

# Building an up-to-date library. Prospero Podiani's use of booksellers' catalogues, with special reference to law books

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#### **ABSTRACT**

Prospero Podiani (1535 ca. - 1615) is well known as one of the major book-collectors in the 16th century Italy. He was keen to gather the best editions of the most important works published until his own day (along with relevant manuscripts) and to make them available to scholars. In 1582 he agreed with Perugia city governors about the donation of his collection and the foundation of the Biblioteca Augusta. Podiani was able to keep pace with the production of all the major European publishers mainly by acquiring sale catalogues. The evidence for this can be found in the great number of copies of those catalogues (some of which are very rare) that exist today in the Biblioteca Augusta. Along with acquiring printed catalogues, he also produced a series of manuscript lists of books for sale. This article aims to provide an overall presentation of those documents, printed and manuscript, and then to present the results of a more detailed analysis of one of those catalogues where Podiani listed almost exclusively law books printed in the course of the 16th century and to put them in relation to the section of the library dedicated to legal texts.

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# Podiani and his library

Prospero Podiani, citizen of Perugia, must be esteemed the equal of the princes of our time for the magnanimity and nobility that he has shown himself to possess and which are needed for the foundation of a library. He has, in fact, established in Perugia a Library which is admirable, since it is full of a great variety of manuscripts, as well as of printed books which have been published up to the present times.<sup>1</sup>

In 1591 Angelo Rocca, later to become celebrated for the foundation of the Biblioteca Angelica in Rome (Serrai 2004), wrote this description of the library that Prospero Podiani (1535 ca.-1615) established in Perugia. In his brief account of the library, Rocca makes some remarkable statements. Among other things, he highlighted the fact that the library was an up-to-date collection, full of modern editions. Rocca was not relying on second-hand information: he had studied in Perugia and had met Podiani, from whom he had even borrowed some books (Panzanelli Fratoni 2002, p. 281). Furthermore the accuracy of his description has been borne out by subsequent information, especially the data gathered from the inventory of the library drawn up in 1617, two years after Podiani's death.<sup>2</sup> This inventory provides detailed descriptions which allow us to figure out the main features of the collection, the bulk of which was formed by editions printed between the 1530s and 1580s. These were mainly scholarly publications by the major authors of all ages, in any field and language. Moreover, very importantly, they were editions printed all over Europe (Panzanelli Fratoni 2016a, 86–93; Dondi-Panzanelli Fratoni 2016, 134–140).

The library was the result of Podiani's ambitious project to build a 'universal' collection, formed of all the best editions ever published, so as to provide scholars of any discipline with all the works they needed. In doing this, he was drawing on his personal passion for books, a passion he had developed since his childhood. Very little is known about Podiani's education but he certainly received a good training in the humanities: along with Latin, he probably studied Greek, at least enough to read it and to write a few lines. We can also infer, from various sources, that his family played an important role in his education. Prospero was born around 1535 to a family of professionals and landowners who came from a village near Perugia (Poggio Aquilone, from which the family name derives: de Podio, then Podiani). Towards the end of the 15th century they moved to Perugia where they soon became involved in the government of the city and in the University. An important member of the family was Lucalberto (1471-1551), doctor artis et medicinae, but also secretary of the Priori (the city governors), and dean of the Domus Sapientiae Veteris (the earliest college in Perugia). Interestingly, when Prospero introduced himself to a cardinal (Fulvio Della Cornia), whose patronage he wished to obtain, he did it by making a reference to Lucalberto. Around 1580, when he was "half way through the journey of his life" Podiani announced his plan to transform his book collection (which at the time consisted of about 7,500 books) into an institutional library. In 1582 an agreement was drawn up

<sup>1</sup> "Prosperus Podianus, civis Perusinus, animi nobilitate ac magnitudine in hac praesertim re praesanda, hoc est in Bibliotheca instituenda, Principibus viris aetate nostra haudquaquam cedere debere iudicatur: extruxit enim Bibliothecam Perusiae mira manuscriptorum codicum, omniumque librorum, qui ad hanc usque diem in luce prodierunt, varietate refertissimam» (Rocca 1591, 396; on Podiani: Vian 2015; Bartoli Langeli and Panzanelli Fratoni 2016).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Perugia, Biblioteca Augusta, MS 3082; if not otherwise stated, all manuscripts and printed books mentioned in this article are found in this library.



between him and the city governors, and the city Library was established, with the name Biblioteca Augusta. In return for his generous donation, Podiani would be elected Librarian, with an annual salary of 150 scudi.

It has been written that the official opening of the library did not take place until 1623, some years after Podiani's death (1615). It has been proven, however, that the library was in fact in existence at least as earliest as the 1590s, and there is evidence that a number of scholars made heavy use of the books (Panzanelli Fratoni 2002; 2006; 2009; 2013). It was an imperfect arrangement, though, since Podiani continued to manage the collections as if they were still his own property. Records of loans or expenditure for the library do not have the form of official documentation. Several registers exist, scattered within the manuscript collection, with lists and notes of various kinds written in Podiani's hand: some were conceived as tools for organising the collections, including a treatise on library management on which the present writer is currently working. Other registers were used to record notes of loans or expenses, but often in a disordered way and undated. Analysis and interpretation is needed of the information found in these notebooks, which is significant for our understanding not only of Podiani's library. Furthermore, along with his notes, he kept valuable printed material related to the booktrade.

In this article I will analyse a number of sale catalogues, printed and manuscript, which contain abundant data concerning the book-trade on an international scale. The final section is dedicated to law books, of particular significance since the Faculty of Law was a very important one in the University of Perugia. A detailed examination of the law books found in Podiani's library can serve as a significant test of its up-to-dateness.

#### How Podiani dealt with the bookmarket

On 13 July 1591 a certain Filippo Guidalotti, probably a native of Perugia but by then living and working in Venice, sent a letter to Podiani.<sup>3</sup> He was glad to inform him – he wrote – that "Sig. Bernardo" (Giunta?), who always had Podiani's interests at heart, had just sent him a note to say that a 'catalogue of the last Frankfurt fair' was waiting for him [in Sig. Bernardo's bookshop] to collect.

Al Molto Mag.co Sig.r e p.ron mio il sig. Prospero Pudiani Perugia

Molto Mag.co sig. mio

V.S. potra cognioscire di continovo la memoria che tiene il sig. Bernardo di lei. In una fattura mandata à m. Michele Vaschetto, costi che vi è notato per V.S. un **Catalogo venuto dalla fiera di Francoforte cioè di questa ultima fiera**, et rendesi conto V.S. che dove la potrò servire, io sempre mi troverò paratissimo.

Ringratio somamente V.S. della alegrezza che à preso di me, quando à sentito che me ritrovo apresso al signor Bernardo, che del tutto sia rengratiato Dio et per essere novitio in questa terra,

<sup>3</sup> A collection of about 300 letters, mainly received by Podiani from more than 150 correspondents, is preserved in Perugia, Archivio di Stato, Archivio storico del Comune di Perugia (= ASPg, ASCPg), Miscellanea 103.



per ora non li potrò dare haviso particolare che lo farò con prima occasione; né essendo questa per altro, Nostro sig. Dio vi feliciti e contenti.

di Venetia il dì 13 di luglio 1591

D.V.S.M.M.

