NOTES ON THE MAPS.

I. SCOTLAND IN THE TENTH CENTURY.

The settlement and early geography of Scotland have given rise to much war and calling of hard names; and the collision of the Goths and the Celts, blinded with their fury, has not had the effect which sometimes results from such conflicts, of throwing light for the bystanders. I cannot extract any satisfactory conclusions on this subject from the erudition of Pinkerton, or the industry of Chalmers. The profusion of unusual learning of the late Mr. Algernon Herbert, and scarcely be said to have cleared the matter; and we shall probably get as near the truth by turning to the slender materials which those writers successively used, drawing from them opposite conclusions.

I do not seek at present to go farther back than the century preceding the great movement of southern settlers to the north—the period preceding the age of Malcolm Canmore—preceding the Norman conquest of England—just before the commencement of Lord Hailes's Annals.

Let it be remembered then, that the Roman power and all memory of Roman provinces had long passed away. To the native tribes, barbarous and fluctuating, without letters or monuments to preserve their history or their changing limits, the descriptions and inferences of Cæsar and Tacitus were now inapplicable. Nor are the ancient geographers of more use. We may possibly recognize the sounds of a few rivers and firths in Ptolemy, but placed all confusedly; while his names of the tribes and their cities give us

¹ Notes on the Irish Nennius, 1848, etc.

no information at all.¹ His nomenclature joins on to nothing before or after. Ptolemy no doubt built on a foundation of truth, and may have known as much of our island, as a London map-maker does of the interior of Japan or Patagonia. Richard of Cirencester, if not a pure modern invention, cannot be quoted as an authority.

I do not find, then, that we have anything very reliable, till we rest on the solid foundation of the venerable Bede. venerable Bede must be taken with a grain of reservation. him as a true witness to what he saw and heard, but no more. For his ancient history, remember when and where he lived. A Benedictine monk of Jarrow, on the coast of Northumberland, writing in the middle of the eighth century, might well be proud of his scholarship, and was content to describe his Britain after Pliny, Eutropius, Solinus, and Orosius. For his more modern events, remember what he tells us himself. "I beseech my reader, if he find in my writings things other than true, he impute not that to me, since I have done that which is the true rule of history, simply noted down for the instruction of posterity those things which I have gathered from common report (fama vulgante)." Nothing can be more honest, but let us take warning from the author's own testimony, which is not over-stated. The district of Lindessei (part of Lincoln), though almost adjoining his own country of Northumbria, was not connected with it politically or ecclesiastically, and consequently Bede was quite ignorant of the contemporary transactions of that district. Again, the account which he gives of the arrival of the Saxons and Angles, and their settlement in England, is purely fabulous, being "not in fact," says his last editor, "the history, but the tradition of the Jutish kingdom of Kent." 2

When moderate distance of time and of place thus interfered with the accuracy of the venerable historian, it requires discrimination

Retigonion. The Selgonai had four: the Damnioi six cities; not one of which is identified.

¹ For instance, on the north coast the *Nouantai* dwelling beside a promontory of their own name, had the following cities (πολεις) Loucopibia

² Stevenson's preface, p. xxiii-vii.

to turn his information to account for matters more remote. Let us not be surprised if we have to correct his narrative in his first fact of our history. He tells us Columba obtained his little refuge of Hii from Bridius son of Meilochon, a most powerful king of the Picts. Now we have this Brude son of Malcolm, in our poor roll of Pictish kings, and his reign corresponds with the ascertained era of Indeed, we know from the best authority, that the saint visited his court, somewhere beyond Loch Ness; but it would overthrow our most settled notions of geography and history, to allow that Iona was of the Pictish territory. It was in the very heart of that district which Bede himself and all our authorities require us to believe was the original seat of the Scots on their arrival from Ireland. And we cannot read Adomnan's history, otherwise than as establishing that Iona was subject to the princes of the Scots. There it was that St. Columba inaugurated Aidan, king of the Scots; there St. Columba with his monks pray for victory to king Aidan as their sovereign. But little recked the monk of Jarrow whether the green islet, "placed far amid the solitary main," belonged to one kingdom of heathens or another. Little dreamt he of the trouble his careless words would cause to his countrymen, a thousand years later, trying to build a national history on the foundation of his "common report."

Thus driven from Bede's account, and Adomnan giving no certain sound in the matter, we fall back on the Irish annalists, and have no scruple to believe that Iona was given to Saint Columba, by Conal son of Comghall, king of the Scots.

But when Bede narrates things of his own time and country, things of such a character too as must have impressed any intelligent man, we take him as our guide with all confidence. He tells us then of Ecgfrid, king of the Northumbrians, in the year 685, cut off with all his army, in an expedition into the country of the Picts, and that the Picts from that time, and down to Bede's own time—only 46 years later—had recovered and kept their old

possessions which the Angli had held, and the (British) Scots and Britons also recovered their freedom. He describes, as a consequence of that defeat, the retreat to Whitby of "the man of God, Trumuin," who had been bishop over the Picts, though making his residence at Abercurnig (Abercorn) situate indeed in the country of the Angli, but close to the firth (in vicinia freti) which separates the lands of the Angli and the Picts. The country of the Angli then, Bede's own countrymen of Northumbria, met the country of the Picts at our firth, in the eighth century. Here there can be no mistake. The firth was the proper established boundary, though the success of the Picts had made Abercorn an unsafe dwelling for the bishop and his clerics.

In another passage, Bede, relating the migration of the Scots from their native country, Ireland, to the western shore of our highlands, says that colony was anciently (antiquitus) divided from the Britons by the Firth of Clyde, and the strong fortress of Alcluith: and afterwards, explaining what he meant by styling the Scots and Picts transmarine nations, says, it was not that they were settled out of Britain, but were separated from the Britons by two arms of the sea, one entering from the east, the other from the west, but not meeting-the former having in its midst the town Giudi (in medio sui urbem Giudi), while the western firth has on its right bank the city called Alcluith, which in their tongue (the tongue of those two peoples?) signifies Clyde rock (Petra Cluith) because it is on the river of that name. As if to make the southern boundary more precise, Bede tells us of the Roman wall between those two firths, of which plain remains were to be seen in his day, beginning at two miles west from Abercurnig, at a place which, in the language of the Picts, is called Peanfahel, and in that of the Angli Penneltun, and stretching westward till it terminates beside the city Alcluith.

