

Transcription of M.R. James's unpublished description
Cambridge, University Library, MS Dd.2.7

Title	Epistolae Jeronimi
Secundo folio	animalibus
Language	Latin
Material	vellum
Measurements	14 ½ x 12 ins.
Collation	3 flyleaves vellum, 2 paper I ⁸ – XXII ⁸ 3 flyleaves vellum
Number of leaves	v + 179
Columns	double
Lines to a page	42
Date	cent. XII early
Handwriting	fine; in the latter quires though characteristic of Christ Church
Binding	old paper boards covered with leather; rebacked in cent. xviii

Hacket (195) Parris 334

Contents

Covers are lined with 2 leaves of early printed books.

1) notes by HB as Panormitanus ? Hain *12312

2) noted as Decretals 5. ix

Of the vellum flyleaves, 3 at the beginning and one at the end are from a large folio Law MS (xiv – xv). This rubric occurs: Expl. Liber primus collectarii Juris. Inc. secundus De Iudiciis Rubrica
There is a handsome initial.

Two at end are made up of 4 leaves of a xvth cent. MS of the Summa of Aquinas, of which many other pieces occur in bindings in the Library (see Add. 2714). Those here are from Summa II. 2. Quaest. 144 and 147.

The body of the book is from Christ Church, Canterbury. At top of f. 1 (R corner) is the old press-mark ·L·, and there is a xivth cent. title: Epistole Ieronimi (ecclesie xpī Cant erased). This is no. 211 in Eastry's Catalogue, 110 in Ingram's list: *Anc. Lib.* pp. 40, 156, 508.

It is the same collection of 123 Epistles of which there are several other copies in the Library (Kk. 2. 14) and elsewhere, e.g. Royal 6. C. xi, 6. D. i - iii, Aberdeen University 6. The order is not that of the printed editions.

	Haec sunt capitula libri huius (red caps.)	1
	I Epistola damasi pape ad ieronimum presbiterum	
		
	CXXIII Ad pammachium de morte pauline	
	In what follows, titles will be shortened.	
i	Ep. damasi papae ad b. Ieronimum	1 ^b
	Dormientem te	
ii	Ad Damasum de .vii. uindictis Cain	1 ^b
	Postquam epistolam	
iii	De egressione filiorum Israel	2 ^b
	Cur deus loquitur	
iv	De ignorantia Isaac	3

	Cur Isaac uir iustus	
v	De tract. Origenis (in Cantica)	3 ^b
	Origenes [cum] in ceteris	
vi	Finit prima omelia. Inc. alia ... Nardus mea	6
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viii [vii]	Ad Tranquillum Maiora spiritus	9 ^b
[viii]	[Ad Damasum de osanna Multi super hoc sermone]	[9 ^b]
ix	Ad Damasum Quoniam uetus oriens	10 ^b
x	“ Importuna	11
xi	“ de seraphim Septuaginta. Et missum est	11
xii	“ Et factum est. In anno	11 ^b
xiii	De filio prodigo Beatitudinis tue	14 ^b
xiv	Aug. ad Ieron. D ^{no} ... Audiui peruenisse	18 ^b
xv	Rescriptum D ^{no} ... In ipso profecconis	18 ^b
xvi	Item ad Aug. Anno preterito	18 ^b
xvii	Aug. ad Presidium Sicut presens	19
xviii	Aug. ad Ieron. Cur itaque conor	19
xix	“ Nunquam me quisquam	20
xx	Rescriptum Crebras ad me	21
xxi	Aug. ad Ieron. D ^{no} ... Habeo gratiam	21 ^b
xxii	Item “ Ex quo cepi	22 ^b
xxiii	Rescriptum Tres simul	23
xxiv	Marcellino et Anapsichie Tandem ex africa	27
xxv	Aug. ad Ieron. de origine anime Deum nostrum	27
xxvi	“ de eo ... qui totam legem Quod ad te	30 ^b
xxvii	Ad Aug. Virum uenerabilem	33
xxviii	Item Omni quidem tempore	33 ^b
xxix	Item Multi utroque claudicant	33 ^b
xxx	Ad Alippium et Aug. Sanctus Innocentius	33 ^b
xxxi	Inc. explanantio fidei S. Ieronimi	34
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xxxiii (sic)	Ad Heliodorum [ep.] exhortatoria Quanto amore	34 ^b
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(xxxv)	Ad Paulinum de institutione clericorum etc. Bonus homo	38 ^b
xxxvi	Ad eund. Frater Ambrosius	40
xxxvii	Ad Amandum de diuersis questionibus Breuis epistola	42
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xl	Pammach. et Oceanus Ieronimo Sanctus aliquis	46
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xliii	Ad Ocean. de unius uxoris uiro Nunquam fili	49
xliv	Ad Euangelium Legimus in Isaia	51 ^b
xlvi	“ de Melchisedech Misisti michi	52
xlvi	Marco presb. Decreueram quidem	53
xlvi	Ad Auitum contra libros Periarcon Ante annos	53 ^b
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	In margin [56] (xiv): deficit iuxta quosdam hic ep. 48 que inc. <u>Credimus in unum</u> et est expositio fidei niceni consilii	
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li	Desiderio Lectus sermo	58
lii	De tribus uirtutibus Tres quodam modo	58 ^b
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liv	Epiphani ad Ioh. Constantinop. a b. Ieron. translata	61 ^b
	Domino dilectiss. ... Oportebat nos	

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	Marginal note xiv – xv: Hec epistola secundum b. Aug. primo de gratia christi et peccato originali 23. 28. 29. 30. et 31. non est b. Ieronimi sed pelagii. Ven. eciam beda primo libro super can. can. 12 ^o dicit hanc ep. esse Iuliani discipuli et sequacis pelagii heretici non Ieronimi. ideo caue lector extollit enim patenter in multis libertatem arbitrii contra gratiam dei.		
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Ends 173^b: primum sequeris patriarcham Loth.

ff. 174, 175 are ruled uniform with the rest. 176 blank. On them are notes for the next part of cent. xiv(?) in alphabetical order.

The book is very finely written throughout , probably by two hands. The first initial is in a peculiar dark green, and red.

I take it to be a transcript of an archetype of Celtic connexion (cf. the *finit* of some colophons) made at Canterbury.

The Graeca are respectably written, and often transliterated. Many marginalia (xiv – xv) throughout.

It came to the Library from Bishop Hackett's legacy.