Anglo-Saxon and related entries in the Oxford Dictionary of National Biography (2004)

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The Oxford Dictionary of National Biography (ODNB), originally designated the New Dictionary of National Biography, was published in 2004 as a successor to the renowned Dictionary of National Biography (DNB), edited by Sir Leslie Stephen (1832–1904) and itself published in sixty-three volumes between 1885 and 1900, with supplements. All of the subjects in the old DNB were retained for the ODNB; new entries were commissioned for a significant proportion of the existing subjects (including almost all of those falling within the early medieval period); and of course the opportunity was taken to add entries for a large number of new subjects. In its print version, the ODNB occupies sixty volumes, though it is unlikely to be found in that form outside reference libraries; most importantly, it is also available online, to subscribing institutions, with search facilities and other useful features. Like its most distinguished predecessor, the ODNB is already well established as an invaluable academic resource.

It is not the purpose of this article to reflect on the criteria for inclusion, or on the mode of treatment, or to discuss how respects in which the old DNB had come to show its own age had necessitated the production of a modern successor blazing a new historiographical path for the twenty-first century. More mundanely, it is to register the existence of the quantity and range of entries in the ODNB on 'Anglo-Saxon' and 'related' subjects, and in this way to advertise its credentials as a massive collaborative achievement of a certain and indispensable kind. The ODNB includes re-assessments of familiar subjects, including Arthur (O. J. Padel), the Sutton Hoo burial (J. Campbell), Cuthbert (D. Rollason and B. Dobson), Aldhelm (M. Lapidge), Bede (J. Campbell), Alcuin (D. Bullough), Alfred the Great (P. Wormald), Ælfric (M. Godden) and Edward the Confessor (F. Barlow), alongside accounts of many other or lesser figures. It also provides excellent coverage of 'Welsh', 'Scottish' and 'Irish' subjects, across the same period. No less important for the Anglo-Saxonist are the entries on twelfth- and thirteenth-century historians, such as William of Malmesbury (R. M. Thomson) and Matthew Paris (S. Lloyd and R. Reader), and the entries on a wide range of antiquaries and scholars, from John

Leland (J. Carley) and Sir Robert Cotton (S. Handley) to Elizabeth Elstob (M. Gretsch), John Mitchell Kemble (J. D. Haigh) and Sir Frank Stenton (J. C. Holt).

In the 'Bibliography for 2004', published in *Anglo-Saxon England* 34 (2005), all of the contributions were subsumed under a single entry:

Matthew, H. C. G., and Brian Harrison, ed., Oxford Dictionary of National Biography, in association with the British Academy: from the Earliest Times to the Year 2000, 60 vols. with index of contributors as suppl. vol. (Oxford)

This entry does not begin to do justice to the work of all those who contributed 'Anglo-Saxon' and related entries to the *ODNB*. It was felt, however, that the inclusion of separate entries in the annual bibliography, for each contributor, distributed between the relevant sections, would overload the rest of the bibliography and detract from its usefulness. At the same time, it would not accord with the nature of the *ODNB* to isolate the 'Anglo-Saxon' entries from those covering other parts of Britain and Ireland; and it was felt that a separate listing of *all* of the *ODNB* entries for the period might be of some interest and value in its own right. Users of the *ODNB* who have access only to the online version may also find it helpful for one reason or another to have the bibliographical details of a particular contribution in the printed work.

The great majority of the entries registered below are of a standard biographical type, written in accordance with the principles laid down by the general editors of the *ODNB*. In addition to these entries, there are several 'joint entries', in which one or two additional family members are appended to the main entry, and several 'group-entries', bringing together a number of subjects who for whatever reason did not rate separate treatment in their own right but who could be usefully covered as part of a larger group.¹

In its online form, the *ODNB* is able to publish additional entries at frequent intervals. An entry for Patrick Wormald (A. May) was published in January 2008. The *ODNB* is also supplemented regularly, in its online form, by 'Themes' of three types. The 'Reference lists' comprise organized sets of links to a selection of separate entries, with some explanatory text. Among the subjects currently available are the following: 'Rulers of Anglo-Saxon kingdoms (5th cent.–924)', 'Archbishops of Canterbury', 'Archbishops of York', 'Consorts of the monarchs

¹ Anglo-Saxon group-entries: kings of the East Saxons (B. Yorke), of the people of Kent (B. Yorke), of the South Saxons (S. E. Kelly), and of the Hwicce (P. Sims-Williams). 'British' group-entry: Roman officials (A. R. Birley). 'Scottish' group-entries: abbots of Iona (T. M. Charles-Edwards); kings of Dál Riata (M. O. Anderson) and of the Picts (M. O. Anderson). 'Irish' group-entries: saints of Connacht (T. M. Charles-Edwards), saints of Leinster (C. Doherty), saints of Meath (N. Stalmans and T. M. Charles-Edwards), saints of Munster (E. Johnston) and saints of Ulster (T. M. Charles-Edwards).

of England', 'High-Kings of Ireland', 'Monarchs of England', 'Monarchs of Scotland', 'Saints in the *Oxford DNB*' and 'Viking and Scandinavian kings and leaders in the *Oxford DNB*'; new entries on individual subjects are listed, under 'Reference lists', as 'Updates'. The 'Reference groups' are substantive entries in their own right, bringing together significant groups of subjects, some but not all of whom may be treated separately in the main dictionary; examples currently available include 'Gregorian mission (*act.* 596–601)' (N. P. Brooks), 'Scholars at King Alfred's Court (*act.* 880–899)' (M. Lapidge), 'Cynfeirdd (*act.* 6th–11th cent.)' (M. E. Haycock) and 'Companions of the Conqueror (*act.* 1066–71) (C. P. Lewis). The 'Feature essays' are more wide-ranging; examples currently available include 'Roman Britain' (P. Salway), 'The rising of Owain Glyn Dwr' (Ll. Smith), 'The Isle of Man' (B. Maddrell) and 'School founders and patrons in England, 597–1560' (N. Orme).

The various forms of entry in the ODNB are covered in the listing below under various numbered sections. In section 1, the names of those who contributed new entries to the ODNB are arranged in alphabetical order, with an indication of the subjects in question. In these sections, the subjects themselves are reduced to their bare names, without titles or dates, in order to avoid large-scale duplication; fuller details, derived from the ODNB entries, are given in the later sections. Joint-entries and group-entries are treated under the contributor's name as single entries; the subjects mentioned within such entries are registered separately in the later sections, although in some cases it will be found that there is little more than a passing reference. The names of these who revised existing entries, whether derived from the old DNB or (for example) from the Missing Persons supplement (1993), are given where appropriate below. Sections 2-6 cover subjects in the ODNB who fall within the chronological limits which had to be set for the present purpose (400-1100). In October 2006, a search for all subjects in the ODNB database who flourished within this period generated a data-set of 1,290 names, which could be arranged in alphabetical order, in birth-date order, or in death-date order. Within this data-set one could search for men (1196), or for women (94). One could also generate a list of all those believed to have been alive in any specified year (24 alive in 400; 84 alive in 500; 160 alive in 600; 144 alive in 700; 93 alive in 800; 70 alive in 900; 120 alive in 1000; 351 alive in 1100); or a list of all those associated with specified places (e.g. Cambridge, 2; London, 40; Oxford, 10; Winchester, 54; York, 46); or (overlapping) lists of those with particular fields of activity (e.g. 'Royalty, rulers and aristocracy', 607; 'Religion and belief', 596; 'Scholarship and research', 78). The subjects were divided into four main groups. The largest is inevitably a set of 'Anglo-Saxon' entries, which includes persons of Scandinavian, Norman and other extraction who are known to have come to England before 1066 (section 2); there are also groups labelled

'British', 'Welsh', 'Irish' and 'Scottish', which in view of many complications have to be taken in much the same spirit (sections 3–6). Within each of these sections, subjects are classified for the user's convenience under generic sub-headings, whether 'Kings and rulers', 'Ecclesiastics' or 'Secular men and women'; again, the many anomalies are easily detected.

Sections 7–9 are necessarily of a different nature. Section 7 includes a selection of subjects who flourished between *c*. 1080 and *c*. 1450, whose writings bear directly or indirectly on our perception of the early medieval past, starting with those who wrote about Anglo-Saxon saints (Goscelin, Folcard, *et al.*), the Anglo-Norman historians (Florence of Worcester, Eadmer, William of Malmesbury, *et al.*), and the main thirteenth-century historians (Roger of Wendover, Matthew Paris, *et al.*). These subjects are listed in alphabetical of their first name. Section 8 covers a selection of 'Antiquaries' who flourished between *c*. 1450 and *c*. 1750, who in their different ways laid the foundations for current understanding of the period, including Leland, Parker, Cotton, Dugdale, Wanley, and many others. Section 9 covers a selection of 'Modern scholars' who were active between *c*. 1750 and *c*. 2000, including Astle, Kemble, Stenton and Whitelock. The subjects in sections 8–9 are listed in alphabetical order of their surname.

Throughout these lists, an asterisk (*) signifies a woman; that there are so few is of course instructive.

Entries for a majority of the subjects in the ODNB will be found in the old DNB, and in many cases the old entries are of interest as an indication of the perception of the given subject at the end of the nineteenth century. A valuable feature of the ODNB, in its online form, is that all of the 'original' entries in the old DNB can be seen simply by clicking on 'DNB Archive' in the left-hand column of the new or revised entry. In the classified lists below, the name of the DNB contributor is given, after the reference. It so happens that over 200 of the 'Anglo-Saxon' entries were written by William Hunt (1842-1931), here identified by his initials WH. An entry for him is to be found in the ODNB. Some of his entries (for example, those on Ælfric and Wulfstan) show how far scholarship has moved forwards since his day, but overall he deserves credit as one who made a sustained effort to work things out from first principles. Other recurrent contributors are similarly identified here only by their initials: Mary Bateson (MB); Alice M. Cooke (AMC); C. L. Kingsford (CLK); J. E. Llovd (JEL); A. J. G. Mackay (AJGM); Norman Moore (NM); Thomas Olden (TO); A. F. Pollard (AFP); W. R. W. Stephens (WRWS); D. L. Thomas (DLT); E. M. Thompson (EMT); and T. F. Tout (TFT).

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a. Kings, consorts and other rulers

*Ælfgifu, consort of King Eadwig (fl. 956–66): Pauline Stafford, i.380–1; DNB WH *Ælfgifu, first consort of King Cnut (fl. 1006–36): Pauline Stafford, i.381–2; DNB WH

*Ælfthryth, princess (d. 929): Elisabeth van Houts, i.389; DNB WH *Ælfthryth, queen, consort of King Edgar (d. 999x1001): Pauline Stafford, i.389–90; DNB WH Ælfwald, king of the South Saxons (fl. c. 760): see South Saxons, kings of the Ælfwald I, king of Northumbria (d. 788): David Rollason, xlii.97-8 Ælla, king of Deira (d. in or after 597?): Rosemary Cramp, i.391-2; DNB WH Ælle, king of Northumbria (d. 867): David Rollason, i.392; DNB WH Ælle, king of the South Saxons (fl. late 5th cent.): S. E. Kelly, i.392; DNB WH Æsc, king of Kent (d. 512?): see Kent, kings of; DNB WH Æthelbald, king of the Mercians (d. 757): S. E. Kelly, i.393-5; DNB WH Æthelbald, king of the West Saxons (d. 860): Sean Miller, i.395-6; DNB WH Æthelberht, king of the West Saxons (d. 865): Sean Miller, i.397-8; DNB WH Æthelberht, king of the South Saxons (fl. 733-47?): see South Saxons, kings of the Æthelberht, king of the East Angles (779/80–94): Andy Todd, i.396–7; DNB WH Æthelberht I, king of Kent (d. 616?): S. E. Kelly, i.398-400; DNB WH Æthelberht II, joint king of Kent (d. 762), et al.: S. E. Kelly, i.400-1 *Æthelflæd, ruler of the Mercians (d. 918): Marios Costambeys, i.401–3; DNB WH Æthelfrith, king of Northumbria (d. c. 616): Rosemary Cramp, i.403–4; DNB WH Æthelheard, king of the West Saxons (d. 740): Heather Edwards, i.404-5 Æthelmund, king of the Hwicce (d. before 746): see Hwicce, kings of the Æthelred, ruler of the Mercians (d. 911): Marios Costambeys, i.407-8 Æthelred, king of the Mercians (d. after 704): Ann Williams, i.407 Æthelred I, king of Northumbria (d. 796): David Rollason, xlii.97-8 Æthelred I, king of the West Saxons (d. 871): Sean Miller, i.408–9; DNB WH Æthelred II, king of Northumbria (fl. c. 854-c. 862): David Rollason, xvii.563 Æthelred II ('the Unready'), king of the English (c. 966x8–1016): Simon Keynes, i.409–19; DNB WH Æthelric, king of the Hwicce (fl. c. 693–736): see Hwicce, kings of the Æthelstan, king of the South Saxons (fl. 714?): see South Saxons, kings of the Æthelstan, king of the English (893/4-939): Sarah Foot, i.420-8; DNB Grant Allen Æthelstan ætheling (d. 1014): Simon Keynes, i.429 *Æthelthryth, queen in Northumbria, consort of King Ecgfrith, and abbess of Ely (d. 679): Alan Thacker, i.429-32; DNB Edmund Venables Æthelwealh, king of the South Saxons (d. c. 685): see South Saxons, kings of the Æthelwold Moll, king of Northumbria (fl. 759–765): David Rollason, xlii.97 Æthelwulf, king of the West Saxons (d. 858): Janet L. Nelson, i.438-41; DNB WH Aldfrith, king of Northumbria (d. 704/5): Rosemary Cramp, i.618–19; DNB WH Alfred ('the Great'), king of the West Saxons and of the Anglo-Saxons (848/9-899): Patrick Wormald, i.716–25; DNB E. A. Freeman Alfred ætheling, prince (d. 1036/7): M. K. Lawson, i.727; DNB WH Alhred, king of Northumbria (fl. 765–774): David Rollason, xlii.97

Anna, king of the East Angles (d. 654?): S. E. Kelly, ii.169

Baldred, king of Kent (fl. c. 823-7): S. E. Kelly, iii.440; DNB WH

- *Balthild, queen of the Franks, consort of Clovis II of Neustria (d. c. 680): Janet L. Nelson, iii.618–19; DNB TAA Beorhtric, king of the West Saxons (d. 802): Heather Edwards, v.314–15; DNB WH Beornwulf, king of the Mercians (d. 826): S. E. Kelly, v.316-17; DNB WH Berhtwulf, king of the Mercians (d. 852); S. E. Kelly, v.348–9; DNB WH *Bertha, queen in Kent, consort of Æthelberht (b. c. 565; DNB d. in or after 601): Janet L. Nelson, v.479–80; DNB WH Burgred, king of the Mercians (d. 874?): S. E. Kelly, viii.815–16; DNB WH Cædwalla, king of the Gewisse (c. 659–89): Barbara Yorke, ix.429; DNB WRWS Ceawlin, king of the Gewisse (d. 593): Barbara Yorke, x.715-16; DNB WH Centwine, king of the Gewisse (d. in or after 685): Barbara Yorke, x.814–15; DNB WH Cenwalh, king of the Gewisse (d.672): Barbara Yorke, x.815; DNB WH Cenwulf, king of the Mercians (d. 821): M. K. Lawson, x.817 Ceol, king of the Gewisse (d. 597): Barbara Yorke, x.817; DNB WH Ceolred, king of the Mercians (d. 716): S. E. Kelly, x.819-20; DNB WH Ceolwulf, king of the Gewisse (d. 611): Barbara Yorke, x.820. Ceolwulf, king of Northumbria (d. 764): David Rollason, x.820-1; DNB WH Ceolwulf II, king of the Mercians (fl. 874–9): Sean Miller, x.821 Cerdic, king of the Gewisse (fl. 6th cent.): Barbara Yorke, x.822–3; DNB WH Cnut, king of England, Denmark and Norway (d. 1035): M. K. Lawson, xii.239-46; DNB WH Coenred, king of the Mercians (d. after 709): S. E. Kelly, xii.393; DNB Henry Bradley Cuthred, king of the West Saxons (d. 756): Heather Edwards, xiv.837-8; DNB WH Cwichelm, king of the Gewisse (d. 636): Barbara Yorke, xiv.857; DNB WH Cynegils, king of the Gewisse (d. 642): Barbara Yorke, xiv.860; DNB WH *Cynethryth, queen of the Mercians and abbess of Cookham (fl. c. 770-98): S. E. Kelly, xiv.861–2 Cynewulf, king of the West Saxons (d. 786): Heather Edwards, xiv.863-4; DNB WH Cynric, king of the Gewisse (fl. 6th cent.): Barbara Yorke, xiv.867; DNB WH Eadbald, king of Kent (d. 640): S. E. Kelly, xvii.521-2; DNB WH Eadberht, king of Northumbria (d. 768): David Rollason, xvii.522-3; DNB WH Eadberht I, joint king of Kent (d. 748): see Æthelberht II, king of Kent Eadberht II, joint king of Kent (fl. 762-3): see Æthelberht II, king of Kent Eadberht Præn, king of Kent (fl. 796-8): S. E. Kelly, xvii.523; DNB WH *Eadburh, queen of the West Saxons (fl. 789–802): Janet L. Nelson, xvii.524; DNB WH *Eadgifu, queen of the Anglo-Saxons (b. in or before 904; DNB d. in or after 966): Pauline Stafford, xvii.527-8 *Eadgifu, queen of the West Franks (d. in or after 951): Janet L. Nelson, xvii.526–7 Eadred, king of the English (d. 955): Ann Williams, xvii.531-4; DNB WH Eadric, king of Kent (d. 686): see Hlothhere, king of Kent Eadwig, king of the English (c. 940-59): Simon Keynes, xvii.539-42; DNB WH
- Eadwine, king of Northumbria (c. 586–633): Rosemary Cramp, xvii.543–6; *DNB* WH *Ealdgyth, queen (*fl. c.* 1057–66): K. L. Maund, xvii.551; *DNB* WH

