

c. 124. Acts of S. James the Great (Abdias lib. iv).
 cc. 129-164. On the Sacraments.
 Lib. x, f. 198.
 Here a change of hand takes place. There is a fine border to f. 198.
 c. 1. De nerone et eius moribus.
 c. 63. De hiis que precesserunt mortem neronis.
 cc. 2-7 are from Seneca. 13-21 from Clementine Recognitions. 22. S. Petronilla.
 23-25. S. Martial. 30, 31. Thecla. 39 etc. Legends of Apostles. A gap
 from the end of c. 50 to the end of c. 52.
 Lib. xi, f. 233. c. 1. De moribus vespasiani imperatoris.
 c. 132. De SS. Agapito et ceteris martiribus.
 This ends imperfectly f. 285^b: only one leaf seems to be wanting.
 This book is practically all concerned with Lives of Saints.
 Then follows the alphabetical table to Part II beginning with *Aaron* and ending
 with *Pueri*. Three leaves are gone at the end.

6. JOH. TYNEMOUTH. HISTORIA AUREA II. { Under B. 2
 { T. James 347

Vellum, 19⁴/₈ × 13⁴/₈, ff. 299 + 4, double columns of 65-66 lines. Cent. xv,
 in the same hand or hands as 5, of which it is the continuation. At each
 end, two leaves of the Antiphoner as in 5.

Collation: 1^s-5^s 6^s (wants 6) | 7^s-10^s (wants 3-8) 11^s-16^s 17^s 18^s 19^s 20^s
 21^s-26^s (wants 6-8) 27^s (wants 1, 2) 28^s 29^s 30^s 31^s-39^s [40^s] 41^s.

At top of f. 1 in red *Hic est liber S. Albani de libraria conuentus*. A
 long inscription in large letters, no doubt referring to Wyntreshull and
 very probably a duplicate of that in 5, has been erased from the *R.* margin
 of f. 1.

Fine initials and partial borders to the several books.

Contents:

Inc. Lib. 12 Cronicarum Johannis. De S. Mauricio cum sociis suis c. 1. Dioclicianus incepit regnare	f. 1
c. 124. De S. petro alexandrino.	
Lib. XIII. c. 1. De S. katerina virgine	47
c. 58. De S. florencio.	
At the end in a xvith cent. hand:	
Hic inc. 2 ^{us} Tomus ut ibi scribitur Johannis Anglici.	
Lib. XIV. c. 1. De gestis illius temporis	71 ^b
Romanorum igitur tricesimus quintus regnavit constantinus. c. (124). Death of Theodosius.	
Rubrics and numbers of chapters gradually cease to be added.	
Much of this book is from <i>Vitae Patrum</i> .	
Most of cc. 4-22 are wanting after f. 72.	
Lib. xv. c. 1. Arcadius and Honorius	120 ^b
Prophecy of Merlin in verse, f. 152.	
Cumque peragratis sub multis regibus annis.	

Five leaves are gone after f. 199.

There is a clever unfinished pencil sketch of a Mongol or Tartar on the margin of f. 267.

No beginning of a fresh book is marked after f. 120 *b*. The narrative is continued to f. 303 *b*, the year being 1343.

It breaks off in the "literae Edwardi delegatis pape et vicecomitibus suis" (Hearne, Hemingford II 371) with the words

Nos ad instantiam (catchword) requisicionem.

f. 304 is a leaf added by Parker's scribes, and on it they have written the end of the chapter and continue

Scripsit quoque rex vicecomitibus pro eodem sub hac forma.

The text of this is given. Then follow heads of chapters, no text being given.

Qualiter papa scripsit regi Edwardo quod nuntios ut conductum fuerat non misit ad Curiam.

Qualiter rex Angliae asserit treugas per Philippum de Valesio a parte violatas, et ipsum monet de observatione illarum.

Litera Philippi regis francie missa reg. Scotorum ante transitum regis Angliae in Normanniam.

Litera regis fran. missa reg. Scotie statim post aduentum regis Angliae in Normanniam.

Litera missa Edwardo reg. Ang. ante bellum de Cressi per Philippum. Responsio Edwardi.

De victoria regis Edwardi habita apud Cressy.

De bello fact. apud Dunelm.

De victoria contra Gallicos Thome de Dagworth diuinitus collata.

Qualiter papa post victoriam regi Ang. scripsit.

De captione Caroli de Blois et qualiter deuictus est.

Hec omnia clare scribuntur in libro M^{ri} Price (=Bodl. 240) et sequuntur multa de Johannis Anglici de vitis sanctorum ut habetur in martirologio suo et in sanctilogio suo et aliis libris.

f. 304 *b* is blank.

Then follows a quire in one of the hands of the earlier part of the MS. containing a chronicle from 1343 to 1377 which is said (by Horstmann) to be the source both of the *Chron. Angliae* ed.

E. M. Thompson and of Tho. Walsingham from 1343. It begins : 18(th year of Ed. III). Sub eodem tempore missi sunt ex parte Regis Angl. procuratores ad curiam romanam. Dominus Henricus de lancastria etc.

Ends f. 310 *a*—que famam eius indicibiliter minuerunt.

In the lower margin in pencil is :

In spacio sequenti scribatur de prole et naturali progenie dicti regis / Item cathololgus virorum forcium etc. prelatorum et deuotorum virorum vid^{lt} domino principe etc. De rege scottorum(??) de cant.

archiep. et/de armachano etc. De Ric. heremita^{priore} de beligtan (? berlington) etc. / Item de ffundacō mon. cisterciens. apud turrim(??) london. et minorissarum / ffratrum predicatorum apud langeley. sororum eiusdem ordinis apud darteford sutheg'(?).

In the remaining line the 4th word seems to be Westminster.