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Abbot of Horton

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BIOGRAPHY

Head of Horton Abbey, Dorset, which held the Domesday manor of Carswella in Devon.

NOTES / SOURCES

The record concerns the abbey as institutional holder rather than a securely identified individual abbot.

Research sources:

- Devon and Dartmoor Historic Environment Record MDV15743, citing Domesday evidence and the historical identification of Abbotskerswell with Carsuella/Carswella; Gover, Mawer and Stenton, The

Place-Names of Devon, Part One, p. 504.

https://www.heritagegateway.org.uk/gateway/Results_Single.aspx?resourceID=104&uid=MDV15743

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