IX.—DURHAM SEALS.*

Catalogue of Seals at Durham from a manuscript made by the late Rev. William Greenwell, D.C.L., F.R.S., F.S.A., etc.; collated and annotated by C. H. Hunter Blair, F.S.A.

The capital letters and abbreviations used in the notes to this part refer to the following works:—

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^{*} Continued from vol. xv, page 204.

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SCOTTISH ECCLESIASTICAL SEALS.

I.—EPISCOPAL.1a

BISHOPS OF ABERDEEN.

. IGILLVM.IOHANNIS.ABIRDONENSIS.EPISCO..

Secretum, oval, $1\frac{1}{4}$ × $\frac{7}{8}$, the Lamb of God.

M SIGILLYM : IOHANNIS : EPISCOP.

3596. ABERDEEN, OFFICIAL 2 OF Misc. 4454, A.D. 1293.

^{1a} See Map shewing the ancient dioceses of Scotland in the reign of David I. (Scottish Kings by Sir A. H. Dunbar, map III, p. 402.)

The arms of the see represent St. Nicholas restoring to life the three children at Myra; blasoned azure in the porch of a church St. Nicholas in pontifical vestments and crosier, his right hand raised over three children in a cauldron surrounded by flames.

¹ Circa A.D. 1201-1207. He was prior of Kelso when elected to Aberdeen (Bps. Scot. 101; Keith, 105; Anc. Ch. Scot. 106). See Anc. Scot. Seal 11, 174 and pl. x1, nos. 8 and 9. S.B.M. 14977. Document printed R.N.D. App. 88, no. 477.

² Used by 'W' styled officialis de Abirdon. The head may represent St. Machar an Irish saint and companion of St. Columba who founded the church at Aberdeen which later was dedicated to the Blessed Virgin and St. Machar; or it may be St. Nicholas the patron saint of Aberdeen (see note 1b). (Anc. Ch. Scot. 97; Anc. Ded. Scot. 94).

Round, $r_4^{1''}$, the head and bust of a bishop, a crosier on each side, the dexter one plain, the sinister ornamented.

₩ S:O ALI NEN. . .

BISHOPS OF ARGYLL.22

. SIGILL : ALANI : DEI : GRA : EPI : ERGADIE.

Secretum, oval, $\mathbf{1}_{8}^{7''} \times \mathbf{1}_{8}^{1}''$, within an architectural niche below a canopy a demi figure of a bishop in mass vestments with his croiser, blessing. Beneath Alan, kneeling to the dexter, prays. REGNET PAXENSIS M'SERVIAT ERGADIENSIS.

🖈 S' FRIS . ANDREE . D'I . GRA . EPI . ERGADIENS'

BISHOPS OF BRECHIN.42

3599. Albin ⁵ . . . Misc. 798, A.D. 1254; 799, 4 March, A.D. 1256. Oval, $2\frac{5}{8}'' \times 1\frac{1}{2}''$, the bishop, in profile to the sinister, blessing,

^{2a} Arms of the see—Azure two crosiers, addorsed, saltireways; in chief a mitre gold.

³ Circa A.D. 1250-1262. (Bps. Scot. 379; Keith, 286; Anc. Ch. Scot., 219). Anc. Scot. Seal II, 189; Hist. Scot. Seal II, 54 and pls. 79 and 80; S. B. M. 17287; Document (indulgence) printed 'Rites' 152, no. xiv.

⁴ Circa A.D. 1300-1341. He was a Dominican friar (Bps. Scot. 379; Keith, 286; Anc. Ch. Scot., 219). Anc. Scot. Seal II, 189; S. B. M. 17289; Document printed 'Rites' 156, no. XLV. Indulgence granted at Durham 'XIII kal. Decembris 1310, pontificatus anno 13°.'

^{4a} Arms — (Gold) three piles (gules); being the arms of David of Scotland, earl of Huntingdon, lord of Brechin, died 17 June, 1219 (E. H. 222; Official Baronage, II, 224).

⁵ A.D. 1.46-1269. He was precentor of Brechin (Cal. Pap. 1, 227; Bps. Scot., 175; Keith, 159; Anc. Ch. Scot., 179). Anc. Scot. Seal II, 178; Hist. Scot. Seal II, 32; S. B. M. 17246. Documents (indulgences) printed 'Rites; pp. 151 and 153, nos. x and xVIII. See also *Finchale*, p. 175; and seal, p. 176. The figure is slightly turned to the sinister, with the face in profile, it is beautifully designed, the vestments falling in

in mass vestments and holding crosier. He stands on a reversed crescent beneath which is a fleur de lys. On his dexter is a crescent enclosing a star, on his sinister three dots. (Durham Seals, 66).

* SIGILL: SECRETI: A.EPI BRECHINENSES.

3600. WILLIAM 6 Misc. 800, 16 Dec., A.D. 1286 Oval, $2\frac{1}{8}'' \times 1\frac{1}{2}''$, imperfect. Our Lord seated in majesty, his right hand blessing, his left holding an orb. Beneath is the bishop in mass vestments, praying.

. ECHIN

BISHOPS OF CAITHNESS.62

3601. WILLIAM 7 Misc. 828, A.D. 1255. Oval, $2\frac{1}{2}'' \times 1\frac{1}{2}''$, the bishop standing blessing, in mass vestments with his crosier.

* SIGILLYM: WILLI: DEI GRA: EPI: KATANENSIS

Secretum, oval, $1\frac{3}{8}'' \times \frac{7}{8}''$, demi figure of the bishop with crosier, blessing. Beneath is a figure in a boat, praying.

M SIGILL: SECRETI: W: EPISCOPI: CATANE

graceful folds, the position giving an appearance of grace and dignity wanting in the full-faced position. Nos. 3602, 3605, 3610, 3618, 3619, 3620 are all in this position and appear to have been engraved by the same artist; they all date about the first half of the thirteenth century.

⁶ A.D. 1275-1295. William Cumyn a Dominican friar and lecturer on theology at Perth (Cal. Pap. 1, 450; Bps. Scot., 177; Keith, 159; Anc. Ch. Scot., 119). Anc. Scot. Seal II, 178; S. B. M. 17247. Document (indulgence) printed 'Rites,' 155, no. XL.

^{6a} Arms—Azure a crown of thorns gold between three saltires silver (E.H. 225); quite a modern shield.

⁷ Circa A.D. 1246-1262. 'Rites,' p. 152, no. xvII. This indulgence is dated at Durham 16 kal. Oct., 1255 anno pontificatus 9°. See also Bps. Scot., 235; Keith, 210; Anc. Ch. Scot., 129; Anc. Scot. Seal II, 184; Hist, Scot. Seal II, 33. For approximate date of death, Cal. Pap. I, 379.

Oval, very imperfect, the bishop standing in mass vestments, blessing, holding his crosier. GRA CATHAN BISHOPS OF DUNBLANE.7b CLEMENT 8 . . . Misc. 820, 5 June, 1240; 823, 1 May, A.D. 1253. 3602. Oval, $2\frac{7}{3}$ × $1\frac{5}{8}$, the bishop standing in profile to the sinister, blessing, in mass vestments, with crosier. On his dexter side is a crescent, on the sinister a star. ¥ SIGILL CLEMENTIS DEI GRACIA EINENSIS EPI ROBERT 9 3-1 Finc. 44, 17 Oct., A.D. 1260. 3603. Oval, very imperfect, the bishop standing, blessing, the field of seal is diapered. EI : GRA : ROBERT 10 Misc. 82, 12 Sept., A.D. 1260; 4549. 3604. Oval, $I_8^{7''} \times I_8^{1''}$, on the sinister is St. Laurence holding his gridiron, on the dexter a bishop (St. Blane) standing in mass

vestments blessing. Beneath Robert is praying.

. ECRETI . ROBTI . DEI . GRA . '. . DVM . LA . .

^{7a} A.D. 1282-1291. Called Alan of St. Edmunds. He had been chaplain to Hugh of Evesham, cardinal of San Lorenzo in Lucina. He was appointed chancellor of Scotland by Edward 1, and regent in 1291 (Cal. Pap., 1, 464; Bps. Scot., 238; Keith, 211; Anc. Ch. Scot., 129). Document printed and seal engraved *Finchale* (S.S. 6) 190.

⁷⁶ Arms—Silver a saltire engrailed azure (E. H. 227).

⁸ A.D. 1233-1258. He was a Dominican friar (Bps. Scot., 196; Keith, 172; Anc. Ch. Scot., 204). He it was who commenced building the present cathedral at Dunblane (Anc. Ded. Scot., 113). Documents (indulgences) printed 'Rites' 150, 152; nos. III and XIII. Anc. Scot. Seal II, 179; S. B. M. 17258. For design of seal see note 5.

⁹ Circa A.D. 1259-1283 (Cal. Pap., 1, 367; Bps. Scot., 198; Keith, 173; Anc. Ch. Scot., 204). He is usually known as 'Robertus de Praebenda,' he was dean of Dunblane, a canon of Glasgow and Dunkeld and a papal chaplain (op. cit. 1, 319, 334). There is an account of him in Scot. Hist. Rev. viii, 439. Indulgence printed Finchale 181 and seal engraved. S. B. M. 15027.

¹⁰ Document no. 82 printed 'Rites,' 153, no. xxiv; Finchale, p. 187; seal engraved, p. 181; Anc. Scot. Seal II, 179; Hist. Scot. Seal II, 36; S. B. M. 17259. The cathedral church of Dunblane was dedicated to St. Lawrence and St. Blane (Anc. Ded. Scot., 112).

BISHOPS OF DUNKELD.16a

RICHARD ¹¹ Misc. 1301, A.D. 1204.
 Oval, 3" × 1¾", the bishop standing in profile to the sinister in mass vestments and crosier, blessing. (Durham Seals, 67.)
 SIGILL RICARDI . DEI . GRATIA . EPI . DVNKELDIE :
 Secretum, ¹² oval, 1¾" × 1", a demi figure of bishop (St. Columba)

¥ SECRETVN . SANCTI . COLVMBE

with crosier, blessing.

3606. WILLIAM 13 Misc. 817, 17 June, A.D. 1285. Oval, $2\frac{1}{2}$ " \times $1\frac{1}{2}$ ", very imperfect, the bishop standing, in mass vestments with crosier, blessing. On each side, in the field, are three scallop shells.

. . . .ILELMI . D'I . GRA.

3607. RICHARD ¹⁴ Misc. 807, A.D. 1254. Oval, $3'' \times 1\frac{3}{4}''$, the bishop, in mass vestments, with crosier, standing beneath a church-like canopy, blessing. In the field on each side is a fleur de lys.

▼ SIGILL RI.... DEI GRA: EPISCOPI: DVNKELDENSIS*

3608. RICHARD ¹⁵ Misc. 4549, A.D. 1268. Oval, $1\frac{7}{8}'' \times$, imperfect, a seated figure.

₩ M SCO VMBA

¹⁰a Arms—Silver a cross sable between two nails gules (E.H. 227).

¹¹ A.D. 1203-1210 (Bps. Scot., 52; Keith, 77; Anc. Ch. Scot., 212). He is known as 'Ricardus de Praebenda' and was the second Richard, bishop of Dunkeld. For design of seal see note 5. Anc. Scot. Seal II, 171 and pl. x, no. 5; Hist. Scot. Seal II, 37; S. B. M. 15039. Document printed R. N. D. App. 88, no. 476.

¹² Hist. Scot. Seal II, 155. St. Columba was the patron saint of Dunkeld. After the destruction of Iona in A.D. 806 Dunkeld became the chief of the Columban monasteries and some of the saint's relics were brought there. (Anc. Ded. Scot., 40). S. B. M. 17201.

¹³ Circa A.D. 1283-1287. He was dean of Dunkeld (Cal. Pap. 1, 469; Bps. Scot., 59). Document (indulgence) printed 'Rites,' 155, no. xxxix. Anc. Scot. Seal 11, 171.

¹⁴ A.D. 1251-1272. Called Richard of Inverkeithing. He was chamberlain of the king (Alexander II) and one of the guardians of Alexander III (Bps. Scot., 57; Keith, 80; Anc. Ch. Scot., 212). Document (indulgence) 'Rites,' 151, no. IX; Anc. Scot. Scal II, 171; S. B. M. 17262.

¹⁵ Same man as preceding. It is greatly destroyed and quite undecipherable.

BISHOP OF GLASGOW.15a

- 3609. WILLIAM 18 Misc. 831, I October, A.D. 1258.

 Oval, imperfect, the bishop in mass vestments with crosier, standing blessing.
 - GLASGVENSIS EPI . . .
 - Secretum, oval, $1\frac{3}{4}'' \times 1''$, a bishop (St. Kentigern) 17 standing in mass vestments with crosier blessing. William kneeling prays to him.
 - ₩ ORA . PRO NOBIS . BE [ATE : KENTEGERN]E.

BISHOPS OF MORAY.17a

- 3610. BRICE ¹⁸ Misc. 1301, 1317, A.D. 1204. Oval, $3'' \times 1\frac{3}{4}''$, the bishop standing on a reversed crescent in profile to the sinister, in mass vestments, with crosier, blessing.
 - . . ICIVS : DEI : GRACIA : MORAVIENSIS : EPISCOP.
 - Secretum, oval, $1\frac{1}{2}$ " \times 1", antique gem, Pallas Athene standing with shield, holding Victory on her right hand (Durham Seals, 66).
 - AVE: MARIA: GRACIA: PLENA
- 15a Arms—Silver a tree, on a mount, hanging from a branch on the sinister a bell, on the top a robin, across the trunk a salmon fessways holding a ring in its mouth. (E.H. 224). For chapter seal see Liber de Melros, vol. II, pl. VI.
- 16 A.D. 1233-1256. Called William of Bondington; he was rector of Eddlestone, canon of Glasgow and archdeacon of St. Andrew's and afterwards chancellor of Scotland (Cal. Pap. 1, 144; Bps. Scot., 302; Keith, 238; Anc. Ch. Scot., 187). It was during his episcopate and owing to his energy that the choir of Glasgow cathedral was built and the crypt beneath it remodelled and enlarged. Document printed 'Rites,' 153, no. xx and Finchale, p. 170. Anc. Scot. Seal 1, 164; S. B. M. 15113; Seal and secretum engraved Liber de Melros, vol. 11, pl. 4, no. 5.
- ¹⁷ St. Kentigern, better known as St. Mungo, patron saint of the cathedral church of Glasgow. For his history see Anc. Ch. Ded. Scot., 178 and S. C. D. 11, 225 for his English dedications *ibid* 111, 388.
- 17a Arms—Azure St. Giles in pontificals standing within a church porch, in his dexter hand a cross, in his sinister a book (E.H. 225).
- 18 A.D. 1203-1222. Brice Douglas prior of the Benedictine priory of Lesmahago, a cell of Kelso abbey (Bps. Scot., 147; Anc. Ch. Scot., 145 and 263; Keith, 137). Documents printed R. N. D. App. 88, nos. 476, 477. Anc. Scot. Seal I, 155 and pl. xvIII, no. I. For design of seal see note 5.

3611. Archibald 19 . Misc. 822, A.D. 1256; 829, 26 April, A.D. 1268. Oval, $2\frac{1}{2}'' \times 1\frac{5}{8}''$, the bishop standing, in mass vestments with crosier, blessing.

🛪 S'. ARCHEBALDI D . . . RA : EPI MORAVIEN.

Secretum, oval, $I_{\frac{1}{2}}'' \times I''$ imperfect, antique gem, a standing figure. SEC AN ELA

BISHOPS OF ROSS,2(a

3611a ROBERT 20 Misc. 1151, A.D. 1223; 1-1 Sacr. No. 11. Oval, $2\frac{1}{4}$ × ", very imperfect, the bishop in mass vestments standing, blessing.

Legend destroyed.

Secretum, oval, $1\frac{1}{2}'' \times ''$, imperfect, antique gem, a standing figure. SEC AN ELA . .

3612. ROBERT ²¹ Misc. 824, 21 July, A.D. 1255. Oval, $2\frac{1}{8}'' \times 1\frac{3}{8}''$, the bishop standing in mass vestments, with crosier, blessing.

. . . BERTVS E ROSSENSI

Secretum, oval, $1\frac{3}{8}'' \times \frac{7}{8}''$, the bust of an archbishop wearing mitre and pall. (Durham Seals, 66).

₩ SCS : BONIFATIVS 22

¹⁹ A.D. 1253-1298. He was dean of Moray (Bps. Scot., 150; Anc. Ch. Scot., 145; Keith, 139. Document (indulgence) no. 829 printed 'Rites,' 154, no xxvIII. See also Finchale, p. 182; Anc. Scot. Seal II, 176; S. B. M. 17268.