One passage more, and we have all that Bede affords for our present purpose. The venerable historian informs us that the southern Picts had already, long ago (about 150 years earlier, we know), received the true faith by the preaching of St. Ninian, when,

in the year 565, Columba crossed from Ireland on his mission for converting the northern Picts, separated from the southern Picts by ridges of high and rugged mountains.

Such is the northern geography of Bede. In his time, the Picts, now wholly christianized, were a powerful and growing people, possessing all the lowlands of Scotland beyond the Forth, and giving an uneasy border even to their great Northumbrian neighbours. The bishopric of St. Ninian was Pictish too; and the Galwegians, if not the whole inhabitants of Cumbria, are, down to comparatively modern times, spoken of as Picts.1

There is less difficulty with regard to the Scots. seeking to fix the period of their immigration from the old "land of Scots," Ireland-which was undoubtedly gradual, beginning, perhaps, in the third or fourth century—as soon as they had assumed the coherence of a kingdom, we find them inhabiting Argyll, the Western isles, and the western highlands, marching with the Picts on the mountains which form the water-shed to east and west. Bounded to the south as Bede has limited them, their other boundaries were not doubtful. "Fergus son of Erch, first reigned in Scotland beyond Drumalbane to Slough Munt and to Inchgall." It is a chronicler of St. Andrews who thus writes,² and, looking at our map from his point of view, he would give the Scots the boundaries of the sea and isles to the south and west-the Breadalbane or rather Drumalbane range to the east-and the ridge of the Monad-lia, which skirts the upper valley of Spey, to the north.

From the time of Bede to the middle of the tenth century, two hundred years had elapsed, a long dark period indeed, but not altogether without light. In the middle space, the Scots and Picts A.D. 842. were united under Kenneth Macalpin, and from thenceforward, by a strange process, the name of the Picts as a nation disappears The change, however, was only one of dynasty and from history.

¹ In twelfth century, Richard of Hexham, etc.

preface to the printed register of St ² Excerpta ex registro S. Andreæ (i.e., from the great register of the Andrews, p. 11. priory, now lost). Innes, p. 797, and

national name. The king of the (British) Scots, acquiring, in addition, and apparently by succession, the kingdom of the Picts, chose to be still called king of Scots; and his kingdom, made up of the two nations, in a short time began to be called after his people, by its present name of Scotland. The inhabitants do not yet appear to have suffered a change. Our eastern seabord was still called Pictland (Pictavia) by the Latin chroniclers. Its inhabitants still, as heretofore, pressing for enlargement against the English border, encroached at different times quite to the Tweed; and in the middle of the tenth century, Indulf, the king of the whole country now called Scotland, obtained a formal cession from the Saxon monarch, of the town of Edinburgh (oppidum Eden).

That is the state of occupation which the first map tries to represent.

While the names of "Northern and Southern Picts" are given, after Bede, and according to my reading of his geography, I need hardly explain that this does not here, as with Bede, express the existence of two Pictish kingdoms. The whole country—all Pict-land and Scot-land—was now under one government; though, as I have said, I think the population remained nearly unchanged from Bede's time.

In like manner, the names of Cumbria, Strathcluyd, Bernicia, Deira, are rather the shadows of former petty kingdoms than actual existing separate governments. The first two left their names to known districts, and to a peculiar people—peculiar in laws, manners, and language; the others had long ago disappeared, leaving the limits of their territories a matter for conjecture, and their people so mixed and scattered, that even in the tenth century they had no known representatives.

It may be thought that I have restricted too much the portion of the "Norsemen," as in the tenth century; but I cannot find evidence of their colonizing or steady government, for any space to be noticed in a map, beyond their known and recognized earldoms of Orkney and Caithness (including Sutherland). Down the

east coast, their occupation was temporary, and almost predatory. Even on the west coast, and among the western isles, where their power was little resisted or disputed, except among themselves, their dominion was that of a continuous stream of pirates successively plundering the country and each other, and scarcely yet approaching to settled and civilized government.

I have ventured to put down our own city of Edinburgh in this map of Scotland of the tenth century. I wish I could also give the local habitation for the city of Giudi, which Bede tells us was in medio of our firth; or find names for the capitals of the two nations of the Picts, one of which apparently was low down in the valley of Stratherne, and the other somewhere on the short run of the Ness.

Places indicated in the Map of Scotland in the Tenth Century.

KINNEIL.

ABERCURNAIG (Abercorn). Aberdeen Abernethy. Alcluid (Dumbarton). BERNICIA. Brebanburg (Bamborough). Brechin. CLUYD WATER. Coludesburh (Coldingham). Cullenros (Culross). Cumbria. DEIRA. Drumalbyn. Dunkeld. EDWYNESBURG. FORTEVIOT. GALLOWAY (Terra Pictorum). Glasghu.

Hy.

Kylreymont (St. Andrews). LINDISFARN. Lodene (Lothian). MAILROS (Melrose). Mann, Isle of. Meigle. NORTH ISLES. Northern Picts. Northumbria. ORKNEYAR. QUHITHERN (Whitehorn). SCOTS. Southern Picts. Stennes. Strathcluyd. Sudurevar. TYREE.

II. SCOTLAND IN THE THIRTEENTH CENTURY.

A great change had taken place in the last two centuries. The English tendencies of the sovereigns from Malcolm Canmore downwards, and the stream of southern settlers that overspread the land, had introduced new institutions for distributing justice, protecting trade, property, and person, and along with these, though

in some respect opposed to them, the fortified dwellings of the new feudal chivalry.

