

Calendar of seventeenth- and eighteenth-century documents at the archives of the Irish College, Rome² (with index)

General introduction

This is a calendar of documents concerning the seventeenth- and eighteenth-century administrations of the Irish College in Rome, contained in a series of 27 bound and unbound volumes, and in some folders with loose material at the College archives. Of the original 28 volumes, 26 remain there, one is lost, and another was only recently located at the Archives of the Congregation for the Evangelisation of Peoples (hereafter Propaganda Fide). This introduction is followed by a list of the volumes, a calendar of the volumes and loose leaves and two appendices, the first containing material already printed in *Spicilegium Ossoriense* and the second containing documents with complementary content at the archives of Propaganda Fide.

The documents under examination date more precisely to the period 1628–1798, that is the period from the foundation of the College until its closure by the French Republic of Rome.³ Although they are sometimes referred to as ‘the Jesuit documents’, the Jesuit administration of the Irish College does not fully coincide with these years: Luke Wadding, head of the Irish Franciscan community in Rome (founded 1625) and co-founder of this (diocesan) College, remained its administrator until College management passed to the Society of Jesus, in execution of a clause in the will of the College’s other founder and financial patron, Cardinal Ludovico Ludovisi, who died in 1632.⁴ His will was contested by the Franciscans but in 1635 the court of the Sacra Rota found in favour of the Jesuits, who then managed College affairs until 1772. In 1771/1772 a visitation of the College was held by Cardinal Protector Marefoschi, and following his

- 1 The following calendar was compiled by the College archivist, Vera Orschel, but was based on a list and commentary prepared by the former rector of the College, Mgr John J. Hanly. Hanly’s list had consisted broadly of the *rubricella* entries, expanded to a full examination of the contents of three volumes (Libri i, x, xvi), and of contextualising and summarising commentary on those and three other volumes. The present introduction and subsequent commentary draw in parts on Hanly’s list, but all errors remaining are unmitigatedly mine.
- 2 The citation convention for these volumes is: Pontifical Irish College Rome Archives MS17–18/Liber (number)/f. (number and side).
- 3 The only exceptions are a stray accounts sheet of 1838 (Liber vii, f. 15r) and a legal memorandum of 1820 (Liber xiv, f. 327rv).
- 4 For his will see Liber xiii, f. 17r and Liber xvi, f. 17ov.

report, and indeed the suppression of the Jesuits as an order, an Italian secular priest, Luigi Cuccagni, became college rector.

Following the establishment of the French Republic of Rome, the Irish College was closed, and it was not until 1826 that a former student of Cuccagni, the Dublin priest Michael Blake, re-opened the College. For a close study of the College's foundation and earliest history the reader is referred particularly to the prefatory matter by Thomas O'Connor and John J. Hanly for the edition of the College's earliest historical account, the so-called *Manuscript History* (contained in Liber i).⁵

The majority of these documents reflect the more mundane, administrative activities of the College staff and particularly of the 35 rectors ruling the College during this period. About a third of the material is made up of financial accounts, with details arising from the management of the College's properties and investments: while annual ledgers were generally kept separate from these volumes,⁶ there are seven accounting volumes that found their way into this collection, not comprising ledgers but annual summaries, or smaller specimen such as bills and receipts (particularly Libri iii, vi–x, xvii–xviii). Another big share of the material concerns admissions of students and discipline, with rules, character accounts, references, lists of former students, correspondence (especially Libri iii pars i, xi, xii, xiv, xix, xxvii). Two volumes are dedicated to Marefoschi's visitation, with many of the original documents later printed in his *Relazione della Visita Apostolica del Collegio Ibernese* (Rome, 1772). Two others deal exclusively with cases of litigation (Libri xiii, xv). There is also a significant amount of documents of wider historical interest, namely the rectors' correspondence with Irish clergy at home and abroad (especially in Liber xxvi), letters and memoranda in circulation and preserved for their historical value, particularly on the church in Ireland (Libri xvi and xix–xxii), and some documents of specific interest for members of the Society of Jesus and their missions, not only in Ireland

5 Thomas O'Connor, 'The Irish College, Rome in the age of religious renewal' and John J. Hanly, 'The 1678 Manuscript History of the Ludovisian Irish College, Rome' in Albert McDonnell (ed.), *The Irish College, Rome 1628–1687: an early manuscript account of the foundation and development of the Ludovisian College of the Irish in Rome* (Rome, 2003), pp 13–32 and 35–43 (hereafter *Irish College Rome 1628–1678*). For particular aspects of the College's seventeenth-and eighteenth-century history, based partly on the sources calendared here, and for an overview of the College archives, see the essays by Patrick J. Corish, Thomas O'Connor, Charles Burns, Hugh Fenning, Clare Carroll, and Vera Orschel, in Dáire Keogh and Albert McDonnell (eds), *The Irish College, Rome and its world* (Dublin, 2008). There is also a valuable and detailed description of College life during this period by Patrick Devitt in the College annual journal *The Coelian* (1968), pp 7–20, unfortunately without citation of sources.

6 These comprise nine volumes dated 1681 to 1797, the bulk is from the eighteenth century. There are general ledgers as well as day-books usually for kitchen expenditure, specialised ledgers and day-books (e.g. for the vineyard, the missions, for dealings with the Banco di S. Spirito di Roma), and bundles of receipts. It is not clear why volumes such as Liber iii pars 2, and Libri ix, x, xvii and xviii were not also classed and separated as such.

(especially in Libri iii pars i, xx, xxv, xxvii, xxviii). There is also a curious file of eighteenth-century documents regarding the Irish Capuchins in Liber xvi. It is not known what the now missing Liber ii contained. The contents of what was Liber xiv is lost, containing litigation papers (its *rubricella* is preserved among the loose leaves) – what is now bound as Liber xiv contains documents culled from other volumes. Further, one section of Liber xx is now missing, with *formulae* and template letters for all purposes. For a further key to the collection, a breakdown of volumes is offered below.

What follows are some observations on four areas pertaining to administration of the College (finances, students, management and complaints, cases of litigation) to help contextualising items in the list. As has been shown before, these areas are no less politically pertinent than the historical accounts *per se*, and they give an insight into the vagaries of managing the College, and into daily life there.

College properties and finances

For the first fifty years, the documentation in the *Manuscript History* is detailed in matters of property, the writer drawing selectively on documents still at the College. In the early years, the Irish diocesan students were accommodated variously at the English College, the Maronite College, and at another location, until in 1627 a house was rented on Monte Pincio near the Franciscans' house of St Isidore's, and 1 January 1628 has been traditionally taken to be the beginning of the College's history, with the arrival of the first six students. Cardinal Ludovisi's bequest to the College in 1632 was that of a yearly income of 1,000 *scudi* (crowns), to be levied from a property at Zagarolo (south east of Rome) which his family retained management of, and of a vineyard and farm at Castel Gandolfo which the College managed itself. He also instructed his family to acquire a house for the College. It seems that in 1633 the College was granted ownership of their residence near St Isidore's by Duchess Lavinia Albergati de Ludovisi Fiano, and Rector James Forde was therefore in a position to sell it in 1636 to the Contessa Ricasoli (di S. Secondo).⁷ St Isidore's, some claimed, was too far from the Collegio Romano where the students attended lectures. At first Rector William Malone rented another house, then bought one in Piazza Morgana in January 1639 from Sir Iacovacci, but the College vacated the premises in unclear circumstances. One writer inimical to the Jesuits claimed they were evicted over an unpaid debt.⁸

7 The Duchess bought three houses on the Pincio near St Isidore's, one of which was inhabited by the College. See Liber v, ff 234r–241v, 215r–225r for the purchases in 1633, and ff 15r–16r for the sale of 1636. This is also dealt with in *Irish College Rome 1628–1678*, pp 64–7.

8 See Liber viii, ff 1r–9v. There is also a file of documents about this property in Liber v, ff 153–197. *Irish College Rome 1628–1678* does not touch on this matter.

Eventually, Rector Malone bought a house from Girolamo Rosolini south of the Quirinal in one branch of the Via Baccina, now Via degli Ibernesi, in April 1639 (for 8,000 *scudi*). In 1643 Rosolini seemingly bequeathed the College a quarter of what remained from their debt, and additionally gave the College a donation of an adjacent house, only asking that Masses be said in his name.⁹ The adjacent house was later sold to the Marchese del Grillo for 1,000 *scudi*.

Malone's acquisition of the house, and the long delays in paying the debts after his rectorship were often cited whenever its management (by the Jesuits) was questioned. Two other developments concerning College finances had serious consequences, and were likewise brought up by those critics. Firstly, the decision by Rector Philip Roche to sell the vineyard in 1666 to the Jesuit novitiate (the *domus* of S. Andrea on the Quirinal Hill) for 6,000 *scudi*,¹⁰ was to be held against the Jesuits periodically, and became one of the main arguments for ending their administration, from the mid-eighteenth century onwards.¹¹ Secondly, the Ludovisi family's fortunes began to wane in the later seventeenth century, and in 1670 they sold the property at Zagarolo to Duke Rospigliosi (a relative of Pope Clement IX) for 885,000 *scudi*. The Irish College was not consulted when the Congregation of Barons authorized the sale. A lump sum of 28,750 *scudi* was given to the college to be invested in such a way as to guarantee a continuation of their annual income of 1,000 *scudi*. It has been pointed out how different interpretations were later brought to bear on the actions of the then rector, Michael Jordan, in dealing with the re-investment, according to the commentator's bias: the *Manuscript History* of 1678 pointed to his financial acumen, Cardinal Marefoschi in 1771 (seeking to oust the Jesuits) saw him merely benefitting his order, and a memorial probably by rector Luigi Cuccagni of 1783 (seeking to rule out Irish holders of the rectorship) neglects all mention of the deal.¹²

Liber x reflects some of the actions Jordan and succeeding rectors of the College took to secure the College income, by purchasing property and deriving rent from tenants, and by investing in religious congregations,

9 The purchase of the house from Rosolini is documented in *Irish College Rome 1628–1678*, pp 66–71, but complemented by details in Liber i, and in the Loose Leaves (Liber v). His donation also surfaces in a volume not in the College archives. In appendix ii below see APF, *Collegi vari* 34, ff 3–7.

10 See Liber v, ff 171–22v, 271–32v; this was in the effort of paying its debt to Rosolini, and because the vineyard would have needed a fair investment of capital not available to the College.

11 There was even an attempt, at the time of Marefoschi's visitation, to gain annulment of the sale contract, because of irregularities (Liber xx, ff 18r–39v). For economic pressures leading to the sale see *Irish College Rome 1628–1678*, pp 78–79.

12 See Clare Carroll, "The spiritual government of the entire world": a memorial for the Irish College Rome, January 1783' in *The Irish College, Rome and its world*, pp 64–82, at 73–76. For the sale, see Liber I, f. 206r. Jordan's actions are described in *Irish College Rome 1628–1678*, pp 84–87.

that is paying them a sum and receiving annual payments. At first the College was managing well, in that income in total came to almost 1,149 *scudi* in 1670. The College then maintained two priests (the rector and Fr James Reilly), a lay brother, two servants, and seven students.

By the 1720s things had changed, and records were compiled to help petitioning the Holy See for support, especially since their secondary income had notably fallen due to the decrease of house rents: the College was now trying to carry on with an income reduced by almost 342 *scudi*, and was running at a deficit. The cost of maintaining a Jesuit in Rome was reckoned at 80 *scudi* per annum, and there were higher costs per *alumnus*, allowing for expenses for clothes, bedding, breviary, lamp oil, stationery, prizes, tips when going to Frascati in the summer, their public thesis defences, and often the fare for travelling home at the end of studies (the *viaticum*).¹³ The long-serving Rector Alexander Roche (Alessandro della Rocca) petitioned Benedict XIII at least five times for subsidies during the 1720s, appealing to his paternal goodwill for relief in their miserable predicament, and reminding him how the situation ultimately benefited the heretics in Ireland.¹⁴

Following several petitions of the sort, the Holy See began subsidising the College, unique though it was in not being a papal foundation like the Scots and English colleges, from 1726 onwards.¹⁵ An annual sum of 300 *scudi* was granted and augmented by Benedict XIII's successor Clement XII in 1740, and subsequent years: in 1743, 1,169 *scudi* per annum supported three Jesuits, nine alumni and two servants.

The presence in Rome of the exiled court of the Stuarts, especially in the early eighteenth century while the papacy recognised their right to succession, was more than just a politically comforting fact for the Irish College. James Francis Stuart [James III] donated a house to the College in 1734 to support the payment of *viatica* to students; he petitioned the papacy to remember Clement XII's grant of a subsidy to the College; he patronised Richard Reynolds, once ordained in 1728, as tutor for one of his sons, probably the elder of the two, Charles Edward Stuart. Also, students and management turned to him for help in diverse matters.¹⁶

13 Liber x, ff 5–6.

14 Most petitions are contained in the third section of Liber i, but see also Liber xix, ff 116r, 118rv–119v. For this quotation, see Liber x, f. 162v: *Pertanto egli [il Rettore] implore la Carità somma delle Paterne viscere della Stà. V.a sul miserabilissimo suo stato, sperando umilissimamente, che il Zelo Apostolico della Stà. V.a non vorrà permettere, che il Collegio dà una Nazione, la quale s'è fatta conoscere Catolica ad ogni prova, ad ogni costo, sia in Roma l'unico derelitto, e scordato, senza né dote, ne sussidio, con rammarico estremo di tanti buoni Catolici, e con altrettanto godimento degli Eretici loro persecutori.*

15 See particularly Liber i, third section. The College became a pontifical institution only in 1948.

16 For the petition [to Benedict XIV or Clement XIII] see Liber xix, f. 116r; donation of house Liber iii, ff 229r–230v, 245v; Reynolds as *praeceptor* to the prince, and the rector's petition

The most comprehensive list of real estate property exists for 1738 (at this date the the larger vineyard from the Ludovisi legacy is not included).¹⁷

In Rome

- The College itself in Via Baccina¹⁸ bordering on the de Grillo property, with rooms to rent. Their other next-door neighbours were the Dominican Sisters (to the north), Marc'Antonio [Meloni] (to the east), and the Marchese del Grillo (to the west).¹⁹ A map of the College building itself, once in Liber v, is no longer extant.
- House adjacent (donation from Girolamo Rosolini); also rented out to varying lodgers.
- Two small houses in Strada dei Coronari (acquired 1709 from debtor Giovanni Battista Quaranta, lawyer).
- House in Strada Orsini [also Vicolo Gesù e Maria] (purchased from a donation made by James Francis Stuart in 1734, but said to be haunted and difficult to rent (Liber v)).

In 1768, the College sold two small houses and an upstairs room to the Marchese del Grillo; probably the property donated by Rosolini. There is also a reference to the College selling a house in Via Baccina at an unspecified time, but seemingly in the late seventeenth century, to the *Collegio Fuccioli*, but retaining use of it.²⁰

*At Castel Gandolfo*²¹

The old vineyard from the Ludovisi legacy, sold in 1666, had been called *Vigna Sicciana* or *Giardino della Fontana*, and measured 2 *rubbio*, 2 *scorzi*, 3 *quartucci*; it had a house, a caretaker's room, and stables. The status in 1738 was this:

in his favour Liber xix, ff 146rv, 147v; for petition from students [1719] complaining against management Liber xi, ff 42rv, 51v.

17 See Liber x, unless otherwise specified.

18 The College lay in fact on a small *vicolo* (now Via degli Ibernese) which left the Via Baccina to the north to turn west and end in the Via di Tor' de'Conti. Via Baccina runs parallel to Via Madonna dei Monti, and (one further south) to the Via Cavour, ending to the west in the Via di Tor' de'Conti, a street to the back of the Forum of Augustus that runs up a steep hill to the Salita del Grillo, leading eventually to Via Panisperna and the Dominican Angelican University.

19 See related documents Liber v, especially ff 92r–93r.

20 Liber v, f. 152r.

21 These properties seem all to have been situated between Castelgandolfo and Albano, c. 20 km. from central Rome, between the Via Appia Nuova and a road running parallel to Lago Albano. For the location see also the documents in Liber vii, ff 334ff on the loss of land due to a new road to Naples, and a road (possibly the same one) to the Palazzo Apostolico in Castel Gandolfo.

- *Vigna di casa* [*Vigna degli Alberi*]. This is most likely the vineyard acquired from Ottolini in 1667, then called *Vigna degli Alberi*, in part exchange for the much bigger and more valuable vineyard from the Ludovisi legacy, worth just over a sixth of that, and situated on its western side.²²
- The vineyard *delle Colonnelle* (1 rubbio, 2 scorzi), bought in 1736 from Count Giovanni Vincenzo Vespignani for 60 *scudi*, between Castel Gandolfo and Albano.
- A small property *Canneto* (a field growing diverse crops measuring 947 *canne*) seemingly acquired from Cardinal Cibo 1734/ 1735, in exchange for a small vineyard, after lengthy negotiations.²³

The importance of these properties outside Rome, for income, for the annual *villeggiatura* in the early autumn, but also for the College's own supply of crops and wine, is reflected by the fact that four of these volumes are dedicated to the subject, containing the only property maps in the collection (Libri vi and viii). To bring products from the vineyards and farms into the city, import taxes were to be paid (*gabelle*) from which a succession of rectors made it their business to seek exemption.

The most comprehensive list of returns from rents and from investments (*censi*) exists for the 1760s, when the College received sums from the following religious congregations from investments:²⁴

Collegio Clementino (Padri Somaschi), Rome; Canonici Regolari Lateranensi, Rome; Congregazione Olivetana, Monte Cassino; Academia Ecclesiastica di Roma dei Pizzardoni; Compagnia dell'Angelo Custode, Rome; Seminario Romano; Monastery of S. Pietro di Milano (monks of the Congregazione Celestina); Ospizio di Bari of the Congregazione Celestina; Signori della Missione, Subiaco; Padri Teatini, Frascati; Compagnia del SS. Nome di Maria, Rome; Jesuit College, Ascoli; Jesuit College, Viterbo; Comunità di Marino; Comunità di Cerveto; Padri Celestini [].

Bonds (*Luoghi di Monte*)²⁵ also played a part in the College's finances: one of these is interesting in that it was bequeathed to the College by Pasquale Carboni [1688] for prayers to be said after his death: Liber xiv contains a list of priests (mostly newly-ordained students at the College) who celebrated these Masses, but also documents how inflation devalued the bequest, entailing a reduction of Masses.

At another time, some income derived from a bourse which had been set up in 1752 in Cádiz, Spain, by Thomas Phelan, a resident there, who wished to benefit the Irish Jesuit Mission in Ireland. The sum invested

22 See *Irish College Rome 1628–1678*, pp 78–79.

23 See Liber vi, especially ff 16rv, 27v. The type of lands exchanged is not clear; it may have been that the College gained a vineyard and the cardinal a field.

24 See Libri iii pars ii, and Liber x.

25 See the definition for Liber v, f. 197r.

was 2,400, the rate 3%. Following the expulsion of the Jesuits from Spain and their general dissolution, however, the sum was claimed by Phelan's nephew George Crimin (also Cádiz), to distribute it in Ireland in keeping with his uncle's wishes. Countering this, the College's first non-Jesuit rector, Abate Cuccagni, and nine students of the time, petitioned King Carlos III of Spain to have these funds assigned to Cardinal Salviati, Protector of Ireland. The final assignation of the funds is not clear.²⁶

Students

During the period under discussion, about 200 students passed through the College. Numbers did not change substantially, with six to nine students resident there at any given time, and usually no more than two new admissions per year.²⁷ A rector, a prefect of studies, and a confessor governed and attended to them. The College also gave lodgings to a number of *convictores*, or paying guests, for whom rules survive in Liber xxvii, but they were accommodated in a separate part of the house.²⁸ From the beginning, College authorities were charged with favouritism where admissions from particular provinces were concerned.²⁹ Over the period considered, however, students from Leinster and Munster are nearly on a par with those from Ulster and economically disadvantaged Connacht; a little less than half of the students admitted have names of Anglo-Norman origin.

A questionnaire for aspiring students points out that they had to be Irish Catholics and have Catholic parents, be in good health, be of a flexible and studious disposition, be pious, have a genuine will to serve the church, and bring letters on previous academic work, in order to be considered for admission.³⁰ Liber xix preserves a valuable collection of references brought by 63 students, a little less than a third of all those admitted between 1648 and 1782. A dozen of these brought proof of their previous studies of a year or more elsewhere on the Continent, mostly in the Low Countries and in France.³¹ The age of individuals on admission varied slightly over the period, but the upper age of 20 seems to have held.³² A typical reference, for Walter Costello, Tuam (1693), refers to his parents as follows:

26 See Liber x.

27 This compared well with other Irish colleges abroad, See O'Connor, 'The Irish College' p. 23.

28 See *Irish College Rome 1628-1678*, pp 88-89.

29 See O'Connor, 'The Irish College', p. 19 for the accusation levelled at Wadding by Derry student Terence O'Kelly that he favoured students from Munster and Leinster.

30 Liber xxviii, ff 59r-89v.

31 See O'Connor, 'Irish College', p. 24.

32 See Liber xvi, ff 32r, 43v where the College petitions to return to the pre-Council of Trent age limits [12 and 20], but also Pius VI's rescript which stipulates 12 and 17 as the lower and upper limits.

*... legitimo ... natus, piis, nobilibus et Catholicis parentibus progenitus, et eorum praedecessores adeo constantes erant in fide et religione Catholica, ut nulla haereseos [labe] fuerint unquam infecti, licet per Anglos qui hereses in nostras partes introduxerunt rigorosissimas persecutiones ...*³³

The questionnaire neglects to list another *sine qua non* for admission to a seminary, namely that a student needed to be nominated by his bishop. Some students, however, arrived of their own accord: a document presumably written by James Reilly SJ (the presumed author of the College's first history) lists twelve students who arrived during the first fifty years of the College's existence and lacked such documentation. Having no real vocation, which in the other cases had been one may say guaranteed by the bishop, they caused the College real financial cost. The beginning of the document is instructive as to the College founders' ethos

This Colledge being founded by the most Em[inen]t Cardinall Lodouick Ludouisius of good memory to breed in vertue and learning yong men of the Irish nation, that they might afterwards goe into their Country to assist the Catholicks, and aduance there the Catholick Religion, hath suffered notable preiudice by the receauing of those who come stragling to Rome not being called by the Superiors, without any fruite or profit to the nation contrary to the aime and intention of the founder as doth appear in the following relation ...

The warning to the superiors implied here was well founded, since this and other records show that of the 48 students enrolled between 1640 and 1670, eleven did not reach ordination or did not return to Ireland on the mission. On the other hand it does seem that most of those without episcopal letters entered with good intentions. One case in point was James Quirke, admitted circa 1642, who

... came vagabonding to Rome not called by any, nor having as much as any testimony, or acquaintance in Rome, yet found those who solicited in his behalfe to be receaued to this Colledge ... Where he studdied for some time, and then entred into a Religious Order, from whence he departed, and be took himselfe to selling of chestnuts about the Citty. Afterwards he became a Priest, and to this present remaines in Rome as a man hidden, not thinking of his obligation to goe to the Mission in recompence of the mantenance he had in the Colledge.³⁴

33 Liber xix, f. 24r.

34 Liber xxvi, f. 56r.

In the 1720s, Rector Alexander Roche faced a different conundrum, when besieged for admission to the College by men already ordained. He explained to Benedict XIII that previous admissions of men already in priestly orders had often proved disastrous both for discipline, and for the missions:

Tutti quelli che entrarono Preti nel Coll[egi]o Ibernese, o che per meglio dire, sforzarono con brighe e raccomandazione il povero Coll[egi]o ad accettarli, sono riusciti per lo meno torbidi, inquieti, e di pochissima allevatura negli studj, e di poco utile alla Missione ...³⁵

Many of the *giovanetti*, on the other hand, accordino to Roche, turned out fine priests, many bishops and archbishops – *ingenui, e pieghevoli, e facili a sottoporsi al Giogo dell'Osservanza a Juventute Sua*. This was recognised not only by Cardinal Imperiale (then Protector of the Irish), Roche continued, but by the king, pointing to the aforementioned Richard Reynolds, much-favoured by entry into the king's household.

Daily student life had much of the monastic in it. There was the strict daily round of the spiritual, the academic and community life: lectures in the *Collegio Romano* (the Roman College of the Jesuits founded by St Ignatius), private study in the College under the guidance of the prefect of studies; daily Mass, Holy Communion on certain days, recitation of the divine office, community prayer and spiritual direction; meals and recreation together. Students could not leave the College without permission and were not allowed into the city unaccompanied; they were 'all found' in regard to food and clothing; they remained in Rome all during their student years, except for a short annual holiday at Castel Gandolfo which usually began on St Michael's Day. Physical exercise is mentioned in connection with the holidays (walks, games).³⁶ While not nominally a Jesuit house, still the administration was expected to follow directives on discipline and spirituality sent by the superiors of the Roman province of the Society, as Liber xxviii bears out.

Starting with Luke Wadding's first set of rules, Liber xxvii conserves subsequent modifications. A series of penitential notes, one from 1700, the others from the mid-eighteenth century, shows that while smaller trespasses against rules (entering another student's room to talk, even with doors ajar; arriving late at recreations or meals; demonstrations of disobedience such as talking to externals) were noted, punishment was usually light, consisting in withdrawal of the wine served always with meals, reciting prayers, being barred from recreations. Slightly more

35 Liber xix, ff 160–161rv.

36 See the rules for holidays in Liber iii pars ii, Liber xi, and in Liber xxvii.

serious *malfeasances* such as coming home drunk entailed unspecified periods of fasting, with meals replaced by bread and water, and recidivist delinquents such as Edward Kennedy [Dublin] and Valentine Bodkin (later Warden of Galway) were probed for their consciences, and Kennedy was threatened with being sent back to Ireland.³⁷

Students all took an oath promising to be obedient to the rule, but also to return to Ireland after ordination to take up priestly ministry there, and not remain on the continent. From 1661 they also took a second oath not to demand, as of right, travel expenses for the journey home. Despite this disclaimer for the *viaticum*, many or most students seem to have received it nonetheless, before leaving for Ireland, and James Francis Stuart's bequest to finance this custom is mentioned above. It was likely the only means of insuring their return to the Irish missions.³⁸ The students' oaths, both missionary and *viaticum*, are contained in Liber xii, though this is demonstrably incomplete.³⁹

A student's room was monastically bare, with a bed, a prie-dieu (*ginocchiatoio*), a small table, and one or two bookshelves (*credenzole*).⁴⁰ A few of the College rules give detailed culinary insights which – whether for normal days, feast-days or special occasions – are reassuring in terms of nutritious balance: at an excursion [eighteenth century] the students are to be given macaroni, figs with a slice of salami, fried liver, sausage, lamb, pears and grapes, parmesan – but also, if the rector could procure them at a reasonable price, skylarks (*lodole*) and thrushes (*tordi*), one of each of which he is to offer to every student. Figs in general loom large, as does wine. On the day of ordination the new priest has a particular meal with two antipasti (including stuffed pigeon and roasted pullet or thrush) – pullets and pigeons were served when a student took an oath.⁴¹ The reality behind these rules can only be guessed at, and they were likely composed after a papal visitation had found much amiss with the College administration and in particular, students' board.

College administration and abuses

At various times perceived abuses of the College management give rise to serious complaints by the students to the Holy See, through the Cardinal Protector, though in one instance they approached one whom they regarded as their patron, James Francis Stuart their King, then at

37 See Loose leaves (LL) /sine libro/4, ff 1–13. Kennedy subsequently leaves on his own accord, for lack of vocation.

38 See Liber xiv, ff 116–151 for receipts from students receiving such a sum.

39 Oliver Plunkett was a student at the College 1647–1654 and no oath, nor reference letter, survive; there is, however, an autograph letter by him in the same volume (Liber xii, f. 71r).

40 Liber xi, f. 96rv.

41 Liber xxvii, f. 100r, *Consuetudini del Collegio Ibernese di Roma*.

Montefiascone.⁴² The Irish College Rome 1628–1678 speaks of the first such protest led by students against Rector Michael Jordan’s neglectful attitude which led to two students dying from untreated fevers, and to his reducing the annual holiday to 15 days.⁴³ Libri xi, xxiii, and xxiv all contain petitions from students, complaining with varying degree of detail against the rector or other staff, such as the prefect of studies. Some of these points concerned their diet, the harsh discipline (1698), the encouragement by the rector of factions, favouritism, the sale of the College vineyard as a particular example of mismanagement, the allotment of the viaticum (1720 and 1770), and very real acts of neglect and failure to expel an aggressive student (1719). When six students repeatedly petition the Cardinal Protector about various points of bad house-keeping and certain scandalous behaviour by Rector Alexander Roche, their verdict is that ‘nullus ordo, sed sempiternus horror regnavit’. He in turn complains of the students’ rebellious make-up, blaming ‘il vino, l’umor insulare, le fazioni delle quattro Provincie del Regno, la circondante folla de nazionali, il fanaticismo, il poco giudizio, e la mancanza dell’ orazione, sono i letti, ne quali il demonio semina queste zizanie’ (‘the wine, the insular temper, the factions based on the four Irish provinces, the pervasive folly of the nationals, the fanaticism, low levels of judgement, and the lack of oratory, are the seedbeds where the demon begets such mischief’).⁴⁴ At least three papal visitations were eventually carried out at the College (by Cardinals Visitor Barbarigo 1694, Imperiali 1719, and Marefoschi 1771). Complaints brought against Rector Giovanni Rossi 1647–1650 certainly resulted in inspections, if not in a papal visitation,⁴⁵ and it is possible that another one was called and conducted by Cardinal Protector Corsini (1737–1770) just two years before Marefoschi’s.⁴⁶

The visitation by Cardinal Marefoschi which occurred in the context of the papacy seeking to oust the Jesuit order, drew on College documents including Irish College Rome 1628–1678,⁴⁷ if bolstering the case by sometimes quoting out of context. The main points of his ‘Relazione’ were the mismanagement by the Jesuits of College property, and shortcomings in

42 See Liber xi, ff 42r–51v.

43 *Irish College Rome 1628–1678*, pp 82–83.

44 The students’ complaints of [1720] survive in various documents in Liber xi e.g. ff 26rv/40rv (quotation). Liber xi, f. 82r. contains the rector’s reply.

45 See the complaints in Liber xxiii, ff 128r–129r, and the statement in *Irish College Rome 1628–1678*, p. 72 that Rossi was *in se severus, non tamen aptissimus ad huius collegii regimen: ut testatum reliquerunt in ii qui modum gubernandi penitus inspexerunt*.

46 For the mention of a visitation by Cardinal Corsini see Liber xi, f. 59v, and for the dating see Liber I, f. 248r (the latter quoted by Carroll, “The spiritual government”, p. 80). Various documents mention Corsini taking possession of the Irish College as Cardinal Protector in 1737. See Liber I, f. 271r.

47 However, Marefoschi seemingly claimed in his *Relazione* that College archives were disrupted and that some were withheld from his scrutiny by Rector Petrelli; quoted by Patrick Devitt, ‘The Irish College’, p. 12.

the Jesuit system of education.⁴⁸ The suppression of the order coincided with the termination of Jesuit rule in the College, but not content with this, there was an attempt to seek financial redress from the order for their mismanagement since 1635: a commission was called by Clement XIV, also headed by Marefoschi, to argue this case for compensation, and to also argue restitution of books donated by Fabio Albergati in 1658 (donated with the express wish to cede them should the house cease to be managed by the Jesuits).⁴⁹ There is an interesting unsigned report written following the visitation, challenging its *raison d'être*, the means Marefoschi used, and the fact of the publication of his report, something hitherto unheard of in the context of papal visitations.⁵⁰ The new College management had cause to fear imposition of legal fees following this process, gathered legal opinions on whether a claim against the Camera Apostolica for sale of Jesuit property was appropriate, but finally appealed to the Pope for clemency in May 1773.⁵¹

In addition to these 'external' inspections, the College was also subject to 'internal' inspections by Jesuit superiors, as evidenced by memoranda in Liber xxv: between 1653 and 1757, eleven such visitations were carried out, usually resulting in some less stridently corrective comments on house-keeping, record-keeping, and discipline.

The creation or encouragement of factions was an important arguing point in the debate whether Colleges ought to be governed by Italian, or by national rectors. A memorandum (Liber i), probably by the first non-Jesuit rector Cuccagni, argued strongly – most likely reiterating a point made many times before, and not only in the Irish context – that Italian rectors would not take part in local rivalries, whether those between provinces, or those deriving from the divide between the Gaelic and Anglo-Norman families the students represented.⁵²

Cases of litigation

Three of the 27 volumes extant deal entirely with property litigation cases, namely Liber xiii (Liti diverse I), Liber xiv (Liti diverse II), of which now only the contents list survives, and Liber xv (Lite de' Vacabili). Claimants to titles of College property, or less tangible involvement in other claimants' property cases, involved the College in legal action in 1654, 1681, in 1705, 1713, in 1722, and during a prolonged period from the 1740s to the 1760s it was forced to actively fight its corner. The Marefoschi visitation

48 See Clare Carroll's study of Marefoschi's visitation in 'A memorial', pp 64–82.

49 Liber viii, ff 24r–284v.

50 See unbound part of Liber xxiv, ff 6r–10v, 11r–20v, among loose leaves below.

51 Liber viii, ff 1r–9v, 11v/ 21r. Their counsel argued against an appeal to the Camera Apostolica which had sold a small vineyard following suppression of the Jesuits, and recommends appealing to the Pope instead.

52 See Carroll, "The spiritual government", pp 70–82.

and 'change of guard' following a scrutiny of College property and use of it since 1635, must have disrupted College life considerably for the better part of three years 1771–1773. The legally-argued case to claim compensation from the Jesuit administration on foot of the Marefoschi visitation was already considered above.

One of the first troubles over property, as made clear in Irish College Rome 1628–1678, did not permit the College to seek legal redress: they had been sold the property in Via Bacina in 1639 without knowing that they had no right to the water that came from the nuns at Santi Domenico e Sisto. A file now in Liber xiv charts the various ways the College sought to secure some access to this and another water source, the Acqua Felice.⁵³ Later, another dispute with the same monastery about their shared wall was brought to court but resulted in a settlement in 1706, and similar neighbourly disputes with their neighbour to the west, Marchese del Grillo, also seem to have been laid by more easily (late seventeenth century and 1760s).

Some of these disputes, dealing with bonds and other types of investments, seem to have been less onerous on the College, although there is no case where the College seems to have emerged a clear winner. One document with a court order for the family of the litigant to pay the legal fees for the College⁵⁴ highlights a rare case, pitched against a large number of legal bills found in Libri xiii, xv, and elsewhere in these volumes. Two slightly more critical periods of litigation stand out during the eighteenth century. From 1722 onwards, the College and allies made an attempt to free themselves from certain financial claims made by the heirs of creditors of the Ludovisi estate. They argued that with the sale of the Ludovisi property at Zagarolo in 1670, the Irish College and others benefitted fully, whereas they considered themselves unjustly treated, pursuing the College for recompense. The first move on the side seems to have been made by the De Sabbis family against Duke Rospigliosi, who in turn pointed the finger at the Irish College. The Sacred Roman Rota however decided that all the other creditors would have to be involved; many of them having done very well out of the settlement.

More seriously again, the series of legal cases brought against the Irish College in the 1740s posed a real threat to its existence. It concerned titles rather than real estate: in 1741, Pope Benedict XIV abolished the *officia vacabilia*, i.e. income through non-transferable papal offices (or benefices), held by foreigners. This obliged the Apostolic Camera to compensate them, excepting however offices given by the Pope directly. Prince Santacroce, a descendant of Prince Ludovisi, had inherited such a papally granted office (*Officium Militum S. Petri*), passed it on to the Genovese

53 *Irish College Rome 1628–1678*, pp 68–69; Liber xiv, ff 291r–324v.

54 Liber xiii, ff 232r–233v.

family Spinola. The Spinola title included two *vacabili*, namely a knight-hood, and one portion of a property at Ripa, and they carried their case against Prince Santacroce, and Cardinal Mellini, who in turn were the first to litigate against the College, and forced it to pay 2,620 for the two suppressed *vacabili*. A memorandum possibly by the Rector, of the 1740s or 1750s, lists these and consequent damages and legal fees, and gives vent to the level of distress felt during this time:

Tali, e tante sono le vessazioni, le spese e danni patiti dal V.Coll.o dell'Ibernesi di Roma per l'unica causa della soppressione de Vacabili, che può dirsi un miracolo della Provvidenza se in tale occasione non è restato egli da per tutto soppresso.⁵⁵

The College survived all litigious activities against it; it further survived the suppression of the Jesuit order with the concomitant disturbance of College life as well as a reduction of its property, and while succumbing to the French secular state established in 1798, it emerged again in 1826 to continue its mission.

History of the series and arrangement

In 1896, two Jesuit priests and historians were given access to the archives by Rector Kelly, namely Edmund Hogan (author of the *Onomasticon Gadelicum* (1910)) and John Hungerford Pollen (historian and co-postulator in the cause of the English and Welsh martyrs).⁵⁶ They were interested in documents pertaining to the history of their order, and in a report dated 1897 Pollen highlighted a notable number of documents of interest. Pollen left some useful notes scattered through the volumes (excepting Liber viii which he found already missing then) concerning arrangement and content, and it is clear that their investigative work went beyond what they had set out to do in assuring that the volumes were newly bound.⁵⁷ Pollen found that the volumes had been bound first in around 1780, and asserts that the order instituted in the various *rubricelle* was followed as far as possible in rebinding them in 1897; he explains that 'in some instances

55 'Of such character, and so numerous are these irritations, the expenses and damages carried by the Venerable College of the Irish in Rome, for the solitary reason of the suppression of the transferable offices, that we can call it a miracle worked by Providence that on this occasion the College was not to be altogether destroyed.' (Liber xv, f.7rv).

56 For Pollen see P. Caraman's biographical sketch in Charles O'Neill SJ and Joaquin M. Dominguez SJ (eds), *Diccionario historico de la Compania de Jesus: biografico-tematico* (4 vols, Rome and Madrid 2001) iv, pp 3172ff. See the letter in Liber xxi, f. 2r.

57 See the letter of thanks to Kelly bound with Liber xxvi, f. 2r (11 May 1897). At the archives of the Irish Jesuits in Dublin there are a report by Pollen dated 10 July 1896, and a dossier of transcripts of documents from Rome copied by Hogan which comments briefly on Irish College documents (undated) (Irish Jesuit archives, ICOL/ROM/8 (31 pp) and J472/31 (45pp)).

papers of no great value (small bills etc) have been taken out from collections of greater moment, and have been collected in a newly assembled bundle'.⁵⁸ The latter never materialised and the identity or whereabouts of such ephemera is uncertain. Hogan, meanwhile, compiled a very useful list of students of the early period for which no roll-book survives.⁵⁹

The *rubricelle* appear to be eighteenth-century creations, but beyond that it is impossible to confirm Pollen's verdict on when the volumes were first assembled and bound. Besides Pollen's, there are also notes by the early twentieth-century rectors Michael O'Riordan and Michael J. Curran; some of the commentary is replicated below.

Foliation and conventions followed in this list

Some volumes had been previously foliated, often inconsistently and more than once, and therefore all was recently re-foliated – references are made to that foliation (excepting Liber viii, at Archive of Propaganda Fide). Where documents are now missing, reference is made to the original foliation as cited in the relevant *rubricella*, in square brackets.

The titles in the list are based on the original content lists or *rubricelle* (in italics, usually in Italian) and then expanded, listing date, type of document, creator, content, language and extent. Items lack a title where *rubricelle* did not exist or failed to list that item. Even though the titles are sometimes at variance with the content, and are often very vague, it was still deemed useful to list them. Square brackets indicate gaps or deductions, and contain notes on documents now missing. Unambiguous abbreviations in the *rubricelle* were silently expanded, e.g. 'd.a.' into 'dell', 'sud.o' and 'med.o' into 'sudetto' and 'medesimo', 'P.' into 'Padre'; those less obvious were expanded using brackets, e.g. 'PP [Padri]'. 'College', without further qualifications, always refers to the Irish College, Rome.

58 See comments in Pollen's hand in Liber xxvi, (f. 4rv), and Liber i (ante f. 1) dated 29 June 1897. The new bundle was a Liber xxix which seems to have been intended at the time to hold loose files; Curran also refers to same.

59 The list that grew from Hogan's is presented in this volume.

*Titles of volumes***Liber I**

- Fondazione del Collegio* (ff 10–107)
Iuspatronato di esso (ff 108–175)
Sussidi avuti dal Collegio da' PP (ff 176–210)
Canone di Zagarolo (ff 204–210)
Esenzione di Gabelle (ff 211–212B)
Imprestiti fatti al Collegio da' Gesuiti (ff 213–219)
Memorie de' 3. Collegj Britannici fatte in occasione delle ultime pretenzioni suscitate l'anno 1783 (ff 220–263)

Liber II (no longer extant)**Liber III pars I** (unbound)

- Regole* (ff 5–35)
Istruzioni date ai rettori dai Gesuiti superiori in diversi tempi (ff 36–127)

Liber III pars II (bound)

- Conti diversi di speziaria* (ff 15–33)
Pagamenti per l'entrata del vino (ff 34–111)
Pagamenti per porto di Lettere (ff 112–123)
Riscossioni (ff 124–238)

Liber IV

- Legato di scudi 1,000* (ff 9–98)
Deposito di Mattia Ball (Bale) in mani del P. Mallonio (ff 101–130)
Gabella del vino (ff 133–136)
Libreria (ff 139–160)
Memorie istoriche (ff 161–250)
Notizie diverse (ff 251–277)
Quadro originale del Guido Reni (ff 281–289)

Liber V

- Casa Rosolini* (ff) (7–142)
Casa ai Pantani (ff 143–151)
Casa in Via Baccina (f. 152)
Casa a Piazza Morgana ossia Casa Iacovacci (ff 153–197)
Casa a S. Isidoro (ff 198–225)
Casa al vicolo di Gesù e Maria (ff 227–261)
Lease contracts (ff 250–258)

Liber VI

Vigna pars I

General documents 1730s (ff 13–54)

Cannetto o Salceto (ff 61–97)

Vigna fuori di Porta S. Sebastiano (ff 98–105v)

[*Vigna*] *delle Colonnelle* (ff 106–138)

Altre Vigne (ff 139–330)

Liber VII

Vigna pars II (General part)

General documents [1628–1780] (ff 15–321)

Memorie sopra la Lite avuta con Marzelli per l'acqua (ff 322–347)

Memorie del taglio fatto nella vigna per la costruzione della nuova Strada Appia (ff 334–429)

Liber VIII (at Propaganda Fide Archives)

Vigna Pars III

Mostly litigation over ownership and access, including two maps of vineyards; one document regarding the *Casa Vicolo Gesù e Maria* (ff 1–347)

Liber IX

Vigna pars IV

Entrata ed uscita dell' anno 1635 – Lavori fatti nella vigna (ff 1–230)

Liber X

Stati degli anni 1671 [1608–1719] (ff 1–154)

Beni stabili e capitali fruttiferi (ff 158–190)

Censi (ff 191–276)

Censi della missione a Cadice (ff 284–355)

Liber XI

Ricliami degli alunni (ff 15–57) [especially 1719]

Visite antiche (ff 63–91)

Viatici (ff 92–94)

Mobili e supellettili (ff 96–101)

Villeggiatura (ff 106–139)

Depositi degli alunni

Liber XII

Student oaths

Six unconnected documents (including letter from Oliver Plunkett, and profession of Jesuits 1652–1756) (ff 7–20)

Student oaths (ff 21–285)

Liber XIII

Liti diverse, pars I

Lite de' vacabili tra il Collegio ed il Principe Santa Croce (ff 8–205)

Lite tra il Collegio Ibernese, Monastero di S. Maria del Soccorso di Fara, Maria Alessandra de' Rossi, figlia ed erede della Trevisani, ed il Collegio di Propaganda (ff 36–168)

Lite sopra il Fidecommissio de Sabbis (ff 52–179)

Lite tra il Collegio Ibernese, gli Arrighi, e Serratti, Salviano, per un Censo (ff 75–130)

Lite fatta con Minimi per l'affare del forno (ff 196–233)

Lite colle monache di S. Domenico e Sisto (ff 206–222)

Lite tra Maria Tomassina Marini ed il Marchese Agostino Lombardi (ff 226–233)

Scrittura mandata dal Duca di Sora al Rettore del Collegio Romano (ff 234–238)

Liber XIV

Liti Diverse pars II

Smaller documents not corresponding to the title: references for students, customs correspondence, College rules post-Marefoschi, deposits of students, *viatica* (receipts), Carboni Mass intentions, receipts and bills (notaries, workmen), receipts Hugh McKeane, bank and land business, use of Acqua Felice (ff 3–324)

Liti Diverse pars VI (only *rubricella* extant)

Liber XV

Lite de' Vacabili

(c.77 documents, c. four court cases over suppressed papal offices, *uffici vacabili*)

Causa Officii Vacabilis di Ripa concerning Signori Millini, Duke of Altemps (ff 5–47)

Scritture per il Collegio (ff 48–293)

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Liber XVI

Bolle Costituzioni e privilegi (papal bulls and briefs) (ff 14–119)
Memorie de Cappuccini d'Ibernia (ff 121–165)
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Testamenti (ff 167, 170–196)
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Cambiali ed Ordini (ff) [partly in Liber xiv]
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Liber XVII

Lavori fatti in Collegio dall'anno 1704–1778
Lavori fatti nel Collegio da diversi Artefici (ff 4–212)

Liber XVIII

Entrata ed Uscita (ff 13–216)

Liber XIX

Attestati che portano i giovani che vengono in Collegio [*Requisiti che devono portare nell'atto della venuta*] (ff 14–114)
Lettere diverse (ff 115–133)
Memoriali diverse (ff 134–191)
Legato di Pasquale Carboni [transferred to Liber xiv]

Liber XX

Two items out of place *in diversi tempi in Ibernia* (ff 132–154)

Liber XXI

Missioni pars I

Diversi fatti accaduti in Ibernia per il giuramento [dell'] abiura (ff 16–278)

Liber XXII

Missioni pars II

Correspondence between students and the College, and between the College and superiors, about domestic matters, Jesuit matters, and issues concerning the missions in Ireland (ff 13–233).

Liber XXIII

Visita pars I

Commencement of visitation by Marefoschi, and c. 50 documents that were used as an appendix to his report. (ff 1–242)

LL/Liber xxiv

Visita pars II (unbound)

Notes countering Marefoschi's *Relazione*, various material collected during the visitation (students' complaints, letters from Marefoschi, Sersale, and Petrelli, memoranda on the students' oath) (ff 6–148)

Liber XXIV

Visita pars II (bound)

Latter part of the correspondence begun in the loose leaves (ff 1–149)

Liber XXV

Liber Ordinationum

Ordinationes perpetuas, et maioris momenti, quae à Generali mittuntur (ff 2–59)

Visitationes huius Collegii Hibern[orum] à Generali approbatas ... (ff 279–283)

Ordinationes perpetuas, et maioris momenti, quas Provincialis cum Generali communicaverit (ff 220–222)

Liber XXVI

120 documents (letters) 1623–[1779] (ff 2–190)

Liber XXVII

Institutiones of 1628 and copy (ff 1–10 and 31–43)

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Ratio victus (ff 20–25)

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Consuetudini (f. 104)

Regole de'Convittori and copies (ff 114–115)

Liber XXVIII

Regulae, Conciones, Elogia, et Miscellanea Ascetica Patrum Societatis Jesu

Rules for Jesuit houses (ff 1–53)

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Liber iii – see above

Liber v – two documents concerning the purchase of the Via degli Ibernesi property (1639–1667) (ff 6–23)

Liber xiv – *rubricella* for documents now missing

Liber xxi – history (1738–1747); Rinuccini's loans taken in Ireland (1646–1654) (ff 215–250)

Liber xxiii – letter to Marefoschi from students (1771) (ff 317–331)

Liber xxiv pars ii – see above

Liber xxvii – outsize College rules (ff 49–56)

no Liber – five documents and files of varying content 1650s–1760s (ff 7off)

Liber I⁶⁰*Rubicella* (ff 2r–6v)*Fondazione del Collegio*

ff 10r–12r Copy *Memoria sopra della Fondazione estratte (sic) dalla Vita del Padre Luca Wadingo* – [1662] extract from the Life of Wadding by Francis Harold. Incipit ‘*Post mortem Pauli V Pontificis et assumptionem Gregorii XV ...*’. (Latin)

ff 25r–28r and f. 29v [Copy] *Altro quinterno riguardante della Fondazione* – [1737] account of the foundation with particular attention to the College’s financial problems, and to the controversial sale of the Castelgandolfo vineyard for 6,000 *scudi*; also quoting the views of Apostolic Visitators Cardinals Barbarigo (1694) and Imperiali (1719) and others. (Italian)⁶¹

ff 30r–63v and f. 65v Copy (1773) – *Altro sopra della Fondazione, e Progresso* – extract from the next document up to and including chapter 3.⁶²

ff 66r–107r *Altri simili quinterni 1683* – Historical account entitled *Fondatio et progressus Collegij Ludovisiani Hibernorum de Urbe* [1628–1678 (1683)] – early history of the College. (Latin)⁶³

Iuspatronato di esso

f. 108rv *Lettera in cui s’indica, che la Principessa di Piombino avesse trovate tutte le scritture concernenti tal juspatronato* 17 September 1707 – memorandum by [...], Quirinal, for [the Rector]; the Princess has the documentation establishing right of patronage of the Ludovisi family over the College. (Italian)

f. 110r Copy *Supplica del Principe Ludovisi al Papa, in cui si dimostra che i poveri d’Ibernia, desiderano che il juspatronato sudetto sia del supplicante* (undated) – letter from the prince wishing to have all usual rights of patronage extended to his family as is the case with other colleges; including right to nominate rector and students. (Italian)

60 This volume was first discussed in John J. Hanly, ‘Records of the Irish College, Rome, under Jesuit administration’ in *Arch. Hib.*, xxvii (1964), pp 13–75 (for Liber i and the *Fundatio et progressus*, pp 13–68).

61 Comment J. H. Pollen c.1897: the document was written when Monsignor Albini was almoner to Cardinal Gentili.

62 With notarial authentication.

63 This is taken to be by James O’Reilly SJ, giving the history of the first fifty years of the College, see Hanly ‘Records’, p. 13. See *The Irish College, Rome 1628–1678*.

ff^{111r-125r} *Scrittura fatta per ditto Iuspatronato* (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) discussing the claim of the Ludovisi family to the right of patronage (as above) over the College in the light of its early history, including the brief of Pope Innocent X of 22 May 1647; adding note about the approval of this document by the Jesuit hierarchy. (Latin)

ff^{132r-139v} *Altra simile* (undated) – draft memorandum (unsigned) entitled *Romana Collegii* on the College's foundation and the Ludovisi claim to the right of patronage. (Latin)

ff^{143r-146v} Copy *Altra simile* (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) entitled *Romana Collegii* on the conflicting claims of rights of patronage over the Irish College, arising from differing interpretations of the brief of Innocent X (May 1647) in favour of either the Jesuit superior general or Prince Ludovisi. (Latin)

ff^{147r-151r} Copies *Protesta del Generale de'Gesuiti contro il breve d'Innocenzo X, col quale il collegio veniva dichiarato juspatronato del Principe Ludovisi, ed eredi* 25 September 1647 – petition by Cardinal Vincent Carrafo SJ defending the rights of the Society of Jesus against the papal brief named⁶⁴. (Two documents) (Latin)

[f. 140] *Altra simile* [missing]

ff^{153r-156r} Copy *Scrittura del detto Padre Generale contro detta Breve* (undated) – decision of the Sacra Rota against Innocent X's brief, following the complaint by Fr [L.] Albergati on 30 April 1660. (Latin)

f. 157rv June 1699 – address of Innocent XII to the consistory of cardinals, petitioning for help for the Catholics of Great Britain and Ireland. (Latin)⁶⁵

ff^{158r-160r} Copies *Sentenza Rotale a favore de'Gesuiti* 24 January 1634⁶⁶ – document entitled *Romana Collegii*, confirming Cardinal Ludovisi's will giving the College in the care of the Jesuit order. (Two documents) (Latin)

64 With notarial authentication 1771.

65 This item belongs elsewhere; foliation is in a different hand and inconsistent.

66 On the first document a different hand dated it 19 January 1635; the same date applies to the second copy.

f. 162rv Copy *Decisione della medesima Rota confermatória di detta Sentenza* 13 November 1634 – Rota decision by Fr Pirovano, upholding provision in Cardinal Ludovisi's will that intends purchase of a house for the College, endowment with annual 1,000 *scudi* and farm at Castelgandolfo: '*ex qua [Collegii gubernatione] ut spero, prodibunt Alumni, qui Hiberniam meo patrocinio commissam diuturna heresi Liberent ...*'. (Latin)

ff 163r–165v and f. 167v 13 November 1634 – copy Rota decision with commentary; discussing College's status at Cardinal Ludovisi's death; arguing its protectorship did not pass to his heir; the arrangement between Ludovisi and the Franciscans had been by *contractum innominatum*. (Latin)

f. 168r 13 November 1634 – another copy of the Rota decision. (Latin)

ff 170r–175r Copy *Breve d'Innocenzo X col quale si dichiara il Juspatronato del Collegio spettare al Principe Ludovisi, ed eredi* 22 May 1647 – brief confirming to Prince Nicholas Ludovisi the right of patronage over the College. (Latin)

Sussidi avuti [somministratigli] dal Collegio [da' PP]

ff 176r, 177v *Supplica a Benedetto XIII per avere qualche sussidio* August (undated) – petition from the rector of the Irish College to the pope for financial help, following a fall in the College's income from rents; including note of 6 February 1726 giving papal consent after audience with Cardinal [Paulucci]. (Italian/Latin)

ff 178r, 179v *Altra simile* (undated) – petition from the rector of the Irish College to the pope, asking to class the College with poorest institutes for monthly grant. Additional three notes (f. 179v) record the setting up of a special commission of three cardinals (Corradini, Imperiali, Albini) in September 1725, and the decision in June 1726 to give 25 *scudi* monthly. (Italian)

ff 180r, 181v *Memoria per la somministrazione sudetta* (undated) – memorandum by [...], describing how previous grants were effected [in 1726] by Cardinal Paulucci; how Cardinal [Pico] reminded Clement XII in 1737 of the College's worthiness; suggesting two cardinals and Cardinal Prefect Petra petition the pope again. (Italian)⁶⁷

67 F. 181v has only a brief endorsement for the document.

ff 182rv, 183v *Memoriale a Monsignore sottodatarario per avere il detto assegnamento* (undated) – petition from the Irish College to Monsignor Spannocchi, Apostolic Datary of Clement XII; reminding him of payments outstanding from the grant of 1725. (Italian)

ff 184r, 184rv *Bigliett[o] di Monsignore de Vico al Rettore del Collegio sopra detto Affare 4* December 1725 – brief note to Rector Roche about a prospective meeting with Cardinal Paulucci. (Italian)

f. 185rv 8 June 1726 – brief note from Bishop of [Susa]; news of yearly grant of 300 *scudi* to the Irish College which should be a relief. (Italian)

f. 186r 27 May 1726 – letter from Secretariat of State to Monsignor Albini; Cardinal Ottoboni will replace Cardinal Paulucci at the urgent meeting regarding the Irish College. (Italian)

ff 188r, 189v 14 February 1726 – letter from Monsignor Albini to the rector of the College; requesting a ten-year statement of finances for the meeting with the three cardinals. (Italian)

ff 189bis r–190v *Breve di Benedetto XIII col quale si concedono al Collegio [scudi] 300 annui* 27 September 1726 – original papal brief (with signature) naming the sum to be paid monthly to the rector, from 1 January 1727. (Italian)

ff 191r–195v, f. 196v *Copy Breve del Datario concedente detto assegnamento [1]* June 1726 – same brief with marginal note (f. 193r); also cautioning against the clause that concerns new acquisitions by the College surpassing 1,000 *scudi*. (Italian)

ff 197r–199r *Tre ordini tratti al Monte dal Cardinale Gentili Datario* 27 January 1740 – three copies of bank order issued by Cardinal Gentili of the Apostolic Datary for payments to the rector of the College, following the increase of their allowance from 500 to 600 *scudi* per annum. (Three documents) (Italian)

f. 200r *Copy Altro ordine tratto dal Cardinale Valenti per l'augumento d'altri [scudi] 80* 22 March 1743 – order by [Cardinal] Valenti to Francesco Ramolfi, directing him to begin paying an annual sum of 80 *scudi* to the College from the papal funds on the basis of papal decree of 9 December 1740. (Italian)⁶⁸

68 Belongs with f. 204 and 205v, marked 'from Zagarolo'.

f. 202r *Altro del medesimo Cardinale per il nuovo augumento di [scudi] 12 al Mese* 2 January 1744 – order by [Cardinal] Valenti to the Monte della Pietà (Bank), directing them to pay 12 *scudi* monthly to the College from this month, referring to the same decree. (Italian)

Canone di Zagarolo

ff 204rv, 205v *Memoria sopra detto Canone, e delle Liti insortevi* (undated) – fragment memorandum regarding the Zagarolo estate rents of the Ludovisi family, disputes from creditors' claims, and alleged mistakes made by the College⁶⁹. (Italian)

f. 206r *Altra Memoria sopra l'Istromento di quietanza di detta canone* (undated) – receipt from [a proxy for] Fr John Paul Oliva for Rector Michael Jordan over the sum of 28,150 *scudi*; funds arise from sale of the Zagarolo estate. (Italian)

ff 207r, 208v *Chirografo del Generale de'Gesuiti per la vendita di detto Canone* 13 December 1670 – letter from John Paul Oliva SJ to Rector Michael Jordan SJ, authorising him to manage funds from the sale of the Zagarolo estate, sold by Prince Ludovisi to Duke Rospigliosi; adding conditions. (Latin)

ff 209r, 210v *Memoria sopra la compra di Zagarolo fatta da Rospigliosi* 6 February 1671 – receipt from Pietro Verdi for Rector Jordan over 3 *scudi* [as fee for the security given to Rospigliosi]. (Italian)⁷⁰

Esenzione di Gabelle

f. 211rv *Altra memoria sopra detta Esenzione* (undated) – petition from the College to [Cardinal Protector], applying for exemption from payment of tithes. Two additional memoranda (diverse hands) give proof of the financial situation; the tithes were payed neither in 1661 nor in 1675. (Italian)

ff 212A rv, 212B v *Breve d'Innocenzo XII concedente al Collegio l'Esenzioni delle Gabelle* 26 September 1696 – [decree] issued by Archbishop Laurenzio Corsini of Nicomedia, protonotary apostolic, granting the Irish College exemption from taxes (*gabelle*) and customs for produce used for the students; following like exemptions for other colleges, such as the Scotch and Greek. (Italian/Latin)⁷¹

69 Belongs with f. 200 above.

70 F. 210v merely bears endorsement.

71 Note on f. 212B v with endorsement for document, and minutes concerning an exemption from *gabelle* (taxes) granted by Innocent XII in 1696, and the granting of an amount of salt.

Imprestiti fatti al Collegio da' Gesuiti

ff 213^{rv}, 214^v *Di scudi 771 l'anno 1666*[9] 10 [December] 1661–23 February 1668 – receipt from Rector Philip Roche for Fr Paolo Ottolini SJ who gave the College an interest-free loan of 771 *scudi* for payment of debts; three added notes of [1667] and 1668 about repayment of the sum. (Italian)

f. 215^{rv} *Di [scudi] 100 nel 1736* 21 October 1738–30 May 1739 – receipt by Rector Alexander Roche for loan of 100 *scudi* from Fr Philip Stolzen and notes on three repayments. (Italian)

f. 217^r *Di [scudi] 300 nel 1743* 7 April – 16 August 1743 – receipt by Rector Alexander Roche SJ for loan of 300 *scudi* from the superior general SJ and notes on two repayments. (Italian)

f. 219^{rv} *Copy Di [scudi] 1,000 nel 1746* 17 November 1746 – receipt from Rector Fitzgerald for Fr Giovanni Coniero for a loan of 1,000 *scudi* from Francesco Reltz, to be used to pay off debts; repayment in yearly instalments of 100 *scudi*. (Italian)

*Memorie de' 3. Collegj Britannici fatte in occasione delle ultime pretenzioni suscitate l'anno 1783*⁷²

ff 220^r–227^v, 229^v *Memoria di tutti uniti* (undated) – memorandum by [Rector Cuccagni] on the insular overseas colleges (English, Scots, and special emphasis on the Irish College) in regard to the nationality of their rectors, arguing for the merits of Italian rectors. Correction (f. 228^v) in different hand, stating that Callanan was in fact an Irish rector. (Italian)

ff 230^r–243^v *Altra dello Scozzese* January 1783 – memorandum by [Rector Cuccagni] for the Congregation of Propaganda Fide on the Scots College: foundation in 1600, Jesuit administration since 1615, negative judgement on native rectors; history of abuses, intrigues, discord between regions, apostolic visitations. (Italian)⁷³

72 For discussion of authorship and content of the first four documents See Clare Carroll, “The Spiritual Government”, arguing that all three memoranda may be by Rector Cuccagni, thereby following Michael Curran. The four documents as extant are in different hands. See the document in Liber xxii, ff 115^r–116^v.

73 Note on quire end ante-f. 230 M. J. Curran: ‘Cuccagni’s memorial’. See Hippenley’s letter 17 Feb 95 among Dublin Transcripts [de trans]; on f. 243^v M. J. Curran writes, ‘Cuccagni’s memorial on the question of National Rectors endorsed’.

ff 244r–251v *Altra dell'Ibernese* January 1783 – memorandum by [Rector Cuccagni] on the Irish College: arguing against native rectors from an economic point of view, citing cases of Rectors Forde, Malone, Philip and Alexander Roche and Jordan, whose management was detrimental to the College's interests. Quoting David Hume (f. 247rv) on the national Irish predilection for long-held and violent personal resentments; instances of problems with discipline; good record of Italian rectors. (Italian)

ff 252r–256r, 257v *Altra dell'Inglese* January 1783 – memorandum by [Rector Cuccagni] for the Congregation of Propaganda Fide on the English College: arguing against native rectors to avoid factions and rivalries as experienced whenever English rectors had been in charge; renewed interest in an English take-over only now under positive economic developments under Pius VI; good priests are needed in England itself. Reference to decrees by apostolic visitators Davia [1713–1740] and Riviera (one of which was *Nihil innovandum* f. 254r) for future appointments of Italians. (Italian)

ff 262r, 263v *Ristretto per servire di voto* 18 February 1783 – memorandum (unsigned) summarising the documents presented to Propaganda by Cardinal Corsini [1731–1770], showing that the Roman agent for the English clergy has defended national rectors on unfirm grounds. (Italian)⁷⁴

ff 264rv, 265v *Rescritto natone, ed approvato dal Papa – vedi lib.25.2* [1783] – memorandum by Cardinal Salviati for the Congregation of Propaganda Fide; pointing out that the College had not been founded by a Pope, and to the way Propaganda Fide has not exercised jurisdiction over it in 150 years; the respective Ludovisi and Jesuit ties; the Prince of Piombino's right to oppose the ruling. Salviati's mother had been of the Ludovisi family.⁷⁵

ff 266r–268r *Due Biglietti dell'Eminentissimo Salviati sopra detto affare* [1781] [Fragment] memoranda by [...] for [...], with information useful for the visitation; second item citing sources on cardinal protectors usually taking possession in St Isidore's – Cardinal Salviati may use this to counter the Franciscan General when seeing the Cardinal Secretary of State, if necessary. (Two documents) (Italian)

74 Endorsement f. 263v referring to the decree *Nihil Innovandum* and the Pope's confirmation on 9 March 1783. F. 263v M. J. Curran writes, 'But Napoleon changed all by [dissolving] all'.

75 Note f. 265v refers to subsequent meeting 18 February and papal confirmation 9 March 1783. Original foliation differed in *rubricella* but the title undoubtedly intends this document.

*Fondazione del Convento di S. Isidoro*⁷⁶

ff 269r–275v ‘Memoranda concerning the foundation of the convent of St Isidore’s ...’⁷⁷

f. 269r *Memorie sopra detta fondazione cavate dagli annali del Padre Vadingo* (undated) – this and the following two documents contain citations and notes from Wadding’s *Annales*, beginning with details of the foundation of St Isidore’s.

f. 270rv *Altra simile, e catalogo di vari Emi[nentissimi] Protettori d’Ibernia* (undated) – list of first cardinal protectors: Ludovisi, Barberini, Paoluzzi, Imperiali, Corsini, Marefoschi; two endorsements. (Italian/Latin)

ff 271r, 272r–273r *I Cardinali Protettori d’Ibernia prendono possesso nel sudetto Convento* (undated) – draft account of origin of St Isidore’s as an Irish house, based on life of Wadding as prefaced to his *Annales Minorum* – also citing contents of plaque in the aula commemorating Cardinal Corsini’s taking possession in 1737. (Italian)⁷⁸

f. 276rv *Catalogo de’ primi alunni del Collegio Ibernese* [1640s] – draft structure for James O’Reilly’s history of the early history of the College; list of students Eugene Colgan to Christopher Clarke and some lodgers; outline of chapters. (Italian)

ff 277r–278v [1730s] – memorandum (unsigned) on the cardinal protectors of Ireland: although the Irish College was left according to the founder’s wishes and is now placed directly under the cardinal protector’s jurisdiction, all protectors must take possession of the College in St Isidore’s; citing plaque commemorating Cardinal Corsini’s instalment 17 March 1737. (Italian/Latin)⁷⁹

f. 279rv [1780s] – Draft letter by Cardinal [Gregorio Salviati] for the four archbishops of Ireland; writer has been nominated the new cardinal protector by Pius VI on the death of Cardinal Marefoschi; promising to look after the interests of their church, and mentioning co-operation with Cardinal Antonelli, Prefect of Propaganda Fide. (Latin/Italian)⁸⁰

76 This title also included the memorandum just above which, however, clearly belongs with the last section.

77 The following notes constitute a fragmentary dossier on the early history of St Isidore’s and the first cardinal protectors. f. 275v supplies the title.

78 F. 271rv.

79 With pencil annotations by [M. J. Curran].

80 Asking the letter be translated so that it may leave no doubt about the new administration.

Liber II missing

Liber III in two parts

Pars I (unbound)

This part, which was subsequently rearranged, is described in the section ‘Loose Leaves’, below, pp. 225ff.

Pars III (bound)

Notes: J.H. Pollen noted that this volume originally contained 147 pages which were later removed and classed Liber III, pars I [for thematic reasons]. This is the part, unbound, now held in ‘Loose Leaves’ and described on pp 225ff below. Accordingly, the spine of Liber III, pars II still refers to the material in Liber III, pars I (*/Regole part.ii, Istruzioni generali/*) but contains only the material now described.

