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How many people are in the Ragman Roll?

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In the previous two features of the month, John Reuben Davies explained the process by which the Ragman Rolls were produced and discussed the nature of the oaths taken by the men and women who submitted to King Edward I's rule. In this feature and the features to follow, we will examine the people themselves whose names are recorded in this unique document. We will start by asking the question of just how many people are 'in' the Ragman Rolls. In this feature, we will focus on trying to ascertain exactly how many men and women swore fealty, and in some cases also performed homage, to King Edward in the Ragman Roll. Of course, it is worth keeping in mind that those swearing fealty were not the only people mentioned in the rolls – there were also the men acting as witnesses to their fealties. These witnesses could include 'Scottish' nobles like the earls of Angus and Dunbar or March, but most of them were Englishmen in the retinue of King Edward.

The structure of the Ragman Roll fealties

As John Reuben Davies's features made clear, the Ragman Roll is actually a collation and copy, made a few years after the acts themselves, of a number of contemporary instruments of fealty, and the structure of the Ragman Roll reveals the composite nature of the document. The roll records fealties taking place between 13 May and 28 Aug. 1296 at nineteen separate locations. The vast majority, some 93%, of the fealties took place at Berwick-upon-Tweed on the 28th of August, at a parliament called by King Edward. The earlier series of fealties, occurring between 13 May and 6 August, reflect the itinerary of Edward's invasion of Scotland and the tour up the east coast as far as Moray which seemed to constitute little more than a 'victory lap', especially after the resignation of the kingdom by King John on 10 July at Brechin Castle. This tour saw acts of submission and fealty recorded in Roxburgh, where the Steward surrendered, Edinburgh, Stirling, Perth, Clunie in Stormont, Forfar, Arbroath, Farnell (Angus), Montrose, Aberdeen, Lumphanan (Aberdeenshire), Banff, Elgin, 'Rathenach' (lost, near Orton, Moray), Kildrummy in Mar, Kincardine O'Neil, Kincardine in the Mearns, and back to Arbroath. During this three-month tour, some 129 acts of fealty were recorded. King John, who gave up his property, admitted his rebellion, gave up his alliance with the French, and surrendered his royal dignity, but did not recite the same oath of fealty as his subjects.

There are a total of 1870 names of people submitting to King Edward through fealty and/or homage recorded in the Ragman Roll, not including King John. As we have seen, 129 of these are from acts of fealty during King Edward's tour of the east of Scotland. The remaining 1741 names were recorded at Edward's parliament at Berwick-upon-Tweed on the 28th of August 1296. These names can be divided into two sections – first, a shorter, more organised section with names structured by status, and second, a longer, more chaotic

assemblage of names gathered together by county. There are 188 names recorded in the earlier section which is organised by status or type, whereas the later 'county' section includes 1553 names. The geographical distribution of individuals by county will be discussed in a later feature.

The more neatly structured section organised by county includes bishops, heads of religious houses, knights (including earls and magnates) and burghs. Of the 188 names classified by status or type, 125 are representatives of the burghs, with a strong emphasis on royal burghs from the east and south of the kingdom. Perth is clearly viewed as the most important burgh in the kingdom (perhaps after Berwick, which Edward had already subdued). Seventeen representatives of the burgh of Perth swore fealty at Berwick, while the burghs (perhaps listed by order of importance?) of Stirling, Roxburgh, Edinburgh, Jedburgh, Haddington, Peebles, Linlithgow, Montrose and Inverkeithing were all represented by delegations of twelve individuals.

The main body of names taken at Berwick are divided into 43 separate items representing contemporary deeds of fealty, some of which also survive. Individuals are defined as belonging to counties. Each item includes anywhere between a single act of fealty and 117 names. In addition, 91 individuals are specifically described as 'tenants of the king'; a further 25 names are classified as 'tenants of the bishop of St Andrews'.