Though by no means the oldest, the division into sheriffdoms had now become the most important of the civil divisions. Their introduction in Scotland is at least as old as the very beginning of the reign of David I. In 1305—when we find them enumerated in a public ordinance—they already amounted to twenty-five (without counting some shires omitted in the list).

The present map is intended to mark those sheriffdoms, and their subordinate districts; and also those ancient districts, the memory of which has been preserved historically and in the popular use, though unconnected with sheriffdoms, or any existing legal jurisdictions.

And first, with regard to the sheriffdoms, which stand now as they stood in the thirteenth century, with few exceptions—

The northern counties of Caithness, Sutherland, and Ross, were of old under the jurisdiction of the sheriff of Inverness. The act for disuniting them was passed in 1503, but did not take effect till 1641.

Elgin and Forres were anciently separate sheriffdoms.

The sheriffdom of Forfar had four bailiaries, called

- 1. The Quarter of Dundee,
- 2. The Quarter of Kirriemuir,
- 3. The Quarter of Brechin,
- 4. The Quarter of Arbroath,

each having a Mair to whom the sheriff directed his precepts for execution.

The great sheriffdom of Perth had in like manner a division into Quarters, viz.—

- 1. The Quarter of Stormont,
- 2. The Quarter of Athol,
- 3. The Quarter above Isla (supra Ylef),

- 4. The Quarter below Isla (sub Ylef),
- 5. The Quarter of Stratherne,

besides the Quarter of the seven shires of Perth (quarterium septem schirarum de Perth) the signification of which, who can tell?—
Menteith and Stratherne were separate as to jurisdiction and taxation till last century.

The sheriffdom of Fife was sometimes divided into quarters:-

- 1. The Quarter of Eden.
- 2. The Constabulary of Craill.
- 3. The Quarter of Leven.
- 4. The Quarter of Inverkeithing.
- 5. The Quarter of Dunfermline.

Linlithgow and Haddington were constabularies comprehended under the sheriffdom of Edinburgh principal.

Lanark, or Clydesdale, had, and still has, three Wards,-

- 1. The Over Waird.
- 2. The Middle Waird.
- 3. The Nether Waird.

Ayrshire has for a very long period been divided into the

- 1. Kyle.
- 2. Carrick,
- 3. Cuninghame.

The upper district of Selkirk is known as The Forest, or Ettrick forest. It had doubtless of old a separate judicial establishment, and we know it was again divided into three Wards, called—

- 1. The Ward of Ettrick.
- 2. The Ward of Yarrow.
- 3. The Ward of Tweed.

Berwick is divided into three districts (I know not, if legal divisions),—

- Merse.
- 2. Lammermoor.
- 3. Lauderdale.

The first gave their title to the great Earls of March, who sometimes took their style, and latterly their name, from their castle of Dunbar. Lauderdale was a bailiary, and retained its independent jurisdiction, probably from the ancient regality of the De Morvilles, its old lords.

Argyll has four such districts,-

- 1. Lorn,
- 2. Argyll proper,
- 3. Cowall,1
- 4. Cantyre,

of which the first two were the lordships of the great ancient families of De Ergadia and Lorn.

With regard to other old districts preserved in popular memory, or historically—

Caithness was an ancient earldom of the Norsemen, from which Sutherland was separated by King Alexander II., and then was made an earldom for the family of De Moravia, who still hold it.

Ross was an ancient mormaership and earldom. Its western shore is called in charters borealis Ergadia, North Argyll.

Moray, an ancient mormaership and earldom in the family through which Macbeth claimed the crown of Scotland, was revived as an earldom for Thomas Ranulph, Bruce's nephew. As limited in Ranulph's charter, the earldom extended from the mouth of Spey to the Beaulie, and westward to the west sea, including Glenelg.

Buchan and Marr were ancient mormaerships and earldoms.

The district of Mearns, which also perhaps gave the title of mormaer, seems equivalent to the sheriffdom of Kincardine; perhaps at one time "The Mearns" was limited to the district south of "The Mount," still known as the "Howe of the Mearns."

'Standing, one day, on the north head of Arran, looking across the firth to Cowall, I asked some Loch Ranza fishermen what was the name of that coast. They pointed to the mouth of Loch Fyne, and said, all from thence to about Dunoon they called "Kerry." Suspecting I misheard, I asked one of them to spell the name, which he did quite scholarly, as here given. I cannot account for the local name.

Angus, an ancient earldom, appears to have been equivalent to the sheriffdom of Forfar. The old earls, perhaps originally mormaers, whose dwelling seems to have been at Kerymore, ended in an heiress, Countess Maud, who, in the thirteenth century, carried the earldom into the house of De Umframvil, great lords of the English border; the same family which held Redesdale per potestatem gladii.

Fife, a very ancient earldom.

Lothian, besides the three shires still popularly known as East, West, and Mid-Lothians, included at various times an undefined territory, extending from the Firth of Forth to the English border, and even some way into England.

Lennox (Levenax, or the basin of the Leven) is an ancient earldom, perhaps nearly equivalent to the sheriffdom of Dumbarton.

Stratherne, a very ancient earldom, and in later times a county palatine.

Garviauch, Atholl, Menteith, were ancient earldoms.

The great district of Galloway, within the period of record, continued to be governed with almost independent sway by its native lords; and even after their overthrow, under its ancient customary laws. It was popularly, and perhaps legally, divided into Galloway above Cree, and Galloway below Cree.

In the thirteenth century, the earldom of Carric had grown out of that old lordship, and was now in the family of Bruce, the lords of Annandale.

A word of the castles most noted in the thirteenth century :-

Dunskaith, beside Cromarty, and Edirdouer (now Red-castle), in Ardmanoch, were built by king William the Lion in 1179 for repressing the insurrection in Ross.

Urquhart castle on Loch Ness, at the mouth of its beautiful valley, was at an early period a royal castle, of which successively Durwards, Chisholms, and Lauders are known as keepers.

Duffus and Bocharm were castles of the great lords of Moray.

Ruthven was the head castle of the lordship of Badenoch, for a

great part of the thirteenth century, in the hands of John the Red Cumyn.

