

# NEW BOOKS GIVEN TO OUR LIBRARY

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## Scott, Dickens, Carlyle Included in Donations

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OLDEST BOOK, WRITTEN BY  
JOHN EDWARDS, IS  
DATED 1694

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The college library has been fortunate in receiving many gift volumes during the past year, according to Miss Emerson. Students, faculty members, publishers, book agents have all been generous with donations.

Recently, George Bliss Jones gave the library a set of the *TIMES ENCYCLOPEDIA AND GAZETTEER* in 8 volumes. Mrs. Hoskins has given a valuable set of *CARLYLE'S WORKS* in 16 volumes. Mrs. S. W. Frierson has contributed 50 volumes of miscellaneous books, including works by Scott and Dickens, some modern novels and some Boy Scout books, which were catalogued in the junior high library.

Books from the old libraries of the LaFayette and Dialetical societies are now being catalogued, Miss Emerson states, and will increase the material suitable for research work.

The oldest book in this collection bears the date 1694 and is a quaint and interesting volume. The title of it is "A Discourse Concerning Authority, Stile and Perfection of the Books of the Old and New Testament." The author is John Edwards.