^{20a} Arms—Silver, on the dexter St. Boniface vested gules, on the sinister St. Peter (?) in pontificals vested purple (E.H. 225).

²⁰ Circa A.D. 1214-1253. He was a chaplain to William the Lion. (Bps. Scot., 211; Keith, 188).

²¹ Circa A.D. 1253-1270. He was archdeacon of Ross (Bps. Scot., 212; Keith, 186; Anc. Ch. Scot., 158). Document (indulgence) printed 'Rites' 152, no. xv1; Anc. Scot. Seal 11, 182; S. B. M. 17275.

²² The cathedral church of the diocese of Ross at Fortrose was dedicated to SS. Peter and Boniface (Anc. Ded. Scot., 480; Anc. Ch. Scot., 157). St. Boniface, whose earlier name was Winfrith, was an Englishman born at Crediton in Devon. He was 'the apostle of Germany' and archbishop of Mainz (S.C.D. II, 430).

3613. Roger ²³ Misc. 809; circa A.D. 1329.

Oval, $2\frac{1}{2}$ " × $1\frac{1}{2}$ ", St. Boniface standing within a canopied niche in mass vestments with crosier blessing, above him in a like niche is a demi figure of Our Lady with Christ. Beneath is the bishop praying. On the sinister in a niche is St. Michael slaying the dragon, on the dexter in a like niche is St. Andrew. Below each is a shield of arms three lions rampant. (Durham Seals, 66).

. DEI GRACIA ROSENSIS EPISCOPI

BISHOPS OF ST. ANDREWS. 282

3614. ROBERT ²⁴ Misc. 978, 25 Oct., A.D. 1150; 1303, 1334, 5960, 5960x.

Oval, $2\frac{1}{2}'' \times 1\frac{5}{8}''$, the bishop standing in mass vestments and with his crosier, blessing.

₩ SIGILLVM ROBERTI EPI SCOTTORVM

SIGILL [EARNAL]DI CIA SCOTTORVM . EP .

Secretum, oval, $\frac{3}{4}'' \times \frac{5}{8}''$, antique gem, a naked figure seated.

3616. Richard 26 . . . Misc. 985, 986, 987, 987x, 1302, 1319, 1330,

²³ A.D. 1325-1350. He was canon of Abernethy in the diocese of Dunblane. (Cal. Pap. 11, 243; Bps. Scot., 214; Keith, 187; Anc. Ch. Scot., 158). Document printed 'Rites,' 158, no. Lv1; Anc. Scot, Seal II, 182; S. B. M. 17276. The shields bear the arms of the old earldom of Ross blasoned gules three lions rampant silver used evidently to indicate the extent of the diocese. Both Laing, Walcott and Woodward (E.H.) erroneously attribute this seal to a Roger, bishop of Ross, A.D. 1284-1304.

²⁴ A.D. 1127-1159. He was prior of Scone and previous to that a canon of St. Oswald's priory at Nostell. Scone was an abbey of Austin Canons founded by Alexander 1 and colonised from Nostell (Bps. Scot., 4; Keith, 8; Anc. Ch. Scot., 85 and 315). Documents printed R. N. D. App. 81/82, nos. 446-450; Anc. Scot. Seal 1, 142; S. B. M. 14913.

²⁵ A.D. II60-II62. He was the second abbot of Kelso (Bps. Scot., 7; Keith, 10; Anc. Ch. Scot., 85). Anc. Scot. Seal II, 167 and pl. IX, no. 6; S. B. M. 14914. Document printed R. N. D. App. 82, no. 451.

²⁶ A.D. 1165-1178. He was chaplain to king Malcolm (Bps. Scot., 7; Keith, 11; Anc. Ch. Scot., 85). Anc. Scot. Seal 1, 143 and pl. 14; Hist. Scot. Seal, pl. 54, p. 119; S. B. M. 14915 and 17238. Documents printed R. N. D. App 83, nos. 453-461.

1337, 1346; 1-4 Ebor. 10; A.D. 1167.

Oval, 3" × 1\frac{2}{8}, the bishop standing in mass vestments, holding his crosier and blessing (Durham Seals, 66).

SIGILLYM RICARDI DEI GRACIA: SCOTTORV. EPISCOPI

Secretum, oval, $1\frac{1}{8}'' \times \frac{7}{8}''$, antique gem, a charioteer driving a chariot with two horses. (Durham Seals, 66).

FRACTA, REVELO, SECRETVM

- 3617. ROGER 27 Misc. 1309; 2nd Feb., A.D. 1193-4. Oval, $2\frac{7}{8}$ " \times $1\frac{7}{8}$, a seated figure in cassock, holding a rod with fleur de lys top in his right hand, and a book, to his breast, in his left. (Durham Seals, 66).
 - # ROGERVS DEI GRACIA ELECTVS SANCTI ANDREE
- 3618. ROGER ²⁸ . . . Misc. 958, 971, 1342, 1344, 1341, A.D. 1199. Oval, $3\frac{3}{8}'' \times 2\frac{1}{8}''$, the bishop standing on a reversed crescent, in profile to the sinister. His right hand is blessing, his left holds his crosier. (Durham Seals, 66).
 - ROGERVS . DEI GRACIA . SCOTTORVM EPISCOPVS.
- 3619. WILLIAM MALVOISINE ²⁹ . . . Misc. 1301, 1308, 1317, A.D. 1204. Oval, $3'' \times 1\frac{7}{8}''$, the bishop in mass vestments, standing in profile to the sinister. His right hand is blessing, his left holds his crosier. In the field, on each side of him, is a star.

SIGILL: WILL'I. DEI: GRA SCOTTOR': EPISCOPI

²⁷ Son of Robert Beaumont, second earl of Leicester (A.D. 1168-1190); elected at Perth, 13 April, 1189; consecrated 15 February, 1198; died 7 July, 1202 (Bp. Scot., 10; Keith, 13; Anc. Ch. Scot., 85; Hoveden, IV, 31). Anc. Scot Seal II, 161 and pl. 1X, no. I; Hist. Scot. Seal II, 121; S. B. M. 14919; Document printed R. N. D. App. 85, no. 462.

²⁸ A.D. I198-1202 same man as preceding. Anc. Scot. Seal II, 167 and pl. IX, no. 3; S. B. M. 14920. For design of seal see note 5. Documents printed R. N. D. App. 85/86, nos. 463-472.

²⁹ A.D. 1202-1238. He was archdeacon of St. Andrews, a chaplain to the king and bishop of Glasgow A.D. 1200-02 (Bp. Scot., 12; Keith, 15; Anc. Ch. Scot., 85). Anc. Scot. Seal I, 144, nos. 858 and 860; Hist. Scot. Seal, no. 56, p. 123; S. B. M. 14921. He also uses another secretum a cross patriarchal with two stars beneath the upper limb; Alpha and Omega beneath the lower. (Anc. Scot. Seal I, 144, no. 859; Hist. Scot. Seal, no. 57, p. 125). Documents printed R. N. D. App. 87/88, nos. 473-477.

Secretum, oval, $1\frac{5}{8}'' \times \frac{7}{8}''$, a half figure of a bishop in profile to the right, blessing and holding his crosier.

SECRETVM SANCTI ANDREE

3620. DAVID OF BERNHAM 30 . . . Misc. 944, 987x, 1320, 18 Oct., A.D. 1240.

Oval, $2\frac{3}{4}'' \times 1\frac{3}{4}''$, the bishop in mass vestments, standing in profile to the sinister. His right hand blesses, his left hand, with maniple, holds his crosier. Behind him, in the field is a crescent with a star above it.

. DA DEI IA . SCO M EP .

Secretum, oval, $I_4^{1''} \times I_8^{7''}$, antique gem, Silenus and nymphs.

MEMENTO DOMINE : DAVID :

3621. ABEL 31 Misc. 818, 2 June, A.D. 1254. Oval, $2'' \times 1\frac{1}{2}''$, the bishop standing in mass vestments, blessing, and holding his crosier. On his dexter side is a crescent on his sinister a star.

--- s' ABEL A: . . . EPI : SCI : ANDREE

3622. Gameline 3^2 Misc. 1297; I Oct., A.D. 1259. Oval, $2\frac{1}{8}'' \times 1\frac{3}{8}''$, two men fastening St. Andrew to his cross, above is an angel crowning him. Beneath is the bishop, with his crosier, kneeling, above him is a scroll inscribed SECRET: GAMELI (Durham Seals, 66).

[ME PA] TER ANDREA IVRA. REGAS Q'. MEA. . .

30 A.D. 1239/40-1253. He was chamberlain to the king of Scotland (Alexander II) (Cal. Pap. 1, 183; Bp. Scot., 14; Keith, 16; Anc. Ch. Scot., 86). Anc. Scot. Seal II, 168; S. B. M. 14923. Documents printed R. N. D. App. 88/89, nos. 478-480.

31 A.D. 1253/54-1254. He was a canon of Glasgow, archdeacon of St. Andrews and a papal chaplain; appointed to the see by the pope (Innocent IV) (Cal. Pap. 1, 296, 297; Bps. Scot., 15; Keith, 17; Anc. Ch. Scot., 86). Anc. Scot. Seal, 11, 168; S. B. M. 17239. Document (indulgence) 'Rites,' 152, no. XIII and R. N. D. App. 89, no. 481.

32 A.D: 1255-1271. He was chancellor of the king (Alexander III), canon of Glasgow and a papal chaplain (Cal. Pap. 1, 295, 318; Bps. Scot., 17; Keith, 18; Anc. Ch. Scot., 86). This is his counter-seal or secretum it is Anc. Scot. Seal I, no. 862; S. B. M. 14924. His seal of dignity is Anc. Scot. Seal I, no. 861. Document printed R. N. D. App. 89, no. 482.

- 3623. WILLIAM WISHART ³³ Misc. 819, 14 Oct., A.D. 1277; 826; 827, A.D. 1273.
 - Oval, $2'' \times 1\frac{3''}{5}$, St. Andrew on his cross with a man on each side nailing him to it, between them and the cross is a rose. Beneath is the bishop kneeling, holding his crosier.

S'WILLELMI . DEI GRACIA EPISCOPI SCI A

Secretum, 1_4^{1} " $\times \frac{7}{8}$ ". A tree upon which two birds are sitting, in front a fox is running to the right.

₩ S' MAGRI . WILL'I : DCI : WISCART :

- 3624. WILLIAM FRASER 31 . . . Misc. 1296, 8 Jan., A.D. 1288; 1305, 9 June, A.D. 1295; 740, 11 May A.D. 1286.
 - Oval, 3" × 17/8, the bishop in mass vestments, with his crosier, blessing. He stands in a richly decorated niche with crockets and finials. The field of the seal is diapered in lozenge pattern enclosing 'fraises.' Beneath within a trefoil is a shield of arms six 'fraises.' (Durham Seals, 66).

S'WILLI: FRASER: DEI. GRA: SCOTTORV: EPI.

Secretum, oval, $I_8^{7} \times I_8^{1}$. St. Andrew on his cross. Above his head is the Hand of God placing a martyr's crown on his head. On each side is a shield of arms, six 'fraises,' above the

33 A.D. 1273-1279. He was archdeacon of St. Andrews, a papal chaplain, and chancellor of Scotland (Cal. Pap. 1, 445; Bps. Scot., 18; Keith, 19; Anc. Ch. Scot., 86; Chronicon de Lanercost, p. 92). S. B. M. 17240. Document (indulgence) no. 819 printed R. N. D. App. 89, no. 483. See also Finchale, p. 187. The secretum is remarkable for the early use of a surname on an episcopal seal.

34 A.D. 1280-1297. He was chancellor of Scotland and dean of Glasgow (Cal. Pap. 1, 462; Bps. Scot., 19; Anc. Ch. Scot., 86; Keith, 20). Anc. Scot. Seal I, 144; Hist. Scot. Seal, pl. nos. 59 and 60; S. B. M. 14925 and 14926; Arm. Scot. Seal 994, 995. The shield bears the canting arms of Fraser, the charges being 'fraises' or strawberry leaves. See no. 2831 in this catalogue. His first seal (A.D. 1281) shews the bishop standing on a bracket in full pontificals, blessing, with a shield of his arms, in the field, on each side of him (Hist. Scot. Seal, pl. 58). This is the earliest of the episcopal seals upon which a shield of arms occurs within the British Isles. It is some nine years earlier than that of William of Louth, bishop of Ely (A.D. 1290), the earliest English episcopal seal with armorials that Sir W. H. St. John Hope names in his article on the 'Seals of English Bishops' (P.L.A. XI, p. 278) and at least two years earlier than that of Antony Bek of Durham which however only displays armorials, no shield of arms. Documents printed R. N. D. App. 89, nos. 484-487.

dexter shield is a crescent, above the sinister a star. Beneath is the bishop, kneeling in profile to the sinister, in mass vestments and with his crosier. (Durham Seals, 66).

S'. WILLI . FRASER : EPI . SCI . ANDREE :

3625. WILLIAM OF LAMBERTON 35 . . . Misc. 810, 825, 1300, 15 Aug., A.D. 1309.

Oval, $2\frac{1}{4}'' \times 1\frac{3}{8}''$. St. Andrew on his cross beneath a canopy, above him is the Holy Lamb. On the dexter side of St. Andrew is a fish paleways, with a ring in its mouth and a star on its sinister side. On the sinister of St. Andrew is the Hand of God blessing with a crescent below and beneath that a bird. Beneath all, under a pointed arch, is the bishop in mass vestments and with his crosser, praying. (Durham Seals, 67).

S'WILLI . DE LABERTON . EPI . SCI . ANDREE

Secretum, $1\frac{1}{8}'' \times \frac{7}{8}''$. St. Andrew on his cross, above him the Hand of God blessing. On each side is a shield of arms, three scallop shells; above the dexter shield is a star, above the sinister a crescent. (Durham Seals, 67).

S'SECRETI . WILLI . EPI . SCI . ANDREE

3626. James Ben ³⁶ . . Misc. 1327, 19 Feb. ; 1328, 18 Feb. ; 1329, 19 Feb., A.D. 1329.

Oval, $2\frac{1}{8}'' \times 1\frac{5}{8}''$. St Andrew on his cross. On each side is a man, on a ladder, fastening his arms to the cross and beneath them

35 A.D. 1298-1328. He was rector of Campsie, Stirlingshire, and chancellor of Glasgow (Cal. Pap. 1, 576; Anc. Ch. Scot., 86; Bps. Scot., 21; Keith, 21). Anc. Scot. Seal 1, 145, nos. 865, 866; and pl. xxi, no. 2; Arm. Scot. Seal, no. 1541; S. B. M. 14928. Document no. 1300 printed R. N. D. App. 90, nos. 488. The salmon and ring on the scal allude to the well known story of the queen's lost ring recovered for her by the saint from the mouth of a salmon caught in the river. The bird is the robin redbreast the pet bird of St. Serf restored to life by St. Kentigern (Mungo). Both these devices allude to the bishop's connexion with the church of Glasgow, a see which was founded by St. Kentigern. They form the charges (with a tree added) upon the shield of the city and see of Glasgow. The lamb above St. Andrew on the obverse is in canting allusion to the bishop's name. The shields of arms on the secretum bear the bishop's personal arms the blason of which is unknown.

36 A.D. 1328-1332. He was archdeacon of St. Andrews and canon of Aberdeen (Bps Scot., 23; Keith, 23; Anc. Ch. Scot., 86. Anc. Scot. Seal II, 168, pl. x, no. I; S. B. M. 14929. Documents printed R. N. D. App. 90, nos. 491-493.

another man on each side, fastening his feet. Below is the mitred head of the bishop.

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3627. WILLIAM LANDELLS 37 . . . Misc. 1324, 14 Feb., A.D. 1367-8; 1326, 11 Jan., A.D. 1362-3; 1332, A.D. 1370.

Oval, 2" × 1½". St. Andrew on his cross, beneath a canopy. On his dexter side is a shield of arms Scotland, on the sinister a like shield of Scotland surmounted by two crosiers placed saltireways. Beneath is a half figure of the bishop in mass vestments holding his crosier with both hands. On his dexter side is a shield of arms, an orle surmounted by two crosiers placed saltireways, on the sinister is a like shield charged with an orle. (Durham Seals, 67).

