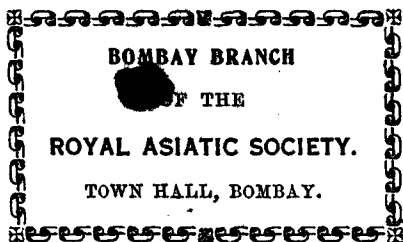


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TO THE RIGHT EXCELLENT, HIGH, AND MAGNANIMOUS

**ALBERT EDWARD,**

BY THE GRACE OF GOD, KNIGHT AND BARON OF RENFREW,

LORD OF THE ISLES, EARL OF CARRICK, DUKE OF ROTHSAY,

PRINCE AND GREAT STEWARD OF SCOTLAND,

EARL OF CHESTER, DUKE OF SAXONY AND CORNWALL,

AND XVIII.

PRINCE OF WALES, K.G.

**THIS WORK,**

WHICH TREATS OF THE GENEALOGIES, PRIVILEGES, AND IMMUNITIES

OF

THE MOST NOBLE AND HONOURABLE

**The Baronets of the Realm,**

IS

HUMBLY INSCRIBED.

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FOR THE FOLLOWING REASONS

BECAUSE, his birth has, in the person of the most exalted subject in the British nation, revived the title, honour, and state in Scotland of BARON,—an hereditary dignity which has long been con-

sidered obsolete, although, in fact, it is only merged in the higher degrees of Baronet, Lord, Viscount, Earl, Marquess, and Duke.

Because, the Baron of Renfrew is, like the Eldest Sons of Baronets, a Knight by natitial heritage, with right to be inaugurated on coming of age—which majority he is held and presumed by law to attain on the day of his baptism.

Because, the motto of the Scottish branch of the Order, “**FAX MENTIS HONESTÆ GLORIA,**” was the favourite motto of Henry Prince of Wales, the eldest son of the Royal Founder of the Baronetage, at whose funeral, on the 7th Dec. 1612, the banner of Carrick and the great standard of the Prince were each borne by Baronets—the canopy over the effigy being carried by six Baronets, and the bannerols about the body by ten Baronets.

Because, when the Baron of Renfrew comes to the kingly office of this great nation, the Baronets will justly expect of him, as the first Gentleman of the realm, that he will uphold the position, rights, and privileges of an Order whose ancestors helped to lay the foundation of the Monarchy, and who have ever been foremost to evince their loyalty and devotion to that brilliant **FONT OF HONOUR,** the British Throne.



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## ABBREVIATIONS.

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Bt.	.....	Baronet.
bro.	.....	brother.
b.	.....	born.
C.B.	.....	Companion of the Bath.
cr.	.....	creation.
D.C.L.	.....	Doctor of Civil Law.
d.	.....	died.
dau.	.....	daughter.
Eq. Aur.	.....	Eques Auratus, or Knight.
F.R.S.	.....	Fellow of the Royal Society.
G.C.B.	.....	Knight Grand Cross of the Bath.
h. ap.	.....	heir apparent.
Hon.	.....	Honourable.
K.C.B.	.....	Knight Commander of the Bath.
K.J.J.	.....	Knight of Saint John of Jerusalem.
K.G.	.....	Knight of the Garter.
K.P.	.....	Knight of Saint Patrick.
K.T.	.....	Knight of the Thistle.
Kt.	.....	Knight.
Kt. Bach.	.....	Knight Bachelor.
m.	.....	married.
p. c.	.....	privy councillor.
pres.	.....	presumptive.
s.	.....	succeeded.

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## INTRODUCTION.

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THE divers DEGREES OF HONOUR existing in England in 1597, fourteen years before the erection of THE BARONETAGE, when Gerard Leigh published the first edition of his "Accidence of Armorie," were nine; of which, according to that highly-reputed author, "five were *noble*, as GENTLEMAN, ESQUIRE, KNIGHT, BARON, and LORD; and four were *excellent*, as EARLE, MARQUESS, DUKE, and PRINCE."

Preserving the same classification, the DEGREES OF HONOUR now existing in the British monarchy are eleven in number—viz., GENTLEMAN, ESQUIRE, KNIGHT, BARON, BARONET, LORD, VISCOUNT, EARL, MARQUESS, DUKE, and PRINCE.

The distinction which prevailed in England in the reign of Queen Elizabeth between Baron and Lord has been lost sight of in the reign of Queen Victoria; but it is important that it should be retained, as shewing the relative value and position of the dignity of Baronet at the period of its erection. Baron was a title then equivalent to that of Lord of Manor now, and comprehended those tenants of the crown *in capite*, the more eminent of whom have since been created Baronets, and whose ancestors had each personal seat and voice in Parliament prior to the end of the reign of King John.

In Scotland, at the close of the sixteenth century, the various Degrees of Nobility were KNIGHT, BARON, BANNERET, LORD, and EARL. At present, the subsisting titles of heritable dignity are—

KNIGHT, BARON, BARONET, LORD, VISCOUNT, EARL, MARQUESS, and DUKE.

The hereditary title and dignity of **BARONET** was erected in 1611, by his Majesty King James, the first British monarch of the house of Stuart, being eight years after the imperial crowns of England and Scotland had become united in his person. It forms the sixth degree of dignity hereditary, or high nobility in the British monarchy; and, to use the language of Markhame, "as never Order had founder so great, so happie, so absolute, so neither was ever any grounded upon consultations and considerations more weightie, more necessarie, more religious."

**BARONET**, as a word implying a name of dignity, is ancient both in this kingdom and on the continent. It was often used in the 15th, the 14th, and earlier centuries, for Banneret, when those of that degree were summoned to appear in Parliament, and had rank and state in England next to Earls, as in the 5 Ric. II., Stat. 2 c. 4, where every Duke, Earl, Baronet, &c., are commanded on summons to appear in Parliament according to ancient use, on pain of amercement. In Scotland, also, Banneret ranked between Lords and Barons, when the former held a rank in that realm equivalent to Marquess in the present age; which place and precedency the Baronets of Scotland by their patents now enjoy and possess.

Referring to the distinction which subsisted in England at the period of the erection of the Baronetage, between Baron and Lord, and which still prevails in Scotland, **BARONET** is a name, dignity, and state, inferior to Lord, but superior to Baron. It does not mean lesser Baron, or Baron minor, as its etymology seems to imply, any more than Viscount means Sheriff, or Marquess a ranger of the marches. Baronet is a substantive name of honour, rather unhappily selected, seeing that so eminent a writer as "the noble and learned Sir Henry Spelman, Eques Auratus," most erroneously confounds it in his Glossary with Baroncellus, Baronulus, Baronculus, Bariculus, Baroniculus, &c.; and is clearly defined in the several royal patents forming its constitution. The title is now peculiar to the British nation, no similar order existing in Europe. Intermediate in position between the hereditary degree of Lord-Baron of Parliament, and the personal degree of a Knight, it partakes of both; and is the only class of nobility in Christendom which, by charter, combines hereditarily both baronial and chivalrous honours.

The constitution of the Baronetage consists of three letters

patent, or royal ordinances, passed under the great seal; the first bearing date the 22nd of May, 1611; the second, the 28th of May, 1612; and the last, in 1616.

The first of these royal patents commences—"James, by the grace of God King of England, Scotland, France, and Ireland, Defender of the Faith, &c." In a preamble it sets forth the objects for which the Baronetage was erected—viz., to promote the plantation of the kingdom of Ireland, and chiefly of the ample and celebrated province of Ulster, and to establish that it should more and more flourish, not only by the sincere culture of religion, civil humanity, and probity of morals, but also from the affluence of riches, and plenty of every thing that can either adorn or make happy a commonwealth. The patent, after declaring that all honour and dignity flow from the sovereign, contains operative clauses ordaining, erecting, constituting, and creating the state, grade, dignity, name, and title of BARONET, within the kingdom of England, perpetually to endure; and it grants for the royal founder, his heirs, and successors, that the Baronets and their heirs male shall have, enjoy, hold, and take place and precedence, by virtue of the dignity of Baronet, and the force of the said letters patent, as much in all commissions, breves, letters patent, writings, appellations, namings, and directions, as in all sessions, conventions, meetings, and places whatsoever, before all Knights of the Bath, all Knight Bachelors, Bannerets, (except such Bannerets only as shall be created under the standard of the sovereign, in a royal army, in open war by the king in person, and not otherwise,) and all other persons of inferior quality. The patent further provides and declares—that the style and addition of Baronet shall be placed after the name of the persons raised to this degree, in all letters patent, commissions, breves, and other writings, deeds, and letters, as a true, legitimate, and necessary addition of dignity;—that the ancient and distinctive title *Sir* shall be placed before the name of each of the Baronets;—and, in like manner, that Baronesses shall use and enjoy the appellation *Lady, Madame, and Dame* respectively, according to the use in speaking. Further, his Majesty wills and concedes for himself, his heirs, and successors, that the Baronets shall have and enjoy the name, state, grade, style, dignity, title, place, and precedence, aforesaid, with all and singular the privileges and other premises; and with their heirs-male successively, shall be held Baronets in all things, and as Baronets shall be treated and reputed. Finally, by these

presents, his Majesty, for himself, his heirs and successors, of his special grace, certain knowledge, and mere motion, wills and concedes to the Baronets, that the letters patent erecting the order shall in all things, and by all persons, be held as firm, valid, good, sufficient, and effectual in LAW, against the King, his heirs, and successors, as against all others whomsoever, according to their true intention, as much in all his courts, as in all other places whatsoever, notwithstanding any law, custom, prescription, use, ordination, or constitution hitherto had, made, used, ordained, or provided, or in future to be had, made, used, ordained, or provided; 'and notwithstanding any other thing, cause, or matter whatsoever.

The second patent, which passed the great seal one year after the date of the first, settles some doubts which had arisen with regard to the precedency of Baronets, and makes the following additional grants:—

“Further, his Majesty doth by these presents, for him, his heirs, and successors, of his certaine knowledge and meere motion, promise and graunt to the said Baronets, and every of them already created, or heereafter to be created, and the heirs males of their bodies, That neither his Majesty, nor his heirs or successors, shall or will at anytime heereafter erect, ordaine, constitute, or create any other degree, order, name, title, stile, dignitie, or state, nor will give place, precedencie, or pre-eminence to any person or persons whatsoever, under or beneath the degree, dignitie or state of Lords of Parliament of this his Realme of England, which shall or may be, or be taken, used, or accompted to be higher, before, or equall to the degree, dignitie, or place of the said Baronets, or any of them. And therefore his Majesty doeth for him, his heirs and successors, ordeine, graunt, and appoint by these presents, that all and every the said Baronets, and their saide heirs males, and the wives, sonnes, sonne's wives, and daughters of the said Baronets, and of their said heirs males, shall and may for ever heereafter freely and quietly have, hold, and enjoy their said dignities, places, precedencie, and priviledges before all others which are or shall be created of such degrees, states, dignities, orders, names, stiles, or titles, or to whom such place, precedencie, or pre-eminence shall be so given as aforesaid, their wives and children respectively, according to the true intent and meaning of these presents. And this dignitie being of his Majesty's erection, and the worke of his owne handes, his Majesty is there-



fore graciously pleased (not contented with those markes of his favour, which the Baronets alreadie enjoy by the wordes of their Patent, which layeth such a marke of dignitie and precedence upon them and their posterity) further to strengthen and adorne his Majestie's gracious favour towards them, with addition of the priviledges, pre-eminencies, and ornaments ensuing:—

“First, his Majestie is pleased to knight the present Baronets, that are no Knights: and doeth also by these presents of his meere motion and favour, promise and graunt for him, his heires and successours, that such Baronets, and the heires males of their bodies, as hereafter shall be no Knights, when they shall attaine, or be of the age of one and twentie yeares, upon knowledge thereof given to the Lord Chamberlaine of the Household, or Vice-Chamberlaine for the time beeing, or in their absence to any other officer attending upon his Majestie's person, shall be knighted by his Majestie, his heires and successours.

“His Majestie doth also graunt for him, his heires and successours, that the Baronets and their descendants shall and may beare, either in a canton in their coate of armes, or, in an inscutchion, at their election, the Armes of Ulster—that is, in a field *argent*, a hand *geules*, or a Bloudy Hand.

“And also, that the Baronets, for the time beeing, and the heires males of their bodies, shall have place in the armies of the King's Majestie, his heires and successours, in the grosse, neere about the royall standard of the King, his heires and successours, for the defence of the same.

“And lastly, that the Baronets, and the heires males of their bodies shall have two assistants of the bodie to support the pall, a principall mourner, and foure assistants to him at their funerals, being the meane betwixt a Baron and a Knight.

“And to the end that every of the Baronets, and the heires males of their bodies may have upon all occasions present, use and prooffe of these his Majestie's favours, his Majestie is graciously pleased, that as well the Baronets alreadie created, as heereafter to be created, shall and may have, and take Letters Patents under the Great Seale of England, to the effect of the said former Letters Pattents of Creation, and of these presents, either joynt or severall, as they shall be advised by the learned Counsell of his Majestie, his heires and successours, and according to his Highnesse true intent and meaning.”

The third patent or final decree, which was passed under the great seal in 1616, cites the two previous patents, and for his

Majesty, his heirs, and successors, ratifies, confirms, allows, and approves the same, together with all the benefits, advantages, rights, and privileges of place, precedency, and otherwise, severally conferred by them in favour of the Baronets. It then proceeds to declare that "the said title, style, dignity, and degree of BARONET shall be, and shall be reputed and taken to be a title, style, dignity, and degree of dignity hereditary, *meane* in place betwixt the degree of a Baron (i. e., a Lord of Parliament), and the degree of a Knight," after which follows the several additional grants :—

"And we hereby declare, that the Baronets, and the heires males of their bodies, and their wives during their husbands' lives, shall have and hold such place and precedency as by our former letters pattents are granted, mentioned, or intended to them, but also their wives after the decease of their husbands, shall, during their lives, have and hold the like place and precedency, which they had and held in their husbands' lives, according to the manner and usage in other degrees.

"And forasmuch as the degree of a Baronet is an hereditarie degree in blood, therefore we doe declare, that the eldest sonnes of the same Baronets and their wives, as well during their husbands' lives as after : and the daughters of the same Baronets, the said daughters following next after the said wives of the eldest sonnes of the same Baronets, shall have place and precedency before the eldest sonne, and the wife of the eldest sonne of any Knight of what degree or order soever : and likewise that the younger sonnes of the same Baronets and their wives, as well during their husbands' lives as after, shall after the same manner have place and precedency next after the eldest sonnes, and the wives of the eldest sonnes, and before the yonger sonnes, and before the wives of the yonger sonnes of any of the Knights aforesaid.

"And our will and pleasure is, and we doe for us, our heires and successors, heereby further grant and appoint, that if any doubts or questions not heereby, nor by any our recited letters pattents cleared and determined, doe or shall arise, concerning any place, precedency, priviledge, or other matter touching or concerning the same Baronets, and the heires males of their bodies, and their wives, their eldest sonnes and their wives, their daughters, their yonger sonnes, and their yonger sonne's wives, or any of them ; such doubts or questions shall be decided and determined by and according to such usuall rules, custome, and

lawes, for place, precedency, priviledge, or other matters concerning them as other degrees of dignity hereditary are ordered and adjudged. And further of our especial grace, certaine knowledge, and meere motion, we doe heereby declare and expresse our true intent and meaning to have beene, and doe heereby promise and graunt for us, our heires and successors, to and with such gentlemen as now be, or at any time heereafter shall be Baronets, that so soon as they or any of them shall attaine to the age of one and twenty yeeres; and likewise so soone as the eldest sonne or apparant heire male of the bodies of them or any of them, shall during the life of their father, or grandfather, attaine to the age of one and twenty years; and that the said Baronets, or the said eldest sonnes or apparant heires males, shall be presented to us by the Lord Chamberlaine of our Household, or Vice Chamberlain for the time being, or in their absence by any other officer attending upon the person of Us, our heires or successors, to be made Knights, that they and every of them shall from time to time be made Knights by Us, our heires and successors accordingly: Provided neverthesse, that any such eldest sonne of a Baronet being made Knight, shall not during his father's life take place of any aunter Knight. And to the end that such as are, or at any time heereafter shall be Baronets, may have upon all occasions present use and prooffe of these our favours: We are farther graciously pleased, that as well such as now are, as also such as at any time heereafter shall be Baronets, and every of them, shall and may at all times heereafter, have and take letters pattents under our Great Seale of England, to the effect of the said former recited letters pattents and of these presents, as they shall be advised by the learned Counsel to Us, our heires or successors: And according to the true intent and meaning heerein, and in our said severall letters pattents expressed."

In the year 1619, His Majesty King James I. erected the dignity of Baronet within the kingdom of Ireland, conferring upon the members of that branch of the order the whole rights, priviledges, and immunities, without exception, set forth in the letters patent above cited.

By a Royal Letter, bearing date the 18th of October, 1624, addressed to the Lords of the Privy Council of Scotland, King James I. stated, that having erected the hereditary title and dignity of Baronet within the kingdom of England, to advance the plantation of Ulster, so he did desire to erect the like honour within the kingdom of Scotland, for the plantation of Nova Scotia.

This letter was accompanied by copies of the three patents which form the constitution of the Baronetage, the same having been printed by royal authority in 1617.

King James I. did not live to realize his intention, to extend the order to Scotland; but King Charles I., on the 28th of May, 1625, conferred the dignity of Baronet upon the Hon. Sir Robert Gordon, second son of the Earl of Sutherland, and by subsequent instruments his patent was made the regulating charter of the order in Scotland.

This charter conveys all the dignitorial privileges whatever conferred by the three patents, which form the constitution of the Baronetage, except that instead of the Ulster augmentation, the Baronets of Scotland are each privileged to have and carry on a canton in their coat of arms, or in an escutcheon, at their pleasure, the arms of the province of Nova Scotia, viz.—*argent*, the royal arms of Scotland on a cross of St. Andrew, *azure*, supported by the royal unicorn on the dexter side, and by a savage *proper* on the sinister; and for crest, two hands conjoined, the one naked, and the other mailed, with a laurel branch and thistle issuing between; and the motto, “Munit hæc, et altera vincit.”

In addition to the dignities and immunities enjoyed by the two senior branches of the order, the Baronets of Scotland, by the grants of King Charles I., are each entitled to enjoy the following rights and privileges in Nova Scotia:—

*1st, Territorial.*—A grant of sixteen thousand acres of land, to be incorporated into a full, entire, and Free Barony and Regality for ever, to be held of the kingdom of Scotland in blench farm, for payment yearly of one penny, if asked only; the said Regality to extend three miles in length alongst the sea-coast, and six in length inland, with gifts of benefices, patronage of churches, fisheries, huntings, minerals, mines, pearls, jewels, offices, jurisdictions, and power of Pit and Gallows as plenary as had ever formerly been enjoyed by whatsoever noblemen under the crown of Scotland; also, with express power of planting the said Regality, and of transporting thence from Scotland, or any other parts, persons, goods, and chattels; with liberty to such persons, their children, and posterity, to have, hold, acquire, enjoy, and possess, all and whatever the liberties, privileges, and immunities of children, and natural-born subjects of the kingdom of Scotland, and the other dominions thereunto belonging, as if they had been born in the said kingdom or dominions.

*2nd, Seigneurial.*—The right and liberty to erect cities, towns,

villages, corporations, burghs of barony, &c. ; of making and appointing captains, commanders, leaders, governors, mayors, provosts, baillies, justices of the peace, constables, &c. ; of making such particular laws, ordinances, and constitutions, as should be deemed expedient for the good order and police of the Regality, with the heritable justiciary and sheriffship of the same ; the power of judging and discerning in all causes as well civil as criminal, within the bounds ; of holding Courts of Justiciary, Sheriff Courts, Courts of Free Regality, and Baron, and Barony Courts : also of appointing their officers, and of exacting and appropriating all escheats, amercements, &c. ; also of imposing and levying tolls, customs, anchorages, &c. &c.

*3rd, Commercial.*—The right of erecting free ports, harbours, naval stations, &c., of building ships, craft, vessels, &c., as well for war as merchandise ; of importing and exporting from and to Scotland or any other country, wares, merchandises, and commodities of whatever description, for payment of the sum of five pounds Scots money of custom for every hundred pounds only, without payment of any other custom, impost, or duty of any kind ; also of imposing and exacting five pounds for every hundred, on all goods imported into Nova Scotia by the colonists, and ten per cent. on all imported by foreigners.

*4th, Legislative.*—The right, either personally or by deputy, of a suffrage and vote in framing all and sundry the laws to be made concerning the public state, good, and government of the realm of Nova Scotia, in all assemblies, parliaments, synods, councils, and conventions, to be called together, convened, or held for that end ; and that no person or persons whatsoever, who should not be heirs of the said baronies of Regality, should have vote or suffrage in framing whatsoever laws concerning the said realm, without the advice, counsel, and consent of the Baronets.

*5th, Dignitorial.*—Precedency above Barons, and next immediate to Lords, their eldest sons being privileged to be inaugurated Knights on coming of age.

In addition to these rights and privileges, the said charters empower the Baronets, if furth of the kingdom of Scotland, to sit and vote in the Scottish Parliament by deputy.

These rights, dignities, and privileges were solemnly ratified, allowed, and confirmed by two several Acts of the Parliament of Scotland, the first held on the 31st of July, 1630, and the second on the 28th of June, 1633, on which latter occasion his Majesty King Charles I. was personally present.

King Charles I. having been pleased, shortly after his accession to the throne, to order that "all the Knights of the Bath should continually wear the ensign of that order about their necks as a mark of honor," a proposition was made in 1627 to the Earl of Hollande, to move his Majesty to declare his royal pleasure, by proclamation, that the Baronets might have a riband and badge, to distinguish them from Knights, and persons of inferior quality. This request having been referred, by the minister, to the heralds, for their consideration, these officers, by a certificate bearing date the 16th day of July, 1627, communicated to his lordship, that seeing differences and marks upon robes, or in apparel, for distinguishing of degrees and orders, were not only frequent among other nations, but by the ancient usages and customs of the realm had been observed in England, and that formerly all estates, by their differences in apparel, were thought fit to be distinguished according to their several estates, pre-eminences, dignities, and degrees, as was clearly expressed in the preamble to the statute on apparel, 24 Hen. VIII. cap. 4, they were therefore of opinion, that if there was a decoration for the distinction of the degree of a Baronet, it would no way be unfit or inconvenient either to his Majesty, or to his subjects. But whether his Majesty's pleasure in this behalf should be declared by proclamation, or what the decoration should be, they humbly left to the consideration of his Majesty.

On the 15th of December, in the same year, the Attorney-General, Sir Robert Heath, addressed a letter to Sir William Segar, king-of-arms, stating that he required a copy of the certificate above mentioned for his Majesty's service, having received a COMMANDMENT from the King concerning the business.

Two years after this, his Majesty King Charles I. addressed a letter to the Lords of the Privy Council of Scotland, dated Whitehall, the 17th of November, 1629, signifying his Majesty's pleasure that the Baronets of that his ancient kingdom should wear and carry an orange riband and badge, to the effect that they might be better known and distinguished from other persons. The decoration in question was the Nova Scotia cognizance above described, surmounted by an imperial crown, and encircled with the inscription "FAX MENTIS HONESTÆ GLORIA," the favourite motto of Henry, Prince of Wales. This royal letter was directed to be recorded in the books of the Lyon king-of-arms, and it contains a clause ordaining that from time to time, as occasion of creating Baronets should offer, power should be

given to each of them to use and enjoy the said riband and badge.

By an establishment in the Herald's College, temp. Car. II., Baronets are allowed to carry a standard of four yards and a half in length, being half-a-yard short of a Lord Baron's, the same size as a Banneret's, and one yard and a half longer than a Knight's.

Prior to the year 1722, instances occur of the Baronets of Scotland augmenting their coats armorial with the Nova Scotia cognizance; but in that year Nisbet published his celebrated work on Heraldry, in which he suggested the propriety of the Baronets adorning their arms exteriorly, like other collared orders, with their riband and badge. In consequence of this, the practice of charging the shield with a canton or inescutcheon of the arms of Nova Scotia, which often disfigured the beauty and simplicity of the family arms, has been entirely discontinued.

On the 14th of June, 1775, a meeting of the Baronets of Scotland was held in Edinburgh, which was attended by twenty members, others concurring by letter, when it was resolved that the privilege of wearing the riband and badge, which had fallen into desuetude since the period of the civil wars, should be revived; and a committee was appointed to communicate the same to the secretary of state for the home department, and otherwise to do what was necessary in the matter.

The proceedings of this meeting having been referred to the Earl of Suffolk, he required that the claim of the Scottish Baronets to wear this decoration should be submitted for the legal consideration of the Attorney and Solicitor General of England, and the Lord Advocate and Solicitor General of Scotland; but the committee replied, that "whilst they would, without fear, trust their lives and fortunes in the hands of the law officers named, they would not submit their family honours to anybody." Since that period, the Baronets of Scotland have exercised their right to wear a riband and badge.

In 1783, his Majesty King George III., by a warrant under his royal signet, ordained, for the better regulation of the order, that the arms and patents of all persons created Baronets from and after the date of the said warrant, should be registered in the Herald's College, together with so much of their pedigrees as should be necessary to ascertain the descent of their titles.

On the 19th of December, 1827, King George IV. passed an ordinance, which, after citing the letters patent of the 10th

Jac. I., whereby his Majesty was graciously pleased, amongst other things, to knight the then present Baronets that were no Knights, and to promise for himself, his heirs and successors, to knight in future such Baronets being of age as should desire the same, proceeds as follows:—"Now know ye that we, for divers good causes and considerations, Us hereunto moving, have thought fit to revoke, determine, and make void, and by these presents, for Us, our heirs and successors, do revoke, determine, and make void, the said promise and grant in the last-mentioned letters patent contained with respect to all letters patent for the creation of Baronets to be made and granted *after* these presents; and that the said letters patent shall be made hereafter without any such clause as hereinbefore mentioned, without prejudice nevertheless to any letters patent heretofore granted, or to the rights and privileges now by law belonging to any Baronet, and his heirs male."

From the date of the passing of this ordinance, the clause in question has been omitted in the patents of the Baronets since created. But it is to be observed, that the said ordinance does neither refer to, nor repeal, the letters patent of the 14th Jac. I. (passed four years after the grant above set forth to the Baronets), which vests in the eldest sons of all Baronets the right to be inaugurated Knights by the reigning sovereign, after coming of age, and which therefore remains in full force.

By the original laws of admission, no one was to be raised to the dignity of Baronet unless it appeared on good proof that they were men who for their quality, state of living, and good reputation, were worthy of it. They were also to be descended at the least of grandfathers, by the father's side, who bore arms—i. e., were gentlemen of blood. And, lastly, they were each to have at the least a certain yearly revenue in lands of inheritance in possession of 1000*l.* per annum de claro, which, two centuries ago, was a very ample income.

The dignity of Baronet, like peerage dignity, is conferred by the letters patent of the sovereign, under the great seal of the realm, and in much the same form and words as is the title of parliamentary Baron, with a *mero motu, speciali gratia, &c.* It is likewise, as Lord Coke observes, a local title.

The precedency of the Baronets of the several creations is regulated in the same manner as that of the high nobility, or *nobiles majores*, and not as that of knights who have in all countries state and place according to their priority of knight-



hood, whereas the greater nobility, be they ever so ancient, go below as puisnes those of the same degree in the nation in which they may be resident.

Thus in England, all Baronets of England precede Baronets of Scotland and Nova Scotia, Baronets of Ireland, Baronets of Great Britain, and Baronets of the United Kingdom.

In Scotland, Baronets of Scotland and Nova Scotia precede all Baronets of England, Baronets of Ireland, Baronets of Great Britain, and Baronets of the United Kingdom.

In Ireland, Baronets of Ireland precede all Baronets of England, Baronets of Scotland and Nova Scotia, Baronets of Great Britain, and Baronets of the United Kingdom.

Baronets of Great Britain precede all Baronets of the United Kingdom, but never take rank above any of the Baronets of the three senior creations.

Baronets of the United Kingdom take precedence amongst themselves, according to the dates of their respective creations, but they never precede any of the four senior branches of the order.

At coronations, and other royal or national processions, the Baronets would walk in the following order:—

1. Baronets of England according to their seniority.
2. Baronets of Scotland and Nova Scotia.
3. Baronets of Ireland.
4. Baronets of Great Britain, and
5. Baronets of the United Kingdom.

A very considerable portion of the Baronets of England and Ireland are Lords of Manors, or Barons, which latter word, according to Selden, "hath been so much communicated, that not only all Lords of Manors have been from ancient time, but are at this day (1670) also, called sometimes Barons, as in the style of their court Barons, which is *curia baronis*." As tenants of the crown *in capite*, the Lords of Manors had seat and voice in parliament prior to the end of the reign of King John.

Nearly all the Baronets of Scotland and Nova Scotia are Barons, and as such formed a constituent portion of the second estate of the realm of Scotland, the three estates being the clergy, the nobility, and the burgesses. Prior to the reign of James the Sixth (and first of Great Britain), the hereditary nobility of Scotland consisted only of three grades—EARLS, LORDS, and BARONS. The statutes of King Robert I. bear to be made in his parliament, with earls, barons, and others, his noblemen of his

realm. So late as the year 1592, the 134 Act of Jac. VI. begins "the nobility, earls, lords, and barons," &c. In the 87th Act, 6 p., Jac. V., it is ordained that "everie nobleman sic as earle, lorde, knight, and barrone," &c. Sir George Mackenzie, lord advocate of Scotland under Charles II. and James II., in his work on Precedency, states, "under the word Baron all our nobility are comprehended." He further observes, "I find by the old records, as particularly in October, 1562, that noblemen and burgesses are called, but no Barons—the barons and noblemen being then represented promiscuously." Again, by the 101 Act, 7th p., Jac. I., the Barons of each shire were allowed to choose two of their number to represent them, "which," continues Sir George, (who died in 1691,) "is the custom at this day. Yet it is observable that though by that Act they may for their conveniency choose two, yet they are by no express law discharged to come in greater numbers."

The title of Baron in Scotland was anciently conferred by erecting lands into a free barony. The following is a copy of the charter of James Colvill, Baron of Culross, which bears date, the 20th of June, 1589 :—

"CARTA, &c. Jacobi Colvill de Easter Weems, et Hæredibus Masculis de Corpore suo legitime procreatis, seu procreandis, quibus deficientibus, propinquieribus et legitimis Hæredibus suis masculis quibusq. cognomen et Arma de Colvill gerent. omnes et singulas terras, dominia, baronias, quæ ad Monasterium de Culross, et patrimonium ejusd. juste pertinuerunt, quasquidem omnes et singulas terras annexavimus in unum temporalem baroniam omni tempore affuturo cum titulo et nomine BARONIE DE CULROSS, nuncupandum dando et concedendo memorato Jacobo Colvill, Hæredibus suis masculis et assignatis prescriptis *Titulum, Honorem et Statum LIBERI BARONIS* ratione dict. terrarum, simiter et adeo libere sicuti aliquis alius BARO infra Regnum nostrum habuit, habet, vel quovis tempore præcedenti habere poterit. Et volumus quod ille honorabitur cum Ditione (*lie Badge*) et Armis LIBERI BARONIS prout congruit imposterum BARO DE CULROSS appellandus, et quod dict. Jacobus Colvill de Easter Weems, Hæredes et successores sui, BARONES DE CULROSS vocabuntur."\*

It appears to be doubted whether a Baronet may be considered

\* The Baron of Culross, twenty years after the date of this patent—viz., in 1609, was raised to the higher dignity of LORD OF CULROSS.

a nobleman ; but that, so far as the Scottish branch of the order is concerned, is clearly resolved by the extracts above given from the parliamentary records of the kingdom. They have hereditary state and place above a class of nobles who ever ranked *INTER MAGNATES*, and formed a portion of the *PROCERES REGNI*. They are, farther, Lords of Regality in Nova Scotia, with seat and voice in the legislative assemblies of that province. With regard to the right of the Baronets of England, and the Baronets of Ireland, to be respectively considered a constituent portion of the nobility of their native kingdom, it is established by the "*Report on the Dignity of the Peerage*," brought from the Lords on the 19th of May, 1826, that in the 13th century "*totius Regni Angliæ Nobilitas*," comprehended "Barones, Milites, et Nobiles—i.e., Barons, Knights, and others, who may have been what we now call Gentlemen;" that the "*Curia Regis*," the "*Commune Concilium Regni*," and the "*Concilio Magnatum*, i.e., the parliament, or great council of the nation," were different names for the same assembly ; that from a general review of the documents which relate to the early part of the reign of Henry III., the persons ordinarily convened at general councils are styled "*MAGNATES*," "*PROCERES*," "*NOBILES*," and that under these words were frequently included persons not distinguished by the word "*BARONES*;" that writs appear where "Earls, Barons, and other *MAGNATES*" of the kingdom are spoken of ; that tenants of the crown in chief, by military service, appear to have been intended to be expressed by the word "*MAGNATES*;" that these classifications were after the reign of King John, when a distinction first was made between Barons of greater and smaller estate, by the former only being summoned by the King to parliament ; that the ancestors of the persons created Baronets in the 17th century were a component part and portion of the *Magnates*, *Proceres*, and *Nobiles*, of the 13th and subsequent centuries ; that the charter of King John, by which Earls and *Barones Majores* are required to be *specially* summoned, and other tenants of the crown in *capite generally* summoned, contains this provision—"Comites et Barones non amercentur nisi per Pares suo;" and that the word *majores* being omitted, establishes the fact, that the phrase *PEERS*, as now understood, was not then limited to such nobles as are now called *BARONES MAJORES*, or lords of parliament, but comprised all who held lands *per baroniam*, i.e., all who held land of the crown *in capite* by military service, or by grand serjeantry, which was esteemed a military service, or by both.

Nobility in the British Monarchy may justly be divided into four sorts—1st, PEERAGE NOBILITY, which is now limited to Dukes, Marquesses, Earls, Viscounts, and Lords; 2nd, BARONETAGE NOBILITY, under which may be ranked Baronets, Barons, Lords of Manors, Chiefs of Clans, and such other tenants of the crown *in capite* as originally enjoyed place in parliament INTER MAGNATES; 3rd, KNIGHTAGE NOBILITY, which includes Knights of the ancient state orders, and the modern royal orders; and 4th, ESQUIRAGE NOBILITY, which embraces all the other branches of the aristocracy.

The honorary style of Baronets and Baronesses is "The Honourable;" that of Lords, Viscounts, and Earls, and their wives, being "Right Honourable;" and that of Marquesses, and Dukes, and their wives, being "Most Honourable." The additional style of "Most Noble" is also common to each of the six degrees of dignity hereditary.

In assemblies of every description, a Baronet, when publicly addressed or spoken of, should be styled "the noble Baronet," it being a popular error to suppose that this epithet is peculiar to peerage nobility alone.

The same usual rules and customs by which Lords, Viscounts, and other higher degrees, are governed in all questions relative to their dignity, place, precedence, immunities, armories, insignia, &c., are appointed by King James I., for himself, his heirs, and successors, as fixed and certain laws to Baronets, their wives, and children, to adjust and determine all similar matters concerning their order.

The coronet of a Baronet, adopted in 1841, is distinguished from the coronets of the other degrees of dignity hereditary by four balls, two of which are displayed in front.

The Ulster badge is the royal cognizance conferred by the founder of the order, to commemorate the original objects of the institution, encircled with the motto, "PRO REGE ET PATRIA." It is worn with a sanguine riband.

Baronets, as incidents of their baronial and chivalrous dignities, carry supporters, an open helmet, with two bars on either side, the collar of S.S., a mantle gules, doubled ermine, having one bar, a wreath, &c.

Baronesses have, like Peeresses of the several degrees, the right to wear the heraldic and other ornaments worn by their husbands.

The children of Peers are the only persons who, by their nobility of blood, have precedence over the children of Baronets.

The Eldest Sons of such Baronets of Scotland as are also Barons, are styled *Masters* of their family barony, as "*The Master of Menzies.*" This title is also ascribed to the eldest sons of Viscounts and Lords, with the addition of the honorary style of honourable, as "*The Honourable the Master of Forbes.*" The eldest sons of Baronets having, however, the hereditary privilege secured to them by charter of being inaugurated Knights after coming of age on application for it, enjoy in this respect, not only a distinction peculiar to themselves, but one in some respect superior even to what the law allows to the eldest sons of Marquesses and Dukes, inasmuch as they are only Esquires, although by courtesy they have ascribed to them the second title borne by their fathers.

The Younger Sons of Baronets are Esquires, and, as may be noted in many old establishments by the royal authority for all degrees, have been ranked above Esquires of the King's creation by the imposition of a collar of SS. They have rank and place above the younger sons of Knights of the Garter, who again have precedency above the younger sons of all other Knights

The Daughters of Baronets have each the rank of their eldest brother, who is a Knight *de jure*, and may become a Knight *de facto* on attaining majority, by application for that honour. They are, therefore, ladies by blood, and if they marry inferior persons, they still retain their rank, it being *character indelebilis*. Baronets' daughters take precedence above all grand-daughters of Peers; and so very eminent is their place, that they have rank above the wives of Archbishops, Bishops, Judges, and other personages filling high offices in the state.

Several of the most important rights and privileges of the order having fallen into a state of desuetude, or never been enjoyed, a permanent COMMITTEE OF THE BARONETAGE FOR PRIVILEGES was founded in 1840. The proceedings of this body will be found at the end of the volume.

This noble Hereditary Order enrolls amongst its existing members, 5 Dukes, 16 Marquesses, 61 Earls, 16 Viscounts, and 58 Lords; the Prime Minister, the Secretary of State for the Home Department, the Paymaster-General of the Forces; 16 Privy Councillors; 5 Knights of the Garter, 6 Knights of the Thistle, 3 Knights of St. Patrick, 13 Knights Grand Cross of the Bath, 17 Knight Commanders of the Bath, various Knights of the Sovereign Order of Saint John of Jerusalem, and numerous members of other chivalrous orders the Hereditary Champion of the

English Crown; 70 Members of the House of Commons, several Lord-Lieutenants and Sheriffs of counties, many Admirals, Generals, and other officers of high rank; together with a very considerable number of members of the diplomatic body, and persons eminent in the learned professions.

The following Statistics of the BARONETAGE is taken from Mr. Dodd's new and valuable work on "Dignities, Privilege, and Precedence."\*

The list below displays the number of Baronetcies of England, Great Britain, and the United Kingdom, created by each monarch, since the foundation of the order in 1611.

	Gross Number.	Still Existing.
James I. ....	205	51
Charles I. ....	253	41
Charles II. ....	426	76
James II. ....	20	4
William and Mary .....	37	6
Anne .....	29	8
George I. ....	41	8
George II. ....	49	23
George III. ....	469	364
George IV. ....	55	50
William IV. ....	58	51
Victoria .....	56	56
	<hr/> 1698	<hr/> 738

The following statement presents a view of the Baronets of Scotland and Nova Scotia, who were created in each reign, from the institution of the order, in 1625, till the legislative union with Scotland, in 1707:—

	Gross Number.	Still Existing.
Charles I. ....	103	85
Charles II. ....	83	39
James II. ....	29	20
William and Mary .....	20	16
Anne .....	34	28
	<hr/> 269	<hr/> 188

The following is a list of the number of Baronets of Ireland, created during the reign of each sovereign, from the institution of

\* Whittaker and Co., 1842.

the order, in 1619, till the legislative union with Ireland, in 1801:—

	Gross Number.	Still Existing.
James I. ....	18	7
Charles I. ....	21	8
Charles II. ....	30	7
James II. ....	7	3
William and Mary .....	0	0
Anne .....	3	2
George I. ....	3	2
George II. ....	11	8
George III. ....	59	48
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	152	85

The following is a table of the extinct and dormant Baronetcies of the three kingdoms:—

England, Great Britain, and United Kingdom.....	889
Scotland and Nova Scotia .....	121
Ireland .....	67
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	1077

The following is a classification of the existing Baronetcies of the three kingdoms:—

Baronetcies of England, Great Britain, and the United Kingdom, not connected with peerages ...	738
Baronets of England, Great Britain, and the United Kingdom, who are also peers of the realm	91
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	829
Baronets of Scotland and Nova Scotia, not possess- ing peerages .....	138
Baronets of Scotland and Nova Scotia, who are also peers of the realm .....	35
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	173
Baronets of Ireland not possessing peerages .....	85
... .. who are also peers of the realm	28
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	113
Existing Baronets of England, Great Britain, and United Kingdom .....	829
... .. of Scotland and Nova Scotia...	173
... .. of Ireland .....	113
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	1115
Deduct Baronets who are also peers of the realm	154
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	961

By the *CURIALITAS ANGLIÆ*, the Eldest Sons of every created degree of dignity is as of the rank next to that enjoyed by their Fathers. Thus :

1. Dukes' eldest sons . . .	<i>rank as youngest</i>	Marquesses.
daughters . . .	—	Marchionesses.
younger sons . . .	—	Earls.
2. Marquesses' eldest sons	—	Earls.
daughters . . .	—	Countesses.
younger sons . . .	—	Viscounts.
3. Earls' eldest sons . . .	—	Viscounts.
daughters . . .	—	Viscountesses.
younger sons . . .	—	Lord Barons.
4. Viscounts' eldest sons .	—	Lord Barons.
daughters . . .	—	Baronesses.
younger sons . . .	—	Baronets.
5. Lord Barons' eldest sons	—	Baronets.
daughters . . .	—	Baronetesses.
younger sons . . .	—	Bannerets.
6. Baronets' eldest sons .	—	Bannerets.
daughters . . .	—	Ladies.
younger sons . . .	—	Knights.

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\*.\* Whilst the rule holds good in the British monarchy, as elsewhere, that "*NOBILITAS NATIVA EST POTIOR QUAM DATIVA*," and whilst the Sons of the above degrees of *HEREDITARY DIGNITY* form a portion of the *COMMUNITAS BARONAGII* (from whence the modern word Commoner is derived), nevertheless, with the exception of the Eldest Sons of the three higher ranks, and such Eldest Sons of Baronets as may claim Knight-hood, they do not, as is the fashion on the continent, assume and bear the titles of their Fathers.





## KNIGHTHOOD.

The **ORDERS OF KNIGHTHOOD** which exist in the British Monarchy are of three sorts:—

**FIRST**, The ancient **STATE ORDERS**, which are coeval in antiquity with the Christian monarchies, are without known institutional foundation, and form the primeval root and stem of the modern chivalrous degrees which exist amongst us by royal ordinance and statutory regulations.

**I. KNIGHTS BANNERETS ROYAL.** (*Equites Vexilliferi Major.*)

**II. KNIGHTS BANNERETS OF THE SECONDARY CREATION.** (*Equites Vexilliferi Minor.*)

**III. KNIGHTS OF THE BATH.** (*Equites Balnei.*)

**IV. KNIGHTS.** (*Chevaliers, Equites Aurati, seu Ordo Equestris.*)

**V. BACHELORS**, commonly called Knight Bachelors. (*Bas-Chevaliers, seu Milites Bachillari.*)

Each of these knightly classes, under the feudal system, had robes, tympbered helmets, caps of dignity, circles of gold, and

other habiliments peculiar to their degree; and their decorations personal and heraldic, including the collar of SS, the belt of honour, &c., were of the most brilliant and distinctive description. They had ascribed to them such honorary styles as "most noble," "very noble," "right noble," "truly noble," &c. The learned Sir Thomas Smith, Secretary of State under Edward the Sixth, and Queen Elizabeth, thus dedicates his work on the Constitution of England:—

" *Nobilissimo, Amplissimo, Clarissimoque Viro,*  
DOM. THO. GLENHAMMO,  
*Eq. Aurato.*"

By the Royal Ordinance of the 10th Jac. I., the BARONETAGE is amplified with KNIGHTHOOD, under provisions rendering that dignity descendible in the order for ever; and, by the final decree of the 14th Jac. I., the eldest sons of Baronets have the privilege to be inaugurated, or made knights, (i. e., EQUITES AURATI,) on attaining majority.

It is to be observed that, anciently, the only difference which prevailed between EQUITES BALNEI and EQUITES AURATI was, that the former were created at coronations, and other high ceremonials of a pacific nature, with peculiar solemnities, such as vigils, bathing, &c.; the latter without. Historical notices, however, occur of public occasions at which knights (Equites Aurati) were created in great numbers, and with ceremonies of much splendour. Such was that in the year 1306, when (as Matthew of Westminster records,) Edward I., by proclamation, invited all who were privileged to receive knighthood, "*successione paterna,*" to present themselves for that honour. In consequence of this, three hundred youths, the sons of earls, barons, and knights, presented themselves at court, and, with knighthood, had distributed amongst them, "*purpura, byssus, syndones, cyclades, auro textæ effluentissime,*" &c.

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## SECOND, The ROYAL ORDERS of Knighthood.

I. THE MOST NOBLE ORDER OF THE GARTER, instituted by Edward III., 19th January, 1344.

II. THE MOST ANCIENT AND NOBLE ORDER OF THE THISTLE, instituted by King Achaius, A.D. 787; revived by James II., 1689; re-established by Queen Anne, 1703.

III. THE MOST ILLUSTRIOUS ORDER OF SAINT PATRICK, instituted by King George III., 5th February, 1783.

IV. THE MOST HONOURED MILITARY ORDER OF THE BATH, instituted by King George I., 18th May, 1725 ; re-modelled by George IV., whilst Regent, in 1815, and divided into three classes, Knights Grand Cross, Knights Commanders, and Companions.

V. THE MOST DISTINGUISHED ORDER OF ST. MICHAEL AND ST. GEORGE, instituted by George IV., whilst Regent, on the 27th April; 1818, for the Ionian Islands, Malta, and its dependencies.

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THIRD, THE SIXTH, OR BRITISH LANGUE OF THE SOVEREIGN ORDER OF SAINT JOHN OF JERUSALEM, instituted in Palestine, A.D. 1118 ; introduced into England same year ; incorporated by Philip and Mary in 1554 ; revived in 1834, under powers derived from the Continental Langues.

This most ancient and illustrious Order is divided into three classes :—

Knights Grand Cross,  
Knights Commanders, and  
Chevaliers.

And it comprehends the following Branches, or Langues :—

1. The Langue of Provence.
2. The Langue of Auvergne.
3. The Langue of France.
4. The Langue of Italy.
5. The Langue of Arragon.
6. The Langue of England.
7. The Langue of Germany.
8. The Langue of Castile.



Arms of the HON. SIR HENRY BOYNTON, lord of the manors of Boynton, and Bramston, &c., Yorkshire, and Baronet of England.  
 Given as exemplifying the mode of charging the Arms of the Baronets of England, as regulated by the Committee of the Order for Privileges.



THE  
BARONETAGE OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE.

Baronets of England.

**BACON OF REDGRAVE, SUFFOLK, PREMIER BARONET OF ENGLAND.** Cr. 22nd May, 1611.—The **HON. SIR EDMUND BACON, 9th Bt.;** b. 1779; m. 1801, his cousin, Mary-Anne, (d. 1820,) dau. of Dashwood Bacon, Esq. of Ottery St. Mary, co. Devon; is also 10th Bt. of Milden Hall, cr. 1627; s. his father in 1820, and is a dep.-lieut. of Norfolk. This most noble and ancient family descends from Grimbold, kinsman of William Earl Warren, who came into England at the Norman Conquest. Their ancient seat was Anverton, in Suffolk, and they held the manors of Thornage and Brome, by conducting all the foot soldiers of Suffolk and Norfolk to the wars in Wales. No house has produced men of higher European reputation than this. Roger Bacon, who was born in 1214, "Shone with unparalleled splendour as a writer and philosopher" in the 13th century, and, "all things considered, was perhaps the brightest genius which Britain, or the world, has produced." Sir Nicholas Bacon, twenty years

lord keeper, in the reign of Queen Elizabeth, was one of the wisest counsellors and greatest statesmen of his remarkable age; but the supreme boast of this name and race was Sir Francis Bacon, lord high chancellor of England under King James I., and Viscount St. Albans, the founder of the Baconian, or experimental philosophy, and whose "works are, for expression as well as thought, the glory of our nation, and of all latter ages." It appears that about fifteen of this powerful and wide-spreading family enjoyed knightly dignity prior to the erection of the Baronetage in 1611. The intermarriages have been with the ancient and distinguished families of Wotton, Peyton, Crane, Kemp, Castleton, &c.

*Arms*—Gu., on a chief, ar., two mullets pierced, sa.

*Seat*—Raveningham Hall, Beccles, Norfolk.

*Heir*—His son Edmund, b. 1803; m. 1832, dau. and heiress of the late W. Richardson, Esq. of Rich Hill, co. Armagh.

**HOGHTON OF HOGHTON TOWER, LANCASH. Cr. 1611.**—The **HON. SIR HENRY BOLD HOGHTON**, 8th Bt., son of the 7th Bt., by the only dau. and h. of P. Brook, Esq. of Astley Hall; b. 1799; m. 1820, 2nd dau. but sole h. of the late P. P. Bold, Esq. of Bold, Lancash.; s. his fa. in 1835; assumed the name of Bold in 1825, before Hoghton; is a dep.-lieut. This noble and very ancient family is lord of the manors of Hoghton, Walton le Dale, Lea, &c.; hereditary coroner of Walton le Dale, and lay rector of Preston. The first Bt. was M. P. for the county, and entertained James II. at Hoghton Tower on his visiting Scotland in 1617. The family have intermarried with the noble houses of Gerrard, Aston, Stanhope, Skeffington, Baughton, &c.

*Arms*—Sa, three bars, ar., on a canton, or, a rose and thistle, quartered with **BOLD**—viz., ar., a griffin, segreant, sa.

*Seat*—Bold Hall, near Warrington, Lancashire, lord of the manors of Bold, Burtonwood, and Sutton.

*Heir*—His son Henry, b. 1821.

**CLIFTON OF CLIFTON, NOTTS. Cr. 1611.**—The **HON. SIR JUCKES GRANVILLE JUCKES CLIFTON**, 8th Bt., high sh. of the co. of Notts, 2nd son of the 6th Bt., by the only dau. and h. of R. Lloyd, Esq. of Aberbrachar, Denbighsh.; m. 1st, 1794, dau. of J. de Lancy, of Bath, Esq.; 2nd, 1821, dau. of J. Swynfen, of Swynfen, Esq., Staffordsh.; s. his bro. in 1837. This ancient family is descended from Alvaredus de Clifton, who was warden of Nottingham Castle in the time of Peverell, bast. son of the Conqueror. The first Bt. served in eight Parliaments, and was seven times married. The family have intermarried with the other noble families of Warwick, Cumberland, Huntingdon, Bellamont, &c.

*Arms*—Sa., semée of cinquefoils, and a lion rampant, ar.

*Seat*—Clifton, Notts.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Sir Arthur Benjamin Clifton, K.C.B., son of the 6th Bt. •

**GERARD OF BRYN, LANCASH. Cr. 1611.**—The **HON. SIR JOHN GERARD**, 12th Bt., son of J. Gerard, Esq., (bro. of 10th and 11th Bts.,) by the dau. of Edw. Ferrers, Esq. of Badesley Clinton, Warwickshire; b. 1804; m. 1827, dau. of Thos. S. Standish, Esq. of Standish Hall, Lancash.; s. his uncle in 1826; is a dep.-lieut. of Lancash. The 1st Bt. was one of those created on the first day of the institution of the Order; and the 1000*l.* to be given for the dignity was remitted on account of his father's sufferings for Mary Queen of Scots. This noble family derive their origin from Otho, a baron in the reign of Edward the Confessor, the common ancestor of the Duke of Leicester and Marquess of Lansdowne, &c., and have intermarried with the families of Clifton, Mostwin, &c.

*Arms*—Ar., a saltier, gu.

*Seat*—Garswood Hall, Warrington, Lancaster.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. William, born 1806; m. 1829, dau. of B. Bretherton, Esq. of Rainhill, Lancashire.

**MONSON OF CARLETON, LINCOLN. Cr. 1611.**—The **HON. SIR FREDERICK JOHN MONSON**, D.C.L., raised to the dignity of a Baron of Great Britain, as Baron Monson, 1728.

**SHELLEY OF MICHELGROVE, SUSSEX. Cr. 1611.**—The **HON. SIR JOHN SHELLEY**, 6th Bt., son of the 5th Bt., by his first wife, dau. of J. Newnham, Esq. of Maresfield Park, Sussex; b. 1771; m. 1807, only dau. and h. of T. Winckley, Esq. of Brockholes, Lancash.; s. his fa. in 1783; is a dep.-lieut. of Sussex; claims, as representative of one of the co-heirs, the ancient barony of Sudely, in abeyance since 1336. This ancient family is descended from Sir J. Shelley, Knt., an adherent of Richard II., who was executed by Henry IV. The 5th Bt. was M.P. for Shoreham, and a privy councillor.

*Arms*—Sa., a fesse, engr., bet. three whelk-shells, or.

*Seats*—Maresfield Park, Sussex;

Brockholes, and Catterall Hall, Lancashire.

*Heir*—His son John Villiers, b. 1806; m. 1832, only child of the Rev. S. J. Knight, of Henley Hall, Shropshire.

**SEYMOUR OF BERRY POMEROY, DEVON.** Cr. 1611.—The HON. SIR EDWARD ADOLPHUS ST. MAUR, K.G., D.C.L. Raised to the dignity of the Peerage of England with the title of Duke of Somerset, 1546-7.

**MUSGRAVE OF EDEN HALL, CUMBERLAND.** Cr. 1611.—The HON. SIR GEORGE MUSGRAVE, 10th Bt.; m. 1828, dau. of the Rt. Hon. Sir James Rd. Graham, Bt.; s. his bro. in 1834; was high sheriff of Cumberland in 1840; is a dep.-lieut. of that co., and of Westmorland, and a member of the Committee of the Order for Privileges. The family, which is of great antiquity and border reputation, came to England with the Conqueror. The 1<sup>st</sup> Bt., who was 18th in descent from Peter Musgrave, of the time of King Stephen, was M.P. for Westmorland, temp. James I.; the 2nd Bt., also M.P. for that co., withdrew from parliament till after the Restoration; was at three different periods gov. of Carlisle; was an active supporter of Charles I., and had a warrant for a peerage, of which he did not avail himself.

*Arms*—Az., six annulets, or, three, two, and one.

*Seat*—Eden Hall, Cumberland.

*Heir*—His son Philip, b. 1833.

**ST. JOHN OF LYDIARD TREGOS, WILTS.** Cr. 1611.—The HON. SIR HENRY ST. JOHN, raised to the peerage of Great Britain as Viscount Bolingbroke, 1712.

**HOBART OF INTWOOD, NORFOLK.** Cr. 1611.—The HON. SIR GEORGE ROBT. HOBART HAMPDEN, raised to the peerage of Great Britain as Earl of Buckinghamshire, 1746.

**COPE OF HANWELL, OXON.** Cr. 1611.—The HON. SIR JOHN COPE, 11th Bt., 2nd son of W. Cope, Esq. of Brigden Place, Kent, by the d. of Benj. Greenwood, Esq. of St. Mary's

Cray; s. his bro. in 1812. The family deduce from John Cope, Esq., eminent in the reigns of Richard II. and Henry IV. The first Bt. was high sh. of Oxfordsh. in 24 and 33 of Eliz.; he and the 2nd, 4th, 5th, and 6th Barts. were M.P.s for Banbury, Oxfordsh.

*Arms*—Ar., on a chev. az., betw. three roses, qu. slipt ppr., as many fleurs-de-lis, or.

*Seats*—Bramhill Park, Hampshire; Hanwell, Oxfordshire.

**FINCH OF EASTWELL, KENT, AND OF RAUNSTON, BUCKS.** Cr. 1611 and 1660.—The HON. SIR GEO. WM. FINCH HATTON, raised to the English Peerage as Earl of Winchelsea, 1628.

**MOLYNEUX OF SEFTON.** Cr. 1611.—The HON. SIR CHAS. WM. MOLYNEUX, raised to the dignity of a peer of Ireland as Earl of Sefton, 1771.

**GRESLEY OF DRAKELOW, DERBY.** Cr. 1611.—The HON. and REV. SIR WM. NIGEL GRESLEY, 9th Bt., son of the Rev. Wm. Gresley, of Netherseale, by his first wife the dau. of Sir Nigel Gresley, 6th Bt.; b. 1806; m. 1831, 2nd dau. of the late G. Reid, Esq.; s. his cousin in 1837. This high and once powerful family descends from Malahucius, uncle to Rollo, Duke of Normandy. They founded, in 1134, an abbey of Cistercian monks, at Swinehead, in Lincoln, and also the castle and abbey of Gresley. The first Bart., who was sh. of Derbyshire, was M.P. for Newcastle-under-Line. Sir Nigel is a member of the Committee of the Order for Privileges.

*Arms*—Vaire, erm. and gules.

*Seat*—Netherseale Hall, Leicestersh.

*Heir*—His son Thomas, b. 1832.

**CHOLMONDELEY OF CHOLMONDELEY, CHESTER.** Cr. 1611.—The HON. SIR GEO. HORATIO CHOLMONDELEY, P.C., raised to the peerage of the U.K., 1816, with the title Marquess of Cholmondeley.

**PELHAM OF LAUGHTON, SUSSEX.** Cr. 1611.—The HON. SIR

HEN. THOS. PELHAM, raised to the Peerage of the U.K. as Earl of Chichester, 1801.

**HARINGTON OF RIDLINGTON, RUTLANDSH.** Cr. 1611.—The HON. SIR JOHN EDWARD HARINGTON, 10th Bt., son of the 9th Bt., by the 3rd dau. of Chas. Steer, Esq.; born 1821; s. his fa. in 1835; is a lieut. in the Coldstream guards. Is descended from Osulphus, of the manor of Flemingley, co. of Camb., temp. Richard I. His son was designated De Harington, from a manor in Durham; also descended from the Barons Harington, extinct, having merged in the marquise of Dorset. The 1st and 2nd Bts. were high sheriffs of Rutlandsh.; the 3rd Bt. sat on the trial of Charles I.

*Arms*—Sa., a fret, arg.

*Heir Pres.*—His uncle, Edward John, b. 1794.

**BRUDENELL OF DEANE, NORTHAMPTON.** Cr. 1611.—The HON. SIR JAMES THOS. BRUDENELL; cr. Earl of Cardigan, 1661.

**TUFTON OF HATHFIELD, KENT.** Cr. 1611.—The HON. SIR HENRY TUFTON, raised to the dignity of the peerage of England by the title of the Earl of Thanet, 1628.

**MORDAUNT OF MASSINGHAM, NORFOLK.** Cr. 1611.—The HON. SIR JOHN MORDAUNT, M.P., 9th Bt., son of the 8th Bt., by the eldest dau. of W. Holbech, Esq. of Farnborough, Warwicksh.; b. 1808; m. 1834, 2nd dau. of Bishop (Murray) of Rochester; s. his fa. in 1823; is patron of two livings; is a dep.-lieut. of the co. The Earldoms of Peterborough and Monmouth, now extinct, were vested in the ancestors of this noble family, which is of Norman descent. The first Bt. received his title for his distinguished military services.

*Arms*—Ar., chev., bet. three estoiles, sa.

*Seats*—Walton d'Evile, Warwickshire; Massingham, Norfolk.

*Heir*—His son Charles, b. 1836.

**WODEHOUSE OF KIMBERLEY, NORFOLK.** Cr. 1611.—The HON.

SIR JOHN WODEHOUSE, raised to the peerage of Great Britain, as Baron Wodehouse, 1797.

**SHIRLEY OF STAUNTON, LEICESTER.** Cr. 1611.—The HON. SIR WASHINGTON SEWALLIS SHIRLEY, raised to the peerage of Great Britain, as Earl Ferrers, 1711.

**TWYSDEN OF ROYDON, KENT.** Cr. 1611.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM TWYSDEN, 8th Bt., son of the 7th Bt., by the dau. of Alex. Wynch, Esq., gov. of Madras; b. 1788; is married; s. his fa. in 1834. The 1st Bt. was one of those who conducted James I. to London on his accession; his 2nd son was also created a Bt. in 1666, (Twysden of Bradbourn, now dormant.) The 1st Bt. was 11th in descent from Adam de Twysden, of Twysenden, in Kent, temp. Edward I.

*Arms*—Per salt., ar. and gu., a salt. bet. four cross-crosslets, all counter-changed.

*Seat*—Roydon Hall, East Peckham, Kent.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Francis James, born 1803; m. 1829, dau. of L. Bazlequette, of Eastwick Park, Surrey.

**TEMPLE OF STOWE, BUCKS.** Cr. 1612.—The HON. SIR GRENVILLE TEMPLE TEMPLE, 10th Bt., son of the 8th Bt., by his first wife, dau. of Geo. Watson, Esq., of the United States of America; b. 1799; m. 1829, dau. of G. Baring, Esq.; s. his fa. in 1829; attained the rank of lieutenant in the army in Nov. 1841. This noble family descend from Leofric, Earl of Chester, temp. Edward the Confessor; are feudal lords of the manor of Stowe. The 4th Bt. was raised to the peerage as Viscount Cobham, now enjoyed by the Duke of Buckingham and Chandos; the Baronetcy, however, reverted to the great grandson of the 1st Bart.'s younger son.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, or, an eagle displayed, sa., the arms of Mercia, 2nd and 3rd, ar., two bars, sa., each charged with three martlets for TEMPLE.

*Seat*—Morlands, near Southampton.

*Heir*—His son Grenville Leofric, b. 1830.



**DEVEREUX OF CASTLE BROMWICH, WORCEST.** Cr. 1612-15.—The HON. SIR HENRY FLEMING DEVEREUX, P.C., raised to the Peerage of England as Viscount Hereford, 1550.

**-DORMER OF WENGE, BUCKS.** Cr. 1615.—The HON. SIR JOSHUA MADDENS DORMER, raised to the English Peerage, under the title of Baron Dormer, 1615.

**EGERTON.** Cr. 1617.—The HON. SIR PHILIP DE MALPAS GREY EGER-TON, 10th Bt., M.P., son of the 9th Bt., by the dau. of the late J. Dupre, of Wilton Park, Bucks; b. 1806; m. 1832, 2nd dau. of G. J. Legh, Esq. of High Legh, Cheshire; s. his fa. in 1829; is patron of two livings, and a dep.-lieut. of Cheshire. This eminently noble family have been feudal lords of Malpas from remote antiquity. The peerage houses of Cholmondeley and Delamere are its cadets. It has intermarriages with the Earls of Chester, Lords Audeley, Lords Grey de Wilton, &c. The 7th Bt. was created Earl of Wilton, now enjoyed by the Marquess of Westminster.

*Arms*—Quart. 1st and 4th, ar., a Hon ramp., gu., between three pheons, sa.; 2nd and 3rd, barry of six, ar. and az.

*Seat*—Oulton Park, Cheshire.

*Heir*—His son, Philip le Belward, b. 1833.

**CLARKE OF SHIRLAND, NOTTS.** Cr. 1617.—The HON. SIR SIMON HAUGHTON CLARKE, 10th Bt., son of the 9th Bt., by the dau. of J. H. James, Esq. of Jamaica; b. 1818; s. his fa. in 1832. This eminent family originally were feudal lords of Woodchurch in Kent, and Raphe, son of Anchitel de Woodchurch, was custos of the Castle of London, temp. William Rufus. The 1st Bt. sustained great losses by his loyalty to Charles I.

*Arms*—Gu., three swords, erected in pale, ar., hilts, or.

*Seats*—Oak Hill, East Barnet; Aldwick Place, Bognor, Sussex; Shirland, Notts.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Philip Haughton, b. 1810.

**TOWNSHEND OF RAINHAM, NORFOLK.** Cr. 1617.—The HON. SIR GEORGE FERRERS TOWNSHEND, raised to the dignity of the peerage of Great Britain as Marquess of Townshend, 1786.

**BOYNTON OF BRAMSTON, YORKSHIRE.** Cr. 1618.—The HON. SIR HENRY BOYNTON, 9th Bt., 3rd son of the 6th Bt., by his 2nd wife, eldest dau. of J. Heblethwayte, Esq.; b. 1778; m. 1810, dau. of Capt. Gray; s. his bro. in 1832. This noble family is of very great antiquity, Bartholomew de Boynton being lord of the manor of Boynton in 1067. Henry Boynton, 12th in succession from him, greatly increased his estates by marrying the dau. and co-heir of Sir Martin del See, lord of Bramston. Eight chiefs of the family enjoyed knighthood prior to the erection of the Baronetage; they have frequently been high sheriffs, had seats in parliaments, and made great intermarriages. The present Bt. is one of the Committee of the Order for Privileges, and his arms are given as an illustration of the mode of charging the arms of the Baronets of this branch of the Order.

*Arms*—Or, a fesse, between three crescents, gu.

*Seat*—Burton Agnes, Yorkshire.

*Heir*—His son Henry, b. 1811; m. 1833, 2nd dau. of Walter Strickland, Esq. of Cokethorpe Park, Oxfordsh.—*Seat*, Heslington Lodge, York.

**LYTTELTON OF FRANKLEY.** Cr. 1618.—The HON. SIR GEO. WM. LYTTELTON, raised to the peerage of Great Britain as Baron Lyttelton, 1794.

**FOULIS OF INGLEBY MANOR, YORKSH.** Cr. 1619.—SIR WILLIAM FOULIS, 8th Bt., son of the 7th Bt., by the 2nd dau. of E. Turner, Esq. of Panton, Lincolnsh.; b. 1790; m. 1825, 2nd dau. of the late Sir Chas. Ross, Bt.; s. his fa. in 1802. This family is a cadet of the ancient house of Colinton, Scotland. They came to England with James I. The 3rd Bt. was M.P. for Northallerton. The 5th Bt. m. a dau. of Viscount Downe.

*Arms*—Ar., three laurel or bay leaves erect, vert.

*Seat*—Ingleby Manor, near Stokesley, Yorkshire.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Henry.

**BURDETT OF BRAMCOTE, WARWICKSH.** Cr. 1618.—The HON. SIR FRANCIS BURDETT, 5th Bt., M.P.; b. 1770; m. 1793, youngest dau. of the late Thos. Coutts, Esq., and sister of the Countess of Guilford and Marchioness of Bute; s. his grandfa. in 1797; is patron of six livings; was M.P. for Boroughbridge and Westminster for many years, and now represents Wiltsh. Sir Francis is one of the most distinguished members of the House of Commons as an orator and politician. The ancestors of this noble and eminent family came to England with the Conqueror, and were feudal lords of Louseby, co. Leicester, temp. Hen. II., and of Arrow, Warwickshire, temp. Edw. II. They founded the priory at Ancote. Sir Nicholas, who fell at the battle of Pontoise in 1440, was chief butler of Normandy, and Governor of Eureux.

*Arms*—Az., two bars, or, each charged with 3 martlets, gu.

*Seats*—Foremark, Derbyshire; Ramsbury Manor, Wiltshire.

*Heir*—His son Robert, b. 1796; major in the 10th Dragoons.

**GOWER OF STILLEHAM, YORK.** Cr. 1620.—The HON. GEO. GRANVILLE LEVESON GOWER, raised to the peerage of the United Kingdom under the title of Duke of Sutherland, 1833.

**BEACH OF BEVERSTON, GLOSTER.** Cr. 1619.—The HON. SIR MICHAEL HICKS HICKS-BEACH, 8th Bt., son of Michael Beach Hicks, Esq., by the eldest dau. of W. Mount, Esq. of Wasing Place, Berks; b. 1809; m. 1832, 2nd dau. of John Stratton, Esq. of Farthinghee Lodge, Northamptonshire; s. his grand-uncle in 1834; is a dep.-lieut. of Gloucestersh. The founder of this noble family was Sir Ellice Hicks, made a knight banneret by Ed. III. for his gallant services in the French wars. Sir Baptist, in 1612, built

Hicks' Hall, London, and was in 1628 created Baron Hicks and Viscount Campden, with limitation to his son-in-law, Baron Noel, ancestor of the Earls of Gainsborough. Sir Michael is a member of the Committee for Privileges.

*Arms*—Quar., 1st and 4th, vaire, ar. and gu., a canton, az., charged with a pile, gu., for BEACH; 2nd and 3rd, gu., a fess, wavy, between three fleurs-de-lis, or, for HICKS.

*Seat*—Williamstrip Park, Gloucestershire.

*Heir*—His son Michael Edward, born 1837.

**OSBORNE OF RIVETON, YORK.** Cr. 1620.—The HON. SIR FRANCIS GODOLPHIN D'ARCY OSBORNE, raised to the dignity of the peerage of England as Duke of Leeds, 1694.

**BERNEY OF PARKHALL, NORFOLK.** Cr. 1620.—The HON. SIR HANSON BERNEY, 8th Bt., son of the 7th Bt., by the dau. of the 1st Earl of Abergavenny; b. 1780; m. 1811, eldest dau. of H. Tahourdin, Esq. of Sydenham, Kent; s. his fa. in 1825; is a dep.-lieut. of Norfolk. The family name is taken from the town of BERNEY, near Walsingham, where it was settled at the Conquest. The first Bt. was sh. of the co. Norfolk, in 1622.

*Arms*—Quar., gu. and az., a cross engrailed, erm.

*Seat*—Kirby Bedon, Norfolk.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. John, Commander R.N.; b. 1782.

**BISSHOPP OF PARHAM, SUSSEX,** Cr. 1620.—The HON. SIR CECIL AUGUSTUS BISSHOPP, 9th Bt., son of the 8th Bt., Dean of Lismore, and Archdeacon of Aghadoe, by the dau. of Capt A. Sproule, R.N.; b. 1821; s. his fa. in 1824. The 1st Bt. was M.P. for Gattton, and sh. of Surrey, in 1585 and in 1602. The 7th Bt. established his claim to the ancient barony of De la Zouche in 1815. This dignity is now enjoyed by the elder of his two daus. The baronetcy devolved upon his cousin, father of the present Bt. This noble family have been intermarried with the peerage families of Falmouth, Liverpool, &c.

*Arms*—Ar., on a bend, cottised, gu., three bez.

*Residence*—Dublin.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. George Curzon, b. 1823.

VINCENT OF STOKE D'ABERNON SURREY. Cr. 1620.—The HON. SIR FRANCIS VINCENT, 10th Bt., son of the 9th Bt., by the dau. of the Hon. Edw. Bouverie, and grand-dau. of the 1st Visct. Folkestone; b. 1803; m. 1824, only child of the late Hon. Chas. Herbert, and grand-dau. of 1st Earl of Carnarvon; s. his fa. in 1808; is a dep.-lieut. of Essex. The 1st Bt. was M.P. for Surrey in the 1st of Charles I.; his father had been knighted by Eliz. on her visit to him at his seat; the 3rd Bt. represented Dover, and the 6th Guildford.

*Arms*—Az., three quatrefoils, arg.

*Seat*—Stoke d'Aberon, Surrey.

*Heir pres.*—His cousin Henry, grand-son of the 7th Bt.

TICHBORNE OF TICHBORNE, HANTS. Cr. 1620-1.—The HON. SIR HEN. JOS. TICHBORNE, son of the 6th Bt., by the dau. of E. Plowden, Esq. of Plowden, Shropsh.; b. 1779; m. 1806, Anne, 4th dau. of the late Sir T. Burke, Bt., of Marble Hill, co. Galway, and sister to Eliza, Countess of Clanricarde; suc. his fa. in 1821. This noble family were feudal lords of *Ticheburne*, temp. Henry II.; was of great note in Hants; intermarried with the heiress of Rake, of Devonsh. of Edinbridge and Riche, and later, with the families of Arundel, &c. &c. The 1st Bt. was sh. of Hampshire, temp. Eliz.; and having heard of her death, he proclaimed James I. without waiting for orders; for his zeal he received his baronetcy, and his four sons were knighted. One of them, Henry, was created a Bt., and afterwards Baron Ferrard (extinct) by George I., for his services in the Irish Rebellion. The 3rd Bt. suffered for his support of Charles I., but at the Restoration was made lieut. of the New Forest of Hampsh, Sir Henry is a member of the Committee for Privileges.

*Arms*—Vaire, a chief, or.

*Seat*—Tichborne, Alresford, Hampshire.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Edw. Doughty, Esq. of Snarford Hall, Lincolnshire; b. 1782; m. 1827, dau. of 9th Lord Arundel of Wardour. In 1826, assumed the name of Doughty, in lieu of his family name, on inheriting the estates of Mrs. Eliz. Doughty. The present Bt. has several daus., Eliza Anne, m. to Lord Dormer; Frances Catherine, m. to Lord Arundel, &c. &c.

MANSEL OF MUDDLESCOMBE, CARMARTHEN. Cr. 1621-2.—The HON. SIR JOHN BELL W. MANSEL, 9th Bt., son of the 8th Bt., by the dau. and sole heir of J. Bell, Esq., of Norfolk; b. 1806; m. 1832, only sister of the Hon. Sir H. Dymoke, of Scrivelsby, Bart.; s. his fa. in 1829. The ancestor of this noble and ancient family, Philip Mansel, came to England with the Conqueror. Sir John is a member of the Committee for Privileges.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev., between three maunches, sa.

*Seats*—Ischoel, Carmarthen; Woodstone, co. Cork.

JERNINGHAM OF COSSEY, NORFOLK. Cr. 1621.—The HON. SIR GEO. WM. STAFFORD JERNINGHAM, raised to the peerage of England, 1640, as Baron Stafford.

RIVERS OF CHAFFORD, KENT. Cr. 1621.—The HON. AND REV. SIR HENRY RIVERS, 9th Bt., 4th son of the 6th Bt., by the dau. of W. Coxe, Esq., M.D., niece of Rev. W. Coxe, Rector of Bemerton, Wilts; m. 1812, dau. of S. Eales, Esq. of Cranbury, Hampsh.; s. his bro. in 1805; is rector of Martyr Worthy, Hants, and vicar of St. Swithin's, Winchester. The 1st Bt. was son of Sir George, Knt., M.P. and grandson of Sir John, Knt., lord mayor of London, temp. Eliz.

*Arms*—Az., two bars, dancette, or, in chief, three bezants.

*Residence*—Martyr Worthy, Hampshire.

*Heir*—His son, James Francis.

GAGE OF FIRLE, SUSSEX. Cr. 1621-2.—The HON. SIR HENRY HALL GAGE, raised to the peerage by the title of Visct. Gage, of the Kingdom of Ireland, 1720.

**PHILIPPS LAUGHARNE OF PICTON CASTLE, PEMBROKE.** Cr. 1621.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM PHILIPPS LAUGHARNE, 9th Bt., 2nd son of J. P. Laugharne, Esq. of Orlandon, Pembrokehire, by the dau. of Jos. Allen, Esq.; b. 1794; m. 1829, dau. of G. White, Esq.; suc. his bro. in 1832. This noble family is of great antiquity in S. Wales. The first ancestor, Lord of Dyfed, was called, from his large estates, "The Great." His grandson, Sir Aaron, accomp. Rich. I. to the Holy Land, 1190. He m. the sister of Gronw ap Ednyfed, paternal ancestor to Henry VII. The 7th Bt. was cr. Baron Milford, but died without issue; the baronetcy then devolved upon the present Bt.'s bro.

*Arms*—of PHILIPPS: Ar., a lion ramp. sa., ducally gorged and chained.

*Seat*—Polandon, near Haverford West.

*Heir*—His son Godwin, born 1840.

**GROSVENOR OF EATON, CHESTER.** Cr. 1621-2. The HON. SIR ROBERT GROSVENOR, K.G., P.C., raised to the peerage of the United Kingdom, as Marquis of Westminster, 1831.

**WAKE OF CLEVEDON, SOMERSET.** Cr. 1621.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM WAKE, D.C.L., 9th Bt.; b. 1768; m. 1st, 1790, only dau. of F. Sitwell, of Reinshaw, Derby; 2nd, 1793, dau. of the late Vice-Admiral Jas. Gambier; s. his father in 1795; is a dep.-lieut. of Northamptonsh. This noble family is one of the most ancient existing in the male line in England. Hugh Wac, Lord of Wilesford, was a Baron temp. Henry I. The last Lord Wac died temp. Edward III., and his heiress, Margaret, m. the Earl of Kent, younger son of Edward I., and was mother of Jane, "Fair maid of Kent," wife of Edward, the Black Prince. The first Bt. was tenth in descent from Margaret. Archbishop (Wake) of Canterbury is descended from this family.

*Arms*—Or, two bars, gul., in chief, three torteaux.

*Seats*—Courteen Hall, Northampton, and Riddlesworth Hall, Northumberland.

*Heir*—Charles, his son, b. 1791; m. 1815, dau. of Sir S. Sitwell; and 2nd, Charlotte, dau. of the late Craufurd Tait, of Harvieston, N.B.

**HOTHAM OF SCARBOROUGH, YORK.** Cr. 1621-2.—The HON. SIR BEAUMONT HOTHAM, raised to the Peerage of Ireland, as Baron Hotham, 1797.

**COOPER OF ROCKBOURNE, HANTS.** Cr. 1622.—The HON. SIR CROPLEY ASHLEY COOPER, P.C., a Peer of England, under the title of Earl of Shaftesbury. Cr. 1672.

**PRIDEAUX OF NETHERTON, DEVONSH.** Cr. 1622.—The HON. SIR EDMUND SAUNDERSON PRIDEAUX, 9th Bt., 2nd son of the 7th Bt., by the dau. of J. Priddle, Esq.; b. 1793; m. 1st, 1832, 3rd dau. of Rev. Wm. E. Fitz Thomas, of Auldiscombe; 2nd, April, 1841, dau. of the late Rev. James Bernard; s. his bro. in 1833; was a major in the army; is a dep.-lieut. of Devon. This noble family is very ancient, having been lords of the manor of Prideaux Castle, in Cornwall, prior to the Conquest. Three of its chiefs were Knights Bannerets. They have intermarried with the Mortimers, Earls of March; the Montacutes, Earls of Salisbury; the Yorkes, Chichesters, &c. Sir Edmund is a member of the Committee for Privileges.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev., sa., in chief, a label of 3 points, gu.

*Seat*—Netherton Hall, Devonsh.

*Heir*—His son John Rolle, b. 1835.

**HAZLERIGG OF NOSELY HALL, LEICESTER.** Cr. 1622.—The HON. SIR ARTHUR GREY HAZLERIGG, 12th Bt.; b. 1812; s. his fa. 1819; m. 1823, dau. of C. A. Phillips, Esq. The founder of this noble family was Roger de Hezilrigge, one of the knights of the army of William the Conqueror. Sir Arthur, the 2nd Bt., was an active supporter of Cromwell, who, on the day prior to the battle of Dunbar, 1650, addressed a letter to "the

Hon. Sir Ar. Haselrigge," requiring him to collect what forces he could, to open up the pass at Cockburnspath: his descendants held prominent situations, and intermarried with noble and peerage families.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev., between three hazel leaves, vert.

*Seat*—Nosely Hall, Leicester.

*Heir*—His son Arthur Grey, b. 1837.

**SKIPWITH OF PRESTWOULD, LEICESTER.** Cr. 1622.—The HON. SIR GREY SKIPWITH, 8th Bt., son of the 7th Bt., by his first wife, dau. of H. Miller, Esq. of Green Crofts, Virginia; b. 1771; m. 1801, 3rd dau. of Gore Townshend, Esq. of Honington Hall, Warwicksh.; s. his fa. in 1805; is a dep.-lieut. of Warwicksh.; was M.P. for the co. from 1831 to 1834; is descended from Patrick, feudal lord of Skipwith, temp. Henry I. Sir William, Knt., 16th century, was common ancestor of three families of Bts., two of which are extinct.

*Arms*—Ar., 3 bars, gul., in chief, a greyhound, cou., sa., collared, or.

*Seat*—Hampton Lucy, Warwicksh.

*Heir*—His son Thomas George, b. 1803.

**CREWE (late Harpur) OF CAULK ABBEY, DERBYSH.** Cr. 1826.—The HON. SIR GEORGE HARPUR CREWE, 8th Bt., son of the 7th Bt., by his m. with Miss Hawkins; b. 1795; m. 1819, dau. of Rev. Thomas Whittaker, of Mendham, Norfolk; s. his fa. in 1818; is patron of 8 livings; was M.P. for Derbysh. from 1837 to 1841; originally seated at Chesterton, temp. Henry I. The 4th Bt. m. the co-heiress of Lord Crewe, and the name of Crewe was assumed in 1808.

*Arms*—1st and 4th, CREWE; az., a lion ramp., ar., 2nd and 3rd, HARPUR; ar., a lion ramp., within a bord. engr., sa.

*Seat*—Caulk Abbey, Derbysh.

*Heir*—His son John Harpur, b. 1824.

**SEBRIGHT OF BESFORD, WORCESTER.** Cr. 1626.—The HON. SIR JOHN SAUNDERS SEBRIGHT, 7th Bt.,

son of the 6th Bt., by the dau. of Edw. Knight, Esq. of Wolverley, Worcestersh.; b. 1767; m. 1793, only dau. and heir of Rich. Crofts, Esq. of West Harling, Norfolk; s. his fa. in 1794; M.P. for Herts. from 1806 to 1834, previously for Bath; is a dep.-lieut. of Herts. This ancient family springs from W. Sebright of Sebright, who flourished in the beginning of the thirteenth century, and m. a dau. of Sir Henry de Ashe. The 1st Bt. was a warm loyalist, and paid 1109l. of composition for his sequestered estates.

*Arms*—Ar., 3 cinquefoils, sa.

*Seats*—Besford Court, Worcestersh., and Beechwood, Herts.

*Heir*—His son Tho. Gage Saunders, b. 1802.

**DERING OF SURREN DEN DERING, KENT.** Cr. 1626.—The HON. SIR EDWARD CHOLMELEY DERING, 8th Bt., son of Edw. Dering, Esq., by the eldest dau. and co-heir of R. Neville, Esq. of Furness, co. Kildare; b. 1807; m. 1832, dau. of 2nd Lord Kensington; s. his grandfa. in 1811; is a deputy-lieut. of Kent. This noble family is one of the few in England of undoubted Saxon origin. Miles Dering, which signifies *Terror*, was witness to a deed of King Etheluff, anno 880. The 1st Bt. was M.P. for Kent, and author of several learned treatises, he was also lieut. of Dover Castle. His portrait is to be found in one of his works wearing the Ulster Badge, suspended from a gold chain.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, ar., a fesse, az., in chief, three torteaux (a coat of augment.); 2nd and 3rd, or, a saltier, sa.

*Seat*—Surrenden Dering, Kent.

*Heir*—His son Edw. Cholmeley, b. 1833.

**CORNWALLIS OF BROME, SUFFOLK.** Cr. 1627.—The HON. SIR JAMES MANN, a peer of Great Britain under the title of Earl of Cornwallis, cr. 1753.

**STANLEY OF BICKERSTAFFE, LANCASTER.** Cr. 1627.—The HON.

**SIR EDW. SMITH STANLEY.** The family has been raised to the peerage of England with the title of Earl of Derby.

**STYLE OF WATERINGBURY, KENT.** Cr. 1627.—The HON. SIR THOMAS CHARLES STYLE, 8th Bt., 2nd son of the 6th Bt., by the eldest dau. of Jas. Whatman, Esq. of Vintners, Kent; b. 1797; m. 1822, dau. of Sir Geo. Cayley, Bt.; s. his bro. in 1813; is a dep. lieut. of the co. of Donegal; M.P. for Scarborough from 1837 to 1841. Of this ancient family was Sir H. Style of Langley, sh. of Kent in the 35 Hen. VIII. They have intermarried with the Foulkes, Airmines, Hothams, Powerscourts, &c.

*Arms*—Sa., a fesse, or, fretted, of the field, between three fleurs-de-lis, all within a border of the second.

*Seats*—Wateringbury Place, Kent; Cloghan Lodge, co. Donegal.

*Heir pres.*—His cousin Charles, son of the Rev. R. Style.

**ISHAM OF LAMPURT, NORTHAMPTON.** Cr. 1627.—The HON. SIR JUSTINIAN ISHAM, 8th Bt., son of the 7th Bt., by the dau. of H. Barrett, Esq.; b. 1773; m. 1812, eldest dau. of Rev. S. Close, of Elm Park, Armagh; s. his fa. in 1818; is a dep. lieut. of Northamptonsh. The 1st Bt. was sh. of Northamptonsh. in the 9th of James I. The 2nd was an active royalist during the civil wars, and paid 1106*l.*, for his sequestrated estates.

*Arms*—A fesse, wavy, and in chief, three piles, also wavy, ar.

*Seat*—Lampurt, Northamptonsh.

*Heir*—His son Justinian Vere, born 1816.

**GORING OF HIGHDEN, SUSSEX.** Cr. 1627.—The HON. SIR CHARLES FORSTER GORING, 6th Bt., son of the 5th Bt., by his 1st wife, dau. of Gov. Forster, of Fort William, Bengal; b. 1768; m. 1799, dau. of H. Dent, Esq. of Norfolk; s. his fa. in 1824; was high sheriff of Sussex in 1827; patron of three livings; and a dep. lieut. of the county. This noble family trace their descent from John

Lord of Goring, and Earl of Norwich, temp. Edward I.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev., between three annulets, gu.

*Seat*—Highden, Sussex.

*Heir*—His son Harry Dent, M.P., b. 1802; m. 1827, dau. of Lieut.-Col. Harvey, of Thorpe Lodge, Norfolk.

**STONHOUSE OF RADLEY, BERKS.** Cr. 1628 and 1670.—The HON. SIR JOHN BROOKE STONHOUSE, 13th Bt., son of J. Stonhouse, Esq., bro. of 12th Bt., by the dau. of R. Stephens, Esq.; s. his uncle in 1810; was registrar of the Zilla Court of Ghazeeport, on the Bengal civil establishment.

*Arms*—Ar., on a fesse, sa., between three hawks, volant, az., a leopard's face, between two mullets, or.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Tim. Vansittart, b. 1799; m. eldest dau. of Rev. G. W. Sturt, of Long Critchil, Dorset; is in the E.I. Co.'s civil service, Madras.

**WREY OF TREBITCH, CORNWALL.** Cr. 1628.—The HON. SIR BOURCHIER PALK WREY, D.C.L., 8th Bt., son of the 7th Bt., by his 1st wife, dau. of Sir R. Palk, Bt.; b. 1778; m. 1818, relict of — Riddle, Esq.; s. his fa. in 1826; is a dep. lieut. of Devon. This noble and ancient family descend from Robert le Wrey, who lived in the reign of King Stephen. They have intermarried with the Killigrews, Courteneyes, &c. The 3rd Bt. m. the 3rd dau. and co-heir of the Earl of Bath. The present Bt. is one of the co-heirs of the Barony of Fitzwairn.

*Arms*—Sa., a fesse, between three poleaxes, ar., helved, gu.

*Seats*—Trebitch, Cornwall; Tawstock House, Devonshire.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Robert Bourchier, of Dalwood Barton, Dorset.

**TRELAWNEY OF TRELAWNEY, CORNWALL.** Cr. 1628.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM LEWIS SALUSBURY TRELAWNEY, 8th Bt., son of the 7th Bt., by the dau. of the Rev. J. Brown, rector of Portishead, and vicar of Kingston, Somerset; . b. 1781; m. 1807, dau. of J. P. Carpenter, Esq. of Mount Tavy, Devonsh.; s. his father in 1834; assumed the name of Salusbury in

1802; is a Captain of the Royal Miner militia; lord-lieut. of Cornwall, of which co. he was M.P. from 1832 to 1837. He is also lord of the manor of Trelawney. The 2nd Bt. was Bishop of Bristol in 1685, thereafter of Exeter, and afterwards of Winchester, and was one of the seven committed to the Tower by James II.

*Arms*—1st and 4th, ar., a chev., sa., for TRELAWNEY; 2nd and 3rd, gu., a lion ramp., per bend, sinister, ar., between three crescents in chief, and one in base, or; on a canton of the last, a bear's head erased, sa., muzzled, ar., for SALUSBURY.

*Seat*—Trelawney, co. Cornwall.—*Principal Residence*—Harewood, near Tavistock.

*Heir*—His son John Salusbury, b. 1816; a barrister-at-law, and a dep.-lieut. of Cornwall; m. Harriet Jane, dau. of T. H. Tremayne, Esq. of Helligan, Cornwall. The present Bt. has another son, Harry Reginald, and four daughters.

**WISEMAN OF CANFIELD, ESSEX.** Cr. 1628.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM SALSTONTALL WISEMAN, 7th Bt.; son of Edm. Wiseman, Esq., by the dau. of M. Arne, Esq.; b. 1784; m. 1st, 1812, 2nd dau. of the late Sir I. Mackintosh; 2ndly, 1827, eldest dau. of the Rev. C. Davis, D.D., rector of Cranfield, Bedfordsh.; s. his grandfa. in 1810; is captain R.N. The progenitors of this ancient family were, temp. Edward I., sheriffs of Elgin and of Forres, in Scotland. Sir John Wiseman, a descendant, was one of the auditors of the Exchequer, temp. Henry VIII., and was knighted at the battle of Spurs.

*Arms*—Sa., a chev., erm., between three cronels, ar.

*Seat*—Northfleet, Kent.

*Heir*—His son Edmund, b. 1812.

**NIGHTINGALE OF NEWPORT POND, ESSEX.** Cr. 1628.—The HON. SIR CHARLES ETHELSTON NIGHTINGALE, 7th Bt., son of the 6th Bt., by the dau. and heir of R. Nightingale, Esq. of Kneesworth; b. 1784; m. 1805, only daughter of T. L. Dickenson, Esq. of West Retford, Notts; s. his fa. in 1804,

temp. Edward IV. The baronetcy remained dormant from 1722 until 1797—a period of seventy-five years.

*Arms*—Per pale, erm. and gu., a rose, c. c.

*Seat*—Kneesworth Hall, Cambridgesh.

*Heir*—His son Charles, b. 1809; m. 1829, dau. of the late J. Foster, Esq.

**POLE OF SHUTE, DEVONSHIRE.** Cr. 1628.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM TEMPLER POLE, D.C.L., of Oxford, 7th Bt., son of the 6th Bt., by the only dau. of J. Templer, Esq. of Stover House, Devonsh.; b. 1782; m. 1st, 1804, only dau. of Geo. Templer, Esq. of Shapwick House, Somersetsh.; 2ndly, 1810, only dau. of John Fraser, Esq., niece of the late John Farquhar, Esq. of Fonthill Abbey, Wiltsh.; s. his fa. in 1799; is a magistrate and dep.-lieut. of Devon and Somerset; was high-sh. of Devon in 1818. This noble and ancient family have been distinguished in Devonsh. from the time of the Norman Conquest, having frequently represented the county. The 6th Bt. m. the heiress of the Templers of Stover. Sir William is a member of the Committee of the Order for Privileges.

*Arms*—Az., semée of fleurs-de-lis, and a lion ramp., ar.

*Seat*—Shute House, Axminster, Devonshire.

*Heir*—His son, John George, by first marriage (who in 1838 assumed the name of Reeve); b. 1808; m. 1829, 2nd dau. (dec. 1842) of Henry Barton, Esq. of Saucethorpe Hall, Lincolnsh.; issue, an only dau. The present Bt. has by his second lady, Charlotte, b. 1813, unmarried; Jane Maria, b. 1814, (died 1836;) m. 1832, E. W. H. Schenley, Esq., issue, a dau.; also Wm. Edmund, A.M., barrister-at-law; b. 1816; m. 1841, Margt. Victoria, second dau. of the Hon. Sir John Talbot, K.C.B.

**WOLSELEY OF WOLSELEY, STAFFORD.** Cr. 1628.—The HON. SIR CHARLES WOLSELEY, 7th Bt.; b. 1769; m. 1792, dau. of the Hon. Thomas Clifford, of Tixall; and 2ndly, in 1812, dau. of Anth. Wright, Esq., Essex; s. his fa. 1817. This family ranks among the very ancient fami-

lies of Staffordsh. ; the Lord of Wolseley, of the 13th century, and Ralph Wolseley, Baron of Exchequer, temp. Edward IV., being its ancestors. The Baron m. a dau. of Lord Mountjoy ; and 2ndly, a dau. of Sir R. Aston, from which 2nd m. the present line descends. The first Bt. was clerk of the king's letters patent ; his son, the second Bt., was a distinguished senator, temp. Charles I. and II., and repre. his county.

*Arms*—Ar., a talbot, passant, gu.

*Seat*—Wolseley, Staffordshire.

*Heir*—His son Charles, by his 2nd m., who m. dau. of the late N. Selby, Esq.

**LUCKYN OF WALTHAM, ESSEX,** (afterwards Grimstone.) Cr. 1628-9. —The HON. SIR JAMES WALTER GRIMSTONE, raised to the peerage of the United Kingdom, 1815, as Earl of Verulam.

**GRAHAM OF ESK, CUMBERLAND.** Cr. 1629.—The HON. SIR ROBERT GRAHAM, 8th Bt., 2nd son of the 6th Bt., by the dau. of — Reeve, Esq. of Ashburnham ; b. 1769 ; m. 1810, only dau. of John Young, Esq. of Battle, Sussex ; s. his bro. in 1795. Than this family there are none nobler or more ancient in England ; they descend from the renowned Graeme, who, anno 404, commanded King Fergus II.'s army, and was governor of Scotland in the minority of Eugene II. From the same stock descend the Dukes of Montrose, and the Grahams, Earls of Monteith, 12th in descent. From the second son of Earl Malise, "John with the bright sword," spring this family—the Grahams of Netherby, of Norton Conyers, and several other eminent families. Sir Robert is lineally descended from Eupheme, niece of King Robert II. The 3rd Bt. was created Viscount Preston, which title was forfeited.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, or, on a chev., sa., three escallops of the field, for GRAHAM ; 2nd and 3rd, or, a fesse, chequy, ar. and az., in chief, a chev., gu., for STUART.

*Seat*—Esk, Cumberland.

*Heir*—His son Richard John, born 1817 ; a lieut. in the E.I.C.S.

**KEMP OF GISSING, NORFOLK.** Cr. 1641-2.—The HON. AND REV. SIR WM. ROBERT KEMP, 10th Bt., son of the 9th Bt., by the dau. of Thomas Aldecock, Esq. of Carleton, Norfolk ; b. 1791 ; s. his fa. in 1804 ; is rector of Flordon, and of Gissing, in Norfolk ; and a dep.-lieut. of the co. This ancient family appear to have settled at Weston, co. of Suffolk, as early as the 14th century.

*Arms*—Gu., three garbs within a bordure, engr., or.

*Seat*—Gissing Hall, Norfolk.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Thomas John, b. 1793.

**EVERY OF EGGINGTON, DERBYSH.** Cr. 1641.—The HON. SIR HENRY EVERY, 9th Bt., son of the 8th Bt., by the dau. of Edw. Morley, Esq. ; b. 1777 ; m. 1798, dau. of Sir John P. Mosley, Bt. ; suc. his fa. in 1785 ; is a dep.-lieut. of Derbysh.. This noble family is of the Norman house of Yvery, and enjoyed considerable possessions at Chard, in Somersetsh., temp. Queen Elizabeth. The 1st and 2nd Bts. suffered for their loyalty to Chas. I. ; the 4th was distinguished as a naval commander in the reign of William III.

*Arms*—Erminois, two chevrons, az., between two others, gu.

*Seat*—Eggington, Derbyshire.

*Heir*—His son Henry, b. 1799 ; m. 1st, 1826, 4th dau. of Dean Talbot of Salisbury, grand-dau. maternally of the 5th Duke of Beaufort, (she died 1827 ; ) 2ndly, 1829, dau. of 4th Visct. Ashbrook, (she died 1840.)

**CAVE-BROWNE-CAVE OF STANFORD, NORTHAMPTONSH.** Cr. 1641.—The HON. SIR JOHN ROBERT CAVE-BROWNE-CAVE, 10th Bt., son of the 9th Bt., by his 2nd marriage with the 4th dau. of Sir Robert Mead Wilmot, Bt. ; b. 1798 ; m. 1821, dau. and co-heir of Wm. Mills, Esq. of Barlaston Hall, Staffordsh. ; suc. his fa. in 1838 ; is a dep.-lieut. of Derbysh. This noble family is very ancient, having received large manors from the Conqueror, in Yorkshire, in 1080. Six of its chiefs



were knights prior to Sir Thomas, who distinguished himself in the civil wars, for which he was raised to the baronetage. The 2nd Bt. m. the heiress of J. Browne, Esq. of Eydon, clerk of the parliament; and the fa. of the 9th Bt. the heiress of Browne of Stretton. They have m. into the peerage houses of Wenman, Fermanagh, and Harborough. Sir John is a member of the Committee of the Order for Privileges.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, az., fretty, ar., for CAVE; 2nd and 3rd, az., a chev. between three escallops, or.

*Seat*—Stretton Hall, Derbyshire.

*Heir*—His son Mills, b. 1822.

#### ABDY OF FELIX HALL, ESSEX.

Cr. 1641.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM ABDY, 7th Bt., son of Sir W. Abdy, 6th Bt., by a dau. of J. Gordon, Esq. of More Place, Herts; m. 1806, the eldest natural dau. of the Marquess Wellesley, from whom he was divorced in 1816; (she subsequently m. Lord C. Bentinck;) s. his fa. in 1808. The ancestors of this ancient family were the Abdys of Abdy, Yorkshire. The three sons of Anthony, who was sheriff of London in 1630, were all created Bts., two of which creations are extinct.

*Arms*—Or, two chev., between three trefolls, slipped, sa.

*Seat*—Chobham Place, Bagshot, Surrey.

COTTON OF LANWADE, CAMBRIDGESHIRE. Cr. 1641.—The HON. SIR ST. VINCENT COTTON, 6th Bt., son of the 5th Bt., by the dau. of Sir Josh. Rowley; b. 1801; s. his fa. in 1812. The 5th Bt. was admiral of the blue, and sometime commander-in-chief of the channel fleet. This noble family springs from Hen. Cotton, lord of the manor of Cotton Hall, Cambridgeshire, living in the 13th century. His descendant, Sir Thomas, m. the heiress of De Hastings of Lanwade, and his grandson was vice-chamberlain to Henry VI., and was slain at the battle of St. Albans, 1453. This name is illustrious in the learned world from the 1st Bt. of the Connington family, (now extinct,) Sir Robert Cotton,

having founded "THE COTTONIAN LIBRARY," and it is also understood that he suggested the erection of the Baronetage.

*Arms*—Sa., a chev., between three griffins' heads, erased, ar.

*Seat*—Madingley Hall, Cambridgesh.

*Heir pres.*—His uncle Alexander.

BURGOYNE OF SUTTON, BEDFORD. Cr. 1641.—The HON. SIR JOHN MONTAGU BURGOYNE, 9th Bt., son of the 8th Bt., by the only dau. of J. Burton, Esq. of Owlerton, Yorksh.; b. 1796; m. 1831, dau. of W. Gore of Langton, Esq., M.P.; s. his fa. in 1817; is a dep.-lieut. of Bedford. This noble family is said to have resided in Berks from the time of King John. Robert held many public offices temp. Henry VIII., and received a grant of the rectory tithes and all the lands of Wroxhall, co. Warwick. Several of the descendants were of note, and were knights of shires.

*Arms*—Gu., a chev., or, between three talbots, ar., on a chief, embattled, ar., as many martlets.

*Seat*—Sutton Park, Bedfordshire.

*Heir*—His son John Montagu, born 1833.

NORTHCOTE OF PYNES, DEVON. Cr. 1641.—The HON. SIR STAFFORD HENRY NORTHCOTE, 7th Bt., son of the 6th Bt., by the dau. of the Rev. Geo. Bradford; b. 1762; m. 1791, dau. of C. Baring, Esq. of Larkbear; s. his fa. in 1771; is a dep.-lieut. of Devonsh. This very ancient family flourished so far back as temp. Edward III., and held office in the co. of Devon as sheriffs. The 1st Bt. was also sheriff and M.P. for the co. in the reigns of Charles I. & II. The 5th Bt. was also in parliament. The family have intermarried with the families of Godolphin, &c.

*Arms*—Quarterly, 1st and 4th, ar., a fesse, between three crosses, moline, sa.; 2nd and 3rd, ar., three crosslets in bend, sa.

*Seat*—Pynes, near Exeter.

*Heir*—His son Henry Stafford, born 1792; m. 1815, dau. of T. Cockburn, Esq., London.

STRICKLAND OF BOYNTON, YORKSH. Cr. 1641.—The HON. SIR

**GEO. STRICKLAND, M.P.** for Preston, 7th Bt., son of the 6th Bt., by the 3rd dau. and co-heir of N. Cholmley, Esq. of Whitby and Howsham, Yorksh.; b. 1782; m. 1818, only child of the Rev. Charles Constable, of Was-sand, Yorksh.; s. his fa. in 1834; is a barrister-at-law, a dep.-lieut. of Yorksh., and patron of seven livings. This noble family is of great antiquity, William de Strickland having held lands in Westmorland temp. Edw. I., and during the reigns of Edw. II. to Edw. IV., members of the family were in parliament. Thomas Strickland was the bearer of the banner of St. George at the battle of Agincourt. The 1st Bt. was summoned to the upper house during Cromwell's Protectorate as Lord Strickland. Various members of this family at later periods were in parliament.

*Arms*—Gu., a chev., or, between three crosses-patée, ar., on a canton, erm., a buck's head, erased and at-tired, sa.

*Seats*—Hildenley Hall, and Boynton, Yorkshire.

*Heir*—His son Charles William, born 1819.

**ROUSE-BOUGHTON OF LAW-FORD, WARWICKSH.** cr. 1641; and of **ROUSE-LENCH, WORCESTERSH.**, cr. 1791.—The **HON. SIR WILLIAM EDWARD ROUSE-BOUGHTON, F.R.S.**, 10th Bt., son of the 9th Bt., by the only dau. of W. Pearce Hall, Esq. of Downton Hall, Salop; b. 1788; m. 1824, dau. of Thos. A. Knight, Esq. of Wormsley Grange; s. his fa. in 1821. This noble family, which enjoys two baronetcies, boasts of very high antiquity, having accompanied the Norman Conqueror into England.

*Arms*—Quarterly, 1st and 4th, sa., two bars indented, ar., for ROUSE; 2nd and 3rd, sa., three crescents, or, for BOUGHTON.

*Seats*—Rouse Lench, Worcestersh.; Downton Hall, Salop; Corney House, Chiswick, Middlesex.

*Heir*—His son Charles Henry, born 1825.

**CHICHESTER OF RALEIGH, DEVONSH.** Cr. 1641.—The **HON. SIR**

**ARTHUR CHICHESTER, 8th Bt.**, son of the 7th Bt., who m. in 1819, the youngest dau. of Sir James Hamlyn-Williams, Bt.; s. his fa. 1842; lord of the manor of Barnstaple. This noble family, for its antiquity, estate, and alliances, is one of the most famous; it derives its origin from Walerem de Chichester of the 12th century. In its descent, it was allied with the noble families of Raleigh, Courtenay, the peerage family of Harrington, &c. Arthur, a younger branch, was cr. Baron of Belfast in 1612, and was s. by Edward, who, in 1626, was cr. Viscount Chichester; his son was in 1647 cr. Earl of Donegal, and was ancestor of the present Marquess of Donegal. Various branches of the family held large territorial possessions in Ireland and England.

*Arms*—Chequy or, and gu., a chief, vair.

*Seats*—Youlston Park, near Barnstaple, and Sandford, near Crediton, Devonshire.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. George.

**KNATCHBULL OF MERSHAM HATCH, KENT.** Cr. 1641; Privy Councillor, 1834.—The **RIGHT HON. SIR EDWARD KNATCHBULL, 9th Bt.**, M.P. for Kent, only son of the 8th Bt., by his 1st wife, dau and co-heir of Wm. Weston Hugesson, Esq. of Provenders, Kent; b. 1781; m. 1st, 1806, dau. of the late Sir John Honeywood, Bt.; 2ndly, 1820, eldest dau. of Edw. Knight, Esq. of Godmersham Park, Kent; s. his fa. in 1819; was paymaster-gen. of the forces from Dec. 1834, till April 1835, and was re-appointed in Sept. 1841; is a dep.-lieut. of Kent, and patron of one living. This noble family have held large estates in Kent since the beginning of the reign of Henry II. The 1st Bt. was sh. of London, and M.P. for Kent, temp. Charles I.

*Arms*—Az., three cross-crosslets, fitchée, between two bendlets, or.

*Seats*—Mersham Hatch and Provenders, Kent.

*Heir*—His son Norton Joseph, born 1808, m. 1831, eldest dau. of Jesse Watts Russell, Esq.

**BAMPFYLDE OF POLTIMORE, DEVON.** Cr. 1641.—The HON. SIR GEO. WARWICK BAMPFYLDE, raised to the peerage of the U. K. 1831, by the title of Baron Poltimore.

**OWEN OF ORIELTON, PEMBROKE.** Cr. 1641.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM OWEN, 8th Bt., son of Brig.-Gen. Wm. Owen, by the dau. of — Tripp, Esq.; b. 1775; s. his uncle in 1817; is a Bencher of the Middle Temple; attorney-gen. for the Carmarthen circuit. This noble family is of great antiquity; it is descended from Hora, the son of Kundhelm, a nobleman of North Wales, temp. 1130, and was one of the fifteen peers. The descendants, temp. Henry VII., were very famous in the co. The estates now belong to another branch of the family, also enjoying the dignity of Bt.

*Arms*—Gu., a chev., between three lions, ramp., or.

*Residence*—No. 3, Fig-tree Court, Temple.

**COWPER OF RATLING COURT KENT.** Cr. 1641-2.—The HON. SIR GEO. AUG. FRED. COWPER, a peer of Great Britain, under the title of Earl of Cowper; cr. 1718.

**THYNNE OF LONGLEAT, WILTS.** Cr. 1641.—The HON. SIR JOHN ALEXANDER THYNNE. This family, raised to the dignity of the peerage of Great Britain in 1789, under the title Marquess of Bath.

**LAWLEY OF SPOONHILL, SALOP.** Cr. 1641.—The HON. SIR FRANCIS LAWLEY, 7th Bt., 2nd son of the 5th Bt., by the only dau. of Beilby Thompson, Esq. of Creech, Yorksh.; m. 1815, eldest dau. of G. Talbot, Esq. of Guiting, Gloucestersh.; s. his bro. in 1833; is a dep.-lieut. of Warwicksh., and was M.P. for the county. This noble family is sprung from Thomas, cousin and heir of John Lord Wenlock, privy councillor to Edward IV., and knight of the Garter. The 1st Bt. represented Shropsh. in 1661; the 6th Bt. was cr. Baron Wenlock, a title which expired with him, but was

again conferred upon the present Bt.'s next bro.

*Arms*—Ar., a cross-formée, chequy, or and sa.

*Seats*—Spoonhill, Shropsh.; Cranwell, Staffordsh.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Lord Wenlock.

**FERMOR OF EASTON NESTON, NORTHAMP.** Cr. 1641.—The HON. SIR GEORGE WILLIAM RICHARD FERMOR, raised to the peerage of Great Britain under the title of the Earl of Pomfret, 1721.

**DAVIE OF CREEDY, DEVON.** Cr. 1641.—The HON. SIR HUMPHREY PHINEAS DAVIE, 10th Bt., 2nd son of the 7th Bt., by the dau. of John Stokes, Esq. of Rill, Devonsh.; s. his nephew in 1824. This noble family is of great antiquity, and descended from William de la Waye, who came over with the Conqueror. In 1623, seven distinct families had sprung from this William.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev., gu., between three mullets, pierced, sa.

*Seat*—Creedy, Devonshire.

**TROLLOPE OF CASEWICK, LINCOLN.** Cr. 1641-2.—The HON. SIR JOHN TROLLOPE, 7th Bt.; b. 1800; s. his fa. in 1820; is M.P. for his co. and also a dep.-lieut. This noble family has long been seated in Lincolnsh. The gallant Adm. Sir H. Trollope, K.C.B., was of this family. The 3rd Bt. m. the dau. and co-heir of Clobery of Bradstone, Devon.

*Arms*—Vert, three bucks, courant, ar., armed, or, within a bordure, ar.

*Seat*—Creswick, Lincoln.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Capt. Chas., m. 1840, dau. of J. Lord, Esq.

**WROTTESELEY OF WROTTESELEY, STAFFORD.** Cr. 1642.—The HON. SIR JOHN WROTTESELEY, raised to the peerage of the U. K., 1838, as Baron Wrottesley.

**LIDDELL OF RAVENSWORTH, DURHAM.** Cr. 1642.—The HON. SIR THOMAS HENRY LIDDELL, raised to the peerage of the U. K., as Baron Ravensworth, 1821.

**HUNLOKE OF WINGERWORKE, DERBY.** Cr. 1642.—The HON. SIR HENRY JOHN HUNLOKE, 6th Bt., son of the 5th Bt., by the eldest

dau. of T. Eccleston, Esq. of Scarisbrick Hall, Leicestersh.; b. 1812; s. his fa. in 1816. Nicholas Hunloke, the founder of this noble family, possessed, temp. Henry VIII., large estates in Middx. and Notts. His son, grandfa. of 1st Bt., purchased the manor of Wingerworth. The 1st Bt. was particularly distinguished at the battle of Edgehill.

*Arms*—Az., a fesse, between three herald tigers' heads, erased, or.  
*Seat*—Wingerworth, Derbysh.

**WILLIAMSON OF EAST MARKHAM, NOTTS.** Cr. 1642.—The HON. SIR HEDWORTH WILLIAMSON, 7th Bt., son of the 6th Bt., by the dau. of Sir Jas. Hamilton, Knt. of Monaghan; b. 1797; m. 1826, 3rd dau. of Lord Ravensworth; s. his fa. in 1810; is a dep.-lieut. of Durham; was elected mayor of Sunderland for 1841-2. The 1st Bt. suffered for his loyalty, and paid 3400*l.* of composition to the sequestrators of his estate.

*Arms*—Or, a chev., gu., between three trefoils, slipped, sa.

*Seats*—Whitburn Hall, and Monkwearton, Durham.

*Heir*—His son Hedworth, b. 1827.

**THOROLD OF MARSTON, LINCOLN.** Cr. 1642.—The HON. SIR JOHN CHARLES THOROLD, 11th Bt.; b. 1816; s. his fa. 1831; m. Sarah, dau. of Col. Hildyard, and has issue. This ancient family springs from Theroldus de Buckenhuld, sh. of Lincoln, 1052. They were lords of the manor of Marston, acquired by m. temp. Edw. III. The 1st Bt. was sh. of Lincoln, and suffered for his attachment to royalty during the civil wars; his three sons were successively Bts.; the 4th and 9th were M.P.s for the co.

*Arms*—Sa., three goats salient, ar.

*Seat*—Syston Park, Grantham, Lincolnshire.

*Heir ap.*—His son.

**THROCKMORTON OF COUGHTON, WARWICKSH.** Cr. 1642.—The HON. SIR ROBERT THROCKMORTON, 8th Bt.; b. 1800; m. 1829, dau. of the Hon. Sir John Acton, Bt. of Aldenham, Salop; s. his uncle, 1840. The founder of this noble

family was lord of the manor of Throckmorton, about 60 years after the Conquest; was eminent in the reigns of Henry V. and VI., and was Under Treasurer of England; his son, great grandson, and great great grandson, were sheriffs of their co., and the families intermarried with the families of Olney of Weston, Lord Vaux of Harrowden, Lord Berkeley, Lord Hussey, Marquis of Powis, &c. The 2nd Bt. rebuilt the mansion of Coughton.

*Arms*—Gu., on a chev., ar., three bars, gemels, sa.

*Seats*—Coughton Court, Alcester, Warwicksh.; and Buckland, Farringdon, Berks.

*Heir*—His son Robert Charles Courtenay, b. 1831. Three other sons, Wm. Nicholas, Richard and John, and two daus., Mary and Emily.

**BLOUNT OF SODINGTON, WORCESTER.** Cr. 1642.—The HON. SIR EDW. BLOUNT, D.C.L., 8th Bt., son of the 7th Bt., by the youngest dau. of Thos. Riddell, Esq. of Felton Park, and Swinbourne Castle, Northumberland; b. 1795; m. 1830, his cousin, eldest dau. of Edw. Blount, Esq.; s. his fa. in 1803; is a dep.-lieut. of Worcester. This ancient family is descended from Wm. son of Blound, Earl of Guisnes, one of the companions of the Conqueror. From this family descended the peerage families of Mountjoy, Devon, and Newport, all extinct. The 1st Bt. suffered imprisonment for his loyalty.

*Arms*—Barry, nebulée of six, or and sa.

*Seats*—Sodington, Worcestershire; Mawley Hall, Shropshire; Haggerston, Northumberland.

*Heir*—His son Walter de Sodington, b. 1833.

**HAMPSON OF TAPLOW, BUCKS.** Cr. 1642.—The HON. SIR G. F. HAMPSON, 9th Bt., son of the 8th Bt., by the eldest dau. of the late Adm. Wm. Browne; b. 1823; s. his fa. in 1833. The 1st Bt. was son of Sir Thomas Hampson, sheriff and alderman of London, knighted on King James's entry into the city.

*Arms*—Ar., three hemp brakes, sa.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. William Seymour, b. 1830.

**WALDEGRAVE OF HEVER, KENT.** Cr. 1643.—The **HON. SIR EDW. WALDEGRAVE**, raised to the peerage of Great Britain, as Earl Waldegrave, 1729.

**HAGGERSTON OF HAGGERSTON, NORTHUMBERLAND.** Cr. 1643.—The **HON. SIR EDWARD HAGGERSTON**, 7th Bt., s. his bro. in 1842. The family, originally from Scotland, settled in the North of England, temp. Henry V., when Thos. Haggerstone m. dau. and co-heir of Sir Gilbert Umfreville. The 1st Bt. was in the service of Charles I.

*Arms*—Az., on a bend, cottised, ar., three billets, sa.

*Seat*—Ellingham, Northumberland.

**DALBERG-ACTON OF ALDENHAM, SALOP.** Cr. 1644.—The **HON. SIR JOHN E. EDW. DALBERG-ACTON**, 8th Bt., son of Sir Ferd. R. E. Acton, by the only dau. of the Duke de Dalberg; (she re-mar. Lord Leveson;) s. his fa. in 1837. The 1st Bt. received the dignity for his loyalty to Charles I. The 5th Bt. m. Anne, dau. of 3rd Earl of Stamford. The 6th Bt. became commander of the Neapolitan land and sea forces, and was also several years prime minister. The 7th Bt. took the name of Dalberg in 1833, in addition to his patronymic.

*Arms*—Gu., two Hons passant, ar., betw. nine crosslets, fitchée, or.

*Seats*—Aldenham Hall, and Round Acton, Shropshire.

*Heir pres.*—His uncle Charles James Januarius Edward, b. 1803.

**WEBB OF ODSTOCK, WILTS.** Cr. 1644.—The **HON. SIR HENRY WEBB**, 7th Bt., son of the 6th Bt., by his 1st wife, dau. of the 12th Visct. Dillon, by Henrietta, dau. of 1st Lord Musgrave; b. 1806; s. his fa. in 1823. The 1st Bt. received the title for his personal and pecuniary services to the royal cause in the civil war. This noble family have been intermarried with the noble families of Fauconberg, Teynham, Newburgh, &c.

*Arms*—Gu., a cross between four falcons, or.

*Seats*—Odstock, Wilts; Haythorp, Gloucestersh.

**VYVYAN OF TRELOWARREN, CORNWALL.** Cr. 1644-5.—The **HON. SIR RICHARD RAWLINSON VYVYAN**, 8th Bt.; b. 1801; s. his fa. 1820; is M.P. for Helston, and has been repeatedly in Parliament; was sh. of the co., and is a dep.-lieut.; is patron of two livings. This noble family flourished in Cornwall more than seven centuries ago, and have been, and still are, lords of the barony. The 1st Bt., a lineal descendant of John Vyvyan, who m. a co-heiress of Edw. Courtenay, Earl of Devonshire, was master of the Mint at Exeter during the rebellion, and suffered much for his loyalty. The 2nd and 3rd Bts. were in parliament.

*Arms*—Ar., a lion rampant, gu., armed, sa.

*Seat*—Trelowarren, Cornwall.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. the Rev. Vyell Fras., b. 1801; m. 1825, dau. of J. N. Taylor, Esq., Southgate, Middlesex.

**ACLAND OF COLUMBJOHN, DEVONSH.** Cr. 1644-77.—The **HON. SIR THOS. DYKE ACLAND**, 10th Bt.; b. 1787; s. his fa. 1794; m. 1808, dau. of Henry Hoare, Esq. of Mitcham Grove, Surrey; is M.P. for the north division of the co. This noble family is of great antiquity, its progenitor, Hugh de Acalen, flourishing in the middle of the 12th century. The first Bt. was distinguished for the active part he took in the cause of royalty; his three sons successively enjoyed the baronetcy. The 6th Bt. was in parliament, and m. the heiress of the Hon. Sir Thos. Wrothe, of Pether-ton Park, Bt., a lineal descendant of Sir Hugh de Plessels, bro. of John Earl of Warwick. The family have also intermarried with that of Carnarvon, to which family the estates passed at the death of the 8th Bt., 1785.

*Arms*—Chequy, ar. and sa., a fesse, gu.

*Seat*—Kellerton, near Exeter; and Holnicote, near Minehead, Somersetsh.

*Heir*—His son Thomas, M.P. for West Somerset; b. 1809; m. 1841, a dau. of Sir C. Mordaunt.

