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VANS-AGNEW, OF BARNBARRAGH.

Lineage.

The family of VANS or VAUS claims to be a branch of the great house of VAUX, so celebrated in every part of Europe. (See Burke's Extinct and Dormant Peerage.) In page 133 of Sir David Lindsay's Heraldry certified by the privy council, VAUS is mentioned as one of "the surnames of thame that come futhre of Ingland with Sanct Margaret," and in page 17 of the selection of the Harleian Miscellany by Kearsley, printed in 1793, it is said, "Out of these confusions in England, Malcolm King of Scotland did take his opportunity for action. He received into protection many from England, who either from fear or discontentment forsake their country, of whom many families in Scotland are descended, and namely, these, Linseay, VAUS, Ramsay, &c. &c." Lord Hailes, Rapin, Hume, and other authorities, notice the reception of the Anglo-Normans by Malcolm.

NISBET (Ar. Vans of Barnbarragh) says, "The learned antiquary and historian, Sir James Dalrymple, observes that the ancient surname VANS, in Latin Charters called De Vallibus, is the same with the name of VAUS in England, and is one of the first surnames which appear there after the Conquest. One of the family came to Scotland in the time of King David I. and in the reign of his grandson and successor Malcolm IV. mention is made of Phillip de Vallibus who had possessions in the South, and soon after that we find the family of Vallibus or Vans, proprietors of the lands and Barony of Dirlotoun in East Lothian."

JOHN DE VALLIBUS is a witness to two charters of King MALCOLM IV. the one No. 31 in the Coldingham Charters, and the other among the Lundin Charters.

In 1174, JOHN DE VALLIBUS was one of the hostages to the English, for the ransom of the Scots' King, William. He was 5 by his nephew or cousin,

JOHN DE VALLIBUS, designed son of Robert of Ellebott. The son and heir of this John, JOHN DE VALLIBUS, is called John the younger, Dominus de Dirlot, when granting five marks yearly out of his Fair of St. James's in Roxburghshire, as a composition regarding his disputed patronage of Wilton. This John in 1244, is mentioned as one of the Magnates of Scotland, in the Pope's ratification of the peace between England and Scotland. In 1255 he was one of the Barons who counselled, or rather forced, King ALEXANDER III. to change his ministers. His grandson,

JOHN DE VAU, appears to have been the second husband of Dervorgill,* (the dau. of Allan, Lord of Galloway, by Margaret, eldest daughter of David, Earl of Hunt-ington, third son of King David I. of Scotland,) the widow of Sir John Ballool, and mother of JOHN BALLOOL, who claimed and obtained the Crown of Scotland. He sate in the parliament of Brigham, in 1290, and the next year swore fealty at Berwick to EDWARD I. In 1298 he defended the Castle of Dirlot against the famous Anthony Beke, Bishop of Durham. In 1304 he was a principal party to the agreement between EDWARD of England, and John Comyn, and according to Ryley's Placeta, John Comyn, Edmund Comyn, John de Graham, and John de Vaux, sealed this agreement at Stratheord, the 6th February, 13 EDWARD I. The sincerity of this submission seems to have been more than doubtful, for in 1306, mention is made of him as a friend of ROBERT BAUC. To this John succeeded

THOMAS DE VAUX, who is mentioned by Guthrie, and Brady as being one of the sixty-five Earls and Lords who led the Scotch army at the battle of Halidon Hill, 19th July, 1333. He was slain in 1346 at Neville's Cross, where also his successor,

WILLIAM VAUX, was taken prisoner. After being detained for some time in England, in captivity, he returned to Scotland, and his name appears in many of the transactions of that period, especially as a party to the ransom of King David II. He died in 1364, and was 5 by his eldest surviving son,

WILLIAM VAUX, who d. in 1392, and was succeeded by two co-heiresses; but whether they were his own daughters or those of his elder brother, Thomas, who had been killed at the siege of Berwick, in 1335, is uncertain. The elder wedded Sir John Halyburton,† and the second, Sir Patrick Hepburn, younger, of Hailes, ancestor to

* This second marriage of the granddaughter of the Earl of Huntingdon, is not mentioned by Wytoun or others, but the evidence of it is to be found in the Dryburgh Chart, (Nos. 126, 127, 128, 129,) where is given a Charter by Alexander de Ballool of the wood of Gledisdome, "qui quondam fuit cum Domini Johannis de Wallibus, et Dna, Dervorgill Sponsa sue."

† The family of Sir John Halyburton, who became (jure uxoris) Lord of Dirlot, ended, after a few descents, in three sisters, viz.

Janet, m. to William, second Lord Ruthven.
Mariota, m. to George, fourth Lord Home.
Margaret, m. to George Ker, of Fuedenside.
the Earl of Strathern, he left a son and heir,

WALTER OLIPHANT, also justiciary of Lothian, whose eldest son,

SIR WILLIAM OLIPHANT, of Aberdalgie, submitted to Edward I. in 1297. This knight, the gallant defender of Stirling Castle, died* in 1329, and was s. by his son,

SIR WALTER OLIPHANT, of Aberdalgie, who wedded Elizabeth, youngest daughter of Robert I. as appears from a charter of King David II. to "Waltero, dilecto et fideli suo, pro bono servitio nobis impenso, et Elizabethe, sponsae suo, delectae sorori nostre," regranting them the lands of Turin in Forfarshire. The son and heir,

WALTER OLIPHANT, of Aberdalgie, espoused Mary, daughter of Sir Robert Erskine, of Erkine, and had two sons, John Sir), his heir, and Malcolm, of Haileside, in Ayrshire: by the elder,

SIR JOHN OLIPHANT, he was succeeded. This gentleman, who was knighted by Robert II. m. first, a daughter of Sir William Borthwick, of that ilk, and had one son, William, his heir. He wedded, secondly, a daughter of Sir Thomas Home, of Home, and had another son, Thomas, ancestor of the Oliphants of Kelso, in Fife. Sir John died about the year 1420, and was s. by his son,

SIR WILLIAM OLIPHANT, of Aberdalgie, living in 1423, who m. Isabel, daughter of John Stewart, of Innermuth, Lord of Lord, and was s. by his son,

SIR JOHN OLIPHANT, of Aberdalgie. This gentleman took part with the Ogilvys in their feud with the Lindsay, and was slain in the rehearsea between the contending parties at Arbroath in 1445, when the Earl of Crawford also fell. He espoused Isabel, daughter of Walter Ogilvy, esq. of Auchterhouse, and had issue,

LAURENCE (Sir), his heir.

James.

Margaret, m. to William Wardlaw, esq. of Torrie, in Fife.

Isabel, m. to Alexander Blair, of Balncheyck.

The eldest son,

SIR LAURENCE OLIPHANT, of Aberdalgie, sat in parliament as a Baron, who wedded the Lady Isabel Hay, youngest dau. of William, first Earl of Errol, and had three sons,

JOHN, his heir.

William, who wedded Christian, only child and heiress of Alexander Sutherland, of Duffus, and thereby acquired the lands of Berriedale.

George

His Lordship died about the year 1500, and was s. by his eldest son,

JOHN, second LORD OLIPHANT, who m.

Lady Elizabeth Campbell, third daughter of Colin, first Earl of Argyle, and had two sons,

COLIN.

Laurence, abbot of Incaffray, who fell at Flodden.

The eldest,

COLIN, MASTER OLIPHANT, espoused Lady Elizabeth Keith, second daughter of William, third Earl Marishall, and had issue,

LAURENCE, who s. his grandfather, in 1616, as third Lord; and from him descended the LORDS OLIPHANT.

WILLIAM.

The Master of Oliphant was slain with his brother at the field of Flodden. His second son,

WILLIAM OLIPHANT acquired, in 1643, the lands of Newton, part of the present Mr. Oliphant's estate. He married his cousin the dau. and heiress of Sir William Oliphant, of Berriedale, in Caithness, and thereby acquired those and various other possessions. The grandson of William Oliphant, and the heiress of Berriedale, was

LAURENCE OLIPHANT, esq. first of Condie, (an estate purchased in 1601) wedded Miss Murray, of Tullibardine, ancestor of the Athol family, by whom he had issue,

1. LAURENCE, who m. Marriot, daughter and heiress of Sir John Blackadder, of Tullialan, and thereby disinheriting his father, who was in a great measure disinherited.

2. Thomas, who had the lands of Rossie, and was ancestor of the OLIPHANTS of that place.

3. William, who m. Elspeth, daughter of Sir Henry Stirling, bart. of Ardoch. This gentleman subsequently sold his portion of the estate to his elder brother.

4. James, ancestor of the OLIPHANTS of Kinmaier in Fife.

5. Colin.

Laurence, first of Condie, being displeased as stated above, by the marriage of his eldest son, bequeathed his extensive estates among his younger children. The disinherited son,

LAURENCE OLIPHANT, esq. second of Condie, was succeeded, at his decease, by his son,

LAURENCE OLIPHANT, esq. third of Condie, who wedded Helen, sister of Sir James Wemyss, bart. of Bogle, by whom he had, with several other children, a son and heir,

LAURENCE OLIPHANT, esq. fourth of Condie, who m. Jeanette Meldrum, daughter of Meldrum, of Lethers, in the county of Aberdeen, whose half sister, Mary Ogilvie, wedded, Charles, seventh Lord Oliphant), and had a son and successor,

LAURENCE OLIPHANT, esq. fifth of Condie, who dying early in life, his widow espoused the last Drummond, of Invermay, which gentleman bequeathed to his wife's

* His tombstone is still preserved in Aberdalgie church yard.
HILL, OF COURT OF HILL.

Usher, esq. of Cappagh, in the county of Waterford, and had issue,
Edmond, who died young.
Arthur-Lemuel, heir to his father.
Thomas, a general officer in the Hon. East India Company’s Service, Bengal, who married Sophia, daughter of the Right Rev. Dr. Hume, late bishop of Salisbury, and the lady Mary, his wife. General Shuldham is now deceased.
Lucy, m. to the Very Rev. Richard Bourne, late dean of Tuam, in Ireland.
Mr. Shuldham died in 1758, and was s. by his eldest surviving son, the present Arthur Lemuel Shuldham, esq.
Arms—Az. an eagle displayed or.
Crest—A griffin, passant.
Motto—Post nubila Phoebus.
Estates—Near Dunmanway, barony of Carbery, in the county of Cork; and near Pallis Green, in the county of Limerick.

HILL, OF COURT OF HILL.

HILL, LUCY, of Court of Hill, in the county of Salop, m. first, 2nd April, 1780, Thomas Humphrey Lowe, esq. of Bromsgrove, in the county of Worcester, by whom she had surviving issue,

Thomas—HILLY-Peregrine-Forte Lowe, b. 21st December, 1781, in holy orders, precentor of Exeter, who m. in February, 1808, Ellen—Lucy, eldest daughter of George Parodo, esq. of Nash Court, in Shropshire, and has issue.
Arthur—Charles Lowe, b. 30th August, 1796, a captain in the 16th Lancers.
Louisa—Elizabeth Lowe, m. 12th May, 1827, to Thomas Hastings, esq. captain R.N.
Harriet—Lowe, m. 11th May, 1807, to Charles Bullock, esq. of Faulkhoun, in Essex, and has issue.

Mrs. Lowe wedded secondly, 20th June, 1803, Thomas Fowler, esq. of Abbey-cwm-hir, in the county of Radnor, by whom (who d. 6th June, 1820) she has an only child,

Lineage.