S'WILELMI DEI GRACIA EPI: SCI: ANDREE

3628. HENRY WARDLAW 38 . . . Misc. 1295, 9 June, A.D. 1419; 1295x, 1 April, A.D. 1423.

Oval, $2\frac{7}{8}'' \times 1\frac{7}{8}''$. In a richly decorated niche is St. Andrew on his cross. On each side, in a niche, is an angel holding a shield of arms, Scotland. In a lower niche on the dexter is St. Peter, on the sinister St. Paul. Beneath St. Peter is a shield of arms a fess charged with three crosses crosslet fitchy, between three voided lozenges, a crosier is placed behind the shield; beneath St. Paul is a like shield, three voided lozenges.

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³⁷ A.D. 1341/42-1385. He was rector of Kinkell, Aberdeenshire, in the diocese of Aberdeen (Cal. Pap. 11, 557; Bps. Scot., 25; Keith, 24; Anc. Ch. Scot., 86). Anc. Scot. Seal 1, 145; Hist. Scot. Seal, pl. no. 61; Arm. Scot Seal 1547; S. B. M. 14930. Documents printed R. N. D. App. 90/91, nos. 495, 497 and 498. The differencing of the royal shield of Scotland by the two crosiers placed saltireways (St. Andrew's cross), is curious and interesting, it is, I suppose, meant to denote that the bishop was primate of Scotland. He uses the same difference for his own shield, that on the dexter beneath. The sinister bears the undifferenced arms of Landells blasoned gold an orle azure (N.S. 1, 176).

38 A.D. 1403-1440. He was rector of Kilbride and precentor of Glasgow (Bps. Scot., 30; Keith, 28; Anc. Ch. Scot., 87). Anc. Scot. Seal II, 168, pl. x, no. 3; Arm. Scot. Seal 2841; S. B. M. 14932. The lower shield on the dexter bears the arms of the bishop, the blason of which is not known, the sinister shield bears the arms of Wardlaw of Torrie in Fife, blasoned azure three voided lozenges gold. Documents printed R. N. D. App. 91,

nos. 499-500.

3629. James Kennedy 39 Misc. 1293, 1 Jan., A.D. 1441-2; 1313, 18 Jan., A.D. 1440-1.

Oval, 3" × 1%". In a central niche of rich tabernacle work is St. Andrew on his cross. In a niche above him is Our Lady robed and crowned with the child Christ in her arms, beneath him is a shield of arms—Scotland. In a niche on the dexter is the standing nimbed figure of St. Michael holding a cross in his left hand and a pair of scales in his right. On the sinister in a like niche is the standing figure of a bishop nimbed and in mass vestments with crosier and mitre, in his right hand a chalice, in his left a crosier. In a niche beneath is the bishop, in pontificals, kneeling in prayer. On his dexter is a shield of arms a chevron between three crosses crosslet fitchy within a tressure of Scotland; on his sinister is a like shield of arms a chevron between three crosses crosslet fitchy (Durham Seals, 67).

s : jacobí : deí : gracía episcopí : sancti andree

3630. James Kennedy . . . Misc. 1292, 30 April, A.D. 1444; 1311, 1314, A.D. 1445; 1315, 12 Sept., A.D. 1456; 1316, A.D. 1457.

Round, 13", within a decorated niche St. Andrew on his cross.

Beneath is a shield of arms a chevron between three crosses crosslet fitchy within the Scottish tressure. The shield is ensigned with a mitre and supported by two angels. 40 (Durham Seals, 67).

s: jacobi. epi sancti andree:

³⁹ A.D. 1440-1465. He was bishop of Dunkeld, chancellor of Scotland (A.D. 1414) and regent of the kingdom in the minority of James III (Bps. Scot., 31; Keith, 29; Anc. Ch. Scot., 87). Anc. Scot. Seal I, 870; Hist. Scot. Seal, pl. 62; Arm. Scot. Seal 1462; S. B. M. 14933. The figure on the dexter side of St. Andrew is St. Michael, that on the sinster possibly St. Columba (for Dunkeld). The dexter shield bears the arms of Kennedy blasoned Silver a chevron gules between three crosses crosslet fitchy gules within the Scottish tressure, the shield on the sinister is the same without the tressure. (N.S I, 158; Sston, 449). Documents printed R. N. D. App. 91/92, nos. 501-502.

40 The bishop's privy seal. Anc. Scot. Seal 1, 146; S. B. M. 14934. The arms are the same as on the dexter shield of the previous seal. Documents nos. 1292, 1314, 1315, 1316 printed R. N. D. App. 92, nos. 503-506.

BISHOPS OF WHITHORN (Candida Casa).

- 3631. GILBERT 41 1-1 Archiep. 2; Misc. 801, 25 Nov., A.D. 1248; 802, 17 July. A.D. 1253.
 - Oval, $2\frac{3}{8}'' \times 1\frac{1}{2}''$, the bishop in mass vestments, his right hand blessing, his left holding his crosier. A small cross hangs from his neck. (Durham Seals, 67).
 - S' GILEBERTI GRACIA DEI CANDIDE CASE EPISCO . .
 - Secretum, oval, $\mathbf{1}_{2}^{1''} \times \mathbf{1}''$, engraved gem; the Lamb of God ^{41a} (Durham Seals, 67).
 - ₩ IASPIDIS VIRTVS FUSVM SEDARE CRYOREM
- 3632. Henry 42 Misc. 803, 6 Nov., A.D. 1259; 804, 26 Jan., A.D. 1274. Oval, $2\frac{3}{4}'' \times 1\frac{3}{4}''$, the bishop in mass vestments standing, blessing and with his crosier. On his dexter side is a crescent, on his sinister a star.
 - SIGILL'. HENRICI CANDIDE CASE: EPISCOPI
 - Secretum, oval, $1\frac{\pi}{8}$ " \times $1\frac{1}{8}$ ", a bishop in pontificals in profile to the sinister, kneeling in front of another bishop also in pontificals who hands a crosier to him. A cross is placed above the head of the kneeling bishop. (Durham Seals, 67).
 - A SCE P'COR DA'. NE TIBI DISSPLICEAR NINIANE
- 41 A.D. 1235-1253. He was master of the novices at Melrose and had been abbot of Glenluce (Bps. Scot. 356; Cal. Pap. 1, 198; Anc. Ch. Scot., 224; Keith, 272; Reg. Sacr. Angl., 58). Anc Scot. Seal 11, 187; Hist. Scot. Seal, pl. nos. 82, 83; S. B. M. 17291. Document (indulgence) no. 801 printed 'Rites,' 151, no. VI; no. 802, ibid VIII. Numerous indulgences of his are printed in Finchale, p. 169 et seq. This seal is engraved, p. 173.
- ^{41a} A beautiful *intaglio* gem, in jasper, of the early Christian period. The legend alludes to the virtue, attributed to this stone, of its power to stop the flow of blood.
- 42 A.D. 1255-1293. Called Henry of Galloway, he was abbot of Holyrood. (Bps. Scot. 357; Anc. Ch. Scot., 225; Keith, 272; Reg. Sacr. Angl, 60). Anc. Scot. Seal II, 187; Hist. Scot. Seal, pl. 84, 85; S. B. M. 17292. The secretum represents Henry kneeling before St. Ninian, the apostle of Galloway, who founded the White Church circa A.D. 397. He dedicated it to St. Martin of Tours (Anc. Ded. Scot., 23). Document no. 803 is printed 'Rites,' 153, no. XXI; no. So4, ibid, 154, no. XXXI. See also Letters from Northern Registers, 88, no. LII (Rolls Series) and Finchale, p. 179/80 where this seal is engraved and another indulgence of his printed.

3633 Thomas ⁴³ . . . 1-13 Pont. 9, 28 Oct., A.D. 1312; Misc. 805, 806; 5 Sept., A.D. 1302.

Oval, $2\frac{1}{2}'' \times 1\frac{5}{6}''$, the bishop standing beneath a canopy in mass vestments, with crosier, blessing. Across the field of the seal is THOMAS.

DEI . GRA . EPISCOPVS . CANDIDE CASE

II.—ARCHIDIACONAL, DECANAL, &c.

ARCHDEACONS OF LOTHIAN.48a

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3635. Thomas of Chartres 45 . . . Misc. 959, 17 June, a.d. 1267. Oval, $1\frac{3}{4}'' \times 1\frac{1}{8}''$, imperfect, the archdeacon standing tonsured

43 Circa A.D. 1294-1319. Called Thomas of Kirkcudbright, a chaplain to Robert Brus (Bps. Scot., 359; Anc. Ch. Scot., 225; Keith, 273). See also Letters from Northern Registers, p. 104, nos. LXIII and LXIV (Rolls Series); Anc. Scot. Seal II, 187; Hist. Scot. Seal, pl. 86; S. B. M. 15196. Documents (indulgences) nos. 805 and 806 printed 'Rites,' 155, nos. XLI, XLII.

43a Originally the Lothians and the east part of Stirlingshire formed two archdeaconries in the diocese of St. Andrews—that of Linlithgow and that of Lothian. In A.D. 1176 the latter included all the parishes of Haddingtonshire and the greater part of those of Midlothian. Before 1275 it had changed its name to Haddington, but retained its old limits till the Reformation. (Caledon. II, 502; Anc. Ch. Scot., 91/92).

44 Called John of Leicester; he was a cousin of king William, elected bishop of Dunkeld A.D. 1211, died A.D. 1214. (Bps. Scot., 53; Keith, 78; Anc. Ch. Scot., 91). Document printed R. N. D. App. 92, no. 510.

45 He was archdeacon in A.D. 1262 when he received a dispensation from the pope (Urban IV) to hold the churches of 'Fetheresath (Fetteresso; Kincardineshire) and Whitchurch Canonicorum' in the dioceses of St. Andrew's and Salisbury (Cal. Pap. 1, 382). In A. D. 1290 he was chancellor of Scotland (Bps. Scot. 239n). Anc. Scot. Seals II, 192; S. B. M. 14996 by an extraordinary error both these catalogues name him dean of Aberdeen giving the date A.D. 1342 and a reference to this document at Durham. It is printed R. N. D. App. 113, no. 652; in it he is called archdeacon of Lothian and it is dated at Coldingham the fifteenth kalends of June [17 June] A. D. 1267.

and surpliced holding a book to his breast with both hands. A shield on each side hanging from a tree, that on the dexter is destroyed and the charges on the sinister one are obliterated and undecipherable. (Durham Seals, 67).

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3636. Nicolas of Lochmaben, official of the archdeacon of Lothian 46 Misc. 1206, a.d. 1286. Oval, $1\frac{1}{4}'' \times \frac{7}{8}''$, a pelican in her piety, the nest is placed on a tree

at the foot of which is an animal asleep.

Legend illegible.

3637. Ross, Robert, archdeacon of ⁴⁷ . . . Misc. 1151, A.D. 1223; 1-1 Sacr. 11.

Oval, $1\frac{3}{8}'' \times \frac{7}{8}''$, antique gem, a naked figure. Above on the setting is a crescent enclosing a star, beneath is a floriated design.

Legend illegible.

3638. St. Andrews, Randolf, archdeacon of, 48 . . . Misc. 1301, A.D. 1204; 1317.

Oval, $I_{\frac{1}{2}}'' \times I''$, a diptych (?).

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3639. St. Andrews, Lawrence, archdeacon of, 49 . . . Misc. 5959, A.D. 1233.

Oval, $r_8'' \times r_4''$, the archdeacon standing holding a book to his breast with both hands.

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3640. Haddington, dean of, 49a . . . Misc. 1326, 11 Jan., A.D. 1362-3. Oval, $1\frac{3}{8}'' \times \frac{7}{8}''$. Our Lord in Majesty.

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⁴⁶ Documents printed R. N. D. App. 92, no. 511.

⁴⁷ He was afterwards bishop of Ross, the second Robert to be bishop of that see (Bps. Scot., 212). He died circa A.D. 1270. See also Cal. Pap. 1, 175; Anc. Ch. Scot., 161.

⁴⁸ S. B. M. 14970; Anc. Ch. Scot. 90. Printed R. N. D. App. 88, nos. 476, 477.

⁴⁹ S. B. M. 14972; Anc. Ch. Scot., 90. ⁴⁹a Printed R. N. D. App. 91, no. 497.

3641. Merse, Richard of Spott, dean of the Christianity of the, 50 Misc. 1295, 9 June, a.d. 1419; 1295x, 1 April, a.d. 1423. Oval, $1\frac{1}{4}'' \times \frac{7}{8}''$. Head and bust of a bishop his hands joined in prayer. The field diapered with roses.

Legend illegible.

3642. Merse, Richard Knoll, dean of the Christianity of the, 56a Misc. 1313, 18 Jan., A.D. 1440-41. Oval, $1\frac{1}{4}'' \times \frac{7}{8}''$, a hand blessing.

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· 3642a Merse, dean of the Christianity of the, 50b . . . Misc. 1315, 12 Sept., A.D. 1456.

Oval, $I_4^{1}'' \times I''$, a crosier, beneath a saltire, and between two crosses crosslet fitchy.

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3643. HADDINGTON, VICAR OF 51 Misc. 1017. Oval, $I'' \times \frac{7}{8}''$, antique gem, undecipherable.

MEMENTO DNE DAVID

3644. Holyrood, 518 Thomas de Quiltenes, canon of . 3-3 Spec. 23, A.D. 1345; 3-3 Spec. 31.

Oval, $1\frac{3}{8}'' \times \frac{7}{8}''$. Our Lord on the Cross to whom the canon, kneeling, prays. Above is the hand of God blessing and the Holy Dove. Beneath the limbs of the cross AVE REX. (Durham Seals, 68).

♣ S'. THOME : DE : QVILTENES . CAN : SCE : CRVCIS : DE : EDIMBVRG

3645. Guy, chaplain of Coldingham Misc. 1278. Obal, $1\frac{3}{8}'' \times 1''$, a tonsured head.

M SIGIL' GVIDONIS SACERDOTIS

50 Spott in East Lothian was a prebend of the collegiate church of Dunbar (Caledon. II, 511). Document no. 1295 printed R. N. D. App. 91, no. 499; no. 1295x *ibid*, no. 500. The parishes which formed the rural deanery of the Merse are given in Caledon. 11, 332, note d.

50a Printed R. N. D. App. 91, no. 501. 50b Printed R. N. D. App. 92, no. 505.

⁵¹ Styled D. vicar of Haddington, delegate of the abbot of Holyrood, Edinburgh.

⁵¹ This seal should have been catalogued in the monastic section. Holyrood wa

 ^{51}a This seal should have been catalogued in the monastic section. Holyrood was a house of Austin canons,

III.—SCOTTISH MONASTIC.

- 3646. Arbroath, Sub-Prior of, Misc. 4057, A.D. 1277.

 Oval, 14" × 7", demi figure of Our Lady with the child Christ.

 S' GILLEB'TI D' LINDESEIA
- 3647. Berwick,² convent of Misc. 1271.

 Oval, very imperfect, a seated figure holding a sceptre (?) in right hand and a book in left.

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- 3648. Coldingham, Simon, Prior of, Misc. 965, 966. Oval, $2\frac{1}{2}'' \times 1\frac{5}{8}''$, the prior in monastic habit seated, at a lectern, reading a book.

SIGILL SIMONIS . PRIORIS . DE COLDINGHAM

¹ Forfarshire. Anciently called Aberbrothoc. A Benedictine abbey following the customs of the abbey of Thiron in the diocese of Chartres, dedicated to St. Thomas of Canterbury, founded by William the Lion, A.D. 1178, colonised by monks from Kelso (Anc. Ch. Scot., 251; Spotiswood, 408; Anc. Ded. Scot., 282). See also Chronicon de Lanercost, p. 11 (Bannatyne Club); Registrum de Aberbrothoc, 2 vols. (Bannatyne Club). The common seal of the abbey is engraved as frontispiece to vol. 11. The charter states that in the absence of the prior with his seal, the sub-prior affixes his. For seals of the abbey and of some of the abbots see Anc. Scot. Seal 1, 172, 173; S. B. M. 15207-15211.

² Berwick-on-Tweed. A Convent of Cistercian nuns founded by David 1 (Spotiswood, 460; Caledon, 11, 346).

**Berwickshire. St. Ebba, daughter of king Ethelfrith and sister of St. Oswald the king, founded a convent for monks and nuns on the promontory now named after her, St. Abb's Head; over this she ruled till her death in A.D. 683. It was eventually destroyed by the Danes A.D. 870. In A.D. 1098 king Edgar with Turgot, the prior of Durham, founded a priory for Benedictine monks near the old site, as a cell subordinate to Durham priory. It was dedicated to the Blessed Virgin, St. Cuthbert and St. Ebba. For the foundation charters see R. N. D. pl. facing p. 373 and ibid. App. 1, Charters nos. 1-8; and the Priory of Coldingham (S.S. 12). See also Anc. Ch. Ded. Scot., 236. Simon was prior about the end of the twelfth century. This document is printed R. N. D. App. 100, no. 575. The seal is Anc. Scot. Seals 11, 195 and pl. XII, no. 6; S. B. M. 15239. For the common seal of the monastery see Anc. Scot. Seals 11, 196 and pl. XII, no. 5; also Priory of Coldingham (S.S. 12) pl. p. XIX, no. 5 and S. B. M. 15235 and 15237. For full account of the priors and priory see Coldingham Parish and Priory, by A. Thomson, F.S.A. (Scot)., 1908.