Lochindorb was a castle of the same great lordship.

The peel of Strathbolgie, the chief castle of the great family of that name, and head of the lordship and district known as the Eight and Forty Davach of Strathbolgie, now Huntly—a name imported by the Gordons from their original country on the Borders.

Fyvie, at an early period a royal castle and burgh. The castle passed through the hands of the Prestons and Meldrums, before it acquired its present grandeur from the Chancellor Seton.

Ellon was the caput comitatus of Buchan.

Inverury was the head of the Garioch, an earldom in the person of Robert Bruce, by succession to earl David.

Migveth, conjectured by some to have been the caput comitatus of the earldom of Mar.

Kildrummy, a magnificent castle on Don side. Sir R. Gordon says it was built by Bishop Gilbert de Moravia, for the Crown. It is best known as a residence of Bruce, who held it apparently in right of his nephew, the Earl of Mar.

Lumphanan, a peel curiously seated near the upper end of the "loch of Lumphanan." Macbeth was slain about a mile to the north of it.

Coul, the chief castle of the great family of Durward.

Durris, a royal residence and royal park, as early as the reign of Alexander III.

Cowie, a royal castle and burgh. Charters of the fourteenth century are extant, granting lands for maintaining the causey through the "mount," between Cowie and Aberdeen.

The castle, afterwards known as the craig of Dunnotter, does not appear in charters so early as the period of this map.

Kincardin castle, in the Mearns, a royal castle and burgh. Its park was enlarged by Bruce. Some of the village tofts and tenements, both here and at Cowie, preserve the names which they

acquired from being appropriated to the officers and domestics of the royal court.

Brechin was a castle in the hands of the family of De Brechin, illegitimate descendants of earl David.

The Red-castle on the shore of Lunan bay, was a seat of the De Berkeleys, and in the thirteenth century had come to the Balliols.

Forfar, Glammis, Kinclevin, all royal castles.

Balligernoch, or the Red-castle, a seat of the Cambruns, stood on the verge of what are now the grounds of Rossie priory.

The "Mote of Errol" was a seat of the Hays before they established themselves in Buchan.

Leuchars, a castle of the De Quincys. Their estates fell, in the middle of the thirteenth century, to co-heiresses, two of whom were married to De Ferrers and La Zouche.

Crail a royal castle.

St. Andrews, a bishop's castle, founded in 1206, by bishop Roger (De Leicester).

Kennoquhy and Cupar were castles of the earls of Fife.

Dumbarton castle, a seat of royalty in early times, was the head castle of the earls of Lennox, at the first period of record. It was surrendered to king Alexander II., by earl Maldouen, and has remained a royal castle.

Inch-mahome was an ancient castle, and head of the earldom of Menteith.

Stirling always a royal castle.

Linlithgow castle or "peel," a royal manor and strength.

Carpentoloch, vulgarly Kirkentulloch, an old castle of the Cumyns.

Bothwell, a castle of a family of De Moravia.

Castel-tarres (Carstairs), a fortified house of the bishop of Glasgow. Edward I. granted pardon to the bishop for fortifying it without licence.

Douglas, the head castle of the original lordship of that illustrious name.

Morton, a castle of the thirteenth century, by evidence of its architecture. It was the head castle of Nithsdale, and was granted to Ranulph by king Robert I.

Dalswinton, a castle of the Cumyns. Here, Red John Cumyn resided when Bruce sent Niel and Thomas, his brothers, to bring him to Dumfries.

Lochmaben, the head castle of the great lordship of Annandale.

Crugelton, a castle of the Cumyns. The lead for its roof was brought from the mines of Man, by grant of Edward I.

Turnberry, Bruce's castle, probably the head castle of the earl-dom of Carric.

Rothesay, a royal castle and fortress from the beginning of the thirteenth century.

Edinburgh, always a royal castle.

Lochorwart (now Borthwick), a castle, first of the Lynes, afterwards of the Hays of Errol. The present building is comparatively modern, being of the fifteenth century.

Lamberton, a castle of the Lindesays, who styled it their "court" (curia nostra), and had a private chapel there, before 1212, jealously watched by the parish church.

Whittinghame, a manor of the earls of Dunbar. It was perhaps here that Earl Patrick, in 1231, kept the feast of Christmas, surrounded by his family and neighbours, and bidding them all adieu, received extreme unction and died.

Dunbar, the head castle of the great earldom of March.

Yester, the castle of the Giffords. The present building dates from 1268.

Roxburgh, a royal castle and burgh, one of the chief strengths of the kingdom.

Jedburgh, a royal castle, manor, and park, in the time of Alexander III.

Hawic, a castle of the Lovels, who afterwards changed their residence to Angus.

It may be stated, generally, that there was originally a royal castle at every ancient royal burgh.

Places indicated in the Civil Map of Scotland of the Thirteenth Century.

[The situation of the place is indicated by letters, corresponding to similar letters on the margin of the Map.]