Rubricella (f. 2r)

ff_{15r-33v} *Conti diversi di Speziaria* 1735–1743 [–1775] – bills and receipts for medicines purchased by the Irish College, mostly from the apothecary of the Seminario Romano; listing pills, syrups (pharmaceutical recipes); rarely naming recipients, but see for instance f. 17v (John Creveo [Creagh]), f. 32r (‘Terentio’), f. 17r (‘Padre Neij’), f. 32r (‘Matteo’), (‘Ambrogio’). (13 documents) (Italian)

ff_{34r-111v} *Pagamenti per l'entrata del vino degl'anni seguenti* 1711–1775 – mostly receipts from customs officials and the Camera Apostolica for payment of taxes on the Irish College’s import of wine and vinegar; mostly from Castel Gandolfo; naming the gates of entry to the city. Also enclosing non-related receipt from Fr Provincial Petrus de Avila for Fr William Malone f. 42v; printed receipts from the *Tribunale delle Strade* for municipal works paid for ff 66v and 103v. (53 documents) (Italian)

ff_{112v-123v} *Pagamenti fatti dal Collegio al Generale de’Gesuiti per porto delle lettere...* 1686–1754 – receipts and letters of debit for the cost of [circular letters] from the Province of Rome, paid by the Irish College. (13 documents) (Italian)

ff_{124r-238r} *Riscossioni fatte dal Collegio ...* 1767–1771 – lists of sums collected monthly by the College’s agent from various debtors, mostly for *censo* [interest from investments] owed. Debtors include the [R.C.A ...] Dicidadotto, Congregazione e Canonici Lateranensi, Monte [S. Pro...], Congregazione Olivetana, Monaci Celestini, Padri Teatini di Frascati SJ colleges in Viterbo and Ascoli (c.18 debtors). (49 documents) (Italian)

Liber IV

Rubricella (ff 2r–6v)*Legato di scudi 1,000 Lite*⁸¹

ff 9r–11v, 12v *Fatto informativo sopra detto Legato* 3 June 1699 – memorandum compiled by the Irish College for Tyrso Gonzalez, superior general SJ, commenting on Cardinal Ludovisi's testament and including extracts (ff 10r–11v). (Italian)

[f. 3] *Monitorio spedito per il pagamento del medesimo* [This item may be missing, although it seems that the first document listed continues from old foliation 2 to f. 4 without a lacuna.]

ff 13r–40v *Scrittura avanti Monsignor Cerro tra il Principe Rospigliosi ed il Principe di Carbognono* 18 December 1722 – legal memorandum by notary DeAmicis for [R.P.D.] Cerro, on the case for [Duke] Rospigliosi, vs [Prince] Colonna of Carbognano, regarding properties in Zagarolo. (Italian)

ff 41r–70v *Altra sopra il supplemento del medesimo* (undated) – legal memorandum drawn up by [Martorello] for [D.A. Parace] entitled *Romana reintegrationis Liberationis a molestiis et suppletionis legati annui scutorum mille*; on the case of the Irish College vs Duke Josephus Maria Altemps and others, with regard to Cardinal Ludovisi's annual bequest for the College. (Latin)

ff 71r–73r, 74v *Altra simile* (undated) – legal memorandum by [Guglielmus Ricca] for R.P.D. Cerro on the case *Romana pretensa Liberatione a molestiis* for Duke Roberto Altemps vs Prince Joannes Baptista Rospigliosi, concerning the creditors of the Ludovisi estate and property in Zagarolo. Appending copy document of 7 September 1632, concerning a sale of land by Cardinal Ludovisi to Duke Altemps. (Italian)

ff 75r–100v [The following two printed items still form a unit, together with the manuscript item *Altra scrittura*.]

ff 75r–80v, 87r–90v *Altra super reportatione 1778* – printed legal financial report by Ioannes F. Pacifici for R.P.D. Herzan, entitled *Roma reintegrationis & supplementi legati annui scutorum mille*. Concerning the case for the Irish College vs Duke Josephus M. Altemps and others, in 34 points. (Latin)

81 See also f. 130 on this subject. Cross-reference is made in the *rubricella* f. 2r to Liber I, 'Canone'.

ff 81r–86v *D[epos]ito della Con[regazio] ne de'Baroni a favore del Collegio per la consegna delli scudi 28,750 – Investimento in Censo di detti denari – Instrumento di detto Censo – Mancamento @ il collegio del compimento di detto legato 1778* – printed legal dossier (*Summarium*) compiled [for] R.P.D. Herzan, on the same case *Romana reintegrationis* ..., in favour of the Irish College; offering background of the Ludovisian legacy for the College, of the sale of land and the subsequent investment of the sum in the College's favour. (Latin)

ff 91r–92v, 99r–100v *Altra Scrittura 1722* – printed legal report (*Praenestina Fideicommissi de Sabbis super praetensa Liberatione à molestijs*) by Nicholaus Lana, for R.P.D. Cerro, in the case of the Irish College vs Duke Ioannes B. Rospigliosi; appending two documents for illustration, including note on a case before the Sacra Rota of 1660 between Prince Niccolò Ludovisi, Prince Pompeo Colonna, Duke Pietro Francischi, against Geronimo Sabbis. (Latin)

Recisione ... per il collegio @ il Duca Altemps

ff 93r–98v 26 February 1779 – legal memorandum by R.P.D. Herzan, summarising the case *Romana reintegrationis et supplementi* ... in eight points. (Italian)

***Deposito di Mattia Bale in mani del P. Mallonio*⁸²**

f. 101rv *Memoria riguardante detto deposito* (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) explaining background of the deposit of *scudi* 600 made in the name of Bale by Henry Segrave in 1642, with Rector William Malone; the latter gave some of that sum to two different missions. (Latin)

ff 102r–103r *Ragioni, che compravano detto Deposito* (undated) – memorandum and draft memorandum (unsigned); reiterating points on deposit and use of the sum sent by Segrave by Rector Malone; obligation of Rector Albergati and the College to return the rest of the sum to the Irish fathers who advanced it to Segrave. (Two documents) (Italian)

f. 104rv *Controversia tra il Collegio e detto Mallonio per esso deposito* (undated) – memorandum (unsigned); reiterating case with special emphasis on Malone's role. Also mentioning that records and letters by Segrave, Fr Nugent and others are deposited with a Waterford notary. (Italian)

82 See also the statement by Segrave of 1648, Liber ix, f. 16r.

f. 105^{rv} *Altro Deposito in mano di esso Mallonio fatto da altro alunno* 1647 – memorandum (unsigned); among other points explaining that Matthew Bale, when leaving the College and joining the *fratres Minoritares*, received parts of the deposited sum towards the journey from Rector Albergati; defending the rectors for their actions. (Latin)

f. 106^r *Altra Memoria sopra il deposito del Bale* [post-1642] – memorandum (unsigned) reiterating the case. (Italian)

ff. 107^r–108^r *Conto di detto Deposito* 1642 – financial account of Bale's deposit. (Italian)

f. 109^r (undated) – memorandum (unsigned); stressing the point that Rector Albergati acted in good faith, believing that the departing student who subsequently joined a religious order had left the sum of *scudi* 400 to the College. (Italian/Latin)

f. 110^{rv} *Conti del Mallonio* July 1642 – [November] 1643 – accounts sheet with expenses of Rector Malone, supplied by the rector of the College. (Italian)

ff. 111^{rv}, f. 114^v *Altre ragioni sopra detto deposito* (undated) – memorandum (unsigned); explaining the transactions made since arrival of the sum from Segrave via Douai; reiterating that the College is liable for a certain sum to the Irish missions, or to the Fr Assistant of Germany. (Italian)⁸³

ff. 112^v–113^v *Copy Altro conto* April 1642 – December 1643 – double-entry accounts sheet for Matthew Bale extracted from ledger including the entry of the *scudi* 600. (Italian)

f. 115^r *Credito del Mallonio* November 1641 – June 1643 – accounts sheet with sums to Rector William Malone's credit. (Italian)

f. 116^{rv} *Preteso sbaglio sopra detto deposito* 4 September 1642 – letter from Thomas Rubaeus SJ [treasurer] to Fr Eucherio Sartorio SJ, on the payment of a sum by Rector William Malone, Irish College, exchanged from Flemish currency. (Latin)⁸⁴

83 F. 114^v merely holds endorsement for the document.

84 F. 116^v contains summary sketch of the transactions.

f. 117r *Ordine per il pagamento di detto deposito* 30 December 1646 – 9 May 1647 – letter of credit by Rector Albergati to Fr William Malone [his predecessor] with subsequent entries by Malone and Paolo Ottolini – a sum of *scudi* 200 was paid first to Malone, then to Ottolini. (Italian)

ff 118rv, 123v *Relazione del Rettore Ottolino sopra detto Deposito* (undated) – memorandum by Fr Paolo Ottolini for Vincenzo Caraffa, superior general SJ, concerning the deposit made by Segrave with the Irish College. (Italian)⁸⁵

ff 119rv, 122v *Altra relazione* [1648] – memorandum (unsigned) for Vincenzo Caraffa, superior general SJ, detailing the financial transactions in the case. Further entries of 1667 state the conclusion of the matter by payments to the superior of the Irish missions, and to Fr Paolo Ottolini, provincial. (Italian)⁸⁶

ff 120v–121v *Copy Pagamenti fatti dal Mallonio* 20 August 1644 – letter from Henry Segrave, Waterford, to Rector William Malone, asking for restitution of his sum, mistaken for his cousin Bale's. Reference to other letters from Segrave, and from the superior [SJ] in Ireland (1643), to Malone. (Italian)

f. 124r *Pagamento fatto dal Collegio al Mallonio* 10 May 1647 – receipt from William Malone for the Irish College over a sum of 200 *scudi*; the remainder of a sum deposited by him, given to him by Fr Paolo Ottolini. (Italian)

f. 125rv *Pagamenti fatti in mano del P. Tommaso Rubeo* (undated) – letter from Thomas Rubaeus to [Rector ...]; having received 180 Flemish florins [from Malone]; about further investment. (Latin)

ff 126r, 127rv, 131v *Memoria del pagamento fatto dal Mallonio – Sfogo di detto deposito* 7 August 1648 – letter and copy letter from Bernardo Daveto, Rome, to [...], testifying that Malone followed the advice of Superior General Muzio in not giving Sedgrave the sum, but to have him be paid by the Irish mission. (Two documents) (Italian)

f. 128rv *Altra notizia circa la confusione nata per detto deposito* 25 January 1648 – Letter from Thomas Quin, Dublin, to Matthew Bale,⁸⁷ exhorting him not to consider the sum sent by Segrave as his. (Latin)

85 Mistaken foliation in *rubricella*, f. 113; originally foliated 112.

86 Mistaken foliation in *rubricella*, f. 114; originally foliated 113.

87 Identified by endorsement f. 122v.

f. 130^{rv} (undated) – notes (unsigned) dealing with [the settlement with Rospigliosi, and the background to the transaction in Zagarolo]. (Italian)

*Gabella del vino*⁸⁸

ff. 133^{rv}, 138^v [Copy] *Supplica del Collegio all'Eminentissimo Albani per ottener dalla dogana lo sgravio di scudi 16.80 della gabella del vino atteso l'esenzione concessa da [Clement XI] (sic)* (undated) – letter from the rector of the Irish College to Cardinal Albani, reminding them of the College's poverty and Clement XI's concessions. (Italian)

ff. 134^r, 137^v [Copy] *Altra ad Innocenzo X per ottener tutti i privilegj d'esenzioni degli altri Collegj Britannici* (undated) – letter from the rector of the Irish College to Pope Innocent X, asking for tax concessions such as given to the British and German colleges. (Italian)

ff. 135^r–136^v *Altra al Cardinale Corsini Tesoriere per l'esenzione del vino* (undated) – letter from the rector of the Irish College to Monsignor Corsini on tax concessions; stressing the sore plight of the Irish nation. (Italian)

Libreria

f. 139^r *Letter no. del P. Fabio Albergati, in cui discorre di alcuni Libri lasciati al Collegio* 24 September 1675 – letter from Fabio Albergati, 'Villa di Bologna', to [the rector of the Irish College], with directions as to books and a painting by 'Guido'; personal matters. (Italian)⁸⁹

f. 140^{rv} *Donazione del medesimo della sua Libreria al Collegio* (undated) – declaration by Fabio Albergati SJ of intent to donate his library (value c. 500 *scudi*) to the students of the Ludovisian College. Also directing that in case the [Jesuit] administration be ended, the books be turned over to the superior general and sold to benefit the Irish missions. (Italian)

f. 141^{rv} *Libri donati al Collegio dal P. Farnese* [1676] – memorandum (unsigned) recommending good record-keeping concerning book donations, singling out Fr Farnesi's donation (some of his books are prohibited and are kept separately); Albergati's books have not been taken possession of; mentioning donations by Monsignor Brenan and Pietro [Criveo] [Peter Creagh]. Also suggesting Guido Reni's picture could be sold; the harp ought to be kept; a register of students ought to be commenced. (Italian)

88 On taxes payable for wine [import to Rome]. Cross-reference is made in the *rubricella* f. 3^v to Liber 1, 'Esenzioni'.

89 On Albergati's donation see also *Irish College Rome 1628–1678*, pp 98–99; for later controversies around the books at the end of the Jesuit administration, see Liber viii, ff 24^r–284^v.

f. 142^rv *Libri donati al Collegio dal P. Paolo Shorlogo* (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) describing the efforts of Fr Paul Sherlock SJ of Waterford, Rector of the Irish College, Salamanca, to leave most of his books to a Jesuit college in Waterford – complaints from Salamanca prevented the bequest; after Sherlock's death matters are examined by superior general SJ Carrafa. (Italian)

ff 143^r–144^v [Copy] *Altra memoria de'Libri del P. Albergati* (undated) – petition (made 1773) from the rector of the Irish College to Pope [...]; asking for permission to consult the books deposited by Fr Albergati outside the library, pointing to the lack of markers in the books identifying them as Albergati's donations. Permission given 28 June 1709 by Clement XI, signed F. Oliverius. (Italian/Latin)⁹⁰

ff 145^r, 156^v *Licenza agli alunni di estrar Libri dalla libreria* (undated) – petition from the rector of the Irish College to Pope Benedict XIV (as above). Faculty given 8 January 1756. (Italian/Latin)

f [140] *Altra di Benedetto XIV* [Missing, or intended for previous document.]

ff 146^rv, 155^v *Altra di Clemente XI* (undated) – petition from the rector of the Irish College to Pope Clement XI (as ff 143–144); permission given 28 June 1709. (Italian/Latin)⁹¹

f. 147^rv *Catalogo de' Libri del P. Maurizio Mac* 25 April 1773 – list and comments by John Jackson, librarian of the Irish College, naming 16 books still extant from Maurice MacBrehun's donation to the College. (Latin)

[f. 142] *Nota di quelli lasciò al Collegio [detto Padre]* [missing, or intending f. 151 below – old f. 142 is now ff 148–149.]

ff 148^r–149^v (Undated) – inventory compiled by [...]; alphabetical list of donors, beginning with Albergati, listing numbers of donated books (12 from Albergati) and formats, with a total of 698 books. Also listing other libraries where some books were found again. (Latin/Italian)

ff 150^r–151^v (undated) – '*Donatorum Catalogus*' (unsigned); alphabetical list of donors (some fewer than in previous inventory). (Latin)

90 With notarial authentication of 1773.

91 Mistaken foliation in *rubricella*, f. 149; originally foliated 140.

f. 157^{rv} (undated) – [fragment] inventory of books left to the Irish College by Maurice MacBrehun (36 titles listed) of Kilkenny. Forming fragment of annalistic account of College history for year 1633; also dealing with student John de Courcey, and the taking of possession of the vineyard at Castel Gandolfo. (Latin)

f. 158^r *Breve di scomunica d'Alessandro VII sopra l'estrazione de' Libri* 25 January 1658 – papal brief threatening excommunication on the consultation of Albergati's books [outside the library]. (Latin)⁹²

f. 159^{rv} *Altra memoria de' Libri lasciati da detto Albergati* 17 Septmeber 1672 – letter from Fabio Albergati, Bologna, to Rector Sebastiano Bellucci, on further consignment of books and directions on how to dispose of them; remarks about other college affairs.

f. 160^{rv} 7 April 1773 – fragment inventory and statement (unsigned); concerning the compilation of an inventory with the help of Fr John O'Hely, St Isidore's; two titles listed at top of document. (Latin)⁹³

Memorie storiche

ff 161^r–164^v *Relazione del successo quando i Gesuiti furono ammessi nello Stato Veneto* 27 March 1657 – [...] – dossier of copy letters by Fr Camillo Rodengo [...]; a Venetian; [Aluise] Molin, Venice; Ludovica Aloysia [...] – the latter a Palatine official's daughter fled to convert to Catholicism. (Italian/Latin)

[f. 159] *Privilegj della [fù] Compagnia di Gesù* [missing]⁹⁴

ff 166^r–186^v *Congiura Ossuniana* 1623 – printed book by [Bartolomeo Tortoletti] '*Ossuniana Coniuratio qua D. Petrus Gyron Ossunae dux Regnum Neapolitanum ... sibi desponderat ...*' marked by hand '*Petri Farnesii*'. (Latin)

ff 188^r–189^v, 206^r–207^v *Copy Ricordi di Paolo Terzo al Cardinal Farnese* (undated) – memorandum (unsigned). Incipit: '*voi ci [havete] detto, che i Cardinali trattano del Papato,...*' Finit: '*e state uniti con il Cardinale Sant'Angelo, e con i nostri fratelli, perche non potete ricevere danno, se non dalla discordia, dalle male opere.*'. (Italian)

92 On membrane.

93 With notarial authentication [copy of former document executed by notary].

94 Note from Curran, 'missing 1 September 1927'.

ff 190rv, 205rv *Diverse proposizione erronee* [1662] fragment memorandum in four points on the exercise of power; incipit: '*di diversi Cattolici Romani, come è stato ultimamente proposto ad un Personaggio eminente nelle Leggi ...*'. (Italian)⁹⁵

ff 191r, 204v *Notizia d'un regalo fatto alla S. Casa di Loreto dalla Principessa Elisabetta Nugenzia* 16 December 1664 – receipt signed by three custodians of the Santa Casa, Loreto, for the Countess of Kildare, for the gift of pearls. (Italian)

ff 192r–203v *Osservazioni sopra la condotta tenuta dal Ministro di Portogallo nell'affare de' Gesuiti* (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) criticising Jesuit efforts in Portugal and the Americas. Incipit: '*che i Giudizi ancora più [solenni] de' Principi, sieno anche essi Giudizi umani, e per conseguenza fattibili ...*'. (Italian)

ff 208r–213v, 215v *Vescovi stati alunni nel Collegio Ibernese* (undated) – draft lists naming former students of the Irish College [1650–1736], originally with the intention to record those that became bishops; latter three documents (ff 211rv, 212rv and 213 rv) are accounts by two unnamed authors of their former fellow-students. Brief biographical sketches attached to most students; those named are: James Cusack, Peter Creagh, John Brennan, Hugh Macmahon, Oliver Plunkett, Bernard MacMahon, Roch MacMahon, James Gallagher, Thomas [Jerichs], Anthony MacMahon, Constantine Cassidy, William Dulany, James Reynolds, Matthew Kelly, John Douly [Doyle], Terence Gallagher, John O'Daly, Matthew Forstal, Constantine O riel [O'Neill], Hyacinth Bodkin, Michael Tyrrell, John Cassin, John Hanly, James Farrell. Roch MacMahon and Richard Reynolds are treated more extensively (f. 213rv); one author also speaks of the many Irish in exile in Paris whom he met while a student there. (Four documents) (Italian/Latin)⁹⁶

95 Endorsements f. 205rv state this was printed in London 1662.

96 See f. 293r, formerly wrapper for these documents; Pollen suggests they were written by [Rector Alexander] Roche about 1740, presumably an answer to Cardinal Corsini, and countering insinuations about the insufficiency of College training. Referring further to Liber xi, ff 54–61 and Liber xxv, ff 4–7.

ff 216r–221v, 224r–228v *Nascita vita, ed operazioni d'un tal Guglielmo Burke Prete Ibernese* (undated) – critical biographical sketches and copies of William Burke for the Irish clergy in view of his wish for appointment to the next vacant bishopric in *Conacia* (Connacht) in seven paragraphs and including contents lists; two append general appraisals (ff 224v and 227v). Points on his origins, studies in the Irish College, Lisbon, certain controversies, a period on the missions in the West Indies, his good intentions and efforts in Ireland; overall recommending him also on the basis of the good opinion of the Bishop of Ossory. (Seven documents) (Italian)

ff 222r–223r (undated) – petition from (unsigned) [Rector Alexander Roche] to [...] for attention of a person in whose power it is to grant the College a further pension. The College has by permission of Cardinal Imperiali nine students; arguing need of the grant for raising that number and improving College fabric to benefit the missions in Ireland. (Italian)

ff 230r–235v *Ragguaglio d'alcune turbolenze in una corte, che non si nomina* (undated) – report (unsigned) discussing the putative return of 'milord Invernesse' and its consequences; also the great influence of the queen on government of the realm. (Italian)

f. 236rv *Copy Lettera del gran Turco piena di fasto, ed orgoglio contro la cristianità* (undated) – letter from (unsigned) to [...] [Venice], complaining of aggressive acts reducing their mobility in the Mediterranean; mentioning the recent related death of the Sultana Zafira. (Italian)

ff 237r–237Av *Memoria d'un Crocifisso in Ibernia veduto colle Braccia aperte* [...] February 1666 – memorandum (unsigned) on the report given by 'Doctor Burghettus' of a miraculous movement of a cross in the town of 'Killocia' [Kilmallock], Ireland, in 1652. (Latin)

f. 238rv *Miracolo di S. Francesco Saverio* 4 February 1665 – report by Andreas Sallus, Dublin, on a miracle performed by St Francis Xavier and the Blessed Virgin, through two Waterford priests, William and Peter Baron; curing a severe illness [in Malines, Belgium]. (Latin)

ff 239rv and 246r *Copy Governo tenuto da Gesuiti ne' Collegi Irlandesi di Spagna* (undated) [1657] – report in ten points given by Fr John Ussher SJ, Prefect of Studies in the Irish College, Seville. Describing internal controversy in Jesuit order; the seminary's protest in 1657 against certain impositions intended by the provincial superiors. Adding the typical case of John Daly, an Irish priest imprisoned for his faith and then seeking refuge in Portuguese and Spanish seminaries. (Italian)

ff 240^{rv} and 245^r *Relazione dell' incendio di Londra* (undated) – report (unsigned) on the origins and spread of the Great Fire of London 1666; material destruction, suffering and unrest among populace. (Italian)

ff 241^{rv} and 244^r *Memoria sopra la fondazione della Chiesa di S. Ignazio* [1640s] – unfinished notes on the construction of the church, by year (1629–1637, intended up to 1643), from the laying of the foundation stone by Cardinal Ludovisi to the opening of the new stairs of the schools. (Italian)

ff 242^r–243^r *Dichiarazione del Re Giacomo terzo ai popoli della Gran Bretagna* 10 October 1720 – declaration by James III, Rome, to his people, concerning his return to the throne. (Italian)

ff 247^r–250^v *Laura Dottorale che si conferi[s]ce da Gesuiti* 26 August 1729 – certificate conferring doctorate in philosophy on Henry Marshall, in the name of Michael Angelus Tamburinus, superior general SJ. Two handwritten endorsements and stamp; reverse bearing [good wishes] in phonetic Irish. (Latin, Irish)

Notizie diverse

f. 251^{rv} [Copy] *Richiesta del Generale, che gli alunni partino la primavera* (undated) – order by [the superior general SJ] that on finishing their studies, students depart for the mission in springtime, not autumn; returning to usage under Rector Bargiochi. (Italian)

ff 252^r–257^v [Copy] *Ricordi dati al Cardinale Ludovisi da Gregorio XV* (undated) – personal account and observations by uncle for nephew, in 11 points, reflecting on his life and on good Christian actions. (Italian)

ff 258^{rv} and 272^v *Copy Precetti per l'elezione del Generale* (undated) – memorandum for attention of the Irish College, with rules for the election of the superior general SJ and other officials. (Italian)⁹⁷

ff 259^{rv} and 271^v *Copy Danni sofferti dal Collegio per ricevere alcuni pellegrini* (undated) [c.1670] – copy translation memorandum [James O'Reilly SJ]. (Italian)⁹⁸

97 F. 272 contains endorsement only.

98 See original (English) Liber xxvi, ff 55–59, and other copy translation (Latin) Liber xx, ff 48–49 and ff 82–85.

f. 260r *Il Collegio in custodia de' Gesuiti* (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) on a problem of admission of students to the Irish College on which point assistance was sought from the superior general SJ, Paolo Oliva; stating the College was turned to the care of the Jesuit fathers in 1629. (Italian)

f. 261rv *Denari lasciati al Collegio dall' Arcivescovo Cassalense* 12 March 1655 – note by William Salinger, Cashel, on moneys received from Archbishop Walsh and distributed further. (Latin/English)

ff 262rv, 269r *Memoria riguardante il Collegio data in Cong[regazio]ne dell'Eminentissimo Protettore* li 9 June 1772 – agenda for a meeting with administrators of the College, concerning economical matters. (Italian)

ff 263rv, 268v *Ricordi dati da Gesuiti alla Provincia Romana l'anno 1690* (undated) – circular report signed Alessandro Zampi, for all rectors participant in the recent meeting of the province, on points of good administration, discipline and worship. (Italian)⁹⁹

f. 264rv *Misura di terreni* (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) on Italian units of measurement (length and area). (Italian)¹⁰⁰

f. 265r *Nota di alcuni alunni Cresimati* 10 December 1721 – list furnished by Dom Antonio Pescina, secretary [...], naming four students who received confirmation; including John Higgins, student of the Irish College, and his *padrino* Giacomo de Laicij [Bishop's name not given]. (Italian)

f. 266r *Iuspatronato del Collegio* (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) on the Ludovisi family's rights of patronage over the College since the brief by Innocent X in 1647; stating they have never made use of this, for instance by nominating students. (Italian)¹⁰¹

f. 273rv *Letter ai vescovi d'Irlanda del 1782* 22 November (no year) – memorandum (unsigned) about a letter from the Cardinal Protector to Bishops Myland [Moylean] and Bourke of Kerry and Kilkenny [and Bishop John Butler of Cork], directing them to send a student each to the Irish College, Rome. (Italian)

99 F. 268r contains the endorsement only.

100 F. 264v contains the endorsement only.

101 See the series of documents in Liber i, ff 108r–175r.

ff 275rv, 279r–280v *Nota di diversi alunni venuti e partiti* [1725/1726] – notes [draft report] on four students staying at the College for some months as candidates for the order [Society of Jesus]; listing expenses incurred and pleading for restitution on the grounds of the College's poverty and other expenses. The students are Thomas Brennan, John Reilly, Clement Kelly, Patrick Colgan. (Italian)¹⁰²

ff 276rv, 278rv *Fondazione del Collegio de'Maroniti* (undated) – [fragment] memorandum on the origins and early history of the Maronite College, with regard also to the administration and premises occupied by it. (Italian)

f. 277r *Foglio di varie memorie in diverse materie* 1620–1625 – chronicle (unsigned) listing certain liturgical celebrations performed for each year, beginning with the foundation of the *Congregazione de' Sacerdoti*, ending with a reception at the Collegio [Romano] of Prince Leopold. (Italian)

*Quadro Originale del Guido Reni*¹⁰³

f. 281rv *Letter del P. Albergati, che donò detto quadro* 25 September 1675 – letter from Fabio Albergati, Bologna, to [...], stating the provenance of a picture of the *Salvatore appassionato* by Guido Reni, now at the Irish College; it came from a friend of the painter, Signore Saul; further comments. (Italian)

f. 282rv *Altra del medesimo sopra detto quadro* [June] 1671 – letter from (unsigned) [Fabio Albergati], Bologna, to Rector Michael Jordan [giving permission to sell the painting by Guido Reni]. (Italian)

f. 283rv *Altra enunciando la vendita di detto quadro* 19 October 1675 – letter from Fabio Albergati, Bologna, to Rector [Gerlamo] Gandolfi, on possibility for sale of the painting by Guido Reni; glad the College is not in need of this now. (Italian)

ff 284r–286r, 289v *Tre Fogli in lingua spagnola sopra un interesse del detto Padre* February–[December] 1620 – notes on a financial matter signed by Giovanni Battista [Tola], and others. (Italian)¹⁰⁴

102 See the similar expense account in Liber xxiii, ff 167r to 172v.

103 See ff 294r–297r, formerly wrapper for this file, entitled by Pollen 'Letters of Father Albergati SJ [in] relation to the pictures of Guido Reni a) The Crocifisso b) Salvatore appassionato. Donated to the Irish College'. Further listing content of three letters 1671–1675.

104 F. 289v merely contains endorsement.

Liber V

Case

Rubricella (ff 2r–5v)*Casa Rosolini* [and one document for Arco de’Pantani]

ff 7r–12v Copy *Instrumento di vendita di detta Casa fatta da Evandro Conti a favor di Girolamo Rosolini* [21] February 1608 – deed of sale by Marchese Evandro Conti of a part of his courtyard to Rosolini, also concerning access to water. (Italian)

[f. 7] *Instrumento di vendita della medesima casa fatta dal Rosolini a favor del Collegio*¹⁰⁵

[f. 15] *Alta notizia di detta vendita*

ff 13r–14v Copy *Instrumento di quietanza di [scudi] 2,250 fatta da detto Rosolini a favor del Collegio* 22 August 1640 – notarial receipt from Rosolini over a sum received from the College. (Latin)

[ff 18–23] *Instrumento simile per altra rata di prezzo di detta Casa*

ff 15r–16r [Copy] – 14 August 1640 – statement by Lucrezia Ricasoli Contessa di S. Secondo who bought property on Piazza S. Isidoro from the Irish College in 1636; the sum has been otherwise invested for the College; arrangements for transferring the sum to Rosolini from whom the College had bought another property. (Italian)

ff 17r–22v, 27r–32v [Copy] *Instrumento simile dell'intero pagamento* 3 February 1667 – [memorandum] signed Domenico Ottolini SJ, Rector of a *domus probationis* of S. Andrea on the Quirinal; details of his purchase of the Irish College’s vineyard in Castel Gandolfo as part of the College’s efforts to pay its debt to Rosolini for the purchase of property in Torre de’ Conti for 10,000 *scudi*. (Italian)

ff 23r–26v *Conto di tutti li denari pagati al Rosolini tanto per il prezzo che per i frutti della sudetta casa* 13 March 1773 – excerpts from College financial accounts concerning the payments made by the College to Girolamo Rosolini 1639–1667 for the property in Via Baccina at Tor de’ Conti. (Italian)

105 Excepting the copy *Instrumento*, the following file of documents was separated and three are now in the loose leaves below, LL/Liber v/ff 6r–14 and 18r–23r.

f. 33v *Nota di altri denari pagati al detto Rosolini per la detta Causa* [22 August 1640] – note on financial transactions 1636–1640 for the purchase from Rosolini. (Italian)

f. 34r *Ricevuta della spesa per l'archivio occorsa nella compra fatta dal Collegio di detta casa* 2 August 1642 – receipt from the archivist at the Urban [College] archives for a sum obtained from the Irish College. (Italian)

f. 35rv *Foglio di notizie diverse sopra una casa di Catarina e Maria Castelli venduta a Luca Berrettini per [scudi] 900* 26 March 1693 – list of legal contracts made following the sale of a house at [Arco de' Pantani] in 1677. (Italian)¹⁰⁶

f. 36r *Memoria sopra la Fontana del Giardino* 10–18 March 1698 – memorandum on works executed [at the Castel Gandolfo vineyard]. (Italian)

ff 37r–88v *Numero 30 fogli di ricevuta del sudetto Rosolini a favor del Collegio per il pagamento di frutti del prezzo della sudetta casa* 1642–1667 – receipts from Rosolini for payments of various amounts by the College. (33 documents) (Italian)

ff 89r, 101v *Alcune condizioni del March.[ese] del Grillo fatte al Collegio per la mutazione della forma del tetto da farsi dal detto March.[ese]* 28 June [1774] – contract signed by Marquese Onofrio del Grillo relative to changing fabric of his property, adjacent to the College. (Italian)

ff 90r, 100v *Concordato fra il March.[ese] del Grillo e il Collegio* 3 April 1676 – Contract signed by Rector Gandolfi, Cosimo del Grillo, and witnesses, concerning the two adjacent properties. (Italian)

ff 91rv–99rv *Vendita di due casette ed uno stanziolino fatta dal Collegio al March.[ese] del Grillo* 5 December 1768 – memorandum signed by accountant and [notary], regarding the sale by the College to the Marquese del Grillo of two houses and a small upstairs room, for 1,056 [scudi]; the water from the property of the [Dominican] sisters. (Italian)

ff 92r–93r *Misura e stima di un casamento posto nel vicolo che dal Grillo conduce a Strada Bauina* 25 February 1773 – valuation by order of Cardinal Marefoschi and with permission of the Marquese del Grillo, of College property bounded by the Dominican sisters, a house of the Marchese bought from the Irish College four years previously, and Marc'Antonio [Meloni], at scudi 12,958 [to be divided in half]. (Italian)

106 See related documents below, ff 143r–151v.

[f. 102] *Pianta della medesima Casa* [missing]

f. 94r 3 May 1840 – shoemaker's receipt [out of place]. (Italian)

ff 95–102 [end-papers]

ff 103r, 123v *Misura dell'appoggio concesso al detto Marchese del Grillo* 10 June 1676 – valuation of a supporting wall bought by the Marchese from the College. (Italian)

f. 104r *Copy Stima del detto stanziolino* (undated) – valuation made for the Marchese del Grillo of a small room belonging to the Irish College, giving on to a courtyard of a house belonging to him, at *scudi* 31. (Italian)

ff 105rv, 121v *Misura di una Casetta che volea (sic) comprare detto Marchese* 9 March 1676 – valuation of a house belonging to the College, bounded by the Marchese's and the College's property, giving on to the street, at *scudi* 1,323. (Italian)

f. 106r *Altra stima del sudetto casamento per il prezzo di [scudi] 6,267* 2 May 1773 – revaluation made by order of Cardinal Marefoschi of College property (as ff 92–93), marking its diminished value for the bad state of the property. Additional note (a different hand) – the wall leading from the College's to the Marchese's courtyard (with the fountain) belongs to the College. (Italian)

ff 107rv, 119r *Altra [medesima] delli sudetti casamenti venduti al detto Marchese/ Acqua* 5 December 1768 – memorandum for the Irish College on the sale of property to the Marchese del Grillo; also detailing the agreement reached over mutual use of the Acqua Felice, coming from the Campidoglio, and of water coming from Santi Domenico e Sisto. (Italian)

ff 108rv, 118v *Capitoli per la stipolazione dell' instrumento di vendita delle dette due Casette* (undated) – memorandum for the Irish College suggesting conditions of sale regarding especially a supporting wall, and the use of water. (Italian)

f. 109r *Dichiarazione a favore del sudetto Marchese fatta dal Rettore del Collegio in occasione che fu posta una catena nel muro del Collegio* 13 February 1703 – undertaking by Rector Naselli for the Marquese del Grillo; liability for any damage to del Grillo's property while repairing their wall following an earthquake. (Italian)

ff 110^{rv}, 116^v [Copy] *Condizioni fatte dal Marchese del Grillo in occasione che voleva alzare una nova stanza* (undated) – contract between Marchese Cosimo del Grillo and the Irish College concerning a new construction behind the Irish College. (Italian)

f. 111^v (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) with points about the Marchese's property, potential water damage. (Italian)

f. 112^r *Altra dichiarazione del detto marchese sopra il medesimo affare* 31 July 1674 – statement signed by Cosimo del Grillo, concerning works reinforcing his walls, on agreement with Rector Bellucci. (Italian)

ff 113^r–114^v; 124^{rv}, 135^{rv}; 125^{rv}, 136^{rv} [Copies] *Ragioni del Collegio contro il Marchese del Grillo sopra le pretenzioni della casa* (undated) – notarial memorandum by the Irish College and the Marquese del Grillo, for [...] de Asse at the *Romana Expensarum*; drawing up grievances and accusations first registered by the parties in September 1684. (Three documents) (Latin)

f. 126^v *Concessione fatta dal detto Marchese al Collegio di potere aprire una finestra* 28 April 1674 [endorsement 1679] – memorandum on the permission given by Marchese Cosimo del Grillo to Rector Bellucci for opening a window giving from the refectory onto his courtyard. (Italian)

ff 127^{rv}, 134^v *Notizia circa il medesimo affare* (undated) – draft statement (unsigned) [from Marchese del Grillo], promising compliance with agreements reached with Rector Bargiocchi, regarding a shared wall. (Italian)

ff 128^v, 133^{rv} *Nota de pigionanti del Collegio* 22 September [1October] 1694 – list of six lodgers renting rooms from the College adjacent to it; rent ranging from 80 *baiocchi* to 1.40 *scudi* monthly, excepting Francesco Maria Carafa, Prince of Belvedere (100 *scudi* per annum for apartment and coach house). Also containing memorandum (unsigned) suggesting means to secure *viatica* for students. (Italian)

f. 129^r [Apoca] *d'affitto d'una stanza situata tra il Palazzo del Grillo e il Collegio* 16 January 1763 – rental agreement between Rector Nowlan SJ and Francesco Fortunati Corazza who rents a room from the College on behalf of Domenico Ferraris and family. (Italian)

ff 130^r–131^v *Nota di spesa rifatta dal Collegio al Tribunale delle Strade* 26 February – 11 December 1742 – promissory note and receipts for a sum paid by the College to the *Tribunale* for maintenance works. (Italian)

f. 137^{rv} *Mandato spedito contra Giuseppe Alberti per pigione di casa 3*
December 1765 [7 January 1766] – [copy] reminder note for [Augusto] de
Bonis è Bomduel alias Giuseppe Alberti, a lodger of the College. (Latin)

f. 138^{rv} *Altro simile contra il medesimo* 7 July 1763 – [copy] reminder note
(as above). (Latin)

f. 140^{rv} *Altro de evacuando contra il sudetto* 5 May 1764 – eviction note
signed by notary for [Augusto] de Bonis è Bomduel alias Filippo Transalice
for non-payment of rent to the College. (Latin)

f. 141^v *Conto delle spese occorse nella causa contro il march.[ese] del Grillo* 28
March 1686 – bill and receipt from [...] de Aste at the *Romana Expensarum*
for the College for fees in the case against the Marchese. (Italian)

f. 142^{rv} *Notizia di certo denaro che il detto Marchese deve al Collegio per*
le case (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) concerning *scudi* 1,056
owed by the Marchese del Grillo to the Irish College for acquisition of
property.¹⁰⁷ (Italian)

Casa ai Pantani¹⁰⁸

ff. 143^r–146^v *Instrumento d'acquisto fatto di detta casa da Mattia ed Ottavia*
Castelli [26 May] 1693 – deed of sale by Mattia and Ottavia Castelli to
Luca Berrettini of the Casa Arrighi at the Arco dei Pantani from for *scudi*
900. (Italian)

ff. 148^r–151^v *Altro instrumento di cessione di detta casa in cui si fa vedere essere*
stata venduta detta casa ad un tal Luca Berettino 26 May 1693 – certificate
for the sale (as ff. 143–146). (Italian)

Casa in Via Baccina

f. 152^r *Copy Instrumento di vendita di detta casa fatta dal Collegio Ibernese*
a favore del Collegio Fuccioli (undated) – deed of sale by the College to the
Collegio de'Santi Giovanni e Carlo (Collegio Fuccioli) of a house for 800
scudi; use of the house is to remain with the Irish College. Additional
statement that the Irish College used the sale for a debt with Rosolini.
(Italian)

¹⁰⁷ Written on back of draft application by Rector Creagh for various clerical indulgences.

¹⁰⁸ See also list of 1693, misfiled f. 35.

Casa a Piazza Morgana ossia Casa Iacovacci 1639–1711

f. 153^rv *Memoria dell'acquisto di detta casa fatta dalla Depositoria Urbana* (undated) – memorandum concerning property acquired by the *Depositoria Urbana* in 1681 from the *Congregazione de' Nobili*; reference to the purchasers' obligation to Monsignor Scarinci, and the inheritance of the house by Paolo Enelfi. (Italian)

f. 154^rv *Altra memoria riguardante detta casa* [1654] petition (unsigned) from Marchese [...] to the Irish College, for removal of certain obligations placed on properties in Monti: for the College's purchase of a house in Piazza Morgana from Marchese [...] and Signore Iacovacci on 19 January 1639 the College is obliged to revoke the legal ties after 15 years. (Reverse holds [later] endorsement, crossed out, stating that Rector Rocca [Roche] has refused the Marchesa Muti his agreement on properties in Monti.) (Italian)

ff 155^r–189^v *Copies Instrumento di vendita di detta casa fatta ai PP. di S. Maria in [Portico] Campitelli* 19 January 1639 – deed of sale [assignment of property] of a house on Piazza Morgana by Signore Iacovacci to the Irish College, for *scudi* 2,650; bulk of payment from College's debtor Lucrezia Ricasoli de Baroni. Detailed arrangements for investments to be made for Iacovacci; these can be called in by him or his heirs after 15 years. (Two documents) (Italian, with marginal headers in Latin)

ff 191^rv, 214^v *Copy Altra notizia per detta casa* 19 September 1710 – 7 April 1711 – petition from the Marchesa Laura Muti Rocci to the Congregation of Bishops and Religious, concerning properties in Monti held by the College, wishing to ask the latter to revoke the legal ties. Reply signed Cardinal Carpineo granting permission. (Italian/Latin)

ff 192^v–193^r *Ricevuta del Notaro Rinaldi per un' rogito della compra di una casa* 17 May 1640 – receipt (f. 193^r) and copy from notary for Rector Malone on payment of his fee. (Two documents) (Italian)

ff 194^r–195^v *Ricevuta del Sensale che operò per la compra delle Case Rosolini e Iacovacci* 30 March 1639 – receipt (f. 195^v) and copy from Settimio Fantozzi, broker, for the Irish College, on payment of his fees. (Two documents) (Italian)

ff 196rv, 211rv *Altra memoria sopra la provenienza della Casa Jacovacci* (undated) – memorandum (unsigned), drawn up for Signore Iacovacci's heirs and concerning the contract with the College; referring to judicial cases [up to 1708]. Later additions signed by Rector Alexander Roche; he follows former Rector Imperiali in not ceding their right on the properties in Monti. (Italian)

f. 197r *Altra memoria simile- Luoghi di Monte*¹⁰⁹ 27 December 1710 – statement by Rector Michele Imperiali, ceding the College's rights on the half of an obligation to the present owner, Marchesa Muti Rocci. (Italian)

*Casa a S. Isidoro*¹¹⁰

ff 198rv, 209r *Memoria come fu venduta detta Casa* (undated) – memorandum titled 'Casa e Villa', noting Rector Ford's sale of a house near St Isidore's to the Contessa Lucrezia di S. Secondo in 1636, and Rector Malone's sale of a villa in Castel Gandolfo to Fr Giovanni Paolo Oliva in 1670. (Italian)

f. 199rv *Altra simile* (undated) – memorandum on the sale by the College of a house near St Isidore's on Monte Pincio to the Contessa Ricasoli de Baronis in 1636; the full payment was effected by 1637. (Latin)

f. 200v *Ricevuta di spesa occorsa per la licenza di detta vendita* 17 May 1769 – receipt from [notary] for the College on payment of fees. (Italian)

ff 201r–208r *Copy Instrumento di Compra di due Case a S. Isidoro fatta dal Collegio* 23 December 1632 – deed of sale by Rocco Pasquino of Siena, painter, of two houses near St Isidore's, partly inhabited by the Irish College, to the Ducessa Lavinia Albergati de Ludovisi Fiano, for scudi 1,800. (Latin)

ff 215r–225r *Copy Instrumento di vendita di detta casa fatta dal Collegio a favore di Lucrezia [Ricasasa] de Baronis* 9–16 May 1636 – deed of sale by Rector James [Forde] of a house on Monte Pincio to Contessa Lucrezia Ricasoli di S. Secondo for scudi 2,250; added approbation from the superior general SJ. (Latin)

109 *Luoghi di Monte* were bonds; these were either *vacabili* (vacatable or non-transferable, where the original capital was lost after the death of the lender, drawing higher interest rates), or *non-vacabili* (capital and interest transferable to another person after death of the lender, drawing a lower rate of interest).

110 See the deed of sale of 1634, misfiled ff 234–241.

Casa al Vicolo di Gesù e Maria (and one document on the house near St Isidore's)

ff 227r–228v, 246r *Perizia di detta Casa 8* [January] 1737 – valuation for Rector Alexander Roche, of a house belonging to the College in Campo Marzo [Vicolo d'Orsini], at 1,070 *scudi*. (Italian)

ff 229r–230v, 245v *Discrizione di detta Casa* (undated) – memorandum and copy with full description of house with two apartments in the Strada Orsini; brief history including its donation to the College by James III in 1734. (Two documents) (Italian)

ff 231r–232v, 243v *Altra Perizia della sudetta Casa 8* [January] 1737 – Copy valuation (as ff 227–228/246). (Italian)

[f. 239] *Aggiudicazione di detta Casa fatta a favore di Giacomo III Re d'Inghilterra* [missing]

f. 233v *Notizia che detto Re cedette al Collegio detta Casa* (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) on damages caused to the College by the fact that lodgers in the house bequeathed by James III found it haunted and refused to pay rent; added expenses of maintenance. (Italian)

[f. 241] *Concessione di detta Casa a favor del Collegio* [missing]

ff 234r–241v *Instrumento di Liberazione di canone di cui era gravata detta Casa 18* March 1633 – deed of sale by Baron Ferdinando Ursino of a house near St Isidore's to the College for *scudi* 900; reference to Ducessa Lavinia Albergati de Ludovisi Fiano's patronage of the College; subscription by Ducessa Fiano '*per il [Principe] mio Fig.[li]o*'. (Latin/Italian)

f. 248r *Obligo del Muratore di fare una Rimessa in detta Casa 7* August 1747 – 2 January 1748 – undertaking and receipts from craftsmen for work in the house in Vicolo Orsini. (Italian)

ff 249v, 261r 18 May 1742 – bill and receipt from the *Tribunale delle Strade* for the College for works carried out beside the church of Gesù e Maria. (Italian)

Numero 9 Poliza (sic) d'affitto [della sudetta casa] Leases for various houses
f. 250v 11 May 1774 – rental agreement between the College and Domenico Malpieri who rents a coachhouse situated below the College for *scudi* 8 annually. (Italian)

f. 251v 30 December 1764 – rental agreement between the College and Giuseppe Morghen who rents a coachhouse and two rooms situated below the College for *scudi* 18 annually. (Italian)

f. 252v 13 July 1772 – rental agreement between the College and Giuseppe Astolfi who rents an apartment in Vicolo di Gesù e Maria for *scudi* 18 annually. (Italian)

f. 253v 14 July 1772 – change of contract between the College and Luigi Napolioni for an apartment in Vicolo di Gesù e Maria; visitator Cardinal Marefoschi ordered reducing the rent to *scudi* 20 annually. (Italian) (see ff 257–258)

f. 254v 13 July 1772 – rental agreement between the College and Giosepepe Overtt who rents a coachhouse below the house in Vicolo di Gesù e Maria for 7 *scudi* annually. (Italian)

f. 255r 26 May 1760 – rental agreement between the College and Simplicio Morettini and wife who rent two rooms below the Irish College at 7 *scudi* annually. (Italian)

ff 256r, 259v 5 November 1770 – rental agreement between the College and Giuseppe Morghen who rents a coachhouse below the College for 20 *scudi* annually. (Italian)

ff 257v–258r 13 July 1772 – rental agreement between the College and Luigi Napolioni who rents an apartment in Vicolo di Gesù e Maria for 22 *scudi* annually. (Italian)

Liber VI

*Vigne Pars I**Rubricella* (ff 2r–5v)

f. 13rv *Notizia del possesso preso della vigna detta dal Cardinale Cibo* 14 January 1731 – letter from Giovanni Battista [Neys], Castel Gandolfo, to [Irish College], having taken possession of the vineyard. (Italian)

f. 14rv *Lettera concernente la permuta col sudetto Eminentissimo* 13 [November] 1733 – letter from Giuseppe Abegasti to Rector Alexander Roche, on business with Cardinal Cibo. (Italian)

ff 15rv, 28rv *Licenza data dal Cardinale Imperiali per detta permuta* 12 November 1734 – letter from Cardinal Cibo to Cardinal Imperiali, about his exchange with the College, concerning a field. (Italian)

ff 16rv, 27v *Altra memoria sopra detta permuta* 29 January 1735 – letter from Filippo Giovannangeli, Castel Gandolfo, to Fr Giambatista Nese, Irish College, concerning the exchange with Cardinal Cibo whereby the College gains a vineyard and small field. (Italian)

f. 17r 2 June 1734 – note from Cardinal Imperiali for the College, asking on behalf of Cardinal Cibo why they do not adhere to the contract. (Italian)

ff 18rv, 25v *Copy Supplica data [dal Cardinale Cibo] alla Sagra Congregazione de' Vescovi e Regolari per detta permuta* (undated) – letter from the College to the Congregation asking for permission for the exchange of land with Cardinal Cibo. (Italian)

ff 19r–23v [Copy] *Risposta alle obiezioni che si facevano dal Rettore del Collegio per detta permuta* (undated) – memorandum [draft deed] by [Cardinal Cibo] with proposals for the exchange. (Latin with marginal entries in Italian)

f. 29rv (undated) – notes [memorandum and reply] (unsigned) for Rector Alexander Roche, and for Simone Benettendi, regarding business (as f. 96). (Italian)

ff 30v, 46v *Misure della Vigna Cibo* 5 January 1737 – measurement by surveyor Marconi of land at Castel Gandolfo given to the College by Cardinal Cibo, at 947 *canne*. (Italian)

f. 31rv *Canone che gravava la vigna Cibo* 4 January 1735–15 January 1738 – memorandum (unsigned) on the legal transfers between Cardinal Cibo and the College. (Italian)

ff 32rv, 45r *Affrancazione di essa* (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) for the Irish College, describing negotiations between the College and Cardinal Cibo until taking possession on 13 January 1735. (Italian)

ff 33rv, 44r *Fruttato della medesima* 1757 – notes (unsigned) on the proceeds of the vineyard from Cardinal Cibo; comparison with field given to him. (Italian)

ff 35r–41r, 43v *Nuove ragioni per paure del Collegio per non fare detta permuta* [1734] – statement and petition by the College for Cardinal Cibo; detailing reasons for not selling him their field. (Italian)

ff 47r–48v, 59r–60v *Replica a dette ragioni nuove* 14 June 1734 – letter from Cardinal Cibo to Signore A. Zecco, Genzano, for Cardinal Imperiali, responding to the objections from the Rector of the College; enclosing summary of the rector’s objections. (Two documents) (Italian)

ff 49rv, 58r Copy *Instrumento di possesso in vigor della segurtà permuta* 14 January 1735 – notarial deed *permutatio bonorum* between the College and Cardinal Camillo Cibo, regarding land in Castel Gandolfo. (Italian)

Altre memorie riguardanti detta permuta (four documents below ff 50–54)]

f. 50rv 2 November 1734 – letter from Luca Niccolo [Tesso], Genzano, to [...], concerning the exchange of lands between Cardinal Cibo and the College. (Italian)

ff 51rv, 56r 15 December 1734 – letter from Giovanni [Sozii] to [...] about the matter of land between Cardinal Cibo and the College; Cardinal Imperiale has approved the contract. (Italian)

f. 52r 13 November 1734 – note from Cardinal Imperiali to the rector of the College; enclosing Cardinal Cibo’s response. (Italian)

ff 53r–54v 1 November [...] – letter from Alessandro della Rocca to [...] offering his opinion on the offer from Cardinal Cibo. Also offering prayers from student Peter Creagh, now safely returned to Ireland. (Italian)

*Canneto*¹¹¹ o *Salceto* (and one document on the vineyard from Cardinal Cibo)

f. 61v *Notizie diverse sopra detto canneto* (undated) – memorandum on the *salceto* o *canneto* (cane-field) which was given in emphyteusis but later on freed; other locations. (Italian/Latin)

ff 62r, 73r *Misura del medesimo* 26 March–20 May 1696 – measurement of a field at S. Sebastiano, Castel Gandolfo, for the Irish College at 560 *canne*; receipt from surveyors. (Italian)

f. 63rv *Canone di cui è gravato* 1 February 1737 – letter from G. Maria Martelli, Castel Gandolfo, to Rector Alexander Roche, reporting on agriculture and the new field. (Italian)

f. 64r *Altra misura del medesimo* 25 January 1730 – measurement by Paolo Faschi, surveyor, of a field at Castel Gandolfo bounded by the Strada Romana and the Padri di Monte Citorio for the Irish College. (Italian)

ff 65r, 70 v *Obligo di Antonio Cavosi di scassarlo* 9 February 1696 – undertaking by Antonio Carosi for working the field of Fr Tomasso Eustachio. (Italian)

ff 66r–68r, 69v *Copy Istromento di Transazione tra il Collegio e Gaspare Paolonio sopra la lite per detto canneto* 13 December 1681 – settlement between Gasparo Paolonio and the Irish College, in a controversy over certain lands in Castel Gandolfo. (Latin)

ff 74r, 81v *Foglio preventivo a detto instrumento* 24 September 1680 – undertaking by [Rector] Gandolfi SJ and Gaspare Paolonio to abide by decision taken by [Pio Domenico Corradi] regarding their differences; unrelated expenses sheet (f. 81v). (Italian)

ff 75r–80v [Copy] *Altro Istromento di concordia tra detto Paolonio e Camilla Renavelli per detto canneto* 10 November 1685 – deed (as listed); later endorsement (f. 80v) identifies the field in question with that sold to the College by Paolonio. (Latin/Italian)

f. 82r *Supplica al Papa per dare in enfiteusi detto canneto* (undated) – petition by the College to the Pope to give Paolonio a field in Castel Gandolfo in emphyteusis. (Italian)

111 *Canneto* can be translated as ‘cane-field’, but the crops seem to have been diverse, including vines.

f. 83^{rv} 12 January 1735 – letter from Giovanni Battista Neys, Castel Gansolfo, to [Rector of the Irish College]; understanding with Cardinal Cibo over land in Albano. (Italian)

ff 84^r–88^v, 91^r–95^r *Lavori fatti per scassare detto canneto* 11 February – 11 May 1702 – letters from Giovanni Battista Contini, caretaker, to Rector Naselli, informing him of work carried out on the cane-field. (Six documents) (Italian)

ff 89^r–90^v *Misura dello scassato* 20 April 1702 – measurement and map by Michel Angelo Falchi, surveyor, of a field in Castel Gandolfo, at 496 *canne*. (Italian)

f. 96^{rv} (undated) – notes [memorandum and reply] (unsigned) for Rector Alexander Roche, and for Simone Benettendi, regarding business (as f. 29). (Italian)

f. 97^v (undated) – fragment letter from the College to Pope; brief notes (unsigned). (Italian)

Vigna fuori di Porta S. Sebastiano

f. 98^r–105^v *Minuta di commissione per tentare il Salviano sopra detta vigna (undated)* – memorandum (unsigned) entitled ‘Romana’. (Latin)

f. 99^v *Altra memoria come sopra di detta vigna vi era un censo imposto a favore del Collegio* (undated) – memoranda (unsigned) on the ownership of the vineyard, and a liability placed on former owner Arrighi in 1697. (Italian)

ff 100^r–101^v, 103^r–104^v *Copy Istromento di possesso di detta Vigna* 7 June 1776 – deed of conveyance of a vineyard from Antonio Maria and Vincentio Brogi to the Irish College. (Latin)

f. 102^{rv} *Altre Memorie sopra detta Vigna* (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) on the College’s past interest in a vineyard near church of S. Sebastiano; their information about its proceeds; arrangements for conveyance. (Italian)

f. 105^{rv} *Come detta vigna fusse ceduta al [Sevatti]* (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) on the conveyance of the vineyard from Lucrezia Arrighi to Gabrielle [Sevatti] in 1709. (Italian)¹¹²

¹¹² Cross-reference is made here to Liber ix.

Vigna delle Colonnelle

f. 106r^v *Informazione del Cardinal Vicario a favore del Collegio per effettuare la compra della medesima* 4 July 1736 – letter from Cardinal Vicar [...] to [Irish College], approving of purchase of a new vineyard, given that the wine produced at the other has detracted from the students' health. (Italian)

ff 107r, 120v *Stima di detta Vigna* 16 June 1736 – valuation made for Rector Alexander Roche of a vineyard belonging to Conte Vespignani, at 65 *scudi*. (Italian)

f. 108r^v *Perizia della Spesa che vi vuole per ridarla in buon stato* 16 June 1736 – estimate made for Rector Alexander Roche of the expenses necessary on the property, at 141 *scudi*. (Italian)

f. 109r *Pianta della Vigna [delle] Colonnelle* 9 April 1737 – property map by surveyor Marconi of vineyard Le Colonnelle belonging to the College; indicating surrounding properties, road and lake; yearly 'canone' [tax]. (Italian)

ff 110v, 117r *Altra* (undated) – map sketches (unsigned) of vineyards Le Colonnelle and La Palombara [La Vignola], indicating cultivation. (Italian)

f. 111r *Stato di detta Vigna nel 1757* 16 November 1757 – report by two surveyors on the vineyard in Le Colonnelle which they found in a poor state. (Italian)

f. 112r^v *Altra simile* 2 December 1757 – report by caretaker Giuseppe Penna for the Irish College, on the bad state of their vineyard. (Italian)

f. 113r *Foglio per l'effettiva vendita di essa da farsi dal Conte Vespignani* 21 March 1736 – undertaking by Vincenzo Vespignani to sell one vineyard to the College for 60 *scudi*, and permit them to work another. (Italian)

ff 122r–127v, 129v *Copy Istromento di vendita della medesima* 14 July 1736 – deed of sale of vineyard Le Colonnelle in Castel Gandolfo by Conte Giovanni Vincenzo Vespignani to the College. (Italian)

ff 130r^v, 135r *Istromento di Possesso* 18 July 1736 – deed whereby the College takes possession of vineyard 'delle Colonnelle'. (Latin)

ff 131r–134v *Decisione della Sacra Rota ... per una lite sopra detta vigna* 24 April 1733 – decision by the Sacra Rota of the case *Romana Legatorum* on the will of Catherina de Vecchis, in favour of her son Conte Vespignani. (Latin)

f. 136^{rv} *Memoria sopra [altra] vignola acquistata dal Collegio da detto Vespignani* (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) on expenses entailed by purchasing vineyard ‘delle Colonnelle’; the wine is of high quality. (Italian)

ff. 137^r, 138^v *Notizie sopra il vino famos[o] della detta vigna Vespignani* 29 June 1736 – statements, one from the caretaker of the ‘Vigna delle Colonnelle’, on the superb quality of the wine. (Two documents) (Italian)

Altre Vigne

ff. 139^{rv}, 142^{rv} *Dichiarazione del Padre Ottolini dell'requisto di due vigne pro persona nominanda* 20 January 1667 – statement from Fr Ottolini on the acquisition of two vineyards from Elisabetha Samminiata. (Latin)¹¹³

ff. 140^r–141^r *Copy Nomina per la vigna sotto Castello da Elisabetta Seminiata il Padre Generale* 20 January 1667 – undertaking by Fr Domenico Ottolini regarding the acquisition of a vineyard. (Latin)

f. 146^r *Bilancio delle vigne del Collegio* 22 May 1739 – statement on the financial status of three vineyards belonging to the College (*Vigna di Casa, Vigna delle Colonnelle, Vignola*). (Italian)

ff. 147^{rv}, 152^v *Copy Istromento di possesso della vigna comprata dal Padre Carzio Sisti Rettore del Noviziato* 9 December 1678 – deed whereby [the College] takes possession of a vineyard from the Jesuit novitiate of S. Andrea; reference to a vineyard of Oliver Plunkett (f. 147^r). (Latin)¹¹⁴

ff. 148^r–151^r *Copy Entrata, e spesa delle vigne* 1647–1658 – extracts from financial accounts made by Rector Cuccagni. (Italian)¹¹⁵

f. 153^v *Altro simile* 1680–1683 – extracts from financial accounts with earnings from a vineyard; comments on expenses (as f. 166^r). (Italian)

f. 154^{rv} *Notizia per migliorare la vigna* 12–20 May 1719 – memoranda, one signed Michel Angelo Tamburini, with suggestions on augmenting College income in several ways. (Italian)

f. 155^v *Assegna delle vigne del Collegio* (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) concerning assignment of properties to the College. (Italian)

¹¹³ With a notarial authentication of 1773.

¹¹⁴ With notarial authentication of 1773.