The ancient family of “Hill of Court of Hill,” has enjoyed many centuries of distinction in the county of Salop.
Hugh Hull, of Hull, in that shire, living in the reign of Edward II. espoused Eleanor, daughter and co-heir of Hugh Wlonkesowe, and had, with a daughter, Agnes, m. to Edmund de Burghiton, a son and heir, William Hull, of Hull, father of Griffith Hull, of Hull, who m. temp. Henry IV. Margaret, sister of Griffith Warren, of Ightfield, in Salop, a younger branch of the old Earls of Warren and Surrey, descended from Hamlet Plantagenet, natural son to Henry II. By this lady he had a son,

Humphrey Hull, of Buntingdale, who lived in the reigns of Henry V. and Henry VI. He m. Agnes, daughter and co-heir of John Bird, and cousin and heiress of David de Malpas, by whom he had issue,
1. William, his heir.
2. Ralph, who m. the daughter of Thomas Green, of Greene’s Norton, and had two sons,
1. William, of Bletchley, in Shropshire, ancestor to the Hills of Bletchley and Soult. The great-grandson and eventual heir of this William, Thomas Hull, esq. of Soult, was sheriff of Shropshire in
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and dying 24th January, 1826, aged fifty-seven, left
2. George-Leonard.
3. Edward.
4. Frederick.
1. Mary-Anne.
2. Louisa.
3. Frances.
5. Maria.
William, in holy orders, M.A. rector of Beesford, vicar of Cantley, and prebendary of Ely.
Maria, died young.
Mr. Walbanke-Childers m. secondly, Sarah, daughter of the Rev. — Fowler, of Shropshire, and had
Michael, an officer in the army.
Harriet, m. to the Rev. R. Thompson, of Askham Brian, near York.
Anna-Mildreda, m. to Richard Bell, esq. of Newcastle-upon-Tyne.
Eliza-Diana, m. to Edward Radford, esq.
Mr. Childers was 2. at his decease, 16th June, 1802 (being interred at Cantley), by his eldest son,
JOHN WALBANK-CHILDERS, esq. of Cantley, who m. at St. George’s, Hanover Square, in March, 1737, the Hon. Selina Eardley, third daughter and co-heir of Sampson, Lord Eardley, and had issue,
JHN, his heir.
Eardley, in holy orders, m. his cousin, Maria-Charlotte, eldest daughter of Sir Colling Smith, bart. and died at Nice in 1830.
William, captain in the 42nd regiment, m. 16th August, 1826, Mary-Elizabeth, relict of Robert Hume, esq. Leonard, deceased.
Charles, in holy orders, vicar of Cantley.
Selina, m. to George Burroughs, esq. R.A. and died at Gibraltar.
Charlotté-Anne, d. October, 1828.
Joanna-Maria.
Col. Childers died 1st March, 1812, and was s. by his eldest son, the present JOHN WALBANK-CHILDERS, esq. of Cantley.
Arms — Arg. a cross humetée, between four round buckles gules.
Crest—A dexter hand grasping a round buckle.
Estates—In the counties of York and Cambridge.
Town Residence—6, Whitbourn Place.
Seat—Cantley, near Doncaster.
Note. The celebrated horse BAY-CHILDERS, or FLYING CHILDERS, which in its day, and long afterwards, was spoken of as the fleetest racer ever known in England, was bred at Carr House, the former seat of the Childers family.

CRAUFURD, OF CRAUFURDLAND.

CRAUFURD-HOWISON, WILLIAM, esq. of Craufurdland, in the county of Ayr, and of Braehead, in Mid Lothian, b. 29th November, 1781, m. 14th June, 1808, Jane-Esther, only daughter of James Whyte, esq.* of Newmains, and had issue,
JOHN-REGINALD.
Elizabeth-Constantia.
Janet-Whinfield.

Mr. Howison-Craufurd, a magistrate and deputy-lieutenant in Ayrshire, succeeded his mother, in 1823, who got possession of the estates of John Walkinshaw Craufurd, under a decree of the House of Lords, in 1806.

* By his wife, FATHER CRAUFURD, a descendant of the family of Craufurdland.
CAMPBELL, OF CESNOCK AND TREESBANK.

CAMPBELL, GEORGE-JAMES, esq. of Treesbank, in the county of Ayr, b. in July, 1800, m. first, in December, 1822, Elizabeth M'Kerel, only child of Colonel John Reid, of the East India Company's service (by Elizabeth M'Kerel, daughter of John M'Kerel, of Hillhouse), by whom (who died in 1826) he has two surviving daughters. He espoused, secondly, in August, 1829, Miss C. J. Jones, second daughter of the late Major Jones, of the 25th Light Dragoons, and has a son, GEORGE-JAMES, and a daughter.

Mr. Campbell, who is a justice of the peace and a deputy-lieutenant in Ayrshire, succeeded his father in November, 1815. He is chief of the Campbells of Cesnock and of Loudoun.

Lineage.

This family, now the senior male branch of the Campbells of Loudoun, was founded by GEORGE CAMPBELL, the seventh Laird of Loudon's second son,

CAMPBELL of Cesnock, who m. the Lady Janet Montgomerie, seventh daughter of Hugh, first Earl of Eglinton, and, by the Records of Parliament, that nobleman becomes surety on the 7th November, 1513, for his said daughter, Janet, Lady Cesnock. This first Laird of Cesnock was s. by (it is presumed) his son,

JOHN CAMPBELL, of Cesnock, who espoused in 1633, Janet, third daughter of Sir Hugh Campbell, of Loudoun, and was s. by his son,

GEORGE CAMPBELL, of Cesnock, who died in 1675, and was s. by his son,

GEORGE CAMPBELL, of Cesnock, served heir to his father on the 16th October in that year in the £42 lands of Cesnock and Galston, of old extent, which in the computation of those times was a considerable property. There is also a crown charter, dated 6th February, 1597, in favour of George Campbell, of Cesnock, and Agnea Cunningham, his wife, a lady of the Carrington family. In a charter of entail made by Hugh, Lord Loudoun, dated 3rd December, 1613, (on the occasion of the death of his only son, George, Master of Loudoun, who died in the preceding year) setting his estates on his next heirs male, this George Campbell, of Cesnock, is first mentioned, and thus appears to have been the nearest male heir of the family. But Lord Loudoun, soon after the marriage of his elder grand-daughter, Margaret, with Sir John Campbell, of Lawers, altered this disposition of his property, and by two charters passed in 1620, conveyed the greater part of the Loudoun estates to Margaret and her husband, and the heirs of their marriage. Sir John Campbell, of Lawers, was afterwards (1633) created Earl of Loudoun. On the 11th July, 1618, George Campbell, of Cesnock, obtained another charter from the Crown, conveying Cesnock and Galston to himself in life rent, and to his only son, Hugh Campbell, and his heirs in fee, subject to a life rent annuity to Anna Ker, of Kersland, whom he married after the death of his first wife, and by whom he had a daughter, Sarah, the wife of Mungo Farquhar, of Littleshaw. He was s. at his decease by his son,

SIR HUGH CAMPBELL, of Cesnock, who was served heir to his father on the 27th May, 1630, in the £20 land, old extent, of Cesnock, the eighth part of the muir of Galston, and the fourth part of the muir of Cesnock; and had soon afterward the honor of knighthood conferred upon him.

Lawers, and at the decease of her grand- father became BARONESS LOUDOUN.

ELIZABETH, m. to Sir Hugh Campbell, of Cesnock.

Burke's Peerage and Baronetage.
He m. Elizabeth Campbell, the younger daughter and coheir of George, Master of Loudoun, and thus acquired considerable estates, part of the family lands of Loudoun. On the 20th March 1649, Sir Hugh obtained a charter from the crown of the barony of Riccarton, part of the estate of Loudoun; and in February, 1652, of the lands of Wester Loudoun, or Stevenston, which about that time began to be alienated from the Campbells of Ducashall, a branch of the Loudoun family, who were provisional heirs to that family in the entail of 1618. By the coheir of Loudoun, Sir Hugh Campbell had four sons, viz.

i. George (Sir), his heir, who during the persecution of the Presbyterians, after the Restoration of Charles II. suffered severely with his father, Sir Hugh Campbell. In 1685, after having endured a long imprisonment, they were both condemned of accession to the Rye-house plot, and attainted, under which their estates became forfeited, but were restored by act of parliament, after the revolution (in 1690) to Sir George, in which year he was appointed Lord Justice Clerk, and one of the Lords of Session. He m. in 1666, Mrs. Anna M’Mouran, heiress of an estate in Fife, and had three daughters, Mary, m. to William Gordon, of Earlston, but had no issue.

Margaret, m. in 1697 to Sir Alexander Hume.

Christian, m. to Doctor Francis Pringle.

Sir George Campbell died about the time his daughter married Sir Alexander Hume, who was soon afterward styled, Sir Alexander Hume-Campbell,* of Cesnock. This gentleman on the death of his father in 1724 (his elder brother, Lord Polworth, having died s. p.) became second Earl of Marchmont. His lordship, by the heiress of Cesnock, had (with three daughters, who d. issueless), George, Lord Polworth, who d. unmarried in 1724, aged 21.

Patrick, who died in the same year.

Hugh, who succeeded his father in 1740, as third Earl of Marchmont, and alienated the ancient seat of the Campbells, Cesnock, concentrating his whole property in Berwickshire. He married twice, and had several children, but only one daughter, the Lady Diana Scott, wife of Hugh Scott, of Harden, to leave issue. His lordship’s son, by his second wife,

Alexander, Lord Polworth, was created a British Peer as Lord Hume of Berwick. He m. Lady Amabel York (afterward Countess of Grey), and died s. p. See Burke’s Peerage, Earl de Grey.

The earl died in 1781, having survived his son, when his honors became extinct.

Alexander, Lord Registrar of Scotland, who m. Miss Pettis, and d. s. p. in 1793.

Anne m. to Sir William Purves, bart. of Purves Hall, in Berwickshire, and was grandmother of the present Sir William Purves-Hume-Campbell, bart.

ii. James, of Treesbank. (See that family.)

iii. Hugh, of Barquharrie. (See that family).*

iv. John, from whom the Campbells of Fairfield.

Sir Hugh Campbell was member for the county of Ayr in the parliament which assembled in 1639 and 1641, and where King Charles I. attended personally. He was of the Presbyterian party, but opposed the establishment of the Commonwealth in Scotland; and represented Ayrshire again in the parliament of 1649 and 1650, where Charles II. appeared in person. In 1649, he was appointed by parliament Lord Justice Clerk, and one of the Lords of Session, both which high offices he declined accepting. At the Restoration in 1660, Sir Hugh took no active part in public affairs; but being a Presbyterian, and a man of large fortune, himself and his family became objects of persecution in the subsequent troubles that agitated Scotland. After being fined to a large amount three years before, Sir Hugh Campbell was seized in 1666, with several gentlemen of the West Country,

* He was the second son of Sir Patrick Hume of Polworth, the great friend of Sir Hugh Campbell, and who had himself suffered many hardships in the persecutions that preceded the Revolution; but in reward for his signal services, had been, in 1696, constituted Lord High Chancellor of Scotland, and created the next year Earl of Marchmont.

* In the descent of the Campbells of Barquharrie, p. 158, Sommers is erroneously printed Somber, and Cesnock, in two instances, Crossock.
and thrown into the castle of Edinburgh, where he remained a prisoner for two years, and then was not liberated before he granted a bond to keep the peace. In 1683 he was imprisoned again, with his eldest son, Sir George. The next year he was tried for treason, under the pretext of accession to the rising at Bothwell, and defended by his friend, Sir Patrick Hume, of Polworth (afterwards Earl of Marchmont) when he was honourably acquitted. Notwithstanding which himself and his son were detained in prison, accused in the following year (1685) of accession to the Rye House Plot, and brought in guilty. An attainer followed, by which the estates of Sir Hugh Campbell, and his son Sir George, were forfeited and annexed to the crown, while they were themselves ordered to be confined in the Isle of Bass. In 1686 these estates were conferred by statute on James Drummond, Viscount Melfort, one of the cabinet, who had contrived and obtained the attainer. Sir Hugh did not long survive this last act of oppression. Being removed, on account of his infirmities, from Bass to Edinburgh, he died there on the 20th September, 1686, as recorded in an old memorandum-book, in the possession of a descendant, thus:—"Monday, September 20, 1686.—Sir Hugh Campbell died this day in his son Hugh's chambers, in Edinburgh, of seven days sickness, which he contracted on the Monday night previous. He was buried by torchlight, at six o'clock on the Thursday following, in the Greyfriars church-yard, aged 71 years, in March, 1686. Note.—I understand that Sir Hugh Campbell's death was occasioned by his being at that time, in consequence of some false information, taken to the Canongate jail, which brought on bad health and killed him." The estates, as stated above, were restored after the Revolution to Sir Hugh's eldest son, Sir George, whose line we have traced in its proper place to a termination. The second son,

James Campbell, marrying Jean, daughter of Sir William Mure of Rowallan, his father, Sir Hugh, by the marriage contract, dated 16th December, 1672, made over to him and the heirs of the marriage, the estate of Treesbank, part of the barony of Riccarton. Of this marriage there were one son and two daughters, namely,

George, successor to his father.

