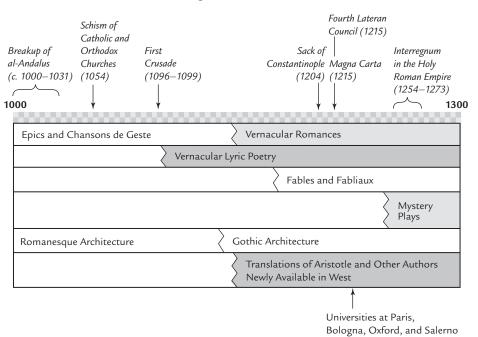
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lay entombed beneath it. But to William of Malmesbury (c. 1096–1143), a different explanation appealed: "The structure might have fallen because of faulty construction, even if the king had never been buried there." To such a view, the future belonged.