**EDWARDES OF SHREWSBURY.** Cr. 1644.—The HON. SIR HENRY HOPE EDWARDES, 10th Bt., son of J. T. Hope, Esq. of Netley, Shropsh.; b. 1829; s. his fa. in 1841. The 1st Bt. received his title in 1644, but the patent not having been completed, new letters were granted in 1678, with precedence from 1644. This noble family is descended in the direct male line from the ancient kings or princes of Powysland, in Wales. The surname of Edwardes was assumed by an ancestor, temp. Henry VII.

*Arms*—Gu., a chev. engr., between three tigers' heads, erased, ar.

*Seat*—Cholmondeley Frpdesley, Shropshire.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Trevor Hope, b. 1831.

**WHICHCOTE OF WHICHCOTE, SHROPSH.** Cr. 1660.—The HON. SIR THOMAS, 7th Bt., feudal lord of Whichcote, prior to the reign of Henry II.; succeeded his father, 1829; married, 1839, the niece of the Right Hon. Sir John Becket, Bart., and P.C. This noble and very ancient family has flourished in Shropshire from a very remote period. The 1st Bart. was solicitor-general to the Prince Elector Palatine. The 3rd Bart. was M.P. for Cambridgeshire. The family have intermarried with Bankes of Revesby Abbey, Turnor of Panton, Sherard Earl of Harborough, &c.

*Arms*—Ermine, two boars, passant, gules, langued, az., tusks and bristles, or.

*Seat*—Aswarby, Lincolnshire.

*Heir pres.*—His brother George.

**FOOTE OF LONDON.** Cr. 1660.—The HON. SIR ARTHUR GEORGE OSLOW, raised to the peerage of the U. K., as Earl of Oslow, 1801.

**PALMER OF CARLTON, NORTHAMPTONSH.** Cr. 1660.—The HON. SIR JOHN HENRY PALMER, 7th Bt.; b. 1775; m. 1808, eldest dau. of the 2nd Lord Sondes; s. his nephew, 1817. The first Bt. was attorney-general and chief justice of

Chester, temp. Charles II. The present Bt. is a dep.-lieut. for his county.

*Arms*—Sa., a chev., or, betw. three crescents, ar.

*Seats*—Carlton Park, Northamptonsh.; and Carlton Curliŕu, Leicestershire.

*Heir*—His son Geoffrey, b. 1809.

**BRIDGEMAN OF GREAT LEVEŔ, LANCASH.** Cr. 1660.—The HON. SIR GEO. AUG. FRED. HEN. BRIDGEMAN, created Earl of Bradford of the United Kingdom, 1815.

**LANGHAM OF COTTESBROOKE PARK, NORTHAMPTON.** Cr. 1660. The HON. SIR JAMES HAY LANGHAM, 11th Bt., son of the 10th Bt., by the sister of the Hon. Sir Francis Burdett, Bt.; b. 1802; m. 1828, eldest dau. of George, Lord Kenyon; s. 1833. This noble family is descended from Henry de Langham, who had three carucates of land in Langham, Rutlandsh. The first Bt. was imprisoned twice in the Tower for refusing to publish an act for the abolition of royalty; he was a wealthy Turkey merchant, and was in Parliament. The 6th Bt. gave 6000*l.* for founding a society for the relief of distressed soldiers and sailors. The 8th Bt. m. the heiress of the Hon. Charles Vane, and niece of the 1st Earl of Darlington.

*Arms*—Ar., three bears' heads, erased, sa., muzzled, or.

*Seat*—Cottesbrooke Park, Northamptonsh.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Herbert, b. 1804; m. 1839, a dau. of N. Micklethwait, Esq., and has a son, Herbert Hay.

**ST. JOHN OF WOODFORD, NORTHAMPTONSH.** Cr. 1660.—The HON. SIR ST. ANDREW BEAUCHAMP ST. JOHN, raised to the peerage of England as Baron St. John.

**CULLUM OF HAWSTEAD, SUFFOLK.** Cr. 1660.—The HON. AND REV. SIR THOMAS GERY CULLUM, 8th Bt., son of the 7th Bt., by the dau. of Robert Hansom, Esq. of

Normanton, Yorksh.; b. 1777; m. 1st, 1805, only child of T. Eggers, Esq. of Woodford, Essex; 2ndly, 1832, dau. of — Lloyd, Esq. of Kingston, co. Dublin; s. his fa. in 1831; is rector of Knoddeshall, Suffolk. This family was settled at Thorndon, Suffolk, as early as the 15th century. The first Bt. was sheriff of London in 1647.

*Arms*—Az., a chev., erm., between three pelicans, or, vulning themselves, proper.

*Seats*—Hawstead Place, and Hardwick House, Suffolk.

**SMITHSON OF STANWICK, YORK.** Cr. 1660.—The HON. SIR HUGH PERCY, K.G., P.C., D.C.L., raised to the dignity of the peerage of Great Britain, under the title of Duke of Northumberland, 1766.

**ROBINSON OF LONDON.** Cr. 1660.—The HON. AND REV. GEO. STAMP ROBINSON, 7th Bt., son of Rev. Wm. Villiers Robinson, (2nd son of the 5th Bt.) by the dau. of Stamp Brooksbank, Esq.; b. 1797; m. 1827, 6th dau. of Robert Willis Blencowe, Esq. of Hayes, Middx.; s. his uncle in 1833; is vicar of Cranford, St. Andrew, Northamptonshire. The 1st Bt. was lord mayor of London, and was created a Bt. for his services in the cause of Charles II.: he was nephew of Archbishop Laud.

*Arms*—Vert, a buck trippant, within an orle of trefoils, slipped, or.

*Seats*—Cranford, Northamptonsh.; Stretton Hall, Leicestershire.

*Heir*—His son John Blencowe, b. 1830.

**STANLEY OF ALDERLEY PARK, CHESTER.** Cr. 1660.—The HON. SIR JOHN THOMAS STANLEY, raised to the peerage of the United Kingdom, as Baron Stanley, of Alderley, 1836.

**ASTLEY OF HILL MORTON, WARWICK.** Cr. 1660.—The HON. SIR JACOB ASTLEY, D.C.L., 6th Bt.; b. 1797; s. his fa. 1817; m. 1819, youngest dau. of the Hon. Sir Henry Watkin Dashwood, Bt. This noble family derive from Sir

Thomas Astley, Knt., who fell at the battle of Evesham, temp. Henry III., by the son of a 2nd m. with a dau. of Constable, of Melton Constable, Norfolk. The 1st Bt. s. his uncle, and also Lord Astley, his maternal grandfa., in their large estates, which have since continued in the family. The 3rd Bt. m. in 1721, youngest dau. of the Hon. Sir Nicholas L'Estrange, and co-heiress of her bro. Sir Henry; and the present Bt. thus claims to be a co-heir to the baronies of Hastings of Gressinghall, and Camois.

*Arms*—Az., a cinquefoil, erm., within a border, engrailed, or.

*Seats*—Melton Constable, Norfolk, and Seaton Delavel, Northumberland.

*Heir*—His son Jacob Henry Delaval, b. 1822.

**ROUS OF HENHAM, SUFFOLK.** Cr. 1660. The HON. SIR JOHN EDW. CORNWALLIS ROUS, raised to the peerage of the United Kingdom, as Earl of Stradbroke, 1821.

**BOWYER OF DENHAM COURT, BUCKS;** cr. 1660; and OF RADLEY, BERKS, 1794. THE HON. SIR GEO. BOWYER, 6th and 2nd Bt.; b. 1783; s. 1799; m. 1808, Anne Hamond, dau. of Capt. Sir A. Snape Douglas, Knt., R.N. This noble family trace their pedigree to Aldred Bowyer, temp. Henry I. The family acquired by m. the estate of Knipersley, and by purchase, the estate of Denham Court. The 1st and 2nd Bts. were M.P.s for Berks. The 5th Bt. inherited the Stonehouse estates, and having attained the rank of rear-admiral of the blue, and lost a leg in the battle of the 1st of June, 1794, was created a Bt. during the life of his father.

*Arms*—Or, a bend, vair, cottised, sa., quarterly with KNIPERSLEY.

*Seat*—Denham Court, Bucks.

*Principal Residence*—Radley Hall, Abingdon, Berks.

*Heir*—His son George, F.S.A., b. 1811. Sir George has two other sons, William and Henry, and two daughters, Caroline and Mary.

**SHUCKBURGH OF SHUCKBURGH SUPERIOR.** Cr. 1660.—The

**HON. SIR FRANCIS SHUCKBURGH**, 8th Bart., F.R.S.; s. his fa. 1809; m. 1825, the only dau. of the late P. Denys, Esq., niece of the 3rd Earl of Pomfret, and has issue. This noble family is of very high antiquity, having been feudal lords of the manors of Shuckburgh Superior and Napton, both in Warwickshire, from the period of the Conquest. Robert de Succenberg (supposed to be descended from a younger son of Truchil, Earl of Warwickshire) made a grant, 12 Henry II. 1165, of the church of Succenberg, and twenty acres of land to the church of St. Leonard. Sir Richard, 19th feudal lord, and M.P. for Warwicksh., being hunting in his fields, as King Charles I. marched to Edgecot, on the 22nd October, 1642, his Majesty, as is recorded, fetched a deep sigh, and asked, who was that gentleman who hunted so merrily that morning, when he was going to fight for his crown and dignity? On being told, Sir Richard was called and very graciously received by the king, when he immediately armed his followers, and was present at the battle of Edgehill. After the taking of Banbury Castle, Sir Richard fortified himself on the top of Shuckburgh Hill. His eldest son, Sir John, in consideration of his father's sufferings, both in person and estate, and his own zealous defence of the royal cause, was raised soon after the restoration to the dignity of the Baronetage. Various generations of the family have represented their county in parliament, and they have intermarried with many high and ancient houses. The little stones called *astroites*, very like a mullet, are frequently found in the ploughed fields at Shuckburgh, and give origin to the family bearings, as the manor does to the family name. Sir Francis is a member of the Committee of the Order for Privileges.

*Arms*—Sa., a chev., between three mullets, ar.

*Principal Seat*—Shuckburgh Park, near Daventry.

*Residence*—The Pavilion, Hans Place, London.

*Heir ap.*—His son George Thomas Francis.

**STUART OF HARTELEY MANDITT, HANTS.** Cr. 1660.—The **HON. SIR SIMON HENRY STUART**, 5th Bt., b. 1790, son of the 4th Bt., by the only child of the 3rd Earl of Carhampton (extinct); m. 1815, dau. of Geo. Gun, Esq. of Mount Kennedy, Wicklow. Sir John Stuart, of the train of James of Scotland, in his progress to Scotland, was detained and settled in England, and was the founder of this family. He was knighted by Henry IV. at a tournament in Smithfield. He descended from the Stuarts of Scotland, who are traced back to the 8th century as chiefs and thanes of Lochaber. The 1st Bt. was lineally descended from Sir John, and was a chamberlain of excheq., as was also the 2nd Bt. He and the 3rd Bt. represented Hants.

*Arms*—Or, a fesse, chequy, az. and ar.

*Seat*—Harteley Manditt, Hants.

*Heir*—His son Simeon Henry, born 1823.

**HUDSON OF MELTON MOWBRAY, LEICESTERSH.** Cr. 1660.—The **HON. SIR CHARLES VILLAVINCE HUDSON**, F.R.S., 7th Bt.; b. 1755; s. his fa. 1773.

*Arms*—Per chev., embattled, ar. and gu., three scallop shells, counter-changed.

*Seat*—Wamlop Hall, Leicestershire.

**CLERKE OF HITCHAM, BUCKS.** Cr. 1660.—The **HON. SIR WILLIAM HENRY CLERKE**, 9th Bt.; b. 1793; s. his fa. 1818; m. 1820, eldest dau. of G. W. Kenrick, Esq. of Mertyn, Flint. This family is descended from Sir John Clerke, Knt., who captured Louis d'Orleans, Duke of Longueville, at Borny, 14 August, in the 5th year of Henry VIII., and was rewarded by being allowed to bear the arms of the Duke. His great great grandson was the 1st Bart.

*Arms*—Ar., on a bend, gu., between three pellets, as many swans, of the



field; on a sinister canton, az., a demi-ram saient, of the first, and in chief, two fleurs-de-lis, or, over all, a baton trunked.

*Heir*—His son William Henry, born 1822.

**BOOTHBY OF BROADLOW ASH, DERBY.** Cr. 1660.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM BOOTHBY, 9th Bt.; b. 1782; m. 1805, only dau. of John Jenkinson, Esq., and niece of Charles, 1st Earl of Liverpool; s. 1824; is receiver-general of the customs, London, and paymaster to the corps of gentlemen-at-arms. This family is of Saxon origin, and Dugdale mentions that in the division of counties by Egbert, 800, "the hundred or wapentake of Boothby, &c., were denominated from one Boothby." The first Bt. inherited very extensive real property by his mother. The second Bt. was knighted on the field by Charles II. The present Bt. is a member of the Committee of the Baronetage for Privileges.

*Arms*—Ar., on a canton, sa., a lion's paw, erased, in bend, or.

*Seats*—Ashbourne Hall, Derby, and Cropperdy, Oxford.

*Heir*—Brooke William Robert, born 1809.

**DIXIE OF BOSWORTH, LEICESTERSH.** Cr. 1660.—The HON. SIR WILLOUGHBY WOLSTAN DIXIE, 8th Bt., son of the 7th Bt., by the dau. of Rev. T. Allnut, rector of Croft, Leicestersh.; b. 1816; m. 1841, y. dau. of Gen. Sir E. Lloyd, Knt., K.C.H., and the Dowager Baroness Trimlestown; s. his fa. in 1827. This noble family descend from the Dixies of Chatworth, Huntingdonsh., temp. Edward III. The 1st Bt. was a zealous royalist. They have intermarried with the ancient families of Beaumont, Willoughby, Atkins, &c.

*Arms*—Az., a lion ramp., or, a chief of the last.

*Seat*—Bosworth Park, Hinckley, Leicestershire.

*Heir pres.*—His brother Beaumont.

**HONYWOOD OF EVINGTON, KENT.** Cr. 1660.—The HON. SIR JOHN EDWARD HONYWOOD, 6th Bt., son of the 5th Bt., by the eldest dau. of the Rev. Sir Wm. H. Cooper, Bt.;

b. 1812; m. 1834, 2nd dau. of the Rev. C. H. Hallet of Higham, Kent; s. his fa. in 1832. This very ancient family has flourished in Kent since the reign of Henry II. The 1st Bt. remitted 3000*l.* to Charles II. during his exile, and after the restoration was advanced to the dignity of a Baronet.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev., between three hawks' heads, erased, ar.

*Seat*—Evington Place, Kent.

*Heir*—His son, born 1835.

**AUBREY OF LLANTRITHYD, GLAMORGANSH.** Cr. 1660.—The HON. SIR THOMAS DIGBY AUBREY, 7th Bt., son of R. Aubrey, Esq., by the 2nd dau. of the Hon. W. Digby; b. 1782; m. 1813, dau. of T. Wright, Esq., and niece of Rev. R. Verney, of Middle Clayton House, Bucks; s. his uncle, who, after having been a lord of the Admiralty, a lord of the Treasury, and father of the House of Commons, died in 1826. Is a dep.-lieut. of Bucks, and chairman of the quarter sessions. Of this noble and ancient family, Vincent, Windsor Herald, temp. Elizabeth, records that "St. Aubrey, of the blood royal of France, came into England with William the Conqueror, anno 1066, as the Chronicles of All Souls' College testify, which are there to be seen tied with a chain of iron." The son of the above aided in the subjugation of Wales, and acquired possessions there. The 2nd Bt. m. the heiress of Van and Borstal.

*Arms*—Az., a chev., between three eagles' heads, erased.

*Seats*—Oving House, Bucks, and Llanthrythid, Glamorganshire.

**WHEELER OF LEAMINGTON HASTANG, WARWICKSH.** Cr. 1660.—The HON. SIR TREVOR WHEELER, 9th Bt.; b. 1792; m. 1817, only dau. of Geo. Dandridge, of the Commandery, Worcestersh.; s. 1830; is a major in the army, and lieutenant-col. of the North Devon Yeomanry. This noble Bt. represents ancestors seated in Worcestersh., 1310. The feudal manor of Martin Hussingtree came into the family in 1541,

by marriage with the heiress of Di Pirie, its feudal lord. The 1st and 2nd Barts. represented Queenborough and the university of Cambridge in parliament. The family has intermarried with several ancient and distinguished houses.

*Arms*—Or, a chev., between three leopards' faces, sa.

*Seat*—Leamington-Hastang, Dunchurch, Warwickshire.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Capt. Francis Wheler, commandant of the 7th Bengal irregular cavalry.

**SWINBURNE OF CAPHEATON, NORTHUMB.** Cr. 1660.—The HON. SIR JOHN EDWARD SWINBURNE, 6th Bt., F.R.S., son of the 5th Bt., by the dau. of R. Dillon, Esq.; b. 1762; m. 1787, dau. of R. H. A. Bennett, Esq. of Beckenham, Kent; s. his fa. in 1786. This noble and very ancient family derive from the feudal lords of Swinburne. Sir William, who flourished temp. Henry III., had a grant from Umfravile, Earl of Angus, of the lordship of Choller-ton, Northumb. They have intermarried with the distinguished families of Lawson, Fenwick, Thirlwall, &c. Henry, 4th son of the 3rd Bt., b. in 1743, is the author of *Travels in Spain*, &c.

*Arms*—Per fesse, gu. and ar., three cinquefoils, counterchanged.

*Seat*—Capheaton and Monnees, both in Northumberland.

*Heir*—His son Edward, b. 1788; m. 1819, to Miss Sutton.

**ANDERSON OF BROUGHTON, LINCOLNSH.** Cr. 1660.—The HON. and REV. SIR CHARLES JOHN ANDERSON, 8th Bt., son of the 6th Bt. by the dau. of J. Maddison, Esq. of Harpswell, Lincolnsh.; b. 1767; m. 1802, the 2nd dau. of Sir John Nelthorpe, Bt.; s. his bro. 1799. This noble family were originally L'Isle, and were settled in Northumb. in the reign of Henry IV. and Henry V. They changed their name on marrying an heiress. Sir Edmund Anderson was Lord Chief Justice of the Court of Common Pleas from 1582 to 1605.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev., between three crosses, flory, sa.

*Seat*—Lea Hall, Gainsborough, Lincolnshire.

*Heir*—His son Charles Henry John, b. 1804; m. 1832, dau. of the late J. Saville Foljambe, of Aldwarke, Yorksh.

**FAGG OF WISTON, SUSSEX.** Cr. 1660.—SIR JOHN FAGG, 7th Bt., son of the 6th Bt., by the only dau. and heir of Samuel Newman, Esq. of Canterbury; s. his fa. in 1822. This family are descended from John Fagg of Bransett, Kent, whose son was the first settler in Sussex at Rye. The 1st Bt. was so created for his loyalty and his exertions in favour of Charles I.

*Arms*—Gu., two bends, vair.

*Seat*—Mystole, near Canterbury, Kent.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. John William Thomas; m. 1824, youngest dau. of W. Carter, Esq., M.D., of Canterbury.

**FRANKLAND RUSSELL OF THIRKELBY, YORKSHIRE.** Cr. 1660. The HON. SIR ROBERT FRANKLAND RUSSELL, 7th Bt.; b. 1784; m. 1835, 3rd dau. of the late Right Hon. and Right Rev. Lord George Murray, Bishop of St. David's; s. his fa. 1831. This noble family is of great antiquity in Yorksh., where it settled at the time of the Conquest. An Ulster badge, worn by Sir Thomas Frankland, Bart., whilst on a mission at the Court of Lisbon, was produced to the Committee of Baronets in 1836; it is now in the possession of Sir George Duckett, Bart. The present Bt. assumed the name of Russell on succeeding to the estates of Sir Robert Greenhill Russell, in 1836; the 2nd Bt. of the family having m. a dau. of Sir John Russell, by Frances, dau. of Oliver Cromwell.

*Arms*—Az., a dolphin, naiant, embowed, or, on a chief of the second, two saltiers, gu., quarterly with RUSSELL.

*Seat*—Great Thirkelby Hall, North Riding, Yorksh.

*Heir pres.*—His nephew Frederick William, b. 1793; m. 1821, only dau. of J. Scarth, Esq. of Stakerly, Yorksh.

**LEGARD OF GANTON YORK.** Cr. 1660.—The HON. SIR THOMAS DIGBY LEGARD, 8th Bt., son of the 7th Bt., by the dau. of — Bishop,

Esq.; b. 1803; m. 1832, dau. of 1st Lord Feversham; s. his fa. 1830; is a dep.-lieut. of Yorksh. This noble family were lords of the manor of Anlaby as early as the 12th century. The first Bart. represented Scarborough. He m. the dau. of the Earl of Holderness, and the family intermarried with the noble families of Fairfax and Mulgrave, K.G.

*Arms*—Ar., on a bend, between six mullets, pierced, gu., a cross-pattée, or.

*Seat*—Ganton, near Scarborough, Yorkshire.

*Heir*—His son Francis Digby, born 1833.

**BEDINGFELD OF OXBURGH, NORFOLK.** Cr. 1660.—The HON. SIR HENRY R. PASTON BEDINGFELD, 6th Bt., son of the 5th Bt., by the dau. of Sir Wm. Jerningham, Bt.; b. 1800; m. 1826, only dau. of E. Paston, Esq.; (she assumed the name of Bisshopp in 1841;) s. his fa. in 1829; is a deputy-lieut. of Norfolk; assumed the additional name of Paston in 1830. This noble family deduce from the Conquest through a long line of distinguished ancestors. Ogenus de Puges, a Norman knight, became feudal lord of the manor of Bedingfeld, and took the name. They are also lords of the manor of Oxburgh. They have intermarried with the families of the Howards, Earl of Carlisle, the Earl of Berksh., Browns, Viscount Montague, &c. Sir Henry is a member of the Committee for Privileges.

*Arms*—Erm., an eagle displayed, gu.

*Seats*—Oxburgh and Appleton, co. Norfolk.

*Heir*—His son Henry George, born 1830.

**OSBORN OF CHICKSAND PRIORY, BEDFORDSHIRE.** Cr. 1661.—The HON. SIR JOHN, 5th Bt., D.C.L.; s. his fa. in 1818; is a commissioner for auditing public accounts, col. of the Bedfordshire militia, and some time M.P. for that county. This noble family descends from Peter Osborn, who obtained the office of treasury remembrancer to himself

and heirs, in the reign of Edw. VI., and also privy purse to that monarch.

*Arms*—Ar., a bend, between two lions ramp., sa.

*Seat*—Chicksand Priory, Beds.

*Heir ap.*—His eldest son George Robert, married to a sister of the Earl of Antrim, and has issue.

**COLLETON OF GATTON, SURREY.** Cr. 1660.—The HON. SIR JAMES ROUPELL COLLETON, 7th Bt., son of the 6th Bt., by the dau. of W. Nixon, Esq. of Lincoln; b. 1783; m. 1819, at the Hague, and 1820, in London, 3rd dau. of Admiral R. Graves, of Hembury Fort, Devonsh.; s. his fa. in 1815; is a lieut.-col. in the army. The 1st Bt. was a zealous royalist, and along with the Duke of Albemarle, Earl of Craven, &c., obtained as a recompence a grant of large territories in the Bahama Islands, and in North America.

*Arms*—Or, three stags' heads, coupéd, ppr.

*Seat*—Ash Park, Hertfordshire.

*Heir*—His son Fred. Nassau Wm. Graves, b. 1822.

**BEAUMONT OF STOUGHTON GRANGE, LEICESTER.** Cr. 1660-1. The HON. SIR GEORGE HOWLAND WILLOUGHBY BEAUMONT, 7th Bt.; b. 1779; m. 1825, Mary, eldest dau. of the Most Rev. Dr. Howley, Archbishop of Canterbury; s. his cousin in 1827. The heiress of Beaumont in France conveyed it to her husband, Louis, 2nd son of Charles, King of Jerusalem and Sicily, and nephew of Louis IX. of France. Her 4th son came to England temp. Edward I., and obtained high appointments from the crown; he was created a Baron and P.C. in 1309. The 2nd baron m. a dau. of Henry, Earl of Lancaster, and grand-dau. of Henry III.; and the 3rd, a dau. of the Earl of Oxford. John Viscount Beaumont was slain, 1439, at Northampton, fighting under the banner of Lancaster, and the dignity became forfeited.

*Arms*—Az., semée of fleurs-de-lis, a lion ramp., or.

*Seat*—Cole-Orton Hall, Ashby-de-la-Zouch, Leicester.

*Heir*—His son George Howland, b. 1828.

**SMYTHE OF ESHE, DURHAM.** Cr. 1660-1.—The HON. SIR EDW. JOSEPH SMYTHE, 6th Bt., son of the 5th Bt., by the only dau. and heir of Peter Holford, Esq. of Wooton Hall, Warwick; b. 1787; m. 1809, dau. of the late Sir Edw. Bellew, Bt.; s. his fa. in 1811. This ancient family have for several centuries flourished in the co. of Durham; and have intermarried with the noble families of Lee, Blount, Clifford, Holford, &c.

*Arms*—Sa., three roses, ar.

*Seats*—Eshe Hall, Durham; Acton Burnell, Shropshire; Wooton Hall, Warwickshire.

*Heir pres.*—His uncle, Geo. Walter, b. 1767.

**WINN OF NOSTELL, YORK, OF LITTLE WARLEY, ESSEX.** Cr. 1660 and 1776.—The HON. SIR CHARLES ALLANSON WINN, raised to the peerage of Ireland as Baron Headley, 1797.

**WILSON OF EASTBOURNE, SUSSEX.** Cr. 1660.—The HON. SIR THOMAS MARYON WILSON, 8th Bt., son of the 7th Bt., by the dau. of Captain Smith, R.N.; b. 1800; s. his fa. in 1821; is a dep.-lieut. of Kent, and capt. in the West Kent militia. This is one of the branches of a very ancient Yorkshire family, the Wylsons of Elton, who flourished 1250. The 1st Bart., a zealous royalist, was the 3rd son of the 13th chief. They have intermarried with the Haddons, Pecoeks, Wellers, &c.

*Arms*—Sa., a wolf ramp., in chief, three estoiles, or.

*Seat*—Charlton; Kent.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. John Maryon, of Fitzjohns, in Essex; m. 1825, 5th dau. of G. Wade, Esq. of Dunmow.

**JENKINSON OF WALCOT, OXON.** Cr. 1661.—The HON. SIR CHARLES CECIL CAPE JENKINSON, D.C.L., raised to the peerage of Great Britain, 1796, as Earl of Liverpool.

**RUSHOUT OF MILNST-MAYLERS, ESSEX.** Cr. 1661.—The HON.

SIR JOHN RUSHOUT, F.S.A., raised to the peerage of Great Britain as Baron Northwick.

**READE OF SHIPTON COURT, OXON.** Cr. 1660-1.—The HON. SIR GHANDOS READE, 6th Bt., son of the 5th Bt., by the eldest dau. of Sir C. Hoskyns, Bt.; b. 1785; m. 1814, dau. of the late Hon. D. Murray, niece of the 7th Lord Elibank; s. his fa. in 1789; is a dep.-lieut. of Oxfordsh. The noble family is of Saxon origin, the surname being derived from the Saxon word *Red*, or *Ræd*. Sir Reginald Reade was distinguished in the border warfare. Sir Robert was Lord Chief Justice of the Common Pleas, temp. Henry VIII. The 3rd Bt. was M.P. for Cricklade; they were zealous royalists during the civil wars, and have intermarried with the distinguished families of Hoë, Brockett, Cornwall, Dutton, Hoskyns, &c.

*Arms*—Gu., a saltier between four garbs, or.

*Seats*—Shipton Court, near Burford, Oxfordsh.; Oddington, Gloucestersh.

*Heir*—His son Compton, b. 1814.

**BROUGHTON OF BROUGHTON, STAFFORDSH.** Cr. 1660.—The HON. SIR JOHN DELVES BROUGHTON, 7th Bt., son of the 6th Bt., by his 1st marriage with the dau. of John Wicker, Esq. of Hasham; m. 1792, sister of Sir John Egerton, Bt.; s. his fa. in 1813; a general in the army, and a dep.-lieut. of Cheshire. This noble and ancient family were feudal lords of Broughton and Charlton, temp. Henry VI. They represent, maternally, the Delves, who were seated at Delves Hall, Stafford, and paternally, the Vernons, barons of Shipbrooke, at the same period.

*Arms*—Ar., two bars, gu., on a canton, the arms of the Sov. Order of St. John of Jerusalem.

*Seats*—Broughton, Staffordshire; Aystrop, Lincolnshire; Doddington Hall, Cheshire.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Henry Delves, m. dau. of John Pigott, Esq. of Capard.

**CAYLEY OF BROMPTON, YORKSHIRE.** Cr. 1661.—The HON. SIR

GEORGE CATLEY, F.R.S., 6th Bt.; b. 1773; s. 1791; m. 1795, only dau. of the Rev. G. Walker, of Nottingham, F.R.S., &c. This family was eminent in Norfolk so early as the reigns of John and Edward I.

*Arms*—Quarterly, ar. and sa., a bend, gu., charged with three mullets, of the first.

*Seat*—Brompton, near Scarborough, Yorksh.

*Heir*—His son Digby, b. 1807; m. 1830, a dau. of the late Rev. George Allanson, of Ripon, and has a son, George Allanson, &c.

COOKE OF WHEATLEY, YORK. Cr. 1661. The HON. SIR WILLIAM BRYAN COOKE, 8th Bt., is an officer in the army; s. 1823, and m. same year, Isabella Cecilia Viviana, a dau. of the late Hon. Sir William Middleton, Bt., of Belsay Castle, Northumb. The 1st Bt. received the dignity for his loyalty and sufferings in the civil wars. The ancestors of the family were lords of the manor of Wheatley and Bentley Cunarskey, and free Barons in Yorkshire.

*Arms*—Or, a chev., gu.; between two lions passant, guardant, sa.

*Seat*—Wheatley, near Doncaster, York.

*Heir*—His son Wm. Ridley Charles, b. Oct. 5, 1827. Sir William has another son, Charles Edward Stephen, b. Aug. 1, 1829, and had two daus., Louisa Sanetta, b. April 19, 1824, died July 12, 1828; and Isabella Cecilia, b. Dec. 29, 1825.

ASHBURNHAM OF BROMHAM, SUSSEX. Cr. 1661.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM ASHBURNHAM, 6th Bt., son of the 5th Bt., by the dau. of Rev. F. Woodgate, of Mountheld, Sussex; b. 1769; m. 1825, dau. of Rev. Wm. Humphrey, Rector of Sele, and Vicar of Kemsing, Kent; s. his fa. in 1823. This noble family and the Earls of Ashburnham spring from a common ancestor. The 1st Bt. was a commissioner of Excise, victualler of the Navy, and M.P. for Hastings.

*Arms*—Gu., a fesse, between six mullets, ar.

*Seat*—Bromham Park, Sussex.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Rev. John, b.

1770; m. 1804, 4th dau. of Wm. Foster, Esq. of Hollington, Sussex; is Chancellor and Prebendary of Chichester.

GLYNNE OF HAWARDEN, FLINTSH. Cr. 1661.—The HON. SIR STEPHEN RICHARD GLYNNE, 9th Bt., son of the 8th Bt., by the dau. of 2nd Lord Braybrooke; b. 1807; s. his fa. in 1815; is patron of one living, and a dep.-lieut. of Flintsh., which co. he represented in par. from 1831 to 1841. This noble family deduces its origin from Cilmin Droed Dw (Black Leg), one of the fifteen tribes of North Wales, who flourished cir. 843. The father of the 1st Bt., Sir J. Glynne, Knt., was lord chief-justice under Cromwell.

*Arms*—Ar., an eagle displayed, with two heads, sa.

*Seat*—Hawarden Castle, Flintshire.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Henry, b. 1812.

CLAVERING OF AXWELL, DURHAM. Cr. 1661.—The HON. SIR THOMAS JOHN CLAVERING, 8th Bt.; b. 1771; m. 1791, dau. of John de Gallais, Count de la Sable, of Anjou; s. his uncle, 1794. This family derives from Eustace, a noble Norman in the councils of Henry I.; from him lineally descended Robert Fitz Roger, feudal lord of the barony of Warkworth and Clavering, who was summoned to parliament as Baron Clavering. This dignity is in abeyance in the descendants of Eva, the dau. of John, the 2nd Baron Clavering. The 1st Bt. received the dignity for his loyalty and good services. The present Bt. was high-sheriff of Northumberland, 1818, and in 1796, raised a troop of cavalry on his own costs.

*Arms*—Quarterly, or and gu., a bend, sa.

*Seats*—Axwell Park, and Greencroft, Durham.

*Heir*—His son William Alloysius.

STANLEY OF HOOTON, CHESH. Cr. 1661. The HON. SIR WILLIAM THOMAS STANLEY-MASSEY-STANLEY; s. his fa., 1841, as 10th Bt. The surname of Massey was assumed by the 6th Bt., who s. under the will of the Rev. Thomas Massey, of

Paddington, a son of the 3rd Bt. ; but that of Stanley was added also under the will of the 5th Bt.

*Arms*—Ar., on a bend, az., three stags' heads, cabossed, or.

*Seat*—Hooton, Cheshire.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Rowland Errington.

**BULKELEY WILLIAMS OF PENRYN, CARNARVONSH.** Cr. 1661.—The HON. SIR RICHARD BULKELEY WILLIAMS BULKELEY, M.P., 10th Bt., son of Sir R. Williams, 9th Bt., by the dau. of the late Rev. Edward Hughes, of Kimmel Park, Carmarthensh., sister of 1st Lord Dinorben ; b. 1801 ; m. 1st, 1828, his cousin, dau. of 1st Lord Dinorben ; 2ndly, 1832, dau. of Sir Thomas S. M. Stanley, Bt. ; s. his fa. in 1830 ; assumed the name of Bulkeley in 1827 ; is a dep.-lieut. of Anglesey ; has represented the Flint boroughs in par., 1841. This noble and ancient house is descended from Ap Cynan, lord of Abergelen and Uwchdulas, in Denbighsh., one of the fifteen tribes of North Wales.

*Arms*—Gu., a chev., erm., between three Saracens' heads, coupéd at the shoulders, ppr.

*Seat*—Baron's Hill, near Beaumaris.

*Heir*—His son by the 2nd marriage, Richard Mostyn Lewis, b. 1833.

**CAREW OF HACCOMBE, DEVON.** Cr. 1661.—The HON. SIR WALTER PALK CAREW, 8th Bt., son of the 7th Bt. by the only dau. of Walter Palk, Esq. of Marley, Devonsh. ; b. 1807 ; m. 1837, dau. of Col. Taylor, of Ogwell, Devonsh. ; s. his fa. in 1830. This noble and very ancient Anglo-Saxon family trace their descent from Otho, a powerful English Baron in the time of Edward the Confessor. They were lords of Mulsford, in Berks, and of Carew, Devon. Sir John was lord deputy of Ireland, and served Edward III. at the battle of Cressy. Sir Nicholas m. the dau. of Courtenay of Haccombe, which lady settled 17 manors on her younger sons.

*Arms*—Or., three lioncels, passant, in pale, sa.

*Seat*—Haccomb, near Chudleigh, Devon.

*Heir*—His son, b. 1838.

**MILBANKE OF HALNABY, YORKSH.** Cr. 1661.—The HON. SIR JOHN PENISTON MILBANKE, 7th Bt., son of John Milbanke, Esq., 2nd son of the 5th Bt., by the dau. of Sir Wm. Chambers, Knt. ; b. 1775 ; m. 1st, 1799, dau. of J. Herring, Esq. of Jamaica ; 2ndly, 1821, dau. of Capt. Fenwick ; in 1825, s. his uncle, the 6th Bt., whose only dau. m. the celebrated Lord Byron, and was mother of Ada, Countess of Lovelace. The 4th Bt. of this noble family m. the eldest sister of Robert, Earl of Holderness. The 5th the co-heir of J. Hedworth, Esq., M.P.

*Arms*—Gu., a bend, erm. ; on a canton, or, a lion's head erased, of the first.

*Seat*—Halnaby, Yorkshire.

*Heir*—His son by his first wife, John Ralph, b. 1800 ; sec. to H.M. embassy at Vienna.

**WYNDHAM OF ORCHARD-WYNDHAM, SOMERSET.** Cr. 1661. The HON. SIR GEO. WYNDHAM, F.S.A., raised to the peerage of Great Britain, 1749, as Earl of Egremont.

**OSBORN OF CHICKSAND, BEDS.** Cr. 1661-2.—The HON. SIR JOHN OSBORN, D.C.L., 5th Bt., only son of the 4th Bt., by his 1st wife, the eldest dau. of John Bannister, Esq. ; b. 1772 ; m. 1809, dau. of the late Sir Charles Danvers, Bt. ; s. his fa. in 1818 ; is one of the commissioners for the auditing of public accounts ; a dep.-lieut. of Beds ; col. of the Beds. militia ; and some years M.P. for that co. The ancestors of the family held high public situations, temp. Edward VI. and Eliz. Chicksand Abbey has, since 1576, been the property of the family, and descended from father to son. The father of the 1st Bt. was governor of Guernsey for 28 years, temp. James I. and Charles I.

*Arms*—Ar., a bend, betw. two lions ramp., sa.

*Seat*—Chicksand Priory, Beds.

*Heir*—His son Geo. Robert, b. 1812 ; m. 1835, dau. of Lord Mark Kerr, sister of 7th Earl of Antrim.

**TREVELYAN OF NETTLECOMBE, SOMERSET.** Cr. 1661-2.—The HON. SIR JOHN TREVELYAN, 5th Bt.; m. dau. of the Hon. Sir Spencer Wilson, Bt. of Charlton, Kent; s. his fa. in 1828. The family possessed the lordship of Tre-Villian, Cornwall antecedently to the Conquest; Thos., who was high sheriff of Somerset, temp. 16th James I., rebuilt the family mansion of Nettlecombe. His grandson was a sufferer during the civil wars, and for his services his son was created a Bt. at the restoration. The 2nd and 4th Bts. were M.P.s for the co. Somerset.

*Arms*—Gu., a demi horse, ar., hooped and maned, or, issuing out of water in base, ppr.

*Seats*—Nettlecombe Court, Somerset; and Wallington, Northumberland, the ancient seat of the Fenwick family.

*Heir*—His son Walter Calverley, b. 1797; m. 1835, eldest dau. of the Rev. Dr. Jermy.

**SMIJTH OF HILL HALL, ESSEX.** Cr. 1661.—The HON. AND REV. SIR EDW. BOWYER-SMIJTH, 10th Bt., 3rd son of the 7th Bt., by the only dau. of J. Wyndham Bowyer, Esq. of Camberwell, Surrey; b. 1755; m. 1813, dau. of J. Weyland, Esq. of Wood Eaton, Oxfordsh.; s. his bro. in 1838; assumed the name of Bowyer in 1839. This family is descended from Sir Roger de Clarendon, Knt., natural son of the Black Prince. The learned and eminent Sir Thos. Smijth, sec. of state to Edw. VI. and Elizabeth, and author of *Republica Anglorum*, &c., was of this family.

*Arms*—Sa., a fesse dancettée, ar., billettée, between three lions, ramp., guard., of the second, each supporting an altar, or, flaming, ppr.

*Seats*—Hill Hall, and Horham Hall, Essex; Attleburgh Hall, Norfolk.

**GAGE OF HENGRAVE, SUFFOLK.** Cr. 1662.—The HON. SIR THOMAS GAGE, 8th Bt., son of the 7th Bt., by the eldest dau. of the 1st Earl of Kenmare; b. 1810; s. his fa. in 1820; is a dep.-lieut. of Suffolk. This noble family descends from a younger branch of the family of Viscount Gage, and numbers in it

Sir John Gage, K.G., temp. Henry VIII., &c.; intermarried with the families of the Earl of Rivers, &c. From Sir Thos. Gage of Firlie (1633) are descended the Viscts. Gage.

*Arms*—Per salt., az. and ar., a salt., gu.

*Seat*—Hengrave Hall, Suffolk.

*Heir pres.*—His uncle Robt. Joseph Gage Rookwood.

**MONCK OF BELSAY, NORTHUMBERLAND.** Cr. 1662.—The HON. SIR CHARLES MILES LAMBERT MONCK, 6th Bt., s. of the 5th Bt., by dau. and heir of L. Monck, Esq., of Caenby, Lincolnsh.; b. 1779; m. 1st, 1804, dau. of Sir G. Cooke, Bt., 2nd, in 1831, dau. of 4th Earl of Tankerville; s. in 1795; took the name of Monck for his paternal name of Middleton. This noble family descends from Sir Robert de Middleton, who flourished in the reign of Edward III. Sir John de Middleton m. the heiress of Sir John Stryvelep, Knt., an eminent commander under Edward III. The family have intermarried with the ancient houses of Ogle of Ogle Castle, Wentworth of Elm Hall, Munday of Markeaton, &c.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev., chequy, or and sa., between three leopards' heads, erased, az., collared, and lined, or.

*Seat*—Belsay Castle, Northumberland.

*Heir ap.*—His son Charles Atticus, m. to Laura, dau. of Sir M. W. Redley, Bart., and has issue.

**GRAHAM OF NORTON CONYERS, YORKSH.** Cr. 1662.—The HON. SIR BELLINGHAM GRAHAM, 7th Bt.; b. 1789; s. his fa. 1796; m. 1st, 1810, a dau. of the late Geo. Hatch, Esq. of West Hatch, Essex; and 2ndly, 1831, a dau. of the late Rev. Robt. Cottam. This noble family deduce from the same ancestor with the Grahams of Esk and Netherby. The 1st Bt. was the 2nd son of the Hon. Sir Richard Graham, of Esk, and was created for his services to royalty. The present Bt. is a direct lineal descendant, and is the son of the marriage with the sister of the Earl of Whitworth,

*Arms*—Or, on a chief, sa., three escallops of the field.

*Seats*—Norton Conyers, and Kippax, Yorkshire; Hill Place, near Droxford, Hants; Quorndam Hall, Leicester.

*Heir*—His son George Bellingham, b. 1812.

**TANCRED OF BOROUGHBIDGE, YORKSH.** Cr. 1662.—The HON. SIR THOMAS TANCRED, 6th Bt.; b. 1780; s. his fa. 1782; m. 1805, dau. of the Rev. O. Crewe, of Muxton, Stafford. The name was famous amongst the Danes when in England, and thereafter possessed large estates at Boroughbridge, Aldborough, &c.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev., between three escallops, gu.

*Seat*—Boroughbridge, York.

*Heir*—His son Thomas; b. 1808; m. 1839, a dau. of Predeaux John Selby, Esq. of Turzell House, Northumberland.

**BROOKE OF NORTON, CHESHIRE.** Cr. 1662.—The HON. SIR RICHARD BROOKE, 6th Bt., son of the 5th Bt. by the dau. of the Hon. Sir Robert Cunliffe, Bart.; b. 1785; s. 1795; m. 1809, his cousin, dau. of the Hon. Sir Foster Cunliffe, Bt. of Acton Park, Denbigh. This is a branch of the family of Brooke of Leighton, but descends immediately from Richard Brooke of Norton, knight of Rhodes, or St. John of Jerusalem, 1563. The earlier progenitors were sheriffs of Cheshire, as were also the 1st and 2nd Bts.

*Arms*—Or, a cross, engr., pale, gu. and sa.

*Seat*—Norton Priory, Cheshire.

*Heir*—His son Richard, b. 1814, an officer in the Guards.

**MARSHAM OF CAXTON, KENT.** Cr. 1663.—The HON. SIR CHARLES MARSHAM, raised to the peerage of the United Kingdom as Earl of Romney, 1801.

**PENNYMAN OF ORMSBY, YORKSHIRE.** Cr. 1663-4.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM HENRY PENNYMAN, 7th Bt., son of the 6th Bt., by the dau. of Sir Henry Grey, Bt.; m. a dau. of Bethel Robinson, Esq. of Calwick, Yorksh.; s. his fa. in 1808. This family deduces from James Penny-

man of Ormsby, 1599, whose grandson, the 1st Bart., was a zealous royalist in the civil wars.

*Arms*—Gu., a chev., erm., between three half spears, broken, the staff or, head arg.

*Seat*—Ormsby, Yorkshire.

**D'OYLY OF SHOTTESHAM, NORFOLK.** Cr. 1663.—The HON. SIR CHARLES D'OYLY, 7th Bt., son of the 6th Bt., by the dau. of G. Rochfort, Esq.; b. 1781; m. 1st, 3rd dau. of William Greer, Esq. of Keyhaven, Hants; 2ndly, eldest dau. of Major Ross; s. his fa. in 1818; is in the civil service of the E.I. Co., a senior merchant and senior member of the board of customs at Calcutta. This noble family is of great antiquity both here and in France. They were lords of Olgii, or Oyly, in Normandy, long before Duke William, under whose banner they came to England.

*Arms*—Gu., three bucks' heads, cabossed, arg.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. John Hadley; m. 1st, 1819, dau. of G. N. Thompson, Esq. of Penton Lodge, Hants (divorced); 2ndly, eldest dau. of John Fendall, Esq., member of the supreme council at Calcutta.

**LORRAINE OF KIRK HARLE, NORTHUMB.** Cr. 1664.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM LORRAINE, 6th Bart., son of the 5th Bt., by the only dau. of Vincent Campart, Esq.; b. 1801; s. his fa. in 1833. This noble family descends from Robert, one of the companions of William the Conqueror. They are distinguished in border warfare, and some of them were Knight Templars. They have intermarried with the Fenwicks, Lambtons, Allgoods, &c.

*Arms*—Quart., sa. and ar., a cross counter-quartered of the field.

*Seat*—Kirkharle, Northumberland.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Henry Claude.

**BIDDULPH OF WESTCOMB, KENT.** Cr. 1664.—The HON. SIR THEOPHILUS BIDDULPH, 6th Bart.; s. his fa. in 1841; m. Jane Rebecca, dau. of the late Robert Vyner, Esq. of Enthorpe, Warwick. This family is of very remote antiquity,



and their pedigree is traced by them back to Ormus-le-Guidon, Lord of Darlaverton, Buckingham, Biddulph, &c., who lived in the time of Doomsday, and down to Richard Biddulph, 1598, from whom descended the 1st Bart. and his successors in the Baronetage.

*Arms*—Vert, an eagle displayed, ar.

*Seat*—Birbury Hall, Dunchurch, Warwick.

*Heir*—His son Theophilus William. Sir Theophilus has one daughter, Jane Constance.

**SMYTH OF UPTON, ESSEX. Cr. 1665.**—The HON. SIR GEO. HEN. SMYTH, 6th Bt.; b. 1784; s. his fa. in 1802; m. 1816, dau. of G. Elmore, Esq. of Penton, Hants; is patron of two livings; he and several of his ancestors have been in parliament, and intermarried with the Walmsleys, Traffords, Whiteheads, &c.

*Arms*—Az., two bars, wavy, erm., on a chief, or, a demi-lion, issuant, sa.

*Seat*—Berechurch Hall, Essex.

**JOCELYN OF HYDEHALL, HERTS. Cr. 1665.**—The HON. SIR ROBERT JOCELYN, K.P., P.C., raised to the peerage of Ireland as Earl of Roden, 1771.

**SHAW OF LONDON. Cr. 1665.**—The HON. SIR JOHN KENWARD SHAW, 6th Bt., son of the 5th Bt., by the 3rd dau. of 2nd Lord Monson; b. 1783; s. his fa. in 1831; is a dep.-lieut. of Kent, and col. of the West Kent militia. The 1st Bt. lent large sums of money to Charles II. at Brussels and Antwerp during his exile, and received his title after the Restoration, which he advanced.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev., between three fusils, erm.

*Seats*—Eltham Lodge, Kent; Colts-hall, Suffolk.

*Heir pres.*—His nephew, b. 1823.

**DUKINFIELD OF DUKINFIELD, CHESTER. Cr. 1665.**—The HON. AND REV. SIR HENRY ROBERT DUKINFIELD, 7th Bt., 3rd son of the 5th Bt., by the sister of John Warde, Esq. of Squerries, Kent; b. 1791; m. 1836, dau. of Sir James Craufurd, Bt., and relict of Gen. Chowne;

s. his bro. in 1836; is vicar of St. Martin's-in-the-Fields, Westminster. This family was seated at Dukinfield temp. Edward I. The father of the 1st Bt. was distinguished in the parliamentary army.

*Arms*—Ar., a cross, voided, pointed, sa.

*Seat*—Stanlake House, Berkshire.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Charles Egerton, b. 1792; m. 1833, dau. of John Luscombe, Esq. of Combe Royal, Devonsh.; is in the military service of the East India Company.

**RAWDON OF MOIRA, IRELAND. Cr. 1665.**—The HON. SIR GEO. AUG. FRAS. RAWDON HASTINGS, raised to the peerage of the United Kingdom, as Marquis of Hastings, 1816.

**BURDETT OF BURTHWAITE, YORKSHIRE. Cr. 1665.**—The HON. SIR CHARLES WENTWORTH BURDETT, 6th Bt.; b. 1806; s. his uncle, 1839; m. dau. of W. Hugh Burgess, Esq. This ancient family claim their descent from the time of William the Conqueror; Robert de Burdett m. the heiress of the three houses of Balliol, Derby, and Holland. The first Bt. descended by a younger branch of the family, who had inherited Braithwaite from his fa. The present Bt. is an officer in the East India Company's service.

*Arms*—Paly of six, ar. and sa., on a bend, gu., three martlets, or, quartering WYNDHAM.

*Seat*—Ascombe, York.

**OGLANDER OF NUNWELL, ISLE OF WIGHT, HANTS. Cr. 1665.** The HON. SIR WILLIAM OGLANDER, 6th Bt., son of the 5th Bt., by the only dau. of Peter Serie, Esq. of Testwood, Hampshire; b. 1769; m. 1810, eldest dau. of 4th Duke of Grafton; s. his fa. in 1806; M.P. for Bodmin in 1812; is a dep.-lieut. of Dorsetsh. This family, of Norman origin, came to England with the Conqueror, and settled in the Isle of Wight, and were styled Lords of Nunwell. In an unbroken male line they have since resided there. The 1st Bt. received the dignity for

the loyalty of his family, and was lieutenant-governor of the Isle of Wight.

*Arms*—Az., a stork, between three cross-crosslets, fitchée, or.

*Seats*—Nunwell, Isle of Wight; Parnham, Dorsetshire.

*Heir*—His son Henry, b. 1811.

**MARTIN OF LONG MELFORD, SUFFOLK.** Cr. 1667. **THE HON. SIR ROGER MARTIN**, 5th Bart., son of the 4th Bt. by his 1st wife, 2nd dau. of Rev. William Smith, rector of Burnham, Yorksh.; b. 1778; s. his fa. in 1815; filled the office of senior judge of the court of appeal at Mooresheadabad, Bengal. Is descended from an ancient family in Suffolk, seated at Melford, temp. Edward IV.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev., between three mascles, sa., all within a border, engr., gu.

*Seats*—Burham, Norfolk; Long Melford, Suffolk.

**HANHAM OF WIMBOURNE, DORSETSH.** Cr. 1667.—**THE HON. and REV. SIR JAMES HANHAM**, 7th Bart.; m. 1st, 1793, daughter of the late Edward Pike, Esq., R.N.; 2ndly, Miss Elizabeth Pattey; s. his fa., 1806; is rector of Winterborne, Selston, Dorsetsh. This family take their name from Hanham, in Gloucestersh., temp. Edward III. The 1st Bt. m. a niece of the 1st Earl of Shaftesbury.

*Arms*—Quarterly, or and gu., on a bend, engr., sa., three crosses-patée of the 1st.

*Seat*—Deans Court, near Wimbourne, Dorset; and Neston Park, Wilts.

*Heir*—His son William, m. 1823, dau. of — Morgan, Esq. of Mount Clare, Surrey.

**MOSTYN OF TALACRE, FLINTSH.** Cr. 1670.—**THE HON. SIR PYERS MOSTYN**, 8th Bt., son of the 7th Bt. by his 1st wife, the dau. of N. Blundell, Esq. of Crosby Hall, Lancaster; b. 1811; s. his fa. in 1841; is a dep.-lieut. of Flintsh. The family deduces from Tudor Trevor, Earl of Hereford (temp. 10th cent.), the ancestor of the royal house of Tudor; was seated at Moston, temp. Henry VIII. The 1st Baro-

netey, 1660, became extinct; is a branch of the Mostyns of Mostyn in Flintsh.

*Arms*—Per bend, sinister, erm. and enn., a lion ramp., or.

*Seats*—Talacre, and Greenfield, Flintshire.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Edward Henry, b. 1813; lieut. 8th dragoons.

**CROFT OF CROFT CASTLE, HEREFORDSH.** Cr. 1671.—**THE HON. SIR ARCHER DENMAN**, 8th Bt.; b. 1801; s. his bro. 1835; m. 1837, Julia Barbara, dau. of Major.-Gen. John Garston, E.I.C. service. This family is of Saxon origin, and settled in Herefordsh. at a very remote period, and is mentioned by Camden as the very ancient and knightly family of the Crofts. The family, until the close of the 18th century, continued in the possession of the property.

*Arms*—Quart., per fesse, indented, az. and ar., in the 1st quart. a lion passant, guardant, or.

*Heir*—His son Herbert George, born 1838.

**ST. AUBYN OF CLOWANCE, CORNWALL.** Cr. 1671.—**THE HON. and REV. SIR RICHARD THOMAS ST. AUBYN**; s. his bro. Sir John, 1839.

*Arms*—Erm., on a cross, gu., five bezants.

**BAGOT OF BLYTHEFIELD, STAFFORD.** Cr. 1672.—**THE HON. SIR WILLIAM, LL.D., F.S.A., F.L.S., F.H.S.**, raised to the peerage by the title of Baron Bagot of Great Britain, 1780.

**EDEN OF WEST AUCKLAND, DURHAM.** Cr. 1672.—**THE HON. SIR ROBERT EDEN JOHNSON**, 5th Bt.; b. 1774; s. his fa. 1812; assumed, 1811, the surname of Johnson on inheriting the estates of the late Peter Johnson, of York. The family resided in the co. of Durham for several generations, prior to the close of the 14th century. The 1st and 2nd Barts. represented the co. of Durham in Parliament. The present Bt. is nephew of Lord Auckland, and 1st Lord Henley.

*Arms*—Gu., on a chev., between three garbs, or, banded, vert., as many escallops, sa.

*Seat*—Windlestone, Durham.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Morton John Davison, b. 1778.

**BLACKETT OF MATSON HALL, NEWCASTLE-UPON-TYNE.** Cr. 1673.—The HON. SIR EDWARD BLACKETT, 6th Bt.; b. 1805; s. his fa. 1816; m. 1830, dau. of the Hon. Sir Charles Monk, Bart. of Belsay Castle, Northumberland. The 1st Bt. acquired a fortune by his wealthy mines; his younger son William was also created a Bt., and was a distinguished ornament in the House of Commons. The 2nd and 4th Barts. were also in parliament.

*Arms*—Ar., on a chev., between three mallets, pierced, sa., three escallops of the field.

*Seat*—Matson Hall, Northumb.

*Heir*—His son.

**FILMER OF EAST SUTTON, KENT.** Cr. 1674.—The HON. SIR EDMUND FILMER, 8th Bt., M.P., son of Capt. Edmund Filmer, by the eldest dau. of G. Skene, Esq., M.D. of Aberdeen; b. 1809; m. 1831, 2nd dau. of D. Monro, Esq. of Quebec; s. his uncle, 1834; M.P. for Kent since 1838. This noble family possessed the manors of Herst, &c., temp. Edw. III. The 1st Bt. received the dignity in acknowledgment of the services and sufferings of his father. His brother, Edw. Filmer, Esq., was gentleman of the privy chamber to Charles I. and II.

*Arms*—Sa., three bars, and as many cinquefoils, in chief, or.

*Seat*—East Sutton Place, Kent.

*Heir*—His son Edmund, born 1835.

**DYKE OF HOREHAM, SUSSEX.** Cr. 1676.—The HON. SIR PERCEVAL HART DYKE, 5th Bt., 2nd son of the 3rd Bt., by the dau. of Geo. Horne, Esq. of East Grinstead; m. dau. of R. Jenner, Esq. of Chiselhurst; s. his bro. in 1831. The 1st Bt. was M.P. for Sussex in 1685.

*Arms*—Or, three cinquefoils, sa.

*Seat*—Lullingstone Castle, Kent.

*Heir*—His son Perceval Hart; m. 1835, youngest dau. of J. Wells, Esq. of Bickley, Kent.

**HEAD OF HERMITAGE, NEAR ROCHESTER, KENT.** Cr. 1676.—The HON. SIR EDMUND WALKER HEAD, 8th Bt., son of the 7th Bt., by the only child and heir of Thos. Walker, Esq. of London; b. 1805; m. 1838, dau. of the late Rev. Philip Yorke (grandson of the 1st Earl of Hardwycke); s. his fa. in 1838; was appointed one of the poor law commissioners in Dec. 1841, having previously been an assistant commissioner. The 1st Bt. was M.P. for Rochester; he received James II. on his abdication, and was presented with an emerald ring.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev., erm., between three unicorns' heads, coupé, sa., gutté de larmes.

*Seat*—Wiaraton Place, near Maidstone, Kent.

*Heir*—His son, b. March, 1840.

**HOSKYNs OF HARWOOD, HEREFORDSH.** Cr. 1676.—The HON. SIR HUNGERFORD HOSKYNs, 7th Bt., son of the 6th Bt., by the sister of Sir Edw. F. Stanhope, Bt., of Stanwell House, Middlesex; born 1776; m. 1808, youngest dau. of J. Phillips, Esq. of Bank Hall, Lancash.; s. his father in 1802; was high sheriff of Herefordsh. in 1814, and is a deputy of the co. Several of the members of this family, from 1602 downwards, were knights of shires. Intermarried with the noble family of Arundel of Trerice, &c.

*Arms*—Per pale, gu. and az., a chev. between three lions ramp., or.

*Seats*—Harewood, and Morehampton Park, Herefordshire.

*Heir*—His son Hungerford, b. 1804.

**PENNINGTON OF MUNCASTER, CAMB.** Cr. 1676. The HON. SIR GAMEL AUG. PENNINGTON, raised to the peerage of Ireland as Baron Muncaster, 1783.

**COTTON OF COMBERMERE.** Cr. 1677.—The HON. SIR STAPLETON COMBERMERE, G. C. B., G. C. H., D.C.L., P.C., a peer of the U.K., under the title of Viscount Combermere. Cr. 1826.

**WILLOUGHBY OF WALLATON, NOTTS.** Cr. 1677.—The HON. SIR DIGBY WILLOUGHBY, raised to the

peerage of Great Britain as Baron Middleton, 1711.

**CUST OF STANFORD, LINCOLN.** Cr. 1677.—The HON. SIR JOHN CUST, F.R.S., F.S.A., a peer of the U.K., under the title of Earl Brownlow. Cr. 1815.

**OXENDEN OF DENE, KENT.** Cr. 1678.—The HON. SIR HENRY CHUDLEIGH, 8th Bt.; b. 1795; s. his fa. 1838. Dene has been the residence of this ancient family since the days of Edward III. The 2nd and 5th Bts. were in parliament, the latter was a lord of the Admiralty and Treasury, and the 3rd was dep.-governor of Bombay.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev., gu., between three oxen, sa.

*Seat*—Broome House, Kent.

*Heir pres.*—George Chichester, born 1798.

**DYER OF SWINNERTON, TOTENHAM, MIDDLESEX.** Cr. 1678.—The HON. SIR THOMAS SWINNERTON DYER, 6th Bt.; born 1771; m. 1814, Miss Mary Davies; s. his cousin, 1838; is a capt. R.N.; is descended of an ancient Wiltshire family. The 1st Bt. inherited Swinerton estate by marriage.

*Seat*—Ovington House, near Alresford, Hampshire.

*Heir*—His son Rich. Thos. Swinerton, m. dau. of Daniel Robertson, Esq.

**BUNBURY OF BUNBURY, CHESHIRE.** Cr. 1681.—The HON. SIR HENRY EDWARD BUNBURY, K.C.B., F.S.A., 7th Bart.; b. 1778; m. 1st, dau. of Gen. the Hon. Henry Edw. Fox, 3rd son of the 1st Lord Holland; 2ndly, dau. of Col. the Hon. Geo. Napier, by Lady Sarah Lennox, dau. of the 2nd Duke of Richmond. The founder of this family in England, St. Pierre, was attached to the fortunes of the Earl of Chester, nephew of the Conqueror, and has been known under the name of Bunbury since the 15th century; the immediate founder was feudal lord of Bunbury, temp. Henry III.; his descendant, David, Lord of Bunbury, acquired by marriage the lordship of Stomney, near Chester. The 3rd, 4th, and 6th Bts. were in parliament, and the family have inter-

married with those of Chetwoode, Hanmer, Vere, Graham, &c. The present Bt. is the 2nd son of Henry William Bunbury, Esq., the famous caricaturist, 2nd son of the 5th Bt.; is a lieut.-gen. in the army; was M.P. for Suffolk, and was under-secretary of war from 1809 to 1816.

*Arms*—Ar., on a bend, sa., three chess rooks, of the field.

*Seats*—Barton Hall, Bury-St.-Edmunds, Suffolk.

*Heir*—His son Chas. Jas. Fox, born 1809.

**PARKER OF LONDON.** Cr. 1681.

—The HON. SIR HYDE PARKER, 8th Bt., 2nd son of the 6th Bt., by the dau. of Wm. Cresswell; Esq. of Cresswell Hall, Northumberland; b. 1785; s. his bro. in 1830; M.P. for the western division of Suffolk in 1832; is a dep.-lieut. of the co. This noble family is a younger branch of the Parkers of N. Molton, Devon, temp. 14th century; from the elder line descends the Earl of Morley. The first Bt. was an alderman of London; the 5th was the celebrated admiral who commanded at St. Lucia in 1780, and in the action with the Dutch on the Dogger Bank, 1781. For these services the admiral was visited by the King and Prince of Wales. Thereafter he was appointed commander-in-chief of the fleet in India, and sailed in the *Cato*, but the vessel was never subsequently heard of. The 2nd son of the admiral was knighted for his services during the American war.

*Arms*—Sa., a buck's head, cabossed, between two flanches, ar.

*Seat*—Melford Hall, Suffolk

**MAYNARD OF WALTHAMSTOW, ESSEX.** Cr. 1681-2.—The HON. SIR HENRY MAYNARD; raised to the peerage of Great Britain as Visct. Maynard, 1766.

**PARKYNS OF BUNNEY, NOTTS.** Cr. 1681.—The HON. SIR GEO. AUG. HEN. ANNE PARKYNS, raised to the peerage of Ireland as Baron Rancliffe, 1795.

**DASHWOOD OF NORTHBROOKE COURT, OXON.** Cr. 1684.—The HON. SIR GEO. DASHWOOD, C.B., 4th Bt.,

son of the 3rd Bt., by the dau. of J. Graham, Esq. of Newnham; b. 1786; m. 1815, eldest dau. of Sir W. Rowley, Bt.; s. his fa. in 1828; is a dep.-lieut. of Oxfordsh. This noble family springs from George Dashwood, Esq. of London, who joined in farming the revenues of Ireland, temp. Charles II. The 2nd Bt. was M.P. for Oxfordsh., and m. the d. of Anne, Duchess of Hamilton.

*Arms*—Ar., on a fesse, double cottised, gu., three griffins' heads, erased, or.

*Seat*—Kirklington Park, Woodstock, Oxfordsh.

*Heir*—His son Hen. Wm., b. 1816.

**BLOIS OF GRUNDISBURGH HALL, SUFFOLK.** Cr. 1686.—The HON. SIR CHARLES BLOIS, 6th Bt.; m. 1788-9, Clara, dau. of J. Price, of Camblesworth, York; s. his fa. in 1810. The name is taken from the town Blois, in France, and the family was settled in England at the time of the Conquest, temp. Henry VII., thereafter removed to Grundisburgh Hall. Coxfield Hall was acquired by the fa. of the 1st Bt., by mar. with the dau. of Sir Robert Brooke.

*Arms*—Gu., a bend, between two fleurs-de-lis, ar.

*Seats*—Grundisburgh Hall, and Coxfield Hall, Suffolk.

*Heir*—His son Charles.

**WYNN OF BODVEAN AND GLYNN-LIVON, CARMARTHEN.** Cr. 1688.—The RIGHT HON. SIR SPENCER BULKELEY WYNN, raised to the peerage of Ireland, 1776, as Earl of Newborough.

**MOLESWORTH OF PENCARROW, CORNWALL.** Cr. 1688.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM MOLESWORTH, 8th Bt.; b. 1810; s. his fa. in 1823. This family derives from a common ancestor with the Viscounts Molesworths of Ireland. The 1st Bt. was governor of Jamaica. The 2nd, 4th, 5th, and 6th Bts. were in parliament. The present Bt. is M.P. for Leeds, and is patron of four livings.

*Arms*—Gu., an escutcheon, vair, between eight cross-crosslets, in orle, or.

*Seat*—Pencarrow, Cornwall.

*Heir pres.*—His brother.

**WILLIAMS-WYNN OF WYNN-STAY, CO. DENBIGH.** Cr. 1688.—The HON. SIR WATKIN WILLIAMS-WYNN, 6th Bt., son of the 5th Bt., by the eldest dau. of the 1st Earl of Powis; b. 1820; s. his fa. in 1840; is patron of six livings; an officer in the 1st guards; M.P. for Denbighsh.; is descended from the Lord of Tallybolion, temp. 1100. The 1st Bt. was Sir W. Williams, speaker of the house of commons, temp. Chas. II.; he paid 8000*l.* for having, in his capacity of speaker, printed evidence, which act was esteemed a libel; after the revolution, this judgment was declared by the house to be illegal. The name of Wynn was assumed by the 3rd Bt. on his succession to the estates of Sir John Wynn.

*Seat*—Wynnstay, Denbighsh.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Herbert Watkin, b. 1822.

**RAMSDEN OF BYRAM, YORKSH.** Cr. 1689.—The HON. SIR JOHN W. RAMSDEN, 5th Bt., son of J. Chas. Ramsden, Esq., eldest son of 4th Bt., by the youngest dau. of 1st Lord Dundas; b. 1831; s. his grandfa. in 1839. The predecessors of the 1st Bt. were distinguished during the civil wars, and he was raised to the baronetage at the revolution.

*Arms*—Ar., on a chev., between three fleurs-de-lis, sa., as many rams' heads, erased, of the first.

*Seat*—Byram Hall, Yorksh.

*Heir pres.*—His uncle William, capt. R.N.; m. 1827, eldest dau. of 13th Marq. of Winchester, (she was b. 1805.)

**ROBINSON OF NEWBY, YORKSH.** Cr. 1690-1.—The HON. SIR THOS. PHILLIP DE GREY, raised to the peerage of the U.K., as Earl de Grey, 1816.

**LEIGHTON OF WATLESBOROUGH, SHROPSH.** Cr. 1692.—The HON. SIR BALDWIN LEIGHTON, 7th Bt.; b. 1805; m. 1832, Mary, dau. of Thos. Netherton Parker, Esq. of Sweeney, Salop; son of the 6th Bt., by the dau. of Sir Thomas Stanley, now Lord Stanley of Alderley; s. his fa. in 1828. This ancient family were settled in England before

the Norman Conquest, and deduces from Totilus de Leighton, whose name appears in Domesday Book, as a proprietor in Salop; after the Conquest, the lordship of Leighton was conveyed to the family, and they afterwards acquired the lordships of Wattlesborough and Alderbury by marriage. Sir Thomas, a knight of the body under Hen. VII., was distinguished in the war between the Duke of Bretagne and the French King; he was made a knight-banneret by Henry VIII., at the battle of Spurs. By their public services, and by their intermarriages with families of distinction, the descendants, prior to the 1st baronetcy, held prominent positions in the country. The 1st Bt., as well as several of his progenitors, was in parliament.

*Arms*—Quarterly, per fesse, indented, or and gu.

*Seat*—Lotten Park, Shrewsbury, Shropsh.

*Heir*—His son Baldwin, b. 1836; has one other son, Stanley, and four daus.

**COLT OF LEOMINSTER, HEREFORD.** Cr. 1693-4.—The HON. SIR JOHN DUTTON COLT, 4th Bt.; b. 8 Oct., 1772; s. his fa. in 1810. This family is descended from Thos. Colt, of Carlisle, co. Cumberland, Esq.: His son, Thos. Colt, Esq., lord of the manor of Aketon, was chancellor of the exchequer, and privy councillor to Edward IV.: this Thomas Colt's eldest dau. Jane, m. Sir Thos. More, Knt., lord chancellor of England. The family were always stanch royalists. Henry Colt was governor of Radcot House for Chas. I., and was killed in its defence. George Colt fought at the battle of Worcester, and was almost cut to pieces there. His son John Dutton Colt, who was with him (being then a boy), was nearly ruined by steadily protecting the charter of the Borough of Leominster, which Charles II. would have had him give up; in consequence, a charge of high treason was trumped up against him; he was fined 100,000*l.*, and committed to prison until King James re-

leased him. The title was conferred on Harry Dutton Colt for services during the revolution, 1692, temp. William and Mary, by the name of Harry Dutton Colt, senior, of St. James's, Westminster, Esq.: he was M.P. for Westminster during the reigns of William and Anne.

*Arms*—Ar., a fesse, between three colts at full speed.

*Seats*—Leominster, and Hill Court, Berkeley.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Edw. Vaughan, b. 1775.

**THOMAS OF WENVOE CASTLE, GLAMORGANSH.** Cr. 1694.—The HON. SIR EDM. STEPHEN THOMAS, 7th Bt.; b. 1810; son of the 6th Bt., by his first marriage with a dau. of S. Ram, Esq. of Ram's Court, Wexford. The paternal name of the family was Harpway, and changed to Thomas on inheriting the estates of Thomas ap Thomas, of Wenvoe, by mar. with his dau. and heiress.

*Arms*—Sa., a chev., and canton, erm.

*Seat*—Bodiam, Sussex.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Godfrey John.

**SOAME OF HEYDON HALL, ESSEX.** Cr. 1697.—The HON. SIR PETER BUCKWORTH-HERNE-SOAME, 7th Bt.; m. 1880, dau. of W. Bradshaw, Esq. Buckworth was the paternal name of the family, and the first Bt. of that name was sheriff of London, 1704. The 5th Bt. assumed the additional surname of Herne, on marrying the heiress of Paston Herne, Esq. of Hevesland Hall; the 6th Bt. assumed the additional surname of Soame, under the will of the Hon. Sir Peter Soame, Bt., of Heydon House.

*Arms*—Quarterly, 1st and 4th, gu., a chev., between three mullets, or, for SOAME; 2nd and third, sa., a chev. between three cross-crosslets fitchée, ar., for BUCKWORTH.

*Seat*—Heydon House, Essex.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Rev. John, Vicar of West Hendred, Berks.

**ROGERS OF WISDOME, DEVONSH.** Cr. 1698.—The HON. SIR JOHN LEMAN ROGERS, 6th Bt.; s. his fa. in 1797. The family claims to be descended from the Rev. J. Rogers, who translated the Bible

under the name of Thos. Matthew, and was the first sufferer in the reign of Mary. The 1st Bart. represented Plymouth, and was sheriff of Devon. The 2nd, 3rd, and 5th Bts. also represented Plymouth; and the 4th and 5th were recorders of Plymouth.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev., gu., between three roebucks, courant, sa., attired and gorged with ducal coronets, or.

*Seats*—Wisdom, and Blackford, Devon.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Fred. Leman, m. 1810, dau. of the late Col. Deare, Bengal Artillery.

**CHETWODE OF OAKLEY, STAFFORD, AND CHETWODE, BUCKS.** Cr. 1700.—The HON. SIR JOHN CHETWODE, M.P., 4th Bt., son of the 3rd Bt., by the 3rd dau. and co-heir of T. Brentland, Esq. of Thorncliffe, Cheshire; b. 1764; m. 1st, 1785, eldest dau. of 5th Earl of Stamford; 2ndly, 1827, dau. of John Bristow, Esq.; s. his fa. in 1779. This noble and far descended family can be traced antecedently to the Conquest. Robert, lord of Chetwode, founded the priory of Chetwode, and his grandson, Sir Robert, attended Richard I. into Palestine, and was knighted for his achievements in arms. The Oakley estate in Staffordsh. came into the family by the m. of the eleventh baron with the heiress of Wm. de Okeley, lord of that manor. Sir John is the 27th lord of the manor of Chetwode, in hereditary succession, and is a member of the Committee of the Order for Privileges. Nine of the chiefs of this house enjoyed knight-hood prior to the erection of the Baronetage. The Wodehull peerage is in abeyance in this family.

*Arms*—Quart., ar. and gu., four crosses patée, counterchanged.

*Seats*—Chetwode Manor House, Bucks; Oakley, Staffordshire; and Whitley, Cheshire.

*Heir*—His son John Newdigate Ludford, son of 1st m.; m. 1821, eldest dau. and co-heir of J. N. Ludford, of Anshly Hall, Warwickshire.

**WEBSTER OF COPT HALL, ESSEX.** Cr. 1703.—The HON. SIR

GODFREY VASSALL WEBSTER, 6th Bt., son of the 5th Bt., by the eldest dau. of R. Adamson, Esq., of Hill Street, Berkeley Square; b. 1815; s. his fa. in 1836; is a lieut. R.N. This noble family descends from John Webster of Bolsover, Derbysh., who was returned into Chancery in the 12th year of King Henry VI., among the gentlemen of his county, who made oath on behalf of themselves and their retainers for the observance of the peace, and of the king's laws. The first Bt., Sir Thos. Webster, was, about the year 1717, elected by the freeholders of Essex Verderer of the forest of Waltham, and purchased, in 1700, the noble estate and mansion of Waltham from the Earl of Dorset.

*Arms*—Az. on a bend, ar., cottised, or, between two demi-lions, rampant, erm., a rose, gu., seeded and leaved, ppr., between two boars' heads, coupéd, sa., languid of the fifth.

*Seat*—Battle Abbey, Sussex.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Augustus Frederick, b. 1819.

**IRBY OF BOSTON, LINCOLNSH.** Cr. 1704.—The HON. SIR GEORGE IRBY, D.C.L., raised to the peerage of Gt. Brit. as Baron Boston, 1761.

**FLEMING OF RYDALL HALL, WESTMORELAND.** Cr. 1705.—The HON. AND REV. SIR RICHARD FLEMING, 6th Bt., son of Roger Fleming, Esq., grandnephew to the 1st and 2nd Bts.; b. 1791; m. 1825, Sarah, dau. of W. B. Bradshaw, Esq. of Halton Hall, Lancash.; s. his bro. in 1821; is rector of Grassmere and Windermere, in Cumberland. The founder of this very ancient and highly honourable family was Sir Michael le Fleming, a kinsman of Baldwin, the 5th Earl of Flanders, who being sent to assist William the Norman, Baldwin's brother-in-law, was some years afterwards employed by that successful monarch against the Scots upon the borders, for which and other services he obtained the castle of Gleston, the manor of Aldingham, and other lands in Furness, all in the county of Lancaster, together with

the castle of Carnarvon, the lordship and manor of Beckermeth, and other estates in Cumberland. From the second son of this Sir Michael the present noble Bart. is lineally descended, through a long line of valiant and distinguished ancestors. Several of them were in parliament, as also the 1st Bt. The 2nd Bt. was Lord Bishop of Carlisle.

*Arms*—Gu., a fret, ar.

*Seat*—Grassmere Rectory, Amble-side, Westmoreland.

*Heir*—His son Michael, b. 1828. Sir

Richard has another son, William, b. 1832, and two daus., Eliz. and Isabella.

**MILLER OF CHICHESTER, SUSSEX.** Cr. 1705.—The HON. AND REV. SIR THOMAS MILLER, 6th Bt.; s. his fa. 1816; m. 1824, eldest dau. of the Rev. John Holmes, of Bungay, Suffolk; is vicar of Froyle, Hants. The first three Bts. represented Chichester; the fifth Bt. represented Portsmouth.

*Arms*—Ar., a fesse, wavy, az., between three wolves' heads, erased, gu.  
*Seat*—Froyle, near Alton, Hants.

BADGE OF ULSTER.





**BARONETS**  
**OF**  
**SCOTLAND AND NOVA SCOTIA,**  
**CREATED**  
**FROM THE 26TH OF MAY, 1625, UNTIL THE**  
**PERIOD OF THE UNION, 1707.**



Arms of the HON. SIR JAMES BROUN, Knight, Baron of Colstoun, Baronet of Scotland and Nova Scotia, and Chief of his Name.

Given as exemplifying the mode of charging the Arms of the Baronets of Scotland and Nova Scotia, as regulated by the Committee of the Order for Privileges.



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BARONETAGE OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE.

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**Baronets of Scotland & Nova Scotia.**

**GORDON OF GORDONSTOUN, BANFFSHIRE.**—Premier Baronet of Scotland. Cr. 26th May, 1625.—The **HON. SIR JAMES**, 7th Bt.; s. his kinsman Sir William, 6th Bt., in 1795; m. in 1801, Mary, eldest dau. and heiress of W. Glendonyn of Glendonwyn, and has issue. This noble family is descended from George, 2nd Earl of Huntly, a branch of the ducal house of Gordon, by his wife the Princess Jane, dau. of King James the First of Scotland. The first Bt., Sir Robert Gordon, 2nd son of Alexander, 11th Earl of Sutherland (by marriage, and 5th in descent from George, 2nd Earl of Huntly), was a man of very eminent abilities, and filled the high offices of vice-chamberlain of Scotland, sheriff principal of Invernessshire, a lord of the Privy Council, &c. With his title of Bt. he received sixteen thousand acres of land in Nova Scotia, which was erected into the free barony and regality of Gordon. James Gordon of Letterfourie, one of the immediate ancestors of the present Bt., was Admiral of

Scotland in 1513. The family has intermarried with the Campbells, Dukes of Argyll, the Cummings, Barons of Altyre, the Dunbars, Baronets of Durn, the Maxwells, Baronets of Calderwood, &c.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st, az., three boars' heads, couped, or; 2nd, or, three lions' heads, erased, gu.; 3rd, or, three cushions, within a double tressure, flowered and counter-flowered, gu.; 4th, az., three cinquefoils, ar., all within a bordure, indented, ar.

*Seat*—Letterfourie, near Buckie, Banffshire.

*Heir ap.*—William, Master of Gourdounstone, a captain in the army.

**CAMPBELL OF GLENORCHAY CAMPBELL.** Cr. 29th May, 1625.—The **HON. SIR JOHN CAMPBELL**, present Marquess of Breadalbane.

**INNES OF NEW INNES.** Cr. 1625.—The **HON. SIR JAMES H. R. INNES KER**, present Duke of Roxburgh.

**WEMYSS OF NEW WEMYSS.** Cr. 1625.—The **HON. SIR FRANCIS CHARTERIS DOUGLAS WEMYSS**, present Earl of Wemyss and March.

**LIVINGSTONE OF DUNPACE, LIVINGSTONE, LINLITHGOWSHIRE.** Cr. 30th May, 1625.—The HON. SIR THOMAS, Vice-Admiral of the Blue, 10th Bt.; s. his fa. in 1795; m. Janet, dau. of Sir James Stirling, Bt., but has no issue. This noble and very ancient family descend from a Hungarian nobleman, who came into Scotland with Margaret, Queen of King Malcolm Canmore, about the year 1078. The 1st Bt. was the 4th son of William, 6th Lord Livingstone, and brother of the 1st Earl of Linlithgow, of which earldom the present Bt. is the heir, although his right is barred by an act of attaindure passed in 1715. Sir Thomas is hereditary keeper of the royal Palace of Linlithgow. The 4th Bt. married the heiress of the Walkers of Bedlarmie.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, ar., three cinquefoils, gu., within a double tressure, flory and counter-flory, vert; 2nd and 3rd, sa., a bend, between six billets, or, in surtout an escutcheon, az., charged with an oak tree growing out of the base, or, within a bordure, ar., charged with eight gillyflowers, gu.

*Seats*—Westquarter, Stirlingshire, and Bedlarmie, Linlithgow.

*Heir pres.*—His brother.

**MACDONALD OF MACDONALD.** Cr. 1625.—The HON. SIR GODFREY W. W. BOSVILLE MACDONALD, present Lord Macdonald, of the peerage of Ireland.

**COLQUHOUN OF THAT ILK, AND OF LUSS, DUMBARTONSHIRE.** Cr. 1625, (also a Baronet of Great Britain, cr. 1786.)—The HON. SIR JAMES COLQUHOUN, 7th Bt., lord-lieut. of Dumbartonshire, free baron of Colquhoun, and Chief of his Clan; s. his fa. in 1836. This noble, very ancient, and powerful family, have flourished in Scotland from the invasion by the Romans, and have held a large portion of the territory of Dumbartonshire prior to 1225. Sir John Colquhoun, who flourished in 1460, was a man of the most eminent abilities, and enjoyed the high offices of great chamberlain of Scotland, and governor of Dumbarton

Castle. Sir Humphrey, in 1583, acquired the heritable coronership of Dumbartonshire. Sir John, the 1st Bt., m. Lillias, dau. of John, 4th Earl of Montrose, bro. of the celebrated marquess. The 4th Bt., Sir Humphrey, in 1704, resigned his titles into the hands of the crown, and obtained a new grant to his dau. and son-in-law, and their heirs in fee. The family have intermarried with the houses of Boyd, Earls of Kilmarnock; Erskine, Earls of Mar; Cunningham, Earls of Glencairn, Gordon, Earls of Sutherland, &c. Sir James represented this co. in the last parliament, and is a member of the Committee of the Baronetage for Privileges. The family crest of a stag's head, with greyhounds for supporters, are borne in commemoration of Dumbarton Castle having been taken by surprise by one of the early barons of Colquhoun, in consequence of the garrison having turned out, on his invitation, to witness a grand stag hunt, during which the castle was stormed by a body of his clansmen.

*Arms*—Ar., a saltier, engr., sa.

*Seat*—Rosdu, Dumbartonshire.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. John, who is m., and has issue.

**GORDON OF NEW CLUNY.** Cr. 1625.—The HON. SIR GEORGE GORDON, present Marquess of Huntly, K.T.

**LESLIE OF WARDIS AND FINDRASSIE, MORAYSH.** Cr. 1625.—The HON. SIR NORMAN ROBERT, 6th Bt.; b. 1822; s. his fa. 1833. This noble family has the right of primogeniture in the peerage house of Rothes. The Earl of Rothes conferred the honours of his family on his son Andrew, and gave Findrassie to Robert, from whom descended, lineally, John, son and heir of Alex of Wardis, who married Miss Stewart, the great grand-dau. of James II. of Scotland, and 2nd dau. of William Crichton of Fren-draught, and from which 2nd mar. sprang the first Bt., 4th in descent. The estate did not accompany the

title on the succession of the 3rd Bt., but the 4th Bt. acquired, by marriage with the dau. of Abraham Leslie, the estate of Findrassie, formerly in the possession of the founder Robert.

*Arms*—Quarterly, first and fourth, ar., on a bend, az., three buckles, or, for LESLIE.

*Seat*—Findrassie Lodge, Ross-shire.

**FORBES OF FORBES.** Cr. 1626.—The HON. SIR JAMES OCHONAR FORBES, present Lord Forbes, premier lord on the union roll of the peerage of Scotland.

**JOHNSTON OF JOHNSTON AND HILTON.** Cr. 1626.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM JOHNSTON, 7th Bt.; s. 1794; m. 2ndly, only dau. of John Bacon, Esq. of Friern House, Middx. The founder of this family, Stiven de Johnson, was bro. to the laird of Johnston, in Annandale, and was famous for his learning; he retired from the border troubles to the north of Scotland, and by his m. with the dau. of Sir Andrew Garioch, Knt. of Caskieben, acquired a large fortune. The 3rd Bt., Sir John, was a captain in the wars in Flanders, and was at the battle of the Boyne. He assisted Capt. Campbell in carrying off and marrying Miss Wharton, a young and rich heiress. Sir John, 4th Bt., took the field in 1715, with his only son, and as many of his Clan as he could muster, and joined the Earl of Mar in support of the Chevalier Saint George. The 6th Bt. purchased the estate of Hilton, Aberdeen.

*Arms*—Ar., a saltier, engrà., sa., on a chief, gu., three cushions, or.

*Seats*—Hilton, N.B., and Barnham Grove, Berks.

*Heir ap.*—His eldest son William Bacon, Master of Johnston.

**BURNETT OF LEYS, ABERDEENSH.** Cr. April 21, 1626.—The HON. SIR THOMAS BURNETT, 8th Bt., son of the 7th Bt., by the dau. of Gen. Elphinstone of Logie Elphinstone; b. 1788; s. 1837. This noble family, originally of Saxon descent, has flourished in Aber-

deensh. for more than five centuries. According to Sir George Mackenzie, they are the king's foresters in the North, carrying the hunting horn in base, with a Highlander in a hunting garb, and a greyhound for supporters. The celebrated Bishop Burnet, a descendant of this family, was the well-known historian of "His own Times." The 1st Bt. was an active Covenanter. The 3rd Bt. opposed in the Scottish parliament the union with the two countries.

*Arms*—Ar., three holly leaves, in chief, vert, and a hunting horn, in base, sa., garnished, gu.

*Seat*—Crathes Castle, Kincardinesh. *Heir pres.*—His bro. Alexander, H.E.I.C.

**MONCRIEFF OF TULLIBALE, KINROSS.** Cr. 1626.—The HON. SIR JAMES MONCRIEFF, 9th Bt.; b. 1776; m. 1808, dau. of Capt. Geo. Robertson, R.N.; s. his fa., the Rev. Sir Henry Moncrieff, an eminent divine of the Church of Scotland, 1827. This very ancient family deduces from Ramerus de Moncrieff, keeper of the wardrobe of Alexander I., in the beginning of the 12th century. In 1495, the family got a charter of the barony of Moncrieff, but in the time of the 2nd Bt. it was alienated. The estate of Tullibole was acquired by an intermarriage with the heiress of John Halliday of Tullibole. The present Bt. is a senator of the College of Justice, under the courtesy title of Lord Moncrieff.

*Arms*—Quarterly, first and fourth, ar., a lion rampant, gu., armed and langued, az., a chief, erm.; second and third, ar., an oak issuing out of a well, in base ppr.

*Seat*—Tullibole, Kincardine.

*Town Residence*—Moray Place, Edinburgh.

*Heir*—His son Henry, in holy orders, of East Kilbride, Lanarksh.; b. 1809, and m. 1838, dau. of Geo. Bell, Esq., Edinburgh.

**OGILVIE OF NEW CARNOUSIE.** Cr. April 24, 1626.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM OGILVIE, 9th Bt.; s. his fa. in 1825; m. to the dau. of J. Grange, Esq. This noble family descends from Sir Walter Ogilvie of

Auchleven, a cadet of the Earls of Airly, who in 1437 m. the dau. and heiress of Sinclair of Deskford and Findlator. Sir William Ogilvie of Strathern, who flourished in 1500, was lord high treasurer of Scotland. Sir Geo. Ogilvie, 5th in descent from Sir Walter, was raised to the dignity of Lord Banff, which title is claimed by the present Bt., who also represents the baronetcies of Boyne and Forglen. The family has intermarried with the noble and ancient houses of Seton, earls of Winton, Urquhart of Cromarty, Irvine of Drum, Keith, earls Marishall, &c. Sir William is a member of the Committee of the Order for Privileges.

*Arms*—Ar., a cross engr., sa., between, in the first and fourth quarters, a lion passant, guardant, gu., crowned, or, and in the second and third, three crescents, likewise gu.

*Seat*—Carnousie, Banffshire.

**GORDON OF LOCHINVAR.** Cr. 1626.—The HON. SIR ADAM GORDON, present Viscount Kenmure, in the peerage of Scotland.

**MURRAY OF CLERMONT, FIFE.** Cr. 1626.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM ROBERT MURRAY, 10th Bt., s. his fa. in 1842. This family is a branch of the house of Blackbarony, by Sir William, the 4th son of Sir A. Murray, of Blackbarony, temp. Queen Mary of Scotland; he received knighthood from James VI., and acquired the estate of Clermont. His only son was the 1st Bt. The family have intermarried with the family of the 1st Earl of Stirling, Johnston of Polton, Elibank, and the 7th Bt. m. the Baroness Bath in her own right. The 8th Bt. was a lieutenant-gen. in the army, and col. of the 50th foot, and m. the dau. and heiress of the 2nd Lord Mulgrave.

*Arms*—Or, a fetterlock, az., within a bordure, embattled, gu., on a chief of the second, three mullets, ar.

*Seat*—Clermont, co. Fife.

**OGILVIE OF INNERQUHARITY, FORFAR.** Cr. 1629.—The HON. SIR JOHN OGILVIE, feudal baron of Innerquharity, and 8th Bt.; s. his fa.

in 1824; m. 1st, 1831, a dau. of the late Lord Henry Howard, and had issue; 2ndly, 1836, a dau. of Thomas Earl of Suffolk. This noble and ancient family deduces its pedigree from Gilchrist, created Earl of Angus by Malcolm Canmore. The 3rd son of the 2nd Earl assumed the name of Ogilvie from his possessions; Sir John, a descendant, obtained from his bro., in the beginning of the 15th century, the lands and barony of Innerquharity, and from him was descended lineally the 1st Bt. The present Bt. is a lieutenant-col. in the Life Guards.

*Arms*—Quarterly, 1st and 4th, ar., a lion passant, guardant, gu., gorged with an open crown, and crowned with a close imperial one, or, for OGILVIE; 2nd and 3rd, ar., an eagle displayed, sa., beaked and membered, gu., for RAMSAY, of Auchterhouse.

*Seat*—Elie Bank, near Dundee.

*Heir ap.*—His son Reginald-Alex.-Howard, master of the barony of Innerquharity.

**MACKAY OF REAY.** Cr. 1627.—The HON. SIR ERIC MACKAY, present Lord Reay, one of the representative peers of Scotland.

**STUART OF BUTE.** Cr. 1627.—The HON. SIR JOHN CREICHTON STUART, present Marquess of Bute and Dumfries. Her majesty's high commissioner to the general assembly of the Church of Scotland in 1842.

**STEWART OF CORSEWALL.** Cr. 1627.—The HON. SIR RANDOLPH STEWART, present Earl of Galloway.

**NAPIER OF NAPIER.** Cr. 1627.—The HON. SIR FRANCIS NAPIER, present Lord Napier.

**CARMICHAEL OF SKIRLING, PEBBLES.** Cr. Feb. 1628.—The HON. SIR THOMAS GIBSON CARMICHAEL, 10th Bt.; s. on the death of his bro.; m. 1st, dau. of Major-Gen. Dundas, of Fengask, and grand-dau. of Earl of Home; 2ndly, 1816, dau. of 8th Lord Napier. The 1st Bt., 5th in direct descent from T. Gibson, temp. James IV., an ancient baron in Fife, was an eminent lawyer, and

promoted to be lord president of the Court of Session. He obtained with the dignity a grant of land in Nova Scotia, six miles in length by three in breadth; his 2nd son, John, was made a knight-banneret at the battle of Worcester, and m. Margaret Hay, of the peerage family of Kin-noul. The 2nd Bt. was a zealous covenanter, temp. Charles I., and was raised to the bench of the Court of Session as Lord Durie. The 9th Bt., grandson of John Gibson, of Durie, and Ellen his wife, dau. of the Hon. Wm. Carmichael, son of the 1st Earl of Hyndford, father of John the 4th earl, assumed, in conformity with an entail, the name of Carmichael. The family have intermarried with the families of Craigs of Riccarton, Murray Lord Balvaird, Murray of Polmaise, &c.

*Arms*—Quarterly, 1st, gu., three keys, fesseways, in pale, or, &c.

*Seats*—Skirling, and Castle Craig, Peebles.

*Heir ap.*—His son.

**COCKBURN OF COCKBURN, NEW BRUNSWICK;** cr. 1627.—and feudal baron of Langton, Berwickshire.—The HON. SIR JAMES COCKBURN, 5th Bt. G.C.H., s. his fa. in 1804; m. dau. of John, 13th Visct. Hereford, and has an only dau., m. to Major the Hon. Sir James J. Hamilton, Bt. of Woodbrook. Sir James is a major-gen. in the army, was under secretary of state in 1806, governor and commander-in-chief at Curacoa in 1807, governor and commander-in-chief of the Bermuda Islands in 1811, and is at present paymaster-gen. of the Marines. The founder of this noble and ancient family, which enjoys hereditarily the office of principal usher of Scotland, was Alexander de Cockburn, who obtained the barony of Carriden, in Linlithgowsh., from David II., in 1358. He m. Mary de Vetri Ponte, heiress of Langtoun, and had Sir Alexander, keeper of the great seal between 1389 and 1396. The family have intermarried with the Elphinstones, Lord Elphinstone, Campbells, Earls of Breadalbane, &c.

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*Arms*—Quarterly, 1st and 4th, ar., three cocks, gu., for COCKBURN; 2nd and 3rd, six mascles, or, three, two, and one, for DE VETRI PONTE.

*Seat*—Langton, Berwicksh.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Admiral Sir George, P.C. and G.C.B.

**CAMPBELL OF ABERURCHILL, PERTSHIRE.** Cr. 13th Dec. 1627.—The HON. SIR JAMES CAMPBELL, son of Sir Aby Campbell, the previous Bt.; b. 1818; m. 1840, eldest dau. of Rear-Admiral Sir Robert Bromley, Bt.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, gyronny of eight, or and sa.; 2nd, ar., a galley, her sails furled, and oars in action, sa.; 3rd, a fesse, chequy, az. and ar.

*Residences*—Kilbryde Castle, Perthshire; 5, Windsor Street, Edinburgh.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Alex. L. G. Campbell.

**ACHESON OF MONTEAGLE;** cr. 1628, present Earl of Gosford, and late governor-general of Canada.

**CAMPBELL OF AUCHINBRECK, ARGYLL.** Cr. 21st March, 1628.—The HON. SIR THOMAS CAMPBELL, s. in 1812. The founder of this noble family was Sir Duncan Campbell, Lord of Lochow, progenitor of the Dukes of Argyll. The 1st Bt. m. the dau. of Sir Alex. Erskine, of Grogar, son of the Earl of Mar, and bro. of the Earl of Kelly; the family have intermarried also with the families of Blair, Balcarras, &c. &c. The 2nd Bt. fell in an action against the Marquess of Montrose, 1645.

*Arms*—Gyronny of eight, or and sa., within a bordure, gobony, vert and ar., the last charged with eight ermine spots of the second.

*Seat*—Auchinbreck Castle, Argyllsh.

**INNES OF BALVENY, BANFF.** Cr. 1628.—The HON. SIR JAMES INNES, 11th Bt.; s. his bro. 1838. This noble family is of great antiquity in Scotland, and has produced several peerage houses. Its founder was Walter Innes, Lord Innermarkie. The 5th baron was the 1st Bt. At the death of the 8th Bt. the title reverted to the lineal descendant of the great uncle of the 1st Bt.

*Arms*—Ar., a sword, in pale, az., hilted and pommelled, or, between three stars of six points, of the second.  
*Seat*—Edengight House, N.B.

**CAMPBELL OF NEW ARDNA-MURCHAN.** Cr. 1628. The HON. SIR JOHN CAMPBELL, 7th Bt.; s. his fa. 1834; m. Hannah Elizabeth, dau. of Macleod of Rasay, and has issue. This noble family descends from the Campbells of Calder.

*Arms*—Quarterly, 1st, or, a stag's head, cab., sa.; 2nd, ar., a galley, sa.; 3rd, gyronny of eight, or, and sa.; 4th, a fesse, chequy, az. and ar.

*Seat*—Airds House, Argyllsh.

*Residence*—Edinburgh.

*Heir ap.*—His son John Wm., b. 1836.

**HOPE OF CRAIGHALL, FIFE.** Cr. 1628.—The HON. SIR JOHN HOPE, 11th Bt.; s. his half bro., 1801; b. 1781; m. 1805, 4th dau. of Sir J. Wedderburn of Balindean. The founder of this noble family, John de Hope, came from France with the Queen of James I., and settled at Craighall. His great grandson was the 1st Bt.; was lord advocate; and was the only commoner ever honoured with the dignified office of commissioner and representative of majesty in the general assembly of the Church of Scotland. It is an extraordinary circumstance, that three of his sons were elevated to the bench, and that he, as lord advocate, pleaded before them.

*Arms*—Az., a chev., or, between three bezants.

*Seats*—Pinkie House, and Craighall, Edinburgh.

*Heir*—His son Archibald.

**PRESTON OF VALLEYFIELD, PERTH.** Cr. 1637.—The HON. SIR ROBERT PRESTON, 7th Bt.; b. 1757; m. his cousin, dau. of John Preston, Esq. of Gorton; s. 1835. The name of this very ancient family was taken from that of their possessions in the time of Malcolm Canmore. The early founders were very eminent, and conspicuous in public affairs. Baron Dingwall, cr. 1609, sprang from a younger branch, and he m. the only surviving child of the 10th Earl of Ormonde and

Ossory. Her only child, Baroness Dingwall, m. 12th Earl of Ormonde. afterwards Duke of Ormonde. The 2nd Duke was attained, 1715, but it is matter of doubt whether the dignity of barony of Dingwall has not reverted to the heir general of the 1st lord. In 1544, James Preston acquired the barony of Valleyfield; his great great grandson was the first Bt. On the death of the 6th Bt., 1834, the whole male descendants became extinct, and the title devolved on the nearest collateral heir male, the present Bt., who was great grandson of Robert Preston, who was a lord of session, who was duly served heir. The family have interm. with that of Lord Sempill, Erskine of Balgonie, Lumsden of Innergelly, of Lord Cochrane, Dundas of Arniston, Johnstone of Annandale, &c.

*Arms*—Ar., three unicorns' heads, erased, sa., within a bordure, az.

*Seat*—Lutton, Lincolnshire.

*Heir*—His son, a major in the army.

**RIDDELL OF RIDDELL, ROXBURGHSH.** Cr. 1628.—The HON. SIR WALTER BUCHANAN RIDDELL, 10th Bt.; s. his fa., 1829; b. 1810; is a barrister-at-law. The family is of Norman extraction, from the fact of one of the companions of the Conqueror being entered in the roll of Battle Abbey, Sieur de Riddell. The earliest who settled in Scotland was Gervasius de Riddell, the earliest high sheriff of the co. of Roxburgh. The oldest crown charter known to exist was granted to the family, 1126 and 1153. The patent to the 1st Bt. contained a grant of a barony in Nova Scotia.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev., gu., between three ears of rye, ppr., slipped, vert.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. John Charles Buchanan.

**MURRAY OF BLACKBARONY, PEBBLES.** Cr. 1628.—The HON. SIR ARCHIBALD MURRAY. The present Bt. is a colonel in the army, and is the head of a distinct branch of the noble and wide-spreading house of Murray. His ancestors figure in much of the Border history.



*Arms*—Ar., a fetterlock, az., in a chief of the last, three stars of the first.

*Residence*—Lower Berkeley Street, London.

**FORBES OF CASTLE FORBES.** Cr. 1628.—The HON. SIR GEORGE ARTHUR FORBES, present Earl of Granard, in the peerage of Ireland.

**STUART OF OCHILTREE.** Cr. 1628.—The HON. SIR ROBERT STUART, present Earl of Castlestuart, in the peerage of Ireland.

**BRUCE OF STENHOUSE, STIRLINGSH.** Cr. 1629.—The HON. SIR MICHAEL BRUCE, 7th Bt.; s. his fa., 1827; m. Isabella, dau. and heiress of Moir of Scotstown. This family is sprung from the same illustrious stock as King Robert Bruce—viz., from Sir Robert le Brus, who came into England with William the Conqueror. They have interm. with the houses of Livingstone Lord L., Douglas of Cavers, Agnew of Lochnaw, Cunningham-Fairlie of Robertland, &c. Sir Michael is a member of the Committee of the Baronetage for Privileges.

*Arms*—Or, a saltier and chief, gu., in the dexter canton an escutcheon, ar., charged with a chief, sa.

**NICOLSON OF NICOLSON AND LASSWADE, EDINBURGH.** Cr. 1629.—The HON. SIR ARTHUR NICOLSON, 7th Bt., was served heir to the family as heir male in 1826, and as such inherits the title.

*Arms*—Or, three falcons' heads, erased, gu.

*Residence*—Shetland.

**AGNEW OF LOCHNAW, WIGTOUNSH.** Cr. 1629.—The HON. SIR ANDREW AGNEW, Baron of Lochnaw, 7th Bt., and chief of his name; s. his grandfa. in 1809; m. Madalene, dau. of Sir David Carnagie, Bt., and has issue. This noble family is very ancient in Scotland, and for many generations were hereditary sheriffs of the co. of Wigtoun. Sir Andrew represented his co. in the last parliament.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev. betw. two cinquefoils, in chief, gu., and a saltier, coupé, in base, az.

*Seat*—Lochnaw Castle, Stranraer, Wigtounshire.

*Heir ap.*—His eldest son Andrew, Master of Lochnaw.

**FORBES OF CRAIGIEVAR, ABERDEEN.** Cr. 1630.—The HON. SIR JOHN FORBES; s. as 6th Bt., 1816; b. 1785; m. 1825, a dau. of the Right Hon. Gen. Lord Forbes. This family is a branch of the peerage house of Forbes; it springs from the Hon. Pat. Forbes, of Corse, armour-bearer to Jas. III., 3rd son of the 2nd Lord Forbes, by the dau. of the 1st Earl Mareschal. His grandson was for 17 years, as Bishop of Aberdeen, a distinguished ornament of the Reformed Church. The 1st Bt. was an active parliamentarian, and was one of the commissioners for planting kirks; one of the committee of estates, and a commissioner for selling malignants' estates, and afterwards sheriff of Aberdeen. The mother of the present Bt. was eldest dau. of the 12th Lord Sempill.

*Arms*—Az., a cross-pattée, fitchée, betw. three bears' heads, coupé, ar., muzzled, sa.

*Seats*—Fentray House, and Craigievar Castle, N.B.

*Heir*—His son.

**CROSBIE OF MARYBOROUGH, QUEEN'S CO.** Cr. 1630.—The HON. SIR EDWARD WILLIAM CROSBIE, 6th Bt., son of the 5th Bt., by dau. of W<sup>c</sup> Westenra, Esq., aunt of 2nd Lord Rossmore; b. 1794; m. 1831, dau. of J. Walsh, Esq., Dublin; s. 1798.

*Seat*—Bray, co. Wicklow.

**SIBBALD OF RANKEILLOR, SIBBALD.** Cr. 1630.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM SIBBALD, in whom the title was revived by a special service on the 31st May, 1831, having become dormant on the decease of the 2nd Bt., Sir James. This family is very ancient in Fife, and boasts of very high lineage.

*Seat*—Rankeillor, Sibbald.

**RICHARDSON OF PENCAITLAND, HADDINGTONSH.** Cr. 1630.—The HON. SIR JOHN RICHARDSON, 13th Bt., s. a distant relative, Sir John, 12th Bt., who died in 1821,

after a dormancy, by the verdict of a special jury, 9th Jan. 1837. Free Baron of Pencaitland. Sir John is m. to Mary, dau. of the late J. Hay, Esq. of Collieston, and Lady Mary, dau. of George, 8th Earl of Dalhousie, and has issue.

*Seat*—Pelfour Castle, Perth, N.B.

*Heir ap.*—His son James Thomas.

**CUNNINGHAM-FAIRLIE OF ROBERTLAND, AYRSHIRE.** Cr. 1630.—The HON. SIR JOHN CUNNINGHAM-FAIRLIE, 7th Bt.; s. his bro. in 1837; m. to Janet-Lucretia, dau. of John Wallace, Esq. of Kelly, but has no issue. This noble and ancient family descend from William, 2nd son of the first Earl of Glencairn. The first Bt. was master of the works to James I. Sir William, 4th Bt., m. the dau. and heiress of the ancient family of Fairlie, of Fairlie. Sir John is a member of the Committee of the Order for Privileges.

*Arms*—Ar., a shake-fork, sa., betw. a bugle horn in chief, and two towers in base of the last.

*Seat*—Fairlie House, Kilmarnock.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Charles, who m. dau. of the Hon. Sir W. Call, Bt., and has issue, two sons and two daus.

**WARDLAW OF PITREAVIE, FIFE-SHIRE.** Cr. 1631.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM WARDLAW, 13th Bt.; s. his bro. in 1833. This noble family is of Anglo-Saxon origin, and was amongst those that fled into Scotland at the period of the Norman Conquest. Sir Henry Wardlaw, knight of Torrie, m. a niece of Walter, the Great Steward of Scotland, and was the father of Andrew, his successor, who m. the heiress of Lochor, and the celebrated Cardinal Wardlaw. Henry Archbishop of St. Andrew's, 2nd son of Andrew, was the chief stay of the throne, and one of the greatest men of his age. This munificent prelate founded the University of St. Andrew's, and built a bridge over the mouth of the Eden. The family have intermarried with the Lindsays of Byre, Skene of Hallyards, Halket of Pitferrane, Rolland of Craighouse, &c.

*Arms*—Quarterly, 1st and 4th, az., three mascles, or, for WARDLAW; 2nd and 3rd, az., three water-bouquets, for VALANCE OF LOCHORE.

*Seat*—Pitreavie, Fifeshire.

*Residence*—Edinburgh.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Archibald.

**SINCLAIR OF CANNISBY.** Cr. 1631.—The HON. SIR ALEXANDER SINCLAIR, present Earl of Caithness.

**GORDON OF EMBO, SUTHERLAND.** Cr. 1631.—The HON. SIR ORFORD GORDON, 9th Bt.; s. his bro. 1804; m. 1813, dau. of Lieut.-Gen. Gore Browne, col. of the 44th regt. This noble and ancient family is a branch of the ducal family of Gordon, Adam Gordon, Dean of Caithness, being the 3rd son of the 1st Earl of Huntly; he mar. the heiress of Sutherland, temp. beginning of the 16th century. His great-grandson was the 1st Bt. The family have intermarried with the peerage family of Duffus, &c.

*Arms*—Az., three boars' heads, erased, or.

*Seat*—Embo, Sutherland.

*Heir*—His son William Home.

**MCLEAN OF MORVAREN, ARGYLL.** Cr. 13th Feb. 1632.—The HON. SIR FITZROY GRAFTON MCLEAN, 8th Bt.; s. his bro. 1818; m. 1st, the widow of J. Bishop, Esq. of Barbadoes; and 2ndly, the widow of H. Champion, of Malling Deanery, Sussex; is a lieut.-gen. in the army, and col. of the 44th regt. of foot. The 1st, 2nd, and 4th Bts. were active supporters of the Stuart family. The present Bt. is chief of the McLeans.

*Arms*—Quarterly, 1st, ar., a rock, gu.; 2nd, ar., a dexter hand, fesseways, coupéd, gu., holding a cross-crosslett fitchée, in pale, az.; 3rd, or, a lymphad, sa.; 4th, ar., a salmon, naïant, ppr., in chief, two eagles' heads, erased, affrontée, gu.

*Heir*—His son Charles Fitzroy, lieut.-col. in the army; mar. 1831, dau. of the Hon. and Rev. Dr. Marsham, Canon of Windsor, uncle of the Earl of Romney.

**BALFOUR OF DENMILN, FIFE-SHIRE.** Cr. 1633.—The HON. SIR

**PATRICK BALFOUR**, 8th Bt.; s. his bro. This noble family takes its name from the barony and castle of Balfour; and so early as 1229, we find Ingelramus de Balfour, Vicecomes de Fife, a witness to a charter to the Monastery of Aberbrothwick. The 1st Bt., Sir James, was an antiquary, and held the office of lord lion, king of arms. They have interm. with the Durhams of Pitkerro, Moncrieffs of Kiedie, Ross of Craigie, &c.

*Arms*—Or, on a chev., sa, between three cinquefoils, vert, an otter's head, erased, of the field.

*Seat*—Denmilen, Fifeshire.

**BINGHAM OF CASTLEBAR**. Cr. 1634.—The HON. SIR GEO. CHAS. BINGHAM, present Earl of Lucan, in the peerage of Ireland.

**MONRO OF FOULIS, ROSS**. Cr. 1634.—The HON. SIR HUGH MONRO, s. as 8th Bt., on the death of his fa. in 1781; m. dau. of Alex. Law, Esq. of London. The 1st of the name of Foulis d. in 1126, and from him lineally descended Hector Monro, 19th Baron of Foulis, the 1st Bt.

*Arms*—Or, an eagle's head, erased, gu., quartering SEYMOUR; viz., quarterly, 1st and 4th, or, on a pile, gu., betw. six fleurs-de-lis, az., three lions of England; 2nd and 3rd, gu., two wings conjoined, in lure, the tips downwards, or.

*Seat*—Foulis, Ross-shire.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. George.

**FOULIS OF COLLINTON, EDINBURGH**. Cr. 1634.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM FOULIS, 8th Bt.; s. his fa. 1842. The family is of Norman origin, and came into England at the Conquest; the name is derived from the feuilles or leaves on their armorial bearings, and likely assumed temp. Malcolm Canmore. The 1st Bt. was connected by m. to the progenitor of the Marquess of Bute, and his dau. was m. to the 1st Earl of Haddington. The 2nd Bt. was lord justice clerk in Scotland. The 3rd Bt. was much opposed to the Union; he afterwards was in the British parliament. The present

Bt. represents the houses of Colinton, Woodhall, and Ravelston.

*Arms*—Az., three bay-leaves, slipped, vert.

*Seat*—Woodhall, near Edinburgh.

**HAMILTON OF HAMILTON**. Cr. 1635.—The HON. SIR ROBERT M. HAMILTON, present Lord Belhaven and Stenton.

**PILKINGTON OF STAINLIE, YORKSH.** Cr. 1635.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM PILKINGTON, 8th Bt.; s. his fa. 1811; m. 1823, 2nd dau. and co-heir of Thomas Swinnerton, Esq. of Butterton Hall, Stafford. This noble family is of very ancient origin in the co. of Lancaster, and were of repute before the Conquest; the first of the family on record is Leonard Pilkington, temp. Hen. I., and from him sprang the Bishop of Durham, 1560, and the first and subsequent Baronets.

*Arms*—Ar., a cross, flory, voided, gu.

*Seats*—Chevet Hall, Yorksh.; and Monaston, Monmouthsh.

*Heir*—His son Thomas.

**HAY OF SMITHFIELD, PEEBLES**, Cr. 1635. — The HON. SIR ADAM HAY, 7th Bt.; b. 1795; m. 1823, a dau. of the late Wm. Grant, of Congalton, Haddington. Lord John Hay, of Yester, m. a dau. of Dickson, baron of Smithfield, and became proprietor of Smithfield in 1525. The 1st Bt. was esquire of the body of James VI., and, like the other Bts., had a grant of 16,000 acres in Nova Scotia, which was erected into the barony and regality of Smithfield. The patrimonial property was completely reduced, temp. 3rd Bt., and the baronetcy lay dormant from 1683 till 1805, when it was revived in the person of Sir James Hay, of Hayston. The present Bt. is one of the partners in the well-known banking house of Sir William Forbes and Co.

*Arms*—Ar., three inescutcheons, gu., borne on surtout above the arms of GIFFORD and FRASER, quartered.

*Seats*—Hayston, and Kingsmeadows, Peeblesh.

*Residence*—Atholl Cres., Edinburgh.

*Heir*—His son John William,

**BROWNE OF THE NEALE, MAYO.** Cr. 1636.—The HON. SIR JOHN CAVENTISH BROWNE. Cr. a peer of Ireland, as Baron Kilmaine, 1789.

**ABERCROMBY OF BIRKENBOG, BANFFSH.** Cr. 1636.—The HON. SIR ROBERT ABERCROMBY, 5th Bt., Feudal Baron of Birkenbog and Gaulcross, and Chief of the Clan of Abercromby. This noble family, which has produced various eminent individuals, and more especially the late gallant General Sir Ralph Abercromby, descend from Humphredus de Abercromby, son of Abercromby of that Ilk, who obtained a charter to the estates of Harthill and Ardun, from Robert I. The 1st Bt. was "a main covenanter." The 4th Bt. m. the eldest dau. of Alexander, 7th Lord Banff, who inherited the estates on the death of her brother. Sir Robert m. the dau. and heiress of Samuel Douglas, Esq. of Netherlaw, and has five sons and eight daus. He is a member of the Committee of the Order for Privileges.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev., gu., betw. three boars' heads, erased, az.

*Seats*—Ferglen House, Turriff, Banffsh.; Netherlaw, Kircudbrightsh.; Fermoy, co. Cork; and Coates Crescent, Edinburgh.

**SINCLAIR OF STEVENSTON, HADDINGTON.** Cr. 1636.—The HON. SIR JOHN GORDON SINCLAIR, 8th Bt.; s. his fa. 1795; m. 1812, dau. of the late Admiral the Hon. Michael de Courcy. This noble family has a common origin with the other Sinclairs in Scotland. Walderness Compte de Sancto Claro, m. Helena, cousin of William the Conqueror, and accompanied him in 1066. His son was steward to Queen Margaret in Scotland, and afterwards obtained the Barony of Roslin &c. from Malcolm Canmore. From him lineally descended was the 1st Bt., who purchased Stevenston, &c. His descendants were distinguished as holding public offices and seats on the bench, and has interm. with the noble families of Boyd, Haddington, Ker, Blair, and the ducal family of Gordon.

*Arms*—Quarterly, 1st and 4th, az., a ship, her sails furled, within a double tressure, counterflory, or; 2nd and 3rd, a lion ramp., gu.

*Seat*—Stevenston, Haddington.

*Heir*—His son Robert.

**CURZON OF KEDLESTONE.** Cr. 1636.—The HON. SIR NATHANIEL CURZON, present. Lord Scarsdale.

**CRAWFURD-POLLOK OF JORDANHILL, RENFREWSHIRE.** Cr. 1638.—The HON. SIR ROBERT CRAWFURD-POLLOK, feudal Baron of Kilbirnie, and 8th Bt.; s. his fa.; m. dau. of Dr. Mushat, but has no issue; is the 19th chief of his family, in a direct line from Gualternus de Crawford, ancestor of the houses of Kilbirnie and Jordanhill. This noble and ancient family is of the same stock as the Viscounts of Garnock, and Earls of Crawford and Lindsay. Capt. Thomas Crawford, the first of the Jordanhill branch, surprised and took the castle of Dumbarton for King James VI., in 1671, and for their crest, the family since bear the castle of Dumbarton, in commemoration of the gallant exploit. A full account of the life and actions of Capt. Crawford is given by the historian Buchanan. The 1st Bt. was created for his distinguished loyalty to King Charles I. They have interm. with the Kers of Kersland, Lockharts of Lee, Barclays of Kilbirnie, Pollocks of Pollok, &c.

*Arms*—Qu., 1st and 4th, gu., a fesse, erm., for Crawford; 2nd and 3rd, az., a chev., between three cross-pattées, or, for BARCLAY.

*Seat*—Pollok Castle, by Newton of Mearns, Renfrewshire.

*Heir pres.*—His nephew Henry Crawford.

**MUSGRAVE OF HAYTON, GLOUCESTERSH.** Cr. 1639.—The HON. SIR JAMES MUSGRAVE, 9th Bt.; s. his fa. 1814; b. 1785; and is m. This is a branch of the Musgraves of Edenhall, a very ancient and noble family of Cumberland. The 1st Bt. was a distinguished supporter of the royal cause, and was made colonel of a regiment by Charles I. After

the defeat of Charles II. at Worcester, he fled to the north of Scotland, and thereafter to the Isle of Man. Hayton Castle was rebuilt by the 2nd Bt.

*Arms*—Az., six annulets, three, two, and one, or.

*Seat*—Barnsley Park, Gloster.

*Heir ap.*—His eldest son.

**TURING OF FOVERAN, ABERDEEN.** Cr. 1639. The HON. SIR JAMES TURING; s. to the title 1831; m. and has issue.

*Residence*—Rotterdam.

**GORDON OF HADDO.** Cr. 1642. The HON. SIR GEORGE HAMILTON GORDON, K.T., present Earl of Aberdeen.

**HAMILTON OF SILVERTON HILL, LANARKSH.** Cr. 1646.—The HON. SIR FREDERICK HAMILTON, 5th Bt., was collector of revenues at Benares; s. his grandfa.; m. Eliza Ducarel, dau. of John Collie, M.D. of Calcutta, and has issue. Sir Frederick is the lineal representative and chief of the senior branch of the house of Hamilton in Scotland, being descended from Alexander de Hamilton, 2nd son of Sir James Hamilton, lord of Cadyow, and bro. of Sir James, afterwards Lord Hamilton, ancestor of the present Duke. This Alexander, in a charter of settlement of the Hamilton estates, was called next in succession after his bro.'s dau. Elizabeth, and his illegitimate sons. Andrew Hamilton of Silvertown Hill had a charter to the lands of Newton, Braconrig, &c., in 1541. The 1st Bt. was a steady loyalist and supporter of King Charles I. The family have interm. with those of Douglas, Baillie, Lord Belhaven, Pier Williams, &c.

