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Running Number	Accession Number	Category	Author	Title	Date	Publisher and other details
1	CD590	HRS	BBC	National 12 Bell Contest 2005 Final. Marcus Brigstoke's Trophy People: Bellringing. The Worcester Cathedral 12 Bell Contest	2005	Richard Grimmett and Stephanie Warboys are the principal stars and are depicted as leading rivals among teams competing for the trophy. DVD
2	NA594	HRS	Bleby, Elizabeth	Their Sound has Gone Forth: a history of change ringing in Australia and New Zealand to 2001	2001	ANZAB. Updates the earlier book 'We sing in a strange land', 1989
3	NA446	HRS	Conway-Jones, P.	Ancient Society of Crypt Youths, Gloucester. A short history of the society and bells	1991	Gloucester. Pamphlet
4	NA746	HRS	Cook, William T.	The Central Council of Church Bell Ringers: a centenary history	1993	From the estate of Andrew Stubbs
5	NA390	HRS	Cook, William T.	The Society of College Youths 1637-1987: a new history of the society	1987	London. Presented by Andrew Stubbs
6	NA574	HRS	Cook, William T.	The Society of College Youths 1637-2005	2005	2nd edition. Subscribed by the Guild.
7	NA593	HRS	Davies, Mark B.	An Unassuming Genius: the life and times of A. J. Pitman	2007	CCCB. Biography of the eminent composer. Purchased
8	NA509	HRS	Eisel, John C.	Giants of the Exercise: some notable ringers of the past	1998	CCCB
9	NA588	HRS	Eisel, John C.	Giants of the Exercise II: more biographies of notable ringers of the past	2006	CCCB. Purchased
10	NA457	HRS	Eisel, John C.	William Greenleaf	1989	Woolhope. Reprinted from 'Transactions of the Woolhope Naturalists' Field Club'
11	NA429	HRS	Horseman, Michael	The Bath and Wells Diocesan Association of Change Ringers: the first hundred years	1990	
12	NA553	HRS	Ingram, David R. and Jones, Richard L. (ed)	Belfrey Life in Birmingham c1780-1860: the recollections of John Day	2001	Birmingham. Illustrated and with introduction, appendices and index. Donated by Richard B. Grimmett
13	NA554	HRS	Ingram, David R. and Jones, Richard L. (ed)	Belfrey Life in Birmingham c1780-1860: the recollections of John Day	2001	Birmingham. Illustrated and with introduction, appendices and index. Donated by Richard B. Grimmett (2nd copy)
14	NA616	HRS	Jones, Richard L.	St Martin's Band in the 1880s: the 1804 account book of the Change Ringing Company of St Martin's Church Birmingham	2009	Birmingham. An abstract describing and illustrating the historical detail in this recently restored item in the Guild library
15	NA312	HRS	Keeley, R. et al	A Century of Changes: the Salisbury Diocesan Guild of Ringers 1882-1982	1982	
16	NA398	HRS	Lewis, C. Kenneth	The Chester Diocesan Guild of Bell Ringers Centenary: the first hundred years 1887-1987	1987	Presented by Rev Brian Harris
17	A116	HRS	Lewis, E. H. et al	Fabian Stedman of Cambridge: souvenir of tercentenary commemoration, Saturday December 5th, 1931	1932	Guildford, Stedman Tercentenary Commemoration Committee. Booklet, 16pp. Illustrated. Contains essays on Fabian Stedman, and on the bells of St Benet's Cambridge and their restoration
18	NA761	HRS	Loveless, John P	Shake my hand and I'll show you the ropes': a biography of George Pipe	2020	
19	NA508	HRS	Mason, J. S. et al (ed)	The Ancient Society of College Youths: history of the society, list of notable performances, rules and regulations	1956	Presented to A. Ager on his election to membership, 7 January 1961. Presented to the Guild by John McDonald

20	A016	HRS	Osborne (ed. Snowdon and Tuke)	An account of the Society of Union Scholars, established AD1713	1877	Bradford
21	CD617	HRS	Regan, Mark	Lost and Found 3: the bells of Worcester Cathedral	2009	11 tracks including clock chime and all the standard combinations of the 15 ringing bells. Reviewed in 'The Ringing World' by Richard L. Jones, 19 March 2009
22	A017	HRS	Robinson, Rev F. E.	Among the Bells	1909	Autographed
23	NA557	HRS	Scott, Stanley G.	43ers Sixtieth Anniversary	2003	Redcar. A collection of memoirs by some who were recruited to ring in 1943
24	A019	HRS	Shepherd, Edgar C.	St Martin's Youths	1953	Solihull. Bound in hard covers and inscribed by the author
25	NA517	HRS	Smith, Robert B.	My Life Among the Bells	1999	Melbourne, Derbyshire
26	NA499	HRS	Spice, John	The Oxford University Society of Change Ringers 1872-1997	1997	Preston. Presented by Andrew Stubbs, President of the OUSCR
27	NA518	HRS	Stevenson, Janet	A History of the Ladies' Guild of Change Ringers 1912-2000	1999	
28	A021	HRS	Trollope, J. A.	The College Youths: a history of the society	1937	Woking
29	NA638	HRS	Uphill, Michael J.	Tales from the London County Crypt	2010	Presented by George W. Pipe
30	A024	HRS	Young, E. A	James Robert Haworth, Printer, Philanthropist, Bellringer, Master of the ASCY 1851-1852	1952	Reprint from 'The Ringing World' 1952
31	A023	HRS	Young, E. A.	Benjamin Annable: The bicentenary of his mastership [of ASCY] 1746-1946, a sketch of his life and career	1946	12pp. Typewritten and duplicated
32	AC200	HRS		Dedication of the bells of Washington Cathedral USA	[1964]	Interviews with British ringers including George Fearn and handbell ringing. Audio-tape cassette
33	CD615	HRS		Lost and Found 2: record peals on tower bells	1981	10 recordings of long peals rung between 1965-2007 including Birmingham Cathedral 1965, 1966 and Knowle 1981. CD. Presented by George Chaplin
34	AC5	HRS		National 12 Bell Contest 1985 Final: Stedman Cinques at Canterbury Cathedral	1985	4 tracks: ASCY, Birmingham, St Paul's Cathedral, SRCY. Audio-tape cassette with spoken commentary by Roderick W. Pipe
35	AC6	HRS		National 12 Bell Contest 1987 Final: Stedman Cinques at Cambridge Great St Mary's	1987	Birmingham team performance and practice touches at Birmingham Cathedral. Audio-tape cassette
36	AC7	HRS		National 12 Bell Contest 1988 Eliminator: Cambridge Maximus at Rotherham	1988	Birmingham team performance. Audio-tape cassette.
37	CD597	HRS		National 12 Bell Contest 2007 Final: Superlative Maximus at Bristol St Stephen's	2007	All judged touches. 2 CDs (CD597a and CD597b). Purchased
38	ACD17	HRS		Record peal: Bristol Surprise Royal at Daventry, 28 January 1978: excerpts	1978	15120 changes in 9 hours 56 minutes. Audio CD with written details of composition inside cover
39	ACD18	HRS		Peal of Scientific Triples at Kingsbury, 17 May 2004: excerpts	2004	In memoriam John McDonald. Rung on the 25th anniversary of the first peal of Scientific in the Birmingham area on the same bells by the same band, except for the treble ringer: Paul Bibilo replaced the late John McDonald