Aff.mo p. s.r

Filippo Guidalotti

This letter reveals clearly Podiani's acquaintance with major publishers and booksellers; it also clarifies, at least on this occasion, how he acquired the numerous sale catalogues he owned, as we can see from the considerable number described in the inventory mentioned above (MS 3082). Furthermore, once these descriptions are identified with copies still in the library, they are often found to refer to *Sammelband*, where the catalogue described is merely the first of a series:

[Inv. 2580, f. 48r]: "Indice di tutti i libri, Latino, Francfort, 1569, in 4"

Shelfmark	nelfmark Description			
I L 1328(1-2	Catalogus Librorum a nundinis Francofurti in Officina libraria Georgij Vvilleri	Frankfurt	1569	
I L 1328(3	Catalogus eorum librorum qui post vernales Francofordienses Nundinas anni MDLXXI ad autumnales usque in lucem prodierunt. Francofurti ad Moenum, per Nicolaum Basse	=	1571	
I L 1328(4-5	Catalogus nuntinarum autumnalium Francoforti ad Moenum	=	1572	
I L 1328(6-11	Catalogus novus ex nundinis autumnalibus Francofurti ad Moenum	=	1573-76	
I L 1328(12-15	Catalogus novus nundinarum vernalium Francofurti ad Moenum, anno MDLXXVII	=	1577-78	

The catalogue mentioned in the letter can easily be identified with the item in the inventory listed as "Nuouo Catalogo della fiera di Francfort 1590, latino, Francfort" (no. 5710, f. 104r). This has been bound with five more Fair catalogues for the immediately following years: *Catalogus novus nundinarum Francofurti ad Moenum* ... Winter 1590; Winter 1591 (2 copies); Autumn 1592 (2) Autumn 1593 (I I 2945(1-6). There was a 'new catalogue of all books in Italian Spanish and French', printed in 1592 (f. 3v, no. 110: "Elenco nuovo, Catalogo di tutti libri Italiani spagnuoli e francesi, Latino, Francfort, 1592") and a series of the catalogues printed at the beginning of the 17<sup>th</sup> century:

[Inv. 3843, f. 70r]: "Indice generale de libri stampati dal 1500 sino al 1600, latino, Francfort"

I I 2877(1	Elenchus seu Index generalis in quo continentur libri omnes, qui ultimo, seculo 1500. lustro, post annum 1593. usque ad annum 1600. in S. Romano Imperio & vicinis regionibus novi auctive prodierunt.	Eisleben	1600
I I 2877(2-7	Elenchi seu indicis Quinquennalis continuatio prima [-sexta]	Leipzig	1600-02
I I 2877(8-10	Catalogus universalis pro nundinis Francofurtensibus autumnalibus, de anno 1605.	Frankfurt	1605



I I 2877(11	Catalogus universalis pro nundinis Francofurtenibus vernalibus, de	Frankfurt	1608
	anno 1608 excudebat Ioannes Saur		

# Publishers' and booksellers' catalogues

Some very rare and on occasion unique copies of booksellers' catalogues have been found in Podiani's collection, such as the following: *Index librorum qui Lugduno veniunt, et sunt apud Ioannem Tallinum bibliopolam in Vrbe* (IT\ICCU\UM1E\025796), described in the inventory as: "Indice dei libri che si uendono in Leone, latino, Roma, 1599" (no. 5391, f. 98v) and once again bound with other catalogues including an *Index librorum quorundam Romae impressorum* (Rome: Zannetto, 1580; Edit16 CNCE 51877; Renzi 2016a). The "Catalogo della libraria de Giunti Ciotti e co(m)p(agni) in Venetia, lat. Venetia, 1608" (no. 6306, f. 113v) can easily be identified with the copy shelfmarked I O 1424: *Catalogus librorum qui prostant in bibliotheca Bernardi Iuntae, Io. Bapt. Ciotti, et sociorum* (Venetiis, 1608), which brings us back to the already cited letter from Filippo Guidalotti who was indeed probably an employee in the bookshop of Bernardo Giunta.

Of particular interest is the following entry: "Indice di libri della stampa d'Aldo et altri libri, 1535" (no. 2626, f. 49r). This might refer to a *Sammelband*. In fact, while there is no known catalogue of the Manutius' publishing house printed in 1535, a copy of the 1563 catalogue (Edit16 CNCE 51311; Ald 350) can be found today in the Biblioteca Augusta which certainly belonged to Podiani who wrote a humanistic *ex-libris* in Greek in it: "Prosperi Podiani" (Coppens 2008, 109; Panzanelli Fratoni 2009b; Renzi 2016a, 79; Renzi 2016b, 102). This copy is currently disbound but it is probable that this has not always been the case. We know that, between the end of the 18<sup>th</sup> century and the beginning of the 19<sup>th</sup>, a librarian working in the Augusta, with the intention of giving more prominence to certain areas of the collections, such as incunables and Aldines, started shelving them together, detaching them if necessary from other copies in which they had been bound (Dondi-Panzanelli Fratoni 2016, 147–148). If confirmed, this would explain the 'wrong' description in the inventory but also the fact that we do not find, in there, any items for the 1563 catalogue of Aldines.

A mistake was made in writing the entry for the catalogue of the works of the Accademia Veneziana, initially recorded as the Florentine academy: "Somma dell'opere nella stampa dell'Acad(emi)a Fiorentina Venetiana, Volgare, Venetia, 1558, in folio" (no. 4874, f. 89v). Luckily this copy of the celebrated catalogue printed by Paolo Manuzio (Edit16 CNCE 71) has not been treated as other Aldines (possibly it was not identified as such) and it has been survived the form Podiani would have handled it: a *Sammelband* made up of fifteen different works, most of which are sale catalogues (Figg. 2-16):

shelfmark	description	place	date	unica
Ald 558(1	Accademia Veneziana. Somma delle opere	Venice	1558	
Ald 558(2	M. Cholin. Librorum qui apud Maternum Cholinum	Cologne	1565	X



Ald 558(3	Guillaume Postel. Astronomicae considerationis brevissima synopsis	Paris	1553	
Ald 558(4	Rihel. Catalogus librorum typis Riheliani	Strasbourg	[1556/57]	X
Ald 558(5	Hervagius. Catalogus librorum Tabernae Hervagianae	[Basel]	1569	
Ald 558(6	P. Perna. Index librorum officinae typographicae Petri Pernae	[Basel]	1565	X
Ald 558(7	Episcopius. Librorum Tabernae et Officinae Episcopianae	[Basel]	1567	
Ald 558(8	Giunta. Index librorum Iuntarum typographia MDXCI	[Venice]	1591	
Ald 558(9	[List in alphabetical order with no title nor imprint]	_	[1590s?]	X
Ald 558(10	D. Tarino. <i>Lista de libri di Gio. Dominico Tarino,</i> stampati in Torino	Torino	[1600 ca.]	X
Ald 558(11	C. Plantin. Typographiae Plantini	Antwerp	1579	X
Ald 558(12	Libri di stampa forestiera latini	_		
Ald 558(13	<b>Giolito.</b> Libri di stampa de Gioliti	[Venice]	[1587]	
Ald 558(14	Giolito. Libri spirituali di stampa de' Gioliti	[Venice]	[1587]	X
Ald 558(15	<b>A. Du Verdier</b> . Supplementum Epitome Bibliothecae Gesnerianae	Lyon	1585	

The importance of this collection has been highlighted by Christian Coppens (Coppens 2008, 116–117, 121–124: the information on unique copies is taken from here). More recently a presentation of Podiani's catalogues overall was shown as part of an exhibition on the library, in which sale catalogues and bibliographies were displayed together in order to show their use as tools used by Podiani in building up his collections (Renzi 2016a). It can also be observed that this *Sammelband* includes two bibliographical works: no. 15 (Du Verdier), but also no. 3 (Postel) an analysis of a specific discipline which is conceptually close to a bibliography.

The data found in this extraordinary collection is significant in itself (unica are obviously very important) but also when it is put in relation to other documents as the following examples show. Valuable information on currencies is found in the catalogue of books sold by Giovan Domenico Tarino in Turin, the title of which is full of information; it tells us that the "books are listed with their prices" and explains the latter: "12 grossi make 1 florin, and 10 florins and 6 grossi make 1 Italian scudo of gold". In doing this, Tarino also provides his customers (and us) with a clue on how to read the symbols used for the coins: ff = florins, gr/g = grossi. The scudo never occurs in this broadsheet, although many items were priced at more than 10 ff and 6 g (Fig. 11). The question of how to interpret the symbols used for coinage is one of the many issues which arise in studying prices and currencies (Nuovo-Ammannati 2017); shown here also by the different systems that we can see in Giolito's and Giunti's catalogues (Figs. 14-15, 9).