*Arms*—Gu., three cinquefoils, erm., within a bordure of the last.

*Seat*—Silvertown Hill.

*Residence*—Cumberland Pl., London.

*Heir ap.*—His eldest son, Robert North Collie, assist.-judge and magistrate of Benares.

**SETON OF ABERCORN, LINTHOGW.** Cr. 1648.—The HON.

**SIR HENRY JOHN SETON.** This ancient and eminent family deduces its descent from Dougal de Seton, temp. King Edgar, son of Malcolm III. From him was lineally descended Sir Christopher, or Christall Seton, who m. a sister of King Robert Bruce; he was put to death in London by King Edward, but all the possessions were inherited by his son, who fell at Kinghorn, 1332. His descendant Sir John, afterwards Lord Seton, was progenitor of the Earls of Winton, and his bro. by m. obtained the estates of Gordon, Huntly, &c., and was created a lord of parliament. His son, Lord Gordon, m. a dau. of Lord Keith, and by a 2nd marriage acquired Touch, &c.; he m. 3rdly, a dau. of Crichton, lord chancellor of Scotland. He was created 1445, Earl of Huntly; by a 2nd patent, the son of the 3rd m. s. to the peerage, whilst Alex., by the 2nd m., got Touch, Tillibody, &c. This Alex., Knt., was armour-bearer to James III., and m. dau. of Earl Mar. The 1st Bt. in 1662 acquired by charter the barony of Abercorn.

*Arms*—Quar., 1st and 4th, or, three crescents, within a double tressure, counterfory, gu., and in the centre a man's heart distilling blood, for SETON; second and third, ar., three escutcheons, gu.

**PRIMROSE OF CHESTER.** Cr. 1651.—The HON. SIR ARCHIBALD JOHN PRIMROSE, present Earl of Roseberry.

**OGILVIE OF BARRAS, KINCARDINE.** Cr. 1661.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM OGILVIE, 7th Bt.; s. the last Bt. 1837. This is a younger branch of the noble family of Innerquharly Bts. The 1st Bt. was the lineal descendant, and m. the dau. of the Hon. John Douglas of Barras, which estate he purchased. During the civil war he was governor of Dunottar Castle, wherein the regalia of Scotland had been deposited. He was the means of preserving these valuable insignia by getting them conveyed away by

Mrs. Grainger, wife of the minister of Kinnesse, and for his fidelity he was after the Restoration created a Bt.

*Arms*—A lion passant, guardant, gu., gorged with an open crown and crowned.

*Seat*—Barras, Kincardinesh.

**CARNEGIE OF SOUTHESK, FORFAR.** Cr. 1663.—The HON. SIR JAMES CARNEGIE; s. as 6th Bt., 1805; m. 1825, dau. of the Rev. D. Lyons, of Hempstead Court, Gloucestersh. The name of the family was assumed from that of the barony of Carnegie. John Carnegie, temp. 1280, was ancestor of the family. Sir John of Kinnaird, Knt., from his great abilities and political knowledge, took part in most of the public transactions during the regency of Chatelherault. He was a judge in the court of session by the title of Lord Southesk. He and his predecessors were cupbearers to the kings of Scotland, and bore a golden cup on the breast of an eagle, as an armorial mark of office. His eldest son was a faithful adherent of Queen Mary. His nephew David, also a senator of the College of Justice, was elevated to the peerage by the title of Lord Carnegie, 1616, and created Earl Southesk, 1633. His lordship's bro. was created Earl of Northesk, 1639. The Earl Southesk adhered to Charles I., and was amerced in 3000*l.* by Cromwell, in 1654. The earldom, after being in the persons of five, suffered attainder 1715, and the representation of the family devolved on Sir James Carnegie, M.P., 4th Bt.; and he and his successor repurchased the greater part of the family possessions.

*Arms*—Or, an eagle displayed, az., armed and beaked, gu.

*Seats*—South Esk and Kinnaird, N.B.

*Heir*—His son James, b. 1827.

**HAY OF PARK, WIGTOUN.** Cr. 1663.—The HON. SIR JOHN HAY, 7th Bt., b. 1799; s. his cousin 1801; called to the Scottish bar, 1821; is sheriff sub. of Stirling; m. 1836, dau. of J. Cousins, Esq. of Weymouth, by his wife, dau. of the

21st Lord Chudley. The founder of this family was a cadet of the peerage family of Erroll, and the estate of Park was in the male line from the Reformation till 1794. The family have interm. with the peerage and the noble families of Hamilton, Agnew, Maxwell, Blair, &c.

*Arms*—Ar., three escutcheons, within a bordure, gu.

*Residence*—Stirling.

*Heir*—His son Lewis Audley.

**MURRAY OF STANHOPE, PEEBLES.** Cr. 1664.—The HON. SIR JOHN MURRAY, 9th Bt.; s. his bro.; m. dau. of Adam Callender of Craigforth. Sir David Murray descended from John Murray of Falahill, by Lady Margaret Hepburn, acquired the estate of Stanhope, and was knighted by Charles I.; he m. the dau. of John, Earl of Wigtoun, and his son was the 1st Bt. He m. a dau. of the Earl of Hartfell, and the 2nd Bt. m. a dau. of the Earl of Kincardine. The 4th Bt. was implicated in the rising of 1745, received sentence of death at York, but this was commuted into banishment, and the family estates were sold. John Murray, secretary to Prince Charles, assumed the title after the act of reversal.

*Arms*—Quarterly, 1st and 4th, ar., a hunting horn, sa., stringed and garn., gu., on a chief, az., three stars of the field, as descended from MURRAY of Phillipshaugh; second, az., three frasers, ar., for FRASER; third, ar., on a chief, gu., three crescents, or.

*Seat*—Stanhope, Peebles.

**DALRYMPLE OF STAIR, AYRSH.** Cr. 1664.—The HON. SIR JOHN HAMILTON DALRYMPLE, present Earl of Stair.

**SINCLAIR OF LONGFORMACUS, BERWICK.** Cr. 1664.—The HON. SIR JOHN SINCLAIR, 7th Bt.; s. 1798. The descent of this family is the same as the Sinclairs of Stevenston, and the progenitor, a younger branch of the family, flourished temp. Robert Bruce. The first Bt. was a steady loyalist; he m. 1st, the heiress of Douglas; and

2ndly, dau. of Viscount Canada, and grand-dau. of the Earl of Stirling.

*Arms*—Quarterly, 1st, az., a ship, her sails furled, within a double tressure, counterflory, or; 2nd and 3rd, or, a lion ramp., gu.

*Seat*—Longformacus, Berwicksh.

**PURVES OF PURVES, BERWICK.** Cr. July 6, 1665.—The HON. SIR HUGH PURVES HUME CAMPBELL, 7th Bt.; b. 1812; m. 1834, Margaret, dau. of J. Spottiswoode, of Spottiswoode. The 1st Bt., Sir William Purves, was an eminent lawyer, and solicitor-general for Scotland, in which he was s. by his son, the 2nd Bt.; the 4th Bt. m. the eldest dau. of the Earl of Marchmont (dormant). The 6th Bt. assumed the additional surname of Hume-Campbell, on succeeding to the estates of his maternal family. The present Bt. is M.P. for Berwicksh.

*Arms*—Quarterly, 1st and 4th, vert, a lion ramp., ar.; 2nd and 3rd, ar., three popinjays, vert, &c.

*Seat*—Marchmont House, Berwicksh.

**MALCOLM OF BALBEADIE,** FIFE. Cr. 1665.—The HON. SIR JOHN MALCOLM; s. his fa. at his death. The baronetcy had been dormant for many years, but was revived by the grandfa. of the present Bt. in 1795.

*Arms*—Or, a cross, saltier, az., between three stags' heads, coupéd, gu.

*Seat*—Balbeadie, Fife.

**MENZIES OF THAT ILK,** PERTSH. Cr. 1666.—The HON. SIR NIEL MENZIES, Baron of Menzies, Rannach, &c., 6th Bt.; s. his fa. in 1814; chief of the clan Menzies; lieut.-col. of the Royal Highland Perthsh. local militia; hon. sec. to the Highland and Agricultural Society of Scotland. This noble and very ancient family has flourished in Perthsh. from the reign of Malcolm Canmore. Sir Robert de Mengues, in 1487, had a charter erecting, *de novo*, his whole lands into a free barony. They have interm. with the Campbells of

Glenorchy, ancestors of the Marquess of Breadalbane, and the Argyll, Bute, and Atholl families. Sir Niel m. 1st, a dau. of Balfour of Fernie, and 2ndly, a dau. of the Hon. F. Norton, baron of the Exchequer, and has issue. He is a member of the Committee of the Baronetage for Privileges.

*Arms*—Ar., a chief, gu.

*Seats*—Castle Menzies, Dunkeld; Kannoek Lodge and Foss House, Perthsh.; and Leaston, East Lothian.

*Heir ap.*—His eldest son Robert, Master of Menzies.

**DALZIEL OF GLENÆ.** Cr. 1666.—The HON. SIR THOMAS HENRY DALZIEL, present Earl of Carnwath.

**ERSKINE OF ALVA.** Cr. 1666. The HON. SIR JAMES ALEXANDER ST. CLAIR ERSKINE, present Earl of Rosslyn.

**ELLIOTT OF STOBS, ROXBURGHSH.** Cr. 1666.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM FRANCIS ELLIOTT; s. his fa. as 7th Bt., 1812; m. 1826, dau. of the late Hon. Sir Alex. Boswell, Bt. The 3rd Bt. was fa. of Gen. Elliott, created Lord Heathfield (extinct), for his bravery and gallant defence of Gibraltar, 1787.

*Arms*—Gu., on a bend, engr., or, a baton, az.

*Seat*—Stobs Castle, Roxburghsh.

*Heir*—His son.

**RAMSAY OF BAMFF, PERTSH.** Cr. 1666.—The HON. SIR JAMES RAMSAY, 8th Bt.; b. 1797; s. his fa. 1807; m. 1828, only dau. and heiress of John Hope Oliphant, Esq., first in council of the Prince of Wales Island, by the 2nd dau. of the late Hon. Sir John Wedderburn, Bt. of Balindean. From George Ramsay of Bamff, a descendant of Baron Adam de Ramsay, who submitted to Edward I. of England, sprang Sir Gilbert Ramsay, Knt., who was the 1st Bt.

*Arms*—Ar., an eagle, displayed, sa., charged on the breast with a rose, of the field, beaked and membered, gu.

*Seat*—Bamff House, Perthsh.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. George, m. to a dau. of Capt. Lennon.

**STIRLING OF GLORAT, STIRLINGS.** Cr. 1666.—The HON. SIR SAMUEL STIRLING; s. his fa. as 7th Bt. The founder of this family, Sir John Stirling, Knt., 1430, was armour-bearer to James I. of Scotland, and obtained by m. with the dau. of the laird of Galbraith the estate of Glorat, and from him descended the line of Bts.

*Arms*—Ar., a bend, engr., az., charged with three buckles, or, within a double tressure, counterflory, with thistles, vert; on a chief, gu., a naked arm issuing out of a cloud from the sinister side, grasping a sword in pale, and therewith guarding an imperial crown, placed in the dexter chief point, PPF.

*Seat*—Glorat, Stirlingsh.

**SHAW-STEWART OF BLACKHALL AND GREENOCK.** Cr. 1667.—The HON. SIR JOHN MAXWELL, 7th Bt.; s. his fa. in 1836. This noble family descend from Sir John Stewart of Ardgowan, an illegitimate son of King Robert III.: they have interm. with the Blairs of Blair, the Houstons of Houston, Maxwells of Sprinkell, &c. The 6th Bt. was M.P. for Renfrewsh., and his sister Margaret is the present Duchess of Somerset.

*Arms*—Quarterly, 1st and 4th, or, a fesse chequy, az. and ar., over all a lion ramp. gu., for STEWART; 2nd and 3rd, az., three covered cups, or, for SHAW of Greenock.

*Seat*—Ardgowan, Renfrewsh.

**DON OF NEWTON, BERWICK.** Cr. 1667.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM HENRY, 7th Bt.; b. 1825; s. his fa. Sir Alexander, who was married 2ndly to Miss Stein of Heriot Row, Edinburgh.

*Arms*—Vert, on a fesse, ar., three mascles, sa.

*Seat*—Newton-Don, Kelso, Berwickshire.

**DOUGLAS OF KELHEAD, DUMFRIESHIRE.** Cr. 1668.—The HON. SIR JOHN DOUGLAS, present Marquess of Queensberry.

**BARCLAY OF PIERSTON, Ayrshire.** Cr. 2nd Oct. 1668.—The HON. SIR ROBERT, 9th Bt.; b. 1819,

son of Major Robert Brydges Barclay, by the niece of Admiral Graves; s. his grand-fa. in this dignity, 1829; his grand-fa. suffered imprisonment for some time in France, for a supposed mission to the Hague in 1796-98, but was released by Napoleon, then Consul of the Republic. The family trace their ancestors as flourishing in Ayrshire in the 12th century.

*Arms*—Az., a chev., between three crosses-patée, or.

*Seat*—Pierston, Ayrshire.

*Heir pres.*—His brother.

**WALLACE-DUNLOP OF CRAIGIE, Ayrshire.** Cr. 1669.—The HON. SIR JOHN ALEXANDER WALLACE DUNLOP, K.C.B., 7th Bt., m. dau. of Wm. Rodger, Esq. The family of Wallace, which the family represents, is the root whence sprang the renowned Sir William Wallace. It was established in Scotland temp. King David. The estate of Craigie was acquired by John Wallace by mar. with the only dau. of Lindsay of Craigie. The father of the 1st Bt. was one of a long line of eminent persons, and was m. to the dau. of the Earl of Morton and sister to the Earl of Nithsdale. The only surviving child of the 5th Bt. was Frances Anne Wallace, the friend and correspondent of the poet Burns, and who m. Dunlop of Dunlop. The 6th Bt., assumed the additional surname and arms of Wallace.

*Seat*—Craigie, Ayrshire.

*Residence*—Lochrryn, Wigtounsh.

**CONIGHAM OF CAPRINGTON, Ayrshire.** Cr. 1669.—The HON. SIR ROBERT KEITH DICK, 6th Bt., of Prestonfield, and 5th of Caprington; s. his bro. in the former title in 1812, and the latter devolved upon him on the death of his cousin, the 4th Bt., in 1829; m. 1807, Harriet, dau. of T. Hanmer, Esq. of Stapleton, Gloucestershire, and has issue, five sons and three daughters. This noble Bt. unites in his person two Baronetcies, and represents two very ancient and highly



distinguished families; 1st, paternally, the Conighams of Caprington, descended from Robert, eldest son of Warnebald de Coningham de Kilmars (of whom the Earls of Glencairn were cadets), who in 1163 m. Richenda, only dau. of Sir Humphrey de Berkeley of Gairatully; and 2ndly, maternally, the Dycks of Prestonfield, descended from William de Dyck, who was chief magistrate of Edinburgh in 1269. Owing to the entail of Prestonfield, Sir Robert cannot resume his original family name, but he enjoys the dignity and precedence conferred by both patents. He is a member of the Committee of the Order for Privileges.

*Arms of CONIGHAM*—Ar., a shakefork, sa., within a bordure, erm.

*Arms of DYCK*—Erm. a fesse, az., between two mullets in chief, and a hart's head, erased, attired with ten tynes, gu.

*Seat*—Prestonfield, near Edinburgh.

*Heir ap.*—His eldest son William Hanmer.

**HALKETT OF PITFIRANE, FIFESHIRE.** Cr. 1671.—The HON. SIR JOHN, free Baron of Pitfirrane, and 7th Bt.; s. his fa. in 1839; is a commander R.N.; m. dau. of Col. Conway, and has issue. David de Halkett was proprietor of the lands of Ballingal in Fife, under King David Bruce. The 6th Bt. was an Admiral and G.C.H.

*Arms*—Sa., three piles, conjoined, in base, ar., on a chief, gu., a lion, passant, guardant, or.

*Seat*—Pitfirrane, Fifeshire.

*Heir ap.*—His son Peter Arthur, born, 1834.

**COCKBURN of that ILK.** Cr. 1671.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM SANSFIELD ROSSITER, free Baron of Cockburn, and 6th Bt.; s. his fa. in 1835; m. the dau. of the late Rev. Fr. Coke, and has issue two sons. This noble family is of high antiquity, and is a cadet of the Cockburns Barons and Baronets of Langton. They have intermarried with the Spottiswoodes, Scots of Harden, and Swintons, &c.

*Arms*—Quarterly, 1st and 4th ar., three cocks, gu., 2nd and 3rd, gu., six

mascles, or, for VIPONT, with a heart, gu., in the centre of the shield.

*Seat*—Downton Hall, Radnor.

*Residence*—Bath.

*Heir ap.*—Devereux, Plantagenet.

**HOME OF BLACKADER, BERWICK.** Cr. 1671.—The HON. SIR GEORGE HOME, 8th Bt.; s. his bro. in 1836. This family deduces from the same root as Home of Wedderburne. Sir D. Home of Thurston m. the heiress of Wedderburne, and from that line sprang John of Blackader, who was one of the seven sons of Sir David Home of Wedderburne, famous in border song as the "Seven spears of Wedderburne." This John acquired Blackader by mar. with a dau. of Robert Blackader, and his grandson was first Bart.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st, az., on a chev., ar., three roses, gu., for BLACKADER; 2nd, vert, a lion ramp., ar., for HUME; 3rd and 4th, the arms of PEPDIE, and SINCLAIR.

*Seat*—Blackader, Berwickshire.

**SCOTT OF ANCRUM, ROXBURGHSHIRE.** Cr. 1671.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM, Baron of Ancrum, and 6th Bt.; s. his fa.; m. Elizabeth, dau. and heiress of Anderson of Balgay. Sir William is the chief of the great family of Scott, being descended from, and the representative of Uchredus filius Scoti, who witnessed the foundation charters of the Abbey of Holyrood House and Selkirk in 1128 and 1130.

*Arms*—Arg., three lions' heads, erased, gu.

*Seat*—Ancrum House, Roxburghsh.

*Heir ap.*—His son.

**CUNNINGHAME OF CORSEHILL, Ayrshire.** Cr. 1672.—The HON. SIR JAMES MONTGOMERY, 6th Bt.; m. in 1802, dau. of J. Cumming, Esq. of the family of Cumming, of Elm-side; s. his bro. 1814. This noble family is descended from the 4th Earl of Glencairn, who in 1532 granted the lands of Corsehill to his second son. The present Bart., as heir male, contests the honour of the dormant Earldom of Glencairn with Sir Chas. D. Fergusson of Kilkerran, the heir of line.

*Arms*—Ar., a shake-fork, sa., in chief, a crescent, az.

*Seat*—Corsehill, Ayrshire.

*Heir*—His son Alexander.

**ROSS OF BALNAGOWAN, ROSS-SHIRE.** Cr. 1672.—The HON. SIR CHARLES ROSS, Baron of Balnagowan, and 7th Bt.; b. 1812; s. 1814; m. 1841, his cousin Elizabeth, dau. of Col. Ross. The progenitor of this noble family, Wm. Lockhart of Carstairs, 1st Bt., was eldest son of Sir James Lockhart of Lee; his son, the 2nd Bt., m. a dau. of the 11th Earl of Ross. The 3rd, 4th, and 5th Barts. were his sons; the 5th Bt., Admiral Sir John, s. to the fortune of his maternal uncle, Gen. Ross, and assumed the name of Ross; and Carstairs having been sold in 1762, took the designation of Balnagowan; he m. a dau. of Dundas of Arniston, lord president of the Court of Session. The 6th Bt. m. 1st, a countess of the Holy Roman Empire, dau. of Gen. Count James Lockhart of Carnwath, and 2ndly, a dau. (d. 1842) of the Duke of Leinster, by whom he had the present Bart.

*Arms*—Gu., three lions, rampant, ar.

*Seats*—Balnagowan, near Parkhill, Ross-shire; and Bonington, Lanarksh.

*Heir*—His son.

**JARDINE OF APPLGIRTH, DUMFRIESSHIRE.** Cr. 1672.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM, Baron of Applegirth, and 6th Bt.; s. his fa.; m. Miss Lizars, and has issue. Sir William is the chief of the clan Jardine, in Annandale, where they have been seated for many centuries. The family have intermarried with those of Charters of Amisfield, Douglas Dukes of Queensberry, Maule, &c. The present Bt. is distinguished in the literary world as a naturalist.

*Arms*—Ar., a saltier and chief, gu., the last charged with three spur rowels of six points, of the field.

*Seat*—Jardine Hall, Lockerby.

*Heir ap.*—His eldest son.

**MURRAY OF OCHTERTYRE, PERTH.** Cr. 1673.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM MURRAY, s. as 7th Bt., on

the death of his fa. 1837; b. 1807; m. 1833, Helen, dau. of the late Sir A. Keith, Knt. This is one of the families of Moray or Murray, in Scotland, of ancient standing and great eminence; has intermarried with the families of Moray of Abercarrney, Oliphant, Hamilton of Wishaw, and the peerage families of Lovat, Cromarty, and Hopetoun. The 6th Bt. was a baron of Exchequer in Scotland.

*Arms*—Az., three stars, ar., in the centre of a cross, of the second, surmounted of a saltier, gu., both coupé.

*Seat*—Ochertyre, Perthshire.

*Heir pres.*—His brother John, who m. the heiress of Gartshore.

**MACKENZIE OF COUL, ROSS.** Cr. 1673.—The HON. SIR GEORGE STEUART MACKENZIE, F.R.S., 7th Bart., b. 1780; s. 1796; m. 1st, a dau. of D. Macleod, sheriff of Ross, and 2ndly, a dau. of Sir Henry Jardine of Harwood. The founder of the family was brother of Kenneth Mackenzie, Baron of Kintail. The 2nd Bt. obtained a charter erecting Coul into a free barony. The present Bt. is an officer in the Royal Archers, the Queen's body-guard in Scotland.

*Arms*—Quarterly, 1st and 4th, az., a deer's head, cabossed, or, for MACKENZIE.

*Seat*—Coul, Ross-shire.

*Heir*—His son Alexander, Master of Coul.

**HAMILTON OF PRESTON, FINGALTON, AND ROSSAVEN.** Cr. 1675.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM, m. in 1829, dau. of the late Hubert Marshall, Esq.; is an advocate at the Scottish bar, professor of Logic and Metaphysics in the university of Edinburgh, and is distinguished throughout Britain and the Continent for his learning and philosophical researches. His ancestors were Barons of the united Baronies of Preston and Prestonpans, in the co. of Haddington, and of the Barony of Fingalton, in the co. of Renfrew. Until created Barts., every chief of this family, with one exception, had been Knights; and from the Refor-

mation to the Revolution, all were historically distinguished for zeal in the cause of civil and religious liberty, and two under Mary and Charles II., for exertions in the royal cause. The estates of the family were in part obtained in the reign of Robert the Bruce, for the services of its founder against the English, and were wholly spent by Sir William, first of that name, in furtherance of the Revolution of 1688. He held a high command in the army of the Prince of Orange, but died suddenly at Exeter, while on his march to London. His bro. Sir Robert, who succeeded to the title, had been the leader of the insurrection of 1679, and commanded the Covenanting army, both in the victory of Drumclog and in the defeat of Bothwell Bridge. Sir William is the premier cadet of the house of Hamilton, being in the 17th generation the 24th male representative of Sir John Fitz-Gilbert de Hamilton, 2nd son of Gilbert, the founder of the family in Scotland, towards the conclusion of the 13th century.

*Arms*—Gu., three cinquefoils, erm.

*Residence*—Edinburgh.

*Heir ap.*—His son William.

**CLERK OF PENNYCUICK, EDINBURGHSHIRE.** Cr. 1679.—The HON. SIR GEORGE, F.R.S., and M.P.; s. his uncle as 7th Bt.; m. Maria, 2nd dau. of Ewan Law, Esq., first cousin of Lord Ellenborough, and has issue. This noble family descend from John Clerk, b. 1611, a person of great ability and commercial spirit, who acquired the barony of Pennykuick, and m. a dau. of Sir W. Gray of Pittendrum. The 1st Bt. served in the parliament of Scotland, and the 2nd was one of the barons of the Exchequer; the 3rd Bart. was lord-treasurer's remembrancer in the Exchequer, and m. the heiress of Maxwell of Middlebie.

*Arms*—Or, a fesse, az. and ar., betw. two crescents in chief, gu., and a boar's head coupé in base, sa.

*Seat*—Pennykuick House, Mid Lothian.

*Heir ap.*—His eldest son.

**COCHRANE OF OCHILTREE.** Cr. 1679.—The HON. SIR THOMAS COCHRANE, present Earl of Dundonald.

**MAITLAND OF HATTON.** Cr. 1680.—The HON. SIR JAMES MAITLAND, present Earl of Lauderdale.

**MAXWELL OF MONREITH, WIGTOUN.** Cr. 1681.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM MAXWELL, 5th Bt.; b. 1805; s. his fa. 1812; m. 1833, a dau. of the Hon. Sir M. Shaw Stewart of Greenock and Blackhall, by a dau. of the Hon. Sir W. Maxwell of Springkill. This noble family is descended from Herbert of Carlaverock, 1st Lord Maxwell, ancestor of the Earls of Nithsdale; Herbert's 2nd son obtained a charter of the barony of Monreith, 1481, from whom lineally descended the 1st Bt. The family have intermarried with the noble families of Hays of Park, Eglinton, Blair, &c. The father of the present Bt. distinguished himself at Corunna. The present Bt. is a Capt. unattached.

*Arms*—Ar., an eagle with two heads, disp., sa., beaked and membered, gu., on the breast an escutcheon of the first, charged with a saltier of the second, surcharged in the centre with a hedgehog, or, all within a bordure, gu.

*Seat*—Monreith, Wigtounshire.

*Heir*—His son.

**MAXWELL OF NETHER POLLOCK, RENFREWSHIRE.** Cr. 1682.—The HON. SIR JOHN, a free Baron, and 7th Bt., s. his fa. in 1785; m. the dau. of R. Gardiner, Esq. of Mount Amelia, in Norfolk. This noble family boasts of very high antiquity, being one of fourteen others which accompanied Edgar Athling into Scotland at the period of the Norman Conquest. John de Maccusville was ambassador to England from 1215 to 1220. Aymer de Maccusville was chamberlain of Scotland in 1258. He left three sons, Herbert, ancestor of the Earls of Nithsdale; John, founder of the Pollock family; and Alexander. The 1st Bart. was lord justice clerk of

Scotland in 1699. The family has intermarried with the Stewarts of Kirkfield, the Carmichaels, Earls of Hyndford, Brisbanes of that ilk, Colquhouns, &c. Sir John represented the Renfrewshire Burghs in the last Parliament.

*Arms*—Ar., on a saltier, sa., an annulet, or, stoned, az.

*Seat*—Pollock, near Glasgow.

*Heir ap.*—His son John, Master of Pollock, for many years M.P. for Lanarkshire; m. 1839, to Lady Matilda Harriet Bruce, dau. of the late Earl of Elgin and Kincardine.

**KENNEDY OF CULZEAN.** Cr. 1682.—The Hon. Sir Archibald Kennedy, K.T., present Marquess of Ailsa.

**BANNERMAN OF ELSICK, ABERDEENSHIRE.** Cr. 1682.—The Hon. Sir Charles, feudal Baron, and 6th Bt., s. his fa. in 1839. This noble family is of very great antiquity, and take their name from their office of being banner-bearer to the king. They have intermarried with the Leslies of Wardes, the M'Donalds of Slate, &c.

*Arms*—Gu., a banner displayed, ar., thereon a canton, az., charged with St. Andrew's cross, of the second, as the badge of Scotland.

*Seat*—Crimmonmogate, near Aberdeen.

**STEWART OF GRANDTULLY, PERTH.** Cr. 2nd Jan., 1683.—The Hon. Sir Wm. Drummond Stewart, free Baron and 7th Bart.; s. his bro. 1838; was a capt. in the 13th Hussars. This noble family is descended, through a 2nd son, Sir John, from Alex., 6th lord high steward of Scotland, temp. Alex. II. and III., by a dau. of Lord Bute. His elder bro., James, was 7th lord high steward, from whom the royal family of Stuart deduce down to James V., whose dau. was Mary Queen of Scots. From the 4th son of Sir John descended Alexander Stewart, temp. James I., who acquired Grandtully. The 1st Bt. was a senator of the College of Justice. The son of Sir John, the 3rd Bt., by his 2nd wife, the only dau. of James, Marq.

of Douglas, s. to the immense estates of the Duke of Douglas, and was cr. a peer of the U. K. by the title of Baron Douglas. Through Sir John's eldest son the baronetcy &c. descended.

*Arms*—Quarterly, 1st and 4th, or, a fesse, chequy, az. and ar.; 2nd and 3rd, ar., a lymphad, or, galley, with oars in action, sa., for LoRN, all within a bordure, az., charged with eight buckles, or.

*Seats*—Grandtully Castle, and Logie Almond House, Perthshire.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. George.

**PRINGLE OF STITCHEL, ROXBURGHSH.** The Hon. Sir John, Baron of Stichel, and 5th Bt.; s. his fa. in 1809; m. 1st, dau. of Macleod of that ilk, and 2ndly, dau. of John, 1st Marquess of Breadalbane, and has issue. Sir John is the chief of one of the principal branches of the great border family of Pringle. They have intermarried with the Hopes of Craighall, the Elliots of Stobs, the Pringles of Torwoodlee, &c. Sir John is a member of the Committee of the Order for Privileges.

*Arms*—Az., three escallops, or.

*Seat*—Stichel House, near Kelso.

*Heir ap.*—His eldest son James, capt. 8th foot.

**MAXWELL OF SPRINGKELL, DUMFRIES.** Cr. 1683.—The Hon. Sir Patrick Maxwell, 5th Bart.; s. his fa. 1830; b. 1805. This is a branch of the family of Maxwell of Auldhouse, represented by Maxwell of Nether Pollock. Wm. Maxwell, the 2nd son of G. Maxwell of Auldhouse, acquired the barony of Kirkconnel and Springkell, 1609. The family have intermarried with the Stewarts of Bute, Gordon of Kenmure, Douglas of Kilhead, Shaw Stewart of Blackhall, and Heron of Heron, Galloway.

*Arms*—Ar., on a saltier, sa., an annulet, or, stoned, az., in base, a crescent, of the second, all within a bordure, gu., charged with eight bezants.

*Seat*—Springkell, near Annan, Dumfriesshire.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. John, R.N., who m. 1833, a dau. of the Hon. Mont-

gomery Stewart, and niece of the Earl of Galloway.

**SETON OF PITMEDDEN, ABERDEEN.** Cr. 1683.—The HON. SIR WM. COOTE SETON, 7th Bt.; born 1808; s. his grandfa. 1819; m. 1834, 2nd dau. of Henry Lumsden, Esq. of Cushny; a director of the E.I.Co., and relict of Capt. John Wilson, Hon. E.I.Co.; was admitted to the Scottish bar, 1831. The name is from the locality, near the sea, and the first so named was Dougal Seton, temp. Alex. I. Christall Seton was knighted temp. Robert Bruce, whom he rescued at the field of Methven; he m. the sister of the king, and was allowed to wear the double tressure; he was afterwards put to death in London, which when King Robert heard, he founded a chapel in Dumfries, and called it St. Christall's; on the spot now stands a new church belonging to the established church of Scotland. A descendant, Wm. Seton, was made a lord of parliament, and his 2nd son, Alex., m. the heiress of Gordon of Strathbogie; from whom are descended the Earls of Huntly, Setons of Meldrum, Touch, and Tillybodie. The immediate predecessor of the 1st. Bart. fell at the battle of the Bridge of Dee, bearing the king's standard. The 1st Bt. was a senator of the College of Justice, and a lord of Justiciary, 1677. The 2nd Bt. was M.P. for Aberdeen, and m. a dau. of the Hon. Sir J. Burnet, Bt. of Leys.

*Arms*—1st and 4th, or, three crescents, and in the centre a man's heart distilling blood, the whole within a double tressure, flory, counter-flory, gu., for SETON.

*Seat*—Pitmedden, Aberdeenshire.

*Heir ap.*—His son James Lumsden.

**GRIERSON OF LAG, DUMFRIES.** Cr. 1685.—The HON. SIR RICHARD, 6th Bt.; s. his fa. 1839. This family have been settled in the south of Scotland for more than four centuries. In 1408 the lands of Lag were conveyed to the family. Sir Wm. Grierson, Knt., m. in 1593, sister of Wm. Lord Herries. The

family name was for many years called Grier. The 1st Bt. m. a dau. of the 2nd Earl of Queensberry. The family have since intermarried with the families of Musgrave, Maitland, and Dalzell of Glenæ, Earls of Carnwath.

*Arms*—Gu., on a fesse, or, between three fetter-locks, ar., a mullet, az.

*Seat*—Rockhall, Dumfriesshire.

**KIRKPATRICK OF CLOSBURN, DUMFRIESHIRE.** Cr. 1665.—The HON. SIR THOMAS, Baron of Closeburn, and 5th Bt.; s. his fa. in 1804; m. Jane, dau. of Sharpe of Hoddam, and has issue; is sheriff of Dumfriesshire, and chief of his name. This noble family is very ancient; Nisbet calls it a principal family, and they are said to have been seated in Closeburn since the 9th century. They are much celebrated in Border history; and their crest, a hand stabbing a heart with a dagger, and the motto, "I'll mak sicker," refers to the Baron of Closeburn despatching the Red Comyn in the church of the Grey Friars, Dumfries, after his being struck down by Robert Bruce.

*Arms*—Ar., a saltier and chief, az., the last charged with three cushions.

*Ancient Seat*—Closburn Castle.

*Residence*—Capenoch, Thornhill.

*Heir ap.*—His son.

**LAURIE OF MAXWELLTON, DUMFRIES.** Cr. 1685.—The HON. SIR ROBERT, 6th Bt., K.C.B., son of the 5th Bt., by his 1st wife, dau. of Lord Ruthven; b. 1764; s. 1804, attained the rank of rear-admiral. The founder of the family was Stephen Laurie, who, in the time of James VI., bought the estate of Maxwellton from the Earl of Glencairn. The title was bestowed for faithful adherence to the house of Stuart. The family have intermarried with the families of Dalryell of Glenæ, Fergusson of Craigdarroch, Erskine of Alva, &c. The 5th Bt. was M.P. for the co. of Dumfries for upwards of thirty years.

*Arms*—Sa., a cup, ar., with a garland, between two laurel branches, all issuing out of the same, vert.

*Seat*—Maxwellton, Dumfriesshire.

**DALYELL OF BINNS, LINLITHGOW:** Cr. 7 Nov. 1685.—The HON. SIR JOHN GRAHAM DALYELL, knighted, by letters patent, 1836; s. as 6th Bt. on the death of his bro., 1841. This noble family are lineally descended from, and represent, Walter, Earl of Menteth, a dignity which existed temp. Malcolm III., 1056. The 3rd Earl, who was put to death, and his younger son, Sir John, Knt., acted a conspicuous part in the wars of Edward I. and II. Sir John was *custos comitatus de Menteth*, 1320, and as such signed the letter to the pope asserting the independence of Scotland. In 1688, James Menteth of Auldcathy, m. the dau. of the Hon. Sir Thos. Dalzell of Binns, and their son s. his uncle in the title and estates. The 1st Bt. was the only son of the celebrated General Dalzell. Sir John's progenitors raised a regiment of infantry in 1666, and the Scots Greys in 1681. The baronetage was conferred for public services to three sovereigns, the knighthood for literary attainments.

*Arms*—Quarterly, 1st and 4th, or, a bend, chequy, sa. and ar., between three buckles; 2nd and 3rd, sa., a naked man, ppr., a canton, ar., charged with a sword and pistol, saltierwise, gu.

*Seat*—Binns House, Linlithgowshire.  
*Heir pres.*—Col. Dalzell, late of the 43rd regiment.

**MONCREIFFE OF THAT ILK, PERTSH.** Cr. 1685.—The HON. SIR THOS., feudal Baron of Moncreiffe, and 7th Bt.; s. his fa. 1830; an officer in the Grenadier guards. This noble family is a cadet of the Moncreiffes of Tullibole, and yields to few in Scotland in point of lineage or antiquity. The 1st Bt. was clerk of the Exchequer and Treasury. They have intermarried with the Smiths of Methven, Murrays of Auchtertyre, Guthries of Craigo, Ramsays, Earls of Dalhousie, and Mackays of Scots-toun, &c.

*Arms*—Ar., a lion ramp., gu., armed and langued, az., between two mullets, a chief, erm.

*Seat*—Moncrieffe House, Bridge of Earn, Perthshire.

*Heir pres.*—His brother.

**BROUN OF COLSTOUN, HADDINGTONSHIRE,** feudal Baron prior to 1116, and by charter of Novodamus, 25 June, 1669; cr. Bart. 16 February, 1686.—The HON. SIR JAMES, 7th Bt., and present Chief of the name in Scotland; s. his fa. in 1781; m. Marion, eldest dau. of R. Henderson; Esq. of Cleugh-heads, a dep.-lieut. of the co. of Dumfries, and his wife, Janet, heiress of F. Carruthers, Esq. of Whitecroft, a cadet of the ancient family of Carruthers, Barons of Holmains, and has issue four sons, Sir Richard, Robert Henderson, R.N., William, the Rev. Hugh M'Bryde, and one dau., Janet. This very ancient and noble family claims descent from, and bears the arms of, the ROYAL HOUSE OF FRANCE. Walterus le Brun was one of the barons who witnessed the instrument of inquisition respecting the possessions of the see of Glasgow, made by Prince David in 1116, which is one of the oldest existing documents in Scotland. Schir David le Brun assisted King David I. to lay the foundation of the Abbey of Holyrood House, on the 13th of May, 1125, and afterwards devised to that abbacy, "lands and acres in territories de Colstoun," for prayers to be said for "the soul of King Alexander, and the health of his son." In 1270, the Baron of Colstoun m. the dau. of Hugo de Gifford, Baron of Yester, celebrated for his necromantic powers, (see Scott's "Marmion;") and as they were proceeding to church, the wizard lord stopped the bridal procession beneath a pear-tree, and plucking one of the pears, gave it to his daughter, saying, that so long as the gift was preserved, good fortune would never desert her or her descendants. This pear, now nearly six centuries old, is still preserved at Colstoun House, with the veneration due to so singular a palladium; and apart from the legend, it is perhaps the most singular vegetable curiosity in the

kingdom. Ralf le Brun was one of the Scottish barons who swore fealty at Berwick, 28 Aug., 1296. Richard le Brun figures in history as one of the "principal noblemen" who headed the conspiracy occasioned by the demand of the charters in 1323. William Broun, lord of Colstoun, m. in the reign of James I. of Scotland, the dau. and co-heiress of Isly de Annand, Baron of Sauchy, descended from the ancient Lords of Annandale, a family which has given kings and queens to Great Britain, Robert the Bruce, Earl of Carrick, (grandfa. of the great king of that name,) having mar. Agnes de Annandia, its heiress. By this alliance the Colstoun family acquired extensive possessions in the counties of Clackmannan, Kinross, and Ayr. William, son of the above, m. a dau. of the ancient family of Halket, Barons of Pitfirrane, and was director of the Court of Chancery. Geo. Broun, who flourished in 1540 and downwards, was one of the barons who sat in the parliament in the reign of Queen Mary, 1 Aug., 1560, when the confession of faith was ratified, and he afterwards fought in her cause at the battle of Langside. He m. Janet, dau. of D. Pringle of Smallholm, ancestor of the Barts. of Stichel, and his wife, a dau. of Lundin of Lundin, lineally descended of Robert of London, natural son of King William the Lion, which family terminated in an heiress, who m. the brother of the first Duke of Lauderdale, and whose only child, Sophia, m. James Drummond, subsequently Earl and Duke of Melfort. George Broun, Baron of Colstoun, who flourished in 1600, m. Jean, dau. of John Hay, Lord Yester, ancestor of the Marquess of Tweeddale, and great-great-grand-dau. of Geo. Douglas, 1st Earl of Angus, by Mary, daughter of King Robert III. Elizabeth Mure of Rowellane, Queen of Scotland, who "for her excellent buetie and rare virtues" was made choice of by King Robert II. in his non-age to be his wife, and from whom her Majesty Queen Victoria

lineally descends, was, during the interval of her separation, m. to the Lord of Yester-Snawdoun. Geo. Broun, who was served heir to Patrick his fa., on the 26th April, 1604, in the Barony of Colstoun, the estates of Dalgourie, Myreside, and various others, m. Margaret, dau. of Sir D. Murray of Stanhope, and his wife, the Lady Lillias Fleming, dau. of John, Earl of Wigtoun, and his wife, a dau. of John, Earl of Montrose. After the Restoration, Sir Patrick Broun resigned his estates into the hands of the crown, and had them erected *de novo* into the free Barony of Colstoun, in favour of himself and his heirs male, by charter under the great seal, dated Whitehall, the 25th of June, 1669. Seventeen years afterwards, in consideration of his zeal for the royal service, and the firm fidelity of his ancient family, he was raised to the dignity of the Baronetage, with remaindership to his heirs male for ever. He m. 1st, a dau. of the noble house of Sinclair; and 2ndly, Lady Jean Ramsay. Sir George, the 2nd Bart., whose name occurs *vita patris*, as a knight in various charters, m. the Lady Elizabeth Mackenzie, dau. of George, 1st Earl of Cromarty. Subsequently the family have intermarried with the peerage houses of Dalhousie and Carnwath, and with the ancient families of Swinton, Spottiswoode, Colquhoun, Bannantyne, Dalrymple, M'Dowall, Cathcart, M'Bryde, &c. In 1152, Prince Henry, who died in his father's lifetime, founded the Paris or Franciscan church of Haddington, since which time the family have had their tomb there. This structure was in former times invested with so much sacred splendour as to justify the epithet of "Lucerna Laudoniae," the lamp of Lothian. The present Bart. is an officer in the army, and served ten years in the West Indies during the Carib insurrection. His only bro., William Broun, Esq. of Newmans, m. Nancy, dau. of Col. Peter Min-gay, of Rocquette, Guernsey, and

died in 1831, leaving issue three sons, William, government secretary of Guernsey; Peter Nicholas, colonial secretary, Swan River; and Richard, gov. resident at Freeman-tle, who are m., and have issue.

*Arms*—Gu., three fleurs-de-lis, or.

*Ancient Seats*—Colstoun, near Haddington; Thornydyke Castle, and Bas-sendeau, Berwickshire; Newhall, Mid-Lothian.

*Residence*—Lochmaben, Dumfries-shire.

*Heir ap.*—Sir Richard Broun, Eques Auratus, Hon. Secretary to the Com-mittee of the Baronetage for Privi-leges, a knight commander of the So-vereign Order of St. John of Jerusalem, and Grand Secretary of the Langue of England.

**KINLOCH OF GILMERTON, EDINBURGH.** Cr. 1686.—The HON. SIR DAVID, 9th Bt.; b. 1805; s. his fa. 1813; m. 1829, a dau. of the Hon. Sir Thos. Gibson Carmichael, Bt. The family had originally pos-session in Fife, whence the name is derived, so early as the 13th and 14th centuries. Its chief was cr. a Bt. by James II. of England, ex-tinct. From the parent stock di-verged this branch. The 1st Bart. was Lord Provost of Edinburgh. This noble family have interm. with those of Lord Newark, Rothead of Inverleith, Cockburn, Tweeddale, &c.

*Arms*—Az., a boar's head, erased, between three mascles.

*Seat*—Gilmerton, near Haddington.

*Heir*—His son Alexander.

\***NICOLSON OF TILlicOUNTRY, CLACKMANNAN.** Cr. 1686.—The HON. SIR FRED. WM. ERSKINE, 10th Bt.; born 1815; s. his fa., Maj.-Gen. the Hon. Sir Wm. Nicolson, 1820. This noble family intermar-ried with the peerage families of Linlithgow and Napier. The 4th Bt. was 4th Lord of the Barony of Napier, 1683; the barony reverted, 1686, to his maternal aunt. The original family estate of Carnock vested in his sisters, and the bar-onetcy devolved on his cousin, Sir Wm. of Tillicoultry, who sold that estate in 1693.

*Arms*—Or, a lion's head, between three falcons' heads, erased, gu., a bor-dure, of the last.

**GORDON OF PARK, BANFFSH.**

Cr. 1686.—The HON. SIR JOHN BENJ. GORDON, 6th Bt.; b. 1780; s. his fa. 1781; m. 1815, a dau. of Richard Campbell of Craigie House, Ayrshire. Sir John, the 1st Bt., was the eldest son of Sir Adam Gordon, Knt., by Christian, dau. of Sir John Gordon of Gight, a descendant of Sir Wm. Gordon, 3rd son of the Earl of Huntly, by the dau. of James I. of Scotland. The four first Barts. married respectively into the peerage families of Airlie, Forbes, Saltoun, Elphinstone, and Fife. In 1745, Sir William was attainted, but it was afterwards re-versed. He enjoyed the honour of the first class of nobility in Hun-gary.

*Arms*—Az., a dexter hand, vam-braced, grasping a sword, erect, in pale, ppr., hilted and pommel, or, between three boars' heads, coupéd, of the third, langued, gu.

*Seat*—Park House, county Banff.

**CALDER OF MUIRTOUNE, ELGIN.**

Cr. 5th Nov. 1686.—The HON. SIR HENRY RODDAM, 5th Bt., son of the 4th, by the dau. of Admiral Osborne; m. 1819, 3rd dau. of Ed-mund Henry Earl of Limerick. The founder of this family held the lands of Asswanlie, 1855; inter-married with the other noble and eminent families of Innes of Innes, Scott of Anerum, and Admiral Hughes. The uncle of the present Bt. was a distinguished admiral, and had conferred on him succes-sively the honours of Knighthood, and of the Baronetcy of Great Bri-tain, extinct.

*Arms*—Or, a hart's head, cabossed, sa., attired, gu.

*Seat*—Muirtonne, Elgin.

*Residence*—London.

**STUART OF ALLANBANK, BER-**

**WICKSH.** Cr. 15th Aug. 1687.—The HON. SIR JAMES STUART s. his fa. as 5th Bt.; m. 1st, dau. of E. Woodcock, Esq., and 2ndly, dau. of Dr. Munro of Craiglockhart. This



is a branch of Steuart, Bt. of Coltness. The family have intermarried with the families of Gilmour, Cockburn, Ker, and Coutts.

*Arms*—Or, a fesse, chequy, az. and ar., surmounted, of a bend, gules, charged with a bezant, between two buckles, gold; in chief, a lion, passant, guardant, of the fourth.

*Seat*—Allanbank, Berwickshire.

**HALL OF DUNGLASS, HADDINGTON.** Cr. 1687.—The HON. SIR JOHN HALL, 5th Bt.; s. his fa. 1832; m. 1823, dau. of James Walker, Esq. of Dalry. This noble family have interm. with the noble and peerage families of Polwarth, Marchmont, Pringle, Selkirk, &c. The 3rd Bt. sat as a juryman on the trial of the rebels at Edinburgh, 1748. The 4th Bt. was in parliament, and was the author of several works on architecture and the sciences.

*Arms*—Az., a chev., ar., between three cranes' heads, erased at the necks.

*Seat*—Dunglass, near Dunbar.

*Heir*—His son James.

**THREIPLAND OF FINGASK, PERTH.** Cr. 1687.—The HON. SIR PATRICK MURRAY THREIPLAND, 5th Bt.; b. 1800; s. 1837. The 1st Bt. was an active supporter of Chas. II., and discharged faithfully many important public trusts. The 2nd Bt. and his representative, Stuart Threipland, taking a zealous part on behalf of the Stuarts, were attainted, and their properties attached to the crown. After the act of indemnity, the estates were re-purchased by Stuart Threipland, who had been attainted. When George IV. visited Scotland, 1822, he graciously restored the honours of the house, and the attainder was removed by parliament, 1826.

*Arms*—Quarterly, 1st and 4th, ar., three daggers, in pale, gu., on a chief, az., as many mullets of the first, for THREIPLAND, &c.

*Seats*—Fingask Castle, Perthshire; Toftingall House, Caithness.

**LAUDER OF FOUNTAINHALL, HADDINGTON.** Cr. 1688.—The HON. SIR THOMAS DICK LAUDER, Baron

of Fountainhall, and 7th Bt.; b. 1784; m. 1808, only child and heiress of Geo. Cumin, Esq. of Relugas; s. 1820. The first of this noble family mentioned in history was de Lavedre, one of the Anglo-Norman chiefs who accompanied Malcolm Canmore into Scotland, 1056, and who obtained grants of land in Berwickshire, called by his own name. The 5th Baron was a soldier of the Cross, 1188. The descendants held conspicuous places in all public affairs, and were distinguished in all the early wars in Scotland. The 1st Bt., on the extinction of the elder branches, became representative of the family. The present Bt. is known for his literary talents, and as the author of several works, and is hon. sec. to the Society of Arts in Scotland; his fa. assumed the name of Dick on his marriage with the heiress of Dick of Grange.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, within a double tressure, ar., gu., a griffin, ramp., ar., for LAUDER; 2nd and 3rd, ar.; a fesse, wavy, az., betw. three mullets, gu.

*Seats*—The Grange House, Edinburgh; Fountainhall, Haddington.

*Heir*—His son John, H. E. I. C.

**GRANT OF DALVEY, ABERDEEN,** Cr. 1688.—The HON. SIR ALEX. CRAY GRANT, 6th Bt.; b. 1782; s. his fa. 1825; M.P. for Cambridge. This family branched from the Grants of Grant, about the close of the 15th century. The 1st Bt. was Lord Advocate of Scotland; he was s. by his kinsman, Sir Patrick, who sold the estate. The 5th Bt. m. the heiress of Jeremiah Cray, of Ibsley, Hants, by the sister of the Hon. Sir James, and the Hon. Sir George Colebrooke, Bts. The present Bt. was a member of the Board of Control in 1835.

*Arms*—Gu., three antique crowns, or, within a bordure, engrailed, of the last.

*Residence*—Lower Grosvenor Street, London.

**STEUART OF COLTNES AND GOODTREES, LANARKSH.** Cr. 1695 and 1698.—The HON. SIR HENRY

**BARCLAY STEUART**, 5th Bt.; s. his c. 1839. This noble family is descended from the Steuarts of Allanton. The 1st Bt. was a lord of session, and a profound lawyer. The 2nd Bt. was solicitor-general for Scotland. This family unites two baronetcies.

*Arms*—Quarterly, 1st and 4th, or, a fesse, chequy, az. and ar., in chief, a lion passant, guardant, gu., over all a bend of the last, charged with three buckles of the 3rd; 2nd and 3rd, gu., a chev., ar., between three storks' heads, erased, or.

*Seat*—Collernie, Fifeshire.

**DUNBAR OF MOCHRUM, WIGTONSHIRE.** Cr. 1694.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM DUNBAR, 7th Bt.; s. his uncle in 1841; is m. This noble and very ancient family descend from Gospatrick Earl of Northumberland, ancestor of the Dunbars Earls of March. Sir William is a member of the Committee of the Order for Privileges.

*Arms*—Quarterly, 1st and 4th, gu., a lion ramp., or, within a bordure of the last, charged with eight roses of the first, for DUNBAR; 2nd and 3rd, or, three cushions, with a double tressure, for RANDULPH EARL OF MOBAY.

*Seat*—Mochrum, Wigtownsh.

*Residence*—Edinburgh.

**ANSTRUTHER OF ANSTRUTHER.** Cr. 1694.—The HON. SIR WYNDHAM CARMICHAEL ANSTRUTHER, Baron of Anstruther, and 8th Bt., chief of his name; s. his nephew in 1831; b. 1790; m. 1834, dau. of Charles Wetherell, Esq. This noble family was settled in the county of Fife in the early ages of Scottish history. William de Candela, Lord of Anstruther, flourished 1153, Malcolm IV. The 12th in lineal descent was appointed heritable carver to Jas. VI., 1585, an office still enjoyed by the family: his son was created K.B. by James I. of England. The father of the 1st Bt. was famous in arms, and taken prisoner at the battle of Worcester. The 5th Bt. had the additional dignity of Bt. of Great Britain conferred on him, 1798, and was chief justice of Bengal. The 6th Bt. s. to the entailed estates of

Carmichael, on the death of the last Earl of Hyndford, in 1817, and assumed the name and arms of Carmichael.

*Arms*—Quarterly, 1st and 4th, ar., three piles, issuing from the chief, sa., for ANSTRUTHER; 2nd and 3rd, a fesse, wavy, az. and gu., for CARMICHAEL.

*Seats*—Elie House, Fife; Carmichael House, and Westraw House, Lanarksh.

*Heir*—His son Wyndham.

**ANSTRUTHER OF BALCASKIE, FIFE.** Cr. 1694.—The HON. SIR RALPH ABERCROMBIE ANSTRUTHER, 4th Bt.; b. 1804; s. his grandfa. 1818; m. 1831, eldest dau. of Major-Gen. Sir H. Torrens, K.C.B. This is a branch of the ancient family of Anstruther of that Ilk. This noble family have interm. with the noble and peerage families of Preston, Hay (Marquess) of Tweeddale, and Erskine (Earl) of Kellie. The father of the present Bt. was a most distinguished officer. In 1793, he accompanied his regiment to Holland; in 1796 he joined the Austrian service against France; in 1797 joined the 3rd Guards, and was appointed dep.-quarter-master-gen.; in 1800, Capt. Anstruther went to Egypt under Sir Ralph Abercrombie; in 1802, was adj.-gen. in Ireland; in 1808, as brig.-gen., he distinguished himself in the battle of Vimiera, in Portugal; in the campaign in Spain, Gen. Anstruther commanded, under Sir John Moore, the rear-guard of the army, which he brought safely to Corunna—he survived his extraordinary exertions only one day. Sir John Moore is buried at the side of his brave companion in arms. Gen. Anstruther was an accomplished scholar and elegant writer.

*Arms*—Ar., three piles issuing from the chief, sa., quartering ERSKINE, HAMILTON, POWELL, and LLOYD.

*Seats*—Balcaskie, near Leven, Fife; and Watten, Caithness.

*Heir*—His son Robert.

**BAIRD OF SAUGHTONHALL, EDINBURGH.** Cr. 1695.—The HON. SIR JAMES BAIRD, 6th Bt.; s. his grandfa. 1830; is an officer in the 10th Hussars. This family is a

branch of the house of Baird of Auchmedd.

*Arms*—Gu., a sanglier, passant, or, on a canton, ermine, a sword, paleways, ppr., surmounted by a crescent of the field.

*Seat*—Inveresk House, Edinburgh.

*Heir pres.*—His brother Rich. Fred.

**DUNBAR OF DURN, BANFF.** Cr. 1697.—The HON. AND REV. SIR WILLIAM DUNBAR, s. his fa. as 6th Bt., 1813; b. 1804; m. ANNE, dau. of Geo. Stephen, Esq. of London. This noble family is descended from the 10th Earl of March and Lady Agnes, heir of Randolph Earl of Moray. They have interm. with the Brodies, Bairds, Grants, &c.

*Arms*—Quarterly, 1st and 4th, gu., a lion ramp., within a bordure, ar., quartered with those of RANDOLPH EARL OF MORAY.

*Residence*—Aberdeen.

*Heir ap.*—His son Alex. Stephen.

**DALRYMPLE OF NORTH BERWICK, HADDINGTONSH.** Cr. 1697.—The HON. SIR HENRY HAMILTON DALRYMPLE, 6th Bt.; s. his fa. in 1835; is a capt. in the 71st foot. This noble family descend from the 3rd son of the 1st Viscount Stair, who was a distinguished member of the bar in Scotland.

*Arms*—Or, on a saltier, az., between a star of eight points, in chief, gu., and two water bouquets in the flanks, sa., nine lozenges of the field.

*Seats*—North Berwick House, Haddingtonsh.; Bargany, Ayrshire.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. John.

**MACKENZIE OF GAIRLOCH, ROSSHIRE.** Cr. 1700.—The HON. SIR FRANCIS ALEXANDER MACKENZIE, 5th Bt.; b. 1798; s. 1822; m. 1st, a dau. of J. Smith Wright, Esq. of Bempstone Hall; and 2ndly, dau. of Osgood Hanbury, Esq. of Holfield Grange, Essex. This noble family descends from the house of Gerald, in Ireland (whence sprang the peerage houses of Leinster, Desmond, &c.), and settled in Scotland, 1261, and were rewarded by Alex. III. by a grant of the Barony of Kintail, for aiding in repelling the King of Norway. The 3rd Baron, called Kenneth McKenneth, which became cor-

rupted to Mackenzie, was the founder of all the families of the name. The 7th Baron's second son was created a peer of Great Britain, 1796, as Lord Seaforth, Baron Mackenzie of Kintail. The 8th baron was the 1st Bt. The Barony of Gairloch had been granted, in 1494, by James IV. to the family.

*Arms*—Quarterly, 1st and 4th, az., a buck's head, cabossed, or, 2nd and 3rd, az., three frasers, ar.

*Seats*—Corran House, and Gairloch, Ross-shire.

*Heir*—His son Kenneth Smith.

**JOHNSTONE OF WESTERHALL, DUMFRIESSH.** Cr. April 25th, 1700.

—The HON. SIR FREDERICK JOHNSTONE, 8th Bt.; b. 1841; s. his fa., being a posthumous twin. This noble family is a branch of the family of Johnstone of Johnstone, and chief of the family of Annandale. In 1385 Sir John de Johnston shared in the munificence of the King of France to his faithful allies the "Scottish nobility," to the extent of 300 francs: Sir Adam, his son, was a distinguished commander at the battle of Sark, 1448. His descendant, James Johnston, was created, 1633, Lord Johnstone of Lochwood, and, 1643, Earl of Hartfell, afterwards of Annandale. The 2nd Earl was created Marquess of Annandale, extinct in 1792, in the person of the 3rd marquess. To this dignity there are several claimants. Several members of the family have been in parliament. The 5th Bt. founded the chair of Agriculture in the University of Edinburgh. The last Bt. was, in the 30th year of his age, killed by a fall from his horse. He had m. in 1840 the only dau. of the late Earl of Craven.

*Arms*—Ar., a saltier, sa.; on a chief, gu., three cushions, or, in base, a man's heart, ensigned with an imperial crown, ppr.

*Seat*—Westerhall, Dumfriessh.

*Heir pres.*—His brother.

**ELLIOT OF MINTO, ROXBURGHSH.** Cr. 1770.—The Rt.

HON. SIR GILBERT ELLIOT MURRAY KYNYNMOUND. Cr. Earl of Minto, 1813.

**DUNBAR OF NORTHFIELD, ELGIN.** Cr. 1700.—The HON. SIR ARCHIBALD DUNBAR, 5th son of the 4th Bt., by a dau. of Viscount Arbuthnot; b. 1772; s. 1791; m. 1st, 1794, a dau. of Sir Alex. Gordon Cumming; 2ndly, only dau. of John Brander of Pitgavenny. This noble family and the Dunbars of Hempriggs are descended paternally from the Dunbars Earls of Moray, the Earls of March, and the Earls of Dunbar.

*Arms*—Quart., DUNBAR and RANDOLPH, all within a border; vary, gu. and or, with a lion ramp., par sartout. *Seat*—Northfield, Elgin.

*Heir*—His son Archibald, m. 1st, 1827, dau. of G. Ramsay of Barnton, and 2ndly, a dau. of G. Orred, Esq.

**CUNYNGHAME OF MILNCRAIG, AYRSH.** Cr. 1700.—The HON. SIR DAVID CUNYNGHAM; s. as 5th Bt., 1828; m. dau. of Edward, Lord Thurlow, Lord Chancellor of England, and 2nd dau. of William Kimpton, Esq. This noble family deduce from the second son of the 1st Earl of Glencairn; obtained the estates of Milncraig by intermarrying with the co-heir of Cathcart of Corbiestoun, of the noble and peerage family of Cathcart. The 1st Bt. was an eminent lawyer and an eloquent senator; he m. into the peerage family of Stair and the noble family of Baird of Soughtonhall. The 3rd Bt., a lieutenant in the army, m. the only dau. of the ninth Earl of Eglinton. The present Bt. is a colonel in the army.

*Arms*—Ar., a shake-fork, between three fleurs-de-lis, sa.

*Seat*—Milncraig, Ayrsh.

*Heir*—His 2nd son David Thurlow, m. 1833, dau. of the Hon. Gen. Robert Meade.

**SUTTIE GRANT OF BALGONE, &c., HADDINGTON.** Cr. 1702.—The HON. SIR GEORGE SUTTIE GRANT, 5th Bt.; b. 1797; m. 1829, dau. of the Earl of Wemyss. The 1st Bt. acquired Balgone by marriage with

Miss Semple. This family interm. with Dalrymple of North Berwick, Grant of Prestongrange, &c. The 4th Bt. s. his aunt Janet Grant, Countess of Hyndford, in the estates of Prestongrange, &c., and assumed the additional name of Grant.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, barry, wavy of six, az. and or, on a chief of the last, a lion ramp., naisant, with two tails, vert, armed and langued, gu., for SUTTIE, quartered with SEMPLE.

*Seat*—Balgone, Prestongrange, Haddington.

*Heir*—His son.

**MACKENZIE OF SCATWELL, ROSS-SHIRE.** Cr. Feb. 22, 1708. The HON. SIR JAMES WEMYSS MACKENZIE, 5th Bt.; son of the 4th Bt., by the dau. of the Hon. Sir James Colquhoun of Luss, grand-dau. maternally of the 20th Earl of Sutherland; b. 1770; m. 1810, dau. of the late W. Mackenzie of Suddy, and sister and heir of Major-General Mackenzie, who fell at Talavera; s. 1811. This noble family is a junior branch of the ancient house of Mackenzie of Kintail, deducing from Sir Roderick, 2nd son of Colin, 11th feudal baron, who m. a dau. of M'Leod of Lewes, and whose son was ancestor of the Earls of Cromarty. The Findon branch of the family merged into that of Scatwell, on the 1st Bt. marrying the heiress of Sir Roderick Mackenzie of Findon.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, az., a deer's head, cabossed, or, for MACKENZIE, &c.

*Seats*—Rosehaugh, near Mimlochy, Findon, Suddy, and Scatwell.

*Heir*—His son James John Rondall.

**CATHCART OF CARLTON, AYRSH.** Cr. 1703.—The HON. SIR JOHN ANDREW CATHCART, 4th Bt.; an officer in the 2nd regt. of Life-gds.; s. his grand-uncle in 1828; m. Lady Eleanor Kennedy, grand-dau. of the Marquess of Ailsa, and has issue. This is a junior branch of the noble house of Cathcart, Earls of Cathcart. The 1st Bt. m. in 1695, a dau. of Sir Patrick Broun, Baron, and Bt. of Colstoun. The 2nd Bt. m. a dau. of

Sir John Kennedy, Bt. of Culzean, ancestor of the Ailsa family.

*Arms*—Az., a human heart, or, between three cross-crosslets fitchée, issuing out of as many crescents, ar.

*Seat*—Killochan Castle, Ayrsh.

*Heir ap.*—His son.

**FERGUSON OF KILKERRAN, AYRSH.** Cr. 1703.—The HON. SIR CHARLES DALRYMPLE FERGUSSON, 5th Bt.; b. 1800; m. 1829, a dau. of Lord President (Boyle) of the Court of Session; s. his fa. 1838. This noble family were possessed of very large properties in Ayrsh. and Galloway, but in consequence of Sir John, Knt., adhering to Charles I., large debts were incurred, and the estates alienated. The 1st Bt., an eminent lawyer, redeemed Kilkerran. His son, the 2nd Bt., was a senator of the college of justice, 1749, and m. the only child of Lord Maitland, and grand-dau. of the Earl of Lauderdale, and his wife, Lady Margaret Cunningham, eldest dau. of the late Earl of Glencairn. The 3rd Bt., LL.D., was M.P. for Ayr and Edinburgh, from 1774 to 1796; he claimed the earldom of Glencairn, but the House of Lords decided that he had not made out the right of heir-general, which he was to the earldom. The 4th Bt. m. Miss Dalrymple, heiress of Sir D. Dalrymple, Bt., Lord Hailes, and through her the present Bt. s. to the property of Newhailes, Inveresk. He has largely promoted by his countenance and support the cause of education in Scotland.

*Arms*—Az., a buckle, ar., between three boars' heads, or, quarterly with DALRYMPLE.

*Seats*—Kilkerran, Ayrsh.; Newhailes, Edinburghsh.

*Heir*—His son James.

**REID OF BARRA, ABERDEENSH.** Cr. 1703.—The HON. SIR JOHN REID, 4th Bt.; b. 1794; s. his fa., 1829; m. 1834, a dau. of Hugh Metthie, Esq. of Newhall, Cheshire. The 1st Bt. m. the eldest dau. of the Hon. Sir Alexander Ogilvie, Bt. of Forglen, and the 3rd Bt., the fa. of the present, m. 1785, a dau. of Dr.

Thos. Livingstone, of Dawny Hills, Aberdeen. Sir John is a member of the Committee of the Baronetage for Privileges.

*Arms*—Az., a stag's head, erased, or.

*Seat*—Isle of Whithorn Castle, Stranraer.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. William.

**HAY OF ALDERSTONE, BERWICKSH.** Cr. 1708.—The HON. SIR JAMES DOUGLAS HAMILTON HAY, 6th Bt.; s. his fa. in 1832; m. the dau. of W. Sanderson, Esq., and has issue. This is a branch of the noble house of Hay, Marquess of Tweeddale.

*Arms*—Ar., three escutcheons, gu.

*Heir ap.*—His eldest son.

**MURRAY OF MELGUN, ABERDEENSH.** Cr. 1704.—The HON. SIR ALBERT JOSEPH MURRAY; b. 1774; m. 1815, the Countess Almeria Esterhazy Von Galantha. This noble Bt. is a Count of the Austrian empire.

**WEMYSS OF BOGIE, FIFE.** Cr. 1704.—The HON. SIR JAS. WEMYSS; s. to the baronetcy on the death of his fa., who was in holy orders; is a writer to her Majesty's signet. The 1st of the Wemyss of Bogie, was the 2nd son of Sir D. Wemyss, lord of Wemyss, progenitor of the Earls of Wemyss.

**GRANT OF GRANT.** Cr. 1704.—The HON. SIR FRANCIS WILLIAM GRANT, present Earl of Seafield.

**SINCLAIR OF DUNBEATH, CAITHNESS.** Cr. 1704.—The HON. SIR JOHN SINCLAIR, 6th Bt.; s. 1796; m. 1803, 1st, Miss Notley, and 2ndly, 1825, Miss Carter; is a major-Gen. E.I.C. This is a junior branch of the peerage family of Caithness, branching off in the 3rd son of the 4th Earl, who m. dau. of 7th Lord Forbes, his second son, the 1st Bt., who acquired Dunbeath,

*Seat*—Dunbeath, Caithness.

**WEDDERBURN OF BALLENDAN, PERTH.** Cr. 1704.—The HON. SIR DAVID WEDDERBURN, Baron of Wedderburn, and 7th Bt.; s. his fa. in 1803; m. Margaret, dau.

of G. Browne, Esq. of Illeston, Roxburghsh., but has no surviving issue. Sir David is the chief of the very ancient house of Wedderburn of that Ilk. He was postmaster-gen. of Scotland in 1823, and in 1803 was created a Bt. of the U.K. This noble Border family takes its name from the barony of Wedderburn, or Wedderburne, in the Merse, or Berwickshire, but at what period is uncertain. Walter de Wedderburn was one of the Scottish barons who swore fealty to Edward I. of England, at "Berewyk-on-Twed," on the 28th of August, 1296. Alice, the heiress of Wedderburn, m. in 1413, Sir David Home, of Thurston, from which marriage descended the Earls of Marchmont, when the representation of the family devolved on James Wedderburn, who had settled in Forfarshire about the year 1430. Alexander, of Kyn-gang, 5th in descent from him, accompanied King James I. into England, and when about to return to Scotland, he received a diamond ring from the monarch's own finger, as a mark of royal friendship, which is still preserved by his successors. Sir Alexander Wedderburn was one of the Scots commissioners to the treaty of Ripon, in 1641; one of the deputies to the king at Newcastle from the Scots Committee of Estates, in 1646; and a commissioner from the parliament to London, in 1652, to treat of a union. He married a daughter of Sir Andrew Fletcher, a lord of session. Sir Alexander, the 4th Baronet, held as governor, Broughty Castle, for the Chevalier de St. George, in 1715. The 5th Baronet, Sir John, served in Prince Charles's Life-guards, in the Rebellion, in 1745, and being taken prisoner after the battle of Culloden, he was tried, and suffered death on Kennington Common, on the 28th of November, 1746. His son and successor, Sir John, continued to adhere to the fortunes of the abdicated family, and married the eldest daughter of David Ogilvie, Earl of Airlie. The family has intermarried

with the Mylms of Drimmie, the Setons of Pitmedden, Fullertons of that Ilk, &c.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev., between three roses, gu.

*Seat*—Ballendean House, Perthsh.

**GRANT OF MONYMUSK, ABERDEEN.** Cr. 1704.—The HON. SIR JAMES, s. as 5th Bt., 1820; b. 1791. This family is a branch of the ancient family of Grant of Grant, now Earl of Seafield, Viscount Redhaven. James Grant, of Grant, m. 1st, a dau. of the 4th Earl of Rothes, and 2ndly, a dau. of the family of Mar. He obtained large grants of land for his services from James V. and Queen Mary. The Grants of Ballantomb, Cullen, Monymusk, &c., all descended from this line. The 1st Bt. was an eminent lawyer and judge, under the title of Lord Cullen, and George I. granted him the unusual honour of having the armorial addition of a bordure, erm., &c. He was greatly in favour of the union, was distinguished for his mental powers, for his piety, integrity, and benevolence. His second son was also elevated to the bench by the title of Lord Preston-grange; he was M.P. for Elgin, &c. The 3rd Bt. was M.P. for Aberdeen.

*Arms*—Gu., three antique crowns, or, within a bordure, erm.

*Seat*—Monymusk, Aberdeenshire.

*Heir pres.*—His brother.

**HOLBOURNE OF MENSTRIE, FIFE.** Cr. 1705.—The HON. SIR THOMAS WILLIAM, 5th Bt.; s. his fa. 1820. The 1st Bt. was fa. of Francis, admiral of the white, rear admiral of Great Britain, governor of Greenwich Hospital, and M.P. for Plymouth.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, gu., a fesse, coupé, between three crescents, or; 2nd and 3rd, or, an orle, gu.

**GORDON OF EARLSTON, KIRK-CUDBRIGHTSHIRE.** Cr. 1706.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM, 6th Bt.; s. his fa. 1843. This family is a branch of the peerage family of Kenmure, and next heir to the title should the present viscount die unmarried. The 1st Bt. was a lieut.-col. under

the Duke of Marlborough; the 2nd Bt. was active and resolute during the troubles in Scotland, and was a state prisoner for several years in Blackness Castle.

*Arms*—Az., a bezant between three boars' heads, erased, or.

*Seat*—Earlston House, Kirkcudbright.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. James.

**NAESMYTH OF POSSO, PEBBLES.** Cr. 1706.—The Hon. Sir John Murray Naesmyth, 4th Bt.; born 1803; s. his fa. 1829; m. 1826, 1st, a dau. of the Hon. Sir John Marjoribanks of Lees, Bt.; 2ndly, 1839, dau. of the 2nd Lord Lifford. The family is of great antiquity in Tweeddale, their names appearing in the wars of Bruce and Baliol. Sir Michael, chamberlain to the Archbishop of St. Andrew's, obtained, 1544, the estates of Posso as a dowry with his wife, a dau. of John Baird of Posso. Sir Michael was banished for his support of Queen Mary. The cousin of the 1st Bt., and whom he succeeded, was, 1686, falconer to the king; his aerie is preserved, and also a lure worn by the king, and presented to him, is still in the family. In 1712, the Posso estates and the representation of the family devolved upon Sir James Naesmyth, who had previously been raised to the dignity of the baronetage. He was thrice mar., 1st, to Jane, widow of the Hon. Sir Ludovic Gordon, premier baronet of Scotland and Nova Scotia; next to Janet, sister of Sir David Murray, of Stanhope; and 3rdly, to Barbara, dau. of Andrew Pringle, Esq. of Clifton. The 3rd Bt., Sir James, mar. in 1785, Eleanor, the 2nd dau. of John Murray, of Philiphaugh, the lineal descendant of Archibald de Moravia, one of the powerful Scottish barons whom Edward I. of England compelled to swear fealty in 1296. They have intermarried with the Barnets of Barns, Keith, &c.

*Arms*—Quarterly, 1st and 4th, gu., a dexter hand, coupé, ppr., holding a sword, paleways, ar., between two broken hammers, or, for NAESMYTH.

*Seat*—Dalwick, Peebles.

*Heir*—His son James.

**DUNBAR OF HEMPRIGGS.** Cr. 1706.—The Hon. Sir Geo. Dunbar, present Lord Duffus. This family is in possession of a genealogical tree, in which the House of Dunbar is minutely traced for no less a period than 975 years.

**DICK OF PRESTONFIELD, MID-LOTHIAN.** Cr. 1707.—The Hon. Sir Robt. Keith Dick, 6th Bart. of Preston, (and 5th Bt. of Caprington, which see at page 74;) s. his bro. Sir John, in 1812. The name of Dick is of very great antiquity in Scotland. William de Dyck was chief magistrate of Edinburgh in 1296, before the institution of the office of lord-provost. In 1618 Sir William Dick advanced King James I. 6,000*l.* to defray his Majesty's household expenses whilst he held a parliament in Scotland. He afterwards farmed the customs on wine, and the crown rents in Orkney, and after receiving the honour of knighthood in 1646, was created a Bt. Sir William was fined by the Parliamentarians as a malignant in no less a sum than 64,984*l.*, and afterwards, coming to London to demand payment of money he had previously advanced upon government securities, he was thrown into prison by the usurper Cromwell, and died at Westminster. Sir James Dick, grandson of the former by his 4th son, was created a Bt. in 1677, but in consequence of a failure of male issue, he resigned the same, and got a new patent in 1707, with remaindership to the second and younger sons successively of his daughter the Baroness Coningham. Sir James came from London in 1682 with the Duke of York, and was with his royal highness in the Gloucester man-of-war, commanded by Sir John Berry, when that vessel struck upon a sand-bank. He was one of the few who took to the long boat, and so saved his life; the Prince, and John Churchill, after-

wards the celebrated Duke of Marlborough, effecting their escape in a similar manner: about two hundred persons perished in this disaster. The 2nd Bt., Sir Alexander Dick (paternally, Coningham), was unanimously, in 1756, chosen president of the Royal College of Physicians in Edinburgh, and for seven years afterwards successively had the same honour conferred upon him. After his retirement, the Fellows, as a testimony of the sense which they entertained of his eminent services, hung up a portrait of the ex-president in

the hall—a mark of distinction never previously bestowed on any member whatsoever. The 3rd Bt. married the dau. and heiress of Douglas of Garwaldfoot, Peebleshire.

*Arms*—Erm., a fesse, az., between two mullets in chief, and a hart's head, erased in base, attired with ten tynes, gu.

*Seat*—Prestonfield, near Edinburgh.

*Heir ap.*—His eldest son William Haumer, b. Oct. 22, 1808, late a lieutenant in the King's dragoon-guards; m. 1836, Susan, daughter of the late James Alston Stewart, Esq. of Urrard, Perthshire, and has issue.

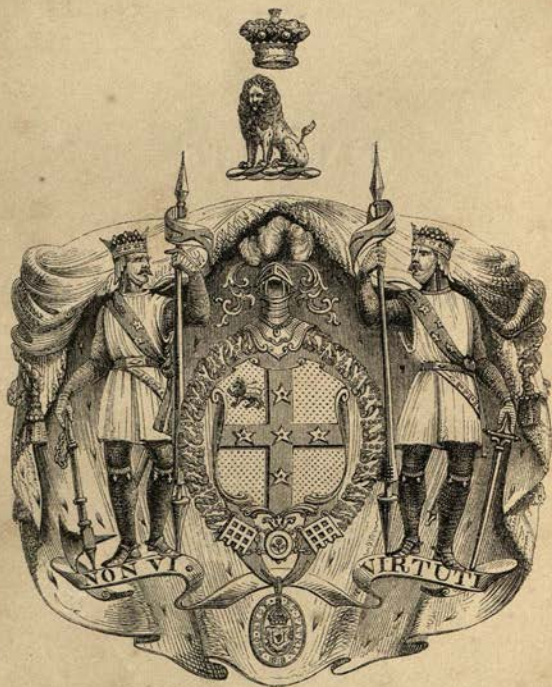
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BARONETS  
OF  
THE KINGDOM OF IRELAND,  
CREATED  
FROM THE 2ND OF APRIL 1620, UNTIL THE PERIOD OF  
THE UNION WITH GREAT BRITAIN,  
IN  
1800.





Arms of the HON. and REV. SIR ERASMUS DIXON BORROWES, Baronet,  
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Baronets of Ireland.

**COOTE OF BALLYFIN, QUEEN'S CO.** Cr. 1620.—The HON. SIR CHARLES HENRY COOTE, 9th Bt., Premier Bt. of Ireland, M.P. for Queen's Co.; s. of C. Coote, of Ash-hill; m. dau. of S. Whaley, Esq., grand-dau. matern. of John, Earl of Clanwilliam; s. his kinsman, Lord Mountrath, in 1802. From this noble and eminent family sprang the houses of Coote, Earls of Mount-rath, and Coote, Lords Castle Coote. The first Bt., temp. Eliz. and Jas. I., was distinguished for bravery, and was, for his military services, promoted to the provost marshalship, and afterwards to the vice-presidentship of Connaught. His gallantry was eminently conspicuous in the relief of Birr in 1642. When he could not, because of a ditch thrown up by the rebels, proceed farther with his cavalry, he, with thirty dismounted dragoons, hastened onwards, and after relieving three castles, returned to his camp with the loss of only one man. From this perilous pass, through the woods of Mountrath, the title of Mount-

rath was taken by him on being raised to the peerage, 1661. In 1802, the baronetcy devolved upon Sir Charles, on the death of the 7th Earl without male issue.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev., sa., between three coots, close, ppr.

*Seat*—Ballyfin, Queen's Co.

*Heir*—His son Charles, b. 1805.

**ANNESLEY OF NEWPORT PAG-NELL.** Cr. 1620.—The HON. SIR GEORGE ANNESLEY, present Earl of Mountnorris.

**AYLMER OF DONADEA CASTLE, KILDARE.** Cr. 1621.—The HON. SIR GERALD GEO. AYLMEY, 9th Bt., s. of the 8th Bt. by the dau. of Sir J. Evans Freke, Bt., sister of the 6th Lord Carbery; b. 1798; m. 1826, eldest dau. of Col. Hodgson, H.E.I.C., s. his fa. in 1816, is a vice-lieut. of co. Kildare. This noble family deduce from Athelmare, or Ailmer, Earl of Cornwall, temp. Ethelred; in the 12th century they were settled in Ireland; temp. Henry VIII., Sir G. Aylmer held several very high legal offices in

Ireland. The proposal to the king by the Lord Cromwell, that he should be promoted to be chief-justice in the King's Bench, was opposed on the plea of ignorance by the Earl of Shrewsbury. The king, for his satisfaction on the matter, had a personal conference with Sir Gerald, and asked the question, which brought out the answer, on which followed, in the next parliament, the act 1536, compelling residence in Ireland, or forfeiture of estate. The family have interm. with the noble families of Ormonde, Norris, &c. Sir Gerald is a member of the Committee of the Order for Privileges.

*Arms*—Ar., a cross, sa., between four Cornish choughs, ppr.

*Seat*—Donadea Castle, Kildare.

*Heir*—His only son Gerald George, b. 1830.

GORE OF MANOR GORE. Cr. 1621.

—The Hon. Sir Ralph St. G. Gore, 7th Bt., m. Lady Grace Maxwell, dau. of Barry, Earl of Farnham. The noble house of Gore, Earls of Arran, deduce from this ancient and noble family. Paul Gore, temp. Elizabeth, was lord of the extensive manor which he called Gore, and was the 1st Bt. The descendants have been honourably distinguished; Ralph, the 4th Bt., was M.P. for Donegal, a P.C., chancellor of exchequer, and speaker of the House of Commons in Ireland, 1729. The 6th Bt. distinguished himself at the Battle of Laffeldt, 1747; in 1764 he was created Baron Gore; in 1768, Viscount Belleisle; and in 1771, Earl of Ross, (extinct.) He was s. by the present Bt., his nephew, in 1802.

*Arms*—Gu., a fesse, ar., between three cross-crosslets fitchée, or.

*Seat*—Manor Gore, Donegal.

*Heir*—His son St. George.

BARNEWALL OF CRICKSTOWN CASTLE, MEATH. Cr. 1622.—The Hon. Sir Reg. Aylmer John de Barnewall, 8th Bt.; b. in 1838; s. his fa. at his birth. This noble and very ancient Anglo-Norman family are descended from progeni-

tors of the greatest eminence. The noble houses of Kingsland and Trimleston deduce from this family, and its patriarch is enrolled as one of the companions of the Conqueror, and Sir Michael was one of the leaders. Temp. Henry II. and Richard I., he was lord by tenure of Beerhaven and Bantry. The family held very important offices, and interm. with the peerage families of Furnival, Dunboyne, &c. A younger son of the line was cr. 1461, Baron Trimleston. During the usurpation of Cromwell this family suffered severely, but the estates were again restored. These passed in 1735 to the female branch of the family.

*Arms*—Erm., a bordure, engr., gu.

*Seat*—Greenanstown, Meath.

LYNCH BLOSSE OF CASTLE CARRA, MAYO. Cr. 1622.—The Hon. Sir Robert Lynch Blossse, 9th Bt.; s. of the Hon. and Rev. Sir Francis, by the eldest dau. of Lord Chancellor Plunket; b. 1825; s. his fa. 1840. William le Petite, one of "the tribes of Galway," is the common ancestor of the family. The 1st Bt. was Mayor of and M.P. for Galway, 1622. Several of the descendants have been in parliament, and Sir Henry was baron of the Exchequer, 1689; have interm. with the peerage family of Mayo, &c.

*Arms*—Az., a chev., between three trefolls, slipped, or.

*Seat*—Castle Carra, Mayo.

*Heir pres.*—His brother.

TUITE OF SONNA, WESTMEATH. Cr. 1622.—The Hon. Sir Mark Anthony Henry, 9th Bt., lieutenant in the army; s. his fa. 1840. This noble family is of remote extraction, originally from Denmark, and took part in the conquest of Normandy, England, and Ireland. It is said to be lineally descended from the Danish monarchs; the family went to Ireland in 1172, and enjoyed baronial honours, holding very extensive grants from Hugh de Lacy. Sir Richard Tuite built the monastery of Granard, 1210. Sir Richard, living in 1270, was Lord of Marston,

&c., and his son was ancestor to the Earl of Totness. A 5th Richard was Knt. in 1326, and was lord of Lothtock, &c. His great grand-dau. was the wife of Sir Thomas Plunkett, Knt., Lord of Killeen, and ancestor to the noble families of Fingal and Dunsany.

*Arms*—Quart., ar. and gu.  
*Seat*—Lissievoolin, Westmeath.

**BLAKE OF MENLO, GALWAY.**  
Cr. 1622.—The HON. SIR VALENTINE BLAKE, 12th Bt., M.P.; m. 1803, eldest dau. of Jos. Donellan, of Killah; s. his fa. in 1834. The founder of this family in Ireland accompanied Prince, afterwards King John, into that kingdom, 1185, and for military services obtained extensive territorial grants. The 1st Bt. was Mayor of Galway, 1611-30, and was styled in the records of the day, Valentine Blake Fitz Walter Fitz Thomas. The 6th Bt. m. 1716, Elizabeth Burke, the poetess, whose dau. was m. to Richard Kerwan, famous for his philosophic writings and discoveries.

*Arms*—Az., a fret., gu.  
*Seat*—Menlo Castle, Galway.  
*Heir*—His son Thomas, b. 1804; m. dau. of Ulick O'Brien, Esq. of Waterview.

**STEWART OF FORT STEWART, DONEGAL.** Cr. 1623. — The HON. SIR JAMES STEWART, 7th Bt.; s. his fa. 1827. Sir William Stewart, Knt., was in favour with James I., assisted in the allotment of forfeited lands in Ulster, and after being created a Bt. was a P.C. temp. James I. and Charles I. The 2nd Bt. was created Baron Stewart, Lord Mountjoy, and appointed a master-gen. of the Ordnance, and col. of a regt. He served at the siege of Buda, and afterwards, when on a mission to James II. at Paris, suffered four years' imprisonment in the Bastille; in 1692 he was slain in the Battle of Steinkirk. He m. dau. of Lord Coloony. The 3rd Bt., a general in the army, &c., m. the dau. of the Earl of Blessington, and

their son was raised to that earldom, extinct in 1769.

*Arms*—Gu., a fesse, chequy, ar. and az., betw. three lions ramp., or.  
*Seat*—Fort Stewart, Donegal.

**ESMONDE OF BALLYNASTRA, WEXFORD.** Cr. 1628. — The HON. SIR THOS. ESMONDE, 8th Bt., M.P., son of S. Esmonde, Esq., by the dau. and co-heir of B. Callan, Esq. of Osberstown, Kildare; b. 1786, s. his uncle in 1803. The first recorded of the name was John Esmond, temp. middle of 14th century, Bishop of Ferns; deprived of his see by the Pope; assisted in his spiritual by the temporal authorities. Laurence, a descendant, became a protestant and an adherent of Elizabeth; was knighted for his military services; enjoyed the favour of the court, and was created a peer in 1622, while major-gen. of the forces in Ireland, under the title of Lord Esmonde Baron of Limerick. He was m. to the dau. of O'Flaherty, and had one son, who was, by stealth, removed by his mother to her relations, to be brought up as a Roman catholic. Lord Esmonde m. again, but had no issue. On his death, his son was deprived of the peerage from the existing state of things, a doubt being raised on the validity of his parents' marriage. He was created an Irish Bt. for his eminent services in the cause of royalty, 1628.

*Seat*—Ballynastra, near Gory, Wexford.

*Heir pres.*—Bartholomew, in orders of the church of Rome.

**STAPLES OF DUNMORE, QUEEN'S CO.** Cr. 1628.—The HON. SIR THOS. STAPLES, LL.D., 7th Bt., son of the Rt. Hon. J. Staples; b. 1775; m. dau. of the Rev. J. Hawkins; s. his cousin in 1832; called to the bar in 1802; is a Queen's counsel and advocate in Ireland, and a bencher of King's Inns, Dublin. This family removed to Ireland, from Sussex, temp. James I.; have interm. with the noble families of Molesworth, Pakenham, Knapton, &c.

*Arms*—On a fesse, erm., betw. three harts, two goats' heads, erased, ar.

*Seat*—Lissane, Tyrone.

*Residence*—Dublin.

*Heir pres.*—His brother John.

**BURKE OF GLINSK, ROSCOMMON.** Cr. 1628.—The HON. JOHN IGNATIUS BURKE, son of Richard Burke, Esq., by the eldest dau. of Jos. Blake, Esq., and sister to first Lord Wallscourt; b. 1784; m. 1st sister of Hughes Ball, Esq.; 2ndly, eldest dau. of Dawson, Esq., of St. Leonards, near Windsor. This noble family of De Burgh, or Burke, has been one of the most powerful ever since the days of Henry III. and Edward I.; was one of the Anglo-Norman settlers, who acquired by conquest and grant immense possessions in five different counties. Sir Ulick, Lord of Clanconow, the 1st Bt., m. a dau. of Visct. Dillon. The present Bt. succeeded to the estates of his cousin, Sir John Henry, as next male heir, under special act of parliament, passed because of imbecility.

*Arms*—Or, a cross, gu.; in first quarter a lion rampant, sa.

*Seat*—Glinsk Castle, Roscommon.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Jos.; b. 1786; m. 1816, eldest daughter of Lord Huntingtower.

**BUTLER OF GARRYHUNDON, CO. CARLOW.** Cr. 1628.—The HON. SIR THOMAS, 8th Bt.; s. his fa. in 1817; m. Frances, 4th dau. of John Graham Clarke, Esq. of Sutton, Yorkshire, and has issue four sons and five daughters. This noble and ancient family descend from Sir Edwd. Butler, 2nd son of James, 9th Earl of Osmonde; they have interm. with the Colcloughs of Tyntern Abbey, Galliards of Enfield, &c.

*Arms*—Or, a chief indented, az., a martlett for difference.

*Seat*—Ballin Temple, and Garryhendon, both in Carlow.

*Heir ap.*—His eldest son Richard Pierce.

**OSBORNE OF NEWTOWN, TIPPERARY.** Cr. 1629.—The HON. SIR DAN. FOLER OSBORNE, 11th Bt., son

of the 10th Bt., by dau. of D. Toler, Esq. of Beechwood, niece of the Earl of Norbury; b. 1783; m. 1805, dau. of Earl of Clancarty; s. his fa. in 1838. The 1st Bt. of the family supported the cause of the usurper, but was forced to surrender in 1645; several descendants of the family have been in parliament, and the 7th Bt. was a P.C.

*Arms*—Gu., on a fesse, cottised, or, two fountains, over all, a bend, ar.

*Seat*—Beechwood, Tipperary.

*Heir pres.*—His cousin.

**MORRES OF KNOCKAGH CASTLE, TIPPERARY.** Cr. 1632. The HON. and REV. SIR HERVEY DE MONTMORENCY, present Viscount Mountmorres.

**FITZGERALD OF CASTLE ISHEN, CORK.** Cr. 1644.—The HON. SIR JAMES GEORGE FITZGERALD, 9th Bt., son of the 8th Bt., by dau. of late Admiral Sir Thos. Freemantle, Bt.; b. 1831; s. 1839. This noble family deduces from Gerald Fitzgerald, from whom sprang also the noble extinct house of the Earls of Desmond. The 1st Bt. was deprived of the greater portion of his estates at the revolution, for his support of the royal cause, and was too late in afterwards applying for their restoration; the family have interm. with the noble and ancient families of Clancarty, Clare, &c.

*Arms*—Erm, a saltier, gu.

*Seat*—Castle Ishen, Cork.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Gerald Richard, b. 1832.

**BORROWES OF GILTOWN, CO. KILDARE.** Cr. 1646.—The HON. and REV. SIR ERASMUS DIXON BURROWES, 8th Bart.; s. his bro. 1834; m. Harriet, 4th dau. of H. Hamilton, Esq. of Ballymacoll, in the co. of Meath, and has issue. This noble family is a scion of the house of De Burgh, for centuries so eminent in Ireland and England under the names of Burgh, Bourke, Burke, and Borough. The 1st Bt. was sheriff of Kildare, and M.P., and obtained his title for his good

and faithful services to King Chas. I. Sir Walter, 2nd Bt., m. Lady Eleanor, 3rd dau. of George, 16th Earl of Kildare. They have intermarried with the Savages of Rheban, Weldon of Woodstock Castle, Loftus of Rathfarnham, Dixon of Colvertown, &c. Sir Erasmus is a member of the Committee of the Baronetage for Privileges.

*Arms*—Or, on a cross, gu., five mullets, pierced, ar., on a canton of the second, a lion passant, of the field.

*Seat*—Lauragh, Emo, Queen's Co.

*Heir ap.*—His son Erasmus.

**PIERS OF TRISTERNAGH ABBEY, WESTMEATH. Cr. 1660.**—The HON. SIR JOHN BENNET PIERS; s. as 6th Bt. on the death of his fa., 1798; m. 1st, in 1798, Mary, dau. of Rev. Joseph Pratt of Cabra Castle; and 2ndly, in 1815, Miss King. This family went from Yorkshire to Ireland, in 1566, in the service of Eliz., and acquired valuable grants of land, including the Abbey of Tristernagh. Wm. Piers was gov. of Carrickfergus, and in 1569 obtained a reward of 1000 marks for the head of the rebel Shane O'Neill. His son was an eminent traveller, and his MS. travels are deposited in the Chandois Library. This noble family have connected themselves by marriage with the families of Kerry, Santry, Pigott, &c.

*Arms*—Az., three lions' passant, guardant, in fesse, between two double cottices, ar.

*Seat*—Tristernagh Abbey, Westmeath.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Edward.

**MEREDYTH OF GREENHILLS, AND SHREWLAND, Co. KILDARE. Cr. 1660.**—The HON. SIR JOSHUA COLLES, 8th Bt.; s. his fa. 1813; was knighted 1794, then a captain commanding 89th regt., for military service; m. 1st, Maria, only dau. of Colonel Laurence Coyne Nugent of Westmeath, by whom he had the present Countess of Miltoun and three other daughters; and 2ndly, Doligny, 2nd dau. of Col. Edwards, co-heiress with her sister of their

uncle, Adm. Robinson. He received, and was accepted into, the Sovereign Order of St. John of Jerusalem, by the Grand Master Hompesch, and is Lient.-Prior of the Langue of England; had conferred upon him, by Louis VIII., the Order of Military Merit, and that of Louis of Hesse, by the late Grand Duke of Hesse Darmstadt, in acknowledgment of his conduct while serving with their troops. This noble and ancient family are of the highest antiquity, and descend from Bel, or Bellinus, King of Britain before the Christian era; he was bro. to Brennus, who commanded the army of the Gauls which took and sacked Rome; from him, through a long line of royal and illustrious ancestors, the princes and kings of Britain and Wales, descended Llewellyn Aurdorchog, or Leolinus Magnus, who m. Eva, the dau. of Bledyn ab Conoyn, Prince of Powis, and had five sons, the eldest, Ithel Velyn, Prince and Lord of Yale, and of other vast possessions; he had a son, Hwoa, who m. Isabel, dau. of Gruffydab Conan, Prince of North Wales, Meredith ab Bledyn, and Madog ab Meredyth; his cousins were the princes of Powis, 1100 to 1159. Ither was the thirty-eighth in descent from Bellinus Magnus, or Beli Mawr ab Mynogan, who was the father of Caswallan, the Cassiolanus of Cæsar, the strenuous opposer of the first invasion of Britain by the legions of Rome. The family are connected with many noble families in England, Ireland, and Scotland—viz., those of Denbigh, Kingston, Wellington, Wellesley and Mornington Aldborough, Wingfield, Prithe, Argyle, Mount-Eagle, Rice, Westmeath late Duke of Kingston, &c.

*Arms*—Sa., a chev., charged with three trefoils, betw. three goats' heads, erased, or.

*Seat*—Madaleen, co. Kilkenny.

*Heir pres.*—His nephew.

**HAMILTON OF DONALONG. Cr. 1660.**—The HON. SIR JAMES HAMILTON, present Marq. of Abercorn.

**PERCEVAL OF EGMONT.** Cr. 1661.—The **HON. SIR HENRY FREDERIC JAMES**, present Earl of Egmont.

**SOUTHWELL OF CASTLE MATRESS, LIMERICK.** Cr. 1662.—The **HON. SIR THOMAS ANTHONY**, present Viscount Southwell.

**GORE OF NEWTON GORE, MAYO.** Cr. 1662.—The **HON. SIR PHILIP YORKE-GORE**, present Earl of Aitan.

**BROWNE OF ROSS, KERRY.** Cr. 1662.—The **HON. SIR VALENTINE BROWNE**, present Earl of Kenmare.

**COURTENAY OF POWDERHALL CASTLE, DEVON.** Cr. 1664.—The **HON. SIR WILLIAM**, present Earl of Devon.

**DANCER OF NORTHLAND, CO. TIPPERARY.** Cr. 1662.—The **HON. SIR AMYRALD DANCER**, 5th Bt.; s. to his grand uncle, 1776; m. 1804, Jemima, 3rd dau. and co-heiress of Philip Gowing, Esq., Monaquil, co. Tipperary, and has issue. This noble family descend from Sir Thos. Dancer, Knt., alderman and mayor of the city of Waterford, who was raised to the Baronetage. Dancer the poet is considered to have been of this family. They have intermarried with the families of Loftus, Rathfarnham, Eyre, &c. Sir Amyrald is a member of the Committee of the Order for Privileges.

*Arms*—Ar., three talbots' heads, erased, sa.

*Seat*—Modreeny, near Cloghjourdan.

*Heir ap.*—His eldest son Thomas Bernard.

**GETHIN OF PERCYMOUNT AND GETHINSGROTT, SLIGO.** Cr. 1665.—The **HON. RICHARD GETHIN**, son of Capt. Richard Gethin, by dau. of Lieut.-Col. South of Heavtree, near Exeter; b. 1823, s. his grandfather, 1837. Richard Gethin, temp. Cromwell, settled in Ireland, was an M.P. after the restoration, obtained considerable grants of land, was raised to the dignity of Bt., and was lord of the Barony of Gethingsrott,

erected by letters patent with power to hold courts, &c.

*Arms*—Vert., a stag, courant, ar., armed, or.

*Seat*—Percymount, Sligo.

*Heir pres.*—His brother William St. Lawrence.

**BERESFORD OF COLERAINE.** Cr. 1665.—The **HON. SIR HENRY DE LA POER BERESFORD**, present Marquess of Waterford.

**RADON OF MOIRA, CO. DOWN.** Cr. 1665.—The **HON. SIR GEORGE A. F. HASTINGS**, present Marquess of Hastings.

**PARSONS OF BELLAMONT, CO. DUBLIN.** Cr. 1667.—The **HON. SIR WILLIAM PARSONS**, present Earl of Rosse.

**REYNELL OF LALEHAM.** Cr. 1678.—The **HON. SIR THOMAS REYNELL, K.C.B., K.C.H.**; s. his bro. as 6th Bt. in 1829; m. 1831, Lady Elizabeth Pack, dau. of George, 1st Marquess of Waterford, and widow of Major-Gen. Sir Denis Pack. Sir Thomas has served in the army with great distinction, and his services have been acknowledged by the honours bestowed on him; for his services at Bhurtpore he was made C.B., and received the thanks of parliament; was decorated with the military Order of St. George on the recommendation of the Duke of Wellington after the victory of Waterloo, where he commanded the 71st Highland Infantry; is a knight of the Order of Maria Theresa of Austria. He was col. of the 99th, now col. of the 87th. In 1801, he served with distinction in Egypt, and wears the Turkish medal.

*Arms*—Ar., (masoned,) a chief, indented, sa.

*Residence*—Brighton.

**MOORE OF ROSS CARBERY, CORK.** Cr. 1681. The **HON. SIR EMANUEL ROSS CARBERY**, 9th Bt., son of the 8th Bt. by the eldest dau. of Alderman Boyle Travers of Cork; b. 1786; m. 1809, Miss Gilman; s. his fa., Sir Richard. The second and third Bts. were in parliament.



*Arms*—Az., on a chief, indented, or, three mullets, gu.

*Seat*—Carberry, Cork.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Walter Boyle.

**CHAPMAN OF ST. LUCY, WESTMEATH.** Cr. 1682.—The HON. SIR MONTAGU LOWTHER CHAPMAN, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd, by the dau. of Jas. Fetherstone, Esq. of Bracklin Castle, Westmeath; b. 1808; s. 1837. Is M.P. for Westmeath. The ancestors of this family flourished in Leicestersh. for several generations; two of the descendants, John and William, under the auspices of their cousin, Sir Walter Raleigh, obtained large grants of land in Kerry, which were afterwards to a large extent disposed of for upwards of 26,000*l.* (a large sum in those days) to the Earl of Cork. Afterwards, Capt. Benjamin Chapman obtained from Cromwell a grant of a large estate at Killua or St. Lucy's.

*Arms*—Per chev., ar. and gu., in the centre, a crescent, counterchanged.

*Seat*—Killua Castle, Westmeath.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Benjamin James.

**KING OF ROCKINGHAM, ROSCOMMON.** Cr. 1682. The HON. SIR ROBERT HENRY KING, present Earl of Kingston.

**O'BRIEN OF DROMOLAND, CLARE.** Cr. 1686.—The HON. SIR LUCIUS O'BRIEN, 5th Bt.; b. 1800; s. his fa. 1837; m. 1837, eldest dau. and co-heir of Wm. Fitzgerald of Adelphi, Clare. This noble family is of royal blood, and deduces its pedigree from the ancient Irish monarch, Brian Boromh, who ascended the throne 1003, and fell in battle at Clontarffe in 1014. Turlough Doun, a descendant of this Prince, was inaugurated King of Thomond in 1498. His dau. m. the Earl of Clanrickarde, and in the minority of their sons, the principality was usurped by their uncle, who in 1543 resigned his sovereignty to Edward VI., and was created Earl of Thomond for life, and Baron Inchiquin. The eldest son of his lordship was ancestor of the Marquess Thomond. The 2nd Bt. was

the son of the Rt. Hon. Lucius O'Brien, by Catherine, grand-dau. of the Earl of Clarendon, and first cousin to Queens Mary and Anne. In the event of the Marquess of Thomond, and his brother Lord Jas. O'Brien, dying without issue, the Dromoland family will enjoy the title of Baron of Inchiquin. Sir Lucius is a member of the Committee of the Order for Privileges.

*Arms*—Gu., three lions passant, guardant, per pale, or and ar.

*Sat*—Dromoland, Clare.

*Heir ap.*—His son Edward Donough, b. 1839.

**CARDEN OF TEMPLEMORE, TIPPERARY.** Cr. 1687.—The HON. SIR HENRY ROBERT CARDEN, 3rd Bt., son of the 1st, by the dau. of H. Westenra, Esq., sister of Lord Rossmore; b. 1789; m. 1818, only child of Fred. Thompson, Esq. of Dublin; s. his bro. 1822. Is an officer in the army, and served under the Duke of Wellington in the Peninsular wars and at Waterloo. The name of the family is derived from the township of Carden, near Chester, the original manor of the family. The family removed to Templemore, in Ireland, in the middle of the 17th century. The 1st Bt., fa. of the present, m. into the noble and peerage families of Harburton, Rossmore, and Monck. He commanded the 30th light-dragoons.

*Arms*—Ar., a mascle, gu., between three peons, sa.

*Seat*—Templemore, Tipperary.

*Heir*—His son John Craven.

**BELLEW OF BARMEATH, LOUTH.** Cr. 1688.—The HON. SIR PATRICK BELLEW, 7th Bt.; b. 1798; s. his fa. 1827; m. 1829, only dau. of the late Don Jos. de Men. y Rios, of Seville; was M.P., and is lord-lieut. of Louth. This noble and ancient family, of Norman descent, founded by a marshal in the army of the Conqueror, have from the first settlement been very distinguished for their opulence and high alliances.

*Arms*—Sa., fretty, or.

*Seat*—Barmeath, Louth.

*Heir*—His son Edward Joseph, b. 1830.

**VESEY OF VESEY.** Cr. 1698. The HON. SIR JOHN VESEY, present Viscount de Vesci.

**MEADE OF BALLINTOBER, CORK.** Cr. 1703.—The HON. SIR RICHARD MEADE, present Earl of Clanwilliam.

**TAYLOR OF KELLS.** Cr. 1704.—The HON. SIR THOMAS TAYLOR, present Marquess of Headfort.

**LEVINGE OF KNOCKDRIN CASTLE, WESTMEATH.** Cr. 1704.—The HON. SIR RICHARD LEVINGE, feudal lord of Parwick, Derbysh., and 6th Bt.; b. 1785; m. 1810, eldest dau. of the 1st Lord Ranelagh; s. his fa. in 1796. The first of this noble family on record is Levinge, Archbishop of Canterbury, who in 1017 crowned Canute; next is the Bishop (Levinge) of Worcester, in 1046. His nephew held no fewer than six lordships, the lordship of Parwick was afterwards purchased. Sir Walter, a descendant, was a soldier of the cross, temp. Richard I. Other descendants of the family were distinguished in their day—the 1st Bt. being solicitor general and speaker of the House of Commons in Ireland, and enjoying other important public offices. The family have interm. with the peerage and noble families of Ferrers, Rawdon, &c.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st, vert., a chev., or, three escallops, ar., in chief, for LEVINGE, &c.

*Seat*—Knockdrin Castle, Westmeath.

*Heir ap.*—His son Richard George Augustus.

**DEANE OF DROMORE, CORK.** Cr. 1709.—The HON. SIR MATHEW FITZMAURICE DEANE, present Baron Muskerry.

**MAUDE OF DUNDRUM, TIPPERARY.** Cr. 1705.—The HON. SIR CORNWALLIS MAUDE, present Visc. Hawarden.

**ECHLIN OF CLONAGH, KILDARE.** Cr. 1721.—The HON. SIR HENRY

**ECHLIN**, s. as 5th Bt. on the death of his fa. The ancestor of the family, the Rev. Henry Echlin, emigrated from Staffordsh. to Ireland at the time of the Reformation, and was consecrated Bishop of Down and Connor, 1613. His lordship was murdered on his way to Dublin, 1635. Sir Henry, Knt., was a baron in Exchequer, and was created a Bt. Robert, his son, was M.P. for Newry, 1695.

*Arms*—Or, an antique galley with sails furled, sa., forked pennon, ppr.

*Residence*—Halifax, Nova Scotia.

*Heir pres.*—His brother.

**BURDETT OF DUNMORE, CARLOW.** Cr. 1723.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM HOPE BURDETT, 4th Bt., son of the 3rd Bt., by the dau. of the Rev. Henry James Reynett, D.D.; s. in 1840. The founders of this noble family, descendants of a common ancestor with the Burdetts of Foremark, were Thos. and Samuel Burdett, sons of a London alderman. The son of Thomas was created a Bt., and married the relict of the first Earl of Ardglass, and dau. of the Archbishop of Armagh, lord chancellor of Ireland; was in parliament for 22 years. His son, Sir William Vigors, m. the dau. of the 3rd Earl of Inchiquin.

*Arms*—Az., two bars, or, a crescent, for difference.

*Seat*—Dunmore, Carlow.

**MOLYNEUX OF CASTLE DILLON, ARMAGH.** Cr. 1730.—The HON. SIR THOMAS MOLYNEUX, 5th Bt., son of the 3rd Bt., by the dau. of Lieut.-Gen. Adlercron; m. dau. of Thos. Perrin, Esq.; s. his bro. in 1832; is a lieut.-gen. in the army. This noble family is a younger branch of the Molyneux, Earls of Sefton, springing from Sir Thomas, 2nd son of Sir Wm., of Sefton, a brave soldier under the Black Prince. Sir Thomas was a commander under the Duke of Ireland, and was slain in battle with the insurgent lords in Berks, 1388. Another descendant, Sir Thomas, was, temp. Elizabeth, chancellor of exchequer in Ireland,

and was lessee of the customs of Dublin (wine excepted) for 21 years, at 1837. per annum, and acquired extensive possessions. His son, Sir Daniel, M.P., 1586, was Ulster king-of-arms, a celebrated antiquary; his MSS. are deposited in Trinity College, Dublin. His 2nd son, William, was the learned author of the celebrated "Case of Ireland;" and his 3rd son, the Right Hon. Samuel, was a lord of the admiralty, and secretary to Geo. II. when Prince of Wales. The family have interm. with that of the Earl of Essex, Howard of Shelton, ancestor of Lord Wicklow, and two of the descendants have been in parliament for Dublin City and University.

*Arms*—Az., a cross-moline, pierced, or, in the dexter chief, a fleur-de-lis of the last.

*Seat*—Castle Dillon, Armagh.

*Heir*—His son Thomas, major in the army.

**BAYLEY OF PLACENYWYD.** Cr. 1730.—The HON. SIR WM. HENRY PAGET BAYLEY, K.G., G.C.B., G.C.H., K.M.T., K.S.G., present Marquess of Anglesey, 1815. The family of Bayley, the paternal one of Lord Anglesey, is a scion of the royal house of Baliol, and springs, through his only dau., from the renowned Sir William Wallace.

**WOLSELEY OF MOUNT WOLSELEY, CO. CARLOW.** Cr. 1744.—The HON. AND REV. SIR RICHARD WOLSELEY, 4th Bt.; s. on the death of Sir William, his cousin, 3rd Bt., being the son of the late Col. Clement Wolseley, of Wolsley Bridge, in the co. of Carlow, and his wife Catherine, dau. of the late Arthur St. George, D.D., and Dean of Ross, by Jane, dau. of Sir Thos. Molyneux, of Castle Dillon, Armagh. This is a branch of the very ancient and noble family of Wolseley, Barons of Wolseley, Staffordshire.

*Arms*—Ar., a talbot, passant, gu., a crescent for difference.

*Seat*—Mount Wolseley.

*Residence*—Cheltenham.

*Heir pres.*—His nephew Clement.

**COLTHURST OF ARDRUM, CORK.** Cr. 1744.—The HON. SIR NICHOLAS COLTHURST, 5th Bt., son of the 4th Bt., who was M.P. for Cork, s. his fa. in 1822. The 1st Bt. m. in 1741, Lady Charlotte Fitzmaurice, 3rd dau. of Thos. Earl of Kerry. The 2nd Bt. was unfortunately killed in a duel in 1787. The 3rd Bt. m. the dau. of the Right Hon. David Latouche.

*Arms*—Ar., on a fesse, between three colts, courant, sa., as many trefoils, slipped, or.

*Seat*—Ardrum, Cork.

*Heir pres.*—His brother.

**SOMERVILLE OF SOMERVILLE, MEATH.** Cr. 1748.—The HON. SIR WM. MEREDYTH SOMERVILLE, 4th Bt., son of the 3rd Bt., by the dau. and heiress of the Hon. Sir George Meredyth, Bt.; s. 1831; is M.P. for Drogheda; m. 1832, Lady Maria Harriet Conyngham, youngest dau. of the Most Noble the Marquess Conyngham. This family is a branch of the ancient and noble Scottish family of Somerville. The 1st Bt. was son of Sir James, Kt., lord mayor of Dublin; his only dau. m. Gustavus, 5th Viscount Boyne. The father of the present Bt. represented Meath.

*Seat*—Somerville House, Meath.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. James Richard.

**BURTON OF POLLACTON, CARLOW.** Cr. 1758.—The HON. SIR CHARLES BURTON, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the dau. of Lord Desart; m. 1807, dau. of J. P. Meredith, Esq.; s. in 1812. Sir Edw. Burton, co. of York, created a knight-banneret by Edward IV., is the common ancestor of this noble family, and that of the peerage house of Conyngham. His sons Francis and Thomas settled in Ireland, 1610. Thomas was the head of the Irish branch of the family. His grandson Benjamin was an eminent banker in Dublin, lord mayor, and M.P. for the city. Benjamin's 5th son was also M.P. for Dublin, was knighted, and afterwards created a Bt.

*Arms*—Per pale, az. and purp., a cross engr., or, between four roses, ar.  
*Seat*—Pollacton, Carlow.

**CROFTON OF MOTE, ROSCOMMON;** cr. 1758.—The HON. SIR EDWARD CROFTON, present Baron Crofton.

**RIBTON OF WOODBROOK, DUBLIN.** Cr. 1759-60.—The HON. SIR JOHN SHEPPEY RIBTON, 3rd Bt.; s. 1807; b. 1797; m. 1818, only dau. and heiress of Jer. Hayes, Esq. of Killuragh, co. Limerick; is an officer in the army, and served in Spain, Portugal, France, and America. Sir George, Kt., was lord mayor of Dublin, 1749.

*Arms*—Or, a cross and bordure, engrailed, gu., in each chief quarter a lozenge, az.

*Seat*—Woodbrook, Bray, Dublin.

*Heir*—His son John Hayes.

**BRADSTREET OF STRACUMNIE, KILDARE.** Cr. 1759.—The HON. SIR SIMON BRADSTREET, 4th Bt.; b. 1772; s. 1791; m. Miss Murphy, of Dublin. During the usurpation of Cromwell, John Bradstreet settled in Ireland, and obtained grants of land, co. Kilkenny. The 1st Bt. was directly descended from this ancestor, and was a barrister-at-law when created a Bt.; his dau. was m. to Edm. 10th Viscount Mountgarret. The 2nd Bt. m. the sister of the Right Hon. Sir Henry Cavendish, Bt.; and the 3rd Bt., barrister-at-law, recorder of Dublin, M.P. for the city, was, in 1784, elevated to be a judge in the Court of King's Bench.

*Arms*—Ar., a greyhound, passant, gu., on a chief, sa., three crescents, or.  
*Seat*—Stracumnie, Kildare.

*Heir pres.*—His bro., Samuel James.

**GORE BOOTH OF LISSADELL, SLIGO.** Cr. 1760. The HON. SIR ROBERT GORE BOOTH, 4th Bt.; b. 1805; s. his fa. 1814; m. 1st, 1827, 2nd dau. of Visct. Lorton; 2ndly, 1830, 2nd dau. of Thomas Goold, Esq., master in chancery. This family is a branch of the noble house of Gore, of Manor Gore, Bts. Sir Francis, Kt., of Artaman,

Sligo, was the 4th son of Sir Paul, of Manor Gore, and bro. of Sir Arthur, ancestor of the Earls of Arran. Sir Booth Gore, the 1st Bt., was great grandson of Sir Francis. The 3rd Bt. assumed the surname and arms of Booth, 1804, and in that year m. the dau. of H. Irwin, of Streamstown, by Anne Stewart, an heiress of the noble Scottish house of Stewart.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, ar., three boars' heads, coupé, sa.; 2nd and 3rd, gu., a fesse, between three crosses-crosslet fitchée, or.

*Seats*—Lissadell and Earlsfield, Sligo; Huntercomb, Bucks; Salford, Lancashire.

*Heir*—His son.

**COTTER OF ROCK-FOREST, CORK.** Cr. 1763.—The HON. SIR JAS. LAWRENCE COTTER, 4th Bt.; b. 1828; s. his fa. 1834. In some old Irish MSS. the name of this family is written MacCotter. The early ancestors held important official situations. Sir James, Knt., was, 1676, marshal and secretary of several of the West India Islands, governor and collector of Cork, M.P. for the county, and ranger of the royal park of Shannon. He received several marks of favour from Charles II. and James II., and after the Revolution was brigadier and commander-in-chief of the co. of Cork, Limerick, and Kerry. His grandson, the 1st Bt., and the 2nd and 3rd Bts., were in parliament.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev., between three serpents, ypr.

*Seat*—Rockforest, Cork.

*Heir pres.*—His bro., the Rev. John Rogerson.

**BLACKWOOD OF BALLYLEIDY, DOWN.** Cr. 1763.—The HON. SIR PRICE BLACKWOOD, present Lord Dufferin and Claneboye.

**ST. GEORGE OF WOODSGIFT, KILKENNY.** Cr. 1766. The HON. SIR RICHARD BLYGH ST. GEORGE, 2nd Bt.; b. 1765; s. his fa. 1789; m. 1799, dau. of the Rt. Hon. Mr. Justice Kelly, of Kellyville, Queen's co.; 2ndly, 1807, eldest dau. of Theophilus Blakeney, Esq. of Abbett,

Galway. This noble family draws its pedigree from Baldwin St. George, one of the companions of the Conqueror, whose descendants were famous for several centuries in England, and were in parliament for Cambridge. His son, Sir Richard St. George, and his three sons, were knts. kings-of-arms. His 2nd son, Sir George, of Carrickdrumrusk, Knt., was the fa. of Sir Oliver St. George, created a Bt. 1660, and his son Sir George was elevated to the peerage of Ireland as Lord St. George, in 1715; was a P. C. and vice-admiral of Connaught. His grandson, St. George Usher, was also elevated to the peerage by the same title, which in his person became extinct, 1755. The 3rd son of the above Sir Richard went to Ireland early in the 17th century; was a captain in the army and governor of Athlone. His son obtained a grant of Woodgift from Charles II., 1666; and his grandson Richard was created a Bt.

*Arms* — Ar., a chief, az., over all, a lion ramp., gu., ducally crowned, or, armed and langued, of the second, a crescent for difference.

*Seat* — Woodgift, Kilkenny.

*Heir* — His son Theophilus John, b. 1810; m. 1836, dau. of J. Latour, Esq., Hexton House, Herts.

**BLUNDEN OF CASTLE BLUNDEN, KILKENNY.** Cr. 1766. The HON. SIR JOHN BLUNDEN, 3rd Bt.; b. 1814; s. his uncle 1818; m. 1839, 3rd dau. of the late John Knox, Esq., Dublin; is a barrister-at-law. The fa. of the 1st Bt. was M.P. for Kilkenny; his mother was sister of the 1st Lord Desart. Sir John was eminent at the bar, was M.P. for Kilkenny, and m. his cousin, dau. of Lord Desart.

*Arms* — 1st and 4th, ar., ten billets, four, three, two, and one, sa., or, a lion passant, guardant, per pale, gu. and sa.

*Seat* — Castle Blunden, Kilkenny.

**PARNELL OF RATHLEAGUE, QUEEN'S COUNTY.** Cr. 1766. — The HON. SIR JOHN PARNELL, present Lord Congleton.

**LOFTUS OF MOUNT LOFTUS, KILKENNY.** Cr. 1768. — The HON. SIR FRANCIS HAMILTON LOFTUS; s. his bro. Sir Nicholas in the baronetcy, in 1832.

*Arms* — Sa., a chev., engr., erm., bet. three trefoils, slipped, ar.

*Seat* — Mount Loftus, Kilkenny.

