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BECOMING SCOTTISH AMERICANS- PART 1

**FUELING EMIGRATION PATTERNS
IN THE HIGHLANDS & LOWLANDS**

PRESENTED IN EPOCHS

ANCIENT PEOPLES

ETHNIC DIVERSITY

ROMANS

PICTS

SCOTS (GAELS)

ANGLES

ANCIENT BRITONS

PLUS-VIKINGS &

NORMANS

CALEDONIA-ROMAN
NAME FOR SCOTLAND

ALBA-GAELIC NAME
FOR SCOTLAND



**EPOCH 1.
ROMAN
OCCUPATION,
HIGHLAND
RESISTANCE (1ST
CENTURY)**

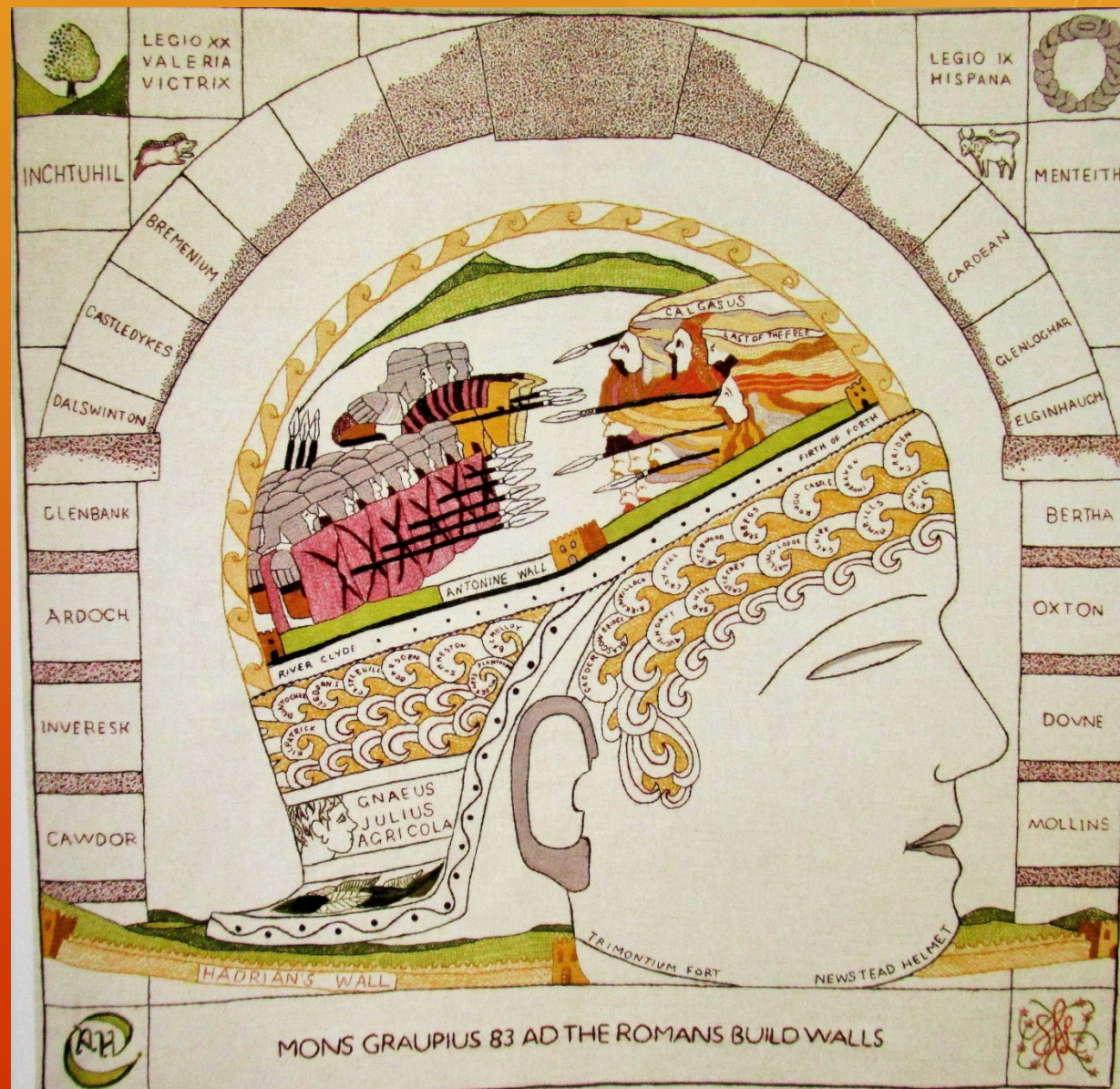
**SCOTTISH NATIONAL
TAPESTRY**

**ROMAN CAVALRY
OFFICER'S MASK**

**DEPICTING DEFEAT OF
CALGACUS , PICTISH
CHIEF, BY THE ROMAN
ARMY, 83AD**

**PICTS WERE DEFEATED
BUT UNCONQUERED**

**ENHANCED THE
FIGHTING REPUTATION
OF NORTHERN TRIBES**

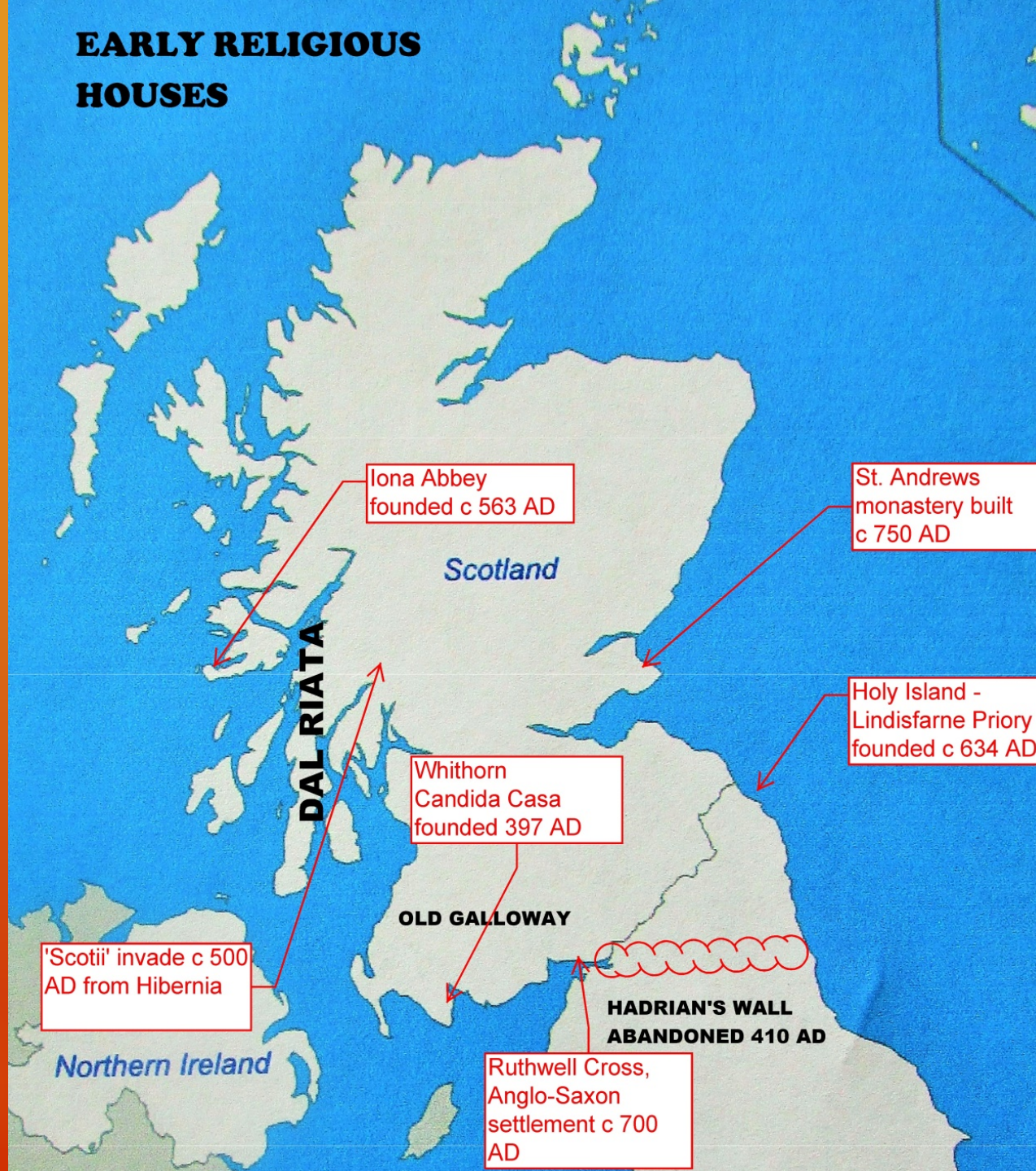


**EPOCH 2.
CHRISTIAN
INCURSIONS
INTO THE
MAINLAND
(starting abt.
397AD)**

**PAGAN TRIBES
SLOWLY
CONVERTED TO
CHRISTIANITY**

