Addenda and Corrigenda

to

J. D. Fleeman,

A Bibliography of the Writings of Samuel Johnson, 1731-1984

Welcome to this up-dating of the late David Fleeman’s A Bibliography of the Writings of Samuel Johnson, published in two volumes by Oxford University Press on 2 March 2000. The Bibliography attempts to list all editions of Johnson’s works from his first publication, ‘Messia’, in John Husbands’s Miscellany in 1731, to the editions published in the year of the bicentenary of his death, 1984. That year David Fleeman hosted an international conference at Pembroke College, Oxford, Johnson’s college and his own, and called a halt to the record of modern editions.

This site is devoted to additions and corrections to the Bibliography; its aim is not to continue the list beyond 1984. It is intended as a quarry for interested Johnsonians and takes a liberal view of what constitutes an addition or correction. Sifting will be the responsibility of some later reviser. Items are listed in Fleeman order, and the information has been given as briefly as possible. A provisional attempt has been made to allot new items to their place in the Fleeman sequence. NIF stands for ‘Not in Fleeman’. I have followed David Fleeman in extending the English use of ‘Esq.’ to Americans, and apologize to those whose names I do not know.

I had intended to give the source of an item at the end of the entry, but some scholars have been so generous as to make that laborious. I am particularly grateful to Don Eddy, for allowing me to reproduce the information in his review of the bibliography (The Library, 7th ser., 2 (2001), 161-78), and to Jerry Goldberg for permission to use the listing of his Johnson library. I have retained many of the differences in styling of these lists, while adapting them to the Fleeman order. I am indebted to David Christie, Roger Lonsdale, Jim McCue,, David Vander Meulen (review essay in The Age of Johnson, 13 (2002), 389-435), Shef Rogers, and Henry Woudhuysen for generously sharing information with me, to Robert J. Barry, most particularly, and Amelia Prostano, who helped Don Eddy and Jerry Goldberg, and to Stephen Owen who originally helped set up the web-page.
I do not wish to add further to the lists of copies, but John Bloomerg-Rissman of the ESTC invites reports of additional institutional copies to be sent directly to him, either by email (at johnbr@ucrac1.ucr.edu) or by post (CBSR 016, Olmsted Hall, University of California, Riverside, CA 92521-0154). I am happy to receive corrections and other additions.

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33BS [p. 4] Brodhurst’s Sermons. Copies: [Liebert present location unknown].

35.2LV/1a [p. 6] Lobo’s Voyage to Abyssinia, first issue
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[Dr. Shef Rogers]

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35.2LV/2 [p. 10]
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Notes, lines 7-8: read N-2G (-2F) (17 sheets)
—, line 9: read 218 (N1\(^v\), the first of the second batch of sheets) through 380 (Z3\(^v\)), A facsimile was published by AMS Press in 1978. [Professor David L. Vander Meulen]

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38.5L/la [p. 18] London. Copies: [Liebert = CtY]; add Univ. of Chicago (Borowitz copy); Univ. of Kansas, 2 cc. (1. Realey E4, no. 28 in vol. labelled ‘Miscellanies’ Splendid copy! 2. Brodie 52, item 4 in vol. all pages and text present, but closely and sloppily cropped); Univ. of North Carolina (H. Bradley Martin copy); Penn. State Univ. (Rabinowitz copy); Paul Ruxin (from Simon Finch, London dealer); William A. Strutz; Univ. of Toronto; Yale British Art Center (Paul Mellon copy); Richard Goodyear (Francis A. Martin copy).

38.5L/1a [p. 18]
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38.5L/1b [p. 18]
Notes: add Introd. Note by J. D. Fleeman. Also reprints text from Dodsley’s Collection (38.5L/8) and Vanity of Human Wishes in two versions (49.1VW/45) [Professor David L. Vander Meulen]

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38.5L/8 [p. 24]
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38.5L/21 [p. 29]
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39.4MN/1 [p. 38] Marmor Norfolciense, first edition
Initial note (c)—‘above’ not ‘below’ the second row of flowers. Todd reads ‘above’ as well. Explicit ‘FINIS’ not ‘FINIS’.
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39.5CV [p. 42] A Compleat Vindication
Statement of Contents: ’COMPLEAT’ not ’COMPLEAT’ in p. 5 dh
Catchwords: 7 [Poste-] erty has ! on p. 8 of WTU text.
Explicit: ’FINIS’, not ’FINIS’
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39.10CP/1a Crousaz, Commentary on Pope, first edition, second issue.
[p. 44, lines 3 and 4] for ‘xxix’ read ‘xxxix’ [xs are small caps.; i lower case]


40.4GP [p. 50] Prologue to Garrick’s Lethe. Copies: add NIC.
40.7LB/1 [p. 52] Life of Blake. Copies: [Liebert = CtY; Liebert dup. = NIC].