Different problems arise with catalogues no. 9 and 12, which are both lacking an imprint. No. 9 consists only of a list of titles in alphabetical order and was probably printed in the 1590s, to judge



from some of the titles. Certainly this is not a catalogue of a publishing house; maybe it was printed for a bookseller, but it is also possible that it was made for a private collector wishing to sell duplicates or discarded copies, just as Podiani himself would do. Evidence of Podiani's habit of selling off books from his library, an important aspect of the way he managed his collection, is found in various documents, including the presence of multiple copies of the same editions. Catalogue no. 12 is only apparently clearer; the heading, in Italian, reads "books printed abroad in Latin" (*Libri di stampa forastieri latini*) and one would think that it therefore includes books printed outside Italy. For most of them, however, Venice is given as the place of printing; others were printed in Milan, Florence, Turin and Ferrara. My hypothetical conclusion is that this catalogue was not printed outside Italy, in the overall sense, but in one of the Italian states existing at the time; possibly the Kingdom of Naples, as the cities mentioned in it cover almost all the states in northern Italy.

Manuscript annotations and manicules are found in the catalogues of Rihel, Hervagius, Perna, Episcopius, and Plantin (Figg. 5-7, 12); they are particularly relevant in the latter, where a price is added to most of the items, expressed in florins (fl) and stuivers (st). Interestingly prices appear in all categories apart from the section of books printed in Dutch (*Flandrico sermone*).

# A manuscript collection of catalogues

Podiani's library contains other information on the contemporary booktrade. Among the many notebooks that Podiani filled with lists of various kinds, there is a small register (MS H 20; mm 205x150, 150 leaves) that seems to be entirely dedicated to the booktrade. It is mostly in Podiani's handwriting, with lists of books arranged according to various criteria, almost always with a price, expressed in various currencies (Figg. 17-23). The central section of the register is, again, a collection of sale catalogues, remarkably similar to the one that has been just analysed but much richer in the data it provides.

	Heading in the list	page
1.	Giolito	15r
2.	Tramezzino	16r
3.	Valgrisi	18r
4.	Scotto	21r
5.	Diversi	24r
6.	Sigismundus Feyerabend civis et Bibliopola Francofurtensis	25r-26v
7.	Haeredes Egenolphi Francfurtensis	27r-28r
8.	Nicolaus Basseus Francfurtensis	28rv
9.	Frobenius	29r
10.	Eusebius Episcopius	30rv
11.	Hervagius et haeredes Basilee	31rv



12.	Haeredes Oporini, Basilee	32r
13.	Haeredes Brylingeri, Basilee	32v
14.	Basilee	33r-34v
15.	Thomas Guarinus, Basilee	35rv
16.	Del Gionta	36r
17.	Petrus Perna Basiliensis	37r-38r
18.	Andreas Gesnerus et Christ. Froscouerus	39rv
19.	Ingolstadij. Dylingae. Augustae	40r-41v
20.	Guerinus Callennius, Coloniae	42rv-45r
21.	Haeredes Jodochi Bricmanni Coloniae	45r-46v
22.	Jo. Gymnicus Coloniensis	61v-62v
23.	Petri Hort Coloniae	63r-64r
24.	Christophorus Plantinus Antuerpiae	65v-70v
25.	Haeredes Joannis Stelsij	70v-72r
26.	Jo. Belleus Antuerpiae	72r-73v
27.	ex off.na Christ.ri Plantini	119v-120r

At the beginning of the register and also interspersed among the publishers' catalogues there are lists of books arranged in alphabetical order by author's name or by subject, also with prices, which recall the anonymous catalogue no. 9 of the *Sammelband* mentioned above; perhaps a more extensive analysis of the two documents will contribute to a better understanding of the purpose of this kind of list.

The lists are made up of short titles and format, as in printed catalogues. Various symbols are found to indicate the currency, not always perfectly clear; however, kreuzer, florins, lire, scudi and the related smaller monetary denominations can be recognised. Taken as a whole, this register appears to be a rather comprehensive survey of the international booktrade. It is hard to say whether these lists were made by copying printed sale catalogues or Podiani was compiling 'catalogues' for his own use by listing books he was looking for or which he had seen in a book-fair or a shop. Possibly all these methods were used in the lists.

Along with information on which editions were available at which prices, there are also notes on the future availability of certain editions (forthcoming), or the opposite (out of stock), respectively indicated by the notes "sub prelo" (in press) and "non extat" (unavailable). A few examples of the three possibilities (on sale, in press, not available) can be found in the lists on editions published by Christophe Plantin:



MS H 20	Transcription Identified editions		Bibliography					
Plantin								
on sale								
119v	Corpus Civile Carondae f. [i.e. Louis Le Caron, 1534-1613] [Kreuzer?] 6	D.N. Sacratissimi principis Iustiniani opera & diligentia L. Charondae iurisconsulti <b>1575. Fol.</b>	Voet 1035, series B					
=	[manicula] Civile cum glossis f. [Kreuzer?] 15	Corpus iuris civilis ex Pandectis Florentinis commentariis Accursii, & multorum neotericorum 1575. Fol. (6 vols)	Voet 1035, series A					
		In press						
66r	Lat(in)a cum figuris eneis f° sub prelo	Bible [in Latin], 1583. Fol	Voet 1980-83 I p. 365, no. 690					
=	Hebraica in 4 <b>sub prelo</b>	<i>Bible</i> [Hebrew], <b>1582.</b> 4°	Voet no. 654					
=	[manicula] Hebraicolat. interlindaris(?) sub prelo	Biblia hebraica eorundem latina interpretatio Xantis Pagnini Lucensis, recenter Benedicti Ariae Montani cum interlineari interpretatione <b>1584</b> . Fol	IT\ICCU\BVEE\022352 Voet?					
=	Lat.a in 8 sub prelo		Voet 689 (1582), 691 (1583), 692 (1584)					
		not available						
119v	Corpus Canonicum in 8 <b>non</b> extat	Decretorum canonicorum collectanea 1569-70 [or]	Voet 1030/ 1032-33					
		Compendium of canonic Law 1566						
=	Corpus Civile Duareni [i.e. François Duaren 1509-59] in 8 non extat	Ius ciuile manuscriptorum librorum auctoritate Fran. Duareni I.C. 1567	Voet 1034-35					

These records provide a wealth of information on the availability and prices of editions printed all over Europe for a resident in the Papal State. How did Podiani amass such an extraordinary collection of publishing data? How did he manage to be in touch with what all the major publishing houses across Europe were producing?

# Reaching the European market through Rome and Venice

Podiani did not spent all his time in Perugia; he was frequently in Rome, where he had a house. Evidence of his book-trading in Rome is also found in letters that he exchanged with Pietro Paolo Giuliani, the printer and bookseller whose name appears in the registers of the so-called "Inchiesta clementina" (Barberi 1981, 339–359; Fiorani-Lebreton 1985, 47). Giuliani was from Perugia and in



Rome he worked in the shop of Giovanni Tallini; it was through Giuliani that Podiani probably acquired his copy of Tallini's catalogue of books printed in Lyon.

Podiani does not seem to have travelled outside Italy: so far only one piece of evidence has been found for a lengthy journey he made to towns in Northern Italy, during which he took notes on all the money spent on travelling from one place to another and purchasing all kinds of commodities (MS I 93; Bignami Odier 1964; Cecchini 1978, 113–114, 569). He went to Venice (6 scudi), in Cremona he purchased knives for 2 scudi and socks in Mantua for the same price; he visited Ferrara, Bologna, Pesaro, and Padua, paying for horses, local taxes and fares:

[f. 22r] Per la strada sino a Venetia spesi [scudi] 6 ... Per comperar cortelli in Cremona [scudi]

2... Per comperar li calzini in Mantua [scudi] 2...

[23r] Per pagare la bolletta e il datio [scudi] 1 ... Per venire sino a **Ferrara** e per le spese [scudi]

2 ... [23v] Per pagare il cavallo da **Bologna** sino a Pesaro [scudi] 1 ...

[24r] Per pagar la gabella in **Pesaro** g[iuli] 12 ...

[32v] Per andare a Padova [L?] 1.