**DIVISIONS ARISE
BETWEEN THE
GAELIC CHURCH OF
ST. COLUMBA &
THE ROMAN
CHURCH OF
LINDISFARNE**

**EARLY RELIGIOUS
HOUSES**



**EPOCH 2A
COLUMBAN
CHURCH IN
SCOTLAND (500AD)**

**COLUMBA WAS LIKELY
PROTECTED BY THE
GAELS OF DAL RIATA**

**COLUMBA CREATED
STRONG GAELIC
CHRISTIAN CHURCH IN
NORTHERN SCOTLAND**

**LATER THE SCOTTISH
PRESBYTERIAN
CHURCH (DESCENDANT
OF THE GAELIC
CHURCH) WAS TO PLAY
A PROMINENT ROLE IN
THE RELIGIOUS LIVES
OF SCOTTISH
AMERICANS IN
AMERICA**

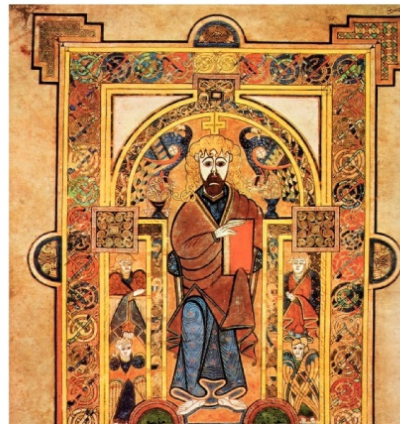
COLUMBAN CHURCH OF SCOTLAND



**ST. COLUMBA CONVERTING THE
NORTHERN PICTS (6th century)**



**CONTEMPORARY GAELIC CHURCH IN IONA,
SCOTLAND**



**BOOK OF KELLS, 9th CENTURY
(the Four Gospels)**

EPOCH 3. BEGINNINGS OF A LOWLAND POWER BASE

**KENNETH MACALPIN
UNITES THE PICTS &
SCOTS-(843 AD)-
DATE RECOGNIZED
AS THE FOUNDING
OF SCOTLAND**

**THE POWER BASE
MOVES FROM DAL
