

The Northern Fasti.

Clergy serving at - Rothes

in the Diocese of: Moray

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Henry	Chaplain	1235	Registrum Episcopatus Moraviensis	124

1235 - 1242 Eva Morthach confirms her mother's gift of the church of Rothes {Muriel de Polloc} to the Hospital of St Nicholas at the Bridge of Spey for the support of the paupers who attend the hospital, and renounces any right which she may have had in the church. (Reg. Mor., no.112)

[Witnesses: Willelmo de Aston, canon.M.; Willelmo, vicar.Dundurkus; Henrico, chaplain.Rothes; Matheo de Elgyn, canon.M.; Roberto de Pollok; Ada, son of Robert; Willelmo, dispensatore.]

Henry Chaplain 1263 Registrum Episcopatus Moraviensis 137

1263 Eva Murthac, lady of Rothes, grants to Bishop Archibald all her lands of Inuerlothi (Inverlochty: NGR NJ 185618). Saving the tenantry of Thome filii Johannes de Inuerlothi and the 3 marks per annum due from her to Freskyno de Moravia.

3 Ides April, 1260, or Ides April, 1263. (11 April 1260 X 13 April 1263)

(Reg. Mor., no.125)

[Witness: Willelmo Dun{n}, dean.M.; Henrico, prec.M.; R{obert}, treas.M.; Archibaldo Heroc, archd.M.; Rogero, succ.M.; Johanne de Hollebeckis and Ada{m} de Brenhat, canons of Moray; dom. Willelmo {of Rathen}, prior.Urchard; Sir Gilberto de Rule, knight, sheriff; Thoma Wiseman; Thayno de Rathen{ach}; {much damage here}; Dugal thayno Heyrokis; Stephano filio; Henrico, chaplain of Rothes.]

One of the above is Eugenius (Ewen), son of Angus, thane of Rathenach.

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Richard	Parson	1208	Registrum Episcopatus Moraviensis	40

1208 - 1215 "Magna Carta" of bishop Bricius to found the cathedral of Moray at Spynie, according to the constitution and uses of Lincoln cathedral. {Spynie was already the cathedral; what was happening here was the establishment of a constitution and a Chapter.} The bishops of St Andrews and Brechin, and the prior of Lindores are appointed to act for the Pope.

The Moravia family (William son of William son of Freskyn) give land (Lunin & Daldavy) saving that tennanted by Hugh son of William son of Freskyn, and a stone of wax for the lights at a daily mass for the BVM held in the cathedral.

Canonries are established: Dean, church of Auldearn with the chapel at Nairn; Precentor, church of Llanbryde with one dabhach of land, and the churches of Alves and Rafford with their pertinents; Treasurer, the churches of Kineddar and Essil; Chancellor, lands of Fothervais, Lythenes, Lunyn & Daldavy and Logie 'juxta Duffus' saving the tenure of Hugh son of William son of Freskyn {de Moravia}, saving also a stone of wax given every year for the lights in the cathedral. Canonry of Strathouen with its chapels and one dabhach of land. And the church of Urquhart beyond Inverness. Canonry of Forres with the church of Logyfythenach which the bishop has assigned to the Archdeacon but reserving his independence from the cathedral chapter. Canonry of Spyny. Canonry of Ruthven & Dipple. (Reg. Mor., no.46)

[Signatories: Bricius, epis.M.; Radulf, abb.Kinloss; Richard, prior.Urquhard; Gilbert, abb.Arbroath; Richard, abb.Kelso; W., parson.Eddendu {Edindyvie?}; John, parson.Ardintullie; Gregory, vic.Altyre; Andrew, vic.Kingussie; Malcolm, vic.Keith; Ranerius, vic.Buchtrethyn {Botriphne?}; Robert, vic.Duffus; Gillemichael, vic.Fothervais {Ardclach}; Macbeth, vic.Dalarossie; Patrick, parson.Abernethy; Gillebride, parson.Abertarff;

Gonganus, parson.Kincardine; Gilbert, archd.M; Alexander, parson.Elgin;

Andrew, rector.Duffus; Walter, vicar.Petty; Lambert, parson.Forres; Stephen, parson.Glass; the parson of Dunbatlach {Wardlaw}; Symon, parson.Dallas; Hugh, parson.Rothuen; Richard, parson.Rothes.]

Nicholas Vicar 1227 Registrum Episcopatus Moraviensis 120

March 1227 x 1230 - Signs as witness a charter of Muriel of Pollok who has given and granted and made firm by this her charter to St Nicholas' Hospital, Bridge of Spey, all her land of 'Inverorkel' by its right bounds and with all its just pertinents in pure and perpetual alms, for the reception of poor travellers in their house.

[Moray Reg., 106]

{POMS says that Nicholas was Vicar of Ruthven which is an error - he was vicar of Rothes, which church was for long associated with the Hospital.}

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Hugh	Vicar	1238	Registrum Episcopatus Moraviensis	120

1238 (6 December) Muriel de Rothes daughter of the late Peter de Pollok, gifts to the hospital (of St Nicholas at Boat o' Brig), her mill in her lands of Inuerorkell, its pools, lades, etc.

She also gifts the land to the east of the hospital, between the Spey and the Orkel - "portionem terre que est provima eidem versus orientem et que jacet inter Spe et proximum cundos a cruce quam ibidem feci poni usque ad aliam crucem que posita est prope aquam que voacatur Orkel et prope predictum hospitalis." Muriel and Bishop Andrew perambulated the portion of land in question. Given on St Nicholas' Day, (6 December), 1238.

(Reg. Mor., no.107)

[Witnesses: Andrea, epis.M,; master W{illiam} Agno {Angus}, official.M.; masters Hugone de Haketon, Johanne de Berwic and Willelmo de Hoketon, canons of Moray; Archebaldo and Walteris, bishop's chaplains; Symone, parson.Dundurkus; Hugone, vicar.Rothes; Nicholao and Henrico, Muriel's chaplains; Roberto, clerk.Justiciarii Scocie; David, son of Jacobi Morgundi; Adam son of Gospatric; Hugone de Seton; William de Achenbruc.]

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