¹¹⁵ With notarial authentication of 1773.

f. 156rv *Cattiva coltura delle vigne* (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) for the College on the bad state of a vineyard between Castel Gandolfo and Albano. (Italian)

ff 157rv, 160rv Copy *Entrata della Vigna dal 1642–1643* (undated of copy) – extracts from financial accounts with earnings from a vineyard. (Italian)

ff 158r–159v *Memoria e pianta della Fontana della Vigna* 26 May [1743] – letter from [Piacchino], Castel Gandolfo, to Rector Alexander Roche, on prospect of laying water duct to their vineyard; including plan. (Italian)

f. 162r (undated) note (unsigned) on content of Liber VI upon search for documents on the Fontana Vecchia. (Italian)

ff 164r–165r (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) on the situation regarding use of the public fountain in Castel Gandolfo. (Italian)

f. 166r 1680–1683 – [fragment] extracts from financial accounts with earnings from ‘other vineyards’; comments on expenses (as f. 153v). (Italian)

ff 167r–168v, 175r–176r *Ricevuta di quello andava creditore il vignajolo Pongiardi* 25 February 1758 – statement and receipt (and copy) from Pietro Antonio Pongiardi, caretaker of three College vineyards; new agreement regarding his work (signatures of three witnesses). (Two documents) (Italian)

f. 169r *Pianta della Vigna di Faustina Folchi presentemente canneto, e oliveto* 1 April 1734 – property map by surveyor Marconi of a vineyard at Castel Gandolfo; indicating surrounding properties and road to Albano; measurement. (Italian)

ff 170r–173v *Descrizione di due vigne una quarto la Casetta Territorio d’Albano, altra S.[Fumia] territorio di Castello* [undated] – memorandum concerning [three] vineyards at Castel Gandolfo. (Italian)

f. 177r *Piante di diverse vigne* (undated) – property map (unsigned) with three vineyards owned by the College in [Castel Gandolfo]: *Le Colonelle* (near a dry lake), one unnamed, and *Vignola* (both near Lago di Castello), indicating surrounding properties and landmarks. (Italian)

f. 178r *Altra pianta della Vigna del Collegio* (undated) – property map (unsigned) with vineyard [largest of the three above] bounded by Strada della Fontana, Strada della Mola, and the road Rome-Albano. (Italian)

ff 179r, 192v *Perizia delle vigne quarto la Casetta e quarto S. Fumia* (undated) – memorandum with inventories for two vineyards at Albano, and one in Castel Gandolfo; listing yearly *canone* [tax]. (Italian)

ff 180v, 191r *Pianta d'altra vigna* (undated) – map sketch of unidentified vineyard. (Italian)

f. 181r *Vigna quarto il Laghetto* 3 November 1702 – valuation (unsigned) of a vineyard (ownership not listed). (Italian)

f. 182r 22 April 1643 – valuation (unsigned) of the *Vigna antica degl'alberi* (location and ownership not listed). (Italian)

f. 183r *Altra pianta contrada la Palombara* 28 September 1740 property map by surveyor Marconi of vineyard owned by the College at *Palombaro*, Castel Gandolfo, indicating surrounding properties and road; yearly *canone* [tax]. (Italian)

ff 184v–187v *Pianta della vigna comprata da Benedetti vocato Picciani* (undated) – map sketches of a vineyard at Castel Gandolfo bought from Benedetti. (Italian)

ff 193r–194v, 201r–202v *Istromento di vendita di detta vigna* 14 March 1626 – deed of sale by Fabrizio [Pandis] of a vineyard at Secciaro, Castel Gandolfo, to [P. Paschali]; listing encumbrances. (Latin)

ff 195r–199v *Copy Canneto o salceto donato dalla R.[everende] E[minenza] per moto proprio di Gregorio XV* 1 April 1623 – deed of assignment of lands at Castel Gandolfo by the Pope to Cardinal Ludovisi. (Italian)

ff 203r–219r *Copy Istromento di transazione tra Ludovico Panizza Domenico Gismondi, ed Elisabetta Seminiana per una lite fra loro* 25 September 1666 – deed concerning two vineyards at Castel Gandolfo. (Italian)

f. 221rv *Istromento vendita delle vigne comprate dal Padre Ottolini pro persona nominanda* 20 January 1667 – memorandum by [Monaldi] for the College, on sale by Domenico Ottolini SJ of three vineyards, two bounded by College property (buyer not named). (Italian)

ff 222r–224r *Memorie sopra detti contratti* (undated) – memoranda (unsigned) listing transfers of property by the College 1666–1667, including sale of a vineyard to Domenico Ottolini in 1667. (Italian)

ff 225r–251r *Copies Istromento di vendita della vigna del Collegio* 31 January 1667 – deed of sale by the College of a vineyard at *Fontana del Giardino*, Castel Gandolfo, to Domenico Ottolini SJ, Rector of S. Andrea, Quirinal.¹¹⁶ (Two documents) (Latin/Italian)

ff 252rv, 269rv *Copy Istromento di possesso della vigna lasciata dal Cardinale Ludovisi al Collegio* 22 January 1633 – deed of conveyance of property at Castel Gandolfo by Princess Lavinia Albergati to the students of the Irish College by will of her nephew Cardinal Ludovisi. (Latin)

[f. 231] *Memoria delle facultà concesse d’Alessandro VII per vender la vigna* [missing- listed for same folium as document below]

ff 253rv, 268v *Vigna Arrighi* 21 November 1717 – letter from Francesco Bussi to [Irish College] seeking clarification concerning ownership of a vineyard [unrelated endorsement on f. 268]. (Italian)

ff 254r, 267v *Perizia de’ danni fatti dal Marzelli nella vigna la Fontana Vecchia* 16 April 1782 – valuation of damages done at the College’s vineyard [by Lorenzo Marzelli]. (Italian)

f. 255r 1 April 1765 – notarial statement concerning business between the Irish College and Pietro Antonio [Piangiardi]. (Latin)

ff 256r–257v *Piantagione fatta da’ Gesuiti nella Vigna* (one dated) April 1773 – statements from [vineyard caretakers] about the cultivation of a vineyard, Castel Gandolfo, belonging to the Jesuits and once in the possession of the College.¹¹⁷ (Two documents) (Italian)

ff 258rv, 263v *Inventario delle scritture delle Vigne* (undated) – list (unsigned) of legal documents pertaining to the vineyard left to the College by Cardinal Ludovisi. (Italian)

ff 259r–262v *Surrogazione del Panizza d’una casa in luogo d’una vigna venduta* 4 April 1667 – deed of conveyance of land in Castel Gandolfo [near College property] between Torquato Panizza and S. Andrea, Quirinal.¹¹⁸ (Latin/Italian)

116 With notarial authentication of 1773 for one document f. 234v.

117 With notarial authentications of 1773.

118 With notarial authentication of 1773.

f. 271r [Vignola data in solutum al Collegio da Gesuiti] [endorsement for a document containing measurement of the vineyard of Fontana Vecchia; on reverse of a fragmented proclamation by the French Republic, in print.]

f. 272rv *Altra memoria sopra detta dazione in solutum* (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) on the transfers of vineyards to Fr Ottolini, one (*Fontana del Giardino*) from the College for *scudi* 6,000, partly paid by exchange for a lesser (*Vigna d'Alberi*). (Italian)

ff 273rv, 285r (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) on the history of the vineyard left to the College by Cardinal Ludovisi, later sold to the novitiate of S. Andrea in a state of bad repair. (Italian)

f. 274rv *Libertà, ed esenzione del canone della medesima and Censo per la Comunità di Cerreto* (undated) – memorandum for [...] and Francesco Pacifici [College notary] on the exemption from yearly *canone* [tax] of a vineyard; figures for 1775–1776. (Italian)

ff 275r–284v (undated) – file concerning the employment of caretakers for the College vineyards, with three contracts (for Baldi, Botti, Contini) and description of duties in the context of usual proceeds. (Four documents) (Italian)

f. 287rv *Capitoli per dare a mezzo la vigna* (undated) – conditions listed by the College for giving vineyard to a *mezzarolo* [tenant paying rent with half his proceeds]. (Italian)

ff 288r–292v, 299rv *Riflessione per lavorare la vigna* (one dated 1646) – memoranda concerning best practice in working in the vineyards. (Three items). (Italian)

ff 293r–298v *Inventario delle robbe della Casa della Vigna* 30 December 1678 – inventory of house in Castel Gandolfo.¹¹⁹

ff 300r–308v, 311r–312v *Copies Mezzaria della vigna* 8 November 1650 – deed of conveyance of a vineyard at Castel Gandolfo by the College to Ottavo [Conti] in tenancy as *mezzarolo*. (Two documents) (Italian)

¹¹⁹ With notarial authentication of 1773.

ff 309r-310v Copy *Supplica al Cardinal Corsini acciò s'interponesse presso il Papa per Liberar la Vigna dal Canone* (undated) – petition from the Irish College to Cardinal Protector Corsini asking for exemption from the yearly *canone* [tax] for their three vineyards at Castel Gandolfo. (Italian)

f. 313rv (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) giving reasons for the College's request for lowering their yearly *canone* [tax] for the vineyard *Le Prata*. (Italian)

ff 314rv, 317rv (undated) – memoranda (unsigned) requesting review of the College's property in regard to payment of yearly *canone* [tax] (Italian)

ff 318r-319v 1 May 1783 – copy measurement by surveyor Marconi of College vineyard in *Le Prata*, Castel Gandolfo, on the Strada della Mola, at 2 *rubbie*; loss of territory for enlargement of roads. (Italian)

f. 320r (undated) – memorandum on the loss of tillable land at the College vineyard after 1774. (Italian)

ff 322r-323r 2 May 1783 – report from [College agent] to the Irish College on the good state of their two vineyards in Albano, and the third they propose to buy. (Italian)

ff 324r-330v (undated) – memoranda (unsigned) with notes on extent and history of ownership of College vineyards. (Five documents) (Italian)

Liber VII

*Vigna Pars II*¹²⁰

Rubricella (ff 2r–4r)

f. 15r 7 September 1838 – bill and receipt for sum paid by [Irish College] for Fr Patrick Costello's transportation to the Ospedale de'Dementi in Perugia. (Italian)

ff 17r–18r Copy *Istromento di possesso della Vigna Sicciana* 12 March 1622 – deed concerning Cardinal Ludovisi's vineyard at Castel Gandolfo. (Italian)

ff 19r–26v *Conto di spese fatte per la fabbrica della Casa della Vigna e pianta* (undated) – plan and memorandum concerning a fountain left to the College by Cardinal Ludovisi (the accounts are not extant); a letter [unrelated] of 1726 from Giovanni Battista Candela. (Four documents) (Italian)¹²¹

ff 27r–45v *Spese fatte per migliorar la vigna della casetta* 1655–1675 – financial accounts and valuations of works carried out at the vineyard at Albano. (Eight documents) (Italian)¹²²

ff 46r–47v, 56rv Copy *Istromento di ratifica della permuta d'una vigna fatta tra l'Eminentissimo Fondatore e Viviano Viviani* 2 April 1622 – deed of conveyance of land between Cardinal Ludovisi and Viviani. (Latin)

ff 48r–54r Copy *Istromento di detta permuta* 12 March 1622 – deed (full version, as ff 17–18). (Latin)

ff 57r–59v, 72r–73r Copy *Istromento di donazione d'un sito con fontana fatta dalla R. C. [et.] all'Eminentissimo Fondatore* 26 May 1623 – donation from Gregory XV to Cardinal Ludovisi of vineyard on the Strada della Mola. (Latin/Italian)

ff 60r–69v Copy *Simile della vigna detta il Giardino della Fontana* 2 September 1621 – donation from Gregory XV to Cardinal Ludovisi of vineyard on the road from Rome to Albano. (Latin/Italian)

120 Most of these documents were marked, if not authenticated, by notary Thomas Laudini.

121 With notarial authentication of 1773.

122 With a notarial authentication of 21 July 1773

ff 75r–77v, 84rv Copy *Altro simile d'un pezzo di terra ad uso di Pascolo* 19 June 1623 – confirmation of donations to Ludovisi [and arrangements for management]. (Latin/Italian)

ff 78r–82r Copy *Procura dell'sudetto Eminentissimo per stipular l'istramento d'accettazione della Vigna detta il Giardino* 26 August 1621 – donation from Gregory XV to Cardinal Ludovisi of the vineyard *Giardino della Fontana*. (Latin)

ff 87r–90v, 97r–98r Copy *Istromento di compra della Vigna Benedetti* [1624] – [deed] of purchase by [Gregory XV] of a vineyard from Paschalis de Benedetti. (Latin)

ff 91r–94v Copy *Affrancazione del Canone della Vigna* 4 December 1621 – further deed concerning the *Giardino della Fontana*. (Latin)

f. 95r (undated) – memorandum concerning legal challenges in 1655 by the College's neighbour Giuseppe de Benedetti, Castel Gandolfo, over the vineyard with the fountain. (Italian)

ff 101r–153v *Conti di spese della fabrica nuova* [1657–1679] – financial accounts and bills concerning works carried out on the vineyard at Albano. (Four documents) (Italian)

ff 154r–183v, 188v–217v *Iura diversa per la lite avuta con Marco Arronio per la prelazione della compra della Vigna della Seminiati – diversi pagamenti fatti da detta Seminiati – Transazione tra la detta Seminiati, [e cortantino] di lei fratello* [1628–1672] – file of memoranda, legal summaries, accounts, regarding a case of litigation over vineyards in Castel Gandolfo, firstly between the heirs of Pasquale de Benedetti, and then between one heir, Marco Arronio, and the Jesuit novitiate house. (20 documents) (Italian)¹²³

f. 184r *Diversi pagamenti fatti alla R.C. per il canone della vigna* 16 December 1667 – two receipts from [...] (tax official) for canone [tax] from Oliver Plunkett for two vineyards in Castel Gandolfo (Italian) [belonging with other receipts ff 348–426].

ff 185r, 186v *Altre scritture rapporto al sudetto Canone* [April 1667] – letter from the Panizzi brothers and Domenico Gismondi, to the Treasurer General [...]; complaint against Bracci, tenant of two vineyards formerly their own (*delli Prati* and one in Secciano), now belonging to the Irish College. (Italian)

123 With notarial authentication of 1773.

ff 218r–247r, 257v *Miscellanea delle vigne esistenti in Castel Gandolfo* [1653–1681] – file of memoranda, legal papers, Camera Apostolica writ (1681), expenses sheets, concerning ownership and management of the vineyard of the Jesuit novitiate, and of those called *La Palombara*, *La Torretta* [and others]. Including references to vineyard of Oliver Plunkett (ff 228v, 229v).¹²⁴ (12 documents) (Italian/Latin)

ff 248r–249v, 256v *Istromento di Donazione della vigna Seminiati fatto dal Generale de' Gesuiti a favore del suo noviziato acciò fosse data in solutum al Collegio Ibernese* 30 January 1667 – donation of two vineyards. (Italian)¹²⁵

ff 250r–254v, 258r–260v (undated) – memoranda concerning vineyards of the Jesuit novitiate S. Andrea. (Five documents) (Italian/Latin)¹²⁶

ff 261r–276r *Libro della cantina di Castel Gandolfo* 1695–1707 – accounts by caretaker Berardi concerning production of wine and oil at the *Vigna Grande*, Castel Gandolfo. (Italian)

ff 280r–321v *Scritture diverse sopra i miglioramenti fatti dal Collegio Ibernese nella vigna Seminiati* April–July 1667 – file of memoranda, financial accounts, receipts, concerning improvements at the vineyard.¹²⁷ (18 documents) (Italian/Latin)

Memorie sopra la lite avuta con Marzelli per l'acqua (and one unrelated document) ff 322r, 331v 9 March 1781 – letter from Camillo [Ghoberti] to [...] DeDominicis, chancellor, summarising status quo between the College and Marzelli after the suppression of the Jesuit order. (Italian)

f. 323rv *Fatto informatico sopra detta Causa* (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) detailing history of the vineyard *Fontana del Giardino*, sold to Marzelli by the College and now object of litigation because of the water source. (Italian)

ff 324r, 329v *Spese fatte in occasione dell'accesso per detta Causa* (undated) – list of expenses for legal act of visitation of the vineyard. (Italian)

124 There are three, likely four references to Oliver Plunkett in relation to a vineyard, or vineyards, in Castel Gandolfo; See Liber VI, ff 147–152 and Liber VII, f. 184r (a tax is paid for two vineyards in 1668 and 1669) and f. 229v (mentioning a receipt for Plunkett's vineyard). Liber VII, f. 228v mentions one 'Oliviero Pranchetti' as one of many paying taxes for the vineyards of the novitiate of S. Andrea, but this is likely a phonetic approximation of the same name.

125 With notarial authentication of 1773.

126 Partly with notarial authentication of 1773.

127 With notarial authentication of 1773.

ff 325rv, 328v *Spese fatte per bonificar la vigna controversa* 24 February 1656 – memorandum on [legal expenses]. (Italian)

ff 326v–327r, 332r–333v, 346r–347v *Spese della Vigna e cantina dal – Altre per anni undici* 1744–1754 – double-entry accounts and plea for usefulness of the vineyards, listing proceeds from wine, oil, and fruit; also listing damages caused by Spanish troupes in 1745 (f. 326). (Italian)

Memorie del taglio fatto nella vigna per la costruzione della nuova Strada Appia

ff 334r–335v (undated) – memoranda on the loss of land from the new road leading to the Palazzo Apostolico, Castel Gandolfo. (Two documents) (Italian)

ff 336rv, 343rv *Danni sofferti dal Collegio per detta strada* (undated) – estimate of financial damages for loss of land. (Italian)

ff 340rv, 342v *Biglietto del Presidente delle strade all'Eminentissimo Salviati* (2 July 1781 – letter from Monsignor de Pretis to Cardinal Salviati, promising the College compensation for damages. (Italian)

f. 338r *Compra d'un torchia per la Vigna* 1 December 1782 – receipt for the College on the purchase of a wine press. (Italian)

ff 339r–340v *Memoria sopra detto taglio* (undated) – memoranda on the loss of land in 1774 on building new road to Naples; compensation awaited; case with Marzelli still pending. (Italian)

ff 348v–426r *Pagamenti del Canone della Vigna* 1661–1674/1704–1774 (years incomplete) – receipts and letters of debit concerning payment of taxes on the College's vineyards in Castel Gandolfo (*delle Colonnelle, la Palombara, della Prata*, two fields, as f. 348v), with some payments made by the College to its tenants [for the authorities]. (55 documents) (Italian) [last 17 folia missing]

[f. 429] *Pagamenti del Canone della Casa al Vicolo di Gesù e Maria* [missing]

Liber VIII¹²⁸*Vigna Pars III**Rubricella:* (folium ante 1)

Comments: The most obvious explanation for this volume being at the Propaganda Fide archives is that the entire College archives were moved to the Propaganda in 1798, and that this remained there when the Irish College was re-founded in 1826.¹²⁹ Liber II, however, also missing, is not at Propaganda.

Abstract: This volume contains documents compiled for the cases of litigation against the Jesuits in the 1770s just after their suppression, and setting out to give evidence of their alleged malpractice in managing the College. This list sets the standard for all following volumes with predominantly legal contents, giving the titles and an overview of points of discussion, without, however, attempting to give details of the legal advice and summaries. For the legal dossiers often appended to the case (*summaria*) we list only one or two documents. The overall impression is that the College's claim is still open when the compilation of documents finishes, and that the Jesuits' claim for the books may be legally valid, but that a) restitution is too difficult to implement because of the mix-up of books which, after all, it would have been the Jesuit rectors' duty to prevent (f. 122v); and that b) the Jesuit superior never took the trouble to appear [in person, before the lawyers] nor to send the procurator general in proxy (f. 255r).

128 This volume was believed missing in 1963, but was discovered by Matteo Binasco in May 2008 at the APF, in the series *Scritture riferite nei Congressi, Collegi vari*, vol. 40. It was listed in July 2008 and April 2009. The series *Scritture riferite nei Congressi* (SC), comprise in 1,451 volumes those documents that were of secondary importance for the Congregation, and not discussed in their general meetings (*congregazioni*), but were brought before their weekly meetings (*congressi*). They are most precious from a historical point of view, with reflections on the daily life of the missions. There are two subseries: the first contains letters from the missions and contains one volume (45) on Ireland 1625–1892. The second has material referring directly to the Congregation or institutions dependent on it, and is divided by subject matter; within the group *Collegi Vari* there are three volumes concerning the Irish College (vols 34, 40, and 41). Only volume 40, as listed here, stems directly from the Irish College archives. For volume 34, see Appendix ii below. In the Propaganda Fide it is entitled [*Collegio*] *Irlandese (Archivium Collegi Hibernor.-Roma)*. See Nicholas Kowalsky and Joseph Metzler, *Inventory of the historical archives of the Congregation for the Evangelization of Peoples* (Rome, 1988), pp 48–9.

129 A report drawn up by Pollen in 1896 on the Irish College archives quotes a certain Fr Armellini in whose opinion the Irish College archives were brought to Propaganda Fide during its closure and were not all restored – *non omnia restituta, sed Jesuitica apud Propaganda fuisse retenta*. A certain Fr Ehrle doubted this, however. See Irish Jesuit Archives, Dublin, ICOL/ROM/8 (1).

ff 11r–9v³⁰ *Memoria della lite avuta dal Collegio co' Gesuiti avanti la Congregazio]ne deputata da Clemente XIV* (undated) – legal case and opinion-document (unsigned) for the College. Discussing in detail the history of the College with emphasis on the detrimental financial management by the Jesuits. Expressing opinion that following the suppression of the order, the College would do harm by appealing against the Camera Apostolica, now in charge of former Jesuit property; favouring an appeal to the Pope. Regarding legal action over the water at the small vineyard now belonging to Lorenzo Marzelli, recommending an inspection be carried out. (Italian)

ff 11rv, 21r *Copy Supplica al Papa data dal Collegio per gli aggiunti a detta Congregazio]ne con favorevole rescritto* 25 May 1773 – petition from the College to Clement XIV (through the Cardinal Visitor), regarding an impending decision by the commission specially called to judge the College affairs which is to include Cardinal Marefoschi, Monsignori Millo, Mannelli, Spinelli and Sersale; asking for clemency as regards legal expenses. (Italian)

ff 12r–14v, 18v–20v (undated) – copies of petition from the rector and students of the College to Pope Pius VI (through the Cardinal *Pro-Uditore*), describing difficulties arising from the legal case pending against the Jesuits, now suppressed, about their management of College property; hoping for end to litigation and asking help in attaining compensation. (Three documents) (Italian)

ff 15rv, 17v *Supplica al Papa de' Gesuiti per rimettere, ed unire la causa de' Libri coll'altra della Vigna* 15 February 1773 – petition from the superior general SJ to Clement XIV, asking for justice regarding the library of Fabio Albergati SJ, willed to the College with the distinct wish that it remain only as long as the Society of Jesus manages the College.³¹ (Italian/Latin)

f. 16r *Diachiarazione (sic) del Generale de' Gesuiti di non avere altre scritture del Collegio* 24 February 1773 – certified statement by superior general SJ Franchini for the commission headed by Cardinal Marefoschi, declaring he is not in possession of further documents concerning the vineyard. (Latin)

130 There is no f. 10.

131 With endorsement by auditor J. de Simone, referring to a papal audience on 21 January. This petition was printed in an appendix of one of the *restrictus facti* documents below, f. 123r.

ff 22r–23r *Due Piante delle Vigne*

Copy map [1773] of an original by Girolamo Masi (undated).¹³²

Title: *Pianta e disegno del Giardino della Fontana dell' Ill[ustrissi]mo et Re[verendissi]mo S. Cardinale Ludovisi posto in Castel Gandolfo.*

f. 22r A colour map of the vineyard of Cardinal Ludovisi in Castel Gandolfo (*Giardino della Fontana*), and the two smaller vineyards purchased in addition (one from the 'Arciprete', one from Mgr Viano), with parts of the surrounding properties, and indicating the walled town of Castel. Measuring 11 *rubbie* and 3 *quarte* in total. Sketching various edifices on the property, including a large fountain on the border of the property, an *orticello* (both roughly north), the *Palombara* vineyard and traces of two Roman remains (*anticaglie*) (all west). Neighbouring properties of Pasquale de' Benedetti (roughly northwest), Tomaso Sei (southeast), Onofrio Fraboni (east). Scale: not given. Measurement unit: 100 *canne Romane*. (Italian)¹³³

Two maps seemingly of the same property but from different periods [1773].¹³⁴

1) Title: *Pianta, e disegno del Giardino della Fontana dell' Ill[ustrissi]mo e R[everen]d[issim]o Sr[...] Card.[inale] Ludovisio posta in Castel Gandolfo*; also including the smaller vineyards listed above, same measurement as above.

2) (Smaller map) Title and index: *Indice della presente nuova pianta 5 Aprile 1773*. Broken up into vineyard proper (7 *rubbie*), olives (1–2 *rubbie*), 'cane' (2 *scorzi*), everything else including buildings (2–2–3–2 *rubbie*), amounting to 14–1–1–2 *rubbie*. Measured and compared to the older map, signed by *perito agrimensore* Domenico Rondelli.

Two colour maps of the vineyard of Cardinal Ludovisi in Castel Gandolfo, and the two smaller vineyards purchased in addition; one contemporary to the bequest to the College, the other of 1773. Surrounding roads are named Strada da Castel Gandolfo (roughly east), Strada di Roma ad Albano/Via Appia (roughly west), surrounding properties of Pasquale de' Benedetti (northwest).

132 This map folds out to 71x49cm; authentication of this copy 16 April 1773.

133 A *canna Romana* corresponds to circa two metres and a half. For measurements see Christopher Kleinhenz, *Mediaeval Italy: an encyclopaedia* (London, 2004), p. 1163.

134 This map folds out to 69.5x54.5 centimeters. There is no indication of the sale of the Ludovisian vineyard in 1667 although the map on f. 22r and the second on f. 23r should postdate the sale.

f. 23r Scales: 1) 100 *canne Romane*; 2) 100 *staioli Romani*.

Scritture della lite avuta avanti la sudetta Cong[regazio]ne Deputata

ff 24r–284v 1774 legal publications (printed) deriving from the special commission¹³⁵ created by Clement XIV headed by Cardinal Marefoschi, and Monsignori Millo, Mannelli, Spinelli and Sersale, to examine two cases: 1) the case of the Irish College against the superior general, procurator general, and the house of the novitiate of S. Andrea on Monte Quirinale, Society of Jesus, claiming compensation for their house and vineyard through mismanagement by the Society; 2) the case of the Society of Jesus against the College in claiming restitution of books donated to the College by Fabio Albergati.¹³⁶

ff 24r–118v 1773 Special papal commission *Restrictus Facti & Iuris*, case title *Romana refectionis damnorum & nullitatis contractus*, signed by lawyer Capocchiani and by Pacifici, in 107 points that fall into four ‘*dubii*’, discussing the College’s claims for compensation for loss of property and resultant loss of income; with added memoranda¹³⁷ on the size of the vineyards and on Ludovisi’s expenses in the acquisition and transfer of the property. Related dossier [appendix] 5 March 1773: *Summarium*¹³⁸ with 50 documents. First document: (12 January 1773) letter from Archbishop Carpenter of Dublin to Cardinal Marefoschi, asking continued assistance to College. Last document: (undated) extracts of account by last Jesuit Rector Petrelli on the visitation by Cardinal Imperiali in 1719. (Latin/Italian)

ff 119r–124v 1773 Special papal commission *Restrictus facti & iuris*, in the case *Romana praetensae restitutionis librorum*, signed by lawyer Capocchiani and by Pacifici, in 15 points, discussing the claim for restitution of Albergati’s books to the Society of Jesus, giving negative opinion. Related dossier [appendix] 11 March 1773: *Summarium*¹³⁹ with four documents. First document: (undated) petition from procurator general SJ to the pope.¹⁴⁰ Last document: (1709) petition from the rector to Clement XI to withdraw threat of excommunication from those withdrawing Albergati’s books from the library.¹⁴¹ (Latin/Italian)

135 *Sacra congregatio particolare a Sanctissimo Domino nostro PP. Clemente XIV ...*

136 The *rubricella* for the original Liber xiv (see loose leaves below) shows some parallels to documents contained here.

137 *Specchi dimostrativi*, ff 54r–57r.

138 *Summarium*, ff 58r–118r.

139 *Summarium*, ff 123r–124v.

140 As above, ff 15r and 17v.

141 See Liber IV, f. 158r.

1773 Special papal commission *Ristretto di Fatto e di Ragione* in the case *Romana praetensorum damnorum, et laesionis, nec non restitutionis bibliothecae*, signed by lawyers Cedri, Grisei, Miselli, and by Colizzi, in 95 points that cover five *dubii*; discussing claims by the College against the Society of Jesus for compensation for the sale of their house and vineyard, and for restitution of Albergati's books.

ff 125r–175r Related dossier [appendix] 1773: *Sommario*¹⁴² with 41 documents. First document: memorandum by Cardinal Ludovisi (undated) on finding accommodation for the College close to St Isidore's for ease of access by the Franciscan administrators. Last document: (1658) donation by Fabio Albergati SJ of his books to the College, and conditions. (Italian/Latin)¹⁴³

1773 Special papal commission *Restrictus factis et iuris in secunda propositione*, in the case *Romana praetensorum damnorum, et nullitatis contractus et praetensae restitutionis librorum*, signed by lawyer Capocchiani and by Pacifici, in 124 points that cover five '*dubii*', in further discussion of the two cases.

ff 176r–214v Appended dossier 1773: *Summarium additionale*¹⁴⁴ – with eight documents. First document: memorandum (undated) on the quantity of all properties given to the College by Cardinal Ludovisi. Last document: (1626) sale of a vineyard by Joannes Dandis to Paschali de Benedictis. (Latin/Italian)

1773 Special papal commission *Restrictus factis et iuris*, in the case *Romana praetensorum damnorum, et laesionis, nec non restitutionis bibliothecae*, signed by lawyers Cedrus, Grisei, Miselli, and by Colizzi, in 103 points that cover five '*dubi*', discussing the claims by the College against the Society of Jesus for compensation for the sale of their house and vineyard.

ff 215r–241r Appended dossier 1773: *Summarium*¹⁴⁵ with two documents. First document: (1773) statement by land surveyors on the average yield of vines on one *rubbia* of land. Second document: (1667) deed of donation of a vineyard by P. Oliva SJ to the Jesuit novitiate house. (Latin/Italian)

1773 Special papal commission *Ristretto di risposta di fatto, e di ragione*

142 *Sommario*, ff 154r–175r.

143 With some marginal pencil markings and various dates, all 1910, by the then Rector Michael O'Riordan, see f. 136r.

144 *Summarium*, ff 211r–214v.

145 *Summarium*, ff 242r–243v.

con sommario annesso e foglio dimostrativo, in the case *Romana praetensorum damnorum et laesionis, nec non restitutionis bibliothecae*, signed by layers Cedri, Grisei, Miselli, and by Colizzi, in 60 points that reflect the previous five ‘*dubii*’, discussing the College’s claims for loss of property, and the Society’s claim for Albergati’s books; with added memorandum¹⁴⁶ containing a valuation of Ludovisi’s vineyards.

ff 244r–261r Appended dossier [1773]: *Sommario*¹⁴⁷ with two documents. First document: memorandum (undated) on the amount of non-student lodgers at the College. Second document: (1773) statement by land surveyors on their means of valuating land. (Italian/Latin)

ff 262r–277v 1773 Special papal commission *Restrictus responsionis facti et iuris*, in the case *Romana refectionis damnorum, nullitatis contractus et praetense restitutionis librorum*, signed by lawyer Capocchiani and by Pacifici,¹⁴⁸ in 76 points that cover five *dubii*, in further discussion of the two claims. (Latin)

ff 278r–284v [1773 Special papal commission] *Animavversioni di fatto, e risposte alli contrarj documenti* [title page missing, no signatories] in 22 points, discussing the documents furnished by the Society of Jesus, and general difficulties in judging the case of the alienated vineyards. (Italian)

f. 286r 14 April 1773 – manuscript note from Cardinal Marefoschi to [...] requesting consultation of documents regarding the lawsuit of the College. (Italian)

ff 287r–345v (undated) manuscript draft *restrictus* (unsigned)¹⁴⁹ in 50 points that cover five *dubii*, in discussion of the two claims. (Latin)

ff 346r–347v *Spese occorse per detta causa* 15 March 1774 – extract from financial accounts made by accountant Foli with the expenses the College had by the lawsuit against the novitiate from April 1773 to March 1774; total of 438 *scudi*. (Italian)

¹⁴⁶ *Foglio dimostrativo*, ff 258r–261r.

¹⁴⁷ *Sommario*, ff 260v–261r.

¹⁴⁸ Before entering the legal discourse, they severely reprimand their colleagues for having used the vernacular *ut ita etiam Mulieres sua praetensa gustarent Jura* (f. 262r).

¹⁴⁹ This is titled ‘*Per il Collegio [ai] Gesuiti*’; in format and style it belongs with the *restricti facti* above.

Liber IX*Vigna Pars IV**Rubricella* (f. 2r)*Lavori fatti nella Vigna negl'infrascritti anni*¹⁵⁰

ff 1-23^{or} *Entrata ed uscita dell'anno 1635 – Lavori* [giving years] – 1635–1778 (with gaps) – balance sheets, receipts and bills by caretakers and workers, letters of debit by the College, lists of duties carried out, reports and letters by caretakers, concerning the management, cultivation, and maintenance of the College vineyards in Castel Gandolfo. Including list of damages done by Spanish militia camping in the vineyard (undated, f. 14r); three series of letters from caretaker Giacomo Martelli 1738–1740 (ff 122r–126r, 130r–132v, 137r–141v). Receipts and other documents usually signed by the vineyard workers, bricklayers, and carpenters issuing them. (124 documents)¹⁵¹

150 Cross-reference is made from a payment documented on f. 227v to the relevant section in Liber vi (ff 98–105).

151 The final document of 18 August 1778 is signed by a priest, Carlo Marazzi, on behalf of his brother Pietro, a bricklayer working for the College, (f. 230r).

Liber X

Rubicella (ff 3r–6r)

ff_{1r–154r} *Stati degli anni* [...] (in order as filed) 1710/1711, 1671, [1720s], 1737, 1668, 1773, 1751, 1743, 1733, 1719, 1665, 1734, 1719, 1666, [post-1671], 1717, 1761, 1758, 1717, 1774, 1773, 1772, 1742, 1670, 1650, [1666], 1671 – financial dossier with end-of-year balance sheets, partly with reports on the status of the College; memoranda on particular aspects of the financial administration of the College. With some lists of students (e.g. receiving *viaticum* c.1700–1725 f. 22v); lists of rent-payers on College properties (e.g. 1710/ 1711 f. 17rv); details on recurring domestic expenses (e.g. report for Apostolic Visitor 1719 ff 44r–48v). Also containing item with statements from College staff and employees (prefect of studies, doctor, barber) reporting on fastidiousness of the students, and plans to expel students Farrell and Bohilly (1719 ff 71rv and 86rv); a case made for selling the present residence because of unfavourable location and deteriorating fabric ([post-1671] ff 74rv and 83rv); discussion of the necessity for paying the *viaticum* as incentive for students to return to the missions (1742 f. 144v). (c. 26 documents) (Italian)

ff_{155r–156r} *Denari al Banco di S. Spirito* 17 July 1671 – memorandum on bank deposits. (Italian)

Beni stabili, e capitali fruttiferi

ff_{158r–180v} *Descrizione di essi fatti l'anno 1738* [and 1745] – description of assets of the College (properties and rental income, papal legacy and gifts), reporting that eight students can now be maintained instead of six. (Italian)

ff_{186r–187v} [1734] – memoranda on rents due to the College. (Two documents) (Italian)

ff_{188r–189v} and 193v *Altro foglio intitolato effetti* (undated) – memorandum on College assets. (Italian)

f. 190rv *Consenso richiesto al Collegio dal Marchese Muti l'anno 1711 per svincolare alcuni luoghi de' monti e negato dal Padre della Rocca* 11 April 1711 – letter from Michele Imperiale, Collegio Greco, recommending to accede to Marquese Muti's request to release certain bonds; note stating that Rector Alexander Roche opposed it. (Italian)

Censi

f. 191r *Memoria del capitale de' censi del Collegio dall' anno 1765* – list of incomes from investments in ten religious congregations. (Italian)

f. 192r *Censo di scudi m/10 colla Congregazione Cassinense – dell'altro dell'Università degli Ebrei – compra di diversi LL.[luoghi] di MM [monte] January-February 1699 – memorandum on payments from debtors, and on the acquisition of bonds from the sum. (Italian)*

f. 194r 24 March 1773 – receipt for materials signed by Rector Cuccagni. (Italian)

ff 195v, 218v *Minuta dell'istromento di censo col Collegio Clementino* 18 February 1699 – receipt from the vicariate for the College; notarial fees for a transaction listed. (Latin)¹⁵²

ff 196r, 217v *Ragioni del Collegio Ibernese ad il Collegio Romano per li frutti del Censo di scudi 28,750 al 3½* (undated) – memorandum on interest rates claimed from the Collegio Romano. (Italian)

ff 197rv, 216rv *Estinzione dell'ultima rata di detto censo* 29 July 1699 – memorandum from the Collegio Romano on final payments. (Italian)

ff 198rv, 215v *Supplica del Collegio Ibernese a Monsignor Gentile acciò si degnasse pagare scudi 81.11 dovuti* [1729] – letter from the College to Monsignor Gentili concerning debtor Chiesa Reggià di S. Stanislao de' Polacchi. (Italian)

ff 199rv, 214v *Licenza a detto Collegio per reinvestire li denari in stabili* 10 July 1699 – letter from Cardinal Carpineus, Rome, to Archbishop (no name) C. R. T., asking permission for the College to reinvest a sum. (Italian)

ff 200r, 213v *Si chiede dal Collegio al Generale de' Gesuiti un compenso per li danni cagionati dalla compagnia* (undated) – letter from the College to superior general SJ Paolo Oliva; damages from litigation with Prince Ludovisi and from mode of reinvestment of their capital. (Italian)

ff 201r–212v *Istromento di censo co' Padri di S. Calisto* 22 September 1699 – contract with the Benedictines of S. Calisto (Congregazione di Monte Cassino); interest payable to the Irish College on sums originally deriving from its sale of the Zagarolo property. (Latin)

ff 219rv, 230v *Copy Istromento di riduzione de'frutti di detto censo* 29 December 1694 – agreement between the College and the Benedictines over reduction of interest rates. (Latin)

152 Foliation for this document did not match *rubricella* entry, and an *Altra Notizia di detto Censo* listed does not exist.

ff 220r–229v *Istromento del censo fatto dal Collegio di Prato in Toscana* 19 September 1699 – contract with the College *Societatis Civitatis Prati*; interest payable to the Irish College on sums originally deriving from its sale of the Zagarolo property¹⁵³. (Latin)

ff 231rv, 240v *Altra riduzione de' frutti co' Padri di S. Calisto* 22 April 1733 – agreement by Rector Alexander Roche to the reduction of interest rates for the Benedictines. (Italian)

ff 232r–239v *Altro Censo contro il Collegio Clementino* 9 February 1699 – contract with the Clementine College, Rome; interest on sums invested by the Irish College. (Latin)

ff 241rv, 262rv *Copy Censo ad il Collegio Romano – altra memoria de' danni provenuti al Collegio Ibernese per il censo col Collegio Romano* 6 March 1671 – contract with the Collegio Romano for investment of 28,750 *scudi* on behalf of the College. (Latin)

f. 242v *Memoria d'estinzione di due censi negli anni 1670–1671* (undated) – label for documents originally enclosed. (Italian)

ff 243rv, 252r *Notizia del Censo Arrighi* 13 September 1712 and (undated) – memoranda on interest rates payable by Giacomo Maria Arrighi to the College following the contract of 1697. (Two documents) (Italian)

f. 244rv *Censo con Domenico Betti* [1713] – memorandum on interest payable by Betti. (Italian)

f. 245r *Altro censo col Seminario Romano* 28 April 1733 – memorandum on interest rates payable by the seminary. (Italian)

f. 246v *Censo colla Comunità di Cerveto del Legato Belluga* [1749 and 1759] – memorandum on interest rates payable by the Comunità, and by the Compagnia del Santissimo Nome di Maria. (Italian)

f. 247r *Altra Memoria del Censo Betti* – 21 November 1712 – brief note (unsigned) regarding a debt from Domenico Betti. (Italian)

153 With notarial authentication (undated).

ff 248rv, 258v *Altra simile – Censo colla Compagnia del Nome di Maria – Censo colla Madonna di Costantinopoli – Altro coll' avvocato Quaranta – Luoghi di MM [Monte] (undated) – memorandum on five sources of income through investments in bonds. (With additional comment on missing documents) (Italian)*

f. 249v *Nota de' frutti di censi (undated) – notes on income and expenditure. (Italian)*

f. 250rv *Altri LL [Luoghi] di MM [Monte] – censi della Missione di Forli (undated) – memorandum on the sale of bonds and reinvestment in the Mission at Forli. (Italian)*

f. 251rv *Estinzione del Censo della Madonna di Costantinopoli 23 May 1708 – termination of investment in the archfraternity named which began in 1696. (Italian)*

f. 253rv *Censo colla Compagnia del Nome di Maria 1749 and 1764 – receipt and memoranda on sums from the Arciconfraternità del Santissimo Nome di Maria. (Italian)*

ff 254r–257v *Raccolta de' censi che vigeant dall'anno 1754 al 1758 – Nota de' censi fatti colli scudi 28,750 [1758] and 1759 – report on sixteen sources of income from various religious congregations in Rome and beyond, rates of pay; income by month for the years indicated. (Italian)*

f. 259rv *Censi [Morico] Betti, e Paparozzi (undated) – notes on investments 1674–1693. (Italian)*

f. 263r *Nota d'altri censi (undated) – list of investments and respective annual income. (Italian)*

f. 265v *Censo colla Compagnia dell'Angelo Custode – Altro colla Compagnia del Confalone (undated) – memorandum on termination of investment with the former and reinvestment with the latter congregation. (Italian)*

f. 265v *Altro col Collegio de' Gesuiti de Tivoli 1734 – notes on termination of investment with the Jesuits; donation of a house by the King of England. (Italian)*

f. 266v *Altra nota de' censi (undated) – list of monthly income from investments. (Italian)*

f. 267v *Censo colla Comunità di Marino* 26 April 1768 – receipt from Jesuit agent for receipt of a sum from the College for a financial service concerning an investment. (Italian)

f. 268rv (undated) – memorandum for Falconieri, Castel Gandolfo on cases of litigation, partly concerning the Sacra Rota. (Italian)

ff 269rv, 283v (undated) – letter of debit from the College for notarial fees; note on a reinvestment of *scudi* 287 from the Ludovisian legacy. (Italian)

f. 270r *Censi co'Padri Castinenzi – Col Capito di S. Eustachio – Co'Padri Teatini di Frascati – Col Collegio di Fabriano – Co'Padri di S. Brigida di Napoli, e di S. Maria di Campitelli* 1 January 1742 – bill and receipt from notary Laurentio Aloisius for Rector Alexander Roche for services concerning investments. (Italian)

ff 271r, 281v *Origine, e Provenienza del Censo [contra] la Madonna di Costantinopoli* 18 July 1699 – statement signed by former Rectors Thomas Eustace and Giovanni Battista Naselli concerning a donation in 1698 to the Jesuit College, Poitiers, and the compensatory investment for the College in the confraternity named. (Italian)

ff 272rv, 280rv *Assegna de' Censi del Collegio- Luoghi di Monte* September 1765 – July 1766 – report signed Rector Henry Nowlan on the assets of the College, listing initial capital and annual interest from nineteen investments; summary of rent-paying property, bonds. (Italian)

ff 273rv, 279v *Copy Sentenza a favore del Collegio contro i Deangelis per pretesi frutti di Censi* 26 May 1730 – court sentence awarding College a sum from the de Angelis brothers from an investment. (Latin)

f. 274rv *Estinzione del Censo degli Ebrei* [1699] – memorandum (unsigned) on termination of income from an investment with the Università degl'Ebrei. (Italian)

f. 275rv *Simile del Capitolo della Rotonda* 1736 – memoranda (unsigned) on termination of income from an investment with the Capitolo; on the purchase of a vineyard from Vespignani. (Italian)

f. 276rv *Simile delli Collegi de' Gesuiti – Simile a favore del Collegio de' Celestini* 31 December 1768 – bill and receipt from Francesco Murri for the College for notarial fees on various services including a transaction with the Celestini. (Italian)

Censi della Missione di Cadice

ff 284^{rv}, 295^v *Memoriale al Papa dato da Giorgio Crimin, acciò venghino a lui detti censi aggiudicati* [9 September] 1773 – petition from George Crimin, Cádiz, to Clement XIV, asking to apply funds inherited from his uncle Thomas Phelan and bequeathed to the Jesuit missions in Ireland to other missions, following the suppression of the order. (Italian)

f. 285^{rv} *Altri effetti della detta Missione* (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) in defence of Crimin's petition, despite his lay status. (Italian)

f. 286^{rv} *Minuta del rescritto che desiderava* (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) supporting Crimin's petition, offering draft rescript. (Italian)

ff 287^{rv}, 292^r *Copy Procura per esiger i frutti di detti censi* 16 March 1782 – letter from Francesco Gonzalez del Camino, Madrid, to Cardinal (unnamed) on receipt of proxy concerning the case pending at the *Consiglio Straordinario*. (Italian)

ff 288^r–291^v *Supplica a Carlo 3, Re di Spagna per avere i frutti di detti censi in Cadice* (undated) – copies of petition from Rector Luigi Cuccagni and students John Jackson, Michael MacNamara, Charles Waters, John Harlin, Christopher Barnwell, Richard Fitz Gerald, Anthony O'Donnell, Edward Raymond, Patrick Nolan, to King Carlos III of Spain, asking to assign administration of all funds for the Irish missions, including the Cádiz legacy, formerly administered by the Jesuits, to the Cardinal Protector; later comment that the petition was not sent in this form. (Two documents) (Italian)

ff 296^r–301^r *Ruagguaglio di detti Censi* (undated) – memoranda for the Cardinal Protector Salviati with details on the Cádiz investments. (Two documents) (Italian)

ff 304^{rv}, 315^v *Lettera all' Arcivescovo di [Sebaste] per detta materia* 7 August 1781 – letter from the Archbishop of Sebaste, nuncio to Spain, to Cardinal (unnamed), introducing his authorised agent Francesco del Cammino. (Italian)

ff 305^{rv}, 314^{rv} (undated) – memorandum by the College for the Spanish nuncio, informing him of the petition made to the Spanish king concerning funds for the Irish missions. (Italian)

ff 306^r, 313^v (undated) – note asking for documentation concerning the investments in Cádiz (marked as response from Madrid to Minister Moñino of Spain. (Italian)

ff 307rv, 312rv Copy *Altra Supplica al sudetto Re* – (undated) letter from Rector Cuccagni and students (signed only by rector) to King Carlos III of Spain asking to assign administration of all funds for the Irish missions, formerly administered by the Jesuits, to the Cardinal Protector, including the Cádiz legacy; later comment that this was the version sent to Minister Moñino of Spain. (Italian)

ff 308r–311r, 316r–321v *Carteggio requi[s]ito per detto affare* 1 August 1774 – 28 November 1775 – correspondence between Archbishop [...], Madrid, his agents Pedemonte and Ardizzone, Cádiz, the Nunzio to Spain, and Cardinal Marefoschi, Rome: describing the claims by Crimin for his own family over the inherited funds; researches at the Cádiz College concerning the right of the Irish College, Rome, to retrieve the sums for the Irish missions. (Five documents) (Italian)

Other documents

ff 324r–348r [1694]–[1768] – file of memoranda and a contract concerning College investments; contract of 23 March 1743 with the Padri Celestini. (Four documents) (Italian/Latin)

f. 350rv 26 August 1786 – letter from [Abbè] Patrick Nolan, Lombard College, Paris, to Rector Cuccagni, with personal news and petitioning for the title *Dottore della Propaganda*. (Italian)

f. 351rv 20 October 1629 – letter from Lorenzo Pauli, Rome, to the Rector of the Irish College [Rome], giving permission for the students' ordinations, based on Paul V's brief. (Spanish)

ff 354r, 355v 1 July 1793 – note (unsigned) for notary Giovanni Francesco Pacifici [Rome] from the Irish College, asking him to procure documents concerning an investment with the Olivetans. (Italian)

Liber XI

Rubricella (ff 2r–5v)

Riclami

f. 15_{rv} *Motivi per li quali dicono esser costretti a ricorrere* undated – statement signed by six students [Scots College],¹⁵⁴ to their Cardinal Protector; stating that in their protest to him they were in no way instigated by the students of the Irish College, although the Irish rector did come to Fr Torbesio to solicit from him two letters against his own alumni. (Italian)

ff 16_{rv}, 23_{rv} (undated) – statement (unsigned)¹⁵⁵ describing the arrogant stance of student Fr Francis Russell during the meal on the feast of St Ignatius and giving corroborating judgement from Monsignor [Caprara]. (Italian)

f. 17_{rv} [February] – June 1770 – fragment College chronicle (unsigned) [by rector], listing events, including the students' attempt in March to oust the prefect, and the celebration of students Kennedy and Macnamara's oaths. (Italian)

ff 18_{rv}, 21_v *Lettera al Rettore P. Eustachio del P. Imperiali per alcuni ricorsi degli alunni* 16 February 1696 – letter informing him of complaints from the students concerning food, and the present regime of penance; suggesting he send Fr Borgonzi to discuss this. (Italian)

ff 19_r–20_v *Altri ricorsi posti per capi di reita* (undated) – list of complaints (15 points) by student James Farrell against the rector's management and treatment of students, charging him with encouragement of factions, alleging a student committed homicide, renting College property to a prostitute. (Latin)

[f. ii] *Ricorso all'Eminentissimo Marefoschi*¹⁵⁶

154 These are John MacDonald, Alexander Grant, Alan MacDonald, James Tyrie, Alexander MacDonnell and Niall MacFie.

155 Assumed by [Curran] to be by Rector Naselli; interpreting an erased date to be 31 July 1699. 'Fr Eustace' is mentioned [Rector Thomas Eustace, 1694–1698].

156 Comments that the original document in its entirety is in Liber xiii – it seems instead to be the petition now in Liber xiv, ff 46_r–60_v.

ff 25r, 41v Copy *Supplica degli alunni al Papa, acciò non sieno levati dal governo de' PP. [Padri] di S. Isidoro* (undated) – petition by seven College students to Urban VIII and Cardinal Barberini, asking to remain under the Franciscans. (Latin)¹⁵⁷

ff 26rv, 40rv *Altro Ricorso antico* (undated) – petition from students Gallagher, Cassin, Ferrall, Bohilly, McDermott, to ‘*Eminentissime ... Domine*’ [...], with 19 points on management and treatment of students, including the sale of the Ludovisian vineyard, *viatici*, Mass intentions, a certain case of scandal, lack of management (*nullus ordo, sed sempiternus horror regnavit*). (Latin)

ff 27rv, 39rv [*Altri simili*] (undated) – petition (unsigned) for ‘*Illust[rissi]me ... D[omi]ne*’ [...] in 10 points of complaint against the rector; references to R.P. Schabergi, P.[adre] Vignoli, Fr Forbes (Scots College); stating the College always fared worse under Irish Jesuits. (Latin)

ff 28rv, 38v (Undated) – petition from student Bernard McDermott for ‘*Illust[rissi]me ... D[omi]ne*’ [...] with 10 points of complaint against the rector’s management of the College. (Latin)

ff 29r–30r, 36v–37v *Altro al Cardinale Imperiali – Altro simile al medesimo* (undated) – two petitions signed by John Cassin, James Ferrall, Cornelius Bohilly, Bernard McDermott, all priests, for Cardinal Imperiali, protesting against their expulsion. (Two documents) (Latin)

ff 31rv, 35v *Altro a Monsignore de Vico* 15 January 1720 – petition signed by students Gallagher, Cassin, Ferrall, Bohilly, McDermott, McMahon, in nine points; including various house-keeping and managing points, non-implementation of suggestions arising from the last apostolic visitation, asking for a chapel to be erected in the College, bad equipment of library. (Latin)

f. 32rv *Altro al Padre Generale Ricci* (undated) – petition from College students (unsigned), urging the removal of the present rector. (Italian)

ff 33r–34v *Altro al Cardinale Imperiali* (undated) – complaints by College students (unsigned) against the rector in 20 points; including sale of vineyard, income from Mass intentions, *viatici*, house-keeping. (Italian)

157 The students are John de Courcy, Patrick Walsh, John [Fahus], Edmund Gould, Malachy Rotheus, Philip Clery, Roger [Dyermit].

ff 42r–51v *Reità degli Alunni* (undated) – letter and memorandum (unsigned) [by rector] for ‘*Eminenza*’ [...] on request, submitting reasons for expelling certain students that cause disturbance; countering grievances and commenting on specific acts of students McDermott, Cassin, Bohilly, Ferrall. Also mentioning that the students had previously petitioned the king at Montefiascone [James III]. (Two documents) (Italian)

ff 52rv, 61v *Altri motivi per li quali dicono esser ricorsi gli alunni* (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) summarising the students’ grievances, in nine points. (Italian)¹⁵⁸

ff 53rv, 60v *Altro Ricorso all’Eminentissimo Corsini, e presentato a Monsignore Barcali* (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) responding to students’ charges, in 24 points. (Italian)¹⁵⁹

ff 54r–55v, 58r–59v (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) [by the rector] for ‘*Monsignor*’ [...] in praise of College management and students, quoting from letters of Irish bishops (including Archbishops Linegar of Dublin 1736 and Butler of Cashel 1739); also referring to Gregory XV’s intentions in founding the College. (Italian)¹⁶⁰

ff 56r–57v *Altro al Generale de’ Gesuiti* (undated) – petition from students Peter Creagh and James Stritch to Fr Giovanni Paolo Oliva SJ, superior general, defending their claim of a *viaticum* of 15 *scudi*. (Latin)

Visite antiche

ff 63v–73v, 75v *Informazione del Rettore al Cardinale Imperiali* [15 September 1719¹⁶¹] – letters and memorandum from Rector Alexander Roche to the Cardinal Protector, in defence of his rectorship, preceding the apostolic visitation; offering character sketches for the six students at the College;¹⁶² responding to specific charges; adding statement by College doctor Scufonio countering certain charges made by students. (Three documents) (Italian)

158 Near-contemporary endorsement states these are the points of complaint offered during the visitation of Cardinal Imperiali.

159 Near-contemporary endorsement states this is the rector’s response.

160 The endorsement, f. 59v, states this was composed by the students following the visitation by Cardinal Corsini; however, the use of the first person points to the rector; there is no allusion to complaints against the rectorship.

161 Only the doctor’s letter is dated (f. 73v).

162 These are Gallagher, Cassin, Ferrall, Bohilly, McMahan, McDermott.

ff 76rv, 85rv *Riclamì [ad] del Rettore* (undated) – [fragment] petition from a student (unsigned) to Monsignor Vico, in 21 points of criticism of College management that disregards the apostolic visitation. (Latin)

ff 77r–84v, 86r–91v *Risposta del Rettore – Visita del 1719 e 1720* (undated)¹⁶³ – memoranda (unsigned) [by the rector] for de Vico, secretary for the apostolic visitation, and *Principe* [...], countering charges on bad management, specially concerning the vineyards; poor treatment of the students; particular students; national rectors; devotions in Madonna de' Monti and at S. Bernardo; reference to a visitation 23 years ago [1692] (f. 79r); change from Jesuit administration suggested for another college (f. 83v); accepting Fr Alessandro Petitti as prefect (f. 90r). (Two documents) (Italian)

[ff 95–146] *Viatici degli Alunni*¹⁶⁴

[f. 95] *Assegnamento di scudi 15 fatto dalla Cong[regazio]ne di Propaganda per il viaggio*¹⁶⁵

[ff 96–131] List of 26 students, and three further documents with more than one, or unnamed, students (now all Liber xiv).

ff 92r–94v *Viatici de' Rettori* May 1658 – August 1666 – particular expenses list with travel expenses paid to Rectors James Ford, Philip Roche, and with expenses for meals given to visiting prelates (listing persons, including Monsignor Albergati, the Primate of Ireland, Monsignor Creagh). (Italian)¹⁶⁶

[f. 146] *Supplica al Cardinale Barberini per far proseguire il sudetto assegnamento di scudi 15*¹⁶⁷

163 These are close in a number of points, but it is not clear whether one is an earlier draft of the other. The near-contemporary caption for the first document (f. 84v) dates this 31 August 1720.

164 Excepting the first document, and the last three, these were transferred to Liber xiv, ff 116r–152r. Foliation in this *rubricella* and on the documents in Liber xiv, differs in small points, and documents on seven further students were added. (Pollen commented that these were transferred to a Liber xxix which does not exist.)

165 This was transferred to Liber xiv, ff 112–113.

166 Remarking that these are typical expenses for that type of hospitality in the eleven years before selling the vineyard. Notarial authentication of 1778.

167 This was transferred to Liber xiv, ff 114r–115v.

Mobili e Suppellettili

ff 96r-97v, 105r *Inventario della Biancaria fatto l'anno 1771 – Della Cantina* April – 27 May 1771 – inventories of household furnishings including linen, kitchen implements; listed by room – rector's, prefect's, students', barber's, wine-cellar, refectory, pantry, kitchen, courtyards, 2nd-floor hall, chapel. (Italian)

ff 98r-101v *Altro Inventario del 1720* inventory made for the visitation April 1720 of household furnishings for Irish College by room- great hall, chapel, middle room, library (listing books), prefect's, archives, rector's room, garden, refectory, pantries, kitchen, tailor's, cook's, [painter's], students' rooms; also for Castel Gandolfo by room-community, rector's, prefect's, priest's, students', chapel.

[f. 156] *Conto di Spesa per riattamento del calesse* [missing]

Villeggiatura

f. 106r *Ricevuta del carrozziere dell'anno 1778* 19 November 1778 – receipt from a carriage-maker. (Italian)

f. 108r *Regole antiche per la villeggiatura* (undated) – list of rules (unsigned) for the holidays in Castel Gandolfo. (Italian)

ff 109r-139r *Nota di quello si fece in tempo di villeggiatura negl' infri anni 1699, 1700, [1702], 1703, 1704, 1705, 1707, 1709, 1710, 1712, 1713, 1714, 1725* – lists (unsigned)¹⁶⁸ of meals for the students during the holidays; usually spanning two weeks beginning in late September and closing at the beginning of the grape harvest; naming the two feasts of Sts Francis and Francis Borgia (4 and 10 October); making mention of excursions each year to Frascati or Gianzano. (13 documents) (Italian)

[ff 198-227 recte 224] *Depositi degli alunni*¹⁶⁹ (ten students listed, six further documents with more than one student).

168 Usually one document per year with the exception of the first document (f. 109rv) listing ingredients of special holiday meals 1699-1710.

169 These were transferred to Liber xiv, ff 83r-109r; foliation in this *rubricella* and on the documents in Liber xiv matches exactly, and documents on seven further students were added.

Liber XII¹⁷⁰*Giuramenti**Rubicella* (f. 2r)¹⁷¹

f. 7r^v 14 June 1654 – letter from *orator* Oliver Plunkett to R[everen]de *Admodum Pater* [superior general SJ Goswin Nickel], asking for permission to remain in Rome. (Latin)¹⁷²

ff 9r–13v *Relazione di alcune cose accadute in Ibernia per il giuramento dell'abiura* undated – memorandum and lament, based on a summary of the Cromwellian incursions (Latin). Incipit: '*relatio quorundam quae in Hibernia acciderunt ...*'.

ff 14r–19v *Formulae of the Professions of three Jesuit fathers* (John Usher, Richard Shelton, Henry Nolan)

ff 14r–15v 14 October 1652 – profession and special vows made by John Usher SJ, Kilkenny, before the vice-superior general Gulielmo Salnigero. (Two documents) (Latin)

ff 16r–17r 1 October 1652 – profession and special vows made by Richard Shelton SJ, Dublin, before James Ford SJ. (Two documents) (Latin)

ff 18r–19v 15 August 1756 – profession and special vows made by Henry Nowlan SJ, Rome, before the superior general SJ Aloysio Centurione. (Two documents) (Latin)

f. 20r (undated) – Copy *Oath of allegiance to George III*. (Italian)

170 This volume was first discussed, and the students' oaths listed in detail, in John J. Hanly, 'Records of the Irish College, Rome, under Jesuit administration' in *Archivium Hibernicum*, xxvii (1964), pp 13–75 (for Liber xii see pp 68–75); translations of sample oath formulae appear in Pontifical Irish College (eds), *The Irish College, Rome 1628–1678* (Rome, 2003), pp 214–23. Like the other volumes, this one was given a new and consistent foliation, and that given in these two publications will therefore differ.

171 There are two *rubicelle*, the older one consisting only of four points. The original order was changed in 1897 by Fr Pollen, and his own list of contents has been collated here with the old *rubicella*.

172 St Oliver Plunkett's letter was first printed in P. F. Moran, *Spicilegium Ossoriense*, (3 vols, Dublin, 1878), ii, p. 13; then in John Hanly (ed.), *The Letters of St Oliver Plunkett, 1625–1681* (Dublin, 1979), pp 3–4.

ff 21rv, 22v *Alteration in the formula of the students' oath 13 May 1662* – letter from Giovanni Paolo Oliva SJ, Rome, to Rector John Young, responding to query and offering new addition to missionary oath formula¹⁷³. (Latin)

f. 23rv *Dispensation in the oath of Cornelius Crolly 3 May 1701* – letter from superior general SJ Thyrso Gonzalez to Rector Giovanni Battista Naselli, dispensing student Cornelius Crolly from the missionary oath, for health reasons.

f. 24rv *Form of students' oath 20 July 1660* – formula for the oath to be taken by students of pontifical colleges, by apostolic brief of Propaganda Fide. (Latin)¹⁷⁴

ff 25r–286v *Oaths of students and declarations of not asking viaticum (212 documents) 1633–1773* – formulae of oaths taken by students on entering the College, or soon afterwards; usually in the student's hand, with signature (all Latin):¹⁷⁵

f. 25rv¹⁷⁶ Roger Dyermitius [McDermot] [...] 1633 M

ff 26r, 27v Patrick Arcerius [Archer] (Ferns) Easter Sunday 1635 M

f. 28rv Donatus Bruoder (Clonfert) Easter Sunday 1635 M

f. 29rv Ioannes Moriartus (Meath) Easter Sunday 1635 M

f. 30rv Lucas Plunkettus (Meath) Feast of the Nativity of Mary (8 September) 1638 M

f. 31rv Ioannes Russel (Cork) Feast of the Purification (2 February) 1640 M

f. 32rv Mauritius Wardeus (Raphoe) Feast of the Epiphany (6 January) 1642 M

f. 33r Ignatius Telingus (Armagh) Feast of the Epiphany (6 January) 1642 M

173 The student now swears to return to Ireland *sine mora*, as decided by his superiors (f. 21r).

174 See Hanly, 'Records', p. 69; the Irish College oath is different until 1773, and Anthony O'Donnell's (f. 285rv) oath of 1773 is the only one extant from the period after amending the oath.

175 The students are listed separately here, each with his respective oath(s). Following the pattern in Hanly, 'Records', their oaths are distinguished as M (missionary oath) and V (*viaticum* oath). In the former, the student promises to abide by college rules and to return to Ireland on the missions when sent by his superiors; in the latter (from 1660 onwards), he promises not to ask for financial assistance for the return journey to Ireland. This sometimes contrasts with the eventual receipts of *viatica*, in Liber xiv. The less easily deduced names are supplied.

176 Usually the oath only covers one side of the folium, with a brief endorsement on the other.

- f. 34rv Patritius Batheus (Armagh) 6 January 1642 M
- f. 35rv Richardus Stafford (Ferns) Feast of the Epiphany (6 January) 1642 M
- f. 36rv Gulielmus Berginus (Ossory) 25 October 1643 M
- f. 37rv Matthias Ballus (Dublin) 25 October 1643 M
- f. 38rv Christopherus Clearke (Dublin) 25 October 1643 M
- f. 39rv Petrus Pippardus (Armagh) 5 February 1645 M
- f. 40rv Jacobus Goegh (Waterford) 1646 M
- f. 41rv Thomas Luttrellus (Dublin) 21 October 1646 M
- f. 42rv Joannes a Lapide, alias O Clochose [O'Clohessy] (Limerick) Feast of the Assumption (15 August) 1641 M
- f. 43rv Joannes Brenanus (Kilkenny) Feast of Saints Peter and Paul (29 June) 1650 M
- f. 44rv Petrus Valesius [Walsh] (Kilkenny) Feast of Saints Peter and Paul (29 June) 1650 M
- f. 45rv Robertus Strange (Waterford) 29 June 1650 M
- ff 46r, 47v Jacobus Staffordus (Wexford) 15 August 1653 M
- f. 48rv Richardus Quin 17 March 1655 M
- f. 49rv Patricius Ledvisius [Ledwith] 4 April 1655 M
- f. 50rv Jacobus Cusacke 17 March 1655 M
- f. 51rv Romanus Maghinnius 2 March 1655 M
- ff 52rv, 54r, f. 55v Joannes Crevaeus [Creagh] (Limerick) Feast of the Nativity of Mary (8 September) 1656 M and 20 October 1658.¹⁷⁷

177 See *The Irish College, Rome 1628–1678*, pp 218–19 for the wording: this is a sworn statement of debit: the student returns to Ireland to a secular life, pledging to repay the maintenance owed to the College for two years of studies (210 scudi).

- f. 53rv Joannes Plunkettus 8 September 1656 M
- f. 56rv Petrus Arthurus (Limerick) 13 November 1660 V¹⁷⁸ and 26 May 1661 M
- ff 57rv, 60rv Petrus Crevaeus [Creagh] (Limerick) 13 November 1660 V and 26 May 1661 M
- ff 58rv, 61rv Jacobus de Striche/Stretchius 16 December 1660 V and 26 May 1661 M
- f. 62rv Andreas Plunkettus 25 August 1662 M
- ff 63r–64v Jacobus Rely 4 October 1662 V and 25 March 1663 M
- ff 65r–66v Oduardus Ciamberlinus 28 August 1663 V and 8 December 1663 M
- ff 67r–68v Jacobus Brenan 10 May 1664 V and 8 September 1664 M
- ff 72rv, 69r–70v Philippus Reilij 15 March 1665 V and 8 September 1665 M
- ff 71rv, 73rv Patricius Gouldaeus 9 February 1665 V and 15 August 1665 M
- ff 74rv, 84rv Paulus Higginus 31 October 1666 V and 8 December
- ff 75r, 76v, 77r, 78v Thomas Desius [Deasy] 1 January 1667 V and M
- ff 79rv, 86rv Jacobus Simons 6 November 1667 V and 1 May 1668 M
- ff 80r, 81v, 82r, 83v Joannes MacEganus 7 December 1667 V and 8 December 1667 M
- ff 85rv, 87rv Thomas Rochefort 10 December 1667 V and 1 May 1668 M
- ff 88r, 89v, 99rv Henricus Ludovicus Hugonius [McHugh] 24 October 1668 V and 11 August 1669 M
- ff 90r, 91v, 98Av Joannes Baptista Matthaei [McMahon] 24 October 1668 V and 11 August 1669 M

178 See *The Irish College, Rome 1628–1678*, pp 216–17 for text and translation; this is the first *viaticum* oath.

- ff 92r, 93v, 98Bv Jacobus Latinus 31 October 1668 V and 11 August 1669 M
- ff 94rv, 96r Patricius Kiernan 13 November 1668 V and 11 August 1669 M
- ff 95rv, 100rv Joannes Dalaeus [Daly] 6 January 1669 V and 11 August 1669
- ff 101rv, 103rv Gulielmus Everardus 2 December 1670 V and 26 March 1671 M
- ff 102rv, 104rv Andreas de Burgo 2 December 1670 V and 26 March 1671 M
- ff 105r–106v Jacobus [de] Meara 30 March 1672 V and [14] November 1672 M¹⁷⁹
- ff 107r–108v Carolus ô Molloij 29 June 1675 M and V
- ff 109r–110v Gerardus Tellinus 29 June 1675 M and V
- ff 111r–112v Simon Rochefort 15 August 1676 M and V
- ff 113r–114v Franciscus Russell 16 September 1676 M and V
- ff 115r–116v Michael Plunkettus 8 September 1677 M and V
- ff 117r–118v Philippus Tirellus 8 September 1677 M and V
- ff 119r–120v Joannes Nugentius 2 February 1679 M and V
- ff 121r–122v Thomas Teellinus 15 May 1681 M and V
- ff 123r–124v Lucas Ussherius 13 November 1687 M and V
- ff 125r–126v Thomas Drijling 21 June 1683 M and 21 July 1683 V¹⁸⁰
- ff 127r–128v Hugo Matthaeus 2 February 1684 M and V
- ff 129r–130v Richardus Molonij 3 May 1684 M and V
- ff 131r–132v James Eustachius 1 November 1684 M and V
- ff 133r–134v Robertus Plunkettus 3 May 1685 M and V

179 To the date of the missionary oath is added '*fuit emissu[m] 21 November 1672*'; Hanly interpreted this as the date when the oath was properly sworn, 'Records', p. 70, fn6.

180 Following Hanly, 'Records', p. 71, fn7, the oaths may have both been sworn on 21 June, the feast of St Aloysius.

- ff 135r, 136r, 138v Richardus Shortall 8 December 1685 M and V
- ff 139r–140v Jacobus Luttrell 8 December 1685 M and V
- ff 141r–142v Henricus Dromgool 1 November 1686 M and V
- ff 143r–144v Edmundus Everardus 1 November 1686 M and V
- ff 145r–146v Carolus Laverij 16 September 1691 M and V
- ff 147r–148v Joannes Maguire 15 August 1692 M and V
- ff 149r–150v Daniel Cahil 15 August 1692 M and V
- ff 151r–152v Franciscus Russell 25 March 1693 V and M
- ff 153r–154v Æneas ô Driscoll 8 Kalends April (25 March) 1693
- ff 155r–156v Gualterus Castellanus 3 May 1694 M and V
- ff 157r–158v Bartholomeus Read 16 September 1696 M and V
- ff 159rv–161v Joannes Gargan 20 November 1697 (sworn statement as to his origins, previous studies and elevation to subdeaconship in France), 8 September 1699 M and V.¹⁸¹
- ff 162r, 163v Daniel ô Connor 8 September 1699 M and V
- ff 164r–165v Bernardus Matthaeus 5 January 1701 M and V
- ff 166r–167v Patricius ô Toole 6 January 1701 M and V
- f. 168rv Cornelius Crouly 6 January 1701 M and V
- ff 169r–170v Thomas Dowdall 8 September 1702 V and M
- ff 171r–172r Carolus Macarty 25 March 1703 M and V
- ff 173r, 174v Edmundus Magrath 31 July 1706 M and V
- ff 175r–176v Hugo ô Reilly 8 September 1703 M and V

¹⁸¹ See *The Irish College, Rome 1628–1678*, pp 218–19 for text and translation.

- ff 177r, 178v Donatus ô Hederman 24 April 1707 M and 29 May 1707 V
- ff 179r-180v Jacobus Cusack 8 September 1709 M and V
- ff 181r-182v Hyacinthus Bodkin 8 September 1709 M and V
- ff 183r-184v Christophorus Cruice 8 September 1709 M and V
- ff 185r-186v Joannes Dalij 2 February 1711 M and V
- ff 187r-188v Contantinus ô Neill 1 May 1712 M and V¹⁸²
- ff 189r-190v Michael Tyrrellus 29 June 1712 M and V
- ff 191r-192v Mathias Fforstal 29 June 1712 M and V
- ff 193r-194v Jacobus Gallagher 15 August 1717 V and M
- ff 195r-196v Joannes Hanlij 15 August 1717 V and M
- ff 197r, 198v Jacobus Ferrall 8 September 1718 M and V
- ff 199r, 200v, 201r Cornelius Bohilly 6 November 1718 M and V¹⁸³ (Two copy originals)
- f. 203v Bernardus MacDermott 17 March 1719 M and V
- ff 204r-205v Rochus Macmahon alias Matthaei 4 December 1719 M and V
- ff 206r, 207v Dyonisius ô Cullinane (Cork) 1 April 1720 M¹⁸⁴
- ff 208r, 209v, 210r, 211v Richardus Reynolds 6 July 1721 M and V (with a copy)
- ff 212r, 213v Georgius Pippard 15 August 1721 M and V
- ff 214r, 215v Joannes Stafford 13 November 1721 M and V

182 Note on f. 188v on his being ordained, and further career.

183 The missionary oath is dated 1 November in the first copy (f. 199r); reverse of first copy says 'diligenter [servandum]'.
 184 See *The Irish College, Rome 1628-1678*, pp 220-1 for text and translation. Note added (f. 207v) that Cullinane was not a student or resident at the College, but had been sent by the cardinal vicar to take his oath; he merely swears to return to Ireland after ordination, not abide by College rules.

