A GENEALOGICAL AND HERALDIC HISTORY
OF THE LANDED GENTRY
OF GREAT BRITAIN & IRELAND.

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HOLT THE LANDED GENTRY.

William Sherwin, Esq. of Cole Orton, Leicester- shire, and by her has issue,


Lineage.—This branch of the family of Holt has been settled for several generations in Yorkshire.

Thomas, son of Thomas Holt, of Horbury, co. York, and Ann Hagg his wife (m. 7 Sept. 1690) was b. 1707, and m. 1732, Elizabeth Teale, and by her, d. 1776, he had issue,

i. Thomas, b. 1741; d. 1804.
ii. William, of whom hereafter.
iii. Elizabeth, b. 1733; m. Emanuel Nussey, Esq., and d. 1800.

Thomas Holt d. 4 July, 1787, and was s. by his 2nd son, William Holt, of Horbury, co. York, b. 1 Oct. 1742, m. 8 Aug. 1777, Mary Whitaker, and d. 11 Nov. 1824, leaving issues,

i. William, b. 1779, d. 29 Aug. 1859.
ii. Thomas, of whom hereafter.

2nd son,

Thomas Holt, of Wedderburn House, Harrogate, co. York, b. 19 June, 1807, Lawrence, eldest dau. of Richard Potter, Esq. late of Standish, co. Gloucester, by Lawrenceca, his wife, eldest dau. of Lawrence Heyworth, Esq. of Yew Tree Hall, West Derby, and has issue,

RICHARD DURNING, d. 13 Nov. 1868.
Robert Durning, b. 23 Aug. 1872.
Philip Durning, b. 26 Nov. 1876.
Edward Durning, b. 4 May, 1879.
Lawrence Durning, b. 27 Nov. 1882.
Catherine Durning.
Mary Durning.

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Oliver Holt, Esq. of Rochdale, b. 1755, m. Anne Bannister, and by her (d. 1794) he left issue at his decease,

George Holt, b. 1819, Eliza, eldest dau. and co-heir of William Holt, Esq. by Jane Lang his wife, and by her (d. 1871) he had issue,

William Durning, of Whimnore, Lancashire, m. Frances Jane, dau. of T. M. Needham, Esq., and d. 1891, leaving issues, with five dau.,

1. WILLIAM DURING.
2. Oliver Needham.

George, of, Elizabeth, dau. of — Bright, Esq., and has issue, one dau., Emma Georgiana.
Alfred, m. 1st, Catherine Long, and 2ndly, Frances Legg, and has issue, with one dau.,


iv. Philip Henry, m. Anna Booth.

Robert Durning of Sefton Park, Mr. George Holt d. in Liverpool, Feb. 1861.
Seft—Sefton Park, Liverpool, and High Borrans, Windermere.

HOME OF BROOMHOUSE.

LOGAN-HOME, GEORGE JOHN NINIAN, Esq. of Broomhouse, co. Berwick, J.P., and Commissioner of Supply, co. Berwick; Capt. 1st Batt. Bedfordshire Regt., b. 30 Jan. 1855; m. 5 March, 1878, Eva, dau. of Miles Charles Seton, Esq. of Treskerby, Cornwall, late 85th Regt., and the Hon. Mary Ursula Addington, dau. of the 2nd Viscount Sidmouth; and has issue,

i. GEORGE ROBERT SETON, of Edrom, co. Berwick, b. 30 Dec. 1880.
ii. William Miles, b. 6 June, 1884.
iii. Margaret Annie.
iv. Eva Katharine.

HOLT OF SEFTON PARK.

HOLT, ROBERT DURNING of Sefton Park, Lancas- tre and High Borrans, co. Westmorland, J.P. and D.L. for co. Lancashire and Westmorland, b. 18 March, 1802, and d. 30 April, 1858, Lawrenceca, eldest dau. of Richard Potter, Esq. late of Standish, co. Gloucester, by Lawrenceca, his wife, eldest dau. of Lawrence Heyworth, Esq. of Yew Tree Hall, West Derby, and has issue,

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HOM

THE LANDED GENTRY.

HOMFRAY, JOHN GYLNNE RICHARD, Esq. of Penlleny Castle, co. Glamorgan, J.P., late Capt. 1st Life Guards, b. 13 June, 1861.

Lineage.—William Homfray, who resided at Wales, near Rotherham, co. York, 1800, was lineal ancestor of Francis Homfray, of Wales, near Rotherham, who had, by Elizabeth his wife (who was buried at Wales, 3 Jan. 1724), three sons:

Francis, the heir.

