

Introduction. Perhaps BF's most interesting purchase of 1744 was a "light Wig" from the barber George Cunningham, 1 May. Was it his first wig? And was it the same light brown wig that he was wearing when Robert Feke painted him in 1746? When BF bought the Arch Street property from the bricklayer Christopher Tompson and his wife Mary, 1 Aug 1741, he did not buy the ground, and this year, 17 April, contains the first extant record of the annual £3.17.0 payments for the ground rent to Tompson. The London printer William Strahan, who was to become BF's best friend in England in 1757-1762, begins his numerous appearances in the accounts, 1 Feb.

Imprints. Franklin charged the Pennsylvania Assembly 7.3.0 on 29 Jan for Votes and Proceedings, probably for the first two sessions (14-15 Oct, and 14 Nov to 8 Dec) of the 1743-44 assembly (Miller 362). At the end of the last session, BF was paid £62.1.2 as clerk and public printer; and for postage of public packets to the governor, he was paid 11.10.0 (11 Aug). In addition, the legislature paid BF £154.6.4. for employing a "servant" in the affairs of the Pennsylvania legislature (11 Aug). Could this have been for a messenger to carry war news?

Franklin brought out his pamphlet An Account of the New Invented Pennsylvania Fire-Places in 1744, and the accounts show that he charged Robert Grace on 17 Dec "For Sundries Printing &c. & paying the Boston Engraver for work for the new invented Fire Place, 19.11.0." Franklin and Grace were also evidently willing to take special orders: on 1 Nov BF debited Andrew Farrel for "Stove Rods & Reg'r, 3.18.6." Though he printed the Lancaster Indian Treaty of 1744 (Miller 364) for the Pennsylvania legislature, he must have thought it would sell well and evidently printed about eight hundred extra

copies. He sent 300 to William Strahan for sale in England (11 Sept), 25 copies to the Annapolis printer Jonas Green (14 Sept), 50 more copies to Green (6 Oct), and he sold one copy on credit to an individual, Robert Strettel (25 Sept). The following year, he sent 25 copies to his partner James Parker (27 June 1745).

BF charged 35s each for Gov. Lewis Morris' s two proclamations (Miller nos. 356-357) concerning the war with France (14 June). Pennsylvania paid him £185.8.4 for printing the paper currency emission of 1 Aug 1744 (Miller 361; accounts 23 Aug 1745). He gambled on Issac Watts' Preservative from Sins and Follies (Miller 365), selling a dozen to the merchant Thomas Davies of Hopewell on 1 Nov for 6 shillings or six pence apiece. Since individuals paid 8 pence apiece for the small book, the wholesaler made 2 pence on each copy. When, nearly a year later, Franklin still had hundreds of copies on hand, he sent off 500 to Joshua Blanchard in Boston at 4 pence each.

Postmaster. A puzzling entry that occurs repeatedly but begins this year is the "Newtown Mercury (Dan'l)" (7 March). Since the account is invariably for letters, I wonder if it refers to a post office in Newtown, Pa.

The Shop. Franklin supplied other printers and papermakers with such necessary items as paper molds and hair cloths (11 Feb, William Parks; see also 6 April 1743). Evidently somewhere in the Philadelphia area a person made paper moulds (24 Nov, in Parks). For the Boston firm of Rogers and Fowle, he continued to sell the American Magazine, charging Israel Pemberton, jr., 4.6 for the magazine for six months. He sent his journeyman printer Olaus Malender to Rhode Island, presumably to work for his sister-in-law Anne Franklin, and paid him £1.4.0 on 1 May. And another employee,

the budding scientist Lewis Evans, bought a thermometer on 27 Nov. Franklin sold several interesting items out of his shop in 1744, including "4 Doz. of Letter Cases" (11 Jan), "Galloshees" (13 Jan), "Half Pint Lavender" (9 April), and a mare and colt (21 Aug). The Pennsylvania Gazette must have been doing well, as the Honorable George Thomas's debt of 4.10.0. for "9 Years Gazette" shows. In credit, Franklin received from William Allen "his Bill against New Schooner George" worth 5.0.0. (2 July) and on several other occasions (3 and 7 July, 4 Aug) accepted these speculations in shipping in lieu of cold, hard cash. But the most unusual barter goes to Wm. Ramsey, who received "Cr. By Diaper, 9.4." (14 September).

£166.67 Pa currency = £100 sterling: McCusker 185.

Chronology:

- 1 Jan, Sunday. Mr. David Evans (Crown), Almks. 6 Taylors, 5 Poor Dicks [Miller 324], 3/11½ 1 Pack' g. Ledger D 71.
 ---. Mr. Wm. Paschal, Dr. Gazette to Jan. 1, 1743-4, 4.15.0. Ledger D 303.
- 2 Jan, Monday, 1743/4. Mr. Edw'd Catterel, Dr. Half a Doz. of Almanacks, 1.9. Ledger D 209.
 ---. Rec'd of B. Franklin for the Use of Anthony Newhouse Seven Pounds. Witness Lewis Evans. Mich'l Jason Fye's Mark. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 2.
 ---. Mr. Reece Meredith, Dr. To 2 Magazines [Miller 343 or 343a?], 2.0. Ledger D 187.
 ---. Mr. James Read, Dr. A Magazine, 1.0. Ledger D 159.
- 3 Jan, Tuesday. Mr. Benj'n Paschal, Dr. Testament, 2.0. Ledger D 60.
- 4 Jan, Wednesday. Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. Cash Per Linc'n, 10.0. Ledger D 382.
 ---. Mr. Michael Hillegas, Dr. For Advt. of a Mare, 5.0.; For Do. in the Gazette. Ledger D 133.
 ---. Mr. Olaus Malander, Dr. Cash 7.6. Ledger D 371.
 ---. Mr. Anto. Newhouse, Dr. Cash, 7.0.0. Ledger D 245.
 ---. Mr. Jn. Read (Christeen) Settled & rec'd £3.7.5. in full. Cr. Settled with Mr. Read (Errors excepted) & receiv'd £3.7.5. in full. B. Franklin. Ledger D 257-58.
- 5 Jan, Thursday. Sister Ann Franklin, Dr. 1,000 Poor Rich'd [Miller 324], 100 Pocket Almanacks [Miller 323]. Ledger D 206.
 ---. J. Green, N. London, Dr. 100 Pock't Almks [Miller 349]. Ledger D 235.
 ---. Mr. Husk (Post Mas'r, Boston). Dr. For 2 Doz. Pocket Almanacks stich'd in Gift Pap'r; For a Fireplace, 5£; paid per Order.
 ---. Mr. Hugh Meredith, Dr. Cash, 6.0.; Cash, 7.6. Ledger D 318.
 ---. Mr. Sam'l. Smith, (Burl). Dr. for 2 Advts. in the News, 10.0.; For 2 Doz. of Almanacks, 7.0.; 1 Doz. of Pocket [Miller 323], 6.0. Ledger D 36.

- . Mrs. Timothy, Dr. For 1000 Poor Richard Almanacks [Miller 324 or 325a]. Ledger D 184.
- 6 Jan, Friday, 1743/4. Simon Beasely, Dr. For Paper, 2.6. Ledger D 180.
- . Mr. Thomas Lewis, (that takes the News) Dr. Half a Doz. of Almanacks, 1.9. Ledger D 213.
- . Matthias Meuris, Dr. a Law Book by Jacob Levering, 1.15.0. Ledger D 375.
- 7 Jan, Saturday. Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. Cash Per Linc'n, 5.0. Ledger D 382.
- . Mr. Geo. Harding (breeches Ma[ke]r), Dr. Paper. Ledger D 179.
- . Mr. Olaus Malander, Dr. Cash 10.0. Ledger D 371.
- 9 Jan, Monday. Mr. Sam'l Norris, Dr. Pennsylvania Law Book [Miller 288?] finely bound & gilt, 2.2.0. Ledger D 162.
- . Stephen Potts, Dr. Cash, 3.0. Ledger D 302.
- 10 Jan, Tuesday. Mr. Andrew Farrel, From Work Book. Dr. For Advt. in Gaz. N787 [11 Jan 1743/4], Negro Man, charg'd above, 5.0. Ledger D 361. Same as 11 Jan.
- . Mr. Goodwin, bookbinder, Dr. for a Letter pd to Piscatua, 3.4. Ledger D 351.
- . Stephen Potts, Dr. Cash, 1.0.0. Ledger D 302.
- 11 Jan, Wednesday. Mr. Jn. Cox, Trenton, Dr. 1 Quire of thin Post, 2.0; 1 Quire of Thick Post, 3.0.; 6 small Sticks of Wax, 2.0.; 100 Quills, 1.6. Ledger D 236.
- . Mr. Andrew Farrel, Dr. For an Advertisement of the Sale of Negroes, for Dr. Brown, 5.0. Ledger D 361.
- . Mr. Olaus Malander, Dr. Cash 7.6. Ledger D 371.
- . Mr. Wm. Ramsey, Dr. 6 Testaments, 10.0.; for 4 Doz. of Letter Cases 14.0. Ledger D 283.
- 12 Jan, Thursday. Mr. Thos. Godfrey, Dr. Six Bonds, 1.6. Ledger D 62.
- . Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. Cash Per Linc'n, 5.0. Ledger D 382.
- . Mr. Reece Meredith, Dr. for a Long Advt. in the Gazette, 7.6. Ledger D 187.
- 13 Jan, Friday. Mr. Jonas Green, Dr. Pair Galloshes, 7.6.; Cr. by Cash per Lewis Evans, 1.7.8. Ledger D 207.
- . G. Hesselius, Dr. Quire Paper, 1.10. Ledger D 50.
- . Mr. Olaus Malander, Dr. Cash 7.6. Ledger D 371.
- . Mr. Wm. Parks (Virginia), Dr. Cash paid, Mr. Grew, 5.0.0.; Cash paid for Hair Ropes, 2.3.9. Ledger D 366, 400 (second item only).
- 14 Jan, Saturday. Madam Lecount, Cash per L. Evans 20.0, Cash per Negro Girl 40.0, 3.0.0. Ledger D 128.
- . Mr. Sam'l Read, baker, Dr. Cash, 10.0.0. Ledger D 69. Also Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 2.
- . Mr. Swan Warner, Dr. Six Doz? Pocit Almks. [Miller 323?] 3.0. Ledger D 122.
- 16 Jan, Monday. Mr. Jn. Murphy, Dr. Cash 10.0. Ledger D 349.
- 17 Jan, Tuesday. Mr. Reece Meredith, Dr., From Office Work Book, Advt. in Gazette N788 [19 Jan 1743/4], Goods, 10.0. Ledger D 187.
- . Captain W' m Wallace (*brought the cannons in 1748 to Philadelphia?* P 3:282). C' r for an Adv' t and for 3 Years York Gazette, p' d March 28 1751. Ledger D 29.
- 18 Jan, Wednesday. Mr. Olaus Malander, Dr. Cash 8.0. Ledger D 371.
- . Mr. Jn. Murphy, Dr. 2 Dz. Pocket Almks. [Miller 323] 12.0. Ledger D 349.
- . Mr. Anto. Newhouse, Dr. Cr. for 29 Reams of Brown Paper at 4.6 a ream, 6.9.6.

- Ledger D 246.
- 19 Jan, Thursday. Mr. Antony Benezet, Dr. for Dilworth's Arithmetick & Spelling Book, 6.0. Ledger D 57.
- . Dr. Th[omas] Bond, Dr. Quire Paper, Outside Genoese, 5.0.; Black Wax, 0.4. Ledger D 100, 229.
- . Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. Sundries, 12.6. Ledger D 382.
- . Mr. Wm. Maugridge, Dr. for Ben Lays Book [Miller 134], 2.0. Ledger D 52.
- . Stephen Potts, Dr. Cash, 1.0. Ledger D 302.
- . Mr. Thos. Robinson, Merchant, Dr. a Quire of thick Post, 3.0. Ledger D 264. 21 Jan, Saturday. Dan'l Dolby, Dr. for Cash, 2.0.0. Ledger D 212.
- . Stephen Potts, Dr. For 6 Quires of Propatria, 12.0. Ledger D 302.
- 24 Jan, Tuesday. Rev'd Mr. Thomas Evans, Cr. By Cash per Mr. Andrews, 10.0.0. Ledger D 191.
- . BF dr to Solomon Fussell for one Childs Chair, 2.6. Solomon Fussell's Account Book, 1738-1751, Stephen Collins Papers, DLC; PMHB 40 (1916): 121.
- . Mr. Goodwin, bookbinder, Dr. For 4 Books of Gold & 2 Quire of thick Post, 1.2.0. Ledger D 351.
- . The Honorable James Logan, Eqr. Law Book in Sheets [Miller B33?], 1.10.0.; See Fol. 76. Advertisement, Two [ref to 24 Nov 1743], 10.0. Ledger D 202.
- 25 Jan, Wednesday. Mr. David Lawrence, Cr. by Cash, 16.3. Ledger D 265.
- 26 Jan, Thursday. Mr. Wm. Crowwait, Dr. Ink powder 1.0. Ledger D 49.
- 28 Jan, Saturday. Mr. Elias Burdenot, Dr. Spelling Book, 2.6. Ledger D 171.
- . Edward Smout, Esq., Dr. Blank Bonds and Indentures, 16.0. Ledger D 216.
- 29 Jan, Sunday. Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. <Cash p'd him in full for Iron Plate had by D Lawrence of Hartford, 16.3>. Ledger D 382.
- . Mr. Sam'l Gray, Smith, Dr. for a Common Prayer Book by his Man, 7.0; For Printing 100 Tables of Gold [Miller A191], 10.0. Ledger D 105.
- . Messrs. Hamilton & Coleman, Crs. by Piece Oznabrigs, £6.12. Settled with W. C[oleman]. Ledger D 173.
- . Mrs. <Jakel> Jekyll, Dr. For Paper 1.0. Ledger D 145.
- . Bond to Samuel McCall for £400. APS B/F85Lf, no. 7.
- . Mr. Wm. Maugridge, Dr. for 500 Advt. for Mr. Brown [Miller A196], 15.0. Ledger D 52.
- . Mr. Anto. Newhouse, Dr. Cr. for 32 Reams of Brown Paper. Ledger D 246. Dr. for a Peice of Oznabrigs, 6.12.0.; Cash, 1.19.6.; Webster's Arithmetick, 6.0. Ledger D 251.
- . PA Province or Assembly, Dr. For Printing the Votes [prob Miller 362 for the first and second sessions], 7.3.0.; Mem. the City Bill [Miller 335]. Ledger D 247.
- . Mr. Jn. Read, jun'r (Christeen), Dr. Doz. Birkets Almanacks, 3.6.; 2 Doz. of Primmers, 9.0.; 1 Doz. of Almanacks, 3.6. Ledger D 157.
- 31 Jan, Tuesday. Geo. McCall's Ex[ecu]tors, Dr. Cash pd. Saml. McCall jun., 12.0.0. Ledger D 335.
- 1 Feb, Wednesday. W' m Peters (Concord), D' r. Dictionary 16/. Ledger D 21.
- . William Strahan debted James Read £10.19.6, "For Sundries to Mr. Franklin." Vol.