RIATA TO SCONE
(FROM THE
HIGHLANDS TO
LOWLANDS)**

AGE OF KINGS



**Kenneth MacAlpin
843 AD**



**Moot Hill & The Stone Of
Destiny, Scone, Scotland**

EPOCH 4. NEW FEUDAL IDEAS (1066)

ALL POWER TO
THE KING

LAND CONTROL
CENTRALIZED

NEW CLASS OF
KNIGHTS

DUTY OWED
ACCORDING TO
RANK



WILLIAM OF
NORMANDY



NORMAN KEEP
(DEFENSE/ADMIN/CULTURE)

NEW
FEUDAL
IDEAS



BATTLE OF HASTINGS (1066)
(BAYEUX TAPESTRY)



ARMOR & WEAPONS
RISE OF NEW SOCIAL
CLASS-THE KNIGHT

CREATING AN ANGLO-NORMAN LOWLAND POWER BASE

**EPOCH 5.
LOWLAND ANGLO-NORMAN POWER BASE (1124 AD)**

DAVIDIAN REFORMS

**BURGHES
(TRADE/DEFENCE),
CASTLES (LOCAL
ADMINISTRATION/PROTECTION/CULTURE),
SETTLEMENT OF ANGLO-NORMAN KNIGHTS
(EMERGING SOCIETAL CLASS)**

**ABBEYS (LOCAL HUSBANDRY, LEARNING, MISSIONS),
'INGLIS' BECOMES PRIMARY LOWLAND LANGUAGE**



BURGH CREATION (ROXBURGH, BERWICK)