Thomas, b. 1674; d. 1733, and was buried at Wales, leaving by Anne his wife (b. 1679; d. 1747), dau. of John Revel, of Chestfeld, co. Derby (by Juliana, his wife, sister of Sir Samuel Clarke, Kent, Sheriff of London, 1715), the following issue:
1. Francis, m. his cousin Mary Homfray, d. s. p.
2. Thomas.
3. John, of whom presently.
4. Henry, d. young.
5. Revel Homfray, of Sheffield, m. Sarah Fox, and had a son, Francis, d. s. p.
2. Rachel, m. John Booth, and had a son, Homfray Booth, Capt. in the Heavy Dragoons, killed in America.
3. Dorothy, d. young.
4. Anne, living unm. in 1813.

The 3rd son, John Homfray, of Derby, was b. 4 Dec. 1723, and d. 2 Feb. 1804. He m. Sarah, widow of Thomas Dalby, and dau. of John Parr, of Derby, and by her (who was b. 1725, and d. 20 Feb. 1788) left an issue only child, Rev. John Homfray, of Merton College, Oxford, B.A., F.A.S., &c., Rector of Sutton, Norfolk, b. 27 Sept. 1769; m. 13 June, 1797, Hetty, dau. of James Symonds, of Ormsby, Norfolk, and by her (who d. 1 Jan. 1843) left at his decease, Dec. 1842, a son and successor, Henry Revel Homfray, Esq. of The Place, John.

The eldest son,

Francis Homfray, of Wales, afterwards of Oldswinford, co. Worcester, m. 1st, Sarah Baker, by whom he had two surviving sons, Sarah, b. 1705; m. to William Bowyer, and Mary, b. 1712; m. to her cousin, Francis Homfray. He m. 2ndly, in 1717, Mary, dau. of John Jeston, Esq. of the Heath, co. Worcester, by whom (who d. 1738) he left at his decease, 1786, with five dau., four sons:

1. Jeston, m. Mary, dau. of Thomas Cotton, Esq. of the Combermere family, and left a son.
3. Francis, b. 1729, of whom presently.
4. Thomas, b. 1726: d. 11 May, 1791, leaving by Elizabeth his wife (who was the eldest child of Edmond Jones, Esq., a dau., Elizabeth, b. 1774, Peter Fry, of Axbridge.
5. John of Wollaston Hall, co. Worcester, b. 1731; m. 1768, Mary, dau. and co-heir of Jeremiah ADDERBROOKE, and d. 1784, leaving a son, by his wife, John ADDERBROOKE, of Wollaston Hall, who took the name of ADDERBROOKE by sign manual, 1792, and was High Sheriff of co. Worcester. He m. 1780, Elizabeth, dau. of Michael Grazebrook, of Audnam, and had issue.

The 2nd son,

Francis Homfray, Esq. m. 1st, Hannah, dau. of — Popkin, Esq., of Coltreen, co. Glamorgan, and left one son and a dau.,

JESTON, of Broadwaters, co. Worcester, b. 11 June, 1752; m. 1776, Sarah, dau. of John Pidcock, Esq. of The Platts, and d. 2 March, 1816, leaving issue, 1 George, b. 1778; 2 Charles, b. 1781, m. and had issue; 3 David, b. 1792, m.

Caswell, Esq. of The Hyde, co. Stafford, and had further issue.

1. Francis, of The Hyde, m. Mary, dau. of John Pidcock, Esq. of The Platts, co. Stafford, and d. 1809, leaving issue, 1 Jeremiah Caswell (Rev.), d. s. p.; 2 Frances, b. 1784; 3 Mary, b. 1789; m. of Miles, of and issue; 4 Mary, d. 1806, Richard Crawford, Esq.; 5 Catherine, m. Thomas Stringer, Esq.; 3 Jane; 4 Elizabeth, m. William Crawshay, Esq.; 5 Eleanor, m. Jos. Atwood, Esq.; 6 Louisa; 7 Clara, b. 1809, William B. E. Gibbs Crawford, Esq.; and 8 Mira.

ii. JEREMIAH (Sir), of Llandaff House.

iii. Thomas, of The Hill, co. Worcester, m. 1796, Miss Elizabeth Brooms, and d. 1829, leaving issue, 1 John, of the Allys:en, Salop, who assumed the surname of Stephenson; 2 Frederick, d. s. p.; 3 Edward (Rev.), m. and had issue; 4 Vincent; 6 Nelson; and one dau.

iv. WILLIAM, M.P. for co. Monmouth of 1811, m. Jane, eldest dau. of Sir Charles Gould Morgan, Bart. of Tredgar, and d. 20 May, 1822, leaving issue.