**STEELE OF HAMPSTEAD, DUBLIN.** Cr. 1768. — The HON. SIR RICH. STEELE, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the dau. of J. Verity, of Bowling Hall, Yorksh.; b. 1775; s. 1787; m. 1798, youngest dau. of Edward, 1st Count D'Alton, who was a lieutenant in the Austrian service, and who fell at the siege of Dunkirk in 1793. The 1st Bt. settled at Hampstead, 1768. His son, the 2nd Bt., was at the battle of Minden, 1759, and was severely wounded at the capture of Hesse Cassel.

*Arms* — Ar., a bend, counter-compony, sa. and or, between two lions, erased, gu.; on a chief, az., three billets, gold.

*Residence* — 72, Stephen's Green; South Monkstown, Dublin.

*Heir* — His son John Maxwell; b. 1811; m. eldest dau. of J. Graves, Esq. of Mickleton Manor House, Gloucester.

**FETHERSTONE OF ARDAGH, LONGFORD.** Cr. 1776. The HON. SIR GEORGE RALPH FETHERSTONE, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the dau. of G. B. Whitney, Esq. of New Pass, Westmeath; b. 1784; s. 1819; m. 1821, eldest dau. of R. Solly, Esq. of York Place, Portman Square. The founder of this noble family removed from Durham into Ireland, after the battle of Worcester. The grandson of the founder settled at Ardagh, and his youngest son was the 1st Bt. The 2nd Bt. was M.P. for the co. of Longford.

*Arms* — Gu., on a chev., between three ostrich feathers, ar., a martlet, of the field.

*Seats* — Ardagh House, Longford; and New Pass, Westmeath.

*Heir pres.* — His bro. John.

**LAWLESS OF ABINGTON, LIMERICK.** Cr. 1776. — The HON. SIR VALENTINE BROWNE LAWLESS, created Baron Cloncurry of the United Kingdom, 1831.

**LANGRISHE OF KNOCKTOPHER, KILKENNY.** Cr. 1777. The HON. AND REV. SIR ROBERT LANGRISHE; s. his fa. in 1811; m. dau. of Bellingham Boyle, Esq., and grand-dau. of his Grace, Archbishop (Hoadley) of Armagh. Hercules, the first of the family who settled in Ireland, was owner of the town of Knocktopher; he m. the dau. of Lord Blaney; and 3rdly, the dau. of Robert Grace, baron of Courtstown, M.P. His grandson, the Rt. Hon. Sir Hercules, was the 1st Bt., was a P. C., and a distinguished member, for forty years, in the Irish parliament, and assisted in relaxing the laws concerning Roman Catholics. He m. the dau. and co-heir of R. Mybill, of Killarney, and sister of the Marchioness of Ely.

*Arms*—Quart., sa. and or, four covered cups, counterchanged.

*Seat*—Knocktopher, Kilkenny.

**PALMER OF CASTLE LACKIN, CO. MAYO.** Cr. 1777.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM HENRY ROGER PALMER, 4th Bt.; b. 1802; m. dau. of J. Matthews, Esq. of Plas Bostock, Denbigh; s. his fa. 1840.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev., between three palmers' scrips, sa., fringed, tasselled, &c., or.

*Seats*—Renure Park, Dublin; Palmerston, Mayo; and Balashannon, Kildare.

*Heir*—Roger Henry William, b. 1832.

**WALSH OF BALLYKILCAVAN, QUEEN'S CO.** Cr. 1777.—The HON. SIR EDW. JOHNSON WALSH, 2nd Bt.; s. his fa., the 1st Bt., 1831. Henry, his paternal uncle, was created a Bt. of the U. K., as Johnston of Bath, 1818. The 1st Bt. of this noble family assumed, in 1809, the surname of Walsh, on the death of his maternal uncle, Dean Ralph Walsh.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, ar., a fesse, az., between six martlets, sa.; 2nd and 3rd, sa., on a saltier, ar., between three towers, or, in flames, ppr., and in base, two tilting spears, in saltier, ppr., five cocks, gu.

*Seat*—Ballykilcavan, Queen's Co.

**FALKINER OF ANNEMOUNT, CORK.** Cr. 1777.—The HON. SIR

**RIGGS FALKINER, 3rd Bt.,** son of the 2nd Bt., by the dau. of Charles Leslie, Esq., M.D., grand-dau. of the Very Rev. Dean Leslie; s. his fa. 1825.

*Arms*—Or, three falcons, close, ppr. billed, gu., a mullet, for difference.

*Seat*—Annemount, Cork.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Charles.

**HILL OF BROOKEHALL, DERRY.** Cr. 1779.—The HON. SIR GEORGE HILL, 3rd Bt.; s. 1839, his uncle, the Rt. Hon. Sir Geo. Fitzgerald Hill; m. 1831, eldest dau. of John Rea, Esq. of St. Columbs, Derry. The founder of the family went to Ireland, 1642, as treasurer to Cromwell, and for his services received grants of land in four different counties. His great-great-grandson, M.P. for Derry, was the 1st Bt. The 2nd Bt. also represented Derry for thirty-five years, with a short interval; was successively a lord of the Irish treasury, vice treasurer for Ireland, P.C. of the U. K., gov. of St. Vincents, and lastly of Trinidad, where he died.

*Arms*—Sa., a chev., ermineois, betw. three leopards' faces, ar.

*Seat*—Brooke Hall, Londonderry.

*Heir*—His son John, b. 1833.

**FFRENCH OF CASTLE FFRENCH, GALWAY.** Cr. 1779.—The HON. SIR CHARLES, present Baron Ffrench.

**WALLER OF NEWPORT, TIPPERARY.** Cr. 1780.—The HON. SIR EDMUND WALLER, 4th Bt.; born 1797; s. his uncle, 1830; m. 1828, 2nd dau. of Geo. Waller, Esq. of Prior Park, Tipperary. Richard, of the family of the Wallers of Groombridge, Esq., went to Ireland as an adventurer in arms, temp. Cromwell. The 1st and 2nd Bts. were both in parliament.

*Arms*—Chequy, or, and az., on a canton, gu., a lion ramp., double queued, of the first.

*Seat*—Newport, Tipperary.

*Heir*—His son Robert.

**TOTTENHAM OF TOTTENHAM GREEN, WEXFORD.** Cr. 1780.—The HON. SIR JOHN LOFTUS, present Marquess of Ely.

**O'DONEL OF NEWPORT, MAYO.** Cr. 1780.—The HON. SIR RICHARD

**ANNESLEY O'DONEL**, 4th Bt., second son of the 2nd Bt., by a dau. of the Earl of Annesley; s. 1828; m. 1831, a dau. of Geo. Glendinning, of Westport, Esq. This noble family is of royal Milesian descent, and deduces from the common ancestor of the Earls of Tyrone, kings of Ulster, and the O'Melaghans, kings of Meath. In more recent times the family were intermarried with the families of the chiefs Shane O'Neill, Lord of Enniskillen, and O'Neill, Earl of Tyrone. Sir Hugh m. a dau. of Macdonald, Lord of the Isles, whose son, Hugh-Roe, was the famous Prince of Tyrconnel, and whose 2nd son was, in 1603, cr. Baron Donegall and Earl of Tyrconnel. A descendant, Sir Neill Garbh, was knighted by Lord Mountjoy in 1602, and was inaugurated as the O'Donel; but this dignity he was forced to surrender by Roy, Earl of Tyrconnel.

*Arms*—Gu., issuing from the side of a shield, a cubit sinister arm, vested, az., cuffed, or, the hand, ppr., grasping a cross fitchée, of the third.

*Seat*—Newport House, Mayo.

**MASSEY OF DOONAS, CLARE.** Cr. 1781.—The Hon. Sir Hugh Dillon Massey, 3rd Bt.; s. his uncle, 1842; m. Mary, dau. of John Westropp, Esq. of Attyflin, co. Limerick, but has no issue. This noble family claims a common ancestor with the peerage house of Massy in Hugh, 1641, whose great grandson was elevated to the peerage of Ireland as Lord Massy in 1776. The younger bro. of his lordship was the fa. of the 1st Bt., who was M.P. for Clare.

*Arms*—Ar., on a chev., between three lozenges, sa., a lion, passant, or.

*Seat*—Doonas, Clare.

**DENNY OF TRALEE CASTLE, KERRY.** Cr. 1782.—The Hon. Sir Edward; b. 1796; s. as 4th Bart., on death of his fa., 1831. Sir Edm. Denny, one of the barons of Exchequer, was the grandson of John, who fell in the French wars of Henry V. This baron died, 1520, and is interred in St. Bennett's

Church, London. A younger son of the baron was groom of the stole and P.C. Henry VIII. His grandson was, in 1604, created Baron Denny, and in 1626, Earl of Norwich. The barony devolved on his dau., who m. the Earl of Carlisle. From 1630, downwards, the family were very distinguished, holding many important offices. Sir Edw. was the first settler in Ireland, temp. Elizabeth, and obtained a grant of Tralee Castle, and manor of Desmond, for taking as prisoner the Earl of Desmond. He was created a knight-bannet at the same time, and presented by Elizabeth with a richly-embroidered scarf and gloves, still in the family. The family have intermarried with the other noble and peerage families of Roper, Earl of Baltinglas, David Earl of Barrymore, Coningsby, &c.

*Arms*—Gu., a saltier, between twelve crosses patée, or.

*Seat*—Tralee Castle, Kerry.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Robert Day.

**HUTCHINSON OF CASTLE SALLAGH, WICKLOW.** Cr. 1782.—The Hon. and Rev. Sir Samuel Synge, 3rd Bt.; b. 1756; m. 1787, dau. of the late Hans Wood, of Rossmead, Esq.; 2ndly, 1801, dau. and co-heir of J. Hatch, Esq., and grand-dau. of Bp. Synge of Killaloe; s. to the baronetcy on the death of his maternal uncle, the Hon. and the Rev. Sir Samuel Hutchinson, whose name he assumed. The Lord Bishop of Down and Connor, 1720, and his bro. Samuel, were the first of the family who settled in Ireland. The son of Samuel was Bishop of Killala, and his grandson was the 1st Bt., sheriff of Wicklow, 1783, and M.P.

*Seat*—Palermo, Bray.

*Heir*—His son Francis, b. 1802; m. 1824, dau. of the late Hon. Francis Hely Hutchinson, sister of the Earl of Donoughmore.

**MUSGRAVE OF TOURIN, WATERFORD, AND MYRTLE GROVE, CORK.** Cr. 1782.—The Hon. Sir Richard, 3rd Bt.; b. 1790; s. his fa. 1826; m. 1815, dau. of his grace the late Wm. Newcomb, Archbishop

of Armagh. This noble family springs from and is a branch of the ancient family of Musgrave, in Westmorland. The 1st Bart. m. a dau. of Sir H. Cavendish, Bt.; was known as a political writer, and was author of the History of the Irish Rebellion, 1798. He died, 1828, and was s. by his bro., whose son, the present Bart., was for some time M.P. for Waterford.

*Arms*—Ar., six annulets, or, three, two, and one.

*Seat*—Tourin Cappoquin, Waterford.  
*Heir*—His son Richard.

**WARREN OF WARREN COURT, CORK.** Cr. 1784.—The HON. SIR AUGUSTUS, 3rd Bt.; b. 1791; s. his fa. 1821. The founder of this family in Ireland was an officer in the army of King William. The 2nd Bt. was M.P. for Cork, and m. the sister of Francis Earl of Bandon, the mother of the present Bart.

*Seats*—Warren Court, and Crookstown, Cork.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. John Borlase, b. 1799; m. his cousin Mary Warren.

**HOARE OF ANNABELLA, CORK.** Cr. 1784.—The HON. SIR JOSEPH WALLIS, 3rd Bt.; b. 1775; m. 1800, Lady Harriet O'Bryan, sister of the Marquis of Thomond; s. his fa. (who m. the dau. and co-heir of W. Wallis, Esq. of Ballycoenane) in the baronetcy. This noble family settled in Ireland in the 17th century, and for their services, temp. Cromwell, obtained considerable territories. In 1686, Edward, a descendant, was lord mayor of Dublin. Edward, his son, was sheriff and mayor of Cork, 1708-10, and was M.P. for Cork for seventeen years. He intermarried with the dau. of a cadet of the peerage family of Conyngham. His 2nd son was the 1st Bt., and in parliament, at the age of ninety-three, opposed the Union. The father of the present Bt. was M.P. for Carlow from 1769 to 1776.

*Arms*—Sa., an eagle displayed, with two necks, within a bordure, engr., ar., quartered with those of WALLIS.

*Seat*—Annabella, Cork.

*Heir*—His son Edward, b. 1801; m.

1824, a dau. of Thos. H. Barrett, Esq. of Garbrand Hall, Ewell, Surrey.

**DE VERE OF CURRAGH, TIPPERARY.** Cr. 1784.—The HON. SIR AUBREY, 2nd Bt.; b. 1788; m. 1807, eldest dau. of Steph. Edw. Rice of Mount Trenchard, Limerick; s. 1818. The progenitor of this family in Ireland was an officer in Cromwell's army, 1657, and came from Essex. His grandfa. Vere Hunt, sheriff of Essex, m. into the family of Earl of Oxford. He was a commissioner for raising public supplies in Ireland, temp. 1657-60. His great-great-grandson was the 1st Bart., and m. the only dau. of Lord Glentworth, Bishop of Limerick, and sister of the present Earl of Limerick, the mother of the present Bt., who has assumed the surname of Vere in place of the family name of Hunt.

*Arms*—Quarter., gu. and or, in the dexter chief quarter, a mullet, ar.

*Seats*—Curragh Chase, Limerick; Glangoole, Tipperary.

*Heir*—Vere Edmond, b. 1808; m. 1838, eldest dau. of R. Standish, Esq. of Scaleby Castle, Cumb., &c., by Lucy dau. of the Earl of Limerick.

**BLAQUIERE OF BLAQUIERE.** Cr. 1784.—The HON. SIR JOHN DE BLACQUIERE, present Lord de Blaquiere.

**GODFREY OF BUSHFIELD, KERRY.** Cr. 1785.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM DUNCAN, 3rd Bt.; born 1797; m. 1824, dau. of John Coltsman, Esq. of Dromboomer Castle, Kerry; s. his fa. 1834. Col. John Godfrey, of the family of Godfrey, in Kent, received a grant of land in Kerry for his military services, temp. rebellion, 1641. His great-great-grandson was the 1st Bart., and represented Tralee and Belfast.

*Arms*—Ar., a griffin passant, wings endorsed, sa., between two lions' heads, erased, gu.

*Seat*—Kilcoman Abbey, Kerry.

*Heir ap.*—His son John Fermor; b. 1828.

**DE BURGO OF CASTLE CONNELL, LIMERICK.** Cr. 1785.—The HON. SIR JOHN ALLEN, 3rd Bt., s. his bro. in the Baronetcy; m. dau. of the



late Richard Waller, of Castle Waller, Tipperary. This family removed to Ireland under "Strongbow," Earl of Pembroke, and was a branch of the illustrious house of Clanricarde. The name in time was written Burke, &c., but by letters patent the Earl of Clanricarde, Ulick Bourke, of London, and Thomas, of Ireland, were authorized to resume De Burgo as their surname. The 1st Bt., fa. of the present, assumed the name.

*Arms*—Erminois, a cross, gu., in the first quarter, a lion ramp., sa.

*Seat*—Castle Connell, Limerick.

STAUNTON OF CARGINS, GALWAY. Cr. 1785.—The HON. SIR GEO. THOMAS, D.C.L., F.R.S., M.P., 2nd Bt.; b. 1781; s. his fa. 1810, was chief supercargo of the H.E.I. Co. at China, was president of select committee at Canton, and commissioner to Peking, 1816; is V.P., R.A.S.; is known as the author of several works on this country's relations with China, and the translator of the penal laws of China. His fa. was attor.-gen. of Grenada, and secretary to Lord Macartney at Madras and in China.

*Arms*—Ar., two chevrons, sa.

*Seat*—Leigh Park, Hants.

HODSON OF HOLLYBROOKE, WICKLOW. Cr. 1785.—The HON. SIR GEO. FRED. JOHN, 3rd Bt.; b. 1806; s. his bro. in the Baronetcy, 1831. The family were feudal lords of the manor of Skea, and are more immediately descended from the Right Rev. Dr. John Hodson, Bishop of Elphin, 1667. His great-great-grandson was the 1st Bt., and was sheriff of Westmeath, of Wicklow, and of Cavan, and acquired the estates of Holybrooke by his m. with the heiress of Forster Adair, Esq. The fa. of the present Bt. was by a 2nd marriage. Sir George is a member of the Committee of the Order for Privileges.

*Arms*—Sa., a chev., between three martlets, or.

*Seats*—Holybrooke House, Wicklow, and Greenpark, Westmeath.

BUNBURY-RICHARDSON OF AUGHER CASTLE, TYRONE. Cr. 1787.—The HON. SIR JAMES MERVYN BUNBURY, 2nd Bt.; b. 1781; m. 1810, dau. of J. Corry Moutray, Esq. of Favour Royal, Tyrone. He s. his fa. the 1st Bt. in 1830. This noble family is of Scottish origin, having settled in Ireland about 1641, and obtained the estate and castle of Augher by intermarriage with the dau. of Sir James Erskine.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, a chess rook, between two leopards' faces in bend, between two bendlets, sa., for BUNBURY; 2nd and 3rd, on a fesse, ar., between an ancient ship, the sails furled, in chief, and in saltier, gu., a bull's head, coupéd, or, for RICHARDSON.

*Seat*—Castle Hill, county Tyrone.

*Heir ap.*—His eldest son John.

DES VŒUX OF INDIA VILLE, QUEEN'S CO. Cr. 1787.—The HON. SIR CHARLES, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st, by a dau. of the Very Rev. Arthur Champagné, Dean of Clonmacnoise, Ireland; b. 1779; m. 1st, in 1801, a dau. of the late Richard Hird, Esq. of Rawdon, York, by whom he has issue; and 2ndly, a dau. of the Marquess of Winchester; s. to the baronetcy, 1814. He served in Holland, and at Alkmaar lost his right leg by a cannon shot. His father served in India, and was an M.P. in the Irish Parliament. This noble family is of French origin, being descended from Anthony Vinchon, 2nd son of the President de Bacquencourt, of the parliament of Rouen. He assumed the name of Des Vœux, and settled in Ireland.

*Arms*—Gu., on a pale, or, a squirrel, sejant, in chief, and a Moor's head, coupéd, ppr., in base.

*Seat*—India Ville, Queen's County.

*Heir*—His son Henry William, born 1806; m. the widow of the Hon. Sir Roger Gresley, Bt.

BATESON OF KILLOQUIN, ANTRIM. Cr. 1789.—The HON. SIR ROBERT, s. as 2nd Bt., in 1825, on the death of his uncle, Sir Robert Bateson Harvey; m. 1819, dau. of Anth. Hammond, Esq. of Hutton Bonville, York. This family, and

that of Bateson of Belvoir Park, are from the same ancestor.

*Arms*—Ar., three bats' wings, sa., on a chief, gu., a lion passant, or.

*Seat*—Castruse, Donegal.

**NEWPORT OF NEW PARK, WATERFORD.** Cr. 1789.—The **RIGHT HON. SIR JOHN, P.C., D.C.L., M.R.I.A.**, 1st Bt., son of S. Newport, Esq., banker, Waterford; b. 1756; m. dau. of S. Carew, Esq. of Castle Borough, Wexford; was M.P. for Wexford; was Chancellor of Irish Exchequer in 1806, and for some time comptroller of Exchequer. This noble family claims descent from the peerage house of Newport, Earls of Bradford, raised to that dignity in 1694, but extinct, 1762. The more immediate ancestors obtained a patent of nobility in Holland, and from this branch sprang Capt. John, who went to Ireland with King William, and settled there. Sir John is his grandson.

*Arms*—Or, a chev., gu., between three leopards' faces, sa.

*Seat*—New Park, Kilkenny.

*Heir pres.*—His brother William, whose son, Simon George, b. 1785, m. dau. of Jos. Green, Esq. of Law Grange.

**HAYES OF DRUMBOE CASTLE, DONEGAL.** Cr. 1789.—The **HON. SIR EDMUND SAMUEL**, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt. by the dau. of the Hon. Sir Thos. Leighton, Bt.; b. 1806; s. 1827; m. 1837, eldest dau. of the Hon. Sir Hercules Pakenham, K.C.B., son of Edw. Michael Lord Langford; is M.P. for Donegal since 1831.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev., between three griffins' heads, erased, sa.

*Seat*—Drumboe Castle, Donegal.

**TALBOT OF BELFAST, ANTRIM.** Cr. 1790.—The **HON. SIR GEORGE**, s. his bro. as 3rd Bt. in 1812; m. Anne, dau. of the Rev. Thos. Preston of Swainton. This noble family is a branch of the illustrious house of Talbot, Earls of Shrewsbury, by the Hon. Sir Gilb. Talbot, Knt. Banneret, 3rd son of John Earl of Shrewsbury. From Sir Gilbert lineally descended Dr. Talbot,

Bishop of Oxford, 1699, afterwards Bishop of Durham. His son Charles was lord high chancellor of England, and created Lord Talbot, and is represented by his grandson, now Earl of Talbot. A younger son, Gen. Talbot, was the fa. of the 1st Bt., and grandfather of the present.

*Arms*—Gu., a lion, ramp., within a bordure, engrailed, or, a mullet for difference.

*Seat*—At Mickloham, near Leatherhead.

**LIGHTON OF DONAGHMORE.** Cr. 1791.—The **HON. SIR JOHN**, 5th Bt., s. his fa. the Hon. and Rev. Sir John Lighton, 1827. The 1st Bt. was an eminent banker in Dublin; M.P. and high sheriff of that city, 1790.

*Arms*—Barry of eight, ar. and vert. over all a lion ramp., crowned with an eastern crown, or, armed and langued, az., a canton of Ireland.

*Seat*—Donaghmore, Castlefin.

**FOSTER OF PHILLIPSTOWN, LOUTH.** Cr. 1794.—The **HON. and REV. THOMAS FOSTER**; b. 1751; m. 1786, dau. of the Rev. Geo. House, D.D., Archdeacon of Down. John Foster, from whom this family deduce, was a colonel under Cromwell, and obtained a grant of the great Tallaghan estate, which was confirmed by Charles II.

*Arms*—Sa., a chev., erm., between three pheons, ppr.

*Seat*—Tallaghan, Monaghan.

*Heir*—His son Geo., who m. 1816, dau. of M. Fortescue, Esq. of Stephenstown, Louth.

**PAUL OF BALLYGLAN, WATERFORD.** Cr. 1794.—The **HON. SIR JOSHUA CHRISTMAS**, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st, by the dau. of W. Gun, Esq. of Kilmany; b. 1773; s. 1799; m. 1811, a dau. of H. Wallis, Esq. of Drishane Castle. The founder of the family, Joshua Paul, went over from Durham to Ireland under Cromwell, and obtained grants of land for his services.

*Arms*—Az., a sword, erect, ar., pommel and hilt, or, between four crosses-pattée fitchée, of the second.

*Seats*—Paulville, Carlow; Ballyglan, Waterford; Tinoran, Wicklow.

*Heir pres.*—His brother William Gun, a barrister.

**SHEE OF DUNMORE, GALWAY.** Cr. 1794.—The HON. SIR GEORGE, 2nd Bt.; b. 1784; m. 1808, dau. of Wm. Young, Esq. of Hoxton House, Herts; s. his fa. 1825, and is minister plenipotentiary at Berlin. This ancient family descend from Odanus O'Shee, of the 10th century, whose descendant Odoneus O'Shee obtained letters of denization from Roger Mortimer, Earl of March and Ulster, in 1381, which were confirmed by King Henry the Sixth to his great-great-grandson, Richard Shee. He mar. Rose Archer, and had a son, Robert, who filled, in 1499, the office of sovereign of Kilkenny; m. Catherine Sherlock, and fell in the battle of Mealliffe, on the 6th of August, 1500, leaving a son, Richard, who m. Joan, daughter and heiress of Elias Archer of Ross, and had five sons. The eldest grandson of the above, receiving the honour of knighthood, became Sir Richard Shee, and was the ancestor of the Shees of Cloran, and the Shees of Gardenmorres, whilst from Sir Richard's second brother, Elias Shee of Clanmorne, county of Kilkenny, springs the present Bt., and Sir Martin Archer Shee, the president of the Royal Academy. Sir George Shee, the 1st Bt., filled successively the offices of surveyor-gen. of the ordnance, secretary of the treasury, and receiver-gen. in Ireland. He was under secretary of state in England. He m. in 1783, Elizabeth Maria, dau. of James Crisp, Esq., lineally descended from Sir Nicholas Crisp, mentioned by Clarendon as a Bart. in the reign of Charles I. This distinguished family has intermarried with the Rothes, Weymans, Burkes, &c. Robert Shee of Upper-court and Cloran, grandson of Sir Richard Shee, was secretary to the council of confederate catholics in 1642, when the greater part of his estates were confiscated. Major William O'Shee, of the 8th regt. of French light infantry, is the male representative of this branch of the family.

*Arms*—Per bend, az. and or, in chief,

a fleur-de-lis, and another in base, counterchanged.

*Seats*—Dunmore House, Galway, Muddiford, Hants.

**NUGENT OF BALINLOUGH, WESTMEATH.** Cr. 1795.—The HON. SIR JAMES NUGENT, 2nd Bt.; s. his fa., Sir Hugh O'Reilly; m. 1811, dau. of the late Baron d'Arabet, of the Holy Roman Empire. This noble family deduces from the ancient Milesian sept of O'Reilly, princes of Lower Brefney. The first Bt. m. the dau. and heir of Charles Matthew, of Annfield, of the noble family of Landaff. Sir Hugh assumed the maternal name of Nugent only on the death of his uncle, John Nugent, Esq. Tulloughan.

*Arms*—Erm., two bars, gu.

*Seat*—Ballinlough Castle, Westmeath.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. John, in the Austrian Service, chamberlain to the Emperor, and count of the Holy Roman Empire.

**HOPKINS OF ATHRAY LODGE, ATHBAY.** Cr. 1795.—The HON. SIR FRANCIS HOPKINS, 2nd Bt.; b. 1813; s. his fa. in 1814; is descended from the Right Rev. Ezekiel Hopkins, Lord Bishop of Derry, who d. 1690. The 1st Bt. received the dignity for great activity and zeal in the discharge of magisterial duties at the time of the Irish Rebellion, 1798. He was a member of the last Irish Parliament.

*Arms*—Sa., on a chev., betw. three dexter gauntlets, or, as many roses, gu., seeded and barbed, vert.

*Seats*—Athbay, Meath; Rochfort, Westmeath.

**MEREDYTH OF CARLANDSTOWN, MEATH.** Cr. 1795.—The HON. SIR HENRY, 3rd Bt.; m. dau. of G. Le Hunt, Esq. of Atramont, Wexford; is a barrister, and Q. C. in Ireland; s. his bro., the Rev. Sir Thos. Meredyth; is descended from the Right Rev. Richard Meredyth, Lord Bishop of Leighlin and Ferns.

*Arms*—Quart., sa., 1st and 4th, a chev., or, betw. three goats' heads, erased, or; 2nd and 3rd, az., a lion rampant, or, with a crescent for difference.

*Seat*—Carlandstown, Meath.

*Heir*—His son Henry.

**JERVIS OF BELL CAMP, DUBLIN.** Cr. 1797.—The HON. SIR HENRY MEREDYTH JERVIS-WHITE, 2nd Bt.; b. 1793; m. 1818, Marian, dau. of William Campbell, of Fairfield, Ayrshire; s. his fa. in 1830; is a lieut. R.N. John White, of knightly English family, settled in Ireland in the reign of Charles II. He purchased Bally Ellis, and married Lady Margaret Seymour. His son m. the dau. and heiress of Sir Humphrey Jervis, lord mayor of Dublin, and descendant of Jervis, of Allerton, whose descendant, through a junior branch, was Admiral Sir John Jervis, Earl St. Vincent. Sir Henry is a member of the Committee of the Order for Privileges.

*Arms*—Qu., 1st and 4th, sa., a chev., between three eaglets, close, ar., for JERVIS, &c.

*Seat*—Bally Ellis, Wexford; and Bell Camp, Dublin.

*Heir*—His son John, b. 1819.

**BURKE OF MARBLE HILL, GALWAY.** Cr. 1797.—The HON. SIR JOHN BURKE, 2nd Bt.; s. his fa. in 1813; m. 1812, eldest dau. of the late Right Hon. John Calcraft, M.P.; is a col. in the army. His great-grandfa. was Thos. of Gortnacappoge, now Marble Hill, who d. 1714. The 3rd dau. of the 1st Bt. m. the 13th Earl of Clanricarde, and is mother of the Marquess Clanricarde, and of the Marchioness of Sligo, and Countess of Howth. The 4th dau. m. Viscount Strangford. Sir John is a member of the Committee of the Baronetage for Privileges.

*Arms*—Ermine, a cross, gu., in the 1st quarter a lion rampant, sa.

*Seat*—Marble Hill, Galway.

*Heir*—His son Thomas John, born 1833.

**DE BEAUVOIR OF JOHNSTOWN, DUBLIN.** Cr. 1797.—The HON. SIR JOHN EDMOND BROWNE DE BEAUVOIR, 2nd Bt.; s. his fa. in 1835; m. 1825, dau. of Rich. Wright, of East Hurling Hall, Norfolk, and the next of kin of the Rev. Peter De Beauvoir. This family deduces

from John Browne, of the Neale, a common ancestor with the noble houses of Kilmaine and Sligo. John Browne was created a Bt. of Nova Scotia, 1636, and had three sons,—the elder, ancestor of Lord Kilmaine; the 2nd, ancestor of the Marquess of Sligo; the 3rd son, m. a dau. of Sir Henry Talbot, and a niece of the Duke of Tyrconnel. The first Irish Bt. was great-great-grandson of the Nova Scotia Bt., and was eminently distinguished for his eloquence, literary attainments, and elegance of manners. The present Bt., his son, assumed the name of De Beauvoir, and claimed and received knighthood in 1827, as the eldest son of a Baronet.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, sa., three lions passant, in bend, betw. two double cottises, ar., a mullet for difference; 2nd and 3rd, ar., a chev., gu., betw. two cinquefoils in chief, and an eagle in base, sa.

*Seat*—Johnstown, Dublin.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Charles Manly Browne.

**MACARTNEY OF DERRYLEA, KILDARE.** Cr. 1799.—The HON. and REV. SIR WILLIAM, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by his 1st wife Ann Scriven, of the Scottish family of Barclays of Urie; s. his fa. 1812. The 1st Bt. distinguished himself and was knighted for his exertions in promoting the internal navigation of Ireland. He m. 2nd dau. of the Right Hon. Hussey Burgh, Lord Chief Baron of the Court of Exchequer in Ireland.

*Arms*—Or, a stag, rippant, within a bordure, gu.

*Seat*—Lish, Armagh.

*Heir pres.*—His brother Isaac.

**MULLINS OF BURNHAM, KERRY.** Cr. 1797.—The HON. SIR THOMAS TOWNSEND AREMBERG DE MOLINES, present Baron Ventry. This noble family derive from a common ancestor with that of Molyneux, Earls of Sefton—viz., from Sir Richard Molyneux, Knt. of Sefton, in the county of Lancaster, from whom descended William Molyneux, or Mullins, of Burnham, Norfolk, whose son

Frederick William Mullins, Esq., settled in Ireland, and obtained considerable grants of land in the province of Ulster, which he sold, and purchased estates in the county of Kerry. Mr. Mullins sat in two successive parliaments in the reign of King William. He married Jane, dau. and co-heiress of the Very Rev. Dean Evelyn, and was s. by his grandson, William Mullins, Esq. of Burnham, Kerry, (son of Frederick Mullins, Esq., by Martha, eldest dau. of Thomas Blennerhasset, Esq., and grand-daughter, maternally, of Dermot, 5th Baron of Inchiquin,) who m. in 1716, Mary, dau. of Geo. Rowan, Esq., by Mary his wife, only dau. of Thomas Blennerhasset, Esq. of Ballyseedy, and dying, 3rd May, 1761, left a dau., Anne, mar. to Samuel Crumpe, Esq., and an only son, Sir Thomas Mullins, who was created a Bt. on the 7th of Dec. 1797, and was afterwards raised to the peerage of Ireland, on the 29th of July, 1800, as Lord Ventry of Ventry, in the county of Kerry. His lordship m. in 1775, Elizabeth, dau. of Townsend Gunn, Esq. of Rattoo, in the same county, by whom he had Sir William Townsend, who s. as 2nd Bt. and Lord, who m. 1st, in 1784, Sarah Anne, dau. of the Hon. Sir Riggs Falkiner, Bt. of Annmount, Cork, by whom he had issue, and 2ndly, in 1790, Frances Elizabeth, only dau. of Isaac Sage, Esq. Dying in 1827, without issue male, the titles devolved upon his nephew, Sir Thomas, the present peer.

*Arms*—Az., a cross-moline, or, quarter pierced, of the field.

*Seat*—Burnham House, co. Kerry.

*Heir ap.*—His son D'ayrolles-Blake-ney, b. 1828.

**SMITH OF NEWTOWN, KING'S CO.**  
Cr. 1799.—The HON. SIR MICHAEL CUSAC SMITH, 3rd Bt.; son of the 2nd, by the dau. of Thos. Berry, Esq. of Eglis Castle; b. 1793; m. 1829, Miss Eliza Moore; s. in 1836. The family, originally from Yorksh., settled in Ireland in the 17th century; the founder was a colonel in

the army. The 1st Bt., Sir Michael, LL.D., was an eminent advocate; was in parliament; a baron of Exchequer; judge to the rolls, and afterwards P.C.; he m. the dau. of Sir Thos. Cusac, Knt., lord chancellor of Ireland, who sprang from Sir Lucas Cusac, who, temp. Henry II., was Lord of Killeen, Dunsany, and Gerrardstown, which dignities passed with his dau. into the Plunkett family. The Barony of Killeen was claimed by Sir James Cusac, the father-in-law of the 2nd Bt., whose name he assumed. The 2nd Bt. was also an eminent lawyer and judge, and enjoyed the honours of D.C.L., F.R.S., M.R.I.A.

*Arms*—Quarterly, 1st and 4th, ar., on a bend, between two unicorns' heads, erased, az., armed, or, three lozenges of the last, for SMITH.

*Seat*—Newtown Park, near Tullamore.

*Heir*—His son William.

**CHINNERY OF FLINTFIELD, CORK.** Cr. 1799.—The HON. and REV. SIR NICHOLAS, 3rd Bt.; b. 1804; s. his fa. 1840. The ancestor of this family was of Castle Corr, of English descent, who went to Ireland, 1649, and made large purchases. His 2nd son m. the dau. of O'Callaghan of Barntee, ancestor of the present Lord Lismore. The eldest son m. the dau. of John Lysaght, ancestor of Lord Lisle. His 2nd son m. the niece of 1st Viscount Midleton; one of his sons was Lord Bishop of Cloyne, and his 3rd son was the 1st Bt., and M.P. for Bandon.

*Arms*—Az., a chev., erm., between three lions rampant, or, armed and langued, gu., on a canton, vert, a harp, of the third, stringed, ar.

*Seat*—Flintfield, Cork.

*Heir pres.*—His uncle St. John.

**CUFFE OF LEYRATH, KILKENNY.**  
Cr. 1799.—The HON. SIR JONAH DERING WHEELER, 1st Bt., son of Sir Richard Wheeler Cuffe, Knt., who assumed the name of Cuffe; m. dau. of Wm. Browne, Esq. of Browne's Hill, Carlow, by Lady Charlotte Bourke, dau. of his Grace

the Archbishop of Tuam, and 3rd Earl of Mayo. The founder of this noble family in Ireland was Jonah Wheeler, D.D., Lord Bishop of Ossory in 1618, who married Martha Tucker of the county of Kent. His lordship died in his 97th year, in 1640, and was succeeded by his only son, Oliver Wheeler of Grenane, Queen's County. Jonah Wheeler, the great grandson of the above, m. in 1743, Elizabeth, dau. and co-heir of Denny Cuffe, Esq. of Sandhill, co. of Carlow, brother of John, 1st Lord Desart. His eldest son Sir Richard, Kt., took the name of Cuffe, upon inheriting the Cuffe

estates. He married Rebecca, eldest d. of Eland Mossom, Esq. of Eland, co. of Kilkenny, by whom he had Sir Jonah, who was raised to the dignity of the baronetage, and several other sons and daughters. The family have intermarried with Barlow, Archbishop of Tuam, Donellan, justice of the common pleas, Palliser, Archbishop of Cashel, Brabazon, Nairne, Cooke, &c.

*Arms*—Ar., on a bend, indented, sa., three fleurs-de-lis of the field, between two cottises, az., each charged with three bezants.

*Seat*—Leyrath, Kilkenny.  
*Heir*—His son William.

## BADGE OF ULSTER.



# BARONETS

CREATED

FROM THE UNION OF ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND,

IN 1707,

TILL THE UNION WITH IRELAND,

IN 1801.



Arms of the HON. SIR CHRISTOPHER WILLIAM CODRINGTON,  
5th Baronet, of Doddington, Gloucestershire, M.P.

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## BARONETAGE OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE.

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 Baronets of Great Britain.

**DASHWOOD-KING OF WEST WYCOMBE, BUCKS.**—The HON. SIR JOHN, 4th Bt. ; s. his fa. in 1793 ; m. dau. of the late Theo. H. Broadhead, Esq., and has issue. The noble family of Dashwood was originally seated in Dorsetsh., whence it removed into Somersetsh., and settled at Vallow Wood in the reign of Queen Elizabeth. The 1st Bt. represented Winchelsea in Parliament, and married four times. Sir Francis, 2nd Bt., on the demise of his uncle, John Earl of Westmoreland, in 1762 ; s. to the Barony of Le Despencer in right of his mother. His lordship was chancellor of the Exchequer from 1762 to 1763, and was postmaster-general for several years. His half brother Sir John assumed the additional surname (his maternal) of King. They have intermarried with the noble families of Vere Earl of Westmoreland, King, Windsor Earl of Plymouth, Gould, Moore, &c. Sir John is the senior Bt. created after the union between England and Scotland.

*Arms*—Ar., on a fesse, double cotted, gu., three griffins' heads, erased, or.

*Seat*—West Wycombe, Bucks.

*Heir ap.*—George Henry, m. 1823, to Elizabeth, dau. of Theo. H. Broadhead, Esq.

**LAMBERT OF MOUNT IDA, NORFOLK.** Cr. 1710.—The HON. SIR HENRY JOHN LAMBERT, 5th Bt. ; s. his fa. in 1802 ; m. 1821, dau. of the Hon. E. Foley, and has issue. This noble family descends from John Lambert of the Isle of Rhé, in France. His son, Sir John, the 1st Bt., received his title in 1710, as a reward for his exertions to uphold the public credit in that year, by supplying the treasury with large sums of money. They have interm. with the Holmes, Whytes, Grevilles, &c. Sir Henry is a member of the Committee of the Baronetage for Privileges.

*Arms*—Ar., on a mount, an oak tree, vert, and a greyhound current, gu.

*Seat*—Mount Ida, Norfolk.

*Heir ap.*—His son Henry Edward Francis, b. 1822.

**LAKE OF EDMONTON, MIDDLESEX.** Cr. 1711.—The HON. SIR JAMES SAMUEL LAKE, 5th Bt.; s. his fa. 1832; m. to the dau. of Admiral Sir Richard King, Bt., and has issue two sons. This noble family descend from Sir Bibye Lake, governor of the African Company. They have interm. with the families of Winter, Crowther, Turner, &c.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st, gu., a dexter arm, embowed in armour, holding a banner, &c.

*Seat*—Coventry, Warwickshire.

*Heir ap.*—His son.

**EVELYN OF WOTTON PLACE, SURREY.** Cr. 1713.—The HON. SIR HUGH EVELYN, 2nd son of C. Evelyn, Esq., nephew of the 2nd Bt., by the dau. of F. Wright, Esq. of Liverpool; b. 1769; m. relict of — Hathaway, Esq. of Southwark: s. his bro. in 1833; served in the navy in early life. The 1st Bt. was only surviving grandson of the celebrated John Evelyn, author of the "Silva," &c., by his wife, a dau. of Sir Richard Browne, Bt., who was descended from George Evelyn, the first person who brought the manufacture of gunpowder to perfection in England.

*Arms*—Az., a griffin passant, and a chief, or.

*Seat*—Wootton Place, Surrey.

**DES BOUVERIE OF LONDON.** Cr. 1714. The HON. SIR WM. PLEYDELL-BOUVERIE, present Earl of Radnor.

**BYNG OF SOUTHHILL, BEDS.** Cr. 1715.—The HON. SIR GEORGE BYNG, present Viscount Torrington.

**WARRENDER OF LOCHEND, EAST LOTHIAN.** Cr. 1715.—The RT. HON. SIR GEORGE WARRENDER, 4th Bt.; s. his fa. 1799; m. the dau. of the 3rd Earl of Falmouth. This noble family descends from Sir George, who was Lord Provost of Edinburgh, and M.P. for that city. The 3rd Bt. was a cavalry officer of rank at the celebrated battle of Minden, M.P. for the Hoddington district of burghs, and king's remembrancer in the Court of Exchequer. Sir Geo. is a privy councillor.

*Arms*—Ar., on a bend, wavy, bet. six roses, gu., three plates.

*Seats*—Lochead, Midlothian, and Clifden House, Bucks.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. John.

**MILNER OF NUN APPLETON, YORKSH.** Cr. 1716.—The HON. SIR WM. M. S. MILNER, 4th Bt.; s. his fa. 1811; m. 1st, niece of the Earl of Leitrim, by whom he had two daus.; and 2ndly, dau. of Lord Edw. C. C. Bentinck, and has issue, two sons and seven daus. The 1st Bt. m. a dau. of his Grace, Sir W. Dawes, Archbishop of York.

*Arms*—Per pale, or and sa., a chev., between three horses' bits, counter-changed.

*Seats*—Nun Appleton Hall, and Bolton Lodge, both near Tadcaster.

*Heir ap.*—His eldest son William.

**PERROTT OF HAROLDSTON, PEMBROKESH.** Cr. 1716.—The HON. SIR EDW. BINDLOSS FERROTT, 3rd Bt.; b. 1784; s. his fa. 1796; m. dau. of Col. N. Bayley, M.P., bro. of Henry, 1st Earl of Uxbridge, and uncle of the present Marquess of Anglesey, K.G., and has issue three sons. In point of antiquity and grandeur of descent, few families in Europe equal that of the HOUSE OF FERROTT. Descended from a numerous race of kings, monarchs of Britain; they were feudal lords of Haroldston, Jestynston, and nineteen other manors in the counties of Pembroke and Carmarthen, besides various other landed possessions in Staffordshire, Kent, Worcestershire, and Salop. William de Perrott (from whom the river Perrott takes its name), 4th in descent from Howel, Prince of Anglesey and King of Man, by his wife Alfwyna, Queen of Mercia, was the fa. of Richard, who m. Bonna, dau. of Rollo, Duke of Normandy. Their son, Sir Richard, whose name stands on the roll of Battle Abbey, furnished his quota of men at the Conquest, and afterwards founded in Somersetshire a city, whose remains are North and South Perrott. He m. Blanche, dau. of Sancho Ramyro, 2nd King of Aragon, and left a son, Sir

Stephen, who m. the celebrated Princess Ellyn, Lady of Jestynston, dau. of Ap Howel Dha, the great king of all Wales, "the Lycurgus or lawgiver of that land." Their son, Sir Andrew, built the castle of Narbeth in Pembrokeshire, and m. Janet Mortimer, great grand-dau. of William the Conqueror. Among their lineal descendants were many knights bannerets. By the advice of one of them, Sir Owen Perrott, Henry VII. landed at Milford, where he assisted the claimant to the crown with men and money. So nearly was he related to the King, (both by Tudor and Plantagenet affinity) that the royal letters style Sir Owen, "our dearly beloved cousin." His grandson was the gallant and celebrated Sir John Perrott, Knt. of the Bath, Lord deputy, lieut.-gen., and gen.-governor of Ireland, under Elizabeth. He left 22,000*l.* per annum "in the name and blood of Perrott for ever," with many charitable foundations, which still are maintained. His son Sir Thomas was created a Bt. on the 29th June, 1611, but died before the patent was completed. Sir Herbert, his grandson, was an active royalist, and bravely defended Haroldston, the ancient family seat. He was great grand uncle of Sir James Perrott, who, in reward for eminent diplomatic services, was created a Bt. on the 1st of July, 1716, with limitation to his nephew Sir Richard, who s. as 2nd Bt. in 1731. This gallant officer was present at the battle of Culloden, and afterwards, entering the service of Frederick the Great, obtained the order of the Red Eagle, and was appointed lord high admiral of Prussia, with authority to raise a fleet. His acceptance of this great and extraordinary command having been forbid by the English Government, Sir Richard was employed in several confidential negotiations, for which he received the order of the Black Eagle, and was, by Louis XV. created a baron, with the privilege of the "Tabourette" to his lady, and

the ladies bearing the title of his successors. Sir Richard received from King George III. a warrant, dated 3rd Jan., 1767, under the royal sign manual, and the privy seal, confirming the baronetcy to him and his heirs-male; and three years afterwards, during the Wilkes riots, he brought up the loyal Flint address, for which he received an autograph letter of thanks, by command of the king, from the Prince of Wales, then only eight years of age. His attachment to the Crown on this occasion, led to his house in Gloucester View, Park Lane, being dismantled by the mob, and its costly effects burnt before it. Sir Richard received a medal, and other tokens of royal regard and approbation. He m. a dau. of Capt. Fordyce, R.M., great grand-niece of the illustrious John, Duke of Argyll, and left two sons and one dau. His successor, the present Bt., served during the war in both a civil and military capacity. In 1836 he was elected one of the Committee of Baronets to support their rights and privileges, and has twice received a vote of thanks from general meetings for zealous services to the order.

*Arms*—Within a bordure royal of three, charged with England and France, quarterly Ireland, in base an antique of six, 1st, PERROTT, gu., three pears, or, on a chief ar., a demi-lion issuant, sa., armed, of the field. Borne quartered with those of RODERIC the Great, King of all Wales; 2ndly, TUDOR MAUR, king of Wales; 3rdly, SIR GUY DE BRYAN, Knt. of the Garter; 4thly, BERKELEY; 5thly, DEVEBEUX, EARL OF ESSEX; and 6thly, the bordure surmounted in precise middle, chief, by the arms of ULSTER.

*Ancient Seats*—Narbeth Castle, Haroldston, Woodstock Castle, and Carew Castle.

*Residence*—The Mount, near Woolwich.

*Heir ap.*—Edward George Lambert, elected, in 1837, a Chevalier of the Sovereign Order of St. John of Jerusalem.

ELTON OF CLEVEDON COURT, SOMERSETSH. Cr. 1717.—The HON. SIR CHARLES ABRAHAM ELTON, 6th Bt.; s. his fa.; m. dau. of

Joseph Smith, Esq., and has issue. This noble Bt. descends from an ancient family of the Hasles, Herefordshire. Sir Charles is lieut.-col. of the Somersetshire militia.

*Arms*—Paly of six, gu. and or, on a bend, sa., three mullets of the second.

*Seat*—Clevedon Court, near Bristol.

*Heir ap.*—His son Arthur, b. 1818.

**BRIDGES OF GOODNESTON, KENT.** Cr. 1718.—The HON. SIR BROOK WILLIAM BRIDGES, 5th Bt.; s. his fa. 1829; m. 1834, dau. of L. Cage, Esq. of Milgate in Kent. This noble Bt. is descended of the ancient family of Bridges of the Grove, Middlesex, by the dau. of Sir Justinian Lewen, and is one of the co-heirs to the barony of Fitzwalter. The 1st Bt. m. a dau. of Lord Romney.

*Arms*—Az., three water bougets, or, within a bordure, erm.

*Seat*—Goodneston Park, near Canterbury, Kent.

**BLUNT OF HEATHFIELD PARK, SUSSEX.** Cr. 1720.—The HON. SIR WALTER BLUNT, son of the 4th Bt., by the dau. of R. Barker, Esq., relict of R. Achmuty, Esq. of Bengal; b. 1826; s. his fa. in 1840, who had represented Lewes in Parliament for many years.

*Arms*—Barry, nebulee of six, or and sa., a crescent for difference.

*Seats*—Heathfield Park, Sussex; Croydon, Surrey; Lydeard Millicent, Wiltshire.

**CODRINGTON OF DODDINGTON, GLOUCESTERSH.** Cr. 1721.—The HON. SIR CHRISTOPHER WM. CODRINGTON, 5th Bt.; s. his fa. 1843; m. in 1836, Lady Georgiana, dau. of the Duke of Beaufort. This noble family is very ancient in Gloucestersh., and one of them, John Codrington, was standard-bearer to Henry V. in his French wars. Christopher Codrington, who s. his fa. in the Government of the Leeward Islands, left 10,000*l.* to All Souls' College, Cambridge, for the founding of a library, and 2,000*l.* a year to the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel in Fo-

reign Parts. The present Bt. is member for his county.

*Arms*—Ar., a fesse, embattled counter, embattled sa., fretty gu., bet. three lioncels passant, gu.

*Seat*—Doddington Park, near Cirencester.

**FREDERICK OF WESTMINSTER.** Cr. 1723.—The HON. SIR RICHARD FREDERICK, son of the 5th Bt., by the dau. and co-heir of Richard Garth, Esq. of Morden; b. 1780; s. his fa. 1825; is a dep.-lieut. of Surrey. The 1st Bt. was grandson of Sir John Frederick, Knt., M.P. for the City of London in 1663; he was uncle to Sir Charles Frederick, K.B., surveyor-gen. of the ordnance.

*Seat*—Burwood House, Surrey.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Rev. Christopher, b. 1785; is rector of Leotton, Lincolnshire.

**FARNABY OF KIPPINGTON, KENT.** Cr. 1726.—The HON. SIR CHARLES FRANCIS FARNABY, 5th Bt., son of the 4th Bt., by the grand-dau. of Sir S. Lennard, Bt.; b. 1787; m. 1810, dau. of T. Morland, Esq., of Court Lodge, Kent; s. his fa. in 1802. This noble and ancient family was originally seated in Cornwall.

*Arms*—Ar., three bars gemelles, gu., on a bend, or, a lion passant of the second.

*Seat*—Wickham Court, Bromley, Kent.

**HILL OF HAWKESTONE, CO. SALOP.** Cr. 1726.—The HON. SIR ROWLAND HILL, present Viscount Hill.

**GOUGH OF EDGEASTON, WARWICKSH.** Cr. 1728.—The HON. SIR GEORGE GOUGH-CALTHORPE, present Lord Calthorpe.

**ROBINSON OF ROKEBY, YORK.** Cr. 1730.—The HON. SIR EDWARD MONTAGUE ROBINSON, present Lord Rokeby.

**CLAYTON OF MORDEN, CO. SURREY.** Cr. 1731.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM ROBERT CLAYTON, M.P., eldest son of the 4th Bt., by the dau. of Sir W. East, Bt.; b. 1786; m. 1817, dau. and heiress of Colonel

O'Donel, grand-dau. of the late Sir Neil O'Donel; s. his fa. in 1834; a col. in the army; dep.-lieut. of Buckinghamsh.; was at the battles of Vittoria, Pyrenees, Genappe, Quatre Bras, and Waterloo; has been M.P. for Great Marlow since 1831. The 1st Bt. was nephew of Sir R. Clayton, Knt., who was 30 years representative of the metropolis; that gentleman was chosen on the part of the city to compliment William III. on his arrival here, and expended a great sum of money in restoring Christ's Hospital after its injury by the fire of 1666.

*Arms*—Ar., a cross, sa., betw. four pellets.

*Seats*—Harleyford, near Marlow; Morden Park, Surrey; White Hall, Norfolk; the Cottage, Marlow; Llandillo, Carmarthensh.

*Heir*—His son William Capel, born 1818; m. dau. of C. Wood, Esq.; is a lieut. in the Coldstream Guards.

**HEATHCOTE OF NORMANTON, RUTLANDSH. Cr. 1732.**—The HON. SIR GILBERT HEATHCOTE, 4th Bt., M.P.; s. his fa. in 1785; m. dau. of J. Manners, Esq., and his wife, the Countess of Dysart, and has issue. This noble family were anciently seated in Derbyshire, but from their great possessions in the counties of Lincoln and Rutland, have for near a century become residents there. The 1st Bt. was one of the founders of the Bank of England, and represented the City of London in four parliaments.

*Arms*—Erm., three pomeis, each charged with a cross, or.

*Seats*—Normanton Park, Rutland; Stoken Hall, Lincoln; and Durdings, Surrey.

*Heir ap.*—His son Gilbert John, M.P.

**HEATHCOTE OF HURSLEY, HAMPSHIRE. Cr. 1733.**—The HON. SIR WILLIAM HEATHCOTE, 5th Bt., M.P.; s. his uncle in 1825; m. to the dau. of Lord Arden, and has issue. This noble family is a branch of the Heathcotes of Normanton. They have interm. with the Parkers Earls of Macclesfield, Thorp of Embly, Freeman of Batsford, &c.

*Arms*—Erm., three pomeis, each charged with a cross, or.

*Seats*—Hursley Lodge, near Winchester; and Embly, near Rusey, Hants.

*Heir ap.*—His eldest son William Percival.

**PAGE-TURNER OF AMBROSDEN, OXFORDSH. Cr. 1733.**—The HON. SIR GREGORY OSBORNE PAGE-TURNER, 4th Bt., D.C.L.; s. his fa. in 1805; m. only dau. of J. N. Bayfield, Esq., and has issue. This noble family descends from the Turners of Leicester. John, 7th son of the 2nd Bt. took the name of Dryden, and was created a Bt. in 1795. Sir Gregory, 3rd Bt., s. to the estates of his great-uncle, Sir Gregory Page, and was M.P. for Thirsk.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, ar., a ferde-mouline, pierced, sa., for TURNER; 2nd and 3rd, az., a fesse, indented, betw. three martlets, or, for PAGE.

*Seat*—Battlesden, co. Bedford.

*Heir ap.*—His eldest son Gregory Osborne Page.

**PAYNE OF KNUSTON, NORTH-AMPTONSH. The HON. SIR PETER PAYNE, 4th Bt.; s. his fa., Sir Gillies, who d. in 1800; m. dau. of the late S. Steward, Esq., and has issue.**

*Arms*—Gu., a fesse, ar., betw. two lions.

*Seat*—Knuston Hall, Northamptonsh.

*Heir ap.*—His son Charles Gillies; m. dau. of the Rev. Thelwal Salusbury.

**ARMYTAGE OF KIRKLEES, YORKSH. Cr. 1738.**—The HON. SIR GEORGE ARMYTAGE, 5th Bt.; s. his grandfa. Sir George, in 1834. This noble family is of great antiquity, being derived from John Armytage, of Wrigbowls, living temp. King Stephen, and two branches of it have been at different times elevated to the baronetage.

*Arms*—Gu., a lion's head, erased, betw. three cross-crosslets, ar.

*Seat*—Kirklees, near Huddersfield.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Henry.

**HULSE OF BREAMORE, HANTS. Cr. 1738-9.**—The HON. SIR CHAS. HULSE, 4th Bt., son of the 3rd Bt., by the dau. of J. Lethieullier, Esq.; m. 1808, 2nd dau. of the late John

Buller, Esq. of Morval, Cornwall; s. his fa. in 1816; is a dep.-lieut. of Hants. The 1st Bt. was first physician to George II. The 2nd Bt.'s 2nd son was the Right Hon. Sir Samuel Hulse, a field-marshal in the army.

*Arms*—Per fesse, ar. and erm., three piles, one issuing from the chief, and two from the base, sa.

*Seat*—Breamore House, Hampsh.

*Heir*—His son Edward, b. 1809.

WYNN OF BODVEAU AND GLYNULLION, CARMARTHENSHIRE. Cr. 1742.—The HON. SIR SPENCER BULKELEY WYNN, present Lord Newborough.

BEAUCHAMP-PROCTOR OF LANGLEY PARK, NORFOLK. Cr. 1744-5.—The HON. SIR WM. BEAUCHAMP PROCTOR, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the 2nd dau. of R. Palmer, of Sunning, Berksh.; b. 1781; m. 1812, eldest dau. of T. Gregory, Esq.; s. his fa. in 1827; attained the rank of post-captain in the navy in 1806. The 1st Bt., Sir Wm. Beauchamp, was M.P. for Middlesex from 1747 to 1768; he assumed the name of Proctor after his patronymic in accordance with the will of his uncle, William Proctor, Esq. of Epsom, Surrey.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, ar., a chev. betw. three martlets, sa., for PROCTOR; 2nd and 3rd, gu., a fesse, betw. six billets, three and three, or, a canton, ermine.

*Seat*—Langley Park, Norfolk.

*Heir*—His son Thomas William Brograve.

GREY OF HOWICK, NORTHUMB. BERLAND. Cr. 1745.—The HON. SIR CHARLES GREY, P.C., present Earl Grey, K.G., late prime minister.

HARBORD OF GUNTON, NORFOLK. Cr. 1745.—The HON. SIR EDWARD VERNON HARBORD, present Lord Suffield.

GOOCH OF BENACRE HALL, SUFFOLK. Cr. 1746.—The HON. SIR THOMAS SHERLOCK GOOCH, 5th Bt., son of the 4th Bt., by the dau. of Wm. Hayward, Esq. of Surrey; m. 1796, dau. of Abm. Whitaker,

Esq., of Lyster House, Herefordsh.; s. his fa. in 1826; has represented Suffolk in parliament. The 1st Bt. was lieut.-governor of Virginia, and had distinguished himself in the wars of Queen Anne. The 2nd Bt. was bishop of Bristol, 1737, of Norwich, 1738, and of Ely, 1747.

*Arms*—Per pale, ar. and sa., a chev. betw. three talbots, passant, counter-charged, on a chief, gu., three leopards' heads, or.

*Seat*—Benacre House, Suffolk.

*Heir*—His son Edward Sherlock; m. 1st, 1828, 2nd dau. of Sir Geo. B. Prescott, Bt.; 2ndly, 1839, 3rd dau. of Jas. J. Hope Vere, Esq. of Craigyhall, N.B.

FETHERSTONHAUGH OF FETHERSTONHAUGH, NORTHUMB. Cr. 1747.—The HON. HENRY FETHERSTONHAUGH, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the only dau. of C. Lethieullier, Esq. of Belmont, Middlesex; m. 1825, Miss Mary Anne Bullock, of Orton.

*Arms*—Gu., a chev. between three feathers.

*Seats*—Harringbrook, Essex, Up Park, Sussex; Fetherstonhaugh Castle, Northumberland.

IBBETSON OF LEEDS, YORKSH. Cr. 1748.—The HON. SIR CHARLES HENRY IBBETSON, 5th Bt., son of the 4th Bt., by the eldest dau. of T. Stoughton, Esq. of Kerry; b. 1814; s. his fa. in 1839. This noble family is of great antiquity in the county of York. The 1st Bt. was advanced to that dignity for having raised a corps of 100 men at his own expense during the rebellion of 1745; in 1748 he was high sheriff of Yorksh.

*Arms*—Gu., on a bend, cotted, ar., betw. two fleeces, or, three escallops of the field.

*Seat*—Denton Park, Yorksh.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Fred. James.

VANNECK OF PUTNEY, SURREY. Cr. 1751.—The HON. SIR JOSHUA VANNECK, present Lord Huntingfield.

GIBBONS OF STANWELL PLACE, MIDDLESEX. Cr. 1722.—The HON. SIR J. GIBBONS, 4th Bt., son of the

3rd Bt., by the dau. of Vice-Adm. Watson, sister of Sir Chas. Watson, Bt. ; b. 1774 ; m. 1795, dau. of R. Tayler, Esq. of Charlton House, Middlesex, (dead) ; s. his fa. in 1816. The 1st Bt. was speaker of the house of assembly in the island of Barbadoes ; the 2nd Bt. represented Wallingford in parliament.

*Arms*—Gu., a lion, ramp., or, debruised by a bend, ar., charged with a torteau, between two cross-crosslets patée fichée, sa.

*Seat*—Stanwell Place, near Staines, Middlesex.

*Heir*—His son John, b. 1801.

WINNINGTON OF STANFORD COURT, WORCESTERSH. Cr. 1755.

—The HON. SIR THOMAS EDWARD WINNINGTON, M.P., 4th Bt., son of the 3rd Bt., by the dau. of John Taylor, Esq. of Mosely Hall, near Birmingham ; b. 1811 ; s. his fa. in 1839 ; has represented Bewdley in parliament since 1837. This noble family is of great antiquity in the county of Chester, being lords of the manor of Winnington in 1275. They have interm. with many high families. Sir Francis Winnington, great-grandfa. of the 1st Bt., was solicitor-gen. in 1678. The 3rd Bt. had sat for Droitwich, Bewdley, and Worcestershire.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, ar., an orle, betw. three martlets, sa. ; 2nd and 3rd, sa., a saltier, engr., or.

*Seats*—Stanford Court, and Winterdyne, Worcestersh.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. John Taylor.

LAMB OF BROCKETT HALL, HERTS. Cr. 1755.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM LAMB, P.C., present Visct. Melbourne, late Prime Minister.

SHEFFIELD OF NORMANBY, LINCOLNSH. Cr. 1755.—The HON. SIR ROBERT SHEFFIELD, 4th Bt., son of the 3rd Bt., by his 1st mar. ; b. 1786 ; m. 1818, dau. of Sir J. Newbolt, chief justice of Madras ; s. his fa. in 1815. The 1st Bt. was bro. to the last Duke of Buckingham of the Sheffield family.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev. between three garbs, gu., all within a bordure, go-bony, ar. and az.

*Seat*—Normanby Hall, Lincolnsh.

*Heir*—His son Robert, b. 1823.

JOHNSON OF TWICKENHAM, MIDDLESEX. Cr. 1755.—The HON. SIR ADAM GORDON JOHNSON, 3rd Bt. ; s. his fa. in 1830. This is a branch of an ancient Irish family. The 1st Bt. went to America, and the expedition against Crown Point was conducted by him. He rose to be a general, and was superintendent of Indian affairs for Northern America. The 2nd Bt. was also superintendent-gen. of Indian affairs.

*Arms*—Ar., two lions, counter-ramp., sup., a dexter hand, gu., in chief, three estoils, and in base, a salmon, naiant.

WHITE-RIDLEY OF BLAGDEN, NORTHUMB. Cr. 1756.—The HON. SIR MATTHEW WHITE-RIDLEY, 4th Bt., son of the 3rd Bt., by the youngest dau. of G. Hawkins, Esq. ; b. 1807 ; m. 1841, eldest dau. of the Right Hon. Sir James Parke ; s. his fa. in 1836 ; was sheriff of Northumberland in 1841. The 1st Bt. was Sir Matthew White, sheriff of Northumberland in 1756, whose title was in remainder to the issue male of his sister, the wife of Matthew Ridley, Esq. of Heaton, Northumberland.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, gu., on a chev. betw. three falcons, ar., as many pellets, for RIDLEY ; 2nd and 3rd, ar., three cocks' heads, erased, sa., combed and wattled, gu.

*Seats*—Blagden and Heaton, Northumberland.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Chas. William.

BROMLEY OF EAST STOKE, NOTTS. Cr. 1757.—The HON. SIR ROBERT HOWE BROMLEY, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the eldest dau. of the 1st Viscount Curzon ; b. 1778 ; m. 1812, 2nd dau. of David Wilson, Esq. ; s. his fa. in 1808 ; entered the navy in 1791 ; attained the rank of rear-admiral of the red in Nov. 1841 ; is a deputy-lieut. of Notts. This noble family possessed the manor of Keyworth, in Notts, in the 17th century. The 2nd Bt., Sir George Smith, assumed, by sign manual, the name of Bromley, in 1778.

*Arms*—Quart., per fesse, indented, gu. and or.

*Seat*—Stoke Hall, Notts.

*Heir*—His son Robert, b. 1815.

**WILMOT OF CHADDESDEN, DERBYSH.** Cr. 1759.—The HON. SIR ROBERT WILMOT, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the only dau. and heir of Wm. Woollett, Esq.; b. 1765; m. 1st, 1796, eldest dau. of R. Grimston, Esq. of Newwick, Yorksh.; 2ndly, 1817, relict of Major-Gen. R. Craufurd; s. his fa. in 1793; is a dep.-lieut. of Derbysh. The 1st Bt. was physician-general to the forces. This noble family settled soon after the Conquest, at Sutton-upon-Soar. They have interm. with the Shrigleys, Meads, Wollets, &c.

*Seat*—Chaddesden, Derbysh.

*Heir*—His son Henry Sacheverell, b. 1801.

**CUNLIFFE OF LIVERPOOL, LAN-CASH.** Cr. 1759.—The HON. SIR ROBERT HENRY CUNLIFFE, C.B., 4th Bt., son of the 3rd Bt., by the dau. of Sir D. Kinlock, Bt. of Gilmerton; b. 1785; m. 1st, 1805, relict of A. Forest, Esq.; 2ndly, 1825, 2nd dau. of Col. John Paton, commissary-gen. of the Bengal army; s. his fa. in 1834; is a major-gen. in the East India Company's service. The 1st Bt. was M.P. for Liverpool.

*Arms*—Sa., three conies, cur., ar., two and one.

*Seat*—Acton, near Wrexham, Denbighsh.

*Heir*—His son Robert, b. 1808.

**YEA OF PYRLAND, SOMERSETSH.** Cr. 1759.—The HON. WM. WALTER YEA, 2nd Bt., son of Wm. Walter Yea, Esq. (the eldest son of the 1st Bt.), by the dau. and co-heir of Francis Newman, Esq. of Cadbury House, Somersetsh.; b. 1784; m. 1806, dau. of D. R. Michell, Esq. of Dawlish, Devonshire; s. his grandfa. in 1806. This noble family have for several generations possessed extensive estates in Somersetshire; the 1st Bt. was sheriff of the county in 1760.

*Arms*—Vert. a ram passant, ar.

*Seat*—Pyrland Hall, Somersetsh.

*Heir*—His son Lacy Walter Giles; b. 1808; appointed, in 1836, capt. in the 7th fusiliers.

**GLYN OF EWELL, MIDDLESEX.** Cr. 1759.—The HON. AND REV. SIR GEORGE LEWEN GLYN, 4th Bt.; s. his bro. in 1839; m. Emily Jane, dau. of Josiah Birch, of St. Petersburg, and has issue.

*Arms*—Ar., an eagle disp., with two heads, sa., guttée d'or.

*Seat*—Ewell, Surrey.

*Heir ap.*—His eldest son.

**COLEBROOKE OF GATTON, SURREY.** Cr. 1759.—The HON. SIR THOMAS EDWARD COLEBROKE, 4th Bt., son of H. T. Colebrooke, Esq., F.R.S., Chirographer of the Court of Common Pleas, president of the Board of Revenue, and member of the supreme council at Bengal, by the dau. of J. Wilkinson, Esq. of Portman Square; s. his uncle in 1838; is a dep.-lieut. of Lanarksh. The 2nd Bt. represented Arundel in three successive parliaments, and in 1768 was chosen dep.-chairman of the court of directors of the E. I. C.

*Arms*—Gu., a lion ramp., ducally crowned, or, on a chief of the last, three Cornish choughs, ppr.

*Seat*—Colebrooke Park, Tunbridge, Kent.

**FLUDYER OF FELEXSTOWE, SUFFOLK.** Cr. 1759.—The HON. SIR SAMUEL FLUDYER, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by his cousin, dau. of Robt. Weston, Esq.; b. 1800; is unm.; s. his fa. in 1833. The 1st Bt., an alderman of London, was knighted on the presentation of an address to George II.; he represented Chippenham in parliament, and being lord mayor in 1761, when George III. dined in the city, he was created a Bt.

*Arms*—Sa., a cross patonce, between four escallopes, ar., each charged with a cross patonce of the field.

*Seat*—Felixstowe, near Harwich, Suffolk.

**WATSON OF FULMER, BUCKS.** Cr. 1760.—The HON. SIR CHARLES WATSON, 1st Bt., son of Rear-Admiral Charles Watson, by the



eldest dau. of J. F. Buller, Esq.; b. 1751; m. 1789, dau. of the late Sir J. Copley, Bt. (she died 1834); was created a Bt. when only nine years of age, in consideration of the services of his fa., who particularly distinguished himself in the action of the 3rd of May, 1747, and was subsequently commander-in-chief on the East India station; he died in 1757.

*Arms*—Ar., on a chev., engr., az., between three martlets, sa., as many crescents, or.

*Seat*—Wrattling Park, Cambridge.

*Heir*—His son Charles Wager, b. 1800; m. 1827, eldest dau. of Charles Garth Colleton, Esq. of Haines Hill, Berksh.

**HESKETH OF RUFFORD, LAN-CASH.** Cr. 1761.—The HON. SIR H. HESKETH, 5th Bt.; s. his bro. 1843.—This noble Bt. is the head of a family who have been lords of the manors of Hesketh, Rufford, &c., from the period of the Conquest.

*Arms*—Ar., on a bend, sa., three garbs, or.

*Seat*—Rufford Hall, near Ormskirk, Lancash.

**DUNDAS OF UPLEATHAM, YORKSH.** Cr. 1762.—The HON. SIR THOMAS DUNDAS, present Earl of Zetland.

**SMYTH OF LONG ASHTON, SOMERSETSH.** Cr. 1763.—The HON. SIR JOHN SMYTH, 4th Bt., 2nd son of T. Smyth, Esq., by the only dau. and heir of J. Whitechurch, Esq. of Stapleton; b. 1779; s. his bro. in 1824. The 1st Bt., Sir Jarrit Smyth, m. the grand-dau. of Sir Hugh Smyth, Bt., K.B., who received his title in 1661 for his services in support of the royal cause during the civil wars. This noble family were seated at Ayleberton in the Forest of Dean, prior to 1422.

*Arms*—Gu., on a chev., between three cinquefoils, ar., as many leopards' faces, sa.

*Seats*—Ashton Court, Bristol; Wraxhall House, Somersetsh.; Heath House, Gloucestersh.; Rockley House, Wiltsh.

**BLAKISTON OF SANDYBROOK, DERBYSH.** Cr. 1763.—The HON.

SIR MATTHEW, 3rd Bart., son of the 2nd Bt., by the dau. of J. Rochford, Esq. of Clogranne, co. Carlow; b. 1783; m. 1810, eldest dau. of James Mann, Esq. of Linton Place, Kent; s. his fa. in 1806. This noble family is descended from Blakistons of Stapleton, in the North Riding of Yorksh. The 1st Bt. was an eminent London merchant, elected alderman in 1750, sh. in 1753, and lord mayor in 1760.

*Arms*—Ar., two bars, gu., in chief, three cocks, of the last.

*Seat*—Sandybrook Hall, near Ashborne, Derbysh.

*Heir*—His son Matthew, b. 1811.

**MAJOR OF WORLINGWORTH, SUFFOLK.** Cr. 1764.—The HON. SIR JOHN HENNIKER MAJOR, present Lord Henniker.

**HORTON OF OMASTON, DERBYSH.** Cr. 1772.—The HON. SIR ROBERT EDWARD HORTON, 4th Bt.; s. his fa. (the late Rt. Hon. Sir Robert Wilmot Horton, Bt., P.C., sometime Governor of Ceylon, and well known for his writings on many important branches of political science) in 1840. The 1st Bt. was for many years secretary to the lord-lieutenant of Ireland.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, sa., a stag's head cabossed, ar., and for distinction, a canton, erm. for HORTON; 2nd and 3rd, sa., on a fesse, or, between three eagles' heads, coupé, as many escallops, gu., all within a bordure, engr., of the second, for WILMOT.

*Seats*—Osmaston Hall and Catton Hall, Derbysh.; Sudbrooke, Surrey.

**CORNEWALL OF MOCCAS COURT, HEREFORD.** Cr. 1764.—The HON. SIR VELTERS CORNEWALL, 4th Bt., son of the 3rd Bt., by the only dau. of William Naper, Esq. of Loughcrea, co. Meath, niece of the 1st Earl of Sherborne; b. 1824; s. his fa. in 1835. The 1st Bt. represented Barnstaple in several parliaments, and was bro. to the king's library-keeper, and under secretary of state. This noble family descend from Claudius Amyand, who quitted France on the revocation of Nantes. The 2nd Bt. mar.

the dau. and heir of Cornwall of Moccas Court, a younger branch of the Barons of Burford, and took the name and arms of Cornwall.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, ar., a lion ramp., gu., ducally crowned, or, within a bordure, engr., sa., besantée.

*Seat*—Moccas Court, Herefordsh.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. William Naper, b. 1832.

**PIGOT OF PATSHULL, STAFFORDSH.** Cr. 1764.—The HON. SIR GEORGE PIGOT, 3rd Bt.; s. his fa. in 1796; is a general in the army; m. dau. of the Hon. J. Monckton, bro. of Viscount Galway, and has issue. The 1st Bt. was governor of Fort Madras, and was created a peer of Ireland, by the title of Baron Pigot, which is now extinct. The 2nd Bt. was a brigadier general in the army in America, and greatly distinguished himself in the battle of Bunker's Hill.

*Arms*—Erm., three lozenges, conjoined, in fesse, sa.

*Seat*—Patshull, Staffordsh.

*Heir ap.*—His eldest son Robert, M.P. for Bridgenorth in the last parl.

**LOWTHER OF SWILLINGTON, CUMBERLAND.** Cr. 1764.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM LOWTHER, F.S.A., present Earl of Lonsdale.

**RODNEY OF RODNEY STOKE, SOMERSET.** Cr. 1764.—The HON. SIR GEORGE RODNEY, D.C.L., present Lord Rodney.

**KNOWLES OF LOVEL-HILL, BERKS.** Cr. 1765.—The HON. SIR FRANCIS CHARLES KNOWLES, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the dau. of C. Johnstone, Esq. of Ludlow; b. 1802; m. 1831, 4th dau. of Sir George Pocock, Bt.; s. his fa., Sir Charles, admiral of the red, G.C.B., in 1831. The 1st Bt. was a distinguished naval officer, rear-admiral of Great Britain, and in 1770 chief president of the Russian admiralty. This noble family is of great antiquity in England, and has produced several distinguished characters. Sir Thomas Knowles attended Richard I. to Palestine, and received from that monarch, for distinguished ser-

vices, the arms which his successors have since borne. Sir Francis is a member of the Committee of the Order for Privileges.

*Arms*—Per pale, az. and gu., crusuly, and a cross moline, voided, or, over all, in the centre point a terrest. globe, ppr.

*Seat*—Lovel Hill, near Windsor, Berksh.

*Heir*—His son Charles George Frederick; b. 1832.

**BURRELL OF GRINSTEAD PARK, SUSSEX.** Cr. 1766.—The HON. SIR PETER ROBERT DRUMMOND BURRELL, present Lord Willoughby de Eresby, hereditary joint lord great chamberlain of England.

**THOMAS OF YAPTON PLACE, SUSSEX.** Cr. 1766.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM LEWIS GEORGE THOMAS, 4th Bt., son of the 3rd Bt. by his 1st wife, Mdlle. Sales, of Pregny-la-Tour; m. dau. of R. Welch, Esq.; s. his fa. in 1815. The 1st Bt. descended from an ancient Monmouthshire family, received his title on being appointed governor of the Leeward Islands; the 2nd Bt. was sheriff of Sussex in 1767.

*Arms*—Ar., three lions ramp., two and one, gu., a chief, az.

*Seat*—Dale Park, Madehurst, Sussex.

*Heir*—His son William.

**HORT OF HORTLAND, KILDARESHIRE.** \* Cr. 1767.—The HON. SIR JOSIAH WILLIAM, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of Sir Fenton Aylmer, Bt.; b. 1791; m. 1823, dau. and co-heir of the late Sir J. Caldwell, Bt.; s. his fa. in 1807. The 1st Bt. was 2nd son of Archbishop (Hort) of Tuam, and was appointed consul-general at Lisbon in 1767.

*Arms*—Az., a cross, or, in the first quarter, a rose, ar.

*Seat*—Hortland, co. Kildare.

*Heir*—His son John Josiah; b. 1824.

**BURNABY OF BROUGHTON HALL, OXFORDSH.** Cr. 1767.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM CRISP HOOD, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the 2nd dau. of Crisp Molyneux, Esq. of Garboldesham, Norfolk; m. 1818, relict of Joseph Wood, Esq. of Bermuda; s.

his fa. in 1794. The 1st Bt., a distinguished admiral, was commander-in-chief at Jamaica, and afterwards in the Gulf of Mexico, and received his title for his naval services.

*Arms*—Ar., two bars, gu., in chief, a lion passant, per pale, of the second, and vert.

*Seat*—Broughton Hall, Oxfordsh.

**YOUNG OF MARLOW PARK, BUCKS.** Cr. 1769.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM NORRIS, 5th Bt.; s. his fa., the late Sir William Laurence, M.P., in 1841; b. 1833. The ancestor of this noble family came over from France as chamberlain to Mary Queen of Scots, on her return to her native kingdom in 1561, and received from her the grant of the manor of Leny. The 1st Bt. was lieutenant-governor of Dominica.

*Arms*—Or, three piles, sa.; on a chief, of the 1st, three annulets, of the 2nd.

*Seat*—Marlow Park, Bucks.

*Heir*—His son William Norris, b. 1833.

**ALLEYNE OF BARBADOES.** Cr. 1769.—The HON. SIR REYNOLD ABEL, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by his 2nd m. with the dau. of Abel Alleyne, Esq.; m. dau. of — Olton, Esq. of Barbadoes; s. his fa., 1801. The 1st Bt. was president of the Assembly of St. Andrew's in Barbadoes, for several years.

*Arms*—Per chev., gu. and erm., two lions' heads, erased, or, in chief.

*Seats*—Mesnar Hall, Essex; Mount Alleyne, Barbadoes.

*Heir*—His son Newton.

**BURRARD OF WALHAMPTON, HANTS.** Cr. 1769.—The HON. AND REV. SIR GEORGE BURRARD, 4th Bt.; s. his bro., the late Sir Harry Burrard Neale, admiral of the blue, and G.C.B. in 1840; m. dau. and heir of W. Coppell, Esq. of Jamaica, and has issue.

*Arms*—Ar., a lion ramp., in chief, two dexter hands, gu., over all a fesse, or, charged with two lions, cou., ramp., and supporting between them a dexter hand, all of the second.

*Seat*—Walhampton, Hants.

*Heir ap.*—His eldest son George, b. 1805; m. Isabella, only dau. of the Hon. Sir Geo. Duckett, Bt.

**MORLAND OF NETTLEHAM, LINCOLNSH.** Cr. 1769.—The HON. SIR FRANCIS BERNARD MORLAND, 5th Bt., son of the 4th Bt., Sir S. Bernard (who took the name of Morland in 1811), by the dau. of W. Morland, Esq. of Lee, Kent; born 1790; s. his fa. in 1830. This noble family has flourished in Northamptonsh. and the neighbouring counties, in different branches, for many centuries, deriving its origin from Godfrey Bernard of Wanford, in the East Riding of York, who was living there in the reign of Hen. III. The 13th in lineal descent from him was Sir Francis, 1st Bt., governor of New Jersey in 1758, and of Massachusetts Bay in 1760. Sir Francis is a member of the Committee for Privileges.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, az., semée of leopards' faces, jessant de lis, and a griffin segreant, or, for MORLAND; 2nd and 3rd, ar., a bear ramp., sa., muz. and col., or.

*Seats*—Nether Winchendon, and Kimble, Buckinghamshire.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Thomas Tyringham; b. 1791; m. 1819, only child of the late Sir David Williams, Bt.

**ST. JOHN-MILDMAY OF FAIRLEY, CO. SOUTHAMPTON.** Cr. 1772.—The HON. SIR HENRY CAREW, 4th Bt., son of the 3rd Bt. Sir Henry Paulet, (who assumed the name of Mildmay,) by the dau. and heir of Carew Mildmay, Esq. of Shawford House, Hants; b. 1787; m. 1809, eldest dau. of the Hon. B. Bouverie; s. his fa. in 1808. This noble and very ancient family is descended paternally from William St. John, grandmaster of the artillery, and supervisor of the waggon train to William the Conqueror.

*Arms*—Ar., three lions ramp., az.

*Seats*—Moulsham Hall and Marks, Essex; Dogmersfield Park and Shawford, Hampshire; Hazlegrove, Somersetshire.

*Heir*—His son Hen. Bouverie Paulet, born 1810.

**COCKS OF DUMBLETON, GLOUCESTERSH.** Cr. 1772.—The HON. SIR JOHN SOMERS COCKS, present Earl Somers.

**BLAKE OF LANGHAM, SUFFOLK.** Cr. 1772.—The HON. SIR HENRY CHARLES, 4th Bt., son of the 3rd Bt., by the dau. of Gen. the Hon. Tho. Gage; m. 1819, only dau. of W. Whitters, Esq. of Midhurst, Sussex; s. his fa. in 1832. This ancient family is a branch of the Blakes of Cumner, co. Galway, Ireland.

*Arms*—Ar., a fret, gu.

*Seat*—Langham, Sussex.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Patrick John.

**LEIGH OF BROWNSOVER HOUSE, WARWICKSH.** Cr. 1773.—The HON. SIR SAM. EGERTON, 3rd Bt., son of the late Sir S. E. Leigh, Knt. (bro. to 2nd Bt.), by the dau. of — Greig, Esq.; b. 1796; s. his uncle in 1818. This noble family descend from the Leighs of the West Hall, High Leigh, co. Chester, who have been seated there from the reign of Edw. I. Sir Egerton, the 1st Bt., was raised to that dignity on being appointed att.-gen., surveyor-gen., and member of council, in South Carolina.

*Arms*—Or, a lion ramp., gu.

*Seat*—Brownsver House, Warwickshire.

*Heir pres.*—His uncle Thomas Egerton, b. 1775.

**SUTTON OF NORWOOD, NOTTS.** Cr. 1772.—The HON. SIR RICHARD, son of J. Sutton, Esq., 2nd Bt., (who was the eldest son of the 1st Bt.), by the dau. of the late C. Chaplin, Esq.; born 1798; m. 1819, dau. of the late B. Burton, Esq. of Burton Hall, co. Carlow; s. his grand-fa. in 1802. This noble and ancient family descend from Roland de Sutton, lord of the manor of Sutton-upon-Trent, in the reign of Hen. III. Thirteenth in succession from him was Sir William Sutton, of Arum, Notts, whose eldest son Robert was created Lord Lexington, a title now extinct. The 1st Bt. received his title on retiring, in 1772, from the office of under sec. of state, to which he had been appointed in 1766.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th ar., a canton, sa., for SUTTON; 2nd and 3rd, ar., a cross fleury, az., for LEXINGTON.

*Seat*—Norwood Park, Nottinghamsh.

*Heir*—His eldest son, b. 1820.

**WRIGHT OF CAROLSIDE, BERWICKSHIRE.** Cr. 1772.—The HON. SIR JOHN, 4th Bt., son of J. Izard Wright, Esq. (grandson of the 1st Bt.), by the dau. of R. Izard, Esq.; s. on the death of his cousin, in 1837. The 1st Bt. was attorney-gen., chief-justice, and afterwards governor, of Georgia in North America; the 2nd Bt. was governor of South Carolina.

*Arms*—Sa., a chev., between three fleurs-de-lis, in a chief of the second, three spear-heads, ppr., the whole within a bordure, wavy, erm.

*Seat*—Carolside, Berwickshire.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Alexander.

**PALLISER OF CASTLE PALLISER, WEXFORD.** Cr. 1773.—The HON. SIR HUGH, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., Sir Hugh Walters (who took the name of Palliser in lieu of his patronymic), by the youngest dau. and co-heir of John Yates, Esq. of Dedham, Essex; b. 1796; s. his fa. in 1813. This noble Bt. descends from an ancient Yorkshire family. The 1st Bt. was a distinguished admiral, many years governor of Greenwich Hospital; his title was in remainder to his nephew, the present Bart.'s fa. Sir Hugh is a member of the Committee of the Order for Privileges.

*Arms*—Per pale, sa. and ar., three lions ramp., counterchanged.

*Seat*—Castle Palliser, Broadway, Wexford.

**HUGHES OF PORTSMOUTH, CO. SOUTHAMPTON.** Cr. 1773.—The HON. SIR RICHARD, 5th Bt., son of the 4th Bt., by the dau. of Rev. R. Sleeman, vicar of Tavistock; born 1803; s. his fa. in 1833. This noble Bt. is paternally descended from Gwaithvoed, King of Gwent and Cardigan in South Wales. Sixteenth in lineal descent from him was Thomas ap Hugh, ap John, who assumed the surname of Hughes, and was the fa. of Sir Thomas Hughes, recorder of Bath, 1619, whose great-great grandson was raised to the baronetage.

*Arms*—Az., a lion ramp., or.

*Seat*—East Bergholt Lodge, Suffolk.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Edward, b. 1807.

**HARLAND OF SPROUGHTON, SUFFOLK.** Cr. 1771.—The **HON. SIR ROBERT**, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by his 2nd wife, the dau. of Col. R. Keynold, grand-dau. and heir of Col. J. Duncombe; b. 1765; m. 1801, dau. of the late H. Vernon, Esq. of Great Thurlow, Suffolk, niece of the Earl of Shipbroke (now extinct); s. his fa. in 1784. The 1st Bt. was a distinguished admiral. He was appointed a lord of the admiralty in 1782; his dau. having m. Major-gen. Dalrymple, their son became 7th Earl of Stair; that nobleman was therefore nephew to the present Bart.

*Arms*—Or, on a bend, wavy, between two sea-lions, sa., three bucks' heads, cab., ar.

*Seat*—Orwell Park, Suffolk.

**COOTE OF DONNYBROOKE, DUBLINSH.** Cr. 1774.—The **HON. SIR CHARLES** succeeded to the title, pursuant to a special limitation, on the death of Sir Charles Coote, the last Earl of Bellamont, which peerage is now extinct.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev., between three cootes, within a bordure, sa.

*Residence*—Dublin.

**CLAYTON OF MARDEN, SURREY.** Cr. 1731.—The **HON. SIR WM. ROBERT**, 5th Bt., M.P., eld. son of the 4th Bt., by the dau. of Sir Wm. East, Bt.; b. 1786; m. 1817, dau. and heiress of Col. O'Donel, grand-dau. of the late Sir Neil O'Donel; s. his fa. in 1834; a lieut.-col. in the army; dep.-lieut. of Bucks; was at the battles of Vittoria, Pyrenees, Genappe, Quatre Bras, and Waterloo. This noble family descend from the Claytons of Northamptonsh.

*Arms*—Ar., a cross, sa., between four pellets.

*Seats*—Harleyford, near Marlow; Marden Park, Surrey; White Hall, Norfolk; the Cottage, Marlow; Llandillo, Carmarthenshire.

*Heir*—His son William Capel; b. 1818.

**EDMONSTONE OF DUNDREATH, STIRLINGSH.** Cr. 1774.—The **HON. SIR ARCHIBALD**, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by his 1st wife, 5th dau. of

R. B. Wilbraham, Esq., and sister of 1st Lord Skelmersdale; b. 1795, m. 1832, dau. of R. Wilbraham, Esq. of Rode Hall, Cheshire, niece of 1st Lord Skelmersdale; is a dep.-lieut. and convener of the co. of Stirling. This noble and highly-descended family derive from Edmundus, supposed to have been a younger son of the Counts Egmont of Flanders, who accompanied Margaret, dau. of Edgar Atheling, to Scotland, on her marriage with King Malcolm Canmore, 1070. Sir John Edmonstone of that ilk was a person of great possessions and importance in 1407. He married the Princess Isabel Stewart, dau. of Robert II., and widow of James, Earl of Douglas and Marr, who fell at Otterburn. The 2nd son of this marriage, Sir William Edmonstone of Culloden, m. his first cousin, the Princess Mary Stewart, dau. of Robert III. From this marriage the present Bart. is the 12th in descent.

*Arms*—Or, three crescents, within a double tressure, flo. and co-flo., gu.

*Seats*—Colzium and Duntreath, Stirlingshire.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. William (son of 3rd Bt. by his 2nd wife, dau. of 2nd Lord Hotham), b. 1810.

**HANMER OF FLINT.** Cr. 1774. The **HON. SIR JOHN**, 3rd Bt., M.P., son of T. Hanmer, Esq. (son of the 2nd Bt.), by the eldest dau. of T. S. D. Bucknall, Esq.; b. 1809; m. 1833, youngest dau. of Sir G. Chetwynd, Bt.; s. his grandfa. in 1828; is patron of two livings; was M.P. for Shrewsbury from 1832 to 1837; has sat for Hull since July, 1841. This noble and very ancient family is descended from Sir John De Hanmere, Knt., governor of Carnarvon Castle, temp. Edward I.; among his ancestors was Sir Thomas Hanmer, speaker of the House of Commons in 1712, and M.P. for Suffolk in five parliaments.

*Arms*—Ar., two lions passant, guardant, az.

*Seats*—Hanmer Hall, and Bettisfield Park, Ellesmere, both co. Flint.

**LEMON OF CARCLEW, CORNWALL.** Cr. 1774.—The HON. SIR CHAS. LEMON, M.P., 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the eldest dau. of J. Buller, Esq. of Morval, Cornwall; b. 1784; m. 1810, youngest dau. of the 2nd Earl of Ilchester, dead; s. his fa. in 1824; represented Penryn in the parliament of 1830, and the western division of Cornwall since 1831. The 1st Bart. represented Penryn from 1769 to 1774, from which period till 1825 he sat for the co. of Cornwall.

*Arms*—Ar., on a chev. between three mullets, gu., an eagle displayed, or.

*Seat*—Carclew, Penryn, Cornwall.

**BLAKE OF TWISSEL CASTLE, CO. DURHAM.** Cr. 1774.—The HON. SIR FRANCIS BLAKE, 3rd Bart., son of the 2nd Bt., by the only dau. of A. Douglas, Esq., late chief of the British settlement of Bussorah; m. a dau. of W. Neale, Esq.; s. his fa. in 1818. This noble family descend from Rich. Blake, who went over to Ireland with King John. The 1st Bt. was an energetic supporter of the government during the rebellion in 1745. The family numbered among its members the celebrated Admiral Blake.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev. between three garbs, sa., in a canton, az., a fret, gu.

*Seats*—Twissel Castle, co. Durham; Fowberry Tower, Northumberland.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Robt. Dudley, a lieut.-gen. in the army.

**FOLKES OF HILLINGTON, NORFOLK.** Cr. 1774.—The HON. SIR WM. J. H. BROWNE FOLKES, 2nd Bt.; s. his fa., 1821; m. 1818, Charlotte, dau. of D. G. Browne, Esq., and sister of Lord Oranmore and Browne, and has issue. This noble family derive from Sir Martin Folkes, who was solicitor-general in the reign of Queen Anne.

*Arms*—Per pale, vert and gu. a fleur-de-lis, erm.

*Seat*—Hillington, Norfolk.

*Heir ap.*—His eldest son Marten William, b. 1819.

**BURRELL OF VALENTINE HOUSE, ESSEX.** Cr. 1774.—The

HON. SIR CHARLES MERRIK, M.P., 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the dau. and co-heir of Sir C. Raymond, Bt.; m. a dau. of 3rd Earl of Egremont; s. his fa. in 1796; has represented Shoreham in parliament since 1806. This baronetcy is derived from Sir Chas. Raymond, on whom it was conferred, with remainder to his son-in-law, the present Bart.'s father.

*Arms*—Vert, three plain shields, ar., each having a bordure, engr., or.

*Seats*—Knepp Castle, and West Grinstead Park, Sussex.

*Heir*—His son Percy.

**SMITH OF SYDLING, DORSETSH.** Cr. 1774.—The HON. SIR JOHN WYLDBORE, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by his first wife, dau. and heir of R. Curtis, Esq. of Wiltsthorpe, Lincolnsh.; b. 1770; m. 1797, 2nd dau. and co-heir of the Rev. J. Marriott, D.C.L., of Horsmonden, Kent; s. his fa. in 1807; is a dep.-lieut. of Dorsetsh. The 1st Bart. was high-sheriff of that co. in 1772. The family is said to be descended from a common ancestor with that of Sir George Smith, sheriff of Exeter in 1583, whose dau. was mother of Gen. Monk, Duke of Albemarle.

*Arms*—Sa., a fesse, erm., cottised, or, between three martlets of the last, each charged with an erm. spot.

*Seats*—Sydling, St. Nicholas; and the Down House, Dorsetshire.

*Heir ap.*—His son John James, m. 1823, eld. dau. of J. F. Pinney, Esq.

**GIBBES OF SPRINGHEAD, BARBADOES.** Cr. 1774.—The HON. SIR SAMUEL OSBORNE, 2nd Bt.; s. his grandfa. in 1616; m. Margaret, dau. of H. Moore, Esq., grand-niece of the Earl of Clonmel, and has issue. This noble family is originally of Somersetsh. The fa. of Sir Philip, the 1st Bt., held several of the most considerable situations in the island of Barbadoes. The present Bt. is nephew to Lord Colchester, and a member of the Committee of the Order for Privileges.

*Arms*—Per fesse, ar. and erm., three battle axes, sa.

*Seat*—Spring Head, Barbadoes.

*Residence*—Cheltenham.

*Heir ap.*—His son Philip Osborne.

**DUNTZE OF TIVERTON, DEVON.** Cr. 1774. — The HON. SIR JOHN LEWIS, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the dau. of Sir R. Carew, Bt.; b. 1806; m. 1834, dau. of Rev. J. Coles; s. his fa. in 1830. The 1st Bt. was M.P. for Tiverton. The 2nd Bt. was receiver-general of the land and assessed taxes for Devonshire.

*Arms*—Ar., a holy lamb, passant, or.  
*Seat*—Payford, Devonshire.

**BOYD OF DANSON, KENT.** Cr. 1775.—The HON. SIR JOHN, 2nd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the 5th dau. of the Rt. Hon. T. Harley; grand-dau. of the 3rd Earl of Oxford; b. 1786; m. 1818, 2nd dau. of Hugh Boyd, Esq. of Bally Castle, Antrim; s. his fa. in 1815.

*Arms*—Az., a fesse, chequy, or and gu., in chief, three mullets, and in base, a crescent, or.

*Seat*—Danson, Kent.

*Heir*—His son John Augustus, b. 1819.

**LEITH OF BURGH, ST. PETER'S, NORFOLK.** Cr. 1775.—The HON. SIR GEORGE HECTOR, 4th Bt.; b. 1833; s. his fa. in 1842. The 2nd Bt., Sir George Alexander, a major-general in the army, was assistant adjutant-general in Scotland; served in India at Bangalore, Savandroog, the storming of Tippoo's lines, and the siege of Seringapatam. Is descended from William Leith, lord provost of Edinburgh in 1350.

*Arms*—Or, a crosslet fitchée, sa., between three crescents in chief, and as many lozenges in base.

*Seats*—Sanbant and Burgh, St. Peter's, Norfolk,

**HAMILTON OF MARLBOROUGH HOUSE, CO. SOUTHAMPTON.** Cr. 1776. — The HON. SIR CHARLES, K.C.B., 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt. by the dau. of E. Chamberlayne, Esq. of Mangersbury, Gloucestersh.; b. 1757; m. 1803, only dau. of G. Drummond, Esq. of Stanmore, Middlesex; s. his fa. in 1784; is admiral of the blue. The 1st Bt., a capt. R.N., was advanced to that

dignity for his services at the siege of Quebec; is descended from the bro. of the 6th Earl of Abercorn.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, gu., three cinquefoils, erm.; 2nd and 3rd, ar., a lymphad, with her sails furled, sa.

*Seat*—The Mount, Uxbridge, Middx.

*Heir*—His son Charles John James; b. 1810; m. 1833, 2nd dau. of Wm. Wynne, Esq.; is a capt. in the Scots fusilier guards.

**MACKWORTH OF GNOLL, GLAMORGANSH.** Cr. 1776. — The HON. SIR DIGBY MACKWORTH, K.H., 4th Bt., son of the 3rd Bt., by his 1st wife, only dau. and heir of the Rev. M. Deere; s. his fa. in 1838; b. 1799; m. 1st, 1816, only dau. of General and Baroness de Richepance, niece of the Duc de Damas Crux; 2ndly, 1823, dau. of J. Mann, Esq. of Linton House, Kent, grand-dau. of Sir Horace Mann, Bt.; is a lieut.-col. in the army; served through the Peninsular war; was at Waterloo; was aide-de-camp to Lord Hill. The 1st Bt. represented Cardiff in Parliament; the family is of great antiquity in Derbysh.; is one member of it was esquire to James Lord Audley, at the battle of Poitiers, 1356.

*Arms*—Per pale, ind., sa. and erm., on a chev., gu., five crosses-patée, or.

*Seat*—Gnoll Castle, Glamorgansh.

*Heir*—His son by his 1st wife, Digby Francis; b. 1817; in the army.

**WYNN OF LITTLE WARLEY, ESSEX.** Cr. 1776.—The HON. SIR CHARLES WYNN, present Lord Headley.

**PEYTON OF DODDINGTON, CAMBRIDGESH.** Cr. 1776. — The HON. SIR HENRY, 2nd Bart., son of the 1st Bt., Sir H. Dashwood, (who took the name of Peyton on the death of his uncle,) by the eldest dau. of Sir J. Rous, Bt.; b. 1779; m. 1803, dau. of T. Fitzhugh, Esq., relict of James Bradshaw, Esq. of Portland Place; s. his fa. in 1789; represented Cambridge in the parliament of 1802. The 1st Bt. received his title as heir and representative of his uncle, Sir Thomas Peyton, who enjoyed a baronetcy conferred in 1666.

*Arms*—Sa., a cross, engr., or, in the 1st quarter a mullet, ar.

*Seat*—Doddington, Cambridgesh.

*Heir*—His son Henry, b. 1803; m. 3rd dau. of the late Sir Christopher Bethel Codrington, Bt.

**BAKER OF LOVENTOR, DEVON.**  
Cr. 1776.—The HON. SIR GEORGE BAKER, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the 3rd dau. of Sir John Simeon, Bt.; b. 1816; m. 1840, 2nd dau. of the late Robert Nassau Sutton, Esq.; s. his fa. in 1830. The 1st Bt. was physician to his Majesty George III.

*Arms*—Ar., on a sal., engr., sa., five escallops of the field; on a chief of the 2nd, a lion passant of the 1st.

*Seat*—Loventor, Devonsh.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Frederick Francis, b. 1822.

**EDEN OF TRUIR, CO. DURHAM.**  
Cr. 1776.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM, 4th Bt., 2nd son of the 2nd Bt., by the dau. and heiress of Jas. P. Smith, Esq. of New Bond Street; b. 1803; s. his bro. in 1814; is *custos brevium* of the Court of Common Pleas. This noble family is a branch of the Edens, Barts. of West Auckland. The 1st Bt. was governor of the province of Maryland, and was next brother to Sir Robert Eden, the 4th Bt. of Windlestone, to whose title the present Bt. is heir pres.

*Arms*—Gu., on a chev., between three garbs, or, banded, vert, as many escallops, sa.

*Seat*—Truir, co. Durham.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Rev. Robert.

**DOUGLAS OF CARR, PERTSH.**  
Cr. 1777.—The HON. SIR HOWARD, G.C.M.G., K.C.S., C.B., F.R.S., 3rd Bt., 3rd son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of J. Baillie, Esq.; m. 1799, eldest dau. of James Dundas, Esq.; s. his bro. in 1809; was lord high commissioner of the Ionian Islands 1840, a lieut.-general in the army, commissioner of the Royal Military College, and late Groom of the Bed Chamber to H.R.H. the Duke of Gloucester. This noble family lineally descend from James Douglas, 6th Earl of Morton. The 1st Bt., an eminent naval officer, was raised to the baronetage, after having

forced a passage up the St. Lawrence, to the relief of Quebec in 1776; he was captain of the fleet in Rodney's action with the Count de Grasse, 1782.

*Arms*—Ar., a heart, gu., ensigned with a regal crown, or, on a chief, az., three mullets of the 1st.

*Seat*—Carr, Perthshire.

*Heir*—His son Charles.

**HOOD OF CATHRINGTON, HAMPSH.** Cr. 1778.—The HON. SIR SAMUEL TIBBETS HOOD, present Viscount HOOD.

**HERON OF NEWARK-UPON-TRENT.** Cr. 1778.—The HON. SIR ROBERT, 2nd Bt., M.P.; s. his uncle in 1805; m. Amelia, dau. of Sir Horace Mann. This noble family came into England with William the Conqueror. The 1st Bt. was lord treasurer's remembrancer in the Court of Exchequer.

*Arms*—Az., three herons, ar.

*Seat*—Stubbers, Lincolnsh.

**MOYSTON OF MOYSTON, FLINTSH.** Cr. 1778.—The HON. SIR EDWARD PRYCE LLOYD MOYSTON, present Lord Moyston.

**COGHILL OF COGHILL, YORKSH.**  
Cr. 1778.—The HON. SIR JOHN JOSCELYN COGHILL, 4th Bt., son of the 3rd Bt., by his 2nd wife, eldest dau. of the Right Hon. Charles Kendal Bushe, chief justice of the Queen's Bench in Ireland; b. 1826; s. his fa. in 1838. This noble family descend maternally from Sir John Coghill, LL.D., master in chancery in Ireland. Their paternal name is Cranmer, which they changed on succeeding to the property of Hester Countess of Charleville. The 1st Bt. m. a dau. of the Archbishop of Tuam.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, gu., on a chev., ar., three pellets, a chief, sa. for COGHILL; 2nd and 3rd. or, on a chief, indented, az., three fleur-de-lis of the field, a canton, erm., for CRAMER.

*Seat*—Randall's Park, Surrey.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Kendal Josiah William; b. 1832.

**HAWKINS OF KELSTON, SOMERSETSH.** Cr. 1778.—The HON. SIR JOHN CÆSAR, 3rd Bt., 2nd son



of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of John Coxe, Esq.; b. 1782; m. 1804, eldest dau. of W. Surtees, Esq. of Hedley, Northumberland; s. his bro. in 1793. This noble family, prior to the civil wars, enjoyed extensive possessions in Northamptonsh., Warwicksh., and Worcestersh. Colonel Cæsar Hawkins commanded a regiment of cavalry in the service of King Charles I.

*Arms*—Vert, a saltier, engr., ar.

*Seat*—Kelston, Somersetsh.

*Heir*—His son John Cæsar; b. 1805; m. 1836, youngest dau. of T. B. Rickets, Esq. of Coombe, Herefordsh.

**COPLEY OF SPROTBOROUGH, YORKSH.** Cr. 1778.—The HON. SIR JOSEPH WILLIAM, 4th Bt., son of the 3rd Bt., by the youngest dau. of the Hon. and Rev. G. Hamilton, granddau. of the 7th Earl of Aberdeen, who in 1789 was divorced from her cousin, the 1st Marquess of Abercorn; b. 1804; m. 1831, dau. of the 1st Earl of Yarborough; s. his fa. in 1838; is deputy lieut. of Cornwall. This noble and very ancient family is maternally sprung from Adam de Copley, who was slain at the siege of York in 1070. Paternally they are the Moyles of Beke, Cornwall. The present Bt. is bro-in-law to Viscount Howick.

*Arms*—Ar., a cross moline, gu.

*Seat*—Sprotborough, Yorksh.

**WOMBWELL OF WOMBWELL, YORKSH.** Cr. 1778.—The HON. SIR GEORGE, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the only dau. of Sir Thomas Rawlinson; b. 1769; m. 1st, 1791, dau. of the 2nd Earl of Fauconberg (extinct); 2ndly, youngest dau. of T. E. Little, Esq.; s. his fa. in 1780. The 1st Bt. had been chairman of the East India Company. This noble family claims descent from Robert de Wombwell, who lived, temp. King Stephen.

*Arms*—Gu., a bend, between six unicorns' heads, coupé, ar.

*Seat*—Wombwell, Yorksh.

*Heir*—His son George; b. 1792; m. 1824, youngest dau. of Orby Hunter, Esq.

**RIDDELL OF ARDNAMURCHAN, AND SUNART, ARGYLLSH.** Cr. 1778.—The HON. SIR JAMES MILES, 2nd Bt., son of T. M. Riddell, eldest son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of Colonel D. Campbell of Lochnell, Argyllsh.; b. in 1787; m. in 1822, youngest dau. of the late Sir Rich. Brooke, Bt., grand-dau. maternally, of the late Sir R. Cunliffe, Bt.; s. his grandfa. in 1797; is a deputy-lieut. of Argyllshire. This noble family traces its descent from the Ridels who for five centuries were Barons of Blaye, in France. Galfridus Ridel accompanied William the Conqueror to England, and m. a sister of Roger Bigot, Earl of Norfolk. His son was lord-justiciary of England, 1098, and m. a dau. of Hugh Lupus, Earl of Chester.

*Arms*—Or, three piles in point, gu., surmounted of a bend, az.

*Seat*—Ardnamurchan and Sunart, Argyllsh.

*Heir*—His son Thomas Miles, b. 1822.

**GUNNING OF HORTON, NORTHAMPTONSH.** Cr. 1778.—The HON. SIR ROBERT HENRY, 3rd Bt. son of the 2nd Bt., by the dau. of 1st Lord Bradford; b. 1795; s. his fa. in 1823; represented Northampton in the parliament of 1830; was appointed sheriff of Northamptonsh. for 1841; and is a deputy-lieut. of the county. This noble family is sprung of the Gunnings of Kent, who possessed considerable property in that county, prior to the Reformation. The 1st Bt. was so created for his diplomatic services at the courts of Berlin and St. Petersburg.

*Arms*—Gu., on a fesse, erm., between three doves, ar., as many crosses formée, sa.

*Seat*—Horton, Northamptonsh.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Rev. Henry John, b. 1797; m. 1827, dau. of W. Ralph Cartwright, Esq., of Aynho; is rector of Wigan.

**RUMBOLD OF FARRAND, YORKSH.** Cr. 1779.—The HON. SIR CAVENDISH STUART, 4th Bt., son of the 3rd Bt., by the dau. of the 1st Lord Rancliffe; b. 1815; s.

his fa. in 1833. The 1st Bt. was successively governor of Madras, M.P. for Shoreham, and consul-general at Hamburg.

*Arms*—Or, on a chev., gu., three roses, ar., a canton of the second, charged with a leopard's face of the field.

*Seat*—Ferrand, Yorksh.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Carlo Arthur Henry; b. 1820.

**FARMER OF MOUNT PLEASANT, SUSSEX.** Cr. 1780.—The HON. SIR GEORGE RICHARD, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the 3rd dau. of R. Kenrick, Esq. of Nantclwyd, Denbighsh.; b. 1788; m. 1825, dau. of Geo. F. Ellis, Esq.; s. his fa. in 1814. This noble family was formerly seated at Youghall, in the county of Cork. The 1st Bt. was so created as a tribute to the gallantry of his fa. in command of H.M.S. Quebec, which was accidentally blown up during a contest with a French frigate of much superior force.

*Arms*—Ar., a fesse, sa. between three lions' heads, erased, gu.

*Seat*—Clareville, Sussex.

**AMCOTTS-INGILBY OF KETTLETHORPE, LINCOLN, AND OF RIPLEY CASTLE, YORKSH.** Cr. 1781 and 1796.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM AMCOTTS, 2nd Bt., son of Sir John Ingilby, 1st Bt., by the dau. of Sir Wharton Amcotts, 1st Bt.; b. 1783; m. 1822, dau. of J. Atkinson, Esq. of Maple Hayes, Staffordsh.; s. as a Bt. of 1796, on the death of his maternal grandfa. in 1807, and as a Bt. of 1781, on the death of his fa. in 1815; assumed, in 1812, the name of Amcotts before Ingilby. This noble Bt. descends from Sir Thomas Ingilby, Knt., one of the justices of the Court of Common Pleas, and who was the father of Thomas Ingilby, Esq., M.P. for the co. of York in the 23rd year of Edward III.

*Arms*—Sa., an estoile, ar.

*Seats*—Ripley Castle, Yorksh.; and Kettlethorpe Park, Lincolnsh.

**PELLEW OF CANNONLEIGN, DEVONSH.** Cr. 1796.—The HON.

SIR EDWARD PELLEW, present Viscount Exmouth.

**CRAUFURD OF KILBIRNEY, STIRLINGSH.** Cr. 1781.—The HON. AND REV. SIR GEORGE GREGAN, 3rd Bt., 2nd son of the 2nd Bt., by the eldest dau. of the Hon. General Gage, and sister of the 3rd Viscount Gage; s. his fa. in 1839; is nephew of General Craufurd, who fell in leading his troops to the assault of Ciudad Rodrigo, on 19th January, 1812. This noble Bt. is descended of the very ancient house of Craufurd, now extinct, premier Earls of Scotland.

*Arms*—Ar., a buck's head, erased, gu.

*Seats*—Kilbirney, Stirlingsh.; Welford, Berksh.

**SYKES OF BASILDON, BERKSH.** Cr. 1781.—The HON. SIR FRANCIS WILLIAM, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the eldest dau. of the Hon. Major Henniker, grand-dau. of the 1st Lord Henniker; b. 1800; m. 1821, eldest dau. of H. Villebois, Esq.; s. his fa. in 1804. The 1st Bt. having acquired a considerable fortune in India, was elected, after his return to England, M.P. for Wallingford.

*Arms*—Gu., three tufts of reeds, vert.

*Seat*—Basildon Park, Berksh.

*Heir*—His son, b. 1822.

**MOSLEY OF ANCOATS, LANCASH., AND ROLLESTON, STAFFORDSH.** Cr. 1781.—The HON. SIR OSWALD MOSLEY, 2nd Bt., D.C.L., F.G.S. &c., eldest son of O. Mosley, Esq., son of 1st Bt., by the dau. and heiress of Rev. T. Tonman, rector of Little Budworth, Chesh.; b. 1785; m. 1804, dau. of the late Hon. Sir E. Every, Bt., and has issue, two sons and seven daus.; s. his grandfa. in 1798. This noble Bt. is feudal lord of the manor and seignory of Manchester in the Palatine of Lancashire, and of Rolleston in the county of Stafford, in both of which places he continues to hold court leets and courts baron at the present time. The family of Mosley is very ancient in

England, being descended from Oswald, 2nd son of Ernald de Mosley, lord of Mosley, Staffordshire, temp. King John. Sir Edward Mosley was raised to the dignity of the baronetage, in 1640, which expired in the person of his successor; a 2nd baronetcy was conferred upon the family in 1720, which expired with the 3rd Bt. in 1779, when the estates and representation devolved upon his cousin, Sir John Parker Mosley, who was created a Bt. in 1781. The family have interm. with the Whitbroskes of Bridgenorth, the Greys (lords) of Werke, Bayleys of Withington, &c. Sir Oswald was M.P. for Portarlington in 1807, and in the next parliament sat for Winchester. Subsequently he represented Midhurst, and from 1832 to 1837, the northern division of Staffordshire, of which county he was chairman of the quarter sessions for nine years. The family motto alludes to the name—"Mos legem regit."

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, sa., a chev. betw. three battle-axes, ar.; 2nd and 3rd, or, a fesse betw. three eagles, disp., or.

*Seats*—Ancoats Lancash.; Rolleston Hall, Staffordsh.

*Heir*—His son Oswald; b. 1804; m. 1835, eldest dau. of Gen. Bradshaw.

**NOEL OF BARIHAM COURT, KENT.** Cr. 1789.—The HON. SIR CHARLES NOEL NOEL, present Earl of Gainsborough.

**FLETCHER OF CLEA HALL, CUMBERLAND.** Cr. 1782.—The HON. SIR HENRY, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the 4th dau. of T. Vaughan, Esq. of Woodstone, Lincolnsh.; b. 1807; m. 1834, 2nd dau. of Geo. Browne, Esq. of Bombay; s. his fa. in 1821. This noble Bt. descends from Henry Fletcher, of Cockermonth Castle, who had the trust of Mary Stuart, when that princess journeyed from Workington. The 1st Bt. represented Cumberland for 34 years; he was in the service of the East India Company, and a director from 1766 to 1784.

*Arms*—Sa., a cross, eng., ar., betw. four plates, each charged with an arrow of the first.

*Seat*—Ashley Park, Surrey.

*Heir*—His son, b. 1835.

**AFFLECK OF DALHAM HALL, SUFFOLK.** Cr. 1782.—The HON. AND REV. SIR ROBERT, 4th Bt., son of the Rev. J. Affleck, Vicar of Finedon, by the only dau. of — Proctor, Esq., of Clay Coton, Northamptonsh.; b. 1765; s. his bro., Lieut.-Gen. Sir James, in 1832; m. Maria, 2nd dau. of Sir E. Impey, Kt. of Newick Park, Sussex, formerly chief justice of Bengal, and has issue. The 1st Bt., Sir Edmund, a gallant naval officer, was raised to the baronetage in consideration of his distinguished conduct in the command of the centre division in the memorable engagement of the 12th April, 1782, between Admiral Rodney and the French squadron under Count de Grasse.

*Arms*—Ar., three bars, sa.

*Seat*—Dalham Hall, Suffolk.

*Heir ap.*—His eldest son Gilbert.

**PALK OF HALDON HOUSE, DEVONSH.** Cr. 1782.—The HON. SIR LAWRENCE VAUGHAN, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by his 2nd wife, dau. of 1st Earl of Lisburne; b. 1793; m. 1815, eldest dau. of Sir B. Wrey, Bt., relict of Edw. Hartopp, Esq.; s. his fa. in 1813. The 1st Bt. was governor of Madras in 1763; and the 2nd was M.P. for Devonsh.

*Arms*—Sa., an eagle disp., ar., beaked and legged, or, within a bordure, eng., of the second.

*Seats*—Haldon House, near Exeter; and Torquay, Devonsh.

*Heir*—His son, b. 1818.

**BRISCO OF CROFTON, CUMBERLAND.** Cr. 1782.—The HON. SIR WASTELL, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of G. Fane Fleming, Esq.; b. 1778; m. 1806, Miss Sarah Lester; s. his fa. in 1806; was sh. of Cumberland in 1813. This noble family is very ancient in the North. Their surname was originally De Birkskeugh, from an estate of that name still in their possession. Isold Brisco obtained the manors of Crof-

ton, Winhow, and Dundraw, with his wife, the dau. and heiress of Sir John Crofton. The 1st Bt. was the 15th representative of the family in lineal descent from Isold.

*Arms*—Ar., three greyhounds courant, in pale, sa.

*Seat*—Crofton Hall, Cumberland.

*Heir*—His son Robert; b. 1808; m. 3rd dau. of G. Rimmington, Esq. of Tyne Field House, Cumberland.

**APREECE OF WASHINGTON, HUNTINGDONSH. Cr. 1782.**—The HON. SIR THOMAS GEORGE, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of S. Ashby, Esq. of Queenby, Leicestersh.; b. 1791; s. his fa. in 1833, who, when a capt. in the Huntingdon Militia, defended Alnwick against the pirate Paul Jones, during the earlier American War; he submitted to Mr. Pitt a plan for embodying 200,000 men free from expense, which was adopted by that minister in the yeomanry force afterwards enrolled. This noble family, originally Ap Rhys, trace their blood from a very ancient and high origin—viz., Blethein ap Maenarch, prince of Brecknock, whose arms they still bear, and his wife Ellen, dau. of Tewdor Mawr, king of South Wales.

*Arms*—Sa., three spears' heads, ar., guttée de sang.

*Seats*—Washingley, Huntingdonsh.; Honnington, Lancashire; Effingham House, Surrey.

**GEARY OF OXON HEATH, KENT. Cr. 1782.**—The HON. SIR WILLIAM RICHARD POWLETT, 3rd Bt.; s. his fa. in 1825; m. 1835, Louisa, dau. of the late Hon. R. A. Bruce, bro. of the Earl of Elgin; was sometime M.P. for one of the divisions of Kent. The 1st Bt., Sir Francis, was a distinguished naval officer, and rose to the rank of Admiral of the White.

*Arms*—Gu., two bars, or, charged with three mascles, az., two and one.

*Seat*—Oxon Heath, Kent.

**PARKER OF BASINGBOURN, ESSEX. Cr. 1783.**—The HON. SIR CHARLES CHRISTOPHER, 5th Bt., 3rd son of Vice-Admiral Christopher Parker, eldest son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of Adm. the Hon. John

Byron, grand-dau. of 4th Lord Byron; b. 1792; m. 1815, dau. of—Palmer, Esq.; s. his bro. in 1835; capt. in the navy, date 1822. This noble family is of considerable antiquity, and descends from Archbishop Parker. Members of it uninterruptedly have for a century and a half been highly distinguished in our naval annals. The 1st Bt. was Sir Peter Parker, admiral of the fleet, eminently distinguished in the American war; he was uncle of Sir George Parker, K.C.B.

*Arms*—Gu., on a chev., betw. three keys, erect, ar., as many fleurs-de-lis of the field.

*Seat*—Chaurand, Essex.

**GARDINER OF ROCHE COURT, HANTS. Cr. 1783.**—The HON. SIR JAMES WHALLEY SMYTHE, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the 2nd dau. of Rev. Dr. Asheton; b. 1785; m. 1807, 2nd dau. of the late O. Mosley, Esq., and sister to the Hon. Sir O. Mosley, Bt.; s. his fa. in 1805; was high sheriff of Hampshire in 1810. The 1st Bt. was John Whalley, M.P., who on succeeding to the estates of Sir W. Gardiner, Bt., which title is extinct, took the name of Gardiner, and was raised to the Baronetage.

