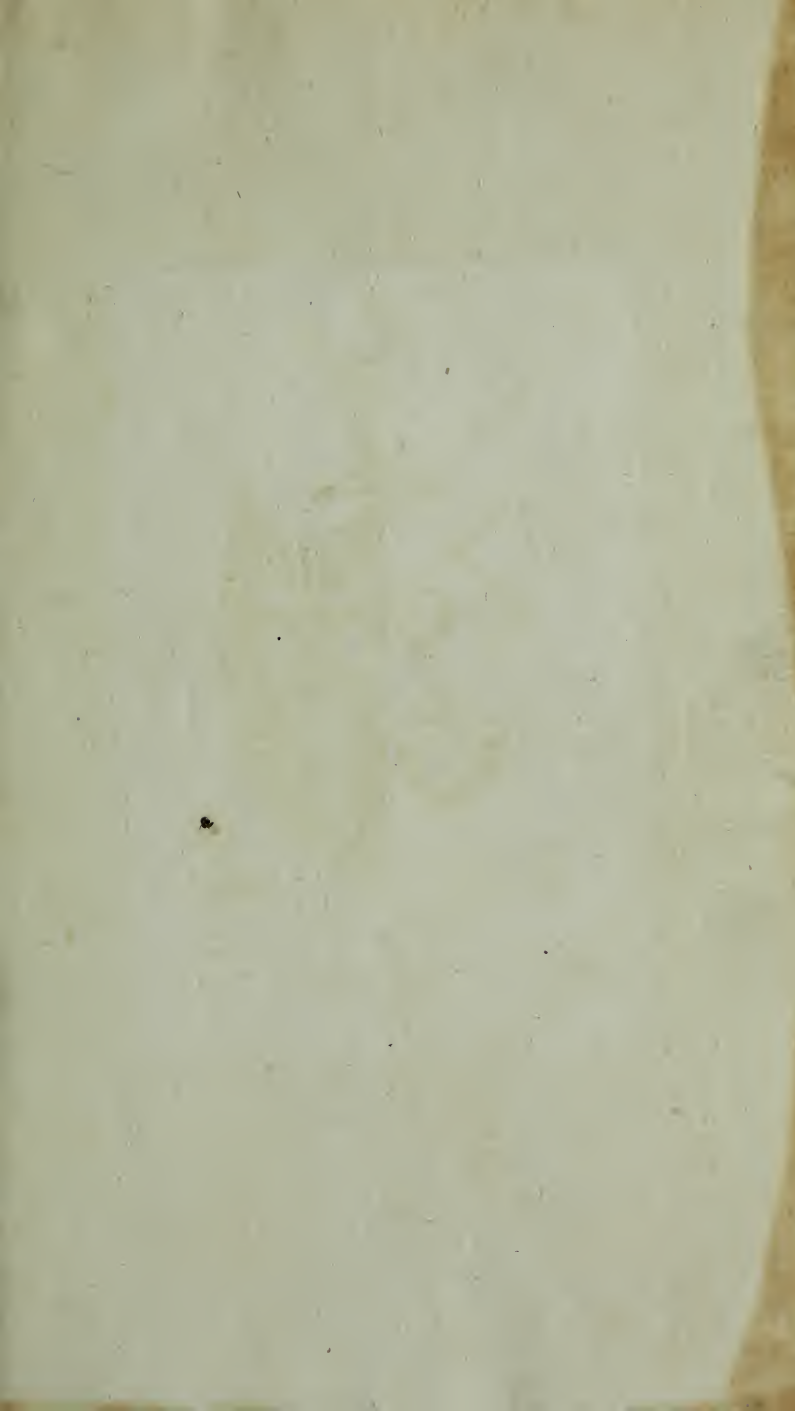






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Page 55, line 13, add, to the late Earl Spencer, and has a daughter, born July 12, 1783.

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P R E F A C E.

THE favourable Reception which the former Editions of this P E E R A G E have met with from the indulgent Public, demands the most grateful Acknowledgements; and encourages the Proprietors to lay before them a Third Edition, wherein considerable Additions and Improvements have been made, not only in the principal, but also in the collateral Branches, which are now more extended, and the Dates every where ascertained with the greatest Exactness. To obtain this, in no one Instance whatever, has Application, either personal or by Letter, been neglected. To render the whole more intelligent, Tables are inserted at the End of the SCOTCH PEERAGE, of all the Family Names of the Peers of the Three Kingdoms, with their principal Titles; and another, shewing the Title borne by the eldest Son of every Peer above the Rank of a Viscount.

INDEED the Fluctation which, in the Course of a few Years has occurred in the State of the Peerage, and the consequent Call for a New Edition, have induced the Proprietors to spare neither Trouble nor Expence in preparing one. The whole has been revised with Care, the superfluous Matter expunged, Redundancies retrenched; and such Improvements, Corrections, and Additions made throughout, as to encrease, it is hoped, the Reputation of the Work. Recourse has been had to Public Records, and Parish Registers; and every possible Application made to procure authentic Pedigrees

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FROM the Assistance of so considerable a Variety of Materials with which they have from Time to Time been favoured, it is presumed these Volumes contain a more accurate and useful Account of the present Peerage of the Three Kingdoms, than any now extant. Such, however, is the Nature of all Works of this Kind, that Omissions and Inaccuracies will unavoidably happen, which the strictest Attention cannot prevent. In some few Instances, sufficient Information has not been procured, notwithstanding repeated Applications have been made to every Quarter where there was a Probability of procuring them; but it is hoped, that a general Accuracy will atone for an accidental Deficiency.

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DEVOIR

Somerset



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DUBILISQUE

Cleveland Exl.



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Richmond



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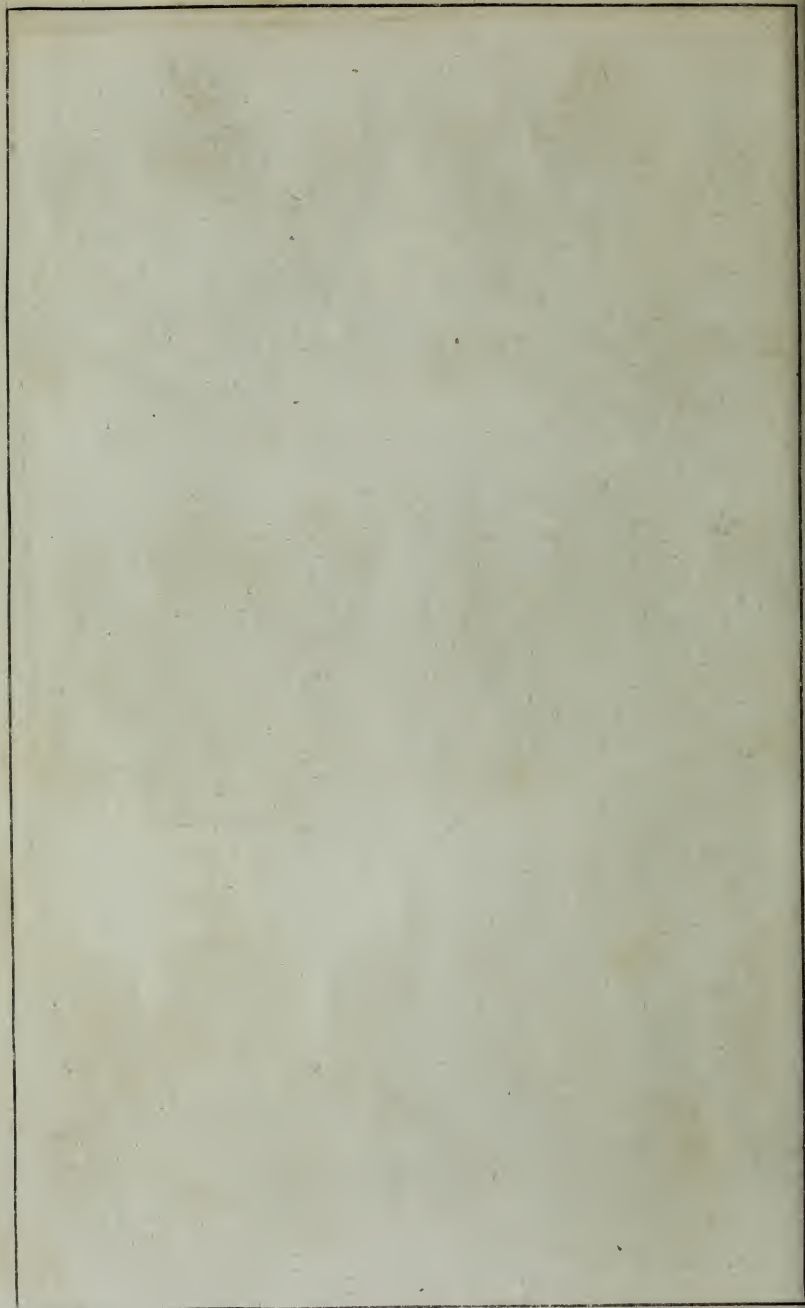
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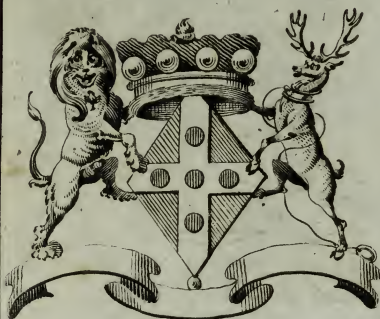
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INTRODUCTION.

HIS Majesty's father FREDERICK, late Prince of Wales, and Duke of Cornwall, eldest son of his late Majesty King George II. was born Jan. 20, 1707, and married April, 27, 1736, Augusta, daughter of Frederick II. Duke of Saxe-Gotha, and his Royal Highness departing this life March 20, 1751, left issue, by her Royal Highness who died Feb. 8, 1772, as follows.

1. Augusta, born July 31, 1737, and married Jan. 1764, to Charles-William-Ferdinand, the present Duke of Brunswick Wolfenbuttle, by whom she has issue 3 sons and 3 daughters.

2. GEORGE-WILLIAM-FREDERICK, his present Majesty, born May 24, 1738, and succeeded his Grandfather, George II, October 25, 1760. His Majesty married September 8, 1761, SOPHIA-CHARLOTTE, youngest Sister of Adolphus-Frederick IV, Duke of Mecklenburg Strelitz, and has had issue, 1. George-Augustus-Frederick, Prince of Wales. 2. Frederick, Bishop of Osnaburg, born August 16, 1763, Knight of the Garter, and Knight of the Bath. 3. William-Henry, born August 21, 1765, Knight of the Garter. 4. Charlotte-Augusta-Matilda, Princess Royal, born September 29, 1766. 5. Edward born November 2, 1757, Knight of the Thistle, and St. Patrick. 6. Augusta-Sophia, born November 8, 1768. 7. Elizabeth, born May 22, 1770. 8. Ernest-Augustus, born June 5, 1771. 9. Augustus-Frederick, born January 27, 1773. 10. Adolphus-Frederick, born February 24, 1774. 11. Mary, born April 25, 1776. 12. Sophia, born November 3, 1767. 13. Octavius, born February 23, 1779. 14. Alfred, born September 22, 1780, and died August 20, 1782.

3. Edward-Augustus Duke of York, born March 14, 1739, and died Sept. 17, 1767.

4. Elizabeth-Caroline, born Dec. 23, 1740, and died Sept. 4, 1759.

5. William-Henry, present Duke of Gloucester. See Duke of Gloucester.

6. Henry-Frederick, present Duke of Cumberland. See Duke of *Cumberland*.

7. Louisa-Anne, born March 8, 1749, and died May 13, 1768.

8. Frederick William, born May 13, 1750, and died Dec. 31, 1765.

9. Caroline-Matilda, a posthumus daughter, was born July 11, 1751; married Oct. 1, 1766, to Christian VII, King of Denmark, and died in 1775, leaving issue, a son and a daughter.

The title of Prince of Wales, (after the reduction of the British Prince Llewellyn, and the incorporation of his principality with England,) was conferred first by Edward I, in 1284, on his infant son; since which time that principality has been under the government of the English; and notwithstanding the title of Prince of Wales has been frequently merged in the crown, it never has been conferred on any but the eldest son of the King.

The First Duke of Cornwall, was Edward the Black Prince, son of Edward III, so created by a Charter, March 13, 1337, and to all the eldest sons of the Kings of England, who ever after have been born Dukes of Cornwall.

The Earldom of Chester was first conferred on the eldest son of the King of England, in 1247, by Henry III, and in perpetuity to all the eldest sons of the Kings of England.

The Hereditary Stewardship of Scotland, Duke of Rothsay, Earl of Carrick, and Baron of Renfrew, are titles settled in 1399, by Robert III, King of Scotland, on his eldest son, and to all future eldest sons of the Kings of Scotland as soon as born, and as such have been annexed to the Prince of Wales's title ever since the accession of James I.

The King's sons, brothers, uncles, nephews, or his brothers and sisters sons, being Princes of the Blood Royal, have precedence of all other Dukes.

THE

P E E R A G E

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PEERS OF BLOOD ROYAL.

DUKE OF CORNWALL.

THE most high, puissant, and most illustrious Prince,
GEORGE-AUGUSTUS-FREDERICK, Prince of
GREAT BRITAIN, Prince of WALES, Electoral Prince of
Brunswick-Lunenburgh, Duke of CORNWALL and Rothesay,
Earl of Chester and Carrick, Baron of Renfrew, Lord of
the Isles, Great Steward of Scotland, Captain General of
the Honourable the Artillery Company of London; High
Steward of Plymouth, &c. and a Knight of the Garter.

His Royal Highness was born August 12, 1762, and on
the 17th of the same month, his Majesty ordered letters
patent for creating him Prince of Wales and Earl of Chester.

ARMS.] Are those of his Majesty, differenced by a label
of three points, *argent*, in chief.

CREST.] On a crown of one arch, composed of crosses
pattee, fleurs-de-lis, and strawberry leaves, a lion of Eng-
land, crowned with a like crown, and charged on the breast
with a label, as in the arms.

SUPPORTERS.] Are those of his Majesty, the lion crown-
ed as the crest, and both gorged with a label of three
points.

MOTTO.] *Ich Dien. I serve.*

DUKE OF GLOUCESTER.

THE most illustrious Prince WILLIAM-HENRY, Duke of GLOUCESTER and EDINBURGH, in Great Britain, and Earl of CONNAUGHT in Ireland, by patent Nov. 19, 1764; Gen. of His Majesty's Forces; Col. of the first Reg. of Foot Guards, Chancellor of the University of Dublin; Ranger and Keeper of Windsor Forest and Cranbourn Chace; Ranger of Hampton Court Park, Warden and Keeper of New-Forest in Hampshire, &c. and Knight of the Garter, in 1762. He was born Nov. 25, 1743, and was created Duke and Earl as above, Nov. 17, 1764. He was married Sept. 6, 1766, at her Ladyship's house in Pall Mall, by the Rev. Robert Morton, her domestic chaplain, to Maria, Countess Dowager of Waldgrave, daughter of the late Sir Edward Walpole, Knight of the Bath, by whom he has had issue,

SOPHIA-MATILDA, born May 29, 1773.

CAROLINE-AUGUSTA-MARIA, born June 24, 1774, died March 14, 1775.

WILLIAM-FREDERICK, born at Rome, Jan. 15, 1776.

ARMS, CREST, and SUPPORTERS.] The same as those of his Majesty, differenced with a label of five points, *argent*, the middle point charged with a fleur-de-lis, *azure*, the other four with a cross, *gules*.

CHIEF SEATS.] Cranbourn and Hampton-court Lodges; Lyndhurst, in Hampshire; and Gloucester Lodge, near Windsor.

DUKE OF CUMBERLAND.

THE most illustrious Prince HENRY-FREDERICK, Duke of CUMBERLAND and STRATHERN in Great Britain, Earl of DUBLIN in Ireland, Ranger of Windsor Great Park, an Admiral of the White Squadron, Knight of the Garter, and President of the Military School at Chelsea; was born Nov. 7, 1745, and was created Duke and Earl as above, Oct. 18, 1766. His Royal Highness married in Oct. 1771, the Hon. Anne Horton, widow of Christopher Horton, Esq. of Catton Hall, in the county of Derby. Her Royal Highness is daughter of the Right Hon. Simon Luttrell, Baron Irnham* and Viscount Carhampton, of the kingdom of Ireland,

* Descended from the Luttrells, Barons of Irnham, in Lincolnshire, in the reigns of the Edwards and Henrys

Ireland, by Maria, daughter of the Right Hon. Sir Nicholas Lawes, Privy Counsellor and Governor of Jamaica.

ARMS, CREST, and SUPPORTERS.] The same as the Duke of Gloucester, differenced by a label.

CHIEF SEATS.] Great Lodge in Windsor Park; and Cannon Park in Hampshire.

D U K E S.

HOWARD, DUKE OF NORFOLK.

THE most noble Prince CHARLES HOWARD, Duke of NORFOLK, Earl Marshal, and hereditary Earl Marshal of England, Earl of Arundel, Surry, Norfolk, and Norwich, Baron of Mowbray, Howard, Segrave, Brewse of Gower, Fitz-Alan, Warren, Clun, Oswaldestre, Maltravers, Greystock, Furnival, Verdon, Lovetot, Strange of Blackmere, and Howard of Castlerising, Premier Duke, Earl, and Baron of England, next the blood royal, and chief of the family of the Howards, born Dec. 1, 1720; succeeded his cousin Edward, the late Duke, Dec. 20, 1777; and married, Nov. 8, 1739, Catharine, second daughter and coheir of John Brookholes, Esq. of Clayton, in Lancashire, descended from Lord Scroope, of Bolton, Knight of the Garter in the time of Elizabeth, born April 30, 1718, by whom he has had issue two daughters; Mary, born June 1742, and died unmarried in 1756; and Catharine, who died an infant; and one son, Charles, the present Earl of Surry, born March 15, 1746; married July 7, 1767, Mary-Anne, daughter and heir of John Coppinger, Esq. of Ireland, who died in child-bed without issue, May 28, 1768. He married secondly, on April 2, 1771, Frances, only daughter and heir of Charles Fitzroy Scudamore, Esq. by the repudiated Duchess of Beaufort, by whom he has no issue.

This noble and illustrious family is descended from WILLIAM HOWARD, Judge of the Court of Common Pleas, who had summons amongst the rest of the Judges to several Parliaments held in the reigns of Edward I. and II. He married Alice, daughter of Sir Edw. Fitton, and was succeeded by Sir John, his son, who served King Edward II. in his wars against the Scots and French, and died in 1331, the 5th of Edward III. He married Joan, daughter of John de Cornwall, and was succeeded by Sir John, his son, who in 10th Edward III. was Admiral of the King's fleet, and a Knight Banneret, and assisted at

the siege of Calais. He married Alice, daughter and heir of Sir Robert de Boys, and was succeeded by Sir Robert his son, who, in 2d Richard II. was committed to the Tower for detaining Margaret de Norford from Lady Alice Nevil, her grandmother; and dying in 1389, 12th Richard II. left issue by Margaret, daughter of Robert, Lord Scales, another Sir John, who was retained to serve King Richard II. for life; and he marrying to his first wife, Margaret, daughter and heir to Sir John Plaize, of Tofts, in Norfolk, Knight, by her had a son, Sir John, who dying in his father's life-time, left issue by Joan, daughter of Sir Richard Walton, Knight, Elizabeth, his sole daughter and heir, who married John Vere, Earl of Oxford, by whom the title of Lord Scales went into that family; but the said Sir John, father of this last Sir John, marrying to his second wife Alice, daughter and heir to Sir William Tendering, of Tenderinghall in Suffolk, Knt. by her had Sir Robert his heir and successor. He married Margaret, eldest daughter and co-heir of Thomas de Mowbray, Duke of Norfolk, so created in 1397, by Elizabeth, heiress of Fitz-Allan, Earl of Arundel and Surry, * (son of John, Lord Mowbray of Axholme, by Elizabeth his wife, daughter and co-heir to John, Lord Segrave, by Margaret his wife, Duchess of Norfolk, eldest of the two daughters and co-heirs of Thomas de Brotherton, † Earl of Norfolk, 5th son to King Edward I. but eldest by his second wife Margaret, daughter of Philip the Hardy, King of France) and by her had Sir John his heir, and a daughter Catharine, who was the second wife of Edward Nevil, first Lord Abergavenny; and the said Sir Robert dying in his father's life-time, the said (first Duke) Sir JOHN, his son, succeeded his grandfather. In the twelfth of Edward IV. he was summoned to

* On the 12th of Feb. 1386, 9 Rich. II. Thomas de Mowbray, Duke of Norfolk, had granted by patent to him and the heirs of his body, the office of Earl Marshal of England (being the first, for before this time they were only Marshals) with an union of the office of Marshal in the Courts of King's Bench and Exchequer, and Marshal Cryer before the Steward and Marshal of the King's Household; and on that account he and his heirs should bear a golden truncheon, enamelled with black at each end, having the King's arms engraven at the upper, and his own at the lower end.

† Thomas de Brotherton, was so named from Brotherton, a village in Yorkshire where he was born: and his wife, mother of the said Margaret, was daughter to Sir Roger Halys, of Harwich, in the county of Essex, Knt. and his said daughter was created Duchess of Norfolk for life, September 29, 1398, 21 Richard I. and died March 4, 1399.

to parliament among the Barons of England. In the 18th of Edward IV. he was made Constable of the Tower of London, and the next year, Captain General of the King's fleet against the Scots, and Knt. of the Garter. On the 28th of June 1483, he was made Earl Marshal of England, and created Duke of Norfolk, and at the coronation of King Richard III. was High Steward of England for the day. He was then likewise made Lord High Admiral of England, Ireland, and Aquitain, for life; but the next year being placed in the front of the king's army at Bosworth Field, was there slain with the King, Aug. 22, 1485, and was attainted the 1st Henry VII. He married 1st Catherine, daughter to William Lord Molineux, and by her had Thomas his heir.—Anne, married to Sir Edward Gorges, Knt.—Isabel, to Sir Robert Mortimer, Knt.—Jane to Sir John Timperly, Knt.—Margaret, to Sir John Windham, Knt. ancestor of the Earl of Egremont. And by his 2d wife, Margaret, daughter to Sir John Chedworth, Knt. he had Catherine, married to John Bouchier, Lord Berners.

(2d D.) THOMAS his heir was Esquire of the body to King Edward IV. and was retained to serve him in his wars, and in the 1st of Richard III. at the time his father was made a Duke, was created Earl of Surry, and though he took part with that King, being taken prisoner at Bosworth, yet after above three years imprisonment in the Tower, did King Henry VII. receive him into favour, and made him one of his Privy Council, and in the 4th of that reign, he was restored to his title of Earl of Surry. In the 15th Hen. VII. he attended the King and Queen to Calais, the next year he was made Lord High Treasurer of England, and afterwards Knt. of the Garter. In the first Hen. VIII. he was again appointed one of the Privy Council and Lord High Treasurer; and the next year was made Earl-Marshal of England for life. In 4th Henry VIII. he was with that King at the taking of Therouenne and Tournay; and afterwards being sent General against the Scots, routed their army at Flodden-Field, where King James IV. was slain (in this battle, his son Thomas, Lord High Admiral attended him, and his other son Edmund led the van) and for that signal service, had a special grant from the King to himself and the heirs males of his body, of an honourable augmentation of his arms, viz. to bear on a bend in an escutcheon, the upper half of a red lion, (depicted as the arms of Scotland) pierced through the mouth with an arrow, together with a grant of 29 manors. He was also advanced

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to the dignity of Duke of Norfolk, which title John his father (deriving his descent through the heirs female of Mowbray, and Segrave, from Thomas of Brotherton) did enjoy; and the next year had a new patent for the office of Lord Treasurer; and dying in 1524, was buried at Thetford. He married to his first wife, Elizabeth, daughter and sole heir to Sir Frederick Tilney, Kt. and widow of Humphrey Bouchier, Lord Berners, and by her had eight sons and three daughters, whereof Elizabeth was married to Thomas Visc. Rochford afterwards Earl of Wiltshire and Ormond, and was mother of Anna Bullen; Murial, first, to John Grey Visc. Lisle, and secondly to Sir Thomas Knavet, Kt. and Mary, to Henry Fitzroy Duke of Richmond, natural son of King Henry VIII. And by his second wife, Agnes, daughter of Hugh, and sister and heir to Sir Philip Tilney, Knt. he had four sons, and four daughters; of which, Anne was married to John Vere Earl of Oxford; Dorothy to Edward Stanley, Earl of Derby: Elizabeth, to Henry Fitzwalter Earl of Suffex; and Catherine first to Sir Rhese ap Thomas, and after to Henry Daubeney, Earl of Bridgewater. Of the sons by the 2d marriage, which were Lords William, Thomas, George and Richard, the eldest was created Baron Howard of Effingham; and the 2d having married the Lady Margaret Douglas, daughter to Margaret Queen of Scots, by the Earl of Angus, and Neice to King Henry, was attainted of treason, upon suspicion of aspiring to the crown, and died in the Tower, the 29th of Elizabeth. Of the sons, by Elizabeth Tilney, his first wife, which were Lords, Thomas, Edward, Edmund, Henry, John, Charles, Henry and Richard, the five latter died young; but Lord Edmund was Marshal of horse in the battle of Flodden-Field 5th Henry VIII. and married to his 2d wife a daughter of Thomas Troys, Esq; by whom he had no issue; but by his 1st wife, who was Joyce, daughter to Sir Richard Colepepper, of Hollingbourne in Kent, Knt. he had three sons and five daughters. Of the daughters, Margaret married Sir Thomas Arundel, Knt. (grandfather to Thomas, the 1st Lord Arundel of Wardour) Catherine was 5th wife of King Henry VIII. Mary married Edmund Trafford, Esq; Joyce to John Stanney, Esq; and Isabel, to— Baynton, Esq; and the sons which were Henry, Sir George and Sir Charles, all died without issue. Lord Edward the 2d son, by Elizabeth Tilney, his first wife, was a person of the greatest account of his time, and was Knt. of the Garter. In the 7th of Henry VII. he was in the expedition made into Flanders, in behalf of Maximilian the Emperor: in the 1st of

of Henry VIII. he was made standard bearer to that King, as in the 4th Lord High Admiral of England, at which time he convoyed the Marquis of Dorset into Spain, in aid of the Emperor Ferdinand, against the French; and having with his fleet cleared the seas from enemies, he landed in Britany, did great execution in the country, and brought away rich spoils; he likewise fought and took Sir Andrew Barton the famous Scottish pirate, 3d of Henry VIII. but afterwards resolving to attempt the French in their harbours, he entered a galley and boarded the admiral of the French gallies; but the grapplings giving way, the gallies sheered alunder, and left him in the hands of his enemies; when in the heat of the action he was thrown over-board, and died without issue, the 5th of Henry VIII. having married Alice, sister to Henry Lovel, Lord Morley, widow of Sir William Parker, Knt. Having done with the younger branches, I now proceed with

(3dD.) THOMAS eldest son by Elizabeth Tilney the 1st wife. In the 5th Henry VIII. upon the death of the Lord Edward his brother, being then Knt. of the Garter, he was constituted Lord Admiral in his stead. Upon the invasion of K. James IV. of Scotland, he landed a veteran troop of 5000 men, and joined his father, the Earl of Surry, then general of the English army; and sent a message to that king to justify Sir Andrew Barton's death. At the battle of Flodden-Field, with his younger brother Sir Edmund, he commanded the vanguard, where he behaved himself with exceeding gallantry; and seeing his said brother in distress, came with Sir Edward Stanley to his succour. In consideration of which great services, he in the said 5th Henry VIII. was created Earl of Surry; and upon a dispute in parliament concerning his place there, it was declared, that he should sit according to his creation, and not as a duke's eldest son. In the 12th Henry VIII. he was constituted Lord Deputy of Ireland, where he suppressed the irruption of the O'Neals and O'Carols; afterwards he performed many signal services in France, and was constituted Lord High Treasurer of England, and made general of the King's whole army, designed to march against the Scots; and all in his father's lifetime. Upon his father's death, 1524, he was again made general of the army raised to advance into Scotland, in order to set the young king free, whom the Duke of Albany kept at Stirling; and afterwards attended K. Henry into France. He was likewise sent ambassador to the King of France, to attend him to Nice, and commune with the Pope on his delay, touching King Henry's divorce

divorce from Queen Catherine, and in the 5th Henry VIII. he was appointed Earl Marshal of England and Viceroy of Ireland. In the 18th Henry VIII. he marched to the assistance of the Earl of Shrewsbury, towards suppressing that memorable insurrection in Yorkshire, called the Pilgrimage of Grace: but after all these great services and honorable charges, by the insinuating persuasions of some of the nobility, who bore him no good-will, the King was so far misled and incensed against him, that he not only commanded him prisoner to the tower, but gave orders for seizing his goods, and gave notice to his ambassadors abroad, that he and his son had conspired to take upon them the government during his life, and after his death, to get the prince into their hands; for which, being both attainted in parliament, his son lost his head, and the Duke had fared but little better, had not the death of the King prevented it. And so implacable was the malice of his enemies, that though a pardon was given by proclamation, at the beginning of the reign of Edward VI. to all persons for what crimes soever; yet was he, with five others, particularly excepted, and continued prisoner till discharged by Q. Mary, in 1553. He married first Anne, daughter to K. Edward IV. by whom he had a son Thomas, who died young. By his second wife, Elizabeth, daughter to Edward Stafford Duke of Buckingham, he had two sons, Henry and Thomas; of which, Henry was Earl of Surry, and was beheaded as abovementioned; but Thomas the 2d son was restored in blood, the 1st Queen Mary, and in the 1st Elizabeth advanced to the title of Visc. Howard of Bindon, in the County of Dorset. He married first Elizabeth, youngest daughter and coheir to John Lord Marney, of Bindon; 2dly Gertrude daughter to Sir William Lyte of Lyte's Cary in the county of Somerset, Knt. 3dly, Mabel daughter to Nicholas Burton of Carshalton, in the county of Surry, Esq; by whom he had Frances, who first married to Henry Pranel, Vintner of London; 2dly, to Edward Seymour, Earl of Hertford; and lastly, to Lodowick Stuart, Duke of Lenox. By his 2d, he had one son Charles Lyte, alias Howard, and a daughter Grace married to Mildmay the second Earl of Westmoreland, and the said Charles Lyte had a daughter Anne married to Sir William Thorneyhirt, of the county of Kent, Knt. and by his first had four sons, Henry, Thomas, Francis, and Giles, and a daughter Grace, married to John Horsley, Esq; and of the sons, the eldest, in 1582, succeeded him in the title of Visc. Bindon; but died without issue, as did Thomas his brother and heir who was knight of the Garter. His other brothers

brothers being dead before, we return to Henry, Earl of Surry, who was beheaded. He married Frances, daughter to John Vere, Earl of Oxford, and by her left two sons, and three daughters; whereof Jane was married to Charles, Earl of Westmoreland; Margaret, to Henry Lord Scroop of Bolton; and Catherine to Henry the 7th Lord Berkeley. Of the sons, which were Thomas and Henry, the latter, with his said three sisters, was restored in blood the 1st of Elizabeth. He was one of the Privy Council to King James I. by whom he was created Lord Howard of Marnhill in the county of Dorset, and Earl of Northampton; and made Lord Privy Seal, Warden of the Cinque Ports, Knt. of the Garter, and Chancellor of the University of Cambridge, where (in King's College) he had his education, and afterwards founded and endowed no less than three hospitals, viz. one for twelve poor women, and a governor, at Rising in Norfolk; another for twelve poor men, and a governor, at Clun in Shropshire; and the 3d at Greenwich, in Kent, for a governor and twenty poor men, of whom, eight are to be chosen out of Shotsham in Norfolk, his birth-place. This Earl died unmarried on the 15th of June, 1624, and was buried in an ancient chapel in the castle at Dover. We now return to

4th D.) THOMAS the elder brother, who upon the death of his grandfather Thomas Duke of Norfolk, succeeded him in his honour and estate, the act of his grandfather's attainder being repealed, as before-mentioned. In the 1st Elizabeth he was made Knt. of the Garter, and two years after constituted lieutenant general for the northern parts of the realm; but in the 11th of that reign the Queen began to suspect him as too much inclined to the Queen of Scots, whom it was reported he designed to marry; to which marriage the Queen being averse, the D. retired into Norfolk, with a resolution, notwithstanding, to pursue his former courtship; which being discovered, he was imprisoned the 14th of that reign, and the next year brought to his trial, when his charge amounted to high treason, viz. That he had conspired the dethroning of the Queen, and bringing in foreign forces; that he had applied to the Pope and Spaniards for that purpose; and that he endeavoured the enlargement of the Queen of Scots; for which he was found guilty by his Peers, and on the 2d of June, 1573, beheaded on Tower-hill. He married first Mary daughter to Henry Fitz-Alan, Earl of Arundel, with whom he had the manor and castle of Arundel in Suffex, which continues in his family to this day) and by her had Philip his heir; by his 2d wife, who was Margaret, daughter and sole heir of Thomas Lord

Audley of Walden, he had Thomas, the first Earl of Suffolk of this family, and William, from whom the Earl of Carlisle is descended; and a daughter Margaret, married to Robert Sackville, Earl of Dorset.

Philip his eldest Son, was Earl of Arundel, as owner of Arundel Castle by descent from his mother, and was by that title summoned to the Parliament held the 23d of Elizabeth, and afterwards by special act was restored in blood by the same parliament; but not long after, by the contrivance of Robert Earl of Leicester, and Secretary Walsingham, he was confined to his house; and endeavouring to go beyond sea for security and devotion, being at his embarking betrayed by some of his servants, was apprehended and sent prisoner to the Tower; and soon after a charge was brought against him in the star-chamber, for supporting Romish priests, and holding correspondence with Jesuits, and other traitorous people, who conspired the ruin of their prince and country; for which he was fined 10,000*l.* and to suffer imprisonment during the Queen's pleasure. But it seems this severity was not sufficient, for, in 1590, he was tried for high-treason by his Peers: the particulars of the treason were, his contracting a strict friendship with Cardinal Allen, and Parsons the Jesuits, for restoring the Romish religion: that he was privy to the excommunicating Bull of Pope Sixtus Quintus: and that he caused mass to be said for the success of the Spanish Armada; and being found guilty, he had sentence of death pronounced against him; but being remanded to the Tower, his execution was respited. He is said to have spent the remainder of his life in exercises of austerity and devotion, and died a prisoner in 1595. He married Anne daughter to Thomas, and sister and coheir to George Lord Dacres of Gilliland, by whom he left Thomas his only child, who was restored in blood by the Parliament, 1 Jac. I. and to all the titles of honour and precedence, lost by his father's attainder, and was enstalled Knt. of the Garter, 9 Jac. I. and in 19 Jac. I. was constituted Earl Marshal of England for life. And in the 20th of the same reign, advanced to the title of the Earl of Norfolk; but afterwards obtaining leave of the king to travel, died at Venice, October 4, 1646. He married Alatheia, daughter and coheir to Gilbert Talbot, the 7th Earl of Shrewsbury, and by her left two sons, Henry and William; of which Henry was Lord Mowbray and Maltravers, and William was Knight of the Bath; as also in 16 Car. I. created baron of Stafford, having married the Lady Mary, sister and sole heir to Henry Lord Stafford, and

and she at the same time was created a baroness. Henry Lord Mowbray, who succeeded his father in his honours, was also Earl Marshal, and marrying Elizabeth, daughter to Esme Stuart, Lord d'Aubignie, and Earl of March, afterwards Duke of Lenox, by her had nine sons and two daughters; whereof Catherine was married to John Digby of Gothurst, Esq; and Elizabeth to Alexander Macdonnel, grandson to Sir James Macdonnel, brother to Randal the first Earl of Antrim in Ireland. And of the nine sons, which were Thomas, Henry, successive Dukes, as hereafter; Philip, a cardinal of the church of Rome and Lord Almoner to Queen Catherine, consort of Charles II. who died at Rome, June 16, 1694, in the 65th year of his age. Charles, ancestor of the present Duke, who married Mary, eldest daughter and coheir of Geo. Tattershall of Finchampstead in Berks, who died Nov. 7, 1695, leaving issue two sons, Charles and Henry, the youngest of whom died young; and Charles their father dying March 31, 1713, having been seated at Greystocke in Cumberland, was succeeded by his son Charles, who died June 10, 1720, having married Mary, daughter and coheir of John Aylward, Esq; who died Oct. 2, 1747, having had three daughters, Mary, Catherine, and Frances, all of whom died unmarried; and three sons, Henry the eldest and Thomas the 3d son died unmarried, and the 2d son Charles, succeeded in 1777 to the title of Duke of Norfolk, &c. on the Death of the late Duke. Talbot, Edward, Francis, all three died unmarried, Bernard married Catherine, sister to his brother Charles's Lady, by whom he had issue three daughters, Elizabeth, Mary and Catherine, who all become Nuns, and died at Brussels; and one son Bernard, who married Anne, daughter of Christopher Roper, Lord Teynham, by whom he had issue, Bernard who died young; Henry, (who in case of the death of the present Earl of Surry without issue, is heir to the Dukedom, &c.) of Sheffield, in Yorkshire, Esq; born Apr. 9, 1713, married Oct. 30, 1764, Juliana 2d daughter of Sir William Molineaux, Bart. by whom he has three sons and two daughters now living, viz. Mary-Bridget, born 1767, Juliana-Barbara, born 1769; Bernard-Edward, born 1765, Henry-Thomas, born Oct. 1766, Edward-Charles, born 1774. Esme, the youngest died in 1728, having married and had issue, only a daughter, who died unmarried in 1736.

(5th Duke) THOMAS the eldest, on the 17th of April, 1652, succeeded his father in his honours and titles of Earl of Arundel, Surry and Norfolk; and in 1661, the 13th

Charles

Charles II. was restored to the title of Duke of Norfolk; but he dying at Padua, in Italy, 1678, unmarried, the title descended to

(6th Duke) HENRY his brother, who on the 27th of March, 21 Car. II. was created Lord Howard of Castle-Rising in Norfolk; as on the 19th of October, 1672, he was created Earl of Norwich, to him and to the heirs male of his body; and also by the same patent had granted the office and dignity of Earl Marshal of England, to him, and the heirs male of his body; and on default of such issue, to the heirs male of the body of Thomas Earl of Arundel, Surry and Norfolk, grandfather of the said Henry Lord Howard; and for default of such issue, to the heirs male of the body of Thomas, Earl of Suffolk; and for default of such issue, to the heirs male of the body of the Lord William Howard, of Naworth in the county of Cumberland, youngest son of Thomas Duke of Norfolk, (who was beheaded 14 Eliz.) and for default of such issue, to Charles Howard, Lord Effingham, and Earl of Nottingham, and the heirs male of his body. He married to his first wife, the Lady Anne Somersset, eldest daughter to Edward Marquis of Worcester, by Elizabeth Dormer, his first wife, and by her had two sons and three daughters; and by his second, who was Jane, daughter of Robert Bickerton, Esq; he had George Howard, who married Arabella, daughter and sole heir to Sir Edmund Allen, Bart. widow of Francis Thomson of Humbleton in the county of York, Esq;—James Howard, who died a bachelor, being drowned in August, 1702, attempting to ride over Sutton-Wash in Lincolnshire.—Frederick Henry Howard, who married Catherine, daughter to Sir Francis Blake, of the county of Oxford and relict of Sir Richard Kennedy, Bart. by whom she had a daughter Elizabeth, married to Sir William Dudley, Bart. this Lady died in January, 1731; and the said Frederick died on the 16th of March, 1727.—Catherine and Anne both nuns in Flanders; but the Lady Philippa, married William Standish, of Standish-Hall, in the county of Lancaster, Esq; and died in Jan. 1683. Of the daughters by the first wife, which were, Anne-Allathea, Elizabeth and Frances, the latter was married to the Marquis of Valparesa, a Spanish count in Flanders; the 2d, to Alexander Gordon, Marquis of Huntley in Scotland, who was created Duke of Gordon; she died in July 1732; and the eldest died in her infancy. The sons were

(7th Duke) HENRY and Thomas, the eldest on the 27th of Jan.

Jan. 1677, was summoned to parliament by writ, by the title of Lord Mowbray. On Jan. 11, 1683, he succeeded his father in all his honours. This Duke obtained a commission under the Great Seal, on the 13th of August, 1687, which bore date at Westminster, whereby his Grace, as Earl Marshal of England, should revive and hold a Court of Chivalry, &c. Upon the landing of the Prince of Orange in England, his Grace being in Norfolk, he immediately declared for him, and brought over that and some of the neighbouring counties to his interest; for which he was sworn one of the Privy Council to King William the 2d of April, 1701. He married the Lady Mary Mordaunt, daughter and sole heir to Henry Earl of Peterborough, from whom (after he had been married near 20 years) he procured a divorce in parliament, for incontinence, which in 1700, passed both houses, and he (having no issue by her) was enabled to marry again; but dying as above, and leaving no issue, we shall now speak of his brother, the Lord Thomas Howard, who at the coronation of King James the 2d, as Lord of the manor of Workſop in the county of Nottingham, claimed to find the king a right-hand glove, and to support the king's arm, while he held the ſceptre, which being allowed, he performed that service. In 1685, he was made master of the robes of King James II. and being of the Romiſh religion, was in great eſteem at court at that time; upon King James's withdrawing himſelf into France, this Lord accompanied him thither, and ſoon after attended him into Ireland; but in his return to Breſt, was caſt away in November, 1689. He (in October, 1681) married Mary-Elizabeth, daughter and ſole heir to Sir John Savile of Copley in the county of York, Bart. and by her, who died Dec. 10, 1732, left five ſons and a daughter Mary, married to Walter Aſton, Baron Aſton of Forfar in Scotland, but died in 1723: and of the ſons which were Thomas 8th Duke of Norfolk.—Henry died unmarried, Nov. 22, 1720—Edward 9th Duke.—Richard died unmarried.—Philip the youngeſt, on the 7th Jan. 1725, married Winifrede daughter of Thomas Stoner of Watlington-park, in the county of Oxford, Eſq; and by her, who died in Feb. 1731, had a ſon named Thomas, born Feb. 4, 1728, and died in Jan. 1763, and a daughter Winifrede, born Aug. 31, 1726, married Oct. 8, 1749, to William Lord Stourton, and died July 15, 1754. He married 2dly 1739, Harriot, daughter of Edward Blount of Blagdon in the county of Devon, Eſq; ſiſter to the late Duchefs of Norfolk, and widow to Peter Proli, Eſq; of Antwerp, by whom, who died 1782, he had iſſue, Anne, born on the 29th of Auguſt, 1742,
married

married April 19, 1762, to Lord Petre, and has issue; and Edward, born in January, 1744, died Feb. 7, 1767; and the said Philip, died Jan. 23, 1750.

(8th Duke) THOMAS the eldest of the said five sons, who was born Dec. 7, 1684, succeeded his uncle Henry, in 1701, and in 1709, married Mary, daughter and sole heir to Sir Nicholas Shirburne of Stonyhurst in the county of Lancaster, Bart. but died without issue, Dec. 23, 1732: and her grace married again in August, 1734, to Peregrine Widdrington Esq; and died in Sept. 1754. He was succeeded by

9th Duke) EDWARD his brother, the late Duke who was born 1685, married Nov. 6, 1727, Mary, second daughter and coheir of Edward Blount of Blagdon, in Devon. Esq; Her grace died without issue, May 27, 1773, and his grace survived her till Sept. 20, 1777; when the title and estate devolved on

(10th Duke) CHARLES his distant cousin, grand son of Charles Howard, fourth son of Henry Frederick, Earl of Arundel, Norfolk, &c. (as in page 13) the present Duke.

CREATIONS.] Baron Howard, by writ of summons to Parliament, Oct. 15, 1470, 10 Edward IV, also 19th of August, 1472. Created Earl Marshal, Earl of Surry, and Duke of Norfolk, June 28, 1483. 1 Richard III. confirmed Earl of Surry 3d of November, 1492. 8 Henry VII. and again 13th of May, 1509. 1 Henry VIII. again Earl of Surry and Duke of Norfolk 1st of Feb. 1513, 5th Henry VIII. Earl of Arundel, in the county of Suffex, a feudal honour or local dignity, the only one in the kingdom as adjudged in Parliament, 8th July, 1433, 11th of Henry VI. by inheritance and possession of the Castle of Arundel only, without any other creation; also by summons to Parliament, Jan. 16, 1580, 23 Elizabeth, by descent originally, as well before as after the conquest, by King Henry I. confirmed by King Henry II. and also 27th June 1189, 1st Richard I. Created Earl of Norfolk, June 6, 1644. 20 Car. I. Baron Howard of Castle-Rising in the county of Norfolk, March 27, 1669, 21 Car. II. Earl of Norwich in Norfolk, and Hereditary Earl Marshal, October 19, 1672, 24 Car. II. Duke of Norfolk by Act of Parliament, with an entail upon the heirs male, and divers limitations, May, 8, 1661, 13 Car. II. Baron Mowbray by writ of summons to Parliament, 6th March, 1678. 31 Car. II. and likewise 21 March, 1639, 15 Charles I. by descent originally, 8th June 1294, 22d of Edward I.

ARMS.] Quarterly four coats, first *gules*, a bend between six cross croclets *fitchy*, *argent* with an augmentation, viz. on the upper

upper part of the bend, an inescutcheon *or*, charged with a demi-lion rampant, pierced through the mouth with an arrow, within a double tressure, counter-flowered with fleurs de lis, *gules*, and is the paternal coat of the illustrious family of Howard. 2d, *Gules*, three lions passant-guardant paleways, *or*, label in chief, of three points, *argent*, for the name of Brotherton. 3d, Cheque, *or*, and *azure*, for Warren, anciently Earls of Surry. 4th, *Gules*, a lion rampant, *argent*, armed and langued, *azure*, for Mowbray, anciently Duke of Norfolk. And behind the whole, two truncheons, or Marshall's staves in saltire, *or*, enamelled at each end, *sable*, having the king's arms engraven at the upper, and his own at the lower end, the badge of his high office, given to Thomas Mowbray, and the heirs of his body.

CREST.] On a chapeau, *gules*, turned up *ermine*, a lion passant guardant, his tail extended, gorged with a ducal coronet, *argent*, as descended from Margaret, daughter and heir of Thomas de Brotherton, Earl of Norfolk, fifth son of Edward I.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a lion, and on the, sinister a horse, both *argent*, the latter holding a slip of oak fructed, *proper*.

MOTTO.] *Sola virtus invicta*. Virtue is alone invincible.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Arundel-Castle, in Suffex; Workshop-manoor, in the county of Nottingham; Deepden, near Dorking, Surry; and Greystock in Cumberland.

SEYMOUR, DUKE OF SOMERSET.

THE most noble Prince EDWARD SEYMOUR, Duke of SOMERSET; Baron Seymour, and Baronet, born Jan. 2. 1717, 18, succeeded his father the late Duke, Dec. 15, 1757, and is unmarried.

WILLIAM DE ST MAUR. (Progenitor of the Seymours) by the aid of Gilbert Earl of Pembroke, recovered Wendy and Penhow, (parts of the county of Monmouth) from the Welch nation, the 22d of Henry III. From him descended Sir John Seymour, who served King Henry VIII. in the wars in France and Flanders, and in the 4th of that reign, for his gallant behaviour, at the siege of Therouenne, and the battle of the Spurs, had the honour of Kt. Banneret conferred upon him. He died in 1536, and left issue, by

Margaret his wife, daughter to Sir John Wentworth of Nettleton in Suffolk, six sons and four daughters; of which daughters Jane was married to King Henry VIII. and was mother of King Edward VI. Elizabeth the 2d daughter was first married to Sir Henry Ughtred, Kt, 2dly, to Gregory Lord Cromwell; and lastly, to John Lord St. John of Basing, afterwards Marquis of Winchester; and Dorothy, to Sir Clement Smith, Kt. And of the sons, John the eldest died unmarried.

1st Duke.) EDWARD, the 2d son was created Duke of Somerset. Henry the 3d, was Kt. of the Bath. Sir Thomas, the 4th, in the 35th Henry VIII. was Marshal of the forces. In the 1st of Edward VI. he was created Lord Seymour of Sudley, made Kt. of the Garter and Lord High Admiral of England, and married the Lady Catherine Parr, widow of King Henry VIII. The other sons, which were Antony and John died young. Edward, afterwards Duke of Somerset, in the 24th Henry VIII, was created Viscount Beauchamp; and on the 18th of October, 1558, he was created Earl of Hertford. In 1547 the King lying on his death-bed, he was appointed one of his executors: and on the 1st of February, 1547, was unanimously elected Protector of the realm, and governor of the King's person, until he should accomplish the age of 18 years. On the 10th of February following, he was chosen Lord Treasurer of England, as also the 15th of the same month, created Baron Seymour. The next day he was created Duke of Somerset. But this Duke fell by the ax, through the pride of his 2d wife, Anne Stanhope, daughter to Sir Edward Stanhope, and heir to her mother, Elizabeth, sister to John Bouchier, Earl of Bath, and great grand-daughter of William Bouchier, Earl of Ewe, in Normandy, by Anne, his wife, daughter and sole heir to Thomas of Woodstock, Duke of Gloucester, 7th and youngest son of King Edward III. Thomas, Lord Sudley, the Lord High Admiral, brother to the Duke, having married Catharine Parr, Queen Dowager to King Henry VIII. the Duchefs of Somerset envied the marriage, as Lord Sudley's wife claimed precedence before her, and possessed the Duke her husband, that his brother studied his ruin, and to get the protectorship out of his hands; which by the artifice of John Dudley, the ambitious Earl of Warwick, took place; and the Lord Sudley being arrested, was imprisoned in the Tower, tried and condemned by Act of Parliament; and on the 20th of March, 3d Edward VI. beheaded, by a warrant under his own brother's hand. The Duke,

Duke, having thus signed his brother's death, created a great hatred in the people against him. Besides, another thing helped to confirm the public hatred, his pulling down a church and two bishops houses in the Strand, to make way for Somerset-house, and ruining the steeple, and most part of the church of St. John of Jerusalem, to carry on the building, &c. Soon after being charged with designing to murder the aforesaid Earl of Warwick, and several of the nobility, he was sent to the Tower; and was tried and found guilty of felony, and sentenced to be hanged; and two months after, the violence of his enemies, notwithstanding the King's desire to save him, drew him to Tower-hill, where on the 22d of January (5th of Edward IV.) he lost his head. He married first Catherine, daughter and coheir to Sir William Fillol. By this lady he had three sons, John who died young.—Sir Edward Seymour, of Bury-Pomeroy, in the county of Devon, and of Maiden-Bradley, in the county of Wilts, Kt.—Henry, who was an Officer in the fleet which beat the Spanish Armada. And his second wife was Anne Stanhope, before-mentioned; by her he had Edward his heir, and six daughters; whereof Anne, was first married to John Dudley, eldest son of the before-mentioned Earl of Warwick, which Earl was then Duke of Northumberland, and 2dly to Sir Edward Unton of Wadley, Berks, Kt. of the Bath.—Margaret and Jane died unmarried.—Mary, was first married to Andrew Rogers, son and heir to Sir Richard Rogers, Kt. and 2dly to Sir Henry Peyton, Kt.—Catharine died unmarried.—Elizabeth became the 2d wife of Sir Richard Knightly of Fauzeley in the county of Northampton, Kt. Edward, who succeeded, being dispossessed of all titles by the attainder of his father, in the 5th of Edward VI. so continued to the 1st of Eliz. when he was advanced to the title of Lord Beauchamp, and Earl of Hertford. He married Catharine Grey, daughter to Henry Duke of Suffolk, and sister to the lady Jane Grey; but she being nearly allied to the Queen, and discerned to be with child, was, in the 5th of that reign, committed to the Tower, though she acknowledged herself to be his lawful wife; and he returning from France, where he had gone with the Queen's leave, and owning his marriage, was likewise imprisoned with her, where she was soon brought to bed of a son, and afterwards of another by connivance of the keeper. He was hereupon censured in the star-chamber, 1st, for violating a maid of the royal blood; 2d, for breaking prison; lastly, for lying with her again; to which he answered, that having lawfully married her, and the prison-doors standing

open he came to her in her sadness, to comfort her, and pay his conjugal debt; nevertheless he was fined 5000 pounds, and kept a prisoner for nine years, and she till the time of her death. The validity of this marriage being afterwards tried at common law, the minister who married them appearing in court, and other circumstances the jury agreeing, of which John Digby, Esq; was foreman, found it a good marriage. This Earl lived to be an aged man; and by the Catherine aforesaid, his first wife, he had Edward his heir-apparent, who was Lord Beauchamp; by his 2d and 3d wives, who were Frances, daughter to William Howard Lord Effingham, sister to Charles Earl of Nottingham; and Frances daughter to Thomas Visc. Howard of Bindon, he had no issue.

EDWARD, LORD BEAUCHAMP, in the 6th of James I. obtained letters-patent, granting that he and the heirs male of his body, immediately after the death of his father, should be Barons of parliament, and have place and voice there; as also other letters patent, for the enjoyment for the title of Earl of Hertford; but died in his father's lifetime, 1618. He married Honora, daughter to Sir Richard Rogers of Brainston, in the county of Dorset, and by her had three sons and a daughter of her name, married to Sir Ferdinand Sutton, Kt. of the Bath, at that time heir apparent to Edward Lord Dudley, by whom she had a daughter Frances, Baroness Dudley, wife of Humble, who was created Lord Ward; and of the sons which were Edward, Sir William, and Sir Francis. The eldest who died in 1618, the same year as his father, married Anne Sackville, daughter to Robert, the 2d Earl of Dorset; but left no issue, and she married, 2dly, Sir Edward Lewis, Kt.

(2d Duke) Sir WILLIAM Seymour, Kt. 2d son, upon the death of his grandfather, Edward Earl of Hertford, succeeded him in his honours. In 1640, the 16th Charles I. he was created Marquis of Hertford, and was restored to the dignity of Duke of Somerset: and died on the 24th of October, 1660. He married first Arabella, only child of Charles Stewart, 3d son of Matthew Earl of Lennox, (by Elizabeth his wife, 2d daughter of Sir William Cavendish of Chatsworth in the county of Derby, Kt.) but she being cousin german to King James I. and secretly married without his privity or consent, they were both committed prisoners to the Tower of London, where she ended her life without issue, Sept. 27, 1615. But his Grace marrying to his second wife Frances Devereux, eldest of the two daughters of

Robert

Robert Earl of Effex (the great favourite of Queen Elizabeth, and sister and coheir to Robert Earl of Effex,) by her had five sons and three daughters, whereof Frances was first married to Richard Molineux, the 2d, Visc. Molineux in Ireland; 2dly, to Thomas Wriotesley, Earl of Southampton, Lord High Treasurer of England; and lastly, to Coniers Darcy, the 2d Earl of Holderness.—Mary, to Henage Finch, the 2d Earl of Winchelsea.—Jane, to Charles Boyle, Lord Clifford, son and heir to Richard Earl of Burlington. And of the sons, which were William, Robert, Henry, Edward and John; the two eldest died unmarried, and the 4th in his infancy, and Henry the 3d, who died in his father's lifetime; but having married Mary, eldest daughter to Author Lord Capel of Hadham, and by her who afterwards married Henry the 1st Duke of Beaufort, left issue William, successor to his grandfather; and a daughter Elizabeth, married to Thomas Bruce, Earl of Aylesbury.

3d Duke.) WILLIAM, who on the 24th of October, 1660, succeeded his grandfather, died on the 12th of Dec. 1671, unmarried; whereupon

(4th Duke.) JOHN his uncle, the 5th and youngest son of William Duke of Somerset, succeeded him and married Sarah, daughter to Sir Edward Alston, Kt. but he dying on the 29th of April, 1675, without issue; we come now to

Sir Francis Seymour, Kt. 3d son to Edward Lord Beauchamp by Honora his wife, already mentioned, which Sir Frances in 1642, the 18th of Charles I. was created Lord Seymour of Troubridge. He married to his 2d wife, Catherine, daughter to Sir Robert Lee, of Bidsey, in the county of Warwick, Kt. by whom he had no issue; but by his first, who was Frances, daughter and heir of Sir Gilbert Prinne of Allington, in Wilts, Knt. he had Charles, his heir; and a daughter Frances, who was married to Sir William Ducie, of Tortworth in the county of Gloucester, Kt. of the Bath.

CHARLES, who in 1669, succeeded his father as Lord Seymour of Troubridge, married to his first wife, Mary, daughter and sole heir to Thomas Smith of Soley, in the Parish of Chilton in Wilts, by whom he had a daughter Frances, married to Sir George Hungerford, of Cadenham, Wilts; and by his 2d wife, who was Elizabeth, daughter to William Lord Allington of Hor Heath, in the county of Cambridge, he had five sons and two daughters, whereof the three eldest sons and the eldest daughter died young; but the 2d daughter Honora, was married to Sir Charles

Gerrard, of Harrow in Middlesex, Bart. and died in May 1731. The sons which survived were

(5th D.) FRANCIS and Charles, the eldest succeeded to the title of Duke of Somerset, (but not to the title of Marquis of Hertford) and in the year 1678, being basely murdered in Italy, a fleet of ships were sent from the King of England to demand satisfaction for the death of so great a subject; and thereupon several persons were hanged in effigy. This Duke dying unmarried, was succeeded by

(6th D.) CHARLES his brother, who marrying to his first wife the Lady Elizabeth Percy, widow and relict of Henry Cavendish, Earl of Ogle, only son and heir to Henry, Duke of Newcastle, sole daughter and heir to Joceline Percy, the 11th and last Earl of Northumberland, by her (who died on Nov. 23, 1722,) had three sons and four daughters. Of the daughters which were Elizabeth, Catherine, Anne and Frances. Elizabeth married Henry O'Brien, Earl of Thomond in Ireland, Visc. Tadcaster in England; she died April the 2d, 1734, without issue.—Catherine married July 21st 1708, to Sir William Wyndham, of Orchard-Wyndham in the county of Somerset, Bart. but died in April 1731.—Anne married Peregrine-Hide Osborne, Marquis of Carmarthen, (late Duke of Leeds) and died in child-bed four days after her mother, viz. on the 27th, aged 31.—And Frances died unmarried, May the 10th, 1720. Of the sons which were Algernon, Earl of Hertford; Charles and Percy. Charles died on the 3d of Jan. 1711, aged 26; but the eldest, on the death of his mother, who was heir to the Baronies of Percy, Lucy, Poinings, Fitz-Pain, Bryan, and Latimer was, called up to the House of Peers, by the title of Lord Percy, on the 4th of Feb. 1726. His Grace married to his 2d wife, Charlotte Finch, 2d daughter to Daniel Earl of Winchelsea and Nottingham, and by her, who died Jan. 21, 1773, had two daughters, Frances, born July 8, 1728; who married the late Marquis of Granby, by whom she was mother of the present Duke of Rutland, and died 1760; and Charlotte, born the 21st of Sept. 1730, and married the late Earl of Aylesford. His Grace died Dec. 2, 1748. He was succeeded in his honours, and his real estate, by his only surviving son.

(7th D.) ALGERNON, Earl of Hertford, who married Frances, eldest of the two daughters and coheirs of Henry Thynne, Son of Thomas Viscount Weymouth, and by her who died July 7th, 1754, had one son, George Lord Beauchamp, born Sept. 11th, 1725, who died on his travels
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in 1744; and one daughter Elizabeth, married in July 1740, to Sir Hugh Smithson, Bart. now Duke of Northumberland, and his Majesty was pleased to grant to his Grace the dignities of Baron Warkworth and Earl of Northumberland, to hold to him and the heirs male of his body, and in default of his issue, to Sir Hugh Smithson of Stanwick, in the county of York, Bart. and the heirs male of his body, by Elizabeth his wife, daughter of the said Duke; and in default of such issue, to her ladyship and her heirs male. His Majesty was also pleased to grant unto his Grace, the dignities of Baron of Cockermonth, and Earl of Egremont in the county of Cumberland, and to the heirs male of his body, and in default of such issue, to his nephew Sir Charles Wyndham, of Orchard-Wyndham in the county of Somerset, Bart. and the heirs male of his body, and in default of such issue, to Percy Wyndham O'Brien, of Shotgrove in the county of Essex, Esq; brother of the said Sir Charles, afterwards Earl of Thomond in Ireland, and the heirs male of his body. His Grace died at Percy Lodge, near Colnbrooke, on the 7th Feb. 1750, whereby the titles of Northumberland, and Baron Warkworth, descended to Sir Hugh Smithson, Bart. the present Duke of Northumberland. The titles of Earl of Egremont, and Baron Cockermonth, to Sir Charles Wyndham, Bart. The Baronies of Percy, Poinings, Fitzpaine, Brian and Latimer, to Elizabeth Smithson, wife of Sir Hugh; and the titles of Earl of Hertford, Viscount Beauchamp of Hache, and Baron Seymour of Troubridge, became extinct. But the titles of Duke of Somerset, and Baron Seymour, devolved on

(8th D.) SIR EDWARD SEYMOUR, Bart. who is descended from Sir Edward, eldest surviving son of the Protector, by his first wife Catherine, who was possessed of a good estate at Berry Pomeroy in Devonshire, purchased by his father of Sir Thomas Pomeroy. He had a grant from King Edward VI. of several lordships in the county of Somerset, and being a great economist, he purchased Maiden Bradley, in Wilts, and the manor of Totness, in Devonshire. He married Jane daughter of John Walshe, Esq. one of the justices of the common pleas, and died May the 6th, 1593, by whom he had Edward his heir, who was one of the knights of the shire for the county of Devon, in several parliaments, and was advanced to the dignity of a Baronet, June 29, 1611. He married in 1570, Elizabeth daughter of Sir Arthur Champernoun of Dartington, Devon, Knt. by whom he had issue

several sons and daughters, and dying April 11, 1613, was succeeded by

SIR EDWARD SEYMOUR, his eldest son. He died about the year 1641. By Dorothy, daughter of Sir Henry Killigrew, of Laroch in Cornwall, Knt. he had six sons and five daughters: Elizabeth, married 1st, Francis Courtenay, of Powderham, Devon, Esq. 2dly, Sir Amos Meredith, of Ashley, Cheshire, Bart.—Mary married Sir Jonathan Trelawney, Bart.—Margaret, to Francis Trelawney, Esq. brother of the said Sir Jonathan.—Anne married Dr. Stourton.—The other daughter married Sir T. Hall, of the county of Wilts, Knt. Of the sons,

SIR EDWARD, the eldest, succeeded his father.—Henry the second, was of great note in the reigns of K. Charles I. and II. He died the 9th of March 1686, in the 74th year of his age, and was buried at Langley. He married first Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Joseph Killigrew, Knt, and widow of William Basset of Claverton, Somerset, Esq; and she dying without issue in June 1671, he married 2dly, Ursula, daughter of Sir Robert Austen, of Bexley in Kent, Bart, and widow of George Stawel, Esq; Brother to Ralph Lord Stawel, by whom he had an only son Henry, born the 20th of Oct. 1674, who at 7 years old, in consideration of his father's approved loyalty, and services (and while he was living) was by K. Charles II. created a Baronet, and to his heirs male, remainder to his father, and his heirs male; which Sir Henry Seymour, Bart. died unmarried in 1714.—Thomas Seymour, third son of Sir Edward and Dorothy, married Anne, daughter of Sir Richard Anderson, Knt. and left issue Edward, Clerk of the Hanaper, 1695, who had two sons and three daughters; 1st Henry, who was killed in a duel; he married a daughter of J. Tregonwell, Esq; by whom he had Edward Seymour, who married Henrietta daughter of the late Governor Phipps, by whom he had no issue, and a daughter married to Sir Robert Monro, Bart. she died in 1732. 2dly, Edward, who in 1710 was chosen Member of Parliament for Shaftsbury, but died soon after of a fever, which he got at his election.—John and Robert, 4th and 5th sons of Sir Edward and Dorothy, both died without issue.—Sir Joseph Seymour, Knt. 6th son, married Bridget, daughter of Sir R. Anderson, and had issue, Henry and Anne.

SIR EDWARD SEYMOUR the eldest brother, born in 1611, was Vice Admiral of the county of Devon. He dying in 1689, left issue by Anne his wife, daughter of Sir John Portman, Bart. one daughter Elizabeth, married to Sir Joseph Tredenham

Tredenham, of Tregony, Cornwall, Knt. and five sons, Sir Edward his successor.—John, a Colonel in the army, who married a daughter of Sir Richard Kenedy.—Hugh, Captain of the Resolution Frigate, who was killed in the Dutch wars.—William, who died unmarried.—Henry, 5th son, heir to his uncle Sir William Portman, Bart. whereby he became possessed of the large inheritance of the Portmans, at Orchard and Portman in Somersetshire, and assumed the name and arms of Portman by act of Parliament, pursuant to a settlement of the said Sir William. He married 1st, Penelope, youngest daughter of Sir William Haslewood, of Maidwell in the county of Northampton, Knt. and coheir to her brother Peter Haslewood, Esq; her other sister Elizabeth being wife to the Lord Visc. Hatton: his 2d wife was Millicent, daughter of William Fitch of High-Hall, in Dorsetshire, Esq; by neither of which he had any issue, and died in Feb. 1728; his relict afterwards married T. Fownes, Esq,

Sir EDWARD SEYMOUR, Bart. fifth of that name in lineal succession, eldest son of the last Sir Edward, made a considerable figure in the House of Commons in four several reigns. He was one of the first gentlemen in the West that joined the Prince of Orange in 1688; and on the accession of Q. Anne, he had an offer of a patent for a Baron of the Realm, which he declined in favour of Francis the eldest surviving son of his second marriage. He died Feb. 17, 1707, in the 76th year of his age, and was buried at Maiden-Breadley in Wiltshire. He married first Margaret, daughter and co-heir to Sir William Wale, Knt. Alderman of London, by whom he had two sons, Sir Edward his successor, and William, General of Marines, who died without issue in 1727. By his second wife Letitia, daughter of Francis Popham, of Littlecolte, Wilts, Esq; he had six sons and a daughter, Anne, married to William Berkley Esq; father of William Henry Berkley Portman, Esq. The sons were, Popham Conway, killed in a duel by Colonel Kirk.—Francis, who after the death of his brother Popham, took the surname and bore the Arms of Conway, and on the 17th of March 1703, was created Baron Conway, and his son, upon the decease of the late Duke of Somerset, was created Earl of Hertford.—Charles, to whom the Barony of Conway was limited.—Henry—Alexander—John, all died unmarried.

Sir EDWARD, the eldest son, by the first marriage, who succeeded to the title and estate, died Jan. 1741, aged 80. He married Letitia, sole daughter to Sir Francis Popham, of Littlecote, in Wilts, Knt., of the Bath, and had issue four sons and

and eight daughters. Sir Edward.—Francis, who married Elizabeth, Viscountess Hinchinbroke, mother of the present Earl of Sandwich, and only daughter of Alexander Popham of Littlecote, Esq; and had issue two sons, Henry who married July 24th, 1753, Caroline, only daughter of William Earl Cowper, which lady died June 2, 1773, leaving Georgiana, born Jan. 31, 1735, married Sept. 1775, William Danby, jun. Esq; of Swinton in Yorkshire; and Caroline, born Dec. 31, 1756. He married 2dly, Oct. 5, 1775, Madam Louisa de Panthon, by whom he has issue, a son Henry, born Nov. 10, 1776. Francis who died an infant, and a daughter Mary, who married Nov. 3, 1758, John Bailey, Esq; of Sutton in Somersetshire.—Alexander, who died unmarried April 1731.—William, who married Elizabeth daughter and heir of Mr. Hippy, of Froom in Somersetshire, and died without issue. Of the daughters, Letitia married to John Gapper, Esq;—Margaret, to Richard Jones of Ramsbury, Esq;—Elizabeth, to Henry Hungerford of Fifield, Esq;—Anne to William Scroggs of Chute Lodge, Esq; all in the county of Wilts, which Anne died in Feb. 1755.—Helena, died unmarried.—Mary, married the Rev. Mr. Hammond.—Jane, married William Coleman of Gornhey, Devon, Esq;—Catherine, married Philip Fuhr of Bristol, Esq.

Sir EDWARD, their elder brother, late Duke of Somerset, married Mary sole daughter and heir of Daniel Webb, of Monckton Farley in Wilts, Esq; the niece and heir of Edward Somner, of Seend in Wilts, Esq; by her Grace, who died in Jan. 1768, he had issue four sons, Edward now Duke of Somerset.—Webb, who inherits his grandfather's estate at Monckton-Farley; married, Nov. 11, 1769, Mary Anne, the only daughter and heiress of the late John Bonnell, Esq; of Stanton-Harcourt in Oxfordshire; by whom he has had issue, 1. Edward, who died in his infancy. 2. Webb, who died young. 3. Edward-Adolphus, born Feb. 7. 1775; and Webb-John, born Feb. 7, 1777.—William, called to the Bar, a Barrister at Law, born 1744, married June 5, 1767; Hester, sole heiress of John Maltravers, Esq; of Melksam in Wilts, and has issue, two Sons, Edward, born May 3. 1768; William, born March 28, 1769; and one daughter, Hester, born Nov. 24, 1770.—Francis, Dean of Wells, who married Catherine, daughter of the Rev. Mr. Payne, and sister to the Countess Dowager of Northampton, by whom he has issue, 1. Edward, who died unmarried, 23d June 1775. 2. Francis. 3. Mary, who married

married in Sept. 1773, John Hyde, Esq; of East-Greenwich, one of his Majesty's Judges of the Supreme Court of Calcutta. 4. Catherine, who married in in June 1776; John Newton, Esq; of Staffordshire, and was divorced in 1782. 5. Frances. And his Grace had a daughter Mary, married Sept. 21, 1759, to Vincent Biscoe, Esq; of London, and died in July 1762. His Grace dying the 15th of Dec. 1757, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(9th Duke.) EDWARD, the present Duke of Somersset.

CREATIONS.] Baron Seymour, by letters patent, Feb. 15, 1546, (1 Edward VI) and Duke of Somersset the day following.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *or*, on a pile, *gules*, between six fleur-de-Lis, *azure*, three lions of England; an augmentation granted by King Henry VIII. on his marriage with the Lady Jane Seymour) second and third, the paternal coat of Seymour; *gules*, two wings, conjoined in lure, tips downwards, *or*. (Plate I.)

CREST.] Out of a ducal coronet, *or*, a phoenix in flames, *proper*, in memory of King Edward VI.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side an unicorn, *argent*, armed, crested, and gorged, with a ducal collar, to which is affixed a chain, *or*. On the sinister a bull, *azure*, colored, chained and hooped, as that on the dexter.

MOTTO.] *Foy pour devoir*. Faith for Duty.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Maiden-Bradley and Seend in Wiltshire; and Berry-Pomeroy, and Totness Castle, in Devonshire.

LENOX, DUKE OF RICHMOND.

THE most noble CHARLES LENOX, Duke of RICHMOND in England, of Lenox in Scotland, and Aubigny in France, (confirmed at Paris in 1777.) Earl of March and Darnley, Baron of Settrington and Turbolton, Knight of the Garter; born Feb. 22, 1735, succeeded Charles, the late Duke his father, Aug. 8, 1750; and April 1, 1757, was married to Mary, daughter to the Earl of Aylesbury, by Caroline, daughter of John, late Duke of Argyl, who afterwards married 2dly to Seymour Conway, brother to the Earl of Hertford.

The first of this noble Family was Charles, surnamed Lenox, only natural son of King Charles II. by Louisa de Querouaille, a French lady, who in 1660, came into England. as an attendant on the Princess Henrietta Maria, Duchess
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of Orleans, sister to K. Charles II. and by that King, on the 19th of August, 1673, was created a Peeress, by the title of Baroness Petersfield, Countess of Fareham, and Duchess of Portsmouth, all in the county of Southampton, and by Lewis XIV. Duchess of Aubigny in France.

(1st Duke.) the said CHARLES, surnamed Lenox, was born on the 29th of July 1762, created Duke of Richmond, &c. 1675, and died on the 27th of May, 1723, aged 51. He married Anne, eldest daughter to Frances Lord Brudenel, (who died before his father Robert Earl of Cardigan) widow of Henry Lord Belassise, and by her, who died on the 9th of December, 1722, had one son and two daughters; Louisa, who married James, Earl of Berkely, and died leaving issue, 15 Jan. 1716, aged 23.—Anne, in Feb. 1723, married William-Anne Keppel, Earl of Albemarle, and left issue. His Grace was succeeded by his only son.

(2d Duke.) CHARLES the late Duke, born May, 18 1701; married in Dec. 1719, the Lady Sarah Cadogan, eldest of the two daughters and co-heirs of William Earl Cadogan; and by her who died Aug. 25, 1751, he had four sons and eight daughters, viz. Georgina Carolina, born March 27, 1723, and married in May 2, 1744, to the late Henry Fox, Lord Holland, only brother to Stephen Earl of Ilchester; was created a peeress of Great Britain in 1762, and died July 24, 1774, leaving issue.—A son, who died immediately after his birth, Sep. 3, 1724.—Louisa Margaret, born Nov. 15, 1725, and died in May 1728.—Anne, born 27, 1726, and died the same year.—Charles, Earl of March, born Sept. 9, 1730, who died the same year.—Emilia, born Oct. 6, 1731, married Feb. 7, 1747, to the late Duke of Leinster in Ireland, by whom she had issue. After whose death she married 2dly to Charles Ogilby, Esq; by whom she has issue.—Charles, now Duke, of Richmond.—George-Henry, born Nov. 27, 1737, married in 1759, to Louisa Kerr, daughter to William the Earl of Ancram in Scotland, by whom he has issue, 1. Charles, born 1746. 2. Louisa born 1760. 3. Amelia born 1765. 4. Georgiana born in 1765.—Margaret, born Nov. 16, 1739, and died Jan. 10, 1741.—Louisa Augusta, born Nov. 24, 1643, married in Jan. 1758, to Thomas Connolly, Esq; of Castletown in Ireland.—Sarah, born Feb. 14, 1745, married June 2, 1762, to Sir Charles Bunbury, Bart. from whom she was divorced, without having issue in 1776, and she married 2dly in 1781, to the Hon. Mark Napier, uncle to the present Lord Napier of Scotland, by whom she has issue a son, born Aug. 1782.—Cecilia Margaret born Feb.

Feb. 14, 1749, and died unmarried Nov. 21, 1769. His Grace was Duke of Abigny in France, Nov. 14, 1734. On the 18th Jan. following, he was constituted Master of the Horse to his Majesty; and the next day sworn of the Privy Council. In Sept. 1735, he was chosen Mayor of Chichester, and High Steward in Jan. 1749; and in Feb. 1750, was made Colonel of his Majesty's royal regiment of Horse-Guards. He was also a governor of the Charterhouse. His Grace died August 8, 1750. (his Duchefs died Aug. 25, 1751) and was succeeded by his eldest son,

(3d Duke.) CHARLES, now Duke of Richmond, &c. who in June 1753, was made a Capt. of a company in Lord Bury's regiment of foot; in June 1756, Lieut. Colonel of Lord Charles Hay's regiment of foot, and in May 1758, appointed Colonel of the 72d regiment of foot; his Grace being present at the battle of Minden, fought Aug. 1, 1759, received the particular thanks of Prince Ferdinand of Brunswick, for his conduct and intrepidity in that action. His Grace married on the 1st of April, 1757, Mary, daughter of the late Earl of Aylesbury by the 3d wife, daughter of the late Duke of Argyl, now the wife of General Conway.

CREATIONS.] Baron of Sitrington in the county of York, Earl of March, (a title derived from the marches in South Wales) and Duke of Richmond in the county of York (English honours) Aug. 9, 1675, the 27th of K. Charles II. As also at the same time, created Baron of Methuen, Earl of Darnley, and Duke of Lenox (Scotch honours.)

ARMS.] The arms of King Charles II. within a bordure-compone, *argent* and *gules*; the first charged with verdoy of roses of the second, barbed and seeded, *proper*. (Plate I.)

CREST.] On a chapeau, *gules*, turned up *ermine*, a lion passant guardant, *or*, crowned with a ducal coronet, *gules*, and gorged with a collar, gobone, counter-charged, as the bordure in the coat.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side an unicorn, armed, crested and hooped, *argent*. On the sinister, an antelope, armed, crested and hooped, as the dexter; each supporter gorged with a collar, compone, *gules* and *ermine*.

MOTTO.] *En la rose je fleurie.* I flourish in the Rose.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Goodwood, near Chichester in Suffex.

FITZROY, DUKE OF GRAFTON.