- 66, p. 65b.
- 2 Feb., Thursday. Mary Ball, Adv't Plant'n. 5/ [1743/4]. Ledger D 4.
- . Mr. Ebenezer Currie, Dr. Advt. in Gaz. N790 [2 Feb 1743/4], Goods, 7.6. Ledger D 230.
- . Mr. James Macky, Dr. <Paper?>, 2.4. Ledger D. **[PAGE??]**
- . The hon'rble T. Penn, Esq. From Work Book, For Advt. of Quitrents, 7.6. Ledger D 158.
- 3 Feb., Friday. Mr. Craddock (Taylor), Dr. for the Augine & Carthagine Pamphlets, 3.9. Ledger D 344.
- 4 Feb., Saturday. Mr. Goodwin, bookbinder, Dr. Cash, 1.0.0. Ledger D 351.
- . Mr. Swan Warner, Dr. Lampblack 15.0. Ledger D 122.
- 5 Feb., Sunday. Mr. Geo. Oakil, Dr. Quire of Paper, 1.4. Ledger D 262. Could be 1742/3.
- 6 Feb., Monday. Mrs. Dummer, Dr. Cash, 1.2.6. Ledger D 97.
- . Mr. Benj'n Paschal, Dr. For Paper, 1.4. Ledger D 60.
- . Honorable George Thomas, Esq., Dr. For a Stick of Wax, 1.0.; 9 Years Gazette, 4.10.0. Ledger D 189.
- . Mr. Casper Wister, Dr. 6 Almanacks, 1.9. Ledger D 49.
- 7 Feb., Tuesday. Mr. Goodwin, bookbinder, Dr. for Paper, 14.0.; 3 Skins of Leather, 7.0.; Cr. for Binding Bonnell's Books, 1.2.6. Ledger D.
- . Lawrence Growden, Esq., Dr. Ship Letters, 0.8. Ledger D 190.
- . Israel Pemberton, junr. Dr. for Books deliver'd to Capt. Borrell, 5.1.6.; The Acct. deliver'd to Israel Pemberton. Ledger D 72.
- 8 Feb., Wednesday. John Ellis, Glazier, Adv' t Glazing 5/. Ledger D 9.
- . Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. 1 Cord Hickory Wood, 12.8. Ledger D 382.
- . Jedediah Higgins, D' r, for Jersey Laws. 0.2.0, 2 Magazines 0.2.0, an Almanack 0.0.5. Ledger D 11.
- . Arch'd Hume, Esq., Dr. Blank Book, 4.0. [Note in Margin:] "Dead & Gone." Ledger D 95. Line drawn through account.
- . Mr. Hugh Meredith, Dr. Feb 8 is the time of the last written above. Cash, 7.0.; 7.6. Ledger D 318.
- . Broth'r Jn. Read, Dr. To 1 Pott of Butter, 60 Grose 162 Teer with a Shilling the Freight, 1.3.0. Ledger D 256.
- . Abraham Taylor, Esq., Dr. For the Virginia Laws, 2.0.0.; Report of the House of Augine, 2.6. Ledger D 273.
- . Mr. Tho. Wilcox, Dr. For Cash, 1.0.0.; For Postage of 3 Ship Letters, 1.0. Ledger D 355. Per C[ontr]a Cr. For 4 Rolls of Pasteboard, 98 lb. Ledger D 355-56.
- 9 Feb., Thursday. Mr. Beacon (near Burl'n), Dr., Credit by Cash in full, 2.12.0. Ledger D 93.
- . Wm. Bradford, Dr. To Horace 2 vol., 1.2.0. Vol. 66, p. 78; see also 12 June 1742..
- 10 Feb. Friday. Wm. Bradford, Dr. To Wingate's Arithmetic, 8.6. Vol. 66, p. 78; see also 12 June 1742.
- 11 Feb., Saturday. Mr. Jo. Grover, Sp[anish]town Jamaica, Cr. by Cash 10.0.0. Ledger D 293.
- . Mr. Jn. Murphy, Dr. Bible 5.6.; Com.Pr. 5.0.; Sp.Book 2.6.; Gilt Papr 6d. 3 Doz.

- Almk. 10.6.; Cr. per Pockt. Almk. [Miller 323] ret'd, 6.0. Ledger D 349.
- . Mr. Wm. Parks (Virginia), Dr. for 9 Skins at 2.6. a Skin, [total] 1.2.6.; For Pair of Molds, 5.0.0.; 2 Doz. of Hair Cloths, 1.16.0. Ledger D 366, 400.
- 13 Feb., Monday. Mr. Job Noble, Dr. Law Book 35.0; Advertisement 2.6. [total] 2.2.6. Ledger D 174. Could be 1744/5.
- 14 Feb., Tuesday. Tench Francis, Esq. Dr. Rudiments per Son, 2.0. Ledger D 56.
- . Mr. Anth'y Newhouse, Dr. Cash, 5.1.3. Ledger D 251.
- . Mr. Jn. Pigott, Paid Feb. 14. 1743/4, 8.0. Ledger D 43. (For charges on 9 Feb 1741/2.)
- . Stephen Potts, Dr. 7 Quire Paper Propatria, 14.0. Ledger D 302.
- 16 Feb., Thursday. Mrs. Deb. Connely, Dr. Advt. in Gaz. N792 [16 Feb 1743/4], Nigro Men, 5.0. Ledger D 166.
- 18 Feb., Saturday. Mrs. Eliz. & Wm. Donaldson, Dr. Calendar 5.0, Scale 5.6, Qr. Pap. 1.8. Total 12.2. Ledger D 146.
- . Mr. Wm. Maugridge, Dr. Ben Lays Book [Miller 134], 2.0. Ledger D 52.
- . Rec'd the Sum of Eight Pounds, Six Shillings on Accot., L8.6.0. Per Stedman Robertson & Co., Receipt Book, 1742-64, p.3.
- 21 Feb., Tuesday. Mr. Goodwin, bookbinder, Dr. Cr. By binding 25 Watts's Psalms [Miller 227], 1.5.0.; Dr. Cash, 1.10.0. Ledger D 351.
- . Mr. Isaac Jones, Cr. by Eng. Dammask. [no amount]. Ledger D 84.
- . Thos. Rogers, Shoemaker, Dr. Paper per Son 1.6. Ledger D 95.
- 22 Feb., Wednesday. Ralph Asheton, Esq. Dr. To Advt. in Gazette N793 [22 Feb 1743/4], Sawmills &c., 10.0. Ledger D 131.
- . William Parks, Esq. to B. Franklin, Dr. For sundries, Paper & Inkp'dr deliv'd Mr. Grew, 7.0. Ledger D 366, 400.
- . Stephen Potts, Dr. 3lb. Butter 2.0. Ledger D 302.
- 23 Feb., Thursday. Mr. Sleidhorn (sugarBaker), Dr. Setteled to this Day feb. 23, total 3.4.9. Ledger D 287.
- 24 Feb., Friday. John Franklin, Boston, 1 ream of soap paper. (Ledger D 347.) Miller A190 has this entry, but it should be 25 Feb 1745.
- . Messrs. Stydman & Robinson, Dr. Cash, 8.6.0. Ledger D 143.
- 25 Feb., Saturday. Mr. Alex. Annand, Dr. Two Vocabularies, 4.6. Ledger D 108.
- . Benj. Franklin, Esq., Dr. to Charles Moore. To dressing a hat, 1.0. Vol. 66, p. 71a.
- . Mr. Isaac Jones, Dr. Dr. For Sundries, 3 NeweC[astle] Laws [Miller 231?] 5.1.6. Ledger D 84.
- 28 Feb, Tuesday. James Mackey, Dr. for paper, 2.0., for power of attorney, 4d. total, 2.4. Ledger D 33.
- . Rec'd of Mr. B. Franklin four pounds Ten Shillings & 0.9 In full of all acct. L4.10.9, H. Schleydorz. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 3.
- 29 Feb., Wednesday. Mr. Swan Warner, Dr. Almanacks, 3.6. Ledger D 122.
- 1 March, Thursday. Emmerson & Graydon, Dr. For Advertisement in Gaz. N794 [1 March 1743/4], Tracts of Land, 10.0. Ledger D 73.
- . John Wallace (Merch' t.), Dr. For Advt. in Gaz. N794 [1 March 1743/4], Sloop Eliz., 5.0. Ledger D 212.

- 2 March, Friday. Mr. James Macky, Dr. Two quire Paper, 3.4. Ledger D 33.
 ---. Rec'd. of Mr. Benjamin Franklin The Sum of Eleven Pounds 18.6 In Part of Acct. for the Use of Samuel Parr, 11.18.6. Per Caleb Parr. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 3.
- 3 March, Saturday. Madam Lecount, Cash 20.0 = 1.0.0. Ledger D 128.
 ---. Broth'r Jn. Read, Dr. For A Hog, 1.6.9. Ledger D 256.
 ---. Mr. Isaiah Warner, Dr. Cash, 20.0.0. Ledger D 227.
 ---. Mr. Joseph Wharton (See Walton, Joseph), Dr. A Greek Grammar for his Son, 3.0. Ledger D 86.
- 4 March, Sunday. Mr. Elias Burdenot, Dr. Bible, 5.0. Ledger D 171.
- 6 March, Tuesday. Mr. Anth'y Newhouse, Dr. To Cash, 4.0.0. Ledger D 251.
 ---. Mr. Anth'y Newhouse, Per Con[tra] Cr. By Paper, 20.16.6. Ledger D. 252.
- 7 March, Wednesday. Mr. Elias Burdenot, Dr. Paper 1.6. Ledger D 171.
 ---. Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. Sundries, 26.0. Ledger D 382.
 ---. Mr. Wm. Mode, Dr. Pamela [Miller 338], 6.0. Ledger D 132.
 ---. Newtown Mercury (Dan'l), Dr. Letters, 3.2. Ledger D 223.
 ---. Receive'd of Benj. Franklin Twenty Pounds on Acct. Per me, Isaiah Warner. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 3.
 ---. Will[iam] Young, Joppa, Dr. Sent him a list Amo[unting] to £114.15.6 to collect for me. Ledger D 83. Note: If Young was an attorney, then this account supplies the only evidence I know that BF tried to sue to collect his debts.
- 9 March, Friday. Mr. Oswald Peel, Dr. Advt. 2 Hogsheads, Flaxseed, Gaz. N795 [9 March 1743/4], 5.0. Ledger D 213.
- 10 March, Saturday. Wm. Bradford, Dr. To 6 Testaments, 11.6.; To 2 Dyches Spelling Book, 3.6. Vol. 66, p. 78; see 12 June 1742.
 ---. Mrs. Dummer, Dr. A large Bible, 2.5.0. Ledger D 97. Transferd to Ledger .
 ---. Mr. James Read, Dr. Cash, 3.0.0. Ledger D 159.
- 11 March, Sunday. Mr. Goodwin, bookbinder, Dr. Marble Paper, 2.0. Ledger D 351.
 ---. Mr. Thos. Hopkinson, Dr. Ivory Memo. Book, 5.6. Ledger D 139.
 ---. Mr. Geo. Oakil, Dr. Quire Paper, 1.4. Ledger D 262. Could be 1744/5.
 ---. Mr. Joseph Wharton (See Walton, Joseph), Dr. For 2 Slates, 3/9, one great & the other small, one return'd. Ledger D 86.
 ---. Receipt for newspapers furnished Richard Harrison. Logan Papers, v. 21, p. 2, PHS. Could be 1744/5.
- 12 March, Monday. Messrs. Blare & Mcllvain, Dr. Eutropius per Son, 7.6. Ledger D 218.
 ---. Tench Francis, Esq. Dr. Eutropius per Son, 7.6. Ledger D 56.
 ---. Mr. Goodwin, bookbinder, Dr. Law Book, 1.15.0.; Cr. for Binding a Book 6.0. Ledger D 351.
 ---. Mr. Jo. Grover, Sp[anish]town Jamaica, Cr. by Cash 15.3.0. Ledger D 293.
 ---. Mr. Wm. Maugridge, Dr. Slate, 1/6. Ledger D 52.
- 13 March, Tuesday. Mr. Lam'd Emmerson, joyner, Dr. Psalm Book 2.0., [account marked through with comment at end, "lost." Ledger D 67.
 ---. Mr. Harrison (Boston), Omit'd 240 Watts' s Psalms [Miller 227] sent back. Ledger D 186.
 ---. Benj. Hooton, Adv't 2 Houses 5/. Ledger D 14.
- 15 March, Thursday. Mr. Wm. Bingham, Dr. For Advt. in Gaz. N796 [15 March 1743,4],

