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Sneyds of Keele Hall, Staffordshire

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This list supersedes the summary list of the Sneyd Papers issued by the John Rylands Library, Manchester, in November 1950. It classifies the material and allots a permanent reference number to each item.

The Sneyd Papers were at Keele Hall after the Second World War, when they were purchased by Mr Raymond Richards, of Gawsworth, from Col. Ralph Sneyd (1863-1949), the family's last direct descendant. After adding the rescued papers to his collection Mr Richards placed the bulk of it in the John Rylands Library, on deposit. The University of Keele (then the University College of North Staffordshire) purchased most of the collection in 1957 and the Sneyd Papers therefore returned to Keele, where they are now housed in the University Library.

From the time of the Civil War the accumulation has had its ups and downs and damage in terms of actual losses (particularly in the map department) accounts for a noticeable imbalance. Over the years fairly extensive disturbance has resulted in fragmentation of the archive and the number of items listed in isolation is consequently high. It is possible that some items now incorporated with the family papers were collected by the Rev. Walter Sneyd (1809-88). One or two items which appear to be forgeries may have been produced by him, or they may have been sent to him by equally light-hearted antiquarian friends.

As far as the personal correspondence is concerned the letters listed are those which survive singly or in numbers too small to justify separate calendaring. The bulk of the personal correspondence - to Ralph Sneyd (1793-1870) - will continue to be calendared. Except where quoted the spelling of the surname has been standardized.

This list omits a quantity of music (mostly of the nineteenth century), original watercolours and drawings, and some items of uncertain
provenance. This material will be noted in supplementary lists. Lists of parts of the accumulation deposited by the family's local solicitors are available in the Search Room in the University Library.

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2742. 1849 Inventory, plate left with Messrs Garrard. (MS. imperfect).

2743. [1st half of 19th cent.] Letter, Mary Thornton, servant, to (?) Ralph Sneyd, about the condition of his horses and other matters.

2744. 1854 Inventory, plate at Keele Hall.

2745. 1858 Account, plate bought from Messrs Garrard.

2746. 1866 List of new furniture for Keele Hall.

2747. 1866 Letter, Henry Collier, shipping agent, to Ralph Sneyd, about a consignment of claret and brandy.

2748. 1867 Testimonial, in favour of Auguste Cassart, applying for the position of cook at Keele Hall.

2749. 1877-1921, undated Correspondence (files), including inserted material, relating to Keele Hall, 74 Cadogan Square, and 55 Portland Place.

2750. [19th cent.] Recipe for roast partridge, and sauce.

2751. 1901 Inventory, contents of Keele Hall. (Volume 2 only).

2752. 1902 Particulars, painting and repairs, Keele Hall, and inventory and valuation of the linen.

2753. [? 1902] Valuation of linen and cooking utensils, Keele Hall.

2754. 1906-1913 Correspondence (file), mainly letters written between Mrs Mary Evelyn Sneyd (first wife of Col. Ralph Sneyd, d.1949) and agents at Keele, about furniture, linen and plate.

2755. 1913 Inventory, Keele Hall.

HOUSEHOLD FABRIC, ORNAMENTS, ETC.

2756. 1747 - 1761 Letters and estimates (12), alterations to Keele Hall.

2757. 1767 Letter, Richard Hayward to Ralph Sneyd, about marble for a Gothic chimney-piece being installed in Keele Hall.
2758. 1771 Account, from Richard and Robert Gillow of Lancaster, for making a set of mahogany dining-room tables.

2759. 1795 Account, John Pepper to Walter Sneyd, for a marble chimney-piece for the drawing-room at Keele.

2760. 1808 - 1809 Account, stucco work at Keele Hall, Walter Sneyd debtor, Francis Bernasconi creditor.

2761. 1830 - 1835 Letters (7), Edward Blore to Ralph Sneyd, alterations to Keele Hall.

2762. 1835 Account, for a pair of marble lions, 'after Canova'.

2763. 1837, 1841 Vouchers (2), purchase of, and packing a picture of Henry VIII.

2764. 1838 Account for plate, Messrs Garrard, including a note of the cost of an equestrian statuette of the Duke of Wellington.

2765. 1838 - 1839 Letters and estimates relating to household furnishings and ornaments, but including a letter and estimates relating to turret clocks.

2766. 1839 - 1840 Receipts (5), for statuary, etc. Italian.


2768. 1842 - 1846 Book of reference to plan (missing), and remarks, proposed arboretum, Keele Hall, and proposals by W.A. Nesfield for developing a former bowling green (including sketch plan of the same).

With, (i) letters (2), from Nesfield to Ralph Sneyd.
     (ii) drafts (2), in the hand of Ralph Sneyd, inserted.

2769. [1844 or later] Notes, on the cultivation of oranges, by Ralph Sneyd.

2770. 1845 Letter and account (single document), C. Raymond Smith, sculptor, to Ralph Sneyd.

     With, (i) receipt, 1845.

2771. 1845 - 1848 Letters (9), Henry Shuard to Ralph Sneyd.

     With, (i) memorandum (?) part of a fuller document, signed.
     (ii) agreement, for building a lodge and cottages, 1845.

2772. 1846 Letter, William Forrest to [? Ralph Sneyd], about the sale of Sneyd's 'Gristle de Roche Lustre'.

2773. 1847 Letter, Brinley Hill Iron Works to Ralph Sneyd, about making a (?) 'Rosarin'.
Letter, Robert Chapman to the Duke of Sutherland, soliciting his assistance with a recommendation to Ralph Sneyd in connection with the re-building of Keele Hall.

Valuation, old Keele Hall.

Architect's plan, 'Keele Hall No.VII. North Elevation in Entrance Court and Section thro' Dining Room Looking North'. (Not as built).

Bill of quantities, re-building Keele Hall.

Returns of work (approx. 150), by Thomas Lewis, re-building of Keele Hall.

Letters (16), Thomas Lewis to Ralph Sneyd.

With, (i) plan of chancel, Wolstanton church, 1857.

Letters (33), A. Salvin to Ralph Sneyd, mainly relating to re-building Keele Hall.

With, (i) incomplete or discarded letter, Sneyd to Salvin, 1865.

(ii) cypher, 'RS' in water-colour, by Salvin, sent to Keele in 1902 by Messrs Arrowsmith.

Inventories (2), ivories, enamels and other works of art sent by the Rev. Walter Sneyd to the Art Treasures of the United Kingdom exhibition, Manchester, 1857, to the National Exhibition of Works of Art, Leeds, 1868, and to an unspecified exhibition, 1862. (MSS. imperfect).

Estimates (2), quantity of flooring and wainscot oak, Keele Hall.

Letters (4), to Ralph Sneyd, offering articles for sale.

Letter, Frederick R. Wilson to R. Sneyd, about models of the ceiling at Alnwick Castle.

'Statement of the cause of the excess of the Second Estimate above the first' (re-building Keele Hall. MS. imperfect).

Receipt, for £120, by George Howell and Samuel Prett 'for a very beautiful Ancient Sculptured White Marble Chimney Piece'.

Rough notes, in the hand of W.G. Rogers, for ornamental carving, Keele Hall.

With, (i) notes and sketch by the same, for a cabinet, undated.

(ii) notes by the same, on the carving in Trinity College, Oxford, and on Grinling Gibbons, 1866.

(iii) notes by the same on two pieces of furniture, 1866. (MS. imperfect).
(iv) draft report by the same, on the treatment of the cedar panelling in the chapel at Chatsworth, 1866.

2788. 1862 - 1870
Letters (4), John P. Dexter to Ralph Sneyd, about silverware.

2789. 1863
Letter, A.J. Arrowsmith & Co. to Ralph Sneyd, about wallpaper.

2790. 1863
Letters (4), Braquenie Frères to Ralph Sneyd, about tapestry for Keele Hall. (MSS. imperfect).

2791. 1869
Receipt, by G.A. Rogers, for £119. 17. 0., from Ralph Sneyd, for a cabinet.

2792. 1869
Letter and account, from Matthew Noble to Ralph Sneyd, about a bust of the Dowager Duchess of Sutherland.

2793. [1860's or later]
Pencil sketch, carved cupboard, the carving numbered for reference.

2794. 1870
Coloured sketch of carved sofa, dated and signed W.G. Rogers.

2795. 1877
Letters (3), from the Rev. Walter Sneyd to his agent, about insuring Keele Hall.

2796. [? 2nd half of 19th cent.]
Valuation for insurance, Keele Hall and some contents.

2797. [19th cent.]
Memorandum, [? W.A.] Nesfield's charges for consultation, etc. Reproduced on a duplicator.

2798. [late 19th or early 20th cent.]
Volume (watermark 1839), with descriptions of certain rooms at Keele Hall, including descriptions of pictures, fireplaces, stained glass, etc., [by (?) Henrietta Elizabeth, widow of the Rev. Walter Sneyd, d.1883].

With, (i) another version of the same.
(ii) MSS. notes by H.E.S., written on Keele Hall writing paper.
(iii) note of the dimensions of certain rooms.
(iv) note on the plundering of the family papers.

52998a. Inventory of furniture, glass, china... Keele Hall, March 1899.

2799. 1903
Letters (2), about the sale of the Keele heirlooms.

2800. 1905
Letter relating to vases.

BOOKS, MANUSCRIPTS - See also under SALE CATALOGUES, ESTATE CORRESPONDENCE

2801. 1717, 1730, undated
List of books, including those of Dr Henry Moore (undated), an unidentified list (1717), and 'A Catalogue of Books at Malpas' (1730). Inscribed at one end of the volume to the effect that it contains catalogues of the libraries of the Hon. and Rev. Dr
Henry Moore, the Rev. Thomas Moore D.D., and the Rev. Ralph Sneyd LL.B. There are also notes (6pp.) on the examination of candidates for ordination.

**2802. 1726 - 1731**

Account, books supplied to Ralph Sneyd.

**2803. 1820 - 1870, undated**

Letters (with some accounts and lists, approx. 40 items) to Ralph Sneyd, including a letter from H.O. Coxe about cataloguing the books at Keele Hall. (MSS. imperfect).

**2804. 1824**

Letter, Sir Nicholas Harris Nicolas to J.H. Burn, bookseller.

**2805. 1831**

Account for books.

**2806. 1833 - 1887, undated**

Letters (approx. 80) to the Rev. Walter Sneyd, mainly relating to books, manuscripts and antiques, including correspondence relating to the purchase of the Canonici MSS., correspondence relating to the return to Walsall corporation of a roll of burgesses, a letter from Sir Thomas Phillipps, and a menu for a Philobiblon Society breakfast. (MSS. imperfect).

**2807. [between 1833 and 1835]**

Lists (3) of Canonici MSS. purchased from Simoni Occhi by the Rev. Walter Sneyd. (MSS. imperfect).

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(iii) Seymour de Ricci, English Collectors of Books and Manuscripts (1530-1930) And Their Marks of Ownership, pp.136-137. Xerox copy.

**2808. 1837**


**2809. 1837, 1838**

Lists (2), books sent to Keele by E. Jeffery & Son. (MSS. imperfect).

**2810. 1839**

Lists of books left in Florence by Ralph Sneyd. Some insertions. (MS. imperfect).

**2811. 1841 - 1842**

Vouchers (approx. 20), relating to the purchase of books by Ralph Sneyd.

**2812. 1847**

List of some of the rare books of the Rev. Walter Sneyd at Denton House, Oxfordshire; and list of autographs.

**2813. [c.1840's]**

List of books, in the hand of Ralph Sneyd. (MS. imperfect).

With, (i) loose lists, inserted, not all in the hand of Ralph Sneyd. (MS. imperfect).

**2814. [1st half 19th cent.]**

'Catholique de tous mes Romans', by Ralph Sneyd.
2815. 1862 Catalogue, A - K, books in the library of Ralph Sneyd.

2816. 1862 Catalogue, L - Z, books in the library of Ralph Sneyd. (See also 2820 below).

2817. 1867 Guarantee, by Ralph Sneyd, of Mr Jeffs, bookseller, 15 Burlington Arcade, for £50, receipt and discharge.

2818. 1885 Letter, C. Symms to Robert Gill (agent at Keele), about Mr De Gray Birch of the British Museum, meeting Mr Sneyd.

2819. 1890 Acknowledgment, by Ellen Salmon, of the loan of a manuscript from Keele Hall.

2820. 1899 Catalogue, books not included in the catalogue of books in the library of Ralph Sneyd taken in 1862 (see 2815, 2816 above).

2821. [19th cent.] Signatures (2), 'Napoléon'.

2822. [19th cent.] List of copies of signatures, superscribed: 'By the Receipt of the Other [? order] I have only send the Names Genuine'.

2823. [? 1902] List of manuscripts and missals removed from the library at Keele Hall and stored 'in an Upper Room of the Mansion'.

SALE CATALOGUES, EXHIBITION CATALOGUES, ETC.

2824. 1836 Catalogue, Italian and Latin manuscripts, part of the library of the Abbate Canonici purchased by the Rev. Walter Sneyd. Sotheby's, partly marked.

2825. 1839 Catalogue, works of art in the possession of Rubens. Privately printed.

2826. 1842 Catalogues (2), purchasers and prices and catalogue of scarce prints, Strawberry Hill.

With (i) inserted, newspaper cuttings. (ii) advertisement, for Remarks. Moral. Practical and Facetious. selections from the writings of W. Hulton of Birmingham.


2828. 1848 Catalogue, of antiquities, Archaelogical Institute, Lincoln.


2830. 1857 Catalogue, 'Art Treasures of the United Kingdom Collected at Manchester...'. See also S 278(
2831. 1867 Catalogue, exhibition of pictures arranged by the British Institution.

2832. 1869 Catalogue, furniture and effects, 9 Eaton Square.

2833. 1869 Catalogue, Wedgwood ware, collection of Thomas Oldham Barlow. Christie's, marked.

2834. 1873 Catalogues (2), [duplicates] from the library of the Rev. Walter Sneyd at Denton, Oxfordshire. Sotheby's, marked.

2835. 1875 Catalogue, the Marlborough gems. Christie's.

2836. 1875 Catalogue, 'Fine Old Decorative Objects', including old silk tapestry. Christie's.

2837. 1876 Catalogue, porcelain, snuff-boxes, miniatures. Christie's.


2839. 1876 Catalogue, 'Ornamental Objects'. Christie's.

2840. 1903 Catalogue, illuminated and other manuscripts, property of the late Walter Sneyd. Sotheby's, prices copied from a marked copy. with second copy donated by Chrs Kidwell 4/98. (2840b)

2841. 1906 Catalogues (2), 'A Portion of the Keele Hall Heirlooms'. Christie's, one marked.


2843. 1924 Catalogue, 'Old English & Foreign Silver and Silver-Gilt Plate' part of the Sneyd heirlooms. Christie's, prices copied from a marked copy.

2844. 1924 Catalogue, 'Decorative Furniture and Objects of Art'. Christie's, partly marked, some prices copied from a marked copy.

2845. 1924 Catalogues (6), 'Old English & French Furniture...', part of the Sneyd heirlooms. Christie's, some marked.

2846. 1924 Catalogues (3), 'Pictures by Old Masters...', part of the Sneyd heirlooms. Christie's, two partly marked, one with prices copied from a marked copy.

2847. 1925 Catalogue, 'Pictures & Drawings by Old Masters...'. Christie's.

2848. 1925 Catalogues (2), decorative furniture and objects of art. Christie's.

2849. 1926 Catalogue, decorative furniture and porcelain. Christie's.
2850. 1927 Catalogue, 'A Selected Portion of the Library at Keele Hall'. Sotheby's, marked.


2852. 1928 Catalogue, printed books and some manuscripts, including books 'of the late Mr R. Sneyd'. Sotheby's, Sneyd items marked.

2853. 1931 Catalogue, watches, boxes, objects of vertu and old English silver. Sotheby's.

2854. 1932 Catalogue, 'Valuable Autograph Letters, Literary Manuscripts and Historical Documents', including property of the late Walter Sneyd. Sotheby's.

PERSONAL: (i) CORRESPONDENCE — See also separate calendars

2855. [between 1516 and 1535], [early 17th cent. — ] 1829 Letters (approx. 100), single or small numbers from various correspondents, including Jane, widow of Col. Ralph Sneyd (d.1651), later Sneyds, Sir Tancred Robinson, William Lloyd, Bishop of Lichfield (1692-99), and Thomas (Townshend), Lord Sydney, mainly personal but some relating to legal or estate affairs. (MSS. imperfect).

2856. [between 1811 and 1835], 1833 Letters (5), the Hon. Louisa Sneyd to Charlotte Augusta Sneyd.

2857. 1823 Letter, William Crotch to Charlotte Augusta Sneyd, about one of her musical compositions.


2859. [between 1825 and 1835], 1828 Letters (3), Col. Walter Sneyd to Charlotte Augusta Sneyd.


2861. [between 1825 and 1834], undated Letters (5), Charlotte Augusta Sneyd to her brother Walter. (MSS. imperfect).

2862. [1826 or later] 1828 Letter [? Harriet Sneyd] to 'dearest K.', about a visit to Holland.


