

Ff. 4.32 AUGUSTINUS

Vellum,  $11\frac{3}{4} \times 8\frac{1}{2}$  in., 133 ff (1, 3-26, and all after 160 lost), single column, 35 lines to a page X<sup>th</sup> cent. Christ Church, Canterbury script, with red headings, capitals alternately in red and green, the beginning of the text of each article in washes & yellow initials in red, green, purple, and yellow  
2 flyleaves (the first gone) a-c<sup>8</sup> (all gone) d<sup>8</sup> (wants 1, 2) e-t<sup>8</sup> v<sup>8</sup> (wants 7, 8), the rest lost; the quires signed on the verso of the last leaf

X<sup>th</sup> cent. calf, blind tooled, re-backed

29. (1) Item sermo beati AUGUSTINI Hipponiensis episcopi de avibus, so the original list of contents on 2<sup>b</sup>, beginning imperfect after the loss of 28 leaves, mei homines estis — dicit dominus deus noster. Explicit sermo de avibus (Sermo 47: CCL XLII, 603, L. 968 —) 3-28 cut out  
29-102.<sup>b</sup> (2) Aurelii AUGUSTINI doctoris adversus Donatistas de baptismo liber primus incipit. In libro quo aduersus epistolam Parmeniani (capitals) — quia cum eis aedificamus in petra. Explicit de baptismo adversus Donatistas liber septimus (CSL L, 145-375) Bk II  
(39) III (46<sup>b</sup>) IV (55) V (67) VI (79) VII (92<sup>b</sup>)  
103-143. (3) ETIUSDEM de baptismo parvorum liber primus incipit. Quavis (capitals) in medius et magnis curarum estibus — nisi id reverer facere defendendo proximus. Explicit etc. liber secundus (LX, 3-128). Bk II (125)  
143-150.<sup>b</sup> (4) Incipit epistola ETIUSDEM ad Marcellinum. Carrissimo (capitals) filio etc. De quaestionibus quas mihi proposueras — quam tandem aliquando finitus. Explicit epistola etc. (Jb., 128-51)  
151-160.<sup>b</sup> (5) ETIUSDEM de unico baptismo liber incipit. Respondere diversa sententibus — ending imperfect Quod si

instum arbitrantur (LIII 3-33, L. II)

On 2<sup>b</sup> the original list of contents: In hoc volumine  
continentur hi libri. Sermo beati Augustini Ypresiensis  
episcopi de pastoribus / Item sermo eiusdem de eis /  
libri septem eiusdem de baptismo adversus donatistas /  
duo libri eiusdem de baptismo parvulorum / Epistola  
quaque ipsius ad Marcellinum / De unico baptismo /  
De spiritu et littera (lined through) This is followed  
by a note of Abraham Whelock (librarian, 1629-53):  
Qua fraude, aut vi abierint libri, aut tractatus rel-  
iqui nescit A. W. Vere tur etenim ne in eis incident pla-  
giarius aliquis, qui talibus monumentis manuscriptis  
insidiari, non in instum clamant, sed re vera  
gloriosum. Certe, per me damnentur hoc supplicio,  
aut solem, aut Augustinum nunquam intueantur  
1 cut out; 2 blank.

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the mid. xii cent. Catalogue reproduced in facsimile  
by P. Sawyer, in Textus Roffensis, II (Early English  
MSS in Facsimile, x1, 1962), ff 224-30, and printed  
by P. R. Coates in Archaeologia Cantiana, VI (1866),  
120. No. 7 in the Catalogue of A.D. 1202 printed by  
W. B. Rye from B.M. Royal 5B. xii, f. 2, 8b, III (1860), 54  
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