern Africa\*

A collection of material covering such diverse topics as the African National Congress Party, Angola, South Africa's Treason Trial, etc. Authors include Ruth First, Nelson Mandela and many others.

Angola

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# Hoki Bunrui Taizen: Collection of Laws, Regulations and Ordinances of Japan from the Meiji Restoration to the Meiji Constitution\* 法規分類大全

1868 - 1890

*Includes guide; Compiled by the Board of Documents, Cabinet of Japan; 1st series: 69 vols; 2nd series: 16 vols Japan; In Japanese* 

### Inoue Kowashi Monjo: Viscount Kowashi Inoue Records\* 井上毅文書

1843 - 1895

Kowashi Inoue 1843-1895, was an important government official in the Meiji Era, entering the Meiji Cabinet in 1881. During his government tenure he wrote the draft of the Imperial Meiji Constitution, promulgated the Imperial Rescript on Education, drew up a new educational plan and wrote a code of Laws, among other accomplishments. He wrote huge amounts of original materials concerning the Meiji modernization effort in Japan.

Includes guide; From the holdings of Kokugakuin University Library, Tokyo; This collection of papers is also known by the name of the "Goin Library"; 5,594 manuscripts and 112,326 pages

Tokyo, Japan; In Japanese

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## Nihonshi Kankei Shiryo: The Japanese Archives of the Harvard Law School Library\*

日本史関係資料(ハーバード大学蔵)

Includes guide; 309 original items; Introduction in English Japan; In Japanese

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### Takuzo, Hanai. The Papers of Hanai Takuzo<sup>\*</sup> 花井卓蔵文書

1868 - 1931

This collection, of particular interest to all those studying Japanese pre-war legal history, constitutes the papers and records of Hanai Takuzo (1868-1931). Hanai was a famous criminal law attorney who participated in the trials for both the Hibiya Incendiary Affair and the Taikyaku Incident. He was also a member of the Upper House and Lower House of Japan. During the period when he was in the Diet, he played an important and active role in modern Japanese lawmaking as a member of the Legislation Committee. These papers shed light on legislation in which Hanai was personally involved, as well as on the general process of lawmaking.

Includes 156 page guide; From Keio University Library, Tokyo

Tokyo, Japan; In Japanese

## Additional International Collections

#### **Canadian Research Index**

The Canadian Research Index - Microlog places all of Canada's hard-to-find government and research literature at your fingertips. Canadian Research Index is a monthly indexing service that allows you to locate reports you need for business, research or for informed and active participation in community activities. The database includes all depository publications of research value issued by the federal government, the ten provinces and two of the three territories; hard to find non-depository publications issued by hundreds of Canadian government agencies and departments; scientific and technical report literature issued by research institutes and government laboratories; policy, social, economic and political reports; Statistics Canada monographs and serials.

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#### Justice and Law/Justice et droit

coroner; corrections; courts; crime; human and civil rights; freedom of information; right to privacy; federal and provincial law and regulations; general legal matters and law reform; ombudsman; police activities/Activités policières; coroner; correction; cour; crime; droits civiques et de la personne; Ombudsman; réforme de la loi Canada; In English/French

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## Manuscripts & Religious Law

### Collections from the Library of Jewish Theological Seminary of America

Scholars of Jewish history, religion, philosophy, language and literature can access ancient manuscripts and valuable books on Hebraica and Judaica gathered from many of the important centers of Judaism in Europe, the Middle East, North Africa and India in this comprehensive microfilm collection from ProQuest. These documents are available nowhere else in America and represent essential source materials for researchers into Judaic history.

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The first comprehensive code of Jewish Law, encompassing all the intricacies of Talmudic learning and erudition. Of the 71 manuscripts in this complete Mishneh Torah, the largest number belongs to the  $14^{\rm th}$  century, with the latest from 1785. Many are dated by the Seleucid era and are written in a square rabbinic hand.

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800 - 1500

The mediaeval manuscripts in Lambeth Palace Library number over 600 volumes dating from the 9th to the 15th centuries. The collection was made principally at the beginning of the 17th century and is in its range and quality one of the most important collections in existence. It has now been placed on microfilm in its entirety. In addition to masterpieces of mediaeval art such as the Lambeth bible and the Lambeth Apocalypse, it covers almost every aspect of mediaeval thought and learning, notably art, history, poetry (including English poetry), medicine, philosophy, liturgy, the Bible and Greek and Latin classical literature.

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1201 - 1500

A number of rare and beautiful 13th-15th century Medieval manuscripts from the Holkham Hall Estate. Reproducing their rich store of Medieval manuscripts obtained by Sir Thomas Coke (1697-1759) during the Grand Tour of Italy, the manuscripts have been organized into the following themed groups.

Edited by Suzanne Reynolds and Peter Kidd; Please inquire about additional subsets England

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Medieval Legal Mss\*
 England

## Miscellaneous Manuscripts: Extracts from MSS. 5, 6, 10, 11, 13 and $15^*$ 1392 - 1656

- Certificates of rates of particulars of forfeited lands, 1652-6
- Register of Crown livings at the Restoration
- Schedule of the lands of Bernard Brocas near Windsor, 1392
- List of Justices of the Peace, 1586-7 (excluding northern counties)
- (Liber parliamenti) listing the names of the knights, burgesses and barons of the cinque ports attending Parliament, 12th November 1588
- Papers in the trial of John Williams, Bishop of Lincoln and Lambert Osbaldeston for libel against Archbishop Laud, 1639
- Speech of Thomas Wentworth, Earl of Strafford, in his defense at his trial, 12th April 1641
- Inventory of ordnance and armory, 1555

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## The Manuscripts of the Munich University Library\*

800 - 1600

The Munich University Library is in possession of more than 600 medieval manuscripts. Some of them are exceptional treasures such as Lex Baiuvariorum, the oldest preserved manuscript of the Bavarian public law (dating back to around 800) or a gospel book from the court school of Karl the Great (also around 800).

Please inquire about additional subsets

Munich, Germany; In German

#### 2,830 fiche

#### The Medieval German Manuscripts, 500-1450\*

They mainly consist of 100 entirely textual manuscripts or manuscripts for commodity, Artes literales and religious prose, books of law (Golden Bull, Upper Bavarian land law, several Swabian codes, city law of Augsburg), calendars, cooking manuscripts, a hunting book, medical and scientific texts. Most codices date back to the second half of the 15th century and originate from Old Bavaria, Franconia and from the Swabian region. There are also some texts from central parts of Germany as well as from the Netherlands. Worth mentioning is a book by Michael de Leones (around 1350), which presents a rich tradition of Middle high German literature.

Munich, Germany; In German

263 fiche

### Trinity College Cambridge Library: Mediaeval Manuscript Collection\*

The world famous library of Trinity College, Cambridge is the home of some of the greatest treasures surviving form the Middle Ages. The collection, which contains some 1,500 volumes, has been microfilmed in its entirety and will allow scholars the opportunity to explore a unique source of information on every aspect of mediaeval knowledge. Though manuscripts such as The Trinity Apocalypse, the Canterbury Psalter, the Winchester Psalter and a copy of St. Paul's Epistles (possibly in Bede's own hand) stand out, it is the depth and range of Trinity's holdings which make this collection such an indispensable source.

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Dublin, Ireland

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Dublin, Ireland

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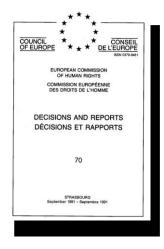


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