ARNAULD, ANTOINE (1560-1619). Lawyer in the Parlement of Paris, and father of the celebrated Jansenist philosopher. Celebrated for his legal eloquence in his day, he was a strong defender of Henri IV during the wars of the League and after.

Fr 48

Plaidoye de M. ANTOINE ARNAULD advocat en
Parlement et cy devant Conseiller & Procureur general
de la defuncte Roine mere des Rois, Pour l'Universite
de Paris, demanderesse, Contre les Iesuites defendeurs
. . . 1594.
Paris: Mamert Patisson, 1594.

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expilly, CLAUDE (1561-1636). Born in Voiron in Dauphiné. Expilly studied at the Jesuit Collège de Tourmon, the Universities of Paris, Turin and Padua. He studied law under Cujas at Bourges. He became a lawyer in the Parlement of Grenoble in 1582 and spent most of the rest of his professional career there. He was made President of the Parlement of Grenoble in 1616.

Fr 49

Plaidoyez de CLAUDE EXPILLY . . . ensemble plusieurs
Arrests et Reiglemens notables . . . du Parlement [de
Grenoble]
5e ed.
Lyon: Rigaud, 1631.
[This first appeared in 1612_.

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vi) Other French Materials

Fr 50

Journal, contenant tout ce qui s'est faict et
passé en la cour de Parlement de Paris, toutes les
Chambres, Assemblées, sur le suiet des affaires du
temps present.

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Paris: Gervais Alliot and Jacques Langlois, 1652.

Journal of events in the Parlement from May 13, 1548
to April, 1649, that is during the Fronde parlementaire.
[Autograph: Mattheus Greynall].

RECENT ACQUISITIONS IN FRENCH LAW AT BRITISH COLUMBIA

The library of the University of British Columbia has over the past few years acquired a number of titles relevant to the history of law, jurisprudence and legal-political thought in early modern France. Included are some thirty provincial law coutumiers, one printed in the sixteenth century, the rest in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries, and a number of published collections of arrêts of the Parlements of France. The Parlements represented are those of Paris, Toulouse, Burgundy, Brittany, Provence and Dauphiné. These, too, date from the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries.

The library also has the following works of French jurists and writers on French legal institutions:

CHOPIN, RENÉ, Oeuvres, Paris 1662, 1663.
COQUILLE, GUY, Oeuvres, Bordeaux, 1703.
CUJAS, JACQUES, Opera Omnia, Paris, 1658.
DONEAU, HUGHES, Opera Omnia, Lucca, 1762-70.
DU HAILLAN, BERNARD DE GIRARD, De l'estat et succez des affaires de France, Paris, 1580.
DU MOULIN, CHARLES, Opera Omnia, Paris, 1681
FAUCHET, CLAUDE, Origines des dignitez et magistrats de France bound with Origines des Chevaliers, Paris, 1600.
LA ROCHE-FLAVIN, BERNARD DE, Treize livres des Parlemens de France, Geneva, 1621.
LOYSEAU, CHARLES, Oeuvres, Lyon, 1701.
PASQUIER, ETIENNE, Oeuvres, Amsterdam, 1723.

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C. GERMANY

CONRING, HERMANN (1606-1681). Born in Norden in Eastern Frisia, Conring was 17th c. savant with typically diverse interests. He studied Greek, history, theology and medicine at Leyden. He taught both natural philosophy and medicine at the Academy of Julia in Helmstädt. Christina of Sweden and Louis XIV wished to patronize him, but he remained loyal to his first patron the Duke of Brunswick. His knowledge of jurisprudence was so respected that he was asked to arbitrate disputes among European princes. He wrote on many subjects and his work on German public law is considered original and important.

Opera
Brunswick: F.W.Meyer, 1730.
6 vols.

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Vols. I-II are *Varia Scripta ad Historiam Prudentiam Civilem Ius Publicum Imperii Romano-Germanici*. Volume VI includes the *De Origine Iuris Germanici*. [The *De Origine* first appeared in 1643. According to Guido Kisch, Conring here followed the views of François Hotman regarding the need to codify German law. Conring quoted approvingly Aristotle's view that as little scope as possible should be allowed to the decision of judges.]

COTHMANN, ERNST (1557-1624). Born in Lemgo in Westphalia, Cothman studied at Helmstädt and Marburg. He became a Professor of Law at Rostock and also part of the administration of the House of Mecklenburg-Güstrow. In addition to his *Responsa*, he also published an edition of a commentary on Justinian's Code.