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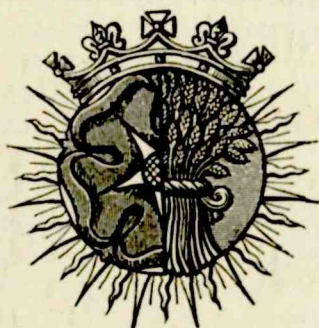
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1923. Feb. 10.	BAILEY, Miss H. E. Roselands, 177 Menlove Avenue, Calderstones, Liverpool.
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1936. Jan. 30.	BANKES, Mrs. J. H. M. Winstanley Hall, Wigan.
1933. Dec. 7.	BANKS, Miss G. C., F.R.C.S.(E.). 33 Rodney Street, Liverpool, 1.
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1915. Jan. 28.	BENAS, Bertram B. B., B.A., LL.B. 10 Ullet Road, Liverpool, 8.
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1928. Mar. 29.	BEWLEY, E. R. Glencoe, Hall Road, Blundellsands, Liverpool, 23.

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1937. Feb. 18. CROWDEN, Miss Olive. 25 Huntly Road,
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1910. Mar. 3. ELWELL, Rev. H. E., M.A. Capenhurst Rectory, Chester.
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1938. Jan. 13. FRANCE, R. Sharpe. 104 Preston New Road, Blackpool.
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1925. Mar. 14. HARGREAVES-MAWDSLEY, R. 80 Pembroke Road, Clifton, Bristol.
1935. Nov. 14. HARRIS, S. A., A.C.I.S. 74 Booker Avenue, Mossley Hill, Liverpool.
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1934. Oct. 11. HUTTON, Miss D. K. Moss Bank, Aughton, Ormskirk.

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1930. Nov. 13. PEDDER, Mrs. Millfield Road, Widnes.
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pool, 1.
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1935. Mar. 28. REED, G. E. 11 Mentmore Road, Mossley
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1935. Jan. 24.	SHELLEY, Roland, J.A., F.R.H.S. "Denbie House," Formby, Lancs.
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1928. Feb. 16.	SMITH, John Fredk., F.S.A. (Scot.). Tutnal, Gwydrin Road, Calderstones, Liverpool. <i>Hon. Librarian.</i>
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1936. Jan. 30.	SPEAKMAN, Miss D. R. 2 Hendon Road, Fairfield, Liverpool, 6.
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1935. Mar. 14.	VARLEY, Mrs. Joan, B.A. 78A Bedford Street South, Liverpool.
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1918. Jan. 31.	WELD, Francis. 32 Weld Road, Birkdale, Southport.

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1924. Oct. 30. WILSON, Miss A. J., M.A. 11 Falkner Square, Liverpool.
1915. Jan. 1. WINSTANLEY, H. 276 Allerton Road, Mossley Hill, Liverpool, 18.
1905. Mar. 9. WITHERS, R. E. M. Red Lea, Sandlea Park, West Kirby, Cheshire.
1904. Jan. 28. WOLSTENHOLME, Chas. M. "Parkbury," Talbot Road, Oxtou, Birkenhead.
- WOODS, E. C., L.D.S. Green Gables, Bowness-on-Windermere.

LIBRARIES.

1908. Mar. 5. ACCRINGTON Public Library. Accrington.
1888. Mar. 22. ATHENÆUM Library. Liverpool.
1907. Feb. 21. BARROW-IN-FURNESS Public Library. Barrow-in-Furness.
1896. Jan. 16. BIRKENHEAD Public Library. Birkenhead.
1889. Oct. 31. BIRMINGHAM Central Public Library. Ratcliff Place, Birmingham.
1870. April 7. BLACKBURN Public Library. Blackburn.
1888. Mar. 22. BODLEIAN Library. Oxford.
1907. Jan. 5. BOLTON-LE-MOORS Public Library. Bolton, Lancs.
1890. Nov. 6. BOOTLE Free Library. Oriel Road, Bootle, Lancs.
1888. Mar. 22. BOSTON ATHENÆUM. Boston, Mass., U.S.A. (C/o Messrs. C. G. Allen & Sons, Ltd., 14, Grape Street, Shaftesbury Avenue, London, W.C.2.)
1889. Jan. 10. BOSTON Public Library. Boston, U.S.A. (C/o B. Quaritch, Ltd., 11 Grafton Street, London, W.1.)
1891. Nov. 5. BRITISH MUSEUM Library. (C/o Messrs. B. F. Stevens & Brown, New Ruskin House, 28-30 Little Russell Street, London, W.C.1.)
1879. Jan. 9. CHETHAM'S Library. Manchester.
1922. April 4. CHICAGO UNIVERSITY. Order Division, Harper, W.21, Chicago, U.S.A.
1900. Mar. 29. CHORLEY Free Public Library. Chorley, Lancs.
- CLEVELAND Public Library. Ohio, U.S.A. (C/o Henry Sotheran, Ltd., 43 Piccadilly, London, W.1.)

