

A Companion to the Theology of John Mair

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I The Works of John Mair: A Catalogue

Nota bene: Mair reused and revised his works in his classes and reedited them in continuously elaborated redactions. His logical works in particular were printed first as independent tracts and subsequently combined into ever expanding compendia. Hence, later elaborations of most of the earlier works [1]–[15] are included in the compendia [16]–[19] and [23]. We only provide cross-references for elaborations that do not follow this schema. Dates in square brackets are conjectures. For further information on early modern printing during the time of John Mair, see Brigitte Moreau's *Inventaire chronologique des éditions parisiennes du XVIe siècle* (at [124] below).

I.1 Primary Works

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–1503. Paris: Jean Lambert for Denis Roce.
- [2] 1500. *Insolubilia*. Paris: Guy Marchant for Denis Roce.
–1503. Paris: Jean Lambert for Denis Roce.
(cf. [24])
- [3] 1500. *Praedicabilia*. Paris: Antoine Chappiel for Denis Roce.
–[1502]. *Praedicabilia*. Paris: Jean Lambert.
- [4] 1501. *Termini* [long version]. Paris: Guy Marchant for Denis Roce.
–1502 or 1503. (ed.) David Cranston. Paris: Jean Lambert and Denis Roce.
- [5] 1502. *Termini* [short version], *cum abbreviationibus et parvorum logicalium*. Paris: Denis Roce.
–[1503]. (ed.) David Cranston. Paris: Jean Lambert for Denis Roce.
- [6] [1502]. *Praedicamenta*. Paris: Denis Roce.
- [7] 1502. *Sillogismi*. Paris: Antoine Chappiel for Denis Roce.
–1514. Paris: Denis Roce.
- [8] 1502. *Primus tractatus summularum*. Paris: Antoine Chappiel for Denis Roce.
- [9] [1502]. *Abbreviationes parvorum logicalium*. Paris: Denis Roce.
–1505. Paris: Jean Lambert.
- [10] 1503. *Parva logicalia*. Paris: Gaspard Philippe for Denis Roce.
–1506. Paris: Jean Lambert.

- [11] [1503]. *Propositum de infinito*. Paris: Denis Roce.
 –1506. Paris: Jean Lambert.
 –1937. *Traité de l'infini*. (ed.) and trans. Hubert Elie. Paris: Vrin.
 (cf. [21])
- [12] 1503. *Posteriora...solerti castigatione magistri Ioannis Maioris*. Paris: Jean Lambert for Denis Roce.
- [13] [1503]. *Obligationes*. Paris: Denis Roce.
 –[1504]. *Obligationes Maioris noviter emendate*. Paris: Jean Lambert.
 –1506. Paris: Jean Lambert.
 (cf. [24])
- [14] [1503]. *Argumenta sophistica Maioris*. Paris: Denis Roce.
- [15] [c. 1503–c. 1505]. *Consequentiae inchoate a Joanne Maiore perfecte ab Anthonio Coronel*. Paris: Denis Roce. (Contains a letter of Coronel to his pupils explaining that John Mair, his teacher, had begun the work but was too busy to finish it.)
- [16] 1505. *Acutissimi artium interpretis magistri Johannis Maioris in Petri Hyspani summulas commentaria*. Lyon: François Fradin for Etienne Gueynard.
 –1506. Venice: Lazarus de Soardis.
- [17] 1506. *Inclitarum artium ac sacrae paginae doctoris acutissimi magistri Johannis Maioris scoti Libri quos in artibus in collegio Montis Acuti Parisius regentando compilavit hoc in volumine continentur: Questio de complexo significabili; Primus liber terminorum cum figura; Secundus liber terminorum*. [Contains 17 tracts derived from Mair's courses taught at Montaigu.] (ed.) Antonio Coronel. Letter of Coronel to Luis Coronel. Letter of Mair to his student Ninian Hume (mention of students: Luis and Antonio Coronel, Gaspar Lax, Robert Caubraith, David Cranston, Jacques Almain, Pieter Crockaert, Robert Céneau, Robert Walterson, and John Zacarias). Paris: Jean Barbier for Denis Roce.
 –1506. Paris: Guillaume Anabat for Jean Granjon.
 –1508. Lyon: Jean de Vingle for Etienne Gueynard and others.
 –1513. Lyon and Toulouse: Jean de La Place for Jean Robion.
 –1516. Lyon: Martin Boillon.
- [18] [1506]. *Omnia opera in artes quas liberales vocant a perspicacissimo ac famatissimo uno sanctarum litterarum professore profundissimo magistro Johanne Majoris, majore accuratione elaborata*. Caen: Laurent Hosingue for Michel Angier of Caen and Jean Macé of Rennes.
- [19] 1508. *Introductorium perutile in Aristotelicam Dialecticem totamque logicen magistri Joannis Maioris, nuper ab eodem summa diligentia repositum & in duodecim libellis ...digestum*. Paris: Jean Petit.
 –1509. Paris: Jean Lambert.
 –1513. ...*pluribus adnotamentis marginariis ac nonnullis autoris sententiae exigentibus locis adiectis illustrate*. P[etro] Mercario recognitore. Paris: Jean Granjon.