*Arms*—Or, on a chev., gu., between three griffins' heads, erased, az., two lions, con-passant, of the field, &c.

*Seat*—Roche Court, Hampsh.

*Heir*—His son John Brocas, b. 1814.

**GRAHAM OF NETHERBY, CUMBERLAND. Cr. 1783.**—The HON. SIR JAS. ROB. GEO., 2nd Bt., M.P., son of 1st Bt., by the eldest dau. of 7th Earl of Galloway; b. 1792; m. 1819, y. dau. of Sir J. Campbell, of Ardinglass; s. his fa. in 1824; a privy councillor, 1830; was lord rector of the university of Glasgow in 1840; is patron of two livings; was 1st lord of the admiralty, and a member of the cabinet from 1830 till 1834; is one of the ecclesiastical commissioners for England, &c. This noble family is a branch of the Grahams, Baronets of Esk, one of the oldest and most distinguished Houses in Britain, being

descended of the renowned Graeme, who, anno 404, commanded the the army of King Fergus II., and was governor of Scotland during the minority of his grandson Eugene II. Sir James is a distinguished agriculturist, an eminent statesman, and present secretary of state for the home department.

*Arms*—Or, on a chief, three escallops of the field.

*Seat*—Netherby, Cumberland.

*Heir*—His son Frederick Ulrick, b. 1820.

**SYKES OF SLEDMERE, YORKSH.** Cr. 1783.—The HON. SIR TATTON, 4th Bt., 2nd son of the 2nd Bt., by the dau. of Wm. Tatton, Esq. of Withenshaw, Cheshire; b. 1772; m. 1822, 2nd dau. of the late Sir Wm. Foulis, Bt.; s. his bro. in 1823. This noble family descend from Wm. Sykes, who obtained a grant of the manor of Leed, and died in 1652. His grandson, Richard, m. the dau. and co-heiress of Mark Kirkby, Esq. of Sledmere, high sheriff for Yorksh. in 1750.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev. sa., betw. three sykes or fountains, ppr.

*Seat*—Sledmere, Yorksh.

*Heir*—His son Tatton, b. 1826.

**DALLING OF BURWOOD PARK, SURREY.** Cr. 1783.—The HON. SIR W. WINDHAM, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by his 2nd wife, dau. of Excelles Lawford, Esq.; s. his fa. in 1798. The 1st Bt. was governor-gen. of Jamaica.

*Arms*—Erm., on a bend, or, three acorns, ppr.

*Seats*—Ersham Hall, Norfolk; Burwood Park, Surrey.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. John Windham, post captain, R.N.

**GUISE OF HIGHNAM, GLOUCESTERSH.** Cr. 1783.—The HON. SIR JOHN WRIGHT GUISE, 3rd Bt., K.C.B., 2nd son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. and heiress of T. Wright, Esq.; b. 1777; m. 1815, dau. of J. Vernon, Esq. of Clontarf Castle, co. Dublin; s. his bro. in 1834; is a lieut.-gen. in the army; served in Egypt in 1801, in Hanover in 1805, and subsequently in the Peninsula; received

a cross for his conduct at Fuentes d'Onor, Salamanca, Vittoria, and Nive; is a dep.-lieut. of Gloucestershire. The founder of this noble and ancient family, originally of Normandy, settled in England at the time of the Conquest, Sir William de Gyse receiving from his victorious chief, William I., several lordships in Bedfordshire. In the time of Henry II., Anselme de Gyse espoused Magotta, one of the daus. of the celebrated Hubert de Burgh, Earl of Kent, with whom he got the manor and royalty of Elmore, near Gloucester; the elder branch of the family were raised to the Baronetage in the 13th of Chas. II., which title expired in the 5th Bt., in 1782, when Sir John Guise, of Highnam, s. to the representation of the family, and was created a Bt. They have intermarried with the Kens of Ken, Howes of Langnor, Bridges, Cooke, Wright, &c. Sir John is a member of the Committee of the Baronetage for Privileges.

*Arms*—Gu., seven lozenges, vair, three, three, and one, on a canton, or, a mullet, pierced, sa.

*Seat*—Highnam Park, Gloucestersh.

*Heir*—His son William Vernon, b. 1816.

**HAMOND OF HOLLY GROVE, BERKS.** Cr. 1783.—The HON. SIR GRAHAM EDEN, K.C.B., K.C.T.S., 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. and heir of Henry Graeme, Esq. of Hanwell, Middlesex; b. 1779; m. 1806, dau. of John Kimber, Esq. of Fowey, Cornwall; s. his fa. in 1828: is a vice-admiral of the red; was midshipman in the Queen Charlotte in Howe's action; was at the blockade of Malta and the siege of Valette; served at Copenhagen in 1801, and at Flushing in 1809; is a dep.-lieut. of Norfolk and of the Isle of Wight. The 1st Bt. was a distinguished naval commander. Sir Graham is a member of the Committee of the Order for Privileges.

*Arms*—Ar., on a chev., sa., between three pellets, each charged with a martlet of the field in chief, and in

base a wreath of oak leaves, ppr., two escallops of the first, all within a bordure, engr., vert, qu. with GRAHAM.

*Seat*—Norton Lodge, Yarmouth, Isle of Wight.

*Heir*—His son Andrew Snape, born 1811; a lieut. in the navy.

**BOEVY OF FLAXLEY ABBEY.** Cr. 1784.—The HON. SIR THOMAS CRAWLEY BOEVY, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the dau. of the Rev. T. Savage, heiress of T. Barrow, Esq. of Field Court; b. 1769; m. 1807, eldest dau. of the late Sir Thos. Hyde Page; s. his fa. in 1818. Is a dep.-lieut. of Gloucestershire. The 1st Bt. was M.P. for Gloucester in several parliaments, and was created a Bart., with remainder to the husband of his cousin, the fa. of the present Bt.

*Arms*—Erm., on a fesse, az. betw. three herons, ppr., a saltier betw. two cross-crosslets fitchée, or, on a chief, erm., a bend, gu., charged with three guttes d'or, between two martlets, sa.

*Seats*—Flaxley Abbey, and St. Michael's, Gloucestershire.

*Heir*—His son Martin Hyde, b. 1812; m. 1836, dau. of the Rev. G. W. Daubeny.

**MORSHEAD OF TRENANT PARK, CORNWALL.** Cr. 1784.—The HON. SIR WARWICK CHARLES, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the dau. of R. Warwick, Esq. of Warwick Hall, Cumberland; b. 1824; s. his fa. in 1828. The 1st Bt. was surveyor-gen. to the Prince of Wales; lord-warden of the Stannaries, &c.

*Arms*—Az., a cross-crosslet, ar., between four martlets, or, on a chief of the second, three escallops, gu.

*Seat*—Derwent Lodge, Cumberland.

*Heir pres.*—His uncle John.

**RYCROFT OF FARNHAM, SURREY.** Cr. 1784.—The HON. SIR RICHARD HENRY CHARLES, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by his 1st wife, dau. of Henry Read, Esq. of Cro-wood, Wiltshire; b. 1783; m. 1830, eldest dau. of William Tennant, Esq. of Aston Hall, niece to Lord Yarborough, and has issue. This family descend from the Rev. Dr. Richard Nelson, who took the name of Rycroft, and was raised to the baronetage.

*Arms*—Per bend, or and az., three griffins' heads, erased, counterchanged, on a chief, erm., three roses, gu.

*Seat*—Manydown Park, Hants.

*Heir ap.*—His son Nelson, b. 1831.

**DODSWORTH OF NEWLAND PARK, YORKSH.** Cr. 1784.—The HON. SIR EDWARD, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of J. Dodsworth, Esq. of Thornton Wittas, Yorksh.; b. 1768; m. 1804, youngest dau. of H. Dawkins, Esq. of Standlynch, Wiltsh.; s. his fa., Sir John Sylvester Smith, in 1789; in 1821, took the name of Dodsworth, in lieu of his patronymic Smith.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th ar., a bend betw. three annulets, sa., for DODSWORTH; 2nd and 3rd per saltier, ar. and sa., two trefoils slipped in pale gu., for SMITH.

*Seats*—Thornton Hall, and Newland Park, Yorkshire.

*Heir*—His bro. Charles, b. 1775.

**JODRELL OF SALL PARK, NORFOLK.** Cr. 1784.—The HON. SIR RICHARD PAUL, 2nd Bt., M.A., son of R. P. Jodrell, Esq., M.P., by the eldest dau. and co-heir of Edw. Hase, Esq. of Sall, Norfolk; m. 1814, Miss King, dau. of the Earl of Kingston; s. his maternal grand-uncle, Sir John Lombe, in 1817. The 1st Bt. was John Hase, Esq., who assumed the name of Lombe, being descended from Alderman Sir Thos. Lombe, who first introduced silk-throwing into England—a national service, for which he received a reward of 14,000*l.* from parliament. The Baronetcy was confirmed with remainder, in default of male issue, to the children of his niece, mother of the present Bt. Sir Richard is a member of the Committee of the Baronetage for Privileges; and paternally is sprung from Peter Jodrell, a landed proprietor in the Peak, Derbyshire, who flourished in the middle of the 18th century.

*Arms*—Erm., a trefoil, slipped, or, betw. three round buckles, ar., tongues, pendant.

*Seat*—Sall Park, Norfolk.

*Heir*—His son Richard Paul Hase, b. 1818.

**DURANT OF SCOTTOW, NORFOLK.** Cr. 1784.—The HON. SIR HENRY THOMAS ESTRIDGE, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the dau. of H. Steenberg, Esq. of the island of St. Christopher; b. 1807; m. 1st, 1830, dau. of Robert Marsham, Esq. of Stratton Strawless, Norfolk; 2ndly, 1833, dau. of T. H. Tracy, Esq. niece of Sir Edward Tracy, Bt.; s. his fa. in 1829. This noble family have flourished in the counties of Rutland and Derby from the time of the Conquest, and have intermarried with the most eminent families in those shires.

*Arms*—Erm., a cross-crosslet, sa.

*Seat*—Scottow Hall, near North Walsham, Norfolk.

*Heir*—A son, b. 1828.

**WOOD OF BARNSELEY, YORKSH.** Cr. 1784.—The HON. SIR FRANCIS LINDLEY, 2nd Bt.; s. his uncle Sir Francis, in 1795; m. Mary Anne, dau. and co-heiress of Samuel Buck, Esq. of New Granges, and has issue. This is a branch of an ancient Yorkshire family, founded by George Wood, lord of the manor of Monk Bretton, in the 7th of King James I.

*Arms*—Az., three savages, ambulant in fesse, ppr., in their dexter hands a shield, az., charged with a cross, gu., in their sinister, a club resting on their shoulders, also ppr.

*Seat*—Hinckleton, near Doncaster.

*Heir ap.*—His son Charles, M.P. for Halifax, m. to Lady Mary, 4th dau. of Charles, Earl Grey, K.G.

**FITZHERBERT OF TISSINGTON HALL, DERBYSH.** Cr. 1784.—The HON. SIR HENRY, 3rd Bt., 2nd son of the 1st Bt., by the only dau. of W. Perrin, Esq. of the island of Jamaica; b. 1783; m. 1805, dau. of the late Rev. W. Beresford; s. his bro. in 1798. This noble family is of great antiquity, having been founded by one of the companions of William the Conqueror. The 1st Bt., recorder of Derby, was bro. to Lord St. Helens (extinct.)

*Arms*—Gu., three lions ramp., or.

*Seats*—Tissington Hall, near Ashbourne, Derbyshire; West Farleigh, Kent.

*Heir*—His son William; b. 1808; m. 1836, 2nd dau. of Sir Reynold Abel Alleyne, Bart.

**BEEVOR OF HETHEL, NORFOLK.** Cr. 1783.—The HON. SIR THOMAS BRANTHWAYT, 3rd Bt. son of the 2nd Bt., by the dau. of Hugh Hare, Esq. of Hargham Hall, Norfolk; b. 1798; m. 1819, dau. of Richard Lubbock, M.D., of Norwich; s. his fa. in 1820; is a deputy-lieut. of Norfolk.

*Arms*—Per pale, or and az., on a chief, indented, sa., three lions ramp., of the first.

*Seat*—Hargham, Norfolk.

*Heir*—His son Thomas, b. 1803.

**LESLIE OF JUNIPER HILL, SURREY.** Cr. 1784.—The HON. and REV. SIR HENRY, 3rd Bt., 2nd son of the 1st Bt., Sir Lucas Pepys, by his 1st wife, Jane Elizabeth Leslie, Countess of Rothes in her own right; b. 1783; m. 1816, youngest dau. of the Rev. J. Oakes, of Tostock, Suffolk; s. his bro. in 1832; is rector of Sheep Hall, Hertfordsh., and of Wetherden, Suffolk; prebendary of Exeter, and one of her Majesty's chaplains in ordinary; the family took their mother's name of Leslie. The 1st Bt. was physician-gen. to the army; he was bro. to Sir Wm. Weller Pepys, Bt., and therefore uncle to the 2nd Bt. of that name, and to the 1st Lord Cottenham.

*Arms*—Sa., on a bend, or, betw. two nags' heads, erased, ar., three fleurs-de-lis of the field.

*Seat*—Box Hill, Surrey.

*Heir pres.*—His cousin Sir William Weller Pepys, Bt.

**SINCLAIR OF ULBSTER, CAITHNESS-SH.** Cr. 1786.—The HON. SIR GEORGE, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by his 2nd mar., with the dau. of the 1st Lord Macdonald; b. 1790; m. 1816, 2nd dau. of William Lord Huntingtower, grand-dau. of the Countess of Dysart; s. his fa. in 1835; represented Caithness in parliament in 1811, 1818, and from 1831 to 1841. The 1st Bart., the Right Hon. Sir John Sinclair, was the father of British agriculture, and

the author of the "Statistical History of Scotland." &c.—a statesman and patriot, whose name ought to be venerated by all posterity.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, az., a ship with three masts, ar.; 2nd and 3rd, or, a lion ramp., gu., over all a cross, engr., sa., all within a bordure gobony, ar. and sa.

**VANE OF HUTTON HALL, CUMBERLAND.** Cr. 1786.—The HON. SIR FRANCIS FLETCHER, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the dau. of John Bowerbank, Esq. of Johnby, Cumberland; b. 1797; m. 1823, 3rd dau. of C. G. Beauclerk, Esq. of St. Leonard's Lodge, Horsham; s. his fa. in 1832. This family descends from a common ancestor with the family of Vane, Dukes of Cleveland and Fane, Earls of Westmorland.

*Arms*—Az., three sinister gauntlets, two and one, or.

*Seats*—Hutton Hall, and Armathwaite, Cumberland.

*Heir*—His son Hen. Ralph, b. 1830.

**COLQUHOUN OF COLQUHOUN AND LUSS, DUMBARTONSH.** Cr. 1786.—The HON. SIR JAMES COLQUHOUN, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the dau. of Right Hon. Sir John Sinclair, Bt.; s. his fa. in 1836; is lord-lieut. of Dumbartonsh.; chief of the Colquhouns; has the patronage of eight livings in the church of Scotland; represented Dumbartonsh. in parliament from 1837 to 1841. The present Bt. enjoys likewise a baronetcy of Scotland. See page 62.

**DOUGLAS OF SPRINGWOOD PARK, ROXBURGHSH.** Cr. 1786.—The HON. SIR GEO. HENRY SCOTT, 4th Bt., son of the 3rd Bt., by the only dau. and heir of H. Scott, Esq. of Belford, Roxburghsh.; born 1825; s. his fa. 1836. The 1st Bt. was a distinguished naval commander; he brought home the news of the surrender of Quebec, 1759; commanded a fleet at the Leeward islands, took Dominica, and was at the siege of Martinico in 1761.

*Arms*—Ar., a heart, gu., crowned, or, on a chief three mullets, all within a bordure, engr., quartered with SCOTT.

*Seat*—Spring Wood Park, Roxburghshire.

**ROWLEY OF TENDRING HALL, SUFFOLK.** Cr. 1786.—The HON. SIR JOSHUA RICKETTS, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the dau. of the late Admiral Sir R. Harland, Bt.; m. 1824, only dau. of J. Moseley, Esq. of Great Glemham House, Suffolk; s. his fa. in 1832; is a captain R.N. The 1st Bt., Joshua, (son of Admiral Sir Wm. Rowley, K.B.) was a distinguished naval commander; his nephew, Josias, was created a Bt., as was also his 4th son Charles.

*Arms*—Ar., on a bend, engr., betw. two Cornish choughs, sa., three escallops of the field.

*Seat*—Tendring Hall, Suffolk.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Robert Charles, m. 1830, dau. of Lord Huntingfield.

**HOARE OF STOURHEAD, WILTS.** Cr. 1786.—The HON. SIR HENRY HUGH, 3rd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by his 2nd wife, dau. of R. Acland, Esq.; b. 1762; m. 1784, dau. of A. Acland, Esq. of Fairfield, Somersetshire; s. his half-brö. in 1838. The 1st Bt.'s father was lord mayor of London in 1745. The 2nd Bt. was an antiquary, and not unknown in the literary world.

*Arms*—Sa., an eagle displayed, with two heads, ar., charged on the breast with an ermine spot, a bordure of the second.

*Seats*—Stourhead House, Wiltsh.; Wavendon, Bucks.

*Heir*—His son Hugh Richard; born 1787; m. 1819, dau. of Thos. Tyrwhitt Drake, Esq. of Shardeloes, Bucks.

**BLAIR OF BLAIRQUHAN, Ayrshire.** Cr. 1786.—The HON. SIR DAVID HUNTER, 3rd Bt., 2nd son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of J. Blair, Esq. of Dunskey; m. 1st, 1813, 2nd dau. of the late E. Hay McKenzie, Esq. of Newhall and Cromartie, (bro. of 7th Marquess of Tweeddale;) 2ndly, 1825, 2nd dau. of Sir John Hay, Bt.; s. his bro. in 1800. Served as col. of the Ayrshire militia during the late war, and is now convener and vice-lieut. of that co.

*Arms*—Ar., on a saltier, sa., nine mascles of the field, and in chief a star



of eight points, gu., quartered with HUNTER, KENNEDY, and CUNNINGHAM.

*Seat*—Blairquin Castle, Girvin, Ayrshire.

*Heir*—His son, by the first marriage, James, b. 1817.

**SKEFFINGTON OF SKEFFINGTON, LEICESTERSH.** Cr. 1786.—The HON. SIR LUMLEY ST. GEORGE, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the eldest dau. of M. Hubbard, Esq. of Teneriffe; b. 1768; s. his fa. in 1815. The 1st Bart., Sir Wm. C. Ferrall, descended of an ancient Irish family, assumed the name of Skeffington in 1772, as heir and representative of that distinguished family.

*Arms*—Ar., three bulls' heads, erased, sa.

*Seat*—Skeffington Hall, Leicestersh.

**MILLER OF GLENLEE, AYRSH.** Cr. 1788.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by his 1st wife, eldest dau. of J. Murdock, Esq. of Rosebank; m. his cousin, dau. of G. Chalmers; s. his fa. in 1789; is one of the lords of the Court of Session in Scotland, by the title of Lord Glenlee. The 1st Bt. filled the office of lord president of the College of Justice in Scotland.

*Arms*—Ar., a cross-moline, az., in chief a lozenge, between two mullets of the last, in base a bar, wavy, vert.

*Seat*—Glenlee, Kirkcudbrightsh.

*Heir*—His son Thomas.

**BULLER OF LUPTON, DEVONSH.** Cr. 1790.—The HON. SIR JOHN BULLER YARDE, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the dau. of J. Holliday, Esq. of Dilhorne Hall, Staffordsh.; b. 1799; m. 1823, dau. of T. Wilson Patten, Esq., M.P., of Bank Hall, Lancash.; s. his fa. in 1834; is patron of one living, and a dep.-lieut. of Devonsh.; was elected, in conjunction with Lord John Russell, for the southern division of Devonshire, in 1835, which he continues to represent in parliament. The 1st Bart. was constituted one of the judges of the King's Bench in 1778, and subsequently transferred to the Common Pleas.

*Arms*—Sa., on a cross, ar., quarterly, pierced of the field, four eagles displayed, of the first.

*Seats*—Curston Ferrers, and Lupton House, Devonsh.

*Heir*—His son John Buller, b. 1823.

**OAKELEY OF OAKELEY, SALOP.** Cr. 1790.—The HON. AND REV. SIR HERBERT, 3rd Bt., 3rd son of the 1st Bt., by the only dau. of E. Beatson, Esq. of Kilerie, co. Fife; born 1791; m. 1826, 2nd dau. of the late Rt. Hon. and Rev. Lord C. Aynsley, and grand-dau. of 3rd Duke of Atholl; s. his bro. in 1829; is prebendary of St. Paul's, dean of Bocking, and vicar of Ealing, Middlesex. The 1st Bt. was distinguished in the civil service of the E.I.Co., and was governor of Madras from 1789 to 1794.

*Arms*—Ar., on a fesse, betw. three crescents, gu., as many fleurs-de-lis, or, quartered with STRAHAN.

*Residence*—Deanery, Bocking.

*Heir*—His son Charles Wm. Atholl, b. 1828.

**ORDE OF KILMOREY, ARGYLLSHIRE.** Cr. 1790.—The HON. SIR JOHN POWLETT, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by his 2nd wife, eldest dau. of John Frere, Esq. of Royden, Norfolk; b. 1803; m. 1st, 1826, dau. of the late P. Campbell, Esq. of Kilmorey, Argyllshire; 2ndly, 1832, youngest dau. of James Edwards, Esq. of Harrow-on-the-Hill; s. his fa. in 1824. The 1st Bt. (bro. of 1st Lord Bolton), an admiral of the Red, was governor of Dominica in 1783.

*Arms*—Sa., three salmons haurient, in fesse, ar.

*Seat*—Bognor, Sussex.

*Heir*—A son by the first marriage, b. 1827.

**MALET OF WILBURY, WILTS.** Cr. 1791.—The HON. SIR ALEX. CHARLES, 2nd Bart., son of the 1st Bt., by the eldest dau. of J. Wales, Esq.; b. 1800; m. 1834, dau. of J. Spalding, Esq. of the Holme, (whose relict m. Lord Brougham;) s. his fa. in 1815; is secretary of legation at the Hague, a dep.-lieut. of Wilts. The 1st Bt. was nineteenth in lineal descent from William Mallet, one of the barons who accompanied the Conqueror. Robert de Malet pos-

sessed at the general survey, according to Dugdale, thirty-two lordships in Yorksh., three in Essex, one in Hants, two in Notts, eight in Lincolnsh., and two hundred and twenty-one in Suffolk. William Malet, lord of the honour of Eye, in Suffolk, was one of the subscribing barons to Magna Charta. From him lineally descended Sir Baldwin Malet, sol.-gen. to Henry VIII. The 1st Bt., Sir Chas. Warre Malet, F.R.S. and F.S.A., filled several high official and diplomatic employments in India, under the E.I. Co.

*Arms*—Az., three escallops, or.  
*Seat*—Wilbury House, Wiltshire.  
*Heir*—His son, b. 1835.

**KENNAWAY OF ESCOT, DEVONSH.** Cr. 1791.—The HON. SIR JOHN KENNAWAY, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the 2nd dau. of J. Amyatt, Esq.; b. 1797; m. 1831, dau. of the late T. Kingscote, Esq. of Kingscote, Gloucestersh.; s. his fa. in 1836; is a dep.-lieut. of Devonsh. The 1st Bt., was raised to that dignity in reward for his success in a mission to the court of Hyderabad, to demand the cession of the province of Guntoor; the East India Company, moreover, took out the patent at their own expense.

*Arms*—Ar., a fesse between two eagles displayed, in chief and in base, through an annulet, gu., a slip of olive, and another of palm, in saltier, ppr.

*Seat*—Escot, Devonsh.

*Heir*—His son John Henry, b. 1837.

**LUSHINGTON OF SOUTH-HILL, BERKS.** Cr. 1791.—The HON. SIR HENRY, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of J. Boldero, Esq. of Aspeden Hall, Hertfordsh.; b. 1775; m. 1799, eldest dau. of M. Lewis, Esq. of the War Office; s. his fa. in 1807; was appointed consul-gen. at Naples in 1815. The 1st Bt. represented Ashburton in parliament; was many years a director of the E.I. Co., and more than once chairman of that board.

*Arms*—Or, on a fesse, wavy, betw. three lions' heads, erased, vert, langued, gu., as many ermine spots of the field.

*Seat*—South-hill Park, Berks.  
*Heir*—His son Henry, b. 1802.

**MARTIN OF LOCKYNGE, BERKS.** Cr. 1791.—The HON. SIR HENRY, 3rd Bt., son of the late Sir Henry Wm., 2nd Bt., by his wife Catherine, dau. of T. Powell, Esq. of Chesnuts, Middlesex; s. his fa. in 1842; m. his cousin Catherine, dau. of Adm. Sir Thomas Byam Martin, G.C.B. The 1st Bt. was comptroller of the navy.

*Arms*—Gu., on a chev., betw. three crescents, ar., an anchor erect, with a pieced cable, ppr.

*Seat*—Lockyngge Park, Wantage, Berkshire.

**CALL OF WHITEFORD, CORNWALL.** Cr. 1791.—The HON. SIR WM. PRATT, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the 3rd dau. of William Batty, Esq., M.D.; b. 1781; m. 1806, dau. of 5th Earl of Granard; s. his fa. in 1801. The 1st Bt. was an eminent military engineer in India, and in 1768, held the offices of commissary-gen., military store-keeper, and accomptant-gen. under the presidency of Madras; he was subsequently appointed a commissioner to inquire into the management of crown lands.

*Arms*—Gu., three trumpets fesseways, in pale, ar.

*Seat*—Whiteford House, Cornwall.

*Heir*—His son Wm. Berkeley, born 1815.

**DUCKETT OF HARTHAM HOUSE, WILTS.** Cr. 1791.—The HON. SIR GEORGE, 2nd Bt., F.R., and F.S., lieut.-col. of the West Essex Militia; s. his fa. in 1822; m. Miss Floyd of Shrewsbury. The 1st Bt., Sir Geo. Jackson, judge advocate of the navy, took the name of Duckett, an ancient family founded by Richard Duckett in the time of Henry III., pursuant to the will of his wife's maternal uncle. Sir George has in his possession an ancient badge of Ulster, which was worn by Sir Thomas Frankland, Bt. See Appendix.

*Arms*—Sa., a saltier, ar.

*Seat*—Hartham House.

*Heir ap.*—His son George Floyd, b. 1811.

**POLE OF WOLVERTON, HANTS.** Cr. 1791.—The HON. SIR PETER 2nd Bt., son of Sir Charles Van Notten, 1st Bt., (who assumed the name of Pole in 1787) by the eldest dau. of C. Pole, Esq. of Holcroft, Lancash.; b. 1770; m. 1798, eldest dau. of R. Buller, Esq.; s. his fa. in 1813.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev., between three crescents, gu., a mullet in chief, az.

*Seat*—Wolverton Park, Hampsh.

*Heir*—His son Peter, b. 1801; m. 1825, 4th dau. of 1st Earl of Limerick.

**VAUGHAN OF NANNAU, MERIONETHSH.** Cr. 1791.—The HON. SIR ROBERT WILLIAMES, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the only child and heir of E. Willames, Esq. of Ystymcollwyn, Montgomerysh.; m. 1801, dau. of the late Sir R. Mostyn, Bt.; s. his fa. in 1796. This family is descended from Ynyr Vaughan, Lord of Nannau, who was a descendant of Cadwgan, the son of Bleddyn ap Cynfyn, Prince of Powis.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, erminois, a lion ramp., gu.; 2nd and 3rd, gu., a lion ramp., erminois.

*Seats*—Nannau and Ystymcollwyn, Merionethsh.

*Heir*—His son Robert Willames; b. 1803; m. 1835, eldest dau. of Edw. Lloyd, Esq., of Rhagatt.

**RICH OF SHIRLEY HOUSE, HANTS.** Cr. 1791.—The HON. SIR CHAS. HEN., 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the only dau. of Sir R. Rich, Bt.; b. 1784; m. 1806, youngest dau. of Sir J. Lethbridge, Bt.; s. his fa. in 1824. The present Bt.'s father, Rev. Charles Bostock, LL.D., on marrying the heiress of Sir Robert Rich, whose title (conferred by Charles II.) expired with him, assumed the surname of Rich, in lieu of his patronymic, and was created a Bt.

*Arms*—Gu., a chev., erminois, betw. three crosses-bottonée, or.

*Seats*—Rose Hall, Suffolk; Shirley House, Hampsh.

*Heir*—His son Charles Henry John, b. 1812.

**PALMER OF WANLIP HALL, LEICESTERSH.** Cr. 1791.—The HON. SIR GEO. JOS., 3rd Bt., son of the

2nd Bt., Sir C. T. Hudson (who assumed the name of Palmer in lieu of his patronymic in 1813), by the dau. of Sir W. Pepperell, Bt.; b. 1811; m. 1836, dau. of G. Holford, Esq. of Westonfrit, Gloucestersh.; s. his fa. in 1827; filled the office of high-sheriff of Leicestersh. in 1840. The 1st Bt. was a director of the South Sea Company.

*Arms*—Ar., on two bars, sa., three trefoils, slip, of the first, in chief, a greyhound, courant, of the second.

*Seat*—Wanlip Hall, Leicestersh.

*Heir*—His son Archdale Robert, b. 1838.

**CHAD OF THURSFORD, NORFOLK.** Cr. 1791.—The HON. SIR CHAS., 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt. by the dau. of J. Rowlls, Esq. of Kingston, Surrey; b. 1779; m. 1810, 2nd dau. of 2nd Earl of Winterton; s. his fa. in 1815; is a dep.-lieut. of Norfolk. The 1st Bt. filled the situations of consul-general and charge-d'affaires in Brazil.

*Arms*—Gu., within an orle, ar., charged with eight mullets, az., an armillary sphere, or.

*Seats*—Thursford, and Pinkney Hall, Norfolk.

*Heir*—His son Edward Henry, b. 1811.

**JAMES OF LANGLEY, BERKS.** Cr. 1791.—The HON. SIR WALTER, 2nd Bt., M.P., eldest son of John James, (son of the 1st Bt.) by the dau. of the 1st Marquess of Londonderry, who m. after his death, Sir Henry Hardinge, K.C.B.; b. 1816; s. his grandfa. in 1829; has represented Hull in parliament since 1827. The 1st Bt., whose patronymic was Head, assumed the name of James, on succeeding to his grand-uncle's estates.

*Arms*—Gu., a dolphin, naiant in fesse, or.

*Seat*—Langley Hall, Yorksh.

**KING OF BELLEVUE, KENT.** Cr. 1792.—The HON. SIR RICHARD DUCKWORTH, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by his 1st wife, dau. of Adm. Sir J. T. Duckworth; b. 1804; m. 1836, dau. of J. Barnett, Esq.; s. his fa. in 1834. The 1st Bt. was a naval

officer, particularly distinguished for his successes in the Indian seas, under Sir Edward Hughes, against the French admiral, De Suffrein.

*Arms*—Sa., a lion ramp., erm., bet. three crosses-patée, fitchée, or.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. George St. Vincent, b. 1809.

**STIRLING OF UPPAL, MID-LOTHIAN.** Cr. 1792.—The HON. SIR GEORGE, 3rd Bt., 2nd son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of James Mansfield, Esq., banker at Edinburgh; s. his bro. in 1843; m. Anne Henrietta, dau. of W. Grey, Esq. The 1st Bt. had filled the office of lord provost of Edinburgh.

*Arms*—Ar., on a bend, az., between a Moor's head, in profile, coupéd, sa., wreathed, or, in chief and in base, a garb, of the second, three arming buckles, or.

*Seat*—Uppal, co. Edinburgh.

**MORGAN OF TREDEGAR, MONMOUTHSH.** Cr. 1792.—The HON. SIR CHARLES GOULD, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the eldest dau. of T. Morgan, Esq. of Ruperra, Galway; b. 1760; m. dau. Captain G. Storey, R.N., and has issue; s. his fa. in 1806. This noble family descend from Llewelin ap Ivor, lord of St. Clair and Gwyn Saye in Carmarthensh., lineally descended from Kidivor Vawr, lord of Kilsaint, who m. the dau. and co-heir of Sir Morgan Meredyth, lord of Tredegar, sprung of Rhys, Prince of South Wales.

*Arms*—Or, a griffin, segreant, sa., quartering those of GOULD.

*Seat*—Tredegar, near Monmouth.

*Heir ap.*—His son Charles Morgan Robinson, b. 1792.

**FORD OF EMBER COURT, SURREY.** Cr. 1793.—The HON. SIR FRANCIS JOHN, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the only dau. of the late H. Brady, Esq. of Limerick; b. 1818; s. his fa. in 1839. The 1st Bt. was one of the council in Barbadoes, and M.P. in 1790 for Newcastle-under-Line.

*Arms*—Per pale, gu. and or, two hends, vair, on a canton of the second, a greyhound, courant, sa.

*Seat*—Ember Court, Surrey.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. William, b. 1821.

**BARING OF LARKBEER, DEVON.** Cr. 1793.—The HON. SIR THOMAS, 2nd Bt., son of F. Baring, Esq., by the dau. of W. Herring, Esq. of Croydon, and co-heir of T. Herring, Archbishop of Canterbury; b. 1772; m. 1794, eldest dau. of C. Sealy, Esq. of Calcutta; s. his fa. in 1810. Is elder brother to Lord Ashburton. Has been M.P., for Wycombe, and is patron of three livings. The 1st Bt. was a distinguished merchant.

*Arms*—Az., a fesse, or, in chief, a bear's head, ppr., muz., and ringed, or.

*Seat*—Stratton Park, Hampsh.

*Heir ap.*—His son Rt. Hon. Francis Thornhill, M.P.; m. 1825, dau. of Sir G. Grey, Bt., bro. of 2nd Earl Grey; was a lord of the Treasury from 1830 till June, 1834, and chancellor of the Exchequer in 1839.

**PASLEY OF CRAIG, DUMFRIESH.** Cr. 1794.—The HON. SIR THOMAS SABINE, 2nd Bt., son of Col. J. Sabine, by the eldest dau. of the 1st Bt., Sir Thomas Pasley; b. 1804; m. 1826, eldest dau. of Rev. M. J. Wynyard, of Micklegate, Yorksh.; s. his maternal grandfa. in 1808; in 1809 took the name of Pasley in addition to his patronymic; attained the rank of captain R.N. in 1831. The 1st Bt., a distinguished admiral, having no male issue, received his title, with remainder to the heirs male of his daughters successively.

*Arms*—Az., on a chev., ar., between two roses, in chief, of the last, and in base an anchor, or, three thistles, slipped, ppr.

*Seat*—Frimby, Maryport, Cumberland.

*Heir*—His son Thomas Malcolm Sabine, b. 1829.

**CURTIS OF GATCOMBE, HANTS.** Cr. 1794.—The HON. SIR LUCIUS, 2nd Bt., C.B., son of the 1st Bt., by the youngest dau. of M. Brady, Esq. of Gatcombe House, Hampsh.; b. 1786; m. 1811; eldest dau. of M. Greetham, Esq. of East Cosham, Hants; s. his fa. in 1816; entered the navy in 1795; commanded the

Magicienne at the reduction of the isle of Bourbon; attained the rank of rear-admiral of the white in Nov. 1841. The 1st Bt. was admiral of the red, and had distinguished himself at the raising of the siege of Gibraltar; for his services on that occasion he was knighted; he received his baronetcy for his conduct as captain of the Queen Charlotte, Lord Howe's flag-ship, in the battles of the 29th of May and 1st of June, 1794; in 1801 he was made commander-in-chief at the Cape of Good Hope.

*Arms*—Per fesse, wavy, ar. and sa., in chief, the Rock of Gibraltar, and in base, three fleurs-de-lis, of the first, on a canton, gu., a sword erect, ppr., entwined with a palm-branch, vert.

*Seat*—Gatcombe, Hants.

*Heir*—His son Roger, b. 1812.

WILLOUGHBY OF BALDON HOUSE, OXFORDSH. Cr. 1794.—The HON. SIR HENRY POLLARD, 3rd Bt., 2nd son of the 1st Bt., by his 2nd wife. dau. of the late M. Evans, Esq.; b. 1796; s. his bro. in 1813; is a dep.-lieut. of Oxfordsh. This is a branch of the noble house of Willoughby, springing from the Hon. John, son of the 4th Baron Willoughby d'Eresby.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, sa., a cross engr., or; 2nd and 3rd, gu., a cross-moline, ar., all with a bar., gob. of the last and third.

*Seats*—Baldon House, Oxfordsh.; Berwick Lodge, Gloucestersh.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. John; m. 1822, only dau. of Col. Kennedy.

PRESCOTT OF THEOBALDS PARK, HERTS. Cr. 1794. The HON. SIR GEORGE WILLIAM, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by his 1st wife, 2nd dau. of the late Sir T. Mills, Kt., governor of Quebec; b. 1800; m. 1827, dau. of Col. Symes of Bally Arthur, co. Wicklow; s. his fa. in 1840; is descended from W. Prescott, Esq. of Copul and Eccleston, Lancash., who died in 1605.

*Arms*—Sa., a chev., between three owls, ar.

*Seat*—Theobald's Park, Hertfordsh.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Alfred George, b. 1817.

CHETWYND OF BROCTON, STAFFORDSH. Cr. 1795.—The HON. SIR GEORGE, 2nd Bt., son of 1st Bt., by the dau. of R. Bantin, Esq. of Little Farrington, Berksh.; b. 1783; m. 1804, eldest dau. of J. Sparrow, Esq. of Bishton, Staffordsh.; s. his fa. in 1824; has represented the borough of Stafford in parliament. This noble family is descended from a common ancestor with the peerage house of Chetwynd, Viscounts Chetwynd. The 1st Bt. was many years clerk to the privy council.

*Arms*—Quarterly, 1st and 4th, az., a chev., between three mullets, or; 2nd and 3rd, ar., two chevs., gu.

*Seats*—Brocton Lodge, Lichfield; Grendon Hall, Atherstone, Warwicksh.

*Heir*—His son George, b. 1809.

DRYDEN OF CANONS ASHBY, NORTHAMPTONSH. Cr. 1795.—The HON. SIR HEN. EDW. LEIGH, 4th Bt., son of the 3rd Bt., by the 3rd dau. of the Rev. J. Hutchinson, of Woodhall Park, Herts; b. 1818; s. his fa. in 1837. The 1st Bt. was high sheriff of Northamptonsh. in 1792; he mar. the niece and heir of Sir J. Dryden, 7th Bart., whose honours expired at his death. John Dryden, the poet, was father of the 5th Bt. of the more ancient line.

*Arms*—Az., a lion rampant, and in chief a sphere, between two estoiles, or.

*Seat*—Canons Abbey, Daventry, Northamptonsh.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Alfred Erasmus, b. 1821.

SALUSBURY OF LLANWERN, MONMOUTHSH. Cr. 1795.—The HON. AND REV. SIR CHAS. JOHN, 3rd Bt., 2nd son of the 1st Bt., by the d. and heir of C. Vann, Esq. of Llanwern; b. 1792; s. his bro. in 1835. This noble family deduces its pedigree from Adam de Salusbury, a younger son of the Duke of Bavaria, who came into Wales, and was capt. of the garrison of Denbigh. The 1st Bt. represented Monmouthshire in parliament; he was descended from Sir Thos. Salusbury, knighted by Hen. VII. after the battle of Blackheath.

*Arms*—Gu., a lion rampant, ar., ducally crowned, or, betw. three crescents of the last.

*Seat*—Llanwern House, Monmouthshire.

*Heir pres.*—His cousin Rev. Thelwall Salusbury, vicar of Offley, Hertfordsh.; m. 1837, dau. of F. Powell, Esq. of Tempsford Hall.

**GRACE OF GRACE CASTLE, KILKENNY.** Cr. 1795.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM, 2nd Bt., son of R. Grace, Esq., by the dau. of the Hon. John Evans, who was grandfa. of the 6th Lord Carbery; s. his cousin in 1806. This noble family deduces its descent from Raymond Fitzwilliam, or Le Gros, grandson of Baron Fitz Other, governor of Windsor Castle in 1080. This Raymond was one of the powerful barons, who, with Richard de Clare, surnamed Strongbow, achieved the conquest of Ireland, of which kingdom, he Raymond became viceroy in 1176. Gerald Grace fell at the battle of Kilmrush in 1642, and 17,000 acres of his estates were confiscated by the Commonwealth. The 1st Bt. was Sir Richard Gamon, M.P. for Westminster, whose title was entailed, in default of male issue, on the heirs male of the present Bt.'s father.

*Arms*—Gu., a lion rampant, per fesse, ar. and or.

*Seats*—Boley, Queen's Co.; Grace Castle, Kilkenny.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Sheffield, K.H., LL.D., F.S.A.; m. 1829, dau. of Lieut.-Gen. Sir John Hamilton, Bt.

**POLLEN OF REDENHAM, HANTS.** Cr. 1795.—The HON. SIR JOHN WALTER, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the only dau. of Walter Holt, Esq. of Redenham; b. 1784; m. 1819, only dau. of the late Rev. John Craven, of Craven, Wiltshire, (she died 1840;) s. his fa. in 1814; represented Andover in several parliaments previous to 1831; was re-elected in 1833, and sat till June, 1841.

*Arms*—Az., on a bend, cottised, or, between six lozenges, ar., each charged with an escallop, sa., six escallops, vert.

*Seat*—Redenham, Hampshire.

*Heir pres.*—His nephew Hungerford Richard, b. 1815.

**DARELL OF RICHMOND, SURREY.** Cr. 1795.—The HON. SIR HARRY FRANCIS COLVILLE, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the only dau. of Wm. Beecher, Esq.; born 1814; s. his fa. 1828. The ancestors of this noble baronet were of consideration in Yorkshire, so far back as the reign of King John. The 1st Bt. was M.P. for Heydon. The 2nd was senior merchant on the Bengal establishment, and commercial resident of the E. I. Co. at Etawah and Calpu.

*Arms*—Az., a lion ramp., or, ducally crowned, ar.

**NEAVE OF DAGNAM PARK, ESSEX.** Cr. 1795.—The HON. SIR THOMAS, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the 4th dau. of John Bristow, Esq.; b. 1761; m. 1791, dau. of the late Rev. W. Digby, dean of Durham; s. his fa. in 1814. This ancient family descend from Adam le Neve, of Quiddingham, county Norfolk, living in the reign of Edw. I. The 1st Bt. was governor of the Bank of England in 1780.

*Arms*—Ar., on a cross, sa., five fleurs-de-lis, or.

*Seat*—Dagnam Park, Essex.

*Heir*—His son Richard Digby; born 1793; m. 1827, youngest dau. of 9th Lord Arundell, of Wardour.

**HAWLEY OF LEYBOURNE GRANGE, KENT.** Cr. 1795.—The HON. SIR JOSEPH HENRY, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the dau. of Sir John G. Shaw, Bt.; b. 1814; m. 1839, 3rd dau. of Gen. Sir John Crosbie, G.C.H., of Watgate, Sussex; s. his fa. in 1831.

*Arms*—Vert, a saltier, engr., ar.

*Seat*—Leybourne Grange, near Maidstone, Kent.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Henry James, b. 1815.

**WENTWORTH OF PARLUT, LINCOLNSH.** Cr. 1795.—The HON. SIR CHARLES MARY, D.C.L., 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of Samuel Wentworth, Esq. of Boston, North America; b. 1775; s. his fa. in 1820. "The ancient and honourable family of Wentworth," says Thoresby, in his History of

Leeds, "which for 600 years hath borne the honour of knighthood, was seated 400 years before that in the county of York. The first Bt. was governor of New Hampshire and surveyor-general of the woods in North America till the breaking out of the war, when remaining attached to the British cause, he received an augmentation of arms, and was appointed governor of Nova Scotia; he died in 1820.

*Arms*—Sa., on a chev., engr, or, betw. three leopards' faces, ar., two antique keys, chevron-wise, ar., wards upwards.

*Seat*—Parlut, Lincolnsh.

**MACGREGOR OF MACGREGOR, PERTSH. Cr. 1795.**—The HON. SIR JOHN ATHOLL BANNATYNE, 3rd Bt.; b. 1810; m. 1833, Mary Charlotte, youngest dau. of Rear-Adm. Sir T. Hardy, Bt.; s. his fa. in 1840. The 2nd Bt., Sir Evan, K.C.B., K.C.H., &c., m. in 1808, the youngest dau. of 4th Duke of Atholl; was a major-gen. in the army; governor and commander-in-chief in Barbadoes, and the Leeward Isles; was aide-de-camp to William IV. The 1st Bt. was auditor-gen. in Bengal. This noble Bt. is the chief of the clan MacGregor, which traces its descent from Achais, the celebrated King of Scotland, who commenced to reign in 787.

*Arms*—Ar., a sword in bend, az., and an oak tree, eradicated, in bend, sinister, ppr., in dext. canton, an antique crown, gu., on a chief, emb., of the last, an antique crown, or, surmounted of a flag, of the first.

*Seat*—Clangregor Castle, Perthsh.

**JOHNSTONE OF HACKNESS HALL, YORKSH. Cr. 1795.**—The HON. SIR JOHN VANDEN BEMPDE, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by his 2nd wife, dau. of J. Scott, Esq.; b. 1799; m. 1825, 2nd dau. of Archbishop (Harcourt) of York; s. his fa. in 1807; represented Yorksh. in the parliaments of 1830 and 1831, and sat for Scarborough from 1832 till 1837.

*Arms*—Ar., a saltier, sa., in base, a heart, crowned, or, on a chief, gu.,

three woolpacks of the third, quartered with BEMPDE.

*Seat*—Hackness Hall, near Scarborough, Yorksh.

*Heir*—His son, Harcourt, b. 1829.

**WILLIAMS OF CLOVELLY COURT, DEVON. Cr. 1795.**—The HON. SIR JAMES HAMLYN, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the dau. of A. Whitaker, Esq. of Stratford, Essex; b. 1790; m. 1823, 4th dau. of the 1st Earl Fortescue; s. his fa. in 1829; represented Carmarthensh. in 1831, and again from 1835 to 1837. The first Bt. was James Hammett, Esq. who assumed the name of Hamlyn, and the 2nd Bt. took the additional surname of Williams.

*Arms*—Or, a falcon, sa., belted, gu., between three roses of the last leaves, vert.

*Seats*—Clovelly Court, Devonshire; Edwinstow, Carmarthensh.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Capt. Charles Hamlyn, R.N.; m. 1833, youngest dau. of Sir Nelson Ryeroft, Bt.

**POORE OF RUSHALL, WILTS. Cr. 1795.**—The HON. SIR EDWARD, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the 3rd dau. of Sir John Majoribanks, Bt.; b. 1836; s. his fa. in 1838. The 1st Bt. was sheriff of Wiltsh. in 1797, and his title was in remainder to the male issue of his brother, the present Bt.'s great-grandfa. This noble family is of great antiquity in the counties of Wilts and Gloucester, under the original name of Poer. In 1187, Richard Poer was high sheriff of Gloucestersh. His 2nd son, Richard, was lord bishop of Durham. He laid the foundation of the cathedral of Salisbury, and died in 1237.

*Arms*—Ar., a fesse, az., betw. three mullets, gu.

*Seat*—Rushall, Wiltsh.

**LAMB OF BURVILLE, BERKSH. Cr. 1795.**—The HON. SIR CHARLES MONTOLIEU, D.C.L., 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by his 2nd wife, 3rd dau. of Lieut.-Col. Montolieu Bacon, of St. Hypolite; b. 1785; m. 1815, Dowager Lady Montgomery, relict of the eldest son of the 12th Earl of Eglintoun; s. his fa. in 1824; was

appointed knight-marshal of the household in 1825. The 1st Bt., Sir James Bland Burgess, took the name of Lamb, filled the office of under secretary of state for foreign affairs from 1789 till 1795; and was M.P. for Helston. Sir Charles is a member of the Committee for Privileges.

*Arms*—Per pale, wavy, ar. and erm., a chev. betw. three lambs passant, quartering BURGESS.

*Seat*—Beaumont, Sussex.

*Heir*—His son Charles, b. 1816.

**FARQUHAR OF GREENWOOD, SURREY.** Cr. 1796.—The HON. SIR WALTER ROCKLIFFE, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the dau. of Rev. Morton Rockliffe, of Woodford, Essex; b. 1810; m. 1837, youngest dau. of 6th Duke of Beaufort; s. his fa. in 1836. This noble family is descended from the ancient stock of Gilmilnscoft, in Scotland.

*Arms*—Ar., a lion ramp., sa., armed and langued, gu., betw. two sinister hands, in chief of the last, and a crescent in base, az.

*Seat*—Greenwood Lodge, Roehampton, Surrey.

*Heir*—His son, b. 1838.

**BELLINGHAM OF CASTLE BELLINGHAM, CO. LOUTH.** Cr. 1796.—The HON. SIR ALAN EDWARD, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the dau. of Reed Edward Walls, Esq. of Boothby Hall, co. Lincoln; b. 1800; m. 1841, only child of Henry Clarke, Esq. of West Skirbeck House, Lincolnsh.; s. his fa. in 1827; is a dep. lieut. of Louth. The 1st Bt. represented Reigate in parliament. This noble family is very ancient, being in a direct line from Alan de Bellingham, living in the time of the Conqueror. Sir Alan is a member of the Committee of the Baronetage for Privileges.

*Arms*—Ar., three bugle horns, sa., stringed and garnished, or.

*Seat*—Castle Bellingham, co. Louth.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Hen. Richard.

**HIPHESLEY OF WARFIELD GROVE, BERKS.** Cr. 1796.—The HON. SIR JOHN STUART, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the 2nd dau. of Sir John Stuart, Bt. of Allan-

bank; b. 1790; s. his fa. in 1825. The 1st Bt. was employed in some diplomatic missions to Italy in 1779 and 1780; he afterwards entered the East India Company's service, and in 1792 and 1795, was again confidentially employed by the government in Italy and Germany. Having negotiated the marriage between the Princess Royal of England and the hereditary Prince of Wirtemberg, the then reigning duke granted letters patent to him and his descendants to bear the arms of the house of Wirtemberg; he represented Sudbury in five parliaments.

*Arms*—Sa., three mullets, pierced, in bend, betw. two bendlets, and as many annulets, or.

*Seat*—Stone Easton House, Somersetsh.

**BAKER OF UPPER DUNSTABLE, SURREY.** Cr. 1796.—The HON. SIR HENRY LORRAINE, 2nd Bt., C.B., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of Alderman Hayley, formerly M.P. for London; b. 1787; m. 1820, only dau. of W. Williams, Esq., many years M.P. for Weymouth; s. his fa. in 1826. Is a post-captain in the navy.

*Arms*—Ar., a saltier, sa., charged with five escallops, ermi., on a chief, az., a lion passant, of the third, gu.

*Seats*—Dunstable House, Surrey; Kingston Russel, Dorsetsh.

**HARTOPP OF FREATHY, LEICESTERSH.** Cr. 1796.—The HON. SIR EDMUND, 2nd Bt., M.A.; b. 1789; m. Mary Jane, dau. of 1st Lord Henley; s. his fa. in 1833. The 1st Bt. was Edward Bunney, Esq., who on his marriage assumed the names of Cradock and Hartopp; his wife inherited, by bequest, the Fleetwood property in Norfolk; her grandfa. (3rd Bt.) m. dau. of Charles Fleetwood, the celebrated general of Cromwell's time; his baronetcy expired with the 4th holder, the present Bt.'s maternal grandfa. Sir Edmund is a member of the Committee of the Order for Privileges.

*Arms*—Sa., a chev., erm., between three otters passant, ar.



*Seat*—Four Oaks Hall, Warwicksh.  
*Heir pres.*—His bro. Wm. Edmund ;  
 b. 1797 ; m. Miss Keene.

**TURTON OF STARBOROUGH CASTLE, SURREY.** Cr. 1796.—The HON. SIR THOMAS, 1st Bt., 3rd son of William Turton, Esq. of Soundness, Oxfordsh., by his 2nd wife, dau. of T. Clarke, Esq. ; b. 1764 : m. only dau. and heiress of the Rev. John Michell, rector of Thornhill, Yorksh. ; is clerk of the juries in the court of Common Pleas.

*Arms*—Or, ten trefoils, slipped, vert. four, three, two, and one, a canton, gu.  
*Seat*—Starborough Castle, Surrey.

*Heir ap.*—His son Thomas Edward, b. 1790.

**PECHELL OF PAGGLESHAM, ESSEX.** Cr. 1797.—The HON. SIR SAMUEL JOHN BROOKE, 3rd Bt., C.B., K.C.H., son of the 2nd Bt., by the 2nd dau. of Lieut.-Gen. Sir John Clayering, K.B., grand-dau. maternally of 1st Earl of Delawarr ; b. 1785 ; m. 1833, only surviving dau. of 9th Lord Petre ; s. his fa. in 1826 ; was made a captain R.N. in 1808 ; is extra naval aide-de-camp to her Majesty : was for some time a lord of the admiralty ; represented Windsor in parliament. The family is of French extraction ; the 1st Bt. was a lieut.-colonel in the army.

*Arms*—Gu., a lion ramp., or, on a chief of the second, three laurel branches, erect, ppr.

*Seats*—Aldwick, Sussex ; Twickenham, Middlesex.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Geo. Richard, M.P.

**HAYES OF WESTMINSTER.** Cr. 1797. The HON. SIR THOMAS PELHAM, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the eldest dau. of Henry White, Esq. of New York ; b. 1794 ; s. his fa. in 1809 ; was for some years Assistant Collector of Behar in Bengal. The 1st Bt., Sir John Macnamara Hayes, descended from an ancient Irish family, and was physician to the forces during the first American war. Sir Thomas m. in 1840, the widow of Lieut.-col. Hill Dickson ;

and is a member of the Committee for Privileges.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev., az., between three escutcheons, gu., each charged with a leopard's face, or.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. the Rev. John Warren, b. 1799.

**THOMPSON OF VIRHEES, SUSSEX.** Cr. 1797.—The HON. AND REV. SIR HENRY, 3rd Bt., 2nd son of the 1st Bt., by the only dau. and heir of Robert Selby, Esq. of Boddington, N.B. ; b. 1796 ; m. 1st, 1828, dau. of the late Hon. Sir George Grey, niece to Earl Grey ; 2ndly, 1836, dau. of Ralph Leeke, Esq. of Longford Hall, Shropsh. ; s. his bro. in 1826. The 1st Bt. was vice-admiral of the blue, and had represented Monmouth in parliament.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev., wavy, gu., in base, a sea-horse in sea, ppr., supporting a flag, az., on a chief, of the last, a thunderbolt, between two mullets, or, on a canton, or, a saltier, engr., sa., between four crosses-patée of the second.

*Seat*—Farnham, Hampsh.

**PARKER OF HARBURN, WARWICKSH.** Cr. 1797.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM GEORGE, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the eldest dau. of E. Collingwood, Esq. of Greenwich ; b. 1787 ; m. 1808, dau. of J. C. Still, Esq. of East Knoyle, Wiltsh. ; s. his fa. in 1804 ; attained the rank of post-captain in the navy in 1814. The 1st Bt. was a rear-admiral of the red, and son of Aug. Parker, Esq., sometime mayor of Queenborough.

*Arms*—Erm., an anchor, az., betw. three escallops, gu., on a chief, wavy, of the second, a naval coronet, or.

*Seat*—Harburn, Warwicksh.

*Heir*—His son William James ; b. 1811 ; m. 1834, eldest dau. of John Marshall, Esq.

**ONSLOW OF ALTHAM, LANCASH.** Cr. 1797.—The HON. SIR HEN., 2nd Bt., 2nd son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of M. Mitchell, Esq., of Chiltern, Wiltsh. ; b. 1784 ; m. 1807, dau. of the late J. Bond, Esq. of Mitcham, Surrey ; s. his fa. in 1817 ; is a captain in the Royal Artillery. The 1st Bt. was the distinguished

admiral, second in command at Camperdown. The family is a branch of the Onslows, Earl of Onslow, springing from the next bro. of Rt. Hon. Arthur Onslow, speaker of the House of Commons.

*Arms*—Ar., a fesse, gu., between six Cornish choughs, ppr.

*Seat*—Altham, Lancash.

*Heir*—His son Henry, b. 1809.

**KNIGHTLEY OF FAWSLEY PARK, NORTHAMPTONSH. Cr. 1798.** The Hon. Sir Charles, D.C.L., M.P., 2nd Bt., eldest son of the Rev. C. Knightley, by the only dau. of Henry Boulton, Esq. of Moulton, Lincolnsh.; b. 1781; m. 1813, eldest dau. of F. L. Hervey, Esq. of Englefield Green, Surrey, grandson of the first Earl of Bristol; s. his uncle in 1812; is a dep.-lieut. of Northamptonsh., and patron of three livings; has represented the southern division of Northamptonsh. in parliament since 1834. The Rev. Sir John Knightley, the 1st Bt., received his title with remainder, in default of male issue, to the issue of the heirs male of his deceased bro.

*Arms*—Quart., erm., and paly of six, or and gu.

**HAY OF GLENLUCE, WIGTONSH. Cr. 1798.**—The Hon. Sir James Dalrymple, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the only dau. of Sir Tho. Hay, 3rd Bt. of Park, on inheriting whose estates in right of his wife in 1794, he assumed the name of Hay; b. 1789; m. 1st, 1819, dau. of Sir John Heron Maxwell, Bt.; 2ndly, 1823, dau. of John Hathorn, Esq.; s. his fa. in 1812. This paternally is a branch of the peerage house of Dalrymple, Earls of Stair.

*Arms*—Ar., a yoke, ppr., a crescent, az., in chief, and in base, three escutcheons, gu.

*Seats*—Park Hay, Glenluce; Dunraggett, Wigtonsh.

*Heir*—His son by the 1st m., John Charles; b. 1821.

**ANSTRUTHER OF BALCASKIE, FIFESH. Cr. 1794.** The Hon. Sir Ralph Abercromby, 4th Bt.; b. 1804; s. his grandfa. Sir Robert in 1818; m. Mary Jane, eldest dau. of

Major-Gen. Sir H. Torrens, K.C.B., and has issue. This is a branch of the ancient and noble family of Anstruther, Baronets of that ilk.

*Arms*—Ar., three piles, issuing from the chief, sa.

*Seats*—Balcaskie, co. Fife; and Watten, Caithness-shire.

*Heir ap.*—His son Robert, b. 1834.

**DALLAS OF PETSAL, STAFFORDSH. Cr. 1798.**—The Hon. Sir Robert, 2nd Bt.; b. 1804; s. his fa. in 1833; is m. The 1st Bt., Sir George, was bro. of Sir Robert Dallas, lord chief-justice of the Court of Common Pleas. He m. a dau. of Sir John Blackwood, Bt., and his wife, Dorcas, Baroness Dufferin and Claneboye.

*Arms*—Ar., a bend, az., between three mullets, sa.

**WILLIAMS OF BODELWYDDAN, FLINTSH. Cr. 1798.**—The Hon. Sir John, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. and heir of Hugh Williams, Esq. of Tifry, Anglesea; b. 1794; s. his fa. in 1830; is a dep.-lieut. of Flintsh. This family is a junior branch of the very eminent house of Williams-Wynn, Bts. of Wynnstay, Denbighsh.

*Arms*—Ar., two foxes, counter-salient, in saltier, gu., a crescent for difference.

*Seats*—Bodelwyddan, Flintsh.; Tifry, Anglesea.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Hugh, b. 1802.

**BOUGHEY - FLETCHER OF BETLEY COURT, STAFFORDSH. Cr. 1798.**—The Hon. Sir Thomas Fletcher Fenton, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the eldest dau. of the Hon. Sir John Chetwode, Bt., M.P., Staffordsh.; b. 1809; m. 1832; youngest dau. of Thos. Giffard, Esq. of Chillington. The 1st Bt. was sh. of Staffordsh. in 1788-9; his son assumed the name of Boughey, a family of great antiquity in 1805.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, sa., a cross, wavy, erm., between four plates, each charged with an arrow, on bend, sa., for FLETCHER; 2nd and 3rd, ar., three bucks' heads, erased, and affronte, erm., for BOUGHEY.

*Seat*—Aqualate, Newport, Staffordsh.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. John Fenton, b. 1811.

**TROWBRIDGE OF BLOMER, SUSSEX.** Cr. 1799.—The HON. SIR EDWARD THOMAS TROWBRIDGE, 2nd Bt., C.B., M.P., son of the 1st Bt., by the relict of — Richardson, Esq.; m. 1810, dau. of the Hon. Sir Alex. Cochrane, G.C.B., and niece of the 8th Earl of Dundonald; s. his fa. in the baronetcy; was a naval aide-de-camp to the Queen; attained the rank of rear-admiral of the blue in Nov. 1841; was a lord of the Admiralty from April 1835 to Sept. 1841; commanded the naval brigade at New Orleans in 1814; has represented Sandwich in Parliament since 1831; is a dep.-lieut. of Had-dingtonsh. The 1st Bt. was the celebrated admiral, who received his title for services at the battle of the Nile; on returning in 1806 from the East India station, he was lost in H.M.S. Blenheim, it is supposed in the Southern Ocean.

*Arms*—Or, on a bridge, emb., a tower, ppr., on a canton, two keys, saltier-wise.

*Seat*—Blomer, Sussex.

*Heir*—His son Inglis, b. 1816.

**STIRLING OF FASKINE, LANARKSH.** Cr. 1800. The HON. SIR WALTER GEORGE, 2nd Bt., F.R.S., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. and sole heir of G. T. Good-enough, Esq. of Borthwood, Isle of Wight; b. 1802; m. 1835, dau. of the 1st Lord Strafford; s. his fa. in 1832; is dep.-lieut. of Middlesex. The 1st Bt. was sheriff of Kent, and represented St. Ives (Cornwall) in parliament.

*Arms*—Ar., on a bend, engr., az., between two roses, gu., three buckles, of the fourth, all within a bordure, vert.

*Seats*—Faskine, Lanarksh.; Shore-ham, Kent.

*Heir*—His son, b. 1838.

**GLYN OF GAUNTS, DORSETSH.** Cr. 1800.—The HON. SIR RICHARD PLUMPTRE, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of John Plumptre, Esq. of Fredville, Kent; sometime M.P. for Nottingham; b. 1787; s. his fa. 1838; is a gentleman of the privy chamber. The 1st Baronet,

an alderman of London, was lord mayor in 1798, and was son, by the 2nd marriage, of Sir Richard Glyn, Bart. of Ewell.

*Arms*—Ar., an eagle displayed, with two heads, sa., guttée d'or.

*Seat*—Gaunts House, Wimborne, Dorsetshire.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Robert; born 1788; m. 1829, 3rd dau. of Henry Har-ford, Esq. of Down Place, Berksh.

**BUXTON OF SHADWELL LODGE, NORFOLK.** The HON. SIR JOHN JACOB, 2nd Bt.; b. 1788; s. his fa. 1839; m. dau. of the Hon. Sir M. Cholmeley, Bt., and has issue. This noble family descends from John Buxton, Esq. of Tybenham, in Nor-folk, who was living in 1478.

*Arms*—Ar., a lion ramp., sa.

*Seat*—Shadwell Lodge, Norfolk.

*Heir ap.*—His son.

**MILMAN OF LEVATON, DEVON-SHIRE.** Cr. 1800.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM GEORGE, 2nd Bt.; b. 1781; m. Elizabeth, dau. of R. Ald-erson, Esq., and has issue. The 1st Bt. having attained high emi-nence in the medical profession was appointed physician to George III. and created a Bart.

*Arms*—Az., a snake nowed, ppr., betw. three sinister gauntlets, ar., two and one.

*Seat*—Levaton, Devon, and Pinner Grove, Middlesex.

*Heir ap.*—His son Francis, b. 1811.

**PEEL OF DRAYTON MANOR, STAFFORDSH.** Cr. 1800.—The RT. HON. SIR ROBERT, 2nd Bt., P.C., M.P., son of the 1st Bt., by his 1st wife, dau. of William Yates, Esq. of Bury; b. 1788; m. 1820, youngest dau. of Gen. Sir John Floyd, Bt., sister to Lady Fuller; s. his fa. in 1830; is present PRIME MINISTER. This dis-tinguished statesman, accomplished orator, and head of the Conservative party in the kingdom, has enjoyed for many years a most prominent position in the state. After filling for some time the office of chief secretary for Ireland, and several other high official situations, he was called, in 1834, to preside over the councils of the sovereign, as first

lord of the Treasury and chancellor of the Exchequer. His administration endured, however, but a brief period, the Right Hon. Bart. having resigned his important trust early in the ensuing year. On the Melbourne ministry going out of office, in 1840, he was a second time called to preside over the executive as chief minister of the crown. The family are descended from William Peele, Esq. of Oswaldtwistle, in the co. of Lancaster, who m. in 1712, Jane,

dau. of Lawrence Walmesley, Esq. of Upper Darwen, in the same palatine. The 1st Bt., Sir Robert Peel, was a governor of Christ's Hospital, vice-president of the Literary Fund, and representative of Tamworth in several parliaments.

*Arms*—Ar., three sheaves of as many arrows, ppr., banded, gu., on a chief, az., a bee volant, or.

*Seat*—Drayton Manor, near Tamworth.

*Heir ap.*—His son Robert, b. 1822.

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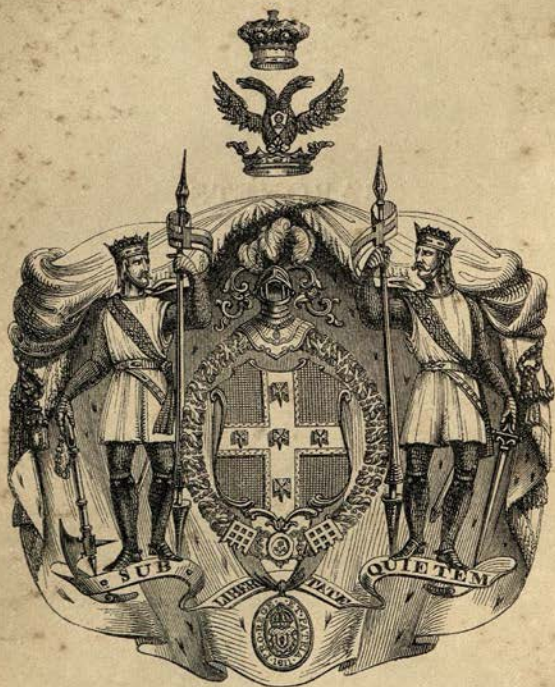
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VAVASOUR OF SPALDINTON, YORKSH. Cr. 20th March, 1801. The HON. SIR HENRY MERVYN, 3rd Bt.; b. 1814; s. his fa. in 1838. The very ancient family which this noble Bt. now represents, derives its surname from the high office held in former times by its senior members, that of KING'S VALVASOUR. Sir Mauger le Vavasour is mentioned in Domesday Book temp. William the Conqueror, as holding *in capite* of the Percys, Earls of Northumberland, considerable manors and estates in Sutton, Eselwood, Saxhall, &c. Sir William le Vavasour, lord of Haslewood, was a judge in the reign of Henry II., and one of the witnesses to the charter of the Abbey of Sawley, in Yorksh., re-founded by Matilda de Percy, Countess of Warwick. To this abbey he made a considerable donation of land. His son, Sir Robt. le Vavasour, was high sheriff of Nottinghamsh. and Derby, temp. Henry III., and served the office for eight years successively. He had the custody of the honour of Peverel

committed to his charge. Sir John le Vavasour, lord of Haslewood, m. Alice, dau. of Sir Robert Cockfield, and was the fa. of Sir William, who had licence from King Edward I. to castellate his mansion at Haslewood. He was subsequently in the wars of Scotland, and had a summons to parliament as a baron, from the 6th of February, 1299, to the 7th of January, 1313. Sir Robert Vavasour likewise served against the Scots, and had summons as a baron, 7th Edward II. Dying without male issue, his brother Sir Henry, a., and left two sons, Sir William and Sir Henry, both Kts. In 1431, John Vavasour m. Isabel, only dau. of Thomas de la Haye, and sole heir of her grandfa., Sir Peter de la Haye, of Spaldington, and was ancestor of the Vavasours of Spaldington, who preserved a male succession till Thomas Vavasour, who died in 1679. His great-great-granddau. m. Col. Nooth in 1791, who took the name and arms of Vavasour, and was created the 1st Bt., after the union of Great Britain and Ireland,

The 2nd Bt. was lieut.-gen. in the army. The family have interm. with those of De Ross of Steeton, Wallis of Newton, Skepwith, Assheton, Trafford, Yates, &c. Sir Henry is a member of the Committee of the Baronetage for Privileges, and was in 1840 elected a Knight of the British Langue of the Sovereign Order of St. John of Jerusalem.

*Arms*—Or, a fesse dancettée, sa, charged with a fleur-de-lis, ar.

*Seats*—Spaldington, and Melbourne Hall, both in the county of York.

**INGLIS OF MILTON BRYANT, BEDFORDSH.** Cr. 1801.—The HON. SIR ROBERT HARRY, 2nd Bt., D.C.L., F.R.S., F.S.A., M.P., son of the 1st Bt., by his 1st wife, dau. of H. Johnson, Esq. of Milton Bryant, Bedfordsh.; b. 1786; m. 1807, eldest dau. of J. Seymour, Briscoe, Esq. of Penhill, Surrey; s. his fa. in 1820; is a barrister-at-law; a member of the council of King's College, London; represented Dundalk in parliament from 1824 till 1826, and Ripon from 1826 till 1828; has sat for the university of Oxford, since 1828. The 1st Bt. was deputy chairman of the East India Company in 1797; chairman in 1798; deputy chairman in 1799, and again chairman in 1801.

*Arms*—Az., a lion ramp., within a bordure, ar., on a chief, or, three stars of six points of the field.

*Seats*—Battersea Rise, Surrey; Milton Bryant, Bedfordsh.

**STRACHEY OF SUTTON COURT, SOMERSETSH.** Cr. 1801.—The HON. SIR HENRY, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of J. Kelsall, Esq. of Greenwich, relict of Captain Latham, R.N.; b. 1772; s. his fa. in 1810. The 1st Bt. was private secretary to Lord Clive in 1764; filled the office of joint secretary to the treasury in 1802, and was subsequently one of the under secretaries of state.

*Arms*—Ar., on a cross, engr., betw. four eaglets displayed, gu., a fleur-de-lis, between four cinquefoils, or.

*Seats*—Sutton Court, Somersetsh., and Rook's Nest, Surrey.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Richard, of

Ashwick Grove, Somersetsh.; b. 1781; m. 1830, dau. of A. Powell, Esq. of Hurdcott House, Wiltsh.; was for some years resident at the court of his highness Dowlut Rao Scindiah.

**PEPYS OF WIMPOLE STREET, MIDDLESEX.** Cr. 1801.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM WELLER, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the eldest dau. of the Rt. Hon. W. Dowdeswell; is therefore bro. to the 1st Lord Cottenham and to the bishop of Worcester; b. 1778; is unm.; s. his fa. in 1825. This family, originally of Diss in Norfolk, settled at Cottenham early in the 16th century; the 1st Bt. was a master in chancery.

*Arms*—Sa., on a bend, or, between two nags' heads, erased, ar., three fleurs-de-lis.

*Seat*—Ridley Hall, Cheshire.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. 1st Lord Cottenham. See COTTENHAM, BARON.

**BALL OF BLOFIELD, NORFOLK.** Cr. 1801.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM KEITH, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of J. Wilson, Esq. of Westminster; b. 1791; s. his fa. in 1809. The 1st Bt. was a distinguished naval officer, rear-admiral of the blue, commander of the blockade, and subsequently governor of the island of Malta.

*Arms*—Erm., a lion ramp., sa., betw. two torteaux, in chief, and in base, a hand grenade, bursting, ppr.

*Seat*—Blofield, Norfolk.

**WELBY OF DENTON HOUSE, LINCOLNSH.** Cr. 1801.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM EARLE, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by his 1st wife, 3rd dau. of Sir J. Glynne, Bt.; b. 1759; m. 1792, only dau. and heir of W. Spry, Esq., governor of Barbadoes; s. his fa. in 1815; represented Grantham in three parliaments; is patron of four livings.

*Arms*—Sa., a fesse, between three fleurs-de-lis, ar.

*Seat*—Denton Hall, near Grantham, Lincolnsh.

*Heir*—His son Glynne Earle, M.P.; b. 1806; m. 1828, 2nd dau. of the late Sir M. Cholmley, Bt.

**BAYNES OF HAREFIELD PLACE, MIDDLESEX.** Cr. 1801.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM, 2nd Bt., son of Chris-



topher, 1st Bt., by the dau. of Wm. Gregory, Esq., of Ryde, Isle of Wight; b. 1789; m. 1815, dau. of Gen. J. Smith, of the Royal Artillery; s. his fa. in 1837. The 1st Bt. was son of an opulent London merchant, who had been one of the gentlemen of the privy chamber to George II. and III.

*Arms*—Sa., a shin bone, in fesse, surmounted of another, in pale, ar., on a canton, of the last, a vulture, ppr.

*Seat*—Harefield Place, Middlesex.

*Heir*—His son William.

**LENNARD OF BELL HOUSE, ESSEX.** Cr. 1801.—The HON. SIR THOS. BARRETT, 1st Bt., son and testamentary heir of the 17th Lord Dacre, whose surname and arms he assumed by sign manual; b. 1761; m. 1st, 1787, dau. of the late Sir J. St. Aubyn, Bt., (she died 1830); 2ndly, 1833, dau. of Sir Walter Stirling, Bt., relict of H. D. Milligan, Esq.; is patron of one living, and a dep.-lieut. of Essex.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, or, on a fesse, gu., three fleurs-de-lis, or, for LENNARD; 2nd and 3rd, party-pale, Barry, of 4th, counter-changed, ar., and gu., for BARRETT; all within a bordure, wavy, sa.

*Seat*—Bell House, Essex.

*Heir*—His son, by his 1st wife, Thomas, b. 1788; m. 1st, 1815, 2nd dau. of T. Wharton, Esq., of Skelton Castle, Yorksh.; 2ndly, 1825, dau. of B. B. Sheddon, Esq., of Aldham, Suffolk; represented Maldon in parliament from 1826 till 1837.

**CROFTON OF MOHILL HOUSE, LEITRIM.** Cr. 1801.—The HON. SIR MORGAN GEORGE, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the youngest dau. of Ralph Smyth, Esq., of Barbavilla, co. Westmeath; b. 1788; m. 1812, dau. of the Rt. Hon. Denis Daly, of Dunsandle, co. Galway; s. his fa. in 1834.

*Arms*—Per pale, indented, or and az., a lion passant, guardant, counter-changed.

*Seat*—Mohill House, co. Leitrim.

*Heir*—His son Hugh Denis, b. 1814; capt. 20th foot.

**DE BATHE OF KNIGHTSTOWN, CO. MEATH.** Cr. 1801.—The HON. SIR WM. PLUNKETT, 3rd Bt., 2nd

son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of Wm. Wynne, Esq., of Merionethsh.; b. 1793; m. 1820, eldest dau. of T. Earle, Esq., of Spekeldands, Lancash.; s. his bro. in 1828; was formerly lieut.-col. in the army; is a lieut.-colonel of the Meath militia. This noble family is sprung from Hugo de Bathe, one of the companions of Earl Strongbow in the invasion of Ireland, 1172. He acquired extensive manors in the counties of Dublin, Meath, Louth, &c. Henry de Bathe was lord chief justice of England in the reign of Henry III. The family were first raised to the dignity of the baronetage in 1666; but it became extinct in Sir Luke Bathe. The 1st Bart., J. Michael Bathe, assumed the name of De Bathe, which was the original designation of the family.

*Arms*—Gu., a cross, between four lions rampant, ar.

*Seats*—Knightstown, Cashel; Ladyrath, Meath.

*Heir*—His son Henry Percival, born 1823.

**MONTGOMERY OF STANHOPE, PEEBLES-SH.** Cr. 1801.—The HON. SIR GRAHAM, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bart., by his 2nd wife, younger dau. of the late T. Graham, Esq., of Kinross-shire; b. 1823; s. his fa. in 1839. The 1st Bt. was chief baron of the Exchequer in Scotland, in 1775, and M.P. for Peebles.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, az. and gu., on a cross, wavy, between three fleurs-de-lis, or; 2nd and 3rd, as many annulets, or, jessed, az., a mullet between four crescents, of the last.

*Seat*—Stanhope, Peebles-shire.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. John Basil, b. 1824.

**DILLON OF LISMULLEN, MEATH.** Cr. 1801.—The HON. SIR ARTHUR RICHARD, 3rd Bt., 2nd son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of Roger Drake, Esq., of Fern Hill, Berksh.; m. 1814, 2nd dau. of the late W. Knox, Esq.; s. his bro. in 1840; is a general in the army; served in Ireland during the rebellion of 1798; is a baron of the holy Roman empire, date 1782.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, ar., a lion passant, between three crescents;

2nd and 3rd, ar., a lion ramp. betw. three crescents, gu., issuant from each crescent a star with six points, of the field, over all a fesse, az.

*Seat*—Lismullen, co. Meath.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. William, m. Miss Ellen Webbe.

**KEANE OF BELMONT, WATERFORD.** Cr. 1801.—The HON. SIR RICHARD, 2nd Bart., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of J. Kelly, Esq. of Belgrove, and therefore bro. to Lord Keane; b. 1780; m. 1814, dau. of R. Sparrow, Esq. of Oaklands, Clonmel, relict of Samuel Penrose, Esq. of Waterford; s. his fa. in 1829; is lieut.-col. of the Waterford militia.

*Arms*—Gu., three salmons, naiant, in pale, ar.

*Seat*—Cappoquin House, Waterford.

*Heir*—His son John Henry, b. 1816.

**HOMAN OF DUNLUM, WESTMEATH.** Cr. 1801.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM JACKSON, 1st Bart., 2nd son of Rev. Philip Homan, by the dau. of G. Thomas, Esq. of Rathfarnham, co. Dublin; b. 1771; m. 1797, 2nd dau. of 1st Marquess of Bute, (she died 1841.)

*Arms*—Vert, a chev., or, between three pheons, with their points downwards, ar.

*Seat*—Dunlum, co. Westmeath.

*Heir*—His son Philip George Stuart, b. 1802.

**CHATTERTON OF CASTLE MAHON, CORK.** Cr. 1801.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM ABRAHAM, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of A. Lane, Esq. of Cork; b. 1787; m. 1824, dau. of Rev. Lascelles Ire-monger, prebendary of Winchester, and niece of Lord Gambier; s. his fa. in 1806. The 1st Bt. was second sergeant-at-law, and keeper of the state papers in Ireland.

*Arms*—Or, a lion's head, erased, az., between three mullets, gu.

*Seat*—Castle Mahon, Cork.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. James, lieut.-col. 4th Irish dragoons; b. 1792; m. 1825, youngest dau. of James Atkinson, Esq. of York.

**HARDINGE OF BOUND'S PARK, KENT.** Cr. 1801.—The HON. AND REV. SIR CHARLES, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the 2nd dau. of K.

Callander, Esq. of Craigforth, Stir-lingsh.; b. 1833; s. his fa. in 1836. The 2nd Bart. was bro. to Sir H. Hardinge, K.C.B. The baronetcy was conferred on Richard Hardinge, Esq., with remainder, in default of issue, to the heirs male of his fa., who was chief clerk of the House of Commons in 1731; attorney-gen. to the Duke of Cumberland; and, in 1752, joint secretary to the Treasury.

*Arms*—Gu., on a chev., ar., fimbriated, or, three escallops, sa., on a chief, wavy, ar., a frigate in tow.

*Seats*—Belleisle, Fermanagh; Great Kelton, Durham.

*Heir pres.*—His bro., b. 1834.

**FITZGERALD OF LISHEEN, TIPPERARY.** Cr. 1801.—The HON. SIR JOHN JUDKIN, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the 2nd dau. of J. Capel, Esq.; b. 1788; m. 1816, dau. of R. Pennefather, Esq. of New Park, Tipperary, relict of Major Acheson Moore, (she died 1839;) s. his fa. in 1810.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, erm., a saltier, gu., for FITZGERALD; 2nd and 3rd, ar., a chev., gu., between three boars' heads, sa., langued, gu., for JUDKIN.

*Seat*—Lisheen, co. Tipperary.

*Heir*—His son.

**KELLET OF LOTA, CORK.** Cr. 1801.—The HON. SIR RICHARD, 1st Bt., son of Alderman Kellet, of Cork, by the dau. of Jacob Laulhé, Esq.; b. 1761; m. 1788, dau. of J. Galwey, Esq. of Westcourt, Kilkenny.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, ar., on a mount, vert, a boar passant, sa., crined, or; 2nd and 3rd, ar., a cross, gu.; in the 1st quarter a fleur-de-lis, of the last.

*Heir*—His son Richard; b. 1790; m. 1817, dau. of James Blackney, Esq. of Carlow.

**GOOLD OF OLD COURT, CORK.** Cr. 1801.—The HON. SIR GEORGE, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the eldest dau. of 1st Earl of Kenmare, grand-dau. maternally of 12th Visc. Dillon, (she was b. 1780;) s. his fa. in 1841. The 1st Bt. was so created with remainder in default of male issue to the heirs male of his father. The mayoralty of Cork has been

filled by the members of this family on ten occasions.

*Arms*—Az., on a fesse, or, betw. five goldfinches, three in chief, and two in base, ppr., three mullets, gu.

*Seat*—Old Court, co. Cork.

*Heir*—His son Henry Valentine.

**SYNGE OF KILROUGH, MEATH.**  
Cr. 1801.—The HON. SIR EDWARD, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of Theobald Wolfe, Esq. of Newtown, co. Dublin, and cousin of Arthur Wolfe, Viscount Kilwarden, (extinct;) b. 1786; m. 1809, eldest dau. of R. Welsh, Esq. of Dublin, and niece of Noah Hill Neale, Esq. of Gloucester; s. his fa. in 1804; is a dep.-lieut. of the co. of Cork; is descended from the family of Syngé, of Bridgenorth, through the several bishops of that name who held the sees of Cloyne, Tuam, Ross, Leighlin, and Killaloe.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, az., three plates, each charged with a millrind, sa.; 2nd and 3rd, ar., an eagle displayed with two heads, sa.

*Seat*—Kilrough, co. Meath.

*Heir*—His son Edward, m. 1836, dau. of O. Saunders, Esq. of Newton Saunders, co. Wicklow.

**FERGUSON OF LONDONDERRY, DERRY.** Cr. 1801.—The HON. SIR ROBERT ALEXANDER, M.P., 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of R. Alexander, Esq. of Broomhall, Londonderry; b. 1782; s. his fa. in 1811; is unm.; is lord-lieut. of Londonderry, which he has represented in parliament since 1830.

*Arms*—Az., an arming buckle, ar., between three boars' heads, or.

*Seat*—The Farm, co. Derry.

**NEPEAN OF BOTHENHAMPTON, DORSETSH.** Cr. 1802.—The HON. SIR MOLINEUX HYDE, 4th Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of Capt. Wm. Skinner; b. 1788; m. 1813, youngest dau. of P. Tilghman, Esq., (she died 1838;) s. his fa. in 1822; is a dep.-lieut. of Dorsetshire. The 1st Bt. was successively under-secretary of state for the war and home departments, secretary to the Admiralty, secretary for Ireland, a lord of the Admiralty, governor of Bom-

bay, M.P. for Queenborough, for Bridport, &c.

*Arms*—Gu., a fesse, wavy, erminois, between three mullets, ar.

*Seat*—Loder's Court, Dorsetshire.

*Heir*—His son Molineux Hyde, born 1814; m. 1841, only dau. of Col. Geills, of Dumbriek, Dumbartonshire.

**BAKER OF RANSTON, DORSETSHIRE.** Cr. 1802.—The HON. SIR EDWARD BAKER, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of 2nd Duke of Leinster; b. 1806; s. his fa. in 1825. The 1st Bt., E. Baker Littlehales, Esq., a lieut.-col. in the army, was created a Bt. for his professional services; he assumed the name of Baker in lieu of that of Littlehales, in 1817.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, BAKER, ar., a castle between two crosses-paté, in chief, and a key in base, sa., on a chief, az., two keys erect, or; 2nd and 3rd quartering, for LITTLEHALES.

*Seat*—Ranston, near Blandford, Dorsetshire.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Wm. Leinster York, born 1813.

**DICKSON OF HARDINGHAM, NORFOLK.** Cr. 1802.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the dau. of Adm. Bourmaster, of Tichfield; b. 1798; s. his fa. in 1827; a capt. R.N., appointed in 1841 to the command of the *Volage*. The 1st Bt., a distinguished admiral of the blue, received his baronetcy in reward for his professional services.

*Arms*—Az., an anchor, or, encircled with an oak wreath, vert, betw. three mullets, pierced, or, on a chief, or, three pallets, gu., the centre one surmounted by a mural coronet, ar.

*Seat*—Sydenham, Roxburghshire.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Archibald, born 1802, attained the rank of a lieut. in the army in 1831, and was appointed to the 17th foot in 1836.

**WHITE OF TUXFORD, NOTTINGHAMSH.** Cr. 1802.—The HON. SIR THOMAS WOOLLASTON, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of T. Blagg, Esq. of Tuxford; b. 1801; m. 1st, 1824, dau. of G. Ramsay, Esq. of Barnton, co. Edinburgh, (she d. 1825;) 2ndly, 1827, dau. of

Wm. Ramsay, Esq., banker in Edinburgh; s. his fa. in 1817. The 1st Bt. received his title with remainder, in default of male issue, to his brother's issue male; the present Bart. is, however, his son.

*Arms*—Gu., a chev., vaire, between three lions rampant, or.

*Seat*—Wallingwells, Nottinghamsh.

*Heir*—His son by the 2nd marriage, Thomas Woollaston, born 1828.

**METCALFE OF CHILTON, BERKSHIRE.** Cr. 1802.—His EXCELLENCY THE RT. HON. SIR CHARLES THEOPHILUS, 3rd Bt., G.C.B., P.C., gov.-gen. of British America, 2nd son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of J. Debonnaire, Esq., relict of Major Smith; is uncle to Sir Hesketh Fleetwood, Bt.; b. 1785; s. his bro. in 1822; was capt.-gen. and gov. in chief of the Island of Jamaica in 1840; late member of the supreme council of Bengal; was governor of the presidency of Agra, and sometime resident of Hyderabad. The 1st Bt. was in the military service, and subsequently one of the directors of the East India Company.

*Arms*—Ar., on a fesse, wavy, gu., betw. three calves, two and one, sa., a sword, fessewise, ppr.

*Seat*—Ham Common, Surrey.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Thomas Theophilus, born 1795; late judge of the Delhi territory in India.

**SMITH OF HADLEY, MIDDLESEX.** Cr. 1802.—The HON. SIR CULLING EARDLEY, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the 2nd dau. and co-heir of Sampson Lord Eardley; b. 1805; m. 1832, 4th dau. of T. W. Carr, Esq. of Hampstead Frogna and Eshott, Northumberland; s. his fa. in 1829; represented Pontefract in the parliament of 1831.

*Arms*—Quart., vert, three acorns slipped, or, quartered with HORNE.

*Seat*—Bedwell Park, Hertfordsh., Nettleton Moor, Lincolnshire.

*Heir*—His son Eardley Gideon Culling, b. 1838.

**CURTIS OF CULLAND'S GROVE, MIDDLESEX.** Cr. 1802.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the youngest dau. and

co-heir of E. Constable, Esq.; b. 1782; m. 1803, only child of the late G. Lear, Esq. of Leytonstone, Essex; s. his fa. in 1829. The 1st Bt. was an alderman of the city of London, lord mayor in 1796, and representative of the city in the parliaments of 1790, 1796, 1802, 1806, 1807, and 1812; on account of advanced age, he retired in 1826.

*Arms*—Paly of six, or and az.; a fesse chequy, ar. and sa.; on a canton, gu., a dragon's wing erect, of the 3rd, in base a sword, ppr., pommel and hilt, or, surmounting a silver key in saltier.

*Seats*—Culland's Grove, Southgate, Middlesex; Cliff House, Ramsgate.

*Heir*—His son William, b. 1804; m. eldest dau. of John Stratton, Esq.

**PEACOCKE OF BARNTIC, CLARESHIRE.** Cr. 1802.—The HON. SIR NATHANIEL LEVETT, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the only dau. of T. Cuffe, Esq., M.P. of Grange, co. Kilkenny; b. 1769; m. 1803, eldest dau. of Sir J. Morris, Bt.; s. on the death of his fa.; was a col. in the army.

*Arms*—Quart., or and az., four lozenges, conjoined in cross, betw. as many annulets, all counterchanged.

*Seat*—Grange, co. Limerick.

*Heir*—His son Joseph Francis, born 1805.

**STRONGE OF TYNAN, ARMAGH.** Cr. 1803.—The HON. SIR JAMES MATTHEW, D.C.L., 2nd Bt., son of the Rev. Sir James, the 1st Bt., by the dau. of J. Tew, Esq., of Dublin (subsequently m. to W. Holmes, Esq.); b. 1786; m. 1810, eldest dau. of the late Nicolson Calvert, Esq., of Hunsdon House, Hertfordsh., grand-dau. maternally of Edmund Visct. Pery; is a dep.-lieut. of Armagh and of Tyrone, and a gentleman of the privy chamber. The 1st Bt. was son of Matthew Stronge, Esq., mayor of Liverpool in 1768-9.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev., wavy, sa.; betw. three lozenges, az., in the centre chief point an estoile, gu.

*Seat*—Tynan Abbey, Co. Armagh.

*Heir*—His son James Matthew, b. 1811; m. 1836, eldest dau. of Andrew Savage Nugent, Esq., of Portaferry House, co. Down, niece of Visct. De Vescei; was a lieut. in the 5th dragoon guards.

**BROOKE OF GREAT OAKLEY, NORTHAMPTONSHIRE.** Cr. 1803.—The HON. SIR ARTHUR DE CAPELL, F.R.S., 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the only dau. and heiress of Major-Gen. R. Worgé; b. 1791; s. his fa. in 1829; is a capt. in the army. The 1st Bt., Sir R. Brooke Supple, assumed the name of Brooke in accordance with his uncle's will, and adopted the name of De Capell, in lieu of Supple, by royal licence.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, or, on a fesse, az., three escallops of the field; 2nd and 3rd, or, an anchor, az., on a chief of the 2nd, three arming buckles, of the 1st.

*Seats*—Oakley, Northamptonshire; Aghadoe and Roxborough, co. Cork.

*Heir pres.*—His brother William; b. 1801; m. 1809, youngest dau. of the 2nd Lord Sondes.

**STEWART OF ATHENRY, TYRONE.** Cr. 1803.—The HON. SIR HUGH, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of Mervyn Archdall, Esq., of Castle Archdall, Fermanagh; born 1792; m. 1st, 1826, 2nd dau. of the late Marcus MacCausland Gage, Esq. of Bellarena, Co. Derry (she died 1830); 2ndly, 1837, dau. of the Rev. H. Lucas St. George, of Dro-more, Co. Tyrone; s. his fa. in 1825; is joint lord treasurer's remembrancer of the Court of Exchequer in Ireland, and a dep.-lieut. of Tyrone. The 1st Bt. was att.-gen. for Ireland, and represented Tyrone in parliament.

*Arms*—Or, a lion ramp., within a double tressure, counterflory, gu., all within a bordure, gobony, arg. and az.

*Seat*—Ballygawley House, Ireland.

*Heir*—His son by the 1st marriage, John Marcus.

**BARLOW OF FORT-WILLIAM, BENGAL.** Cr. 1803.—The HON. SIR GEORGE HILARO, G.C.B., 1st Bt., 4th son of Wm. Barlow, Esq., of Bath, by the dau. of Robt. Butcher, Esq. of Walthamstow, Essex; m. 1789, dau. of Burton Smith, Esq., of Westmeath; was appointed gov.-gen. of India in 1805; has been gov. of Fort St. George, Madras, since 1807.

*Arms*—Arg., on a chev., engr., gu., betw. three cross-crosslets fitchée, az.;

two lions passant counter-passant, supporting an eastern crown, or.

*Address*—Fort St. George, Madras.

*Heir*—His son Robert, born 1797.

**WEDDERBURN OF BALLEND-DEAN HOUSE, PERTH.** Cr. 1803.—The HON. SIR DAVID, 1st Bt., eldest son of Sir J. Wedderburn, by his 1st wife, eldest dau. of D. Ogilvie, called Earl of Airlie (which title was declared to have been forfeited in 1715;) b. 1777; m. 1800, dau. of Geo. Browne, Esq. of Illerton, Roxburghsh.; represented St. Andrew's in two parliaments previous to 1818; in 1823 was postmaster-gen. of Scotland; in 1704, a baronetcy of Scotland was conferred on J. Wedderburn, Esq., of Blackness. See page 88.

*Arms*—Arg., a chev. between three roses, gu., barbed, vert.

*Seats*—Ballendean House, and Blackness, Forfarshire.

*Heir pres.*—His half bro. John; m. 1822, dau. of J. Melbourne, Esq.; is accountant-general at Bombay.

**KAYE OF EAST SHEEN, SURREY.** Cr. 1803.—The HON. SIR WM., 2nd Bt., son of W. Kaye, Esq. of Montreal, by the dau. of R. Webber, Esq.; b. 1777; s. his grand-uncle in 1805. The 1st Bt. was Brook Watson, commissary-gen. to the army in North America, in 1782; he was chosen to represent London in parliament in 1784; in 1798 he received a commission as commissary-gen. of England, and was created a Bt. with remainder to his grand-nephews successively, (the sons of his niece, who was his sister's dau.)

*Arms*—Arg., on a bend, engr., az.; betw. two griffins' heads, erased, gu., an annulet between two crescents, or, on a canton, erm., a martlet, sa.

*Seat*—Mortlake, Surrey.

*Heir pres.*—His brother Brook, in the naval service of the E. I. Co.

**PRICE OF SPRING GROVE, SURREY.** Cr. 1804.—The HON. SIR CHARLES, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of William Rugge, Esq.; b. 1776; m. 1798, dau. of W. King, Esq. of King-street, Covent-garden; s. his fa. in 1818. The 1st Bt. was an alderman of the city of

London, and filled the office of lord mayor in 1803.

*Arms*—Gu., a lion ramp., regardant, arg.

*Seat*—Spring Grove, Richmond.

*Heir*—His son Charles Ruge, born 1801.

**MAXWELL OF CARDONESS, KIRKCUDBRIGHT.** Cr. 1804.—The HON. SIR DAVID, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of D. Maxwell, Esq.; b. 1773; m. 1806, dau. of Samuel Martin, Esq.; s. his fa. in 1825; is a dep.-lieut. of Kirkcudbright, and col. of the militia. This family is a branch of the Maxwells of Calderwood.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, arg., a saltier, sa., within a bordure, chequy, arg. and sa.; 2nd and 3rd, arg., a bend, az., the whole within a border, embattled, gu.

*Seat*—Cardoness, Kirkcudbrightsh.

*Heir*—His son William, b. 1809; a dep.-lieut. of Kirkcudbright.

**GORDON-CUMMING OF ALTYRE, ELGINSH.** Cr. 1804.—The HON. SIR WM. GORDON CUMMING, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the d. of Sir Ludovick Grant, Bt.; b. 1787; m. 1815, eldest dau. of J. Campbell, Esq., of Shawfield and Islay, grand-dau. maternally of 5th duke of Argyll; s. his fa. in 1806; is head of the ancient family of Comyn, who disputed the succession to the Scottish throne with Bruce; is heir gen. to the Penrose family of Cornwall; and inherits, through female descent, the estates of the Gordons, premier Barts. of Nova Scotia. The 1st Bt., Sir A. P. Cumming, assumed the name of Gordon. The present Bt. is bro. to Chas. L. Cumming Bruce, who represented the Inverness district of burghs in 1831, and from 1833 to 1837; he assumed the name of Bruce upon marrying the grand-dau. of the Abyssinian traveller.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, az., three garbs, or; 2nd and 3rd, arg., three bendlets, sa., each charged with three roses of the field, barbed, or.

*Seats*—Altyre, and Gordonstown, Elginshire.

*Heir*—His son Alex. Penrose; born 1816; lieut. 71st Highland light inf.

**HONYMAN OF ARMADALE, ORKNEY.** Cr. 1804.—The HON. SIR RICHARD BEMPT DE JOHNSTONE, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the eldest dau. of the Rt. Hon. Robert McQueen, lord justice clerk; b. 1787; is married; s. his fa. in 1825. The 1st Bt. was a lord of session and judiciary in Scotland, under the title of Lord Armadale; he was descended from Sir Robert Stewart, 1st Earl of Orkney.

*Arms*—Ar., on a bend, engr., gu., a bendlet, of the field.

*Seats*—Armadale and Græmesay, Orkney.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Orde John; m. 1818, dau. of Adm. Bowen; is a capt. in the grenadier guards.

**LETHBRIDGE OF WESTAWAY HOUSE, DEVON.** Cr. 1804.—The HON. SIR THOMAS BUCKLER, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the eldest dau. of Wm. Buckler, Esq. of Boreham, Wilts; b. 1778; m. 1st, 1796, dau. of Sir T. Dalrymple Hesketh, Bart.; 2ndly, 1803, 2nd dau. of Ambrose Goddard, Esq., M.P., of Swindon, Wiltshire; s. his fa. in 1815; is col. of the 2nd Somerset militia; represented Somerset for many years in parliament.

*Arms*—Ar., over water, ppr., a bridge of five arches, embattled, and over the centre arch a turret, gu., in chief, an eagle displayed, sa., charged on the breast with a bezant.

*Seats*—Westaway House, Winkley Court, Devonsh.; Sandhill Park, Somersetsh.

*Heir ap.*—His son John.

**MIDDLETON OF CROWFIELD, SUFFOLK.** Cr. 1804.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM FOWLE, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of N. Acton, Esq. of Bramfield Hall, Suffolk; b. 1786; m. 1825, dau. of 1st Lord Brownlow, sister of 1st Earl; s. his fa. in 1830.

*Arms*—Ar., fretty, sa., on a canton, per chev. of the 2nd and or, an unicorn's head, likewise per chev., gu. and or, the horn of the last and sa.

*Seats*—Crowfield and Shrubland Halls, Suffolk.

**SULLIVAN OF THAMES DITTON, SURREY.** Cr. 1804.—The HON. SIR

**CHARLES**, 3rd Bt., 2nd son of the 1st Bt., by the only surviving dau. of T. Lodge, Esq. of Leeds; b. 1789; m. 1818, only dau. of Robt. Taylor, Esq. of Ember Court, Surrey; in 1814 s. his bro. (who fell during the sortie by the garrison of Bayonne); attained the rank of captain in the Navy in 1841; when midshipman of the *Psyche*, served at the cutting out of a schooner at Samarang in 1807. The 1st Bt. was 3rd son of B. Sullivan, Esq., clerk of the crown for Cork and Waterford, and younger bro. of the late Right Hon. J. Sullivan, who was under secretary-at-war from 1801 to 1805.

*Arms*.—Per fesse, the base per pale, in chief, or, a dexter hand, couped at the wrist, grasping a sword, erect, pomme and hilt, gu., the blade entwined with a serpent, ppr., betw. two lions, ramp., respecting each other, of the 2nd, the dexter base, vert, a buck trippant, or, the sinister base, per pale, ar. and sa., a boar pass., counterchanged.

*Seat*.—Ember Court, Surrey.

*Heir*.—His son Charles, b. 1820.

**SMITH OF TRING PARK, HERTS.** Cr. 1804.—The HON. SIR CHARLES CUNLIFFE, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by his 2nd wife, 2nd dau. of W. Gosling, Esq. of Roehampton; born 1827; s. his fa. in 1831. The 1st Bt., Sir Drummond Smith, was bro. to Sir J. Burgess, Bt., who assumed that name in lieu of his patronymic, and whose title became extinct at his own death, in 1803. Sir Drummond's title was granted, with remainder to the issue of his elder brother's dau.; his grand-nephew, therefore, succeeded him, and was father to the present Bart.

*Arms*.—Erm., a saltier, az., chev., with an escallop, or, in base, a dolphin naiant, embow., of the second.

*Seat*.—Suttons, Essex.

*Heir pres.*.—His uncle Spencer.

**WALSH OF BALLYKILCAVEN, QUEEN'S Co.** Cr. 1804.—The HON. SIR JOHN BENN, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of J. Fowke, Esq. of Bexley, Kent; b. 1798; m. 1825, 3rd dau. of the 6th Earl of Stamford and Warrington; s. his fa. in 1825; is a dep.-lieut. of Berk-

shire and Radnorshire; represented Sudbury in the parliaments of 1830 and 1834, also 1838; has represented Radnorsh. since 1840. The 1st Bt. was Sir John Benn, who assumed the name and arms of Walsh by sign manual in 1794, in compliance with the will of his maternal uncle, John Walsh, Esq. of Warfield, Berks.

*Arms*.—Ar., a fesse, az., between six martlets, sa.

*Seats*.—Ormathwaite, Cumberland; Warfield, Berks.

*Heir*.—His son Arthur, b. 1827.

**MAINWARING OF OVER PEOVER, CHESHIRE.** Cr. 1804.—The HON. SIR HENRY MAINWARING, 1st Bt., eldest son of T. Wettenhall, Esq. (who took the name of Mainwaring on succeeding to the estates of his uterine bro.), by the youngest dau. of W. Watkins, Esq. of Nantwich; b. 1782; m. 1803, youngest dau. of Sir R. Salisbury Cotton, Bt., sister of 1st Lord Combermere; is a dep.-lieut. of Cheshire. Is heir and nephew of Sir H. Mainwaring, 4th Bt., his father's uterine bro., whose baronetcy expired with him; the 1st Bt. of that line represented Cheshire in parliament at the time of the Restoration. This noble Bt. represents a family who were lords of the manors of Over Peover and Barnshaw, near Goosetrey.

*Arms*.—Ar., two bars, gu.

*Seat*.—Marbury Cottage, Whitechurch, Salop.

*Heir ap.*.—His son Harry, m. 1832, eldest dau. of the late T. W. Tatton, Esq. of Withenshaw, Cheshire.

**LEES OF BLACKROCK, DUBLIN.** Cr. 1804.—The HON. AND REV. SIR HARCOURT, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the eldest dau. of R. Cathcart, Esq. of Glandusk, Ayrshire; b. 1776; m. 1812, dau. of Colonel Lyster, of Grange, Roscommon; s. his fa. in 1811. The 1st Bt. was secretary to the Marquess Townshend, when lord-lieut. of Ireland, secretary-at-war, and secretary to the post-office.

*Arms*.—Az., a fesse, chequy, ar. and sa., between three billets, ar., and six crosslets fitchée, or.

*Seat*—Blackrock, near Dublin.

*Heir*—His son, born 1816.

**O'MALLEY OF ROSEHILL, MAYO.**  
Cr. 1804.—The HON. SIR SAMUEL, 1st Bt., son of Owen O'Malley, Esq. of Burrishowle, by his 2nd wife, dau. of S. McGeough, Esq. of Newry; b. 1779; m. dau. of J. Reilly, Esq.; is descended from Owen O'Malley, of Carrowmore Castle, and the dau. of Cormac MacCarty, Lord of Muskerry.

*Arms*—Ar., a boar passant, gu., crined, or, between three long bows, charged with arrows and bent, in the centre base point a skiff, with oars, sa.  
*Seats*—Rosehill, and Carrowmore Castle, co. Mayo.

*Heir ap.*—His son, Sir W. O'Malley, Eques Auratus, who, in 1835, claimed and received the honour of knighthood as a Baronet's eldest son.

**CLARKE OF CRESSES GREEN HOUSE, CORK.** Cr. 1804.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM HENRY ST. LAWRENCE, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of T. Prendergast, Esq. of Dublin; b. 1801; m. 1827, only child and heir of J. Moore Travers, Esq. of Clifton, co. of Cork; s. his fa. in 1808. The 1st Bt. was a distinguished military commander; he was commandant of the British forces at Goa in 1799; was a major-gen. in the Portuguese and in the British service; he subsequently had the command in the Mysore, but died at Seringapatam.

*Arms*—Ar., on a bend, cottised, gu., an eastern crown, or, betw. two swans, ppr., the whole within a bordure, vert.

*Seat*—Clifton, co. of Cork.

*Heir*—His son Wm. Henry Travers, b. 1828.

**BRUCE OF DOWNHILL, LONDONDERRY.** Cr. 1804.—The HON. SIR HENRY HERVEY, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the youngest dau. of Robt. Bamford Hesketh, Esq. of Gwyrch Castle, Denbighsh; b. 1820; s. his fa. in 1836; was a cornet in 2nd regt. of life guards, but retired in 1841.

*Arms*—Or, on a saltier, gu., a harp, of the field, on a chief of the second, a canton, ar., charged with a lion, rampant, az.

*Seat*—Down Hill, near Coleraine.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. James Andrew, b. 1822.

**AINSLIE OF GREAT TORRINGTON, LINCOLNSH.** Cr. 1804.—The HON. SIR ROBT. SHARPE, 2nd Bt., son of G. Ainslie, gov. of the Scilly Islands, by the dau. of S. Sharpe, Esq.; b. 1777; s. his uncle in 1812, who was ambassador at the Porte for several years, and was created a Bt., with remainder (in default of male issue) to the male issue of his bro. George.

*Arms*—Or, a cross, flory, gu., with a mullet for difference.

*Seat*—Great Torrington, Lincolnsh.

**HARTWELL OF DALE HALL, ESSEX.** Cr. 1803.—The HON. SIR BRODRICK, 2nd Bart., son of Rev. H. Hartwell, chaplain to George IV., when prince regent, by the dau. of D. Ball, Esq. of Bishop's Hall; she was rem. to J. Jackson, Esq. of St. Vincent's; b. 1813; m. 1834, eldest dau. of Rev. Wm. Gunthorpe, of Antigua; s. his grandfa. in 1831. The 1st Bt. was knighted in 1802, when he stood proxy for Lord Keith, at the installation of that peer as Knight of the Bath.

*Arms*—Sa., a buck's head cabossed, ar., attired, or, betw. the attire a cross-patée fichée, of the third, in chief, a lion passant guardant, per pale, ar. and or, on a canton, erm., two bars, per pale, az. and gu.

*Seat*—Dale Hall, Essex.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Sydney Houlton, b. 1817.

**COTTERELL OF GARNONS, HEREFORDSH.** Cr. 1805.—The HON. SIR JOHN GEERS, 1st Bart., son of Sir J. Cotterell, Kt., high sheriff of Herefordshire, in 1761, by the only dau. and heir of J. Geers, Esq. of Garnons; b. 1757; m. 1791, only dau. and heir of H. Michael Evans, Esq. (she died 1813); is a dep.-lieut. of Herefordshire.

*Arms*—Quart., or and ar., a cross engr. per pale, sa. and gu., betw. three escallops, two in the sinister, chief, and one in the dexter, base quarter of the second, over all a bend, also of the second.

*Seats*—Garnons, Herefordsh.; Farncombe House, Worcester-sh.



*Heir*—His grandson John, son of J. Hen. Cotterell, Esq., by the eldest dau. of the Hon. Gen. H. Otway Trevor.

**LOPES OF MARISTOW HOUSE, DEVONSH.** Cr. 1805.—The HON. SIR RALPH FRANCO, M.P., 2nd Bt., son of A. Franco, Esq. of London, merchant, by the dau. of Mordecai Rodrigues Lopes, Esq. of Clapham, and sister to the 1st Bt.; b. 1788; m. 1817, eldest dau. of the late A. Ludlow, Esq. of Heywood House, Wiltshire; s. his uncle in 1831, and then assumed the name of Lopes, in lieu of his patronymic Franco; is a dep.-lieut. of Devonsh.; has represented Westbury in parliament since July, 1841. The 1st Bt. also sat for Westbury, and his baronetcy was created with remainder to the issue of his sister, the present Bt.'s mother.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, az., a chev., or, charged with three bars, gemelles, gu., betw. three eagles, rising of the second, on a chief, of the second, five lozenges, of the first; second and third, in a field, a fountain, thereout issuing a palm-tree, all ppr.

*Seats*—Maristow House, near Plymouth; and Westbury, Wiltshire.

*Heir*—His son, Massey Lopes, b. 1818.

**MACKENZIE OF DELVINE, PERTSH.** Cr. 1805.—The HON. SIR JOHN WM. PITT MUIR, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of Sir R. Murray, Bt.; b. 1806; m. 1832, 5th dau. of the late J. Raymond Johnson, Esq.; s. his fa. in 1835; is a dep.-lieut. of Perthsh.; was called to the Scottish bar in 1830.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, ar., on a fesse, az., three estoilles, or, MUIR; 2nd and 3rd, az., a buck's head, caboshed, or, all within a bordure, nebule, quart., gu. and ar., MACKENZIE.

*Seat*—Delvin, Perthsh.

**HILLARY OF DANBURY PLACE, ESSEX, AND RIGG HOUSE, YORKSHIRE.** Cr. 1805.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM, 1st Bart., K.G.C. J.J., lieut.-col., commandant of the first Essex legion; m. 1st, in 1800, Frances Elizabeth, eldest dau. and co-heir of the late L. Disney-Fytche, Esq. of Flintham, Notts, and of Swinder by Lincolnsh., (by his wife

Elizabeth, sole representative of the ancient family of Fytche, of Danbury Place,) by whom he had issue; and 2ndly, in 1813, Emma, youngest dau. of the late F. Tobin, Esq. of the Isle of Man. Sir William passed much of his early life upon the continent of Europe with H.R.H. the Duke of Sussex, to whom he is equerry. On the renewal of the war with France, in 1803, Sir Wm. raised, at his own expense, and many years commanded, the 1st Essex legion of infantry and cavalry, amounting to 1400 men, the largest force then offered by any private individual for the defence of the country. In consideration of this and other services, the Baronetage was conferred upon him by the personal direction of his Majesty George III. This noble Bart. has since become the founder of the Royal National Institution for the Preservation of Life from Shipwreck. He has personally aided in saving 509 lives, (the crews of twenty-nine vessels,) for which five gold and fourteen silver medals have been awarded. In 1836, Sir William was elected a chevalier of the Sovereign Order of St. John of Jerusalem, and, in 1840, was mu-tioned to the high dignity of Lieut. Turcopolier of the Langue of England. He is also a member of the Committee of the Baronetage for Privileges, and the author of several publications upon questions of public interest. There are few names of greater antiquity in Italy, France, and England, than that of Hilary, St. Hilaire, or St. Hillary, as it is variously written. In the fifth century, according to the Roman calendar, it gave a successor to St. Peter. The name was of high nobility in France long before William the Conqueror, and it still so continues in the person of the Marquess St. Hillaire, of Normandy. Hillary, afterwards Bp. of Chichester, accompanied Hen. II. into England, and, according to Fuller, "was in great favour with that monarch, and had charge of the shire of Surrey." Dugdale in

his Baronage, states the marriage of Roger, Earl of St. Clair, with Maud, dau. of James de St. Hillary. These and numerous other proofs confirm the ancient dignity and high importance of the family. For some centuries they were of great eminence in the counties of Warwick and Stafford, and have interm. with the ancient families of Willis, Wilson, Metcalfe, Robinson, &c.

*Arms*—Ar., three fleur-de-lis, sa., between six cross-crosslets, ar., three, two, and one, within a bordure of the 2nd.

*Seats*—Danbury Place, Essex, and Rigg House, Yorksh.

*Heir ap.*—His only son by his 1st mar., Augustus William, late of the 6th Dragoon Guards, and a chevalier of the order of St. John. He m. in 1829, Susan Curwen, eldest dau. of J. Christian, Esq., of Uinnerigg, Hall, Cumberland.

**FITZ-WYGRAM OF WALTHAMSTOW HOUSE, ESSEX.** Cr. 1805.—

The HON. SIR ROBERT, Kt., 2nd Bt., D.C.L., son of the 1st Bt., Sir Robert Wygram, by his 1st wife, youngest dau. of F. Broadhurst, Esq., of Mansfield, Nottinghamsh.; b. 1773; m. 1812, dau. of the late Sir J. M. Hayes, Bt.; s. his fa. in 1830; added Fitz to his patronymic, in 1832; is a dep.-lieut. of Essex; was in parliament for nearly twenty-five years. The 1st Bt. represented Fowey and Wexford in parliament, and served the office of sheriff of Essex.

*Arms*—Ar., on a pale, gu., three escallops, or, over all a chev., engr., counterchanged, and on a chief, waves of the sea, thereon a ship, representing an English vessel of war of the 16th century with four masts, sails furled, ppr., colours flying, gu.

*Seats*—Walthamstow House, Essex; Belmont, Worcestershire.

*Heir*—His son Robert, b. 1813.

**DE CRESPIGNY OF CHAMPION LODGE, SURREY.** Cr. 1805.—

The HON. SIR CLAUDE WILLIAM CHAMPION, 3rd Bt., son of Augustus de Crespigny, Esq., by the dau. of Sir W. Smith, Bt.; b. 1818; s. his grand-fa. in 1829. This noble family

descends from Maheus Champion, who flourished 1350, and whose great grandson, Herbert Champion, was Seigneur de la Fleuriere in Normandy, in 1463. Claude Champion Seigneur de Crespigny was compelled to quit France at the revocation of the edict of Nantes, in 1685. He married Marie, dau. and heiress of Peter de Vierville of Vierville, in Lower Normandy.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, ar., a lion sal., sa., armed and lang., gu., in dexter base, a fer de moulin, pierced, sa., for DE CRESPIGNY; 2nd and 3rd, az., three bars, ar., for DE VIERVILLE. *Seat*—Champion Lodge, Camberwell.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Henry Other Champion.

**PREVOST OF BELMONT, HAMPSHIRE.** Cr. 1805.—The HON. and REV. SIR GEORGE, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of maj.-gen. Sir J. Phipps; b. 1804; m. 1828, only dau. of I. L. Williams, Esq., of Cwmeynfelin, Cardigansh.; s. his fa. in 1816. The 1st Bt., a lieut.-gen. in the army, was gov.-gen. and commander-in-chief in North America.

*Arms*—Az., a dexter arm in fesse, issuing from the sinister fesse point, the hand grasping a sword, erect, ppr., pommel and hilt, or, in chief two mullets, arg.

*Seat*—Belmont, Hampshire.

*Heir*—His son G. Phipps, b. 1830.

**BROMHEAD OF THURLBY HALL, LINCOLNSH.** Cr. 1806.—

The HON. SIR EDWARD FFRENCH, 2nd Bt., F.R.S., son of the 1st Bt., by the youngest dau. of Sir C. Ffrench, Bt.; b. 1789; s. his fa. in 1822; is high steward of the city of Lincoln, a dep.-lieut. of Lincolnsh., and a member of the Committee for Privileges.

*Arms*—Az., on a bend, arg., between two leopards' faces, or, a mural crown, gu., between two fleurs-de-lis, sa.

*Seat*—Thurlby Hall, near Lincoln.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Edmund Gonville, a major in the army; b. 1791.

**CHOLMELEY OF EASTON, LINCOLNSH.** Cr. 1806.—

The HON. SIR MONTAGU JOHN, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by his 1st wife, the dau. and

co-heir of J. Harrison, Esq. of Norton Place, Lincolnsh. ; b. 1802 ; m. 1829, 5th dau. of 8th Duke of St. Albans ; s. his fa. in 1831. The 1st Bt. was sheriff of Lincolnsh., 1805, and represented Grantham in parliament in 1823, but he retired in favour of his son in 1826.

*Arms*—Gu., two helmets in chief, ppr., and a garb in base, or.

*Seat*—Easton, Lincolnshire.

*Heir*—His son Montagu Aubrey, b. 1830.

**HASTINGS OF WILLESLEY HALL, DERBYSH.** Cr. 1806.—The HON. SIR CHARLES ABNEY, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by dau. and heir of T. Abney, Esq. ; b. 1792 ; s. his fa. in 1823 ; assumed the additional name of Abney, after his maternal grand-fa. ; was high sh. of Derbysh. in 1825, and for some years represented Leicestersh. in parliament. The 1st Bt. was a lieut.-gen. and son of F. Hastings, Earl of Huntingdon.

*Arms*—1st and 4th HASTINGS, arg., a maunch within a border, engr., sa. ; 2nd and 3rd ABNEY, or, on a chief, gu., a demi-lion issuant, arg.

*Seat*—Willesley Hall, Derbysh.

**SHELLEY OF CASTLE GORING, SUSSEX.** Cr. 1806.—The HON. SIR TIMOTHY, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by his 1st wife, only dau. of the Rev. Theobald Mitchell, of Horsham ; b. 1756 ; m. 1791, dau. of Chas. Pilfold, Esq., of Effingham, Surrey ; s. his fa. in 1815.

*Arms*—Sa., a fesse, engr., between three wheels, or, with a mullet for difference.

*Seat*—Castle Goring, Sussex.

*Heir*—His grandson Peter Florence, b. 1819, son of Percy Bysshe Shelley, Esq.