42.11SW/1 [p.72] Life of Sydenham. Copies: add Gerald M. Goldberg, Esq.; [Liebert 1a = CtY; 2b = NIC].

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42.12MC [p. 79] Miscellaneous Correspondence
Contents list: 'v Advertisement', but p. 80 notes refers to 'Avertisement'. One must be a typo. [Dr. Shef Rogers]

43.1CBH [p. 84] Harleian Catalogue
Add to Vol. IV: 'MDCCXLIV'
Vol. I Contents: 'v' for 'iv'
Vol. I Catchwords: add 328 '6327 Chro- (6327 Liber Chronicorum)'
Vol. II Format statement: '(§2 (-C2 signed)' and volume number on signatures, though I did not check whether it is correct or present on all signatures
Vol. II Contents: 'Lectoris' for 'To the Reader' on iv; 'BIBLIOTHECÆ HARLEIANÆ' in italics in index dh.
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43.1CBH [p.89] Copies: add NIC (5 vols.); Gerald M. Goldberg, Esq. (4 vols.); [Liebert = 7G, to Rippey, to Vassar].

43.12HMP [p. 92] Proposals for the Harleian Miscellany
Notes: (a) III. read 'their Names, and Places' in col. 1 and 'on Ludgate-hill' in col 2. [Dr. Shef Rogers]
44.2LS/1 [p.95] Life of Savage, first edition. Copies (a) First state: add Gerald M. Goldberg, Esq.; [Liebert (a) 1 and (b) 1 = CtY].

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44.4HM/1 [p. 116] Harleian Miscellany, first edition
Vol. VIII Contents: 'Additional Subscribers', 'the Publication' [Dr. Shef Rogers]

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45.10MBM/lb [p. 130] Samuel Madden, Boulter’s Monument. Copies: [Liebert = CtY].
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47.8PD/1a [p. 141] Plan of the Dictionary
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49.1VW/45 [p. 175] Vanity of Human Wishes
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49.2I/4 [p. 179]
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50.3R/S/3/Add1 [p. 301] Rambler Selection

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51.1LLD [p.321] Lauder’s Letter to Douglas 1751. Copies: [Liebert c.1 = Gerald M. Goldberg, Esq.; c.2 = CtY].

52.3LFQ/1 [p.325] Lennox’s The Female Quixote, first edition. Copies: add NIC; [Liebert = CtY].
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53.5LSI/1 [p.402] Lennox’s Shakespear Illustrated. Copies: add Gerald M. Goldberg, Esq.; NIC; [Liebert c.1 = Larry Blackmon, Esq.; c.2 = CtY].


55.4MM/1 [p.410] Mary Masters’s Poems. Copies: [Liebert present location unknown]
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55.4D/1a Dictionary, first edition
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Vol. III: 29D¹a 4. Ver- ; 30L¹a 4. Weary

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Vol. I: S² Ambiguities [Fleeman: period after Ambiguities]; 7B¹a You (Leºs) [Fleeman: Less]
Vol. II: 11Y²a IMPE´RSONABLE. (IMPE´RFORMABLE.) [Fleeman: IMPERFORMABLE]; 20C¹b 2. To place; [Fleeman: no semi-colon after place]
Vol. III: 29A²b Can (7. Petty pride :) [Fleeman: no semi-colon after pride]; 30C²a UPCA´ST. (Old Saturn,) [Fleeman: no comma after Saturn] [Karma Pippin]

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56.1DA/77/Add1 NIF [p. 539] Johnson's Pocket Dictionary of the English Language. . .
London: William Tegg . . .R. Griffin, Glasgow; and Cumming and Ferguson, Dublin. 1846. 1 v. Possibly a reimpression of the plates of Tegg's edition which was first printed in 1813; see 56.1DA/29 and note, p. 517. ACC 19950705-te [Liebert = CtY].