In all these places Podiani could purchase books. Venice, however, was the gateway for the European market, and it was through Venitian booksellers that Podiani purchased the bulk of the editions printed in Northern countries. A vivid illustration of this is found in another letter to him, sent in 1587 by a certain Ludovico Carbone, who wrote:

As soon as I received your letter I went to look for the books you wish to have. [...] I have not bought the other booklet because it costs up to **40 solidi**, I think because only one copy is available, in the **Valgrisi bookshop** [...]. As for the **catalogues** I went to visit all the bookshops I know but I could not find the ones you are looking for; and because I wished to do everything I could in order to satisfy you, I went to see sig. **Pietro Longo**, and told him I was doing this on your behalf. He replied that **he knows you** and that he would be very happy and grateful if you wished to ask him for his services, because – so he said – **no one else deals with books printed abroad** to the extent that he does.<sup>4</sup>

This is a colourful piece of evidence for something which is already well known to scholars (Maclean 2012, 172; Nuovo 2013, 287–291): Pietro Longo was a leading bookdealer, in touch with the major book collectors of the time, such as Gian Vincenzo Pinelli. As Angela Nuovo has pointed out, Longo regularly visited the Frankfurt Fair also on behalf of the major Italian publishers who preferred not to attend in person in order to avoid the censor's strict controls. Longo was in touch with reformed publishers, such as Perna and Wechel, and specialised in the publication of legal texts. The letter from Carbone highlights the fact that he was very proud of his expertise in dealing with foreign books.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> "Non ho mancato subbito hauta la sua di far diligenza di haver quelli libri che lei desidera. Trovai le Questioni de Plutarcho, ma senza quell'altro opuscolo, et però non l'ho voluta pigliare senza altra sua commissione et massime per che ne dimanda sino a **40 soldi** et è un'operetta di pochissime carte, credo per che non ve ne è se non una in botega del **Valgrisi**. [...] quanto alli **cataloghi** ho recercate tutte queste librarie, et non ho trovati quelli che V.S. desidera et per non lasciar di far ogni diligenza so andato a trovar **m. Pier Longo** et gli ho detto che voleva questo servitio per V.S. et me disse che la conosceva, et che V.S. gli farà cosa grata nelle occorrenze di servirsi di lui per che **non vi è altro che così a tenda a libri forastieri come lui fa** ..." (ASPg, ASCPg, Misc. 103).



However, this very expertise might have drawn the authorities' attention to him; in January 1588, just a few months after Carbone sent his letter to Podiani (9th May), Longo was arrested and put to death. Prohibited books and censorship are not the subject of this article; however, it should be pointed out that an important part of the scholarly production of the period was written, edited and published by Protestants or in countries which adhered to the Reformation and that this production was prohibited in various ways. This kind of production was the core of Podiani's collection, and he found his own way of acquiring it, even when it was prohibited. A subset of about 500 editions listed in the Roman indexes has been identified within his collection (Alfi-Panzanelli Fratoni 2016) and some research has been carried out in order to understand how Podiani was able to maintain such a collection almost intact until his death (Fragnito 2001, 35–36; Panzanelli Fratoni 2016c). An important part of this section of the library was formed of legal texts, that attracted the attention of the censors for various reasons (Savelli 2001a, 2001b, 2004, 2006). Such texts, however, could also be essential if the Law School, which was still the main Faculty in the University of Perugia, was to keep abreast of new developments in the discipline.

#### Law Books in Podiani's collection

The fame of Perugia's Law School stemmed from the teaching of Bartolus de Saxoferrato (1313/14-1357/58), who had spent the largest part of his career in Perugia where he pioneered a new approach to the study of Roman Law, the so-called School of Commentators. The motto "nemo iurista sine Bartolista" was still in use in the 15th century and after the invention of printing Bartolus was among the most popular authors (there are about 200 editions of his works printed between 1450 and 1500). At the beginning of the 16th century, however, the expression "Bartolism" began to acquire negative connotations. A new trend in the study of Law appeared on the scene, based on a philological approach and the search for original witnesses of the Justinian texts. This was a humanistic approach to law, also known as mos gallicus, as the new school of thought first emerged in France, in opposition to a mos italicus, the traditional approach rooted in Italy. Recent scholarship on legal history has begun to trace a more nuanced development of Legal Humanism<sup>7</sup> however, and in this debate, book and library historians might play a role, by providing evidence of the popularity of authors and works during the period. In Perugia, the birthplace of Bartolism, we might expect to find the most traditional approach to the study of Law being maintained. An analysis of the section on law in the Biblioteca Augusta, given that Podiani conceived it as a working research library for scholars, may provide a way of testing such hypotheses.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> A vast bibliography on censorship is available today; in the last two decades, studies in the field have been strongly enhanced by the opening of the Archives of the Holy Office and by research projects such as RICI, which is making available data and publications based on study of the lists of the "Inchiesta Clementina" (Borraccini, Granata, Rusconi 2013). On the subject of the effect of censorship on literacy and scholarly publications see the work in general of Paul F. Grendler, Gigliola Fragnito, Ian Maclean, Adriano Prosperi, Ugo Rozzo.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Scholarship on Bartolus is possibly as vast as scholarship on Dante; an overall idea can be inferred from the entries in major dictionaries and conferences: Segoloni 1962; Calasso 1964; Lepsius 2013; Bartolo da Sassoferrato 2014; Crescenzi and Rossi 2015: Treggiari 2016.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> Du Plessis and Cairns 2016.



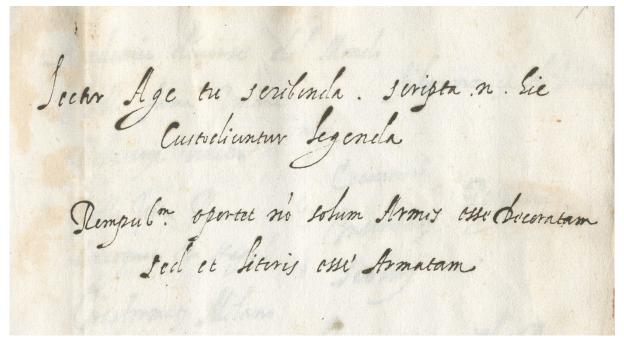


Fig. 1. Perugia, Bibl. Augusta, MS E 1, f. 1r.

"Rempublicam oportet non solum Armis esse Decoratam, sed et Literis esse Armatam": the Res publica not only needs to be adorned with weapons, it also needs to be armed with culture. This sentence is found, in Podiani's hand, at the opening of a register which he was going to use for the compilation of a catalogue of Italian books ([P. Podiani] *Indice de' libri toscani*, MS E 1). It comes right after another sentence which sounds like a complex invitation to the reader.<sup>8</sup>

How Podiani devised this refined invitation has not yet been found. Instead, the source of his inspiration for his dictum on the Republic and its cultural needs is well known: it is a paraphrase of the incipit of the Justinian's *Institutiones*: "Imperatoriam maiestatem non solum armis decoratam sed etiam legibus oportet esse armatam". Podiani's reinterpretation of the Emperor's statement is hightly significant in relation to his project of founding a library, which was clearly conceived as an instrument of cultural politics. It also shows that he was acquainted with Roman Law, even though he was not a jurist. Professional jurists, though, and law students were among the scholars who made use of his collection as the annotations made in the catalogues also show. The section on law books, as reconstructed through the inventory made in 1617 (MS 3082), comprises about 330 editions.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> "Lector age tu scribenda, scripta enim hic custodiuntur legenda": Reader, do things that are worth writing about; once written, in fact, they will be kept here to be read. The two sentences and other quotations from Podiani's writings have been commented on in the catalogue of the exhibition organised to celebrate him (Bartoli Langeli – Panzanelli Fratoni 2016, 31, 72)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> Bartoli Langeli seeks to interpret this sentence as a decided expression of Podiani's republican sympathies (Bartoli Langeli 2016b, 31).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> Podiani has sometimes been described as a jurist, but there is no evidence of his ever having undertaken legal studies. He certainly had a knowledge of the laws, rules and customs, acquired through his family and his personal involvement in the city government.



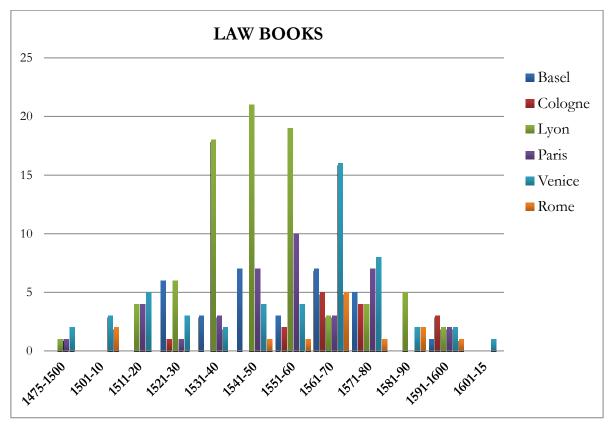


Table 1. Dates and places of printing of law books: towns where ten or more editions were printed.

