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ENTRY TYPE

Manuscript

Manuscript Details

CURRENT LOCATION

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RELATED TO PETRARCH'S

RVF

CREATOR

[Petrarch](#)

DATE

fifteenth century

TITLE PAGE

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MODE OF EXEGESIS

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PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION: FORMAT

238x162 mm; II + II¹ (paper) + 8¹ (unnumbered) + 148 (unnumbered) + II fols.

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION: TEXTBLOCK

parchment; humanistic script; Petrarch's poems with one verse per line; one architectural frame and decorated initials.

INTERNAL DESCRIPTION

fol. I¹r-I¹v: blank;

fol. II¹r: a (printed) dedicatory note by Cesare and Giacomo Zanichelli to Giosuè Carducci ('IX

Febbraio MDCCCLXXXVI. Questo codice membranaceo delle rime di Francesco Petrarca Cesare e Giacomo Zanichelli vollero donato a Giosuè Carducci quando Bologna ne commemorava solennemente il trentacinquesimo anniversario di magistero’);

fol. II¹v: blank;

fols. 1¹r-8¹r: alphabetical index of the first lines of the sonnets of *RVF* (under each letter of the alphabet, poems are listed in order of appearance);

fol. 8¹v: blank;

fols. 1r-148v: *RVF* and some *disperse* (the final poem, i.e. *RVF* 366, is indicated as poem 371);

fol. 148v: blank.

VISUAL ELEMENTS

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NOTES

RVF 114 (fol. 48v) has been erased by pen. After fol. 60 and after fol. 62, two fols. (one with *RVF* 130.6-14, 131-133; and one with four sonnets, presumably *RVF* 136-139) are missing.

Decorated initials in gold for every *RVF* poem; at fol. 1r is an architectural frame with five medallions on the right and lower border (within the central medallion of the lower margin is a coat of arms). Before every *RVF* poem is a running number written in red.

This ms. was given to Giosuè Carducci by Cesare and Giacomo Zanichelli to celebrate Carducci's 35 years of University teaching, as is attested by a separate letter (dated 7 Feb. 1896) included in the ms.

BIBLIOGRAPHY

