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MRB.1 - 3

Pliny, the Elder.

*C. Plinii Secundi Historiae naturalis libri xxxvii.*

Lugduni Batavorum, ex Officina elzeviriana, 1635.

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MRB.4

Virgil.

*The works of Virgil /* by John Dryden ; with Walsh's life of the author.

London : Printed for J.F. Dove, Piccadilly, [18--?]

(12°)

MRB.5

Virgil.

*P. Virgilii Maronis Opera : nunc emendatiora.*

Lugd. Batavor : Ex officina Elzeviriana, 1636.

(12°)

MRB.6

[Lagrenée, C. L. ?]

*L'Art de gouverner les abeilles, et de fabriquer le miel et la cire; ouvrage contenant des instructions propres principalement aux gens de la campagne pour tirer des abeilles tout le profit possible ...*

Seconde edition

Paris : Chez serviere, libraire, 1784.

(12°)

MRB.7

Pingeron, Jean Claude, 1730-1795.

*Les abeilles, poeme /* traduit de l'Italien de Jean Rucellaï, enrichi de notes historiques et critiques: et suivi d'un traite de l'education de ces insectes par M. Pingeron ....

Amsterdam, Paris : chez Gogué ... Delalain ... , 1770.

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MRB.8

J. S.

*The shepherd's kalender: or, the citizen's and country man's daily companion: treating of many things that are useful and profitable to man-kind ... To which is added, the country man's almanack ....*

The third edition, with additions.

London : Printed by and for Tho. Norris: and sold by Edw. Midwinter, at the Looking-Glass on London-Bridge, [1725?]

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MRB.9

Butler, Charles, d. 1647.

*Monarchia fœminina, sive, Apum historia, : enarrans naturam ipsarum mirabilem & proprietates; generationem & colonias, politiam, fidem, artem, industriam, hostes, bella, magnanimitatem, &c. unâ cum legitimo earum cultu fructuque dulcissimo. / Usu tractandoque explorata atq[ue] Anglicè conscripta a Carolo Butlero ... . ; Nunc primùm interprete R. Ricardi ... Latinitate donata, ....*

Londini : Typis A. C. Impensis authoris., 1673.

(8°)

MRB.10

Lambert, James.

*The country-man's treasure: shewing the nature, causes, and cure of all diseases incident to cattle ... With proper means to prevent their common diseases and distempers ... Together with plain rules and methods for improving arable and pasture-lands: the management, improvement, and preservation of fruit-trees, plants and flowers ... with directions for encreasing and preserving of bees. To which is added, the art of hawking, hunting, angling, and the noble recreation of ringing. / By J. Lambert*

London : Printed for T. Norris ....c [1705?]

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MRB.11

Lambert, James.

*The country-man's treasure shewing the nature, causes, and cure of all diseases incident to cattle, ... To which is added, the art of hawking, ... By J. Lambart, ...*

London : Printed for T. Norris, 1712.

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MRB.12

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MRB.13

Butler, Charles, d. 1647.

*The feminine monarchie or a treatise concerning bees, and the due ordering of them: wherein the truth, found out by experience and diligent observation, discovereth the idle and fond conceits, which many haue written anent this subiect.* / By Char: Butler Magd..  
Oxford : Printed by Ioseph Barnes, 1609.

(8°)

MRB.14

*A sure way to order bees and and fruit-trees, or, a compleat bee-master. Shewing, I. The way to manage and encreas them. ... IV. Directions for managing fruit-tree, &c. ...*

London : printed for G. Conyers, [1715?]

(12°)

MRB.15

Western Apiarian Society.

*Rules of the Western Apiarian Society, instituted for promoting the knowledge of the best method of managing bees.*

Exeter : Printed by R. Trewman and Son, [1799]

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MRB.16

Western Apiarian Society.

*Transactions of the Western Apiarian Society, 1800.*

Exeter : Printed and sold by Messrs. Trewman and Som; sold also by Johnson, London; Crutwell, Bath; and Brown, Bristol, [1800?]

(12°)

MRB.17

*A compleat guide to gentlemen and farmers containing, I. Of horses in general. II. Of breeding, ordering, or dieting all sorts of horses. III. The most approved methods of cure for all diseases in horses. IV. Of the bull, ox, cow, and calf. V. The best methods of curing their diseases. VI. Of sheep and lambs. VII. Their diseases, and how to cure them. VIII. Of swine. IX. Their diseases, and the best methods of curing them. X. Of the nature, ordering and preservation of bees.*

London : Printed for S. Ford, in Holborn ..., [1799?]

(12°)

MRB.18

Martin, A.

*Nouveau manuel complet du propriétaire d'abeilles, ou Traité théorique et pratique de la culture de ces insectes ... / Par A. Martin ....*

Paris : Compère Jeune, Libraire ..., 1828.

(12°)

MRB.19

*Les Plaisirs innocens et amoureux de la campagne, contenant le traité des mouches à miel, ou les Regles pour les bien gouverner ...*

Sur l'imprimé à Amsterdam. -- A Grenoble : Chez Alexandre Giroud ..., 1692.

(12°)

MRB.20(1)

*The husbandman's jewel, directing how to improve land from 10l. per annum, to 50l To brew ale and beer, ... to order bees and silkworms; To which are added, the arts of angling, hawking, fowling, ringing, ...*

London : Printed for G. Conyers, at the Ring in Little Britain, [1720?]

(12°)

MRB.20(2)

[Markham, Gervase, 1568?-1637.]

*The compleat husbandman and the gentleman's recreation, [or, the whole art of husbandry; ...]*

[London : printed for G. Conyers, 1707.]

(12°)

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MRB.21

Clutius, Theodorus, 1546-1598.

*Van de bien; haeren wonderlyken oorspronk natuer, eygenschap, krachtige ongehoorde ende zelzaeme werken; waer in bemerkt worden haere wonderlyke politien ende eerlyke regeeringen, die sy met haeren koning, ende onder malkanderen onderhouden. Zeer genuchelèyk en plaisant om lesen. Gesteld in forme van eene saemenspraeke door Theodorum Clutium.*

Antwerp, Petrus Josephus Rymers [1618?]

3 v. in 1. (Paged continuously)

(8°)

MRB.22

Clutius, Theodorus, 1546-1598.

*Van de byen, haer wonderlyke oorspronk, natuer, eygenschap, krachtighe, ongehoorde en seltsame werken ... / ... door Theodorum Clutium.*

[Amsterdam?] : Gysbert de Groot, 1627.

(8°)

MRB.23

Massac, Pierre Louis de, 1728-1780.

*Mémoire sur la manière de gouverner les abeilles dans les nouvelles ruches de bois.* Par M. de Massac.

Paris, Ganeau, 1766.

(12°)

MRB.24(1)

Gedde, John.

*A new discovery of an excellent method of bee houses & colonies, to free the owners from the great charge and trouble that attends the swarming of bees, and delivers the bees from the evil reward of ruine for the benefit they brought their masters; advantaging their owners many-fold above what-ever any method heretofore practic'd doth.* Experienced seven years by John Gedde, Gent. inventor; and approved by the Royal Society at Gresham-Colledge.

London : Printed for the author, and sold by D. Newman at the Kings Armes in the Poultry; and Ship and Anchor at the Bridg-foot on Southwark-side, 1675.

(8°)

MRB.24(2)

Slare, Frederick, 1646 or 7-1727.

*An account of the nature and excellent properties and vertues of the Pymont waters; dedicated to the Royal Society, ....*

London : Printed by J. Downing; and sold by Tim. Goodwin, 1717.

(12mo)

MRB.24(3)

Maynwaringe, Everard, 1628-1699?

*Vita sana & longa. The preservation of health, and prolongation of life. Proposed and proved. In the due observance of remarkable precautions. And daily practicable rules, relating to body and mind, compendiously abstracted from the institutions and law of nature.* By E. Maynwaringe, Dr. in physick.

London : Printed by J[ohn]. D[arby]. sold by the booksellers, 1670.

(8vo)

MRB.25(1)

Maxwell, Robert, 1695-1765.

*The practical bee-master: or, a treatise, wherein the management of bees, both in common hives, and in the colony way, without killing them for their honey, is, step by step and on all probable occurrences, better and more particularly directed, than in any book hitherto published.* By Robert Maxwell of Arkland,

Edinburgh : Printed by Robert Drummond, and sold by the booksellers in Edinburgh; and at Mrs. Maxwell's, 1747.

(8°)

MRB.25(2)

Swift, Jonathan, 1667-1745.

*A treatise on polite conversation.*

Added t.-p.: *Compleat collection of genteel and ingenious conversation ... in several dialogues*

Dublin, printed: and Belfast, re-printed, by and for S. Wilson and J. Magee, 1738.

(12°)

MRB.26

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MRB.27

Maxwell, Robert, 1695-1765.

*The practical bee-master: or, a treatise, wherein the management of bees, both in common hives, and in the colony way, without killing them for their honey, is, step by step and on all probable occurrences, better and more particularly directed, than in any book hitherto published.* By Robert Maxwell, gent.

The second edition

Printed for James Reid, Leith, 1750.

(8°)

MRB.28

Cooke, Samuel.

*The complete English gardener: or, gardening made perfectly easy: containing full and plain directions for the proper management of the flower, fruit, and kitchen gardens, for every month in the year. ... To which is added, the complete bee-master; ... Likewise plain instructions for destroying vermin, ...* By Samuel Cooke, ...

London : Printed for J. Cooke, [1770?]

(12°)

MRB.29

Cooke, Samuel.

*The compleat English gardener: or, gardening made perfectly easy: containing, full and plain directions for the proper management of the flower, fruit, and kitchen gardens, ... To which is added, the compleat bee-master ; ... Likewise plain instructions for destroying vermin, ...* By Samuel Cooke, ...

The second edition.

London : printed for John Cooke, [1780?]

(12°)

MRB.30

Rusden, Moses.

*A further discovery of bees Treating of the nature, government, generation & preservation of the bee. With the experiments and improvements arising from the keeping them in transparent boxes, instead of straw-hives. Also proper directions (to all such as keep bees) as well to prevent their robbing in straw-hives, as their killing in the colonies.*

By Moses Rusden ....

Published by His Majesties especial command, and approved by the Royal Society at Gresham Coll.

London : Printed for the author, and are to be sold at his house next the sign of the King's Arms in the Bowling-Alley, near the Abby in Westminster: and by Henry Million, bookseller, at the Bible in the Old-Bayley, 1679.

(8°)

MRB.31

Vanière, J. (Jacques), 1664-1739.

[Praedium rusticum]

*Jacobi Vanierii e Societate Jesu Praedium rusticum.*

Tolosae : Apud Petrum Robert ..., 1730.

(12°)

MRB.32(1)

Sydserrff, Robert.

*Sydserrff's treatise on bees; being the result of upwards of thirty years experience. ...* By

R. Sydserrff, ...

Salisbury : Printed by B.C. Collins, 1792.

(8°)

MRB.32(2)

Goettling, Johann Friedrich August, 1753-1809.

[Vollständiges chemisches Probir-cabinet. English]

*Description of a portable chest of chemistry; or complete collection of chemical tests, ...*

Invented by J. F. A. Gottling, ... Translated from the original German.

London : printed for C. and G. Kearsley, 1791.