This means that it was not a major component of the library (which at the time was said to contain 10,000 volumes) but nor was it a negligible part. Most importantly, it was made up of new editions, by the leading modern legal authors and printed by the major publishing houses. Here a list of the authors of legal texts found in the inventory (in cronological order; authors with three or more entries of legal works and a selection of authors with two entries):

Author	dates	entries
Ubaldi, Baldo degli	1327-1400	5
Nebrija, Antonio de	1444-1522	3
Decio, Filippo	1454-1535	4
Zasius, Ulrich	1461-1536	7
Budé, Guillaume	1467-1540	5
Alciati, Andrea	1492-1550	7
Azpilcueta, Martin de	1493-1586	6
Duaren, François	1509-1559	3
Agustín, Antonio	1517-1586	4
Baudouin, François	1520-1573	3



Cujas, Jacques	1520-1590	2
Hotman, François	1524-1590	6
Förster, Valentin	1530-1608	3
Wesenbecius, Matthaeus	1531-1586	5
Vivien, Joris	1536 (n.)	4
Nevizzano, Giovanni	1540 (m.)	4
Gentili, Alberico	1552-1608	2

Bartolus is never explicitly mentioned in the inventory; Baldus, the most renowned of Bartolus's pupils, has five entries, each referring to his commentary on a section of the *Corpus iuris*. Most of the collection was made up of works by modern jurists, including those who were on the Index of prohibited books. Some of the most important critical editions of the various sections of the *Corpus iuris civilis*, on which much scholarship was produced during the 16<sup>th</sup> century, is present: the edition of Justinian's *Novellae*, as established by Gregor Haloander (Nuremberg: Petreius, 1531) is described as "Giustiniano Nouelle Constit.ni legali Greco e lat. Norimberg 1531" (Inv. 802, f. 17r). Under the entry no. 7537 (f. 134v) one finds the description of the celebrated edition by Lelio Torelli of Justinian's *Digest* (Florence: Torrentino, 1553; CNCE 13438): "Pandette, Volumi tre latino Fiorenza 1553".

#### Law Books on sale

Two later editions, also based on the Florentine manuscript which was the earliest witness of the Digest, appear, in Podiani's hand, in another list of books.

Podiani wrote this list on the remaining blank pages of a manuscript which has been used by another hand to transcribe poems by another author: MS I 22, (260 leaves), entitled 'Miscellanea latina'. Podiani's handwriting can be seen on leaf 54r, and on leaves 124-188: on 54r there are a few Jurists' *Consilia*; all the rest is clearly the second half of a single catalogue, arranged by author's name (first name) from L to V. Altogether about 250 books are listed (Figg. 24-28). The bibliographical descriptions are quite precise and detailed, consisting of author, title, and (in the vast majority of cases) imprint, format and, most significantly, prices. These are always expressed with the symbols used for scudi and baiocchi, the currency used in the Papal State. Blank leaves inserted between each lettered section suggest the catalogue was to be supplemented. Also, a number of shorter descriptions, consisting only of author and title, show that the list (or part of it) was drawn up on two separate occasions: first, the work (author and title) was listed, then the edition and its price was added. Books are printed in different towns and by various publishers; the date of printing also varies, ranging from the end of the 15<sup>th</sup> to the end of the 16<sup>th</sup> century. The following table gives a synoptic view of the information contained in the list:

years of printing	Law	Theology	Literature	History	Medicine	total
1471-80	1					1
1491-1500	1					1



1501-10	1					1
1511-20	2		1			3
1521-30	2					2
1531-40	8					8
1541-50	17					17
1551-60	28		1			29
1561-70	28	2	2			32
1571-80	50	2				52
1581-90	36	6			1	43
s.a.	48	6	6	3		63
total	222	16	10	3	1	252

Since the catalogue only includes authors from the second half of the alphabet, we cannot be sure whether some of the most important jurists of the Middle ages (such as Bartolus or Baldus) were in fact present. We can see, however, that most of the authors are from the  $16^{th}$  century. The following list includes those authors with three or more works:

Author	Titles
Mantova Benavides, Marco (1489-1582)	18
Vigel, Nikolaus (1529-1600)	12
Rebuffi, Pierre (1487-1557)	10
Medici, Sebastiano (m. 1595)	6
Follerio, Pietro (m. 1588)	5
Natta, Marco Antonio (m. 1568)	5
Sanders, Nicholas (1530?-1581)	5
D'Afflitto, Matteo (ca. 1448-ca. 1528)	4
Decio, Filippo (1454-1535)	4
Grammatico, Tommaso (1473-1556)	4
Paschal, Pierre de (1522-1565)	4
Pierre de Belleperche (m. 1308)	4
Belloni, Niccolò (m. 1552)	3
Bohier, Nicolas (1469-1539)	3
Cucchi, Marcantonio (1506-1567)	3
Fanucci, Fanuccio (sec. 16.)	3
Odofredus Bononiensis (m. 1265)	3
Roberto Bellarmino (1532-1621)	3



Sangiorgio, Giovanni Antonio di (1439-1509)	3
Zasius, Ulrich (1461-1536)	3

Finally a list of the most expensive editions: in the first column is a transcription of Podiani's manuscript entries; the last column contains the control numbers for the editions used by the major online database tools:

Description	p	rice:	Author/Title	Identified edition		
	scudi	baiocchi				
Tract. In f. in 28 Volumina Franc.cus Zilettus 1584	70		Tractatus illustrium in vtraque tum pontificii, tum caesarei iuris	IT\ICCU\RMLE\002972		
Repet.s Iur. Civilis in f. in [] Hugo a Porta 1553	35		Repetitionum seu commentariorum in varia iurisconsultorum responsa.	IT\ICCU\RMLE\011134		
Repet. In Universas fere Iuris. Canonici partes volum. Sex Venet. Apud Iunctas 1587 in f.	16	50	Repetitionum in vniuersas fere iuris canonici	Edit16 CNCE 27720		
Stephani Beltrandi Cons.a in f. Lugduni Claudius Servantius 1560	15		Bertrand, Etienne (ca. 1434-ca. 1516)	IT\ICCU\BVEE\015688		
Nicolai de Tudeschis Abbatis supra Decretal. Clem Questiones et Tractatus Cons. Practica de Arbitris in f. Ven apud Iuntas 1582 9m Volum.	12		Tedeschi, Niccolò (1386-1445)	Edit16 CNCE 75286		
Raphaelis Cumani et Fulgosii super ff. et Cod. f in 8 Vol. Lug. Ugo. 1544	12		Fulgosio, Raffaele (1367-1427)	IT\ICCU\LO1E\007708		
Eiusdem [i.e. Petri Rebuffi] Gul. Rerullius 1576 haec 6 vol. const.	11		Rebuffi, Pierre (1487-1557)	IT\ICCU\RMGE\000584		
Eiusdem [i.e. Nicolai Vigelii] Partes 6x in Digesta sex Voluminibus Oporini in f. 1570	10		Vigel, Nikolaus (1529-1600)	IT\ICCU\BVEE\015755		
Odofredi Lectura Lugd. Pet. Compater. 1552 in f. in sex. Vol.na	10		Odofredus Bononiensis (m. 1265)	GVK PPN 314393188		
Per. De Ancarano supra lib. 5 Decret.m 6° et Clem.nis in f. in 6x vol. 1581 Bonon. Societ.	10		Pietro d'Ancarano (ca. 1330-1416)	Edit16 CNCE 32268		
Tiberii Deciani Cons.a in f in 4or Volumin. Venetiis Zenarii 1579	10		Deciani, Tiberio (1509-1582)	IT\ICCU\TO0E\022280		