- Sadlery 5.0. Ledger D 94.
- 17 March, Saturday. Mr. Wm. Bradford, Dr. For 48 Ream Genoa Paper lent at Sundry Times to be returned in kind. Vol. 66, p. 72; APS Hays 3:558.
- . John Wright, Esq., Dr. Six Poc't [Pocket] Alm'ks [Miller 323], 3.0. Ledger D 87.
- 18 March, Sunday. Matthias Meuris, Dr. 3 Skins Parchment, at 2.9., 8.3. Ledger D 375.
- . Mr. Saml. Parr, Dr. Cash, 6.0.0. Ledger D 36.
- . Thos. Rogers, Shoemaker, Dr. Paper, 1.8. Ledger D 95.
- 19 March, Monday. Mr. Joseph Wharton (See Walton, Joseph), Dr. Eutropius in usumDelphini, 7.6. Ledger D 86.
- 20 March, Tuesday. Mr. Joseph Breintnal, Dr. Cash lent 12.0. Ledger D 92.
- . Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. 2 Eng. Print & Prim'r, 15.6. Ledger D 382.
- . Jededah Higgins, D'r, 3 Magazines 0.3.0. Ledger D 11.
- . Mr. Isaac Jones, Dr. For Sundries 2.7. Ledger D 84.
- . Mr. James Parker, Dr. Two Doz. Pocket Almanacks [Miller ?]. Ledger D 297.
- . Mr. Ch. Willing, Dr. for Cash in full L6.3.6. Ledger D 140.
- 21 March, Wednesday. Mr. Sam'l. Austin, Joiner, Dr. For Advt. in Gazette N.797 [21 March 1743/4], Cordage, 5.0. Ledger D 53. Transfer'd to Ledger E, fol 62.
- . Mr. William Bradford, Dr. Four Ream Genoa Paper per Hercules. Ledger D 327.
- . Mr. Wm. Fry, Dr. Paper 8.6, Slate 2.3, Wafers 6.0., Total 11.3. Ledger D 181.
- . Mr. Rob't Grace, Cr. by Barclay's Works, 25.0.; Dr. For Logans Book [Miller 347], 3.6. Ledger D 382.
- . Mr. Isaac Jones, Dr. Cash 31.16. Ledger D 84.
- 22 March, Thursday. Province of New Jersey, Cr. by Cash, L18.8. Ledger D 341.
- . Receiv'd of Benjamin Franklin Six Pounds Three Shillings and Two pence in full for Mr. Willing Per Archibald McCall, 6.3.2. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 4.
- 23 March, Friday. Receiv'd of Benja. Franklin, Thirty-one Pounds Sixteen Shillings, 3l.16.0. on Acct. Per me, Jos. Beddome, L31.16.0. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 4.
- 24 March, Saturday. Mr. Anth'y Newhouse, Dr. Cash £10. Ledger D 251.
- 26 March, Monday. Mr. William Bradford, Dr. Four Ream Genoa per Hercules. Ledger D 327. Two entries in Ledger D one for 21 & another for 26 March.
- . Thos. Burden at State House, Dr. Spelling Book, 2.6. Ledger D 36.
- . Mr. Tho. Wilcox, Dr. For Raggs 1305 lbs. at 1½d, 8.3.1½. Per C[ontr]a Cr. 167 lb. Press Pap'rs at 13d, 9.0.11. Ledger D 355-56.
- 28 March, Wednesday. Mr. Wm. Parsons, Dr. for his Assumption to pay Fifty Pounds, 50.0.0.; Cr. By Cash £25 in Part. Ledger D 188.
- . Mr. Nicholas Scull, Dr. For Interest on Acworths Order per Agree'mt, 15.0. Ledger D 149.
- 29 March, Thursday. Jn'o. Baldwin, Adv't 5/ 1744 Mar 29 Deeds lost. Ledger D 4.
- . Messrs. Bard & Lawrence, Dr. For Advt. Gaz. N798 [29 March 1744; ad appears in 799 for 5 April 1744], Partnership expires, 5.0. Ledger D 352.
- . Mr. Samuel Bickley, Dr. For Advt. in Gaz. N798 [29 March 1744], Horse, 5.0. Ledger D 250.
- . William Bradford, Dr. From Work Book, Advt. in Gaz. N798 [29 March 1744; ad appears in N799, 5 April 1744], Sermon, 5.0.; Advt. in N798 [29 March 1744; ad appears in N799, 5 April 1744], Examiner examin'd, 5.0. Ledger D 331.

- . Mr. Jasper M'Call, Dr. Advt. Brig. St. Andrew, Gaz. N798 [29 March 1744], 5.0. Ledger D 350.
- . John Morgan, for D' o. 5/. Ledger D 18.
- . Rec'd of Benjamin Franklin Twelve Pounds on Acct. of Stedman and Robertson & Compa. Per me, Hans Barr, L12.0.0. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 4.
31 March, Saturday. Mr. Goodwin, bookbinder, Dr. for Cash, 10.0.; Cr. By binding 4 Qr. thick Post 5.0. Ledger D 351.
- . Mr. Legate (Newcastle), Dr. Blank Book 4 Qr. thick Post., 18.0. [BF has written the note: "Dead. Query if any Estate." Ledger D 270.
- . Mr. Tho. Wilcox, Dr. For Cash pd. for halling Raggs, 2.0. Ledger D 355.
2 April, Monday. Messrs. Blare & Mcllvain, Dr. Clarks Ovids Metam., 15.0. Ledger D 218.
- . Mr. William Bradford, Dr. Four Ream Genoa per Hercules. Ledger D 327.
- . Thos. Burden at State House, Dr. Paper, 2.8. Ledger D 36.
3 April, Tuesday. Mr. Goodwin, bookbinder, Dr. Cr. By Sundries of binding & ruling 13.0. Ledger D 351.
- . Jekyel Wheeler, Dr. One Doz. Watt's Psalms [Miller 227?] 24.0. Ledger D 338.
4 April, Wednesday. Mr. Goodwin, bookbinder, Dr. for Cash 10.0. Ledger D 351.
5 April, Thursday. Mr. William Bradford, Dr. Four Ream Genoa per Hercules. Ledger D 327.
- . Thomas Cattringer (Staymaker), Dr. Cash & Paper 15.9. Ledger D 109.
- . Mr. Jn. Cox, Trenton, Dr. A pocket Bible and Quills, 9.0. Ledger D 236.
- . Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. 1 lb. L. blac Per Linc'n, 5.0. Ledger D 382.
- . Mr. Rob't Montgomery, Alanstown, Cr. by 3 Poc. Bibles return'd and Cash £4 (Alent.). Ledger D 160.
- . Jn. Wilkinson, brushma[ker], Dr. Paper 4.0. Ledger D 112.
9 April, Monday. Mr. William Bradford, Dr. Four Ream Genoa per Hercules which he says makes 40 Ream in all. Ledger D 327.
- . Mr. Thos. Godfrey, Dr. Half Pint Lavender. Ledger D 62.
- . Mr. [Joseph] Goodwin, bookbinder, Dr. Cash 20.0.; Cr. binding 30 Cato's [Miller 347] at 1.6., £2.5. Ledger D 351.
- . Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. Cash p'd in N. York, 69.0. Ledger D 382.
- . Jedediah Higgins, C' r Cash 7/5. Ledger D 11.
- . Mr. Anth'y Newhouse, Dr. Cash 100.0. Ledger D 251.
- . Mr. Anth'y Newhouse, Per Con[tra] Cr. By 69½ lb. Blue Pap. at 8d, 2.6.4.; Cr. By 26 Ream Demy Print at 15.0., 19.17.6. Ledger D 252.
- . Mr. Benj'n Paschal, Dr. Pocket Almanack, 0.10. Ledger D 60.
11 April, Wednesday. Mr. Alex. Annand, Dr. 3 Grammers, 10.6. Ledger D 108.
- . Rich. Busby, Cr. 15/ on Acct of his note. Ledger D 4.
- . Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. For Indep. Whig, 20.0. Ledger D 382.
- . Mr. Jn. Potts, Dr. For Bibles, 1.11.6. Ledger D 337.
12 April, Thursday. Aubrey Bevan, Adv't Horse 5/ Paid Dec 12, 44. Ledger D 4.
- . Mr. Sam'l McCall, Dr. From Work Book omitted in Settling. For Advt. in Gaz. N.800 [12 April 1744], Cordage, 5.0. For Magazines 6 Months at 9d, 4.6. Ledger D 346.
- . Mr. Rob't Strettel, Dr. From Work Book, Advt. of Ship Totness, N800 [12 April 1744],

5.0. Ledger D 322.

- 13 April, Friday. Messrs. Bard & Lawrence, Dr. For Paper & Wax, 2.0. Ledger D 352.
 ---. Mr. William Read, new garden, Cr. By Cash in full £1.16.0. Ledger D 87.
- 15 April, Sunday. Mr. William Bradford, Dr. Four Ream Genoa Paper D[elivere]d Hercules. Ledger D 327.
 ---. Benger, Elliot, Esq. Dr. Cash pd. Recording his Commission, 7.0. Ledger D 134. Cf. 25 April.
 ---. Receiv'd of Benja. Franklin Sixteen Pounds 4 Shillings in full Per me, John Denton, L16.4.0. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 4.
- 17 April, Tuesday. Received of Benja. Franklin Three Pounds Seventeen Shillings being in full for the Rent of his Lot (bounding on Arch Street and Appletree Ally) to the 25 of March last. Per me, Christopher Thompson, L3.7.0. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 5.
 ---. Matthias Meuris, Dr. Rags 1530 lb n[e]at at 1½=9.11.3. Ledger D 375.
- 18 April, Wednesday. Messrs. Bard & Lawrence, Dr. Blank Book 10.6, Bond Paper 1.6., [total] 12.0. Ledger D 352.
 ---. Mr. William Bradford, Dr. For 240 lb old Prin'g Let[ters] at 8d N.York.; Money, £8 Pennsylv. Money; Four Ream Genoa Paper D[elivere]d to Hercules. Ledger D 327.
 ---. Mr. Wm. Bradford, Dr. For 1 Quire Blue Paper, 1.6. Vol. 66, p. 72 APS Hays 3: 558.
 ---. Rec'd of Mr. Benja. Franklin Eleven pounds and Twelf Shillings and 0.9 in full for goods Boy. at Vendue Per Alex. Forbes, L11.12.9. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 5.
 ---. Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. Quils, 9d.; Cr. by Bayleys Dic'y, 25.0. & Boyle's Divinit, 15.0. & Athen'n Oracle, 30.0. sold for him. Ledger D 382.
 ---. Emmerson & Graydon, Dr. Gradon [Graydon Campbel? see 27 July 1742] Dr. Corp' s. Poet' m 30/ and Mr. Logans Book 3/6, 1.13.6. Ledger D 73.
 ---. The Honorable James Logan, Eqr. For Pantheon, 8.0. Ledger D 202.
 ---. Mr. Anth'y Newhouse, Dr. Raggs 1447lb. Ledger D 251.
 ---. Mr. Antony Nichols, Dr. London Vocab. per Son, 2.6. Ledger D 125.
 ---. William Plumsted, Dr. for British Apollo, 8.0. Ledger D 258.
 ---. Peter Robinson, Ind'n King, Dr. For Two Lond'n Vocab., 5.0. Ledger D 220.
 ---. Messrs. Stydman & Robinson, Dr. Rollins Anc't History, 10 Vols. 2.10.0. Ledger D 143.
- 19 April, Thursday. Peter Baynton, Esq., Dr. From Work Book, Advt. in Gaz. N800 [12 April 1744; ad appears in 801 for 19 April 1744], Persons indebted to the estate to pay, 5.0. Ledger D 172.
 ---. W' m Gray, Baker, Adv' t Ser' t run 5/.Ledger D 11.
- 20 April, Friday. Mr. Joseph Wharton (See Walton, Joseph), Dr. 2 Quire paper by his Son, 4.0. Ledger D 86.
- 24 April, Tuesday. Mr. Geo. Cunningham, barber, Dr. Paper 1.6. Ledger D 151.
- 25 April, Wednesday. BF took out a bond for £500 as postmaster of Philadelphia to Elliott Benger, Postmaster General, with Robert Grace as BF' s surety. P 2:408. Cf. 15 April.
- 26 April, Thursday. Receiv'd of Benja. Franklin on Account of Robert Grace Forty Shillings being in full for <Quit rent> Ground Rent on his Lot bounding on Pewter-