2864. 1829 — 1834 Letters (approx. 90), to Walter Sneyd, relating mainly to personal affairs, from peers of the realm, their wives, etc. Arranged alphabetically. (MSS. imperfect).
Letters (approx. 100), to Walter Sneyd, relating mainly to personal affairs, including a letter from W.E. Gladstone, and letters from Sir John Bernard Burke. (MSS. imperfect).

With, (1) envelopes or covers (18), some franked, addressed to the same, 1832-39.

Letters (5), Frances Bouverie to her brother Walter Sneyd.

Typescript transcription of a letter purporting to be from R. Comber, 135 Offard Street, London, to the Hon. Louisa Sneyd.

Letter, John Simpson to Ralph Sneyd, about the failure of his family's mining interests and his intention to start a school.

Letter, Charlotte Augusta Sneyd to Lady Harriet Ryder, in rhyming couplets.

Letter, the Hon. Louisa Sneyd to her brother Richard Bagot, Bishop of Oxford, about Walter Sneyd taking the living of Wolstanton.

Copy letter, of resignation, to the Chairman of the Court of Directors, East India Company, no signature.

Letter, Sydney Smith to 'Miss Sneyd'.

Copy letter, Walter Sneyd to [Evelyn Baring] Wall, about the living of Tytherley (Hants.).

Letter, Peter Cherry to Ralph Sneyd, about the death of the Duke of Leeds.

Letters (2), (?) W. Bury to Charlotte Augusta Sneyd.

Letter, Harriet [? Sneyd] to C[? Charlotte Augusta Sneyd], about a masquerade at Bathfield.

Letters (6), Ralph Sneyd to his brother Walter. (MSS. imperfect).

Letter, Elizabeth Sneyd to her brother Walter.

Letters (13), Harriet Sneyd to her brother Walter, and c.1866.

Letter, C. Raymond (?) Smith to Ralph Sneyd, about a sketch and a bottle of medicine.

Draft letter, Ralph Sneyd to [? the Postmaster-General], applying for a post office in Keele.
With, (i) figures of letters received by, and sent from Samuel Peake's office, Mar. - Apr. 1846.

2882. 1846 - 1861, undated

2883. 1848
Letter, Sir Henry Bishop to Charlotte Augusta Sneyd.

2884. 1848
Letter, Sir Charles Barry to Charlotte Augusta Sneyd, about viewing the new houses of parliament.
With, (1) original envelope (stamp missing).

2885. [1st half of 19th cent.]
Letter, Charles B. Bernard to [? Ralph] Sneyd, about the payment of an account on behalf of Sneyd to Mr Headen, of Kensington.

2886. [1st half of 19th cent.]
Letter, H. Sneyd to 'Ralph', about her will (and a legacy to him).

2887. 1856

2888. 1856
Letter, the Hon. Robert Curzon Junior to the Dean of Chichester. (MS. imperfect).

2889. [1856]
Letter, Walter Sneyd to his prospective father-in-law, Richard Malone Sneyd, about his brother's attitude to his marriage, and his financial prospects.

2890. 1856, undated
Letters (3), R. Ferguson to 'Miss Sneyd' [? Charlotte Augusta Sneyd].

2891. [after 1856]
Letter, Harriet [Sneyd] to Walter [Sneyd], about family affairs.

2892. 1857, 1859, undated

2893. 1857 - 1863, undated
Letters (11), Walter Sneyd to Henry William Vincent.

2894. [1863 or later]
R[alph] S[neyd] to H[arriet (?)] Sneyd, about the address of a person who recommends servants.

2895. [c.1864]
Draft letter, Ralph Sneyd to [Lord Manvers], about the rebuilding of Thoresby. see also 5 1465

2896. [? 1865]
Draft letter, Walter Sneyd to [Lord Ashburnham], asking if he might visit Ashburnham to see the treasures, of which he has heard so much from his old friend R. Curzon.
2897. 1869 - 1877 Letters (11), from Louisa, Caroline, Isabel and Eleanor Sneyd to their father, Walter Sneyd. (MSS. imperfect).

2898. [1860's] Draft letter, in the hand of Ralph Sneyd, about pronunciation.

2899. [late 1860's or early 1870's] Letters (2), Ralph Sneyd (d.1949) to his aunt [? Charlotte Augusta Sneyd].

2900. [? early 1870's] Letters (2), Ralph Sneyd (d.1949) to his mother and father.

2901. [between 1870 and 1878] Note, the Bishop of Lichfield to Walter Sneyd, about his (the Bishop's) departure from Keele.


2904. 1872 - 1880, undated Letters (8), Ralph Sneyd (d.1949) to his mother.

2905. 1874 - 1877 Letters (7), to Walter Sneyd, about the education of his son, Ralph (d.1949), including a letter from C. Wooley Dcl.

2906. [1870's and 1880's] Letters (26), Ralph Sneyd (d.1949) to his father. (MSS. imperfect).

2907. 1883 Letter, Messrs Firmin & Sons to Walter Sneyd, about money required by the firm. (MS. imperfect).

2908. 1884 - 1887 Letters (6), W.W. Onless to Robert Gill and Walter Sneyd, about a portrait of the latter and an invitation to dinner.

2909. [19th cent.] Letter (part only, on the back of another), Reginald Heber to Charlotte Augusta Sneyd, thanking her for a drawing and for honouring him by setting some lines of his to music.

2910. [19th cent.] Letter, Evelyn Philip Shirley to Walter Sneyd, mock 17th cent. style, large seal.

2911. [19th cent.] Copy, note declining an invitation.

2912. [late 19th or early 20th cent.] Letter, Ralph Sneyd (d.1949) to 'My dear Clayton', about a horse.

2913. 1900 - 1908 Letters and copy letters (28), exchanged between Mrs Ralph Sneyd and H.V. Boothby, agent at Keele, mainly relating to money.
Copy, telegram, sent to Ralph Sneyd by (?) the Countess Torby, about an 'important letter'.

Letters (file), about life insurance for Ralph Sneyd.

Letter, Ralph Sneyd to his agent, about port wine, with a reference to the Australian cricketers.

Letter book, copies of letters mainly from J.S. Scott, agent at Keele, to Ralph Sneyd and others, about the letter's personal affairs, with references to 'The Beeches and Bradwell Grange' as well as Keele Hall, and references to the sale of the library. Typescript flimsies, condition generally good. (See item S1574 above).

PERSONAL: (ii) GENERAL - See also under ESTATE ACCOUNTS, ESTATE CORRESPONDENCE

Quittance, by Donald Baxter to John Mascy of Kelsall (Chesh.), for 6/3d, part payment of a larger sum due.

Grant of arms, to Robert Barowe gent., of Flookersbrook, Chester.

Receipt, Dame Elizabeth Barowe, widow, 22/-, of Robert Barow (sic) esq.

Letters patent, pardoning Robert Barowe gent., mercer, lately of Chester, and William Pame gent., of Backford (Chesh.), for all offences committed up to 1 Jan. 1531.

Notification, by the Earl of Northampton, that Ralph Sneyd of Bradwell is to be deputy Master of His Majesty's Leash.

Statement of 'Mr Sneydes Case', giving the income from the estate and Col. Ralph Sneyd's liabilities. Subscribed: 'Hee is much Diseased & not able to travayle[..] In Case hee were able to travayle yet these Heavy Debtes beinge upon him hee Durst not For Feare of beiinge Imprisoned.' (MS. imperfect).

With, (i) particular of Ralph Sneyd's debts 'Dew beffore the warres...'. Undated.

(ii) further list. Undated. (Fragment).

Memorandum, of purchase of (?) pipes from William Sutton.

Account, 'My Brother Thomas Webster...!', debit and credit, debit mainly for the payment of hide. (MS. imperfect).

Diary (1687-93, incomplete, of (?) Edward Rylandes, bailiff of Norbury manor), estate and personal accounts, accounts of Staffordshire and Derbyshire rents (1685-88), survey of the Norbury demesne (1668), and memoranda on leasehold land, with directions for dressing a hop-yard. (See item 1597 above)

Vouchers (approx. 350), mainly personal expenditure by Lady Chester, including bills for her grandchildren's clothes,
tuition, etc., with items relating to personal, household and estate expenditure.

Copy, articles set out by Sir Henry Archbold, Vicar General to the Bishop of Lichfield and Coventry, against Nathaniel Mott, vicar of Lapley, at the instance of William Sneyd, accusing him of having secretly married Elizabeth Sneyd and Richard Walter of Lapley in the dairyhouse at Keele, at midnight, at a date unspecified, without licence or banns; and further articles furnished by Sneyd that Mott took a bond of indemnity from the couple before marrying them. (Mott's answer was that the couple had a licence. The original of this is in the Diocesan Record Office, Lichfield).

With, (1) copy of Mott's answers.

Certificate, issued on behalf of the Bishop of Lichfield, that William Sneyd is the proprietor of the chantry or bench and place of burial in the place described, in Sir Caesar Coldclough's aisle, in Wolstanton church.

Receipts (2), sums of money, by the hands of Charles Haines from Lady Noel.

Receipt, by Thomas Roberts, of £1. 8. 0., from Henry Bambrige.

Licence, issued by the archdeaconry of Leicester, to Dame Frances Noell, widow of Sir William Noell Bt., to bury him in the church of Kirby Mallory.

Receipt, for £42. 10. 0., by John Peake, yeoman, of the Townsend, Keele, from Thomas Peake of Ramsdale House, Keele.

Letter and account, Edward Smith to William Sneyd, about clothes

Account book, of John Blakemore, receipts and disbursements on behalf of Sir Charles Skrsmrsher, of Norbury, personal and estate. (See item SI 1864 above).

Account book, of Edward Rylanders, receipts and disbursements on behalf of Sir Charles Skrsmrsher, of Norbury, personal and estate, including rentals (1685-86) for High Offley, 'Jebats Lea', 'Lea Kemsey' (elsewhere 'Lea Gensea'), Cuiton, 'Sebdon' (elsewhere 'Shebdon farme'), Tunstall, 'Werton' and Woodseaves. (See item SI 1865 above).

Particular, of money William Sneyd would leave when he died, legateses and amounts.

Account, endorsed to the effect that 'Mr Lovat' the creditor had overcharged. (Fragment).
Account, of Sir William Skrymisher, receipts and disbursements on behalf of Edward Sneyd.

Bills of commons (2), Edward Sneyd.

Authorization, to Thomas Boothby, Norbury manor, to pay Mr John Fenton two months after the date given £13. 8. 9., by George Badler.

Appointment, of Edward Sneyd of Almington, the Rev. Francis Skrymisher of Forton, and Sir John Chester Bt., to be guardians of the son of Ralph Sneyd.

Received account, Edward Sneyd, debtor, with Francis Chester

Received, £4. 10. 0., by John Colton from Edward Sneyd.

Account, Henry Pickrell, creditor, with Ralph Sneyd, debtor.

Accounts (2), for the funeral of Ralph Sneyd.

Memorandum, relating to the dates of birth and date of marriage of Thomas, son of Thomas Breck and Judith, daughter of William Pickering.

Received, £10. 10. 0., for attendance on Dryden Sneyd, by John Hall, from Lady Chester.

Account, cash received by John Leigh from Lady Chester.

Received, £225, half-year's allowance for her grandson Dryden Sneyd, by Lady Chester from Blest Colclough.

Receipts (7), allowance for her son Edward Sneyd, by Dame Frances Chester, committee of his person.

Receipt, £7. 10. 0., by Walter Bevan, for a 'Draughtnet' for Edward Sneyd, from Blest Colclough.

Receipt, £40, by E[ward] Sneyd from Blest Colclough.

Account, E. Antrobus, debtor, with Edward Sneyd, creditor.

Memorandum, dates and values of bonds, (?) Edward Sneyd.

Account, 'how Mr Boothby's 1079½ was made up by Edw. Sneyd Esq'.
2953. [c.mid-18th cent.] Receipt (unsigned), for £40, sent to Mr Newlin for his maintenance, by Mr Colclough.

2954. 1751 Receipt, thirty-two guineas, by E. Antrobus from Edward Sneyd.

2955. 1760 Account, the Hon. Mrs Bagot's clothes and linen.

2956. 1762 - 1770 Account, William Burslem, creditor, Ralph Sneyd, debtor. (MS. imperfect).

2957. 1766 - 1773 Accounts (26 foolscap gatherings), personal, household and estate, made up under subjective heads, Keele Hall.

2958. 1769 Letter, John Clay to Mr Breck, about 'one Quire of Appoints'.

2959. 1775 Account, for haberdashery purchased by Ralph Sneyd.

2960. 1778 Receipt, 16/6d, by E. Antrobus from Lady Chester.

2961. 1782 - 1786 Vouchers (4) and receipt, Mary Spode, debtor, for ointment, shoes and 'goods'.

2962. 1787 Certificate of ordination as deacon, John Sneyd A.B., of Christ Church.

2963. 1788 Certificate of ordination as priest, John Sneyd A.B., of Christ Church.

2964. 1791 Account, money sent to Messrs Coutts & Co.

2965. 1791 - 1792 Account, R. Sneyd with C. Hassells.

2966. 1793 Receipt, £604, by the Rev. John Sneyd of Mr Breck, 'on account of my fortune'.

2967. 1794 Gamekeeper's certificate, issued to William Sneyd esq., appointed gamekeeper by Walter Sneyd esq., for Bradwell, Tunstall, Great Chell and Little Chell.

2968. 1798 Memorandum, assets and liabilities, (?) Walter Sneyd (1752-1829).

2969. [18th cent.] Voucher, King's Head, Derby.
2970. 1800 Certificates (2), issued by the Newcastle-under-Lyme, Staffordshire North, district office of the Stamp Office, to Mr Breck of Penfields, relating to duty on hair powder.

2971. 1805 Certificate, that the Rev. William Chester M.A., subscribed to the Thirty-nine Articles, etc.

2972. 1811 Certificate, signed by Whittington-Landon, Pro-Vice-Chancellor, University of Oxford, that Ralph Sneyd, of Christ Church, subscribed to the Articles of Faith, etc.

2973. 1813 Certificate, that Ralph Sneyd passed his responsibilities.

2974. 1815 - 1816 Receipts (15), commons, Ralph Sneyd.

2975. 1816 Obituary notice, in the hand of Ralph Sneyd, of 'Louisa'? Lady Bagot, second wife of William, 2nd Baron Bagot).

2976. 1821 Prescription, for Ralph Sneyd, addressed to Mr Fisher, chemist, 18 Conduit Street.

2977. 1827 - 1830 Certificates (5), relating to Walter Sneyd's admission to Christ Church, his responsibilities, and schools.

2978. 1827 - 1866 Vouchers (approx. 175), personal (mainly Ralph Sneyd) and household.


2980. 1830 Memorandum, anticipated income and known liabilities (of Ralph Sneyd).

2981. 1831, 1852, 1858 Passports (3), of Walter Sneyd's.

2982. 1832 Certified extract, schedule of pews and sittings, Stoke-on-Trent parish church, seating of Keele tenants (not named).

2983. 1834 Post mortem report and appended remarks, on the Hcn. Louisa Sneyd.

2984. 1834 Certificate of ordination as deacon, Walter Sneyd.

2985. 1835 Certificate of ordination as priest, Walter Sneyd.

2986. 1835 Certificate, that Walter Sneyd subscribed to the liturgy and would conform to the same.

2987. 1835 Certificate, that Walter Sneyd subscribed to the Thirty-nine Articles, etc.
Instructions, for institution, Walter Sneyd (to Wolstanton).

Certificate, of admission and institution, Walter Sneyd, to Wolstanton.

Certificate, of induction, Walter Sneyd, to Wolstanton.

Memorandum, that Walter Sneyd, vicar of Wolstanton, publicly read prayers and declared his assent to the Prayer Book, etc.

Prescription, made for Walter Sneyd. (Found with the above documents relating to his admission to Wolstanton).

Vouchers (4), purchase, hire and repair of clothes, for Walter Sneyd, in connection with his ordination, etc.

Letter, H. Tufnell, secretary of (?) Crillon's Club, 48 Lower Grosvenor Street, to Ralph Sneyd, conveying the congratulations of the Club on Sneyd's 'recent lucrative & honourable appointment'.

Letter, Eva Fitzclarence to [? ], about gentian powders as recommended by Dr Donald Baynes. (MS. imperfect).

Postal order, for £1. 1. 6., to be presented at Birmingham Post Office.

Note, Edwin Long to Ralph Sneyd, and receipt by the former for £12. 12. 0., 'for a portrait in oil'.

Draft letter, relating to an invitation extended to Ralph Sneyd, to act as a commissioner for the 'P. Exhib[ition] of -67'.

Address, to Walter Sneyd, expressing appreciation for his support for l'Exposition de l'Histoire du Travail, 1867, and offering him a commemorative medal.

Letter, Messrs Drummond to Ralph Sneyd, about stock.

Voucher, for cleaning a monument (unspecified) in Westminster Abbey, addressed to the Rev. J. Sneyd.


Voucher, for designing and illuminating and address to Miss Sneyd.

Accounts (3), for expenses incurred in celebrating Ralph Sneyd's twenty-first birthday.

Notice, of the presentation to Ralph Sneyd of his portrait, by 'Mr Onless R.A.'.
3006. [between 1650 and 1653] Address, to parliament, from the lords and gentry of the King's party in Derbyshire and Staffordshire, associating themselves with the address of the lords and gentry of the King's party in and around London, expressing their loyalty, etc. (Original or contemporary copy).