Uldrichi Zasii opera in 4.or Volumina in f. Griphius [1550-51]	9		Zasius, Ulrich (1461-1536)	IT\ICCU\VIAE\017943
Pauli Castrensis Lectura in f. in 5 vol. ad signum Coronae 1550	8		Paolo di Castro (ca. 1360-1441)	IT\ICCU\BVEE\014904, IT\ICCU\URBE\018710 [- 018716, -018717, -018719].
Prepositus super 2. et 4. Decretalium in 3 Volum. Venet. Iuntae 1578	8		Sangiorgio, Giovanni Antonio di (1439-1509)	IT\ICCU\VIAE\000122
Vincentii Herculani super p.a et 2.a Infortiati et ff. Novi in f. Perusiae Franc.cus Balthasar <del>1570</del> 1507 in 2 vol.	8		Ercolani, Vincenzo (m. 1539)	Edit16 CNCE 18261
Eiusdem [i.e. Petri Philippi Cornei] Consilia in 5 volumina Lugd. Incolus Myt 1531	7		Corneo, Pier Filippo (ca. 1420- ca. 1493)	IT\ICCU\RMSE\056062
Petri Episcopi Brixiensis Repertorium in f in 2 volumina Romae apud S.m Marcum 1576 [i.e. 1476]	7		Del Monte, Pietro (1400-1457)	ISTC im00842000
Eiusdem [i.e. Pet. Pauli Parisii] Cons. Venet in 4or vol. 1543	6		Parisio, Pietro Paolo (1471-1545)	IT\ICCU\BVEE\044982
Pand. Florent. In 8 Antuerp. Christ. Plantinus 1567	5	20	Corpus iuris civilis	IT\ICCU\PUVE\017355
Pandectae Florentinae Lug.ni [de] Rouilius 1561 in 2 volum.	5		Corpus iuris civilis	IT\ICCU\BVEE\015793
Petri Peraltae in Tit ff. De haered. Inst.ne et ff de leg. 2 et 9 in fo. In 2 vol. Salam 1563 [scudi] 4,5	4	50	Peralta, Pedro de (1498-1561)	IT\ICCU\BVEE\007533

The most expensive edition is, not surprisingly, the celebrated *Tractatus Vniversis Iuris* printed by Ziletti: 28 volumes sold for 70 scudi (by way of comparison, the annual salary assigned to Podiani in 1582 as the city librarian was 150 scudi). The list is clearly different from the sale catalogues examined in the first part of this essay. It describes a stock of books comprising both recent publications as well as earlier editions and consists almost entirely of law books. Very few of the books in the list correspond to books described in the inventory of the Library, which could mean that the list might correspond to a section of his collection that Podiani eventually decided to sell. In any case, it is noteworthy that these books were all sold at prices which are calculated in the currency in use in the Papal State, though they were printed in various other countries and were most probably purchased for sums in other currencies. A comparative analysis of this list and the sales catalogues might well provide us with valuable information also on the matter of currency change and the variation of the value of books.



## Conclusion

Podiani's book collection was one of the major private libraries in 16<sup>th</sup> century Italy (Nuovo 2009). The actual number of books which were in the collection is open to discussion (Bartoli Langeli 2016; Nuovo 2017), but that part of it which is best known – the portion which eventually became the Perugia City Library, confirms that it was indeed an extraordinary collection (about 7659 items are in the inventory), formed of up-to-date editions of the most important works in every discipline as well as a number of manuscript works and incunabula editions. How Podiani managed to build up such an impressive collection can be explored by studying the many documents that still survive, such as the sale catalogues presented in this article. Taken as a whole, these documents provide much information on Podiani's bibliographical activities. However, much more data can be derived from the documentation when a more in-depth analysis is carried out, identifying editions and recording all the listed prices. Information on the various aspects of the contemporary booktrade can be extracted: prices, currencies, second-hand books, variations in prices over time and in different places, as well as on the circulation of certain sectors of publishing production, such as law books. The documents associated with Podiani's library constitute therefore a valuable resource for a better understanding of the 16<sup>th</sup> century book-market.



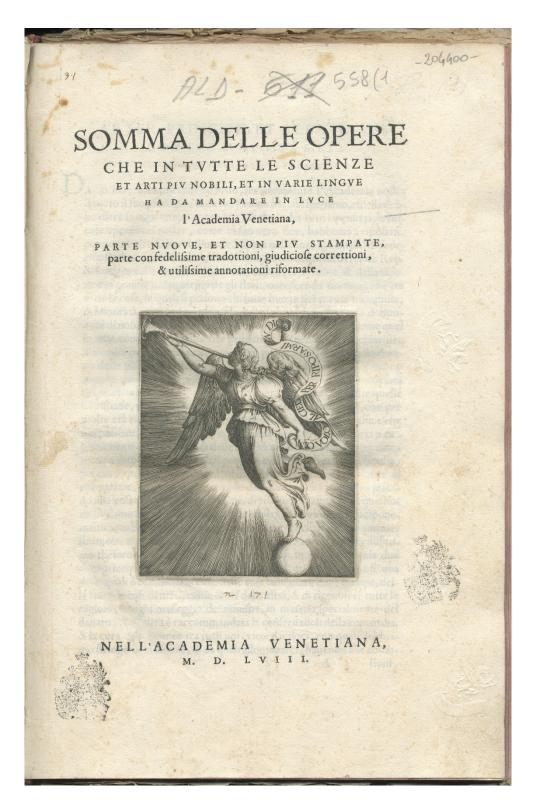


Fig. 2. Perugia, Bibl. Augusta, Ald 558(1.