(8vo)

MRB.33

Formanoir de Palteau, M. (Guillaume Louis), b. 1712.

*Nouvelle construction de ruches de bois, avec la façon d'y gouverner les abeilles,*  
inventé par M. Palteau ...; et l'histoire naturelle de ces insectes. Le tout arrangé & mis en  
ordre par M. \*\*\* Avec des figures en taille-douce.

Metz : Chez J. Collignon, 1756.

(8°)

MRB.34

Gedde, John

*The English apiary; or, the compleat bee-master. Unfolding the whole art and mystery of  
the management of bees being a collection and improvement of what has been written by  
all authors, relating to this subject, as well antient as modern. With a new discovery of an  
excellent method for making bee-houses and colonies, to free the owners from the great  
charge and trouble that attends the swarming of bees, and is much more advantageous  
than any method hitherto practised.* By John Gedde, Esq.

London : Printed for E. Curll, W. Mears, and T. Corbet, in the Strand, 1721.

(12°)

MRB.35

Reid, John, Gardener.

[The Scots gard'ner.]

*The Scots gardiner for the climate of Scotland, ... Together with The gardiner's kalendar, The florist's vade-mecum, The practical, bee-master, Observations on the weather, and the Earl of Haddington's Treatise on forest-trees.* Written originally by John Reid, ... and now carefully corrected, with alterations and additions, by an Eminent Hand.

Edinburgh : Printed for James Reid, Leith, 1756.

(12°)

MRB.36-38

Virgil.

*The works of Virgil: : containing his Pastorals, Georgics, and Aeneis. /* Translated into English verse; by Mr. Dryden. In three volumes.

London : Printed for Jacob Tonson in the Strand, 1730.

(12°)

MRB.39

Brookes, R. (Richard), fl. 1721-1763.

*A new and accurate system of natural history; containing I. The history of quadrupedes, ... II. The history of birds; ... III. The history of fishes and serpents, ... IV. The history of insects, ... V. The history of waters, earths, stones, fossils, and minerals; ... VI. The history of vegetables, ... By R. Brookes, ... in six volumes.*

London : Printed for J. Newbery, 1766.

(12°)

Vol. IV only

MRB.40

Combles, de, d. 1770?.

*A treatise on the culture of peach trees. To which is added, a treatise on the management of bees; and the improved treatment of them.* By Thomas Wildman.

London : printed for the author. And, Dublin re-printed by John Exshaw, 1768.

(12°)

MRB.41

Pluche, Noel Antoine, 1688-1761

*Spectacle de la nature: or, nature display'd. Being discourses on such particulars of natural history as were thought most proper to excite the curiosity, and form the minds of youth.* Illustrated with copper plates. Translated from the original French, by Mr Humphreys.

The fifth edition, corrected.

London : Printed for R. Francklin; C. Davis; and J. Pemberton, 1740.

3 v.

(12°)

Vol. 1 only

MRB.42

*Der vollkommene Bienenmeister; oder practische unweisung zur wartung der Bienen, um von denselben den möglichsten Ruzen zu ziehen.* Aus eignen Erfahrungen gesammelt von J. E.

Gratz : Im verlag bei Johann Andreas Rienreich, 1792.

(8°)

MRB.43

Simon, Jean Baptiste.

*Le gouvernement admirable, ou, La république des abeilles, et les moyens d'en tirer une grande utilité*

Troisieme édition, revue, corrigée, & considérablement Augmentée.

Paris : Nyon, 1758.

(4°)

MRB.44

Vanière, J. (Jacques), 1664-1739.

*Praedium rusticum*, nova editio.

Parisiis, typ. Jos. Barbou, 1774.

(8°)

MRB.45

Schirach, Adam Gottlob, d. 1773.

*Sächsischer bienenvater, oder des herrn Palteau von Metz neue bauart hölzerner bienenstöcke, nebst der kunst, die bienen zu warten, und einer naturgeschichte dieser insekten : aus dem französischen übersetzt : und als ein praktisches bienen-buch, für bienenfruede und hausväter hiesiger lande, mit nützlichen enmerkungen und vieljährigen neuen erfahrungen vermehret / herausgegeben von Adam Gottlob Schirach ; mit einer vorrede herrn D. und prof. Schrebers.*

Leipzig : A. J. Spiekermann, 1766.

(8°)

MRB.46

Simon, Jean Baptiste

*Le gouvernement admirable, ou, La republicque des abeilles : avec les moyens d'en tirer une grande utilite.*

A la Haye : Chez Pierre de Hondt, 1740

(12°)

MRB.47

Pluche, Noël Antoine, 1688-1761.

[Spectacle de la nature. English.]

*Spectacle de la nature: or, nature delineated; being philosophical conversations. Wherein the wonderful works of providence, in the animal, vegetable and mineral creation are laid open; ...* Translated from the original French, by John Kelly, ... D. Bellamy, ... and J. Sparrow, ... The whole embellish'd with a great variety of copper-plates, ... The third edition, with large additions, carefully revised and corrected: ... London : printed for James Hodges, 1744.

(12°)

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Pluche, Noël Antoine, 1688-1761.

[Spectacle de la nature. English.]

*Nature delineated: being, a new translation of those universally admir'd philosophical conversations, entitled, Spectacle de la nature: compiled originally for the rational amusement of young noblemen.* By D. Bellamy, gent. The whole embellish'd with a large variety of curious copper plates, ...

London: printed for, and sold by J. Hodges, 1739.

4 v.

(12°)

Vols. 1 and 2 only

MRB.50

Stevenson, Henry.

[The young gard'ner's director.]

*The gentleman gardener instructed in sowing, planting, pruning, and grafting seeds, plants, flowers, and trees; also in the management of bees. To which is added The gard'ner's kalendar, ...* By the Reverend Mr. Stevenson, ...

The fifth edition, with many new additions and improvements.

London : printed for J. Hinton, 1764.

(12°)

MRB.51-52

*De re rustica M. Catonis lib. I. M. Terentii Varronis lib. III. Palladii lib. XIII.*

Lugduni : Apud S. Gryphium, 1537.

2 v.

(8°)

MRB.53

Blagrave, Joseph, 1610-1682.

*The epitome of the art of husbandry. Comprizing all necessary directions for the improvement of it, viz. plowing, sowing, grafting, gardening, ordering of flowers, herbs; directions for the use of the angle; ordering of bees: togetherwith the gentlemans heroick exercise; discoursing of horses, their nature, and use, with their diseases and remedies: of oxen, cows, calves, sheep, hogs, with the manner of ordering them, their diseases and remedies. Of the nature of marle, the best way of planting clover-grass, hops, saffron, liquorice, hemp, &c. To which is annexed by way of appendix, a new method of planting fruit-trees, and improving of an orchard: with directions for taking, ordering, teaching, and curing of singing birds, and other useful additions.* By J.B. Gent.

London : printed for Benjamin Billingsley ..., 1675..

(8°)

MRB.54-56

Pluche, Noel Antoine, 1688-1761

*Spectacle de la nature: or, nature display'd. Being discourses on such particulars of natural history as were thought most proper to excite the curiosity, and form the minds of youth.* Illustrated with copper plates. Translated from the original French, by Mr Humphreys.

The fifth edition, corrected.

London : Printed for R. Francklin; C. Davis; and J. Pemberton, 1740.

3 v.

(12°)

MRB.57

Mandeville, Bernard, 1670-1733.

*The fable of the bees: or, private vices, public benefits. With, An essay on charity and charity-schools; and, A search into the nature of society.*

The ninth edition: to which is added, A vindication of the book ...

Edinburgh : printed for W. Gray and W. Peter, 1755.

(12°)

MRB.58

Mandeville, Bernard, 1670-1733.

*The fable of the bees. Part II.* By the author of the first.

Edinburgh : printed for W. Gray and W. Peter, 1755.

(12°)

MRB.59

Culpeper, Nicholas, 1616-1654.

*The English physician enlarged, with three hundred and sixty-nine medicines, made of English herbs, that were not in any impression until this. ...* By Nich. Culpepper, ...  
London : printed for P. M'Queen, J. Laikington [sic], J. Mathews; Wilson and Spence, York; J. Binns, Leeds; Jo. Clarke and Co. Manchester [and 1 in Gainsborough, 1 in Leith], 1788.

(12°)

MRB.60-61

Bazin, Gilles Augustin, d. 1754.

*Histoire naturelle des abeilles.*

Seconde edition

Paris : Freres Guerin, 1747.

2 v.

(12°)

MRB.62

Warder, Joseph, fl. 1688-1718.

*The true amazons: or, the monarchy of bees. Being a new discovery and improvement of those wonderful creatures. ... Also how to make the English wine or mead, ...* By Joseph Warder ...

The fourth edition corrected.

London : printed for John Pemberton, and William Taylor, 1720.

(8°)

MRB.63

Stevenson, Henry.

*The gentleman gardener instructed in sowing, planting, pruning, and grafting seeds, plants, flowers, and trees; also in the manner of making wines from the fruits of the garden; and in the management of bees. To which is added the gardener's kalendar, ...*

By the Reverend Mr. Stevenson, ...

The seventh edition, carefully revised and corrected, with many new additions and improvements.

London : printed for J. Hinton, 1766.

(12°)

MRB.64

*Rei rusticae auctores Latini veteres, M. Cato, M. Varro, L. Columella, Palladius : Priores tres, e vetustiss. editionibus; quartus, e veteribus membranis aliquammultis in locis emendatiores: Cum tribus indicibus, capitum, auctorum, & rerum ac verborum memorabilium ; Criticorum & expositorum in eosdem atque Geoponices Graecos notationes seorsum dabuntur.*

[Heidelbergae] : Ex Hier. Commelini typographio, 1595.

(8°)

MRB.65

*The complete family-piece: and, country gentleman, and farmer's best guide. In three parts. ... With a complete alphabetical index to each part.*

The third edition improved.

London : printed for C. Rivington; S. Birt; T. Longman; C. Hitch; and J. Clarke, 1741.  
(12°)

MRB.66

Boreman, Thomas, fl. 1730-1743.

*A description of above three hundred animals, viz. Beasts, birds, ... and insects. With a particular account of the manner of catching whales in Greenland. ... Illustrated with copper-plates, ...*

Glasgow : printed for James Lumsden, engravers, 1794.  
(12°)

MRB.67

Boreman, Thomas, fl. 1730-1743.

*A description of above three hundred animals : viz. beasts, birds, fishes, serpents, and insects. With an introductory essay on other objects of nature extracted from the best authors, and adapted to the use of all capacities, illustrated with 100 elegant copper plates.*

Perth : Printed for James Morison, 1807.

MRB.68

Warder, Joseph, fl. 1688-1718.

*The true amazons: or, the monarchy of bees: being a new discovery and improvement of those wonderful creatures. ... Also how to make the English wine or mead, ... By Joseph Warder ...*

London : printed by I. Dawks, for, and sold by John Pemberton, 1712.  
(8°)

MRB.69

Duchet, François Xavier.

*Culture des abeilles, ou, Méthode expérimentale et raisonnée sur les moyens de tirer meilleur parti des abeilles, par une construction de ruches mieux assorties à leur instinct : avec une dissertation nouvelle sur l'origine de lacire / par Mr. Duchet.*

A Fribourg : Chez Me. Eggendorffer, libraire, 1771.  
(8°)

MRB.70

Blagrave, Joseph, 1610-1682.