ABERDOUR	Df	Brechin	Cf	Discher	Cd
Abirbrothok	Cf	Brora Water	Ed	Diurnes	Ed
Abirdene	Df		Dc	Don Water	Df
Abirdene, Sheriffdom	PERMIT	Buchan	Df	Dornok	Dd
of	Df		Cd	Doveran Water	Df
Abir Loch	Cc	Buchannes		Doun	Cd
Abirlemno	Cf	Buchquhider	Dg Cd	Drumlanrig	Be
Abirnethy	De	Burgh	De	Duart	Cc
Abirnethyn	Ce	Bute, Sheriffdom of	Be	Duffus Castle	De
Aboyne	Df	Date, Shermaom or	20	Duglas	Be
Aird, The	Dd	CÆRPINTOLACH		Dumbretan	Bd
Ale Water	Bf	CASTLE	Bd	Dumbretan, Sheriffdon	
Allan	Dd	Cairn of Month	Cf	of	Bd
Alnecrom	Bf	Caldstreme	Bf	Dunbar	Cf
Amund Water	Ce	Carail	Cf	Dunbardyn	Be
Anand	Be	Caradel	Be	Dunblane	Cc
Anandirdale	Be	Carnwall Pass	Ce	Dunde	Cf
Andrewis, St.	Cf	Carrik	Bd	Dundreinan	
	Cf				Ae
Angus Proces of			Be	Dun Echt	Df
Angus, Braes of	Ce	Catness	Ed	Dune Water	Bd
Anstruther	Cf	Cheviot Hills	Bf	Dunfermline	Cc
Apnadull	Cd	Clacmanan	Ce	Dunfres	Be
Ardersier	Dd	Clacmanan, Sheriffdom	· ~	Dunfres, Sheriffdom	-
Ardnamorchin	Cb	of	Ce	of	Be
Ardoch	Ce	Closburn	Be	Dungalsby	Ef
Ardrossan	Bd	Col	Cb	Dunhun	Bd
Are	Bd	Colbrandispeth	Bf	Dunnottyr Castle	Cf
Are, Sheriffdom of	$\mathbf{B}\mathbf{d}$	Coldingham	Bf		Bf
Are Water	\mathbf{Bd}	Colonsay	Cb	Dunrobin	Ee
Arran	Be	Conan Water	Dd	Duns	\mathbf{Bf}
Assynt	\mathbf{Ec}	Cori-vrecan	Cc	Dunscath Castle	De
Athol	Ce	Coul Castle	Df	Dunstaffinch Castle	Cc
		Cowal	Cc	Dunvegan	$\mathbf{D}\mathbf{b}$
BADANOCH	$\mathbf{D}\mathbf{d}$	Cowie Castle	\mathbf{Df}	Duray	\mathbf{Bc}
Balligernach Castle	Ce	Crawfurd	Be	Durris Castle	\mathbf{Df}
Banf	\mathbf{Df}	Crechmond	Dg		
Banf, Sheriffdom of	De		Ad	EARN WATER	Cc
Bares-rake	\mathbf{Cf}		Ce	Ebbis-hevid, St.	Bf
Barray	Ca	Cromar	\mathbf{Df}	Edenburgh	Be
Bas Rock	Cf	Cromdale	\mathbf{De}	Edenburgh, Sheriffdor	
Battock Mount	\mathbf{Df}	Cruachanban	Cc	of	Be
Bawnburch	Bø	Crugleton Castle	Ad	Ederachylis	Ed
Ben Lowmund	$_{ ext{Cd}}^{ ext{Bg}}$	Crumbachty	Dd	Edirdovar or Red	130
Ben Nevis	Cd	Crumbachty, Sheriffdo		Castle	Dd
Berwik	$\mathbf{B}\mathbf{g}$	of	Dd	Eggay	Cb
Berwik, Sheriffdom of	Rf	Cupir (Angus)	Ce	Elgyn	De
Bervy	Cf	Cupir (Fife)	Ce	Elgyn, Sheriffdom of	De
Beulie	Dd	Cuillin-hillis	Db	Ellon	Df
Bigar	Be		Df		Be
Black Isle	Dd	Culros	Ce		
Blackhall	Bd		Bd	Enyie	Df
				Ergadia	Cc
Blare Castle	Ce		Bd	Erin or Findarn Water	
Bocharin Castle	De		\mathbf{Bd}	Ergyle, Sheriffdom of	
Borealis Ergadia	Dc	1		Erlisferry	Cf
Bothvill Castle	Bd		Be		Cd
Boyn	Df		Be		Ce
Braemar	De		Df		Be
Bradwik Castle	Bc			Ettrik Forest	Be
Bran Water	Ce		Dd		Be
Breadalbane	Cd	Dirleton Castle	Cf	Ey Water	Bf
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FAR	Ed		Bf		
Fawkirk	Ce			Lungay	Cc
Fermartin	Df		Db		Be
Fine Loch	Cc		Ae		of Be
Fintray	Df		Bf		Co
Fivy	Df		Bd		Ce
Foreis	De		Ce	3.0	Cc Df
Foreis, Sheriffdom of	De		Bd		Bd
Forfare	Cf		Be	35 73 0	Cf
Forfare, Sheriffdom of			Cc		Bd
Forn Water	Dd		Ce	DOT 1	Bf
Forteviot	Ce		Bd	130	Cd
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Glamis	Cf	Kingorn	Ce	Munross (Montrose)	Cf
Glasgow	Bd	Kingussie	Dd	Muskilburgh	Be
Glenco	Cc	Kinnef	Cf	Muthil	Ce
Glendochir	Cd	Kinneil	Če	Mygveth	De
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Glenlus	Ad	Kircaldie	Če	Ness Loch	Dd
	Cd	Kirkwall	Ef	Niddisdale	Be
Goury	Ce		Ad	Norame	\mathbf{Bf}
Grenan Castle	Bd	Kirkcudbright, Sheriff-		North Berwick	Cf
Grenelaw	Bf	dom of	Bd	North Esk Water	Cf
				North Isles	Db
HADINGTON	Bf	LAMBIRTOWN	Bf	North Ywst	Da
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Haulkirk	Ee	Lanark	Be	Orkney Isles	Ef
Harray	Db	Lanark, Sheriffdom of		Oran Water	Dd
Hawik	Bf	Lang Island	Da	Oronsay	Cb
He	Bb	Largis	Bd	Orr Water	Ae
Hermitage	Bf	Lawdir	Bf	Ow, Loch	Cc
Huarf	Ed	Ledir Water	Bf	PASLEY	Bd
Hyona	Cb	Lenie	Bd	Peebles	Be
		Lesmahagu	Be	Peebles, Sheriffdom of	Be
ICOLMKILL	Cb	Leth	Be	Penycuik	Be
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Inchmaholmock	Cd	Lismor	Cc	Perth, Sheriffdom of	
Invernarn	De	Leodhuis (Lewis)	Eb	Petlandisfiord	Ee
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Inverness	Dd	Lochabir	Cd	QUHITADER WATER	Bf
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of	Dd		De	Qubitingham Castle	\mathbf{Bf}
Inverquoich Castle	Ce		Be		~
Invirculan	Df		Cd	RANACH	Cd
Invirkethine	Ce	Logyrate	Ce	Rasay	Db
Invirlochy Castle	Cd	Lorn	Cc	Red Castle	Cf
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III. SCOTLAND IN THE THIRTEENTH CENTURY

With its Ecclesiastical Divisions.