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Martinus Cromerus de coniugio & cælibatu facer. 8
Miffale ordinis $. Benydicti, fol.
Miffale diexectis Monifterientis, fol.
Nicola Villagnoni, dofrina Caluiniana confut. 8
Nouum teftamentum cum feholijs Benedicti. 8
Opera Indi Lanfpergi carthuiani, fol.
Opera Antelmi epifcopi Cantuarientis, fol.
Opera Antelmi epifcopi Cantuarientis, fol.
Opera Diut Paulini epifcopi Nolani. 8
Orthodoxarum explicationum libri decem tacobi
Payua Andradi;
Oratio Fontidoni pre ocilio Trid. contra Montan.
Panoplia eaungelica. 2 Wilhelmi Lindani, fol. recognita iam atqui, locapletata.
Pafchafus in Hieremian prophetam. 8
Poetilla Anthonij Konnegti 38
Preces horaria de attera D. Japientia. 16
Prezationes Fabri. 12
Propugnaculum catho. cæ ficie Iodoci Clichtouci. 8
Pfalterium paraphrafi um Campenfis. 16
Remigius in pfalterium, fol.
Roffenis Epifcopi confutatio affertionis Luthera, 8
Sermones Gabrielis Biel. 4
Symon de Cafaia in quatuor Euangelia, fol.
Summaangelica, fol.
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Elucidarius poéticus. 8.
Epistolar familiares Ciceronis. 8.
Epistolar familiares Ciceronis. 8.
Epistolar pici Mirandulæ. 8.
Epistolar pici Mirandulæ. 8.
                    Abioluta apologia detentionis Staphyli. 8
Ambrofus Anthertus in Apocalypfim fol.
Ammonius de confonantia Euangelistarum.8
Ambrofus de vocatione Gentium.8
Angelomus in bibros Regum fol.
Antelmi Cantuarienfis Epifcopi opera fol.
Antidotus contra harefes fol.
Anthonii Hongi dialogus de huinforténoris f
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Anguthii Inchiridion, 16
Idem de natura & gratia.
Idem de confensu quaturor Euangelistarum.
Antidotus fue Contrapolitorum facra sessiva elu
cidatio. 8
Arnobius in Pfalterium. 8
Astrobius in Pfalterium. 8
Astrobius in Pfalterium. 8
Astransis in policula. 8
Baptista Mantuani Carmelitæ fastrorum libri.
Barth. Latomi responsiones duæ aduersus Datthenú. 8
Eiustdem responsion in Jacobum Andrez.
Biblia farra D. Hieronymi, fol.
Berengossi opuscula de fancta cruce. 8
Breuiarium ordinis. Benedicti enchiridij forma, & 8
Breuiarium Coloniense fol.
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Grammatica Latina Calij Lurionis.
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Herodotus Latina, Colij Lurionis.
Herodotus Latina, Colij Lurionis.
Herodotus Latina, Colij Lurionis.
Homeri liias & Odyfilea latine, Lauren. Valla interprete.
Lacobus de Bellouifo fuper feudis.
Leo Baptifia de architectura. 4.
Lucanus poeta.
Macrobij Saturnalia, fol.
Nomologia Omphalij. 8.
Nuclei Murmellij.
Oratio fo. Cronenburgij in laudem turifprudentię. 8.
Oratio functoris Lud. Hilleflemij pro Reuerend. Archi.
epifcop. Colon.
      Breuiarium Treuirenfe,8
Breuiarium Monafterienfis diecefis.8
Candela Euangelica.
Catechées Diu cyrilli Hierofolymitani, in fol. 8:8
Catechifus fiue fumma Doctriux Chriftiana, D. Pe
eti Canifijin 12.
Eiudem Catechifmus paruus Catholicorum. 8
Catechifmus Iacobi Scheepperi. in octauo.
Catalogus librorum prohibitorum Pio Pont. III.8
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Omphalius de fufcipienda protectione.
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Pauli Orofij hifloriarum libri, ex vetuftifs exemplaribus refitruti, nouisque Francifci Fabricij feholijs illuffrati 8.
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Adrianus de lingus Latina. 8
Idem de vanitate ficentiarum, 8
Idem in artem Lulis. 28
Idem de vanitate ficentiarum, 8
Idem in artem Lulis. 28
Italiandri ab Alexandro dies genisles, fol. 4
Artikherica Gemma Phry Grum feholija. 8
Artikhophanis Plutus grace.
Auli Gellij nočes Artica, fol. Anatomia Alexandri Benedičti. 8
Bellum Liuonicum, 8
Boetus de confolatione philofophiæ, cum commentarijs Nurmellij. 8
Bucolica Mantuani cum commentarijs, 8
Chronica Bohemie Aenæ Syluij. 8
Foe claris vatoribus. 8
Lucullus. 8
Lucullus. 8
Inuechiua, contra Catilinam cū fehol. 8
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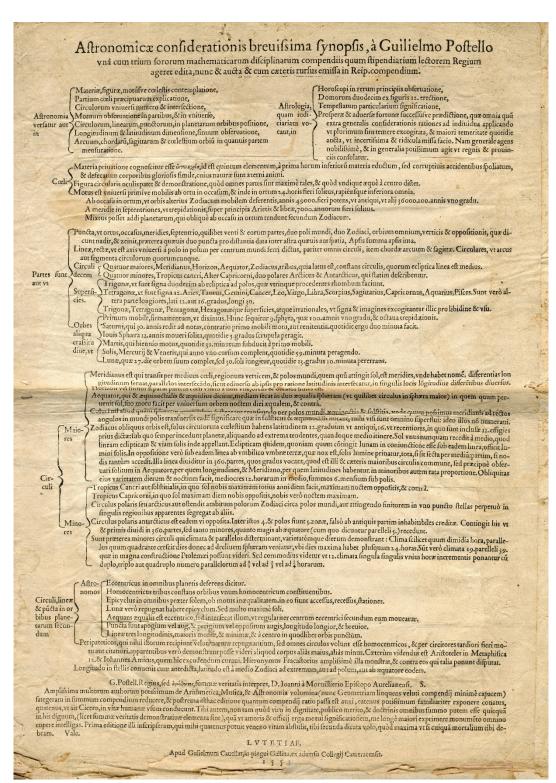


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A Dagiorum Germanicorum cum Latinis ac Græcis collatoru Cen-turiæ per Eberhardu Tappium. Aelchinis & Demosthenis orationes duæ contrariæ, cum commentari. olo Ioannis Sturmij. Amati Lusitani commentaria in Dio

fcoridem.

Antonij Schori de ratione docendæ discendæci linguæ Grecæ & Lat. Aristotelis Ethica, græce. Aristotelis Politica, grace. Aristotelis Physica, grace, Aristotelis Rhetorica, grace,

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Ciceronis epistola aliquot selecta, à
Joanne Sturmio, pro Gymnasso

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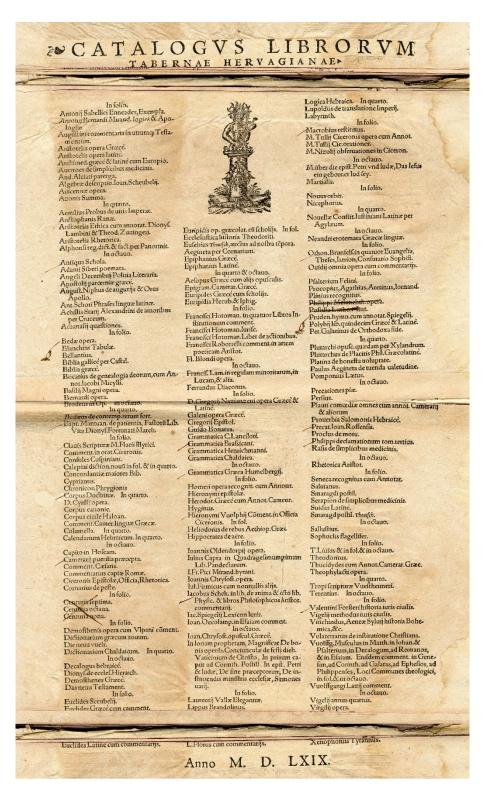


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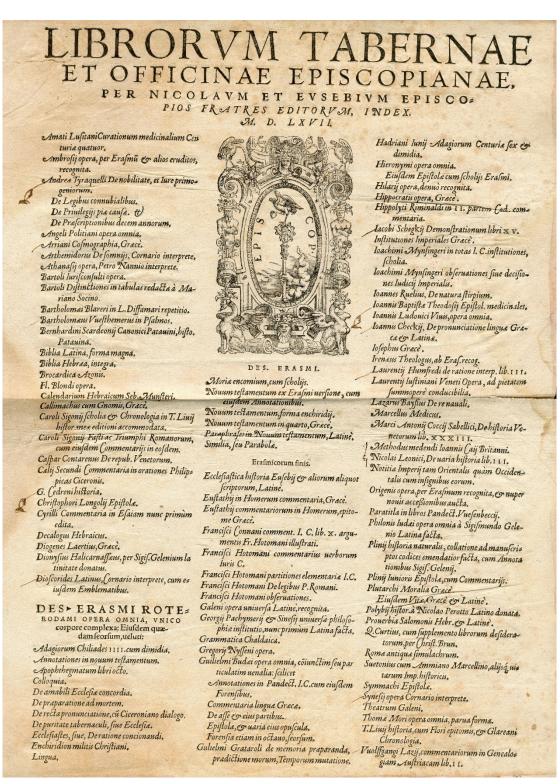


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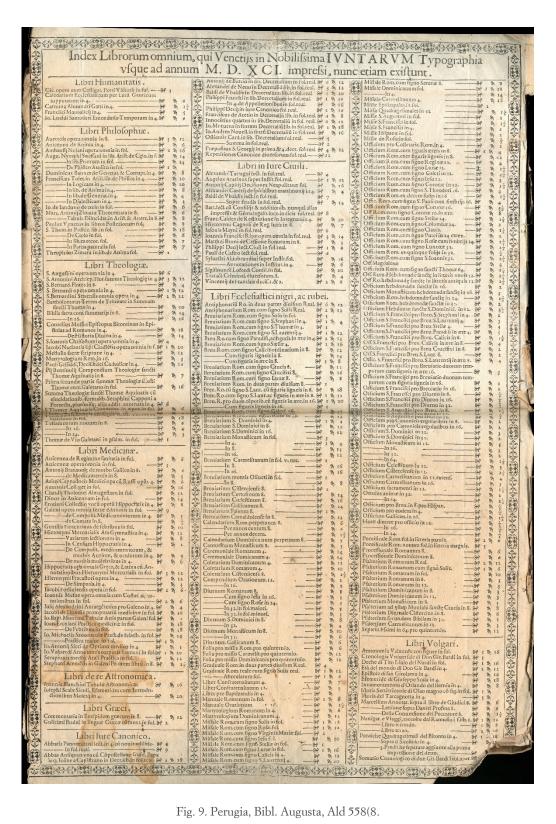