- Platter Alley, Pd. to the Beginning of the next Month Per me, Joseph Warder, L2.0.0. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 5.
- . Mr. Antony Wilkinson, Dr. From Work Book. For Advt. in Gaz. N802 [26 April 1744], Sturgeon, 5.0. Ledger D 98.
- 27 April, Friday. Mr. Bennet, Dr. Cash 2.0. Ledger D 317.
- . Mr. William Bradford, Dr. Lampblack, 6d. Ledger D 327; APS Hays 3:558; Vol. 66, p. 72.
- . Mr. Goodwin, bookbinder, Dr. For $\frac{1}{2}$ Quire Marble Paper.; Cr. by making 13 Qr. Books. Ledger D 351.
- 30 April, Monday. Mr. Antony Benezet, Dr. Ream Paper, 1.8.0. Ledger D 57.
- . William Coleman, Dr. For Cato Major [Miller 347], 5.6. Ledger D 123.
- . Receiv'd of Benjamin Franklin, Twenty Shillings in Money and Six Magazines for John Holliday being in full of his Demand for Carting some Goods from Chester River. Also Twenty Shillings more being in full of my own Demand for bringing them to Philadelphia, George Yonkin. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 6.
- . Matthias Harris, Esq., Dr. Paid his Order 206.6=10.6.6. Ledger D 285.
- . Capt. Edw'd Wright, Dr. Pd. Mr. Lawrence on his Acct. £100. [Note following this entry is]: "Omitted in Settling From Work Book." Ledger D 87.
- 1 May, Tuesday. Mr. Antony Benezet, Dr. Ream Paper, 1.4.0. Ledger D 57.
- . Receiv'd of Benja. Franklin Five Pounds in full for a light Wig bought of me, Geo. Cuningham, L5.5.0. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 7.
- . Receiv'd of Benja. Franklin Ten Pounds Four Shillings and Six pence on Acct. of Mr. Matthias Harris of Chestertown by an Order from him dated April 30. 1744. Per Jos. Garnett, L10.4.6. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 7.
- . Receiv'd of Benjamin Franklin Three Pounds One Shilling and four pence on Account of Work I am to do at Rhodeisland, Per me O. Malander, L3.1.4. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 6.
- . Matthias Meuris, Contra, Cr. 2 Books per Tho. York, 1.15.0. Ledger D 376.
- 2 May, Wednesday. William Branson, Dr. To Cash, 7.9. Vol. 66, p. 73a.
- . Mr. Rob't Kelsey, Dr. Three Ps'm Books 6.0., Bible 5.6, [total] 11.6. Ledger D 313.
- . Mr. Anth'y Newhouse, Per Con[tra] Cr. By 21 Ream No. 2 Demy, Print at. Ledger D 252.
- 3 May, Thursday. Dr. Jn. Bard, Cr. 47 lb. Rosin at 3d, 11/9. Ledger D 41.
- . Messrs. Blare & Mcllvain, Dr. From Work Book, For Advt. in Gaz. N803 [3 May 1744], Goods, 7.6. Ledger D 218.
- . Mr. Andrew Farrel, Dr. One lb. Lampblack, 5.0. Ledger D 361.
- . Mathias Holston, Cr. Cash £1.10. Ledger D 370.
- . Mr. Jn. Jones (Shoemaker), Dr. Mr. Logans Book [Miller 347] in Calf, 6.0. Ledger D 254.
- . Zachary Lloyd [not Lloyd Zachary, right?], Do 5/. Ledger D 32.
- . Mr. Wm. Maugridge, Dr. Freight &c 20/, 1.1.6. Ledger D 52.
- . Newtown Mercury (Dan' l), Dr. Letters, 16.9. Ledger D 223.
- . Mr. James Parker, Dr. Cash per Post at twice, 50.0.0; Two Boxes Letters Pica & 2 line Engl. Ledger D 297.

- . James Parker's Acct. of Paper: 39 Ream Paper at 12.6 per Capt. Hamond, 24.7.6. Ledger D 299.
- 7 May, Monday. Messrs. Blare & McIlvain, Dr. Large Virgil 16.6. Ledger D 218.
- . Mr. Goodwin, bookbinder, Dr. Mr. Logans Book [Miller 347] in Sheets. Ledger D 351.
- 10 May, Thursday. Mr. David Bush, Dr. For Advt. in Gaz. N804 [10 May 1744], Schooner Hope, 5.0. Ledger D 110. Transfer'd to Leidger E, folio 73.
- . Mr. Plunket Fleeson, Dr. (from Work Book) Advt. in Gaz. N804 [10 May 1744], Chairs &c., 5.0. Ledger D 153.
- . Mr. Ben. Shoemaker, Dr. From Work Book. For Advt. in Gaz. N804 [10 May 1744], Snow Brothers, 5.0.; For Postage from Post Office Leidger, 7.8. Ledger D 144.
- 11 May, BF, receipt for 20s for newspapers furnished Richard Harrison to 9 March "last." Docketed on back, an additional 1.10.0 to March 1747. Cf. 9 March 1741. Phi, Logan Papers, v.21,p2.
- 12 May, Saturday. Receipt for newspapers furnished Isaac Harrison. See 9 March 1741/2. Logan Papers, 21:2; PHI.
- 14 May, Monday. Mr. Wm. Bradford, Dr. For 1 Quire Eliph' ts Paper, 12.0. Vol. 66, p. 72; Ledger D 327; APS Hays 3:558.
- . Matthias Harris, Esq., Dr. Cash 20 Pistoles at 27.0. [total] 27.0.0. Ledger D 285.
- . Mr. Anth'y Newhouse, Dr. Cash 200.0.=£10. Per Con[tra] Cr. By 16½ Ream best large Pr[in]t at 15.0. to be paid 18 M' o. 12.7.6. Ledger D 251-52.
- . Martha Steel, Dr. Qr. Paper (Mrs. Steel Sen.). Ledger D 52.
- . Mr. Tho. Wilcox, Dr. Cash for Bradley, 12.6. Per C[ontr]a Cr. By Pasteboard 21 lb. & 183 lb. Ledger D 355-56.
- 17 May, Thursday. 17 May 1744, Bradley's Estate, Adv't 5/ No. 805. Ledger D 4.
- . Mr. Ebenezer Currie, Dr. Advt. in Gaz. N805 [17 May 1744], Ship Delilah, 5.0. Ledger D 230.
- . Mr. Tho. Wilcox, Dr. Raggs, 1598 lb. [total] 9.19.9. Ledger D 355.
- 18 May, Friday. Wm. Bradford, Dr. To Athenian Oracles 4 vol., 2.0.0. Vol. 66, p. 78; see 12 June 1742.
- . Mr. James Parker, Dr. Cash 20.0., N.York Money. Ledger D 297.
- 21 May, Monday. William Coleman, Dr. Day Book 17.0. Ledger D 123.
- . Mrs. Sarah Read (Neighb'r.), Dr. For an Order on Geo. Emlyn, Jun., 9.8.8. Ledger D 37.
- 22 May, Tuesday. Receiv'd of Benja. Franklin Five Pounds on Acct. Per Isaiah Warner, L5.0.0. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 7.
- 23 May, Wednesday. Receiv'd of Benja. Franklin Four Pounds Thirteen Shillings on Acct. Per me, Antho. Nicholas, L4.13.0. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 7.
- 24 May, Thursday. Mr. Marks Kuyl, Dr. From Work Book. For Advt. in Gaz. N808 [7 June 1744], Sev't run, 5.0. Ledger D 295.
- . Mr. Ch. Willing, Dr. From Work Book. Advt. in Gazette N806 [24 May 1744], Ship Tartar, 5.0. Ledger D 140.
- 25 May, Friday. Mr. Goodwin, bookbinder, Dr. Cr. by Binding Sundries 17.0. Ledger D 351.
- . Mr. Antony Nichols, Dr. Cash 93.0, [total] 4.13.0. Ledger D 125.
- 26 May, Saturday. To 1 Eutropius, 7.6.; To 1 Cornelius Nepas, 9.0., William Bradford,

- Acct w/BF, See 12 June 1742; Vol. 66, p. 78.
- 28 May, Monday. Receiv'd of Benja. Franklin Twenty seven Pounds on Accott. Per Samuel McCall, £27.0.0. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 8.
- . Meuris, Matthias. Receiv'd of Benjamin Franklin Twelve Pounds Two Shillings and two pence in full of all Accounts. Per me, Mathias Meuris, £12.2.2. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 8. [also] Contra, Cr. paid the above in full 12.2.2. Ledger D 376.
- . Mr. Wm. Ramsey, Dr. For Coles Dictionary, 17.0. Ledger D 283.
- . Thos. Rogers, Shoemaker, Dr. Paper, 1.6. Ledger D 95.
- . Rec'd of Mr. Benjamin Franklin the Sum of Thirteen pounds Eight Shillings on Acct. Per Stedman Robertson & Co., £13.8.0. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 8.
- 29 May, Tuesday. Rec'd of Mr. Benja. Franklin twenty five pounds sixteen Shillings & nine pence on Acct. Per Jos. Beddome, L25.16.9. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 9.
- . Mr. Geo. Oakil, Dr. Paper 3.4. Ledger D 262.
- . Rec'd of Mr. Benjamin Franklin the Sum of Seven pounds Nine Shillings & Two pence for three Tallys of thread, Mr. Saml. Read, L7.9.2. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 8.
- . Thos. Rogers, Shoemaker, Dr. Paper, 1.6. Ledger D 95.
- Ante 30 May, Wednesday. Matthias Meuris, Dr. Cash per Order paid Apollonia Strausing, 8.10.0., [Total] 47.3.4-1/2 [less] 9.11.3-1/2, Due to B.F., 37.12.2. Ledger D 375.
- 30 May, Wednesday. Henry Fagen, Butch'r. Dr. Bible quarto at 35.0. Ledger D 127.
- . Mr. Goodwin, bookbinder, Dr. Gramr. & Doz. Penal Bills 5.0. Ledger D 351.
- . Matthias Meuris, Dr. Dr. for 1659 lb Raggs at. Ledger D 375.
- . Mr. Rob't Strettel, Dr. For Cash 148.6 = 7.8.6. Ledger D 322.
- 31 May, Thursday. Receiv'd of Benjamin Frankl in Seven Pounds & eight Shillings & six pence on acct. Robt. & Amos Strettell, L7.8.6. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 9.
- . Mr. Benj. Franklin, Dr. to Peter Turner. Two Roles of parchments 10 Doz at 24.0, L12.0.0. Vol. 66, p. 75.
- 1 June, Friday. Mr. Jn. Cox, Trenton, Dr. Parchmnt, 1.16. Ledger D 236.
- . Mr. Goodwin, bookbinder, Dr. Vell' m 5.0.; Cr. by Gilding 6.0., By binding. Ledger D 351.
- . Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. Quils & Ink Pow'dr. 2.10. Ledger D 382.
- . Philip Syng, Dr. Testam't, 2.0. Ledger D 202.
- 2 June, Saturday. Mr. Bennet, Dr. Cash at 3 Times, 43.6.; Cr. by Glue to Newhouse, Q' t. unk' n. Ask Newhouse. Ledger D 317.
- . Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. Cash, £25.12. Ledger D 382.
- . Mr. James Hamilton, Dr. For 195 blank Bonds [Miller A192] & 150 Perrmitts [Miller A193]. Ledger D 74.
- . Mr. Jno. Nailor (smith), Dr. Advertisem't for his Man, 5.0. Ledger D 66. Same as 5 June?
- . Mr. Joseph Wharton (See Walton, Joseph), Dr. for a Terence, by his Son, 3.0. Ledger D 86.
- 4 June, Monday. Messrs. Stydman & Robinson, Dr. Spectators, 34.0. Ledger D 143.
- 5 June, Tuesday. Rec'd of Mr. Benja. Franklin Twenty five pounds Twelve Shillings on Accot. Per Robt. Grace, L25.12.0. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 9.

- . Mr. Jn. Nailor (smith), From Work Book, Dr. Advt. of Servt men, Single, 5.0. Ledger D 66.
- 6 June, Wednesday. Mr. James Parker, Dr. Cash Pd. Wagon'g & Boat'g for Horscon?' dns Books from Bruns'wk, 11.0. Ledger D 297.
- 7 June, Thursday. Mr. Jonas Green, Dr. 48 Ream Genoa Paper, per Wilson 10.0., 24.0.0. Ledger D 207.
- . W' m Noblit, Adv' t Serv' t run. Ledger D 19.
- . Mr. Joseph Paxton, Dr. Cr. by Cash, 7.4.0. Ledger D 272.
- . Jonathan Price, Adv' t of a Horse 5/. Ledger D 22.
- 8 June, Friday. To 4 Baily's Exercise, 8.0. William Bradford, Acct w/BF, See 12 June 1742; Vol. 66, p. 78.
- . William Moore, Esq., Dr. For Beza. Testament & Gr. Grammer, 8.6. Ledger D 203.
- . Mr. Anth'y Newhouse, Dr. Cash 100.0. Per Con[tra] Cr. By 12&3/4 Ream Demy Print; By 14 Ream of Small Demy Print. Ledger D 252.
- . Mr. Joseph Paxton, Dr. for Sundry Books, 8.15.4. Ledger D 272.
- 9 June, Saturday. Rev'd. Mr. Fr. Allison, Dr. For Sundry Books, 1.1.6. Ledger D 234.
- . Messrs. Blare & Mcllvain, Dr. Terrence per Son 14.0. Ledger D 218.
- . Mr. Anth'y Newhouse, Dr. Portorage of Raggs 3.0., Q[ue]r[y] if some glue be not omitted this M' o had of Mrs. Bennet. Ledger D 251.
- 11 June, Monday. Mr. Wm. Maugridge, Dr. For Sundry Books, 10.15.10., Cr. by Paper & old pewter, 5.8. Ledger D 52.
- . Rich'd Peters, Esq., Dr. For Sundry Books, Paid, 21.8.6. Ledger D 161.
- 12 June, Tuesday. Dr. Th[omas] Bond, Dr. Mr. Logans Book [Miller 347], 6.0. Ledger D 100.
- . Mrs. Deb. Connely, Dr. Two Ream Cart. Pap. at 35.0, 3.10.0. Ledger D 165.
- . Mr. Wm. Maugridge, Dr. Dr. 3 Sheets Bills Lading, 1/6. Ledger D 52.
- . Matthias Meuris, Dr. Cash 5.0. Ledger D 375.
- . Mr. Rob't Strettel, Dr. Mr. Logans Book [Miller 347] very well bound, 7.0. Ledger D 322.
- . Jn. Wilkinson, brushma[ker], Dr. Paper, 1.0. Ledger D 112.
- 14 June, Thursday. Dr. Phineas Bond, Dr. Advertisement, 5.0. Ledger D 229.
- . Rev'd Mr. Thomas Evans, Cr. By Cash per Ditto [Jedidiah Andrews], 9.11.0. Ledger D 191.
- . Mr. James Parker, Dr. Cash 22.6 = 1.2.6. C[ontr]a Cr. Per Cash, 22.6 = 1.2.6. Ledger D 297-98.
- . Israel Pemberton, junr. Dr. For Advt. in Gaz. N809 [June 14 1744] of a Schooner. Ledger D 72.
- . Province of New Jersey, Dr. Declar[ation] of War [Miller 356] 35.0.; Encouragm't, &c. [Miller 357] per Gov's Ord'r 35.0., 3.10.0. Ledger D 341. Line drawn through account indicating settled.
- 15 June, Friday. Benjamin Paschal, Dr. Paper, 2.0. Ledger D 60.
- 16 June, Saturday. Mr. Wm. Ramsey, Dr. Six Testam'ts 10.0.; 5 Doz. Quest'n Books 12.6. Ledger D 283.
- . Peter Robinson, Ind'n King, Dr. Quils, 9d. Ledger D 220.
- . Mr. Tho. Wilcox, Dr. Cash 120.0. Ledger D 355.

