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Over a decade after its publication in quarto, the play was then included in the 1623 First Folio (F1) as *The Tragedie of Troilus and Cressida*, albeit only after some confusion; a few copies of F1 survive without the play and it was never listed in the book's "Catalogue," or table of contents. The play seems to have been initially slated to appear in the middle of the tragedies, just after *Romeo and Juliet*, and a few copies still include a leaf that has the ending of *Romeo and Juliet* on one side and the start of *Troilus and Cressida* on the other. But before the full play could be printed, there was apparently a change of plans. The play was moved to appear after the last play in the history section, *Henry VIII*, and the first play in the tragedy section, *Coriolanus*. A prologue to the play (not in Q) was also added, facing the ending of *Henry VIII*.

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