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6290. Fanning (Thomas), Ó Corráin (Donncha) (*app. auth.*): An Ogham stone and cross-slab from Ratass Church, Tralee.

*In* JKAHS 10 (1977), pp. 14–18.

Appendix: The Ogham inscription.

1367. Ó Cróinín (Dáibhí), Fanning (Thomas) (*app. auth.*): Rath Melsigi, Willibrord, and the earliest Echternach manuscripts.

*In* Peritia 3 (1984), pp. 17–49.

Argues that the earliest Echternach codices were strongly influenced by Irish scribal tradition. *Rath Melsigi* (identified as Clonmelsh, Co. Carlow), mentioned by Bede, is suggested as training ground for Willibrord's mission to Frisia. *Uuictberct*, an Anglo-Saxon scholar, is identified with *Ichtricht* on the witness list of *Cáin Adomnáin*. Posits a reference to *Druim Léas* (Drumlease, Co. Leitrim) in the Calendar of Willibrord. Incl. app. 'Some field monuments in the townlands of Clonmelsh and Garryhundon, Co. Carlow', pp. 43-49 by Thomas FANNING. Cf. K. MURPHY, *in* Peritia 8 (1994), p. 169.

*Repr.* *in* D. Ó CRÓINÍN, *Early Irish history and chronology*, pp. 145-172.

Murphy (K.) (*ref.*)