THE most noble AUGUSTUS-HENRY FITZROY, Duke of GRAFTON, Earl of Euston and Arlington, Viscount Thetford and Ipswich, Baron of Arlington and Sudbury, Knight of the Garter, born Sept. 28, 1736, succeeded his Grandfather Charles, the late Duke of Grafton, May 6, 1757; and on Jan. 29, 1756, married Anne, only child of Henry Liddel, Lord Ravensworth, by which Lady (who was divorced in 1769, and soon after married John Fitzpatrick, the present Earl of Upper Ossory in Ireland, by whom she has issue,) he had issue, Georgina, born May 8, 1757, and married June 4, 1778, John Smyth, Esq; of Heath in Yorkshire.—George Henry, Earl of Euston, born Jan. 17, 1760.—A son born 1761, who died soon after.—Charles, born July 17, 1764. In May 26, 1769, his Grace married 2dly, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Richard Wrottesley, Bart. dean of Windsor, neice to the Duchefs of Bedford and Earl Gower, by whom also he has issue,—Henry, born March 22, 1770—Charlotte, born May 14, 1771.—Augustus, born June 2, 1773.—Frederick, born Sept. 16, 1776.—Elizabeth, born Oct. 19, 1775. Louisa, born July 13, 1777.—Augusta, born Feb. 19, 1779.—Frances born June 28, 1783.

The first of this noble family, was

(1st D.) HENRY FITZ-ROY, 2d natural son of K. Charles II. by Barbara Villiers, Duchefs of Cleveland, born the 28th of Sept. 1663, was created Baron of Sudbury; Visc. Ipswich, Earl of Euston, and Duke of Grafton; but in the reign of K. William and Q. Mary being at the siege of Cork, under the conduct of the Earl of Marlborough, as he was leading up a party to an assault, he received a wound by a shot, which broke two of his ribs, on the 21st of September 1690; of which he died on the 9th of October following. He married (on the 1st of Aug. 1672) Isabella, only child, and heir to Henry Bennet, Earl of Arlington, Visc. Thetford (by Isabella of Nassau, his wife, one of the daughters of Lewis of Nassau, Lord of Bevertwaert, natural son of Maurice Prince of Orange, and Count of Nassau, and sister to Henry of Nassau, seignior de Auverquerque, master of the horse to K. William, father of Henry late Earl of Grantham) and by her had

(2d D.) CHARLES his only child, late Duke of Grafton,
born

born Oct. 25, 1683, and in right of his mother, who died Feb. 7, 1723, in the 56th year of her age, was Baron of Arlington and Visc. Thetford, her father having been created Baron Arlington, of Arlington in the county of Middlesex, March 14, 1663, 16 Car. II. and Visc. Thetford in the county of Norfolk, and Earl of Arlington, April 22, 1672, with limitation to the heirs of his body lawfully begotten. In 1713, he married Henrietta Somersset, daughter to Charles Marquis of Worcester, (eldest son of Henry Duke of Beaufort) by Rebecca sister to Richard late Earl Tilney, and by her, who died on the 9th of Aug. 1726, had issue three sons and three daughters, viz. George Earl of Euston, born Aug. 24, 1715, who married in Sept. 1741, Dorothy Boyle, eldest daughter to Richard Earl of Burlington. She died in April, 1742; he died in July, 1747, leaving no issue.—Augustus, was Captain in the Royal Navy, born Oct. 16, 1716, who in March 1734, married Elizabeth daughter of Colonel William Crosby, Lieutenant Governor of the Leeward Islands, (who after his death married James Jefferies, Esq; one of the commissioners of the customs by whom she has issue.) He died May 24, 1741, leaving issue, two sons, Augustus Henry, now Duke of Grafton, and Charles, the present Lord Southampton, so created by his present Majesty, (vide Lord *Southampton*) born in July 1737.—Charles, born April 28, 1718, who died July 29, 1741, on his travels, at Milan.—Carolina, born April 8, 1722, married in August 1746, to William Earl of Harrington, by whom she had issue, the present Earl, &c.—Henrietta, born June 8, 1723, died August 1735.—Isabella, born July 19, 1726, married to Francis Seymour Conway, now Earl of Hertford, in May 29, 1741. His Grace dying the 6th of May, 1757, was succeeded by his grandson,

(3d Duke) AUGUSTUS HENRY, now Duke of Grafton.

CREATIONS.] Baron of Sudbury, Visc. Ipswich, and Earl of Euston, all in the county of Suffolk, Aug. 16, 1672, 24 Car. II. and Duke of Grafton in the county of Northampton, Sept. 11, 1745, the 27th of that reign.

ARMS.] The arms of King Charles II. with a batton sinister-compone, *argent* and *azure*. (Plate I.)

CREST.] On a chapeau, *gules*, turned up *ermine*, a lion passant-guardant, *or*, crowned with a ducal coronet, *azure*, and gorged with a collar counter-compone, *argent* and *azure*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a lion guardant, *or*, crowned with a ducal coronet, *azure*, and gorged with a collar counter-compone, *argent* and *azure*. On the sinister, a greyhound, *argent*, gorged as the lion.

MOTTO.]

MOTTO.] *Et decus et pretium recti.* At once the Ornament and Reward of Virtue.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Wakefield-lodge, in Whitebury-forest in Northamptonshire; and Euston-hall, in the county of Suffolk.

SOMERSET, DUKE OF BEAUFORT.

THE most noble HENRY SOMERSET, Duke of BEAUFORT, Marquis and Earl of Worcester, Earl of Glamorgan, Viscount Grosmont, Baron Herbert, Lord of Ragland, Chepstow and Gower, all in the county of Monmouth; as also Baron Beaufort of Caldecot-castle, L. L. D. born Oct. 16, 1744, succeeded his father Charles, the late Duke, who died Nov. 1, 1756, and married Jan. 2, 1766, Elizabeth daughter of the late Admiral Boscawen, by whom he has issue, Henry-Charles, Marquis of Worcester, born Dec. 24, 1766.—Charles-Henry, born Dec. 12, 1767.—Henry-Edward, born Dec. 23, 1768; who died young.—Narborne-Berkeley-Henry, born May 4, 1771.—Elizabeth, born Feb. 18, 1773.—Frances, born Ap. 3, 1774.—Henrietta, born July 9, 1775.—Henry-James-Montagu, born Dec. 19, 1776.—Another son born Feb. 1780.

This illustrious family derive their genealogy, by the male line, from Geoffry Plantagenet, Earl of Anjou, son of Foulk, King of Jerusalem, and grandson to Foulk Rechin, Earl of Anjou, Tourain and Maine, by Maud, the Empress his wife, daughter to Hen. I. King of England, son of William the Conqueror, 7th Duke of Normandy, in descent from Rollo the Dane, (whence it is observable that their progenitors have flourished with the titles of Kings, Dukes, Marquises, and Earls, and have not descended to a lower dignity for above these 700 years) and lineally sprung from

JOHN of Gaunt, Duke of Lancaster, King of Castile and Leon, 4th son of K. Edward III. which Duke caused all his children by Catherine Swinford, daughter of Sir Pain Roet, alias Guyen, King of Arms, and widow of Sir Otes Swinford, Knt. (afterwards his 3d wife) to be called Beaufort, from the castle of Beaufort, in Anjou, the place of their nativity. By the said Catherine Swinford, he had three sons, and a daughter Joan, 2d wife of Ralph Nevil, the first Earl of Westmoreland; of the sons, which were John, Henry and
Thomas,

Thomas, the latter was created Duke of Exeter and Earl of Dorset; the 2d was Bishop of Winchester; and

JOHN the eldest was created Earl of Somerset, 20th Rich-II. He married Margaret, sister and co-heir to Edmund Holland, Earl of Kent, and had four sons and two daughters, Joan the eldest, married to James I. King of Scotland, and Margaret, to Thomas Courtenay the 7th Earl of Devonshire. Of the sons, which were Henry, John, Edmund, and Thomas,

HENRY the eldest dying unmarried, left his inheritance to his brother

JOHN, who succeeded him in the Earldom of Somerset; and in 1443, was created Duke of Somerset. He married Margaret daughter to Sir John Beauchamp of Bletsoe in the county of Bedford, Knt. and had an only daughter of her name, who was married to Edmund Tudor Earl of Richmond, (the eldest son of Owen ap Meredith ap Tudor, and Catharine of France, Queen of England, dowager to King Henry V.) and by him was mother to King Henry VII. but dying without issue male, was succeeded by

EDMUND, his next brother, who was Earl of Mortain in Normandy, and Marquis of Dorset in England; he was afterwards created Duke of Somerset, and slain at the battle of St. Albans. He married Eleanor, 2d daughter and co-heir to Richard Beauchamp Earl of Warwick, and had four sons and five daughters; Eleanor the eldest was the 2d wife of James Butler Earl of Ormond and Wiltshire.—Joan, the 2d, was first married to the Lord Howth in Ireland, and 2dly to Sir Richard Fry, Knt.—Anne, the 3d, was married to Sir William Paston of the county of Norfolk, Knt.—Margaret, the 4th, to Humphrey Stafford Earl of Stafford, and 2dly to Sir Richard Darel, Knt. by whom she had a daughter of her name, who was married to Thomas Touchet, Lord Audley, from whom is descended the present Lord Audley.—Elizabeth the 5th daughter was married to Sir Henry Lewis, Knt. Of the sons, which were

HENRY, Edmund, John and Thomas; the eldest succeeded his father in the dukedom; but he having no lawful issue, the honour devolved upon

EDMUND, his next brother; but he dying without issue, as did John and Thomas his brothers, we shall now return to Henry the eldest, who bore the title of Earl of Mortain in his father's life-time, and was taken prisoner at the battle of Hexham in Northumberland, by John Nevil, Marquis of Montacute, and there (on April 3, 1463, the 3d of

Edward VI.) beheaded for his adherence to the house of Lancaster, leaving issue by Joan Hill, or De la Montaign, an only natural son

(1st E.) CHARLES, who assumed the surname of Somersset, and was Lord Chamberlain to King Henry VIII. and by him was created Earl of Worcester, and died in 1526. He married 1st Elizabeth, daughter and heir to William Herbert, Earl of Huntingdon, and Lord Herbert of Gower and Chepstow, by which appellation he had summons to Parliament, Nov. 26, 1508, 22d of Henry VII. His 2d wife was Elizabeth daughter to Thomas West, De La War, and his 3d was daughter to Edward Sutton, Lord Dudley, but by her he had no issue. By his 2d he had two sons, and a daughter, Mary, married to William Lord Grey of Wilton. Of the sons, which were Sir Charles and Sir George Somersset, the latter married 1st, Mary, daughter and heir to Sir Thomas Bowlays of Penhow in the county of Monmouth, Knt. and 2dly, Helena, daughter of Sir Walter Hendley of Cranbrook in Kent, Knt. who after his decease married Sir Thomas Fane of Buston in Kent, Knt. By his 1st wife, the said Charles Earl of Worcester had Henry his successor, and a daughter Elizabeth, married to Sir John Savage of Clifton, Knt. from whom descended the late Earl Rivers.

(2d E.) HENRY who succeeded, married Elizabeth daughter to Sir Anthony Brown, Knt. (by Lucy daughter and co-heir to John Nevil Marquis of Montacute) and had four sons and four daughters; Eleanor married Sir Robert Vaughan of Tretour in the county of Brecknock, Knt.—Lucy to John Nevile, Lord Latimer, whose daughter Elizabeth married Sir John Danvers of Dantsey in Wilts, Knt. whose daughter Dorothy married Sir Peter Osborn of Chicksand in the county of Bedford, Knt. father by her of Dorothy, wife of the famous Sir William Temple, Bart. and of Sir John Osborn, Bart. ancestor of the late Sir Danvers Osborn, Bart.—Anne to Thomas Percy, 7th Earl of Northumberland.—Jane to Sir Edward Mansel of Margam, in the county of Glamorgan, Knt. from whom descended Lord Mansel.—Of the sons which were William, Thomas, Francis, and Charles. Francis lost his life on Sept. 10, 1547, at Musselboroughfield against the Scots. Thomas died in the Tower, and

(3d E.) WILLIAM succeeded his father in the earldom of Worcester, &c. He married Christian, daughter to Edward the 1st Lord North; and dying on Feb. 21, 1588; by her he left Edward his heir, and two daughters; Elizabeth married to William Windsor, Esq; the 7th and youngest son of
William

William the 2d Lord Windsor, ancestor of the Earl of Plymouth; and Lucy, to Henry Herbert, son and heir to Sir Thomas Herbert of Wyneston in Monmouthshire, Knt.

(4th E.) EDWARD, who in 1588, succeeded his father, died March 3, 1627, leaving issue by Elizabeth, daughter of Francis Hastings, the 2d Earl of Huntingdon, eight sons and seven daughters. Of the daughters, Elizabeth married Sir Henry Guildford of Hemsted in Kent, Knt.—Catharine to William the 2d Lord Petre.—Anne to Sir Edward Winter of Lidney, in the county of Gloucester, Knt.—Frances to Sir William Morgan, of Lanternam, in the county of Monmouth, Esq. by whom she was mother of Sir Edward Morgan, Bart.—Mary died an infant.—Blanch married Thomas the second Lord Arundel of Wardour.—Another Catharine to Thomas the sixth Lord Windsor. And of the eight sons Edward the youngest married Bridget, daughter and heir to Sir William Whitmore, of Heighton, in the county of Chester, but died without issue.—Christopher the seventh died at about five years old.—Charles the sixth was made Knight of the Bath with his Brother Edward, and died in December, 1665, having had issue by Elizabeth, daughter and heir to Sir William Powel of Lhanpylt, in the county of Monmouth, Knt. three daughters, whereof Elizabeth married Francis Anderton of Lestock, in the county of Leiceſter, Esq. Mary died unmarried; and Frances married Sir Henry Brown, of Kidlington in the county of Oxford, Bart.—Francis the fifth died very young, as did Charles the fourth.—Thomas the third was created Viscount Somersſet, of Caſhel in Ireland, where he married Helena, relict of Thomas Butler, the tenth Earl of Ormond, and daughter of David Lord Barry, Viscount Buttevant, (by Helena his wife, daughter to David Roch, Viscount de Rupe and Fermoy in that kingdom) and by her had Elizabeth his daughter and heir, who was never married.—William Lord Herbert, the eldest son, dying in his father's life-time, unmarried,

(5th E. 1st M.) HENRY, the second son, in 1637 became heir. This noble Lord in 1641 obtained the title of Earl of Glamorgan, in South Wales, and was created Marq. of Worcester, and died in December 1646. He married Anne, 2d daughter of John Lord Russell, son of Francis second Earl of Bedford, and by her had nine sons and four daughters; of whom William the third son, Henry the fourth, Thomas the fifth, and Charles the sixth, Frederick the seventh, Francis the eighth, and James the ninth, all died very young, or unmarried; as did Elizabeth, Anne, and Mary, the three eldest

daughters; but another Elizabeth, who was the fourth and youngest daughter, married Francis Brown the third Viscount Montague. Of the two eldest sons, which were Edward and Sir John, the latter married Mary, daughter to Thomas the first Lord Arundel of Wardour, by whom he had three sons, Henry Somerset, grandfather of Edward Somerset, who died in 1711, without issue; Thomas who died 1676; and Charles, who left issue.

(2d. M.) EDWARD the eldest son succeeded his father in 1646. He married to his first wife Elizabeth, daughter to Sir William Dormer, Knt. (who died in the life-time of his father Robert Lord Dormer, of Wenge) and by her (who died on the 31st of May 1665) had one son and two daughters; and his second wife was Margaret, daughter and co-heir to Henry O'Brien, the fifth Earl of Thomond in Ireland; she died in 1681. The daughters by his first wife; Anne, married Henry Howard, the sixth Duke of Norfolk; and Elizabeth to William Herbert, Marquis of Powis; and

(1st D.) HENRY their brother, on the 3d of April, 1667, succeeded his father; and on the second of December, 1682, he was created Duke of Beaufort, and died on the 21st of January, 1699, in the 70th year of his age. He married Mary, eldest daughter of Arthur Lord Capel, sister to Arthur Earl of Essex, son of William the second Duke of Somerset, and mother by him of William the third Duke, and by her (who died on the 7th of January, 1714, in the 85th year of her age) had five sons and four daughters. Of the daughters, which were Elizabeth, Mary, Henrietta, and Anne; the latter was married to Thomas, afterwards Earl of Coventry, and had a warrant of precedence, dated Nov. 30, 1699, the 11th of William III. to take place as daughter of the Duke of Beaufort, notwithstanding her marriage.—Henrietta was first married to Henry O'Brien, eldest son by the second wife to Henry Earl of Thomond; and secondly to Henry Howard the sixth Earl of Suffolk, and died on the 10th of August, 1715.—Mary married James Butler, late Duke of Ormond, and died in November, 1733.—Elizabeth died in her infancy. Of the sons, Henry the eldest, Edward the third, and Henry the fourth, died young.—Arthur the fifth, marrying Mary, daughter and sole heir to Sir William Russel, of Langherne, in Carmarthenshire, Bart. (and widow of Hugh Calveley Cotton, of Cumbermere in Cheshire, Bart.) by her had a son Edward, born January 27, 1692, and three daughters; Mary, Elizabeth, and Anne; Mary was married

to Algernon Grevile, second son of Foulk Grevile the fifth Lord Brooke.—Arthur died in July, 1743.

CHARLES, Marquis of Worcester, the second son leaping out of his coach, to avoid the danger he was in from the unruliness of his horses, running down a steep hill, broke his thigh-bone, of which he died three days after, viz. on the 13th of July, 1698, in the 38th year of his age, in his father's life-time. This noble Lord married Rebecca, sister to Richard Earl Tilney, and by her (who was afterwards married to John Lord Granville, second son to John Earl of Bath, and died on the 27th of July, 1712, aged 44) had three sons and three daughters. The daughters, were Mary, Elizabeth, both of whom died young; and Henrietta, married to Charles Fitzroy, Duke of Grafton, and died on the 9th August, 1726. The sons were

(2d D.) HENRY, Charles and John; the latter died on the 31st of December, 1704; the second on his travels at Rome, March 4, 1710, aged twenty-one; and the eldest, who was born on the 2d of April, 1684, on the 21st of January, 1699, succeeded his grandfather in the Dukedom. He married in (1702) Mary, sister to Lionel Duke of Dorset, but she dying in childbed on the 18th of June, 1705, and leaving no issue, he on the 26th of February, 1706, married to his second wife Rachel, second daughter and co-heir to Wriothesly Baptist Earl of Gainsborough, and by her he had three sons, Henry late Duke, born March 26th, 1707.—John, who died young.—Charles Noel, born September 12, 1709, of which birth she died the next day; and to his third wife the said Duke married Mary, daughter to Peregrine Duke of Leeds, but by her (who married secondly John Cochran, Earl of Dundonald,) had no issue: and dying on the 24th of May, 1714, was succeeded by

(3d D.) HENRY his eldest son; who on the 28th of June, 1729, married Frances, only child and heir to Sir Ja. Scudamore of Home-Lacy, in the county of Hertford, Bart. Viscount Scudamore in Ireland, by Frances his wife, only daughter of Simon Lord Digby, by whom he had no issue. In 1730, an act was passed in parliament for permitting his Grace and his Dukes, and her children, to take the additional surname, and bear the arms of Scudamore, pursuant to a settlement made by her Grace's father.—He was divorced from this lady March 2, 1744, (who married 2dly, Hon. Charles Fitzroy, by whom, who died 1782, she had a daughter Frances, married to the present Earl of Surry, son of

the Duke of Norfolk, and dying February 24, 1745-6, leaving no issue, was succeeded by

(4th D.) CHARLES-NOEL his brother, who May 1, 1740, married Elizabeth Berkeley, daughter to the Viscountess dowager Hereford, by John Berkeley, of Stoke Gifford in Gloucestershire, Esq. now Baroness Bottetourt, being only sister and heir to Norbonne Berkeley, Baron Bottetourt, who died in 1776, (See Baroness *Bottetout*,) by whom he had issue, Anne, born March 11, 1740-41, and married, Sept. 10, 1759, to Charles the late Earl of Northampton, and died at Naples in June, 1763, leaving issue.—Elizabeth born in 1742, and died May 10, 1760.—Henry the present Duke.—Rachel, born in 1746, who died in her infancy.—Henrietta, born in 1748; married, April 11, 1769, Sir Watkin William Wynne, Bart. of Wynnistay, and died July 24, following.—Mary Isabella, born August 1, 1756, and married Dec. 26, 1775, to the present Duke of Rutland. His Grace died Oct. 28, 1756, and was succeeded by his son,

(5th D.) HENRY, present Duke of Beaufort.

CREATIONS.] Baron Jure Uxoris, and by letters patent, Nov. 26, 1506, (22 Henry VII.) originally by descent and writ of summons to parliament, July 26, 1461, 1 Edward IV. Earl, Feb. 2, 1514, 5 Henry VIII. Marquis, Nov. 2, 1642, 18 Car. I, and Duke of Beaufort, Dec. 2, 1682, 34 Car. II.

ARMS.] Quarterly, the arms of France and England, within a bordure-compone, *argent* and *azure*. [Plate I.]

CREST.] A portcullis, *or*, nailed, *azure*; chains of the *first*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a panther, *argent*, spotted with various colours, fire issuing out of his mouth and ears, *proper*, gorged with a collar, and chain pendant, *or*. On the sinister, a wyverne, *vert*, holding in his mouth a sinister-hand coupé at the wrist, *proper*.

MOTTO.] *Mutare vel timere sperno*. I scorn to change or to fear.

CHIEF SEATS] At Badminton in Gloucestershire; Chepstow-castle in Monmouthshire, and Netherhaven in Wilts.

BEAUCLERK, DUKE OF ST. ALBANS.

THE most noble GEORGE BEAUCLERK, Duke of St. ALBANS, Earl of Burford, and Baron of Hedington, was born June 25, 1730. He succeeded his father Charles the late Duke, on his decease July 27, 1751. He married, Oct. 23, 1752, Jane, sole daughter and heiress of Sir Walter Roberts, of Glassenbury in Kent, Bart. who died without issue, Dec. 16, 1778.

The first of this noble family was

(1st D.) CHARLES BEAUCLERK, eldest natural son of K. Charles II. by Mrs. Eleanor Gwin, born May 8, 1670. On the 17th of April, 1694, he married Diana Vere, eldest daughter and co-heir of Aubrey de Vere, the last Earl of Oxford, and by her, who died in Jan. 1742, had nine sons; and three daughters, who died unmarried.

(2d. D.) I. CHARLES, the late Duke was born on the 6th of April, 1696; on the 11th of May, 1726, he succeeded his father; and the 13th of Dec. 1722, married Lucy, daughter to Sir John Werdon of Hollyport, in Berks, Bart. and by her who died on the 2d of Nov. 1752, had issue one son and one daughter, Diana, born Oct. 20, 1725, married Feb. 2, 1761, to the Hon. and Rev. Shute Barrington, present Bishop of Salisbury, and died in 1766; and George born June 25, 1730, now Duke.—William, born May 22, 1698; who in 1722, married Charlotte, daughter and co-heir of Sir John Werden, Bart. by whom, who died June, 1745, he had issue, 1. William, who died at Eaton-school. 2. Charles, a colonel in the army, who married Miss Elizabeth Jones, by which lady, who died Dec. 5, 1768, he had issue a son George, born Dec. 5, 1758; and the Colonel died in 1775. 3. Charlotte, married to John Drummond, Esq; Banker at Charing-Cross, and has issue. 4. Caroline, married the late Gen. Draper.—Vere, born July 14, 1699, late Lord Vere of Hanworth.—Henry, born Aug. 11, 1701, married in Dec. 1738, Maria, sister and heiress of Nevil Lord Lovelace, by whom he had issue, a son Henry, (who married Jan. 1770, Miss Drummond, which Lady died March, 1774, leaving issue;) and six daughters. He died in 1761.—Sidney, born Feb. 27, 1703; married Dec. 9, 1736, Mary daughter of Thomas Norris of Speak, in the county of Lancaster, Esq; and died Nov. 23, 1744, leaving issue, one son, the late Topham Beauclerk, born in 1749, who mar-

ried in 1767, to Diana, sister of the Duke of Marlborough, and died in 1780, without issue.—George born Dec. 26, 1704, lieutenant-general of his Majesty's forces, married Miss Margaret Bainbridge, and died in 1768, without issue.—Seymour, born 1708, died an infant.—James, present bishop of Hereford, unmarried.—Aubrey, born in 1711, killed at Carthage, in 1740, having married a daughter of Sir Henry Newton, Knt. and widow of Col. Alexander; which Lady died Oct. 30, 1755. His Grace deceasing July 27, 1751, was succeeded by his son,

(3d D.) GEORGE, now Duke of St. Albans.

CREATIONS.] Baron Heddington of Heddington, and Earl of Burford, both in the county of Oxford, Dec. 27, 1676. 28 Car. II. and Duke of St. Albans in the county of Hertford, Jan. 10, 1684. 35 Car. II.

ARMS.] The arms of King Charles II. with a baton sinister, *gules*, charged with three Roses, *argent*, seeded and barbed, *proper*. (Plate II.)

CREST.] On a chapeau, *gules*, turned up *ermine*, a lion passant-guardant, *or*, crowned with a ducal coronet party per pale, *argent* and *gules*, and gorged with a collar, *gules*, charged with three roses, *argento*, seeded and barbed. *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, an antelope, *argent*, armed and unguled, *or*. On the sinister, a greyhound, *argent*, gorged and unguled, as the other.

MOTTO.] *Auspicium melioris Ævi*. A Pledge of better Times.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Windsor in Berkshire; and at Crawley in Hampshire.

POWLETT, DUKE OF BOLTON.

THE most noble HARRY POWLETT, Duke of BOLTON, Marquis of Winchester, Earl of Wiltshire, Baron St. John of Basing, premier Marquis of England, born Nov. 6, 1713, succeeded his brother, Charles, the late Duke, July 5, 1765. He married Miss Nunn, of Eltham in Kent, who died in May 1764, leaving a daughter, Mary, married to John Viscount Hinchinbroke, who died March 31, 1779. He married secondly, April 8th, 1765, Catherine, sister to Sir James Lowther, Bart. by whom he has two daughters, Catherine and Amelia.

Of this ancient family, which originally took its surname from the Lordship of Powlett, in the county of Somerset, was Sir John Powlett, Knt. who died in the reign of King Richard II. having issue by Elizabeth, daughter and heir to William Credi, of Credi in the county of Devon, Esq; two sons, Sir Thomas Powlett, Knt. from whom is descended the present Earl POWLETT; and WILLIAM the Progenitor of this family; and a daughter Dionisia married to John Popham, Esq. This William married Eleanor, sister and heir to Sir Elias Delamere of Noney-Castle in the county of Somerset, and of Fisherton Delamere in the county of Wilts, Knt. and by her had a son Sir John, who married Constance, daughter to Hugh Poynings, grand-daughter and co-heir to Thomas Poynings, Lord St. John of Basing, and was father of another John, who succeeded him. He married Eleanor, daughter and co-heir to Robert Rofs, of Gedney in the county of Lincoln, Esq; and had a daughter Margaret, married to Sir Amias Powlett of Hinton St. George; and a son, Sir John Powlett, Knt. who marrying Elizabeth, daughter to Sir William Powlett of Hinton St. George, had issue, William.—Sir George, who married a daughter of William Lord Windsor, by whom he had a daughter married to Walter Lambart, Esq; and one son William, whose daughter and heir Elizabeth married Oliver St. John of Bletfoe, who was created Earl of Bolingbroke.—Richard, who married Elizabeth, only daughter and heir of Peter Cowdrey of Herriad in Hants, Esq; whose grandson Sir Richard, married Anne, daughter of Sir Henry Wallop, Knt. and left two daughters, of which Lucia married Sir Thomas Jervois of Chilmarsh, Salop. Sir John married 2dly, Barbara, daughter of Sir John Hampden Powlett, whose only daughter and heir Elizabeth, married Francis Dowse of Collingbourne, in Wilts, Esq.

(1st Ld. and E. and Marq.) WILLIAM, eldest son and heir of Sir John, was by K. Henry III. created Lord St. John of Basing. He accompanied that King at the taking of Bologne, and was one of the King's executors, and one of the council to K. Edward VI. In the 3d of Edward VI. created Earl of Wiltshire; in the 4th, made Lord High Treasurer of England; and in the 5th, created Marquis of Winchester. He built the beautiful and magnificent seat called Basing in the county of Southampton, and living to see one hundred and three persons of the issue of his own body, died in 1572, in the 97th year of his age. By his 2d wife Winifride, daughter to Sir John Bridges, Knt. Lord Mayor

Mayor of London, and widow of Sir Richard Sackville, Knt. he had no issue, but by his first wife Elizabeth, daughter to Sir William Capel, Knt. he had four sons and four daughters, of which Alice married Richard Stawell, Esq.—Margaret to Sir William Berkeley, Knt.—Margery to Richard Waller, Esq.—Eleanor to Sir Richard Peckfall, Knt. And the sons were first John, Lord St. John.—Thomas who married the daughter and co-heir to Thomas Moor, of of Melpash in the county of Dorset, Esq.—Chidieok of Wade in the county of Southampton, Governor of Portsmouth, married 1st Anne, daughter of Sir Thomas White of South-Warnebourne, Hants, and had issue William Powlett of Wade, Esq; who married Dowfabel, daughter of James Paget, Esq; 2dly a daughter of Edmund Knevit of the county of Essex, Esq; and had issue Thomas Powlett of that county, Esq;—Giles, was ancestor to Bernard Powlett, Esq; whose daughter and heir, Elizabeth, married Thomas Holbeck, of Filongly, in the county of Warwick, Esq; and their daughter and heir, Mary, married Edward Lord Leigh.

(2d M.) JOHN, who during his father's life-time, was summoned to parliament as Lord St. John, succeeded his father. He married Elizabeth, daughter and co-heir to Robert Willoughby, Lord Brook, and had four sons and two daughters; Mary married to Henry Lord Cromwell, Baron of Oakham, by whom she had a daughter Catherine, married Sir Lionel Tollemache, Bart. ancestor, to the Earl of Dyfert; and Elizabeth, first to Sir William Courtenay, Knt. and afterwards to Sir Henry Ouchtred, Knt. Of the sons, which were

(3d M.) WILLIAM, Sir George, Richard, and Thomas, the eldest, who in his father's life-time was summoned to parliament by the title of Lord St. John of Basing, on November 4, 1572, succeeded him in the title of Marquis of Winchester, &c. and having married Agnes, daughter to William Lord Howard of Effingham, by her had William his heir; and two daughters; Anne married to Sir Thomas Dennis, Knt. and Catherine to Sir Giles Wroughton, Knt.

(4th M.) WILLIAM, who on Nov. 24, 1598, succeeded his father, married Lucy, daughter to Thomas Earl of Exeter, and had six sons, William, who married Mary, daughter to Antony Brown, the 2d Viscount Montagu, but died in his father's life-time without issue; and she married 2dly, William Arundel, Esq; 2d son of Thomas Lord Arundel of Wardour.—Thomas the 2d son died unmarried.—Charles and Edward, left no issue.—Henry, the 4th had issue, Francis, who married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Richard Norton,

Norton, and heir of Sir John Norton, Bart. and had issue, Norton Powlett, of Rotherfield, Hants, Esq; who by Jane, daughter of Sir Charles Morley of Droxford, Hants, had issue eight sons and three daughters.

(5th M.) JOHN, the 3d son on the 4th of February, 1628, succeeded his father as Marquis of Winchester. In the wars between K. Charles I. and the Parliament, he made a garrison for his Majesty of his fine seat of Basing; but it being taken and above 400 persons with himself in it, it was burnt to the ground; he called the house Love-loyalty, which name he caused to be written with a diamond in every window. He died on the 5th of March, 1674, having married three wives; 1st Jane, daughter to Thomas Visc. Savage, and by her had Charles his successor; his 2d wife was Honora, only daughter to Richard Bourk, Earl of Clanrickard in Ireland, and Earl of St. Albans in England, by Frances, daughter and heir of Francis Walsingham, Knt. and widow first of Sir Philip Sidney, and 2dly of Sir Robert Devereux Earl of Essex; and by her had four sons, of which only two lived to maturity, viz. John, who died unmarried; and Francis who left an only daughter and heir, married to the Rev. Mr. Nathan Wright of Englefield, Berks, son of the Lord Keeper; and three daughters, of which Frances married Lewis de Ricardie; Anne to John Lord Belassise of Worlaby; and Honora died unmarried. To his 3d wife he married Isabella, daughter to William Howard, Viscount Stafford, but by her had no issue; so that now we return to

(1st D.) CHARLES his eldest son and heir, by his first wife, who was created Duke of Bolton, March 9, 1689, 1st W. and M. and died on Feb. 26, 1699. He married Christiana, eldest daughter to John Frecheville, of Stavely, in the county of Derby, Esq; afterwards created Lord Frecheville, by whom he had an only son John, who died in his infancy; but by his 2d wife Mary, one of the natural daughters of Emanuel Scroop, Earl of Sunderland, and Lord Scroop of Bolton, and widow of Henry, 2d son of Henry Cary Earl of Monmouth, he had two sons, Charles Marquis of Winchester, who succeeded him; William; and three daughters; of which, Jane, married John Egerton, Earl of Bridgwater.—Mary died unmarried.—Elizabeth married Toby Jenkins, of Grimston in the county of York, Esq. Of the sons, William the youngest, died on the 25th of September, 1729, in the 63d year of his age. He married 1st the Lady Louise Armelius de Caumont de la Force, only daughter to the Marquis of Monpouillon in Holland, who was a younger
son

son to the Duke de la Force in France, and by her had two sons and two daughters; and by his 2d wife Anne, daughter and co-heir to Randolph Egerton, of Beteley in the county of Stafford, Esq; who died in Nov. 1737, he had a daughter Henrietta, who married William, 3d son to Charles late Visc. Townshend: and of the daughters by the 1st wife, which were Mary and Jane; the eldest married Richard Parsons, Earl of Ross, in Ireland. And of the sons, which were William and Sir Charles-Armand; the latter, was on the 26th of June, 1749, installed a Knt. of the Bath. He married in June, 1738, the widow of William Dashwood of Northbrooke Oxfordshire, Esq; and died Nov. 14th 1751. William, his eldest brother, having married Anabella Bennet, daughter of Charles the 1st Earl of Tankerville, by whom he had a son William, born on the 9th of November, 1729, and a daughter Anabella. Having done with this branch we return to

(2d D.) CHARLES, Marquis of Winchester, who in 1699 succeeded his father; and died on the 21st of January, 1722, having had issue as follows: by his first wife, Margaret only daughter to George the 3d Lord Coventry, whom he married July the 7th, 1679, he had no issue; but by his 2d, Frances, daughter of William Ramsden, of Byrom in the county of York, Esq; grandfather of Sir William Ramsden, Bart. he had two sons and two daughters; and in 1697, marrying at Dublin to his 3d wife, Henrietta Crofts, daughter to James Scot, Duke of Monmouth, by Eleanor, youngest daughter to Sir Robert Needham of Lambeth in Surry, Knt. by her (who died on the 27th of February, 1730 he had a son Nassau, born June 23d 1698, who in Dec. 1731, married Isabella Tufton, youngest daughter and co-heir of the late Earl of Thanet, by whom he had several children, of whom one only lived to maturity, Isabella who is married to the Earl of Egmont. Nassau Powlett died August 24th, 1741, and his Lady married Sir Francis Blake Delaval. Of the daughters of Charles, Duke of Bolton, by his 2d wife; Mary married 1st Charles O'Neal of Ireland, Esq; 2dly Capel Moore, Esq; 7th son of Henry the 1st Earl of Drogheda; and Frances to John Mordaunt, by whom she had the present Earl of Peterborough. And of the sons

(3d D.) CHARLES, Marquis of Winchester, was called up by writ to the House of Peers, as Lord St. John of Basing, and succeeded his father as Duke in 1721. In 1713, his Grace married Anne, daughter and sole heir to John Vaughan, Earl of Carberry in Ireland; also Baron of Emlyn

in the county of Carmarthen, by his 2d wife Anne, daughter of George Marquis of Halifax, by Dorothy Spencer, daughter of Henry the first Earl of Sunderland, but not cohabiting with her, had no issue by her. Her Grace died Sept. 20th 1751, and he soon after married Mrs. Lavinia Fenton, who died Jan. 17th, 1760, by whom he had no legitimate issue; and his Grace dying on the 26th of Aug. 1754, was succeeded by his brother.

(4th D.) HARRY, who married Catherine, daughter of Charles Parry of Oakfield in Berkshire, Esq; by whom he had issue, Charles the late Duke.—Harry, the present Duke.—Henrietta, married July 12th, 1741, to Robert Colebrooke of Chilham Castle in Kent, Esq; and is deceased.—Catharine married June 4th, 1749, to William Ashe of Heytesbury in Wilts, Esq; who dying July 11th, 1750, she married 2dly in Feb. 1755, Adam Drummond, Esq; and deceased in 1775.

(5th D.) CHARLES, Duke of Bolton, succeeded his father October 19th, 1759, but died without issue July 5th 1765, whereupon the honours devolved on his brother

(6th D.) HARRY, now Duke of Bolton.

CREATIONS.] Baron St. John of Basing in the county of Southampton, March 9th 1538, 30 Henry VIII. Earl of the county of Wilts, Jan. 19, 1549, 3 Edward VI. Marquis of Winchester in the county of Southampton, October 12, 1551, 5 Edw. VI. and Duke of Bolton in the county of York, April 8, 1689, the 1st of William and Mary,

ARMS.] *Sable*, three swords in pile, their points towards the base, *argent*, the pomels and hilts *or*. (Plate II.)

CREST.] On a wreath a mount, *vert*, from whence a falcon, rising, *or*, gorged with a ducal coronet, *gules*, the crest of Lord St. John of Basing, as descendant of an heir female of that family.

SUPPORTERS.] Two hinds, *purpure*, semi of estoils, *argent*, gorged with a ducal coronet, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Aymez loyaulté*. Love Loyalty.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Hackwood-park, and Abbotstone, in Hampshire; Bolton hall in Yorkshire; at Hook-park in the county of Dorset; at Edington in Wiltshire; and Eling in Middlesex.

OSBORNE, DUKE OF LEEDS.

THE most noble THOMAS OSBORNE, Duke of LEEDS, Marquis of Caermarthen, Earl of Danby, Viscount Latimer and Dumblaine, Baron Osborne of Kiveton, Knight of the Garter, born Nov. 6th, 1713; succeeded his father the late Duke Peregrine, May 9th 1731; and, on June 6th, 1740, married Mary, youngest daughter of Francis Earl of Godolphin, and by her, who died August 3d, 1764, had issue, Thomas, Marquis of Caermarthen, who died August 15th, 1761.—Francis Godolphin, now Marquis of Caermarthen, born Jan. 29th, 1751; who married in July 31, 1773, Amelia D'Arcy, only surviving child of the late Earl of Holderness; by whom he has issue George-William-Frederick, born July 25, 1775. Francis Godolphin, born Oct. 11, 1777; and Mary Henrietta born Sept. 7, 1776. His Lordship's marriage was dissolved by act of parliament, in May 1779, when her Ladyship soon after married Mr. Byron. The Marquis was summoned to Parliament, in May, 1776, by the title of Baron *Osborne* of Kiveton.

This family, which is of great antiquity, was for some time seated at Ashford in Kent, of which John Osborne, Esq; who in the 12th of Henry VI. was returned in the list of the gentry of the said county, as also afterwards was Richard Ostorne; who married Jane, sister and heir to Everard Broughton of the county of Westmorland, Esq; and by her had Sir Edward Osborne, Knt. who in the 25th of Eliz. was Lord Mayor of London. He married Anne, daughter and heir to Sir William Hewet, also Lord Mayor of London in that reign, and by her had Sir Hewet Osborne, who married Joice, daughter of Thomas Fleetwood, Esq; Master of the Mint, and by her, who afterwards married Sir Peter Fretchville, had issue Alice, married to Christopher Wandesford, Esq; by whom she had Christopher, who was created Visc. Castlecomer in Ireland, and a son Edward, who succeeded him, and in 1620 was created a Baronet. He married 1st Margaret eldest daughter of Thomas, Visc. Fauconberg, by whom he had a son Edward, who died in his infancy; 2dly, Anne, daughter to Thomas Walmsley, Esq; (by Eleanor his wife, daughter to John Danvers of Dantzey in Wilts, by Elizabeth his wife, youngest daughter of John Nevil

Nevil, Lord Latimer, and co-heir to her brother John Nevil Lord Latimer) by her had

(1st D.) THOMAS, his successor who adhering to the royal interest, in order to the restoration of K. Charles II. was by that King made Treasurer of the Navy, one of the Privy-Council, Lord High Treasurer of England, Visc. Dumblaine, Baron of Kiveton, Visc. Latimer, Earl of Danby, and Knt. of the Garter. He was also in favour with the Prince of Orange, who upon his accession created him a Marquis and Duke. He married Bridget, 2d daughter by the first wife of Montague Bertie Earl of Lindsey, and by her had three sons and six daughters, and died July 26th 1712; in the 81st year of his age. Of the daughters, Elizabeth died unmarried.—Anne the 2d, was first married to Robert Coke of Holkham in Norfolk, Esq; ancestor to the Earl of Leicester; and 2dly, to Horatio Walpole, Esq; uncle to Robert the first Earl of Oxford, of that family; and died on the 5th of Aug. 1722, aged 64.—Bridget the 3d, married first Charles Fitz Charles, Earl of Plymouth, natural son of K. Charles II. by Mrs. Catherine Peg, daughter of Thomas Peg, of Yeldersley, in the county of Derby, Esq; but by him, who died on the 17th of October, 1680, at Tangier, she had no issue; and 2dly, to Doctor Philip Bisse, Bishop of Hereford.—Catherine, to James Herbert of Kingsley, Bucks, Esq; son and heir to James, a younger son to Philip Earl of Pembroke.—Martha, to Charles, son and heir to John Earl of Bath.—And Sophia, the youngest, first to Donatas, Lord Ibrican, grandson and heir apparent to Henry Earl of Thomond; and afterwards to William Lord Lempster, by whom she was mother of the late Earl of Pomfret. And of the sons, which were Edward, Thomas, and Peregrine; the 2d died an infant, and the eldest, who was stiled Lord Latimer, married Elizabeth, eldest daughter and co-heir to Simon Bennet, of Bechampton, in the county of Bucks, Esq; a branch of the Earl of Tankerville's family, and by her had two sons; but they dying young,

(2d D.) PEREGRINE his brother, became heir. In his father's life-time, he was created Visc. Dumblaine, in Scotland, on the surrender of his father's patent; and on the 14th of March, 1690, was summoned to parliament, by the title of Lord Osborne of Kiveton; and died June 25th 1729, in the 71st year of his age. He married Bridget, only daughter and heir to Sir Thomas Hyde, of North Mims in the county of Hertford, Knt. (who survived him, and died March 8th, 1734) by whom he had two sons and two daughters, whereof

whereof Bridget married the Rev. Mr. Williams, prebendary of Chichester, and died in Feb. 1755; and Mary was first married to Henry Somerset, Duke of Beaufort; and 2dly, to William Cochran, the 4th Earl of Dundonald in Scotland. Of the sons, William-Henry, the eldest, who was born in July, 1691, died of the small-pox at Utrecht, the 9th Aug. 1711, aged 21; and

(3d D.) PEREGRINE-HYDE, the youngest, born Nov. 11, 1691, who Jan. 31, 1713, was summoned to parliament as Lord Osborne of Kiveton, succeeded his father. He married 1st Elizabeth Harley, daughter to Robert Earl of Oxford, and by her, who died Nov. 20th, 1713, aged 28, he had a son Thomas, Marquis of Caermarthen, now Duke, of whom she died in child-bed. By his 2d wife, Anne, (who died Nov. 27th, 1722,) 3d daughter to Charles Duke of Somerset, he had a son who died young; and in April 1725, he married to his 3d wife, Juliana, daughter to Roger Hele, of Halewell in the county of Devon, Esq; but by her had no issue; she surviving him married Charles Earl of Portmore. His Grace dying on the 9th of May, 1731, was succeeded by his only son

(4th D.) THOMAS, now Duke of Leeds.

CREATIONS.] Baronet July 13, 1620. 1 James I. Visc. Dumblaine in Scotland, July 19, 1673, 25 Car. II. Baron Osborne of Kiveton in the county of York, and Visc. Latimer, Aug. 15, 1673; Earl of Danby in the county of York, June 27, 1674; Marquis of Caermarthen in the principality of Wales, April 20, 1689; and Duke of Leeds in the county of York, May 4, 1694, the 6th of William and Mary.

ARMS.] Quarterly, *ermine*, and *azure*, a cross, *or*. [Plate. II]

CREST.] On a wreath, a tyger passant, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a griffon, *or*, on the finister, a tyger, *argent*, each gorged with a ducal coronet, *azure*.

MOTTO.] *Pax in bello*. Peace in War.

CHIEF SEATS.] At North-Myms in Hertfordshire; at Kiveton, Hart-hall, and Thorp-hall, and Walter-hall, all in the county of York.

RUSSEL, DUKE OF BEDFORD.

THE most noble Prince FRANCIS RUSSEL, Duke of BEDEORD, Marquis of Tavistock, Earl of Bedford, Baron Russel of Cheney-Thornhaugh, and Baron Howland, was born July 22, 1765, and succeeded his grandfather January 14, 1771.

This ancient family have been of long standing in the county of Dorset, where they were possessed of some lordships for many ages past.

JOHN RUSSEL was constable of Corfe-castle, the 5th Hen. III. and had issue,

RALPH his heir, whose wife was Isabel, daughter and coheir to James de Newmarch, one of the Barons of that age, and a descendant of Bernard de Newmarch, one of the Conqueror's followers into England. The son and successor of this Ralph was

WILLIAM RUSSEL, who in 1284, the 12th of Edward I. obtained a charter for a market every Thursday in the year, and a fair, on the eve, day and morrow of St. Matthew, at his manor of Kingston, commonly called Kingston-Russel, in the county of Dorset, which lordship is enjoyed to this day by the chief branch of this family; the same having been held by Serjeantry, viz. to be cup-bearer to the King, at the four principal feasts in the year. He married Jane daughter to Robert Peveral, and had issue

THEOBALD his heir; who married 1st Eleanor, daughter and coheir of Ralph de Gorges, a Baron in Parliament in the reign of K. Edward II. by whom he had issue, Theobald, who took the name of Gorges, from whom the family of Gorges, now existing in the county of Hereford descended.—Sir Ralph, whose sons Theobald and John, died unmarried.—Maurice, who had issue Sir William Russel, Knt. who died unmarried; and two daughters, Isabel wife of Stephen Hatfield; and Margaret, wife of Gilbert Dennys, who were heirs to Margery daughter and heir of Sir William their brother. We now return to the issue of Theobald Russel by his 2d wife Eleanor, daughter and heir, of John de la Tower, by whom he had William his heir, who married the daughter and heir of Mustian, and had issue Henry, whose son John, by Elizabeth daughter and heir of John Heringham, Esq; had issue Sir John Russel, Knt. speaker of the House of Commons in the 2d and 10th Henry VI.

who by Alice daughter of ——— Preuxmere, had issue James his heir; Thomas, and two daughters; Alice married to ——— Trenchard, Esq; father of Sir Thomas Trenchard, Knt. and Christian to Walter Cheverell, Esq. James the eldest had by Joan his wife, two daughters, Elizabeth married to Nicholas Boremont, Esq; and Thomasin married to Robert Hufley of Shapwick, in the county of Dorset, Esq; and

(1st E.) JOHN his heir, who was born at Kingston-Ruffel aforesaid, resided at Berwick, about four miles from Bridport in the said county of Dorset, and being a gentleman of excellent accomplishments, became the foundation of that honour, which afterwards accrued to this noble family. In 1498, Philip Archduke of Austria, only son of the Emperor Maximilian, being bound for Spain, having married the heiress of that kingdom, Joan daughter of Ferdinand and Isabel, King and Queen of Castile and Arragon, and meeting with a violent storm in his passage from Flanders, he was obliged to put on shore at Weymouth; whereupon Sir Thomas Trenchard, who lived near that port, accommodated him in the best manner he could, till such time as he had sent to court to acquaint K. Henry VII. with his arrival; and inviting Mr. Ruffel, who was his neighbour and relation, to wait upon him at his house, the Archduke was so taken with his conversation, that he desired he might enjoy his company at court, then at Windsor, whither the King had invited that Prince to come: and Mr. Ruffel being recommended to the King by the Archduke, as a gentleman fitly qualified to serve him in some considerable station, he was thereupon taken into great favour. In the 15th of Henry VIII. he was made knight marshal; and afterwards employed in several negociations to the Emperor Charles V. the French King, Pope, and Duke of Lorrain; the 29th Henry VIII. he was made one of the Privy Council; and on the 9th of March the same year was created a Baron of this realm, and that he might the better support the honour conferred upon him, that Prince took the first opportunity to augment his fortune, and in 31st of his reign, upon the dissolution of the monasteries made a grant to him, and Anne his wife, and the heirs of their bodies, of the whole scite and circuit of the rich abbey of Tavestoke in the county of Devon, also of the borough and town of Tavestoke, and of the manors of Hundewike, Morewell, and Morewelham, Milton-Abbot, alias Melton-legh, Lamerton, Hole, Brenton, Wyke-Dabernon, Peterfayye, Ottrow alias Otterye, Whitchurch and Newton; with the hundred of Hurdewyke, otherwise called the hundred of Tavestoke;

Tavestoke; as also the rectory and vicarage of Tavestoke. He had likewise divers other lands given him in the counties of Devon, Somerset and Bucks. He was on the 19th of Jan. 3d Edward VI. created Earl of Bedford; and dying the 14th of March, 1555, was buried at Cheney's in Bucks; an estate his lordship had in right of his lady Anne, daughter and sole heir to Sir Guy Sapcot, Knt. widow of Sir John Broughton of Tuddington in the county of Bedford, Knt. which lady surviving the Earl, bequeathed her manor of Thornhaugh to her grandson Edward Lord Russell, and the heirs male of his body, from whom the present Duke is descended. John Earl of Bedford was succeeded by his 2d but eldest surviving son,

(2d E.) FRANCIS, who, at the coronation of K. Edward VI. was made Knt. of the Bath; in 1549, he was chosen Knt. of the shire for the county of Northumberland, being the first instance of a peer's Eldest son sitting in the House of Commons; and died 1584. This Earl founded a school at Woburn, and by his will gave 20l. per ann. for the maintenance of two poor students of divinity in University College Oxford, called the Earl of Bedford's scholars, to be nominated and appointed by his heirs for ever. By his 2d wife Bridget, daughter to John Lord Hussy, (widow 1st of Sir Richard Morrison, and 2dly of Henry Manners Earl of Rutland,) he had no issue; but by his first, who was Margaret, sister to Oliver the first Lord St. John of Bletfoe, he had four sons, Edward, John, Francis and William; and three daughters, Anne married to Ambrose Dudley, Earl of Warrick.—Elizabeth to William Bouchier Earl of Bath.—Margaret to George Clifford, the 3d Earl of Cumberland, by whom she had a daughter named Anne, who was married 1st to Richard Sackville, the 3d Earl of Dorset, and 2dly to Philip Earl of Pembroke. Of the sons, Edward died without issue, having married Jane Sibilla, daughter of Sir Richard Morrison, and was summoned to Parliament in the life-time of his father.—John the 2d son married Elizabeth, daughter to Sir Anthony Cook of Giddy Hall, in Essex, Knt. widow of Sir Thomas Hobby, of Bisham in Berkshire, Knt. by whom he had two daughters, Elizabeth, who died unmarried, and Anne married to Henry Somerset, who was created Marquis of Worcester; and her father died 1484, in his father's life-time, as did Francis his infant son.—Francis, 3d son, was also summoned to Parliament, 7 Edward VI. in the life-time of his father, and married Julian, daughter to Sir John Foster, Knt. by whom he had a son Edward: but the said Francis, being slain on a day of truce, by the Scots on the borders,

June 27, 1585, and his father dying the day following, the said

(3d E.) EDWARD, succeeded his grandfather. He married Lucy, eldest sister and co-heir to John Lord Harrington of Exton; but dying on the 3d of May, 1627, without issue, we return to Sir William Ruffel, Knt. the 4th and youngest son of Francis the 2d Earl, who was created Lord Ruffel of Thornhaugh, and having married Elizabeth, daughter and heir of Henry, son and heir of Sir Richard Long, of Shenegy in the county of Cambridge, Knt. left

(4th E.) FRANCIS his heir, who succeeding Edward his cousin, he in 1630 became the principal undertaker in that great and chargeable work of draining the fens, called the Great Level, and since Bedford Level, which extend into the counties of Northampton, Cambridge, Huntingdon, Norfolk and Lincoln. He married Catharine, youngest daughter and co-heir to Giles Bridges, Lord Chandos, and had four sons, and as many daughters; whereof, Catharine was married to Robert Greville the 2d Lord Brook.—Anne, to George Digby Earl of Bristol.—Margaret, 1st to James Hay, Earl of Carlisle, and 2dly to Edward Earl of Manchester.—Diana, to Francis, the 1st Earl of Bradford. Of the sons, which were William, Francis, John and Edward, the latter marrying Penelope, daughter to Sir Moses Hill of Hillsborough, in the kingdom of Ireland, ancestor of the Earl of that title, widow of Sir William Brooke, Knt. of the Bath, by her had a son Edward, and a daughter Letitia, who married to Thomas Cheek of Pergo in Essex, Esq; and by him had a daughter, Anne, who was their heir; and being married to Sir Thomas Tipping, of Wheatfield in the county of Oxford, Bart. and dying Jan. 21, 1728, left two daughters, Catharine married to Thomas Lord Archer, and Letitia to Samuel Lord Sandys; and the said Edward, son of Edward and Penelope Hill, went over to the Prince of Orange, in Holland, with whom he returned the same year; and upon that Prince's advancement to the throne, was made one of his Privy Council. In 1691, he was Admiral of the blue squadron, and afterwards was advanced to the command of the whole navy, and made treasurer of the same; and was on the 7th of May, 1697, created Baron Shingey in the county of Cambridge, Visc. Barfleur in the duchy of Normandy, and Earl of Orford in the county of Suffolk. He married Margaret, youngest daughter to William the first Duke of Bedford, but having no issue, and dying on Nov. 26, 1727, in the 75th year of his age,

age, left his fine house in Covent Garden, to Lord Archer, and his fine seat at Chipenham in Cambridgeshire, to the lady Tipping his neice.—John his brother, 3d son of the Earl, was a colonel in the civil wars for K. Charles I. and after the Restoration was made colonel of the first regiment of foot guards, and died unmarried; as did Francis, the 2d son, but

(1st D.) WILLIAM the eldest, on the 9th of May, 1641, succeeded his father, and was the 5th Earl. On the 11th of May, 1694, he was created Marquis of Tavistock, and Duke of Bedford; and in the year 1695, having settled all things in reference to his grandson's marrying Mrs. Elizabeth Howland, a great fortune, it was thought proper for the honour of that alliance, to create him Baron Howland of Stretham in Surry, on the 13th of June in the same year, and he died on Sept. 7, 1700. He married Anne, daughter to Robert Carr, Earl of Somerset, and by her had seven sons, and three daughters; whereof Anne died unmarried.—Diana was married first to Sir Grevil Verney, of Compton Verney in the county of Warwick, Knt. of the Bath, son of Grevil Verney, Esq; by Elizabeth, 5th daughter and co-heir of Thomas the 2d Visc. Wenman, and afterwards to William Lord Allington.—Margaret married Edward Russel, Earl of Orford, before-mentioned. And of the sons, which were Francis, John, William, Edward, Robert, James and George; the latter married Mary, daughter and heir of Mr. Pendleton, Merchant of London, and left a son William, who died unmarried.—James, died on the 22d of June, 1712, aged 67, and left, by Elizabeth his 2d wife, an only daughter Trepheina, (or Tryphano) wife of Thomas Scawen, of Carshalton, Esq.—Robert, married Letitia, widow of Thomas Cheek of Pergo, Essex, Esq; and died without issue.—Edward died on 21st of June, 1714, without issue.—Francis the eldest died in 1679, unmarried.—John the 2d died in his infancy.—But William, the 3d son, on the 21st of July, 1683, was beheaded in Lincoln's-Inn Fields, (in his father's life-time) for his inviolable integrity to the Protestant interest. He married Rachel, 2d daughter and co-heir to Thomas Wriothesly; Earl of Southampton, and widow of Francis Lord Vaughan, eldest son of Richard Earl of Carbery, and by her, who died Sept. 29, 1723, aged 87, left issue one son, Wriothesly, and two daughters, Rachel, married to William Cavendish, Duke of Devonshire; and Catharine, to John Manners, Duke of Rutland. In May 23, 1695, the said

(2d D.) WRIOTHESLY, married Elizabeth, only daughter

ter and heir of John Howland, of Stretham, in the county of Surry, Esq; by Elizabeth his wife, half-sister to Sir Richard Child, Bart. late Earl Tilney, and on the 7th of September, 1700, succeeding his grandfather, became Duke of Bedford, and died of the small-pox, May 26, 1711, in the 31st year of his age. By his said Dukes, (who died at Stretham of the small-pox, June 29, 1724, aged 32) he had issue three sons and two daughters, Rachel, married 1st to Scroop, late Duke of Bridgewater, and 2dly to Sir Richard Lyttleton; Knt. of the Bath, brother to the late Lord Lyttleton, and died 1777—Elizabeth married to William Earl of Essex. And of the sons, which were William.—Wriothesly—John. The eldest died in his infancy;

(3d D.) WRIOTHESLY, who was born in 1708, succeeded his father. He married on the 22d of April, 1725, Anne, only daughter of the before-mentioned Scroop, Duke of Bridgewater, by Elizabeth Churchill, 3d daughter and co-heir to John Duke of Marlborough; but by her, (who married 2dly William Earl of Jersey, and died 1762,) had no issue. He died in Spain, Oct. 23, 1732; and the honour descended to his only surviving brother,

(4th D.) JOHN late Duke of Bedford, born September 30, 1710, who, Oct. 11, 1731, married Diana Spencer, sister to the late Duke of Marlborough, by whom he had issue a son, who died the 6th of November, 1732, the day he was born, and her Grace died on the 27th of September, 1735. In April, 1737, his Grace married 2dly, Gertrude, eldest daughter of John Earl Gower, by whom he had issue, Carolina, born in January, 1743, married, August 23, 1762, to George present Duke of Marlborough, and has issue.—Francis Marquis of Tavistock, born September 26, 1739, who died March 22, 1767, by a fall from his horse. He married June 7, 1764, Elizabeth daughter of William Anne, late Earl of Albemarle, who died in October, 1768, and left three sons; Francis, the present Duke.—John, born 6th July, 1766.—William, born Aug. 20, 1767. The late Duke died Jan. 14, 1771, and was succeeded by his grandson.

(5th D.) FRANCIS, the present Duke.

CREATIONS.] Baron Russell, March 2, 1538; Baron Howland, June 13, 1695; Earl of Bedford, Jan. 19, 1550; Marquis of Tavistock and Duke of Bedford, May, 11, 1694.

ARMS.] *Argent*; a lion rampant, *gules*; on a chief, *sable*, three escallops of the *first*. [Plate II.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a goat passant, *argent*, armed, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.]

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a lion; on the sinister an antelope, both *gules*; the latter gorged with a ducal collar, chained, armed, crested, tufted, and hooped, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Cbe Sara, Sara.* What will be, will be.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Woburn-abbey in Bedfordshire; Thornhaugh in Northamptonshire; and Cheneys in Bucks.

CAVENDISH, DUKE OF DEVONSHIRE.

THE most noble WILLIAM CAVENDISH, Duke of DEVONSHIRE, Marquis of Hartington, Earl of Devonshire, Baron Cavendish of Hardwick, and Knight of the Garter, born December 14, 1748, and succeeded his father the late Duke, October 2, 1764. He married, June 7, 1774, Georgiana, eldest daughter to the Earl Spencer.

This great and illustrious family was denominated from the Lordship of Cavendish in the county of Suffolk; which Roger, a younger son of the ancient Family of the Gernons acquired by marriage; and his son (as was usual in those times) took the name of Cavendish, as will hereafter appear. The Gernons, who took their name from Gernon, a castle in Normandy, were of great note in Norfolk and Essex; being lineally descended from Robert de Gernon, a famous Norman, who assisted William the Conqueror in his invasion of this realm; and in reward of his service, had grants of several Lordships. This

ROBERT de Gernon gave the church of St. Peter in Gloucester, the church of Winterbourne, the church of Beverstoke, and half the lands thereunto belonging, to the Abbey of Gloucester. His son and heir,

MATTHEW de Gernon married Hodierna, daughter and co-heir to Sir William Sackville, whose brother Robert was ancestor to Lionel Duke of Dorset, and by her had issue,

RALPH de Gernon; who by his wife, who was sister to Sir William Brewse, Kt. had a son,

RALPH, who was founder of Lee's Priory in Essex. He died in 1248, leaving issue,

WILLIAM his heir, who died the 43d Hen. III. and left issue by Eleanor his wife, two sons, Sir Ralph de Gernon, Kt. whose grandson left two daughters his co-heirs; and Geoffrey, from whom is descended the noble family of Cavendish. This

GEOFFREY, in the reign of Edward I. was seited of More-Hall, in the Peak in the county of Derby, and was succeeded by

ROGER his son and heir, who was seited at Grimston-Hall in Suffolk, and died in 1318, having married the daughter and heir of John Potton, Lord of Cavendish, by whom he left issue, John, Roger, Stephen and Richard, who all took the name of Cavendish. Of these sons,

ROGER the 2d married Alice, daughter to Geoffrey de Stratton, with whom he had the Manor of Stratton, and from him descended

Sir RICHARD CAVENDISH, who was knighted, and after the death of Henry Duke of Suffolk, (who died without issue, July 14, the 5th of Edward VI.) was found to be one of his co-heirs, viz. son of Richard Cavendish, son of Augustine Cavendish, who married Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Sir William Brandon, Knight, grandfather of Charles Brandon, Duke of Suffolk. This Sir Richard Cavendish had issue

WILLIAM CAVENDISH of Trimley St. Martin in Suffolk; who dying in 1572, possessed of the ancient inheritance of his ancestors, viz. Grimston, Stratton, and other Manors, left

THOMAS, his son and heir, under age; who married Mary, daughter to Thomas Lord Wentworth of Nettlested, and had issue several sons and daughters, viz. William, Augustine, Thomas, Mary, Margaret, and Anne. This Thomas was the famous navigator, and was the third person, and the second Englishman, who sailed round the globe; Stephen Cavendish, third son of Roger de Gernon, was Lord Mayor of London, and died without issue.

JOHN CAVENDISH, eldest son of Robert de Gernon, was constituted Chief Justice of the King's Bench, 39 Edw. III. He had two wives, Rose and Alice, and left issue two sons, and a daughter Margaret. Of the sons,

ANDREW, the eldest, succeeded him; but he dying without issue in 1395,

Sir JOHN, his brother, who killed Wat Tyler*, became heir. He served under King Henry V, in his wars in France,

* Wat Tyler being at London, was angry with Sir John Newton, Knt. for approaching with less reverence than he thought was due to him. But Sir William Wakworth, then Lord Mayor, being with the King in Smithfield, and seeing Tyler's insolence to his Majesty's servant, could not forbear arresting him; in doing which he wounded the traitor (who furiously struck at him with his dagger) and Mr. Cavendish drew his sword and dispatched him; for which service he was knighted by the King, who likewise gave him 40l. per Ann. to him and his heirs for ever.

and was in the famous battle of Agincourt; and marrying Joan daughter to Sir William Clopton, had three sons,

WILLIAM; Robert, and Walter, of which, the eldest married Joan Staventon; and dying in 1433, left a son

THOMAS, whose wife was Catharine Scudamore, and by her he had a son

THOMAS, who married Agnes, daughter and co-heir to John Smith of Podbrook, in Suffolk, Esq. and by her had three sons, George, William, and Thomas, and a daughter Mary; and dying in 1524, was succeeded by George his eldest son, who was seated at Glemsford in Suffolk; and was father of William Cavendish, Esq. who had two sons, William and Ralph, who both died without issue. Thomas Cavendish, youngest of the three sons of Thomas and Agnes Smith, was one of the Knights of St. John of Jerufalem, but died unmarried.

WILLIAM, the 2d brother, was, in the 27th of Hen. VIII. knighted by his Majesty, and afterwards made one of his privy council. He married first Anne, daughter to Edward Bostock, Esq. by whom he had a son John, who died young, and two daughters, Anne, married to Sir Henry Bainton, Knight, and Catharine to Thomas Brook, Esq. son of Thomas Lord Cobham. By his second wife Margaret, daughter to Thomas Parker, of Poslingford in the county of Suffolk, he had no issue: but taking to his third wife, Elizabeth, daughter to John Hardwick, of Hardwick in the county of Derby, Esq. (by Elizabeth his wife, daughter and co-heir to Thomas Leak of Loasland, Esq. and at length co-heir to John Hardwick her brother, by that match made a great addition to his fortunes; for she being first married to Robert Barley of Barley, in the county of Derby, Esq. who died soon after, without issue, she got his large estate settled on her and her own heirs, which, by the said Sir William Cavendish her second husband, were three sons and three daughters, She afterwards married, 3dly, Sir William St. Lo; and, 4thly, George Talbot, sixth Earl of Shrewsbury. Of the daughters, which were Frances, Elizabeth, and Mary, the latter was married to Gilbert Talbot, seventh Earl of Shrewsbury; the 2d to Charles Stuart, Earl of Lenox (younger brother to Henry Lord Darnley, father to King James I. who were sons of Matthew Stuart, Earl of Lenox, by Margaret his wife, daughter to Archibald Douglas, Earl of Angus, and Margaret his wife, daughter to King Henry VII.), by whom she was mother of Arabella Stuart, who being married to William Seymour, second son to the Duke

of Somerset, without the privity or consent of King James I. that King caused them to be imprisoned in the Tower of London, where she died Sept. 15, 1615, without issue; but Frances (married to Sir Henry Pierpoint, Knight, was mother of Robert, 1st Earl of Kingston. The sons, were

HENRY, William, and Sir Charles, the youngest was seated at Welbeck in the county of Nottingham; and marrying Catharine, daughter and heir to Cuthbert Baron Ogle, afterwards heir of that house, and in 1628, 4 Car. I. declared Baroness Ogle; by her had William Cavendish, his heir who in 1620, was advanced to the degree of Baron Ogle, and Viscount Mansfield, and on the 17th of March, 1627, 3 Car. I. was created Baron Cavendish of Bolsover, and Earl of Newcastle upon Tyne: he was also, Oct. 27, 1643, created Marquis of Newcastle. On the 16th of March, 1664, 16 Car. II. he was created Earl of Ogle, and Duke of Newcastle, and died in Jan. 1676, leaving issue by Elizabeth, daughter and sole heir to William Basset, of Blore in the county of Stafford, Esq. Henry his successor; and three daughters; whereof, Jane was married to Charles Cheney of Chesham-Boys, in the county of Bucks.—Elizabeth to John Egerton, Earl of Bridgewater.—Frances to Oliver St. John, Esq. afterwards Earl of Bolingbroke. Henry, who in 1676, succeeded his father as above, married Frances, eldest daughter to William Pierpoint of Thoresby, Esq. 2d son to Robert Earl of Kingston, and by her had Henry his only son, who was stiled Earl of Ogle, and he marrying Elizabeth, sole daughter and heir to Joceline Percy, Earl of Northumberland, he thereupon assumed her name, and bore her arms; but died in his father's life-time, 1680, without issue, and his father dying on the 26th of July, 1691, without issue male, his honours became extinct, and his five daughters became his co-heirs. Elizabeth was first married to Christopher Monk, Duke of Albemarle, and afterwards to Ralph Lord Montagu, created Duke of Montagu.—Francis to John Campbell, eldest son of the Earl of Breadalbane, and died 1727.—Margaret married to John Holles, 2d son to the Earl of Clare, afterwards created Duke of Newcastle.—Catharine to Thomas Tufton, Earl of Thanet.—Arabella to Charles Spencer Earl of Sunderland. We now return to the two eldest sons of Sir William Cavendish and Elizabeth Hardwick his third wife before-mentioned; of which Henry the eldest married Grace Talbot, youngest daughter to George Earl of Shrewsbury; but his father (who began the noble pile at Chatsworth) dying in the 4th and 5th of Phillip and Mary; and

and the said Henry, dying without issue, on the 12th of Oct. 1616, William his brother became heir to the whole estate. His mother, as before-mentioned, married to her third husband, Sir William St. Lo, owner of a great estate, which, in articles of marriage, she took care should be settled on her; and accordingly having no child by him, she lived to enjoy his whole estate. In this third widowhood, not having yet lost her charms of wit and beauty, she captivated the then greatest subject of the realm, George Talbot Earl of Shrewsbury, whom she brought to terms of the greatest honour and advantage to herself and children; for he not only yielded to a considerable jointure, but to an union of families, by taking Mary her youngest daughter to be the wife of Gilbert his son, and afterwards his heir; and giving Grace, his youngest daughter, to Henry her eldest son.

(1st E.) WILLIAM, who became heir as above, was, by King James I. by letters patent, dated May 4, 1605, created Baron Cavendish of Hardwick in the county of Derby; and on the 7th of Aug. 1618, Earl of Devonshire. This noble Earl, by his second wife Elizabeth, daughter to Edward Boughton, of Causton in the county of Warwick, Esq. widow of Sir Richard Wortley, of Wortley in the county of York, Knt. had a son John, who was made Knight of the Bath in 1616, and died soon after; but by his first wife Anne, daughter and heir to Henry Kighly, of Kighly in the county of York, Esq. he had three sons and three daughters; whereof Mary the 2d, and Elizabeth the 3d, died young; but Frances, the eldest, was married to Sir William Maynard, Knt. created Lord Maynard. Of the sons, Gilbert the eldest, and James the 3d dying young.

(2d E.) WILLIAM the 2d, on the 3d of March, 1625, succeeded his father, and was married to Christian, only daughter to Edward Lord Bruce of Kinlofs in Scotland. This noble Earl departed this life at his house near Bishopsgate, London (where Devonshire Square is now built) on the 20th of June, 1628, having had issue by her three sons, and a daughter Anne, married to Robert the 3d Earl of Warwick, Of the sons, which were

(3d E.) WILLIAM, Charles, and Henry, the latter died young; and the 2d, who was Lieutenant General of Horse, under his cousin the Marquis of Newcastle, in the civil wars, was slain at Gainsborough in 1643; but the eldest, who succeeded his father, married Elizabeth, 2d daughter to William Cecil, the 2d Earl of Salisbury, and by her (who died
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Nov. 1689) had two sons and a daughter, named Anne, who was first married to Charles Lord Rich, only son to Charles Earl of Warwick; and 2dly, to John the 5th Earl of Exeter, and died on the 18th of June, 1703. Of the sons, Charles, the youngest, died on the 3d of March, 1670, unmarried; but

(1st D.) WILLIAM, the eldest, on the 25th of November, 1684, succeeded his father. On the 14th of Feb. 1689, he was appointed one of the Privy Council, made Steward of the Household, and Lord Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of the county of Derby; and on the 3d of March, being elected a Knight of the Garter, was installed on the 14th of May following. At the coronation of King William and Queen Mary, he was made Lord High Steward of England for the day, and carried the regal crown next to the Bible and the King's person. On the 12th of May, 1694, he was created Marquis of Hartington, and Duke of Devonshire. He died August 18, 1707, in the 67th year of his age. He married Mary, 2d daughter to James Butler Duke of Ormond, and by her (who died July 31, 1710) he had three sons; and a daughter Elizabeth, married to Sir John Wentworth of Broadsworth in the county of York, Bart. And of the sons, which were

(2d D.) WILLIAM, Marquis of Hartington, Henry, and James. The eldest succeeded his father; and the youngest died Dec. 14, 1751, having married Anne, daughter to Elihu Yale, Esq. and by her (who died June 27, 1734) had an only son William, who in March, 1731, was married to Miss Barbara Chandler, daughter to the Bishop of Durham, and died in July, 1751; and a daughter Elizabeth, married to Richard Chandler, Esq. son to the Bishop of Durham, in Feb. 1732, who has since changed his name to Cavendish, by an act of parliament in 1752.—Henry, 2d son, married Rhoda, only surviving daughter to William Cartwright, of Ayno in the county of Northampton, Esq. (by Uriula his 2d wife, daughter to Ferdinando Lord Fairfax of Cameron in Scotland) and dying on the 10th of May, 1700, by her (who died on the 24th of Jan. 1730,) left a daughter Mary, married to John Earl of Westmoreland. William, who was the 2d Duke, married Rachel, eldest of the two daughters of William Lord Ruffel, who was beheaded in 1683, and by her (who died Dec. 28, 1725) had four sons and six daughters. Of the daughters, which were Mary, Rachel, Elizabeth, Catharine, Anne, and Diana. Mary, Catharine, and Diana died unmarried.—Rachel married Sir William Morgan of Tredgar

gar in the county of Monmouth, and died June, 1780.—Elizabeth married Sir Thomas Lowther, of Holker in the county of Lancaster, Bart. and died in June, 1737. Of the sons, which were William Marquis of Hartington, James, Charles, and John; the latter died on the 10th of May, 1720.—James died in Nov. 1741.—And Charles, who married Anne, 4th daughter to Henry Duke of Kent, and died the 20th of Sept. 1733, having two sons Frederick and Henry.

(3d D.) WILLIAM, the eldest son, was born Sept. 26, 1698, and succeeded his father 4 June, 1729. His Grace married on the 27th of March, 1718, Catharine, sole daughter and heir of John Hoskins, of the county of Middlesex, Esq; and by her who died May 8, 1777, had issue four sons and three daughters, viz. William, the late Duke.—George-Augustus, born April 8, 1728.—Frederick, born Aug. 17, 1729, Gen. of his Majesty's Forces, and Col. in his 34th Reg. of Foot.—John, born Oct. 22, 1732.—Caroline, married to William Lord Duncannon, now Earl of Besborough in Ireland, and Lord Ponsonby in the county of Leicester, and died 20th Jan. 1760, leaving issue.—Elizabeth, married in October 1743, to John Ponsonby, brother to the Earl of Besborough, and has issue.—Rachel, who married Horace Walpole, Esq; now Lord Walpole of Wolterton, and has issue. His Lordship dying Dec. 5, 1755, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(4th D.) WILLIAM, the late Duke of Devonshire, born in 1720, who on the 13th June, 1751, was called up to the house of peers as Baron Cavendish of Hardwick. His Grace married in March, 1748, Charlotte, sole daughter and heir of Richard Earl of Burlington and Cork, which Lady died December 8, 1754, leaving issue, William, the present Duke. Dorothy, born Aug 27, 1750, married to the Duke of Portland, 8th of Nov. 1766, and has issue.—Richard, born June 19, 1752, and died Sept. 12, 1781.—George-Henry, born Feb. 27, 1754, married Feb. 25, 1782, Betty Compton, niece of the present, and daughter of the late Earl of Northampton, by whom he has issue, a son born Jan. 10, 1783. His Grace died Oct. 2, 1764, and was succeeded by his eldest son,

(5th D.) WILLIAM, the present Duke.

CREATIONS.] Baron Cavendish, May 4, 1605, Earl of Devonshire, August 7, 1681, Marquis of Hartington, and Duke of Devonshire, May 12, 1694.

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ARMS.] *Sable*; three harts heads caboshed, *argent*, attired, *or*, [Plate II.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a snake nowed, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two harts, each gorged with a garland or sprig of roses, *proper*; attired, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Cavendo tutus*. Secure by Caution.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Chatsworth and Hardwick, in Derbyshire; and Chiswick in Middlesex.

SPENCER, DUKE OF MARLBOROUGH.

THE most noble GEORGE SPENCER, Duke of MARLBOROUGH, Marquis of Blandford, Earl of Sunderland and Marlborough, Baron Spencer of Wormleighton, Baron Churchill of Sandridge; and a Knight of the Garter, born Jan. 28, 1738, succeeded his father Charles, Oct. 20, 1758, and married July 23, 1762, Caroline, only daughter of John late Duke of Bedford, by whom he has issue, Caroline, born Oct. 27, 1763.—Elizabeth, born Dec. 20, 1764.—George Marquis of Blandford, born March 3, 1766.—Charlotte, born Oct. 18, 1769.—Henry, born Dec. 20, 1770.—Anne, born Nov. 5, 1773.