With, (i) note, in the hand of Ralph Sneyd (d.1870) to the effect that the 'original paper' was in the hands of his nephew 'R.S. of K.'.

3007. 1682 Address, of the Grand Inquest of Staffordshire, expressing their loyalty to Charles II. (This is an original, and therefore never sent).

3008. 1792 - 1832, undated Political posters, broadsheets, etc., Cheshire (3), Staffordshire (20).

3009. [? 18th cent.] Election song. (MS. imperfect).

3010. 1826 Address, Ralph Sneyd to the electors of Honiton. Printed on silk.

3011. [1826 or later], 1830 Draft addresses (2), by Ralph Sneyd, relating to himself as a prospective parliamentary candidate.

3012. 1829 Letter, (?) Philip Miles to Ralph Sneyd, relating to expenses incurred at Honiton.

3013. 1831 Letter, C. Arbuthnot to [? Ralph Sneyd], about a gift from Sneyd of £200 towards 'the good cause'.

3014. 1831 Letter, John Tolinson to Ralph Sneyd, about a hand bill relating to the first Reform Bill and the inhabitants of Penkhull. Printed.

3015. [1831 or later] Draft petitions (2), to the House (chamber unspecified), relating to a resolution concerning the transfer of funds from the Reformed Church to the Roman Catholic Church in Ireland. In the hand of Ralph Sneyd.

3016. 1832 Letter, R. Wilbraham junior to Ralph Sneyd, relating to a political coalition in Cheshire.

3017. 1832 Letter, [? Francis] Twemlow to Ralph Sneyd, about a meeting to be held to consider Sir O. Mosley's latest address.

3018. 1832 Expression of dissent, from resolutions adopted in favour of the Reform Bill. (3 copies).
3019. [1832] Copy letter, the tenants of the Duke of Devonshire - 'with one exception' - to the Duke, about their voting for Mr Watts Russell (Conservative candidate for the northern division of the county).

3020. [? 1832] Draft letter, to Lord (blank), relating to the course to be pursued by the Conservative Party in the House of Lords, in regard to the Reform Bill. In the hand of Ralph Sneyd.

3021. [1832 or later] Draft (? notice for publication), references to 'Mr. W[atts]. R[ussell]'s Central Com[mittee]' and 'Sir O[swald]. M[osley]'s. In the hand of Ralph Sneyd.

3022. 1833 Circular, proposing a testimonial in a piece of plate for Mr Watts Russell, Conservative candidate, and list of subscribers, Ralph Sneyd chairman.

3023. 1833 John Bateman, of Knyporsley Hall, to John (?) Tomlinson, with an analysis of votes cast in the recent election.


3025. [1834 or 1835] Draft declaration of loyalty to the Crown, and endorsement of the choice of Sir Robert Peel as Prime Minister. In the hand of Ralph Sneyd.

3026. 1835 Letter, Henry Goulburn M.P., Home Secretary, to Ralph Sneyd, about an address from the proprietors and inhabitants of Staffordshire, which he has laid before the King.

3027. 1835 Letter, T. Sneyd Kynnersley to Ralph Sneyd, about the Staffordshire Constitutional Association, including a draft address stating the aims of the Association, and list of (169) members.

3028. [? 1835] Draft and (?) final copy, address (draft in the hand of Ralph Sneyd), of the noblemen, gentlemen, clergy, traders and others of Staffordshire, to Sir Robert Peel, calling on him to retire.

3029. 1835 - 1836 Staffordshire Conservative Association, statement of account.

3030. 1837 Draft circular, Conservative Association, northern division of the county.

3031. 1838 North Staffordshire Conservative Association, minutes of meetings (2), address, to Jesse Watts Russell, to stand in the Conservative interest.

3032. 1839 Letter, John Bateman to Ralph Sneyd, about the establishment of a new Conservative newspaper in Staffordshire, with references to the history of the Gazette and the Advertiser.

letters (2), C.B. Alderley to Ralph Sneyd, relating to his nomination as a parliamentary candidate, and to the County Conservative Association.

Copy letter, H.W. Hollis to George Barker, about the formation of the Silverdale Conservative Association. (MS. imperfect).

With, (i) list of subscribers towards the erection of a Conservative Club house in Silverdale. (MS. imperfect).

Correspondence (file, 3 letters), about a loan made to the Hanley branch of the United Empire League.

PRIVATE, PUBLIC OFFICE - See also under EXTRANEOUS

Burial Boards

Silverdale

Notices (2), to H.V. Boothby, to attend meetings of the board.

Custos Rotulorum

Notice, addressed to the Custos Rotulorum of Staffordshire, the Marquess of Stafford, relating to the supply of seamen and the rounding up of stragglers. Printed.

Justice of the Peace

Draft memorandum, relating to John Tompson lately of Acton Mills, miller, attached to answer William Kykham. (MS. imperfect).

Receipt, for £1. 15. 0., part of a fine of £7. 10. 0. imposed on William Heavood and others, for being at a conventicle, paid to Ralph Bostocks, the informant.

Order, to the parish constable of Penkhull from Ralph Sneyd J.P., to summon James Bourne to appear before Ralph Sneyd, to show cause why he had not paid Thomas Jackson wages. (MS. imperfect).

Information relating to a felony, laid before Ralph Sneyd J.P.. Endorsed, with data relating to stocking pools at Keele with tench and carp.

Letter, John Clay to [Thomas] Breck at Keele Hall, about licences.

Letter, William Walle to 'Mr Bratt' (? Breck), about acquiring a legal settlement.
3045.  1770  Letter, Hugh Henshall to [Thomas] Breck, about a licence for an alehouse keeper.

3046.  1770  Letter, Thomas Wright to [Thomas] Breck, about an application for a legal settlement at Stone.

3047.  1770  Letter, Thomas Warburton to Ralph Sneyd, about Mr Philip's intention to apply to Sneyd for a mittimus to have Warburton's servant Jos. Steen sent to Stafford, and the difficulty this will create for Warburton in being deprived of Steen's services, keeping pottery from being affected by the frost.

3048.  [1770]  Letter, Samuel Rowley to Ralph Sneyd, about John Lea, a deserter.

3049.  1772  Draft recognizance to appear at the court of Quarter Sessions (incomplete); draft notices to quit (2), property in Wolstanton.

3050.  1776  Draft warrant of distress, issued by Justices of the Peace for Staffordshire, directing the high constable of the east part of the hundred of Cuttlestone to levy a distress on the churchwardens and overseers of the poor of Rugeley, for having failed to pay their part of a fine levied on the whole county for not levying and training the militia in 1774.

3051.  1785  Letter, H. Henshall to Mr Breck, about [Anne] Plant and her son George Austin.

With, (i) examination of Anne Plant, sworn before Ralph Sneyd J.P.,

3052.  1786  Account, preparing licences for alehouse keepers, Thomas Breck, debtor, James Smith, creditor.

3053.  1788 - 1791  Expired or surrendered licences (4), to keep alehouses. Endorsed, with rough notes and memoranda.

3054.  1791  Bastardy examinations (2), taken before Ralph Sneyd J.P., Mary Merry, widow, of Betley, Elijah Webb, labourer, of Betley, putative father.

3055.  1792  Examination, of John (?) Bott, of Stoke-on-Trent, concerning his place of legal settlement.

3056.  1793  Letter, J. Knight to Thomas Yoxall, reciting a deposition concerning a runaway apprentice.

3057.  [late 18th cent.]  Letter, Samuel Baggaley to [Thomas] Breck, about blank forms for J.P.'s.

3058.  1801, 1802  Account of weights examined at Eccleshall. (MS. imperfect). Endorsed, with note of county rates, 1802.

3059.  1834  Papers relating to the diverting, turning or stopping up a public highway between the Lane House, in Whitmore, and the Black Lion, in Keele, and a bridle way between Ram Lane, Keele, and Oxhay
Wood, Swynnerton, including notices of orders, draft orders, consents and a brief. (MSS. imperfect).

3060. 1834, 1855, 1885
Letters (4), relating to additions to the commission of the peace.

3061. 1846
Letter, Rowland Mainwaring to Ralph Snoyd, about a beer shop at Milstone Green.

Land tax, etc., assessors or commissioners for

3062. 1756
Appointment, John Mills to be collector of rates, duties on houses, etc., in the liberty of Wolstanton. Printed.

3063. 1766
Letter, Francis Robinson to [?], about townships (listed) which had not paid window-tax, hundred of Pyrehill North.

3064. 1766, 1768 - 1790, undated
Assessments (17), houses and windows, inhabited houses, male servants, female servants, horses, carriages, waggons, carts.

3065. 1768 - 1781
Accounts, expenses of the clerks of the commissioners for land- and window-tax.

3066. 1771
Letter, Thomas Wright to [Thomas] Breck, about appeals relating to assessments for window-tax, and about the purchase of barley.

3067. 1778, 1779
Assessment for land-tax, hundred of Pyrehill North, arrears for the half-year ended Michaelmas.

With, (i) covering letter, 1779.

3068. 1780
Account, window-tax, Pyrehill North.

3069. 1780 - 1787
Letters (2), and lists (2), relating to the imposition and collection of taxes.

3070. 1784, undated
Form of oath, assessment of duty on male servants, endorsed with dates and amounts.

3071. [late 18th cent.]
List, assessors and collectors for (?) land-tax, division of Pyrehill North, sent to [Thomas] Breck.

3072. 1811
Account, The Staffordshire Advertiser to [Thomas] Breck, for advertising a meeting of the commissioners of taxes.

3073. 1811
Receipts (2), for property-tax, S. Highfield, collector of taxes.

3074. 1811 - 1812
Rough account, S. Peake with 'Mr Breck', payments to Breck for fees due at Quarter Sessions, Michaelmas and Epiphany, and expenditure on militia, poor rates and matters, written on the back of an assessment for property-tax. (MSS. imperfect).
3075. 1627
Copy, commission to Robert, Earl of Monmouth, to be lieutenant.

3076. 1660
Deputation, William Sneyd to be deputy lieutenant of Staffordshire.

3077. 1662
Deputation, William Sneyd and eleven others to be deputy lieutenants of Staffordshire.

3078. 1662, 1678, undated
Returns, by the constables to the deputy lieutenants, of the yearly value of estates, for the purposes of paying for the militia. Returns for Adabaston, Ashley, Aston (see under 'Meare'), Elore (and (?) Hales), Bucknall, Balterley, Betley, Chesterton, Chorlton, Eccleshall, Fenton 'Culvert', Fenton 'Vivion', (?) Hales (see under Elore), Hanchurch (see under Whitmore), High Offley, Keese, Kingston (see under Mucklestone), Knutton, Madeley, 'Meare' (and Aston), Mucklestone (and Kingston, Oakley and Winnington), Norton, Oakley (see under Mucklestone), Omley, Penkhill, Stanion, Trentham, Tunstall, Whitmore (and Hanchurch), Winnington (see under Mucklestone). (MSS. imperfect).

With, (i) assessment for an aid, Shelton, 1678.
(ii) letter, addressed to 'Uncle Sneed' from 'your real friend & nephew T:', undated.
(iii) unidentified, undated list, names and amounts.

3079. 1665
Bonds (2), Thomas Silleto, yeoman, of Hollins, in Audley, and Thomas Beech 'nailer', of Audley, in £100, to make themselves available to the deputy lieutenant and keep the peace.

3080. 1672
Receipt, by the Commissioners of the Treasury, for £13. 1. 1., from William Sneyd, 'for Ordering the Forces in the several Counties of this Kingdom'. (MS. imperfect).

3081. 1677
Deputation, William Sneyd and fourteen others to be deputy lieutenants of Staffordshire.

3082. 1679
Deputation, William Sneyd and seventeen others to be deputy lieutenants of Staffordshire.

3083. 1681
Deputation, William Sneyd and twelve others to be deputy lieutenants of Staffordshire.

3084. 1685
Deputation, William Sneyd and seventeen others to be deputy lieutenants of Staffordshire.

3085. 1703
Deputation, Ralph Sneyd to be deputy lieutenant of Staffordshire.

3086. 1725
Deputation, Ralph Sneyd to be deputy lieutenant of Staffordshire.

3087. 1792
Notice, of the number of men to be raised for service in the militia by the respective divisions of Staffordshire. Printed.
3088. 1796 Account, money due to Joseph Blewer, grenadier, Staffordshire Regiment of Militia, letter and note from Lt.-Col. Sneyd. With, (i) receipt for money due.

3089. 1803 Receipt, by Thomas Breck, for £15, from William Walklate, collier, penalty for not serving in the militia and for not providing a substitute, having been balloted to serve for Normacot.

3090. 1812 Discharge certificate, John Johnson, private, from the Staffordshire regiment. With, (i) draft representation on behalf of Johnson by the mayor, burgesses and other inhabitants of Newcastle-under-Lyme, to Walter Sneyd, 1812. (ii) draft petition, on behalf of John Johnson, to the Duke of York.

Patronage - See also under SEMI-PUBLIC

3091. [late 16th or early 17th cent.] Letter (unsigned), to William Smith at the Attorney General's or early at Gray's Inn, concerning a document to be signed by the Bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, and the writer. Endorsed, 'A life concerning ye Rectory of Wolstanton'.

3092. 1693 Copy terrier (copy made 1870 or later), Keele.

3093. 1718 Grant, of the next advowson of Wolstanton.

3094. 1792 Vouchers (2), payment of visitation fees and for a new register for Keele church.

3095. 1792 - Receipts (4), half-yearly salary for the curate, Keele.

3096. 1797 Draft presentation, by Walter Sneyd and others, of John Lawton to the perpetual curacy of Newchapel, Wolstanton.

3097. [late 18th cent.] Draft resignation, Ralph Moreton, curate of the perpetual curacy of Newchapel, Wolstanton.

3098. [18th cent.] Copy survey, glebe, Keele.

3099. [18th cent.] Draft presentation, by Ralph Sneyd, of William Ford to the vicarage of Wolstanton, in place of Richard Taylor, deceased. Endorsed, with a note about wood stolen from Bradwell Wood.

3100. 1803 Note, of the induction of the Rev. William Chester A.M., Fellow of Merton College, to the living of Wolstanton.

3101. [1831 or later] Table, relating to the accommodation available in the churches of later
Wolstanton, giving townships, map references, capacity of churches, population and acres.

3102. [c. mid-19th cent.] Copy memorial, to the Commissioners for Building Additional Churches, relating to the area to be attached to Newchapel, Wolstanton. (MS. imperfect).

Shrievalty

3103. 1558 Letters patent, Sir William Sneyd to be sheriff of Staffordshire. (MS. imperfect).

3104. 1663 Indenture of agreement, Francis Bailey to be keeper of the county gaol in Stafford.

3105. 1663 - 1664 Quit rolls (2), William Sneyd, sheriff of Staffordshire. (MSS. imperfect).

3106. 1664 Order, to William Sneyd, lately sheriff of Staffordshire, to hand over to Sir John Wyrley the rolls, etc. appertaining to the office.

3107. 1678 Copy (made 1840 or later) articles of agreement, relating to the shrievalty in Staffordshire.

3108. 1681 Bond, Nicholas Adey gent., of Chorley, Henry Shipton gent., of 'Longdon', John Blunt, shoemaker ('Corvisor'), in £1,000, to Charles Skrymsher, sheriff, to secure Adey's good behaviour as bailiff of the hundred of Offley. Printed.

3109. 1698 Agreement, relating to the office of gaoler and bailiff of the hundred of Morleyston and Litchurch (Derby.).

3110. [2nd half of 17th cent.] 'A Bill of Provision for a Sumer Assise'. (Food for the sheriff's feast).

3111. 1721 Deputation, Thomas Smith gent., of Stafford, to be keeper of Stafford gaol, Ralph Sneyd sheriff.

With, (1) bond, 1721.

3112. 1721 Deputation, Thomas Hatrall gent., of Newcastle-under-Lyme, to be under-sheriff of Staffordshire, Ralph Sneyd sheriff.

3113. 1721 Letters of attorney, prepared (sealed but not signed) by Ralph Sneyd sheriff, for John Craddock gent., of Betley, and John Dovey gent., of Clement's Inn, to petition the treasury for the recovery of £44 paid by Sneyd by order of Sir James Montague, for the conviction of John Adams, highwayman.

3114. 1721 Bond, in £2,000, to secure the good behaviour of a bailiff during the shrievalty of Ralph Sneyd. Incomplete.
3115. 1721 Bond, in £2,000, to secure the good behaviour of Neville Tildesley, bailiff, during the shrievalty of Ralph Sneyd.

3116. 1774 Respite of jury and writ of habeas corpora juratorum (missing), Richard Bagnall, plaintiff, John Bourne, potter, of Burslem, Josiah Hayer, shoemaker, defendants, plea of trespass, Stafford assizes.

3117. 1789 List, of (23) jurors.

3118. 1813 Letter, John P. (?) Dyott to Thomas Sparrow, about his appointment as 'Steward to the Offlow'.

3119. 1813 Letter, 'Mr Keen' to Thomas Sparrow, about the grand jury list.

3120. [1813] Note, requesting names of persons suitable to serve as sheriff, with names subscribed in pencil.

3121. [? 1813] Memorandum, javelin men for the sheriff.

