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THE UNIVERSITY SOUTH CAROLINIANA SOCIETY

FIFTEENTH ANNUAL MEETING

THE SOUTH CAROLINIANA LIBRARY

April 17, 1951, 6:30 P. M.

J. Heyward Gibbes, President, Presiding

Exhibit ....................................................... ................................... .. .... ................ 6:30-7:30
Dinner .......................................................................................................................... 7:30
Welcome ......................................................... NORMAN M. SMITH
President, University of South Carolina
Address ......................................................... CHARLES E. CAUTHEN
Professor of History, Wofford College
Business

The Society: J. Heyward Gibbes, President; Caroline McKissick Belser, Chapman J. Milling, Marion W. Wright, Vice-Presidents; Robert L. Meriwether, Secretary and Treasurer; The Executive Council — The foregoing officers and Marion D. Lucas, Mary Simms Oliphant, Samuel G. Stoney.

The Library: Robert L. Meriwether, Director; Elizabeth B. Foran, Clara M. Jacobs, Nancy Childs Walker, Assistants; Etta Fripp, Cornelia H. Hensley, E. L. Inabinett, Margaret B. Meriwether, H. S. Teal, W. R. Walsh, Elena Zimmermann, Part-Time Assistants; Hilda Adams, Mary Bloodworth, Madeline Campbell, Nan Copeland, Isabel Douglas, Joan Gayden, Jane Kirk, Dayton Richardson, Gloria Steverson, W. S. Stuckey, Mary Thomas, Student Attendants.
EXHIBIT OF GIFTS BY MEMBERS OF THE SOCIETY DURING THE PAST YEAR

(Note: *Indicates that the acquisition is made by joint contributions of the donors and the Caroliniana Purchase Fund of the University.)

1. Letter from James F. Byrnes (Director of War Mobilization), 14 June, 1943.
   Donor: Mrs. F. H. McMaster.

   Donor: Mr. L. T. Baker.

   Donor: Mr. R. D. Ward.

4. Letter to Mrs. H. T. Tyler, 8 May, 1847, about the writer's stay in South Carolina.
   Donor: Mrs. Jane F. Dana.

5. Letter from Maria Pickens Butler, 3 March, [1860], to Mrs. F. W. Pickens, U. S. Embassy, Russia.
   Donor: Miss Ellen Butler.

   Donor: Mrs. E. C. L. Adams.

7. Letter to General W. Hopkins, 9 November, 1841.
   Donor: Miss Laura Hopkins.

   Donor: Mr. C. W. Coker.

   Donor: Mr. M. D. Lucas.

10. Letter from John C. Calhoun, 18 October, 1833.
    Donors: Mr. R. C. Norton, Mr. L. H. Norton.

    Donor: Mrs. A. T. Odell.

    Donor: Thomas Cooper Hanna.

    Donor: Miss Leah Townsend.

    Donor: Miss Septima Smith.

15. Printed circular of the South Carolina College, 1821.
    Donor: Mr. John A. Chase.
Donor: Mrs. W. C. White.

17. Miller's Almanac (by Bryce and Gamewell, Wofford College), 1877.  
Donor: Mr. H. W. Fair.

18. Printed advertisement of the Male Academy of Newberry, 1856.  
Donor: Mrs. Sterling Graydon.

19. Printed advertisement of the Spartanburg Female College, 1859.  
Donor: Mrs. Sterling Graydon.

20. Spartanburg Female College Inauguration Address by W. Gilmore Simms, 1855.  
Donor: Mrs. D. D. McColl.

21. 2 letters from Angelica Van Buren, 15 April and 27 November, 1851, to her father, Richard Singleton.  
Donor: Mr. A. M. Gibbes.

*22. Letter from David Ramsay, 13 April, 1786.  
Donors: Mr. George Curry, Mr. R. D. Ochs.

23. Letter from W. Gilmore Simms to "Dear Miles", no date.  
Donor: Mr. J. K. Rivers.

*24. Henry Popple's Map of the British Empire, (first published in London, 1732; this is the Amsterdam edition, c. 1737).  
Donors: Miss Mary P. Wheeler, Mrs. J. C. Thorne, Mrs. S. R. Lucas, Miss Caroline Guignard, Miss Clara Yarborough, Mrs. Alice Seibels, Mrs. Edwin G. Seibels.

Donor: Mr. George C. Taylor.

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Donor: Mrs. A. D. Oliphant.

Donor: Mr. A. C. Holstein.