In the 18th of William the Conqueror, lived ROBERT le Despencer, who was steward to that King, Brother to Urso de Abetot, and at the time of the general survey, held four lordships in the county of Warwick, fifteen in the county of Lincoln, and seventeen in that of Leicester; and in the reign of Henry I. WILLIAM le Despencer, his son, was also steward to that King; and to him succeeded THURSTAN, whose son ALMARICK was sheriff of Rutland, in the reigns of Henry II. and Richard I. and marrying Amabil, daughter to Walter de Chesnie, had issue two sons Thurstan and Almarick, and a daughter married to William Bardolph. The said sons were both in arms against K. John, who gave the lands of Almarick, their father, to Osbert Gifford, one of his natural sons. Cotemporary with these, was HUGH le Despencer, another son of the first mentioned Thurstan. To him succeeded HUGH his grandson (son of THOMAS) who married Olivia, a daughter of Philip Basslet of Wicomb, in Bucks, widow of Roger Bigod, Earl of Norfolk, by whom he had a son HUGH, and a daughter Eleanor, married to Hugh de Courtenay, father of Hugh the first Earl of Devon, and

and was succeeded by HUGH his son, called Hugh Despencer, Senior, to distinguish him from Hugh his son, who had always the addition of Junior, the two great favourites of King Edward II. the one Earl of Winchester, and the other Earl of Gloucester. Hugh the elder, who was created Earl of Winchester. 15 Edward III. married Isabel, widow of Patrick Chaworth, daughter of William de Beauchamp, Earl of Warwick. Hugh the son married Eleanor, eldest of the three daughters, and co-heirs of Gilbert de Clare, Earl of Gloucester, by Joan his wife, daughter of King Edward I. and was created Earl of Gloucester. But Hugh the elder was executed in the 90th year of his age, and Hugh the younger was executed at Hereford. He had issue Hugh, Edward, and Gilbert, and a daughter married to Richard Earl of Arundel against his will, being under age, and afterwards divorced. Eleanor his wife was kept prisoner in the Tower of London, with her children, but afterwards married William la Zouch of Mortimer; and HUGH, her eldest son, getting into the favour of K. Edward III. was in the wars of Gascoigne and Scotland, and was made a Knight Banneret. He was stiled Lord of Glamorgan, and had summons to Parliament from the 12th to the 22d Edward III. He married Elizabeth daughter of William Montacute, Earl of Salisbury, and widow of Giles de Baddlesmere, and died 8th Feb. 23 Edward III. without issue. We now return to EDWARD his brother, who married Anne daughter of Henry Lord Ferrers, and left four sons, Edward, Thomas, Henry, and Gilbert, and dying the 16th Edw. III. left Sir Edward his heir, who was also heir to his uncle Hugh. He was summoned to parliament from the 31st to the 39th Edw. III. and dying the 49th of the same reign, left Thomas his heir, then two years of age; and four daughters, Cecily, who died young; Elizabeth, married 1st to John Arundel, and 2dly to the Lord Zouch; Anne, to Hugh Hastings, and afterwards to Thomas Morley; and Margaret to Robert Ferrers: and Elizabeth his wife, daughter of Bartholomew de Burghersh, survived him. THOMAS, their heir, was in the 21st Rich. II. created Earl of Gloucester, by reason of his descent from Gilbert de Clare Earl of Gloucester. He married Constance daughter of Edmund de Langley Duke of York, son to King Edward III. and beheaded by the rabble the 1st of Edward IV. He left one son RICHARD, who married Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Ralph Earl of Westmoreland, and died Oct. 7, 1414, being then but 14 years of age, and left no issue; and his widow married Henry

Percy the first Earl of Northumberland. He also left two daughters, Elizabeth, who died an infant; and Isabel, married 1st Richard Beauchamp Lord Abergavenny; afterwards Earl of Worcester; and 2dly, Richard Beauchamp Earl of Warwick; by whom she had Henry Duke of Warwick, who left an only daughter that died in her infancy.

Having done with the Principal, we return to GEOFFREY, brother to Hugh, and son of the first mentioned Thurstan. He died in 1251, leaving JOHN his heir, who married Joan, daughter of Robert le Lou, by whom he had no issue, but by another wife he left WILLIAM his heir, who was succeeded by JOHN his heir, who was esquire of the body to King Henry V. He left issue, by Alice Deverell his wife, NICHOLAS his heir, who by Joan Pollard his wife left two sons, Thomas and William, which THOMAS was father of HENRY Spencer of Badby in the county of Northampton, Esq; who took to wife Isabel daughter and co-heir to ——— Lincoln, and had four sons, John, Thomas, William, and Nicholas, and was succeeded by his eldest son JOHN Spencer, who married the daughter and heir of ——— Warsted, by whom he had three sons, William.—John Spencer of Hodnel, in the county of Warwick, whose daughter Elizabeth married Sir John Grevile, elder brother of Sir John Fulke, Ancestor of the Earl Brook.—Thomas Spencer of Badly, whose Son Thomas left four daughters, co-heirs to William their brother.

WILLIAM, eldest son and heir of John, married Elizabeth sister to Sir Richard Empson, Kt. and had issue two sons John and Thomas, and a daughter Jane, and was succeeded by

Sir JOHN his eldest son, who died in 1522. He married Isabel daughter and co-heir to Walter Graunt, of Snitterfield in the county of Warrick, Esq; by whom he had issue, Sir William.—Antony, who died without issue.—Jane, wife of Richard Knightly, Esq; Son of Sir Richard Knightly.—Isabel, married to Sir Nicholas Strelly.—Dorothy, married to Sir Richard Catesby, and was succeeded by his eldest son,

WILLIAM, who married Susan, daughter to Sir Richard Knightly, and by her had Sir John Spencer, Knight, his successor.—Isabel, married to Sir John Cotton, from whom descended Sir John Hynde Cotton, Bart.—Jane, married Sir Richard Bridges.—Dorothy to Thomas Spenser, Esq.—Anne to Sir John Goodwin.—Mary to Thomas Bowles, Esq;

Esq; He died the 22d of June, 1532, and was succeeded by his son,

Sir JOHN Spencer. He married Catharine daughter to Sir Thomas Kitson of Hengrave in Suffolk, Knight, and had five sons and six daughters; of which Margaret married, 1st, Giles Allington of Horsheath in the county of Cambridge, Esq; and 2dly to Edward Eldrington, Esq.—Elizabeth, to George Cary, Lord Hunsdon.—Catharine, to Sir Thomas Leigh, of Stoneleigh in the county of Warwick, Knight.—Mary, to Sir Edward Aston of Tixall in the county of Stafford, Knight.—Anne, 1st, to William Lord Monteagle; 2dly to Henry Lord Compton; and 3dly to Robert Sackville the 2d Earl of Dorset.—Alice, 1st, to Ferdinando Stanley, Earl of Derby; and 2dly, to Thomas Egerton, Viscount Brackley. And of the sons, Thomas the 2d, left an only daughter Alice his heir, who married Sir Thomas Lucy.—Sir William, 3d son, was of Yarnton in the county of Oxford, whose son Thomas was created a Baronet by King James I. ancestor of Sir Charles Spencer, Knight.—Richard Spencer, 4th son, was of Offley in the county of Hertford, whose son John was created a Baronet by King Charles I. which family is extinct.—Edward 5th son died without issue, and their father died Nov. 8, 1586.

Sir JOHN the eldest, who succeeded, was knighted by Queen Elizabeth, and he marrying Mary, daughter and heir to Sir Robert Cateline, Knight, Lord Chief Justice of England, by her had

(1st L.) ROBERT his heir, who was also knighted by the said Queen, and was by James I. created Lord Spencer of Wormleighton, and died Oct. 25, 1627. He married Margaret daughter and co-heir to Sir Francis Willoughby, of Woolaton in the county of Nottingham, by whom he had four sons and three daughters; Mary, married to Sir Richard Anderson.—Elizabeth, to Sir George Fane, of Burstan in Kent, Knight, 5th son of Francis the 1st Earl of Westmoreland.—Margaret, who died unmarried. The sons were, John, who died before his father.—William.—Richard.—Sir Edward Spencer, Knt. who married Mary, widow of Sir William Reade, of Osterley in Middlesex, Knight.

(2d L.) WILLIAM, the 2d, succeeded; and marrying Penelope, daughter to Henry Wriothesly, Earl of Southampton, by her had six sons and seven daughters; of which Elizabeth was first married to John Lord Craven of Ryton; 2dly, to Henry third son of Thomas Earl of Berkshire; and lastly, to William Lord Crofts.—Mary died unmarried —

Anne married Sir Robert Townshend.—Catharine died unmarried.—Alice married Henry the 1st Earl of Drogheda in Ireland.—Margaret, to Anthony-Ashley Cooper, the 1st Earl of Shaftesbury.—Rachel, born after the death of her father, died young. Of the sons, Robert, the 2d, was created Viscount Tiviot, in Scotland; and having married Jane, daughter of Sir Thomas Spencer, of Yarnton in the county of Oxford, Bart. died without Issue.—William, 3d son, who was of Ashton in the county of Lancaster, married Elizabeth, daughter of Dutton Lord Gerrard of Bromley, by his 2d wife Elizabeth, 3d daughter and co-heir of Henry the 5th Earl of Thomond, and had issue a daughter Elizabeth, married to Robert Hesketh, Esq; whose daughter and heir Elizabeth married the late Earl of Derby.—Richard, Thomas, and John, died unmarried; their father dying Dec. 19, 1636, was succeeded by

(3d L. and 1st E.) HENRY, his eldest son, who was raised to the dignity of Earl of Sunderland, June 8, 1643; but upon the 20th of September following, he was slain at the battle of Newberry, in the 23d year of his age. He married Dorothy, daughter to Robert Sidney Earl of Leicester, by whom he had a daughter of her name, who was married to George Savile, Marquis of Hallifax, by whom she had a daughter Anne, married to John Vaughan Earl of Carbery in Ireland and Lord Vaughan of Emlyn in the county of Carmarthen, whose daughter and heir Anne married Charles Duke of Bolton; a daughter Penelope, who died unmarried; and an only son Robert. Their mother married, 2dly, to Robert Smythe, of Sutton in Kent, Esq; of the Viscount Strangford's family in Ireland, by whom she had issue Robert Smythe, who had Issue Henry, father of Sir Sydney-Stafford Smythe, Knt. late Chief Baron of the Exchequer.

(2d E.) ROBERT, in 1643, succeeded his father, and dying on the 28th of Sept. 1702, left issue by Anne, 2d daughter to George Digby, Earl of Bristol, two sons, viz. Robert, who died unmarried.—Charles his heir; and two daughters; of which Anne married James Earl of Arran, afterwards Duke of Hamilton in Scotland; and Elizabeth, to Donagh Maccarty, Earl of Clancarty in Ireland.

(3d E.) CHARLES succeeded, and died on the 19th of April, 1722, in the 47th year of his age, having married 1st, Arabella Cavendish, 5th daughter, and co-heir to Henry Duke of Newcastle, and by her had an only daughter Frances; who, on the 27th of November, 1717, was married to Henry, late Earl of Carlisle. He married 2dly

Anne,

Anne, 2d daughter and co-heir to John Duke of Marlborough, and by her, who died April 15, 1716, had four sons; Robert, who died in his infancy.—Robert late Earl.—Charles, who became Duke of Marlborough, born Nov. 22, 1706.—John Spencer, born May 13, 1708, who married, Feb. 14, 1734, Georgina, 3d daughter to the late Earl Granville, and dying June 19, 1746, left issue one son, John, since created *Earl Spencer*; and a daughter born in May, 1735, who died at 6 years of age. His lady afterwards married William Earl of Cowper, and died Aug. 21, 1780. His Lordship also had two daughters, Anne, married William late Viscount Bateman; and Diana, married, in Oct. 1731, John Duke of Bedford, but died in 1736. The said Earl, married to his 3d wife Judith, daughter to Benjamin Tichbourn, Esq; by her had a son, William, who died April 22, 1722, and a daughter Margaret, who also died in her infancy; and the Earl dying as before-mentioned, left his Lady with child of another son, named George, of which she was delivered on the 11th of September; but he died on the 23d of March, 1723, and in 1739, the countess, his mother, married to Sir Robert Sutton, Knight of the Bath, and died in May 17, 1749. We now return to

(4th E.) ROBERT, who succeeded his father, and dying in the 28th year of his age, on the 17th of November, 1729, unmarried,

(5th E. 2d D.) CHARLES, his next brother, became the 5th Earl, and by the death of Henrietta Godolphin, Duchess of Marlborough, who was his mother's eldest sister, and eldest daughter of John Duke of Marlborough, the 24th of Oct. 1733, without issue male, the titles of Duke of Marlborough, Marquis of Blandford, Earl of Marlborough, and Baron of Sandridge devolved on him in right of his mother, who was second daughter of John Duke of Marlborough. As his Grace's principal titles is derived from him, it will be necessary to give an account of his family: John first Duke of Marlborough, was the son of Sir Winston Churchill, of Wotton-Basset, in Wilts, by a daughter of Sir William Drake, of Ashe in the county of Devon, Bart. Sir Winston had seven sons and four daughters; the three youngest died in their infancy; Arabella the eldest had issue by King James II. James Fitz James, Duke of Berwick; and a daughter Henrietta, married to Henry Lord Waldegrave; and the said Arabella afterwards married to Colonel Charles Godfrey, and by him left two daughters; Charlotte, married to Hugh, late Viscount Falmouth; and Elizabeth, to Ed-

mund Dunch, Esq. Of the sons, which were Winston, John, George, Charles, Montjoy, Jasper, and Theobald; the latter, who was in holy orders, died unmarried Dec. 3, 1685; and Winston, Montjoy, and Jasper, died young; the other brothers were Charles, who was General of her Majesty's Armies. He married Mary, daughter and sole heir to James Gould of Dorchester, but left no issue by her, who married 2dly Montagu the 2d Earl of Abington; and George was an Admiral of her Majesty's fleet.

JOHN, of whom we are principally to treat, made some campaigns under the greatest generals of those times, viz. Turenne, Condé, and Luxemburgh. Upon his return to England he was made Lieutenant Colonel; not long after which King Charles created him Baron of Aymouth in Scotland; but this honour died with him. King James ascending the throne, he was, in the first year of his reign, May 14, 1685, created Baron Churchill, of Sandridge in the county of Hertford; but all these honours were not sufficient to bring him into the measures of the court-party, against the dictates of honour and conscience: and all being ready for the happy Revolution that soon followed, he, with the Duke of Grafton, and many others of the Protestant nobility, left the King, and went over to the Prince of Orange. King William and Queen Mary were no sooner on the throne, but he was created Earl of Marlborough; the same year he commanded the English forces in Flanders, and in 1690, was sent General of the forces to reduce Cork and Kinsale, which service he performed with great dispatch and conduct; the next year he made a campaign under King William in Flanders, who, at length, in 1701, appointed him General of the foot, and Commander in Chief of the English forces in Holland. In 1702, he commanded the army in Flanders, where he took several important places, and on his return to England was made Marquis of Blandford, and Duke of Marlborough. In 1704, he marched to the Danube, routed the French and Bavarian forces at Schellenbergh, and afterwards gave them a total defeat at Hochstet; was made a Prince of the sacred Roman empire; and, on his return to England had the honour and manor of Woodstock voted to him, and the next year settled by act of parliament with 5000l. per annum out of the Post-Office, to him and his heirs. In the year 1705, he marched to the Moselle, returned to the Netherlands, raised the siege of Lisle, and forced the French lines. At the end of this campaign he made a tour to Vienna, where the Emperor

ror made him a grant of the lordship of Mindleheim in Suabia, formerly possessed by Duke Maximillian, uncle to the Duke of Bavaria; from which time he was distinguished by the stile and title of Prince of Mindleheim, and was afterwards invested therein, and admitted by his plenipotentiary, Mr. Stepney, to sit and vote in the college of Princes. In 1706, he defeated the French and Bavarian forces at Ramillies, and gained the whole country of Brabant to the allies. In the year 1708, he with Prince Eugene, defeated the French and Spanish army at Oudenarde, covered the siege of Lisle, succoured Brussels; then besieged by the Duke of Bavaria, and retook Ghent and Bruges; and in the year following, they gained a glorious victory at Malplaquet. In 1710, they took the cities of Douay, Bethune, St. Venant, and Aire. In 1711, the Duke forced the French lines, which they looked upon as impenetrable, and took Bouchain in sight of the enemy, though 100,000 strong: notwithstanding all these services he was removed from all his employments, Dec. 31, 1711; but after the arrival of his Majesty King George I. his Grace was declared Captain General of all the forces. He married Sarah, daughter of Richard Jennings, of Sandridge in the county of Hertford, Esq. by whom he had issue John, his only son, born in 1690, stiled (after his father was made Duke) Marquis of Blandford, who died at Cambridge in 1703, also four daughters; Henrietta, married to Francis Viscount Rialton, late Earl of Godolphin, and her father dying June 16, 1722, without issue male, his titles, except that of Lord Aymouth, descended to the said

HENRIETTA, countess of Godolphin, his eldest daughter, who had two sons, William and Henry, the latter of which died young; and three daughters. William, who was stiled Viscount Rialton, and after the death of his grandfather, was Marquis of Blandford, married April 25, 1729, Maria-Catharina, daughter of Peter Yong, a burgo-master of the province of Utrecht, and sister to the Countess of Denbigh. He died without issue, Aug. 24, 1731, and she married after his discease, to Sir William Wyndham, Bart. and this Lady lived till Sept. 1779, but died without issue by either marriage; and his mother dying Oct. 24, 1733, without issue male, the titles devolved on Charles, eldest surviving son of ANNE, 2d daughter of John Duke of Marlborough, which Lady died April 15, 1716, having married the Earl of Sunderland as before-mentioned. The other daughters were Elizabeth married to Scroop, Earl, afterwards Duke of Bridgewater, and died March 22, 1713-14.—Mary, married

to John Duke of Montagu, by whom he had two daughters, Isabella, married 1st to William Montagu, second Duke of Manchester, by whom she had no issue; and 2dly, to Sir Edward Hussy Montagu, Knight of the Bath, now Lord Beauclieu, by whom she has issue.—Mary, married to George, Earl of Cardigan, who also takes the name of Montagu, and has since been created Duke of Montagu. His late Grace, Charles the son of Anne the 2d daughter, on the 23d of May, 1732, married Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Lord Trevor, by whom he had issue, Diana, born the 4th of March, 1735; married in Sept. 1757, to the Lord Viscount Bolingbroke, from whom she was divorced, having had issue, and afterwards married to Topham Beauclerk, son of Lord Sidney Beauclerk, by whom she was left a widow without issue, March 11, 1780.—Elizabeth, born the 29th of December, 1737, married to Henry Earl of Pembroke, March 13, 1756, and has issue.—George, the present Duke.—Charles, born 31st March, 1740, married 2d October, 1762, to Mary only daughter of Lord Vere, by whom he has issue, George, born July 6, 1763; Charles, Elizabeth and Catharine.—Robert, born 8th May, 1747. On July 25, 1758, his Grace was appointed Commander in Chief of all the British Forces that were intended to serve on the Lower Rhine: and Aug. 29th following, General over all the Foot Forces, but his Grace dying at Munster, in October the same year, was succeeded by his son.

(6th E. and 3d D.) GEORGE, the present Duke.

CREATIONS.] Baron Churchill of Sandridge, in the county of Hertford, May 14, 1685, 1. Jac. II. Baron Spencer, of Wormleighton, in the county of Warwick, July 21, 1603, 1. Jac. I. Earl of Marlborough, in the county of Wilts, April 9, 1689, 1. William and Mary. Earl of Sunderland, June 8, 1693, 19 Car. I. and Marquis of Blandford, in the county of Dorset, and Duke of Marlborough, Dec. 14, 1702, 1. Queen Anne.

ARMS.] Quarterly, 1st and 4th quarterly, *argent* and *gules*, in the 2d and 3d a fret *or*; over all on a bend *sable*, three escallop shells of the first; for Spencer. Second and third, *sable*, a lion rampant, *argent*, in a canton of the second, the cross of England: for Churchill. [Plate II.]

CREST.] In a ducal coronet *or*, a Griphon's head between two wings erect, *argent*, gorged with a plain collar, *gules*, and beaked, of the first.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a Griphon party per fess, *argent* and *or*; on the sinister a Wyvern, *argent*, their wings

wings expanded, each having a plain collar and chain, *sable*, and their collar charged with three escallop shells, as in the coat.

MOTTO.] *Dieu defend le Droit.* God defends the Right.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Blenheim, in Oxfordshire; and at Langley, in Bucks.

MANNERS DUKE OF RUTLAND.

THE most noble CHARLES MANNERS, Duke of RUTLAND, Marquis of Granby, Baron Roos, of Hamlake, Trusbut and Belvoir, Baron Manners of Haddon, and Knight of the Garter, succeeded his grandfather, who died May 29, 1779: His Grace was born March 15, 1754; and on Dec. 26, 1775, married Isabella Somerset, only sister to the present Duke of Beaufort, by whom he has issue; Isabella, born Sept. 29, 1776.—John, Marquis of Granby, born Jan. 3, 1778.—Catharine-Mary, born April 29, 1779.—A son born Oct. 24, 1780.—Another son born Dec. 21, 1781.

HENRY de Manners, in the 25th of Hen. II. paid eighty marks for livery of his father's lands in Northumberland; and from him descended,

Sir ROBERT de Manners, of Ethale, in the said county; who married Aliva, daughter and heir of Sir Henry Strather, of Newton Glendal, and had issue,

Sir JOHN de Manners, who by Alice, widow of William de Witchoftoe, had one son,

Sir JOHN de Manners, who married Joan, daughter of Sir Robert Ogle, and had issue Sir Robert, his heir; John who is buried at St. Mary's church, Warwick; and Gilbert.

Sir ROBERT the eldest, married Eleanor, daughter of Thomas, and eldest of the three sisters, and co-heirs to Edmund Lord Roos, lineally descended from Robert Lord Roos, of Hamlake, by Isabel his wife, only child and heir to William de Albini, Lord of Belvoir, who was descended in a direct male line from Robert de Todenii, a noble Norman, the builder of Belvoir Castle, in the reign of William the Conqueror, and by her had issue two sons, George and Edward; and two daughters, Elizabeth, married to Sir William Fairfax; and Cecily, to Thomas Fairfax, sons of Sir Guy Fairfax, Lord Chief Justice of the Court of Common-Pleas.

(1st L.) GEORGE, his heir, who in right of his mother, was Lord Roos, in the 4th Henry VIII. accompanied that King in the sieges of Therouenne and Tournay; but died

the next year. He married Anne, sole daughter and heir to Sir Thomas St. Leger, by Anne his wife, eldest sister to King Edward IV. and widow of Henry Holland, Duke of Exeter; and by her had five sons, Thomas, Sir Oliver, Anthony, Sir Richard, and John; and six daughters; Elizabeth, married to Thomas Lord Sands, of the Vine, in Hampshire.—Catharine, to Sir Robert Constable, of Everingham, in the county of York.—Eleanor, to John Burchier, Earl of Bath.—Cicily, died unmarried.—Margaret, married 1st, to Sir Henry Strangeways, 2dly, to Robert Heneage, Esq; grandfather of Elizabeth, who was created Countess of Winchelsea.—Anne, married to Sir Henry Capel, of Raynes, in Essex. Of the Sons, Sir Richard married Margaret, daughter of Sir Robert Dimock, of Scrivalsby, in the county of Lincoln, widow of Richard Vernon, Esq; by whom she had Sir George Vernon, whose sole daughter and heir Dorothy married Sir John Manners, second son of Thomas Earl of Rutland; but the said Margaret had no issue by Sir Richard, who married 2dly, the widow of Sir William Coffyn, of Portledge, in the county of Devon, by whom he had one son, John; and was succeeded by his eldest son,

(2d L. 1st E.) THOMAS Lord Roos, who had special livery of all the manors, castles, and lands descended to him from the Lady Eleanor, his grandmother, and was on the 28th of June, 1525, created Earl of Rutland; and had thereupon an augmentation to his ancient arms, by reason of his descent from the sister of King Edward IV. He married 1st, Elizabeth, daughter to Sir Robert Lovel, by whom he had no issue; 2dly, Eleanor, daughter to Sir William Paston, by whom he had five sons and six daughters, and died on the 20th of September, 1543. Of the daughters, Gertrude married George Talbot, the 6th Earl of Shrewsbury.—Anne, to Henry Nevil, Earl of Westmorland.—Frances, to Henry Nevil, the 4th Lord Abergavenny.—Catharine, to Sir Henry Capel.—Elizabeth, to Sir John Savage.—Isabella died young. And of the sons, which were Henry, Sir John, Roger, Sir Thomas, and Oliver, the latter died at twenty years of age; the 4th married Theodocia, daughter of Sir Thomas Newton, Knt. and left Charles his heir; and two daughters; Anne, married to William Vavasor, of Haslewood, in Yorkshire, Esq; by whom she had Sir Thomas Vavasor, created a Baronet the 4th Car. I. Sir John the 2d son was seated at Wiverton, in the county of Nottingham, but taking to wife Dorothy, daughter and co-heir to Sir George Vernon, of Haddon, in the

the county of Derby, Knt. before-mentioned, (who, for his magnificence and hospitality, was called King of the Peak) he became possessed of that manor; of whom hereafter, and

(2d E.) HENRY the eldest, succeeded his father. He married 1st Margaret, daughter to Ralph Nevil, Earl of Westmorland, and had two sons, Edward and John; and a daughter Elizabeth, who married Sir William Courtenay, of Powderham, in the county of Devon. By his second wife, Bridget, daughter to John Lord Hussey, of Slesford, in the county of Lincoln, and widow of Sir William Morison, who (afterwards married Francis, Earl of Bedford,) he had no issue.

(3d E.) EDWARD the eldest, on September 27, 1563, succeeded his father; he married Isabel, daughter of Sir Thomas Holecraft, of Vale-Royal, in the county of Chester, and had a daughter Elizabeth, who was married to Sir William Cecil, Lord Burleigh, son and heir to Thomas, Earl of Exeter, by whom she had William Cecil, Lord Roos; but he died in Italy, in 1618, without issue; and the said Edward dying on the 14th of April, 1587, without issue male.

(4th E.) JOHN his brother, became heir, and died February 1, 1588, leaving issue by Elizabeth daughter to Francis Charlton, of Appley, in the county of Salop, Esq; nine sons and four daughters; Bridget, Frances, Elizabeth and Mary; of which the eldest married Robert Tirwhit, of Kettleby, in the county of Lincoln, Esq; the 2d, to William the third Lord Willoughby, of Parham; the 3d, to Emanuel Lord Scroop, of Bolton, and Earl of Sunderland, but had no issue; and Mary, died unmarried. Of the sons, who were

(5th E.) ROGER, Francis, Sir George; and six more, who died without issue. The eldest succeeded his father; and married Elizabeth, daughter and heir to the famous Sir Philip Sidney, but dying the 26th of June, 1612, without Issue,

(6th E.) FRANCIS his brother, became heir; as the title of Lord Roos, then enjoyed by Sir William Cecil before-mentioned, as son and heir of Elizabeth, sole daughter and heir of Edward, 3d Earl of Rutland, who had that title by descent from Eleanor, grandmother of Thomas, the first Earl, could not justly be enjoyed by himself, he procured a special patent, bearing date 22d July, 1616, whereby in consideration that he was then possessed of the land and barony of Hamlake, it was declared that he should therefore be accepted and called Lord Roos, of Hamlake; and that

that his son and heir should also enjoy the same name and title; to whom also the title of Lord Roos, reverted, by the death of this Sir William Cecil, and afterwards of George, Duke of Buckingham, without issue. He married first Frances, daughter and co-heir to Sir Henry Knevit, of Charleton, in Wilts, by whom he had one only child Catharine, married first to George Villiers, Duke of Buckingham, whose son, George, Duke of Buckingham, claimed the title of Lord Roos, and was allowed it; but dying without issue, it returned to the Rutland family as before-mentioned; and 2dly, to Randolph Mackdonnel, Earl of Antrim, in Ireland: by his second wife, Cicely, sister to Nicholas, the first Earl of Thanet, and widow of Sir Edward Hungerford; he had two sons, Henry and Francis, but they both died in their childhood; and the said Earl Francis, dying December 17, 1632, without issue male,

(7th E.) GEORGE, his next brother, succeeded him in his honour and estate. He married Frances, daughter of Sir Edward Cary, sister to Henry, the first Viscount Falkland, and relict of Ralph Bashe, of Stansted, Hertfordshire, Esq; and died without issue the 29th of March, 1741. We now return to Sir JOHN Manners, second son of Thomas, the first Earl, which Sir John marrying Dorothy, daughter and co-heir to Sir George Vernon, as before-mentioned, by her had Sir GEORGE Manners; John, who died at the age of 14 years; and Sir Roger who died unmarried; and a daughter Grace, married to Sir Francis Fortescue, of Salden, Bucks. Of the sons, the eldest married Grace, second daughter to Sir Henry Pierpoint, and sister to Robert, Earl of Kingston, by whom he had John his heir; Henry, and Roger, who both died young; and five daughters; Elizabeth, married Robert Sutton, afterwards Lord Lexington.—Eleanor, to Lewis Watson, Lord Rockingham.—Frances, to Nicholas Saunderfon, Viscount Castleton.—Dorothy, to Sir Thomas Lake, of Stanmore, Middlesex.—Mary, to Sir Sackville Crow. Their father dying in April 1623, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(8th E.) JOHN, who succeeded George, Earl of Rutland, married Frances, daughter to Edward Lord Montagu, of Boughton, and had four sons, George, Edward and Roger, who all died young; John, the third son and heir; and seven daughters; of which Frances, married John Cecil, the 4th Earl of Exeter.—Grace to Patrick Viscount Chaworth, in Ireland; and 2dly, to Sir William Langhorn, of Charlton, in Kent. Bart.—Dorothy, to Anthony, the second Earl of Shaftesbury.—Elizabeth, to James the second Earl

of Anglesea.—Margaret, to James Cecil, the third Earl of Salisbury.—Anne, to Scroop Viscount How, in Ireland.—Mary, who died young.

(9th E. and 1st D.) JOHN, who was heir to the 8th Earl, was summoned to Parliament by writ, April 29, 1679, by the title of John Lord Manners, of Haddon; but his father dying on the 29th of September the same year, he became the 9th Earl. He was by Queen Anne, on the 9th of March, 1703, created Marquis of Granby and Duke of Rutland. He married first, Anne Pierpoint, eldest daughter to Henry, Marquis of Dorchester; but was divorced from her by sentence of the spiritual Court, her issue disabled by Act of Parliament, to inherit any of his lands or honours, and he also enabled to marry again. His second wife was Diana, daughter to Robert, Earl of Ailesbury, and widow of Sir Seymour Shirley, of Stanton-Harold, in the county of Leicester, and had no issue by her, except a son, who died the same day he was born, and of whom she died in child-bed. He, on the 8th of January, 1673, took to his third wife Catharine, daughter to Baptist Noel, Viscount Campden; and by her, who died January 24, 1733, had two sons, and two daughters.—Catharine, married John Lord Gower.—Dorothy, to Baptist Noel, Earl of Gainsborough. And of the sons, which were

(2d D.) JOHN, born in 1676, and Thomas-Baptist; the latter died the 29th of June, 1705, unmarried; and the eldest, succeeding his father on the 10th of January, 1711, was the second Duke. He married first Catharine, second daughter to William Lord Russel, who was beheaded in 1683, and sister to Wriothesly Duke of Bedford; and by her, (who died the 31st of October, 1711) had five sons and four daughters; John, the late Duke.—William, born Nov. 13, 1697, died May 23, 1772.—Thomas, who died unmarried, 1723.—Edward, who died young in 1693.—Catharine, married Oct. 17, 1726, to Henry Pelham, Esq; brother to the Duke of Newcastle, by whom she had the late Duchess of Newcastle; and other children, and died in 1780.—Rachel, who died, 1721, unmarried.—Frances, married in 1732, to Richard Arundel, Esq; 2d son to John, Lord Arundel of Trerice, and died without issue in 1769.—Elizabeth, married to John Monkton, Viscount Galway, of the Kingdom of Ireland; and died March 22, 1739, leaving issue.—Wriothesly, died an infant. His Grace married January 1, 1713, to his second wife, Lucy, sister to Bennet Sherrard, late Earl of Harborough, by whom he had issue, Sherrard who died unmarried 1742.—Robert, a General in
the

the Army; who married January 1, 1756, Miss Mary Digges, by whom he has had 1. Robert. 2. John-James, born Jan. 11, 1762. 3. George, born Nov. 12, 1763. 4. Mary, born Nov. 26, 1756, married Jan 31, 1771, Nesbit, Esq; of Dirleton in Scotland, and has issue. 5. Lucy, born Jan. 2, 1758.—Henry, who died in 1745.—Charles, died December 5, 1761.—James, and George, who both died young.—Carolina, married first, in 1734, to Sir Henry Harpur, Bart. 2dly July 18, 1753, to Sir Robert Burdett, Bart. and died Nov. 10, 1769.—Lucy, born April 19, 1717, and married in 1742, to William Graham, Duke of Montrose. His Grace dying February 22, 1721, was succeeded by his son,

(3d D.) JOHN, the late Duke, who died May 29, 1779, and was succeeded by his grandson. His Grace was born Oct. 21, 1696; and on August 27, 1717, married Bridget, only daughter and heir of Robert Sutton Lord Lexington, by whom, who died in 1734, he had issue five sons and six daughters, all of whom died young, except John, late Marquis of Granby, born January 2, 1721, died October 18, 1770, in the life-time of his father; married, Sept. 3, 1750, Frances Seymour, eldest daughter of Charles, late Duke of Somerset, aunt to the Duchess of Northumberland; by which Lady, who died January 25, 1760, he had issue, John Lord Roos, born August 22, 1751, died June 3, 1760.—Charles, now Duke of Rutland.—Frances, born March 24, 1753, married July 9, 1772, to George, Earl of Tyrconnel, from whom she was divorced in 1777, and married 2dly Oct. 28, 1777, Hon. Philip Anstruther, 2d son of Jane Baroness Newark of Scotland, by Sir Alexander Anstruther, Bart.—Catharine, born 1756, died young.—Robert, born February 6, 1758, died 1782.—Robert Sutton, born February 2, 1722; died November 27, 1762, unmarried.—George Sutton, born March 8, 1723, who took the name of Sutton after the death of his brother Robert, and died Jan. 7, 1782. He married December, 1749, to Diana, daughter of Thomas Chaplain, of Blankley, in the county of Lancaster, Esq; by which Lady, who died May 13, 1767, he had issue, 1. George, born August 1, 1751. 2. John, born July 12, 1752, now in the Army, married April, 1778, Miss Manners, by whom he has issue. 3. Robert, born Jan. 5, 1754, in the Navy. 4. Charles, born February 17, 1755, married May, 1778, Miss Thornton, and has issue. 5. Diana, married in 1778, Thomas Dickens, Esq. 6. Harriot died an infant. 7. Louisa Bridget, born 1761, married, and has issue. 8. William, died an infant. 9. Thomas, born

born Feb. 24, 1756. 10. Francis, born in 1763, in the Army. 11. Charlotte, born in 1764. 12. Mary, born in 1766. His Lordship married 2dly, Feb. 5, 1768, Miss Mary Peart, by whom he has a daughter, born Aug. 4, 1770.

(4th Duke.) CHARLES, the present Duke.

CREATIONS.] Baron Roos, &c. Nov. 12, 1515. Earl of Rutland, June 18, 1525. Marquis of Granby, and Duke of Rutland, March 29, 1703.

ARMS.] *Or*, two bars, *azure*, a chief, quarterly of the *second*, and *gules*, the first charged with two fleurs de lis, of the *first*, and the last with a lion of the *same*, which chief was anciently *gules*, and the charge thereon is an honorary augmentation, shewing his descent from the blood royal of King Edward IV. [*Plate III.*]

CREST.] On a chapeau, *gules*, turned up with *ermine*, a peacock in pride, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two unicorns, *argent*; their horns, crests, tufts, and hoofs, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Pour y parvenir*. In order to accomplish it.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Haddon-Hall in Derbyshire; Belvoir Castle, in Lincolnshire.

HAMILTON, DUKE OF BRANDON.

THE most noble DOUGLAS HAMILTON, Duke of BRANDON and HAMILTON, Marquis of Hamilton and Baron of Dutton.

See the DUKE of HAMILTON in the Peerage of *Scotland*.

BERTIE, DUKE OF ANCASTER,

THE most noble BROWNLOW BERTIE, Duke of ANCASTER and KESTEVEN, Marquis and Earl of Lindsey succeeded his nephew Robert, the late Duke, July 8, 1779. He married first, Henrietta, daughter and heiress of George Morton Pitt, Esq; of Twickenham; but by her, who died April 23, 1763, he had no issue. He married 2dly, Jan. 2, 1769, Mary-Anne, daughter of Major Layard, and has issue one daughter, Mary Elizabeth, born July 24, 1771.

This family is said to have come into England with the Saxons, from a place called Bertiland, on the borders of Prussia; and of it was

LEOPOLD de Bertie, who in the reign of King Etheldred, was owner in a town in Kent, called Bersted, so named from himself; but he having a quarrel with the Monks of Canterbury about their tythe (wherein his eldest son was killed) he complained to the King in hopes of redress, which Alphegus, the Archbishop preventing, he solicited Suene, King of Denmark, to invade the realm, and assisting him therein, he besieged and took Canterbury, making prisoner the Archbishop, &c. And the death of his son was revenged, in the year 1014, by murdering every tenth Monk in the Abbey; but Etheldred afterwards prevailing over the Danes, Barbachins, the only son of Leopold, was forced to fly to Robert, King of France, for sanctuary, where his posterity remained till the year 1154, when

PHILIP de Bertie coming over with King Henry II. that King, for his valour, restored him to his ancient patrimony of Bersted. He had issue MARTIN, father of ROBERT; whose son WILLIAM, had issue EDWARD, father of

JEROME, who, hearing a Monk exclaiming at church against the murder committed by his ancestor, rushed in upon him and slew him; for which rash act he was excommunicated by the Archbishop; but going to Rome, he there obtained absolution, and afterwards became a great benefactor to that church; to him succeeded

ROBERT, father of another ROBERT, who by a daughter of —— Pepper, had issue

THOMAS Bertie, Esq; who, by a daughter of —— Say, of the county of Salop, had a son

RICHARD, who married Catharine, only daughter and heir to William, the last Lord Willoughby of Eresby, elder brother to Christopher, father of William, the first Lord Willoughby of Parham, and Widow of Charles Brandon, Duke of Suffolk, but this great Duchess being most zealous for the Reformation, drew both herself and her husband into danger, so that they were forced to fly beyond sea, settling in Poland till the death of the queen. During the time of their travels, this lady had a son, whom by reason of his being born abroad, was christened Peregrine; and had also a daughter Susannah, married to Reginald Grey, Earl of Kent, and afterwards to Sir John Wingfield, Knt. This

(1st L.) PEREGRINE, in the parliament of the 1st of Elizabeth, 1559, was made free Denizen; and upon the death

death of Catharine his mother, in 1580, claiming the dignity of Lord Willoughby of Eresby, was admitted to take his seat in parliament the 16th of January following. He married Mary, daughter to John Vere, Earl of Oxford, by Margaret his second wife, and sister and heir of the Half Blood to Earl Edward; and dying in 1601, left five sons, and a daughter Catharine, married to Sir Lewis Watson, afterwards Lord Rockingham; and of the sons, which were Robert, Peregrine, Henry, Vere, and Roger; the eldest succeeded his father. This

(2d L. 1st E.) ROBERT, in the 1st of James I. making his claim to the Earldom of Oxford, as also, to the title of Lord Bulbeck, Standford, and Badlesmere, and to the office of Lord High Chamberlain of England, as son and heir to Mary, sole daughter of the great family of Vere, after much dispute, had judgment in his behalf, for the office of Lord High Chamberlain; and the same year took his seat above all the barons. In the 2d of Charles I. he was advanced to the dignity of Earl of Lindsey; and on August 22, 1642, being chosen General of the King's forces at the breaking out of the Civil War, he on the 23d of October following, received his death-wound at the battle of Edge-hill. He married Elizabeth, only child of Edward, the first Lord Montagu of Boughton, by his first wife; and by her, who died November 30, 1654, had nine sons; of which Montagu and Roger were made Knights of the Bath, and the latter was married to Ursula, daughter and heir of Sir Edward Lawley, and left a son Robert, who died without issue.—Robert, 3d son, died in 1608.—Sir Peregrine, 4th son, married the daughter and coheir of Mr. Daniel Harvey, and left issue Elizabeth, his only daughter and heir, married to William Lord Widrington.—Francis, 5th son, was killed in the King's service in Ireland, in 1641.—Robert, 6th son, born January 1, 1619, first married Alice, daughter of Richard Barnard, Esq; 2dly, Elizabeth, 2d daughter of Sir John Bennet; and 3dly, Mary, daughter to Robert Halsey, Esq; and relict of John Crosbie, Esq.—Henry, 7th son, lost his life in the King's service at the battle of Newberry.—Vere, 8th son, died unmarried.—Edward, 9th son, born October 17, 1624, died December 25, 1686. And having also five daughters; Catherine was married to Sir William Faston, Bart.—Elizabeth, to Sir Miles Stapylton, Knt.—Anne, died unmarried.—Sophia was married to Sir Richard Chaworth, who was beheaded; and afterwards to Sir Abraham Shipman, Knt.

(2d E.) Sir MONTAGU, his eldest son, married 1st Martha, 3d daughter to Sir William Cockain, of London, Kt. and Alderman, and sister to Charles, the 1st Visc. Cullen of the Kingdom of Ireland, widow of John Ramsay, Earl of Holderness, and by her had five sons and three daughters. And by his 2d, who was Bridget, daughter and sole heir to Edward Wray, Esq; by Elizabeth his wife, daughter and heir to Francis Lord Norris, Earl of Berkshire; he had two sons and a daughter Mary, who was married to Charles Dormer, Earl of Caernarvon: And of the sons by the 2d wife, which were James and Henry. The latter married Philadelphia, daughter to Sir Edward Norris, by whom she had issue two sons and three daughters; of which James the eldest married Elizabeth, daughter of Roger Harris, of Winchester, Esq; by whom he left issue one son, Norris Bertie, Esq; Charles-Montague Bertie, the 2d son, was late Rector of Uffington, in the county of Lincoln. Of the daughters of the Earl, Eleanor and Anne died unmarried; and Catharine married Francis Clark, Esq. who left issue one son, Francis; and the said Henry married to his 2d wife, a sister of Sir Henry Fetherstone, Bart. by whom he left no issue; and died at Chesterton in Oxfordshire, in December, 1734.—James, the eldest son by the 2d wife, who was Lord Norris, by descent, in right of his mother, was created Earl of ABINGTON. Of the daughters by his 1st wife, which were Elizabeth, Bridget, and Catharine, the eldest married Baptist Noel, Visc. Campden; the 2d to Sir Thomas Osborne, Kt. afterwards Duke of Leeds; and the youngest to Robert Dormer, Esq. Of the sons by the 1st wife, which were Robert, Peregrine, Richard, Vere, and Charles; The latter married Mary, daughter to Peter Tryon; widow of Sir Samuel Jones, and by her had two sons and two daughters; of which Elizabeth, the eldest, was married to Charles Mildmay, Lord Fitz-Walter; but Maria died young, as did Thomas the eldest son; but Charles married Mary, daughter and heir to John Norborne, Esq; and had issue one daughter Susanna, married to Edward Hales, Esq; brother to Sir Christopher Hales, Bart. and three sons, 1st Charles, married Bethsheba daughter of Dr. Mead, by whom he had issue five sons, Charles, Richard, James, Montagu, and Vere. 2. Peregrine, 2d son, married Elizabeth, daughter of Edward Payne, and had a son Peregrine, born in 1739. 3. Norborne, 3d son, was Rector of West-Deeping, in the county of Lincoln.—Vere, 4th son of Montagu,

Montagu, Earl of Lindsey, died unmarried, as did Richard the 3d son; but Peregrine, the 2d son of the Earl of Lindsey, marrying Susan, daughter to Sir Edward Monins, Bart. had two daughters, Bridget, wife of John Earl Powlett; and Mary, who was married to Anthony Henly, Esq; and afterwards to Henry Bertie, Esq; 3d son of James, the 1st Earl of Abingdon. To Montagu, the 2d Earl, who died July 25, 1665, succeeded

(3d E.) ROBERT, his eldest son; who marrying Mary, 2d daughter and coheir to John Massingbred, of London, Merchant, by her had one daughter Arabella, who married Thomas Savage, Earl Rivers; but taking to his 2d wife, Elizabeth, daughter to Philip Lord Wharton, by her had five sons; and by his 3d wife, who was Elizabeth, daughter and sole heir to Thomas Pope, Earl of Downe, in Ireland, and mother of the 1st Earl of Litchfield, he had one son and one daughter, Charles and Elizabeth, who both died unmarried. Of the five sons by the second wife, which were Robert, Peregrine, Philip, Norris, and Albemarle; the latter died in January 1741-2.—Norris died unmarried.—Philip died unmarried, April 15, 1728.—Peregrine died without issue, July 10, 1711.

(1st D.) ROBERT, the eldest son, on the 8th of May, 1701, succeeded his father. He was in 1690, called up by writ to the House of Peers, as Lord Willoughby, of Eresby. On the 29th of December, 1706, he was created Marquis of Lindsey; and on the 29th of July, 1717, created Duke of Ancafter and Kesteven. He married 1st. Mary, daughter to Sir Richard Wynne, by whom he had issue, Robert, who died unmarried.—Peregrine, his successor.—Elizabeth.—Eleanor.—Mary died unmarried. He married secondly Albina, daughter of William Farrington, Esq; of Chislehurst in Kent, by whom (who married secondly James Douglas, Esq; and died July 29, 1745) he had issue, Vere, who died September 13, 1768, having married Miss Anne Casey, and left issue two daughters, Albina, married to George Hobart, Esq; brother to the Earl of Buckinghamshire; and Louisa, married April 19, 1778, to Charles Stuart, Esq; 4th son of John Earl of Bute.—Montagu, who married Anne, daughter of William Piers, Esq; she died 1782. He died December 12, 1753, leaving two daughters, Augusta, married to John late Earl of Westmorland and died in 1766; and Frances.—Robert, born November 14, 1741, married April 3, 1762, Mary, daughter of Montagu, late Viscount Blundell, and widow

of Robert, late Lord Raymond, and died 1771.—Thomas, died July 21, 1749.—Louisa, married in 1736, to Thomas Bludworth, Esq; and is since dead.

(2d D.) PEREGRINE, was born April 29, 1686, and on March 16, 1715, was summoned by writ to the House of Peers, by the title of Lord Willoughby, of Eresby, and on July 26, 1723, succeeded his father. His Grace married Jane, daughter and coheir to Sir John Brownlow, of Belton, in the county of Lincoln, Bart. and by her, who died in September 1736, had five sons and five daughters, Robert and George, who died infants.—Peregrine, his successor, the third Duke.—Albemarle.—Brownlow, the present Duke. His daughters were, Mary, married to Samuel Greathead, Esq; and died April 24, 1774, leaving issue.—Albina, married to John Beckford, Esq; on March 8, 1744; and died without issue in March 1754.—Jane, married to Major Matthews, and has issue.—Carolina, married March 31, 1753, to George Dewar, Esq; and died June 13, 1774, leaving issue.—Anne, who died in August, 1735. His Grace dying the 1st of January, 1742, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(3d D.) PEREGRINE, married first, May 22, 1735, Elizabeth, Daughter and sole Heiress of William Blundell, Esq; of Basingstoke in Hampshire, and Widow of Sir Charles Gunter Nichol, Knight of the Bath, by which Lady, who died December, 1743, he had no issue. He married secondly November 27, 1750, Mary, Daughter of Thomas Panton, Esq; of Newmarket, by whom he had issue.—Peregrine-Thomas, born May 21, 1758, and died December 12, 1758.—Robert the late Duke.—Mary.—Catharine, born April 15, 1754, died unmarried April 1, 1767.—Pricilla-Barbara-Elizabeth, the present Baroness *D'Eresby*.—Georgiana-Charlotte, born August 7, 1764, married May 25, 1779, Earl Percy, and has issue.—A son who died before baptism, September 1759. His Grace died August 12, 1778, and was succeeded by his only son,

(4th Duke.) ROBERT, late Duke, born November 4, 1756, and dying suddenly July 8, 1779, unmarried, was succeeded in the Barony of *D'Eresby* by his eldest Sister, the present Baroness, (whose husband, Sir Peter Burrell, Knight, in her right officiates as Lord Great Chamberlain of England) and in his other honours by his uncle,

(5th Duke.) BROWNLOW, the present Duke

CREATIONS.] Earl of Lindsey, November 22, 1626, Marquis, December 21, 1706, and Duke, June 29, 1715.

ARMS.] *Argent*, three battering rams, barways, armed and garnished, *azure*. [Plate III.]

CREST.] On a wreath, the bust of a King (named Barbicon) couped at the breast, *proper*, crowned ducally, *or*, being the crest of the Barons Willoughby. Their crest, as Bertie, is a pine-tree, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a pilgrim, or fryar, vested in ruffet, with his staff and pater-noster, *or*. On the sinister, a savage wreathed about the temples and middle, with ivy, all *proper*.

MOTTO.] *Loyalté me oblige*. Loyalty binds me.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Grimsthorpe, in the county of Lincoln.

BENTINCK, DUKE OF PORTLAND.

THE most noble WILLIAM-HENRY-CAVENDISHE BENTINCK, Duke of PORTLAND, Marquis of Tichfield, Viscount Woodstock, and Baron of Cirencester, born April 14, 1738, succeeded his father William, May 1, 1762, and married, November 8, 1766, Dorothy, sister to the Duke of Devonshire, by whom he has issue, William-Henry-Cavendishe, Marquis of Tichfield, born June 24, 1768.—Two sons, who died infants.—William-Henry-Cavendishe, born Sept. 14, 1774.—Charlotte, born Oct. 3, 1775.—Mary, born 1778.—William-Charles-Augustus-Cavendishe, born in May 1780.—William-Frederick-Cavendishe, born Nov. 2, 1781.

This Duke is descended from a very ancient and noble family in the United Provinces of Holland, of which was (1st B. and E.) WILLIAM Bentinck, who in his youth, was Page of Honour to William, Prince of Orange. In 1677, he was sent into England, by that Prince, to solicit a match with Mary, eldest daughter to James, then Duke of York; and on the 4th of November ensuing, they being married, the said Mr. Bentinck, was on their Majesties accession, made Groom of the Stole, and Privy Purse to his Royal Master, a Lieut. General of his Majesty's Army, Colonel and Captain of a Regiment of Dutch Horse, one of his Privy Council, Gentleman of the Horse, Baron of Cirencester, Visc. Woodstock, and Earl of Portland. And the next year, being appointed his Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary to the Court of France, he

filled that employment with equal honour to the King, and the British Nation, and outshone the magnificence and pomp of all the most splendid embassies ever beheld at that Court, and was one of the most celebrated Statesmen of his time. He married 1st Anne, sister to Edward, Earl of Jersey, by whom he had issue three sons and five daughters, viz. William, who died in his infancy.—Henry, second son, afterwards Duke of Portland.—Also another William, who died young in Holland.—Mary, eldest daughter, married to Algernon, Earl of Essex, and after his decease to Sir Conyers D'arcy, only brother to Robert, late Earl of Holderness.—Anna-Margaretta, second daughter, married to Monsieur Duyvenorde, one of the principal nobles of Holland.—Frances-Williamina, third daughter, married to William Lord Byron, and died March 31, 1712.—Eleanora, fourth daughter, died unmarried.—Isabella, youngest daughter, married to Evelyn Pierepoint, Duke of Kingston, and died on February 23, 1728. His Lordship, on May 16, 1700, married his second wife, Jane, sixth daughter of Sir John Temple, of East-Sheen, in the county of Surry, Bart. sister to Henry Lord Viscount Palmerston, and widow of John Lord Berkeley, of Stratton; and by her, (who died March 26, 1751) had two sons and four daughters. William, one of the nobles of Holland.—Charles-John, an officer in the army of the States-General, who died Feb. 1779.—Sophia, married March 24, 1739, to His Grace Henry de Grey, late Duke of Kent.—Elizabeth, married to Dr. Henry Egerton, Bishop of Durham, brother to Scroop, Duke of Bridgewater, and died 1780.—Harriot, married to James Hamilton, late Earl of Clanbrassil, in the kingdom of Ireland.—Barbara, married to William, now Lord Godolphin, and died April 15, 1756; and the Earl dying on November 23, 1709, in the 62d year of his age, was succeeded by Henry his son, by Anne, his 1st wife: which

(1st D.) HENRY was created Marquis and Duke, and made Captain-General and Governor in Chief of the Island of Jamaica, where he died (at St. Jago) July 4, 1726, in the 45th year of his age. He married on the 9th of June, 1704, Elizabeth Noel, eldest daughter and co-heir to Wriothefley-Baptist, Earl of Gainsborough, and by her, who died in March, 1737, had William late Duke of Portland, —George, a Colonel of Foot, born December 1715, and died March 2, 1759.—Anne, married to Lieutenant-Colonel Daniel Paul, died in Jan. 1749.—Isabella, married Nov. 8, 1739, to Henry Monk, Esq; of Ireland, and died Feb. 1783.—

Amelia,

Amelia, married to Jacob Arran Van Wassenar, one of the nobles of Holland, died in January, 1756.

(2d D.) WILLIAM, the late Duke, was born in March, 1709, succeeded his father Henry, July 4, 1726, and married July 11, 1734, Margaret-Cavendish-Harley, only daughter and heiress of Edward, Earl of Oxford, and Mortimer, by whom he had issue; Elizabeth, born June 27, 1735, married May 22, 1759, Thomas, the present Viscount Weymouth, and has issue.—Henrietta, born March 6, 1736, married May 28, 1763, to Lord Grey, now Earl of Stamford, and has issue.—William-Henry-Cavendish, the present Duke.—Margaret, born July 26, 1739, who died unmarried, April 28, 1756.—Frances, born April 9, 1741, who died in March, 1742.—Edward-Charles, born March 3, 1744, married Dec. 28, 1782, Miss Cumberland, eldest daughter of Richard Cumberland, Esq. And his Grace dying May 1, 1762, was succeeded by

(3d D.) WILLIAM-HENRY-CAVENDISH, the present Duke.

CREATIONS.] Baron of Cirencester, Visc. Woodstock, and Earl of Portland, April 9, 1689, 1. W. and M. and Marquis of Tichfield, and Duke of Portland, July 6, 1716, 2. Geo. 1.

ARMS.] *Azure*, a cross moline, *argent*. [*Plate IV.*]

CREST.] Out of a Marquis's coronet, *proper*, two arms counter, embowed and vested, *gules*; gloved, *or*; and holding each an Ostrich-feather, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two lions double quevée; the dexter, *proper*; the other, *fable*.

MOTTO.] *Craignez honte*. Fear Disgrace.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Bulstrode in Buckinghamshire, and Welbeck in Nottinghamshire.

MONTAGU, DUKE OF MANCHESTER.

THE most noble GEORGE MONTAGU, Duke and Earl of MANCHESTER, Viscount Mandeville, Baron Montagu of Kimbolton, born April 6, 1737, succeeded his father Robert, May 10, 1762; he married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir James Dashwood, of Kirtlington in Oxfordshire, Bart. Oct. 23, 1762, by whom he has had issue; George, Viscount Mandeville, born November 11, 1763, and

and died Feb. 23, 1772.—William, Viscount Mandeville, born March 3, 1768.—George-James, born in Aug. 1769, died May 17, 1770.—Frederick, born Nov. 8, 1774.—Caroline-Maria, born Aug. 10, 1770.—Anne-Maria, born Oct. 30, 1777.

The first of this noble family, (who took their surname from a sharp-pointed mountain, in Latin, de Monte acuto, in the county of Somerset) was DROGO de Montagu, whose Arms were, *azure*, a Grifphon segreiant, *or*.

To him succeeded WILLIAM de Montagu, and to him RICHARD, who was succeeded by DROGO, and Drogo by WILLIAM; and he by another WILLIAM, who all bore the Arms as above; but SIMON, the son of the last William, and Berta his wife, changed them to *argent*, three fusils in fess, *gules*; and having married Aufricia, daughter to Fergusus, King of the Isle of Man, descended from Orry, King of Denmark, had two sons,

WILLIAM and Simon, whereof the eldest married Elizabeth, daughter of Peter de Montfort, of Beaufesert, in the county of Warwick, and had four sons, John who died before his father; William, heir to his father; Simon, Bishop, first of Worcester, and afterwards of Ely, who began building the beautiful chapel on the North side of that cathedral, and bestowed great sums thereon, but his death prevented his finishing it. Sir Edward, 4th son, was Governor of the castle of Werk, under his brother, the Earl of Salisbury, which castle endured a memorable siege the 15th of Edw. III. which gave rise to the story of the King's falling in love with the Countess of Salisbury, and to the establishment of the Order of the Garter. This Sir Edward, who was a Knight Banneret, had summons to Parliament among the Barons, and having married Alice, daughter and coheir to Thomas Brotherton, Earl of Norfolk, 5th Son of K. Ed. I. had issue an only daughter Joan, married to William de Ufford, Earl of Suffolk.

WILLIAM, his eldest surviving brother succeeded his father, and was created Earl of Salisbury, 11 Ed. III. He was also King of the Isle of Man, and died January 30, 1344. He married Catharine, daughter of William, and sister and heir to Otho, Lord Grandison, by Sibylla, daughter and heir of John de Tregoz, a great Baron, by whom he had issue two sons, William and John; and four daughters; Sibylla, married to Edmund, son to Edmund, Earl of Arundel; Philippa, to Roger Mortimer, Earl of March; Elizabeth, to Giles, Lord Badlesmere; and Agnes

nes to John de Grey, son and heir of Roger Lord Grey, of Dreffencloyt.

WILLIAM the eldest, who succeeded his Father as Earl of Salisbury, contracted marriage with Joan, called the Fair Maid of Kent, daughter to Edmund Plantagenet, Earl of Kent; 3d son of King Edw. I. but Sir Thomas Holland alledging, in his petition to Pope Clement VI. a prior contract from her with him, and that the Earl unjustly withheld her from him; the Pope gave judgment against the Earl, who thereupon married Elizabeth, daughter and afterwards co-heir to John Lord Mohun; and by her had a son William, who was unfortunately slain at Windsor, 6 Rich. II. by his own hand in a tilting; and the Earl his father dying 3d of June, 20 Rich. II. we return to

Sir JOHN his brother, who married Margaret, daughter and heir of Sir Thomas Monthermer, Lord Monthermer, by Joan, of Acres, daughter of K. Edw. I. in whose right he had summons to Parliament from 31st Edw. to 13 Rich. II. when he died. He had issue four sons, John his heir; Thomas, Dean of Salisbury; Richard, and Simon, ancestor to the late Duke of MONTAGU; and three daughters, Sibyl, Catharine, and Margaret.

Sir JOHN the eldest son, succeeded his son in the Earldom of Salisbury; and in the 1st Hen. IV. was beheaded at Cirencester on January 5. He married Maud, daughter to Sir Adam Francis, widow first of John Aubrey, and 2dly of Sir Allan Boxhull, Knight of the Garter, by whom he had Thomas his heir; Richard, who died without issue; also three daughters; Anne, married 1st to Sir Richard Hankford, Kt. by whom she had a daughter, married to Thomas Butler, Earl of Ormond; 2dly, to Sir John Fitz-Lewis, Kt. 3dly, to John Holland, Earl of Huntingdon, and Duke of Exeter; Mary, 2d daughter, married William Lord Ferrers, of Groby; and Elizabeth, 3d daughter to Robert Lord Willoughby of Eresby.

THOMAS, who succeeded his father as Earl of Salisbury, married Alianore, 4th daughter to Thomas, and sister to Edmund, Earl of Kent, and was killed at the siege of Orleans the 6th of Henry VI. leaving an only daughter Alice, who was countess of Salisbury. She married Sir Richard Nevil, who in her right became Earl of Salisbury, and by her had two sons, John and Richard. John became Marquis of Montagu, and married Isabella, daughter to Sir Edmund Inglethorp, but was slain at Barnet, and died without issue. To him succeeded Richard his brother, who

also was Earl of Salisbury and Warwick, and was called the Great Earl of Warwick; he married Anne, daughter to Richard Beauchamp, Earl of Warwick, but was likewise slain at Barnet, and died without issue also.

Having done with this line, we now return to

SIMON Montagu before-mentioned, who married Elizabeth, daughter and heir of William Boughton, of Boughton, in the county of Northampton, and had Thomas his heir, who married Christian daughter to Thomas Basset, and had

JOHN his heir, who married Alice, daughter to William Holcot, by whom he had

WILLIAM Montagu, who married Margaret, daughter to Christopher Bouling, and had

RICHARD Montagu, who married Agnes, daughter to William Snelling, and had

THOMAS, who married Agnes, daughter to William Dudley, Esq; by whom he had John, who died without issue, and

EDWARD, who in 1539, was made Lord Chief Justice of England, and died in 1556. He married 1st Elizabeth, daughter of William Lane, Esq; and had three sons, Ralph, Thomas, and Robert, who all died young; and three daughters, Dowse, married to Sir Edward Watson, ancestor of the late Marquis of Rockingham.—Anne, to John Rouse, Esq.—Amey to George Lynce, Esq. His 2d wife was daughter of George Kirkham, Esq; by whom he had no issue; but by his third, who was Eleanor daughter of John Roper, Esq; ancestor of the Lord Teynham, he had five sons and six daughters; Elizabeth, married 1st to Richard Cave, Esq; son of Sir Thomas Cave; and 2dly, to William Markham, Esq.—Eleanor, to George Tyrrell, Esq.—Isabella, to Brian Lascelles.—Mary, to William Watts, Esq.—Margaret, to Robert Wood, Esq.—Agnes, to John Lane, Esq. Of the sons, which were Sir Edward, Roger, Simon, Thomas, and William,

Sir EDWARD, the eldest succeeded his father; he died January 26, 1602. By Elizabeth, eldest daughter to Sir James Harrington, he had eight sons and four daughters; Lucy married Sir William Wray.—Susan, to Sir Richard Sondes.—Elizabeth, died young.—Theodosia, was married to Sir Henry Capel, from whom the Earl of Essex is descended. Of the sons, Henry the eldest, and Thomas the youngest, died in their infancy; and of the surviving, which were Sir EDWARD, Sir Walter, Henry, Charles, James, and Sir Sidney; from the latter is descended the present Earl of SANDWICH; James, who was in 1616, Bishop of Winchester; Sir Charles married, 1st, Lettice, daughter

daughter of Henry Clifford, Esq; but by her had no issue; and 2dly, Mary, daughter of Sir William Whitmore, by whom he had issue three daughters, his co-heirs; 1st, Elizabeth, wife of Christopher Lord Hatton; 2d, Anne, wife of Dudley Lord North; 3d, Mary, wife of Sir Edward Bylke, of Stanstead, in Essex, Kt. From Sir Henry, descended the present Duke of MANCHESTER, and the late Earl of HALIFAX. Sir Walter married Anne, daughter to Henry Morgan, Esq; and died without issue.

Sir EDWARD, who was heir to his father, on the 29th of June, 1621, was created Lord Montagu of Boughton, and died the 15th of June, 1644, in the 82d year of his age. He married, 1st, Elizabeth, daughter and sole heir to Sir John Jeffreys, by whom he had an only daughter of her name, who was married to Robert Bertie, Earl of Lindsey, ancestor of the Duke of Ancaster. By his 2d wife Frances, 2d daughter of Thomas Cotton, Esq; he had three sons, Edward his heir. — William, who was Lord Chief Baron of the Exchequer, (and died 1707, in the 89th year of his age) having married Mary, daughter of Sir John Aubrey, by whom he had issue William, who married Anne, daughter and sole heir of Richard Evelyn, Esq; also a daughter ———, 1st married to ——— Drake, Esq; and 2dly, to Samuel Trotman, Esq.—Christopher, who died unmarried. And a daughter Frances who was married to John, 8th Earl of Rutland. The said Edward Lord Montagu married, 3dly, Anne, daughter to John Crouch, Esq; and Widow of Sir Ralph Hare, by whom he had no issue.

(2d L.) EDWARD, who was the 2d Lord Montagu, married Anne, daughter and sole heir to Sir Ralph Winwood, of Ditton-Park, in Bucks, by whom he had Edward his eldest son, who was slain in the attack of the Dutch East India ships, in the Port of Bergen, in Norway, August 3, 1665, in the 25th year of his age, unmarried; and Ralph his successor; also Elizabeth, married to Sir Daniel Harvey:

(3d L.) RALPH, who was the 3d Lord, was created Visc. Monthermer, and Earl of Montagu; and on the 12th of April, 1705, he was created Marquis of Monthermer, and Duke of Montagu; and having married, 1st, Elizabeth, daughter to Thomas Wriothesly, Earl of Southampton, and widow of Joceline Percy, the 11th Earl of Northumberland, he had three sons and one daughter; but by his second wife, who was Elizabeth, eldest daughter and co-heir to Henry Cavendish, Duke of Newcastle, and widow of Christopher Monk, Duke of Albemarle, he had no child. This Lady
died

died at Newcastle-House in Clerkenwell, the 28th of August, 1734. Of the issue by his first wife; Anne, was first married to Alexander Popham, Esq; by whom he had a daughter Elizabeth, married to Edward Viscount Hinchingbroke, by whom she had the present Earl of Sandwich; and she married secondly, Francis Seymour, Esq; brother to the Duke of Somerset; and the second husband of the said Lady Anne, was Lieutenant-General Daniel Hervey, who died in September, 1732, and she died in January, 1742. Of the sons, which were Ralph, Winwood, and JOHN; the eldest died at 12 years of age, and the 2d about 20; but the youngest, who on the 9th of March, 1709, succeeded his father, was the 2d and last Duke of Montagu; he married Mary Churchill, 4th and youngest daughter and co-heir to John, Duke of Marlborough, and by her, who died May 14, 1751, had three sons, John, George, and Edward-Churchill, who all died very young; and three daughters; viz. Isabella, who married William, Duke of Manchester, by whom she had no issue, but is since married to Edward Lord Beaulieu.—Eleanor died an infant.—Mary, married George, Earl of Cardigan, now Duke of Montagu; But his Grace dying July 5, 1749, without issue male, the honours became extinct. We now return to

(1st E.) Sir HENRY, 3d brother to Edward, first Lord Montagu, of Boughton; on the 19th of December, 1620, was created Baron of Kimbolton, and Viscount Mandeville, and afterwards Earl of Manchester. He married Catharine, 2d daughter of Sir William Spencer, 3d son of Sir George Spencer, of Althorp, ancestor of the Duke of Marlborough, and had four sons and two daughters; Elizabeth, was first married to Sir Lewis Mansel; Kt. ancestor to the late Lord Mansel; and 2dly, to Sir Edward Sebright.—Lucy, was married to Henry Hare, Baron Colraine, in Ireland. His second wife was Anne, daughter and co-heir of William Wincot, Esq; and widow of Sir Leonard Holiday, by whom he had no issue; but by his 3d wife Margaret, daughter of John Crouch, Esq; and widow of John Hare, Esq; he had a son George, from whom descended the late Earl of HALIFAX, and a son Sidney, who died unmarried; as likewise a daughter Susan, married to Lord Chandos. Of the sons by the 1st wife, which were Edward, Walter, James, and Henry; the last died without issue.—James, married Mary, daughter of Sir Robert Baynard, by whom she had issue, seven sons and a daughter Mary, married to Thomas Ewer, and dying in February 1665, was succeeded by James his

his son and heir.—Walter embraced the Romish religion, and was Abbot of Pontoise, in France.

(2d E.) EDWARD, the eldest, was called up by writ to the House of Peers, in his father's life-time, 1626, by the title of Lord Kimbolton. He died the 5th of May, 1671, having married first Susan, daughter to John Hill Esq; by whom he had no issue; 2dly, Anne, daughter to Robert Rich, the 2d Earl of Warwick, and by her, who died February 14, 1641, he had Robert, his heir; and two daughters, Frances married to Henry, son to Dr. Robert Saunderfon, Bishop of Lincoln; and Anne, to Robert Rich, Earl of Warwick and Holland; and 2dly to Richard, the 8th Earl of Clanrickarde. He married to his 2d wife, Effex, daughter to Sir Thomas Check, and widow of Sir Robert Bevill; and by her who died September 28, 1658, he had six sons, Edward, Henry, Charles, Thomas, Sidney, and George; and two daughters, Effex and Lucy. The eldest married Henry Ingram, Viscount Irwin. His 4th wife was Eleanor, daughter to Sir Richard Worsley, and widow first of Sir Henry Lee; and 2dly of Robert, the 2d Earl of Warwick. His 5th, wife was Margaret, daughter to Francis, Earl of Bedford, widow of James Hay, Earl of Carlisle; but by neither of the last had any issue.

(3d E.) ROBERT, in 1671, succeeded his father, he married Anne, daughter to Sir Christopher Yelverton, ancestor of the Earl of Suffex; and by her, (who afterwards married Charles, Earl of Halifax,) had five sons and four daughters; Anne married to James Howard, the 3d Earl of Suffolke.—Catharine to Samuel Edwin, Esq; but died a widow, December 29, 1731.—Elizabeth, to the Lord Ch. Baron Montagu, to whom she was 2d wife, and died in January 1735.—Eleanor. And of the sons, which were Edward, Henry,

(4th E. 1st D.) CHARLES, Robert, and Heneage, the two eldest died young; Robert, died in 1693, unmarried; Heneage, died at Venice in 1698, unmarried; and Charles, on the 14th of March, 1682, succeeded his father, and was the 4th Earl. On the 30th of April, 1719, he was created Duke of Manchester, and having married Dodington, youngest daughter to Robert Greville, Lord Brook, by her, who died February 6, 1720, had two sons, William, and Robert; and four daughters; Anne, Dodington, Elizabeth, and Charlotte; whereof the latter, on the 11th of June, 1724, was married to Pattee Byng, afterwards Viscount Torrington,

Torrington, and died September 14, 1759; and the eldest died unmarried. Of the sons,

(2d D.) WILLIAM, who was born in April 1700, on the 20th of January 1722, succeeded his father as Duke of Manchester. On the 16th of April 1723, his Grace married, Isabella, eldest of the two daughters of John Duke of Montagu; and dying without issue at Bath, the 21st of October, 1739, he was succeeded by his only brother. And his Lady, married secondly in 1743, Edward Hussy Montagu, Lord Beaulieu, by whom she has issue.

(3d D.) ROBERT, Duke of Manchester; he was married on April 3, 1735, to Harriot, daughter and co-heir of Edmund Dunch, Esq; who dying in October, 1755, left issue; George, the present Duke.—Charles Greville, born May 29, 1741, married Sept. 20, 1765, Elizabeth, daughter of James Bullmer, Esq; by which Lady, who died Dec. 29, 1774, he had issue, George-Charles, and several other Children.—Caroline, born February 19, 1736, and married in July, 1775, the Hon. Capt. Herbert, of the Royal Navy, and has issue.—Louisa, born in July, 1740, and died unmarried. This Duke dying May 10, 1762, was succeeded by his son,

(4th D.) GEORGE, the present Duke.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *argent*, three lozenges, conjoined in fess, *gules*, within a border, *sable*, for Montagu; second and third, *or*, an eagle displayed, *vert.* beaked and membered, *gules*, for Monthermer. [Plate 4.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a gryphon's head, coupéd, *or*; wings indorsed, *sable*; gorged with a collar, *argent*, charged with three lozenges, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, an antelope, *or*; armed, crested, and hoofed, *argent*. On the sinister, a gryphon of the *first*, gorged with a collar, *argent*; charged with three fusils, *gules*.

MOTTO.] *Disponendo me non mutando me.* By placing not by changing me.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Kimbolton-castle, in the County of Huntingdon.

BRYDGES, DUKE OF CHANDOS.

THE most noble JAMES BRYDGES, Duke of CHANDOS, Marquis and Earl of Caernarvon, Viscount Wilton, and Baron Chandos, of Sudley, and Baronet, was born Dec. 16, 1731; succeeded his father Henry, the late Duke, in December 1771; married first March 22, 1753, Margaret, sole daughter and heiress of John Nichol, of Southgate, in Middlesex, Esq; which Lady died August 14, 1768, without issue. He married 2dly, June 21, 1777, Mrs Elletson, widow of Governor Elletson, and sister of Luke Gammon, Esq; by whom he had issue, Charlotte Augusta Matilda, born Sept. 5, 1778, who died Oct. 9, following, at whose baptism their Majesties and the Princess Royal stood sponsors.—Another daughter born Oct. 1779.

This noble family is descended from Arnulph, a younger son of Roger de Montgomery, Earl of Arundel and Shrewsbury, and son of Hugh de Montgomery, son of William de Montgomery, Earl of Montgomery in Normandy. The said

ARNULPH took the name of Brugge from the castle of Brugge, being part of his father's possessions.

Sir SIMON de Brugge, or as it has been since called Brydges, was living in the reigns of K. Henry III. and Edward I. and was Lord of Brugge-Solers, in the right of marriage with the daughter and heir of the family of Solers. He had issue,

JOHN his heir; Hugh, Giles, Walter, and Eleanor; of whom the eldest was Knight of the shire for the county of Hereford, 16 Edward II. and had 108 shillings allowed him and the other Knights for their expences, and two shillings a day for six days going and returning. He had issue by Sarah his wife,

Sir BALDWIN Brydges, Kt. who married Isabel, daughter of Sir Peirs Grandison, by whom he had two sons, Sir Thomas, and Sir John. The latter married Alice, daughter of Hugh Hacket, and had issue Thomas, who by Maud, daughter of Thomas Henborough, had several sons; William, the eldest, married Alice, daughter and co-heir of William Estington; and Sir John, 2d son, was Lord-Mayor of London, 12 Henry VIII. and married Agnes, daughter of Thomas Ayloff; and his daughter Winifrede, married

ried, 1st, Sir Richard Sackville, by whom she was mother of Thomas, the 1st Earl of Dorset; and 2dly to William, Marquis of Winchester.

Sir THOMAS, (eldest son of Sir Baldwin) married Alice, daughter and heir of Sir Thomas Berkeley, by Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Lord Chandos, eldest sister and co-heir of John Lord Chandos, with whom he had the Manor of Coberley, in Gloucestershire. They had issue two sons, Sir Giles his heir; and Edward, who left a daughter, married to John, 2d son of Sir John Throgmorton.

Sir GILES, who died the 6th Edward IV. leaving issue by Catharine, daughter of James Clifford, Esq; relict of Anselme Guise; a daughter Cecilie, married first to Thomas Gates, Esq; and 2dly to John Welesbourn, Esq; and an only son

THOMAS, who married Florence, daughter of William Darrel, Esq; and had three sons and five daughters: Elizabeth married first to William Caffey, Esq; and 2dly to Walter Rowdon, Esq; Alice married to — Chicheley, Esq; Eleanor, to Sir Thomas Pauncefort; Joan and Anne died unmarried. Of the sons, which were Giles, Sir Richard, and Henry; the 2d by Jane, daughter to Sir William Spencer, ancestor of the Duke of Marlborough, left two sons, Anthony his heir, and Edmund.

Sir GILES, eldest son of Thomas, succeeded to the estate at Coberley, and died in 1511. He left three sons, John his heir; Thomas 2d son, who left a son Henry; William, 3d son; and four daughters; Ursula married to John Sydenham, Esq; Florence married Sir William Morgan; Catharine to Sir Richard Poole, Esq; and Anne, 2d wife to Sir Rice Mansel, by whom he had no surviving male issue.

(1st L.) Sir JOHN, eldest son of Sir Giles, in the 1st of Q. Mary, was created Baron Chandos, of Sudley, and died the 4th of March, 1757. He married Elizabeth, daughter to Edmund Lord Grey, of Wilton, and had four sons, Edmund, his successor; Charles; Anthony, whose daughter Catharine married Sir John Ashley; and Richard; and three daughters, Catharine married to Edward Sutton Lord Dudley; Elizabeth to John Tracy, Esq; Mary to George Throgmorton, Esq; 7th son of Sir George Throgmorton.

(2d L.) EDMUND, who succeeded, married Dorothy, 5th daughter and co-heir to Edmund Lord Bray; by her, who married, 2dly, Sir Francis Knolles, had Giles his successor; and William; and two daughters, Eleanor married to George Gifford, Esq; and Catharine to William Lord Sandes,

(3d L.) GILES, who succeeded, married Frances, daughter to Edward, the 1st Earl of Lincoln, and had two daughters; Elizabeth married to Sir John Kennedy; and Catharine to Francis, Earl of Bedford, by whom she had William, Duke of Bedford, but the said Giles having no issue male, and dying February 21, 36 Elizabeth,

(4th L.) WILLIAM his brother became heir. He married Mary, daughter to Sir Owen Hopton, and by her had Grey, his heir; Giles, who died without issue; and three daughters; whereof, Frances, was married first to Sir Thomas Smith, and afterwards to Thomas, Earl of Exeter; the 2d daughter married Sir Thomas Turvile; and Beatrice the youngest, married Sir Henry Poole; and the Earl dying November 18, 1602, was succeeded by

(5th L.) GREY his eldest son, who married Anne, daughter and co-heir of Ferdinando, Earl of Derby, and by her, (who afterwards married Mervin, Lord Audley and Earl of Castlehaven,) had two sons, George his successor; and William; and a daughter Elizabeth, married to James Touchet, Earl of Castlehaven, son of Mervin, by his first wife.