- 18 June, Monday. Mr. Tho. Wilcox, Per C[ontr]a Cr. By Pasteboard 23 lb. & 21 lb. Ledger D 356.
- 19 June, Tuesday. Mr. Tho. Campbell, Dr. Bond 4d. Ledger D 282.
 ---. Mr. Andrew Farrel, Dr. For a Will Power 4d. Ledger D 361.
- 20 June, Wednesday. Capt. Wm. Bell, Dr. Advt. 5.0. Ledger D 274.
 ---. Mr. Tho. Campbell, Dr. Advertisement Single 5.0. Ledger D 282.
 ---. Mr. Geo. Harris, Dr. Sundry Books, 11.8.0. Ledger D 154.
 ---. Mrs. <Jakel> Jekyll, Dr. Advt. Sale Land 5.0. Ledger D 145. Same as 21 June?
 ---. Mr. Benj'n Paschal, Dr. Paper, 2.0 Ledger D 60.
- 21 June, Thursday. Messrs. Allen & Turner, Dr. For Above [i.e., 5 July 1743] Privateer's Acc't. 6.5. Ledger D 45.
 ---. James Courtas, Adv't Horse stray'd, 5/. Ledger D 6.
 ---. Messrs. Cuzzins & Smyter, Dr. For Advt. in Gaz. N810 [21 June 1744], Goods, 5.0. Ledger D 148.
 ---. Mr. Goodwin, bookbinder, Dr. Ream of Paper 14.0. Ledger D 351.
 ---. Matthias Harris, Esq., Dr. For Cash pd Cradock, 11.6.10. Ledger D 285.
 ---. Mrs. <Jakel> Jekyll, Dr. For Advt. in Gaz. N810 [21 June 1744] Tract of Land, 5.0. Ledger D 145. Same as 20 June?
 ---. Mr. Chr. Marshal, Dr., From Work Book, For Advt. of Colours, Gaz. N810 [21 June 1744], 5.0. Ledger D 201.
 ---. Mr. Anth'y Newhouse, Dr. Raggs 1148lb at 1½, 7.3.6. Ledger D 251.
 ---. Mr. Antony Nichols, Dr. Parsing Book, 2.6. Ledger D 125.
- 24 June, Sunday. Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. Cash Per Betty, 20.0. Ledger D 382.
 ---. Mr. Harrison (Boston) Sent Per Capt. Ellinwood 3 Cat. Maj. [Cato Major. Miller 347] & Mr. Gerrish's bad Notes. Ledger D 185.
 ---. Mr. Thos. Hopkinson, Dr. Tully on Old Age [Miller 347], 5.6. Ledger D 139.
 ---. Mr. Chr. Marshal, Dr. Advt. 5.0. Ledger D 201.
 ---. Israel Pemberton, junr. Dr. Cash 47.6. Ledger D 72.
 ---. Mr. Rich'd Pitts, Cr. by his Acct. June 24, 1744. 5.13.3½, [leaves] 1.7.5½. Due on his Bond 34.10.7½, [Total] 35.18.1 Ledger D 296.
- 25 June, Monday. Mr. Wm. Hartley, Dr. For Advt. single, 5.0.; For Advt. in Gazette N801 [19 April 1744], Strays, 5.0.; For Advt. in Gaz. N811 [28 June 1744], Strays, 1.5.0. Ledger D 259.
- 27 June, Wednesday. Mr. Craddock (Taylor), Dr. Bills of Lading Quire, 3.0. Ledger D 344.
 ---. Receiv'd of B. Franklin Four Pounds Ten Shillings on Acct. and Per Order of Mr. Matth. Harris of Chestertown Per me, D' al. Surrel [or Turrel?] L4.10.0. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 9.
 ---. Matthias Harris, Esq., Dr. Cash per Mercury 4.10.0. Ledger D 285.
- 28 June, Thursday. Thomas Lawrence, Dr. From Work Book, For Advt. in Gaz. N811 [28 June 1744; ad appears in No. 810, 21 June 1744] Trembleur, 5.0. Ledger D 296.
 ---. Mr. Joseph Lyn, Dr. For Advt. N811 [28 June 1744] of a Water Lot, 5.0. Ledger D 221.
- 29 June, Friday. Mr. Wm. Deweese, Dr. Order in fav'r of Jn. Potts 200.0. Ledger D 309.

- . Mr. Goodwin, bookbinder, Dr. Book 4.0. Ledger D 351.
- . Mr. Tho. Wilcox, Dr. Vell'm. 6.0., Cash 200.0. Ledger D 355.
- 30 June, Saturday. Benj. Franklin, Dr. to Charles Moore. To a beavor hat for your Son, 1.10.0. Vol. 66, p. 71a.

- 1 July, Sunday. Mr. Jn. Cox, Treton, Dr. Paper 2 Reams Propatria, 3.0.0. Ledger D 236.
- . John Cox, Trenton, Dr. Paper, 2 Reams Pro patria, 3.0. Ledger D 236.
- . Mr. Jonas Green, Dr. For Cartage of Paper from Dutch Creek, 6.0.; Dr. 12Plots, 6.0.0. Ledger D 207.
- . Matthias Harris, Esq., Dr. Twelve Plotts, 6.0.0. Ledger D 285.
- 2 July, Monday. Mr. Benjamin Franklin To William Allen, Cr. By his Bill against New Scoon'r George, L5.0. Vol. 66, p.69a.
- . Mr. Theophilus Grue, Dr. Quils & Inkpowder, 2.10. Ledger D 366.
- . Capt. Ch. Hargrave, Dr. Paper Book large 12.0. & Paper 2.0., 14.0. Ledger D 199.
- . Thomas Maul, Joyner, Dr. Blank Book 10.6. Ledger D 70.
- . Ch. Moor (Hatter), Dr. Brown Paper & Blanks, 7.8. Ledger D 156.
- 3 July, Tuesday. Mr. Benjamin Franklin To William Allen, Cr. By his Bill ag[ains]t old Scooner George, L2.15.0, & his Bill ag[ains]t Ship Wilmington, 1.15.0, L4.10.0. Vol. 66, p. 69a.
- . Mr. James Hamilton, Dr. 100 blank Pedlars Licences [Miller A 194]. Ledger D 74.
- . Mr. Isaac Jones, Dr. blank Bond, 4d. Ledger D 84.
- 4 July, Wednesday. William Coleman, Cr. By 4 Quire thick Post ret'd 12/. Ledger D 123.
- . Mr. Goodwin, bookbinder, Dr. Paper 15.0.; Cr. by binding 9.0. Ledger D 351.
- 5 July, Thursday. Dr. Jn. Bard, Dr. per Cash, 1/8. Ledger D 41.
- . Rec'd of Mr. Franklin twenty pds. & 0.6 on Acct. for Bro. Beddome. I[saac] Jones, L20.0.6. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 10.
- . Mr. Goodwin, bookbinder, Dr. Cash 7.0.; Adverts & Blank for Heartly, 30.0. [total] 1.17.0. Ledger D 351.
- . Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. Cash Per Linc'n, 10.0. Ledger D 382.
- . Mr. Sam'l. Hazard, Dr. From Work Book. For an Advt. in Gaz. N812 [5 July 1744], Indigo, 5.0. Ledger D 358.
- . Mr. Isaac Jones, Dr. Cash, 20.0.6. Ledger D 84.
- . Matthias Meuris, Dr. Cash & Lettrs. Postage 6.6. Ledger D 375.
- . Mr. Ric'd Nixon, Dr. Grammar per Son 3.6. Ledger D 267.
- 6 July, Friday. Mr. James Read, Dr. Newcastle Laws (omitted)[Miller 232], 1.0.0. Ledger D 159.
- . Mr. Dan'l Smith, Cr. Per Cash, 6.0. Ledger D 122.
- 7 July, Saturday. Mr. Benjamin Franklin To William Allen, Cr. By his Bill ag[ains]t Ship Wilmington, 5.0. Vol. 66, p. 69a.
- 9 July, Monday. Matthias Meuris, Dr. Cash 3.0.; Raggs 1742 lb. at. Ledger D 375.
- 11 July, Wednesday. William Branson, Dr. To Cash p'd you for Bryan Murray Advertisements Printing [PG 12 July 1744], 5.0. Vol. 66, p. 73a.
- . Mr. Sam'l Gray, Smith, Dr. Paper 4.0. Ledger D 105.
- . Will'm Parks, Printer, Dr. For Cash pd. Mr. Grew, 6.0.0. Ledger D 386.
- Ante 12 July. Mr. Timothy Matlock, Dr. Advt. (from 4to Alphabet) 5.0.; 2 Blank Books,

19.0. Ledger D 210.

- 12 July, Thursday. John Burr, Advt Land 15/. Ledger D 4.
- . Receiv'd of Benja. Franklin Eleven Pounds <eight> Seven Shillings in full of all Accts. Per me, James Crawford, L11.7.0. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 10.
- . Mr. Geo. Emblen, Senior, Dr. For Advt. in Gaz. N813 [12 July 1744], Servant run, 5.0. Ledger D 167.
- . Mr. Timothy Matlock, Dr. Advt. in Gaz. N813 [12 July 1744], Serv't run, 5.0. Ledger D 210.
- . Mr. Joseph Scull, Dr. From Work Book. For Advt. Gaz. N813 [12 July 1744], House, 5.0. Ledger D 96.
- . Received of Mr. Benjamin Franklin Seven pounds ten Shillings to Accot. for partners? & Self, John Wallace, L7.10.0. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 10.
- 13 July, Friday. Mr. Gooding, Bookbinder, Dr. Seaboards 3.0. Ledger D 372.
- . Mr. Anth'y Newhouse, Dr. Cash 27.0. & 1100 lb Raggs. Ledger D 251.
- 16 July, Monday. Mr. Alex. Annand, Dr. Gram'r. & Parsing Book, 5.6. Ledger D 108.
- . Mr. William Bradford, Dr. Lampblack 2.6. Ledger D 327; APS Hays 3:558; Vol. 66, p. 72.
- . Mr. Theophilus Grue, Dr. Pardies Geom., 5.0. Ledger D 366.
- . Stephen Potts, Dr. Paper 2.0. Ledger D 302.
- 17 July, Tuesday. Mr. Antony Nichols, Dr. Paper, 1.8. Ledger D 125.
- 19 July, Thursday. Nath. Allen, Cooper, Advt Beef and Pork. Ledger D 2.
- . Capt. Wm. Atwood, Dr. For Advt. N814 [19 July 1744], Servants, 5.0. Ledger D 263.
- . Messrs. Cuzzins & Smyter, Dr. For Advt. in Gaz. N814 [19 July 1744], Phila. Galley, Eng. & Dutch, 10.0. Ledger D 148. Transferd to Leidger E. **[PAGE??]**
- 20 July, Friday. Ch. Brockden, Esq., Dr. Twelve Qr. Paper at 4.0, 29.8.0. Ledger D 137. Transferd to Leidger E folio 79.
- . Mr. Thos. Godfrey, Dr. Paper 1.8. Ledger D 62.
- . Rec'd of Benjamin Franklin Seven Pounds Tenn Shillings on Accot. For my Mr. [Master?] John Reynell, Joshua Howell, L7.10.0. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 10.
- . Mr. Jn. Reynolds, Dr. Cash, 7.10.0. Ledger D 271.
- 25 July, Wednesday. Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. Sundries, 9.11. Ledger D 382.
- . His Excell. Lewis Morris, Dr. Alm'k. interl'd 1.0. Ledger D 279.
- 27 July, Friday. Mr. Jn. Cox, Trenton, Dr. Parchmt, 18.0. Ledger D 236.
- . Mr. Plunket Fleeson, Dr. For Gazett, 4.0.0. Ledger D 153.
- . Tench Francis, Esq. Dr. Terrence Lat., 3.0. Ledger D 56. Transferr' d to Leidger E, folio 47.
- . Mr. Wm. Logan, Dr. Two Pap'rs Ink Powder, 2.8. Ledger D 202.
- . Mr. Anth'y Newhouse, Dr. Cash 27.0. Per Con[tra] Cr. By 23 Ream best Print large.; By 4 Ream & 14 Qr. for Pap'r. Money. Ledger D 251-52.
- . Peter Turner, Dr. Parsing Book, 2.6. Ledger D 128.
- . Walker & Griffiths, C' r by Cash for 2 Adv' t in Gaz 10S. Ledger D 30.
- 1 Aug, Wednesday. Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. Sundries, 10.11. Ledger D 382.
- . Mr. Michael Hillegas, Dr. For Advt. of a Serv[ant], 5.0.; For Advt. of a Plantation, Peter Hillegas, 5.0. Ledger D 133.