PRE-BERWICK SECTION:

128 instruments of fealty (not including King John's submission) (1-128)

129 persons (1.008 persons per instrument)

54 surviving deeds (42.2%) in this section, plus one additional possible identification

(list these with manuscript references)

Sir James Stewart, John Stewart, Sir Thomas Somerville, Sir Robert Cameron of Baledgerno, Hugh of Urr, Sir Robert Cameron of Balnillo, Sir Alexander of Abernethy, Sir Gilbert of Glencarnie, Sir John Stirling, Peter de Champagne, rector of Kinkell, Sir William Francis, Hugh Murray, Hugh Hurrie, Sir Andrew Beaton, William Fraser son of Alexander Fraser, John Comyn, earl of Buchan, Sir Alexander Balliol, Sir John Comyn of Badenoch, senior, Sir Herbert Maxwell, Sir John Marshall of Toskerton, Sir John Murray, Sir Nicholas Hay, Sir John Sinclair of Herdmanston, John Comyn of Scraesburgh, Sir John Butler, Sir Nicholas of Rutherford, Ralph of Eglinton and Thomas of Winchester (same deed), John of Elphinstone, Fergus Marshall, Godfrey of Ardrossan, Walter 'de Scherwinglawe' [to no.58]

BERWICK STATUS SECTION:

15 instruments of fealty (129-142; 186)

188 persons (12.5 persons per instrument)

6 surviving deeds (40%) in this section, plus one further deed printed in Foedera but unlocated MS

BERWICK COUNTIES SECTION:

43 instruments of fealty (143-185)

1553 persons (36.1 persons per instrument)

8 surviving deeds (18.6%) plus one additional not included in 186 number (chancellor of Glasgow)

TOTAL:

186 instruments of fealty

77 surviving instruments (& 2 possible others out of 186 number)

41.4% of deeds of fealty survive.

Of 1871 persons swearing fealty in total, 424 appear in surviving deeds of fealty

(22.7% of individuals)

(with possible four additional)

The problem of duplicates

The problem of duplicate names , that is, people appearing more than once in the roll, makes it difficult to arrive at an exact number of how many people swore fealty in 1296. While it is clear that the same individuals appear twice or even three times, what further confuses the issue is that there are also clearly instances of two quite distinct individuals having the same name or a similar name. It seems likely that the individuals themselves were aware of this and probably gave versions of their name designed to avoid confusion; the clerks also seem to have been quite eager to avoid the conflation of two individuals who happened to have the same name. These individuals were marked out by some extra piece of information designed to tell father from son, the holder of one estate from another, the practitioner of one trade from another. For example, the clerks were careful to distinguish William Murray of Tullibardine, William Murray of Bothwell, and William Murray of Drumsargard. They made distinctions between Robert Cameron of Baledgarno and Robert Cameron of Balnillo, and between John Stirling of Moray and John Stirling of Carse. Similarly,

the clerks were careful to avoid potential confusions rising from patronymics, noting James son of Godfrey de Ros senior as opposed to James son of Godfrey de Ros junior. John of Ramsey and John son of Ness of Ramsey appear to be two different people, as do Alexander of Caverton and Alexander son of Henry of Caverton. The fact that the clerks were so careful in these cases can at least give us some hope of being able to organise the material moving forward and arrive at a reasonable total number. We can do this by accepting that in most cases, when the same name appears twice without any further distinguishing details, we are most likely dealing with the same person appearing more than one time in the rolls.

Swearing fealty on two occasions

Of the 129 individuals who swore fealty at various places in eastern Scotland between 13 May and 6 August 1296, the great majority also undertook the journey to Berwick-upon-Tweed in order to swear fealty there on 28 August. As Appendix One shows, 96 of the individuals listed in the 'pre-Berwick' section are duplicated at least once at Berwick. The names marked with asterisks reveal that 13 of these 99 appear to be listed twice in the Berwick section. A further eight individuals may possibly be duplicated in the Berwick section (see Appendix 1A). While some of this group are people who very likely are duplicated in the Berwick section, it is not always clear which person they are to be matched up with. For example, James de Ros of the county of Ayr is very likely to be either James son of Godfrey senior or junior, but obviously cannot be both. By contrast, 22 people listed in the 'pre-Berwick' section definitely do not appear in the Berwick fealties (see Appendix 1B). This includes the burgh communities of Aberdeen and Elgin, the locations for many of the pre-Berwick fealties. Presumably, they were not expected to swear fealty again at Berwick due to their northern location and the distances involved. Representatives of the burgh of Montrose just to the south of the Mounth, by contrast, did not swear fealty in the 'pre-Berwick' section despite the 23 oaths of fealty sworn by others at Montrose; instead, the burgesses went to Berwick and swore fealty there on 28 August. Furthermore, Alexander Kennedy, a canon of Glasgow cathedral, did not come to Berwick; presumably this is because the bishop himself swore fealty there. Similarly, Walter Blackwater, dean of the cathedral of Aberdeen, did not go to Berwick, while Bishop Henry did. William Comyn, the long-serving provost of the collegiate (former céli Dé or Culdee) church of St Mary's on the Rock of St Andrews (simply called 'provost of St Andrews' in the Ragman Roll), did not feel it necessary to travel to Berwick for whatever reason. The majority of other people north of Forth who did not come to Berwick to swear fealty a second time are of the rank of gentry knights and thanes. Of the 22 people who definitely do not appear in the Berwick section, 17 swore their oaths of fealty at locations north of the Mounth, which probably goes a long way to explaining their absence on the 28th of August. In summary, then, of the 129 pre-Berwick individuals, somewhere between 99 and 107 also were in attendance at Berwick.

