

THE MONK'S GUIDE TO THE SACRED REMAINS

*Johannes Scheckmann's Heiltumsschriften between
hagiography and curiosity*



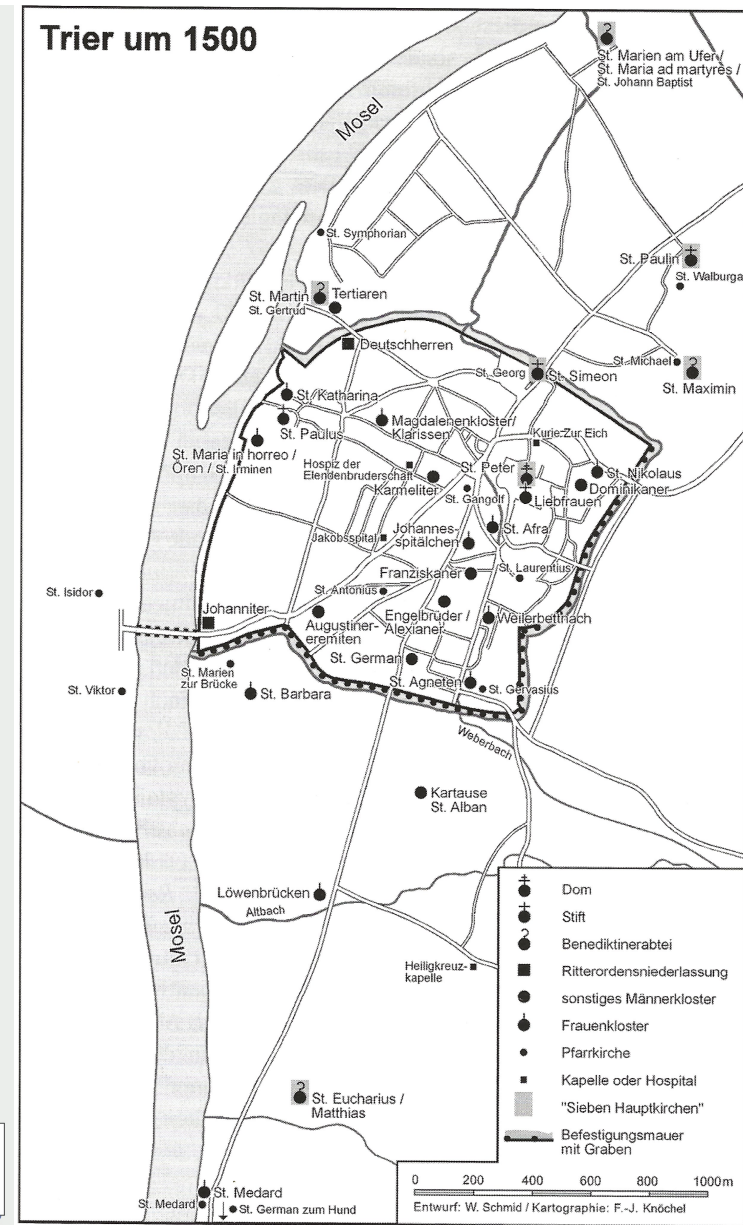
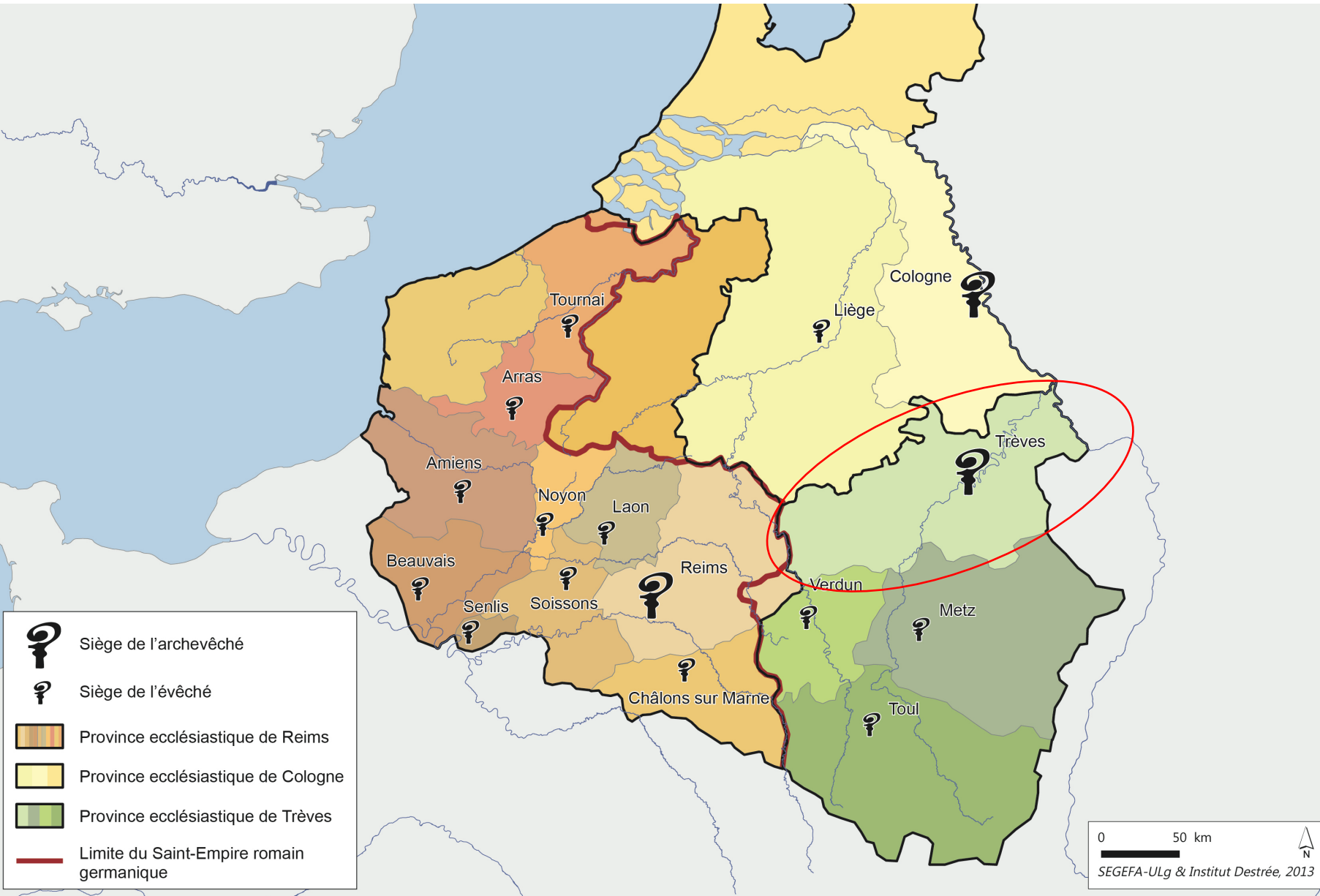