KING DAVID I (1124-53)



CAERLAVEROCK CASTLE 13TH CENTURY

MELROSE ABBEY (FOUNDED 1136)



EPOCH 6. RISE & DECLINE OF HIGHLAND RESISTANCE (12th Century)

RISE OF
SOMERLED KING
OF THE ISLES

HIS KINGDOM
WAS A THREAT
TO LOWLAND
KING'S POWER

AT BATTLE OF
RENFREW (1164)
SOMERLED IS
SLAIN & THE
KINGDOM WAS
FRAGMENTED

RESISTANCE IN THE HIGHLANDS



SOMERLED
NORSE-GAELIC
CHIEFTAN



KINGDOM OF THE ISLES

BIRLINN GALLEY



LEWIS CHESSMEN

EPOCH 7. EMERGENCE OF THE CLAN SYSTEM

CLAN (CHILDREN)
KNOWN TO EXIST ABT.
10TH CENTURY.

BESIDES THE CHIEF
IMPORTANT CLAN
MEMBERS WERE:

'TAINISTEAR' (CHIEF'S
HEIR)

'CHIEFTANS' (FAMILY
LEADERS)

'THE FINE' (LEADING
CLAN FAMILIES)

'TACKSMEN' (LAND
MANAGERS)

'BUANNACHAN'
(WARRIOR ELITE)



SCOTTISH CLAN ORGANIZATION
with Loarn Robertson

MARTIALING THE CLAN

THE CRANN TARRA (Fiery Cross)

CHIEF'S PERSONAL BODY GUARD

THE CHIEF

PIPER
(HEREDITARY
CLAN PIPER)

SEANACHAIDH
(CLAN BARD)



GILLIE
(BEARER OF CHIEF'S SWORD/SHIELD)

BLADAIRE
(CHIEF'S SPOKESMAN)

CHIEFTANS & CLANSMEN

EPOCH 7A. CLAN FORTUNES

MACDONALD

- REPUTED TO BE THE LARGEST CLAN
- BECAME LORDS OF THE ISLES AFTER KINGDOM WAS LOST
- IN-FIGHTING AMONG FAMILIES
- OPPOSITION TO RULING HOUSES (SCOTS, DUTCH, HANOVERIANS)
- IN MAJOR CONFLICTS OFTEN FOUGHT ON LOSING SIDE
- REMAINED CATHOLIC
- FORFEITED LORDSHIP, 1493
- LOST LANDS & POWER

MACDONALD OF MACDONALD



ARMS OF BARON
MACDONALD OF MACDONALD

(APPROVED 1947)



MACDONALD CLAN GATHERING, SKYE, 2017
(CLAN HIGH CHIEF IN CENTER)

EPOCH 7B. CLAN FORTUNES

CAMPBELL

- LONG TERM FEUDING WITH THE MACDONALD'S
- CONSOLIDATION OF POWER THRU LEGAL PROWESS & ACUMEN
- SUPPORTED RULING AUTHORITY OF THE DAY(SCOTS, DUTCH, HANOVERIAN)
- OFTEN ON WINNING SIDE OF MAJOR CONFLICTS
- CONVERTED TO PROTESTANTISM AS DICTATED BY NEEDS
- GARNERED DUKEDOM (ARGYLL) IN 17TH C.

CLAN CAMPBELL



ARMS OF THE DUKE OF ARGYLL



CONTEMPORARY
CAMPBELL CLAN GATHERING

HIS GRACE THE DUKE OF ARGYLL &
HIS CHILDREN

EPOCH 8. THE SUCCESSION CRISIS

DEATH OF
ALEXANDER III
(1286 AD)

ANGLO-NORMAN
CLAIMANTS IN
CLUDED BALLIOL,
BRUCE & COMYN

RISE OF
POWERFUL
LOWLAND
FAMILIES

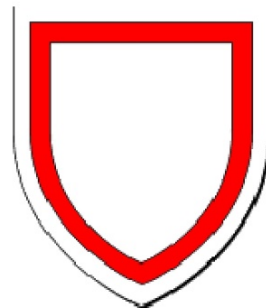
THE SUCCESSION CRISIS



Seal Of Alexander III
The Last Celtic King
Died 1286.