Calculating the total number of fealties

We have been able to calculate a likely number of total individuals in the following way. Checking all 1870 names carefully, it is likely that 1425 names do not have duplicates, and thus represent 1425 individuals who swore fealty. This group does include some individuals with the same name, including those whom the clerks described with extra information, as explained above.

Not including individuals who appear three times and possible duplicates, we can add to this number of 1425 some 84 names of people who appear in the pre-Berwick section as well as at Berwick itself. 16 more duplicates have been identified between the more organised 'status' section and the longer 'counties' section (see Appendix Two). Some 66 further duplicates have been identified within the 'counties' section itself (see Appendix Three). 19 individuals seem to appear on three occasions (see Appendix Four). Adding together the 1425 names without duplicates, the 166 duplicates, and the 19 'triplicates' gives us a total of 1610 individuals. However, we still have a few difficult names to figures out which have been assigned a status as 'possible duplicates'. There are 56 of these names, which are listed in Appendix Five below. Many of these 'possible' duplicates are indeed individuals with the same name, but where some reservations have been drawn due to social status. In other words, the clerks at Berwick were much less likely to seek to draw a clear distinction between two burgesses from separate towns with the same occupational surname, such as John the napier or William the tailor, so we should retain some doubt about citing these as duplicates or 'triplicates'. The following table shows the categories discussed in this paragraph. Our calculations suggest a total of between 1638 and 1666 individuals swearing fealty in the Ragman Rolls. Of course, it is impossible to produce a precisely accurate total number, but this range is probably very close to as accurate as one can get. It is possible that further prosopographical research on various individuals in the Ragman Roll will allow us to narrow this down even further in the future.

Names which have no duplicate	1425
Duplicates: pre-Berwick fealties who also came	84
to Berwick (not including 'triplicates')	
Duplicates: status section & county section	16
Duplicates: within the county section	66
Individuals who appear three times	19
Possible duplicates, if all genuine	28
Possible duplicates, if none genuine	(56)
Range for total number of fealties	1638 - 1666

APPENDIX 1: Duplicates from the pre-Berwick fealties

An asterisk denotes people who appear more than once in the Berwick section.