- ff 216r, 217v Henricus Marshall 6 May 1723 M and V
- ff 218r, 219v Thomas Stritch 25 August 1725 M and V
- ff 220r, 221v Petrus Crevaeus [Creagh] 8 December 1727 M and V
- ff 222r, 223v Antonius MacMahon 2 February 1728 M and V
- ff 224r, 225v Gulielmus Dulany 15 August 1728 M and V
- f. 226rv Bartholomaeus Fagan 15 August 1728 M and V
- ff 227r, 228v Constantinus Cassidy 15 August 1730 M and V
- ff 229r, 230v Jacobus Reynolds 8 December 1731 M and V
- ff 231r, 232v Edmundus Hacket 8 December 1731 M and V
- f. 233r Ambrosius Maddin 1 January 1732 M and V
- f. 235r Matthias Kelly 15 August 1733 V
- ff 236r-237v Joannes Doyle 15 August 1734 M and V
- f. 238r Terentius Gallagher 8 September 1736 M and V
- f. 240r Bernardus Connor 13 November 1738 M and V
- ff 242r-243v Joannes Crevaeus [Creagh] 8 December 1739 M and V (with copy of V)
- ff 244r, 245v Henricus Nowlan 8 December 1740 M and V
- ff 246r-247r Thomas Bourk 15 August 1743 M and V
- ff 248r-249r Carolus Reilly 15 August 1743 M and V
- f. 250r Jacobus White 8 December 1743 M and V
- f. 252r Jacobus Tyrrellus 8 December 1744 M and V
- ff 253r-254r Gulielmus Reynolds 8 December 1745 M and V
- ff 255r-256r Dominicus Farrell Gallagher 2 February 1748 M and V

- ff 257r, 258v Marcus McLoughlin 21 May 1752 V and M
- ff 259r, 260v Gulielmus Doyle 21 May 1752 M and V
- ff 261r, 262v Henricus Burke 10 June 1753 V and M
- ff 263r, 264v Edmundus FitzGerald 10 June 1753 M and V
- f. 266r Jacobus Grehan 15 August 1758 M and V
- f. 267r Simon Aloysius Herbert 17 August 1758 M
- ff 268r–269r Henricus Sweetman 15 August 1758 M and V
- f. 270r Dionysius [O] Timony 3 Kalends September (30 August) 1758 M and V
- f. 272r Jacobus Reily 8 September 1758 V and M
- f. 273r James Barry 6 April 1760 M and V
- f. 274r Patricius Ferrall 21 September 1761 M and V
- f. 275r Gulielmus Phelan 25 August 1762 M and V
- f. 276r Thomas Costello [18] September 1763 M and V
- f. 278rv Valentinus Bodkin 25 July 1764 M and V
- f. 279r Thomas Keating 25 July 1764 M and V
- f. 280r Thomas Flinn 9 June 1765 M and V
- ff 281r, 282v Michael Macnamara 10 June 1770 M and V
- f. 283r Edvardus Dominicus Kennedy 10 June 1770 M and V
- f. 285rv *New form of oath after the constitution of 1773* Antonius O Donnellus
10 June 1773 M¹⁸⁵

185 See *The Irish College, Rome 1628–1678*, pp 220–1 for text and translation, and p. 215, fn80 for commentary: on Propaganda Fide taking control of the College after the expulsion of the Jesuits, students had to promise to give account regularly of their work as priest or religious. For entering religion, they needed special permission from Propaganda or the Cardinal Protector.

Liber XIII

Liti diverse Parte p[ri]ma

Comments: the *rubricella* arranges documents not as they occur in the volume, but by litigation case; this is followed here in substituting the new foliation. In some cases *rubricella* headings were abbreviated to avoid repetition. As in Liber viii and further volumes rich in court documents, cases are not explored here as to causes or stances taken by respective legal parties. Likewise, the contents of the appended dossiers of documents (*summaria*), are only sketched, usually by naming the first and last document contained (except in cases where the composer of the *rubricella* found it necessary to list all items – see footnotes). For the *officii vacabili*, see the introduction above.

Rubricella (ff 2r–6r)*Lite de' Vacabili tra il Collegio ed il Principe S. Croce*¹⁸⁶ 1746

Scrittura per il Collegio intitolata 'Romana Officii Vacabilis' 1746 – legal memorandum *Facti in secunda propositione* in the case *Romana officii vacabilis super praetensa Liberatione à molestiis*, signed de Saccettis, in 13 points, arguing for the Irish College, and against the Prince D. Scipio of Santa Croce and others.¹⁸⁷

ff 8r–9v, 28r–29v Appended dossier 1746: *Summarium*¹⁸⁸ – three documents (January 1746). (Latin)

ff 10r–11v, 26r–27v *Altra per il Principe sudetto ed i Millini @ il Collegio super reservatis* 1746 – legal memorandum *Restrictus Facti et Iuris* in the same case, signed de Martinis, de Clementinis, in 21 points, as above.

*Altra per il Collegio ...*1746 – legal memorandum *Restrictus Facti et Iuris* in the same case, signed lawyer Francucci, and Gianantonio Sacchetti, in 24 points, as above.¹⁸⁹

ff 12r–14v, 24r–25v Appended *Summarium*¹⁹⁰ with one document (1746). (Latin)

Altra simile per il Collegio – Sommario ...

186 All legal documents belonging to this case are printed, with the exception of three drafts ff 85–86 and f. 74, and the misfiled documents ff 57–62, and all are signed for R.P.D. Caprara, the auditor of the Sacra Rota (See f. 19v).

187 *et litis etcetera* f. 29v.

188 Ff 28rv.

189 Handwritten endorsement 11 May 1746, *iuxta decisionem [annesam] à V. Collegio acceptatam*.

190 F. 25rv.

1746 – legal memorandum *Responsio cum Summario* in the same case, signed Sacchetti, in 12 points, as above.

Appended *Summarium*¹⁹¹ with two documents (1745): 1) *Documento della Segnatura per l'ammissione dell'appellazione dal mandato elli' A.C. ed unione della Causa dell'anno 1722*;

ff 15r–16v, 21r–22v 2) *documento dell'Uditor Santissimo, col quale si ordina al Principe S. Croce, et liti uti juri suo coram Sacra Rota.* (Latin)

ff 17r–20v 1745 – legal dossier *Summarium* in the same case with eight documents. First document: testament of Cardinal Ludovisi [1632]. Last document: legal memorandum by the Irish College, insisting on sentence of 1722 in defence against creditors of the Ludovisi estate. (Latin)

Altra Scrittura per il Collegio @ i sudd[etti] ...

1746 – legal memorandum *Restrictus facti et iuris* in the same case, signed Francucci, de Ionantoniis, Sacchetti, in 23 points, as above.

ff 30r–33v, 48r–51v Related dossier [appendix] 1746: *Summarium*¹⁹² with one document concerning the investments made after sale of Zagarolo (Latin)

ff 34r–35v, 46r–47v *Altra simile per il Collegio* 1745 – legal memorandum *Memoriale pro nova audientia* in the same case, signed Sacchetti, in 21 points, as above. (Latin)

ff 55r–56v, 63rv *Decisione coram Caprara* ...16 January 1747 – legal judgement in the same case in 10 points, giving College indemnity. (Latin)

f. 74rv 24 May 1745 – fragment draft part of *summarium* (unsigned) [in the same case]¹⁹³ with one document (1722). (Latin)

ff 85r–86v *Altra Scrittura per il Collegio super pnsa[pretensa] Liberatione a molestiis* – *Altra simile* (undated) – draft memoranda (unsigned) in the same case. (Two documents) (Latin)

[See also the documents misfiled below, ff 57–62.]

191 F. 21rv.

192 Ff 33rv and 48v.

193 Also signed for Caprara, but the case is stated *contra ... Principem Burgesium* ...

Lite tra il Collegio Ibernese, Mon[asterio] di S. Maria del Soccorso di Fara, Maria Alessandra de' Rossi figlia, ed erede della [...] Dom[eni]ca Trevisani, ed il Collegio di Propaganda intitolata 'locorum montium: distributionis dotium: censuum, et fructuum locorum montium'¹⁹⁴ 1761

Scrittura contro il Collegio di Propaganda 1761 – legal memorandum *Facti* in the case *Romana locorum montium*, signed Ronconi, Badinus, Pacelli, in 20 points, arguing for the College, the monastery of S. Maria Succursus Terrae Pharae, D. Maria Alexandra de Rubeis, heirs of Dominica Trevisani, and against the College of the Propaganda Fide.

ff 36r–37v, 44r–45v Appended dossier 1746: *Summarium*¹⁹⁵ with eight documents (1733–1761). (Latin/Italian)

ff 135r, 142v *Altra Scrittura @ detto Collegio di Propaganda* 8 July 1761 – draft legal memorandum *Memoriale pro exped[itio]ne* in the case *Romana distributionis dotium et locorum montium*, signed Ronconi, as above. (Latin)

Scrittura per il Collegio di Propaganda 1761 – legal memorandum *Facti* in the same case, signed Lazzarinus, in 35 points, as above.

ff 136r–141v, 146r–155v. Appended dossier: *Summarium*¹⁹⁶ with six documents (1734–1760).

ff 172r–173v, 180r–181v *Decisione sopra detta causa coram R.P.D. Zelada de' 9 Marzo 1761* – legal decision by Zelada in the same case, in 16 points, as above. (Latin)

194 All legal documents belonging to this case are printed, with the exception of draft ff 135r and 142v, and all are signed for R.P.D. De Zelada, the auditor of the Sacra Rota (See f. 43v).

195 Ff 38r–43v. The *rubricella* lists all documents in detail: 1) *Chirografo di Clemente XII sopra l'ammissione al Monte S. Paolo, in cui si enuncia altro chirografo concedente le facultà di fabricare una chiesa più grande e di costringere il Conte Panimolla a vendere una di lui casa che fa isola nella Piazza di Colonna Trajana presso l'antica Chiesa ad esso di fabricarvi la nuova*; 2) *Supplica data a Benedetto XIV ottenere la sospensione delle doti ed impiegare i frutti de' LL.MM. [Luoghi di Monte] per la fabrica sudetta data a nome de' Fr[at]elli della Compagnia del SS.[antissi]mo Nome di Maria*; 3) *altra supplica data dalli [suddetti] per la facultà d'imporre un Censo alla Cong[regazio]ne del Concilio*; 4) *Istromento di censo di scudi 774 imposto a favore del Collegio Ibernese*; 5) *altro Censo di scudi 1,000 a favore di Dom[eni]ca Trevisani f. 30*; 6) *altro di scudi 1,500 a favore del Mon[aste]ro di S. Maria del Soccorso*; 7) *Istromento del censo Andreozzi imposto sopra la sudetta casa diruta Panimolla*; 8) *Deposizione di più test[imoni] che depongono sopra il detto censo Andreozzi*.

196 Ff 146r–155v. The *rubricella* lists all documents in detail: 1) *Istromento d'Imposizione di Censo di scudi 4,009 a favore di Paolo Andreozzi*; 2) *altro censo di scudi 2,000 a favore del medesimo*; 3) *attergazione de' Frutti de LL.MM. [Luoghi di Monte] per frutti di detti censi Andreozzi*; 4) *Deputazione de' periti ad esso di riferite sopra l'assegnazione de' frutti de' LL.deMM. [Luoghi di Monte]*; 5) *Particola della relazione del perito [curiale]*; 6) *Giudicato d'R.P.D. Guidi*.

ff 156r–157v, 170r–171v *Altra scrittura* 1761 – legal memorandum *Responsio cum Summario* in the case *Romana censuum, sive fructuum locorum montium*, signed Lazzarinus, in 22 points, as above. Appended *Summarium* with one document (undated). (Latin)

ff 158rv, 177rv *Altra simile* 1761 – legal memorandum *Responsio cum summario addit[o]*, in the case *Romana locorum montium*, signed Ronconus, Badinus, Pacelli, in 8 points, as above. Appended *Summarium* with one document (1734). (Latin)

Altra 1761 – legal memorandum *Facti*, in the same case, signed Ronconus, Badinus, Pacelli, in 22 points, as above.

ff 159r–168v Related dossier [appended]: *Summarium*¹⁹⁷ with eight documents (1733–1761). (Latin/Italian)

*Lite sopra il Fidecommissso de Sabbis tra il Collegio, e il Principe Rospigliosi*¹⁹⁸ 1722

Scrittura per il Collegio 1722 – legal memorandum *Facti cum summario* in the case *Praenestina fideicommissi de Sabbis super praetensa Liberatione à molestijs*, signed Lana, arguing for the College, and against Duke Giovanni Battista Rospigliosi and others.

ff 52r–53v, 65r–66v Appended dossier: *Summarium*¹⁹⁹ with two documents (1629–1660). (Latin)

Altra simile 22 June 1745 – legal memorandum in the case *Rom[an]a [pretensae] deportationis Commissionis, et circumscripti*, signed Sacchetti, as above.

ff 67r–69v, 83r–84v, 87v Appended dossier: *Summarium*²⁰⁰ with four documents ([1629]–1744). (Latin)

197 Ff 161r–166v.

198 All legal documents belonging to this case are printed; the first two are signed for R.P.D. Cerro (See f. 66v), one to R.P.D. Franceschi (f. 62v), the last to Caprara (f. 177v); presumably auditors of the Sacra Rota. It is likely that the documents listed under this one heading in fact belong with three different cases.

199 Ff 65v–66v.

200 Ff 70r–73v and 79r–82v. The *rubricella* lists all documents in detail: 1) *Legato fatto al Collegio dal Cardinal Fondatore*; 2) *Deposito di scudi 1,070 per la consegna prorata de'scudi 28,700*; 3) *Sentenza dell'A.C.a favore del Principe S. Croce*; 4) *Interpellazione delle molestie alla casa Millini*; 5) *Foglio esibito dal Rospigliosi colla annotazione di scudi 63,930 pagati al venditore per la ricompra della Villa Pinciana*; 6) *Sentenza assolutoria a favore del Collegio @ i Creditori del Principe Ludovisi*; 7) *Ragioni del Collegio contro tutti i creditori*.

ff 57^rv, 62^rv *Scrittura per il Collegio @ il Cardinal Millini*²⁰¹ (undated) – legal memorandum *Replicatio ex gratia videa* in the case *Romana Circumscriptionis*, signed Ronconi, arguing for the heirs of Cardinal Ludovisi, and against Cardinal Millini. (Latin)

ff 58^r–60^v *Scrittura della parte ad[versaria]* (undated) – legal memorandum in the same case, signed de Clementini, as above. (Latin)

Scrittura della Contessa ab Altemps @ il Collegio (undated) – *Memoriale cum sum[m]ario* in the case *Romana praetensae Liberationis à molestijs*, signed Branca, arguing for the Duchess Filiziana Altemps, and against the College.

ff 174^r–179^v Appended dossier: *Summariu[m]*²⁰² with one document (1632).

*Lite tra il Collegio Ibernese, gli Arrighi, e Serratti: Salviano: per un Censo*²⁰³ 1713

Scrittura (undated) legal memorandum *Facti cum sum[m]ario* in the case *Romana [...]*, signed [Bentivengha], arguing for the College, and against the Duchess Lucrezia Arrighi and Gabrielle Seratti.

ff 75^r–78^v Appended dossier: *summariu[m]*²⁰⁴ with three documents (1709 – undated).²⁰⁵

ff 88^r–90^r *Altra Scrittura @ detti Seratti, ed Arrighi* (undated) – legal memorandum *Facti cum Sum[m]ario* in the case *Romana Salviani*, signed Bentivenga, as above.²⁰⁶

201 This and the following document seem to belong to the litigation with the Principe di Santa Croce.

202 Ff 176^r–177^v.

203 All legal documents belonging to this case are in manuscript, and all are signed for R.P.D. [Passari], excepting the summarising dossier, signed to R.P.D. [Al Met].

204 Ff 76^r–77^v. The *rubricella* lists both documents: 1) *Istromento di dazione in solutum della vigna fuori di Porta S. Sebastiano fatta da Giacomo Maria Arrighi a favore della di lui sorella Lucrezia*; 2) *Istromento dotale di detta Lucrezia*; 3) *Testamento d'Andrea Arrighi*.

205 F. 78^v, under the title, there are further brief notes on the case; one hand comments '*fù estinto e stà con il nostro Collegio di Tervi*' – the *rubricella* f. 5^r takes this to mean an investment, and the Jesuit College there.

206 The *summariu[m]* seems to merely consist of headings for two documents (f. 88^r), 1709–(undated).

ff 92r–130v *Copia di Tutti gli atti fatti in detta causa* (undated) – legal dossier compiled for the same case, signed by notary Babutius, as above. Copies of circa 18 legal documents (1693–1713), including Giovanni Andrea Arrighi's testament and list of property and valuables, adding a list of events (January to February 1713), and bill for legal fees. (Latin/Italian)

Lite fatta con Giovanni Battista Minimi per l'affare del Forno 1654 excepting the *Dieci conti* below which are related to a number of litigation cases)²⁰⁷
ff 196r, 202r *Conto del Minimi col Collegio 4 August 1654* – bill and receipt for fees paid by the College in the case *Romana societatis furni* against Minimi. (Latin)

Riscognizione di bonafede del pagamento di esso Minimi 17 June 1656 –

ff 197v, 201v sworn statement by Minimi as to the propriety of a transaction between the College (creditor of Giovanni Antonio Guinetti) and Giovanni Cristoforo Vitolli, concerning grain. (Italian)

ff 182r–195r, 203v, 205v *Dieci conti, e liste di spese fatte in diverse cause* 1713–1771 – file of bills and receipts concerning notarial and legal fees in cases of litigation, due by the College; including a bill for summonses issued on behalf of the College in 1738. (Six documents) (Italian)

ff 198r–200r *Copies Ordine di scudi 960 fatti pagare al Minimi – Riscossione del Minimi* 12 June 1652–28 May 1653 – file of documents, including copies, proving payment made to Minimi for grain by a Roman orphanage. (Six documents) (Italian)

ff 232r–233v [*Due*] *mandati esecutivi @ detto Minimi* 13 August 1654 – [legal order] and copy by Cardinal Antonio Barberini of the Camera Apostolica²⁰⁸ for the heirs of Marco A. Minimi to pay legal expenses to the College. (Two documents) (Latin)

207 See also memorandum misfiled and mistakenly listed below, from f. 229r.

208 He is cardinal priest at the church of the Holy Trinity on the Pincio.

***Lite colle Monache di S. Domenico e Sisto*²⁰⁹ 1705**

ff 206r–207r *Attestato del rettore Lucchesini, che nel giardino del Collegio non scorreva acqua di sorte alcuna dalla parte del giardino delle Monache- Altro simile – Minuta d’attesto che il Collegio nel suo giardino non ha mai sofferta servitù per li scoli delle acque di detto Mon[aste]ro* 27 April 1705 – sworn statements by present and past Rectors Lucchesini and Naselli; the wall dividing their garden from the monastery (Sisters of Magnapoli) should not have an opening; on two instances they closed drains to prevent harm to garden and students. (Two documents) (Italian)

ff 209r–216v, 219v *Scrittura in detta causa* (undated) – legal memorandum²¹⁰ *Facti* in the case *Romana manutentionis*, signed Bellonus, arguing for the College, and against the monastery of Santi Domenico e Sisto. (Latin)

ff 220r–221v, 224r–225v *Copy Istromento di concordia tra il M[onaste]ro e Collegio* 23 February 1706 – agreement between the two parties, signed [Cantrelli]. (Italian)

f. 222rv *Lista di spese fatte per la detta causa* (undated) – expenses list (unsigned) for legal fees in the case. (Italian)

***Lite tra Maria Tomassina Marini, ed il Mar[che]se Agostino Lombardi*²¹¹ 1750**
[also one document concerning the Minimi case, and another regarding the Duke of Sora and Duchess Boncompagni]

ff 226r–228v, 244r–246v *Scrittura per detta Marini* 1750 – legal memorandum *Responsio (videntibus omnibus)* in the case *Romana redditionis rationis*, signed Ronconi, in 24 points, arguing for Maria Thomasina Marini, and against Marchese Augustino Lombardi and others. (Latin)

ff 229r–231v, 241r–243v *Altra scrittura ‘Romana pecuniaria’* (undated) – legal memorandum in the pending case *Romana pecuniaria* concerning Minimi and Guinetti about a consignment of bread, signed Bottinius. (Latin)

ff 247r–249v, 264r–266v *Altra redditionis rationum* 8 May 1750 – legal memorandum *Memoriale cum Summario pro nova audientia pro Rota ...* in the case *Romana redditionis rationum*, signed Ronconi, as above ff 244ff. (Latin)

209 See related documents in Libri iii and xiv.

210 Signed for Riccio [auditor for the Sacra Rota].

211 All legal documents belonging to this case are printed, with the exception of the memorandum beginning f. 229r; they are mostly signed for Decano DeVais [auditor for the Sacra Rota]. The case centers on possession of bonds, from a legacy; the connection with the Irish College is not clear.

Altra super exhibitione Mandati Marchionis Augustini – Sommario 1749 – legal memorandum *Memoriale facti cum Summario* in the case *Romana redditionis rationum super exhibitione mandati Marchesi Augustini*, signed Ronconi, in 40 points, as above.

ff 250r–262v Appended dossier (1749): *Summarium*²¹² with 19 documents. First document: (1743) first summons for the two parties in the case. Last document: (1747) sworn statement by Lormardi concerning the administration of the bank. (Latin)

ff 234r–238r Copy *Scrittura mandata [dal] Duca di Sora [al] Rettore del Collegio Romano* 1690 [1691]²¹³ – memorandum by procurator general SJ Giovanni Battista Tolomei²¹⁴ for the tenth Duke of Sora, discussing practicalities of the Duchess Boncompagni receiving an annuity from the church of S. Ignazio; detailing financial history. (Latin)

212 Ff 255r–262v.

213 This makes it appear that the Duke had the document copied for the College. Pencil mark by [Curran] in *rubricella* – ‘*frutti del censo di scudi 36,666*’.

214 The copy was made when he was rector of the Collegio Romano; not yet cardinal.

Liber XIV

[Liti Diversi Parte II]

Rubricella: none – the loose-leaf *rubricella* for *Liti pars 2*, below (LL/Liber xiv pars vi *Rubricella*) does not match the contents of this volume.

Comments: The cover title does not apply anymore since the old pagination is entirely out of sequence, and the *rubricella* among the loose leaves (see below) does not match the content of this volume. This is the result of a mistake in binding a disparate number of files together which might have been put to one side to be better classed with other volumes; most have been taken from other Libri. Some files of documents belong together thematically, concerning students (deposits, viatici, Mass stipends for those already ordained); most others would be better bound with other like material (litigations, bills, correspondence).

f. 3^{rv} [1670–1671] Petition from Rector Michael Jordan and Fr Martin Francis Visus to Propaganda, seeking indulgences and devotional objects on behalf of Vitus who returns from Spain to Ireland. (Latin)

ff 4^r–15^r [some copies] [1687–1782] File of letters of reference for departing students, with a small dossier of sample references from the Collegium Germanicum-Hungaricum, the Irish College, and the English College (Rome). Students: Dr James Eustace [1687–1691]; Patrick O'Connor, Charles MacCarthy, Bernard Mathei [McMahon], John [Quigley]; Daniel O'Connor (all 1703); Patrick Ferrall (1765); John Lanigan, Thomas McCann (1782). (10 documents) (Latin/Italian)

ff 16^r–43^r 1653–1705 File of messages, receipts, declarations, mostly from College rectors to the customs authorities, asking passage for victuals – mostly wine grown in College vineyard, also salt (annual quota for the College as alms), coal; also passage for students' possessions after their villeggiatura 1703 at Castel Gandolfo. (26 documents) (Italian/Latin)

ff 46^r–60^v [undated] Draft petition by [Irish College students to Cardinal Marefoschi] – this is an earlier draft, unsystemised but fuller in some points, for the document filed below. (Italian)²¹⁵

215 This was taken from Liber xi where the *rubricella* lists it for f. 11 (old foliation). For the final version See Liber xxiii (ff 216^r–226^v); this draft lacks the rector's replies.

ff 63r–80v Printed *Constitutiones Collegii Ludovisiani Hibernorum* (Rome 1773) (Latin). With preface by Cardinal Marefoschi, and list of protectors and visitations since foundation; in nine chapters – the rules are based on Wadding's *Institutiones* of 1628.²¹⁶

ff 83r–109r 1681–1777 (23 documents) – receipts and list of deposits made by and returned to students of the Irish College (widely varying amounts). Students: Matthew Forstal, Michael Tyrrell, [Hyacinth] Bodkin (all 1716), Constantine O'Neill (1717), John Hanly (1719), John Cassinus, James Gallagher (both 1720), James Reynolds (1731), Edmund FitzGerald (1760), Edward Barry, Anthony O'Donnell, John Allen, Charles Waters, Richard [FitzGerald], Christopher Barneval, John Harlin (all 1772), James Connell, John Jackson (1773), Edward Kennedy, Edmund Raymond (both 1774), Patrick Nolan, John Sinnet (both 1775), Michael O'Carroll, William Burke, Domenico Malpieri, Antonio Maria Ciccarelli (1777).²¹⁷

ff 112r–113v 24 November 1625/ 8 May 1628 – Copy of two decrees of the Congregation of Propaganda Fide on students' *viatica* and related oaths (including oath formulae). (Latin)²¹⁸

ff 114r–115v [undated] Copy letter²¹⁹ from the Rector of the Irish College to Cardinal Protector Antonio Barberini; the decree allotting each student a certain sum as viaticum has been neglected. (Italian)

216 See f. 62r, Curran states this properly belongs in Liber xxvii which contains other rules.

217 Other deposits paid can be found in general accounts files, such as those by Michael Tyrrell and James Cusack, Liber xviii, f. 83v. This entire file was originally in Liber xi where it is listed in the *rubricella*.

218 This was transferred from Liber xi; see that *rubricella* (f. 3v), '*assegnamento di scudi 15...*': the second decree permits students 15 *scudi*. Another copy is found in Liber xxiii, f. 116r.

219 This was transferred from Liber xi, see that *rubricella* (f. 4r): '*Supplica al cardinale Barbarini (sic)...*'.

ff 116r–152r 1648–1774 (32 documents) Students' *viatica*:²²⁰ receipts from students for sums received (usually *c.* 25 *scudi*) to be repaid on their return to Ireland. Students: Thomas Luttrell 1648, Henry Hugonius [McHugh] 1675, John Dalau [Daly] 1675, William Everard 1678, Richard Shortall 1688, Robert Plunkett 1689, Hugh Malthus [Matthews/McMahon] 1689, James Eustace 1690, Richard Moloney 1690, [Padre Mariano Alessandri] 1692, John Molony 1694, Charles [Lavery] 1695, Walter Costello 1697, Daniel Cahill 1698, [Bar Redi] 1698, Francis Russell 1699 & 1701, Enea O'Driscoll 1699, Cornelius Croly 1701, John Gargan 1701, James Cusack 1716, Hyacinth Bodkin 1716 & 1717, John Daly 1717, Matthew Forstall 1718, Constantine O'Neill 1718, John Hanly 1719, Bernard McDermott 1720, James Ferrall 1720, Cornelius Bohilly 1720 [with additional note 1743], John Cassinus 1720, four unnamed students 1721, [John Reilly] 1736, Sanseverino Colonna 1737,²²¹ Henry Burke 1759, Edmund Raimond²²² 1774. (Italian/Latin)

ff 156r–213v [Some copies] *Legato di Pasquale Carboni ... ricevute [e] riduzione di dette Messe* 1699–1784 (23 documents) Legacy of Mass intentions²²³ of Pasquale Carboni – file of receipts, lists of Masses celebrated, and congregational approbation of reduction of Masses (1751 and 1784). Most celebrants are students at the Irish College; most Masses celebrated in the College chapel, others at Castel Gandolfo, St Isidore's. Celebrants: Francis Russell 1699, John Gargan 1700 & 1701, Anthony [Higner] (St Isidore's) 1700, Bonaventura deBurgo 1701 (St Isidore's), Enea O'Driscoll 1699, Michael Lincaeus [Lynch] 1702, Daniel O'Connor 1703, Charles McCarthy 1703, Teseo Renzini (Perugia) 1705, Bernard Matthew [McMahon] 1706, Edmund Magrath [...], Hugh O'Reilly 1708 & 1710, James Cusack 1716, John Daly 1717, Michael Tyrrell 1717, Roche Matthew [McMahon] 1726, Henry Nowlan 1744, James White 1746, Thomas Bourke 1747, James Tyrrell 1748–1750, Gaetano Barletto (S. Nicolo in Arcione) 1751, Giovanni Bazza Guelfi (S. Nicolo) 1751, Dominick Gallagher 1752, John Geoghegan 1754, John Butler 1755 & 1757, William Doyle 1756, Henry Burke 1758/1759, Edmund FitzGerald 1759, Anthony Young (St Isidore's) 1762, Anthony Rooney, Francis Pettit, Pat Murtaugh, Bonaventure O'Brien, James O'Donnell, Patrick Bryan, Michael Creagh, William O'Brien (all 1762). (Italian/Latin)

220 This was transferred from Liber xi; seven students now filed here are not listed in the *rubricella* for that volume (Luttrell, Richard Moloney, Eustace, [Redi], Colonna, Burke, Raymond). Two further documents that formed part of this file remain in Liber xi (ff 92–94). Other *viatica* paid may be found in general accounts files, such as the sum payed to Bernard McMahon in 1706, Liber xviii, f. 69v.

221 He had come from the Collegio Illirio to be Prefect of Studies (f. 150r). He was not listed in the *rubricella* (Liber xi). The document for Ferdinando Moldanari, listed in that *rubricella*, is missing here.

222 The *rubricella* of Liber xi (f. 3v) listed this item without giving a name, '*altri scudi 80...*'.

223 These were transferred from Liber xix, see *rubricella* there f. 6v.

ff 216r–229r 1671–1785 File of disparate documents, mostly bills and letters of credit, also bill for notarial service in the College’s litigation against the Collegio Romano (1671) and work contract for notary Nicola Ferri (1773). (10 documents) (Italian)²²⁴

ff 233r–240r 2 July 1683–1688 July 1684 – file of receipts from Hugh McKeane for the rector of the Irish College, concerning his monthly allowances ‘*mio sostenimento*’. (Eight documents) (Italian)

ff 241r–265v 1696–1792 – file of receipts and bills (including a booklet) from notaries for the Irish College, including bill for publication of Thomas Costello’s doctoral thesis. (12 documents) (Italian)

ff 267r–276v 1696–1751 – File of receipts from workmen, including vineyard workers (1696 and 1724). (10 documents) (Italian)

ff 279r–286v 8 October 1637 – [agreements] concerning land owned by Maddalena wife of Giovanni Francesco and Maria [Iugales] in Arquate [Montoldorio], sold to Franco [Furnari], drawn up by parish priest Hippolitus Girardengus of Santo Iacobo. (Two documents) (Latin)²²⁵

ff 287r, 288v 27 January 1734 – Copy of order by Pietro Marsi to Monte della Pietà to pay a sum now held by James III of England in charity to the hospital and church of S. Giacomo degl’ Incurabili.²²⁶

f. 289rv *Altro simile tratto dal Collegio Ibernese a favore d’Agostino Maria Gavotti* [undated] Agreement signed by Rector Naselli, Irish College, with the Sacro Monte della Pietà di Roma (bank), concerning the monthly payment of a sum originally imposed by Cardinal Protector Panciatici. (Italian)

224 These were originally in Liber xvi, see *rubricella* there from f. 159 (old foliation).

225 These were originally in Liber xvi, see *rubricella* there from f. 199 (old foliation).

226 This was originally in Liber xvi, see *rubricella* there from f. 214 (old foliation).

ff 291r–324v [some copies] 1697–1757 – file of documents²²⁷ mostly pertaining to the College's use of the Acqua Felice from Monte Cavallo (Quirinal hill): petitions from the College and the Jesuit superiors to Cardinal Imperiali, to Innocent XII and XIII, and decrees from both Popes (1698 and [1721–1724]); correspondence with Propaganda Fide, the Marchese del Grillo and the Monastery of SS. Domenico e Sisto (all neighbours of the College); memoranda and statements about the legal and physical state of affairs; estimates and receipts of workmen pertaining to the water duct. Following the donation of a portion ('*oncia d'acqua*') of the Acqua Felice by the church and hospital of S. Maria della Consolazione to the College, papal approbation (1697), and an agreement reached with the Marchese del Grillo (1698), problems over right of way with the Dominicans prevail necessitating a second decree from Innocent XIII. Repeatedly invoking Ireland's suffering under the heretics pleading in favour of the College's access to water (e.g. petition to Innocent XII [undated] f. 295r). Repairs are necessary for damage done to the refectory by faulty piping [undated]. By 1757 another agreement is reached with del Gallo on a diversion of the water. A garden at the foot of Monte Cavallo is mentioned (f. 295r). (23 documents) (Italian/Latin)

f. 327rv 23 August 1820 – copy memorandum on a legal case between a pontifical agency and Giovanni Bacile, *Procuratore del Collegio Ibernese*, against two private parties resident in Tolentino, concerning investments made on behalf of the College. (Italian)

227 This was originally in Liber xvi, see *rubricella* there from f. 218 (old foliation).

Liber XV

*Lite de' Vacabili**Rubricella* (ff 2r–4r)***Causa Officii Vacabilis di Ripa concerning Signori Millini, Duke of Altemps, and others***

ff 5r–6v, 13r *Foglio d'istruzione sopra detta causa* [post 1749] – memorandum (unsigned) by rector of the College for their lawyer Calsamiglia in the case *officii vacabilis di Ripa*,²²⁸ adjudicated by Caprara. (Italian)

ff 7rv, 12rv *Altro Foglio simile* (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) by the College, listing and commenting on the damage payable because of Benedict XIV's suppression of *ufficii vacabili* and various successful claimants; details of court cases 1745 and 1746. (Italian)

ff 8r, 11v *Memoriale dato a nome del Collegio a Benedetto XIV per idendizare la pia fondazione a proposito di detta causa* (undated) – petition from the College to Benedict XIV, following the Sacra Rota decision in favour of Prince S. Croce, asking for aid with the costs incurred. (Italian)

ff 9r–10r *Decisione coram [Verospio] de' 9 Maggio [1759]*²²⁹ – memorandum (unsigned) addressed to [...] Vezospio stating details of the case *Romana officii*. (Latin)

ff 15r–42r *Simile ... coram Molino ... 1745–1756* – decisions made by various [auditors of the Sacra Rota]²³⁰ concerning the *Romana officii vacabilis* and various cases where the College is tried for the loss of offices by the Prince S. Croce and Count Millini, Duke Altemps, the monastery of S. Pudenziana, and others; also petitions for damages. (10 documents) (Latin)

ff 43r, 52v *Ricevuta di scudi 88 pagati al Principe S. Croce per conto di spese di detta causa* 26 April 1747 – receipt for sums received from Rector [Fitzgerald] for litigation expenses. (Italian)

228 Concerning the office *Porzione di Ripa*, belonging to Cardinal Ludovisi after the death of Carlo Soderini and given to Alessandro Pallavicini in 1624. Also mentioning the Duke Altemps, the Millini, Marchese Mari, the Serra brothers, as connected with the now suppressed office.

229 The date on the document is 1659.

230 190 Molino, Caprara, Bussio; these printed documents were listed in the *rubricella* only by date and as '*altra [decisione]...*' They are usually entitled '*super Liberatione à molestijs*', otherwise '*super relevatione*', '*super reportatione*'.

ff 44v–46v [...] *Ricevuta dal copista per copia di scritture* 1769 – receipts for sums received from the College for work for the same case. (Three documents) (Italian)

f. 47v *Altra del curiale per spese vive* (undated) – bill from curial notary for expenses in the same case. (Latin)

Scritture per il Collegio

ff 48r, 51v *Romana seu Januen[sis] Officii Vacabilis de Lilio super reportazione* (undated) – legal memorandum²³¹ *Memoriale pro expedizione ...* in the case *Romana seu Januen[sis] vacabilis de Lilio*, signed Ronconi, arguing for the College, and against Duke Altemps and others. (Latin)

ff 49r–50v *Simile super Liberatione a Molestiis* (undated) – legal memorandum²³² *Responsio ...* in the case *Romana officii vacabilij – super Liberatione à molestiis*, signed Palazzetti, arguing for the Monastery of S. Pudenziana and against the College. (Latin)

ff 53r–58v *Altra super relevazione* (undated) – legal memorandum²³³ *Facti cum duabus iniunctis decisionibus* in the case *Romana officiorum vacabilium*, signed Ronconi, arguing for the College and against Duke Altemps and others. (Latin)

ff 59rv, 68rv *Altra super Liberatione a molestiis* (undated) – draft legal memorandum²³⁴ *Replicatio cum novo summario* in the case *Romana officii vacabilis – super Liberatione à molestiis*, signed de Sacchettis, arguing for the College and against the Prince S. Croce. (Latin)

ff 60r–66r *Altra super reportatione – Instrumento dell' acquisto ...* (undated) – draft legal memorandum in the case *Romana officij vacabilis – super reportatione*, signed Ronconi, on the ownership of the Villa Tusculana. Appended *Summarium* with one document: (1621) deed of acquisition of the villa by Cardinal Ludovisi from the Altemps family. (Latin)

ff 69rv, 80rv *Altra scrittura super relevatione* (undated) – draft legal memorandum²³⁵ *Memoriale pro exped[itio]ne* in the case *Romana officiorum vacabilium – super relevatione*, signed Ronconi, arguing for the College and against Duke Altemps and others. (Latin)

231 Signed for Bussio [auditor of the Sacra Rota].

232 Signed for Molino [auditor of the Sacra Rota].

233 Signed for Caprara [auditor of the Sacra Rota].

234 Signed for Caprara [auditor of the Sacra Rota].

235 Signed for Caprara [auditor of the Sacra Rota].

ff 70r-75r, 79v *Altra Officii portionis Ripae* (undated) – draft legal memorandum²³⁶ *3a Facti ac respectivè responsio* in the case *Romana seu Januen[is] officii vacabilis-Portionis Ripae*, signed Ronconi, arguing for the the heirs of Cardinal Ludovisi and the College, and against Count Carlo Doria. (Latin)²³⁷

ff 77r-78v *Sentenza a favore del Collegio @ Carlo Leopoldo Dorio* [20 September 1754] – copy summary of legal sentence issued by de Zelada on the matter of the office *Portione Ripae*. (Latin)

ff 81r-86v *Protesta fatta negli atti sopra la spedizione di detta causa* (undated) – *Summarium*²³⁸ with five documents in the case *Romana seu Januensis Officii Vacabilis – Portionis Ripae*, arguing for the heirs of Cardinal Ludovisi and the College. First document: (1622–1713) register entries from the Dataria Apostolica. Last document: (undated) legal sentence by Carracciani in the case between Spinola and the College. (Latin)

ff 87r-88v, 96v *Altra Scrittura [portionis Ripae]* (undated) – legal memorandum²³⁹ *Facti, sive responsio cum ... relatione [d] Adm[inistrato]ris componendarum et decis[i]one ingressa coram reverendissimo Molino* in the case *Romana seu Januen[is] pnsi [pretensi] vacabilis – Portionis Ripae*, signed Ronconi, arguing for the College and against Marchese Mari. (Latin)²⁴⁰

ff 89rv, 94r *Altra simile, ove fa risoluto, che la [r]esoluzione non afficiat Collegium* 11–12 July 1745 – draft legal memoranda (unsigned) on the case involving the College and the Prince S. Croce. (Two documents) (Latin/Italian)

ff 90r-92v *Altra super relevatione – altra simile* [27] February 1747 – two draft legal memoranda²⁴¹ [*Memoriale pro expeditione*] in the case *Romana officionum vacablum – super relevatione*, arguing for the College and against Duke Pallavicini. (Two documents) (Latin)

236 Signed for Zelada [auditor of the Sacra Rota].

237 A different hand states under the endorsement that [damages] were awarded to the College on 20 September 1754; see f. 77.

238 Signed for Zelada [auditor of the Sacra Rota].

239 Signed for Pirellio [auditor of the Sacra Rota].

240 The same hand states under the endorsement that the information was passed on to the parties 3 March 1760.

241 Signed for Caprara [auditor at the Sacra Rota]; only the first is dated.

ff 97r-98v, 101r-102v [draft] *Summarium additionalē*²⁴² (undated and unsigned) in the case *Romana officiorum vacabilium super relevatione*, arguing for the College, with two documents (1670 and 1747) on the sale of bonds, and of Zagarolo (Latin)

ff 99r-100v *Altra Scrittura an sit standum, vel recedendum a [decisis]* (undated) – legal draft memorandum *Facti cum preinpersa dec[ision]e* in the case *Romana seu Januen[sis] officii vacabilis de Lilio*, signed Ronconi, arguing for the College and against Duke Altemps. (Latin)

ff 103r-114v *Altra an constet de credito* 1771 – legal memorandum²⁴³ *Restrictus facti et iuris* in the case *Romana dau Januen[sis] praetensi officii vacabilis*, signed Capocchiani and Pacifici, arguing for the heirs of Ludovisi and the College, and against Marchese Cattaneo Pinelli and Giacobbo Cattaneo, in 37 points. (Latin)

ff 115r-202v *Costituzione di Benedetto XV [sic] sulla soppressione de' vacabili* 1771 – *Summarium*²⁴⁴ for the case *Romana seu Januen[sis] praetensi officii vacabilis*, with 16 documents. First document: (1741) Benedict XIV's suppression of *officii vacabili*. Last document: (1766) list of offices deriving from Cardinal Ludovisi. (Latin)

ff 203rv, 210rv *Altra scrittura* 1771 – legal memorandum²⁴⁵ *Responsio* in the case *Romana seu Januen[sis] praetensi officii vacabilis*, signed Pacifici, arguing for the College and against Prince S. Croce, in 8 points. (Latin)

Altra 1746 – legal memorandum²⁴⁶ *Restrictus facti et iuris* in the case *Romana officii vacabilis – super praetensa Liberatione à molestiis*, signed Francucci, Gianantonio, Sacchetti, arguing for the College and against Prince S. Croce, in 23 points.

ff 204r-209v, 211rv, 216v Appended dossier 1746: *Summarium* with one document (1746): *La più parte del prezzo di Zacarolo investita in LL.MM. [Luoghi di Monte]* (Latin)

Altra scrittura super Liberatione a molestiis 1746 – legal memorandum²⁴⁷ *Responsio* in the same case, signed Sacchetti, in 13 points, as above.

242 Signed for Caprara [auditor at the Sacra Rota].

243 Signed for Origo [auditor at the Sacra Rota].

244 Signed for Origo [auditor at the Sacra Rota].

245 Signed for Origo [auditor at the Sacra Rota].

246 Signed for Caprara [auditor at the Sacra Rota].

247 Signed for Caprara [auditor at the Sacra Rota].

ff 212r–215v Appended *Summarium* with three documents. First and last documents: (1746) about the court summons Dominico Lombardi and others (Latin)

Altra an sit standum, vel [reddendum] a decisis 1746 – legal memorandum²⁴⁸ *Responsio cum summario* in the same case, signed Sacchetti, in 24 points, as above.

ff 217r–219v, 224r–226v Appended dossier: *Summarium* with one document (1746) on the sale of Zagarolo. (Latin)²⁴⁹

ff 220r–223v *Altra super Liberatione* 1746 – legal memorandum²⁵⁰ *Responsio cum summario*, in the same case, signed Sacchetti, in 12 points, as above. Appended dossier: *Summarium* with two documents (1745); legal sentences in the case.

Altra simile 1745 – legal memorandum²⁵¹ *Memoriale pro nova audientia*, in the same case, signed Sacchetti, in 21 points, as above.

ff 227–234v [Appended] dossier: *Summarium* with eight documents. First document [1632]: testament of Cardinal Ludovisi. Last document (1745): legal decision in favour of College against all creditors. (Latin)²⁵²

Altra scrittura super Liberatione 1746 – legal memorandum²⁵³ *Memoriale pro nova audientia* in the same case, signed Sacchetti, in 21 points, as above.

ff 235r–239v, 246rv [Appended] dossier: *summarium* with three documents. First document: (1670) obligation of College to invest its legacy. Last document: (1671) letter of obligation for one of creditors of Ludovisi heirs, Victoria Lomellini. (Latin)

ff 240r–245v *Altra simile* 1750 – legal memorandum²⁵⁴ *Facti* in the case *Romana officii vacabilis – super Liberatione à molestiis*, signed Ronconi, in 47 points, arguing for the heirs of Ludovisi and the College, and against the monastery of S. Pudenziana. (Latin)

248 Signed for Caprara [auditor at the Sacra Rota].

249 Handwritten addition: on 11 March 1746 ‘*in decisis iuxta decisione annexam à V. Collegio acceptata*’.

250 Signed for Caprara [auditor at the Sacra Rota].

251 Signed for Caprara [auditor at the Sacra Rota].

252 Handwritten addition: on 13 December 1745 ‘*audiatur advers[iam] decisionem contumaciam annexam*’.

253 Signed for Caprara [auditor at the Sacra Rota].

254 Signed for Molino [auditor at the Sacra Rota].

Altra super relevatione 1747 – legal memorandum²⁵⁵ *Memoriale pro nova audientia* in the case *Romana officiorum vacabiliū – super relevatione*, signed Gianantonio and Sacchetti, in 6 points, arguing for the College and against Luca Pallavicini.

ff 247rv, 252rv Appended dossier: *Summarium* with two documents (1648 and 1670) on the ownership of Zagarolo. (Latin/Italian)

ff 248r–251v *Altra super reportatione* (undated) – legal memorandum *Super reportatione* in the case *Romana seu Ianuen[sis] Vacabilis de Lilio*, signed Ronconi, in 26 points. (Latin)

ff 253r–258v *Altra scrittura* 13 March 1749 – legal memorandum²⁵⁶ *Facti cum summario* in the case *Romana restitutionis in integrum*, signed Ronconi, in 38 points, arguing for the College and against Prince S. Croce. (Latin)

ff 259rv, 266rv *Altra restitutionis in integram* (undated) – legal memorandum in the same case, signed Ronconi, in 17 points [as above]. (Latin)

ff 260r–265v 1749 – legal memorandum and dossier *Summarium*²⁵⁷ (unsigned) in the case *Romana Circumscriptionis*, with 8 supporting documents. First document: (1745) litigation with R.P.D. Mario Millini. Last document: (1744) litigaton between Marchese Spinola and Millini over an office. (Latin)

ff 267r–268v, 275r–276v *Altra super reportatione* 1750 – legal memorandum²⁵⁸ *Facti* in the case *Romana officii vacabilis – super reportatione quatenus*, signed Ronconi, in 33 points, arguing for the College and against the Monastero della Santissima Concezione, the Duke Altemps, and Prince Borghese. (Latin)

ff 269rv, 274rv *Altra super relevatione* 1747 – legal memorandum²⁵⁹ *Responsio cum summario* in the case *Romana officiorum vacabiliū – super relevatione*, signed Gianantonio, Sacchetti, in 10 points, arguing for the College and against Luca Pallavicini. Appended *Summarium* with one document (1747).

255 Signed for Caprara [auditor at the Sacra Rota].

256 Signed for Franceschi (auditor at the Signatura Iustitiae); the *Summarium* appears to be missing.

257 Signed for Franceschini [auditor at the Sacra Rota].

258 Signed for Molino [auditor at the Sacra Rota].

259 Signed for Caprara [auditor at the Sacra Rota].

ff 270r–273v *Altra super Liberatione* 1749 – legal memorandum²⁶⁰ *Responsio cum summario viden[tibus]* 5,6&7 in the case *Romana officii vacabilis – super praetensa Liberatione à molestiis*, signed Ronconi, arguing for the heirs to Cardinal Ludovisi and the College, and against the Monastery of S. Pudentiana, in 31 points. Appended dossier: *Summarium* with four documents. First document: (1623) statement on the value of a papal knighthood.²⁶¹ Last document: (1749) statement on the sale of *officii vacabiles* by Cardinal Ludovisi. (Latin/Italian)

ff 277r–278v, 292r–293v *Altra simile* 1748/1749 – legal memoranda²⁶² *Memoriale pro nova audientia* in the case *Romana officii vacabilis super praetensa Liberatione à molestiis*, signed Ronconi, arguing for the heirs of Ludovisi and the College, and against the monastery of S. Pudenziana. (Two documents) (Latin)

Scritture contrarie

ff 279rv, 291v *Super Liberatione a molestiis* (undated) – draft legal memorandum²⁶³ *Memoriale pro exped[iz]ion[e]* in the case *Romana officii vacabilis – super Liberatione à molestijs*, signed Palazzetti, arguing for the Prince S. Croce and against the College. (Latin)

ff 279Arv, 290rv *Altra simile* (undated) – draft legal memorandum²⁶⁴ *Resp[onsi]o ad ... memoriale pro dilat[ion]e* in the case *Romana officii vacabilis – super Liberatione à molestijs*, signed Martini, arguing for the Prince S. Croce and against the College. (Latin)

ff 280rv, 289v *Altra super relevatione* 1747 – legal memorandum²⁶⁵ *Memoriale pro nova audientia* in the case *Romana officii vacabilis – super praetensa relevatione*, signed Clementini, in 4 points, arguing for Luca Pallavicini, and against the College. (Latin)

ff 281r–288v *Altra* 28 August 1755 – legal memorandum²⁶⁶ *Facti* in the case *Romana officii vacabilis*, signed Pacchiani, in 46 points, arguing for the Duke Altemps and against the Prince S. Croce and others.

260 Signed for Molino [auditor at the Sacra Rota].

261 *officium militis pium*.

262 Signed for Molino [auditor at the Sacra Rota].

263 Signed for Molino [auditor at the Sacra Rota].

264 Signed for Caprara [auditor at the Sacra Rota].

265 Signed for Caprara [auditor at the Sacra Rota].

266 Signed for Origo [auditor at the Sacra Rota].

ff 294r–295v, 310r–311v 1755 – legal memorandum and dossier²⁶⁷ *Summarium* in the case *Romana officii vacabilis* with six documents. First document: (undated) legal sentence in case between Prince S. Croce and the heirs of Ludovisi. Last document: (1624) statement on the sale of offices by the Dataria. (Latin)²⁶⁸

ff 296r–297v, 308r–309v *Altra scrittura super reservatio* 1746 – legal memorandum²⁶⁹ *Facti in secunda propositione* in the case *Romana Liberationis à molestiis – super reservatis*, signed Martini and Clementini, in 21 points, arguing for the Prince S. Croce and the Millini, and against the College and others. (Latin)

ff 298rv, 307rv *Altra supe[r] Liberatione a molestiis* 1746 – legal memorandum²⁷⁰ *Responsio facti* in the case *Romana officii vacabilis – super Liberatione à molestiis*, signed Martini, in 10 points, arguing for the Prince S. Croce, against the heirs of Ludovisi and the College. (Latin)

ff 299r–300v, 305r–306v *Altra simile* 1747 – legal memorandum²⁷¹ *Restrictus responsionis facti et iuris* in the case *Romana Liberationis à molestiis – super reservatis*, signed Cattaneo, Martini, Clementini, in 18 points, arguing for the Prince S. Croce and the Millini, and against the College and others. (Latin)

Altra simile 1746 – legal memorandum²⁷² *Secunda facti cum summario in secunda propositione* in the case *Romana officii vacabilis – super Liberatione à molestiis*, signed Martini, in 19 points, arguing for Prince S. Croce and against the heirs of Ludovisi and the College.

ff 301r–304v Appended dossier: *Summarium* with three documents. First document: (1744) statement of the case of the Ludovisi heirs against the Prince S. Croce. Last document: (1744) decree against the College to pay a sum to S. Croce. (Latin)

ff 312rv, 329rv *Altra simile* 1746 – legal memorandum²⁷³ *Responsio facti* in the case *Romana officii vacabilis – super Liberatione à molestiis*, signed Martini, in 10 points, arguing for Prince S. Croce and against the Ludovisi heirs and the College. (Latin)

267 Signed for Origo [auditor at the Sacra Rota].

268 Document 5 lists the substantial amount of offices sold by Ludovisi in 1623 to Alessandro Pallavicini.

269 Signed for Caprara [auditor at the Sacra Rota].

270 Signed for Caprara [auditor at the Sacra Rota].

271 Signed for Caprara [auditor at the Sacra Rota].

272 Signed for Caprara [auditor at the Sacra Rota]; with a handwritten endorsement.

273 Signed for Caprara [auditor at the Sacra Rota].

ff 313rv, 328v *Altra simile* 1746 – legal memorandum²⁷⁴ *Facti* in the case *Romana officii vacabilis – super praetensa Liberatione à molestiis*, signed Ferrarius, in five points, arguing for the Duke Salviati and against the College. (Latin)

ff 314r–317v, 324r–327v *Altra super reportatione* [date erased] – legal memorandum *Restrictus facti [et iuris]* in the case *Romana seu Januen[sis] officii vacabilis militis de Lilio*, signed Garatono et al., in 34 points, arguing for the Duke Altemps and against de Serra and others. (Latin)

Altra super Liberatione 1750 – legal memorandum *Memoriale pro nova audientia* in the case *Romana officii vacabilis – super pretensa Liberatione à molestiis*, signed Montano, in 36 points, arguing for Duchess Altemps and others, and against the monastery of S. Pudenziana and others.

ff 318r–323v, 336rv, 353rv [Appended] dossier: *summarium* with one document: (undated) report for the Dataria on certain offices and their holders (Latin)

ff 330r–335v *Officii Vacabilis Militis de Lilio* 1757 – legal memorandum²⁷⁵ *Restrictus facti et Iuris* in the case *Romana officii vacabilis militis de Lilio*, signed Cedro, Montani, in 21 points, arguing for the Marchese Marcello de Serra and against the College. (Latin)

Altra avanti la Segnatura 1749 – legal memorandum²⁷⁶ *Facti* in the case *Romana*, heard before the *Signatura Iustitiae*, signed Clementini, in 14 points, arguing for Cardinal Mario Mellini and others and against the College.²⁷⁷

ff 337r–353v Appended dossier: *Summarium* with 25 documents. First document (1744): mandate for Prince S. Croce to receive a sum from the College for *vacabili*. Last document (1748): legal instance in the case. (Latin/Italian)

ff 354r–357v, 366r–369v *Romana circumscriptionis* 1749 – legal memorandum²⁷⁸ *Facti* in the case *Romana Circumscriptionis*, signed Ronconi, in 69 points, arguing for the heirs of Cardinal Ludovisi and against Cardinal Millini. (Latin)

274 Signed for Caprara [auditor at the Sacra Rota].

275 Signed for Bussio [auditor at the Sacra Rota].

276 Signed for Franceschi [auditor at the Sacra Rota].

277 Ronconi is named here as the College's advocate of the defence, e.g. f. 349v.

278 Signed for Franceschi [auditor at the Sacra Rota].

ff 358rv, 365rv *Altra Officii Vacabilis* 1749 – legal memorandum²⁷⁹ *Responsio* in the case *Romana officii vacabilis*, signed Ronconi, in 19 points, arguing for the heirs of Cardinal Ludovisi and against the de Serra brothers (Latin)

ff 359r–360v, 363r–364v 1750 – legal dossier²⁸⁰ *Summarium* in the case *Romana officii vacabilis – super Liberatione à molestiis*, arguing for the heirs of Ludovisi and the College, with 11 documents. First document: (1749) statement on the value of certain offices. Last document: (1747) legal judgement in a case between the Monastery of S. Pudenziana and the heirs of Ludovisi. (Latin/Italian)

ff 361r–362v *Altra super Liberazione* 1750 – legal memorandum *Replicatio* in the case *Romana officii vacabilis – super pretensae Liberatione à molestiis*, signed Montani, in nine points, arguing for the Duchess Altemps and against the monastery of S. Pudenziana. (Latin)

ff 370rv, 379rv *Foglio di Relazione della detta causa* (undated) – draft memorandum by [Sacchetti, for the College], with information about the pending cases against the College concerning *officii vacabili* and now heard by the Segnatura, including the office of Cattaneo's knighthood. (Italian)

f. 371r *Sentenza di Monsignor Caprara a favore del Collegio* 2 June 1755 – copy summary of legal sentence issued by Caprara, auditor of the Sacra Rota, in the litigation between the College and Duke Altemps about two suppressed offices;²⁸¹ finding in favour of the College. (Latin)

ff 372r, 377v 20 July 1762 – copy summary of legal sentence issued by Pirelli [...] in the litigation between the Marchese Mari and the Irish College about one suppressed office;²⁸² finding in favour of the College. (Latin)

ff 373r–376r, 380r–390v *Sette note di spese fatte nella lite* [1746–1766]²⁸³ – file of bills, summaries of expenses, receipts, concerning cases of litigation pursued by the College against various parties including Marchese Cattaneo Pirelli, Marchese Spinola and Millini, the Prince S. Croce, Pallavicini. (Seven documents) (Latin/Italian)

279 Signed for Molino [auditor at the Sacra Rota].

280 Signed for Molino [auditor at the Sacra Rota].

281 *officii vacabiles nuncupat S. Petri ac Portionis Ripae*; one occupied by the Prince S. Croce for scudi 1,680 and the other by the brothers de Mellini for scudi 940.

282 F. 372r *officium Portionis Ripae*; – the case was the *Romana seu Januen[sis] officii vacabili*.

283 However, ff 385v was an earlier receipt from 1714 for a certain Cicelli for legal fees.

Liber XVI

Rubricella (ff 3r–8v)*Bolle, costituzioni e privilegi*

ff_{14rv, 27v} *Privilegio concesso da Pio VI di poter celebrare nelle cappelle del Collegio* 1782 – petition from rector and students of the College to Pius VI to extend all faculties for a church to their College chapel since the original brief has been lost; petition granted 9 September by Cardinal Rezzonico and extended also to the chapel in their summer residence. (Italian/Latin)

ff_{15rv, 26v} *Indulgenza quotidiana per quelli che visitano l'imagini del Cuor di Gesù nelle cappelle delli collegj Ibernese, Inglese, Greco, Maronita, Scozzese, e Seminario Romano* 1767 – petition from the colleges named for an indulgence of 100 days; granted 18 September by Cardinal Rezzonico. (Italian/Latin)²⁸⁴

ff_{16–21r} *Copy Bolla d'Urbano VIII colla quale si concedono le facultà agli alunni del Collegio Ibernese di poter esser ordinati in 3 [giorni] festivi agli ordini sagri ed in uno o 4 giorni anche feriali di minori* (no date) dossier of papal bull of Urban VIII and brief of Innocent X concerning ordinations, and granting the *iuspatronatum* of the College to the Ludovisi. (Latin)²⁸⁵

ff_{28r–29v, 46r–47r} *Copy Breve diretto all'Eminentissimo Marefoschi per la visita del Collegio di Clemente XIV* 18 September 1772 – brief signed Cardinal [Nigronus] for Marefoschi's mission. (Latin)

ff_{30r, 45v} *Dispensa di nove mesi per essere ordinato sacerdote* 1755 – petition by Rector Brennan to Benedict XIV for dispensation to ordain William Doyle despite his youth; granted 26 December. (Italian/Latin)²⁸⁶

ff_{31rv, 44rv} *Copy Breve d'Alessandro VII concedente al generale de' Gesuiti un vicario* [1661] – petition by superior general SJ Goswin Nickel to Alexander VII for a coadjutor general; granted 1 June. (Latin)

284 With reference by Rector Andrew Ryan to the original document extant in the Jesuit novitiate at S. Andrea.

285 The second part of the document is described in the *rubricella* as a separate one, *Breve d'Innocenzo X col quale si concede al Principe Ludovisi ed eredi il Iuspatronato del Collegio*. The present Ludovisi, Niccolò, is heir through the female line.

286 Signed by secretary. Doyle will serve the *Congregazione de' Giovani Collegiali* before leaving for Ireland.

ff 32r, 43v *Privilegio di PP. Pio VI concedente ai protettori del Collegio Ibernese di pote' ricever gli alunni minori d'anni 16 [non] maggiori di 20* 1782 – petition by Cardinal Protector Salviati to Pius VI for reverting to the rule of the Council of Trent on the lower age level of twelve for admissible students,²⁸⁷ granted 9 September (Italian/Latin)

ff 33rv, 42rv *Copy Bolla di rassegna d'un beneficio eretto nella chiesa di S. Giovanni Evangelista Leodien[sis]* 22 August 1727 – bull from [Innocent XIII] confirming benefice held by College cleric Peter Creagh²⁸⁸ at the church named in Liège. (Latin)

f. 34v 1729 – petition from Peter Creagh, student at the College, to Benedict XIII for a chaplaincy at St Stephen's, Tournai, granted 20 April. (Latin)²⁸⁹

ff 35r–37v, 39r–41r *Facoltà concesse al generale de' Gesuiti di legger molti Libri proibiti* 1637–1676 – faculties granted by Cardinal Spada and others to the superior general SJ for the consultation of prohibited books; listing c. 280 works. (Latin)²⁹⁰

f. 38r Printed copy *Breve d'Alessandro VII per l'esercizj di S. Ignazio* 12 October 1657 – papal approval of the octave and spiritual exercises proposed by the Society of Jesus for the feast; granting plenary indulgence. (Latin)²⁹¹

ff 48r–52v Printed copy *Moto proprio di Benedetto XIII sopra le conventicole di persone armate* 17 September 1728 – in a renewed effort to counteract smuggling, prohibiting the forming of conventicles and similar unions with a proportion of armed members. (Italian)²⁹²

287 Salviati also asks to remove an upper age limit, both of which had been imposed by Innocent X, but the brief reiterates the upper limit of twenty years.

288 Petrus Creveus: the College had two former students by that name. It is at least questionable that this is the contemporary Peter Creagh of Limerick (see Liber xii, ff 220–1 for oaths 1727, and (undated) Liber vi, ff 53–4), since he was in minor orders at the time (tonsure in March 1727) and was only ordained to the priesthood in 1733 (See Hugh Fenning, 'Irishmen ordained at Rome, 1698–1759' in *Archivium Hibernicum*, 50 (1996) pp 29–49 at p. 35).

289 Acting *referendarius* for the pope was Ferdinando de Valentibus; for Peter Creagh see note above.

290 Listed alphabetically, with works added in 1665, 1668, 1671 and 1676.

291 Acting *referendarius* was G. Gualterius; handwritten signature Cardinal [...].

292 Listing salt, tobacco, oil of vitriol, wax, [gun]powder, as typical items in contraband activities.

ff 54r–55v, 68r Printed copy *Simile di Clemente XII col quale si stabilis[c]e un tribunale di ricorso per ovviare le frodi delle trib[un]ali di Roma* 8 August 1730 – motu proprio establishing a *congregatio* of five cardinals for a juridical review and legal recourse. (Latin)

ff 56rv, 67rv Printed copy *Simile d’Alessandro VII sopra le pensioni* (no date) – fragment motu proprio on income for all grades of clerics. (Latin)

ff 57r–64v, 66v Copy *Breve d’Innocenzo XIII concedendo in feudo al Re di Aragona Benevento e Ponte Corvo* 27 May 1722 – papal brief with 28 witnesses. (Latin)

f. 70rv Copy *Collazio d’un beneficio nella Francia la cui nomina spettava al Re fatta da Innocenzo X* (no date) – papal brief for Louis [XIV] of France, on the benefice of Irishman Bartholomew Archer held through François I, worth 90 *scudi*. (Latin)²⁹³

ff 71rv, 82r Copy *Bolla di pensione sopra il Priorato di S. Ant[oni]o d’Urbino* 13 August 1579 – bull [brief] from Gregory XIII dealing with a charitable benefice set up in Urbino. (Latin)

ff 72r–81v *Privilegj concessi da Cle[me]nte VIII ai PP. [Padri] di Monte Carmelo – Annotazione del P. Giovanni de’ [Lugo] sopra detta bolla – Privilegj che godevono i Gesuiti che stavano nella Brettagna [1580–1653] – file of documents (unsigned)²⁹⁴ concerning privileges conceded to the discalced Carmelites and the Society of Jesus, with a papal bull of 1604 (Carmelites), notes on the bull by Giovanni de Lugo, notes on various other concessions to the Society [of Jesus] in England (beginning with their advocate Edmund Campion),²⁹⁵ list of concessions [to the Jesuits] ordered thematically. (Latin)²⁹⁶*

293 Archer is from the diocese of Ossory. Though the place where the benefice is held is not named, the value is alternatively given in *librae Turonses*.

294 Possibly all by de Lugo who signs the first memorandum.

295 Ff 74r–77r: the most extensive of the documents is a list of 71 faculties entitled (f. 74r) *Facultates Societatis convenientes nostris qui in Anglia versantur, collectae mense Martio 1586. Partim ex antea concessis pro Anglia; partim ex concessis pro aliis etiam provinciis septentr[ionali] bus, partim ex Compendio. Facultates concessa PP Roberto Bersonio et Edmundo Campiano pro Anglia die 14o Aprilis 1580.*

296 For example, concerning the altar, certain ceremonies, permission to give matrimonial dispensations, the celebration of the Eucharist, monastic hours, prohibited books, and referring to particular *motu proprios* concerning Ireland.

ff 83r, 102rv *Costituzione di Benedetto XIII dichiarante che quelli che dimettono l'abito de'Gesuiti dopo fatta professione non potesso pretendere veruna congrua* 14 June 1728 – Printed papal order²⁹⁷ concerning Jesuits not yet fully professed. (Latin)

ff 84r–85v, 100r–101v *Altra di Gregorio XIII sopra il iuscongruo* 1634 – Printed papal order *De aedificijs et iure congrui* on diverse housing matters. (Latin)

ff 86r–89v, 96r–98v *Privilegj d'Innocenzo XIII per i dapiferi del conclave di sua elezione* 1721 – printed papal document on the privileges given to the senechals at the conclave. (Latin)

ff 90r, 95rv *Dichiarazione della bolla d'Alessandro VII sopra le pensioni* – 1660 – fragment printed declaration by Alexander VII concerning the tithe and pensions. (Latin)

ff 91r–94v 21 February 1664 – printed papal decree co-signed by four curial cardinals, imposing special taxes on the clergy for past expenses in the war against the Turks. (Latin)

ff 105v–119r *Breve di Clemente XIV confermatario quelli d'Urbano VIII e d'Innocenzo X circa l'ordinazione de' Collegiali e lettere dimissoriali da spedersi da' protettori del Collegio* 20 September 1773 – papal brief and printed copy for the College regularising matters of dimissorial letters, ordinations, students needing to leave Rome for health reasons; commending the Cardinal Visitor Marefoschi's work. (Two documents) (Latin)²⁹⁸

*Memorie de' Cappuccini d'Ibernia*²⁹⁹

ff 121rv, 138r *Copy Biglietto dell'Eminentissimo Prefetto di Propaganda al segretario della medesima* 21 March 1777 – letter from Cardinal Prefect [...] to Stefano Borgia informing Propaganda of his actions in the controversy among the Capuchins in Dublin. (Italian/Latin)³⁰⁰

297 Signed by Antonio Milesio SJ, secretary, as proxy for Cardinal Oliverio.

298 The *rubricella* classed these as two different documents, and then also makes reference to Urban VIII's bull of 1631, quoted fully in the new brief. Amplifying an earlier concession of Urban VIII, Clement XIV permits the students to move to ordination without dimissorial letters of their bishops, if providing good testimonials from the rector or other bishops. First manuscript is a membrane.

299 Two items printed in P. F. Moran, *Spicilegium Ossoriense*, iii, pp 335–8 must have also belonged with this file. See appendix ii.

