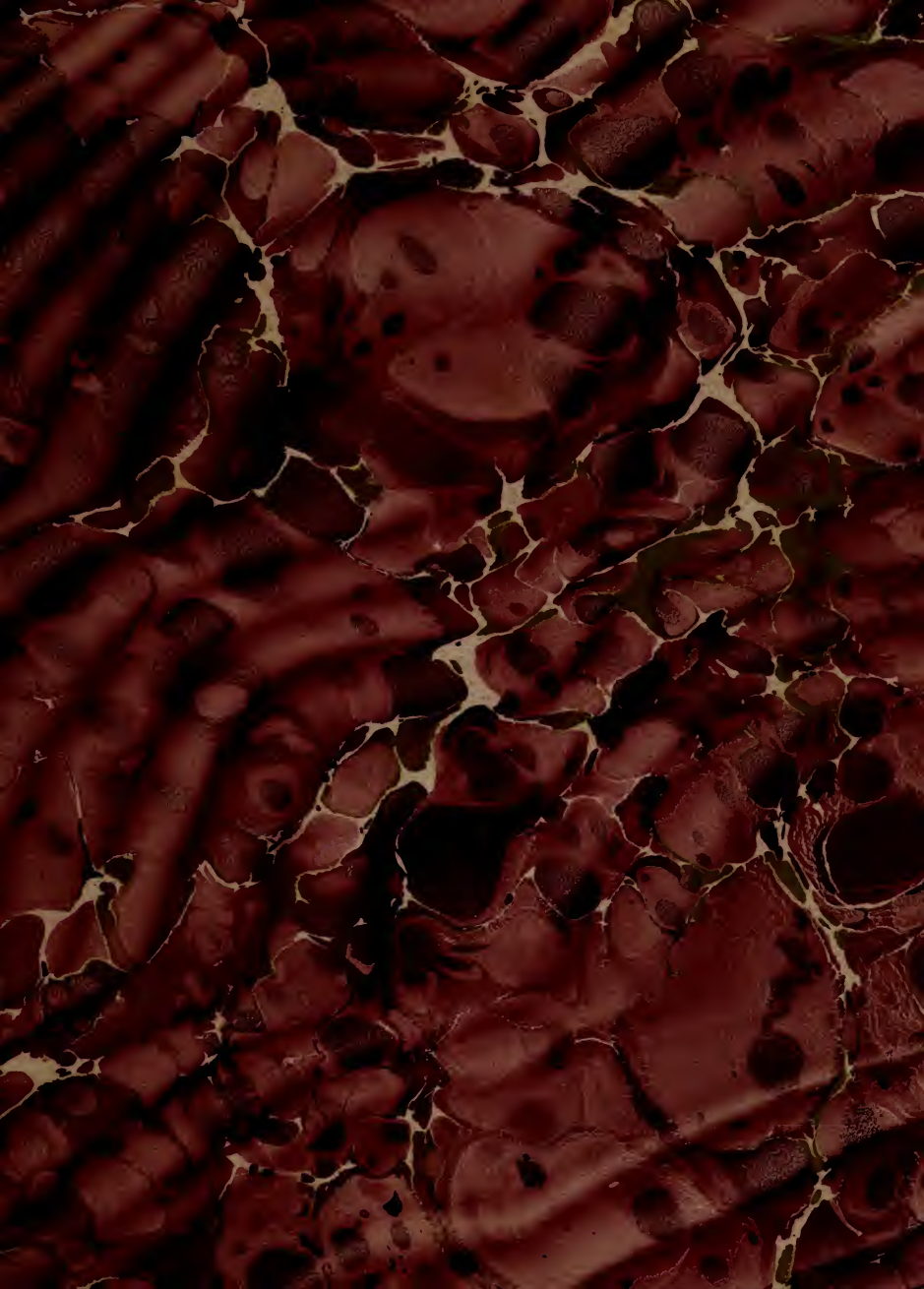
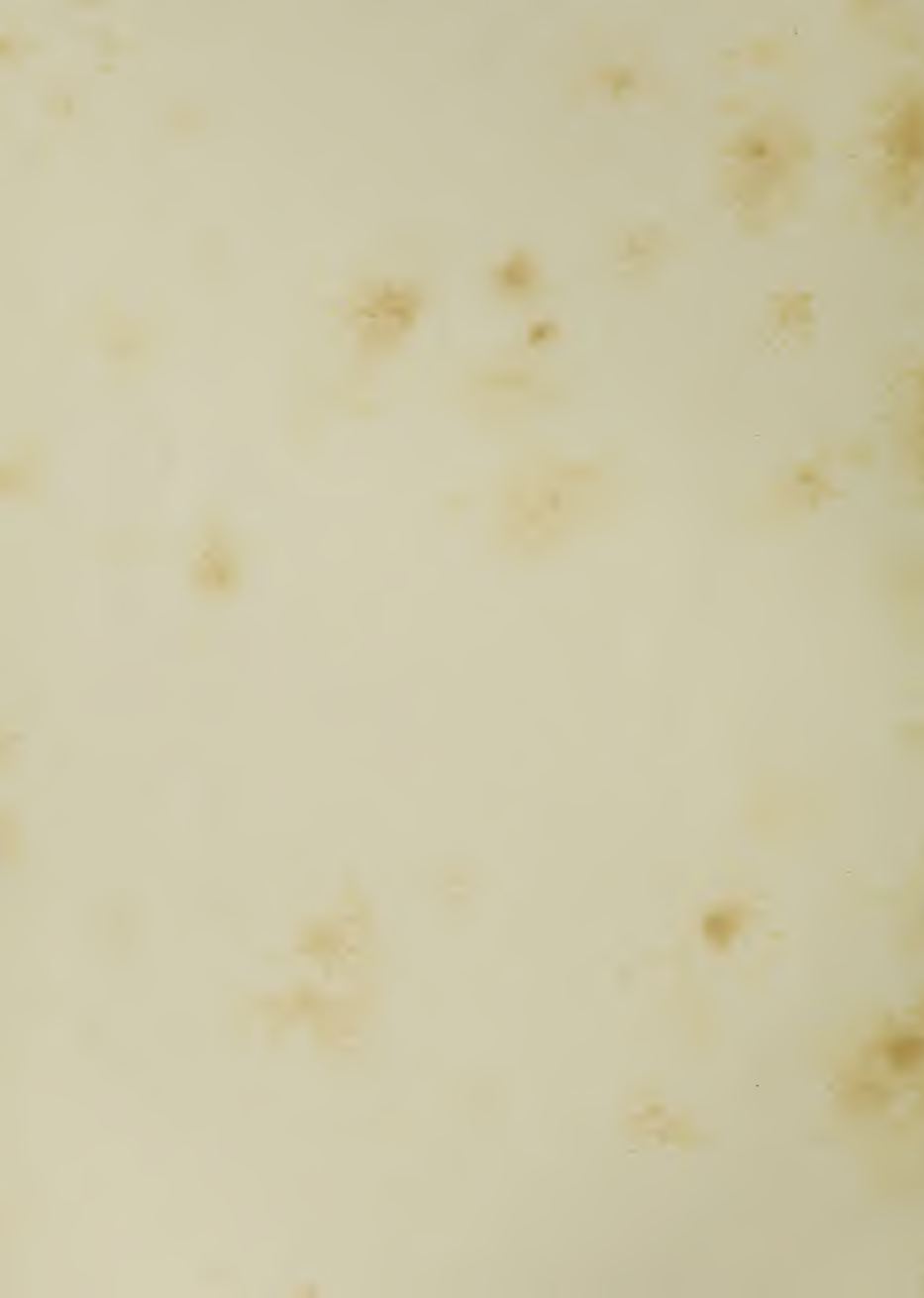




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OSBERTON.

IN giving a short chronological account of the history of Osberton, I must first mention that a pot containing 940 bronze Roman coins,* of the reigns of the Emperors of the Constantine family, dating about A.D. 340, or thereabouts, from the Mints of Rome, Lyons, Arles, Treves, and Amiens, was found whilst trenching the ground to plant a belt of trees along the north side of the Retford and Worksop turnpike road, near the third milestone from Worksop, on 21 December, 1835. The road had then been straightened, and the park carried up to it. The coins are now in a glass case at Osberton. I may mention that the turnpike road just alluded to was the first upon which MacAdam's principle was tried, and I suppose it was one of the last upon which a coach (that from Gainsborough to Worksop and Eckington) ran.

Osberton is mentioned in Domesday, which tells us that in Osbernestune, of the land of the Thanes, before the Conquest, were two manors, which Elwine and Ulviet had, and there was one carucate of land to be taxed. The land was sufficient for four ploughs (four carucates).

At the time of Domesday, Swan and Ulviet held of the King (William I.) and had there five sokemen having four ploughs (or carucates), and a church and twenty acres of

* N.B.—In December, 1802, some Roman coins had been found on Mr. Mason's estate about two miles east of Osberton and near the ancient Roman road to the North.

meadow. Wood pasture six quarentens long, three broad. In the Confessor's time, the value was sixty shillings; in the Conqueror's, ten shillings.

Later (*i.e.* temp. Hen. 3), we find that the whole town of Osberton was held by Malvesinus de Hercy of the Countess of Augi, or Eu (the then representative of the Busli* or Builli family, whose ancestor, Roger de Busli, had obtained so many manors in this neighbourhood, 174 in number, being the best part of ninety townships, and whose strongholds were at Tickhill and Blyth), and he held it by the service that he should be her dispenser or steward, and the heirs of Alfreton had the land, and defended it by such service.

Robert Fitz Ranulph de Alfreton (with the consent of William, his heir) gave the church of Osberton to God and the church of St. Mary and St. Cuthbert at Radford.† William de Alfreton, the son, confirmed his father's gift, and so also did his son, Robert, that of his grandfather. Walter, Archbishop of York, appropriated it. Thomas de Chaworth, representative, through his mother, of the Alfreton family, confirmed the gifts and confirmations which his maternal ancestors had made, *viz.*: the gift of Robert Fitz Ranulph of the church with its appurtenances, and the confirmation of William, his son, and of Robert, son of William, together with the land which the said Robert, son of the said William de Alfreton, grandfather of him, Thomas de Chaworth, quit-claimed lying between Appelhayheved and the Wood of Osberton, which land was formerly in contention between the said Robert and Robert de Pyckburn, sometime Prior of Wyrkesop, and there was also a fine levied of this Advowson, 47 Hen. 3 (1263) between Thomas de Chaworth and John, Prior of Wyrksop.

Thomas de Chaworth, Lord of Osberton, gave and granted to the said Prior and Convent, that way in Osberton which lay between the churchyard of the same town on the west, and the manor of the Prior and Convent of Worksop on the east, and stretched itself in length from the south

* N.B.—The meadow near the river at Worksop is still known as the Buslings.

† *i.e.* Worksop, Radford being a portion of Worksop.

cornèr of the said churchyard to the north corner.

Roger de Osberton, temp. Hen. 3, held a knight's fee of the Honor of Tickhill.

Thomas de Chaworth, in 3 E. 3, 1330, claimed free warren in his demesne lands at Marnham, Edwalton, and Osberton.

Thomas Dynham, Gent., in 31 H. 8 (1539), claimed against Johane Fitzwilliam, widow, the third part of the manors of Marnham and Osberton and appurtenances, &c., and the third part of the manors of Alfreton and Norton, in Derbyshire, all which had continued long to the family of Chaworth, of which the said Johane was a coheir.

King Henry VIII. (on 3 July, 32 Hen. 8, 1540) granted Osberton Grange, lying in Osberton, in the parish of Worksop (though not anciently so, as has been shewn) to Robert Dighton, Esq., and his heirs, together with Graveslane in Oxton, Hardwick Grange, and Hardwick Wood, late belonging to the Priory of Worksop, paying for the lands in Oxton, 2^s; for Osberton Grange, 7^s; and land in Hardwick, 9^s 5^d.

Robert Dighton, on 12 August, 32 Hen. 8 (1540), had licence to alienate Hardwick Grange and Wood, and all houses, buildings, and hereditaments in Osberton, Hardwick, and Worksop belonging to it, to Richard Whalley* and his heirs; and all messuages, lands, and tenements in Oxton and Osberton Grange, and the houses, &c., in Osberton, Hardwick, and Worksop, to William Bolles and his heirs.

This William Bolles was son of William Bolles, of Wortham, in Suffolk, who was a younger son of the family of Bolles, of Haugh, in Lincolnshire. His first wife, Margaret, daughter of Avery Rawson, of Essex, having died issueless, he married, secondly, Lucy, widow of John Petyt, and daughter and heir of John Watts, of London, by Alice, daughter of Richard Gate, and had two sons—Benjamin, of whom presently, and Bonaventure, who died without issue. His second wife, Lucy, dying in March, 1560-1, was buried at Worksop, 16th March, 1560-1, and her husband, William Bolles, of Osberton, married a third wife, Agnes, who died on

* Richard Whalley was of Screveton, and had had a grant of Welbeck Abbey.

2 Nov., 1569. He survived and died on 2 March, 1582, and was succeeded at Osberton by his son and heir, Benjamin.

Benjamin Bolles, of Osberton, married Anne, daughter of Lyon Goodricke, of Kirkby, in Lincolnshire, and had issue: Thomas Bolles, his successor, William, Winifred (who died young), Mary (who married Thomas Lockwood), and Winifred.

On the death of Benjamin Bolles, his eldest son, Thomas Bolles succeeded to Osberton, and he recorded the pedigree at the Visitation of 1614. He married, first, Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Perkins, of Fishlake, co. York, and had four sons and three daughters. He married, secondly, Mary, widow of Thomas Jobson, of Cudworth, co. York, Esq., and daughter of William Witham, of Ledstone, co. York. By this lady he had issue two daughters. She was created, by King Charles I. in 1635, à Baronetess, as Dame Mary Bolles, of Osberton, with remainder to her heirs male, this being the only instance of a baronetcy being conferred upon a lady. She had had issue by her first husband, Thomas Jobson, who had died in or about 1607, a daughter, Elizabeth, married to Thomas Sherbrooke, of Oxtou, co. Notts., and a son, Thomas Jobson, who was twice married, but who died before her, so at her death, on 5 May, 1662, she was succeeded in the baronetcy by her only surviving grandson, William, who only survived her three years, leaving, by his wife Lucy, daughter of Henry Tindal, of Brotherton, an only surviving daughter, Lucy, who was heiress of Cudworth, and who married Robert Ridgeway, fourth Earl of Londonderry, and had a son and two daughters. The son, Lord Galen-Ridgeway, and one daughter dying without issue, the remaining daughter, Lady Frances, became sole representative of the Jobson family, and married Thomas Pitt, who was created Earl of Londonderry in 1726.