1. Lord James, Steward of Scotland, knight	13 May, Roxburgh	IP, 61 (dupl. IP, 119)
2. Lord John Steward, brother of James, kni		<i>IP</i> , 62 (dupl. <i>IP</i> , 143)
3. Lord Thomas de Somerville, knight	4 June, Roxburgh	<i>IP</i> , 62 (dupl. <i>IP</i> , 145)
4. Lord William of Douglas, knight	10 June, Edinburgh	<i>IP</i> , 64 (dupl. <i>IP</i> , 125)
5. Walter Logan	10 June, Edinburgh	<i>IP</i> , 65 (dupl. <i>IP</i> , 125)
6. Robert de Muschamps	12 June, Edinburgh	<i>IP</i> , 66 (dupl. <i>IP</i> , 133)
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7. Lord John of Callander, knight	17 June, Stirling	IP, 66 (dupl. IP, 119)
8. John of Lamberton*	17 June, Stirling	IP, 68 (dupl. IP, 137, 157)
9. Lord William of Ruthven, knight	17 June, Stirling	IP, 68 (dupl. IP, 162)
10. William of Gardyne	17 June, Stirling	IP, 69 (dupl. IP, 154)
11. Nobleman Lord Malise, earl of Stratheau	-	IP, 69 (dupl. IP, 119)
12. Lord Walter of Corrie, knight	19 June, Stirling	IP, 70 (dupl. IP, 156)
13. Lord Michael of Wemyss, knight*	19 June, Stirling	<i>IP</i> , 70 (dupl. <i>IP</i> , 141, 162)
14. Lord Robert Cameron, lord of Baledgarn	-	<i>IP</i> , 71 (dupl. <i>IP</i> , 125)
15. Lord John de la Haye, knight*	22 June, Perth	<i>IP</i> , 72 (dupl. <i>IP</i> , 146, 157)
16. Hugh of Urr*	22 June, Perth	<i>IP</i> , 72 (dupl. <i>IP</i> , 142, 160)
17. Lord John of Moncreiffe, knight	25 June, Perth	<i>IP</i> , 73 (dupl. <i>IP</i> , 125)
18. Lord Robert Cameron, lord of Balnillo, k	• •	<i>IP</i> , 73 (dupl. <i>IP</i> , 137, 157)
19. Lord Alexander of Abernethy, knight	25 June, Perth	<i>IP</i> , 74 (dupl. <i>IP</i> , 157)
20. Lord Gilbert of Glencarnie, knight*	27 June, Clunie	<i>IP</i> , 75 (dupl. <i>IP</i> , 129, 158)
21. Lord Archibald of Livingston, knight	28 June, Clunie	<i>IP</i> , 75 (dupl. <i>IP</i> , 162)
22. Eustace of Bickerton, rector of Auchterr		IP, 76 (dupl. IP, 167)
23. Lord John of Stirling, knight ¹	2 July, Clunie	<i>IP</i> , 76 (dupl. <i>IP</i> , 125)
24. Peter de Champagne, rector of Kinkell ²	4 July, Forfar	<i>IP,</i> 77 (dupl. <i>IP,</i> 145)
25. Lord William Francis, knight*	4 July, Forfar	<i>IP</i> , 77 (dupl. <i>IP</i> , 139, 157)
26. Hugh of Moray	6 July, Forfar	<i>IP</i> , 79 (dupl. <i>IP</i> , 125)
27. Hugh Urry (Hurrie)	6 July, Forfar	<i>IP</i> , 79 (dupl. <i>IP</i> , 161)
28. Lord Andrew de Bethune, knight	6 July, Forfar	IP, 79 (dupl. IP, 128)
29. Brother Henry, abbot of Arbroath, and o	convent 6 July, Arbroa	th <i>IP,</i> 80 (dupl. <i>IP,</i> 117)
30. Lord William Bisset, knight	7 July, Montrose	<i>IP,</i> 82 (dupl. <i>IP,</i> 125)
31. Lord John Comyn, earl of Buchan	10 July, Montrose	IP, 85 (dupl. IP, 119)
32. Lord Donald, earl of Mar	10 July, Montrose	IP, 85 (dupl. IP, 119)
33. Lord Alexander de Balliol, knight	10 July, Montrose	IP, 86 (dupl. IP, 126)
34. Lord John Comyn of Badenoch senior, k	night 10/7, Montrose	<i>IP,</i> 86 (dupl. <i>IP,</i> 119)
35. Lord Herbert of Maxwell, knight	10 July, Montrose	<i>IP,</i> 87 (dupl. <i>IP,</i> 162)
36. Lord John of Toskerton, marshal, knight	10 July, Montrose	IP, 88 (dupl. IP, 124)
37. Lord John of Moray (Murray), knight	10 July, Montrose	IP, 88 (dupl. IP, 157)
38. Lord Nicholas de la Haye, knight	10 July, Montrose	<i>IP,</i> 90 (dupl. <i>IP,</i> 125)
39. Lord John Sinclair of Herdmanston	10 July, Montrose	<i>IP,</i> 90 (dupl. <i>IP,</i> 125)
40. Andrew de Chartres	10 July, Montrose	IP, 90 (dupl. IP, 124)
41. Lord Hugh Ridel, knight*	10 July, Montrose	IP, 90 (dupl. IP, 125, 136)
42. John Comyn of Scraesburgh	10 July, Montrose	IP, 90 (dupl. IP, 128)
43. Lord John Butler, knight	11 July, Montrose	IP, 91 (dupl. IP, 125)
44. Ralph of Eglinton	11 July, Montrose	IP, 91 (dupl. IP, 148)
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¹ Presuming this to be Lord John Stirling of Carse. Lord John Stirling of Moray swore fealty at Aberdeen on 14 July.
² See Watt, *Graduates*, 78-9