**LOUIS OF CHILSTON, DEVONSH.** Cr. 1806.—The HON. SIR JOHN, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of S. Belfield, Esq. ; m. 1807, dau. of W. Kirkpatrick, Esq., lieut.-col. 8th native infantry Bengal ; s. his fa. in 1807 ; is a rear-admiral of the blue, date 1838 ; was appointed superintendent of the dockyards at Malta, on 6th Jan. 1838. The 1st Bt. was a rear-admiral in the navy,

who distinguished himself in Sir J. T. Duckworth's squadron off St. Domingo.

*Arms*—Az., a lion rampant, arg., charged on the shoulder with an eagle disp., sa., and holding in the paws a fleur-de-lis, or, on a chief, wavy, erm., an anchor, erect, of the 3rd, the shank surrounded with a naval coronet, the rim, az., stems and sails, ppr.

*Seat*—Chelston, Devonshire.

**LUBBOCK OF LAMAS, NORFOLK.** Cr. 1806.—The HON. SIR JOHN WILLIAM, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the dau. of J. Entwistle, Esq., of Manchester ; b. 1803 ; m. 1833, dau. of lieut.-col. G. Hothan, of York ; s. his fa. in 1840 ; is one of the vice-presidents of the Royal Society. The 1st Bart.'s title was in remainder to his nephew the present Bart.'s fa., in default of his own male issue.

*Arms*—Or'a mount, vert., a heron, close, erm., on a chief, gu., three estoiles, ar.

*Seats*—Mitcham Grove, Surrey ; High Elms, Farnborough, Kent.

*Heir*—His son John, b. 1834.

**SCOTT OF GREAT BARR, STAFFORDSH.** Cr. 1806.—The HON. SIR EDWARD DOLMAN, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. and heir of E. Whitby, Esq. of Street End, Staffordsh. ; b. 1793 ; m. 1815, eldest dau. and co-heir of the late Sir H. Bateman, Bt., of Hartington Hall, Derbysh. (she was born 1796) ; s. his fa. in 1828 ; represented Lichfield in parliament from 1832 to 1837 ; is patron of two livings, and a dep.-lieut. of Staffordshire and of Sussex. The 1st Bt. was high sh. of Staffordsh. in 1799, and M.P. for Worcestersh. from 1802 to 1806.

*Arms*—Arg., on a fesse, gu., cottised, az., between three Catherine wheels, sa., three lambs passant, arg.

*Seat*—Great Barr Hall, Staffordsh.

*Heir*—His son Sir Francis Edward Scott, Bt., (whom see.)

**MORRIS OF CLASEMONT, GLA-MORGANSH.** Cr. 1806.—The HON. SIR JOHN, 2nd Bt. ; b. 1775 ; m. Lucy Juliana, youngest dau. of John, 5th Viscount Torrington, and has

issue; s. his fa. in 1819. This noble Bt. descends from Thomas Morris, of Bishop's Castle, and of Cleobury-Mortimer, Co. Salop.

*Arms*—Sa., on a saltier, engr., erm., a bezant charged with a cross, coupé, gu.

*Seats*—Skelty Park and Clasmont, co. Glamorgan.

*Heir ap.*—His son John Armine, b. 1813.

**RAMSAY OF BALMAINE, KINCARDINESH.** Cr. 1806.—The HON. SIR ALEXANDER, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by a dau. of Sir A. Bannerman, Bt.; b. 1785; m. 1st, 1811, dau. and co-heir of the late F. Russell, Esq. of Blackhall; 2ndly, 1822, 2nd dau. of 1st Lord Panmure; s. his fa. in 1810. The 1st Bt. assumed the name of Ramsay, in lieu of his patronymic Burnet, and received his title, on inheriting the estates of his uncle, Sir A. Ramsay, 6th Bt., whose baronetcy became extinct.

*Arms*—Arg., an eagle displayed, sa., charged on the breast with a rose, ar.

*Seat*—Balmaine, Kincardinesh.

*Heir*—His son by his 1st wife, Alexander; b. 1813; m. 1835, eldest dau. of J. Entwistle, Esq., of Foxholes, Lancashire.

**LOCKHART OF LEE AND CARNWATH, LANARKSH.** Cr. 1806.—The HON. SIR NORMAN MACDONALD, 3rd Bt., 2nd son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of D. Macneil, Esq. of Galcorhally, Argyllsh.; m. 1836, dau. of J. Maclean, Esq.; s. his bro. in 1832; is a dep.-lieut. of Lanarksh. The 1st Bt. was grandson of Sir G. Lockhart of Carnwath, advocate to Cromwell, and after the Restoration, lord-president of the Court of Session in Scotland.

*Arms*—Ar., a man's heart, gu., within a fetterlock, sa., on a chief, az., three boars' heads, erased, of the first, or.

*Seats*—Lee Castle, and Carnwath House, Lanarksh.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Alexander, b. 1806; is a dep.-lieut. of Lanarksh., which co. he represented in parliament from 1837 to 1841.

**NUGENT OF WADESTON, BERKS.** Cr. 1806.—The HON. SIR GEORGE, 1st Bt., G.C.B., D.C.L., son

of the late Hon. Col. Nugent; b. 1757; m. 1797, 7th dau. of Cortlandt Skinner, Esq., attor.-general of New Jersey, North America (she died 1834); is a dep.-lieut. of Bucks; received his baronetcy for his military services; he attained the rank of a general in 1813; is the senior general in the service, with two exceptions; obtained the colonelcy in the 6th foot in 1806; was appointed captain of St. Mawes in 1796.

*Arms*—Erm., two bars, within a bordure, engr., gu.; on a canton of the last, a dagger, erect.

*Seat*—Westhorpe House, Buckinghamshire.

*Heir*—His son Captain George Edmund, b. 1802; m. 1830, dau. of the 1st Lord Colborne.

**SCOTT OF HARTINGTON HALL, DERBYSH.** Cr. 1806.—The HON. SIR FRANCIS EDWARD, 2nd Bt., son of Sir E. Dolman Scott, Bt. (whom see), by the eldest dau. of Sir H. Bateman, Bt.; b. 1824; and at his birth s. his maternal grandfa. who had died a month previously. The 1st Bt. received his title with remainder, in default of male issue, to the male descendants of his dau. in the order of primogeniture; the present Bt. therefore s. as the eldest son of the eldest daughter.

*Arms of BATEMAN*—Or., three crescents, with an estoile of six points, above each crescent, gu., a canton; (for difference), az., quartered with Scott.

*Seat*—Hartington Hall, Derbysh.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Edward Dolman, born 1826.

**THOMPSON OF HARTSBOURNE, MANOR PLACE.** Cr. 1806.—The HON. SIR THOMAS RAIKES TRIGGE, 2nd Bt.; son of the 1st Bt., by the eldest dau. of R. Raikes, Esq. of Gloucestersh.; b. 1804; s. his fa. in 1828; attained the rank of captain in the royal navy in 1837. The 1st Bt. a distinguished naval commander, received the honour of knighthood, and a pension of 300*l.* a year for his services at the battle of the Nile; being subsequently engaged in the expedition of Copenhagen, his pension

was augmented to 500*l.*, and he was created a Bt.

*Arms*—Per fesse, ar., and sa., a fesse, embattled, counter-embattled, betw. three falcons, jessed and belled, all within a bordure, engr., and counter-changed; in the chief point, an anchor erect, az., the cable, ppr.

*Seat*—Hartsbourne, Manor Place, Hertfordsh.

**SCOTT OF SILWOOD PARK, BERKS.** Cr. 1806.—The HON. SIR DAVID, 2nd Bt., son of D. Scott, Esq., by the dau. of W. Delagard, Esq.; b. 1782; m. 1807, dau. of B. Grindall, Esq. of the Bengal civil service; s. his maternal uncle in 1819; for some years represented Yarmouth in parliament. The 1st Bt., Sir J. Sibbald, received his title with remainder, in default of male issue, to the nephew of his wife, the present Bt., who is descended from a common ancestor with Sir William Scott, of Ancrum, Roxburghsh.

*Arms*—Ar., a fesse, embattled, counter-embattled, between three lions' heads, erased, gu.

*Seat*—Silwood House, Sussex.

*Heir*—His son James Sibbald David.

**BRYDGES OF BOULTBROOK, HEREFORDSH.** Cr. 1807.—Privy Councillor, 1822.—The RT. HON. SIR HARFORD JONES, 1st Bt., son of Harford Jones, Esq. of Presteign, Radnorsh., by the dau. of R. Hooper, Esq. of Whittern, Herefordsh.; b. 1764; m. 1796, eldest dau. of Sir H. Gott, Kt., relict of Robert Whitcomb, Esq. of Whittern; took the additional name of Brydges in 1826; was appointed a dep.-lieut. of Herefordsh. in 1841. The present Bt.'s great-grandfa. having highly distinguished himself in the army, especially at Blenheim, was presented by Queen Anne with a valuable sword.

*Arms*—Ar., a cross, sa., charged in the centre with a leopard's face, betw. two pheons in pale, the points towards each other, and piercing the face, or; in the first quarter, a lion ramp., gu., holding in the paws a pheon, the point downwards, of the second.

*Seat*—Boultibrook, Herefordsh.

*Heir*—His son Harford Jones, born 1808.

**STANHOPE OF STANWELL, MIDDLESEX.** Cr. 1807.—The HON. SIR EDWYN FRANCIS SCUDAMORE, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of Francis Melbone, Esq. of Newport, Rhode Island, North America; b. 1798; m. 1820, dau. of T. Dowell, Esq. of Parker's Well, Devonsh.; s. his fa. in 1814; assumed the additional name of Scudamore, by sign manual in 1827, as representative of that family, whose estates he inherited on the death of the Duchess of Norfolk. This family is a younger branch of the Earls of Chesterfield. The 1st Bt. was a distinguished naval commander.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, erm. and gu., for STANHOPE; 2nd and 3rd, gu., three stirrups, with leathers, or, for SCUDAMORE.

*Seats*—Stanwell House, Middlesex; Holme Lacy, Herefordsh.

*Heir*—His son Henry Edwyn Chandos, b. 1821.

**BURRARD OF LYMINGTON, HANTS.** Cr. 1807.—The HON. SIR CHARLES, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of H. Darby, Esq. of London; b. 1793; m. 1826, 2nd dau. of Sir H. Lushington, Bt., (she was born 1801); s. his fa. in 1813; is a post-captain in the navy. The 1st Bt. was a lieut.-gen. in the army, and lieut.-col. of the 1st foot.

*Arms*—Per fesse, embattled, gu., and az., a lion passant, erm., between three stars of six points, or; on a canton, ar., a sword, erect ppr.

*Seat*—Lymington, Hampshire.

**BLOOMFIELD OF ATTLEBOROUGH, NORFOLK.** Cr. 1807.—The HON. SIR THOMAS WILLIAM, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the 2nd dau. of the Rt. Hon. Sir J. Eardley Wilmot, late chief justice of the Common Pleas; b. 1791; m. 1819, dau. of S. Kekewick, Esq. of Peamore, Devonsh.; s. his fa. in 1822. The 1st Bt. received that dignity on his return from Copenhagen, where he commanded the artillery with the rank of major-general.

*Arms*—Sa., on a chev., ar., a branch of laurel between two bombshells,

fréd, ppr., and in a canton, or, a spear-head, embued, ppr.

*Seats*—Attleborough Hall, Norfolk; Shooter's Hill, Kent.

*Heir*—His son Thomas Eardley Wilmot, b. 1820.

**MONTGOMERY OF THE HALL, DONEGAL.** Cr. 1808.—The HON. SIR HENRY CONYNGHAM, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of Leslie Grove, Esq. of Grove Hall, co. Donegal; b. 1803; m. 1827, only dau. of Major-General Pigot; s. his fa. in 1830; is in the civil service of the East India Company at Madras; a senior merchant, sub-collector, and magistrate at Tanjore. The 1st Bt. was distinguished in the military service of the East India Company in the war with Tippoo Sultan; he represented Yarmouth and St. Michael's in parliament.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, az., three fleurs-de-lis, or; 3rd and 4th, gu., three rings gold, gemmed, az., on an escutcheon of pretence, ar., a sword, in bend, surmounted by a tilting spear, in bend, sinister, ppr.; the whole within a bordure, ar., charged with eight trefoils, slipped, vert.

*Seat*—The Hall, co. Donegal.

*Heir pres.*—His brother Alexander Leslie, b. 1807; attained the rank of a commander R.N. in 1838.

**JONES OF STANLEY HALL, SALOP.** Cr. 1808.—The HON. SIR HENRY TYRWHITT, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the youngest dau. of the late J. Macnamara, Esq. of St. Christopher; b. 1824; s. his fa. in 1839; was appointed 2nd lieut. in the rifle brigade in 1841. The 1st Bt., T. Tyrwhitt, Esq., took the name of Jones only in 1790, on inheriting the estates of Sir T. Jones, his cousin; but the present Bt., who had been Sir Henry Tyrwhitt Jones, dropped the name of Jones, by royal licence, in 1841.

*Arms*—Ar., a lion ramp., vert, vulned in the mouth, ppr.

*Seat*—Stanley Hall, Shropsh.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Edmund Tyrwhitt, b. 1825.

**CORBET OF MORETON CORBET, SALOP.** Cr. 1808.—The HON. SIR VINCENT ROWLAND, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the eldest dau. of

Col. J. Hill, of Hardwick, sister of Viscount Hill; b. 1821; s. his fa. in 1838. This noble and ancient family claims descent from a Norman baron, who accompanied the Conqueror to England. At the general survey, Roger de Corbeau held twenty-four lordships, and his younger brother, Robert, fourteen. The Earls of Pembroke, Winchelsea, and Huntingdon, trace their lineage from this once powerful house.

*Arms*—Or, a raven, ppr.

*Seats*—Acton, Reynald Hall, and Moreton Corbet Castle, Salop.

*Heir ap.*—His eldest son Vincent Rowland.

**GRAHAM OF KIRKSTALL, YORK.** Cr. 1808.—The HON. SIR SANDFORD, 2nd Bt., F.S.A., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of Rev. T. Moore of Kirkstall; b. 1788; m. 1819, 3rd dau. of the late J. Langston, Esq. of Sarsden House Oxfordsh.; s. his fa. in 1825; is descended from a branch of the Gramms of Esk.

*Arms*—Per pale, indented, erminois, and sa.; on a chief, per pale, sa. and or, three escallop shells, counter-changed.

*Seat*—Kirkstall, Yorksh.; Edmund's Castle, Cumberland.

*Heir*—His son, b. 1834.

**SITWELL OF REINSHAW.** Cr. 1808.—The HON. SIR GEORGE, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of T. Parks, Esq. of Highfield House, Lancash.; b. 1797; m. 1818, eldest dau. of Crawford Tait, Esq. of Harvieston, Clackmannansh.; s. his fa. in 1814.

*Arms*—Barry of eight, or and vert; three lions ramp., sa.

*Seat*—Reinshaw, Derbysh.

*Heir*—His son Sitwell Reresby, born 1820.

**MEDLYCOTT OF VENN HOUSE, SOMERSET.** Cr. 1808.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM COLES, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the only dau. of W. Tugwell, Esq. of Bradford, Wiltsh.; b. 1806; m. 1830, only dau. of the Rev. E. Bradford, rector of Stalbridge, Dorsetsh.; s. his fa. in 1835. The 1st Bt. was son of T. Hutchings, Esq. M.P., who assumed

the name of Medlycott, and represented Milborne Port in parliament.

*Arms*—Quart., per fesse, indented, gu., and az., three lions ramp., two and one, ar.

*Seat*—Venn House, Somersetsh.

*Heir*—His son, b. 1831.

**PERRING OF MEMBLAND, DEVON.** Cr. 1808.—The HON. SIR JOHN, 2nd Bt., F.S.A., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of J. Cowell, Esq. of Stratford; b. 1794; is unmarried; s. his fa. in 1831. The 1st Bt., a banker and alderman of the city of London, was lord mayor in 1803.

*Arms*—Ar., on a chev., engr., betw. three fir-cones, pendent, vert, as many leopards' faces of the 1st.

*Seat*—Membland House, Devonsh.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Rev. Philip; b. 1797; m. 1825, only dau. of the late Henry Roe, Esq. of Gnaton, Devonsh.

**PIGOTT OF KNAPTON, QUEEN'S CO.** Cr. 1808.—The HON. SIR GEORGE, 1st Bt., eldest son of Major-Gen. T. Pigott, by the dau. of W. Carden, Esq. of Lismore, Queen's Co.; b. 1764; m. 1794, dau. of the Rt. Hon. T. Kelly, formerly judge in the Irish Court of Common Pleas.

*Arms*—Erm., three lozenges, conjoined in fesse, sa.

*Seat*—Knapton, Queen's Co.

*Heir*—His son Thomas, b. 1796; m. 1831, dau. of William Brummell, Esq. of Wyvanhoe, Essex; was some time a capt. royal horse guards.

**OUSELEY, OF CLARAMONT, HERTS.** Cr. 1808.—The RIGHT HON. SIR GORE, 1st Bt., P.C., G.C.H., 2nd son of Ralph Ouseley, Esq., by his 1st wife, dau. of H. Holland, Esq. of Limerick; b. 1770; m. 1806, dau. of J. Whitelock, Esq.; is a Kt. of the Russian order of St. Alexander (1812), and of the Persian order of the Lion and Sun (1814); in 1810, was ambassador extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary to Persia, and subsequently to St. Petersburg.

*Arms*—Or, a chev., sa., betw. three holly leaves, vert, a chief of the 2nd.

*Seat*—Woolmers, Hertfordsh.

*Heir*—His son Frederick Arthur Gore, b. 1825.

**HOOD OF TIDLAKE, SURREY.** Cr. 1809.—The HON. SIR ALEX., 2nd Bt., son of Capt. Alexander Hood (who accompanied Cook round the world), by the dau. of J. Periam, Esq. of Butley Wootton; b. 1793; m. 1815, youngest dau. and co-heir of Sir Hugh Bateman, Bt.; s. his uncle in 1814. The 1st Bt. was an admiral and cousin-german to the 1st Viscount Hood; he was distinguished in command of the Venerable (74) at Algesiras, as also at the reduction of Corsica, the blockade of Toulon, the recovery of Sicily and Naples from the French; captured Tobago, St. Lucia, Demerara, Essequibo, Berbice, and Surinam; was commodore at the reduction of Copenhagen, and commanded the squadron which took possession of Madeira; he was raised to the baronetcy with remainder, in default of issue, to his nephew, the present Bt.

*Arms*—Az., a fret., ar., on a chief, or, three crescents, sa.

*Seat*—Wootton, Somersetsh.

*Heir*—His son Alexander Bateman Periam, b. 1819.

**BAIRD OF YARDLEY BURY, HERTS.** Cr. 1809.—The HON. SIR DAVID, 2nd Bt., son of R. Baird, Esq., by the dau. of D. Gaven, Esq. of Langton; m. 1821, eldest dau. of 1st Marquess of Allsa; s. his uncle in 1829, who having repeatedly distinguished himself in arms, particularly at Seringapatam, was created a Bt., with remainder, in default of issue, to the issue male of his eldest bro., Robert Baird.

*Arms*—Gu., a boar, passant, or.

*Seats*—Yardley Bury, Hertfordsh.; Fernton, Perthsh.

*Heir*—His son.

**SEYMOUR OF HIGH MOUNT, CORK.** Cr. 1809.—The HON. AND REV. SIR JOHN HOBART SEYMOUR, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt. by the dau. of the late J. Hawker, Esq.; b. 1800; m. 1833, eld. dau. of the Rev. T. Culme, of Tothill, Devonshire (she d. in 1841); s. his fa. in 1834; is preb. of Lincoln and Gloucester, vicar of Horley-cum-Hornton, Oxford, and rector of North Church, Hertfordsh.

The 1st Bt. was Sir Michael Seymour, K.C.B., a distinguished naval commander.

*Arms*—Az. a pair of wings conj. in pale, surm. of a naval crown, or; on a canton, ar., an anchor, sa.

*Seats*—Highmount, co. Cork; Friery Park, Devonshire.

*Heir*—His son Michael, b. 1836.

**GEORGE OF PARK PLACE, MIDDLESEX.** Cr. 1809.—The HON. SIR RUPERT DENNIS, 2nd Bt., s. his fa. in 1823. This family is of Irish extraction, springing from the Georges of Clophook, Queen's Co. The 1st Bt., Sir George, was a Commissioner of the Transport Board.

*Arms*—Ar. on a fesse, engr., gu. betw. three falcons, rising, az. beaked, legged, and billed, or, three bezants, each char. with a lion's head, erased, sa.; on a canton, vert, a harp, or, stringed ar.

**ROBERTS OF GLASSBURY, KENT.** Cr. 1809.—The HON. SIR THOMAS HOWLAND, 3rd Bt., son of the 1st Bt. by the dau. of Rev. H. Gilbert, of Bodmin; m. 1834, 2nd dau. of J. Maitland, Esq. of Eccles, Dumfriesshire, (dead; ) s. his fa. 1829.

*Arms*—Ar. on a chev. az. cottised, or, three mullets of six points, pierced, sa.

*Seats*—Roberts' Cove and Brightfieldstown, co. Cork; Courtland, Devonshire.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Edmund Gilbert.

**SHAW OF KILMARNOCK, AYR.** N.B. Cr. 1809 and 1813.—The HON. SIR JAMES, 1st Bart., 2nd son of J. Shaw, Esq. of Mosshead, by the dau. of J. Sillers, Esq. of Mains-Cragie, Ayrshire; b. 1764; is chamberlain of the city of London; represented the city in parliament from 1805 to 1809; in 1813 he obtained a second patent, conferring the baronetcy with remainder to his nephew, J. Shaw, Esq.

*Arms*—Az., three covered cups, two and one, or, on a chief, ar., a merchant's ship under sail, proper; a canton, gu. charged with the mace of the city of London, surm. by a sword, in saltier, also ppr., pommel and hilt, of the second.

*Seat*—Kilmarnock, Ayrshire.

*Heir*—His nephew John Shaw, son of John Macfie, Esq. of Greenholme, Ayrshire, by the sister of the present

Bt.; he assumed the name of Shaw in 1815, in lieu of his patronymic, Macfie.

**BLENNERHASSETT OF BLENNERVILLE, KERRY.** Cr. 1809.—The HON. SIR ARTHUR, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by his cousin, the only dau. of the late A. Blennerhassett, of Fortfield, co. Kerry; b. 1795; m. Miss S. Mahony (descended from the O'Mahonys of Kerry); s. his fa. in 1831.

*Arms*—Gu., a chev., erm., between three dolphins embowed, ar.

*Seat*—Churchtown, Killarney.

*Heir*—His son Rowland, b. 1839.

**SMITH OF EARDISTON, WORCESTER.** Cr. 1809.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the dau. of the Rev. R. Foley, rector of Oldwinsford; b. 1823; s. his fa. in 1839.

*Arms*—Sa., a cross-flory, or, on a chief, engr. erm., a demi-lion issuant, betw. two cross-crosslets, gu.

*Seat*—Eardiston, Worcestershire.

*Heir pres.* His bro. Edward, born 1826.

**COCKERELL OF SEIZINCOTE, GLOUCESTERSHIRE.** Cr. 1809.—The HON. SIR CHARLES RUSHOUT, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by his 2nd wife, 2nd dau. of 1st Lord Northwick; b. 1809; m. 1884, dau. of 3rd Lord Foley (she was b. 1807); s. his fa. in 1837; is patron of one living. The 1st Bt. was M.P. for Evesham, from 1820 till his death in 1837; he was post-master-gen. in Bengal in 1804.

*Arms*—Or, betw. two flanches, gu., a leopard's face, az., within a wreath of laurel, and betw. two game-cocks, in pale, ppr.

*Seat*—Seizincote, Morton in the Marsh, Gloucestershire.

*Heir*—His son Charles Fitzgerald Rushout, b. 1840.

**SANDYS OF MISSELDEN CASTLE, GLOUCESTERSHIRE.** Cr. 1809.—The HON. SIR EDWIN BAYNTUN, 1st Bt., D.C.L., son of Miles Sandys, Esq. of West Lavington, Devonshire, by the dau. of Peter Knowing, of Washbourne, Devonshire; b. 1774; m. 1799, dau. of Michael Allen, Esq. of Coleridge House, Devonshire; assumed the name of Bayntun, by sign-manual, in 1807; is a dep.-lieut. of Oxfordshire.



*Arms*—Quarterly, 1st and 4th, or, a fesse, dancettée, betw. three cross-crosslets fitchée, gu, SANDYS; 2nd and 3rd, pean, a bend, lozengy, ar. BAYNTUN.

*Seats*—Misserden Castle, and Chadlington Hall, Gloucestershire.

**HALFORD OF WISTOW, LEICESTERSH.** Cr. 1809.—The HON. SIR HENRY, 1st Bt., M.D., G.C.H., F.R.S., F.S.A., 2nd son of J. Vaughan, Esq., M.D., of Leicester, by the 2nd dau. of Alderman J. Smalley, of the same city, grand-dau. of Sir R. Halford, Bt., and cousin of the last Bt. of that family; b. 1766; m. 1796, 3rd dau. of 11th Lord St. John of Bletsoe; assumed the name of Halford in lieu of his patronymic, Vaughan, on inheriting, in 1815, the estates of his cousin, Sir C. Halford, last Bt. (after the demise of his widow, who had subsequently m. 6th Earl of Denbigh); is patron of two livings; president of the royal coll. of physicians, &c.

*Arms*—Ar., a greyhound pass., sa., on a chief, az., three fleurs-de-lis, or. By royal warrant of augmentation, 1827, a rose ar. was substituted for the centre fleur-de-lis, and, as further augmentation, on a canton, erm., a staff entwined with a serpent, ppr., and ensigned with a coronet composed of crosses-patée and fleurs-de-lis.

*Seat*—Wistow Hall, Leicestershire.

*Heir*—His son Henry, M.P.; b. 1798; m. 1824, his cousin, 2nd dau. of Sir J. Vaughan, Knt.; has represented the southern division of Leicestershire in parliament since 1832.

**TYRELL OF BOREHAM HOUSE, ESSEX.** Cr. 1809.—The HON. SIR JOHN TYSSEN, 2nd Bt., M.P., son of 1st Bt., by the only dau. and heir of W. Tyssen, Esq. of Waltham House, Hertfordshire; b. 1795; m. 1819, eld. dau. and co-heir of the late T. Pilkington, Bt., from whom he is divorced; s. his fa. in 1832; is a dep.-lieut. of Essex, and col. of the West Essex militia; represented Essex in the parliament of 1830; was again elected in 1832, 1834, and 1837. This family is said to be descended from Sir Walter Tyrrell, temp. William Rufus; about sixteen chiefs enjoyed knighthood prior to Sir John, who was raised to the Baronetage.

*Arms*—Ar., within a bordure, engr. gu. two chev., az.

*Seat*—Boreham House, Essex.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Rev. Charles Tyssen Jenner Tyrrell, b. 1804; assumed the name of Jenner, in 1828, by royal licence.

**SHEPPARD OF THORNTON HALL, BUCKS.** Cr. 1809.—The HON. SIR THOMAS COTTON, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by his 1st wife, only child of W. Cotton, LL.D. of Crake-marsh, Staffordsh.; b. 1785; m. 1822, only child of the Rev. G. Turner, Preb. of Lincoln; assumed the name of Cotton, by sign-manual, in 1806.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, az., on a chev., or, betw. three fleurs-de-lis, ar., as many estoiles, gu. for SHEPPARD; 2nd and 3rd, ar., a bend sa. betw. three pellets, two and one, for COTTON.

*Seats*—Thornton Hall, Buckinghamshire; Crake-marsh Hall, Staffordsh.

**FLOWER OF LOBB, OXFORDSHIRE.** Cr. 1809.—The HON. SIR JAMES, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the eld. dau. and co-heir of J. Squire, Esq. of Portsmouth; born 1794; m. 1816, eld. dau. of Sir W. Stirling, Bt.; s. his fa. in 1834. The 1st Bt. was an alderman of the city of London.

*Arms*—Per pale, az., and gu., a unicorn, or, on a chief inverted, erm., three gilly-flowers, ppr., over the centre flower, a sword in bend, dexter, also, ppr., pommel and hilt, of the 3rd, and surm. saltierwise by a key of gold.

*Seats*—Lobb Farm, Oxfordshire; Woodford, Essex.

**ALEXANDER OF THE CITY OF LONDON.** Cr. 1809.—The HON. SIR ROBERT, 2nd Bt., son of Ald. Wm. Alexander, of the City of Dublin, by the dau. of J. Folie Mapas, Esq., barrister-at-law; b. 1769; m. 1796, dau. of J. Wallis, Esq.; s. his fa., on whom the Baronetcy was conferred, in 1809. Is a director of the Bank of Ireland.

*Arms*—Per pale, ar. and sa. a chev., and in base a crescent, counterchanged, on a canton, az. a harp, or; in the sinister chief point, a mullet, of the last.

*Heir*—His son William John.

**STAMER OF BEAUCHAMP, DUBLINSH.** Cr. 1809.—The HON. SIR LOVELACE, 2nd Bt., son of the

1st Bt., by the dau. of J. Rawlin, Esq. of Finglas, Dublin; b. 1794; m. 1828, only dau. of J. Tomlinson, Esq. of Cliffe Ville, Staffordshire; s. his fa. in 1838; was a capt. in the 4th drag. guards. The 1st Bt. filled the office of lord-mayor of the city of Dublin, in 1809, the year of the jubilee.

*Arms*—Quart. : gu. and az., a cross, erm., charged with a sword in the scabbard, in pale, ppr.; in the 1st and 4th quarters, on a fesse, dancettée, ar., a lion pass. az.; in the 2nd and 3rd, the lord-mayor's cap, or, betw. three castles, ar.

*Seat*—Beauchamp, co. Dublin.

*Heir*—His son Lovelace Tomlinson, b. 1829.

CONGREVE OF WALTON, STAFFORDSHIRE. Cr. 1812.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM AUGUSTUS, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the relict of H. Nisbet McEvoy, Esq.; (who subsequently m. C. Fenton Whiting, Esq.;) b. 1827; s. his fa. in 1828. The 1st Bt. was comptroller of the royal laboratory and superintendant of military machines; the 2nd Bt. filled the same offices. The 1st was a lieut.-gen. in the army; the 2nd, a major-general, and inventor of the rockets bearing his name; for the service of these, at the battle of Leipsic, the Emperor Alexander presented him with the Russian order of St. Anne.

*Arms*—Sa., a chev. betw. three battle-axes, ar.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Wm Frederick.

GALLWEY. Cr. 1812.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM PAYNE, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the only dau. of the 1st Earl of Dunraven; s. his fa. in 1831; is major of the 88th foot. The 1st Bt., W. Payne, was a lieut.-gen. in the army, and assumed the name of Gallwey, in 1814.

*Arms*—Qu., 1st and 4th, per fesse, or and gu., in chief, an eagle, disp., with two heads, of the last, in base, a bridge of three arches, double towered, ar., for GALLWEY; 2nd and 3rd, PAYNE, gu. a fesse, betw. two lions pass., ar.

RUSSELL OF SWALLOWFIELD PLACE, BERKS. Cr. 1812.—The HON. SIR HENRY, 2nd Bt., son of

the 1st Bt. by his 2nd wife, sister of the last Earl Whitworth; b. 1783; m. 1st, Oct. 1808, 2nd dau. of J. Cassamajor, Esq. of Madras (she d. Dec. 1808); 2ndly, dau. of Mons. B. Mottet, of Pondicherry; s. his fa. in 1836. The 1st Bt. filled the office of chief justice of the supreme court at Bengal.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev., sa., betw. three cross-crosslets fitchée, az., a bordure, eng., gu., semée of bezants and escallops, or, alternately.

*Seat*—Swallowfield Place, Berks,

*Heir*—His son Henry, b. 1819.

FLETCHER OF CARROW, CORK. Cr. 1812.—The HON. SIR RICHARD JOHN, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of J. Mudge, Esq., M.D., of Plymouth; b. 1805; s. his fa. in 1813; is a capt. in the army. The 1st Bt. was a lieut.-col. in the royal engineers, and distinguished himself as chief engineer during the Peninsular war; he d. before St. Sebastian in 1818.

*Arms*—Sa., on a cross, engr., ermine, betw. four plates, each charged with a pheon erect, az. a sword erect, ppr., on a canton, or, a wreath of laurel, vert.

*Seat*—Carrow, co. Cork.

*Heir pres.*—His brother Charles Orlando, b. 1806.

HUNTER OF BEECHWOOD HILL, BERKS. Cr. 1812.—The HON. SIR CLAUDIUS STEPHEN, 1st Bt., D.C.L., 2nd son of H. Hunter, Esq. of Beech Hill, Berks, by the 3rd dau. of Wm. Sloane, Esq., (grand-nephew of Sir Hans Sloane;) b. 1775; m. 1st, 1797, only dau. of J. Free, Esq.; 2ndly, 1841, 2nd dau. of the late J. Fenton, Esq. of Hampstead; was elected an ald. of London, in 1804, and lord mayor in 1811-12; is col. of the royal London militia. Sir Claudius is a member of the Committee of the Order for Privileges.

*Arms*—Qu., 1st and 4th, or, a lion ramp., gu. betw. eight cross-crosslets patée fitchée at the foot, sa; 2nd and 3rd, ar., a bear salient, sa, muzzled, or.

*Seat*—Mortimer Hill, near Reading, Berkshire.

*Heir*—His grandson Claudius.

HOBHOUSE OF CHANTRY HOUSE, WILTS. Cr. 1812.—The RT. HON.

**SIR JOHN CAM**, 2nd Bt., P.C., F.R.S., M.P., son of the 1st Bt., by his 1st wife, dau. of S. Cam, Esq. of Chantry House; b. 1786; m. 1828, youngest d. of 7th Marquis of Tweeddale.

*Arms*—Per pale, az. and gu., three crescents, two and one, arg., issuing therefrom as many estoiles radiated, or.

*Seat*—Chantry House, Wilts.

**BRUCE OF DUBLIN**. Cr. 1812.—The **HON. SIR STEWART**, 1st Bt., younger son of J. Bruce, Esq. of Killeleah, by the you. dau. of the Hon. and Rev. H. H. Aston, D.D., (4th son of the 1st Earl of Bristol;) is grand-uncle to Sir H. H. Bruce, Bt.; m. 1888, dau. of J. Ramsbottom, Esq. of Clewer Lodge, Windsor; was gentleman usher at the castle of Dublin; is registrar of the order of St. Patrick.

*Arms*—Or., a chief and saltier, gu.; on the last, a harp, gold, stringed, arg.; on a canton of the last, a lion, rampant, az., a crescent for difference.

*Residence*—Dublin.

**BRENTON OF LONDON**. Cr. 1812. The **HON. SIR JAHLEEL**, 1st Bart., K.C.B., son of the late Rear-Admiral Brenton, by the dau. of J. Cowley, Esq. of Wolverhampton; b. 1770; m. 1st, 1802, dau. of Anthony Stewart, Esq. of Halifax, Nova Scotia, (shed. 1819;) 2ndly, 1822, you. dau. of the late J. Brenton, Esq. of Halifax, N.S.; is rear-adm. of the White; served at the battle of St. Vincent; was capt. of the *Cæsar* in the action off Algeiras in 1801; was wounded in an action in the Bay of Naples in 1810; received his baronetcy for professional services.

*Arms*—Gu., a lion rampant, double queued, betw. three martlets, ar.; on a canton, or, the stern of a ship of the line, ppr.

*Heir*—His son Lancelot Charles Lee; b. 1807; m. 1839, dau. of the late Major-General Chester.

**BLANE OF BLANEFIELD, AYR**. Cr. 1812.—The **HON. SIR HUGH SEYMOUR**, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the only dau. of A. Gardiner, Esq.; m. 1832, eld. dau. of J. Armit, Esq. of Dublin; s. his fa. in 1834; is a lieut.-col. in the army. The 1st

Bt. was one of the physicians in ordinary to the King.

*Arms*—Ar., on a fesse, sa., a mullet betw. two crescents, of the field, in base, a rose, gu., in the centre chief point an anchor, erect, entw. by a serpent, ppr.

*Seat*—Culverlands, Berkshire.

*Heir*—A son, b. 1833.

**KAYE - LISTER OF DENBY GRANGE, YORK**. Cr. 1812.—The **HON. SIR JOHN LISTER**, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the 6th dau. of the 5th Earl of Stamford; b. 1801; m. 1824, only dau. and heir of G. Arbutnot, Esq.; s. his fa. in 1827.

*Arms*—Qu., 1st and 4th, KAYE, ar., two bendlets, sa.; 2nd and 3rd, LISTER, erm. on a fesse, sa., three mullets, or, the whole within a bord. wavy, az.

*Seat*—Denby Grange, Yorkshire.

*Heir*—His son Lister, b. 1827.

**LEEDS OF CROXTON PARK, CAMBRIDGESH.** Cr. 1812.—The **HON. SIR JOSEPH EDWARD**, 2nd Bt., eldest son of the 1st Bt., by his 1st wife, dau. of the Rev. W. Sanderson, of Morpeth; b. 1798; m. 1822, only dau. of the late W. T. Stretton, Esq.; s. his fa. in 1838. The 1st Bt. was equerry to H.R.H. the Duke of Sussex, and was descended from Dr. Leeds, master of Clare Hall, Cambridge. Sir Joseph is a member of the Committee of the Baronetage for Privileges.

*Arms*—Arg., a fesse, gu., betw. three eagles, disp., sa., within a bord., wavy, of the 2nd.

*Seat*—Croft House, Tenby.

*Heir*—His son Edward, b. 1825.

**KNIGHTON OF CHARLSTON, DORSETSH.** Cr. 1813.—The **HON. SIR WILLIAM WELLESLEY**, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of Capt. J. Hawker; b. 1811; m. 1838, dau. of J. Jameson, Esq. of Philadelphia; s. his fa. in 1836. The 1st Bt. was a physician, keeper of the privy purse to George IV., and a G.C.H.

*Arms*—Barry of eight, per pale, az. and ar., counterchanged, a bend, erm.; on a chief, gu., a dragon's head, erased, betw. two annulets, or.

*Seat*—Charlston, Dorsetshire,

**HOME OF WELLMANOR FARM, SOUTHAMPTON.** Cr. 1813.—The HON. SIR JAMES EVERARD, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. and co-heir of J. Tunstall, D.D., relict of S. Thompson, Esq.; b. 1798; s. his fa. in 1832; attained the rank of a capt. in the navy in 1837; was appointed to the North Star in 1841. The 1st Bt. was sergeant-surgeon to Geo. III.

*Arms*—Vert., a lion, ramp., between two piles, engr., issuing from the chief, ar., all within a bord., engr. of the last, charged with six pepingoes, of the first, beaked and membered, gu.

*Seats*—Wellmanor Farm, Southampton; Ham, Surrey.

**NAGLE OF JAMES TOWN HOUSE, WESTMEATH.** Cr. 1813.—The HON. SIR RICHARD, 2nd Bt., M.P., son of the 1st Bt., by his 2nd wife, dau. and sole heir of O. Geoghegan, Esq. of Rosemount; b. 1800; s. his fa. in 1827; has been high sheriff of Westmeath, which county he has represented in parliament since 1832.

*Arms*—Erm., on a fesse, az., three fusils, or.

*Seat*—James Town House, co. Westmeath.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Joseph, b. 1808.

**OWEN OF ORIELTON AND LANSTINAN, PEMBROKE.** Cr. 1813.—The HON. SIR JOHN, 1st Bt., M.P., eld. son of J. Lord, Esq., by the dau. of Lieut.-Gen. Owen, granddau. of Sir A. Owen, 3rd Bt.; m. 1st, dau. of Rev. J. L. Phillips; 2ndly, 1830, 3rd dau. of E. Stephenson, Esq. of Farley Hill, Berkshire; assumed the name of Owen, in lieu of his patronymic, on succeeding, by bequest, to the estates of Sir Hugh Owen, 6th Bt.; is lord-lieut. of Pembroke, and gov. of Milford Haven; patron of six livings; has represented Pembroke-shire in parliament since 1807.

*Arms*—Gu., a chev. betw. three lions ramp., or.

*Seat*—Orielson House, Pembroke-shire.

*Heir*—His son Hugh, m. 1825, dau. of Sir C. G. Morgan, Bt.

**SHEAFFE OF EDSWALE, CLARE.** Cr. 1813.—The HON. SIR ROGER HALL, 1st Bt., 3rd son of W. Sheaffe,

Esq., deputy collector of the customs at Boston, North America, by the eld. dau. of T. Child, Esq.; b. 1763; m. 1810, dau. of J. Coffin, Esq. of Quebec, cousin of Admiral Sir Isaac Coffin, Bt.; became a major-gen. in the army in 1811, a lieut.-gen. in 1821, and was advanced to the rank of a general in 1838; obtained the colonelcy of the 36th foot in 1829.

*Arms*—Az., in chief, two lions' heads, erased, erm., in base, a mullet, ar., and in fesse, three garbs, or, betw. two barrulets, of the 3rd.

*Seat*—Edswale, co. Clare.

**ANDERSON OF FERMOY, CORK.** Cr. 1813.—The HON. SIR JAMES CALEB, 1st Bt., son of J. Anderson, Esq. of Fermoy, co. Cork; b. 1792; m. 1815, 4th dau. of the late Robert Shaw, Esq. of Dublin, and half-sister of Sir R. Shaw, Bt. of Bushey Park, Dublin.

*Arms*—Qu., or and ar., a saltier, engr., per saltier, gu. and sa., betw. two boars' heads, erased, and respecting each other, in fesse, a mullet, in chief, sa., and a trefoil, slipped, in base.

*Seat*—Cove, co. Cork.

*Heir*—His son Chas. Grant, b. 1823.

**JACKSON OF MANOR HOUSE, CO. ARMAGH.** Cr. 1813.—The HON. SIR GEORGE, 1st Bt., son of Rt. Hon. R. Jackson, who was chief sec. for Ireland, by his 3rd wife, dau. of C. O'Neill, Esq. of Shane's Castle, co. Antrim, and sister of 1st Viscount O'Neill; b. 1776; m. 1814, dau. of Wm. Woodville, Esq. of Edgehill, Lancashire.

*Arms*—Gu., a fesse, between three shovellers, tufted at the head and breast, ar., each charged with a trefoil, slipped, vert.

*Seats*—Fork Hill, Armagh; Beach Hill, Surrey.

**DUCKWORTH OF TOPSHAM, DEVON.** Cr. 1813.—The HON. SIR JOHN THOMAS BULLER, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by his 2nd wife, dau. of Bp. (Buller) of Exeter; b. 1809; s. his fa. in 1817. The 1st Bt. was a distinguished naval officer, who attained the rank of adm. of the White; he was commander-in-chief jointly with Sir C. Stewart at the taking of Minorca in 1798; and commander-

in-chief at Barbadoes, at the Leeward Islands, and at Jamaica, from 1800 to 1805.

*Arms*—Ar., on a chev., az., between two ducks, ppr., in chief, and a naval crown of the second, in base, a bomb fired, betw. two estoiles, or, on a chief, wavy, of the second, the words "St. Domingo," within a branch of laurel entw. within another of oak, gold.

*Seat*—Wear House, Devonshire.

**HISLOP OF TOTHELL, DEVON.** Cr. 1813.—The HON. SIR THOMAS, 1st Bt., G.C.B., you. son of the late Lieut.-Col. Hislop; b. 1764; m. 1823, dau. of Rt. Hon. H. Elliot, gov. of Madras; a gen. in the army, col. of the 48th foot, and equerry to H.R.H. the Duke of Cambridge.

*Arms*—Ar., on a mount, a stag, couchant under a tree, all ppr.; and for aug., on a chief, az., a mount, vert, thereon a lion in the act of tearing the standard of the Mahratta prince, Holkar, and beneath the word "Madhi-pore."

*Seat*—Charlton Villa, near Blackheath, Kent.

**BROKE OF BROKE HALL, SUFFOLK.** Cr. 1813.—The HON. SIR PHILIP VERE, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bart., by the dau. of Sir W. F. Middleton, Bt.; b. 1804; s. his fa. in 1841; attained the rank of capt. in the navy in 1835; is nephew to Sir C. Broke Vere, K.C.B. The 1st Bt., an adm. of the Blue, received his title for his gallant conduct when capt. of the Shannon, in the engagement with the United States frigate the Chesapeake, off Boston, in 1813.

*Arms*—Or, a cross, engr., party per pale, sa. and gu.

*Seat*—Broke Hall, near Ipswich, Suffolk.

*Heir pres.*—His brother George Nathaniel, b. 1812; became a lieut. R.N. in 1833; was appointed to the Wasp sloop in 1837, serving on the Mediterranean station.

**PULESTON OF EMRAL, FLINTSHIRE.** Cr. 1813.—The HON. SIR RICHARD, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by his 1st wife, dau. of Wm. Boats, Esq.; b. 1789; m. 1st, dau. of Lieut.-Gen. England; 2ndly, dau. of — Shaw, Esq.; s. his fa. in 1840. The 1st Bt. (who assumed the name of

Puleston in lieu of his patronymic, Price) received his title, and an addition to his arms, after having introduced George IV., then Prince of Wales, to his principality, in 1806.

*Arms*—Sa., three mullets, two and one, ar.

*Seat*—Emral, Flintshire.

*Heir*—His son Rich. Price, b. 1813.

**RADCLIFFE OF MILNESBRIDGE HOUSE, YORK.** Cr. 1813.—The HON. SIR JOSEPH, 2nd Bt., son of the Rev. J. Pickford Radcliffe, (eld. son of 1st Bt.), by the only dau. of Sir John Archibald Grant, Bt. of Monymusk; b. 1799; m. 1819, you. dau. of the late Capt. J. Macdonnel, of Leagh, Inverness-shire; s. his grandfa. in 1819. The 1st Bt. assumed, by royal licence, the name of Radcliffe, in lieu of his patronymic, Pickford, in obedience to the will of his maternal uncle.

*Arms*—Ar., a bend engr. sa, charged with a cresc. of the field, for difference.

*Seats*—Milnes-bridge House, Yorkshire; Royston, Lancashire.

*Heir*—His son Joseph Percival Pickford, b. 1824.

**BECKETT OF LEEDS, YORK.** Cr. 1813; Privy Councillor, 1817.—The RT. HON. SIR JOHN BECKETT, 2nd Bt., F.R.S., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of Bishop (Wilson) of Bristol; b. 1776; m. 1817, 3rd dau. of 1st Earl of Lonsdale; s. his fa. in 1826; was judge-advocate from 1828 to 1830; resumed that office in Dec. 1834, but resigned in April, 1835; represented Haslemere in several parliaments; was member for Leeds from 1834 to 1837; contested East Retford unsuccessfully in 1832; is a banker. The 1st Bt. was an eminent banker in Leeds.

*Arms*—Gu., a fesse, between three boars' heads, coupé, erm.

*Seat*—Somerby Park, Lincolnsh.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Thomas, born 1779; m. 1825, dau. of J. Beckett, Esq. of Barnsley.

**HENNIKER OF NEWTON HALL, ESSEX.** Cr. 1813.—The HON. and REV. SIR AUGUSTUS BRYDGES, 3rd Bt., 2nd son of the 1st Bt., by eldest dau. of W. Press, Esq.; b. 1795; m. 1st, dau. of J. H. Stewart, Esq. (she

d. 1823); 2ndly, 1626, 4th dau. of 3rd Lord Henniker (she was b. 1805); s. his bro. in 1825. The 1st Bt. was the yon. son of the 1st Lord Henniker, and a lieut.-gen. in the army.

*Arms*—Or, on a chev., gu. between two crescents in chief, and an escallop in base, az., three estoiles ar.

*Seat*—Newton Hall, Essex.

*Heir*—His son, born 1835.

**HEWETT OF NETHERSAL, LEICESTERSH. Cr. 1813.**—The HON. SIR GEORGE HENRY, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of the late John Johnson, Esq. of Blackheath, Kent, granddau. of Sir C. Musgrave, Bt.; b. 1791; m. 1816, dau. of Bishop (Majendie) of Bangor; s. his fa. in 1840; is a lieut.-col. in the army. The 1st Bt. was a gen. in the army, and some time commander-in-chief of the forces in India.

*Arms*—Gu., on a chev., embattled between three owls, ar., each crowned with an eastern coronet, or, as many bombs, fired, ppr.

*Seat*—Fremantle Park, near Southampton.

*Heir*—His son George John Boulter, b. 1818.

**BOROUGH OF PORTLAND PLACE, LONDON. Cr. 1813.**—The HON. SIR EDWARD RICHARD, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the eldest dau. of the 1st Visct. Lake; b. 1800; m. 1831, you. dau. of the 2nd Earl of Howth; s. his fa. in 1837. This family is of French descent, through Elias Boireau, or Bouherau, D.D., librarian of St. Patrick's Library, Dublin.

*Arms*—Or, in base a dolphin, naiant, in waves of the sea, all ppr., on a chief az., three mullets, ar.

*Seat*—Coolock Lodge, co. Dublin.

*Heir*—His son Richard, b. 1838.

**GORDON OF HANKIN, AYR. Cr. 1813.**—The HON. SIR ALEXANDER CORNEWALL DUFF, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the dau. of Sir Geo. Cornwall, Bt.; b. 1811; m. 1840, only dau. of J. Austin, Esq.; s. his fa. in 1823; is assistant gentleman usher of the privy chamber to her Majesty, and a clerk in the Treasury. The 1st Bt. was for many years British Consul at Cadiz.

*Arms*—Qu., 1st and 4th, GORDON, az., three boars' heads, coupé within a double tressure of fleurs-de-lis and roses, or; 2nd and 3rd, DUFF, vert, a fesse dancettée, erm., betw. a buck's head cabossed, in chief, and in base two escallops or.

*Seats*—Kinshair, Ayrsh.; Crombie, Banffsh.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Cosmo Louis, b. 1812.

**ST. PAUL OF EWART PARK, NORTHUMBERLAND. Cr. 1813.**—The HON. SIR HORACE ST. PAUL, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of John, Visct. Dudley and Ward; b. 1812; s. his fa. in 1840; is a count of the Holy Roman empire, and a dep.-lieut. of Northumberland; represented the eastern division of Worcestershire in parliament from 1837 to 1841. The 1st Bt., Sir Horace, was a col. in the army, and M.P. for Berwick in 1812, and Bridport from 1818 to 1832; his grandfa. assumed the prefix of St. by act of parliament in 1768.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st, an eagle, disp. sa.; 2nd, divided in three compartments; on the 1st, az., three lions ramp., or; 2nd, az., a lion ramp., ar.; 3rd, gu. on a cross, ar., nine billets, sa.; 3rd qu., per pale, or and sa, a bend, engr., co. ch.; 4th, as the 3rd; 5th, as the 2nd; 6th, as the 1st; on an escutcheon of pretence, ar., a lion ramp., double-queued, gu. ducally crowned, or, for ST. PAUL.

*Seat*—Ewart Park, Northumberland.

**DENYS OF EASTON-NESTON, NORTHAMPTONSH. Cr. 1813.**—The HON. SIR GEO. WILLIAM, 1st Bt., son of the late P. Denys, of Hans Place, by the only dau. of the 2nd Earl of Pomfret; b. 1788; m. 1809, eldest dau. of E. G. Lind, Esq. of Burton, Westmoreland; is equerry to H.R.H. the Duke of Sussex, and a dep.-lieut. of the co. of Essex.

*Arms*—Ar., a cross-patonce, gu., betw. four fleurs-de-lis, vert, on a chief, az., a greyhound courant, of the field.

*Seat*—Easton-Neston, Northamptonshire.

*Heir*—His son George William, b. 1811; m. 1835, eldest dau. of the late H. M. Perceval, Esq.

**YOUNG OF FORMOSA PLACE, BUCKS. Cr. 1813.**—The HON. SIR GEORGE, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt.,

by the dau. of Chas. Baring, Esq. of Exmouth; b. 1797; m. 1835, only dau. of the late Mr. Serjeant Praed; s. his fa. in 1826; attained the rank of commander in the navy in 1825. The 1st Bt. was son of Sir George Young, Knt., admiral of the White.

*Arms*—Per fesse, sa. and ar., in chief, two lions rampant, guard.; in base, an anchor, erect, with cable, all co. ch.

*Seat*—Near Maidenhead, Berks.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Charles Baring, b. 1801.

**MACDONALD OF EAST SHEEN, SURREY.** Cr. 1813.—The HON. SIR ARCHIBALD KEPPEL, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by his 2nd wife, dau. of 4th Earl of Albemarle; b. 1820; s. his fa. in 1832; appointed ensign in the Scots fusilier guards in 1839; is equerry to the Duke of Sussex. The 1st Bt. was next bro. to the 1st Lord Macdonald, and was chief baron of the court of Exchequer in 1793.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st, ar., a lion ramp., gu.; 2nd, or, a hand in armour holding a cross-crosslet, fitchée, gu.; 3rd, or, a row galley (or lymphad), the sails furled up, sa.; 4th, ar., a salmon naiant in fesse, ppr.

*Seat*—East Sheen, Surrey.

**JERVOISE OF IDSWORTH PARK, HANTS.** Cr. 1813.—The HON. and REV. SIR SAMUEL CLARKE, 1st Bt., son of Jervoise Clarke, Esq., who assumed the surname of Jervoise, by the only dau. and heir of R. Warner, Esq. of Bedhampton, Hants; b. 1770; m. 1799, dau. of Rev. N. Griffenhoffe, of Woodham Mortimer, Essex; is rector of Blendworth and Charlton-cum-Idsworth, Hampshire. His fa. represented Southampton in parliament.

*Arms*—Quarterly, 1st and 4th, Jervoise, sa., a chev. betw. three eagles close, ar.; 2nd and 3rd, CLARKE, az., three escallops in pale, or, betw. two flanches, ermi., each charged with a cross-patée fitchée, gu.

*Seat*—Idsworth Park, Hants.

*Heir*—His son Jervoise Clarke, b. 1804; m. 1829, youngest dau. of Nisbet Thompson, Esq. of Chapel-street, Grosvenor Place.

**WRAXALL OF WRAXALL, SOMERSETSH.** Cr. 1813.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM LASCELLES WRAX-

ALL, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of Peter Lascelles, Esq. of Knight's House, Hertfordshire; b. 1791; s. his fa. in 1831. The 1st Bt. was in the civil service of the East India Comp.; he was judge-advocate and paymaster to the forces in the expedition into Guzerat, and against Baroche; he was the author of "Wraxall's Memoirs of his own Time," &c. Sir William is a member of the Committee of the Order for Privileges.

*Arms*—Lozengy, ermi. and az., on a chev., gu., three estoiles of eight points, or.

*Seat*—Wraxall, Somersetsh.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Chas. Edward.

**FOWKE OF LOWESBY, LEICESTER.** Cr. 1814.—The HON. SIR FREDERICK GUSTAVUS FOWKE, 1st Bt., son of Sir Thos. Fowke, Knt., by the 2nd dau. and co-heir of Sir Isaac Woolaston, Bt.; b. 1782; m. 1814, only dau. of the late A. Henderson, Esq., M.P. for Brackley; is a gent. of the privy chamber; his grandfa. was distinguished in the army; and his fa. was, in 1784, appointed groom of the bedchamber to his late R.H. Henry Frederick, D. of Cumberland.

*Arms*—Vert, a fleur-de-lis, ar.

*Seat*—Lowesby Hall, Leicestersh.

*Heir*—His son Frederick Thomas, b. 1816.

**BERESFORD OF BAGNALL, WATERFORD.** Cr. 1814.—The HON. SIR JOHN POO, 1st Bt., K.C.B., son of the 1st Marq. of Waterford, and bro. of Visct. Beresford; m. 1st, dau. of Capt. Molloy, R.N.; 2ndly, 1815, the 3rd dau. of H. Peirse, Esq. of Bedale, Yorkshire; 3rdly, 1836, dau. of the late J. Baillie, Esq., and relict of S. Peech, Esq.; is vice-ad. of the White; in the parliaments of 1826, 1830, and 1831, he represented Northallerton; in 1820 and previously he represented Coleraine, for which place he was returned in 1832.

*Arms*—Ar., semée of cross-crosslets fitchée, three fleurs-de-lis; two and one, sa., within a bord., wavy, ermi.

*Seats*—Bagnall, co. Waterford; and Bedale, Yorksh.

*Heir*—His son by the first marriage, George, b. 1820.

**DOMVILLE OF SAINT ALBANS, HERTS.** Cr. 1814.—**THE HON. SIR WILLIAM**, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of Arch. Finney, Esq.; b. 1774; m. 1807, dau. of the late I. Solly, Esq. of Walthamstow; s. his fa. in 1833. The 1st Bt. was lord-mayor of London 1813-14, and having presided at the dinner given by the corporation to the Prince Regent and the allied sovereigns, was raised to the baronetage.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st, az., a lion ramp., ar., sup. a sword erect, ppr., and (as an augmentation) on a chief, of the 2nd, three oriental crowns, two and one; 2nd, az., a lion ramp., ar., gorged with a plain collar, ga.; 3rd, ar., six lozeng. conjoined in bend, sa.; 4th, ar., five lozengs conjoined in pale, gu.

*Seat*—St. Albans, Hertfordsh.

*Heir*—His son James Graham, born 1812.

**WYLIE.** Cr. 1814.—**THE HON. SIR JAMES**, 1st Bt., was 1st physician to the Emperor of Russia; is a Kt. of the Russian orders of St. Waldimir and St. Anne, of the Austrian order of Leopold, of the Red Eagle of Prussia, and of Merit of Bavaria and Wirtemberg; was knighted at Ascot Heath races, in 1814, by George IV., then Prince Regent, and was subsequently created a Baronet.

*Arms*—Az., a bend, ar., betw. a fox, ppr. in chief, and in base, two mullets of the 2nd; on a chief, or, the imp. eagle of Russia.

*Residence*—At the Court of Russia.

**GREY OF EATON PLACE, LONDON.** Cr. 1814.—**THE RT. HON. SIR GEO.**, 2nd Bt., P.C., M.P., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of Sam. Whitbread, Esq. of Bedwell Park, Herts; b. 1799; m. 1827, eld. dau. of Bishop (Ryder) of Lichfield, niece of the 1st Earl of Harrowby; s. his fa. in 1828; was under-sec. for the Colonies from July till Nov. 1834, and from April, 1835, till 1839, when he was appointed judge-advocate-general; has represented Devonport in parliament since 1832. The 1st Bt. was 4th son of the 1st Earl Grey, and was resident commissioner of Portsmouth dockyard, and subsequently marshal of the Island of Barbadoes.

*Arms*—Gu., a lion ramp., within a bordure engr. ar.

*Residence*—14, Eaton Place, London.

*Heir*—A son, born 1835.

**BLACKWOOD OF LONDON, MIDDLESEX.** Cr. 1814.—**THE HON. SIR HENRY MARTIN**, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by his 2nd marriage with the 4th dau. of M. Waghorn, Esq., capt. R.N.; b. 1802; m. 1826, you. dau. of J. M. Bulkeley, Esq.; s. his fa. in 1832; is a capt. in the navy. The 1st Bt. was the Hon. Sir Henry Blackwood, K.C.B., vice-adm. of the Blue, son of the Baroness Dufferin and Clanboye; he was the bearer of the despatches announcing the decisive victory of Trafalgar.

*Arms*—Ar., a saltier, sa., on a chief of the last, three holly-leaves, of the field.

*Heir*—His eldest son, b. 1828.

**HOSTE OF LONDON, MIDDLESEX.** Cr. 1814.—**THE HON. SIR WILLIAM LEGGE**, 2nd Bt., s. his fa. in 1828. The 1st Bt., Sir William, was a distinguished naval officer, and in consideration of his gallant services upon many occasions, but especially for the victory which he achieved over the French and Italian squadrons, off the island of Lissa, in 1811, was raised to the dignity of the baronetage.

*Arms*—A bull's head cabos., coupé at the neck betw. two wings; and the following hon. augment., in chief a naval crown, pendent therefrom by a riband, a representation of the gold medal given by his R.H. the Prince Regent, for his distinguished conduct on March 13, 1811, subscribed "Lissa."

**CUYLER OF ST. JOHN'S LODGE, HERTS.** Cr. 1814.—**THE HON. SIR CHARLES**, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of Maj. Grant; b. 1794; m. 1823, dau. of the Rev. F. Halifax, rector of Richard's Castle; s. his fa. in 1819; is a major-gen. in the army, and col. of the 69th foot. The 1st Bt. was a general in the army, and governor of Kinsale.

*Arms*—Per pale, emb., gu. and az., an arrow in bend, or, barb. and flighted, the point upwards, ar.

*Seat*—St. John's Lodge, Welwyn, Hertfordsh.

*Heir*—His son Charles Hen. Johnes, b. 1826.



**DUNBAR OF BOATH, NAIRNSH.** Cr. 1814.—The HON. SIR FREDERICK WILLIAM, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of J. Coull, Esq. of Ashgrove, Elgin; s. his fa. in 1836; is in the army.

*Arms*—Gu., a lion ramp., ar., within a bord. of the last, charged with eight roses, of the 1st.

*Seat*—Boath, Nairnsh.

*Heir*—His uncle Peter, an officer in the E. I. C.'s service.

**DALRYMPLE OF HIGH MARK, WIGTOUN.** Cr. 1815.—The HON. SIR ADOLPHUS JOHN, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the you. dau. and coheir of Gen. Leighton; b. 1784; m. 1812, dau. of the late Sir J. Graham (1st Bt.) of Kirkstall; s. his fa. in 1830; became a major-gen. in the army in Nov. 1841; repres. Weymouth in parliament in 1817; Appleby in 1819 and 1820; Haddington district of Burghs, 1826 to 1831; and Brighton from 1837 to 1841. This family is a branch of the Dalrymples, Earls of Stair. The 1st Bt. was a gen. in the army, and col. of the 57th foot.

*Arms*—Or, on a saltier, az., betw. a mullet in chief, gu., and two water-bougets in the flanks, sa., nine lozenges, of the field.

*Seat*—Delrow Castle, Hertfordsh.

**HAMILTON OF WOODBROOK, TYRONE.** Cr. 1815.—The HON. SIR JAMES JOHN, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of G. P. Monck, Esq., grand-dau., maternally, of 1st Earl of Tyrone; b. 1802; m. 1834, only dau. of Major-Gen. Sir J. Cockburn, Bart., and grand-dau., maternally, of 13th Visct. Hereford; s. his fa. in 1835; is a major in the army; is descended from the 2nd son of the founder of the Abercorn family. The 1st Bt. was a distinguished general, who received a medal for his services in the Peninsula.

*Arms*—Quarterly, 1st and 4th, gu., three cinquefoils pierced, ermine, for HAMILTON; 2nd & 3rd, ar., a lymphad, sa., for ARRAN, a cresc. for diff., and on a chief, a mount, inscribed "Alba de Tormes," thereon a castle, and flowing from the battlements a Spanish flag, all ppr.

*Seat*—Woodbrook, co. Tyrone.

**MACMAHON OF DUBLIN.** Cr. 1815.—The HON. SIR BERESFORD BURSTON, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by his 1st wife, dau. of B. Burston, Esq.; b. 1808; m. 1838, eld. dau. of Sir R. Bateson, Bt.; s. his fa. in 1837. The 1st Bt. was master of the Rolls in Ireland; he was brother to Sir J. MacMahon, Bt., keeper of the privy purse to the Prince Regent.

*Arms*—Per saltier, or and erm., a lion pass. az., betw. two lions passant, regard., gu.

*Seat*—Fortfield, Rathfarnham, near Dublin.

*Heir*—His son William Sam., b. 1839.

**HEPBURN OF SMEATON, HADDINGTONSH.** Cr. 1815.—The HON. SIR THOMAS BUCHAN, 3rd Bt., M.P., son of the 2nd Bart., by the 2nd dau. of the 7th Earl of Lauderdale; b. 1804; m. 1835, dau. of A. Little, Esq. of Sheldon Park, Surrey; s. his fa. in 1833; was called to the Scottish bar in 1827; has represented Haddingtonshire in parliament since 1838; unsuccessfully contested the Haddington district in 1837.

*Arms*—On a chev., ar., a rose betw. two lions ramp., of the 1st, quartered with BUCHAN.

*Seat*—Smeaton, Haddingtonsh.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. John Buchan.

**MARJORIBANKS OF LEES, BERWICKSH.** Cr. 1815.—The HON. SIR JOHN, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the eldest dau. of H. Stone, Esq. of London, banker; b. 1830; s. his fa. in 1834. The 1st Bt. represented Buteshire in parliament in 1811, and filled the office of lord provost of Edinburgh in 1814 and 1825.

*Arms*—Ar., on a chief, gu., a cushion betw. two spur rowels, of the field.

*Seats*—Lees, Berwicksh.; Hallyards, Mid Lothian.

*Heir pres.*—His uncle David Marjoribanks Robertson.

**CONSTABLE OF TIXAL, STAFFORD.** Cr. 1815.—The HON. SIR THOMAS ASTON, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the 2nd dau. of J. Chichester, Esq. of Arlington, Devonsh.; b. 1806; m. 1827, youngest dau. of C. J. Chichester, Esq. of Calverleigh Court, Devonsh.; s. his fa. in 1823;

is a dep.-lieut. of Staffordshire and of Yorksh. This noble and ancient family is a branch of the Lords Clifford of Chudleigh. The Hon. Thomas Clifford, son of Hugh, 4th lord, flourished 1750, and m. Barbara, youngest dau. and co-heiress of James Lord Aston, Forfarshire. His son Sir Thomas was created a Bt. at the special desire of Louis XVIII., King of France, and took the name of Constable only. Sir Thomas is a member of the Committee of the Order for Privileges.

*Arms*—Quart., Barry of six, or and az., on a canton, ar., a tealze, ppr., for CONSTABLE; 2nd and 3rd, chequy, or and az., a fesse, gu., for CLIFFORD.

**SIMEON OF GRAZELEY, BERKSH.** Cr. 1815.—The HON. SIR RICHARD GODIN, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the eldest dau. of J. Cornwall, Esq. of Hendon House, Middlesex; b. 1784; m. 1813, eldest dau. of Sir Fitzwilliam Barrington, Bt.; s. his fa. in 1824. The 1st Bt., M.P. for Reading, and senior master in Chancery, was at the head of the commission for taking charge of the real and personal estates of George III. during his illness.

*Arms*—Per fesse, sa. and or, a pale, counterchanged, three trefoils, slipped, two and one, of the second, and three ermine spots, one and two, of the first.

*Seat*—St. John's, Isle of Wight.

*Heir*—His son John, b. 1815; m. 1840, the only dau. of the late Sir F. F. Baker, Bt. of Loventor.

**CAMPBELL OF WESTMINSTER.** Cr. 1815.—The HON. SIR GUY CAMPBELL, 1st Bt., C.B., son of Lieut.-Gen. Colin Campbell, lieut.-gov. of Gibraltar, by the eldest dau. and co-heir of Col. Guy Johnson; m. 1st, 1817, eldest dau. and co-heir of Montagu Burgoyne, Esq. of Marks Hall; 2ndly, 1820, dau. of the late Lord Edw. Fitzgerald; became a major-gen. in the army in Nov. 1841; is in command of the Limerick district. Sir Guy is a member of the Committee for Privileges.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, gironny of eight pieces, or and sa.; 2nd, ar., a

lymphad, sa., with a flag and pennants flying, gu.; 3rd, or, a fesse, chequy, ar. and az., all within a bordure, emb., erm.

*Heir ap.*—His son.

**KING OF CHARLESTOWN, ROSCOMMON.** Cr. 1815.—The HON. SIR GILBERT, 2nd Bt., son of the Rev. J. King, Archdeacon of Killala, who was bro. of the 1st Bt.; m. 1833, dau. of Chas. Vigone, Esq.; s. his uncle in 1818. The 1st Bt. was raised to that dignity, with remainder to the issue male of his brothers, in default of his own.

*Arms*—Sa., a lion, ramp., double queued, or.

*Seat*—Charlestown, Roscommon.

*Heir pres.*—His cousin Robert.

**DOMVILLE OF SANTRY HOUSE, DUBLINSH.** Cr. 1815.—The HON. SIR COMPTON, 1st Bt., son of Chas. Pocklington, Esq., sometime M.P. for Dublin, who assumed the name of Domville only, by the dau. of T. Sheppard, Esq.; m. 1st., dau. of the Hon. Bishop (Lindsay) of Kildare, niece of 7th Earl of Balcarres; 2ndly, 1815, dau. of Fred. Trench, Esq. of Heywood, Queen's Co.; is custos rotulorum of the county of Dublin.

*Arms*—Az., a lion, ramp., ar., colored, gu.

*Seats*—Templeoge; and Santry House, co. Dublin.

*Heir*—His son by the 1st wife, Compton Charles, b. 1812.

**JACKSON OF AILSEY, BEDFORDSH.** Cr. 1815.—The HON. SIR KEITH ALEXANDER, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of General Goreham, of Goreham Point, Nova Scotia; b. 1798; m. 1834, only dau. of the late G. Waddell, Esq., of the East India Company's service; s. his fa. in 1820; is a capt. in 4th light dragoons.

*Arms*—Ar, on a fesse, between a goat's head, coupé in chief, gu., and a ship in full sail, in base, ppr., a greyhound, courant, betw. two pheons, or, within a bordure, gu., charged with eight bezants.

*Seat*—Arsley, Bedfordsh.

*Heir*—His son Mountstuart Goodricke, b. 1836.

**SETON OF ALLANTON, LANARK.** Cr. 1815.—The HON. SIR HENRY JAMES MACDONALD STEUART, 3rd Bt., son of Sir Reginald Macdonald, of Staffa, by the dau. of Sir H. Steuart, LL.D., 1st Bt.; b. 1812; succeeded his father in 1838. The 1st Bt., Sir H. Steuart, was 14th in descent from Alexander, 6th lord high steward of Scotland; he received his title with remainder to the heirs male of his dau. (mother of the present Bt.); he was well known for his scientific attainments, and for his method of transplanting large trees; his dau. assumed the additional name of Seton in 1835, on succeeding to the property of the Setons, of Touch, hereditary armour-bearers to the King in Scotland; and the present Bt. took the name of Steuart before that of Seton, on inheriting his maternal grandfa.'s estates.

*Arms*—Or, a fesse, chequy, az. and ar., surmounted of a bend, gu., charged with three buckles of the field, on a sinister canton, gu., a lion pass., guard., or, pierced with a dart, ppr., and in base a broken spear, surmounted of a helmet, both ppr.

*Seat*—Allanton, Lanarksh.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Archibald, b. 1814.

**WILLIAMS OF LLWYNYN, CARMARTHENSH.** Cr. 1815.—The HON. SIR GEORGE GRIFFIES, 1st Bt., son of the Rev. J. Griffies, of Croydon, by the dau. of the Rev. T. Thackeray, sometime head master of Harrow school; m. 1st, only child and heir of the Rev. Dr. J. Lewis, of Tredeved, Pembrokesh.; 2ndly, dau. of Herbert Evans, Esq. of Highmead, Cardigansh.; assumed the name of Williams in addition to his patronymic, in 1785, in compliance with the will of David Williams, Esq. of St. Peters, Carmarthensh. (his aunt's husband.)

*Arms*—Ar., on a chev., engr., gu., betw. three bulls' heads, cabossed, sa., a rose between two fleurs-de-lis, of the field.

*Seat*—Lwyny Wormwood, Carmarthensh.

*Heir*—His grandson Geo. Herbert, b. 1817.

**DUNDAŠ OF RICHMOND, SURREY.** Cr. 1815.—The HON. SIR JAMES FULLARTON, 3rd Bt., 2nd son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of W. Robertson, Esq. of Richmond; s. his bro. in 1840; is a major-gen. in the E.I.C.S. The 1st Bt. was one of the medical attendants of his Majesty Geo. III.

*Arms*—Ar., a lion ramp., holding betw. the paws a human heart, gu., in the centre chief point a crescent, az., thereon a mullet, ar., for difference.

*Seats*—Richmond, Surrey; Llanelly, Carmarthensh.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. John Burnet.

**LEIGH OF WHITLEY, LANCASH.** Cr. 1815.—The HON. SIR ROBERT HOLT, 1st Bt., eldest son of Holt Leigh, Esq., by the youngest dau. and co-heir of Thos. Owen, Esq. of Up-Holland Abbey; b. 1762; was raised to the baronetage, with remainder to the issue male of his fa.; is a dep.-lieut. of Lancashire. This family have been long seated at Bretherton, in Lancashire. The public are indebted to the Bt.'s grandfa. for the canal from Wigan to the Ribble.

*Arms*—Gu., a cross, engr. ar. betw. four lozenges, erm.

*Seat*—Whitley, Lancash.

*Heir pres.*—His next bro. Alexander.

**ANTROBUS OF ANTROBUS, CHESTERSH.** Cr. 1815.—The HON. SIR EDMUND WILLIAM ROMER, 2nd Bt., son of Philip Antrobus, Esq. of Congleton, by the dau. of Thos. Rowley, Esq. of Overton, Staffordshire; b. 1792; m. 1817, dau. of Hon. Hugh Lindsay, and niece of 6th Earl of Balcarres (she was born 1800); s. his uncle in 1826. Is a dep.-lieut. of Wilts. Edm. Antrobus, Esq., was created a Bt. in 1815, with remainder to his nephews, of whom the present Bt. is the elder.

*Arms*—Lozengy, or and az., on a pale, gu., three estoiles, of the first.

*Seats*—Lower Cheam, Surrey; Amesbury Abbey, Wilts.

*Heir*—His son Edmund, M.P., born 1818; has represented the eastern division of Surrey in parliament since February, 1841.

**BRYDGES OF DENTON COURT, KENT.** Cr. 1815.—The HON. SIR JOHN WILLIAM EGERTON, 2nd Bt.,

son of the 1st Bt., by his 1st mar. with the dau. of the late Rev. Wm. Dejovas Byrche; b. 1791; s. his fa. in 1837; was formerly a lieut. in the 14th dragoons. The 1st Bt. distinguished himself in the literary world, and was elected M.P. for Maidstone in 1812; his elder bro., to whom he eventually became heir, claimed the ancient barony of Chandos, as a descendant of Anthony Bridges, 3rd son of the 1st Lord Chandos; the committee of the House of Lords, however, decided that he had not made out his claim.

*Arms*—Ar., a cross, sa., charged in the centre with a leopard's face, betw. two pheons, in pale, the points towards each other, and piercing the face, or, in the 1st qu., a lion, ramp., gu., holding in the paws a pheon, the point downwards, of the 2nd.

*Seats*—Lee Priory, and Denton Court, Kent.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. by his father's 2nd marriage, Rev. Egerton Anthony, b. 1802, rector of Denton, Kent.

**WALLER OF BRAYWICK LODGE, BERKS.** Cr. 1815.—The HON. SIR JONATHAN WATHEN, 1st Bt., G.C.H., only son of Joshua Phipps, Esq. of London, by the only dau. of Jon. Wathen, Esq. of East Acton, Middlesex; b. 1769; m. 1st, dau. of T. Slack, Esq. of Braywick Lodge, Berks. (she died 1809); 2ndly, 1812, the Baroness Howe (she died 1836); was groom of the bed-chamber to William IV.; assumed the name of Waller in lieu of his patronymic Phipps, by sign-manual in 1814, in order to mark his descent from that family through his maternal grandmo. From a jr. branch of this house Edm. Waller the poet was descended.

*Arms*—Sa., on a bend, engr., ar., cottis., or, three walnut leaves, ppr.

*Seats*—Braywick Lodge, Berkshire; Pope's Villa, Twickenham, Middlesex.

*Heir*—His son by the 1st marriage, Thomas Wathen, b. 1804.

**PRESTON OF BEESTON ST. LAURENCE, NORFOLK.** Cr. 1815. The HON. SIR JACOB HENRY, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by his 2nd wife, youngest dau. of T. Bagge,

Esq. of King's Lynn, Norfolk; b. 1812; s. his fa. in 1823. The 1st Bt. was T. Hulton, Esq., who assumed the name and arms of Preston, by royal licence.

*Arms*—Erm., on a chief, sa, three crescents, or.

*Seat*—Beeston St. Laurence, Norfolk.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Thos. Edward, b. 1816.

**PRICE OF TRENGWAINTON, CORNWALL.** Cr. 1815.—The HON. SIR CHARLES DUTTON, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the youngest dau. and co-heir of C. Lambart, Esq. of Beapark, co. Meath; b. 1800; s. his fa. 1834. The 1st Bt. received his title as being descended from Sir C. Price, speaker of the House of Assembly in Jamaica, whose baronetcy expired in its third possessor.

*Arms*—Sa., a chev., erm., between three spear-heads, ar., embued at the points, ppr.

*Seat*—Trenwainton, Cornwall.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Francis; born 1804; was appointed captain of the 19th foot in 1834.

**JEPHSON OF SPRINGVALE, DORSET.** Cr. 1815.—The HON. SIR RICHARD MOUNTENEY, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by his 1st wife, dau. of — Joliffe, Esq. of Wolverton, Isle of Wight; s. his fa. in 1825. The 1st Bt. was sometime judge of the Admiralty, and judge-advocate at Gibraltar.

*Arms*—Az., a fesse, embattled, or, between three cocks' heads, erased, ar.

*Seat*—Springvale, Dorsetsh.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Jas. Saumarez.

**ELPHINSTONE OF SOWERBY, CUMBERLAND.** Cr. 1816.—The HON. HOWARD, 1st Bt., C.B., 8th son of Capt. J. Elphinstone, an admiral in the Russian service, by the dau. of J. Warburton, Esq.; b. 1773; m. 1803, his cousin, eldest dau. of J. Warburton, Esq.; a maj.-gen. in the army; col.-commandant of the Royal Engineers; received a medal and one clasp for his services at Nivelles and Nive.

*Arms*—Ar., guttée de sang., on a chev., embattled, sa., between three boars' heads, erased, gu., two swords, ppr., pommels and hilts, or.

*Seats*—Ore Place, Hastings, Sussex; Sowerby, Cumberland.

*Heir*—His son Howard, M.P., D.C.L., F.R.S., b. 1804.

**OAKES OF MITCHEM HALL, SURBEY.** Cr. 1815.—The HON. SIR HEN. THOMAS, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the dau. of G. Bowles, Esq. of Mount Prospect, co. Cork; b. 1795; mar. 1817, 5th dau. of W. Douglas, Esq. of Sloane Street, London; s. his fa. in 1827. The 1st Bt. was a distinguished military officer; the 2nd Bt. also attained the rank of a lieut.-gen. in the army.

*Arms*—Ar., on a chev., engr., sa., between three sprigs of oak, fructed, ppr., a cross of eight points, of the field.

*Heir*—His son Henry Frederick, b. 1818.

**CAMERON OF FASSIFERN, ARGYLLSH.** Cr. 1815.—The HON. SIR DUNCAN, 2nd Bt., 2nd son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of D. Campbell, Esq. of Barcaldine; s. his fa. in 1828; is a dep.-lieut. of Inverness-shire and of Argyllsh. This baronetcy was conferred on the fa. of J. Cameron, Esq. col. of the 92nd Highlanders, for that officer's distinguished services in Holland and in Egypt, and during the whole of the late Peninsular war. He was unfortunately slain at the battle of Quatre Bras.

*Arms*—Gu., three bars, or, on a bend, erm., a sphinx, between two wreaths of laurel, ppr., on a chief, emb., a view of a fortified town, and thereunder, the word "Acre."

*Seat*—Fassifern, Argyllshire.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Peter, a captain in the naval service of the E.I.C.

**BROWNRIGG OF LONDON.** Cr. 1816.—The HON. SIR ROBERT JAS., 2nd Bt., son of R. J. Brownrigg, Esq., by the dau. of the late Major-General Colebrooke Nisbett; s. his grandfa. in 1833. The 1st Bt. was a general in the army, colonel of the 9th foot, and governor of Landguard Fort; his successor is at present a minor.

*Arms*—Ar., a lion ramp., guard., sa., between three crescents, gu., in the dexter fore-paw of the lion, a sword, ppr., &c.

**OGLE OF WORTHY, HANTS.** Cr. 1816.—The HON. SIR CHARLES, 2nd Bt., vice-admiral of the Red, son of the 1st Bt., by the youngest dau. and co-heir of J. Thomas, Bishop of Winchester; b. 1775; m. 1st, 1802, dau. of the late Gen. the Hon. Thos. Gage; 2ndly, 1820, dau. of Sir W. Burrough, Bt.; 3rdly, 1834, dau. of George Cary, Esq. of Tor Abbey, Devonsh., relict of J. Dalton, Esq. of Thurnham Hall, Lancash. This noble family is of great antiquity, being descended of Humphrey Ogle, who was settled at Ogle at the time of the Conquest.

*Arms*—Ar., a fesse, between three crescents, gu., on the fesse, a crescent on a mullet, for difference.

*Seat*—Mount Clare, Roehampton.

*Heir ap.*—His son Chaloner, b. 1803.

**FLOYD OF WESTMINSTER.** Cr. 1816.—The HON. SIR HENRY, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt. by his 1st wife, the dau. of C. Drake, Esq. of Madras; b. 1793; m. 1821, eldest dau. of Wm. Murray, Esq. of Jamaica; s. his fa. in 1818; is a lieut.-col. in the army; served in Spain and at Waterloo. The 1st Bt. distinguished himself in India, and was second in command at the taking of Seringapatam; he became a general in the army; col. of the 8th light dragoons, and governor of Gravesend and Tilbury Fort.

*Arms*—Sa., a lion ramp., regard., ar., on a chief, emb., or, a sword, erect, ppr., pommel and hilt, gold, the blade passing through an eastern crown, gu., between two tigers' faces, also ppr.

*Heir*—His son John, born 1823.

**MACMAHON OF LIMERICK.** Cr. 1817.—The HON. SIR THOMAS, 2nd Bt., K.C.B., son of J. MacMahon, Esq., patent comptroller of the port of Limerick, by his 2nd wife, dau. of J. Stackpoole, Esq. of Cork; b. 1779; m. 1808, 3rd dau. of M. R. Westropp, Esq.; s. his half-bro. under a special limitation in the patent of creation, in 1817; became a lieut.-general in 1838; obtained the colonelcy of the 94th foot in the same year; is commander-in-

chief of the forces at Bombay. The 1st Bt. was private secretary and keeper of the privy purse to Geo. IV., when Prince Regent; he was half-bro. to Sir Wm. MacMahon, then master of the Rolls in Ireland.

*Arms*—Per saltier, or and erm., a lion passant, az., between two lions, passant, regard., gu.

*Heir*—His son Thomas Westropp, b. 1813; lieut. 6th dragoons.

**MAITLAND OF CLIFTON HALL, MID-LOTHIAN.** Cr. 1818.—The **HON. SIR ALEXANDER CHARLES MAITLAND GIBSON**, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of Col. Martin Madan; b. 1755; m. 1786, dau. and sole heir of Alex. Gibson Wright, Esq. of Clifton Hall and Kersie; s. his fa. in 1820. The 1st Bt. was 5th son of the 6th Earl of Lauderdale, a general in the army, colonel of the 49th foot, &c.

*Arms*—Or, a lion ramp., dechausée, within a double tressure, flowered with fleurs-de-lis, gu.

*Seats*—Clifton Hill, Mid-Lothian; Rose Hill, Hertfordsh.

*Heir*—His grandson Alexander Charles, b. 1820, son of Alexander Maitland Gibson Maitland, Esq., by the eldest dau. of Geo. Ramsay, Esq. of Barnton, N.B.

**JOHNSON OF BATH, SOMERSET.** Cr. 1818.—The **HON. SIR HENRY ALLEN**, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of D. Franks, Esq.; b. 1785; m. 1818, dau. of Frederick Philipse, Esq. of Philipsebourg, New York; s. his fa. in 1835; was created a Kt. of the order of Wilhelm, by the King of the Netherlands, for his services as aide-de-camp to the Prince of Orange during the Peninsular war. The 1st Bt. was a distinguished military commander.

*Arms*—Per pale, sa. and az., on a saltier, ar., between three towers, or, one in chief and two in fesse, and two tilting spears, saltier-wise, in base, of the 2nd, five cocks, sa.

*Residence*—Bath.

**FARRINGTON OF BLACKHEATH, KENT.** Cr. 1818.—The **HON. SIR HENRY ANTHONY**, 4th Bt., son of the 3rd Bt., by his 3rd wife, dau. of

Roger Curry, Esq.; m. 1833, eldest dau. of Rev. Dr. Warren, of Port View; s. his fa. in 1834. The 1st Bt. was a gen., and commanded the 1st battalion of royal artillery.

*Arms*—Erm., on a chev., gu., betw. three leopards' faces, sa., as many bombs, or, fired, ppr.

*Seat*—Blackheath, Kent.

*Heir*—His son, born 1835.

**VERNEY OF CLAYDON HOUSE, BUCKS.** Cr. 1818.—The **HON. SIR HARRY VERNEY**, 2nd Bt., son of Sir Harry Calvert, the 1st Bt., by the 2nd dau. of T. Hammersley, Esq. of Pall Mall, London; b. 1801; m. 1835, dau. of the late Sir G. Johnstone Hope, and grand-dau. maternally of the 7th Lord Kinnaird; s. his fa. in 1826; assumed the name of Verney in lieu of his patronymic, in 1827, on inheriting the estates of Mary Verney, Baroness Fermanagh (extinct); was a capt. in the guards; is patron of three livings; represented Buckingham in parliament from 1832 to 1841; is a dep.-lieut. of Bucks. The 1st Bt., Sir Harry Calvert, was a gen. in the army, and adj.-gen. to the forces.

*Arms*—Az., on a cross, arg., fimb., or, five mullets, gu., quartering CALVERT.

*Seat*—Claydon House, Buckinghamshire.

*Heir*—His son, born 1838.

**GORDON OF NITON, ISLE OF WIGHT.** Cr. 1818, Privy Councillor, 1830.—**RIGHT HON. SIR JAMES WILLOUGHBY GORDON**, 1st Bt., G.C.B., G.C.H., son of Capt. Francis Grant, R.N. (who assumed the name of Gordon in 1768), by the dau. of Sir Willoughby Aston, Bt.; b. 1772; m. 1805, dau. of R. H. Alex. Bennet, Esq., of Beckenham, Kent, first cousin to the Duke of Northumberland; is a gen. in the army, col. of the 23rd foot, and quartermaster-gen. of the forces.

*Arms*—Az., a rose, ar., betw. three boars' heads, two and one, or, for GORDON.

*Seat*—Niton, Isle of Wight.

*Heir*—His son Henry Percy, born 1806; m. 1839, youngest dau. of 3rd Earl of Ashburnham.

**HERVEY OF CLARENDON PARK, WILTS.** Cr. 1818.—The HON. SIR FREDERIC HUTCHINSON BATHURST, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the dau. of J. Hutchinson, Esq.; b. 1807; m. 1832, eldest dau. of W. Smythe, Esq., of Brambridge, Hants; s. his fa. in 1824; is a capt. in the grenadier guards; is descended from the 8th son of the 1st Earl of Bristol.

*Arms*—Gu., on a bend, ar., three trefoils, vert., a martlet for difference.

*Seat*—Clarendon Park, Wilts.

*Heir*—His son, born 1833.

**KYNASTON OF HARDWICK, SUFFOLK.** Cr. 1818.—The HON. SIR JOHN ROGER, 3rd Bt., only son of the 2nd Bt., by the dau. of Robt. Owen, Esq., of Dublin; b. 1797; s. his fa. in 1839; is a dep.-lieut. of Oxfordsh. The 1st Bt., who had claimed unsuccessfully the ancient barony of Powis, was raised to the baronetage with remainder to his bro., the fa. of the present Bart.

*Arms*—Ar., three boars' heads couped, two and one, sa.

*Seat*—Hardwicke Hall, Ellesmere, Salop.

**ACLAND OF FAIRFIELD, SOMERSET.** Cr. 1818.—The HON. SIR PEREGRINE PALMER FULLER PALMER, 2nd Bt., son of Sir J. Acland, 1st Bt., by his 1st mar. with the dau. of J. R. Fuller, Esq., of Rose Hill, Sussex; b. 1789; m. the 2nd dau. of W. Leader, Esq. of Putney Hill, Surrey; s. his fa. in 1831; in 1834 he assumed the name of Fuller before, and in addition to, that of Palmer Acland. The 1st Bt. was J. Acland, Esq., who in 1818 assumed the additional surname of Palmer.

*Arms*—ACLAND, chequy, ar. and sa., a fesse, gu., second quartered with PALMER.

*Seats*—Fairfield, Somersetshire; New House, Devon.

*Heir pres.*—His half-bro. b. 1819.

**LECHMERE OF RHYD, WORCESTERSH.** Cr. 1818.—The HON. SIR ANTHONY, 1st Bt., son of E. Lechmere, Esq., by his 2nd mar. with the dau. of the Rev. J. Whitmore, Esq., of Fenny Compton, Warwick-

shire; b. 1766; m. 1st, 1787, dau. and heir of J. Berwick, Esq., of Hal-low Park, Worcestersh; 2ndly, 1823, dau. of the late Bayley Villiers, Esq., of Gloucestersh.

*Arms*—Gu., a fesse, and in chief, two pelicans vulning themselves, or.

*Seat*—The Rhyd, near Upton-on-Severn, Worcestershire.

*Heir*—His son Edmund Hungerford, b. 1792; m. 1819, dau. of the late Hon. David Murray, bro. of Lord Elibank.

**LACON OF GREAT YARMOUTH, NORFOLK.** Cr. 1818.—The HON. SIR EDM. HEN. KNOWLES, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the eldest dau. and co-heir of T. Becroft, Esq., of Saxthorpe Hall, Norfolk; b. 1807; s. his fa. in 1839; is a major in the east Norfolk militia, and a dep.-lieut. of the county.

*Arms*—Quart., per fesse, indented, erm. and az., in the second quarter a wolf's head, erased, ar.

*Seat*—Ormesby House, Norfolk.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. John Edward, b. 1809.

**SIDNEY OF PENSHURST PLACE, KENT.** Cr. 1818.—The HON. SIR J. SHELLEY, 1st Bt., son of Sir Bysshe Shelley, by his 2nd wife, only dau. of William Perry, Esq., of Penschurst, Kent., grand-niece of the last Earl of Leicester, of the Sidney family; b. 1771; m. 1779, dau. of Sir H. Hunloke, Bt. (she died 1811); assumed the name of Sidney by sign-manual, in order to mark his maternal descent from the Sidneys, Earls of Leicester.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, or, a pheon, az., SIDNEY; 2nd and 3rd, sa., a fesse eng., between three whelk-shells, or, SHELLEY.

*Seat*—Penschurst Place, Kent.

*Heir*—His son Philip Charles, Lord De L'Isle and Dudley.

**HALE OF STOW HALL, NORFOLK.** Cr. 1818.—The HON. SIR THOMAS, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by his 2nd wife, dau. of 1st Lord Graves; b. 1807; s. his fa. in 1834. The 1st Bt., T. Leigh, Esq., was grandson, maternally, of Sir G. Hare, last Bt. of that family, and assumed the name of Hare upon being raised to the baronetcy.

*Arms*—Gu., two bars and a chief, indented, or.

*Seat*—Stow Hall, Norfolk.

**STRACEY OF RACKHEATH HALL, NORFOLK.** Cr. 1818.—The HON. SIR EDW. HARDINGE JOHN, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by his 1st wife, dau. of R. Lathom, Esq. of Lancashire, and relict of J. Wilkin-son, Esq.; b. 1768; m. 1810, dau. and sole heir of W. Brookshank, Esq. of the Beach, Cheshire (dead); s. his fa. in 1829; is a dep.-lieut. of Cheshire. The 1st Bt. was eldest surviving son of Sir J. Stracey, Kt., recorder of the city of London in 1746.

*Arms*—Erm., on a cross, engr., betw. four eagles, disp., gu., five cinquefoils, or.

*Seats*—Rackheath Hall, Norfolk; the Beach, Cheshire.

*Heir pres.*—His brother the Rev. George.

**SHIFFNER OF COMBE PLACE, SUSSEX.** Cr. 1818.—The HON. SIR GEORGE, 1st Bt., son of the late H. Shiffner, Esq. of Pentrylas, Herefordsh., by the eldest dau. of J. Jackson, Esq., gov. of Bengal in 1784; b. 1762; m. 1787, only dau. and heir of Sir J. Bridger, of Combe Place, Sussex; represented Lewes in parliament.

*Arms*—Az., a bend, sin., in chief two estoile, and in base the stock and end of an anchor, or, issuant out of waves of the sea, ppr.

*Seat*—Combe Place, Sussex.

**CROFT OF COWLING HALL, YORK.** Cr. 1818.—The HON. SIR JOHN, 1st Bt., D.C.L., F.R.S., son of J. Croft, Esq., by the dau. and co-heir of Rev. J. Tunstall, D.D., maternally descended from Edward III.; b. 1778; m. 1st, 1816, dau. of J. Warre, Esq. of George Street, Hanover Square; 2ndly, 1827, dau. of Rev. J. Radcliffe, rector of St. Anne's, Middlesex; was appointed chargé d'affaires at Lisbon in 1815.

*Arms*—Quart., indented, erm. and gu., in the first quarter, a lion passant guardant, of the second.

*Seats*—Cowling Hall, Yorkshire; Doddington, and Newnham, Kent.

*Heir*—John Frederick, b. 1828.

**BATESON OF BELVOIR PARK, DOWN.** Cr. 1818.—The HON. SIR ROBERT, 1st Bt., son of Thos. Bateson, Esq., by the dau. of Geo. Loyd, Esq., F.R.S., of Hulme Hall, Lancashire; b. 1782; m. 1811, youngest dau. of the late S. Dickson, Esq. of Ballynaguille, Limerick; is dep.-lieut. of the co. of Down; has represented Londonderry in parliament since 1830.

*Arms*—Ar., three bats' wings, two and one, sa., on a chief, gu., a lion passant, or.

*Seats*—Belvoir Park, co. Down; Magherafelt, Derry; Moira Park, co. Down.

*Heir*—His son Robert, b. 1816.

**TIERNEY OF BRIGHTON, SUSSEX.** Cr. 1818 and 1834.—The HON. SIR MATTHEW JOHN, 1st Bt., eldest son of J. Tierney, Esq. of Bally-scandlend, co. Limerick, by the dau. of J. Gleeson, Esq. of Rathkinnan, co. Limerick; b. 1776; m. 1808, dau. of the late H. Jones, Esq. of Bloomsbury Square (dead); was physician in ordinary to George IV. and to William IV., and physician to the household at Brighton; he received a baronetcy in 1818, with remainder to his issue male, and obtained a fresh patent in 1834, with remainder to his brother.

*Arms*—Az., a sword, in pale, ppr., pommel and hilt, gold, supported by two lions, counter-rampant, double queued, or, on a chief, erm., two trefoils slipped, vert.

*Residences*—Brighton, Sussex; and Bruton Street, London.

*Heir*—Under the 2nd patent, his bro. Edward, b. 1780.

**HAMILTON OF TREBISHUN HOUSE, BRECON.** Cr. 1819, 2nd Bt.; Kt. Bac. 1800.—The HON. SIR EDWARD, K.C.B., 2nd son of Sir J. Hamilton, 1st Bt., of the Mount, Uxbridge, by the dau. of E. Chamberlayne, Esq. of Mangersbury, Glamorgansh.; b. 1772; m. 1804, dau. of J. Macnamara, of Langoed Castle, Brecknockshire (she died 1840); is a vice-adm. of the Red; was knighted



in 1800, and presented with a gold medal for his gallantry in cutting out H.M.S. Hermione, then a prize of the Spaniards, from under the batteries of Porto Cavallo; he was also presented with the freedom of the city of London; is a dep.-lieut. of Brecon.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, gu., three cinquefoils, erm.; 2nd and 3rd, ar., a lymphad, with her sails furled, sa.

*Seats*—Trebishum, Brecknocksh.; Down Court, Kent.

*Heir*—His son John James Edward, b. 1808; is a dep.-lieut. of Brecon.

**MAHON OF CASTLEGAR, GALWAY.** Cr. 1819.—The HON. SIR ROSS, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by his 3rd wife, dau. of the Rt. Hon. J. Fitzgerald, of Inch Cronan, co. Clare, grand-dau. of the Baroness Fitzgerald; b. 1811; s. his fa. in 1835.

*Arms*—Per fesse, sa. and ar., an ostrich, counterchanged, in the beak a horseshoe, or.

*Seat*—Castlegar, co. Galway.

*Heir pres.*—His brother James Fitzgerald, b. 1812.

**MACKENZIE OF FAIRBURN, ROSS.** Cr. 1819.—The HON. SIR ALEXANDER, 2nd Bt., G.C.H. eldest son of Roderick Mackenzie, by the dau. of William Baillie, Esq. of Ross Hall, Ross-shire, half-sister of Sir Ewen Baillie, 1st Bt.; s. his maternal uncle in 1820; is a gen. in the army; grand cross of the Order of St. Januarius; served at the relief of Ostend in 1793; was second in command at the capture of the Cape of Good Hope in 1795; commanded the army in Calabria. The 1st Bt. was Sir Ewen Baillie, some time provisional commander-in-chief of the forces in Bengal; his honours were granted in remainder to the issue of his half-sister, the present Bart.'s mother.

*Arms*—Az., a buck's head cabossed, or, within a bordure, emb., ar.

*Seat*—Fairburn, Ross-shire.

**ROBINSON OF ROKEBY HALL, LOUTH.** Cr. 1819.—The HON. SIR RICHARD, 2nd Bt., son of 1st Bt., by the 2nd dau. of J. Spencer, Esq. of Rathangan, co. Kildare; b. 1787;

m. 1813, eldest dau. of 2nd Earl of Mount Cashell; s. his fa. in 1832. The 1st Bt. was J. Friend, who assumed by sign manual his maternal name of Robinson, in lieu of his patronymic.

*Arms*—Vert, on a chev., or, betw. three bucks trippant, of the last, and palletté, as many quatrefoils, gu.

*Seat*—Rokeby Hall, Louth.

*Heir*—His son John Stephen, b. 1816.

**SCOTT OF ABBOTSFORD, ROXBURGH.** Cr. 1820.—The HON. SIR WALTER, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of M. Jean Charpentier, of Lyons; b. 1801; m. 1825, dau. of J. Jobson, Esq. of Lochore, Fifeshire; s. his fa. in 1832; was appointed, in 1839, lieut.-col. of the 15th hussars. The 1st Bt. was the celebrated Sir Walter Scott.

*Arms*—Or, two mullets in chief, and a crescent in base, az., within an orle, of the second.

*Seat*—Abbotsford, Roxburghsh.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Charles.

**CAMPBELL OF MADRAS.** Cr. 1821.—The HON. SIR ALEXANDER THOMAS COCKBURN, 2nd Bt., son of Alex. Cockburn, Esq., banker, of Madras, by the dau. of the 1st Bt.; m. 1828, eldest dau. of the late Gen. Sir J. Malcolm, G.C.B. (dead); s. his maternal grandfa. in 1824; assumed the name of Campbell in 1825. The 1st Bt. was a distinguished military commander; in 1812 he officiated as proxy for the Duke (then Earl) of Wellington at his installation as a Knight of the Bath; he was created a Bart. with remainder to his grandson, the present Bt., and to the issue male of his 2nd dau., Isabella, who was m. to Sir J. Malcolm, G.C.B. (dead), and has issue.

*Arms of CAMPBELL*—Quart., 1st and 4th, gironny of eight, or and sa.; 2nd, ar, a lymphad, or, ancient galley, sa.; 3rd, or, a fesse, chequy, ar. and az., over all a chief, ar., charged with a rock, ppr., superscribed "Gibraltar," betw. two medals, &c.

*Heir pres.*—The issue of Lady Malcolm.

**KERRISON OF WICK HOUSE, SUSSEX.** Cr. 1821.—The HON. SIR

**EDWARD, 1st Bart., G.C.H.**, son of Matthias Kerrison, Esq. of Hexne Hall, Suffolk, by the dau. of Edw. Burmes, Esq. of Bursham; b. 1774; m. 1813, eldest dau. of Alex. Ellice, Esq. of Pittencrief, Fifeshire; is recorder of Eye, a lieutenant-general in the army, colonel of 14th light dragoons; patron of nine livings; was at Waterloo, served in Spain, France, and Holland; represented Northampton in the parliament of 1818; previously sat for Shaftesbury, and has represented Eye since 1824.

*Arms*—Or, on a pile, az., three galtraps, of the field.

*Seats*—Oakley Park, and Brome Hall, Suffolk; Beccles Hall, Norfolk.

*Heir*—His son Edward Clarence, b. 1821.

**FREMANTLE OF SWANBOURNE, BUCKS.** Cr. 1821.—The Hon. Sir Thomas Francis, 1st Bt., M.P., son of Sir T. F. Fremantle, G.C.B., by the dau. and co-heir of Richard Wynne, Esq. of Falkingham, Lincolnshire; b. 1798; m. 1824, eldest dau. of Sir G. Nugent, Bart.; is a dep.-lieut. of Bucks; was secretary to the Treasury from Dec. 1834, till April, 1835; was re-appointed in Sept., 1841; has represented Buckingham in parliament since 1826. The present Bt.'s fa. was a naval officer, particularly distinguished at Copenhagen and Trafalgar; he was created, by the Emperor Francis I., in 1816, a baron of the Austrian empire, which title his son, the present Bt., received permission to inherit, by sign-manual, in 1822.

*Arms*—Vert, three bars, erm., surmounted by a lion rampant, gu., murally crowned, or, and in chief two plates.

*Seat*—Swanbourne, Winslow, Buckinghamshire.

*Heir*—His son, b. 1830.

**ASTLEY OF EVERLEIGH HOUSE, WILTS.** Cr. 1821.—The Hon. Sir John Dugdale, 1st Bt., son of F. Dugdale Astley, Esq., by the dau. of Wm. Buckler, Esq. of Boreham, Wilts; b. 1778; m. 1803, dau. of Wm. Page, Esq. of Gosport; is fa-in-law of Viscount Torrington; is

patron of thirteen livings; represented Wiltshire from 1820 to 1834.

*Arms*—Az., a cinquefoil, pierced, erm.

*Seat*—Everleigh House, Wiltshire.

*Heir*—His son Francis Dugdale, b. 1805; m. 1826, 4th dau. of Sir Thos. Buckler Lethbridge, Bt.

**BOSWELL OF AUCHINLECH, AYRSH.** Cr. 1821.—The Hon. Sir James, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt.; b. 1806; m. 1830, dau. of Sir Jas. Montgomery Cunninghame, Bart.; s. his fa. in 1822; is a dep.-lieut. of Ayrshire. The biographer of Dr. Johnson was fa. of the 1st Bt., who fell in a duel, arising from a political dispute.

*Arms*—Ar., on a fesse, sa., three cinquefoils of the field, on a canton, az., a lymphad, within a double tressure, flory, counterflory, or.

*Seat*—Auchinlech, Ayrshire.

**SHAW OF BUSHY PARK, DUBLIN.** Cr. 1821.—The Hon. Sir Robert, 1st Bt., eldest son of R. Shaw, Esq., by his 1st wife, dau. of — Higgins, Esq. of Higginsbrook, Meath; b. 1774; m. 1st, 1796, dau. and sole heir of Abraham Wilkinson, Esq. of Bushy Park, Dublin; 2ndly, 1834, dau. of Benj. Spencer, Esq., M.D., of Bristol; is col. of the royal Dublin militia, and represented that city in five parliaments; was elected an alderman of Dublin in 1808, and served the office of lord mayor; is a member of the Committee for Privileges.

*Arms*—Or, on a chev., engr., betw. three eagles, displayed, sa., as many trefoils slipped, of the field.

*Seat*—Bushy Park, co. Dublin.

*Heir*—His son Robert, b. 1796; is bro. of the Rt. Hon. Fred. Shaw, M.P.

**CHICHESTER OF GREENCASTLE, DONEGAL.** Cr. 1821.—The Hon. Sir Arthur, 1st Bt., son of the Rev. W. Chichester, by his 1st wife, the dau. of G. Hervey, Esq. of Malin Hall, Donegal; is descended from a younger branch of the family of the Earls of Donegal; represented the town of Carrickfergus in parliament; is a dep.-lieut. of Antrim. Sir Arthur is a member of the Committee of the Baronetage for Privileges.

*Arms*—Chequy, or and gu., a chief, vair.

*Seat*—Greencastle, co. Donegal.

**POCOCK OF HART, CO. DURHAM.** Cr. 1821.—The HON. SIR GEORGE EDWARD, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the 2nd dau. of Edw. Long, Esq., some time judge of the Admiralty Court at Jamaica; b. 1782; m. 1830, eld. dau. of the Hon. T. W. Coventry, of North Cray Place, Kent; s. his fa. in 1840. The 1st Bt. represented Bridgewater in several parliaments.

*Arms*—Chequy, ar. and gu., a lion rampant, guard., or; a chief, wavy, az., thereon a seahorse, ppr., between two eastern crowns, or, and above, the word "Havannah."

*Seats*—Twickenham House, Middlesex; Bransgore House, Hampsh.

*Heir*—His son Geo. Fran. Coventry.

**JOLLIFFE OF MERSTHAM, SURREY.** Cr. 1821.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM GEORGE HYLTON, 1st Bt., M.P., son of the Rev. W. Jolliffe, by the dau. and co-heir of Sir A. Pytches, Knt. of Streatham, Surrey; b. 1800; m. 1825, 2nd dau. of the Hon. B. Paget; repres. Petersfield in parliament, as likewise did his uncle, Col. Jolliffe, at different periods since 1796; was returned at the election in 1841; is a dep.-lieut. of Surrey.

*Arms*—Ar., on a pile, vert, three dexter hands, of the first.

*Seat*—Merstham, Surrey.

*Heir*—His son Hylton, b. 1826.

**FARQUHAR OF LONDON.** Cr. 1821.—The HON. SIR WALTER MINTO TOWNSEND, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the 2nd dau. of Jos. F. L. Latour, of Madras, (who re-mar. Thos. Hamilton, Esq.;) b. 1809; m. 1835, dau. of 7th Lord Reay; s. his fa. in 1830. The 1st Bt. was gov. and commander-in-chief of the island of Mauritius.

*Arms*—Ar., a lion rampant, sa, between two sinister hands, coupé in chief, gu., and a crescent in base, az.

*Residence*—Richmond Terr., Whitehall.

*Heir*—A son, b. 1836.

**DRAKE OF NUTWELL COURT, DEVON.** Cr. 1821.—The HON. SIR THOMAS TRAYTON FULLER ELLIOT, 1st Bt., son of J. Trayton Fuller,

Esq., by his 2nd wife, dau. of 1st Lord Heathfield; b. 1785; m. 1819, only dau. of James Halford, Esq. of Laleham, Middlesex; s. to the estates of his uncle, 2nd Lord Heathfield, and assumed the additional names of Elliot and Drake; created a Bt., with remainder, in default of male issue, to his brothers; is descended from the celebrated Sir F. Drake, of Elizabeth's reign; is a field-officer in the army; served through the greater part of the Peninsular war. Sir Trayton is a member of the Committee of the Order for Privileges.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, DRAKE, sa., a fesse wavy, between two estoiles, ar.; 2nd, ELLIOT, gu., on a bend, or, a baton, az., on a chief, the arms of Gibraltar.

*Seats*—Nutwell Court, Buckland Abbey; and Sheafhane House, Devonshire.

*Heir pres.*—The elder of his two brothers, William Stephen, Capt. R.N.; b. 1788; m. only dau. of Wm. White, Esq. of Exminster, Devonsh., (dead.)

**WILMOT OF BERKSWELL HALL, WARWICK.** Cr. 1821.—The HON. SIR JOHN EARDLEY EARDLEY, 1st Bt., M.P., son of J. Wilmot, Esq., by his 1st wife, only dau. of S. Sainthill, Esq.; is grandson of the Right Hon. Sir J. Eardley Wilmot, Knt., who was chief justice of the Common Pleas; b. 1783; m. 1st, dau. of C. H. Parry, Esq., M.D., of Bath; 2ndly, 1819, eldest dau. of Sir R. Chester, Knt.; has represented Warwickshire in parliament since 1832; is a dep.-lieut. of the county and chairman of quarter sessions.

*Arms*—Sa. on a fesse, or, between three eagles' heads, coupé, ar., as many escallops, gu., a crescent for difference.

*Seat*—Berkswell Hall, Warwicksh.

*Heir*—His son John Eardley; m. 1839, dau. of Sir R. Williams, Bt., and sister of Sir R. B. Williams Bulkeley, Bart.

**DUNDAS OF BEECHWOOD, MID-LOTHIAN.** Cr. 1821.—The HON. SIR DAVID, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of the late Hon. A. Cockburn; b. 1803; m. 1841, eldest dau. of J. White Melville, Esq. of

**Bennoch, N.B., and grand-dau.,** maternally, of the 5th Duke of Leeds; s. his fa. in 1836; was called to the Scottish bar in 1824; is descended from a common ancestor with Visct. Melville. The 1st Bt. was one of the principal clerks of the Court of Session in Scotland.

*Arms*—Ar., a lion ramp., gu., within a bordure, erm.

*Seat*—Beechwood, Mid-Lothian.

**ERSKINE OF CAMBO, FIFE.** Cr. 1821.—**THE HON. SIR DAVID,** 1st Bt., grandson of the last Earl of Kellie; b. 1792; m. 1821, dau. of Rev. Hugh Williams, of Conway.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, gu., an imp. crown, within a double tress., fiony, counterfiony, or; 2nd and 3rd, ar., a pale, sa.; the whole within a bordure, wavy, erm.

*Seats*—Cambro House, Fifesh.; Conway, North Wales.

*Heir*—His son Thomas, b. 1824.

**SMYTH OF NUTWOOD, SURREY.** Cr. 1821.—**THE HON. SIR JAMES ROBERT CARMICHAEL,** 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the only child of the late Gen. R. Morse; b. 1811; s. his fa. in 1838. The 1st Bt. was eld. son of J. Carmichael, Esq., physician extraordinary to George III., who assumed the name of Smyth in compliance with the will of his maternal grandfather.

*Arms*—Ar., a fesse, wreathed, az. and gu., within a bordure of the 2nd; quartered with CARMICHAEL.

*Seat*—Nutwood, Surrey.

**YOUNG OF BAILLIEBOROUGH CASTLE, CAVAN.** Cr. 1821.—**THE HON. SIR WILLIAM,** 1st Bt., son of the Rev. J. Young, by the youngest dau. of J. Mc Clintock, Esq. of Trinta, co. Donegal; m. 1806, youngest dau. of Col. C. Frederick, and grand-dau. of Sir C. Frederick, (dead.) This family is a branch of the Youngs of Auldbar, in Angushire.

*Arms*—Arg., on a chief, sa., three annulets, or, issuant from the chief, three piles of the 2nd, each charged with a trefoil, of the 3rd.

*Seat*—Baillieborough Castle, county Cavan.

*Heir*—His son John, M.P.; b. 1807; m. 1835, dau. of the late Marchioness of Headfort.

**COOPER OF GADESBRIDGE, HERTFORD.** Cr. 1821.—**THE HON. SIR ASTLEY PASTON,** 2nd Bt.; s. his uncle, the celebrated surgeon, in 1840. This family have long been seated in the co. of Norfolk, and been allied with its oldest families.

*Arms*—Vert, a fesse, emb., or, betw. two pheons, in chief, and as many thigh-bones, saltier-wise, in base, ar.

**PHILLIPS OF MIDDLE HILL, WORCESTER.** Cr. 1821.—**THE HON. SIR THOMAS,** 1st Bt., F.R.S., F.S.A.; b. 1792; m. 1819, dau. of Lieut.-Gen. Sir Thos. Molyneux, Bt.; is a dep.-lieut. of Worcestershire; has issue three daus. Sir Thomas is a member of the Committee for Privileges.

*Arms*—Sa., semée of fleur-de-lis, or, a lion ramp., ar., duc. crowned, gold, and holding in the dex. fore-paw a sword erect, ppr., all within a bordure, wavy, of the 2nd.

*Seat*—Middle Hill, Worcestersh.

**PAUL OF RODBOROUGH, GLOUCESTERSH.** Cr. 1821.—**THE HON. SIR JOHN DEAN,** 1st Bt., D.C.L., son of J. Paul, Esq., M.D., of Salisbury, by the dau. of John Snow, Esq. of Hendon, Middlesex; b. 1775; m. 1st, 1799, dau. of Sir John Simpson, of Bradley Hall, Durham, grand-dau., maternally, of 8th Earl of Strathmore; 2ndly, 1835, relict of Berkeley Napier, Esq. of Pennard House, Somersetshire; is grandnephew of Sir O. Paul, 1st Bt., whose title, created in 1762, expired in 1820.

*Arms*—Ar., on a fesse, az., three cross-crosslets, or, and in base, three erm. spots, sa.

*Seat*—Rodborough, Gloucestersh.

*Heir*—His son by the 1st marriage, John Dean, b. 1802.

**LINDSAY OF WESTVILLE, LINCOLN.** Cr. 1821.—**THE HON. SIR COUTTS,** 2nd Bt., son of Lieut.-Col. J. Lindsay, of the grenadier guards, by the eldest daughter of Sir Coutts Trotter, 1st Bart.; b. 1824; s. his maternal grandfather in 1837. The 1st Bt. was Sir Coutts Trotter, who was raised to that dignity, with re-

mainder, in default of male issue, to the issue male of his eldest dau., the present Bt.'s mother.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, gu., a fesse, chequy, ar. and az., for LINDSAY; 2nd and 3rd, or, a lion rampant, gu., debruised by a ribbon, sa., for ABERNETHY; the whole within a bord., az., semée of mullets, ar.

*Seat*—Brandsbury House, Middlesex.  
*Heir pres.*—His bro. Robert, b. 1822.

SCOTT OF LYTCHET MINSTER, DORSET. Cr. 1821.—The HON. SIR SAMUEL, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the only dau. of J. Eyre, Esq. of Stepney, Middlesex; b. 1772; m. 1796, only child of John Ommaney, Esq. of Bloomsbury Square; s. his fa. in 1830. The 1st Bt. was Sir Claude Scott, a London banker.

*Arms*—Per pale, ind., ar. and pean, a saltier, co. ch.

*Seat*—Lytchet Minster, Dorsetsh.  
*Heir*—His son Claude Edward, born 1804.

HARNAGE of HARLEY STREET, MIDDLESEX. Cr. 1821.—The HON. SIR GEORGE, 2nd Bt., son of Sir G. Blackman, the 1st Bt., by his cousin, eldest dau. of H. Harnage, Esq. of Belleswardine, Shropshire, whose name he assumed by sign-manual in lieu of his patronymic; b. 1792; m. 1826, youngest dau. and co-heir of the late Bartlett Goodrich, Esq. of Saling Grove, Essex; s. his fa. in 1837; became a commander in the navy in 1820; was midshipman of the *Penelope* at the reduction of Martinique.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, HARNAGE, ar., six torteaux, three, two, and one; 2nd and 3rd, BLACKMAN, erm., three lions ramp., or, within a bord. of the 2nd, charged with eight cres., az.

*Seat*—Belleswardine, Shropsh.  
*Heir*—His son Henry George, born 1827.

KING OF CORRARD, FERMANAGH. Cr. 1821.—The HON. and REV. SIR JAMES WALKER, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of P. Oulton, Esq. of Dublin; b. 1795; m. 1824, his cousin, eldest dau. of Halton Smith King, Esq.; s. his fa. in 1838. The 1st Bt. was elected an alderman of Dublin in 1805, and was lord

mayor in 1813 and 1821, in which latter year George IV. visited the Irish metropolis.

*Arms*—Az., on a fesse, ar., betw. a lion's head, erased, in chief, and a mullet, in base, or, three arming buckles, gu., on a chief, erm., crown surrounded by a wreath of shamrock, ppr.

*Seat*—Corrard, co. Fermanagh.  
*Heir*—His son Jas. Walker, b. 1836.

FITZGERALD OF NEWMARKET ON FERGUS, CLARE. Cr. 1822.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM, 2nd Bt., 2nd son of E. Fitzgerald, Esq. of Carrigoran, some time M.P. for the co. of Clare in the Irish parliament; m. 1805, youngest dau. of Wm. Veale, Esq. of Trevayler, Cornwall, niece of Sir Alex. P. Cumming Gordon, Bt.; is a dep.-lieut. of Clare. The 1st Bt. was a lieut.-gen. in the army, and obtained a baronetcy, with remainder, in default of male issue, to his bro., the present Bt.

*Arms*—Ermine, a saltier, gu.  
*Seat*—Newmarket on Fergus, county of Clare.

*Heir*—His son Edward.

BROOKE of COLEBROOKE, FERMANAGH. Cr. 1822.—The HON. SIR ARTHUR BRINSLEY, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of the Hon. J. Butler, grand-dau. of 1st Viscount Lanesborough; b. 1797; s. his fa. in 1834; was elected M.P. for the co. of Fermanagh in 1840.

*Arms*—Or, a cross, engr., per pale, gu. and sa., a crescent for diff.

*Seat*—Colebrooke, co. Fermanagh.  
*Heir pres.*—His bro. Butler, b. 1798.

JAMES OF DUBLIN. Cr. 1823.—The HON. SIR JOHN KINGSTON, 1st Bt., M.R.I.A., son of the late Francis James, Esq., by the sister of John Kingston, Esq.; b. 1784; m. 1812, eldest dau. of J. Cash, Esq., who was lord mayor of Dublin; was sheriff of Dublin in 1812; elected an alderman in 1817; was lord mayor in 1821-2; was knighted in 1821; and was raised to the baronetcy in 1823.