3122. 1828 Plea for the defendants, and other papers, Hulme v. Hulme, action for trespass, property in Wolstanton.

3123. 1844 Bond, Robert William Hard gent., of Stafford, George Keen gent., of the same place, in £5,000, to Ralph Sneyd, to execute effectually the office of under-sheriff.

3124. 1844 Letter, Lord Talbot to Ralph Sneyd, about posting a policeman at Knotton.

3125. 1892 Nomination and appointment of Ralph Sneyd to be sheriff of Staffordshire. (MS. imperfect).

Staffordshire volunteers

3126. [17]97 Letter, W. Keen to Mr Breck, about equipment and clothing for the 'Provisional Cavalry'.

Subsidies, etc., assessors and collectors for

3127. 1673 Assessment, Clayton and Seabridge division of Penkhull cum membris.

3128. 1678 Assessment, for the first of six quarterly payments in Penkhull.

3129. 1678 Assessment, one quarter's payment for disbanding the soldiers'. (MS. imperfect).

3130. 1678 Assessment, to raise £3. 16. 9. from the borough of Newcastle-under-Lyme, as by a late Act, etc.

3131. 1678 Assessment, for disbanding the army.
3132. 1679 Assessment, Madeley.

3133. 1712 Order, of the commissioners for putting into execution the Act of 1712, granting an aid, to the assessors for the constablewick of Keele, upholding an appeal of the inhabitants of High Offley against their assessment, and charging the excess to the inhabitants of Keele. (MS. imperfect).

3134. [1st half of 18th cent.] Assessment, 'for [?] a 3 months pay', Adaston.

Unidentified

3135. 1769 Receipt, for a credit note of £30. 10. 6., by Ralph Massey from Thomas Breck, the same to be repaid on delivery of the body of Thomas Peake.

With, (i) credit note, 1769.

Voluntary subscriptions

3136. 1794 Notice, that subscription books 'for adding to the internal Defence of the Kingdom', for the county of Staffordshire, lie with Mr Kinnersly and Mr Massey of Newcastle-under-Lyme. Printed.

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Charities (including private acts of charity, etc.)

3137. 1782 Account, state of the charity for the relief of widows and orphans of poor clergy in Staffordshire. Printed.

3138. 1790, 1837 - 1890 Letters and some other material (approx. 130 pieces), mainly relating to the repair or building of vicarages and churches (including two letters from Sir Giles Gilbert Scott, and a certificate, or copy of a certificate from A.W.N. Pugin), or to gifts of money for such purposes, and to vacant livings (including applications for the living of Wolstanton, 1867), but also relating to other ecclesiastical matters, some hospital projects and to National and Sunday schools. (MSS. imperfect).

With, (i) vouchers (8), surveying, building and furnishing Keele church, 1787-95.

(ii) estimate, re-building Keele church, 1868. (MS. imperfect).

(iii) building account, Scoft Hay: school/church, 1876. (MS. imperfect).

3139. 1792 Note, on behalf of Sir William Tumbelow (Twenlow), about money due to him, and for help for 'Mr Mayer[es] Bather'.

3140. 1813 Letter, Josiah Wedgwood [II] to Thomas Sparrow, testimonial in favour of James Bourne, (?) of Barlaston.
141. 1832 Letter, John Tomkinson to Ralph Sneyd, about 'a Testimonial for cur worthy friend at Elam' and Sneyd's 'alterations in the Farewell address'.

142. 1832 Letter, Allen Booth to Ralph Sneyd, about candidates for the mastership of Audley school.

143. 1841 Copy, notice to charity schools, relating to the availability of £20 per school, following a Chancery decree arising out of the Attorney General v. the Ironmongers' Company, requiring particulars of each school.

144. 1844 Letter, relating to the documents of the late agent and receiver of rents, Audley School; and confirmation by the trustees (including Ralph Sneyd) of a new appointment.

145. 1844 Copy, resolution of the trustees of Newchapel school, general annual meeting held at the Sneyd's Arms, Tunstall.

146. 1845 Letter, (?) Smith to Ralph Sneyd, about a draft for £1,000 received by the former from the latter, to repay a debt.

147. [1847 or later] Letter (?) Edward Smith to [? Ralph Sneyd], about a vacancy for a trustee for Chesterton school.

148. 1850 Letter, Samuel Hare to Ralph Sneyd, about the retirement of the Rev. Mr Francis, master of Audley Free School.

149. [1st half of 19th cent.] Note, acknowledging 10/-, for schools under the care of Miss Howell.

150. [c.mid-19th cent.] Letters (2), the Rev. (?) H. Jackson to [? Ralph Sneyd], about new schools to be built at Chesterton.

151. [c.mid-19th cent.] Letter, J. (or I.) Ford to [? Ralph Sneyd], about a proposed school-room at Yarnfield, in Swynnerton.

152. [c.mid-19th cent.] Request, by the inhabitants of Keele, to the Committee of the North Staffordshire Infirmary, that in return for £150 the latter would admit one or two patients a year in case of an emergency or severe epidemic, the same to be recommended by the vicar and churchwardens.


154. 1855 Letter, Arthur Shuard to [? Ralph Sneyd], about his discharge from the army.

155. 1857 Letter, H. Sutcliffe to [? Ralph Sneyd], about a proposed reading-room in Keele.
356. 1858 Letter, the Rev. Eldred Woodland to Ralph Sneyd, about the expense of building a new school at Stone.
357. 1859 Letters (2) and copy letter, Isaac Hitchen to Ralph Sneyd, relating to the foundation of a Wedgwood Institute and building a public library in Furslem.
358. 1860, undated Letter, the Rev. J.N. Worsfold to Ralph Sneyd, about a donation for £5.
   With, (i) appeal, for funds to build a school at Wellington, Hanley, with list of subscribers. Printed.
359. 1861 Letter, Gilbert Elliot to Ralph Sneyd, about a situation being sought by Elliot.
360. 1862 Letter, John S. (?) Bread to Ralph Sneyd, relating (?) to the possibility of obtaining a commissariat as a civilian.
361. 1864 Letter, J.T. Arlidge to Ralph Sneyd, relating to the dependent children of Ann Perry, a nurse at the North Staffordshire Infirmary.
362. [1864 or Draft letter, relating to a subscription to charity (unspecified). Later] In the hand of Ralph Sneyd.
363. [1864 or Draft letters (2), recommending Mr Miller as residential medical attendant to the Charterhouse. In the hand of Ralph Sneyd.
364. 1865 Letter, [?] to Ralph Sneyd, about an auxiliary hospital or infirmary for Tunstall and the north of the district.
365. 1866, 1870 Letters (4), Mary Dean to Ralph Sneyd, relating to her admission to Preston hospital.
366. 1867 Letters (2), the Rev. M.B. Biggins to [? Ralph Sneyd], relating to a proposed school in Bucknall.
367. 1867 Covering letter and banker's memorandum, about the payment of £20 to Bucknall school.
368. 1869, 1870 Letters (2), the Rev. W.H. Hill to Ralph Sneyd, about assistance for, and the death of Emma Adams.
   With, (i) receipt for £10. 
   (ii) letters, to Hill (2) and Sneyd (1), from Emma Adams' aunt.
369. 1870 Letter, L.T. Stanier to Ralph Sneyd, relating to the Miners' Permanent Relief Society for North Staffordshire.
370. 1870 Statement of account, Keele Reading Room.
371. 1871 Copy, proposed address to the Rev. and Mrs Walter Sneyd, on the laying of the foundation stone of the new buildings for Wolstanton National School.
3172. 1876 Reminder, of an unpaid subscription to the North Staffordshire Coal and Ironstone Workers Permanent Relief Society. Printed.

3173. 1876 Reminder, of an unpaid subscription to the North Staffordshire Discharged Prisoners Aid Society. Printed.

3174. 1876 Letter, Walter Sneyd to his agent, about a donation for a dancing master.

3175. 1877 Reminder, of unpaid subscriptions to the County Refuge for Discharged Prisoners.

3176. 1877 Letter, the Emigrant and Colonist's Aid Corporation to Walter Sneyd, about a loan from Lord Denbigh.

3177. 1884 Letter, James Thomas to Robert Gill, about the reduced circumstances of the Misses Dagleish of Shifnal.

3178. 1884 Letter, (?) J. Plumstead to Robert Gill, about adding the latter's name to the list of managers of the National School (?) at Silverdale.

3179. 1885 List of governors, Tunstall Endowed School.

3180. 1938 Letter, Mrs. M.L. Arnold to Ralph Sneyd, appealing for financial help.

Drainage commission

3181. [c. mid-19th cent.] Prospectus, The Landowners' Drainage and Inclosure Company's Incorporation, in explanation of the Act of 18 and 11 Victoria Cap.XI.

3182. 1857 - 1859 Reports (No.4), A. Thompson, Assistant Drainage Commissioner, to the Inclosure Commissioners, relating to drainage carried out under the Public Money Drainage Act.

3183. 1859 - 1862 Reports (No.5), A. Thompson, Assistant Drainage Commissioner, to the Inclosure Commissioners, relating to drainage carried out under the Public Money Drainage Act. (Index imperfect).

3184. 1862 - 1864 Reports (No.6), A. Thompson, Assistant Drainage Commissioner, to the Inclosure Commissioners, relating to drainage carried out under the Public Money Drainage Act.

3185. 1864 - 1865 Reports (No.7), A. Thompson, Assistant Drainage Commissioner, to the Inclosure Commissioners, relating to drainage carried out under the Public Money Drainage Act.

3186. 1866 - 1868 Reports (No.8), A. Thompson, Assistant Drainage Commissioner, to the Inclosure Commissioners, relating to drainage carried out under the Public Money Drainage Act.
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Copy order, to enrol the will and codicils of Lawrence Rope, lately of Stapleley, Chesh., in the court at Chester, proceedings in Clutton v. Delves, on the issue of property including Chearbrook House.

Copy orders (2), issued from the court of wards and liveries, to discharge processes against Sir John Perseill Bt., Sir Edmund Wincsore, Sir John Offley and Ralph Sneyd esq., on the issue of sums of money alleged to have been levied by them in the time of their shrievalties, on land of Edward Sutton, Lord Dudley.

Bill of complaint of Ralph Sneyd of Keele, William Beretton of Beech, and Thomas Peake of Keele, on the issue of repayment of £200 borrowed from Robert [Wright], Bishop of Lichfield, through Sir Robert Cooke. (MS. imperfect).

Rough copy, mediation of Sir Thomas Milward and Robert Blundell esq., between Penelope Dones, widow, relict of John Dones esq., late of Wardle, Lancs., of the first part, Ralph Sneyd esq., of Keele, and Jane his wife, of the second part, and Philip Osborne gent., of 'Bentcliffe', Lancs., and Lawrence Houlker, yeoman, of Little Naughton, Lancs.

Certificate, of John Hancock, collector of tithes in the diocese of Coventry and Lichfield, that for over twenty years he received no tithes from Mr Sneyd from the rectory of Wolstanton.

Memorandum, relating to sales (1614-20) of 1/3rd part of the manor of 'Norton Bavent' als. Norton-in-the-Moors, and whether they included goods of felons and deodands.

Bill, legal expenses, search for the origin of the title to the rectory of Wolstanton.

Opinion, for William Sneyd of Keele, relating to the payment of heriots or their equivalent, (?) in the manor of Tunstall.

Notes, on a case of ejectment, land in the manor of Tyrley, Riland v. Jervis and Davis.

Accounts (2), [? Col. Ralph] Sneyd outlawed 'at the suit of Hawkase', subscribed with a note from Jo. Smythe, addressed to Edward Lloyd at the Outlawry Office in Chancery Lane.

Martha Wilkes, relict of Lawrence Wilkes formerly of Furnivall's Inn, plaintiff; William Sneyd of Keele and Richard Wilkes, defendants, on the issue of leasehold property in Willaston, Chesh., in Chancery, orders, etc.

Case, William Leveson Gower, plaintiff, John Smallwood, defendant, on the issue of arrears of rent alleged to be due from two salt 'Bullaryes' in Middlewich.

Memorandum, 'Mistress Sneyd [£ s] J cincture', properties and annual value (Bradwell; Bradwell Park; 'Hayhouse'; 'Green Delve'; Chatterley; the manor or lordship of Bulton and lands in Bulton,
Milton, Bucknall, Bagnall and Sneyd Green; the chief rents, etc. from lands etc. in Tunstall, valued at £529. 10. 0. per annum), with notes.

3211. [1660 or later] State of the case, Fletcher v. Turner and Bevell, in the Exchequer, on the issue of a forge called Lizard Forge, location unspecified.

3212. 1660 - 1669, undated Accounts (2), legal expenses, (?) William Sneyd on behalf of 'my Cosens Wilmers estate'.

3213. 1665 Opinion, of a fine levied on the manor of Willaston, Chesh.


3215. 1667 Receipt, 'for the Copieing of a bill in Chancery preferred against Beaumont and others...'.

3216. 1667/68 Opinion, of Sergeant Jo. Fountaine, on Mr Wilmer's children. (MS. imperfect).

3217. 1668 Account, legal expenses, Wilmer against Beaumont.

3218. 1668 Account, legal charges, Wilmer et al. against Beaumont, Sneyd and Harvy.

3219. 1668 - 1669 Wilmer v. Beaumont et al., expenses.

3220. 1669 Legal expenses, 'Mr Archbold'.

3221. 1669 Legal expenses, Flint (?) and Beaumont, Wilmer against Fish.

3222. 1669 Wilmer against Beaumont et al., legal expenses.

3223. 1669 Copy orders in Chancery, John Beaumont and Dame Felicia Compton his wife, William Wilmer, infant son of Dame Felicia and William her husband, deceased, by Ralph Lawton his guardian, plaintiffs, against Felicia Wilmer and Mary Wilmer, infants, by William Sneyd their guardian, and the aforesaid William and Francis Harvey, defendants, on the issue of a settlement made by William Wilmer out of the manors of Sywell, Harrington and Trafford, Northants., with appurtenances there and in Earls Barton, Milton, Holcot, 'Miers' (? recte Miers), Ashley, Hardwick, Overton, Horston, Byfield, Culworth, Eydon, Warden, 'Ashton in ye Walls', Hinton Woodford, Farndon, Chipping Warden and West Warden, Northants.

3224. [? 1660's] Opinion, of Robert Milward, Wilmer [against Beaumont].

3225. 1670 Sneyd et al. against Milward, in Chancery, expenses.

3226. 1671/72 Draft bill of complaint, in Chancery, Dame Frances Wortley (née
3227. 1677
Oppinion, on issues arising from the settlement of the manor of Trentham on Sir Richard Leveson with remainder to Lady Katherine.

3228. 1677

3229. 1681
Sneyd v. Sneyd, expenses.

3230. [? 1681 ]
Letter, E. Byrche to William Sneyd, relating to deeds sent to the former by 'Mr Whitehall', with abstracts of the same.

3231. 1684, undated
Ralph Macclesfield, appellant, Mary Macclesfield, widow of Thomas Macclesfield, Peter her son, respondents, on the issue of the manor of Chesterton. Printed (MS. imperfect).

With, (i) bond, 1684.

3232. 1685
Bond, Sir John Bowyer Bt., in the penal sum of £500, to William Sneyd esq., of Keele, to abide by the award (relating to Tunstall manorial court) made by Walter Chetwynd esq., of Ingestre, and William Leveson Gower esq., of Trentham, arbitrators, the same to be delivered to the parties by 24 June 1686, and in the meantime to abide by the award of Sir Thomas Mainwaring, of Peover, Chesh., umpire, the award of the latter to be delivered to the parties by 24 July 1686 in the event the award of the arbitrators is not delivered.

3233. [1690 - ]
Schedules, abstracts, notes and opinions on a settlement to provide for the younger children and debts of Ralph Sneyd (d.1733). (MSS. imperfect).

3234. 1692/93
Notice, of the dismissal of a petition and appeal to the House of Lords, Ralph Macclesfield gent., appellant, Mary Macclesfield, widow, and Peter Macclesfield, respondents.

3235. 1693
Bond, James Skrymsher gent., of The Hill, High Offley, in £200, to secure appearance in an action at law and save harmless. (Not executed).

3236. 1699/ [? 1700 ]
Notice, to William Sneyd, creditor, to appear before the court of Quarter Sessions to show cause why Roger Heath, debtor, should not be discharged under the Acts of 22, 23 and 30 Car. II.

3237. [2nd half Copies of bills of complaint, or answers (4 items), on issues of 17th relating to the manor of Tunstall, including the non-payment of cent. dues. (Not necessarily all the same suit. MSS. imperfect).

3238. [2nd half Memorandum, clause to be inserted in a marriage settlement, of 17th including the Hay House, Green Delves, Red Street and Chatterley. cent.]

3239. [2nd half Notes, on a case of ejectment, property in Keele, Baddiley v. of 17th Lovett, with references to an alleged arrangement between the cent.]
Sneyds and Richard Harrison, father of Harrison the regicide, over a conveyance and £500 due in composition money from the Sneyds.

320. [2nd half of 17th cent.] Notes, answers, exceptions, etc., delivered to William Leveson Gower by William Sneyd, on the issue of the division of the perquisites of the manor of Tunstall. (MSS. imperfect).

321. [2nd half of 17th cent.] Memorandum, to ascertain whether an action on an 'electione firms' would hold good before the justices of the sessions at Chester, action involving the Sneyds.

322. [2nd half of 17th cent.] Notes, on a case of ejectment, property called 'Bryars Birches', in Almington, Bishop v. Skrymsher. (MS. imperfect).

323. [2nd half of 17th cent.] Case, for opinion, relating to heriots payable in the manor of Tunstall. (MS. imperfect).

324. [17th cent.] Account, Thomas Hemings to Ralph Sneyd of Keele, legal expenses. (Fragment only).

325. Part of a case relating to a marriage settlement, Pygott and others against Pygott and others, in Chancery.

326. Account, Edward Smart, with the Hon. Mrs Frances Noel, widow.


328. 1701 Draft letters of attorney, issued by John Lawton esq., of Lawton, Chesh., to Mr John Blakemore, Mr Thomas Greywood and Mr Thomas Moreton, attorneys of the Court of Common Pleas, to appear there and receive a declaration against Lawton in an action for debt, at the suit of Sir Charles Skrymsher of Norbury, and to confess the same with costs.

329. 1715 Copy bill of complaint, Sir Thomas Gresley Bt., Dame Dorothy his wife, Ralph Sneyd, plaintiffs, Thomas Poole, defendant, on the issue of mines in Tunstall. (MS. imperfect).

330. 1719 Copy decree in Chancery, Pellatt against Bambrigg on the issue of the shares of the children of William Bambrigg to be raised from copyhold property surrendered in the manor of Keele.

331. [1719 or later] Draft bill in Chancery, Ralph Sneyd esq., of Keele, against John Fenton the elder, gent., of Newcastle-under-Lyme, Walter Noel gent., of Hilcott, John Adams gent., of Birches Head, successively stewards or agents for the complainant, on the issue of the loss of evidence relating to property in Cold Norton, including the settlement of the complainant's father Ralph Sneyd, with Frances, daughter of Sir William Noel, now Dame Chester.
Letter, Ralph Audley to William Gibbon, attorney, relating to the deed of settlement made on the marriage of Ralph Sneyd with Frances, daughter of Sir William Noel.

Draft complaint in Chancery, Ralph Sneyd esq., of Keele, comp[lt], against Roger Machin and Elizabeth his wife, on the issue of a copyhold messuage and land in Keele.

Copy bill of complaint, of Ralph Sneyd esq., of Keele, against John Bayley and James Bayley of Keele, on the issue of alleged waste, etc., committed on leasehold property in Keele.

With, (i) copy, answers to the bill.


Bundle of miscellaneous papers in a Chancery suit relating to the tithes of Wolstanton, including two books of assessments 1731-1774.

Dryden Sneyd, an infant, by Robert Piggott, next friend, plaintiff, against Edward Sneyd (uncle), Anne Sneyd (mother), Ralph, Edward, William, Honor and Anne Sneyd (brothers and sisters), Charles Adderley and Dame Frances, defendants, on the issue of settlements made by Edward Sneyd (uncle, sometime a lunatic) and on the issue of the dower of Anne (mother, later wife of Crewe Chetwode), statements of cases, briefs, opinions, affidavits, legal charges, and estate accounts of Blest Colclough, receiver of the Keele estate, 1735-40. (MSS. imperfect. See also item 3269 below).

With, (i) receipt, for £600, by Crewe Chetwode Bt., of Blest Colclough, on account of the dower of his wife, Anne, 1741.

(ii) memorandum, relating to the sale of Bradwell Hall to Dame Frances Chester, to discharge debts of the late Ralph Sneyd.

Abstract, of deed of 1725, relating to property in Willaston, Cold Norton, Saunerton and Yarnfield, charged with raising an annuity, and calculation.

Account, legal charges, Dryden Sneyd, John Bowyer, Charles Crew and Sarah his wife against John Harding, clerk, on the issue of nomination to New Chapel, consistory court, Lichfield.

Receipt, legal charges, issue of nomination to New Chapel, consistory court, Lichfield.

Brief, for the defendants, Crew against Skerrat and others, in an action for trespass, on the issue of whether Finney Lane, between Scot Hay and the Newcastle-Nantwich road, was a public road.

With, (i) sketch.

Copies (4) of cases and opinion, on the issue of the amount of the unpaid principal sum of a mortgage, Sneyd, debtor, Massie, un[?d]ated
creditor.

With, (1) copy deposition, undated.

3263. 1748 Answer, of Dame Frances Chester, to a bill of complaint, of Isaac Worthington the elder and Isaac Worthington the younger, on the issue of property called Penfields, in Keele. (MS. imperfect).


3265. 1750 Memorandum, relating to leasehold property in Keele, with counsel's opinion.

3266. [Mid-18th cent.] Instructions, for a writ of entry, Sneyd estate.

3267. 1751 Copy bill of complaint, and draft answers, Henry Roberts gent., against Ralph Sneyd esq., on the issue of property in Sutton Cheney, Leics.

3268. 1751 Opinion, on a settlement relating to Edward Sneyd.

3269. 1752-1788, undated Robert Hamilton and Hester his wife, Charles Hamilton and Elizabeth his wife, the Rev. George Davies and Ann his wife, the Rev. John Chetwood, complainants, against Ralph Sneyd, the Rev. Edward Sneyd, Thomas Fernyhough and Honor his wife, defendants, on the issue of the settlement on Anne Sneyd (d.1779) by her grandmother Lady Frances Chester, in the Exchequer. (See item 3257 above).

3270. Trinity 1756 Complaint, of Nicholas Kiddier, surveyor, of Ralph Sneyd, for debt.


3272. 1766 Letter, J. Sparrow to [Thomas] Breck at Keas, about the mortgage of property formerly copyhold in the manor of Keas.

3273. 1767 Draft note, to 'Mr Simpson at Lichfield', about executing deeds.

3274. 1769 Case and opinion, on the issue of completing Thursfield Chapel, Wolstanton.

3275. 1773 Depositions taken before a Chancery commission, Ambrose Smith, Daniel Shubotham, complainants, John Cole, Samuel Cartlich, Francis Hall, Richard Podmore, Bainton Leader, defendants, on the issue of certain tithes in Wolstanton.

3276. 1775 [-1807] Bagnald v. Sneyd, in an action for trespass at Cobridge, formerly Rushton Grange, part of the monastery of Abbey Hulton.

3277. 1781 Letters (2), James Glegg to Mr Sparrow at Newcastle-under-Lyme, about serving a writ.
1781 Letter, Samuel Harding to Mr Sparrow at Newcastle-under-Lyme, about the repayment of a loan. (MS. imperfect).

1785 Account, legal expenses, conveyance of property in Wybunbury.

1786 Abstract, of part of a settlement made by Col. Sneyd, much corrected.

1786 Descriptions and lists, Sneyd estate, for the purpose of wording a recovery, and comments.

1786 Letter, William, Lord Bagot, to James Hill of Lincoln's Inn Fields, relating to a choice of counsel.

1790 Drafts, instructions for deeds relating to property including 1/3rd undated of the manor of Tunstall.

1795 Legal expenses, manor of Keele.

[late 18th cent.] Observations, on a deed relating to 1/3rd part of the manor of Tunstall.

[late 18th cent.] Memorandum, agreement relating to mines in Abbey Hulton.

[18th cent.] Extract, of covenants 'from the printed lease', properties left blank.

[18th cent.] Memorandum, 'writings wanting for Mr Gladwin [?] & Hydes Mill & Farm' and others.

[18th cent.] Memorandum, clause relating to the manor of Ambica, otherwise Audenham alias Ausham, Leics. (Written on the back of another memorandum, of a case including a reference to Mr Meynell and his demesne of Bromley).

[1647-1828 or later] Copies of bills, etc., exhibited on the issue of the tithes of Wolstanton, including a copy (1828 or later) of their conveyance in 1647. (MSS. imperfect).

[18th cent.] Memorandum, on the procedure (or 'fitting up') of a distress, with the form of oath subscribed to by the appraisers.

[18th cent.] Letter, S. Fernyhough to 'Mr Breck', at Keele, about executing an assignment, with a postscript about the militia.

[late 18th or early 19th cent.] Draft statement, of Joseph Mottershaw of Holmes Chapel, Chesh., relating to the use of stone for road works at Holmes Chapel.

[late 18th or early 19th cent.] Memorandum, relating to a settlement (unspecified) with reference to an annuity on Abbey Hulton and other estates in Staffordshire.
1800 Answers, to proposals relating to the colliery at Abbey Hulton.

1801 Draft notice, acknowledgment, and writ, Sneyd v. Leek and others, action for trespass.

1802 Letter of attorney, to appear in the manorial court of Keele and be admitted to certain copyhold property, and to surrender the same to the use of Walter Sneyd esq. of Keele Hall.

With, (i) deposition, 1802.

Parties: (i) Eusebius Horton esq. of Catton, Derby.
(ii) Thomas Breck gent., Thomas Peake, maltster, Richard Dean, victualler, attorneys.

1803 Affidavit, of Thomas Breck, agent to Walter Sneyd, relating to arrears of rent owed by Edward Keeling.

1805 Letter, James Breck to Thomas Sparrow, about an opinion on 'the Silverdale partnership'.

1808 Memorandum, relating to a deed (unspecified).

1809 Letter, Thomas Sparrow to [?], relating to a copy of the Trent and Mersey Canal Act, the property of the late Mr Beard, and deeds for the conveyance of the manor of Burslem.

1810 Legal expenses, T. Sparrow, debtor, in account with Samuel Lea of Burslem.

1812 Memorandum, about a covenant to produce title deeds (property unspecified).

1812 Letter, Thomas Lakin to Thomas Sparrow of Newcastle-under-Lyme, about arrears of rent due to Col. Sneyd.

1812 Letter, James Steele to Thomas Sparrow, in Newcastle-under-Lyme, about a dispute over land in 'Tunstall Meadow' between Col. Sneyd and Mr Smith'.

1812 Case, relating to a farm, lands and mines (location unspecified but on the Sneyd estate) leased in 1792.

1813 Letter, (?). Smith to Thomas Sparrow, about a deed of assignment affecting William Turner.

1813 Letter, Messrs Griffith & Hinde to Mr Sparrow, Attorney at Law, Newcastle-under-Lyme, about ground rent claimed by Walter Sneyd on property at Bourne Bank, Burslem.

1813 Memorandum, relating to Samuel Lea's claim of possessory right to waste land between Dale Hall and Burslem, in the manor of Tunstall.
3310. 1813 - 1816, undated
Memoranda, Sneyd, lord of the manor of Tunstall, and Sarah Finney of Liverpool, on the issue of rents from property in Burslem.

With, (i) notices of distraint, 1815.
(ii) instructions for ejectment, 1815.
(iii) draft bond, 1815.
(iv) account, 1815.
(v) counsel's opinion, 1815.
(vi) letters and draft letters, 1816.

3311. 1814
Letter, W. Keen to Thomas Sparrow, Rex v. Audley, endorsed that it relates to the alteration of the road at Keele Hall.

3312. 1814
Memorandum, William Shaw's claim to property in Burslem.

3313. 1814 - 1815
Notices (3) and letters (4), relating to a distraint levied on property in Burslem.

3314. 1816
Memorandum, on the issue of access at Bradwell, Sneyd and Bennett.

3315. 1816
Letter and copy opinion, Daniel [?] and others v. Baines, on the issue of a distress.

3316. 1817, 1820
Case, letters and an account (7 items), relating to the title to an estate at Bower End.

3317. 1822
Letter, S. Heuitt to Samuel Peake, relating to the articles of partnership of the late Silverdale Company.

3318. 1822
Letters (2), relating to the purchase of 'Mackie's Foundry' (location unspecified).

3319. 1822
Letters and draft letters (5), relating to 'the Silverdale separation'.

3320. 1822
Letter, T. Swinnerton to Mr Peake, about a deed relating to the Silverdale Gutter.

3321. 1825
Credential, for Mr Wood, to survey Lord Crewe's coal works at Madeley, and notice, resulting from his report.

3322. [1827 or later]
Copy, case relating to a settlement of part of the Sneyd estates in 1725/26.

3323. [1828 or later]
Instructions on suffering a recovery in a manorial court.

3324. [1828 or later]
Case (incomplete), relating to a settlement in 1725 of the manor of Cold Norton and lands, etc. in Cold Norton, Chobsey, Smerton and Yarnfield.

3325. 1829 - 1831
Letters (10), relating to the sale of the Cotton estates.
Letters (45), Thomas Hill Mortimer, solicitor, to Ralph Sneyd, mainly relating to the disposal of property in Monkton and St Nicholas, Isle of Thanet, and Romney Marsh, Kent, but also relating to the valuation for probate of Col. Walter Sneyd's estate, the probate of the will of Sir Charles Bagot, and the raising of a loan of £150,000.

Memorandum, relating to documents surrendered from the Sneyd family papers; and extracts from Keele and Wolstanton parish registers relating to the burial of some Sneyds.

Counsel's opinion relating to settlements made on property in Bucknall, Chesterton, Abbey Hulton and elsewhere (unspecified).

With, (i) extracts (2), from settlements of 1749, 1786.
   (ii) schedules (3) of deeds, 1749-81, 1749-82, 1756-96.
   (iii) receipts (2), 1791, 1814.
   (iv) memorandum, 1821 or later
   (v) letters (3), 1811, 1830.

Opinion, on a lease, property (including mines) unspecified.

Instructions relating to a purchase of mortgaged property (unspecified).

Evidence of George Goodall relating to property in Willaston.

Statement, by Ralph Sneyd, relating to 17 acres of the Sneyd estate in Wolstanton, believed by Sneyd to be freehold and in process of being sold as such for building plots, believed by the Duchy of Lancaster to be copyhold, and also relating to the question of minerals.

With, (i) draft letter, undated.

William Cooper to Frederick Wilkinson, about the preparation of leases, Sneyd estate.

Notice of countermanding a trial, and acceptance of the same, Sneyd v. Colclough, in the King's Bench, Stafford assizes.

Account, legal expenses, William Colclough to William Cooper.

Memorandum, relating to deeds delivered to Mr Wilkinson of Newcastle-under-Lyme.

Letters (3), between lawyers, relating to a conveyance of land at Knutton.

Memoranda, letters, copy letters, opinions, abstracts of title, draft deeds, and accounts (approx. 150) relating to the conveyance of (mining) interests of the Misses Poole in three copyhold estates at Finney Green, in the manor of Keele, called Budhays, Finney Green and Banktop or Ketleshmoor, and a cottage at Scot Hay, to Ralph Sneyd.
1833 Letter, relating to a conveyance (property unspecified), Sneyd to Peake.

1789-1817 Letters (3), relating to the death in India of a copyhold tenant of the manor of Keele.

1839 With, (1) abstracts from the court roll, 1789-1817.

1841 Receipt, for deeds relating to property in Keele.

1841 Letters (2), to Frederick Wilkinson, solicitor, Newcastle-under-Lyme, about the payment of the rent of Sneyd Green colliery.

1841 Letters (3), J.P. Harding to F. Wilkinson, relating to deeds affecting Burslem workhouse.

1841 Opinions (2), on abstracts of title to property including 'Smallthorns', and copies (2), cases and statements.

1842 Opinion, on an abstract of title, and other papers relating to the mortgage of part of the Keele estate.

1845 Letter, Thomas Cooper, solicitor, Congleton, to Samuel Peake, about proceedings against Charles Broad, for debt.

1846 Letter, William Bowker, of Gray's Inn Square to Ralph Sneyd, about a road (unspecified) and the experience on a similar issue of Lord Harrowby in Lincolnshire.

1848 Declaration, before a Master in Chancery, relating to land called Seabridge Moss, at Yarnfield.

1848 With, (i) declaration, of Jeremiah Smith, 1849.

1848 (ii) notice referred to in (i) above, 1849.

1848 (iii) copy notice, sale of property at Yarnfield, 1848.

1848 Letters and draft letters (12), Wilbraham v. Sneyd on the issue of the ownership of the folly on Mow Cop, and the line of the boundary.

1849 Answers to queries and observations, conveyance of land to N. Staffs. Railway Co. and other issues.

1850 Letter, Messrs Stonier, Knight and (?) Udall to (?) Mortimer, about deeds relating to the Field House estate.

1851 Opinion, on a mortgage.

1851 Copy, case and opinion, on a lease of 1851 relating to property including Silverdale House and ironworks and collieries at Silverdale and Sneyd Green.

1851 With, (1) extracts, lease of 1851.
1855. Letter, about an issue (unspecified) between Ralph Sneyd and the Duchy of Lancaster.

1856. Letter, about a decision concerning a dispute between Ralph Sneyd and the Duchy of Lancaster over land in Wolstanton.

1859 - 1860. Legal expenses, Messrs Knight and Udall, in Tittensor v. Stanier, on the issue of using a railway.

1863. Copy petition, Potteries Junction Railway against the bill, and draft proof of damage.

[c.1863]. Copy injunction, Attorney-General v. Ralph Sneyd and others, to restrain the latter from working ironstone to the detriment of a road, cited in a bill filed in Chancery. (MS. imperfect).

1864. Memorandum, relating to the lease of a mine at Chatterley, and to the quantity of ironstone at (?) Chesterton.

1866. Copy award, dispute arising out of the construction of a railway in Keele, and damage to land.

1873 - 1874. Proposals for the renewal of the Silverdale lease.

