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1 No. 2 St. Dogmael's Abbey 1090

- It is somewhat strange that the ruins of St. Dogmael's Abbey (the most important religious establishment in the county) are omitted on the Ordnance map (6 inch 1887-88). There is certainly not very much of this ancient house of the Black Monks of St. Benedict left. Very great destruction has taken place during the last 100 years, judging from various views taken in the 18th century. We still, however, can see the west window and north wall of the nave, and the north transept. In the latter is a very beautiful bit of fan-tracery vaulting terminating in an angel who covers his breast with a plain shield. The remains of the refectory still stand, but in a dilapidated condition. Part of the vaulted roof has fallen and the remainder will shortly follow.

order :- Monks of St Martin, founders
Martin de Tours + William de Valance

"It is believed that an old monastery was erected in a field still called "Park Monachlog" on a slope not far from Pantirion House, overlooking the river Teiri prior to the erection by Martin de Tours of the abbey of St. Dogmael's"

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