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45. Thomas of Winchester*
                                             11 July, Montrose
                                                                    IP, 91 (dupl. IP, 137, 149)
46. John of Elphinstone
                                             11 July, Montrose
                                                                    IP, 91 (dupl. IP, 139)
47. Fergus Marshal
                                             11 July, Montrose
                                                                    IP, 91 (dupl. IP, 160)
48. Godfrey of Ardrossan
                                             11 July, Montrose
                                                                    IP, 91 (dupl. IP, 126)
49. Walter of 'Scherwinglawe', knight
                                                                    IP, 92 (dupl. IP, 162)
                                             14 July, Aberdeen
50. Nobleman Lord Norman of Leslie, knight 15 July, Aberdeen
                                                                    IP, 93 (dupl. IP, 142)
51. Nobleman Lord Alexander of Lamberton, knight*
                                                                    IP, 93 (dupl. IP, 126, 157)
52. Nobleman Lord John of Glenesk, knight 15 July, Aberdeen
                                                                    IP, 93 (dupl. IP, 126)
53. Nobleman Lord John of Stirling of Moray, knight
                                                                    IP, 93 (dupl. IP, 119)
54. Nobleman Lord Patrick of Ogilvie, knight 15 July, Aberdeen
                                                                    IP, 93 (dupl. IP, 126)
55. Nobleman Lord John of Garioch, knight 15 July, Aberdeen
                                                                    IP, 93 (dupl. IP, 154)
56. Nobleman Lord William of Clunie, knight 15 July, Aberdeen
                                                                    IP, 93 (dupl. IP, 162)
57. Nobleman Lord Thomas Durward, knight15 July, Aberdeen
                                                                    IP, 93 (dupl. IP, 138)
58. Alexander of Straiton
                                             15 July, Aberdeen
                                                                    IP, 93 (dupl. IP, 125)
59. Gilbert of Mar
                                             15 July, Aberdeen
                                                                    IP, 93 (dupl. IP, 129)
60. Lord Gilbert de la Haye, knight
                                             16 July, Aberdeen
                                                                    IP, 94 (dupl. IP, 137)
                                             16 July, Aberdeen
                                                                    IP, 94 (dupl. IP, 145)
61. Lord John of Cambo, knight
62. James de Melville
                                             16 July, Aberdeen
                                                                    IP, 94 (dupl. IP, 158)
63. Robert of Elmslie
                                             16 July, Aberdeen
                                                                    IP, 94 (dupl. IP, 150)
64. Duncan of Frendraught, knight
                                             17 July, Aberdeen
                                                                    IP, 96 (dupl. IP, 142)
65. Patrick of Berkeley, knight
                                             17 July, Aberdeen
                                                                    IP, 96 (dupl. IP, 152)
66. Hugh de la Haye, knight
                                             17 July, Aberdeen
                                                                    IP, 96 (dupl. IP, 145)
                                                                    IP, 96 (dupl. IP, 119)
67. Reginald le Chen (Cheyne), knight
                                             17 July, Aberdeen
68. John of Maxwell, knight, son of Sir Herbert of Maxwell, knight IP, 96 (dupl. IP, 128
and/or 149)
69. William de Muhaut (Mowat), knight
                                             17 July, Aberdeen
                                                                    IP, 96 (dupl. IP, 162)
70. Lord Harvey of Crambeth, dean of Dunkeld 17 July, Aberdeen IP, 96 (dupl. IP, 164)
71. Robert of Wauchope
                                             17 July, Aberdeen
                                                                    IP, 96 (dupl. IP, 145)
                                                                    IP, 96 (dupl. IP, 157)
72. Robert the Falconer
                                             17 July, Aberdeen
                                                                    IP, 98 (dupl. IP, 115)
73. Father Lord Henry, bishop of Aberdeen 19 July, Aberdeen
74. Lord William of Moray (Murray), knight 19 July, Aberdeen
                                                                    IP, 98 (dupl. IP, 119, 125,
or 128)
75. Lord Thomas of Torthorwald, knight
                                             22 July, Banff
                                                                    IP, 101 (dupl. IP, 124)
76. Father Robert, bishop of Glasgow
                                             26 July, Elgin
                                                                    IP, 101 (dupl. IP, 115)
77. Nobleman Lord Alexander, earl of Menteith 27 July, Elgin
                                                                    IP, 103 (dupl. IP, 119)
78. Lord Thomas de Soules, knight
                                             27 July, Elgin
                                                                    IP, 103 (dupl. IP, 157)
                                                                    IP, 103 (dupl. IP, 158)
79. Lord Gervase of Rait, knight
                                             27 July, Elgin
                                                                    IP, 103 (dupl. IP, 137)
80. Lord Alexander of Argyll, knight
                                             27 July, Elgin
                                                                    IP, 103 (dupl. IP, 119)
81. Lord Alexander Comyn, knight
                                             27 July, Elgin
                                                                    IP, 103 (dupl. IP, 157)
82. Lord Nicholas de Soules, knight
                                             27 July, Elgin
                                                                    IP, 105 (dupl. IP, 162)
83. Alan of Moray
                                             27 July, Elgin
                                             28 July, Elgin
84. Lord John de St Michael, knight*
                                                                    IP, 107 (dupl. IP, 146,162)
85. Lord Robert de Normanville, knight*
                                                                    IP, 107 (dupl. IP, 125,137)
                                             28 July, Elgin
86. Lord Donald son of Can, knight
                                             28 July, Elgin
                                                                    IP, 107 (dupl. IP, 124)
                                                                    IP, 107 (dupl. IP, 158)
87. William Wiseman
                                             28 July, Elgin
88. John de Montfort*
                                             28 July, Elgin
                                                                    IP, 107 (dupl. IP, 125,162)
89. Robert de Tremblay
                                             28 July, Elgin
                                                                    IP, 107 (dupl. IP, 157)
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90. William de Lascelles	28 July, Elgin	<i>IP,</i> 107 (dupl. <i>IP,</i> 157)
91. Gilbert of Southwick	28 July, Elgin	<i>IP,</i> 107 (dupl. <i>IP,</i> 160)
92. John Wischard of the Mearns ³	29 July, Elgin	IP, 108 (dupl. IP, 157)
93. Andrew son of Godfrey de Ros	29 July, Elgin	<i>IP,</i> 108 (dupl. <i>IP,</i> 146)
94. William of 'Rathenach'	30 July, Rathenach	<i>IP,</i> 109 (dupl. <i>IP,</i> 158)
95. John Tresour, burgess of Perth	1 August, Kildrummy	<i>IP</i> , 110-1 (dupl. <i>IP</i> , 121)
96. Ranulf/ Randolph of Keillour	2 August, Kildrummy	<i>IP,</i> 111 (dupl. <i>IP,</i> 126)
97. Richard of Newtibber	3 Aug., Kincardine O'l	Neil <i>IP</i> , 112 (dupl., 146)
98. Ralph of Kinnaird	4 Aug., Kincardine in	Mearns <i>IP</i> , 112 (dupl.,137)
99. Mark of Clapham	6 Aug., Arbroath	IP, 113 (dupl., IP, 147)

