

Register of Books and Plate belonging to Corpus Christi College, Cambridge

Register

Codicology: Vellum, mm 300 x 210 (11.8 x 8.5 in.), ff. 37. Begun in 1613.

At one end is a Register concerning the Library, at the other a Register of Plate.

Parker's arms are blazoned on the flyleaf: surmounted by a mitre.

Foliation: ff. i-ii + 1-9 + 9a + 10 + 10a + 11-36 + iii-iv.

Language: Latin.

Contents:

1.

1r-22r *Register of Books in the libraries of Corpus Christi College, Cambridge*

- 1r () *Rubric:* Registrum omnium librorum in utraque Bibliotheca Exteriore silicet et Interiore Collegii Corporis Christi Cantabrigiensis anno dominicae incarnationis MDCXIII Kalend. April. atque inde porrò
The Bibliotheca Exterior is first treated. The records of donations go down to 1660. The only manuscript mentioned is the Koran given by Mr Hitchcock (no. 249^[CCC249])
After 14 blank leaves we have the Bibliotheca Interior
A few manuscripts "extra Catalogum" are mentioned: see further on the *Libri ab aliis donati* in the Introduction^[James 1912a]
The entries cover about a page

2.

36r-22v *Register of Plate belonging to Corpus Christi College, Cambridge*

The volume has been turned upside-down and restarted from the back
The Register of Plate begins with a resolution of the College (8 June 1648) that such a Register should be kept
Then follow the arms of each donor very carefully drawn and a notice of his gift. These run from about 1590 to 1743
The first 45 cups described were sold for £142. 10s. in 1648 and 1649, according to a statement on f. 4v, |33r| signed by the Master and Bursar
There are other records of sales in 1656 and 1693/4

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