*The epitomie of the art of husbandry. Comprizing all necessary directions for the improvement of it, viz. plowing, sowing, grafting, gardening, ordering of flowers, herbs; directions for the use of the angle; ordering of bees: togetherwith the gentlemans heroick exercise; discoursing of horses, their nature, and use, with their diseases and remedies: of oxen, cows, calves, sheep, hogs, with the manner of ordering them, their diseases and remedies. Of the nature of marle, the best way of planting clover-grass, hops, saffron, liquorice, hemp, &c. To which is annexed by way of appendix, a new method of planting fruit-trees, and improving of an orchard: with directions for taking, ordering, teaching, and curing of singing birds, and other useful additions.* By J.B.Gent.

London : printed for Benjamin Billingsley, at the sign of the Printing Press, in the piazza of the Royal Exchange, over against Popes-Head-Alley, in Cornhill, 1685.

(8°)

MRB.71

Bonner, James, writer on bee-keeping.

*The bee-master's companion, and assistant. Wherein is set forth the properest methods of managing those insects, so as they may turn out to the best advantage. ...* By James Bonner, ...

Berwick : printed by J. Taylor, for the author; and sold by him, and Mr. Nesbitt; and Mr. Nealson, Haddington, 1789.

(12°)

MRB.72

Wurster, S. F.

*Vollständige unleitung zu einer nützlichen dauerhaften Magazin- Bienenzucht* von M. S. F. Wurster.

Tübingen : bei Jacob Friederich Heerbrandt, 1790.

(8°)

MRB.73

White, Stephen, b. 1696 or 7.

*Collateral bee-boxes: or, a new, easy, and advantageous method of managing bees. In which part of the honey is taken away, in an easy and pleasant manner,...* By Stephen White, ...

The third edition, improved.

London : printed for L. Davis and C. Reymers, 1764.

(8°)

MRB.74

Remnant, Richard.

*A discourse or historie of bees. Shewing their nature and usage, and the great profit of them. VVhereunto is added the causes, and cure of blasted wheat. And some remedies for blasted hops, and rie, and fruit. Together with the causes of smutty wheat: all which are very usefull for this later age.* Written by Richard Remnant.

London : Printed by Robert Young for Thomas Slater, dwelling in duck lane at the white Swan, 1637.

(4°)

MRB.75

Levett, John.

*The ordering of bees: or, The true history of managing them from time to time, with their hony and waxe, shewing their nature and breed. As also what trees, plants, and hearbs are good for them, and namely what are hurtfull: together with the extraordinary profit arising from them. Set forth in a dialogue, resolving all doubts whatsoever.* By the late unparalell'd experience of Iohn Levett, Gent.

London : printed by Thomas Harper, for Iohn Harison, 1634.

(4°)

MRB.76

Lawson, William, fl. 1618.

*A new orchard, and garden: or, The best way for planting, grafting, and to make any ground good, for a rich orchard: particularly in the north, and generally for the Whole common-wealth, as in nature, reason, situation, and allprobability, may and doth appeare. With the country-housewives garden for herbof common use: their virtues, seasons, profits, ornaments, variety of knots, models for trees, and plots for the best ordering of grounds and walkes. As also, the husbandry of bees, with their severall uses and annoyances. All beingthe experience of forty and eight yeares labour, and now the second time corrected and much enlarged, by William Lawson. Whereunto is newly added the art of propagating plants; with the true ordering of all manner of fruits, in their gathering, carrying home, and preservation.*

London : printed by W. Wilson, for E. Brewster, and George Sawbridge, at the Bible on Ludgate-Hill, neere Fleet-bridge, 1653.

(4°)

MRB.77

Markham, Gervase, 1568?-1637.

*Country contentments, or, The husbandmans recreations contayning the wholesome experiences in which any man ought to recreate himself after the toyle of more serious business : as namely hunting, hawking, coursing with greyhounds, and the lawes of the lease, shooting in longbow or crossbow, bowling, tennis, baloone : the whole art of angling and the use of the fighting cock / by G.M.*

The seventh edition newly corrected, enlarged, and adorned with many excellent additions .

London : Printed by W. Wilson for E. Brewster and George Sawbridge., 1654.

(4°)

MRB.78

Isaac, Jacob.

*The general apiarian, wherein a simple, humane, and advantageous method of obtaining the produce of bees, without destroying them, is pointed out in a series of letters to a friend.* By J. Isaac, ...

Exeter : printed and sold by Messrs. Trewman and Son; sold also by Johnson, London; and Brown, Bristol, 1799.

(12°)

MRB.79

Warder, Joseph, fl. 1688-1718.

*The true amazons: or, the monarchy of bees. Being a new discovery and improvement of those wonderful creatures. ... Also how to make the English wine or mead, ...* By Joseph Warder, ...

The eighth edition.

London : printed for T. Longman, and T. Astley; and sold by R. Baldwin, jun., 1749.

(12°)

MRB.80

Warder, Joseph, fl. 1688-1718.

*The true amazons: or, the monarchy of bees: being a new discovery and improvement of those wonderful creatures. ... Also how to make the English wine or mead, ...* By Joseph Warder ...

The second edition with additions.

London : printed for John Pemberton, and William Taylor, 1713.

(8°)

MRB.81

Warder, Joseph, fl. 1688-1718.

*The true amazons: or, the monarchy of bees. Being a new discovery and improvement of those wonderful creatures. ... Also how to make the English wine or mead, ...* By Joseph Warder ...

The fifth edition. To which is added, a letter from the author,  
London : printed for John Pemberton; and William Taylor, 1722.

(8°)

MRB.82

Warder, Joseph, fl. 1688-1718.

*The true amazons: or, the monarchy of bees. Being a new discovery and improvement of those wonderful creatures. ... Also, how to make the English wine or mead, ...* By Joseph Warder, ...

The ninth edition. London : printed for R. Baldwin and T. Longman, 1765.

(8°)

MRB.83

Worlidge, John, fl. 1660-1698.

*Vinetum Britannicum: or A treatise of cider, and other wines and drinks extracted from fruits growing in this kingdom. With the method of propagating all sorts of vinous fruit-trees. And a description of the new-invented ingenio or mill, for the more expeditious making of cider. And also the right way of making metheglin and birch-wine. The second impression, much enlarged. To which is added, a discourse teaching the best way of improving bees.* With copper plates. By J. Worlidge. Gent.

London : printed for Thomas Dring, over against the Inner-Temple-gate; and Thomas Burrell, at the Golden-ball under St. Dunstan's Church in Fleet-street, 1678.

(8°)

MRB.84

Newton, James, 1670?-1750.

*A compleat herbal of the late James Newton, M.D. containing the prints and the English names of several thousand trees, plants, shrubs, ...*

London : printed by E. Cave; and sold by Mr Watson; Mr Parker, at Oxford; Mr Sandby, in Fleet-street, 1752.

(8°)

MRB.85(1)

Rousseau, Jean-Jacques, 1712-1778.

*An expostulatory letter from J. J. Rousseau, citizen of Geneva, to Christopher de Beaumont, ... To which is prefixed, the mandate of the said prelate, and also the proceedings of the Parliament of Paris, relative to the new treatise on education, intituled Emilius.*

London : printed for T. Becket and P. A. de Hondt, 1763.

(12°)

MRB.85(2)

Mengs, Anton Raphael, 1728-1779.

*Sketches on the art of painting; with a description of the most capital pictures in the King of Spain's palace at Madrid. In a letter from Sir Anthony Raphael Mengs, ... to Don Antonio Ponz, ...* Translated from the original Spanish, by John Talbot Dillon, ...

London : printed for R. Baldwin, 1782.

(12°)

MRB.85(3)

Price, Richard, 1723-1791.

*Observations on the nature of civil liberty, the principles of government, and the justice and policy of the war with America. To which are added, an appendix and postscript, containing a state of the national debt,...* By Richard Price,...

The eighth edition, newly corrected by the author.

Edinburgh : Printed for J. Wood and J. Dickson, 1776.

(12°)

MRB.85(4)

Petrie, James, b. ca. 1686.

*The Scots apiary: or, the compleat bee-master. Unfolding the whole art and mystery of managing bees. ... To which is added, the cultivation of hopps and lyquorice root, ...*

*With an appendix, containing some remarkable occurences during the authors life.* By James Petrie ...

Glasgow : printed for, and to be sold by the author, 1769.

(8°)

MRB.85(5)

Oswald, James, d. 1793.

*Some thoughts relating to that submission and obedience due to the authority and decisions of the supreme judicature of the church. Communicated in two letters from one clergyman to another.*

Edinburgh : printed for Charles Wright, 1753.

(8°)

MRB.85(6)

*An extract from a pamphlet entitled, An humble acknowledgement of the sins of the ministry of Scotland. Published in the year 1732.*

Edinburgh : printed in the year, 1771.

(12°)

MRB.86

Hill, Thomas, b. ca. 1528.

*The arte of gardening, wherunto is added much necessarie matter, with a number of secrets: and the phisicke helps belonging to each hearb, which are easily prepared. Heer-vnto is annexed two proper treatises, the first intituled The meruailous gouernment [sic], propertie, & benefite of bees, with the rare secrets of the honie and waxe: the other, The yearly coniectures, verie necessary for husband-men. To these is likewise ioyned a treatise of the arte of graffing and planting of trees.* Gathered by Thomas Hill, citizen of London.

London : Imprinted by Edward Allde [and H. Ballard], 1608.

[8], 164, [8], 92 p.

(4°)

Missing pp. [8]-164

MRB.87

Hill, Thomas, b. ca. 1528.

*The profitable arte of gardening: to which is added much necessarie matter, and a number of secrets, with the phisicke helps belonging to each hearbe, and that easily prepared. To this is annexed two proper treatises, the one entituled, The meruailous gouernment, propertie, and benefite of bees, with the rare secretes of the honnie and waxe. And the other, The yerely coniectures meete for husbandmen. To these is likewise added a treatise of the arte of graffing and planting of trees.* Gathered by Thomas Hyll, citizen of London.

London : Imprinted by Edward Allde, 1593.

[8], 164, [8], 92 p.

(4°)

Missing pp. [1]-164, 61-92

MRB.88

Gervais, Jean-Baptiste Joachim.

*L'histoire et l'éducation des abeilles; avec la maniere de séparer le miel de la cire, & d'en mettre à profit tout ce qui en est susceptible.* Par Jean-Baptiste Joachim Gervais.

Aix : Mouret, [1794?]

(8°)

MRB.89

Duchet, François Xaver.

*Culture des abeilles, ou, Méthode expérimentale et raisonnée sur les moyens de tirer meilleur parti des abeilles, par une construction de ruches mieux assorties à leur instinct, avec une dissertation nouvelle sur l'origine de la cire / par Mr. Duchet.*

Vevey : P.A. Chenebié, 1771.

(8°)

MRB.90

Christ, Johann Ludwig, 1739-1813.

*Anweisung zur nützlichsten und angenehmsten bienenzucht für alle gegenden; bei welcher in einem mittelmässig guten bienenjahr von 25 guten bienenstèocken 100 fl. und in einem recht guten bienenjahr 200 fl. gewonnen werden kèonnen, und dennoch ieder stock in guten stande bleibet; geprüftet, und zum gemeinen nutzen und vergnüen herausgegeben von J.L. Christ ...*

Zweite vermehrte und verbesserte Auflage ...

