

787. Here King Beorhtric took to wife Offa's daughter Eadburg. And in his days, for the first time, three ships came and then the sheriff rode there and he wanted to take them to the king's fortress because he did not know who they were, and he was killed. Those were the first ships of Danish men that visited the land of the English.

833. Here King Ecgbryht fought against thirty five shiploads at Charmouth. And there was a great slaughter and the Danes had control of the battlefield.

835. Here came a large fleet to West Wales and they united and were victorious against Ecgbryht, the king of the West Saxons. Then he heard that and traveled with the army and fought with them at at Hingston Down and there put both the Welsh and the Danes to flight.

875. Here the (foreign) army traveled from Repton and Halfdane traveled with some of the army into Northumbria and set up winter quarters by the river Tyne; and the army conquered that land and often raided against the Picts and and against the Strathclyde Welsh; and Godrum and Oscytel and Anwynd, the three kings, traveled from Repton to Cambridge with a large army and stayed there for a year; and in the summer King Alfred traveled out onto the sea with a fleet, and fought against seven shiploads and captured one of them and put the others to flight.