The dioceses are-

- 1. St. Andrews, a bishoprick of unknown, but very high antiquity, being a continuation of a Pictish bishoprick, perhaps of a different see, perhaps of a jurisdiction without settled seat.¹ The chapter, at first Culdees, were afterwards canons regular of St. Austin. The diocese was divided by the firth into the Archdeaconries of—
- (1.) St. Andrews principal, comprehending the rural deaneries of—
 - 1. Fife.
 - 2. Fothrif.
 - 3. Gowrie.
 - 4. Angus.
 - 5. Mearns.

¹ The bishops of St. Andrews were made primatial about 1470.

- (2.) Lothian, having jurisdiction over the rural deaneries of-
 - 1. Lothian or Haddington.
 - 2. Linlithgow.
 - 3. Merse.
- 2. The bishoprick of Dunkeld, also of high and mysterious antiquity and authority. Engrafted on an ancient Columbite foundation, and especially after the destruction of Hy, wielding the authority of St. Columba, this bishoprick was, until the thirteenth century, of great extent, embracing the whole of Argyll. Even after the diocese of Argyll was taken out of it, Dunkeld, for the love and reverence of its patron, reserved to itself the island of Hy, though so far removed, and the island of St. Colm in our firth, besides several parishes on both sides of the firth. The chapter at first consisted of Culdees and canons regular.

This diocese was divided into the rural deaneries of-

- 1. Atholl and Drumalbane.
- 2. Angus.
- 3. Fife, Fothrif, and Stratherne.
- 4. South of the Firth (in partibus australibus).
- 3. The bishoprick of ABERDEEN, founded in the middle of the twelfth century at Aberdon (now old Aberdeen), by David I., who transferred to it the property and some of the respect of an old monastery at Mortlach in Glenfiddich. The patron is Saint Machar, a follower of Saint Columba. In the thirteenth century, the diocese of Aberdeen contained three rural deaneries—
 - 1. Mar,
 - 2. Buchan,
 - 3. Garviauch,

which were afterwards arranged into five: Aberdeen, Mar, Garviauch, Buchan, and Boyne.

4. Moray, a bishoprick before the time of David I. At first, the diocese had no defined see. After being successively changed

¹ The connection of Dunkeld with its churches in Lothian and Fife, would-form a very curious subject of research.

to Birny, Kinneddor, and Spynie, it was settled in the church of the Holy Trinity, beside Elgin, in 1224; and then was begun that glorious cathedral, which has survived through fire and violence and long neglect, to recall some memory of the taste and religious feeling of an age called unenlightened. The diocese of Moray was divided into four rural deaneries:—

- 1. Elgin.
- 2. Inverness.
- 3. Strathspey.
- 4. Strathbolgy.
- 5. Brechin, the seat of an old abbey of Culdees, whose abbots had become hereditary, was erected by David I. into a bishoprick in the middle of the twelfth century; the Culdees forming the bishops' chapter. The diocese was small, and had no subordinate divisions for rural deans.
- 6. Dunblane, sometimes called the bishoprick of Stratherne. An old Culdee house and a previous bishoprick, had fallen into decay, when, at the beginning of the thirteenth century, Gilbert, earl of Stratherne, restored or founded the bishoprick of Dumblane. The chapter was of Regulars. The property of the bishops was held in capite of the great earls down to the fifteenth century, when their rights merged in the Crown.
- 7. Ross. This bishoprick was founded or restored by David I. early in the twelfth century, the cathedral at Rosmarkie being under the invocation of Saint Peter and Saint Boniface. The diocese of Ross met the bishoprick of Moray at the "water of Forn" (Beaulie.)
- 8. CAITHNESS. This diocese, including the whole ancient earldom of Caithness, had for its cathedral and see, the church of St. Fymbar of Dornoch. The date of its foundation is not known, but it existed in the beginning of the twelfth century.
- 9. Glasgow, one of the bishopricks restored and re-endowed by David I., while still only Prince of Cumbria, c. 1116. At that time the jury of the seniores homines et sapientiores totius Cumbria,

tracing back the first institution of the see to Saint Kentigern, in the sixth century, declared its right to numerous possessions, in virtue of that primæval institution; and their verdict received effect. Glasgow had two archdeaconries:—-

- (1.) Glasgow proper, comprehending the rural deaneries of—
 - 1. Rutherglen.
 - Lennox.
 Lanark.
 - 4. Kyle and Cuninghame.
 - 5. Carric.
- (2.) The archdeaconry of Teviotdale, including the deaneries of—
 - 1. Teviotdale.
 - 2. Peebles.
 - 3. Nithsdale.
 - 4. Annandale.¹
- 10. Galloway. The see was Whithern (candida casa), and the bishop took his Latin style from that church, founded and dedicated to Saint Martin of Tours by St. Ninian, the apostle of the Picts, in the fifth century. The chapter was composed of the canons regular of the priory of Whithern. The diocese had three deaneries, the names of which are now almost forgotten:—
 - 1. Desnes.
 - 2. Farnes.
 - 3. Rinnes.
- 11. Argyll, sometimes called the diocese of Lismore from its episcopal see, was erected in the beginning of the thirteenth century out of the great bishoprick of Dunkeld. It contained the deaneries of—
 - 1. Kintyre.
 - 2. Glassary.
 - 3. Lorn.
 - 4. Morven.

Glasgow was made an archbishoprick in 1491; its suffragans being the bishops of Dunkeld, Dunblane, Galloway, Argyll, and Isles.

