Beowulf in history: the literary and archaeological context

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The sole surviving manuscript dates to c1000-1010 (British Library)

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Ecclesiastical History of the English People

The earliest extant copy of Bede's work dates to c737.

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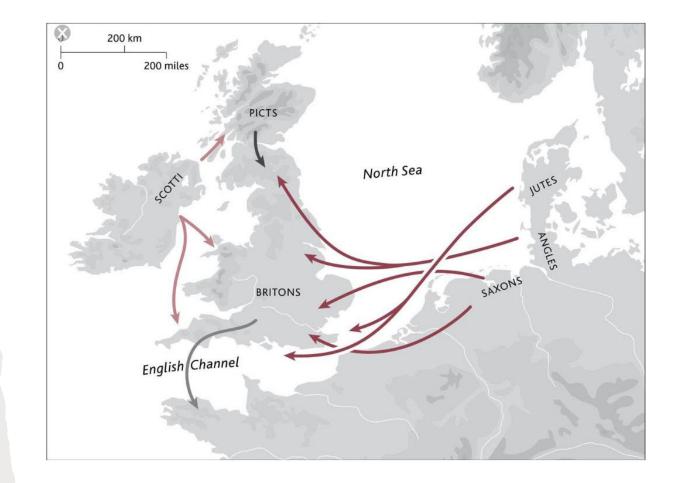
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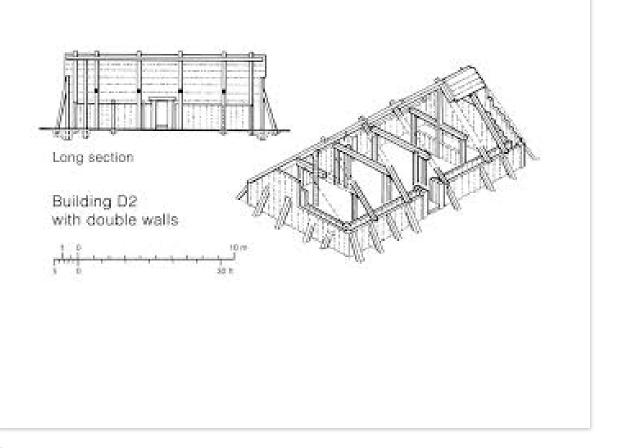
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The royal palace in Northumbria











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