1875. Transcription, shorthand notes, proceedings in arbitration, Knutton Farm Mining Co. and the Rev. Walter Sneyd, on the issue of access to a railway (formerly owned by the Sneyds) on Sneyd land.


[1831 or later]. Copy opinion, affidavit, and proposal to settle, Sneyd v. Williamson, on the issue of the use of land for a railway in Wolstanton.

1885. Correspondence (3 letters), Williamson v. Sneyd and Fitzherbert and Hambleton.

1888. Letters and papers (approx. 30 items), sent to Robert Gill, agent at Keele, relating to a dispute, Braddock v. Bankes Trustees, to be decided by arbitration.

[2nd half of 19th cent.]. Draft letters (2), relating to the lease of Silverdale and other (unspecified) collieries.

[late 19th cent.]. Memorandum, relating to a lease of the Chesterton mines.
3370. [19th cent.] Memorandum, relating to boxes of deeds to be sent to Keele.

3371. [19th cent.] Memorandum, relating to a lease of land at Pits Hill, Wolstanton.

3372. [late 19th or early 20th cent.] Extract from the Settled Land Act, 1882, and remarks.

3373. [late 19th or early 20th cent.] Memorandum, relating to 'B's' [? the Butterley Co.'s] working at Crackley colliery and elsewhere.

3374. [early 20th cent.] Schedules, books, accounts, receipts, the Butterley Co. and Sneyd.

3375. 1902 Deposition, in Chancery, of Samuel Danks, consulting engineer, about Silverdale colliery.


3377. 1904 Memorandum, T.H. Bailey on the underground claims, Sneyd v. the Butterley Co.

3378. 1904 - 1906 Notes of Proceedings, Ralph Sneyd, claimant, the Butterley Co., respondents, before an arbitrator and an assessor, in the North Stafford Hotel, Stoke-on-Trent, on issues arising under a lease of 1882 and an agreement of 1893. Printed.

3379. 1904 - 1906 As above.

3380. 1904 - 1906 As above.

3381. 1904 - 1906 As above.

3382. 1904 - 1906 As above.

3383. [? 1904 - 1906] Sneyd and the Butterley Co., memorandum relating to work (unspecified) being done at Silverdale.


3386. 1905 Sneyd and the Butterley Co., memorandum.
3387. 1905 Affidavits (2), filed by Ralph Sneyd in Chancery, Sneyd v. Lane, to increase his borrowing to invest in Silverdale Colliery. With, (1) copy report, 1905.


3389. 1914 Copy opinions (2), Chatterley-Whitfield Colliery Co. Ltd.

3390. 1922 Copy letters (3), relating to £1,000, settlement in a dispute between Col. Sneyd (d.1949) and Messrs Bentley Bros. (MS. imperfect).

3391. 1926 Answer and further answer of the respondent, Ralph Sneyd, petitioner, Irene Marguerite Campbell Sneyd, respondent, on the issue of settlements, Probate, Divorce and Admiralty Division of the High Court of Justice.


PROBATE AND ADMINISTRATION—See also under LEGAL, MANORIAL, TRUSTEE & EXECUTORSHIP


3394. 1572 Inventory, of the goods etc. of Sir William Sneyd of Bradwell. (1. Dated in error 1562. Inventory exhibited June 1573).

3395. [16th cent.] Inventory (incomplete, owner of house and goods unknown).

3396. 1643 Inventory, of the goods etc. of Ralph Sneyd of Keele.

3397. 1643, 1646/47 Probate will, Ralph Sneyd esq. of Keele. Will made 1643, proved 1646/47.

3398. 1651 Commission, to John Bell, Philip Osborne, Richard Worsley, to swear Thomas Lighthorne to administer the goods of Ralph Sneyd of Keele, died intestate.

3399. 1659, 1660 Probate inventory, of the goods etc. of 'Feale', (otherwise Felicia or Phyllis) Sneyd, widow, of Cold Norton, in Chebsey. Exhibited 1660.

3400. 1665 Copy will, Thomas Piggott esq. of Chetwynd, Salop., will made 23 Oct. 1665, date of probate unknown. (MS. imperfect). Endorsed with part of a rough pedigree of Piggott.
1665 Letters of administration, of the goods etc. of William, son of William Lawton of Wolstanton, granted to his wife Mary Lawton alias Owen.

[c.1668] Signed memorandum, to the effect that the last will of George Taylor late of Chesterfield, Derby, was seen in the hands of the clerks in the 'Prerogative office in the Savoy, neere ye Strand.'

1668, undated Inventory, goods etc. of George Taylor late of Chesterfield, Derby, and undated account. (MS. imperfect).

1668/69 (?) Copy will, Dame Katherine Leveson of Trentham, widow of Sir Richard Leveson. (MS. imperfect).

1671 (?) Copy will, John Burslem, yeoman, of 'Moole' (Now Cop). (MS. incomplete).

1673 Copy codicils, Dame Katherine Leveson of Trentham, widow of Sir Richard Leveson, devise of the manors of Foxley, Northants., and Ballisall alias Temple Ballisall, War., for the maintenance of twelve poor widows from the parishes of 'Blakesley' (Pattishall and Litchborough, in the manor of Foxley, and from Lilleshall, Salop., from Trentham, or from Itchingten, War., and for charitable purposes.

(1. Date at variance with the regnal year).

1676 Letters of administration, of the goods etc. of William Noell of Kirkby Mallory, Leics., granted to Dame Frances Noell his mother.

1685, 1686 Copy will, Ancret Partington, widow, of High Offley, will made 1685, proved 1686.


1689 Letters of administration, of the goods etc. of Elizabeth Taylor of Chesterfield, Derby, granted to Dame Hester Skrymsher, her daughter. (MS. imperfect).

1689 Inventory, of the goods etc. of Elizabeth Taylor of Chesterfield, Derby. (MS. imperfect).

1690/91, c.1741 Copy will, George Whywall, yeoman, of the Lees, Cheddleton, will made 1690/91.

With, (i) account, legal charges, c.1741.

1695 Letters of administration, of the goods etc. of Ralph Sneyd the younger, deceased, granted to Frances Sneyd his widow.

1698, 1700 Extract, will of Dame Frances Nowell, widow, of Himley, will made 1698, proved 1700.
3415. 1709    Probate will, Sir Charles Skrymsher of Norbury, will made and proved 1709.
3416. [c.1709] Inventory of the goods etc. of Sir Charles Skrymsher of Norbury.
            (MS. imperfect).
3417. 1714 or 1715    Will, James Heath, yeoman, of Clayton. (MS. imperfect).
            (1. Date torn).
3418. 1719    Probate will, Jonathan Adams, yeoman, of Ford Green, Norton-in-the-Moors.
3419. 1726    Will, Edward Sneyd esq. of Almington.
3420. 1729, 1731    Copy will, Samuel Adams, yeoman, of Milton, will made 1720, copied 1731.
3421. 1733    Inventory of the goods etc. of Ralph Sneyd esq. of Keele.
            See also : S 1023
3422. 1737    Inventory, goods unsold from the personal estate of Ralph Sneyd esq. of (? Keele. (MS. imperfect).
3423. 1741    Copy will, Thomas Sillitoe, butcher, of Wybunbury, Chesh.
3424. 1749    Letters of administration, of the goods etc. of Alice Allen, spinster, of Newcastle-under-Lyme, granted to Alice Allen her mother.
3425. 1754, 1830    Probate will, Thomas Poole gent., of Weston, Chesh., will made 1754 but not proved.
            With, (i) annexed, letters of administration, 1830.
            (ii) copy will, 1830 or later.
3426. 1764    Copy will, John Beech, felt-maker, of Newcastle-under-Lyme.
3427. 1769    Letter, William Grosvener to (? ), giving details of a will, with references to 'your Nephew Ralph Sneyd Esq.', 'your Great Nephew Ed. Sneyd,' 'your Great Niece Frances Sneyd'.
3428. 1775 - 1804, 1833    Copy will and codicils, Thomas Poole gent., of Finney Green, will made 1775, testator died 1805, copy made 1833.
3429. 1776, 1780    Probate copy will and act, Edward Sneyd esq. of Keele, will made 1776, proved 1780.
3430. 1782    Copy will, Richard Bedson, schoolmaster, of Keele.
3431. 1785, 1822    Copy will, Thomas Eldershaw, ironmonger, of Newport, Salop., will made 1785, proved 1785, examined 1822.
3432. 1785, 1830    Copy will, Thomas Beech, felt-maker, of Newcastle-under-Lyme, copy made 1830.
3433. 1787 Copy will, Thomas Stubbs gent., of Keele.
3434. 1788 Memorandum, that Cheadle probate court would be held at the Wheatsheaf Inn, 30 Oct. 1788.
3435. 1789 Copy will, John Daniel of Burslem.
3436. 1789, 1798 Copy will, Thomas Astin of Acton, in Swynnerton. With, (1) letters of administration, 1798.
3437. 1797 Copy will, Frances Femyhough, spinster, of Stafford.
3438. [early 19th cent.] Extract, will of William Massey esq., late of Motton Hall, Chesh.
3439. 1803 Draft will, Walter Sneyd esq., of Keele Hall. (See 3447 below).
3440. 1803 Copy will, John Beech, hat manufacturer, of Newcastle-under-Lyne.
3441. 1809 - 1810 Letters (5), about (?). Badnall's will and the need to produce it in a manorial court.
3442. 1812, 1813 Abstract, will of Thomas Breck gent., of Penfields, Swynnerton, will made 1812, proved 1813.
3443. 1814 Copy will, Alexander Wilson of Newcastle-under-Lyme.
3444. [1823 or later] Abstract, will of Eusebius Horton esq., of Catton, Derby.
3445. 1826, 1830 Abstracts, wills of the Rev. Lawrence Dandas Henry Cockburn, and Mary Teresa, his wife.
3446. 1826, 1840 Copy will, Henry Lys of Boldre, Hants., will made 1826, copied 1840.
3447. 1827 - 1839 Testamentary papers, Walter Sneyd esq., of Keele Hall, died 1829, including draft wills, abstracts and particulars, bills submitted to the executors, Stamp Office receipts and returns (some blank), inventory and valuation.
With, (1) bond, Edward Sneyd of Byrkley Lodge and Mary Emma Sneyd, in the penal sum of £6,000, to the Rev. John Sneyd of Elford.
3448. [1737/38-] 1831 Exemplification, of letters of administration issued by the consistory court of Lichfield of the goods etc., of John Smith of Madeley.
3449. 1831 Original will, William Bayley, felt-maker, of Newcastle-under-Lyme.
3450. [? 1832] Copy will, Mary Finch, spinster, of York.
3451. 1832, 1834, undated

Letters (4), written by the Hon. Louisa Sneyd to her daughters, about the disposition of her effects, charities, and the best method of conducting their affairs.

With, (i) deposition relating to the above (unsigned, altered in pencil).

(ii) Stamp Office account of the personal estate of the Hon. Louisa Sneyd.

(iii) letter, 1834.

3452. 1835, undated

Probate will and copy, Rev. John Sneyd of Elford, will made 1829, proved 1835.

3453. 1861 - 1863

Copy will, Henry William Vincent esq. of Thornton Lodge, Kensington and Lily Hill, Bracknell.

3454. 1861 - 1863, undated

Testamentary papers, Richard Malcom Sneyd of Leamington. (MSS. imperfect).

3455. 1863


3456. 1865

Letter, to Ralph Sneyd esq. of Keele Hall, about his will.

3457. 1875

Extract by the Rev. Walter Sneyd, from the will of Dame Frances Chester.

3458. 1878 - 1881

Copy will, the Hon. Frances Bouvier, widow, will made 1878, codicil 1881.

3459. 1886, undated

Epitome of the will of the Rev. Walter Sneyd of Keele Hall.

With, (i) list of pecuniary legacies, undated.

3460. [late 19th or early 20th cent.]

Copy will and epitome, Ralph Sneyd esq. of Keele Hall.

TRUSTEE AND EXECUTORSHIP

3461. 1617

Account, expenses incurred by 'Mr Sneyd' and 'Mrs Lawton' for a funeral feast, William Lawton esq., deceased.

3462. 1673

Receipt, for an annuity, from the executors of George Taylor esq., of Chesterfield.

3463. 1673

Release, of the executors of the will of Thomas Pigott esq., of Chetwynd, Salop., including William Sneyd esq., of Keele, from all actions, including a Chancery action pending, by Edmund Gardner esq., of Lincoln's Inn, son-in-law of the testator.

3464. 1677

Bond, Charles Leigh esq., of 'Leighton Buzzard, Beds.); Fulke Lucy knl., of 'Handbury', Chesh., executors of Dame Katherine Lucy of Trentham, in the penal sum
of £2,000, to William Leveson Gower esq., of Trentham, to abide by arbitration.

3465. 1677/78, Receipts (2), for an annuity left the legatee by George Taylor of Chesterfield, from Charles Skrymsher esq.

3466. 1694 Receipt, for £5 and for 2/6d, by Sampson Ingram the elder, yeoman, of 'Heathill', and Anne his wife, from Sir Charles Skrymsher, legacy from Edward Moreton, farrier, of High Offley.

3467. [c.1695] Expenses, administration of the estate of William Sneyd.

3468. 1698 Receipt, for £5, by Margaret Ingram, spinster, of 'Heathill', from Sir Charles Skrymsher, legacy from Edward Moreton, farrier, of High Offley.

3469. 1700 Receipt, for £5, by Phyllis Ingram, spinster, of 'Heathill', from Sir Charles Skrymsher and John Higins gent., legacy from Edward Moreton, her grandfather [farrier, of High Offley].

3470. 1709 - 1710 Receipts (6), for legacies bequeathed under the will of Sir Charles Skrymsher, of Norbury manor.

3471. 1731 Deed to indemnify trustees appointed under the will of Sir John Chester Esq., of Chicheley, Bucks., deceased, husband of Dame Frances Chester, now wife of Charles Alderley esq., of Hams, War.

3472. 1733 Receipt, by Thomas Fallows, of money bequeathed him by his grandfather.


3476. 1740 - 1765, undated Estate and effects of Samuel Palin, debtor, Thomas Kniverton, creditor, calculations, names, amounts.

3477. 1741 Receipt, £162, by the executors of Mrs Margaret Chambers, from the representatives of Mr Sneyd, deceased.

3478. 1742 - 1750 Receipts (6), for annuities, by Richard Cartwright from Edward Sneyd and others, in right of Cartwright's wife, Hannah Grosvenor.

3479. 1755 - 1809, 1835 Memorandum, relating to a deed examined at Lincoln's Inn, trust estates (unspecified) of Edward Wortley; and abstract of title, 1755-1809.
3480. [c.1756] Calculation, of Blest Colclough's share of land-tax and rents, due from the Blurton estate.

3481. 1781 Receipt, by Ralph Sneyd the younger, for the joint bond of his father (Ralph Sneyd, d.1793) and elder brother Walter (d.1829), for the payment of his share of a legacy.

3482. 1788 - 1790 Account, 'Effects of late Mr Thos. Stubbs.'

3483. 1795 - 1796 Account, letter and receipts for legacies from Miss Mary Sneyd (d.1795), sister of Col. Walter Sneyd (d.1829).

3484. [late 18th cent.] Letter, John (?) Ferny to Mr Fernyhough, Clerk of the Peace in Staffordshire, about a debt of 'old' Hillman, deceased. (MS. imperfect).

3485. 1801 Receipts (2), for legacies, under the will of Ann Eldershaw, widow, of Newport, Salop.

3486. 1804 - 1810 Rough account, executors of John Mare, deceased, of Milton.

3487. 1808 Instructions, by Mr Sparrow, involving the executors of Mrs Sarah Sherratt and a deed (unspecified).

3488. 1808 Receipt, for rent, from the executors of Moses Marsh.

3489. 1812 Notice, from John Gardner, executor to Thomas Breck, deceased, to Walter Sneyd, relating to Breck's share in a business in which he was a co-partner with Sneyd.

3490. 1820 Certificate, Newcastle-under-Lyme Canal Co., that the Rev. Thomas Wright and Walter Wright, executors of the Rev. John Wright, are the proprietors of a share and are entitled to the profits.

3491. 1822 - 1829 Vouchers (9), household accounts outstanding at the time of Walter Sneyd's death (1829).

3492. 1824 Receipt, proceeds from the sale of securities.

3493. 1825 - 1831 Account, shares of the Rev. A. Simpson in lead mines in Wales.

3494. 1826 Account, administration of the late James Poole esq., of Finney Green.

3495. 1830 Share certificates (4), Consolidated 3% and West India Dock Co., Bishop Bagot and Francis Newdigate.

3496. 1830 Memorandum, payments to the Hon. Louisa Sneyd and the Misses Sneyd by Ralph Sneyd.
Account, F. Burgin and the executors of the late Thomas Peake.

Letter, Ralph Sneyd to [? the Hon. Louisa Sneyd, his mother], relating to a financial crisis at Mithfield and the management of the estates by trustees, viz. Ralph Sneyd, Bishop Bagot, Lord Dartmouth.

Papers of the trustees of Lord Bagot, including reports, schedules of debts and liabilities, and memoranda. (MSS. imperfect).