12. Isles. The bishoprick of the Isles at first included Man with all the western isles, and was subject and suffragan to the archbishops of Drontheim. After coming for a time under the jurisdiction of Scotland, it again suffered a change in the fourteenth century, when the other western isles (the Sudoreyar) were separated from Man, which was now subject to England. The abbey church of Hy, or Iona, in the fifteenth century became the cathedral and bishop's see of the Scotch bishoprick called the bishoprick of the Isles or Sodor.

Places indicated in the Ecclesiastical Map.

Авеквиотнок (now Arbroath), an	Berwick, North, a convent of Cister-
abbey of Tyronensian Benedictines	cian nuns Cf
and Burgh Cf	Biggar Be
Abercurnaig (Abercorn), ancient mo-	Birnie De
nastery and seat of a Pictish bishop	Blantire, a priory of canons regular
in Bede's time Ce	subject to Holyrood Bd
Aberdeen, deanery of Df	Botham Bf
diocese of	Bothan's, St. (Abbey St. Bathan's), a
Aberdon Df	convent of Cistercian nuns Bf
Aberdour (in Fife), a Franciscan nun-	Bothwell Bd
nery	Brechin, deanery of Cf
Abernethy, a house of Culdees, and	Buchan, deanery of Df
probably an ancient bishop's see.	Buyn, deanery of Df
In 13th century a priory of canons	
regular under Inchaffray Ce	CAITHNESS, diocese of Ed
Aboyne, a house of the Knights Tem-	Cambuskenneth, an abbey of canons
plars, afterwards of the knights of	regular Ce
St. John Df	Candida Casa Ad
Ayr	Canonby, a priory of canons regular
Andrews, St., diocese of Cf	subject to Jedburgh Bf
Andrewis, St., a priory of canons regular,	Carail. Cf
coming in place of Culdees Cf	Carlisle, diocese of Af
Angus, deanery of Cf	Carnwath Be
Annandale, deanery of Be	Carrick, deanery of Bd
Applecross (Apurcrossan, Comrich), an	Carlile Af
ancient foundation of St. Malruve. De	Clements, St. Db
Ardchattan, a priory of Cistercians of	Coldingham, anciently a nunnery, after-
the order of vallis caulium Cc Arniston, see Balantradoch Be	wards a priory of Benedictine monks
Arniston, see Balantradoch Be	subject to Durham Bf
BATANERA DOOTE (now Amiston) A	Colmoc, St., a priory of canons regular
BALANTRADOCH (now Arniston). A house of the Templars, and later, of	subject to Cambuskenneth. Cd
the Knights of St. John of Jeru-	Coldstream, a convent of Cistercian
salem Be	nuns Bf
Ballincrieff, an hospital dedicated to	Colme Inch, see Inchcolme Ce
Saint Cuthbert Be	Colonsay, a priory of canons regular subject to Holyrood Cb
Balmerinach, an abbey of Cistercians	subject to Holyrood Cb Comrich, see Applecross Dc
Cf	Corstorphin Be
Banff, a convent of Carmelite friars Df	Crichton Bf
Beaulieu, a priory of Cistercians of	Cromarty Dd
vallis caulium Dd	Crosragmol (Crossregal), an abbey of
Berwick, an hospital of Trinity	Cluniac Benedictines Bd
friars Bf	Cullen Df
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Culross, a Cistercian abbey Ce Cupar (in Angus), an abbey of Cister- cians Ce	Fyvie, a priory of Tyronensians; a cell of Arbroath Df
Cupar (in Fife), a convent of Domini- can friars	GALLOWAY, diocese of Bd Garuiach, deanery of Df
can mais	Germains, St., a house of Knights Tem-
Disamina D.	Germans, St., a nouse of Kinghts rem-
DALKEITH Be	plars, afterwards of Knights of St.
Dalmullin, a monastery of canons and	John, latterly granted to King's
nuns of the order of Simpringham;	College, Aberdeen Bf
afterwards belonging to Paisley.	Glasgow, diocese of Be
Also a convent of Benedictine	Glassary, deanery of Cc
nuns	Glendocheroch
Deir, an ancient Columbite house. After-	Glenluce, an abbey of Cistercians Ad
wards an abbey of Cistercians Df	Goury, deanery of Ce
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	Gulane, a convent of Cistercian
Dirleton Cf	6
Dornock, an hospital of Trinity friars Dd	Guthry
Dryburgh, an abbey of Præmonstra-	
tensian Augustinians Bf	HADDINGTON, a convent of Franciscan
Dumfries, a convent of Franciscan	friars; a convent of Cistercian
friars Be	nuns Bf
Dumbarton Bd	Halyston, a priory of Benedictine
Dumfermling, an ancient Culdee house.	nuns Bi
Afterwards an abbey of Benedic-	Hamilton Bd
	Holme-Cultram, a monastery of Cister-
Dunbar, an hospital of Trinity friars,	cians Ae
and a convent of Carmelite friars	Holyrood, an abbey of canons regular
Cf	Be
Dunblane Ce	Holywood (Dercongal) Sacri nemoris, de
Dunblane, diocese of Cd	sacro bosco. An abbey of Præmon-
Dundee, an hospital of Trinity friars. A	stratensian Augustinians Be
convent of Franciscan friars Cf	Howston, an hospital of Trinity friars
Dundrenan, an abbey of Cister-	Bd
cians Ae	Hy (Iona, Icolumkille). The ancient
Dunglas Bf	
	foundation of St. Columba having
Dunkeld, diocese of Ce	been destroyed, an abbey was
Durham, diocese of Bg	founded in the twelfth century,
Dyce	of Cluniac Benedictines; also a
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Eccles, a convent of Cistercian	
nuns Bf	INCHCOLME, an abbey of canons regu-
Ecclescyric Cf	lar, founded by King Alexander
Edinburgh Be	I. Ct
Ednam, an hospital dedicated to Saint	
	Inchaffray, an abbey of canons regu-
	lar, founded by Gilbert, Earl of
Elbottle, a convent of Cistercian	Stratherne
nuns Cf	Inchkeith
Elchow, a convent of Cistercian nuns Ce	Inchmahome, a priory of canons regular
Elgyn	subject to Cambuskenneth Co
Elgyn, deanery of De	Inchynan, a house of Templars, after-
Erusay Bc	wards of Knights of St. John o
	Jerusalem Bo
FAILEFURD, an hospital of Trinity	Inverkeithing, a convent of Franciscan
friars Bd	friars Convent of Franciscan
Farnes, deanery of Ad	Inverness, deanery of Do
Feale, a priory of Cluniac monks; a	Irwine, a convent of Carmelite friars
cell of Paisley Bd	Вс
Ferne, an abbey of Præmonstratensian	Isles, diocese of the Cl
Augustinians De	
Fintray	Jedburgh, an abbey of canons regu
Fothryf, deanery of Cf	lar
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Benedictines, originally seated at	England; afterwards a priory of
Selkirk	canons regular, dedicated to St.
Kentire, deanery of Bc	Adrian
Keth Malruf De	Maybole (Minniboil) Bd
Kilmaures Bd	Melross, a Columbite monastery in the
Kilmund	time of Bede; afterwards an abbey
Kilwinning, an abbey of Tyronensian	of Cistercians Bf
Benedictines Bd	Mernis, deanery of Cf
Kincardine-o-neil, an hospital Df	Mernoch, L. Bc
Kinedar De	
Kinef Cf	
	Methyen Ce
Kingcase, an hospital Bd	Minniboil (Maybole) Bd
Kingussie	Molas, L. Bc
Kirkcudbright, a convent of Franciscan	Monans, St., a convent of Dominican
friarsAd	friars
Kirkwall	Monimusk, a house of Culdees; later,
Kyle and Cunningham, deanery of Bd	a priory of canons regular subject
	to St. Andrews Df
LANARK, deanery of Be	Montrose Cf
Lanark, a convent of Franciscan friars;	Moray, diocese of De
an hospital dedicated to St. Leo-	Morvern, deanery of Cc
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Lauder, an hospital Bf	NEWBOTTLE, an abbey of Cistercians Be
Leith, priory of canons of St. Anthony	Newburgh (in Buchan), an hospital Df
Be	Nithsdale, deanery of Be
Lennox, deanery of Cd	4.1
Leonards, St. (beside Edinburgh), an	OGGERSTON, a house of the Templars;
hospital Be	afterwards of the Knights of St.
Leonards, St. (beside Peebles), a con-	John
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vent of Cistercian nuns; an hospi-	
tal Be	Oronsay, a priory of canons regular sub-
Lesmahagow, a priory of Tyronensians;	ject to Holyrood Cb
a cell of Kelso Be	
Leven, Loch, a house of Culdees, and	Paisley, a great abbey of Cluniac Bene-
afterwards a priory of canons re-	dictines
gular Ce	Peebles the Ministry or Cross Church,
Lincluden, a convent of Benedictine	a hospital of Trinity friars Be
nuns Be	Peebles, deanery of Be
Lismore Cc	Pentlandisfiord Ee
	Perth Ce
Lorn, deanery of Cc	Pittenweem, a priory of canons regular
Louthian, deanery of Bf	subject to St. Andrews Cf
Lufness, an hospital of Trinity friars Cf	Pluscardin, at first a priory of Cister-
Lundores, an abbey of Tyronensian	cian monks of Vallis caulium; after-
Benedictines Ce	wards a cell of Dunfermline De
Lynlithcu, a convent of Carmelite friars;	Port Moack, a priory of canons regular;
an hospital of Lazarites dedicated	a cell of St. Andrews Ce
to St. Mary Magdalene Be	a cen of be. Andrews
	Overeyonenny a convent of Cormelite
Lynlithcu, deanery of Be	QUEENSFERRY, a convent of Carmelite
W City in Land	friars Ce
MACHLINE, a Cistercian house; a cell	
of Melrose Bd	RESCOBIE
Magdalene Be	Restairig
Manuel, a convent of Cistercian nuns Be	Restennot, a priory of canons regular
Maree, L. Dc	subject to Jedburgh Cf
Marnochs, St. Df	Rhynnis, deanery of Ad
Marr, deanery of De	Rosline Be
Maryculter, a house of the Templars,	
afterwards of the Knights of St.	Rothfan, a leper hospital Df
John of Jerusalem Df	Rowadill, a priory of canons regular
Mary, St., isle (S. Mariæ de Trayll),	subject to Holyrood Db
a priory of canons regular subject to	Roxburgh, a convent of Franciscan friars.
Holyrood Bd	An hospital or Maison Dieu Bf

