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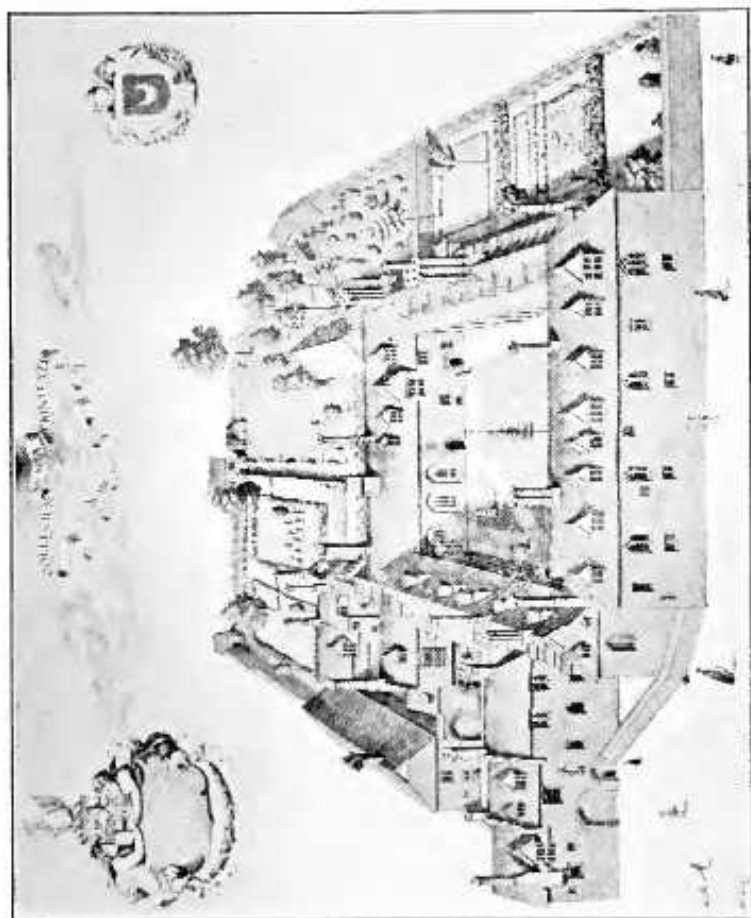


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## PREFACE

PROBABLY the author, who has had experience of the difficulty of the subject, is as much alive to the shortcomings of this work as any critic. He can but humbly hope that the history of a College, peculiar in its origin and its subsequent development, and very dear to its sons, has thereby been made more easily accessible to some of them. It is impossible that mistakes should not occur. That they are not more numerous is due to the kind help of more than one member of the College in supervising the proofs, to the hearty co-operation of several historical scholars, to whom the writer has turned for advice, to the help and interest of the College affording him every assistance in investigating the records, and to the goodwill of the Master, always and in everything the best friend to the College and to all who are connected with it. He has himself contributed the better part of a chapter on the old Law

degrees. It is only fitting to dedicate any work connected with Trinity Hall to him who has so lived and ruled that, in the words of the epitaph of a former Master :

PARENTIS NOMEN POTIUS QUAM CUSTODIS MEREATUR.

H. E. M.

SOME LEADING EVENTS IN THE HISTORY OF  
THE COLLEGE.

- 1321-41.—Prior Crawden bought a house on the site of part of the Master's Lodge for the monks of Ely studying in Cambridge.
- 1350.—Bateman's charter of foundation, and royal license to acquire houses. Buying of the house of the monks of Ely, and of John Goldcorne's house at the south end of the Hall.
- 1352.—License of the Bishop of Ely to build a Chapel.
- 1354.—Buying of Draxesentre, a house at the north-east corner of the chief court.
- 1374.—Contract for building, probably the north side of the court.
- 1446.—Acquisition of the Church of St. Edward, King and Martyr.
- 1505.—First certain mention of a lay Fellow, John Purgold.
- 1513.—Consecration, after repairs, of the previously existing Chapel.
- 1525.—Stephen Gardiner Master.
- 1544-45.—Acquisition of Hennably, the garden to the north of the College, and diversion of Garret Hostel Lane to its present line.
- 1549.—Threatened amalgamation of Trinity Hall and Clare.