(6th L.) GEORGE, who succeeded, married first Susan, daughter to Henry, Earl of Manchester, by whom he had two daughters, Margaret married to William Brownlow, Esq; and Elizabeth, 1st, to Edward Lord Herbert, of Cherbury; 2dly, to William, the 2d Earl of Inchiquin; and 3dly, to Charles Lord Howard, of Escrick, and died in February, 1717. By his 2d wife Jane, daughter to John Earl Rivers, he had two daughters, Lucy married to Adam Loftus, Viscount Lisburne, in Ireland, whose only daughter and heir Lucy, married Thomas Lord Wharton, and was mother of Philip, Duke of Wharton; and Catharine. He died in February, 1654, but having no issue male, he gave the Manor of Sudley to his said wife Jane, who married George Pitt, of Stratfieldsea, in Hampshire, Esq;

(7th L.) WILLIAM, who succeeded his brother George, had three daughters, Mary, Frances, and Rebecca; but having no son, we return to

CHARLES, 2d son of John, the first Lord Chandos. He married Jane, daughter of Sir Edward Carne, by whom he had,

(1st Bart.) Sir GILES his heir, who was created a Baronet the 3d Car. I. and died in 1637. He married Mary, daughter of Sir James Scudamore, and had issue Sir John, Charles,

Charles, and Giles; also two daughters, Jane married to James Phipps, Esq; and Frances.

(2d Bart.) Sir JOHN, who succeeded his father, marrying Mary, only daughter and heir to John Pearl, of Acconbury, in the county of Hereford, Esq; had

(8th L.) JAMES his heir, who also succeeded to the title of Lord Chandos, on the death of William the 7th Lord, and died on the 16th of October, 1714. He married Elizabeth, eldest of the two daughters and co-heirs to Sir Henry Bernard, Kt. by whom he had, James, the father of the late Duke.—Henry, Archdeacon of Rochester, who married Annabella, grand daughter of Sir Robert Atkins, by whom he had; 1. Henry, 2. James, 3. Eliza-Louisa, married to Sir Robert Walters, 4. Annabella, married to Colonel Inwood, 5. Mary, married Simon Adeane, Esq. 6. Henrietta.—7. Catharine.—Mary, married to Theophilus Leigh, Esq; of Alderton in Gloucestershire.—Elizabeth married to Alexander Jacob, Esq; and after his death to the Rev. Dr. Dawson.—Emma, married to Edmund Chamberlain, of Stow, in Gloucestershire, Esq.—Anne, married to Charles Walcot, of Walcot in Salop, Esq.—Catharine, married to Brereton Bouchier, of Barnesley-court, in Gloucestershire, Esq; also fifteen other children who died young.

(9th L. 1st D.) JAMES, the eldest son, October 19, 1714, was created Viscount Wilton, and Earl of Caernarvon; and on the 30th of April, 1719, he was created Duke of Chandos. On February 27, 1697, he married to his 1st wife, Mary, only surviving daughter of Sir Thomas Lake, of Cannons in Middlesex, Knt. and by her, who died in December, 1712, he had; John, Marquis of Caernarvon, who married September 21, 1724, Catharine, daughter of Lionel, Earl of Dyfart, and by her had two daughters, Catharine, married first to Captain Lyon, and secondly, to Edwin Stanhope, Esq.—Jane married to James Brydges, Esq; and died February 24, 1776.—Henry the late Duke. Also four other sons and two daughters, who died young. He married to his second wife Cassandra Willoughby, sister of Lord Middleton, by whom he had no issue; she died in July, 1735, after whose death he married in April, 1736, to his third wife Lydia-Catharine, widow of Sir Thomas Daval, by whom, who died Nov. 18, 1750, he left no issue.

(2d D.) HARRY, his only surviving son, succeeded his father James, August 9, 1744; and December 21, 1728, married Mary, eldest daughter of Charles Lord Bruce, by whom he had issue one son and a daughter; James, the present

present Duke, born December 27, 1731.—Caroline, born March 29, 1730, and married March 17, 1755, to John Leigh, Esq; of Addlethorpe, in Gloucestershire. The Duchess dying in 1731, his Grace married to his second wife, in 1745, Mrs. Anne Wells, by which Lady, who died August 12, 1759, he had issue Augusta, born October, 6, 1748, married January 20, 1778, Henry-John Kearney, Esq; and died March 20, 1779. His Grace married July 18, 1767, his third wife, Miss Major, daughter of Sir John Major, Bart. by whom he had no issue; and dying November 28, 1771, was succeeded by his son,

(3d D.) JAMES, the present Duke.

CREATIONS.] Baron Chandos, of Sudley Castle, in the county of Gloucester, April 8, 1553, the 1st of Queen Mary. Baronet, May 17, 1627, 3 Car. 1. Viscount Wilton, in the county of Hereford, and Earl of the county of Caernarvon, October 19, 1714. 1 George I. and Marquis of Caernarvon, and Duke of Chandos, in the county of Hereford, April 30, 1719, 5 George I.

ARMS.] *Argent*, on a cross, *sable*, a leopard's head, *or*, [Plate IV.]

CREST.] On a wreath the bust of an old man, side-faced, *proper*, wreathed about the temples, *argent* and *azure*, vested paly of the *first* and *gules*, and semi of roundels counter-changed, the cape *ermine*, and on his head a cap, *or*, lined with white fur.

SUPPORTERS.] Two Otters, *argent*.

MOTTO.] *Maintien la droit*. Support the Right.

CHIEF SEATS.] Avington in Hampshire, Wilton-castle, in Herefordshire, and Aconbury in the same county; at Biddefden, near Ludgershall, in Wiltshire.

SACKVILLE, DUKE OF DORSET.

THE most noble JOHN-FREDERICK SACKVILLE, Duke of DORSET, Earl of Dorset and Middlesex, Baron Buckhurst, and Baron Cranfield, succeeded his uncle Charles, the late Duke, January 6, 1769, was born March 25, 1745.

Of this noble family, which is of French extraction, and were Lords of the Town of Sackville, in Normandy, from whence they took their surname, was

HERBRAN de Sackville, who accompanied William the Conqueror in his invasion of England, and had issue three sons, Jordan, Sir William, and Sir Robert; and a daughter Avice, married to Walter Lord Alfage and Hughville, in Normandy. Of the sons, Jordan died in Normandy; but Sir William, the second son, residing in England, had by Albreda, his wife, three daughters his co-heirs; whereof, Hodierna, married Matthew de Gernon, from whom the Duke of Devonshire is descended.—Agnes, to Richard de Anneslye.—Beatrix, to William de Clanville, Lord of Brhmholme.

Sir ROBERT, the 3d son, left issue by Lettice, daughter to Sir Henry Woodville, Knt. four sons, Sir Jordan, Stephen, Nigel, and Helias.

Sir JORDAN, succeeded his father; he married Ela, daughter to Ralph de Dene, Lord of the Manor of Buckhurst, in Suffex, with whom he had the said Manor, and by her had six sons, which were Sir Jordan, Richard, Sir Jeffery, Ralph, Guy, and Warren.

Sir JORDAN, the eldest, was a Baron in the reign of King Richard I. and married Clementia, daughter to John Vere, Earl of Oxford; and dying in the 9th of King John, without issue, was succeeded by

RICHARD his next brother, who was also a Baron, but dying without issue likewise, the estate devolved on

Sir JEFFERY, who married Constance, daughter to Sir Edmund Brook, Knt. by whom he had two sons, Jordan and Guy; and a daughter Joan, married to Sir William St. Leger, ancestor to the Lord Doneraile.

JORDAN, the eldest, married Maud Nomanville, by whom he had William and Bartholomew.

WILLIAM, who succeeded his father, marrying Clara, daughter to Matthew de Hastings, by her had a son

Sir JORDAN, who died in 1272. He married Margery, daughter and co-heir to Sir Robert d'Aguilon, and by her had

ANDREW his heir, who married Ermyntrude, daughter to Sir Roger Malyns; had issue another

Sir ANDREW, who died in the 9th of Edward II. He married Joan Mortimer, and left

Sir ANDREW his heir, who married first, Joan, sister and heir to John de la Beeche, and had three sons, Sir Andrew, John, and Sir Thomas; whereof the eldest died before his father, without issue; and John marrying Agnes, daughter to Sir Thomas Hoo, Kt. and dying without issue also, Tho-

mas the youngest became heir. Sir Andrew married 2dly, Joan Burgeis, by whom he had a daughter Alice, who was married to John de la Zouch; and a son

Sir THOMAS, who succeeded, and died in December 1432. He married Margaret, daughter to Sir Edward Dalingruge, and had five sons and four daughters; Joan, Catharine, Alice, and Elizabeth, which last married William St. John; and Alice to Reginald Malyns. Of the sons, which were Andrew, Richard, William, Edward, and John.

ANDREW dying in his father's life-time, left issue by Agnes his wife,

ANDREW, who succeeded his grandfather; but he dying without issue,

EDWARD his uncle, became heir. He married Margaret daughter to Sir Richard Wakehurst, and dying on the 29th of Henry VI. left

HUMPHREY Sackville his heir, who married Catharine, daughter to Sir Thomas Brown, ancestor to the Visc. Montague, and dying the 24th of January, 1488, left six sons and two daughters; Elizabeth and Catharine. Of the sons, Edward the 4th had by Joan, daughter to Sir Roger Kinaston, William his heir, who died the 19th of May, 1556, leaving a son John.

RICHARD the eldest son, married Isabel, daughter of John Diggs, Esq. and had four sons and six daughters, and died on the 18th of July 1523. Of the daughters, Joan married John Parker, Esq; Mildred, married Sir William Fitz-William; Mary to Robert Roberts, Esq; Catharine, to Sir John Baker; Margaret, to Sir Thomas Palmer; and Isabella the youngest, was the last Prioress of St. Mary's, Clerkenwell. And of the sons, which were John, Richard, John, and Edward; the 2d John was a priest; Richard married a daughter of Thomas Tatcher, Esq. by whom he left Anne his only child and heir, who married Henry Shelly, Esq; and the eldest,

JOHN, succeeded his father. He married Anne, daughter to Sir William Bullen (sister to Thomas Earl of Wiltshire and Ormond, father of Q. Ann Bullen,) and by her had several sons and daughters, whereof Anne was married to Sir Nicholas Pelham, ancestor to the late Duke of Newcastle; Isabel, to John Ashburnham, ancestor to the Earl of Ashburnham; and Mary to John Lunsford, Esq. The sons that lived to maturity, were, 1. Richard; 2d. Christopher, who married Constance, daughter of Thomas Colepeper, Esq;

Esq; and had John Sackville, Esq; whose wife was Joan, daughter and heir to John Downton, Esq.

Sir RICHARD, the eldest Son, married Winifred, daughter to Sir John Bridges, and by her, who married, 2dly, William Marquis of Winchester, had Thomas his heir, and a daughter Agnes, married to Gregory Fines, Lord Dacres.

(1st B. and E.) THOMAS, in 1466, succeeded his father, on the 13th of March 1603, he was created Earl of Dorset, and died suddenly as he sat at the council-table at White-Hall, April 19, 1608. He married Cicely, daughter to Sir John Baker, and by her had four sons and three daughters; Anne, married Sir Henry Glenham; Jane, to Anthony Brown, Visc. Montagu; and Mary, to Henry, the 7th Lord Abergavenny, And the sons, were Robert, Henry, William, and Thomas.

(2d E.) ROBERT, the eldest, succeeded his father, and died on the 23d of February 1609. By his 2d wife, Anne daughter to Sir John Spencer, and widow first of William Lord Monteagle; and 2dly, of Henry Lord Compton; he had no issue; but by his first, who was Margaret, only daughter to Thomas Howard Duke of Norfolk, he had three daughters; of whom Winifred died in her infancy; Cicely, married Sir Henry Compton; and Anne, first to Edward Earl of Hertford, and afterwards to Sir Edward Lewis Kt. Of the sons, which were Thomas, Richard, and Edward; the eldest dying in his infancy,

(3d E.) RICHARD the second son, on the 23d of February 1609, succeeded his father, and marrying Anne Clifford, sole daughter and heir to George the 3d Earl of Cumberland, (by Margaret, his wife, youngest child to Francis Ruffel, the 2d Earl of Bedford) by her, (who married, 2dly, Philip the 4th Earl of Pembroke) had three sons who died infants, and two daughters, Margaret married to John Tufton, Earl of Thanet; and Isabella, to James the 3d Earl of Northampton; but dying on the 28th of March 1624, and leaving no issue male,

(4th E.) Sir EDWARD, his younger brother, succeeded. He married Mary, daughter and sole heir to Sir George Curzon (by Mary, his wife, sister and sole heir to Sir Richard Levison) and dying on the 13th of July 1656, left two sons, Richard his heir; and Edward, who married Bridget, Baroness Norris, daughter and sole heir to Edward Wray, Esq; (2d Son to Sir William Wray, of Glentworth) but in 1645, being taken prisoner by the Parliament forces, was killed, leaving no issue; and his Lady was afterwards the 2d wife
of

of Montagu Earl of Lindsey, by whom she was mother of James the first Earl of Abingdon.

(5th Earl.) RICHARD Lord Buckhurst, marrying Frances Cranfield, eldest of the two daughters of Lionel Earl of Middlesex, by Anne his 2d wife, daughter to James Bret, Esq; (by Anne his wife, sister to Mary Countess of Buckingham) and at length sole heir to Lionel Earl of Middlesex, her brother, by her had seven sons and six daughters; and died on August 27, 1677. Of the daughters, Elizabeth, Anne, and Catharine, died young; Mary was first married to Robert Boyle, the 2d Earl of Orrery; and 2dly, to Richard Boyle, Visc. Shannon, both of Ireland; Anne, to Alexander Hume, the 4th Earl Hume, in Scotland; and Frances, to Sir George Lane, created Visc. Lanesborough in Ireland, by whom she had a daughter Frances, married to Henry Fox, Esq; and had issue, George Fox Lane, Esq; and Sackville Fox, Esq; also two daughters, Jane and Anne. Of the sons, Edward the second, died unmarried; Richard the 4th, died in August 1712, without issue; and all the rest died young, except

(6th E.) CHARLES Lord Buckhurst, who succeeded his father in 1677, and being possessed of the estate of his uncle, Lionel Earl of Middlesex, who died in 1674, he was on the 4th of April, 1675, created Earl of that county, and Baron of Cranfield, in the county of Bedford. He married, first, Elizabeth, daughter to Harvey Bagot, Esq; (a younger son to Sir Harvey Bagot, Bart.) widow of Charles Berkeley, Earl of Falmouth, by whom he had no issue. His 2d wife was Mary, daughter to James the 3d Earl of Northampton, and by her, who died Aug. 16, 1691, he had Lionel Cranfield Sackville, his heir; and a daughter, married to Henry Somers, Duke of Beaufort.

(1st D.) LIONEL first Duke of Dorset, who was born on the 18th of January 1688; on the 29th of January 1706, succeeded his father in the Earldom of Dorset and Middlesex; and on the 13th of June, 1720, was advanced to the dignity of a Duke. In January 1709, his Grace married Elizabeth, daughter to Lieut. General Walter-Philip Collyear, brother to David Earl of Portmore in Scotland, and by her, who died Jan. 1, 1768, his Grace had issue; Anne, born 1709, who died on the 23d of March, 1721, in the 10th year of her age. — Charles the late Duke. — Elizabeth, born 1712, who on the 6th of December 1726, was married to Thomas Thynne, Visc. Weymouth, but died before cohabitation, June 29, 1729, while his Lord-

ship was on his Travels.—John-Philip Sackville, born June 22, 1713; and married in 1744, Frances, 4th daughter to John Earl Gower, sister of the present Earl, who died December 3, 1765, by whom he left issue, John-Frederick Sackville, the present Duke, and a daughter Mary, born April 1, 1746, married April 30, 1767, to the Earl of Thanet, and died in Sept. 1778, leaving issue.—George, the present Viscount Sackville.—Carolina, born March 6, 1717-18, married July 27, 1742, to Joseph Damer, Esq; since created Lord Milton, by whom she had issue, and died in March, 1775. His Grace dying October 9, 1763, was succeeded by his son,

(2d D.) CHARLES, born Feb. 25, 1711; who married in 1743, Grace daughter of Visc. Shannon, and she died, May 10th, 1763, without issue. His Grace also dying, Jan. 6, 1769, was succeeded by his nephew,

(3d D.) JOHN-FREDERICK, the present Duke.

CREATIONS.] Baron Buckhurst, in the county of Suffex, June 8, 1567, 9 Eliz. Earl of the county of Dorset, March 13, 1603, 1 Jac. I. Baron Cranfield of Cranfield, in the county of Bedford, Earl of the county of Middlesex, April 4, 1675, 27 Car. II. and Duke of the county of Dorset, June 13, 1720, 6 Geo. II.

ARMS.] Quarterly, *or* and *gules*, a bend over all, *vair*. [Plate IV.]

CREST.] Out of a ducal coronet, *or*, an estoile of eight points, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two leopards, *argent*, spotted *sable*, collared, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Aut nunquam tentes, aut perfice*. Either never attempt or accomplish.

CHIEF SEAT.] Knowle in Kent.

EGERTON, DUKE OF BRIDGEWATER.

THE most noble FRANCIS EGERTON, Duke of BRIDGEWATER, Marquis of Brackley, Earl of Bridgewater, Viscount Brackley, and Baron of Ellesmere, was born May 21, 1736, succeeded the late Duke John his brother in 1748; and is unmarried.

In the Reign of William, the Conqueror,

ROBERT

ROBERT Fitz Hugh was Baron of Malpas, but leaving no issue male, this Barony came at length, by marriage of the heir female, into this family, of which was

JOHN le Belward de Malpas, who lived in the time of William Rufus. To him succeeded,

WILLIAM his son, who was living the 12th of Henry I. and was father of another

WILLIAM, who lived in the reign of King Stephen and Henry II. and was Baron of Malpas in right of his mother Letitia, daughter and heir to Robert Fitz-Hugh, as appears by a grant to Richard, youngest son of this William. The last mentioned William married Beatrix, daughter of Hugh Kiviliock the 5th Earl of Chester, and co-heir to her brother Ranulph, Earl of Chester, and had three sons, David, Baron of Malpas, Robert, from whom the present Earl of CHOLMONDELEY is descended, and Richard.

DAVID, who was stiled Dan David de Malpas, and sometimes Le Clerc, from his being Secretary to the Earl of Chester, married Margaret, daughter and heir to Ralph ap Eynion, and his sons were, 1st Sir William, 2d Philip, 3d Peter, surnamed Thorneton. Sir William, who was Baron of Malpas, left no legitimate issue; but

PHILIP his next brother, was possessed of the manor of Egerton near Malpas, and had (according to the custom of that age) the surname of Egerton; and dying before his brother William, left a son

DAVID de Malpas, alias d'Egerton, who continued the chief line, as next heir to his uncle; and marrying Cicely, daughter and heir of Randal de Thorneton, had

PHILIP his heir, who left six sons, David, Urian, Bryan, John, Richard, and Philip.

DAVID the eldest, marrying Isabel, daughter to Richard Foulshurst, had issue Philip, Urian, David, and Robert.

PHILIP, who succeeded his father, married Ellen, daughter to Sir John St. Peter, and had a son David, who dying no issue male, his uncle

URIAN succeeded as Lord of Egerton. He married Amelia, daughter to John Warburton, Esq; and by her had a son

JOHN, who was father of

Sir JOHN Egerton, who married Margaret, daughter to Sir John Fitton, and left issue, Philip, William, Ralph, Hugh, and Peter; whereof

PHILIP succeeded him, and was father of 1st William, who had no issue; 2d, John; 3d, Sir Ralph. This

Sir Ralph, married Margaret, daughter and heir to Ralph Basset of Blore; and from that marriage descended

Sir RICHARD Egerton of Ridsey in Cheshire, who, married Alice Sparks of Bicherton in Cheshire, and had issue a son Sir Thomas, and a daughter Elizabeth, married to Peter Warburton of Arley in Cheshire, Bart. whose son Sir George Warburton was created a Baronet in 1660.

(1st B. and V.) Sir THOMAS Egerton, was by Queen Elizabeth, made Solicitor-General; and afterwards Attorney-General, and Master of the Rolls. In the 38th of Elizabeth, he was made Lord Keeper of the Great Seal; and by King James I. in the 1st of his reign, was created Baron Ellesmere, and made Lord High Chancellor of England; and in the 14th, he was created Visc. Brackley, and died in 1617, aged 70. He married 1st Elizabeth, daughter to Thomas Ravenscroft, of Bretton in the county of Flint, Esq; and had two sons, Sir Thomas and Sir John; and a daughter Mary, married to Francis Leigh, of Newham-Regis in the county of Warwick, Knight of the Bath, father of Francis, Earl of Chichester. He married 2dly, Elizabeth, daughter to Sir George Moor, of the county of Surry, Knt. widow of John Wooley, Kt. and 3dly, Alice, daughter of Sir John Spencer, of Althorp in the county of Northampton, Kt. and widow of Ferdinando, Earl of Derby; but by neither of these had any issue. Sir Thomas, the eldest of his two sons, died in Ireland in 1599, before his father, leaving issue by Elizabeth his wife, daughter to Thomas Venables, Baron of Kinderton, three daughters; Elizabeth married to Thomas Dutton, of Dutton in the county of Chester; Vere, to William Booth, son and heir of Sir George Booth of Dunham-Massey in the said county, Bart. from whom was descended the late Earl of Warrington; and Mary, to Thomas Lord Leigh, of Stonely in the county of Warwick, but having no issue male

(2d V. and 1st E.) Sir JOHN his brother, who was created Earl of Bridgewater; and having married Frances Stanley, 2d daughter and co-heir to Ferdinando Earl of Derby (by Alice Spencer his wife above-mentioned) had four sons, 1st, James; 2d, Charles, who both died in their infancy; 3d, John, Visc. Brackley, his successor; 4th, Thomas, who died unmarried; and eleven daughters. Of whom Frances the eldest was married to Sir John Hobart, of Blickling, Norfolk, Bart.—Arabella to Oliver Lord St. John, son and heir apparent to Oliver Earl of Bolingbroke.—Elizabeth to David Cecil the 3d Earl of Exeter.—Mary, to Richard the 2d Lord Herbert of Chisbury.—Penelope, to Sir Robert Napier

Napier of Luton Hoo in Bedfordshire, Bart.—Alice, to Richard Vaughan, Earl of Carbery.—Catharine, to William Courteen, Esq.—Magdalen, to Sir Gervase Cutler, Kt.

(2d. E.) JOHN, the 3d son, who on the 4th of December, 1649, succeed his Father, married Elizabeth, 2d daughter to William Cavendish, then Earl, afterwards Marquis and Duke of Newcastle, and by her, who died June 14, 1663, had six sons and three daughters; of which, John his heir, and William, were made Knights of the Bath at the coronation of King Charles II. and Elizabeth was married to Robert Sidney, Visc. Lisle, afterwards Earl of Leicester, who had issue by her Philip, John, and Joceline, all Earls of Leicester, who left no issue; and Thomas, who married Mary, one of the daughters and co-heirs of Sir Robert Reeves of Thwates in Suffolk, Kt. and died on the 27th of January, 1729, leaving two daughters his co-heirs, Mary, the widow of Sir Brownlow Sherrard, Bart. and Elizabeth, the wife of William Lorry, of Turville-Park in the county of Bucks, Esq; Frances the eldest, and Catharine the youngest daughters, died in their infancy; as did Henry the 6th son.—Sir William the 2d son, married Honora, sister to Thomas Lord Leigh of Stonely, by whom he had issue, John, who died young; Jane, Mary, and Elizabeth, who died unmarried; and Honora, married to Mr. Bagot: and the said Sir William dying in 1691, his Lady afterwards married Hugh Lord Willoughby of Parham.—Thomas the 3d son, married Esther, daughter to Sir John Busbey, of Addington in the county of Bucks, Kt. and had issue John Egerton, of Tatton-Park in the county of Chester, Esq; whose only son and heir Samuel Egerton, Esq; died 1780. Thomas, who died unmarried; William, D. D. and Manwaring, who died an infant; and Elizabeth married to the Reverend Mr. Leigh, Rector of Whitchurch in Shropshire.—Charles, the 4th son, married Elizabeth, eldest daughter to Henry Murray, Esq; by Anne his wife, Viscountess Banning of Sudbury; which Elizabeth was the widow of Randolph Egerton, Esq; she died Jan. 30, 1712, as he did Dec. 11, 1717, without issue.—Steward, 5th son died unmarried.

(3d E.) Sir JOHN the eldest son, born November 9, 1646, on the 16th of October, 1686, succeeded his father. He married 1st Elizabeth, daughter and sole heir to James Cranfield, Earl of Middlesex, by whom he had only one son, John, and one daughter, who died in their infancy; but by his 2d, who was Jane, eldest daughter to Charles the 1st Duke of Bolton, he had seven sons and two daughters; Mary,

Mary, married William Lord Byron.—Elizabeth, to Thomas Lord Paget. Of the seven sons, Charles Visc. Brackley, and Thomas, were both unfortunately burnt in their beds by the great fire at Bridewater-house, in Barbican, in April, 1687.—Scroop, the 3d, on the 16th of March, 1701, succeeded his father in the Earldom.—William, 4th son, married Anna-Maria, daughter of Sir George Saunders, and died July 13, 1732, leaving issue three daughters, Jane, Henrietta, and Anne.—Henry 5th son, taking holy orders, was made one of the canons of Christ-Church in Oxford, in 1716, being then Rector of Whitchurch in Shropshire, and one of his Majesty's chaplains; and on the 2d of February, 1724, was consecrated Bishop of Hereford. He married Dec. 18, 1720, Elizabeth-Ariane, daughter of William Earl of Portland, by whom, who died 1780, he had issue five sons: 1st, John the present Bishop of Durham, who married in Nov. 1748, Anne-Sophia, daughter of the Duke of Kent, by his 2d wife, Sophia Bentinck, daughter to William Earl of Portland, by whom he had 2 sons, John, born Aug. 29, 1749; and a daughter Frances, married 1774, to Sir Abraham Hume, Bart. William, 2d son of the bishop, married Aug. 15, 1751, Miss Mary Kirke, by whom he has three daughters; Arian-Margaret, Elizabeth-Mary, and Isabella-Frances. The Bishop married 2dly, in April, 1782, Miss Boughton of Durham, sister of Sir Edward Boughton, Bart. The rest of the children of Henry late Bishop of Hereford, were Henry, Charles, James, and Anne: and their father died in April, 1746.—John, 6th son of the Earl, and next brother to the Bishop, was Page to the Duke of Gloucester, he died unmarried.—Charles, 7th and youngest son, died Nov. 7, 1725, having married Catharine youngest daughter of Francis Grevile, Esq; and sister to Fulk and William Lords Brook, who died July, 1735, by whom he had issue; 1. Scroop, who married Miss Sarah Pope, by whom, (at his death April 23, 1767) he left issue two sons and a daughter, viz. 1. Scroop, (whose only son Dodington, died Sept. 12, 1773.) Dodington, Elizabeth. 2. Dodington, who married Catharine, daughter of the late Edward Gerrard, Esq; of Salisbury. 3. Catharine, who died unmarried.

(1st D.) SCROOP, the 3d son, who succeeded his father as above, was born Aug. 11, 1681, and June 13, 1720, was created Marquis of Brackley and Duke of Bridgewater. He married 1st Elizabeth Churchill, 3d daughter and co-heir to John Duke of Marlborough, and by her (who died on 22d of

of March, 1714, in the 27th year of her age) had John Visc. Brackley, born February 3d, 1704, and died on the 30th of January 1719: another son, who died soon after he was born; and Anne, born Dec. 19, 1705, who married April 22, 1725, 1st Wriothesly Duke of Bedford; and 2dly June, 1733, William Earl of Jersey; and died April 15, 1763, leaving issue. On the 4th of August, 1722, his Grace marrying to his 2d wife, Rachel, sister to the said Wriothesly Duke of Bedford; had by her, Louisa, born April 30, 1723, married March 28, 1748, to Lord Visc. Trentham, now Earl Gower, and died March 14, 1762, leaving issue.—Caroline, born May 21, 1724.—Charles Marquis of Brackley, born June 27, 1725, who died May 2, 1731.—John the late Duke, born April 29, 1727.—William born January 15, 1729, and died next month.—Thomas, born April 18, 1730, and died an infant.—Diana, born March 3, 1732, married March 9, 1753, to Frederick Lord Baltimore, and died July 18, 1758, without issue.—Francis the late Duke. His Grace dying on 11th of January, 1745, was succeeded by his son John, and her Grace married 2dly in Dec. 1745, Sir Richard Lyttleton, Kt. of the Bath, brother to George, late Lord Lyttleton, and died in May 22, 1777, without issue by him.

(2d D.) JOHN, died March 8, 1748, unmarried, and was succeeded by his only surviving brother,

(3d D.) FRANCIS, now Duke of Bridgewater.

CREATIONS.] Baron Ellesmere of Ellesmere in the county of Salop, July 17, 1603, 1 Jac. I. Visc. of Brackley in the county of Northampton, November 7, 1616, 14 Jac. I. Earl of Bridgewater in the county of Somerset, May 17, 15 Jac. I. Marquis of Brackley, and Duke of Bridgewater, June 13, 1720, 6 Geo. I.

ARMS.] *Argent*, a lion rampant, *gules*, between three pheons heads, *sable*. [Plate IV.]

CREST.] On a chapeau, *gules*, turned up, *ermine*, a lion rampant of the *first*, holding a pheon, *or*, headed and feathered, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, an horse, *argent*, gorged with a ducal coronet, *or*. On the sinister, a griffon segreant, *or*, gorged, with a plain collar and chain, *azure*.

MOTTO.] *Sic, donec*. Thus, until.—

CHIEF SEAT.] At Ashridge in the county of Bucks.

PELHAM-CLINTON, DUKE OF NEWCASTLE.

THE most noble HENRY-FYNES PELHAM-CLINTON, Duke of NEWCASTLE-UNDER-LINE, in the County of Stafford, Earl of Lincoln, Knight of the Garter, was born April 20, 1720, succeeded his brother George as Earl of Lincoln, April 30, 1730, and succeeded to the title of Duke of Newcastle, upon the death of Thomas, the late Duke, November 17, 1768. He married October 3, 1744, Catharine, eldest daughter to Henry Pelham, brother to the late Duke of Newcastle, by which Lady, who died July 27, 1760, he had issue, George, born November 26, 1745, and died in August, 1752.—Henry, Earl of Lincoln, born November 5, 1750, who married in May, 1775, Frances, daughter of the Earl of Hertford, and died Oct. 22, 1778. By his Lady he had a son Henry Pelham, born Dec. 23, 1777, who died Sept. 1779, and a daughter Catharine, born April 6, 1776.—Thomas, present Earl of Lincoln, born July, 1762, married Jan. 25, 1782, Maria, youngest daughter of the late and sister of the present Earl of Harrington.—John, born September 13, 1755, who died in October, 1781.

Sir THOMAS Pelham, on the 29th of December, 1706, was created Baron Pelham of Laughton, and died the 13th of Feb. 1712. He married first Elizabeth, daughter to Sir William Jones, Attorney-General to King Charles II. and by her, who died Oct. 13, 1681, had two daughters; whereof Lucy died in 1689; and Elizabeth, was the first wife of Charles Viscount Townshend. He married 2dly Grace Holles, 4th and youngest daughter to Gilbert Earl of Clare, and sister to John Duke of Newcastle, and by her, who died in Sept. 1700, he had two sons, Thomas and Henry, and five daughters. Of the daughters, Grace married George Naylor of Hurst-Monceaux, in Suffex, Esq; and died in April, 1710.—Frances, married Christopher Wandesford, Viscount Castlecome in Ireland.—Garthwright, married David Polhill of Otford in Kent, Esq.—Lucy married Henry Clinton, Earl of Lincoln.—Margaret, married Sir John Shelley, of Michel-Grove in Suffex, Bart. and died November 23, 1758. Henry, the youngest son, died on the 6th of March, 1754, having on the 29th of October, 1726, married Catharine Manners, eldest daughter to John Duke of Rutland, by whom, who died 1780, he had two sons and four daughters, viz. Catharine

rine born on the 24th of July, 1727, and married to Henry, the present Duke of Newcastle.—Frances, born on the 18th of August, 1728, married in October, 1752, to Lewis Watson, Lord Sondes.—Thomas, born on the 25th of October, 1729, died on the 28th of November, 1739.—Henry, born in April, 1736, died the day before his brother.—Grace, born in Jan. 1734.—Mary, born in Sept. 1739.—Lucy and Dorothy deceased.

(2d L. 1st E. and D.) THOMAS, the eldest son of Thomas Lord Pelham, born July 21, 1694, on February 13th 1712, succeeding his father in his honours; also by the last will and testament of his uncle, John Holles Duke of Newcastle, who died July 15, 1711, became possessed of the bulk of his great estate, on condition that he and his heirs should bear the name and arms of Holles. On the 26th of October, 1714, he was created Viscount Pelham of Houghton, and Earl of Clare, with remainder to Henry Pelham his brother, and his heirs male; and on the 2d of August, 1715, Marquis of Clare and Duke of Newcastle, with remainder as before, and was also created Duke of Newcastle-under-Line, with remainder to the Earl of Lincoln, the present Duke, Nov. 13, 1759, and Baron Pelham of Stanmer, with remainder to Thomas Pelham, Esq; now Lord Pelham, May 4, 1762. On the 2d of April, 1717, he married Henrietta, eldest daughter of Francis Earl of Godolphin, by Henrietta his wife, eldest of the four daughters and co-heirs of John Churchill, Duke of Marlborough. Her Grace died 17th of July 1778; and the Duke having deceased Nov. 17th, 1768, without issue, the title of Duke of Newcastle-under-Line, devolved to Henry Earl of Lincoln: to whose family we now proceed

This family takes its name from a place called Clinton in the Valley, (now Glimpton) three miles north of Woodstock, and is descended from William de Tankerville, Chamberlain of Normandy.

WILLIAM had three sons who accompanied William the Conqueror in his expedition. They were Osbert, Renobald, and William; of which the second had, by gift from the Conqueror, the Lordship of Clinton in Oxfordshire, and his descendants assumed that name. He had two sons, Jeffrey and William, of which the former was highly in favour with King Henry I. who gave him great possessions. To him succeeded Jeffrey his only son. He married Agnes, daughter of Roger Earl of Warwick, by whom he had Henry his only son, who marrying Amicia de Bidun, died without issue;

issue; and WILLIAM, brother to Jeffrey his grandfather, became the next heir male. He had issue OSBERT, who by Margery, daughter of William de Halton, had issue OSBERT, who died the 7th Henry III. leaving issue THOMAS his heir in his minority. He married Mazara, daughter and heir of James de Bisege, and had issue five sons, Thomas, John, Osbert, William and James. THOMAS, the eldest, married Maud, daughter of Sir Ralph Bracebrigg, and had issue,

(1st L.) JOHN de Clinton, who married Ida, one of the daughters and co-heirs of William de Odingsfells, Baron of Maxtoke, and had two sons, John his heir, and William; which William was made Earl of Huntingdon in 1337, but dying in 1354, without issue, Sir John de Clinton, Kt. his brother's son, became his heir.

(2d Ld.) JOHN, elder brother of the said William; was summoned to Parliament, among the Barons, the 6th Edward III. and by Margery, daughter of Sir William Corbet, had Sir John above-mentioned, who had summons to Parliament from the 31st of Edward III. to the 20th of Richard II. in which year he died. He married Idonea, eldest sister; and at length co-heir of William de Say, son and heir of Jeffrey Lord Say, by Maud, daughter of Guy Beauchamp, Earl of Warwick, and had three sons, Sir William, Sir Thomas, and Edward.

Sir WILLIAM Clinton, Kt. dying in the life-time of his father, left issue by Elizabeth daughter of Sir William Deincourt, Kt. by Alice, sister of Ralph Neville, the 1st Earl of Westmorland,

(3d Ld.) WILLIAM, who was heir to his grandfather; and thereupon bore the titles of Lord Clinton and Say, which their posterity continued in their title, although John his son and heir, by deed bearing date the 1st of Nov. 27 Henry VI. granted and confirmed to his kinsman Sir James Fienes, Kt. then Lord Say and Sele, and to his heirs and assigns for ever, the name and title of Lord Say; which James descended from the youngest sister and co-heir of the aforesaid William de Say, was an ancestor of the present Lord SAY and SELE. The said William Lord Clinton and Say, was summoned to Parliament from the 23d Richard II. to the 9th Henry VI. inclusive; and dying the 30th of July the year following, left issue by Anne, relict of Sir Fouke Fitzwarryn, Kt. and daughter of William Lord Botreaux.

(4th Ld.)

(4th Ld.) JOHN his son, who married Elizabeth daughter to Richard Finnes, Lord Dacres of the South, and died the 24th of Sept. 1464, and left a son.

(5th Ld.) JOHN, who married Anne, daughter of Sir John Morgan of Tredegar, and died the 28th of Feb. 1483, leaving,

(6th Ld.) JOHN his son, who succeeded him, and served the King in his wars of France; but he dying the 4th of July 1515, and having married Mary natural daughter of Sir Edward Poynings, left

(7th Ld.) THOMAS his heir, who the next year had summons to Parliament, but he died the 7th of August 1517, in the 28th year of his age, leaving by Joan his wife

(1st E.) EDWARD his heir, born in 1512. On the 4th of May 1572, he was created Earl of Lincoln; but died on Jan. 16, 1585. He married 1st Elizabeth, daughter to Sir John Blunt, widow of Gilbert Lord Talboys, and concubine to K. Henry VIII. by whom he had three daughters; Bridget, married to Robert Dimmock, Esq.—Catharine, to William Lord Borough, whose daughter married Sir Richard Bulkeley.—Penelope, married to Sir Edwin Sandys.—Margaret married Charles Lord Willoughby of Parham. By his 2d wife, Ursula, daughter to William Lord Stourton, he had three sons and two daughters, Frances, married to Giles Bridges Lord Chandos.—Anne to William Aycough, Esq; but by his 3d Lady who was Elizabeth, daughter, to Gerald Earl of Kildare in Ireland, he had no issue. The sons by the 2d wife, were, Henry.—Edward, who died unmarried.—Thomas, who married Mary, daughter of John Tirrel, Esq;

(2d E.) HENRY the eldest succeeding his father, married 1st Catharine, daughter to Francis the 2d Earl of Huntingdon, and had two sons, Thomas; and Sir Edward, of whom hereafter; and a daughter Elizabeth, married to Sir Arthur Gorges, of Filley, in Devon, Esq; and 2dly, Elizabeth, daughter to Sir Richard Morrison, widow of William, son and heir-apparent of Henry the first Lord Norreys of Rycote, by whom he had two sons, Sir Henry and Robert.

(3d E.) THOMAS, the eldest son, in the 1st of King James I. had summons to Parliament as Baron Clinton and Say, and succeeded his father in 1618. He married Elizabeth daughter and co-heir to Sir Henry Knevit, and by her had eight sons and eight daughters; whereof Elizabeth was married to John Berrisford, Frances to John
Gorges,

Gorges; and Susan to — Humphreys. Of the sons, Henry and Thomas died young;

(4th E.) THEOPHILUS, Edward, Charles, Knevit, Robert, and John; the third on Jan. 15, 1618, succeeded his father; he married Bridget, daughter to William the 1st Viscount Say and Sele, and had a son Edward, and six daughters.—Catharine married to George the first Lord Delamere.—Bridget and Lucy both died unmarried.—Arabella married to Robert Rolle, Esq.—Margaret, married Hugh Boscawen, by whom he had one daughter Bridget, on whom (in right of her mother, who was at length co-heir to her father Theophilus, and her sisters leaving no surviving issue) the Barony of Clinton devolved; and the said Bridget marrying Hugh Fortescue, Esq; of Filley in Devon, had issue Hugh Fortescue, Esq; who on the 16th of March, 1721, was called up to the House of Lords as Lord Clinton; and on July 5, 1746, was created Earl CLINTON, and Baron Fortescue; and dying unmarried May 2, 1751, the Barony of Clinton returned to the Earl of Lincoln; and his brother, by another mother became Lord FORTESCUE; the other daughters were Mary and Judith.

EDWARD, their brother, dying in his father's life-time, left issue by Anne, daughter to John Holles Earl of Clare, a son,

(5th E.) Sir EDWARD, who in 1667, succeeded his grandfather; he married Jane, daughter to Peter de Guliere, Lord of Verune in France, and dying in Nov. 1692, without issue, the Barony of Clinton devolved as above.

We now return to Sir Edward Clinton, Kt. younger brother to Thomas the 3d Earl, who married Mary, daughter of Thomas Dighton, Esq; and had issue Sir FRANCIS, who married Priscilla, daughter to John Hill, Esq; and had Sir Francis his heir, and Thomas, and a daughter Priscilla, married to Willoughby D'ewes, Esq;

(6th E.) FRANCIS, upon the death of Earl Edward became Earl, and died the next year. He married 1st Elizabeth, daughter of Sir William Killigrew, Kt. by whom he had a son Francis, who died an infant; 2dly, Susan, daughter to Antony Penniston, Esq; and by her, who died Sept. 3, 1720, he had two sons, Henry his heir, and George; and a daughter Susan, married to Robert Booth, Esq; and died in July, 1754; George, 2d son, was an Adimral of the navy. He married Anne daughter of Peter Carle, a Major-General; by whom, who died Aug. 5, 1767, he had

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had three sons and three daughters, of whom one son and one daughter died in their infancy; Mary, the surviving daughter married Robert Roddam, Esq; now an Admiral in the navy, and died Dec. 9, 1750. Henry, the surviving son, is a Knight of the Bath, and a General in the army, he married in Feb. 1767, Miss Harriot Carter.

(7th E.) HENRY, married Lucy, sister to Thomas Holles Pelham, late Duke of Newcastle, and dying on the 7th of Sept. 1728, in the 44th year of his age, by her, who died July 20, 1736, left two sons, George his successor; and Henry; and three daughters, Anne, Lucy, and Caroline; whereof the latter died Dec. 19, 1728.

(8th E.) GEORGE, who succeeded his father, dying on the 30th of April 1730, in the 13th year of his age, was succeeded by

(9th E. 2d D.) HENRY, who also succeeded to the title of Duke of Newcastle upon the death of Thomas the late Duke.

CREATIONS.] Earl of Lincoln, May 4, 1572; and Duke of Newcastle, Nov. 13, 1756.

ARMS.] *Argent*, six cross crolets fitchy, 3, 2, and 1, *sable*; on a chief, *azure*, two mullets pierced, *or*.

CREST.] In a ducal coronet, *gules*, five ostrich feathers, *argent*, banded, *azure*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two greyhounds, *argent*, their plain collars and lines *gules*.

MOTTO.] *Loyalte nà hontè*. Loyalty is not ashamed.

CHIEF SEAT.] Oatlands, in Surry.

PERCY, DUKE OF NORTHUMBERLAND.

THE most noble HUGH PERCY, Duke and Earl of NORTHUMBERLAND, Earl Percy, Baron Warkworth of Warkworth Castle, Lord Lieutenant, and Custos Rotulorum of the counties of Middlesex, and Northumberland, of the city and liberty of Westminster, and of the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Vice-Admiral of Northumberland, and of all America, one of the King's most Honourable Privy Council, and Knight of the most noble Order of the Garter.

His Grace, then Sir Hugh Smithson, Bart. having married July 18, 1740, Elizabeth Seymour, daughter, and at length

length sole heir of Algernon, Duke of Somerfet, (who had been created October 2, 1749, Earl of Northumberland, and Baron Warkworth, with remainder to the said Sir Hugh,*) succeeded to that Earldom and Barony on the death of Duke Algernon, Feb. 7, 1749-50: as did his Lady to the Baronies of Percy, Lucy, Poinings, Fitz-Payne, Bryan, and Latimer, which the said Duke had inherited from his mother Elizabeth, daughter and sole heir of Josceline Percy, the eleventh and last Earl of Northumberland, who died in 1670.

Sir Hugh, now become Earl of Northumberland, by act of Parliament passed the same year, assumed the name and arms of PERCY; and was afterwards advanced to the dignities of Earl Percy, and Duke of Northumberland, by patent, October 18, 1766. Among other great offices, which his Grace hath sustained, he was appointed in 1763, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, and in 1778, Master of the Horse to his Majesty. By his illustrious consort, who died December 5, 1776, aged 60, his Grace had issue, two sons, and one daughter, viz.

1. Hugh, Earl Percy, born August 14, 1742; who 1st married, July 2, 1764, Anne Stuart, third daughter of John Earl of Bute, by whom he had no issue: from her he was divorced in 1779; and 2dly married May 25, 1779, Miss Frances-Julia-Burrel, third daughter of Peter Burrel, of Beckenham in Kent, Esq; by whom he hath had issue, Charlotte Percy, born July 3, 1780, who died May 3, 1781.— Elizabeth Percy, born December 23, 1781; and another daughter born May, 1783. His Lordship succeeding to his mother's Baronies, is to be seen among the English Barons, (vide HUGH, BARON PERCY, &c.

2. Elizabeth-Anne-Frances Percy, born April 6, 1744, died May 27, 1761, unmarried.

3. Lord Algernon Percy, born January 21, 1749-50, married June 8, 1775, Isabella-Susanna Burrel, second daughter of Peter Burrel, Esq; above-mentioned; by whom he has had issue, Charlotte Percy, born June 3, 1776.— Elizabeth Percy, born March 31, 1777, died April 28, 1779.— George Percy, born June 22, 1778.— Algernon Percy, born August 20, 1779.— Elizabeth-Susanna, born December 29, 1782. His Lordship is at present Knight of the Shire for Northumberland, and Colonel of the Northumberland Militia.

* He was the day following created Earl of Egremont, &c. with remainder to his sister's son Sir Charles Wyndham.

His Grace, who, with his late Duchefs, have, with fo much Splendor and Magnificence, revived and represented the ancient and noble Houfe of PERCY; is himfelf descended from a very ancient family, which from the time of the Conqueft hath been feated in the North-riding of Yorkfhire, and derived their names from their original poffeffion of SMYHTON or SMETHTON in that diftrict, which name they long retained unaltered; and of this family was Elias Smeth-ton, * who about the reign of King Edward I. was Lord Prior of the Knights Hospitallers of St. John of Jeru-falem, which is fufficient to fhew how respectable this family was at that period, for the Prior of this order was required to be a Gentleman of the cleareft defcent, and fat in Parli-ament as the Premier Baron of this realm.

The name continued to be written Smethton or Smyth-ton, down to the reign of King Edward III. but then re-moving to Yafford, and purchafing Lands at Newfome, (both not far from their original refidence) they by an eafy tranfition, common in that age, began to write their name SMYTHSON, or SMITSON, and fo it occurs on feveral ancient deeds dated in Ann. 4, 15, 16, King Richard II. and in 4, 9, King Henry IV. Here the family continued feated till the reign of Queen Elizabeth, when Anthony Smythfon, Efq; of Newfome aforefaid, married Eleonor, daughter and heir of George Catherick, Efq; by whom he inherited Stanwick, near Richmond, which hath ever fince been the chief feat of this family. This ancient family of Catherick, bare for one of the quarters in their paternal coat, the fame arms (with difference of colour only) that had been borne by the ancient Earls of Richmond and Bretagne: which, as appears from a broken monument now extant in Stanwick Church, they had received by marrying the heirefs of a family, that was either descended from a younger fon of one of thofe Earls, or from one of their principal officers, who had re-ceived a grant of their arms, with the above diftinction. Anthony's fon finally became head of this ancient family. viz.

(1ft Bart.) Sir HUGH, created at the Reftoration, a Ba-ronet, August 2, 1660. He died in 1670, having married Dorothy, daughter of Jerome Rawfthorne of Plaitow in Effex, Efq; by whom he left iffue, three fons, viz. Sir Jerome Smithfon, Bart.—Anthony, father of Hugh Smith- fon, Efq; who left his eftates at Totenham and Armine to

* Browne Willis, Hift. of Mitred Abbeys, Vol. I. p. 129. 8vo. New- court's Repertorium, &c.

his Grace.—Hugh, whose grand-daughter Anne, married Thomas, late Earl of Strafford.

(2d Bart.) Sir JEROME died in 1684, having, married Mary, daughter and heir of Edward Wingate, Esq; by whom he had issue one daughter, Dorothy, wife of Thomas Pulleine, of Carlton in Com. Ebor. Esq; and his only son and heir,

(3d Bart.) Sir HUGH, who died in 1729, having had issue by Elizabeth, daughter of Marmaduke, the 2d Lord Langdale, two sons, Hugh and Langdale, and four daughters, who all died unmarried. Hugh, dying unmarried; LANGDALE, 2d son espoused Philadelphia, daughter of William Reveley of Newby-Whisk, in Com. Ebor. Esq; and dying in his father's life-time, left a daughter Dorothy, who died unmarried, and one son,

(4th Bart.) Sir HUGH, who succeeded his grandfather, and is the present Duke of Northumberland.

For the history and descent of the ancient Percy family, see the article of PERCY, BARON PERCY, among the Barons.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *or*, a lion rampant *azure*, the ancient arms of Brabant: second and third, *azure* five fusils in fess *or*, the ancient arms of Percy.

CREST.] On a chapeau *gules*, turned up ermine, lion statant, *azure*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a lion *azure*; on the sinister, an unicorn *argent*, ducally collared, chained, horned, and hooped, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Esperance en Dieu*. Trust in God.

CHIEF SEATS.] Sion-House, near Brentford, in Middlesex; Alnwick-Castle, Warkworth-Castle, and Prudhoe-Castle, in Northumberland; Stanwick, and Armine, in Yorkshire; Werrinton, in Devonshire; and, Northumberland-House, in Westminster.

BRUDENELL MONTAGU, DUKE OF MONTAGU.

THE most noble GEORGE BRUDENELL MONTAGU, Duke of MONTAGU, Marquis of Monthermer, Earl of Cardigan, and Baron Brudenell of Stanton-Wivill, born in 1712, succeeded his father, July 5, 1732, as Earl of Cardigan, and was advanced to the dignities of Marquis of Monthermer and Duke of Montagu, Oct. 28, 1766,

1766, and Knight of the Garter, having married July 7, 1730, Mary Montagu, youngest daughter, and one of the co-heirs of John Duke of Montagu; after whose decease his Grace, took the name and arms of Montagu. The Duchess died May 2, 1775, having had issue, John, Marquis of Monthermer, born March 18, 1735, created May 7, 1762, Baron Montagu of Boughton, and died April 11, 1770, unmarried.—Elizabeth, born May 29, 1743, married March 20, 1767, to the Duke of Buccleugh, and has issue.—Mary, born Sept. 6, 1750, died June 28, 1751.—Henrietta, born July 11, 1753, and died April 10, 1766.

In the reign of King Edward I. WILLIAM Brudenell died seized of Doddington in the county of Oxford, and divers lands in Berks and Bucks, and left two sons,

RICHARD Brudenell of Aynhoe in the county of Northampton; and Henry, who succeeded him at Doddington. To Richard succeeded

WILLIAM his son, whose wife was Agnes, daughter and sole heir to Thomas Grove of Agmondesham in Bucks, by Alice his wife, daughter and heir to Walter Le Raan, by Margaret his wife, daughter and heir to Sir John Blacket of Castleton and Saltford in the county of Oxford, Knt. and by her he had three sons, Edmund, William, and Henry; and two daughters, Margaret and Alice. Of the sons, Edmund the eldest, left no issue.—Henry the 3d, who was of Agmondesham, married Eleanor, daughter of Hugh Preston, Knt. by whom he had three sons, Edmund, John, and Robert; whereof Edmund was ancestor to those of that name at Shardelois (now the seat of the Drakes) which terminated in a daughter and heir; Elizabeth married to Thomas Cheyne, Esq; and from Robert descended the Brudenells of Stoke-Mandevile in Bucks. We now return to

WILLIAM the 2d son of William and Agnes Grove, who married Agnes daughter and co-heir to Robert Bulstrode of Hughely in Bucks, with whom he had that manor, and by her had

EDMUND his heir, who married 1st Agnes daughter and heir to Thomas Dipden, and had an only daughter Alice, who was married to Richard Waller; but by his 2d wife Philippa daughter to Philip Englefield, Esq; he had four sons, and two daughters; Joan married to Sir John Ewerby, and Elizabeth first to John Tirringham, Esq; and 2dly to John Cheyne, Esq. Of the sons, which were Drue, John, Edmund, and Sir Robert Brudenell of Dean in the county of

Northampton. Drue the eldest succeeded his father at Chalfont St. Peter's, and died the 14th of March, 1479. He married Eleanor daughter to John Broughton, of Toddington in the county of Bedford, and had five sons, and four daughters; Isabella, married Richard Isham, Esq.—Agnes, to John Abraal of Inchinfield.—Joan, to John Norris.—Elizabeth, to Henry Broughton of Warwickshire, Esq. Of the sons, which were Edmund, Robert, John, Thomas and George; the latter was a priest.—Robert died without issue.—Edmund succeeded his father at Chalfont. He married Jane daughter to Richard Hawkins of London, and by her had a daughter Elizabeth, married to Sir Robert Drury, ancestor of Sir Drue Drury, of Riddlesworth, Norfolk; who was created a Baronet the 7th of May, 1627; but the said Edmund her father having no issue male, we return to

Sir ROBERT, his father's brother, in the 12th of Henry VIII, was Chief-Justice of the Common-Pleas; and died the 30th of Jan. 1531. By his 2d wife Philippa, daughter to ——— Power of Blecheaden in the county of Oxford, he had no issue; but by his first, who was Margaret Entwissell, cousin and co-heir to Sir Bertram Entwissell, Viscount of Brickbeck, and constable of Constance in Normandy, and widow of William Wivill, of Stanton-Wivill in the county of Leicester, he had two sons, Sir Thomas his heir; and Anthony, who was of Clapthorne and Finedon in the county of Northampton, and Packington Pigot in the county of Warwick. He married Jane daughter to ——— Erlington, of Hackney in Middlesex, and by her had five sons and three daughters, viz. Margaret, wife of ——— Palmer, of Southwell in Nottinghamshire; Anne, and Rebecca; Edmund his heir, George, Robert, Thomas, and William, who died unmarried.—Thomas, who was of Glaston, married the daughter and heir of Thomas Warner, and by her he had two sons, and two daughters, Anthony, Edmund, Anne, and Elizabeth.—Robert the 3d son, was a merchant.—George 2d, was married to ——— Freeman, and by her had Paul Brudenell, who had issue Anthony, William, George, and Thomas.—Edmund, the eldest son of Anthony Brudenel of Clapthorne, &c. was seated at Stanton-Wivill in the county of Leicester; and he marrying two wives, 1st, Anne daughter of John Chancey to Edgecote in the county of Northampton, Esq; by her had no issue; but by Elizabeth his 2d, who was daughter of William Burnell, of Winckbourne in the county of Nottingham, Esq; he had two sons, and two

two daughters; whereof Agnes was married to John Flacket of Hanson-Grange, in the county of Derby, Esq.—Frances, to Roger Hurt. And of the sons, Robert died young.—Thomas succeeded his father. He married 1st Dorothy daughter to Henry Smith, of Withcock in the county of Leicester, Esq; and had four sons, and three daughters; Anne, married to William Orme of Hanch-Hall, in the county of Stafford, Gentleman.—Lucy, to Charles Agarde, of Croxhall in the county of Derby.—Dorothy, to John Browne, of Stretton Lifield in the county of Leicester. And of the sons, which were Thomas, Edmund, Robert, and Richard, the latter married Elizabeth, eldest daughter to Walter Littleton, of Saredon in the county of Stafford, doctor of the civil law.—Robert was a merchant in Spain.—Edmund, who died Sept. 30, 1637, married to his 1st wife Catharine, 2d daughter to Sir Edward Littleton of the county of Stafford, Bart. and by her had two sons, Edward, and Thomas; and by his 2d, who was Mary, daughter to Thomas Stavely, of Leicester, Esq; he had Mary, Robert, and Catharine; which Catharine was married to George Alsop, of Church-Langton, in the county of Leicester, and died March 4, 1684; but Mary her sister died unmarried.—Thomas the eldest son of Thomas and Dorothy Smith, marrying Elizabeth daughter to Nathaniel Humphreys of Barton in the county of Northampton, Esq; by her had four sons, and five daughters; Thomas, Charles, Edmund, Richard; Mary, Jane, and Elizabeth, died infants; a second Mary, the wife of Edward Price of Norfolk; and Dorothy the wife of Robert Baker of Litchfield. Thus having done with the descendants of Anthony Brudenell, youngest son of Sir Robert and Margaret Entwifell, we come now to

Sir Thomas the eldest. He married Elizabeth daughter to Sir William Fitz-William, and dying on the 15th of March, 1548, by her had five sons, and four daughters, Elizabeth, Lucy, Julian, and Mary; the latter was married to Nicholas Hare, Esq.—Julian, to John Harrington of Witham.—Elizabeth the eldest was married to Richard Griffin, Esq; and 2dly to Francis Smith, Esq. Of the sons, who were,

Sir EDMUND, Thomas, John, Robert, and William, the youngest died without issue; the eldest, who was knighted, died Feb. 24, 1584. He married first Agnes, daughter and heir to John Busley of Hougham in the county of Leicester, Esq; by Agnes his wife, daughter of Thomas Lord Burgh, by whom he had no issue; but by his 2d, who

was Etheldred, daughter to ——— Fernley, and widow of Anthony Roane, Esq; he had a daughter of her name, who was married to Sir Basil Brook, of Madeley in the county of Salop, Knt. but the said Sir Edmund dying without issue male,

THOMAS, his next brother became heir, and married Anne, daughter of Robert Topcliff; but he dying without issue,

JOHN, the 3d son succeeded. He married Mary, daughter to Robert Everard, of Shenton, in the county of Leicester, and by her had a son Robert, who died young; but leaving no issue,

ROBERT, the 4th son of Sir Thomas and Elizabeth Fitz-William succeeded. He married Catharine, daughter to Jeffrey Taylard, and by her had three sons, Thomas, William who died without issue, and John who was Lord of Okeley and Potton, in the county of Bedford, and of Gamlingay in the county of Cambridge; and a daughter Christian, married to Alexander Thorold.

(1st E.) THOMAS, the eldest son, who was seated at Dean, was, in 1611, created a Baronet; and afterwards was created Lord Brudenell, and Earl of Cardigan, and died in April, 1644. He married Mary, 4th daughter to Sir Thomas Tresham of Bushton, in the county of Northampton, (by Meriell, daughter to Sir Robert Throckmorton, of Coughton in Warwickshire, by Elizabeth, daughter of John Lord Hussey, relict of John Lord Hungerford) and had three sons and a daughter, of her name, who in 1630 married to John Constable, the 2d Viscount Dunbar in Scotland; and of the sons, which were

(2d E.) ROBERT, Edmund, and Edward, the latter died young; the 2d on the 15th of Aug. 1652, unmarried; and the eldest succeeded his father. He married 1st Mary, daughter to Henry Constable Viscount Dunbar, and by her had a daughter of her name, who was married to the Earl of Kinnoul in Scotland; and taking to his 2d wife Anne, daughter to Thomas Viscount Savage, had Francis Lord Brudenell, his heir apparent, who died before him; and Joseph who died an infant; also three daughters; Anna-Maria, 1st married to Francis Talbot the 11th Earl of Shrewsbury; and 2dly to George-Rodney Bridges, of Keynsham in the county of Somerset, Esq; and died the 20th of April, 1702. —Catharine, to Charles Earl of Middleton in Scotland. —Dorothy, 1st to Charles Fane the 3d Earl of Westmoreland; and after to Robert Viscount Dunbar in Scotland.

FRANCIS Lord Brudenell, who died before his father in 1698, married Frances, daughter to James Savile Earl of Suffex, and had two sons, and three daughters; Mary, married to Richard the 5th Viscount Molineux in Ireland.—Anne, 1st to Henry Lord Bellafise of Worlaby; and 2dly to Charles Lenox the 1st Duke of Richmond.—Frances, the youngest was 1st married to Charles Levington Earl of Newburgh in Scotland; and 2dly to Richard Lord Bellew in Ireland. Of the sons, which were George his successor; and James, seated at Stockton-Hall in the county of Lincoln, who died in August, 1746. He married Susan daughter of Bartholomew Burton, of Luffenham in the county of Rutland, Esq; by whom he had issue, 1. George-Bridges Brudenell his heir; Augustus, 2d son, who died in the 10th year of his age, in March, 1735, and two daughters, Carolina and Louisa, which last died in August, 1746. And

(3d E.) GEORGE, eldest son of Francis Lord Brudenell, in 1703, succeeded his grandfather as Earl of Cardigan. He married Elizabeth Bruce, eldest daughter to Thomas the last Earl of Aylesbury, and dying on the 5th of July, 1732, by her, who died in Dec. 1745, left issue four sons, and two daughters; Frances, married July 27, 1749, to Oliver Tilson, Esq.—Mary, 1st to Richard Powis, Esq; by whom she had issue, Elizabeth, married May 19, 1760, the Hon. Thomas Townshend, Esq; and Mary, who married April 19, 1762, the Earl of Courtown in Ireland. Their mother married 2dly, June 20, 1750, to Thomas Bouldby of the Bishopric of Durham, Esq. The sons were, George, his successor.—James, who was in 1780, created Baron Brudenell.—Robert, who married in Feb. 1759, Anne, daughter of Sir Cecil Bishop, Bart. and died October, 19, 1768, leaving issue. 1. Robert, born April 26, 1769. 2. Augusta, born July 8, 1760. 3. Charlotte, born Feb. 18, 1762.—Thomas Bruce the youngest, who, in February 1747, succeeded his uncle the Earl of Aylesbury, as Baron BRUCE, of Tottenham, in the county of Wilts, and since created Earl of Aylesbury.

(4th E. 1st D.) GEORGE the eldest succeeded, and was created Duke of Montagu.

CREATIONS.] Baron Brudenell, April 26, 1627, Earl of Cardigan, April 20, 1661, Marquis and Duke, Oct. 28, 1766.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first grand quarter counter quartered, the first and fourth *argent*, three lozenges conjoined in fess *gules*, within a border *sable*, for Montagu; second and third

or, an eagle displayed *vert*, beaked and membered *gules*, for Monthermer. Second and third grand quarter, *sable*, a lion rampant *argent*, and in a canton of the second the cross of England, for Churchill: the fourth as the first. [Plate V.]

CREST.] On a wreath a gryphon's head coupé, *or*, with wings indorsed and beaked, *sable*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a gryphon, *or*, beaked, winged, and four legs *sable*. On the sinister a wyvern, *gules*, collared, *or*, wings expanded, *gules*, charged on the breast in a canton, *azure*, with St. Andrew's cross, *argent*.

MOTTO.] *Spectemur agendo*. Let us be seen by our Actions.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Dean in Northamptonshire; at Blackheath in Kent; and at Windsor-castle as constable.

MARCHIONESSES.

DE GREY, MARCHIONESS GREY.

THE most noble JEMIMA DE GREY, Marchioness GREY, and Baroness Lucas of Crudwell, born 1722, only daughter of John, Earl of Breadalbane by Amabella Grey, eldest daughter and co-heiress of Henry de Grey, late Duke of Kent, succeeded to the title of Marchioness Grey, &c. on the death of her grandfather Henry, late Duke of Kent, June 5, 1740. She married May 22, the same year, Philip, now Earl Hardwicke, by whom she has issue two daughters,

Amabella, born Jan. 22, 1751, married the 16th of July, 1772, to Alexander Lord Polwarth, created Lord Hume of Berwick, who died without issue, 1781, and the title became extinct.—Mary Jemima, born Feb. 9, 1756, married Aug. 17, 1780, to the present Lord Grantham, by whom she has issue.

This noble family is descended from ROLLO or Fulbert, who was Chamberlain to Robert, Duke of Normandy; and of his gift had the castle and honour of Croy in Picardy, from whence his posterity assumed their surname, which was afterwards written De Grey. Which Rollo had a daughter, Arlotta, mother of William the Conqueror; and a son, JOHN, stiled Lord de Croy; and he marrying Adela, daughter and one of the heirs of William Fitz-Ober, son of Osbert, by surname Crespen, the son of Herfact, whose father

father was a noble Knight of Danish extraction, by her had Sir ARNOLD de Grey, Lord of Walter-Eton, Stoke and Rotherfield; who marrying Joanna de Pontdelarche, had ANSCHETIL de Grey, who (in the 20th of William the Conqueror, when the general survey was made) was possessed of divers lands in the counties of Oxford and Bucks. He left a son RICHARD, who was father of ANSCHETIL, whose wife was Eva, daughter and heir to Baldwin, Earl of Devon, and by her he had John his heir; and another son, who, in the reign of King John, was Archbishop of Canterbury; but the Pope prevailed with the Monks to choose Stephen Langton, a Cardinal of Rome, so that he never obtained the Pall, though the King seized on the goods and lands of the Monks whom he banished, and forbid Langton entrance into the realm.

JOHN his elder brother had by Hawis his wife; Sir Robert his heir.—Walter, Bishop 1st of Litchfield, 2dly of Worcester, and from thence translated the 17th of King John, to the See of York, to which See he gave the house called York-Place, now White-Hall.—Henry; and two daughters; Eva, married to William Briton.—Agnes was mother of John D'Oyly, of Stoke D'Oyly, in the county of Northampton. Sir Robert married Beatrix, daughter and heir to William de St. Luke, and by her had Walter de Grey, ancestor to the Barons Grey, of Rotherfield, which became extinct the 11th of Richard II.

HENRY de Grey, 3d son, married Ifolda, daughter and co-heir to Hugh, and niece and co-heir to Robert Bardolf, and had three sons, viz. Richard Grey, of Codnovre, in the county of Derby, whose descendants were Barons Grey of Codnovre, or Codnor, which terminated in Henry Lord Grey, who died 11 Henry VII. without lawful issue; but from Henry his natural son, the Greys of Langley in the county of Leicester are descended.—John.—William de Grey, of Landford, in the county of Nottingham, and of Sandacre, in the county of Derby, whose estate descended to the family of Leck, Earl of Scarfdale, by an heir female.

JOHN, the second son of the said Henry, dying in the 5th of Edward I. left issue by Emma, daughter and heir to Geoffrey de Glanvile, a son, REGINALD, and a daughter married to Robert de Tatshall; and the said Reginald married Maud, daughter and heir to Henry, de Longchamp, a great Baron, and died the 1st of Edward II. leaving JOHN, his son and heir, who dying the 17th of Edward II. left issue by Maud, daughter to Ralph Lord Bassett, of
Draiton,

Draiton, Henry his heir, from whom descended William Lord Grey, and Arthur Lord Grey, whose son, Thomas, the last Lord Grey, of Wilton, being one of the conspirators with Lord Cobham, Sir Walter Raleigh, and others, in their design of seizing King James I. and the Prince, and to take them first to the Tower, and thence to Dover-Castle, thereby to obtain a toleration of religion, was attainted of treason, and remained a prisoner in the Tower till his death, July 6, 1614; and his estate at Whaddon, in the county of Bucks, was given to Sir George Villiers, who was created Baron of Whaddon, and Duke of Buckingham.

ROGER de Grey, 2d son to John de Grey, and Maud his wife, married Elizabeth, daughter to John Lord Hastings, of Bergavenny, by Isabel, one of the daughters and co-heirs to William Valence, Earl of Pembroke, and his posterity became heirs to John de Hastings, Earl of Pembroke, and John his son and heir was contracted to Anne, daughter to Sir William Montagu, (afterwards Earl of Salisbury) and dying in the life-time of his father, and his father dying in the 27th of Edward III.

REGINALD, 2d son of Roger, succeeded, and had summons to all the parliaments, and died the 12th Richard II. He married Eleanor, daughter to John Lord Strange, of Blackmere, and had

REGINALD, his successor, who was famous for his disputes with Owen Glendour, concerning the situation of their lands, by whom being at length overpowered, he became prisoner to the said Owen, and paid a great sum for his redemption. He died the 19th Henry VI. having had two wives, 1st. Margaret, daughter to William Lord Roos, by whom he had a son, John; and by his 2d wife, Joan, daughter and heir to William Lord Astley of Astley, in the county of Warwick, and widow of Thomas Raleigh, Esq; he had three sons, of whom Edward, the eldest, married Elizabeth, daughter and heir to Henry, son of William Lord Ferrers, of Groby, whereby he became heir to the said Lord Ferrers, and bore the title of Lord Ferrers, of Groby, afterwards Grey of Groby, and his descendants became Earls of STAMFORD.—John the 2d, was of Barwell, in the county of Leicester.—Robert the 3d was of Enfield in Staffordshire. He had also by his 2d wife a daughter, Eleanor married to William Lucy, of Cherlecote, in the county of Warwick, Esq.

JOHN, eldest son by the 1st wife, dying in his father's life-

life-time, left issue by Constance, (only daughter to John Holland, Duke of Exeter and Earl of Huntingdon, widow of Thomas Lord Mowbery, son of Thomas Duke of Norfolk,) Edmund.—Thomas, who in the 28th Henry VI. was created Lord Grey of Rugemont, in the county of Bedford, and died without issue.—Alice married to William Knyvet, Esq.

(1st E.) EDMUND, the elder brother in 1441, the 19th Henry VI. succeeded his grandfather, and in the 5th Edward IV. was created Earl of Kent; and died in 1489. He married Catharine, daughter to Henry Percy, 2d Earl of Northumberland, and had four sons and two daughters; of which sons,

(2d E.) GEORGE, (the eldest surviving) succeeded him, and married first Anne, daughter to Richard Woodville, Earl Rivers, by whom he had a son Richard, his successor; and by his 2d, who was Catharine, daughter to William Herbert, Earl of Pembroke, he had Sir Henry Grey of Wrest in the county of Bedford successor to his half brother Richard.—George.—Anthony Grey of Branspeth of the Bishoprick of Durham, whose grandson at length succeeded to the Earldom, being the 10th Earl: as also two daughters, of whom Anne married John Lord Hussey, whose daughter Agnes married Sir Humphry Brown, Kt. one of the Justices of the Court of Common Pleas, whose daughter and co-heir Christian married Sir John Tufton, Bart. and was mother of Nicholas, the 1st Earl of Thanet; but dying in 1506.

(3d E.) RICHARD, by his 1st wife, succeeded him. He married Elizabeth, daughter to Sir William Hussey, and dying on the 3d of May, 1524, without issue, the Earldom descended to

(4th E.) Sir HENRY Grey of Wrest, his brother by the half-blood, who having married Anne, daughter to John Blennerhasset, and having but a small income, declined to take upon him the title of Earl, as did also

(5th E.) HENRY his son; but this last Henry having married Margaret, sister to Oliver the first Lord St. John of Bletshoe, had three sons, Reginald, Henry, and Charles; of whom,

(6th E.) REGINALD the eldest, in the 13th Eliz. 1571, re-assumed the title of Earl of Kent. He married Susan, daughter to Richard Bertie, Esq. ancestor of the Duke of Ancafter, by Catharine his wife, Duchess of Suffolk, and dying on the 17th of March 1753, without issue by her, who afterwards married Sir John Wingfield, Kt.

(7th E.)

(7th E.) HENRY, his next brother, became heir, and married Mary, one of the daughters of Sir George Cotton of Cumbermere, in the county of Chester, Kt. and widow of Edward Stanley the 3d Earl of Derby, but dying on the 1st of Jan. 1615, without issue also,

(8th E.) CHARLES his next brother, succeeded him and married Susan, daughter to Sir Richard Cotton, and by her had a son Henry; and a daughter Susan, who married to Sir Michael Longueville; and dying in 1623, was succeeded by

(9th E.) HENRY his son, who married Elizabeth, 2d daughter and co-heir of Gilbert Talbot the 7th Earl of Shrewsbury; but dying in 1639, having no issue, the title of Earl (by reason of the entail on the heirs male) descended to

(10th E.) ANTHONY Grey, then Rector of Burbache, in the county of Leicester, son of George, son of Anthony 3d son to George, the 2d Earl; but upon claim made of the dignity of Lord Grey of Ruthyn, by Charles Longueville, son and heir to Sir Michael Longueville, by Susan his wife, sister and heir to Henry the last Earl of Kent, who died without issue, as hath been observed, Anno 1640, it was adjudged to Mr. Longueville, from whom is descended the Earl of Suffex. This Anthony married Magdalen, daughter to William Purefoy of Caldecote, in the county of Warwick, Esq. and had five sons, and as many daughters, viz. Henry.—John.—Theophilus.—Job.—Nathaniel.—Grace married to James Ward, Esq.—Magdalen to John Brown, of Stretton, in the county of Derby, Esq.—Christian to the Reverend Mr. Burdet.—Patience to Mr. Wood of Lubenham, in the county of Leicester.—Priscilla.—Theophilus died unmarried March 29, 1679, aged 74; and

(11th E.) HENRY the eldest, in 1643, succeeded his father. He married 1st Mary, daughter of Sir William Courteen, Kt. by whom he had issue Henry, Lord Grey, who died in 1644. His 2d wife was Arabella, widow to Anthony Fane, Esq. 3d son of Francis the 1st Earl of Westmorland, daughter and heir to Sir Anthony Benn, Kt. Recorder of London, (by Jane his wife, daughter to John Evelyn of Godston; in Surry, Esq.) and by her (who survived her monument 45 years, and died on the 17th of August 1698, aged 92), had issue, Henry, who died in 1644.—Anthony his heir.—And a daughter Elizabeth, married to Baucifier Lord Maynard.

(12 E.) ANTHONY, who in April 1651, succeeded his father, married Mary, daughter and sole heir of John Lord Lucas, Baron of Shenfield, in the county of Essex; who on the 7th of May 1663, was created Baroness Lucas of Crudwell, in Wilts, and to her heirs male and female, by the Earl of Kent; and by her, who died Nov. 1, 1702, the said Earl, had Henry his heir; and a daughter Amabella, who died Nov. 26, 1702.

(13th E. 1st D.) HENRY, who on the 19th of August, 1702, succeeded his father, married to his first wife Jemima, eldest of the two daughters of Thomas Lord Crewe of Stene, and by her (who died July 27, 1728) had four sons and seven daughters; Amabella, married to John Campbell, Earl of Breadalbane in Scotland, and died on the 2d of March 1727, leaving an only daughter Lady Jemima, the present Marchioness.—Jemima married John Earl of Ashburnham.—Henrietta born Oct. 20, 1709, died Jan. 4, 1717.—Anne married to Lord Charles Cavendish, brother to William Duke of Devonshire, and died Sept. 20, 1733.—Mary married Dr. Gregory, Cannon of Christ Church, Oxford, in March 1744, and died 1761.—Jane and Carolina died in their infancy. The sons were Anthony.—Henry.—George.—Lucas. The eldest who was born Feb. 21, 1696, and called Earl of Harold, was on the 6th of November 1719, called up by writ to the House of Peers, by the title of Lord Lucas of Crudwell; and April 17, 1718, married Mary, 4th daughter to Thomas Earl of Thanet, but died on the 21st of July, 1723, without issue; and his Lady afterwards married John Earl Gower.—Henry his next brother died December 4, 1717, in the 21st year of his age.—George and Lucas died young. On the 24th of March, 1729, his Grace marrying to his 2d wife, Sophia, daughter to William Earl of Portland, and by her, who died June 14, 1748, had one daughter Anne-Sophia, born January 17, 1730, and a son born in August, 1732, named George; but he died in February following; and his sister married in November, 1748, Dr. John Egerton, now Bishop of Durham, nephew of the first Duke of Bridgewater. His Grace was on the 19th of May 1740, created Marquis Grey, to him and the heirs male of his body, and in default of such issue, the dignity of Marchioness Grey to Jemima Campbell, his grand-daughter, and her heirs male: His Grace dying on the 5th of January, 1740, without issue male, was succeeded in the titles of Marchioness Grey and Baroness Lucas of Crudwell by his said grand-daughter;

(1st M.) JEMIMA, the present Marchioness.

CREATIONS.] Baroness Lucas of Crudwell, in the county of Wilts, 7 May 1663, 13 Car. II. Marchioness Grey by Letters Patent May 19, 1740.

ARMS.] Barry of six pieces, *argent* and *azure*, the arms of Grey. [Plate XXXV.]

SUPPORTERS.] Two Wyverns, *or*, their wings disclosed.

CHIEF-SEAT.] At Wrest-House, in Bedfordshire.

E A R L S.

TALBOT, EARL OF SHREWSBURY.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE TALBOT Earl of SHREWSBURY in England, WEXFORD and WATERFORD, in Ireland, and Baron Talbot. For the Pedigree and descent of this noble family, see the Peerage of IRELAND, under his honours of that kingdom.

STANLEY, EARL OF DERBY.

THE Right Hon. EDWARD SMITH STANLEY, Earl of DERBY, and Baronet, succeeded his grandfather the late Earl, Feb. 22, 1766. He married 23d June 1774, Elizabeth Hamilton, sister of the present Duke of Hamilton, by whom he has two children, Edward Lord Stanley, born Ap. 22, 1775.—Charlotte, born Oct. 1, 1776.