- 3649. COLDINGHAM, THOMAS, PRIOR OF, . Misc. 744, 1141, 1226, 1237. Oval, $2\frac{1}{2}'' \times 1\frac{1}{2}''$. Our Lady, robed and crowned, seated on a throne, holding an orb with cross in her left hand. In the field on the dexter is a scroll inscribed MARIA.
 - * SIGILLVM : THOME : PRIORIS : DE : COLDINGHA
- 3650. COLDINGHAM, THOMAS, PRIOR OF, Misc. 842. Oval, imperfect " × 1\frac{2}{3}", the prior kneeling at an altar on which stands a chalice and a small cross.

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- 3651. COLDINGHAM, ROGER, PRIOR OF, Misc. 921, 1257.

 Oval, very imperfect, in a traceried niche a demi-figure of Our

 Lady with Christ. Beneath under a trefoiled arch is the prior

 kneeling in prayer. On each side of him, in a lozenge shaped
 panel is the head of a monk.
 - I PRIORIS DE
- 3652. COLDINGHAM, HENRY, PRIOR OF, Misc. 666, 4269, A.D. 1295 Oval, $1\frac{1}{2}'' \times 1''$, demi-figure of Our Lady with Christ. On each side is an angel censing. Beneath is the prior praying.
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- 3653. Coldingham, John Aycliff, Prior of, ... Misc. 1162, 3 June, A.D. 1407; 1228, 25 Jan., A.D. 1413-14.
- ⁴ Thomas of Melsonby, prior in early part of the thirteenth century; prior of Durham A.D. 1233. Document no. 1141 printed R. N. D. App. 10, no. 578. Seal in Anc. Scot. Seal II, 195, pl. XII, no. 4; Coldingham (S.S. 12) pl. p. XVIII, no. 1; S.D. pl. XII, no. 4; S. B. M. 15240.
- ^{.5} Same man as no. 3649. To this document, printed R. N. D. App. 73, no. 394, Thomas, prior of Coldingham, appends his seal 'Et in hujus rei testimonium Thomas prior de Coldingham una cum sigillo meo huic scripto sigillum suum fecit apponi.'

6 Roger of Wolviston, prior circa 1266-1275. Seal is S. B. M. 15241.

- 7 Henry of Horncastle circa A.D. 1276-96. Styled prior of Coldingham, commissary of the venerable father J. bishop of Carlisle (John of Halton A.D. 1292-1324; Reg. Sacr. Angl. 68). Seal engraved Coldingham (S.S 12) xvIII, no. 2.
- 8 Circa A.D. 1400-1416. No. 1162 is in English, printed R. N. D. App. 103, no. 592, the testing clause reads:—'In witnes of ye quhilk thynge to yts tre we have satte our sele at Coldingham ye third day of ye moneth of Juny ye yhere of our Lorde a thousand four hendreth & sevyn.' No. 1228 ibid, no. 594. Seal is Anc. Scot. Seal II, 195. It is engraved Coldingham (S.S. 12) XVIII, no. 4.

Round, 1½". St. Cuthbert standing blessing, his crosier in his left hand, the head of St. Oswald in his right. In front of him stands a small figure of the prior. All within tracery. (Durham Seals, 67).

sigill . magist . . iohis : aklyf .

3654. COLDINGHAM, WILLIAM DRAX, PRIOR OF, . . Misc. 1165, 5 Jan., A.D. 1438-9; 1283, 20 May, A.D. 1422.

Oval, $1\frac{1}{8}'' \times \frac{7}{8}''$, a double niche with richly traceried canopy, in the dexter Our Lady with the child Christ is seated, in the sinister is St. Cuthbert also seated. Beneath a demi-figure of the prior, kneeling prays to them.

VOS . SCI . DEI . SITIS AMICI MEI

3655. COLDINGHAM, JOHN OLL, ¹⁰ PRIOR OF, . Misc. 1255, 14 May, A.D. 1442. Oval, 13/4" × 1", a double niche with canopies of rich tabernacle work, in the dexter is Our Lady with Christ, in the sinister is St. Cuthbert standing, blessing. Above the canopies is an eagle with outspread wings. Beneath is the figure of the prior praying.

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3656. COLDINGHAM, THOMAS NESBIT, 11 PRIOR OF, Misc. 6812, 18 Feb., A.D. 1448-49.

Oval, $2'' \times 14''$. Our Lady standing with the Christ child below a canopy of rich tabernacle work. Beneath is a shield of arms, a chevron between three stags.

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3657. COLDINGHAM, JOHN PENCHER, 12 PRIOR OF, . . Loc. XIII, no. 14, 10 Sept., A.D. 1457; Misc. 1204, 20 May, A.D. 1460.

⁹ Circa A.D. 1417-1441. No. 1165 printed R. N. D. App. 105, no. 599; no. 1283 ibid, no. 595; Anc. Scot. Seal II, 196; S. B. M. 15242. Engraved Coldingham (S.S. 12) xvIII, no. 3.

10 Circa A.D. 1441-1446. Document printed R. N. D. App. 105, no. 600. Anc. Scot. Seal II, 196; S. B. M. 15243. The eagle is for St. John the prior's name saint.

11 Circa A.D. 1446. The shield of arms in base is presumably the prior's but I cannot blason it. The arms of Nisbet of that Ilk are silver three boars' heads sable, cadet branches differenced this by placing a chevron gules between the heads. See N.S. 1, 313; Arm. Scot. Seal, no. 2119.

12 Circa A.D. 1456-1465. No. 1204 printed R. N. D. App. 106, no. 603; S. B. M. 15244.

- Oval, I" × ", very imperfect, Our Lady standing holding the child Christ on her right arm and a lily in her left hand.

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- 3658. COLDSTREAM, 13 PRIORY OF, Misc. 5984, A.D. 1419. Oval, $2\frac{1}{8}'' \times 1\frac{3}{8}''$, a salmon, paleways, a line issuing out of its mouth. In the field on the dexter is a quatrefoil and a crescent enclosing a star; on the sinister is a quatrefoil and a wheel. (Durham Seals, 67.)

₩ SIGILL' SCE : MARIE : DE : CALDESTREM

- 3659. Dunfermline, ¹⁴ Abbey of, . . . Misc. 1345, A.D. 1200. Round, 1⁷/₈", the abbey church with porch, in which is a font. Above is the Hand of God, blessing. (Durham Seals, 67). SIGILLVM SANCTE TRINITATIS
- 3660. Dunfermline, Patrick, 15 abbot of, Misc. 1317, A.D. 1204. Oval, 2" × 1½", the abbot seated at a lectern reading. In his left hand he holds a crosier. (Durham Seals, 68).

. . . ATRICII . A TIS . DE . DVNFERM . . .

3661. Dundrennan, 16 abbey of, . . . Misc. 4463, a.d. 1273. Oval, 11 X 3 %, a hand and arm vested, issuing from the dexter

18 Berwickshire, on the Tweed, hence the device. A Cistercian priory of nuns, founded circa A.D. 1165, by Gospatric, earl of Dunbar, dedicated to the Blessed Virgin (Caledon. II, 363; Spotiswood, 461; Anc. Ch. Scot., 377). Seal is Anc. Scot. Seal II, 196, pl. xv, no. 5; S. B. M. 15246.

14 Fife. The monastery was founded by Malcolm Canmore and his wife St. Margaret circa A.D. 1075 and dedicated to the Holy Trinity. It was refounded circa A.D. 1124 by king David I who made it a Benedictine abbey and colonised it with monks from Canterbury. After St. Margaret's canonisation in A.D. 1249 it was placed also under her invocation. (Anc. Ch. Scot., 244; Spotiswood, 402; Anc. Ded. Scot., 4). This seal is Anc. Scot. Seal II, 198; S. B. M. 15279; for a later seal see ibid I, 179 and S. B. M. 15280. The register of the abbey has been published by the Bannatyne Club. Pope Innocent IV on 25 May, 1245 granted permission to the abbot of Dunfermline and his successors to wear the mitre and ring and other pontifical insignia (Cal. Pap. I, 215).

¹⁵ A.D. 1202-1223. He was sub-prior of Durham, also prior of Canterbury. *Register*, p. XI; Anc. Ch. Scot. 248; Document R. N. D. App. 88, no. 477; seal is Anc. Scot. Seal i, 180; S. B. M. 15281.

16 Kirkcudbright. A Cistercian abbey founded circa A.D. 1142 by Fergus, lord of Galloway, dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary, colonised by monks from Rievaulx (Anc. Ch. Scot., 274; Spotiswood, 417). The seal is Anc. Scot. Seal II, 198; S. B. M. 15277.

side of the seal, holding a crosier. Above the arm is a star with wavy rays, beneath is a crescent. Beyond the crosier is a star.

M CONTRA: S': DE: DVNDRAVNAN

3662. HADDINGTON, ¹⁷ W., MASTER OF THE CONVENT OF, . Misc. 1017. Oval, $1\frac{1}{4}$ " \times $\frac{7}{8}$ ", a priest kneeling at an altar with a cross above it.

FIL'I DEI MISERERE MEI

3663. Holyrood, ¹⁸ Patrick, abbot of, . . . Misc. 682, a.d. 1445. Oval, 2½" × 1½" Above in a canopied niche is the Coronation of the Virgin. Beneath is the Crucifixion with the Blessed Virgin Mary and St. John. Below, the abbot prays, his crosier in his left hand and his mitre behind him.

a'ahhatis : sce crucis de edinbbr . . .

3664. JEDBURGH, 19 JOHN, ABBOT OF, Misc. 5919, A.D. 1294. Oval, $1\frac{3}{8}'' \times 1''$, the abbot standing, holding his crosier in his right hand and a book to his breast with his left. In the field on the dexter is a crescent on the sinister a star.

. . GILL SECRETI A E IEDEW'RTH.

17 A Cistercian priory of nuns, founded A.D. 1178 by William the Lion and his mother Adeline of Warenne, widow of Henry, earl of Huntingdon and Northumberland, dedicated to the Blessed Virgin (Anc. Ch. Scot. 379; Caledon. 11, 503; Spotiswood, 462). This seal is used by W. styled 'magister Sc. monialium de Haddington' & delegate of the abbot of Dunfermline.

18 Edinburgh. An abbey of Austin canons founded A.D. 1128 by David I, dedicated to the Holy Cross, the Virgin Mary, St. Andrew and All Saints. (Anc. Ch. Scot., 301; Spotiswood, 389; Holyrood Ordinale, ed. F. C. Eeles, 1916. Chartulary printed by Bannatyne Club with plates of seals of the abbey at end of volume. The charter names Patrick who was abbot A.D. 1435-1449 (Chartulary, p. xxx). This seal is Anc. Scot. Seal II, no. 1148, where the description, the legend and the date are all wrong. S. B. M. 15205 where it is attributed to abbot John.

19 Roxburghshire. Founded early in the twelfth century by David I, as a priory for Austin canons from the abbey of St. Quentin at Beauvais; erected by him into an abbey A.D. 1147, dedicated to the Blessed Virgin (Anc. Ch. Scot., 311; Spotiswood, 392). This seal is used by abbot John styled 'frater Johannes abbas de Jedd, procurator Mag. Baldred Byset'; John Morel elected abbot circa A.D. 1290, his seal is Anc. Scot. Seal I, p. 189. For Baldred's seals see nos. 2763, 2763a and 3004 in this catalogue.

3665. Kelso, 20 Abbey of Misc. 1352, 1354, A.D. 1171
Oval, $2\frac{3}{4}'' \times 2''$. Our Lady robed and crowned seated on a throne
the child Christ with cruciferous nimbus seated in her lap,
blessing. In her right hand she holds a branched sceptre
with a bird perched upon it, in her left she holds a flower. The
seal is dished, with a flat edge upon which is the legend.
(Durham Seals, 68).

A SIGILLYM SANCTE MARIE CHALCODENSIS ECCLESIE

3666. Kelso, 21 Abbey of, . . . Misc. 5989, 30 Nov., A.D. 1330.
 Round, 2¼", in a niche of rich tabernacle work, Our Lady robed
 and crowned, seated with the child Christ on her knee.

S' COM . . NE CAPITULI DE CA

Reverse, in a centre niche the abbot in pontificals, holding his crosier and blessing. On each side of him, in side niches, is a standing figure holding a candlestick with candles. Beneath are three leaves. Above the canopy on the dexter is a crescent, above the sinister a star. (Durham Seals, 68).

* E . PRI OND E

3667. Kelso, Herbert, ²² Abbot of, . Misc. 5959, 28 May, A.D. 1233. Oval, $2\frac{1}{4}'' \times 1\frac{5}{8}''$, a standing figure of the abbot in pontificals, his crosier in his right hand, a book in his left. In the field on

20 Roxburghshire. A Benedictine abbey following the rule of St. Benedict as practised at the abbey of Thiron in the diocese of Chartres. It was originally founded at Selkirk thence removed to Roxburgh and finally established at Kelso by David I, circa A.D. 1128, dedicated to the Blessed Virgin and St. John the Evangelist. (Anc. Ch. Scot., 256; Spotiswood, 405; Register, 2 vols. printed by the Bannatyne Club). The abbots received permission, A.D. 1165, from pope Alexander III to wear the mitre and other pontifical insignia. The grant is printed E.H. 495. This seal is here used by 'O. abbas et Conventus de Kelchou.' Osbert was the sixth abbot, he had been prior of Lesmahago, elected circa A.D. 1180, died 1203. He it was who brought the golden rose to William the Lion from pope Lucius III. The seal is Anc. Scot. Seal I, 189 and pl. xxv., no. 2; S. B. M. 15345.

²¹ Used by William, abbot of Kelso, to an *inspeximus* of an agreement between the church of Kelso and the church of Durham, dated A.D. 1171. William of Dalgernoch, A.D. 1329-1354. (Register, p. xiv). Seal Anc. Scot. Seal II, 203; S. B. M. 15346.

²² Herbert Maunsel, abbot *circa* A.D. 1221-1239 (Register, p. x1). Seal is Anc. Scot. Seal II, no. 1155 where it is wrongly attributed to an abbot Robert; S. B. M. 15352.

the dexter is a rose, on the sinister a crescent enclosing a star. SIG . . . VM . . . BERT ATIS :

Secretum, oval, $\frac{7}{8}'' \times \frac{5}{8}''$, a figure standing holding a cross patriarchal, kneeling and praying.

Legend illegible.

3668. Kelso, William, ²³ Abbot of, Misc. 682, 14 March, A.D. 1445-6. Oval, $2\frac{1}{4}$ " \times $1\frac{3}{8}$ ". Beneath a triple arched canopy Our Lady robed and crowned, standing holding the child Christ on her arm at her breast, on each side of her is a kneeling angel, censing. Beneath is the abbot in pontificals kneeling in front of an altar upon which is a chalice, behind him is the Hand of God blessing. Above him on a scroll is s'Abbis De Calchov (Durham Seals, 69)

· VIRGO: TVVM: NATVM: LACTANS: FAC: ME: SIBI: GRATV

3669 Kelso, sacrist of, . . . ° . . . Misc. 6691, a.d. 1285. Oval, $1\frac{5}{8}'' \times 1''$. Demi-figure of Our Lady with the child Christ. Beneath is a figure praying.

¥ S'S... TE DE CALCHOV

- 3670. LINDORES, ²⁴ ABBEY OF, . . . Misc. 1317, A.D. 1204. Oval, $2\frac{5}{8}'' \times 2''$. Our Lady robed and crowned seated on a throne, the child Christ, with cruciferous nimbus, in her lap. In her right hand she holds a lily and in her left a church. Christ is blessing with his right hand and holds an orb in his left. (Durham Seals, 68).
 - SIGILLYM SANTE MAR . . ET SCI ANDREE DE LYNDORS
- 3671. Melrose, 25 William, abbot of, Misc. 1330. Oval, $1\frac{5}{8}'' \times \frac{7}{8}''$, the abbot standing holding his crosier.

Legend illegible.

²³ Circa A.D. 1435-45. Anc. Scot. Seal 1, 190 and pl. xxv, no. 1; S. B M. 15350.