But to return to the Bolles family. On the death of Thomas Bolles, the husband of Dame Mary, her stepson, his eldest surviving son by his first wife, Samuel, succeeded him at Osberton. Samuel Bolles was baptized at Worksop on 12 January, 1600-1, and his name appears repeatedly in the Worksop registers, marriages taking place before him, as a

Magistrate, during the Commonwealth period. By his first wife, Martha, he had three sons and five daughters. His wife dying in January, 1648-9, he married, secondly, Elizabeth Foster. His sons died young or unmarried, and his eldest daughter, Mary, who was married at Worksop, 12 April, 1659, to William Leek, son of Herbert Leek, of Halam, co. Notts., inherited Osberton. William Leek (or rather his representatives) exchanged Osberton for part of Stow Park, in Lincolnshire, in September, 1682, with John Thornhagh, Esq., of Fenton, in the parish of Sturton, co. Notts., who acquired it as a winter residence, and whose descendants have ever since possessed it.

John Thornhagh was the son of Colonel Francis Thornhagh, of Fenton, M.P. for Retford, who raised a regiment of horse for the Parliament, and was killed in the fight at Preston in Lancashire, on 18 August, 1648, aged thirty, and of Elizabeth, his wife, second daughter and coheir of John St. Andrew, Esq., of Gotham, co. Notts. John Thornhagh, who was born 1647, was M.P. for East Retford, 1689 to 1704, and for Nottinghamshire from 1704 to 1710. He married, at Stragglethorpe, in the parish of Beckingham, Lincolnshire, on Thursday fortnight before Michaelmas day, 1670, Elizabeth, daughter and eventually heir at law of Sir Richard Earle, first Bart., of Stragglethorpe, but the Earle property was left away by her nephew to his mother's family, the Welbys. Their son and heir, St. Andrew Thornhagh, born at Fenton, 31 March, 1674, succeeded to Osberton and Fenton, and married Letitia, daughter and coheir of Sir Edward Ayscough, of South Kelsey and Stallingborough, both in Lincolnshire, which former estate she brought into the family. Their son, John Thornhagh, married, at St. Anne's Church, Soho, Westminster, 23 July, 1744, Arabella, elder sister of Sir George Savile, 8th Bart., of Rufford and Thornhill, and their daughter became a coheir to her uncle. This John Thornhagh was M.P. for Nottinghamshire for twenty-seven years, from 1747 to 1774, and received the thanks of the county for his services when he retired. He was president of the Nottinghamshire Club on the

occasion of the dinner at the "Star and Garter," in Pall Mall on the night of the 26 January, 1765, when the unfortunate bet and quarrel between Lord Byron and Mr. Wm. Chaworth led to the duel and the death of the latter, and he was in consequence the principal witness at the trial of Lord Byron by the House of Lords in Westminster Hall on 16 and 17 April, 1765. Mr. Thornhagh had succeeded, under the will of Sir Thomas Hewett, to his estate of Shireoaks, in the parish of Worksop, and some two miles to the west of that town. He took the name of Hewett, and made Shireoaks Park his residence, his unmarried sisters living at Fenton Hall, the old family home, which has since been pulled down, whilst Osberton was let to various tenants—to Mr. Robert Ramsden, (fourth son of Sir William Ramsden, second Baronet), who lived here from 1746 till his death in February, 1769, as did his son, Robert Ramsden, till he purchased Carlton, 1777, and it was afterwards let to Lord Monson.

At Mr. Thornhagh-Hewett's death, on 17 May, 1787, Osberton, and his other estates at Fenton, South Kelsey, &c., passed to his daughter, Mary Arabella, who had married, at St. George's, Hanover Square, London, 30 June, 1774, Francis Ferrand Foljambe, Esq., of Aldwark, co. York, who was M.P. for Yorkshire in 1784 after the resignation, shortly before his death, of Sir George Savile, and afterwards for Higham Ferrers from 1801 to 1807.

After making considerable alterations at Aldwark, Mr. Foljambe determined, after his first wife's death in 1790, to make Osberton his residence, and with that object added very considerably to the house between 1798 and 1800, and made the lake, enlarging an older pond that had been in front of Scofton Hall, and extending it up to the north front at Osberton. During the alterations to the house, some fragments of stained glass* were found. He also sold several out-

* One piece of glass has a bird's head upon it, apparently a crest, the other piece is part of a diamond-shaped pane of yellow glass (*see opposite page*), on which is a portion of the Bolles pedigree, shewing its date to have been the seventeenth century, and therefore not in any way connected with the former church, which seems to have disappeared in the time of Henry VIII. Human bones were found at the time of the alterations in 1800, and it is said that a blacksmith's shop, on the site of the present offices, had in its walls stones which appear to have formed part of the church, and mention is also made of a font being there at that time.

lying estates at this time, the last of the Foljambe Derbyshire property, the estates at Steeton, in Yorkshire, South Kelsey, in Lincolnshire, and the Irish estates in co. Fermanagh, which, with Brierley, had come to his wife under her uncle, Sir George Savile's will, and he added considerably to the Osberton estate by purchasing Scofton, with Rayton, in 1800, from the Suttons, and Bilby in 1801 from the Vanes, and shortly afterwards, in 1807, part of the Hodsock estate of the Mellish family, viz., Fleecethorpe and Hodsock Millhouse. He married, secondly, in 1792, Lady Mary Arabella Lumley, first cousin of his first wife, and lived at Osberton till his death 13 Nov., 1814, when his grandson, the late George Savile Foljambe, succeeded him. Being a minor, he continued to live at Bilby Hall with his mother, who had moved there from Aldwark after her husband's death in 1805, but on attaining his majority in 1821 he came to Osberton, which was his home till his death in 1869. He was High Sheriff of Notts. in 1826, and contested North Notts. in the Liberal interest at the General Election of 1837, but was defeated by Mr. Gally Knight and Mr. Houldsworth. He had married, at Bolton Percy, co. York, 9 December, 1829, Harriet Emily Mary, eldest daughter, by his second wife, of Sir William Mordaunt Sturt Milner, fourth Bart., of Nunappleton, co. York. She died 28 December, 1830, leaving an only child, Francis John Savile Foljambe, the present representative of the family. Mr. Foljambe built (in memory of his first wife) a church or private chapel, just across the ornamental water from Osberton, on the site of Scofton Hall, which had been pulled down some thirty years previously, but of which a small portion of the offices remained until then. This church was consecrated by the Archbishop of York in 1833. It was a private chapel until 1876, when the present Mr. Foljambe had it constituted a separate parish, the boundary of which coincides with his estate, it being taken from the parishes of Worksop, Babworth, Blyth, and Carlton.

The late Mr. Foljambe was for forty-four years (from 1822 to 1866) the owner of a celebrated pack of foxhounds.

He married, secondly, 28 August, 1845, at Wentworth Woodhouse (in the private chapel in the house) Selina Charlotte Viscountess Milton, widow of William Charles Viscount Milton, and daughter and coheir (the eldest to leave issue) of Charles Cecil Cope, third and last Earl of Liverpool, who was also third Lord Hawkesbury, which title has been revived in favour of her eldest son.

By his second marriage Mr. Foljambe had three sons and four daughters, of whom two sons and three daughters survived him. He made additions to the house at Osberton in the years 1847-1848, adding a kitchen wing and throwing out a bay in the east front of the older part of the house, and raising the roof of that part, and he threw together three rooms on the ground floor which he made into a museum, in which he placed the almost unique collection of British birds begun by his predecessor and continued by him, and also the many other objects of interest which he and his predecessor had collected, both of natural history, birds' eggs, butterflies, moths, and other insects, and botanical and geological collections, with other curiosities. Amongst other things is a Roman altar found in the Trent at Littleborough on his estate there, where the Roman road from Lincoln to Doncaster crossed that river. Also the carved altar piece from Beauchief Abbey, representing the murder of Thomas-a-Becket, which was apparently the gift of Sir Godfrey Foljambe, who lived in the time of Edward III., and who was seneschal to John of Gaunt, Duke of Lancaster, Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, and Constable of Peak Castle, for it has his arms and those of his wife, Avena Ireland, upon it. He also, at a later date, about 1866, made a terrace on the north and east sides of the house. The present owner of Osberton has added very considerably to the house between the years 1872 and 1880, building out a large drawing room and library with rooms over them to the north towards the lake,* and throwing together the old drawing room and staircase hall,

* Whilst digging the foundations for extending the house towards the lake, two skeletons were found.

making a large central hall, in which he has placed the collection of British birds. He represented East Retford and the Hundred of Bassetlaw in Parliament from 1857 to 1885, and in 1895 was made a Privy Councillor. He married, in 1856, Lady Gertrude Emily Acheson, eldest daughter of the third Earl of Gosford, by whom he has three sons.

SCOFTON.

Scofton was a member of the royal manor of Mansfield. It is mentioned in Domesday thus among other members of that manor:—In Scotebi (Scofton), Torp (Thorp), and Rouueton (Rayton), two carucates.

Soke. In Carleton (Carlton) two carucates, in Scotebi (Scofton), Reneton (Rayton), and Torp (Thorp), two carucates, that is, four to be taxed. Soke in Mansfield. They are waste.

But little is known of the early history of Scofton, but Thoroton mentions that there was "a writ of false judgement "21 H. 8 (1529-30) between Elizabeth Fenton, widow, Plain-tiff, and John Hill, Thomas Capstoke, and Robert Johnson, "alias Robert Smith, concerning 3 messuages, 200 acres of "land, 40 acres of meadow, 20 acres of pasture, 4 acres of "wood, and 10^s rent, with the appurtenances in Scofton, in "the King's Court of Maunfield in Sherwood."

Soon after this date we find the Jessop family settled at Scofton, when Wortley Jessop, eldest son of William Jessop, Esq., of Broom Hall, Sheffield, came to live at Scofton towards the close of the sixteenth century. He made his will 13 April, 1615, and being lost at sea, his will was proved in the Manor Court of Mansfield, 27 May, 1617. His son, William Jessop, lived at Broom Hall after the death of his first wife, and the connection with Scofton appears to end with the grandson, and we next find the Banks family resident here.

Joseph Banks was the son of an officer who had served under Sir John Reresby in the garrison at Bridlington, and

who died at a great age at his son's house at Scofton. He married, at Sheffield, 5 August, 1689, Mary, daughter of Mr. Rowland Hancock, who resided, as tenant, at Shiercliffe Hall, and was pastor of the Nonconformists at Sheffield, and she had a fortune of £400. Mr. Banks acquired a considerable practice as an attorney, and was agent for the Dukes of Norfolk, Leeds, and Newcastle. He left Sheffield and settled at Scofton, was M.P. for Grimsby in one Parliament (1714-15 to 1721) and for Totnes in another (1721-22 to 1727). He also purchased Revesby, and was buried there in 1727. His son, Joseph Banks, lived at Revesby, and was grandfather of the Rt. Hon. Sir Joseph Banks, president of the Royal Society. But Scofton had passed from this family, having been purchased, about 1727, by Brigadier General Richard Sutton, whose father, Robert Sutton, was son of Henry Sutton, younger brother of Robert, first Lord Lexington of Averham. It is related that owing to some delay in the transfer of the estate, the General, who then held a command in the north, sent some troops to take possession of it. He died in 1737, but in the short period he was in possession, he planted considerably, and there yet remain clumps of Scotch firs, still known as "General Sutton's platoons," which were planted alternately on either side of the riding, *en échelon*, being the formation he adopted for his troops in one of the battles he had fought in under the great Duke of Marlborough. He was succeeded by his eldest son, Robert, whose grandson, Robert William Evelyn Sutton, Esq., sold the Scofton estate to Francis Ferrand Foljambe, Esq., in 1800, as already mentioned, when the hall was pulled down and the gardens joined to those of Osberton, whilst the present church was, as has been said, built on the site of the hall in 1833.

RAYTON.

Rayton has been mentioned as appearing with Scofton in Domesday as a member of the royal manor of Mansfield. But little is known of its mediæval history. Thoroton tells

us that in 30 E. I. (1302) " Stephen Malovel gave a message, " 260 acres of land and 7 acres of meadow in Renetone, nigh " Worksop, to Alice, the wife of Ranulph de Huntingfield, " who bound himself to John de Melsa in 100 marks by a " Statute Merchant, and failing in payment, the Sheriff caused " the land to be extended at a reasonable price, viz. : " £4 9s. 1d. and put the said John in seisin, in which he " stood for a year or more, until the said Ranulph and Alice " disseised him, &c.

" Upon this came William de Dogmerfield, who said he " was King's Bailiff of the Manor of Maunesfield, and that " Reneton was a member of the King's said Manor, and the " Tenements put in view, ancient Demesne, &c." In this are recorded very many of the customs of Mansfield, which shews that they are as like freeholders as copyholders can be.

Rayton afterwards came, by marriage, into the possession of a branch of the great family of Eyre, of Derbyshire, and continued in that family for some six generations. It afterwards became joined to the Scofton estate, and passed with it to the Foljambes.

The Eyres had a moated residence, the site of which may still be seen near the river Ryton, to the south-east of, and on lower ground than, the modern farm house, the moated enclosure being now used as an orchard.

BILBY AND HODSOCK.

Bilby, which came into the hands of the Foljambes by purchase for £21,000 in 1801, is mentioned in Domesday as follows :—In Bernesedelawe (Bassetlaw) Wapentake.

Manor. In Bilebi (Bilby) Grimchel had six oxgangs of land to be taxed. Land to three ploughs. Ingram a vassal of Roger's, has there one plough and nine villanes, and one bordar having three ploughs, and six acres of meadow. Value in King Edward's time, 40^s; now, 20^s.

Manor. In Odesach (Hodsock), Ulsi had two carucates of land to be taxed. Land to four ploughs. Turoid a vassal of

Roger's, has there two ploughs, and three sokemen who hold four oxgangs of this land, and twelve villanes having nine ploughs. There are two mills of 16^s 4^d and eight acres of meadow. Wood pasture one mile long and half a mile broad. Value in King Edward's time and now, 60^s.

BILBY.