- Ealdred, leader of the Northumbrians (d. 933?): Benjamin T. Hudson, xvii.551-2
- Ealdred, king of the Hwicce (fl. 757-77): see Hwicce, kings of the
- Ealdwulf, king of the South Saxons (fl. c. 760): see South Saxons, kings of the
- Ealhmund, joint king of Kent (fl. 784): see Æthelberht II, king of Kent
- Ealhmund, prince and martyr (d. 800): David Rollason, xvii.554-5
- *Ealhswith, consort of Alfred, king of the Anglo-Saxons (d. 902): Marios Costambeys, xvii.555–6
- Eanberht, king of the Hwicce (fl. 757-9): see Hwicce, kings of the
- *Eanflæd, queen in Northumbria (*b*. 626, *d*. after 685): Alan Thacker, xvii.557–8; *DNB* WH
- Eanfrith, king of the Hwicce (fl. c. 670): see Hwicce, kings of the
- Eanhere, king of the Hwicce (fl. c. 670): see Hwicce, kings of the
- Eanmund, joint king of Kent (fl. 763-4): see Æthelberht II, king of Kent
- Eanred, king of Northumbria (fl. c. 830-c. 854): David Rollason, xvii.558
- Eardwulf, joint king of Kent (d. in or before 762): see Æthelberht II, king of Kent
- Eardwulf, king of Northumbria (fl. 796-c. 830): David Rollason, xvii.562-3
- East Saxons, kings of the (act. late 6th cent.-c.820) [group-entry]: Barbara Yorke, xvii.602-4
- Ecgberht, king of the West Saxons (d. 839): Heather Edwards, xvii.636–9; DNB WH Ecgberht I, king of Kent (d. 673): see Eorcenberht, king of Kent
- Explaint I, King of Kent (a, 075), see Eoreenbernt, King of Kent
- Ecgberht II, joint king of Kent (fl. 765–79): see Æthelberht II, king of Kent
- Ecgfrith, king of Northumbria, 645/6–685): J. R. Maddicott, xvii.639–40
- Ecgfrith, king of the Mercians (d. 796): see Offa, king of the Mercians
- Edgar, king of the English (943/4–975): Ann Williams, xvii.698–703; DNB WH
- *Edith, queen (d. 1075): Ann Williams, xvii.738–9; DNB WH
- Edmund, king of the East Angles (d. 869): Antonia Gransden, xvii.754–5; DNB William Benham
- Edmund I, king of the English (920/21-946): Ann Williams, xvii.766-9; DNB WH
- Edmund II, king of the English (d. 1016): M. K. Lawson, xvii.769–70; DNB WH
- Edward the Elder, king of the Anglo-Saxons (870s?–924): Sean Miller, xvii.779–83; DNB WH
- Edward ('the Martyr'), king of the English (c. 962–978): Cyril Hart, xvii.783–5; DNB WH
- Edward ('the Confessor'), king of the English (1003x5–1066): Frank Barlow, xvii.785– 92; *DNB* WH
- Edward ('the Exile'), ætheling (d. 1057): M. K. Lawson, xvii.896-7
- *Emma, queen (d. 1052): Simon Keynes, xviii.412–14; DNB WH
- Eorcenberht, king of Kent (d. 664): S. E. Kelly, xviii.473
- Eormenric, ruler of Kent (fl. 550x600): see Kent, kings of
- Erik Bloodaxe, viking leader (d. 954): Marios Costambeys, xviii.497–9
- Guthfrith, king of York (b. before 920, d. 934): Cyril Hart, 1.597; DNB F. Y. Powell
- Guthrum, king of the East Angles (d. 890): Marios Costambeys, xxiv.322; DNB Kate Norgate
- Hálfdan [Healfdene], king of the Danes (d. 877): Marios Costambeys, xxiv.562-3

- Harald Hardrada, king of Norway (1015–1066): Claus Krag, xxv.100–1
- Harold I [*called* Harold Harefoot], king of the English (*d.* 1040): M. K. Lawson, xxv.355–6; *DNB* WH
- Harold II [Harold Godwineson], king of the English (1022/3?–1066): Robin Fleming, xxv.356–62; *DNB* WH
- Harthacnut, king of England and Denmark (c. 1018–1042): M. K. Lawson, xxv.602–3; DNB WH
- Heahberht, joint king of Kent (fl. 764): see Æthelberht II, king of Kent
- Hengist, king in Kent (d. 488?): see Kent, kings of; DNB C. T. Martin
- Hlothhere, king of Kent (d. 685): S. E. Kelly, xxvii.339-40
- Horsa, king in Kent (d. 455?): see Kent, kings of; DNB C. T. Martin
- Hwicce, kings of the (act. c. 670–c. 780) [group-entry]: Patrick Sims-Williams, xxix.114– 16
- Ine, king of the West Saxons (d. in or after 726): Patrick Wormald, xxix.236–8; DNB WH
- *Judith, queen of Wessex (*b.* after 843; *DNB d. c.* 870): Janet L. Nelson, i.439–40; *DNB* WH
- *Judith of Flanders, duchess of Bavaria (1030x35-1095): Elisabeth van Houts, xxx.815
- Kent, kings of (act. c. 450-c. 590) [group-entry]: Barbara Yorke, xxxi.315-16
- *Matilda, queen, consort of William I (d. 1083): Elisabeth van Houts, xxxvii.318–20; DNB WH
- Nunna, king of the South Saxons (fl. 692–714?): see South Saxons, kings of the; DNB WH
- Octa, king of Kent (fl. 512?): see Kent, kings of; DNB WH
- Offa, king of the East-Saxons (fl. 709): see East Saxons, kings of the; DNB WH
- Offa, king of the Mercians (d. 796): S. E. Kelly, xli.545-8; DNB WH
- Óláf Tryggvason, king of Norway (d. 999): Niels Lund, xli.665–6
- Osbald, king of Northumbria (d. 799): David Rollason, xli.979; DNB WH
- Osberht, king of Northumbria (d. 867): David Rollason, xli.982-3; DNB CLK
- *Osburh, consort of Æthelwulf, king of the West Saxons (*fl.* 839): Janet L. Nelson, xlii.40; *DNB* WH
- Oshere, king of the Hwicce (fl. c. 680-c. 693): see Hwicce, kings of the; DNB WH
- Oslac, king of the South Saxons (fl. c. 760): see South Saxons, kings of the
- Osmund, king of the South Saxons (fl. 765–770x72): see South Saxons, kings of the; DNB WH
- Osred I, king of Northumbria (696x8-716): David Rollason, xlii.60-1; DNB WH
- Osred II, king of Northumbria (d. 792): David Rollason, xlii.61; DNB WH
- Osric, king of Deira (d. 634): D. J. Craig, xlii.61-2; DNB WH
- Osric, king of Northumbria (d. 729): D. J. Craig, xlii.62; DNB James Mackinnon
- Osric, king of the Hwicce (fl. 674-9): see Hwicce, kings of the
- *Osthryth, queen, consort of Æthelred, king of the Mercians (d. 697): S. E. Kelly, xlii.65; *DNB* Edmund Venables

Oswald, king of Northumbria (603/4–642): D. J. Craig, xlii.76–9; *DNB* WH Oswine, king of Deira (*d*. 651): D. J. Craig, xlii.93–4; *DNB* CLK

Oswiu, king of Northumbria (611/12–670): D. J. Craig, xlii.94–7; *DNB* WH Oswulf, king of Northumbria (*d*. 759): David Rollason, xlii.97–8; *DNB* WH Peada, king of the Middle Angles (*d*. 656): S. E. Kelly, xliii.263; *DNB* WH Penda, king of the Mercians (*d*. 655): S. E. Kelly, xliii.515–16; *DNB* WH Rædwald, king of the East Angles (*d*. 616x27): James Campbell, xlv.786; *DNB* WH Rædwulf, king of Northumbria (*d*. *c*. 858): David Rollason, xvii.563 Ragnall, king of York (*d*. 920/21): Cyril Hart, xlv.796

Sæbbi, king of the East Saxons (d. 693/4): see East Saxons, kings of the; DNB WH Sæberht, king of the East Saxons (d. 616/17): see East Saxons, kings of the; DNB WH Sæward, king of the East Saxons (d. in or after 617): see East Saxons, kings of the *Seaxburh, queen of the Gewisse (d. 674?): Barbara Yorke, xlix.616; DNB WH *Seaxburh, queen of Kent; consort of King Eorcenberht, and abbess of Ely (b. in or

before 655, *d. c.* 700): David Rollason, xlix.616; *DNB* WH Seaxred, king of the East Saxons (*d.* in or after 617): *see* East Saxons, kings of the; *DNB*

WH

Selered, king of the East Saxons (d. 746): see East Saxons, kings of the; DNB WH

Sigeberht, king of the East Angles (fl. 630/31-654): James Campbell, 1.592; DNB WH

Sigeberht, king of the West Saxons (d. 757): Heather Edwards, 1.592-3; DNB WH

Sigeberht I, king of the East Saxons (fl. 626): see East Saxons, kings of the; DNB WH

Sigeberht II, king of the East Saxons (fl. c. 653): see East Saxons, kings of the; DNB WH

Sigeheard, king of the East Saxons (fl. 693/4): see East Saxons, kings of the; DNB WH Sigehere, king of the East Saxons (fl. 663–4): see East Saxons, kings of the; DNB WH Sigered, king of the East Saxons (fl. 811): see East Saxons, kings of the; DNB WH Sigered, joint king of Kent (fl. 762–5): see Æthelberht II, king of Kent Sigeric, king of the East Saxons (d. in or after 798): see East Saxons, kings of the Sihtric Cáech, king of York (d. 927): Cyril Hart, 1.597; DNB F. Y. Powell South Saxons, kings of the (act. 477–772) [group entry]: S. E. Kelly, li.702–3 Sutton Hoo burial, king or aristocrat (early 7th cent.): James Campbell, liii.416–17

Swæfbert, king of the East Saxons (d. 738): see East Saxons, kings of the

Swæfred, king of the East Saxons (fl. 693/4): see East Saxons, kings of the

Swein, king of England and of Denmark (d. 1014): P. H. Sawyer, liii.453–5; DNB WH

Swithhelm, king of the East Saxons (d. 663): see East Saxons, kings of the

Swithred, king of the East Saxons (fl. c. 746): see East Saxons, kings of the

Uhtred, king of Hwicce (fl. 757-777): see Hwicce, kings of the

Watt, king of South Saxons (fl. 692): see South Saxons, kings of the

Wiglaf, king of the Mercians (fl. 827-c. 840): S. E. Kelly, lviii.853-4; DNB AMC

Wihtgar, king of Wight (d. 544?): Barbara Yorke, lviii.863; DNB AMC

Wihtred, king of Kent (d. 725): S. E. Kelly, lviii.864; DNB AMC

William I ('the Conqueror'), king of England (1027/8–87): David Bates, lix.45–57; DNB WH

Wulfhere, king of the Mercians (d. 675): S. E. Kelly, lx.550-1; DNB Mary Tout

b. Ecclesiastics

Abbo of Fleury, abbot of St Benoît-sur-Loire (945x50–1004): Richard W. Pfaff, i.10– 11

Acca, bishop of Hexham (d. 740): Alan Thacker, i.133; DNB Mandell Creighton

- Adalbert, missionary (supp. fl. early 8th cent.): Marios Costambeys, i.190; DNB T. A. Archer
- *Æbbe, abbess of Coldingham (d. 683?): Alan Thacker, i.372–3; DNB WH

Ælberht, archbishop of York (d. 779/80): David Rollason, i.378–9

- *Ælfflæd, abbess of Strensall-Whitby (654–714): Alan Thacker, i.379–80; DNB WH
- Ælfheah, archbishop of Canterbury (d. 1012): Henrietta Leyser, i.382–3; DNB WH

Ælfric, archbishop of Canterbury (d. 1005): Emma Mason, i.385; DNB WH

Ælfric, archbishop of York (d. 1051): rev. Marios Costambeys, i.386; DNB WH

Ælfric Bata, monk and author (fl. c. 1010): Malcolm Godden, i.388; DNB WH

- Ælfric of Eynsham, homilist and abbot (c. 950–c. 1010): Malcolm Godden, i.387–8; DNB WH
- Ælfsige, archbishop of Canterbury (d. 959): Barbara Yorke, i.388–9; DNB WH
- [Ælfsige] Aelsinus, monk and scribe of the New Minster, Winchester (*fl. c.* 1023–*c.* 1031): Richard Gameson, i.393; *DNB* W. C. Monkhouse
- Ælfweard, abbot of Evesham, bishop of London (d. 1044): rev. Marios Costambeys, i.390–1; DNB WH
- Ælfwig, abbot of New Minster, Winchester (d. 1066): rev. Marios Costambeys, i.391; DNB WH
- Ælfwine, bishop of Winchester (d. 1047): Emma Mason, i.391; DNB WH
- Ælric, archbishop-elect of Canterbury (fl. 1050–1): rev. Marios Costambeys, i.392–3; DNB WH
- *Æthelburh, abbess of Barking (fl. 664): Marios Costambeys, i.401; DNB WH
- Æthelgar, archbishop of Canterbury (d. 990): rev. Mary Frances Smith, i.404; DNB WH
- Æthelheard, archbishop of Canterbury (d. 805): Ann Williams, i.405-6; DNB WH

Æthelnoth, archbishop of Canterbury (d. 1038): Emma Mason, i.406–7; DNB WH

- Æthelred, archbishop of Canterbury (d. 888): A. F. Wareham, i.407; DNB WH
- Æthelric, bishop of Dorchester (d. 1034): Emma Mason, i.419–20
- Æthelwold, abbot of Abingdon, bishop of Winchester (d. 984): Barbara Yorke, i.434–8; DNB WH
- Agilbert, bishop of the West Saxons (d. 679x90): Paul Fouracre, i.457–8
- Ailnoth [Ælnoth], Benedictine monk and hagiographer (*fl. c.* 1085– *c.* 1122): L. Abrams, i.490–1; *DNB* Alexander Gordon
- Albinus, abbot of St Peter's and St Paul's, Canterbury (d. 732): Marios Costambeys, i.587–8; DNB C. F. Keary
- Alcuin, abbot of St Martin's, Tours, and royal adviser (c. 740–804): D. A. Bullough, i.602–8; *DNB* Robert Adamson
- Aldhelm, abbot of Malmesbury, bishop of Sherborne, and scholar (d. 709/10): Michael Lapidge, i.619–23; DNB WH
- Aldhun, bishop of Durham (d. 1018): David Rollason, i.623-4; DNB WH

- Aldred, provost of Chester-le-Street and glossator (fl. c. 970): Janet Backhouse, i.628; DNB E. M. Thompson
- Alhmund, bishop of Hexham (d. 781): rev. Marios Costambeys, i.731; DNB WH
- Anselm, abbot of Bec. archbishop of Canterbury (c. 1033–1109): R. W. Southern, ii.247–58; DNB WRWS
- Athelm, archbishop of Canterbury (d. 926): Emma Mason, ii.806; DNB WH
- Augustine, missionary, archbishop of Canterbury (d. 604): Henry Mayr-Harting, ii.948–50; DNB Mandell Creighton
- Baldred, bishop (d. 608?): see Balthere, hermit; DNB TFT
- Balthere, hermit (d. 756): D. H. Farmer, iii.617–18; DNB T. F. Henderson
- Beadwulf, bishop of Whithorn (fl. 791-5): rev. Marios Costambeys, iv.504; DNB TFT
- Bede, monk, historian, and theologian (673/4–735): James Campbell, iv.758–65; *DNB* WH
- *Bega, abbess of Hartlepool (supp. fl. late 7th cent.): Robert Bartlett, iv.834; DNB WRWS
- Benedict Biscop, abbot of Wearmouth (c. 628–89): S. J. Coates, v.64–6; DNB WRWS
- Beornred, archbishop of Sens, abbot of Echternach (d. 797): Marios Costambeys, v.316
- Berhthun, abbot (probably of Beverley): (d. 733/40): rev. D. M. Palliser, v.347–8; DNB Henry Bradley
- Berhtwald, archbishop of Canterbury (c. 650–731): rev. Henrietta Leyser, v.348; DNB WRWS
- Bernard, cleric and traveller (*fl. c.* 865–70): David Ganz, v.417; *DNB* Henry Bradley Billfrith, anchorite (*d.* 750x800?): David Rollason, v.720; *DNB* E. M. Thompson Birinus, bishop of Dorchester (*d. c.* 650): Barbara Yorke, v.831; *DNB* E. M. Thompson Boisil, prior of Melrose (*d. c.* 661): Alan Thacker, vi.452; *DNB* [Anon.]
- Boniface, archbishop of Mainz, missionary (672x5?–754): I. N. Wood, vi.540–5; *DNB* E. M. Thompson
- Bosa, bishop of York (d. 706): Alan Thacker, vi.687; DNB WH
- Botwulf, abbot of Iken (fl. 654-c.670): John Blair, vi.773; DNB Arthur H. Grant