Of this ancient and noble family, who took their surname from the Lordship of Stanleigh, in the Moorlands, Staffordshire, are the Stanleys of Hooton in Cheshire, who have been seated there for many ages, and from whom descended

Sir JOHN Stanley, Kt. eminent in the time of K. Richard II:

In the reign of K. Henry IV. (upon the forfeiture of Henry Percy, Earl of Northumberland) he, with his brother William, being sent to seize the Isle of Man, obtained a grant in fee of the said Isle, castle, and pee, or pile, anciently called Holmtown, as also of all the regalities, franchises, and rights thereto belonging, to be holden of the
said

said King, his heirs and successors, by homage, and the service of two falcons, (the island then abounding with such birds) payable on the days of their coronation: so that from the reign of the aforesaid King, till Feb. 1736, (excepting the interval that Lord Fairfax had it, during the late civil wars) the Earls of Derby have had an absolute jurisdiction over the people and soil; and were immediate landlords of every man's estate, (some few Barons only excepted) and reserving their homage to the crown of England, had a full and ample authority.

He married Isabel daughter and heir to Sir Thomas Latham, Kt. and by her had Sir John his successor, and Thomas, who married the daughter and heir of Sir John Arderne, which branch is extinct.

Sir JOHN, who succeeded, had by Elizabeth, daughter of Sir John Harrington; Sir Thomas.—Sir William, who married the Countess of Worcester.—Sir John, ancestor to the present Sir John Stanley, Bart.—James, Archdeacon of Cheshire.—Isabel, married to Sir John Warren.

Sir THOMAS left issue by Joan his wife, daughter to Sir Robert Goushill, Kt. Thomas his heir; and three daughters; Margaret, married to Sir William Troutbeck.—Elizabeth to Sir Richard Molineux.—Catharine to Sir John Savage; and in the 1st of Edward IV.

(1st E.) THOMAS the son, had summons to Parliament among the Barons. He married first Eleanor, daughter to Richard Neville, Earl of Salisbury, sister to the great Earl of Warwick, by whom he had six sons, and four daughters; His 2d wife was Margaret, daughter and heir to John Beaufort, Duke of Somerset, widow of Edmund Tudor, Earl of Richmond, and mother to King Henry VII. but by her he had no issue, and died in 1504. The daughters by the first wife were, Alice.—Catharine.—Anne.—Margaret, who married to Sir John Osbaldeston; but the other three died young. Of the sons, Thomas the eldest, Richard the 2d, and William the 4th, died young.—James the 6th was Bishop of Ely.—Edward the 5th, was Knight of the Garter, and in the 5th of Henry VIII. for his service at Flodden Field, was made Lord Monteagle. He married Margaret, daughter and heir of Sir George Vernon, and had issue Thomas Lord Monteagle, father of William Lord Monteagle, who leaving an only daughter and heir, Elizabeth, married to Edward Parker, Lord Morley, their son and heir, William, in right of his mother, was Lord Monteagle, who revealed the powder-plot against King James I. This Lord having

married the Countess of Richmond, was suspected as a well-wisher to the Earl her son, and was therefore denied leave to retire into the country, 'till he had given up George his son and heir, as a hostage, lest he should stay in those parts on purpose to join with the Earl at his landing; which, as appears by his siding with him at the day of battle, was his real design; and King Richard III. being slain in Bosworth field, he there set the crown, found amongst the spoils, upon the Earl of Richmond's head, and proclaimed him King by the name of Henry VII. who in the 1st year of his reign, made him Lord High Steward of England, and created him Earl of Derby.

GEORGE, his eldest surviving son, having married Joan, daughter and heir to John Lord Strange of Knockyn, had thereupon summons to Parliament by the title of Lord Strange. He left issue, Thomas.—Sir James Stanley, from whom the present Earl is descended.—Jane, married to Sir Robert Sheffield.—Elizabeth.

(2d E.) THOMAS, who succeeded his grandfather, married Anne, daughter to Edward Lord Hastings, and sister to George the 1st Earl of Huntingdon, by her had John Lord Strange, who died before him.—Edward his heir.—Henry, who died young.—Margaret, married to Robert Radcliff, Earl of Sussex.

(3d E.) EDWARD, who in 1521, succeeded his father, marrying first Dorothy, daughter to Thomas Howard, the 2d Duke of Norfolk, by her had three sons, Henry, Thomas, and Edward; and four daughters; of which Anne, was first married to Charles Lord Stourton, and after to John Arundel.—Elizabeth, to Henry Parker, Lord Morley.—Mary, to Edward Lord Stafford.—Jane, to Edward Lord Dudley. Of the sons, Henry the eldest succeeded his father. The other two were knighted; Sir Thomas married Margaret, daughter and co-heir of Sir George Vernon, by whom he had a son, Sir Edward Stanley, Knight of the Bath, who married Lucy Percy, 3d daughter and co-heir of Thomas the 7th Earl of Northumberland, and had a daughter his co-heir married to Sir Kenelm Digby, Knt.—Sir Edward was seated at Eynsham, in the county of Oxford. The Earl married, 2dly, Margaret, daughter to Ellis Barlow, Esq; and by her had two daughters, Catharine married to Sir Thomas Knevit, Knt.—Margaret, first to Sir John Jermyn, and afterwards to Sir Nicholas Pointz. His third wife was Mary, daughter to Sir George Cotton; but by her, (who afterwards married Henry the seventh Earl of Kent,) he had no issue, and died on the 24th of October, 1572.

(4th E.)

(4th E.) HENRY, his eldest son, by his first wife, succeeded him. He married Margaret, only child to Henry Clifford, Earl of Cumberland (by Eleanor his wife, second daughter and co-heir to Charles Brandon, Duke of Suffolk, by Mary the French Queen, third daughter to King Henry VI.) and dying Sept. 25, 1593, left two sons,

(5th E.) FERDINANDO, and William. The eldest succeeded his father, and marrying Alice, daughter to Sir John Spencer, of Althorp, by her, (who afterwards married Thomas, Viscount Brackley) had three daughters his heirs; Anne, the eldest was married to Grey Bridges, Lord Chandos, and 2dly, to Mervin Earl of Castlehaven.—Frances the second married Sir John Egerton, who was created Earl of Bridgewater.—Elizabeth, the youngest, married Lord Hastings, afterwards Earl of Huntingdon. The said Ferdinando had no son, and died April 16, 1594.

(6th E.) WILLIAM, his brother became heir to the Earldom; he married Elizabeth, eldest daughter to William Lord Burleigh, and sister to the Earls of Exeter and Salisbury, by whom he had James his heir; and three daughters; Anne, was first married to Sir Henry Portman, Bart. and afterwards to Robert, Earl of Ancram; but a dispute arising between the said William Earl of Derby, and the daughters of his brother Ferdinando, touching the title to the Isle of Man, he purchased their several claims; which agreement, together with the King's fresh grant, was ratified by act of Parliament, July 7, the 7th of James I. To him, on Sept. 22, 1642, succeeded

(7th E.) JAMES his son, who was beheaded at Bolton in Lancashire, October 15, 1651. He married Charlotte de la Tremouille, (daughter to Claud, Duke of Tremouille in France, and Charlotte Brabantina de Nassau, his wife, daughter to the renowned Count William of Nassau, Prince of Orange, and Charlotte of Bourbon his wife) and by her had Charles his successor; and three daughters; Henrietta-Mary, married to William the 2d Earl of Strafford.—Catharine, to Henry Pierpoint, Marquis of Dorchester.—Amelia-Sophia, to John Marquis of Athol, in the kingdom of Scotland, who succeeded to the title of Baron Strange of Knockyn, in right of the said Amilia-Sophia his grandmother.

(8th E.) CHARLES, who succeeded, married Dorothea-Helena, daughter of Baron Rupa, a German nobleman; and dying on the 21st of December, 1672, by her left William-Richard-George, his heir.—Robert, who died unmarried.—James, the 10th Earl.—Charles.—Charlotte, mar-

ried Thomas Savage, Visc. Colchester, eldest son of Thomas Earl Rivers.—Mary who died unmarried.

(9th E.) WILLIAM-RICHARD-GEORGE, who succeeded his father, married Elizabeth Butler, daughter to Thomas Earl of Ossory, and sister to James Duke of Ormond, by whom he had James Lord Strange, who died before him (at Venice) unmarried.—Henrietta, first married to John Annesley the 4th Earl of Anglesea, and 2dly, to John Lord Ashburnham.—Elizabeth, who died April 24, 1714. The Earl their father dying Nov. 5, 1702, without surviving issue male,

(10th E.) JAMES his brother became heir. He married Mary, daughter and sole heir to Sir William Moyley, and by her, who died March 29, 1752, had a son William, who was born Jan. 31, and died the 4th of March, 1710; and his Lordship dying without issue, Feb. 1, 1736, the Barony of Strange, and Lordship of Man, devolved on James Murray Duke of Athol, in Scotland, son and heir of John Marquis of Athol, by Amelia-Sophia, his wife, daughter of James Lord Strange, the 7th Earl of Derby; and the Barony of Stanley and Earldom of Derby devolved on Sir Edward Stanley of Bickerstaff, Bart. descended from George Lord Strange, son of Thomas the first Earl of Derby, whose 2d son, Sir JAMES Stanley, married the sister of Sir Percival Hart; and had issue, Sir George, and Henry; the former of whom had issue two sons, Edward and Henry, who both survived him, but died without issue male. HENRY, second son of Sir James, became the chief heir male of this branch, and marrying Margaret, daughter and heir to Peter Stanley, of Bickerstaff, in the county of Lancaster, left two sons Edward, and James; which

(1st Bart.) Sir EDWARD, who was of Bickerstaff, was created a Baronet June 26th, 3 Car. I. He married first Catharine, daughter of Sir Randal Manwaring, by whom he had only two daughters. He married 2dly, Isabel daughter to Sir Peter Warburton, by whom he had six sons.

2d Bart.) Sir THOMAS the eldest, married Mary, daughter of Peter Egerton, and dying in May 1653, left two sons, Sir Edward, and Peter, and one daughter married to — Braidshaigh, of Pennington in Lancashire, Esq;—Peter the youngest son, married Catharine daughter of Colonel Rigby, by whom he had issue, Thomas his only son and heir, who married Catharine daughter of Anthony Parker, Esq; by whom he had three sons, Charles born in 1715; Thomas born in 1717; and James.

(3d Bart.) Sir Edward Stanley, Bart. the eldest son and heir,

heir, was born in 1643, and married in 1664, Elizabeth daughter of Thomas Boswell, Esq; and dying Oct. 16, 1671. left issue one son and three daughters; Mary and Elizabeth, died unmarried; and Barbara, married to the Rev. Mr. Zachary Taylor.

(4th Bart.) Sir THOMAS Stanley, Bart. the only son was born Sept. 27, 1670, and in 1688 married Elizabeth, daughter and heir to Thomas Patten, Esq; who dying about six years after; he married, 2dly, Margaret, daughter of Thomas Holcroft, Esq; and relict of Sir Richard Standish, by whom he had issue, and died May 7, 1713. He had issue by his first Lady, four sons. Edward, born Sept. 17, 1689.—Thomas born 1699, and died young.—John born in 1692, married 1st, Alice daughter of Edward Warren, Esq; and 2dly, Mrs. Sarah Earle of Liverpool; and died 1781.—William born in 1694, died young.

(5th Bart. 11th E.) EDWARD the eldest was the late Earl of Derby, the titles devolving to him, on the death of the tenth Earl of Derby, April 13, 1736. He married, in Sept. 1714, Elizabeth, only daughter and heir of Robert Hesketh, of Rufford, in Lancashire, Esq; and by her, who died Feb. 24, 1776, he had four sons and seven daughters. James born in January 1717, married March 1747, to Lucy, one of the three daughters and co-heirs of Hugh Smith, of Weald-hall, in Essex, Esq; and by her who died Feb. 7, 1759, had issue, 1. Edward-Smith, the present Earl. 2. Thomas, born 1753 died 1779. 3. James, born 1754 and died 1771. 4. Elizabeth, born 1748, married July 28, 1779, Thomas Horton, Esq; 5. Lucy, born 1750, married April 25, 1772, to Jeffery Hornby, Esq; 6. Harriot, born 1756, married June 3, 1778, Sir Watts Horton, Bart. 7. Louisa born 1759, and died 1769. His Lordship died in his father's life time, 1st June, 1771. The other sons of the Earl were. Thomas, born July 20, 1718, died young.—A son, who died unbaptized March, 1719.—Edward, born June, 1732, and died Ap. 20, 1745. The daughters are, Elizabeth, married in March, 1746, to Sir Peter Warburton, Bart. and died Sept. 1780.—Mary, born 1717 —Isabella-Dorothea born Feb. 9, 1721-2.—Margaret, born 1723, who died March 9, 1776.—Jane, born Ap. 1726.—Charlotte, married to Gen. John Burgoyne, and died without issue June 7, 1776.—Barbara, who died an infant; and the Earl dying Feb. 22, 1776, was succeeded by his grandson,

(12th E.) EDWARD-SMITH, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Earl of Derby, Oct. 27, 1485.

ARMS.] *Argent*, on a bend, *azure*, three bucks heads caboshed, *or*. [Plate VII.]

CREST.] On a chapeau, *gules*, turned up, *ermine*, an eagle with wings expanded, *or*, preying upon an infant in its cradle, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a gryphon; on the sinister, a buck, both *or*, ducally collared, and chained, *azure*.

MOTTO.] *Sans Changer*. Without changing.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Knowesly and Bickerstaff, both in the county of Lancaster.

HASTINGS, EARL OF HUNTINGDON.

THE Right Hon. FRANCIS HASTINGS, Earl of HUNTINGDON, and Baron Hastings, Hungerford, Botreaux, Molins, and Moles, was born March 13, 1728-9

This illustrious family derives its descent from ROBERT de Hastings, whose son WILLIAM was Steward of the Household to K. Henry I. and his son HUGH, was father of WILLIAM de Hastings; who, marrying Ida, daughter to Henry Earl of Ewe, by her had two sons, William, and ROBERT; from William, who in the 1st of K. John had summons to Parliament among the Peers, descended John Lord Hastings, whose wife was Isabel, sister and co-heir to Aymere de Valance, Earl of Pembroke, and by her he had another John Lord Hastings, whose son Laurence Lord Hastings, Weshford, and Abergavenny, was by letters patent, bearing date Oct. 3, 1339, created Earl of Pembroke. He married to his first wife, the daughter of the Earl of St. Paul, by whom he had no issue; but by his 2d, who was Agnes, daughter to Roger Mortimer Lord of Wigmore, and Earl of March, he had John Lord Hastings, who in the 22d of Edward III. succeeded him, and died in France, April 16, 1375. He married first Margaret, youngest daughter to K. Edward III. and his Queen Philippa, by whom he had no issue; but by his 2d, Anne, daughter and heir to Sir Walter Manny, by Margaret his wife, Duchess of Norfolk, daughter and heir of Thomas of Brotherton, eldest son of K. Edward I. by Margaret his 2d wife, daughter to Philip the Hardy, K. of France, had John Hastings, the 3d Earl of Pembroke, who, after he had enjoyed the

the honour 14 years, was slain in a tournament at Woodstock in 1389, by Sir John St. John. He married Philippa, 3d daughter to Edmund Mortimer, Earl of March, and dying without issue, his inheritance devolved upon Reginald Lord Grey of Ruthin, whose grandmother was sister of Laurence Hastings, the 1st Earl of Pembroke of this family. Having done with this branch, we return to Robert de Hastings 2d son of William, and Ida, daughter to the Earl of Ewe, as at first mentioned; which Robert, had a great grandson named Rafe, whose son Rafe marrying Margaret, sister and heir to Sir Robert Herle, by her had another Rafe Hastings, who lived in the 47th of Edward III. and was knighted. He married Isabel, daughter and heir to Sir Robert de Saddington, and by her (besides a daughter Margaret, married to Sir Roger Heron,) had a son Rafe, who died 21 Richard II. He married Anne, daughter to Sir James Fines, Kt. and from that match descended

(1st L.) WILLIAM de Hastings, who was summoned to Parliament by the title of Lord Hastings of Ashby de la Zouch; but was murdered in the Tower, by order of Richard Duke of Gloucester. He married Catharine, daughter to Richard Neville, Earl of Salisbury, and by her left

(2d L.) EDWARD his heir and successor; who left issue by Mary his wife, daughter and sole heir to Sir Thomas Hungerford, George his successor; and Anne, married to Thomas Stanley the 2d Earl of Derby.

(3d L. and 1st Earl.) GEORGE, who succeeded, was created Earl of Huntingdon; but dying March 24, 1544, left issue by Anne, daughter to Henry Stafford, the 2d Duke of Buckingham, five sons and three daughters; Dorothy.—Mary.—Catharine. The eldest married Sir Richard Devereux, Kt. son and heir of Walter Visc. Hereford, by whom she had Walter Earl of Essex. The sons were Francis.—Sir Edward.—Thomas.—Henry.—William. The 2d, who was Kt, of the Garter, was by Queen Mary created Lord Hastings of Loughborough in the county of Leicester; but died at Stoke Pogies in Bucks, where he had built a chapel, and founded and endowed an hospital, leaving no issue.

(2d E.) FRANCIS, who, in 1544, succeeded his father, died on the 20th of June, 1561, leaving issue by Catharine his wife, one of the daughters and heirs to Henry Pole, Lord Montacute (son and heir of Sir Richard Pole, Kt. of the Garter, and Margaret Plantagenet, Countess of Salis-

bury, daughter and heir to George Duke of Clarence) Henry his successor.—Sir George.—Sir Edward.—Walter.—Catharine, married to Henry Clinton the 2d Earl of Lincoln.—Frances, to Henry Lord Compton.—Elizabeth, to Edward Somerset, the 4th Earl of Worcester. Of the sons, Walter the youngest, married Joyce, daughter to William Roper.—Sir Edward married Barbara, daughter to Sir William Devereux, widow of Edward Cave, Esq;

(3d E.) HENRY who succeeded his father, married Catharine daughter to John Dudley, Duke of Northumberland; and dying on the 14th of December, 1595, without issue,

(4th E.) Sir GEORGE, his brother, became heir. He married Dorothy, 2d daughter and co-heir to Sir John Port, by whom he had issue; Francis.—Sir Henry.—Sir Edward.—Catharine the 2d wife of Sir Walter Chetwynd.—Dorothy who married 1st to Sir George Stuart, who was killed in a duel at Islington, by Sir George Wharton; 2dly, to Robert Dillon, Earl of Roscommon in Ireland. Of the sons, Sir Henry married Dorothy, daughter and co-heir of Sir Francis Willoughby, and dying the 5th of Oct. 1650, in the 99th year of his age, left a son, Sir George Hastings, Kt. who died the 25th of Oct. 1651, in the 63d year of his age. Sir Edward died at Vienna.

FRANCIS Lord Hastings, their elder brother, who died in his father's life-time, marrying Sarah, sister to John Lord Hartington, left issue; Catharine married to Philip Stanhope, the 1st Earl of Chesterfield.—Theodosia, married to Sir Francis Bodenham.—Sir George the youngest son, married Seymour, daughter and co-heir to Sir Gilbert Prinn.—Edward died a Captain at sea under Sir Walter Raleigh.

(5th E.) HENRY the eldest, succeeded his grandfather, and died Nov. 14, 1643. He married Elizabeth, youngest daughter of Ferdinando Earl of Derby; and left two sons, Ferdinando and Henry; and two daughters; Alice married to Sir Gervase Clifton, Bart. being his 7th wife; and Elizabeth to Sir Hugh Calverly. Henry, the youngest son was by letters patent, dated Oct. 23, 1643, created Baron of Loughborough, but died unmarried in Jan. 1666.

(6th E.) FERDINANDO, who succeeded, had summons to Parliament in his father's life-time, Nov. 3, 1640. He married Lucy, daughter and sole heir to Sir John Davies, and had issue, Henry Lord Hastings, who died June 24, 1649, aged 19.—John, who died in Dec. 1639.—Ferdinando,

dinando, who died in 1647.—Theophilus his heir; and six daughters, four of whom died young.—Elizabeth, married to Sir James Langham.—Mary to William Jolliffe, Esq.

(7th E.) THEOPHILUS, born December 10, 1650, on the 13th of February, 1655, succeeded his father. He married to his first wife Elizabeth, eldest daughter and co-heir to Sir John Lewis, and by her had George Lord Hastings, his heir; and a daughter of her name, who died in December, 1739, unmarried.

(8th E.) GEORGE, who on the 13th of May, 1701, succeeded his father, dying unmarried, February 22, 1739, we return to Theophilus his father, who on the 2d of May, 1690, married to his second wife, Frances, daughter and sole heir to Francis Leveson Fowler, Esq; (by Anne his wife, 2d daughter to Peter Venebles, Baron of Kinderton, in Cheshire, widow of Thomas Needham, Viscount Kilmorey in Ireland) and by her, who afterwards married the Chevalier de Ligondes, had two sons, and five daughters, viz. Theophilus, born November 12, 1696.—Ferdinando, born Oct. 22, 1699, and died the 9th of Aug. 1726.—Anne-Jacqueline, born May 1, 1691, died July 1, 1695, unmarried.—Alice, born and died Jan. 21, 1692.—Frances, born Jan. 8, 1694, died Jan. 23, 1750.—Catharine-Maria, born Feb. 13, 1697, married to the Rev. Granville Wheeler, son and heir of Sir George Wheeler.—Margaret, born February 15, 1700; and

(9th E.) THEOPHILUS, their eldest brother, succeeded George his half-brother, 1739; and on the 3d of June, 1728, married Selina Shirley, 2d daughter and one of the three co-heirs of Washington, 2d Earl Ferrers; and by her had issue, Francis, the present Earl, born March 13, 1728.—George, born March 29, 1730, who died in Dec. 1743.—Ferdinando, born January 23, 1732, who died in May, 1743.—Henry, born December, 12, 1739, died September 12, 1751.—Elizabeth, born March 23, 1732, married February 26, 1752, to Lord Rawdon, now Earl of Moira, of the Kingdom of Ireland, and has issue the present Lord Rawdon, &c.—Selina, born June, 1735, died an infant.—Selina, born December 3, 1732, died May 12, 1763. His Lordship dying, October 13, 1746, was succeeded by his eldest son

(10th E.) FRANCIS, now Earl of Huntingdon.

CREATIONS,] Created Baron Hastings of Ashby-de-la-Zouch in the county of Leicester, July 26, 1461, 1 Edward IV. Baron of Hungerford, of Heytesbury in the county of Wilts, by summons, Nov. 15, 1482; 22 Edw. IV. by descent originally,

originally, Jan. 7, 1425, 4 Henry VI. and created Earl of the county of Huntingdon, Dec. 8, 1529, 21 Henry VIII.

ARMS.] *Argent*, a maunch, *sable*. [Plate VII.]

CREST.] On a wreath a buffalo's head erased, *sable*, gorged with a ducal coronet, and armed, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two man-tygers affrontée, *or*, their visage like the human, *proper*.

MOTTO.] *In veritate victoria*. Victory is in Truth.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Ashby-de-la-Zouch, and at Donnington, both in the county of Leicester.

HERBERT, EARL OF PEMBROKE.

THE Right Hon. HENRY HERBERT, Earl of PEMBROKE, and Montgomery, Baron Herbert of Cardiff, and Herbert of Shurland, was born July 3, 1734, and succeeded Henry, the late Earl, his father, January 9, 1750. His Lordship married, March 13, 1756, Elizabeth, second daughter to Charles, the late Duke of Marlborough, by whom he has had issue, a still born child June 9, 1758.—Henry Lord Herbert, born September 11, 1759.—Charlotte, born Sept. 11, 1773.

In the descent of Herbert, Earl of Powis, it appears that WILLIAM, Earl of Pembroke, had natural issue by Maud, daughter of Adam ap Howel Graunt,

Sir RICHARD Herbert, of Ewyas, who marrying Margaret, daughter and heir of Sir Matthew Cradock, had issue, Sir William, his heir.—Sir George, who married Elizabeth, daughter and co-heir of Sir Thomas Berkeley, and had a numerous issue.—Sir Thomas, from whom descended Sir Arnold Herbert; and the legitimate male line of the said Earl ceasing,

(1st E.) Sir WILLIAM, was in the 5th of Edward VI. created Lord Herbert of Cardiff, and Earl of Pembroke. By his 2d wife, Anne, daughter to George Talbot, the 4th Earl of Shrewsbury, and widow of Peter Compton, Esq; he had no issue; but by Anne, his first wife, daughter to Thomas Lord Parr, of Kendal, sister to Catharine, the 6th wife of King Henry VIII. and sister and co-heir to William Parr, Marquis of Northampton, &c. he had two sons, and a daughter Anne, married to Francis Lord Talbot, son and heir apparent to George, the 6th Earl of Shrewsbury. The
sons

sons were Henry and Edward, from the eldest, who on the 17th of March, 1569, succeeded him, is descended the present Earl.—Sir Edward the youngest, married Mary, daughter and sole heir to Thomas Stanley, Esq; and by her had Sir William who on the 2d of April, 1629, 5 Car. I. was created Baron of Powis; also George, John, and Edward; and eight daughters, Elizabeth, Anne, Joyce, Frances, Catharine, Jane, Mary, and Winifred. Which William Lord Powis, married Eleanor, youngest daughter to Henry Percy, the 8th Earl of Northumberland; and dying on the 7th of March, 1655, by her left Percy his heir; and two daughters, Catharine married, 1st, to Sir Robert Vaughan, and 2dly, to Sir James Palmer; and Lucy, 2d daughter, married William Abington, Esq. The said Percy Lord Powis, marrying Elizabeth, daughter to Sir William Craven, by her had William, the 3d Lord Powis, and a daughter Mary, married to George Lord Talbot, eldest son of John the 10th Earl of Shrewsbury. William, who on the 19th of January, 1666, succeeded his father, and was the 3d Baron, was on the 4th of April, 1674, 26 Car. II. created Earl of Powis; and on the 24th of March, 1687, following, created Viscount Montgomery, and Marquis of Powis; and by King James II. after his abdication, was advanced to the titles of Marquis of Montgomery, and Duke of Powis, which titles, (he being outlawed) were never allowed; and he died at St. Germain's, on the 2d of June, 1696. He married Elizabeth, daughter to Edward Somerset, Marquis of Worcester, and left issue William his only son; and five daughters; whereof Mary was first married to Richard Molineux, Esq; and 2dly, to Francis Browne, the 4th Viscount Montagu in England.—Frances, married Kenneth Mackenzie, Earl of Seaforth.—Anne, married Francis Smith, Viscount Carrington.—Lucy, died unmarried.—Winifred married William Maxwell, Earl of Nithsdale. William, (only son of William, who was outlawed, and died in 1696) was on the 11th of April restored to the titles of Marquis of Powis, &c. and his father's attainder reversed; and marrying Mary, daughter and co-heir of Sir Thomas Preston, Bart. by her who died January 8, 1724, had two sons, William Viscount Montgomery; and Edward, who, on the 7th of July, 1734, married Henrietta, daughter of James, Earl of Waldegrave, and dying in November following, left his Lady with child of a daughter, born in June, 1735, named Barbara, married March 30, 1751, to the late Earl of Powis. The said Marquis had also six daughters

ters; Mary.—Elizabeth.—Anne the 2d wife of Henry the 6th Lord Arundel, of Wardour.—Henrietta.—Teresa married to Sir Robert Throckmorton, Bart. and died in June 1723.—Charlotte, married, 1st, to Edward Maurice, Esq; and 2dly, to Edward Williams, Esq; and died December 9, 1751. Their father dying in October 1745, was succeeded by his only son William, who was the 3d Marquis of Powis, but dying on the 8th of March 1748, without issue, his titles became extinct, and his estate came to Henry-Arthur Herbert, late Earl of Powis. We now return to

(2d E.) HENRY, eldest son of William, Earl of Pembroke, who, in 1569, succeeded his father, married first Catharine, second daughter to Henry Gray, Duke of Suffolk, (by Frances, daughter to Charles Brandon, Duke of Suffolk and Mary the French Queen,) from whom he was divorced. By his 2d Lady, Catharine, daughter to George Talbot, the 6th Earl of Shrewsbury, he had no issue; but taking to his 3d, Mary, daughter to Sir Henry Sydney. (by Mary his wife, daughter of John Dudley, Duke of Northumberland) by her he had two sons, William, and Philip; and a daughter Anne, who died young.

(3d E.) WILLIAM, who succeeded his father, marrying Mary, the eldest daughter and co heir to Gilbert Talbot, the 7th Earl of Shrewsbury, had a son Henry, who died an infant; and dying April 10, 1630, without surviving issue,

(4th E.) PHILIP, his brother, was on the 4th of May 1605, created Baron of Shurland, and Earl of Montgomery. By his 2d wife Anne, sole daughter and heir to George Clifford, the 3d Earl of Cumberland, widow of Richard Sackville, the 3d Earl of Dorset, he had no issue; but by his first, who was Susan, daughter and at length co-heir to Edward Vere Earl of Oxford, by Anne, daughter to the Lord Burleigh, had seven sons and three daughters; Anna-Sophia, married to Robert Dormer, Earl of Caernarvon—Catharine and Mary, died unmarried.—James.—Henry.—Charles.—Philip.—William.—James.—John. The latter married Penelope, daughter of Paul Viscount Banning.—James married Jane, daughter to Sir Robert Spiller, and his son James married Catharine Osborne, 4th daughter of Thomas, the first Duke of Leeds, whose son Philip married Mariamne, sister to Charles, the 3d Earl of Winchelsea.—The eldest, James, and Henry, died young.—William died unmarried.—Charles married Mary, only daughter to George Villiers, the Great Duke of Buckingham, (by Catharine

Catharine his 1st wife, only daughter and heir to Francis Manners, the 6th Earl of Rutland, by Frances his 1st wife) but died before his father, and before cohabitation. His Lady (who afterwards married, 2dly, James Stuart Duke of Richmond and Lenox, by whom he had a daughter Mary, married to Richard Earl of Arran; and 3dly, to Thomas Howard, Esq; brother to Charles Earl of Carlisle) had by patent, dated 31 Aug. 3d of Charles I. the title of Duchefs of Buckingham, granted to her in case of failure of issue male of her father.

(5th E.) PHILIP, his next brother, became heir, and in 1652 succeeded his father. He married 1st Penelope, sole daughter and heir to Sir Robert Naunton, Kt. widow of Paul Visc. Banning, and by her had William his heir. By his second wife Catharine, daughter of Sir William Villiers, he had two sons, Philip, and Thomas; and five daughters; Susan, married to John the 3d Lord Powlet of Hinton St. George.—Mary, to Sir John Sydenham.—Catharine to Sir John Williams, Bart.—Rebecca died Dec. 9, 1729.—Anne died an infant.

(6th E.) WILLIAM, who on the 11th of December, 1669, succeeded his father, dying on the 8th of July, 1674, unmarried,

(7th E.) PHILIP his half-brother became heir. He married Henrietta de Queronaille, (sister to the Duchefs of Portsmouth, grandmother to the late Duke of Richmond) and by her, who died Nov. 1, 1728, had an only daughter Charlotta, first married to John Lord Jefferies, Baron of Wem, (by whom he had a daughter named Henrietta-Louisa, late Countess of Pomfret) and after the Lord Jefferies's decease, she married Thomas Visc. Windfor; but the said Philip her father dying August 29, 1683, without issue male, his title descended to

(8th E.) THOMAS, his brother, who married 1st Margaret, sole daughter and heir to Sir Robert Sawyer, and by her, who died November 17, 1706, had seven sons and five daughters. By his second, Barbara, daughter to Sir Henry Slingsby, Bart. and widow to John Lord Arundel of Trerice, which lady died 1721, he had a daughter of her name, who on the 3d of Oct. 1730, was married to Dudley North of G. enham-hall, in Suffolk, Esq. His Lordship in 1625, married to his third wife, Mary, sister to Scroop Visc. Howe, and dying Jan. 1733, by her he had no issue, and she afterwards married John Mordaunt, Esq; brother to the Earl of Peterborough, in October 1735. The daughters

ters by the 1st wife, were, Catharine.—Margaret.—Elizabeth.—Anne.—Rebecca. The eldest was married to Sir Nicholas Morrice, of Werrington in Devon, and died in September 1716.—Margaret died in December 1752.—Rebecca married William late Lord Abergavenny. The sons, were

(9th E.) HENRY, Robert-Sawyer, Thomas, William, John, and Nicholas; the eldest succeeded his father as Earl of Pembroke, on the 28th of August 1733. He married Mary, eldest daughter of Richard Visc. Fitz-Williams in Ireland, by whom he had one son Henry, now Earl, born July 3, 1734.—Robert-Sawyer married Mary, daughter to John Smith, Esq; who in 1705 was speaker of the House of Commons and died Ap. 25, 1769, without issue.—Charles died unmarried.—Thomas was Colonel in the Footguards, and died in 1739.—William was a Major-General, and died in April, 1757, having been married to Miss Catharine-Elizabeth Tews, by whom he had issue; 1. William who died young. 2. Henry the present Lord Porchester. 3. Charles, born 1743, married, in 1775, Caroline Montague, sister to the Duke of Manchester. 4. Catharine, died young. 5. Georgiana, born 1747.—Caroline-Robert, in Holy orders, born 1751.—John died unmarried.—Nicholas, died in Feb. 1775, having married 19th July, 1737, Anne, daughter of Dudley North, of Glenham-hall, in Suffolk, Esq; by whom he had a daughter Barbara, born in April 1738, married to Edward present Earl of Aldborough, and her Mother died Dec. 27, 1755. His Lordship dying on the 9th of January 1750, was succeeded by his only son; (and the Countess married North Ludlow Bernard, Esq; in Sept. 1757, and died the 13th of February, 1769.)

(10th E.) HENRY, now Earl of Pembroke.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron Herbert of Cardiff in the county of Glamorgan, Oct. 10, 1551, 5 Ed. VI. and the next day Earl of Pembroke. Baron Herbert of Shurland in the isle of Sheppy in Kent, May 4, 1605, 3 Jac. I. and at the same time Earl of the county of Montgomery.

ARMS.] Party-per-pale, *azure* and *gules*, three lions rampant, *argent*. [Plate VII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a wyvern with wings elevated, *vert*, holding in its mouth a sinister hand, coupé at the wrist, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] on the dexter side, a panther guardant, *argent*, spotted of various colours, with fire issuing out of his

his

his mouth and ears, his ducal collar, *azure*. On the sinister, a lion *argent*, gorged with a ducal coronet, *gules*.

MOTTO.] *Ung je servey.* One I will serve.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Wilton, in the county of Wilts.

HOWARD, EARL OF SUFFOLK AND BERKSHIRE.

THE Right Hon. JOHN HOWARD, Earl of SUFFOLK and BERKSHIRE, Viscount Andover, and Baron Howard of Charleton, succeeded his cousin Feb. 4, 1783. He married Julia, daughter of John Gaskarth of Penrith in Cumberland, Esq; by whom he has issue Charles Nevinston Viscount Andover, born 1775.—Thomas, born 1776.—Catherine.

The descent of this family is set forth under the title of Duke of Norfolk.

THOMAS the fourth Duke of Norfolk, marrying to his second wife Margaret, daughter and sole heir to Thomas Lord Audley of Walden, by her had a son,

(1st E. of S.) THOMAS, who by act of Parl. in the 27th of Elizabeth, was restored in blood; and in the 29th of that reign, had summons to Parliament, by the title of Lord Howard of Walden; and having married Catharine, daughter and coheir to Sir Henry Knevit, widow of Sir Richard, eldest son of Robert Lord Rich, and sister to the Countess of Lincoln, by her had seven sons and four daughters; whereof Elizabeth was first married to William Knolles, Earl of Banbury, and afterwards to Edward Lord Vaux.—Frances to Robert Devereux, Earl of Essex, from whom being divorced, she married Robert Carr, Earl of Somerset.—Margaret died an infant.—Catharine married William Cecil, the 2d Earl of Salisbury. The sons were Theophilus, Thomas, Henry, Charles, Robert, William, and Edward; Sir Charles, the 4th, married Mary, daughter and heir to Sir John Fitz.—Henry married Elizabeth, daughter and sole heir to William Basset, Esq; and by her, who afterwards married William Cavendish, Duke of Newcastle, had a daughter of her name, who was married to Sir John Harpur.—Thomas the 2d son was created Earl of BERKSHIRE.—The eldest succeeded his father.

(2d Earl of S.) **THEOPHILUS**, who was summoned to Parliament in his father's life-time as Lord Howard of Walden, on May 28, 1626, succeeded. He married Elizabeth, daughter and coheir to George Lord Hume, Earl of Dunbar in Scotland, and by her had four sons, and five daughters; Catharine who married 1st, to George Lord Aubigny; and 2dly, to James Earl of Newburgh, in Scotland.—Elizabeth, to Algernon Percy, the 10th Earl of Northumberland—Margaret to Roger Boyle, the 1st Earl of Orrery in Ireland.—Anne, to Thomas Walsingham, Esq;—Frances to Sir Edward Villiers, Kt. from which marriage descended the present Earl of Jersey. The sons were James, Thomas, George, and Henry; the 2d had an only son James, who married Charlotte-Jemima-Henrietta-Maria Boyle, natural daughter to King Charles the II. by Elizabeth Viscountess Shannon, and by her had Stuarta Howard, his only child, who died unmarried.

(3d E. of S.) **JAMES** the eldest son, on the 3d of June 1640, succeeded his father. He married first Susan, daughter to Henry Rich, Earl of Holland, by whom he had an only daughter Essex, married to Edward Lord Griffin; by his 2d, Barbara, widow of Richard Wenman, Esq; only son of Thomas, the 2d Viscount Wenman, and sister to Sir Edward Villiers before-mentioned, who afterwards married Arthur Gorges, Esq; he had a daughter Elizabeth, married to Sir Thomas Felton, Bart. whose only daughter married the Earl of Bristol; and by his third wife Anne, eldest daughter to Robert Montague, the 3d Earl of Manchester, he had no issue. This Earl, dying in 1689, without issue male, was succeeded by

(4th E. of S.) **GEORGE** his 3d brother; Thomas the 2d being dead, and leaving only a grand-daughter as before observed. He married 1st Catharine, daughter to — Allen, by whom he had two daughters; 2dly, Mary, daughter to Sir Henry Wroth, widow of James Cowper, Esq; but dying in 1691, without issue male,

(5th E. of S.) **HENRY** his 4th brother became heir, and married first Mary Steuart, daughter and heir to the Lord Castle-Steuart of Ireland, and by her had three sons; and a daughter Diana, married to Colonel John Pitt; but by his 2d. who was widow of Sir John Maynard, Kt. he had no issue, and died on the 9th of December, 1709. His sons, by his first wife, were Henry, Edward, and Charles, all Earls of Suffolk.

(6th E. of S.) **HENRY**, on the 30th of December 1706,
was

was created Baron of Chesterford in Essex, and Earl of Bindon in the county of Dorset, his father being then alive; and on the 9th of December, 1709, succeeded his father, but died Sept. 19, 1718. By his second wife, Henrietta Somerset, third daughter to Henry Duke of Beaufort, (widow of Henry Lord O'Brien, son of Henry Earl of Thomond in Ireland), he had no issue; but by his first, who was Penelope, daughter to Henry Earl of Thomond, he had four sons, Charles-William, James, Thomas and Arthur; and a daughter Sarah-Henrietta, married in 1721, to Thomas Chester, Esq. and died the 28th of March, 1722. James, Thomas, and Arthur, the three youngest sons, died unmarried.

(7th E. of S.) CHARLES-WILLIAM the eldest, succeeded his father; and married Arabella, 4th daughter and coheir to Sir Samuel Astry, but dying on the 8th of February 1722, and his Lady in June following, without issue, he was succeeded in the title of Lord Walden and Earl of Suffolk (the other titles being extinct) by

(8th E. of S.) EDWARD his uncle, son of Henry the 5th Earl; which Edward dying unmarried, June 22, 1731, the honour and estate devolved on his only brother,

(9th E. of S.) CHARLES, who married Henrietta, sister to John Hobart, the 1st Earl of Buckinghamshire, and died at Bath in September 1733, leaving issue one son, Henry; and her Ladyship married, 2dly, July 1735, George Berkeley, Esq.

(10th E. of S.) HENRY, who succeeded, married May 13, 1735, Sarah, sole daughter of Thomas Inwen, Esq. and dying in April, 1745, without issue, she married in October 1752, Lucius Viscount Falkland; and his titles devolved on

(11th E. of S.) HENRY-BOWES Earl of Berkshire, descended from Thomas, 2d son of Thomas the first Earl of Suffolk, who was created Lord Howard of Charleton, Viscount Andover, and Earl of Berkshire; which

(1st E. of B.) THOMAS, married Elizabeth daughter and coheir to William the 2d Earl of Exeter, by whom he had nine sons, Charles Lord Andover.—Thomas, successor to his brother Charles.—Henry, married to Elizabeth, widow of John Lord Craven, daughter of William Lord Spencer, but died without issue in Dec. 1663; and she married, 3dly, William Lord Crofts.—William, ancestor of the 4th Earl.—Edward who married two wives, and died without issue.—Robert.—Philip, who married Mary, daughter of Mr. Jen-

nings; by whom he had a daughter Mary, who married Henry Scott, Earl of Deloraine; and a son Philip, who married and had three sons, Thomas, John, and Philip; the latter of whom was a Captain of Marines in Wolf's regiment, and died in Jamaica in 1741, leaving issue John the present Earl, who succeeded to the earldoms in 1783, on the death of Thomas the 14th and late Earl. Philip at present a Lieutenant in the navy; and Mary, Bed-Chamber Woman to the Princess Amelia.—James.—Algernon. The said Earl had also four daughters, Elizabeth married John Dryden, Esq; Poet-lauret.—Frances, to Conyers the 2d Earl of Holderness.—Diana.—Mary died unmarried. His Lordship dying in the 90th year of his age, the 16th of July, 1669, was succeeded by

(2d E. of B.) CHARLES his eldest son, who, in his father's life-time had summons to divers Parliaments, by the title of Lord Howard of Charleton. He married Dorothy 2d daughter to Thomas Visc. Savage, and had three sons and two daughters; Anne married to Sir Henry Bedingfield, Bart. and Elizabeth, who died young; but his sons all dying in their youth, his titles and estates, (he dying in April 1679,) descended to

(3d E. of B.) THOMAS his next brother, who married, 1st, Frances, daughter to Sir Richard Harrison, and by her had two daughters; Frances married to Sir Henry Winchcombe; and Mary who died unmarried. He married, 2dly, Margaret, daughter to Sir Thomas Parker, by whom he had no issue; and dying April 12, 1706, we return to

WILLIAM, the 4th son of Thomas the first Earl, who marrying Elizabeth, daughter to Lowthiel, Lord Dundas of Scotland, had an only son, Craven; and two daughters; Dorothy married to Colonel James Grahme; and Anne, married to Sir Gabriel Sylvius.

CRAVEN, who succeeded his father, marrying to his first wife, Anne, daughter to Thomas Ogle, Esq; by her had Anne, who died unmarried; and taking to his 2d wife Mary, daughter and sole heir to Charles Bowes, Esq. by her, (besides two daughters, Mary, and Dorothy) had

(4th E. of B. 11th E. of S.) HENRY-BOWES, who on the 5th of March, 1709, marrying Catharine, daughter to Colonel James Grahme, had issue three daughters; Diana, who died in January, 1712, about two years old.—Catharine, born in 1715, died unmarried.—Frances, born June

17, 1725, died unmarried; and five sons; of whom Henry the eldest, and James the second, died in their minority.

WILLIAM Visc. Andover, the third son, born Dec. 13, 1715, died suddenly by a fall from his chaise in Oxfordshire, July 18, 1756. He married November 6, 1736, Mary, second daughter of Heneage, Earl of Aylesford, by whom he had issue, 1. Henry, the 12th Earl, born May 10, 1739. 2. Elizabeth, born May 14, 1744, since dead. 3. Frances, born February 27, 1746, married February 25, 1783, to Mr. Bagot, brother of Lord Bagot.—Charles, fourth son of the Earl, born October 13, 1717, died October, 1773.—Thomas, fifth son, born June 11, 1721, who on the death of his great nephew, in August, 1779, succeeded to the title.—Gratham, sixth son, born October 27, 1722, died in the 14th year of his age. His Lordship dying in March 21, 1757, was succeeded by his grandson

(12th E. of S. 5th E. of B.) HENRY, born May 10, 1739, married May 25, 1764, Maria Constantia, only daughter of Robert Lord Trevor, by which Lady, (who died in childbed, Feb. 7, 1767,) he had a daughter Maria Constantia, born Jan. 21, 1767, who died July 21, 1775. His Lordship married 2dly, Aug. 14, 1777, Charlotte Finch, eldest daughter of Heneage, Earl of Aylesford, by whom he had a son, born Sept. 24, 1778, who died Dec. 27, following. His Lordship died March 7, 1779, leaving his Countess pregnant, who was delivered of a son Aug. 8, 1779, that lived but two days, being the 13th Earl, and was succeeded in title and estate, by his great uncle, Thomas, grandson of Henry Bowes, the 4th Earl.

(14 E. of S. 7th E. of B.) THOMAS the late Earl, who married Elizabeth, daughter of William Kingscote of Kingscote, Gloucestershire, Esq. by whom, who died June 23, 1769, he had a daughter Diana, born July 23, 1748, married to Sir Michael Le Fleming, Bart. His Lordship dying Feb. 4, 1783, without male issue, the honours descended to

(15th E. of S. 8th E. of B.) JOHN, the present Earl, descended from Philip, 7th son of Thomas, first Earl of Berkshire. He is a Colonel in the Guards.

CREATIONS.] Summoned to Parliament as Baron Howard of Walden, in the county of Essex, October 24, 1597, 39 Elizabeth, and created Earl of the county of Suffolk, July 21, 1603, 1 Jac. I. Baron Charleton, in the county of Wilts, and Viscount Andover, in the county of Southampton, January 23, 1621, 19 Jac. I. and Earl of the county of Berks, February 6, 1625, 1 Car. I.

ARMS and CREST.] The same as the Duke of Norfolk, with the crescent for difference; omitting the truncheons on the back of the escutcheon.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a lion guardant, or, gorged ducally, argent. On the sinister, a lion argent.

MOTTO.] *Non quo sed quomodo.* Not by whom, but in what Manner.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Charleton in Wilts; at Levenz in Westmoreland; and at Elford in Staffordshire.

CECIL, EARL OF SALISBURY.

THE Right Hon. JAMES CECIL, Earl of SALISBURY, Viscount Cranburn, and Baron Cecil, of Essenden, was born September 4, 1748, succeeded his father the late Earl, September, 1780, married December 2, 1773, Mary-Amelia Hill, 2d daughter of Wills, Earl of Hillsborough, by whom he has issue.

The descent of this family is under the title of Cecil, Earl of Exeter. William Lord Burleigh married two wives; by the first he had Thomas, who was created Earl of Exeter; and by the second had

(1st E.) ROBERT, who was created Earl of Salisbury. He married Elizabeth, daughter to William Brook, Lord Cobham, had a son, William; and a daughter Frances, married to Henry Lord Clifford, the last Earl of Cumberland.

(2d E.) WILLIAM, on the 24th of May, 1612, succeeded his father in his honours. He married Catharine Howard, youngest daughter to Thomas the 1st Earl of Suffolk, and had eight sons, James, died an infant.—Charles.—Robert.—Philip.—William, who married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Thomas Lawley, Bart.—Algernon, married Dorothy, daughter of Sandford Neville, Esq. and died 1677, leaving a daughter Diana, married to John, eldest son of Sir Edward Turnor, and died March 7, 1736, leaving issue; from whom the Turnors of Panton-house, Lincolnshire are descended.—Edward.—David. Also four daughters; whereof Anne was married to Algernon Percy, the 10th Earl of Northumberland.—Elizabeth, to William Cavendish, the 3d Earl of Devonshire.—Catharine, to Philip Lord Lisle.—Mary, to William Lord Sandes.

CHARLES Viscount Cranbourn, the eldest son of the
earl

Earl dying before his father, 1659, left issue by Jane, daughter and co-heir to James Maxwell, Earl of Darlton in Scotland, seven sons, and five daughters; Catharine, married William the third Earl of Kinnoul in Scotland.—Frances, married Sir William Bowyer, Bart.—Diana.—Penelope.—Elizabeth. Philip, one of the younger sons, married Nichola eldest daughter of Sir Charles Hamilton; the other sons died unmarried, except

(3d E.) James, the 2d, son, who on the 3d of December, 1668, succeeded his grandfather, and marrying Margaret, 5th daughter of John Manners, the 8th Earl of Rutland, by her had five sons and five daughters; Catharine, married to Sir George Downing, Bart.—Frances, to Sir William Halford.—Mary, to Sir William Forrester, and died in April, 1740.—Margaret, 1st, to John Lord Stawel; and 2dly to, Richard Jones, Earl of Ranelagh in Ireland, and died on February 21, 1728.—Mildred married 1st, to Sir Uvedale Corbet; and 2dly, to Sir Charles Hotham. The sons, were James, Robert, William, Charles, and George. Robert married Elizabeth, daughter and heir of Isaac Mennil, Esq. widow of William Hale, Esq.

(4th E.) JAMES, the eldest, in 1683, succeeded his father. He married Frances, daughter to Simon Bennet, Esq. and by her who died July 8, 1713, had a son

(5th E.) JAMES, who in December 16, 1694, succeeded him, and married Anne Tufton, 2d daughter to Thomas Earl of Thanet, and had issue by her, who died April 22, 1757, James Visc. Cranbourn; and William, who died in 1740; and three daughters; Anne, married to William Strode, Esq. and died in July, 1752; leaving issue, Catharine, married on the 15th of February, 1736, to John late Earl of Egmont in Ireland, and died, leaving issue, 1752: and Margaret who died in March, 1752, unmarried. His Lordship dying on the 9th of October, 1728, aged 37, was succeeded in his honours and estates by

(6th E.) JAMES his only son, the late Earl, born October 20, 1713, married in 1743, Elizabeth, daughter to Edward Keet, Esq. of Hertfordshire, and by her, who died Feb. 3. 1776, he had issue, James the present Earl.—Anne, born in March, 1745-6.—Bennett, born June 22, 1747, and died Nov. 18, 1769. His Lordship dying Sept. 1780, was succeeded by his only son.

(7th E.) JAMES, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron Cecil of Effendon in the county of Rutland, May 13, 1603, 1 Jac. I. Viscount

Cranbourn in the county of Dorset, August 20, 1604, and Earl of the city of Salisbury in the county of Wilts, May 4, 1605, 3 Jac. I.

ARMS.] Barry of ten, *argent* and *azure*, over all six escutcheons, 3, 2, and 1, *sable*, each charged with a lion rampant of the *field*, a crescent for difference. [Plate VIII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, six arrows, *or*, heads and feathers, *argent*, girt together with a bandage, or belt, *azure*, garnished, *or*; and over those feathers a morion-cap, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two lions, *ermine*.

MOTTO.] *Sero sed serio*. Late, but seriously.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Hatfield in Hertfordshire; Cranbourn-House in Dorsetshire; and Quickwood in the county Hertford.

CECIL, EARL OF EXETER.

THE Right Hon. BROWNLOW CECIL, Earl of EXETER, and Baron of Burleigh, born September 21, 1725, succeeded his father, Brownlow, the late Earl, who died Nov. 3, 1754. His Lordship married, July 24, 1749, Letitia, sole daughter and heiress of Horatio Townshend, who died April 17, 1756, leaving no issue.

This ancient and noble family derives its pedigree from the Normans, of whom was

ROBERT Seyfil, Sicelt, or Cecil, who was by William the II^d. rewarded with lands for his services. To him succeeded

Sir JAMES his son, Baron of Beauport, who was succeeded by

JOHN his son, who, by Maud de Frenes, had issue

EUSTACE, his heir, who married Eleanor, daughter of Sir Walter Pembridge, Kt. and had issue

Sir BALDWIN Seyfil, slain at the siege of Cardiff-Castle, his father then living. By his first wife, daughter of Maurice de Brampton, he had five sons, Gerald, Eustace, Henry, John, and Walter; and two daughters, Catharine, wife to Hugh ap Meredith Wardake; and Eleanor, wife of Walter Wallis. By his 2^d wife, Margaret, daughter, of Sir Stephen Radnor, Knt. he had Stephen, Roger, Hugh, David; Maud,

Maud, a Nun; Joan, married to John de Solers; and Anne, to Owen ap Meredith.

GERALD, the eldest son, succeeded his grandfather. He married Mabel, daughter of Sir William Moigne, and had issue Gerald, who died an infant.—Robert.—Owen, a Monk.—Catharine, married 1st to Sir Griffin ap Yereford; 2dly, to David ap Evan; and 3dly, to Jefferey, son of Sir Walter Brett.—Anne, married to Robert Bromwich.—Elen, to John, son of Sir Richard Abrahall.

ROBERT succeeded his father, and married Alice, daughter of Sir Robert de Tragoze, and had issue four sons, and two daughters; and was succeeded by

JAMES, his eldest son, who married Isabel, daughter of Sir John Knell, Knt. and had issue James, who died young.—Gerald, his twin-brother.—Robert.—John.—Alice, married to Walter Monington.—Grace, to Roger Blunt.—Eleanor to Thomas Paine.—Margery, to Morgan ap Meredith.—Cecily, 1st, to Howel ap Blethin; and 2dly, to Sir Hugh Bruge.

GERALD, who succeeded his father, married four wives, by all of whom he had issue, and was succeeded by

JOHN, his eldest by his first wife Margaret, daughter of Stephen de la Bere. He married Sybil, daughter of Robert de Ewyas, and had issue Sir John and George; and Margaret, married to Sir Robert Baskerville.

Sir JOHN, who succeeded his father, married Alice, sister to Sir Robert Baskerville, and had issue

JOHN, his heir, who married Joan daughter to Sir Richard Mannington, and had issue John, who died in his father's life-time, and

Sir THOMAS, who married Margaret, daughter and heir of Sir Gilbert Winston, and had issue

RICHARD his heir, who, by Margaret daughter of Sir John Philips, had issue

PHILIP, who married Maud, daughter and heir of William-Philip Vaughan, and had issue Philip, and

DAVID, from whom the present Earls of Exeter and Salisbury are descended. He married Jane, daughter and heir of Sir John Dicons, and had issue Richard, and David; and a daughter Joan.

RICHARD, who succeeded his father, dying in March, 1553, left issue by Jane, daughter and heir to William Heckington, William, his heir; and three daughters; Anne, married to John White, Esq;—Elizabeth, to Sir Robert

Wingfield, and 2dly to Hugh Allington, Esq.—Margaret, to Roger Cave, Esq.

WILLIAM, his heir, was created Baron of Burleigh, and died in 1598. He married first, Mary, daughter to Peter Cheek, by whom he had Thomas, his heir. He married 2dly, Mildred, daughter of Sir Anthony Coke, by whom he had a son Robert; and two daughters, Anne, married to Edward Vere, Earl of Oxford, by whom she had three daughters; 1 Elizabeth, married to William the 6th Earl of Derby. 2 Bridget to the Lord Norris. 3 Susan to Philip Herbert, Earl of Montgomery, afterwards Earl of Pembroke.—Elizabeth, married 2dly, to William Wentworth, eldest son of Thomas Lord Wentworth, who had no issue. The sons were both made Earls in one day; but Robert was created Earl of SALISBURY in the morning, and

(1st E.) THOMAS, the eldest, Earl of Exeter in the afternoon, and succeeded his father in the title of Lord Burleigh. By his second wife Frances, daughter of William Bridges Lord Chandos, widow of Sir Thomas Smith, he had an only daughter Anne-Sophia, that died young; but by his first, who was Dorothy, 2d of the four daughters and co-heirs of John Nevil Lord Latimer; by Lucy his wife, 2d daughter to Henry Somerset Earl of Worcester, he had five sons, and eight daughters, Catharine died unmarried.—Lucy, married William Powlet, the 4th Marquis of Winchester.—Mildred, married first to Sir Thomas Read, and 2dly, to Sir Edmund Trafford.—Mary, married to Edward Lord Denny.—Susan died unmarried.—Elizabeth, married first to Sir William Hatton, alias Newport, and 2dly to Sir Edward Coke.—Dorothy, to Sir Giles Allington.—Frances, to Sir Nicholas Tufton. The sons were, William.—Sir Richard, who was father of David the 3d Earl.—Thomas.—Christopher, who was drowned in Germany.—Sir Edward, who was created Baron of Putney and Visc. WIMBLETON, in the county of Surry. He married first, Theodosia, sister to Edward Noel the first Visc. Campden, by whom he had four daughters; and 2dly, Diana, daughter of Sir William Drury, he had another daughter Anne. Of the daughters by his first wife, which were, 1 Frances. 2 Elizabeth. 3 Albinia, and 4 Dorothy. Frances, married James Fiennes the 2d Visc. Saye and Sele.—Elizabeth, to Francis the 4th Lord Willoughby of Parham.—Albinia, to Sir Christopher Wray. He married 3dly, Sophia daughter to Sir Edmund Zouch, by whom he had an only son Algernon, who died an infant; and

and his Lady married 2dly, Sir Robert King. But having done with this branch we return to

(2d E.) WILLIAM Lord Burleigh, who, on the 7th of Feb. 1622, succeeded his father. By his 2d wife, Elizabeth, another sister and coheir to Sir Robert Drury, he had three daughters; Elizabeth, married to Thomas Howard the first Earl of Berkshire.—Diana, 1st, to Henry Vere Earl of Oxford, and 2dly to Thomas Bruce Earl of Elgin in Scotland.—Anne to Henry the 1st Earl of Stamford. But by his first wife Elizabeth, only daughter and heir to Edward Earl of Rutland, he had William his son, who was Lord Roos, as appears in the account of the Rutland family, who married Anne daughter of Sir Thomas Lake; but dying in 1618 at Naples, without issue, the title of Earl of Exeter, upon his father's decease, Anno 1639, descended to,

(3d E.) DAVID son of Sir Richard before-mentioned, his uncle, by his second wife, daughter to Sir Anthony Cope; and that of Lord Roos, reverted to the Earl of Rutland after the death of George Duke of Buckingham, who was son of Catharine, daughter of Francis the 6th Earl of Rutland. He married Elizabeth, daughter to John Egerton, the 1st Earl of Bridgewater; and he had John his heir; and a daughter Frances, married to Anthony the 1st Earl of Shaftsbury.

(4th E.) JOHN, who succeeded his father, married to his second wife Mary Fane, daughter to Mildmay the 2d Earl of Westmoreland, and relict of Frances Palmes, Esq. by whom he had no issue; but by his first, who was Frances, daughter to John the 8th Earl of Rutland, he was father of another John; David, who died young; and a daughter Frances, married to John Visc. Scudamore in Ireland.

(5th E.) JOHN, who succeeded his father, married Anne, only daughter to William Earl of Devonshire, widow of Charles Lord Rich, and by her had John his heir; William, Charles, Edward, all three unmarried; and four daughters, Christian, Anne, Frances, who all died young; and Elizabeth married to Charles Earl of Orrery.

(6th E.) JOHN, who, in 1700 succeeded his father, married to his first wife Annabella, daughter to John Bennet Lord Ossulston, sister to Charles Earl of Tankerville, by whom he had no issue; but by his 2d wife, Elizabeth, daughter and coheir to Sir John Brownlow, who died Nov. 28, 1723, in the 43d year of her age, he had five sons; and a daughter Elizabeth, married to William Aislabe, Esq. but died the 6th of April, 1733. The sons were,

(7th E.) JOHN, his heir, born 1700.—Brownlow, born 1701.—William, born 1702.—Francis born 1703—Charles, born 1705; the three youngest died unmarried; and the eldest, who, on the 21st of December 1721, succeeded his father, dying on the 9th of April 1722, unmarried also,

(8th E.) BROWNLOW, his next brother, became heir; and in 1724, married Hannah-Sophia, eldest daughter to Thomas Chambers of London, merchant, and by her who died April 30, 1765, had issue three sons and three daughters, viz. Brownlow, the present Earl.—Margaret-Sophia, who died in 1738, unmarried.—Thomas-Chambers, born June 25, 1728, and died in Aug. 14, 1778, having married Miss Charlotte Gornier, and had issue Henry, born in March 1754, married May 23, 1776, to Miss Vernon, and had a son born, who died an infant—July 1777.—David, died young in 1736.—Elizabeth, born June 22, 1729; married in May, 1757, to John Chaplyn, Esq; of Blankney, in Lincolnshire.—Anne, born in 1734. His Lordship dying Nov. 3, 1754, was succeeded by his eldest son.

(9th E.) BROWNLOW now Earl.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron of Burleigh in the county of Northampton, Feb. 25, 1570, 13 Eliz. and Earl of Exeter, in the county of Devon, May 4, 1605, 3 Jac. 1.

ARMS.] Barry of ten, *argent* and *azure*, over all six escutcheons, 3, 2, and 1, *sable*, each charged with a lion rampant, of the *field*. [Plate VIII.]

CREST.] On a chapeau, *gules*, turned up, *ermine*, a garb, *or*; supported by two lions, that on the dexter side, *argent*; the sinister, *azure*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two lions, *ermine*.

MOTTO.] *Cer unum, via una.* One Heart one Way.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Burleigh, near Stamford, in the county of Northampton.

COMPTON, EARL OF NORTHAMPTON.

THE Right Hon. SPENCER COMPTON, Earl of NORTHAMPTON, succeeded his brother Charles, the late Earl, October 18, 1763. He married Jane, daughter of Henry Lawton, of Northampton, Esq; by whom he has issue, Charles, Lord Compton, born March 2, 1760.—Frances, born September, 10, 1758. The Countess their mother,

mother, died Nov. 26, 1767; and he married secondly, May 16, 1769, Miss Hougham.

The ancient family of Compton derives its name from the Lordship of Compton in the county of Warwick, and is descended from the Saxon Earls of Warwick, before the Conquest. Sir William Dugdale in his *Antiquities of Warwickshire*, gives the descent of this family in a right line from Turkel, who was deprived of his Earldom of Warwick by King William the Conqueror.

WILLIAM Compton, in the reign of Richard II. married Joan, daughter to John Hobby, Esq; and was father of ROBERT Compton, whose son

EDMUND dying in 1494, left issue by Joan his wife, daughter and heir to Walter Aylworth, Esq; Sir William his heir, and a daughter Elizabeth, married to Sir Walter Rodney, Knt.

Sir WILLIAM Compton was Page of Honour to King Henry VIII. He was knighted by that King for his gallant behaviour at the battle of the Spurs. He died May 31, 1528, aged 47, and by Werburge, daughter and heir to Sir John Brereton, widow of Sir Francis Cheyney, left

PETER, his heir, then in minority, whose wardship was committed to Cardinal Wolsey, but that prelate being in disgrace, he was afterwards in ward to George the 4th Earl of Shrewsbury, who married him before he was 19, to the Anne his daughter; but he dying the 35th of Henry VIII. left Henry his son and heir, who was then but eleven months old; and his mother afterwards married William the 1st Earl of Pembroke. This

(1st L.) HENRY, on the 10th February, 1566, was knighted by the Earl of Leicester; and on the 8th of May 1572, was summoned by writ to the House of Peers, by the title of Baron Compton of Compton; and marrying Frances, daughter to Francis the 2d Earl of Huntington, by her had two sons and one daughter; by his second wife Anne, daughter to Sir John Spencer, widow of William Lord Monteagle, (who married to her third husband, Robert Sackville, the second Earl of Dorset,) he had Sir Henry Compton who married Cicely, daughter to Robert Sackville, Earl of Dorset, by his first wife, and by her he had three sons and three daughters; Cicely, married first to Sir John Fermor, and secondly to Henry the third Lord Arundel of Wardour.— Mary to John, son and heir of Richard Visc. Lumley.— Margaret the youngest, was married to Col. Thomas Sackville. The sons of the said Sir Henry were William, Henry, and

and George. The 2d was slain in a duel, by Lord George Chandos; but this branch is extinct. Of the issue of Henry Lord Compton, by Frances Hastings his first wife; Margaret married Henry Lord Mordaunt, by whom she had John, who was created Earl of Peterborough. And of the sons, which were William and Thomas; the latter married Mary, daughter to Anthony Beaumont, widow of Sir William Rayer, who married to her 2d husband Sir George Villiers, and after his decease, she was by King James the 1st. created Countess of Buckingham, July 1, 1618, and was mother of George Villiers Duke of Buckingham, the great favourite of King James and King Charles I.

(2d L. 1st E.) WILLIAM, who succeeded his father, was first summoned to Parliament, the 35th of Eliz. and was created Earl of Northampton on the 2d of Aug. 1618, the 16th of James I. he was created a Knight of the Garter, and Lord President of the Marches and Principality of Wales. He married Elizabeth sole daughter and heir to Sir John Spencer, and by her left Spencer his heir; and two daughters; Elizabeth married to Robert Maxwell, Earl of Nithsdale in Scotland; and Anne to Ulick Marquis of Clanrickard.

(2d E.) SPENCER, who distinguished himself for his valour and attachment to the cause of Charles I. in which he was slain at Hopton-Heath, in Staffordshire, in the 42d year of his age, married Mary, daughter to Sir Francis Beaumont, and by her had six sons and two daughters; Anne married to Sir Hugh Cholmley.—Penelope to Sir John Nicholas.—Sir Charles the 2d son, dying in November 1661, left issue by Mary his wife, daughter to Sir Hatton Fermor, a daughter of her name, who on the 15th of May 1676, was married to James Lane, Visc. Laneborough; as also a son named Hatton Compton, who died in 1740, leaving by Penelope his wife, daughter of Sir John Nicholas, a daughter Penelope, married to Sir Thomas Gooch, Bart. Bishop of Ely, and three sons, Charles, Edward, and James.—Sir William, 3d son, died October 19, 1663, in the 39th year of his age, having married Elizabeth, widow of William Lord Allington, of Horsheath in the county of Cambridge.—Sir Spencer Compton, 4th son, died at Bruges unmarried 1659.—Sir Francis Compton, 5th son, died on the 20th of December 1716, in the 87th year of his age. He married several wives, but by Jane, daughter to Sir John Trevor, Knt. he had two sons, James and John, who both died unmarried; and three daughters, Mary, Frances, and Anne. The eldest whereof married Sir Barrington Bouchier.—

Henry

Henry Compton, 6th son, was Bishop of London, and died on the 7th of July 1711, in the 81st year of his age.

(3d E.) JAMES, eldest son of Spencer, Earl of Northampton, succeeded, and died December 15, 1681. On the 5th of July, 1647, he married Isabella, youngest daughter and co-heir to Richard Sackville, the third Earl of Dorset, and by her, who died October 14, 1661, he had divers children that died young, and one daughter Alathea, married to Edward Hungerford, Esq. but dying without issue in 1678, her great fortune descended to her cousin John Tufton, the fourth Earl of Thanet. His second Lady was Mary, daughter to Baptist Noel, Visc. Campden, by whom he had three sons and two daughters, whereof Juliana died young; but Mary married Charles Sackville the 6th Earl of Dorset. His three sons, were George his successor.—James who died young.—Spencer, who in several Parliaments was speaker of the House of Commons, and was created Baron of Wilmington in the county of Suffex, Jan. 2, 1728, and on the 14th of May, 1730, created Viscount Pevensey, and Earl of WILMINGTON; but dying unmarried in July 1743, his titles are extinct.

(4th E.) GEORGE was under age at his Father's death. In 1686, his Lordship married 1st Jane, youngest daughter, of Sir Stephen Fox, and by her (who died July 10, 1721) had four sons and six daughters, viz. James, who succeeded him April 15, 1727.—George who succeeded his brother James, October 3, 1754.—Stephen, died young.—Charles, who died Nov. 20, 1755, having married, August 14, 1727, Mary, only daughter of Sir Berkeley Lucy, Bart. by whom he had issue two sons and four daughters, viz. 1. Charles, the late Earl of Northampton. 2. Spencer, the present Earl. 3. Mary, married, first, to Richard Haddock, Esq. and secondly, to Arthur Scott, Esq. both in the sea-service. 4. Jane, married Feb. 2, 1753, to Sir Georges-Brydges Rodney, now Lord Rodney, and died Jan. 28, 1757; leaving issue. 5. Catharine, married, Jan. 26, 1756, to John Earl of Egmont. 6. Elizabeth, married, in March, 1761, to Henry Drummond, Esq. Banker at Charing-Cross.—Elizabeth, eldest daughter, died Jan. 3, 1743.—Mary, married in April 1709, to William Gore of Tring in Hertfordshire, Esq. and died in August 1737.—Jane, died 1749.—Anne, who married, October 16, 1729, to Sir John Rushout of Northwick, had issue, a son and two daughters, and died 1766.—Penelope, died in Jan. 1763.—Margaret. His Lordship, on July 2, 1726, married to his second Lady,
Elizabeth

Elizabeth, daughter of Sir James Rushout, of Northwick, in the county of Worcester, Bart. and relict of Sir George Thorold, Bart. by whom he had no issue; and dying, April 15, 1727, was succeeded by

(5th E.) JAMES, his eldest son, who was born in May 1687; and on the 31st of December, 1711, was summoned to the House of Peers, by the title of Lord Compton. On the 3d of March 1716, he married Elizabeth, only daughter, and at length sole heir of Robert Viscount Tamworth, eldest son of Robert, and elder brother to Washington Earl of Ferrers, and by her (who was Baroness Ferrars of Chartley, Bouchier, Lovayne and Basset (of Drayton) in right of descent from Sir Walter Devereux, who in the reign of King Henry VI. married Anne, sole daughter and heir to William Lord Ferrars of Chartley, in the county of Stafford, lineally descended from Robert de Ferrars, a great Baron, advanced to the Earldom of Derby, anno 1139, the 4th of King Stephen) had issue one son and three daughters, viz. George, styled Lord Compton, born July 6, 1723, who died 28th of Nov. 1739.—Jane, who died in 1739 in the 17th year of her age, unmarried.—Anne, who also died unmarried, March 13, 1747.—Charlotte.—also another son George; and two daughters; Elizabeth and Mary, who died infants. Her Ladyship died March 13, 1740; and Charlotte, the sole surviving daughter and heir of her mother, who was Baroness FERRARS of Chartley, &c. married in December 1751, to George the present Lord Viscount Townshend, and dying Sept. 3, 1770, the title descended to her son the present Baron de Ferrars. His Lordship dying October 3, 1754, was succeeded in the Barony of Compton by his only daughter Charlotte Baroness de Ferrars; and in the Earldom by his brother,

(6th E.) GEORGE, who married Frances daughter of the Rev. Mr. Payne, but had no issue. His Lordship dying December 6, 1758, was succeeded by his nephew; and her Ladyship married 2dly Claudius Amyand, Esq. in 1761, and is since deceased.

(7th E.) CHARLES, eldest son of Charles brother of the late Earl, succeeded his uncle George, who in September 13, 1759, married Anne Somerset, eldest daughter of Charles late Duke of Beaufort, by whom he had issue, Elizabeth, born June 25, 1760, who Feb. 26, 1782, married George-Augustus-Henry Cavendish, brother to the present Duke of Devonshire; and the Countess her mother died

died at Naples, in May 1763; and the Earl deceasing 18th of October following, the titles descended to his brother (8th E.) SPENCER, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Created Earl of the town of Northampton, Aug. 2, 1618, 16 Jac. I.

ARMS.] *Sable*, a lion passant-guardant, *or*, between three helmets, *argent*. [Plate VIII.]

CREST.] On a wreath a mount, *vert*, and thereon a beacon, *or*, enflamed on the top, *proper*; about the same a label, inscribed *Nisi Dominus*. (Unless the Lord.)

SUPPORTERS.] Two dragons, with wings expanded, *ermine*, collared with ducal collars, and chains of *gold*.

MOTTO.] *Je ne cherche que ung*. I look but for one.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Castle-Ashby, in Northamptonshire; and at Compton Vinyates, in the county of Warwick.

F I E L D I N G, E A R L O F D E N B I G H.

THE Right Hon. BASIL FIELDING, Earl of DENBIGH, Viscount Fielding, Baron Fielding of Newnham-Paddox and St. Liz; also Earl of DESMOND, Vise. Callan, and Baron Fielding of Lecaghe in Ireland.

For an account of this noble family, see Earl of DESMOND in the *Irish* Peerage.

F A N E, E A R L O F W E S T M O R E L A N D.

THE Right Honourable JOHN FANE, Earl of WESTMORELAND, and Baron Burghersh, born the 1st of Jan. 1759, and succeeded his father on the 26th of April, 1774. His Lordship married May 20, 1782, Miss Child, only daughter and heiress of Francis Child, Esq. of Osterly-Park in Middlesex.

The families of Vane and Fane derived their descent from HOWEL ap Vane, of the county of Monmouth.

JOHN Vane from him descended, married Isabel, daughter to John Darell, Esq. and had four sons; Henry, who left no issue.—Richard, of whom hereafter.—Thomas, from whom descended Thomas Fane, of Fairlawn, in Kent, Esq. who died in Sept. 1692, unmarried.

—John

John, the ancestor of the Earl of Darlington and the Viscount Vane.

RICHARD, 2d son, married Agnes, daughter and heir of — Stidolph, of Stidolph, in the county of Surry, and had a son George; and a daughter Alice, married to John Brown, Esq. He was living in the 32d of Hen. VIII. and wrote his name Fane.

GEORGE, his son, married Joan, daughter and heir of William Waller, of Gombridge, in Kent, and had issue two sons of the name of Thomas, as appears by his father's will; and several daughters; whereof Mary married to John Ashburnham, Esq.—Bridget, to Charles Bolles, Esq.—Catharine, to Walter Roberts, Esq. Of the sons, Thomas, the younger, married Helena, daughter of Sir Walter Hendley, widow of Sir George Somerset, 2d son of Charles, the first Earl of Worcester, by his second wife; and had issue Mary, his heir, married to Henry Fane, of Hadlow, in Kent, Esq. the elder.

THOMAS was engaged in Wyat's rebellion, and committed to the Tower the 1st of Queen Mary, but was pardoned the same year; he was knighted August 26, 1573, by Robert Earl of Leicester. He married first, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Thomas Colepeper, by whom he had no issue; 2dly, Mary, daughter and sole heir to Henry Nevil, the fourth Lord Abergavenny, by whom he had four sons, Sir Francis, Sir George, Thomas, and Edward; and a daughter Frances. Her Ladyship, as heir to her father, claimed the title of Baroness Abergavenny, against Edward Nevil, her cousin, which being determined in favour of the heir male, his Majesty's patent, the same day, was read for the restitution of Mary Fane, to the Barony of Le Despenser, and that her heirs successively should enjoy the honour. Of the sons Thomas the 3d, and Edward the 4th sons, died unmarried; Sir George the 2d, married Anne daughter to Sir Oliver Boteler, of Teston, in Kent, Knight.

(1st E.) FRANCIS, the eldest son, on the 29th of December, 1624, was created Baron of Burgherth, and Earl of Westmoreland, and died on March 21, 1629. He married Mary, daughter and heir to Sir Anthony Mildmay of Apethorpe, in the county of Northampton, Kt. ancestor of the Earl Fitzwalter, and had seven sons and six daughters; Grace, was married to James Earl of Hume, in Scotland.—Mary, to Dutton Lord Gerard of Bromley.—Elizabeth, first to Sir John Cope, of Hanwell, in the county of Oxford, Bart. and secondly, to William Cope,

Cope, of Icome, in the county of Gloucester, Esq.—Rachael, first to Henry Bouchier, Earl of Bath, and next to Lionel Cranfield, Earl of Middlesex.—Frances and Catharine, both died unmarried. The sons, were Mildmay, Thomas, Francis ancestor of the present Earl, Anthony, Sir George, William, and Robert. The eldest and third were made Knights of the Bath, at the coronation of King Charles I.—From Sir Francis descended the late Visc. FANE, in Ireland.—Anthony married Amabella, daughter to Sir Anthony Benn, Kt. and died in 1643, and she became the second wife of Henry the 11th Earl of Kent.—Sir George, 5th son, married Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Lord Spencer, of Wormleighton, but she died without issue.

(2d E.) MILD MAY, who succeeded his father, married to his first wife Grace, daughter to Thomas Howard, Visc. Bindon, (younger son to Thomas, Duke of Norfolk) by his second wife, daughter to Sir William Lyte, and by her had a son Charles, and five daughters; and by his 2d, who was Mary, daughter to Horace Lord Vere, and widow of Sir Roger Townshend, of Raynham, in Norfolk, Bart. he had Sir Vere Fane, and four daughters; Mary, Rachel, Catharine, and Susan. The eldest was first married to Francis Palmes, son and heir to Sir Bryan Palmes, and and afterwards to John Cecil, the fourth Earl of Exeter.—Rachael, to Gregory Hesketh, D. D.—Catharine, to Conyers D'Arcy, Earl of Holderness. Of the daughters by Grace, his first wife; Frances, the 2d, was married to Sir Erasmus Harby; and Diana, the eldest, first to John Pelham, Esq. and secondly, to John Bill, Esq.

(3d E.) CHARLES, the brother, on the 12th of February, 1665, succeeded his father. He married first Elizabeth, daughter and heir to Charles Nodes, Esq. and secondly, Dorothy, daughter to Robert, the 2d Earl of Cardigan, who married secondly, Robert Constable, Visc. Dunbar in Scotland; but dying in September, 1691, without issue.

