

The Spirit. An Address delivered before the Philomathean Society of Union College. By \*\*\*\*\* \*, \*\*\*\*\*, of \*\*\*\*\*\*, at the expiration of his term of office as President of the same. [*Schneectady*:] Printed by S. S. Riggs, No. 23, Union-Street. 1839. 8vo, pp. 32. NYP., Y. 89467

The author is probably George L. Ehle, of Canajoharie, who graduated from Union College in 1839.

Spirit Communications. . . . [Boston? 1855.] 18mo, pp. 16.

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Caption title. Contains communications, dated in 1855, from a "Mother in the Spirit Sphere," received through the mediumship of Mrs. A. B. Hall, West Roxbury, etc.

The Spirit Congress. A Poem; from the manuscript of a Maniac. Edited by Cefil. . . . *New-York*; Robert M. De Witt, 160 and 162 Nassau street. 1859. 12mo, pp. 37, (1), errata (1).

BU., NYH., NYP. 89469

Spirit Lake Massacre. History of. See no. 32214, vol. 8. CU.

The Spirit of Contradiction. A Comedy. *Philadelphia*: Andrew Stewart. 1762. 89470

Title from Hildeburn. The *London*, 1760, edition is attributed in Halkett and Laing to J. Rich, on the authority of Baker's Biog. Dram.

The | Spirit | of | Despotism. | . . . | London:—Printed in the year 1795. | *Philadelphia*: | Re-printed by Lang and Ustick, for Selves | and Mathew Carey. | Nov. 28, MDCCXCV. | 12mo, pp. (2), blank leaf, pp. iii-x, 342. BA., M., NYP. + *Morris-town*: | Printed by Jacob Mann. | M,DCC,XCIX. | 12mo, pp. (10), 319.

In the 1795 edition, p. 265 is mispaged 165.

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The author of the above was Vicesimus Knox. William Hone, in the preface of an anonymous English edition of the work published in 1821, stated that the book "was first privately printed at London in 1795, during the war against France, in a duodecimo of 360 pages, and a very few copies of it circulated with great secrecy." In 1822 Hone issued an edition with Knox's name on the title, in which he stated that the author, fearing that he had been too unrestrained in his language, had attempted to suppress the whole of the first edition, but that three copies had been preserved by some means, and from one of these the first American edition had been printed. Since no copy of the original had been located, Edward Solly queried in 1883, whether there were truth in Hone's statement, or whether the American were not really the first.

See "Notes and Queries," 5th ser., vol. 11, 1879, pp. 43, and 174; 6th ser., vol. 7, 1883, p. 407.

The Spirit of Despotism. . . . Second American Edition. *Norris-town* [Pa.]: Printed by James Winnard. [1810?] 12mo, pp. x, blank leaf, pp. 263. NYP. 89472

It is probable that Winnard did not know about one of the earlier editions. His