Frankfurt und Leipzig, Fleischerische buchhandling, 1783.

(8°)

MRB.91

Bastard, Baldwin J. P.

*The poor bee-keeper's friend, or an easy method of keeping bees. Adapted for the use of the cottager, by Baldwin J.P. Bastard.*

Exeter : Spencer Printer, [18--?]

MRB.92

Markham, Gervase, 1568?-1637.

*The English house-wwife. Containing the inward and outward vertues which ought to be in a compleate woman. As her skill in physicke, surgery, cookery, extraction of oyles, banqueting-stuffe, ordering of great feasts, preseruing of all sorts of wines, conceited secrets, distillations, perfumes, ordering of wooll, hempe, flax, making cloth, and dying, the knowledge of dayries, office of malting, of oates, their excellent vses in a family, of brewing, baking, and all other things belonging to an houshold. A worke generally approued, and now the fourth time much augmented, purged and made most profitable and necessary for all men, and the generall good of this kingdome. By G.M. London : Printed by Nicholas Okes for Iohn Harison, and are to be sold at his shop at the signe of the golden Vnicorne in Pater-noster-row, 1631.*

(4°)

MRB.93(1)

Du Couëdic de Villeneuve, Pierre Louis, 1743-1822

*La ruche pyramidale, méthode simple et naturelle. par P.*

Ducouëdic

Seconde édition

Paris : Courcier, 1813.

(8°)

MRB.93(2)

Laurens, L.

*Memoire sur le sirop et le sucre de raisin ou recueil d'observations faites sur les raisins du Département des Bouches-du-Rhône.* / Par L. Laurens, pharmacien à Marseille, ex-pharmacien en chef de l'Hospice civil et militaire, membre de L'Académie et de la Société de Médecine de la même ville.

A Marseille : Chez Jean Mossy, Imprimeur-Libraire à la Canebière, 1810.

(8°)

MRB.94

Markham, Gervase, 1568?-1637.

*The English hous-wife, containing the inward and outward vertues which ought to be in a compleat woman. As her skill in physick, surgery, cookery, extraction of oyles, banquetting stuffe, ordering of great feasts, preserving of all sorts of wines, conceited secrets, distillations, perfumes, ordering of wooll, hemp, flax, making cloth, and dying, the knowledge of dayries, office of malting, of oates, their excellent uses in a family, of brewing, baking, and all other things belonging to an houshold. A work generally approved, and now the fifth time much augmented, purged, and made most profitable and necessary for all men, and the generall good of this nation.* By G.M.

London : printed by W[illiam]. Wilson, for E[dward]. Brewster, and George Sawbridge, at the Bible on Ludgate-Hill, neere Fleet-bridge, 1653.

(4°)

MRB.95

Warder, Joseph, fl. 1688-1718.

*The true amazons: or, the monarchy of bees. Being a new discovery and improvement of those wonderful creatures. ... Also how to make the English wine or mead, ...* By Joseph Warder ...

The fifth edition. To which is added, a letter from the author, ..

London : printed for John Pemberton; and William Taylor, 1722.

(8°)

MRB.96

Thorley, John.

*Melissēlogia. Or, the female monarchy. Being an enquiry into the nature, order, and government of bees, those admirable, instructive, and useful insects. ...* By the Reverend Mr. John Thorley, of Oxon. Illustrated with copper-plates.

London : printed for the author; and sold by N. Thorley; and J. Davidson, 1744.

(8°)

MRB.97

*Samuel Hartlib his legacie: or An enlargement of the Discourse of husbandry used in Brabant & Flaunders: wherein are bequeathed to the common-wealth of England, more outlandish and domestick experiments and secrets, in reference touniversall husbandry.* The second edition augmented with an appendix. Entered according to the late act concerning printing.

London : printed by R. & W. Leybourn, for Richard Wodenothe, in Leaden-Hall Market, next door to the GoldenHart, 1652.

(4°)

MRB.98

Markham, Gervase, 1568?-1637.

*The inrichment of the weald of Kent. Or, A direction to the husband-man, for the true ordering, manuring and inriching of all the grounds within the wealds of Kent, and Sussex; and may generally serve for all the grounds in England of that nature: as, I. Shewing the nature of wealdish grounds, comparing it with the soyl [sic] of the shires at large. 2. Declaring what the marl is, and the severall sorts thereof, and where it is usually found. 3. The profitable use of Marl, and other rich manuring, as well in each sort of arable land, as also forthe increase of corn and pasture through the kingdome. Painelessly gathered for the good of this iland, [sic] by a man of great eminence and worth, but revised, inlarged, and corrected with the consent, and by conference with the first author.* By G.M.

London : printed by W. Wilson, for E. Brewster and GeorgeSawbridge, at the Bible on Ludgate-Hill, neere Fleet-bridge, 1653.

(4°)

MRB.99

*The curious traveller. Being a choice collection of very remarkable histories [sic], voyages, travels, &c. digested into familiar letters and conversations...* Adorn'd with cuts.

London : printed for J. Rowland, 1742.

(4°)

MRB.100

Wildman, Thomas.

*Abhandlung von der Wartung der Bienen, worinnen die natürliche Geschichte dieser Insekten, nebst den verschiedenen sowohl bey den alten als neuern bekannten Methoden ihrer zu pflegen, wie auch einer nunmehr verbesserten Anweisung hierzu, enthalten: welchem allen eine natürliche Geschichte der Wespen und Hornissen, nebst den Mitteln sie zu vertilgen, angehängt ist: mit Kupfern erläutert, von Thomas Wildmann. Auf Beranlassung einer hochansehnlichen oekonomischen Gesellschaft zu Leipzig, aus dem Engländischen übersetzt, und zugleich mit Anmerkungen einiger Mitglieder der Oberlausitzer Bienengesellschaft versehen.*

Leipzig, J. F. Junius, 1769.

(8°)

MRB.101

Worldidge, John, fl. 1660-1698.

*A compleat system of husbandry and gardening; or, the gentleman's companion, in the business and pleasures of a country life. ... The whole collected from, and containing what is most valuable in all the books hitherto written upon this subject; ...*

London : printed for J. Pickard, A. Bettesworth, and E. Curll, 1716.

(8°)

MRB.102

Lawson, William, fl. 1618.

*A new orchard and garden, or, The best way for planting, grafting, and to make any ground good for a rich orchard particularly in the north, and generally for the whole common-wealth ... with the country-housewives garden for herbs of common use ... as also, the husbandry of bees, with their several uses and annoyances : all being the experience of forty and eight yeares of labour ... by William Lawson ; whereunto is newly added the art of propagating plants ... The second time corrected and much enlarged.*

London : Printed by W. Wilson, for E. Brewster and George Sawbridge..., 1656.

(8°)

MRB.103

Markham, Gervase, 1568?-1637.

*Cheape and good husbandry for the well-ordering of all beasts and fowles, and for the generall cure of their diseases. Containing the natures, breeding, choice, vse, feeding, and curing of the diseases of all manner of cattell, as horse, oxe, cow, sheepe, goats, swine, and tame conies. Shewing further, the whole art of riding great horses, with the breaking and ordering of them, and the dieting of the running, hunting, and ambling horse, and the manner how to use them in their travaile. Also, approved rules for the cramming and fatting of all sorts of poultry and fowles [...] Together with the use and profit of bees, the making of fish-ponds, and the taking of all sorts of fish. Gathered together for the generall good and profit of this whole realme [...] differing from all former and forraine experiments, which either agreed not with our clime, or were too hard to come by, or over-costly, and to little purpose: all which herein are avoyded. Newly corrected and inlarged with many excellent additions, as may appeare by this marke.*

The sixth edition.

Printed at London : By Ann Griffin, for Iohn Harison, and are to be sold at his shop in Pater- noster-row, 1631 [i.e. 1637?]

(4°)

MRB.104

Markham, Gervase, 1568?-1637.

*Cheape and good husbandry for the well-ordering of all beasts and fowles and for the generall cure of their diseases ...*

The eighth edition newly corrected and enlarged, with many excellent additions.

London : Printed by Thomas Harper for John Harrison and are to be sold at his shop ..., 1653.

(4°)

MRB.105

Markham, Gervase, 1568?-1637.

*Cheape and good husbandry for the well-ordering of all beasts and fowles, and for the general cure of their diseases.*

The ninth edition.

London : Printed by W. Wilson, for E. Brewster, and George-Sawbridge ..., 1657.

(4°)

MRB.106

Tusser, Thomas, 1524?-1580.

*Five hundred points of good husbandry. As well for the champion or open countrey, as also for the woodland or several, mixed in every moneth, with houswifery, over and besides the book of houswifery. Corrected, better ordered, and newly augmented to a fourth part more, with divers other lessons, as a diet for the farmer, of the properties of winds, plants, hops, hearbs, bees, and approved remedies for sheep and cattel; with many other matters both profitable, and not unpleasant to the reader. Also two tables, one of husbandry, and the other of houswifery, at the end of the book, for the better and easier finding out of any matter contained in the same.* Newly set forth by Thomas Tusser, gent.

London : printed by T[homas]. R[atcliffe]. and M[ary]. D[aniel]. for the Company of Stationers, 1672.

(4°)

MRB.107

Butler, Charles, d. 1647.

*The feminine monarchie: or the historie of bees. Shewing their admirable nature, and properties, their generation, and colonies, their gouernment, loyaltie, art, industrie, enemies, warres, magnanimitie, &c. Together with the right ordering of them from time to time: and the sweet profit arising thereof.* Written out of experience by Charles Butler.

London : printed by Iohn Hauiland for Roger Iackson, and are to be sold at his shop in Fleetstreet, oueragainst the Conduit, 1623.

(4°)

MRB.108

Markham, Gervase, 1568?-1637.

*The inrichment of the weald of Kent. Or, A direction to the husband-man, for the true ordering, manuring and inriching of all the grounds within the wealds of Kent, and Sussex; and may generally serve for all the grounds in England of that nature: as, I. Shewing the nature of wealdish grounds, comparing it with the soyl [sic] of the shires at large. 2. Declaring what the marl is, and the severall sorts thereof, and where it is usually found. 3. The profitable use of Marl, and other rich manuring, as well in each sort of arable land, as also forthe increase of corn and pasture through the kingdome. Painelessly gathered for the good of this iland, [sic] by a man of great eminence and worth, but revised, enlarged, and corrected with the consent, and by conference with the first author.* By G.M.

London : printed by W. Wilson, for E. Brewster and George Sawbridge, at the Bible on Ludgate-Hill, neere Fleet-bridge, 1653.

[4], 20, [6], 126, [4] p.

(4°)

Missing pp. [1]-20

MRB.109

Boissier de Sauvages, abbé (Pierre-Augustin), 1710-1795.

*Memoires sur l'éducation des vers à soie*

[*La culture des muriers and Observations sur l'origine du miel* only]

Nismes : Chez Gaude, Libraire, 1763.

(8°)

MRB.110(1)

White, Stephen, b. 1696 or 7.

*Collateral bee-boxes. Or, a new, easy, and advantageous method of managing bees. In which part of the honey is taken away, in an easy and pleasant manner,...* By Stephen White, ...