300 Archival authentication of 9 April 1777.

ff^{124r-136v} *Ristretto della relazione fatta dall'Eminentissimo Panfilj in Sacra Congregazio]ne di Propaganda* 21 March 1774 – comprehensive report about the difficulties of the Capuchin province of Dublin, concerning particularly two members (Short and O'Brien), their superior Fitz[s]imons, and the Archbishop of Dublin. (Italian)³⁰¹

f. 139^{rv} *Decreto della medesima S. Congregazio]ne* 20 September 1773 – decree concerning the powers of the provincialate over its members. (Latin)³⁰²

ff^{140r-141r} 16 April 1774 – copy letter from Propaganda Fide to Archbishop Carpenter of Dublin, on how to proceed particularly with the two Capuchins Short and O'Brien. (Latin)³⁰³

ff^{142r-145v} *Supplica del Provinciale d'Ibernia all'Eminentissimo Marefoschi* 17 August 1776 – memorandum and petition by Joseph [...] OFM Cap provincial of Ireland, [Baralbulae] Champagne, discussing the status quo of the Capuchins in France, England, and Ireland; petitioning for maintaining their provincial chapter in France, for expelling Short and O'Brien as the cause of the recent rebellion, for regularising their relationship to the Archbishop of Dublin. (Latin)³⁰⁴

ff^{146r-147r} 29 March 1773 – copy decree of the OFM Cap definitor general, ordering a serious warning for certain disobedient Capuchins in the Irish province. (Latin)

ff^{149rv, 154r} *Lettera del P. Procurator Generale de'medesimi* 14 December 1776 – petition by Giovanni Antonio 'a Florentia' OFM Cap to Cardinal [...] against the recurrent plea from the Irish convents in France to establish their own chapter. (Latin)

f. 150^v *Copy Atto. [Attestazione] in favore di detti Cappuccini* 25 January 1774 – statement signed by 22 Irish clergy,³⁰⁵ attesting to John O'Brien OFM Cap good work and dedication shown in Dublin in the past 15 years. (Latin)

301 Archival authentication [2] April 1777.

302 Archival authentication 3 April 1777.

303 Archival authentication 3 April 1777.

304 Also adding copy of a letter written to Provincial Joseph [...] by the general of the order, 23 April 1776.

305 The first three are the Archbishop of Dublin; vicar general James Dowdall, Dublin; parish priest Bartholomew Sherlock, St Audoen's Dublin.

f. 151r *Altro simile* 29 June 1776 – statement signed by nine Irish clergy,³⁰⁶ attesting to the Irish Capuchins' dedication to stability, progress and to harmony among themselves. (Latin)

ff 152r–153v Copy *Breve d'Innocenzo XII [concedente ai Cappuccini nelli Regni della Gran Brettagna di poter eriggere più conventi]* 22 September 1733 – papal brief regularising the Irish Capuchin province and houses in France; naming new superior and definitors. (Latin)³⁰⁷

ff 155rv, 168rv Copy [*Lettere*] *dell'Arcivescovo di Dublino al Cardinal Castelli esprimente alcune lagnanze de' Cappuccini* 29 January – 9 November 1774 – correspondence between Archbishop Carpenter and Cardinal Castelli, with enclosed letters from Irish Capuchins. (Latin)³⁰⁸

ff 156r, 167v *Altra simile all'Eminentissimo Marefoschi* 7 February 1777 – letter from Archbishop Carpenter of Dublin to Cardinal Marefoschi, enclosing letters to illustrate the libellous means by which the Capuchin superior seeks to achieve the Irish provincial chapter. (Latin)

f. 157rv *Altri [du]e attestati a favore de' Cappuccini* 31 January – 8 February 1777 – petition from c. 20 Irish clergy,³⁰⁹ testifying to the libellous intent of the Capuchin provincial and supporting O'Brien and Short's attempt for an Irish Capuchin chapter. (Latin)

f. 158rv Original of the Attestazione above, f. 150.

ff 159rv, 166rv *Supplica de' medesimi al Papa* 29 June 1776 – petition signed by 18 Irish Capuchins³¹⁰ for Pius VI, asking to re-instate the Irish provincial in Ireland. This is met with a concession to give faculties to the Cardinal Protector, 18 November 1776, signed Cardinal [Spezzonica].

306 The first three are Prior Thomas Netterville, Dublin; Christopher Flemming OFM (strict observance) [...]; Bernard Brady OFM, Dublin.

307 The *rubricella* title does not match the document.

308 One is from O'Brien and [Short] (4 November 1774).

309 The first three are Vincent O'Brien OP, Dublin; Michael Flanagan OFM (strict observance), Dublin; Bernard Brady OFM [...]. Three further signatories are Carmelites; likewise Robertus alias Stephen Dowdall, standing testimony for the bona fide intentions of the foregoing signatories. Other petitioners and testimonials for the subscribers are added on.

310 The first three are John Damascinus [Short]; John O'Brien; Angelus [...]. The point is made that the worst persecutions are over, and that Clement XII's provisions for situating the provincial in France can be safely rescinded.

ff 160r–165v *Due lettere del Provinciale d'Ibernia al Cardinal Protettore [...]* and 23 March 1778 – letters from Joseph [...] OFM Cap Provincial of Ireland, [Baralbulae] Champagne, to Cardinal [...]; arguing against Short and O'Brien's petition; discussing in detail status of the Irish province; also the case of Basil O'Farrell and five other apostates. (Two documents) (Latin)

Oblighi diversi [excepting one document these seem to have been transferred to Liber xiv]

[f. 156] *Paga[men]to di scudi 12–90 fatto da Simon Giovanni Degolla a favore di D. Tommaso Fellini*

f. 169v *Altro di Cajo Dublinese di Lire 500 Angligane a favore di [Fizio] Suore* 4 January – 1 February 1760 – dossier of copy documents concerning usury; Bishop Patrick Kirwan of Achonry petitioning Propaganda about extortionate loans and acting against it by decree; the case of a certain Caius paying a debt to a certain Fitio and heirs. (Latin)³¹¹

[f. 158] *Obligo del [Matinaro] Giuseppe chiappetta di condurre certo oglio proprio del P. Fran[ces]co d'Andria Gesuita*

[f. 159] *Obligo del Not[ari]o Ferri di servire il Collegio per scudi 3 annui*³¹²

[f. 160] *Obligo di Fran[ces]co Pozzi di scudi 503–62 a favore del Collegio per tanti ne va debitore*

[f. 161] *Obligo di Filippo Antonio Vottorj debitore di pigione di casa*

Testamenti

ff 170rv, 177rv *Copy Testamento dell'Eminentissimo Ludovisj* December 1632 – testament with his bequest for the Irish College. (Latin)³¹³

311 It is not clear whether Kirwan originally enclosed two documents on the Caius loan in a petition to Propaganda; all documents are copied in the same hand.

312 See also Liber xiv, ff 216–229.

313 F. 170v ... *Si [tempor]e mortis meae non erit empta domus pro alumnis Collegij Hybernorum, emat[ur] quam[ri]mum et si eidem Collegio redditus non dum assignassem, Lego praedium meum apud Oppidum Gandulfum eo mille scuta singulis annis, à meo haerede solvenda. In hoc v[er]o si quae occurrat difficultas, adigatur meus haeres ad assignandum bonum immobile, ex quo mille scutorum fructus percipiantur. Committo autem et trado fidei, et curae Soc[ieta]tis Iesu huius Collegij gubernationem, ex quo, ut spero, prodibunt alumni, qui Hyberniam meo patrocinio commissam diuturna haeres Liberent ...* See other citations of the will, e.g. Liber xiii, f. 17r.

ff 171r–176r Copy *Simile del Marchese Ugo Albergati* 5 April 1639 – testament of Marchese Albergati of Bologna; including conditions on which his son Fabio renounces his inheritance in favour of siblings. (Italian)³¹⁴

ff 178r–183v *Altra copia di quello dell'Eminentissimo Ludovisi* [as ff 170 and 177]

ff 186v, 187r *Una particola del medesimo circa il legato di scudi 1,000* – copy excerpts from Ludovisi's testament concerning the College. (Latin)

ff 189r–192v Copy *Testamento di Giorgio [Coneo]* 30 December 1639 and 6 January 1640 – testament of George [Coneo] of Aberdeen, naming Robert Pendric his principal heir and mentioning his patron Cardinal Barberino. (Italian)³¹⁵

ff 193r, 194v *Particola del testamento dell'Eminentissimo Belluga* no date – excerpt from testament of Cardinal Belluga, leaving his Italian books and 800 *scudi* to the Irish College. (Italian)³¹⁶

ff 195r–196r Copy *Codicillo del Marchese Albergati sudetto* 22 September 1639 – codicil to the Marchese's testament (see ff 171–176 above). (Italian)³¹⁷

Istrumenti

ff 197rv, 206rv *Istromento di unione tra li Collegj Ibernese, Inglese, Maroniti, Scozzese, Fuccioli per la fabbrica d'un forno* 1 January 1681 – agreement on the joint construction and operation of a furnace to be built in one of the Colleges (Italian)³¹⁸

ff 198r–199v, 205v *Istrumento di tutela de' Minimi* 13 May 1654 – [deed of family settlement concerning the Minimi family, including Marco Antonio de Minimi]. (Latin)³¹⁹

314 Notarial authentication, no date. Fabio Albergati SJ was rector of the College 1642–1647.

315 Pendric is at present secretary to Sir William Hamilton. Barberino is one of the principal recipients of heirloom, including a crown with diamonds; other heirs include Urban VIII, the Queen of England, Countess Alatia of Frondel, the Tor' de' Specchi monastery, the Scots College (a sum and books), and the English College.

316 Belluga is here said to have died 22 February 1743; buried in the Chiesa Nuova. He praises the Irish nation and particularly the Irish College. He found the Irish College students hard workers, serious scholars, and of strong faith.

317 Settling a matter with his brother Horatio; bequeathing art objects to family members.

318 With the signature of two witnesses, Srs. Maria [Pascheria Maffe] and Maria Vittoria Orsina (f. 206v).

319 The document is headed by the date 6 May 1652; signature of witness Cardinal of the Curia [Jacobus Bernadunus] (f. 199v).

ff 200r^v, 203r^v *Cessione d'un credito fatto da D. Tommaso Tellino a favore del P. Maria Grassi* 1 September 1685 – deed of assignment of a debt. (Italian)³²⁰

ff 201r–202v *Instrumento di concessione di diverse sagre reliquie* 12 July 1655 – deed of donation of relics by Bishop Martio [Ginetti] of Albano to [A. de Bonis], with Fr Fabio Albergati acting as administrator.³²¹

[f. 199] *Istromento di vendita d'una vigna fatta da Madalene di Giovanni Fran[ces]co a favore di Fran[ces]co Furnari*³²²

[f. 201] *Altro simile d'alcuni terreni fatto da Battista e Maria di Saverio conjugi a favore del sudetto Furnari*

Cambiali ed ordini [for the last two see Liber xiv, ff 287r, 288v.]

[f. 212] *Ordine di scudi 11–45 tratto dal Collegio Ibernese al Collegio Romano*

[f. 213] *Cambiale a vista di scudi 401 a favore di Fran[ces]co [Montz]*

[f. 214] *Ordine diretto al Sagro Monte di Pietà da [un tal] Marsi a favore dell'Ospedale di S. Giacomo degl' Incurabili*

[f. 215] *Altro simile tratto dal Collegio Ibernese a favore d'Agostino Maria Gavotti*

Acque [all now in Liber xiv, ff 291r–324v]

[f. 218] *Memoriale dato alla Cong[regazio]ne di Propaganda dal Collegio, ove si fa vedere la grazia ottenuta d'un oncia d'acqua Felice*

[f. 219] *Lettera in cui apparisce la vendita fatta dal Collegio [della] detta oncia d'acqua*

[f. 220] *Supplica al Papa per aver detta acqua*

[f. 222] *Supplica alla Priora di S. Domenico e Sisto per condottare detta acqua per il cortile di detto convento*

320 The parties are D. Tomaso Tellino, Fr Gabriel Maria Grassi (old and new creditor) and Francesco Aloysio (debtor). Grassi was rector of the College 1683–1687. Signature of witness Marinus Vitillius.

321 Signatures of notary, and witnesses. Relics of Sts Faustina, Clement, [Carillima], Petronius, Victoria, [Prospano], Fortunato, [Eleopardo], Maximus, Candida, from Roman cemeteries. Albergati is named Rector of S. Apollinaris.

322 Comment by Pollen: from here onwards the documents were transferred elsewhere – most are now in Liber xiv. For the first two, see Liber xiv, ff 279r–289v.]

- [f. 223] *Obligo dello Stagnaro di fare li condotti di piombo*
- [f. 224] *Nota di spesa per condottar detta acqua*
- [f. 225] *Foglio sopra la maniera di condottar detta acqua*
- [ff 226–231] *Ordine che non si venda detta acqua meno di scudi 400*
- [f. 232] *Atto[...] del Marchese del Grillo concernente li scoli delle acque del Collegio*
- [f. 233] *Licenza della Cong[regazio]ne del Concilio per vender detta acqua*
- [f. 234] *Breve di Innocenzo XIII convalidando la vendita di detta acqua*
- [f. 235] *Sentenza di [Monst.] delle Strade a favore del Collegio contro il Marchese del Grillo sopra l'acqua del Pozzo*
- [f. 236] *Perizia circa la maniera di condottar la sudetta oncia d'acqua*
- [f. 237] *Motivi per li quali le monache di S. Domenico e Sisto non possono dare il permesso di condottar detta acqua per il loro cortile*
- [f. 240] *Con[ces]so dato dalla Cong[regazio]ne di Propaganda per condottar detta acqua*
- [f. 241] *Ricevuta dello Stagnaro per li condotti dell'acqua*
- [f. 242] *Nota di spese fatte per la sudetta oncia d'acqua*

Liber XVII

*Lavori fatti in Collegio 1704 al 1778**Rubricella* (f. 3r)

Lavori fatti negl'infrascritti anni 1704, 1705, 1708, 1709, 1720, 1721, 1727, 1729, 1730–1736, 1738, 1740, 1742, 1744, 1745, 1748, 1751, 1755, 1768, 1769, 1770–1778

ff_{4r–186v} 1704–1773 – bills and receipts (mostly monthly) for work done in the College by bricklayers, plumbers, carpenters, tinsmiths, plasterers, painters, glaziers; referring also to works shared with neighbours Bartomoleo Cavaceppi (1768, f. 102v) and the Marchese del Grillo (1768, f. 105r). (30 documents) (Italian)

ff_{187v–212v} 1772–1781 – bills and receipts from variety of suppliers; including vestments for departing student Edward Kennedy (1774, f. 192r); payment for walls built in the church of Santi Quirico e Giulitta (1774, f. 195v); personal expenses of student John Sennet^{t323} (1775, f. 201rv); building work done on the occasion of Cardinal Salviati taking possession (1 February 1781, f. 208rv). (19 documents) (Italian)

323 These are for April to August 1775; See Liber xviii, ff 188rv and 191v for a preceding sheet.

Liber XVIII

*Entrata ed Uscita**Rubricella* (f. 4rv)

f. 13rv [previous are blank] *Fogli di alcuni pagamenti fatti per piggione di casa l'anno 1636* – extract from account ledger with early rent payments by the College. (Italian)³²⁴

ff 14r–18r *Altri fogli d'entrata dell'anno 1635 [-1637]* – extract from account ledger with income and expenditure at the College vineyard. (Italian)³²⁵

ff 21rv, 186rv and 193v *Spesa annua del vitto d'un alunno* (undated) – copies of list of usually yearly expenses of a student, not only for victuals. (Two documents) (Italian)

ff 22r–31v *Denari che in piu' anni a titolo di elemosina si vedono pagati dall'anno 1635 al 1666* – extract from financial accounts relating to charitable donations by the College. (Italian)³²⁶

ff 34r–50v *Denari spesi in compra e legatura di Libri dall'anno 1635 al 1656 and 1667–1772* – extracts from accounts relating to acquisitions for the library and to bookbinding work. (Italian)³²⁷

ff 54r–55v *Entrata ed uscita di Febraio 1708 ... di Agosto 1709* – accounts for income and expenditure for the months indicated. (Italian)

ff 56rv, 61rv, 187rv, 192r *Ristretto ed entrata ed uscita presentata Monsignor Albini Seg[retario] della Cong[regazio]ne Deputata Pauluci* (undated) – copies of report on the College's difficult financial state; Cardinal Belluga and the Principe di Francavilla have already given alms. (Two documents) (Italian)

324 With notarial authentication of 1773.

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326 With notarial authentication of 1773. The recipients are normally unnamed 'poveri', 'un sacerdote Ibernese', 'un sacerdote Calabrese', 'un povero pellegrino Inglese', 'una povera donna Ibernese', several 'Cercanti del Gesù'. Exceptions include Filippo Fulone (f. 23r), Patrick Archer (f. 23v), Fr Pallavicino (f. 28r), Patrick [Gordei] (f. 29v), several religious. See the charitable aid given to Hugh McKeane below ff 209–216.

327 With notarial authentication of [1773]. Most books are indicated by author or title.

ff 57–59r, 62r–185v, 194r *Uscita ed entrata del mese di ...* 1667, 1704 (partially); June 1756; July and October 1705; 1707 (partially); 1708 (partially), 1711, 1712, 1713, 1714 – monthly or yearly accounts summaries, mostly in double-entry format, concerning all aspects of College administration (10 documents). (Italian)³²⁸

ff 188r, 191v *Spese fatte per il Signore Senet* 7 May 1775 – list of expenses made paid by the College for student John Sennett August 1774 – March 1775. (Italian)³²⁹

f. 189r *Capitale lasciato dal Cardinal fondatore* [post-1758] – summary of the free capital left to the College (5,202 *scudi*) after litigation fees, the re-investment of the Ludovisian bequest and other acquisitions; discussing two assignments by Benedict XIII and Benedict XIV to help the College. (Italian)

ff 196r–207v *Libro de' conti [dell' anno 1756]* 1756–1764 – book of memoranda by William Nowland on points of administration of the College; sample expense list; daily meals (March 1764); managing investments and banking with the Monte di Pietà (ff 202r–207v).³³⁰ (English/Italian)

ff 208v, 218r (undated) – list of salaried employees of the College and their yearly incomes: doctor, rent collector, notary, barber, laundry maid, *procurator*, cook, tailor, *prefetto*.³³¹ (Two documents) (Italian)

ff 209r–216v April 1683 – June 1684 – file of receipts from Hugh McKeane over monthly sums received from the rector in alms for his sustenance. (Eight documents) (Italian)

328 This contains reference to otherwise unlisted payment of *viaticum* to Bernard McMahon ('Mattei') in 1706, f. 69v; probability of other various information on students. Likewise, there are lists of lodgers of the College, and of students depositing sums (e.g. for 1714, ff 78v–83v).

329 See Liber xvii, f. 201r for a subsequent list for the same student.

330 The rector 1759–1766 was Henry Stanislaus Nowlan SJ; the compiler of this book is styled 'Guglielmo Nowland', also SJ (f. 206v).

331 Tailor and cook earn 18 *scudi* per year; laundry maid 24 *scudi*; medical doctor and rent collector receive 12 *scudi*; the notary's services are valued at three *scudi* per annum.

Liber XIX

Rubricella (ff 2r–6v)

Attestati originali (ff 1–141)

f. 14r *Requisiti, che devono portare nell'atto della venuta* (undated) – list of conditions for the admission of students according to a rescript of Pius VI [1775–1799]: papers on birth and baptism, reference as to character, religious practice, good scholarship, age between 12 and 17, statement on not being professed in a religious order or members of other colleges, carrying means to return to Ireland. (Latin)³³²

f. 16r *Di Mattia Bale* 22 January 1648 – statements by Henry Segrave, Waterford, and his notary, on a sum transferred to Antwerp under Bale's name in 1642. (Latin)³³³

ff 18r, 19v *Bernardo Mahon* 12 August 1699 – reference from Fr Anthony O'Kelly OFM (strict observance), [minister] provincial for Ireland, for Bernard McMahon. (Latin)³³⁴

ff 20r, 28r [*Domenico*] *Relly* 14 January and 10 May 1699 – reference from Rector Jacobus Chesnon, and tutors Jacobus [Mespeler] SJ and Antoninus [Guineam] SJ, Poitiers College SJ, for James [Reilly]. (Two documents) (Latin)³³⁵

f. 21r *Patrizio Toole* 14 August 1698 – reference from Archbishop James [Lynch] of Tuam for Patrick Toole; stating that his diocese furnishes him with the means for the journey. (Latin)

ff 22r, 23r, 23Av *Bernardo Matteo* 25 May and 10 September 1699 – references from Petrus de Backer SJ³³⁶ and Rector Guilelmus [...], SJ College, Bruxelles, for Bernard Matthews [McMahon]. (Two documents) (Latin)

332 Authenticated by seal from a Congregation.

333 For the controversy around Bale, see Liber IV, ff 101–128.

334 Typically, he attests to McMahon's Catholic upbringing and family background; he was confirmed by the Bishop of Clogher in 1689; the letter is witnessed by Fr Patrick Fahy OFM, secretary.

335 While there is one James Reilly previously documented for 1662–1663, and a second one for 1758 (Liber xii, ff 63, 272), there is no other document relating to a student of this name. Contemporary to this there was a Hugh Reilly (oath 1703 Liber xii, f. 175r). *Domenico* [from *Dominus*] is substituted for students' Christian names several times in the *rubricella*.

336 ... in *Regio Gymnasio Soc[ie]tatis Jesu* (f. 22r). In cases of multiple references the dates are given in chronological order, not in the order the documents are bound in.

f. 24r *Gualterio Scosteleo* 27 September 1693 – reference from Archbishop James [Lynch] of Tuam for Walter Costello. (Latin)³³⁷

f. 25r *Enea O Driscoll* 19 April – 10 May 1692 – references from Fr [...] Nolanes, Rector of the community of D. Bailly, Paris, from Abbot Michael LePeletier, [*Toyacensis*], and from a third,³³⁸ for Eneas O'Driscoll. (Latin)

f. 27r *Carlo Laury* 14 February 1692 – reference from Archbishop Dominic Maguire of Armagh for Charles Laurij [Lavery], Dromore diocese. (Latin)

f. 29r *Daniel O Canner* 6 May 1700 – reference from Dominicus Dillon OP, S. Maria sopra Minerva, Rome, for Daniel O'Connor. (Latin)

ff 30r, 31v *Franc[esc]o Russel* 24 February 1700 – reference from [M. Morus] vicar general, archdiocese of Dublin,³³⁹ for Francis Russell. (Latin)

ff 32r, 33r *Ugo Relly* 2 January, 27 April 1701 – references from Ignatius De Clercy SJ, lecturer, Jesuit college Bruxelles, for Hugh [Reilly], Meath. (Two documents) (Latin)

ff 35r, 36r *Charles MacCarthy* [1] April 1702 – references from [Demanse] SJ and [Antonius Paloci] SJ, lecturers, *Academia*, Toulouse, for Charles MacCarthy, Cork. (Two documents) (Latin)

f. 37r *Hugh Reilly* 31 August 1702 – reference from Bishop Dominic de Burgh of Elphin, Louvain, for Hugh Reilly. (Latin)

f. 39r *Donato O Hederman* 1 January 1706 – reference from Rector Josephus DeHennin SJ, and prefect Ferdinandus [Sclosser] SJ, Jesuit college, Tournai, for Donagh O'Hederman. (Latin)

f. 40r *Hugh MacMahon* [14] March [1706] – reference from Rector Josephus De[Hennin] SJ, and prefect Ferdinandus [Sclosser] SJ, Jesuit college, Tournai, for Hugh Matthews [MacMahon], Ulster. (Latin)

337 This is [witnessed] by secretary William De Burgo. His family's bona fide Catholicism in the face of persecution is particularly stressed.

338 The third is illegible. [Nolan] styles himself *communitatis Illustrissimi D[omini] D. Bailly, Advocati Catholici praefectus ...*

339 By proxy for Archbishop Patrick Russell; also for Cardinal Barbarigo as Rector of the seminary in Montefiascone.

f. 41r *Giacinto Focchin* 2 July 1708 – certificates from parish priests Patrick Skerret, John Bodkin, Jerome [Martin], Galway, for Hyacinth Bodkin. (Latin)³⁴⁰

f. 42r *Patrizio Carrol* 1 June 1706 – reference from Archbishop Constantine Dominic Maguire of Armagh for Patrick Caroll, *sacerdos*; faculty to study abroad, and to celebrate Mass with permission of local bishops. (Latin)

f. 43r *Giacomo Cusak* 27 September 1701 – reference from Albert De Villers SJ, Jesuit College Lille,³⁴¹ for James Cusack. (Latin)

f. 44r *Giacinto Bodkin* 6 July 1708 – reference from Patrick Skerret, John Bodkin, Jerome Martin, Galway, for Hyacinth Bodkin. (Latin)

f. 45Av *Cristoforo C[r]uice* 27 November 1708 – reference from Adrianus Lochsenbergh SJ, Douai, for Christopher [Cruise]. (Latin)³⁴²

f. 46r Michael Tyrrell 8 December [1711] – reference from [F. Cavanagh], Irish College Paris, for Michael Tyrrell, Meath. (Latin)³⁴³

ff. 47r, 48r *Rocco Mac[mahon]* 28 September 17[...] and 9 September 1718 – references from Patrick delaRoche, Irish College Tournai, and Franciscus De Lacour, *gymnasium litterarium*, Tournai, for Roch Macmahon.³⁴⁴ (Two documents) (Latin)

f. 49r *Giovanni Higgins* 9 November 1720 – reference from Anthony Knowles superior general SJ, Waterford, for John Higgins. (Latin)³⁴⁵

f. 51r *Enrico Marsahal* 4 June 1724 – reference from Anthony [Knowles] superior general SJ, Waterford, for Henry Marshall. (Latin)

ff. 52r–57r *Tommaso Stricht* 21 July, 23 August, 29 September, 8 and 10 November 1722 – references from Franciscus [Frorien] SJ, Rector DelaRoche SJ, and Joseph Egan SJ, Irish College Tournai, A. Michaux, lecturer, Tournai, and Anthony Knowles, superior general SJ, Waterford, for Thomas Strich.³⁴⁶ (Six documents) (Latin)

340 Baptised 1691 in Dunmore, Galway; confirmed by the Bishop of Clonfert in Athenry. The third reference for him (f. 44r) attests to his Catholic upbringing.

341 De Villers styles himself *professor in collegio Societatis Jesu insulis* (f. 43r).

342 Testifying that Cruise was a student with him for two years in *Collegio ejusdem Societatis Insulis ...*[Lille].

343 Tyrrell has studied in Paris for five years.

344 MacMahon has studied in Tournai for five years, according to the first reference.

345 Higgins is already 20 years of age.

346 Praising especially his *mores Angelicae* and religious observance; he has studied in Tournai

f. 58r *Carlo* [*Deofilo*] 18 October 1734 – reference from Rector Hubertus Josephus Moignard SJ, *Collegium Regii*, Paris, for Charles Theophilus [de Betisi de Mézieres]. (Latin)³⁴⁷

f. 59r *Martino Morley* 28 January 1734 – reference from Archbishop Luke [Fagan] of Dublin, for Martin Morley. (Latin)³⁴⁸

Gazzello Gallagher [missing]

ff 60r, 61r *Dom[eni]co Maglophin* 6 and 12 March 1746 – references from John Clinch PP, St Michael's church, Dublin, and Archbishop John [Linegar] of Dublin, for Marcus MacLoughlin.³⁴⁹ (Two documents) (Latin)

Marco Longhe [missing]

f. 62rv *Guglielmo Doyle* 7 May 1750 – reference from Patrick FitzSimons PP, [Killmachanog], for William Doyle. (Latin)

f. 64r *Henry Burke* 21 January 1751 – reference from Raymund Hargadane PP, vicar general, Tuam, for Henry Burke. (Latin)

f. 65r *Carlo Waters* 20 September 1767 – reference from Archbishop Anthony [Blake] of Armagh, for Charles Waters. (Latin)³⁵⁰

f. 66rv *Edward Raimond* (undated) – extract of a baptismal certificate. (unsigned) (Italian)³⁵¹

f. 67r *Dom[eni]co Pheton* 7 November 1758 – reference from Rector Comerford, *Enistagiensis*, for William Phelan. (Latin)³⁵²

for six years (f. 54r). The second document is a fragmentary copy of the first. It is not clear whether testator Egan, Tournai, is also at the Irish College there.

347 He is a *clericus* from Paris.

348 Morley was formerly [legatus] at the Salamanca College, and is now archdeacon in Kells, as well as *examinator synodalis*, and priest at St Patrick's church [Stirnollin].

349 As above, and in other cases below, the *Dominic* in the *rubricella* derives from the title *dominus*.

350 With subscription from witness, Laurence Taaffe, student at Propaganda Fide College, Rome.

351 He was born in 1756, baptised in parish [de Brigoron] diocese [de Clui] and confirmed by the Bishop of Limerick.

352 An endorsement states that he came to Rome 26 March 1759, sent by the superior of the mission for Leinster, 19 years of age. *Dominus* was again misread as *Domenicus*.

ff 68r–69r *Patrizio Ferral* 17 April and 2 May 1759 – references from Patrick [Mac]Kiernan PP, Granard, and Bishop James [Brady] of Ardagh, for Patrick O’Ferrall. (Latin)³⁵³

f. 70r *Dom[eni]co Bodkin* 2 June 1759 – reference from Walter Ward PP *parochiae Lischivensis* [Lisheen], diocese of Tuam, for Valentine Bodkin. (Latin)³⁵⁴

f. 71r *Tommaso Castello* 14 January 1760 – reference from John Duffy, vicar general Achonry, priest of St Colmán’s church, for Thomas Costello. (Latin)³⁵⁵

f. 72r *Giacomo O Reylly* 5 October 1761 – reference from James Dowdall *vicarius*, St Nicholas Without, Dublin, for James O’Reilly. (Latin)

f. 73r John Jackson 16 February 1768 – reference from John Ward superior general SJ, Dublin, for John Jackson. (Latin)

f. 74rv *Dom[eni]co Belluc* 5 October 1766 – reference from Dominic Brady PP, for Dominic Bellew, sent by his father M. Bellew.³⁵⁶ (Latin/English)

ff 75r–76r *Eduardo Kennedy* 7 July and 1 December 1767 – references from Richard Reynolds PP, St Andrew Apostle’s church, Dublin, and (unsigned) secretary to an archbishop (unnamed), *Tribunalis Vicariatus*, Rome, for Edward (Dominic) Kennedy.³⁵⁷ (Two documents) (Latin/Italian)

f. 77r *Guglielmo Felan* 11 April 1767 – reference from Rector Andrew Ryan SJ, Irish College, with *nihil obstat* for student William Phelan’s sacerdotal ordination. (Latin)

f. 78r *Micchele Namara* 5 April 1766 – references from Denis Conway SJ, St Patrick’s church, Pennywell, Limerick, for Michael MacNamara. (Latin)³⁵⁸

353 An endorsement (f. 68r) states that he entered the College 14 September 1759; he was born in 1739. The second reference is written by Francis O’Ferrall, vicar general, on behalf of the bishop. See also below, f. 79r.

354 Again, *Dominus* was taken to be *Domenicus*.

355 With subscription from witness Thomas Kelly, secretary of Bishop Kirwan.

356 No place is given for Brady, nor does this specify where Bellew was baptised. Including holograph letter from Bellew’s father who states that Bellew was baptized but not confirmed; that he has let his lands and will live at Moylogh from November on [Sir] Patrick Bellew’s Estate; the family is well. Moylough and Bellew indicate County Galway.

357 An endorsement (f. 75) states that Edward entered the College 14 September 1767. It is not certain that the second document pertains to the same student; he is named *Domenicus Kanedi* and was confirmed by Archbishop Orazio Mattei of Colossos (f. 76).

358 With subscription from witness Fr Michael Hoare.

f. 79r Patrick O'Ferrall 26 May 1765 – reference from Rector Henry Stanislaus Nowlan SJ, Irish College, with *nihil obstat* for student Patrick Ferrall's sacerdotal ordination. (Latin)³⁵⁹

ff 80r–81r *Gio[vanni] Harlyn* 26 March and 1 April 1769 – references from Hyacinth Berrilly OP, protonotary apostolic, Drogheda, and Patrick Clinton, PP [Dezart] for John Harlin. (Latin)³⁶⁰

ff 82r–84r *Geraldo Fitzgerald* 15 and 23 June, 6 August 1770 – references from James [Nele] PP Athy, Archbishop John [Carpenter] of Dublin, and John Ward, superior general SJ, Dublin, for Richard Fitzgerald. (Three documents) (Latin)³⁶¹

ff 86r, 87v William Burke 25 August 1776 – reference from Peter Blake, PP St Mary's, Oranmore, for William Burke. (Latin)³⁶²

f. 88r *Patrizio Kirwan* 29 January 1774 – reference from Dr John [Keaghry], *vicarius* parish church of Tuam, for Patrick Michael Kirwan. (Latin)³⁶³

f. 89rv *Gio[vanni] Harlin* 29 June 1774 – reference from John Wall [vicar general], Armagh, for John Harlin. (Latin)³⁶⁴

f. 90rv *Cristofaro Barnwal* 8 April 1774 – reference from William Clarke, PP church of Blessed Virgin Mary of the Immaculate Conception [Dublin], for Christopher Barnwell. (Latin)³⁶⁵

f. 91r *Dom[eni]co Klacan* 14 September 1776 – reference from [A.] Nowlan, procurator of Armagh archdiocese, Drogheda, for Thomas [McCann]. (Latin)

359 See also above, ff 68–69.

360 He was confirmed by Archbishop Anthony Blake of Armagh. Drogheda is given as *Pontana in Regno Hibernia*. The *rubricella* lists another Domenicus [Harlin], again presumably mistaking *Dominus* for *Domenicus*.

361 The *rubricella* first lists a Geraldo Canon (possibly confusing Fitzgerald's mother's maiden name Conan), then Gerald as above (taking his father's name for his own). Archbishop Carpenter states that Fitzgerald takes a space in the Irish College vacated by a student from Connacht, with the Archbishop of Tuam's permission.

362 Blake copies entry from 1760 baptismal register; his own testimony is authenticated by John Joyce, warden of St Nicholas: *nos wardianus Insignis Ecclesia Collegialis Sancti Nicolai Galviensis, jurisdictionem quasi Episcopalem habentes supra clerum et populum ...* (f. 86r).

363 With authentication from Archbishop Marcus [Skerret] of Tuam.

364 Reiterating facts of baptism, as f. 81r, but inserting current date for that of baptism.

365 With authentication from Archbishop John [Carpenter] of Dublin.

f. 92v *Fiorenzo MacCarthy* 12 October 1776 – reference from Morgan O’Connell, PP Killarney, for Florence MacCarthy. (Latin)³⁶⁶

ff 93r, 94r *Gio[vani] O Lunigan* 20 and 28 September 1776 – references from Edmund Butler, PP cathedral of Cashel, and James Godfrey, PP Holy Cross, Cashel, for John Lanigan. (Latin)³⁶⁷

f. 95r *Tommaso McCan[e]* Thomas McCann 14 September 1776 – reference from Peter Markey, PP Louth, for Thomas McCann. (Latin)

f. 97r *Patrizio Doyle* 15 August 1778 – reference from Patrick Cullin, PP St Thomas, Ballyvalden, for Patrick Doyle. (Latin)³⁶⁸

ff 99r–103r *Patrizio Kirwan* 22 September and 15 October 1779 – references from John Howart, Rector Academia Anglicana, Liège, and Rector Ignatius [V. Mosr], *Seminarium Sancti Nicolai*, Innsbruck, for Patrick Kirwan. (Three documents) (Latin)

f. 104rv *Carlo O Cannor* 4 May 1779 – reference from Thomas Teige, PP Kilcorky, for Charles O’Connor. (Latin)³⁶⁹

f. 106rv *Gio[vanni] Burch* 14 September 1782 – reference from John Byrne PP St Lachtain’s church, Freshford, for John Burke. (Latin)³⁷⁰

ff 107r, 109r *Patrizio Ryan* 26 June and 12 August 1782 – references from coadjutor Archbishop Richard [O’Reilly] of Armagh, Kilcock, and Bishop James [Keefe] of Kildare, for Patrick Ryan. (Two documents) (Latin)³⁷¹

f. 111r *Tommaso Long* 26 August 1782 – reference from Martin Hugh Hamill, PP St Nicholas Without, Dublin, for Thomas Long. (Latin)³⁷²

f. 114v *Giacomo Riccardi* 21 September 1782 – reference from Bishop John [Butler] of Cork, for James Richard Welsh. (Latin)

366 With authentication by Bishop [Francis] Moylan of Kerry.

367 The second document (f. 94r) is an extract from the baptismal register; no endorsements. Another reference for Lanigan from Archbishop Butler of Cashel is no longer here and was published in the *Spicilegium Ossoriense*, iii, see appendix i.

368 With authentication by Bishop Nicholas [Sweetman] of Ferns.

369 Quoting baptismal entry by former PP Patrick Gordon. With authentication by Archbishop John [Carpenter] of Dublin.

370 With authentication (on recto) by Bishop John Thomas Troy of Ossory, Rathdowny.

371 O’Reilly is styled firstly *Episcopus [Propensis]*.

372 With authentication by Archbishop John Carpenter of Dublin.

Lettere diverse

f. 115r *Biglietto del Seg[reta]rio di Stato al Cardinal Belluga per l'espulsione dun alunno* 7 October 1730 – letter informing the cardinal of the decision taken by the Rector of the Irish College to expel student Thomas Connor who is incorrigible. (Italian)

f. 116r *Lettere dal Re d'Inghilterra al Papa circa l'elemosini di scudi 25 al mese al Collegio* (undated) – petition (unsigned) from the king [James III] to Pope [...] reminding him of Clement XII's grant to the College and asking him to renew it, in the view of past and present successes of the College's alumni, and the fact that the present rector is ill with worry. (Italian)³⁷³

ff 118r, 119v *Altra lettera dell' Alessandro Roche sopra detta elemosina* 24 September 1740 – letter from Roche to [...], explaining the difficulties of making a certain payment because their pension granted by Benedict XIII has been suspended; deriving only hopes from prayer [and from their cardinal benefactor]. (Italian)³⁷⁴

ff 120r–121r [Copy] *Gesuiti per la promozione al cardinalato del Padre Lugo* 14 September [1643] and 19 December 1643 – letters from Cardinal Barberino to [Muzio Vitelleschi] and from Muzio Vitelleschi [superior general SJ], to [all SJ houses and Colleges], advising them of Giovanni di Lugo's elevation to the cardinalate. (Two documents) (Italian)³⁷⁵

ff 122r, 123v *Copy Ordine del Sant'Offizio sopra il fare attestati a' giovani* 9 August 1710 – note from Monsignor Assessore, Holy Office, to the rector, informing him of Clement XI's wish that the English, Scotch and Irish Colleges use all caution necessary when furnishing former students with references. (Italian)³⁷⁶

ff 124r–125v *Copies Letter no. congratulatoria d'Urbano VIII al re di Polonia per essersi fatto Gesuita il fratello [...]* October 1643 – letter concerning the king's brother Prince Casimir who entered the Society of Jesus when in Italy; papal benediction. (Two documents) (Latin)

373 *Il Padre Rettore è attualmente ammalato gravemente per la sola cagione, come Egli dice, del cattivo presente stato del Collegio, li alunni del quale fanno gran profitto nella detta Missione, quattro di loro essendo attualmente Vescovi in quel paese, e quelli che proseguiscono li loro studij adesso in detto Collegio fanno gran grido per tutta Roma per la loro capacità.* Clement's papacy lasted from 1730 to 1740.

374 They are praying for the *pietosissimo e degnissimo Porporato nostro Benefattore* ... (f. 118r).

375 Endorsement on f. 121v – the two documents were copied onto the same sheet.

376 With a request for the rector to meet the *assessore*, and the latter's statement on the matter as above.

ff 126r–127v *Copy Altra d'Alessandro VII alla Repubblica di Venezia raccomandando i Gesuiti* (undated) – letter recommending the work of the Jesuits, and also his nuncio Bishop Carolus [Carafa della Spina] of Aversa. (Latin)

f. 128r *Copy Altra dell'Imper[atore] Ferdinando III al sudetto Re di [Polonia] per il medesimo affare* 7 November 1643 – letter from Ferdinand III, Vienna, maternal first cousin Prince Ioannes Casimir SJ, brother of the King of Poland [Ladislaus IV]. (Latin)

f. 129rv *Altra di Clemente XIII a Ludovico XV raccomandando i Gesuiti* 9 June 1762 – letter from the pope to Louis XV recommending the now imperilled Jesuits and their work, mentioning particularly those in Paris. (Italian)

ff 130rv, 131v *Biglietto di congratulazione di Monsignor Seg[reta]rio di Propaganda all' Eminentissimo Protettore del 1781 sopra il profitto de' giovani* [23] November 178[3] – note from Monsignor Borgia to Cardinal Salviati on the results of the general examinations which are due to the Irish students' talent as much as to the Cardinal Protector's support. (Italian)

ff 132r–133v *Lettere di Clemente XII all' abbadessa [...] Monache di San Pietro di Monte Romarico raccomandando di ricevere certe Dame Portoghesi* 4 April 1732 – letter recommending three religious, daughters of Peter de Redmond of the Order of the Knights of Christ in Portugal. (Latin)³⁷⁷

Memoriali diversi

ff 134r, 135v *Supplica al Papa d'Ugo Makean per l'augumento dell' assegnamento* (undated) – petition from Hugh Makean, *sacerdote*, to Innocent XI and Cardinal Protector Altieri, explaining that the College's allowance of *scudi* 6 monthly per student does not suffice, asking for the same again in alms. (Italian)³⁷⁸

377 F. 132r ... *dilectas in Christo filias Elisabetham Brigittam, Franciscam Catharinam Juliam, Annam Mariam Xaveriam, et Josepham Mariam à Jesu Dilecti filii Petri de Redmond Equitis ordinis Christi in Regno Portugalliae natas in Collegium istud coeptari magnopere cupientes Vobis vehementer commendamus.*

378 For McKeane, see also Liber xiv, ff 233–240. He claims to have been sent to the Irish College by his ordinary and that he also brought a reference from the internuncio to Flanders. Explaining that the allowance is to cover food, garments, and rent; at present he found accommodation outside the College.

ff_{136r-141v} *Altra del medesimo al Cardinal Protettore – Altra dello stesso per il vestiario- Simile sopra il medesimo affare* (undated) – petitions from Hugh McKean to Cardinal Altieri, asking support in various ways, including bestowal of a chaplaincy in the Chiesa del Gesù (f. 136), vestments for celebrating Mass in the Santi Apostoli. (Three documents) (Italian)

ff_{142r, 143v} *Supplica d'un alunno all'Eminentissimo Norfolcia per esser promosso in tre [giorni] festivi* (undated) – petition from Richard Molony, Irish College, to Cardinal Norfolk, asking him to intercede with the SJ superior that he may be ordained within [the coming] week-days; listing reasons; remark overleaf (unsigned) that the petition was not acceded to because [the student] gave a bad example to others.³⁷⁹ (Latin/Italian)

ff_{144r, 145v} *Altra del sudetto Ugo al Protettore per essere ammesso in Collegio* (undated) – petition from Hugh MacKean to Cardinal Altieri, asking to send him officially to the Irish College for studies to avoid another student taking his place; remark overleaf (unsigned) that the rector refuses admitting anybody because a certain dispute has not been resolved yet by Propaganda Fide. (Italian)³⁸⁰

ff_{146rv, 147v} *Copy Supplica del Collegio a Giacomo III per esser fatto vescovo un collegiale* [1744] – petition from the College to James III to support their student Richard Reynolds, now on the missions, for the vacant episcopate of Wexford. (Italian)³⁸¹

ff_{148r, 149v} *Supplica del Sacerdote Toole per essere ammesso in collegio* [1693] – petition from John Toole, student at the College, to Cardinal Protector Altieri, pleading for admission to the Irish College for completion of his studies; remark overleaf (unsigned) that the rector has received the wherewithal 15 January 1693. (Italian)³⁸²

379 ... *ut ad sacros ordines his ferialibus promoveat* [not tres]. He appears to list health reasons concerning the building they live in (the rector himself is or was ill), the need for funds [from Mass intentions] in the absence of a viaticum. Asking to waive the rule that ordinations may be only given to those who have completed a *biennium in Theologija*.

380 Stating that he has been petitioning Altieri for two years. Also claiming that the Jesuits threaten to send him to the English or Scotch college.

381 Reminding him that Reynolds had been formerly at the king's court, serving as *maestrino* to the prince; already then he was called *Angelo e Apostolo* for his great piety, modesty and spirit. He has been in Ireland for 15 years now since 1729, the last 11 in the roughest parish of Dublin *con somma sodisfazione di Cattolici, e rispettivamente di Eretici* (f. 146v); the Wexford clergy and especially Signore Sutton hold him in great esteem.

382 He brings letters from the College of Lille where he has studied for the last three years, and knows there are vacancies in the Irish College.

ff 150r–151r *Altra a nome del rettore al Cardinale Protettore acciò non sia ammesso Patrizio Kieoman* (undated) – petition from the College for [Cardinal Protector] arguing against the admission of Patrick [Kieoman], and stating that two eligible students have been chosen by their French brethren SJ for the vacant places. (Italian)³⁸³

ff 152r, 153v *Altra a Monsignor de Vico per espellere alcuni alunni* (undated) – note from the rector to de Vico, petitioning to expel John Cassin, James Ferrall, and Cornelius Bohilly from the College, for reasons given before. (Latin)

ff 154r, 155v *Supplica di alcuni alunni per poter celebrare in San Dom[eni]co e Sisto* (undated) – petition from John Cassin and Bernard McDermott, Irish College, for Cardinal Imperiali, asking for permission to celebrate in the convent named for the inconvenience of the College where there is only one altar; the rector is opposed to the plan. (Latin)

ff 156r, 157v *Supplica al Papa per ottenere qualche sussidio* (undated) – petition from the College to Benedict XIII, pleading that their income has suffered from decrease of interest rates; reminding him their College is the only non-papal college and not in receipt of subsidies. (Italian)³⁸⁴

ff 158rv, 159v *Altra del Rettore del Collegio al Cardinale Protettore per essere ammesso in Collegio un suo parente* (undated) – petition to Cardinal Imperiali; explaining that the College expects two students from Dublin to complete the usual number of eight – meanwhile Fr Madin recommends an able relative from Connacht (there are no students from that province); also indicating grave financial difficulties. (Italian)³⁸⁵

383 [Kieoman] has not been called by the rector, he is from Leinster (two of their students are already from the province), and is already a priest: the danger is that his income from Masses may deter him from returning on the missions. One of the students chosen has the protection of the *primi ministri che servono le Maestà Brittaniche a S. Germano* (f. 157r).

384 At the same time, the Irish missions have a need for more men; despite lack of subsidies the College has been serving its Church *co' sudore di Apostoli, e Sangue di Martiri* (f. 156r). This petition is related to, but not a draft of either, the two petitions to Benedict XIII in Liber 1, ff 176–179.

385 The case is left to the cardinal's discretion; Madin is not to blame in the matter. It has been difficult finding students from Connacht.

ff160r–161v *Altra acciò non venghino ammessi acuni altri* (undated) – petition from the rector to Benedict XIII against the attempted entry of three priests, MacCollin, Pourcel, Macaine; explaining the wish of founder Cardinal Ludovisi to ensure stability through the admission of young students only; justified aversion to those already priests with uncertain backgrounds; added remark (unsigned) that the pope acceded and that the priests left *disperati* (f. 161v). (Italian)³⁸⁶

ff162r–163v *Altra supplica al Papa per qualche sussidio* (undated) – petition from the College to Benedict XIII, explaining recent financial difficulties, complaining about the tax on wine, pleading for relief; with remark (unsigned) that this petition had effect. (Italian)

f. 164rv *Altra simile al Cardinale Protettore* [1726] – letter from the College to Cardinal [...] stating that the case was decided in favour of the College on 6 June but lacking the confirming document without which they cannot recruit new students; in deep gratitude for help during the last four years of petitioning; added remark (unsigned) that this was seen to. (Italian)

ff166r, 167v (undated) – draft letter from the College to Cardinal Corradini, in the same matter – to arrange the *chirograph* needed. (Italian)³⁸⁷

ff168r, 169v *Altra simile a Monsignor Elemosiniere Seg [reta]rio* (undated) – letter from the rector to Monsignor Albini, and further comments (unsigned), with arrangements for a notarial document to be drawn up. (Italian)

ff170r, 171v *Supplica d'un Ibernese per essere ammesso in Collegio* (undated) – letter from Ulisse de Burke to Cardinal Altieri to be given the newly vacated place at the College; with remark overleaf (unsigned) that the student has been admitted. (Italian)

386 The three named appear to be aided by Cornelius Bohilly, priest at the Madonna dei Monti, expelled from the College by Cardinal Imperiali. The rector at length comments on reasons against accepting priests, contrasting former cases with the satisfying careers of younger students, one of whom was singled out by the king [James III] to be *precettore* for his first-born. [See student Richard Reynolds, above.] He warns that ordaining too many priests in Ireland, and *poco idonei* at that, will ruin the mission (f. 160v).

387 The two may be drafts for the same document, addressed to the same person. The second document was by mistake assigned the title of the following, now f. 168.

ff 173r-174v, 175v (undated) – letter from the rector to Cardinal Altieri; the case of Hugh McKean is before the pope; arguing his demands derive from greed not necessity; pleading not to force the College pay out more, sketching their difficulties.³⁸⁸ With remark overleaf (unsigned) [negative outcome]. (Italian)

ff 176r, 177v *Supplica del medico Candidi per avere un coadiutore* (undated) – petition from Giuseppe Candidi, college doctor and lecturer at the Sapienza, to Cardinal Marefoschi, asking to confirm Doctor Scufoni as his deputy at the Irish College for his advanced age; listing referees. (Italian)

ff 178r-179v (undated) – letter from Cardinal Marefoschi to Cardinal Orsini; raising only financial objections to installing deputy for Candidi; he sent a doctor to the College to look at acute cases. (Italian)

ff 182r-188v *Supplica d'un inglese al Papa per essere alimentato* (undated) and 18 August 1772 – petition from Henry Liddle, a convert to Catholicism since 11 May 1770, to Clement XIV; asking for lodgings in English or Scotch College so as to follow his study of painting. Responses by Monsignor Macedonio (2) and Cardinal Marefoschi, making arrangements to receive Liddle into the Irish College as a lodger. (Four documents) (Italian)

f. 190rv *Supplica dal Collegio al Papa per ricercare alcune scritture nel noviziato de' Gesuiti* 27 June 1773 – petition from the College to Clement XIV for access to documents about the College, now in the archives of the Jesuit novitiate. Permission (reverse) signed Macedonio. (Italian)

f. 191rv *Memoriale al Cardinale Altieri per le estinzione delle decime* (undated) – memorandum by [College] on its finances which since the death of Cardinal Ludovisi are in lay hands; asking for support [with the tithes]. (Italian)

Legato di Pasquale Carboni³⁸⁹

[f. 220] *Note e ricevute della celebrazione di dette Messe*

[ff 239-240] *Riduzione di dette Messe*

³⁸⁸ Pleading that the nine scudi per month suffice for a student; representing the College's present debt and imminent outlays.

³⁸⁹ These were transferred to Liber xiv, ff 156r-213v.

Liber XX

Rubricella (ff 8r–11v)

ff 2rv, 5rv *Apologia del Padre Famiano Strada nella sua istoria de Bello Belgico* (undated) – copy extracts from Strada's history concerning Irish involvement in Flanders, with two insertions of commentary by copyist. (Latin)³⁹⁰

ff 3r–4v *Ragioni del medesimo Strada contro i soldati Ibernesi* (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) in three sections criticising Strada's depiction of Irish soldiers in battle. (Latin)

*Formolario*³⁹¹

[f. 1] *Licenza per misurare il grano*

[f. 2] *Supplica per Indulgenze*

[f. 3] *Regola per far conti d'entrate e uscita*

[f. 4] *Dimissoriali per gli Ordini Sacri*

[f. 5] *Testimoniali per la [pma] tonsura*

[f. 6] *Per quelli che ritornano in patria*

[f. 7] *Formula per far fede del vino raccolto*

[f. [...]] *Formola di testimoniale per gli alunni che ritornano in Germania*

[f. 10] *Formola di fare i depositi*

[f. 12] *Patente per quelli che partono*

[ff 13; 19] *Formola per la gabella della dogana di terra*

[f. 14] *Altra simile*

[f. 15] *Altra simile*

390 These first two documents originally formed the beginning of the *Apologie* section below. The extract from Strada's work given here is cited as 'Liber 8, p. 332, 2nd decade'.

391 According to [Pollen] (f. 7) this file was transferred to Liber xxix, which does not exist. Liber xiv (f. 3r) claims it came from Liber xx, but does not contain it.

- [ff. 16; 31] *Ordine al Monte*
- [ff. 17; 21] *Altro agli appaltatori della Salara*
- [f. 18] *Fede di vino ed ordina per farlo passare*
- [ff. 20; 32] *Formola per la dogana di Ripa Grande*
- [f. 22] *Altra per i portinari per il vino di Castello*
- [f. 24] *Dimissoriali moderne*
- [f. 30] *Ordine al Monte Comunita*
- [f. 33] *Ordine alli portinari per le [Grscie] della vigna*
- [f. 34] *Altro per la Salara*
- [f. 35] *Altro simile per la detta Salara con notizia*
- [f. 36] *Altro simile solito a mandarsi alli doganieri del vino*
- [f. 37] *Altro simile*
- [f. 38] *Formola per i giovani che si propongono per ordinarsi in sacris*
- [f. 39] *Ordini al Banco di S. Spirito*
- [f. 40] *Altro al doganiere del vino a Ripa Grande*
- [f. 41] *Altra formola per gli ordinandi*
- [f. 42] *Attestato degli esercizi*
- [f. 47] *Altro per le pubblicazioni*
- [f. 44] *Discesso degli alunni che partono con tutti gli onori*
- [f. 45] *Formola per il carbone*

Apologie e fatti istruttivi in diverse materie

ff 16r–17v (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) taking issue with decrees from Propaganda Fide to improve the administration of Irish clergy. (Latin)³⁹²

ff 18r–39v *Fatto istruttivo del Collegio* [post-1772] – legal memorandum by lawyer Capocchiani, in 42 points, arguing for the nullity of the sale in 1666 of the College vineyard, pointing to the irregular character of the contract agreed to by Rector Philip Roche at the time. (Italian)

ff 42r–43r, 45v *Scrittura del Padre della Rocca sopra il suo operato nel Collegio* (undated) – memorandum for lawyer [Caporchiani] with detail on Rector Roche's management of College finances. (Italian)

ff 46r–47v *Dimostrazione della verità ai Cattolici Ibernese* (undated) – treatise (unsigned) in refutation of a certain *libellus* titled *Synthema seu Veritatis tessera* by an anonymous author whom the writer condemns as a false prophet sowing discord. (Latin)³⁹³

ff 48r–49v *Danni sofferti dal Collegio per il ricetta de forastieri* – copy translation memorandum [James O'Reilly SJ]. (Latin)³⁹⁴

ff 50r–53v *Riflessioni sopra la non ammissione d'un giovane* (undated) and 2 July 1702 – memoranda from [rector] for [Pope] arguing against John Coigly [Quigley]'s petition for admission to the College; listing rules for admission and specific reasons in this case – the student had been at the College before 10 years ago.³⁹⁵ (Two documents) (Latin/Italian).

392 The decrees concern faculties for Capuchins and discaled Carmelites, and intend ending certain abuses of faculties. Arguing against large number of ordinations of priests without proper education; pointing to the large number of seminaries on the continent. Also arguing for the other religious orders who did good work in Ireland before.

393 I am grateful to Ian Campbell for his opinion on this text (April, 2008): he believes that it was a critique of a report filed by Richard O'Ferrall OFM Cap to Propaganda Fide in 1658. The writer is probably not identifiable with John Lynch of Tuam – he submits similar arguments, but refers to 'Anglo-Irish', not 'New Irish' as Lynch would probably have done. See also Nienke Tjoelker & Ian Campbell, 'Transcription and translation of London version of Richard O'Ferrall's report to Propaganda Fide' in *Archivium Hibernicum*, LXI (2008), pp 7–61, at p. 7 fn2.

394 See original (English) Liber xxvi, ff 56–59, and other copy translation (Italian) Liber iv, ff 259 and 271. Another copy of this below ff 82r–85v, with the addition at the end 'scudi 2,350- at scudi 7 per month'. Both of these copy translations contain an obliterated entry possibly for [John Creagh].

395 He is therefore too old, is also at present infirm, and carries unconvincing references (*fedi ... assai superficiali* f. 52r). Contrasting students coming from other SJ Colleges in France and Flanders who are sent to Rome with good references, giving particular examples such as one student now sent to Rome from S. Germano by Fr Bartolomeo [Olvig], confessor to the Queen of England. This is probably the same student mentioned in Liber xix, f. 157r.

ff 54r–57v *Raggione per quali non devono pagar[sili] scudi 15 a due alunni* (undated) – response from [rector] to students Peter Creveo [Creagh] and James Stritcij [Stritch], both *doctores*, arguing against their claim for a *viaticum*. (Latin)

ff 58rv, 59v *Circa la difesa delle conclusioni* (undated) – memorandum from Michael Jordan SJ in defence of his decision to promote John Daly, not Henry Hughes. (Italian)³⁹⁶

ff 60r–61v *Altro in onore di S. Fran[ces]co Saverio*³⁹⁷ (undated) – fragment eulogy (unsigned) for St Francis; *incipit*: ‘*Gettò Dio dal Cielo una gran palla d’oro ...*’. (Italian)

f. 62rv *Motivi addotti per non dare a Gesuiti il Collegio* (undated) – extract memorandum from St Isidore’s archives on the financial arrangements for the College under the Franciscans. (Italian)³⁹⁸

Discorsi e panegirici

[f. 104] *Discorso in lode della bolla di Gregorio XV sopra l’elezione del Papa*³⁹⁹

[f. 120] *Altro sermone del Padre Muzio*⁴⁰⁰

ff 64r–67v *Orazione in lode dell’ Eminentissimo Salviati in occasione che prese poss[ess]o della protettoria del Collegio* 28 January and 1 February 1781 – two speeches given in St Isidore’s and at the Irish College by Cardinal Protector Salviati. *Incipiunt*: *etsi, ex quo me totum, ad quem ingenti Dei beneficio vocabat ...* and *Quae et quanta fuerit animi mei laetitia cum Hiberniae Regni Parrocinium mihi [datum] ...* (Two documents) (Latin)

ff 68r–79v *Simile della gioventù d’ Ibernia all’ Eminentissimo Ludovisi in occasione della sua visita al Collegio* 1628 – printed *libellus* signed Christopher Chamberlain, with laudatory speeches, lyrical pieces, anagrams, in honour of Ludovisi as the founder of the *Hibernicae Iuventutis Domus*; eulogy honouring Ireland. (Latin)⁴⁰¹

396 Their tutor in philosophy, Padre Semeri, found them equal, so decisions were made on the basis of their College records in general. The endorsement (f. 59v) indicates that the ‘ather secretary’ had intended to please ‘Padre Nigronio Acadimico’ in the matter.

397 Belongs to *panegirici* below.

398 With notarial authentication of 7 April 1773.

399 Marked in *rubricella* as transferred to Liber xxviii; see *ibid.*, ff 66–76.

400 As above; see Liber xxviii, ff 54–64.

401 Applying poetical device *iris* (rainbow) to Ludovisi’s magnificence. The piece about Ireland is entitled *Iris praesaga foelicitatis*, ample quotations from historical and contemporary sources about country, scholarship, hopes for Ludovisi’s protectorship (ff 72v–75v). Christopher Chamberlain was the third of the first six students to enter the College; see Liber I, f. 80v.

Conclusionone tronca in carta pecora dedicata al sudetto Eminentissimo fondatore vedi foglio volante [once loose leaf; missing] [no foliation given]

*Elogj*⁴⁰²

f. 80rv *Del Padre Maurizio de' Burini* 7 November 1661 (date of death) – obituary of Padre Mauritius de Buren (Speyer), by the Irish College, sent to Padre Agostino Maria Doria SJ. (Italian)

ff 82r–85v Copy draft memorandum as ff 48–49 above.

ff 86r–87v *Del Padre Giovanni Paolo Oliva* 20 December 1681 – vita and eulogy of Oliva, superior general SJ, by Carlo de Noyelle. (Latin)⁴⁰³

f. 88rv *Del Padre Roberto Nugenzo* 18 June 1652 (death 5 May) – eulogy of Nugent SJ by Christopher Segravus [Segrave], sent to Goswin Nickel, superior general SJ. (Latin)⁴⁰⁴

ff 89r–92r *Del Padre Franc[esc]o Retz* 20 December 1750 (composition) – eulogy of Retz, superior general SJ, by *Viccomes* Ignatius. (Latin)

ff 93r–94v *Del Padre Claudio Acquavi[va]* 14 March 1614 – 7 February 1615 (composition) – reports on the health of Aquaviva, superior general SJ, and obituary, by [Ferdinandus Allber SJ]. (Latin)

ff 95rv, 96v *Del Padre Alberto Chanowski* 16 May (no year) and 29 August 1649 (dates of death) – obituaries of Alberto [Chanowski] and Martino Stredonio (Bohemia). (Italian)

f. 97rv *Del Padre Ant[oni]o Tomassini* 2 March 1717⁴⁰⁵ (composition and anniversary) – obituary (unsigned) of Tommasini (Città di Castello). (Italian)

f. 99rv *Del Padre Franc[esc]o di Girolamo* [12] May 1716 (composition and anniversary) – obituary (unsigned) of di Girolamo (Naples). (Italian)

ff 100rv, 101v *Del Padre Oliva come XI generale* [26] November (no year) – obituary (unsigned) of Oliva, superior general SJ. (Italian)

402 The dates on the following documents veer between anniversary dates, and date of composition. Where clear, this has been noted. The men concerned seem all to have been professed religious in the Society of Jesus, even if this is not stated in each case.

403 An endorsement (f. 87v) names de Noielles as Oliva's successor.

404 This was written at Manapia [Wexford].

405 As in a few other entries below, the phrasing concerning the date is ambiguous: *s'avvisa, che nel giorno di domani l'anno 1717 il P. Antonio ... coronò ...64 anni di vita*. It must regard the anniversary date, not year of death.

f. 102^{rv} *Del Padre Franc[esc]o del Castiglio* 11 April 1673 (death) – eulogy (unsigned) of Castiglio (Lima). (Italian)

f. 104^{rv} *Del Padre Paolo Shenlogus* 9 August 1646 (death) – obituary (unsigned) of Paul Sherlock (Waterford). (Latin)

f. 105^r *Del Padre Ant[oni]o Baldinucci* [7] November 1717 (composition and anniversary) – obituary of Baldinucci (Florence). (Italian)

f. 107^r *Del Padre Agostino Strobach* [...] August 1684 (death) – obituary (unsigned) of Strobach (Moravia). (Italian)

f. 108^r *Padre Filippo[Teningen]*[8] February 1702 [death] – obituary (unsigned) for [Teningen] [Perluaco near Monte Venusto, Raetium]. (Italian)

ff 109^r, 110^v *Del Padre Ignazio Visconti* 4 May 1755 (death) – obituary (unsigned) of Visconti, superior general SJ. (Italian)⁴⁰⁶

ff 111^r–114^v *Del Padre Luigi Centurioni* 30 October 1757 (composition) – obituary by Giovanni Antonio Timoni of Aloysio Centurioni, superior general SJ. (Latin)⁴⁰⁷

[f. 180] *Calendario Gesuitico de' loro soggetti* [missing]⁴⁰⁸

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[f. 223] *Vita di S. Patrizio* [bound in Liber xxi, ff 194–216.]

ff 115^r–119^r *Vita del Padre Giovanni Yongi* 24 September 1664 – *vita* (unsigned) and *res gestas* by Philip Roche of Fr John Young SJ (born Cashel 1589, died Rome 1664). (Two documents) (Latin)⁴⁰⁹

Attestati in diverse materie

f. 121^r *Attestato d'aver Don Saverio Pucci celebrato nell'Or[ator]io di S. Franc[esc]o di Paola a Monti* 7 July 1770 – statement by chaplain Ignazio Pianta about Masses celebrated by Pucci. (Italian)⁴¹⁰

406 This was sent to Rector Thomas Brenan SJ (1754–1759).

407 Also sent to Brenan.

408 Modern annotation in *rubricella*: 'transferred to lib.xxviii B'; it may be identified with the *elogii* now in Liber xxviii, ff 82^r–124^v.

409 Rector John Young (1656–1664); Rector Philip Roche (1664–1667). See Young's correspondence in Liber xxvi, ff 32–50.

410 The *rubricella* entry indicates he is 'celebrated', not 'celebrant'.

f. 122r *Ricognizione di bona fede a favore d' Angelo [Ferribbi] per l'affitto della casa* 20 November 1737 – agreement between Rector Alexander Roche and a new tenant. (Italian)

[f. 256] *Attestato di consegna di certi denari* [missing]

ff 123r, 124v *Att[estat]o d' Ibernia a favore de' Gesuiti* 17 Jan. 1648 – statement by Bishop David [Rothe] of Ossory, Kilkenny, defending Jesuits of the diocese against censures issued in [1643] by the nunzio. (Latin)⁴¹¹

f. 125r [Copy] *Lode del Collegio* (undated) – statement by a Jesuit priest (unsigned), attesting the College and students excellency concerning studies, discipline, rule. (Italian)⁴¹²

f. 126r *Pessimo ordine tenuto da' Gesuiti nell' amministrazione del Collegio* 23 July 1773 – statement by Simone Foli, accountant of the College, attesting to the neglect of book-keeping by former administrations; inability to form a general account of finances. (Italian)⁴¹³

f. 127r *Copy Vino della vigna* [1772] – statements by the caretaker of the Castel Gandolfo vineyard concerning sales of quantities of wine by Rector Petrelli. (Italian)⁴¹⁴

f. 128r *Att[estat]o riguardante l'estrazione de' LL de MM. [Luoghi di Monte]* 29 July 1747 – statement by Fran[cesco] Apollonij, accountant at unnamed bank, on the mode of withdrawing bonds. (Italian)

ff 130v–131r *Depositi, ed estrazione fatte (sic) dal Banco di S. Spirito* 1658–1659 – extracts from bank rolls concerning withdrawals. (Italian)⁴¹⁵

*Catalogo de' Gesuiti mandati in diversi tempi nell'Ibernia*⁴¹⁶

1637 *Ονομάστικον* – list and draft list (unsigned) of 56 Irish Jesuits, with references to character, experience, talent. (Two documents) (Latin)

411 Far from acting as agitators and abettors, he found them politically, theologically and canonically sound, and points out that they kept the cathedral open, averting damage and loss.

412 Stating this is the opinion of many others besides him, and pointing to the fact that the late Cardinal Imperiali's orders were always followed.

