

Di. 4. 17 GALFRIDUS MONUMETENSIS

Vellum, $9\frac{1}{4} \times 7\frac{1}{2}$ in., iii + 91 ff (out of 96; 92-6 lost),
single column, 24-29 lines to a page Xvcent. charter type,
with red headings, and initials alternately in red and blue
with filling and flourishing in purple and red respectively. On f. 1
a gold initial with salmon pink filling on blue ground diapered
with white.

3 flyleaves. 1-11⁸ 12⁸ (wants 4-8); catchwords. Each quire marked
'examinatur' on the verso of the last leaf.

Quarter niger, buckram sides, vellum tips (Gray, Cambridge, 1935)

2^o f^o mulier

1-91^b

Hic incipit prologus GALFRIDI Arthuri Monemutensis
de gestis Britonum in Anglia. Cum me cum multa —
interno gratulatur affectu (The single dedication to
Robert, Duke of Gloucester). Explicit prologus
Hic incipit descriptio Britannie insule que nunc Anglia
vocatur. Britannia insularum optima — in subsequen-
tibus explicabitur. 1^b Hic incipit primus liber de
gestis Britonum in Anglia dudum vocata magna Bri-
tannia. In eas post troianum bellum — transferre curavi.
Explicit liber de Historiis Regum Britannie BR II (10)
III (16) IV (23^b) V (32) VI (39) VII (48^b) VIII (54^b) IX (65) X (74),
with the rubric not filled in. XI (85) and XII run togeth-
er. The vulgate text, edited by A. Griseom (London,
1929) 91^b On weights and measures. Tria grana
order faciunt pollicem — Per statutum totius regni
Anglie fuit mensura domini Regis composita — Cf. Assisa
de ponderibus et mensuris (SR. I, 204) 92-96 lost
i^b In a xvcent. hand. In mensa quoque sacerdotum et aliorum
clericorum sex observanda sunt videlicet — (xlvij Capitula

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de curia pro reverencia) Two receipts: 1) For to breake the
 Stone w^t out doute. Take the yellowe skynne of the Gyserne or
 mane of any Chycken — ; 2) For the Collyck in the Bellge. Take
 a Rose cake not thoroughly dried — ii. Memorandum
 that Syr Wyllyam Skerington knight hath desigⁿd (?) and
 spoken to Richard Sutton Esquier to be goode Mayster to
 Mayster John Regne doctor of both the Lawes for to remembre
 the sayd doctor yf and assone as any promosyon or benefice
 shall fall in the yest of Elizabeth abbes of the Monastery
 of Syon within the Countie of Myde Remembre (xvi)
 Also on i-iii, and on additional paper flyleaves at both
 beginning and end, an index and notes in the hand of
 Abraham Wheelock, Librarian (+ 1653)
 In the lower cover of the xv cent. boards M^v Hali-Burton
 Rotherham 199 # H. 2.6 James 175 Cl. q. or. hb: 24.
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 Binding Fragments on SF3

An erasure on q1