Anne, m. to—Cunninghame, and had a son, George Augustus Cunninghame, a surgeon in the army.

Mary, died at an advanced age in 1752, unm.

Mr. Campbell, who became male representative and co-heir of the house of Cesnock, at the decease of his brother Sir George, died after 1730 (he was then upwards of ninety years of age), and was succeeded by his son,

George Campbell, esq. of Treesbank, who m. in 1708, Anne, youngest daughter of David Boswell, of Auchinleck (sister of Margaret Boswell, the wife of his uncle, Captain Hugh Campbell, of Burghbarrie), by whom he had issue,

James, his heir.

John, minister of Riccarton, d. unm.

Anne, d. unm.

Jean, m. in 1746, to the Rev. George Reid, of Barwharrie, minister of Ochiltree, and had issue.

He was s. by his elder son,

James Campbell, esq. of Treesbank, and chief of the Campbells of Cesnock. This gentleman m. first, in 1763, Helen, second daughter of Andrew M'Creddie, esq. of Pierceton, by whom he had an only child, Jean, who m. in 1787, Robert Reid, esq. of Adamton, and died in August, 1789, leaving a daughter, Helen, who d. in April, 1790. The laird wedded secondly, in 1768, Mary, second daughter of David Montgomery, of Lainshaw (by his wife Veronica, daughter of James Boswell, of Auchinleck), and had two sons,

George-James, his successor.

David, a colonel in the army.

He d. in 1776, and was s. by his elder son, George-James Campbell, esq. of Treesbank, who wedded, in 1797, his cousin, Elizabeth Montgomery Beaumont, only daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Montgomery, heiress of Lainshaw, and sister of Sir James Montgomery Cunninghame, bart. of Corse Hill, by whom he had issue,

George-James, his heir.

John.

David.

Jane-Maxwell.

Elizabeth-Montgomery.

Mary.

Anne.

The laird died in November, 1815, and was s. by his eldest son, the present George James Campbell, esq. of Treesbank, chief of the house of Cesnock, and male-representative of the Campbells of Loudoun.

Arms—Giryon of eight, or and sa. for Argyll; within a bordure gules, charged, with eight escutcheons of the first; and a canton, also giryon of eight, ermines and gules, for Loudoun.

Crest—A phœnix head erased, or.

Motto—Constantier et prudenter.

Estates—In the parishes of Riccarton and Craighie, in the bailliary of Kyle, and county of Ayr, granted by Sir Hugh Campbell, of Cesnock, to James, his second son, first of Treesbank.

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of Barra, factor and chamberlain for the management of the estate, subject to the control of Lord Hay, of Yester, and Sir James Bannatyne (see a curious memorandum of the 21st September, 1649, given by John on his leaving Scotland). At this period civil commotions distracted Scotland, and the contributions levied for the numerous garrisons were severely felt by the then Newton; who was subjected to the payment of sums of money for the garrisons of Leith and Tamptatton, and obliged to supply that of the castle of Bothans with money, bread, drink, and mutton, and also hay, corn, and straw, for the horses, beside having a number of troops quartered on the barony. This laird dying without issue, was buried by torch-light within the old church of Bothans, and succeeded by his uncle.

**John Newton**, of Newton, who married a Dutch lady named Cecilia Vandertail, by whom he acquired a considerable fortune, and had two sons and two daughters, viz. Richard, James, Margaret, and Cornelia. After John's succession he remained in the Dutch service, and seldom visited Scotland. He did not neglect his interests at home, for shortly after his nephew's death, he appointed Alexander Ogilvy his factor, with the most particular orders, and maintained a regular correspondence with Ogilvy in his absence, who appears, in all matters of importance, to be instructed to obtain the counsel and advice of Lord Humber. In this correspondence there is much curious matter, shewing the customs of the age. John Newton built large additions to the house and all the garden walls. At this time the ward or prison was so crowded with culprits, that on an application from Lord Hay of Yester's tenants for liberty to work limestone, Ogilvy thus recommends the mode of giving them a supply by a letter to the laird of Newton: "I hear great murmurings amongst the Lord Hay's tenants for lymestone, and your own complaines sare for them also, if ye pleas let the prison dor be opened, and let them have some of the prisoners for a ransom, ye may do as ye think gude." In 1656, Newton came over to Scotland for the purpose of settling divers matters with Ogilvy, and he procured a passport, dated 21st August in the same year, from the famous General Monk. He d. in 1658, and was s. by his son,

**Richard Newton**, of Newton, who being educated under the eye of his father, inherited his feelings and prejudices, particularly in regard to a due observance of the rights of his barony (see Minutes of the Baron Court, which are truly ridiculous and very curious). This court had been held from time immemorial within the town of Newton, called Long-Newton, (from the strag-
two officers were selected, who should take different routes, to apprise Sir Henry of
the perilous position of the British forces. Captain Scott, who was well known as an
excellent pedestrian, was chosen as one of the envoys, and accomplished his journey
with great address and courage. In 1788, he returned to Europe; in 1791, served,
during the Spanish armament, with a detachment of the 53rd regiment, for six
months on board his majesty's ship Hannibal, commanded by Sir John Colpoys, and
proceeding, in 1793, to the continent with Sir Ralph Abercromby, assisted at the
sieges of Valenciennes and Dunkirk, and in the attack in which the Austrian General
D'Alton was killed. He was also at the siege of Niewport, and received the commis-
sion of major for his exertions in its defence.

During the three days that Prince William of Gloucester commanded the brigade,
which consisted of the 14th, 37th, and 53rd regiments, Major Scott was attached to
the staff of his royal highness, was present at the attack of the village of Freumont,
and participated in the action of the 24th May, being wounded that day in the inside
of the right thigh by a musket ball. In 1794, he was appointed lieutenant-colonel of
one of the battalions of the 94th, and in the following year proceeded with it to
Gibraltar, and in 1796 to the Cape of Good Hope. He served the whole of the cam-
paign of 1799, in the Mysore country, and was at the capture of Seringapatam. In
1800, Colonel Scott, in consequence of ill health, deemed it expedient to return to
Europe, and left Hindostan. The Indianman, however, in which he was a passenger,
being boarded and taken by a French privateer, in the British Channel, close to the
Isle of Wight, Colonel Scott was detained some weeks at Cherbourg until exchanged,
in consequence of an application to the French government by the desire of the Duke
of York. In 1801, he was appointed colonel by brevet; in 1802, inspecting field
officer of the Edinburgh recruiting district; in 1803, deputy inspector-general of the
recruiting service in North Britain; in 1804, brigadier-general; in 1808, major-
general on the staff; and, in 1813, lieutenant-general. It is a remarkable circum-
stance in the history of General Scott's life, that from the time he was appointed
designed to his promotion to the rank of general, a period of no less than fifty-two
years, he had served without ever being on half pay or unemployed. Since his retire-
ment from his staff appointment, the general has chiefly resided at Malleny, where,
after a long and severe military career, he enjoys a well-earned repose, alike distin-
guished for his benevolence, hospitality, and kindness to his tenants.

Lineage.

James Scott of Bucalough, appears to have separated from the parent stock during its residence in Lanarkshire. The first of the family that settled in Midlothian was

James Scott, of Scotsloch, who lived in the reigns of Queen Mary and James VI.
He was father of

Lawrence Scott, of Clerkington, a distinguished person in the time of Charles I. who was appointed clerk to the privy coun-
cili, and one of the principal clerks of session. From several charters under the great seal, it appears that his possessions were extensive in Edinburghshire. He m. Elizabeth, daughter of Hop Pringle, of Torsance, and had, with two daughters, one m. to Lander, of Hatton, and the other to Houston, three sons, viz.

William, his heir.
James, who received from his father the lands of Bonnytoun, in West Lothian.

Laurence, ancestor of the Scotts of Bavelaw.

The eldest son,
Sir William Scott, of Clerkington, received the honor of knighthood from Charles I. and was appointed in 1642, one
of the senators of the college of justice. He married first, a daughter of Morrison, of Preston Grange, and had a son, Lau-
rence, his heir. He married secondly, Barbara, daughter of Sir John Dalmaho, of that Ilk, and had by her, three sons and
druthers, viz.

1. John, successor to his brother.
2. James, of Scotsloch.
4. Barbara, m. first, to a son of Stewart, of Blackhall; and secondly, to Sir William Drummond, of Hathorend.
5. Agnes, m. to Sir John Home, of Renton.
6. ———, m. to Ogilvie, of Muckle, in Angus.
married Marjory, daughter of John Hamilton, of Orbiston, great-grandson of Gavin Hamilton, fourth son of Sir James Hamilton, Lord of Cadzow. By her he had two sons,

1. James.
2. George, ancestor of the family of Dundas of Manor.

The elder son,

James Dundas, of Duddingston, married Isabella, daughter of William Maule, son of Thomas Maule, of Panmure, and uncle of Patrick, first Earl of Panmure, by Bethia Guthrie, daughter of Alexander Guthrie, of the family of Guthrie of Guthrie, by Janet, daughter of Henderson of Fordell. By her he had,

1. George, b. in 1612.
2. William.

Duddingston was s. by his son,

George Dundas, of Duddingston, a parliamentarian in the civil wars temp. Charles I. and one of the committee of estates in 1649. In 1636, he married Catherine Moneypenny, daughter of John Moneypenny, of Pitmilly, an ancient family still existing in great respectability, which had for its cadets the Lords Moneypenny, and the Seigneurs de Congressault in France. Catherine's mother was Susannah Colville, daughter of Sir A. Colville, commendator of Culross, by Nicolas, daughter of Dundas of Fingask, by a daughter of Bruce of Clackmannan. George Dundas died in 1684, and his wife, Catherine Moneypenny, in 1694. They had twelve children, of whom, John, the eldest surviving son, born in 1641, succeeded his father, and became

John Dundas, of Duddingston. He married, in 1670, Anne, daughter of Sir David Carmichael, of Balmedie, descended from the ancient family of Carmichael of Carmichael, by the Hon. Anne Carmichael, daughter to James, first Lord Carmichael, and aunt to the first Earl of Hyndford. By her, who died in 1711, he had eight sons and four daughters, of whom

1. George, succeeded him.
2. David, b. in 1673, was called to the bar; he died unm.
3. John, of Newhalls, b. in 1682. m. Christian, daughter of David Mure, of Blackhorn, and had a son, David, of Newhalls.

1. Anna, b. in 1677, m. to Moncrieff of Rhynd, and d. in 1723.
2. Isabella, b. in 1680, m. to Binning of Wallingford, and d. in 1724.

The eldest son,

George Dundas, of Duddingston, married Magdalene Lindsay-Craufurd, daughter of Patrick Lindsay-Craufurd, of Kilbirney, granddaughter of John Lindsay, fifteenth Earl Craufurd and first Earl of Lindsay, niece to James and William, Dukes of Hamilton, sister to John Lindsay-Craufurd, Viscount Garnock, and to Margaret, Countess of Glasgow. By this lady he had, among other children, who left no issue,

John, his heir.

Agnes, wife of Gabriel Hamilton, of Westburn, a cadet of Hamilton of Torrance, and eventual inheritor of the estates.