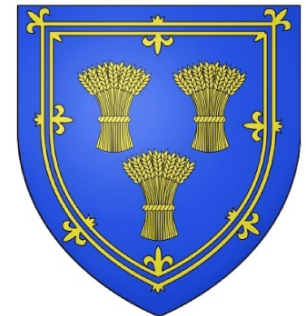
John Balliol



Robert Bruce



John Comyn



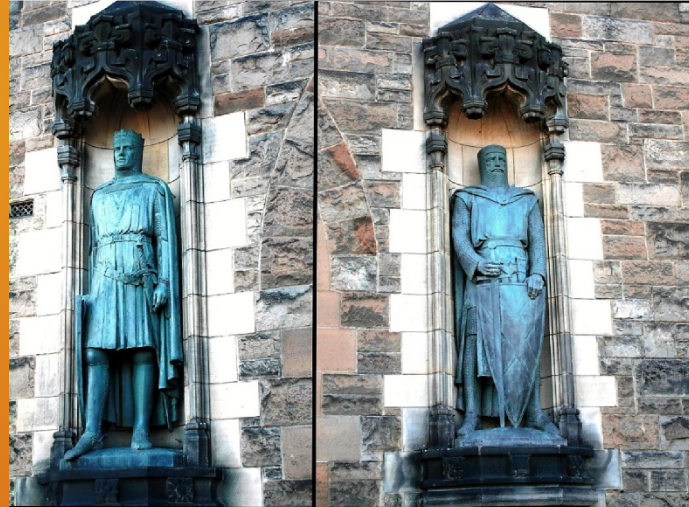
EPOCH 8A. THE SUCCESSION CRISIS

WARS OF SCOTTISH INDEPENDENCE

ENDURING SCOTTISH HEROES- WALLACE & BRUCE

GREAT SCOTTISH VICTORY OVER THE ENGLISH AT BANNOCKBURN (1314) INDELIBLY ETCHED IN THE SCOTTISH PSYCHE

FIRST WAR OF SCOTTISH INDEPENDENCE (1296-1328)



BRUCE & WALLACE
GUARDING MAIN
GATE
EDINBURGH CASTLE



BATTLE OF BANNOCKBURN (1314)

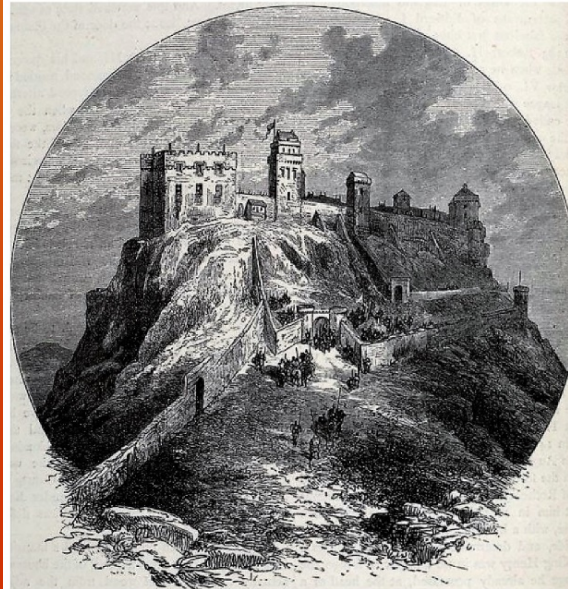
EVENTS AFTER BANNOCKBURN



DECLARATION OF ARBROATH (1320)

LETTER TO POPE JOHN XXII

REQUESTING RECOGNITION
OF ROBERT BRUCE AS
LEGITIMATE KING OF
SCOTLAND



TREATY OF EDINBURGH
(1328)

SCOTLAND ACKNOWLEDGED AS
A SOVERIGN STATE

EPOCH 8B. EVENTS AFTER BANNOCKBURN DECLARATION OF ARBROATH

- OPPOSED TO SLAVERY
- KINGDOM OF SCOTLAND RULED BY OWN ROYAL BLOOD W/O FOREIGN INTERVENTION
- IF KING UNFIT TO RULE MAY BE CHANGED
- DEFENSE OF FREEDOM BY LAYING DOWN ONE'S LIFE