*Arms*—Quart., vert and gu., a cross, ar., charged with a ship under sail, between four anchors.

*Seat*—Killiney.  
*Heir*—His son John Kingston, born 1815; a lieut. 6th dragoons.

**ARBUTHNOT OF EDINBURGH.** Cr. 1823.—The HON. SIR ROBERT KEITH, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of J. Alves, Esq. of Shipland; b. 1801; m. 1828, dau. of Major-Gen. Sir J. F. Fitzgerald, K.C.B.; s. his fa. in 1829. The baronetcy was conferred by George IV. in person, at a banquet given to His Majesty in Edinburgh, on 24th August, 1822, at which William Arbuthnot, Esq. presided as Lord Provost of the city.

*Arms*—Az., a crescent betw. three mullets, two and one, ar., the whole within a bordure, or, charged with three boars' heads, coupéd, gu.

*Residence*—Charlotte Square, Edinburgh.

*Heir*—His son William Wedderburn, b. 1831.

**EAST OF STRATFORD PLACE, MIDDLESEX.** Cr. 1823. 1st Bart.—The HON. SIR EDWARD HYDE, knighted 1813, P.C., F.R.S., son of E. East East, Esq. of Jamaica, by his 1st wife, dau. of J. Hall, Esq.; b. 1764; m. 1786, dau. of Joseph C. Hankey, Esq. of East Bergholt, Suffolk; was knighted upon being appointed chief justice of the Supreme Court at Calcutta, and is one of the assistant members of the judicial committee of the privy council on East India appeals; was subsequently created a Bt.

*Arms*—Sa., on a chev., or, between three horses' heads, erased, ar., two crosses Calvary, chevron-wise, of the field.

*Residence*—12, Stratford Place.

*Heir*—His son James Buller, D.C.L., M.P.; b. 1789.

**FORBES OF NEW AND EDINGLASSIE, ABERDEEN.** Cr. 1823.—The HON. SIR CHARLES, 1st Bt.; b. 3rd April, 1773; m. 1800, Elizabeth, dau. of Major John Cotgrave, of Madras, and has issue. This is a branch of the noble and ancient house of Forbes, premier lord in Scotland. Sir John Forbes, who obtained a charter to the free Barony of Pitsligo, in 1476, m. Christian, dau. of Sir John Ogilvy of Lintrethan, and left two sons—1st, Sir John, Baron of Pitsligo, who, in 1633, was raised to the dignity of Lord Pitsligo,

which honour was attained after the rising in 1745; and 2nd, William Forbes of Dauch and New, the immediate progenitor of the present Baronet. In consequence of the extinction of the male line of John Lord Pitsligo, the representation of the family has devolved upon Sir Charles, as likewise would the peerage, except for the attaindure. In 1833, he was served nearest and lawful heir male in general to Alexander, 3rd Lord Pitsligo, and as such he bears the arms and supporters of Pitsligo, under a grant from the lordlyon king-of-arms in Scotland. Sir Charles is the head of the very eminent firm of Forbes, Forbes, and Co., Bombay, and since his return he for some time represented Beverley in parliament. His eldest son, John, who was a director of the East India Company, and M.P. for Malmsbury, d. in 1840, greatly regretted, leaving issue by his wife, Mary Jane, dau. of Henry Lannoy Hunter, Esq. of Beechhill. Sir Charles is a member of the Committee of the Baronetage for Privileges.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, az., three bears' heads, coupéd, ar., muzzled, gu., for FORBES; 2nd and 3rd, az., three cinquefoils, ar., for FRASER; in the centre, a crescent for difference.

*Seat*—Edinglassie, Aberdeensh.

*Residence*—Fitzroy Square, London.

*Heir pres.*—His grandson Charles.

**REID OF EWELL GROVE, SURREY.** Cr. 1823.—The HON. SIR JOHN RAE, 2nd Bt., M.P., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. and heir of J. Looker Goodfellow, Esq. of Newbury; b. 1791; m. 1840, dau. of R. Eaton, Esq. of Stetchwork Park, Cambridgesh.; s. his fa. in 1824; was gov. of the Bank of England in 1839-40; has represented Dover in parliament since 1830, with the exception of the parliament of 1831. The 1st Bt. was many years chairman of the East India Company.

*Arms*—Per saltier, ermine and ermine, an eagle displayed, sa., charged on the breast with an escutcheon, or.

*Seat*—Ewell Grove, Surrey.

*Heir*—His son John, b. 1841

**ROBINSON OF BATT'S HOUSE, SOMERSET.** Cr. 1823.—The HON. SIR GEORGE BEST, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of 14th Earl of Suffolk and Berkshire; b. 1797; m. 1825, youngest dau. of the late Major-General Douglas; s. his fa. in 1832; was, till lately, chief superintendent of British trade in China. The 1st Bt. was a director of the East India Company, and some time military auditor-gen. at Bengal.

*Arms*—Per fesse, emb., az. and gu., two chevrons, or, between three bucks, tripp., arg., attired and hoofed, of the 3rd.

*Seat*—Batts House, Somersetsh.

*Heir*—His son George Abercromby, b. 1826.

**BAILLIE OF POLKEMMET, LINLITHGOWSH.** Cr. 1823.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM, 1st Bt., son of Wm. Baillie, Esq., Lord (of Session, Scot.) Polkemmet, by the dau. of Sir Jas. Colquhoun, Bt.; b. 1784; m. 1815, dau. of J. Dennistoun, Esq. of Colgraine, Dumbartonsh.

*Arms*—Az., nine estoiles, or, within a bordure, counter-nebuly, arg. and sa.

*Seat*—Polkemmet, Linlithgowsh.

*Heir*—His son William, b. 1816.

**OCHTERLONY OF BELGARSHIE, FIFESH.** Cr. 1823.—The HON. SIR CHARLES METCALFE, 2nd Bt., only son of R. P. Ochterlony, Esq. of Delhi, by the dau. of J. Nelly, Esq., lieut.-col. engineers, E. I. Co.'s service; b. 1817; s. in 1825, on the death of the 1st Bt., Sir David, who was a major-gen. in the E. I. Co.'s service; and having been much distinguished in the Nepaulese war, received the unanimous thanks of both houses of parliament, and was created a Bt. Sir Charles is a member of the Committee of Privileges.

*Arms*—Az., a lion ramp., arg., charged on the shoulder with a key, erect, ward upwards, of the field, and holding in the fore paws a trident, or, all within a border, wavy, of the second, charged with four buckles, gu.

*Seat*—Belgarshie, Cupar Angus, Fifesh.

**LOWTHER OF SWILLINGTON, W. R. YORK.** Cr. 1824.—The HON. SIR JOHN, 1st Bt., 2nd son of the late Rev. Sir Wm. Lowther, Bt., by

the dau. of the Rev. C. Zouch, vicar of Sandal, Yorksh., is therefore bro. to 1st Earl of Lonsdale; b. 1759; m. 1790, 2nd dau. of 9th Earl of Westmoreland (she was b. 1770); is a dep.-lieut. of Yorksh.

*Arms*—Or, six annulets, sa., a crescent for diff.

*Seat*—Swillington, Yorksh.

*Heir*—His son John Henry, b. 1793; represented Wigton in several parliaments; sat for York from 1835 to 1841; is a dep.-lieut. of Yorksh.

**MUNRO OF LONDON.** Cr. 1825.—The HON. SIR THOMAS, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of R. Campbell, Esq. of Craigie, Ayrshire; b. 1819; s. his fa. in 1827. The 1st Bt. was a major-gen. in the army, and Gov. of Madras.

*Arms*—Or, an eagle's head, erased, gu., encircled by a branch of laurel on the dexter, and of oak on the sinister side; on a chief, arg., the representation of an Indian hill-fort.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Campbell.

**ELPHINSTONE OF HORN AND LOGIE ELPHINSTONE, ABERDEEN.** Cr. 1828.—The HON. SIR ROBERT DALRYMPLE HORN, 1st Bt., son of R. Dalrymple, Esq., (who assumed the names of Horn Elphinstone,) by the dau. and heir of Sir J. Elphinstone, of Logie; b. 1766; m. 1800, dau. of Col. David Hepburn; is a dep.-lieut. of Aberdeensh. This family is a branch of the Dalrymples, Earls of Stair; the issue of the present Bt. omit the name of Horn.

*Arms*—Or, on a saltier, az., betw. a mullet in chief, and two water bougets in the flanks, sa., nine lozenges, of the field, quartered with HORN.

*Seats*—Logie Elphinstone and Westhall, Aberdeensh.

*Heir*—His son David Riccart, b. 1804.

**TAYLOR OF HOLLYCOMBE, SUSSEX.** Cr. 1827.—The HON. SIR CHARLES WILLIAM, 1st Bt., son of the late Peter Taylor, Esq. of Burcott House, Somersetsh., who represented Portsmouth in parliament in 1774 and 1777; b. 1770; m. 1808, 2nd dau. of J. Buncombe Poulett Thomson, Esq. of Roehampton, Surrey, sister of Lord Sydenham (extinct); represented Wells in nine

successive parliaments; is a dep.-lieut. of Sussex.

*Arms*—Paly, of six, erm. and ermine, on a chief, indent., sa., three escallops, or.

*Seat*—Hollycombe, Sussex.

*Heir*—His son Charles, b. 1817.

**PRICE OF FOXLEY.** Cr. 1828.—**THE HON. SIR ROBERT,** 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the 4th dau. of the 1st Earl of Tyrconnel; b. 1786; m. 1823, his cousin, dau. of Rev. R. Price, D.D.; s. his fa. in 1829; is patron of two livings; has represented Herefordsh. in parliament since 1818. This family, amongst the most ancient in Wales, claims descent from Marchweithian, one of the princes.

*Arms*—Gu., a lion ramp., arg.

*Seat*—Foxley, Herefordsh.

**PHILIPPS OF PICTON CASTLE, PEMBROKE.** Cr. 1828.—**THE HON. SIR RICHARD BULKELEY PHILIPPS,** 1st Bt., M.P., only son of J. Grant, Esq. of Nolton, near Haverfordwest, by the only surviving child and heir of J. Child, Esq. of Begally House, Pembrokehire (heir of Bulkeley Philipps, uncle to Lord Milford); b. 1801; m. only dau. of the late J. Gordon, Esq. of Hanwell, Middlesex; in 1824 assumed, by sign-manual, the name of Philipps, in lieu of his patronymic, after his maternal cousin, Sir R. Philipps, Lord Milford, whose estates he inherits by bequest; is lord-lieut. and custos rotulorum of Haverfordwest, and patron of several livings; is a dep.-lieut. of Pembrokehire; has represented Haverfordwest in parliament since 1826, with the exception of the parliament of 1835.

*Arms*—Arg., a lion ramp., sa., ducally gorged and chained, or.

*Seat*—Picton Castle, Pembrokehire.

**VAVASOUR OF HASLEWOOD, YORK.** Cr. 1828.—**THE HON. SIR EDWARD MARMADURE,** 1st Bt., 2nd son of the 16th Lord Stourton, by the 2nd dau. and co-heir of Marmaduke, 5th Baron Langford, whose peerage became extinct in 1777; b. 1786; m. 1813, only dau. of J. Lane Fox, Esq. of Bramham Park, Yorksh.,

(dead;) assumed the name of Vavasour in lieu of his patronymic, Stourton, in 1828, on inheriting the estate of Sir T. Vavasour, last Bt. of Haslewood, Yorksh.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, or, a fesse, dancettée, sa., (in the dexter chief a cross-crosslet fitchée, at the foot, for distinction) VAVASOUR; 2nd and 3rd, sa., a bend, or, between six fountains, STOURTON.

*Heir*—His son Edward, b. 1815.

**RICKETTS OF ELMS, GLOUCESTERSH.** Cr. 1828.—**THE HON. SIR ROBERT TRISTRAM,** 1st Bt., D.C.L.; b. 1772; m. 1802, dau. of Rd. Gumbleton, Esq. of Castle Richard, co. Waterford, co-heir of her bro., Edw. Gumbleton, Esq.; attained the rank of a vice-adm. of the Blue in Nov. 1841; entered the navy in 1780; assisted at the reduction of Fort Boyer in 1815; was created a Bt. for his professional services.

*Arms*—Ar., on a chev., az., between three roses, gu., barbed and seeded, ppr., two swords in chev., also ppr., pommels and hilts, or, their points, crossing each other in saltier, and passing through a wreath of laurel, gold, on a chief, of the second, a naval crown, between two anchors, erect, or.

*Seat*—The Elms, near Cheltenham.

*Heir*—His son Cornwallis, b. 1803; m. 1834, youngest dau. of Col. Templest, of Tong Hall, Yorkshire (she d. 1838); attained the rank of a commander in the navy in 1831.

**DOYLE OF LONDON.** Cr. 1828.—**THE HON. SIR FRANCIS HASTINGS CHARLES,** 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the eldest dau. of the late Sir Wm. M. Milner, Bt.; b. 1810; s. his fa. in 1839. The 1st Bt. was a col. in the army, dep.-chairman of the Board of Excise, and dep.-lieut. of the Tower of London.

*Arms*—Arg., three bucks' heads, erased, ppr., within a bordure, counter-compony, or and az.

**WAKEMAN OF PERDISWELL, WORCESTERSH.** Cr. 1828.—**THE HON. SIR OFFLEY PARBURY,** 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by his 2nd wife, only dau. and heir of R. Ward Offley, Esq. of Hinton, Shropshire; b. 1799; s. his fa. in 1831.



*Arms*—Paly, wavy of six, vert and arg., a saltier, engr., ermine.

*Seats*—Perdiswell Hall, Worcestershire; Hinton Hall, Shropsh.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Rev. Edward Ward, b. 1801; m. 1835, youngest dau. of Allan Thompson, Esq. of Molton, Norfolk; is perpetual curate of Claines, Worcestersh.

**PHILIPS OF WESTON, WARWICKSH.** Cr. 1828.—The HON. SIR GEORGE, 1st Bt., eldest son of Thos. Philips, Esq. of Sedgley, Lancash., by the only dau. and heir of J. Rider, Esq. of Manchester; b. 1766; m. 1788, eldest dau. of Nat. Philips, Esq. of Hollinghurst, Lancash.

*Arms*—Per pale, az., and sa., within an orle of fleurs-de-lis, arg., a lion ramp., erminois, ducally crowned, and holding between the paws a mascle, or, a canton, erm.

*Seats*—Weston, Warwicksh.; and Sedgley, Lancash.

*Heir*—Hisson George Richard, M.P., b. 1789; m. 1819, eldest dau. of 2nd Lord Waterpark; represented Steyning from 1820 to 1832; Kidderminster from 1835 to 1837; and Poole since the latter date.

**CHAMBERLAINE OF LONDON.** Cr. 1828.—The HON. SIR HENRY, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by his 1st marriage with the dau. of — Harrod, Esq. of Exeter (dissolved in 1813); b. 1796; m. 1826, dau. of Major R. Mullen, 1st royal foot; s. his fa. in 1829; is 2nd captain in the artillery. The 1st Bt. was consulgen. and chargé d'affaires in Brazil.

*Arms*—Gu., within an orle, arg., charged with eight mullets, az., an armillary sphere, or.

*Heir*—His son Hen. Orlando Robert.

**DRUMMOND OF HAWTHORN-DEN, MID-LOTHIAN.** Cr. 1828.—The HON. SIR FRANCIS WALKER, 2nd Bt., son of James Walker, Esq. of Daley, Mid-Lothian, by the dau. of R. Hay Newton, Esq. of Newton; b. 1781; m. 1810, only child of Sir J. Forbes Drummond; s. his father-in-law in 1829. The 1st Bt. was created with a special remainder to his son-in-law, who, on inheriting, assumed the name of Drummond.

*Arms*—Quarterly, of four grand quarters: 1st and 4th, qu., 1st and 4th,

or, three bars wavy, within a bordure, gu., DRUMMOND; 2nd and 3rd, az., three bears' heads, coupéd close, arg., muzzled, gu., FORBES.

*Seat*—Hawthornden, Mid-Lothian.

*Heir*—His son James, capt. grenadier-guards.

**FREELING OF FORD, SUSSEX.** Cr. 1828.—The HON. SIR FRANCIS, 3rd Bt., son of the 2nd Bt., by the dau. of R. Lang, Esq. of Moor Park, Surrey; b. 1816; s. his fa. in 1841. The 1st Bt. was secretary to the Gen. Post Office for more than 30 years; the 2nd was a commissioner of customs.

*Arms*—Per fesse, indented, or and gu., three unicorns' heads, two and one, erased, counterchanged.

*Seats*—Ford and Hutchings, Sussex.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Henry Hill, b. 1818.

**LAFFAN OF OTHAM, KENT.** Cr. 1828.—The HON. SIR JOSEPH DE COURCY, 1st Bt., M.D., K.H., LL.D., 3rd son of Walter Laffan, Esq. of Cashel, by the dau. and co-heir of R. de Courcy, Esq.; b. 1787; m. 1815, dau. and co-heir of Paul Pilcher, Esq. of Rochester (she d. 1836); was physician to the forces during the Peninsular war, and physician in ordinary to the late Duke of Kent.

*Arms*—Or, a lion, ramp., sa., in the dexter fore-paw a fleur-de-lis, az.

*Seat*—Otham, Kent.

**MACGREGOR OF SAVILLE ROW, MIDDLESEX.** Cr. 1828.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. and heir of J. Glenny, Esq. of Quebec; b. 1817; s. his father in 1828; appointed lieut. 18th foot in 1839.

*Arms*—Ar., from a mount base, an oak-tree, surmounted by a sword in bend, ppr., and in chief, two eastern crowns, gu., all within a bordure, engr., of the last.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Charles, b. 1819.

**KEY OF THORNBURY, OF GLOUCESTER.** Cr. 1831.—The HON. SIR JOHN, 1st Bt., son of the late J. Key, Esq. of Denmark Hill, by the dau. of Bluett Jones, Esq. of Iron Acton and Thornbury, Gloucestersh.; b. 1795; m. 1814, youngest dau. of F. Green,

Esq. of Denmark Hill, and of Dorking, Surrey; was sheriff of London and Middlesex in 1825; represented the City of London in the parliament of 1832.

*Arms*—Per chev., dovetailed, erm., and gu., three keys erect, or.

*Seat*—Thornbury, Gloucestersh.

*Heir*—His son Kingsmill Grove, b. 1816.

**SLADE OF MAUNSELL HOUSE, SOMERSET.** Cr. 1831.—The HON. SIR JOHN, 1st Bt., G.C.H., only son of the late J. Slade, Esq., commissioner of the Victualling Board, by the dau. of Jos. Portal, Esq. of Freefolk, Hampsh.; b. 1762; m. 1st, 1792, dau. of J. Dawson, Esq., assistant-barrister of the co. Armagh (she d. 1819); 2ndly, 1822, dau. of James Dawson, Esq. of Forkhill; entered the army as cornet 10th hussars in 1782; served in the Peninsula from 1809 to 1813; became a major-gen. in 1809, a lieut.-gen. in 1814, and was advanced to the rank of a gen. in 1837; obtained the colonelcy of the 5th dragoon-guards in 1831; received a medal and one clasp for his services at Corunna and Fuentes d'Onor.

*Arms*—Quart., of six, ar. and sa., three horses' heads erased, of the last, on a chief, erm., two bombs fired, ppr.

*Seat*—Maunsell House, Somersetsh.

*Heir*—His son John Henry, attained the rank of major in the army in 1827; joined the 1st dragoon-guards in 1838.

**ANSON OF BIRCHALL, LANCA-SHIRE.** Cr. 1831.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM, 1st Bt., K.C.B., son of Geo. Adams, Esq. (who assumed the name of Anson), by the dau. of 1st Lord Vernon; is uncle to the Earl of Lichfield; b. 1772; m. 1815, dau. of J. Dickenson, Esq. of Birch Hall, Lancash. A gen. in the army; served throughout the Peninsular war; received a cross and three clasps for Corunna, Salamanca, Victoria, Pyrenees, Nivelles, Orthes, and Toulouse. Sir William is a member of the committee of the order for Privileges.

*Arms*—Ar., three bendlets, engr. gu., a crescent for diff., ANSON; 2nd, erm.,

three mountain cats, passant guardant, in pale, sa., ADAMS; 3rd, az., three salmons, naiant, in pale, per pale, or and ar., SAMBROOKE; 4th, sa., a bend, or, between three spears' heads, arg., CARRIER.

*Seat*—Birch Hall, Lancash.; Grundesburgh Hall, Woodbridge, Suffolk.

*Heir*—His son John William Hamilton, b. 1816.

**DOUGLAS OF GLENBERVIE, KIN-CARDINESH.** Cr. 1831.—The HON. SIR ROBERT ANDREWS MACKENZIE, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt. by the only child and heir of Robt. Andrews, Esq. of Hythe, Kent; b. 1807; m. 1835, eldest dau. of Joshua Rouse, Esq. of Blenheim House, Hampsh.; s. his fa. in 1833; is a major in the army, and capt. of the 12th foot. The 1st Bt. was a lieut.-gen. in the army, and col. of the 58th foot.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, ar., a human heart, ensigned by an imperial crown, ppr., on a chief, az., three mullets, ar.; 2nd and 3rd, ar., a cross, rag., sa.

*Heir*—His son, b. 1837.

**OTWAY OF BRIGHTHELMSTONE, SUSSEX.** Cr. 1831.—The HON. SIR ROBT. WALLER, 1st Bt., K.C.B., 2nd son of Cooke Otway, Esq. of Castle Otway, by the dau. of Sam. Waller, Esq. of Lisbrian, co. Tipperary, (sister of Sir R. Waller, Bt.) is therefore bro. to Sir Loftus Wm. Otway; born 1772; m. 1801, dau. and co-heir of Adm. J. Holloway, of Wells, Somersetsh.; attained the rank of vice-adm. of the Red in 1830; was created a Bt. for his professional services.

*Arms*—Az., a pile, sa., over all a chev., counterchanged, on a chief, az., an anchor, erect, enc. by a wreath of laurel, or, betw. on the dexter, a demi-Neptune, ppr., issuant out of a naval crown, gold, and on the sinister a mermaid, ppr.

*Residence*—Brighton.

*Heir*—His son Charles Cooke, b. 1815.

**CAMPBELL OF NEW BRUNSWICK.** Cr. 1831.—The HON. SIR ARCHIBALD, 1st Bt., G.C.B., son of Lieut. Archibald Campbell, by the dau. of Capt. J. Small; m. dau. of — Macdonald, Esq. of Garth, Perth-

shire; is a lieut.-gen. in the army, col. of the 77th foot, and lieut.-gov. of New Brunswick; served throughout the Peninsular war, being attached to the Portuguese army; received a cross and clasp for Albuera, Vittoria, Pyrenees, Nivelle, and Nive; was commander-in-chief of the British forces during the Burmese war.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, gir. of eight, or and sa.; 2nd, ar., a lymphad, sa.; 3rd, or, a fesse chequy, ar. and az., in the centre point of the whole a heart, gu., crowned, or; on a chief, ar., a mount, vert, inscribed "Ava." &c.

*Heir*—His son John; m. 1841, only child of the late Col. John Crow, of the E. I. Co.'s service; is a lieut.-colonel of the 38th foot.

**FOSTER OF STONE HOUSE, LOUTH.** Cr. 1831.—Privy Councillor, 1822.—The **HON. SIR AUGUSTUS JOHN**, 1st Bt., G.C.H., son of J. T. Foster, Esq. of Dunleer, by the dau. of the 4th Earl of Bristol, (she re-mar. the 5th Duke of Devonshire;) b. 1780; m. 1815, dau. of Hon. Geo. Vere Hobart, 2nd son of the 3rd Earl of Buckinghamsh., (she was b. 1788, and in 1832 was raised to the rank of an earl's dau.;) he was envoy-extraordinary and minister-plenipotentiary to the court of Sardinia till 1840.

*Arms*—Ar. a chev., vert; betw. three bugle horns, sa., stringed, gu.

*Seat*—Stonehouse, co. Louth.

*Heir*—His son, Frederick George.

**MC GRIGOR OF CAMDEN HILL, MIDDLESEX.** Cr. 1831; Knt. Bachel. 1814.—The **HON. SIR JAS.**, 1st Bt., M.D., F.R.S., eldest son of Colquhoun Mc Grigor, Esq., by the dau. of Lewis Grant, Esq. of Lethendry, N.B.; b. 1771; m. 1810, youngest dau. of Duncan Grant, Esq. of Lingelstone, co. Moray; is a knight commander of the Tower and Sword of Portugal; fellow of the college of physicians, London and Edinburgh; entered the medical department of the army in 1793; in 1796 was chief of the medical staff in Granada; in 1798, proceeded to India; in 1800, placed at the head of the medical staff of the army in Egypt; was

chief of the medical department in the Walcheren expedition; in 1811, joined the army in the Peninsula, and was particularly distinguished by the Duke of Wellington in his dispatches, after the surrender of Badajoz and the battle of Vittoria; at the conclusion of the war, received the honour of knighthood; in 1815, was placed at the head of the Medical Board; and in 1831, created a bart.; is physician extraordinary to her Majesty.

*Arms*—Ar., a fir tree, vert, surm. by a sword, point upwards, in bend dext., ppr., pommel and hilt, gold; in the dexter chief, an eastern crown, gu.; on a chief, az. a tower, or, betw. the badge of the order of the Tower and Sword, on the dexter, and that of the Crescent on the sinister.

*Seat*—Camden Hill, Middlesex.

*Heir*—His son Charles Rhoderick, b. 1811.

**HARTY OF PROSPECT HOUSE, ROEBUCK, DUBLIN.** Cr. 1831.—The **HON. SIR ROBERT**, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt. by the eldest dau. of the late J. Davis, Esq. of Eden Park; b. 1815; s. on the demise of his fa.; the 1st Bt. was an alderman of Dublin, and lord mayor of that city in 1830-31. Sir Robert is a member of the Committee for Privileges.

*Arms*—Or, on a fesse, sa., between three trefoils, slipped, vert, as many martlets, vol., or.

*Seat*—Prospect House, Roebuck, co. Dublin.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. Marcus; b. 1819.

**JONES OF CRANMER HALL, NORFOLK.** Cr. 1831.—The **HON. SIR JOHN THOMAS**, K.C.B., 1st Bt., son of J. Jones, Esq., by the dau. of J. Roberts, Esq., an officer in 29th foot; b. 1783; m. 1816, dau. of the late Effingham Laurence, Esq. of New York; is a maj.-gen. in the army; col. of the royal engineers, and aide-de-camp to the Queen; has received a medal for his services at Badajoz.

*Arms*—Az., on a fesse, or, a bomb, between two grenades, fired, ppr.; in chief a castle, ar., and over it the word "Netherlands," in letters of gold; in base, a lion couchant, ar., round the

neck a medal, or, hung by a riband, gu., fimb. az.

*Seat*—Cranmer Hall, Fakenham, Norfolk.

*Heir*—His son, Laurence, b. 1817.

**CHAYTOR OF CROFT, YORK.** Cr. 1831.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM, 1st Bt., son of W. Chaytor, Esq., M.P., by his m. with Miss J. Lee; b. 1771; m. 1803, youngest dau. and co-heir of J. Carter, Esq. of Tunstall and Richmond, Yorkshire; is patron of three livings; lieutenant-col. commandant of Yorksh. (N. Riding) militia; rep. Sunderland in parliament in 1833 and 1834.

*Arms*—Per bend, danc., az. and ar., four quatrefoils, counterchanged.

*Seats*—Croft Hall, Yorkshire; Witton Castle, Durham.

*Heir*—His son, William Richard Carter; b. 1805; M.P. for Durham from 1831 to 1834.

**BEECHER OF BALLYGIBLIN, CORK.** Cr. 1831.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM WRIXON, 1st Bt., son of Wm. Wrixon, Esq. of Cecilstown, co. Cork, by the dau. of J. Townsend Beecher, Esq. of Annisgrove; assumed the name of Beecher in early life, and had it confirmed by sign-manual, in 1831; b. 1780; m. in 1819, Miss O'Neil, the celebrated actress; is a dep.-lieut. of the co. of Cork.

*Arms*—Vairy, ar. and gu., on a canton, or, a stag's head, coupé, sa.

*Seats*—Ballygiblin, near Mallow; Creagh, near Skibbereen, co. Cork.

*Heir*—His son Henry, b. 1826.

**BIRCH OF HAZLES, LANCASTER.** Cr. 1831.—The HON. SIR THOMAS BERNARD, 2nd Bt., son of 1st Bt., by the 3rd dau. of Benj. Heywood, Esq. of Liverpool; b. 1791; s. his fa. in 1833; filled the office of sheriff of Lancashire in 1841, and is a dep.-lieut. of the county. The 1st Bt. was grandson of Caleb Birch, mayor of Whitehaven.

*Arms*—Az., three fleurs-de-lis, ar., on a chief of the second, three mullets, sa.

*Seat*—The Hazles, Lancashire.

**CAMPBELL OF CARRICK BUOY.** Cr. 1831.—The HON. SIR ROBERT,

1st Bt., son of J. Campbell, of Ballyshannon, by the dau. of Rev. Edward Forbes, of Kilbarran Castle, co. Donegal; b. 1771; m. 1798, dau. of Dr. Gilbert Pasley, physician-general at Madras. Sir Robert is deputy chairman of the East India Co., and a member of the Committee of the Baronetage for Privileges.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, gir. of eight, or and sa., a canton, az., charged with a bear's head, ar., muzzled, gu.; 2nd and 3rd, ar., a lymphad, sa.

*Seat*—Carrick Buoy, co. Donegal.

*Residence*—Argyll Place, London.

*Heir*—His son, Sir John Nicholl Robert Campbell, K.C.H. and K.S.L., formerly captain of cavalry in the E. I. Co.'s service, and chargé-des-affaires in Persia; m. Grace, dau. of T. Bainbridge, Esq., and has issue.

**LAWSON OF BRAYTON HOUSE, CUMBERLAND.** Cr. 1831.—The HON. SIR WILFRED, 1st Bt., 3rd son of T. Wybergh, Esq. of Clifton Hall, Westmoreland, by the dau. of J. Hartley, Esq., sister-in-law of Sir Wilfrid Lawson, 10th and last Bt.; b. 1795; m. 1821, 3rd dau. of Sir J. Graham. Bt. of Netherby; was created a Bt. upon inheriting the estates of his maternal uncle, Sir Wilfrid Lawson, last Bt., and thereupon assumed the name of Lawson, in lieu of his patronymic, Wybergh.

*Arms*—Per pale, ar. and sa., a chev. counterchanged; on a canton, sa., two bars, or.

*Seat*—Brayton House, Cumberland.

*Heir*—His son Wilfrid, born 1829.

**HUMBLE OF CLONCOKORAN, WATERFORD.** Cr. 1831.—The HON. SIR JOHN NUGENT, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by the dau. of R. Power, Esq. of Clashmore; b. 1818; s. his fa. in 1834. The 1st Bt.'s fa. led the forlorn hope at the storming of Quebec.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, sa., a stag, trip., or, on a chief, indent., ar., a trefoil, slipped, vert. HUMBLE; 2nd and 3rd, erm., two bars, gu., and in chief, a fleur-de-lis, az., NUGENT.

*Seat*—Cloncoskoran House, Co. Waterford.

**LLOYD OF LANCING, SUSSEX.** Cr. 1831.—The HON. SIR JAMES MARTIN, 1st Bt., eldest son of J.

Lloyd, Esq. of Lancing, by the dau. of the Rev. Edward Martin; b. 1762; m. 1st, 1785, dau. of the Rev. Wm. Green of Eccles Hall, Norfolk (she died 1811); 2ndly, 1812, dau. of the Rev. Colston Carr, sister to the Bishop of Worcester and to the late Sir H. Carr, K.C.B.; is lieut.-col. of the Sussex militia and a dep.-lieut. of the county; represented Steyning in parliament for many years.

*Arms*—Per bend, sinister, erm. and pean, a lion ramp., or, gorged with a wreath of oak, and holding in the dexter paw a sword, erect, ppr.

*Seat*—Lancing, Sussex.

**CRAIG OF RICCALTON, MID-LOTHIAN.** Cr. 1831.—The HON. SIR JAMES GIBSON, 1st Bt., 2nd son of the late W. Gibson, Esq., by the dau. of J. Balfour, Esq. of Pilrig; b. 1765; m. 1796, dau. of J. Thompson, Esq. of Edinburgh; is a dep.-lieut. of the co. of Edinb.; assumed the additional name of Craig on succeeding to the property of R. Craig, Esq. of Riccarton.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, erm., on a fesse, sa., three crescents, ar., CRAIG; 2nd and 3rd, gu., three keys, fessewise, in pale, wards downwards, or, GIBSON.

*Seat*—Ingleston. \*

**BARRINGTON OF LIMERICK.** Cr. 1831.—The HON. SIR JOSEPH, 1st Bt., son of M. Barrington, Esq., by the dau. of J. Canter, of Ballyvara; b. 1764; m. 1787, dau. of D. Baggot, Esq. of Limerick. Is the founder, in conjunction with his sons, of the hospital and infirmary in the city of Limerick, bearing his name, and incorporated under the 11th George IV.

*Arms*—Ar., three chevronels, gu., and a label, of three points, vert; on a canton gu., a trefoil, slipped, or.

*Address*—Limerick.

*Heir*—His son Matthew, crown solicitor for the province of Munster, b. 1788; m. 1814, dau. of Wm. Hartigan, Esq. of Dublin.

**BRINCKMAN OF MONK-BRETTON, YORKSH.** Cr. 1831.—The HON. SIR THEODORE HENRY LAYINGTON, 1st Bt., eldest son of

Theo. Henry Broadhead, Esq., M.P. for Wareham, by his wife, Eliza, dau. of W. G. Macdougall, Esq.; was member for Yarmouth in 1820 m. 1st in 1829, Charlotte, only dau. of Lord Godolphin, and niece of the Duke of Leeds, by whom he has issue, five sons; 2ndly, Miss Corbet. Took the name of Brinckman in 1842. This noble Bt. is sprung from the Baron Theodore Brinckman, who came into England with George I. from Hanover, and died 1741. His grandson, Theodore Henry having s. to the Bretton estates, assumed by act of parliament, in compliance with testamentary injunction, the surname and arms of Broadhead, but the ancient family name has again been resumed by the present Bt., by royal permission, granted in 1842. Sir Theodore is a member of the Committee of the Baronetage for Privileges.

*Arms*—Erm., two eagles, displayed, in chief, gu., and in base, a lion ramp., ppr., collared and chained, or.

*Seat*—Ledstone Hall, Ferrybridge.

*Heir ap.*—His eldest son Theodore Henry, born 1830.

**RASHLEIGH OF PRIDEAUX, CORNWALL.** Cr. 1831.—The HON. SIR JOHN COLMAN, 1st Bt.; b. 1772; m. 1st, Harriet, dau. of R. Williams, Esq. of Bridehead, M.P., by whom he has issue a son and two daus.; and 2ndly, Martha, dau. of Dr. Gould. This noble Bt. is a branch of the ancient family of Rashleigh of Rashleigh, Co. Devon.

*Arms*—Sa., a cross, or, between in the dexter chief, gu., a chough, in the sinister chief, gu., a text T, and in base, two crescents, all ar.

*Seat*—Prideaux, Cornwall.

*Heir ap.*—His son Colman, b. 1819.

**CAMPBELL OF BARCALDINE, ARGYLLSH.** Cr. 1831.—The HON. SIR DUNCAN, 1st Bt., son of Alex. Campbell, Esq., a member of the College of Advocates, by the dau. of J. Campbell, Esq. of Edinburgh; m. 1815, dau. of J. Dennistoun, Esq. Denistoun, Dumbartonsh.; is a dep.-lieut. of Argyllsh.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st gironny of eight, or, and sa., a canton, ar., charged with

a bend, sa., between an unicorn's head, erased, in chief, and a cross-crosslet fitchée, gu., in base; 2nd, or, a fesse, chequy, ar. and az.; 3rd, ar., a lymphad, sa.; 4th, gironny of eight, or and sa., a canton, gu., charged with two bars, or, the whole within a border, gu., or and sa.

*Seat*—Barcaldine, Argyllsh.

*Heir*—His son Alexander, b. 1819.

**NUGENT OF DONORE, WESTMEATH.** Cr. 1831.—The HON. SIR PERCY FITZGERALD, 1st Bt., son of T. Fitzgerald, Esq., by the dau. of C. Dardis, Esq. of Giggenstown, co. Westmeath; b. 1797; m. 1823, only dau. of W. Sweetman, Esq. of Dublin; is a dep.-lieut. of Westmeath; in 1831, took the name of Nugent, in lieu of his patronymic, being grandson of P. Fitzgerald, Esq., whose wife was dau. of T. Nugent, Esq. of Donore, and sister and heir of Sir J. Nugent, 1st Bt., (title now extinct.)

*Arms*—Erm., two bars, gu., a martlet, az., for difference.

*Seat*—Donore, Co. Westmeath.

*Heir*—His son Walter, b. 1827.

**WALSHAM OF KNILL COURT, HEREFORDSH.** Cr. 1831.—The HON. SIR JOHN JAMES, 1st Bt., son of J. Garbett Walsham, Esq., by the dau. and heir of Hugh Hughes, Esq. of Bodwryn, in Anglesey; b. 1805; m. 1826, 2nd dau. of Matt. Bell, Esq. of Woolsington House, Northumberland (nephew of the Lords Auckland and Henley); is one of the assistant poor-law commissioners; by royal licence was authorized to use the name of Walsham only, in lieu of that of Garbett Walsham; is a dep.-lieut. of Herefordsh. and of Radnorsh.; was created a Bt., as eldest of the co-heirs of Gen. Sir T. Morgan, one of the most renowned soldiers of his age, whose baronetcy (extinct since 1768) was conferred in 1660, in reward for his military services. Sir John's ancestor, Sir Alex. De Walsham, was feudal lord of the manor and patron of the rectory of Brockley, Suffolk, in 1303, and he is the 25th hereditary lord of the manor

and patron of the rectory of Knill, in the lineal descent from Sir John de Knill, who was lord thereof before 1189, by the gift of his father, Sir William de Braose, baron of Breaknock and Buitch, lord of Kingston &c. The founder of the Walsham family in England appears to have been William de Walsham, who held many lands and lordships in South Walsham, Wotton, and other Norfolk and Suffolk parishes, of Roger Bigod, constable of Norwich, and one of the Conqueror's chief companions in arms, and mainly contributed by his advice to the erection and endowment, by that nobleman, of Thetford Priory, in 1103. Among the earlier descendants of this William de Walsham, were William, lord prior of Norwich from 1203 to 1218; Nicholas and Richard de Walsham, lord-abbots of St. Benedict of Holm, in the 13th and 15th centuries; John de Walsham, abbot of Langley from 1399 to 1422, &c.; John de Walsham, lord of Brockley, removed to Cheshire, cir. 1384; and from his grandson, John Walsham, of Presteigne, the Walshams of Knill are lineally derived. Sir John is a member of the Committee of the Order for Privileges.

*Arms*—Sa. on a cross, voided, or, five crosslets-patée fitchée, of the last.

*Seat*—Knill Court, Kingston, Herefordsh.

*Heir ap.*—His eldest son John, b. 1830.

**HEYGATE OF SOUTHEND, ESSEX.** Cr. 1831.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM, 1st Bt., son of J. Heygate, Esq., banker in London, by the 2nd dau. of Sam. Unwin, Esq. of Sutton, Nottinghamsh.; b. 1782; m. 1821, 4th dau. of Edward Longdon Macmurdo, Esq. of Upper Clapton, Middlesex; is an alderman of the city of London, and served the office of lord-mayor in 1822.

*Arms*—Gu., two bars, ar., over all, on a bend, or, a torteaux, between two leopards' faces, az.

*Seats*—Southend, Essex; North Mimms, Hertfordshire.

*Heir*—His son Frederick William, born 1822.

**MC KENNY OF DUBLIN.** Cr. 1831.—The HON. SIR THOMAS, 1st Bt., son of J. Mc Kenny, Esq. of the city of Dublin, by his mar. with Miss Mc Vitty; b. 1770; m. 1790, eldest dau. of Timothy Harty, Esq. of Kilkenny, sister of the late Sir Robert Way Harty, Bt.; is an alderman of Dublin; filled the office of lord mayor, and on that occasion was created a Bt.

*Arms*—Or, a fleur-de-lis betw. three crescents, two and one, az., on a chief, vert, a greyhound pursuing a stag, both at full speed, ar.

*Seat*—Ullard, Kilkenny.

*Heir*—His son William, b. 1799.

**MEUX OF THEOBALD'S PARK, MIDDLESEX.** Cr. 1831.—The HON. SIR HENRY, 1st Bt., 2nd son of R. Meux, Esq., by the dau. of Henry Brougham, Esq. of Brougham Hall, and aunt of Lord Brougham; b. 1770; m. 1814, dau. of T. Smith, Esq. of Castlebar House, Middlesex; is head of an eminent brewing establishment in London. The family is of considerable antiquity in the Isle of Wight. The present Bt. is descended from Sir John Meux, a Bt. of 1641.

*Arms*—Paly of six, or and az., on a chief, gu., three crosses-patée, or.

**CLARKE OF DUNHAM LODGE, NORFOLK.** Cr. 1831.—The HON. SIR CHARLES MANSFIELD, 1st Bt., M.D., son of J. Clarke, Esq., surgeon, by the dau. of W. Mansfield, Esq. of Thrapston, Northamptonshire; b. 1782; m. 1806, dau. of Wright Thomas Squire, Esq. of Peterborough.

*Arms*—Erm., on a bend, cottised, gu., betw. three annulets, sa., as many swans, close, ar.

*Seat*—Dunham Lodge, Norfolk.

*Heir*—His son Rev. Chas., b. 1812; m. 1838, eldest dau. of Hen. Alexander, Esq., of Cork Street.

**RUSSELL OF YORK PLACE, PORTMAN SQUARE.** Cr. 1832.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by his 2nd wife, dau. of Col. J. Doddington Sherwood, E.I.C.S.; b. 1822; s. his fa. in 1839; was appointed in June,

1841, a cornet in the 7th dragoons. The 1st Bt. was a physician in the service of the E. I. Company.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev., between three gouttes, revers., sa., the whole within a bordure, gironny of eight, in eight divisions, or and sa.

*Residence*—York Place, Portman Square.

**BAYLEY OF BEDFORD SQUARE, MIDDLESEX.** Cr. 1834.—The HON. SIR JOHN EDWARD GEORGE, 2nd Bt., son of the Right Hon. Sir John Bayley, the 1st Bt., by the youngest dau., of J. Markett, Esq. of Meopham Court Lodge, Kent; b. 1794; m. 1822, 2nd dau. of John Minnett Fector, Esq. of Dover; s. his fa. in 1841. The 1st Bt. was for many years one of the judges of the court of King's Bench, and subsequently a baron of the Exchequer; he was knighted in 1808, and created a Bt. on his retirement from the bench.

*Arms*—Quart., gu. and ermi., on a fesse, az., three martlets, or, betw., in the 1st and 4th, gu., a lion, ramp., ar.

*Residences*—Updown House, Kent; Bedford Square, London.

*Heir*—His son John Robert Emilius, b. 1823.

**WHITSHED OF KILLINCARRIE, WICKLOW.** Cr. 1834.—The HON. SIR JAS. HAWKINS, 1st Bt., G.C.B., 3rd son of Bishop (Hawkins) of Raphoe, by the dau. of — Keene, Esq.; m. 1791, dau. of Capt. John Albert Bentinck, R.N., grand-dau. of the 1st Earl of Portland; assumed his maternal grandmother's name of Whitshed in 1791; was present at the defeat of the Spanish squadron of Don Juan de Langara in 1779; commanded the Namur at St. Vincent; attained the rank of admiral of the Red in 1810; received a medal for his conduct at the battle of St. Vincent.

*Arms*—Per pale, ind., ar. and vert, three demi-lions, those in chief, the dexter, gu., the sinister, or, and that in base, per pale, ind., gu. and or.

*Seats*—Killincarrick, co. Wicklow; Jobstown, co. Dublin.

*Heir*—His son St. Vincent Keene; m. 1832, 5th dau. of the 2nd Lord Erskine, (she was born 1812.)

**HAMMICK OF CAVENDISH SQ.** Cr. 1834.—The HON. SIR STEPHEN LOVE, 1st Bt., son of Alderman Stephen Hammick, of Plymouth, by the dau. of J. Love, Esq.; b. 1777; m. 1800, only dau. of P. Turquand, Esq. of London: is surgeon to the royal naval hospital, at Plymouth.

*Arms*—Paly of four, or and vert, a bordure, erm., charged with seven hurts, on a chief, az., a lion passant, ar.

*Residence*—Cavendish Sq., London.

*Heir*—His son Rev. St. Vincent Love, b. 1806; m. 1837, dau. of Rob. Alexander, Esq. of Gloucester Place, Portman Square; is vicar of Milton Abbot, Devonshire.

**BRODIE OF BOXFORD, SUFFOLK.** Cr. 1834.—The HON. SIR BENJAMIN COLLINS, 1st Bt., F.R.S., 3rd son of the Rev. Peter Bellinger Brodie, Rector of Winterslow, Wiltshire, by the 3rd dau. of Benjamin Collins, Esq. of Milford, Salisbury; b. 1783; m. 1816, the 3rd dau. of Mr. Serjeant Sellon; is serjeant-surgeon to the Queen, and first surgeon in ordinary to H.R.H. Prince Albert.

*Arms*—Az., on a chev., betw. three mullets, ar., three civic wreaths, vert.

*Seat*—Broome Park, Surrey.

*Heir*—His son Benjamin Collins, b. 1817.

**BOOTH OF ROYDON LODGE, ESSEX.** Cr. 1834.—The HON. SIR FELIX, 1st Bt., son of Philip Booth, Esq. of Russell Square; is understood to have afforded considerable assistance in the fitting-out of the Polar expeditions; is a dep.-lieut. of Middlesex; was created a Bt., with remainder, in default of male issue, to the male issue of his bro. W. Booth, Esq. of Roydon Lodge, Essex, who m. dau. and co-heir of J. Williamson, Esq.

*Arms*—Ar., on a chev., betw. three boars' heads, coupé and erect, sa., an estoile, of the field.

*Seat*—Clarence Lodge, Roehampton, Surrey.

*Heir pres.*—His nephew Williamson, b. 1805.

**WALKER OF LONDON.** Cr. 1835.—The HON. SIR GEORGE TOWNSHEND, 1st Bt., G.C.B., eldest son of Nathaniel Walker, Esq., by

the only dau. and heir of J. Bagster, Esq. of the Isle of Wight; m. 1st, dau. of R. Allen, Esq. of Bury, Lancashire (she died 1814); 2ndly, 1820, youngest dau. of Alexander Caldcleugh, Esq. of Croydon, Surrey; entered the army as ensign 95th foot, in 1782; served in India, Ireland, Holland, Portugal, and Spain; received a medal and two clasps for his services at Badajoz, Orthes, and Vittoria; was wounded at the latter battle; attained the rank of gen. in 1838; became col. of the 50th foot in 1839; in May, 1837, was appointed lieut.-gov. of Chelsea Hospital; was for some years commander-in-chief of the forces at Madras.

*Arms*—Ermi. on a pile, emb., az., a mural crown, charged with the word "Badajoz," between two galtraps, in pale, or.

*Residence*—Royal Hospital, Chelsea.

*Heir*—His son by the 2nd marriage, George Ferdinand Radzivil, b. 1825.

**BARROW OF ULVERSTONE, LANCASH.** Cr. 1835.—The HON. SIR JOHN, 1st Bt., son of Roger Barrow, of Ulverstone, by the dau. of Mr. Dawson; b. 1766; m. 1798, dau. of P. J. Tréuter, of the Cape of Good Hope, member of the court of justice; has been for many years second secretary to the Admiralty; salary 1500*l.*

*Arms*—Sa., two swords, in saltier, points upwards, ar., pommels and hilts, or, betw. three fleurs-de-lis, one in chief, and two in flanch and in chief, and an anchor, erect, in base of the last.

*Seat*—Ulverstone, Lancash.

*Heir*—His son George; b. 1806; m. 1832, dau. of Wm. Pennell, Esq., and niece of Right Hon. J. W. Croker.

**GOODRICKE OF RIBSTON HALL, YORK.** Cr. 1835.—The HON. SIR FRANCIS LYTTETTON HOLYOAKE, 1st Bt., eldest son of Francis Holyoake, Esq., by the dau. of Robert Lyttelton, Esq.; b. 1797; m. 1827, dau. of George Payne, Esq. of Sulby Hall, Northamptonsh.; assumed the name of Goodricke in 1833, on inheriting the estates of the late Sir Harry Goodricke, Bt. (to whom he



was not, however, related); was high-sh. of Warwicksh. in 1834; is patron of one living; was M.P. for the southern division of Staffordsh., from 1835 till 1837.

*Arms*—Ar., on a fesse, gu., between two lions passant, guardant, sa., a fleur-de-lis between two crescents, or.

*Seat*—Studley Castle, Warwickshire.

*Heir*—A son, b. 1836.

**BETHUNE OF KILCONQUHAR, FIFE.** Cr. 1836.—The HON. SIR HENRY LINDESAY BETHUNE, 1st Bt., son of Major Martin Eccles Lindesay Bethune, by the dau. of the late Gen. Tovy; b. 1787; m. 1822, dau. of J. Trotter, Esq. of Dyrham Park, Hertfordsh.; is a general in the service of the Schah of Persia, who conferred upon him the order of the Lion and Sun of Persia of the 1st class.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, az., a fesse, between three lozenges, or; 2nd and 3rd, ar., on a chev., sa., an otter's head, erased, of the first, all within a bordure, emb., or.

*Seat*—Kilconquhar, Fifeshire.

*Heir*—His son John Trotter, b. 1827.

**BRISBANE OF BRISBANE, Ayr.** Cr. 1836.—The HON. SIR THOMAS MACDOUGALL, 1st Bt., G.C.B., G.C.H., LL.D., F.R.S., son of the late T. Brisbane, Esq. of Brisbane, by the dau. of Sir Wm. Bruce, Bt. of Stenhouse; m. 1819, dau. of Sir H. Hay Macdougall, Bt.; is a dep.-lieut. of Ayrshire; entered the army in 1790; served in all the Duke of York's campaigns in Flanders; served with Sir Ralph Abercromby at St. Lucie, St. Vincent, Trinidad, Porto Rico, &c.; commanded a brigade in the Peninsular war, and was present at all the battles fought in Spain, the Pyrenees, and the south of France; wears a cross and one clasp for Vittoria, Pyrenees, Nivelle, Orthes, and Toulouse; received the thanks of parliament in 1813; was appointed gov. gen. of New South Wales in 1820, which he held till 1825; is a gen. in the army, and a col. of the 34th foot.

*Arms*—Sa., a chev., chequy, or and gu., between three cushions, or, and in the collar point a medal, quartered with MACDOUGALL.

*Seats*—Brisbane, Ayrshire; Mackerstoun, Roxburghshire.

*Heir*—His son Thomas Australius, b. 1824.

**CAMPBELL OF DUNSTAFFNAGE, ARGYLE.** Cr. 1836.—The HON. SIR DONALD, 1st Bt., son of Angus Campbell, Esq., by the dau. and heir of J. Bald, Esq.; b. 1800; m. 1825, 2nd dau. of Sir Wm. Plomer, Knt. of London; is hereditary capt. of the royal castle of Dunstaffnage, and a dep.-lieut. of Argyleshire.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st, az., a castle of three towers, ar., masoned, sa., standing on a rock, ppr., doors and windows, gu., on the top of the middle tower a cock, and on each of the others an eagle, or; 2nd, gir. of eight, or and sa.; 3rd, or, a fesse chequy, az. and ar.; 4th, gu., a boar's head, cabossed, or, between a crescent and spur-rowell, in fesse, ar.

*Seat*—Dunstaffnage, Argyleshire.

*Heir*—His son Angus, b. 1827.

**CARNAC OF DERBY.** Cr. 1836.—The HON. SIR JAMES RIVETT, 1st Bt., son of J. R. Carnac, Esq., by the dau. of J. Fisher, Esq. of Yarmouth, Norfolk; b. 1784; m. 1815, eldest dau. of the late Wm. Richardes, Esq. of Penglais, Cardiganshire; is gov. of Bombay; was sometime chairman of the E. I. Company.

*Arms*—Quart., ar. and az., two swords in saltier, ppr., between three mullets, one in chief and two in fesse, and a crescent in base, counterchanged.

*Heir*—His son John, b. 1818; in the army.

**FAIRFAX OF HOLMES, ROXBURGH.** Cr. 1836.—The HON. SIR HENRY, 1st Bt., son of the late Vice-Admiral Sir W. G. Fairfax, by the dau. of Samuel Charters, Esq., solicitor of customs for Scotland; b. 1790; m. 1830, 3rd dau. of Thos. Williamson, Esq. (now Williamson Ramsay); attained the rank of col. in the army in Nov. 1841; was created a Bt. as a tribute to his father's gallant conduct as flag-capt. to Admiral Duncan, at the battle of Camperdown.

*Arms*—Az., a chev., between two fleurs-de-lis, in chief, and a Camperdown medal in base, or, and on a chief a ship.

*Heir*—His son William George Herbert Taylor, b. 1831.

**MACKENZIE OF KILCOY, ROSS.** Cr. 1836.—The HON. SIR COLIN, 1st Bt., son of Charles Mackenzie, Esq. of Kilcoy, by the 3rd dau. of Patrick Grant, Esq. of Glenmoriston; b. 1782; m. 1805, 2nd dau. of Ewen Cameron, Esq. of Glenevis, Inverness-sh.; was called to the Scottish bar in 1804; is col. commandant of the Ross battalion of local militia; is a dep.-lieut. of the cos. of Nairn, Cromarty, and Ross, and convener of the latter county; was created a Bt., with remainder to his 2nd and 3rd sons, and the heirs male of their body; failing whom, to his heirs general. This noble Bt. is heir of line to the Earldom of Buchan, and his case of claim is now before the house of lords.

*Arms*—Az., a deer's head, cabossed, or, quartered with BUCHAN.

*Seats*—Kilcoy Castle, Belmaduthy House, and Fore House, Ross-shire.

**BARKER-MILL OF MOTTISFONT, SOUTHAMPTON.** Cr. 1836.—The HON. and REV. SIR JOHN, 1st Bt., son of J. Barker, Esq. of Wareham, Dorsetsh., by the dau. of the Rev. Sir Chas. Mill, 9th and last Bt. of that line; b. 1803; m. 1828, dau. of Col. Swinburne, of Keynsham, Somersetsh.; in 1835, assumed, by royal licence, the name of Mills; was created a Bt., on inheriting the estates of his uncle, whose baronetcy was created in 1619; is vicar of Kingsomborne, Hampshire.

*Arms*—Per fesse, ar. and sa., a pale, counterchanged, three bears of the second, muzzled and lined, or.

*Seat*—Mottisfont, Hants.

**NEWMAN OF STOKELEY, DEVONSH.** Cr. 1836.—The HON. SIR ROBERT WILLIAM, 1st Bt., eldest son of T. Newman, Esq. of Dartmouth, by the dau. of J. Page, Esq. of London; b. 1776; m. 1813, 3rd dau. of R. Denne, Esq. of Winchelsea, Sussex (she died 1834); is a dep.-lieut. of Devonsh.; was high-sh. in the parliaments of 1818 and 1820; sat also for Bletchingley for some time.

*Arms*—Az., three demi-lions, couped, ar., crusilly, sa.

*Seat*—Mamhead, Devonshire.

*Heir*—His son Robert Lydston, born 1822.

**PAULET OF WESTHILL LODGE, SOUTHAMPTON.** Cr. 1836.—The HON. SIR HENRY CHARLES, 1st Bt., eldest son of Vice-Admiral Lord Henry Paulet, K.C.B. (2nd son of the 12th Marquess of Winchester), by the youngest dau. of Edward Ravenscroft, Esq.; b. 1814; is unm.; is a capt. in the 2nd dragoon-guards.

*Arms*—Sa., three swords in pile, points downwards, ppr., pommels and hilts, or.

*Seat*—Westhill Lodge, Hampshire.

**ROE OF BRUNDISH, SUFFOLK.** Cr. 1836; Knt. Bachel. Cr. 1832.—The HON. SIR FREDERICK ADAIR, 1st Bt., youngest son of Wm. Roe, Esq., who was appointed chairman of the Board of Customs in 1805, by the dau. of Sir William Thomas, Bt.; b. 1789; m. 1831, dau. of G. Knowles, Esq. of Emsel, Yorksh.; was chief magistrate of police at Bow-street.

*Arms*—Ar., on a chev., az., between three trefoils, slipped, per pale, gu. and vert., as many quatrefoils, or.

*Seat*—Brundish, Suffolk.

**ROWLEY OF HILL HOUSE, BERKS.** Cr. 1836.—The HON. SIR CHARLES, 1st Bt., K.C.B., G.C.H., 4th son of Sir Joshua Rowley, 1st Bt. of Tending Hall, Suffolk, by the dau. and heir of Bartholomew Burton, Esq. of Petersham, Surrey; b. 1770; m. 1797, youngest dau. of the late Admiral Sir R. King, Bt., (dead;) is a vice-admiral of the Red, and a knight of the order of Maria Theresa.

*Arms*—Ar., on a bend, engr., betw. two Cornish choughs, sa., billed and legged, gu., three escallops of the field.

*Seat*—Fern Lodge, Berksh.

*Heir*—His son Charles, b. 1801; m. 1822, dau. of George Evelyn, Esq. of Wotton, Surrey; a lieut.-col. in the army.

**SAWLE OF PENRICE, CORNWALL.** Cr. 1836.—The HON. SIR JOSEPH SAWLE GRAVES, 1st Bt., son of Admiral J. Graves, by the dau. of R. Sawle, Esq.; b. 1793; m.

1815, dau. of the Rev. Chas. Prideaux Brune, of Prideaux Place, Cornwall; in 1827 assumed the name Sawle by sign manual; is a dep.-lieut. of Cornwall.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, az., three falcons' heads, erased, within a bordure, or, SAWLE; 2nd and 3rd, gu., an eagle, disp. in chief, a naval crown, between two bombs, or, fired, ppr., GRAVES.

*Seats*—Penrice, Cornwall; Barley, Devonsh.

*Heir*—Hisson Charles Brune, b. 1816.

**POWER OF KILFANE, KILKENNY.** Cr. 1836.—The HON. SIR JOHN, 1st Bt., eldest son of J. Power, Esq. of Tullaman, co. Tipperary, by the dau. of Adam Newberry, Esq. of Newberry, co. Cork; m. dau. of Gervais Parker Bushe, Esq. of Kilmone; is a dep.-lieut. of Kilkenny.

*Arms*—Ar., a bend., eng., gu., betw. two wolves' heads, erased, ppr., on a chief of the 2nd, three escallops of the field.

*Seats*—Tullaman, co. Tipperary; Kilmone, co. Kilkenny.

*Heir*—His son John.

**MACNAGHTEN OF BUSHMILLS, CO. ANTRIM.** Cr. 1826; Knt. Bachel. Cr. 1809.—The HON. SIR FRANCIS WORKMAN, 1st Bt., 2nd son of Edmund Macnaghten, Esq. of Beardville, co. Antrim, by his 2nd wife, dau. of J. Johnstone, Esq. of Belfast; is chief of the Macnaghtens; b. 1763; m. 1787, eldest dau. of Sir Wm. Dunkin, of Clogher, late judge of the Supreme Court in Calcutta; was appointed a judge of the Supreme Court at Madras in 1809, and was knighted; removed to Calcutta in 1815; retired from the bench in 1825; assumed, in 1809, the additional surname of Workman.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, gu., 1st and 4th, ar., an arm issuing from the sinister, ppr., the hand grasping a cross-croslet fitchée, az.; 2nd and 3rd, ar., a tower, gu., all within a bordure, erm., for MACNAGHTEN; 2nd and 3rd, or, three martlets, sa., between two bars, wavy, gu., in chief, three crescents, and in base a portcullis of the 2nd, for WORKMAN.

*Seats*—Bushmills, Antrim; Mahan, Armagh; Roe Park, Londonderry; Beardville, Antrim.

*Heir*—His son Edmund Charles, b. 1790; m. 1827, only child of John Gwatkin, Esq.; sometime a master in chancery in the Supreme Court at Calcutta.

**KENNEDY OF JOHNSTOWN, DUBLIN.** Cr. 1836.—The HON. SIR JOHN, 1st Bt., son of Ed. Kennedy, Esq., by the dau. of J. Bayly, Esq. of Gowran; b. 1785; m. 1819, dau. of W. Beauman, Esq. of Rutland Square, Dublin.

*Arms*—Sa., on a fesse, between three esquires' helmets, ar., a fox, cour., ppr.

*Seat*—Johnstown, co. Dublin.

*Heir*—His son Edward, b. 1820.

**HOUSTON OF COTRIOCH, RENFREWSH.** Cr. 1836.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM, 1st Bt., G.C.B., G.C.H., heir male and representative of the Houstons of Cotrioch; b. 1766; m. 1808, dau. of 7th Earl of Lauderdale, relict of Sam. Long, Esq. (she d. 1833); is a gen. in the army, and col. of the 20th foot; served at the taking of Minorca, and in the expeditions to Egypt and to Walcheren; received a medal for his services in command of a division at Fuentes d'Onor.

*Arms*—Or, a chev., chequy, ar. and sa., between three martlets, of the last.

*Heir*—His son George Augustus Frederick, b. 1809; in the army.

**HEAD OF ROCHESTER, KENT.** Cr. 1838.—The HON. SIR FRANCIS BOND, 1st Bt., K.C.H., son of J. Roper Head, by the dau. of George Burges, Esq., granddau. maternally of 10th Lord Somerville; b. 1793; m. 1816, dau. of Col. the Hon. Hugh Somerville, sister of 16th Lord Somerville; a maj. in the army, and late lieut.-gov. of Upper Canada.

*Arms*—Gu., six broken bones, two, two, and two, barwise, the joints almost meeting each other in pale, ar., a canton, erm.

*Heir*—His son Frank Somerville, b. 1817; is in the civil service of the East India Company on the Bengal establishment.

**CONROY OF LLANBRYNMAIR, MONTGOMERY.** Cr. 1837.—The HON. SIR JOHN, 1st Bt., knt. grand cross of the Portuguese order of St.

Bents d'Avis, kn't. grand cross of the Saxon order of Ernestine, K.C.H., D.C.L., &c., son of J. Ponsonby Conroy, Esq. of Bettyfield, Roscommon, by the dau. of Fran. Vernon Wilson, Esq. of Tully, co. Longford; b. 1786; m. 1808, dau. and heir of Maj.-Gen. Fisher, niece of the Rt. Rev. John Fisher, D.D., Lord Bishop of Salisbury; is on the retired list of the royal regiment of artillery; was comptroller of the household to H.R.H. the Duchess of Kent, and previously equerry to the late Duke of Kent; cr. a Bt. for his long and faithful services to those royal personages; was a commissioner of the Colonial Audit Board. By reference to the records in the office of Ulster, King of Arms, it is established that the Milesian family of Conroy derives its descent from Nial, the Great monarch of Ireland, A.D. 400. The name of this very ancient family, formerly spelt O'Mulconry and Conry, is written in Irish O'Maolcoinaire, and the present Bt. is its 48th representative, being the great-great-grandson and lineal descendant of Moylin O'Mulconry, who lived cir. 1630, and was the 43rd chief of his name, as is certified by the warranty of Ulster King of Arms. They bear for their arms an ancient book, with an Irish motto, signifying that "history once written in the book cannot be destroyed by time." These arms are official, the O'Mulconrys having held from the 11th century the hereditary office of seanachie, *i.e.*, bard, or historian, to the kings of Connaught. This post of honour and dignity gave its possessors the privilege of standing next to the royal person on the sacred hill during the ceremony of inauguration, of placing the white wand, or sceptre, in the hands of the monarch, and administering the usual oaths, &c.

*Arms*—Az., an ancient book open, indexed and edged, or, a chief, embat. of the last.

*Seats*—Llanbrynmair, Montgomeryshire; Bettyfield, Roscommon.

*Heir*—His son Edward, b. 1890; m. 1837, Lady Alicia Parsons, dau. of Laurence, Earl of Ross.

CLARK, GEORGE ST., WESTMINSTER. Cr. 1837.—The HON. SIR JAMES, 1st Bt., M.D., F.R.S., son of D. Clark, Esq. of Finlater, Banffsh., by the dau. of J. Scott, Esq. of Glassaugh; b. 1788; m. 1820, only dau. of Rev. J. Stephen, LL.D.; is first physician in ordinary to the Queen and Prince Albert; a member of the senate of the University of London.

*Arms*—Gu., a fesse, chequy, arg. and az., between two crescents in chief, and a lion pass., guard., in base, or.

*Residence*—21, George Street, Hanover Square, London.

*Heir*—His son John Forbes, b. 1821.

WOOD OF HATHERLEY HOUSE, GLOUCESTERSH. Cr. 1837.—The HON. SIR MATTHEW, 1st Bt., son of William Wood, Esq. of Exeter, and afterwards of Tiverton, by his marriage with Miss Cat. Cluse; b. 1768; m. 1795, dau. of J. Page, Esq. of Woodbridge, Suffolk; has repres. London in parliament since 1812.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, ar. and or, a mace, represent. that of the lord-mayor of London, in pale, between an oak tree, on a mount vert, fructed, ppr., and in the 2nd and 3rd, a bull's head, erased, sa., charged on the neck with a bizant.

*Seat*—Hatherley House, Gloucestersh.

*Heir*—His son Rev. J. Page, b. 1796.

O'LOGHLEN OF DUBLIN. Cr. 1838.—The HON. SIR MICHAEL O'LOGHLEN, 1st Bt., P.C., 4th son of Colman O'Loghlen, Esq. of Port, co. Clare, by his 2nd wife, dau. of Michael Finnucane, Esq., M.D. of Ennis; b. 1789; m. 1817, dau. of Daniel Kelly, Esq. of Dublin; was solicitor-gen. for Ireland from July to Dec. 1834; resumed his office in April, 1835, and in the autumn following was made attorney-general.

*Arms*—Gu., a man in armour, shooting long bow towards the sin., all ppr.

HERSCHELL OF LONDON. Cr. 1838, K. H. 1831.—The HON. SIR JOHN FREDERICK WILLIAM, 1st Bt., son of Sir Wm. Herschell, K.C.H., the celebrated astronomer, by the dau. of Adee Baldwin, Esq. of Slough, relict of J. Pitt, Esq.; b. 1792; m. 1829, dau. of Rev. Alex. Stewart, D.D. of Strathgarry, Perthshire.

*Arms*—Ar., on a mount, vert, a telescope, ppr., on a chief, az., the symbol of the "Georgium Sidus" irradiated, or.

*Seat*—Slough, Bucks.

*Heir*—His son Wm. James, b. 1833.

**BULWER OF KNEBWORTH, HERTS.** Cr. 1838.—The HON. SIR EDWARD GEORGE EARLE LYTON, 1st Bt., 3rd son of Gen. Wm. Earle Bulwer, of Heydon Hall, Norfolk, by the dau. of R. Warburton Lytton, Esq. of Knebworth Park, Hertfordsh.; b. 1805; m. 1827, dau. of the late Francis Massey Wheeler, Esq. of Lizzard-Connel, Limerick, great-grand-dau. of Hugh Lord Massey; represented St. Ives in 1831, and Lincoln from 1832 to 1841; is author of various popular works.

*Arms*—Gu., on a chev., ar., between three eaglets, regardant, or, as many cinquefoils, sa.

*Seat*—Berrymead Priory, Middlesex.

*Heir*—His son Edw. Robert, b. 1832.

**SMITH OF LONDON.** Cr. 1838.—The HON. SIR LIONEL, 1st Bt., K.C.B., G.C.H., son of Benjamin Smith, Esq. of Lys, Hampshire, by the dau. of Nicholas Turner, Esq. of Bignor Park, Sussex; b. 1778; m. 1st, dau. of T. Galway, Esq. of Kilkerry, co. Kerry; 2ndly, 1819, dau. of Eldred Curwen Pottinger, Esq., of Mount Pottinger, co. Down; entered the army in 1795; attained the rank of lieutenant-gen. in 1837; was, for some years, governor of Jamaica, and is now governor of the Mauritius; obtained the colonelcy of the 40th foot in Feb. 1837; has served, with much distinction, both in the West and East Indies; was presented with a service of plate by his friends at Bombay.

*Arms*—Ar., on a bend, cottised, betw. two unicorns' heads, erased, az., three fusils, or, on a cant. gu., a sword erect, ppr., the blade encircled with an east. crown, or.

**FLEETWOOD OF ROSSALL HALL, LANCASTER.** Cr. 1838.—The HON. SIR PETER HESKETH, 1st Bt., son of R. Hesketh, Esq. of Rossall, by the dau. of H. Rawlinson, Esq., many years M.P. for Liverpool; b. 1801; m. 1st, Eliza, dau. of Sir Theophilus Metcalf, Bt.;

2ndly, Virginie Marie, dau. of Senor Pedro Garcia, who is descended from the ancient family of the Garcias, Counts of Castile; is the great-grandson of Roger Hesketh, Esq. of North Meols, who m. Margaret, dau. and heiress of Ed. Fleetwood, Esq. of Rossall; is therefore connected with the ancient branch of the Fleetwood family; formerly of Clapham, Surrey, and with the celebrated General Fleetwood, of the time of Charles I.; is patron of five livings; a dep.-lieut. of Lancash.; has represented Preston since 1832.

*Arms*—Per pale, nebuly, az. and or, six martlets, two, two, and two, changed, a cant., ar.

*Seat*—Rossall Hall, Lancash.

*Heir*—His son.

**CROMPTON OF WOODEND, YORKSH.** Cr. 1838.—The HON. SIR SAMUEL, 1st Bt., son of S. Crompton, Esq., by the dau. of Sam. Fox, Esq. of Derby; b. 1785; m. 1825, 6th dau. of the Hon. and Rev. Arch. Hamilton Cathcart, and niece of the 1st Earl Cathcart; represented Retford in parliament from 1818 till 1826, Derby till 1830, and Thirsk from 1834 to 1841; is a dep.-lieut. of Yorksh.

*Arms*—Vert, on a bend, ar., double cottised, erm., between two covered cups, or, a lion pass., gu., on a chief, az., three pheons, of the 4th.

*Seat*—Wood End, Thirsk, Yorksh.

**EDWARDS OF GARTH, MONTGOMERYSH.** Cr. 1838.—The HON. SIR JOHN, 1st Bt., son of the late J. Edwards, Esq., by the dau. and heir of R. Owen, of Garth, Montgomeryshire; b. 1770; m. 1st, 1792, eldest dau. and co-heir of Col. T. Browne, of Millington Hall; 2ndly, 1825, dau. of Rev. Chas. Johnson, grand-dau. of Dr. Wiles, archdeacon of Wells, and relict of J. O. Herbert, Esq. of Dolvorgan; is lieut.-col. of the volunteers and local militia of the western division of Montgomerysh.; was at Queen's College, Oxford; represented the Montgomery district of burghs in parliament from 1832 to 1841.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, gu., gu. and or, a fesse between four lions, pas-

sant, guardant, all counterchanged; 2nd and 3rd, sa., on a fesse, between a lion ramp., in chief, ar., and a fleur-de-lis, in base, or, three snakes interlaced, ppr.

*Seats*—Garth, Llanidloes; Greenfield, Machynlleth, Montgomerysh.

**BOILEAU OF TRACOLNESTONE HALL, NORFOLK.** Cr. 1838.—The **HON. SIR JOHN PETER**, 1st Bt., son of J. P. Boileau, Esq., by the eldest dau. and co-heir of the Rev. J. Pollen, of Little Bookham, Surrey; b. 1794; m. 1825, 3rd dau. of the 1st Earl of Minto. One of the ancestors of his family, Charles Boileau, a French refugee, commanded a corps of French gentlemen at Blenheim, under the Duke of Marlborough.

*Arms*—Az., a castle, triple-towered, and in base, a crescent, or.

*Seat*—Tracolnestone Hall, Norfolk.

*Heir*—His son John Elliott, b. 1827.

**GRANT OF BALLINDALLOCK, ELGINSH.** Cr. 1838.—The **HON. SIR GEORGE MACPHERSON**, 1st Bt., son of Capt. J. Grant, by the dau. of T. Wilson, Esq. of Wilton Gilbert, Durham; b. 1781; m. 1803, eldest dau. of T. Carnegy, Esq. of Craigs, Forfarshire; represented Sutherlandshire in parliament from 1809 till 1826; assumed the name of Grant in addition to his patronymic, Macpherson, on succeeding as heir of provision to his father's maternal uncle, Gen. J. Grant.

*Arms*—Gu., a target, between three antique crowns, or.

*Seats*—Ballindallock, Elginshire; Invereshie, Inverness-shire.

*Heir*—His son John, b. 1804; m. 1836, eldest dau. of M. N. Campbell, Esq. of Ballimore, Argyleshire; was some time secretary of legation at Lisbon.

**HOWARD OF BUSHY PARK, WICKLOW.** Cr. 1838.—The **HON. SIR RALPH**, 1st Bt., M.P., son of the **HON. Hugh Howard** (4th son of the 1st Earl of Wicklow), by the 2nd dau. of Dean (Bligh) of Elphin, niece of 1st Earl of Darnley; m. 1837, Lady Fraser; is a dep.-lieut. of Wicklow; col. of the Wicklow militia; has represented that county in parliament since 1829.

*Arms*—Gu., a bend, between six cross-crosslets fitchée, ar., on a canton, az., a sun in splendour, or, a crescent for difference.

*Seat*—Bushy Park, Wicklow.

**MICKLETHWAYT OF IRIDGE PLACE, SUSSEX.** Cr. 1838.—The **HON. SIR SOTHERTON BRANTHWAYT PECKHAM**, 1st Bt., 2nd son of N. Micklethwayt, Esq., by the dau. of Miles Branthwayt, Esq. of Taversham, Norfolk; b. 1786; mar. 1809, dau. of W. Hanbury, Esq. of Kelmars, sister of 1st Lord Bateman; in 1824, assumed the additional name of Peckham, by sign manual; was some time a captain in the 3rd dragoon guards. This family is descended from Sir Wm. Micklethwayth, living temp. Henry VIII.

*Arms*—Chequy, ar. and gu., a chief, indented, az., a crescent for difference.

*Seat*—Iridge Place, Sussex.

**DUNLOP OF DUNLOP, AYRSH.** Cr. 1838.—The **HON. SIR JAMES**, 2nd Bt., son of the 1st Bt., by his 1st wife, dau. of Gen. Sir R. Downes Jackson, K.C.H.; b. 1830; s. his fa. in 1789. The 1st Bart. represented Ayrshire in parliament, of which co. he was dep.-lieut.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, ar., an eagle, displayed, with two heads, gu.; 2nd and 3rd, quart., 1st and 4th, gu., a lion rampant, ar.; 2nd and 3rd, gu., a fesse, chequy, ar. and az.

*Seat*—Dunlop, Ayrshire.

**SHAKERLEY OF SOMERFORD PARK, CHESTER.** Cr. 1838.—The **HON. SIR CHARLES PETER**, 1st Bt., eldest son of C. Watkin J. Buckworth, Esq. (who assumed the name of Shakerley in 1790), by the dau. of J. Moreland, Esq. of Coplethwaite, Westmorland; b. 1792; m. 1st, 1819, Laure, dau. of the Marq. D'Avaray (which marriage was dissolved in 1820); 2ndly, 1831, dau. of J. Scott, Esq. of Rotherfield Park, Hants; served the office of high-sheriff of Cheshire in 1837.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev., between three hillocks, vert.

*Seat*—Somersford Park, Cheshire.

*Heir*—His son by the 2nd marriage, Charles Watkin; b. 1833.

**SEALE OF MOUNT BOONE, DEVON.** Cr. 1838.—The HON. SIR JOHN HENRY, 1st Bt., son of John Seale, Esq., by the dau. of C. Heyne, Esq. of Lupton; b. 1785; m. 1804, dau. of Sir Paul Jodrell, Bârt.; is lieut.-col. of the South Devon militia; patron of two livings; has represented Dartmouth in parliament since 1832.

*Arms*—Or, two barrulets, az., between three wolves' heads, erased, sa., in the fesse point, a mural crown, gu.

*Seat*—Mount Boone, Devonshire.

*Heir*—His son Henry Paul, b. 1806.

**ELTON OF WIDWORTHY COURT, DEVON.** Cr. 1838.—The HON. SIR EDWARD MARWOOD, 1st Bt., son of J. M. Elton, Esq., high-sheriff of Devon in 1815, by the dau. of Edward Storey, Esq. of Sussex. Assumed the name of Marwood in 1830, as representative of the family of that name; is descended from the Eltons of Bristol; is a dep.-lieut. of Devonshire.

*Arms*—Paly of six, or and gu., on a bend, sa., a quatrefoil between two mullets, of the first.

*Seat*—Widworthy Court, Devonsh.

**ADAIR OF FLIXTON HALL, SUFFOLK.** Cr. 1838.—The HON. SIR ROBERT SHAFTO, 1st Bt., son of Wm. Adair, Esq. of Pole House, Devonshire, by the dau. of Robert Shafto, Esq. of Benwell, Northumberland; b. 1786; m. 1810, dau. of Rev. J. Strobe, of Berkhamstead, Herts.

*Arms*—Per bend, ar. and or, three dexter hands, coupéd and erect, gu.

*Seats*—Flixton Hall, Suffolk; Ballymona, Antrim.

*Heir*—His son Robert Alexander Shafto, b. 1811; m. 1836, dau. of the Hon. Gen. R. Mead, (she was b. 1811.)

**FOSTER OF THE CITY OF NORWICH.** Cr. 1838.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM, 1st Bt., son of W. Foster, Esq., by his 2nd wife, dau. of J. Beevor, Esq., M.D., of Norwich; b. 1798; m. 1821, dau. of Starling Day, Esq. of Norwich.

*Arms*—Ar., two chevrs., az., betw. three bugle horns, sa., stringed, gu., between the chevrs., two stags' heads, erased, ppr.

*Residence*—Norwich.

*Heir*—His son William, b. 1825.

**CLIFFORD OF WESTMINSTER.** Cr. 1838.—The HON. SIR AUGUSTUS WILLIAM JAMES, 1st Bt., C.B.; m. 2nd dau. of Lord J. Townshend, grand-dau. of 1st Marq. of Townshend; a post-captain in the navy; gentleman usher of the black rod.

*Arms*—Chequy, or and az., on a chief, ar., a mullet, of the second.

*Heir*—His son William John Cavendish; b. 1814; a lieut. in the navy.

**NORREYS OF MALLOW, CORK.** Cr. 1838.—The HON. SIR CHARLES DENHAM ORLANDO JEPHSON, 1st Bt., son of Wm. Jephson, Esq., by the dau. of C. Kensington, Esq. of Blackheath; b. 1799; m. 1821, dau. of Wm. Franks, Esq. of Carrig, co. Cork; in 1838 assumed the name of Norreys, to mark his descent from Sir J. Jephson, of Froyle, who m. temp. James I., the dau. and heir of Sir T. Norreys (son of Henry Lord Norreys, of Ricote), lord president of Munster; is patron of one living; lord of the manor of Mallow, and a dep.-lieut. of the co. of Cork; has sat for Mallow in parliament since 1826; the representation of Mallow has continued in the family through seven generations since 1692.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, ar. and gu., a fesse, az., and in the 2nd and 3rd a fret, or, a crescent for difference.

*Seat*—Mallow Castle, co. Cork.

*Heir*—His son Denham William.

**FORREST OF COMMISTON, MID-LOTHIAN.** Cr. 1838.—The RIGHT HON. SIR JAMES, 1st Bt., lord provost of Edinburgh, son of J. Forrest, Esq., by the only dau. of J. Forrest, Esq. of Commiston, Mid-Lothian; b. 1780; m. 1810, dau. of A. Horsbrugh, Esq. of Horsbrugh, Peeblesh.; was appointed lord provost of the city of Edinburgh in 1838, which office he continues to hold.

*Arms*—Ar., on a mount, vert., three oak trees, ppr., on a chief, gu., three ears of rye, or, the whole within a bordure, erm.

*Seat*—Commiston Hall, near Edinburgh.

*Heir*—His son Thomas, born 1814.

**ROCHE OF CARASS, LIMERICK.** Cr. 1838.—The HON. SIR DAVID, 1st Bt., M.P., son of the late David Roche, Esq. of Carass, co. Limerick, by his first wife, dau. of W. Maunsell, Esq. of Limerick; b. 1791; m. 1825, 2nd dau. of Col. J. Ormsby Vandeleur, of Maddinstown, co. Kildare, (she died 1841;) has represented Limerick in parliament since 1832; his grand-fa. was mayor of Limerick in 1749.

*Arms*—Gu., three roaches, naient in pale, ppr., within a bordure, eng., ar.

*Seat*—Carass, co. Limerick; Barne-tick, co. Clare.

*Heir*—His son David Vandeleur, born 1833.

**HEYWOOD OF CLAREMONT, LANCASH.** Cr. 1838.—The HON. SIR BENJ., 1st Bt., son of N. Heywood, Esq., Banker, of Manchester, by the dau. of T. Perceval, Esq., M.D.; b. 1793; m. 1816, only dau. of T. Robinson, Esq. of Manchester; is a banker at Manchester; has represented Lancash. in parliament, and is a dep.-lieut. of the county.

*Arms*—Ar., three torteaux in bend, between two bendlets, gu., on a canton, of the last, a cross-patée, or.

*Seat*—Claremont, near Manchester.

*Heir*—His son Thos. Perceval, born 1823.

**WORSLEY OF HOVINGHAM, YORK.** Cr. 1838.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM, 1st Bt., son of the Rev. G. Worsley, of Hovingham Hall, and Scawton, Yorksh., by the 4th dau. of Sir Thos. Cayley, Bt. of Brompton, Yorksh.; b. 1792; m. 1827, 4th dau. of Sir G. Cayley, Bt.; is a dep.-lieut. and a magistrate for the North Riding of Yorkshire.

*Arms*—Ar., a chief, gu.

*Seat*—Hovingham Hall, Yorkshire.

*Heir*—His son Thomas Robinson, born 1827.

**MENTEATH OF CLOSEBURN, DUMFRIESH.** Cr. 1838.—The HON. SIR CHARLES GRANVILLE STUART, 1st Bt., only son of the late Rev. J. Stuart-Menteath, of Closeburn Hall, Dumfriessh., and rector of Barrowby, Lincolnsh., by the 4th dau. of the Rev. Granville Wheeler, of Otter-

den Place, Kent, (grand-dau., mater-nally, of the 7th Earl of Huntingdon;) b. 1669; m. 1791, dau. of Thos. Loughnan, Esq. of Madeira. This family claim to be representa-tives of the ancient Earls of Menteath.

*Arms*—Quart., 1st and 4th, or, a bend chequy, ar. and sa.; 2nd and 3rd, az., three buckles, or, all within a bor-dure, gu.

*Seats*—Closeburn Hall, Dumfriessh.; Mansfield, Ayrshire.

*Heir*—His son James Stuart.

**MONEY OF HORN-HOUSE, HERE-FORD.** Cr. 1838.—The HON. SIR J. KYRLE, 1st Bt., son of W. Money, Esq. of Much Marcle, by the dau. of W. Webster, Esq. of Stockton-upon-Tees; m. 1811, eldest dau. of Robt. Taylor, Esq. of Gloucester Place, Portman Square; in 1809, assumed the additional name of Kyrle; attained the rank of a major-gen. in the army in 1837; is a dep.-lieut. of Herefordshire; is descended from Walter Kyrle, Esq., of the Hill, living in 1489. The Man of Ross was a member of this family.

*Arms*—Chequy, ar. and gu., on a chief, sa., three eaglets displayed, or.

*Seat*—Horn-House, Herefordshire; Whetham, Wiltshire; Pitsford, North-amptonshire.

**GUEST OF DOWLAIS, GLAMOR-GANSH.** Cr. 1838.—The HON. SIR JOSIAH JOHN, 1st Bt.; b. 1785; m. 1st, 1817, dau. of W. Ranken, Esq.; 2ndly, 1833, 2nd dau. of 9th Earl of Lindsey; is an eminent iron-master at Merthyr Tydvil; represented Honiton in the parliaments of 1826 and 1830; lost his seat in 1831; has represented Merthyr Tydvil since 1832.

*Arms*—Az., on a chev., or, betw. three swans' necks, eras., ppr., as many crosses, sa.

*Seat*—Dowlais, Glamorganshire.

*Heir*—His son Ivor Bertie, b. 1835.

**BELLEW OF MOUNT BELLEW, GALWAY.** Cr. 1838.—The HON. SIR MICHAEL DILLON, 1st Bt., son of Christopher Bellew, Esq., by the dau. of Lord Riverston; m. dau. of T. Dillon, Esq. of Eddeston, co. Kil-dare.



*Arms*—Sa., fretty, or, a crescent, ar. for difference.

*Seat*—Mount Bellew, co. Galway.

*Heir*—His son Christopher.

**HALL OF LLANOVER COURT, MONMOUTHSH.** Cr. 1838.—The HON. SIR BENJAMIN, 1st Bt., M.P., son of B. Hall, Esq., by the dau. of Wm. Crawshay, of Cyfarthfa, Glamorgansh.; b. 1802; m. 1823, dau. and co-heir of Benj. Waddington, Esq. of Llanover Court, Monmouthshire; is a dep.-lieut. of Monmouthshire; has represented Marylebone since Nov. 1837. This Bt's fa. was many years in parliament for Totness, &c.

*Arms*—Per pale, ar. and or, on a chev. between three talbots' heads, erased, sa., murally gorged, or, as many hawks' lures, or, tasseled, ar.

*Seats*—Llanover Court, and Abercarn, Monmouthshire.

*Heir*—His son Benjamin Hanbury Stuart, born 1826.

**EAST OF HALL PLACE, BERKS.** Cr. 1838. — The HON. SIR EAST GEORGE CLAYTON, 1st Bt., 2nd son of Sir Wm. Clayton, Bt., by the dau. of Sir Wm. East, 1st Bt., a title extinguished in its second holder; b. 1794; m. 1815, eldest dau. of Chas. Bishop, late procurator-gen.; assumed the name of East on inheriting, in 1829, the estates of his uncle, Sir G. East, 2nd Bt.; is a dep.-lieut. of Berkshire.

*Arms*—Sa., on a chev., betw. three horses' heads, erased, ar., as many horse-shoes of the field.

*Seat*—Hall Place, Berkshire.

*Heir*—His son Gilbert East, b. 1823.

**CROFTON OF LONGFORD HOUSE, SLIGO.** Cr. 1838.—The HON. SIR JAMES, Kt., 1st Bt., son of Malby Crofton, Esq., by the second dau. of Ignatius Kelly, of Cargins, in the co. of Roscommon.; b. 1771; m. 1794, eldest dau. of Rev. J. Lister, D.D., of Rocksavage; is a dep.-lieut. of Sligo.

*Arms*—Per pale, dancetté, or and az., a lion passant, counterchanged.

*Seat*—Longford House, co. Sligo.

*Heir*—His son Malby, m. dau. of Andrew Park, Esq. of Sligo.

**CRAMPTON OF LOGH BRAY, WICKLOW.** Cr. 1839.—The HON. SIR PHILIP, 1st Bt., M.D., F.R.S., surgeon-general to the forces in Ireland; b. 1779; m. Selina, d. of the late Major P. H. Cannen, of Littleton. This family descends from John Crampton, Esq. of South Cottingham, Notts, whose son, John, settled in Ireland in the reign of Charles II.

*Arms*—Sa., an esquire's helmet, ppr., between two lions pass., guard., or; in chief, a rose, ar.; a canton, quarterly, ar. and gu.; in the 1st quarter, a lion passant, az.

*Residence*—Merrion Square, Dublin.

*Heir ap.*—His son John, attachée to the British embassy at Brussels.

**MARSH OF DUBLIN.** Cr. 1839, —The HON. SIR HENRY, M.R.I.A., physician to the Queen in Ireland; m. Anne, dau. of Thomas Crowe, Esq. of Ennis, and has issue.

*Arms*—Gu., a horse's head, coupé, or, betw. two trefoils, in chief, and a fleur-de-lis in base, ar., quarterly with TAYLOR.

*Residence*—Dublin.

*Heir ap.*—His son Henry.

**POTTINGER OF MOUNT POTTINGER, DOWN.** Cr. 1839.—His EXCELLENCY SIR HENRY, 1st Bt., 5th son of Eldred Curwen Pottinger, Esq. of Mount Pottinger, co. Down, by the only dau. of R. Gordon, Esq. of Florida House, Devonsh.; m. 1820, eldest dau. of R. Cooke, Esq., (a younger branch of the Cookes, of Cookesborough, Westmeath,) is a major-general in the service of the E. I. Co., on the Bombay establishment, and was for many years political resident at Cutch and Sindh; received his baronetcy for the manner in which he discharged his duties at these courts; was appointed, in May, 1841, minister plenipotentiary to China for the settlement of the differences with that country, which he has accomplished in a manner which has entitled him to the thanks of both houses of Parliament.

*Seat*—Mount Pottinger, co. Down.

*Heir*—His son Frederick William, b. 1831.

**SPEARMAN OF HANWELL, MIDDLESEX.** Cr. 1840.—The HON. SIR ALEXANDER YOUNG, 1st Bt., eldest son of Alex. Young Spearman, Esq., major in the royal artillery, by the dau. of J. Morton, Esq. of Bonar Hill, Lanarkshire; b. 1793; m. 1826, dau. of Duncan Campbell, Esq. of Inveraw, Argyleshire; was many years assistant-secretary to the lords of the Treasury; is descended from J. Spearman, Esq., under-sheriff of Durham temp. Charles II.

*Arms*—Az., on a chev., erm., betw. three tilting-spears, ar., headed, or, a red deer's head, erased, ppr.

*Seat*—Hanwell, Middlesex.

*Heir*—His son Alexander Young, b. 1832.

**STOCKENSTROM OF MAAS STROM, CAPE OF GOOD HOPE.** Cr. 1840.—The HON. SIR ANDRIES, 1st Bt., eld. son of Andries Stockenstrom, Esq. of Stockholm, (afterwards chief magistrate of Graaffreinet, at the Cape of Good Hope,) by the dau. of J. Broeders, Esq. of the Cape of Good Hope; b. 1772; m. 1828, dau. of Gysbert H. Maasdorp, of the Cape of Good Hope; is a captain in the Corsican Rangers; was lieut.-governor of the eastern division of the Cape Colony.

*Arms*—Per fesse, ar. and or, a fesse, wavy, az., between a sword and branch of laurel, in salt., ppr., passing through the ring of the astronomical character of Mars, sa., in chief, and the stump of a tree, one branch sprouting from the dexter side thereof, issuing from water in base, all ppr.

**LYONS OF WESTMINSTER.** Cr. 1840.—His EXCELLENCY, SIR EDMUND, 1st Bt., K.C.H., son of John Lyons, Esq. of Lyons, in Antigua, and of St. Austen's, Hants, by the dau. of Mainswete Walrond, Esq. of Mountrath, co. Devon; b. 1790; m. 1814, dau. of Capt. Josias Rogers, R.N., and has issue two sons and two daus., the Countess of Arundel and Surrey, and the Baroness Philip de Wurtzburgh; attained the rank of captain in the navy in 1814; was midshipman of the Active at the passage of the Dardanelles; served at the capture of Java; commanded

the Blonde, at the taking of Morea Castle from the Turks, in 1818; is a Knt. of St. Louis, and of the Redeemer, of Greece. Sir Edmund is the present British minister at the court of Athens.

*Residence*—At Athens.

*Heir ap.*—His eldest son Bickerton, attachée to his father in Greece.

**WILLSHIRE OF WESTMINSTER.** Cr. 1840; K.C.B. 1839.—The HON. SIR THOMAS, eldest son of Capt. J. Willshire, by the dau. of W. Linden, Esq. of Dublin; b. 1783; is unmar.; attained the rank of col. in the army in 1837; was appointed lieut.-col. of the 2nd foot in 1827; possesses the local rank of a major-general in India; was appointed to the command of the troops at Chatham in Dec. 1841; was cr. a Bt. in 1839, for his services in Afghanistan, at the siege of Ghuznee, and the capture of Khelat; in 1841 received permission to wear the Order of the Dooranee empire, conferred on him by his Majesty the King of Afghanistan, for distinguished services in that country.

*Residence*—Chatham.

**BUXTON OF BELLFIELD, DORSETSH.** Cr. 1840.—The HON. SIR THOMAS FOWELL, 1st Bt., eldest son of Thos. Fowell Buxton, Esq. of Earl's Colne, Essex, by the dau. of Osgood Hanbury, Esq. of Coggeshall, Essex; b. 1786; m. 1807; 5th dau. of J. Gurney, Esq. of Earham Hall, Norfolk; was long distinguished as the leading advocate of measures for the abolition of slavery; represented the borough of Weymouth in parliament from 1818 till 1837.

*Seats*—Bellfield, Dorsetshire; North Repps Hall, Norfolk.

*Heir*—His son Edward North, born 1812.

**STUART OF CANADA.** Cr. 1840.—The HON. SIR JAMES STUART, 1st Bt.; is chief justice of the province of Lower Canada, which office he has discharged with high satisfaction for many years.

*Residence*—Canada.

**PELLY OF UPTON, ESSEX.** Cr. 1840.—The HON. SIR JOHN HENRY, 1st Bt., F.R.S., eldest son of J. Hinde Pelly, Esq. of Upton, Essex; b. 1777; m. 1807, 6th dau. of H. Boulton, Esq. of Thorncroft, Leatherhead, Surrey; is gov. of the Hudson's Bay Company, dep.-master of the Trinity House, dep.-gov. of the Bank of England, dep.-lieut. and magistrate of the county of Essex.

*Arms*—Or, on a bend, engr., az., between two trefoils, three martlets.

*Seat*—Upton, Essex.

*Heir*—His son John Henry, m. 1840, youngest dau. of the late J. Carstairs, Esq. of Stratford Green, Essex.

**CHICHESTER OF ARLINGTON COURT.** Cr. 1840.—The HON. SIR JOHN PALMER BRUCE, 1st Bt., son of J. P. B. Chichester, Esq., by his 2nd wife, the eldest dau. of J. Hamilton, Esq. (and niece of J. Bruce, the traveller;) is descended from a common ancestor with the Marquises of Donegal; is cousin to Sir Chas. Chichester, Knt.; m. 1838, dau. of Thos. Thistlethwayte, Esq. of Southwick Park, Hants, and has issue a dau.; was appointed a lieut. in the navy in 1816; is patron of six livings; represented Barnstaple in parliament from 1831 to 1841; is a dep.-lieut. of Devonshire. The Chichesters of Arlington claim a common ancestor with the ancient house of Chichester, of Raleigh, and separated from that parent stem in the 14th century. The surname was anciently written "De Cirencester," and the family appears to have been one of the most eminent in the co. of Devon for its antiquity, estates, employments, and alliances. Westcote's pedigree in Chichester MSS., in the British Museum, states that it flourished for many generations prior to 1216, at South Pole, in the co. of Devon, where its most ancient seat was, but marrying the heiress of Sir William Raleigh, of Raleigh, near Barnstaple, it took up its residence in the north part of that co. some time in the 14th century.

*Arms*—Chequy, or and gu., a chief, vair.

*Seat*—Arlington Court, Devonshire.

**ARTHUR OF WESTMINSTER.** Cr. 1841.—The HON. SIR GEORGE, 1st Bt., K.C.H., entered the army in 1804, as ensign in the 91st foot; attained the rank of a col. in 1837; possesses the local rank of a major-gen. of 1837 in Upper Canada, of which he was appointed lieut.-gov.; was in 1819 placed on half-pay, as lieut.-col. of the York chasseurs, and was raised to the dignity of Bart. on retiring from that office.

**COUPER OF WESTMINSTER.** Cr. 1841.—The HON. SIR GEORGE, K.H., C.B., and col. in the army; is comptroller of the household of H.R.H. the Duchess of Kent; m. in 1822, Elizabeth, dau. of Sir John Wilson, of the Howe, Westmoreland, and has issue.

*Arms*—Or., on a chev., gu., charged with another, erm., between three laurel leaves, slipped, vert.

**DYMOKE OF SCRIVELSBY COURT, LINCOLNSH.** Cr. 1841.—The HON. SIR HENRY, 1st Bt., lord of the manor of Scrivelsby, and 17th Hereditary Champion of the English Crown, a knight grand cross of the Sovereign Order of St. John of Jerusalem, and Grand Prior of the Langue of England; b. 1801; m. 1823, Emma, dau. of W. Pearse, Esq. of Weasenhall, Norfolk, by whom he has one dau. Emma Jane; officiated as Champion at the magnificent coronation of King George IV. in 1821, when he rode into the banquetting hall, supported on his right hand by his Grace the Duke of Norfolk, K.G., Earl Marshal, and on his left by his Grace the Duke of Wellington, K.G., Lord High Constable. This noble family, which, from the period of the Norman conquest, has stood at the head of the CHIVALRY OF ENGLAND, is one of the most eminent and distinguished in Christendom, whether as regards antiquity of origin, splendour of alliance, or historical reminiscences. It derives

the high office of Champion from the celebrated house of Marmyun or Marmyon, feudal lords of Scrivelsby, to which manor it is attached. Sir John Dymok, grandson of Henry Dymok, who lived in the reign of Edward III., m. Margaret, dau. and sole heiress of Sir Thomas de Ludlow, by Joan, his wife, dau. and co-heiress of Philip de Marmion. He represented Lincoln in parliament in the 46th and 47th of Edward III., and discharged the office of champion at the coronation of Richard II. Sir Thomas Dymok, K.B., rode as champion at the coronation of Henry IV. Sir Philip Dymok officiated at the coronation of Henry VI. In the reign of Edward IV., Sir Thomas Dymok was champion, and made a conspicuous figure in the transactions of the time. His son, Sir Robert Dymok, was a knight-banneret, and one of the principal commanders at the siege of Tournay, where, after the surrender of the city, he was appointed king's treasurer. He rode as champion at the coronations of Richard III., Henry VII., and Henry VIII. Sir Edward Dymoke was champion at the coronations of Edward VI., Queen Mary, and Queen Elizabeth. His grandson, Sir Edward Dymoke, rode at the coronation of James I. His son and successor, Charles, was a zealous supporter of his unfortunate sovereign, King Charles I., and d. unm., when the manor of Scrivelsby and the office of champion devolved on his cousin and next male heir, Sir Edward Dymoke, who rode at the coronation of King Charles II. His son, Sir Charles, officiated as champion at the coronation of James II. Charles Dymoke, lord of the manor of Scrivelsby, and son of the last, fulfilled the duties of champion at the coronation of William and Mary, and the coronation of Queen Anne. The championship was discharged at the coronations of the two first monarchs of the Brunswick line by Lewis Dymoke, lord of the manor of Scrivelsby, and his grandson, John Dymoke, rode as champion at the coronation

of King George III. The family have intermarried with the noble and ancient houses of Ludlow, Hebden, Conyers, Welles, Talboys, Poulteney, Cressy, Rockingham, Holmes, Elphinstone, &c.

*Arms*—Sa., two lions passant, ar., crowned, or, quartering MARMYON, LUDLOW, and many others.

*Seat*—Scrivelsby Court, near Horn-castle, Lincolnshire.

*Heir pres.*—His bro. John Dymoke, Esq.

**TRAFFORD OF TRAFFORD, LANCASTER.** Cr. 1841.—The HON. SIR THOMAS JOSEPH, 1st Bt., eldest surviving son of the late J. Trafford, Esq. of Croston and Trafford, by the dau. of S. W. Tempest, Esq., of Broughton, Yorksh.; b. 1778; m. 1803, the 3rd dau. and co-heir of F. Colman, Esq. of Hillersdon, Devonsh.; is a dep.-lieut. of Lancash.; filled the office of high-sheriff in 1834; received his baronetcy immediately before the retirement of the Melbourne ministry from office in 1841. This noble family is of very high antiquity, having from a period antecedent to the Conquest preserved an unbroken male descent. Randolphus de Trafford, who flourished "ante conquestum," as family records shew, was fa. of another Randolphus, of whom mention is made in two deeds to "Randolphus filius Randulphi," by which it appears that Randolphus, the father, "was then dead, and had flourished in King Canute the Dane, his time, about the year 1030, and perhaps died after in Sir Edward the Confessor his time, about the year 1050; hee had noe surname, as then few of our Saxon nobilitie or gentry had."

*Arms*—Ar., a griffin, segreant, gu., quartering VENABLES, FITTON, MASSEY, THORNTON, &c.

*Seat*—Trafford Park, Lancashire.

*Heir*—His son Humphrey, b. 1808.

**LAWSON OF BROUGH HALL, YORK.** Cr. 1841.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM, 1st Bt., F.S.A., 2nd son of the late J. Wright, Esq. of Kelve-ton, Essex, by the dau. and co-heir of Sir J. Lawson, Bt. of Brough Hall,

Yorksh.; b. 1796; m. 1825. This noble family is of considerable antiquity, being seated at Burwell, and afterwards at Allindell, in Northumberland, several generations prior to the reign of Henry VIII. It has interm. with the best and oldest families in the North, the Howards of Naworth Castle, Constables, Fenwicks, Stapletons, &c.

*Arms*—Ar., a chev., between three martlets, sa.

*Seat*—Borough Hall, co. York.

**TEMPEST OF BROUGHTON HALL, YORKSH.** Cr. 1841.—The **HON. SIR CHARLES ROBERT**, 1st Bt., eldest son of the late S. Tempest, Esq. of Broughton, by the 2nd dau. of H. Blundell, Esq. of Ince Blundell, Lancash.; b. 1794; was created a Bt. a short time previous to the resignation of the Melbourne ministry in 1841. This family is sprung from John Tempest, lord of Bracewell and Waddington, lineally descended from Roger Tempest, who flourished temp. *Henry I.*, when his name is subscribed to several charters cited in the *Monasticon*. He m. Mary, dau. of Sir Hugh Clitheroe, Knt., and had issue two sons, from the second of whom, Sir Richard, descend the Tempests of Holmside, Stella, Stanley, Studley, and Wynward. His eldest son, Sir John Tempest, was one of the confederacy under Thomas Plantagenet, Earl of Lancaster, that subverted the power of the favourite Gaveston, temp. Edw. II. Sir John Tempest, his eldest son, living in the 23rd of Edw. III., mar. Mary, dau. of Sir Robert Holland, Knt., and sister of Thomas Holland, Earl of Kent, K.G., and left a son and successor, Sir Richard Tempest, Knt. of Bracewell, living in the reign of Richard II., who m. Isobel, dau. and heir of Sir John Leygard, Knt., and had issue two sons. The eldest was Sir Piers Tempest, who was one of the heroes of Agincourt, whose male line is now extinct; and, 2nd, Roger Tempest, high sheriff of Yorksh. in 1434, who m. Katharine, dau. and heir of Sir

Piers Gilliot, Lord of Broughton, Burnsall, and Thorpe, and was the founder of the great house of Tempest of Broughton. His descendant, Stephen Tempest, Esq. of Broughton, inherited the manor of Coleby, in Lincolnshire, in 1756. He m. in 1787, Elizabeth, 2nd dau. of Henry Blundell, Esq. of Ince Blundell, Lancash., and had, with other issue, his son and heir, the present Bart.

*Arms*—Ar., a bend, between six martlets, sa.

*Seats*—Broughton Hall, Yorksh.; Coleby Hall, Lincolnsh.

**ARMSTRONG OF GALLEN PRIORY, KING'S CO.** Cr. 1841.—The **HON. SIR ANDREW**, 1st Bart., M. P., son of the late Edmund Armstrong, Esq. of Gallen, by the 3rd dau. of F. Trench, Esq., and sister of Lord Ashdown; b. 1786; m. 1835, dau. of G. A. Fullerton, Esq. of Westwood, Hants, and Ballingtoy, Antrim; is a dep.-lieut. of King's County; filled the office of high sh. in 1811 and 1836; was receiver-gen. of stamps in Ireland for ten years; has represented King's Co. in parliament since Feb. 1841. This noble family is a branch of the ancient border house of Armstrong, lairds of Gillnock Tower, Mangerton, &c., so celebrated in Border foray and song. It immediately descends from Andrew Armstrong, b. in 1576, who sold his patrimony in Scotland, and went to Ireland. Tradition affirms that the original surname was Fairbairn, and that it was changed to Armstrong on the following occasion:—An ancient king of Scotland having his horse killed under him in battle, was immediately remounted by Fairbairn, his armour-bearer, on his own horse. For this timely assistance the king amply rewarded his deliverer with lands on the Borders, and to perpetuate the memory of so important a service, as well as the manner in which it had been rendered, (for Fairbairn took the king by the thigh and sat him on the saddle,) further conferred upon him

the appellation of Armstrong, and assigned him for crest "an armed hand and arm, in the hand a leg and foot in armour, couped at the thigh, all proper." Edmund Armstrong, Esq., b. in the county of Fermanagh, embarked in the cause of King Charles II., and served in the royal army, which was defeated at Worcester, in 1657, when he was taken prisoner, and, with a great many others, sent to London, but was soon after released. After the Restoration, he was appointed a justice of the peace for the King's County, where he had settled, and of which county he had served the office of sheriff. He m. Mary, dau. of W. Hamilton, Esq. of Lisloony, in the King's County, and had eight sons and two daus. His son, William Armstrong, Esq. of Stonestown, m. Alice, dau. of Francis Coghlan, of Kilcoglan Castle, in the King's County, and had by her two sons and two daus.; he died in 1717, and was s. by his son, Edmund Armstrong, Esq. of Gallen, in the King's County, who not only inherited his father's fortune, but was also heir to his uncles Andrew and Charles, who had purchased estates in the county of Kildare. He m. in 1722, Elizabeth, 2nd dau. of George Holmes, Esq. of Lisloony, M.P. for Banagher, and had issue. His heir, Andrew Armstrong, Esq. of Gallen, born at Kilcoglan Castle, 1730, was in the commission of the peace for the King's County, served the office of sheriff in 1751, and was col. of two volunteer corps, one of cavalry and one of infantry. He m. Constantia Maria, dau. of John Pigot, Esq. of Prospect, in the Queen's County, by his wife, a dau. of Sir Roger Burgoyne, and had six sons and nine daus. His eldest son and heir, Edmund Armstrong, Esq. of Gallen, b. 1754, m. Elizabeth, sister of Lord Ashtown, 3rd dau. of Fred. Trench, of Woodlawn, in the county of Galway, and had five sons and three daus. He d. in 1827, and was succeeded by his eldest son, the present Bart.

*Seat*—Gallen Priory, King's Co., Ireland.

*Heir*—His son Edmund Frederick, b. 1836.

**CLAY OF FULWELL LODGE, MIDDLESEX.** Cr. 1841.—The HON. SIR WILLIAM, 1st Bt., M.P. for the Tower Hamlets. He held, under the late administration, the office of secretary to the Board of Control.

*Seats*—Fulwell Lodge, Middlesex.

**MAC TAGGART OF ARDWELL, WIGTONSH.** Cr. 1841.—The HON. SIR JOHN, 1st Bt.; b. 1789; m. 1811, Susannah, dau. of J. Kymer, Esq. of Streatham, Surrey, and has issue. Sir John is the son of the late John Mac Taggart, Esq. of Ardwell, and he represented in the last parliament the Wigton district of burghs.

*Seat*—Ardwell, Stranraer.

*Heir ap.*—His son John Bell.

**BARON OF GLENANNA, CO. WATERFORD, AND BELMONT, KILKENNY.** Cr. 1841.—The HON. SIR HENRY WINSTON, 1st Bt., son of P. Baron, Esq., by the only dau. of H. Winston, Esq.; b. 1795; m. 1822, only dau. of the late Sir Gregory Page Turner, Bt., and has issue; is a deputy-lieut. of Waterford, which county he represented in parliament from 1832 to 1841; is author of "Notes on Education in Holland and Germany." This noble family takes its name from the circumstance of its progenitors being barons of Burnchurch, but it is descended from the lords of Offaley, founders of the Fitzgerald family.

*Arms*—Erin., on a saltier, gu., five annulets, or.

*Seats*—Belmont House, co. Kilkenny; Glenanna, co. Waterford.

*Heir*—His son Henry Page Turner, b. 1824; is attachée to the British embassy at Turin.

**LARPENT OF ROEHAMPTON, SURREY.** Cr. 1841.—The HON. SIR GEORGE GERARD DE HOCHÉPIED, 1st Bt., M.P., 2nd son of J. Larpent, Esq. of East Sheen, Surrey, by his 2nd wife, dau. of Sir J. Porter, Kt. (and maternally descended from the barons de Hochepied;) b. 1786;

m. 1813, dau. of W. Cracroft, Esq., of the Exchequer, and descended from the Cracrofts of Lincolnsh.; is chairman of the East India and China Association; dep.-chairman of the St. Katherine's Dock Company, &c.; was M.P. for Nottingham in 1841. This noble family descend from John de Larpent of Caen, in Normandy, who fled to England on the revocation of the edict of Nantes. His grandson, John Larpent, Esq., father of the Bt., was for many years actively employed in the secretary of state's office for foreign affairs. Sir George's elder brother is the Baron John James de Hocheplé Larpent, some time British consul at Antwerp, who represents a family seated in Belgium prior to 1210, which have produced members who have held very conspicuous stations of dignity, both civil and ecclesiastical.

*Arms*—A military shield, erect, per pale, divided.

*Residence*—Roehampton, Surrey.

*Heir*—His son Albert John, born 1816; m. 1838, dau. of — Shaw, Esq.

**LE MARCHANT OF CHOBHAM PLACE, SURREY.** Cr. 1841.—The HON. SIR DENIS, 1st Bt., eldest surviving son of the late Gen. Le Marchant, (who fell in command of the brigade of heavy cavalry at Salamanca,) by the dau. of J. Carey, Esq. of Guernsey; is therefore elder bro. of Sir Gaspard Le Marchant; b. 1795; m. 1835, 4th dau. of the late Chas. Smith, Esq. of Suttons, Essex, and sister of the late Sir Charles J. Smith, Bt.; was principal sec. to the lord chancellor in 1839; s. Lord Bathurst as clerk of the crown in chancery in 1834, but resigned on the change of ministry in that year; was secretary of the Board of Trade from 1836 to 1841, when he was appointed sec. to the Treasury; resigned the last office in Sept. 1841. This family has been established in Guernsey for many centuries, and the lineal ancestor of the present Bt. was chief magistrate and lieut.-gov. of the island in 1204. The introduction of the sword exer-

cise, the establishment of the Royal Military College, and various military reforms, are attributed to the Bt.'s father, Gen. Le Marchant, who was much distinguished in the Peninsular war.

*Arms*—Az., a chev., or, betw. three owl's legs, erect, or.

*Residences*—Harley Street, London; Chobham Place, Surrey.

*Heir*—His son Henry Denis, b. 1839.

**GOLDSMID OF ST. JOHN'S LODGE, REGENT'S PARK.** Cr. 1841.—The HON. SIR ISAAC LYON, 1st Bt.; b. 1778; m. Isobel, 2nd dau. of A. Goldsmid, of Morden, Surrey, and has issue. This family was originally seated at Cassel, in Germany, and was established in England towards the early part of the last century.

*Arms*—Per salier, ermi. and erm., on a chief, gu., a goldfinch, ppr., between two roses, or.

*Seats*—St. John's Lodge, Regent's Park, London; and Week House, Brighton.

*Heir ap.*—His son Francis Henry, b. 1808.

**EASTHOPE OF FIR GROVE, SURREY.** Cr. 1841.—The HON. SIR JOHN, 1st Bt., M.P. for Lancaster; b. 1784; m. 1807, Ann, dau. of J. Stokes, Esq. of Leopard House, Worcester, and has issue.

*Arms*—Or, two bendlets, engr., az., between as many boars' heads, erased, sa.

**POWER OF ROEBUCK HOUSE, DUBLIN.** Cr. 1841.—The HON. SIR JOHN, 1st Bt.; b. 1771; m. eldest dau. of T. Brennan, Esq. of Wexford. A dep.-lieut. of the county; received his baronetcy a short time previous to the resignation of the Melbourne ministry in 1841.

*Seats*—Roebuck House, co. Dublin; Sampton, co. Wexford.

*Heir*—His son James, M.P.; a dep.-lieut. of Wexford, which county he has represented in parliament since 1835.

**PIRIE OF CAMBERWELL, SURREY.** Cr. 1842.—The HON. SIR JOHN, 1st Bt.; lord mayor of London in 1842, and was raised to the dignity of the Baronetage, because the Prince of

Wales happened to be born during his mayorality; m. Miss Nichol, of Kelso, and has no issue.

**GOUGH OF WESTMINSTER.** Cr. 1842.—The Hon, Sir Hugh, 1st Bt., G.C.B., a gen. in the army; m. 1807, Frances Maria, dau. of the late Gen. Stevens, governor of Plymouth, and has issue. This noble Bt. is a younger son of Lieut.-Col. George

Gough, of Woodsdown, co. Limerick. He was commander-in-chief of her Majesty's land forces during the recent memorable expedition against China, and for which he received the thanks of both houses of parliament. Sir Hugh has just been gazetted commander-in-chief of the military forces in India.

*Heir ap.*—His son George Stevens, cornet 16th light dragoons.

#### BADGE OF ULSTER.







## KNIGHTHOOD.

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### **Knights, being Baronets' Eldest Sons.**

SINCE the year 1825, the following Eldest Sons of Baronets have claimed Knighthood under the Letters Patent of the 14th Jac. I., and have received that honour accordingly—viz.:

**SIR EDWIN WINDSOR SANDYS**, eldest son of the Baronet of Misserden, knighted at Windsor Castle on the 10th of April, 1825.

**SIR JOHN EDMUND DE BEAUVOIR**, eldest son of the Baronet of Johnstown, knighted at Dublin Castle in 1827.

**SIR WILLIAM O'MALLEY**, eldest son of the Baronet of Rosehill, knighted at Dublin Castle in 1835.

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**SIR RICHARD BROWN**, eldest son of the Baronet of Colstoun, and Hon. Secretary of the Committee of the Baronetage for Privileges, who—having applied for Knighthood in 1836, under the letters-patent of the 14th Jac. I., and the Lord Chamberlain, after a series of references, having declined to present him to the Sovereign for inauguration—asserted his right to the dignity in consequence of the following resolution, which was passed unani-

mously at the GENERAL ANNIVERSARY MEETING of the Order, on the 4th of June 1842—viz.\*

“That, the Prime Minister having approved of the course pursued by the Lord Chamberlain in the case of Mr. Broun’s application for Knighthood, which course the COMMITTEE FOR PRIVILEGES, after mature deliberation, have found and declared to be in direct contravention of the constitution of the Baronetage, a statute law of the realm of Scotland, the articles of Union, the obligations of the coronation oath, and the unbroken precedents of two hundred and thirty years, this GENERAL MEETING do require of Mr. Broun, in whose person the natitial rights of the Eldest Sons of the whole Baronets in the United Kingdom have been violated, that he will, in virtue of his being a Knight *de jure*, as the Eldest Son of a member of the Order of ancient creation, vindicate this fundamental and inalienable privilege of the Eldest Sons of Baronets, by henceforth using, taking, and enjoying the ancient chivalrous dignity of a Knight (Eques Auratus), with the immunities and precedencies thereunto belonging; and that the COMMITTEE FOR PRIVILEGES do record the same in the journals of the Order, that the precedent may rule, in future, the cases of all such Eldest Sons of Baronets as may hereafter apply for Knighthood under the Letters Patent of the 10th and 14th Jac. I., and experience a similar arbitrary and illegal course of procedure on the part of the responsible officers of the Crown.”

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APPENDIX.

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**COMMITTEE**  
OF  
**THE BARONETAGE FOR PRIVILEGES.**

FOUNDED 15TH JULY, 1840.

\*\*\* Such Peers and Privy Councillors, being Baronets, as concur  
in the proceedings, are honorary Members.

SIR EDMUND BACON, Premier Baronet of the Order.  
SIR JAMES GORDON, Senior Baronet of Scotland and Nova Scotia,  
SIR CHARLES H. COOTE, M.P., Senior Baronet of Ireland.  
SIR JOHN DASHWOOD KING, Senior Baronet of Great Britain.  
SIR HEN. M. VAVASOUR, K.J.J., Senior Baronet of the United Kingdom.

ENGLISH.

Sir George Musgrave.	Sir Henry Webb.
Sir John Cope.	Sir Fr. Shuckburgh, F.R.S.
Sir Wm. Nigel Gresley.	Sir Wm. Boothby.
Sir Grenville T. Temple.	Sir Henry R. P. Bedinfeld.
Sir Henry Boynton.	Sir John Chandos Reade.
Sir M. H. Hicks-Beach.	General Sir J. D. Broughton.
Sir Henry J. Tichborne.	Sir George H. Smyth, M.P.
Sir John B. W. Mansel.	Sir Charles Blois.
Major Sir Edm. S. Prideaux.	Sir Baldwyn Leighton.
Sir Wm. Templer-Pole, D.C.L.	Sir John Chetwode, M.P.
Sir John R. C. Browne-Cave.	