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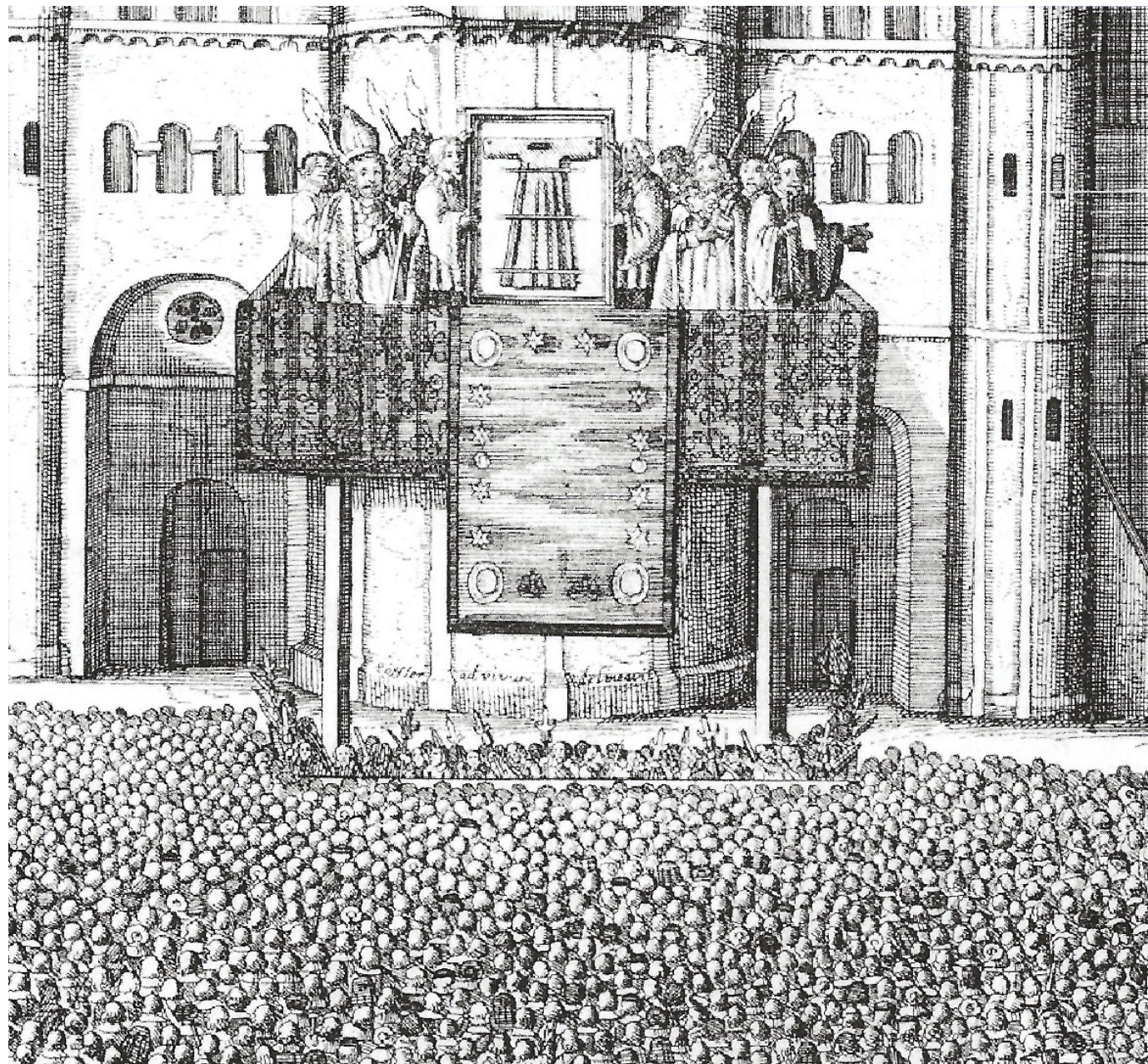