The son and successor,

John Dundas, of Duddingston, married Lady Margaret Hope, daughter to Charles, Earl of Hopetoun, by Lady Henrietta Johnstone, daughter of William, Marquis of Annandale. They had no issue; and on the death of John Dundas, the Duddingston estates passed for a few years to the heir male, David Dundas, of Newhalls, son of John, younger son of John Dundas, of Duddingston; but on his death they reverted to the daughter of George Dundas and Magdalene Lindsay-Craufurd,

Agnes Dundas, of Duddingston, who m. Gabriel Hamilton, of Westburn, and had issue,

2. James (Sir), of Cadzow, ancestor to the ducal house of Hamilton.
4. Thomas, of Darnagaber.

The third son,

Thomas Hamilton, of Darnagaber, married Helen, daughter of Sir Henry Douglas, of Lochleven, and had James, ancestor of the Hamiltons of Raploch, represented by Hamilton of Barns, and

Thomas Hamilton, who m. the heiress of Torrance of Torrance, and was ancestor of the Hamiltons of Torrance, Westburn, Aitkenhead, and various other families. A cadet of the family of Torrance,

Andrew Hamilton, of Westburn, whose name occurs in a deed under the privy seal in 1604, was father of

Gabriel Hamilton, of Westburn, who lived during the persecution of Cromwell, and the reign of Charles II. In 1648, he was one of the committee of war for the county of Lanark, and joining, after the restoration, the covenanters, had to endure severe pecuniary penalties. He m. Margaret, daughter of Cunningham of Gilbert.
PURVIS, OF DARSHAM,

PURVIS, CHARLES, esq. of Darsham, in Suffolk, b. there 19th February, 1777, m. at Marylebone Church, 12th Feb. 1805, Margaret-Eleanor, daughter and co-heir of John Randall, esq. and has had issue,

i. Charles, b. at York, 4th February, 1806, died at Dundalk, in Ireland, 19th May, 1808.

ii. William-Wheatley, born at Dundalk 25th March, 1808, d. at Colchester in 1815.

iii. Henry-Tilliard, b. in London 29th April, 1810, d. at Richmond in 1818.

iv. Arthur, born at Brighton 25th April, 1813, in the civil service of the East India Company.

v. Frederick, born at Colchester 14th August, 1815.

vi. George-John, born at Ipswich, 4th July, 1816, in the military service of the East India Company.


This gentleman, who was formerly lieutenant-colonel of the Royal Dragoons, succeeded his father in 1808.

Lineage.

WILLIAM PURVES, of Abbey Hill, near Edinburgh, living in the beginning of the seventeenth century, was father of

ROBERT PURVES, of Abbey Hill, burgess of Edinburgh, who wedded Anne Douglas, and left at his decease in 1655, with a daughter, Sybilla, a son and successor,

WILLIAM PURVES, of Abbey Hill, who was bred to the Scottish bar. Before the usurpation he held an office in the Court of Session, and was one of the clerks to the committee of parliament; but taking an active part in favour of King Charles during the civil wars, suffered severely both in person and estate. For several years he was compelled to conceal himself, and in 1656, when peace was restored under the Protector, he accepted, through necessity, a small office in the Exchequer. In this situation, although he never swerved from his fidelity as a public officer, he availed himself of the opportunity he had of rendering service to the persecuted royalists. After the Restoration, he was appointed solicitor-general for Scotland, knighted, and eventually, in 1666, created a BARONET. Sir William married Marjory, daughter of Robert Fleming, of Restalrig, and had four sons, viz.

1. ALEXANDER (Sir), second baronet, appointed his father's successor as solicitor-general for Scotland. He was grandfather of

SIR WILLIAM PURVES, fourth baronet, who m. Lady Anne Hume-Campbell, eldest daughter of Alexander, second Earl of Marchmont, and left a son and successor,

SIR ALEXANDER PURVES, fifth baronet, father of the present

SIR WILLIAM PURVES-HUME-CAMPBELL, sixth baronet, who assumed his additional surnames upon inheriting the estates of his maternal family.

ii. John, of Abbey Hill.

iii. JAMES, of Purves Vale, of whom presently.

1. Anne, m. to Charles, Earl of Home.

ii. Margery, m. to Sir Mungo Stirling of Glolat.

iii. Rosina, m. to Dean, of Woodhouse.

The third son,
**JAMES PURVES, esq. of Purves Vale, died in Scotland, leaving by his wife, a daughter of Pringle of Torsonce, six sons, one of whom is supposed to have been.**

**GEORGE PURVIS, esq. who settled in England, and became a captain in the royal navy.** He m. at Stepney, 18th September, 1679, Margaret Berry, and by her, who was buried at Darsham 16th March, 1717, had issue,

1. **GEORGE,** his heir.

11. **William,** b. 8th February, 1689, who m. Susan Hedges, and had three daughters, viz.

Susan, m. to — Thompson, esq. and d. s. p.

Sarah, m. in 1731, at Darsham, to George Bogal, and had a daughter, m. to — Johnson.

Mary, m. to — Gregory, and had a daughter, Sarah.

111. **Dakins.**

11. **Elizabeth,** b. 25th March, 1688.

11. **Betty,** b. 18th July, 1688, m. to Benjamin Taylor, of Theberton, Suffolk.

111. Margaret, b. 6th March, 1693-4, m. first to Thomas Wye, and secondly to John Smith. She d. 28th November, 1761.

Captain Purvis d. in 1715, was buried 6th April at Darsham, and succeeded by his son.

**GEORGE PURVIS, esq. of Darsham, in Suffolk,** b. 27th July, 1680, who was comptroller of the navy in 1735, and M.P. for Aldeburgh in 1732 and 1734. He m. Elizabeth Allen, and by her, who died at Walthamstow 1st June, 1738, had three sons and one daughter, namely,

1. **CHARLES-WAGNER,** his heir.

11. **George,** b. 25th November, 1718, secretary to the Sick and Wounded Office in 1747, m. 15th May, 1742, Mary Oadam, and had issue,

1. Richard, b. at Stepney, 26th August, 1743, captain in the royal navy, m. 3rd January, 1779, Lucy, daughter of the Rev. John Leman, of Wenhamstow, and died at Beccles, in Suffolk, in May, 1802, having had Richard-Oadam, b. 18th February, 1785, lieutenant in the royal navy, died at Port Royal, Jamaica, in 1805, John-Leman, b. 1st March, 1786, lieutenant in the East India Company’s service, died at Rangoon 8th March, 1805.

George-Thomasi, b. 7th November, 1789, died young.

**Barrington,** b. 21st March, 1792, captain in the royal navy, m. at Lawshall, 11th September, 1820, Amy-Leah, eldest daughter of the Rev. Dr. Colville, rector of Lawshall, and dying in London, 4th April, 1832, left a daughter.

Mary, died an infant.

Lucy-Anna, m. first, to Captain Duddingston; secondly, to — Duddingston, esq.; and thirdly, to Captain Kidd.

2. **John-Child,** admiral in the royal navy, b. 18th March, 1746, m. first, 11th October, 1784, Catharine Sowers, and by her, who died 3rd February, 1789, had two sons and one daughter, John-Brett, b. 12th August, 1787, captain in the royal navy at eighteen, who m. Renira-Charlotte, daughter of George Purvis, esq.


Catharine.

Admiral Purvis wedded, secondly, Miss Mary Garrett; and thirdly, 2nd August, 1804, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Archibald Dickson, bart., and widow of Lieutenant William Dickson.

3. **George, R.N.** m. at Titchfield, 6th July, 1791, Renira-Charlotte Maitland, and had issue,

George-Thomas-Maitland, b. 10th June, 1802, who married and had a daughter.

Renira-Charlotte, m. to her cousin Captain John-Brett Purvis.

Emma, died in infancy.

Georgiana, m. in 1826, to the Rev. Charles Edward Twyford, rector of Trotton, in Sussex.

1. Mary-Oadam, died unmarried in 1812.

2. Elizabeth, m. first, to Benjamin Good, esq.; and secondly, to Andrew Long, esq. and d. s. p. in 1772.

3. **Lissey-Anna,** died young in 1758.
PURVIS, OF DARSHAM.


iii. Harvey, died in the West Indies, 2nd February, 1740.

i. Martha, m. to Thomas Pearce, esq. and had a son, Colonel Thomas Deane Pearce, of the East India Company’s service, who d. in 1789.

George Purvis died at Ixington, 6th March, 1740, and was s. by his son.

CHARLES-WAGER PURVIS, esq. of Darsham, rear-admiral in the royal navy, born 6th June, 1715, who m. at Queen Square Chapel, Westminster, 3rd November, 1741, Amy Godfrey, niece of Dr. Mawson, Bishop of Ely, and by her, who died at Yoxford, 21st December, 1777, had

1. Charles, his heir.

ii. Thomas, in holy orders, rector of Melton, in Suffolk, b. at Darsham, 29th October, 1756, m. in November, 1773, Latitia-Anne-Philippa, daughter of the Rev. John Leman, of Wenhas ton, and dying in 1786 left issue,

Amy-Letitia, m. 13th September, 1794, to the Rev. Nathaniel Colevile.

Elizabeth-Maria, m. to the Rev. John Ewen, of Reydon, Suffolk.

Anna, d. unm. in 1801.

iii. William, b. 1st October, 1757, who m. at Bath, 13th April, 1789, Harriet-Susan, daughter and heiress of Samuel Eyre, esq. of Newhouse, Wilts, and assumed in consequence the surname and arms of Eyre. He died at Bath in 1810, leaving four daughters, viz.

Harriet Eyre, b. at Tiverton, in Somersetshire, m. in 1817, to George Matcham, esq. D.C.L.

Eliza-Purvis Eyre, b. at Downton, Wilts.

Charlotte-Louisa Eyre, born at Downton, Wilts.

Julia-Purvis Eyre.

1. Elizabeth, b. in London, 10th August, 1746, died the December following.

ii. Amy, died an infant.

iii. Elizabeth, m. to Joseph Battin, esq. and d. at Bath in 1820.

iv. Henrietta-Maria, d. unm. 27th February, 1769.

Admiral Purvis died in Kensington Square, 15th January, 1772, was buried at Darsham, and s. by his son,

CHARLES PURVIS, esq. of Darsham, born 1st July, 1743, in the commission of the peace for Suffolk, and high sheriff for that county in 1794. He wedded at St. George the Martyr, 27th January, 1774, Elizabeth, daughter of Edward Holden Gruttenden, esq. and by her, who died at Bath 25th March, 1816, had two sons and two daughters, viz.

1. Charles, his heir.

ii. Edward, b. at Darsham, 21st April, 1789, formerly a military officer, now residing at Reading, Berks. He m. 23rd July, 1817, Letitia-Elizabeth, daughter and heir of the Rev. John Mulso, of Twywell, in Northamptonshire, and has issue,

1. Edward-Mulso.

1. Caroline-Elizabeth.

2. Jane-Lauretta.

3. Eleanor-Sophia.

4. Amelia.

5. Marcelia.

6. Mary.

1. Elizabeth, m. 8th July, 1817, to the Rev. Edward Ravenshaw, rector of West Kington, Wilts.

ii. Sarah-Anne, died at Bath 12th July, 1797.

Mr. Purvis died at Bath 10th December, 1808, was buried at Darsham, and succeeded by his son, the present CHARLES PURVIS, esq. of Darsham.

Arms—Az. on a fess arg. between three masoques or, as many cinquefoils of the field.

Crest—The sun in splendour, rising from clouds, all ppr.; over it, “Clarior e tenebris.”

Estates—In the parishes of Yoxford and Westleton, Suffolk.

Seat—Darsham House, near Yoxford.
Francis, a merchant in India.

Jean.

Helen, m. to George Brown, esq. of Iliston.

Anne.

His fourth wife was Anne, eldest daughter of Henry Ker, esq. of Frogden, without issue. He d. in 1746, and was s. by his elder son,

WALTER SCOTT, esq. tenth Laird of Harden, M.P. for the county of Roxburgh from 1746 to 1765, when he was appointed receiver and cashier of excise in Scotland. He m. Lady Diana Hume, daughter of Hugh, third Earl of Marchmont, and left at his decease in January, 1793, an only son, the present SCOTT, OF HARDEN, twenty-first from UCHTRED FITZ SCOTT, in the lineal male descent. HARDEN is also entitled to the name of HEPBURN, as proprietor of the estate of Humble, to which he succeeded as heir of entail of the issue of HELEN HEPBURN, who m. his grand uncle, WALTER SCOTT, EARL OF TARRAS.