TREATY OF EDINBURGH

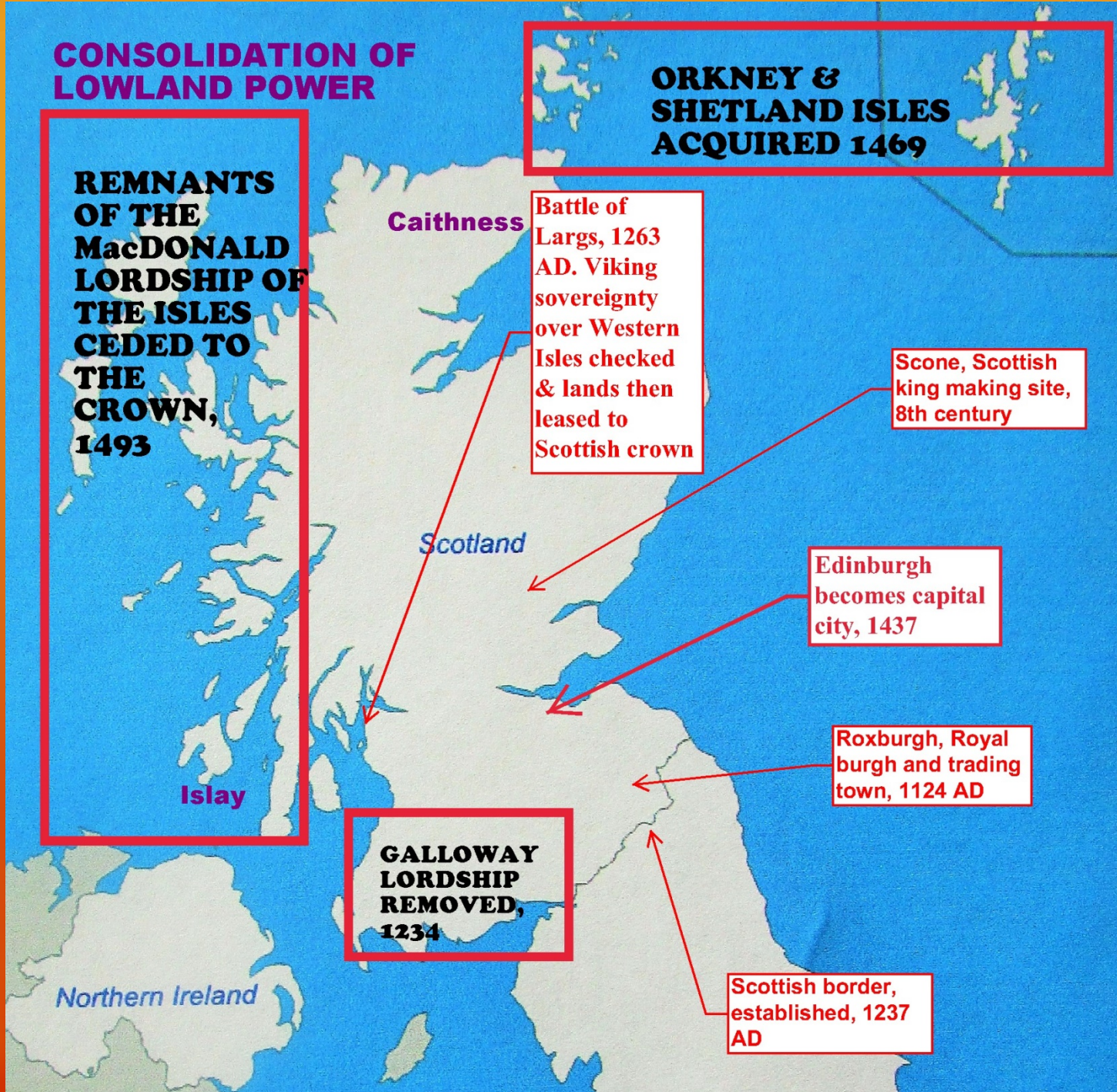
- SCOTLAND CONTINUALLY FORCED TO DEFEND INDEPENDENT STATUS

**UNITING
LOWLAND
POWER
15TH
CENTURY
REMOVAL OF
LORDSHIP
POWER
BASES
CHECKING
VIKING
DOMINION
SCONE-
ROYAL
PALACE
EDINBURGH
-CAPITAL
CITY
SCOTTISH
BORDER
FIXED**