Accounts, medical and funeral expenses, the Hon. Louisa Sneyd (d.1834).

Copy notices (4), executors of Thomas Peake, farmer, late of The Lymes, Trentham, relating to rent due from property in Market Lane, and from a pew in the parish church in Newcastle-under-Lyme.

Letter, Messrs Drummond to Ralph Sneyd, relating to the account of the Hon. Louisa Sneyd, and abstract.

Account, bills owed by the Rev. John Sneyd. With, (i) account of money found in the house, undated. (ii) notes (3), undated.

Statement, personal assets of Davies Davenport esq., of Capesthorne.

Letter, Richard (?) Tippits to [Ralph Sneyd], relating to a legacy to the family of Hawk.


Letter, William Bowker to Ralph Sneyd, relating to the Harrowby estates.

'Instructions for the execution of the Commission' (unspecified).

Draft letters (2), relating to the estates of the Earl of Clare. (In the hand of Ralph Sneyd).

Account, the trustees of the settlements made on the marriage of Mrs Walter Sneyd and Mrs Charles Wise, debtors, John Sherwood, creditor.

Letters (2), Robert Manley Lowe to Ralph Sneyd, surviving trustee of a trust set up on the marriage of 'Mr Newdigate', relating to a settlement on the grandchildren, and to a
3512. 1858
Letter, George S. (?) Hester to Ralph Sneyd, relating to the payment of certain legacies by Lord Baltimore.

3513. 1858
Letter, with abstract from the will of Lewis Sneyd, relating to the legacy of £200 to Ralph Sneyd, to be laid out on a marble chimney-piece.

3514. 1859
Letter, Messrs Colley Smith, Hunter and (?) Stratkin to Ralph Sneyd, surviving trustee, about a Newdigate settlement. (MS. imperfect).

3515. 1860
Letter, Robert Wood Lucas to Ralph Sneyd, relating to the will of Sir Charles Bagot.

3516. 1861
Indemnification of trustees, settlement on the marriage of Charles John Wise esq. and Louisa Caroline his wife.

3517. 1865
Letter, W.J. Farrer, solicitor, to Ralph Sneyd, relating to Lord Harrowby's estate, Ralph Sneyd trustee.

3518. 1870
Letter, relating to the disposal of the effects of Elizabeth Sneyd (d.1869).

3519. 1870, 1880
Letter, Charlotte Augusta Sneyd to her brother Walter, relating to the disposal of her money, including legacies to cats.
With, (i) copy will.

3520. 1880, 1882
Account, the Rev. Walter Sneyd and the trustees of Ralph Sneyd. With, (i) covering letter, 1882.

3521. [1881 or later]
Account, sales and purchases of settled estates, trustees of Ralph Sneyd. (MS. imperfect).

3522. 1882
Schedule, lands to be purchased by the trustees of Ralph Sneyd, and by the Rev. Walter Sneyd.

3523. 1935 - 1936
Copy account, trustees of Mrs E.M. Kerr and the beneficiaries.

3524. 1935 - 1936
Copy account, the Rt. Hon. Lady Wharton, executrix of Mrs M.E. Sneyd, and Ralph Sneyd, residuary legatee.

LOANS AND FAMILY SETTLEMENTS (EXCLUDING MARRIAGE SETTLEMENTS, for which see DEEDS)

3525. 1607
Deed relating to a loan secured by bond of the staple for £4,436.
Parties: (i) Sir Stephen Slany, citizen and alderman of
(ii) William Sneyd, son of Ralph Sneyd, debtor.

Receipt, £25, by Randle Bagnold from Ralph Sneyd of Keele.

Receipt, £18, half a year's interest on £600, secured by land in Sutton Cheney (Leics.), by Francis Roberts from Lady Frances Noel.

Memorandum, payment due to 'Mr Bambrigge' by 'Mr Sneyd', with references to 'Mr Gisborne's money' and to Samuel Birkes and Mary his wife.

Receipt, £237. 10s., by Leicester Barbour for Thomas Boothby from 'Mr Partington', and memorandum.

Agreement, relating to a loan secured by property (unspecified) in Wolstanton.

Parties: (i) Ralph Sneyd of Keele.
(ii) Ralph Shaw the elder, yeoman, of Burslem.

Statute merchant bond of Newcastle-under-Lyme, Ralph Sneyd of Keele, in the sum of £4,000, to Edward Sneyd of Almington. (Applied and embossed seals on tags).

Account, Ralph Wittingham, debtor.

List, dates, amounts, (?) personal debts. 'Date Mr.S. to Mr St.'.

Letters (14), mainly to Thomas Breck from 'Char.' Simpson, about loans and settlements.

Bond, Ralph Sneyd of Keele, in the penal sum of £2,400, to James Edwards of Walton-upon-Trent, to secure £1,200.

Copy, promissory notes and bill of exchange, in favour of Daniel Race, Daniel Booth and Philip Gibbes.

Letter, W. Walker to [Thomas] Breck, about the repayment of a loan by 'Mr Sneyd'.

Bond, Ralph Sneyd of Keele, in the penal sum of £400, to Robert Harries, farmer, of Dilhorne, to secure £200.

Bond, Ralph Sneyd of Keele, in the penal sum of £200, to John Beckett, grocer, of Newcastle-under-Lyme, to secure £100.

Letter, Harriet Sneyd to Mr Breck, asking for a loan of three guineas.

Lists (3) of debts of Ralph Sneyd (1723-93), being incumbrances on the Keele estate.
1788. 1788 Bond, Ralph Sneyd of Keele, Walter Sneyd of Ravenhill, in the penal sum of £2,000, to Peter Crompton, doctor in physic, of Darby, to secure £1,000.

1797. 1797 List, principal sums borrowed (by or from) Walter Sneyd.

18th cent. [2nd half Memorandum, relating to a loan unspecified. (MS. imperfect).]

18th cent. [2nd half Account, loans and interest payable, and rents.

18th cent. [2nd half Statement of the fortunes of the younger children of Ralph Sneyd (1723-1793).

18th cent. John Cooper to [Thomas] Breck, about 'Mr Sneyd' paying a debt.

1809. 1809 Memorandum, sums of money 'Remaining due on Interest'.

1835. 1835 Letter, Messrs Bingham Richards & Co. to Ralph Sneyd, relating to a bank charge.

1835. 1835 Draft affidavits, relating to an acknowledgment made by Francis Bouverie, sister of Ralph Sneyd, concerning her interest in property in Keele charged with raising her annuity. With, (i) blank form. (ii) Regulae Generales, Hilary Term 1834. Printed.

1841. 1841 Memorandum, securities for loans, interest, sums borrowed, annuities and other commitments.

1843. 1843 Bond, Ralph Sneyd of Keele, in the penal sum of £20,000, to William Davenport, to secure £10,000.

1844. 1844 Analysis of the debts of Ralph Sneyd and suggestions for reducing them.

1845. 1845 Letter, Arthur (?) St. Welch of Lincoln's Inn, to Ralph Sneyd, relating to title deeds to property mortgaged by Sneyd for £20,000, and security for this sum.

1847. 1847 Bond, Ralph Sneyd of Keele, in the penal sum of £2,000, to Mary Sparrow, spinster, and Susannah Wilkinson, widow, both of Newcastle-under-Lyme, to secure £1,000.

1847, 1849 Draft bonds (2), Ralph Sneyd of Keele, in the penal sum of £16,000, to his brother Walter Sneyd, to secure £8,000.

1848. 1848 Account, for raising a loan of £22,500 for Ralph Sneyd.

1848. 1848 Promissory note, to pay £300 to Ralph Sneyd (signature
3559. 1850 Letter, Messrs Bray & Co. to Ralph Sneyd, relating to the terms on which they would be prepared to advance money on the security of the estate.

3560. 1850 Letter, Hugh [? ] Cameron to J. Lawrence, relating to a loan 'for yr friend' of £150,000.

3561. 1850 Letter, Augustus Warren to Ralph Sneyd, relating to the loan of £130,000, on the security of the estate, exclusive of mines.

3562. 1850 Memorandum, headed 'Interests', names, dates, sums of money. Endorsed with a note of the cost of family annuities.

3563. [1850 or later] Memorandum, properties on the Keele estate to be included in a mortgage.

3564. [mid-19th cent.] Memoranda (2), property mortgaged to Lord Duncannon.

3565. [a. mid-19th cent.] Memorandum (in Ralph Sneyd's handwriting), relating to bond debts.

3566. [a. mid-19th cent.] Memorandum, equitable scale of interest on mortgages.

3567. 1851 Account, amount on loan to Ralph Sneyd from the Equitable Society (£130,00. MS. imperfect).

3568. [c.1851] Draft letters (2), by Ralph Sneyd, relating to the loan of £150,000.

3569. [c.1851 or later] Schedule of mortgage and bond debts of Ralph Sneyd, mortgages, amounts secured, rate of interest, interest payable annually.

3570. 1857 - 1860 Letters (7), Messrs Knight & Udall, solicitors, Newcastle-under-Lyme, to Ralph Sneyd, mainly relating to leases or conveyances but including a reference to the repayment of a mortgage of £22,500.

3571. 1859 Acknowledgment, of the receipt of £2,500, by Messrs Drummond, from Ralph Sneyd.

3572. 1861 Statement of purchase money of Newcastle-under-Lyme estate sold to Mr Sneyd, amounts paid, interest due, and balance remaining on mortgage.

3573. [1864 or 1865] Statement, of settlements made by H.W. Vincent on his married daughters. (MS. imperfect).

3574. [late 19th or early 20th cent.] Letter, Frederic Anson to 'Mr Banks', about life insurance.
3575. [7 early 20th cent.] Memorandum, from a deed or copy deed relating to a loan by Col. Ralph Sneyd. (Single detached page).

3576. 1902 Copy form of acknowledgment, by Col. Ralph Sneyd, of indebtedness for a sum of money unspecified.

3577. 1904 Letters (11), relating to a loan of £140,000 to Col. Ralph Sneyd.

3578. 1904, undated Memoranda (2), calculations of interest on policies, etc., held by Col. Ralph Sneyd.

3579. [c.1905] Summary of points relating to the Keele estate mortgage.

3580. [between 1905 and 1913] Summary of the position relating to the original mortgage taken out by Ralph Sneyd (d.1870), and the figure to which it was reduced.

3581. 1907 - 1913 Correspondence (file), relating to insurance policies securing the mortgage on Keele Hall.

3582. 1908 - 1912 Correspondence (file), relating to a bond for a loan made by Mrs Walter Sneyd (d.1913) to her son Col. Ralph Sneyd.

3583. 1926 - 1940 Letters and copy letters (file), relating to claims arising from the estate of Mrs Eleanor Hughes-D'Aeth, daughter of the Rev. Walter Sneyd.

EXTRANEOUS

Public Local

Quarter Sessions

3584. 1766 - 1793 Copy recognizances, warrants, precepts and memoranda (approx. 50 items), relating to the business of the court of Quarter Sessions, Stafford, including some licences for alehouse-keepers and a bond.

Parish (ecclesiastical)

Incumbent

Keele (Staffs.) - See also under CHARITIES

(N.B. At one time the incumbent lived at Keele Hall if he was unmarried, and was a member of the household, which makes it questionable whether some of these documents are, technically, extraneous. See also, therefore, under PRIVATE,
Subscription list, towards the raising of £100, to entitle Keele parish to qualify for augmentation out of Queen Anne's bounty; and measurement of (?) the glebe. (MS. imperfect).

Particulars, property and endowments belonging to the benefice of Keele. Signed by the rector, churchwardens and a sidesman. Skin.

Terrier, buildings, tithes, rents, etc. belonging to the incumbency of Keele, schedule of parish registers, schedule of other records, schedule of communion plate, schedule of benefactions. Signed by the incumbent and churchwardens. (Next copy, noting that one copy is preserved among the parish records, that one copy has been sent to the archdeacon, and that a third copy was given to Mr Sneyd in 1888).

Presentation, to the Bishop of Lichfield by William Sneyd, of Isaac Keeling M.A., to the vicarage of Wolstanton, vacant by the death of Richard Shelley.

Certificate of institution of Richard Taylor B.A. by the Bishop of Lichfield to the vicarage of Wolstanton, vacant by the death of Isaac Keeling.

Certificate of institution of William Chester to the vicarage of Wolstanton.

Draft return, by R. Bagot, vicar of Wolstanton, relating to the population of the parish and other matters.

With, (i) blank, of the above.
(ii) rough figures of population.
(iii) receipt, £50, by Governors of Queen Anne's bounty, 1837.

Letters (2) and copy letter, relating to the nomination to the new chapel at Tunstall, and the assignment of Tunstall, Oldcott and Ravenscliffe as an Ecclesiastical District.

With, (i) blank map.

License, from Henry [Ryder], Bishop of Lichfield and Coventry, to Walter Sneyd, vicar of Wolstanton, to be absent from the parish for the period of a year, while the vicarage is made habitable.

With, (i) copy.
Constables

Audley (Staffs.)

3594. 1777 Warrant, to the constable of Audley, to apprehend George Booth, the younger, husbandman, of Audley, putative father of the illegitimate child of Anne Statham of Audley.

Whitmore (Staffs.)

3595. 1775 Warrant, to the constable of Whitmore, to apprehend Thomas Hall, hatter, of Newcastle-under-Lyme, putative father of the illegitimate child of Margaret Ancell of Whitmore.

Keadborough

Unidentified

3596. 1808 Receipt, for headborough silver, locality unspecified.

Overseers of the Poor

Keele (Staffs.)

3597. 1662 Bond, Richard Rowley, blacksmith, of Keele, John Vicars, collier, in the penal sum of £40, to the churchwardens and overseers of the poor of Keele, to indemnify the parish against the charges of the birth, maintenance and education of the child Margaret Rowley. (Bond not subscribed to by Rowley).

3598. 1757 Account, overseers of the poor.

3599. 1784 Bond, Thomas and Joseph Clarke, wheelwrights, of Chorlton, in Wybunbury (Chesh.), in the penal sum of £60, to the churchwardens and overseers of the poor of Keele, to indemnify the same parish against the charges of the birth, maintenance and education of the child Hannah Williams.

3600. 1786 Bond, William Statham, ground collier, of Scot Hay, John Statham, ground collier, of Burslem, in the penal sum of £50, to the churchwardens and overseers of the poor of Keele, to indemnify the same parish against the charges of the birth, maintenance and education of the child of Salome Pepper, single woman, of Keele.
Madeley (Staffs.)

3601. 1770 Removal order, to the churchwardens and overseers of the poor, to remove William Robinson, Mary his wife and Sarah their child, to the churchwardens and overseers of the poor of Woore, in Mucklestone.

Norbury (Staffs.)

3602. 1696 Bond, Roger Wayford, (? candlemaker, of Newport (Salop.), and Andrew Lowe, yeoman, of Norbury, in the penal sum of £40, to Robert Barnfield, yeoman, of Oulton, and John Bankcroft of 'Lynton' (Staffs.), to indemnify the parish of Norbury against the charges of the birth, maintenance and education of the child Jane (?) Cavensor.

Surveyors

Chatterley (Staffs.)

3603. [18th cent.] List of people who would not pay their 'Dewly money' in the liberty of Chatterley.

3604. 1802 Receipt, money paid for stone obtained in Tunstall.

Keele (Staffs.)

3605. 1770 Richard Silvester, surveyor, to [Thomas] Breck, surveyor at Keele, about the labour available at Keele.

Tunstall (Staffs.)—See under Chatterley (Staffs.)

'Whelborrowe', Collector of

Unidentified

3606. 1683/84 Receipt, by Thomas Dixie to 'ye Collector of Whelborrowe', £2. 9. 11. '...towards ye defraying of all ye charges whatsoever and ye payment of ye moneys taken away in a robbery late Committed in this hundred...'.

Private, Public Office—See also under Parish (ecclesiastical)

Commission of the Peace
3607. 1773 Commission, to three J.P.'s (named), to receive the oaths of Walter Sneyd on becoming a J.P. (Signed and sealed but never returned).

Private

Household Management

3608. [1803 or later] 'Rules and Regulations for the Housekeeper at St Leonards' (William, 3rd Earl Harcourt (1743-1830), purchased St Leonard's Hill from the Duke of Gloucester).

 (?) Private

Manorial

Rowley (near Oldbury, Staffs.)


With, annexed (i) writ of dower, unde nihil habet, 10 Oct. 1402.

(ii) letters of attorney, issued by John, Abbot of Halesowen, to Robert Russell his steward, to hold the court of Rowley, 28 Jan. 1403.

(iii) order, from Nicholas Leveson, bailiff of the Abbot of Halesowen, to his under-bailiff to produce the defendant in a suit on the issue of dower (see (i) above), date illegible. (MS. imperfect).

3610. 1401 - 1403 Court roll, views of frankpledge (13 Oct. 1401, 6 Apr. 1402, 12 Oct. 1402, 26 Apr. 1403) and courts (24 Nov. 1402, 23 Feb. 1402, 29 June 1402, 15 Mar. 1403; 5 Apr. 1403).

 (?) EXTRANEOUS

Business

3611. 1625/26 - 1629 Mercers' account book, George Taylor, Thomas and Elizabeth Milward.