413 Only one *libro mastro* (1642–1662) remained for him to examine; this is no longer extant in the College archives. Few ledgers and day-books for the early and mid-eighteenth century remain there, and nothing predating 1699.

414 The original documents were deposited with Rector Cuccagni 28 January 1773.

415 With notarial authentication of 18 February 1730. The first withdrawal noted was made by Principe Niccolò Ludovisi.

416 See also the list furnished by Ignatius Lombard of 1655, Liber xxvi, f. 43v.

ff 132v–135v Robert Nugent, Henry FitzSimon, Robert Batheus [Bath], John Morus, Henry Cusack, George Giraldinus, Robert Netterville, William Mallon, Nicholas Nugent, George Dillon, John Plunkett, Michael Chamberlain, Bartholomew Hamelinus, Malachy Young, John Pursell, Henry Plunkett, Nicholas Talbot, Thomas Quin, Florence Cavellus, Christopher Sedgrave, James Latin, Thomas Reilly, John Kyrolanus [Carolan], Barnabas Kearn[...], Walter Wall, James Everard, Richard Wallesius [Walsh], John Lombard, John Baptist Duigen, James Butler, James Saulus, William Cragh, John Young, Edward Clare, James Wall, Michael Barrick, James Comerfort, Stephen Vitus [Mac an Bheatha], Thomas Shane, Ignatius Briverius, William Salinger, Thomas Macarius, Thomas Burke, Thaddeus Sullivan, James Fanning, Nicholas Punch, John Vitus [Mac an Bheatha], John Gough, Oliver Eustace, John Birmingham, Richard Barrettus, Stephen Brown, Thaddeus Lanigan, John Convaus [Conway], Patrick [Convaus] [Conway], Thaddeus [Jeffernan].⁴¹⁷

30 December 1650 *Catalogus primi anni 1650* – list of 47 Irish Jesuits, giving age and health, origin (listed here), date of joining the Society, studies, *gradus* in the order, office held at present. (Latin)

ff 136r–139v Andrew Saulus (Cashel), Christopher Netterville (Meath), Christopher Sedgrave (Dublin), Francis Tirry (Cork), Gerard Nugent (Meath), William Bergin (Ossory), William Dillon (Westmeath), William Hurly [Kilkenny], William Long (Dublin), William Magrath (Caher), William Mallon (Dublin), William Salinger (Kilkenny), James Ford (Dublin), James Patrick (Dublin), John Carolan (Meath), John Egan [Meath], John Gogh (Clonmel), John Moore (Meath), John Purcell (Dublin), John Talbot (Kildare), John Usher (Dublin), John Young (Cashel), Maurice Conaldi [Connell] (Kerry), Maurice Ward (Tirconaill), Michael Chamberlain (Meath), Nicholas Nugent (Meath), Nicholas Pontius (Limerick), Nicholas Talbot (Meath), Oliver Eustace (Wexford), Patrick Convaeus [Conway] (Cashel), Peter Creagh (Cashel), Richard Archdeacon (Kilkenny), Richard Shelton (Dublin), Robert Nugent (Meath), Stephen Brown (Galway), Stephen Gellous (Dublin), Thadaeus Sullivan (*Desmoniensis*), Thomas Bourke (Limerick), Thomas Quin (Dublin), John Birmingham (Galway), William Ryan (Kilkenny), James Tobin [*Jesipontanus*], Ignatius Carbery (Dublin), Nicholas Nugent (Kilkenny), Robert Dillon (Westmeath), Stephen Rich (Dingle), Thomas Quiricus [Quirke] (Cashel).

⁴¹⁷ Where obvious, the names were hibernicised; e.g. Robertus Nugentius (Robert Nugent), Malachias Yongh (Malachy Young); in other cases the original was maintained.

f. 14^{or} (undated) – [fragment] list (unsigned) with names of three Jesuits, their age and health, admission, studies, present ministry, and *gradus* in the order. (Latin) Alexander Posarellus (Italian), Bernardus [West] (Prague), Stephanus [Lenagh] (Zagreb).⁴¹⁸

f. 14^{ov} (undated) – list compiled by John Young CC, referring to 12 students by number, recommending them either for promotion of *gradus* or for further formation. (Latin)⁴¹⁹

1654 *Nomina nostrorum* – two lists (unsigned) of Irish Jesuits. (Latin)

Leinster: William Mallon, John Usher, Richard Shelton, James Ford, John Purcell (Dublin), William Long, Stephen [Gellous], Gerard Nugent.

Munster: Thaddaeus Sullivan, Maurice Conaldi [Connell], Francis [Tirry], Andrew Saulus, Patrick Convaeus [Conway], Michael Chamberlain.

Connacht: Stephen Brown, Nicholas Talbot.

Ulster: Maurice Ward.

f. 141^{rv} **No province:**⁴²⁰ Thomas Quin, Richard Shelton, James Ford, William Long, Stephen [Gellous], Gerard Nugent, Ignatius Carbery, Thomas [Quirk], Michael Chamberlain, Francis Tirry, Maurice Conaldi, Andrew Saul, Nicholas Talbot, John Talbot, Maurice Ward, James Toby.

1654 *Nomina nostrorum qui iam per diversas provincias et [locos] dispersi sunt* – list (unsigned) of Irish Jesuits, by country. (Latin)⁴²¹

Ireland: Thomas Quin, Michael Chamberlain, Nicholas Talbot, Richard Shelton, Thaddaeus Sullivan,⁴²² William Hurly,⁴²³ Francis Tirry, Andrew Saulus, Stephen Gellous, Gerard Nugent, Stephen Brown, James Ford, John Purcell,⁴²⁴ William Long, Maurice Conaldi [Connell], Maurice Ward.

Spain: William Salinger (Compostela), Richard Lincaeus [Lynch] (Salamanca), Thomas Dillon (Granada), Ignatius Lombard [Madrid],

418 The recto bears an endorsement that seems to belong with the document on the verso: *de promovendis [a...] gradus*.

419 These do not seem to be connected with the foregoing numbered lists, when comparing age and ability.

420 Many are repetitions of the list by provinces.

421 All entries, except where indicated, bear title *P[ater]*.

422 Name obliterated, with annotation *Salamanca* ?

423 Name obliterated, with annotation *Olissipontae* [Lisbon].

424 With annotation *obiit*.

Peter Vitus [White], Andrew Saulus (Oviedo), John Clare, Richard Bourk, Andrew Lincoln (Bilbao), Thomas Leary (Villa Franca del Bierzo),⁴²⁵ [Thomas] Cronaeus (Salamanca), John Egan (Oviedo), Patrick Convaeus [Conway] [Occarma], William Bergin (Oropesa),⁴²⁶ William Mallon (Seville),⁴²⁷ John Usher (Hispal),⁴²⁸ Robert Dillon,⁴²⁹ Ignatius Brown, Jerome Sweetman, Martin Vitus [White], James Brown, James Comerford, Francis [Delamar], James Ryan, Walter Hennes.

France: Matthew Hartigan, Oliver Eustace, Nicholas Poncius, Nicholas Netterville, Peter Creagh [Atebain], Thomas Plunkett [Rupelle], [Daniel] Donegan,⁴³⁰ John Strich, William O[n...] (Bourges [Franciam]), Nicholas Nugent (Bourges), Mark [Lynch] (Lyon), [...] [Shane] (Bordeaux),⁴³¹ Robert Medus (Nancy),⁴³² Hugh [&] Thaly Thallaeus (Nancy).

Portugal: Nicholas Nugent (Porto), Cornelius a Santo Patricio, Edmund Kelly, Richard Carey, [...] Cullen, Francis Vitus [White].

Flandro-Belgica: William Stanihurst (Antwerp), Richard Archdeacon (Malines), Ignatius Goaghe (Antwerp), Stephen Rice, James Tobyn [Louvain], Dominic Kerouan [Kirwan] (Antwerp).⁴³³

Gallo-Belgia: Thomas Quiricus [Quirke] (Douai), Ignatius Carbery [Montibus].

ff 142r–143v; 145r, 146v **England:** Robert Finglass (London), Peter Corradus [Wateini], Gerard Comerford [Leadii], John Talbot, Peter Talbot.⁴³⁴

(undated) *Nomina eorum qui se offerunt ad Missionem Hibernicam* – list (unsigned) of Jesuit priests⁴³⁵ with brief biography for each. (Latin)

425 With annotation (left) *gramaticam*, and the addition [...] *in Hib[ernia]* after place of residency.

426 Name obliterated, with annotation *dimissus*.

427 With annotation *obiit*.

428 Seville (*Hispal*) obliterated, adding [*vi*] *Hib[erni]a*.

429 With annotation *obiit*. From here for the rest of Irish Jesuits in Spain, the entries are lacking the title *P[ater]*.

430 Name obliterated; place-names [*Fontaineacd.*] and Aquitaine.

431 Where other entries have *P[ater]* and first name, there is a blank.

432 This and the following entry lack title *P[ater]*; the place-name is obliterated.

433 Lacking title *P[ater]*.

434 Name obliterated; annotation *dimissus*.

435 Only Ignatius Carbery is not titled *P[ater]*.

f. 144^{rv} Philip Roche, Thomas Leraeus [Leary], John Usher, William Mallon, Thomas Quiricus [Quirke], Ignatius Carbery, George Vitus [White].

1662 *Nomina patrum nostrorum qui iam sunt in Hibernia ...* – list (unsigned) of 24 Irish priests, with ages, *gradus* in the order, residency. (Latin)

f. 147^r William Salinger [illegible], Richard Shelton (no place given), Andrew Saulus (Waterford), Francis Tirry (Cork), Gerard Nugent (Meath), William Long (Dublin), James Tobin (Kilkenny), James Ford (Dublin), John Clare (Waterford), John Talbot (Galway), John Usher (Dublin), Maurice Conaldi [Connell] (Kerry), Maurice Ward (Galway), Michael Chamberlain (Cork), Nicholas Talbot (Galway), Stephen Gellous (*Rospontus*⁴³⁶ and Wexford), Ignatius Carbery (Dublin), Thomas Quiricus [Quirke] (Kilkenny), Thomas Leraeus [Leary] (Cashel), George Vitus [White] (no place given),⁴³⁷ Thomas Quin,⁴³⁸ Peter Creagh (Cashel), Stephen Brown (Galway), Stephen Rich (Limerick).

1666 *Catalogus brevis missionis Ibernicae* – list of 29 Jesuit priests in Ireland compiled by Andrew Sallus noting residence, present office, years on the missions. (Latin)⁴³⁹

436 New Ross, Co. Wexford.

437 With a cross beside his name.

438 Name obliterated, doubts raised whether he has left Ireland.

439 Adding on that almost all of the men listed brought a large number of heretics back to the faith: *omnes paene praedicti multos hetherodoxos ad [saniora] ducunt*. Also stating that two years before (*duobus retro annis*) none of those listed had died, or had been dismissed – *quod Deo sit gratia*.

ff 148^{rv}, 149^v Nicholas Talbot (Dublin),⁴⁴⁰ James Ford (Dublin), William Hurley (Limerick), Richard Shelton (Dublin),⁴⁴¹ Francis Tyrphaeus (Cork), John Usher (Dublin),⁴⁴² Andrew Sallus Benedicti (Dublin),⁴⁴³ John Talbot (Dublin), William Long (Dublin), Andrew Sallus Joannis (Cashel),⁴⁴⁴ John Clare (Waterford),⁴⁴⁵ Richard de Burgh (Galway),⁴⁴⁶ Nicholas Netterville (just returned from France), Nicholas Nugent (Dublin), Stephen Rice (*Rospontus*, Leinster [New Ross, Co. Wexford]), Thomas Quirk (Kilkenny),⁴⁴⁷ Stephen Brown (Galway), Stephen Gellous (*Rospontus*, Leinster),⁴⁴⁸ Peter Creagh (Limerick), John Stritch (Limerick), Maurice Connell (Cork),⁴⁴⁹ Gerald Nugent (just returned from France),⁴⁵⁰ Ignatius Carbery (Drogheda), James Tobyn (Kilkenny), Thomas Leraeus [Leary] (Cashel), Fiachra Dempsey (Dublin), Dominic Kyrouan [Kirwan] (Galway), Ignatius Brown (Waterford), Ignatius Gough (Dublin).⁴⁵¹

(undated) *Catalogus brevis patrum missionis Hiberniae* – list (unsigned) of 27 Irish Jesuit priests serving in Ireland, with residence and *gradus*. (Latin)

ff 150^r, 151^v Andrew Sall[us], Richard Shelton, John Usher, John Talbot, William Long (all Dublin); Nicholas Talbot, Fiachra Dempsey, James Ford, Nicholas Netterville (all ‘near Dublin’), Ignatius Carbery (Drogheda); Thomas Quirke, James Tobyn (both Kilkenny); Stephen Gellous, Stephen Rice (both *Rossiponto*, Leinster); John Clare, Ignatius Brown (both Waterford); Andrew Sall Ioannis, Thomas Leraeus [Leary] (both Cashel); Francis Tyrphaeus (Cork); William Hurley, Maurice Conandi [Connell] (both ‘near Cork’); Peter Creagh, John Stritch (both Limerick); Dominic Kyrvan [Kirwan] (Galway), Richard de Burgh, Stephen Brown (both ‘near Galway’); Ignatius Gough (Clonmel).

1652 *Catalogus P[atrum] assistentium et provintium pro Congregatione Generali decima* – list of 74 priests, electors for the tenth general congregation SJ, listing present office, age, length of time in the Society, date of profession. (Latin)

440 (f. 148^r) *Ante sex annos incarceratus trimestri.*

441 (f. 148^r) *Post 17 hebdomadarum incarcerationem exulavit sesquiennio.*

442 (f. 148^r) *Post 2 mensium carcerem exulavit in Hisp.[ani]a 4 an[n]is.*

443 (f. 148^r) *Post 13 mensium incarcerationem exulavit in Gallia 4 annis.*

444 (f. 148^r) *In confutandis Jansenistis et Hetherodoxis potens.*

445 (f. 148^r) *Aliquandiu erat incarceratus.*

446 (f. 148^r) *Avunculo Arch[episcopo] Grandvero operam dat in dissidentium reconciliatione ...*

447 (f. 148^v) *Aliquandiu erat incarceratus.*

448 (f. 148^v) *Ter iam diu captus, ter item dimissus.*

449 (f. 148^v) *[in missionibus] semel captus, sed breve post dimissus.*

450 (f. 148^v) *Operarius erat, et futurus est strenuus.*

451 (f. 148^v) *Just returned from Holland- facit nobis multum negotij.*

ff 153r–154v Goswin Nickel, Bartholomaeus de Charres, Fabritius Banfus, Hieronymus Vogado, Guiglielmus de Vaël, Claudius Boniellus, Ludovicus Brandanus, Io[annes] Guilielmus Calaveranus, Petrus Pimen[ol], Franciscus Annatus, Alphonsus Javez, Aegidius de Namur, Franciscus Mascambr[...], Gaspar Druzbecki, Petrus Cazraeus, Blasius Slavinus, Gerardus Hansen, Claudius [D]jelingenses, Alexander Gottifredus,⁴⁵² Franciscus [Fraves], Nicolaus Royen, Franciscus de Montemaior, Alexander Bossellus, Guilelmus Sommieure, Hieronymus Ansaldo, Zacharias Trickellius, Joannes Panhauss, Franciscus Fosterus, Christophorus Schorrer, Joannes [Riwoki], Ludovicus Bomplanus, Aloysius Albricius, Thomas Reina, Florentius di Montmorency, Ludovicus à Marca, Hugo Mambrun, Joseph Castelnovus, Paulus de Ragas, Jacobus Dinet, Franciscus de Ribera, Theophilus Raynaudus, Nicolaus [Zimarz], Ignatius Garganus, [Vine Maria] Bargellinus, Petrus de Fonseca, Guilhelmus Anginot, Natalis Recapè, Otho Zylins, Rodericus de Arriaga, Ludovicus de Uzeda, Petrus Gualez, Paulus Belli, Joannes Streinius, Ambrosius de Penalosa, Henricus [Lamparter], Joannes Motet, Georgius Spaiser, Joannes Wazin, Franciscus LeRoy, Laurentius Pikarski, Franciscus de Vergan, Antonius Morandus, Gregorius Hoffman, Franciscus Tarbes, Didaeus de Alastury, Andreas Zawadski, Joseph Simonis, Jo[annes] Aloysius Confalonerius, Thomas de Blanc, Odoardus Courtenaeus, Joannes [Bucillen], Georgius [Turconich], Bernardus Wimpfling, Fabius Albergatus,⁴⁵³ Martinus de Pezaun, Claudius Boucher, Joannes Marraecius, Godefridus Otterstedt, Edwinus Carta, Sebastianus Comina, Gundi[s]alvus de Castille, Gaspar Caesilius.

452 Entered for the province of Rome, age 56, and professed on 2 February 1628, this is likely Rector Alessandro Gottifredi, first Jesuit rector of the College in 1635, succeeded in the same year by James Forde SJ (1635–1637).

453 Entered for Rome, age 53, professed 8 September 1635, this is likely Rector Fabio Albergati (1642–1647).

Liber XXI Missione P. I

*Missioni Part I**Rubricella* (ff 3r–4v)

Comments: Curran believes that ff 151–250 (original foliation) are missing; recommendations on rebinding ‘papers of period 1652–1660 (confederation or Cromwellian or Restoration)...’ in an earlier part of this volume. Pollen (f. 5r.) states ff 3–22 were too large for this volume and transferred to vol. xxvi (now 2a and 2b). Hagan (f. 193r) identified a file of documents as a bundle he found with Dr Kirby’s papers, specifying they are in most part those printed by Cardinal Moran from the College Archives.

Diversi fatti accaduti in Ibernia per il giuramento [dell’] abiura Lib: 12 p[ars] 1

f. 16rv (undated) copy letter (unsigned) to the Pope petitioning for charity for the poor Catholics of Ireland, and for the granting of a number of marriage dispensations in consanguinity.

(17 May 1631) ff 17r–19r, 20v [Copy] *Bolla di S. Pio V [sic] concedente l’erezione delle compagnie in Ibernia* 1 June 1564 – Bull from Pius IV, signed also by J. de la Corredera and A. de Hojeda. (Latin)⁴⁵⁴

Privilegi delle Missioni 1580 – [1662] – letter and lists concerning the pastoral/confessional faculties and privileges given to Irish Jesuits⁴⁵⁵

ff 21r–27r (four documents)

ff 28r–29v. *Erezione d’una cong[regazio]ne in Cassalen[se]* 27 June 1621 – statement by vicar general Daniel Kearney, Cashel, for the Holy See with testimony for a [congregation] dedicated to Mary. (Latin)

[f. 15rv] *Vari ordini dati in Ibernia dalla S. Cong[regazio]ne di Propaganda* [missing]

ff 30r–37v. *Gravami de’ regolari in Ibernia* 31 August 1630 – statement by [Leinster and Munster] secular priests against internal strife between them, the bishops, and religious. (Latin)

454 With registry entry 28 May 1631.

455 A petition from Rector John ‘Juncus’ [Young] states there are around 100 Irish Jesuits, both in Ireland and abroad (f. 24r).

ff 38r-39v *Iuspatronato [delle] Chiese Casselli e []laman* 23 May 1632 –papal [brief] from Urban VIII with privileges for the bishops of Cashel, Kildare, and Killaloe. (Latin)

ff 40r-42v, 45v-45Av Copies *Concordia tra loro [preti secolari e regolari] – Lettera sopra [dalla] Concordia- Capi di dissenzioni tra preti secolari e regolari – Istro[mento] di cons[ens]o di d[etta] Concordia del Provinciale di Gesuiti d'Ibernia.* 25 November – 4 December 1635 – settlements between religious and secular in England and Ireland signed Gregory Panzanus and Richard Blond SJ, provincial for English province. (Four documents) (Latin)

ff 46r-47v 29 December 1646 Copy letter by Waterford municipality⁴⁵⁶ to Jesuits about the church of St Peter. (Latin)

ff 48r-49v *Visita in Ibernia di Monsig.[nor]e Rinuccini come delegato apostolico* 5 February 1648 – letter from John [Segan], Kilkenny, to Mercurio Verdier SJ, visitator for Ireland, concerning nuncio. (Latin)

f. 50rv 3 June 1648 – letter from John Young, Kilkenny, to Nuncio Rinuccini, detailing Jesuit and Supreme Council affairs; further notes. (Latin)

ff 51r-52v 12 March – 6 November 1648 – copy letters from Robert Nugent, Kilkenny, to Nuncio Rinuccini, concerning a certain frigate, and related financial matters. (Two documents) (Latin)

f. 53rv 24 July 1648 Copy letter from the [Superior Council], Kilkenny, to Nuncio Rinuccini, on the national synod. (Latin)

ff 54r-55v 27 May 1648 – Copy letter signed by Dionisio Massari, Kilkenny, for [Rinuccini], presenting text of edict listing five points and giving wording of oath of association with signatures of 42 Irish barons and others, Kilkenny. (Latin)

f. 56r 6 February 1648 – copy statement by Mercurio Verdier, visitator, Kilkenny, regarding Frs John Young and Robert Nugent and the interdict. (Latin)

f. 57r 25 March 1648 – copy statement by Mercurio Verdier, visitator, Kilkenny, concerning the interdict, Lord Inchiquin, faculties given by Rinuccini to the order. (Latin)

⁴⁵⁶ Signed by Mayor Paul Wadding, Thomas Wadding, Edmund Theobald, James [Wailsh].

ff 58r, 62v 13 February 1651 – statement by Robert Nugent, Galway, concerning the 1,020 he lent to Nuncio Rinuccini and the promise by Massari to pay it back. (Latin)⁴⁵⁷

f. 59r *Motivi [per] le quali un tal P.[adre] Nugenzio in tempo pericoloso vien mandato in parti trasmarine* 20 February 1652 – statement in favour of Robert Nugent (superior of the missions for 22 years); his deeds for the church and danger at home. (Latin)

ff 60r 61v *Controversie tra il Colegio di Salamanga, e Vatford* 26 March 1652 – declaration by Goswin Nickel, superior general SJ; the library from Fr Sherlock's legacy is to be given by Salamanca College to the college in Waterford. (Latin)

ff 60r–63r 1 June 1652 – letter from Goswin Nickel, superior general SJ, to [Vogado], provincial of Portugal, portraying difficulties of Irish province; asking asylum for Nicholas Nugent. (Latin)⁴⁵⁸

ff 64r–65v *Facoltà concesse a un Gesuita ne' Regni [della] gran Bretagna* 1655 – list of faculties (unsigned) conceded to Fr Roberto Hill SJ, valid for Britain but not Ireland. (Latin)

f. 66rv *Proibizione del Parlam[en]to della gran Brittagna [recte Spagna], che due PP [Padri] Ibernesi non potessero stare insieme.* 5 October 1655 – copy letter from Ignatius Lombard [Spain] to Fr John Young SJ, Rome, arguing against royal decree, listing precedences. (Latin)

f. 67rv *Assoluzione di scomuniche d'Alessandro VII* 27 August 1655 – petition from certain *fratres* [bishops] of the dioceses Raphoe, Leighlin, Clonfert, Cork asking to lift excommunications made by the nuncio. (Latin)

f. 68rv *Indulgenza per l' esercizi spirituali* 27 October 1657 – letter from Goswin Nickel, Rome, asking for indulgences. (Latin)

ff 69rv, 70v *[Trattato per l'amore [delle] Missioni]* 20 March 1662 – Letter from William Salinger, Compostela, to Joanes Paulus Oliva, vicar general SJ, Rome, reporting on the Irish mission. (Latin)⁴⁵⁹

457 Witnessed by Archbishop Thomas [Fleming] of Dublin and Bishop Nicholas French of Ferns.

458 Printed in P. F. Moran, *Spicilegium Ossoriense*, i, p. 381, see Appendix i.

459 The *rubricella* title is misleading. This was printed in P. F. Moran, *Spicilegium Ossoriense*, i, pp 428–9, see Appendix i.

[f. 64] *Obiezioni per detto amore* [missing]⁴⁶⁰

f. 71r^v 12 September 1662 Letter from [Thoma de Li...], Granada, to Rector John Long [Young], Rome, detailing financial and missionary matters. (Latin)

ff 72r-75v *Altri simili* 9 July 1661 – *Rapporto propositioni de Unione Missionarum* report signed by John Young for [Jesuit superior] in favour of uniting the English and Irish mission. (Latin)

[f. 76] *Fondazione del Collegio Cassalense* [missing]⁴⁶¹

ff 76r-80v *Lettera annua delle Missioni* 1662 – letter from the Irish Jesuits (unsigned) for Propaganda Fide. (Latin)

ff 81r, 82v *Supplica di uno che desidera fare il missionario* 28 November 1662 – letter from Philip Roche, novitiate S. Andrea, Rome, supplicating St Francis Xavier to send him on a mission; later note that he was called to the Irish College on 2 December. (Latin)

ff 83r-84v Copy *Dichiarazione del clero d'Ibernia a fav[ore] di Carlo II* 15 June 1666 – fealty declaration of clergy assembled in Dublin. (Latin and English)

ff 85r-88v Copy *Difesa del clero regolare contro il clero secolare* 18 October 1664 – grievances (unsigned) of regular clergy of Dublin for [Propaganda Fide]. (Latin)

Richiamo de' Jesuiti d'Ibernia [ad] una Bolla di Clemente ...

ff 89r-90v *dichiarante Vicario Apostolico in Ibernia un Frate Francescano* 22 June *stilo veteri* 1668 – copy letter signed vicar general and chancellor, Cork, with subscript by co-adjutor John deBurgh, to the Bishop of Kilfenora, on the vicar apostolic Taaffe OFM and the visitation of Coppinger. (Latin)⁴⁶²

ff 91r-92r *Copia di essa Bolla* 24 August 1667 – bull of Clement IX making James Taaffe OFM vicar apostolic. (Latin)

460 This document was 10 folia long according to the *rubricella*, however it seems that not all matter was listed.

461 This document extended to three folia.

462 This was printed in P. F. Moran, *Spicilegium Ossoriens*, i, pp 454–6, see appendix i.

f. 93rv *Indulgenze concesse da Grigorio Nono* [1668] – petition from Nicholas Taylor SJ, Heusden, Belgium, for Clement IX, asking for indulgences; with grant of petition signed N. Piccolomini, 1 August 1668. (Latin)

[f. 92] *Peste in Ibernia* [does not exist]⁴⁶³

ff 94r–95v 8 October 1670 *Attestatio Cleri Diocesi Ardmachensis pro Primate* – petition from Armagh, Kilmore, Clogher, Down and Connor, Raphoe clergy,⁴⁶⁴ Armagh for Baldeschi, asking to replace the *vicarius* of Kildare O’Kelly. (Latin)⁴⁶⁵

[f. 93] *Guerra in Ibernia – Soccorsi dati* [does not exist]⁴⁶⁶

ff 96r–97v 19 April 1681 ‘*tra scritta con occasione [della] [Posse ... ni Gesuiti] e [della] persecutione contro i nostri in Inghilterra*’ – letter from Joannes Paulus Oliva, Rome, to Fr [...] (unnamed) reporting mostly on the epidemic in the Australian/Bohemian province. (Latin)

ff 98rv, 99v 20 September 1692 – letter from [Francesco] Guarini, Rome, for Rector de Auria (and the whole Irish province); on difficulty of mission. (Italian)

f. 100rv *Dal Pre[curatore] di Portogallo* 7 October 1692 – letter from Emmanuel da Sylva, Lisbon, to Fr Thomas Eustace SJ, Rome, promising 50,000[reali]. (Latin)⁴⁶⁷

f. 101rv *Dalla Sicilia* 8 June 1692 – letter from Giovanni V Imperiale, Palermo, to Fr Thomas Eustace SJ, Rome – ‘he promises all his endeavours to get helpe’. (Italian/English)

f. 102rv *Germania* 16 February 1695 – letter from Fridericus Ininger, Ingolstadt, to Thomas Eustace, Rome, promising financial support.⁴⁶⁸ (Latin/Italian)

463 The old folium number corresponds to the item now ff 94–95.

464 Six signatures headed by Patrick Daly, vicar general Armagh, Patrick Molderius, vicar general Down and Connor.

465 This was printed in P. F. Moran, *Spicilegium Ossoriense*, ii, pp 211–12, see appendix i.

466 The old folium number corresponds to f. 96.

467 This letter was printed in Moran, *Spicilegium Ossoriense*, ii, pp 308–9, see appendix i.

468 This letter was printed in Moran *Spicilegium Ossoriense*, ii, p. 314, see appendix i.

ff_{103r-104v} *Indulgenze concesse da Clemente XI* (undated) – petition from Constantine O'Neill (no place) to pope [Clement XI]⁴⁶⁹ for indulgences (Latin)

ff_{105r-110v} *Supplica ad Innocenzo XII per qualche sollievo all'Ibernia* (undated) – copies of petition from Irish Jesuits, one from Fr Thomas Eustace, to Innocent XII – referring to letter 22 December 1646. (Three documents) (Latin/Italian)

ff_{111r-117v} *Relazione del'Afflizioni d'Ibernia* (undated) – treatise (unsigned) on Irish missions, and on Jansenism in general (Latin). *incipit*: 'exprimere verbis non possum ...'.

f. 118r_v *Legato del Collegio di Vandford [Waterford]* – memorandum by John Young, Irish College Rome, concerning Archbishop Walsh of Cashel, Waterford College, other matters. (Latin)

[f. 125] *Altra relazione del'afflizioni d'Ibernia* [does not exist]⁴⁷⁰

f. 119r_v (undated) letter (unsigned) imparting grievances about Poitiers College. (Italian)⁴⁷¹

f. 120r_v *Privilegj de'Collegj della Gran Brettagna* (undated) – list of faculties for students of English College, Rome. (Latin)

ff_{121r-122r} *Rassegna con pensione d'un Beneficio* 25 June [...] – [draft deed] by Patrick Creagh, Liège, ceding his annual pension to Gaspar Marck. (Latin)

ff_{123r-124v} *Altra relazione come sopra* [February 1652]⁴⁷² – copy petition from the Irish mission (unsigned) for 'fathers of the congregation'. (Latin)

ff_{125r-126r} *Supplica al Re Carlo per la pacificazione* – (undated) petition (unsigned) from Irish Confederates asking Charles [II] to open the way for peace. (Italian)

f. 127r_v (undated) – petition from Irish nobility signed O'Neill, Osmond, Antrim, Montgarret, Netterfield, Dillon, for English Parliament, in five points. (Latin)

469 Pencil annotation of modern date. Copy heavily annotated and f. 103v and 104r contain some draft sentences.

470 The old folium number corresponds to f. 119.

471 Pencil note Curran 'after Popish plot'.

472 Pencil annotation of modern date.

ff 128r–129v *Concessione di due Chiese in Ibernica ai Gesuiti* (undated) – two letters from [nuncio Scarampi]⁴⁷³ to pope on St John’s Kilkenny and St Peter’s Waterford as belonging to the Jesuits. (Two documents) (Italian)

ff 130r–131r *Danni sofferti nella Missione* 17 February 1692 – copies of *actio* 36 signed Francis Forster, secretary of the Congregation [...], about accepting one Irishman into the novitiate. (Two documents) (Latin)

f. 132r *Motivi per una dispensa matrimoniale* (undated) – statement (unsigned) in five points; dispensation for John Chivers and Mary Purcell (latter related to the Viceroy). (Italian)

ff 133r–134v *Facoltà per quelli che vanno alle Missioni* – (undated) faculties to be given to priests in Ireland – identical to those ff 64–65 above. (Latin)

ff 135rv, 136v *Catalogo de’Libri [della] Missione* – list of c. 46 books left by Fr Henry Fitzsimon in Jesuit house, Rome; stating other manuscripts were added to them by Fr John [Davoch] who left Rome in September 1630). (Latin/Italian)

ff 137r–140v *Spese per i decanati di [nostre] Chiese in Ibernica* [undated] – copies expenses for deaconate honours in Waterford, Armagh, Elphin. (Three documents) (Latin)

ff 141r, 142v *Bre[ve] per le Missioni* 4 November 1693 – brief from Tirso Gonzalez, superior SJ, for Fr Thomas Eustace’s as *procurator* of the Irish mission. (Latin)

ff 143r–146r *Encomio de’ Cristiani d’Ibernica* – (undated) extract of account by Fr Niccolo Maria Pallavicino of the heroic loyalty of Irish Catholics to the pope. (Italian)

[f. 154] *[Istoria] [della] Missione d’Ibernica dall’anno 1641 al 50 ed al 66* [not in place]⁴⁷⁴

[f. 215] *Altra Istoria per anni [22]* [not bound in this volume]⁴⁷⁵

473 Contemporary endorsement (f. 29v) identifies the hand as Scarampi’s.

474 The text was, however, printed in Moran, *Spicilegium Ossoriense*, ii, pp 43–77, see appendix i.

475 This document is now part of the loose leaves. It was seemingly removed by Cardinal Moran to Sydney and later returned.

[ff 240–251 missing, but latter part extant ff 147r–191v] *Imprestito fatto nell'Ibernia de'denari della Missione a Mons.[ignore] Rinuccini da Gesuiti, e lite consecutive per riaverli – M[emoria] de' Beni de' Gesuiti nella Missione di Ibernia [1646–1693]* – fragment file⁴⁷⁶ of memoranda and correspondence mostly between the Irish Jesuits, their superiors, nuncio Rinuccini and secretary Massari, Innocent XI and Innocent XII, also statements from Earl of Clanricard (f. 159) and Bishops of Killala, Limerick, Tuam, Ferns (f. 160), all concerning the loan in 1646 of 4,080 *scudi* to Rinuccini by the Irish Jesuits (provincial Robert Nugent), and eventual payment of 1,318 *scudi* to the Society (Thomas Eustace as procurator) out of the nuncio's spoils of war.⁴⁷⁷ (25 documents) (Latin/Italian)

ff 194r, 216v (undated) – *Vita S. Patricii Hiberniae Apostoli* signed John Young; based on ancient and reliable authors, 21 chapters.⁴⁷⁸ *incipit*: 'sanc-torum vitas, ac vos ab eis praeclare gestas literarum monumentis tradi...'

ff 217r–247v 1641–1650 *De statu missionis Hibernica Societatis Jesu* excerpts from annual mission reports. (Latin)

ff 248r–265v [1646]–1665 *Status Societatis in Hibernia nuperi belli tempore* – report on the Jesuits (unsigned) in five chapters and [appendix]. (Latin)⁴⁷⁹

ff 266r–267v No date *De Procuratore Madriti pro Missione Hibernica Soc[ieta]tis Iesu* – memorandum (unsigned) arguing in favour of a procurator for the Irish Jesuit mission to be based in Madrid. (Latin)

ff 268r–271v 1654 *Status Soc[ieta]tis Jesu in Hibernia* – report (unsigned) for [S] superior general]. (Latin)⁴⁸⁰

ff 272r–277v 10 November 1645 copies of detailed report (unsigned), Limerick, from missions undertaken for the nuncio and their shared journey and impressions to and within Ireland. (Two documents) (Italian)⁴⁸¹

476 The first four documents of this file were removed and not returned before binding; see loose leaves.

477 The copy payment order of 26 August 1693 by Innocent XII to pay the Jesuits the sum from spoils offers a summary (ff 180–183). Clanricard (1650) attests Rinuccini to have paid back a sum; the bishops attest that the nuncio received a loan from Robert Nugent and that they were not a party to it.

478 This document was originally part of Liber xx, listed in the *rubricella* from f. 223 (foliation extant).

479 This was printed in Moran, *Spicilegium Ossoriense*, i, pp 356–9, see appendix i.

480 This was printed in Moran, *Spicilegium Ossoriense*, i, pp 407–12, see appendix i.

481 One copy is dated 1646, by Fr Ascanius [Malasana], the other by Patrick Francis Moran.

f. 278r [29] December 1653 – letter from (unsigned) [Rector at Fermo]⁴⁸²
to Fr [...], on Archbishop Rinuccini's death and his testament. (Italian)

482 The contemporary endorsement has it as *missum a P. Rect. Firmano* (f. 278v). For example, leaving Dionisio Sinigardi the *chinea morella* (black saddle horse) that Rinuccini brought from Ireland.

Liber XXII Missione P. II

*Missione Parte II**Rubricella* (ff 2r–7v)

Comments: Curran (f. 7v) refers to some papers removed by Cardinal Moran – some of these were published in Moran's *Spicilegium Ossoriense* (see references below). He also refers to some documents now back in their place – some are found here with titles in Moran's hand: while the titles are not listed here, they have been used in ascertaining content.

[f. 1] *Supplica al papa d'un Avvocato [data...] nome del Re per fare [acc...ere] l'elemosine ai Cattolic d'Irlanda [missing 1928].*

f. 13rv *Lettera di Hugo [Thaleni] al Padre Naselli circa la roba lasciata dal Padre Felino alla Missione* 14 February 1701 – letter from Hugh [Thalaeus], Irish College Poitiers, to Rector Naselli. (Latin)

ff 14Ar, 14Bv *Lettera del Padre Macmahon al Generale della Compagnia Tamburini di rallegramento per l'elezione del Rettore del Collegio fatta di persona del Padre della Rocca* 22 July 1727 – letter from R. McMahon, Paris, to Tamburini, on Alexander Roche's election. (Italian)

f. 16r *Lettera del detto Tamburino [dove raccomando] farsi orazione dai Padri della compagnia per un affare della mod[ern]a religione* 28 November 1722 – letter from Tamburini, Rome to Fr [...], on a liturgical matter. (Latin)

ff 17Ar–17Bv *Supplica del Collegio al Cardinale Corsini Protettore per Ibernia per elezione in un soggetto del Primato d'Armac [1737] [draft] memorandum from the Irish College for Corsini, recommending Bishop Bernard [McMahon] of Clogher for Armagh. (Italian)*

[f. 6] *Grazia della Cong[regazio]ne de' Riti al Clero d'Ibernia per l'uffizio e messa di varii Santi [missing 1928]*

[f. 7] *Decreto di Propaganda per multiplicar le parrocchie in Ibernia [missing (1928)]*

ff 18Av–18Br *Indulgenza plenaria concessa da Ben[edetto] XIV alla Confraternità del Cuor di Gesù della Città di [Nisunen]* 3 July 1724 – papal brief concerning the church of [Nosocomi] of the hospital of San Tommaso of Villanova. (Latin)

ff 19r–23v [Copy] *Supplica dal vescovo di [Limerick] al Papa Benedetto XIV per alcune controversie contro il vescovo [Avenanse]* 4 April 1740 – petition from Bishop Robert [Lacy] concerning the Bishop of [Achonry]. (Latin)

ff 24r–25v Printed *Supplica dei vescovi d'Irlanda a Propaganda per ottenere sussidii ai Cattolici d'Irlanda* 1750 – memorandum from Irish Catholics for Propaganda Fide, sent previously through their agent John Murphy, asking for support. (Italian)

ff 26r–27r Copy *Lettera del Gesuita Osserio al Vescovo di Waterford circa il [sostenere] l'elezione di un curato fatta dal detto vescovo* August 1752 –letter from [...] Ussher SJ to Bishop Creagh, concerning the nomination of Fr Thomas Gorman. (Italian)

f. 28r *Facoltà concesse al vescovo d'Armahan per dispense matrimoniali* 27 September 1758 – faculties from Congregation of the Inquisition for Archbishop Anthony Blake. (Latin)

ff 29Ar–29Br *Altra concessa al medesimo per far Pontificali ed esercitare altri diritti arcivescovili* 4 September 1758 – papal brief granting Archbishop Blake the pallium. (Latin)

ff 30r–31v Printed *Lettera facoltativa per le cons[ulta dispense] al vescovo Rapotense* 1 February 1759 – faculties from Congregation of the Inquisition for Bishop Philip Reilly. (Latin)

ff 32r–33v *Indulgenze concesse ad un alunno di ritorno alla missione* 1760 – petition from Fr Edmund Fitzgerald with subsequent concession of indulgences of 9 April. (Italian/Latin)

[f. 25] *Capitoli e statati diocesani fatti dal clero e Vescovo Accadense* [missing]

f. 34r *Facoltà concesse da Propaganda al Arcivescovo Armacano di ordinare XII chierici titolo missionis* 8 June 1701 – decree from Propaganda Fide. (Latin)

f. 36r [Copy] *Indulgenza plenaria concessa nella Festa di S. Franc[esc]o Saverio in Ibernia* 22 November 1762 – concession from the Congregation for Indulgences and Relics for Irish churches (Latin)

ff 38r–39v *Altar privilegiato concesso ad un alunno di ritorno alla missione* 1762 – petition from Fr James Reilly, Rome; granted 9 June. (Italian/Latin)

ff_{40r-43v} *Altre indulgenze concesse al medesimo* 1762 – petitions from Fr James Reilly, Rome for plenary indulgences; granted 8 and 11 June. (Two documents) (Italian/Latin)

f. 43Arv *Dispense matrimoniali all' Arcivescovo di Dublino* 15 July 1763 – papal brief concerning the marriage of Robert Sweetman and Mary Ryan. (Latin)

f. 44r *Solita facoltà del S. Ufficio concessa al Arcivescovo Armacano* 17 November 1763 – Holy Office faculties for Archbishop Blake. (Latin)

f. 45r *Dispense matrimoniali concesse al medesimo* 4 July 1763 Holy Office faculties for marriage dispensation for Archbishop Blake. (Latin)

f. 46Av *Indulgenze concesse alla Chiesa di S. Maria Corck* 15 February 1764 – papal concession for celebrating the feast of the Nativity of Virgin Mary in Cork. (Latin)

ff_{47r-48v} *Altre ad un alunno di ritorno alla missione* 1764 – petition by Fr Henry Sweetman for indulgences of St Brigid; granted 9 January. (Italian/Latin)

ff_{49r-50v} *Altar privilegiato al medesimo* 1764 – petition from Fr Sweetman; granted [5] January. (Italian/Latin)

ff_{51r-52v} *Facoltà concessa da Propaganda all' Arcivescovo Armacano di ordinare XII chierici titolo missionis* 31 March 1765 – faculties for ordinations. (Latin)

f. 53r *Proroga di dispense matrimoniali concessa all' Arcivescovo Armacano* 30 January 1765 – document from the Congregation of the Inquisition concerning faculties granted. (Latin)

f. 55r *Facoltà di assolvere i Liberi Muratori concessa all' Arcivescovo suddetto* 31 March 1765 – papal concession for Archbishop Blake to absolve Freemasons. (Latin)

ff_{58r-64v} *Copy Ricorso fatto in Propaganda da molti della missione contro i regolari d'Irlanda* (undated) – petition (unsigned) to Eminentissimi Patri [Propaganda] concerning regulars. (Latin)

f. 67r *Ricardo Renoldi per lettera lagnasi col Prefetto di Propaganda perché i Gesuiti vogliono nella loro Compagnia [na Columna] in pregiudizio della missione* 28 March 1765 petition from Richard Reynolds (former Irish College student) to [Propaganda], about the problem of students entering orders, especially the Jesuits. (Italian)

ff 69r, 70v [Copy] *Indulgenze concesse ai Gesuiti della Missione d'Ibernia* [1762] – petition from Irish Jesuit mission to Clement XIII asking for renewal of indulgences given in 1755 for a novena for St Francis Xavier. (Italian)

ff 71r, 72v [Copy] *Altre concesse di medesimi* [1762] – petition by John Ward SJ, superior of Irish mission to Clement XIII in the same matter. (Latin)

f. 73r *Proroga di dispense matrimoniali al Arcivescovo Armacano* 31 December 1766 – concession from the Holy Office of faculties to dispense, for Archbishop Blake. (Latin)

ff 75r, 76v *Indulgenze concesse ad un allunno di ritorno alla missione* 1766 – petition from Fr William Doyle for indulgences of St Brigid; granted 5 June. (Italian/Latin)

ff 77r, 78v *Altre al medesimo* 1766 – petition from Fr Doyle for altar; granted 5 June. (Italian/Latin)

ff 79r, 80v *Altre ad altro alunno* 1766 – petition from Fr Doyle for plenary indulgence; granted 31 May. (Italian/Latin)

ff 81r, 82v 1767 – petition by Fr William Galtney for plenary indulgence; granted 31 August. (Italian/Latin)

ff 83r, 84v *Faccoltà di assolvere i Liberi Muratori all'Arcivescovo Armacano* (two documents) 1768 – petition from Archbishop Anthony Blake of Armagh for absolving Freemasons; granted 20 March. (Italian/Latin)

ff 85r, 86v *Indulgenze ad un Gesuita della missione* 1768 – petition by Fr Andrew Ryan, returning to Ireland, for indulgences; granted [4] April. (Latin)

ff 87r, 88v *Faccoltà all' Arcivescovo Armacano per ordinare XII chierici titolo missionis* 1768 – petition from Archbishop Blake to ordain 12 priests; granted 13 November. (Two documents) (Italian/Latin)

ff 89r, 90v *Lettera dell'Arcivescovo Guarnienze [Tuam] al Cardinale Marefoschi di rallegramento per esser stato fatto Protettore d'Ibernia* 26 July 1771 – letter of congratulation from Archbishop Mark [Skerrett] of Tuam to Marefoschi. (Latin)

f. 91rv *Altra dell' Abbate Grant sopra i costumi di un giovane al medesimo Cardinale* 13 September 1772 – letter of reference from Abbot Grant (no place) to Cardinal Marefoschi for the bearer, formerly Hilton Pots but under name of 'Liddel' since converting to Catholicism. (Italian)

f. 93r *Simile al detto Cardinale scritta da un alunno del suo arrivo in Avignone* 24 October 1772 – letter from Edward Barry to [Marefoschi], having entered the seminary in Avignon. (Italian)

f. 95r *Altra dell' Arcivescovo di Avignone al detto Cardinale per le premure dell' alunno arrivato [...]* 26 September 1772 – letter from Archbishop [de Mansi] to Marefoschi assuring good treatment of Edward Barry; mentioning fellow student Mr Bray. (Italian)

f. 97rv *Altra del medesimo al suddetto Cardinale sopra i studii del detto alunno* 31 July 1773 – letter as above, on Barry's wellbeing and studies. (Italian)

f. 99rv *Altra di cotesto alunno al medesimo Cardinale Marefoschi circa i suoi studii* 30 July 1773 – letter from Edward Barry to Marefoschi, on his studies. (Italian)

f. 101rv *Altra del Rettore del Seminario di Avignone al Cardinale Marefoschi sopra[...] studii dell'[...] alunno andato in quel seminario* 31 July 1773 – letter from Rector Lambertin, Avignon, to [Marefoschi], concerning Edward Barry. (Italian)

f. 103rv *Simile dell'[escanciato] alunno al detto Cardinale sopra i suoi studii* 23 December 1773 – letter from Edward Barry, Avignon, to [Marefoschi], having received the first tonsure, in gratitude for his patronage. (Italian)

f. 105rv *Altra dell' Arcivescovo di Cassel al detto Cardinale sopra i costumi di un giovane* 23 April 1773 – letter of recommendation for Edward *scilicet Raymond*, diocese of Cashel, of mixed religious background, having studied in Paris. (Latin)

f. 107rv *Copy Altra del Conte Pignatelli in data di Londra al Cardinale Corsini per porre un giovane in Collegio* 29 January 1773 – letter of reference from Pignatelli for Mr [Barnwell], of a noble Irish family. (Italian)

ff 109r, 110v *Altra ove Giovanni Barnwell chiede di essere ammesso in Collegio* 4 January 1773 – letter from Stephen Robinson, Bedfordshire, asking that John Barnwell, brother of Christopher Barnwell (already a student) be admitted to the Irish College. (Italian)

ff 111r–112v *Altra al Rettore del Collegio di Stefano Robison (sic) da Shefford sopra la partenza di un alunno dal Collegio* 11 November 1774 – letter from Robinson, Shefford, to Cuccagni, Irish College, quoting letter from Christopher Barnwell on his intention to leave Rome for maltreatment. (Italian)

ff 113r–114v *Lettera dell'Arcivescovo di Dublino al Cardinale Marefoschi sopra la nascita di un giovane* 4 April 1774 – letter from Archbishop Carpenter; student John Murphy's family background; D. Kennedy's leaving the College; petitioning for deanship for Bartholomew Sherlock. (Latin)

ff 115r–116v *Altra del detto al medesimo sopra i costumi di un giovane e dove chiedesi di fare un Rettor nazionale in Collegio* [note *Vedi su tal proposito Lib.1 Memorie de' Collegii Britannici*⁴⁸³] 19 May 1774 – letter from Archbishop Carpenter to Marefoschi; on Christopher Barnwell; recommending Vicar General O'Reilly of Kildare as a native rector for the College. (Latin)

ff 117r–118v *Biglietto del Cardinale Tesoriere al Cardinale Marefoschi sopra certo denaro e censo appartenente alla missione* 9 May 1774 – letter (unsigned) to Marefoschi, concerning funds of the suppressed Jesuit order. (Italian)

[f. 115] *Lettera del Vescovo Cloynense a Propaganda, sopra lo stato delle Diocesi d'Irlanda* [missing]⁴⁸⁴

ff 119r–122v [*Altra di un alunno al Cardinale Marefoschi sopra particolari accidenti accaduti nel suo viaggio per la missione*] [does not correspond in content] 27 December 1775, Paris – letter from John Jackson, Paris, to 'Rector Sersale of the Irish College' [Cuccagni], Irish College, enclosing copy letter to his father intended to make peace between them. (Two documents) (Italian)

f. 123r *Biglietto del Cardinale Marefoschi al Rettore del Collegio sopra il sciogliere un luogo d'aria buona per un alunno malato* 26 [September] 1775 – letter to [Cuccagni] concerning sickness of student 'Patrick'. (Italian)

483 This is in Liber i, ff 220–268v.

484 This is likely the item printed in Moran, *Spicilegium Ossoriense*, iii, pp 338–41, see appendix i below.

ff_{125r-126v} *Altro di un alunno partito al Rettore del Collegio sopra lo stato di sua salute* 10 December [1770] – letter from Patrick Nolan, Livorno, to Cuccagni. (Italian)

ff_{127r-128v} *Lettera di un alunno al Rettore del Collegio sopra il suo arrivo in Avignone* 2 February 1776 – letter from Patrick Nolan, Avignon, on his journey and the seminary. (Italian)

ff_{129r, 130v} *Altro [del detto] all'istesso Rettore sopra il viatico di un Alunno* 16 February 1775, Limerick – letter from Bishop Daniel O'Kearney of Limerick to Rector Cuccagni on student Michael McNamara and his *viaticum*. (Latin)

ff_{131r-132v} *Lettera del Vescovo Korinense [Kerry] al Rettore del Collegio commendatizia di un Giovane* 4 July 1776 – letter from Bishop Moylan, Killarney (student not named). (Latin)

ff_{135r-140r} *Lettera dell'Arcivescovo di Cassel al Cardinale Marefoschi sul giuramento proposto ai Cattolici d'Irlanda dal Governo Inglese* 4 October 1776 – letter from Archbishop Butler of Cashel, Thurles, to Cardinal Protector Marefoschi; on oath of allegiance, enclosing declaration by Munster bishops of July 1775. (Latin)⁴⁸⁵

ff_{142r-145r} *Altra dell' Arcivescovo d'Avignone al detto Rettore sopra i denari spesi per un Alunno* 11 May – 15 June 1776 – letters from Archbishop [Giovio] to Cuccagni, concerning Patrick Nolan. (Two documents) (Italian)

f. 146r *Altra del detto Arcivescovo al Cardinale Marefoschi sopra il detto affare* 15 June 1776 – letter from Archbishop [Giovio] to Marefoschi concerning Patrick Nolan. (Italian)

f. 148r *Altra dell'Arcivescovo Tuarniense [Tuam] al Cardinale Marefoschi sopra la salute di un Giovane ritornato* 29 August 1776 – letter from Archbishop [Skerrett] to Marefoschi concerning Patrick Nolan's health. (Latin)

ff_{149r-150v} *Altra dell' Arcivescovo di Cassel ad detto Rettore sopra lo spedire un Giovane [abile] come si richiedeva per alunno* 21 August 1776 – letter from Archbishop Butler to Rector Cuccagni; also news of Mr Jackson and asking about Mr Raymond. (Latin)

485 This was printed in Moran, *Spicilegium Ossoriense*, iii, pp 341–9, see appendix i below.

ff 151r, 152v *Altra dell'Arcivescovo di Cassel al Rettore commendatizia di un Giovane* 6 October 1776 – letter from Archbishop Butler, Thurles, to Rector Cuccagni, concerning John Lanegan. (Latin)

ff 153r–154v *Altra di Giovanni Sennet al rettore del Collegio sopra la tardanza di un Giovane in venire in Collegio* 11 October 1776 – letter from Sennett, Rome, to Rector Cuccagni, concerning a student from County Kerry. (Italian)

ff 155r, 156v *Altra dell'Arcivescovo di Korch [Bishop of Kerry] al Rettore del Collegio comendatizia di un Giovane che viene in Collegio* 20 October 1776, – letter of recommendation from Bishop Moylan, Killarney, to Rector Cuccagni, concerning student Florence McCarthy. (Latin)

[f. 143] *Altra del vescovo Ossoriense ad detto Cardinale commendatizia di un Giovane* [missing 1928]

f. 157rv *Copy Lettera sottoscritta da più vescovi d'Irlanda per l'elezione del vescovo Ossoriense* 20 October 1776 – letter from ten bishops (three provinces)⁴⁸⁶ to Marefoschi, recommending Patrick Molloy. (Latin)

f. 147rv *Lettera Pastorale del Vescovo Ossoriense* [missing 1928]

ff 161r–182v *Memorie per far sospendere una pensione assegnata a certo Barone sopra la Missione d'Ibernia* (11 documents) April–May 1777 – petitions from and memoranda (unsigned) concerning John Barron (formerly SJ) of Waterford; his pension for returning on missions. (Italian/Latin)

ff 185r–186v *Lettere dell'Arcivescovo di Cassel al Cardinale Marefoschi circa l'affare del giuramento del governo Inglese* 26 February 1777 – letter from Archbishop Butler, Thurles, to Marefoschi, on student Lanegan and on College matters. (Latin)

ff 187r–191v *Altra del medesimo all'istesso sopra il medesimo affare* 26 February 1777, Thurles – Archbishop Butler to Marefoschi and Cardinal Castelli; concerning the see of Ossory; the oath of allegiance. (Latin)⁴⁸⁷

486 Headed by Archbishop James [Butler] of Cashel, Bishop James [Keefe] of Kildare, Bishop Daniel [O'Kearney] of Limerick.

487 This was printed in Moran, *Spicilegium Ossoriense*, iii, pp 353–8; see appendix i below.

f. 193r *Altra dell' Arcivescovo Tuarniense [Tuam] al detto Cardinale sopra i denari spesi per l'alunno andato, come sopra, in Avignone* 8 July 1777 – letter from Archbishop [Skerrett] of Tuam to [Marefoschi] concerning Patrick Nolan. (Latin)

f. 194rv *Lettera di un Alunno partito sopra lo stato di sua salute scritta al cardinale Marefoschi* [8] July 1777 – letter from Patrick Nolan [Rome] to Marefoschi; his health is strong. (Italian)

ff 195r–196v *Copy Decreto della Congregazione di Propaganda circa la forma da osservarsi da vescovi d'Irlanda nella collazione dei beneficii* 25 April 1778 – decree signed Cardinal Castelli; on proper approbation of parish priests. (Latin)

ff 197r, 198v *Lettera dell'Arcivescovo Armacano al Cardinale Marefoschi per collocare un giovane in Collegio* 8 January 1778 – letter from Archbishop [Blake] of Armagh to Marefoschi, placing Mathew Bellew in the College. (Latin)

f. 199r–200v *Altra dell' Arcivescovo di Cassel al citato Cardinale sopra due Giovani che dice essere ritornati dal Collegio infatti di Giansenismo* 11 February 1778 – Archbishop Butler, Thurles, to Marefoschi, concerning two Armagh priests returned from the Roman College and spreading Jansenism. (Latin)

ff 201r–202v *Copy Risposta del detto Cardinale al detto Arcivescovo sopra tale affare* 15 April 1778 – letter from Marefoschi to Butler; in condemnation of Jansenism and of priests [John Harlin and Charles Waters]. (Latin)⁴⁸⁸

ff 203r, 204v *Altra del Vescovo Elfinense al detto Cardinale comendatizia di un Giovane* 12 May 1779 – letter from Bishop [O'Fallon] to Marefoschi; introducing bearer, new student Charles O'Connor. (Latin)

ff 205r–206r *Altra di un alunno partito al detto cardinale informativa dello stato di sua salute* 5 December 1779 – letter from Patrick Doyle, Gap, to [Marefoschi]; on his personal circumstances. (Latin)

f. 207rv *Altra comendatizia del Vescovo Ossoriense ad detto Cardinale per porre un Giovane in Collegio* 23 July [...] – letter from Fitz-Gerald, chancellor [Rome], to [Marefoschi] – the Bishop of Ossory wishes to send a student, and diocese has only had one in the College in 60 years. (Italian)

488 A Belgian bishop wrote to Marefoschi about these two men disseminating Jansenist ideas in his diocese; it is probable the two letters concern the same men.

f. 209rv *Lettera del detto vescovo ove si rallegra con il Signore Cardinale Salviati per esser stato fatto Protettore del Collegio, e gli raccomanda un giovane* 26 February 1781 – letter from Bishop Troy, Kilkenny, to Salviati; congratulations; wishing to place Michael O’Carroll in the College. (Italian)

ff 211r–212v *Copy Memoriale (col Rescritto) del [Procuratore Generale] de Dottrinarii di Francia al citato Signore Cardinale Salviati per reintegrarsi delle spese fatte per un alunno* [1781] – letter from [Vincenti], procurator general; expenses had for student Patrick Doyle; added order from Salviati 5 March 1871 to pay the Seminary of Gap. (Italian)

ff 213r–214v *Lettera del Vescovo Corcagiense al detto Signore Cardinale circa certe false dimissoriali di certo Giovane vagabondo* 24 October 1781 – letter from Bishop [Butler] of Cork to Salviati; warning of student Thomas Finn. (Latin)

ff 215r–216v *Lettera del Vescovo d’Ossory al Rettore del Collegio circa alcuni Gi[o]vani mandati in Collegio* 14 September 1782 – letter from Bishop Troy, Mount Oliver, to Cuccagni; student John Burke will travel with the others. (Italian)

ff 217r, 218v *Altra del Coadjutore [al rettore del Collegio] commendatizia di altro giovane* 12 August 1782 – letter from Coadjutor Richard Reilly of Armagh, Johnstown, to Marefoschi; recommending student Patrick Ryan (Kildare). (Italian)

f. 219r *Alta del Vescovo di Kildar al detto Signore Cardinale circa un suo Coadjutore, ed commendatizia di un Giovane* 16 August [1782] – letter from Bishop [Keefe], Dublin; regarding coadjutor Daniel Delany; recommending bearer Patrick Ryan. (Latin)

f. 221rv *Altra dell’Arcivescovo di Dublino al detto Signore Cardinale commendatizia di un Giovane* 26 August 1782 – Archbishop Carpenter of Dublin to Salviati; sending student Thomas Long and asking for second place; added reply by [Salviati]. (Latin)

f. 223r *Altra del Vescovo Corcagiense al detto Signore Cardinale commendatizia di altro Giovane che viene in Collegio* 21 September 1782 – letter from Bishop [Butler] of Cork to [Salviati]; bearer James Welsh, nephew of his episcopal predecessor. (Latin)

ff 225r-226v *Attestato del Computista della Missione circa debiti di sorte e frutti de' Censi che hanno i collegii della missione in Toscana* 7 February 1781 – accounts statement from College; sums owed to the Irish mission by Tuscan Colleges. (Italian)

ff 227r-228v [1] February 1779 – letter from Lawrence Taaffe of Kilcurly, Dundalk, to Marefoschi about the parish of St Nicholas and a controversy between Frs Bellew and Carroll; also note by administrator Markey, Dundalk, about Taaffe's peacemaking efforts. (Latin)

f. 229rv 19 August 1775 – copy letter from Cardinal Cast[elli] to Archbishop [Carpenter] of Dublin; the controversy about the parish and Fr Bellew has been resolved. (Latin)

f. 230r 22 April 1775 [Rome] – letter from Cardinal Castelli to Archbishop [Carpenter] of Dublin; wording of Propaganda Fide decree concerning the parish of St Nicholas, Dundalk.

f. 231rv (undated) [Kilcurly, Armagh] – copy letter from Laurence Taaffe to Propaganda Fide, asking for a subsidy to his poor parish reduced in size for the new Dundalk parish. (Italian)

ff 232r-233v *Lettera del Capitolo Armacano al Cardinale Marefoschi sopra l'elezione del vescovo Beglie [Bellew] [post-28 April 1780]* – letter signed by six canons headed by dean Philip Levins, complaining about Bellew's nomination to the See of Killala. (Latin)

Liber [X]XIII Visita Part. I

*Visita del [Cardinale] Marefoschi pars I**Rubricella* (only for ff 93r–95r)

Comments: Pollen (title page) refers to the fact that most documents in this volume make up Cardinal Marefoschi's dossier compiled for the report following his visitation, that is the *Summarium* appended to the *Relazione della Visita Apostolica del Collegio Ibernese* (Rome, 1772).

ff 11r–90v *Relazione della Visita fatta alla S(acra) C(ongregazio)ne di Clemente XIV con suo Sommario Stampato*⁴⁸⁹ 20 March – 6 October 1771 *Copia Aperitionis Sacrae Visitationis ...* – report on the opening and proceedings of Cardinal Marefoschi's visitation; including inventories of College properties at Castel Gandolfo (ff 27r–38v) and in Rome (ff 39r–[81v]); two pages in duplicate. (Latin)

ff 109r–110r *Copy Convenzione tra il Cardinale Ludovisi e PP [Padri] di S. Isidoro* 4 November 1627 – agreement with five signatories, headed by Luca A. Giunti, and Luke Wadding. (Italian)⁴⁹⁰

f. 111rv *Copy Accettazione e pubblicazione delle Regole del Collegio* [29] January 1628, with three signatories headed by Luke Wadding. (Latin)⁴⁹¹

f. 112r *Copy Istoria del Collegio*⁴⁹² Incipit: '*His iactis seminarii fundamentis*'. (Latin)

f. 113r *Copy Profitto degli alunni*⁴⁹³ 1635 – accounts sheet. (Latin)

f. 114rv *Copy Debiti del Collegio fatti da Gesuiti*⁴⁹⁴ (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) mentioning Rector Malone finding a new habitation for the College. (Latin)

f. 115rv *Copy Numero degli alunni sotto i [Padri] di S. Isidoro*⁴⁹⁵ (undated) – list of first 21 students; notes on early administrations. (Latin)

489 This *rubricella* title almost certainly corresponds to the document as described, although it is ascribed 200 folia – it is possible that pages were intended, but the document still only has c.180 pages.

490 This petition was the first supporting document in Marefoschi's *Relazione della Visita Apostolica del Collegio Ibernese* (Rome, 1772), pp 65–67.

491 Ditto, *Relazione*, pp 67–68.

492 Short extract from the first chapter of James O'Reilly's *Fundatio et Progressus Collegii Ludovisiani Hibernorum de Urbe*, now edited in *The Irish College, Rome 1628–1678*.

493 From *ibid.*, chapter 2.

494 From *ibid.*, chapter 2.

495 From *ibid.*, chapter 6. The last four documents were used in this form by Marefoschi,

[f. 71] *Compra della nuova casa del Collegio* [missing 2008]

f. 116r *Assegnamento di scuta 15 per viatici agli alunni* 8 May 1628 – decree from Propaganda. (Latin)⁴⁹⁶

ff 117r–118r *Copy Bolla d'Urbano VIII per l'ordinazione de' Collegiali* [13] April 1631 – papal bull. (Latin)⁴⁹⁷

f. 120r *Copy Particola del Testamento del Cardinal Ludovisi* [1632]. (Latin)⁴⁹⁸

ff 121r–122r *Copy Intenzione del medesimo Cardinale d'acquistare una casa vicino a S. Isidoro* (undated) – memorandum on a case between St Isidore's and the Padri della Compassione. (Italian)⁴⁹⁹

f. 123r *Copy [Gradimento] de'Vescovi d'Ibernia della fondazione del Collegio* – (undated) excerpt from Padre Aroldo's *Life of Wadding*. (Latin)⁵⁰⁰

f. 124rv *Copy Lite tra Gesuiti e [Padri] di S. Isidoro* (undated) – petition from St Isidore's for Urban VIII. (Italian)⁵⁰¹

f. 125r *Copy Supplica degli alunni ad Urbano VIII [ac ciò] il Collegio non cada in mano de'Gesuiti* (undated) – signed by seven students. (Latin)⁵⁰²

ff 126r–127v *Copy Sentenza Rotale sopra la sudetta lite* 19 January 1635 – sentence against Prince Ludovisi and the priests at St Isidore's. (Italian)⁵⁰³

ff 128r–129r *Copy Disordini in Collegio* [1647–1650] – complaint made by students against Rector Gianbattista Rossi. (Italian)⁵⁰⁴

Relazione, pp 68–71.

496 Ditto, *Relazione*, p. 72.

497 Ditto, *Relazione*, pp 73–75.

498 Ditto, *Relazione*, p. 76.

499 Ditto, *Relazione*, pp 76–78.

500 Ditto, *Relazione*, p. 78.

501 Ditto, *Relazione*, pp 78–79.

502 Ditto (withholding the students' names), *Relazione*, pp 79–80. See Liber xi, f. 25r: the students are named in this copy and in Liber xi, namely John de Courcy, Patrick [Walsh], John [Fahy], Edmund Goulden, Malachy [Rotheus], Philip Clery, Roger [Dermitius].

503 Ditto, *Relazione*, pp 80–82.

504 Ditto, *Relazione*, pp 82–83.

ff 130r–138v Copy *Iuspatronato del medesimo Collegio* undated, and 22 May 1647 (two documents) – petition from Prince Nicolò Ludovisi to Innocent X, and Innocent’s brief granting the *patronato* to the prince and his heirs. (Latin)⁵⁰⁵

ff 139r–141v Copy (of 1772) *Protesta de’ Gesuiti contro la Bolla del Juspatronato* [1647] – complaint by Vincenzo Caraffa, superior general SJ (Latin)⁵⁰⁶

ff 143r–144r Copy *Supplica pro aperitione oris contro detta Bolla* (undated) – petition from the Jesuits, titled *Romana Collegii*. (Latin)⁵⁰⁷

ff 145r–148v Copy *Ricorso degli alunni al Cardinal Imperial per la vendita della vigna* (undated) – petition (unsigned) from students. (Latin)⁵⁰⁸

f. 149r Copy *Danni sofferti del Collegio, causa [...gli] dal Collegio Romano* (undated) – petition by Rector Michele Giordano to Fr Oliva of the Padri della Compassione for retribution of the *censo* [rent from investments] paid to the Collegio Romano. (Italian)⁵⁰⁹

ff 150r–151v Copy *Simili* (undated) – further details on expenditure in the same case. (Italian)⁵¹⁰

ff 152r–157v Copy *Ragioni del Collegio Ibernese contro il sudetto Collegio Romano per il censo* (undated) – further legal points. (Italian)⁵¹¹

f. 158r *Altri danni* 12 July 1727 – memorandum from Rector Alexander Roche, on legal expenses. (Italian)⁵¹²

ff 159r–162v *Simile* 7 April 1720 – letter from Rector Roche to [...] dealing with a sale of the College vineyard and Alexander VII’s decree 1667; annotations in different hand. (Latin)

505 Ditto, *Relazione*, pp 83–90.

506 Ditto, *Relazione*, pp 91–95.

507 Ditto, *Relazione*, pp 95–97

508 Ditto, *Relazione*, pp 97–105. Students are Bernard McDermott, Roch MacMahon, James Gallagher, John Cassinus, James Ferrall, Cornelius Bohilly. Curran identifies this to be in James O’Gallagher’s hand, later bishop of Raphoe, and Kildare.