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Medulla Gestorum Treverensium

- Johann Enen
- *Gesta Treverorum* (12th cent.)

Adedulla Gestorū Treverensium.

Clärlich berichtung des hochwürdigen heyltrübs als
ler stift vnd Clöster inwendig vnd bey der statt
Tryer mit vilen anderen zū gesagten (des alttē vñ
neuwentestamentz) geschichten d̄ selben statt zū sa
men bracht durch den würdigen herren meyster Jo
hann d̄ heyligen geschrifftr baccalarius formatus pre
diger vñ v̄kunder des heyltrübs im̄ thoem zū Tryer.



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Johannes Scheckmann (†1531)

- Monk at the Benedictine abbey of St Maximin
- Librarian
- Humanist



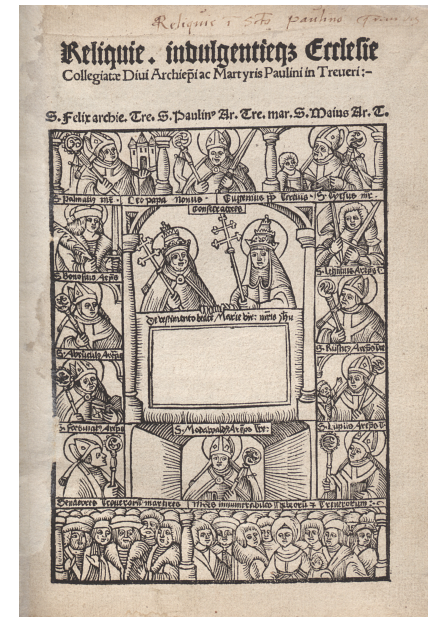
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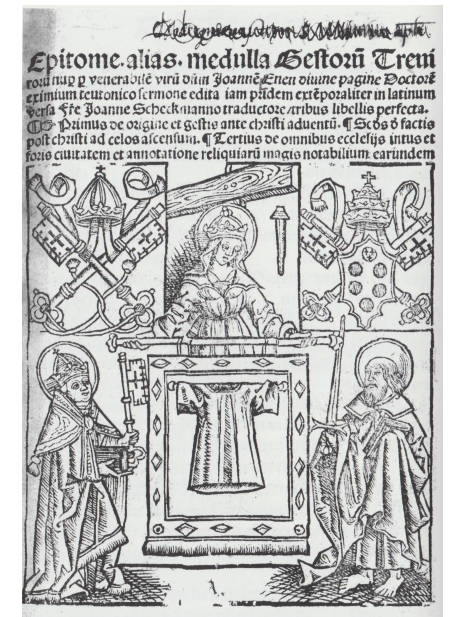
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83 library(BBmisc)
84 library(tibble)
85 comparison1 <- function(text1, sources, chunksize){
86   input1 <- readLines(paste0(text1, "_wordspace.txt"), sep=";", header=TRUE)
87   input1 <- input1[1:chunksize]
88   input1 <- chunk(input1, chunk.size = chunksize)
89   for(j in 1:length(sources)){

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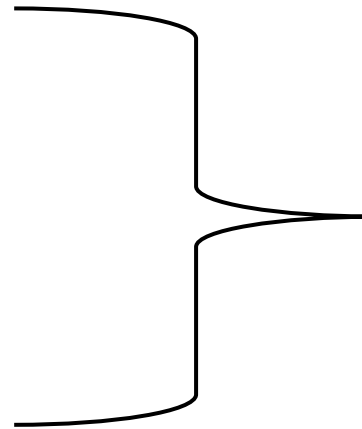
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|---|--|---|
| 6 | inter bonosius ##### et | inter ##### magnus et |
| 7 | sum ne ## sanctum ##### quisquam qui2 #### meritum #### hic3 morbus sedo ##### possum succurro cum2 ##### ecce ##### tandem aliquando sub nox silentium affor ##### se quispam uox ##### sonorus audio dico2 que homo infirmus1 erigo surgo treuer ##### ## peto ubi in dextera pars ecclesia sanctus1 paulinus tumulus sanctus1 mare inuenio hic3 supplico hic3 uenero hic1 tu saluo2 | sum ne ex sanctum numerus quisquam qui2 suus meritum homo hic3 morbus #### opprimo ##### succurro #### consueo #### demum ##### ##### sub nox silentium ##### admoneo ## ##### uox quidam sonorus ##### dico2 ### homo infirmus1 ##### surgo ##### treuir que peto ubi in dextera pars ecclesia sanctus1 paulinus tumulus sanctus1 mare inuenio hic3 ##### #### uenero hic1 tu saluo2 |
| 8 | non cesso | non cesso |
| 9 | et sanctus1 | et sanctus1 |

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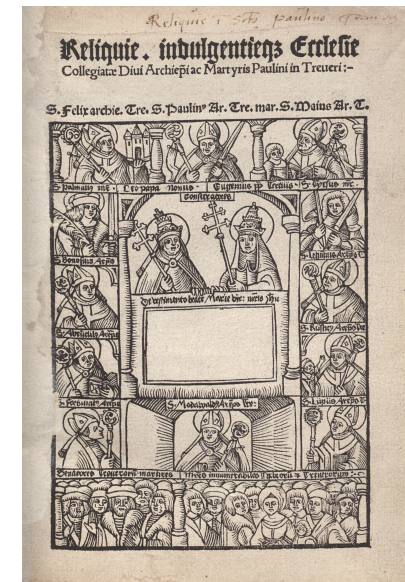
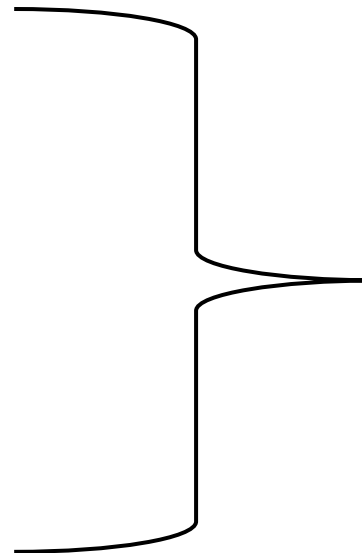
99   file2 <- list.append(file2, comparison$b_edits)
100   if(i==1){
101     newdf = data.frame(file1, file2)
102     colnames(newdf) <- c(text1, sources[j])