- . Mr. Isaac Jones, Dr. Bill of Exchange £15 Ster 9d. Ledger D 84.
- . Thos. Rogers, Shoemaker, Dr. Spelling Book, 2.6. Ledger D 95.
- 2 Aug, Thursday. James Claypole, Adv't Tract of Land, 5/, see above. Ledger D 6.
- 3 Aug, Friday. Rev'd. Mr. Fr. Allison, Dr. Binding 2 Books, 5.6. Ledger D 234.
- . Mr. Gooding, Bookbinder, Dr. Cash 3.9. Ledger D 372.
- . Mr. Jonas Green, Dr. Two Quarts Varnish per Murphey, 10.0. Ledger D 207.
- 4 Aug, Saturday. Mr. Benjamin Franklin To William Allen, Cr. By his Bill ag[ains]t Sloop Joseph & Mary, 1.7.6. Vol. 66, p. 69a.
- . Mr. Obediah Wells, Dr. Books 14.0. Ledger D 321.
- 6 Aug, Monday. Jonathan Beasley, Dr. Paper 1.6. Ledger D 180.
- . Thomas Byles, pewterer, Dr. Paper & Blue 1.6. Ledger D 350.
- . Mr. Theophilus Grue, Dr. Do [Pardies Geom.], 5.0. Ledger D 366.
- . Mr. James Macky, Dr. Paper 1/ Ledger D 33.
- . Mr. Wm. Maugridge, Dr. Paper, 2.0. Ledger D 52.
- . William Parks, Dr. For 4 Doz. Cato's [Miller 347] at 36.0. per Doz. and 100 Pamela's [Miller 293 and 338] at 15.0. [total of both] 32.4.0.; Dr. For some Hair Lines, 30lb, with his 2 plain Moulds, 1.17.6. Ledger D 382, 400.
- . Mr. Wm. Parsons, Dr. Schoolm's. Assistant, 3.6. Ledger D 188.
- . Mr. Geo. Oakil, Dr. Plott & 5 Magaz.[Miller 343] 15.0. Ledger D 262.
- . Peter Robinson, Ind'n King, Dr. Cordery per Son, 2.6. Ledger D 220.
- . Mr. Joseph Wharton (See Walton, Joseph), Dr. 3 Quire of propatria paper, 6.0. Ledger D 86.
- 9 Aug, Thursday. Dr. Sam'l Chew, Dr. Adv't. in Gaz. N817 [9 Aug 1744] of Mary Chew, Admin[istratrix], 5.0. Ledger D 220.
- 11 Aug, Saturday. Rec'd of Mr. Franklin, a Bill of Exch: for <twenty> fifteen pounds Sterl. on Howe & Arnold, for Acct. of my Bro. Jos'h Beddome, I. Jones, L15.0.0. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 10.
- . Pennsylvania Assembly paid BF, by Order of Assembly for a Servant, 154. 6.4, Votes 2949.
- . Pennsylvania Assembly to BF, as clerk of the House, and for printing the Votes [Miller 362], etc [including Miller 363]. as per Account, 62.1.2, Votes 2955.
- . Pennsylvania Assembly to BF, for Postage of publick Packets to the Governor, 11.10.0, Votes 2956.
- 15 Aug, Wednesday. Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. Paper & Book bl. 4.0. Ledger D 382.
- . Peter Robinson, Ind'n King, Dr. Paper 2.0. Ledger D 220.
- 18 Aug, Saturday. Rec'd of Mr. Benj. Franklin the Sum of Twenty one poundson Acct. Per Stedman Robertson & Co, L21.0.0. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 11. Spelled "Stydman & Robinson," same account, Ledger D 143.
- . Mr. Tho. Wilcox, Per C[ontr]a Cr. 27 lb. & 20 lb. Paper. Ledger D 356.
- 20 Aug, Monday. Benj. Franklin, Esq., Dr. to Charles Moore. To dressing a hat, 1.0. Vol. 66, p. 71a.
- . Mr. Anth'y Newhouse, Dr. Cash 54.0. Ledger D 251.
- . Mr. Obediah Wells, Dr. Sundry Books & Compas 74.0. [Note following this entry:] run away. Ledger D 321.
- 21 Aug, Tuesday. Mr. Sam'l Coates, Dr. Testam't 2.0. Ledger D 128.

- . Rec'd of Benja. Franklin the Sum of Thirteen Pounds on Acct. Per Rebecca Grace, L13.0.0. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 11. Same as Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. Cash £13. Ledger D 382.
- . Matthias Harris, Esq., Dr. Paper 4 Ream Genoa, 1.12.0. Ledger D 285.
- . Mr. Anth'y Newhouse, Dr. Bible 7.6, Mare & Colt 60.0., [total] 3.7.6. Ledger D 251.
- . Mr. Tho. Wilcox, Per C[ontr]a Cr. By Role Papers 29 lb. Ledger D 356.
- . Receiv'd of Benj. Franklin Two Pounds Eleven Shillings in full Per me, Adolph Young, L2.11.0. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 11.
- 23 Aug, Thursday. Mr. William Crosthwaite, Dr. Advt. of a Shallop, No. 819 [23 Aug 1744]. Ledger D 345.
- . Israel Pemberton, junr. Dr. For Advt. in Gaz. N819 [23 Aug 1744], Schooner per Vendue. Ledger D 72.
- . Mr. Nich[olas] Scull, Dr. Advts. for Sheriffs Place, Gaz. N819 [23 Aug 1744]; English & Dutch, 10.7. Ledger D 149. Note: The "1" in fron of this entry is not 1 Aug, but rather simply that of the last three entries, this middle one is chronologically first; the first (numbered "2") is Oct 6 and the third (numbered "3") is Oct 11.
- . Mr. Edw'd Shippen, Dr. From Work Book, For Advt. in N819 [23 Aug 1744] Administration of Bolton's Estate, 5.0. Ledger D 322.
- 24 Aug, Friday. Rec'd of Benjamin Franklin the Sum of Thirty Pounds on Acct. Per Rebecca Grace, L30.0.0. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 12. Same as Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. Cash £30. Ledger D 382.
- 25 Aug, Saturday. Mr. Thos. Godfrey, Dr. Ink Powder 1.4. Ledger D 62.
- . William Parks, Printer, Dr. Cash pd. Grew 108.0. Dr. For Cash lent yourself when at Phila., 30.0.0. Ledger D 386 (first item only), 400 (second item only; same as 2 Sept).
- . Israel Pemberton, junr. Dr. Bills Lading 6.0. Ledger D 72.
- 2 Sept., Sunday. William Parks, Printer, Dr. Cash £30. Ledger D 386. Same as 25 Aug (second item only).
- 3 Sept., Monday. Mr. Sam'l Coates, Dr. Testam't 2.0. Ledger D 128.
- . William Parks, Printer, Dr. Cash, Paper & Books, Box & Porter'g, £22.7.6.; Cr. By Pap. left at Apoquin ["Apoquinimy"-p. 400], £55.12.9; By 50L Sterling paid last Year to Mr. Bengier, at 165 Per C[ent], 82.10.0. Ledger D 386 (excluding last item), 400.
- . Mr. Stephen Vidal, Dr. For [Fielding' s] Joseph Andrews 14.0. Ledger D 276.
- . Mr. Tho. Wilcox, Dr. Cash 15.0. Per C[ontr]a Cr. By 4 Roles Papers 121 lb. in all. Ledger D 355-56.
- 4 Sept., Tuesday. Receiv'd of Mr. Benja. Franklin Twenty Pounds one Shilling & six pence on Accott. Per Samuel McCall, L20.1.6. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 12.
- . Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. Cash p'd for Pickles, 2.0. Ledger D 382.
- . Newtown Mercury (Dan' l), Dr. Letters, 10.8. Cr. Returnd, 3.4. Ledger D 223.
- 6 Sept., Thursday. Steven Beasley, Dr., Simon Beasely, Dr. Advt. in Gaz. N821 [6 September 1744], Brick House, 5.0.; Advt. in Gaz. N821 [6 September 1744] A Boat, 5.0. Ledger D 180.
- . Mr. Jn. Cox, Trenton, Dr. Parchmt, 18.0. Ledger D 236.

- . Received of Mr. Benjamin Franklin Twelve Pounds Nineteen Shillings & 0.6on Account Per Sam. McCall, Junr., L12.19.6. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 12.
- . Mr. Anth'y Newhouse, Dr. Cash 61.6. Ledger D 251.
- 7 Sept., Friday. Rec'd of Mr. Franklin the Sum Eight pounds thirteen Shillings & Nine pence on Acct. of three Tallys of Bread, Per me Saml. Read, L8.13.9. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 13.
- 10 Sept., Monday. Mr. Jo. Grover, Sp[anish]town Jamaica, Dr. Settled with Mr. Grover and receiv'd of him Cash 6.12.8., and his Acct. of Sugars 5.3.9., which with 25L before rec'd is in full for printing his last Years Almanacks and of all Accts to this Day. B. Franklin. Ledger D 293.
- 11 Sept., Tuesday. Mr. Antony Benezet, Cr. By Cash £1.16.6. & half the Papers ret'd in full. Ledger D 57.
- . Mr. Anth'y Newhouse, Dr. Raggs [9.7.3; added to 61.6, makes 12.8.3, the line total]. Ledger D 251.
- . William Parks, Esq. to B. Franklin, Dr. For Cash paid Silk Dyer [named "Brown" p. 386], 12.0.; For Cash paid Theo. Grew for 7 Copies Almk., 21.0.0. Ledger D 386 (first item only), 400.
- . Mr. William Strahan, (London) Dr., For a Bill on Christoph. Kilby, 19.7.1½. Query Part of a 15£ Bill.; For 300 Indian Treaties [Miller 364] (Omitted) Sent Per Cap. Hougstun; For a Bill omitted June 1749, 15.0.0.; For my Son's Bill, 98.16.4.; R. Graham's 22.0.0.; per Arthur, Ja. M'Nab's, 3.10.0.; Hammond & Co. 8.8.0.; Per Arthur, Do. [Ja M' Nab' s?] 2.13.7; Do. [Hammond & Co.?] 9.0.0. Ledger D 369. First two entries may be with 25 Sept 1746 entries.
- 12 Sept. Wednesday. To Ovid's Metamopheses, 9.6. William Bradford, Acct w/BF, See 12 June 1742; Vol. 66, p. 78.
- 13 Sept., Thursday. Mr. Jn. Steven Benezet, Dr. Ream Paper 18.0. Settled. Ledger D 65.
- . Jn. Leech, From Work Book. Dr. for Advt. in Gaz. N. 822 [13 September 1733], Curriers Oyl. 5.0. Ledger D 42.
- . John Morgan, for D' o 5/. Ledger D 18.
- 14 Sept., Friday. Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. Paper & Quils, 5.6. Ledger D 382.
- . Mr. Jonas Green, Dr. 25 Indian Treaties [Miller 364], 25.0. Ledger D 207.
- . For Cash of Jed Higgins, 10.0. Ledger D 106. Note, this account may be under "Jn. Crocker, Dr."
- . Mr. Rob't Kelsey, C[ontr]a Cr. Cash on Acct. of Books 40.0. Ledger D 314.
- . Capt. Magee, Dr. For Blanks 1.0. Ledger D 192.
- . Mr. Anth'y Newhouse, Dr. Cash 33.6, Cash £10. Per Con[tra] Cr. By 5 Ream Cartr' g Paper, 6.5.0. Ledger D 251-52.
- . Mr. Rich'd Pitts, Dr. Cash lent, 3.6. Ledger D 296.
- . Mr. Wm. Ramsey, Cr. By Diaper, 9.4. Ledger D 283.
- . Mr. Jn. Read (Christeen) Dr. Cr. by 3 Newcastle Laws [Miller 232] ret'd. Ledger D 257.
- . Messrs. Stydman & Robinson, Dr. From Work Book. Advt. in Gaz. N.822 [13 September 1744], Brig. Expedition, 5.0. Ledger D 143.
- . Mr. Tho. Wilcox, Per C[ontr]a Cr. By 2 Roles Pastbd. 48 lb. in all, 2.12.0. Ledger D

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- 17 Sept., Monday. Mr. William Branson, Dr. From Work Book. For Advt. Servts run, 7.6.; for ditto in Gaz. N822 [13 September 1744], 7.6. Ledger D 281.
- . Mr. Mordecai Lloyd, Dr. For 500 Dutch Papers for Election [Miller A195], 2.8.4.; For Advt. about Sheriffs Place, English & Dutch in Gaz. N818 [16 April 1744], 10.0. Ledger D 174. Carried to Leidger E. folio 86.
- 20 Sept., Thursday. Capt. George Spafford, Adv' t Schooner W' m & Mary 5/. Ledger D 26.
- 24 Sept., Monday. Rev'd. Mr. Fr. Allison, Cr. by Cash per Mr. Cross 45.0. Ledger D 234.
- . Michael Hilligas, Sundries £3.12.0. Ledger D 12.
- 25 Sept., Tuesday. Rev'd. Mr. Fr. Allison, Dr. For Ovid 9.0. & Mathemat'c Book 5.0., 14.0. Ledger D 234.
- . Mr. Hugh Davy, Dr. Paper 1.6. Ledger D 81.
- . Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. Cash to Rose Per Ord'r, 100.0. Ledger D 382.
- . Mr. Sam'l Gray, Smith, Dr. Paper 2.0. Ledger D 105.
- . Mr. Anth'y Newhouse, Dr. Rags 59.10½. Ledger D 251.
- . Mr. Joseph Paxton, Dr. For Sundries 59.2.=2.19.2. Ledger D 272.
- . Mr. James Steel, Dr. Paper & Pocket Book, 2.0 each, 4.0. Ledger D 52.
- . Mr. Rob't Strettel, Dr. For Indian Treaty [Miller 364] & Votes [Miller 362], 3.6. Ledger D 322.
- . Mr. Tho. Wilcox, Per C[ontr]a Cr. By Papers w' t 33 at 13d, 1.15.9. Ledger D 356.
- 27 Sept., Thursday. James Lownes, Advt of Cattle 5/. Ledger D 15.
- 1 Oct., Monday. Mr. William Bradford, Dr. Quire Elepht. Paper 12.0. Ledger D 327. Same as 4 Oct.
- . Mr. Jn. Bringhurst, Dr. Two blank Books 6.10. Ledger D 133.
- . Mr. Isaac Decow, Sen'r, Dr. For 6 Skins Parchmt, 18.0. Ledger D 325.
- . Woolack Mackey, Dr. for Paper, 2/. Ledger D 45. Transfere to Leger E. **[PAGE??]**
- . Mr. Reece Meredith, Dr. Paper 4 Ream 6.10. Ledger D 187.
- . Mr. Wm. Parsons, Dr. Bonds blank 3.0. Ledger D 188.
- . Stephen Potts, Dr. Paper 12.0. Ledger D 302.
- . Mr. Wm. Ramsey, Dr. for Parchm't 3.0. Cr. by Cash, 5s. Ledger D 283.
- . Mr. William Strahan, (London) Dr., For Bills 10L, 7L10.0. & 3L3.0., 20.13.0.; For Do. on Geo. Rigge, 15.7.11.; For Do. on Hoase & Arnold, 15.0.0.; For Do. part of Mr. Halbs, 10.0.0.; For Ainsworth's Dictionary and Charges, 1.9.7. Ledger D 369. Also Mr. James Read of Philadelphia, Cr. [to William Strahan on BF' s account] 10.19.6 [cf. 1 Feb, above]. Vol. 66, p. 65b.
- 3 Oct, Wednesday. William Parks, Esq. to B. Franklin, Dr. For a Pensilvania Lawbook [Miller 288], to have a Virga. one in Ex[ch]a[n]ge. Ledger D 386 (gives price, 1.15.0), 400 (gives exchange).
- 4 Oct., Thursday. FC Acct. with Wm. Bradford. For Elephant Paper, 0.12.0. APS Hays 3:558; Vol. 66, p. 72. Same as 1 Oct.
- . Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. Cash Per Mrs. Grace, 100.0. Ledger D 382.
- . Mr. Jonas Green, Dr. Advts. for E. Boner, 5.0. ["for. E. Barnes, Serv' t'"] Ledger D 207, 231 (latter in parens). Light ink.

