

GWGON ap MEURIG (died 871), king of Ceredigion, and the last of the line of Ceredig

Name: Gwgon ap Meurig Date of death: 871

Gender: Male Occupation: king of Ceredigion, and the last of the line of Ceredig

Area of activity: Politics, Government and Political Movements; Royalty and Society

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According to the Chronicle of the Princes he was drowned in the year 871. His sister, Angharad, married Rhodri Mawr. On the death of Gwgon this gave Rhodri a sufficient pretext for intervening in the affairs of the state of Seisyllwg, formed rather more than a century earlier by the union of Ceredigion and Ystrad Tywi.

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