29. Letter from Charles Cotesworth Pinckney, 31 August, 1797, to Major Mountfliore.  
Donor: Mr. D. W. Hollis.

Donor: Mr. Alston Deas.

31. Affidavit in regard to army supplies, signed by Joel Holmes, 11 October, 1775.  
Donor: Miss Anne King Gregorie.

32. An account of a trial of Negroes held on John Ewing Calhoun's plantation, 29 August, 1789.  
Donors: Mr. Hennig Cohen and Mr. H. W. Hennig.
Twenty-five Letters of Edward Rutledge (1749-1800), Signer of the Declaration of Independence, Governor of South Carolina:

*33. Two letters from Edward Rutledge, 9 January and 10 March, 1789.
Donors: Mrs. J. B. Gilbert, Mr. T. C. Hanna, Mr. H. S. Johnson.

*34. Two letters from Edward Rutledge, 6 and 22 May, 1789.
Donors: Miss Alice R. H. Smith, Mr. S. G. Stoney.

*35. Two letters from Edward Rutledge, 4 August and 13 June, 1790.
Donors: Mrs. W. C. Farber, Mr. D. E. Finley, Miss Katherine Heyward.

*36. Three letters from Edward Rutledge, 12 November, 1791, 29 May, and 2 June, 1792.
Donors: Mr. J. L. Coker, Mr. J. S. Dudley, Mr. Fant Thornley.

*37. Three letters from Edward Rutledge, 26 August and 3 December, 1792, and 10 September, 1793.
Donors: Mr. A. T. Graydon, Mr. Paul Quattlebaum, Miss Mary G. Sledge.

*38. Two letters from Edward Rutledge, 16 September, 1793, and 26 September, 1794.
Donors: Mr. Harold Moise, Mr. H. A. Moses.

Donors: Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Ruff.

*40. Three letters from Edward Rutledge, 15 March, 1 October, and 9 November, 1797.
Donors: Mr. J. N. Caldwell, Mr. E. F. Teague, Dr. C. J. Lemmon.

*41. Three letters from Edward Rutledge, 22 December, 1797, 23 January and 9 February, 1798.
Donors: Dr. and Mrs. R. B. Josey, Mrs. T. B. Stackhouse.

*42. Three letters from Edward Rutledge, 20 February, 16 April, and 1 May, 1798.
Donors: Mr. R. B. Davis, Colonel F. P. Miller, and the late Mr. J. E. Mills.

*43. Letter from Edward Rutledge, 6 July, 1798.
Donors: Mrs. L. S. Bryan, Mrs. F. C. Hensley.

*44. The Hampton Papers: MS, bank statement of Wade Hampton I, 1832; 9 letters of Wade Hampton II, 1855-1857; 112 letters of Wade Hampton III, 1836-1900; letter of Robert E. Lee, 1864; 5 MSS of George McDuffie, 1822-1844; and 38 other letters and papers of the Hampton family.
Donor: Mrs. Corinne Hampton Brown.

Donor: Mr. Alfred Rawlinson.

Donor: Mrs. William Shand.

47. 65,000 letters and papers of Governor J. Strom Thurmond (Note: This collection is open to the donor only.)
Donor: Mr. J. Strom Thurmond.
Donor: Mr. W. D. Workman.

49. The Journal of Mary E. Moragne in its original manuscript and in its printed form, The Neglected Thread, A Journal from the Calhoun Community, 1836-1842, as edited by her great-granddaughter, Delle Mullen Craven.

50. 3 letters of Iredell Jones from Forts Sumter and Moultrie, 1861, 1862, 1863.
Donors: Mrs. J. S. Cole and Miss Ellen Butler.

51. Giant in the Land, the life of Rev. Wm. Bullein Johnson, by Hortense Woodson and the manuscript “Reminiscences” of Dr. Johnson, upon which much of the printed volume is based.

52. 7 bound volumes, copies of the minutes and records of the Medical Society of South Carolina, 1789-1924, and The Life of Dr. Peter Fayssoux of Charleston, S. C. (first president of the society), by Chalmers G. Davidson.
Donor of the Minutes: Dr. Joseph I. Waring.

Donor: Mr. John Bolt Culbertson.

54. Mason Smith Family Letters, 1860-1868, and the volume of manuscript letters from which it is drawn.
Donor of the manuscript volume: Miss Alice R. H. Smith.

55. Record of a militia court-martial held in Colleton County, 24 July, 1844, signed by Paul Quattlebaum.
Donor: Mr. Paul Quattlebaum.