2 Watkin, b. 30 Dec. 1796; m. Sept. 1822, Miss Eliza Lee Thomson, and has Watkin, Frederick Samuel, William Henry, Charles Augustus, of Newport, co. Monmouth, m. Eliza Lee, dau. of John Thompson, Esq. and has issue, and Eliza Jane.

3 Jane, b. 1818, J. K. Pickard, Esq.

4 Mary, b. 1821, m. 1817, William Thompson, Esq., M.P. of Perrydaron, co. Glamorgan, and had one child, Amelia (deceased), m. 20 July, 1842, Thomas, Earl of Beecht, now Marques of Hertford.

5 Mary, George Darby, Esq., M.P., and had issue.

6 Catherine, m. Thomas Wilson, Esq., and d. 24 March, 1801, leaving a son, Melville Wilson, m. Miss Stevenson, dau. of Sir B. Stevenson, and has issue.

Mr. Francis Homfray d. Dec. 1798. His 3rd son,

Sir Jeremiah Homfray, Knt. of Llandaff House, co. Glamorgan, knighted in 1809, when High Sheriff of co. Glamorgan, b. 16 Feb. 1769; m. 2 May, 1777, Mary, dau. of John Richards, Esq. of Cardiff, and by her (who d. 17 March, 1830), had issue.

JEREMIAH, b. 1 Sept. 1790; d. 6 Oct. 1860.

John, late of Penlleny Castle.

Francis, d. unm. 1818.

James, b. 22 July, 1773; m. 17 Aug. 1818, Esther Amelia Isabella, eldest dau. of Sir Frances Des Anges, Knt., and d. 16 May, 1851.

Antoniac, M.D., b. 4 Oct. 1799; m. 5 June, 1831, Eustacia, dau. of Rear Admiral Sir Ross Donnelly, and had by her, who d. 1838, a son, Ross Richards, b. 30 April, 1835, and a dau. Eustacia Donnelly. Dr. Homfray d. 28 March, 1845.


Charlotte, b. 1824, James Lewis, Esq., and d. 1855.

Catherine Diana, m. Jacob Einnitis Irving, Esq., and had issue.

Harriet Newte.

Sir Jeremiah Homfray d. 1833; his second son, John, of Penlleny Castle, Esq. of Penlleny Castle, co. Glamorgan, J.P. and D.L., High Sheriff, 1843, b. 10 Sept. 1793; m. 1 Nov. 1820, Ann Maria, only child and heiress of John Richards, Esq. of The Corner House, Cardiff, Glamorgan, by Mary his wife, dau. and co-heir of Peter Bird, Esq. of Wenov Castle; and had issue,

1. John Richards, his heir.


Mr. John Homfray d. 29 June, 1877, and was s. by his son,

John Richards Homfray, Esq. of Penlleny Castle, J.P., and D.L., d. 9 Oct. 1824; m. 22 March, 1860, Mary Elizabeth, eldest surviving dau. of Sir Glynn Earle Welby Gregory, Bart. of Denton Hall, co. Lincoln, and had.
and co-heirs of John Davies, Esq. of Bedwyn, co. Flint, and by her (who d. 12 Oct. 1822, aged 56 years) had issue, 
1. John Johnson, b. 16 Oct. 1821; d. unm. in France, 1 Sept. 1839.
2. Mary Anne, m. 14 Feb. 1840, S. D. Lees, M.D.; d. 31 May 1854.
3. Elizabeth Margaret, of Higher Broughton near Manchester, d. 28 Aug. 1845, Arthur Hyde Hulton, B.A. (2nd son of William Hulton, Esq. of Hulton Park, co. Lancaster), student of Christ’s College, Oxford, and Incumbent of Christ Church, Ashton-under-Lyne (d. 31 July 1819; d. 1 Jan. 1856). The issue of this marriage are,
1 Harrington Arthur Harrop Hulton, b. 9 Nov. 1846, of Crompton, Co. Lancashire, d. 1874, Helena Caroline, dau. and heiress of William Grimshaw, Esq. of Gorton, co. Lancaster.
2. William Edward Montagu Holton, present representative.
3. Agnes Alyne Georgiana Hulton, m. 9 Sept. 1877, John Evelyn, esq. of John Hardwick, Esq., a Metropolitan Police Magistrate in Marlborough Street.
4. Caroline Agnes, m. 9 May 1854, Francis Alexander, 4th son of the late Right Hon. George Robert Dawson, of Castle Hall, co. Londonderry.
Mr. Harrop d. 9 Sept. 1866, and was s. by his grandson, William Edward Montagu-Hulton Hulton, Esq.