- . Jonas Green (Annap.) Dr. For Advt. for Ed Barnes, Son, 5.0. Ledger D 231.
- . Mr. Rich'd Hookey, Dr. From Work Book, For Advt. in N825 [4 Oct 1744], Stray, 5.0. Ledger D 330.
- . Mr. Rob't Strettel, Dr. From Work Book, Advt. of Goods large in N825 [4 Oct 1744], 1.5.0. Ledger D 322.
- 5 Oct., Friday. Matthias Harris, Esq., Dr. Jobb 35.0. Ledger D 285. No Miller.
- . William Parks, Printer, Dr. Cash p'd the Mouldmaker, 20.0.0. Ledger D 386, 400.
- . Israel Pemberton, junr. Dr. Jobb, 62/6. Ledger D 72. No Miller.
- . Messrs. Stydman & Robinson, Dr. Advert'mt 5.0.; From Work Book, Advt. in Gaz. Single for Sale of Rigging, 5.0. Ledger D 143.
- 6 Oct., Saturday. Dr. Jn. Bard, Dr. Paper, 4d. Ledger D 41.
- . Mr. Bennet, Dr. Cash, 10.0. Ledger D 317.
- . Lewis Evans, Dr. Settle'd all. Ledger D 240. [In Ledger D follows entry for 23 May 1743.]
- . Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. Paper, 1.0. Ledger D 382.
- . Mr. Jonas Green, Dr. 50 Ind. Treaties [Miller 364] , 50.0. Ledger D 207.
- . Mr. Anth'y Newhouse, Dr. Cash 200.0. Per Con[tra] Cr. By 28 Ream at 14.0. Ledger D 252.
- . Mr. Ric'd Nixon, Dr. Gram' r per son Gr. 3.6. Ledger D 267.
- . Stephen Potts, Dr. Sundries 18.6. Ledger D 302.
- . Mr. Nich[olas] Scull, Dr. For 200 Bail Bonds, 16/8 [Miller A197]. Ledger D 149.
- 11 Oct., Thursday. Jonathan Durell, Adv' t Serv' t 5/. Ledger D 8.
- . Mr. Rob't Hopkins, Dr. For Advt. of a Plantation, Gaz. N826 [11 Oct 1744], 5.0. Ledger D 354.
- . Mr. Nich[olas] Scull, Dr. For Advt. of Thanks, Eng. & Dutch N826 [11 Oct 1744], 10.0. Ledger D 149.
- 12 Oct, Friday. Benjamin Paschal, Dr. Paper, 4d. Ledger D 60.
- 15 Oct., Monday. Mr. Gooding, Bookbinder, Dr. For Pamela [Miller 293 and 338] unbd. 3.0.; Cr. by little Book, 0.8. Ledger D 372.
- 16 Oct., Tuesday. Mr. Alex. Annand, Dr. 3 Gr[eeek?]. Gram'rs. 10.6; Two Gr. Gram'rs. 7.0. Total 17.6. Ledger D 108.
- . Dr. Jn. Bard, Dr. Blank Book, 1/6. Ledger D 41. ?Same as following?
- . Messrs. Bard & Lawrence, Dr. Paper 1.6. Ledger D 352. ?Same as preceding?
- . Dr. Th[omas] Bond, Dr. Paper unpd., 2.6. Ledger D 100.
- . Mr. Jn. Cox, Trenton, Dr. Parchmt, 18.0. Ledger D 236.
- . Mr. Geo. Emblen, Senior, Dr. Neg' o Plott, Bound [no amount given]. Ledger D 167.
- . Lewis Evans, Dr. Pap'r & Prim'r 77.6, Pastb'd, 17.5; [total] 4.14.11. Ledger D 241.
- . Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. Quils, 6d; Paper, 4.0. Ledger D 382.
- . Mr. Jonas Green, Dr. 50 Indian Treaties at 10d, 41.8; = 2.1.8. Ledger D 207.
- . Mr. Jo. Grover, Sp[anish]town Jamaica, Cr. by Cash £20. Ledger D 293.
- . Matthias Harris, Esq., Dr. Cash Pd Order £45. Ledger D 285.
- . Mr. Michael Hillegas, Dr. For Advt. of a Plantation, single, 5.0. Ledger D 133.
- . Matthias Meuris, Dr. Raggs 1334 lb. at 1½d, 8.6.9. Ledger D 375.
- . Mr. Ben. Shoemaker, Dr. Cash £9.3.11 in full of his Acct. Advertisements, the News & Errors Excepted for which he is indebted. Ledger D 144.

- 18 Oct, Thursday. Mr. Isaac Jones, Dr. From Work Book, For Do. [Advertisement] No 827 [18 Oct 1744], Joseph Beddome Departing, 5.0. Ledger D 84.
- 19 Oct, Friday. Rev'd Mr. Sam'l Blare, Dr. Settled this Acct. Oct. 19, 1744 together with 4½ Doz. of Books d'd Mr. Hazard, rec'd £6.6.0. in full. Ledger D 294.
- 20 Oct., Saturday. Rec'd of Mr. Benjamin Franklin Nine Pounds four Shillings for four Setts of Shakespear's Play he disposed of w'ch belonged to John Gent, Philadea. Horton Rockcliff, L9.4.0. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 13.
- 22 Oct., Monday. Rec'd of Benjamin Franklin, nine Pounds three shillings & 0.11 in full of all Accots. NB There's an Accot. for my Fathr. B. Shoemaker of some advertisem'ts & the Newspaper not yet Settl'd. S. Shoemaker, L9.3.11. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 13.
- 29 Oct., Monday. Mr. Andrew Farrel, Dr. Power Atty. 4d. Ledger D 361.
- . Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. Cash Per Daughter Ann, 27.0. Ledger D 382.
- . Mr. Geo. Harding (breeches Ma[ke]r), Dr. Paper 4d. Settled. Ledger D 179.
- . Mr. Jasper McCall, Dr. Drum Head per Tho. Mitchel, 6.0. Ledger D 350.
- . Wm. Montgomery, Cr. by Cash, £3.15. Ledger D 242.
- . Mr. Anth'y Newhouse, Dr. Cash 200.0. Per Con[tra] Cr. Cartridge Paper, 13.15.0. Ledger D 251-52.
- . Mrs. Sarah Read (Neighb'r.), Dr. Pasteboard, 11½ lb. at 1s/2d, 13.4. Ledger D 37.
- . <Sarah Read (Mother), Dr. For 11½ lb. Pastboard at 14d, 13.5.> Ledger D 59.
- . Thos. Rogers, Shoemaker, Dr. Paper, 1.6. Ledger D 95.
- . Mr. Edw'd Shippen, Dr. Servt. Indentures, 1 Doz., 5.0. Ledger D 322.
- 1 Nov., Thursday. Rev'd Mr. Tho. Davies, Hopewell, Dr. For 1 Doz Pre[servati]ves [Miller 365] 6.0., 1 Doz Div. Songs [Miller 144?] 4.6. Ledger D 326.
- . Henry Fagen, Butch'r, Dr. Cash 10/. Ledger D 127.
- . Mr. Andrew Farrel, Dr. Stove Rods & Reg'r, 3.18.6. Ledger D 361.
- . Matthias Harris, Esq., Dr. Pd. for a Ring, 19.6. Ledger D 285.
- . Houston & Campbell, Adv' t Goods 7/6. Ledger D 14.
- . Thomas Morgan, Chester, Adv' t of a Hat 5/. Ledger D 17.
- . Mr. James Morris, Dr. For Advt. of Bake House, 5.0. Ledger D 206. Same James Morris as 1737, and 29 Sept 1743.
- . Mr. Ric'd Nixon, Dr. Phaed[rus'] Fab[les], 5.0. Ledger D 267.
- . John Wallace (Merch' t), Dr. For Advt. Gaz. Hamilton, Wallace & Co. Goods, N829 [1 Nov 1744], 1.0.0. Ledger D 212.
- . Joseph Wharton, Dr. Phaed[rus's] Fables, 5.0. Ledger D 378.
- 7 Nov., Wednesday. Dr. Jn. Bard, Dr. Paper, 4d. Ledger D 41.
- . Messrs. Blare & Mcllvain, Dr. Cordery 2.6. Ledger D 218.
- . Mr. William Bradford, Dr. 13 Sheets Ell' t Paper 7.9. Ledger D 327; APS Hays 3:558; Vol. 66, p. 72.
- . Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. Hh'd [Hogshead] Sug'r 1200 net at 7d, 39.8.8. Ledger D 382.
- . Mr. Jo. Grover, Sp[anish]town Jamaica, Dr. Imbos'd Paper 6.0. Ledger D 293. ---. Mr. James Macky, Dr. Papr. 5 2 at 2/. 10.0. Ledger D 33.
- . Mr. Reece Meredith, Dr. 8 Reams at 32.6, 260.0. Ledger D 187.
- . Mr. Anth'y Newhouse, Dr. Raggs £9.15.9. Ledger D 251.

- . Broth'r Jn. Read, Dr. Every Man his own Dr. [Miller 131? **Seems too late for this edition?**] 3.0., Blank Book 2.0., 5.0. Ledger D 256.
- . Peter Turner, Dr. Cordery 2.6. Ledger D 128.
- . Mr. Joseph Wharton (See Walton, Joseph), Dr. Phadrus' s Fables by his Son, 5.0. Ledger D 86.
- 8 Nov., Thursday. Messrs. Allen & Turner, Dr. From Work Book, For Adv't. Snow Warren in Gaz. No.830 [8 Nov 1744], 10.0. Ledger D 45.
- . Mr. Samuel Bickley, Dr. For Advt. N830 [8 Nov 1744; ad appears in N831, 15 Nov 1744], Commitment, 5.0. Ledger D 250.
- . Mr. Sam'l. Neave, Dr. From Work Book, For Advt. to call in Debts N830 [8 Nov 1744], 5.0.; For Advt. of Goods in N830 [8 Nov 1744], 10.0. Ledger D 278. See 1 April 1757.
- . Mr. John Ord, Dr. For Advt. of Goods in Gaz. N., 5.0. Ledger D 71.
- . Israel Pemberton, junr. Dr. For Advt. in Gaz. N830 [8 Nov 1744] of Lots, Large, 15.0.; For the Magazines [American Magazine, Miller 343] 6 Months, 4.6 [no date]. Ledger D 72.
- . John Wilcocks, Adv' t of Negroes 5/. Ledger D 30.
- 10 Nov., Saturday. Receiv'd of Benjamin Franklin Three Pounds Four Shillings in full for the Rent of his Pasture to the 2d of Aug last. Per me, William Coat. L3.4.0. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 13.
- 11 Nov, Sunday. Thos. Burden at State House, Dr. Cash, 10.0. Ledger D 36.
- 12 Nov., Monday. Benger, Elliot, Esq. Dr. 84 pennyw' t Gold pd. Geo. Brett per Order. Ledger D 134.
- . Mr. Hugh Davy, Dr. Bills Lading 6.0., Ship Let[ter]s 0.4. Ledger D 81.
- . Rev'd Mr. Sam'l Evans, great Valley, Dr. Bayleys Dictionary, 2 Vols., qr. of Mr. David, 1.12.0. Ledger D 265.
- . Mr. Parks (Printer), For Paper d[elivered] to Mr. Lane Per Order, 9.12.0. Ledger D 366, 386.
- 13 Nov., Thos. Byles, Advt 5/. Ledger D 2.
- 15 Nov., Thursday. Messrs. Bard & Lawrence, Dr. Paper 4.0. Ledger D 352.
- . Mr. Gooding, Bookbinder, Dr. For 1/2 Ream F'sCap No. 7. Ledger D 372.
- . Mr. Jo. Grover, Sp[anish]town Jamaica, Dr. Qr. imb'd paper 6.0. Ledger D 293.
- . Mr. Wm. Hartley, Dr. For Advt. in Gaz. N831 [15 Nov 1744], Strays, 15.0. Ledger D 259.
- . Mr. Anth'y Newhouse, Per Con[tra] Cr. 7 Ream Cartrid. Paper. Ledger D 252.
- . Mr. Jn. Read (Christeen) Dr. Paper & Alm'ks 27.0. Ledger D 257.
- . Mr. Rob't Strettel, Dr. From Work Book, Advt. of Snow Friendship in N831 [15 Nov 1744], 5.0.; Advt. of Goods in N831 [15 Nov 1744], 5.0. Ledger D 322.
- 19 Nov., Monday. Thomas Maul, joyner, Dr. Sundries, 15.0. Ledger D 70.
- . Mr. Wm. Parsons, Dr. Gr[reek] Grammar, 3.6. Ledger D 188.
- . Broth'r Jn. Read, Dr. Two Pamelas [Miller 293 or 338] at 9.0. Ledger D 256. 22 Nov., Thursday. Mr. Gooding, Bookbinder, Cr. by Binding &c 3.4.; Dr. Pastboard. 4.1. Ledger D 372.
- . Matthias Harris, Esq., Dr. For Gold & Sundry Gloves, 34.19.0.; Cr. by Sterl. Bill Exch. £17.1 at 170 Per Cent makes Pennsylv. Money, 28.19.7. Ledger D 285.