²⁴ Fife, near Newburgh, on the banks of Tay. A Benedictine abbey following the customs of the abbey of Thiron, founded *circa* A.D. 1178, by David, earl of Huntingdon, colonised from Kelso, dedicated to St. Mary and St. Andrew. Document R. N. D. App. 88, no. 477. Seal Anc. Scot. Seal I, 193; S. B. M. 15374. The seal is dished with the legend on the flat edge, it is very like that of Kelso, no. 3665.

²⁵ Roxburghshire, on the Tweed. A Cistercian abbey founded by David I, A.D. 1136, colonised from Rievaulx, dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary. It was founded near

3672. Melrose, ²⁶ Arnold, abbot of, Misc. 1227, 1318. Oval, $1\frac{3}{4}'' \times 1\frac{1}{4}''$, a figure of the abbot standing holding a cross in his right hand and crosier in his left.

* SIGILLYM ABBATIS . DE . MELROS

- 3673. Melrose, William, 27 abbot of, . . Misc. 4420, A.D. 1351. Oval, 137 × 37, a vested arm and hand issuing from the sinister, and holding a crosier. The field diapered in a lozenge pattern.

 ** S' MINVS ABBATIS DE MELROS
- 3674. Melrose, Andrew Hunter, 28 abbot of, . . . Misc. 681, a.d. 1446; 957x, a.d. 1446.
 - Oval, $2\frac{1}{4}'' \times 1\frac{3}{8}''$, the abbot standing in a niche of rich tabernacle work, his right hand holding his crosier, his left holding a book to his breast.
 - sigillum fratris andree hunter x gra abbatis d melros
- 3675. Newbattle,²⁹ Gervase, abbot of, . . Misc. 4393, a.d. 1307; 4874, a.d. 1306.
 - Oval, $I_{\frac{1}{4}}^{1''} \times \frac{7''}{8}$, a vested arm and hand issuing from the dexter and holding a crosier. In the field on the dexter side is a star and a fleur de lys, on the sinister are two stars.

₩ S' COLLECTORIS

the site of Old Melrose, the Columban monastery, the home of St. Cuthbert. (Anc. Ch. Scot., 249 and 280; Spotiswood, 415; *Liber de Melros*, 2 vols.; *Chronica de Mailros* I vol., Bannatyne Club). William was abbot A.D. II59-II70. Document printed R. N. D. App. 84, no. 459.

28 Temp. pope Alexander III (A.D. 1159-1181) Anc. Scot. Seal II, 205; S. B. M. 15382. Documents printed R. N. D. App. 92, no. 1227 is no. 508; 1318 is 507.

²⁷ Anc. Scot. Seal II, no. 1164; S. B. M. 15383.

²⁸ Andrew Hunter, lord high treasurer, confessor to James II, A.D. 1449-53. Anc. Scot. Seal II, no. 1166..

²⁹ Midlothian, near Dalkeith, on the Esk. A Cistercian abbey founded *circa* A.D. 1140 by David I, colonised from Melrose, dedicated to the Virgin Mary. (Anc. Ch. Scot., 286; Spotiswood, 417; Chartulary printed by Bannatyne Club). Seal is used by 'Frater Gervasius Abbas de Neubotel collector Scociae decimae papalis in episcopatu sancti Andree.' Gervase was abbot *circa* A.D. 1312-1326 (Chartulary, p. xx). For common seal see Anc. Scot. Seal II, no. 1169; S. B. M. 15390/93 and Chartulary, p. xxIV. This is his seal as papal collector.

- 3676. NEWBATTLE ³⁰ THOMAS, ABBOT OF, . . . Misc. 665, 682, 6811, A.D. 1445.
 - Oval, $1\frac{2}{8}'' \times 1\frac{1}{8}''$, a figure of the abbot standing in a canopied niche, his right hand holding his crosier, his left a book to his breast.
 - sigillom x dompni x thome x abbatis x d x Aebbotil x
- 3677. Scone, 31 Abbey of, . . . Misc. 961, 9 Jan., A.D. 1291/2. Round, 3", the abbey church, with central tower on each side of which a figure is seated on the roof.
 - SIGIL : E [CLESIE SA]NCTE : TRINITATIS [DE SCO]NA :
- 3678. St. Andrews,³² cathedral priory of, . . Misc. 1301, A.D. 1204; 1308, A.D. 1204; 1317, 1338, 1339.
 - Oval, dished, $3'' \times 1\frac{7''}{8}$, the church with central and west tower and south doorway. Beneath it is an interlacing triangular device. On the dexter side of the central tower is St. Andrew's cross on the sinister a cross paty. On the dexter side of this tower is the Hand of God blessing. (Durham Seals, 68).

SIGILL' ECCLIE . SANCTI ANDREE APOSTOLI . IN SCOTIA

30 A.D. 1445. He does not appear in the published lists of abbots. (Anc. Scot. Seal II, no. 1168; S. B. M. 15401.)

31 Perthshire. In early times a monastery of the Culdees. In A.D. 1114, Alexander I founded there a priory of Austin canons brought from Nostell; in 1173 it was erected into an abbey, the abbots received, from Benedict XII (A.D. 1334-42), the right to wear the mitre and other pontificalia. It was at first dedicated to the Holy Trinity and later came under the invocation of SS. Mary, Michael, John, Lawrence and Augustine. (Anc. Ch. Scot., 313; Spotiswood, 385; Anc. Ded. Scot., 402; Liber Ecclesiae de Scon, p. 1x; Bannatyne Club). The seal represents the abbey church with the Godhead guarding it above. It is used here by abbot Thomas who was abbot circa A.D. 1290-1306. Anc. Scot. Seal II, 209; S. B. M. 15446; Liber de Scon, p. XI. Document R. N. D. App. 93, no. 513. For common seal see Liber de Scon, frontispiece.

32 Fife. From early times (circa A.D. 600), a monastery of Columban monks. Founded as a priory of Austin canons by Alexander 1 early in twelfth century, colonised by canons from Scone. The prior, wore the mitre and other pontificalia and took precedence in Parliament of all other Scottish abbots and priors. The seal represents the cathedral priory church built probably by bishop Robert (A.D. 1122-1154). Anc. Ch. Scot., 74; Spotiswood, 387. Document no. 1301 printed R. N. D. App. 88, no. 476; no. 1317 is ibid, no. 477; 1338 and 1339 are ibid, nos. 463 and 464. The seal is Anc. Scot. Seal 1, 108; S. B. M. 14966.

3679. St. Andrews, ³³ cathedral priory of, . Misc. 954, 1310, 1304, A.D. 1207; 1307, A.D. 1295; 1343.

Oval, $2\frac{7}{8}'' \times 2''$, a similar device to preceding seal but above St. Andrew's cross on the dexter is a crescent and above that on the sinister a star. (Durham Seals,68).

SIGILL' ECLESIE SANCTI ANDREE APOSTOLI IN SCOTIA

Secretum, oval, $1\frac{5}{8}'' \times \frac{7}{8}''$. St. Andrew on his cross. (Durham Seals, 68)

SECRETVM O VENT S' ANDREE

3680. St. Bothans, 34 priory of, Misc. 719. Oval, $1\frac{3}{4}'' \times 1\frac{1}{8}''$. Our Lady robed and crowned, seated with the child Christ.

A SIGILL' SANCTI BOIDANI

FOREIGN ECCLESIASTICAL.

3680a Pope Martin IV 1b . (Durham Seals, 70) . 4-2 Papalia, 1a no. 4.

33 S. B. M. 14967. The secretum is the reverse of no. 14966 ibid.

³⁴ Berwickshire, on the Whitadder. A priory of Cistercian nuns founded, temp. William the Lion, by Ada, countess of Dunbar and March, it was probably a cell of the priory at Berwick-on-Tweed. St. Bothan was a cousin of St. Columba and succeeded him as abbot of Iona. Anc. Ch. Scot., 379; Spotiswood, 460; Caledon. II, 345, 374; Anc. Ded. Scot. 253. The seal is used here by master John styled 'magister monialium de Sancto Boydano.' S. B. M. 15441.

la There are about ninety papal bulls now in Durham treasury. They are written upon vellum in a beautifully clear and legible hand and are mostly in good condition a few only being damaged by damp. Raine calendars three in his North Durham, appendix &I, and in a footnote says 'the rest were piously purloined at the Reformation.' In view of the many that remain, one is curious to know what evidence he had for this statement. Only one of the bulls has the leaden seal, called bulla, now attached to it; on some of the documents part of the silk or string, by which the seals were attached, still remains fastened through the vellum, the ends show that the seals have been cut off. On other documents the round mark, made by the lead where it has been folded within the vellum, is still to be seen. The 'pious purloining' applies only too well to the seals and the date would be almost certainly post-reformation. The seals called bullae (hence 'bull' the document to which the bulla was appended) were round disks of metal with a device stamped on both sides. They were usually lead being the most ductile

- 3681. Albano, Leonardo, bishop of . . . Misc. 3513, A.D. 1308:
 - Oval, $2\frac{3}{8}'' \times 1\frac{1}{2}''$, the bishop standing, in mass vestments, with his crosier, blessing.

'LEONARDI . DEI . GRA . EPI . ALBANEN :

- 3682. Ancona, Guglielmo,² bishop of, . . 2-5 Ebor., 10, 13 Feb., A.D. 1386.
 - Oval, $2\frac{1}{2}'' \times 1\frac{3}{4}''$, above in a canopied niche is Our Lady with the child Christ, beneath in two niches, on the dexter is St. Lawrence nimbed and holding his gridiron in front of his breast, on the

metal, but sometimes gold and silver were used. They were chiefly used in the east and the warm countries of south Europe where beeswax was not suitable and are best known as the form of seal used for papal documents. The earliest genuine one now in existence is that of Zacharias IV, A.D. 746, but they were in use earlier than this. The earliest known is one of Deusdedit (c. A.D. 614). Mabillon says that he had seen bullae of John V (A.D. 685) and of his successors. The earliest type, from circa A.D. 614 to A.D. 855, has on the obverse the name of the pope, in the genitive case, placed in two or three horizontal lines and on the reverse PAPAE. The second type has the name on the obverse placed in a circle round a central ornament, the reverse remaining the same (Mabillon De Re Diplomatica, lib. VI, p. 437, et seq.). The later type, with the heads of St. Paul and St. Peter on the reverse and on the obverse the pope's name, title and successional number, began in the pontificate of Paschal II (A.D. 1099-1118), (Mabillon op. cit, plate p. 447). See also Proc. Soc. Antiq. Lond., 2nd ser., vol. XI, p. 260; and 'Durham Seals,' pl. 70.

1b He was Simon de Brou, born at Montpilloi in Champagne, he was treasurer of St. Martin's, Tours, then cardinal priest of Sainte-Cécile, elected pope at Viterbo, 22 Feb., 1281; consecrated, on 23 March following, at Orvieto; died at Perugia, 28 March, 1285 (Tresor, p. 1122). His death is said to have been caused by a surfeit of eels and Dante places him among the gluttons in Purgatory (Purg. XXIV, 20-4).

¹A.D. 1300-1311. Called Leonardo Patrasso de Guercino (Gams XXIII, Trésor, 2156). He was bishop of Alatri in the Campagna, Rome, 1290-1295 (Gams, 661; Trésor, 1982); of Aversa, a suffragan see of Naples, A.D. 1298:1299 (Gams, 855; Trésor, 1994); Archbishop of Capua 1299/1300 (Gams, 868). Albano is a city in Italy about 12 miles S.E. of Rome. He was one of the cardinal bishops, that is bishop of one of the surburban churches in the neighbourhood of Rome, called cardinal bishops of the Lateran. They were originally seven in number, Albano, Ostia, Palestrina, Porto, Sabina, Santa Rufina and Tusculum.

² Guglielmo Dalla Vigna, A.D. 1385-1405 (Gams, 665), bishop of Todi, A.D. 1405-07 (*ibid* 735). Ancona is a city of Italy in the Marches, on the shores of the Adriatic. He is styled Willelmus episcopus Anconitanus et Domini Papae thesausarius. The cathedral church is dedicated to San Ciriaco. The shield on the dexter refers to his office of papal treasurer, that on the sinister is probably his own.

sinister a nimbed figured holding in his right hand a palm branch, in his left a book (? San Ciriaco). Below under a round-headed arch is the bishop in pontificals kneeling to the dexter. On his dexter side is a shield of arms, two keys placed saltireways; on his sinister is a like shield, bearing in the dexter chief a lion rampant in the sinister chief and in base a roundel. (Durham Seals, 69).

. . . LL' : EPI ANCHONIT API THESA

3683. Ancona, Lorenzo, Bishop of, Loc. III, 19, I Aug., A.D. 1407. Oval, $2\frac{5}{8}''$ fb $1\frac{2}{8}''$. St Lawrence standing in a canopied niche, holding a palm branch in his right hand, a gridiron beneath it. The field of the seal is diapered.

S' DNI LAV

3684. Acheres, Gerard d' Misc. 4268, A.D. 1323. Oval, very imperfect, Our Lady seated with the child Christ. Beneath is Gerard praying.

. . . . ERIO . . . PA RVC

3685. Acheres, 4 Gerard D'. . . . Misc. 5013, a.D. 1324; 5384. Oval, 15" × 1½", above in a canopied niche is Our Lady robed and crowned, seated with the child Christ, beneath in a niche with canopy and side shafts is St. Martin cutting his cloak with his sword and handing part to a beggar. Below under a pointed arch is Gerard praying, on his dexter is a shield of arms a crescent between three molets, on his sinister a like shield, a lion rampant. (Durham Seals, 69).

S' GERARDI : DE : ASSERIO PRIORIS : DE : PETRVCI :

³ Lorenzo Ricci, A.D. 1406-1410 (Gams, 665), bishop of Sinigaglia A.D. 1415-1418 (ibid, 727). Styled Laurentius episcopus Anconitanus sedis apostolicae nuncius in Anglia. He was also collector to the papal camera in England (Cal. Pap. VI, 94, 95).

⁴ Same man as 3684. He is styled Gerardus de Asserio prior de Petrucia Ruthenensis diocesis procurator Dni. Bertrandi Sce. Mariae in Aquino cardinalis, rector ecclesiae de Brantyngham (now Brantingham, E.R. Yorks). Peyrouse was in the diocese of Bourges, France. He was brother of Rigaud d'Achères, bishop of Winchester (Cal. Pap. 11, 451). See next seal.

- 3686. Acheres, Rigaud ⁵ D' . . . Misc. 3819, A.D. 1318. Oval, 178" × 138". Our Lady robed and crowned with the child Christ in an upper canopied niche. Beneath is a representation of the stoning of St. Stephen, below is Rigaud praying. (Durham Seals, 69).
 - S' RIGAVDI DE ASSERIO CA . . . LIAN : SR : PALACII : AVDITOR',
- 3686a Angouleme, Hugh of 5a see no. 893.
- 3687. Arezzo, Lorenzo di 3-2 Ebor, 40, A.D. 1439. Oval, $2\frac{3}{4}'' \times 1\frac{3}{4}''$, a nimbed and robed figure standing in a canopied niche, holding a crosier in his right hand and a book (?) in his left. Beneath is Lawrence praying and on each side of him is a shield of arms, a pegasus.
 - SI' DNI . LAVRETI . DE ARETIO AVDITORIS . SAC PALACII . . PLIC
- 3688. BALAETO, WILLELMUS DE Misc. 4388, A.D. 1313. Oval, $1\frac{1}{8}'' \times \frac{7}{8}''$, the Crucifixion, beneath is Our Lady seated with the child Christ, an angel censing on each side. Below is the archdeacon praying.

S'W D BALAETO

⁵ Styled domini Papae capellanus et in Anglia nuncius. He was afterwards bishop of Winchester; see Nos. 3213/3214 and notes 119/120. He is also styled canonicus Aurelianus (Scrip. Tres. App. CII).

5a Sacrist of Narbonne, an archiepiscopal city in the south of France (Aude) A.D. 1323 (Cal. Pap. II, 234); canon of York, prebend of Riccall, A.D. 1324 (Cal Pap. II, 237; L.N. III, 209); canon of London, A.D. 1326 (Cal. Pap. II, 248),; archdeacon of Canterbury, A.D. 1327 (ibid, 268; L.N. I, 40); papal nuncio in England, A.D. 1327 (ibid, 278). In June 1328 he was relieved of his mission because of ill-health (Cal. Pap. II, 488). Bishop of Carpentras, suffragan to Arles, A.D. 1331-37 (Cal. Pap. II, 559; Trisor, 1404).

