

CONTENTS

Preface p. ix

Abbreviations p. xi

Note on spellings and dates p. xiii

Introduction p. 1

- 1 The Catholic laity p. 3
- 2 England and Rome: the Catholic clergy p. 28
- 3 The penal laws and their enforcement p. 51
- 4 The development of the anti-Catholic tradition p. 67
- 5 The Restoration settlement and after p. 91
- 6 The French alliance and 'Catholicity' p. 108
- 7 York and Danby p. 121
- 8 The Popish Plot and the Exclusion Crisis p. 154
- 9 The Tory reaction p. 189
- 10 James II and the Church of England Men p. 196
- 11 James II and the Dissenters p. 214
- 12 James II and Rome p. 229
- 13 The missionary effort under James II p. 239
- 14 The opposition to James II p. 250

Appendices

- 1 Recusancy convictions in Middlesex p. 265
- 2 Recusancy convictions in Norfolk p. 267
- 3 The commissions of the peace under James II p. 269

Select Bibliography p. 273

Index p. 279