Bregowine, archbishop of Canterbury (d. 764): Ann Williams, vii.435; DNB WH

- Brihtwold, abbot of Glastonbury and bishop of Ramsbury (d. 1045): rev. Marios Costambeys, vii.655; DNB W. R. W. Stephens
- *Bugga, abbess (fl. late 7th- early 8th cent.): Barbara Yorke, viii.566-7
- *Bugga [Hæaburh], abbess (d. 759x65): Barbara Yorke, viii.567
- Burchard, bishop (d. 753): Marios Costambeys, viii.725-6
- *Burginda, author (fl. 7th-early 8th cent.): Patrick Sims-Williams, viii.803
- Byrhtferth of Ramsey, monk and scholar (*fl. c.*986–*c.*1016): Michael Lapidge, ix.332–3; DNB Henry Bradley
- Byrhtnoth, abbot of Ely (d. 996): A. F. Wareham, ix.335

Byrnstan, bishop of Winchester (d. 934): Barbara Yorke, ix.340; DNB TFT

Cædmon, poet (fl. c. 670): E. G. Stanley, ix.427–8; DNB Henry Bradley

Candidus, theologian (fl. 793–802): John Marenbon, ix.888–9

- Ceadda, abbot of Lastingham, bishop of Mercia and Lindsey (d. 672?): D. H. Farmer, x.713–14; *DNB* W. R. W. Stephens
- Cedd, bishop of East Saxons (d. 664): D. H. Farmer, x.800–1; DNB TFT
- Cenwulf, abbot of Peterborough, bishop of Winchester (d. 1006): rev. Henrietta Leyser, x.815–17; DNB WH
- Ceolfrith, abbot of Wearmouth and Jarrow (642–716): S. J. Coates, x.817–19; *DNB* WH
- Ceolnoth, archbishop of Canterbury (d. 870): A. F. Wareham, x.819; DNB WH
- *Christina, princess and nun (fl. 1057–93): Nicholas Hooper, xi.584; DNB TFT
- Cuthbert, archbishop of Canterbury (d. 760): Ann Williams, xiv.834-6; DNB WH
- Cuthbert, bishop of Lindisfarne (c. 635–87): David Rollason and R. B. Dobson, xiv.829–34; DNB WH
- *Cuthburh, supposed abbess of Wimborne (fl. c. 700–18): Barbara Yorke, xiv.837; DNB WH
- *Cwenthryth, abbess (fl. 811-c.827): S. E. Kelly, xiv.856-7
- Cynehelm, martyr (supp. fl. 803x11): David Rollason, xiv.860-1
- Cynesige, archbishop of York (d. 1060): Janet Cooper, xiv.861; DNB WH
- Cynewulf, poet (fl. 9th cent.): E. G. Stanley, xiv.863-4; DNB L. T. Smith
- Cyngar, holy man (supp. fl. early 8th cent.): Marios Costambeys, xiv.864-5; DNB WH
- Daniel, bishop of Winchester (d. 745): Barbara Yorke, xv.63; DNB Edmund Venables
- Denewulf, bishop of Winchester (d. 908): Barbara Yorke, xv.770-1
- Deusdedit, archbishop of Canterbury (d. 664): Alan Thacker, xv.929; DNB T. A. Archer
- Dunstan, archbishop of Canterbury (d. 988): Michael Lapidge, xvii.347–53; DNB WH Eadberht, bishop of Lindisfarne (d. 698): Alan Thacker, xvii.522; DNB WH
- *Eadburh, abbess (probably of Wimborne): (*fl. c.* 716–46): Barbara Yorke, xvii.523–4 *Eadburh, nun (921x4–951x3): Barbara Yorke, xvii.524–5
- *Eadburh, abbess of Thanet (d. 751): Barbara Yorke, xvii.523; DNB WH
- Eadfrith, bishop of Lindisfarne (d. 721?): Alan Thacker, xvii.526; DNB TFT
- Eadsige, archbishop of Canterbury (d. 1050): rev. Mary Frances Smith, xvii.539; DNB WH
- Eadwig Basan, monk and scribe (fl. c. 1020): Richard Gameson, xvii.542-3
- Ealdred, archbishop of York (d. 1069): M. K. Lawson, rev. Vanessa King, xvii.552-4
- Ealdwulf, archbishop of York (d. 1002): rev. Mary Frances Smith, xvii.554; DNB WH
- Eanbald (I): archbishop of York (d. 796): David Rollason, xvii.556–7; DNB WH
- Eanbald (II): archbishop of York (fl. 796-803): David Rollason, xvii.557; DNB WH
- Earconwald, abbot of Chertsey, bishop of the East Saxons (d. 693): Patrick Wormald, xvii.559–60; DNB WH
- Eata, bishop of Hexham (d. 685/6): Alan Thacker, xvii.605–6; *DNB* WH Ecgberht, archbishop of York (d. 766): Henry Mayr-Harting, xvii.635–6; *DNB* WH Ecgberht, church reformer (639–729): Henry Mayr-Harting, xvii.634–5; *DNB* TFT *Ecgburh, nun (f. c. 717): Patrick Sims-Williams, xvii.639
- Ecgwine, bishop of Worcester (d. 717): Michael Lapidge, xvii.640-1
- *Edith, nun (961x4–984x7): Barbara Yorke, xvii.737–8; DNB WH

- Ernulf, bishop of Rochester (1039/40–1124): P. Cramer, xviii.511–12; DNB R. L. Poole
- *Eve of Wilton, Benedictine nun and anchoress (c. 1058–c. 1125): Henrietta Leyser, lix.667
- Felix, bishop of the East Angles (d. 647/8): Marios Costambeys, xix.253; DNB Mandell Creighton
- Feologeld, archbishop of Canterbury (d. 832): rev. Marios Costambeys, xix.334; DNB WH
- Florence of Worcester, monk and chronicler (d. 1118): P. McGurk, lx.292; DNB WH
- Folcard, monk, musician and hagiographer (d. after 1085): Frank Barlow, xix.204–5; DNB WH
- Fredericus, bishop of Utrecht (d. 838): Marios Costambeys, xix.914–15; DNB Henry Bradley
- Fridugisus, abbot and scholar (d. 833): Mary Garrison, xx.27-8
- Frithegod, cleric and poet (fl. c. 950-8): Michael Lapidge, xx.49; DNB WH
- Frithestan, bishop of Winchester (d. 932/3): Barbara Yorke, xx.49-50
- *Frithuswith, abbess of Oxford (d. 727): John Blair, xx.50–1; DNB WH
- Giso, bishop of Wells (d. 1088): Julia Barrow, xxii.358-9; DNB WH
- Godfrey of Winchester, poet and prior of Winchester (*b.* before 1055, *d.* 1107): A. G. Rigg: lix.688–9; *DNB* CLK
- Goscelin, monk, musician, and hagiographer (b. c. 1035, d. in or after 1107): Frank Barlow, xxii.1020–1; DNB T. A. Archer,
- Grimbald, monk, musician, and hagiographer (d. 901?): Richard W. Pfaff, xxiv.19–20; DNB WH
- Guthlac, hermit (674-715): Henry Mayr-Harting, xxiv.301-2; DNB Kate Norgate
- Hadrian, abbot of St Peter's and St Paul's, Canterbury (630x7–709): Michael Lapidge, xxiv.437–8
- Hædde, bishop of Winchester (d. 705/6): Barbara Yorke, xxiv.439-40; DNB WH
- Haimo [Haymo], archdeacon of Canterbury (*supp. fl.* 1054): Peter Damian-Grint, xxiv.479; *DNB* CLK
- Hereberht, hermit (d. 687): rev. Marios Costambeys, xxvi.763; DNB CLK
- Hermann, Benedictine monk and hagiographer (fl. 1070–1100): Antonia Gransden, xxvi.787–8; DNB WH
- Hermann, bishop of Ramsbury and of Sherborne (d. 1078): Julia Barrow, xxvi.787–8; DNB WH
- *Hild, abbess of Strensall-Whitby (614–80): Alan Thacker, xxvii.90–1; *DNB* Edmund Venables
- *Hildelith, abbess of Barking (fl. c. 700): Michael Lapidge, xxvii.91-2; DNB CLK
- Honorius, archbishop of Canterbury (d. 653): rev. N. P. Brooks, xxvii.910–11; DNB WH
- *Hugeburc, nun and hagiographer (fl. 760-80): Carolyne Larrington, xxviii.599-600
- Hygbald, bishop of Lindisfarne (d. 802/3): Mary Garrison, xxix.158-9
- Hygeberht, archbishop of Lichfield (d. in or after 803): Ann Williams, xxix.160; DNB WH

Ingulf, abbot of Crowland (c. 1045–1109): Edmund King, xxix.294–5; DNB WH
Jænberht, archbishop of Canterbury (d. 792): Marios Costambeys, xxix.580; DNB WH
John of Beverley, bishop of York (d. 721): D. M. Palliser, xxx.193–4; DNB WH
John the Old Saxon, scholar and abbot of Athelney (fl. c. 885–904): Michael Lapidge, xxx.204

Justus, archbishop of Canterbury (d. 627x31): rev. N. P. Brooks, xxx.845–6; DNB WH Lantfred, monk and author (fl. 974–84): Michael Lapidge, xxxii.545–6; DNB CLK

Laurence, archbishop of Canterbury (d. 619): N. P. Brooks, xxxii.691; DNB WH

Lebuin, missionary (d. c. 775): Marios Costambeys, xxxiii.22-3; DNB WH

*Leoba, abbess of Tauberbischofsheim (d. 782): Barbara Yorke, xxxiii.394–5

Leofric, bishop of Exeter (d. 1072): Frank Barlow, xxxiii.397; DNB WH

Leofric, priest and rebel (fl. 1070–1071): David Roffe, xxvi.767; DNB MB

Leuthere, bishop of Winchester (d. 675/6): Paul Fouracre, xxxiii.516

Lul, archbishop of Mainz (c. 710-786): Marios Costambeys, xxxiv.740-1

Lyfing, abbot of Tavistock, bishop of Worcester (d. 1046): Barlow Frank, xxxiv.858; DNB WH

Lyfing, archbishop of Canterbury (*d*. 1020): Emma Mason, xxxiv.857–8; *DNB* WH Mannig, abbot of Evesham and craftsman (*d*. 1066): John Blair, xxxvi.483–4

Mellitus, archbishop of Canterbury (d. 624): N. P. Brooks, xxxvii.751–2; DNB MB

*Mildburg, abbess of Much Wenlock (d. in or after 716): John Blair, xxxviii.111–12; DNB WH

*Mildrith, abbess of Minster in Thanet (fl. 716–c. 733): David Rollason, xxxviii.126–7; DNB WH

Milred, bishop of Worcester (d. 774/5): Patrick Sims-Williams, xxxviii.330; DNB WH

Nothhelm, archbishop of Canterbury (d. 739): rev. Henry Mayr-Harting, xli.212–13; DNB WH

Oda, archbishop of Canterbury (d. 958): Catherine Cubitt and Marios Costambeys, xli.484–7; DNB WH

Oftfor, bishop of Worcester (*d. c.* 699): Patrick Sims-Williams, xli.556–7; *DNB* MB Oscytel, archbishop of York (*d.* 971): Julia Barrow, xlii.41–2; *DNB* MB

Osgar, abbot of Abingdon (d. 984): rev. Marios Costambeys, xlii.42; DNB MB

*Osgyth, abbess of Chich (fl. late 7th cent.): John Blair, xlii.45–6; DNB WH

Osmund, bishop of London (d. 805x11): rev. Marios Costambeys, xlii.58; DNB WH

Oswald, archbishop of York (d. 992): N. P. Brooks, xlii.79-84; DNB WH

Oswald, monk and scholar (fl. 1006–1042): Michael Lapidge, xlii.84; DNB MB

Paulinus, bishop of York and of Rochester (d. 644): Marios Costambeys, xliii.166–8; DNB WH

Pehthelm, bishop of Whithorn (d. 735): rev. Marios Costambeys, xliii.441; DNB MB

Pehtwine, bishop of Whithorn (d. 776/7): rev. Marios Costambeys, xliii.441; DNB MB

Petronius, abbot of St Peter's and St Paul's, Canterbury (d. 654?): rev. Marios Costambeys, xliii.927–8; DNB WH

Petrus, abbot of St Peter's and St Paul's, Canterbury (d. 605x11): rev. Marios Costambeys, xliii.928–9; DNB WH

Plegemund, archbishop of Canterbury (d. 914): A. F. Wareham, xliv.574-5; DNB WH

Putta, bishop (d. c. 688): Patrick Sims-Williams, xlv.601–2; DNB WH

- Regenbald, priest and chancellor (*fl.* 1050–86): Mary Frances Smith, xlvi.364–5; *DNB* J. H. Round
- Robert of Jumièges, archbishop of Canterbury (d. 1052/1055): H. E. J. Cowdrey, xlvii.122–3; DNB WH

Rodulf, missionary bishop, abbot of Abingdon (d. 1052): L. Abrams, xlvii.506

- Romanus, bishop of Rochester (d. in or before 627): rev. Marios Costambeys, xlvii.656; DNB C. R. Beazley
- Seaxwulf, abbot of Peterborough, bishop of Lichfield (d. 692): John Blair, xlix.617; DNB WH
- Sigeric, archbishop of Canterbury (d. 994): Emma Mason, 1.593; DNB WH
- Sigfrid, co-abbot of St Peter's, Wearmouth (d. 689): rev. Marios Costambeys, 1.593–4; DNB WH
- Sigfrid, missionary bishop (fl. mid-10th–early 11th cent.): L. Abrams, l.594
- Stigand, archbishop of Canterbury (d. 1072): H. E. J. Cowdrey, lii.774-7; DNB WH
- Siward, abbot of Chertsey, bishop of Rochester (d. 1075): rev. Marios Costambeys, 1.813–14; DNB WH
- Siward, bishop and coadjutor-archbishop (d. 1048): rev. Marios Costambeys, l.812; DNB WH
- Spearhafoc, abbot of Abingdon (fl. 1047–1051): John Blair, li.761–2
- Stephen of Ripon, priest (fl. c. 670-c. 730): Alan Thacker, lii.423-4; DNB WH
- Sualo, hermit (d. 794): Marios Costambeys, liii.261; DNB CLK
- Sulcard, monk of Westminster (fl. c. 1080): Barbara F. Harvey, liii.292; DNB MB
- Swithberht, bishop and missionary (d. 713): Marios Costambeys, liii.523; DNB MB
- Swithun, bishop of Winchester (d. 863): Barbara Yorke, liii.523-5; DNB WH
- Tatwine, archbishop of Canterbury (d. 734): Michael Lapidge, liii.831-2; DNB WH
- Theodore of Tarsus, archbishop of Canterbury (602–90): Michael Lapidge, liv.226–30; DNB WH
- Thurcytle, abbot of Crowland (d. 975?): C. P. Lewis, liv.709; DNB AMC
- Tidferth, bishop of Dunwich (d. 816x24): rev. Marios Costambeys, liv.765; DNB AFP
- Tobias, bishop of Rochester (d. 726): rev. Marios Costambeys, liv.854; DNB AFP
- Turgot, bishop of St Andrews and hagiographer (c. 1050–1115): Robert Bartlett, lv.577–8; DNB G. W. Sprott
- Unwona, bishop of Leicester (d. 800x3): rev. Marios Costambeys, lv.921; DNB AFP *Walburg, abbess of Heidenheim (c. 710–79?): Carolyne Larrington, lvi.758; DNB MB Waldhere, bishop of the East Saxons (fl. 694–704/5): Marios Costambeys, lvi.781–2;

DNB WH

Walkelin, bishop of Winchester (d. 1098): M. J. Franklin, lvi.805-6; DNB WH

Walter, bishop of Hereford (d. 1079?): Julia Barrow, lvii.156; DNB WH

*Werburh, abbess (d. 700x7): Alan Thacker, lviii.164–5; DNB WH

Werferth, bishop of Worcester (d. 907x15): Richard W. Pfaff, lviii.166–7; DNB AMC

Wigheard, archbishop-elect of Canterbury (d. 664x7): rev. Marios Costambeys, lviii.842; DNB MB

Wigstan, martyr (d. 849): David Rollason, lviii.863

Wilfrid, bishop of Hexham (c. 634–709/10): Alan Thacker, lviii.944–50; *DNB* WH Willehad, bishop of Bremen (d. 789): Marios Costambeys, lix.16; *DNB* AMC William, bishop of London (d. 1075): Julia Barrow, lix.32–3; *DNB* WH William of Jumièges, monk and author (fl. 1026–70): Elisabeth van Houts, xxx.828 Willibald, bishop of Eichstätt (c. 700–787?): Carolyne Larrington, lix.363; *DNB* AMC Willibrord, abbot of Echternach (657/8–739): Marios Costambeys, lix.363–8; *DNB*

- Mary Tout
- Wine, bishop (fl. c. 660-c. 675): Barbara Yorke, lix.716; DNB WH
- Winnebald, abbot of Heidenheim (c. 702-61): Carolyne Larrington, lix.746
- Withman, abbot of Ramsey (d. c. 1047): C. P. Lewis, lix.890; DNB AMC
- Wulfhelm, archbishop of Canterbury (d. 941): Henrietta Leyser, lx.550; DNB WH
- *Wulfhild, abbess of Barking and Horton (d. after 996): Barbara Yorke, lx.551-2
- Wulfred, archbishop of Canterbury (d. 832): N. P. Brooks, lx.552-4; DNB WH
- Wulfsige, bishop of Sherborne (d. 1002x4): Julia Barrow, lx.555-6

Wulfstan, archbishop of York (d. 955/6): Cyril Hart, lx.557-8

- Wulfstan, archbishop of York (d. 1023): Patrick Wormald, lx.558-62; DNB WH
- Wulfstan, bishop of Worcester (c. 1008–95): Emma Mason, lx.562–4; DNB WH
- Wulfstan Cantor, monk, hagiographer and poet (*fl.* 996): Michael Lapidge, lx.564–5; *DNB* MB
- *Wulfthryth, abbess of Wilton (d. c. 1000): Barbara Yorke, lx.565
- Wulfwig, bishop of Dorchester (d. 1067): Julia Barrow, lx.566-7; DNB AMC

c. Secular men and women

- Ælfgar, earl of Mercia (d. 1062?): Ann Williams, i.380; DNB WH
- Ælfheah, ealdorman (d. 971): Ann Williams, i.384
- Ælfhere, ealdorman of Mercia (d. 983): Ann Williams, i.383–5; DNB WH
- [Ælfmær or Æthelmær] Eilmer, pioneer of man-powered flight (b. c. 985, d. after 1066):
 - R. M. Thomson, xvii.1022–3; DNB WH
- Ælfric, ealdorman (d. 1016): Ann Williams, i.385–6; DNB WH
- Ælfric Cild, magnate (fl. 975-85): Ann Williams, i.384
- Ælfstan of Boscombe, nobleman (fl. 1043-65): Ann Williams, i.389
- Æthelstan ('Half-King'), ealdorman (fl. 932–56/7): Cyril Hart, i.428–9; DNB WH
- Æthelweard, ealdorman and chronicler (d. 998?): Patrick Wormald, i.432-3; DNB WH
- Æthelwine, ealdorman, founder of Ramsey Abbey (d. 992): Cyril Hart, i.433–4; DNB WH
- Aio, supposed historian (*supp. fl.* 950x75): rev. Marios Costambeys, i. 510; DNB C. F. Keary
- Asgar the staller, nobleman (d. after 1066): Ann Williams, ii.596-7
- Bald, supposed physician and medical writer (fl. c. 900): M. L. Cameron, iii.436

Baldwin, magnate (d. 1086x90): Judith A. Green, iii.441; DNB WH

Beorhtric, magnate (d. in or before 1066?): Ann Williams, v.315

Beorn Estrithson, magnate (d. 1049): Ann Williams, v.315-16; DNB WH

Brorda, ealdorman (d. 799): Alan Thacker, vii.954–5

Byrhtnoth, ealdorman (d. 991): Richard Abels, ix.333-5; DNB WH

Copsi, earl of Northumbria, magnate (d. 1067): William M. Aird, xiii.377; DNB WH

*Eadgifu the Fair, magnate (fl. 1066): Ann Williams, xvii.528

Eadnoth the staller (d. 1068): Ann Williams, xvii.531; DNB WH

Eadric of Laxfield, magnate (d. in or after 1066?): Ann Williams, xvii.534-5

Eadric Streona, ealdorman of Mercia (1007–17): Simon Keynes, xvii.535–8; DNB WH

Eadric the Wild, magnate (fl. 1067–72): Ann Williams, xvii.538–9; DNB WH

Eadwine, earl of Mercia (d. 1071): Ann Williams, i.380

Eilmer, see [Ælfmær]

Erik of Hlathir, earl of Northumbria (fl. 995–1023): Pauline Stafford, xviii.499–500

Eustace, count of Boulogne (d. c. 1087): Edmund King, xviii.648–9

- *Godgifu, noblewoman (d. 1067?): Ann Williams, xxii.574–6; *DNB* Alexander Gordon Godwine, earl of Wessex (d. 1053): Ann Williams, xxii.626–9; *DNB* WH
- Gospatric, earl of Northumbria (d. 1073x5): William M. Aird, xxii.1033-4; DNB WH
- Guy of Warwick, legendary hero (supp. fl. c. 930): Douglas Gray, xxiv.328–9; DNB Sidney Lee

Gyrth, earl of East Anglia (d. 1066): Ann Williams, xxiv.377–8; DNB WH

- *Gytha, wife of Earl Godwine of Wessex (*fl. c.* 1022–68): Ann Williams, xxii.628–9; *DNB* WH
- Hæsten, viking leader (fl. 882-93): Janet L. Nelson, xxiv.440-1
- Hereward [*called* Hereward the Wake], rebel (*fl.* 1070–1): David Roffe, xxvi.767–8; *DNB* TFT
- Leofric, earl of Mercia, magnate (d. 1057): Ann Williams, xxxiii.395–7; DNB WH
- Leofwine, earl (d. 1066): Ann Williams, xxxiii.397-8; DNB WH
- Morcar, magnate (fl. 1065–87): William M. Aird, xxxix.10–11; DNB WH
- Odda, magnate (d. 1056): Ann Williams, xli.491–2; DNB CLK
- Ohthere, sea-farer (fl. 871–99): Niels Lund, xli.639; DNB C. R. Beazley
- Ordgar, landholder (d. 1094?): C. P. Lewis, xli.923; DNB MB
- Ordgar, landowner (fl. 1066): C. P. Lewis, xli.923; DNB MB
- Ordgar, magnate (d. 971): C. P. Lewis, xli.922-3; DNB MB
- Osbern fitz Richard, landowner (fl. c. 1066-88): see Richard Scrob
- Osgod Clapa, landowner and exile (d. 1054): Ann Williams, xlii.42-3; DNB CLK
- Oslac, ealdorman (fl. 963–75): Cyril Hart, xlii.51; DNB WH
- Osulf, magnate (d. 1067): William M. Aird, xlii.72; DNB WH
- Ralph, earl (d. 1097x9): Ann Williams, xlv.869–70; DNB CLK
- Ralph, earl of Hereford (d. 1057): Ann Williams, xlv.868–9; DNB WH

Ralph the Staller, earl of East Anglia (d. 1068x70): Ann Williams, xlv.873

- Richard Scrob, landowner (fl. 1052–66): C. P. Lewis, xlvi.756–7; DNB CLK
- Robert fitz Wimarc, magnate (d. c. 1070): Ann Williams, xlvii.121–2; DNB J. H. Round
- Sihtric inn Gamli, viking leader (d. 871): Marios Costambeys, 1.597; DNB F. Y. Powell
- Sihtric inn Ungi, viking leader (d. 871): Marios Costambeys, 1.597; DNB F. Y. Powell

Siward, earl of Northumbria (d. 1055): William M. Aird, I.812–13; DNB WH

- Swein, earl (d. 1052): Ann Williams, liii.455-6; DNB WH
- Thorkell the Tall, viking leader (*fl.* 1009–23): Richard Abels, liv.586–7; *DNB* AMC Tostig, magnate (*c.* 1029–66): William M. Aird, lv.67–9; *DNB* WH

Tovi the Proud, nobleman (fl. 1018–42): Ann Williams, lv.99–100 Uhtred, earl of Bamburgh (d. 1016): William M. Aird, lv.863–4; DNB WH Ulf Fenisc, magnate (fl. 1066): P. H. Sawyer, lv.864 Ulfcytel, earl of East Anglia (d. 1016): Richard Abels, lv.865; DNB WH Waltheof, earl of Northumbria (c. 1050–76): C. P. Lewis, lvii.187–9; DNB WH Wulfric Spot, founder of Burton Abbey (d. 1002x4): P. H. Sawyer, lx.555; DNB AFP Wulfstan, sea-farer (fl. 880): Tony D. Triggs, lx.556–7 Wulfweard White, landowner (d. 1072x86): Ann Williams, lx.565–6

3. 'BRITISH' SUBJECTS (c. 400-c. 600)

a. Kings, consorts and other rulers

- Arthur, legendary warrior and supposed king of Britain (*supp. fl.* in or before 6th cent.): O. J. Padel, ii.529–43; *DNB* C. F. Keary
- Brochfael Ysgithrog, king of Powys (supp. fl. 6th cent.): T. M. Charles-Edwards, vii.742-3; DNB WH

Brychan Brycheiniog, king of Brycheiniog (*fl. c.* 500): David E. Thornton, viii.412–13 Cadell Ddyrnllug, king of Powys (*fl.* 5th cent.): David E. Thornton, ix.402

- Constantine III, Roman emperor proclaimed in Britain (d. 411): R. S. O. Tomlin, xiii.33–5
- Cunedda, ruler in north Wales (supp. fl. late 4th-5th cent.): Patrick Wormald, xiv.65

Gwallawg, king in Britain (fl. 572x9-585x92): T. M. Charles-Edwards, xxiv.336

Llwyarch Hen, legendary hero (*supp. fl.* late 6th cent.): Jenny Rowland, xxxiv.180; *DNB* DLT

Mynyddog Mwynfawr, king in Britain (supp. fl. 6th cent.): T. M. Charles-Edwards, xl.87

- Rhun Hir, king of Gwynedd (fl. 547–c. 600): David E. Thornton, xlvi.611–12; DNB JEL
- Rhydderch Hen, king of Strathclyde (fl. c. 573–c. 612): David E. Thornton, xlvi.613; DNB JEL
- Uther Pendragon, supposed king of Britain (*supp. fl.* late 5th cent.?): O. J. Padel, ii.534; DNB C. F. Keary

Vorteporius, king of the Demetae (fl. c. 540): T. M. Charles-Edwards, lvi.594–5 Vortigern, ruler in Britain (fl. 5th cent.): David E. Thornton, lvi.598–9; DNB JEL

b. Ecclesiastics

Asaf, bishop (supp. fl. 6th cent.): David E. Thornton, ii.584-5; DNB DLT

- Brynach, founder of the church of Nevern, Pembrokeshire (fl. 6th cent.): T. M. Charles-Edwards, viii.429–30
- Cadfan, founder of a religious settlement (*supp. fl.* 6th cent.): T. M. Charles-Edwards, ix.408; *DNB* Arthur Miller
- Cadog, founder and abbot of Llancarfan (*fl.* 6th cent.): T. M. Charles-Edwards, ix.410–12; *DNB* Arthur Miller

- Chrysanthus, bishop of Byzantium (fl. 395): see Roman officials (in section 3c)
- Cybi, founder of churches (fl. 6th cent.): T. M. Charles-Edwards, xiv.857; DNB TFT
- Cynidr, founder of churches (fl. 6th cent.): T. M. Charles-Edwards, xiv.866-7
- David, patron saint of Wales (d. 589/601): J. Wyn Evans, xv.277-82; DNB Henry Bradley
- Deiniol, bishop of Bangor (d. 584): T. M. Charles-Edwards, xv.696; DNB TFT
- Dogfael, holy man (fl. 6th cent.): T. M. Charles-Edwards, xvi.451; DNB TFT
- Dyfrig, holy man and supposed bishop (supp. fl. c. 475-c. 525): David E. Thornton, xvii.494-5; DNB TFT
- Faustus, bishop of Riez and theologian (400x10–*c*. 490): Clare Stancliffe, xix.161–3 Germanus, bishop of Auxerre (*d. c.* 437/48): Jill Harries, xx.965–6; *DNB* WH
- Germanus, bishop of Auxerie (a. i. +57/46). Jin Harnes, xx.905–0, *DVD* with
- Gildas, author (fl. 5th–6th cent.): François Kerlouégan, xxii.223–5; DNB TFT
- Illtud, abbot of Llantwit Major (fl. 5th–6th cent.): David E. Thornton, xxix.208–9; DNB DLT
- Ninian, missionary and bishop (supp. fl. 5th-6th cent.): Dauvit Broun, xl.919; DNB James Mackinnon
- *Non, mother of St David (fl. 6th cent.): J. Wyn Evans, xv.279; DNB JEL
- Maglorius, ascetic (fl. late 6th cent.): Julia M. H. Smith, xxxvi.127-8; DNB MB
- Mawgan, holy man (fl. 5th-6th cent.): Dauvit Broun, xxxvii.479-80; DNB MB
- Padarn, founder of churches (fl. 6th cent.): Nerys Ann Jones, xlii.315; DNB JEL
- Paul, bishop of St Pol-de-Léon, Brittany (*fl.* 6th cent.): Caroline Brett, xliii.126–7; *DNB* MB

Pelagius, theologian (*fl. c.* 390–418): Gerald Bonner, xliii.455–7; *DNB* C. R. Beazley Petroc, monk (*fl.* 6th cent.): Caroline Brett, xliii.927; *DNB* JEL

- Peulan, holy man (fl. 6th cent.): David E. Thornton, xliii.966-7; DNB JEL
- Piran, holy man (supp. fl. 6th cent.): Caroline Brett, xliv.402-3; DNB CLK
- Samson, bishop (fl. 561/2): Julia M. H. Smith, xlviii.807–8; DNB JEL
- Seiriol, holy man (fl. 6th cent.): David E. Thornton, xlix.686; DNB JEL
- Teilo, holy man and bishop (supp. fl. c. 550): David E. Thornton, liv.28-9; DNB JEL
- Tysilio, holy man (fl. c. 600): David E. Thornton, lv.817; DNB JEL
- *Ursula, martyr (fl. mid–5th cent.): Richard W. Pfaff, lv.958–9; DNB Mary Tout

c. Secular men and women

Alypius, Roman official (fl. 360-c. 371): see Roman officials

Ambrosius Aurelianus, military leader (*fl.* 5th cent.): David E. Thornton, i.922; *DNB* Arthur Miller

Aneirin, poet (fl. c. 575-c. 600): Morfydd Owen, ii.141-2; DNB Arthur Miller

Dyfnwal Moelmud ap Garbanion, dynast (fl. c. 450–70): Robin Chapman Stacey, xvii.493–4; DNB JEL

Gerontius, Roman general (d. 411): R. S. O. Tomlin, xxi.967-8

Merlin, poet and seer (*supp. fl.* 6th cent.): M. E. Haycock, xxxvii.898–9; *DNB* CLK Mordaf Hael, dynast (*fl. c.* 550–*c.* 575): David E. Thornton, xxxix.11–12; *DNB* JEL Pabo, chieftain (*supp. fl. c.* 500): Nerys Ann Jones, xlii.295–6; *DNB* JEL

Roman officials (*act.* AD 43–410): A. R. Birley, xlvii.652–6 Taliesin, poet (*fl.* 6th cent.): T. M. Charles-Edwards, liii.737–8; *DNB* JEL Victorinus, administrator (*fl.* 400): *see* Roman officials

4. 'WELSH' SUBJECTS (c. 600-c. 1100)

a. Kings, consorts and other rulers

- Anarawd ap Rhodri, king in Wales (d. 916): rev. David E. Thornton, ii.12–13; DNB Arthur Miller
- Bleddyn ap Cynfyn, king of Gwynedd and of Powys (d. 1075): Huw Pryce, vi.198-9
- Cadell ab Arthfael, king of Gwent (d. 942): David E. Thornton, ix.401; DNB TFT
- Cadell ap Rhodri, king in Wales (d. 910): David E. Thornton, ix.401–2; DNB TFT
- Cadwaladr ap Cadwallon, king of Gwynedd (d. 664/82): David E. Thornton, ix.423–4; DNB TFT
- Cadwallon ap Cadfan, king of Gwynedd (d. 634): T. M. Charles-Edwards, ix.425–6; DNB W. R. W. Stephens
- Cadfan ab Iago, king of Gwynedd (fl. c. 616-c. 625): David E. Thornton, ix.408; DNBTFT
- Caradog ap Gruffudd ap Rhydderch, king in Wales (d. 1081): David Walker, x.10–11; DNB TFT
- Caradog ap Rhydderch, king in Wales (d. 1035): David Walker, x.10-11; DNB TFT
- Cynan Garwyn, king of Powys (fl. c. 550-c. 600): David E. Thornton, xiv.858
- Cynddylan ap Cyndrwyn, king in Wales (fl. c. 616-c. 641): David E. Thornton, xiv.859-60
- Cyngen ap Cadell, king of Powys (d. 854/5): David E. Thornton, xiv.865-6
- Gruffudd ap Cynan, king of Gwynedd (1054/5–1137): Huw Pryce, xxiv.133–5; DNB TFT
- Gruffudd ap Llywelyn, king of Gwynedd and of Deheubarth (d. 1063): David Walker, xxiv.136–7; *DNB* TFT
- Gruffudd ap Rhydderch, king in Wales (d. 1055): David Walker, x.10; DNB TFT
- Gwynllyw, king of Glywysing (fl. 6th cent.): T. M. Charles-Edwards, xxiv.360–1; DNB TFT
- Hywel [called Hywel Fychan], king of Gwynedd (d. 825): David E. Thornton, xxix.171–2; DNB TFT
- Hywel ab Edwin, king of Deheubarth (d. 1044): rev. David E. Thornton, xxix.172; DNB TFT
- Hywel ab Ieuaf, king of Gwynedd (d. 985): David E. Thornton, xxix.172–3; DNB TFT Hywel Dda, king in Wales (d. 950): David E. Thornton, xxix.175–6; DNB TFT
- Iago ab Idwal ap Meurig, king of Gwynedd (d. 1039): Huw Pryce, xxiv.133; DNB DLT
- Iago ab Idwal Foel, king of Gwynedd (d. c. 979): David E. Thornton, xxix.177; DNB DLT
- Idwal ap Meurig, dynast (d. 996/7): David E. Thornton, xxix.190; *DNB* DLT Idwal Foel, king of Gwynedd (d. 942): David E. Thornton, xxix.190–1; *DNB* DLT

Iorwerth ap Bleddyn, Welsh prince (d. 1111): Huw Pryce, vi.199; DNB TFT

- Llywelyn ap Seisyll, king of Gwynedd and of Deheubarth (d. 1023): David Walker, xxiv.136; DNB TFT
- Maelgwn Gwynedd, king of Gwynedd (d. 547/49): David E. Thornton, xxxvi.100; DNB JEL
- Maredudd ab Owain, king of Gwynedd and of Deheubarth (d. 999): David E. Thornton, xxxvi.625-6; DNB JEL
- Merfyn Frych, king of Gwynedd (d. 844): David E. Thornton, xxxvii.885-6; DNB JEL
- Morgan ab Athrwys, king of Glywysing (d. c. 665/710): David E. Thornton, xxxix.94– 5; *DNB* JEL
- Morgan Hen, king of Morgannwg (d. 974): David E. Thornton, xxxix.95-6; DNB JEL
- Owain ab Edwin, ruler in Wales (d. 1105): David E. Thornton, xlii.176-7; DNB JEL
- Owain ap Hywel, king of Deheubarth (b. before 929, d. 988): David E. Thornton, xlii.177
- Owain, Sir, ap Cadwgan, prince of Powys (d. 1116): Huw Pryce, vi.199; DNB JEL
- Rhiwallon ap Cynfyn, king of Gwynedd and of Powys (d. 1069): Huw Pryce, vi.198–9; DNB JEL
- Rhodri Mawr, king of Gwynedd (*b.* before 844, *d.* 878): David E. Thornton, xlvi.611; *DNB* JEL
- Rhys ab Owain, ruler in Wales (d. 1078): rev. David E. Thornton, xlvi.614; DNB JEL
- Rhys ap Tewdwr, ruler in Wales (d. 1093): rev. David E. Thornton, xlvi.619; DNB JEL

Selyf ap Cynan, king of Powys (d. 613x16): David E. Thornton, xlix.737-8

Trahaearn ap Caradog, ruler in Wales (d. 1081): rev. David E. Thornton, lv.203–4; DNB JEL

Urien Rheged, king of Rheged (fl. c. 560-c. 580): David E. Thornton, lv.944; DNB JEL

b. Ecclesiastics

Asser, bishop of Sherborne (d. 909): Patrick Wormald, ii.759–60; DNB [Anon]
Beulan, priest (fl. c. 1000–c. 1050): David E. Thornton, v.564–5; DNB WH
Beuno, holy man (d. 653/9): Patrick Sims-Williams, v.565–6; DNB Alexander Mackie
Bleddri, bishop in south-east Wales (d. 1022/3): rev. K. L. Maund, vi.198; DNB TFT
Cyfeilliog, bishop of Ergyng (d. 927): T. M. Charles-Edwards, xiv.857–8; DNB TFT
Elfoddw, archbishop of Gwynedd (d. 809): T. M. Charles-Edwards, xviii.31
Euddogwy, holy man (supp. fl. late 6th cent.): David E. Thornton, xviii.643; DNB JEL
Gudwal, bishop of St. Malo (supp. fl. 7th cent.): O. J. Padel, xxiv.165–6; DNB CLK
*Guenfrewi, nun (fl. c. 650): T. M. Charles-Edwards, xxiv.340–1; DNB MB
Herewald, bishop in south-east Wales and the border (d. 1104/7): K. L. Maund, xxvi.766–7; DNB TFT

Neot, monk and hermit (*d.* in or before 878): Michael Lapidge, xl.424; *DNB* MB Rhigyfarch ap Sulien, scholar and teacher (1056/7–99): Michael Lapidge, xlvi.589–90;

DNB JEL

Sulien, bishop of St David's (c. 1012–91): rev. Nancy Edwards, liii.292; DNB JEL

c. Secular men and women

Meilyr Brydydd, poet (fl. 1081–1137): rev. R. Geraint Gruffydd, xxxvii.726; DNB JEL Nennius, scholar (fl. c. 770–c. 810): David E. Thornton, xl.423–4; DNB CLK

5. 'IRISH' SUBJECTS (c. 400-c. 1100)

a. Kings, consorts and other rulers

- Áed Allán mac Fergaile, high-king of Ireland (d. 743): T. M. Charles-Edwards, i.373
- Áed mac Néill, high-king of Ireland (d. 879): Benjamin T. Hudson, i.373-4
- Áed Oirdnide mac Néil, high-king of Ireland (*d.* 819): T. M. Charles-Edwards, i.374–5 Áed Sláine mac Diarmata, joint high-king of Ireland (*d.* 604): Philip Irwin, i.375–6
- Áed [in Gaí Bernaig] Ua Conchobair, king of Connacht (d. 1067): Seán Duffy, lv.835–6; DNB NM
- Áed Uaridnach mac Domnaill, high-king of Ireland (d. 612): T. M. Charles-Edwards, i.376
- Ailill Molt, high-king of Ireland (d. c. 482): Philip Irwin, i.490
- Báetán mac Cairill, king of Ulster (d. 581): Philip Irwin, iii.212
- Blaímac [Blathmac] mac Áeda, joint high-king of Ireland (d. 665): T. M. Charles-Edwards, vi.70
- Brian Bóruma, high-king of Ireland (c. 941–1014): Seán Duffy, vii.533–8; DNB NM
- Cathal mac Conchobair, king of Connacht (d. 1010): Seán Duffy, x.536; DNB NM
- Cathal mac Finguine, king of Munster (d. 742): Philip Irwin, x.536–7
- Cellach mac Máele Coba, joint high-king of Ireland (d. 658): T. M. Charles-Edwards, x.805–6
- Cellach Cualann, king of Leinster (d. 715): Charles Doherty, x.804-5
- Cellachán mac Buadacháin, king of Munster (d. 954): Benjamin T. Hudson, x.806; DNB NM
- Cenn Fáelad mac Blaímaic, high-king of Ireland (d. 675): T. M. Charles-Edwards, x.810
- Cerball mac Dúngaile, king of Osraige (d. 888): Benjamin T. Hudson, x.821–2; *DNB* NM
- Cináed mac Írgalaig, high-king of Ireland (*d.* 728): T. M. Charles-Edwards, xi.712–13 Coirpre mac Néill, high-king of Ireland (*supp. fl.* 485–94): Philip Irwin, xii.441
- Conall Cóel mac Máele Coba, joint high-king of Ireland (d. 654): T. M. Charles-Edwards, x.805-6
- Conchobar mac Donnchada, high-king of Ireland (d. 833): Benjamin T. Hudson (online update, October 2005)
- Congal Cáech, high-king of Ireland (d. 637): T. M. Charles-Edwards, xii.929
- Congal Cendmagair, high-king of Ireland (d. 710): Charles Doherty, xii.929-30
- Congalach mac Máele Mithig, king of Brega and high-king of Ireland (d. 956): Benjamin T. Hudson, xii.930
- Cormac mac Cuilennáin, king of Munster and bishop (d. 908): Paul Russell, xiii.434–5; DNB NM
- Dál Riata, kings of: see sect. 6a, 'Scottish' kings and other rulers

Diarmait mac Cerbaill, high-king of Ireland (d. 565): T. M. Charles-Edwards, xvi.22–3 Diarmait mac Máel na mBó, king of Leinster (d. 1072): Benjamin T. Hudson, xvi.23 Domnall mac Áeda, high-king of Ireland (d. 642): T. M. Charles-Edwards, xvi.489–90 Domnall mac Murchada, high-king of Ireland (d. 763): T. M. Charles-Edwards, xvi.490 Domnall ua Néill, high-king of Ireland (d. 980): Benjamin T. Hudson, xvi.490–1

Donnchad Donn mac Flainn, high-king of Ireland (d. 944): Charles Doherty, xvi.532–3 Donnchad mac Briain, king of Munster (d. 1064): Damian Bracken, xxxv.65–7; DNB NM

- Donnchad mac Domnaill, high-king of Ireland (733-97): Charles Doherty, xvi.533-4
- Feidlimid mac Crimthainn, king of Munster (d. 847): Damian Bracken, xix.235-6
- Fergal mac Máele Dúin, high-king of Ireland (d. 722): Charles Doherty, xix.338–9 Fiachu mac Néill, king in Ireland (d. 510–16): Philip Irwin, xix.462
- Fínsnechtae Fledach mac Dúnchada, high-king of Ireland (d. 695): T. M. Charles-Edwards, xix.629
- Flaithbertach mac Loingsig, high-king of Ireland (d. 765): T. M. Charles-Edwards, xix.979
- Flaithbertach ua Néill, king of Ailech (d. 1036): Seán Duffy, lv.844–5; DNB NM
- Flann Sinna, high-king of Ireland (847/8–91): Charles Doherty, xix.998–9
- Fogartach mac Néill, high-king of Ireland (d. 724): Philip Irwin, xix.199-200
- Forggus mac Muirchertaig, joint high-king of Ireland (d. c. 566): T. M. Charles-Edwards, xix.366–7
- Godred Crovan, king of Man and the Isles (d. 1095): Seán Duffy, xxii.600-1
- *Gormlaith, queen in Ireland and tragic heroine (d. 948): Elva Johnston, xxii.1011
- Lethlobar mac Loingsig, king of Ulster (d. 873): Benjamin T. Hudson, xxxiii.509–10; DNB NM
- Lóegaire mac Néill, high-king of Ireland (*fl.* 5th cent.): Philip Irwin, xxxiv.292–3; *DNB* NM
- Loingsech mac Óenguso, high-king of Ireland (d. 704): Máirín Ní Dhonnchadha, xxxiv.329; DNB NM
- Lugaid mac Lóegairi, high-king of Ireland (d. 507): Philip Irwin, xxxiv.724; DNB NM
- Máel Sechnaill mac Domnaill, high-king of Ireland (948–1022): Benjamin T. Hudson, xxxvi.101–2; *DNB* NM
- Máel Sechnaill mac Máele Ruanaid, high-king of Ireland (d. 862): T. M. Charles-Edwards, xxxvi.102–4; DNB NM
- Muirchertach mac Muiredaig, high-king of Ireland (d. 534): T. M. Charles-Edwards, xxxix.681–2; *DNB* NM
- Muirchertach mac Néill, king of Ailech (d. 943): Benjamin T. Hudson, xxxix.682–3; DNB NM
- Muirchertach ua Briain, high-king of Ireland (c. 1050–1119): Damian Bracken, lv.830–2; DNB NM
- Nath Í mac Fiachrach, high-king of Ireland (supp. d. 445?): Philip Irwin, xl.264
- Niall Frossach mac Fergaile, high-king of Ireland (718–78): Philip Irwin, xl.743–4; DNB NM

- Niall [Caille] mac Áeda, king of Ailech and high-king of Ireland (d. 846): Benjamin T. Hudson, xl.744–5; DNB NM
- Niall [Glúndub] mac Áeda, king of Ailech and high-king of Ireland (c. 869–919): Benjamin T. Hudson, xl.745; *DNB* NM
- Niall mac Eochada, king of Ulaid (d. 1063): Benjamin T. Hudson, xl.746; DNB NM
- Niall mac Maíl Shechnaill, king of Ailech (d. 1061): T. M. Charles-Edwards, xl.746–7; DNB NM
- Níall Noígíallach, high-king of Ireland (d. c. 452): Fergus Kelly, xl.747-8; DNB NM
- Nigel [= Niall Glúndub mac Áeda] (d. 919): Marios Costambeys, xl.900; DNB AMC
- Óláf Guthfrithson, king of Dublin and of Northumbria (d. 941): Benjamin T. Hudson, xli.662–3; DNB AMC
- Óláf Sihtricson, king of Dublin and of Northumbria (c. 926–81): Benjamin T. Hudson, xli.663–5; *DNB* AMC
- Ragnall Guthfrithson, viking king (fl. 943–4): Marios Costambeys, xlv.796–7; DNB AMC
- Ruaidrí ua Canannáin, king of Cenél Conaill (d. 950): Charles Doherty, xlviii.62–3
- Ruaidrí [na Saide Buide] ua Conchobair, king of Connacht (d. 1118): Seán Duffy, lv.836; DNB NM
- Sechnassach mac Blathmaic, high-king of Ireland (d. 671): Philip Irwin, xlix.621
- Sihtric, king of Dublin (d. 1042): Benjamin T. Hudson, 1.596–7; DNB F. Y. Powell
- Suibne Menn mac Fiachnai, high-king of Ireland (d. 628): T. M. Charles-Edwards, liii.290
- Toirdelbach ua Briain, king of Munster (1009–86): Damian Bracken, lv.832–3; *DNB* NM
- Tuathal Máelgarb mac Cormaic, high-king of Ireland (fl. 535–9): T. M. Charles-Edwards, lv.484–5; DNB NM

b. Ecclesiastics

- Adomnán, abbot of Iona and writer (627/8?–704): Máirín Ní Dhonnchadha, i.353–6; DNB J. T. Gilbert
- Áed mac Bricc, bishop of Rahugh, Killare and Slieve League; saint of Cenél Fiachach (d. 589): see Meath, saints of
- Áedán, missionary and bishop (d. 651): Henry Mayr-Harting, i.376–7; DNB Mandell Creighton

Ailbe, bishop, church founder, saint of Munster (d. 534?): see Munster, saints of Ailerán, scholar (d. 665): Thomas O'Loughlin, i.489–90

Airbertach mac Cosse Dobráin, poet (d. 1016): Peter J. Smith, i.511–12

Assicus, holy man (fl. c. 480): see Ulster, saints of

*Athracht ingen Thaláin, holy woman (fl. c. 500): see Connacht, saints of

Béoáed mac Ocláin, bishop (d. (520/24): see Connacht, saints of

Berach mac Amargin, holy man (fl. late 6th-early 7th cent.): see Connacht, saints of

Brendan mac Nemainn, holy man (d. (565/73): see Meath, saints of

Brendan of Clonfert, holy man (d. 577): see Connacht, saints of

*Brigit, patron saint of Kildare (439/52–524/6): T. M. Charles-Edwards, vii.650–4; *DNB* TO

Brón mac Icni, holy man (d. 512): see Connacht, saints of *Brónach, holy woman (fl. 5th-6th cent.?): see Ulster, saints of Buíte mac Brónaig, holy man (d. 519/20): see Meath, saints of Caillín mac Niataig, holy man (fl. 6th cent.): see Meath, saints of Caimín, holy man (d. 644): see Munster, saints of Cainnech moccu Dálann, holy man (521/7-599/600): see Munster, saints of *Cairech Dergain, holy woman (d. 577/9): see Connacht, saints of Cairnech, holy man (fl. 5th-early 6th cent.): see Meath, saints of Camulacus, holy man (fl. 5th cent.?): see Meath, saints of *Canir, saint (fl. 6th cent.): see Munster, saints of Carthach mac Fianáin, holy man (fl. late 6th cent.): see Munster, saints of Catroe, abbot of St Felix, Metz (900/1-971): Alan Macquarrie, x.559-60; DNB T. A. Archer Cellach, bishop of Killala (fl. 6th–7th cent.): Paul Russell, x.803; DNB TO Cellán, abbot of Péronne and writer (d. 706): Michael Lapidge, x.806-7 Céthech, bishop (fl. 5th cent.): see Connacht, saints of Cianán mac Sétnai, saint (d. 489): see Meath, saints of Ciarán mac int Shaír, saint (c. 515-584/9): see Meath, saints of Ciarán mac Luaigne, bishop and patron of Ossory (fl. 450–500): see Munster, saints of; DNB TO Clement, alleged heretic (fl. 744-7): Timothy Reuter, xii.18-19; DNB R. L. Poole Cóemgen, founder of Glenn Dá Locha (fl. 7th cent.): see Leinster, saints of; DNB TO Coirpre Crom mac Feradaig, bishop of Clonmacnoise (d. 904): see Meath, saints of; DNB TO Colcu ua Duinechda, scriba, and probably bishop of Clonmacnoise (d. 796): see Meath, saints of; DNB TO Colmán, bishop of Lindisfarne (d. 676): Marios Costambeys, xii.756–7; DNB WH Colmán Elo, saint (d. 611): see Meath, saints of; DNB TO Colmán mac Léníne, saint (530-606): see Munster, saints of Colum mac Crimthainn, monastic founder (d.548): see Munster, saints of Columbanus, missionary and monastic founder (d. 615): Rob Meens, xii.810–13; DNB WH Comgall mac Sétnai, monastic founder (511/16–602): see Ulster, saints of; DNB T. A. Archer Comgán mac Dá Cherda, possible abbot of Emly (d. 645): see Munster, saints of Commán mac Fáelchon, patron of Roscommon (d. 747): see Connacht, saints of; DNB TO Conlaid, patron of Kildare (d. 518/520): T. M. Charles-Edwards, vii.650; DNB TO Conn na mBocht, ecclesiastical leader (d. 1060): Seán Duffy, xii.957–8; DNB TO Connacht, saints of, holy men and women believed to have been buried within the

province of Connacht (*act. c.* 400–*c.* 800): T. M. Charles-Edwards, xii.960–3 Cormac mac Eogain, saint in Connacht (*fl.* 6th cent.): *see* Connacht, saints of; *DNB* TO Cormac ua Liatháin, monastic founder and navigator (*fl.* late 6th cent.): *see* Meath, saints

of

- *Cranat ingen Buicín, saint (fl. 6th cent.): see Munster, saints of
- Crónán moccu Éile, monastic founder (d. 665): see Munster, saints of; DNB T. A. Archer
- Cumméne Fota, bishop of Clonfert and Ardfert (c. 591–662): see Connacht, saints of
- Daig mac Cairill, saint of Ulster (d. 587): see Ulster, saints of
- *Dar Lugdach, abbess of Kildare (d. 525/7): T. M. Charles-Edwards, xv.105; DNB TO
- Déclán mac Eircc, saint of Munster (fl. late 5th cent.): see Munster, saints of; DNB TO
- Decuman, holy man (fl. 6th cent.): David E. Thornton, xv.663–4; DNB WH
- Deicolus, Benedictine monk and hermit (d. e. 625): Dagmar Ó Riain-Raedel, xv.695; DNB TO
- *Dergain, saint (d. 577-9): T. M. Charles-Edwards, xxii.963
- Díchu mac Trichim, saint (fl. 5th cent.): see Ulster, saints of
- Disibod, holy man (supp. d. 674): Marios Costambeys, xvi.264; DNB TO
- Do Biu mac Comgaill, saint (fl. 5th cent.?): see Ulster, saints of
- Donatus, bishop of Fiesole (d. 876): Paul Russell, xvi.520-1; DNB TO
- Donngus Ua hAingliu, bishop of Dublin (d. 1095): M. T. Flanagan, lv.842-3; DNB TO
- Dub dá Leithe, abbot of Armagh (d. 1064): Benjamin T. Hudson, xvii.9-10; DNB TO
- Dublitter, saint of Meath (d. 796): see Meath, saints of
- Dúnán, bishop of Dublin (d. 1074): Benjamin T. Hudson, xvii.199–200; DNB TO
- Dúngal, astronomer and theologian (fl. c. 800-27): David Ganz, xvii.297-8; DNB TO
- *Dympna, martyr (fl. late 6th–early 7th cent.): Nathalie Stalmans, xvii.505–6; DNB TO
- Énda mac Conaill, saint of Munster (fl. 6th cent.?): see Munster, saints of; DNB TO
- Eochaid ua Flannucáin, poet and historian (c. 936–1004): John Carey, xviii.472–3
- Erc mac Dega, saint of Meath (d. 513): see Meath, saints of
- *Ercnat ingen Dáire, saint of Ulster (fl. 5th-6th cent.): see Ulster, saints of
- Éogan mac Dega, saint of Ulster (fl. late 6th cent.): see Ulster, saints of
- Erhard, bishop of Regensburg (d. before 784): Marios Costambeys, xviii.496–7; DNB TO
- Fachtna mac Mongaig, saint of Munster (fl. 6th cent.): see Munster, saints of; DNB TO
- Féchín moccu Cháe, saint of Meath (d. 665): see Meath, saints of; DNB NM
- Fiachra, monastic founder (fl. mid-7th cent.): Elva Johnston, xix.461-2; DNB TO
- Finán, missionary and bishop of Lindisfarne (d. 661): R. Javatilaka, xix.549-50
- Fínán Cam mac Móenaig, saint of Meath (fl. late 6th–early 7th cent.): see Meath, saints of
- Findbarr mac Amairgin, saint of Munster (fl. 6th cent.?): see Munster, saints of
- Findbarr moccu Fiatach, saint of Ulster (d. 579): see Ulster, saints of
- Findchú mac Finnloga, saint of Munster (d. 655/65): see Munster, saints of; DNB TO
- Finnián mac Findloga, saint of Meath (d. 549/51): see Meath, saints of; DNB TO
- Fintan, saint of Leinster (d. 603?): see Leinster, saints of; DNB TO
- Finten, saint of Leinster (fl. 7th cent.): see Leinster, saints of; DNB TO
- Flann mac Lonáin, poet (d. 891x918): Peter J. Smith, xix.996–7; DNB NM
- Flann Mainistrech, poet and historian (d. 1056): John Carey, xix.997-8; DNB NM

- Flannán mac Toirrdelbaig, saint of Munster (fl. 7th cent.): see Munster, saints of; DNB TO
- Foillan, holy man (d. 653x5): Fouracre, Paul, xix.203–4; DNB TO
- Forannán, bishop of Donaghmore and abbot of Waulsort (d. 982): Nathalie Stalmans, xix.253–4; *DNB* TO
- *Funech, saint of Meath (fl. late 7th cent.): see Meath, saints of
- Fursa, missionary monk (d. 649): Paul Fouracre, xx.201–2; DNB TO
- Gall, supposed monastic founder (fl. 615): Dagmar Ó Riain-Raedel, xx.307–8; DNB WH
- Garald, saint of Connacht (d. 732): see Connacht, saints of; DNB TO
- Gobbán Sáer, legendary Irish church-builder (*supp. fl.* 7th. cent.): Elva Johnston, xxxviii.469; *DNB* TO
- *Gobnait, Irish saint (fl. 6th cent.?): see Munster, saints of
- Grellán of Cráeb Grelláin, Irish saint (fl. 5th–6th cent.): see Connacht, saints of; DNB TO
- Guasacht maccu Buáin, bishop of Granard (Meath): (fl. late 5th cent.): see Meath, saints of
- Iarlaithe, supposed bishop of Armagh (*supp. d.* 481): T. M. Charles-Edwards, xxix.179–80; *DNB* NM
- Iarlaithe mac Loga, Irish saint (fl. 6th cent.): see Connacht, saints of; DNB NM
- Ibar mac Lugna, Irish bishop (d. 500/1): see Munster, saints of; DNB W. A. J. Archbold
- Iona, abbots of: see section 6b, 'Scottish' ecclesiastics
- *Íte ingen Chinn Fhalad, Irish saint (d. 570/7): see Munster, saints of; DNB NM
- John Scottus [called John Scottus Eriugena], theologian (fl. c. 845-c. 870): John Marenbon, xxx.196-203; DNB R. L. Poole
- Joseph Scottus, abbot and scholar (d. 791x804): Mary Garrison, xxx.715-16
- *Kentigerna, anchorite (d. 734): Henrietta Leyser, xxxi.334
- Killian, missionary in Franconia (d. 689?): Dagmar Ó Riain-Raedel, xxxi.548–9; DNB NM
- Lachtín mac Tarbín, saint (d. 622/7): see Munster, saints of; DNB NM
- Laisrén mac Decláin, saint (fl. 6th cent.): see Connacht, saints of
- *Lallóc, saint (fl. 5th cent.): see Connacht, saints of
- Leinster, saints of (act. c. 550-c. 800): Charles Doherty, xxxiii.277-9
- Livinus, missionary (supp. d. 633?): David E. Thornton, xxxiv.88-9; DNB MB
- Lommán mac Dalláin, saint (fl. 5th-early 6th cent): see Meath, saints of
- Lonán mac Talmaig, saint (fl. 5th-6th cent.): see Meath, saints of
- Mac Caírthinn mac Cainnig, saint (d. 506): see Ulster, saints of
- Mac Creiche mac Pessláin, saint (fl. late 6th cent.): see Munster, saints of
- Mac Cuilinn mac Cathmoga, saint (d. 496): see Meath, saints of
- Mac Nisse mac Faíbrig, saint (d. 507/8): see Ulster, saints of
- Máedóc, saint (fl. 7th cent.): see Leinster, saints of
- Máel Cétair mac Rónáin, saint (fl. 6th-7th cent.?): see Munster, saints of
- Máel Muru Othna, poet and historian (d. 887): John Carey, xxxvi.100-1; DNB NM

- Máel Ruain, saint (d. 792): see Leinster, saints of
- Máel Suthain Ua Cerbaill, ecclesiastic (d. 1010): T. M. Charles-Edwards, lv.835; DNB NM
- Máeldub, abbot (supp. fl. mid-7th cent.): Michael Lapidge, xxxvi.99-100; DNB MB
- Mainchín mac Setnai, saint (fl. late 6th cent.): see Munster, saints of
- Manchán mac Silláin, saint (d. 665): see Meath, saints of
- Marianus Scotus, Benedictine monk and chronicler (1028-82): rev. P. McGurk, xxxvi.665-6; DNB CLK
- Martin of Laon, scholar (819–75): John J. Contreni, xxxvi.917–18
- Meath, saints of (c. 400-c. 900): Nathalie Stalmans; T. M. Charles-Edwards, xxxvii.671-8
- Mél, saint (fl. 5th-early 6th cent.): see Meath, saints of; DNB NM
- Mo Chóe mac Luacháin, saint (d. 497): see Ulster, saints of; DNB TO
- Mo Chóemóc mac Béoáin, founder of Leamakevoge (d. 656): see Munster, saints of; DNB TO
- Mo Chua mac Bécáin, saint (d. 694): see Connacht, saints of; DNB TO
- Mo Chutu mac Fínaill, abbot of Rahan (Rathan) and abbot-founder of Lismore (Les Mór Mo Chutu) (d. 637): see Munster, saints of; DNB T. A. Archer
- Mo Genóc, saint (fl. 5th cent.?): see Meath, saints of
- Mo Laga mac Duib Dligid, saint (fl. late 6th cent.?): see Munster, saints of; DNB TO
- Mo Laisse mac Nad Froich, saint (d. 564): see Ulster, saints of; DNB NM
- Mo Ling, abbot of St Mullins (d. 697): Elva Johnston, xxxviii.469-70; DNB TO
- Mo Lua moccu Óche, saint (554–609): see Munster, saints of; DNB MB
- Mochtae, saint (d. 535): see Meath, saints of
- Modestus, missionary (d. c. 763): Luned Mair Davies, xxxviii.486; DNB MB
- Móenu, bishop of Clonfert, saint (d. 572): see Connacht, saints of; DNB MB
- *Moninne, nun (d. 517): Robert Bartlett, xxxviii.625; DNB TO
- Mucnoe, saint (fl. c. 500): see Connacht, saints of
- Muirchú, biographer (fl. 697): David E. Thornton, xxxix.683; DNB TO
- Muiredach mac Echdach, saint (fl. early 6th cent.): see Connacht, saints of
- Munis, bishop (fl. 5th cent.?): see Meath, saints of
- Munster, saints of (act. c. 450-c. 750): Elva Johnston, xxxix.783-93
- Muru mac Feradaig, saint of Ulster (c. 600-c. 650): see Ulster, saints of; DNB NM
- Nessán, saint of Munster (d. 556): see Munster, saints of
- Óengus of Tallaght, bishop and writer (fl. c. 830): Pádraig Ó Riain, xli.540-1
- Olcán, saint of Ulster (fl. 5th cent.): see Ulster, saints of
- Palladius, missionary and bishop (fl. 429–c. 433): T. M. Charles-Edwards, xlii.461–2; DNB C. R. Beazley
- Patrick, patron saint of Ireland (fl. 5th cent.): Clare Stancliffe, xliii.69–80; DNB TO Plechelm, missionary and bishop (fl. 8th cent.): Nathalie Stalmans, xliv.574; DNB MB
- Probus, writer (*fl.* 9thx11th cent.): David E. Thornton, xlv.447–8; *DNB* TO
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- Ruadán mac Fergusa Birn, saint of Munster (d. 584): see Munster, saints of
- Rumold, martyr (fl. 7th–8th cent.): Nathalie Stalmans, xlviii.115–16; DNB TO
- Sachellus, saint of Connacht (fl. 5th cent.): see Connacht, saints of

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*Samthann ingen Díaráin, saint of Meath (d. 739): see Meath, saints of Sechnall mac Restitiúit, saint of Meath (fl. 5th cent.): see Meath, saints of Sedulius, religious writer (fl. 7th–8th cent.): Clare Stanfcliffe, xlix.659–60; DNB TO Sedulius Scottus, poet and scholar (fl. 840x51–860x74): Luned Mair Davies, xlix.660–1 Senán mac Geirrcinn, saint of Munster (fl. 6th cent.): see Munster, saints of; DNB TO Sillán moccu Mind, saint of Ulster (d. 610): see Ulster, saints of Tigernach mac Coirpri, saint (d. 549): see Ulster, saints of

Tigernach Ua Briaín, abbot of Clonmacnoise (d. 1088): T. M. Charles-Edwards, lv.889; DNB NM

Tírechán, bishop and hagiographer (*fl. c.* 690): David E. Thornton, liv.836–7; *DNB* TO Ulster, saints of (*act. c.* 400–*c.* 600): T. M. Charles-Edwards, lv.872–8 Ultán moccu Chonchobair, saint (*d.* 657): *see* Meath, saints of; *DNB* NM

Virgilius, bishop of Salzburg (d. 784): Dagmar Ó Riain-Raedel, lvi.561–2; DNB TO

c. Secular men and women

Arnórr Earls' Poet, court poet in Iceland (fl. c. 1046–73): Paul Bibire, ii.511

Barinthus, legendary navigator (*supp. fl.* 6th cent.): David E. Thornton, iii.857; *DNB* T. A. Archer

Cináed ua hArtacáin, poet (d. 975): John Carey, xi.713; DNB NM

Clemens Scotus, grammarian (fl. c. 814-26): V. A. Law, xii.17-8; DNB R. L. Poole

Cuán ua Lothcháin, Gaelic poet (d. 1024): John Carey, xiv.574–5; DNB NM

Dallán Forgaill, poet (fl. 597): T. M. Charles-Edwards, xiv.954-5; DNB NM

Dícuil, scholar and teacher (fl. c. 795–825): John J. Contreni, xvi.132–4; DNB T. A. Archer.

Dubthach maccu Lugair, poet (supp. fl. 432): T. M. Charles-Edwards, xvii.22–3; DNB TO

Gilla Coémáin, Gaelic poet (fl. 1072): Peter J. Smith, xxii.253

Ívarr [Ívarr inn Beinlausi], viking leader (d. 873): Marios Costambeys, xxix.443–5

Muirchertach, poet (d. 1014/16): Peter J. Smith, xxxix.681; DNB NM

Oisín, legendary hero (supp. fl. 3rd–5th cent.): Máirtín Ó Briain, xli.645; DNB [Anon]

Óláf the White, viking leader (fl. 853–71): Benjamin T. Hudson, xli.665

Ruben mac Connad, scribe (d. 725): Luned Mair Davies, xlviii.66

Senchán Torpéist, Gaelic poet (fl. 6th-7th cent.): Elva Johnston, xlix.753-4; DNB NM

Sihtric Cam, warrior (fl. 962): Benjamin T. Hudson, xli.663-5; DNB F. Y. Powell

Turges, viking leader (d. 845): Benjamin T. Hudson, lv.576; DNB AMC

Urard mac Coise, Gaelic poet (d. 983x1023): Elva Johnston, lv.936; DNB TO

6. 'SCOTTISH' SUBJECTS (c. 400-c. 1100)

a. Kings, consorts and other rulers

Adda, king of Bernicia (d. 565?): D. J. Craig, xxix.189; *DNB* WH Aed Find, king of Dál Riata (d. 778): *see* Dál Riata, kings of

- Aedán mac Gabrán, king of Dál Riata (c. 535–609?): Marjorie Anderson, i.378; DNB [Anon]
- Ainfcellach, king of Dál Riata (d. 719): see Dál Riata, kings of
- Alchfrith, sub-king of Deira (fl. c. 655– c. 665): Rosemary Cramp, i.589; DNB WH
- Alpin, king of Dál Riata (d. 840): see Dál Riata, kings of
- Brude [Bridei] mac Bile, king of Picts (d. 693): Marjorie O. Anderson, viii.342-3
- Brude [Bridei] mac Maelchon, king of Picts (d. c. 586): Marjorie O. Anderson, viii.343
- Comgall mac Domangart, king of Dál Riata (d. c. 538): see Dál Riata, kings of; DNB AJGM
- Conall Crandomna, king of Dál Riata (d. 660): see Dál Riata, kings of; DNB AJGM
- Conall mac Comgall, king of Dál Riata (d. 574): see Dál Riata, kings of; DNB AJGM
- Connad Cerr, king of Dál Riata (d. c. 629): see Dál Riata, kings of
- Constantine I, king in Scotland (d. 876): Dauvit Broun, xiii.32; DNB AJGM
- Constantine II, king in Scotland (d. 952): Dauvit Broun, xiii.32-3; DNB AJGM
- Constantine III, king in Scotland (d. 997): Dauvit Broun, xiv.572-3; DNB AJGM
- Constantine mac Fergus, king of the Picts (d. 820): see Picts, kings of the; DNB AJGM
- Culen, king in Scotland (d. 971): Dauvit Broun, xiv.572–3; DNB AJGM
- Dál Riata, kings of (act. c. 500-c. 850): Marjorie O. Anderson, xiv.971-8
- Domangart, king of Dál Riata (d. 673): see Dál Riata, kings of
- Domnall Brecc, king of Dál Riata (d. 642/3): Marjorie O. Anderson, xvi.489; DNB AJGM
- Donald [Dyfnwal son of Owen], king of the Cumbrians (d. 975): Alan Macquarrie, xvi.494
- Donald I [Domnall mac Alpin], king in Scotland (d. 862): Marjorie O. Anderson, xvi.496; DNB AJGM
- Donald II, king in Scotland (d. 900): Dauvit Broun, xvi.496; DNB AJGM
- Donald III, king of Scots (b. in or before 1040, d. 1099?): A. A. M. Duncan, xvi.496-7
- Drust, king of the Picts (d. 729): see Picts, kings of the
- Drust, king of the Picts (d. c. 848): see Picts, kings of the
- Dubh, king in Scotland (d. 966): Dauvit Broun, xvii.11-12; DNB AJGM
- Duncan I, king of Scots (d. 1040): Dauvit Broun, xvii.218-19; DNB T. A. Archer
- Dúngal, king of Dál Riata (d. c. 736): see Dál Riata, kings of
- Eochaid, ruler in Scotland (d. 697): see Dál Riata, kings of; DNB AJGM
- Eochaid Buide, ruler in Scotland (d. c. 629): see Dál Riata, kings of; DNB AJGM
- Eoganán, king of the Picts (d. 839): see Picts, kings of the
- Eugenius I–VIII, Scottish kings (act. c. 350–763): Henry Summerson, xviii.644–5; DNB AJGM
- Ewen [Eogan], ruler in Scotland (d. 763): see Dál Riata, kings of
- Ferchar, ruler in Scotland (d. c. 651): see Dál Riata, kings of; DNB AJGM
- Ferchar Fota, ruler in Scotland (d. 697): see Dál Riata, kings of; DNB AJGM
- Fergus, ruler in Scotland (d. 501): see Dál Riata, kings of; DNB AJGM
- Fiannamail, ruler in Scotland (d. 700): see Dál Riata, kings of
- Gabrán, ruler in Scotland (d. c. 558): see Dál Riata, kings of
- Giric mac Dúngal, king in Scotland (d. c. 890): Dauvit Broun, xxii.347; DNB AJGM

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Ida, king of Bernicia (d. 559/60): D. J. Craig, xxix.188–9; DNB WH
Indulf, king in Scotland (bap. 927?, d. 962): Dauvit Broun, xxix.230; DNB AJGM
Kenneth I [Cináed mac Alpin], king in Scotland (d. 858): Marjorie O. Anderson, xxxi.278–9; DNB AJGM
Kenneth II, king in Scotland (d. 995): Dauvit Broun, xxxi.279–80; DNB AJGM
Kenneth III, king in Scotland (d. 1005): Dauvit Broun, xxxi.280; DNB AJGM
Lulach, king of Scots (d. 1058): Dauvit Broun, xxxv.50; DNB MJGM
Lulach, king of Scots (d. 1057): Dauvit Broun, xxxv.59–60; DNB AJGM
Malcolm I, king in Scotland (d. 954): Dauvit Broun, xxxvi.278–9; DNB AJGM
Malcolm II, king of Scots (d. 1093): G. W. S. Barrow, xxxvi.279–81; DNB AJGM
*Margaret, queen of Scots, consort of Malcolm III (d. 1093): G. W. S. Barrow,

xxxvi.632-3; DNB AJGM

Muredach, ruler in Scotland (d. 771): see Dál Riata, kings of

Nechtan mac Derile, king of Picts (d. 732): Marjorie O. Anderson, xl.313; DNB AJGM

- Nechtan Morbet, king of Picts (d. 481?): see Picts, kings of the; DNB AJGM
- Oengus, king of Picts (d. 834): see Picts, kings of the
- Oengus mac Forgusso [Onuist son of Uurguist], king of Picts (d. 761): Marjorie O. Anderson, xli.540

Owen the Bald, king of the Cumbrians (d. 1018): Alan Macquarrie, xvi.494 Picts, kings of the (act. c. 300–c. 900): Marjorie O. Anderson, xliv.243–6 Selbach, king of Dál Riata (d. 730): see Dál Riata, kings of; DNB AJGM Talorg mac Congus, king of the Picts (d. 734): see Picts, kings of the Talorgan mac Drostan, king of the Picts (d. 739): see Picts, kings of the

Talorgen, king of the Picts (d. 657): see Picts, kings of the

b. Ecclesiastics

Baíthéne mac Brénainn, abbot of Iona (d. 598): see Iona, abbots of Beoán, bishop of Mortlach (supp. fl. 1012x24): Elva Johnston, v.314; DNB [Anon] Blaímac [Blathmac] mac Flainn, abbot of Iona (d. 825): see Iona, abbots of Bresal mac Ségéni, abbot of Iona (d. 801): see Iona, abbots of Cellach mac Ailella, abbot of Iona (d. 815): see Iona, abbots of Cellach mac Congaile, abbot of Iona (d. 815): see Iona, abbots of Cilléne Droichtech, abbot of Iona (d. 752): see Iona, abbots of Cilléne Fota, abbot of Iona (d. 726): see Iona, abbots of Columba, monastic founder (c. 512-597): Máire Herbert, xii.805-10; DNB NM Conamail mac Failbi, abbot of Iona (d. 710): see Iona, abbots of Connachtach, abbot of Iona (d. 802): see Iona, abbots of Cú Chuimne, canonist and hymn writer (d. 747): Luned Mair Davies, xiv.574 Cumméne Albus, abbot of Iona (d. 669): see Iona, abbots of; DNB TO Diarmait alumnus Daigri, abbot of Iona (d. in or after 831): see Iona, abbots of Donnán, martyr (d. 617): Marios Costambeys, xvi.531-2 Dorbéne mac Altaíni, abbot of Iona (d. 713): see Iona, abbots of Dúnchad mac Cind Fháelad, abbot of Iona (d. 717): see Iona, abbots of

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Fáelán, abbot of Iona (fl. 734): rev. Benjamin T. Hudson, xviii.886; DNB W. D. Macray

Fáelán Amlabar, abbot of Iona (641/2–724): *rev*. Benjamin T. Hudson, xviii.886; *DNB* W. D. Macray

- Fáelchú mac Dorbéni, abbot of Iona (d. 724): see Iona, abbots of
- Failbe mac Pípáin, abbot of Iona (d. 679): see Iona, abbots of

Feradach mac Cormaic, abbot of Iona (d. 880): see Iona, abbots of

Flann mac Maíle Dúin, abbot of Iona (d. 891): see Iona, abbots of

Innrechtach ua Finnachtai, abbot of Iona (d. 854): see Iona, abbots of

- Iona, abbots of (act. 563-927) [group entry]: T. M. Charles-Edwards, xxix.316-21
- Kentigern, patron of the diocese (later archdiocese) of Glasgow (d. 612x14): Dauvit Broun, xxxi.333–4; DNB G. W. Sprott
- Laisrén mac Feradaig, abbot of Iona (d. 605): see Iona, abbots of
- Máel Brigte mac Tornáin, abbot of Iona (d. 927): see Iona, abbots of
- Mo Nennus, ascetic and teacher (*fl.* 5th–early 6th cent.): Elva Johnston, xxxviii.470–1; *DNB* MB
- Monan, supposed holy man (fl. 6th–7th cent.): Alan Macquarrie, xxxviii.574–5; DNB MB
- Nathalan, holy man (supp. d. 452): Elva Johnston, xl.264-5; DNB AFP
- Odhran, holy man and self-sacrifice (supp. d. c. 563): Marios Costambeys, xli.496
- Regulus, supposed founder of the see of St Andrews (*supp. fl.* 8th–9th cent.): Ursula Hall, xlvi.373–4; *DNB* MB
- Ségéne mac Fiachna, abbot of Iona (d. 652): see Iona, abbots of
- Sléibíne mac Congaile, abbot of Iona (d. 767): see Iona, abbots of
- Suibne, abbot of Iona (d. 772): see Iona, abbots of
- Suibne moccu Urthrí, abbot of Iona (d. 657): see Iona, abbots of
- Ternan, holy man (fl. 6th-7th cent.): Alan Macquarrie, liv.153-4; DNB AFP

Virgno, abbot of Iona (d. 623): see Iona, abbots of

c. Secular men and women

Einarr, magnate (fl. early 890s-930s): Barbara E. Crawford, xvii.1023-4

- Erlend, earl of Orkney (d. 1098/9): Barbara E. Crawford, xliii.128–9; DNB J. G. Fotheringham
- Hákon Paulsson, earl of Orkney (d. c. 1126): Barbara E. Crawford, xxxvi.130–1; DNB A. P. Smyth
- Macduff, 'thane' of Fife (fl. 1057-8): Dauvit Broun, xvii.12; DNB T. F. Henderson
- Paul, earl of Orkney (d. 1098/9): Barbara E. Crawford, xliii.128–9; DNB J. G. Fotheringham
- Robert de Brus, supposed nobleman (*supp. d.* 1094): Emma Cownie, viii.372; *DNB* Emma Cownie
- Robert Cumin, earl of Northumbria, magnate (d. 1069): William M. Aird, xiv.623; DNB Mandell Creighton

Rögnvald (II) Brúsason, earl of Orkney (d. 1046): Barbara E. Crawford, liv.584–5

Sigurd (II) Hlödvisson, earl of Orkney (d. 1014): Barbara E. Crawford, 1.595-6

Thorfinn Sigurdson, earl of Orkney (c. 1009-c. 1065): Barbara E. Crawford, liv.584-5

7. LATER MEDIEVAL SUBJECTS (c. 1080-c. 1450)

- Ailred of Rievaulx, religious writer and abbot of Rievaulx (1110–67): David N. Bell, i.491–3; *DNB* WH
- Bower [Bowmaker], Walter, abbot of Inchcolm and historian (1385–1449): D. E. R. Watt, vi.921–2; *DNB* T. A. Archer
- Capgrave, John, prior of Bishop's Lynn, theologian and historian (1393–1464): Peter J. Lucas, ix.991–3; *DNB* EMT
- Dominic of Evesham, Benedictine monk and hagiographer (*d.* in or before 1150): D. C. Cox, xviii.802
- Eadmer of Canterbury, Benedictine monk and historian (*b. c.* 1060, *d.* in or after 1126): J. C. Rubenstein, xvii.530–1; *DNB* G. G. Perry
- Faricius, doctor and abbot of Abingdon (d. 1117): Peregrine Horden, xix.43–4; DNB WH
- Fordun, John, chronicler (d. in or after 1363): D. E. R. Watt, xx.355–7; DNB T. A. Archer
- Geffrei Gaimar, Anglo-Norman poet and historian (fl. 1136–7): Ian Short, xx.265–6; DNB C. T. Martin
- Gerald of Wales, author and ecclesiastic (c. 1146–1220x3): Robert Bartlett, xx.925–8; DNB H. R. Luard
- Geoffrey of Monmouth, bishop of St Asaph and historian (d. 1154/5): J. C. Crick, xxxviii.629–32; DNB H. R. Tedder
- Gui, bishop of Amiens (c. 1014-1074/5): Frank Barlow, xxiv.182-3
- Hemming, monastic writer (fl. c. 1095): J. F. A. Mason, xxvi.280; DNB CLK
- Henry [Henry of Huntingdon], historian and poet (c. 1088–c. 1157): D. E. Greenway, xxvi.413; DNB H. R. Luard
- Henry [H.] of Saltrey, Cistercian monk and writer (*fl. c.* 1184): Yolande de Pontfarcy, xlvii.775–6; *DNB* CLK
- Higden, Ranulf, Benedictine monk and chronicler (d. 1364): John Taylor, xxvii.49–50; DNB CLK
- Hugh Candidus, Benedictine monk and chronicler (c. 1095-c. 1160): Edmund King, xxviii.620-1; DNB TFT

Ingulf, abbot of Crowland (c. 1045-1109): Edmund King, xxix.294-5; DNB WH

- Jocelin of Furness, Cistercian monk and hagiographer (*fl.* 1199–1214): Robert Bartlett, xxi.190–1; *DNB* J. T. Gilbert
- John of Tynemouth [Tinmouth], chronicler and hagiographer (*fl. c.* 1350): John Taylor, lv.795–6; *DNB* CLK
- John of Wallingford, historical writer (d. 1258): Simon Lloyd; Rebecca Reader, xlii.624; DNB WH
- John of Worcester, monk and chronicler (fl. 1095–1140): P. McGurk, lx.292–3; DNB WH
- Matthew Paris, historian, Benedictine monk, and polymath (c. 1200–59): Simon Lloyd; Rebecca Reader, xlii.620–8; *DNB* WH
- Orderic Vitalis, Benedictine monk and historian (1075-c. 1142): J. O. Prestwich, xli.921-2; DNB CLK

- Osbern, Benedictine monk, hagiographer, and musician (d. 1094?): J. C. Rubenstein, xli.983–4; DNB CLK
- Reginald of Coldingham, Benedictine monk and hagiographer (d. c. 1190): V. Tudor, xii.496–7; DNB MB
- Robert of Shrewsbury, abbot of Shrewsbury and hagiographer (d. 1168): D. H. Farmer, 1.454; DNB CLK
- Roger of Howden [Hoveden], chronicler (d. 1201/2): David Corner, xxviii.463–4; DNB WH
- Roger of Wendover, historian (d. 1236): David Corner, lviii.106-8; DNB WH
- Symeon of Durham, monk and historian (fl. c. 1090-c. 1128): Bernard Meehan, liii.581-2; DNB CLK
- Thomas Elmham, historian (b. 1364, d. in or after 1427): S. E. Kelly, xviii.294; DNB T. A. Archer
- William Ketel, hagiographer (fl. c. 1100): David Rollason, xxxi.447; DNB CLK
- William of Jumièges, Benedictine monk and author (*fl.* 1026–70): Elisabeth van Houts, xxx.828
- William of Malmesbury, historian, man of letters, Benedictine monk (b. c. 1090, d. in or after 1142): R. M. Thomson, xxxvi.348–51; DNB Kate Norgate
- William of Poitiers, priest (b. c. 1020, d. after 1087): Marjorie Chibnall, xliv.682-3
- William Worcester, topographer and author (1415–80x5): Nicholas Orme, lx.294–5; DNB James Tait

8. ANTIQUARIES (c. 1450-c. 1750)

- Astle, Thomas, archivist and collector (1735–1803): Nigel Ramsay, ii.771–3; *DNB* H. R. Tedder
- Aubrey, John, antiquary and biographer (1626–97): Adam Fox, ii.907–11; DNB Richard Garnett
- Bale, John, bishop of Ossory, evangelical polemicist, and historian (1495–1563): John N. King, iii.482–6; *DNB* Mandell Creighton
- Boece, Hector, historian and college head (c. 1465–1536): Nicola Royan, vi.418–21; DNB AJGM

Bradshaw, Henry, scholar and hagiographer (d. 1513): Joan Greatrex, vii.213; DNB WH