⁶ In Tuscany about 50 miles S.E. of Florence. He is styled decrettorum doctor Dni. Papae capellanus et ipsius sacri palacii apostolici causarum auditor.' He was dead before March, 1441-42 (Cal. Pap. 1x, 273). Seal is S.B.M. 22163. The impression is on a facing of red wax placed on a thick foundation of white.

7 Styled Archidiaconus Foroiuliensis domini Papae capellanus. In A.D. 1316 he was nuncio to England, Wales, Scotland and Ireland (Cal. Pap. 11, 126). In Sept., 1316 he had confirmation from the pope of the provision made to him of a canonry, prebend and benefice in Lincoln (*ibid*, 124); the prebend was that of Bishop's Norton (L.N. 11, 194). He died before April, 1323 (Cal. Pap. 11, 453). Fréjus is in the south of France, suffragan to Aix.

- - S' BERNARD . CANONICI SENEN . . .
- 3690. Bertrand 9 Misc. 4903, A.D. 1309. Oval, $2\frac{3}{4}'' \times 1\frac{1}{2}''$. St. Peter and St. Paul standing in a canopied niche, between them, in an oval compartment, is the mitred head of a bishop and on each side a shield of arms, barry. Beneath under a round arch is the tonsured figure of Bertrand in gown and hood, praying. (Durham Seals, 70).
 - S: BERTRANDI * DNI X PP * CAMERARII
- 3691. BILYELT, 10 HERMANN 2-1 Arch. Dunelm., 18. Oval, $2\frac{7}{8}$ " × $1\frac{7}{8}$ ". Above in an upper canopied niche is Our Lady nimbed and robed, holding a sceptre in her right hand and the child Christ on her left arm. Beneath is St. George on horseback spearing the dragon. Below is a shield of arms, a cock. (Durham Seals, 69).
 - S' HERMANI D'BILEVELT . DECRE . . . DOCT' SACRI PALI AP'CI CAR' AVDITOR'.
- 3692. CANDOLFI, 11 ANDREA DI Misc. 4446x, A.D. 1292 Oval, $1\frac{3}{4}$ X $1\frac{1}{8}$. The Annunciation. Gabriel holds a scroll

⁸ Styled magister Bernardus Senensis domini Papae subdiaconus et capellanus.

⁹ Styled Bertrandus episcopus Albiensis domini Papae camerarius. He was a kinsman of William des Bordes, rector of Whitburn, Durham (Cal. Pap. 11, 66, 133). Albi is now an archiepiscopal city in France (Languedoc), the cathedral is dedicated to Sainte-Cécile; till about 1676 it was a suffragan see to Bourges. Bertrand des Bordes, bishop of Albi A.D. 1308-1311; cardinal of SS. John and Paul, A.D. 1310; died A.D. 1311 (Gams, 484; Trésor, 1368).

¹⁰ Styled Hermannus de Bilvelt decrettorum doctor praepositus ecclesiae St. Andree Inningen (?) domini Papae capellanus, &c. Bilvelt is probably Bielefeld in Westphalia. The seal is impressed on a facing of red wax deeply sunk in a cup of white wax.

¹¹ Styled archidiaconus de Medinensis in ecclesia Salamantina. He was also a canon of Orleans (Cal. Pap. 1, 495). Medina del Campo was an important place N.E. of Salamanca, the centre of a district which probably formed an archdeaconry in the diocese. Salamanca was a suffragan see to Santiago de Compostela.

upon which is AVE MARIA. Beneath is Andrea praying and in front of him a shield of arms, lozengy.

. . . . REE D'CANDVLFI CANSIL

- 3693. CERRETANI, ¹² GIOVANNI DI, . Misc. 873, 7062, 7063, A.D. 1466. Round, 2½". The Annunciation, the Virgin is kneeling at a desk upon which is an open book, Gabriel holds a scroll upon which is AVE MARIA and behind him is a church above which is God the Father holding an orb in his left hand and looking towards the Virgin. A figure of the archdeacon in his doctor's gown kneels beside the Archangel, beneath is a shield of arms, an ancient ship. (Durham Seals, 69).
 - s.io.de.ceretanis.legu.doctor.archidiacoi. sarnen...bbrdagalen
- 3694. CHIRON, 18 LEONARD, BISHOP OF . . . Misc. 1499, A.D. 1305 Oval, $2\frac{1}{8}'' \times 1\frac{1}{4}''$, the bishop in mass vestments blessing, his crosier in his left hand.
 - S' LEONARDI . . . DEI GRACIA CHVRONENSIS EPI .
- 3695. Concoreto, 14 Itherius de, . . . See no. 676 in Catalogue.
- 3696. Cappel, 15 Partingus De, Loc. x, no. 52 a.D. 1429. Oval, $2\frac{3}{4}$ " × $1\frac{5}{8}$ ". Our Lady robed and crowned standing, in a central canopied niche, holding the child Christ, on either side is an angel censing, beneath is a figure of Partingus, praying, below him a shield of arms, two scythe blades (?) placed saltireways. (Durham Seals, 69).

s patíngíi. de. cappel. decre. doctorís. et sac. palii aplici. carb. abditor.

12 Styled Johannes de Ceretanis legum doctor archidiaconus in ecclesia Burdegalensi (Bordeaux) domini Papae capellanus. The seal is of red wax inside a round wooden box. The two strings fastening the seal to the document pass together through one hole at the upper part of the back and come out separately through two holes lower down.

13 Styled Campus Suanens Leonardus episcopus Chironensis. Chiron was a bishopric in Crete. Gams does not give Leonard, his list begins with bishop Boniface A.D. 1306. Leonardo Faletro was Latin Archbishop of Candia, A.D. 1307 (Gams, 401).

¹⁴ He was a bachelor of civil and canon law; papal nuncio in England in A.D. 1329 (Cal. Pap. II, 296), canon of Salisbury, prebend of Faringdon 1327-40 (*ibid*); in A.D. 1332 he had provision of a canonry and prebend and the archdeaconry of London (*ibid*, 357; L.N. II, 320, 382). See also Yorks. Arch. Jour. XXII, 138.

¹⁵ Styled auditor. The seal is on red wax deeply sunk for protection in a thick cup of white wax.

3697. CREMONA, 15b JOHN OF see no. 736 in Catalogue.

[S' GAVCELINI : DI : GRA :] T.T. [SCOR : MARCELLINI ET]

PET' P'BRI : CARD':

3699. GAUCELIN 17 (D' EAUZE) . . . Misc. 3819x A.D. 1317; 3970.

15b Italy, on the Po about 50 miles S.E. of Milan,

16 Son of Jean d'Eauze and nephew of pope John xxII. He was cardinal priest of SS. Marcellinus and Peter, A.D. 1316-30 (Tresor, 2237). He was sent as legate by the pope to negotiate peace between Edward II and Robert Brus (Cal. Pap. II. 127/132). He was vice chancellor of Lichfield and canon (prebend of Sawley) and treasurer of the same place in A.D. 1317 (ibid, 137; L.N. 1, 582),; canon of Lincoln (ibid 11, 154); canon of York (ibid, 11 168) besides which he had provision of various rectories in England (see ibid bassim). He was made cardinal bishop of Albano, A.D. 1330 and died 1348 (Trésor, 1168). It was in his company and that of his fellow legate Luke, cardinal deacon of Santa Maria in Via Lata (Luca Fieschi, Trescr, 2261) that Lewis Beaumont, bishop elect of Durham, travelled north in the autumn of 1317: The cardinals were on their way to Scotland and the bishop elect desired to be consecrated and enthroned at Durham in their presence—ad magnificentiam nominis sui. They had reached Rushyford, near Ferryhill, on their northward way, when they were attacked by a company of freebooters, under the command of Gilbert Middleton and Walter Selby. These despoiled them of their goods and took away Lewis Beaumont and his brother Sir Henry Beaumont, captives for ransom, the cardinals they allowed to go to Durham, leaving them a horse each for the journey, where they arrived in a sad plight (Scrip. Tres., 100; H.D. 1, 267; S.D. I, XXXVIII). According to Graystanes (Scrip. Tres., 100) the prior and monks received them hospitably and ministered to their needs. The pope wrote consoling them for the shameful treatment they had received, exhorting them to patience and promising punishment for the perpetrators (Cal. Pap. 11, 418). But the outraged cardinals would not be placated Tu Cuthberte, respondebis nobis de omnibus oblatis and threatened that they would not leave one stone of the church upon another (Scrip. Tres., 100). The pope appears to have taken their part, he issued a mandate citing before himself the prior and monks of Durham who 'inhospitably and inhumanly' treated cardinals Gaucelin and Luke (Cal. Pap. 11, 444). See also Scrip. Tres., App. c1 and c11, and Sir Gilbert de Middleton, by Sir A. E. Middleton, chap. v, p. 28.

17 Seal is S.B.M. 22, 135. Same man as no. 3698. The blason is unknown. This seal is also used as secretum to no. 3698. For the armorials of his uncle pope John xxII, see E.H., p. 160.

Round, $\frac{7}{8}$ ", armorial, two lions passant in a border charged with roundels. The shield is set in a trefoil in the spandrils of which are three wyverns. (Durham Seals, 68).

SIT: NOM DNI BNDICTVM

3700. GERARD 19 ... Misc. 3912, A.D. 1278. Oval, 138" × 1", a figure seated at a desk holding out an inscribed scroll to another figure standing.

ICTAR DNI . . .

- 3701. Grassi,²⁰ Antonio dei Misc. 872, 7049, 7050, 7051, 7052, 7053, 7054, 7055.
 - Oval, $2\frac{7}{8}$ " \times $1\frac{7}{8}$ ". Our Lady standing in a central niche beneath a canopy, with the child Christ. On her dexter side is St. Peter, on her sinister St. Paul, below is Antonio, in his doctor's gown, praying, on each side of him a shield of arms, an eagle displayed. (Durham Seals, 69).
 - S' D'ANTONII D'GRASSIS IVR' VTRIVSQ' DOCTOR SAC .
 PALATII CAVSAR AVDITORIS

SIGILL GVALON . TT SCI MARTI . . . AR

19 Styled magister scholar Parmensis (Parma) domini papae capellanus. See also Cal. Pap. 1, 345. Magister scholae implies that he was scholasticus of the cathedral of Parma, a dignity generally united with that of chancellor.

20 Circa A.D. 1482; S.B.M. 22, 164, he is styled archipresbyter et canonicus Bononiensis (Bologna) dni. papae capellanus. The arms are those of the family of Grassi of Bologna, blasoned party gold and gules and eagle displayed party sable and argent crowned gules. The seal is of red wax in a cup of white wax and the whole contained in an iron box.

20a Styled Gualo tituli sancti Martini presbyter cardinalis quondam legatus Angliae. He was papal legate to king John and one of the executors of his will (Cal. Pap. 1, 40, 44, 97). He was cardinal deacon of Santa Maria in Portico, A.D. 1205-1211; cardinal priest of San Martino di Monti, A.D. 1211-27 (Trésor, 2260,2242).

21 Styled presbyter cardinalis S. Stephani in Celio Monte apostolicae sedis legatus. John of Salerno; See Roger of Hoveden IV, 174 (Rolls Series) and Cal. Pap. I, passim. He was created cardinal priest of San Stefano in Monte Celio (also called San Stefano Rotondo in Monte Celio), A.D. 1191; died A.D. 1210 or 1212 (Trésor, 1189, 2231).

- Oval, $I_{\frac{1}{2}} \times I_{\frac{1}{4}}^{1}$, brown wax, the cardinal vested in alb, dalmatic, chasuble, pall and mitre, his right hand on his breast, his left holding a book. (Durham Seals, 68).
 - . . . SCI . STEPHAN . CEL MOTE PBR CARDINA . . .
- 3703. LAODICEA, AUGUSTINE, ²² BISHOP OF, Misc. 1498, A.D. 1259. Oval, $2\frac{1}{8}'' \times 1\frac{1}{4}''$, the bishop standing, in mass vestments with mitre and crosier, blessing. (Durham Seals, 69).
 - S' FRIS AVGVSTINI EPI LAODICENSIS
 - Secretum, oval, $\mathbf{1}_4^{1''} \times \frac{3}{4}''$, a nimbed and robed figure standing, holding a cross in his right hand.
 - S' FRIS AVGVSTINI AGI FIDAM
- 3704. MILA, 23 JUAN DE, Misc. 7060, A.D. 1436. Oval, 3" × 2", red wax in a cup of white, above in a central niche is our Lady robed and crowned holding the child Christ, on each side in a smaller niche is an angel. Beneath on the dexter is St. John Baptist, on the sinister St. James; below is a figure of John praying, on each side of him a shield of arms, an eagle displayed. (Durham Seals, 70).
 - : johannis de . . r . doctor sacri pa'car . auditor
- 3705. MIGLIORATI, COSIMO, 23a. Loc. x, no. 47, A.D. 1381. Oval, $1\frac{5}{8}'' \times 1\frac{1}{8}''$. St. Peter as pope enthroned in a niche of tabernacle work, his right hand blessing, his left holding the

²² Austin Nottingham a familiar of Innocent IV and brother to the provincial of the Franciscans (Reg. Sacr. Angel. 195) Indulgence printed 'Rites' 153, no. xXII. See S.B.M. 22, 366.

²³ Styled Johannes de Mella apostolicae sedis protonotarius. Juan Luis Milano, nephew of pope Calixtus III (Trésor, 2225). In A.D. 1440 he was bishop of Zamora and styled bishop elect of Leon, papal chaplain and auditor (Cal. Pap. 1x, 136, 138); bishop of Zamora (Spain, suffragan to Santiago de Compostela), A. D. 1448-1467, cardinal priest of Quattro Coronati A.D. 1456; first cardinal priest of San Calisto Martire A.D. 1458-1507/8 (Trésor, 2248, 2225; Gams, 91). The attendant saints are John Baptist his name saint and St. James patron saint of Spain.

^{23a} Styled here decrettorum doctor sedis apostolicae et camerae nuncius in Anglia et collector. He was born at Solmona in the Abruzzi; appointed papal nuncio, collector and receiver in England, A.D. 1379 (Cal. Pap. IV, 257); styled chancellor of Capua, licentiate in canon law and papal chaplain in 1380 (ibid, 258); clerk of the papal camera in 1381

keys. Beneath is Cosimo praying, on each side of him, a shield of arms, on a bend cotised three molets.

. GENTILIS

3706. Morosini, ²⁴ Jacopo . . . Loc. XXIV, no. 79, A.D. 1419. Oval, 3" × 2". Our Lady robed and crowned seated in a canopied niche with the child Christ. Beneath is Jacopo praying, on each side of him is a shield of arms a tree with branches (?) in an engrailed border.

s'jacobi morresini abditoris sacri palc . . .

3707. NOGIERS, 25 RAYMOND DES . Misc. 3806, A.D. 1274; 4142. Oval, $1\frac{7}{3}'' \times ''$, imperfect, beneath a church-like canopy a robed figure standing, holding a book to his breast with both hands. NAP

(ibid, 263); clerk of the college of cardinals (ibid, 262); provost of the church of San Panfilo, Solmona, the cathedral church of the united dioceses of Valva and Solmona (ibid,272). Bishop of Bologna, A.D. 1386-1387, and archbishop of Ravenna, A.D. 1387-1400 (Gams, 676, 718). He was made cardinal priest of Santa Croce in Gerusalemme, A.D. 1389 (Trésor, 2229). Elected pope 17 Oct., 1404, taking the name Innocent vii; he died 6 Nov., 1406 (L'Art de Verifier les Dates, 3rd ed. II, 322; Trésor, 1134). His arms are blasoned gold on a bend cotised azure three stars gold (E.H., 161). Seal S.B.M.,

- 24 Styled papal auditor. The seal is on red wax in a cup of white wax.
- ²⁵ A papal chaplain and nuncio in England (Cal. Pap. 1, 445); S.B.M., 22, 170.
- ²⁶ Styled Ottobonus, S. Adriani diaconus cardinalis, legatus. Ottobuono Fieschi, nephew of pope Innocent IV, born at Genoa, cardinal deacon of St. Adrian, A.D. 1252-76. He was sent by Clement IV (A.D. 1265) as legate to Henry III to warn the king from making a treaty of peace 'until that pestilent man (earl Simon of Leicester) with all his progeny be plucked out of the realm of England' (Cal. Pap. 1, 419); he acted as arbitrator between prince Edward and earl Simon (ibid 1, 426; England under the Normans and Angevins, by H. W. C. Davis, p. 480). Seal is S.B.M., 22, 102. It was he who promulgated the legatine constitutions at the council of London, A.D. 1268, which with those of his predecessor Oddo (A.D. 1237 or 1238) formed an important part of English canon law. He was elected pope, II July, 1276, and took the title Adrian v; he died at Viterbo, 16 Aug., 1276, not having been consecrated pope or ordained priest (L'Art de Verifier les Dates, II, 302, 3rd. ed.; Trésor, 1120).

both hands on it is IHS XPS (?). On each side, in a circular panel, is a man's head with tracery above and below. (Durham Seals, 69).