With regard to the history of Bilby, Thoroton places the Ingram, mentioned in Domesday as the ancestor of the lords of Alfreton. At any rate William Fitz Ranulph of that family was a benefactor of the abbey of Welbeck, giving the abbot and canons the mill of Bilby. William's daughter, Isabella, married John de Orreby, who, with Thurstan Dispensator, held, under the Countess of Eu, one third part and a twelfth part of a knight's fee in Bilby, the Countess herself holding direct from the Crown.

Afterwards the Chaworths, the representatives of the lords of Alfreton, held Bilby, and it appears that they sold it to Sir William Hewet, the rich London merchant, who was Lord Mayor in 1559, and who purchased estates at Barking, in Essex, at Wales, in Yorkshire, the place of his birth, and at Harthill, also in Yorkshire. The Hewets of Shireoaks were descended from his brother. Sir William Hewet's only daughter married Edward Osborne (ancestor of the Dukes of Leeds), the story of whose rescue of the young lady from drowning in the Thames at London Bridge, and subsequent marriage, is too well known to be here repeated.

The son and heir of Edward Osborne, Sir Edward Osborne, Bart., sold Bilby to Sir Gervase Clifton, of Clifton and Hodsock, Bart. In 1695 Sir Gervase Clifton sold estates in Bilby, Ranby, and Styrrup to Sir Cresswell Levinz, Kt., Serjeant-at-Law, and two years later, in 1697, he sold to Levinz the royalties of Bilby and Ranby.

In 1748 William Levinz the younger (of Grove) conveyed to the Honourable Morgan Vane, for the sum of £5,500 property in the parishes of Babworth and Blyth, including Bilby. He was known as "His Honour Vane," and in 1768

he sold Ranby Forest, containing some 1,400 acres, in Babworth parish, to William Mellish, of Blyth Hall. By his first wife, Margaretta Knight, the Honourable Morgan Vane had a son, Morgan, who succeeded to Bilby, and was three times married. On his third marriage he settled all his property on his wife, Catherine Brooks. Two years after his death she married John Dore, of Reading, and on her marriage with him settled the Bilby estate so that her children, by her second husband, benefited equally with those of her first. The present Lord Barnard is the grandson of her son by her first husband. The trustees of this marriage settlement sold Bilby, in 1801, to Francis Ferrand Foljambe, Esq. for £21,000. He lived at Bilby Hall for a short time whilst making the additions to the house at Osberton, and is described as of Bilby Hall in his return as M.P. for Higham Ferrers in 1801, 1802, and 1806. But he then moved to Osberton, and the widow of his eldest son (who had died 14 January, 1805), finding Aldwark Hall, where *they* had lived, too large for her, came to Bilby Hall with her young family, and occupied it until her eldest son came of age, in 1821, and entered into possession of the Osberton estates. The Hall at Bilby was not a large one, but had one very good room in it—the drawing room. There was an ornamental sheet of water in front of the house which afterwards became silted up, and is now done away with, the dam being removed. The house was partially pulled down, and what was left was converted by the late Mr. Foljambe into keepers' cottages and kennels. For a short time he kept his hounds here, but after that only the pointers, beagles, and Clumber spaniels. The old stables have been converted into cottages by the present Mr. Foljambe. There is an old oak with great spread of branches on Bilby lawn, and some fine cedars in the old pleasure ground.

HODSOCK AND FLEECETHORP.

With regard to Hodsock, the Domesday Lord of Hodsock, Torald de Lizours, has been mentioned already. He was a

witness to the foundation charter of Blyth Abbey—1088. The second lords of Hodsock were the Cressys, who were connected by marriage with the Lizours family, as shewn in the accompanying pedigree. They held it for nine generations, from the reign of Henry II. to that of Henry IV., when Sir Hugh Cressy, Kt., dying issueless, his elder sister, Katherine, the wife of Sir John Clifton, carried this estate to that family, 9 H. 4 (1408). It remained in the Clifton family for thirteen generations, being sold by Sir Gervase Clifton, sixth Baronet, in 1765, to William and Charles Mellish (father and son). The latter was father of Col. Henry Francis Mellish (the friend of the Prince Regent), who, in 1807, sold that portion of his estate, which lay on the south-east side of the road from Blyth to Worksop and south of Hodsock Bridge, to Francis Ferrand Foljambe, including Fleecehorpe, Hodsock Millhouse, &c., containing 1,094 acres, 3 roods, 39 poles, of which 482 acres, 31 poles are in the parish of Carlton and 612 acres, 3 roods, 8 poles in the parish of Blyth. The late Mr. Foljambe made a further purchase of land in Carlton parish.

FAMILY PORTRAITS AT OSBERTON.

There is a catalogue, dated 1746 (when the house was about to be let), of the portraits then at Osberton, chiefly of the Thornhagh and Ayscough families and their relatives; amongst others, Sir Nicholas Clifford, Mr. and Mrs. Skeffington, and Lord and Lady Ffolliott. These two last may be two portraits in coronation robes, with coronets, which were afterwards erroneously thought to be the first Lord Barnard and his wife, and which were in consequence given by the present Mr. Foljambe to Sir Henry Morgan Vane, the father of the present Lord Barnard.

The portraits in the gallery above the central hall are as follows:—

At the South end beyond the Staircase.

- 1.—John Thornhagh, Esq., M.P., b. 1647, d. 1723, in brown.
- 2.—The same in later life, also in brown.

Along the West side.

- 3.—A lady in white and blue (probably an Ayscough).
- 4.—St. Andrew Thornhagh, Esq., son of the before-mentioned John Thornhagh, Esq., M.P., painted in 1719.
- 5.—A lady in blue (probably an Ayscough).
- 6.—A lady in blue (probably an Ayscough).
- 7.—A man in a wig and blue coat, called Francis Foljambe, of Aldwark, who died 1752.
- 8.—Francis Ferrand Foljambe, Esq., b. 1750, d. 1814. As a young man, painted in France.
- 9.—Lady Thornhagh, wife of Sir John Thornhagh. On the canvas, "Ætatis Suæ 56. 1625."
- 10.—Sir Richard Earle, of Stragglethorpe, first Baronet, by G. Soest.
- 11.—A lady in embroidered dress (probably Lady Thornhagh, wife of Sir Francis Thornhagh), wrongly named Lady Hickman. On panel, "Ætatis Suæ. 17. 1617."
- 12.—A lady in red, called Mary (Worsley), wife of Francis Foljambe, of Aldwark.
- 13.—Mrs. W. Frankland, daughter of Sir Edward Ayscough.
- 14.—Sir Godfrey Foljambe, Kt., of Walton and Aldwark, d. 1585.
- 15.—Arabella, wife of John Thornhagh, and elder sister of Sir G. Savile, eighth Baronet.
- 16.—Sir George Savile, eighth Baronet, painted in 1771.
- 17.—Francis Ferrand Foljambe, Esq.
- 18.—Drawing of the Foljambe standard, 5 H. 8, 1513, and grant of a crest, a calopus or chatloup, quarterly, or and sable.
- 19.—John Thornhagh-Hewett.
- 20.—Barbara, Countess of Scarbrough, by Sir J. Reynolds.
- 21.—A lady in brown, oval (probably Mrs. Stanhope).
- 22.—The poet Gray.
- 23.—Colonel Wildman.
- 24.—The Poet Mason (Rev. Wm. Mason).
- 25.—A portrait of the Right Hon. F. J. S. Foljambe, painted in August, 1901, by Keyworth Raine.

26.—Also one of the artist (K. Raine), by himself, 1901.

In the passage to the North.

27.—A man (perhaps Mr. Skeffington).

28.—A lady (perhaps Mrs. Skeffington).

Also five drawings in the passage.

Along the East side.

29.—Mrs. George Foljambe in 1888, by J. H. Bentley.

30.—Lady Gertrude Foljambe with her sons, Godfrey and Hubert, by Otto Leyde, R.S.A.

31.—George Savile Foljambe, b. 1856, by J. H. Bentley, in 1888.

32.—A girl in blue with basket of flowers (possibly Mrs. Moore).

33.—Mary Laura Egerton, second daughter of Mrs. Thomas Egerton, by Weigall.

34.—Harriet, Caroline, and Charlotte, daughters of Sir Wm. M. S. Milner, Bart., painted in 1828.

35.—Harriet Emily Mary (Milner), first wife of the late G. S. Foljambe, Esq., by F. Y. Hurlstone, 1829.

36.—Francis John Savile Foljambe, aged two, in red frock with black retriever, in 1832.

37.—George Savile Foljambe, posthumous portrait, by Weigall.

38.—Francis John Savile Foljambe, by Weigall.

39.—A boy in blue with a white greyhound (possibly Thomas Foljambe the last, of Aldwark).

40.—A man in buff and armour.

On the East side of Staircase.

41.—A lady in white satin dress, possibly Lady Ayscough.

42.—A man in red coat and armour (possibly Sir Edward Ayscough).

Below, over Fireplace.

43.—A stag, nearly life-size, with a view of Aldwark Hall in the background.

In the Entrance Hall.

44.—Colonel Francis Thornhagh, full length, in armour, killed at the fight at Preston, in Lancashire, 1648.

- 45.—Sir George Savile, eighth and last Baronet, by Wilson.
Also two paintings of favourite hunters belonging to Francis Ferrand Foljambe, Esq.

Dining Room (over Fireplace).

- 46.—Large picture of George Savile Foljambe, Esq. and his hounds, in Grove Park, 1829. Portraits of (beginning from the left), Lord Henry Bentinck, Charles Wortley, Lord Titchfield (afterwards fifth Duke of Portland), Henry Bridgman Simpson, Esq., Francis Thornhagh Foljambe, Lord Galway, Lord George Bentinck, George Savile Foljambe, and Joe Thompson, the Kennel Huntsman, by J. Ferneley, 1829.

At North end of room.

- 47.—Large presentation hunting picture of Francis John Savile Foljambe and his hounds, 1880. Portraits of (beginning from the left as before), Hon. Evelyn Pelham, E. Heneage, Lady Eleanor Heneage, F. Cracroft Amcotts, Will Dale (huntsman), Francis J. S. Foljambe, Godfrey, George, and Hubert Foljambe, Francis F. Anderson and Stud Groom, Carlisle.

Also busts in the dining room of Sir George Savile, Lord J. Russell, C. J. Fox, Lord Althorp, Lord Palmerston, and Lord George Bentinck.

Billiard Room.

- 48.—Picture of G. S. Foljambe, Esq. and his father-in-law, Sir Wm. M. S. Milner, Bart., covert shooting with team of Clumber spaniels, in the Silver Firs, and three keepers, Will Hall and his two sons, William and Frank Hall. By J. Ferneley, 1835.

- 49.—Hunting scene in Leicestershire.

Two pictures of horses with huntsmen (Butler and Will Merry) and hounds.

Eleven pictures of favourite horses of the late G. S. Foljambe.

Two horses belonging to Francis Thornhagh Foljambe.
Ten portraits of hounds belonging to the late George S.
Foljambe.

All by Ferneley except one, of a horse, by T. Weaver, 1825.

Library.

One picture, Sibylla Persica, by Guercino.

Drawing Room.

Twelve pictures, Landscape, &c., by Ruysdael, Waterlow,
Vernet, two by Claude Lorraine, two by Teniers,
Rubens, Van Ostade, and one on panel and two on
copper, artists unknown.

Morning Room.

Three pictures, viz.: by Berghem, Cuyp, and D. L.
Valkenburg (the latter dead game). Also three
pictures of horses, viz.: Marske (the sire of Eclipse)
by Stubbs, Jupiter by Gilpin, Flying Childers by
Wootton.

Study.

Wm. Wagstaffe, agent to the late Mr. Foljambe, by
Partridge.

Lord Cromwell.

Poultry Yard.

Dead game.

Three portraits of horses belonging to the late G. S.
Foljambe, Esq., one of a shorthorn, one of a grey-
hound, one of a retriever, and one of a fox. Also
thirteen small engravings and photographs.

Mr. Foljambe's Dressing Room.

- 1.—Lady Gertrude Foljambe, watercolour sketch by Moore.
- 2.—Three children of F. F. Foljambe, Esq. Mary Beresford
Foljambe (afterwards Mrs. Edmunds) and her twin
brother and sister, Henry Savile Foljambe and
Arabella Savile Foljambe, by W. Staveley, 1800.
- 3.—Lady Mary Arabella Lumley (afterwards Lady Mary
Arabella Foljambe), by W. Staveley.

- 4.—Three sons of F. F. Foljambe, Esq., John Savile Foljambe, F. F. Foljambe, jun., and George Foljambe, by W. Staveley, 1800.
- 5.—Pastel of Mary Arabella, first wife of F. F. Foljambe, Esq.
- 6.—Francis Thornhagh Foljambe as a boy with a spaniel, at Hutton, near York.
- 7.—Pastel of Major George Foljambe in Hussar uniform, 1810
- 8.—Pastel of F. F. Foljambe, Esq., as a young man.
- 9.—George Savile Foljambe, jun., on his pony.
- 10.—Mezzotint of the portrait of Mary, Viscountess Portman.
- 11.—Arabella Savile Foljambe, as a child, 1786.

Also five photographs.

Lady G. Foljambe's Sitting Room.

- 1.—Portrait of Godfrey A. T. Foljambe, by Miss M. Lancaster-Lucas.
- 2.—Portrait of Hubert F. F. B. Foljambe, by J. H. Bentley.
- 3.—George Savile Foljambe and Lady Milton, his second wife.
- 4.—Lady Gertrude Foljambe, miniature, by Moira.
- 5.—Lady Carden, miniature, by Thorburn. Nineteen old miniatures in two cases, nine one side, ten Thornhagh and Foljambe ones on the other. Also eleven coloured engravings.

In Blue Bedroom.

Twelve oilpaintings in black frames, including distant view of Edinburgh, Conisborough Castle, &c.

In Blue Dressing Room.

Nine early watercolours, including the Roche Abbey Gateway, Worksop Abbey Gateway, Queen Oak in Birkland, Conisborough Castle, &c.

In Red Bedroom.

Sixteen old engravings in black frames.

In Red Dressing Room.

Twenty-one engravings. Engraved portraits of the late Earl Fitzwilliam, the late and present Lords Portman, Sir George Savile, eighth Baronet, Charles

James Fox, the Poet Mason, the Marquis of Hartington, Major Richard Fawkes, Lady Edward Bentinck, the third Duke of Portland with his brother, Lord Edward Bentinck, Sir Wm. M. S. Milner, Archdeacon Bentinck, the second Earl Granville, Mr. Brand, Speaker of the House of Commons, Lord Nelson, Admiral Keppel, &c., a drawing of Mary Lady Savile, mother of Sir George Savile, eighth Baronet, and Mrs. Thornhagh, apparently the sketch for the portrait of her, by Romney, now at Rufford Abbey, and a pencil drawing of a lady, by E. Worlidge, 1745 (probably Mrs. Mosley, who was a Miss Thornhagh).