**CONSOLIDATION OF
LOWLAND
POWER**

**REMNANTS
OF THE
MacDONALD
LORDSHIP OF
THE ISLES
CEDED TO
THE
CROWN,
1493**

**ORKNEY &
SHETLAND ISLES
ACQUIRED 1469**



Caithness

**Battle of
Largs, 1263
AD. Viking
sovereignty
over Western
Isles checked
& lands then
leased to
Scottish crown**

**Scone, Scottish
king making site,
8th century**

Scotland

**Edinburgh
becomes capital
city, 1437**

Islay

**Roxburgh, Royal
burgh and trading
town, 1124 AD**

**GALLOWAY
LORDSHIP
REMOVED,
1234**

**Scottish border,
established, 1237
AD**

Northern Ireland

EPOCH 9. RELIGIOUS UPHEAVALS, 16th CENTURY

THE REFORMATION BASED
ON THE DOCTRINES OF
JOHN CALVIN-
PRESBYTERIANISM
ADHERED TO THE
SOVERIGNTY OF GOD & THE
AUTHORITY OF THE
SCRIPTURES

PRESBYTERIANISM WAS TO
GROW IN AMERICA THRU
IMMIGRANTS, NOTEABLY
THE SCOTCH-IRISH

THE ELECTIVE BASIS OF
REFORMED CHURCH
GOVERNANCE APPEALED TO
AMERICANS OVER
GOVERNANCE OF THE
ANGLICAN CHURCH BY
APPOINTED BISHOPS

THE REFORMATION



JOHN KNOX (1514-1572)
REFORMER & FOUNDER
SCOTTISH PRESBYTERIANISM



KNOX BERATING
CATHOLIC MARY QUEEN
OF SCOTS

“I AM MORE AFRAID OF THE
PRAYERS OF JOHN KNOX
THAN OF AN ARMY OF
10,000.”



ST. GILES CATHEDRAL,
EDINBURGH

MOTHER CHURCH OF
PRESBYTERIANISM

EDUCATION

EPOCH 10.
EDUCATION-
'A SCHOOL IN EVERY PARISH'

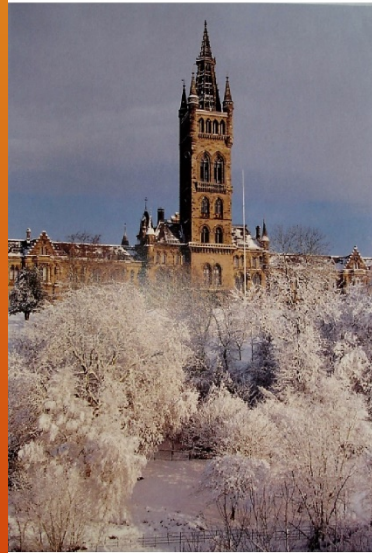
KNOX 'BOOK OF DISCIPLINE' 1560

- **EDUCATION PLAN FOR PARISH SCHOOLS THRU UNIVERSITY**
- **SLOW IMPLEMENTATION PARTLY DUE TO HIGHLAND REMOTENESS & GAELIC LANGUAGE**
- **PLAN NEVER REALLY ENACTED UNTIL EDUCATION ACT OF 1696**
- **PRINTING PRESS BROUGHT MIXED BLESSINGS**



**17TH CENTURY CARVING
 DOMINI & TEN STUDENTS**

**GEORGE HERIOT'S SCHOOL
 EDINBURGH (FOUNDED
 1628)**



**GLASGOW UNIVERSITY
 (FOUNDED 1451)**



PRINTING PRESS (1507)

THE HIGHLAND LINE

THE HIGHLAND LINE (16th C.)

- AN IMAGINARY LINE FROM THE CLYDE (WEST COAST) TO THE MORAY FIRTH (EAST COAST) DIVIDING THE HIGHLANDS & THE LOWLANDS
- THE HIGHLANDS WERE CONSIDERED: REMOTE, WAR-LIKE, CLANISH, POOR, 'UNCIVILIZED,' GAELIC SPEAKING, WITH LIMITED EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES
- THE LOWLANDS WERE CONSIDERED: HAVING GREATER ENERGY & INDUSTRY, CENTRAL AUTHORITY THRU MONARCH & NOBLES, RELATIVELY WEALTHY, ENGLISH SPEAKING, WITH 'PRESBYTERIAN' SCHOOL/UNIVERSITY EDUCATION AVAILABLE