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- Vita S. Agritii (BHL 178-179)
- Vita S. Nicetii (BHL 6541)
- Vita S. Castoris (BHL 1642)
- Vita S. Maximini (BHL 5824)
- Miracula S. Maximini (BHL 5826)
- Vita III^a Hildulphi (BHL 3947-3948)



- Vita S. Modoaldi (BHL 5984)
- Marus (BHL vacat)
- Lead plate of S. Paulin (BHL 8282-8283)
- Historia martyrum Treverensium (BHL 8284)
- Vita S. Felicis (BHL 2892)
- Vita S. Paulini (BHL 6562-6563)
- Vita et Miracula S. Goaris (BHL 3566)
- Vita S. Lupi (BHL 5083)





Thiofrid of Echternach
Flores Epytaphii Sanctorum

similia sapientis. Et hoc dicens: questiona-
rius sanctis tradens: igni corpora sua con-
summari precepit. Incipit prologus
in vitam sancte ymme virginis.
Quina fauente gra sanctis sororibus
apud horreum deo et beate marie ser-
uientibus: frater Theofridus epternacensis ecclesie
alumpnus sal tui deuotis orombus. Quod
nre humilitatis simplicitas vita vel actus
sic ac deo dilecte ymme virginis scribere presu-
mit vre petitionis et sancte deuotionis acceptacio-
nes compellit. Quia de re nre fuerit obsequium
si quid quod hac materia dignum sit: pparabit
vre potius quam nre pbarationis examen iudicabit.

Copy of the *Vita Irmine* in the huge legendary of St Maximin

Scheckmann's hagiographic texts:

- *Vita sancti Basini* (BHL 1028)
- *Historia + Elevatio sancti Popponis* (BHL vacat)

Other texts:

- *Historia Excidii Sancti Maximini*
- Patron Saints Legendary (Berlin, SBPK, theol. lat. fol. 729)

Benedict (+ Placidus)