- S'. OTTOBONI. SCI: ADRIANI: DIACONI: CARDINALIS...
- 3709. Pellegrin, 27 Hugues see no. 1953 in catalogue.
- 3710. Pellegrin, 28 Raimond see no. 1954 in catalogue.
- 3711. Prato, 28 Gemignano di, . . . Misc. 7056, 7057, A.D. 1443. Oval, $2\frac{3}{4}$ × $1\frac{3}{4}$, red wax in a white cup, in a central canopied niche Our Lady seated with the child Christ, on her dexter side seated in a smaller niche is St. Lawrence, on her sinister in a like niche St. Francis (?). Beneath is a kneeling figure of Gemignano and on each side of him a shield of arms, a meadow (?) with flowers growing in it. (Durham Seals, 70).
 - S' GEMINIANI DE PRATO DEC: DOCT CA . . SAC AVDITORIS
- 3712. Prato, 30 Guglielmo di, Misc. 4298, A.D. 1310.

27 In March, 1332, he had provision, at the king's request of a prebend in the church of Lanchester, in the diocese of Durham (Cal. Pap. 11, 373). In November, 1348, he had provision of the treasurership of Lichfield void by the death of Gaucelin, cardinal bishop of Albano (Cal. Pap. 111, 277; L.N. 1, 582). In 1349 he is styled D.C.L. and papal nuncio (Cal. Pap. 111, 40). In 1369 he held the prebend of Stoke in Lincoln (L.N. 1, 582).

28 He was a brother of Hugh (No. 3709), (Cal. Pap. III, 632). A canon of St. Omer, had the prebend of Driffield in York in A.D. 1329 (L.N. III, 182). In A.D. 1329 he was beneficed in France and rector of Atherton in the dicoese of Winchester (Arreton in the Isle of Wight), (Cal. Pap. II, 301). He was afterwards rector of Crondall, Hants., which he exchanged for Harrow (Middlesex) in A.D. 1352-53 (Hennessy, 205). In Sept., 1331, he had provision of a canonry and prebend in Wells (*ibid*, 328); A.D. 1337 canon of London (prebend of Caddington Major,) (L.N. II, 369); A.D. 1344 papal nuncio (Cal. Pap. III, 5); A.D. 1350 had provision of a canonry and prebend in Salisbury (*ibid*, 316, 414); A.D. 1359 archdeacon of Saint-Ceré in Cahors (*ibid*, 632). He was also canon and prebendary of and in Dublin, Lincoln and Shaftesbury (Hennessy, xxv).

29 Styled papal chaplain and auditor A.D. 1418 (Cal. Pap. VII, 94); provost of Pistoia, A.D. 1419 (*ibid*, 114). Pistoia, an episcopal see in Tuscany, near Florence (Gams, 750); the cathedral of Pistoia is dedicated to San Jacopo. The church at Prato to San Francesco. He was bishop elect of Todi A.D. 1434 (Cal. Pap. VIII, 494); bishop of Todi A.D. 1434 (Gams, 735). The patron saint of Todi is San Terenziano. The shield, I think, bears the curious canting arms of a meadow (Prato).

30 Styled canonicus Conuenensis sedis apostolicae nuncius. He was a canon of the church of Saint-Bertrand-de-Comminges, an episcopal city on the spurs of the Pyrenees, a

Oval, very imperfect, a figure kneeling in front of an altar upon which is a chalice, behind the altar is a standing figure holding a crosier. Beneath is a shield of arms, barry.

Legend destroyed.

3713. Paris, 31 consistory court of the bishop of, . Loc. x, 21, A.D. 1287.

Round, $r_{\underline{1}}^{\underline{1}}$ ", the mitred head of a bishop in profile. (Durham 'Seals, 68).

. . . ILLVM : CVRIE : PAR : EPISCOPI

Secretum, $\frac{7}{8}$ ", a crosier between two fleurs de lys. (Durham Seals, 68).

AS . FCM . ANO MCC . L . III

3714. Paris, John 32 archdeacon of, . . . Loc. III, 14, a.d. 1255. Oval, 13" × 1", a standing figure of the archdeacon vested in alb and chasuble, holding a book to his breast with both hands, on his dexter side is a fleur de lys, on his sinister an escallop. (Durham Seals, 68).

JOHANNIS . A ONI . P

3715. PAVIN, JEAN-FRANÇOIS, 33 . . Misc. 6220, A.D. 1467; 7061; 4-4 Spec. 9.

Oval, $2\frac{7}{8}'' \times 1\frac{7}{8}''$, above in a canopied niche is God the Father seated holding Christ on the cross in front of him, beneath in a central niche is our Lady, robed and crowned, standing, holding the child Christ on her left arm and a sceptre in her right hand. On the dexter side in a smaller niche is a robed and tonsured figure holding in his right hand a rod with a fleur

suffragan see of Auch. (Cal. Pap. 11, 51; Gams, 539). He was papal nuncio A.D. 1309 (Cal. Pap. 11, 58). In 1310 he was given a canonry and prebend of York (South Newbald) void by the promotion of Peter, archbishop of Lyons (*ibid*, 66). This he resigned in 1312 (*ibid*, 97).

³¹ The seal is that of the official of the consistory court of Paris. It affords an excellent example of the shape of the mitre of the thirteenth century.

³² I am unable further to identify this archdeacon.

³³ Styled auditor. The impression is on red wax, sunk in a cup of white wax which surrounds and protects the seal proper. The whole is enclosed in an iron box, the exact shape of the seal.

de lys at the top and a book in his left; on the sinister in a like niche is a robed and tonsured figure holding a church (?) in his right hand and a cross in his left. Below is a shield of arms three roses within a border checky (?). (Durham Seals, 70).

. S . D . IO : FRAN . PAVINI . IV . V . ET . SA : THE . DOC . ET . CA . SA . PA . AP . AVDITORIS

- 3716. Peter, 34 Misc. 705, 993, A.D. 1423. Oval, $2\frac{7}{8}'' \times 1\frac{7}{8}''$, in an upper niche a demi figure of Our Lady with the child Christ. Below in a central niche a standing figure of St. Peter holding in his right hand a cross from which two keys hang, in his left a book, beneath is a kneeling figure of Peter in his doctor's robes on each side of him a shield of arms . . . ? (Durham Seals, 70).
 - S' PETR NVRDI DECRET : DOCT : AC : PACII : APCI : CAR : AVDI .
- 717. Peto, 36 Antonio di, Loc. III, 12, A.D. 1412. Oval, 2¾ × 1½ , red wax in a cup of white chalky wax; above is the Holy Dove descending, in the centre is Our Lady with Christ and the twelve apostles (?) kneeling on each side of her and above and below. Beneath is Antonio praying. (Durham Seals, 70). 及 s'generalis ministri ordinis fratrom . minorom .
- 3718. Rome, ³⁶ Auditor general of the apostolic camera at, . Misc. 7066, A.D. 1466.
 - Oval, $2\frac{3}{4}'' \times 1\frac{3}{4}''$, a demi figure of Our Lady seated with the child Christ, an angel on each side of her. Beneath on the dexter St. Peter, on the sinister St. Paul. Below them is standing a figure and a shield of arms, two keys saltireways, on each side.
 - S' AVDITORIS GENERALIS CAMERE APOSTOLICE

35 Used by frater Antonius de Peto ordinis minorum generalis minister. Franciscans, friars minor or Grey Friars.

³⁶ Used by the auditor general of the apostolic camera at Rome. In A.D. 1489 the same seal is used by Pietro Menzi (S.B.M., 22, 152). The seal is on red wax and contained in an iron box the shape of the seal.

³⁴ Styled auditor. The seal is impressed on red wax, sunk deeply in a thick protecting cup of hard white wax. The shields of arms bear a device I cannot blason; it appears to be a chain in chief but the charges in base I am not able to decipher.

- 3719. Rome, ⁸⁷ Hospital of the Holy Trinity and St. Thomas at, . . Loc. 1, 45, A.D. 1446.
 - Oval, $2\frac{1}{4}'' \times 1\frac{3}{8}''$. God the Father seated holding Christ on the cross in front of him, a fleur de lys on each side. Beneath is the mitred figure of St. Thomas of Canterbury holding his cross and in front of him a shield of arms quarterly France (modern) and England.
 - s fraternitatis . ospitalis thome martiris in roma
- 3720. ROSTAND 38 Misc. 5057, A.D. 1256. Oval, $1\frac{7}{8}'' \times 1\frac{1}{4}''$. St. Martin of Tours dividing his cloak with a beggar. Beneath is a seated figure who is addressed by a figure standing in front of him.

SIGILL . . MAGRI ROS . . . DI DNI PAPE CAPELLANI

3721. Solerio, 39 John de Misc. 4357, A.D. 1306. Oval, $2'' \times 1\frac{1}{2}''$, a standing figure of St. John Baptist holding the Holy Lamb, beneath is John praying.

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3722. Teste, 40 Guillaume de la, . . Loc. XIX, 46, 50, A.D. 1309-10. Oval, $1\frac{3}{4}'' \times 1''$, above is a demi figure of Our Lady holding the

³⁷ The document is a letter of fraternity from camerarii custos et confrates Christi pauperum hospitalis Scae. Trinitatis et glorioso Sci. Thomae Martyris in urbe Romae fundati to Robertus Westmerland monachus Dunelmensis, known as the hospital of the English, in the city of Rome. S.B.M. 22412/16. Westmorland was the colleague (conscius) of the cellarer at Durham (Durham Acct. Rolls, p. 62, et passim).

38 In A.D. 1253 he is styled papal subdeacon and chaplain (Cal. Pap. 1, 295); in 1256 he was papal nuncio in England (*ibid*, 338); in 1257 papal archdeacon (*ibid*, 342); in December, 1259 archdeacon of Agen (*ibid*, 354). Agen was one of the suffragan sees of Bordeaux (Gams, 479). In February, 1259, he had 'confirmation, suppletion & dispensation' from the pope for his various benefices, including besides his archdeaconry, the parish churches of Langres in the diocese of Bazas, St. Peter's in the East, Oxford, Stevenage in the diocese of Lincoln, 'Estraham' in the diocese of Ely (Stretham, Cambs.), 'Scaldeford' in the diocese of Winchester (Shalford, Surrey), (*ibid*, 363). He died before September, 1261 (*ibid*, 385).

39 Styled canonicus ecclesiae S. Radegundis Pictaviensis camerae dni. Papae clericus. The church of Sainte-Radegonde at Poitiers, built in memory of Radegonde, wife of the Frankish king Clotaire, who lived and founded a monastery there. She died in A.D. 587 and her tomb is preserved in the crypt of the church.

40 Styled archidiaconus Aranensis in ecclesia Conuenensi dni. Papae capellanus. Archdeacon of Aran, in the diocese of Comminges (see note 30). In Nov., 1309, he had pro-

child Christ. Beneath is a figure kneeling in front of an altar on which is a cross and a chalice, behind the altar is a bishop standing in mass vestments, with mitre and crosier. Below is a shield of arms, an eagle displayed. (Durham Seals, 70).

S' GVILLI DE TESTA ARCHIDIACON DE ARANNO

- 3723. THOMARII, 41 JOHN DE Misc. 7058, 7059, A.D. 1422. Oval, $2\frac{7}{8}'' \times 1\frac{7}{8}''$, in a central niche of tabernacle work is Our Lord with cruciferous nimbus rising from the sepulchre, beneath is . John praying, on each side of him a shield of arms, an eagle displayed debruised by a fess. (Durham Seals, 70).
 - S . JOHANIS . DE THOMARIIS . DECRETOR' : DOCTOR' .
 - S . PALAC' APLI'. CAR' AVDITOR.
- 3724. TORTIBOLI, NICHOLAS, 42 BISHOP OF . . Misc. 1499, A.D. 1305. Oval, $2\frac{1}{4}'' \times 1\frac{3}{8}''$, the bishop standing in mass vestments with crosier blessing, above him is a demi figure of Our Lady with the child Christ.
 - . . . NICOLA GRA EP ORTIBVLEN . .
- Oval, very imperfect, the bishop in mass vestments blessing.
 - EI : GRA I : TUSC
- 3726. Vezano, 44 Giffredo di . . see nos. 2540a, 2541 in catalogue.

vision of a canonry, prebend and the precentorship of Lincoln (Cal. Pap. II, 59; L.N. II, 83, 165); he was also archdeacon of Ely (*ibid*, 116; L.N. I, 350) and archdeacon of St. Asaph (L.N. I, 84) besides holding various rectories (Cal. Pap. II, 169, 204). In 1309 he was administrator of the archdiocese of Canterbury, archbishop Robert being suspended (Cal. Pap. II, 69). In March, 1313, he was promoted to the cardinalate, by the title of San Ciriaco in Terme; and recalled to Rome. He was dead before 16 February, 1326-27 (Cal. Pap. II, 255; *Tresor*, 2230).

41 A native of Bologna, a papal chaplain and auditor (Cal. Pap. vi, 243); S.B.M., 22, 158. The seal is on red wax in a thick cup of white.

⁴² In the kingdom of Naples, a suffragan of Benevento. Nicholas does not appear in Gams list (892).

43 Bérenger Fredoli, A.D. 1309-1323 (Gams, XX; Trésor, 1165). A cardinal bishopric, Tusculum being one of the seven suburban churches (see note 1). He was bishop of Béziers (province of Narbonne, France), A.D. 1294-1309 (Tresor, 1395).

44 In A.D. 1282 he was canon of Cambrai and papal nuncio in England (Cal. Pap. 1, 467), he is also styled clerk of the papal camera and papal chaplain (ibid, 475, 493). In

3727. VOLTERRA, LUDOVICO, 45 BISHOP OF, 2-5 Ebor., 18, A.D. 1401. Round, 14", armorial, paly-bendy. (Durham Seals, 70).

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MUNICIPAL SEALS.12

3728. BERWICK UPON TWEED ¹ . . Misc. 968, A.D. 1342; 5983, A.D.

Obverse, Round, 3", a bear, with collar and chain, walking to the dexter, in front of a tree upon which are two birds. The field of the seal is diapered with a delicate floral pattern and the device is surrounded with the Scottish tressure.

* VNE : VILLE : BERWICI EDAM :

Reverse, 3", God the Father, seated on a throne holding in front of him, the figure of Our Lord upon the cross (Emblem of the Trinity). The field is diapered in a foliage design and the inner edge of the border cusped.

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3729. BERWICK UPON TWEED 2 , , Misc. 1356. Round, $1\frac{5}{8}$ ", a bear standing in front of a tree.

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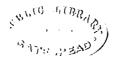
A.D. 1291 he was papal legate to England (ibid, 556). He was bishop of Parma, A.D. 1299-1300 (Gams, 745). For three of his later seals see S.B.M., 18, 220/22. No. 2541 description should read 'Our Lady with Christ, above two angels censing.' The legend should read, S'GIFREDI DE VEZA. CAMERACEN.....

45 Ludovico Aliotto A.D. 1398-1411 (Gams, 763). Volterra is in Tuscany, a bishopric at that time, immediately subject to the holy see. He was bishop of Athens before translation to Volterra (Gams, 430).

1a For general account of these see Borough Seals of the Gothic Period, by Gale Pedrick; specially valuable for its series of excellent illustrations; it is referred to in these notes as 'Pedrick.' See also a paper by Sir W. H. St. John Hope in Proc. Soc. Ant. London, and ser., xv, p. 434, referred to below as 'Hope.'

1 See Berwicksh. Nat. Club. Trans., xxIII, 403 and pl. facing on which this is no. 3. Also Arch. Ael., 3rd ser., vI, 136.

² This is no. 2, plate facing 403, op. cit.