Rutherfoord, an hospital dedicated to St.	
Mary Magdalene Bf	Tealing
Rutherglen, deanery of Bd	Temple, a house of the Knights Templars; later, of the Knights of St
ST. MARGARET'S INCH. (Forfar) Cf	
Saundle (Sadael), a Cistercian abbey Bc	
Scarinche, a priory of canons regular	
subject to Inchaffray Ea	
Scone, an abbey of canons regular Ce	
Scotland Well, an hospital of Trinity	
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Semple Bd	Tullibardine
Senewar (Sanquhar), an hospital Be	Tullilum, a convent of Carmelite
Serf, St. Ce	friars
Seton Bf	
Skae, St. Cf	
Soltra, an hospital for poor and sick, and	Jerusalem De
for travellers Bf	
Souls-seat, an abbey of Præmonstraten-	tensian Augustinians Bd
sian Augustinians Ad	Turriff, an hospital for twelve poor
Spey, St. Nicolas, at the bridge of, an	men D
hospital for poor travellers De	
Spyny	
Strathfillan, a priory of canons regular	ject to Dunfermline De
subject to Inchaffray Cd	
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Strathspey, deanery of De	
Striveling, hospital of St. James, at the	
end of the bridge Ce	Præmonstratensian Augustinians
Suggeden (Seggieden), an hospital dedi-	
cated to St. Augustin Ce	
Sweetheart, an abbey of Cistercians Ae	Wigton
TAY, LOCH, a priory of canons re-	YESTER B
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