Agritius

John the Apostle and Evangelist

Maximin

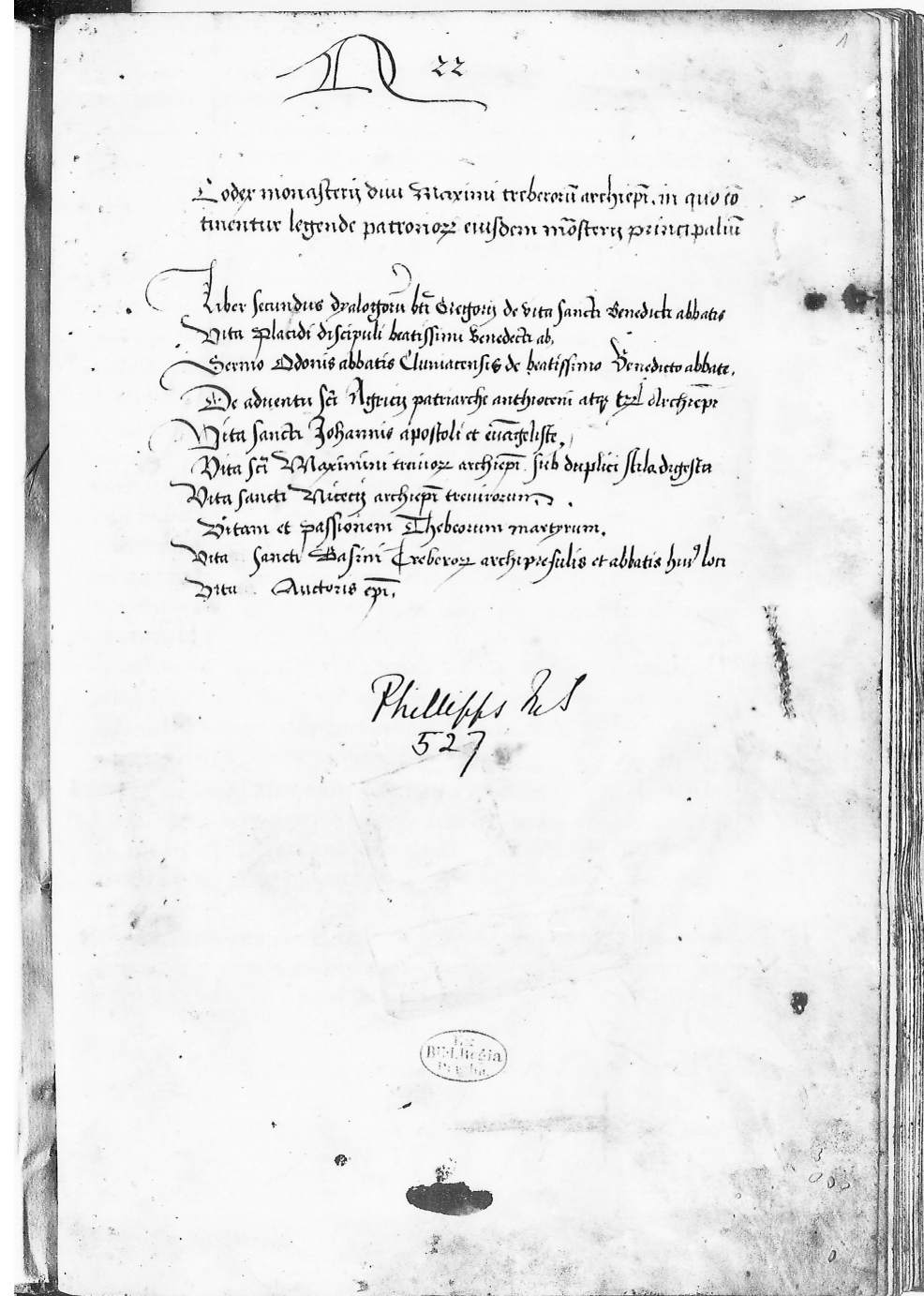
Nicetius

300 Martyrs of the Theban Legion

Basin

2 sermons by Thiofrid of Echternach

Auctor of Metz/Trier



Index monasterii diui Maximii treberensis archiepi. in quo continentur legende patronorum eiusdem monasterii principalium

Liber secundus de scriptis beati Gregorii de vita sancti Benedicti abbatis
Vita placidi discipuli beati Benedicti ab.
Sermo Adonis abbatis Cluniacensis de beato Benedicto abbate.
De aduentu sancti Agreii patriarche antiocheni atque eius archiepi
Vita sancti Iohannis apostoli et euangeliste.
Vita sancti Maximii treuerensis archiepi sub duplici stilo digesta
Vita sancti Nicetii archiepi treuerensis.
Vitam et passionem Theborum martirum.
Vita sancti Basini Treberensis archiepiscopi et abbatis huius loci
Vita Auctoris ep.