London : printed, and sold by Lockyer Davis, and Charles Reymers, 1756.

(8°)

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MRB.110(2)

Wildman, Daniel, fl. 1772-1812.

*A complete guide for the management of bees throughout the year; ...* By Daniel Wildman, ...

The fifteenth edition with additions. Illustrated with copper-plates.

London : printed for the author, 1801.

(8°)

MRB.111

Ellis, William, ca. 1700-1758.

*Agriculture improv'd: or, the practice of husbandry display'd. Chiefly shewn by facts, perform'd in all sorts of land, according to the old plain, and the new drill, way of farming.* In two volumes: ... By William Ellis, ...

London : printed for T. Osborne, 1745-46.

(8°)

MRB.112

Schirach, Adam Gottlob, 1724-1773.

*Histoire naturelle de la reine des abeilles : avec l'art de former des essaims de M.A.G. Schirach ... ; on y a ajouté la correspondance de l'auteur avec quelques sçavans, & trois mémoires de l'illustre M. Bonnet de Genève sur ses découvertes ; le tout traduit de l'allemand ou recueilli, par J.J. Blassiere...*

Nouvelle ed.

Amsterdam : B. Vlam, 1787.

(8°)

MRB.113

Reid, John, Gardener.

*The Scots gard'ner in two parts, the first of contriving and planting gardens, orchards, avenues, groves; with new and profitable wayes of levelling; and how to measure and divide land. The second of the propagation & improvement of forrest, and fruit-trees, kitchen hearbes, roots and fruits: with some physick hearbs, shrubs and flowers.*

*Appendix shewing how to use the fruits of the garden: whereunto is annexed the gard'ners kalendar.* Published for the climate of Scotland by John Reid gard'ner.

Edinburgh : printed by David Lindsay, and his partners, at the foot of Heriot's-Bridge, 1683.

(4°)

MRB.114

*A Collection of letters for the improvement of husbandry & trade. Numb. 1. (Thursday, Sept. 8. 1681.)-*

[London] : Printed for John Lawrence, at the Angel in Cornhill near the Royal Exchange,

(4°)

MRB.115

Rucellai, Giovanni, 1475-1525.

*Le api di G. Rucellai poemetto*

Torino : Per Francesco Antonio Mairese, 1768.

(4°)

MRB.116

Pluche, Noël Antoine, 1688-1761.

*Spectacle de la nature: or, nature display'd. Being discourses on such particulars of natural history as were thought most proper to excite the curiosity, and form the minds of youth.* Illustrated with copper plates. Translated from the original French.

London : printed for J. Pemberton, N. Prevost, R. Franklin, and C. Davis, 1733.

(4°)

MRB.117

Bailey, N. (Nathan), d. 1742.

*Dictionarium Domesticum, being a new and compleat household dictionary. For the use both of city and country.* ... By N. Bailey, ...

London : printed for C. Hitch, and C. Davis; and S. Austen, 1736.

(4°)

MRB.118

Bradley, Richard, 1688-1732.

*A general treatise of husbandry and gardening, for the month of April. Containing such observations and experiments as are new and useful for the improvement of land.* ... *To be continu'd monthly, with variety of curious cutts.* By R. Bradley, ...

London : printed for J. Peele, [1721-22]

(4°)

MRB.119(1)

Martin, Joseph.

*Abeilles; traité sur les ruches a l'air libre, ...* par J. Martin père, ... et Alexandre Martin fils, ...

Paris, Chez les auteurs, 1826.

(8°)

MRB.119(2)

Milton, John, grocer.

*The London apiarian guide for beekeepers : comprising practical instructions to promote improvement in the cultivation of bees : with plates and full directions for the use of hives in general, particularly the newly invented double topped straw hive* / John Milton.

London : at the Apiarian repository, 1823.

(8°)

MRB.119(3)

Wildman, Daniel, fl. 1772-1812.

*A complete guide for the management of bees throughout the year; ...* By Daniel Wildman, ...

The fourteenth edition with additions. Illustrated with copper-plates.

London : printed for the author, 1799.

(8°)

MRB.120

Triewald, Mårten, 1691-1747.

*Nödig tractat om bij, deras natur, egenskaper, skiötzel och nytta, utur åtskillige nyares witra anmärkningar samt egne anstälte rön och försök sammanfattad, jemte beskrifning på en ny inrättning af bij-stockar, hwar medelst man kan hindra och förekomma deras swärmande.* Framställd af Mårten Triewald ...

Stockholm : Tryckt af A. Biörkman, 1728.

(8°)

MRB.121

Pluche, Noël Antoine, 1688-1761.

*Spectacle de la nature: or, nature display'd. Being discourses on such particulars of natural history as were thought most proper to excite the curiosity, and form the minds of youth.* Illustrated with copper plates. Translated from the original French.

The second edition, corrected.

London : printed for J. Pemberton; R. Francklin; and C. Davis, 1735.

(8°)

MRB.122

Chambon De Montaux, Augustine.

*Manuel de l'éducation des abeilles; ou, Manière sûre et facile de les conserver, de les multiplier et d'en tirer un grand profit.* Par A. Chambon. Extrait de Réaumur, et enrichi d'observations nouvelles, et de notes intéressantes, par N. Chambon ...

Paris, A.J. Dugour et Durand, an VI [1798]

(8°)

MRB.123

Wildman, Thomas, d. 1781.

*A treatise on the management of bees; wherein is contained the natural history of those insects; with the various methods of cultivating them, ... To which are added, the natural history of wasps and hornets, ...* Illustrated with copper-plates. By Thomas Wildman.

The third edition.

London : printed for W. Strahan; and T. Cadell, 1778.

(8°)

MRB.124

Bazin, Gilles Augustin, d. 1754.

*The natural history of bees. Containing an account of their production, their oeconomy, the manner of their making wax and honey, ...* Illustrated with twelve copper plates.

Translated from the French.

London : printed for J. and P. Knapton; and P. Vailant, 1744.

(8°)

MRB.125-126

Manuel, B. E., b. 1760.

*Histoire particulière de l'abeille commune; considérée dans tous ses rapports avec l'histoire générale de l'homme.*

Paris, H. Agasse, 1805.

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(8°)

MRB.127

Mortimer, J. (John), 1656?-1736.

*The whole art of husbandry, or, the way of managing and improving of land. Being a full collection of what hath been writ, either by ancient or modern authors: ... To which is added, the country-man's kallendar, what he is to do every month in the year.* By J. M. Esq; F.R.S.

London : printed by J. H. for H. Mortlock, and J. Robinson, 1707.

(8°)

MRB.128

Swammerdam, Jan, 1637-1680.

*Histoire generale des insectes. ou l'on expose clairement la maniere lente & presque'insensible de l'accroissement de leurs membres, & ou l'on decouvre evidemment l'erreur ou l'on tombe d'ordinaire au sujet de leur prétendué transformation par Jean Swammerdam ; avec des figures.*

A Utrecht : Chez Jean Ribbius, 1685.

(4°)

MRB.129

Heresbach, Conrad, 1496-1576.

[Rei rusticae libri quatuor. English]

*The vvhole art and trade of husbandry. Contained in foure bookes. Viz: I. Of earable-ground, tillage, and pasture. II. Of gardens, orchards, and vvoods. III. Of feeding, breeding, and curing of all manner of cattell. IIII. Of poultrie, fowle, fish, and bees.*

Enlarged by Barnaby Googe, Esquire.

London : Printed by T[homas] S[nodham] for Richard More, and are to be sould at his shopin S. Dunstanes Church yard in Fleetstreet, 1614.

(4°)

MRB.130

Wildman, Thomas.

*Trattato sopra la cura delle api, contenente l'istoria naturale di quest' insetti, co' varj metodi si antichi, come moderni di governarli : e l' istoria naturale delle vespe, e de' calabroni, co mezzi di distruggerli, ornato di rami/ del signor Tommaso Wildman.*

Torino : Presso i fratelli Reycends, 1771.

(12°)

MRB.131

Warder, Joseph, fl. 1688-1718.

*The true amazons: or, the monarchy of bees. Being a new discovery and improvement of those wonderful creatures. ... Also how to make the English wineor mead, ...* By Joseph Warder ...

The sixth edition. To which is added, a letter from the author, concerning a late treatise upon the subject of bees.

London : printed for John Pemberton; and John Osborn and T. Longman, 1726.

(12°)

MRB.132

Dublin Society.

*Instructions for managing bees.* Drawn up and published by order of the Dublin Society.

Dublin : printed by A. Rhames, 1733.

(12°)

MRB.133

Lawson, William, fl. 1618.

*A new orchard, and garden; or, The best way for planting, grafting, and to make any ground good, for a rich orchard: particularly in the north, and generally for the whole kingdom of England, as in nature, reason, situation, and all probability, may and doth appear. With the country-houswives garden forherbs of common use: their vertues, seasons, profits, ornaments, variety of knots, models for trees, and plots for the best ordering of grounds and walks. As also, the husbandry of bees, with their several uses and annoyances, all being the experience of fourty and eight yeers labour, and now the second time corrected and much enlarged, by William Lawson.* Whereunto is newly added the art of propagating plants; with the true ordering of all manners of fruits, in their gathering, carrying home, and preservation.

London : printed by W. Wilson, for John Harison, and are to be sold at his shop in Pauls Church-yard, 1648.

(4°)

MRB.134

Mortimer, J. (John), 1656?-1736.

*The whole art of husbandry; or, the way of managing and improving of land. Being a full collection of what hath been writ, either by ancient or modern authors: ... To which is added, the country-man's kalendar, ...* By J. Mortimer,...

The third edition corrected.

London : Printed by J. H. for H. and G.Mortlock, and R. Robinson, 1712.

(8°)

MRB.135

Butler, Charles, d. 1647.

*The feminin<sup>o</sup> monarchi<sup>o</sup>, or the histori of bee<sup>o</sup>s. Shewing their admirable natur<sup>o</sup>, and propertis; their generation and colonis; their government, loyalti, art, industri; enimi<sup>o</sup>s, vvars, magnanimiti, &c. Together with the right ordering of them from tim<sup>o</sup> to tim<sup>o</sup>: and the sweet<sup>o</sup> profit arising ther<sup>o</sup>of.* Written out of experienc<sup>o</sup> by Charls Butler, Magd.

Oxford : Printed by William Turner, for <sup>3</sup>e author, 1634.

In Butler's reformed spelling.

(4°)

MRB.136

Purchas, Samuel, d. ca. 1658.

*A theatre of politicall flying-insects. Wherein especially the nature, the vworth, the vvork, the wonder, and the manner of right-ordering of the bee, is discovered and described.*

*Together with discourses, historical, and observations physical concerning them. And in a second part are annexed meditations, and observations theological and moral, in three centuries upon that subject.* By Samuel Purchas ...

London : Printed by R[obert]. I[bbitson]. for Thomas Parkhurst, to be sold at his shop, at the Three crowns in Cheapside, over against the Great Conduit, 1657.

(4°)

MRB.137

Bonner, James, writer on bee-keeping.

*A new plan for speedily increasing the number of bee-hives in Scotland; and which may be extended, with equal success, to England, Ireland, America, ...* By James Bonner, ...