(4th E.) SIR VERE, his half brother, became heir. He died on December 29, 1693, having married Rachael, only daughter and heir to John Bence, and by her, who died February 6, 1711, had four sons, and three daughters; Mary, married to Sir Francis Dashwood, of West-Wycombe, Bucks, Bart. father of the late Lord Le Despencer; and a daughter Rachael, married to Sir Robert Austen, of Bexley, in Kent, Bart. the present Baroness Le Despencer.—Catharine, to William Paul, of Braywick, in Berks, Esq. and died the

25th of September, 1733, leaving an only daughter Catharine, married to Sir William Stapleton, Bart.—Susan, who died unmarried March 11, 1735. The sons were, Vere, Thomas, John, and Mildmay; the latter was seated at Mereworth-Castle, in the county of Kent, and died on the 12th of September, 1715; John, on the 7th of July, 1733, was created Baron of *Catherlough* in Ireland.

(5th E.) VERE, the eldest, succeeded his father, and died on the 19th of May, 1699, unmarried.

(6th E.) THOMAS, his next brother, became heir, and taking to wife Catharine, daughter and heir to Charles Strynger, of Charlton, in the county of York, Esq. and widow of Richard Beaumont, of Whitby, in the said county, Esq. by her, who died on the 4th of Feb. 1730, had no issue; and dying 1736, was succeeded by his only brother.

(7th E.) JOHN, who married Mary, only daughter of Henry Cavendish, 2d son of the Duke of Devonshire, and died the 26th of August, 1762, without issue.

We must therefore return to Sir Francis Fane, third son of the first Earl of Westmoreland, who married Elizabeth, daughter of William West, Esq. relict of John Lord D'Arcy; she died in 1649, leaving four sons, and six daughters; Francis, the eldest, married Hannah, daughter of John Rushworth; Esq. and had surviving issue three sons, of whom, Francis married a daughter of Henry Heron, Esq. and was the father of Francis Fane, of Fulbeck, Esq. who died without issue in 1758.—Henry the 2d son, of Sir Francis Fane, above-mentioned, married Anne, sister of John Scrope, of Wormsley, in Oxfordshire, Esq. and dying in 1726, left three sons, and one daughter; Francis, who died May 28, 1757.—Thomas, who succeeded to the title in August, 1762.—Henry, who died May 31, 1777, having married first Charlotte, daughter of Nicholas Rowe, Esq. by whom he had Charlotte, married to William St. Quintin, Esq. and died in 1762; he married, secondly, Anne, daughter of Dr. Wynn, Bishop of Bath and Wells, by whom he had a daughter Mary, married to Sir Thomas Stapylton, Bart. he married thirdly, Charlotte, daughter of Richard Luther of Myles's, in Essex, by whom he had two sons, John, married to Elizabeth, daughter of the Earl of Macclesfield; and Francis.—Mary, married, first, to John Henley, Esq. and secondly, to Dr. Creswicke, late Dean of Wells. And upon the death of John, the 7th Earl, without issue, the honours devolved upon the said

(8th E.)

(8th E.) THOMAS, who succeeded, being descended as above shewn; he married Anne, daughter of William Swymer, Esq. of Bristol, and had two sons, and two daughters; John, who succeeded him.—Henry, who married Jan. 12, 1778, Miss Batson, by whom he has a son born Nov. 26, 1778, and a daughter born Jan. 1780.—Anne, who died, 1764.—Mary, the wife of Charles Blair, Esq. and has issue a son born in 1760. His Lordship deceasing Nov. 12, 1771, was succeeded by his son

(9th E.) JOHN, who married first in March, 1758, Augusta, daughter of Montagu Bertie, son of Robert, first Duke of Ancafter; by which Lady, who died Jan. 3, 1766, he had two sons and a daughter; John the present Earl.—Thomas, born July 6, 1760.—Augusta, born September 18, 1761, married July, 1781, the eldest son of Sir William Lowther, Bart. He married 2dly, in July, 1767, Susan, sister to the Duke of Gordon, by whom he left issue, Henry, born April 14, 1771, and died March 6, 1774.—Susan, born Oct. 3, 1768.—Elizabeth, born Jan. 7, 1773.—Mary, born Sept. 19, 1772. His Lordship deceasing on the 26th of April, 1774, was succeeded by his son. Her Ladyship married 2dly, Dec. 20, 1778, to Col. Woodford of the Guards, and died Nov. 1782.

(10th E.) JOHN, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Baron Burghersh, and Earl of the county of Westmoreland, December 29, 1624, 22 Jac. I.

ARMS.] *Azure*, three right-hand gauntlets, with their backs forward, *or*. [*Plate VIII.*]

CREST.] Out of a ducal coronet, *or*; a bull's head, *argent*; pyed, *fable*; armed, *or*; and charged on the neck with a rose, *gules*, barbed and seeded, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a gryphon, *parté per fess*, *argent* and *or*; his beak, fore-legs, and chain of the *second*, his collar, *fable*. On the sinister, a bull, *argent*; pyed, *fable*; armed, collared, chained, and hoofed, *or*; on the collar a rose, *proper*.

MOTTO.] *Ne vile Fano*. Disgrace not the Altar.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Apethorp, in Northamptonshire; Brimpton, in Somerset.

MORDAUNT, EARL OF PETERBOROUGH AND
MONMOUTH.

THE Right Hon. CHARLES-HENRY MORDAUNT, Earl of PETERBOROUGH and MONMOUTH, Viscount Mordaunt of Avalon, Baron Mordaunt of Turvey, and Baron Mordaunt of Ryegate, was born May 16, 1758, succeeded his father Charles, the late Earl, Aug. 2, 1779, and is unmarried.

OSBERT le Mordaunt, a Norman Knight, was possessed of Radwell, in Bedfordshire, by the gift of his brother, which he had of William the Conqueror for his services at the Conquest. He had issue OSMUND and Baldain; to the former succeeded EUSTACH, who by marriage with Alice, eldest daughter and co-heir of William de Alneto, *vulg.* Dauney, became possessed of the Lordship of Turvey in Bedfordshire. WILLIAM, his son, was succeeded by another WILLIAM, his son, who had issue by Rose, daughter of Sir Ralph Wake, ROBERT, his heir, who married Joan, daughter of Thomas Frowick, and had issue EDMUND, who married Helen, daughter and coheir of Ralph Brook; from whose other daughter and coheir Agnes, the present Duke of Montagu is descended. He had issue ROBERT, who by Agnes, daughter of John Strange, had a son ROBERT; he married Elizabeth, daughter of John Holdenby, Esq. by whom he had a son WILLIAM, who married Margaret, daughter of John Pecke, by whom he had John and William; and a daughter Joan, married to Giles Strangeways, of Dorset, Esq.—William, the younger brother, married Anne, daughter of Thomas Huntingdon, by whom he had four sons, Robert, Christopher, Edmund, and George. Robert, the eldest, by marriage with Barbara, daughter and heir of John L'Éstrange, of Messingham, in Norfolk, Esq. by Anne, his wife, daughter and coheir of Thomas L'Éstrange, of Walton, in Warwickshire, Esq. became possessed of both those estates; from whom descended L'Éstrange Mordaunt, Esq. created a Baronet the 29th of June, 1611; whose lineal heir is Sir Charles Mordaunt, Bart.

(1st L.) JOHN, the eldest brother, was seated at Turvey, in the county of Bedford, and had summons to Parliament among the Peers; and marrying Elizabeth, daughter and coheir to Henry de Vere, Lord of Drayton and Addington, in the county of Northampton, by her had John his heir;
William,

William, and George; and six daughters; Dorothy, married Thomas Moore, Esq. another married William Aclam, Esq. and a third to Edward Fairfax.

(2d L.) JOHN, who succeeded, married Ellen, cousin and heir to Sir Richard Fitz-Lewis, of West-Thornton, in Essex, and by her had

(3d L.) LEWIS, his heir, who died June 16, 1601. He married Elizabeth, daughter to Sir Arthur D'Arcy, Kt. by whom he had

(4th L.) HENRY Lord Mordaunt, who was suspected to have some knowledge of the Powder-plot, and was fined in the Star-chamber, and released June 3, 1606. He married Margaret, daughter to Henry the 1st Lord Compton, and by her he had

(1st E.) JOHN, his heir, who in the 3d of Charles I. was created Earl of Peterborough. He married Elizabeth, sole daughter and heir to William Lord Howard of Effingham, son and heir of Charles Earl of Nottingham, and had two sons, Henry, his heir; and John; and a daughter Elizabeth, who married Thomas, the 2d Lord Howard of Esrick.

(2d E.) HENRY, who on the 18th of June, 1642, succeeded, married Penelope, daughter to Barnaby Obrien, the 6th Earl of Thomond in Ireland, by whom he had a daughter Mary, who was first married to Henry Howard, Duke of Norfolk; and 2dly, to Sir John Germaine, Bart. and died in 1705; and her father dying on the 19th of June, 1697, without issue male, we now come to

JOHN, his brother, who was in the 11th of Charles II. created Lord Mordaunt of Ryegate, and Visc. Avalon, and died the 5th of June, 1675. He married Elizabeth, sole daughter and heir to Thomas Cary, 2d son to Robert, Earl of Monmouth, and by her had seven sons and four daughters; Charlotte, Cary, Sophia, and Anne; whereof Cary died unmarried; Sophia, married to James Hamilton, of Bangor, in Ireland. Of the sons, five lived to maturity, which were Charles, Harry, Lewis, Osmond, and George. The latter, a clergyman, married 1st Catharine, 4th daughter and coheir to Sir Thomas Spencer, of Yarnton in the county of Oxford, Bart. and widow of John Dormer, Esq. who dying in 1714, left him no issue; and he married 2dly, Elizabeth, daughter to Sir John D'Oyley, who dying March 20, 1720, left a daughter Anna-Maria, married to the Rev. Dr. Shipley. His 3d wife was Elizabeth, daughter of Colonel Collier, by whom he had two daughters, Mary, married to

Valentine Morris, of Piercefield, in Monmouthshire, Esq. and Elizabeth, married to Sir William Milner.—Osmond was killed at the Battle of the Boyne, in Ireland.—Lewis, 3d son, was a Brigadier-General in the army, but died the 2d of Feb. 1713: he married 1st Anne, daughter of — Martin, and had Charles his heir, who married 1st Charlotte, daughter of Thomas Manwaring, Esq. (widow of Charles Lord Mohun, who was killed in a duel with the Duke of Hamilton, by Charlotte, daughter of Charles Gerard, Earl of Macclesfield) by whom he had no issue; and 2dly, Anne, 3d daughter to Scrope, the first Viscount Howe, by whom he had three sons, Charles, Osbert, and Harry. Lewis Mordaunt married, 2dly, Mary, daughter of Colonel Collier, and by her, who died April 17, 1740, had two daughters, Anna-Maria, and Sophia; the eldest married Stephen Poyntz, Esq. who died December 17, 1750, leaving several children, of whom Georgiana, eldest daughter, married December 27, 1755, John Spencer, now Earl Spencer; Sophia, sister to Mrs. Poyntz, married Sir Roger Martin, Bart.—Harry, married first a natural daughter of Thomas Spencer, Esq. by whom he had, 1st, Sir John Mordaunt, Knt. of the Bath. Harry his father had also two daughters, Elizabeth-Lucy, married to Sir Wilfred Lawson, Bart. and Margaret; and the said Harry married, 2dly, Penelope, only child of William Tipping, of Ewelme, Esq. by whom he had an only daughter Penelope, married to Monoux Cope, Esq. eldest son of Sir John Cope, Bart. and he died on the 4th of January, 1720.

(3d E.) CHARLES, the eldest, who on the 9th of April, 1689, 1 W. and M. was created Earl of Monmouth, succeeded his uncle Henry in the Earldom of Peterborough. He served in his youth, during the war with the Algerines, under the Admirals Torrington and Narborough. In 1705, he was declared General and Commander in chief of the forces sent to Spain, and Joint-Admiral of the fleet with Sir Cloudesly Shovel, and took Barcelona, and drove the Duke of Anjou and French army out of Spain, which consisted of 25,000 men, though his own troops never amounted to 10,000. He married 1st Carey, daughter to Sir Alexander Frazer, and by her, who died on the 13th of May, 1709, had two sons, John and Henry; and a daughter Henrietta, married to Alexander, Duke of Gordon, in Scotland. Of the sons, Henry, the youngest, was a commander in the Navy, but died unmarried, Feb. 24, 1710; but JOHN, his brother, who took early to arms, and at the Battle of Hochstet,

Hochstet, lost his left arm. He died the 6th of April, 1710, leaving issue by Frances, daughter to Charles, Duke of Bolton, who died July 30, 1715, two sons, Charles and John, who in October, 1735, married Mary, sister to Scrope, Visc. Howe, of Ireland, and widow and relict of Thomas, late Earl of Pembroke; she died September 12, 1749, and he married 2dly, Elizabeth, daughter of Samuel Hamilton, Esq. but died without issue, July 1, 1767. In 1735, the Earl married, 2dly, Mrs. Anastasia Robinson, and died at Lisbon, the 25th of October, 1735, aged 77; and was succeeded by his grandson,

(4th E.) CHARLES, the late Earl, married first Mary, daughter of John Cox, Esq. and by her, (who died Nov. 18, 1755) he had issue, Frances, born April, 1736, married October 10, 1765, the Rev. Mr. Samuel Bulkeley of Hatfield in Hertfordshire; and Mary-Anastasia-Grace, born June 5, 1738. His Lordship married 2dly, in 1756, Robiniana, daughter of Col. Brown, by whom he had issue, Charles-Henry, the present Earl; and Poulet, born July 12, 1759, who died young. His Lordship died Aug. 2, 1776, and was succeeded by his son,

(5th E.) CHARLES-HENRY, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Summoned to Parliament as Baron Mordaunt of Turvey, in the county of Bedford, May 4, 1532, 24 Henry VIII. and created Earl of Peterborough, in the county of Northampton, March 9, 1627, 3 Car. I. Baron Mordaunt of Ryegate, in the county of Surry, and Visc. Avalon, in the county of Somerset, July 10, 1659, 11 Car. II. and Earl of the county of Monmouth, April 9, 1689, 1 W. and M.

ARMS.] *Argent*, a chevron between the three estoils, *sable*. [Plate VIII.]

CREST.] In an Earl's coronet, *or*, the bust of a Moorish Prince, habited in a cloth of gold, all *proper*; wreathed about the temples, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two eagles *argent*, armed and membered, *sable*.

MOTTO.] *Nec placida contenta quieta est*. Nor is he contented with soft Repose.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Parson's Green, in the county of Middlesex; and Dantzy, in Wiltshire.

GREY, EARL OF STAMFORD.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE-HARRY GREY, Earl of STAMFORD, Baron Grey of Groby, born October 1, 1737, succeeded his father, the late Earl, May 30, 1768. He married May 20, 1763, Henrietta Cavendish Bentinck, sister to the present Duke of Portland, by whom he has issue, George-Harry, Lord Grey, born October 31, 1765.—Henrietta, born April 19, 1764.—Maria, born June 10, 1769, died young.—Louisa, born May 8, 1771.—William-Booth, born Sept. 10, 1773.—Anchitell, born Dec. 16, 1774.—Sophia, born Oct. 7, 1777.—Amelia.

The pedigree of this family is set forth under the title of Marchioness Grey, and that

REGINALD, the grandfather of Edmund, the first Earl of Kent, marrying to his second wife Joan, daughter and heir to William Lord Aftley, had with her a large estate in Warwickshire, and by her had a son

EDWARD, who, marrying Elizabeth, sole daughter and heir to Henry, son of William Lord Ferrers, of Groby, became heir to the said Lord Ferrers; and in the 27th of Hen. VI. was summoned to Parliament by the title of Lord Ferrers, of Groby; but in the first of James I. the family was honoured with the title of Lord Grey, of Groby, as above. They had three sons; and a daughter Anne, married to Sir Edward Hungerford, Knt. The sons were, John, Edward, and Reginald. The latter was slain in the Battle of Wakefield.—Edward having married Elizabeth, eldest of the two sisters of Thomas Talbot, Visc. Lisle, was, in the 15th of Edward IV. created Baron Lisle, and in the 1st of Richard the III. Visc. Lisle, and had issue John, his heir; and three daughters; Anne, married to Sir John Willoughby, Knt.—Elizabeth, first to Edmund Dudley, and after to Arthur Plantagenet, natural son of King Edward IV.—Muriel, to Henry Stafford, Earl of Wiltshire. John, her brother, marrying Muriel, daughter to Thomas Howard, Duke of Norfolk, by her left a daughter Elizabeth, who married first Henry Courtenay, Earl of Devon; and 2dly Sir Thomas Knyvet, Knt.

Sir JOHN, the eldest son of Edward and Elizabeth Ferrers, being slain in the Battle of St. Alban's, left issue by Elizabeth, eldest daughter to Richard Woodville, Earl Rivers, two
sons,

sons, Sir Thomas his heir, and Sir Richard, who was beheaded at Pomfret.

Sir THOMAS, who was Knight of the Garter, on the 12th of August, 1472, the 12th of Edward the IV. (in respect to his mother, whom that King had married) was created Earl of Huntingdon; and on the 18th of April, in the 15th of that Reign, Lord Harrington and Bonville, and Marquis of Dorset; but after the said King's death, because of his near relation to the young King Edward V. he was attainted of high-treason, but found means to make his escape into Britany, with other persons of note, to the aid of Henry Earl of Richmond. When that Earl obtained the crown, by the name of King Henry VII. he was sent for to England, (having been left in pledge with John Pourchier at Paris, for monies borrowed there) and, on his return, restored to his honours. He died the 18th of November, 1503, having married first Anne, only daughter to Henry Holland, Duke of Exeter, and by her had no issue; but, by his second wife, Cecily, daughter and heir to Sir William Bonville, Lord Harrington, he had seven sons; Edward and Anthony died young. — Thomas his heir. — Richard. — John. — Leonard, George, a clergyman. And seven daughters; Dorothy, married first to Robert Lord Willoughby of Brook; and 2dly, to William Blount Lord Montjoy. — Eleanor, to Sir John Arundel of Langherne, in Cornwall. — Elizabeth to Gerald Fitz-Gerald the 10th Earl of Kildare, in Ireland. — Mary, to Walter Devereux, the first Viscount Hereford. — Margaret, to Richard Wake. — Bridget died young. — Anne, married Sir Richard Clement.

THOMAS, who was Knight of the Garter, succeeded his father in his honours, and having no issue by his first wife, Eleanor, daughter to Oliver St. John; he took to his 2d Margaret daughter to Sir Robert Wotton, and by her had five sons, and two daughters; Elizabeth, married to Thomas Lord Audley of Walden; and Anne, to Henry Willoughby, Esq. The sons were Henry, his heir. — John Grey, of Pergo in Essex, Esq. of whom hereafter. — Edward. — Thomas. — Leonard who had articles of treason exhibited against him, and in the 31st of Henry VIII. lost his head on Tower-hill.

Henry, who succeeded his father, married Frances, eldest daughter and coheir to Charles Brandon, Duke of Suffolk, by Mary the French Queen, his wife, sister to King Henry VIII. he, in favour to her, on the 11th October 1551, the 5th of Edward VI. was created Duke of Suffolk. By the said

said Lady he had three daughters; 1. Jane the eldest, having married Guilford Dudley, 4th son to John Duke of Northumberland, her father, upon the death of King Edward VI. was allured to countenance the proclaiming his daughter to be Queen, on pretence of King Edward leaving her the crown by his will; but Queen Mary, that King's sister, (before the said Jane was crowned) soon deposed her from her royalty, turned her palace (which was then the Tower) into her prison, and caused her to be beheaded on Tower-hill, Feb. 12, 1555; and to shew her utmost resentment upon her family, stripped her father of his honours; and having attainted him, he, on the 23d of February, the same year, was beheaded also. 2. Catharine, was first married to Henry Lord Herbert, eldest son to William Earl of Pembroke, from whom she was divorced, and married to Edward Seymour Earl of Hertford; but that marriage being without the licence of Queen Elizabeth, she imprisoned them in the Tower, and fined the Earl 15,000*l.* as also severely forbid him her company; but by bribing his keeper, he begat a son Edward, who was ancestor to the late Duke of Somerset; but his Lady died in her prison, Jan. 26, 1567, where she had been nine years. 3. Mary, married Martyn Keyes, Esq. Serjeant-porter to Queen Elizabeth, and died without issue the 20th of April, 1578.

JOHN Grey of Pergo in Essex, Esq. 2d son of Sir Thomas, married Mary, daughter of Sir Anthony Brown, Knt. of the Garter, and sister to Anthony the 1st Visc. Montagu, and had a daughter Mary, married to Sir Arthur Capel, and a son

(1st L.) Sir HENRY Grey of Pergo, created Baron Grey of Groby, by King James I. He married Anne, daughter to William the 2d Lord Windsor, and had two sons, John and Ambrose; and died in 1614.

(2d L.) JOHN, the eldest son succeeding, married Elizabeth, daughter to Edward Nevil Lord Abergavenny; and by her, (who married 2dly, Sir John Bingley, Knt.) had Henry his heir; and Philip, who died in his father's life-time.

(1st E.) HENRY, the eldest, in the 3d of Charles I. was created Earl of Stamford, married Anne Cecil, youngest daughter and coheir to William the 2d Earl of Exeter, and had issue, Thomas his heir apparent.—Anchitel, who married Anne, daughter and heir to Sir Henry Willoughby, of Risley, in Derbyshire, Bart. widow of Sir Thomas Aston, Bart.—John, from whom the present Earl is descended,
married

married Jane, daughter of Simon Harcourt, Esq.—Leonard.—Elizabeth, married to George Booth, Lord Delamere.—Diana, to Robert Bruce, Earl of Aylesbury.—Jane, to — Ogle, Esq.—Anne.—Mary, who died unmarried.

THOMAS the eldest son, dying in his father's life-time, left issue by Dorothy, 2d daughter and coheir to Edward Bouchier, the 4th Earl of Bath,

(2d E.) THOMAS, who on the 21st of August, 1673, succeeded his grandfather; and two daughters; Elizabeth, married to Henry Benson, Esq. and Anne, to James Grove, Serjeant at Law. He married, 1st, a daughter of — Harvey, of Comb in Surry, Esq. 2dly, Mary, 2d daughter and coheir to Joseph Maynard, of Gunnersbury, in Middlesex, Esq. but dying on the 31st of Jan: 1720, aged 67, without surviving issue, his titles and part of his estate descended to

(3d E.) HARRY, grandson to John, 3d son of Henry the 1st Earl of Stamford, who marrying Dorothy, daughter to Sir Nathan Wright, and by her, who died on the 12th of Aug. 1738, had two sons, and five daughters; Harry Lord Grey.—John Grey, Esq. who married in June, 1748, Lucy, daughter of Sir Joseph Danvers, Bart.—Dorothy, who died 1781.—Catharine, married 1st, Mynheer John Tryp, who died in June, 1738; and 2dly, to Vanden Bempden, a Burgo-Master of Amsterdam.—Diana, married in September, 1736, to George Middleton, Esq.—Anne, married in Oct. 1744, to Sir Richard Acton, of Aldenham, in Salop, Bart.—Jane, married in June, 1738, to George Drummond, Esq. Secretary to the Order of the Thistle, and died in June, 1752. His Lordship dying in November, 1739, was succeeded by

(4th E.) HARRY his eldest son, who, in May, 1736, married Mary, only daughter of George Booth, Earl of Warrington, by whom, who died October 25, 1781, he had issue; George-Harry, the present Earl, born October 1, 1737.—Mary, born April 17, 1739, married to George West, son of the Earl Delewar, and died March, 1783.—Booth, born August 15, 1740, married May 10, 1782, Miss Mainwaring.—Anne, born Jan. 23, 1742, died in June, 1743.—John, born May 23, 1743, married June 22, 1773, Susanna, daughter of Ralph Leycester, Esq. His Lordship deceasing on the 30th of May, 1768, was succeeded by his son

(5th E.) GEORGE-HARRY, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Baron Grey, July 21, 1603, and Earl of Stamford, March 26, 1628.

ARMS.] Barry of six, *argent* and *azure*. [Plate IX.]

CREST.] On a chapeau, *gules*, turned up, *ermine* a wivern with wings elevated and endorsed, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two unicorns, *ermine*, armed, crested, and hooped, *or*.

MOTTO.] *A ma puissance*. By my Authority.

CHIEF SEATS.] Enville-Hall, in Staffordshire; Bragdate-Hall, in the county of Leicester; and Dunham-Massy, in Cheshire.

FINCH, EARL OF WINCHELSEA AND NOTTINGHAM.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE FINCH, Earl of WINCHELSEA and NOTTINGHAM, Viscount Maidstone, Baron Fitz-Herbert of Eastwell, Lord Finch of Dventry, Lord of the Royal Manor of Wye in Kent, was born Nov. 4, 1751, and succeeded his uncle the late Earl, on the 2d of Aug. 1769.

This noble family, according to Sir William Dugdale and others, is derived from HENRY Fitz-Herbert, Chamberlain to King Henry I. ancestor to the Earls of Pembroke and Powis; and first took the name of Finch in the reign of King Edward I. The first of the family who settled in Kent, was

HENRY Finch, who married Alice, daughter and heir of Philip Belknap of the Moat, near Canterbury. He died in 1493, leaving three sons, Sir William, Henry, and Philip.

SIR WILLIAM his heir, married first Elizabeth, daughter of Sir James Crowmer, widow of Sir Richard Lovelace, by whom he had, LAURENCE, who married Mary, only daughter and heir of Christopher Kemp, and died without issue.—Sir Thomas heir to his brother.—Richard, who married Eleanor, daughter of Sir Edmund Walsingham, but died without issue. Sir William married 2dly, Catharine, daughter of Sir John Gainsford, by whom he had Erasmus, who married Marian, daughter of John Summers, and widow of Thomas Rolfe, and died without issue.—Vincent, who married the daughter of — Ferrers, of Gloucestershire. He had also three daughters, Eleanor, married first Robert

Robert Morton; and secondly Thomas Wotton, by whom she had issue Sir Henry Wotton, Ambassador to Venice.—Mary, married to — Whitney, Esq.—Elizabeth married to Th. Thwaytes, Esq.

Sir THOMAS, after the death of his brother Laurence, succeeded to the estate. In the 6th of Elizabeth he was made Knt. Marshal of the Forces in Newhaven, then besieged by the French, and was shipwrecked in his voyage thither. He married Catharine, eldest of the two daughters and coheirs of Sir Thomas Moyle, and by her, who married 2dly to Nicholas St. Legar, Esq. had issue, Sir Moyle Finch.—Sir Henry Finch, who married the daughter of Mr. Wilkins, and being a great Lawyer, was Speaker of the House of Commons, and the Queen's Attorney-General, and afterwards made Lord Keeper of the Great Seal, and created Baron Finch of Fordwich; but dying without issue, that title became extinct.—Thomas Finch, who married Urfula, daughter to William Thwaytes, Esq. by Anne, sister to Edward Brabazon, Lord Ardee, ancestor to the Earl of West-Meath, and had a son John, who died without issue.—And Jane, married to George, son of Sir Thomas Wyat.

Sir MOYLE was by King James I. raised to the degree of a Baronet; and his widow,

(1st C. of W.) ELIZABETH, sole daughter to Sir Thomas Heneage, was by the said King James, advanced to the dignity of Viscountess of Maidstone, with limitation of that honour to the heirs male of her body; and on the 12th of July, 1628, 4 Car. I. she was created Countess of Winchelsea, with the like limitation, and died on the 13th of March, 1634. She was descended from the ancient family of the Heneages of Hainton, in the county of Lincoln, where they flourished from the reign of King Henry III. and were enriched by marriage with the daughters and heirs of Preston and Buckton, whose arms the Earl quarters. By the said Sir Moyle she had seven sons and four daughters; Anne married to Sir William Twisden; Catharine to Sir John Wentworth; and two others who died young. The sons, were Theophilus, Thomas, John, Sir Heneage, Francis, William, and Robert. The two latter died young; Francis the 5th son married Anne, daughter to Michael Barker, Esq. and had issue 1. John, 2. Elizabeth, 3. Heneage, 4. William, and 5. Robert.—Sir Heneage, 4th son, was ancestor of the Earls of Nottingham, and the present Earl of Winchelsea.—John, the 3d son, married Anne, daughter to — Walker, and had two sons, John, and William.—Theophilus, the eldest, marrying

marrying Elizabeth, daughter to Sir Christopher Heydon, and dying in his father's life-time without issue,

(1st E. of W.) Sir THOMAS the 2d son, his next brother, who was Knt. and Bart. became Visc. Maidstone and Earl of Winchelsea, as heir and successor to his mother. He married Cecily, sister to Sir John Wentworth, above mentioned; and dying November 4, 1639, left three sons, Heneage, John, and William; and five daughters; whereof Frances was married to Sir William Strickland.—Anne to Sir William Waller.—Cecily to Sir Erasmus Philips.—Diana to Nicholas Took, Esq.—Catharine to Ambrose Moore, Esq.

(2d E. of W.) HENEAGE the eldest son succeeded his father; and by Charles the II. he was on the 29th of July, 1660, created Baron Fitz-Herbert of Eastwell, and died in 1689. He married first Diana, daughter to Francis the 4th Lord Willoughby of Parham, by whom he had no issue that survived him; but by his 2d wife, Mary, daughter to William the 2d Duke of Somerset, he had four daughters and seven sons; William Lord Maidstone.—Heneage.—Thomas.—Charles.—Leopold, D. D. Warden of All-Soul's College, Oxford.—Lashley.—Henry.—The last six died without issue. By his third wife Catharine, daughter to Sir Thomas Nercise, Knt. (widow first of Christopher Lister, Esq. and secondly of Sir John Wentworth;) he had two daughters, who died unmarried. And by his 4th wife, Elizabeth, daughter and sole heir of John Ayres, of London, Esq. he had a son John, who succeeded to the title of Earl of Winchelsea. The daughters by the second wife were, Frances, who married Thomas Thynne, Viscount Weymouth.—Elizabeth.—Mary.—Jane. The three last died unmarried.

WILLIAM Visc. Maidstone, their eldest brother, being slain in the great sea-fight against the Dutch, May 28, 1672, left issue by Elizabeth, daughter to Thomas Windham, Esq. a daughter, Mariamne, who was married to Philip Herbert, Esq. and his Lady being then with child of a son, born the 26th of September following, was named

(3d E. of W.) CHARLES, who succeeded his grandfather. He married Sarah, daughter of Henry Nourse, Esq. but dying 14th of August, 1712, without issue,

(4th E. of W.) HENEAGE, his father's brother became heir. He married Anne, daughter to Sir William Kingsmill; but she dying in 1720, and his Lordship on the 30th of September, 1726, without issue, in the 70th year of his age, was succeeded by

(5th E. of W.) JOHN, his youngest (half) brother, who was born February 15, 1684; but he dying on the 9th of September, 1729, without issue also, we return to

Sir HENEAGE Finch, 4th son of Sir Moyle, by Elizabeth his wife, Countess of Winchelsea; which Sir Heneage, in 1625, 1 Car. I. was Recorder of London, and Speaker of the House of Commons; he resided at Kensington-House, now the Royal Palace. He married Frances, daughter of Sir Edmund Bell, by whom he had issue, Heneage his heir.—Sir John Finch, Doctor of Physic, who died about the year 1682.—Frances, married to Sir Clifford Clifton, Bart.—Anne, to Edward Visc. Conway.—Elizabeth, to Edward Maddison, Esq. Sir Heneage had also another wife Elizabeth, daughter of William Cradock, Esq. widow of Richard Bennet, Esq.

(1st E. of N.) HENEAGE, the eldest son, was in 1673, Keeper of the Great Seal, and created Baron Finch of Daventry, and afterwards Lord High Chancellor of England; on the 12th of May, 1681, he was created Earl of Nottingham, and died on the 18th of December, 1682, aged 61. He had issue by Elizabeth, daughter to William Harvey; ten sons and four daughters; of which, Elizabeth married Samuel, son and heir of Sir Harbottle Grimstone.—Mary died February 10, 1735.—Mary.—Anne. The two latter died before their father. The sons were, Daniel.—Heneage, who was created Earl of AYLESFORD.—William, who married a daughter of Sir William Haskeins, Bart. died Feb. 26, 1726.—Charles died unmarried.—Edward, Prebend of Canterbury.—Henry, Dean of York, died September 8, 1728.—Robert died unmarried. Also, Edward, John, and Thomas, who died in their father's life-time.

(6th E. of W. 2d of N.) DANIEL, the eldest, succeeding his father; and on the 9th of September 1729, succeeded to the title of Earl of Winchelsea, Visc. Maidstone, &c. in the room of John Earl of Winchelsea, who then died unmarried. He married 1st Essex Rich, 2d daughter and coheir to Robert the 3d Earl of Warwick, by whom, who died 1768, he had an only daughter Mary, who was first married to William Savile, Marquis of Halifax, by whom she had two daughters; Dorothy married to the late Earl of Burlington and Cork; and Mary, first to Sackville the 7th Earl of Thanet; 2dly to John Kerr, Duke of Roxburgh in Scotland, and died Sept. 19, 1718. By his 2d wife, Anne, only daughter to Christopher Visc. Hatton, (by Cecilia his first wife, daughter to John Tufton the 2d Earl of Thanet) who died Sept. 26, 1734, he had, Heneage, who died young.—Daniel, the late Earl.—William, who married Jan. 25, 1732-3, Anne Douglas,

las, sister to Charles late Duke of Queensbury; which Lady dying Oct. 26, 1741, without issue, he married his 2d wife, Charlotte, 2d, daughter to Thomas Earl of Pomfret, in August 1746, by whom he had issue, 1. George the present Earl. 2. Charlotte, born Sept. 1747, died unmarried Nov. 1767. 3. Frances, born 1749 died unmarried. 4. Sophia, born Nov. 17, 1748, married Feb. 29, 1772, Charles Fielding, Esq. and has issue; and 5. Henrietta, born Dec. 28, 1750. Their father died Dec. 25, 1766.—John, died Feb. 12, 1763, having married Miss Elizabeth Younger, by whom he left a daughter Elizabeth, married to John Mason, Esq. of Greenwich.—Henry, died in May, 1761, unmarried.—Edward, who took the name of Hatton, pursuant to the will of his aunt Anne, youngest daughter of Viscount Hatton; and died May 16, 1771. He married in 1746, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Thomas Palmer, sister to the late Countess of Winchelsea; and by her had issue, 1. Edward, born June 30, 1747. 2. John-Emelius-Daniel-Edward, born May 19, 1755. 3. Anne, born, Nov. 15, 1750. 4. Mary-Henrietta-Elizabeth, born May 12, 1753. And 5. Hariott-Frances-Charlotte, born Feb. 19, 1751. Their Father died May 16, 1771.—Charles, died young.—Essex, married, on July 20, 1703, to Sir Roger Mostyn, in the county of Flint, Bart. and died May 23, 1721 leaving issue.—Charlotte, married, Feb. 4. 1726, to Charles Seymour, late Duke of Somerset, and died Jan. 21, 1773.—Anne, died young.—Elizabeth, died young.—Isabella, died March, 1771, unmarried.—Mary, married on September 22, 1716, to Thomas Watson-Wentworth, Marquis of Rockingham, and died in May, 1761 without issue.—Henrietta, married in 1731, William Fitzroy, Duke of Cleveland and died 1742 leaving no issue.—Elizabeth, in Sept. 1738, married William Murray, now Earl of Mansfield.—Frances; and Margaret; both died unmarried. Besides these his Lordship had seven other Children who died infants, and seven more that were still-born.

(7th E. of W. 3d E. of N.) DANIEL, on the 1st of Jan. 1730, succeeded his father. In December 1729, his lordship married Frances Fielding, sister to William Earl of Denbigh, by whom he had one daughter, Charlotte, born July 7, 1731. The Countess died in September, 1734. He married 2dly the 19th of January, 1738, Mary, one of the daughters and coheirs of Sir Thomas Palmer, of Wingham, in Kent, Bart. by whom, who died 1757, he had issue, Heneage, born in December 1741, married Aug. 1, 1778, to Sir George Osborne, Bart. of Cheek sands in Bedfordshire.

—Essex,

Essex, born January 1, 1746.—Hatton, born Feb. 23, 1747.—Augusta, born in Feb. 17; 1.—And Mary.—Frances.—Anne and Georgiana, who died young. And his Lordship deceasing August 2, 1769, was succeeded by his nephew

(8th E. of W. 4th E. of N.) GEORGE, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Visc. Maidstone, July 8, 1623, 21 Jac. I. Earl of Winchelsea, July 12, 1628, 4 Car. I. Baron Fitz-Herbert of Eastwell, in the county of Kent, June 26, 1660, 12 Car. II. Baron Finch of Daventry, Jan. 10, 1673, 25 Car. II. and Earl of the county of Nottingham, May 12, 1681, 33 Car. II.

ARMS.] *Argent*, a chevron between three gryphons passant, segreant, *sable*.

CREST.] On a wreath a flying horse, *argent*, winged, maned, and ducally gorged, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a flying horse, as the Crest. On the sinister a gryphon, *sable*, alike gorged, *argent*.

MOTTO.] *Nil conscire sibi*. Free from Guilt.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Burleigh, in Rutlandshire; at Roundstone, in Buckinghamshire; and at Eastwell, in Kent.

STANHOPE, EARL OF CHESTERFIELD.

THE Right Hon. PHILIP STANHOPE, Earl of CHESTERFIELD, Baron Stanhope of Shelford, was born November 10, 1755, succeeded to these honours on the death of Philip Dormer, the late Earl, March 24, 1773; married Sept. 16, 1777, Ann, daughter of Robert Thistlethwayte, D. D. of Norman Court in Hampshire, by whom he had three still-born children.

This Family, which took its name from the town of Stanhope, in the Bishoprick of Durham, settled in Nottinghamshire. Sir RICHARD de Stanhope living in the reign of K. Edw. III. married Alice, daughter and heir of ——— Hought, and left issue Sir John his heir, and Richard.

Sir JOHN married Elizabeth, daughter and heir of Stephen Maulovel, and by her had a son,

Sir RICHARD, who was Knight of the Bath, and died in 1436. He married 1st Joan, daughter of Robert de Staveley, and had issue, Richard, Thomas, James, Elizabeth, and Agnes married to Sir Robert Strelley. He married 2dly, Maud, niece and heir to Ralph Lord Cromwell, by whom he had a son Henry, who died without issue; and

two daughters, heirs to their brother, viz. Maud, married first to Robert Lord Willoughby of Eresby; secondly to Sir Thomas Nevil; thirdly to Sir Gervase Clifton, Knt. who was taken prisoner at the battle of Tewkesbury, and beheaded in the Market-place there, but had no issue by any of her husbands. Joan, her sister, married Humphry Bourchier, (3d son to Henry the 1st Earl of Essex) who was thereupon summoned to Parliament by the title of Lord Cromwell, but left no issue.

RICHARD, eldest son of Sir Richard, married Isabel, or Elizabeth, daughter of Sir John Markham, Knt. and dying the 2d of March, 1432, left a son

JOHN, who married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Thomas Talbot, and had two sons, Thomas, his heir; and Henry of Stoke, in the county of Lincoln, whose son Edmund left an only daughter Margaret, married to Thomas Skeffington, Esq.

THOMAS, the eldest son, married Mary, daughter to Edward Jernegan, Esq. and by her had Sir Edward Stanhope, Knt. He died on the 6th of June, 1512. By his second wife, Elizabeth, daughter to Foulke Lord Fitzwarren, he had only a daughter Anne, who was second wife of Edward Seymour Duke of Somerset; but the said Sir Edward Stanhope, by his first wife Avelina, daughter of Sir Gervase Clifton, had two sons, Richard and Sir Michael; which Richard marrying Anne, daughter and heir to John Strelley, grandson of Sir Robert Strelley, and Agnes Stanhope, before-mentioned, by her had a daughter named Saunchia, who was married to John Bobington, Esq. but having no male issue,

Sir MICHAEL became the chief of the family, and was knighted by King Henry VIII. and afterwards obtained a grant to himself, and his heirs male, of the manor and rectory of Shelford, in the county of Nottingham, and divers others, and Northmuskham, in that county; as also those of Rowleby and Nestborough, in the county of Lincoln, and of Elveston and Oakbroke, in the county of Derby. He was chief Gentleman of the Privy-chamber to King Edward VI. and in the first year of his reign, was one of the Knights of the Shire for the county of Nottingham: When the ruin of his brother-in-law, the Duke of Somerset, was projected, he was imprisoned, and on the evidence of one Crane, found guilty of conspiring the death of a Privy-Counsellor, and was executed on Tower-Hill, Feb. 26, 1552, with Sir Thomas Arundel, Sir Ralph Vane, &c. who

who ended their lives with the most solemn protestations of their innocence. He married Anne, daughter to Nicholas Rawston, Esq. by whom he had Sir Thomas.—Eleanor, married to Thomas Cooper, Esq.—Sir Edward.—Julian, married to John Otham, Esq.—John.—Jane, married first to Sir Roger Townshend; and 2dly to Henry Lord Berkeley.—Margaret.—William.—Edward. The three last died in their infancies. John, their 3d son, was seated at Harrington in the County of Northampton, and on the 4th of May, 1605, 3 Jac. I. was created Lord Stanhope of Harrington; and marrying Margaret, daughter to Henry Mac-William, Esq. by her had two daughters; Elizabeth, married to Sir Lionel Talmash; and Catharine to Robert Visc. Cholmondeley; and an only son Charles, who was made Knight of the Bath. He married Dorothy, sister to Edward Barrett, Earl of Newburgh, and dying without issue in 1677, the Barony was extinct.

Sir THOMAS, who succeeded, married Margaret, daughter and coheir to Sir John Port, and by her had John, Thomas, and Edward; and a daughter Anne, married to John Holles, Earl of Clare, and dying on the 3d of Aug. 1596,

Sir JOHN, his heir, succeeded to the estate, and died in 1610. He married first Cordell, daughter and heir to Richard Allington, Esq. by Joan his wife, sister and heir to Sir William Cordell by whom he had Philip his heir. He married to his 2d wife, Dorothy, daughter of Thomas Trentham, Esq. by whom he had several daughters, of whom Jane married first Sir Peter Courtene, Bart. and 2dly to Francis Visc. Valentia; also two sons, Sir John who was seated at Elveston, in Derbyshire, from whom the present Earl of HARRINGTON is descended; and William, who was father of Sir William Stanhope, of Linby, in that county, who died without issue, and left his estate to the Earl of Harrington.

(1st E.) PHILIP, eldest son and heir of Sir John, was created Baron Stanhope and Earl of Chesterfield. By his second wife, Anne, daughter to Sir John Packington, and widow of Sir Humphrey Ferrers, he had an only son Alexander, from whom is descended Philip, now Earl STANHOPE. By his first wife, Catharine, daughter to Francis Lord Hastings, son and heir to George the 4th Earl of Huntingdon, he had eleven sons, and two daughters; Sarah, married to Sir Richard Hoghton; and Elizabeth to Edward D'Arcy. Of the sons, Arthur the youngest was ancestor of the present Earl. He married Anne, daughter to Sir Henry Salis-

bury, Bart. by whom he had Charles his heir, whose wife was Frances, only daughter to Sir Francis Topp, Bart. and by her had five sons; and two daughters, Catharine and Elizabeth. The sons were, Francis who died without issue; Henry, Michael, D. D. Philip, and Charles. Michael, D. D. the third son, was Canon of Windsor, and died July 8 1736, and left issue by Penelope, daughter of Sir Salathiel Lovell, four sons, Arthur-Charles.—Sir Thomas.—Ferdinando. — Lovell Arthur-Charles, the eldest son, married first November, 1740, Mary, daughter of St. Andrew Thornhagh, of Osberton, in Nottinghamshire, Esq. and she died without issue, in March, 1748. He married secondly, Aug. 25. 1750, Margaret, daughter of Charles Headlam, Esq. of Kirkby in Yorkshire, and by her, who died in Jan. 1764, had issue, 1. Philip, who died young. 2. Philip, now Earl of Chesterfield, who succeeded in 1773. 3. Margaret, born in June, 1754, and married December 26, 1776, William Smelt, Esq. His third wife, whom he married March 2, 1767, was Frances, daughter to — Broade, of Derby, Esq. and the said Arthur-Charles died in March, 1770, but had no issue by this third wife, who married March 1782, the Rev Mr. Bigsby.—Sir Thomas Stanhope, Knt. second son of Dr. Stanhope, died in March 1770, unmarried.—Ferdinando, the third son of Dr. Stanhope, married on the 8th of March, 1742, to Miss Mary Philips, of Chippenham in Wilts, by whom he has, 1. Penelope, born in August, 1743; 2. John, born in Sept. 1744. 3. Charles, an officer in the army, born Jan. 1745, and died Aug. 6, 1767. 4. Mary, born in March, 1746. 5. Thomas, born in 1748, died an infant. 6. Michael, born in July, 1750. 7. Arthur, born in Oct. 1752.—Lovell Stanhope, the 4th son of Dr. Stanhope, is unmarried.

Of the other sons of Philip Earl of Chesterfield; Philip was slain at Shelford-house, in the time of the civil war.—Ferdinando in a sharp fight at Bridgford. He married Lettice, daughter of Sir Humphry Ferrers, and left issue seven children; 1. Anne. 2. John the eldest. 3. Edward. 4. William. 5. Michael. 6. Thomas. 7. George; all died young.—Charles, 5th son, married a daughter of Dr. Bayley, and died without issue.

HENRY, the 2d son, became heir apparent; he was a Knight of the Bath; but dying in 1634, in his father's lifetime, left issue by Catharine, eldest daughter and coheir to Edward Lord Wotton, Philip, successor to his grandfather; a daughter of her name, who married William Lord Allington; and a daughter Mary, who died unmarried. Catharine,

rine, their mother, was on the 29th of May, 12 Car. II. advanced to the dignity of Countess of Chesterfield, for her natural life, and her daughters to have precedency as Earls daughters: And marrying to her second husband, Poliander Kirkhoven, Lord of Hemfleet in Holland, she had a son Charles-Henry, and died April 9, 1677; which son was created a Baron of this realm, by the title of Lord Wotton, of Wotton in Kent, by letters patent dated August 31, 1650, and was naturalized in Sept. 1660, with his sister Emeline, who died unmarried; he was also created Earl of Bellamont in Ireland, and dying without issue, left his estate to Charles Stanhope, younger son of his half-brother Philip, Earl of Chesterfield, who thereupon took the name of Wotton.

(2d E.) PHILIP, who in 1656, succeeded his grandfather, married first Anne, eldest daughter to Algernon, the 10th Earl of Northumberland, by whom he had a son Algernon, who died in his infancy; and by his second wife, Elizabeth, daughter to James Butler, the first Duke of Ormond, he had a son Henry, who died an infant; and a daughter of her name, who married John Earl of Strathmore; but marrying a third wife, Elizabeth, eldest daughter to Charles Dormer, Earl of Caernarvon, by her who died 1679 had two sons and two daughters. His Lordship died on the 28th of Jan. 1713, aged 80 years and two months. Of the daughters, Mary born 1664, married to Thomas Coke of Melbourne, Esq. and died 1703. Catharine, born 1675, married to Godfrey Clark, Esq. and died 1728. The sons were Philip and Charles; the latter who changed his name for that of Wotton, as abovementioned, married Jane, daughter of Gilliert Thatcher, Esq. and died without issue, in 1703. His Lady married 2dly, Thomas Stanhope of Elveston, Esq.

(3d E.) PHILIP, who in 1713 succeeded his father, married 1691, Elizabeth, daughter and coheir to George Savile, Marquis of Halifax, by Gertrude, daughter of William Pierpoint, of Thoresby, and by her had four sons and two daughters; of which Gertrude, on the 16th of April, 1724, married Sir Charles Hotham, and died April 17, 1775; and Elizabeth married Samuel Hill, Esq. but died on the 24th of Nov. 1727, in the 24th year of her age, without issue. The sons were Philip-Dormer his successor.—Sir William.—John.—and Charles. The latter was born September 6, 1708, died unmarried the 20th of Feb. 1736.—John was born January 5, 1705, and died unmarried in Dec. 1748.—Sir William, born July 20, 1702, married first Margaret, daugh-

ter to John Rudge, Esq. merchant of London; she died in Oct. 1740, by whom he had a daughter Elizabeth, married to Welbore Ellis, Esq. and died Aug. 1, 1761. Sir William married secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of John Crawley, Esq. Alderman of London, who died Feb. 1746, leaving no issue. He married thirdly, October 6, 1759, Anne Hufsey, sister to Sir Francis Blake Delaval, Knt. and he dying May 7, 1772, she married 2dly, Capt. Morris.

(4th E.) PHILIP, the eldest son, born 22d of September, 1695, on the 27th of January, 1726, succeeded his father, and on the 15th of September, 1733, married Melosina, Countess of Walsingham, in the County of Norfolk, and Baroness of Aldborough in the County of Suffolk, in her own right; who died without issue, Sept. 16, 1776. His Lordship died March 24, 1773, without issue, and the honours devolved on

(5th E.) PHILIP, the present Earl, being the grandson of Michael Stanhope, D. D. 3d son of Charles, only surviving son of Arthur, the youngest son of the first Earl of Chesterfield.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron Stanhope of Shelford, in the county of Nottingham, Nov. 7, 1616, 14 Jac. I. and Earl of Chesterfield in the county of Derby, August 4, 1628, 4 Car. I.

ARMS.] Quarterly, *ermine* and *gules*. [Plate IX.]

CREST.] On a wreath a tower, *argent*, with a demi-lion rampant, issuing from the battlements, *or*, crowned ducally, *gules*, and holding between his paws a granade firing, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a wolf, *or*, crowned with a ducal coronet. On the sinister a talbot, *ermine*.

MOTTO.] *Exitus acta probat*. The End proves the Action.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Bretby in Derbyshire; at Shelford in Nottinghamshire; at Blackheath in Kent; and Eythrope in Bucks.

TUFTON, EARL OF THANET.

THE Right Hon. SACKVILLE TUFTON, Earl of THANET, Baron Tufton, Hereditary Sheriff of Westmoreland and Cumberland; Lord of the Honour of Skipson in Craven, was born in August, 1733, and succeeded his father

father, who died December 4, 1753. He married August 30, 1767, Mary, daughter of the late Lord John Sackville, sister to the Duke of Dorset, who died Sept. 1778, by whom he had issue, Elizabeth, born May 2, 1768.—Sackville, Lord Tufton, born June 30, 1769.—Charles, born Sept. 10, 1770.—Caroline, born Oct. 8, 1771.—John, born Nov. 22, 1773.—Henry, born Jan. 2, 1775.—William, born Nov. 16, 1777.

Of this family, which originally assumed its surname from a place called Toketon (but of late Tufton) in the Parish of Nordiham in Suffex, was

JOHN Tufton of Hothfield, in Kent, Esq. Sheriff of that county in the 4th of Elizabeth, who married Mary, daughter to Sir John Baker, and by her had a daughter Cecily, married to Sir Thomas Sandes, Knt. and

Sir JOHN his heir, who was created a Baronet by James I. and died April 2, 1624. He married first Olimpia, daughter to Christopher Blower, of Raynham in Kent, Esq. by whom he had three daughters; Anne, married to Francis Thresham, Esq.—Elizabeth, who died young.—Margaret, married to Sir Thomas Carril. By his second Lady, who was Christian, daughter to Sir Humphrey Brown, he had six sons and four daughters. Cicily married first to Sir Edward Hungerford, and next to Francis Earl of Rutland.—Mary to Henry Constable, Visc. Dunbar.—Anne and Elizabeth both died young. The sons were, Sir Nicholas.—John, died unmarried.—Sir Humphrey, created a Baronet December 24, 1641. He married Margaret, daughter of Herbert Morley, Esq. and had a son Sir John Tufton, who married first, Margaret, third daughter and coheir of Thomas Lord Wotton; and secondly Mary, daughter of Sir James Altham; but died without issue, October 14, 1685.—Richard, who married Chryfogon, daughter of Herbert Morley above-mentioned, by whom he had John his heir, father of Sir Richard Tufton, who died without issue; and a daughter Mary, married to Sir Robert Huddleston.—Sir William died in 1650.—Thomas, died unmarried.

(1st E.) NICHOLAS the eldest, was by King Charles I. created Baron Tufton and Earl of Thanet. He married Frances, daughter to Thomas the first Earl of Exeter, and had four sons; William, who died young.—John, his heir.—Nicholas, who died an infant.—and Cecil, who left issue Sir Charles. This Earl had also nine daughters, Elizabeth, married to Sir Edward Dering.—Dorothy, to Sir Ralph Ash-ton.—Mary, to Sir Edward Bishopp.—Diana, to Robert

Corson, Esq.—Christian, to William Milward.—Frances and Cecilia died unmarried.—Anne and Alice died young.

(2d E.) JOHN, who on the 1st of July, 1632, succeeded his father, married Margaret, daughter to Richard Sackville, the third Earl of Dorset, (by Anne Baroness Clifford) and had six sons and six daughters; whereof Anne died young.—Margaret was married to George, the third Lord Coventry.—Frances to Henry Drax, Esq.—Cecily to Christopher, the first Visc. Hatton.—Mary to William Walter, Esq.—Anne to Samuel Grimston, Esq. The sons were Nicholas.—John. Richard.—Thomas.—Sackville.—George.

(3d E.) NICHOLAS, the eldest, on the 6th of May, 1664, succeeded his father in his honours. He married Elizabeth, third daughter to Richard Boyle, the 2d Earl of Cork and Burlington; but dying on the 24th of November, 1679, without issue,

(4th E.) JOHN, his next brother, became heir; and on the 14th of Aug. 1676, succeeded his mother in the Barony of Clifford; and in 1678, succeeded his cousin Alatheia, daughter of James the third Earl of Northampton; and he dying on the 27th of April, 1680, unmarried, the honour devolved upon

(5th E.) RICHARD, the 3d son; who dying on the 8th of March, 1684, unmarried, the honours descended to

(6th E.) THOMAS the 4th son, who married Catharine Cavendish, 4th daughter to Henry Duke of Newcastle, and by her, (who died April 20, 1712) had three sons and five daughters. Catharine, married in April, 1708, to Edward Watson, Visc. Sondes, eldest son to Lewis Earl of Rockingham, and died Feb. 1734.—Anne, married in Feb. 1708, to James Earl of Salisbury, and died in March, 1757.—Mary, married 1st in April, 1718, to Anthony Earl Harold, son to Henry Duke of Kent; and secondly to John Earl Gower, being his third wife.—Margaret, (to whom, and her heirs, his Majesty was pleased, August 13, 1734, to confirm the Barony of CLIFFORD) in July, 1718 married to Thomas Coke, late Earl of Leicester.—Isabella, married first the Lord Nassau Powlett; and secondly to Sir Francis-Blake Delaval. The sons were, John, Thomas, and John, they all died the day they were born, and their father dying July 30, 1729, without issue male, we come to

SACKVILLE, the 5th son of John the 2d Earl. He married Elizabeth, daughter to Ralph Wilbraham, Esq. and had six sons; and six daughters, all deceased. Of the sons, John the eldest died an infant.—John the 3d, died Sept. 22,

1727, aged 34.—Wilbraham, 4th son, died November 20, 1754.—Richard, 5th son, and Thomas, 6th son, all deceased; and their father dying on the 30th of March, 1721, in the 74th year of his age, was succeeded by

(7th E.) SACKVILLE his 2d son, who succeeded Thomas his uncle as Earl of Thanet. He was born May 11, 1688, and having married, on the 11th of June, 1722, Mary, youngest of the two daughters and coheirs to William Marquis of Halifax; by which Lady, who died July 30, 1751, had issue two sons, John Lord Tufton, who died in the 9th year of his age, June 3, 1734; and

(8th E.) SACKVILLE, the present Earl, born in August, 1723; and two daughters; Mary, born May 14, 1723, married the 5th of September, 1763, Sir William Duncan, Bart. and Charlotte, born in September, 1728.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron Tufton of Tufton in the county of Suffex, November 1, 1626, 2 Car. I. Earl of Thanet, an Isle in the county of Kent, August 5, 1628, 4 Car. I.

ARMS.] *Sable*, an eagle displayed, *ermine*, within a border, *argent*. [Plate IX.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a sea-lion, sejant, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two eagles, their wings expanded, *ermine*.

MOTTO.] *Fiel pero desdichado*. Unhappy yet faithful.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Hothfield in Kent; and at Newbottle in Northamptonshire.

MONTAGU, EARL OF SANDWICH.

THE Right Hon. JOHN MONTAGU, Earl of SANDWICH, Viscount Hinchinbroke, Baron Montagu of St. Neots, in Huntingdonshire, succeeded Edward, the late Earl, his grandfather, October 20, 1729. His Lordship married Judith, daughter of Charles Viscount Fane, of the Kingdom of Ireland, March 7, 1742; by whom he has had issue, John Viscount Hinchinbroke, born Jan. 26, 1744, and married March 1, 1766, Elizabeth, daughter to the Earl of Halifax; by whom he has a son John-George, born April 1, 1767; and a daughter Caroline, born May 18, 1768. Her Ladyship died July 1, 1768; and his Lordship married secondly, April 24, 1772, to Mary, eldest daughter to the Duke of Bolton, by whom, (who died

March

March 31, 1779,) he has issue, 1. George-John, born Feb. 1773. 2. Mary, born Feb. 27, 1774. 3. Henrietta-Susanna, born Nov. 20, 1775, who died young. 4. Francis-Charles, born Jan. 8, 1778, who died June 13, 1780.—Edward Montagu, born June 30, 1745, died Nov. 3, 1752.—William-Augustus, born in 1752, and died at Lisbon in Jan. 1776, unmarried.—Mary, born Feb. 23, 1758, died June, 1761.

This being a branch of the family of Montagu, and its descent set forth under the title of Duke of Manchester, we shall here only go back to

Sir EDWARD Montagu of Boughton, who had eight sons, of whom Edward succeeded him, and was created Baron Montagu of Boughton; and

Sir SIDNEY the youngest, married Paulina, 3d daughter to John Pepys, Esq. and had two sons, and a daughter Elizabeth, married to Sir Gilbert Pickering; Henry his eldest son, died young.

(1st E.) EDWARD, his successor, who obtained the sole command of the English navy, and delivered up the whole fleet to King Charles II. and for that service he was created Baron Montagu of St. Neots, Viscount Hinchinbroke and Earl of Sandwich. He was likewise Lord High-Admiral of England; but on the 28th of May, 1672, he lost his life in the great sea-fight against the Dutch off Southwold-bay, in the 47th year of his age. He married Jemima, daughter to John Lord Crewe of Stene, and had six sons, and four daughters; Jemima was married to Sir Philip Carteret.—Paulina, 2d daughter, died unmarried.—Anne, 3d daughter, married first Sir Richard Edgecumbe, and secondly, Christopher Montagu, Esq.—Catharine, married first Nicholas Bacon, Esq. and secondly the Rev. Mr. Gardemau, and died Jan. 15, 1757, aged 96. The sons were, Edward his successor.—Sidney, 2d son, married Anne, daughter and heir of Sir Francis Wortley, and changed his name to Wortley; he had issue two sons, Francis, who died before his father; and Edward. Their father dying on the 11th of November, 1727, aged 78, was succeeded by Edward his 2d and only surviving son, who married Mary Pierpoint, eldest daughter to Evelyn Duke of Kingston, by whom he had a son Edward, who died without issue in 1776; and a daughter Mary, the present Baroness Mountstuart; married to John Earl of Bute.—Oliver, 3d son of the Earl of Sandwich, died unmarried in 1693.—John, 4th son, was Dean of Durham, and died unmarried in Feb. 1729.—Charles, 5th son, first married

married Elizabeth, daughter of Francis Foster, Esq. by whom he had an only son James, who died in November, 1748. He married 2dly, Sarah, daughter of — Rogers, Esq. and dying in 1721, left issue, 1. Edward. 2. John, a Lieutenant-Colonel of foot, who died unmarried in September, 1744; and 3. a daughter Jemima.—James, 6th son, died unmarried.

(2d E.) EDWARD, the eldest son, succeeded his father, and died in February, 1689. He married Anne, fourth daughter to Richard Earl of Burlington, and had two sons, Edward his heir; and Richard, who died unmarried, April 19, 1697, aged 26; and a daughter Elizabeth, who died unmarried.

(3d E.) EDWARD, who succeeded his father, died on the 20th of October, 1729, aged 56. He married Elizabeth, 2d daughter to John Wilmot, Earl of Rochester, and had a daughter Elizabeth, who died an infant, and,

EDWARD-RICHARD, Visc. Hinchinbroke, his only son, died on the 4th of October, 1722, who had married Elizabeth, only daughter to Alexander Popham, Esq. and grand-daughter of the first Duke of Montagu. By her, who outlived him, and afterwards married Francis Seymour, Esq. had two sons, John and William; and two daughters, Mary, who died young; and Elizabeth born 1711, married first in Sept. 1737, to Kelland Courteney, Esq. by whom she had issue, one son, and two daughters, William the son was killed in Germany, 1761. Elizabeth, the eldest daughter is now living unmarried; and Mary, the youngest married to the present Earl of Corke and Orrery of Ireland, by whom she had issue, and was divorced. Their mother married 2dly, to Mr. Smith the Comedian, by whom she had no issue, and died in 1762. Of the two sons, John was heir to his grandfather; and William, (born 1720, an officer in the sea-service, married in October, 1748, Miss Charlotte Naylor, and had a son William, and died on Feb. 10, 1757.

(4th E.) JOHN, succeeded his grandfather.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron Montagu of St. Neots, Viscount Hinchinbroke, in the county of Huntingdon, and Earl of Sandwich, in the county of Kent, July 12, 1660, 12 Car. II.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *argent*, three lozenges conjoined in fess, *gules*; within a border, *sable*: third and fourth, *or*, an eagle displayed, *vert*. [Plate IX.]

CREST.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a gryphon's head couped, *or*, its beak and wings *sable*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a triton, holding over his right shoulder a trident, all *proper*, his ducal crown, *or*. On the sinister a parrot, with wings disclosed, *vert*.

MOTTO.] *Post tot naufragia portum*. After so many Dangers I find a Port.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Hinchinbroke in the County of Huntingdon.

CAPEL, EARL OF ESSEX.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM-ANNE-HOLLES CAPEL, Earl of ESSEX, Viscount Malden, and Baron Capel of Hadham; born October 7, 1732, succeeded his father William, the late Earl, January 8, 1743; and married August 1, 1754, Frances, daughter of Sir Charles Hanbury Williams, Knight of the Bath; by whom he had, Elizabeth, born August 10, 1755, and married July 15, 1777, Lord Monson.—George Viscount Malden, born Nov. 13, 1758.—Frances, born July 14, 1759; and died with the Countess, her mother, July 19, 1759. He married secondly, March 3, 1767, Harriot, daughter of Colonel Thomas Bladen, by whom he has had a still born son, Jan. 5, 1768.—John-Thomas, born March 2, 1769.—Thomas-Edward, born March 25, 1770.—William-Robert, born April 28, 1775.—Bladen-Thomas, born August 25, 1776.

The first that laid the foundation for supporting the honour which afterwards his descendants obtained, was

Sir WILLIAM Capel, who was Lord Mayor of London, and descended from an ancient family. Lords of the manor of Capel, in Suffolk, for many ages. He married Margaret, daughter of Sir Thomas Arundel, and had a son Giles, and two daughters; Elizabeth married to William Powlet, the first Marquis of Winchester; and Dorothy, to John Lord Zouch. Sir William dying in 1509, was succeeded by

GILES, who married first, Mary, daughter of Richard Roos, Esq. by whom he had no issue. He married secondly Isabel, daughter to Sir Thomas Newton, and by her had a daughter married to Robert Ward, Esq. also two sons,

Sir HENRY, his heir, who married Anne, daughter of George Lord Roos, by whom he had no issue, and

Sir EDWARD, successor to his brother, who by Anne, daughter

daughter to Sir William Pelham, had two sons, Sir Henry and Giles; and four daughters; Elizabeth, married to Thomas Wentworth, Esq.—Anne, to Edward Halfhide, Esq.—Mary, to Wiston Brown, Esq.—Grace, to John Burton, Esq.

Sir HENRY, succeeded his father, and married first Mabel, daughter to Anthony Brown, Visc. Montagu. His 2d wife was Catharine, 4th daughter to Thomas the first Earl of Rutland, and by her he had six sons, and three daughters; Frances was married to Sir John Shirley.—Mary, to Humphrey Mildmay, Esq.—Agnes died unmarried. Of the sons,

Sir ARTHUR, the eldest succeeding his father, married Mary, sister to Henry Lord Grey of Groby, and by her had eleven sons, and eight daughters; Mary and Margaret died unmarried.—Penelope, married Litton Pulter, Esq.—Anne, to Robert Chester, Esq.—Catharine-Winifrede, to Sir Thomas Bedell.—Elizabeth, first to Sir Justinian Lewen, and secondly to Ralph Lord Hoptoun.—Anne, to Sir Richard Corbet.—Mary, to Henry Lord Lee. Of the sons,

Sir HENRY, the eldest, dying in his father's life-time, left issue by Theodosia, his first wife, sister to Edward Lord Montagu, a son Arthur, and three daughters; and by his second Lady, who was Dorothy, widow of Sir Thomas Hoskins, he had a daughter Anne, married to Thomas Westrow, Esq. The daughters by the first wife were Elizabeth, married to Sir William Wiseman, Bart.—Theodosia, to Edward Kemeys, Esq.—Margaret. The

(1st L.) ARTHUR, succeeding his grandfather, was created Lord Capel of Hadham, and was condemned by the Parliament, and beheaded the 9th of March, in 1649. He married Elizabeth, daughter and heir to Sir Charles Morison, of Cashioberry in the county of Hertford, by whom he had issue four sons, and four daughters; Arthur, his successor.—Henry, who was created Lord Capel of Tewksbury, married Dorothy, daughter of Richard Bennet, Esq. but died without issue, May 30, 1696.—Edward.—Charles, died unmarried.—Mary, first married Henry Marquis of Hertford.—Elizabeth, to Charles Dormer, Earl of Caernarvon.—Theodosia, to Henry Hyde Earl of Clarendon.—Anne, to John Strangeways, Esq.

(1st E.) ARTHUR, who succeeded his father, was created Viscount Malden, and Earl of Essex. He was accused amongst many others, of a design to assassinate the King, at Rye-house, and was sent prisoner to the Tower, where, on the

13th of July, 1683, he was found with his throat cut, but not without suspicion of being murdered. He married Elizabeth, daughter to Algernon the tenth Earl of Northumberland, and by her, who died in 1718, had six sons and two daughters, whereof only one son, and a daughter Anne, lived to maturity; she married Charles Earl of Carlisle; and

(2d E.) ALGERNON, her brother, succeeded his father, and died on the 10th of January, 1710. He married Mary, Bentinck, eldest daughter to William Earl of Portland, and by her, who afterwards married to Sir Conyers D'Arcey, left William his heir, and two daughters; Elizabeth, first married to Samuel Molineux, Esq. but he dying in April, 1728, she on the 17th of May, 1730, married Nathaniel St. Andre, Esq. and Mary, who married on the 7th of May, 1729, Allan Broderick, Visc. Middleton in Ireland.

(3d E.) WILLIAM, who succeeded his father, married on the 27th of November, 1718, to his first wife Jane Hyde, daughter to Henry Earl of Rochester, and by her (who died Jan. 3, 1724) had issue four daughters; Carolina, born Sept. 20, 1719, who died young.—Jane, born October 20, 1720, died young.—Charlotte, born October 2, 1721, married March 30, 1752, to Thomas Villiers, Earl of Clarendon, and has issue.—Mary, born October 30, 1722, married on August 6, 1758, to the late Admiral John Forbes. His Lordship on the 3d of Feb. 1726, taking to his second wife, Elizabeth Ruffel, youngest daughter to Wriothesly Duke of Bedford, by her had issue; Elizabeth, born Nov. 6, 1726, who died young.—George, born Jan. 1728, who died young.—Diana, born Feb. 22, 1729.—Anne, born May 13, 1730.—Amelia, born Sept. 9 1731, and died young.—William-Anne-Holles, the present Earl. His Lordship deceasing on the 8th of Jan. 1743, was succeeded by his only son

(4th E.) WILLIAM-ANNE-HOLLES, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron Capel of Hadham in the county of Hertford, August 6, 1641, 17 Car. I. and Visc. Malden in the county of Essex, and Earl of that county, April 20, 1661, 13 Car. II.

ARMS.] *Gules*, a lion rampant, between three crosses crosslets fitchy, *or*. [Plate IX.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a demi-lion rampant, couped, *or*, holding in his paws a cross crosslet fitchy, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two lions, *or*, ducally crowned, *gules*.

MOTTO.] *Fide et fortitudine*. By Faith and Fortitude.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Cashioberry in Hertfordshire.

HOWARD,

HOWARD, EARL OF CARLISLE.

THE Right Honourable FREDERICK HOWARD, Earl of CARLISLE, Viscount Howard of Morpeth, Baron Dacres of Gillisland, born May 28, 1748, succeeded his father Henry, September 4, 1758. His Lordship married, March 22, 1770, Carolina, daughter of Earl Gower, by whom he has issue, George Lord Morpeth, born Sept. 17, 1773.—Carolina, born Sept. 3, 1771.—Charlotte, born Nov. 15, 1774.—Susan, born Feb. 26, 1776, died Jan. 28, 1783.—Louisa, born March 30, 1778, and died May, 1781.—Another daughter born Nov. 13, 1780.—Another, Dec. 25, 1781.—And another in Jan. 1783.

The original descent of this family is set forth under the title of Howard Duke of Norfolk.

Lord WILLIAM Howard, third son of Thomas the 4th Duke of Norfolk, marrying Elizabeth, daughter to Thomas Lord Dacres of Gillisland, in her right became possessed of Naworth-Castle, in the county of Cumberland, her father's chief feat, and by her had five sons; Sir Philip.—Sir Francis Howard, who married first Margaret, daughter of John Preston, by whom he had a son Thomas, slain at Atherton-Moor, June 30, 1643, unmarried, and a daughter Elizabeth, married to Edward Standish. He married secondly Mary, daughter of Sir Henry Widdrington, by whom he had three sons, Francis-Henry, Thomas, and Henry; and several daughters; whereof Mary married Thomas Haggerston, Esq.—Sir William, died without issue.—Sir Charles married Dorothy, daughter of Sir Henry Widdrington, and left issue.—Thomas, who married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir William Euere. Lord William had also three daughters; Mary, married to Sir John Winter.—Elizabeth to Sir Henry Beddingfield.—Margaret, to Sir Thomas Cotton.

Sir PHILIP, the eldest son, dying in his father's life-time, left issue by Mary, daughter of Sir John Carrel, Sir William his heir; John, who died at twenty years of age; and Philip, who was slain at Rowton-heath; and two daughters; Elizabeth, married to Bartholomew Fromond, Esq. and Alatheia, to Thomas, the second Viscount Fairfax of Ireland.

Sir WILLIAM, who succeeded, married Mary, eldest daughter to William Lord Euere of Wotton, and by her had five sons, William, who died in his father's life-time.—Charles.—Philip.—Thomas.—John. And five daughters; Mary married

ried to Sir Jonathan Atkins.—Elizabeth, to Sir Thomas Gower.—Catharine, to Sir John Lawfon.—Frances to Sir George Downing.—Margaret, to Alexander, the second Earl of Leven.

(1st E.) CHARLES, who succeeded his father, was created a Baron Viscount, and Earl, and died on the 24th of February, 1686, aged 56. He married Anne, daughter to Edward Lord Howard of Escrick, by whom he had Edward his heir.—Frederick-Christian, who was slain at the siege of Lutzenburgh, 1684. And three daughters; Mary, married to Sir John Fenwick.—Anne, to Richard Grahme, Visc. Preston.—Catharine, who died unmarried.

(2d E.) EDWARD, who succeeded, married Elizabeth, daughter to Sir William Uvedale, (widow of Sir William Berkeley,) by her had three sons and two daughters; all of whom died unmarried, except the eldest son,

(3d E.) CHARLES, who on the 23d of April, 1692, succeeded him, and his Lordship marrying Anne, daughter of Arthur the first Earl of Essex, by her had two sons and three daughters; Mary, married to Richard Ingram, Visc. Irwin in Scotland.—Elizabeth-Anne the eldest, 1st to Nicholas Lord Lechmere; but he dying on the 18th of June, 1727, without issue, his honour became extinct; and on the 25th of October, 1728, her Ladyship was married to Thomas Robinson, Esq. who in 1730, was created a Baronet. She died in April, 1739. Of the sons, which were Henry his heir; and Sir Charles, Knt. of the Bath.

(4th E.) HENRY, who was born in 1694, and succeeded his father, May 1, 1738. married Nov. 27, 1717, Frances Spencer, only daughter of Charles Earl of Sunderland, and by her, who died in August, 1742, had two sons and two daughters; Charles, who died in August, 1741.—Robert, died October 20, 1743, aged 19.—Arabella, married in 1741, to Jonathan Cope, Esq. and died in 1746.—Diana, married January 8, 1749, to Thomas Duncombe, Esq. of Yorkshire, and died March 18, 1770, leaving issue two daughters. His Lordship married secondly, June 8, 1743, Isabella, sister of Lord Byron, by whom he had issue, Frederick, the present Earl, Anne, born in 1744. Frances, born in 1745, married in April, 1768, to John Radcliffe, Esq. of Hitchin in Hertfordshire.—Elizabeth, born in 1746, and married, February 16, 1769, Peter Delme, Esq. and has issue.—Juliana, born May 16, 1747. The Countess their mother married, secondly, Sir William Musgrave, Bart. of Hayton Castle in Cumberland. His Lordship dying Sept. 4, 1758, was succeeded by his son

(5th E.)

(5th E.) FREDERICK, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron Dacres, of Gillisland in the county of Cumberland, Visc. Howard of Morpeth in the county of Northumberland, and Earl of Carlisle in the county of Cumberland, April 20, 1661, 13 Car. II.

ARMS.] *Gules*, on a bend, between six crosses crozlets fitché, *argent*, an escutcheon, *or*, charged with a demi-lion rampant, pierced through the mouth with an arrow within a double tressure counterflory, *gules*; with a mullet for difference. [Plate IX.]

CREST.] On a chapeau, *gules*, turned up, *ermine*, a lion guardant, his tail extended, *or*, gorged with a ducal coronet, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a lion, *argent*, differenced by a mullet. On the sinister a bull, *gules*, armed, unguled, ducally gorged, and chained, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Volo non Valeo*. I am willing but not able.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Castle-Howard, in Yorkshire; Naworth-Castle, in Cumberland; and Morpeth Castle, in Northumberland.

SCOT, EARL OF DONCASTER AND DUKE OF BUCCLEUGH.

THE most noble Prince HENRY SCOT, Duke of BUCCLEUGH, Earl of Dalkeith, Baron Scot of Buccleugh and Eskdale; and a Peer of England by the title of Baron Scot, of Tyndale in Northumberland, and Earl of DONCASTER in Yorkshire, was born Sept. 2, 1746.

For an account of this family, see the Duke of Buccleugh in the Peerage of Scotland.

COOPER, EARL OF SHAFTESBURY.

THE Right Honourable ANTHONY-ASTLEY COOPER, Earl of SHAFTESBURY, Baron Ashley of Winborne St. Giles, Baron Cooper of Powlet, born September 17, 1761, and succeeded his father, the late Earl, May 27, 1771.

RICHARD Cooper, in the 23d Hen. VIII. purchased of Sir Amias Paulett, Knt, the Manor of Paulet in Somersetshire. He married Jane, daughter of Sir John Kingmill, and had three sons, Sir John his heir; George, and Sir Maurice, who both died without issue; and two daughters, Margaret married to Thomas Prideaux; and Gertrude to Robert Broughton. He died May 8, 1566, and was succeeded by his son

Sir JOHN Cooper, who was advanced to the dignity of a Baronet, 20 Jac. I. married first Anne, daughter to Sir Anthony Ashley, of Winbourne St. Giles, in the county of Dorset, and by her had two sons, Sir Anthony and George. He married, secondly, Mary, daughter of Baptist Hicks, Visc. Campden, widow of Sir Charles Morrison, which Lady survived him without issue by him, who died March 23, 1631.

(1st E.) Sir ANTHONY-ASHLEY COOPER, his eldest son, was created Lord Ashley of Winbourne St. Giles; Lord Cooper of Powlett, and Earl of Shaftesbury; and on the 17th of November, 1672, made Lord High Chancellor of England. He married first Margaret, daughter to Thomas Lord Coventry; secondly Frances, daughter to David third Earl of Exeter, by whom he had Anthony his heir; and lastly Margaret, sister of Henry Earl of Sunderland, by whom he had no issue.