- . Mr. Rob't Kelsey, Dr. Six Watts's Psal. [Miller 227?] 12.0. [Total] 27.4.11. Ledger D 313.
- 23 Nov., Friday. Mr. Jn. Acworth, Dr. Cash lent 20.0. Ledger D 260.
- . Mr. Jn. Cresson, Dr. Two Qr. Paper 2.0. Ledger D 272.
- 24 Nov., Saturday. Capt. Joseph Arthur, Dr. Portlidge Bill 4d. Ledger D 368.
- . Dr. Jn. Bard, Dr. Paper 2/. Ledger D 41.
- . Dr. Phineas Bond, Dr. Paper, 4.0. Ledger D 229.
- . Mr. Craddock (Taylor), Dr. Paper 1.6. Ledger D 344.
- . Mr. Gooding, Bookbinder, Dr. 2 Qr. Thic. Post 6.0. Ledger D 372.
- . Mr. Anth'y Newhouse, Dr. Cash 200.0. Ledger D 251.
- . Mr. Parks (Printer), For Cash paid Mold Maker, 4.0.0. Ledger D 366.
- . William Parks, Printer, Dr. Paid Mould Maker L14., 4.0.0. Ledger D 386.
- . Thos. Rogers, Shoemaker, Dr. Paper, 1.6.; Sundries from 4to. Alph't, 3.4. Ledger D 95. No date by second entry. Carried to Ledger E, folio 71.
- . William Vanderspeigle, Dr. For 15 Qr. thick. Post, 2.2.6. Ledger D 304.
- . Mr. Tho. Wilcox, Dr. 6 Almanacks 1.9.; Cash pd. Cunningham & Gardner his Note of Hand for £5.16. Per C[ontr]a Cr. By Pastbd. 108 lb. Ledger D 355-56.
- 27 Nov, Tuesday. Thos. Burden at State House, Dr. Cash, 20.0. Ledger D 36.
- . Lewis Evans, Dr. Postage of a Letter, 2.1.; Thermometer, 1.4. Ledger D 241.
- 29 Nov., Thursday. BF dr to Solomon Fussell for white Childs chair, 2.6. Solomon Fussell's Account Book, 1738-1751, Stephen Collins Papers, DLC; PMHB 40 (1916): 121.
- . Rec'd of Mr. Franklin twenty pds. on Acct. for the Use of my Bro. Jos. Beddome, Per I. Jones, L20.0.0. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 14.
- . Messrs. Blare & Mcllvain, Dr. Clk's [Clark's] Introduction, 4.0. Ledger D 218.
- . Peter Kock, D' o of a Ring lost 5/. Ledger D 14.
- . Mr. Jasper McCall, Dr. 3 Drum Head 18.0. Ledger D 350.
- . Mr. Wm. Parsons, Dr. Young Man's best Comp., 5.0. Ledger D 188.
- . Mr. Conrad Weiser, Dr. For an Advt. of Strays, Gaz. N833 [29 Nov 1744], 5.0. Ledger D 93.
- 1 Dec., Saturday. Messrs. Allen & Turner, Dr. For Lillys Grammer, 3.6. Ledger D 45.
- . Receiv'd of Benja. Franklin Forty Shillings on Acct. of Mr. Parks Per me, Jo. Conrad Schutz. L2.0.0. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 14.
- 7 Dec., Friday. Dr. Jn. Bard, Dr. Indent[ure]s. 1/4. Ledger D 41.
- . Lewis Evans, Dr. Two Doz. Alm'ks. 7.0. Ledger D 241.
- . Mr. Andrew Farrel, Dr. Papers 2.0. Ledger D 361.
- . Mr. Plunket Fleeson, Dr. Alm'ks 7.0, Primrs 4.6 D[elivere]d Geo. Brown, [total] 11.6. Ledger D 153.
- . Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. Papr & Quils, 8.0. Ledger D 382.
- . Gustavus Hesselius, Dr. Spelling Book, 2.6. Ledger D 50.
- . Mr. Jn. Bittle (shopkeeper), Dr. An Acct. Book 15.0. Ledger D 54.
- . Mr. James Quest, Cr. by Raggs, 146lb. Ledger D 103.
- 8 Dec., Saturday. Dr. Jn. Bard, Dr. Carbo[n] Paper, 2/6. Ledger D 41.
- . Mr. Hugh Davy, Dr. Inkpowder 2.0. Ledger D 81.

- . Mr. Isaac Decow, Sen'r, Cr. Cash 18.0. for the above & 19.6 for a Book & Qr. large Post to be sent him. Ledger D 325.
- . David Edwards, Dr. Qr. thick Post. 6.0. Ledger D 165.
- . Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. Cart'g [Cartridge] Paper £17.10. Ledger D 382.
- . Mr. Jonas Green, Dr. Poc[ket] Almanacks [Miller 350 or 350a] 50 & 1500 Poor Rich'd [Miller 351]. 15.16.8. Ledger D 207.
- . Mr. Jo. Grover, Sp[anish]town Jamaica, Dr. Gilt Pap'r 6.0. Ledger D 203.
- . Jn. Lad, Esq., Dr. Advt. of a Vendue, 5.0. Ledger D 183.
- . Matthias Meuris, Contra, Cr. Cash, 12.6. Ledger D 376.
- . Mr. Anto. Newhouse, C[ontr]a Cr. Memo. From Dec. 2. 1742. to Dec. 8. 1743. inclusive, Neither Debt nor Credit enterd here, both are Collected in a sepa<rate?> paper--quoere why omitted? Ledger D 246. Dr. Cash 63.6. Ledger D 251.
- . Mr. Parks (Printer), For 150 Pocket Alm's [Miller 350 or 350A]. Ledger D 366, 386.
- . Mr. Thos. Robinson, Merchant, Dr. Bill of Lading Book, 7.6. Ledger D 264.
- 9 Dec., Sunday. BF Bought of Nath. Holmes. 1 Barrell Mackrell, L1.15.0.; 1 Jar of Oile, 12.0.; 1 Small Cagg [Keg] Sammon, 12.0.; [Total] L2.19.0. Vol. 66, p. 65a.
- 10 Dec., Monday. Receiv'd of BF Three Pounds Nine Shillings and Eight pence which with Cash at Sundry times before, and Sundries in the Shop since July last, is in full of Twenty-one Pounds he assum'd to pay for Wm. Parks of Virginia; rec'd Per me, Theo' s Grew, L21.0.0. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 14.
- 11 Dec., Tuesday. Rec'd of BF Three Pounds, Three Shillings & Sixpence on Acct. of Isaiah Per me, Swen Warner, L3.3.6. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 14.
- 12 Dec., Wednesday. Mr. Bennet, Dr. Cash 30.0. Ledger D 317.
- . Mr. Craddock (Taylor), Dr. Paper 2.9. Ledger D 344.
- . Mr. Hugh Davy, Dr. Paper 2.0. Ledger D 81.
- . Rev'd. Mr. Sam'l. Evans, great Valley, Dr. Paper 1.4. Ledger D 265.
- . Mr. Jn. Franklin, Dr. Cash lent at 2ce [twice] 78.0., Cr. 9.6., [total] 3.8.6. Ledger D 347.
- . Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. Paper, 1.4d. Ledger D 382.
- . Mr. Anth'y Newhouse, Dr. Glue 5½ Doz. Ledger D 251.
- . Mr. Geo. Oakil, Dr. Alm' k interleav'd 10d. Ledger D 262.
- . Mr. James Parker, C[ontr]a Cr. Per Order on Wm. Bradford return' d. Ledger D 298.
- . Mr. James Read, Dr. Bill Exch'd for 17.1, Sterl. at 170 Per Ct. is 28.10.8-1/5. Ledger D 159.
- 14 Dec., Friday. To 3 Doz. Taylors Almanacks, 12.0. William Bradford, Acct w/BF, See 12 June 1742; Vol. 66, p. 78.
- . Richardson & Eversly, Drs. (From Work Book) Advt. N835 [14 Dec 1744] to Persons indetbed, 5.0. Ledger D 208.
- 17 Dec., Monday. Mr. Alex. Annand, Dr. Gram'r, 3.6. Ledger D 108.
- . Mr. Andrew Farrel, Dr. Law Book Penns'a [Miller 288], 35.0.; Five Powers 8d. Ledger D 361.
- . Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. For Sundries Printing &c. & paying the Boston Engraver [James Turner] for work for the new invented Fire Place [Miller 349], 19.11.0. Ledger D 382.

- . Mr. James Hamilton, Dr. Four Docket Books & altering, 14.0. Ledger D 74.
- . Mr. Isaac Jones, Dr. For Sundries Alm'ks, &c. 1.15.9. Ledger D 84.
- . Jn. Lad, Esq., Dr. Doz bl. Bonds 3.0. Ledger D 183.
- . Matthias Meuris, Dr. Rags 1583 lb. at 1½d, £9.18.3½; Cash 1.0. [total of account] 56.9.8½. "Lost." Ledger D 375. Total and comment "Lost" in later red ink.
- . Mr. Anth'y Newhouse, Dr. Alm'k's 3.6. Ledger D 251.
- . Mr. Jn. Read (Christeen) Dr. 2 Doz. Poc. Almks [Miller 350] 12.0. Ledger D 257.
- . Christ'r Saur, Dr. Five Ream Papr. at 30.0. 7.10.0. Ledger D 120.
- . Venables, Dr. For Paper & Almanack, 2.5. Ledger D 210.
- . Mr. Joseph Wharton (See Walton, Joseph), Dr. for a Dictionary, 5.0. Ledger D 86.
- 18 Dec 1744, James Byard, Bohemia, Adv't Serv't 5/. Ledger D 4.
- 19 Dec. Wednesday. Messrs. Allen & Turner, Dr. For an Accidence. 2.0. Ledger D 45.
- 20 Dec. Thursday. To 2 Doz. Birkets Almanacks, 7.0.; To 6 Doz. Taylors Almanacks, 1.4.0. William Bradford, Acct w/BF, See 12 June 1742; Vol. 66, p. 78.
- . Rec'd of Benja. Franklin Two Pounds nineteen Shillings in full Per me, Nath' a. Holmes, L2.19.0. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 15.
- . Peter Robinson, Ind'n King, Dr. From Work Book, For Advt., single of a Stray, 5.0. Ledger D 220.
- . Brian Ryly [or ?Byly], Left Upaid, 14.0. Settled. Reseved in full, 14.0. Ledger D 118.
- 22 Dec. Saturday. To 12 Doz. Taylors Almanacks, 2.8.0. William Bradford, Acct w/BF, See 12 June 1742; Vol. 66, p. 78.
- 25 Dec. Tuesday. Rec'd of BF Three Pounds on Acct. and Per Order of Mr. Matt' s Harris of Chestertown Per me, Wm. Ringgold, L3.0.0. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 15.
- . Peter Robinson, Ind'n King, Dr. From Work Book, For Advt. of a Stray in Gaz. No. 837 [25 Dec 1744]. Ledger D 220.
- 26 Dec., Wednesday. Messrs. Bard & Lawrence, Dr. Bills Lading 3.0. Ledger D 352.
- . Rec'd of Mr. Benjamin Franklin Ten Pounds One Shilling & 0.10-1/2 in part, On Acct. of Saml. McCall, Junr., Per John Cross, Junr, L10.1.10-1/2. Receipt Book, 1742-64, p. 15.
- . Mr. Rob't Grace, Dr. Wax, 1.0. Ledger D 382.
- . Mr. James Hamilton, Dr. Wafers 1.0. Ledger D 74.
- . Matthias Harris, Esq., Dr. Cash pd Mr. Ringold per Ord., 3.0.0. Ledger D 285.
- . Mr. Sam'l M'Call, junr., Dr. Cash, 10.0. Ledger D 373.
- . Mr. Nich[olas] Scull, Dr. Law Book, 35.0. Ledger D 149.
- 28 Dec., Friday. Mr. Bennet, Dr. 13.6, Cash. Ledger D 317.
- . Mr. Thos. Hopkinson, Dr. Rapins Hist. Eng. 8.3.6.; Cr. by Cash for Do., 8.3.6. Ledger D 139.
- . Mr. Wm. Ramsey, Dr. Sundrys Books, Pap'r, Wax, Notes bl, &c, 3.18.0.; Cr. by Linnen £6.3. Ledger D 283.
- . Mr. Thos. Robinson, Merchant, Dr. Letter Book, 12.0. Ledger D 264.
- 29 Dec., Saturday. Mr. Gooding, Bookbinder, Dr. Cash 9.0. Ledger D 372.
- . Matthias Harris, Esq., Dr. Velvet &c, 2.9.4.; Cr. by Cash 3.12.9. Ledger D 285.
- 31 Dec., Monday. Mr. Alex. Annand, Dr. Com. Prayer, 12.0. Ledger D 108.

- . Mr. Wm. Biddle, Dr. Five Quire Paper at 12.0, 3.0.0. Ledger D 61.
- . Lewis Evans, Dr. Cr. by Ball'e. Mrs. Fra' n Acct. with Patty, 10.0. Ledger D 241.
- . Mr. Olaus Malander, Dr. Cash 7.6. Ledger D 371. Line drawn down through account, indicating settled.
- . Mr. Wm. Maugridge, Dr. Paper, 2.0. Ledger D 52.