Arms—Or, two mullets in chief and a crescent in base arg.

Crest—A lady richly attired, holding in her right hand the sun and in the left a half moon.

Supporters—Two mermaids ppr. holding mirrors.

Mottoes—For SCOTT, Reaparit cornua Phoebe: for HEPBURN, Keep.

Estates—Mertoun, in Berwickshire; Harden, in Roxburghshire; Oakwood, in Selkirk; Humble, in East Lothian. The last inherited by the present Mr. Scott, as heir of entail of the “Hepburns of Humble.”

Town Residence—John Street, Berkeley Square.

Seat—Mertoun, in the county of Berwick.

SCOTT, OF RAEBURN.

SCOTT, WALTER, esq. of Raeburn, in the shire of Selkirk, espoused, in 1772, Jean, third daughter of Robert Scott, of Sandyknow, by Barbara, his wife, second daughter of Thomas Hali- burton, of Newmains, and had issue,

WILLIAM, m. Susan, eldest daughter of Alexander Horsbrough, esq. of that Ilk, by Violet, his wife, daughter of Thomas Turnbull, and has issue.

Robert, of Prince of Wales Island, East Indies.

Hugh, late a captain in the East India Company’s Shipping Service, who m. Sarah, only daughter of William Jessop, esq. of Butterby Hall, in the county of Derby.

Walter, who died unmarried.

John, major in the 8th Native Bengal Infantry.

Barbara.

Mr. Scott succeeded to the estates upon the demise of his father.

Lineage.

This is a branch of the house of Harden, immortalized by giving birth to the AUTHOR OF WAVERLEY.

SIR WILLIAM SCOTT, third Laird of Harden, living temp. JAMES VI. m. Agnes, dau. of Sir Gideon Murray, of Kibbark, treasurer-depute of Scotland, had, with other issue.

GIDEON (Sir), ancestor of the present house of Harden.

And,

WALTER SCOTT, (third son), who is instructed, by a charter under the great seal, “Domino Williamo Scott de Harden, militi et Walter Scott suo filio legitimo tertio genito terrarum de Robertw, &c.” in Selkirk, dated 16th December, 1627. He m. Ann Isobel, daughter of William Macdougall, of Makerston, by Margaret, daughter of Walter Scott, of Harden, and had two sons and two daughters, viz.

WILLIAM, his heir.
issue; and, secondly, Catherine, daughter of Sir George Mathew, knt. of Radir, high sheriff for Glamorganshire in 1646. By this lady (who wedded, secondly, Sir Rowland Morgan, knt.) he left a son and successor,

Sir Edward Lewis, knt. of the Van, who m. Blanch, daughter of Thomas Morgan, esq. of Machen, and had four sons, viz.

1. Edward (Sir), of the Van, who m. Anne, daughter of the Earl of Dorset, and widow of Lord Beauchamp, by whom he had a son, Richard Lewis, of the Van, father of

William Lewis, of the Van, who died in 1691, leaving a son and successor,

Thomas Lewis, of the Van, whose only daughter and heiress, Elizabeth, m. Other, third Earl of Plymouth, who died in 1732.

ii. William (Sir), knt.

iii. Nicholas.

iv. Thomas (Sir), of whom presently.

The youngest son,

Sir Thomas Lewis, knt. of Llanishen, espoused the daughter of Edmund Thomas, esq. of Wenys, and was father of

Gabriel Lewis, esq. of Llanishen, sheriff in 1614, who m. Elizabeth, daughter of William Carne, esq. of Nash, and left a son and successor,

Thomas Lewis, esq. of Llanishen, sheriff in 1629. This gentleman m. the daughter of Thomas Johns, of Abergavenny, and was s. by his son,

Gabriel Lewis, esq. of Llanishen, sheriff in 1662, who m. Grace, daughter of Humphrey Wyndham, and was father of

Thomas Lewis, esq. of Llanishen, who served the office of sheriff in 1653. He m. first, Elizabeth Van, by whom he had a son,

Gabriel, sheriff in 1715, father of

Thomas, sheriff in 1745, who left one son, Wyndham, b. in 1752, and two daughters, Elizabeth and Blanch.

Thomas Lewis wedded, secondly, Elizabeth Morgan, and had, with a daughter, Grace, a son,

Thomas Lewis, esq. who married and had (with another son, William, of Greenmeadow, who died issueless)

The Rev. Wyndham Lewis, who wedded Mary, daughter of Samuel Price, esq. of Park, and Coytty, in the county of Glamorgan, and had the present Wyndham Lewis, esq. M. P. besides three other sons and two daughters, viz. Thomas (who m. Dorothy-Augusta Goodrich, and died leaving a son, John, and a daughter, m. to — Langley, esq.); Henry (who m. Mary Emerson, and has issue); William; Mary-Anne, m. to Richard-Rice Williams, esq.; and Catherine, m. to Thomas Williams, esq.

Arms—Sa. a lion rampant arg.

Crest—A lion sejant arg.

Motto—Patria fedus.

Estates—in the counties of Glamorgan, Monmouth, Gloucester, and Somerset.

Town Residence—Grosvenor Gate, Park Lane.

Seat—Greenmeadow, near Cardiff.

HUME, OF HUMEWOOD.

Hume, William-Wentworth-Fitzwilliam, esq. of Humewood, in the county of Wicklow, b. 28th October, 1805; m. 8th June, 1829, Margaret-Brice, eldest daughter of Robert Chalonor, esq. of Gisboro', in Yorkshire, by the Hon. Frances-Laura Dundas, his wife, daughter of the late Lord Dundas,* and has issue,

William-Hoare, b. 16th February, 1834.

Charlotte-Anna.

Mr. Hume, who is a magistrate and deputy-lieutenant for the county of Wicklow, succeeded his father in November, 1815.

* By his wife, the Lady Charlotte Fitzwilliam.
HUME, OF HUMEWOOD.

Lineage.

ANDREW HUME, who returned to Scotland and purchased the estate of the Rhodes, near to the lands of his cousin, the first Sir John Hume, of North Berwick. He m. Mosea Seaton, dau. of Seaton, of Barnes, and niece to the Earl of Winton, by whom he had, with a daughter, supposed to have wedded George Hume, of Pinkerton, four sons, viz.

1. ROBERT, his heir.

II. Thomas, who became the confidential favourite of Sir John Preston, Earl of Desmond, and through the influence of that nobleman's daughter, Elizabeth, Duchess of Ormonde, obtained the hand of Miss French, a great heiress, her grace's ward, in marriage. In consequence of which he settled in Ireland, and after the Restoration acquired large tracts of land in the county of Tipperary, under grant from the Crown, dated in February, 1665. In the same year he was presented with the freedom of the city of Dublin in a silver box, and subsequently had the honour of knighthood from the Duke of Ormond, then lord lieutenant of Ireland. Sir Thomas died at an advanced age, 4th July, 1668, as appears from a registry of his death in the office of Arms, Dublin. He had no issue, and some time before his demise, he induced his nephew, Thomas, the eldest son of his elder brother Robert to come from Scotland, under the promise of making him his sole heir. Dying, however, intestate, a considerable portion of his property devolved upon his widow, Lady Anne Hume, who obtained administration, as appears from an entry in the Prerogative Office in Dublin, dated in August, 1668. Her ladyship afterwards compromised with Thomas, the nephew, for a sum of money, and married for her second husband Captain George Mathews, half brother to the old Duke of Ormond, whereby the lands in Tipperary merged in the Landaff estate. Lady Anne survived Captain Mathews, and died in the beginning of March, 1701. By her last will, which was duly registered and proved the 13th of that month, she bequeathed, after some legacies, all the estate, arrears of rent, and of dowry, goods and chattels, to Sir Henry Wemyss and Thomas Hume, by the description of Thomas Hume, nephew of

SIR THOMAS HUME, dominus de eodem, the seventh generation of that ancient family in a direct male line, flourished in the reigns of King ROBERT II. and III. He m. Nichola Peadie, heiress of Dunglass, and had two sons, ALEXANDER (Sir), his successor, ancestor to the EARLS OF HUME, and SIR DAVID HUME, from whom descended ALEXANDER HUME, third BARON OF POLWORTH. This nobleman m. first, Margaret, daughter of Robert, second Lord Crichton, of Sanghart, ancestor of the Earl of Dumfries, and got a charter under the great seal: "Alexandro Hume de Polworth et Margarettae Crichton ejus sponsae terrarum, de Bregamshells, etc." dated 26th July, 1511: by her he had three sons, viz.

1. PATRICK, his heir.
3. GAVIN.

The third son,

GAVIN HUME, afterwards styled "Captain of Tantallon," espoused the cause of Queen MARY, and served as lieutenant under James, Earl of Arran, Duke of Chatelherault. Subsequently, an officer in the Gens d'Armes, he took part in the famous battle of St. Quintins in the year 1557, and his military skill and bravery on that occasion are recorded by many French and other historians: Thouinou, (vol. i. lib. xix. p. 658), giving an account of this engagement, says that "the second breach was given to be defended by Hume, the lieutenant of the Earl of Arran:" and that Colgni, in his Commentaries, attributes to him the chief praise of the military skill displayed on the occasion; in page 659 of the same volume, he mentions that Hume with several other Scotch were taken prisoners. Ide Serres also, in his History of France, Lond. 1611, p. 716, makes mention of the capture of Hume at St. Quintins. Gavin m. a French lady, and had a son and successor,
HUME, OF HUMEWOOD:

Andrew Hume d. in 1594 or 1595, and was s. by his eldest son, 
Robert Hume, who m. Anne, daughter of Dr. Mitchelson, Laird of Brackness, and 
grand-daughter of Sir Bruce Semple, of Cathcart, by whom he had a son, 
Thomas Hume, esq. who succeeded his uncle in Ireland, and purchased the estate of 
Humewood, in the county of Wicklow, which he settled in 1704 on his eldest son; 
dividing his property in the county of Cavan amongst his younger children. He 
marrjed, first, Miss Jane Lauder, of the county of Leitrim; and, secondly, Elizabeth 
Galbraith, widow of Hugh Galbraith, of St. Johnstown, in the county of Fermanagh. 
By the first only he had issue, viz. 

1. William, his heir.
2. George, died young.

Mr. Hume died in 1718, and was s. by his eldest son, 
William Hume, esq. of Humewood, who m. Anna, daughter of John Dennison, esq. of the city of Dublin, and had two sons and four daughters, viz. 

1. George, his heir.
2. Dennison, who died without issue.
3. Isabella.
4. Sarah.
5. Catherine.
6. Margaret.

He died 28th May, 1758, having previously settled, by deed dated 6th December, 1744, his estate on his eldest son, 
George Hume, esq. of Humewood, who married Anna, daughter of Thomas Butler, esq. of Ballymurtagh, in the county of Wicklow, and had five sons and two daughters, viz. 

1. William, his heir.
2. George, d. s. p.
3. Dennison, d. s. p.
4. John La Touch, who married and left issue.
5. Clement, who also married and left issue.
6. Isabella.
7. Anna, who m. Benjamin Wills, esq. of the city of Dublin.

He died August, 1765, and was succeeded by his eldest son, 

William Hume, esq. of Humewood, who represented the county of Wicklow in two successive parliaments, being returned at the general election in 1789, by a considerable majority over his opponent the Hon. John Stratford, afterwards Earl of Alborough; and at the general election of 1796 without opposition. In command of a yeomanry corps Mr. Hume took an active and zealous part in quelling the late Irish rebellion, and was shot by a party of rebels in the Wicklow mountains 8th of October, 1798. He m. Catherine, daughter of Sir Joseph Hoare, bart. M. P. of Annabella, in the county of Cork, and had two sons and four daughters, viz. 