APPENDIX 1B: POSSIBLE DUPLICATES from the pre-Berwick fealties

- 1. Master William of Kinghorn, rector of Kirkliston 4 July, Forfar *IP*, 78 Possibly the same as William of Kinghorn, *persona* of the church of Kiltearn, county of Inverness, *IP*, 159. See Watt, *Graduates*, 317
- 2. William Fraser, son of the late Alexander Fraser 7 July, Farnell *IP*, 81 Possibly the same as William Fraser of the county of Peebles (*IP*, 125) and/or William Fraser of the county of Edinburgh (*IP*, 134)
- 3. Lord William de Balliol, rector of Kirkpatrick 12 July, Montrose *IP*, 92 Possibly the same as William de Balliol of the county of Edinburgh (*IP*, 125)
- 4. Lord John, son of Lord John of Kinross, knight 16 July, Aberdeen *IP*, 94 Possibly the same as John of Kinross of the county of Forfar (*IP*, 126)
- 5. Lord John Fleming, knight 19 July, Aberdeen *IP*, 98

Possibly the same as John Fleming of the county of Peebles (IP, 152)

6. James son of Godfrey de Ros, senior 28 July, Elgin *IP*, 107

Possibly the same as James de Ros of the county of Ayr (*IP*, 149)

7. James son of Godfrey de Ros, junior 28 July, Elgin *IP*, 107

Possibly the same as James de Ros of the county of Ayr (IP, 149)

8. Audomer Comyn 28 July, Elgin *IP*, 107

Possibly the same as Aimer Comyn of the county of Banff (IP, 158)

APPENDIX 1C: Individuals from the pre-Berwick fealties who do not appear in Berwick (i.e., non-duplicates from pre-Berwick section)

