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Collection Summary

Repository: Archives and Special Collections Library, Vassar College Libraries

Title: Printed Leaves Collection

Dates: 1475-1905

Quantity: 0.4 cubic feet (2 boxes)

Abstract: An artificial collection of printed leaves, including leaves separated from incunabula as well as later works.

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Arrangement

Arranged chronologically.[Top](#)

Access and Use

Access

This collection is open for research according to the [regulations of the Vassar College Archives and Special Collections Library](#) without any additional restrictions.

Restrictions on Use

Permission to quote (publish) from unpublished or previously published material must be obtained as described in the [regulations of the Vassar College Archives and Special Collections Library](#).

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Related Material

Related Materials

- [Francis Fitz Randolph Collection of Incunabula Leaves](#)

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Subject Headings

Organizations:

- Kelmscott Press

Subjects:

- Incunabula--Specimens
- Printing--Europe--History
- Printing--Specimens

Document Types:

- Incunabula

VCL Categories:

- Printing and Publishing

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Encoding Information

Encoded by Laura Streett, January 2015. Last updated by Emma Gronbeck, June 2025.

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Administrative Information

Preferred Citation

Printed Leaves Collection, Archives and Special Collections Library, Vassar College Libraries.

Processing Information

List created by Miranda Villesvik, December 2014. Last updated by Emma Gronbeck, June 2025.

Acquisition Information

Gifts and purchases from a variety of sources over a number of years.

Leaves from Volumes 1 and 2 of William Caxton's translation of The Golden Legend were the gift of the London Vassar Club, 2025. [M2025-006]

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Folder 2.1 Laertius, Diogenes. *Lives, Teachings, and Sayings of Famous Philosophers*. Venice: Nicolas Jenson, 1475 (Goff D-220)

Folder 1.1 *Bible*. Latin. Vulgate. Venice: Nicolas Jenson, 1476 (Goff B-547)

Folders 2.2-2.3 Higden, Ranulf. *Polycronicon*. Westminster: William Caxton, After 1482 (Leaves CCIII, CCCXXII. Goff H-267)

Folder 1.2 Thuróczy, János. *Chronica Hungarorum*. Brno: Conrad Stahel and Mathias Preunlein, 1488 (Goff T-360)

Folder 1.3 Dante Alighieri. *Divina Commedia*. Venice: Piero de Piasi, 1491 (Goff D-33)

Folders 1.4-1.5 Cassiodorus. *Expositio Psalmorum*. Basel: Johann Amerbach, 1491 (Leaves XCVIII, XXXIII. Goff C-236)

Folders 1.6-1.7 Schedel, Hartmann. *Liber Chronicarum*. Latin. Nuremberg: Anton Koberger, 1493 (Leaves CXXVI, CLXXXIX. Goff S-307)

Folders 1.8-1.14 Schedel, Hartmann. *Liber Chronicarum*. German. Nuremberg: Anton Koberger, 1493 (Leaves VI, XXIX, XLI, LVII-LVIII, LXX, LXXXII. Goff S-309)

Folder 1.15 Voragine, Jacobus de, *Golden Legend*. London: Wynken de Worde, [1512?]

Folder 1.16 Varronis, *Cornucopiae*. Venice: Aldus Manutius, 1513

Folder 2.4 German Herbal, Late 15th or early 16th century

Folder 1.17 Froissart, *Chronicles*, 16th century

Folder 1.18 Apocrypha. English Bible, [16th-17th century?]

Folder 1.19 Mamusse Wunneetupanatamwe Up-Biblum God... (Eliot Indian Bible). Cambridge, MA: Samuel Green, 1685

Folder 1.2 Bauhin, Gaspard, *Theatri Botanici Sive Historiae Plantarum...* Basel, 1685

Folder 1.21 *Votes of the Assembly*. Philadelphia: Benjamin Franklin, 1753

Folder 1.22 *The Holy Bible*. Cambridge: John Baskerville, 1763

Folder 2.5 St. Jerome, *Vitas Patrum* (translated by William Caxton). Hammersmith: Kelmscott Press, 1892 (Trial sheet and Prospectus)

Folder 2.6 Voragine, Jacobus de, *Golden Legend* (translated by William Caxton), Volume I. Hammersmith: Kelmscott Press, 1892 (Leaves 3-4, 13-14, 295-296, 367-368)

Folder 2.6 Voragine, Jacobus de, *Golden Legend* (translated by William Caxton), Volume II. Hammersmith: Kelmscott Press, 1892 (Leaves 499-500, 523-524)

Folder 2.7 Voragine, Jacobus de, *Golden Legend* (translated by William Caxton), Volume III. Hammersmith: Kelmscott Press, 1892 (Title page and bifolia 1057-1060, 1069-1070, 1073-1074, 1087-1088, 1121-1124, 1133-1136)

Folders 1.23-1.25 *The English Bible*. Hammersmith: Doves Press, 1903-1905 (1 leaf and 2 bifolia: 19-20, 145-146, 159-160, 261-262, 267-268)

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