In East Bedroom.

Portrait of Harriet Emily Mary (Milner) first wife of the late G. S. Foljambe, b 1810, d. 1830.

Head in pastel.

Ditto.

Picture of a spaniel.

Monkey and fruit.

Fruit piece.

In West Bedroom.

Three watercolour views of Aldwark, by Selina, Viscountess Milton.

Three old watercolours of the Thames and St. Paul's Cathedral from near Fife House, the Wash Bridge at Osberton, and a waterfall and river.

Three smaller watercolours by the late Viscountess Portman and Miss C. Foljambe.

In West Dressing Room.

Seven engravings of Masters of Foxhounds.

In North Bedroom.

Seven oilpaintings, Landscapes.

In North Dressing Room.

Six oilpaintings, Landscapes.

Besides the above there is a replica of the portrait of Colonel Francis Thornhagh hanging in the Servants' Hall. And there was a very old portrait of a man found some years ago, which was possibly that of Sir Nicholas Clifford, mentioned in the Catalogue, 1746, but in such a bad condition as to be past restoration.

Amongst the interesting documents are :—

Muster Roll for Notts. and Derbyshire when Sir Godfrey Foljambe, Kt., was Sheriff, 1588.

Readings of the Forest Laws, circa 1595.

J. Nedham, Surveyor of the King's Works, Accompts, 1540.

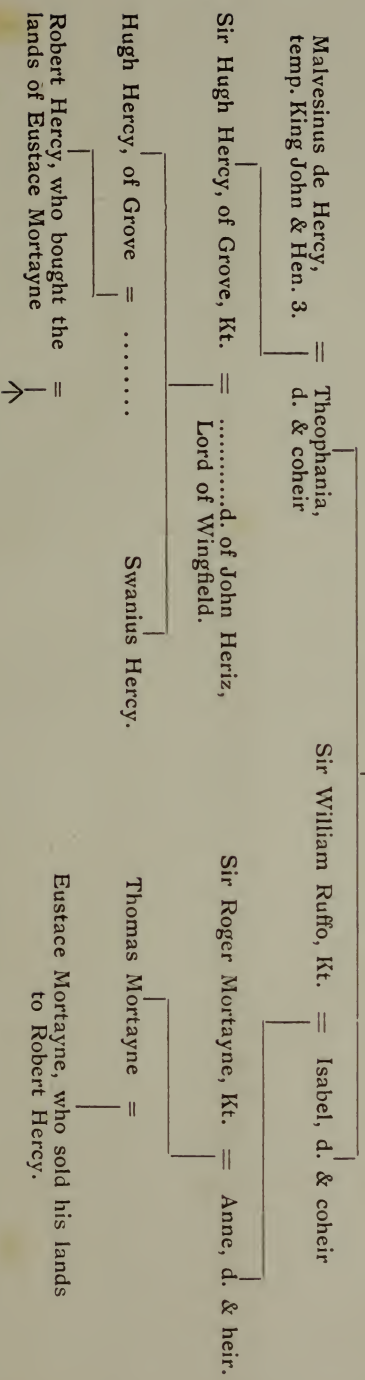
A collection of letters from James, Duke of York, to William, Prince of Orange, 1678-1679.

Sir C. Wren, Surveyor of the King's Works, Accompts, 1682-1683.

N.B.—Sir Thos. Hewett, of Shireoaks, was Surveyor General of Works to William III. and Surveyor General of Works to George I.

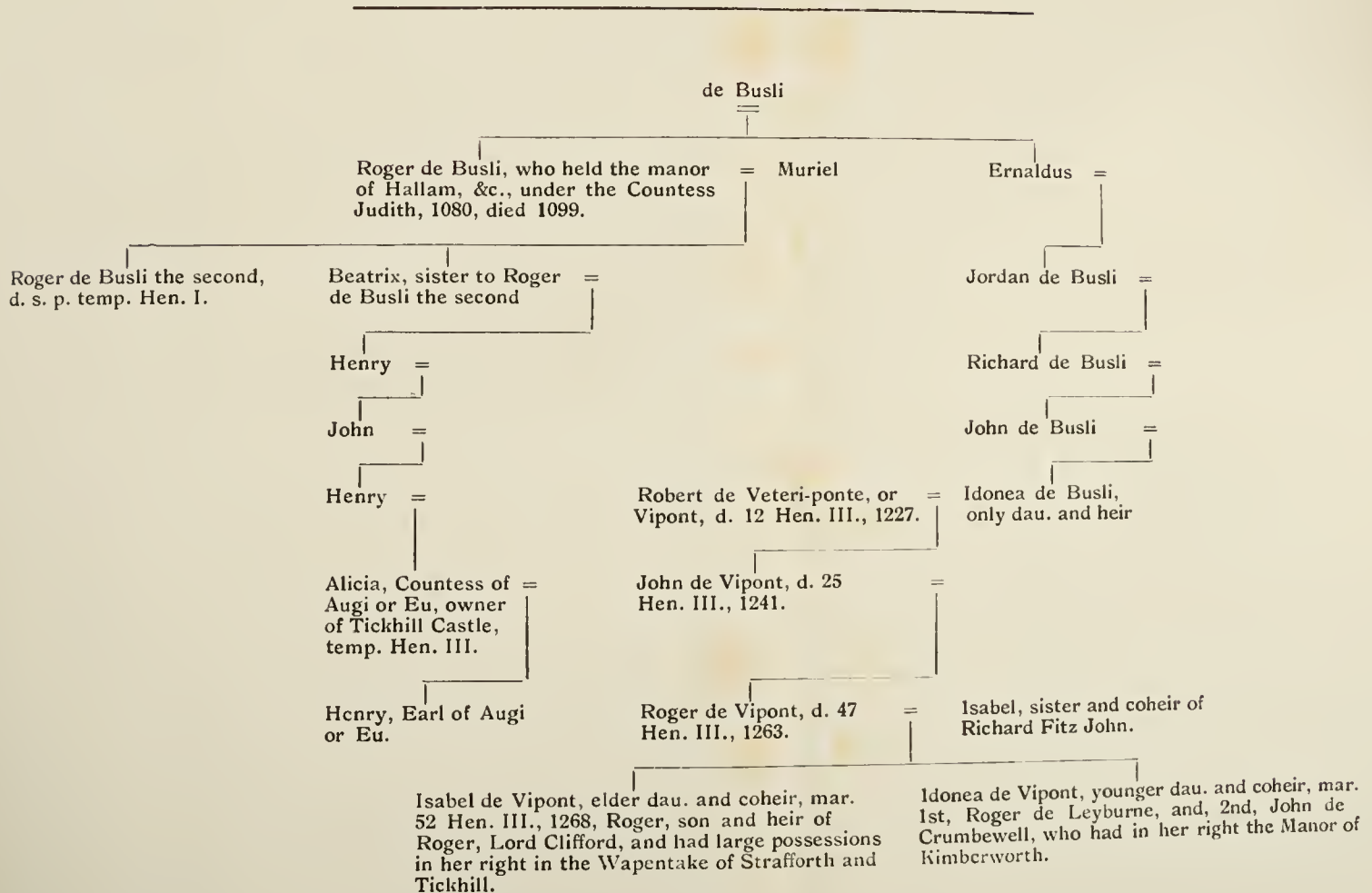


Hercy—Gules, a chief argent.
Arches of Grove—Ermine, a chief azure

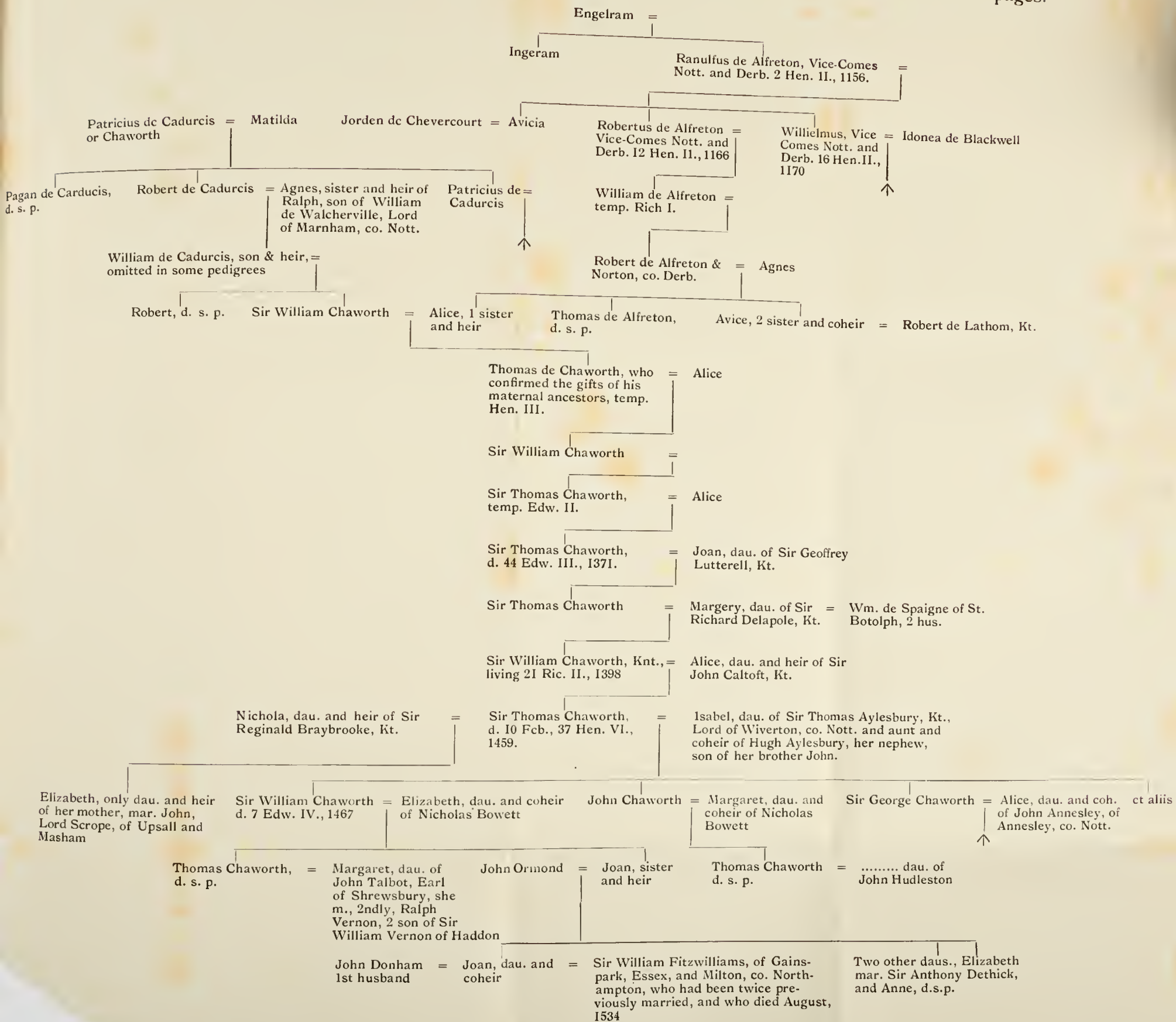


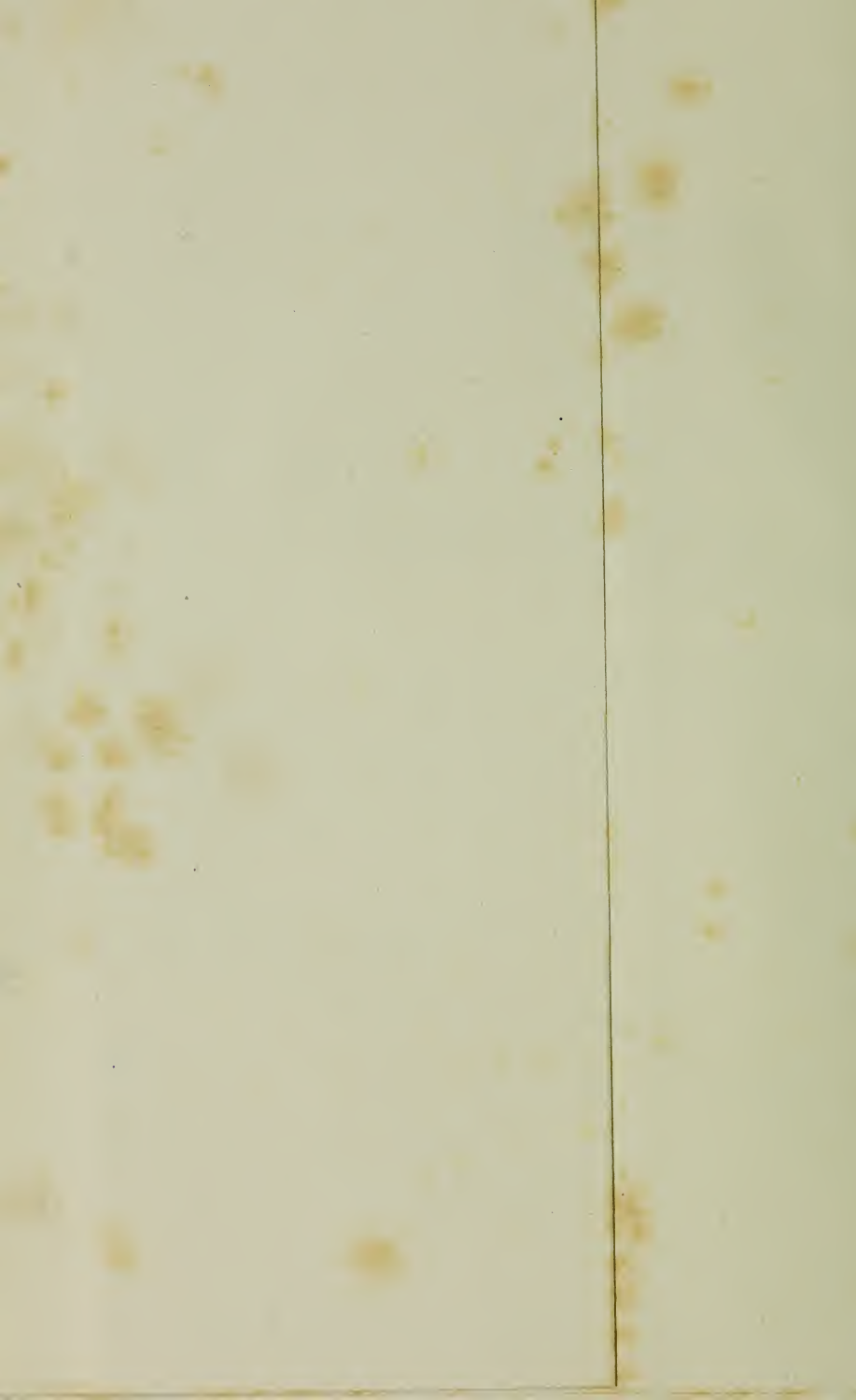
PEDIGREE OF DE BUSLI.

