The Lancaster Mennonite Historical Society will conduct an auction on September 11, 2015, at 2215 Millstream Road, Lancaster, Pennsylvania, one-half mile east of the intersection of Routes 30 and 462. The sale date for the remainder of 2015 is as follows: November 13. The auction not only specializes in local and denominational history and genealogy of southeastern Pennsylvania, but also includes theological works and other types of material of interest to the nationwide constituency. Please refer to the last page of the catalog for book auction procedures. Individual catalogs are available from the Society for $5.00 + $3.00 postage and handling. Persons who wish to be added to the mailing list for the rest of 2015 may do so by sending $5.00 with name and address to the Society. Higher rates apply for subscribers outside of the United States.

All subscriptions expire at the end of the calendar year. The catalog is also available for free on our web site at www.lmhs.org/auction.html.


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38. Smith, C. Henry. Smith’s Story of the Mennonites. 5th ed. Revised and enlarged by Cornelius Krahn. Newton,


128. Downing, D., The Most Reluctant Convert: C.S. Lewis’s Journey to Faith; Marks, L., Lewis Agonistes; How C.S. Lewis Can Train Us to Wrestle with the Modern and Postmodern World; Lindsey, A., C.S. Lewis’s Case for Christ; Imagining from Reason, Imagination and Faith; Brown, D., Inside Narnia: A Guide to Exploring The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe; Holmes, W., Narnia and the German Classic: A Complete Guide Through the Wardrobe: Exploring C.S. Lewis’s Classic Story, Ford, P., Companion to Narnia; Narnia and the Church, 2003, c1986. xi, 221pp (pb, bib, ind, exlib, gc); Performing the Faith: Bonhoeffer and the Practice of Spirit (all but 1st two pb, 1 dj, several items exlib, 5 items is, ps and/or ppn, gc).


135. The Heidelberg Catechism, or Instruction in Christian Doctrine, as It Is Conducted by the Churches and Schools of the Palatinate and Elsewhere, trans. H. Harbaugh, 1854. [ii], 11-252pp (6½” x 4¼”, syp, ppn, covers worn, spine cover torn, front cover detached, mc); The Heidelberg Catechism and the Catechist’s Assistant, arr. H. Mosser, 1899. 112pp (5” x 3¼”, syp, gc): The Heidelberg Catechism, or a Summary of Christian Doctrine as Used by the German Reformed Church in the United States of America, rev. and corrected, 1866. 55pp (4½” x 3¼”, yellowed pp and covers, covers worn and loose, mc); The Heidelberg Catechism, or a Summary of Christian Doctrine as Used by the German Reformed Church in the United States of America, rev. and corrected, n.d. 63pp (5” x 3¼”, copy of Nora L. Aucker, Keisers Church, November, 1889, caif, sl yellowed pp and covers, gc).


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269. 8 pennants: 6 items 25": Binghamton (dark blue), Buffalo (green), Canada (green), Niagara Falls (pink), Philadelphia-Liberty Bell (pink/blue), Wyansboro PA (red); 2 items 30": Gettysburg PA, House in which Jennie Wade was killed (1-gren, 1-blue) (felt, unevenly faded, creased, wrinkled, soiled, mc).


289. Fifty Years Building on the Warwick: A History of the Warwick Mennonite Community, Including the Warwick River Mennonite Congregation at Denbigh, and the Providence Amish Mennonite Congregation at Oyster Point, Virginia. Denbigh, Va.: Warwick River Mennonite Church, 1947. 153/pp (b/w ill, yellowed endpapers, gc); 3 congregational pictorial directories: Cedar Grove Mennonite Church (Greencastle, Pa.,), 1975 and 1980; Salem Ridge Mennonite Church/Bethel Mennonite Church, 1981. ca. 12/pp/item (pb, comb bd, chiefly b/w ill, vgc).


298. [Wesley, John. A Survey of the Wisdom of God in the Creation; or, A Compendium of Natural Philosophy.


325. Unparteiische Liedersammlung zum Gebrauch beim oeffentlichen Gottesdienst und zur häuslichen Erbauung. Arthur, Ill.: L.A. Miller, 1940. xii, 51pp (5½” x 3¾”; tp detached, sl ppn on endpaper, syp, gc).


333. Esch, A.J. Erstes deutsches Lesebuch für amerikanische Schulen, c1887, reprint ed. [195-?]. 90pp (fp, b/w ill, I signed ill SC. Launderbach, syp, spine cover faded, gc); A-B-C-Buchstabier- und Lese-Buch, 1936. 15pp (ppn, yp, covers blemished, gc); Katechismus und kurze und einfache Unterweisung aus der heiligen Schrift, in Fragen und Antworten, 1918. xii, 68, 38pp (ppn, yp, covers blemished, gc); Katechismus für kleine Kinder: zum Gebrauch für Schulen, Sonntagsschulen und Familien: besonders bearbeitet für die Kleinkinder-Klassen zur Grundlage eines evangelischen Religions-Unterrichts: mit einer Zugabe von etlichen Gebetformen für Kinder, wie auch Kinderlieder. 1928. 80pp (dp, ds, yc, covers blemished, mc).


351. Churches of Today and Yesterday in Southern Lancaster County, Edited by Raymond L. Dunlap. Fellowship of Solanco Churches: 1867. xvi, 204pp (dj, b/w ill, bib, ind, sl yellowed endpapers, covers soiled, gc); Kissinger, Warren S.
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The Society’s November book auction has an especially rich abundance of old and rare books. (Click on bold book numbers to see larger image.) Lot-28. There are a number of volumes thought to have belonged to some of the early Mennonites who settled in the Sonnenberg area of Ohio beginning in 1819 (Lots #120-143). These include three Ausbunds, of which, one has brass pieces embossed with "IS [Isaac Sprunger] and "1821 (#140). Another Ausbund has brass pieces embossed with "CNB and "1839 (#138). Two other books have embossed brass pieces with "ES and "1805 (#125), as well as "CM [Christian Moser] and "1792 (#120). Historical and contemporary resources on the experience of people of African, Asian and Caribbean heritage in Britain. Literature and drama. Collections relating to English literature and British theatre. It was launched in 1982 in response to the number of challenges to books in schools, bookshops and libraries. The theme for 2019 urges readers Using Transkribus for automated text recognition of historical Bengali Books. Friday, August 30, 2019. In this post Tom Derrick, Digital Curator, Two Centuries of Indian Print, explains the Library’s recent use of Transkribus for automated text recognition of Bengali printed books. Are you working with digitised printed collections that you want to 'unlock' for More blog posts. Selected collection items from the British Library.