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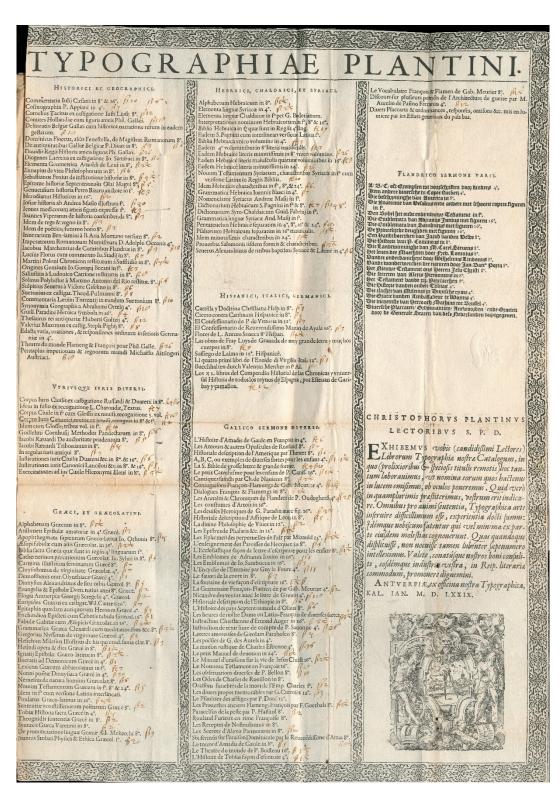


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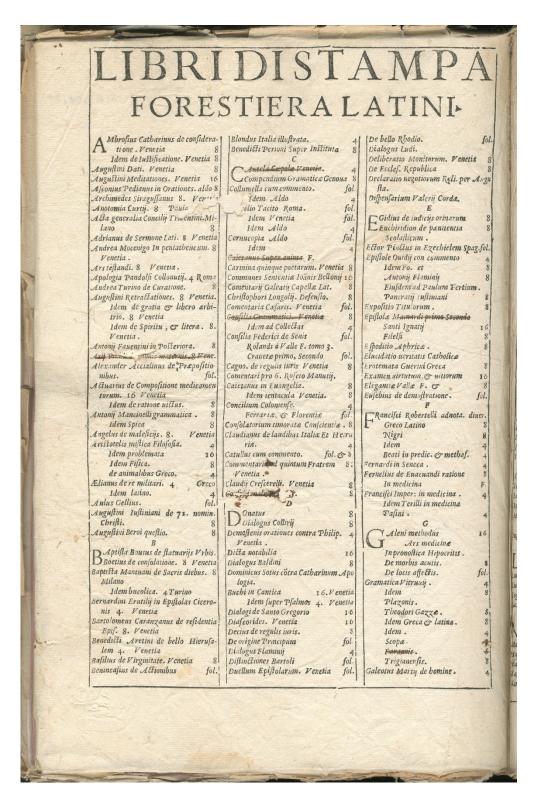


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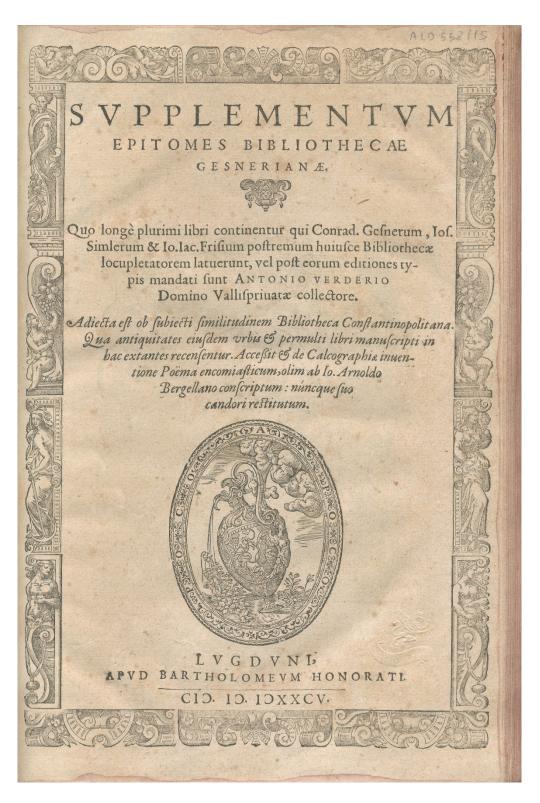


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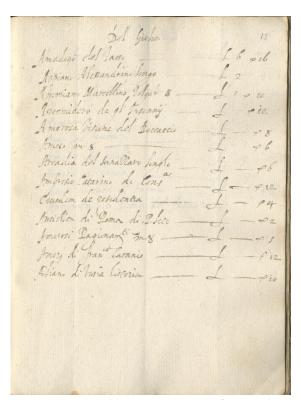


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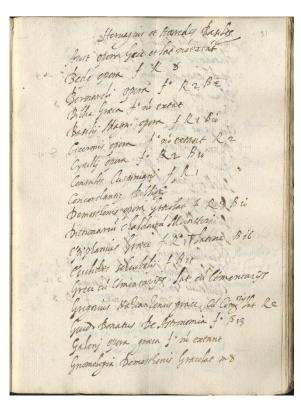


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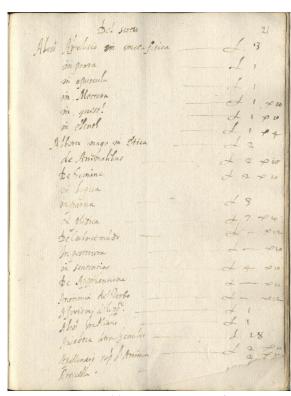


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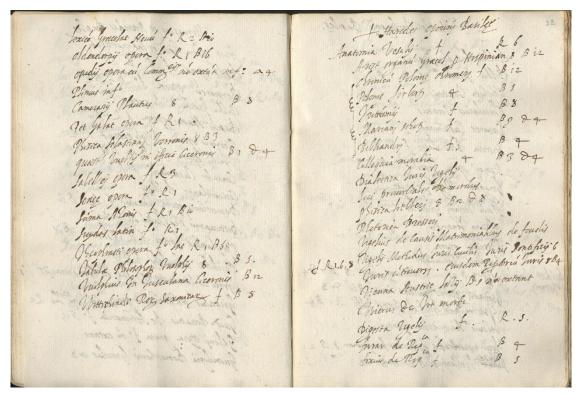


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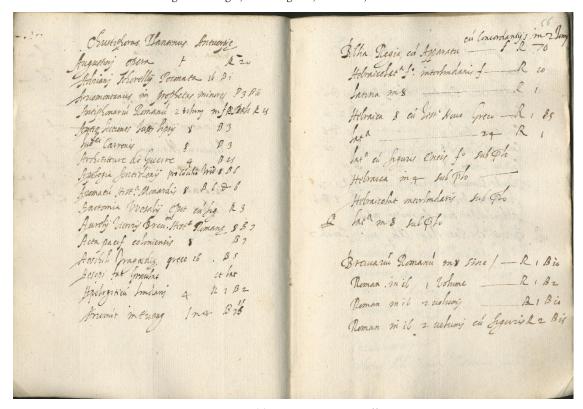


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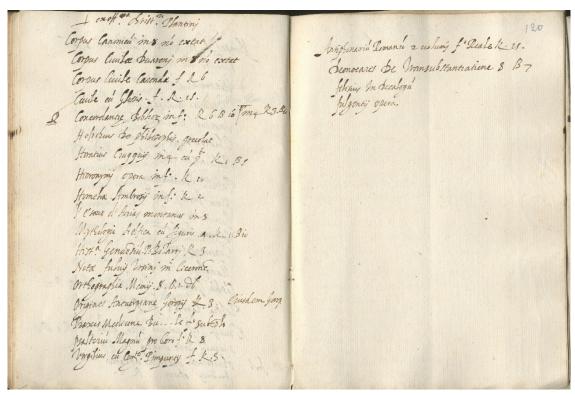


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Fig. 24. Perugia, Bibl Augusta, MS I 22, f. 133r.



Fig. 25. Perugia, Bibl Augusta, MS I 22, f. 141r.



Fig. 26. Perugia, Bibl Augusta, MS I 22, f. 155v-156r.



Fig. 27. Perugia, Bibl. Augusta, MS I 22, f. 155r.



Fig. 28. Perugia, Bibl. Augusta, MS I 22, f. 188r.



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