1. William-Hoare, his heir.
2. Joseph-Samuel, who m. Miss Smith, and left issue one son, now settled in America, and three daughters.
3. Catherine, m. — Franks, esq. of Carrig; county of Cork.
5. Jane, m. Hon. and Rev. Maurice Maflon.

The eldest son, 
William-Hoare Hume, esq. of Humewood, was elected in 1799, by a large majority, to fill the vacancy (in the representation of the county) occasioned by the death of his father. His opponent was the Hon. Colonel Howard, brother to Lord Wicklow. Mr. Hume henceforward continued to represent Wicklow in the Irish and Imperial Parliaments until his decease. He wedded Charlotte-Anne, daughter of the late Samuel Dick, esq. of Dublin, and sister to Quintin Dick, esq. M. P. for Maldon, and had issue, viz. 

1. William-Wentworth-Fitzwilliam, his heir.
2. Quintin-Dick, in holy orders.
3. George-Ponsonby, in the army.

Mr. Hume died in November, 1815, and was s. by his eldest son, William-Wentworth-Fitzwilliam Hume, esq. of Humewood.

Arms—Quarterly, 1st and 4th. vert. a lion rampant arg.; 2nd and 3rd. arg. three ravens vert.

Crest—A lion’s head erased arg.

Motto—True to the end.

Estates—In the county of Wicklow.

Seat—Humewood, county of Wicklow.
ness to a deed upon record. About the close of the fifteenth century, it would appear that the Macdowels of Mackerston had attained the height of their grandeur, being then proprietors of a great estate, well allied, and of baronial rank: but on the 26th Feb. 1490, they ceased to possess the baronies in East Lothian, for on that date, Andrew, who, as we have seen, had been put in possession of the fee, alienated these lands to Patrick, Earl of Bothwell, his father-in-law, who afterwards made them over to the Hays of Yester. Andrew Macdowel continued to live down to the 26th August, 1508, as appears by a royal charter upon record, but the time of his death has not been ascertained. The next heir and chief of the family, who can be traced, is

Thomas Macdowel, of Mackerston, who flourished before and after the middle of the sixteenth century. He is mentioned in the acts of parliament in 1545. There is every reason to believe he was the son and heir of Andrew; at least his heir, although it must be admitted, that in no legal authority yet found is he so designed. Still, however, nothing militates against the conceived relationship. He m. Janet, daughter and heir of Walter Scott, of Howfaset, a distinguished family, from whom Lord Napier, the Scots of Thistlestone, and others of note, are descended, and had three sons and a daughter, viz.

James, his heir.
Thomas.
Richard.

Eupheme, contracted, in 1561, in marriage to Robert Lander, son and heir apparent of Robert Lander, of that ilk.

He made his will at Mackerston, 24th April, 1571, wherein he directs his "corps to be buried in the quier of Mackerston;" appoints James Macdowel, and Thomas Macdowell, ("my sons") executors; and Sir John Edmonstone, of that ilk, Gilbert Ker, Andro Ker, son and heir of Gilbert Ker, of Primsidecloch, &c. their overmen, and enjoins Thomas and Richard to remove and give the kirkland of Mackerston "to James, my eldest son, to remain with the house," that is, house or family of Mackerston. This will was confirmed by the commissaries of Edin- burgh, 27th Feb. 1675. The will contains a long and curious list of his effects and move- ables, as well as of his debts. The only lands alluded to are those of Mackerston, and Lagtonlaw, which latter estate he may have acquired with the heiress of Howfaset, but there is no mention of the old family possession of Yetholme, Clifton, or the East Lothian properties. He was s. by his eldest son,

James Macdowel, of Mackerston, who entered into a contract, 10th July, 1572, with Sir John Stuart, of Traequair, relative to the mill of Mackerston, which is witnessed by his brother, Thomas Macdowel. He d. before the 20th Feb. 1585, leaving, with a younger son, James, his successor.

Thomas Macdowel, tenth laird of Macker- ston, who obtained, 20th February, 1585, a ratification of a tack (there said to have been granted, 23rd Oct. 1583, by Francis, Earl of Bothwell, to " Unquhille James Macdowel, of Mackerston, his aeries and assignats, &c. under the description of "Thomas Macdowel, now of Mackerston, some and alre to ye said Unquhille James Macdowall, his fader." He m. Margaret Hume, who survived him. She being declared in a revision, 24th Nov. 1609, " reliet of Unquhille Thomas Macdowall," and dying before 16th December, 1604, left issue,

James, his successor.

William (Sir), of whom present.
Thomas, who, by his wife Prudence, daughter of Henry Fitzwilliam, of Lealinton, Lincolnshire, left an only child,
Barbara, who wedded her cousin, Henry Macdowel, of Mackerston.

George. d. s.p.
Robert, of Lintonlaw, who d. without issue, 12th July, 1659, when his niece, Barbara, was served heir of Conquest in his property.

The eldest son,

James Macdowel, of Mackerston, was served heir in escat of Thomas, his father, 18th Dec. 1694, and on the 23rd October in the same year, was contracted in marriage to Margaret Hailly, eldest daughter of Marion Lumsden, Lady Mellerstain (evi- dently wife of the Laird of Mellerstain). From any thing yet discovered there was no issue of this marriage, and not very long after, on the 28th January, 1613, the laird despoused the barony of Mackerston and family estate to Sir William Macdowel, his brother-german, and the heirs male of his body; whom failing, to Thomas Macdowel, his brother-german, and the heirs male of his body; and failing, to the younger bro- ther, George and Robert; upon which conveyance his eldest brother was intest 4th February, 1613, as

Sir William Macdowel, of Mackerston. He m. (contrasted dated 22nd November, 1625) Margaret, daughter of Sir William Scott, of Harden, and dying some time previously to 1657, was s. by his son,

Henry Macdowel, of Mackerston, who m. Barbara, daughter and heiress of his

* The Haes thus acquired the whole of Yester, which they still continue to enjoy.
SWINTON, OF SWINTON.

SWINTON, SAMUEL, esq. of Swinton, in Berwickshire, b. 28th August, 1773, m. 19th March, 1800, Miss Isabella Routledge, and has issue,

1. GEORGE-MELVILLE; b. 24th August, 1815.
2. John-Monckton, b. 4th April, 1819.
4. Anne-Elizabeth, m. to her cousin, George Swinton, esq. chief secretary to the Government of Bengal.
5. Mary, m. in 1822, to James W. Hogg, esq. barrister in Calcutta.
6. Elizabeth Charlotte, m. to John Melville, esq. of Upper Harley-street.
7. Isabella.

Mr. Swinton served for thirty-four years in India, as a civil servant, holding the highest offices in the gift of Government, and is a magistrate and deputy lieutenant for the county of Berwick.

Lineage.

This family, originally Saxon, took its surname from the barony of Swinton, in Berwickshire.

EDWLF DE SWINTON, of Swinton, who appears to have flourished in the reigns of MACBETH and MALCOLM Canmore, left a son,

LIULPH or LIULF, living in the beginning of KING EDGAR, (whose reign terminated in 1107,) and was father of

UDARD, sheriff of the county of Berwick temp. ALEXANDER I. who was succeeded by

HERNULF or A'LNULF, who obtained a charter from DAVID I. in which the three preceding proprietors of the lands and barony are named “David rex Scotorum, et Henricus suis filius omnibus vicecomitiibus suis, cunctisque baronibus Francis et Anglis salutem, sciatis quod dedi et concessi huic meo militi Hernulfo Swinton infecdo, sibi et hærediti suo; cum omnibus hominibus suisque pecunia tenere bene et libere et honorificè, sicut ullus ex meis baronibus, melfus ac liberae tenet, et quicquid ad eam pertinent per easdem conservat, et quisque Liulfi filius Edulfi, et Udardus filius suos tenuerunt, tenere de Sancto Cuthberto et de me, xi solidos redditum monachis de Dunelmia, sua omnibus aliis servitutibus, Testibus, Willielmo filio Duncani et Maduc consule et comite Duncano, et Radulfo Liulfi Marmion Mari-

et Waltero filio Alani, et Herberto Camerario, et Adam filio Edwardi, Willielmo de Lindsay, apud Haddingtonian, vale.”

Hernulf died in the reign of MALCOLM IV. and was s. by

SIR ALAN DE SWINTON, miles,—who got a charter of the barony of Swinton from Bertram, prior of Coldingham, superior thereof in the reign of King William the Lion. He died about the year 1200, and was interred in the church of Swinton, where his name and arms are over a stone image upon his tomb, and was s. by

SIR ADAM DE SWINTON, who is mentioned in a donation made by his relic to the monastery of Soltray. Sir Adam died before the year 1239, and was s. by

SIR ALAN DE SWINTON, of whom there are many documents in the reign of King ALEXANDER II. He was s. by

ALAN DE SWINTON, who, in the reign of King ALEXANDER III. is mentioned in the Chartulary of Coldingham, as proprietor of the lands and barony of Swinton anno 1273. He was s. by

HENRY DE SWINTON, cotemporary with whom was

WILLIAM DE SWINTON, probably a son of the family, who in Ragman's roll is designated “Vicaire de l'Eglise de Swinton, anno 1296.”
SWINTON, OF SWINTON.

HENRY DE SWINTON (Alan's successor) was, with many others of his countrymen, compelled to submit to King Edward I. of England, when he was upon the confines of Scotland, and 1296. This Henry was s. by

HENRY DE SWINTON, who is witness in a charter by Isabella Senesalla, domina de Fife, to Michael Balfour, of an annuity of eight marks sterling out of the lands of Easterferry. He was s. by

SIR JOHN SWINTON, a distinguished soldier and statesman, and high in favour with the Second and Third ROBERTS. His military achievements are recorded by the ancient Scottish writers. At the battle of Otterburn, 31st July, 1388, he had a chief command, and to his intrepidity the Scots were indebted for the great victory obtained over the English (although with the loss of Douglas on that memorable field. It is related of Sir John, that in the wars with the English, he visited the enemy's camp, and gave a general challenge to fight any of their army. He was appointed one of the ambassadors extraordinary by King ROBERT III. to negotiate a treaty with the court of England, for which they got a safe conduct from King RICHARD II, for themselves and sixty knights in their retinue, 4th July, 1392. He was afterwards employed upon another negotiation, and obtained a safe conduct from King HENRY IV. to go to England, with twenty - harch mean in his retinue, 7th July, 1400. The gallant bearing and heroic death of the Lord of Swinton, at the fatal battle of Hamilton, have afforded a subject for the poetic genius of Scott, and are the materials on which he founded the drama of "Haden Hill." Pinkerton thus records Swinton's fall: "The English advanced to the assault, and Henry Percy was about to lead them up the hill, when March caught his bridle, and advised him to advance no farther, but to pour the dreadful shower of English arrows into the enemy. This advice was followed with the usual fortune; for in all ages the bow was the English weapon of victory, and though the Scots, and perhaps the French, were superior in the use of the spear, yet this weapon was useless after the distant bow had decided the combat. ROBERT the Great, sensible of this at the battle of Bannockburn, ordered a prepared detachment of cavalry to rush among the English archers at the commencement, totally to disperse them, and stop the deadly effusion. But Douglas now used no such precaution; and the consequence was, that his people, drawn up on the face of the hill, presented one general mark to the enemy, none of whose arrows descended in vain. The Scots fell without fight and unreveiled, till a spirited knight, Swinton, exclaimed aloud, 'O my brave countrymen! what fascination has seized you to-day, that you stand like deer to be shot, instead of indulging your ancient courage, and meeting your enemies hand to hand? Let those who will, descend with me, that we may gain victory, and life, or fall like men.' This being heard by Adam Gordon, between whom and Swinton there existed a deadly feud, attended with the mutual slaughter of many followers, he instantly fell on his knees before Swinton, begged his pardon, and desired to be dubbed a knight by him whom he must now regard as the wisest and boldest of that order in Britain. The ceremony performed, Swinton and Gordon descended the hill, accompanied by only one hundred men, and a desperate valour led the whole body to death. Had a similar spirit been shown by the Scottish army, it is probable that the event of that day would have been different. He m. first, Margaret, Countess of Douglas and Marr, widow of William, first Earl of Douglas, but by that lady he had no issue; and secondly, Lady Margaret Stewart, daughter of King ROBERT II. by whom he had a son,

SIR JOHN SWINTON, of that ilk, who succeeded him, a man of singular merit, and a soldier of as undaunted valour. At the battle of Beauge, in France, in 1420, Swinton unhorsed the Duke of Clarence, the English general, brother of King HENRY VI. whom he distinguished by a coronet set with precious stones, which the duke wore around his helmet, and wounded him so grievously in the face with his lance that he immediately expired.* Sir John afterwards fell at the battle of Vernold, where the Scots' auxiliaries were commanded by the gallant Earl of Buchan, constable of France, son of Robert, Duke of Albany, governor of Scotland anno 1424. Swinton m. first, Lady Marjory Dunbar, daughter of George, Earl of March; but she died without issue. He espoused, secondly, his cousin-german, Lady Marjory Stewart, daughter of Robert, Duke of Albany. He was s. by his son,

SIR JOHN SWINTON, who, being an infant at his father's death, was left under the care of William de Wedderburn, scutifer. Sir John died about the year 1403, leaving (with a daughter, Margaret, who m. John Findle, and in her widowhood was prioress of the monastery of Elcho) a son and successor,

SIR JOHN SWINTON, of that ilk, who, anno 1475, wedded Katharine Lauder, a daughter of the family of Bass, by whom he had, with other issue, a son,

JOHN SWINTON, of that ilk, who m. in 1518, Margaret, daughter of David Hume, of Wedderburn, and had issue,

* And Swinton placed the lance in rest That humbled o'er the sparkling crest Of Clarence's Plantagenet.