Traditional Arms—Gules, one bezant—(this on the authority of Dodsworth MSS. in Bodl. vol. clx., f. 17a, but at this early date hereditary coat armour had not come into use.)



Pedigree of the DE ALFRETON and CHAWORTH Families, as far as relates to these pages.

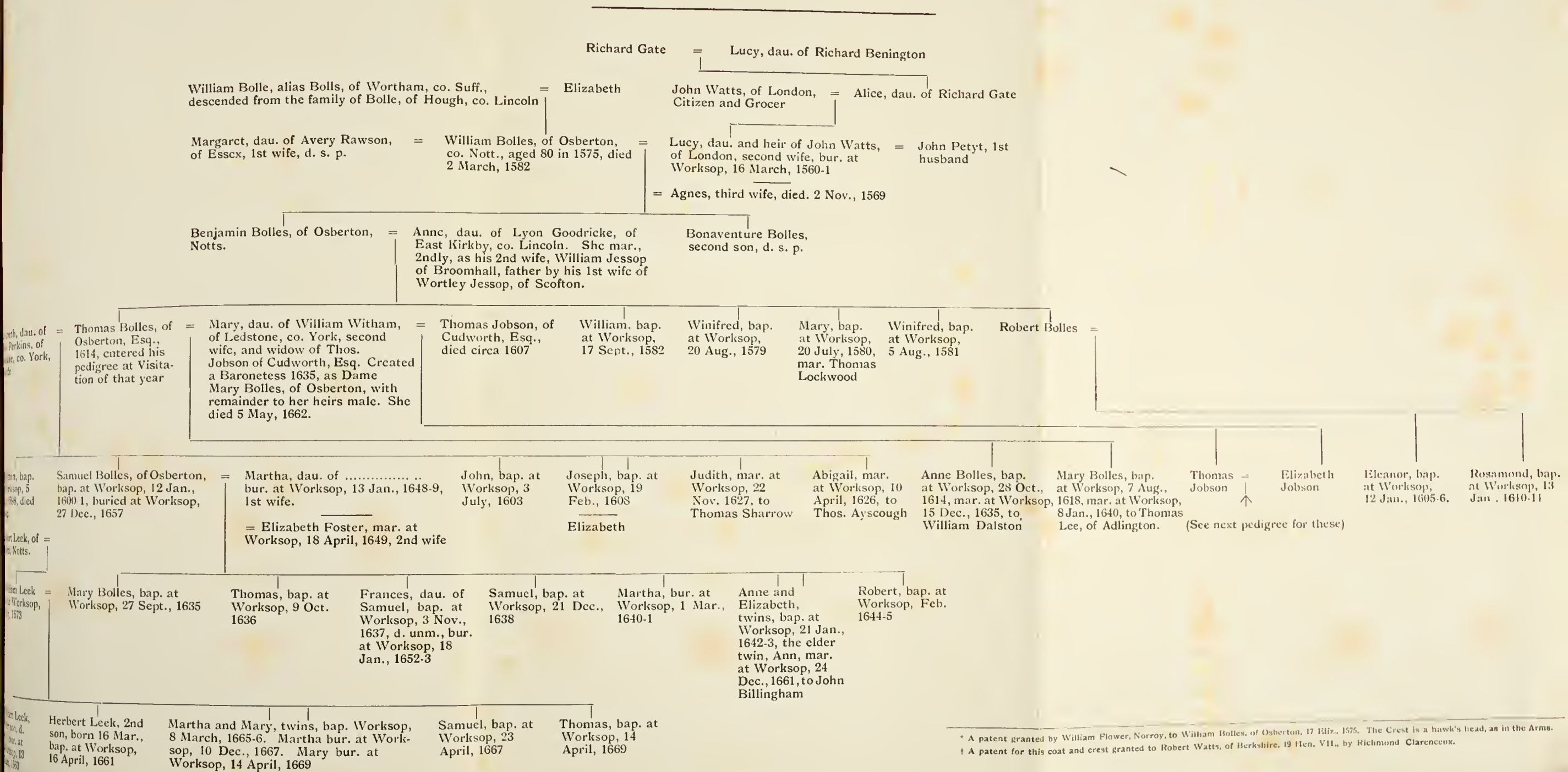




Pedigree of BOLLES as far as it relates to these pages.

- Arms* :—Quarterly, 1. Azure, three boars' heads argent on dishes or, a mullet for difference gold. BOLLE.
 2. Argent, a chevron gules between three mullets sable, on a chief azure a lion's head erased between two lozenges or. * BOLLE.
 3. Argent, on a fess vert three crosses moline argent between as many hawks' heads erased sable. † WATTS.
 4. Gules, a cockatrice or, on a chief argent a label ermine.

Crest. A buck's head sable, collared attired and eared or, erased gules, and charged on the neck with a pallet argent between two plates.



* A patent granted by William Flower, Norroy, to William Bolles, of Osberton, 17 Eliz., 1575. The Crest is a hawk's head, as in the Arms.
 † A patent for this coat and crest granted to Robert Watts, of Berkshire, 19 Hen. VII., by Richmond Clarenceux.

PEDIGREE OF JOBSON OF CUDWORTH, CO. YORK.

Thomas Jobson, of Cudworth, co. York, Esq., died circa 1607

= Mary, dau. of William Witham, of Ledstone, co. York, bapt. 30 June, 1579, created a Baronetess as Dames Mary Bolles, of Osberton, with remainder to her heirs male, 1635, died 5 May, 1662, bur. at Ledston, where is a monument to her memory. [She married, 2ndly, as his second wife, Thomas Bolles, of Osberton.]

= Thomas Bolles, of Osberton

Thomas Jobson, only son, bapt. 1606, died 1653, bur. at Royston

= Anne Stringer, 1st wife

= Sarah Butler, 2nd wife, dau. of Gregory Butler, of Westminster. She mar., 2ndly, Charles South, son of Sir Francis South, of Kelsterne, co. Linc.

Elizabeth, mar. Thomas Sherbrooke, of Oxtou, Notts.

Ann, eld. dau. and coheir, wife of Sir William Dalston, Bart.

Mary, 2nd dau. and coheir, wife of Thomas Leigh, of Adlington, Esq.

Thomas, eld. son, died unmarried

Sir William Jobson, Bart., succeeded his grandmother as Bart., died 1665

= Lucy Tindal, dau. of Henry Tindal, of Brotherton, and sister of Bradwardine Tindal, mar. 1662

= Sir John Jackson, of Hickleton, Bart., 2nd husband

Robert
—
Edward
—
Francis
—
and others
—
died young

Four daughters. Sarah, mar. her 1st cousin, Thomas Sherbrooke, of Oxtou. Tryphosa died unmar. Christian mar. Tristram Stafford. Mary mar. William Garth

William Jobson, died young

Thomas, died young

Elizabeth, died young

Robert Ridgeway, 4th Earl of Londonderry, died 7 March, 1713-4, buried at Tor Mohun, co. Devon.

= Lucy Jobson, dau. and sole heir

Sir Bradwardine Jackson, Bart.

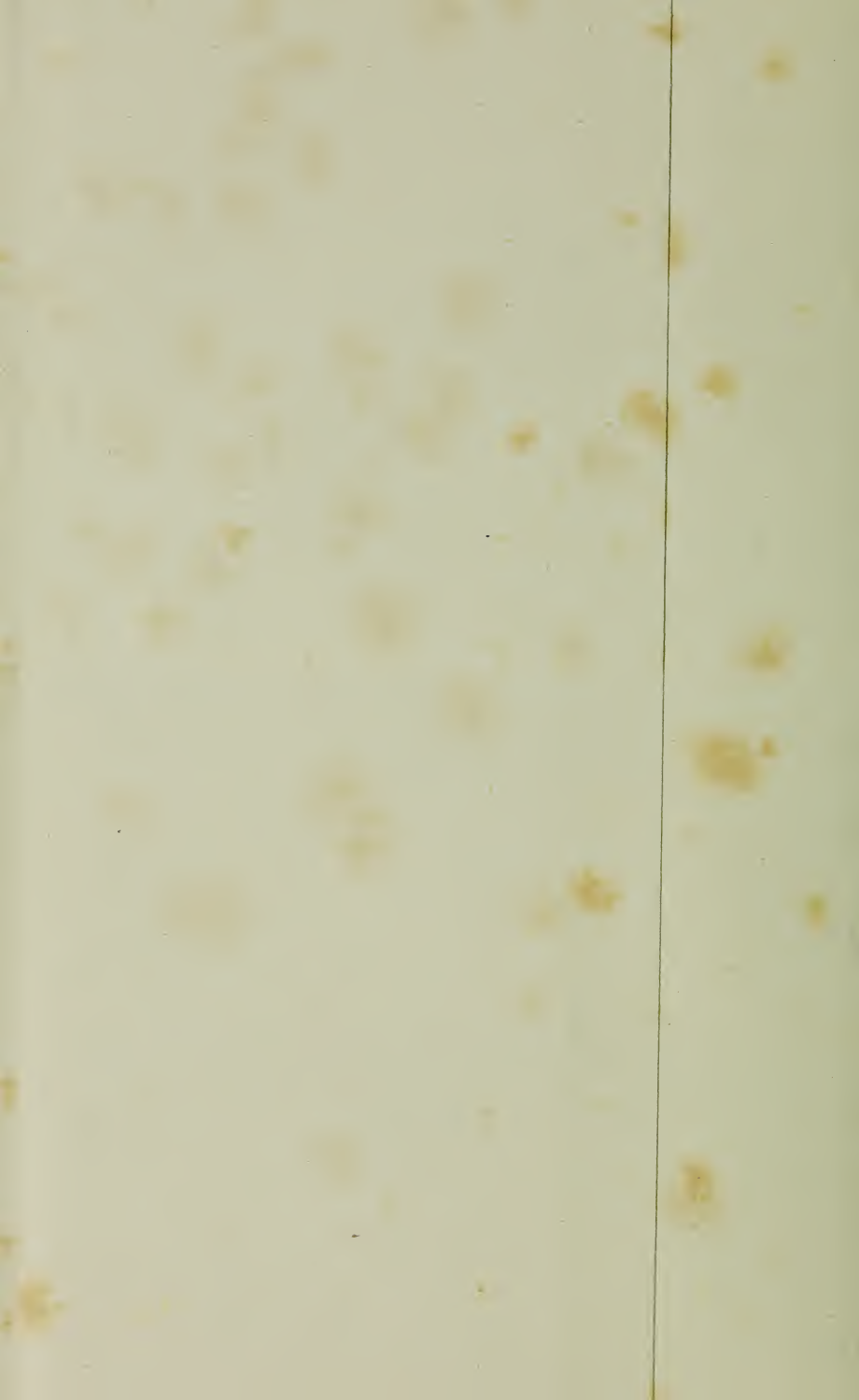
Henry, Lord Galen-Ridgeway, born 6 April, 1688, died before his father, buried in the Temple Church, 10 April, 1708

Lady Lucy Ridgeway, eld. dau. and coheir, mar. 3 Oct., 1716, Arthur, 4th Earl of Donegal, but d. s. p. 16 July, 1732. Buried at Tor Mohun

Thomas Pitt, 1st husband, created Earl of Londonderry, died at St. Kitts, 12 Sept., 1729, aged 40, being then Governor of the Leeward Islands

= Lady Frances Ridgeway, 2nd dau. and coheir, mar. at St. George the Martyr, co. Middlesex, 10 March, 1716-7, Lady of the Manor of Cudworth, of which she died seised May, 1772

= Robert Graham, of South Warnborough, Hants, 2nd husband, mar. Dec., 1732



PEDIGREE OF THORNHAGH, as far as it relates to Osberton.

Arms of THORNHAGH:—Argent, a gimmel ring gules between three crosses pattée sable.

Crest:—A tiger's head or, maned armed and tufted sable, gorged with a collar wavy azure.

Arms of FOLJAMBE:—Sable, a bend between six escallops or.

Crest:—A man's leg unarmed, couped at the thigh, quarterly or and sable, spurred gold.

Old Crest:—A hawthorn tree flowered and fruited proper.

Colonel Francis Thornhagh, M.P. for Retford, born 1617, eldest son and heir of Sir Francis Thornhagh, of Fenton, Notts., raised a troop of horse for the Parliament, was killed in the fight at Preston, Lanc., 18 August, 1648, buried on the field, and afterwards brought home and buried at Sturton.

Elizabeth St. Andrew, 2nd dau. and coheir of John St. Andrew, of Gotham, Notts., mar. 1640-1; mar. 2nd William Skeffington, Esq., of Skeffington, co. Leic., her distant cousin, but had no issue by him

John Thornhagh, of Fenton and of Osberton, Esq., only son and heir, born Jan., 1647-8, bapt. at St. Mary's, Nottingham, 27 Jan., 1647-8, M.P. for East Retford 1689-1704, and for Notts. 1704-10, d. 1723, bur. at Sturton, 17 May

Elizabeth Earle, only surviving dau. of Sir Richard Earle, 1st Bart., of Stragglethorpe, co. Linc., and Frances, his wife, and eventually sole representative of that family. She died in 1712, and was bur. at Sturton, 28 March

Elizabeth, mar. Brampton Gurdon, of Letton

Jane, mar. 1st, Henry Pudsey,* 2nd, William Wilson

Frances, died an infant

St. Andrew Thornhagh, of Osberton and Fenton co. Nott., Esq., born 31 March, 1674, lived at Carburton in his father's lifetime, died 1742, bur. at Sturton, 24 Dec., aged 68

Letitia Ayscough, dau. and co-heir of Sir Edward Ayscough, of Stallingborough and South Kelsey, co. Linc., died in Great Russell Street, London, 30 March, 1746, bur. at Sturton, 11 April, 1746

John
John
both died unmar.

