

Bernard Gui OP, Flores chronicorum and other texts. The pseudo-Map Prose Lancelot

Bernardi Guidonis Quaedam. Roman de Lancelot

Codicology: Vellum, mm 335 x 235 (13.2 x 9.5 in.), ff. 84 and 178, two volumes, in double columns. Cent. **xiv and perhaps xiii late**.

Multivolume:

Volume I: in double columns of 56 lines: two hands seem to be employed, of cent. **xiv**. They are French, perhaps South French. The ink is pale. Fine ornaments.

Volume II: in double columns of 75, 73 etc. lines. In a clear black hand, very closely written.

Collation: 1¹² 2¹² 3⁸-5⁸ 6² 7¹⁰ 8¹² 9¹². || 1⁸-8⁸ (+1) 9⁸-21⁸ 22⁴ (+1) 23⁴.

2 fo.:

Volume I: "parma".

Volume II: "Mais de ce est".

Foliation: ff. i-ii + 1-262 + iii.

Language: Latin and Old French with some English on flyleaf under paste-down.

Contents:

Volume I

1.
1r-32v **Bernard Gui OP¹, Flores chronicorum, De origine prima gentis Francorum**

(Bernardus Guido¹)

1r *Rubric:* De origine prima gentis francorum et eorum processu

1r *Incipit:* Franci origine fuere troiani

Ends (on Philip VII¹)

29v *Explicit* qui eum precesserat ad regnum dei

ff. 30r-32v blank

See Delisle, *Notice sur les MSS. de Bernard Gui (Notices et Extraits xxvii 1879)* § 94^[Delisle 1879a]

2.
33r-48v **Bernard Gui OP¹, Flores chronicorum, Genealogia regum Francorum**

Eiusdem Genealogia Regum Francorum

33r *Rubric:* De origine prima Francorum

33r *Incipit:* Franci ex sua prima origine fuere troiani

(Dated **May 1331**)

On f. 33v the genealogical tree begins. At the top is an arcade surmounted by turrets (blue, yellow, green, brown) and under the two middle arches are figures of Turchotus¹ and Franco¹ admirably drawn and painted

The tree is continued between the columns of text, and illustrated with medallions of kings and innumerable busts of queens, princes and saints on blue and brown-red grounds

Ends 48r (Philip VII¹)

48r *Explicit* viii die intrantis mensis aprilis incohato iam anno dominice incarnationis **m^o ccc^o xxx^o**

The fifth and last edition. Delisle § 103^[Delisle 1879a]

48v blank

3.
49r-50v **Bernard Gui OP¹, Flores chronicorum, De genealogia comitum Tolosanorum**

[Eiusdem]

49r *Rubric:* Comites Tholosani

49r *Incipit:* Legitur in gestis et cronicis francorum

50v *Explicit* illustris regis francie¹ deuolutum

Delisle § 117^[Delisle 1879a]

4.
51r-60v **Bernard Gui OP¹, Flores chronicorum, Imperatores Romani**

[Eiusdem]

51r *Rubric:* Imperatores Romani

51r *Incipit:* Quoniam sanctorum martirum et confessorum

60v *Explicit* et rediit in theotoniam

5.

61r-67v **Bernard Gui OP[¶], *De temporibus conciliorum***

[Idem]

61r *Rubric*: de tempore Celebrationis Consiliorum

61r *Rubric*: Incipit tractatus brevis de temporibus et annis generalium et particularium consiliorum

61r *Incipit*: De sacrosanctis synodis seu conciliis
Ends (1315)

67v *Explicit*que usque tunc steterant in suspenso
Second edition. Delisle § 153^[Delisle 1879a]

6.

68r-71v **Bernard Gui OP[¶], *De ordinatione officii missae***

[Idem]

68r *Rubric*: de ordinatione officii misse facta a domino Ihesu Christo et sanctis suis apostolis ac demum per summos romanos pontifices successiue

68r *Incipit*: Ihesus christus primus et summus pontifex

69v *Explicit*in remissionem peccatorum

69v *Rubric*: Casus qui contingere possunt in celebrando missam

69v *Incipit*: Inter cetera uero que scire oportet

71v *Explicit*de rasura tabule dictum est supra

71v () *Rubric*: Explicit
Delisle § 213^[Delisle 1879a]

7.

72r-79v **Bernard Gui OP[¶], *Nomina discipulorum Christi***

[Eiusdem]

72r *Rubric*: Nomina apostolorum

72r *Incipit*: Nomina duodecim apostolorum

73r *Explicit*cum barnaba[¶] assumpto tito[¶]

73r *Rubric*: Nomina discipulorum

73r *Incipit*: Designauit dominus et alios

79r () Ending with Mass for the lxx disciples, and a short list of them
Delisle § 148^[Delisle 1879a]

8.

80r-84v ***Libellus brevis et utilis de articulis fidei et sacramentis ecclesiae***

80r *Rubric*: Libellus brevis et utilis de articulis fidei et sacramentis ecclesie et preceptis decalogi cum quibusdam aliis annexis in fine pro rectoribus et curatis ecclesiarum nostre lodouensis dyocesis ad erudiendum plebes sibi commissas

80r *Incipit*: Quoniam ut ait apostolus hebreos xi^o sine fide etc.

84v *Explicit*alcuis duximus conscribendum

Delisle § 211^[Delisle 1879a]

On another Cambridge MS. of Bernard Gui[¶] (Trinity College R.4.23^[CTC653]) see my Catalogue^[James1901b] in loco

84v () A long erased inscription follows, beginning: "Iste liber". It is too carefully erased to be successfully revived
There is also on f. 84v a Parkerian[¶] note on the next volume

Volume II

9.

85r-262r **pseudo-Map[¶], *Prose Lancelot (incomplete)***

Prose

Romance of Lancelot[¶] ascribed to Walter Map[¶], incomplete

85r (1r) *Incipit*: En la marche de gaule et de la petite bretagne auoit ancienement ii rois
Ends

262r (178r) *Explicit*et coment il fu deliures de la karole ou il estoit mis
Initials in red and green, plain. The text is the work of two scribes at least

CCC: space available for notes on the current status of the encoding

- text:copied from James.txt CF
- markup: CF
- markupCheck: checked by CF, SP, CF 2nd
- msCheck: NJC 11.07.2007 2nd check and title confirmation NJC 24.10.07
- remarks: