THE ARGVMENT OF THE BOOKE OF NEHEMIAS.

This booke beareth Title both of the author Nehemias, who writ it, and of the fecond booke of Efdras, who in the former writ the hiftorie of the Ifraelites after theyr relaxation from captiuitie, to the building againe of the Temple, with other thinges done the fame time. VVhereunto Nehemias ioyneth thinges fucceding, efpecially the new erection of walles and towers about the citie of Ierufalem. And it may be diuided into three partes. In the two first chapters, he sheweth his compassion of his countries misserie: and his coming to affift them. In the tenne following, he reciteth the good effectes in repayring, and strengthning the citie with walles and people. In the last chapter, the correction of errors & euil maners, which he found amongst them.

Duble title of this booke.

The cotentes.

Diuided into three partes.

S. Ierom. Epift. ad Paulin.