509 Ditto, *Relazione*, pp 105–6.

510 Ditto, *Relazione*, pp 106–8, dated 1727.

511 Ditto, *Relazione*, pp 108–14.

512 Ditto, *Relazione*, pp 114–15.

ff163r-166v *Rappresentanza di [tai] danni al Generale de' Gesuiti, e di altri cagionati nella vigna* (undated) – letter from Rector Roche to superior general, concerning the sequestration of water at the College vineyard. (Italian)⁵¹³

ff167r-172v *Danni sofferti per l'alloggiamento de' forastieri* [October 1725 – March 1726] – accounts of expenses from [Fr Angelo Durazzo SJ] for keeping four Irishmen at the College (Thomas Brennan, John Reilly, Clement Kelly and Patrick Colgan). (Three documents) (Italian)⁵¹⁴

f. 173rv [*Visita del Cardinale Barberico*] – list of properties and inheritances of the College since foundation, in 12 points [until 1770s]. (Latin)⁵¹⁵

ff175r-179v Copy *D[ecre]ti di detta Visita* – 26 August/ 4 September 1771 – decrees of 6 and 11 June 1693 from Cardinal [Barbarigo]'s visitation, on discipline and economy of the College. (Two documents) (Latin)⁵¹⁶

f. 183rv Copy (of 1771) *Visita del Cardinale Imperiali* 30 August 1719 – memorandum (unsigned). (Latin)⁵¹⁷

ff185r-192v *Aggrav[ament]i esposti dagli Alunni* (undated) – petition from College students to Clement XI and Cardinal Imperiali, asking for apostolic visitation, with replies from the rector in the margin. (Latin)⁵¹⁸

ff193r-194v Copy *Ricorso sopra i giuramenti dei medesimi alunni* (undated) – petition from College students to Cardinal Imperiali, concerning their oath. (Latin)⁵¹⁹

ff195r-196v *Istanza per l'unione al Collegio di Propaganda[...]* (undated) – petition from College students to Cardinal Imperiali. (Latin)

ff197r-198v Copy *Breve d'esenzone di gabelle* 22 September 1696 – Innocent XII, exempting College from certain taxes. (Italian)⁵²⁰

513 Ditto, *Relazione*, pp 115–19.

514 The third document (ff 168r–172v) may have been a draft for one later included in Marefoschi's *Relazione*, (pp 119–123), containing additional accounts but lacking the summary found in the *Relazione*.

515 Ditto, *Relazione*, pp 123–5. The *rubricella* title does not match.

516 Only the first of these decrees (with slight variants) was used for evidence by Marefoschi. See *Relazione*, pp 125–9. Notarial authentication 1771.

517 Ditto (differing slightly), *Relazione*, pp 129–30.

518 Ditto, *Relazione*, pp 133–8. Signed by John [Cassinus], James Ferrall, Cornelius Bohilly, Bernard McDermott.

519 Ditto, *Relazione*, pp 138–9. Curran identifies thie as James O'Gallagher's hand.

520 Ditto (withholding the students' names), *Relazione*, pp 139–40. Signatories are James

ff 199^{rv}, 204^{tv} Copy *Breve di convalidazione della vendita dell[oncia] d'acqua* 7 October 1722 – brief of Innocent XIII, sale made to the Ospedale della Consolazione. (Italian)⁵²¹

ff 200^r–202^v Copy *Breve d'assegnamento al Collegio di scudi 300 27* September 1726 – Benedict XIII's grant to the College. (Italian)⁵²²

ff 205^r, 206^v Copy *Augumento di sacra elemosina* (undated) – a decree of 27 January 1740 intended an increase of the original grant of 300 *scudi* to the College, but was not confirmed. (Italian)⁵²³

ff 207^r–210^r Copies *Ordini de' pagamenti di detti Denari 1740–1744* – payment orders. (Three documents) (Italian)⁵²⁴

ff 212^r–213^r Copy *Donazione della Casa Orsini* (undated) – James III donates a house in Campo Marzio to the College. (Italian)⁵²⁵

f. 214^r Copy *Consuetudini del Collegio circa quei che partono* (undated) – memorandum concerning the use of College property for giving *viatica* to students. (Italian)⁵²⁶

ff 216^r–226^v *Aggrav[ament]i degli Alunni e Risposte del Rettore* (undated) – complaints by students in 34 points against Rector Petrelli and his administration of the College, with the rector's replies in the margin. (Italian)⁵²⁷

f. 228^r Copy *Formola antica del giuramento* (undated) – oath formulae: declaration against transsubstantiation [Test Act]; condemning licence to kill nobles excommunicated or despoiled by pope. (Latin)⁵²⁸

[f. 349] *Istanza di fare il giuramento prescritto a quei di Propaganda* [missing and mistaken foliation]

O'Gallagher, John [Cassinus], James Ferrall, Cornelius Bohilly, Bernard McDermott, Roch MacMahon

521 Ditto, *Relazione*, pp 140–3.

522 Ditto, *Relazione*, pp 145–8.

523 Ditto, *Relazione*, p. 149.

524 Only the last two were used by Marefoschi, *Relazione*, pp 149–50.

525 Ditto, *Relazione*, pp 150–2

526 Ditto, *Relazione*, pp 158–9.

527 Ditto, *Relazione*, pp 159–70. An earlier version with eight students' signatures is extant in both Liber xxiv (unbound), ff 34 and 37–52, and with the loose leaves, below MSS17–18/LL/Liber xxiii. Ff 216–17 contain the beginning of another copy.

528 Curran points out these were confused with the College oaths and do not belong with Marefoschi visitation documents.

f. 229^{rv} (undated) [13 November 1692] – copy petition, rescript, [memorandum]; Irish secular clergy's concern of 1660 with the unlicensed entry of students into religious orders; Propaganda College oath.⁵²⁹ (Italian/Latin)

f. 231^{rv} Copy *Riclamò de' Vescovi d'Ibernia che quei che mandano per le missioni venghino astretti a farsi religiosi* 28 March 1765 – letter from Archbishop of Dublin to Cardinal [...] complaining of students joining religious orders, especially the Jesuits. (Latin)⁵³⁰

ff 233^r–234^v *Dispensa degli alunni dal giuramento, coll' obbligo di fare quello che fanno in propaganda* 27 April 1771 – rescript from visitators Cardinal Marefoschi and Fr Sersale regarding student oaths. (Latin)⁵³¹

ff 235^r–242^v *Ragguaglio dai studi che si facevano nel Collegio Romano* (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) addressed to Cardinal [...]; summarising the teachings *de scholis inferioribus*, *de philosophia*, *de theologia*, *de theologia morale* and *de theologia polemica* with points on usefulness for the Irish mission. (Latin)⁵³²

529 Ditto, *Relazione*, pp 171–2.

530 Ditto, *Relazione*, pp 173–5

531 Ditto, *Relazione*, pp 176–7. With notarial authentication (undated).

532 Ditto, *Relazione*, pp 177–93. Curran identifies the hand of Jackson.

Liber XXIV

*Visita Part. II**Rubricella* (with Loose Leaves)

Comments: Liber xxiv was split in two at an unknown stage; the *rubricella* and the first part of the volume are now with the Loose Leaves (see below). Furthermore, the order of the volume was disturbed, and items are listed here as they occur in the bound volume; titles taken from the *rubricella*.

ff 11r–66r [old foliation 202] *Nuova scrittura del Petrelli contro la Relazione della Visita* (undated) – ‘*Difesa propria di Ignazio Maria Petrelli presentata al Pubblico in risposta a quanto contra di esso si dice nella Relazione sulla visita del Collegio Ibernese dal Signore & Cardinale Marefoschi, presentata Alla Santità di Nostro Signore Papa Clemente XIV*’. (Italian)

ff 67r–68r [Sommario] 13 August 1773 – two testimonials from Giuseppe Lanzi (watchmaker) and from Simone Verdi and David Robol (once students [lodgers] of the Irish College), concerning ownership of a certain clock belonging to Rector Petrelli. (Two documents) (Italian)

ff 71r–72v Copy *Espulsione de’ Gesuiti dal Collegio* 23 September 1772 – report signed Marefoschi and Sersale on their visitation. (Italian)

ff 73r, 74v *Conto di legatura di alcune relazioni della medesima visita* – 30 December 1772 – bill from bookbinder Pietro Martucci. (Italian)

ff 75r–77r, 78v *Minuta di lettera che dove[v]a servire di preambulo alle Costituzioni* [undated] – two drafts (in different hands) of an intended preface by the visitators, addressing Pope Clement XIV. (Latin)

ff 88r–89v (undated) Letter from Giacomo Sonuini, tailor for the Irish College, to Monsignor Sersale – denunciation of a certain *fratello*, his colleague. (Italian)

ff 90r–113r June/July [no year] (15 documents) – Series of notes and financial accounts mostly from Rector Petrelli to Monsignor Sersale; brief points on administration, discipline, and arrangements for passing on documents demanded by Sersale. (Italian)⁵³³

533 This forms the latter part of the *Lettere dal Rettore*, following those in the unbound part of the same volume, see below LL/Liber xxiv, ff 112r–148r.

ff 114r–115v (undated) – memorandum by [Petrelli] on points of students' dress, tailor Giacomo, and his efforts for the students' wellbeing. (Italian)

ff 116r–117r 3 August 1773 – letter from Rector Petrelli to Monsignor Sersale, protesting his good intentions. (Italian)

f. 118rv (undated) – letter from Rector Petrelli to [...] identifying a document as his, having not intended to make it generally known. (Italian)

ff 120r–128v *Scrittura del Padre Rettor Petrelli per alcuni pretesi aggrav[ament]i* (undated) – list of claims, both financial and in kind, against Rector Petrelli, who for instance pretended ownership of a certain clock. (Italian)

ff 131r–141r *Sommario della medesima scrittura* December 1772 – July 1773 (13 documents) – file of copy statements from various tradesmen in commerce with the College and with Rector Petrelli. (Italian)

ff 142r–145r *Fogli di risposta* [undated] – list of claims [as ff 120–128], both financial and in kind, against Rector Petrelli, referring to previous accounts sheet and tradesmen's statements. (Italian)

f. 146r *Sommario di detta Risposta*⁵³⁴ 12 May 1773 – statement by Andrea Ronconi 'procuratore' of the College 1747–1772, testifying he never saw a clock on the premises as described. (Italian)

f. 147r 16 March 1773 – statement by [...] (illegible) attesting to the ownership of a clock by Rector Petrelli. (Italian)

ff 148v–149r [September 1772] (three documents) double-entry accounts sheet and notes concerning the outgoing Rector Petrelli's administration and financial settlement; mentioning purchase of an oven for making chocolate. (Italian) [Accounts differ slightly from a sheet ff 112v–113r.]

534 This *rubricella* title probably also intended the next two documents.

Liber XXV

Liber Ordinationum generalium in tres partes distributus.

Rubricella (f. 1r) contains the following titles:

Prima pars continet ordinationes perpetuas, et maioris momenti, quae à Generali mittuntur iuxta Reg. 16 Rectoris [ff 2–59]

Secunda pars continet Visitationes huius Collegii Hibern[orum] à Generali approbatas, quaeq- [quaecumque], in his visitationibus maioris momenti, et perpetua fuerint, iuxta eandem Reg. 16 [ff 279r–283v]

Tertia pars continet Ordinationes perpetuas, et maioris momenti, quas Provincialis cum Generali communicaverit et ab eo approbatae fuerint, sive illae totius Provinciae communes fuerint, sive huic tantum Coll[egi]o convenient. [ff 220r–222v]

Comments: 176 of the 323 folios are left blank, seemingly to leave space between parts for further additions. The volume falls into four parts: the first two correspond to the first and third *partes* as listed in the *rubricella*, containing directives from Jesuit generals and provincials, the third must have constituted *pars secunda*, containing memoranda of visitations carried out 1653–1757. There is now also the addition of a series of letters concerning one applicant to the Irish College; its addition here is not incongruous in the wider context of Jesuit administration which this volume is witness to, and the near-contemporary pagination indicates it was added on purpose.

ff 3–59 *Pars prima: ordinationes perpetuas, et maioris momenti à Generali*

f. 3r 18 August 1640 – copy letter from Muzio Vitelleschi, Rome, to Rector William Malone, recommending students supply their own *viatica*. 17 March 1656 – addition by Rector John Young, on [confirmation] of the above by Fr [General] Goswinus Nickolius. (Latin)⁵³⁵

ff 4r–7r 31 January (no year) [...] – copy memorandum by A. R. [Rector Alexander Roche], justifying his administration of the College, following points made by Abbot McNamara on behalf of the Cardinal Protector, and mostly concerning the admission of students. (Italian)⁵³⁶

535 This item may have been part of the series of copy circular letters ff 19–59 below.

536 Signed ‘... *umilissimo servitore*’ and possibly for Cardinal Protector Nerio Corsini.

ff 8–18 [blank]

ff 19r–59v 20 June 1617 – 25 July 1679 – copy circular letters (in numerous hands) from Jesuit superiors for distribution within the Society. In four files, with overlapping dates, first 56 documents numbered (1617–1662); gaps 1626–1632, 1639–1643, 1675–1678 and 1680–1682. Usually from the *praepositus generalis* (ranging from Muzio Vitelleschi to Giovanni P. Oliva), addressed generally to a priest superior, or to named officials such as the provincial of Rome (ranging from C. di Sangro to I. A. Caprino); only one instance where the Irish College rector is addressed directly (f. 50r–June/July 1674, provincial of Rome Brunacci to Rector Bellucci). Concerning matters of religious life and discipline within the order, modes of communication and record-keeping, liturgy and penance, personnel, the application of decrees. Particular points include converts to other orders such as the Carthusians (f. 19v of 9 December 1619); directives for feasts of St Ignatius, Francis Xavier, and Aloysius Gonzaga (f. 20v of 22 May 1624); *Censura et praecepta hominibus Societatis imposita* in five chapters (ff 22v–24v–16 February 1625); Fr Mariana’s compromised publication about the Society (f. 25r of 13 August 1626); brief disciplinary rules for seminaries (f. 36r–intra 1646 and 1649); licence needed for obtaining chocolate (f. 45v of 12 August 1662); importance of keeping accounts and of conscientious administration of funds (ff 55r–56v – 1 January 1679). (67 documents) (Italian/Latin)

ff 60r–219v [blank]

ff 220–222 *Pars tertia: Ordinationes perpetuas, et maioris momenti ... [de] Provincialis*

f. 220r 11 March 1637 – copy circular letter from Fr Provincial Francesco Piccolomini, on a new annual Mass for the anniversary of the canonisation of their saints. Also enclosing letter from the ‘Rector’ [Superior General] SJ, on necessity to observe the decree of Urban VIII of 1633. (Italian/Latin)

f. 220v 25 July (-August) 1638 and 29 August 1659 – copy circular letter from [Fr Provincial] Piccolomini, about strict observance of a decree of the Holy Office of 1633. Added notes from Rector Malone (August 1638 and 1659) pledging obedience to all decrees and Bulls. (Latin)

f. 221r 30 July 1661 – copy letter from Fr Provincial Fabio Albergati to rector of the Irish College, emphasising an earlier order against talking in church. (Italian)

f. 221v 20 February 1679 – copy [circular] letter from Fr Provincial Ignatius Moneada to Rector Sebastiano Bellucci, about keeping orders and decrees from the Congregations. (Italian)

f. 222r 19 March 1674 – copy [circular] letter from Fr Provincial Domenicano Brunacci to Rector Sebastiano Bellucci, with directives on tobacco, on dress, and on particular foods. (Italian)

f. 222v 17–18 [November] 1683 – copy letter from Rector [G.] Grassi of the Irish College to Fr Provincial Ottavio Rossi, proposing to reduce the hours of exercises in theology and philosophy for the students for dearth of lecturers. Copy reply letter from Rossi, acceding if only for the year. (Italian)

ff 223r–278v [blank]

ff 279–283 Fragment of *pars secunda: Visitationes*

f. 279rv [undated] 1653 – memorandum by Fabrizio [Barrisi] on foot of a visitation made to the Irish College in February. Eight points on good house-keeping including points on the *convictores* at the College, on compiling an inventory, on using discretion in closing the windows, on accounts. (Italian)

f. 279v 27 August 1653 – copy letter from Fabrizio [Barrisi] to [rector of the Irish College], on choosing simple prizes of a devotional nature for students. (Italian)

f. 280r September 1668 – memorandum by Giovanni Antonio Caprini on foot of a visitation made to the Irish College. Eight points on house-keeping and students' discipline, including keeping of a *libro delle consuetudini*; on students walking to university; on curfew after evening meal; on invitations to students' public disputes. (Italian)

f. 280v March 1676 – memorandum by Domenico Brunacci on foot of a visitation made to the Irish College. Four points on students' discipline, including the need to have the students return to their missions directly on leaving the college; their *repetitiones* in theology and philosophy.

f. 280v January 1679 – memorandum by Giovanni [Antonio] Caprini on foot of a visitation made to the Irish College; forbidding anybody to stay overnight at the vineyard on his own. (Italian)

f. 281r September 1681 – memorandum by Ottavio Rossi on foot of a visitation made to the Irish College. Six points on studies and house-keeping, including the necessity for thorough end-of-year examinations, celebration of the feasts of Sts Francesco Borgia and Francesco Xavier. (Italian)

f. 281v 3 May 1685 – memorandum by [Jacopo Cellesi] on foot of a visitation made to the Irish College. Four points on book-keeping and on alms. (Italian)

f. 281v 15 February 1689 – memorandum by Alessandro Zampi on foot of a visitation made to the Irish College; no new directives. (Italian)

f. 282r December 1691 – memorandum by [Giovanni ...] Imperiale on foot of a visitation made to the Irish College. Three points, prompting consideration for the well-being of the students; the necessity to admit students fairly from all four provinces and be ready to account for choices; students leaving the house in groups. (Italian)

f. 282r March 1701 – memorandum by Domenico Bernardini on foot of a visitation made to the Irish College. Three points, including necessity to keep records of all classes and meetings the students take part in and of the attendance of the Sacraments. (Italian)

f. 282v 23 March 1703 – memorandum by Angelo [Alamani] on foot of a visitation made to the Irish College. Three points, including exhortation that students must return to the missions directly after leaving the college. (Italian)

f. 283r 17 March 1713 – memorandum by Giovanni Ambrosio [Centurione] on foot of a visitation made to the Irish College. Two points; reminder of the 1681 memorandum, and problem of those leaving college to celebrate Mass when it is still dark. (Italian)

f. 283rv 28 February 1757 – memorandum by [Girolamo Aidolfi] on foot of a visitation made to the Irish College by order of Luigi Centurione, superior general. Praise for observation of rules, piety, and studies. Six points on studies and house-keeping; including counsel on moderation in prayer, readings in the refectory, a light to be kept on at night, hours of sleep. (Italian)

ff 284r–314v [blank]

ff 315v-316v **Additional documents** 13 March 1676 – 6 September 1677 – copy correspondence between the grand duke of Tuscany and Cardinal Spinola, and Giovanni Paolo Oliva, superior general SJ. The two former interceded on behalf of a young Irishman Alexander O’Flynn, son of Cornelius O’Flynn, now captain in the grand duke’s army, wishing to enter the Irish College; regretting Oliva’s negative reply. (Three documents) (Italian)

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Liber XXVI

*Missione parte III**Rubricella* (ff 185r–189v)⁵³⁷*Comments:*

(Hanly): This volume in 1897 binding, double the dimensions of the other volumes, is a letter-book containing 120 seventeenth- and eighteenth-century letters, mostly originals, and largely of Irish Jesuit and Irish College interest. It contains a valuable series of eighteen letters from Fr James Reilly SJ to fellow Jesuits in Rome. (f. 4rv)

Pollen: all volumes were bound c. 1780, but the English, French and other foreign material was set aside for language difficulties. They were subsequently read, were given a brief Italian endorsement, and then bound without regard for chronological order. In 1897, material was rearranged chronologically and rebound because of vermin damage; five letters were lost in the process. What remained from the vermin damage was pasted in (now f. 190r). Pollen also notes that the papers in this volume fall into three series: Firstly, documents and letters once in possession of John Young, with his endorsement on most of the first 19 documents. Many of them are valuable, according to Pollen, especially those of the Supreme Council sitting at Kilkenny in 1648. It seems that Young was made Archbishop Walsh of Cashel's agent in Rome in 1650 (he was Rector of the Irish College only from 1656 until his death in 1664), and that accounts for the presence of these documents, sent to inform him of the state of affairs at home.⁵³⁸ Secondly there are the papers of Rector Thomas Eustace, throwing light on the Irish seminaries in France and Spain, and giving much detail of the sufferings in Ireland around 1692. Thirdly, this volume contains the papers of Rector Thomas Brennan, with particulars of life in Dublin in the eighteenth century.⁵³⁹ The headings are recent additions.

537 Given the history of this particular volume, namely the fact that material was rearranged and appears in a different order from that in the *rubricella*, and that the person compiling it took his headings from the endorsements in Italian and not from the documents first-hand, the *rubricella* headings will not be used here.

538 See appendix i, pp 354–5.

539 Pollen also notes that ff 2a and 2b were transferred from Liber xx because they were outsize items (probably ff 7 and 8 in Liber xxvi).

f. 2r 11 May 1897 – letter from Ludovisius Martin SJ, Rome, to Rector Michael Kelly, in thanks for having given Frs Edmund Hogan and John Pollen SJ⁵⁴⁰ access to the archives, offering to bind certain manuscripts for posterity.

f. 4rv [1898] Note from Fr John H. Pollen SJ, documenting history of this volume. (English)

f. 5rv [1623] – Copy petition by [Irish Catholics] (unsigned) to ‘right honourable’ [Lord Falkland], following a decree against the practice of their faith. (English)⁵⁴¹ Incipit: ‘Right honourable, whearas it hath pleased you by your published proclamation to abridge us of that free use and exercise of our function ...’.

f. 6rv 26 February 1643 – covering letter from John Usher [Leinster]⁵⁴² to ‘worthy Sir’ [...], sending him copy documents for his attention, pointing to the favour given them [Society of Jesus] by the nuncio and the Council; also news from William St Leger, kept busy by Secretary Belling. Copy documents: memorandum (undated- unsigned) and copy letter (22 February 1643) from the Supreme Council, Kilkenny, to the nuncio, both regarding the establishment of the Jesuits in the former monastery of St John the Evangelist, Kilkenny. (Latin)

ff 7r–8v (undated) petition from John Cullynn, chaplain at Cathedral of Waterford, to the Jesuits, Waterford, concerning his new foundation for the chapel of St Salvator. (Latin)

f. 9rv 1 September 1644 – letter of debit (unsigned) and additions by notary Van Dort, concerning a sum owed to Mr Henry Plunckett. (English/Dutch)

f. 10v 6 April 1648 – endorsement with title ‘Jesuites’ and signed Richard Lawles and [Paul Asilwarth] for a document now missing, exhibited to them [by] Thomas [Bonner]. (English)

540 They found there *multa ... insignia virtutum praeclareque gestorum monumenta ..., digna prorsus quae in laudem Collegii istius venerabilis ejusque alumnorum Annalibus perenniter duraturis inferantur.* (f. 2r).

541 With various endorsements; comment [Pollen] that Falkland’s proclamation was given 1 January 1623. With a number of biblical citations.

542 For John Usher, see lists of Irish Jesuits in Liber xx, ff 132–151.

ff^{11r-12v} (undated) – copy petition from the Catholic Confederates to King Charles [I] asking for ‘overture to Pacification’, stating five demands (English). Incipit: ‘We his ma[jes]ties Catholike subiects in his Realme of Ireland ...’.

f. 13^{rv} (undated) – copy letter from (unsigned) [Irish Catholics] to a delegate of the Lord Deputy, in good hopes for his government, and promising to be ‘among the forwardest of his ma[jes]ties’ subiects’ in contributing to the £20,000 needed for the upkeep of his armies. (English)

f. 14^{rv} 6 January 1648 – copy letter from Christopher Segrave, Kilkenny, to ‘cousin’ [Matthew] Ball (no place), asserting that the £300 sent by his brother Henry were only sent in Matthew’s name; reprimands for having claimed it. (English)⁵⁴³

f. 15^{rv} 18 January 1648 – copy letter from Thomas Colman, lawyer, Dublin, to [Matthew Ball] (no place); he has no claim to Henry Segrave’s sum. Discussing other matters; neither Colman nor Ball’s brother Thomas have misappropriated any sums. (English)

f. 16^{rv} 18 January 1648 – copy letter from Thomas Ball, Dublin, to his brother [Matthew Ball] (no place); the only debt he could pay for Matthew was to his cousin George Usher; times are very difficult and his tenants in a distressed state. (English)

ff^{17rv, 18v} 25 January 1648 – copy letter from Thomas Quin, Dublin, to [Matthew Ball] (no place); the sum was rightfully his cousins; nobody misappropriated sums of Ball’s; pleading. (English)⁵⁴⁴

ff^{19r, 20v} 4 February 1648 – statement signed George Sarazin, William Smith, Richard [Hignalt], Robert Archdeacon [Kilkenny]; testifying the printing press was ceded by the Jesuits to Robert Baggott, by order of the Council; they were witness to the Dean of Firmo having papers printed. (English)

543 (f. 14r) ‘Intermeddle not in an act soe uniust, and denigrat not your name w[ith] soe blacke a spott ...’. Also describing Frs Quin and Gellous’s part in the transfer of the sums. For other documents referring to the case see Liber iii ff 121–128.

544 (f. 17v) ‘O Matthia Matthia God forgive you, and thos whoe heerin are soe busij for you against us ...’.

ff 21rv, 22v 12 February 1648 – letter from Nicholas Nugent, Galway, to Fr Robert Nugent SJ (in his absence Fr William Malone SJ)[Rome]; arrangements for paying a sum owed to him by the nuncio – latter will pay Nicholas before his departure. Fr Burke returned, not able to be in Kilkenny. (English)⁵⁴⁵

ff 23rv, 24v 20 February 1648 – letter from Nicholas Nugent,⁵⁴⁶ Galway, to Fr Robert Nugent SJ [Rome]; the nuncio cannot pay because the Supreme Council denies him the frigate he intended to sell; promising to procure the sum from the Pope; the Society will not lose out. The nuncio will depart for St Malo and direct Irish affairs from there. (English)

f. 25rv 28 May 1648 – Copy order from the Supreme Council,⁵⁴⁷ Kilkenny, directing Robert Bagott to take possession of printing press and premises at the Jesuit novitiate for the use of the public and the Council. (English)

ff 26rv, 27v 10 May 1648 – declaration of the Supreme Council,⁵⁴⁸ Kilkenny, forbidding printing of any matter in Kilkenny or Waterford without permission from the Council; intending to suppress printed matter detrimental to the Confederate Catholic cause. (English)

ff 28r, 29v 4 January 1648 – letter from [the Supreme Council],⁵⁴⁹ Kilkenny, to Jesuits, Galway, concerned that they will incite people not to observe the Oath of Association, and wishing them to free the monastery from those continuing in seditious activities. (English)

ff 30r, 31v 20 December 1650 – statement by the Supreme Council,⁵⁵⁰ Loughrea, concerning money seized in 1648 together with the frigate St Ursula: the King of Spain claimed he sent it to his army in Flanders, but the Council after some consideration decided it belonged properly to the nuncio and had it seized. (English)⁵⁵¹

545 Also, the nuncio returned St Thomas's *compendium*, asking for directions what to do with it.

546 Also mentioning Fr Verdier who will tell him much personally. Signing himself [*vestiis sacrificiis*]; earlier cataloguers named him as a priest. The Italian providing endorsement for the document (f. 22v) adds that the Jesuits will not suffer for the sake of providing for the *armata di Moschelli*, not mentioned in the letter itself.

547 Signed [M. Hunry], Lucas Dillon, Robert [Lynch], Gerald Fferell, Richard Bellings, Pat Bryen, Robert Devreux.

548 Signed [*Ed.*] *Limericensis et Clogherensis*, [M. Hunry], Lucas Dillon, Robert Lynch, B. Bellings, Gerald Ferrell, P. Brian.

549 Signed 'your very loveing friends' Mountgarett, M. Hunry, B. Bellings, Lucas Dillon, [John Walshe], P. Bryan, Robert Lynch, Gerald Ferrell.

550 Signed [M. Hunry], R. Bellings, Lucas Dillon, Gerald Ferrell, [Pr. Braken], John Walshe.

551 The complainant in 1648 was Don Diego della Torre, agent of the Spanish king.

Papers of John Young SJ⁵⁵²

ff 32^{rv}, 33^v 30 January 1650 – note from [...] (illegible) for Fr Young SJ [Rome] with detailed arrangements for returning a sum originally belonging to Fr Brian Davett (deceased); mentioning as possible receivers Dr Gregory Fallon; superior of the Galway Jesuits, Fr Connor Fallon (St Nicholas's College, Galway). (English)

f. 34^{rv} (undated) – instructions from [Archbishop] Thomas [Walsh] of Cashel for [Fr John Young SJ]. Young is to take advice from Fr Luke Wadding in all matters; asking for general indulgences and faculties to dispense *in cognatione spiritali* (there is dire need for it in the country); press the nuncio about a sum owed or initiate court proceedings (one part to be given to Luke Wadding); supply Sir Felix Hurlie with money – recompense from Sir Thomas his father. (English)

ff 35^r, 36^v 1 December 1650 – receipt from [Lord] Clanricard for having received £1,200 from the nuncio, Archbishop of Fermo, originally given for the 'publicke service of [the] Kingdome'. (English)

ff 37^{rv}, 38^v 10 May 1651 – letter from Robert Nugent, Galway, to Fr John Young SJ, Rome; a *suffragia* for Cashel; Segrave came from Waterford – the banishment enacted there; Nugent doing what he could for Fr William Magrath in the Cashel matter; rumours of Scarampus obtaining a papal brief on the Irish government and Rinuccini's reaction; enclosing other business;⁵⁵³ needing proof for Fr Hollihood's faculties to dispense in marriage cases. Also offering of current affairs [by same writer]: safe landing in [St Mullins]; parcel sent with the Michael [ship] lost at Aran Islands; mentioning Rice and [Quirke]; Tobin and Carbery going to Holland and Fr Quin to Flanders; Nicolas Plunkett and [Geoffrey] Browne went to Flanders to perfect the agreement with the Duke of Lorraine for supplies; the enemy has spoiled Westmeath but recent progresses – the king is successful in England and Scotland, and Cromwell is killed; [...] repulsed in crossing the Shannon – much depends on the Duke of Lorraine's supplies arriving in time; the writer's Lord [Fernes] in Flanders;⁵⁵⁴ mentioning Frs Quin and Stanihurst; a sum from Thomas Hurley for his son Felix in Rome; the Bishop of Meath died 29 April – greatly honoured. (English)⁵⁵⁵

552 John Young SJ was rector of the College 1656–1664 (born in Cashel 1589). See his *Vita* by Philip Roche, Liber xx, 115r–119r, and the references to his character contained in a 1637 *Ονομάστικον*, Liber xx, ff 132v–135v.

553 Stating he encloses material for somebody else's attention.

554 (f. 37v) 'to assiste the holye Br. Nicolas ...'.

555 Marked [by Young] as received 27 August 1651, replied to on 23 September. The recto account is accompanied by titles in the margin.

ff 39rv, 40v 12 May 1651 and (undated) – copy letter from Robert Allen to the Marquis of Ormond⁵⁵⁶ having despatched his letters, urging him to return without delay for his own security.⁵⁵⁷ In order to stress the degree of danger, enclosing letter (unsigned) to Edward Butler ('noble cousin'): [Ormond] is to be urged to return before the Duke of Lorraine when his friends should lose their influence;⁵⁵⁸ obstinacy of Limerick and Galway towards the government; Muskerry powerful in Cork and Kerry; David Rothe and Murtagh O'Brien to Limerick; Castlehaven now less powerful in Thomond; the 'honest Bishop of Limerick' is no small help in curbing the Lorraine faction and Clanricard doing likewise in Connacht; 'my Lord of Costellough' and others to command Leinster; Ulster army divided but Dromore 'the commanding prelate among them'; Hugh O'Neill's designs and former 'sway' in Limerick; 'Oliverius' going to Rome – his likely episcopacy of Elphin; Dr Deice [Deasy] to be vicar apostolic following Doctor Plunkett. (English)⁵⁵⁹

f. 41rv [1652] fragment copy of '*Qualificationes pro Hibernia* by the Parl[iament] of England' [Act of Settlement], sent by (unsigned),⁵⁶⁰ listing six groups inimical to the government. (Latin/English)

f. 42rv 31 July 1655 – letter from Ignatius Lombard [Madrid], to [Fr Young], enclosing a deed of donation from Angela de Ranolis to Fr Luke Wadding for the seminaries and mission. (English)⁵⁶¹

556 The identification of the two is through a contemporary endorsement (f. 39r), naming 'Ro Allen'. The first copy letter has a signature obliterated and almost illegible.

557 He is to remember Henry Bourbon's expedient of hearing one Mass rather than risking his kingdom.

558 (f. 39r) 'While civill and marshall government be in the hands of his friends ...'. The Italian endorsement (f. 40v) has it that the Irish had asked the Pope to have the Duke of Lorrain installed as their king; this is not borne out by the contents.

559 This was printed in Moran, *Spicilegium Ossoriense*, i, pp 369–72.

560 He excuses the 'odde Latin' which the writer had from 'my Lord of [Feason's] translator'.

561 No copy of the deed is extant. The verso merely holds an endorsement *Congreg[acionis] 10 concessio pro Hib[ernia]*.

f. 43^{rv} 20 July 1655 – letter from Ignatius Lombard, Madrid, to Fr Young; received document for his procuratorship for Japan; comments on necessary ‘modesty’ on his mission;⁵⁶² reference to their ‘Mecenas’ who could do much for the Irish nuns in trouble but less for themselves despite Fr Salinger’s petition; giving Frs Conway and Mallon his vote for Seville over Fr White but taking Fr Nidhard’s advice (English).⁵⁶³ List of Irish Jesuits in Spain:⁵⁶⁴ **Provincia Boetica:** William Mallon (Seville), John Usher (Seville), Thomas Dillon (Granada), Peter White (Cádiz) **Provincia Castellana:** William Salinger (Santiago), Br Jerome Sweetman, Br James Brown, Richard Lynch, Richard Bourke, Tadhg [O’Sullivan], Thomas Creagh, Robert Dillon [all Salamanca], John Egan (Oviedo), Andrew Sall (Oviedo), John Cleere (S. Sebastian), Andrew Lincoll (Bilbao), Thomas Leary (Pontenedra), Francis Delamar (Avila), Br Martin White (Vergara), Br Ignatius Browne (Valladolid), Br Eugenius Nangle (Burgos), Br James Ryan, Andrew Lynch (Villagarcia). **Provincia Toletana:** Patrick Conwey (Ocaña), Balthasar MacHenry/Henriquen (Huete), Br James Comerford (Murcia), Ignatius Lombard (Madrid).

f. 44^{rv} (undated) – memorandum by [Fr John Usher SJ, Seville];⁵⁶⁵ listing 10 papers held in the Irish College, Seville, concerning the College ‘and proceedings of the Spanish fathers’;⁵⁶⁶ also an exemplary account of the harsh treatment given to Fr John Daly, coming to Spain after years of imprisonment, on the hands of the Rector of the Seville College. (English)

f. 45^{rv} 9 May 1657 – letter from John Usher [Ossuna, Spain], to Fr Young SJ; difficulties after Rector Malone’s death with Rector White at the Seville College from which Usher was turned away; the Bishop of Cashel’s legacy: Usher is to act against White by order of the superior general for appropriation of funds; references to Fr Quin’s imprisonment and to ‘Bergum’ who is in the Seville College. (English)

562 Agreeing with Young, in a country where their own nation is ‘so little regarded ... for their dayly trecheries, and ill behaiour in the king of Spaine his service ...’.

563 Fr White does not like Spaniards; Fr Nidhard is called ‘our queene his confessor’.

564 This is significantly different from the record of 1654 in Liber xx, ff 142–143, and is therefore given in full. Six of the men listed here do not appear on the other record, two men on the other list are missing here (William Bergin, Thomas Cronaeus), and a third (Walter Hennes) is added in another hand. Unless otherwise indicated, these are all priests. Lombard adds that he has no list of men in Portugal.

565 An early endorsement (f. 44^v) *Usher de rebus Hispalensis* ... is the only identifier.

566 The writer adds ‘all [papers] are in the young men’s hands [and] many more to discover the oppression, that they have endured from the Spanish fathers these many yeares’. (f. 44^v).

f. 46rv 16 July 1658 – letter from the ‘communitie’ [students] of the Irish College, Seville, signed Matthew Dillon, to [Fr John Young SJ]. Enclosing copy of earlier letter (7 May); asking to intercede with superior general SJ about the fathers of the Spanish province attempting to take over the seminary, and complaining about arrogance of their prefect of studies. (English)⁵⁶⁷

f. 47rv 10 January 1658 – letter from Nathaniel ‘Hart’ [SJ] (no place) to John Young; his unanswered query about recovery of Rinuccini’s debt in order to satisfy Henry Segrave. Seeking confirmation from archives that a sum donated by the late Edmund Kirwan is sufficient for a foundation [for Masses]; mentioning Mr Hickell regarding both points. (English)⁵⁶⁸

f. 48rv [January 1661] copy ‘remonstrance’ to the king [Charles II] from the Roman Catholic clergy of Ireland (19 signatures);⁵⁶⁹ declaration of loyalty; expressing their present ‘deplorable condition’, their persecution and the false charges of conspiracy; disclaiming all foreign power including any pretensions of the Pope. (English)

f. 49rv 3 February 1661 – circular letter from Fr Peter Walsh OFM, procurator for the Irish Catholic clergy, London, to ‘the reader’, interpreting the ‘remonstrance’ issued five weeks before; excusing the lack of signatures – dearth of signatories due to persecution of clergy; asking English, Welsh and Scottish clergy to join the protestation. (English)⁵⁷⁰

567 He calls on witness Patrick Creagh, formerly in Seville and now in Rome, and asks the superior general to reply via Fr Salinger. Another document was enclosed for the superior’s attention.

568 Young had responded 17 August 1657 without news of the debt. Writer originally encloses also document from Nicholas Talbot on foundation Masses. An early endorsement names Edmund Kirwan, *fundator Galviensis* (f. 47v).

569 Headed by Bishop Oliver Darcy of Dromore, Dr James Cusack and Cornelius Forgorty protonotary apostolic. There are ten Franciscans, an Augustinian, a Dominican, three men with neither title nor affiliation; one signatory is Antony Gearnan OFM, chaplain to the queen mother.

570 The purpose is to ‘move in his Majjes]ties Royall brest that pitty which the most forlorne, afflicted and oppressed people this day in all Europe, the Roman Catholickes of Ireland implore’. Also portraying the condition of clergy on the run, ‘others flitting and running to hide themselves in Mountaines woods, Rocks, bogs in caues and horrid wildernes, and searched for notwithstanding day and night, yea hunted and chased like wildbeasts; all waery of, and loathing even life it selfe ...’ (f. 49r).

f. 50^{rv} [1661/ 1662] – copy letter from Lord Duke of Ormond (no place) to Lord Justice Earl of Orrery [Roger Boyle]; assuring him of speedy finalisation of the Act of Settlement; promising full security of possession and the payment of outstanding sums; in thanks for Preston's 'pious oath', understanding more fully the scope of treachery and determined enforcement of the Act by way of punishment.⁵⁷¹ (English)

Rectorships after John Young⁵⁷²

f. 51^r 8–28 September 1666 – copy extract from letter (unsigned), London, summarising the beginning and course of the great fire of London. (English)⁵⁷³

f. 52^{rv} [September 1670] – copy petition from Peter Walsh and others⁵⁷⁴ to King [Charles II], assuring him of their past and present allegiance; asking protection against continued persecution by a certain party formerly belonging to the nuncio and Owen Rua O'Neill, and supported by Peter Talbot. (English)⁵⁷⁵

ff 53^r–54^v 15 June 1666 and [1663] – copy documents from Irish Catholics pledging loyalty to Charles II; they have no Catholic doctrinal obstacles to accepting the king's rule of temporal affairs. 1) petition from Irish Catholic clergy, signed 'Armagh, Ardagh etc.' (f. 53^v). 2) propositions by Irish clergy put before faculty of Sorbonne, other universities, and received by parlements of France.⁵⁷⁶ (Two documents) (English)

f. 55^{rv} 23 March 1671 – copy proclamation from Charles II, following petition from his subjects to curb the popish religion, ordering Jesuits and Catholic priests to depart the realm by 1 May 1672, excepting those in attendance to his queen. (English)

571 One way is to ensure '... that no adventurer or souldier shall be removed from his lott'. The generality of people is 'governed by the worst spirituall guides that ever lead a poore people to distruction'. (f. 50^r)

572 The following items, 1666- [...], belong to the rectorships of Michael Jordan SJ (1670–1671), Sebastiano Bellucci SJ (1672–1675), Pio Gerlamo Gandolfi SJ (1675–1683), Gabriele Maria Grassi SJ (1683–1687), Gregorio Fanti SJ (1687–1691), Agostino Maria de Auria SJ (1691–1694).

573 'Behold briefly the distruction of that famous City reduced to ashes in only 3 days time'. The Italian endorsement states that the fire had been blamed on the Catholics.

574 Anthony Gernon, Francis Coppinger, Thomas Harrot, John Reynolds, Nicholas Sall, Valentin Cruse, John Read and other Irish Catholics.

575 Referring to the remonstrance to the king in 1661, and a similar document from the nobility and gentry in 1662. (f. 52^v) The date is an approximate one supplied by the Italian endorsement.

576 The second document lists three propositions signed by the clergy and three that were not.

ff 56r–59v (undated) – memorandum by [James Reilly SJ] ‘The inconueniences that arriue ...’, listing 12 students whose failed careers caused the College the damage of 2,350 crowns (English).⁵⁷⁷ Students and dates of admission: James Quirck (1642), Thomas Lutterell [...], James Stafford (1653), Thomas Arthur [1647], Bonaventure White (1654), John Plunkett (1656), Gerard Dowdall (1658), George Fleming (1663), Patrick Gould (1664), Thomas Dease (1665), Thomas Rochfort [...].

Papers of Thomas Eustace SJ⁵⁷⁸

f. 60rv 13 April 1693 – letter from Edward Morphy [Irish College Lisbon] to Fr Thomas Eustace SJ, Rome; relating of trouble since deposition of their rector in December [Alfonso y Mexia]; the ill treatment from present ‘minister’ Alexander Devereux; fears for their seminary after having already been deprived of the College of Evora. (English)⁵⁷⁹

ff 61rv, 62v [9] July 1691 – letter from Roger Nottingham [Castor] St Nicolas, Ghent, to Thomas Eustace SJ, Poitiers,⁵⁸⁰ in gratitude for admitting the students from Lille into the College at Lisbon. (English)

ff 63r–64v 3 January 1692 – letter from James Reilly,⁵⁸¹ Poitiers, to Thomas Eustace SJ, Collegio Greco, Rome; hoping scheme for Poitiers will succeed – inviting new students; listing present students; Irishmen in other colleges; asking urgently news of Fr Galway; between around 15,000 Irishmen came ‘over’; three new Irish colonels; news particularly of [soldiers] Maurice Eustace, Farfield, Mr Bagged (who lost an eye in the battle of Aughrim); Lord Justice Ketting’s suicide; Mr Michael Chamberlain’s arraignment. (English)⁵⁸²

577 Slightly shorter copy translations of this document exist in Liber xx, ff 48–49 and 82–85, with the entry for John Creagh obliterated (Latin), and Liber iv, ff 259 and f. 271. (Italian) See commentary above (introduction).

578 Thomas Eustace SJ was rector of the College 1694 to 1698.

579 Also stating that their numbers have fallen from 25 to 13; calling on Dr Verdon to testify. Murphy himself is leaving for France by next Christmas ‘altho’ my friend Doctore Eustace exhorts me to france’.

580 Redirected (by other hand) to Rome. The arrangements were made by their mutual friend Fr [Archdekin] – See Liber xx for Richard Archdeacon SJ at Malines.

581 His name is spelled Relly throughout.

582 The present students are the two Arthurs, Rice, Coppinger, Brown, Roche, ‘Cotter minor’, Porter. It will be easy to get a number of ‘gentlemen’s sons’ to fill places. Also mentioning writing to his cousin Fr Warren, seemingly in Rome (f. 70r); and asking for Fr Shane, Rome (also f. 70r). The letter was printed in Moran, *Spicilegium Ossoriense*, ii, p. 301.

ff 65r-66v 22 [...] [16...]⁵⁸³ – letter from W. Eustace, Limerick, to his uncle Fr Eustace, ‘College des petitts Jesuitts’, Poitiers, having been made Lieutenant by Maurice Eustace in his regiment; general news of the war in Ireland; reference to Irishmen at home and abroad; his brother James died in the siege of Limerick; asking for linen. (English)

ff 67r-68v 4 February 1692 – letter from J. Wesley, Poitiers, to Fr Thomas Eustace, Rome; detailed news of the capitulation of Limerick; Frs Corr and Clery returned to their provinces; Fr Cotter is in the ‘great College’; asking for assistance in coming to Rome for his studies. (English)⁵⁸⁴

ff 69r-70v 27 February 1692 – letter from James Reilly, Poitiers, to Fr Thomas Eustace SJ, Collegio Greco, Rome; current affairs and Frs Lavallin and Johnson’s particular fates; Irish soldiers arriving are disappointed by receiving lower ranks; Bishop Cusack of Meath was ‘the best friend we had in Ireland’; Fr Assistant of Germany ought to help Eustace getting a posting in the Irish College; listing those of the Irish hierarchy who fled and those holding out; regards to particular clergy in Rome. (English)

ff 71r-72v 19 March 1692 – letter from Valentine Rivers, Lisbon, to Fr Thomas Eustace SJ, Rome; detailed eyewitness account of [siege of Limerick]; devastation and misery of inhabitants; prisoners only freed on ‘swallowing the pill of allegiance’; Fr Chamberlain forced to inform on Jesuit possessions; their church saved and for a period in Mary Cusack’s custody; journey from Ireland 5 March; asking news of Fr Walsh OFM [Naples]. (English)⁵⁸⁵

f. 73rv 19 March 1692 – letter from John Linegar [Poitiers] to [Thomas Eustace, Rome]; grateful for patents – he left Ireland in February; praising their rector; Lords Slane, Buffin, Ledlow, Kilmore were imprisoned in Dublin; other current affairs and news of priests; reference to Talbot of Malahide, Purcell of Crumlin, Fagan of Feltrim; damage and misery caused all round. (English)⁵⁸⁶

583 Neither month nor year are legible anymore; Moran made this out to be 22 December 1690, and later cataloguers 22 October 1692. The letter was printed in Moran, *Spicilegium Ossoriense*, ii, pp 297–8.

584 Marked as received 29 March 1692. Text also printed in Moran, *Spicilegium Ossoriense*, ii, pp 303–4.

585 Marked as received 5 May 1692.

586 Marked as received 5 May 1692. Contradiction in saying that he left Ireland after the battle of Aughrim, and that he left in February.

ff 74r-75v 30 April 1692 – letter from James Reilly, Poitiers, to Fr Thomas Eustace SJ, Collegio Greco, Rome; hope for financial help from Cardinal Spada to the many young men arriving after the capitulation of Limerick – some names;⁵⁸⁷ commenting on Irish regiments, on nephews of late Bishop Cusack; expecting the Pope can use charity in France with the sums due for so many bishops' bulls; current affairs including the king departing from St Germain. (English)

f. 76rv 12 June 1692 – [fragment] letter from Patrick Lynch, Bordeaux, to Thomas Eustace, Collegium Graecorum SJ, Rome; he left Poitiers in May; asking for help with his brother [Skerett's] bulls; news of Fr Geraldine; [the Primate] was nearly killed by the barber of the queen. (English)

ff 77r-78v 19 June 1692 – letter from James Reilly, Poitiers, to Fr Thomas Eustace SJ, Collegio Greco; asking for places for novices, especially Francis Heart and Roche (cousin of Fr Richard Nagle); queen dowager informed through Fr Hughes of her patronage of Poitiers College; hoping for financial assistance from Cardinal Janson; movements of students; comments on the invasion underway and hopes for a battle in Flanders. (English)⁵⁸⁸

f. 79rv 23 June [1692] – letter from Nicholas Carbery, Lisbon, to Fr Thomas Eustace SJ, Rome; comments on their studies; current affairs including imprisonment of 50 lords and 'Dr. Oats' in London; fearing provincial's imminent inspection – Denis Carty was a bad example to all. (English)⁵⁸⁹

f. 80rv 2 July 1692 – letter from Fr John Walsh, Salamanca, to Fr Thomas Eustace SJ, Collegio Grecom, Rome, stating he cannot take more students; detailed account of Irish colleges in Iberia. (English)⁵⁹⁰

ff 81r-82v 14 September 1692 – letter from James Reilly, Poitiers, to Fr Thomas Eustace SJ, Collegio Greco, Rome; Sir Daniel Arthur has received the sums; discussing Heart and Roche; transfer of a Spanish sum for the mission; Seville College has no more students but only priests; false rumour of Irish desertions in Normandy; wars on the Rhine and in Flanders. (English)

587 Mrs. Ellen Arthur wishes to send her son; see also f. 78v.

588 Marked as received 1 August 1692.

589 Dated by contemporary endorsement.

590 Marked as received 11 August 1692.

f. 83_{rv} 12 January 1693 – letter from H. Hughes, Poitiers, to Fr Thomas Eustace, Rome, enclosing letter from Nicholas Jones on Rector [Mexia] and troubles in his Portuguese seminary; recommending the rector; the queen dowager has yet to reply to the superior general. (English)⁵⁹¹

f. 84_{rv} 18 January 1693 – letter from Patrick Lynch [...] to Fr Thomas Eustace, in thanks for seeing to Skeret's business; urging help for Fr Halloran; good hopes for the projected invasion of England. (English)⁵⁹²

f. 85_{rv} 29 [January] 1693 – letter from Joseph Marcus, Madrid, to Fr Thomas Eustace SJ, Greek College, Rome, asking about a sum for the Irish missions in Spain. (Spanish)

f. 86_{rv} 9 February 1693 – letter from Sir Daniel Arthur, Paris, to Fr Eustace SJ, Rome, with arrangements for sending from Spain 2,000 *livres*; another sum from Fr James Reilly; his son Thomas at Poitiers. (English)⁵⁹³

ff 87_r–88_v 22 February 1693 – letter from James Reilly, Poitiers, to Fr Thomas Eustace, Collegio Greco, Rome; the Irish College rector urges to obey the Prince of Orange; praising Sir Daniel Arthur's selfless help; Fr Lynch's half-brother Skerett; broad condemnation of treatment of Catholics at home (Latin);⁵⁹⁴ sending 'suffrages' to Ireland from Fr Friedrich Wintzlers. (English/Latin)

f. 89_{rv} 15 March 1693 – letter from Patrick Lynch, Villeroy, to Fr Thomas Eustace, Collegio Greco SJ, Rome; grateful for help to his brother Skerett; asking assistance for Fr Halloran after the disaster; further financial business also involving Sir Daniel Arthur; the Bishop of Elphin now in France; Fr Devereux and the Lisbon College; current affairs. (English)⁵⁹⁵

f. 90_{rv} 23 May 1693 – letter from Sir Daniel Arthur, Paris, to Fr Eustace, Collège des Grecs, Rome; sum received from Madrid; news of king and his family; Duke of Orléans and planned invasion. (English)

591 Marked as received 17 February 1693.

592 Marked as received 24 February 1693.

593 Marked as received 28 February 1693.

594 This part of the letter was printed in Moran, *Spicilegium Ossoriense*, ii, pp 312–13.

595 Marked as received 22 April 1693.

f. 91rv 8 June 1693 – letter from Sir Daniel Arthur, Paris, to Fr Eustace SJ, Collège des Grecs, Rome; sum received from Spain; promising to help Fr Halloran; the cold and hunger in Ireland; imprisonments on suspicion of involvement in a suspected French invasion; rewards set for rapparees; his poor sister. (English)

ff 92r–93v 17–30 July 1693 – letter from John Higgins alias Joam Francesco, Lisbon, to Fr Thomas Eustace SJ, Rome; lack of students joining the Society; praising Alexander Devereux; references to Augustine Geraldine, Matthew White, Michael Kehoe alias White; Higgins is suddenly called to Santarèm. (English)⁵⁹⁶

f. 94rv 20 July 1693 – letter from Sir Daniel Arthur, Paris, to Fr Thomas Eustace, Collège Grecs, Rome; describing arrangements with new Protestant middleman for financial matters; message for Fr Augustine that his brother Thomas died; mentioning Mr Peter Read. (English)⁵⁹⁷

f. 95rv 7 December 1693 – letter from Sir Daniel Arthur, Paris, to Fr Thomas Eustace, Collège des Grecs, Rome; receipt of several bills and other such arrangements; asking about his son Francis. (English)

ff 96r–97v 15 October 1693 – letter from James Reilly, Poitiers, to Fr Thomas Eustace SJ, Collegio Greco, Rome; personal comments; restoration of some Irish nobility and the state of the country; arrests of clergy despite permission for public chapels; current affairs in the Low Countries; colleagues; placing novices in other colleges⁵⁹⁸ – assistance to young men with no means. (English)

f. 98rv 10 December 1693 – letter from James Reilly, Poitiers, to [Thomas Eustace]; difficulties of placing student Byrne; Poitiers is overstretched with five priests and a student (nephew of late Bishop of Clonmacnoise); colleagues in other colleges;⁵⁹⁹ Irish affairs. (English)

596 Marked as received 8 November 1693.

597 Both the English and Italian captions read this as the death of Arthur's own son; likely a conflation of one of Arthur's sons – writer of the letter – and the death of his correspondent in Ireland, Joshua Allen (f. 94r).

598 Specific mention of George Pippard, Drogheda and Miles Kelly (both for Seville) (f. 97v).

599 Fr Cotter (Sainctes), Fr Celry (Carcasson), Fr Corr (Carpentras), Fr Loavallin (Quimper), Mr Roche (Compiègne), Mr Dillon (Ghule), Fr Byrne (Cannes), F. Daly (Champagne), Mr Frain (Toulouse); some students.

f. 99^{rv} 10 December 1693 – letter from James Reilly, Poitiers, to Fr Thomas Eustace, Collegio Greco, Rome, sketching news from Portugal as received from Fr Hughes; mentioning Frs Edmund Kelly and Augustine Geraldine. (Latin)⁶⁰⁰

ff. 100^r–101^v 18 January 1694 – letter from James Reilly, Poitiers, to Fr Thomas Eustace, Collegio Greco, Rome; hoping to find places for novice and students Saul, Shea and Byrne in Germany, Spain, and Rome; Myles Kelly in Seville; Irish affairs – there is no bishop left after the Bishop of Ossory's death; asking for list of Jesuit superiors. (English)⁶⁰¹

f. 102^{rv} 8 February 1694 – letter from James Reilly, Poitiers, to Fr Thomas Eustace SJ, Collegio Greco, Rome; further assistance to Hart; scarcity of food in France; arrangements for students Shea, Burne, Saul. (English)

f. 103^{rv} 19 April 1694 – letter from Sir Daniel Arthur, Paris; sums he holds of Eustace and others for the missions; no hope of money from Spain for Fr Halloran; his own son Francis; Fr Bourke died in Poitiers. (English)⁶⁰²

f. 104^{rv} [7 June 1694] – letter from Fr Francesco Elgueta, Madrid, to Fr Thomas Eustace SJ, Rome, settling a financial matter for the Irish mission for which he has much sympathy. (Spanish)

f. 105^{rv} [21] August 1694 – letter from William Eustace, Dublin, to his uncle [Thomas Eustace]; family matters. (English)

f. 106^{rv} 21 August 1694 – letter from [Mr E. Chamberlain] [...], to Thomas Eustace, Rome; mentioning Mr Knowles as intermediary; asking for letters, and new liturgical documents; their poor state; Lady Strab[an]e asks about her children; Charles White restored; asking about Fr Theophilus set aside and about late Cardinal Howard, and business with Dominicans regarding Patrick Marshall. (English)

f. 107^{rv} 30 August 1694 – letter from Sir Daniel Arthur, Paris, to Fr Thomas Eustace, Collège des Grecs, Rome; new financial account and advice; other affairs also concerning Cardinal Howard, Bishop Ellis, and Lord Mountcashel; current affairs. (English)

600 Marked as received 16 January 1694.

601 Marked as received 26 February 1694.

602 Marked as received 10 May 1694.

f. 108rv 19 October 1694 – letter from Sir Daniel Arthur, Paris, to Rector Eustace, Irish College, Rome; congratulations; financial matters about the mission; Cardinal Howard's brother; he will talk to Monsignor [Bru]; nomination of a new Bishop of Waterford; his Bishop Ellis will speak to Cardinal [Howard]; mentioning Fr Teeling. (English)

ff. 109r–110v 30 September 1694 – letter from Fr John Higgins, Lisbon, to Fr Thomas Eustace, Rome; detailed account of difficulties for Irish at the Lisbon College; colleagues James Gibbons and Michael White, like Higgins himself, ready to return to Ireland; listing students seeking places; queen of Portugal interceded for admission of Fr Keating; praise for Fr Ignatius Browne's work in Kilkenny. (English)

f. 111rv 20 December 1694 – letter from Sir Daniel Arthur, Paris, to Fr Thomas Eustace, Rome; on a financial business concluded; finding people more willing to contribute to the war; speculations about the English Benedictine Fenwick's designs on a Jesuit house. (English)⁶⁰³

f. 112rv 3 January 1695 – letter from Sir Daniel Arthur, Paris, to Fr Eustace SJ, Rome; financial matter. (English)⁶⁰⁴

f. 113rv 4 April 1695 – letter from Sir Daniel Arthur, Paris, to Fr Eustace, Rome; on sums received; diverse affairs with reference to Cardinal Howard, Fr Fenwick, the Gregorian College; the Prince of Orange still in England and things are not ripe yet; [use of] religious houses; improvements to 'the great king's revenue' compared to last year. (English)⁶⁰⁵

f. 114rv 2 May 1695 – letter from James Reilly, Poitiers, to Fr Thomas Eustace, Rome; Frs Galway, Hughes and Lavallin all ready to go to Ireland; colleagues and students; reference to a college in London also much frequented by lawyers; expectation of a certain campaign to begin. (English)⁶⁰⁶

ff. 115r–116v 23 May – 16 June 1695 – letter from Sir Daniel Arthur, Paris, to Fr Eustace; financial matters; news of family; recommending Captain James Eustace of Irish regiment; enclosing document for Monsignor de Bru; reference to his son Br Francis. (English)

603 Marked as received 19 January 1695.

604 Marked as received 27 January 1695.

605 Marked as received 22 April 1695.

606 Including Fr Ziling [Teeling], Dempsey (Poitiers), Stephen Sall (Landsberg); Michael Reilly (Paris).

ff 117r–118v 6 November 1695 – letter from James Reilly, Poitiers, to Fr Thomas Eustace, Rome; thanks for assistance to his kinsman James Reilly; referring to other students;⁶⁰⁷ asking about Fr Galway; he and Fr Keane will be the only ones remaining when Fr Hughes leaves; adding account in Latin; illustrating English oppression of Ireland – example of the fate of Mr Christopher Chamberlain (Dublin); Irish sent into slavery – general and particular. (English/Latin)

f. 119rv 18 June 1696 – letter from Sir Daniel Arthur, Paris, to Fr Eustace, Rome; latest financial transactions also concerning other provinces; Prince and Princess recovered from scarlet fever; mentioning Countess of Fingal, his own family, Fr Clare, Fr Teeling; more business. (English)

ff 120r–121v 2 May 1697 – letter from James Reilly, Poitiers, to Fr Thomas Eustace SJ, Rome; matter of *viatica* also concerning Fr Galway; fate of certain students;⁶⁰⁸ recommending student Charles Dempsey (now Bordeaux). (English)

f. 122rv 17 June – 8 July 1697 – letter from Sir Daniel Arthur, Paris, to Fr Eustace, Rome; financial points concerning Fr Knowles (Waterford), Arthur's son Francis (Rome); hoping for a good campaign and declaration of a general peace. (English)

f. 123rv 23 August 1697 – letter from James Reilly, Poitiers, to Fr Thomas Eustace, Rome; sending student Lavery to Bordeaux – his exams; Fr Galway's *viaticum* resolved; enclosing letter to superior general. (English)

ff 124r, 125v 23 September 1697 – letter from Archbishop Dominic [Maguire] of Armagh, Paris, to Fr Eustace, Rome; recommending bearer, new student Mr Gargan. (English)⁶⁰⁹

ff 126r–127v 13 January 1698 – letter from James Reilly, Poitiers, to Thomas Eustace SJ, Rome; some matters resolved including student Lavery; seeking advice on receiving two lay brothers (Toulouse and St Germain); death of Fr Francis White (Waterford) and violence in Ireland; asking news of colleagues, and cousin Francis Nugent [St Isidore's]. (English)

607 Heart, Roche, Wolf, Joseph Coghlan ('Dillon').

608 Connor (Connacht), Gargan (Ulster), Carty (Munster) – the latter was earmarked for Rome but is ill. Charles Dempsey does not appear in other College records.

609 This student was admitted the same year; see oaths in Liber xii (ff 159, 160–1); various documents, Liber xiv.

f. 128^{rv} 5 February 1698 – letter from James Reilly, Poitiers, to Fr Eustace, Rome; news of novice Lavery; news from Knowles about [priests in Waterford] who are seemingly sent into exile according to the act of parliament. (English)⁶¹⁰

f. 129^{rv} 17 March 1698 – letter from Sir Daniel Arthur, Paris, to Fr Eustace, Rome; promising to look for potential students from Munster; thanks for giving letter to Mr Edward Waldegrave; a tax issue; expecting Lord Clancarty to be restored to his freedom and estate; their friends are well, including Fr Galway. (English)

f. 130^{rv} 28 April – 5 May 1698 – letter from Sir Daniel Arthur, Paris, to Fr Eustace, Rome; investments and rents; news of the Archbishop of Dublin, to be replaced in Strasbourg, and much regretted by Catholics and Protestants; many Irish clergy are leaving; the Pope's decree; communications with England, and between England and Spain; the ambassador departs in three weeks. (English)

ff 131^r–132^v 15 May 1698 – letter from James Reilly, Poitiers, to Fr Thomas Eustace, Rome; recommending Coppinger and Manby as potential students; news of colleagues and new arrivals from Ireland;⁶¹¹ expecting renewed acts of oppression from parliament; mystified by Fr Galway's stay in St Germain; student Gargan; worries over the many Irish disbanded. (English)

f. 133^{rv} 29 September 1698 – letter from Sir Daniel Arthur, Paris, to Fr Eustace, Rome; financial affairs regarding Mr Baudry and [Mr] De Bru; Mr Poilpres and a parish in Brittany; no potential Munster student found yet but recommending [Martin Coyle] from Leinster; charity from the Pope [for those in distress]; laws expected to be made against Catholics in Ireland, but to be suspended. (English)

ff 134^r, 135^v 7 October 1698 – copy letter from Maria R.[...], St Germain, to her cousin the Constable Colonne; the Pope's grant to the Irish College of access to water; grateful for promise of protection since it has been challenged by the convent of S. Domenico. (French)

610 Commenting 'unless Orange be stopp'd by those Catholick princes that gave hand to the settling of his usurpation, the way is taken to extirpate the Catholick faith in Ireland ... me thinks no endeavours should be there omitted for to awake them from so dead a lethargie ...'. (f. 128^r).

611 The latter are Fr Brown, and Fr Comerford, with no fixed destination yet; Frs Rice, Usher and Chamberlain are determined to stay.

f. 136rv 2 February 1699 – letter from Sir Daniel Arthur, Paris, to Fr Eustace, Rome; financial affairs; he enquired about Fr Anthony Knowles, Dublin, to pay him; Mr Coyle; news involving the King of Spain and the Duke of Bavaria's son; message for Fr [Monstiere]. (English)

ff 137r-138v 19 March 1699 – letter from Fr [...] Thaly, Poitiers, to Fr Thomas Eustace SJ, Rome; detailing difficult situation of their fathers in Ireland and abroad;⁶¹² king and queen are well; members of Eustace family; well-being of the Talbots (Malahide and elsewhere); a certain Lynch, Counsel Chamberlain and others; situation of Stephanus Tuxing; Eustace's nephew; own affairs. (English)

f. 139r14 September 1699 – letter from Fr Chamberlain, Dublin, to Mr Thomas Eustace, Antwerp;⁶¹³ reporting of loss of Eustace's possessions to the enemy; news of his cousin Hussey; recommending young Asbold (Lille); reporting (in Italian) of many clergy and more students turning against the church. (English/Italian)

f. 140rv 2 September 1699 – copy letter from [Thomas Eustace] to Sir Daniel Arthur, Paris, with detailed financial accounts. (English)

ff 141rv, 142v 19 May [...1699]⁶¹⁴ – [copy] letter from the Duke de Berwick (no place), to 'Eminence' [...]; financial matter between the Pope and the king of England; wishing pope to make the general abuse of Catholics known. (French)⁶¹⁵

612 Only six remain in Ireland, Dominic Nugent, J. Conor, J. Higgins; Chamberlain and Gibbons hide in private chambers or Protestant houses.