BERWICK UPON TWEED, BEVERLEY AND CORBRIDGE. 199

3730.	BERWICK, ³ CHAMBERLAIN OF Misc. 950, A.D. 1365. Round, I", a banner charged with the three leopards of England, on each side of it is a tree and beneath it a bear facing to the dexter. (Durham Seals, 71).
	RVIC
3731.	Beverley 4
111	A SIGILL VM . COMMUNITATIS . BVRGEN CIVM BEVERLACI .
3732	Beverley, ⁵ officiality of the provost of Misc. 4230 A.D. 1312. Oval, 1½" × 1". St. John of Beverley vested as an archbishop with pall and cross, seated, blessing. Beneath is a figure praying. (Durham Seals, 67).
	S' OFFICIALITAT' . P'POSITI : DE : BEVERLACI
3733-	CORBRIDGE 6 Misc. 460, A.D. 1233-34. Round, 2", a cross paty between four men's heads in profile and wearing helmets.
	▼ S NE COREBRIGIE
3734	Corbridge 7 Misc. 463, A.D. 1453 Round, $2\frac{1}{4}$, a cross paty, with an ornament at the intersection

₩ SIGILL' COMMVNE COREBRIGIE

between four men's heads.

³ Used by William Delaval styled chamberlain of the town of Berwick-upon-Tweed. This seal is called *sigillum officii mei camerarii*. See the Delaval pedigree N.C.H. 1X, 168.

⁴ East Riding of Yorks. John, bishop of Hexham and archbishop of York, *circa*A.D. 705-718 (L.N. III, 94), founded a monastery here early in the eighth century. In
A.D. 1037 he was canonised as St. John of Beverley. A college of secular canons succeeded St. John's monastery early in the tenth century. S.B.M., 4625.

⁵ This seal should have been placed with the ecclesiastical. The provostship of Beverley was an ecclesiastical office of great dignity held by many famous men. At this date William of Melton, afterwards archbishop of York, was provost. 'Pedrick,' p. 41 and pl. xxx1, no. 61.

⁶ N.C.H. x, pl. facing 41, no. 1. Document printed ibid, p. 64, note 2.

⁷ Op. Cit. No. 2. Document p. 68, note 2.

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3735. CORBRIDGE 8 Misc. 476, A.D. 1452. Round, 13/4, a cross paty, an ornament at the intersection, between four men's heads.

SIGILLY COMVNE CORIBRIGE

3736. KINGSTON-UPON-HULL 9 . . . Misc. 6658, A.D. 1433; 1-1 Spec., 110, A.D. 1432.

Round, r_{4}^{3} ", armorial, three crowns, the shield is placed within an eight-foiled panel and the field of seal delicately diapered with a foliage pattern. (Durham Seals, 71).

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Nisc. 5574.

Round, 1\frac{2}{4}". St. Thomas of Canterbury vested as an archbishop with pall and cross seated on the dexter, St. Paul seated on the sinister holding a sword, each in a canopied niche with crockets and finials. Beneath, and at each side is a leopard of England.

Above them is s. Th. S.P.

SIGILLYM MAIORATVS LONDON :

3738. Newcastle-upon-Tyne ¹¹ . . Misc. 6873, A.D. 1308; 1-1 Spec. 103, 105, 116, A.D. 1318-34.

Round, $1\frac{7}{8}$, a castle with doorway, and three turrets above, upon which are two pear shaped objects. (Durham Seals, 71).

A COMMVNE SIGILL': NOVI CA TINAM

⁸ Op. Cit. No. 3. Document, p. 111, note 4. See also Arch. Ael., 3rd ser., vi, 138.

⁹ Blasoned azure three crowns paleways gold. The charges are royal crowns alluding to the royal foundation by Edward 1 and to the name of the town. 'Pedrick,' p. 79 and plates xiv and xlix.

10 See no. 824 in this catalogue. The charter names Sir Gregory Rokele, mayor of London; John, Adrian and Walter le Cornwaleys, sheriffs. It is a grant from William of Durham styled, son of Luce of Durham, citizen of London; he was a prominent citizen, alderman of Bread street ward in A.D. 1276; sheriff, A.D. 1281 and was dead in A.D. 1284 (Calendar of Letter Books of London, A., pp. 9, 83, 196). He states that he has affixed his own seal to this charter and for its greater security and witness (majorem securitatem et testimonium) he has procured the seal of the mayoralty of London and has affixed it to the same.

See 'Hope,' p. 433 and engraving ibid, no. 2, p. 449; also 'Pedrick,' 84 and plates

¹¹ The pear shaped devices above the gateway are probably shields. The seal is considerably earlier than the deed to which it is attached. From the type of lettering, Roman capitals with the E open, one would judge it to be about mid-twelfth century.

3739. Newcastle-upon-Tyne ¹² . . . Misc. 6092, 6614, 6882, A.D. 1369; 1-4 Spec. 115, A.D. 1483.

Round, 13", a battlemented bridge of two arches spanning a river, upon it a battlemented castle with gateway and three battlemented turrets above. On each side of the castle is a leopard of England. The field of the seal is diapered in a lozenge pattern. (Durham Seals, 71).

* S' MAIORAT' VILLE : NOVI CAST' SVP' TINAM AD CAVSAS

3740. Newcastle-upon-Tyne, 13 Statute Merchant Seal of . 3-13 Spec. 28, a.d. 1366.

Obverse, round, 1\frac{3}{4}". A full-faced bust of king Edward with a curl at each side of his head, wearing a crown of three fleur de lys, on his breast a leopard of England. In the field on each side of the head is a triple towered castle. (Durham Seals, 71).

S'EDW' REG.... REC' DEB' APD' NO......IN'

Reverse, round $\frac{7}{8}$ ", a triple towered castle with gateway, from it floats a banner charged with the royal arms of England (three leopards). (Durham Seals, 71).

NOVI CASTR S'R TIN'

- 3741. Newcastle-upon-Tyne, staple of, ¹⁴ I-I Spec. 84, A.C. 1403. Round, 15", a river flowing in front of a triple towered castle gateway with portcullis across the gateway, under the portcullis, is a leopard of England. On each side of the gateway, in the field, is a fleur de lys. (Durham Seals, 71).
 - * SIGILLV : ST VILLE : NOVI : CASTRI SVP'TYNA'
- 3742. Westminster, staple 15 of . . . 4-5 Ebor. 15, A.D. 1381. Round, $1\frac{1}{4}$ ", in the centre of a traceried six-foiled panel, a leopard's

13 For account of this seal see *Proc. Soc. Ant. Newcastle*, 3rd ser., viii, p. 60 et seq. It is illustrated *ibid*, nos. 1 and 2 on plate facing p. 62. Document printed *ibid*, p. 62. 14 Op. Cit., p. 65 where the document is printed. Seal is *ibid*, plate facing p. 62, no. 8.

15 Op. Cit., p. 66; seal ibid, nos. 9 and 10.

¹² A finely conceived design in great contrast to the previous one. The device is well balanced and beautifully executed in the minutest detail; the motive symbolises the reasons for the town's greatness and prosperity, the river, the bridge, the castle; the leopards denote that the castle was the king's.

face between two fleurs de lys. (Durham Seals, 71).

* S' MAIOR'NT : STAPVLE : WESTM' : P STATVT : MERCA [TOR .]

Secretum, round, ½", a cock. (Durham Seals, 71).

ser: gallus: cantat

- 3743. YORK, STATUTE MERCHANT SEAL OF ¹⁶. Misc. 6720, A.D. 1424. Obverse, round, 1½". A full-faced bust of a king (Edward), a curl at each side of his head, wearing a crown of three fleurs de lys, on his breast a leopard of England; on each side of his head an octagonal castle with three turrets, the central one higher.
 - * S'ED GL'AD RECOGN' DEBIT VD
 EBORACVM

Secretum, round ξ'' , a half length figure of St. Peter holding a book to his breast in his right hand and a key in his left, in the field on his dexter is a castle. (Durham Seals, 71).

* EBORACVS

* : SIGILLVM : CIVIVM : EBORACI :

¹⁸ Op. Cit., p. 64; seal ibid, nos. 3 and 4.

17 Pedric, p. 135 and plate v. The beautiful reverse of this seal is also illustrated on this plate.

SUPPLEMENTARY LIST.1

3745. EDWARD III (Second Seal)² . . . 2-3 Reg. 2, 3, 4, 7, 10. Round, dark green and whitey brown wax, $4\frac{1}{4}$ diameter.

Obverse, the king crowned and clothed in a loose flowing robe, seated on a throne with canopy. He holds in his right hand a short sceptre ending in a fleur de lys and in his left hand an orb with cross, held in front of his breast. His feet rest on two crouching lions. From each of the four corners of the throne rises a pinnacle with crockets and finials, buttresses supporting the two back ones. The arch above the king's head is ogeeshaped and cusped, the outside of the arch has crockets and a finial. Beneath the seat the throne is decorated with traceried panels and below the pediment are seven leopards' heads. In the field on each side of the throne is a fleur de lys (Durham Seals 72).

₩ EDWARDVS DEI GRACIA REX ANGLIE : DNS HYBERNIE DVX AQVITANIE :

Reverse. Equestrian, Edward on horseback galloping to the sinister. He wears a mail hauberk over which is a tight fitting jupon. He has a conical helm, surrounded by a coronet and fitted with a grated visor. His right hand brandishes a long,

¹The manuscript slip catalogue made by the late Dr. Greenwell does not, as he told me, contain all the seals in the treasury of the Dean and Chapter. It purposely omits those of little artistic or historic value, but it is possible that some of importance have been missed. This supplement contains a few, I think should be recorded, which I have found by chance. Should time and opportunity offer, I hope to make a more extended search and possibly also make a further supplement.

² For brief account of Edward's various seals see note to no. 3031 in this catalogue.

This, his second seal, was in use from 4 October, 1327, to 21 February, 1340, when he assumed the title King of France which necessitated a new seal. The obverse is interesting, because it shows the transition from the low plain seats of the earlier seals to the richly decorated and canopied thrones of the later ones. The reverse shows some changes in armour from the seal of Edward II (no. 3027). The helmet is conical, the jupon is tight-fitting and sleeveless and is emblasoned with armorials, the shoulders are protected by upright plates called ailettes also emblasoned with the royal arms. The shield is smaller and heater-shaped and the horse trappings are looser and more flowing.

straight, grooved sword with angular pommel and curved quillons, it is attached by a chain to his right breast. His shoulders are protected by ailettes. On his left arm he carries a small heater shaped shield. The horse is clothed with loose flowing trappings. His jupon, shield, ailettes and horse trappings are emblasoned with the arms of England gules three leopards gold (Durham Seals 72).

★ EDWARDVS: DEI GRACIA REX: ANGLIE: DNS HYBERNIE .

DVX AQVITANIE .

3746. EDWARD III (Bretigny Seal)³ . 2-3 Reg. 6, A.D. 1375; 1-4 Reg. 1, A.D. 1374.

Round, 4½" diameter, green and whitey brown wax.

Obverse and Reverse same as no. 3032 in catalogue with EDWARDUS in legend in place of RICARDUS. (Durham Seals 72.)

3747. Waltham 4 college of Holy Cross at 1-4 Ebor. 27. Round, 2", whitey brown wax, an equal limbed cross paty, two angels stand behind, one on each side, supporting it.

¥ SIGNO STIGMA CRVCIS . . . CV IT AMICIS.

3748. AUDITOR 5 Misc. 706, A.D. 1445. Oval, $2\frac{3}{4}'' \times 1\frac{3}{4}''$. The Annunciation, beneath it a standing figure, on each side of him a shield of arms, a tower.

Legend illegible.

³ See note 16 to no. 3032 in catalogue.

⁴ This is the common seal of the college of secular canons founded by earl Harold A.D. 1060. See nos. 3555 and 3556 and notes 146 and 147 in this catalogue. Also paper on the seals of the later abbey of Austin canons by Sir W. H. St. John Hope (Proc. Soc. Antiq. London, xxvIII, 95). This seal fills a blank in the interesting history, there told, of the abbey seals. It is, I think, the original from which the device of the later seals was derived. It will be seen that here the four limbs of the cross are of equal length with the ends broadened out, in general shape it is not unlike the cross of St. Cuthbert, the later seals adopt the Latin cross with the elongated lower limb possibly because the design, showing the cross upraised on a mount, required this. The seal is attached to an early twelfth century grant from Adam, canon of Holy Cross, to Algar (A.D. 1109-37), the prior of Durham and the monks of St. Cuthbert.

⁶ His name on the document is almost obliterated and is illegible, the legend on the seal is also badly blurred.

- 3749. BARTHOLOMEW AND URBAN 6 . . . Loc. XIX, 75, A.D. 1440. Round, 13, 5 St. Peter, wearing the tiara and holding two keys in his left hand, standing, blessing. (Durham Seals, 70).
 - * sigillom x x d x ipp x iiii x
- 3750. BURDON, ELYS OF 3-10 Sepc. 28, A.D. 1244. Round, 1½". A cross with floriated ends and a saltire at the intersection.
 - ₩ S': HELIE: DE . BVRDVN:
- 3751. FLORENCE, MERCHANTS OF Misc. 2417, A.D. 1284.
 - Round, I", a Medusa head (?) within a six-foiled panel. (Durham Seals, 70).
 - ¥ S' SIMONIS GIRARD O

Secretum. Two circles with a fleur de lys above.

. . . . M GERARD . . .

- (2) Round, I", armorial, bendy; the shield hangs from a tree, at each side is a dog. (Durham Seals, 71).
 - ₩ SIGILLVM COPPO COTENNE 8

Secretum, round, $\frac{1}{2}$ ", a cross within a circle.

- A COPPO COTENNE
- (3) Oval, $\frac{3}{4}'' \times \frac{3}{8}''$, a cross above a circle.
 - * S' BINDI : SOVARCIE 9
- (4) Round, $\frac{7}{8}$ ", imperfect, a triple towered castle with gateway, within a quatrefoiled panel. (Durham Seals, 71).

. . . . AL EBORA 10

- 3752. Gartley, John of 4-5 Spec. 17, A.D. 1383. Oval, $1'' \times \frac{7}{8}''$, armorial, a fess embattled between three scallop shells; an angel stands behind the shield supporting it.
 - S' IAN . DE . GARTELE

⁶ Styled sub-collectors of the oblations of the faithful for pope Eugenius IV (A.D. 1431-47). They describe the seal as that which they use in this responsible task (in hac ardua causa).

7 See S.D. III, 343.

⁸ Styled Cop. Cotend de societate Frescubbaldorum.

⁹ Styled Bindon Suarche de societate Rikemanorum (?) de Florence.

¹⁰ The seal of the then sheriff of York whose name I have not been able to find,

- 3753. GA... WILLIAM OF 3-2 Sacr. 9^d, A.D. 130.7 Round, ⁷/₈", armorial, ermine an escutcheon charged with . . .?

 The shield stands between the antlers of a stag. (Durham Seals, 70).
 - * S' WILLELMI DE GA
- 3754. HASWELL, WILLIAM OF Misc. 7008, A.D. 1360. Round, 7, armorial three lions' heads rased.

 S' SIMON . . . LOC . . R

 Used by William son of Ralph of Haswell.
- 3755. MORTON, JOHN OF¹¹ 3-10 Spec. 25, A.D. 1319. Round, ³/₄", armorial, a fess between six molets. (Durham Seals, 70).

S' JOHIS DE MORTVN

11 Used by John Morton, styled of Darlington. His name is from Morton about two miles east of Darlington. At Hatfield's Survey he held the vill by military service (S.S 22, p. 197). He also held Cockerton, a mile west of Darlington, by like service (ibid, p. 14).

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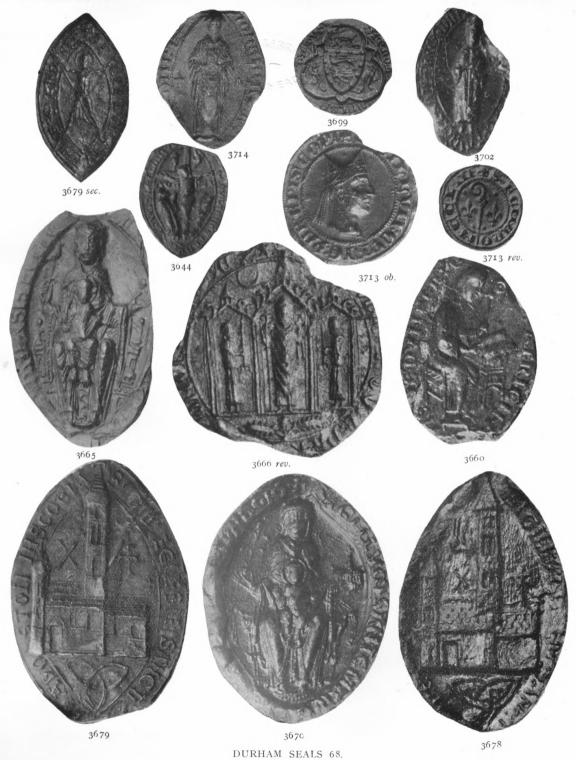
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