HUME (now DICK OF CO. WICKLOW).

DICK, QUINTIN DICK, Esq. of co. Wicklow, late a Capt. in the Derbyshire Yeomanry and Antrim Rifles, was, on 13 April, 1847, s. to his uncle The Right Hon. W. W. F. Dick in 1802, under the will of that gentleman’s maternal uncle, Quintin Dick, Esq., formerly M.P. for Malden. Mr. Quintin Dick Dick (formerly Quintin Dick Hume), by Royal Licence dated November, 1892, was authorized to take and use the surname and arms of Dick only, in lieu of that of Hume.

Lineage.—Andrew Hume (son and successor of Gavain Hume, “Captain of Tantallon,” distinguished in the French service, and great-grandfather of Alexander Hume, 3rd Baron of Polwarth) returned to Scotland, and purchased the estate of the Rhones near to the lands of the 1st Sir John Hume, of North Berwick. He m. Mosey Seaton, dau. of Seaton, of Barnes, and niece to the Earl of Winch, by whom he had (with a dau., m. George Gordon of Pinkerton) four sons, Robert, his heir; Thomas; John; and William. Andrew Hume d. 1594 or 1595, and was s. by his eldest son, Robert Hume, who m. Ann, dau. of Dr. Michelson, Laird of Brackness, and grand-dau. of Sir Bruce Semple, of Cattcarth, by whom he had a son, Thomas Hume, Esq., who purchased the estate of Humewood, co. Wicklow. He m. 1st, Jane Lauder, co. Leithrim; and 2ndly, Elizabeth Galbraith, widow of Hugh Galbraith, of St. Johnstown, co. Fermanagh. By the 1st he only had issue, William, his heir; by the 2nd, he had issue, Robert, then of Humewood, Lisanure Castle, co. Cavan, and of Cariga, co. Leitrim, and of the Humes of Dublin. Mr. Hume d. 1718, and was s. by his eldest son, William Hume, Esq. of Humewood, who m. Anna, dau. of John Dennison, Esq. of Dublin, and had two sons and four daughters.
He d. 26 May, 1702, and was s. by his eldest son,

George Hume, Esq. of Humewood, who m. Anna, dau. of Thomas Butler, Esq. of Ballymurtagh, co. Wicklow, and had five sons and two daughters, William, his heir; George, d. s. p.; Dension, d. s. p.; John La Touche, who m. and left issue; Clement, who also m. and left issue; Isabella; and Anna, m. Benjamin Will, Esq. of the city of Dublin. He d. Aug. 1765; and was s. by his eldest son,

William Hume, Esq. of Humewood, M.P. of Wicklow, shot by a party of rebels in the Wicklow mountains, 8 Oct. 1788. He m. Catherine, dau. of Sir Joseph Hooe, Bart., M.P., of Annabella, co. Cork, and had two sons and four daughters,

William Hooe, his heir.

Joseph Samuel, m. Eliza, dau. of Rev. Charles Smythfield, co. Limerick, and left, with three daughters settled in Canada, one son,

William Samuel, of Ballinvollo, co. Wicklow, J.P., m. 1837, Charlotte, dau. of Henry William Thomas, Esq. of Stonetrow, co. Kildare, and d. 4 Nov., leaving, with other issue,

Joseph Samuel, of Ballinvollo, of Millivry, co. Tyrone, District Inspector Royal Irish Constabulary, d. 27 Mar. 1837, m. 13 Sept. 1864, Eda Eveline, dau. of John W. B. bikini of Gartow, co. Down, Charles Porter, d. 1869; Richard Henry, d. 1873; George Ponsonby, d. 1875; and Eda Dorcas.

Catherine, m. William Franks, Esq. of Carrig, co. Cork, with other children, and left issue,

Charles Rev. Dominic E. Blake, m. Jane, m. the Hon. and Rev. Maurice Mahon, afterwards Lord Hartland; and d. s. p. 12 Dec. 1836.

The eldest son,

William HOARE, H.C.M. of Humewood, M.P. for Wexford, co. Charlotte Anna, only dau. of Samuel Dick, Esq. of Dublin, and sister to Quintin Dick, Esq. M.P. for Malden, became, on 11 May, 1864, had issue,

I. WILFRED WESTWORTH FIGHTLOW, Esq. (Right Hon.) of the present

II. Quintin Dick (Rev.), m. 1850, his cousin, Anna, dau. of the late Rev. Dominic Blake, Esq. of Athy; and d. 25 Nov., aged 65, having had issue,

2. James Hoare, an officer of the 58th Regt. of Foot, d. 20 Oct. 1874.
3. William Hoare, d. 28 June 1883, and inherited the arms and name of the Humes of Humewood.