Edinburgh : printed by J. Moir: sold by W. Creech, Bell & Bradfute, P. Hill, Mudie & Son, and by the author: - and by T. Kay, London, 1795.

(4°)

MRB.138

Huber, François, 1750-1831.

*Nouvelles observations sur les abeilles : adressées a M.*

*Charles Bonnet / par François Huber*

Geneve : Barde, Manget, 1792.

(8°)

MRB.139

Thorley, John.

*An enquiry into the nature, order, and government of bees, those instructive and useful insects. ...* Written ... by the Reverend Mr. John Thorley, ...

The third edition. Illustrated with copper-plates.

London : printed by J. Johnson, and sold by N. Thorley, 1772.

(8°)

MRB.140

Thorley, John.

*An enquiry into the nature, order, and government of bees, those instructive and useful insects.* ... by the Reverend Mr. John Thorley, of Oxon.

The second edition. Illustrated with copper-plates.

London : printed by J. Waugh, and sold by N. Thorley, 1765.

(8°)

MRB.141

Groen, Jan van der, 17th cent.

*Le jardinier du Pays-bas : où sont decrites toutes sortes de beles maisons de plaisance & de campagne, & comment on les peut planter, semer, & embellir de plusieurs herbes, fleurs, & arbres rares* / par J. van der Groen.

Bruxelles : chez Philippe Vleugart, 1672.

(4°)

MRB.142-143

Bradley, Richard, 1688-1732.

*A general treatise of husbandry and gardening; containing a new system of vegetation: illustrated with many observations and experiments. In two volumes. Formerly publish'd monthly, and now methodiz'd and digested under proper heads, with additions and great alterations.* In four parts. ... Adorn'd with cuts. By R. Bradley, ...

London : printed for T. Woodward, and J. Peele, 1726.

2 v.

(4°)

MRB.144-145

Mortimer, J. (John), 1656?-1736.

*The whole art of husbandry: or, the way of managing and improving of land. Being a full collection of what hath been writ, either by ancient or modern authors: ... As also an account of the particular sorts of husbandry used in several counties; ... To which is added, the country-man's kalendar,* ... By J. Mortimer, ...

The fourth edition with additions.

London : printed by J. H. for R. Robinson, and G. Mortlock, 1716.

2 v.

(8°)

MRB.146-147

Boissier de Sauvages, abbé (Pierre-Augustin), 1710-1795.

*Mémoires sur l'éducation des vers à soie, par Boissier de Sauvages*

Nismes : M. Gaude, 1763.

3 v. in 2.

(8°)

MRB.148

*Dictionarium rusticum & urbanicum: or, a dictionary of all sorts of country affairs, handicraft, trading, and merchandizing. ...* Illustrated with cuts of all sorts of nets, traps, engines, &c.

London : printed for A. and J. Churchill, and John Taylor, 1704.

(8°)

MRB.149

*Dictionarium rusticum, urbanicum & botanicum: or, a dictionary of husbandry, gardening, trade, commerce, and all sorts of country-affairs. ...* Illustrated with a great number of wooden and copper cuts.

The second edition, revised, corrected and improv'd; ..

London : printed for J. Nicholson, W. Taylor, and W.Churchill, 1717.

(8°)

MRB.150

Bradley, Richard, 1688-1732

*A general treatise of agriculture, both philosophical and practical; displaying the arts of husbandry and gardening: in two parts. Part I. Of husbandry; ... Part II. Of gardening; ... Originally written by R. Bradley, ...And now not only corrected and properly methodised, but adapted to the present practice, ...* Illustrated with twenty copper-plates.

London : printed for W. Johnston, R. Baldwin, J. Fuller, J. Wren, W. Owen [and 8 others in London], 1757.

(8°)

MRB.151

Persius Flaccus, Aulus.

*Persio tradotto in verso sciolto e dichiarato da Francesco Stelluti ...*

Roma, Giacomo Mascardi, 1630.

(4°)

MRB.152 (1-2)

Wildman, Thomas

[Two articles from 18<sup>th</sup> century serials]

1. *Directions for the management of bees; from Mr. Wildman's treatise on that subject.*

Taken from the The Annual Register for the year 1768 pp. 101-107

2. *Of hives and bees-boxes, illustrated with and elegantly engraved copper-plate from*

*Mr. Wildman's Treatise on Bees.* Taken from the Universal magazine for July 1768, pp.

33-[37]

MRB.153

Hill, John, 1714?-1775.

*The virtues of honey in preventing many of the worst disorders; and in the certain cure of several others: particulary the gravel, asthmas, coughs, hoarseness, and a tough morning phlegm. ...*

London : printed for J. Davis and M. Cooper, 1759.

(8°)

MRB.154

Bromwich, Bryan l'Anson.

*The experienced bee-keeper, containing an essay on the management of bees: wherein in shewn, from long practice, the most easy and profitable method of treating those useful insects; ... together with an improved method of making mead, and other wines, with honey.* By Bryan J'Anson Bromwich, M.A.

The second edition.

London : printed for Charles Dilly, 1783.

(8°)

MRB.155-158

*Scriptorum rei rusticae veterum latinorum tomus primus[-quartus]*

Ex librorum scriptorum atque editorum fide et virorum doctorum coniecturis correxit, atque interpretum omnium collectis, et excerptis commentariis suisque illustravit Io.

Gottlob Schneider, Saxo.

Libros de rerustica

Lipsiae : sumtibus Casp. Fritsch, 1794.

4 v. [in 8 parts]

(8°)

MRB.159

Bromwich, Bryan l'Anson.

*The experienced bee-keeper, containing an essay on the management of bees : wherein is shewn, ... the most easy and profitable method of treating those useful insects. ...*

London : printed for Charles Dilly, 1783.

(8°)

MRB.160

Mills, John, d. 1784?.

*An essay on the management of bees. Wherein is shewn the method of rearing those useful insects; and that the practice of saving their lives when their honey and wax are taken from them was known to the antients, ...* By John Mills,...

London : printed for J. Johnson and B. Davenport, 1766.

(8°)

MRB.161

Wildman, Daniel, fl. 1772-1812.

*A complete guide for the management of bees throughout the year; ...* By Daniel Wildman.

The third edition, with additions. Illustrated with copper-plates.

London : printed for the author, and sold by him, at his bee and honey warehouse, 1780.  
(8°)

MRB.162

Another copy of MRB.161

MRB.163

*Certain ancient tracts concerning the management of landed property reprinted.*

London : printed for C. Bathurst; and J. Newbery, 1767.

(8°)

MRB.164

Markham, Gervase, 1568?-1637.

*Markham's master piece: containing all knowledge belonging to the smith, farrier, or horse-leach, touching the curing all diseases in horses. ... Divided into two books. ... the seventeenth time printed, corrected, and augmented, ... To which is added, the exactest receipts for curing all diseases in oxen, ... Also the compleat jockey; ...*

London : printed for M. Wotton; and G. Conyers, 1710.

(4°)

MRB.165(1)

Bruce, Archibald, 1746-1816.

*The kirkiad; or, golden age of the Church of Scotland. Canto 1.*

Edinburgh : printed in the year MDCCLXXIV: sold by W. Drummond, J. Dickson, and . Elliot, 1774.

(8°)

MRB.165(2)

*A curious fragment.*

L---d---n, January 15. 1778

(8°)

MRB.165(3)

Mills, John, d. 1784?

*An essay on the management of bees. Wherein is shewn the method of rearing those useful insects; and that the practice of saving their lives when their honey and wax are taken from them was known to the antients, ...* By John Mills,...

London : printed for J. Johnson and B. Davenport, 1766.

(8°)

MRB.165(4)

Taylor, William, of Currie.

*Scots poems by William Taylor.*

Edinburgh : printed for the author, 1787.

(8°)

MRB.166

Wildman, Thomas, d. 1781.

*A treatise on the management of bees; wherein is contained the natural history of those insects; with the various methods of cultivating them, ... To which are added, the natural history of wasps and hornets, ...* Illustrated with copper-plates. By Thomas Wildman.

The second edition.

London : printed for W. Strahan; and T. Cadell, 1770.

(8°)

MRB.167

*The natural history of insects, compiled from Swammerdam, Brookes, Goldsmith, &c.* Embellished with copper-plates. Intended as a companion to Buffon's Natural History  
Perth : printed by R. Morison Junior, for R. Morison and Son, Perth; G. Mudie, Edinburgh; and W. Coke, Leith, 1792.

(8°)

MRB.168

Bonner, James, writer on bee-keeping.

*A new plan for speedily increasing the number of bee-hives in Scotland; and which may be extended, with equal success, to England, Ireland, America, ...* By James Bonner, ...

Edinburgh : printed by J. Moir: sold by W. Creech, Bell & Bradfute, P. Hill, Mudie & Son, and by the author: - and by T. Kay, London, 1795.

(4°)

MRB.169

Mills, John, d. 1784?.

*An essay on the management of bees. Wherein is shewn the method of rearing those useful insects; and that the practice of saving their lives when their honey and wax are taken from them was known to the antients, ...* By John Mills,...

London : printed for J. Johnson and B. Davenport, 1766.

(8°)

MRB.170

Höffler, Caspar.

*Rechte Bienen-Kunst : aus bewehrter Erfahrung zusammen geschrieben Daraus ein fleissiger Haushalter gründlich erlernen kan, wie er eine Bienenzucht zulegen, solcher in der Person erspriesslichen warten und fruchtbarlich geniessen könne : Beyland zum Theil für 46. Jahrn von Nicolao Jacob Schlesiern publicirt : jetzo aber ordentlich in drey Bücher gebbracht, vermehret ... / durch M. Caspar Hèoflern ...*

Leipzig : In Henning Grossen des Eltern Druckerey ..., 1614.

(4°)

MRB.171

Keys, John.

*The practical bee-master: in which will be shewn how to manage bees either in straw hives or in boxes, ... interspersed with occasional strictures on Mr. Thomas Wildman's Treatise on bees: ...* by John Keys, ...

London : printed for the author, and sold by him at his house in Cheshunt-Street, Hertfordshire; J. Johnson ..., [1780]

(8°)

MRB.172

White, William, of Shutford.

*A complete guide to the mystery and management of bees. ...* By W. White, ...

London : printed for the author; and sold by Richardson and Urquhart; Isaac Taylor; H. Turpin; T. Goodacre; and W. Todd, [1771?]

(8°)

MRB.173

Keys, John.

*The practical bee-master: in which will be shewn how to manage bees either in straw hives or in boxes, ... interspersed with occasional strictures on Mr. Thomas Wildman's Treatise on bees: ...* by John Keys, ...

London : printed for the author, and sold by him at his house in Cheshunt-Street, Hertfordshire; J. Johnson ..., [1780]

(8°)

MRB.174

*The natural history of insects, compiled from Swammerdam, Brookes, Goldsmith, &c.* Embellished with copper-plates. Intended as a companion to Buffon's Natural History  
Perth : printed by R. Morison Junior, for R. Morison and Son, Perth; G. Mudie, Edinburgh; and W. Coke, Leith, 1792.

(8°)

MRB.175

Harte, Walter, 1709-1774.

*Essays on husbandry. Essay I. A general introduction; ... Essay II. An account of some experiments tending to improve the culture of lucerne by transplantation: ...*

London : printed for W. Frederick in Bath. And sold by J. Hinton; W. Johnston; T. Field; J. Brotherton; P. Valliant, ..., 1764.