Elizabeth, mar. Oswald Mosley, afterwards created a Baronet

Frances

Mary

Jane

Sarah

all died unmar.

John Thornhagh, of Osberton and Fenton, co. Nott., Esq., took the name of Hewitt in 1756 by Act of Parliament, in pursuance of the will of Sir Thomas Hewitt, on succeeding to his estates at Shireoaks, co. Nott., High Sheriff 1746, M.P. Notts. 1747-74., died 17 May, 1787, buried at Sturton 30 May, 1787

Arabella Savile, eld. dau. of Sir George Savile, 7th Bart., of Thornhill and Rufford, and elder sister and, in her issue, co-heir of her brother, Sir George Savile, 8th and last Bart., who died unmar. 1784. Married 23 July, 1744. She died at Rufford 13 Sept., 1767, at 7 p.m., bur. at Sturton, 24 Sept.

John
Ayscough
both died unmar.

Anne,
died unmar.

Mary, mar. Arthur Charles Stanhope, of Mansfield Woodhouse, who was father, by his 2nd wife, of Philip, 5th Earl of Chesterfield

Frances, mar. Patientius Warde, Esq., of Hooton-Pagnel

Letitia

Sarah

Elizabeth

all died unmar.

A son, born 9 June, 1745, died 17 June, 1745

Letitia, born 24 July, 1746, bur. at Sturton, 10 April, 1759

Frances, born 30 Sept., 1747, died unmar. April, 1804

Mary Arabella Thornhagh, 1st wife, dau. and eventually sole heiress of John Thornhagh, of Osberton and Fenton, co. Notts (who took the name of Hewitt in 1756), born 16 Aug., 1749, bapt. at Worksop 8 Sept., mar. at St. George's, Hanover Square, 30 June, 1774, died 28 Dec., 1790, bur. in the family vault at Ecclesfield, co. York, 6 Jan., 1791

Francis Ferrand Foljambe, born 17 Jan., 1749-50, bapt. at Holy Trinity, Hull, M.P. for Yorkshire, 1784, and for Higham Ferrers, 1801-1807, High Sheriff co. York, 1787, d. 13 Nov., 1814, bur. in the family vault at Ecclesfield, co. York, 23 Nov.

Lady Mary Arabella Lumley, 2nd wife, dau. of Richard, 4th Earl of Scarborough, by Barbara, his wife, younger sister and coheir of Sir George Savile, 8th and last Baronet, and younger sister of Mrs. Thornhagh (so she was 1st cousin of the 1st wife). Mar. 12 June, 1792. She died at Aston Hall, 1 May, 1817, and was buried in the family vault at Ecclesfield, co. York, 9 May

John Savile Foljambe, of Aldwark, co. York, Esq., eld. son and heir, born 3 May, 1776, mar. at Mars-ton, co. York, 30 Oct., 1798, d.v.p. at Exmouth, 14 Jan., 1805, buried at Ecclesfield, 2 Feb. following

Elizabeth Willoughby, eld. dau. and eldest child of the Rev. the Hon. James Willoughby and aunt of Henry, 8th Lord Middleton, born at Minster Yard, York, 24 Feb., 1774, d. at the Manor House, Southwell, 25 Sep., 1858, bur. at Scofton 1 Oct.

Francis Ferrand Foljambe, 2nd son, b. 20 May, 1781, Barrister-at-Law, Recorder of East Retford, d. unmar. at Naples, 19 Oct., 1818

George Foljambe, 3rd son, b. 18 Oct., 1783, Major in the Army, d. unmar. at Exeter, 29 March, 1821

Henry Savile Foljambe, 4th son, twin with Arabella Savile, b. 27 Jan., 1785, d. s. p. at Edinburgh 18 July, 1839

Helen, dau. of J. Coutts, d. s. p. at Rome, 25 Mar., 1884

Thornhagh Foljambe, 5th and youngest son, born 4 Dec., died 9 Dec., 1788

Mary Beresford Foljambe, born 7 November, 1778, married, 30 June, 1818, Francis Offley Edmunds, Esq., of Worsborough, co. York, and d. s. p. at Edinburgh, 1 Sept., 1839

Arabella Savile Foljambe, twin with Henry Savile, mar. 15 May, 1823, Rev. John Robinson, of Widmer-pole, Notts. She died 1859, having had (with a son who died young) an only dau., mar. to Col. Hon. Edmund Monckton

Harriet Emily Mary Milner, 1st wife, eld. dau. of Sir Wm. Mordaunt Sturt Milner, Bart., of Nun Appleton, co. York, by his 2nd wife, Harriet Elizabeth, 3rd dau. of Lord Edward Cavendish Bentinck; born 1810, mar. at Bolton Percy, 9 Dec., 1828, died at Osberton 28 Dec., 1830, buried at Sturton 4 Jan., 1831, moved to Scofton 30 Sept., 1858

George Savile Foljambe, of Osberton and Aldwark, born at Aldwark 4 June, 1800, and bapt. there 15 June following, succeeded his grandfather 13 Nov. 1814, died at Osberton 18 Dec., 1869, buried in the family vault at Scofton 23 December

Selina Charlotte, Viscountess Milton, 2nd wife, 2nd but eldest to leave issue of the 3 daus. and coheirs of Charles Cecil Cope, 3rd and last Earl of Liverpool, G.C.B., who was also 3rd Lord Hawkesbury, b. 3 July, 1812, m. at Wentworth Woodhouse in the Private Chapel 28 Aug., 1845. She mar. 1st, 15 Aug., 1833, Wm. Charles, Viscount Milton, eld. son and heir of Charles William, 5th Earl Fitzwilliam, who d.v.p. 1835. She died at 2, Carlton House Terrace, 24 Sept., 1883, bur. at Scofton, 2 Oct.

Francis Thornhagh Foljambe, born 2 Aug., 1804, died at Pau 25 May, 1847, buried there, and afterwards brought home and buried at East Retford 30 June, 1848

Mary Arabella, b. 27 Nov., 1801, m. at Worksop, 30 Dec., 1824, the Rev. the Honble. Leland Noel, Vicar of Chipping Campden, afterwards Vicar of Exton. She died 30 April, 1859. He died 10 Nov., 1870, leaving issue

Emma, born 7 May, 1803, mar. at Exton, 11 Sept., 1832, Charles Henry John Anderson, afterwards Sir Charles, 9th and last Baronet. She died 8 August, 1870. He died 8 October, 1891, leaving issue

The Right Hon. Francis John Savile Foljambe, of Osberton, born 9 April, 1830, bapt. 18 April, 1830, and christened at Worksop Church 14 Feb., 1833, mar. at Chapel Royal, Whitehall, 20 Feb., 1856, M.P. for East Retford 1857-85, P.C. 1895

Lady Gertrude Emily Acheson, eld. dau. of Archibald, 3rd Earl of Gosford, K.P.

Louisa Blanche, eld. dau. of Fredk. John Howard, of Compton Place, Sussex, and Lady Fanny, his wife, only sister to William, 7th Duke of Devonshire, mar. at St. James's, Piccadilly, 22 July, 1869, died at Compton Place 7 Oct., 1871, bur. at Scofton in the family vault 14 Oct., 1871. 1st wife

Cecil George Savile, Lord Hawkesbury, born at Osberton 7 Nov., 1846, bapt. there, christened at Scofton 9 Jan., 1847, served in the Royal Navy 1860-70, with Naval Brigade in New Zealand War 1863-4, retired as Lieut. 1870, M.P. for N. Notts 1880-5, title revived 1893, Lord-in-Waiting to H.M. Queen Victoria 1894-95

Susan Louisa, eld. dau. of Col. Wm. Henry Fredk. Cavendish, of West Stoke, Sussex, and Lady Emily Augusta, his wife, dau. of John George, 1st Earl of Durham, by Lady Louisa Elizabeth, his wife, eld. dau. of Charles, 2nd Earl Grey, K.G., Prime Minister 1830-34. Married at Chapel Royal, Whitehall, 21 July, 1877. 2nd cousin paternally and maternally of his 1st wife

Henry Savile Foljambe, born 1849

George Foljambe, d. inf. 1851, buried at Scofton 31 Dec., 1851

Elizabeth Anne, eld. dau., mar. at St. Mary's, Bry-anston Square, 31 Jan., 1888, Rev. William Bury, Rector of Har-leston, co. North-ants, and Canon of Peterborough, and has issue one daughter

Frances Mary, 2nd dau., mar. at Holy Trinity Epis-copal Church, Haddington, 10 Oct., 1876, Rev. Savile Richard Wm. L'Estrange-Malone, of Pallas Park, King's Co., and Rector of Dal-ton Holme, co. York, since 1885, and has issue 2 sons and 3 daus.

Caroline Frederica 3rd dau., mar. at St. Margaret's Westminster, 4 Aug., 1881, Arthur Francis Gresham Leveson-Gower. She died 20 Oct., 1895, leaving 2 sons and 2 daus.

Evelyn, youngest dau., b. at Fife House, Whitehall, London, 31 Dec., 1852, d. at Fife 3 Sept., 1853, buried at Scofton 9 Sept.

George Savile Foljambe, of Cockglode, Esq., son and heir, b. 30 Oct., 1856, mar. at Eton College Chapel 21 Feb., 1888

Dora Margaret, eld. dau. of Rev. Edmond Warre, D.D., Head-master of Eton College

Godfrey Acheson Thornhagh Foljambe, born 1869, mar. at Swanwick 25 April, 1895

Judith Frances, 3rd dau. of Fitz-herbert Wright, Esq., of the Hayes, near Alfreton, co. Derb.

Hubert Francis Fitzwilliam Brabazon Foljambe, b. 1872, Captain in the 60th King's Royal Rifles, now serving in South Africa

Arthur William de Brito Savile Foljambe, M.V.O., Capt. Rifle Brigade, A.D.C. to the Lord Lieut. of Ireland, and Staff-Captain at Dublin 1901, and now serving in S. Africa, born at Compton Place, Sussex, 27 May, 1870, mar. at Powerscourt Church 27 July, 1897

Annette Louise only dau. of Henry Power Chas. Stanley, 5th Viscount Monck

Frederick Compton Savile Foljambe born at Compton Place, Sussex, 20, died 21 Aug., 1871

Gerald William Frederick Savile Foljambe born at 2, Carlton House Ter., London, 12 May, 1878, Lieut. in 43rd Oxfordshire Lt. Infantry, serving in S. Africa A.D.C. to Major-General Sir William G. Knox, K.C.B.

Josceline Charles William Savile Foljambe, born at 2, Carlton House Terrace, London, 16 Oct., 1882, Lieut. Northumber-land Fusiliers

Robert Anthony Edward St. Andrew Savile Foljambe, born at Cockglode 3 April, 1887

Bertram Marmaduke Osbert Savile Foljambe, born at Cockglode 6 January, 1891

Victor Alexander Cecil Savile Foljambe, born at Cockglode 19 Jan., 1895, bapt. at Cockglode 22 Feb., to whom H.M. Queen Victoria stood sponsor. Christened at Chapel Royal, St. James's Palace, 7 May, 1895

Edith Margaret Emily Mary, eld. dau.
Alice Etheldreda Georgiana Mary, 2nd dau.
Mabel Evelyn Selina Mary, 3rd dau.
Margaret Susan Louisa Mary, 4th dau. b. 14 & d. 16 Jan., 1884 bur. at Scofton 19 Jan.
Constance Blanche Aetha Mary, 5th but 4th surviving dau.
Rosamond Sylvia Diana Mary, 6th but 5th surviving dau.