(2d E.) ANTHONY, who on the 22d of January, 1683, succeeded him, married Dorothy, third daughter to John the 8th Earl of Rutland, and had three sons and four daughters; Frances, the wife of Francis Stonehouse, Esq.—Dorothy, the wife of Edward Hooper, Esq. and died May 4, 1749.—Elizabeth, the wife of James Harris, Esq. and died in Jan. 1744.—and Gertrude died unmarried. The sons were.

(3d E.) ANTHONY, John, and Maurice. John died in 1693, unmarried; and the eldest, born on Feb. 26, 1670, succeeded his father, and died at Naples, Feb. 24, 1713. He married in 1709, Jane, daughter to Thomas Ewer, Esq. and by her, who died Nov. 23, 1751, left

(4th E) ANTHONY, who on the 12th of March, 1725, married Susan Noel, daughter to Baptist the third Earl of Gainsborough, by whom he had no issue. His Lady dying in June, 1738, his Lordship married secondly, March 16, 1759, Mary, second daughter to Jacob Visc. Folkestone, by whom he had Cropley Ashley, born Dec. 21, 1768.—Mary-Anne-Ashley, born Dec. 31, 1766.—Anthony. His Lordship dying May 27, 1771, was succeeded by his eldest son.

(5th E.)

(5th E.) ANTHONY, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Created Baronet, July 4, 1622, 20 Jac. I. Baron Ashley of Winbourne St. Giles, in the county of Dorset, April 20, 1661, 13 Car. II. Baron Cooper of Paulett in the county of Somerset, and Earl of Shaftesbury in the county of Dorset, April 3, 1672, 24 Car. II.

ARMS.] Quarterly first and fourth, *argent*, three bulls passant, *sable*, armed and unguled, *or*, for Ashley; second and third, *gules*, a bend engrailed between six lions rampant, *or*, for Cooper. [Plate X.]

CREST.] On a chapeau, *gules*, turned up, *ermine*, a bull passant, *sable*, gorged with a mural coronet, and armed, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a bull, *sable*, his ducal collar, *or*. On the sinister, a talbot, *azure*, gorged as the dexter.

MOTTO.] *Love, serve.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Winborne St. Giles, in the county of Dorset; and at Rockburn-house, in the county of Southampton.

BERKELEY, EARL OF BERKELEY.

THE Right Honourable FREDERICK-AUGUSTUS BERKELEY, Earl of Berkeley, Viscount Dursley, Baron Berkeley of Berkeley-Castle, Mowbray, Segrave, and Breaus of Gower, born May 24, 1745, and succeeded his father, Jan. 9, 1735.

This noble family is descended from

ROBERT Fitz-Harding, who obtained a grant of the Castle and honour of Berkeley, (formerly the possession of Roger de Berkeley, whose male line ceased) from Henry son of Maud the Empress, whereupon his descendants assumed the surname, which together with the Castle and Barony, continues in the male line to this day; and to the said Robert (who accompanied William the Norman Duke in his expedition into England, and was grandson to one of the Kings of Denmark) succeeded

MAURICE Berkeley his son; who, married Alice, daughter of Roger de Berkeley of Dursley. By the said Alice he had six sons, Robert, Thomas, Maurice, William, Henry and Richard.

ROBERT his heir, married two wives, but dying without issue May 13, 1219, was succeeded by

THOMAS his brother, who married Joan, daughter to Ralph de Somery, Lord of Campden, and dying Nov. 29, 1243, left issue six sons,

MAURICE, Thomas, Robert, Henry, William, and Richard; the eldest of whom married Isabel, daughter to Maurice de Creoun, by whom he had issue, Maurice, who was killed in a Tournament, and

THOMAS his successor, who served King Edw. I. and II. in their wars; and by Jane, daughter to William de Ferrers, Earl of Derby, had four sons; Maurice his heir.—John Lord of Wymundham in the county of Leicester.—James Bishop of Exeter.—William; and two daughters, who died young.

(1st L.) MAURICE, who succeeded, married 1st Eve, daughter of Eudo la Zouche, by whom he had Thomas his successor; Maurice, John, Eudo, and Peter; also a daughter Isabel, wife to Robert the 7th Lord Clifford. He married 2dly Isabel, daughter of Gilbert de Clare Earl of Gloucester, by whom he had no issue.

(2d L.) THOMAS who succeeded his father, had the keeping of King Edw. II. in his Castle at Berkeley; but being thought too courteous to him, he was commanded to deliver him, together with the custody of his Castle to John Lord Maltravers, and Thomas Gurney, whence the execrable murder of that unhappy monarch succeeded. He died the 25th of Edward III. having married 1st Margaret, 4th daughter of Robert Mortimer Earl of March, and widow of Robert Vere Earl of Oxford, by whom he had Maurice, Thomas, Roger, and Alphonfus; and a daughter Joan, married to Reginald Lord Cobham. His second wife was Catharine, daughter of Sir John Clivedon, widow of Sir Peter le Veel, Kt. by whom he had Thomas, Maurice, Edward, and John; of whom

(3d L.) MAURICE his eldest son by his first wife succeeded him. He married Elizabeth, daughter to Hugh le Despenser, and by her had four sons,

(4d L.) THOMAS, Sir James, John, and Maurice; and three daughters, who died unmarried. Of the sons, the eldest succeeded, and married Margaret, daughter to Gerard Warren Lord Lisle, by whom he had an only daughter Elizabeth, married to Richard Beauchamp Earl of Warwick, but dying without issue male, we return to

Sir JAMES his brother. He married Elizabeth, daughter and heir of Sir John Bloet, by whom he had James his heir; and Maurice, who died without issue; which

(5th L.) JAMES also became heir to his uncle Thomas, and by virtue of a special entail, enjoyed the Castle and Lordships of Berkeley. He was summoned to Parliament among the Peers the 9th of Henry V. and died the 3d of Edw. VI. He married first a daughter of Humphry Stafford, by whom he had no issue; secondly Isabel, daughter to Thomas Mowbray Duke of Norfolk, and widow of Henry, son and heir of William Lord Ferrers of Groby; thirdly Joan, daughter of John Talbot the first Earl of Shrewsbury, by whom he had no issue; and she married secondly Edmund Hungerford, Esq. By his second wife he had four sons, Sir William.—Sir Maurice.—James, killed in France,—and Thomas, from whom the Berkeleys of the counties of Worcester and Hereford are descended; also three daughters, Elizabeth married to Thomas Burdet.—Isabel, married to Thomas Trye, Esq.—and Alice to Richard Arthur, Esq. Sir Maurice, second son, had a daughter Joice, married to William Afley, Esq.

(6th L.) Sir WILLIAM the eldest, who succeeded his father, was on the 21st of April, 1481, advanced to the dignity of Visc. Berkeley; and on the 28th of June, 1483, created Earl of Nottingham. In 1485 he was made Earl Marshal of England, and to the heirs male of his body; and was created Marquis of Berkeley. He married first Elizabeth, daughter of Reginald West, the first Lord de la War, from whom he was divorced, without having any issue; secondly Jane, daughter of Sir Thomas Strangeways, and widow of Sir William Willoughby, Knt, by whom he had issue Thomas and Catharine, who died young; thirdly Anne, daughter of John Fiennes Lord Dacres of the South; who surviving him, married secondly Sir Thomas Brandon, Knt. He died on the 14th of Feb. 1492, without issue, and taking occasion to except against his brother,

MAURICE, as his successor, because he had not married into a noble family, (she being Isabella, daughter to Philip Mead, Esq. then Alderman of the city of Bristol) gave all his lands from him, particularly the Castle of Berkeley, and those lands and Lordships that were annexed to that ancient Barony, to King Henry VII. and the heirs male of his body, in remainder to his own right heirs, so that he enjoyed no part of the honour, but in time he recovered best part of the lands which his brother had given from him; and dying

the 22d of Henry VII. left three sons, Maurice and Thomas his successors; and James; who left two daughters, Mary, married first to Sir Thomas Perrot, and secondly to Sir Thomas Jones; and Anne married to Sir William Denis of Durham.

MAURICE, the eldest son, succeeded his father, and in the 14th of Henry VIII. had summons to Parliament; but had not the place of his ancestors, because the Castle of Berkeley remained to the crown, by virtue of the entail made by William his uncle. He married Catharine, daughter to Sir William Berkeley; but dying Sept. 12, 1523, without issue,

THOMAS, his brother became heir, who married first Eleanor, daughter of Sir Marmaduke Constable, widow of John Ingleby, Esq. by whom he had no issue; secondly Cicilie, widow of Richard Rowdon, Esq. by whom he had issue Thomas; and Maurice, who married Frances, daughter to the said Richard Rowdon, Esq. and had issue. Their father dying the 22d of January, 24 Henry VIII. was succeeded by

THOMAS his eldest son, who died Sept. 19, 1534. He married first Mary, daughter of George Lord Hastings, by whom he had no issue; secondly, Anne, daughter to Sir John Savage, and by her had Henry, his heir; and a daughter Elizabeth, who was married to Thomas Butler, the 10th Earl of Ormond.

(7th L.) HENRY, who succeeded, by the death of King Edward VI. the last heir male to King Henry VII. came in possession of the Castle of Berkeley, and all those other lands given to that King by Thomas Marquis of Berkeley, in prejudice of his brother Maurice, as before observed, which Lordships had been vested in the crown 61 years. He likewise by the same means possessed the ancient seat of his ancestors in Parliament; and marrying first Catharine, daughter to Henry Howard Earl of Surry, by her had two sons, Thomas; and Ferdinand, who died unmarried; and four daughters; Frances, married Sir George Shirley.—Mary, married Sir John Zouch. His second wife was Jane, daughter of Sir Michael Stanhope, widow of Sir Roger Townshend, by whom he had no issue; and died the 26th of November, 1613.

THOMAS, the eldest son, dying in his father's life-time, the 26th of November, 1610, left issue by Elizabeth, daughter to George Carey, the second Lord Hunsdon, George, who

who succeeded his grandfather; and Theophila married to Sir Robert Coke.

(8th L.) GEORGE, who succeeded, married Elizabeth, second daughter and coheir to Sir Michael Stanhope, and had two sons; and a daughter Elizabeth, married to Edward Coke, Esq. The sons were, Charles and George. The eldest was drowned on the 27th of Jan. 1641, in his passage towards France; whereupon

(1st E.) GEORGE, on the 10th of August, 1658, succeeded, and in 1679, was created Viscount Dursley, and Earl of Berkeley; and died October 10, 1698. He married Elizabeth, daughter to John Messingberd, Esq. and left two sons, and six daughters; Elizabeth, Theophila, Arabella, Mary, Henrietta, and Arethusa second wife of Charles Lord Clifford, eldest son of Richard Earl of Burlington. Elizabeth, married William Smith, Esq.—Theophila first to Sir Kingfinil Lucy, and secondly to Robert Nelson, Esq.—Arabella, to William Pulteney, Esq. being his second wife, by whom he had three daughters.—Mary, to Ford Earl of Tankerville, and by him, who died June 25, 1701, had a daughter of her name, who married Charles Lord Ossulston. The sons of George Earl of Berkeley, were Charles his heir; and George, who married Jane, daughter to George Cole, Esq. and dying in October, 1694, left Elizabeth his only child, who was married to John Brome, of Tuppinden, and died on the 9th of April, 1730.

(2d E.) CHARLES was summoned to Parliament on the 11th of July, 1689, by the title of Lord Berkeley of Berkeley; and upon the death of his father he succeeded him in the Earldom; but dying in October 1710, left issue by Elizabeth, daughter to Baptist Visc. Campden, four sons and three daughters; Mary, Elizabeth, and Penelope. The latter died at Dublin unmarried; the second was married to Sir John Germaine; and the eldest married Thomas Chambers of Hanworth, in Middlesex, Esq. The sons were Charles, James, Henry, and George who in 1735 married Henrietta Countess Dowager of Suffolk; and died in 1746.—Henry, married Mary, only daughter to Henry Cornwall, Esq. and by her, who died the 25th of April, 1741, had two sons, Henry, a captain in the army, killed at the battle of Fontenoy in 1741; and Lionel Spencer, married to Margaret, daughter to Mr. James Whitfield, and had issue two sons, Velters-Cornwall, and Henry-Spencer. He died at Bath in May, 1736. Charles the eldest dying in 1699, unmarried.

(3d E.) JAMES the second son, on the 5th of March, 1705, was summoned by writ to the House of Peers, and soon after made one of the Admirals of her Majesty's fleet; and in 1710, succeeded his father as Earl of Berkeley. His Lordship marrying Louisa Lenox, eldest daughter to Charles first Duke of Richmond, by her, who died January 15, 1717, had a son Augustus, born Feb. 18, 1716; and two daughters, Elizabeth, who, on the 11th of Feb. 1728, married Anthony Henley, Esq. but died in September, 1745, without issue.—Louisa died young. His Lordship dying in Aug. 1736, was succeeded by his only son,

(4th E.) AUGUSTUS, late Earl of Berkeley; who married, May 7, 1744, Elizabeth, daughter to Henry Drax, Esq. and by her, (who was married, 2dly, to Robert Nugent, now Earl Nugent, and died Jan. 9, 1755) he had issue, Frederick-Augustus, the present Earl.—James, born July 25, 1747, who died the year after.—Louisa.—Elizabeth.—Frances, all three born July 28, 1748, but died soon after.—Georgina-Augusta, born Sept. 28, 1749, married April 29, 1766, to Lord Forbes, now Earl of Granard, of Ireland, and has issue.—Elizabeth, born in December 1750, and married May 10, 1767, to the present Lord Craven, and his issue.—George Cranfield, born August 10, 1753, a Lieutenant in the Navy. And his Lordship dying Jan 9, 1755, was succeeded by his eldest son.

(5th E.) FREDERICK-AUGUSTUS, now Earl of Berkeley.

CREATIONS.] Baron by writ, June 23, 1295, the other titles, Sept. 11, 1679.

ARMS.] *Gules*, a chevron between ten-crosses pattée, six above, and four below, *argent*. [Plate X.]

CREST.] On a wreath a mitre, *gules*, garnished, *or*, charged with the paternal coat.

SUPPORTERS.] Two lions, *argent*, the sinister having a ducal crown and plain collar and chain, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Dieu avec nous*. God with us.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Berkeley-castle in Gloucestershire; and at Cranford in Middlesex.

BERTIE EARL OF ABINGDON.

THE Right Hon. WILLOUGHBY BERTIE, Earl of ABINGDON, and Baron Norreys of Rycote, born January 16, 1740, succeeded his father Willoughby, the late Earl,

Earl, June 10, 1760. He married July 7, 1768, Charlotte, daughter of the late Admiral Sir Peter Warren, Knight of the Bath, by whom he has had Charlotte, born Oct. 12, 1769. —Amelia, born Jan. 6, 1774. —Willoughby, Lord Norreys, born Feb. 8, 1779, and died 12 days after. —Another son born April, 1781.

The descent of this noble family is given under the title of Bertie Duke of Ancaster. Montagu Bertie the second Earl of Lindsey, by Bridget, his second wife, Baroness Norreys of Rycote (widow of Edward second son of Edward fourth Earl of Dorset) daughter and sole heir to Edward Wray, Esq. third son to Sir William Wray of Glenworth, in the county of Lincoln, by Elizabeth his wife, daughter and heir to Francis Lord Norreys, son of Henry Norreys, Visc. Thame, and Earl of Berkshire, had a son

(1st E.) JAMES, to whom the Barony of Norreys descended, who was created Earl of Abingdon. He married first Eleanor, daughter to Sir Henry Lee; by her who died the 31st of May, 1691, he had six sons and three daughters; Bridget married to Richard the fourth Visc. Bulkeley; — Anne to Sir William Courtenay; and Mary died unmarried. Of the sons, who were Montagu Lord Norreys, James, Henry, Robert, Peregrine, and Charles. The latter married Elizabeth, daughter to the Rev. Mr. John Kerry, by whom he had issue one son, Charles; and two daughters, Elizabeth and Anne. —Peregrine was a captain in the navy, and died in 1709. —Robert married Catharine, daughter to Richard the fourth Visc. Wenman, and died August 26, 1710, without issue. —Henry, married Arabella-Susan, daughter to the Lord Glenorky, widow of Marcus Visc. Dungannon. He married secondly, Mary, daughter of Peregrine Bertie, second son of Montagu Earl of Lindsey; but she died, leaving him an only daughter Susanna. He died at Bologne, in December 1735. —James the second son was born March 13, 1673, died in October 1735, who, on the 5th of January, 1692, married Elizabeth, daughter to George the 6th Lord Willoughby of Parham, and by her, who died September 26, 1715, had fourteen children, of whom, six lived to maturity, viz. Willoughby succeeded his uncle as Earl of Abingdon. —Edward died Sept. 21, 1733. —William, who is D. D. and has issue James, Richard, Francis, Sophia, and Anne. —Henry. —John, who married Miss Mary Nicholas, and had issue four sons; John, William, and Norreys, who all died young, and Willoughby;

also nine daughters, Anne, Mary, Bridget, Elizabeth, Frances, Mary, Eleanora, Isabella, Mary, Sophia, and Eustacia; their father John was prebendary of Exeter, and died Feb. 1, 1774.—and a daughter Bridget, married to Robert Cotymor, Esq. by whom she had issue one son, James; and two daughters, Mary and Bridget. And the said James Earl of Abingdon, in 1698, married to his second wife Catharine, daughter to Sir Thomas Chamberlain, and widow of Richard the 4th Visc. Wenman, who surviving him, married Francis Wroughton, Esq. and his Lordship dying on the 22d of May, 1699, was succeeded in his honours by his eldest son

(2d E.) MONTAGU, who married September 22, 1687, first, Anne, daughter and sole heir to Peter Venables (called Baron of Kinderton) of the county of Chester, who died in 1715. His Lordship, Feb. 13, 1717, married to his second wife Mary, daughter to James Gould, of Dorchester, Esq. and widow of General Charles Churchill, brother to John Duke of Marlborough, and by her, who died in January, 1756, had a son James, Lord Norreys, who died February 25, 1718. His Lordship dying on the 16th of June 1743, was succeeded by his nephew.

(3d E.) WILLOUGHBY, eldest son of James his next brother before-mentioned, born November 28, 1692. He married at Florence in August, 1727, Anna-Maria, daughter of Sir John Collins, Knt. by whom, who died Dec. 21, 1763, he had issue, James Lord Norreys, who was burnt in his bed at Rycote, Oct. 12, 1745.—Willoughby, the present Earl.—Peregrine, born March 13, 1741, a captain in the Navy.—Elizabeth, married to Signor Gallini, and has issue.—Jane, married to Thomas Clifton, Esq. of Lancashire.—Bridget died unmarried, 1760.—Anne.—Eleanora, married to Philip Visc. Wenman of Ireland.—Mary, born Nov. 12, 1746, married Miles Stapleton, Esq. of Clint in Yorkshire.—Sophia, born Nov. 6, 1748, died in 1760 unmarried. His Lordship dying on June 10, 1760, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(4th E.) WILLOUGHBY, now Earl of Abingdon.

CREATIONS.] Summoned to Parliament originally as Baron Norreys of Rycote in the county of Oxford, May 8, 1572, 14 Eliz. again by descent and summons as Baron Bertie, April 12, 1675, 27 Car. II. and created Earl of Abingdon in the county of Berks, November 30, 1682, 37 Car. II.

ARMS.] *Argent*, three battering-rams barways, *proper*, armed

armed and garnished, *azure*; an annulet for difference.
[Plate X.]

CREST.] On a wreath, the head and bust of a king couped, *proper*, crowned ducally, and charged on the chest with a fret, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a pilgrim, or friar, vested in ruffet, with his staff, and pater-noster in his hand, *or*. On the sinister, a savage wreathed about the temples and middle with ivy, *proper*; on each of their chests a fret, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Virtus ariete fortior.* Virtue is stronger than a battering Ram.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Witham in Berkshire; and Rycote in Oxfordshire.

NOEL, EARL OF GAINSBOROUGH.

THE Right Hon. HENRY NOEL, Earl of GAINSBOROUGH, Viscount Campden of Campden, Baron Noel of Ridlington, Baron Hicks of Ilmington, Baron Noel of Titchfield, and Baronet, succeeded his brother Baptist, the late Earl, in May, 1770.

NOEL, the ancestor of this family, came into England with the Conqueror, who gave him Ellenham and other lands; his son Robert Fitz-Noel, by Alice his wife, had five sons, Thomas, Philip, Robert, Richard, and John; the eldest left issue Alice, the widow of William de Harecourt, and John, the wife of Thomas Fitz-Eustace, who shared his inheritance.

From him descended ANDREW Noel, who married first Elizabeth, daughter of John Hopton, Esq. and widow of Sir John Perient, by whom he had issue four sons, Andrew, Henry, George, and William, and two daughters; Elizabeth married to Anthony Faunt, Esq. and Judith, who died unmarried. His second wife was Dorothy, daughter of Richard Conyers, Esq. and widow of Roger Flower, Esq. by whom he had issue John Noel, seated at Wellesborough in Leicestershire, from whom descended Visc. WENTWORTH.

ANDREW, eldest son, married Mabel, 6th daughter of Sir James Harrington, by whom he had issue four sons, Sir Edward, Charles, who died unmarried in 1619; Arthur and Alexander

Alexander, who married Mary, daughter of Sir Thomas Palmer. He had also three daughters, Lucy married to William Lord Euere; Elizabeth to George Earl of Castlehaven; Theodofia to Edward Visc. Wimbleton; and dying October 19, 1677, was succeeded by his eldest son

(1st V.) Sir EDWARD, who was created Baron Noel of Ridlington. He married Juliana, eldest daughter to Sir Baptist Hicks, who was created Baron Hicks of Ilmington, and Visc. Campden; which two last titles were granted to him and the heirs male of his body, after the death of the said Sir Baptist, and dying in the King's garrison in Oxford, March 10, 1643, left issue by the said Juliana his wife, who died November 25, 1680, two sons, Baptist and Henry, and two daughters; of which Elizabeth married Sir Erasmus de la Fountain; and Penelope to John Visc. Chaworth. Henry the youngest son, married Mary, daughter of Hugh Perry, Esq. who surviving him, married secondly Sir William Fermor.

(2d V.) BAPTIST the eldest son, succeeded, and died the 29th of October, 1683. He married four wives, first Anne, daughter to William the first Earl of Denbigh, by whom he had three sons, who died in their infancy; by his second, who was Anne, daughter of Sir Robert Lovet, relict of the Earl of Bath, he had another son that was still-born; by his third wife Hester, daughter to Thomas Lord Wotton, he had two sons and four daughters; and by Elizabeth his fourth wife, daughter to Montagu Earl of Lindsey, he had six sons and three daughters; which were Catharine, Bridget, and Martha-Penelope. The latter was married to——Dormer, Esq. and the eldest to John the first Duke of Rutland; and Bridget died unmarried January 17, 1719. The sons who were 1st, Lindsey, who died in his infancy; 2d, Baptist father of the 3d Earl. 3d, John; 4th, a son who died in his infancy; 5th, James, who died at 18 years of age; 6th, a son still-born. Of these John married Elizabeth, sister to Bennet the 1st Earl of Harborough, and widow to Edward the second Visc. Irwin in Scotland; and dying December 26, 1718, by her had issue three sons; John who died unmarried in 1727; Thomas who married in Nov. 1756, Elizabeth, Countess Dowager of Gainsborough, widow of the 4th Earl; and Bennet; and three daughters; Elizabeth who died unmarried; Bridget who was married to David Lord Milfington, but died August 22, 1729, without surviving issue; and Alice. The daughters by the 3d wife were Mary, who married James 3d Earl of Northampton; Juliana

Juliana to William Lord Allington; Hester died an infant; and Elizabeth married Charles the second Earl of Berkeley. The sons, by the same Lady were Edward and Henry; the latter died Sept. 21, 1677; and by Elizabeth, daughter of Sir William Wale, left issue an only daughter Juliana, married to Charles Earl of Burlington; and

(1st E.) EDWARD, on the 29th of October, 1682, succeeded his father. He married Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Thomas Wriothesley Earl of Southampton, and was on the 3d of Feb. 1681, his father being then living, created Lord Noel of Titchfield, with limitation for want of issue male to the younger sons of his father Baptist Visc. Campden, and on the 1st of December 1682, he was created Earl of Gainsborough with the same limitations. By his said Lady he had one son, and four daughters; Frances married to Simon Lord Digby.—Jane married William Lord Digby, brother to the said Simon.—Elizabeth married Richard Norton, Esq.—Juliana died unmarried; and their brother,

(2d E.) WRIOTHESLY-BAPTIST, in 1689, succeeded his father. He married Catharine, eldest daughter to Fulk Grevile the fifth Lord Brook, and by her, who married secondly John Sheffield Duke of Buckingham, he had two daughters; Elizabeth married to Henry the first Duke of Portland; and Rachael to Henry the second Duke of Beaufort; but dying in Sept. 1690, without issue male, we return to

BAPTIST, second, but eldest surviving son of Baptist Visc. Campden, by Elizabeth Bertie, his fourth wife. He married Susan, daughter and sole heir to Sir Thomas Fanshaw, and by her left a son Baptist, and two daughters, Elizabeth and Susan; and the said

(3d E.) BAPTIST succeeding Wriothesly above-mentioned, became the third Earl. He married Dorothy, daughter to John the first Duke of Rutland, and dying on the 16th of April, 1714, by her had three sons and three daughters; Susan married to Anthony-Ashley Earl of Shaftsbury.—Catharine, who died 1779.—Mary, died in 1718.—The sons were Baptist, John, and James; the eldest, who was born May 23, 1708, succeeded his father; John died December 26, 1718; and James died in 1752.

(4th E.) BAPTIST married Miss Elizabeth Chapman, and by her, (who married secondly in November 1756, Thomas Noel, Esq. above-mentioned) had issue, and died Dec. 15, 1771.—Elizabeth, born in 1731.—Jane, born in 1733, married

ried to Gerrard-Anne Edwards, Esq. of Leicestershire.—Juliana, born in 1735, and married George Lord Carbery of Ireland, and died 1760.—Penelope, born in 1736, and died young.—Anne, born in 1737, died 1779.—Baptist the late Earl.—Lucy, was married April 26, 1765, to Sir Horatio Mann, Knight of the Bath, and died Feb. 2, 1778.—Henry, the present Earl.—Charles who died young, 1745.—Mary.—Susanna, who married the present Earl of Shaftsbury, and died April 21, 1758.—Sophia, who married Christopher Neville, Esq. Col. of the Lincolnshire Militia, and died May 5, 1780.

(5th E.) BAPTIST, born 8, 1740, succeeded his father March 21, 1751; but dying on his travels at Geneva in May 1770, was succeeded by

(6th E.) HENRY, his brother, the present Earl.

CREATIONS] Baron, March 23, 1617, Visc. Oct. 18, 1629, and Earl, Dec. 1, 1682.

ARMS.] *Or*, fretty of ten pieces, *gules*, a canton, *ermine*, [Plate X.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a buck at gaze, *argent*, attired, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two bulls *argent*; armed and unguled, *proper*.

MOTTO.] *Tout bien ou rien*. The whole Estate.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Extonbrook in the county of Rutland.

WINDSOR, EARL OF PLYMOUTH.

THE Right Hon. OTHER-HICKMAN WINDSOR, Earl of PLYMOUTH, and Baron Windsor of Badensham, in Buckinghamshire, born May 30, 1751, succeeded his father the late Earl, in April, 1771.

WALTER Fitz-Other came into England with William the Conqueror, by whom he was made Baron and Constable of the Castle of Windsor, and keeper of the Forest; and by Beatrix his wife, had three sons, William, Robert, and Gerald. From the youngest are descended the Earls of Kildare in Ireland, the families of the Gerards in Lancashire, and the Carews of England and Ireland. From Robert, the second son, descended the Earl of Kerry. And from William the eldest, who was called William of Windsor, is descended the

the Earl of Plymouth. To the said William de Windfor, Maud the Empress ratified all those grants which had been made to Walter his father, by King Henry I. and to him succeeded William his son, and was father of Sir William, whose wife was Agnes, and by her had a daughter Joan, married to Sir Richard de Dray, and a son, William, who married Margaret, sister of John Derekenford, and had Sir Richard de Windfor, who married Julian, daughter to Sir Richard Stapleton, and had a son Richard de Windfor, and William. Richard the eldest son, by Julian, daughter to James Molyns, had Sir James his heir; and Sir William, who was summoned to Parliament among the Barons the 4th of Rich. II. He married the famous Dame Alice Percers, or Pierce, favourite of King Edward III. but left no issue male.

Sir James Windfor, his eldest brother, married Elizabeth, daughter to Sir John Strechy, and by her had Sir Miles de Windfor, who died the 11th of Rich. II. leaving issue by Alice his wife, daughter to Adam de Wymondham, or Wyndham, of Wyndham, in Norfolk, Brian de Windfor, who married Alice, daughter of Thomas Drew, Esq. and dying the 22d of Rich. II. left two sons; Miles the eldest dying unmarried, Richard his Brother succeeded. He married Christian, daughter to Richard Faulkner, Esq. and dying in the 6th of Henry VI. left a son,

MILES de Windfor, who died 26th of Hen. VI. leaving issue by Joan, daughter to Walter Green, Esq.

THOMAS de Windfor, who died in 1485, 1st of Hen. VII. He married Elizabeth, daughter to John Andrews, Esq. and by her, (who afterwards married Sir Robert Litton) had several children, of whom Margaret was the last Princess of the Monastery of Sion.

(1st L.) Sir ANDREW Windfor, the eldest son, was in the 21st of Henry VIII. summoned by writ among the Peers. He married Elizabeth, sister to Edward Blount Lord Montjoy, and had four sons, George, Sir William, Sir Edmund, and Thomas; and four daughters; Elizabeth married Sir Peter Vavasour.—Anne to Sir Robert Corbet.—Edyth to George Ludley, Esq.—Eleanor first to Ralph Lord Scrope, and afterwards to Edward Nevil.—Of the sons, George the eldest, married Ursula, sister of John Vere Earl of Oxford, by whom he had no issue, and died before his father. Sir Edmund, third son, died unmarried.—Thomas, fourth son, married Mary, daughter of Thomas Bokenham.

(2d L.) Sir WILLIAM the second son, became heir. He married

married first Margaret, daughter to Sir William Samburne, and had seven sons, and nine daughters; of whom Elizabeth the eldest, was married first to Henry, son of Thomas Lord Sands; secondly to Sir George Powlett; and thirdly, to Richard Scrope, Esq.—Eleanor to Sir Christopher Brome.—Bridget to Edward Ferrers, Esq.—Mary to William Scot, Esq.—Dorothy to Thomas Pauncefort, Esq.—Anne to Lord Grey of Groby. The rest of the daughters died young, or unmarried. Of the sons, Thomas the eldest died an infant.—Sir Thomas, the second son, married Dorothy, daughter of William Lord Dacres, and died in his father's life-time, without issue male.—Henry, third son, died an infant.—Andrews, fourth son, died before his father.—Sir Edward, fifth son, became heir to his father.—Walter, sixth son, married Margaret, daughter of Sir Geoffrey Poole, and had issue Edward and William; the youngest marrying Elizabeth, eldest daughter to William the third Earl of Worcester, and had a son of his name. Sir William married secondly Elizabeth, daughter to Peter Coundray, Esq. by whom he had a son Philip, and a daughter Elizabeth, who both died without issue.

(3d L.) Sir EDWARD, the fifth but eldest surviving son, succeeded his father, was created Lord Windsor. He married Catharine, daughter to John Earl of Oxford, and left four sons and two daughters; Margaret married to John Talbot, Esq. and Catharine to Robert Audley, Esq. And of the sons, which were Frederick, Henry, Edward, and Andrews.

(4th L.) FREDERICK succeeded his father, and died unmarried; and was succeeded by

(5th L.) HENRY his brother, who died the 6th of April, 1605. He married Anne, daughter to Sir Thomas Rivet, by whom he had two sons, and five daughters; of which only one son Thomas, and two daughters, both of the name of Elizabeth, survived; of which Elizabeth sen. married to Dixie Hickman, Esq. and Elizabeth jun. married to Andrews Windsor, her kinsman; and the said

(6th L.) THOMAS their brother, succeeded his father. He married Catharine, daughter to Edward the fourth Earl of Worcester; but dying without issue, put an end to this line; and the title of Lord Windsor, was by King Charles II. in 1665, conferred on

(1st E.) THOMAS Windsor-Hickman, son of Dixie Hickman, and Elizabeth his wife, above-mentioned, and he was afterwards created Earl of Plymouth, and dyed in 1687.

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He married, first, Anne, sister to George, Marquis of Halifax, and had a son named Other, and two daughters; Mary, married to Sir Thomas Cookes; and Anne, who died an infant. And by his second, who was Ursula, daughter of Sir Thomas Widdrington, he had four sons, and five daughters; of which Ursula, the eldest, was married to Thomas Johnson, Esq.—Elizabeth, the second, was the fourth wife of Sir Francis Dashwood; the other three died unmarried. The sons were, Thomas, created Viscount WINDSOR, in Ireland, in 1699, and Baron MONTJOY, in England, in 1711.—Dixie Windfor, Esq. born in 1678, died in October, 1730.—Andrews Windfor.—William, who died an infant.

OTHER, eldest son and heir, by the first wife, died in his father's life-time. He married Elizabeth, daughter and sole heir to Thomas Turvey, Esq. and by her had

(2d Earl.) OTHER, who in 1687, succeeded his grandfather.—Henry, and Anne, who both died unmarried. And the said Other married Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Whitley, Esq. and by her, who died on the 11th of June, 1711, had two sons, Other; and Henry, who was married to Mrs. Wheatley, but died in July, 1741, without issue.

(3d Earl.) OTHER, the eldest, who was born June 30, 1707, on the 26th of December, 1725, succeeded as Earl of Plymouth; and on the 7th of May, 1730, married the only daughter and heir of Thomas Lewis, Esq. by whom, in May 1731, he had a son, named

(4th Earl.) OTHER-LEWIS, who succeeded his father the 27th of November, 1732; and his mother died in November, 1733. On the 11th of August, 1750, he married Catharine, eldest daughter of Thomas, Lord Archer, by whom he had Other-Hickman, the present Earl.—Thomas, born May 19, 1752, an Officer in the Royal Navy.—Andrews, who died the day of his birth.—Henry, born 1760.—Andrews, born May 12, 1764.—Catharine, born 1765.—Elizabeth, born May 4, 1757, who married March 30, 1776, George Townshend, Esq. of Honington-Hall, in Warwickshire, and has issue.—Anne, born 1762.—Sarah, born 1763; and four other children, all of whom died young. And his Lordship deceasing in April 1771, was succeeded by his son

(5th Earl.) OTHER-HICKMAN, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron Windfor, of Bradenham, in the county of Bucks, June 16, 1660, 12 Car. II. but originally, by writ of summons to Parliament, November 3, 1529, 21 Hen VIII. and created Earl of Plymouth, in the county of Devon, December 6, 1682, 34 Car. II.

ARMS.] *Gules*, a saltire, *argent*, between twelve cross croselets, *or*. [Plate XI.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a buck's head erased, *proper*, attired, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two unicorns, *argent*, armed, crested, tufted, and hooped, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Je me fie en Dieu*. I put my Trust in God.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Hewel-grange, in the county of Worcester; and at Peel-Hall, in Cheshire.

LUMLEY-SAUNDERSON, EARL OF SCARBOROUGH.

THE Right Hon. RICHARD LUMLEY-SAUNDERSON, Earl of SCARBOROUGH, Viscount and Baron Lumley, of Lumley-Castle; and Viscount Lumley, of Waterford, in the kingdom of Ireland.

An account of this noble family is given in the Peerage of *Ireland*, under the title of *Viscount LUMLEY*.

NASSAU, EARL OF ROCHFORD.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM-HENRY NASSAU, Earl of ROCHFORD, Viscount Tunbridge, Baron of Enfield, was born June 28, 1754; succeeded his uncle William, the late Earl, in September 28, 1781.

Among those noble persons, who in 1688, attended King William from Holland, was

(1st Earl.) WILLIAM-HENRY, son of Frederick Nassau, Lord of Zulestein, (whose father was a natural son of Frederick-Henry, Prince of Orange, grandfather of William III.) was created a Peer of England, as above. His Lordship died at Zulestein, in the year 1708, having married Jane, daughter of Henry Wroth, and by her had four sons, and four daughters; Anne, who died unmarried.—Mary was married to the Heer Harvelt, son to Godart Ginkle, Earl of Athlone.—Elizabeth, died unmarried.—Henrietta, the youngest, to Godart-Christian, Earl of Athlone. And of the sons, Maurice, the third, died in 1722.—Henry, the 4th, died unmarried, in April, 1741.

(2d Earl.) WILLIAM, the eldest, succeeded his father; but he being killed at the battle of Almanara, in Spain, July 28, 1710, unmarried,

(3d Earl.)

(3d Earl.) FREDERICK, his brother, succeeded him; and having married Bessy, daughter of Richard Savage, Earl Rivers, by her (who out-lived his Lordship, and married, secondly, the Rev. Mr. Carter) he had William-Henry, his successor.—Richard-Savage Nassau, born June 1, 1723; died May 1780; married December 24, 1751, Elizabeth, Duchess-Dowager of Hamilton, daughter of Edward Spencer, Esq. by whom, who died March 9, 1771, he had a daughter, Lucy, who died unmarried; and two sons, William-Henry, born July 28, 1754, the present Earl; George, born September, 1756. His Lordship dying in June, 1738, was succeeded by

(4th Earl.) WILLIAM-HENRY, his eldest son, the late Earl, who was born September 17, 1717, married Lucy, daughter of Edward Young, Esq. of Durnford, near Sarum, in Wiltshire, who died Jan. 9, 1773, without issue; and his Lordship dying September 28, 1781, without issue, was succeeded by his nephew,

(5th Earl.) WILLIAM-HENRY, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Baron of Enfield, Viscount Tunbridge, and Earl of Rochford, May 10, 1695.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first, *azure*, femée of billets, a lion rampant, *or*; second, *or*, a lion rampant, *gules*, crowned with a ducal coronet, *azure*; third, *argent*, a fess, *gules*; fourth, *gules*, two lions passant, guardant in pale, *or*; over all, in an escutcheon, *gules*, three zules, *argent*, and sometimes a lion rampant, *sable*. [Plate XI.]

CREST.] In a ducal coronet, *or*, a pair of buck's horns, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two lions *ermineois*, ducally crowned, *azure*.

MOTTO.] *Spes durat Avorum*. The Hope of my Ancestors subsists.

KEPPEL, EARL OF ALBEMARLE.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM-CHARLES KEPPEL, Earl of ALBEMARLE, Viscount Bury, Baron Ashford, of Ashford, in Kent, born May 13, 1772, succeeded his father, the late Earl, October 13, 1772.

Of this family, who are descended of the nobles of Guelderland, in Holland, was

(1st Earl.) ARNOLD JOOST VAN KEPPEL, second son of
Bernard

Bernard Van Pallant, Lord of Keppel. In the year 1688, attending King William into England, was by him created a Peer of England; but dying May 19, 1718, left by Isabella, daughter of General S. Gravemore, in Holland, who died in December 1741, a daughter, Sophia, married to General John Thomas, and died May 25, 1773; and a son,

(2d Earl.) WILLIAM-ANNE, his heir, born June 5, 1702. On the 21st of February, 1723, his Lordship married Anne Lenox, daughter of the first Duke of Richmond; and by her he had, George, late Earl—Augustus, born April 2, 1725, First Lord of the Admiralty; created *Viscount* KEPPEL.—James, born April 29, 1726, died young.—William, born November 5, 1727, a Lieutenant General in the Army, who died unmarried, March, 1782.—Frederick, born February 19, 1728-9, late Bishop of Exeter, who died December, 1777, having married, September 13, 1758, Louisa, daughter of Sir Edward Walpole, Knight of the Bath, and sister to the present Duchefs of Gloucester, by whom he had a son, Frederick, born November 14, 1762; and two daughters; Laura, born June 13, 1759; and Charlotte-Augusta, born July 5, 1771.—Sophia, born February 18, 1729, who died in 1741.—Elizabeth-Mary, born May 6, 1731, and died 1740.—Anna-Sufanna, born November 8, 1732, died 1754.—Thomas, born February 1, 1734, and died young.—Nassau, born November 18, 1735, died an infant.—Edward, born May 4, 1736, died in 1745.—Caroline, born August 20, 1737, married in 1759, Robert Adair, Esq. and died September 11, 1769, leaving issue.—Elizabeth, born November 15, 1739, married June 7, 1764, to Francis, Marquis of Tavistock, son of the late Duke of Bedford, by whom she had the present Duke of Bedford, and his brothers, and died 1768.—Henry, born August 11, 1741.—Amelia, born November 2, 1745, and died young. His Lordship dying at Paris, December 22, 1754, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(3d Earl.) GEORGE, who married, in April, 1770, Miss Anne Miller, daughter of Sir John Miller, Bart. by whom he had one son, William-Charles, born May 13, 1772; and his Lordship deceasing on the 13th of October following, was succeeded by his only son,

WILLIAM-CHARLES, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Earl, Viscount, and Baron, April 10, 1696.

ARMS.] *Gules*, three escallop-shells, *argent*. [*Plate XI*]

CREST.] In a ducal coronet, or, a demi-swan, close, proper.

SUPPORTERS.] Two lions, ducally crowned, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Ne cede malis.* Don't yield to Misfortune.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Bagshot, in Surry; and Voorst, and Loo, in Holland.

COVENTRY, EARL OF COVENTRY.

THE Right Honourable GEORGE-WILLIAM COVENTRY, Earl of COVENTRY, Viscount Deerhurst, succeeded his father William, the late Earl, March 18, 1751; was born April 26, 1722, and married March 5, 1752, Maria, eldest daughter of John Gunning, Esq. and sister to the present Duchesses of Hamilton and Argyll, by which Lady, who died Sept. 30, 1760, he had issue, Elizabeth-Anne, born in 1753, died August 22, 1756.—Maria-Alice, born in December 1754; and married June 25, 1777, Andrew Bayntun, Esq. eldest son of Sir Edward Bayntun, Bart. of Spy Park, in Wiltshire, by whom she has issue, two daughters, and from whom she was divorced in 1783.—Anne-Margaret, married October 30, 1778, Edward Foley, second son of Thomas, Lord Foley, by whom she has issue.—George-William, Viscount Deerhurst, born May 6, 1758, married March 18, 1777, Catharine Henley, fourth daughter of the late Earl of Northington, which Lady died in 1779; and his Lordship married, secondly, in January, 1783, Miss Pitches, daughter of Sir Abraham Pitches, Knt. of Streatham, in Surry. The Earl married, secondly, September 27, 1764, Barbara, sister to the late Lord St. John, of Bletfoe, by whom he has issue, John, born June 20, 1765.—Barbara, born January, 1776, who died an infant.—A son, born December 1, 1778.

Of this family, which were long seated in the county of Warwick, was

WILLIAM Coventry, of Coventry, whose son John Coventry being a mercer of London, was sheriff of that city in 1416, and Lord Mayor in 1425. From him, in a lineal descent, was Vincent Coventry, whose son and heir Richard Coventry, Esq. married a daughter of — Turner, and had two sons, John of Cassington, and Thomas Coventry, of Croome in the county of Worcester, who in the 3d James I. was made one of the Judges of the Court of Common Pleas; but dying Dec. 12, 1606, left issue three sons, Thomas his successor; William, and Walter ancestor of the present Earl; Margaret; Joan, married to — Rogers, of

Surry, Esq. Catharine to William Child, Esq. and Anne to George Frampton, Esq.

(1st Lord.) THOMAS, the eldest son, in the 1st of Charles I. was made Lord Keeper of the Great Seal. On the 10th of April 1628, he was created Lord Coventry, and died on the 14th of Jan. 1640. He married first, Sarah, daughter of John Seabright, Esq. by whom he had Thomas his heir, and Elizabeth, married to Sir John Hare; and by Elizabeth, his second wife, daughter to John Aldersey, Esq. widow of William Pitchford, Esq. he had four sons, John, who married Elizabeth, daughter of John Coles, Esq. widow of Herbert Dodington, Esq. by whom he had Sir John Coventry, who for his behaviour in Parliament, was attacked in the street, and had his nose cut, which occasioned the passing the act, from thence called the *Coventry Act*: This Sir John died unmarried.—Francis, who by Elizabeth, daughter of John Manning, Esq. widow of Robert Cæsar, Esq. had two sons who died young, Francis, who died unmarried; and two daughters, Elizabeth married to Sir William Keyt; and Ultra-Trajectina, or Utracia, to Sir William Lacon Child.—Henry, who died unmarried.—Sir William died unmarried; and the said Lord having also, by his second wife, four daughters, Anne, the eldest, was married to Sir William Savile; Mary to Sir Henry-Frederick Thyne; Margaret to the first Earl of Shaftesbury; and Dorothy to Sir John Packington.

(2d Lord.) THOMAS, who in 1639 succeeded his father, married Mary, daughter of Sir William Craven, and dying Oct. 27, 1661, left George his heir; and Thomas, Earl of Coventry.

(3d Lord.) GEORGE the eldest, married Margaret, daughter of the second Earl of Thanet, and had three sons and two daughters; Anne, who died young; and Margaret, married to the second Duke of Bolton; and of the sons,

(4th Lord) JOHN the eldest, (who was the only one surviving) on the 15th of December, 1680, succeeded; but he dying on the 25th of July, 1687, unmarried, his honour descended to

(1st Earl.) THOMAS Coventry, his father's brother; who was by King William III. created Viscount Deerhurst and Earl of Coventry, with limitation of his titles to William, afterwards Earl of Coventry, and Thomas and Henry his brothers, and their male issue, grandsons of Walter, brother of the first Lord. He married first Winifred, daughter of Peirs Edgecumbe, Esq. and had two sons, Thomas and Gilbert

bert. She dying in June, 1694, he married secondly in 1695, Elizabeth, daughter of Richard Graham, Esq. but by her, who afterwards married Thomas Savage, Esq. he had no issue.

(2d Earl.) THOMAS, the eldest son, on the 15th of July, 1699, succeeding, married Anne, daughter of Henry the first Duke of Beaufort, by whom he had Thomas his heir; and John, who died an infant; and dying in 1710, was succeeded by his eldest son

(3d Earl.) THOMAS; but he dying on the 27th of Jan. 1712, in the 10th year of his age, his titles descended to

(4th Earl.) GILBERT his uncle, who married first Dorothy, daughter of Sir William Keyt, by whom he had a daughter Anne, married to Sir William Carew; and his second wife was Anne, daughter of Sir Streynsham Masters, (since married in 1752 to Edward Pitts, of Kyre) but having no issue male, and dying on the 27th of October, 1719, we return to

WALTER Coventry, Esq. brother to the first Lord. He had issue a son

WALTER, married to Anne, daughter of Simon Holcomb, Esq. by whom he had issue four sons; Walter, who died without issue.—William, late Earl.—Thomas, who married first Mary, daughter and heir of — Green, Esq. and had issue one son Thomas; and a daughter Mary, married first to Henry Barker, Esq. and secondly to Dr. William Bearcroft. Thomas the father, married secondly Anna-Maria, daughter of the Rev. Thomas Brown, by whom he had two sons, the Rev. Francis Coventry, who died unmarried, and George; and three daughters, Maria, Anne-Margaret, and Elizabeth-Anne, deceased.—Henry, youngest son of Walter, married Anne, daughter of Mr. Coles.

(5th Earl.) WILLIAM, the second son of Walter, succeeded, pursuant to the limitation above-mentioned, to the titles of Viscount Deerhurst, and Earl of Coventry. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. John Allen, of the city of Westminster, by whom he had three sons, viz. Thomas-Henry, died in May, 1744.—George-William, the present Earl.—John-Bulkeley. His Lady died in Nov. 1738; and his Lordship dying March 18, 1751, was succeeded by his eldest surviving son

(6th Earl.) GEORGE-WILLIAM, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Viscount and Earl, April 26, 1697.

ARMS.] *Sable*, a fess, *ermine*, between three crescents, *or*.

CREST.] On a wreath a garb, *or*, and thereon a dunghill-cock perched, *gules*, comb, wattles, and legs, *or*. [*Plate XI.*]

SUPPORTERS.] Two eagles, wings expanded, *argent*; membered and beaked, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Candidè & Constantè*. Sincerely and constantly.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Crome d'Abitot, in Worcestershire.

VILLIERS, EARL OF JERSEY.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE-BUSSEY VILLIERS, Earl of JERSEY, Viscount Villiers of Dartford, and Baron of Hoo; also VISCOUNT GRANDISON in *Ireland*.

The account of this noble family, the reader may find at large in the Peerage of *Ireland*, under the title of *Viscount GRANDISON*.

POULETT, EARL POULETT.

THE Right Honourable VERE POULETT, Earl POULETT, Viscount Hinton, and Baron Poulett of Hinton St. George, succeeded his brother John, the late Earl, Nov. 5, 1764; was born May 18, 1710. He married in 1754, Mary, daughter of Richard Butt, of Arlingham, in Gloucestershire, Esq. and has issue two sons; John, Viscount Hinton, born April 7, 1756, married June 8, 1782, Miss Pocock, daughter of Sir George Pocock, Knight of the Bath. — Vere, born May, 1761.

This ancient family originally took its surname from the Lordship of Poulett in the county of Somerset.

Sir JOHN Poulett, in 4 Richard II. married Elizabeth, daughter and heir to William Credie, and by her had Sir Thomas Poulett; and William, from whom is descended the present Duke of BOLTON.

Sir THOMAS, who succeeded his father, married Margaret, daughter of Henry Burton, Esq. and had issue Sir William, and John; and Elizabeth, married first to Robert Burton, Esq. and secondly to William Bygberie, Esq.

Sir WILLIAM, who succeeded, married Elizabeth, daughter of John Deneband, of Hinton St. George, Esq. by whom he had four daughters; of which Elizabeth married to Sir John

John Poulett, ancestor of the Duke of Bolton; Anne to Sir William Carey; and a son

Sir AMIAS, who died in 1538. He married first Margaret, daughter of John Poulett, Esq. by whom he had no issue; secondly Laura, daughter of William Kelway, Esq. by whom he had Sir Hugh, John, and Henry; and a daughter Elizabeth, married first to John Sydenham, Esq. secondly to William Carlswell, Esq. and thirdly to Henry Copleston, Esq.

Sir HUGH the eldest son, married Phillippa, daughter of Sir Lewis Pollard, by whom he had Sir Amias, Nicolas, George; and a daughter Jane, married to Christopher Copleston, Esq. and dying the 30th of Eliz. was succeeded by

Sir AMIAS, his eldest son, who died in 1588. He married Margaret, daughter of Anthony Harvey, Esq. and had Hugh, who died an infant.—Sir Anthony.—George.—Joan, married to Robert Heydon, Esq.—Sarah, to Sir Francis Vincent.—Elizabeth, who died unmarried. He was succeeded by

Sir ANTHONY, who died in 1595, having married Catharine, daughter of Henry, Lord Norris, and by her had a daughter Margery, married to John Sydenham, Esq. and two sons, John and Philip.

(1st Lord.) JOHN POULETT, of Hinton St. George, was created a Baron, and died March 20, 1649. He married Christian, daughter of Christopher Ken, Esq. and by her, who afterwards married John Ashburnham, Esq. had three sons, Sir John.—Francis.—Amias; and five daughters; Florence, the eldest, was married first to Thomas Smith, and secondly to Colonel Thomas Piggot.—Margaret, the second, married first to Dennis Rolle; secondly to Sir Richard Chomley, and thirdly to Colonel Edward Cook.—Julian, the third, married Sir Michael Wharton.—Helen, the fourth, married William, son of Sir George Wilmot.—Elizabeth, the youngest, married first to William Ashburnham, Esq. and secondly to Sir William Hartop.

(2d Lord.) JOHN succeeded his father. He married first Catharine, daughter of Horatio, Lord Vere, of Tilbury, widow of Sir Oliver St. John, by whom he had John his heir, and Horatio; and three daughters; Elizabeth, married to Sir John Sydenham; Vere died unmarried; and Catharine married Mr. Secretary Johnson. By his second wife Anne, daughter of Sir Thomas Brown, he had two other sons, Amias and Charles; and four daughters, Ann, Florence, Mary,

Mary, who all died young; and Margaret, married to Francis Fulford, Esq. His Lordship dying in 1665, was succeeded by

(3d Lord.) JOHN, his eldest son, who married first Effex, daughter of Alexander Popham, Esq. by whom he had two daughters; Catharine, married to William, Lord Lempster; and Letitia to Sir William Monson: And by his second wife Susan, daughter of Philip, the fifth Earl of Pembroke, he had

(1st Earl.) JOHN his heir, who in 1706, was created Viscount of Hinton St. George, and Earl Poulett. He married Bridget, daughter of Peregrine Bertie, uncle to Robert, Duke of Ancafter, and had four sons and four daughters, Bridget. —Catharine.—Susan, born 1714.—Rebecca, born April 9, 1716, died unmarried March 4, 1765. Bridget, born March 1, 1702, married May 21, 1724, to Polexfen Bastard, of Kittley in Devonshire, Esq. and dying 1773, had issue, William, Edmund, and Baldwin Polexfen. Catharine, born March 23, 1706, married June 26, 1725, to John Parker, Esq. of Saltram in Devonshire, died August 16, 1758, and had issue Henrietta, who married to Captain Redmond Kelley; Catharine, and Bridget; and John, who married first to Miss Hart, and secondly to Theresa, daughter of Lord Grantham; and Montague.—The sons were, John who was called up by writ, Jan. 17, 1734.—Peregrine, died in October 1752.—Vere, now Earl Poulett.—Anne. His Lordship dying May 28, 1743, was succeeded by his son

(2d Earl.) JOHN, who died Nov. 3, 1764, unmarried, and was succeeded by

(3d Earl.) VERE, his brother.

CREATIONS.] Baron, June 23, 1627; Viscount and Earl, Dec. 24, 1706.

ARMS.] *Sable*, three swords in pile, their points in base, *argent*; pomels and hilts, *or*. [*Plate XII.*]

CREST.] On a wreath, an arm embowed, and brandishing a broad sword, all *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a savage man; on the sinister, a woman, both *proper*, wreathed about their temples and loins with ivy, *vert*.

MOTTO.] *Gardez la Foy*, Keep the Faith.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Hinton St. George, in Somersetsire; and Twickenham in Middlesex.

CHOLMONDELEY, EARL OF CHOLMONDELEY:

THE Right Honourable GEORGE-JAMES CHOLMONDELEY, Earl of CHOLMONDELEY, Viscount Malpas and Viscount Cholmondeley of Namptwich, Baron of Newburgh, and also Viscount CHOLMONDELEY of Kells, and Baron Newburgh in Ireland.

An account of this noble family is given in the Peerage of Ireland, under the title of *Viscount CHOLMONDELEY*.

HARLEY, EARL OF OXFORD AND MORTIMER.

THE Right Hon. EDWARD HARLEY, Earl of OXFORD and Earl MORTIMER, and Baron Harley of Wigmore, was born Sept. 2, 1726, succeeded his father Edward, April 11, 1755; and married July 11, 1751, Susannah, daughter of William Archer, of Welford in Berkshire, Esq.

The family of Harley took its surname from the Lordship of Harley, in the county of Salop, where it flourished in the earliest ages.

Sir JOHN de Harley possessed of Harley Castle and Manor, married Alice, daughter of Sir Titus de Leighton, by Letitia his wife, niece to William de Valence, Earl of Pembroke, and had issue

GEOFFREY de Harley, who lived in the reign of King Henry VI. and by Julian, daughter of Sir John Burley, Knt. of the Garter, had

Sir JOHN his heir, who was the ancestor of

ROBERT, who at the coronation of King Charles I. was made Knight of the Bath. He married first Anne, daughter of Charles Barret, Esq. secondly Mary, daughter of Sir Francis Newport, by neither of whom he had any surviving issue; but by his third wife Brilliana, daughter of Edward, Viscount Conway, he had three sons and four daughters. The sons were, Sir Edward, Sir Robert, and Thomas.

Sir EDWARD, the eldest, born 1624, married first June 26, 1654, Mary, daughter of Sir William Button, of Parkgate in Devonshire, by whom he had four daughters; Brilliana, married to Alexander Popham, Esq. of Tewkesbury in Gloucestershire; Martha, to Mr. Samuel Hutchins, Merchant in London; and two Marys, who died young. He married secondly

condly Abigail, daughter of Nathaniel Stevens, Esq. of Edfington in Gloucestershire, and had four sons, and a daughter born 1664, of her name, who died unmarried Oct. 4, 1726. And of the sons, which were Robert, Edward, Nathaniel, and Brian; the latter died young; Nathaniel, born 1665, was bred a merchant, and died at Aleppo in Jan. 1720; Edward, the second son, born June 7, 1664, died Aug. 30, 1735. He married Sarah, third daughter of Thomas Foley, Esq. sister to his brother's lady, by whom he had Edward, 3d Earl of Oxford.—Robert, who died an infant.—Robert, who died unmarried, March 14, 1774. — Abigail, who died 1760, married to John Verney, Esq. father of the present Lord Willoughby de Broke.

(1st Earl.) ROBERT, the eldest son of Sir Edward, born Dec. 3. 1661, who in December, 1700, succeeded his father, was May 1711, created Earl of Oxford and Mortimer. By his second wife Sarah, daughter of Thomas Middleton, Esq. he had no issue; but by his first, who was Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Thomas Foley, Esq. sister to Thomas, first Lord Foley, he had Edward his heir, and two daughters; Elizabeth, married Dec. 15, 1712, Peregrine-Hyde Osborne, late Duke of Leeds, by whom he had the present Duke, of whom she died in child-bed; and Abigail to George Hay, Earl of Kinnoule, and died July 15, 1750, leaving issue. Their father dying on the 21st of May 1724, in the 64th year of his age, was succeeded by

(2d Earl.) EDWARD, his only son, who married October 31, 1713, Henrietta Cavendish Holles, only daughter and heir to John, Duke of Newcastle, and by her, who died Dec. 8, 1755, he had issue only one daughter, Margaret Cavendish, born Feb. 11, 1714, and married 1734, William, Duke of Portland, and died Dec. 8, 1755. His Lordship dying in June, 1741, without issue male, was succeeded in his honours (according to the limitation of the patent) by his cousin Edward Harley, Esq. eldest son of Edward Harley before-mentioned.

(3d Earl.) EDWARD, the late Earl, married in March, 1725, Martha, eldest daughter of John Morgan of Tredegar in Monmouthshire, by whom, who died Jan. 4, 1774, he had Edward, the present Earl.—Robert, born Sept. 10, 1727, died unmarried Jan. 12, 1760.—John, D. D. present Dean of Windsor, born Sept. 29, 1728, married Roach, daughter of Gwynne Vaughan, Esq. of Trebarry in Radnorshire, by whom he has issue, Edward, born Feb. 20, 1773; John, born Dec. 31, 1774; and two daughters, Frances and Martha.—Thomas, Alderman of London, born August 24,

1730, married March 15, 1752, Anne, daughter of Edward Bangham, Esq. by whom he has had issue, 1. Thomas, born 1758, and died Jan. 17, 1763; 2. Edward, born 1762, who died July 11, 1768; 3. Henrietta, born 1755, who died July 4, 1759; 4. Martha, born May 1, 1757, married April 10, 1781, Captain Rodney in the Guards, son of Admiral Lord George Rodney, by whom he has issue two sons; 5. Anne, born May 13, 1759, married Feb. 10, 1780, George Drummond, Esq. and has issue a son born Sept. 15, 1782; 6. Sarah, born Oct. 19, 1760; 7. Elizabeth, born April 1763; 8. Margaret, born July 4, 1765. — William, born May 30, 1733, who took Holy Orders, and died Prebend of Worcester, July 8, 1769. — Sarah, born 1731, died 1737. — Martha, born Nov. 23, 1736, married April 20, 1764, Charles Milborne, Esq. of the Priory near Abergavenny in Monmouthshire, Esq. His Lordship dying April 11, 1755, was succeeded by his eldest son

(4th Earl.) EDWARD, now Earl of Oxford.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron Harley of Wigmore, in the county of Hereford, Earl of the city of Oxford, and Earl Mortimer, May 24, 1711, the 10th of Queen Anne.

ARMS.] Or, a bend cottised, *sable*. [Plate XII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a castle, *argent*, tripple towered, with a demi-lion rampant, *gules*, issuing out of the battlements of the middle tower.

SUPPORTERS.] Two angels, *proper*, the habit and wings displayed, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Virtute & Fide*. By Virtue and Faith.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Eyewood and Brampton-Brian-Castle, in the county of Hereford.

SHIRLEY, EARL FERRERS.

THE Right Hon. ROBERT SHIRLEY, Earl FERRERS Viscount Tamworth, and Baronet, succeeded his brother Washington, Oct. 1, 1778. He was born July 10, 1723; married Catharine, daughter of Rowland Cotton, of Etwall, in Derbyshire, Esq. by whom he has issue, Robert, Viscount Tamworth, born Sept. 25, 1756, who is married and has issue — Lawrence Rowland, born 1757, died in 1772 — Washington, an officer in the second regiment of Foot Guards, born Nov. 13, 1760, married Sept. 9, 1781, Miss Ward, a relation of Lord Ward.

The family of Shirley is descended from

SEWALLIS, whose residence, at the time of the Conquest, was at Ettington in the county of Warwick. He was the ancestor of

RALPH Shirley, who by Margaret, sister and heir to Thomas Stanton, of Stanton-Harold, in the county of Leicester, had a son John, who in his mother's right became possessed of Stanton-Harold. He married Eleanor, daughter of Sir Hugh Willoughby, and had six sons, of which

Sir RALPH Shirley married four wives; by the first and third he had no issue. By Elizabeth, his second, daughter of Thomas Walsh, Esq. he had an only daughter Anne, married to Sir Thomas Pulteney. By Joan, his fourth wife, daughter of Sir Robert Sheffield, he had

FRANCIS, his heir, who marrying Dorothy, daughter of Sir John Gifford, relict of John Congreve, Esq. had three sons, John, Edward, and Ralph; and three daughters; Cassandra, married to Walter Powtrel, Esq. Elizabeth, to Thomas Cotton, Esq. and Anne, to John Brooke, Esq. and

JOHN, their eldest brother, died before his father, leaving issue by Jane, daughter of Thomas Lovet, Esq.

(1st Bart.) GEORGE, who succeeded his grandfather, and 9 James I. was created a Baronet. He married first Frances, daughter of Henry the 7th Lord Berkeley. Secondly, Dorothy, daughter of Thomas Wroughton, Esq. relict of Sir Henry Unton, by whom he had no issue. By his first wife he had four sons; and a daughter Mary, who died unmarried; the two eldest sons, John and George, died young; Sir Thomas, the youngest, who was knighted May 22, 1622, married Mary, daughter of Thomas Harpur, Esq. And their father dying April 27, 1622, was succeeded by his third but eldest surviving son

(2d Bart.) Sir HENRY, who marrying Dorothy, daughter of Robert Devereux, Earl of Essex, favourite of Queen Elizabeth, they from that marriage have since quartered the royal arms of England, being thereby descended from Anne Plantagenet, daughter of Thomas of Woodstock, Duke of Gloucester, and sister and coheir to Humphry Plantagenet, Earl of Buckingham, who died unmarried. By the said Dorothy, who afterwards married William Stafford, Esq. he had two sons, Charles and Robert; and a daughter Lettice, who married to Col. William Bourk, the 8th Earl of Clanrickarde.

(3d Bart.) Sir CHARLES, the eldest son, succeeded his father, but he dying unmarried,

(4th Bart.) Sir ROBERT, his brother, became heir. He married Catharine, daughter of Humphrey Okeover, Esq.

and had three sons, Sewallis, who died an infant; Sir Seymour, his successor; and Robert; and two daughters, Dorothy, married to George Vernon, Esq. and Catharine first to Peter Venables, Esq. commonly called Baron of Kington, and was mother of Anne, late Countess of Abingdon, and of Catharine, wife to Robert Shirley, Esq. of whom hereafter.

(5th Bart.) Sir SEYMOUR, who succeeded his father, married Diana, daughter of Robert Bruce, Earl of Ailesbury, and by her, who afterwards married John, Duke of Rutland, had a son; but he dying young soon after his father, the honour descended to his uncle

(1st Earl.) ROBERT, who on the 14th of December, 1677, 29 Car. II. was summoned to Parliament by the title of Lord Ferrers of Chartley, as grandson and heir to Dorothy, sister and coheir to Robert Devereux, Earl of Essex, and Baron Ferrers of Chartley; he was 10 of Anne, advanced to the dignity of Viscount Tamworth, and Earl Ferrers. He married first Elizabeth, daughter and heir to Lawrence Washington, Esq. of Wilts; by whom, who died Oct. 2, 1693, he had ten sons, and seven daughters; and by his second, who was Selina, daughter of George Finch, Esq. he had five sons; Robert, born May 27, 1700, died in July 1738, unmarried.—George, who died an infant.—George, born in 1705, married Mary, sister to Humphry Sturt, Esq. member for the county of Dorset, by whom he has issue, George, Evelyn, Selina, and Margaret, who married in 1782, John Smith of Comb-hay, in Somerset, Esq.—Sewallis, born in 1709, and died October 31, 1765, having married the Countess Dowager of Orford, Baroness Clinton and Say, but had no issue.—John, born in 1712, died 1768: And five daughters; Selina, married to Peter Bathurst, Esq. uncle of the present Earl Bathurst, and died 1777, leaving issue 15 sons and daughters.—Mary, to Charles Tryon, Esq. of Northamptonshire.—Anne, married May 17, 1729, Sir Robert Furness, and died Feb. 26, 1779.—Frances, who died 1778.—Stuarta, who died in 1768. Of the daughters by the first wife, which were Elizabeth, Catharine, Elizabeth, Anne-Eleanora, Catharine, Dorothy, and Barbara; the two eldest died in their infancy; the third married Walter Clarges, Esq.—Dorothy, married John Cotes, Esq. of Woodcote, in Shropshire.—Anne-Eleanora, died in May, 1754.—Catharine died unmarried October 1736. The sons by the first wife were, Robert.—Washington, second Earl.—Charles, who died an infant.—Lewis died unmarried,—George died young, as did Charles.

Charles.—Ferrers died unmarried.—Walter died young.—Henry, third Earl.—Lawrence.

ROBERT, the eldest, born 1673, married first Catharine, daughter of Peter Venables, Baron of Kinderton, who dying, he, 1688, took to his second wife Anne, daughter of Sir Humphry Ferrers, of Tamworth-Castle, who died Sept. 27; 1697; and his Lordship dying on the 25th of Feb. 1699, left three sons, and a daughter Elizabeth, who in 1716, married James, fifth Earl of Northampton, and by him had a daughter, Charlotte, who in 1751, married the present Viscount Townsend, being in right of her mother Baroness Ferrers; and on her death, 1770, her son became Baron Ferrers, of Chartley. The sons were Robert, Viscount Tamworth, who died in July 1714; Ferrers, and Thomas; none of them surviving their grandfather, who died Dec. 25, 1717,

(2d Earl.) WASHINGTON, their uncle, who was born June 22, 1677, succeeded to the title of Earl Ferrers. He married Mary, daughter of Sir Richard Levinz, Bart. by whom, who died 1740, he had issue three daughters his coheirs; whereof Elizabeth, on the 24th of June, 1725, married Joseph Gascoigne Nightingale, Esq. but died in August 1731, leaving issue, Washington, who died unmarried 1754; and Elizabeth, who married Wilmot Vaughan, present Earl of Lisburne of Ireland, and died May 19, 1755, leaving issue.—Selina, married June 3, 1728, Theophilus Hastings, Earl of Huntingdon, by whom she had issue.—Mary, on the 29th of June, 1730, married Thomas Needham, Viscount Kilmorey, and died without issue. Their father dying without issue male, April 14, 1729, was succeeded by

(3d Earl.) HENRY, his next surviving brother, who was born April 14, 1691, and dying in August 1745, unmarried, was succeeded by his nephew Laurence, the son of his younger brother.

LAURENCE, born Sept. 26, 1693, who married Anne, fourth daughter of Sir Walter Clarges, Bart. by whom, who died 1782, he had issue Laurence, the 4th Earl.—Washington, the late Earl; Robert, the present Earl.—Walter, born September 28, 1725, now in Holy Orders, is married and has issue five children.—Thomas, born 1733, married March 30, 1773, the widow of Sir Stephen Anderson.—John, who died young.—Elizabeth.—Anne, who died unmarried May 18, 1754.

(4th Earl.) LAURENCE, who succeeded his uncle, was born August 1720, and married September 16, 1752, Mary, daughter of Amos Meredith, Esq. sister to the present Sir
William

William Meredith, Bart. from whom he was separated by act of Parliament, and after his Lordship's death married secondly, March 28, 1769, Lord Frederick Campbell, brother to the present Duke of Argyl, by whom she has issue. His Lordship, in a fit of passion, having shot Mr. Johnson, his steward, in Jan. 1760, in April following was tried by his Peers in Westminster-Hall, and found guilty of wilful murder, for which crime he was on the 5th of May, the same year, hanged at Tyburn. Upon the death of this Lord, who had no issue, the title and estate descended to his next brother,

(5th Earl.) WASHINGTON, the late Earl, who was born May 26, 1722, an Admiral in the Royal Navy, who married Miss Ann Elliot of Plymouth; and dying without issue, Oct. 1, 1778, was succeeded by his brother

(6th Earl.) ROBERT, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Created Baronet May 22, 1611, 9 Jac. I. Viscount Tamworth in the county of Stafford, and Earl Ferrers, Sept. 3, 1711, the 10th of Queen Anne.

ARMS.] Paly of six, *or* and *azure*; a canton, *ermine*. [Plate XII.]

CREST.] On a wreath; the bust of a Saracen side-faced and coupéd, *proper*; wreathed about the temples, *or* and *azure*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a talbot, *ermine*, his ears, *or*, and his ducal collar, *gules*; on the sinister a reindeer, of the last, attired, *argent*; gorged with a ducal coronet of the third, billeted, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Honor virtutis præmium*. Honour is the Reward of Virtue.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Stanton-Harold, in Leicestershire; at Astwell, in Northamptonshire; and at Chartley-Castle, in Staffordshire.

WENTWORTH, EARL OF STRAFFORD.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM WENTWORTH, Earl of STRAFFORD, Viscount Wentworth, of Wentworth-Woodhouse, Baron of Stainborough, Raby, Newmarsh, and Oversley, and Baronet; succeeded his father Thomas, the late Earl, in Nov. 1739; and married April 28, 1741, Anne Campbell, second daughter of John, late Duke of Argyl and Greenwich, by whom he has no issue.

The name of Wentworth is of Saxon original, and taken from the Lordship of Wentworth in the county of York, where at the time of the Conquest, lived Reginald de Winteworde, as it is spelt in Domesday-Book.

ROBERT de Wentworth, in the reign of King Henry III. married Emma, daughter of William Woodhouse, of Woodhouse in that county, (which seat afterwards, by the name of Wentworth Woodhouse, became their chief residence) from him descended

WILLIAM, whose wife was Isabel, daughter and coheir to William Pollington, Esq. and by her had two sons, William and John. William the eldest, was ancestor of

(1st Bart.) WILLIAM, who 9 James I. was created a Baronet, and died in 1614. He married Anne, daughter of Sir Robert Atkins, and by her, who died in 1611, had eight sons and three daughters; Anne was married to Sir George Savile. — Margaret to Sir Richard Hutton. — Elizabeth to the 3d Earl of Roscommon. The sons were, John, who died young. — Thomas. — William. — Robert. — Michael. — Matthew. — Philip. — Sir George.

(2d Bart. and 1st Earl.) THOMAS, the eldest surviving son, succeeded his father. On the 22d of July, 4 Car. I. he was created Baron Wentworth of Wentworth-Woodhouse; and on the 10th of December following, Viscount Wentworth, and 15 Car. I. he was created Baron Raby, and Earl of Strafford, and suffered on Tower-Hill the 12th of May, 1641. He married first Margaret, daughter of Francis Clifford, Earl of Cumberland, by whom he had no issue; 2dly, Arabella, daughter of John Holles, Earl of Clare, by whom he had a son William, and two daughters; Anne, married to Edward Watson the 2d Lord Rockingham; and Arabella, to Justin Macarty, son of the Earl of Clancarty; and his third wife was Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Godfrey Rhodes.

(2d Earl.) WILLIAM his son, born June 8, 1626, was on the 1st of December 1665, restored to all his father's honours. He married first Henrietta-Mary Stanley, daughter of James, Earl of Derby; his second wife was Henrietta de Roye de la Rochefoucauld, (which Lady died Nov. 11, 1732) and dying October 16, 1695, without issue, all the honours expired, except the Barony of Raby, which Thomas, Earl of Strafford had taken out with limitation, in failure of heirs male to his younger brothers; and the estate went to the Rockingham family. In the preamble to this patent, it is said this family was lineally descended from John of Gaunt, and from the ancient Barons of Newmarch and Oversley, &c. and

and had matched with many of the principal noble families in the realm.

WILLIAM Wentworth, who married Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas, Savile, Esq. and by her had Sir William his heir, and Thomas who died young; also Anne, married to Edward Skinner, Esq.

Sir WILLIAM the eldest son, married Isabella, daughter of Sir Allen Apsley; Knt. by whom (who died July 31, 1733) he had five sons and six daughters; and died in July, 1693. Of the daughters, Elizabeth died young.—Frances-Arabella married Walter, Lord Bellew.—Anne married to James Donolan, Esq. of Ireland, and died in Aug. 1735.—Isabella married Francis Arundel, Esq. of Northamptonshire.—Mary died young.—Elizabeth the youngest, married John, Lord Arundel of Trevice in Cornwall, and died without issue. The sons were William, Thomas, Peter, Paul, and Allen; the latter was killed October 23, 1702, at the siege of Liège.—Paul was killed at the siege of Namur in 1695.—William the eldest, died in Flanders in 1693, unmarried.—Peter, 3d son, married Juliana, only daughter of Thomas Hoard, Esq. of Oxfordshire, and had eleven children, all of whom died young, or unmarried, except Henrietta, married to Thomas, son of Francis Arundel, Esq. above mentioned.—and William; born March 1700, who married October 23, 1731, Susanna, daughter of John Slaughter, Esq. of Gloucestershire, by whom he has issue Frederick-Thomas, the present heir to the title.—George.—Caroline, who died in 1762.—Augusta.—Anne married John Hatfield Kaye, of Yorkshire, Esq.

(3d Earl.) THOMAS, second but eldest surviving son of Sir William, on the death of William, Earl of Strafford, his cousin, inherited the Barony of Raby, by reason of its limitation, and on Sept. 4, 1711, was created Baron of Stainborough, Viscount Wentworth of Wentworth-Woodhouse, and Earl of Strafford, with remainder to his brother Peter Wentworth, Esq. and his issue male. On Sept. 6, 1711, he married Anne, daughter of Sir Henry Johnson, Knt. cousin to the present Duke of Northumberland, and by her, who died Sept. 19, 1754, he had one son, and three daughters, viz. William the present Earl.—Anne, who in April, 1733, married William Conolly, Esq. and has issue.—Lucy married in 1748, to General George Howard, and died April 27, 1771, leaving issue a daughter.—Harriot married in December 1743, to Henry Vernon, Esq. and died May, 1765,

leaving issue three sons and five daughters. His Lordship dying in November 1739, was succeeded by

(4th Earl.) WILLIAM, now Earl of Strafford.

CREATIONS.] Baron Raby, Jan. 12, 1640; Viscount and Earl, Sept. 4, 1711.

ARMS.] *Sable*, a chevron between three leopards heads, *or*. [Plate XII.]

CREST] On a wreath a gryphon passant, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a gryphon, *argent*; on the sinister, a lion, *or*.

MOTTO.] *En Dieu est tout*. In God is every Thing

CHIEF SEATS.] At Wentworth-Castle in Yorkshire; at Boughton in the county of Northampton; and at Twickenham in Middlesex.

LEGGÉ, EARL OF DARTMOUTH.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM LEGGÉ, Earl and Baron of DARTMOUTH, Viscount Lewisham, born 1725, succeeded William, the late Earl, his grandfather, Dec. 15, 1750, and married Jan. 11, 1755, Frances-Catharine, sole daughter and heir to the late Sir Charles Gounter-Nicholl, Knight of the Bath, by whom he has issue, George, Lord Viscount Lewisham, born Oct. 3, 1755, married Sept. 24, 1782, Frances, sister to the Earl of Aylesford.—William, born Feb. 4, 1757.—Charles-Gunter, born May 18, 1759.—Heneage, born May 7, 1761, died in 1782, unmarried.—Henry, born Jan. 23, 1765.—Arthur, born Oct. 25, 1766.—Edward, born Dec. 18, 1767.—Augustus, born April 21, 1773.—Charlotte, born Oct. 5, 1774.