1. William of 'Colnehach'	17 June, Stirling	IP, 67
2. Lord Alexander Kennedy, canon of Glasgow	10 July, Montrose	IP, 89
3. William of Silksworth	10 July, Montrose	<i>IP</i> , 90
4. Alexander of Airth	10 July, Montrose	IP, 90
5. Lord Nicholas of Rutherford, knight	11 July, Montrose	<i>IP</i> , 91
6. Lord William Comyn provost of St Andrews	15 July, Aberdeen	IP, 93
7. Geoffrey of the Vennel	16 July, Aberdeen	IP, 94
8. John son of Ralph of Pitscottie	17 July, Aberdeen	IP, 96
9. William of Innes	17 July, Aberdeen	IP, 96
10. Burgesses and community of Aberdeen	17 July, Aberdeen	IP, 96
11. Lord Walter Blackwater, dean of Aberdeen	19 July, Aberdeen	IP, 98
12. Lord John de Maleville (Melville), knight	21 July, Lumphanan	<i>IP</i> , 100

³ Cf. Lord John Wischard, knight, who swore fealty at Elgin two days earlier on 27 July.

13. Lord John Wischard (Wishart), knight	27 July, Elgin	<i>IP</i> , 103
14. Burgesses and community of Elgin in Moray	27 July, Elgin	<i>IP</i> , 105
15. Lord Adam Gordon, knight	28 July, Elgin	IP, 107
16. Alexander of Hattley	28 July, Elgin	IP, 107
17. Reginald de St Michael, clerk	28 July, Elgin	IP, 107
18. Henry Cor	29 July, Elgin	<i>IP,</i> 108
19. Alexander of Ogston	29 July, Elgin	<i>IP,</i> 108
20. William of Tattenhall	29 July, Elgin	<i>IP,</i> 108
21. Roger Paternoster	31 July, Kildrummy	<i>IP</i> , 110
22. Thomas of Cowie	2 August, Kildrummy	<i>IP</i> , 111

APPENDIX 2: Duplicates in the 'status' organised section of the Berwick fealties

- 1. Eve, prioress of Haddington (and the convent)
- 2. Malcolm, earl of Lennox
- 3. Alexander of Lindsey, knight
- 4. William Servatour, burgess of Stirling
- 5. John of Drylaw, burgess of Stirling
- 6. Richard le Furblur, burgess of Roxburgh
- 7. John Knout of Roxburgh, burgess of Roxburgh
- 8. Adam of Ord (i.e., Kirkurd), burgess of Peebles
- 9. William on the Hull, burgess of Linlithgow
- 10. John the porter, burgess of Linlithgow
- 11. Henry of Wrae, burgess of Linlithgow
- 12. Philip of Abernethy, burgess of Linlithgow
- 13. Gilbert of 'Hildeclive', burgess of Linlithgow
- 14. William son of Arnold, burgess of Linlithgow
- 15. John of Thornton, burgess of Inverkeithing
- 16. Alexander the Saucer, burgess of Inverkeithing

APPENDIX 3: Names duplicated within the 'counties' section of the Berwick fealties

- 1. William de Gourlay
- 2. William de la Chambre (Chambers/ Chalmers)
- 3. William de Maleville (Melville)
- 4. Adam of Riccalton
- 5. William of Prenderleith
- 6. Adam of Linton
- 7. Aimer of Hadden
- 8. Alexander of Stirling
- 9. John of Halkerston
- 10. Ralph of Echline of Haddington
- 11. Henry of Halliburton
- 12. William Bretun
- 13. Gilbert of Kilbride
- 14. Walter Sproull
- 15. Gilbert Hannay
- 16. John of Craigie

- 17. John of Crawford
- 18. John of Seton
- 19. Alan of Winton
- 20. Master Niall Campbell
- 13. Roger of Crawford
- 14. Mary of Glengavel
- 15. Adam Belle
- 16. Robert de Bethune (Beaton)
- 17. John Lipp
- 18. John of Skene
- 19. Thomas the Ewer
- 20. Alan, parson of the church of Abbotrule
- 21. John of Lilliesleaf
- 22. John of Lindsey (Lindsay)
- 23. Nicholas 'del Despense'
- 24. Andrew Fraser
- 25. David of Brechin
- 26. John 'de Kuere'
- 27. Thomas of Harcarse
- 28. Walter Comyn
- 29. William of Lamberton
- 30. Thomas de Coleville
- 31. Gilbert the Messenger
- 32. John [of] Manuel
- 33. Malcolm of Argyll, brother of Sir Alexander of Argyll
- 34. Michael the Messenger
- 35. Peter of Graham
- 36. Dubgall (Dougal) son of Godric
- 37. John of Badby
- 38. John of Conveth, parson of the church of Ancrum
- 39. Ralph of 'Hauden', parson of the church of Whitsome
- 40. Thomas Lillie
- 41. Adam of Dowan
- 42. Adam of Gibliston
- 43. Patrick of 'Comenaghe' (Carmunnock?)
- 44. Patrick son of John Niven
- 45. Lord Richard Fraser, knight
- 46. Richard of Horsley
- 47. Malcolm of Kilspindie
- 48. Robert of Broomhouse
- 49. Alice of Ormiston (widow of Alan)
- 50. Alan of Liberton
- 51. Hugh of Penicuik
- 52. William of Drylaw
- 53. William of Kinninmonth
- 54. Malcolm of Glendochart
- 55. Robert of Auchtergaven