Phillipps
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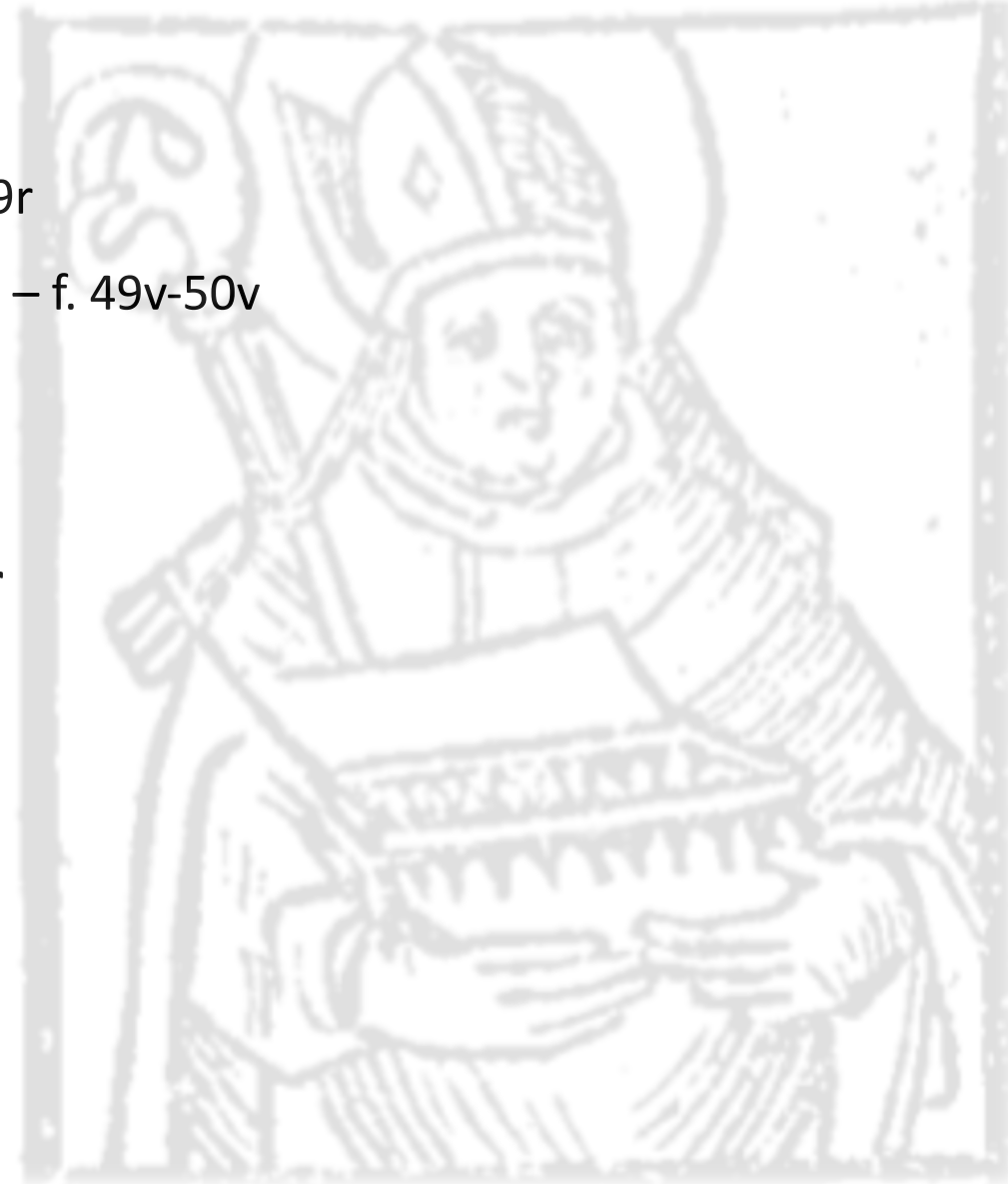
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Saint Agritius (f. 35-67)

- *Vita s. Agritii* (BHL 178) – f. 35r-48v
- Act of archbishop Theodoricus II von Wied (12/01/1239) – f. 49r
- Protocol of the discovery of the grave of Agritius (19/05/1513) – f. 49v-50v
- SERVATIUS AEDICELLIUS, *Hymnus de s. Agritio* – f. 51r
- Papal bull of Gregory IX (07/01/1236) – f. 51v
- ***Historia adventus s. Agritii ad Treviros* (BHL 179d) – f. 52v-67r**