Edmond Walter Savile Foljambe, born 1890

Robert Francis Thornhagh Foljambe, born 1892

Mary Pauline born 1889

Rachel Emily born 1891

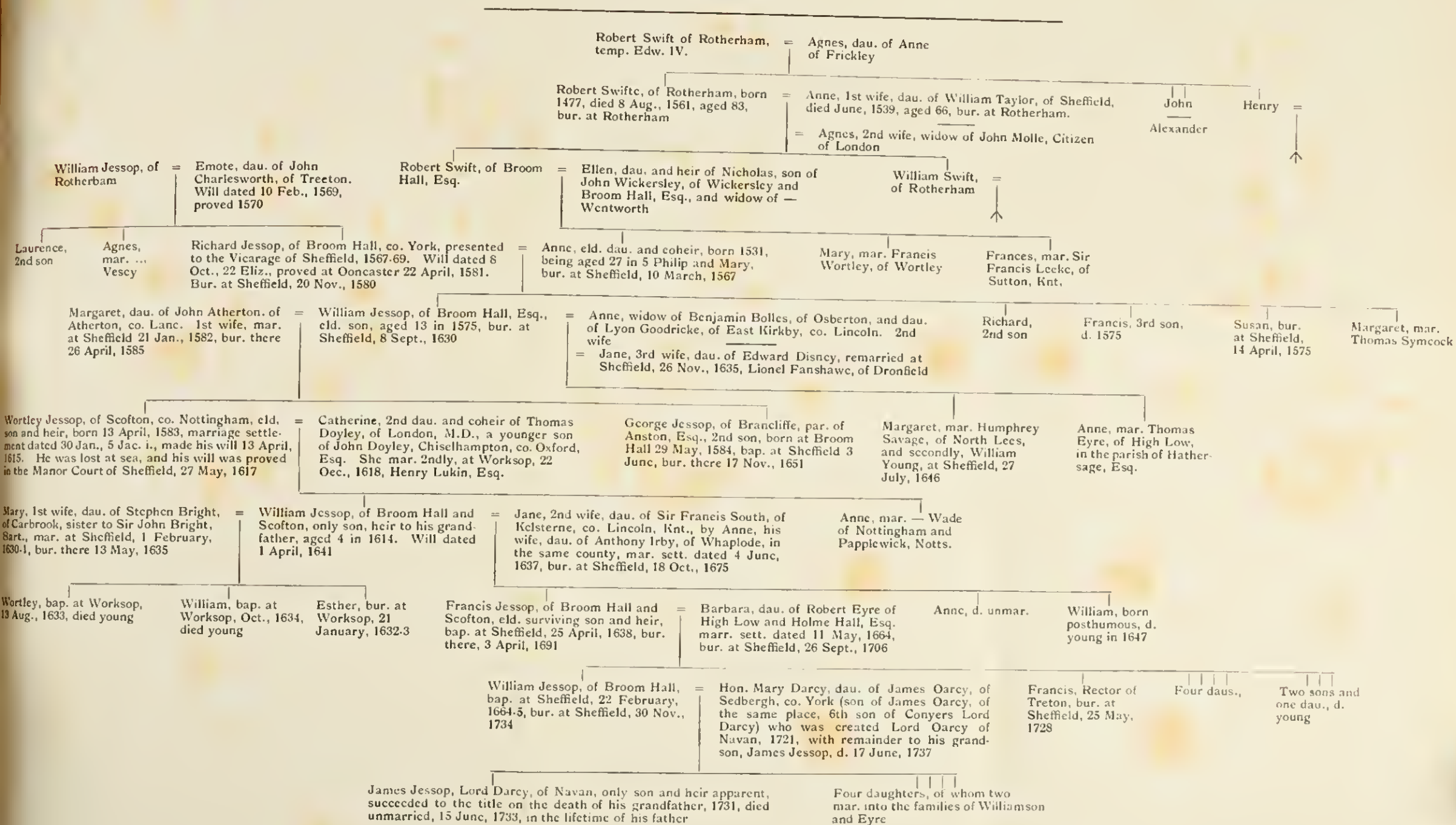
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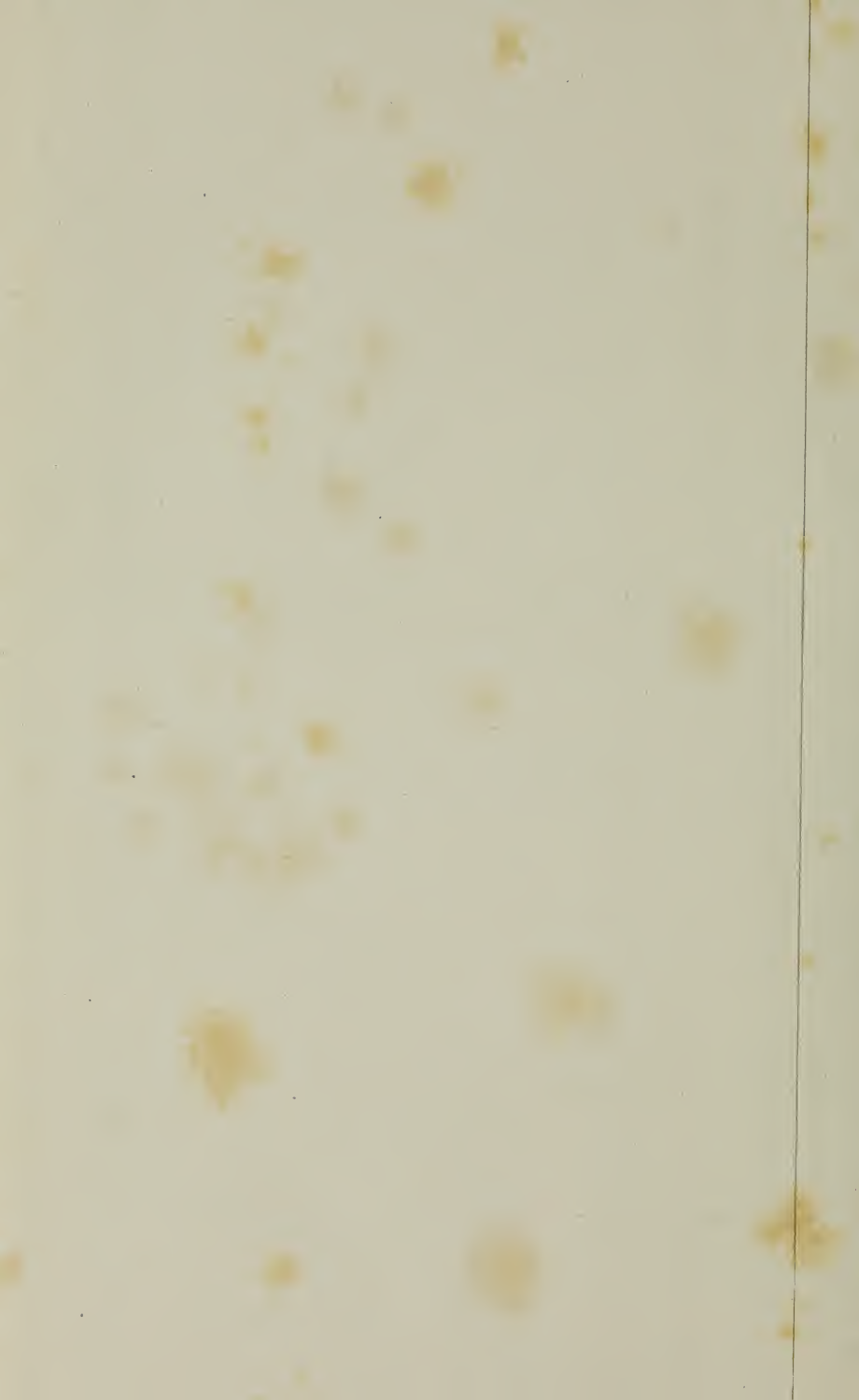
Doris Rosemary born 1899

* Their daughter and coheir, Elizabeth Pudsey, married Henry, 3rd and last Lord Follis, of Ballyshannon, who d. s. p. 1718, she died 1743. Will pr. 7 Nov., 1743, by Margaret Pudsey, spinster, Residuary Legatee.

PEDIGREE OF JESSOP.

JESSOP. *Arms.*—Barry of six argent and azure, on each piece of the first three mullets gules. *Crest.*—A turtle dove standing on an olive branch which is bent over its head, all proper.
 SWIFT. *Arms.*—Or, a chevron Barry nebulee argent and azure between three roebucks courant proper.





Sir William Sutton, of Averham = Susan, dau. of Thomas Cony, of Bassingthorpe, co. Linc.

Robert Sutton, created Lord Lexington of Aram by Charles I., which title expired with his son, Robert, whose heiress, Bridget, mar. John, 3rd Duke of Rutland, K.G.

Henry Sutton, third son

Mabel, dau. of Henry Faunt

Richard Sutton

Gervase



William

Gervase

Robert Sutton

Katherine Shirburn

Robert, son and heir, father of Sir Richard Sutton, 1st Bart. of Norwood

Major General Richard Sutton, born 1674, sometime Governor of Bruges, purchased Scofton, circa 1727, died July, 1737

Catherine de Tolmer

Robert Sutton, of Scofton, born at Kelham, 11 Nov., 1699, died 13 Nov., 1776, bur. at Retford. Monument at East Retford, erected by Mrs. Mary Sutton, his widow

Mary, dau. of William Levinz, of Grove, Notts.

Robert Sutton, of Scofton, and afterwards of Bath, buried at Bath Abbey, 9 April, 1775

Anne, dau. of C. Throckmorton

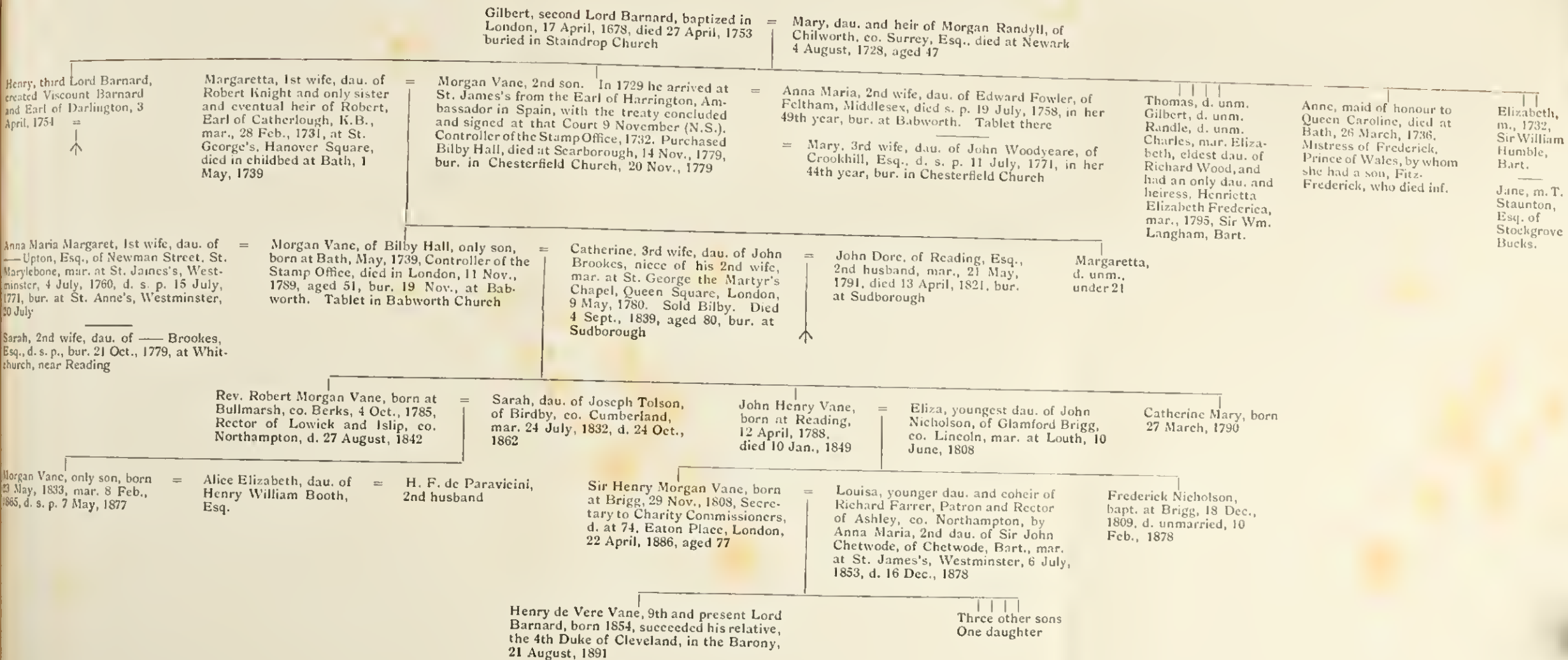
Robert William Evelyn Sutton, sold Scofton in 1800, and bought West Retford House, where he lived during the latter part of his life

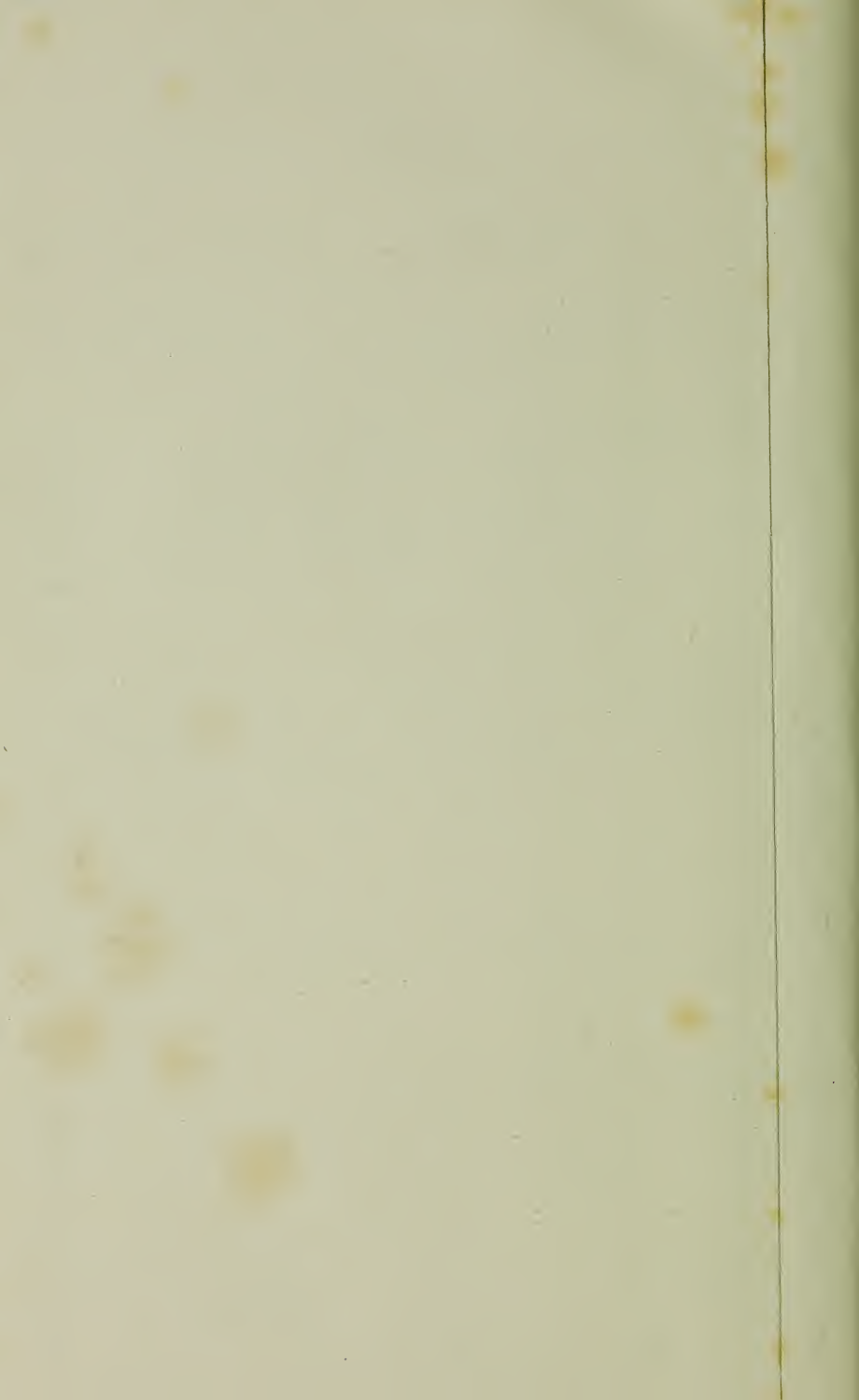
Mary, 2nd dau. of Harry Verelst, of Aston Hall, co. York. Mar. at Aston, 1793. She mar. 2ndly (as his 2nd wife) James Lee, of Carlton, afterwards of Retford

PEDIGREE OF VANE OF BILBY, as far as relates to these pages.

Arms :—Azure, three sinister gauntlets or.

