

**Geoffrey of Monmouth, *Historia regum Britanniae*. pseudo-Turpinus, *Historia Caroli magni et Rolandi*. Charters, etc.**Galfr. Monumethensis. *Historia Turpini*. Chartae, etc.**Codicology:** Vellum, mm 245 x 175, (9.7 x 7 (and smaller) in.), ff. 1 + 123, several volumes of cent. **xiii-xvi**.**Multivolume:****Volume I:** ff. 1r-12v in two hands of cent. **xvi**, the first imitating black letter print and having woodcut initials pasted in. With f. 13r begins the original manuscript, cent. **xiii late** (not **xii** as Hardy<sup>[Hardy 1862a]</sup> says), in a clear hand, 34 lines to a page: has suffered from damp.**Volume II:** Six leaves of cent. **xvi**.**Volume III:** A quire of cent. **xiv** in charter hand, 29 lines to a page.**Collation:** 1 flyleaf, 1<sup>s</sup> 2<sup>d</sup> || 3 (five) 4<sup>s</sup>-13<sup>s</sup> 14 (two) | 15<sup>2</sup> || 16<sup>6</sup> | 17<sup>16</sup>.**Additions:** f. ir-iv blank.**Foliation:** ff. i + 1-123.**Language:** Latin.**Contents:****Volume I****1.**

- 1r-78v** **Geoffrey of Monmouth**<sup>[Geoffrey-001]</sup>, *Historia regum Britanniae*  
*Galfridi Monumetensis*<sup>[Geoffrey-001]</sup> *historia Britanniae*  
[Nasmith:] Ubique concordat, etsi non semper ad verbum, cum editione Heidelbergiana, in libros tamen non dividitur: historiae inseruntur prophetiae Merlini<sup>[Merlinx-001]</sup> ut in exemplaribus impressis
- 1r *Rubric:* Inclitissimo...Roberto Claudio Cestriae duci<sup>□</sup>, etc.  
1r () *Incipit:* Cum mecum multa  
This first section ends in the story of Cordeilla<sup>[Cordeill-001]</sup>
- 12v () *Explicit* obtulerit utcunque maritem (!)  
13r () *Incipit:* (Illud) autem affirmo  
At f. 42v we have the prophecies of Merlin<sup>[Merlinx-001]</sup>
- 42v () *Incipit:* Nondum autem ad hunc locum  
43r *Incipit:* Coegit me alexander<sup>□</sup>  
43r () *Incipit:* Sedente itaque uortegorno<sup>[Vortiger-001]</sup>  
Ends
- 78v *Explicit* tran(s)ferre curauit  
Hardy<sup>[Hardy 1862a]</sup> I 342 says "This MS. is supposed to represent the work in its earliest form and is divided into four books." But the division into books is not indicated by rubrics. Hardy's account is otherwise confused

**2.**

- 79r-101v** **pseudo-Turpinus**<sup>[pseudo-T-001]</sup>, *Historia Caroli magni*<sup>[Charlema-001]</sup> *et Rolandi*<sup>□</sup>  
*Historia Turpini Remensis*<sup>□</sup> *ecclesiae archiepiscopi de famosissimo rege Karolo magno*<sup>[Charlema-001]</sup>, *qui terram Hispanicam*<sup>□</sup> *et Galetianam*<sup>□</sup> *a potestate Saracenorum liberavit, ad Leoprandum*<sup>□</sup>  
[Nasmith:] Ad finem adduntur, De morte Turpini<sup>□</sup> et Genealogiae regum Gallorum et Anglorum usque ad Philippum III<sup>□</sup>, et Edwardum I<sup>□</sup>
- 79r *Rubric:* Incipit Epistola beati Turpini<sup>□</sup> Archiepiscopi ad leoprandum<sup>□</sup>  
79r () *Incipit:* Turpinus<sup>□</sup> dei gratia  
(Ward, Cat. of Romances I<sup>[Ward 1883]</sup>, 546 and 574)
- 79r () *Explicit* deo placeas Amen  
79r *Rubric:* Incipit historia turpini Remensis<sup>□</sup> ecclesiae archiepiscopi de famo(sissimo) Rege karolo magno<sup>[Charlema-001]</sup> quomodo terram hispanicam<sup>□</sup> et galetianam<sup>□</sup> a potestate sarracenorum liberavit
- 79r () Capitula  
Text
- 79v *Rubric:* De hoc quod apostolus Iacobus<sup>□</sup> Karolo<sup>[Charlema-001]</sup> apparuit  
79v () *Incipit:* Gloriosissimus namque Christi apostolus  
99v () Ends imperfectly in the chapter de miraculo Rotholandi<sup>□</sup> (at Grenoble<sup>[Grenoble-001]</sup>)  
The last 3 chapters  
(Calixtus<sup>□</sup> de inuentione corporis beati Turpini<sup>□</sup>  
De altu maiore cordube

