

- [1062] Millesimo.lxii. Hoc anno subiugata est Cynoman(57r)nia comiti Normanniæ Willelmo.
- [1063] Millesimo.lxiii. Her for Harold eorl 7 his broðor Tostig eorl, ægðer ge mid landfyrde ge mid sciphere, into Brytlande 7 þet land geeodon, 7 þet folc heom gislodon 7 to bugon 7 foron syððan to 7 ofslogon heora cyng Griffin 7 brohton Harolde his heafod, 7 he sette oþerne cyng þærto.
- [1064] Millesimo.lxiiii. Her on þisum geare foron Norðhymbra togædere 7 utlagodon heora eorl Tostig 7 ofslogon his hiredmenn ealle þa hi mihton to cuman, ægðer ge englisce ge dænisce, 7 namon ealle his wepna on Eoferwic 7 gol 7 seolfor 7 ealle his sceattas þe hi mihton ahwar þær geaxian. 7 senden æfter Morkere Ælfgares sune eorles 7 gecuron hine heom to eorle. 7 he for suð mid eallre þære scire 7 mid Snotinghamscire 7 Deorbiscire 7 Lincolnascire oð he com to Hamtune, 7 his broðor Eadwine him com togeanes mid þam mannum þe on his eorlome wæron, 7 eac fela Bryttas comon mid him. Ðær com Harold eorl heom togeanes, 7 hi lægdon ærende on hine to þam cyng Eadwarde 7 eac ærendracan mid him sendon 7 bædon þet hi moston habban Morkere heom <to> eorle. 7 se cyng þæs geuðe 7 sende eft Harold heom to Hamtune on Sancte Simones 7 Iudan mæsseæfen 7 kydde heom þet ilce 7 heom þet on hand sealdon, 7 he niwade þær Cnutes lage. 7 þa norðerne men dydan mycelne hearm abutan Hamtune þa hwile þe he for on heora ærende, ægðer þet hi ofslogon men 7 bærndon hus and cornn 7 namon eall þet orf þe hi mihton to cuman, þet wæs fela þusend, 7 fela hund manna¹ hi namon 7 læddon norð mid heom swa þet seo scyre 7 þa oðra scyre þe þærneh sindon wurdon fela wintra þe wyrstan. 7 Tostig eorl and his wif 7 ealle þa þe woldon þet he wolde foron suð ofer sæ (57v) mid him to Baldewine eorle, 7 he hig ealle underfeng, 7 hi wæron ealne þone winter þær.
- [1066] Millesimo.lxvi. On þissum geare man halgode þet mynster æt Westmynstre on Cilda mæssedæg, 7 se cyng Eadward forðferde on twelfta mæsseæfen, 7 hine mann bebyrgede on twelftan mæssedæg innan þære niwa halgodre circean on Westmynstre. 7 Harold eorl feng to Englalandes cynerice swa swa se cyng hit him geuðe, 7 eac men hine þærto gecuron, 7 wæs gebletsod to cyng on twelftan mæssedæg. 7 þy ilcan geare þe he cyng wæs, he for ut mid sciphere togeanes Willelme. 7 þa hwile com Tostig eorl into¹ Humbran mid .lx. scipum. Eadwine eorl com <mid> landfyrde 7

[1064] ¹ The *a* of *manna* has been altered from another letter (perhaps *u*).

[1066] ¹ Erasure (occupying space for about four letters) between *into* and *Humbran*, and also an erasure in the left hand margin.

draf hine ut, 7 þa butsecarlas hine forsocan. 7 he for to Scotlande mid .xii. snaccum, 7 hine gemette Harold se norrena cyng mid .ccc. scipum, 7 Tostig him to beah, 7 hi bægen foran into Humbran oð þet hi coman to Eoferwic, 7 heom wið feaht Morkere eorl 7 Eadwine eorl, 7 se norrena cyng ahte siges geweald. 7 man cydde Haro<l>de cyng hu hit wæs þær gedon 7 geworden, 7 he com mid mycclum here englisra manna 7 gemette hine æt Stængfordesbrycge 7 hine ofsloh 7 þone eorl Tostig 7 eallne þone here ahtlice ofercom. 7 þa hwile com Willelm eorl upp æt Hestingan on Sancte Michaelæs mæssedæg, 7 Harold com norðan 7 him wið feaht ear þan þe his here come eall, 7 þær he feoll 7 his twægen gebroðra Gyrð 7 Leofwine. And Willelm þis land geeode 7 com to Westmynstre, 7 Ealdred arcebiscop hine to cyng gehalgode, 7 menn guldon him gyld 7 gislas sealdon 7 syððan² heora land bohtan. 7 ða wæs Leofric abbot of Burh æt þet ilca feord 7 sæclode þær 7 com ham 7 wæs dæd sone þæræfter on ælre halgan mæsseniht. God (58r) are his saule! On his dæg wæs ealle blisse 7 ealle gode on Burh, 7 he wæs leaf eall folc, swa þet se cyng geaf Sancte Peter 7 him þet abbotrice on Byrtune 7 se of Couentre, þet se eorl Leofric þe wæs his eam ær heafde macod, 7 se of Crulande 7 se of Þorneie. 7 he dyde swa mycel to gode into þet mynstre of Burh on golde 7 on seolfre 7 on scrud 7 on lande swa nefre nan oðre ne dyde toforen him ne nan æfter him. Þa wearð Gildene Burh to Wrecece Burh. Ða cusen þa munecas to abbot Brand prouost, forðan þet he wæs swiðe god man 7 swiðe wis, 7 senden him þa to Ædgar ædelling, forðan þet þe landfolc wendon þet he sceolde cyng wurðen, 7 se ædelling hit him geatte þa bliþolice. Þa þe cyng Willelm geherde þet secgen, þa wearð he swiðe wrað 7 sæde þet se abbot him heafde forsegon. Þa eodon gode men heom betwene 7 sahtloden heom, forðan þet se abbot wæs goddera manne. Geaf þa þone cyng .xl. marc goldes to sahtnyssse, 7 þa lifede ðe/ litle hwile þæræfter buton þry gear. Syððon comen ealle drauednyssse 7 ealle ifele to þone mynstre. God hit gemyltse!

- [1067] Millesimo.lxvii. Her for se cyng ofer sæ 7 hæfde mid him gislas 7 sceattas 7 com¹ þæs oðres gearæs on Sancte Nicolaes mæssedæg, 7 þæs dægæs forbearn Cristes cyrce on Cantwarabyrig, 7 he geaf ælces mannes land þa he ongean com. 7 þæs sumeres for Eadgar cild ut 7 Mærleswegen 7 fela manna mid heom, 7 foran to Scotlande, 7 se cyng Melcolm hi ealle underfeng² 7 genam þes cildes swuster to wife Margaretan.

- [1068] Millesimo.lxviii. Her on þissum geare Willelm cyng geaf Rodberde

[1066] ² Tiny hole in the parchment between the *a* and *n* in *syððan*.

[1067] ¹ *7 com* is written over an erasure.

² Erasure after *un* (at the end of the MS. line) of *underfeng*.