## SCOTTISH.

Admiral Sir Thos. Livingstone.	Sir Robt. Abereromby.
Sir James Colquhoun.	Sir Neil Menzies.
Sir William Ogilvie.	Sir John Pringle.
Sir Wm. Alex. Maxwell.	Sir James Broun.
Sir Michael Bruce.	Sir Wm. Dunbar.
Sir John Forbes.	Sir James Stuart.
Sir John C. Fairlie.	Sir John Reid.
General Sir Fitzroy Maclean.	Sir R. Keith Dick.

## IRISH.

Sir Gerald G. Aylmer.	Sir Lucius O'Brien.
Sir James Stewart.	Sir Geo. Fred. Hodson.
Sir Thomas Butler.	Sir John Burke, (of Marblehill.)
Sir Er. D. Borrowes.	Sir Hugh D. Massey.
Sir J. C. Meredyth, K.J.J.	Sir H. M. J. W. Jervis.
Sir Amyrald Dancer.	

## BRITISH.

Sir Henry Lambert.	Lt.-Gen. Sir J. W. Guise, K.C.B.
Sir Ed. B. Perrott.	Vice-Adm. Sir G. Hamond, K.C.B.
Sir B. W. Bridges, M.A.	Sir R. P. Jodrell, A.M.
Sir C. Codrington.	Sir Fred. Fletcher Vane.
Sir Fr. C. Knowles, K.J.J.	Sir Ch. J. Salusbury.
Sir George Burrard.	Sir Ch. M. Lamb, K.M.
Sir F. B. Morland.	Sir Alan Bellingham.
Sir H. P. Palliser.	Sir Ed. C. Hartopp, D.C.L.
Sir S. Osborne Gibbes.	Sir Thomas Turton.
Sir Henry Peyton.	Sir Thomas P. Hayes.
Sir W. W. Dalling.	Sir Henry Thompson.

## UNITED KINGDOM.

Sir H. M. Mainwaring.	Sir Ed. F. Bromhead, M.A., F.R.S.
Sir Robt. Fitz-Wygram, Kt., K.H.	Sir Timothy Shelley.
Sir Wm. Hillary, K.J.J.	Sir Montague S. Cholmeley.

Sir Ed. S. F. Stanhope.	Sir Robert Shaw.
Sir A. V. Corbet.	Sir Trayton Drake.
Sir Ed. B. Sandys.	Sir Arthur Chichester.
Sir C. S. Hunter, D.C.L.	Sir Thos. Phillipps, F.R. & A.S.
Sir Joseph E. Leeds.	Sir Charles Forbes.
Sir W. L. Wraxall.	Sir Charles M. Ochterlony.
Adm. Sir J. P. Beresford, K.C.B.	Lt.-Gen. Sir Wm. Anson, K.C.B.
Sir Clifford Constable.	Sir Robert Harty.
Sir R. G. Simeon.	Sir Robert Campbell.
Maj.-Gen. Sir Guy Campbell, C.B.	Sir Theo. H. L. Brinckman.
Sir Compton Domville.	Sir John J. Walsham.
Sir P. P. F. P. Acland.	Sir T. M. D. Brisbane, G.C.B.
Sir Thos. Hare.	Sir James R. Carnac.
Sir Robt. Bateson.	Sir Gorges D'A. Irvine.

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*Treasurer*—SIR FRANCIS SHUCKBURGH, Bart., F.R.S.

*Hon. Secretary and Registrar*—SIR RICHARD BROWN, Esq. Aur., K.J.J.

*Bankers*—MESSRS. COUTTS & Co., 59, Strand, London.

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*Herald Painter*—MR. M. BEAUCHAMP, 17, Caroline Place, Alpha Road.

*Badge Makers*—MESSRS. CATCHPOLE & WILLIAMS, Regent Street.

*Riband Maker*—MR. POTTER, Bond Street.

*Uniform Makers*—MESSRS. HARRISON & BURN, Sackville Street,  
Piccadilly.

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COMMITTEE ROOMS—Clarendon Hotel, Bond Street, London.

## BARONETAGE.

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EXPOSITION, *shewing that BARONETS, by the ROYAL PATENTS erecting the ORDER, are privileged to augment their ARMS with such Exterior Heraldic Ornaments as indicate Baronial and Equestrian Dignity.*

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Being part of the Proceedings at a Meeting of the COMMITTEE OF THE BARONETAGE FOR PRIVILEGES, held at the Clarendon Hotel, Bond-street, London, on the 18th of September, 1841; the HON. SIR JOHN CHETWODE, Baronet of Chetwode, M.P., in the Chair.

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The Minutes of the previous Committee having been read, reference was had to the Special Report on Supporters, &c., adopted on the 2nd of February, 1841, and which terminated in the following Recommendations:—

That Supporters, and the other Exterior Heraldic Ornaments, of right incidental to the Baronetage, be adopted by a formal and solemn resolution of the Order, grounded upon this Report; which resolution shall be binding henceforth and for ever upon all such Baronets of the several creations as shall concur in its justice and propriety.

That, as Exterior Ornaments only indicate political rank, and do not particularize families, it is advisable that Supporters be brought within the influence of the laws which regulate heraldic accompaniments in general; and accordingly, that power shall be given by the Order to this Committee to assign such Supporters, and other external ensigns, to members, on their individual application, as shall appear to the Committee best calculated to avoid confusion, and to accomplish all the objects which such additamenta are designed to effect.

That every Baronet taking Supporters, or other Exterior Ornaments, in virtue of the recommendation above given,

shall register them in the Heralds' College of his native kingdom, or in the Office of THE COMMITTEE OF THE BARONETAGE FOR PRIVILEGES, in order that such a record may be made of the same as shall perpetuate their descent with his family honours for ever.

And the special attention of the Committee was called to the following Resolution, passed unanimously at a General Meeting of the Order, held on the 14th day of May, 1841, viz.—

That the RECOMMENDATIONS set forth in the Special Report from the COMMITTEE FOR PRIVILEGES on Supporters and other Exterior Heraldic Ornaments, shall have the strength and effect of RESOLUTIONS to be acted upon by all such Members of the Order of the several creations (Ulster and Nova Scotia) as now, or at any time hereafter, may concur in their propriety; and, accordingly, that the COMMITTEE FOR PRIVILEGES shall be empowered to register the Arms of all such Baronets as shall make application to that effect, with Supporters and other Exterior Heraldic Ornaments, in accordance with the principles laid down in the said RECOMMENDATIONS, and the rules and customs which regulate the Armories of the other Degrees of Dignity Hereditary; such rules and customs having been expressly laid down and appointed by King James the First, the Royal Founder of the Baronetage, (for himself, his heirs, and successors,) as standing and certain laws, whereby the Arms of Baronets at all times, and in every reign, are to be charged and augmented.

Applications were reported from a number of noble Baronets of the several creations, (Ulster and Nova Scotia,) intimating their intention to act on the Resolution above cited, and requesting that their Arms might be registered in the Books of the Committee, on the principle agreed upon by the General Meeting on the 14th day of May, 1841.

The Hon. Secretary, SIR RICHARD BROWN, laid before the Committee an Heraldic Drawing, shewing the manner in which it was suggested that the Resolutions of the said General Meeting might be carried into practical effect, and made an exposition, of which the following is the substance:—

After the many years during which the attention of the Baronetage has been directed to the subject of Exterior Heraldic



Ornaments, the argumentative refutation of the objections taken by the Heralds, contained in the address made by Mr. Crawford,\* and the various information collected by, and recorded in the minutes of, this Committee, it would be superfluous to occupy your attention by entering into any lengthened details as to the grounds on which you should give effect to the Resolutions of the General Meeting on the 14th of May last. At the same time, considering that the proceedings of this day will regulate the Armorial Insignia of the Order in future times, it may be necessary, on an occasion so important as the present, to bring before you in brief review those considerations which will enable you to act with due decision in the case, and in such a manner as that you shall neither overstep the limits prescribed by the Royal Founder, nor yet compromise the rights and privileges of the Order. Before doing so, and for the purpose of simplifying the proceedings as much as possible, there are one or two introductory postulates to which I shall first request your attention.

The three Royal Patents or Decrees of King James I., passed under the Great Seal of the Realm, in 1611, 1612, and 1616, erecting the Order, form the CONSTITUTION OF THE BARONETAGE, and are the standing authority by which, either from express grant or implication, the rights, privileges, and immunities belonging to its members are necessarily instructed. On the very threshold, then, the question arises—Do these instruments contain any positive commands relative to Exterior Heraldic Ornaments? Now it is certain that, from their commencement to their end, not a syllable is said in any one of the three several patents of any kind relative to such decorations. Nor are armorial ensigns alluded to in them except once, and that only incidentally.

It will perhaps at first sight appear singular that such should be the case; but had it been otherwise, had mention been at all made of Exterior Heraldic Ornaments, no doubt or question could have arisen upon this point, and we should not now be assembled to discuss and settle it.

The absence, however, of a direct grant of Exterior Heraldic Ornaments, militates nothing against the right of Baronets to take and use decorations of that description, unless it can be satisfactorily established by the rules, laws, and custom of Heraldry,

\* "Address to the Baronets' Committee, on the subject of the Chartered Rights and Privileges of the Order," by William Crawford, Esq., M.A., Barrister-at-Law, and Athlone Pursuivant of Arms, 1837. To be had of the Publishers.

that such ensigns are never borne but in virtue of a positive and distinct grant from the Crown.

But whilst no such position can be substantiated as that all Exterior Heraldic Ornaments emanate from, or are carried by, royal permission; it is matter of public notoriety—and notwithstanding the fact that Exterior Heraldic Ornaments are not so much as once referred to in the Letters Patent erecting the Order—that Baronets at this moment do use and bear, all of them *three*, some *four*, and others *five*, distinct kinds of Exterior Heraldic Ornaments.

Next, if no allusion is made in the Constitution of the Baronetage relative to Exterior Heraldic Ornaments, neither is there any ordinance, charter, or royal patent, granting to the families of peerage dignity any Exterior Heraldic Ornaments. The fact, therefore, that Baronets by their Patents have no special grant for Exterior Heraldic Ornaments, argues nothing against their right to take, use, and enjoy such distinctions, providing it can be made manifest that Baronets have any pretensions to be regulated in such matters as are the *other* degrees of Dignity Hereditary.

Further, the Committee must bear in mind that we have met to-day neither to adopt Arms nor to alter Arms. Arms are heritable ensigns of honour, and we have no more right to change these, than to change any clause or provision in the Letters Patent erecting the Order. The Arms of every Baronet have been duly registered, at the date of the creation of his title, in the Heralds' Office of his native kingdom. They form part and parcel of his family honours, and are therefore not changeable without special warrant from the Crown. The questions, however, that we are met to settle, are of an entirely different nature. They do not relate to Arms, but to those insignia which are *extra-scutal* ornaments; which may or may not be used, according to the fancy or pleasure of the bearer; which vary according to the style and fashion of the times, or to individual taste, and are purely adventitious appendages. They are not armorial bearings, but external adornments. They are called accidents of armories, by some writers; accompaniments or embellishments, by others; whilst all heralds are agreed that they are concomitants, incidents, additamenta, or trimmings, of such a kind that they may be used or not used at individual option.

Again, it is an important fact, and one which has a most ma-

terial bearing upon the points before us, that extra-scutal ornaments are not originally derived from the Crown, nor yet still less from the Heralds' College, nor, indeed, from any other official authority whatsoever in the state. They owe their origin purely to assumption, and their perpetuation to use and custom. They are borne further simply as exponents of rank and dignity; they give no distinction or precedence of themselves; they are symbols, and that is all, each class of the dignified nobility having appropriated certain outward heraldic emblems, which in the course of time have become distinctive of, and peculiar to, itself.

Armorial ensigns, or coat armour, have existed from very remote ages, reaching, according to some writers, even to antediluvian times. But with the exception of seals and monuments, very little evidence exists in England of the Heraldry of even so recent a period as the 14th century. Our earliest contemporary heraldic manuscript is entitled the "Siege of Carlawerock," which describes the banners of the Barons and Knights of the English army, in February, 1301. That production, however, simply records the charges on the shield, and leaves us entirely in the dark as to whether they were adorned or not with Exterior Ornaments. Again: the second oldest contemporary heraldic manuscript is a "Roll of the Arms and Names of Ancient Noblemen, (les Noms e les Arms abatures de grand Seignors,)" compiled Reg. Edw. II., cir. 1308. These comprehend the banners of nine Earls and sixty-seven Knights, but nothing is said of the Exterior Heraldic Ornaments carried by them, if, indeed, they carried any such. This Roll was published in 1828, by Sir Harris Nicolas, who, in some prefatory remarks, states that, respecting differences of Arms, he has not been able to decide whether they depend upon certain rules, or were arbitrarily adopted, or were assigned by the Officers of Arms. In making some observations on the variations which have taken place in Heraldry in the 535 years which have elapsed since the above-mentioned Roll was compiled, Sir Harris says, "Heraldic taste has, within the last century, become so vitiated and corrupt, that the Arms devised by Heralds within that period are generally so complicated as to be inexplicable." This is no doubt the case; but the vitiated taste and heraldic corruptions referred to need not be limited to the period specified. The remark of Sir William Mure, who wrote cir. 1657, is equally correct—viz., that the seals of certain Knights mentioned by him, who flourished in 1340, "doth shew

some difference in the Heraldry of these times and of the present, in which, for the most part, is nothing now but ignorance and confusion.\* Indeed, the more we look into Heraldry the less satisfied shall we be as to how, when, or where, it became systematized. Like the derivation, "*Lucus a non lucendo*," its assumed fixed laws and stationary principles have all been moulded by fluctuating practice and changeful fashion. Sir George Mackenzie, Lord Advocate of Scotland under Charles II., who yields to no writer, ancient or modern, as an authority on such points, puts the question, in his celebrated treatise on the "Science of Heraldry," "What warrant is there for most of our rules in Heraldry but an aged custom?" I repeat that question, and further maintain, that there is no authority for any of those rules or principles which regulate the armories of our several degrees of Dignity Hereditary except the *lex non scripta* of use and habit.

Our sources of information on early heraldry are very limited, being principally derived from seals, paintings on windows, and monumental effigies. But the examples which these contain of Exterior Heraldic Ornaments are so discrepant, that no other theory can be based upon them than that they were arbitrarily adopted. Now, concerning Monumental Effigies, our most authentic source of information upon these points, Stothard remarks, "They are rarely to be met with in England before the middle of the 13th century." Are we, then, to infer that no extra-scutal ornaments existed prior to this date? Assuredly not. Relative to Supporters, a great division of sentiment exists both as to their origin and antiquity. Anstis, Garter King of Arms, called "the great luminary of heraldic science," was of opinion that they are of modern date, and owe their rise to the whim or taste of seal engravers. Menestrier, and other ancient writers, hold, on the contrary, that they are traceable to tilts, tournaments, and justings. Again, Spelman remarks, "In these latter ages the Nobility have been distinguished from persons of inferior rank by having Supporters and Coronets cut on their seals, but, so far as I am able to observe, there was not anciently any particular marks in the seals of the Nobility that differenced them from Knights;" whereas Strutt, in his *Antiquities*, vol. ii., says—"Formerly there does not seem to have been any difference between the ornaments worn by the Dukes and Earls, their golden circles (which were in the place of coronets) being precisely the same in the reigns of the

\* Vide his "Historie and Descent of the House of Rowallane," p. 41.

Norman kings, as well as to the time of Richard the Second." Again, Selden states, that a coronet is first mentioned in the investiture of Earls so recently as the time of Edward the Sixth; whilst it is established, from our Monumental Effigies, that circles of gold, floral chaplets or wreaths, and coronets, constantly occur on our monumental figures prior to and in the reign of Henry III.; and that the Coronet in its present form was then to be found indiscriminately on the heads of Princes, Dukes, Earls, and Knights.\* Of Mantles, Collars, and other heraldic distinctions, similar observations might be made. But what more positive evidence can we require of the fact that such ornaments were arbitrarily adopted in ancient times, than the several statutes which have been made and passed for their abolition, under exceptions which fully secured the continuance of the custom of using them amongst certain noble degrees.†

With these general prefatory remarks, I proceed to lay before you a variety of works on Heraldry, containing plates exemplifying the manner in which the Arms of Dukes, Marquesses, Earls, Viscounts, and Lords, are adorned with Exterior Ornaments. From these you will observe that each of these Degrees of Hereditary Dignity augment their Coats with five additamenta—viz., 1st, Supporters; 2nd, a Coronet; 3rd, a Mantle; 4th, a Helmet; and, 5th, a Wreath. Further; that of these ornaments, the first is peculiar to the family bearing them; the second is distinctive of all of the same degree; the 3rd and 4th mark several classes; and the last is common to the whole body collectively. Of the first description are Supporters, which have been selected originally according to the taste and fancy of the bearer; of the second, are Coronets, which are now of five different sorts; Mantles are represented as being apparently all of the same description, but improperly, seeing that each should be differenced by bars; whilst Helmets, again, are of one form as carried by Lords, Viscounts, and Earls, and of another as borne by Marquesses and Dukes; and, lastly, the Wreath in external shape is similar in the achievements of all, although in their respective tinctures they differ according to the liveries of each particular house. Now, I ask, upon what written authority, or in virtue of what statute rules, do the several Peerage ranks use and carry these five extra-scutal

\* Vide "Stothard's Monumental Effigies."

† See Stat. 2 Hen. IV., for the Regulations of Signs and Liveries. Also, the Stat. 24 Hen. VIII., c. 13, for the Regulation of Apparel.

armorial decorations? Does their right to enjoy them arise from private patents from the Crown, from general grant, or from special warrant? In the formulas given in Selden, by which Dukes, Marquesses, Earls, Viscounts, and Lords, are ennobled, are there clauses or passages in any one of them which provide, stipulate, or declare, that they shall individually and collectively take and carry Supporters, Coronets, Mantles, Helmets, and Wreaths? There are none such to be found.

Nevertheless, that these ornaments exist is an unquestionable fact. They exist, further, simply as concomitants of high nobility—as incidents of hereditary rank—as prerogatives of family dignity; not originating from royal acts, special ordinance, or institutional rules, but flowing exclusively from immemorial usage, ancestral customs, and monarchical practices. Let it not, however, be supposed that rights so constituted are not as good, valid, and effectual, as if they were derived by virtue of charters under the Great Seal of the realm. There are such things under the British Constitution as franchises, both of a civil and a dignitorial nature, which belong to the subject in virtue of no written law. Of the latter class are heraldic additamenta. These, if they do not emanate from the Crown, have at least been recognised by all our sovereigns. They are prescriptive rights, of such a character, homologated by the sanction of all ages, that though not subsisting *ex pacto*, they are nevertheless not *ex providentia*, but are become *jura hæreditaria*, and *res inestimabiles*, which can neither be taken from, or disallowed to, the respective classes who assume, use, take, and enjoy them.

I would next call your attention to the mode in which we find the Arms of Baronets of England fully exemplified as regards additamenta: for that purpose I refer to a plate of Baronets' Achievements, as given in a work on the Order, published in 1757.\* This plate contains the Arms of eight noble members—viz., of

The Hon. Sir Thomas Wilson, Bart.

The Hon. Sir Francis Knollys, Bart.

The Hon. Sir Matthew Lambe, Bart.

The Hon. Sir Edward Winnington, Bart.

The Hon. Sir Charles Sheffield, Bart.

\* "Arms of all the English Baronets, &c., with a Comment illustrating the Dignity and State of the Precedence of Baronets and Baronetesses, &c." Reprinted in the "Baronetage for 1841," and to be had of the Publishers.

The Hon. Sir Horatio Mann, Bart., and  
The Hon. Sir Henry Cavendish, Bart.\*

Now, from these illustrations you will observe that they are each augmented with three Exterior Heraldic Ornaments—viz., Helmets, Mantles, and Wreaths.

Next, the Plates of Arms of the two volumes of "Nisbet's Heraldry," (the first published in 1722, and the second in 1742,) contain the Arms of 56 Baronets of Scotland and Nova Scotia, 31 of whom have their Arms embellished with three additamenta—viz., Helmets, Mantles, and Wreaths; and 25 have four additamenta—viz., Helmets, Mantles, Wreaths, and Supporters.

Again, in a modern work on Family Distinction—viz., Burke's "Genealogical and Heraldic Dictionary of the Peerage and Baronetage," published 1841, although there is not contained in it the Arms of a single Baronet charged with heraldic correctness, nevertheless there is to be found in it the Arms of many English and Irish Baronets, who, in addition to the three Exterior additamenta above named, have a fourth—viz., Supporters; and also the Arms of one or two Baronets of Scotland and Nova Scotia, having, besides the insignia already enumerated, a fifth—viz., a Badge.

Whilst these discrepancies exist in the extra-scutal appendages of Baronets, I have also to draw your attention to exemplifications of the additamenta of Knight Bachelors, as given in "Guillim Abridged, or Kent's Banner Displayed," "Nisbet's Heraldry," and other books of blazon, from which it will be observed that they consist of three ornaments—viz., Helmet, Mantle, and Wreath; and, further, that these ornaments do not vary in shape or form from those of the eight Ulster Baronets whose achievements are above set forth.

What conclusions, then, are we to draw from these various facts? These:—First, that notwithstanding nothing is said of a positive nature in the Constitution of the Baronetage, nevertheless Baronets do use and carry Exterior Heraldic Ornaments. Secondly, that whilst the five Peerage Degrees carry each (not the same, but) similar additamenta, the members of the Sixth degree of Dignity Hereditary carry, some *three*, others *four*, and a considerable number *five*, extra-scutal ensigns. And, thirdly,

\* These Baronets have all prefixed to their names the honorary style of Honourable, contracted as above. See note on the style of "The Honourable," at the end of this volume.

that three out of these five additamenta are not ornaments peculiar to Baronetage dignity, but ornaments appropriate to the lowest order of Knighthood in the realm.

With these facts, then, before us, we turn to the third Royal Patent and Decree, which forms part of the Constitution of the Baronetage. Now that instrument, passed under the Great Seal in 1616, contains, *inter alia*, the following clause:—"AND Our will and pleasure is, and We doe for Us, our Heirs, and Successors, hereby further GRANT AND APPOINT, that if any doubts or questions not hereby, nor by any Our recited Letters Patents cleared and determined, doe or shall arise, concerning any place, precedency, priviledge, or *other matter* touching or concerning the BARONETS, such doubts and questions shall be decided and determined by and according to such usual rules, custome, and laws for place, precedency, privilege, or other matters concerning them, as *other* degrees of Dignity Hereditary are ordered and adjudged."

In virtue, then, of this most comprehensive grant, I maintain this proposition—viz., that Baronets, as regards Heraldic Ornaments, are to be regulated in their degree as Lords, Viscounts, Earls, Marquesses, and Dukes are respectively in their degrees regulated with reference to extra-scutal ensigns; and such being the case, it follows, as a necessary corollary, that the additamenta which Baronets have been accustomed to carry in common with Knight-Bachelors ought to be altered, or entirely laid aside.

Following, then, the precedents which exist in the other degrees of Dignity Hereditary, Baronets are entitled to charge their Arms externally with five additamenta—viz., Supporters, a Coronet, a Mantle, a Helmet, and a Wreath.

The General Meeting of Baronets, which resolved that the Exterior Heraldic Ornaments which are incidental to Baronetage Dignity shall be adopted, decided that the Supporters taken by Baronets acting on that conclusion, shall be brought within the influence of the laws which regulate heraldic accompaniments in general; and further, that the other additamenta shall be in accordance with the rules and customs which regulate the armories of the other degrees of hereditary nobility. In preparing the design now before you, these restrictions have not been lost sight of. First, for SUPPORTERS, it is proposed to take two EQUITES AURATI, because, whilst such figures, in their general outline, will be of a uniform kind, their liveries and banners will sufficiently particularize each family bearing them. Thus these



Supporters will combine all that is necessary in such embellishments, whether as symbolizing the Order or individuals. Second, for a CORONET, a plain circle of gold, with four pearls or balls resting on an engrailed line, may be deemed suitable, as it would be distinctive, being the mean between the Coronet of a Lord and the Coronet of a Banneret, the former having six, the latter three balls or pearls. Third, for a MANTLE, that ought to represent the robe which Baronets would wear at a coronation festival, or other high state solemnity, and which would only differ from a Lord's in the same proportion that the Mantle of a Lord differs from the Mantle of a Viscount. Fourth, for a HELMET, Baronets might assume the one common to the fourth and fifth degrees of Baronial Dignity—but, being the only Order in the kingdom which combines hereditary and personal honours, I have to suggest that the Open Helmet of Knighthood should be retained, adding for distinction's sake four golden grills or bars, two on each side of the visor. Fifth, the WREATH will remain the same as heretofore, but drawn with greater precision, as shewing its open, circular shape.

In addition to these five Exterior Heraldic Ornaments, which Baronets are privileged to adopt and wear *quasi Baronets*, is likewise to be added two other ensigns of distinction—viz., the COLLAR OF SS., and a BADGE; these, Baronets have a right to use and enjoy as decorations belonging to their personal dignity of Knighthood. As the Collar of SS. is found in a great variety of forms, the one submitted for selection is slightly varied from them all, in so far as that the centre ornament (sometimes found to be a rose) is composed of the three National Flowers, surrounded by the word "*Soberapne*," the favourite motto or device of King Henry IV., who is understood to have been the monarch who first introduced this decoration. The Badge varies from the royal Ulster cognizance, as granted in 1612, only in being surmounted by an imperial crown, and the substitution of the motto "*PRO REGE ET PATRIA*," in gold letters, on a blue enamelled circle, for the precious stones which surrounded it in the 17th century.

With these general remarks, and brief explanation of the Heraldic Drawing submitted, I might now stop, more especially as each of the noble Baronets who have signified their intention to act on the Resolutions of the General Meeting, forming as they do a very considerable number of this Committee—English, Scottish, and Irish—have seen and approved of the design. But

before concluding, it may be right to notice some objections against the adoption of several of the additamenta enumerated, which have been thrown out during the progress of these proceedings.

SUPPORTERS:—And first, relative to Supporters, the Heralds contend that the provision cited from the Decree of the 14th Jac. I., for ordering and adjudging any question that might thereafter arise, touching the privileges or other matters concerning Baronets, according to the usual rules, custom, and laws by which matters concerning other degrees of Dignity Hereditary are ordered and adjudged, could not have contemplated any question concerning the bearing of Supporters, the right to which was then limited to the Peers of the Realm and the Knights of the Garter. Now, assuming for a moment that the right to carry Supporters was limited to these grades, even upon the shewing of the Heralds themselves the Baronets are entitled to a similar right, inasmuch as by the said Decree of the 14th Jac. I., Baronets are declared to be a dignity *mean* between the degree of a Baron (i. e., of Parliament) and the degree of a Knight. But to take a higher position: had Supporters never been borne by any degree or degrees inferior to Dukes, Marquesses, Earls, Viscounts, and Lords, even in that extreme case Baronets would, by the decree cited, have been entitled to take and use Supporters. What meaning is there in words, if the clause in question does not provide that the same principle which rules the armories of the five other degrees of Dignity Hereditary shall regulate the sixth? It is impossible to put upon so plain and positive a grant any other construction.

But the Heralds do not state that which is consistent with fact, when they lay it down that at the passing of the decree quoted, (*viz.*, in the year 1616,) Supporters were limited to the Peers of the Realm and the Knights of the Garter. We have the most positive evidence that Supporters were then also borne by Knights Bannerets of both description, and by Knights of the Bath. They were carried also by Barons (*Liberi Barones*) and Knights in Scotland. They were used by various Officers of State, by many Lords of Manors, by all Chiefs of Clans, (*Principes Gentium*), and numerous ancient Esquires. In fact, a very considerable portion of the *LESSER NOBILITY* carried Supporters at the period of the grant in question.

Again, the Heralds say the provision founded upon, could not have contemplated any question concerning the bearing of Sup

porters, the right to which was *then* limited to the Peers, &c. But the grant is, not that Baronets shall be adjudicated, as regards this privilege, as other degrees of Dignity Hereditary at its passing (i. e., in 1616) were adjudged, but as they *now* are, or ever henceforth may be regulated. It is not the heraldic laws, rules, and custom, which prevailed in the reign of James the First that are appointed our code for determining the questions before us, but the "USUAL rules, custom, and laws for place, precedence, privilege, and other matters," &c. These usual rules are, in other words, the *prevailing fashion*. The existing practice of bearing Arms amongst the Lords, Viscounts, Earls, Marquesses, and Dukes, however it may change or fluctuate, is to the Baronets a fixed, prescribed, and definite law, whereby to charge exteriorly their Arms,

It is not a little remarkable, that the Heralds, in reporting on the case of the Baronets, should not have felt it to be their official duty to have pointed out the anomalous position in which the Baronets stood relative to Exterior Heraldic Ornaments, and to have made that circumstance a reason for supporting the proceedings of the Order. When, in the year 1627, their predecessors had referred to them the proposition relative to a Badge and Riband for the Order, how different was their conduct! They did not take exceptions upon the frivolous ground that there was no express grant for such a decoration in the Constitution of the Baronetage; but referring to the ancient usages and customs of the realm, as also to the marks and differences which then prevailed, upon robes and in apparel, for the distinction of estates, dignities, and degrees, they at once arrived at the opinion that such an ornament would no way be unfit or inconvenient. Taking into view the general circumstances of the case, it might naturally have been expected that the Heralds of the present day would have been influenced by similar considerations. But supposing that analogy could be put entirely out of the question by them; supposing that the provision in the Letters Patent of James I., so often cited, could be construed so as to render it of no avail in settling the points at issue, still the Heralds with justice might have said that they found in the second Letters Patent of King James I. erecting the Baronetage, a promise and grant, "that neither his Majesty, nor his heirs or successors, shall or will at any time hereafter erect, ordain, constitute, or create, any other degree, order, name, title, style, dignity, or state, nor will give place, precedence, or *pre-eminence*, to any person or persons

whatsoever, under or beneath the degree, dignity, or state of Lords of Parliament of his realm, which shall or may be, or be taken, used, or accounted to be higher, before, or equal to the degree, dignity, or place of the said Baronets, or any of them." They might have further set forth that since the erection of the Baronetage, Knight-Bannerets of the secondary creation, Knights of the Thistle, Knights of St. Patrick, Knights of the Bath, as created from 1725 to 1815, Knights Grand Cross of the Bath as now regulated, and Knights Grand Cross of St. Michael and St. George, have each been allowed to carry Supporters; and therefore they might, with equal propriety and justice, have expressed an opinion to the effect that the withholding of a similar pre-eminence from the Baronets would be a direct violation, by the reigning Sovereign, of the solemn compact, above quoted, between the Royal Founder and the Baronets. Thus, even upon the assumption that the Baronets have no right to be assimilated to the five Peerage Orders in heraldic distinctions, (although the contrary is incontrovertibly established by the Letters Patent of King James I.,) the circumstance that six Knightly Orders, inferior in degree, dignity, and place, to the Baronets, have been allowed Supporters, might have been considered of itself a sufficient reason by the Heralds that the Baronets should enjoy them also.

Further, the Heralds might have taken into account, in preparing their Report on the case of the Baronets, that whilst BARONET in this nation is one of the classes of Hereditary Dignity, and as such, by the laws of Arms throughout Europe, is privileged to use and enjoy all the Heraldic Emblems of High Nobility, all the various ranks forming the continental LESSER NOBILITY, assume and carry Supporters. Even upon the plea, then, that the title of Baronet is unjustly depreciated at home, and is universally misunderstood abroad, the Heralds might have been expected, as a body of officials in some respect interested in maintaining the honours of the Monarchy, to have advocated the right of the Baronets to enjoy the Exterior Heraldic Ornaments which are incidental to their station.

Referring to the practice of the Lord Lyon's assigning Supporters to the Baronets of Scotland, the Heralds observe that the practice is not founded, so far as they are apprised, upon any authority emanating from the Crown. But this remark can only be attributable to the ignorance that prevails in England as to the position of the Baronets in that kingdom. Prior to the reign of the

Royal Founder of the Baronetage, the nobility of Scotland consisted of three grades—Earls, Lords, and Barons. The latter, styled by modern writers sometimes Free Barons, and sometimes less properly, Small Barons, formed the most numerous and not least powerful section of the PROCERES REGNI SCOTIÆ. As such, they had personal right to seat and voice in Parliament, INTER MAGNATES; they were styled "*Lovit Cousin*" by the King; were called "*Noblemen*" in Acts of Parliament; had ascribed to them the style "*Right Honourable*;" exercised the power of pit and gallows within their respective Baronies; enjoyed, by statute, robes and apparel, of a kind similar to those worn by the ranks above them; and carried by prescription Supported Arms. Upon this latter point Sir George Mackenzie, Lord Advocate of Scotland, who was the best heraldic and legal authority of his age, remarks—"And that of old Barons might use Supporters *de jure*, seems most certain, for they were Members of Parliament with us as such, and never lost that privilege." But, further, the same great writer says—"I crave liberty to assert that all our Chiefs of Families may use Supporters." And why? Because, he continues, "for besides that to be a Chief was of old, and is still, reputed an honour, though it be adorned with no mark of nobility, yet these Chiefs have prescribed a right to use Supporters, and that such a right may be prescribed I have proved formerly; and what warrant is for most of our rules in heraldry but an aged custom." Nor is this all; for he also adds, "that they have constantly used Supporters past all memory of man, even when they were Knights, is clear from many hundred instances." Upon what grounds, then, can the Lord Lyon King of Arms be challenged for assigning Supporters to Baronets? The hereditary title of Baronet is not only superior to Chief, superior to Knight, and superior to Baron, but, in fact, the persons forming the Baronetage of Scotland (with a few exceptions) unite all these dignities. They are Hereditary Chiefs, Hereditary Knights, Hereditary Barons, and Hereditary Baronets. Nor is this all: the Baronets of Scotland are Lords of Regality in Nova Scotia, with powers and pre-eminences, civil and political, not equalled or enjoyed by any persons under sovereign princely rank in Christendom. Whilst the English Heralds, then, seem to question the right of the Baronets of Scotland to carry Supporters, that branch of the Order recognise no authority which can interfere with those armorial distinctions which flow from immemorial prescription, and are borne *de jure*.

But further, whilst the English heralds consider the practice of the Lord Lyon King of Arms, relative to assigning Supporters to the Baronets of Scotland, not to be founded, so far as they are apprised, upon any authority emanating from the Crown, and consequently, that the said practice ought not to be adduced for imitation in this part of the United Kingdom, it so happens that the Lord Lyon is expressly commanded by the Crown to assign to Baronets the Exterior Heraldic Ornaments incident to their dignity. The clause of the Patent of a Baronet of Scotland relative to Arms is as follows:—

“Cumque generalitate Presentium omnibusque ritibus et solemnitatibus simili occasione propriis, usitatisque per Præsentes dispensamus. LEONI porro Armorum Regi, ejusque fratribus feacialibus, prænominato A—B—, ejusque Hæredibus masculis antedictis **INSIGNIA ARMOREA**, seu prioribus insigniis **ADDITAMENTA**, quæ apta et convenientia videbantur, dare et prescribere imperamus.”

What more positive authority can emanate from the Crown in regard to Exterior Ornaments or Additamenta than this? But the force of the passage will more clearly be understood, when it is considered, first, that the clauses in Patents conferring Peerage Dignities relative to Arms are nearly in the same form of words;\* and secondly, that the constitution of the Scottish branch of the Order declares and stipulates, “that if any doubts or questions arise concerning any place, precedency, or prerogative, due to the Baronets, at whatsoever time to come, such doubts and questions shall be determined and decided by the use and practice of custom and law, as other Hereditary Degrees of Dignity are ordained and directed, concerning place, prerogative, and precedency.”

Another and very singular objection taken by the Heralds, in

\* Extract from a Patent conferring the dignity of Lord, dated the 25th of June, 1633:—“Leoni nostro regi ad Armis, suisq. fratribusque feacialibus quatenus additionem signorum et insignium pntibus insignibus dicti A—B— sicuti intalibus casibus usitatum est dent et prescribant mandamus.”

Extract from a Patent conferring the Dignity of Earl, dated the 3rd of February, 1661:—“Mandamus porro Leoni Regi nostro Armorum ejusque fratribus feacialib. ut tale additamentum armorum præsentibus insigniis dicti Comitibus ut intalibus casibus usitatum, est dent et præscribant.”

Extract from a Patent conferring the Dignity of Marquess, dated the 24th of June, 1701:—“Leoni porro Armorum Regi ac fratribus suis feacialibus talia additamenta suo paludamento ut illi ac ipsis pro hac occasione conveniens videbitur concedere et prescribere imperamus.”

their report on the claims of the Baronets to have Exterior Heraldic Ornaments, is, that they consider the armorial distinctions of Baronets are clearly defined by the decree of the 10th Jac. I., which, say they, declares that Baronets shall bear, either in a canton in their Coat of Arms, or in an inescutcheon at their election, the Arms of Ulster. Now, the questions raised by the Baronets are questions touching and concerning the *Exterior* Heraldic Ornaments incidental to their rank, and not questions touching or concerning any *Internal* additions to their coats armorial. It is true the Baronets of Ulster are privileged to augment their Coats with the Ulster cognizance, but that circumstance no more indicates Baronetage dignity, than the augmentation of honour borne by the Earl Marshal on his family Coat denotes peerage dignity. While the English Heralds wind up their report by a remark which shews how little they really understood the nature and character of the points submitted for their consideration, a late well-known writer observes of the Ulster canton, "As to the red hand, no more attention is paid to it on the Continent, than would be paid to a red foot, or to a red nose; the foreign Herald mistakes it for a mark of cadency, or of a younger branch, and conceives that it is rather a diminution than an augmentation of honour."\* This is the fact, and so strongly has such an impression influenced the Scottish branch of the Order, that although they are privileged by charter to augment their family Coats with the Nova Scotia cognizance, they have entirely laid aside the practice. The Ulster augmentation forms no one of the undoubted armorial concomitants of hereditary Nobility, and whilst the Heralds talk about the armorial distinctions of the Baronets being clearly defined by this, which is no ensign of political rank or dignity whatsoever, it is highly questionable whether the Ulster Arms have ever been correctly blazoned in any one Baronet's Coat. By reference to the clause in the Letters Patent of the 10th Jac. I., it will be seen that the grant of the Ulster cognizance is to the Baronets and "*their descendants*." The augmentation is not, therefore, limited to Baronets and their Heirs male, but may be carried by their children, male and female. Again, it is a grant of "the Arms of Ulster, that is, in a field argent, a hand gules, or a bloody hand." Now, the Ulster cognizance, as constantly blazoned, is a hand *sinister*; but upon what authority is it so given?

\* Vide Sir James Lawrence's work "On the Nobility of the British Gentry," 4th edition, 1840. Published by Fraser, Regent Street, London.

In the description cited, it is not said whether the hand is a dexter or a sinister one, whilst, upon reference to the ancient royal Arms of Ulster, they appear to have been a *dexter* hand. In corroboration of this fact there are in existence two very ancient seals of the Arms of Ulster, of which the annexed are exact engravings. The first is the copy of an impression of a seal which was found about ten years since in the vicinity of Magherafelt, and which is considered to have belonged to Murtoth Roe, or the Red O'Neill, lord of Clanaboy, whose family for seven hundred years were hereditary monarchs of Ireland, and who, according to the annals of the Four Masters, died in 1471. The other is a



fac-simile of the impression of a very ancient Seal supposed to have belonged to Hugh O'Neill, King of Ulster, in the collection of the celebrated Sir Robert Walpole, at Strawberry Hill. The inscription bears no date, but is as follows:—“*S: Odonis O'Neill Regis Hybernicorum Ultonia.*”\*

Leaving it to the Heralds to explain upon what authority they have substituted for this ancient royal bearing of a dexter hand, the hand sinister, which they have been accustomed to assign to the Ulster Baronets, it may be here observed, that the Seal of Hugh O'Neill affords an instance of Arms charged with those grotesque figures to which the origin of Supporters are to be traced, and which were used long before heraldic Supporters were assumed as a

\* This seal, which is of silver, was sold at the late sale at Strawberry Hill, for £29 8s.; it was described in the catalogue as brought from Ireland by Mr. William Bristow.



distinction of nobility in general.\* The fact has already been adverted to, that Anstis, Garter King of Arms, ascribes the origin of Supporters neither to the Crown nor to the Heralds, but to the whim or taste of seal engravers. For Supporters of a similar imaginary character with those on the seal of Hugh O'Neill, I may refer to Smith's "Antiquities of Westminster," which contains plates of twelve shields taken from very ancient painted glass in the windows of St. Stephen's Chapel. The learned author of the "Aspilogia,"† mentions a Paper addressed to the Pope in the year 1300, in which the Shields of Arms of twenty-seven noblemen are in the same manner supported, if that term can be used, on each side by a Wivern, and seven of the others by Lions." Further, he adds, the same sort of Supporters as those just instanced is placed in the shields of divers persons whose families were never advanced to the peerage, and who, not styling themselves knights, doubtless were not Bannerets, persons of which degree (if I mistake not) now claim Supporters during their lives, as well as Knights of the Garter, and some great officers of state." Edmondson, Mowbray Herald Extraordinary, in his elaborate work, "The Complete Body of Heraldry," speaks of Supporters as "matters of embellishment," and he records that "many persons, who although they were neither ennobled, or ever enjoyed any public offices under the Crown, assumed and bore Supporters, which were continued to be used by their descendants." After enumerating many families of this description, he adds, "It may be justly concluded that having a possessory right to such Supporters, their descendants are fully and absolutely well entitled to bear them." And why? Because, says he, "such possessory right is by far more honourable than any modern grant of Supporters that can be obtained from an office of Arms."

This exposition of the mistaken views held by the Heralds upon the immediate point before us, could be greatly extended, whilst extracts from the works of a multitude of the most learned authorities on family distinction might be adduced to establish the position that Supporters are an incident to the rank of Baronet. It is unnecessary, however, to dwell longer upon this question, believing that only one feeling can pervade

\* See the Plates at pages 334 and 335 of Smith's "Antiquities of Westminster."

† Sir Henry Spelman.

the Order with reference to the correctness of the conclusion arrived at.

II. CORONET:—Referring next to the right of Baronets to take and use a Coronet, the Heralds consider that the constitution of the Order contains no words which can warrant such an act. Now, after what has just been submitted in regard to Supporters, it will not, I should hope, be deemed presumptuous for me to hold that the Heralds have sufficiently stultified themselves by their opinion on that subject, to render their notions upon any of the other disputed points undeserving of consideration, whilst the circumstance that the proceedings of the Order during the last five years have not been controverted by a single opponent who has ventured to append his name to his lucubrations, is a fact that speaks volumes as to the apprehension of the learned portion of the community in general on the claims that have been mooted during that period. It is certain that Baronets cannot find anything upon the *modern* practice of bearing Arms amongst the classes of dignity inferior to their own, by which to establish a right to a Coronet, but such an appendage is not on that account the less incidental to their rank. This I desire to state emphatically, that the clause in the Letters Patent of the 14th Jac. I., so often quoted by me, gives to the Baronets all those *tessera nobilitatis*, by which they will be put on a common level with the other degrees of dignity hereditary, or it gives them none. The rule is either good for the whole, or it is good for nothing. Now, I am aware that this position will at once be attacked upon the ground that Lords had no Coronet till after the Restoration, and, consequently, that the Royal Founder of the Baronetage could not have contemplated, by the provision referred to, an ornament for the Baronets not enjoyed by Lords. But I must again enforce the consideration that King James I. did not covenant with the Baronets that they should, in all questions for place, privilege, &c., be ordered and adjudged as in his day and reign the other degrees of hereditary dignity were regulated; but he promised and declared for himself, his heirs, and successors, that the *usual rules, custom, and laws*, by which the Peers are governed in all questions concerning their pre-eminency, shall be the authority by which to determine such doubts or questions as at any time may arise regarding similar matters for the Baronets. As regards indeed Supporters, we find that at least some ten or twelve classes of the Lesser Nobility, inferior to the Baronets, use such ensigns, and that the same classes do not now use or carry any

kind of Coronet. But in the question of Supporters, the right of Baronets to carry supported Arms does not arise from the circumstance that Supporters are allowed to persons beneath them in the scale of precedency. That fact is only referred to for the purpose of shewing the anomalous position of Baronets in this respect, and to render yet more striking and manifest the grievance of their case. But the law or principle by which Baronets are privileged to adopt and use Supporters is this, **THAT SUPPORTERS ARE OF RIGHT INCIDENTAL TO BARONETAGE DIGNITY, AS BEING A CLASS OF THE HIGH HEREDITARY NOBILITY OF THE REALM.** Now, that right would neither have been altered or modified, had it so happened that no person or persons in the kingdom under and below the rank of Lords of Parliament had ever borne Supporters. And why? Because the constitution of the Baronetage provides and declares that the usual rules, custom, and laws, by which the Peerage degrees are adjudicated, in matters connected with their precedency, shall determine the Baronets in similar questions. Such, then, being the case, the mere fact—if such indeed it should turn out—of no Order of dignity in this kingdom inferior to Peers having ever used and enjoyed Coronets, would in no way invalidate the pretensions of the Baronets to have such a distinction. And why? Because Coronets are of right incidental to the degrees of dignity hereditary. If Baronets can be taken out of that category, then the rule would not apply to them. But so long as they are the **SIXTH CLASS** of Hereditary Nobility in the monarchy, so long are they to be regulated and adjudged in their degree, in all and everything connected with their place, privileges, and prerogatives, as Lords, Viscounts, Earls, Marquesses, and Dukes, in their respective degrees, are by the usual rules, custom, and laws for precedency, ordered and adjudged.

But further, before the objection of the Heralds to the Baronets adopting a Coronet, on the ground that the Charters of the Royal Founder neither expressly nor specifically warrant the assumption, can be held good, they must shew, first, that the charters erecting the several degrees of Lords, Viscounts, Earls, Marquesses, and Dukes, contain specific and express grants for the Coronets borne by them respectively; and, second, they must next establish that in the constitution of the Baronetage there is no promise and grant by the Sovereign Founder for himself, his heirs, and successors, that questions concerning the precedency and privileges of Baronets shall be decided and determined as by

the usual rules, custom, and laws, *other* degrees of dignitary hereditary are ordered and adjudged. The Heralds, however, can neither shew the former, nor can they establish the latter. Here are copies of the Royal Patents first conferring the titles of Duke, Marquess, Earl, Viscount, and Lord,\* and where is the clause or provision in any one of them which authorizes the adoption of a Coronet? There is no such clause or provision. True it is, that Charles II. at his coronation, by a royal warrant, granted to Lords permission to add a circle of gold, adorned with six balls, or pearls, to the cap of dignity which they previously, from time immemorial, had been accustomed to wear. The Baronets, however, do not found their pretensions to a Coronet upon the fact that the Lords have a Coronet by royal concession, which is *the exception*, but upon the circumstance that Viscounts, Earls, Marquess, and Dukes, have such ornaments without concession, which is *the rule*. But further, by reference to the Letters Patent of Charles II., dated Edinburgh, 29th June, 1665,† it will be seen that the grant relative to a Coronet is in favour of the Barons and Lords of Parliament in Scotland, of which former grade the Baronets of Scotland and Nova Scotia, almost without exception, are.

Speaking of Coronets, Sir George Mackenzie, in his "Science of Heraldry," ch. xxx., p. 92, observes, "Their first origin in Arms was from the Romans, who rewarded the great actions of their citizens and warriors with different and suitable crowns." Again, he states, that "Coronets arose from the children of the Kings of France carrying Crowns, whereupon Dukes and Earls &c. assumed the same as badges of distinction." Observe the word assumed. Brydson, also, in his "Summary View of Heraldry," remarks, "One of the armorial distinctions belonging to the third class of nobility, termed Bannerets, or Knight-Bannerets, was the wreath, considered as a kind of diadem, and represented, not in the usual form of a silken chaplet, but of an open golden Crown, or Coronet."

Selden, speaking of the Coronet, Crownet, or Circulus Aureus, states, in his "Titles of Honor," that it is first mentioned in the investiture of Earls in the time of Edward VI. But that they are much more ancient is proved from the effigy of John of Eltham, brother of Edward III., who lies buried at Westminster with a Coronet. He died two years before the first Duke was

\* Vide "Selden."

† Vide "Nisbet's Heraldry," vol. ii. page 51.

made in England. Aymer de Valence, Earl of Pembroke, who died in 1318, also had a Coronet.

But whilst in the patent of the 11th Edward II., creating the first Duke; in the patent of the 9th Richard II., creating the first Marquess; and in the patent of the 10th Henry VI., creating the first Viscount; no mention is made of a Coronet, yet it is nevertheless certain that caps of honour and dignity, and also sometimes circles of gold, are noticed in the personal investitures of persons raised to these dignities. From this latter circumstance, however, Dukes, Marquesses, and Viscounts, might just as well pretend to an exclusive right to wear swords as to wear Coronets, because in all notices of investitures the "*per cincturam gladii*" is recorded. Selden further speaks of the Crownet, or *Circulus Aureus*, as "*an honorary ornament*," whilst we read of investitures as being performed "*en manere et forme accustumez*." Spelman, too, the learned author of the "*Aspilogia*," remarks,—“In these latter ages, the nobility have been distinguished from persons of inferior rank by having Supporters and Coronets cut on their seals; but, as far as I am able to observe, there was not anciently any particular marks in the seals of the nobility that differed them from Knights.” Strutt, in his "*Antiquities*," published 1775, says—“Formerly there does not seem to have been any difference between the ornaments worn by Dukes and Earls; their golden circles, which were in the place of Coronets, are precisely the same in the reigns of the Norman Kings, as well as to the time of Richard the Second;” whilst, concerning “circles, chaplets, or wreaths, and coronets, so often occurring on our monumental figures,” Stothard observes,—“The Coronet does not appear to have been used under its present form (excepting it is discovered on the heads of females) by Princes, Dukes, Earls, or Knights, till the reign of Edward III., and it is then to be found indiscriminately on the heads of all of these.”

From these notices it is certain that by ancient practice the hereditary dignitaries used Coronets as emblems of their high quality and state; but they used them in virtue of their being incidents of nobility, and carried them, not only according to their own will and pleasure, but also according to their own fancy and taste. These statements might be authenticated by a multiplicity of proofs, but I shall limit myself to evidence taken from the family history of the Earl Marshal himself. There is now on the table, drawings of a great variety of Coronets, British and Foreign, but I desire to fix your special attention, first upon the

Coronet worn by Thomas, Earl of Arundel, who died in 1416;\* and 2ndly, upon the Coronet worn by William Fitz-Allan, Earl of Arundel, who died in



1487. These Coronets, you will perceive, not only differ materially from each other, but they further bear no resemblance whatever to the

Earl's Coronet of the present day. Further, it appears from the last will of Richard, Earl of Arundel, which bears date the 5th of December, 1375, that he left three Coronets, of several sorts and worth. Of these, he gave his best Coronet ("ma meliure coronne") to Lord Richard, his son and heir, to remain for ever to the heirs of his dignity. His second Coronet ("ma second melliure coronne") he devised to his daughter, Lady Joan, to remain to her and the heirs-male of her body. And his third Coronet, ("ma tierce corrone,") to his daughter, Lady Alice, and her heirs. What, then, do these facts establish? Why this, that Coronets in former times were carried as ensigns of high nobility, but carried without any royal warrant for the same, or any restriction as to their use or descent.

But whilst the Heralds state that the Letters Patent of King James I., erecting the Baronetage, contain no words upon which Baronets can specifically claim a Coronet, I ask, by, or in virtue of, what clause or grant in the same Letters Patent do Baronets carry the Open Helmet with which they surmount their arms? In the constitution of the Order there is not a single syllable said of this particular ornament, or anything that expressly sets forth what any one of the exterior heraldic ensigns of a Baronet shall be. Yet, notwithstanding, whilst this Open Helmet is borne entirely *by assumption*, the Heralds, with that fact before them, venture to question the right of the Baronets to take a Coronet by the same rule!

Since the civil wars, the ancient chivalric and heraldic honours of the monarchy have fallen into such a state of decadence, that it is supposed that Coronets never appertained to any classes of our aristocracy except such as enjoy peerage dignity. But this is altogether an error. The Knight Bannerets of old had their Coronet, which, on the authority of Sir George Mackenzie, one of the first heralds and lawyers of his age, was a plain circle of

\* These Coronets are copied from drawings given in "Stothard's Monumental Effigies."

gold, adorned with three ordinary pearls. Knights (i. e., Chevaliers, or Equites Aurati) wore their tymbered helmets, their caps of dignity, and jewelled circlets of gold. Here is a beautiful specimen of the Helmet worn by Knights in the beginning of the 15th century, which is taken from the effigy on the tomb of Sir Edmund de Thorpe, who died in 1418. It is covered with a scalloped mantlet or lambrequin, and is surmounted by a rich floral circle or Coronet. The following are ornaments of a similar character which appear upon the Basinets of Knights, who flourished in the 13th and 14th centuries, and

which in that age were equivalent to Coronets in the present day—viz :



These\* are adduced as illustrating the distinguished head decorations of this high and ancient equestrian order, with the dignities, pre-eminences, and ornaments, of which the Baronetage has been amplified, under provisions rendering them heritable rights in the families belonging to it for ever. Add a caul or cap to the above golden circles, or to the Coronet upon the helmet above given,



and in what respect would the Coronet of a Knight be inferior to that of a Lord or Earl? Even Bachelors (Bas-Chevaliers, or Milites Baccalauri) had their decorated Helmets, and other appurtenances of Knightly rank. Nor were our Esquires of old without their appropriate heraldic distinctions, as is proved by a print, engraved in 1727, of John Gower Armiger, who lived in the middle of the 14th century, and which establishes the fact

\* Vide "Stothard's Monumental Effigies."

that at that period Esquires wore as heraldic distinctions a fillet, or circle of gold, a silver collar of SS, and a cap of dignity:\*



But perhaps it will be said that this is only an isolated example, and that he might, perhaps, have worn some or all of these decorations, not because they were common to Esquires, but from some accidental circumstance. Gower was undoubtedly the peculiar adherent of Henry of Bolingbroke, who married one of the heiresses of Bohun, whose badge was a swan; but that he wore the decorations above instanced as *liveries* does not appear, nor, if it did, would the inference be correct that he enjoyed them by special permission, since the statute of the 2nd Henry IV., for the regulation of such marks of distinction, allows all Knights and Esquires to use "the livery of our Lord the King of his collar" in his presence, Goodman, Bishop of Gloucester, in his "Court of King James the First," chapter xii., mentions that at some times at the feast of St. George, in the reign of Queen Elizabeth, he has "seen very near ten thousand chains of gold stirring." Those were times when the Heralds did not presume to doubt the right of our ancient Esquires to be held as a portion of the nobility of the realm, or to adopt such caps, circles of gold, and other insignia, as by the usages of arms and chivalry the noblesse of the other Christian monarchies wore. Gower, although a simple Esquire of the 14th century, yet belonged to a family to whom the epithet "Nobilissima" might justly have been attributed;† and though not so high in titles or precedence as is its present representative the Duke of Sutherland, yet nevertheless his blood was as good, and his pretensions as valid to the decorations enumerated, as any that Marquesses, Earls, or Viscounts, can adduce for the ornaments incidental to their respective degrees.

Further: whilst the pretensions of a Baronet to assume and bear a Coronet is met by the objections which have been instanced, it will be seen from the annexed specimens that Coronets have

\* Print of John Gower, Esq., engraved by G. Vertue, 1727.

† This epithet is applied by the learned Sir Thomas Smyth, Secretary of State under Henry VI. and Queen Elizabeth, to many of our ancient Esquire families. See his "Nobiliorum Familiarum Sylloge," &c., annexed to his "Republica Anglorum."



been assumed and are now carried by various classes of the continental nobles, whose position amongst the aristocracy of their respective kingdoms is by no means so high as is that of Baronets in the British nation. First, here is the Coronet borne by M. de Berg, one of the secretaries to the Russian embassy—



Next are the coronets of—



a French Baron, & a Spanish Baron, who are not superior in rank to a second or third rate British Esquire. The following are the Coronets of—



a Russian Count, & a German Count, neither of whom are peers of Parliament. Again, here are examples of the Coronets worn by—



an Austrian Count, & an Hungarian Count, both of whom rank amongst the Lesser Nobility of the German Empire, not being the heads of their respective houses, nor privileged to sit and vote in their national diets. In addition to the above, there are a great variety of other Coronets, assumed and carried by different classes of the Foreign Noblesse, who are neither chiefs of ennobled races, nor yet dignitaries by virtue of patents from the Crown. These, consequently, have no right to wear such distinctions which can be held equal or superior to that which is incidental to the British Baronets. At this stage I may properly call attention to the information contained in a manuscript now on the table, relative to the adoption of Coronets, communicated by a valued correspondent in Germany. After many researches, and much reflection, the learned author of the

manuscript in question states, that he had arrived at the conclusion that the bearing of Coronets, as it now exists on the Continent, is nothing more than a *mere fashion*, which has gone on latterly to a great extent. That so late as the year 1609, when one Silcher published, at Nuremberg, a book containing the Arms of the families then counted amongst the Nobility and Gentry of Germany, no person under the rank of Princes and Dukes wore Coronets over their Arms as an independent part of their insignia. That about the middle of the 17th century, the petty Princes of Germany began the practice of granting Arms and Patents of Nobility to their servants and bastards, which, as it is supposed, led the ancient landed gentry to call themselves by the titles of Barons and Counts, and to adopt Coronets. That Danz, in his work entitled "*Privat Recht*," states, that about the year 1800 there were in many places, in different provinces of Germany, Heralds appointed to prohibit the Lesser Nobility from wearing Coronets; and that, nevertheless, at the present time, there is not any one who has the smallest possible claim to style himself connected with the German aristocracy who does not wear a Coronet over his arms as a matter of course, and without attending to any rule.

Here, likewise, your attention may be called to the fact, that amongst the drawings and impressions of seals upon the table, are specimens of two Coronets which are now worn and carried by a class of our fellow-subjects in British America, who rank with our ancient Lords of Manors in England; I refer to those Canadian proprietors, of French extraction, who hold their lands by seigneurial tenure. Further, having already stated that the titular Noblesse of the Continent (whether called Marquesses, Counts, Graves, Barons, &c.) are not justly to be considered as equal or superior in rank to an English Baronet, inasmuch as they do not form (as Baronets do in the British realm) a component class of the HIGH NOBILITY of their respective kingdoms, I may here corroborate the accuracy of this position, by laying before you a list of distinguished foreigners who have received from our Kings the dignity of Baronet. In that list, as published in 1757,\* you will find the names of Sir John F. Van

\* "Arms of the English Baronets, with a Comment illustrating the Dignity and State of the Order, &c.," page 50. The list referred to contains also the following creation by King James II. :—

"Sept. 9th, 1686, Cornelius Speelman, of the United Provinces, a General of the States of Holland, with a special clause to the General's mother, of the rank and title of a Baronetess of England."

Friesendorf, *Lord of Kympe*, Privy Councillor to the King of Sweden, and his Ambassador Extraordinary to King Charles II.; Sir Cornelius Martin Van Tromp, Vice-Admiral of Holland; and Sir Ignatius Vitus, *Count of Albis*, which honour he received from the Emperor Leopold in 1658, nineteen years before he was raised to the dignity of the Baronetage. However much, then, the title of Baronet may be misunderstood and depreciated on the Continent in the 19th century, we may rest satisfied that it was allowed to be superior to Lord and Count in the 17th, for the noble persons above named would not have received from a foreign monarch an hereditary dignity inferior to those which they already enjoyed in their native kingdoms.

Finally, it may be remarked upon this head, that whilst the courtesy of English society willingly allows Coronets to all classes of the Continental Noblesse or Gentry, and whilst the Heralds meet the pretensions of the Baronets to have a Coronet by the flimsy objection that the Letters Patent erecting the Baronetage contain no words which expressly warrant the same, I desire to call your attention to the list of Foreign Noblemen, subjects by birth of the British Crown, given in the end of the last edition of Burke's "Peerage and Baronetage." That list contains the names of twenty-four persons, several of whom are Baronets, and you will observe that all the Arms given are surmounted by Coronets of various shapes, whilst, with two exceptions, they are each blazoned with Supporters. Amongst the number of those who have both Coronets and Supporters, are the Arms of the Baron Rothschild—and what is more, the Supporters are a Lion and a Unicorn, which are the Royal Supporters of Great Britain. As all these foreign Counts and Barons are inferior in rank and dignity to a British Baronet, I would ask the Heralds upon what authority these Exterior Heraldic Ensigns are carried by them? In especial, I would wish to know whether the Supporters of the Baron Rothschild have been assigned in consequence of a royal warrant, because I find that Sir William Dethick, Garter King of Arms, was dismissed from his office, in 1603, for giving the Royal Arms, with very little difference, to one Donkin, a plasterer. Now, whilst I agree with a late well-known writer, in thinking that "a Coronet and Supporters would not disparage the shield of Sir Egerton Brydges, though consisting of three hundred and sixty princely, royal, and imperial quarterings,"\* I am also of opinion that it is disparaging to the

\* Sir James Lawrence. See his "Nobility of the British Gentry, 1840," p. 112. Published by Fraser.

British Crown, and derogatory to every Baronet in the British Empire, that a Frankfort Jew, who migrates to England, amasses a fortune by the chicanery of the Stock Exchange, and gets a title which adds him to the fag end of the Lesser Nobility of the Continent, should be allowed that which our Heralds would withhold from men whose ancestors displayed their Banners in Palestine, and who, centuries before the erection of the Baronetage, formed part of the immediate Barons of the realm! I again desire to advert to the fact that the Baronets are entitled to assume and bear a Coronet in virtue of the Patents of the Royal Founder of the Order, which instruments declare and provide that Baronets shall be regulated in all questions of this nature as by the usual rules, custom, and laws for precedency and privilege the Peers are regulated. But had it been otherwise, and could we blot from the Heraldic records of the United Kingdom all evidences whatever, shewing that our Knights and Esquires in former reigns wore Caps and Circuli Aurei, equivalent to Coronets, the single circumstance that a foreign Jewish Baron is allowed a Coronet and Supporters is such an open violation of the solemn covenant of King James I., that neither his Majesty nor his heirs or successors should ever at any time give pre-eminence to any person or persons whatsoever, under or beneath Lords of Parliament, which shall or may be accounted before or equal to the Baronets, that it would of itself justify the assumption of the said decoration.

III. MANTLE:—The right of Baronets to be assimilated with the other degrees of dignity hereditary in regard to a Mantle, or Robe of Estate, has also been objected to by the Heralds upon the ground that there is no analogy between their case and the right of the Peers to have a parliamentary robe. Now I quite allow that Baronets, *quasi Baronets*, have no pretensions to have a parliamentary robe, nor did they ever claim any such habili-ment. What the Baronets ask, and have a right to assume and possess, is such a robe as the other degrees of dignity hereditary use and wear at Coronations, and other high state solemnities of a civil nature. That Lords, Viscounts, Earls, Marquesses, and Dukes, wear on such occasions peculiar robes, wholly different from their parliamentary costume, is matter of common notoriety; and such being the case, it would be useless to enter into a lengthened disquisition to establish that the same rule which entitles the Sixth degree of dignity hereditary to be put on a common footing with the other degrees of dignity hereditary, as regards insignia in general, applies equally to this one in par-

ticular. Prior to the Civil Wars, the Baronets enjoyed their place and state in no less than five royal solemnities, on which occasions they must undoubtedly have appeared in their appropriate apparel. But no apparel could be appropriate except such as should be strictly consistent with analogy, and which preserved in all respects that regular and graduated scale of pre-eminence in habit which has ever distinguished the noble degrees of this nation. The Baronets, as a body, had their just place and precedence in the royal procession of King James I. to Parliament, on the 5th of April, 1614,\* and also in the public solemn procession of his Majesty to St. Paul's Cathedral, on the 26th of March, 1620, when they took place of such Knights as had been Ambassadors, Lords Presidents of the Provinces in Ireland, and Lords Deputies of that kingdom.† No procession having occurred at the Coronation of King Charles I., in consequence of the plague raging at the time, the Baronets did not enjoy (as they would otherwise have done) their state and place on that occasion. But at the public funeral of the famous General Monk, Duke of Albemarle, who was buried, by King Charles II.'s Order in Council, at Westminster Abbey, on the 30th of May, 1670, the Baronets walked in a body; and it will be seen from the engraved roll of that pompous interment, that the dress of the Baronets corresponds with the dress of the other hereditary orders. Froissard, speaking of the habits worn by the different classes of dignity at the Coronation of Henry IV., observes—  
*“ Les Ducs, Comites, et Barons, avoient longue houpelands d'escarlate, et longs Manteaux fourrez de menuver, et grans chaperons aussi fourrez en celle maniere. Et tout les Ducs et les Comtes avoient trois honobles de menuver assises, sur l'espaul senestre d'un quartier de long, ou environ; et le Barons n'en avoient que deux; et tous les autres Chevaliers et Escuyers avoient houpelandes fourrez de livree et estoient d'escarlate.”*  
 Had, then, the Baronets enjoyed their just state and place at the late Coronation of her Majesty, they would have attended arrayed in a robe differenced from that of a Lord, in the same proportion as the robe of a Viscount is differenced from that of an Earl. Nor is their right to assume a robe, or other habit of estate, at all abated by the fact that the covenant of the Royal Founder of the Order, as regards the place and precedence of Baronets,—“ in omnibus sessionibus, conventibus, cœtibus, et locis

\* *Ceremonie, J.*, p. 144, in *Coll. Armor.*

† *Sir Wm. Dugdale's "History of St. Paul's."*

quibuscunque," before Knights of the Bath, (an honour, in former reigns, exclusively conferred to grace Coronations and other royal festivals,) has been a dead letter since the period of the Commonwealth.

IV. COLLAR OF SS:—With regard to this ancient knightly ornament, the Heralds do not venture to question the right of such Baronets as are likewise Knights to enjoy the decorations appertaining to Knighthood, but they deny the proposition that Baronets are seised of the conjoint dignities of Baronet and Knight. Here, however, they again display a remarkable want of correct knowledge with reference to the chartered dues and prerogatives of this noble Order. In this kingdom there have ever existed two distinct species of feudal Knighthood, although, by most writers, whether legal or heraldic, they have been blended and confounded.\* The first is Bachelor Knighthood, (*Miles Baccalaurus*,) supposed by some authors to be so called, because it is an honour which dies with the individual enjoying it. The other is Knighthood, (*Equus Auratus, seu Ordo Equestris*,) which has ever partaken so far of the characteristics of an hereditary dignity, that in ancient times it was only bestowed upon those who had a natial right to the same, or were privileged to enjoy it "PATERNA SUCCESSIONE." It is this latter species of chivalrous dignity which by the Letters Patent of the 10th Jac. I., is made part and parcel of Baronetage nobility, and that under stipulations which render it onerous upon the Crown to make or inaugurate such Baronets and their eldest sons, being of age, Knights as may require the same. Now it is not to be inferred from this making or inaugurating that Baronets have no vested property in Knighthood, or in its privileges, pre-eminences, or ornaments, unless they are presented to the Sovereign, and receive the accolade. By the Letters Patent of the 10th Jac. I., all the Baronets then created were knighted collectively. That instrument declares that "his Majesty is pleased to knight the present Baronets that are no Knights;" and further, his Majesty was also pleased to ordain that, "as well the Baronets already created as hereafter to be created, shall and may take Letters Patent under

\* This distinction might be established by quotations from many authors of high repute, but it is sufficient to state that the Crown Precepts, or Royal Warrants for passing the Patents of Baronets in Scotland, give to them the "gradum, dignitatem, nomen, ordinem, titulum ac stilum BARONETTI, cum prioritatem et præcedentiam ante omnes EQUITES AURATOS, vulgo, Knights, et MILITES BAUCHALLAROS, anglice, Bachelors," &c.

the Great Seal to the effect of these presents." Well, then, in addition to Knighthood these Presents convey to Baronets the right to bear the Ulster cognizance, and to surround the Royal Standard of the Sovereign for its defence. Now, these are each heritable franchises, and accordingly, it is laid down in all our law books that Baronets are Knights. But further, a very considerable number of Baronets are by their family Patents, with their heirs-male for ever, *created Knights* as much as they are created Baronets. Such being the fact, the want of personal investiture cannot be held as deseising a Baronet of his chivalrous honours, or of any of those personal distinctions which appertain to Knighthood.\*

Of all the distinctions incident to Knightly dignity, the right to use and wear the Collar of SS. can least be controverted. We have the concurrent testimony of every ancient writer on titles of honour, that such an ornament was the undoubted badge of Knighthood; and the fact can be established by numerous undeniable examples, in the reigns of Henry IV., Henry V., Henry VI., Edward IV., Henry VII., and Henry VIII. In the Parliament

\* It is laid down in all our law books that the Crown can create what new titles it pleases, and there is no authority to shew that the Crown cannot create an hereditary Knight. What else is the meaning of the following clauses in the Patents of the Baronets of Scotland? "*Creamus prefatum A——B—— ac Hæredes Masculos MILITES BARONETTOS, in perpetuum, cum singulis aliis privilegiis, immunitatibus, et honoribus quibuscunque,*" etc. It is fancied that we have no Equestrian dignity in this kingdom, yet there are many instances of such Knighthood having been conferred by Patent. On the 27th of December, 1610, James I. knighted Sir Jacob Van Einden, by Letters Patent, in which are these operative words:—"Propterea tenore præsentium EQUESTRI ORDINIS sive EQUITIS AURATI, gradu, titulo, et dignitate illum donamus." Sir Thomas Smith, in his "*Respublica Anglorum,*" speaks of "*Pointz, familia nobilis in Glocestria e qua nonnulli magno splendore et equestri dignitate supersunt,*" also of "*Popham, nobilissima familia et equestris,*" and so of various others. Lord Chief Baron Comyn, in his Digest, 2, Inst. 666, says, "Knights are Baronets, Knights of the Garter, Bannerets," &c. Selden and Mackenzie, the two best authorities on matters connected with family distinction, also allow that Baronets are Knights, although they have not sufficiently adverted to the fact that besides being Knights they are likewise Baronets. The learned Sir Wm. Segar, when Garter Principal King of Arms, in a declaratory Patent relative to the old arms and quarterings of Sir Edward Dering, Bart., styles this Baronet "*Honorabili viro Domino Edwardo Dering Militi et Baronetto;*" and numerous examples of Baronets being also styled Knights, occur in the 17th century. But although both Baronet and Knight are names of dignity, nevertheless the maxim in our law, "that a greater dignity does not drown a lesser, but both stand together in one person," has of late been entirely overlooked as regards the Baronets.

held in the 2nd Henry IV., a statute was enacted to regulate the use of LIVERIES, called signs and liveries of cloth, which ordained that all liveries and signs should be entirely abolished, except (and the exception fully secured the continuance of the custom) "that all sons of the King, Dukes, Earls, Barons, and Baronettes, might use the livery of our Lord the King of his COLLAR, as well in his absence as in his presence;" and that all the Knights and Esquires should use it only in the presence of the King, and not in his absence. The statute of the 24th Henry VIII., ch. 13, for the regulation of apparel, also enacts, amongst other things, "that it shall be permitted for Knights to wear a COLLAR OF GOLD named the Collar of SS." The Heralds, in their reply to the communication of the Earl of Holland in 1627, admit that "Knights (now called Bachelors) were anciently known by their Belts, their COLLAR OF SS. OF GOLD, their gilded spurs and swords," Considering, then, these various circumstances, and the fact that King James the First, the Sovereign Founder of the Baronetage, issued a royal proclamation after his accession to the English throne, that the dignity of Knighthood should be conferred and enjoyed in his reign, with all the privileges and immunities belonging to it, in as full and ample a manner as had ever been enjoyed under any of his predecessors of famous memory, there can be no question as to the right of the Baronets to resume the use of this ancient Knightly ornament, whether as a personal or as an armorial distinction.

**RIBAND AND BADGE:**—The exceptions taken by the Heralds, in their Report, to the Baronets having a Riband and Badge, apply to that ornament simply as a personal decoration, and not to it considered as an armorial distinction.

Treating, as we now are, simply of extra-scutal embellishments, it does not properly fall within the scope of this exposition to consider the pretensions of the Ulster Baronets of the several creations to wear on their persons the Ulster cognizance, as a symbol of their rank. Nevertheless, I shall not limit my remarks to one view of the subject, the more particularly as Mr. Crawford, in his Address on the Chartered Rights and Privileges of the Order, did not examine the reasons upon which the Officers of Arms have offered an opinion unfavourable to the Baronets upon this point; and also, because it is meant that this heraldic ornament should henceforth be used both as an armorial and as a personal badge of honour.



With reference, first, to decorating extra-scutally the arms of the several classes of Ulster Baronets with a riband and badge, as the Nova Scotia branch of the Order now universally do theirs. I lay down this to be an incontrovertible position—viz., that whatever one Baronet, *quasi a Baronet*, is entitled to add externally to his arms as an emblem of his rank and dignity, another Baronet, upon the same principle, is entitled to adopt and use as an armorial exponent of his rank and dignity. Thus, if one Baronet, *quasi a Baronet*, is entitled to surmount his Arms with a wreath, a helmet, a coronet, a badge, or any other distinctive ornament whatsoever, then, any other Baronet, or *all* other Baronets, may do the same. And why? Because the Baronets form an order or estate of hereditary dignity in the realm, and as such order or estate, they are by charter privileged to have and enjoy similar heraldic ensigns of distinction. It is not consistent with the heraldic rules and customs of this realm, or with those of any other monarchical community, for classes of our constituted degrees of nobility to present the anomalous appearance of some members having one description of exterior armorial ornaments and some members having other descriptions of such concomitants. Neither was it the intention of the Royal Founder of the Baronetage, or of the subsequent Sovereigns who have conferred the dignity, that such extraordinary irregularities should prevail in the Order as what the armories of its members now present. On the contrary, we have a multitude of patents conferring Baronetcies in different reigns, which contain clauses that the patentees and their heirs-male shall have and hold their titles and dignity with such rights and privileges as any Baronet in time past has possessed, or as any Baronet in time future may enjoy. Upon the strength, then, both of heraldic precedent and royal covenant, each Baronet is warranted to charge his family coat with those external marks or badges of honour which are emblematic of, and incidental to, his degree.

Now, applying this rule or principle to the question immediately before us, we find that one entire branch of the Order, the Nova Scotia Baronets, adorn their shields with a Riband and Badge, whilst the other branch of the Order, the Ulster Baronets, use no ornament of this description.

By virtue, then, of what authority do the Scottish Baronets enjoy an armorial distinction not known in the armories of the English and the Irish members of the Order?

That question admits properly of no other answer than this,

that the Baronets of Scotland can produce no royal ordinance or official warrant of any kind allowing them to trim their Arms with a Riband and Badge. By a special clause in the constitution of the Baronetage of Scotland and Nova Scotia, each of its members are privileged to have and carry on a canton in their Coat of Arms, or on an escutcheon at their pleasure, the Arms of the province of Nova Scotia—viz., argent, the Royal Arms of Scotland on a cross of St. Andrew, azure, supported by the royal unicorn on the dexter side, and by a savage, proper, on the sinister; and for crest, two hands conjoined, the one naked, the other mailed, with a laurel branch, and thistle issuing between, and the motto *MUNIT HÆC ET ALTERA VINCIT*; but this permission is quite a different and distinct thing from any connected with extra-scutal ornaments.

Whilst, then, the Baronets of Scotland have a royal warrant for charging their coats armorial with the royal ensigns of Nova Scotia, they have, speaking of them, not in general, but universally and as one man, laid aside the practice of augmenting their Arms with that distinguished addition of honour; whereas, on the contrary, without royal warrant, they have, speaking of them, not in general, but universally and as one man, adopted the mode of appending to their shields a Riband and Badge.

Were this matter (of a Riband and Badge) merely a question of armorial distinction, I should stop here, submitting that a precedent of this kind is a ground ample and sufficient of itself to entitle the English and Irish Baronets to lay aside the practice of charging their coats armorial with the royal ensigns of Ulster, and to adopt the mode of appending to their shields a Riband and Badge composed of those royal ensigns.

But, second, as the Nova Scotia Baronets use a Riband and Badge, not only as an armorial distinction, but also as a personal emblem of their rank, I proceed next to shew that the Ulster Baronets are entitled to adopt and use a Riband and Badge, both as an armorial and as a personal mark of honour.

In the year 1612, King James I., by a royal ordinance, amplified the Baronetage with Knighthood and its privileges, pre-eminences, and ornaments; and, at the same time, his Majesty further granted to the Baronets the right to augment their coats armorial with the Royal Arms of Ulster, to promote the plantation of which province the Order had been erected. In that day of the world it does not distinctly appear that Knights, whether those called *EQUITES BALNEI*, from the peculiar solemnities used at their creation, or those called *EQUITES AURATI*,

wore Ribands and Badges; but the fact is certain, that under all reigns preceding the creation of the Baronetage, Knights did, by the rules of chivalry and heraldry, enjoy certain distinguishing marks of honour as personal decorations. From the moment, then, that the Baronetage was amplified with Knighthood, its members, *quasi Knights*, were brought, as regards personal decorations, within the influence of those laws and customs by which the various orders of feudal chivalry had ever been regulated; and in virtue of those laws and customs, which form what is called the *CURIALITAS REGNI*, Baronets are entitled to appropriate and use every ornament that appertains to equestrian nobility. Well, keeping this in view, it appears from the records of the kingdom, that King Charles I., in the year 1625, the date of his accession to the throne, passed an ordinance that "the Knights of the Bath should continually wear the ensign of that Order about their necks as a mark of honour." This new privilege appears to have led the Baronets to prefer a request to the Crown that they in like manner might wear the ensign of their Order about their necks as a mark of honour. Because there is recorded in the Heralds' College a correspondence between the Earl of Hollande, the Officers of Arms, and Sir Robert Heath, the Attorney-General, bearing date 1627, from which it appears that King Charles I. was moved by the Baronets to grant them a Riband and Badge; that the Heralds reported that a decoration of such a kind would be very fit and convenient for the Baronets; and that, in consequence, the Attorney-General received a commandment from his Majesty relative to the business. Further, in the year 1629, King Charles addressed a letter to the Privy Council of Scotland, signifying his pleasure that the Baronets of that his ancient kingdom should, every one of them, and their heirs male in all time coming, wear and carry about their necks an Orange Riband, whereon shall hang pendant, in a scutcheon, argent, a saltier, azure thereon, an inescutcheon of the Arms of Scotland, with an imperial crown above the scutcheon, and encircled with the motto—"Fax Mentis Honestæ Gloria."



After considerable research, I have not been able to find a

copy of the royal commandment received by the Attorney-General, Sir Robert Heath, from his Majesty King Charles I., relative to the Ulster Riband and Badge; but at a Special Meeting of the Committee of Baronets, held on the 14th of May, 1836, I produced an ancient Badge of Ulster, then the property of Sir George Duckett, and still, I believe, in the possession of that honourable Baronet.

In a MS. book in the Heralds' College, labelled "BARONETS' ARMS," &c., purchased from the administratrix of Sir George Naylor, Garter King, is a note by the late John C. Brooke, Esq., of the Heralds' College, of which the following is a copy:—

"May 24th, 1786. Sir Joseph Andrews, Bart., one of the Committee for regulating the Order of Baronets, told me that at one of the meetings Sir Thomas Frankland produced a Badge which his grandfather, Sir Thomas Frankland, wore when employed on some foreign negotiation at the court of Lisbon. It was the bloody hand enamelled on a white field, and was set round with diamonds of the value of near 30*l.* The original was stolen, with some other valuables, when Sir Thomas's house was broken open, but a drawing of it was preserved."

Sir George Duckett is unable to give any information respecting the Badge in his possession, further than that he found it amongst a collection of curiosities made by his late father. Here is a correct engraving of it, from which it will be seen that it corresponds exactly with the description given by Mr. Brooke fifty-six years ago, with this exception, that instead of diamonds, it is set round with composition jewels, white, blue, green, and red, alternately. On the reverse of the Badge, which is of plain gold, is this inscription—"Sir Thomas Frankland, of Thirkelby, Ebor, cr. 24 Dec. 1660."



In the year 1835, the Baronets, not being aware of the Hollande correspondence in 1627, relative to a Riband and Badge, or that King Charles I., after reference to the College of Heralds, had issued a COMMANDMENT to the Attorney-General on the subject, presented a petition to his late Majesty, praying that he

would permit them to wear, with an appropriate Riband, the Ulster cognizance. This petition his Majesty received at his levee on the 8th of July, 1835, in the most gracious manner. He assured the deputation of Baronets who presented it, that he would take "*a personal interest*" in the wishes of the Order, laying a peculiar emphasis on these words. The same afternoon he sent for the late Sir William Woods, then Clarendieux, and gave him instructions to prepare designs for a Badge. These designs I subsequently saw in Sir William's hands, at the Earl Marshal's Office, Craig's Court; and I have now copies of them in my possession. After the levee, on the 5th of August following, I had, in company with Admiral Sir John P. Beresford, Bart., the honour of a private audience of his Majesty, when I submitted drawings of the Nova Scotia Badge, and of an Ulster Badge, surmounted, like the former, with an imperial crown, and so otherwise arranged as to render, as much as possible, the two decorations uniform in size and shape. Of this design his Majesty was pleased to express his approbation, and he further assured me of his intention to grant the Ulster Baronets their request. Some time after this interview, his Majesty gave to Sir John Beresford a piece of red riband, saying that it was a specimen of the riband which he intended the Baronets should wear with their Badge.

Notwithstanding all these facts, and further, that the petitioners sought the Badge as a boon, this matter was, with those claimed as chartered privileges, referred for the consideration of the Heralds, who reported, relative to the Nova Scotia Badge, that not finding any mention of it in such patents after the date of the royal warrant, in 1629, as they had had an opportunity of inspecting, it may be questionable whether the distinction of a Badge was not intended to be limited to those upon whom the honour had been conferred in reward for their exertions in the settlement of the colony of New Scotland; that whilst it was undoubtedly in the power of his Majesty, in his wisdom, and in the exercise of his royal prerogative, to assign to the Ulster Baronets a Badge in imitation of the grant made by his royal predecessor, King Charles I., they humbly submitted how far an hereditary personal decoration, in the nature of a Riband and Badge, would not be an *anomaly* in this country; and they concluded by adding, that in the year 1784, a petition, having a similar object, was presented to his late Majesty King George the Third, and that it did not appear that his Majesty was pleased to accede the prayer thereof.

Now, had these objections been fair and valid, still keeping in view that his Majesty, in the presence of his Court, had openly stated that he would take a personal interest in acceding the wishes of the Baronets; and further, that certain members (if not all the members) of the College of Heralds were fully aware of his Majesty's private feelings on the subject; considering that designs for a Badge had actually been prepared by them by his Majesty's commands, there is not, perhaps, in the past records of the monarchy, to be found a more unparalleled act of insult and degradation to the Sovereign than that which is involved in this finding of the Heralds, inasmuch as it had the effect of causing his Majesty to commit a breach of promise towards the Baronets.

But the full turpitude of this affair will the better be understood when it is considered, 1st, that each Baronet of Scotland is entitled to wear the Nova-Scotia Riband and Badge, seeing that his family patent entitles him to use and enjoy any right, privilege, and immunity, vested in the Order, by virtue of its constitution, or by virtue of any other ordinance, grant, letters patent, or acts whatsoever; 2ndly, that a decoration of this description would not be an anomaly in this kingdom, as the precedent of an hereditary Badge has existed for upwards of two hundred years in a junior branch of the Order; 3rdly, that no petition similar to the petition of 1835 was presented to King George III.;\* and 4thly, that these objections were put forth when the Heralds held in their possession documents shewing that the heads of their own College, in 1627, had made a report upon a Riband and Badge of such a favourable nature, that King Charles I. actually issued a commandment in reference to it!

The length of this address has already greatly exceeded what I originally intended, and I shall therefore hasten to close it by curtailing as much as possible what remains to be said. Since the presentation of the petition for a Badge, the Hollande Correspondence has been discovered, and it contains internal evidence

\* In the year 1784, King George III. passed an ordinance to the effect that the title of Baronet should not, from the date thereof, be inserted in any commission, warrant, appointment, or other instrument to be issued from the government offices, except the person using or claiming the said title should previously prove his right thereto in the College of Arms. This ordinance, which was evidently passed to put fees into the pockets of the Heralds, and to lay an intolerable burden on the Order at large, was resisted by the Baronets, and a petition, praying that they might be relieved from the inconvenience and expense attending it, was presented to his Majesty in 1785, and granted.

of a kind sufficient to warrant the Ulster Baronets to assume a Riband and Badge. For that purpose, the design produced has been prepared, and it has already been approved of by many influential members of the Order. It is simply the royal cognizance of Ulster, surmounted by an imperial crown, and surrounded by a motto expressive of the loyalty and patriotism of the Order. If it differs in these respects from the Frankland Badge, it cannot be said that we have exceeded the precedent which the Nova Scotia Badge affords in these particulars.



I submit, then, that a resolution should this day be passed reviving the use of the Ulster Badge, both as an armorial and as a personal distinction. By a resolution to this effect, this Committee can compel no member to adopt and wear the Badge, either in the former or in the latter manner. But we shall at least do our duty by the Baronetage, and likewise vindicate the intentions of our late gracious Sovereign, by deciding that the arms of the applying Baronets shall be registered in our books with a Riband and Badge, leaving it to the members of the Ulster branch of the Order in general to give effect to the conclusion, by using it in either way, or in both, at their individual discretion.

It may possibly be said that the isolated instance of the Frankland Badge affords no grounds for the assumption of a Badge. Now, *per se*, I willingly concede that such would be the case; but it cannot be denied that the Ulster cognizance is vested in the Ulster Baronets by the Patents of the 14th Jac. I. Again, if only one Ulster Badge can be adduced, we have at least one hundred and fifty examples of Nova-Scotia Badges. Further, we have the covenant on behalf of the Ulster Baronets recorded in the constitution of the Order, and passed under the Great Seal of the realm, that the Crown shall not give pre-eminence to any person or persons whatsoever under or beneath the degree, dignity, or state, of Lords of Parliament of this the realm of England, which shall be equal to the dignity of the Baronets; whilst, finally, all Baronets are entitled to enjoy in common, *quasi Baronets*, similar rights, privileges, and distinctions.

But the Frankland Badge is not the only instance which I have discovered of the Ulster cognizance having been worn as a personal distinction; a multitude of cases can be cited of its having been used in various ways, during different reigns, not on a canton, or in an inescutcheon in a coat of arms, but as a separate and distinctive badge of honour. Upon what principle, then, can it be contended that the Ulster Baronets have not a valid and sufficient right to use and enjoy the Ulster Badge, both as an armorial and personal symbol of dignity? It is absurd to call an hereditary mark of this nature an anomaly, seeing that the Baronetage itself may be characterized as anomalous, inasmuch as no other hereditary degree in Christendom combines both baronial and chivalrous honour.

Having met all the prominent objections thrown out against the adoption by the Baronets of the Exterior Heraldic Ornaments which are incidental to the Order, I have now to conclude by expressing my hope that you will unanimously pass a series of resolutions to the effect that the Arms of the applying Baronets shall be registered in the books of the Committee, with Supporters, a Coronet, Mantle, &c., as exemplified in the drawing now before you. This hope may be the more confidently entertained, because the Baronets who have signified their intention to act on the resolutions of the General Meeting on the 14th of May, 1841, have been each furnished with a copy of the drawing, and have signified their full approval of it. In carrying out, then, the principle adopted at the General Meeting into practical details, a deep responsibility rests upon the Committee, seeing that by the due exercise this day of the authority reposed in you by the Order, the proceedings which have been in progress for the last six years will either be consummated and made effectual, or else they will be stultified and rendered abortive. On a comprehensive review of the position of the Baronetage in its several branches, and a full consideration of all those matters which have been to-day brought under your attention, there can be little doubt as to the course which we are bound to pursue. The Roman philosopher, Seneca, has left upon record this precept—"INDUE TE DELICATE NON PROPTER TE, SED PROPTER HONOREM IMPERII." In the spirit of that advice we are called upon to act; and what member is there of this Committee, or indeed of the Baronetage throughout all its classes, who would lend his sanction for a moment to these proceedings if individual vanity, or even the aggrandizement of the Order, formed



the main result to be achieved? In the address, which in 1835 was placed in the hands of King William the Fourth with our two petitions, we entreated his Majesty's gracious assistance towards putting the Order to which we belong upon the ORIGINAL EXCELLENCE OF ITS FOUNDATION. And why did we venture to prefer so guarded a request? Because, on taking into account the abuses which since the civil wars have crept into the Baronetage, we felt that devout respect for the memory and intentions of the Royal Founder dictated such a course,—that the station which we occupied as the SIXTH DEGREE of the hereditary nobility of the British Empire required it,—and that it was demanded by a sense of duty to the Crown, from whom all splendour and amplitude of honour and dignity take their rise. These reasons have not been altered or impaired, nor have the covenants and charters of King James I. been made null and void, because the Officers of Arms have made an *ex parte* report upon the matters claimed by us as rights, of the nature commented upon in this exposition. The Heralds, as a body, have no judicial capacity in the state, nor are they competent, legally, to advise the Crown upon any questions or doubts arising out of the construction of royal patents. On the contrary, by the presentation of these petitions, and by our subsequently asking and having been refused a hearing before the Privy Council, we have prepared the way for asserting the rights and privileges of the body; not, however, upon our own responsibility, or according to the views, fancy, or taste of individuals, but upon the strength of those documents under the Great Seal of the realm which form the Magna Charta of the Baronetage, and in virtue of those rules, customs, and laws referred to in it, for the regulation of all matters concerning us as an hereditary Order, which the Royal Founder of the Baronetage himself prescribed, and which is binding upon his heirs and successors.

In suggesting, then, that the principle agreed upon at the last General Meeting of the Order shall now be carried into practical effect by registering the Arms of the applying Baronets in the books of this Committee, with the several Exterior Heraldic Ornaments exhibited in the drawing before you, we shall, perhaps, subject ourselves to the imputation of going too far; but remember, it is quite as possible to commit the Order by adopting too little, as by adopting too much. I cannot, therefore, advise this Committee to act upon a medium course, or in accordance with what some may deem to be the golden mean between the

two extremes. The degree of a Baronet is declared, by the Letters Patent of the 14th Jac. I., to be *mesne* in place between the degree of a Baron (being a Lord of Parliament) and the degree of a Knight, (which gives to the Baronetage a position superior to that of all Knights whatsoever collectively, even Knights of the Garter and Knight-Bannerets Royal included;) but the same Letters Patent also declare, that Baronets, in matters appertaining to their dignity, shall be regulated as by the usual rules, custom, and laws, Lords, Viscounts, Earls, Marquesses, and Dukes, in such things, are regulated. There is, therefore, no room for dubiety, no debateable ground in the case which we are now called upon to deal with. The royal ordinance laid down by the Sovereign Founder of our family honours is a clear, plain, and peremptory enactment, and is either good for all that we contend for in the shape of Exterior Heraldic Ornaments, or it is good for none. You have, then, to choose the alternative either of abandoning all pretensions on behalf of the Order to Exterior Heraldic Ornaments, or to comply with the requisition of the noble members who now call upon you to register their Arms in your journals with Supporters, a Coronet, Mantle, &c. If any of these ensigns of hereditary rank are not warranted by analogy, then my whole argument in reference to them falls to the ground. If these ensigns are warranted by analogy, then I maintain that Baronets by that analogy are privileged to have Supporters, a Coronet, Mantle, &c.; not, however, that I found anything upon analogy *per se*, but because we have a royal warrant in the constitution of the Baronetage itself for making analogy our standing rule and guide for the settlement of such points as those which now concentrate our attention.

We cannot, then, without rendering nugatory all that previous General Meetings have discussed and concluded upon, and indeed subverting the express end for which this Committee for Privileges was founded, descend from the position which the royal ordinance of the 14th Jac. I. entitles us to occupy. But further, this Committee, as representing the rights and interests of the whole Order, is bound not to recognise any arbiter in these doubts and questions. In soliciting the assistance of his late Majesty towards putting our Order upon the original excellence of its foundation, we never contemplated by so doing that the Earl Marshal and his officers were to sit in judgment upon our case. We requested his Majesty to take a personal interest in our proceedings, which his Majesty promised, in the presence of

his Court, to do ; but we never asked the Secretary of State for the Home Department to interfere in the matter, nor are we to abandon our chartered prerogatives, or to be restrained from the free use and full enjoyment of rights which are incidental to our dignity, because of any discourteous and unprecedented obstructions which have occurred in reference to their assertion. No ; having discharged ourselves of a due act of respectful and loyal courtesy to the Sovereign, we have now to stand firm and erect upon the CONSTITUTION OF THE ORDER, and to resist the notion, whether urged by prejudiced ignorance from without, or countenanced by mistaken subserviency within, that the Baronetage shall, from time to time, be regulated by any power or party in the state extraneous to itself. The Royal Founder has appointed the usual rules, custom, and laws, by which the Hereditary Orders in general are governed, to be our *STANDING CODE* for deciding all doubts and questions whatsoever concerning us as an Order. But he does not say, nor did he intend, that the application of these laws, which are sufficiently plain, positive, and determinate, shall be according to the will or pleasure of the reigning Sovereign, or of the Ministry for the time being, or of the Heralds, or indeed of any other officers or officer whatsoever. On the contrary, King James I. binds himself, his heirs, and his successors, to the effect above recited ; and farther covenants and agrees with the Baronets, that they shall for ever freely and quietly have, hold, and enjoy their several dignities, places, precedency, and privileges, according to the true intent and meaning of his letters patent.

This Committee, then, as representing the Order, have a clear and straightforward duty to perform towards the applying Baronets, and it is one which can be discharged with perfect respect to the Fountain of Honour, from whence our privileges are primarily derived, but upon which they do not *now* depend. Our gracious Sovereign enjoys the regal prerogative of creating Baronets, but not the legal power of altering or defining the letters patent which fix and declare what the rights and immunities of a Baronet are and must continue to be. Let there, then, be no misapprehensions upon this vital point. The Nova Scotia Baronets, in 1775, when required to submit their pretensions to their Riband and Badge for the consideration of the Crown Lawyers of England and Scotland, replied, they were willing to submit their lives and fortunes to those officers, but their family honours they would submit to no one. The Ulster Baronets, of

the several creations, have to take even higher grounds than this, and to act upon the principle that what the Crown has vested in the Order by the patents of 1611, 1612, and 1616, cannot be abrogated or disallowed by any subsequent ruling power. Is it within the competency of the reigning Sovereign to deseise the Earl Marshal of the feudal privileges which the Earldom of Arundel bestows?—or can it abate the chivalrous splendour of the Lords of Scrivelsby in after time, that the pinching economy of the present reign broke the Coronation precedents of nearly a thousand years? On behalf of the noble Baronets whose applications are before you, I repudiate the notion, should it anywhere exist, that we are acting without the due authority of the Crown. Are the royal patents of James I., which subsist under the sanction of the Great Seal of the realm, or the report of the College of St. Benet's Hill, to be our regulating code in future? No;—while the proceedings of the Order are not influenced by any feelings save those of perfect respect and loyal devotion to the Crown, we cannot and will not stoop our crests to any adverse or sinister influences which jealousy, which ignorance, or which the levelling spirit of the times, may conjure up in opposition to the course which honour and duty alike urge us to follow. Let us carry out the Resolutions of the General Meeting of the 14th of May, 1841, in the mode exhibited in the drawing on the table, and simultaneously let us enter upon our minutes the expression of our united and deep-felt wish, that her Majesty may honour our proceedings with her favour and protection. So far we can go with perfect safety, and without prejudice to the CONCLUSIONS arrived at, and from which we cannot withdraw without disgrace and injury to the Order. It is true, that by a step of this kind we again subject the Order to a repetition of the extraordinary conduct which we have already so often had cause to complain of. But what then? Let the present Government endorse, if they will, the discourteous usage which we have experienced from the last—let them advise, as they may do, the Queen to withhold her royal countenance from that which we have found, after a due and full investigation, to be our rights and privileges; and we shall nevertheless fall back on the chartered covenants and engagements of the Royal Founder of our family honours, and assert and maintain them to their fullest extent. The recorded ordinances of the first British Monarch of the House of Stuart will ever be potent with the Baronets; nor will the Order cease to remember that on the 27th of April, 1837, a few weeks

before the death of King William the Fourth, and long after a General Meeting had declared its intention to revive, by acts and resolutions of the Body, every right and immunity vested in it, the Secretary of State for the Home Department communicated that "His Majesty was fully sensible that the Baronets had acted with GREAT PROPRIETY in the steps which they had taken on this occasion." Her present Majesty cannot be presumed to entertain to the Baronets less favourable dispositions. But whatever may be the result, we can lose nothing by evincing our respect to the Throne in the language suggested, seeing that our rights, privileges, and immunities are based upon ROYAL CHARTERS, which are alike onerous on the Sovereign as on the subject.

In connexion with this subject, I have further to suggest the propriety of embodying the past proceedings, and the resolutions at which we shall this day arrive, in a REPRESENTATION, to be placed in the hands of her Majesty the Queen by the Prime Minister, in order that her Majesty may be made officially cognizant of the same.

But it may be asked—If this course is pursued, and should the Queen not honour the proceedings with her favour and protection, in that case will any Baronet dare to assert any or all of the Exterior Heraldic Ornaments which are incidents of our rank and position in society? I reply, that we are not to prejudge our cause, or regulate our conduct this day, by presuming to determine what may or what may not be the conduct of individual members of the Order. This Committee is bound, in fealty to the body represented, to adjudicate on the applications of the Baronets now on the table, without reference to hypothetical contingencies, or forming conjectures as to what the issue may be. You are sitting this day, as a court or chapter of the Order, not to decide whether Exterior Heraldic Insignia shall be adopted—but as a court or chapter to whom the Order assembled in General Meeting has expressly delegated the commission to carry into practical effect its unanimous conclusions in reference to those points. The applications are from various distinguished members of the Order, some being English, some Scottish, some Irish, some British, and some United Kingdom. These Baronets will undoubtedly act upon the resolution of the Order, whether that resolution be approved or disapproved in any quarter whatsoever. The banners of those noble members have floated in the fields of

Agincourt and Bannockburn, and their bearers are not men likely to quail under any attempt which may be made to interfere with the free and full enjoyment of their family rights. A General Meeting of the Order has already determined every question which has been agitated by the Baronets since 1835, and we cannot depart from conclusions arrived at after such lengthened proceedings, without a breach of the duty imposed upon us, and which we have undertaken to perform. Did the Baronets of Scotland, in the year 1775, deal with the question of the revival of the privilege of their branch of the Order to wear a Badge, as one which the then reigning Sovereign, or any of his Ministers, had a right to control? Or did the Committee appointed by that meeting fail to carry into effect its resolution to revive the Badge, because, on the presentation of the documents connected with their proceedings, (and after they had refused to submit their pretensions to the Crown lawyers,) they were coldly told by the minister that "he would 'lay them before the King, and if there was any answer, though he apprehended there could be none, it should be immediately communicated"? Unquestionably they did not. They felt like men who had previously communicated to the Earl of Suffolk that the Badge in question "was one which had been conferred upon their ancestors by their Sovereign, for whom in return most of them fought, and bled, and lost their estates;" that "the distinction being such as no other hereditary Order in Europe had, they confessed, in their love of it, what some might call family pride, but which they called family virtue;" and they added that, "from a wish to mark their loyalty to his Majesty and his Royal house, they had entered on their minutes that the Badge was to be put on upon the anniversary of his Majesty's accession to the throne." The Scottish Baronets accordingly did put on their Badge on the occasion mentioned; and it is said that one of them having been challenged by his Majesty for doing so, made this memorable reply—"That the decoration which he wore had been given to his ancestors by the Sovereign of these realms before the House of Hanover came to the throne, and that it was one which his Majesty could not give nor take away."

Such was the conduct of the Scottish Baronets towards the middle of the last century, and it remains to be shewn whether THE ORDER, in all its branches, does not enrol men equally worthy of the honours of their ancestry. That a body enrolling upwards of a thousand individuals should comprise a few low-

minded men, who care for none of those things which have occupied so long and so sedulously the attention of this Committee, is not to be wondered at. But we have now before us, in the applications on the table, the most substantial proof that there will not be wanting a sufficient phalanx to assert and maintain every Exterior Heraldic Ornament that is incidental to the Order. The example which these noble members will set in their respective native kingdoms will unquestionably be followed by every Baronet except such as have no due perception of their chartered rights, or any proper respect for the intentions of their Royal Grantor. It was not until we had exhausted the preliminary course which duty and respect to the Sovereign dictated, that we came, after mature deliberation,<sup>4</sup> and what we deemed competent legal advice, to the conclusions detailed; whilst no claim has been put forth by us which is not substantiated by reason, by evidence, and peremptory enactment. Neither are there any rights, privileges, or distinctions assumed by us which are unjustified by precedent, by analogy, by public convenience, or by the design and intention of the Royal Founder of our Honours, impliedly or declared.\* During the progress of these proceedings, the Baronets have uniformly and steadily prosecuted one single object—viz, the restoration of the Baronetage to the original excellence of its foundation. We ask no new pre-eminences, nor any higher place in the table of precedency; and considering the apparent reasonableness of what we have done, the motives which have influenced us, and the need that existed for a practical redress of grievances, which effect, not only ourselves, but the lustre and dignity of THE CROWN itself, and the just consideration of the whole NOBILITY OF THE REALM, both greater and lesser, I now conclude by expressing my strong and earnest hope that this Committee, as one man, will find and determine that the Arms of the applying Baronets shall be registered in our books, with the insignia which are incidental to our hereditary and personal dignity, in virtue of the binding compacts of King James I., and by force of the Royal Patents, erecting and settling our Family Honours.

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The Committee having heard the Exposition made by the Hon. Secretary, and deliberated upon the same, unanimously passed a series of Resolutions to the effect that the Arms of the applying Baronets should be registered in the books of the Order,

with the Exterior Heraldic Ornaments above enumerated; that the precedent should exemplify the mode whereby in future to charge exteriorly the Arms of all other applying Baronets of the several creations; and that from this rule the Arms of such applying Baronets should form exceptions as have either heretofore carried Supporters, or who represent families that did bear such ornaments. It was also resolved that the Ulster Badge should be worn by the Ulster Baronets, as a distinction of their rank, with a Sanguine Riband; and that, from respect to the Crown, a Deputation should wait on the Prime Minister, to place in his hands a written REPRESENTATION of the past proceedings, and the CONCLUSIONS arrived at, in order that the Queen might be made officially cognizant of them; and to express, at the same time, the wish of the Order that her Majesty might be graciously pleased to honour the proceedings with her favour and protection.

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\*.\* Pursuant to this Resolution, a Deputation waited on the Prime Minister, at his official residence in Downing Street, on the 13th of December last, and placed a REPRESENTATION from the Committee for Privileges in his hands, together with an Address, expressing the satisfaction of the Committee that the conclusions had been arrived at under the administration of a Statesman who had pledged himself and his Colleagues, on entering office, "to act as men determined to maintain on their ANCIENT FOUNDATIONS the institutions of the Monarchy," and expressing the confident hope of the Committee, that an Order, created for the highest state purposes, and conferred by successive Monarchs, for services deemed worthy of a perpetual mark of family distinction, might freely use and enjoy every right and privilege incidental to it by the chartered engagements of its Royal Founder.

Together with the Representation, the Deputation placed in Sir Robert Peel's hands a copy of the Hollande Correspondence in 1627, relative to a Badge, the Address made by Mr. Crawford on the Chartered Rights and Privileges of the Order, and the Baronetages for 1841 and 1842.

The Report of the Committee to the General Anniversary Meeting of the Order, on the 4th of June last, contained the following clause:—"The EXPOSITION of the grounds upon which all Baronets are privileged to bear Supporters and other



Heraldic Ornaments, will form part of the third volume of the Baronetage, edited by the Hon. Secretary, and which is published to record the transactions of the Order ;” and referring to it, and to the Representation, your Committee consider it unnecessary to dwell further upon this subject than to repeat their unanimous conviction that the facts, evidence, and arguments which these documents contain, justified the Committee, on their assembling for business on the 12th of February, to resolve and declare, “That the Committee, having evinced their respect and duty to her Majesty by making the Crown formally acquainted with the CONCLUSIONS arrived at, it is now competent for all such Baronets as appreciate the grants of the Royal Founder of the Order, and comply with the regulations laid down by the Committee, freely and fully to act upon the said CONCLUSIONS ;” whereupon it was moved and unanimously adopted, “That the Report read be received and entered upon the Journals of the Order, together with the unanimous and most approving Vote of Thanks of this General Meeting to those acting Members of the Committee who, during the course of the last year, have so faithfully and honourably upheld the interests of the Order, and uncompromisingly discharged the duties confided in them by their brother Baronets.

It was also moved and unanimously carried :—

That the cordial and unanimous thanks of this General Meeting be given to SIR RICHARD BROWN, the Hon. Secretary and Registrar of the Order, for the manner in which he has discharged his onerous official duties, and for the eminent services which he has rendered to the Baronetage.

## N O T E.

## STYLE OF THE HONOURABLE.

THE style of "The Honourable," as an epithet of distinction, was superior in the 17th century to the style of "The Noble," "Right Noble," "Very Noble," "Truly Noble," "Most Noble," all of which styles were constantly and indiscriminately attributed to Knights. When it was first given to Baronets does not distinctly appear; but the following notice establishes the fact of its having been ascribed to a member of the Order at least so early as 1613, two years after the erection of the Baronetage—viz.:

Funeral Sermons, S. T. V. W.—"The Baronet's Burial, or a Funeral Sermon preached at the Solemnitie of that Honourable Baronet Sir Edward Seymour's Buriall, by Bishop Potter. Printed at Oxford, 1613."

Honorary styles, such as "Grace," "Excellency," "Right Honourable," "Honourable," "Most Noble," "Very Noble," "Truly Noble," "Worshipful," "Right Worshipful," &c., are all appellatives of courtesy. Not one of them has been given to any particular class of the nobility by Royal Warrant or Letters Patent. Upon this subject a learned writer of the middle of last century justly remarks—"But as to these adjectives, they are not so essential to the honorary dignity of the possessor as their titles, which, like true substances, continue the same, but are more of the nature of mere accidents, having been variously given in different times to persons of the same dignity, depending much on custom, and are in some measure *ad libitum*. How different, at several times, has the royal style itself been in England and Scotland, as "Grace," "Highness," "Majesty," "Dread Sovereign," "Excellent and Sacred Majesty," &c.\*

The Baronets do not, therefore, found their pretensions to the style of "The Honourable" upon any royal grant or ordinance,

\* Author of the "Notes and Additions concerning the Baronetage of England." Vide "Baronetage for 1841."

but they claim it in consideration of the fact that it was ascribed to Baronets in the 17th and 18th centuries by the common courtesy of society, which common courtesy constitutes the only right by which the other hereditary degrees of High Nobility enjoy their respective honorary styles.

There is a recognition of the right of the Order to appropriate and enjoy the style of "Honourable" by the Royal Founder of the Baronetage himself—viz., in the publication called the King's Book, printed in 1617, by the King's printer, and by his Majesty's special authority and command, and thus entitled—"Three Patents concerning the Honourable Degree and Dignity of Baronets."

That the style of "Honourable" was given by the Heralds to Baronets at the period of the erection of the Order is established by many records in the College of Arms; but it is sufficient to adduce one instance. The learned Sir William Segar, Garter Principal King of Arms, in a declaratory Patent relative to the old Arms, Quarterings, &c., of Sir Edward Dering, styles that Baronet, "*Honorabili viro domino Edwardo Dering Militi et Baronetto*," whom he so styles quatenus a Baronet, Sir Edward being in no office that would otherwise entitle him to be so called. E. lib. vocat. I. 9, p. 192 in Coll. Armor.

Amongst the letters addressed to Sir Robert Cotton, Bart., now preserved in the British Museum Library, are many in which he is styled "Honourable" by persons of the first distinction in society.

Various letters are extant of Oliver Cromwell, addressed by him during the Commonwealth, and whilst head of the Government, to Baronets, in which he calls them Honourable—such as the one dated 3rd Sept., 1650, to "The Honourable Sir Arthur Haselrigge, Baronet, at Newcastle."

The fourth edition of "Gwillim's Heraldry," published in 1660, gives a list of the Baronets created until 1643. Gwillim commences by addressing it to "The Honourable and Truly Noble Sir Edmund Bacon, of Redgrave, in the county of Suffolk, Baronet." In page 417 is given the Arms of "The Honourable Sir William Dacy, of Tortworth, in the County of Gloucester, Baronet." This is a book of the first authority, and always quoted as such. Again: at page 403 there is given, as a precedent, the Coat Armour of the Honourable Sir Jervis Clifton, in the County of Nottingham, Knight and Baronet, marshalled with his seven wives; at page 145, that of "The Honourable Sir

William Paston, of Oxmead, in the County of Norfolk, Knight and Baronet;" and at page 177, that of "The Honourable Sir Robert Rolles, Baronet."

Various other authors, of acknowledged repute, have recognised the right of Baronets to have attributed to them the style of "The Honourable."

Collins, in his "English Baronetage," says, speaking of the family of the premier Baronet, "This account is taken from the pedigree of the Honourable Sir Edmund Bacon, of Garboldisham, in Norfolk, Baronet, drawn up by John Whiting, of Lincoln's Inn, Esq., tempore Car. II."

Throughout the work are various other instances of Baronets styled Honourable—as,

The Honourable Sir Thomas Cookes Winford, of Glashampton, Baronet.

The Honourable Sir Henry Gough, of Edgbaston, Baronet.

The Honourable Sir Jonathan Jenkinson, of Walton, Baronet.

The Honourable Sir John Molesworth, of Pencarrow, Baronet.

Wotton, also, in his "Baronetage," bears his testimony to the fact, that Baronets are entitled to this epithet. In his pages we frequently find Baronets so designated; the following, for example:—

The Honourable Sir Edmund Bacon, of Garboldisham, Baronet.

The Honourable Sir John Harpur, of Calke, Baronet.

The Honourable Sir Chamberlayne Beck, of London, Baronet.

The Honourable Sir Charles Browne, of Kiddington, Baronet.

In the "Art of Heraldry," by Richard Blome, 1685, the following address is used by the Author:—"To the Honourable Sir Henry Goodrich, of Ribston Park, in Yorkshire, Knight and Baronet.

The Hon. Sir W. Chaytor, Bart., has in his possession two letters from his Grace the Duke of Bolton, one of the then Ministry, addressed to his ancestor, Sir W. Chaytor, Bart., of Croft, as "The Honourable Sir William Chaytor, Bart.;" the first is dated the 27th of May, 1691; the second, November 2nd, 1695.

From amongst the mass of evidence collected by the Committee for Privileges, to establish the fact that Baronets have had ascribed to them the style of "The Honourable," the following may be adduced:—

The Hon. and Rev. Sir Erasmus Dixon Borrowes, Bart., transmitted twenty-four different documents, in which his ancestors were styled "the Honourable," which designation originated in

the Baronetcy, and not from any other dignity or office. These documents were of various kinds, bearing date from 1724 to 1763.

The Hon. Sir Neil Menzies, Bart., forwarded for the use of the Committee a great many letters, addressed to his ancestors, entitling them the Honourable. These letters, as Sir Neil states, were addressed to his ancestors by persons of the highest quality—viz., the ancestors of the Argyle, Athol, Gordon, and other families.

The Hon. Sir W. T. Pole, Bart., transmitted to the Committee a great variety of documents, in which his ancestors were styled Honourable; and amongst others, a printed notice, which appeared in the newspapers of the day, of the festivities which took place at Shute House, in celebration of the coming of age of one of his ancestors. In this account, mention is made of the "Honourable Sir John Pole, Baronet," the "Honourable Sir William Pole, Baronet," and the "Honourable Lady Pole." What renders these notices the more valuable is, that the account was drawn up by Dr. Anstis, who was a son of the then Garter King of Arms.

The Hon. Sir John Lemon Rogers, Bart., forwarded numerous documents in which his ancestors were styled the Honourable, such as a letter, dated 10th October, 1727, to "the Honourable Sir John Rogers, Baronet, at Blatchford;" and an account, dated April 18th, 1774, addressed to "the Honourable Sir Frederick Rogers, Baronet."

The Hon. Sir Trayton F. E. Drake, Bart., has, among his family papers, a lease, bearing date the 24th April, 1768, wherein "the Honourable Sir Francis Drake, of Nutwell, in the county of Devon, Baronet," is described as "of the one part," &c.

The Hon. Sir Andrew Agnew, Bart., has in his possession an ancient blazon of Arms, made about the year 1740, having underneath it the following inscription:—"The Ensigne Armoriall belonging to the Honourable Sir Andrew Agnew, of Lochnav, Knight and Baronet, illuminated per me, James Norrie, Herald."

The Hon. Sir John Chandos Reade, Bart., furnished various notices of his ancestors having been styled the Honourable.

In the Catalogue of the Harleian Manuscripts, mention occurs of "the Honourable Sir William Harvey, Knight and Baronet."—No. 2006, vol. ii. p. 392; also, in vol. ii. p. 516, No. 2129, of "the Honourable Sir George Booth, Knight and Baronet." In

the same page, or close to it, is "the Honourable Sir William Williams, Baronet." At page 468, vol. ii., is the following entry: "Arms of several Honourable persons, made Baronets of this Realm." In the Chapel, on the south side of the Library at Exeter Cathedral, is the monument of the Honourable Dame Anne Northcote, daughter of the Honourable Sir Chichester Wrey, of Trebish, in Cornwall, Baronet.—This monument is dated 1729.

The Hon. Sir Amyrald Dancer transmitted an indenture made by his ancestor, Sir Thomas Dancer, of Modreeny, Baronet, then High Sheriff for the County of Tipperary, dated 14th January, 1780, empowering Samuel Robbins, Esq., to act as Deputy or Sub-sheriff. In this indenture Sir Thomas is denominated "The Honourable Sir Thomas Dancer, Baronet."

The Hon. Sir Valentine Blake mentions, that the Corporation of Dublin, on the 20th January, 1764, presented a gold box to "The Honourable Sir James Caldwell, Baronet." The date of this gift is inscribed on the box, and also in the Corporation records.

The Hon. Sir Ed. B. Perrott has in his possession a plate of the Arms of his ancestor, Sir Richard Perrott, Baronet, who is therein designated "The Honourable Sir Richard Perrott, Baronet."

The Hon. Sir Joshua Coles Meredyth, Bart., has a book, called "The History of the Old and New Testament," published 1699; in which are many plates, engraved by Blome. To each plate is added the name, style, and family of the donors, amongst whom are some Baronets, to whose names are attached the style of Honourable. At page 82, "the Honourable Sir Richard Onslow, Baronet, of Clandon, in the County of Surrey;" page 160, "the Honourable Sir Robert Napier, of Pucknall, in the county of Dorset, Knight and Baronet;" page 184, "the Honourable Elizabeth Lady Onslow, the wife of the Honourable Sir Richard Onslow, Baronet;" page 284, "the Honourable Sir Thomas Littleton, Baronet," &c.

We find also on ancient monuments, inscriptions corroborative of the right of the Order to this designation; such as—

"Juxta hoc componitur quicquid mortale erat

Honorabilis Domini Thomæ Wentworth, de Bretton Hall, Militis et Baronetti." Item. "Uxoris Honorabilis Domine Gratia de Popeley."

“ Here lieth the body of the Honourable Sir Jeremy Whichcote, Bart., who died 22nd June, 1677.”

“ Here lieth the body of the Honourable Sir Ralf Hare, Bart. ; he departed this life the last of February, 1671.”

From official documents it appears that in the reign of James I. and Charles I., Lords of Parliament in Scotland were styled by the Crown “ Our *Right Trustie* and wel-beloved Cousin and Counsellour,” and that Baronets were styled “ Our *trustie* and wel-beloved Cousin and Counsellour,” — thus preserving the relation, in the descending scale, between Right Honourable and Honourable. This style occurs in a Royal Warrant of King Charles I., dated Whitehall, April 1631, addressed to the Justices of Ireland, in which mention is made of “ Our *trustie* and wel-beloved Cousin and Counsellour, Sir Walter Crosbie, Knight and Baronet.”

Steuart, of Purdevan, dedicates his “ Collections on the Church of Scotland” to “ The Honourable Sir John Maxwell, of Nether Pollock, Knight and Baronet.”

These examples might be multiplied *ad infinitum*, but they are sufficient to bear out the accuracy of the following extract from the writings of the learned author of the “ Notes and Additions concerning the Baronetage of England,” published eighty-five years ago—viz. :

“ That Baronets and their Ladies have been usually styled Honourable from time immemorial is an unquestionable truth, supported by a great variety of evidences, as in numbers of literary superscriptions, as well in print as manuscript, multitudes of dedications of books of the learned in different times, some more than a century ago, as well as private ordinary deeds and writings of different natures, and other vouchers, that sufficiently concur to evince a *constant custom*, which seems, as Selden observes, to give the law in this matter, as well with respect to other attributes, which have been subject to much variation, as to this.”\*

\* See “ Baronetage for 1841,” to be had of the publishers, which contains a reprint of this rare and valuable document.

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