- Quod nauarii de vera prosapia non sunt geniti)  
are supplied on ff. 100r-101v by a hand of cent. **xvi**, ending f. 101v with a section  
101v *Explicit*Anno ... **d.ccc.lxxvj** Rollo<sup>[ ]</sup> cum suis ... mortuo Henrico<sup>[ ]</sup> regnauit Edwardus<sup>[ ]</sup> filius  
eius

## Volume II

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3.

**102r-107v** *Testimonia historicorum de iure regis Angliae in regnum Scotiae*

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- 102r blank  
102v ( ) *Incipit*: Hec est conuentio et finis quam Willelmus Rex Scotie<sup>[ ]</sup> fecit domino suo Henrico<sup>[ ]</sup>  
102v ( ) *Incipit*: Conuocatis per dominum Edwardum Regem Anglie<sup>[ ]</sup> illustrem apud Norham<sup>[Norhamxx-001]</sup>  
super Twedam<sup>[Tweed(Ri-001)]</sup> prelati  
Testimonies from Chronicles  
107v ( ) *Explicit*et episcopatum suum in pace habere permittat  
Copied in MS 110. 3<sup>[CCC110]</sup>

## Volume III

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4.

**108r-110r** *Articuli cleri, 1316*

*Articuli cleri in parlamento Lincoln<sup>[Lincoln-001]</sup>, 9 Edw. II<sup>[ ]</sup>*

- 108r *Rubric*: Statuta edita tempora Edwardi secundi<sup>[EdwardII-001]</sup> an<sup>o</sup> x<sup>o</sup> apud Eboracum<sup>[Yorkxxxx-001]</sup> in  
quibus locum habet regia prohibicio  
(This title is of cent. **xv**)  
Margin  
108r ( ) Magna carta concessa eidem clero per eundem in hec uerba (**xiv**)  
Text  
108r ( ) *Incipit*: Rex omnibus ... Sciatis quod cum dudum temporibus progenitorum  
110r ( ) *Explicit*Apud Eboracum<sup>[Yorkxxxx-001]</sup> **vicesimo quarto die Novembri anno regni nostri decimo**

5.

**110v-112v** *Bull 'Scimus Fili', 27 June 1299*

*Litera missa regi Anglia Edwardo I<sup>[EdwardI-001]</sup>, per Bonifacium papam<sup>[Boniface-001]</sup>, quod regnum  
scotiae non est nec fuit de feodo regis Anglia sed ab antiquis temporibus pleno iure  
pertinuit ad ecclesiam Romanam*

- 110v *Incipit*: Bonifacius episcopus<sup>[Boniface-001]</sup> Scimus fili  
112v ( ) *Explicit*Anagni<sup>[Anagnix-001]</sup> **5 kalendas Julii pontificatus anno quinto**  
Copied in MS 110. 2<sup>[CCC110]</sup>

6.

**112v-116v** *Edward I<sup>[EdwardI-001]</sup>, Reply to the Bull 'Scimus Fili'*

*Epistola Edwardi I<sup>[EdwardI-001]</sup>, ad papam de iure suo in regnum Scotiae, data 7 Maii, 1301*

- 112v *Incipit*: Sanctissimo in Christo patri. Infra scripta non in forma  
116v ( ) *Explicit*Apud Remesoye<sup>[ ]</sup> **7 Maii anno domini 1301 et regni nostri 29**  
Copied in MS 110. 4<sup>[CCC110]</sup>

7.

