

2. CHARLES II PANEL-BACK OPEN ARMCHAIR

A mid-late 17th Century oak Charles II panel-back open armchair, having a carved, curviate-top crest rail, beaded-edge side stiles, with arabesque and foliate-carved central panel, curved arm rest, with ring-turned arm supports, plank seat over molded, straight-edge skirt frieze, supported on block-and-ring-turned front legs, ending in square block feet, simple back legs, ring-turned front stretcher and simple side-stretchers, (restoration to at least one front foot, the back panel may be a later replacement, some other restorations, including partial seat, but overall quite intact).

36 ½" h.

3800

Paper label below:

*Kenneth MacLeish Vander Poel
English 17th Century oak Jacobean armchair,
solid back with incised leaves on turned and block legs,
\$500*

Also branded with *V* and superimposed *P*, for *Vander Poel*.

also with white enamel button: 110.

Provenance: Kenneth M. Vander Poel.

SIDE HALL

→ 3. TWO CHARLES II – WILLIAM & MARY SIDE CHAIRS:

- a. a Charles II side chair, with major restorations and adaptations, having a carved back crest rail featuring cherubs centered by a crown, over flower-carved and caned back splat, ring-turned and tapered side stiles, caned seat, ring-turned and blocked legs, with ring-turned "H"-stretched base, ornately-carved front stretcher, (mostly old wood, with restorations, also some of the carving is of later date, seat damage, front legs restored, one rear leg spliced);

43" h.

1200

- b. a William & Mary carved walnut and caned side chair, with restorations and additions, having a carved curviate back crest rail, centered by a crown, with spiral-carved side stiles, carved curviate back splat with oval central caning, caned seat, carved and spiral turned front legs, carved front stretchers, with spiral carved "H"-stretched base, (the foliate carvings on legs and side stiles are of later date, restorations throughout, spiral turned stretchers are of later date, some damage to carving).

44" h.

1200

4. JACOBEOAN REFECTORY TABLE

An oak Jacobean refectory table, mostly 17th Century, having straight-edge plank top, with bread-board ends, over straight, beaded-edge skirt frieze, with corner brackets, bold, ring-turned and tapered baluster legs, with straight, molded-edge, box-stretched base, (mostly old, restoration to one plank of top; some restoration to skirt frieze; worm damage and losses to stretchers and feet).

33" x 145" x 35"

25,000

Provenance: Estate of Wm. R. Coe;
Donated by *Yale-Peabody Museum*.

GREAT HALL

5. CHARLES I REFECTORY TABLE

A Charles I refectory table, (heavily restored and reconfigured), having straight-edge, massively thick plank top, over straight skirt frieze with beaded edge, supported on six, ring-turned and tapered baluster legs, box-stretched base, (top probably by association, drawer is of the period but appears to be added at a later date, some of the legs are restored, one long side of the skirt frieze is old, only some of the stretchers are of the period).

21" x 147" x 33 1/2"

18,000

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Jacobsen Chair #1

type - side chair, no arms, caned seat & back splat.

size - Back - 47" high, 16 1/2" wide
- special caned posts, turned finials.

- caned splat framed in heavy sawing top & bottom & sides. caning intact

seat - 18" high, 17" back, 19 1/2" front
15 1/2" deep. caned, intact

legs - front - blocks & special, caned blocks.

- caned front stretchers

- Back - blocks & turning.

- turned rear stretchers

- side stretchers blocks & special

- lower middle stretchers special

condition - right back post worn & broken.

- right side of splat caning broken & worn.

- worn damage in many places



Entry & Dining Room Hal

Entry Hall South Wall



Chair east side

Armchairs

Conservation Comments:

David Bayne: Proper right finial on east chair is broken and detached but present. Apparently was glued recently and has re-broken probably due to contact with the wall. Otherwise the chairs appear stable and not a priority.

William Clark No comments.

Recommendations:

This chair and the mate are in a high traffic area and subject to accidental bumping and handling.



west side

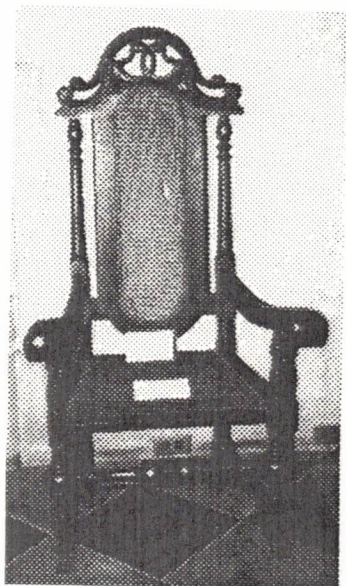
Director's Comments

These chairs are not original to the collection and were part of the Neuhooff collection.

Entry Hall

Cane chair (one of a pair)

BOTH HAVE MAKER'S STAMP
EXAMINED BY GEORGE WAY



Conservation Comments:

William Clark: Personal donation to Coe Hall.
David Bayne: Some small holes in the caning

Director's Comments

Obviously not original to the house and there are some questions of age. Examined by a chair expert George Way.

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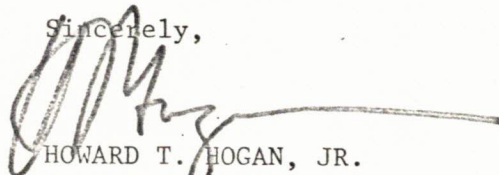
Dear Ms. Gilligan:

May I thank you for your letter of June 26th concerning the two Flemish style chairs to be used at Coe Hall. I'm happy I could be of assistance in adding these additions to the collection at Coe Hall. *

As soon as my schedule will allow, I shall be happy to visit Coe Hall.

Again, many thanks for your letter.

Sincerely,



HOWARD T. HOGAN, JR.
Councilman

HTH:mab

CC: Joseph Colby, Supervisor, TOB
Stuart Chase, Raynham Hall
(both w/copies of 6/26
letter from Curator)