2. Anna Mary, m. 1867, John Leslie, Esq. J.P., of Monaghan, and had issue, d. 26 Aug. 1890.
3. Charlotte, d. unm. 1891.
4. George Ponsonby, Lieut.-Col. in the Army, d. unm. 1 Oct. 1866.
5. Charlotte Isabella Forster, m. Thomas Crown, Esq. of Dromore Castle, co. Clare, and by him (who d. 1871) had issue,
6. Charlotte Jane, m. her cousin, the late Sir George Forster, Bart. of Tullaghan, co. Monaghan, M.P. She d. 3 Aug. 1890.

Mr. Hume d. Nov. 1818, and was s. by his son,

WILLIAM WESTWORTH FITZWILLIAM DICK (formerly William Westworth Fitzwilliam Hume), of Humewood, co. Wicklow, D.L., J.P., High Sheriff 1844, M.P. for co. Wicklow 1852 to 1880, d. 28 Oct. 1865; m. 1st, 6 Aug. 1822, Margaret Bruce, eldest dau. of Robert Chalmers, Esq. M.P. for King’s County, co. Roscommon, by his first marriage, Frances Laura Dundas, his wife, dau. of the last Lord Dundas, and by her had issue, William Hoare, d. 28 Nov. 1841, aged 7.
Charlotte Anna, m. 1853, Richard P. Long, Esq. of Hood Castle, Wills, J.P. and D.L., M.P. for that co. and by him (who d. 1876) had issue, William Hoare (of Badgermoe), d. unm. 27 July 1876.
The Rt. Hon. W. W. F. Hume, who assumed the surname and arms of Dick in 1844, d. 15 Sept. 1892, and was s. by his nephew, Quintin Dick Hume, Esq., who thereupon assumed the surname of Dick.

Ellyngton, co. Wicklow, M.P. for that co., and d. 11 May, 1864, leaving issue (see family Hume).

Arms—Gu. a sword in pale, point upwards pp., bordered or, on the point an escutcheon or, with a lion rampant arg. Arg. a lion rampant, gu. for Hulton. Crest—1st, in front of a sallet or, an eagle displayed, sa. crusilly arg., for Hulton; 2nd, an iris,(usq, a hand, or, between an arrow and a branch of fructed hawthorn ppv., for Hulton. Motto—‘

Terra perennis spero.’
Surnames. Barter, co. Ashtor-under-Lyne; Litten, co. Pontebury; Salop; and Lythe Hall, near Shrewsbury. Clubs—Bodleian, and New University.
HUME OF NINEWELLS.


1. Alexander, b. 29 Jan. 1884.
2. Percy Gilbert, b. 15 Sept. 1888.

Catherine, d. Dorothy.

Lineage.—Thomas Hume or Hume, 2nd son of Sir Alexander Hume, of Dunglass, who was slain at the battle of Rossall 1424, founded the family of Humes of Tyningley Hume of Ninewells, of which the representative in the 17th cent. was James Hume, Esq. of Ninewells, m. and left, with a dau., Marjory, wife of the Rev. George Hume (see Family of Maitland), a son.

James Hume, Esq. of Ninewells, m. and left a dau., Catherine, dau. of David Fischeron, Lord President of the Court of Session and Lady, and sister of David, 5th Lord Fuscelon, and had issue, James, his heir.

David, the celebrated Historian, b. in Edinburgh, 1711, d. 1784.

Marjory, dau. to the family estates.

John, a writer to the Signet in Edinburgh.

Catherine, m. Capt. Robert Johnston, of Hilton.

Dr. Hume d. 14 Nov. 1788, and was b. by his eldest son, John Hume, Esq. of Ninewells, early in life Capt. 2nd foot and Col. 60th foot and d. 1724, m. 1734, Agnes, only dau. of Robert Carre, of Cavers, co. Roxburgh (by Helen, his wife, sister of Walter Riddell, Bart. of Riddell), and had issue.

James, his heir.

David, who s. to the family estates.

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Joseph, Advocate, d. 1719.

James, of Ninewells (which she rebuilt 1841), d. 1844.

Matthew Macdonald, doctor of the late Sir Alexander Macdonald, 6th General and d. 1844.

Catherine, m. 1819, Adolphus M'Dowall Ross, M.D. of Edinburgh and d. leaving issue.

