



## MARYLAND IMPRINTS

*An Annotated Bibliography of Books, Broadsides and  
Newspapers Printed in Maryland from  
1689 to 1776*



THE compiler's intention has been to form a bibliography of Maryland imprints which should present to the investigator an outline of the intellectual, political and social history of the Province of Maryland, and on the practical side provide a useful guide to librarians, book collectors and booksellers. In order that this purpose might be carried out successfully he has made it his object to show in regard to each book:

1. An exact transcript of its title-page with the line endings indicated.
2. Where title-page is lacking, an exact transcript of its main heading, and of its colophon, if present.
3. Where headings, imprints and dates are lacking to supply them in square brackets, giving, when possible, authorities for the matter supplied.
4. A moderately full collation, consisting of size (fold of the sheet); signature sequence (with a superior number indicating the number of leaves in each gathering of the copy examined); the total number of leaves; the pagination; the main heads and the pages occupied by each; typographical ornaments; linear size of the title-page in inches as being easy to visualize, and of the type page in millimeters as being exact for purposes of identification.
5. A note comprising facts in the life of the author; explanations of the matter of the book; such part of the history of the book as is known or seems of importance to record; cross references to works of a related character.
6. The library or libraries in which the book described is to be found.

The compiler has examined personally all of the items given with collations in this bibliography, except the following:

Nos. 1, 20, 21, 70, 122, 140, 177, 186, 234, 244 and 245. Of these he has given title transcripts from photographic copies of all except Nos. 177, 244 and 245.

A number of additional titles not seen by the compiler are copied from Evans's *American Bibliography* where no location was given for them. In