613 This is identified by contemporary endorsement; to be delivered by Mr John Tibaldi, merchant.

614 The letter bears no year, but 'Mardis' - this corresponds to 1699.

615 Stating that one bearing a Huguenot name has an immediate advantage over a Catholic (f. 141r).

Papers of Alexander Roche SJ⁶¹⁶

ff 143rv, 144v 8 April 1722 – letter from John Higgins, Rome, to ‘Reverend Father’ [...]; the air of Rome is detrimental to his health. (English)

ff 145r–146v 2 April 1727 – letter from R. McMahon, Paris, to Fr Alexander Roche SJ, Rome; asking for money so he can return to Ireland; wishing still for ordination in Rome; recommendations for making the Roman College the best of the Irish abroad;⁶¹⁷ debt owed by Mr MacCarthy; messages for students and especially Fagan. (English)

f. 147rv 21 February 1735 – copy testament of George Crowley, Paris; naming executors for establishment of foundation to benefit any Irish students by the name of Crowley during their studies; referring specially to the Bishop of Cork and the Jesuits in Paris. (French)⁶¹⁸

ff 149r–150v 12 August 1742 – letter from Fr [John Xavier] McCragh SJ, Poitiers, to [Fr Alexander Roche]; detailed account of discriminatory treatment received from Rector Thomas Hennessy especially regarding his deposit; his period of illness in Limerick. (English)

Papers of Michael Fitzgerald SJ⁶¹⁹

f. 151rv 21 September 1746 – statement from parishioners of St Nicholas,⁶²⁰ Carrick-on-Suir, to ‘Reverend Doctor Creagh’, Waterford – in the absence of [Bishop] Dr Lloyd – asking for able new parish priest after death of Fr Bourke, and recommending Mr Daniel, now in England. (English)

ff 152rv, 153v 22 September 1746 – letter from Richard Creagh, Cuba, to his brother John Creagh, Irish College Rome; despite letters of recommendation he has been ill treated by the governor; asking to intercede with Dr Roche [a cousin] to obtain a *sedula* for regaining his property;⁶²¹ comments on two battles won by Charles [Stewart]. (English)⁶²²

616 Alexander Roche or ‘della Rocca’ was rector 1715–1744.

617 To outdo Paris, advising to employ a tutor for Roman ritual and functions for students about to return to the missions – ‘as players are exercised before the comedy’ (f. 145v).

618 The anonymous catalogue marked this as being in the hand of Sir David Nairne.

619 Michael Fitzgerald was rector of the College 1746–1750.

620 With 14 signatures: Matthew Woulfe, William [Welsh], Daniel Power, James Reily, James Bourke, Thomas McNemara, Walter Esmonde, Nicholas Woulfe, John Galwey, Pierce Power, Michael Ryan, Edmund Power, Daniel Ryan, Anthony Comerford.

621 Speaking of the confiscation ‘of my wating negro & other thriflyes’, being put in jail notwithstanding *sedulas* from the King of Spain in favour of Irish Catholics. The Cardinal Protector of Spain may assist him.

622 F. 152v, ‘God send that the french may not lave him in the Lorch I find the spanards have more [friendship] for him than the ffrench’.

ff^{154r-155v} 10 January 1746 – letter from Thomas Br.[ennon], Dublin, to Fr Fitzgerald;⁶²³ diverse business, including Mr Colgan settled in Dirty Lane factory, recommending John Murphy SJ for Italian Jesuits; Mrs. McLoughlin's son; death of Bishop McDonough of Kilmore and recommendation of Mr⁶²⁴ Eugene Bartly in his stead; lamenting standard of studies. (English)

f. 156^{rv} 22 January 1746 – letter from Thomas Brennan, Dublin, to [Fr Fitzgerald];⁶²⁵ enclosing petition from the diocese of Kilmore for appointment of Dean Eugene Bartly to episcopacy and hoping for support from the Cardinal Protector; arguing against contestant Broughallan. (English)

f. 157^{rv} 31 January 1748 – letter from Thomas Brennan, Dublin, to [Fr Fitzgerald]; listing objectives and reception of a new Sodality of the Name of Jesus, set up by John Murphy, Dublin, aimed to reduce the 'vice of profane swearing & cursing' in Ireland; Spanish parallel. (English)

f. 158^{rv} 3 February 1746 – letter from Thomas Brennan, Dublin, to [Fr Fitzgerald]; expecting Carrick-on-Suir will be given to Fraher, not Creagh; Fitzgerald's brother may obtain bishopric of Ardagh; the Primate McMahan's illness; recommending Hennessy for Paris procuratorship; asking assistance for the new sodality. (English)

ff^{159rv, 160v} 1 May 1748 – letter from Thomas Br.[rennan], Dublin, to [Fr Fitzgerald], asking about long silence; indignation over [Fr] Richardson, contestant for Dublin see, properly belonging to Kilmore diocese; false rumour that St Francis de Sales's *Introduction to a devout life* is to be prohibited; [Fr] Murphy completed doctorate at Salamanca and ought to succeed Dr Linegar instead of Richardson. (English)

ff^{161r-162v} 29 October 1748 – letter from T. B.[rennan], Dublin, to [Fr Fitzgerald]; detailed discussion of difficulties in setting up the new sodality in Dublin – even many Protestants impressed with the scheme; asking assistance since papal legislation seems contradictory. (English)

623 The postal address, as will all letters following (to f. 162v), is care of the Persberg brothers and Andrea Ciceroni, all merchants, Venice. In this case, the Italian endorsement calls Fitzgerald an agent at the Holy See (f. 155v).

624 Very often 'Mr' replaces 'Fr', so also in the address to Fr Fitzgerald (f. 155r).

625 The same middlemen in Venice are named; the Italian endorsement and context suggest the same Fr Fitzgerald as above; this applies also for the following documents (to f. 162v).

ff 163r-164v (undated) – [fragment] letter from [...] ⁶²⁶ to Fr Decoque [...]; personal details involving Fr Flachar, the father provincial, and Fr Cortou, a preacher. (French)

Papers of Thomas Brennan ⁶²⁷

ff 165r-166v (undated) [1750s] – petition from Thomas Brennan [Rome], to King [Louis XV of France]; making case for [Fr] Blake as candidate for the see of Armagh; arguing strong bonds between his native Connacht and Ulster. (French) ⁶²⁸

ff 167rv [and 168v] 14 June 1759 – letter from Michael Fitzgerald, Dublin, to [Thomas Brennan, Rome]; ⁶²⁹ concerning students Mr Barry, the bearer Mr Plunkett, Mr Farrel and Mr Bodkin; grateful for comforting news about Portuguese affairs; Mr Shea sent to Cork; thanks for his nephew's good treatment. (English)

Papers of Luigi Cuccagni ⁶³⁰

ff 169r-170v 17 August 1775 – letter from Bishop Moylan of Kerry, Cork, to Cardinal Marefoschi; grateful for using his influence for his episcopal appointment; asking support for placing seminarians because of dearth of priests. (French)

f. 171rv 4 June 1776 – order signed by Cardinal Marefoschi for student Nolan, Rome, to pay his debt to the archbishop in Avignon, listing particulars. (French/Italian)

f. 173rv 20 December 1776 – statement by I. L. Malet Deterante, merchant, Marseille; concerning a sum stolen from Irishman I. Lanigan who stayed in his charitable hospice. (French)

ff 175rv, 176v 18 February 1778 – letter from Fingall, Dublin, to Cardinal Marefoschi; recommending Abbot Jean Butler, brother of 'Milord de Cahir', for vacant see of Limerick. (French)

626 The letter may be signed 'Le P.'; it appears to be a copy in Brennan's hand.

627 Thomas Brennan SJ was rector of the College 1754-1759.

628 Referring to witnesses Abbot Meli, Connacht, and Fr James O'Donnell, Ulster, at St Isidore's; pointing to long history of intermarriage and friendship between the provinces.

629 F. 168v bears address to Brennan, but connection with f. 167 is uncertain.

630 Luigi Cuccagni was rector of the College 1772-1798.

ff_{177r-178v} 10 December 1779 – letter from Bishop [Jean Baptiste de Maillé] of Gap (France), to [Cardinal Marefoschi],⁶³¹ on receiving recommendation of the Irish student Patrick [Doyle]; the latter is ill and the seminary very poor –asking assistance. (French)

ff_{179r-183v} (undated) *Lista di proverbi sciocchi inglesi* – proverbs and other notes.⁶³² (English/Italian)

ff_{184r-189v} *Rubricella* [see comments above]

f. 190r Three fragments of decayed letters pasted into *rubricella*; one envelope and fragment addressed to Mr Bohilly; one endorsement for Matthew Ball's bill; fragment letter from [James Reilly, Poitiers].

631 Address is merely to 'Monsieur'; the Italian endorsement names Marefoschi as addressee (f. 178v).

632 For example, 'Knots the harder tied, the more they are pulled the sooner they brake'; 'when I see a rich rogue, I must infer the litle value God has for riches' (f. 179r).

Liber XXVII

Rubricella (none)

Comments: This volume is closely related to Liber III pars I, which similarly contains rules and communications from authorities about the discipline and welfare of the students. The manuscripts contained may not have been bound in this order before 1898; there was no continuous internal foliation.

ff_{11r-10r} 29 January 1628 – copy *Institutiones Domus Hibernorum de Urbe ab illustrissimo ac reverendissimo Domino Cardinale Ludoviso, S.R.E. Vicecancellario ac Protectore fundatae primo die Anni 1628*⁶³³ – earliest College rules, with a prologue and seven chapters, approved by Luca Antonio Giunti (chaplain to Cardinal Ludovisi); Fr Patrick Comerford OSA; *meque* [Fr Luke Wadding OFM]; Frs Anthony Higes [Hickey] OFM, Martino Valesio [Walsh] OFM; Fr John Pontio [Punch]; Rector Eugene Calannan; and all students; signed Wadding, Comerford. (Latin) 1 – *De regimine Domus* 2 – *De admittendis ad praedictam domum* 3 – *De observandis circa pietatem* 4 – *De observantia circa studia* 5 – *De observandis circa domesticam disciplinam* 6 – *De promovendis as Sacros Ordines et mittendis in Hiberniam* 7 – *De oeconomia domus*

ff_{14r-18r} (undated) – copy *Regulae Collegii Hibernorum de Urbe a superioribus approbatae, et ab alumni observandae* – companion to above rules (unsigned), addressed directly to the students, with a prologue and five chapters,⁶³⁴ and appending the missionary oath to be taken by students on entry (Latin).⁶³⁵ 1 – *De admittendis* (six points) 2 – *Observanda circa pietat[em]* (six points) 3 – *Observanda circa studia* (nine points) 4 – *Observanda circa domesticam disciplinam* (15 points) 5 – *De promovendis ad sacros ordines* (four points)

ff_{20r-25r} (undated) – copy *Ratio victus pro Collegio Hibernorum a Superioribus approbata* detailed regulations (unsigned) on food and meals to be served in the College, with several variations in keeping with penitential days and days of celebration. (Latin)

633 See printed text in Gregory Cleary OFM, *Father Luke Wadding and St Isidore's College, Rome*, (Rome, 1925) pp 195–203. Cleary refers to Rector Curran of the Irish College as his source for the printed text, probably based on this document.

634 The prologue is a repetition from the *Institutiones* above, the chapter on 'hierarchy of command' omitted probably because of the change of administration after Ludovisi's death.

635 See Hanly, 'Records', pp 13–75, for a discussion of the oaths; the students' oaths are contained in Liber xii. The oath quoted in Hanly, 'Records', p. 73 and in *The Irish College, Rome 1628–1678*, pp 214–17 is nearly identical to this sample. A pencil notation identifies the hand as Fr Young's (f. 14r).

ff 31r-43v (undated) – copy *Institutiones Domus Hibernorum de Urbe* copy of *Institutiones* above (ff 1–10). (Latin)

ff 46r-58r [1659] *Regulae Collegii Hibernorum de Urbe a Superioribus approbatae, et ab Alumnis observandae* College rules approved by Rector Goswinus [Nickel] SJ on 25 May 1659; identical with the *Regulae* above (ff 14–18), but appending two oaths, adding one that emphasizes students may not claim *viatica* for the return to Ireland – this oath is to be signed by each student before admission. (Latin)⁶³⁶

ff 59r-89v (undated) – *Consuetudini del Collegio Hibernese di Roma* College rules (unsigned); dealing with the admission of new students (10 points); piety and religious observance (8 and 22 points), studies (16 points), meals (five points), clothing (nine points), departing students (three points), holidays at Castel Gandolfo (17 points), questionnaire for aspiring students (14 points); and appending the *Ratio Victus* (nearly exactly as above ff 20–25). (Italian/Latin)

f. 90r (undated) – fragment note on tutorials in philosophy – the combination of logic, physics, and metaphysics. (Italian)

ff 91r-104v (undated) – *Consuetudini del Collegio Ibernese di Roma*⁶³⁷ [abbreviated] College rules (unsigned); dealing with new students and those leaving (7 and 4 points), meals (five points), feast-day meals with details on the summer holidays following St Michael's,⁶³⁸ (20 points), piety (four points). (Italian)

ff 105r-106v, 109r-110v and 112r-113v (undated) – Copies *Regole de' Convittori del Collegio Ibernese* rules regarding the paying guests (*convictores*) of the College; presupposing the *beneplacitum* of the superior SJ; dealing with domestic discipline, religious observance,⁶³⁹ respect for others,⁶⁴⁰ ban on visitors and on extended absences. (Three documents) (Italian)

636 See Hanly 'Records', p. 69 for discussion of that oath; See *ibid.*, p. 73, and *The Irish College, Rome 1628–1678*, pp 216–17, for sample oaths, and formulae in Liber xii. A large-scale copy of this exists among the loose files below, MSS17–18/LL/Liber xxvii, ff 49–56.

637 With pencil note *script.1764*.

638 Very detailed lists of meals for the three principal feasts, of St Patrick, St Ignatius, of the Immaculate Conception.

639 Daily Mass and weekly confession and communion.

640 Explaining that some [of the regular students] belong in their countries to the nobility, though they lost their fortunes to the heretics by adhering to their faith, and now became priests to further propagate it (f. 112v).

ff 114r–115r (undated) – *Quello che dovranno osservare li Giovani che si ricevono per convittori del Collegio Scozzese, e che s’osserva ancora nel Collegio Greco* rules regarding the paying guests of the Scots College and the Greek College, dealing with piety and religious observance, domestic discipline. (Italian)⁶⁴¹

⁶⁴¹ e.g. returning home every evening on the *Ave Maria*. This differs very little from the Irish College lodgers’ rules.

Liber XXVIII

Rubricella (title page, added by Pollen): *Regulae, Conciones, Elogia et Miscellanea Ascetica Patrum Societatis Jesu*

Rules for Jesuit houses

ff_{11r-10v} 26 June 1620 – *Usanze* Rules of the Society of Jesus approved for the Roman province by Muzio Vitelleschi; three chapters dedicated to usages in church (20 points), in the schools (13 points) and in the religious houses (30 points). (Italian)

ff_{12r-26r} (undated) – *Regole* Regulations for domestic matters in [Jesuit colleges]; aimed at the rector, vice-rector, students, prefects of study and of discipline, tutors (*ripetitori*), provisioner (*provveditori*), infirmary officers, accountants (*spenditori*), stewards of refectory (*dispensieri*), waiters (*credenzieri*), door-keepers, cooks and servants. (Italian)

ff_{31r-46v} (undated) – *Regulae* Community rules and fragment copy concerning student prefects [for the Collegio Germanico];⁶⁴² with general rules for student officials (41 points), special rules for prefects of studies (24 points), a directory of the prime duties of a prefect of studies (nine points). (Two documents) (Latin)⁶⁴³

ff_{47r-53r} (undated) – [fragment] rules for diverse officers and servants [at the Collegio Germanico];⁶⁴⁴ directed at the caretaker of the courtyard, generally all officers and servants, the door-keeper, the tailor, and the steward of the refectory. (Italian)

Discourses

ff_{54r-64r} (undated) Homily by Fr Muzio [Vitelleschi]⁶⁴⁵ on Paul's Epistle to the Hebrews V 'Son of God though he was, he learned obedience in the school of suffering'. (Italian)⁶⁴⁶

642 F. 35r The second set of rules for student prefects is explicitly for the German College; all segments and copy documents are in the same hand.

643 Ff 43r-46v contain fragments of a copy of the two sets of rules, without the directory.

644 F. 48r The second chapter *per tutti li Officiali o servitori* is specifically aimed at those in the German College.

645 Superior General SJ 1615-1645.

646 This and the following document still bear the foliation from Liber xx from which they were removed; the separation may have been made because the other two 'discourses' still extant in Liber xx are strictly connected to the Irish College, while these concern the Jesuits more generally. The *rubricella* in Liber xx lists these as *altro sermone del Padre Muzio* and as *Discorso in lode della bolla di Gregorio XV sopra l'elezione del Papa*.

ff 66r–76v [1621/1622] Address (no author) praising Gregory XV's bull in reform of papal elections. (Italian)

Elogies (from Liber xx)

ff 82r–121v (undated) *Elogij della Compagnia di Gesù* Calendar of Jesuit martyrs and others (dated 1 January – 22 December and with some additions) listing anniversaries of Jesuit fathers [1541–1642] with synopses of their work. (Italian)⁶⁴⁷

ff 122r–123v (undated) *Elogium D.[omini] Ludovici Galliarum Regis* draft eulogy (unsigned) on King Louis [X] of France. (Latin)

f. 124rv (undated) brief notes

Meditations

ff 125r–128v (undated) programme (unsigned) for an eight-day retreat; introduction, daily agenda with two or three meditations, a lecture and (for the last four days) a closing *emendatio vitae*. (Latin)

ff 129r–130r (undated) *Compendium praxis [orationis mentalis]* – excerpts from St Ignatius's exercises; in seven points with an added colloquium (Latin). Incipit: '*constat or[at]io mentalis tribus partibus. Praeparatione Med[itation]e colloquio ...*'

ff 131–132v (undated) – *Meditatio* meditation on sin (unsigned) in four chapters. (Latin)

ff 133r–143r (undated) – seven meditations (unsigned); dealing with mortal sin, sin, the three grades of humility, the temptation of Christ, the prayer in the garden, God's love, the Passion. (Italian)⁶⁴⁸

647 Including Martino Gutierrez (Castilia) f. 88r, Gonzalo Silveria (Portugal) ff 91v–92r, Edmund Arrowsmith (Lancaster) f. 104r, Michael Letavale (Syracuse) ff 111v–112r, Hernando de Tobar and seven others (Mexico) ff 112v–113r, Edmund Campion and two others (England) ff 114v–115r.

648 Some meditations are numbered, but out of sequence, giving the impression that they were part of a bigger collection.

ff_{144r-191v} (undated) Series of twenty-three meditations⁶⁴⁹ and two reflections (unsigned); several basic parameters for meditation, meditations on natural and supernatural aids for spiritual exercises, sins committed before and after entry into religious life, on penitence, divine grace (two parts), the kingdom of Christ (three parts), the two standards (*vexilla*) [of Christ], the three classes of mankind, on indifference, on spiritual direction, *de indicatione sui*, the three grades of humility (three parts), observing the laws of [Jesuit houses], and two reflections, on the nature of contemplation, and on *emendatio vitae*. (Latin)

f. 192_{rv} (undated) – *Quinto esame* [fragment of a course of exercises]; three points on dealing with others. (Italian)

ff_{193r-197v} (undated) – series of ‘corrections’ (*riforme*) (unsigned); dealing with penance and mortification, meal-times, character flaws and bad habits, the devotion to the Blessed Vergin. (Italian)

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Loose Leaves

Some of these groups of unbound documents could be identified as having been physically bound with others (their original ink foliation remaining); a few others belong to the collection by context only.

It is unclear why the parts of Libri iii and xxiv that are listed below were unbound. It is certain that at some time a Liber xxix was planned for, to contain all loose files otherwise too small to form volumes in themselves. All have all been given consistent (pencil) foliation for reference.

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Liber III pars I (with parts duplicating rules also in Liber xxvii)

Notes: J.H. Pollen noted these ‘were formerly bound up with a number of bills for wine, postage, and other receipts’ (f. 1r). M. J. Curran noted that ff 46 to 56 (old foliation) were missing when he examined the papers [1920s/1930s]. As a volume containing rules for College life, and communications from the authorities, that is for the most part from the Jesuit superiors, it is complemented by Libri xxvii and xxviii. Most items of correspondence deal with more than one matter; only the major points are listed here.

⁶⁴⁹ Numbers 7 and 22 are missing.

Rubricella (ff 2r–4v)

Comments: Pollen (f. 1r) ‘These documents were formerly bound up with a number of bills for wine, postage, and other receipts. They have been left in their old cover.’

Curran (f. 2r) found ff 46–56 missing.

Regole

f. 5^{rv} *Dilazione di partire accordata a due [giovani] attesi i loro buoni portamenti* 13 March 1782 – letter from Cardinal Protector Salviati to the Rector of the Irish College, concerning students Thomas Macann and John Lanigan; stipulating they study canon law and moral theology. (Italian)

[f. 3] *Istituzioni del Collegio fatte dall'Eminentissimo Marefoschi* [missing]⁶⁵⁰

ff 7^r–10^v [Copy] *Regole novissime da osservarsi in tempo di villeggiatura* (undated) – [Draft or copy] 23 rules. (Italian)⁶⁵¹

f. 11^{rv} *Progetto del Collegio al Mon[aste]ro di S. Dom[eni]co, e Sisto per Liberare il Collegio da alcuni [scoli] di acqua coll' altare un muro comune* (undated) – memorandum by [Irish College] proposing a common wall to the neighbouring monastery of Saints Domenico and Sisto because of water ingress. (Italian)⁶⁵²

f. 12^r *Regole per la ripetizione* (undated) – memorandum (unsigned) about frequency and mode of *repetitiones* [tutorials with prefect of studies]. (Italian)

f. 13^r *Tabella oraria* (undated) – agenda for each day, with activities arranged for nearly the course of an academic year in periods from one week to three months. (Italian)

f. 14^{rv} *Ordini dati da Gesuiti per tutti i seminari, e coll'gi di Roma* (undated) – regulations on student discipline signed by Francesco Piccolomini [Superior General SJ 1649–1651]. (Italian)

ff 15^r–24^r Copy *Regole antiche del Collegio* [1629] – ‘*Regulae Collegij Hibernorum de Urbe a Superioribus approbatae et ab Alunnis observandae*’ [Ludovisi’s rules accompanying Wadding’s *Institutiones*]. (Latin)

650 These constitutions of 1773 are contained in Liber xiv, ff 63^r–80^v.

651 Note on f. 10^v states the documents had been sent by the superiors.

652 See related documents in Liber xiii.

ff 25r–28v *Metodo per orare la mattina* (undated) – memorandum on morning prayer and meditations. (Italian)

[f. 47] *Regole novissime per la ripetizione* [missing]

[f. 48] *Decreti fatti in tempo di Visita dall' Eminentissimo Barbadico* [missing]

[f. 49] *Altre regole antiche* [missing]

ff 32r–33v *Biglietto di Monsignore Serzale accompagnante le regole della ripetizione* 2 December 1775 – letter from Sersale to Rector Cuccagni recommending enclosed rules [possibly f. 12r], asking to display and archive these. (Italian)

f. 34r *Ordine moderno che gli alunni non studino la sera dopo sonato il ritiro* 21 August 1779 – letter on behalf of [Monsignor] Sersale and the Cardinal Protector to the Rector of the Irish College, cautioning students against study after their retirement in the evening. (Italian)

Istruzioni date ai Rettori dai Gesuiti Superiori in diversi tempi

f. 36rv *Sopra il dare l'acqua in neve ed esaminare gli alunni per far passaggio alli studi* 14 September 1695 – letter from [Giovanni ...] Imperiale to Rector Thomas Eustace, Irish College, with points as to student discipline and their wellbeing. (Italian)

f. 37rv *Per la continuazione d'alcuni esercizi di pietà in tempo dell'afflizioni della soppressa compagnia* 12 December 1764 – letter from Innocenzo Gentili SJ, Rome, to the Irish College, with regulations for 1765 concerning general devotions in the province. (Italian)

f. 38rv *Modo di fare i cataloghi de PP. [Padri]* 20 February 1678 – letter from Giovanni Antonio [Caprini] to the Irish College, with instructions on the census [of SJ members] that is carried out every three years. (Italian)

f. 39rv *Che gli alunni non sieno condotti nell'anticamera delle Corti [...]* August 1696 – letter from [Giovanni ...] Imperiale to Rector Thomas Eustace, on points of student discipline. (Italian)

f. 40rv *Sopra la spesa delle conclusioni* 7 September 1705 – letter from [Turgio] Sesti SJ to Rector Carlo Lucchesini SJ on the conduct of students' public defences, and a point on the yearly holidays. (Italian)

- f. 41rv *Sopra l'abuso dell'[Orologj]* 1 November 1691 – letter from Alessandro Zampi SJ to Rector Agostino Maria Doria SJ, forbidding the use of *oriccoli particolari a ruota* without special permission; other matters. (Italian)
- f. 42rv *Che per le dispute pubbliche non si debba destinare più d'un alunno* 5 December 1674 – letter from Giovanni Paolo Oliva SJ to Rector Sebastiano Bellucci; points on the examination of students; stressing their high attainments on return to Ireland. (Italian)
- f. 43rv *Copy Dalla Dom[eni]ca di Sessagesima si faccia miglior tavola* 24 February 1672 – letter from Giovanni Paolo Oliva SJ to [Irish College] with details on victuals permitted. (Italian)
- f. 44rv *Circa il modo di far contratti [...]* December 1701 – letter from Angelo [Alarini] [Procurator], Collegio Romano, to Rector Giovanni Battista Naselli, binding him to the instructions of the late Fr Claudio concerning contracts. (Italian)
- f. 45rv *Circa le visite alle donne* 12 March 1697 – letter from [Giovanni ...] Imperiale to Rector Tomaso Baldassini, Irish College (*sic*), referring to the obligatory rulings on visits [by] women. (Italian)
- f. 46rv *Che nei collegi non si ammetta veruno a mangiare* 13 July 1654 – letter from Goswin Nickel to [Irish College], with reminder of regulation of 1624 that no refreshments be given in their houses. (Italian)
- f. 47rv *Intorno all'osservanza de'Legati pii* 2 April 1648 – letter from Vincenzo Carrafa to Rector of 'the Irish', on the observation of provisions of wills. (Italian)
- f. 48rv *Circa l'esercizi soliti* 29 December 1767 – letter from Filippo D'Elci SJ to Rector Andrew Ryan, concerning spiritual exercises. (Italian)
- f. 49rv *Che in tempo dell'elezione del Generale non si facciano uscir gli alunni* 23 November 1730 – letter from [...] SJ to Rector della Rocca (Roche), a quadriduum is to be held for the election of a new superior general. (Italian)
- f. 50rv *Circa il modo di scriver lettere* 20 February 1674 – letter from Ignazio Moncada SJ to Rector Sebastiano Bellucci, also giving permission to students to attend plays outside the Collegio Romano (Italian)
- f. 51rv *Circa il vino straordinario* 19 May 1696 – letter from [Giovanni ...] Imperiale to Rector Thomas Eustace, on several points of house-keeping. (Italian)

f. 52^{rv} *Circa il modo di solennizzare la Festa della S[antissi]ma Trinità* 8 August 1663 – letter from Giovanni Paolo Oliva SJ to John Gionio [Young], with a circular letter from the Vicar General Vasco on procedures at table on the feast-day. (Italian)

f. 53^{rv} *Che niuno istituisca esercizi pii senza licenza* [10] July 1674 – letter from Domenico [Bennacci] SJ to Rector Sebastiano Bellucci, with copy of letter of 3 June 1674 from Joannes Paolo Oliva on spiritual exercises. (Italian/Latin)

f. 54^{rv} *Che niuno riceva regali da monache particolari* 9 January 1683 – letter from Carlo de Noyelle, Il Gesù, to [all colleges], concerning gifts from any religious. (Italian)

f. 55^{rv} *Circa la modestia* 21 May 1683 – letter from Carolus de Noyelle to [all colleges] ruling that St Francis Borgia be invoked in their litany, after Sts Ignatius and Francis Xavier. (Latin)

f. 56^r *Regole per il tempo di carnevale* 20 [...] 1736 – letter from Francesco Retz, Rome, to Fr Provincial Vincenzo Aniballi, Collegio Romano; seeking to avoid the disturbances of last year's carnival. (Italian)

f. 57^{rv} *Circa lo scrivere in fin dell'anno* 8 December 1745 – letter from Francesco Maria Turconi SJ to Rector Concezio Carocci, concerning spiritual exercises and record-keeping. (Italian)

[f. 83] *Circa l'elezione del Generale* [missing].

f. 58^r 14 December 1764 – letter from Innocenzo Gentili, Collegio Romano, to the Irish College, on spiritual exercises and record-keeping. (Italian)

[f. 84] *Che i rettori non sieno accompagnati dagli alunni* [missing]

ff 59^r–60^v *Circa il modo di registrare, e comunicare gli affari* 29 February 1764 – printed circular letter signed Innocenzo Gentili to Rector Henry Stanislaus Nowlan; instructions on how to compile a three-part account of their residents (and their respective characters) and the College's expenditure. (Italian)

f. 61^{rv} 23 August 1697 – letter from [Giovanni ...] Imperiale, S. Andrea, to Rector Thomas Eustace; there should always be more than one student accompanying him. (Italian)

f. 62_{rv} 29 January 1680 – letter from [G] Antonio Caprini to Rector of the College, with a faculty for the absolution of sins for small Jesuit houses. (Italian)

f. 63_{rv} *Circa il modo di far visite a personaggi* [30] August 1647 – letter from Vincenzo Carrafa, Rome, to Fr Valentino Mangioni, on permission to visit cardinals, ambassadors, and others of elevated standing. (Italian)

f. 64_{rv} *Circa il modo d'usar la semplicità* 11 November 1673 – letter from Giovanni Paolo Oliva, Il Gesù, to Rector Sebastiano [Bellucci], on simple ways to address priests and non-priests. (Italian)

f. 65_r *Circa la predicazione* 24 November 1676 – letter from Giovanni Paolo Oliva, Rome, to all SJ houses and colleges in the province, enclosing a document on proper preaching. (Italian)

f. 66_r *Modo di trattar co' Frati* 30 July 1644 – letter from Muzio Vitelleschi, Rome, to [all SJ houses and colleges], making known a decree from the new superior general, on [proper address of co-religious]. (Italian)

f. 67_{rv} *Circa l'infermi, e predicatori* 14 March 1648 – letter from Valentino [...], Rome, to Rector Giovanni Battista de Ruschi, on sick residents, and on house-keeping. (Italian)

f. 68_{rv} *Si biasima l'introduzione particolare dell'ammitto* 8 August 1644 – letter from Giovanni Stefano [Manochisi], Rome, to Rector Fabio Albergati, on record-keeping. (Italian)

f. 69_{rv} *Si biasima l'uso della ciocolata* 12 August 1662 – letter from Giovanni Paolo Oliva, Rome, to [all SJ houses and colleges], reserving for himself right to give permission to purchase chocolate, as threatening vows of poverty. (Italian)

f. 70_{rv} *Sopra l'osservanza delle regole* 6 April 1701 – letter from Tirso Gonzalez, Il Gesù, to [all SJ houses and colleges], reminding of the rule for Lent that factions and wars between princes and Christians in general must not be ignored. (Italian)

ff 71_r-74_v *Sopra l'osservanza delle calamità* 13 November 1763 – letter from Lorenzo Vicci, to [all provincials and cardinals]; at length and with many quotations from Scripture, reminding them of prayer, of discipline, and especially their dedication to poverty and obedience, in the face of their present afflictions. (Italian)

f. 75^{rv} *Molti capi sopra il buon regolamento* (undated) – [fragment] memorandum by [...] for the Irish College, with points on improving the economic administration of the colleges. (Italian)

f. 76^{rv} *Circa il modo di parlare, e scrivere* 18 August 1731 – letter from Francesco Retz, Rome, to Rector Carlo Stovani, Collegio Romano. (Italian)

f. 78^{rv} *Altri avvertimenti sopra il buon regolamento* 11 March 1724 – letter from MichelAngelo Tamburini, Rome, to [all colleges], with several points on students' well-being and discipline. (Italian)

ff 80^{rv}, 81^v *Circa il regolare di giovani* 11 March 1696 – letter from [Giovanni ...] Imperiale, Collegio Romano, to Rector Thomas Eustace; with 12 regulations concerning the students' well-being, discipline, general house-keeping. Comments in Imperiale's hand pointing to recent complaints from the students. (Italian)

f. 82^r *Sopra il parlare in publico* 18 September 1723 – letter from Michel Angelo Tamburini to [all colleges], copying letter from Fr Provincial Giovanni Battista Grimaldi, taking issue with open discussions of certain matters in front of outsiders. (Italian)

ff 84^{rv}, 85^v *Provvedimenti diversi* 12 July 1735 – letter from Francesco Retz, Rome, to Rector Alexander Roche; because of recent abuses of the rules, detailing which are to be enforced particularly – in nine points. (Italian)

ff 86^{rv}, 87^v 1 November 1662 – letter from Giovanni Paolo Oliva, Rome, to [Rector] [all colleges], on the mode of admitting individuals to their profession – in 7 points. (Italian)

f. 88^{rv} 26 January 1733 – letter from Thomas Silotti, Rome, to Rector Alexander Roche, on better record-keeping. (Italian)

ff 89^r, 90^v 1 June 1728 – letter from Michel Angelo Tamburini to Rector Alexander Roche; stressing obligation to celebrate a communal Mass for the students. (Italian)

f. 91^{rv} [*Circa il modo di contenersi nelle Cong[regazio]ni*] 14 February 1740 – letter from Francesco Retz to [all SJ houses and colleges]; detailing the supportive stance to be taken during the cardinals' conclave. (Italian)⁶⁵³

653 Title may intend another document, but the old foliation on the document matches *rubricella*.

[f. 116] *Circa la Carità Fraterna (sic)* [missing]⁶⁵⁴

ff 93^{rv}, 94^r *Regole per il tempo di conclave* 7 October 1700 – letter from Tyrso Gonzalez, superior general, to the rector of the Irish College; also on comportment during the conclave. (Italian)

[f. 117] *Altra simili* [missing]⁶⁵⁵

ff 95^{rv}, 96^v *Sopra la coscienza* 30 March 1659 – letter from G. Nickel, superior general SJ, to the Rector of the Irish College, with suggestions to counteract the perceived neglect of examination of conscience – in three points. (Italian)⁶⁵⁶

ff 97^{rv}, 98^v *Sopra la modestia Religiosa* 10 July 1681 – letter from Ottavio Rossi, Rome, to Rector Pio Girolamo Gandolfi SJ, copying letter from Gian Paolo Oliva, Rome, with points on personal appearance, and economy in food. (Italian)⁶⁵⁷

ff 99^r–100^r *Metodo per impetrar protezioni [estrinseche]* 17 June 1662 – letter from Giovanni Paolo Oliva, Rome, to [all colleges], referring decree 20, warning against accepting protection from externals, not the proper superiors. (Italian)⁶⁵⁸

ff 101^r–104^v 1 January 1680 – letter from Johannes Paulus Oliva, Rome, to [all colleges], with detailed admonitions on points of obedience and house-keeping. (Latin)

[f. 130] *Osservanza Religiosa* [missing]

f. 105^{rv} *Sopra i predicatori* 11 August 1731 – letter from Francesco Retz, Rome, to [all colleges], binding preachers to the order's constitutions. (Italian)⁶⁵⁹

ff 106^{rv}, 107^v *Modo di correggere i difetti* 21 November 1690 – letter from Alessandro Zampi SJ, Rome, to Rector Gregorio Fanti, on regular examinations of conscience. (Italian)⁶⁶⁰

654 In the *rubricella* there were two ff 116 one of which is now f. 93.

655 Possibly intending old f. 115, now f. 91. The f. 117 now found is the following item, now f. 95.

656 Mistaken foliation in *rubricella*, f. 118; foliated 117.

657 Mistaken foliation in *rubricella*, f. 119; foliated 118.

658 Mistaken foliation in *rubricella*, f. 126; foliated 119–120.

659 Mistaken foliation in *rubricella*, f. 131; foliated 130.

660 Mistaken foliation in *rubricella*, f. 132; foliated 13.

ff 108r, 109v *Circa l'uso del tabacco* 19 March 1674 – letter from Domenico Brunacci SJ, Collegio Romano, to Rector Sebastiano Bellucci; on modesty – use of tobacco to be subject to permission, condemning silken headwear and certain foods. (Italian)⁶⁶¹

ff 110rv, 111v *Circa i confessori* 22 November 1674 – letter from Giovanni Paolo Oliva, Il Gesù, to [all colleges], on proper attention to penitence. (Italian)⁶⁶²

ff 112r–115v *Sopra il buon esempio* 27 September 1665 – letter from Giovanni Battista [Aldrovandi], Rome, to [all colleges], with warning remarks about discipline and administration, following on visitations. (Italian)⁶⁶³

ff 116r–117v, 119v *Circa le Scuole* 16 January 1646 – letter from Giovanni Paolo Oliva, Rome, to [all colleges]; following on reports from provincials, making remarks about shortcomings perceived in preaching, in schools, in the proper spirit of poverty. (Italian)⁶⁶⁴

ff 120r–121v *Metodo di scriver lettere* 8 October 1650 – letter from Francesco Piccolomini, Rome, to Rector Giovanni Battista Bargiocchi. (Italian)⁶⁶⁵

ff 122r, 123v (undated) – circular letter from [...] to the English and Irish Colleges, on proper forms of address of superiors by students. (Italian)

ff 124r–125v *Circa il voto di povertà* 3 January 1681 – Letter from Giovanni Paolo Oliva to [all colleges], with points on financial deposits, dress and food, diverse purchases. (Italian)

ff 126rv, 127v *Sopra le ricreazioni* 14 July 1672 – letter from Giovanni Paolo Oliva SJ, Il Gesù, to the rector of the Irish College, points on behaviour and charity. (Italian)

661 Mistaken foliation in *rubricella*, f. 133; foliated 132.

662 Mistaken foliation in *rubricella*, f. 134; foliated 133.

663 Mistaken foliation in *rubricella*, f. 142; foliated 134.

664 Mistaken foliation in *rubricella*, f. 143; foliated 142, 151, 152, 141.

665 Mistaken foliation in *rubricella*, f. 144; foliated 143.

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Istromento d'acquisto⁶⁶⁶

[f. 6r] ^{-14v} *Instrumento di vendita della medesima casa fatta dal Rosolini a favor del Collegio 2-7 April 1639* Copy [legal memorandum]⁶⁶⁷ concerning the purchase by the College of the property in Torre de'Conti (in Monti) from Rosolini. (Latin)

ff 18r-23v *Instrumento simile per altra rata di prezzo di detta casa 3 February 1667* – Legal memorandum [receipt] for the purchase of the same property. (Italian)⁶⁶⁸

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Liti diverse pars secunda: lite tra il Collegio Ibernese e la fù soppressa Compagnia di Gesù avanti [ana] Co[n]gregatio[n]e particolare

Rubricella (ff 1r-4r)

Abstract: The contents of this volume are not extant. The documents listed here appear to form part of a legal dossier (*summarium*), similar to the ones (both in manuscript and printed) that are contained in Libri viii, xiii, xv (those concerning litigation). This may have been a draft for such a dossier, to be appended to a legal memorandum, such as the *restricti facti* in the volumes mentioned. It is likely to have formed part of the large number of such dossiers compiled for the Marefoschi visitation, given its connection with the suppression of the Jesuits and the examination of College property. On f. 5r Rector Michael O'Riordan (1904-19) attempted a chronology of legal proceedings [up to 1773].

Scrittura

f. 2rv *Romana pnsae [praetensae] Restitutionis Librorum per il Collegio*

f. 5rv *Altra pnsorum [praetensorum] damnorum, Lesionis, et Restitutionis Librorum*

f. 10rv *Foglio dimostrativo*

666 These two documents were removed from Liber v for unknown reasons; the titles are the relevant *rubricella* entries (Liber v, f. 2r).

667 The names Antonio Raynaldi and Valentino Pulci occur in the title; these may be notaries.

668 With notarial authentication 1773.

Sommario

ff₁₂₋₂₀ *Numero p[rim]o li prova che nel Collegio vi fossero li convittori anche in n[umer]l di 8*

da [detta] *Numero 2. Deposizione de' Periti del metodo che da [Poro] si riene nel valutare li Canonici de' [Foridi]*

Altro sommario

f. 21r *Supplica data al Papa dal Gen[era]le della sudetta compagnia del Gesù sopra la libreria*

[detta] *Numero 2. Donazione di Libri fatta dal Padre Fabio Albergati*

f. 21 [recto] *Numero 3. Antico monumento, onde apparisco il primo acquisto de' Libri a favore del Collegio*

f. 22r *Numero 4. Supplica data nel 1709 dal Rettore del Collegio al PP. Innocenzo XI per levare la scomunica imposta per l'estrazione de' Libri del detto Albergati.*

f. 24r *Altra Scrittura simile*

Sommario addizionale

f. 58r *Numero 1. Calcolo della quantità della Vigna grande*

f. 58 [recto] *Numero 2. Calcolo de' Denari spesi per detta Vigna*

f. 60r *Numero Calcolo del Valore del'Orto della Vigna*

f. [detta] *Numero 4. Fede del Computista sopra la deformità de' Libri de conti lasciati da Gesuiti*

f. [detta recto] *Numero 5 e 6. due Istanze hinc inde*

f. 62r *Numero 7. Foglio d'Introito ed Esito della Vigna*

f. 63r *Altra Scrittura*

f. 96r *Altra Scrittura= de'Gesuiti*

f. 126r *Altra Scrittura= del Collegio*

f. 151r *Specchio dimostrativo della quantità delle vigne e terre, che il Cardinal Ludovisi acquistò [...]dall'anno 1621 all'anno 1624.*

f. 152rv *Altro specchio dimostrativo del denaro che spese il [rid.o] porporato per la Liberazione dal canone le sudditte terre*

f. 159rv *Altra Scrittura*

f. 175rv *Animadversioni di fatto, e risposta alli contrari documenti*

Sommario

f. 184rv *Numero 1. Supplica al PP. data a nome del Collegio per l'ingiusta vendita e compra delle case, e vendita della vigna.*

[detta] *Numero 2. Letter no. del Arcivescovo di Dublino*

f. 185 [primo] *Numero 3. Antica Ricevuta dal Generale [de] Gesuiti dalle scritture, e pianta della vigna dal medesimo ricevute per parte del Principe Ludovisi.*

f. 186rv *Numero 4. Rilascio del [mandato] de [Gravando] ad istanza del Collegio per la restituzione delle scritture*

f. 187rv *Numero 5. Dichiarazione del Generale di non avere altre scritture*

f. 187 [recto] *Concessione della vigna conrada il Giardino della Fontana*

f. 191rv *[Affrancazione] della risposta di 8 per ogni dubio prima della vigna dell'Arciprete di Castel Candolfo*

f. 192 [recto] *Permuta della Vigna di Sicciano*

f. 195 [recto] *Cessione d'un [Lito] spettante all [Comunità] di Castel Candolfo*

f. 196 [recto] *Compensa del Terreno dato dalla sudetta Comunità*

f. 198rv *Compra della Vigna Benedetti*

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f. 199rv *Documento di quanti altri stavono in detta Vigna l'anno 1643*

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f. 201rv *Prato del Collegio del'anno 1665*

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- f. 226rv *Consenso prestato dal Rettore del Collegio per Spese fatte per il muro, e fabrica dela vigna. Compra di due vigne fatta dal Padre Ottolini pro [pnae] nominanda*
- f. 229rv *Una di dette vigne data in solutum al Collegio*
- f. 230 [recto] *Vendita della vigna grande*
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- f. 240rv *Elemosina di [£] 200 fatta dal Generale al Collegio*

MSS17-18/LL/Liber XXI

Comments: (ff pre-f. 215) Transcripts and comments by Cardinal P. F. Moran (in 1910), and comments by Michael J. Curran (1920s) document the removal of items from Libri xxi and xxii by Moran to Sydney; some other material was returned to Liber xxi by Curran, these two remained for unknown reasons. This is the original foliation; using the *rubricella* entries for Liber xxi, see above.

ff 215r–238v [1737–1747] *Altra Istoria per anni* [22] [1738–1747] – Copies of a report (unsigned)⁶⁶⁹ entitled *Breve informazione ...*, dealing with students of the College. Listing 19 past students and nine present students, also four former students become bishops, and three such bishops still living (Bishops Bernard McMahon of Armagh, James Gallagher of Kildare, Roch MacMahon of Clogher). (Two documents) (Italian)⁶⁷⁰

ff 240r–250v *Impres[ti]o fatto nell'Ibernia de' denari [della] Missione a Mons. [ignore] Rinuccini da Gesuiti, e lite consecutive per [riaverli]* [1646–1654] four memoranda and copies on the claims of the Jesuits on Rinuccini's spoils of war, listing his debts to them. (Six documents) (Italian)⁶⁷¹

MSS17–18/LL/Liber XXIII

ff 317r–331v (undated) [3 April 1771] – letter from the students of the College to Cardinal Marefoschi. (Italian)⁶⁷²

MSS17–18/LL/Liber XXIV

Visita dell'Eminentissimo Marefoschi Part II

Rubricella and loose leaves – first [part] of what is now bound Liber xxiv.

Rubricella: (f. 2rv)

Comments: The papers now unbound and those bound (roughly a first and second part of the original Liber xxiv) were separated at an unknown date but seemingly before the attention paid to the collection by Pollen and Hogan SJ in 1897.

669 The writer identifies himself as formerly a student in Paris, but now having been at the College for the past 22 years; he offers the report in the face of criticism against the College, as a witness of the excellency of the students, their promptness at returning on the missions, and further careers.

670 The current students (by faculty and with brief comments) are Terence Gallagher (4th year theology), John [Creveo] (2nd year), Bernard Connor (3rd year), Henry [Nowlan] (1st year), Thomas DeBurgh, Charles Reilly, James [White], James Tyrrell, Edward Sutton.

671 The greater part of the dossier is in Liber xxi, ff 147r–189v.

672 Another copy (with all six signatures) of the document in Liber xxiv (unbound), ff 34, 37–52, and a later version in Liber xxiii, ff 216–226 which this item preceded (old foliation). It is unclear why it was taken out and not bound with xxiii where it belongs between modern ff 215 and 216. Pencil notes by [Michael J. Curran] offer cross-references to the later version of the students' complaints reproduced in Marefoschi's *Relazione*, pp 159–70.

ff 6r–10v *Istoria del Collegio*⁶⁷³ [1770s] [preface] to an alternative College history (unsigned) in reply to Marefoschi's *Relazione*; commenting on the Cardinal Visitor's anti-Jesuit stance and the mode in which his account of the mismanagement of the Irish College was widely publicised. (Italian)⁶⁷⁴

ff 11r–20v *Riflessioni critiche sulla Relazione della visita* (undated) – commentary (no author) on Marefoschi's *Relazione* [its first chapter], listing historical blunders, contradictions, exaggerations and deceits contained in it. (Italian)⁶⁷⁵

ff 22r–23v, 30r *Simili sopra lo stato del Collegio* (undated) – list (unsigned) of the College's account books that give information on capital held by it. (Italian)

ff 24r–25v, 28rv *Nota di ciò che fu trovato mancante in tempo della vita dal computista* (undated) – list (unsigned) of missing documents needed for a comprehensive account of capital held by the College. (Italian)

f. 26rv *Nota de' capitoli e censi* 1 June 1771 – list (unsigned) of the College's income through investments or rents (22 items listed). (Italian)

ff 32r–33r *Ricliami degli alunni* (undated) and 3 April 1771 – letter from the students of the College⁶⁷⁶ and the testimony of a witness, intended for Cardinal Protector Marefoschi, complaining of a particular case indicative of the humiliating treatment they receive from Jesuit brothers of the College; testimony from Fr Paolo Filippo Rossi, prefect of the College. (Two documents) (Italian)

673 The title of the document *Veridica Istoria ... colle rifiutazioni ...* (f. 6r) indicates that the next two documents, though listed separately, were appendices. It promises *la vera storia* of the College until the end of the Jesuit administration – against the *favolosa ed immaginaria [storia]* (f. 10r) of Marefoschi, but only the preface and appended matter seems to have survived.

674 The author points out how unusual it was to have Marefoschi's visitation document (*Relazione*) printed, where prior to this visitors merely informed the pope in private and supplied two manuscript copies only, and where the pope's brief for the visitation explicitly stipulated the process be *secreto tamen et sine strepitu*. He calls the visitation and its outcome a *sanguinoso Processo contra i Religiosi*. (f. 6rv)

675 The author written in three different hands and under three headings, this is one continuous text.

676 Signed by John Jackson, Michael MacNamara, Edward Kennedy, Charles Waters, Edward Barry, John Harlin, Christopher Barnwell, and Richard FitzGerald (f. 33r). The visitation is already underway.

ff 34r, 37r-52v 3 April 1771 – memorandum by the students of the College⁶⁷⁷ for Cardinal Protector Marefoschi with detailed grievances against Rector Petrelli and their prefect (from Ascoli): including domestic negligence especially concerning meals; their reduction in number; unjust punishment at the hand of the prefect; the latter’s indecent language and behaviour; obstacles created for them wishing to speak to the agent of the Irish bishops. (Italian)

ff 54r-61v *Atti della Visita* (undated) – comments [by Rector Petrelli] on the visitation of Cardinal Imperiali [1719].⁶⁷⁸ (Italian/Latin)

Carteggio avuto in tempo di visita [tra] l’Eminentissimo Visitatore, Monsignor Sersale Convisitatore, ed il Rettore del Collegio

ff 62r-90r, 102r, *Lettere dell’Eminentissimo Visitatore* 4 April – 15 September 1771 [-1772] – file of correspondence mostly between Cardinal Marefoschi and [Co-Visitor Mgr Sersale], but also Propaganda Fide (22 May) and [caretaker] Castel Gandolfo (16 September 1772), dealing with various visitation matters; access to documents from archives of the College, of St Isidore’s, of Propaganda Fide, and those sent from Fr [O’Kelly]; students can now confess also to non-Jesuits; propositions for changing their missionary oath, their frequenting Propaganda Fide.⁶⁷⁹ (19 documents) (Italian)

ff 69r-78v, 85rv *M[em]orie sopra il giuramento, e assoluzione di esso* 23 April – 22 May 1771 and [undated other 1771] – file of memoranda and letters concerning the students’ oath – practice under the Jesuits and practice in all other continental Irish Colleges; students’ admission to the Collegio Urbano; including petition from the students to Clement XIV.⁶⁸⁰ (six documents) (Italian)

677 Signed by the same students; on this date the memorandum was presented to Marefoschi (endorsement f. 34r). This seems to have been an earlier draft for the manuscript in Liber xxiii and the eventual printed version with Petrelli’s responses in Marefoschi’s *Relazione*, pp 159-70.

678 With notarial authentication of 1773 which however refers to a financial document of College assets.

679 Instead of pledging their return on the missions (pending decision by their superiors), proposing oath such as the one used at Propaganda Fide (14 April 1771, f. 65r).

680 In France, Spain, Portugal and Flanders these colleges observe the oath universally applied to the pontifical colleges of Rome. The students complain that their *viaticum* oath contradicts James III’s bequest to the College for *viatica*, and that they have to swear obedience to the superior general SJ concerning their return to the mission (f. 73r).

ff^{104r, 107v} 24–30 January 1774 – copy petition from Mgr Sersale to Clement XIV to dispense student Edward Kennedy from his missionary oath- he found he has no vocation; petition granted 30 January and original sent to Kennedy at Livorno. (Italian/Latin)

f. 105r 2 July 1775 – letter from Cardinal Marefoschi to [Mgr Sersale] on receiving oath from new student John Sennet; arrangements for dimissorial. (Italian)

ff^{112r–148r} *Lettere di Monsignor Sersale – Lettere del Rettore* 3 April 1771–11 April 1772 – file of correspondence mostly between Co-Visitor Mgr Sersale, Cardinal Visitor Marefoschi, and Rector Petrelli: concerning the procuration of documents for the visitation, the imposition of smaller changes in domestic arrangements and in discipline; also dealing with the students' frequentation of Propaganda Fide College, with the 'pretended' *iuspatronato* of the Ludovisi family,⁶⁸¹ James III's bequest for *viatica*, dismissal of prefect by Marefoschi, dismissal of barber by Petrelli.⁶⁸² (24 documents) (Italian)

MSSr7–i8/LL/Liber XXVIII

ff^{49r–56v} 25 May 1659 – [1659] *Regulae Collegii Hibernorum de Urbe a Superioribus aprobatae, et ab Alumnis observandae* College rules approved by Rector Goswinus [Nickel] SJ. (Latin)⁶⁸³

MSSr7–i8/LL/sine libro

Comments: These loose files did not form a unit; they belong to this collection only by context. It is possible that one or some were separated from volumes listed above. The original foliation was retained.

681 See ff^{147r} and ^{115r} (letters from [Sersale] to Rector Petrelli): a search in the archives suggested that there was never legal action taken against the *iuspatronato*, but there is a draft document arguing in favour of the Society of Jesus and against the claim which suggests that the topic was discussed and eventually resolved (f. 115r).

682 The other *Lettere del Rettore* are in the bound volume, ff 92–118v.

683 These are identical with the *Regulae* in Liber xxvii, ff 46–58. Pollen suggested this was a copy in large writing for the purpose of being read in the refectory. It only belongs to Liber xxvii by context; it is too large to have fitted with the other documents, and the old foliation offers no proof.

ff 59r–73v, 83r [1650s]⁶⁸⁴ *Responsio propositioni de Unione missionum Hiberniae cum Provincia Anglicana* – memorandum by Fr William Salinger SJ in refutation of the proposed union. (Latin)

ff 39r–61v [1698/1699] *Libro dell' Economo* – financial accounts of salaries for College employees (cook, carpenter, barber, vineyard caretaker etc.).⁶⁸⁵

ff 1r–3v 8 October 1773 – copies of legal memorandum [from Congregation of Propaganda Fide]⁶⁸⁶ regarding the case of Cardinal Protector Marefoschi against seven parties for [interest from investments due to the College].⁶⁸⁷ (Two documents) (Latin)

ff 1r–13r 1700 and [1760s] – penitential notes by rector, staff, or students concerned, listing individual students' trespasses against domestic discipline and their punishment. Students listed: Russell, O'Connor, Toole, Gargan, Crolly, Bernard McMahon, D. Daniel [Cahill], Valentine Bodkin, Denis Timony, Jackson, Thomas Costello, Edward Kennedy, McNamara. (13 documents) (Italian/Latin)⁶⁸⁸

ff 1r–14r, 16v [1708] *Sommario* – report by Propaganda Fide (unsigned) for Cardinals [DeAbdua] and Imperiali, and the Secretary [of State]: current state of Catholicism in Ireland based on reports from various dioceses which were passed on by recipients in Flanders (e.g. the internuncio) and Rome. Including a report of 1707 of Bishop O'Rourke of Killala (persecution in his diocese), Bishop Hugh McMahon of Clogher (the vacant see of Armagh), James III (preferences for vacant sees of Ferns and Ardagh); discussion of an oath of abjuration [imposed] by the English Parliament. (Italian)

684 A small note found with it but not certainly connected states *Herimannus [Bustenbaum] dedit Collegio Ludovisi[ano] Hiberborum de Urbe anno 1625*. The author, however, is likely to be identical with William Salinger SJ as listed in Liber xx for being on the missions in Spain in 1654 and 1655, and in Ireland in 1662.

685 This was found among Rector O'Riordan's papers. The original foliation (ff 39–61) indicates it was part of a larger entity.

686 Both copies are marked 'Congregazione particolare' with reference to Fr Alfani.

687 Two of the parties named, the monks of St Celestine, and the Lateran Congregation, were sources of revenue to the College from annual 'censi'; see Libri iii and x. Despite the gap in the foliation the document appears to be complete.

688 Only one document is dated (20 August 1700). Small infringements are usually punished by abstinence from wine during a meal. More serious ones, such as returning late, being drunk, disrespectful behaviour, are met with lurching *flexis genibus*, with penitential psalms to recite, warnings to be sent back to Ireland.

Appendix I

Documents from the Irish College Archives printed in *Spicilegium Ossoriense*

When Pollen examined the Irish College archives in 1897 he was struck by certain *lacunae* in Liber xxi where the *rubricella* indicated items no longer there. John J. Hanly, in a memorandum found in the archives, points to documents printed by Francis Patrick Moran in his *Spicilegium Ossoriense* (published in Dublin in three volumes in 1874, 1878, 1884).⁶⁸⁹ Moran had been a student at the Irish College and acted there as vice-rector [1856 to 1866]. He was Bishop of Ossory from 1871 to 1884, Archbishop of Sydney from 1884, and was made cardinal in 1885. A search through the *Spicilegium* resulted in the following list of documents. Where the originals are still in the archives, they are described above and listed here rudimentarily by date, originator and type of document; those no longer extant in Rome are summarised a little more fully. Moran likely took some material with him when leaving Rome in about 1866 for examination and transcription. These items might survive in Kilkenny or in Sydney.

Volume I

pp 300–302 (undated) *Pro patribus Societatis Jesu Waterfordiae* [memorandum/petition (unsigned) setting out the legal claims by the Jesuits on St Peter's Waterford, hoping also the pope will give the Bishop of Waterford a co-adjutor. (Latin)

pp 320–321 9 February 1649 letter from John Egan, Kilkenny, to Fr [...], reporting on the nuncio's meetings with clergy. (Latin)

pp 354–355 20 December 1650 letter from Archbishop Thomas (Walsh) of Cashel, to [Rinuccini] [Rome]; sending John Young to Rome as his agent, asking to pay him a sum owed to Cashel for the recipient's loan [from] Waterford and owed to the Jesuits (Robert Nugent); references to losses thanks to the Lord of Inchiquin. (Latin)

pp 356–359 1665 report on the Jesuits (as described for Liber xxi above).

pp 374–380 13 August 1651 *Narratio brevis status regni Hiberniae ...* report on the condition of Ireland. (Latin)

689 Patrick Francis Moran, *Spicilegium Ossoriense* – being a collection of original letters and papers illustrative of the history of the Irish Church from the reformation to the year 1800, (3 vols, Dublin, 1874–84).

p. 381 1652 letter from Goswin Nickel SJ (as described for Liber xxi above).

pp 389–390 1652 *Missio Hibernica* anno 1652 report (unsigned) on Jesuit mission.

pp 407–412 1654 report [for SJ superior general] (as described for Liber xxi above).

pp 424–427 (undated) Relatio report on recent Cromwellian insurgence, the Oath of Abduration, the Catholics of Cork (Latin). *est in Provincia Momoniae nobilis Urbs et emporium celebre Corcagia*

pp 428–429 1662 letter from William Salinger (as described for Liber xxi above).

pp 454–456 1668 letter from vicar general and chancellor, Cork (as described for Liber xxi above).

Volume 2

pp 43–77 1651 *Relatio rerum quarumdam notabilium quae contigerunt in Missione Hibernica Societatis Jesu (1641–1650)* detailed missions report (unsigned). This is listed in the *rubricella* of Liber xxi.

p. 130 1653 Letter from Oliver Plunkett (as described for Liber xii above).

pp 211–212 1670 petition from Northern clergy (as described for Liber xxi above).

pp 308–309 1692 letter from da Sylva, Lisbon (as described for Liber xxi above).

p. 314 1695 letter from Ininger, Ingolstadt (as described for Liber xxi above).

Volume 3

pp 156–160 4 April 1746 – letter from Bishop Robert [Lacy] of Limerick to the Holy See, complaining of Bishop of [Achonry] and cathedral dean John Creagh. (Latin)

pp 335–338 4 April and 19 May 1774 – two letters from Archbishop Carpenter of Dublin to the Cardinal Prefect of Propaganda, and to the nuncio in Brussels, concerning the Capuchins; they may have belonged with like matter in Liber xvi.

pp 338–341 October 1775 – report from Bishop Matthew MacKenna of Cloyne and Ross to the Cardinal Protector, on the united dioceses. (Latin) This may have been the item listed in the *rubricella* of Liber xxii, now missing.

pp 341–349 1776 letter from Archbishop Butler of Cashel (as described for Liber xxi above).

p. 351 6 October 1776 – letter from Archbishop James Butler of Cashel to Rector Aloysius Cuccagni, recommending John Lanigan for a burse at the College. This must have originally belonged with like matter concerning Lanigan in Liber xii.

pp 351–353 28 October 1776 – letter from the bishops of Munster and three others to Cardinal Protector Marefoschi, petitioning for dean Patrick Molloy to be nominated for the see of Ossory.

pp 353–358 26 February 1777 – letter from Archbishop Butler of Cashel to Cardinal Castelli, Prefect of Propaganda Fide, on the nomination of Troy for Ossory and the oath of allegiance. (Latin)

pp 386–387 24 October 1771 – letter from Bishop John [Butler] of Cork to Cardinal Protector Salviati, on Thomas Finn's deception concerning dimissorial letters; recommending student James Welsh. (Latin)

Appendix II

A volume with archival material concerning the Irish College at the Archives of Propaganda Fide⁶⁹⁰*Scritture riferite nei congressi – Collegi vari 34 – Ibernese di Roma (1635–1842)*Title page: *Collegio Ibernese di Roma dall'anno 1635 all'anno 1842.*

Extent: 465 folia

Rubricella: none

Comments: unless otherwise indicated, these documents were addressed to Propaganda Fide. The end-papers of many documents were not foliated and are named here as subnumbers A and B (not so marked in the original). This volume was selectively transcribed for the Irish College archives in the early twentieth century. It has been listed here only up to the end of the eighteenth century, making up its first third, to complement the calendar of Irish College documents for this period.

ante- f. 1rv List of other documents pertaining to the history of the College, such as Liber viii in the College archives, Marefoschi's visitation documents, Gregory XIV's bull of 1836 for S. Agata dei Goti. (Italian)

f. 1 rv Memorandum entitled *Ibernia* on Urban VIII's bull of 1626 regulating ordinations of Irish students. (Italian)

ff 2r and 2Av 6 April 1635 – petition from John [Farsus] [Fahy] to Propaganda Fide, with endorsements from Luke Wadding and from Rector Alexander Gottifredus, for a *viaticum* for his return on the missions [granted in July]. (Latin)

ff 3r–7v 2 April 1639 (notarial authentication 3 March 1643) – donation from Girolamo Rosolini to the College of a house and 2,000 *scudi* [2 documents].(Italian)

⁶⁹⁰ The calendar of archival sources of the Propaganda archives mentions three volumes with Irish College content: Liber viii (as described above); *Scritture riferite nei congressi – Collegi vari 41 – Irlandese in Roma (1846–1892)*, and the one examined here.

ff 8r-9v [1678] – Petition from Eugene Hughes, from Ulster, to [Propaganda Fide] and memorandum; making case for a place in the College which had been promised to Hughes but has now been refused despite a vacancy. (Italian)

ff 10r-15Cv [1678] Dossier of petitions from Hugh McKean to the Propaganda and memorandum regarding his case (19 September 1678) – petitioning for a vacant benefice in Moville in his own diocese [of Derry], for other charity, and in complaint against his rector at the Irish College. (Seven documents) (Italian)

ff 16rv, 16Av 12 April 1698 – petition from Rector Thomas Eustace, asking for permission to access an *oncia* of water [unspecified water course]. (Italian)

ff 17r-18v 24 May 1700 – letter from Eneas O'Driscoll, Marseille; on his present position as confessor at 'nostri 3 Regni'; defending himself against certain accusations by explaining inability to return to Ireland on the missions, firstly because 'penchare' in Ireland is impossible going by reports of merchants, and because he is lacking the funds. (Italian)

ff 19rv, 19Av [14 January 1717] – letter and receipt from Hyacinth Bodkin to Cardinal Casini, asking and receiving a scudo for his return to Ireland. (Italian)

ff 20r-39v 1771 – printed statement by Giuseppe Bianchi, cook at the Irish College, composed by Charles O'Connor for Cardinal Protector Salviati, defending the present rector Cuccagni and other persons who are at present victims of calumny. (Italian)

ff 40r-41v (undated) – memorandum from the Irish College (unsigned) explaining the need to reduce the number of students to six. (Italian)

ff 42r-43v 7 May 1743 – reports on numbers of students at the Irish Colleges in Italy, Portugal, Spain, France, Flanders (no further comments for Roman college). (Italian)

ff 44r-45v, 45Av March 1743 – report on the nine students currently at the College,⁶⁹¹ and two who are expected to arrive. (Italian)

691 These are Terence Gallagher, Bernard O'Connor, John Creagh, Henry Nowlan, Thomas de Burgh, Charles Reilly, James White, James Tyrrell, Edward Sutton. The two new arrivals are expected to fill Gallagher's and O'Connor's places.

ff 46r-50v 1743 – Report (unsigned) on the financial status of the College. (Italian)

ff 51r and 1770 – brief list of eight students at the College 1763-1770,⁶⁹² date of admission and ages on entering (from 15 to 18). (Italian)

ff 52r-54r, 54Av 22 May 1772 – memorandum on Cardinal Marefoschi's substitution of the old oath with that taken by the pontifical colleges, and on the Irish students frequenting Propaganda lectures from 25 May. (Italian)

ff 55r, 56r 24 October 1771 – statement on Anthony O'Donnell's admission to the College on the date mentioned; his diocese is Killala. (Italian)

ff 56r-71Ev 1773 [and before] – dossier of [copy] legal documents concerning the case of one of the College's vineyards at Castel Gandolfo (16 documents)

ff 72r-73v c.1773 – memorandum on two flaws Cardinal Marefoschi found in the College administration: the oath taken from the students, and the contents of their studies which fails to prepare them for the missions. (Italian)

ff 74r-102v, 102Av 1773 Cardinal Marefoschi's rules given to the College. (Latin)

ff 103r-120v 1773 (printed) Cardinal Marefoschi's rules given to the College. (Latin)

ff 121r-122v 22 April 1781 – memorandum from Mons Borgia, Propaganda, for [rector of the College], reprimanding Cardinal Salviati needed to take oaths from students Charles O'Connor and Patrick Kirwan this day since this had been neglected. (Italian)

ff 123rv, 123Av 29 September 1781 – letter from Mons Borgia for the Irish College – Cardinal Salviati was very satisfied with the students' success. (Italian)

ff 124r-125v 9 April 1786 – letter from Cardinal Salviati, Propaganda, to [...]; admission cannot be given at this time but the Limerick student will be considered at the next vacancy. (Italian)

⁶⁹² These are John Murphy called 'Jackson', Michael Macnamara, Edward Kennedy, Charles Waters, Edward Barry, John Harlin, Christopher Barnewal, Richard Fitzgerald.

ff^{126r-127v} (undated) copy letter of complaint from students of the Irish College to Cardinal Protector Livizzani against the College management. (Italian)

ff^{128r-129v} 23 December 1794 – copy letter of complaint against the rector from six students of the Irish College⁶⁹³ to John Cox Hipposley MP. (Italian)

ff^{130rv, 130Av} 6 April 1795 –excerpt from letter from Archbishop of Dublin to his agent ‘Maestro Concanen’ for Cardinal Prefect of Propaganda, on a proposal to unite the Irish College and the Collegio Urbano, arising from past mismanagement of the College and its rector Cuccagni. (Italian)

ff^{130Bv-131v} 1798 – report from the Rector on the financial state of the College. (Italian)⁶⁹⁴

[End of the period under examination.]

693 These are Michael Blake, Henry McDermott, Peter Roche, Thaddeus Lynch, Eugene Kerney, John [Hevin], f. 129r.

694 Partly concerning the departure of students Michael Blake and Patrick Harkan on orders by the finance officials of the French Republic; they were given assistance for the journey, and for purchasing vestments.

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