Andrew Ross, m. Juliana, dau. of Herr Gabriel von Botta, and had (with other issue) a son, James Alexander Ross Hume, Esq. of Ninewells.

David Hume.

Adolphus M'Dowall.

John Abercromby.

Jane Alder, b. 1661, Henry Gordon Dickson, Esq.

Isabella, m. 1847, John George Chancellor, Esq.

Catherine Agnes, m. 1850, Richard Fyfeunt, Esq.

Elizabeth Mary.

Dr. Ross d. 1843; Mrs. Ross d. 1851.

Hume d. 1839.

Family of Ross.

This branch of the family of Ross has been seated in Galloway for centuries, and was in the possession of extensive estates, amongst others Balniel, Galston, Ballylack, Balsaroch, and Balgreen, and connected, by marriage, with many noble families.

Andrew Ross, who possessed the estates of Ballylack, Balsaroch, and Balgreen, all in co. Wigtown, left three sons,

1. Alexander, of Ballylack, grandfather of Field Marshal Sir Hew Dalrymple Ross, G.C.B.

2. Andrew, of Balsaroch, grandfather of Admiral Sir John Ross, and great-grandfather of Capt. James Ross, R.N., the distinguished Pola navigator.

3. James, of Balgreen, m. Isabella Allan, dau. of Capt. James Allan, R.N., and had (with other issue), Andrew, Col. in the Army, m. Isabella Macdonnell, of Aberlachter, and had issue,

1. Alexander James, Lieut.-Col. in the Army,
2. Adolphus M'Dowall, M.D., of Balgreen.

3 James Kerr, of Laurence Park, co. Stirling, Col. in the Army, K.H., Aide-de-Camp to Gen. Sir John Buchan during the Peninsular war; m. 1827, Margaret, 2nd dau. of James McInroy, Esq. of Lundy, co. Perth. 1. Isabella, m. George Bell, Esq. of Huntly, co. Roxburgh.
2. Margaret, m. Dr. Bartlett Buchanan.
5. Clementina Blair, m. Thomas Corrie, Esq. of Newton Aird, co. Dumfries.

Arms—Vert, a Hon rampant arg., within a bordure or, charged with nine fountains or fesse ppr. Crest—A Lion’s head erased arg., armed and langued gu. charged with nine fountains, as in the arms. Motto—True to the end.


HUME OF AUCHENDOLLY.


1. Archibald, b. 5 June 1836.
2. Herbert, b. 5 July 1837.
4. John Basil Lockhart, b. 10 Nov. 1841.
5. Ernest Aymer, b. 13 June 1874.
6. Agnes Beatrice.
7. Evelyn Mary.
8. Eleanor Octavia.

Lineage.—Patrick Hume, Esq. of Ayer, was the son of James Hume, who was settled in Stranraer in the 17th cent. He m. 23 Nov. 1741, Lillias, dau. of Archibald Woodburn, Esq., and had here issue, among others, a third son, James, of Failford and Spitaldell, a Writer in Ayer, and Capt. 1st Btg. ayrshire Volunteer Infantry, b. 12 Sept. 1749; purchased these lands in 1788; and d. 1795. 1. James, of Failford and Spitaldell, a Writer in Ayer, and Capt. 1st Btg. ayrshire Volunteer Infantry, b. 12 Sept. 1749; purchased these lands in 1788; and d. 1795. 2. Archibald, of whom presently.
3. Patrick, b. 4 Oct. 1755.
4. Andrew, b. 23 March 1756.
5. Patrick, b. 3 Oct. 1759; d. 24 Oct. 1830.

The second son, Archibald Hume, Esq., Merchant in Ayer, b. 25 Sept. 1751; m. 15 Sept. 1779, Mary dau. of James Boyd, Esq. of Irvine, ayrshire, and had two sons.

1. James, of Spitaldell, Capt. H.E.C.S., served in the 16th M.I., Madras Army, in the war against the Pindares and Mysures, 1790-1794; 15 July 1794; d. 1826; was by his brother ARCHIBALD.
2. Patrick, b. 12 Nov. 1792; d. 1822.
3. Archibald, of whom presently.
4. Lillias, b. 19 Nov. 1817; d. 6 May 1861.
5. Jean, b. 9 Sept. 1798; m. — Harper, and d. s.p.

The third son, Archibald Hume, Esq. of Spitaldell, co. Ayer, went to Canada, where he served as a Capt. of Volunteers during the Rebellion 1837-39, was a merchant in Montreal, and in 1842 returned to Scotland; he m. 17 Aug. 1794; 1. Anne, dau. of Samuel Watson, Esq. of Ayer, and had by her (who d. 1864) an only child,
2. Archibald, now of Auchendolly and Spitaldell.