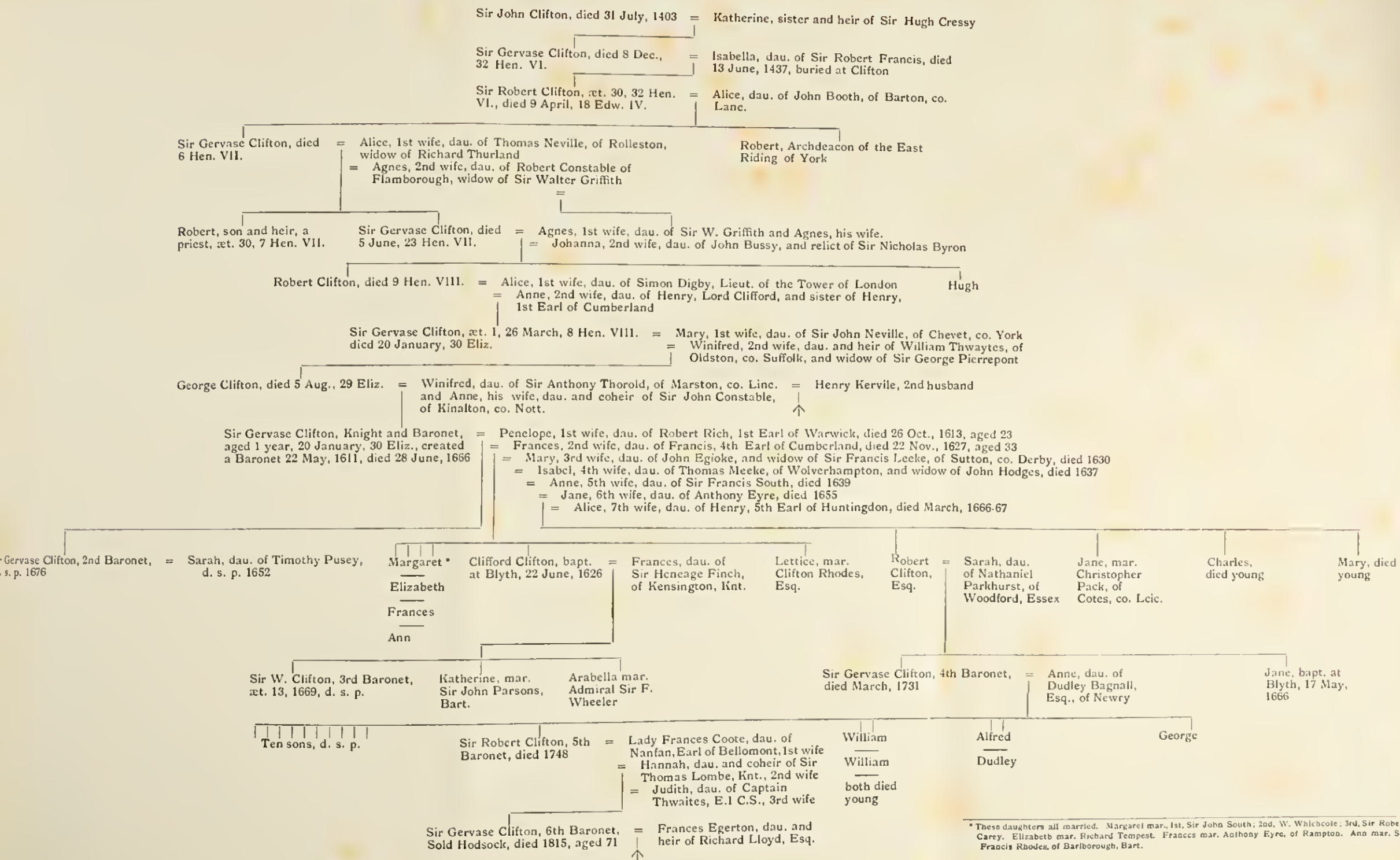
Crest :—An armed hand, couped at the wrist, grasping a sword in bend sinister all proper, pommel and hilt or.





PEDIGREE OF CLIFTON.

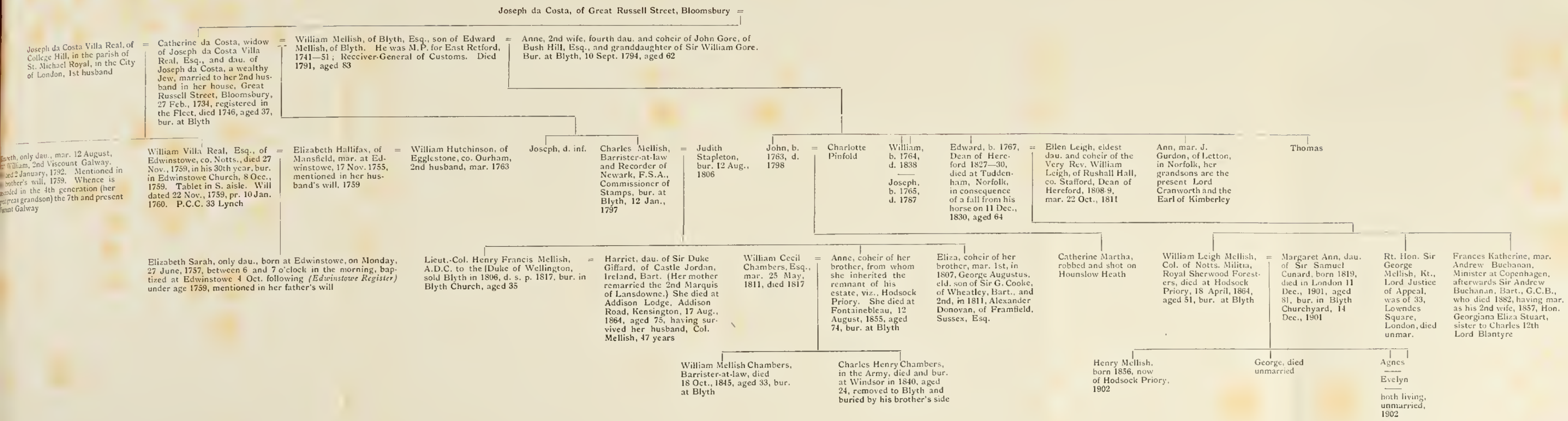
Arms:—Sable, semeé of cinquefoils, a lion rampant argent, langued gules. *Crest*:—Out of a ducal coronet gules, a demi peacock per pale argent and sable, the wings expanded counterchanged.

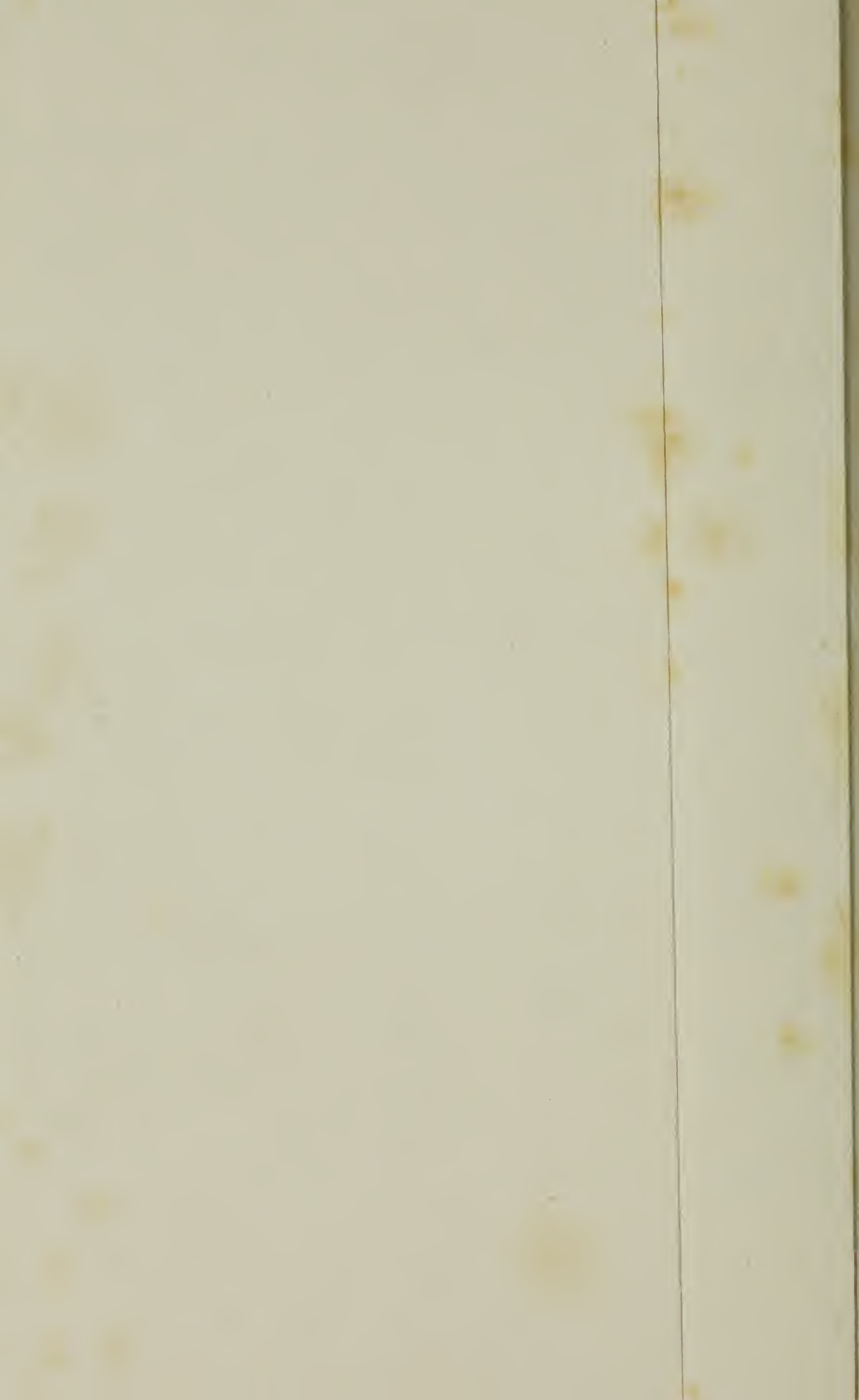


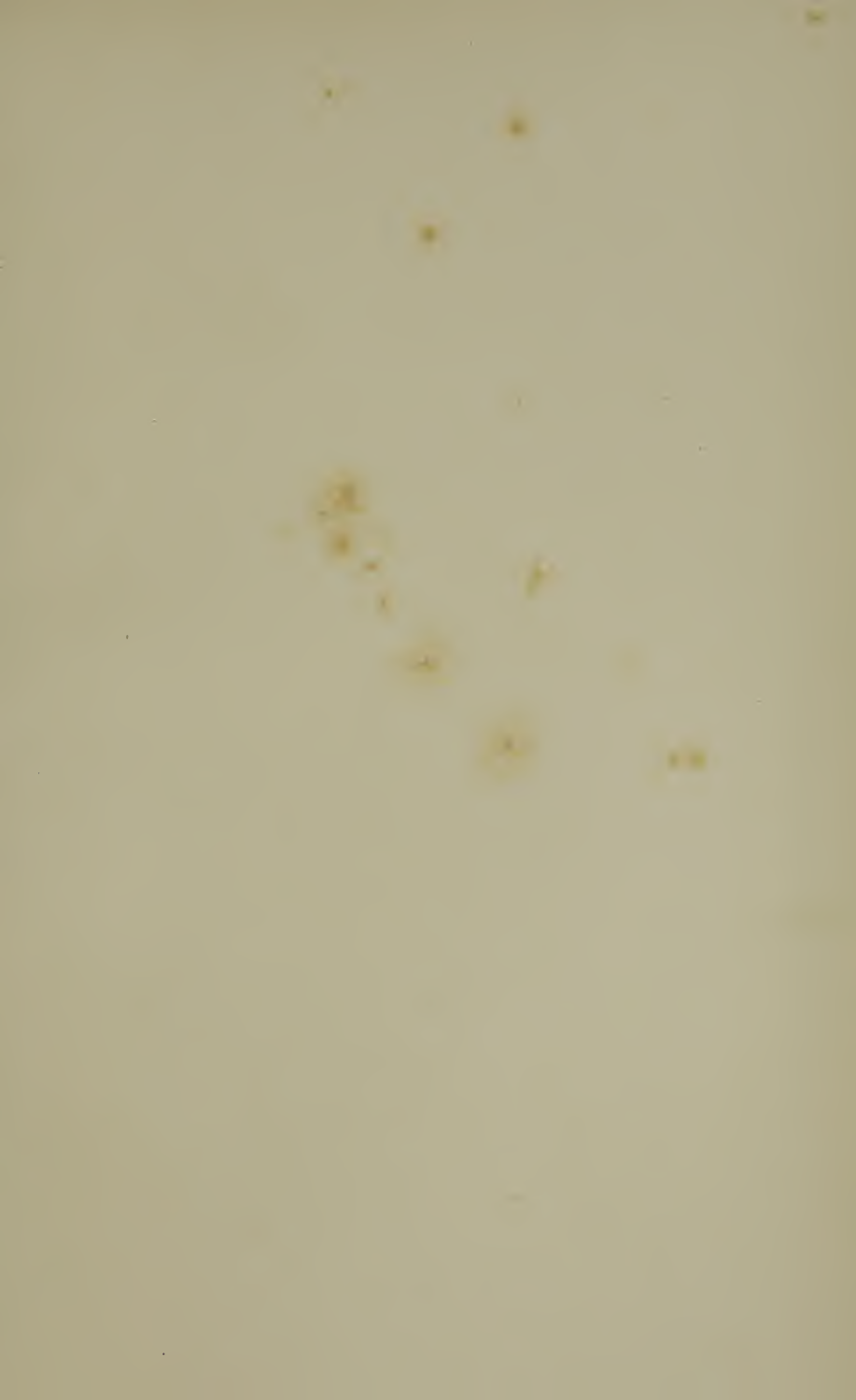
* These daughters all married. Margaret mar. 1st, Sir John South; 2nd, W. Whichcole; 3rd, Sir Robert Carey. Elizabeth mar. Richard Tempest. Frances mar. Anthony Eyre, of Rampton. Ann mar. Sir Francis Rhodes, of Barborough, Bart.

MELLISH OF BLYTH AND HODSOCK, as far as relates to these pages.

MELLISH. *Arms*:—Azure, two swans in pale argent between as many fanchues, ermine. *Crest*:—A swan's head and neck erased argent, ducally gorged or.
 GORE of Bush Hill. *Arms*:—Gules a fesse between three crosses crosslet fitchee, or.













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