**116v-118v**

*Litera quam comites et barones Angliae miserunt domino papae super negotio Scotorum, data apud  
Lincoln<sup>[Lincoln-001]</sup>, 12 Feb. 1301*

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data apud Lincoln<sup>[Lincoln-001]</sup>, 12 Feb. 1301*

- 116v *Incipit*: Sanctissimo etc.  
118v ( ) Lincoln<sup>[Lincoln-001]</sup>, **12 Februarii anno domini 1300**  
Copied in MS 110. 5<sup>[CCC110]</sup>

8.

**118v-119r**

*Literae Bonifacii papae<sup>[Boniface-001]</sup> ad archiepiscopum Cantuar. ut presentet regi literas quas misit pro Scotis*

*Litterae Bonifacii papae<sup>[Boniface-001]</sup> ad archiepiscopum Cantuar. ut presentet regi literas quas misit pro Scottis, data 4 kalend. Jan. pontif. I<sup>mo</sup>*

118v *Incipit:* Bonifacius<sup>[Boniface-001]</sup>

119r () *Explicit*Anagni<sup>[Anagninx-001]</sup> 4 kalendas Julii pontificatus anno quinto  
(a note that it should precede the two last items)

9.

119r-120v

*Epistola archiepiscopi [Winchelsey<sup>[Winchels-001]</sup>] ad papam, in qua prolixè narrat difficultates et pericula, qua subivit in itinere suo in Scotiam<sup>[Scotland-001]</sup> ad regem cum literis papae, data apud Otteford<sup>[Otfordxx-001]</sup> 8 Idus Octob. 1300*

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119r *Incipit:* Sanctissimo patri in Christo ... Robertus<sup>[1]</sup>

120v () *Explicit*Otteford<sup>[Otfordxx-001]</sup> 1. Idus Octobris anno domini 1300  
(erasure follows)

10.

120v-121v

*Carta Edwardi II<sup>[EdwardII-001]</sup>. confirmans statutum de Westmonasterii I Edwardi I<sup>[EdwardI,-001]</sup>. de protectione bonorum ecclesiae, data apud Eboracum<sup>[Yorkxxxx-001]</sup> 24 Nov. A. R. 10<sup>o</sup> (1316)*

*Carta Edwardi II<sup>[1]</sup>. confirmans statutum de Westmon. I Edw. I<sup>[EdwardI,-001]</sup>. de protectione bonorum ecclesiae, data apud Ebor.<sup>[Yorkxxxx-001]</sup> 24 Nov. A. R. 10<sup>o</sup>*

120v () Another hand

121v () *Explicit*Eboracum<sup>[Yorkxxxx-001]</sup> 24 Novembris anno regni decimo

11.

121v-123r *Breve ejusdem regis vicecomiti Kant. directum pro executione statuti Westmonasterii I*

*Breve ejusdem regis vicecomiti Kant. directum pro executione ejusdem statuti*

122v (121v) Same date [24 Novembris anno regni decimo]

12.

123r-123v *Treaty of Edinburgh<sup>[Edinburg-001]</sup> - Northampton<sup>[Northamp-001]</sup>, 1328*

*Carta Edwardi III<sup>[EdwardII-002]</sup>. qua dimittit se de omni jure in regnum Scotiae*

123r In a hand of cent. xvi

123r () *Rubric:* Haec charta refertur in schotichronicon libro decimo tercio capitulum 13 sed quis pinxit iconem<sup>[1]</sup> (or leonem<sup>[1]</sup>) ipse considera. circa anno domini 1328. Edw. 3<sup>[EdwardII-002]</sup>  
(see MS 110. 6<sup>[CCC110]</sup>)

123r () *Incipit:* Uniuersis ... Edwardus<sup>[EdwardII-002]</sup> ... cum nos nonnullique predecessores nostri

123v () *Explicit*nulliusque esse volumus valoris vel momenti. In cuius rei etc.

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