- 1514. Lyon: Antoine Du Ry.
- 1520. (ed.) Pierre Le Mercier. Letter of Le Mercier to students of logic. Letter of Pierre Querant of Arles to Clément Vincian, his fellow student of Le Mercier. Paris: Jean Granjon.
- 1521. Paris: Josse Bade.
- 1527. Dedicatory letter to Peter Chaplain of Saint Andrews and rector of Dunkeld. Paris: Pierre de Vidoue and Gilles de Gourmont for Jean Petit.
- [20] 1509. *Quartus Sententiarum Johannis Maioris quaestiones utilissimae suprema ipsius lucubratione enucleatae*. (ed.) David Cranston. Dedicatory letter from Mair to Alexander Stuart, archbishop of Saint Andrews and primate of Scotland. Letter of David Cranston to the reader. Dialogue between John Forman, precentor of Glasgow, and Peter Sandelands, rector of Calder. Paris: Philippe Pigouchet for Jean Granjon or Poncet Le Preux.
- 1512. Letter of Pierre Tempête to the reader. Paris: Jean Barbier for Jean Petit, Jean Granjon, and Poncet Le Preux.
- 1516. ...*cum duplici tabella, videlicet alphabetica materiarum decisarum in fronte & quaestionum in calce*. (ed.) Robert Céneau. Tables by George Lokert. Letter of Céneau to Mair (mention of Jacques Almain, David Cranston and Pieter Crockaert). Letter of Mair to the Reader (22 November 1516). Paris: Josse Bade for self and for Jean Petit.
- 1519. Preface addressed to Gavin Douglas, bishop of Dunkeld, and Robert Cockburn, bishop of Ross. (eds.) Robert Céneau and George Lokert. Letter of Céneau to Mair. Paris: Josse Bade.
- 1521. (eds.) Robert Céneau and George Lokert. Paris: Jacques Le Messier and Bernard Aubry for Jean Petit.
- [21] 1510. *In primum Sententiarum*. (ed.) Alexander Cowan. Letter of Mair to George Hepburn, abbot of Arbroth (mentions Noël Beda and Nicolaus Ensck of Trier). Dialogue on humanism and scholastic theology between Gavin Douglas, prefect of Saint Giles, Edinburgh, and David Cranston. Paris: Henri Estienne for Josse Bade, Jean Petit, and Constantin Lelièvre.
- 1519. Letter of Mair to George Hepburn (as above). Dialogue (as above). Paris: Josse Bade.
- 1530. ...*disputationes et decisiones nuper repositae*. (eds.) Alexander Cowan and Josse Bade. Letter of Mair to Johann Maior of Eck. Paris: Josse Bade for self and Jean Petit.
- [22] 1510. *In secundum Sententiarum*. Tables by Antonio Coronel. Dedicatory letter of Mair to Noël Beda and Pierre Tempête (mention of Jean Bolu and Jan Standonck). Letter of Antonio Coronel to his brother Luis (mentions Mair and Jan Standonck). Paris: Josse Bade for self and Jean Petit.
- 1519. Paris: Jean Granjon. Dedicatory letter to Noël Beda and Pierre Tempête.