56. Fairfield Account Book, 1791.
Donors: Mr. J. D. Evans, Mr. W. M. Cook, Mrs. S. B. McMaster, and the late Mr. H. C. Davis.

57. 3 issues of The Missionary, 1874, 1875, 1876, a magazine of the Presbyterian Church.
Donor: Mr. William B. Lowrance.

58. Laurensville Female College Diploma, 15 July, 1866.
Donor: Mrs. Mason L. Copeland.

59. Picture of Ann Pamela Cunningham.

60. Letter of Commodore M. C. Perry, 6 August, 1854.
Donor: Mr. George O. Hemminger.

61. 13 letters of Edward S. Joynes, 9 November, 1900 — 13 April, 1909.
Donor: Miss Blondelle Malone.

62. 10 letters of William A. Bull, 13 October, 1803 — 7 October, 1812, written from Moses Waddell’s school at Willington.
Donor: Mr. George O. Hemminger.
*63. **Travels Through North and South Carolina, Georgia, East and West Florida, 1791**, by William Bartram.
   Donors: Mrs. B. Thompson, Mr. A. Thompson, Mr. B. Thompson, Jr.

*64. **An Abridgement of the Laws in Force and in Use in Her Majesty's Plantations, 1704**, by Chief Justice Nicholas Trott.
   Donors: Mr. E. R. Jeter, Mr. T. H. Stukes.

*65. **The Character of Queen Elizabeth, 1693**, by Edmund Bohun, first Chief Justice of South Carolina.
   Donor: Mrs. Caroline McK. Belser.

   Donor: Mrs. Flinn Gilland.

*67. **A Wreath from the Woods of Carolina, 1859**.
   Donor: Mrs. J. H. Gibbes.

68. **Questions Analytically Adapted to Dr. Samuel Whelpley's Compend of History . . . for the Columbia Female Academy, 1825**, by Elias Marks.
   Donor: Mrs. D. D. McColl.

69. **South Carolina Temperance Advocate, 9 July, 1840—1 July, 1841**.
   Donors: Miss Wil Lou Gray, Mr. M. R. Wilkes, Mrs. B. C. Hough.

70. **Minutes of St. Michael's Church, Charleston, S. C., 1758-1797**, by Mrs. C. G. Howe and Mrs. Charles F. Middleton.
   Donor: Mrs. John S. Reynolds.

   Donor: Mr. Eugene Blake.

   Donor: Mr. W. L. Spalding.

   Donor: Mr. F. W. Bradley.

   Donor: Mrs. Olivia C. B. Brockmann.

75. **Who Was Who in America, vols. I and II, 1897-1950**.
   Donor: Mrs. Caroline McK. Belser.

76. **Water Color of the Library**, by Harry Dodge Jenkins.
   Donor: Mrs. Laura Perry Gunter.

*77. **The Natural History of Carolina, Florida and the Bahama Islands, 1771**, by Mark Catesby.
   Donor: Mrs. F. H. McMaster.

78. **Erskine College Diploma, 7 August, 1860**.
   Donor: Mr. Chalmers G. Davidson.
79. 7 letters of Charles E. Whilden, 28 August, 1855 — 31 July, 1856. 
Donor: Miss Elizabeth Whilden Hard.

80. Exhibit of Publications During the Past Year by Members of the Society.


South Carolina Bibliographies, Nos. 1-2, by J. H. Easterby.

South Carolina Goes to War, 1860-1865, by Charles E. Cauthen.

A Word-List from South Carolina, by F. W. Bradley.


Quattlebaum Family History, by M. M. Quattlebaum.

Early History of Sumter Churches, by Thomas McAlpin Stubbs.

Quattlebaum, A Palatine Family in South Carolina, by Paul Quattlebaum.


The Cult, by E. N. Zeigler, Jr.

Know Your City, Columbia, South Carolina, by Mrs. Leon S. Bryan.

First the Blade, Drayton Mayrant. (Katherine D. M. Simons.)

Giant in the Land, by Hortense Woodson.

The Neglected Thread, a Journal from the Calhoun Community, 1836-1842, by Mary E. Moragne, editor Delle Mullen Craven.

Naval Power and Trade in the Mediterranean, A.D. 500-1100, by A. R. Lewis.

The Life of Dr. Peter Fayssoux of Charleston, S. C., by Chalmers G. Davidson.

A Courageous Conquest, by Mabel Montgomery.