(8°)

MRB.176

Gallo, Agostino, 1499-1570.

*Le vinti giornate dell' agricoltura, et de' piaceri della villa, di M. Agostino Gallo, nuouamente ristampate ...*

Venetia, Appresso D. Imberti, [1628].

(4°)

MRB.177

Serres, Olivier de.

*Le théâtre d'agricvlture et mesnage des Champs, d'Olivier de Serres Sr dv Pradel : Où est représenté tout ce qui est requis & necessaire pour bien Dresser. Gouverner, Enrichir & Embellir La Maison Rustique.*

Dernière Edition, Reueuë & Augmentee par l'Autheur.

Genève : Impr. pour Samuel Chouët, 1651.

(4°)

MRB.178

Estienne, Charles, 1504-ca. 1564.

*L'agriculture et maison rustique de M.M. Charles Estienne et Iean Liebault, Docteurs en medecine... : plus un brief recueil des chasses du Cerf, du Sanglier, du Liéure, du Renard, du Blereau, du Connil, du Loup, Oyseaux, & de la Fauconnerie...*

A Roven : Chez la vefve de David ferrand ..., 1665.

(4°)

MRB.179

Debraw, John

*Discoveries on the sex of bees, explaining the manner in which their species is propagated; with an account of the utility that may be derived from those discoveries by the actual application of them to practice.* By Mr. John Debraw, Apothecary to Addenbrook's hospital at Cambridge, and Member of an Oeconomical Society in the Principality of Liege in Westpahalìa. Communicated by the Rev. Nevil Maskelyne ... pp. 15-32

[1777?]

[From *Philosophical transactions of the Royal Society of London*, 1777]

(4°)

MRB.180

White, Stephen, b. 1696 or 7.

*Collateral bee-boxes, or, a new, easy, and advantageous method of managing bees. In which part of the honey is taken away, in an easy and pleasant manner,...* By Stephen White, ...

The second edition.

London : printed for L. Davis and C. Reymers, 1759.

(8°)

MRB.181

*Den Naerstigen byen-houder, onderregtende hoe men met nut en profijt de Byen regeeren en onderhouden sal : als mede hoedanigh men honingh en wasch, op een korte en bequame manier sal vergaderen, bereyden en suyveren.*

Amsterdam : Marcus Doornick, [1669?]

(4°)

MRB.182

*Den Neerstighen bien-houder, onder-wysende, hoe-men met nut en profijt de Bien regeren en onderhouden sal : als mede hoedanigh men honingh en wasch, op een korte en bequame manier sal vergaderen, bereyden en suyveren.*

Tot Brussel : Philips Vleugaert..., 1672.

(4°)

MRB.183-188

Réaumur, René-Antoine Ferchault de, 1683-1757.

*Mémoires pour servir à l'histoire des insectes.*

Paris, De l'imprimerie royal, 1734-1742.

6 v.

(4°)

MRB.189-190

Liger, Louis, 1658-1717.

*La nouvelle maison rustique, ou économie generale de tous les biens de campagne:...* par Le Sieur Liger.

Huitième édition, augmentée considérablement, ... et enrichie de figures en taille-douce, par M.\*\*\*

Paris, Durand, 1762.

2 v.

(4°)

MRB.191

Rey Deplanazu.

*Oeuvres d'agriculture et d'economie rurale / par Rey Deplanazu ... ; enrichies de trente planches enluminées, précédées d'un tableau annuel de la régie, administration et comptabilité des revenus d'une terre, où l'on découvre au premier coup-d'œil, sans être sur les lieux, les produits de toutes les parties d'un bien quelque considérable qu'il puisse être.*

Nouvelle édition, revue, corrigée et augmentée.

A Paris : Chez la veuve de l'auteur ... et chez Meurant ..., An X (1801)

(4°)

MRB.192

*Mémoires sur les questions proposées par l'Académie impériale et royale des sciences et belles-lettres de Bruxelles : qui ont remporté les prix en M.DCC.LXXIX*

Bruxelles : De L'imprimerie académique, 1778.

(4°)

MRB.193

Columella, Lucius Junius Moderatus.

[De re rustica. English.]

*L. Junius Moderatus Columella of husbandry. In twelve books: and his book concerning trees.* Translated into English, with several illustrations from Pliny, Cato, Varro, Palladius, and other antient and modern authors.

London : printed for A. Millar, 1745.

(4°)

MRB.194

Wildman, Daniel, fl. 1772-1812.

*A complete guide for the management of bees throughout the year; ...* By Daniel Wildman. ...

The fifth edition, with additions, illustrated with copper-plates.

London : printed for the author, 1785.

(8°)

MRB.195

Maraldi, M.

*Observations sur les Abeilles*

From: *Memoires de L'Academie Royal des Sciences*, Montpellier. Année 1712.

pp. 299-336.

(4°)

MRB.196

Society of Gentlemen.

*The complete farmer: or, a general dictionary of husbandry, in all its branches ; containing the various methods of cultivating and improving every species of land, ... To which is added, The gardener's kalendar, ...* Illustrated with a great variety of folio copper-plates, ...

The third edition, corrected and improved. By a society of gentlemen, ...

London : printed for J.F. and C. Rivington, S. Crowder, T. Longman, B. Law, T.

Lowndes, G. Robinson, T. Cadell, and R. Baldwin, 1777.

(4°)

MRB.197

Lisle, Edward, 1666?-1722.

*Observations in husbandry.* By Edward Lisle, Esq; ...

London : printed by J. Hughs: for C. Hitch and L. Hawes, J. Rivington and J. Fletcher; J. Rivington; W. Sandby; and R. and J. Dodsley, 1757.

(4°)

MRB.198

Alamanni, Luigi, 1495-1556.

*La coltivazione di Luigi Alamanni, e Le api di Giovanni Rucellai gentiluomini fiorentini. Colle annotazioni di Ruberto Titi sopra Le api, e con gli Epigrammi toscani dell'Alamanni. ; Con una dotta lettera del Sig. Giovanni Checozzi vicentino in disesa del Trissino, due copiose tavole, e varie notizie intorno alla vita, e agli scritti de' due poeti.*

In Bologna : Nella stamperia di Domenico Guidotti, e Giacomo Mellini ..., 1746.

(4°)

MRB.199

Estienne, Charles, 1504-ca. 1564.

*Maison rustique, or, The countrey farme. Compyled in the French tongue by Charles Steuens, and Iohn Liebault, Doctors of Physicke. And translated into English by Richard Surflet, practitioner in physicke. Now newly reuiewed, corrected, and augmented, with diuers large additions, out of the works of Serres his Agriculture, Vinet his Maison champestre, French. Albyterio in Spanish, Grilli in Italian; and other authors. And the husbandrie of France, Italie, and Spaine, reconciled and made to agree with ours here in England:* by Geruase Markham. The whole contents are in the page following.

London : printed by Adam Islip for Iohn Bill, 1616.

(2°)

MRB.200

Moffett, Thomas, 1553-1604.

*Insectorum sive minimorum animalium theatrum olim ab Edoardo Wottono, Conrado Gesnero, Thomaque Pennio inchoatum: tandem Tho. Movfeti Londinâtis operâ sumptibusq; maximis concinnatum, auctum, perfectum: et ad vivum expressis iconibus suprâ quingentis illustratum.*

Londini, ex officinâ typographicâ Thom. Cotes, 1634.

(2°)

MRB.201

Bacon, Francis, 1561-1626.

*Sylva sylvarum: or, A naturall historie. In ten centuries. Written by the Right Honourable Francis Lo. Verulam Viscount St. Alban. Published after the authors death, by William Rawley Doctor in Divinitie, one of his Majesties chaplaines. Hereunto is now added an alphabeticall table of the principall things contained in the whole worke.*

London : Printed by Iohn Haviland for William Lee, and are to be sold by Iohn Williams, 1635.

(2°)

MRB.202

Worlidge, John, fl. 1660-1698.

*Systema agriculturæ the mystery of husbandry discovered; wherein is treated of the several new and most advantageous ways of tilling planting sowing manuring ordering improving all sorts of gardens, orchards, meadows, pastures, corn-lands, woods, & coppices. And of all sorts of fruits, corn, grain, pulse, new hays, cattel, fowl, beasts, bees, silk-worms, &c. With an account of the several instruments and engines useful in this profession. To which is added, Kalendarium rusticum; or, The husbandmans monethly directions. Also the prognosticks of dearth, scarcity, plenty, sickness, heat, cold, frost, snow, windes, rain, hail, thunder, &c. And Dictionarium rusticum: or, The interpretation of rustick terms.* Published for the common good, by J. W. Gent.

London, : printed by T. Johnson for Samuel Speed, near the Inner Temple Gate in Fleet-street, 1669.

(2°)

MRB.203

Wildman, Thomas, d. 1781.

*A treatise on the management of bees; wherein is contained the natural history of those insects; with the various methods of cultivating them, ... To which are added, the natural history of wasps and hornets, ...* Illustrated with copper-plates. By Thomas Wildman.

London : printed for the author, and sold by T. Cadell, 1768.

(4°)

MRB.204

Worlidge, John, fl. 1660-1698.

*Systema agriculturæ the mystery of husbandry discovered: treating of the several new and most advantageous ways of tilling, planting, sowing, manuring, ordering, improving of all sorts of gardens, orchards, meadows, pastures, corn-lands, woods & coppices. As also of fruits, corn, grains, pulse, new-hays, cattle, fowl, beasts, bees, silk-worms, &c. With an account of the several instruments and engines used in this profession. To which is added kalendarium rusticum: or, the husbandmans monthly directions. Also the prognosticks of dearth, scarcity, plenty, sickness, heat, cold, frost, snow, winds, rain, hail, thunder, &c. And dictionarium rusticum: or, the interpretation of rustick terms. The whole work being of great use and advantage to all that delight in that most noble practice.*

The second edition, carefully corrected and amended; with many large and useful additions throughout the whole work: by the author. Published for the common good: by J.W. Gent.

London : printed by J[ames]. C[ottrell]. for T. Dring; and are to be sold by Charles Smith and Tho. Burrell, at the Angel near the Inner-Temple-gate, and the Golden Ball under St. Dunstons Church in Fleet-street, 1675.

(2°)

MRB.205

Wheler, George, Sir, 1650-1723.

*A journey into Greece, by George Wheler Esq; in company of Dr Spon of Lyons. In six books. Containing I. A voyage from Venice to Constantinople. II. An account of Constantinople and the adjacent places. III. A voyage through the Lesser Asia. IV. A voyage from Zant through several parts of Greece to Athens. V. An account of Athens. VI. Several journeys from Athens, into Attica, Corinth, Bæotia, &c. With variety of sculptures.*

London : printed for William Cademan, Robert Kettlewell, and Awnsham Churchill, at the Popes Head in the New-Exchange, the Hand and Scepter in Fleetstreet, and the Black Swan near Amen-Corner, 1682

(2°)

MRB.206(1)

Topsell, Edward, 1572-1625?

