

Malmesbury

Li. 3. 20 WILLELMI MELDUNENSIS DEFLORATIONES GREGORII

Vellum, $12\frac{1}{4} \times 9$ in., 135 ff (out of 137; 136, 137 lost), double columns, 39 lines to a page. Two xii cent. hands (changing at 130), the first and main hand rather narrow, with headings in small red capitals, and capitals and initials in plain red, blue, or green. 1 fly leaf. 1-xvi⁸ xvii⁸ (wants 7, 8); signatures for quires 1-xii. xvii cent. speckled calf, blind tooled, re-backed.

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2 - 134^b

Incipit prologus W. in libro deflationum. Dominis suis et fratribus Meldunensis cenobii monachis. WILLELMVS fide frater professione censeris. Ad instructionem communem deflationes ex libris precellentissimi pape Gregorii in hoc volumine conpegi - et merito amabiles fratres. Valet et orate PRO ME

1^b Ex catalogo virorum illustrium

Isidori. Gregorius papa Romanus - in ipso exordio locatis romani principis

2^b Ex vita ipsius beati Gregorii papae.

A fideli et religioso - fideliter revelavit Incipiunt capitula primae partis. Incipit prima pars deflationum

etc. capitulum primum de fide et operibus etc. ex omeliis super evangelium et ex moralibus. Dominus dicit in evangelio qui crediderunt - in ipso suo fonte biberimus. Explicit pars

quarta etc. Each part preceded by a list of chapters with those for part II written twice; the second copy erased:

II (18) III (62) IV (84^b) Another copy of the prologue, hitherto to unprinted, Cambridge, Gonville and Caius 210, f 97

1^b. A late index On 2, in a small hand, the xv cent. title flores greg., and Thomae Turneri (xvi) 135. The scribble John Godfrey (xvi) 1, 135^b blank; 136-7 cut out

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