He d. 6 Feb. 1860.


HUME OF HUMEDOW.

Hume, William Hume, Esq. of Humedow, co. Wicklow, educated at Christ Church, Oxford, where he graduated with classical honors, 1880, was an attaché in H.M.’s Diplomatic Service and appointed to the embassy at Paris, 1885, where he served till his resignation in 1889, 21 April, 1858.
HUMFREY OF CAVANACOR.

Humphrey, Benjamin Geale, Esq. of Cavanacor, co. Donegal, Capt. Leicestershire (17th) Regt., d. 5 March, 1858; s. his father 26 Aug. 1857; m. 15 Feb. 1856, Emily Anne, 2nd dau. of William Knox, Esq., H.E.O. Service, of Conleigh, co. Donegal, and has issue,
1. Benjamin, b. 11 Nov. 1855.
2. William Knox.
3. Mary Isabella.

Lineage. — The first settlement of the Humphrey family in Ireland was made by Richard Humphrey, who was b. 1614. He was the son of Richard Humphrey, of Rettendon, Essex, by his wife, the dau. of Sir Samuel Sandys, of Omburesley, co. Worcester, and landed in Ireland 1656, where he settled at Dennar, co. Wicklow. His wife d. there 1666, and he d. 1665. His eldest son was
Henry Humphrey, m. 13 Jan. 1675, Catharine, dau. of Francis Bolleston, Esq. of Frankfort Castle; and d. 4 July, 1679, leaving a son,

Humphrey Humphrey, Esq., m. 19 July, 1712, Elizabeth Hen thor, and d. 12 March, 1741, leaving a son,

Thomas Humphrey, Esq., b. 28 Jan. 1717, who was father, by Elizabeth Stewart his wife, of an only son, Henry Humphrey, Esq., b. 1757, who dying unm. 1 M. 1785, left, by will, his property in Wicklow, Louth, and the King's Co., to his kinsman, Benjamin Geale Humphrey, Esq.

Matthew Humphrey, Esq., younger son of Richard Humphrey of Rettendon, Essex, 1685. Deborah, dau. of Benjamin Bunbury, Esq. of Killerig, co. Carlow, and by her (who m. 2dly, Thomas Bernard, Esq. of Clonmoll) left five sons, of whom the eldest, Matthew, d. unm. 1744. The 2nd son,

John Humphrey, Esq., m. 27 April, 1747, Elizabeth, dau. of John Geale, Esq. of Mount Geale, co. Kilkenny; and d. 1758, a son,

William Humphrey, Esq., b. 1750; m. 5 Feb. 1774, Mary, dau. of Alexander Kirkpatrick, Esq., of the family of Closeburn, and by her (who d. 1809) left at his decease, 20 Oct. 1829,

Alexander, b. 1775; d. 1 Aug. 1845; m. Catherine, dau. of Major Craven, and had issue, 1 William Charles, b. 1802, m. Catherine, dau. of Major Fortye, and has four sons and one dau.; 2 Alexander John, b. 1803; m. Caroline, dau. of John Geale, Esq., and has issue; 3 Thomas Craven, b. 1811; 4 Benjamin, b. 1819; 5 Harriet, b. 1821; 6 Jane, b. 1825, Esq., and has issue; and 1 Ellen, m. Rev. J. F. Morton.

Bennet Humphrey, of Cavanacor.

Anne, m. Robert Sotestbury, Esq.; d. 1829.

Margaret, d. 1815.

Ellen, m. J. R. Bende, Esq.

Catherine, d. 9 Dec. 1816.

Mary Anne.

The 2nd son,

Benjamin Geale Humphrey, Esq. of Cavanacor, co. Donegal, Lient.-Col. in the Army, served in the 40th Regt. during the Peninsular War, for which he had a medal and nine clasps; and J. P. and High Sheriff 1849; b. 28 Sept. and nine clasps; and J. P. and High Sheriff 1849; b. 28 Sept.

Alexander, b. 9 Aug. 1811, d. 16 Feb. 1876; Surgeon-Major 98th Bn, and d. 16 Dec. 1837, Louisa, 2nd dau. of Rev. J. V. Brabazon, of Bahan Glebe, co. Donegal, and had four sons and one dau.

Benjamin Geale, b. 25 Dec. 1833, late Lient.-Col. R.A.; m. 22 Oct. 1872, Mary Grace, dau. of John Page, Esq. of South end Ess.

Mary.

Anne, m. 11 Aug. 1853, Joseph Plachbourne, Esq. of Ashfield Hall, Queen's Co.; d. Nov. 1876.