56.1DA/78 [p. 540]
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56.1DA/78 [p. 540]
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56.1MD/9 [p. 559] Miniature Dictionary
n. 1: 'Salibury' presumably for 'Salisbury'? [Dr. Shef Rogers]
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56.2RDT/1a Rolt’s Dictionary of Trade, first issue. Copies: [Liebert = CtY].

56.3BCM/1a [p. 675] Browne’s Christian Morals
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Date of publication: No specific advertisement found in the newspapers, but sometime between April 17, 1787 and November, 1787. The General Evening Post of April 10-12 (and April 14-17), 1787 advertised, ‘In the Press, and speedily will be published, In One Volume, Octavo, A NEW EDITION of THE LATIN COMEDY OF IGNORAMUS..’ but I located no further advertisements in any newspaper. It was reviewed in the Critical Review 64 (November, 1787) 33336, published early in December. The review noted that the price was ‘6 s. in Boards.’

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Notes: Ruggle, George, 1575-1622. Edited by John Sidney Hawkins, 1757-1842. Although the Critical Review devoted almost four pages to the play, the net effect was scarcely one to make any potential reader rush out to buy a copy. The review ends, ‘We receive it with thankfulness; but we must own our ingratitude: we have more than once dropt asleep over pages; which have been compiled and written with no little toil. The rust of antiquity is a never failing opiate’ (p. 336).

Since John Nichols had printed 500 copies of the-play at his own expense, he could not have been happy with such a review. In an effort to promote sales of the play, and to be fair to John Sidney Hawkins, Nichols wrote a detailed letter to the Gentleman’s Magazine, which published it as the main part of its review; see the Gentleman’s Magazine 58 (January, 1788) 49-51. It prints Samuel Johnson's letter to Nichols of April 12, 1784--see the Letters of
Samuel Johnson, ed. Bruce Redford. 5 vols. (Princeton: Princeton U. Press, 1992-94) 4: 310-11--plus all of Hawkins' 'Plan of a new Edition of the Latin Comedy of Ignoramus,' which had been corrected by Samuel Johnson. Nichols tells us that ‘The following is the Proposal which was inclosed in the Doctor's letter; and it is but justice to declare that every part of the engagement has been punctually fulfilled’ (p. 49). [The original manuscripts of both Johnson's letter and the Plan are in the Hyde Collection.] The review continues, ‘All this, and even more than this, we will venture to say, has been done by Mr. Hawkins, who has shewn much judgement and uncommon assiduity, both in the comment and the glossary; and, in the memoirs of his author, has brought forward many new and entertaining particulars’ (p. 49). Most of the rest of the review consists of extracts. [Please note that Nichols reprinted all the review from the magazine (omitting some extracts) in his Literary Anecdotes of the Eighteenth Century, 9 vols. (London: Printed for the Author, 1812-15) 9:35-37.]

Alas, the play was also reviewed by Richard Porson (1759-1808) in the Monthly Review 78 (March, 1788) 197-201. In his opening paragraph Porson notes that ‘the comedy of Ignoramus is sunk and overwhelmed in a prodigious mass of notes and illustration’ (p. 197). Porson admits, almost grudgingly, that the collation of ‘all the old copies, printed and manuscript. he seems to have performed with sufficient industry and accuracy, and without ostentation’; but the reviewer then continues, ‘We mean not to deny merit to many of the annotations on Ignoramus, yet we are forced to confess, that the greater part can neither convey instruction nor amusement’ (p. 199). The review ends with a paragraph of such outrageous condescension that it is painful to read.

Although Nichols refers to the Plan as a Proposal, it was merely Johnson's personal proposal to Nichols and was never meant--as the letter makes clear--to be printed and published as an appeal for subscriptions. It does seem evident, however, that the Plan should be admitted to the Johnson bibliography. With Ignoramus we have not only Johnson's corrected Plan but his letter to Nichols setting forth the terms for printing and publication. Did Johnson assist Hawkins in any way with the actual editing or annotation of the text of the play? Probably at least six of the copies listed above--Yale, Cornell, McMaster, Hyde Collection, Goldberg and Zachs--were purchased in the hope that some Johnsonian connection beyond the Plan might be established. At this time, in Fleeman's words, such thoughts must ‘remain conjectural.’ [Donald D. Eddy, Esq.]


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