MISCELLANEOUS
3612. [? late 17th or early 18th cent.] 
Label, 'Bemersley & Wedgwood'. Skin.

3613. [18th cent.] 
Wrapper, with date 'Nov. 1749'.

3614. [? late 18th cent.] 
Label, 'Six Deeds Temp. Hen. 4th'.

3615. 1808, undated 
Label, 'Deliv'd the Dr[af]t to Mr Adams TS', and note.

3616. 1816 
Free cover, signed by the Hon. Robert Curzon senior M.P. (1774–1863), addressed to Thomas Sparrow esq., of Newcastle-under-Lyme.

3617. [1827 or later] 
Label, and note relating to Drummond's, 'not necessary to incur any expense'.

3618. 1832 
Cover only, Richard Bagot, Bishop of Oxford, to the Hon. Mrs Sneyd.

3619. 1834 - 1839 
Covers (9), cut from letters sent free to Miss C. Sneyd and 'Miss Sneyd'.

3620. 1838 
Cover, addressed to Ralph Sneyd at Keale, with memorandum, in the hand of the latter, relating to a receipt for cases from Paris. (MS. imperfect).

3621. 1839 
Covers (3), cut from letters sent free to Miss Elizabeth Sneyd.

3622. (? 1840 
Envelope only, addressed to the Bishop of Oxford, at Cuddesdon.

3623. [1844] 
Envelope only, addressed: 'G. Tolet Esq. [,] Batley[,] Newcastle [,] Staffordshire'. Superscribed: 'For Mr. Sneyd'.

3624. [1st half of 19th cent.] 
Envelope, 'Dss. of Parma's Autograph'. Empty.

3625. [1st half of 19th cent.] 
Label, bundle No 18, deeds relating to a dwelling house and premises 'at the top of the Star Croft in Burals'.

3626. [1st half of 19th cent.] 
Envelope, addressed to the Viscountess Barrington, Beckett, Faringdon, Berks.

3627. [1852] 
Folder, abstract of title, the Misses Poola to R. Sneyd, Finney Green estate.

3628. [1893] 
Envelope, addressed to W.A. Benson Esq., Mining Engineer, Silverdale. (MS. imperfect).
3629. [19th cent.] Envelope, addressed to the Duchess of Hamilton and Brandon, Portman Square.

3630. [19th cent.] Envelope, addressed to the Viscountess Barrington, 21 Cavendish Square.

3631. [19th cent.] Cover, addressed for delivery by hand: 'Miss Sneyde, Eaton Square'.

3632. [early 20th cent.] Label, 'Portland Place (55)', 'No 1', 'Colonel R. Sneyd'.

3633. [20th cent.] Wrapper, 'Norton Bridge Estate Tithe, Chebsey & Eccleshall'.

NON-ARCHIVE

3634. 1590 Declaration Veritable de la Bataille Faite a Ivry La Chaussee... . Printed.

3635. [16th cent., mainly 18th or 19th cent., undated, modern] Memoranda (approx. 500 items), relating to the genealogy of the Sneyds, including transcriptions, MS. and printed pedigrees (many imperfect or incomplete), representations of armorial bearings (some coloured), copies of monumental inscriptions, some correspondence on the subject.

With, (i) further pedigrees (6 rolls).

(ii) further pedigrees (file, fragments).

(N.B. Strictly speaking, one or two of these items are archival, having been prepared for legal purposes, but they have been placed with the rest for convenience).

3636. 1601 Copia De' Capitoli Della Pace... . Printed.


3638. 1602 Descritione Della Giostra A Campo Aperto Fatta Alla Real Presenza Dei Serenissimi Di Toscana. Printed.

3639. 1648 Impropriations PURCHASED BY THE COMMISSIONERS SITTING AT Goldsmiths-Hall, FOR COMPOSITIONS WITH DELINQUENTS... .

3640. [? early 17th cent.] Coro sopra la Nave. Printed.

3641. [? early 17th cent.] Il Mantenitore Della La Giostra. Printed.

3642. [c. mid-17th cent.] 'A Table containing the substance of all statutes whereby one or more Justices are enabled & authorised to order matters out of the Sessions of ye Peace'. (MS. imperfect).
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3658. [late 18th or early 19th cent.] Comments, by Bishop Horsley (1733-1806), on belief.

3659. [late 18th or early 19th cent.] Classroom notebooks (8), including one used by Walter Sneyd (1809-1888) at Christ Church. Some insertions, some incomplete.

3660-3672. [late 18th and early 19th cent.] Notebooks (13), sermons, prayers, 'consolatory extracts' and philosophical meditations, with some verse including lines in memory of Georgiana Maria Sneyd (d.1816).

3673. [early 19th cent.] Set of playing cards, the backs used for significant dates in history.

3674. 1809 A Chronological Abridgement of the History of Spain. Printed on cards by E. Harding, Frogmore Lodge, Windsor.

3675. 1816 Bill, for inclosure, land in Newcastle-under-Lyme, Trentham, Wolstanton and Stoke-on-Trent. Printed.

3676. 1819 Lines Written at Amthill Park in the Autumn of 1818. John Murray.

3677. 1821 Journal, of Ralph Sneyd, to Salzburg. (MS. imperfect).

3678. 1822 Notebook, 'Natural Philosophy'.

3679. [1822 or later] Genealogy, house of Capet.

3680. [1823 or later] History notes (2 pages only, ? Ralph Sneyd's).

3681. 1825 'On the Death of Lord Byron'. Printed.


3683. [1826 or later] Extract, from Chetwynd's Survey of Purrehill, relating to Bradwell. (Printed, Collections, vol.XII, New Series, p.41 (1909)).

3684. 1827 Notice, by John Tomkinson, protesting against the method of assessing poor rates in Stoke-on-Trent. Printed.

3685. 1827-1872 Seven plays, by Francis Paget, Walter Sneyd, Charlotte Sneyd, Charles Bertie Percy and Reginald Heber.

3686. 1828 Journal, of Ralph Sneyd, France and Holland.

3687. 1828 'The Knave of Hearts' by Charlotte Augusta Sneyd.
3688. 1829  Note, on the death of Walter Sneyd (d.1829), by Ralph Sneyd.

3689. 1829  Portraits of the Spraggins Family, arranged by Richard Sucklathumkin Spraggins, Esq., by Walter Sneyd and Frances, Countess of Morley. (Walter Sneyd's copy).

3690. [1830 or later]  'The Eloquement' by Charlotte Augusta Sneyd.


3692. [1832 or later]  Translation, of a diary describing part of a voyage from the Mediterranean to England in 1562. (MS. imperfect).


3694. 1833  Dissertation on the Gowrie Conspiracy, 1600, delivered to the Royal Society of Literature by Lord Dover. Printed.

3695. [1833 or later]  'The Uniform of Field Marshal Lord Wellington' by Charlotte Augusta Sneyd.

3696. [undated, 1834 or later]  Translation, of a narration of the Austrian ambassador at the court of the Grand Prince of Muscovy, 1579.

3697. 1838  The Ceremonies to be observed at the Royal Coronation of Her Most Sacred Majesty Queen Victoria. Printed. Subscribed by Charlotte Augusta Sneyd that it was given to her by Princess Sophia.

3698. 1838  Military Memoirs of Four Brothers (Natives of Staffordshire),... by Capt. Thos. Fernyhough, supplementary chapter, Chapter XIII (Joseph Masters, Aldersgate Street). Unbound, in a packet addressed to Ralph Sneyd.

3699. 1838  King Lear. Retzsch's Outlines to Shakespeare.

3700. 1839  Journal, of Ralph Sneyd, Italy. (7 pp. only).

3701. 1840  Some Remarks upon the Church of Great Haseley, Oxfordshire. Unsigned paper read to The Oxford Society for Promoting the Study of Gothic Architecture. Printed.

3702. 1841  'A Christmas Pageant' by Walter Sneyd. Printed.

3704. [? 1843] Copies of three notes relating to the illness of Sir Charles Bagot.

3705. [1843 or later] Itinerary, Lake District, with recommended inns.

3706. [1844] Draft (?) review of Coningsby, in the hand of Ralph Sneyd.

3707. 1844 - 1845 Diary, of Ralph Sneyd.


3709. 1847 'The Falling Star or The Lamentable Adventure of the Princess Piccadilla-Stella...', by Charlotte Augusta Sneyd and Elizabeth Sneyd. Bound.


3711. 1849 Only, by the author of A Tran to Catch a Sunbeam, Old Joliffe, &c., published by W.N. Wright, London, paperback.

3712. [1st half of 19th cent.] Four anecdotes, in an envelope addressed to Miss C. Sneyd.

3713. [1st half of 19th cent.] Venice Preserved, by Thomas Otway, published by Oliver and Boyd, Edinburgh, paperback.


3717. [1st half of 19th cent.] Draft introduction to a comic history, in the hand of Ralph Sneyd.

3718. [1st half of 19th cent.] Lists (2) of pictures, in the hand of Ralph Sneyd.

3719. [1st half of 19th cent.] Notes on perspective drawing.
3720.  [1st half of 19th cent.]  Copy, of item published in The Weekly Journal or The British Gazetteer, 14 Feb. 1730, relating to an attempt to entice Ralph Sneyd of Keele to London, 'and to rob, if not to murder him (as is supposed) after the manner of the Boswell Court Adventures'.

3721.  [1st half of 19th cent.]  'Sketch of the House that Bob built', by Charlotte Augusta Sneyd.

3722.  [mid-19th cent.]  Writing paper (2 sheets), engraved letter-heads, 'All Saints, Hastings', 'Grand Parade, St Leonard's on the Sea'.

3723.  1850  The Transfiguration, sermon preached before the University of Oxford by William Thompson. Printed.

3724.  1852  Service and anthems to be used at the funeral of the Duke of Wellington.

With, (i) form of prayer and thanksgiving.
(ii) notice to persons going in the procession.
(iii) ticket of admission to St Paul's (blank, but embossed by the Earl Marshal's office).
(iv) leading articles on the death of the Duke, from The Times.

3725.  1853  The Adventures of Mr Verdant Green, an Oxford Freshman, by Cuthbert Bede, illustrated by the author. Published by Nathaniel Cooke, London, paperback.

3726.  1854  Offprint, 'Letter from Cardinal Bembo to Lorenzo Loredano, Doge of Venice', by the Rev. Walter Sneyd, the original MS. in the possession of the author, published by the Philobiblon Society, Miscellany I (1854).

3727.  1854  Offprint, 'Letter from Giacomo Soranzo, to his two sons', by 'G.S.', original MS. in the possession of the Rev. Walter Sneyd, published by the Philobiblon Society, Miscellany I (1854).

3728.  1855 - 1856  Offprint, 'Some Account of a Rare Greek MS.', by the Rev. Walter Sneyd, the original MS. in the possession of the author, published by the Philobiblon Society, Miscellany II (1855-56).

3729.  1857  Obituary notice, Francis, 1st Earl of Ellesmere. Printed.


3731.  1859  Morale Proverbes, composed in French by Cristyene De Pisan, translated by the Earl Rivers.... Printed.

3732.  1860  Illuminated address, presented with a salver and ewer to Ralph Sneyd by the tenants of the Keele estate, offering congratulations on the completion of the house and apprec...
iation of him as a landlord.

3733. 1862 - 1863

Offprint, 'Relazione Della Regina Di Suetia', by the Rev. Walter Sneyd, the original MS. in the possession of the author, published by the Philobiblon Society, Miscellanies VII (1862-63).

3734. 1862 - 1863

Offprint, 'Letter from Marie Antoinette to the Princesse de Lamballe', by the Rev. Walter Sneyd, the original MS. in the possession of the author, published by the Philobiblon Society, Miscellanies VII (1862-63).

3735. 1863

'Fellowship in Joy and Sorrow', sermon preached by the Bishop of Oxford at Windsor on the Sunday before the marriage of the Prince of Wales. Printed.

3736. 1864


3737. 1864


3738. [1865]

Draft obituary notices on Cardinal Wiseman and the Duke of Northumberland, in the hand of Ralph Sneyd.

3739. [1867 or later]

List, 'Candidates' (37), proposers and seconders. Printed.

3740. 1868


3741. 1868

Obituary notice, Harriet Elizabeth Georgiana, Dowager Duchess of Sutherland. Printed.

3742. [1870]

Draft obituary notice of Ralph Sneyd, in the hand of the Rev. Walter Sneyd.

3743. [1870 and later]

Draws (4), speeches by the Rev. Walter Sneyd.

3744. 1871

Address, E.W. Harcourt, of Nuneham Park, Oxfordshire, 'To those amongst whom I hope to live as a friend, a landlord, and employer'. Printed.

3745. 1871

Sample of material, identified by the Rev. Walter Sneyd as that used for one of Lady Frances Chester's gowns, 'found amongst her old letters'.

3746. 1872

Shares (40), issued by the Artisans', Labourers', & General Dwellings Co. Ltd., to the Rev. Walter Sneyd.

3747. [? 1872]

'Trentham Park', verses sent to the Rev. Walter Sneyd. Printed.

With, (i) covering note, 1872.
3748. 1873

The Last Words of the Hon. and Rev. Henry P. Bagot to his Parishioners. Printed.

3749. 1876

The Will, Inventories and Funeral Expenses of James Montagu, Bishop of Winchester, 1618, by Evelyn Philip Shirley. Printed.

3750. [1876 or later]

Offprint, obituary notice on the 14th Baron Zouche, published by the Philobiblon Society, Miscellanies XIV, 1872-76. (A pencilled addition beneath the title 'Notice of Lord Zouche' reads 'By [initial illegible but almost certainly W.] Sneyd').

3751. 1877

Address Delivered in Elford Church during the Burial of the Hon. Mary Howard, at Ashstead. Printed.

3752. 1884

Illuminated and bound address, presented to Ralph Sneyd by the inhabitants of Newcastle-under-Lyme and district, on the occasion of his twenty-first birthday.

3753. 1884

Illuminated address, presented with a sword to Lt. Ralph Sneyd by the Newcastle Squadron, Queen's Own Royal Staffordshire Yeomanry, on the occasion of his twenty-first birthday. (Imperfect).

3754. 1884

Illuminated and bound address, presented to the Rev. Walter and Mrs Sneyd by tenants of the estate, on the occasion of their son's twenty-first birthday, with a portrait of the Rev. Walter Sneyd presented to his son.

3755. 1886

Illuminated address, from the mayor, aldermen and town councillors of Walsall to the Rev. Walter Sneyd, expressing gratitude to the latter for the return of a roll of burgesses. (Seal removed).

3756. 1887

Programme, jubilee celebrations, Keele. Cyclostyled.

3757. 1888


3758. 1894

Rough programme, artists, acts and costs, supplied by W. & J. Wilder of Birmingham to Mr Benson of Silverdale.

3759. 1895

Article, on Chesterton, by Thomas W. Daltry. Printed. With, (i) plan.

3760. [2nd half of 19th cent.]

Translation of Magna Carta. Printed.

3761. [2nd half of 19th cent.]

Dimensions of 'Two largest Oaks and two largest Sycamores'.
3762. [2nd half of 19th cent.] 'Going to Church' and 'Going to "the dogs"', drawings. Printed. Subscribed 'Scene: Wolstanton Parish. 10.57. a.m. Sunday.'

3763. [2nd half of 19th cent.] Menu, endorsed 'Charlotte Sneyd's dinner'.

3764. [2nd half of 19th cent.] Sketch in ink, interlocked initials 'RS', two designs.

3765. [19th cent.] Song, 'The Holly', 'Respectfully dedicated to all Jolly Potters, who love their wives, their Children, and their Country.' Printed.

3766. [19th cent.] Book-plates, 'Curzon, Baron Penn, Hagley Farm' (7); Lord Craven (coloured, 1). Printed.

3767. [19th cent.] Visiting card, Mr John Holmes. Printed.

3768. [19th cent.] 'Catalogue of Musical Compositions of C.A. Sneyd'.

3769. [19th cent.] Draft letters (2), in the hand of Ralph Sneyd (d.1870), one of a reply by a minister of state: '...I have it in Command from H. My[.].'.

3770. [19th cent.] Mrs Mary Carter's Letters, preceded by a genealogical note by 'C.H.J.A.'.

3771. [19th cent.] Lines respectfully addressed to His Majesty King Louis-Philippe on his recent escape at Fontainebleau. Printed.

3772. [19th cent.] Reproduction, of a portrait of Carlo Dudley (1614-86), "Duke of Northumberland and Earl of Warwick"; enclosing, facsimile (record type) of a public instrument executed on behalf of Sir John Hawkwood.

3773. [19th cent.] Trade card, Robinson, coach maker. Etched.

3774. [late 19th cent.] Lines on Yorkshire by the Late Earl of Carlisle, written in 1822. Printed.

3775. [? 19th cent.] Attempt to reproduce a medieval hand. Skin.

3776. [late 19th or early 20th cent.] Cost sheet for a colliery, blank. Printed.

3777. [late 19th or early 20th cent.] Ticket of admission to the Royal School for Daughters of Officers of the Army, Lansdown, Bath. Printed. (Imperfect).

3778. 1913 Order of service, funeral of Mrs Walter Sneyd, Kesle church.
Table of game slaughtered by the Marquess of Ripon 1867-1913. Printed. Signed and dated '1922'.