Elizabeth, m. 18 July, 1887, Robert Moore McMahon, Esq. of Holly Hall, co. Sligo; d. 2 Feb. 1877.

Kate, m. Brooke Bynd Chambers, Esq. of Foxhall, an Officer in the London Army, and d. April, 1861.

Anne Frances, m. 19 Aug. 1872, Rev. John S. Clinkstock, of Crogan House, Lifford, Rector of the Parish of Cloonlean.

The eldest surviving son,

John Humphrey, Esq. of Cavanacor, J.P., High Sheriff 1828, b. 16 June, 1823; late Lient. 3rd Regt., and Capt. in the Donegal Militia; m. 1st, 6 March, 1857, Bessie Harritte, 2nd dau. of Henry William Wray, Esq. of Haymount, the Castle Wray branch of that family, and by her (who d. 3 Jan. 1869) had a son,

Benjamin Geale, now of Cavanacor.

He m. 2ndly, 30 Aug. 1855, Maria, 3rd dau. of Falconer Miles, Esq. of Morton Sandford, co. Dublin, and d. 26 Aug. 1870, having had further issue,

William Geo. Kev. Nov. 1866.

Alice Mary Lydia.

Kathleen Mona.


FAIBLES-HERITITIRES OF BANK HOUSE.


Lineage. — This family comes originally from co. Durham. Nicholas Faible, Esq., J.P., m. 1800, Jane, dau. of — William of Meneston and South Shields and d. 1632, leaving a son,

William Watson Faible, Esq., m. 1835, Barbara Miller, and d. 1860, leaving issue,

1. Nicholas Watson, who has assumed the additional name of Bank House and Cwm Bromley.
2. Ambrose-William, M.D.
4. Barbara, m. W. McCormac, Esq.
5. Isabella.
6. Mary Kent, m. Dr. J. Bullied.

Residence—Bank House, and Cwm Bromley, Montgomery.

HUMPHREYS OF BALILHAYE.

Humphrys, William, Esq. of Ballyhaise House, co. Cavan, J.P., late Lieut. R.N., b. 17 Nov. 1585; m. 1759, Alice, dau. of James Stannard, Esq. of J.P. of Bricketstown House, co. Westford, and has issue,

1. William, b. 1585.
2. Nugent Winter, b. 1585.
3. Ethel Elizabeth.
4. Evelyne Alice.

Lineage. — William Humphrys, Esq. of Ballyhaise, co. Cavan, was High Sheriff of that co. 1622; by Letitia his wife he left a son

William LYNAM Humphrys, Esq. of Ballyhaise House, J.P. and D.L., High Sheriff 1823, b. Dec. 1768; m. Jane, 1828, Anna Maria, dau. of John Pratt Winter, Esq. of Agber, co. Meath, and by her (who d. 1857) had issue,

1. William, of Ballyhaise.
2. John, of Ballylilhaye.
4. Anne Elizabeth, m. 2 Aug. 1660, Armorie Russell McQuire, Esq. (see McQuire of Clones).

He m. 2ndly Feb. 1838, Maria Clariss, dau. of Hugh Moore, Esq. of Eglande House, co. Down, by whom he had,

4. Hugh (Rev.) of Coon, co. Kilkenny, Rector of Eccles- next-the-Sea, Norfolk, and Curate of Castlecomer, b. 11 Nov. 1888, formerly Capt. 16th Hussars; m. 28 Aug. 1874, Letitia, dau. of Henry Evans, Lombe, of Lysaughs Park, Norfolk, and has issue, William Evans Hughes, b. 1816. 5. Armitage Eglandine, of Lisgoan, co. Cavan, J.P., b. 8 Aug. 1843, m. 1887, Maria Victoria, only dau. of James Betzy, Esq. of Leafehead, Rabbwy, co. Cavan; 2ndly, Cecily, dau. of J. F. Weaver, Esq.

7. Margaret, m. John Walton, Esq.

Mr. Humphrys d. 1872, and was s. by his son,

William Humphrys, Esq., b. Nov. 1827; d. 1877, and was s. by his brother,

John Winter Humphrys, Esq. of Ballyhaise House, b. 23 Sept. 1829; m. 15 Feb. 1864, Fricilla Cecily, dau. of the Rev. Mr. Lyttle, of Killgaran, co. Carlow, and had issue,

1. William, now of Ballyhaise.
2. John Mervyn, b. 10 July, 1855; d. 26 Nov. 1874.
3. James Winter, b. 17 April, 1861; d. 1 Aug. 1871.