Leg of the Last Minstrel.
SWINTON, OF SWINTON.

1. John (Sir), his heir.
2. George.

1. Helen.
2. Agnes.
3. Janet, m. to John Nicolson, an eminent lawyer, ancestor of the Nicolson, of Lasswade and Carnock.
4. Margaret, went into the monastery of Elcho.
5. Katherine.
6. Elizabeth, m. to Matthew Sinclair, of Longformacus.
7. Isabel.
8. Mary.

He died about the year 1649, and was s. by his eldest son.

Sir John Swinton, of that ilk, who, in the year 1592, married his cousin, Katharine, daughter of Robert Lander, of Bass, and dying in 1594, was s. by his eldest son, Robert Swinton, a man of good parts, who was long sheriff of Berwickshire. He m. first, Katharine Hay, daughter of William, Lord Yester, by whom he had one son, John, his heir, and a daughter, Katharine, m. to Sir Alexander Nisbet, of that ilk. He m. secondly, anno 1607, Jean Hepburn, sister of Patrick Hepburn, of White Castle, by whom he had two sons and one daughter, viz.

1. Alexander, afterwards Sir Alexander, who carried on the line of the family.
2. Robert.

1. Helen, m. in 1628, to John Hepburn, of Smeaton.

Swinton d. in 1628, and was s. by his son, John Swinton, of that ilk, who was served heir in general to the second Sir John Swinton, snr., vis., on 22nd July, 1630. He survived his father only five years, and dying unmarried, in 1638, was s. by his brother, Sir Alexander Swinton, of that ilk, who had acquired the lands of Hiltnoun, but disposed of them upon his succession to the family estate, and was appointed sheriff of Berwick, anno 1640. In the year 1620, he married Margaret, daughter of James Home, of Framepath, and Sir Bothan, a cadet of the family of Home, and had issue by her six sons and five daughters,

1. John, his heir.
2. Alexander, Lord Morsington, one of the senators of the college of justice, who m. first, ——, by whom he had two sons, who went to England; and, secondly, Katherine Sken, a daughter of the family of Hallyards, by whom he had two other sons and seven daughters,

1. Charles, who was colonel of a regiment in the service of the states of Holland, and m. Alice Newman, of a good family in England.
2. James, a captain in the same regiment, who married a lady in Holland. These two brothers were both killed in the French trenches at the battle of Malplaquet.

1. Mary, m. first, to Fletcher, of Aberlady; and after his death to Brigadier James Bruce, of Kennet, (see vol. ii. p. 487).
2. Elizabeth, m. to Sir Alexander Cummin, of Culter.
3. Janet, m. to John Belsches, of Torfs.
4. Alice, m. to her cousin, Swinton, of Laughton.
5. Helen, m. to Colonel Francis Charteris, of Amisfield.
6. Katherine, married to Laurence Drummond, a brother of Pilkenny.
7. Beatrix, m. to Sir Alexander Brown, of Basseuden.

Robert, an officer in the army, killed at the battle of Worcester, on the king's side, attempting to carry off Cromwell's standard which he had seized.

1. James, who was in the same army at the same battle.
2. George, of Chesters, writer to the signet, who m. Eupheme, sister of Brown, of Thornydykes, whose only daughter, Katherine, was m. to David Dundas, of Philipston.
3. David, of Laughton, a merchant in Edinburgh, who m. Margaret Broadfoot.

1. Jane, m. to Sir James Cockburn, of Ryslaw.
2. Margaret, m. to Mark Ker, of Moriston.
3. Katherine, m. to Brown, of Thornydykes.
4. Elizabeth, m. to Hepburn, of Beanston.
5. Helen, m. to Dr. George Hepburn, of Monkrieg.

Sir Alexander died in 1652, and was s. by his eldest son,

John Swinton, of that ilk, who was appointed, in 1649, one of the colonels for Berwickshire, for putting the kingdom in a posture of defence, and is then designed John de Swinton, jun., de Eodem. He was also chosen one of the committees of estates, and appointed one of the commissioners for plantation of kirk, 14th March, that same year.

Cromwell, when in Scotland, carried Swinton a prisoner to England, and had him with him at the battle of Worcester, where
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He was only a spectator; however, he was forfeited by the convention of estates in absence, and without proof, anno 1651. Oliver afterwards conceiving a great esteem for his captive, made him one of the commissioners for the administration of justice to the people of Scotland, in 1667.

After the restoration of King Charles II., the old decree of forfeiture against him was confirmed in 1661, and he outed of his estate, which remained under forfeiture till 1690.

He m. first, (in 1645), Margaret Stewart, daughter of William, Lord Blantyre, by whom he had three sons and one daughter, i. Alexander, his heir.

ii. John, afterwards Sir John, who carried on the line of the family.

iii. Isacc.

i. Margaret, m. to Sir John Riddell, of that ilk.

He m. secondly, Francisca Hancock, widow of Arnot Souman, a considerable proprietor in the Jerseys, but by her had no issue. He died anno 1679, and was s. by his eldest son.

Alexander Swinton, of that ilk, who survived his father only a few years, and dying unmarried, was succeeded by his brother.

Sir John Swinton, of that ilk, who resided in Holland during the forfeiture, and was a considerable merchant there. He returned to Britain at the Revolution, and in the year 1690 the decree of forfeiture was rescinded, and the family estate was restored to him, per modum justitiae.

He was a member of the Union Parliament, and was appointed one of the commissioners of equivalent.

He m. first, Sarah, daughter of William Welsh, merchant in London, by whom he had many children; but none of them came to maturity, except one daughter, Frances, who married the Rev. Henry Veitch, minister of Swinton.

Sir John m. secondly, Anne, daughter of Sir Robert Sinclair, of Longformacus, by Margaret, his wife, daughter of William, Lord Alexander, by Lady Jane Douglas, his wife, daughter of William, first Marquis of Douglas. By her he had four sons and five daughters:

i. John, his heir.

ii. Robert, merchant in North-Berwick, who m. Katherine, daughter of Robert Rutherford, of Farmilee, and left issue.

iii. Francis, doctor of medicine, who d. abroad, unmarried.

iv. William, merchant in North-Berwick.

i. Jean, m. to Dr. John Rutherford.

ii. Margaret.

iii. Johanna, m. to Alexander Keith, of Ravelstone.

iv. Anne, d. young.

Sir John d. in 1724, and was s. by his eldest son,

John Swinton, of that ilk, advocate. He m. Mary, daughter of the Rev. Samuel Semple, minister of the Gospel at Liberton, by Elizabeth, his wife, daughter of Sir Archibald Murray, of Blackbarony; and by her he had six sons and six daughters,

i. John, his heir, who succeeded to Swinton.

ii. Samuel, of whom presently.

iii. Robert, who d. abroad, in the service of the East India Company.

iv. Archibald, a captain in the service of the East India Company.

v. Francis, who d. in the service of the said Company.

vi. Pringle, who d. in infancy.

i. Elizabeth.

ii. Anne, married to Robert Hepburn, of Bauds, esq.

iii. Jean, died unmarried.

iv. Mary.

v. Frances, who d. young.

vi. Katharine.

The second son,

Captain Samuel Swinton, R. N. wedded Jean Felicité LeFebvre, and was father of Samuel, who having purchased the estate of Swinton from his cousin, Robert Hepburne Swinton, esq. the present head and representative of the family of Swinton of that ilk, is now Swinton, of Swinton.

Arms—Sa. a chev. or, between three boars' heads erased arg.

Crest—A boar chained to a tree, and above, on an escrol, 'Espera.'

Motto—Je pense.

*John Swinton, of that Ilk. Lord Swinton, one of the senators of the college of justice, m. Margaret, daughter of John Mitchell, esq. of Mid- dleton, and had six sons, 1. John, 2. Samuel, 3. Archibald, 4. Robert, 5. George, 6. William; and seven daughters, 1. Margaret, 2. Mary, 3. Isabella, 4. Elizabeth, 5. Harriet, 6. Catherine, 7. Anne. He d. in 1799, and was s. by his eldest son,

John Swinton, of that ilk, advocate, who m. his cousin, Mary-Anne, daughter of Robert Hepburne, esq. of Castleton, and had, 1. John, 2. Robert Hepburne; 1. Isabella, 2. Margaret. He d. in 1820, and was s. by his eldest son, John, who dying unm. in 1839, the line of the family is now carried on by his younger brother,

Robert Hepburne Swinton, of that ilk, m. Juliana, daughter of — Hecher, esq. has two sons, 1. John-Euliphus, 2. Robert.

The supporters borne by the head of the family are two boars standing in a compartment, whereon are these words, Je pense.
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MONTGOMERY, OF GREY ABBEY.

MONTGOMERY, HUGH, esq. of Grey Abbey, in the county of Down, b. at Florence, 26th June, 1821, succeeded his father in May, 1831, and became representative of the branch of the house of Montgomery settled in Ireland, and of that of Braidstane in Scotland.

Lineage.

This is a scion of the noble family of Montgomery, * Earls of Eglinton, in Scotland. (Refer to Burke’s Peerage).

Sir Alexander Montgomery descended from Roger de Montgomery, kinsman of the Conqueror, and commander of the van guard at Hastings, was raised to the peerage of Scotland in 1448-9, as Lord Montgomery. He m. Margaret, second daughter of Sir Thomas Boyd, of Kilmarnock, and had a son,

Alexander, master of Montgomery, who m. Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Sir Adam Hepburn, of Hales, and died before his father, in 1452, leaving three sons and a daughter, viz.

1. Alexander, successor to his grandfather, as second Lord Montgomery. His son and heir, Hugh, third Lord Montgomery, was created in 1507-8, Earl of Eglinton.


3. Hugh, of Hislot.

1. Margaret, m. to Alexander, first Lord Home.

The second son of the Master of Montgomery, and brother of the second lord, Robert Montgomery, obtained for his patrimony, from his grandfather, Alexander, first lord, in 1452, the lands of Braidstane, and thus became its laird. He was s. by his son,

Robert Montgomery, second Laird of Braidstane, who left a son and heir,

Robert Montgomery, third Laird of Braidstane, whose son and successor, Adam Montgomery, fourth Laird of Braidstane, m. the eldest daughter of Colquhoun, of Luss, and d. about 1560, leaving two sons,

1. Adam, who inherited as fifth Laird, and purchased other lands from Hugh, Earl of Eglinton, m. the daughter of John Montgomery, of Hasilheads, and had four sons, viz.