- Buchanan, George, poet, historian and administrator (1506–82): D. M. Abbott, viii.468–72; DNB AJGM
- Camden, William, historian and herald (1551–1623): Wyman H. Herendeen, ix.603–14; DNB EMT
- Coke, Sir Edward, lawyer, legal writer, and politician (1552–1634): Allen D. Boyer, xii.451–63; *DNB* G. P. Macdonell
- Cotton, Sir Robert Bruce, first baronet, antiquary and politician (1571–1631): Stuart Handley, xiii.624–9; *DNB* Sidney Lee
- Davies, John, clergyman and Welsh scholar (c. 1570–1644): Mihail Dafydd Evans, xv.381–2; *DNB* A. W. Renton

- Day, John, printer and bookseller (1521/2–84): Andrew Pettegree, xv.584–6; *DNB* H. R. Tedder
- Dee, John, mathematician, astrologer and antiquary (1527–1609): R. Julian Roberts, xv.667–75; *DNB* Thompson Cooper
- Dempster, Thomas, writer (1579–1625): Alexander Du Toit, xv.759–62; *DNB* Henry Bradley
- Dering, Sir Edward, antiquary (1598–1644): S. P. Salt, xv.874–80; *DNB* S. R. Gardiner
- Dodsworth, Roger, antiquary (bap. 1585, d. 1654): Graham Parry, xvi.440-1; DNB Sidney Lee
- Dugdale, Sir William, antiquary (1605–86): Graham Parry, xvii.153–7; *DNB* Francis Espinasse
- Elphinstone, William, bishop of Aberdeen and founder of the University of Aberdeen (1431–1514): Leslie J. Macfarlane, xviii.326–8; *DNB* Alsager Vian
- *Elstob, Elizabeth, Anglo-Saxon scholar (1683–1756): Mechthild Gretsch, xviii.335–7; DNB Leslie Stephen
- Faussett, Bryan, antiquary (1720-76): Nigel Ramsay, xix.159-60; DNB W. W. Wroth
- Gale, Thomas, Dean of York and antiquary (1635/6–1702): Nicholas Doggett, xx.303–5; *DNB* Gordon Goodwin
- Gibson, Edmund, bishop of London (*bap.* 1669, *d.* 1748): Stephen Taylor, xxii.68–75; *DNB* G. G. Perry
- Hearne, Thomas, antiquary and diarist (bap. 1678, d. 1735): Theodor Harmsen, xxvi.156-60; DNB H. R. Luard
- Hickes, George, bishop and antiquary (1642–1715): Theodor Harmsen, xxvii.5–11; *DNB* W. D. Macray
- Innes, Thomas, Roman Catholic priest and historian (1662–1744): Brian M. Halloran, xxix.307–8; *DNB* Thompson Cooper
- Jones, Thomas, Welsh-language poet and genealogist (1532–1608/9): Daniel Huws, xxx.635–6; *DNB* DLT
- Joscelin, John, Anglo-Saxon scholar and clergyman (1529–1603): G. H. Martin, xxx.714–15; *DNB* E. T. Bradley
- Junius, Franciscus, philologist and writer on art (1591–1677): Sophie van Romburgh, xxx.834–5; *DNB* W. W. Wroth
- Laet, Johannes, merchant and scholar (1581–1649): Rolf H. Bremmer, jun., xxxii.207
- Lambarde, William, antiquary and lawyer (1536–1601): J. D. Alsop, xxxii.287–90; *DNB* Gordon Goodwin
- Leland, John, poet and antiquary (c. 1503–52): James P. Carley, xxxiii.297–301; DNB Sidney Lee
- Lhuyd, Edward, naturalist and philologist (1659/60?–1709): Brynley F. Roberts, xxxiii.710–12; DNB DLT
- Llwyd, Humphrey, antiquary and map maker (1527–68): R. Brinley Jones, xxxiv.174–6; *DNB* DLT
- Lye, Edward, Anglo-Saxon and Gothic scholar (*bap.* 1694, *d.* 1767): Margaret Clunies Ross and Amanda J. Collins, xxxiv.849–51; *DNB* W. W. Wroth

- Mac Fhirbhisigh, Dubhaltach Óg, scribe and genealogist (c. 1600–71): Nollaig Ó Muraíle, xxxv.387–8; *DNB* NM
- Morgan, William, bishop of St Asaph and biblical translator (1544/5–1604): R. Geraint Gruffydd, xxxix.152–5; *DNB* JEL
- Nowell, Laurence, antiquary (1530-c. 1570): Retha M. Warnicke, xli.237-39; DNB WH
- Ó Cléirigh, Míchél, scribe and chronicler (*b*. in or after 1590?, *d*. 1643?): Nollaig Ó Muraíle, xli.433–5; *DNB* NM
- Parker, Matthew, archbishop of Canterbury and patron of scholarship (1504–75): David J. Crankshaw and Alexandra Gillespie, xlii.707–28; *DNB* J. B. Mullinger
- Prise, Sir John, administrator and scholar (1501/2–55): Huw Pryce, xlv.424–5; *DNB* W. A. J. Archbold
- Prys, Edmwnd, Church of England clergyman and Welsh poet (1542/3–1623): Gruffydd Aled Williams, xlv.494–5; *DNB* JEL
- Rapin de Thoyras, Paul de, historian (1661–1725): M. G. Sullivan, xlvi.68–71; *DNB* C. H. Firth
- Rawlinson, Richard, topographer (1690–1755): Mary Clapinson, xlvi.162–4; *DNB* W. D. Macray
- Rhys, Siôn Dafydd, grammarian (b. 1533/4, d. in or after 1620): Angharad Price, xlvi.626–7; DNB JEL
- Roscarrock, Nicholas, Catholic activist and hagiographer (c. 1548–1633/4): Nicholas Orme, xlvii.730–1; *DNB* W. A. Shaw
- Salesbury, William, translator and humanist scholar (b. before 1520, d. c. 1580): R. Brinley Jones, xlviii.696–9; DNB DLT
- Savile, Henry, of Banke, collector of manuscripts (1568–1617): F. J. Levy, xlix.118
- Selden, John, historical and linguistic scholar (1584–1654): Paul Christianson, xlix.694– 705; *DNB* Edward Fry
- Smith, John, historian (bap. 1659, d. 1715): G. H. Martin, li.205-6; DNB Thomas Seccombe
- Somner, William, antiquary and Anglo-Saxon scholar (*bap.* 1598, d. 1669): Peter Sherlock, li.627–9; *DNB* Thompson Cooper
- Speed, John, historian and cartographer (1551/2–1629): Sarah Bendall, li.771–3; *DNB* AFP
- Spelman, Sir Henry, historian and antiquary (1563/4–1641): Stuart Handley, li.791–3; DNB William Carr
- Strutt, Joseph, antiquary (1749–1802): Jennifer Harris, liii.120–1; DNB Miller Christy
- Stukeley, William, antiquary (1687–1765): David Boyd Haycock, liii.231–5; *DNB* W. W. Wroth
- Talbot, Robert, antiquary (1505/6-58): James P. Carley, liii.722-3; DNB AFP
- Talbot, Thomas, antiquary (c. 1535–95x9): Ian Mortimer, liii.725; DNB AFP
- Thwaites, Edward, Anglo-Saxon scholar (*bap.* 1671, *d.* 1711): Margaret Clunies Ross and Amanda J. Collins, liv.732–3; *DNB* Thomas Seccombe
- Turner, Sharon, historian (1768–1847): H. R. Loyn, lv.661–3; DNB Thomas Seccombe
- Twysden, Sir Roger, antiquary (1597–1672): David L. Smith, lv.750–4; *DNB* Thomas Seccombe

- Ussher, James, archbishop of Armagh (1581–1656): Alan Ford, lvi.6–14; DNB Alexander Gordon
- Vaughan, Robert Powell, antiquary (1591/1–1667): Mihail Dafydd Evans, lvi.198–9; DNB JEL
- Wanley, Humfrey, Anglo-Saxon scholar (1672–1726): Peter Heyworth, lvii.239–42; DNB W. P. Courtney
- Wheelocke, Abraham, Anglo-Saxon scholar (c. 1593–1653): Alistair Hamilton, lviii.444–7; DNB D. S. Margoliouth
- Wiliems, Thomas, Welsh lexicographer (b. 1545/6?, d. in or before 1623?): J. E. Caerwyn Williams, lviii.952–3; DNB JEL

9. MODERN SCHOLARS (c. 1750-)

- *Bateson, Mary, historian and suffragist (1865–1906): Mary Dockray-Miller, iv.331–3; DNB TFT
- Bishop, Edmund, liturgical scholar and ecclesiastical historian (1846–1917): R. J. Schoeck, v.864–5
- Bond, Sir Edward Augustus, librarian (1815–98): Michael Borrie, vi.509–11
- Bosworth, Joseph, Anglo-Saxon scholar (1787/8–1876): *rev*. John D. Haigh, vi.749–50; *DNB* Henry Bradley
- Bruce-Mitford, Rupert Lee Scott, archaeologist and art historian (1914–94): Martin Biddle, xxxviii.459–60
- Chadwick, Hector Munro, literary scholar (1870–1947): rev. John D. Haigh, x.840; DNB W. Telfer
- *Chadwick, Nora, literary scholar (1891–1972): Paul Knobel, x.847–8
- Chalmers, George, antiquary and political writer (*bap.* 1742, *d.* 1825): Alexander Du Toit, xi.870–2; *DNB* AJGM
- Cleasby, Richard, philologist (1791–1847): rev. John D. Haigh, xi.999; DNB Richard Garnett
- Cockayne, Thomas Oswald, philologist and teacher (*bap.* 1809, *d.* 1873): Daniel F. Kenneally, xii.326–7; *DNB* A. Brodribb
- Collingwood, William Gershom, author, artist, and antiquary (1854–1932): James S. Dearden, xii.681–3
- Craigie, Sir William Alexander, lexicographer and philologist (1867–1957): A. J. Aitken, xiii.967–9
- Dasent, Sir George Webbe, Scandinavian scholar (1817–96): rev. John D. Haigh, xv.217–18; DNB Thomas Seccombe
- Earle, John, philologist (1824–1903): rev. John D. Haigh, xvii.570; DNB Charles Plummer
- Flower, Robin Ernest William, scholar of Irish literature and poet (1881–1946): Bernard O'Donoghue, xx.177–8; *DNB* H. I. Bell
- Foster, Sir Idris Llewelyn, Welsh and Celtic scholar (1911–84): R. Geraint Gruffydd, xix.504–5

- Freeman, Edward Augustus, historian (1823–92): Frank Barlow, xix.920–4; *DNB* WH
- Galbraith, Vivian Hunter, historian (1889–1976): R. W. Southern, xxi.293–5
- Giles, John Allen, translator and literary editor (1808–84): John Blair, xxii.229–30; *DNB* WH
- Gollancz, Sir Israel, literary scholar (1863–1930): *rev*. William Baker, xxii.708–10; *DNB* A. M. Hyamson
- Haddan, Arthur West, ecclesiastical historian (1816–73): rev. Myfanwy Lloyd, xxiv.407–8; DNB WH
- Hunt, Richard William, palaeographer (1908–79): David Vaisey, xxvii.866–7
- Hunt, William, historian and biographer (1842–1931): Robert W. Dunning, xxviii.877–8
- Innes, Cosmo Nelson, antiquary (1798–1874): rev. H. C. G. Matthew, xxix.299; DNB W. W. Wroth
- Jackson, Kenneth Hurlstone, Celtic scholar (1909–91): William Gillies, xxix.509–10
- James, Montague Rhodes, scholar and author (1862–1936): Richard W. Pfaff, xxix.723–6; *DNB* A. F. Scholfield
- Jones, Gwyn, viking scholar (1907-99): Meic Stephens, xxx.504-5
- Kemble, John Mitchell, philologist and historian (1807–57): John D. Haigh, xxxi.153–4; *DNB* WH
- Ker, Neil Ripley, palaeographer (1908–82): Teresa Webber, xxxi.388–9
- *Law, Vivien Anne, Lady Shackleton, linguistic scholar (1954–2002): Werner Hüllen (online update, October 2006)
- Lindsay, Wallace Martin, classical scholar (1858–1937): rev. Roger T. Stearn xxxiii.902–3; DNB C. J. Fordyce
- Lowe, Elias Avery, palaeographer (1879–1969): James J. John, xxxiv.563
- Magnússon, Eiríkur, librarian and Icelandic scholar (1833–1913): B. S. Benedikz, xxxvi.137–9
- Maitland, Frederic William, legal historian (1850–1906): S. F. C. Milsom, xxxvi.204–10; DNB B. F. Lock
- Morris, William, designer, author and visionary socialist (1834–96): Fiona MacCarthy, xxxix.317–24; *DNB* J. W. Mackail
- Napier, Arthur Sampson, philologist (1853–1916): M. K. C. MacMahon (online update, October 2007)
- O'Curry, Eugene, Irish scholar (1794–1862): Fergus Kelly, xli.483–4; DNB NM
- O'Donovan, John, Gaelic Irish scholar (1806–61): Nollaig Ó Muraíle, xli.527–9; *DNB* NM
- Pinkerton, John [*pseuds*. Robert Heron, H. Bennet], historian and poet (1758–1826): Sarah Couper, xliv.373–5; *DNB* T. F. Henderson
- Plummer, Charles, historian (1851–1927): R. J. Schoeck, xliv.612–13
- Rhŷs, Sir John, Celtic scholar (1840–1915): *rev.* Mari A. Williams, xlvi.623–4; *DNB* John Fraser
- Robertson, Eben William, historian (1815–74), *rev.* Nilanjana Banerji, xlvii.223; *DNB* Thomas Seccombe

- Robinson, Joseph Armitage, dean of Westminster and Wells (1858–1933): T. F. Taylor, xlvii.376–8; *DNB* Claude Jenkins
- Scott, Sir Walter, poet and novelist (1771–1832): David Hewitt, xlix.490–510; *DNB* Leslie Stephen
- Simpson, William Douglas, archaeologist and historian (1896–1968): A. T. Hall, 1.718–9
- Skeat, Walter William, philologist (1835–1912): rev. Charlotte Brewer, l.817–19; DNB Kenneth Sisam
- Skene, William Forbes, historian and Celtic scholar (1809–92): rev. W. D. H. Sellar, 1.854–6; DNB AJGM
- Smith, Charles Roach, antiquary (1806–90): Michael Rhodes, li.67–9; *DNB* W. P. Courtney
- Stenton, Sir Frank Merry, historian (1880–1967): J. C. Holt, lii.405–7
- Stephens, George, philologist and runologist (1813–95): Andrew Wawn, lii.466–8; DNB Henry Bradley
- Stevenson, Joseph, historian and archivist (1806–95): Francis Edwards, lii.588–90; DNB Thompson Cooper
- Stevenson, William Henry, historian and philologist (1858–1924): rev. G. H. Martin, lii.612–13; DNB A. L. Poole
- Stokes, Margaret M'Nair, archaeologist (1832–1900): *rev.* Marie-Louise Legg, lii.871–2; *DNB* C. L. Falkiner
- Stokes, Whitley, Celtic scholar (1830–1909): Nollaig Ó Muraíle, lii.872–4; DNB NM
- Strachan, John, classical and Celtic scholar (1862–1907): rev. Mark Pottle, lii.992–3; DNB Peter Giles
- Stubbs, William, historian (1825–1901): James Campbell, liii.217–22; DNB TFT
- Sweet, Henry, phonetician and comparative philologist (1845–1912): M. K. C. MacMahon, liii.447–50; *DNB* T. C. Onions
- Taylor, Harold McCarter, architectural historian (1907–95): Greg Waite, liii.896–7
- Thompson, Sir Edward Maunde, palaeographer (1840–1929): Michael Borrie, liv.420–1; *DNB* F. G. Kenyon
- Thorpe, Benjamin, Anglo-Saxon scholar (1781/2–1879): *rev.* John D. Haigh, liv.664–5; *DNB* Thomas Seecombe
- Todd, James Henthorn, biblical scholar (1805–69): *rev*. Sinéad Agnew, liv.883–4; *DNB* E. M. Todd
- Tolkien, J. R. R., writer and philologist (1892–1973): T. A. Shippey, liv.902–5; *DNB* Humphrey Carpenter
- Turville-Petre, (Edward Oswald) Gabriel, Icelandic scholar (1908–78): Heather O'Donoghue, xliii.907–8
- Vigfússon, Guðbrandur, scholar of Icelandic literature (1827–89): rev. Carolyne Larrington, lvi.468–9; DNB F. Y. Powell
- Wallace-Hadrill, (John) Michael, historian (1916-85): Karl Leyser, xxiv.438-9
- Westwood, John Obadiah, palaeographer (1805–93): Yolanda Foote, lviii.318–19; *DNB* B. B. Woodward

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*Whitelock, Dorothy, historian (1901-82): Simon Keynes, lviii.692-4

- Wormald, (Charles) Patrick, historian (1947–2004): Alex May (online update, January 2008)
- Wormald, Francis, palaeographer (1904–72): Michael Borrie, lx.331–2
- Wright, Joseph, philologist and dialectologist (1855–1930): Arnold Kellett, lx.464–7; DNB J. Boyd