- 1528. (ed.) Pedro de Peralta. New letter of Mair to Noël Beda and Pierre Tempête. Letter of Petrus Peralta to Mair (mention of Antonio Coronel). Paris: Josse Bade for self and Jean Petit.
- [23] 1515. *Summule Maioris nunquam antea impressae*. Paris: [Nicolas Des Prez for] Jean Granjon. (The date sometimes given as 1514 corresponds to the Julian calendar.)
- 1516. Rev. ed. Paris: Nicolas Des Prez for Jean Granjon.
- 1520. Anonymous letter (not Mair) to beginning students in logic. Caen: Laurent Hostingue for Jean Petit and Michel Angier.
- [24] 1516. *Insolubilia Iohannis Maioris nunquam prius impressa: sequitur tractatus obligationum eiusdem*. Paris: Jean Du Pre and Jacques Le Messier for Jean Granjon.
- (cf. [2], [13])
- [25] 1517. *Super tertium Sententiarum disputationes theologicae; de novo edita*. Paris: Jean Granjon. Dedicatory letter of Mair to Matthieu Gautier OSB, abbot of Marmoutier. Paris: Jean Granjon.
- 1528. ...*denuo recognitae et repurgatae*. Paris: Josse Bade for self and Jean Petit.
- [26] 1518. *In Mattheum ad literam expositio, una cum trecentis et octo dubiis et difficultatibus ad eius elucidationem admodum conducentibus passim insertis, quibus perlectis pervia erit quatuor evangelistarum series*. (ed.) Jacques Godequin. Letter of Mair to James Beaton, archbishop of Glasgow. Letter of Godequin to Mair, his teacher. Paris: Pierre Vidoue for Guillaume Desplains, and Jean Granjon.
- (cf. [30]. See [63] for partial translation)
- [27] 1521. *Historia Majoris Britanniae tam Angliae quam Scotiae per J.M. nomine quidem Scotum professione autem theologum et veterum monumentis concinata*. Dedicatory epistle to King James V of Scotland. Paris: Josse Bade.
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- 1892. English trans. by Archibald Constable. Edinburgh: T. and A. Constable for the Scottish History Society.
- [28] 1526. *Octo libri Physicorum cum naturali philosophia atque metaphysica*. Dedicatory letter to Jean Bolu (Bouillache). Paris: Gilles de Gourmont for Jean Petit.
- [29] 1528. *Quaestiones logicales... iam primum in lucem missae cum eiusdem literali expositione succincta in veterem Aristotelis Dialecticem Ioanne Argyropilo interprete*. Dedicatory letter of Mair to John Weddel, rector of Saint Andrews (mention of Robert Bannerman and Gavin Logy). Paris: Pierre Vidoue and Gilles de Gourmont for Jean Petit.
- [30] 1529. *In quatuor evangelia expositiones luculente et disquisitiones et disputationes contra hereticos plurime, premisso serie literarum indice, et additis ad finem operis quatuor questionibus non impertinentibus*. Letter of Mair to the reader. The section on Matthew is dedicated to Cardinal James Beaton, on Mark to Jean

Bolu (Bouillache), on Luke to Gavin Dunbar, archbishop of Glasgow, and on John to Robert Céneau, bishop of Vence. Paris: Josse Bade.

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- 1510. *Jo. Dorp recognitus et auctus. Summule Buridani, cum expositione praeclari viri interpretis, nominalium terminorum Johannis Dorp. Recognitus a magistro nostro Johanne Majore. Cum annotationibus*. Lyon: Jean Cleyne for Etienne Gueynard.
- [33] 1505. *Medulla dyalectices edita a...Hieronymo Pardo...de novo correctata et emendata cum tabula notabilium...per magistros magistrum Johannem Majoris, in sacra theologia baccalaurium, necnon per acutissimum virum magistrum Jacobum Ortiz*. Paris: Guillaume Anabat for Durand Gerlier.
- [34] 1512. *Adamus Goddamus super quattuor libros Sententiarum*. [Abridgment of Adam Wodeham's commentary made by Heinrich Totting von Oyta; (ed.), with a preface and a *vita* of Wodeham by John Mair.] Dedicatory letter of Mair to Matthieu Gautier OSB, abbot of Marmoutier. Paris: Jean Barbier for Jean Petit, Jean Granjon, and Poncet Le Preux.
- [35] 1516. *Moralia acutissimi ac clarissimi doctoris theologi magistri Jacobi Almain Senonensis a Joanne Majoris eruditissimo theologie professore emendata*. Paris: Henri Estienne.
- 1516. *Moralia Jacobi Almain Senonensis, quibus nuper adiectae sunt quaedam marginaria cottationes cum earum tabula [et Questio in vesperis habita.]* (eds.) Joannes Maior and Nicolas Maillard. Paris: Claude Chevallon, Pierre Gaudoul, Jean Granjon, Raoul Laliseau, and Pasquier Lambert.
- 1518. *Aureum opus moralium Iacobi Almain...a doctissimo viro magistro Johanne Maioris, sacre sophie professore, nuper studiosissime revisum*. Letter of the printer to Guillaume Hué, dean of the cathedral chapter of Paris. Paris: Jean Frellon.
- [36] 1517. *Reportata super primum, secundum et tertium Sententiarum Duns Scoti*. (eds.) John Mair, with Jacques Rufin OFM and Pierre Du Sault OSB. Dedicatory letter of Mair to François de Beauveau OFM, doctor of theology and guardian of the Paris Franciscan convent. Paris: Jean Granjon.
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III Analytical Index

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