*The historie of foure-footed beastes. Describing the true and liuely figure of euery beast, with a discourse of their seuerall names, conditions, kindes, vertues (both naturall and medicinall) countries of their breed, their loue and hate to mankinde, and the wonderfull worke of God in their creation, preservation, and destruction. Necessary for all diuines and students, because the story of euery beast is amplified with narrations out of Scriptures, fathers, phylosophers, physitians, and poets: wherein are declared diuers hyeroglyphicks, emblems, epigrams, and other good histories, collected out of all the volumes of Conradus Gesner, and all other writers to this present day. By Edward Topsell.*

London : printed by William Iaggard, 1607.

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MRB.206(2)

Topsell, Edward, 1572-1625?

*The historie of serpents. or, the second booke of liuing creatures: : ,b wherein is contained their diuine, naturall, and morall descriptions, with their liuely figures, names, conditions, kindes and natures of all venemous beasts: with their seuerall poysons and antidotes; their deepe hatred to mankind, and the wonderfull worke of God in their creation, and destruction. Necessary and profitable to all sortes of men: collected out of diuine Scriptures, fathers, phylosophers, physitians, and poets: amplified with sundry accidentall histories, hieroglyphicks, epigrams, emblems, and aenigmaticall obseruations.*  
/ By Edvvard Topsell..

London : Printed by William Jaggard, 1608.

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MRB.207

Worlidge, John, fl. 1660-1698.

*Systema agriculturæ; the mystery of husbandry discovered. Treating of the several new and most advantageous ways of tilling, planting, sowing, manuring, ordering, improving of all sorts of gardens, orchards, meadows, pastures, corn-lands, woods & coppices. As also of fruits, corn, grains, pulse, new-hays, cattle, fowl, beasts, bees, silk-worms, fish, &c. With an account of the several instruments and engines used in this profession. To which is added kalendarium rusticum: or, the husbandmans monthly directions. Also the prognosticks of dearth, scarcity, plenty, sickness, heat, cold, frost, snow, winds, rain, hail, thunder, &c. And dictionarium rusticum: or, the interpretation of rustick terms... The fourth edition carefully corrected and amended, with one whole section added, and many large and useful additions throughout the whole work.* By J.W. Gent.

London : printed, and are to be sold by John Taylor, at the Ship in St. Paul's Church-Yard, 1698.

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MRB.208

Harris, Moses, 1731?-1785?.

*An exposition of English insects including the several classes of Neuroptera, Hymenoptera, & Diptera, or bees, flies, & libelullæ* Exhibiting on 51 copper plates near 500 figures, accurately drawn, & highly finished in colours, ... By Moses Harris,

London : sold by Mr. White, & Mr. Robson, 1782.

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MRB.209

Russell, Robert (of Elgin)

*A typographical curiosity, being a compilation on the natural history and management of bees, developed in a juvenile attempt at type-making ...*

[Elgin?], 1834

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MRB.210

Bromwich, Bryan I'Anson.

*The experienced bee-keeper, containing an essay on the management of bees : wherein is shewn, ... the most easy and profitable Method of treating those useful insects. ...*

London : printed for Charles Dilly, 1783.

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**[This is a photocopy of MRB.159]**

MRB.211

Wildman, Thomas, d. 1781.

*A treatise on the management of bees; wherein is contained the natural history of those insects; with the various methods of cultivating them, ... To which are added, the natural history of wasps and hornets, ...* Illustrated with copper-plates. By Thomas Wildman.

London : printed for the author, and sold by T. Cadell, 1768.

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MRB.212

Scottish Beekeepers Association

*List of members of federated associations and other beekeepers in Scotland 1931.*

MRB.213

Scottish Beekeepers Association

*List of members of federated associations and other beekeepers in Scotland 1931.*

MRB.214

Playfair, James (Minister of Bendochy, Pershshire)

*Of the care and knowledge of bees, their management and natural history, containing an account of the singular mode of generation by which they are produced...*

1804

[A bound, handwritten manuscript]

MRB.215

Scottish Beekeepers Association

*Minute book of the Scottish Beekeepers Association*

MRB.216

Pliny, the Elder.

[Naturalis historia. English]

*The historie of the world. Commonly called, the naturall historie of C. Plinius Secundus.*

Translated into English by Philemon Holland Doctor in Physicke. The first tome.

London : printed by Adam Islip, 1601.

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MRB.217

Pliny, the Elder.

[Naturalis historia. English]

*The historie of the world. Commonly called, the naturall historie of C. Plinius Secundus.*

Translated into English by Philemon Holland Doctor in Physicke.

London : printed by Adam Islip, 1634.

(2°)

MRB.218

Pliny, the Elder.

[Naturalis historia. English]

*The historie of the world. Commonly called, the naturall historie of C. Plinius Secundus.*

Translated into English by Philemon Holland Doctor in Physicke.

London : printed by Adam Islip, 1634.

(2°)

MRB.219

Worlidge, John, fl. 1660-1698.

*Systema agriculturæ; the mystery of husbandry discovered. Treating of the severall new and most advantageous ways of tilling, planting, sowing, manuring, ordering, improving of all sorts of gardens, orchards, meadows, pastures, corn-lands, woods & coppices. As also of fruits, corn, grain, pulse, new-hays, cattle, fowl, beasts, bees, silk-worms, fish, &c. With an account of the severall instruments and engines used in this profession. To which is added Kalendarium rusticum: or, The husbandmans monthly directions. Also the prognosticks of dearth, scarcity, plenty, sickness, heat, cold, frost, snow, winds, rain, hail, thunder, &c. and Dictionarium rusticum: or, The interpretation of rustick terms. The whole work being of great use and advantage to all that delight in that most noble practice.*

The third edition carefully corrected and amended, with one whole section added, and many large and useful additions throughout the whole work. By J.W. gent.

London : printed for Tho. Dring, at the Harrow at the corner of Chancery-lane in Fleetstreet, 1681.

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MRB.220

Topsell, Edward, 1572-1625?

[Historie of foure-footed beastes]

*The history of four-footed beasts and serpents: describing at large their true and lively figure, their several names, conditions, kinds, virtues (both natural and medicinal) countries of their breed, their love and hatred to mankind, and the wonderful work of God in their creation, preservation, and destruction. Interwoven with curious variety of historical narrations out of Scriptures, fathers, philosophers, physicians, and poets: illustrated with divers hieroglyphicks and emblems, &c. both pleasant and profitable for students in all faculties and professions.* Collected out of the writings of Conradus Gesner and other authors, by Edward Topsel. Whereunto is now added, The theater of insects; or, Lesser living creatures: as bees, flies, caterpillars, spiders, worms, &c. A most elaborate work: by T. Muffet, Dr. of Physick. The whole revised, corrected, and enlarged with the addition of two useful physical tables, by J.R. M.D. London : printed by E. Cotes, for G. Sawbridge at the Bible on Ludgate-hill, T. Williams at the Bible in Little-Britain, and T. Johnson, at the Key in Pauls Church-yard, 1658.

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MRB.221-222

Chomel, Noel, 1632-1712.

[Dictionnaire oeconomique. English.]

*Dictionnaire oeconomique: or, the family dictionary. Containing the most experienced methods of improving estates and of preserving health, ... All sorts of rural sports and exercises, ... Done into English from the second edition, lately printed at Paris, ... written by M. Chomel: with considerable alterations and improvements. Revised and recommended by Mr. R. Bradley, ... In two volumes. ...*

London : printed for D. Midwinter, 1725.

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MRB.223

Laurence, John, 1668-1732.

*A new system of agriculture. Being a complete body of husbandry and gardening in all the parts of them. Viz. Husbandry in the field, and its several improvements: of forest and timber trees, great and small; with ever-greens and flow'ring shrubs, &c. Of the fruit-garden. Of the kitchen-garden. Of the flower-garden. In five books. Containing all the best and latest, as well as many new improvements, useful to the husbandman, grazier, planter, gardener and florist. Wherein are interspersed many curious observations on vegetation; on the diseases of trees, and the general annoyances to vegetables, and their probable cures. As also a particular account of the famous silphium of the antients.* By John Laurence, M.A. Rector of Bishops-Weremouth in the Bishoprick of Durham, and prebendary of the Church of Sarum. London : printed for Tho. Woodward, at the Half-Moon over against St. Dunstan's Church in Fleetstreet, 1726.

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MRB.224

Society of Gentlemen.

*The complete farmer: or, a general dictionary of husbandry, in all its branches; containing the various methods of cultivating and improving every species of land, ...* by a society of gentlemen, ...

London : printed for the authors; and sold by S. Crowder; J. Coote; and F. Blythe, 1766.  
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MRB.225

Society of Gentlemen.

*The complete farmer: or, a general dictionary of husbandry, in all its branches; containing the various methods of cultivating and improving every species of land, ...* By a society of gentlemen, ...

The fourth edition...

London : Printed for T. Longman, B. Law, G.G. J. and J. Robinson, T. Cadell, R. Baldwin, W. Otridge, and W. Lowndes, [1807?]

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MRB.226

Pliny, the Elder.

[Historiae mundi]

*Ioannes Frobenius lectori S. D. En damus C. Plinii Secundi divinum opus cui titulus, Historia mundi, multo quâam antehac unquam prodijt emanulatus: idq[ue] primum ex annotationibus eruditorum hominum, praesortim Hermolai Barbari: deinde ex collatione exemplariorum. quae hactenus opera doctorum nobis quâam fieri potuit emendatissime sunt excusa: postremo ex fide uetustissimorum codicum, ex quibus non pauca restituimus, quae alioque nemo, quamlibet eruditus uel deprehendere poterat. Absit inuidia dicto. Vicimus superiores omnes. Si quis hanc palmam nobis eripuerit, non illi quide[m] inuidebimus, sed studijs publicis gratulabimur.*

Basileae : apud Io.Frobenium, Mense Martie, 1525.

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MRB.227

Swammerdam, Jan, 1637-1680.

[Bybel der natuure. English.]

*The book of nature; or, the history of insects: reduced to distinct classes, confirmed by particular instances, ... and illustrated with copper-plates. ...* By John Swammerdam, M.D. With the life of the author, by Herman Boerhaave, M.D. Translated ... by Thomas Flloyd. Revised and improved ... by John Hill, M.D.

London : printed for C. G. Seyffert, 1758.

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MRB.229

Hale, Thomas, Esq.

*A compleat body of husbandry. Containing rules for performing, in the most profitable manner, the whole business of the farmer, and country gentleman, ...* Compiled from the original papers of the late Thomas Hale, ... Illustrated with a great number of cuts, ...

London : printed for T. Osborne and J. Shipton; J. Hodges; T. Trye; and S. Crowder and H. Woodgate, 1756.

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MRB.230-232

Pliny, the Elder.

[Naturalis historia.]

*Caii Plinii Secundi Historiæ naturalis libri XXXVII / quos interpretatione et notis illustravit Joannes Harduinus e societate Jesu ...* -- Editio altera emendatior & auctior.

Parisiis : Typis Antonii-Urbani Coustelier ..., 1723.

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Greuter, Matthäus (1564-1638)

Also a putative claim to authorship by the Belgian Justus Riquius.

*Melissographia*

This is one of possibly four surviving copies – produced ca. 1625 - of an enlarged drawing of bees that was originally produced in Rome in 1618 by Francesco Stelluti and other fellow-members of The Academy of the Lynx, the first scientific society. The 1618 originals have not survived.