1. Hugh (Sir), sixth Laird, who settled in Ireland, and was raised to the Peerage of that kingdom, in 1622, as Viscount Montgomery, of Ardes, in the county of Down. He had previously, anno 1605, obtained a grant from King James I. of the third part of Clan O’Neill’s great territory in the counties of Down and Antrim. His lordship was grandfather of Hugh, third Viscount Montgomery, who was created, in 1661, Earl of Mount Alexander, honours which expired with Thomas, the seventh Earl, in 1758.

2. George, in holy orders, dean of Norwich, afterwards Bishop of Meath, died in 1620, leaving an only child,

* There is an old manuscript at Grey Abbey, written about the year 1696, by William Montgomery, of that place, son of the Hon. Sir James Montgomery, giving an account of this family, in which he remarks, “For the honour of the nation in general, let it be known to all that there is at this day the title of a counte or earle of the name, in all his Majesty’s four kingdoms; viz. Count de Montgomery, in France; Earl of Montgomery, in England; Earl of Eglinton, in Scotland; and Earl of Mount Alexander, in Ireland; the like whereof cannot be truly said (as I believe) of any other surname in all the world.” In the same manuscript he states, alluding to Rozen, fifth Count de Montgomery, who led the van at the battle of Hastings, “In anno 1692, I saw in Westminster Abbey, this Rozen’s coat of arms and name written under it, as benefactor to the building thereof. He was in rank or place the seventh or eighth (as I remember) among the contributors to the said building, or to the convent thereof, but in anno 1664, I found that his name and arms, and all the rest (above forty noblemen’s), were wholly rubbed out as writings (on a stone table book) are with a wet sponge.”
FITZGERALD, OF TURLough.

The third son,
ANTHONY COMPTON, esq. b. May 23rd, 1706, bought the estate of Carham, and d. October 31st, 1755, leaving by his wife Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Wood, esq. of Beadnell, Northumberland, four sons and one daughter.


2. Ralph.

3. William, in the army, d. unmarried, 1783.

4. Thomas, d. 1797.

1. Mary, m. Thomas Shaftoe, esq. of Dunstan, county of Durham.

The second son,
RALPH COMPTON, esq. s. his brother Anthony, and d. 1752, leaving by his wife Bridget, daughter of — Robson, five sons and three daughters, viz.

1. ANTHONY, his heir, who s. him.

2. Ralph, of Miltonking, county of Durham.


4. Thomas, deceased.

5. Frederick, d. May 4th, 1830, and three daughters.

1. Mary, m. R. Nisbett, esq. of Lofton House, Berwickshire.

2. Elizabeth, m. William Bugg, esq. nephew of Abraham Dixon, esq. of Belford Hall.


The eldest son,
ANTHONY COMPTON, b. 1765, m. Catherine, daughter of Thomas Wood, esq. of Burnbergh, Northumberland, and by her who survives him, and resides at Carham Hall, left at his decease, 16th July, 1830, two daughters and co-heirs,


Arms—Sa. a lion, pass. guard. or, between three helmets az.

Crest—On a mount vert, a beacon or, enflamed on the top ppr. on the beacon a label inscribed “Nisi Dominus.”

Motto—“Je ne cherche qu’un.”

FITZGERALD, OF TURLough.

FITZGERALD, THOMAS-GEORGE, esq. of Turlough Park, in the county of Mayo, and of Maperton House, Somersetshire, a Lieut.-Colonel in the army, b. 5th June, 1778, m. first, 6th September, 1806, Delia, youngest daughter of Joshua Field, esq. of Heaton, in Yorkshire, (see vol. ii. p. 146), and had by that lady a son and two daughters, viz.

1. CHARLES-LIONEL-WILLIAM, who m. Dorothea, second daughter of Patrick Kirwan, esq. of Dalgin Park, in the county of Mayo, and d. 9th November, 1834, leaving an infant son.

1. Elizabeth-Mary, 2. Sophia, both d. young.

Colonel Fitzgerald m. secondly, 29th April, 1819, Elizabeth, only daughter of James Crowther, M.D. of Boldshay Hall, Yorkshire, and by her has another son and two daughters, namely,

Henry-Thomas-George.
Elizabeth-Geraldine.
Mary-Dorothea.

Colonel Fitzgerald s. his father 29th April, 1805, and is a deputy-lieutenant for the counties of York (West Riding) and Somerset.
Lineage.

This is a branch of the family of Christie, of Dundee, N.B.

ALEXANDER CHRISTY, born in Scotland in 1642, past over into Ireland, and purchasing an estate at Moyallan, in the county of Down, died there 29th February, 1722. By Margaret his wife, who died at the same place 30th June, 1717, he had issue, his successor:  
Sarah, m. 10th December, 1697, Samuel Morton, esq. from whom the Mortons, of Philadelphia.  
Mr. Christie was succeeded on his death by his only son,  
JOHN CHRISTY, of Moyallan, who m. Mary, daughter of — Hill, esq. and had issue,  
1. Alexander, who went into Scotland, and died there 1763, s. p.  
2. John, of whom presently.  
3. James, b. 19th January, 1708-9; m. 4th May, 1733, Margaret Morton, and had issue,  
1. John, b. 19th April, 1735; m. 16th April, 1759, Deborah, dau. of — Thompson, esq. and died 13th August 1771, leaving issue.  
2. James, m. Lucia Shaw, and died s. p.  
3. Mary, b. 31st January, 1734; m. 29th April, 1753, Thomas Dawson, esq. and died 22nd January, 1785. Mr. Dawson died 15th January, 1735.  
4. Margaret, b. 15th October, 1737; m. 29th September, 1756, Thomas Sinton, esq. and had issue.  
5. Sarah, b. 20th August, 1740; m. her cousin, John Christy, and had issue.  
iv. Thomas, b. 22nd November, 1711; succeeded to the estate of Moyallan; and m. Mary, daughter of — Bramley, esq. His children were,  
1. John, drowned 27th October, 1758, s. p.  
1. Hannah, b. 3rd March, 1748; m. John Wakefield, esq. to whom she carried the estate at Moyallan; and died 1780, leaving issue, Thomas—Christy Wakefield, m. Jane, daughter of — Goff, esq. and has issue.  
2. Mary, b. 9th January, 1750; m. John Philips, esq.  
v. Joseph, who married and had issue, Mary, m. Archibald Horne, esq.  
The second son,  
JOHN CHRISTY, esq. also went to Scotland, and resided at Ormeston Lodge, in the county of Edinbro'. He was born 29th June, 1707; and espoused Mary, daughter of Miller, of Craigmelennie, in the parish of Nordi Leith, in the county of Edinbro', (whose ancestors were gardeners to the kings of Scotland), aunt to William-Heury Miller, esq. M.P. and died in 1761, leaving issue,  
1. John, who died young.  
2. William, his successor, m. first, Jane, daughter of — Erskine, esq. and had issue, Mary, m. Alexander Cruikshank, of Launceton, in the county of Edinbro', and died s. p.  
He m. secondly, Alice, dau. of — Dunn, esq. by whom he had,  
1. John, who married.  
2. William, married and had issue.  
3. Edward, died young.  
1. Lillias, m. Edward Hume.  
2. Prudence, m. to Dr. Shepherd, M.D.  
3. Ann, m. Alexander Nimmo, esq. and had issue.  
5. Elizabeth, m. James Smith, and has issue.  
iii. Hill, a captain in the king's service, m. Helen, daughter of — Cuthbertson, esq. and had issue, John, died young.  
Archibald, of the R.N., drowned 22d. Mathew, surgeon R.N. m. a daughter of — Millard, esq. who re-married, and died in India, leaving issue,  
Ann.  
John, of Fort Union, Adair, near Limerick, m. Eliza Mullock, of Limerick, and has issue,  
Agnes, m. William Ramage, esq. a captain R.N. and had issue, William, R.N. Mathew, (twin with William) lieutenant R.N. James, M.D. surgeon R.N. Helleen.  
Agnes.  
iv. John, m. 1766, Sarah, daughter of James Christy, esq. and had issue, John.  
James, of Ireland, m. Ann Murphy, and has issue.  
Margaret.  
v. MILLER, of whom presently.  
1. Ann, who died young.  
2. Euphemia, m. William Miller, esq. of Edinbro'.  
iii. Ann, died unmarried.  
v. Margaret, b. 1750; m. 1768, Alexander Sinclair, esq. and has issue.  
1. Mary, b. 1755; m. first, 1775, John
UPTON, OF INGMIRE HALL.

Lineage.

The family of Upton, or, as the name was anciently spelt, De Uppeton, were settled at Upton, in Cornwall, about the time of the conquest. From the extreme age of the original pedigree, still in existence at Ingmire Hall, some of the earlier names and dates are illegible, but from the twelfth century, the descent is continued in an unbroken line to the present Mr. Upton, of Ingmire, who now represents the elder branch of the house of Upton. To John Uppeton, de Uppeton, in the county of Cornwall, succeeded Andrew Uppeton, de Uppeton, whose son and heir,

Hamelyn Uppeton, living in 1218, was father of
John Uppeton, living in 1283, to whom succeeded his son,

Richard Uppeton, who m. Agnes, dau, and heir of Walter Carwather, and dying temp. Edward I. was s. by his son,

John Uppeton, of Upton, living in 1308, who m. Margaret, sister and co-heir of John Mules, and had a son and successor,

Thomas Upton, living in 1460, 28 Henry VI. who m. Johan, daughter and heir of John Trelewy, and had issue,

1. Arthur, son and heir, who m. Joan, daughter and heir of Richard Palmer, of Langton, and was father of
John, who m. Elizabeth, daughter of — Leversege, and was father of
Jeffrey Upton, esq. m. Margaret, daughter and co-heir of Robert Home, esq. and was s. by his son,

George Upton, esq. of Wells, who m. Frances, daughter and heir of John Newton, of Hartree, and dying s. p. m. this branch of the family became extinct.

11. John, of whose line we have to treat.

This John Upton was of Trelask, in Cornwall. He m. Elizabeth, daughter and heir of William Mohun, of Postlinch, in Devon, and had two sons (whom Playfair states to have both been christened by the same name), viz.

1. John, of Postlinch, who m. Elizabeth, daughter of John Barley, of Channcombe, in Devon, and had with two daughters, Jane, wife of Thomas Rowe; and Elizabeth, wife of Nicholas Dillon, three sons, viz.

John, who m. Elizabeth, daughter of Patrick Bedlowe, and d. s. p. Nicholas, who is presumed to have been the learned and pious Dr. Nicholas Upton, of whom Prince gives an ample history in his Writings of Devon.

William, of Postlinch, who m. Mary, dau. of Thomas Kirkham, of Blacypye, and had two sons, George, who married Philippa, daughter of John Wray, esq. of Trebits, in Cornwall, and was father of two sons and four daughters. William Upton, the last male heir of this branch of the family, d. in 1709, leaving two daughters, Mary and Elizabeth. The latter died unm. the former wedded James Yonge, M.D. of Plymouth, son of Dr. Yonge, the friend and correspondent of Sir Hans Sloane, and author of several works popular in their day.


This John Upton, esq. m. temp. Edward VI. Agnes, dau. of Nicholas Peniles, of Lupton, and sister and heir of John Peniles, of Lupton, in Devonshire, by whom he acquired that estate, and had, with a daughter, Jane, m. to William Hill, of Shilston, a son and successor,

William Upton, esq. who was seated at Lupton. He m. Joan, dau. of John Pont, of Derbyshire, and had, John, his heir; Thomas; and Joan, wife of John Varwell, of Brixham.

The elder son,

John Upton, esq. of Lupton, m. Johan, daughter and heiress of Sir Wincowe Raleigh, knt. of Fardell, and had issue,

John, his heir.

William.

Nicholas.

Marshall, m. to Richard Sparke, of Plympton.

Joan, m. to William Sparke, of Dartmouth.

The eldest son,