

and all its dire consequences, for interfering with church lands, in the inhibition of Lord Robert, bishop of Glasgow, dated 1294. Murdoch's name appears next to that of his cousin Alwyn, son of Lord Ameledy. Among others included in this inhibition are Patrick de Graham, Duncan, son of Ameledy, Donald Cambell, William Olifard, Knights, Arthur, called Galbrath (Galbraith), Malcolm de Drummond, Thomas de Crumenan (Crememane), John de Luss, Hamfredum de Kylmon, etc.¹

Murdoch, for unknown reasons, does not appear to be among those who swore fealty to Edward I, unless, indeed, the Murdoch de Carryc, mentioned in the "Ragman's Roll," who took his oath along with Malcolm, Earl of Lennox, is the same. It is possible that the word "Croye" may have been transcribed as "Caryc." As there is no other reference, at that period, to a Murdoch de Caryc, or Carrick, the above surmise is most probably correct.

Murdoch had two sons:—

1. DUNCAN.

2. *Malcolm*, who was witness to many charters by the Earls of Lennox,² one of which, dated at Bellach, 1351, by Donald, Earl of Lennox, to Walter de Fosselanc, was witnessed by Murdoch de Lennox, brother of the Earl, William de Galbrath, Fynlay, son of Robert, Malcolm, son of Murdoch, and Kessan, the clerk.³ It will be noticed that, with the exception of the clerk, all the parties named were relatives.

After the death of Thomas de Crememane, an inquisition was held respecting his estate, which took place in the Church of Killearn, in 1320, and on which Malcolm, son of Murdoch, appeared as one of the jury.⁴

Malcolm evidently received the lands of "Kyndevy in tenemento de Fortevyot," in the county of Perth, on the death or resignation of Duncan, his brother, to whom they were granted by King Robert Bruce. Malcolm, the son of Murdoch, resigned these lands in the year 1371, when King Robert II granted them to Andrew Conyng-hame.⁵

1 *Registrum Monasterii de Passelet*, pp. 201* et seq.

2 *Cart. Com. de Levenax*, pp. 48, 56, 61, 71, 94.

3 *Cart. Com. de Levenax*, p. 94.

4 *Cart. Com. de Levenax*, p. 82.

5 *Robertson's Index of Printed Charters*, Robt. II, No. 299.