- 56. William 'Schelle' (of Shiels)
- 57. William de Maleville (lord of Tartraven)
- 58. John of Maxwell

APPENDIX 4: Names which appear three times ('triplicates')

- 1. Lord Alexander of Lamberton, knight
- 2. Lord Gilbert of Glencarnie, knight
- 3. Hugh of Urr
- 4. Lord Hugh Ridel, knight
- 5. Lord John de la Haye, knight
- 6. John de Montfort
- 7. Lord John de St Michael, knight
- 8. John of Lamberton
- 9. John the marshall
- 10. Michael the lardner, burgess of Linlithgow
- 11. Lord Michael of Wemyss, knight
- 12. Nicholas the sergeand, burgess of Linlithgow
- 13. Reginald of Crawford
- 14. Lord Robert Cameron of Balnillo, knight
- 15. Lord Robert de Normanville, knight
- 16. Lord William of Ramsey
- 17. Thomas of Winchester
- 18. Walter Bisset
- 19. Lord William Francis, knight

APPENDIX 5. Possible duplicates (see also Appendix 1B)

- 1. Is William de Boseville, burgess of Roxburgh, same as William de Boseville of the county of Roxburgh?
- 2. Is either of the previous the same as William de Boseville of the county of Berwick?
- 3. John de L'Isle (Lyle), burgess of Inverkeithing, same as John de L'Isle of the county of Berwick?
- 4. John of 'Haytone' of the county of Dumfries, same as John of Heiton of the county of Roxburgh?
- 5. Are either of the previous the same as John of Heiton, warden of the Hospital of St Leonard of Torrance, of the county of Lanark?
- 6. Is John the marshall, of the county of Lanark, possibly the same as John the marshall of the county of Roxburgh (who already appears as a duplicate)?
- 7. John the napier, tenant of the king of the county of Peebles, the same as John the napier, of the county of Dumbarton?
- 8. Is Lord Walter of Lindsey, of the county of Edinburgh, the same as Walter of Lindsey, of the county of Berwick (the Lindsey family was very widely ramified, with estates in both counties, and very fond of the personal name Walter)?
- 9. Is Walter the Scot of the county of Lanark the same as Walter the Scot, tenant of the bishop of St Andrews, of the county of Edinburgh?
- 10. Is William the Fleming, of the county of Dumbarton, the same as William the Fleming, knight, of the county of Lanark?

- 11. Is Lord William of Moray, knight, the same as William of Moray of Tullibardine, William of Moray of Bothwell, or William of Moray of Drumsargard?
- 12. Is William Purves, tenant of the king of the county of Peebles, the same as William of Purves, of the county of Berwick?
- 13. Is William the tailor, burgess of Edinburgh, the same as either William the tailor, of the county of Lanark, or William the tailor, of the county of Dumfries?
- 14. Is Serlo of Dundas, tenant of the king of the county of Linlithgow, the same as Saer of Dundas, who appears twice already, of the county of Linlithgow?
- 15. Is William on the Hill, of the county of Berwick, the same as William on the Hull, of the county of Linlithgow (who already appears twice)?
- 16. Is Adam 'Bernak' of Hilton, of the county of Berwick, the same as Adam Bernard of Hilton, of the county of Perth?
- 17. Is Adam of Kirkton, of the county of Berwick, the same as Adam of Kirkton, of the county of Edinburgh?
- 18. Is Duncan Campbell of the county of Perth, the same as Duncan Campbell of 'Illes' of the county of Fife?
- 19. Is Gilbert of Carlisle of the county of Dumfries the same as Gilbert son of Beatrice (possibly Beatrice of Carlisle) of the county of Roxburgh?
- 20. Is John Brown of the county of Linlithgow the same as John Brown of the county of Berwick?