

Transcription of M.R. James's unpublished description
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Title	Psalter & Devotions
Secundo folio	
Language	Latin
Material	vellum
Measurements	5 ½ x 4 ins.
Collation	1 ² a ¹⁰ b ⁸ c ⁴ d ⁸ - r ⁸ s ⁸ gone t ⁸ - x ⁸ y ⁸ z ¹⁰ (three) A ⁸ (three) B ⁸ C ⁴ [2 flyleaves. a - b ⁸ c ⁴ d - r ⁸ s ⁸ (all gone) t - x ⁸ y ⁸ z ¹⁰ (2, 8 cancelled) & ⁶ (1 cancelled, wants 4) A ⁴ B ⁸ C ⁴ , and the rest gone - HLP]
Number of leaves	202 [194 (135-42, 185 and all after 203 lost) - HLP]
Columns	single
Lines to a page	16
Date	XV
Handwriting	The main one hand is upright English
Binding	calf

Moore 232 On 93^b Beckensall (XVI) & George B[eckensall] on 26^b
 Part I is from Winchester, Part II from Amesbury.

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I	On 2 ^a , a collect scribbled.	
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	Virtues of the cross, & promise of safety in recitational antiphon of SS. Cyricus and Julitta which follows.	
	- allatum fuit ab angelo. Karolo [Karoli sic] regi magno	
	Change of hand at 127.	
	Memoriae. Angels. Apostles (Gap). Martyrs: only Stephen and Laurence remain.	
	On 144 ^b a rhythm Ad te deus clamo reus	
	Confessors. Benedict. Swythun [Swythin] (long) (in the prayer to him we have all the Winchester saints mentioned. Rogo uos huius ecclesie compatronos scil. S. Birinum presulem primum et te S. Ælphegum S. Athelwoldum S. Heddum S. Brinstanum S. Frichestanum). Martin. Confessors (the Winchester saints occur again). <u>VV</u> Anne Mary Magd. Margaret Katherine Citha	
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- II In a rather scratchy hand, obviously added at Amesbury, from the prominence of St. Melor. 167
- Devotions to the Virgin (Antiphoner, Kalendar, etc. for the year)
- Andrew, Bartholomew, Melor, Blasius, Edmund M, Michael, John, James, Innocents, Laurence, Thomas, Nicholas, Benedict, Mary Magd., Katherine, Anne
- Penitential prayers 183
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- 189 Animam famuli tui Henrici regis etc.
- 189^b Devotions to the Holy Ghost
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- There are two litanies in the book. The first one [35^b] is of Winchester. It has MM: Juste Albane Oswalde Edmund Elphege Blasi Thoma CC Benedicte ii .. Nicholae ii .. Birine ii ..., Swythune ii .., Hedda, Brinestane, Frithestane, Elphege, Athelwolde ii ... Grimbalde ... Edwarde (last) VV Atheldreda Edburga Barbara ffritheswitha (last)
- The second [194^b] is of Amesbury: [Arch]angels cherubyn seraphyn angele im App Marciales MM Melore (2nd) Ursula Edmunde ... Sigismunde ... Sauine ... Blasi ... Maximiane Lazare Oswalde Kenelme Albane Edwarde. CC ... Bede ... Osmunde ... Edmunde Ricarde (last) Monks etc. ... Florenti ... Iouine ... Maiole ... Wygaloe Symon Roberte Francisce Dominice Ludouice Edwarde (last) VV Radegundis (2nd) ... Disciola ... Abra Florencia Valeria Eufrasia Eufrosina Editha Dorothea Theodosia Flavia ... Ursula et soc. Cordula Fredeswida Marina Cristina Matrons Anna Martha ... Iulitta Elizabeth ... Veronica Sophia Maximilla (last).

In the first part of the book are some handsome though damaged borders of good English style.

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