Conflict between St. Maximin and St. Matthias

S. Agritius Ar. 2



In hoc libello continentur

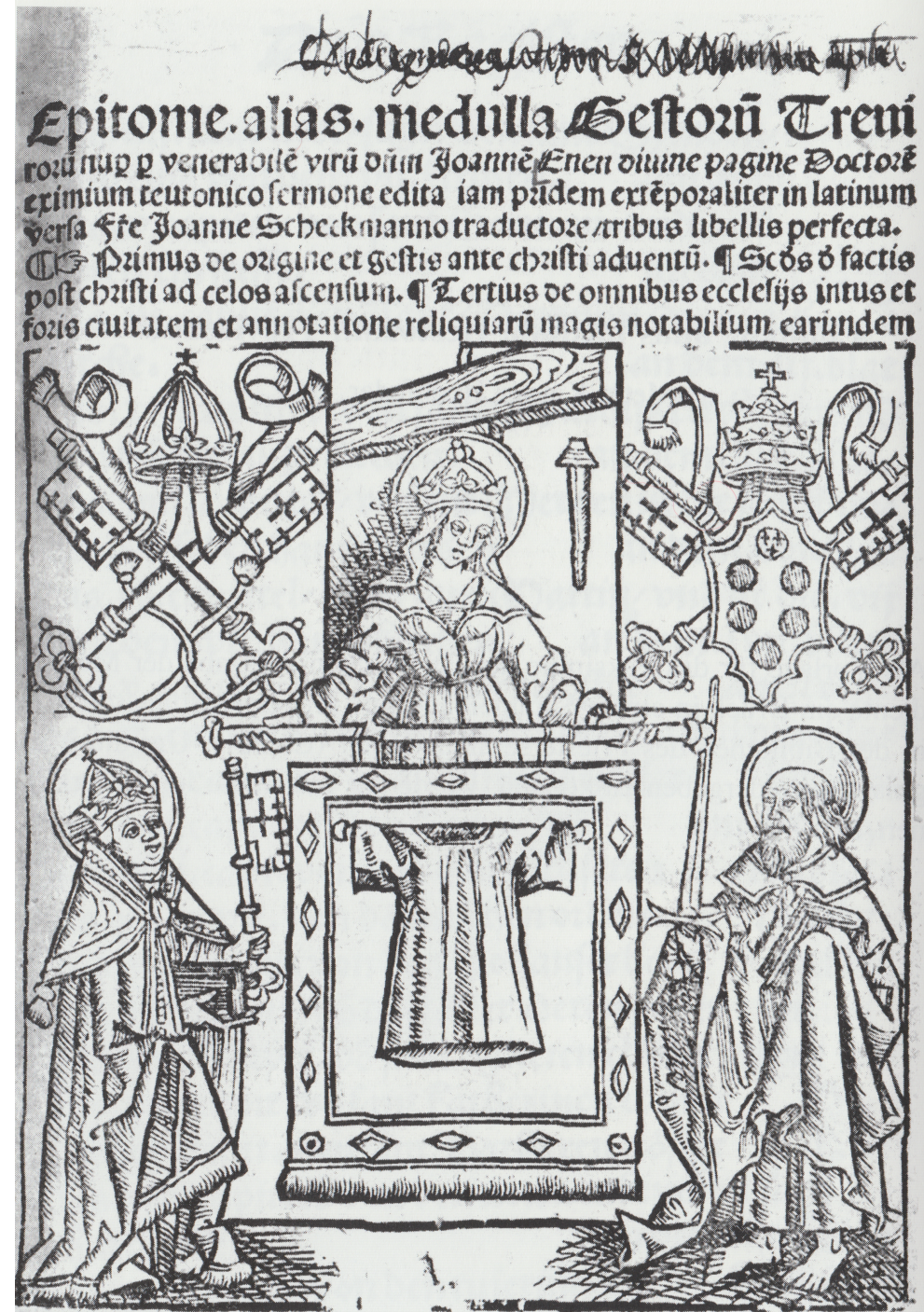
Reliquia cū indulgētijs Monasterij S. Maximini Cōfessoris
& Archiepiscopi Treutorum :-

S. Agri^o Ar. Tre. Helena 7 Cōstātin^o fūdatores S. Maximin^o Ar. T.



- Dedication notes of the altars
- Localization of the tombs

- Important textual parallels
- *Historia Agritii* written between 1515 and 1517



Concluding note

In diebus illis multa mortuorum osa in plerisque ecclesiis e tumulis elevata pro reliquiis honorata sunt sacris: que an vere ac venerande reliquie sint, viderint ipsi, qui talia honoranda exposuerunt! Quicquid enim ad questum proficere tunc temporis poterat, in lucem prodiit!

- *Historia Excidii Sancti Maximini*



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