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1905. April 11.	CONGRESS, Library of. Washington, U.S.A. (C/o Messrs. Allen & Sons, <i>sup.</i>)
1907. July 15.	DARWEN Free Library. Darwen, Lancs.
1912. Nov. 21.	HARVARD COLLEGE Library. U.S.A. (C/o Messrs. Allen & Sons, <i>sup.</i>)
	HENRY E. HUNTINGTON Library and Art Gallery, San Marino, California, U.S.A.
	HIS MAJESTY'S STATIONERY OFFICE. The Director of Publications, Books Section (P.R.O.), Princes Street, London, S.W.1
1891. Nov. 5.	IRELAND, NATIONAL Library of. (C/o Messrs. Hodges, Figgis & Co., Ltd., 20 Nassau Street, Dublin.)
1910. Nov. 10.	JOHN RYLANDS Library. Deansgate, Man- chester.
1897. Nov. 4.	LANCASTER Public Library. Lancaster.
1889. Mar. 7.	LEEDS Public Library. Leeds.
1911. Oct. 25.	LEIGH Public Library. Leigh, Lancs.
1931. Jan. 1.	LIVERPOOL Institute, Mount Street, Liverpool.
1904. Jan. 28.	LIVERPOOL Public Library. Liverpool. LIVERPOOL (The Tate Library). University of Liverpool.
1888. Mar. 22	MANCHESTER Public Libraries. Piccadilly, Manchester.
1888. Mar. 22.	MANCHESTER UNIVERSITY Library. Man- chester.
1904. Mar. 25.	MAYER Free Library. Bebington, near Bir- kenhead.
1931. Oct. 8.	MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY Library. Ann Arbor, Michigan, U.S.A.
1897. Mar. 25.	NEW YORK, Public Library of. U.S.A. (C/o Messrs. Stevens & Brown, <i>sup.</i>)
1893. Feb. 9.	NEWBERRY Library. Chicago, U.S.A. (C/o Messrs. Stevens & Brown, <i>sup.</i>)
1907. July 15.	OLDHAM Free Library. Oldham, Lancs.
1913. Oct. 30.	PEABODY INSTITUTE, The. Baltimore, U.S.A. (C/o Messrs. Allen & Sons, <i>sup.</i>)
1929. July 7.	PRESTON Education (Library) Dept. County Offices, Preston.
1929. July 7.	PRESTON (HARRIS) Public Library. Fisher- gate Hill, Preston.

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1931. Oct. 8.	PRINCETON University Library. (C/o E. G. Allen & Son, Ltd., 12-14 Grape Street, Shaftesbury Avenue, London, W.C.2.)
1936. June 8.	PUBLIC Library of Victoria, Melbourne. (C/o Henry Sotheran, Ltd., 43 Piccadilly, London, W.1.)
1911. Jan. 19.	PUBLIC RECORD OFFICE. London. (C/o H.M. Stationery Office, Princes Street, Westminster, S.W.1.)
1901. April 13.	ROCHDALE Public Library. Rochdale, Lancs.
1924. Jan. 31.	ROYAL Library. Copenhagen. (C/o Francis Edwards, 83A High Street, Marylebone, London, W.1.)
1888. Mar. 22.	ST. HELENS Public Library. St. Helens, Lancs.
1907. July 15.	SALFORD ROYAL MUSEUM and Library. Peel Park, Salford, Lancs.
1897. Jan. 28.	SOUTHPORT (ATKINSON) Public Library. Southport, Lancs.
1911. Jan. 19.	STOCKPORT Public Library. Stockport, Cheshire.
1891. Nov. 5.	STONYHURST COLLEGE, Rev. the Rector of, S.J., Blackburn.
1908. Aug. 22.	TORONTO Reference Library. Toronto, Canada.
1903. Mar. 12.	VICTORIA AND ALBERT MUSEUM Library, South Kensington, London, S.W. (C/o Board of Education, Storekeeper's Dept., South Kensington.)
1913. Nov. 27.	WALES, NATIONAL Library of. Aberystwyth.
1918. Jan. 1.	WALLASEY Public Library. Wallasey, Cheshire.
1892. Nov. 3.	WARRINGTON MUSEUM. Warrington.
1889. Jan. 10.	WIGAN Public Library. Wigan.
1913. Oct. 30.	WISCONSIN STATE HISTORICAL SOCIETY. Madison, Wisconsin, U.S.A.
1936. Jan. 30.	YALE UNIVERSITY LIBRARY. (C/o E. G. Allen & Son, Ltd., 12-14 Grape Street, Shaftesbury Avenue, London, W.C.2.)

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Society of Antiquaries of Scotland, Queen Street, Edinburgh.
Royal Society of Antiquaries of Ireland, 63 Merrion Square, Dublin.
New England Historical and Genealogical Society, 9 Ashburton
Place, Boston, Mass., U.S.A.
Bristol and Gloucestershire Archæological Society, c/o Roland
Austin, Public Library, Gloucester.
Cambridge Antiquarian Society, Librarian, Museum of Archæology
and Ethnology, Downing Street, Cambridge.
Chester Archæological Society, Grosvenor Museum, Chester.
Cumberland and Westmorland Antiquarian Society, Tullie House,
Carlisle.
East Riding Antiquarian Society, The Museum, Hull.
Essex Archæological Society, Holly Trees, Colchester.
Exeter Diocesan Architectural and Archæological Society.
Kent Archæological Society, The Museum, Maidstone.
Lancashire and Cheshire Antiquarian Society, c/o R. Wardman,
The Beeches, Massie Street, Cheadle, Cheshire.
Leicestershire Archæological Society, The Guildhall, Leicester.
Lincoln and Notts. Architectural and Archæological Society, Public
Library, Lincoln.
London and Middlesex Archæological Society, Bishopsgate
Institute, Bishopsgate, London.
Society of Antiquaries of Newcastle-on-Tyne, C. H. Hunter Blair,
F.S.A., The Library, Blackgate, Newcastle.
Shropshire Archæological and Natural History Society, The
Librarian, Free Public Library and Museum, Shrewsbury.
Somersetshire Archæological and Natural History Society, H. St.
George Gray, Taunton Castle.
Suffolk Institute of Archæology and Natural History, Athenæum,
Bury St. Edmunds.
Sussex Archæological Society, The Castle, Lewes, Sussex.
Thoresby Society, The Hon. Librarians, 16 Queen's Square, Leeds.
Yorkshire Archæological Society, The Librarian, 10 Park Place,
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