Of this family, which were long seated at Legges-Place, near Tunbridge in Kent, was

THOMAS LEGGÉ, who was Lord Mayor of London in 1346 and 1353. From him descended

WILLIAM LEGGÉ, who married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir William Washington, and had three sons and two daughters; Mary married Sir Henry Goodricke; and Susanna to Thomas Bilson, of Maple-Durham, in Hampshire, Esq. and had issue Leonard Bilson, Esq. and Thomas; the latter of whom died by a fall from his horse, and the former died in 1715, and left his whole estate to Thomas Bettesworth, Esq. who took the name of Bilson, and in failure of heirs male to Henry Leggé, Esq. 4th son of William, Earl of Dartmouth.

mouth, taking the name of Bilson, who succeeded to the said estate by the death of the said Thomas Bettsworth, Esq.

(1st Lord.) GEORGE the eldest, succeeding his father, was in 1682, created Baron of Dartmouth. He married Barbara, daughter of Sir Henry Archbold, and had William his heir, and seven daughters; Mary married to Philip, eldest son of Sir Christopher Musgrave, and after his decease to John Crawford, Esq. and died Feb 25, 1753; Elizabeth, Barbara, Susanna, and Anne, the fifth and sixth, died infants. His Lordship died 1691, and was succeeded by his son

(1st Earl.) WILLIAM, born Oct. 14, 1672, succeeded his father, and was created, Sept. 5, 1711, Earl of Dartmouth. He married in July 1700, Anne, daughter of Heneage, Earl of Aylesford; and by her, who died Nov. 30, 1751, had six sons; George.—Heneage, born in 1704, married June 1740, Catharine, daughter of Mr. Jonathan Fogg, who died Aug. 29, 1759, and his Lady in November following, having had issue, Heneage, born Jan. 7, 1746-7, who married in June 1768, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Philip Musgrove, Bart. of Kempton Park in Middlesex. 2. Catharine, born July 17. 1741. 3. Anne, born Oct. 8, 1742, who died July 30, 1752.—William, born Aug. 1. 1705, died an infant.—Henry Bilson, born March 29, 1708, married Sept. 3, 1750, to Mary, only daughter and heir to Edward, Lord Stawell, and died Aug. 23, 1764, leaving issue one son, Henry; and his Lady married secondly in Sept. 1768, Wills Hill, Earl of Hillsborough, and was created Baroness Stawell, May 19, 1760, with limitation to her son Henry by her first marriage as above, and on her decease, Aug. 6, 1780, her son succeeded to the honours, and is the present Baron Stawell.—Edward, born in 1710, died Commodore of a Squadron in the West Indies in 1747.—Robert died in his minority. His Lordship had also two daughters, Barbara, born Oct. 3, 1701, married July 27, 1724, Sir Walter Bagot, Bart. of Staffordshire; by whom she had issue the present Lord Bagot, and eight other children.—Anne, married in Oct. 1739, to Sir Lister Holte, Bart. of Warwickshire.

GEORGE, Viscount Lewisham, died August 29, 1732. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Arthur Kaye, Bart. of Yorkshire, and by her, who after his decease married Francis, now Earl of Guildford, had a daughter that was still-born; a son Arthur, who died Oct. 6, 1729; Elizabeth; and Anne, married on Nov. 23, 1760, to James Brudenell, now Lord Brudenell, brother to the Duke of Montigu; and

(2d Earl) WILLIAM the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron of Dartmouth, in the county of Devon, Dec. 2, 1682, 34 Car. II. Viscount Lewisham in the county of Kent, and Earl of Dartmouth, Sept. 5, 1711, the 10th of Queen Anne.

ARMS.] *Azure*, a buck's head caboshed, *argent*. [Plate XIII.]

CREST.] In a ducal coronet, *or*, a plume of five ostrich feathers, party-per-pale, *argent* and *azure*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a lion, *argent*, semee of fleurs-de-lis, *sable*, crowned as the crest. On the sinister, a buck, *argent*, semee of mullets, *gules*.

MOTTO.] *Gaudet tentamine virtus*. Virtue rejoiceth in Trial.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Sandwell-Hall in Staffordshire; and at Black-Heath in Kent.

BENNET, EARL OF TANKERVILLE.

THE Right Honourable CHARLES BENNET, Earl of TANKERVILLE, Baron of Ofsulston, born Nov. 15, 1743, succeeded his father Charles, the late Earl, Oct. 27, 1767. His Lordship married Oct. 7, 1771, Emma, daughter and co-heir to the late Sir James Colebrook, Bart. by whom he has Caroline, born October 2, 1772.—Anne, born August 8, 1773.—Charles-Augustus, Lord Ofsulston, born April 28, 1776.—Henry, born Dec. 5, 1777.—John Astley, born Dec. 22, 1778.—Emma, born May 15, 1774.—Another daughter born June, 1780.

Of this family, which were anciently seated at Clopcot, near Wallingford, Berks, was

THOMAS Bennet, Esq. who had issue by Anne Molines, Richard his heir; and Sir Thomas, who was Lord Mayor of London in 1603, and married Mary, daughter of Robert Taylor, Esq. and had three sons, Simon, Richard, and John, and two daughters; Anne, married to William Duncombe, Esq. and Margaret to Sir George Crook. Simon, the eldest son, was created a Baronet July 17, 1627; he married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Arthur Ingram. Richard, 2d son, married Elizabeth, daughter of William Cradock, Esq. and by her, who after his decease married Sir Heneage Finch, had Simon Bennet, Esq. who marrying Gratiola, daughter of Gilbert Morewood, had three daughters his coheirs; Elizabeth married to Edward Osborn, Lord Latimer; Grace to John Bennet, Esq. and Frances to the 3d Earl of Salisbury.

RICHARD,

RICHARD, eldest son of Thomas, married Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Tisdale, Esq. and had four sons; Ralph, his heir.—Sir John, ancestor of the Earl of Tankerville.—Thomas.—Walter.

Sir John, the second son, died in 1627, having married Anne, daughter of Christopher Weeks, Esq. and had three sons, Sir John, Sir Thomas, and Matthew. Sir Thomas married first Charlotte, daughter of William Harrison, and had two daughters, who died unmarried; secondly Thomasine, daughter and coheir to George Dethick, Esq. and had a son Thomas, who married Martha, daughter of John Smith, of Tidworth, Esq. Matthew, third son of Sir John, died unmarried.

Sir JOHN the eldest succeeded his father. He married Dorothy, daughter of Sir John Crofts, and had six sons and two daughters; Dorothy married to Benjamin Bacon; and Elizabeth married to Sir Robert Carr. The sons were John, Henry, Robert, Charles, Thomas, and Edward; the second, in 1672, was created Earl of ARLINGTON, but died without issue male, leaving only one daughter, Isabella, Countess of Arlington in her own right; Charles, the third, married Anne, daughter of Richard Wigmore, Esq. and had a son and two daughters. Robert, Thomas, and Edward died without issue.

(1st Lord.) JOHN the eldest, was created Baron of Ossulston, and died in 1688. He married first Elizabeth, Countess of Mulgrave, but by her had no issue; secondly Bridget, daughter of John Howe, Esq. by whom he had Charles his heir; and Annabella, married to the sixth Earl of Exeter.

(1st Earl.) CHARLES, who succeeded, was created Earl of Tankerville in July, 1695. He married Mary, only daughter of Ford, Lord Grey of Wark, and Earl of Tankerville, and dying on the 21st of May, 1722, left issue four sons and three daughters; Bridget, Mary, and Annabella, of whom the latter married to William Poulett, Esq. and died in Nov. 1769.—Mary, to William Wilmer, Esq.—Bridget, to John, Earl of Portsmouth. The sons were Charles, John, Henry, and Grey; the youngest died Nov. 19, 1724; the second died an infant; and the third died also unmarried; but

(2d Earl.) CHARLES, the eldest, succeeded his father; and marrying Camilla, daughter of Edward Colville, Esq. who died October 8, 1775, aged 105, had issue two sons and one daughter; viz. Charles, the late Earl.—Camilla, married January 14, 1754, to Gilbert Fane Fleming, Esq. son of Gilbert Fleming Esq. by whom she was left a widow, and on Oct. 6, 1779, married secondly, Mr. Wake, Apothecary,

at Bath.—George, born in 1727. His Lordship dying March 14, 1753, was succeeded by his eldest son

(3d Earl.) CHARLES, who married on the 23d of September, 1742, Alicia, third daughter and coheir to Sir John Astley, Bart. of Staffordshire; and by her, who died Oct. 8, 1775, had Charles now Earl.—John Grey, born 1751, who died in the second year of his age.—Camilla-Elizabeth, born March 22, 1746-7, married in 1764 Count Donhoff, a Polish Nobleman, related to the present King of Poland, but was left a widow Sept. 4, 1764.—Frances-Alicia, born Jan. 8, 1749; married William Aflong, Esq. by whom she was left a widow with one daughter, who died Dec. 1780. She married secondly, March 25 1781, the Rev. Mr. Richard Sandys.—Henry Astley, born, April 3, 1757, now in the army. His Lordship deceasing Oct. 27, 1767, was succeeded by his son

(4th Earl.) CHARLES, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Baron Ossulston, in Middlesex, Nov. 24, 1682; and Earl Tankerville, a castle in Normandy, Oct. 19, 1714.

ARMS.] *Gules*, a bezant between three demi-lions rampant, *argent*. [Plate XIII.]

CREST.] On a wreath a scaling ladder, *or*, but sometimes a demi-lion rampant, *argent*, holding in his paws a bezant; and sometimes out of a mural coronet, *or*, a lion's head, *argent*, charged with a bezant on his neck.

SUPPORTERS.] Two lions, *argent*, each charged on his shoulder with a bezant, and crowned ducally, *or*.

MOTTO.] *De bon vouloir servir le roy*. To serve the King with good Will.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Chillingham-castle in Northumberland.

FINCH, EARL OF AYLESFORD.

THE Right Honourable HENEAGE FINCH, Earl of AYLESFORD, and Baron Guernsey, born July 15, 1751, succeeded his father, the late Earl, May 9, 1777, married Dec. 3, 1781, Louisa, eldest daughter of Viscount Weymouth, by whom he had a dead born child Oct. 25, 1782.

The descent of this family is under the title of Earl of Winchelsea.

(1st Earl.) HENEAGE FINCH, second son of Heneage the first Earl of Nottingham, was created Lord Guernsey, and after-

afterwards Earl of Aylesford; but died July 22, 1719. He married Elizabeth, daughter and coheir to Sir John Banks of Aylesford, Bart. and by her, who died in September 1743, had three sons and six daughters; Elizabeth married to Robert, Lord Bingley, and died Feb. 26, 1757.—Mary, who died unmarried in Feb. 1735.—Anne married to William Legge, Earl of Dartmouth, and died Nov. 30, 1751.—Martha died March 1760.—Frances married to Sir John Bland, and died 1759.—Effex, deceased young. The sons were Heneage, Lord Guernsey.—John married Elizabeth, daughter of John Savile, Esq. and died Jan. 1, 1740, leaving a son Henry-Saville, who married Judith, daughter of John Fullerton, of Dorsetshire Esq. and a daughter Mary.—Henry, who died July 15, 1757, unmarried.

(2d Earl.) HENEAGE succeeded his father. He married Mary, daughter of Sir Clement Fisher, Bart. and by her, who died at Bath in May 1740, had issue; Heneage the late Earl.—Anne, born Oct. 17, 1713.—Mary, born March 1, 1716, married Nov. 1736, William Howard, Viscount Andover, son of the Earl of Suffolk, and died in 1767, having had issue. (See Suffolk).—Elizabeth, born Nov. 28, 1717.—Frances, born Feb. 4, 1720, married April 2 1741, Sir William Courtenay, Bart. of Powderham Castle in Devonshire, afterwards created Viscount Courtenay, by whom she had issue the present Viscount Courtenay, and several daughters, and died Dec. 19, 1761.—Jane, born 1721, died 1726. His Lordship dying June 26, 1757, was succeeded by his only son

(3d Earl.) HENEAGE, the late Earl, born Nov. 1715, married Oct. 6, 1750, Charlotte Seymour, youngest daughter of Charles, Duke of Somerset, by whom he had issue, Heneage, the present Earl, born July 15, 1751.—Charles, born June 4, 1752, married Dec. 28, 1778, Jane, eldest daughter and coheirefs of Watkin Wynne, Esq. of Denbighshire, by whom he has a son born Feb. 1780.—William-Clement, born May 27, 1753, a Captain in the Navy.—Charlotte, born May 13, 1754, married Aug. 14, 1777, the late Earl of Suffolk and Berkshire.—John, born May 22, 1755, killed in America, June 29, 1777.—Edward, born April 26, 1756.—Daniel, born April 3, 1757.—Seymour, born June 11, 1758, an Officer in the Navy.—Henry-Allington, born Feb. 26, 1761, and died Nov. 19, 1780.—Frances, born Feb. 9, 1761, married Sept. 24, 1782, Lord Viscount Lewisham.—Maria-Elizabeth, born Oct. 7, 1766.—Henrietta-Constantia, born June 3, 1769. His Lordship deceasing May 5, 1777, was succeeded by his eldest son

(4th Earl.) HENEAGE, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron of the isle of Gurnsey, May 15, 1703, the first of Queen Anne; and Earl of Aylesford in the county of Kent, Oct. 26, 1714, 1 George I.

ARMS.] *Argent*; a chevron between three gryphons passant, *sable*; a crescent for difference.

CREST.] On a wreath, a gryphon passant, *sable*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a gryphon, *sable*, gorged with a ducal collar, *or*. On the sinister, a lion of the *second*, ducally gorged, *azure*.

MOTTO.] *Aperto vivere voto*. To live in open Faith.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Aylesford in Kent; at Albury in Surry; and at Packington in Warwickshire.

H E R V E Y, E A R L O F B R I S T O L.

THE Right Hon. and Right Rev. FREDERICK HERVEY, Earl of BRISTOL, Lord Hervey of Ickworth, Bishop of Derry in Ireland, born Aug. 1730, succeeded his brother Dec. 1779, married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Jermyn Davers, Bart. by whom he has issue, George the present Lord Ickworth.—Augustus-John.—Mary married Feb. 1776, John, Lord Erne, of Ireland.—Elizabeth married in 1776, John-Thomas Forster, Esq.

This family derive their descent from Robert Fitz Hervey, son of Hervey, Duke of Orleans, who came into England with William the Conqueror, and from him descended

THOMAS Hervey, who married Jane, daughter and heir to Henry Drury, of Ickworth in the county of Suffolk, and with her had that Manor; and by her, who married secondly Sir William Carew, had two sons,

JOHN his heir, who died without issue, and

WILLIAM, heir to his brother, who married Jane, daughter of John Cocket, of Ampton in Suffolk, and died the first of August, 1538, and was ancestor to

Sir WILLIAM Hervey, in 1630, who married Susan, daughter of Sir Robert Jermin, and had John his heir; William; Thomas; and four daughters; Judith married to James Reynolds, Esq. Mary to Sir Edward Gage; Susan to Sir Thomas Hanmer, Bart. and Kezia to Thomas Tyrill, Esq. He married secondly Penelope, daughter of Thomas, Lord D'Arcy of Chiche, and Earl Rivers, relict first of Sir George Trenchard, secondly of Sir John Gage.

JOHN,

JOHN, who succeeded, married Elizabeth, daughter of William, Lord Hervey, of Kidbrook, and dying without issue, Jan. 18, 1679,

Sir THOMAS, his youngest brother, (the second dying at Cambridge, Sept. 23, 1642) became his heir. He married Isabella, daughter of Sir Humphrey May, and had Isabella, married to Gervase Elwes; Elizabeth died Feb. 18, 1673; and Kezia married Aubrie Porter, Esq. Of the sons, which were William, John, and Thomas; William, eldest brother, dying June 14, 1663,

(1st Earl.) JOHN the second son, born Aug. 27, 1665, succeeded his father; and was, March 23, 1703, created Lord Hervey of Ickworth; and in the first of George I. was created Earl of Bristol. He married first Nov. 1, 1686, Isabella, daughter of Sir Robert Carr of Lincolnshire, and by her had one son and two daughters, viz. Carr, Lord Hervey, born Sept. 17, 1691, but died on the 14th of Nov. 1723, unmarried; Isabella, died in Nov. 1711, unmarried; Elizabeth, of whom her mother died in childbed, March 7, 1693, died an infant. His Lordship married secondly in 1695, Elizabeth, sole daughter and heir to Sir Thomas Felton of Suffolk, and by her, who died May 2, 1741, had issue, John, late Lord Hervey.—Thomas, born Jan. 20, 1698, died Jan. 20, 1775, having married in 1744, Miss Anne Loghlene, by whom he left issue one son, William-Thomas-Henry.—William, born Dec. 25, 1699, married Nov. 27, 1729, Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Ridge, Esq. of Portsmouth, by whom, who died July 13, 1730, he had issue a daughter Elizabeth.—Henry, D. D. born Jan. 5, 1701; March 2, 1730, he married Catharine, sister and heir to Sir Thomas Aston, Bart. whose surname he took pursuant to the will of Sir Thomas, and died Nov. 1748, leaving a son and three daughters; Henry-Hervey Aston, who married the daughter of Mr. Dicconson of Lancaster, and by her has a son. Of the three daughters, the youngest died Aug. 1776.—Charles, born April 5, 1703, twin with a sister Henrietta, who died young. He is D. D. and married Dec. 31, 1743, Miss Martha-Maria, daughter of Colonel Howard, of St. Edmund's Bury, in Suffolk, and died March 20, 1783.—A son, who died soon after he was born.—Humphrey, died young.—James-Porter, born June 24, 1706, deceased.—Felton, born 1710, who died an infant.—Felton, born Feb. 12, 1712, married Dorothy, daughter of Solomon Ashley, Esq. and widow of Charles Pitfield, Esq. by whom, who died Nov. 8, 1761, he had

had issue, Felton-Lionel-Hervey, a Lieutenant in the Horse-Guards, who married March 2, 1779, Selina, the only daughter and heir of the late Sir John Elwill, Bart. of Devonshire, and has issue; and three daughters, Emelia, Caroline, and Elizabeth.—James, born March 5, 1713, deceased.—Elizabeth, married May 8, 1724, to Buffy, Lord Mansell, and died without issue Dec. 3, 1727.—Anne, died unmarried, July 15, 1771.—Barbara, died July 24, 1727.—Louisa-Carolina-Isabella, married Sept. 23, 1731, to Sir Robert Smyth, Bart. of Westminster.—Henrietta, died in August 1732. His Lordship died in January 1751.

JOHN, the eldest son, born October 15, 1696, was called up to the House of Peers as Lord Hervey, 1733. He married Oct. 25, 1720, Mary, daughter of General Nicholas Le Pell, and had issue, George-William, the second Earl, born the 31st of Aug. 1721.—Le Pell, born in Jan. 1723, married the 26th of Feb. 1743, to Constantine, Lord Mulgrave, and died 1780.—Augustus-John, the late Earl.—Mary, born in 1726, married to George Fitzgerald, Esq. who died on May 1, 1762, leaving issue.—Frederick, the present Earl.—William, born the 13th of May 1732, a Colonel in the army, died 1778, unmarried.—Amelia-Carolina-Nassau.—Carolina. His late Majesty in 1753, was pleased to grant to the daughters of Lord Hervey, the same precedency as daughters of Earls of Great Britain. His Lordship dying in Aug. 1743, was succeeded in the title of Lord Hervey by his eldest son

(2d Earl.) GEORGE-WILLIAM, who also, in Jan. 1751, succeeded his grandfather as Earl of Bristol. And his Lordship deceasing unmarried March 20, 1775, was succeeded by his brother

(3d Earl.) AUGUSTUS-JOHN, the late Earl, born May 19, 1724, advanced to the dignity of Vice Admiral of the Blue of his Majesty's Navy, married privately Aug. 4, 1744, Elizabeth Chudleigh, who March 8, 1769, publickly married the late Duke of Kingston, during the life-time of her former husband, which marriage was by trial of her Peers proved and declared illegal April 22, 1776, and she retired to the Continent. The Earl her Lord died without issue, December 1779, and was succeeded by his next brother

(4th Earl.) FREDERICK, Bishop of Derry, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron Hervey of Ickworth, in the county of Suffolk, March 23, 1703, the 2d of Queen Anne; and Earl of the City of Bristol, Oct. 19, 1714, 1 George I.

ARMS] *Gules*, on a bend, *argent*, three trefoils slipped, *proper*. [Plate XIII.]

CREST.

CREST.] On a wreath, a leopard, passant, bezantée, and gorged with a ducal coronet, and chained, *or*, holding in his dexter paw a trefoil slipped, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two leopards, *proper*, bezantée, and with collars and chains, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Je n'oublieray jamais.* I shall never forget.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Ickworth in Suffolk; and at Aswarby in Lincolnshire.

YELVERTON, EARL OF SUSSEX.

THE Right Hon. HENRY YELVERTON, Earl of SUSSEX, Viscount De Longueville, Baron Grey of Ruthyn, Hastings, Weysford and Valence, and Baronet, succeeded his brother Augustus, the late Earl, in 1758. His Lordship married to his first wife, 17 Jan. 1757, Hester, daughter of John Hall of Mansfield Woodhouse, in the county of Nottingham, Esq. and by her, who died 11 Jan. 1777, had issue, Talbot, a son, who died an infant in 1757.—Barbara, born 19 June, 1759, who was married in October, 1775, to Edward-Thoroton Gould, of Mansfield Woodhouse, in the county of Nottingham, Esq. and died 9 April, 1781, leaving issue three children all now living, viz. Barbara, born 25 Jan. 1777; Mary, born 5 May, 1778; and Henry, born in September, 1780. His Lordship married to his second wife on 28 Jan. 1778, Mary, daughter of John Vaughan of Bristol, Esq. by whom he hath no issue.

The Earl of Sussex is descended, in the male line, from a younger son of the ancient family of YELVERTON, of Rack Heath in the county of Norfolk, which was of note in the reign of King Edward II. viz. from

Sir CHRISTOPHER Yelverton, Knt. who in the 39th of Elizabeth, was Speaker of the House of Commons, and in the 44th, a Judge of the Queen's-Bench, in which post he died, at Easton-Mauduit, a feat which he had purchased in Northamptonshire, Oct. 31, 1612. He married Mary, daughter of Thomas Catesby, Esq. and by her he had two sons, Sir Henry and Christopher, and two daughters; Elizabeth married to Sir Edward Cope; and Anne, first to Thomas Sherland, Esq. and secondly to Sir Edward Cocket.

Sir

Sir HENRY the eldest son, succeeded him. He was Judge of the Common-Pleas under King Charles I. and died on the 24th of Jan. 1630. He married Margaret, daughter of Robert Beale, Esq. and had four sons and five daughters. Of the sons,

Sir CHRISTOPHER succeeded his father, and on the 30th of June 1641, was created a Baronet, and dying on the 4th of Dec. 1654, left issue by Anne, daughter of Sir William Twifden, a daughter Anne, married first to Robert Montagu the third Earl of Manchester, and secondly to Charles the witty Earl of Halifax; and

Sir HENRY, his heir, who died the 3d of October, 1670. He married Susanna, daughter and heir to Charles Longueville, who in right of his mother, Susanna, (sister and heir to Henry Grey, Earl of Kent, who died in 1639) became Lord Grey of Ruthyn, Hastings, &c. and these honours descending to his said daughter and heir, she brought them into this family, by whom they are now enjoyed; having by her said husband four sons, Charles, Henry, Christopher and Nevil (of whom the two last left no issue), and Frances, wife of Christopher the first Viscount Hatton.

CHARLES, the eldest son, succeeded his father in the title of Baronet, and his mother in that of Lord Grey of Ruthyn, &c. but he dying May 17, 1679, without issue, was succeeded by

(1st Viscount.) HENRY his brother, who April 21, 1690; was created Viscount De Longueville, and died March 24, 1704. He married Barbara, daughter and coheir to Sir John Talbot of Laycock, in the county of Wilts. By this lady, who died 1763, he had two sons, Talbot, and Henry (which last, having had one daughter, died without issue) and five daughters; Barbara, wife of Reginald Calthrope, Esq. (by whom she had issue, Sir Henry Calthrope, Knt. of the Bath, and Barbara, wife of Sir Henry Gough, Bart.) and Susanna, Frances, Anne, Henrietta, who died unmarried.

(1st Earl.) TALBOT, the eldest son, succeeded his father, and in 1717, was created Earl of Suffex, with remainder to Henry his brother, and their issue male. He married Lucy, daughter of Henry Pelham, of Lewes in Suffex, Esq. (uncle to the late Duke of Newcastle) and by her, who died in child-bed 25 May, 1730, had issue three sons, viz. George; born 30 Jan. 1725-6, who died an infant.—Augustus, born 27 July, 1727, the late Earl.—Henry, born 7 July, 1728; the present Earl. His Lordship dying in October 1731; was succeeded by

(2d Earl.) AUGUSTUS, who being first Lord of the Bed-chamber to the present King when Prince of Wales, died the 8th of Jan. 1758, unmarried, and was succeeded by

(3d Earl.) HENRY, the present Earl.

N. B. His Lordship, as Baron Hastings, Heir General to the ancient Earls of Pembroke, claims to carry the Spurs at the Coronation, and did carry them at that of his present Majesty King George III.

CREATIONS.] Baronet, 30 Jan. 1641; Baron Grey of Ruthyn, summoned to Parliament 16 Edw. II. 1322; Baron Hastings, summoned 23 Edw. I. 1294; Viscount De Longueville, by patent, 21 April, 1690; Earl of Suffex, by patent, 26 Sept. 1717.

ARMS.] *Argent*, three lions rampant, and a chief, *gules*. [Plate XIV.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a lion passant, regardant, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a wyvern, *or*, collared and chained, *gules*; on the sinister, a lion rampant, regardant, *gules*.

MOTTO.] *Foy en tout*. Faith in all Things.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Easton Mauduit near Wellingborough, in Northamptonshire; and at Brandon, near Coventry, in the county of Warwick.

COWPER, EARL COWPER.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE CLAVERING COWPER, Earl of COWPER, Viscount Fordwich, Baron Cowper of Wingham, and Baronet, born Aug. 26, 1738, and succeeded his father Sept. 18, 1764. He married June 2, 1775, Anne, daughter of Francis Gore, Esq. of Southampton, by whom he has issue, George-Augustus, Viscount Fordwich, born Aug. 1, 1776. — Peter Leopold-Lewis-Francis, born May 6, 1778. — Another son, born July 16, 1779.

Of this family, which was first seated in Suffex, was John Cowper of Strode, in the reign of King Edward IV. and was ancestor of

(1st Bart.) WILLIAM Cowper, who in the 17th of Charles I. was created a Baronet. He married Martha, daughter of James Masters, Esq. and had six sons and three daughters; Mary, who died unmarried — Martha married to John Huitson, Esq. — Anne to John Richmond, Esq. The sons were,
John.

John.—Sir Edward, who died unmarried.—Sir William, who had issue Sir John.—Spencer, who died unmarried.—James, who in 1660, married Mary, daughter of Sir Henry Worth, but died without issue; and she married secondly George, the fourth Earl of Suffolk.—Henry died without issue.

JOHN, the eldest son, married Martha, daughter of George Hewkley of London, merchant, and had a son William, who succeeded his grandfather, and married Sarah, daughter of Sir Samuel Holled, and had two sons, William his heir; and Spencer, who was one of the Judges of the Common Pleas; but dying on the 10th of December, 1728, left one daughter, married to Colonel Martin Madan; and three sons, William, who died in Feb. 1740, leaving issue two sons and a daughter; of whom William married, August 5, 1749, Miss Madan, eldest daughter of Colonel Madan, by whom he had a son, born May 6, 1750 — John.—Ashley.

(1st. Lord and Earl.) Sir WILLIAM succeeded his father, and in 1705, was made Lord Keeper of the Great Seal, and the next year created Lord Cowper, and afterwards Earl Cowper, and died on the 10th of October, 1723. He married to his first wife Judith, daughter and heir to Sir Robert Booth, by whom he had a son that died young; but by his second wife Sarah, daughter of John Clavering, of Durham, Esq. who died Feb. 5, 1723-4, he had issue two sons and two daughters; Sarah, who died December 7, 1758.—Anne, married 1731, to James-Edward Colleton, Esq. and died March 26, 1750. The sons were, William his successor.—Spencer, late Dean of Durham, who in May, 1742, married Dorothy, daughter of Charles, late Viscount Townshend, and died without issue March 25, 1774, and his Lady May 1779. His Lordship died Oct. 10, 1723, and was succeeded by his son

(2d Earl.) WILLIAM, who was born in 1709, and took the name of Clavering in pursuance of the will of his uncle. He married June 27, 1732, Henrietta, daughter and coheir to the Earl of Grantham, and by her, who died Oct. 13, 1747, he had issue Caroline, born June 20, 1733, married July 24, 1753, to Henry Seymour, Esq. nephew to Edward, Duke of Somerset, and died June 2, 1773, leaving issue.—George, now Earl Cowper, born August 26, 1738. In May, 1750, his Lordship married to his second wife Georgina Caroline, daughter of John, Earl Granville, widow of John Spencer, Esq. and mother to the present Earl Spencer, by whom, who died Aug. 21, 1780, he had no issue. And departing this life on Sept. 18, 1764, was succeeded by

(3d Earl.) GEORGE, his only son.

CREATIONS.] Created Baronet, March 4, 1641, 17 Car. I. Baron Cowper of Wingham in the county of Kent, Nov. 9, 1706; Viscount Fordwich, and Earl Cowper, March 18, 1718.

ARMS.] *Argent*, three martlets and a chief engrailed, *gules*; on the latter, as many annulets, *or*. [Plate XIV.]

CREST.] On a wreath a lion's gamb erected and erased, *or*, holding a branch, *vert*, fructed, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two light-dun horses, with tails docked, *proper*.

MOTTO.] *Tuum est*. It is your own.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Colne-Green in Hertfordshire; and at Ratling-court in the county of Kent.

STANHOPE, EARL STANHOPE.

THE Right Hon. PHILIP STANHOPE, Earl STANHOPE, Viscount Stanhope of Mahon, and Baron of Elvaston, born Aug. 15, 1714, succeeded his father James, the late Earl, Feb. 5, 1721. He married in 1745; Grizel, daughter of Charles, Viscount Binning, son of Thomas, Earl of Haddington, of Scotland, by whom he has issue, Philip, born in 1746, and died July 6, 1763.—Charles, Viscount Mahon, born Aug. 3, 1753, married Dec. 19, 1774, to Harriet, daughter of the late Earl of Chatham, by whom, who died July 18, 1780, he has issue Hester-Lucy; born March 12, 1776.—Grizilda, born in 1778.—A daughter born Feb. 1780. His Lordship married secondly March 10, 1781, Elizabeth, daughter of George-Grenville Temple, Esq. sister to the present Earl Temple.

PHILIP, the first Earl of Chesterfield, marrying to his second wife Anne, daughter of Sir John Packington, had an only son

ALEXANDER, who died Sept. 20, 1707. He married Catharine, daughter of Arnold Burghill, Esq. and had five sons; and one daughter Mary, who married Charles the first Viscount Fane. The sons were, James.—Alexander, who died in his father's life time.—Philip, killed the 28th of Sept. 1708, in attacking the Castle of St. Philip in Minorca.—Edward, killed at the siege of Cardoua in Spain, Dec. 23, 1711.—William, born at Madrid, in 1691, died an infant.

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(1st Earl.) JAMES, the eldest, in Sept. 1708, took the island of Minorca, and was in 1717, created a Baron and Viscount, with limitation, for want of heirs male, to Charles Stanhope of Elvaston, Esq. and his brother; William and was in 1718, created Earl Stanhope. He married Feb. 24, 1713, Lucy, daughter of Thomas Pitt, Esq. by whom he had issue, Philip, now Earl.—Lucy, both born the 15th of Aug. 1714.—George, born Dec. 28, 1717, died unmarried, 1754.—James, who died April 21, 1730.—Gertrude who died young.—Jane and Catharine, twins, born after the death of their father. Their mother died the 24th of Feb. 1723; and the Earl, Feb. 3, 1721, when

(2d Earl.) PHILIP, the eldest son, succeeded to the title

CREATIONS.] Created Baron Stanhope of Elvaston in the county of Derby, and Viscount Stanhope of Mahon in Minorca, July 12, 1717, 3 George I. and Earl Stanhope, April 14, 1718.

ARMS and CREST.] The same as the Earl of Chesterfield; with a crescent for difference. [Plate XIV.]

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a talbot, *ermine*. On the sinister, a wolfe, *or*, ducally crowned, *azure*; each charged on the shoulder with a crescent, *azure*.

MOTTO.] *A Deo & Rege.* From God and my King.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Chevening in the county of Kent,

SHERARD, EARL OF HARBOROUGH.

THE Right Hon. ROBERT SHERARD, Earl of HARBOROUGH, Baron Sherard of Harborough in England, and Baron LEITRIM in Ireland.

An account of this family is given in the Peerage of Ireland, under the title of *Baron LEITRIM*.

PARKER, EARL OF MACCLESFIELD.

THE Right Honourable THOMAS PARKER, Earl and Baron of MACCLESFIELD, Viscount Parker, born October 12, 1723, succeeded his father March 17, 1769, and married December 12, 1749, Mary, eldest daughter of Sir William Heathcote, Bart. of Northamptonshire, by whom he has issue, George, Viscount Parker, born Feb. 24, 1755, married

married May 24, 1780, Miss Drake of Amersham in Berkshire, by whom he has a son Thomas — Elizabeth, born June 29, 1751, married Nov. 16, 1773, John Fane, Esq. of Oxfordshire, by whom she has issue a son, born June 24, 1780. — Mary, born March 16, 1752. — Anne, who died in 1774.

THOMAS Parker had great possessions in the reign of King Richard II. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Adam de Gotham, and had Robert his heir, who married Elizabeth, daughter of John Birley, and had a son John, who by Ellen, daughter of Roger North, had five sons; of whom Thomas the second, had issue William Parker, of Ashbourn in Derbyshire, whose son George married Barbara, daughter of — Burley, and had a son William Parker, who died in 1631, and left issue by Elizabeth, daughter of Humphrey Wilson, a son Thomas Parker, Esq. father of

(1st Earl.) Sir THOMAS Parker, who was created a Baron, and on the 20th of May, 1718, was appointed Lord High Chancellor; and in 1721, was created a Viscount and Earl; and having married Janet, daughter of Charles Carrier, Esq. by her, who died Aug. 23, 1733, had George, Visc. Parker; and a daughter Elizabeth, married April 7, 1720, to William Heathcote, Esq. since created a Baronet, by whom she had a daughter Mary who married the present Earl her cousin, and six sons. On this Lady and her issue male, are entailed the honours of Baron, Viscount, and Earl, in failure of issue male of the present Earl, her nephew. His Lordship dying on the 28th of April, 1732, was succeeded by

(2d Earl.) GEORGE, his only son, late Earl, who married the 18th of Sept. 1722, Mary, daughter of Mr. Lane, a Turkey merchant, and by her, who died June 4, 1753, had issue, Thomas, now Earl of Macclesfield, born October 12, 1723; and George-Lane Parker, born Sept. 6, 1724, a Major General in the army, who married May 17, 1782, Lady Cotteral Dormer. His Lordship married, secondly, in Dec. 1757, Miss Nesbit, who died July 14, 1779. His Lordship dying without any issue by her, on March 17, 1764, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(3d Earl.) THOMAS, the present Earl.

CREATIONS] Baron Parker, March 9, 1716, 2 Geo. I. and Viscount Parker and Earl of Macclesfield, November 15, 1721.

ARMS.] *Gules*, a chevron between three leopards faces, *or*, [Plate XIV.]

CREST.] A leopard's head erased and guardant, *or*, ducally gorged, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two leopards regardant, *proper*, each gorged with a ducal coronet, *gules*.

MOTTO.] *Sapere aude*. Dare to be wise.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Sherburn-Castle, in Oxfordshire.

FERMOR, EARL OF POMFRET.

THE Right Honourable GEORGE FERMOR, Earl of POMFRET, and Lord Lempster, born 1722, succeeded his father, Thomas, the late Earl, July 8, 1753. He married, April 30, 1764, Anne-Maria Draycot, of Sunbury in Middlesex, by whom he has issue, George, Lord Lempster, born Jan. 8, 1768.—Charlotte, born November, 20, 1766.—William-Thomas, born Nov. 22, 1770.

Of this family of Fermor, formerly called Ricards, was Thomas Ricards, whose mother being daughter and heir of the family of Fermor, he took that name; and died in the first of Henry VII. By his wife Emmote, daughter and heir to Simkin Hervey, Esq. he had Richard; and William, who died 20th Sept. 1552.

RICHARD was bred a Merchant, settled himself at Easton-Neston, which he had purchased. He married Anne, daughter of Sir William Brown, Lord Mayor of London, and had three sons and five daughters; Joan married first to Robert Wilford, Esq. and secondly to Sir John Mordaunt.—Anne to William Lucy, Esq.—Elizabeth to Thomas Lovet, Esq. Ursula to Richard Fienes.—Mary to Sir Richard Knightley. The sons were, Sir John.—Thomas.—Jerome. Sir John the eldest, married Maud, daughter of Nicholas, Lord Vaux, Baron of Harrowden; and dying Dec. 12, 1571, left issue Sir George Fermor, his heir; Nicholas, and Richard; and three daughters; Catharine married first to Michael Pulteney, Esq. and secondly to Sir Henry D'Arcy.—Anne to Edward Leigh Esq.—Mary to Sir Thomas Lucas.

Sir GEORGE died the 1st of Dec. 1612, having married Mary, daughter of Thomas Curzon, Esq. and had seven sons and eight daughters; of whom three died unmarried; Agnes the eldest, was married to Richard the first Viscount Wenman.—Elizabeth, first to Sir William Stafford, and secondly to Sir Thomas Chamberlayne.—Jane to Sir John Killegrew.—Catharine to William Hoby, Esq.—Mary, first to Robert Sanquar, and afterwards to Barnaby, Earl of Thorough. And of the sons,

Sir

Sir HATTON, the eldest, died in 1640. He married Anne, daughter of Sir William Cockain, and had five sons and six daughters; of whom, Mary was married to Sir Charles Crompton.—Anne to Jonathan Cope, Esq.—Catharine, first to Sir John Shuckburgh, and after his decease to Sir Roger Norwich.—Three died unmarried. And of the sons, which were, Sir William.—Hatton.—Charles.—George.—Richard. The second died in 1644, and

Sir WILLIAM the eldest, was created a Baronet, and died May 14, 1661. He married Mary, daughter of Hugh Pery, Esq. widow of Henry, second son of Edward the first Viscount Campden, and had eight sons, and two daughters. Hatton the eldest son dying an infant,

(1st Lord.) WILLIAM the second son became heir, and on the 12th of April, 1692, was created Lord Lempster. He married first Jane, daughter of Andrew Barker, Esq. by whom he had a daughter Elizabeth, who died unmarried, 1705. By his second, who was Catharine, daughter of John the 3d Lord Peulett, he had another daughter, Mary, married to Sir John Wodehouse, and died Oct. 24, 1729. By his third, Sophia, daughter of Thomas, Duke of Leeds, and widow of Donatus, Lord O'Brien, who died Dec. 8, 1746, he had two sons, Thomas and William; and four daughters; Sophia died young.—Catharine and Bridget, died unmarried.—Matilda married Edward Conyers, Esq. and died in February 1741, leaving issue John Conyers, Esq. who married 1746, his first cousin, Henrietta, the present Earl's sister.

(1st Earl.) THOMAS the eldest son, was born in 1698; on the 17th of December, 1711, succeeded his father; and in 1721, was created Earl of Pomfret. He married July 14, 1720, Henrietta Louisa, daughter of John, Lord Jefferies, Baron of Wem, and by her, who died Dec. 16, 1761, he had four sons and six daughters, viz. George the present Earl.—William, born in 1723, a Captain in the Royal Navy, who died 1749.—John, born Aug. 3, 1726, died 1729.—Thomas, born Oct. 29, 1734, died young.—Sophia, born May 29, 1721, married April 1744, John Carteret, Earl Granville, and died Oct. 7, 1745, leaving issue.—Charlotte, born Feb. 16, 1724-5, married in Aug. 1746, William Finch, brother to the late Earl of Winchelsea, by whom she had issue, George, the present Earl, and other children.—Henrietta, born Sept. 19, 1727, married Jan. 13, 1746-7. John Conyers, Esq. of Copthall in Essex, and has issue.—Juliana, born May 21, 1729, married Aug. 1751, Thomas

Penn, Esq. of Bucks, and has issue.—Louisa, born Oct. 23, 1731, married the youngest son of Sir William Clayton, Bart. of Surry, and has issue.—Anne, born May 21, 1733, married July 15, 1754, Thomas Dawson, Lord Dartrey, of Ireland, and died March 1, 1769, leaving issue. His Lordship dying July 8, 1753, was succeeded by his only son (2d Earl.) GEORGE, now Earl of Pomfret.

CREATIONS.] Baron, April 12, 1692; and Earl, December 27, 1721.

ARMS.] *Argent*, a fess, *sable*, between three lions heads erased, *gules*. [Plate XIV.]

CREST.] Out of a ducal coronet, *or*, a cock's head issuing, *gules*, crested and wattled, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two lions, *proper*.

MOTTO.] *Horae sempre*. It is always Time.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Easton-Neston in the county of Northampton; and at Sunbury in Middlesex.

GRAHAM, EARL GRAHAM.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM GRAHAM, Earl and Baron GRAHAM, of Belford in the county of Northumberland in England, and Duke of MONTROSE in Scotland.

For an account of this family, see *Duke of MONTROSE* in the Peerage of *Scotland*.

KERR, EARL OF WAKEFIELD.

THE Right Honourable JOHN KERR, Earl and Baron KERR of WAKEFIELD in Yorkshire, and Duke of ROXBURGH in Scotland.

For an account of this family, see *Duke of ROXBURGH* in the Peerage of *Scotland*.

WALDEGRAVE, EARL WALDEGRAVE.

THE Right Honourable JOHN WALDEGRAVE, Earl WALDEGRAVE, Viscount Chewton, Baron Waldegrave of Chewton, and Baronet, born April 28, 1718, succeeded his brother James, the late Earl, April 8, 1763. He married

married in 1751, Elizabeth, daughter of John, Earl Gower by whom he had, George, Viscount Chewton, born Nov. 23, 1751, a Captain in the 3d Regiment of Foot Guards, married May 5, 1782, Laura, daughter of his uncle, the late Earl, and the present Duchess of Gloucester, by whom he has issue a son born, July 14, 1783.—William, born July 9, 1753, in the Navy, and died 1780, unmarried.—John, born Nov. 27, 1756.—Elizabeth; and Amelia, died in 1768: both born May 26, 1758.—Frances, born Oct. 6, 1761, and died in June, 1768.—Caroline, born March 1, 1765.

This family takes its name from the village of Walgrave in Northamptonshire; Warin de Walgrave, had a son John, who was Sheriff of London in 1205; from him descended Sir Thomas Waldegrave, who was knighted by King Edward IV. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir John Fray, and died in 1500, leaving issue, Sir William.—Edward.—Richard.—Jane, second wife of Thomas Mannock, Esq.—Catharine married to George Mannock, Esq. Sir William the eldest, married Margery, daughter of Sir Henry Wentworth, and had three sons, 1. George; 2. William; and 3. Anthony.

Sir EDWARD Waldegrave, second son, married Elizabeth, daughter of John Cheney, Esq. and dying the 17th of Henry VIII. left issue a son, Sir John; and a daughter Mary, who married Isaac Astley, Esq. Sir John Waldegrave married Lora, daughter of Sir John Rochester, and had three sons, Sir Edward.—Robert.—John; and died the 6th of Oct. 1543. Sir Edward the eldest, had from Queen Mary a grant of the Manor of Chewton. He died on the first of September, 1561, having married Frances, daughter of Edward Nevil, brother to the Lord Abergavenny, and had two sons, Charles his heir; Nicholas; and three daughters; Mary married to John the first Lord Petre.—Magdalen to ——— Southcote, Esq.—Catharine to ——— Gwayne, Esq.

CHARLES marrying Jeronyma, daughter of Sir Henry Jernegan, left Sir Edward his heir; and two daughters; Frances married to Henry Yaxley, Esq.—Magdalen to Philip Parris, Esq.

(1st Bart) Sir EDWARD, in the 19th of Charles I. was created a Baronet. He married Eleanor, sister and heir to Sir Francis Lovel, and had a son

(2d Bart) Sir HENRY, who succeeded him, and marrying first Anne, daughter of Edward Paston, Esq. had seven sons, and four daughters; and by Catharine, his second wife,

who was daughter of Richard Bacon, he had six sons and six daughters; and died Oct. 10, 1658. Of the sons by the first wife,

(3d Bart.) Sir CHARLES, succeeded his father; and marrying Helen, daughter of Sir Francis Englefield, had Sir Henry his heir; and Charles.

(1st Lord) Sir HENRY Waldegrave in the first of James II. was created Lord Waldegrave; and in 1689, died at Paris; but having married Henrietta Fitz-James, natural daughter of King James II. by Mrs. Arabella Churchill, sister to John, Duke of Marlborough, by her, (who died April 3, 1730) had two sons; and a daughter Arabella, a nun. The sons were James and Henry; the latter died unmarried, but

(1st Earl.) JAMES succeeded his father. On the 16th of September 1729, he was created Viscount Chewton and Earl Waldegrave. He married in 1714, Mary, second daughter of Sir John Webb, Bart. of Gloucestershire, and by her, who died Jan. 22, 1719, he had two sons and one daughter, viz. James, late Earl Waldegrave, born March 4, 1715.—Henrietta, born Jan. 2, 1717, died May 13, 1753; she married July 7, 1734, to Lord Edward Herbert, second son of the Marquis of Powis, who left her a widow in November following with child, and she was delivered in June, 1735, of a daughter Barbara, married to Earl Powis.—John, now Earl Waldegrave. His Lordship died April 11, 1741, and was succeeded by his eldest son,

(2d Earl.) JAMES, the late Earl, married in December, 1754, Miss — Drax, daughter of Henry Drax, Esq. which Lady dying, he married secondly, May 15, 1759, Maria, second daughter to Sir Edward Walpole, 2d son of Robert, Earl of Orford, by whom he had Elizabeth-Laura, born March 24, 1760, married May 5, 1782, her first cousin, the present Viscount Chewton, eldest son of the present Earl, her uncle.—Charlotte-Maria, born Oct. 11, 1761.—Anna-Horatia, born Nov. 8, 1762. And his Lordship dying without issue male in 1763, he was succeeded by his only brother. His Lady married secondly, Sept. 6, 1766, his Royal Highness William-Henry, his Majesty's next brother, the present Duke of Gloucester, by whom she has issue. See Duke of GLOUCESTER.

(3d Earl.) JOHN, now Earl Waldegrave.

CREATIONS.] Lord Waldegrave, January 20, 1685, I Jac. II. and Viscount Chewton, and Earl Waldegrave, Sept. 13, 1729, 3 George II.

ARMS.] Party per pale, *argent* and *gules* [Plate XV.]

CREST.] In a ducal coronet, *or*, a plume of five ostrich feathers, party per pale, *argent* and *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two talbots, *fable*, eared, *or*, and each gorged with a mural coronet, *argent*, masoned, *fable*.

MOTTO.] *Cælum non animum.* You may change your Climate, but not your Nature.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Naveistoke in Essex.

ASHBURNHAM, EARL OF ASHBURNHAM.

THE Right Honourable JOHN ASHBURNHAM, Earl of ASHBURNHAM, Viscount St. Asaph, and Baron of Ashburnham, born Oct. 30, 1724, succeeded his father John, the late Earl, March 10, 1737; and June 28, 1756, married Elizabeth, daughter of John Crawley, Esq. late Alderman of London, by whom, who died Feb. 1781, he has had George, born Feb. 2, 1758, and died Feb. following.—George, Viscount St. Asaph, born Dec. 25, 1760.—Henrietta-Theodosia, born Nov. 8, 1759.—Jemima-Elizabeth, born Jan. 1, 1762.—Elizabeth-Frances, born May 10, 1763.—Theodosia-Mary, born June 16, 1765.

Of this family, which assumed their surname from the town of Ashburnham, was PIERS, Lord of Ashburnham, whose son Anchitel, had a son Bertram, who in the reign of King Harold was Sheriff of Suffex, Surry and Kent, and Constable of Dover-Castle, which he defended against William the Conqueror. From him descended Thomas Ashburnham, who married Sarah, daughter of Henry Wauncy, by whom he had three sons, John.—Richard.—Thomas. John the eldest, died in 1491; and by Elizabeth Peckham, his wife, left issue William, his heir, who married Anne, daughter of Henry Hawley, and had issue a daughter Anne, married first to William Apsley; and secondly to Richard Covert, Esq. and John, his heir, who married Lora, daughter of Thomas Berkeley, Esq. and had John his heir, and three daughters; Anne married first to John Bolney; secondly to Thomas Culpeper, Esq. Jane to Oliver Denham, Esq. and Alice to John Daniel, Esq.

JOHN, who succeeded, married Isabel, daughter of John Sackville, Esq. and had three sons, John, Thomas, and William; and three daughters, Eleanor.—Anne, married to Thomas Penderton, Esq.—Margaret, to — Jones, Esq.

JOHN, the eldest son, died the 14th of October, 1591. He married Mary, daughter of George Fane, Esq. and had

five sons, Sir John his heir; Thomas, William, George, and Walter; the four last, died without issue; also two daughters, Mary married to George Wentworth, Esq. and Catharine to George Aldwick, Esq.

Sir JOHN, married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Thomas Beaumont, and by her had two sons and four daughters; whereof Elizabeth was married to Frederick, Lord Cornwallis; Frances to Frederick Turvile, Esq. Anne to Sir Edward Dering; and Catharine died unmarried. The sons were John, and William; the youngest married Jane, daughter of John, Lord Boteler, widow of James, Earl of Marlborough, and died without issue in December, 1679.

JOHN, his elder brother, died June 15, 1671. He married first Frances, daughter of William Holland, Esq. secondly Christian, daughter of Christopher Ken, Esq. relict of John, Lord Poulett, by which last wife he had no issue; but by his first wife had eight children, of whom Elizabeth married Sir Hugh Smith; and Frances to Sir Denny Ashburnham.

WILLIAM, the eldest son, married Elizabeth, daughter of John, Lord Poulett, and dying in 1655, left issue by his said Lady, who afterwards married Sir William Hartopp,

(1st Lord.) JOHN, who was created a Baron. He married Bridget, daughter of Walter Vaughan, Esq. and had Jane, married to James Hay, Esq. but died in August 1731; and Elizabeth, married first to Robert Cholmondeley, Esq. and secondly to Seymour Cholmondeley, Esq. but died in January 1732. The sons were William, John, and Bertram; the youngest died in April, 1743, unmarried.

(2d Lord.) WILLIAM, the eldest, born May 20, 1675, on the 21st of January, 1709, succeeded to the honour. He married Catharine, daughter and heir to Thomas Taylor, Esq. but dying the 16th of June, 1710, without issue, and his Lady the 11th of July following,

(1st Earl) JOHN, his brother, born 1687, became heir; and in 1730, was created a Viscount and Earl. He married first Mary Butler, daughter of James, Duke of Ormond, by whom, who died Jan. 1712, he had no surviving issue. By his second Lady, Henrietta Stanley, daughter of the 9th Earl of Derby, whom he married July 24, 1714, (who died June 26, 1718, and was widow of John Annesley, Earl of Anglesea) he had a daughter, Henrietta, who died in August, 1732, unmarried. Taking to his third wife, Jemima Grey, daughter of Henry, Duke of Kent, by her, who died July 7, 1731, had

had a son John. His Lordship dying on March 10, 1737, was succeeded by his son,

(2d Earl.) JOHN, now Earl of Ashburnham.

CREATIONS.] Baron Ashburnham, May 30, 1689; Viscount and Earl, May 14, 1730.

ARMS.] *Gules*, a fess between six mullets, *argent*.
[Plate VX.]

CREST.] Out of a ducal coronet, *or*, an ash-tree, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two greyhounds, *sable*, collared and chained, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Le Roy & l'Etat*. The King and the State.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Ashburnham in Suffex; and at Chelsea in Middlesex.

HOWARD, EARL OF EFFINGHAM.

THE Right Honourable THOMAS HOWARD, Earl of EFFINGHAM, Lord Howard, born January 13, 1746-7, succeeded his father November 19, 1763; married October 1765, Catharine, daughter of Metcalf Proctor, of Thorpe in Yorkshire, Esq.

THOMAS, the second Duke of Norfolk, marrying to his second wife Agnes, sister to Sir Philip Tiney, had a son

(1st Lord.) WILLIAM, who in 1552, was created Lord Howard of Effingham. He was Admiral of England, Ireland, and Wales, and died Jan. 12, 1573. He married first Catharine, daughter of Sir John Boughton, by whom he had only one daughter, Agnes, who was married to the third Marquis of Winchester; but by his second, who was Margaret, daughter of Sir Thomas Gamage, he had four sons and five daughters; whereof Douglas the eldest, was married first to John, Lord Sheffield, and secondly to Sir Edward Stafford; Mary, first to Edward, Lord Dudley; and secondly to Richard Mompesson, Esq. Frances to Edward Seymour, Earl of Hertford; and Martha to Sir George Bouchier; and Catharine died young. And of the sons, which were Charles, Sir William, Edward, and Henry, the two youngest died infants; and

(2d Lord 1st Earl of N.) CHARLES succeeded his father, and in consideration of his services against the Spanish Armada, as also for sacking the town of Cadiz, and destroying the Spanish fleet in the harbour there, was on the 22d of
Oct.

Oct. the same year, created Earl of Nottingham, and died the 14th of December, 1624. He married first Catharine, daughter of the first Lord Hunsdon, and had two sons and three daughters; secondly Margaret, daughter of James Stuart, the third Earl of Murray, by whom he had two sons, James who died young; and Sir Charles, of whom hereafter. This Lady surviving him, married Sir William Monson, Viscount Castlemain. Of the daughters by Catharine the first wife, Elizabeth the eldest, was married first to Sir Robert Southwell, and secondly to John, Earl of Carrick.—Frances first to Henry, Earl of Kildare; and secondly to Henry, Lord Cobham.—Margaret to Sir Richard Leveson. And of the sons, which were William, Lord Effingham; and Charles; the eldest married Anne, daughter of John, the second Lord St. John of Bletshoe, by whom he had an only daughter Elizabeth, who was married to John Mordaunt, the first Earl of Peterborough; but dying without issue male,

(3d Lord. E. 2d Earl of N.) CHARLES his brother, became heir to his father. He married first Charity, daughter of Robert White, Esq. widow of William Leche; secondly Mary, daughter of Sir William Cockain; and dying on the 3d of Oct. 1642, without issue, was succeeded by his half brother,

(4th Lord E. 3d Earl. of N.) Sir CHARLES, who married Arabella, daughter of Edward Smith, Esq. and dying in 1681, without issue, the Earldom of Nottingham ceased in this family. We now return to

Sir WILLIAM Howard, second son of William the first Lord Howard of Effingham; which Sir William, dying in 1600, left issue by Frances, daughter of William Gouldwell, Esq. three sons, Sir Edward, Sir Francis, and Sir Charles; the former dying in 1620, without issue, Sir Francis his brother, succeeded, and married Jane, daughter of Sir William Monson, by whom he had seven sons and a daughter; and dying the 7th of July, 1651, was succeeded by

Sir CHARLES his eldest son, who married Frances, daughter of Sir George Courthop, and left issue two sons, Francis his heir; and George; and a daughter Jane, married to Thomas Methwould, Esq. George, second son, married Anne, daughter of ——— Kidder, Esq. and had issue three sons, Henry, Charles, and Thomas, and two daughters; of whom Thomas only survived, and died March 31, 1753. He married Mary, only daughter of Dr. Morton, Bishop of Meath, by whom he left two sons and two daughters; Sir George, Knight of the Bath and a General in the army, who married
first

first Lucy, sister to the present Earl of Strafford; and secondly the Dowager Countess of Effingham; Henry; Mary married to Sir Francis Vincent; and Catharine.

(5th Lord.) FRANCIS, eldest son of Sir Charles, succeeded Charles, Earl of Nottingham in the Barony of Effingham. By his second wife Susan, daughter of Sir Henry Felton, and widow of Thomas Herbert, Esq. he had no issue; but by his first wife Philadelphia, daughter of Sir Thomas Pelham, he had three sons and three daughters; Philadelphia, Margaret, and Elizabeth; of whom the latter was first married to Francis Hutchinson, Esq. and secondly to William Roberts, Esq. but the two eldest died young. And of the sons, who were Charles, Thomas, and Francis; the eldest dying unmarried April 11, 1694,

(6th Lord.) THOMAS, the second, in 1700, succeeded his father, and died on the 10th of July, 1725. By his second wife Elizabeth, daughter of John Rotheram, Esq. and widow of Sir Theophilus Napier, he had no issue; but by his first wife Mary, daughter of Rush Wentworth, Esq. he had two daughters, Anne married in Sept. 1729, to Sir William Younge, Bart. and died in 1775, leaving issue; and Mary to George, now Lord Vernon. His Lordship dying without issue male,

(1st Earl of E.) FRANCIS, his brother, became heir; and marrying first Diana, daughter of Brigadier O'Farrel, by her had Thomas the late Earl; and in July, 1728, taking to his second wife, Anne, sister to Robert Britton, Esq. by her, who died Nov. 15, 1774, had a son George, born May 8, 1730, and died in July, 1731. His Lordship, Oct. 17, 1731, was created an Earl, and dying Feb. 12, 1742-3, was succeeded by his only son,

(2d Earl.) THOMAS. On Feb. 14, 1744-5, he married Elizabeth, daughter of Peter Beckford, Esq. of Jamaica, (which Lady married secondly Sir George Howard, K. B. May 21, 1776) by whom he had issue, Thomas the present Earl.—Richard, born Feb. 2, 1748.—Elizabeth, born Nov. 10, 1750, married Jan. 26, 1774, the Rev. Henry-Reginald Courtenay, cousin to the present Viscount Courtenay, Rector of St. George, Hanover-square; she died 1782, leaving issue, a son William.—Anne, born in May 1752, married Lieutenant Col. Thomas Carleton, of the 29th Regiment of Foot.—Maria, born Aug. 31, 1753, married May 22, 1772, to Sir Guy Carleton.—Frances-Herring, born in May, 1755. His Lordship departed this life on Nov. 19, 1763, and was succeeded by

(3d Earl.) THOMAS, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Baron Howard, March 11, 1554; Earl of Effingham, Dec. 8, 1731.

ARMS and CREST.] The same as the Duke of Norfolk's, a mullet for difference. [*Plate XV.*]

SUPPORTERS.] Two lions, *argent*; on the shoulder of each a mullet for difference.

MOTTO.] *Virtus mille scuta.* Virtue is equal to a thousand Shields.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Great Bookham, in the county of Surry.

WALPOLE, EARL OF ORFORD.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE WALPOLE, Earl of ORFORD, Viscount Walpole, Baron Clinton and Say, Baron Walpole, and Baron of Houghton, born April 2, 1730, succeeded his father Robert, April 1, 1751.

This family took their name from the town of Walpole St. Peter's in Norfolk, where they were seated before the Conquest. Richard de Walpole, marrying Emma, daughter of Walter de Nevelton, with her had all her father's lands in Reidon, near Houghton, where the family has resided from the reign of King Henry III.

Sir EDWARD Walpole, in 1663, was a member for Lynn, and died in March, 1668. He married Susan, daughter of Sir Robert Carne, and had five sons, and eight daughters; whereof two sons and five daughters died young; but Anne, the eldest, was married to Mountfort Spelham, Esq. Mary, the second, to John Wilson, Esq. and Elizabeth to James Host, Esq. And of the sons, Edward the youngest, died 1688; Horatio married Anne, daughter of Thomas, Duke of Leeds, and widow of Robert Coke, Esq.

ROBERT, the eldest son, married Mary, daughter of Sir Jeffrey Burwell, and had (besides thirteen children that died young) three sons and three daughters; Mary married to Sir Charles Turner, Bart. and had issue.—Dorothy to Charles, Viscount Townshend, grandfather to the present Viscount.—Susan to Anthony Hammond, Esq. The sons were Robert, Horatio, and Galfridus; the latter married Cornelia, daughter of Mr. Hays of London, but died Aug. 7, 1726, without issue. Horatio, the second son, was created Lord

WALPOLE

WALPOLE of Wolterton, and was father of the present Lord of that title.

(1st Earl.) ROBERT, the eldest brother, born Aug. 26, 1674, on the 6th of February 1742, was created a Viscount and Earl, and died the 18th of March 1746. He married first Catharine, daughter of John Shorter, Esq. and by her, (who died on the 20th of August, 1737) had three sons; and a daughter Mary, married in 1723, to George, late Earl of Cholmondeley, and died in 1732. The sons were Robert his successor.—Sir Edward.—Horatio. The second son is Knight of the Bath. His Lordship married secondly Maria, daughter of Thomas Skerret, Esq. which Lady died June 4, 1738, by whom he had before marriage one daughter, Maria, to whom his Majesty was pleased to grant precedency as an Earl's daughter. She was married in March, 1746, to Charles Churchill, Esq. by whom she had a son born in Feb. 1741, and two daughters; one of whom married the eldest son of her cousin, Lord Walpole, and the other daughter married Lord Cadogan.

(1st Lord 2d Earl.) ROBERT, the eldest son was in 1723, during his father's life time, created Lord Walpole, with remainder to Edward and Horatio his brothers; and in failure of issue from them, to their father Sir Robert, with remainder to the heirs male of Robert Walpole, father of Sir Robert. He married on the 26th of March, 1724, Margaret, daughter of Samuel Roll, Esq. by whom (who was secondly married to Sewallis Shirley, Esq. and died Jan. 13, 1781) and who on the death of her father became Baroness Clinton and Say, which honour on her death descended to the present Earl of Orford; he had one son, born the 2d of April, 1730. His Lordship dying April 1, 1751, was succeeded by his said son,

(3d Earl.) GEORGE, now Earl of Orford.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron Say, by writ, Feb. 18, 1610; Baron Clinton, Feb. 6, 1298; and Walpole, June 10, 1723; Baron of Houghton, Viscount Walpole, and Earl of Orford, Feb. 6, 1742, 15 Geo. II.

ARMS.] *Or*, on a fess, between two chevrons, *sable*, three crosses crosslets of the first. [Plate XV.]

CREST.] On a wreath, the bust of a man side-faced, couped, *proper*, ducally crowned, with a long cap on, *gules*, thereon a Catharine wheel, *or*; which crest belonged to the family of Robsart, and was, in memory of the services of Sir John Robsart, Knight of the Garter, against the Saracens.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side an antelope; and on the sinister side a buck, both *argent*, attired, *proper*, gorged with

with collars, chequy, or and azure, each having a chain thereto affixed, and their hoofs, or.

MOTTO.] *Fari quæ sentiat.* Speak what you think.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Houghton-Hall, in the county of Norfolk; at Piddleton in the county of Dorset; and at Haynton in Devonshire.

STANHOPE, EARL OF HARRINGTON.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM STANHOPE, Earl of HARRINGTON, Viscount Peterham, Baron of Harrington, succeeded his father William, the late Earl, April 2, 1779, born March 20, 1753, married May 22, 1779; ———, daughter and coheir to the late Sir Michael Fleming, Bart. of Middlesex, by whom he has issue, Charles, the present Viscount Peterham, born April 1780; and another son born Nov. 26, 1781.

Sir JOHN Stanhope, father of Philip the first Earl of Chesterfield, married to his second wife Dorothy, daughter of Thomas Trentham, by whom he had Sir John Stanhope, who died May 29, 1638, having married first Olivia, daughter of Edward Berrisford, Esq. by whom he had an only daughter married to Charles Cotton, Esq. His second wife was Mary, daughter of Sir John Radcliff, and by her, who survived him, had seven sons, and three daughters; of whom John, Thomas, and Frances, died infants; Anne married Sir Thomas Ellys; Radclyffe, Cromwell, Byron, Alexander; and Elizabeth, had no issue; another

JOHN, his heir, married Jane, daughter of Sir John Curzon, and dying March 26, 1662, left an only son,

JOHN Stanhope, who married Dorothy, daughter of Charles Agard, Esq. and had four sons, John, Thomas, Charles, and William; whereof the eldest died young; and the second married Jane, one of the daughters of Gilbert Thacker, Esq. relict of Charles Stanhope, second son of Philip, Earl of Chesterfield, who took the name of Wotton, and died on the 11th of April, 1730, without issue; Charles, the third son, died unmarried, March 17, 1760.

(1st Earl.) WILLIAM the youngest son, was created Lord Harrington, which title was formerly in John third son of Sir Michael Stanhope, ancestor of the Earl of Chesterfield. On the 19th of Feb. 1742, he was created Viscount Peterham,

and

and Earl of Harrington. He married Anne, daughter of Colonel Edward Griffith, and had issue two sons, William and Thomas, who were twins, and were born the 18th of Dec. 1719, of whom she died in childbed; Thomas died in Feb. 1743. His Lordship dying Dec. 8, 1756, was succeeded by (2d Earl.) WILLIAM his only son, the late Earl, who married, Aug. 11, 1746, Caroline Fitz-Roy, eldest daughter of Charles, late Duke of Grafton, by whom he had issue, Carolina, born March 11, 1747, married Oct. 7, 1765, to Kenneth, late Earl of Seaforth, and died March 24, 1767, leaving a daughter; and his Lordship died 1782, when the title became extinct.—Isabella, born April 4, 1748, married Nov. 27, 1768, to Lord Viscount Molyneux, now Earl of Sefton in Ireland, and has issue.—Emilia, born May 24, 1749, married April 16, 1767, to Richard, Earl of Barrymore, and died 1780, leaving issue.—Henrietta, born Oct. 26, 1750, married March 15, 1776, to Thomas Foley, son of Lord Foley, and has issue.—Charles, the present Earl.—Henry, born May 29, 1754, now an officer in the Guards.—Anna-Maria, born March 31, 1760, married Jan. 25, 1782, the present Earl of Lincoln, eldest son of the Duke of Newcastle. His Lordship dying April 2, 1779, was succeeded by his eldest son

(3d Earl.) Charles, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Baron Harrington, in the county of Northampton, Nov. 20, 1729; Viscount and Earl, Feb. 9, 1742.

ARMS.] Quarterly, *ermine* and *gules*, a crescent on a crescent for difference. [Plate XV.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a tower, *argent*, with a demi-lion rampant, issuing from the battlements, *or*, holding between his paws a grenade firing, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a talbot, *argent*, gutte de poix; on the sinister a wolf, *ermineois*; each supporter gorged with a garland or chaplet of oak, *vert*, fructed, *or*.

MOTTO.] *A Deo & Rege.* From God and the King.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Peterham in Surry; and at Linby in the county of Nottingham.

WALLOP, EARL OF PORTSMOUTH.

THE Right Hon. JOHN WALLOP, Earl of PORTSMOUTH, Viscount Lymington, and Baron Wallop of Farley-Wallop, born June 29, 1742; succeeded his grandfather,

father, Nov. 23, 1762. He married August 27, 1763, Urania, daughter of Coulson Fellows, Esq. by whom he has issue, John-Charles, Viscount Lymington, born Dec. 18, 1767. — Urania-Annabella, born June, 1769. — Camilla-Mary, born Nov. 8, 1770, died Sept. 10, 1780. — Newton, born June 26, 1772. — Coulson, born Sept. 19, 1774. — Henrietta-Dorothea, born May 6, 1780. — Emma-Maria, born Aug. 13, 1781.

This noble family is descended from Matthew Wallop, of Wallop in the county of Hants, who was living in the 8th of Edw. I.

STEPHEN Wallop, who was descended from him, married a daughter of ——— Ashley, of Winbourne St. Giles, in the county of Dorset, Esq. and had Sir John, Sir Oliver, and Gyles.

Sir JOHN Wallop was Admiral and Commander of the Fleet in the 6th of Henry VIII. He married first Elizabeth, relict of Gerald, the 8th Earl of Kildare, and daughter of Sir Oliver St. John; secondly Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Clement Harleston; but leaving no issue,

Sir OLIVER his brother, became heir. He married first Bridget, daughter of ——— Pigot, Esq. by whom he had three sons; and a daughter Rose, married to Walter Lambert, Esq. He married secondly Anne, daughter of Robert Martin, Esq. widow of Thomas Tregonell, of Milton-Abbey in Dorset, and had issue, William, Stephen, Anne, and Grace. The sons by the first wife were Sir Henry; William, who married three wives, the last of whom was Margery, daughter of John Fisher of Chilton-Candover, Esq. but died without issue, Nov. 13, 1617; and Richard.

Sir HENRY, married Catharine, daughter of Richard Gifford, Esq. and had three sons and three daughters; Anne married to Sir Richard Powlett. — Bridget to Nicholas Halfwell, Esq. — Winfred to Sir Richard Gifford. Of the sons, Oliver the second, and William the third, both lost their lives in the service of their country.

Sir HENRY the eldest, married Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Corbet, Esq. and had Robert his heir, and five daughters; Anne married to John Dodington, Esq. Elizabeth, Catharine, and Theodosia, all died unmarried; and Bridget married Sir Henry Worsley. Robert succeeded his father, and died Nov. 19, 1667. He married Anne, daughter of Henry, Earl of Southampton, and was succeeded by Henry his heir, who died Feb. 16, 1673. He married Dorothy, daughter of John Bluet, Esq. and had four sons; Robert the
eldest

eldest died before his father, unmarried; as did Charles the youngest.

HENRY, second son, succeeded his father, and died unmarried Dec. 28, 1691.

JOHN, his only surviving brother, became heir. He married Alicia, daughter of William Borlase, Esq. by whom he had five sons and two daughters, Elizabeth, who died unmarried; and Mary married to Henry, Lord Herbert of Cherbury.

BLUET, the eldest son, succeeded his father in January, 1694, and died unmarried, Oct. 30, 1707; Henry, second son; William, fourth son; and Robert, fifth son, all died young.

(1st Earl.) JOHN, third son, born in 1639, succeeded his brother, June 11, 1720, was created a Peer, and on April 11, 1743, was advanced to the dignity of an Earl, having been honoured with several posts under Government, viz. one of the Lords of the Treasury, Chief Justice in Eyre, Lord Warden of the New Forest, and Lord Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of the county of Hants, and Governor of the Isle of Wight. On the 26th of May, 1716, he married Bridget, eldest daughter of Charles Bennet, Earl of Tankerville, by which Lady, who died October 12, 1738, he had issue, John, Viscount Lymington, born Aug. 3, 1718, married July 12, 1740, Catharine, daughter and heiress of John Conduit, of Cranbery, in Hampshire, by Catharine his wife, niece and coheir to the celebrated Sir Isaac Newton; and dying in 1749, left issue by his Lady, who died April 15, 1750, John, the present Earl. 2. Henry, born Aug. 29, 1743, in the army, and served in Germany under the Prince of Brunswick in the war in 1756, and afterwards in the third regiment of Foot Guards: In 1765 he was appointed one of the Grooms of the Bedchamber to his present Majesty: In 1767 he had the misfortune to lose his right leg by an accident, and has now a Company of Invalids. 3. Barton, born Jan. 30, 1744, took Holy Orders, and in May 1774, was appointed Master of Magdalen College, Cambridge: He married 1771, Camilla-Powlett Smyth, youngest daughter of the Rev. Richard Smyth, of Crux Eaton in Hampshire, and died Sept. 1, 1781, leaving issue one daughter, Urania-Catharine-Camilla, born Nov. 23, 1774; and a posthumous son, born Dec. 24, 1781, named Barton-William Powlett. 4. Bennet, born Jan. 29, 1745, now in the Hessian service. 5. Catharine, born Jan. 3, 1746, married Oct. 3, 1770, Lockhart Gordon, Esq. a younger brother of the Earl of Aboyne in Scotland, and has several sons

and daughters.—Bridget, born Feb. 20, 1716-17, who died in June 1736.—Borlase, born June 3, 1720, died in April, 1741.—Mary, born 1721, died young.—Charles, born Dec. 12, 1722, died 1771.—Anne, who died March 3, 1759.—Bluet, born April 27, 1726, in the army, and died in 1749.—Elizabeth, died June, 1727.—Henry, and Bennet, died young. His Lordship, July 4, 1739, married secondly, Elizabeth, eldest daughter of James, Lord Griffin, and relict of Henry Grey, Esq. of Billingbear in Berkshire, but died July, 1762, without issue. His Lordship died Nov. 23, 1762, and was succeeded by his grandson,

(2d Earl.) JOHN, (eldest son of John, Viscount Lymington) the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Baron Wallop, Viscount Lymington, in the county of Southampton, June 11, 1720; and Earl of Portsmouth April 11, 1743.

ARMS.] *Argent*; a bend wavey, *sable*. [Plate XVI.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a mermaid, holding in her dexter hand a mirror; in the other a comb, all *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two chamois, or wild goats, *sable*.

MOTTO.] *En suivant la verité*. In following Truth.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Hurfourn, near Whitchurch; and at Farley Wallop, near Basingstoke in Hants.

GREVILLE, EARL OF WARWICK AND BROOKE.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE GREVILLE, Earl of WARWICK and BROOKE, and Lord Brooke, Baron Brooke of Beauchamp-court in Warwickshire, born Sept. 16, 1746, succeeded his father, the late Earl, July 6, 1773. He married first, April 1, 1771, Georgina, daughter of Sir James Peachy, by which Lady, who died April 5, 1772, he has a son George, Lord Greville, born March 24, 1772. He married secondly, July 9, 1776, Henrietta, daughter of Richard Vernon, Esq. and widow of John Fitz-Patrick, late Earl of Upper Ossory, by which Lady he has two sons; one born April 4, 1779; and another born April, 1780.

Camden deduces the pedigree of this family from JOHN GREVILLE, who died in the reign of Edward III. William his heir, had issue John; and Lodowick, of whom hereafter. John married Joyce, daughter of Sir Walter, sister and heir to Hugh Cooksey, and had Sir John his heir, who died

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Aug. 6, 1480, and left Sir Thomas his only son, who at his father's decease, assumed the name of Cooksey, in respect to his inheritance from his grandmother. He died in 1499, leaving no issue, and his estate descended to John, great grandson of Lodowick, above-mentioned; which

L^{ODOWICK} married Margaret, daughter of Sir Giles Ardene, by whom he had four sons, William his heir; Richard; Robert; and John.

W^{ILLIAM}, married Anne, daughter of Sir Robert Francis, and dying in 1594, was succeeded by

R^{ALPH} his son, who married Margaret, daughter of Thomas Poyntz, Esq. by which match the Greviles have a right of quartering the arms of Poyntz, Bardolph, Mallet, Clanebow, and Aeton. He had a son

J^{OH}N, who on the death of Sir Thomas Grevile, alias Cooksey, succeeded. He married Jane, daughter of Sir Humphrey Forster, and had Sir Edward his heir; and Robert, who left only two daughters, Dorothy, wife to Edward Morgan, Esq. and Anne, wife to Thomas Nevil, Esq.

S^{IR EDWARD}, the eldest, married Anne, daughter of John Denton, Esq. by whom he had four sons, Sir John his heir, Sir Fulk, Thomas, and Edward; of whom the two last died unmarried. Sir John died Nov. 25, 1548, leaving by Elizabeth, daughter of John Spencer, Esq. a son Sir Edward, who married the daughter of William Willington, by whom he had an only son Lodowick, who left an only son Sir Edward, who married Jane, daughter of Sir Thomas Bromley, by whom he had two daughters.

S^{IR FULK}, second son of Sir Edward, married Elizabeth, grand-daughter, and at length sole heir to Robert, Lord Willoughby of Brooke, and dying in Nov. 1559, left three sons and four daughters; Mary, married to William Harris, Esq.—Eleanor, to Sir John Conway—Catharine, to Giles Read, Esq.—Blanch, who died unmarried. The sons were Sir Fulk his heir; Robert, of whom hereafter; and Sir Edward.

S^{IR FULK}, who succeeded, dying in 1606, left by Anne, daughter of Ralph Nevil, Earl of Westmoreland, Fulk his heir; and a daughter Margaret, married to Sir Richard Verney, whereby his descendants obtained the title of Lord WILLOUGHBY OF BROOKE.

(1st. Lord.) S^{IR FULK}, her brother, obtained of James I. a grant of the Castle of Warwick, and was created Baron Brooke, with limitation to his kinsman Robert, son of Fulk Grevile; but by one Haywood, in 1628, was stabbed in Brooke-house, Holborn, of which he died, leaving no issue.

We now return to ROBERT, second son of Sir Fulk. He had Fulk his heir, who had issue a daughter Dorothy, married to Sir Arthur Hefilrige; and

(2d Lord.) ROBERT, his heir, who succeeded his kinsman as Lord Brooke, pursuant to the limitation in the patent. He married Catharine, daughter of Francis Ruffel, the 4th Earl of Bedford, and left five sons; of whom, Edward the third, and Algernon the fourth, died unmarried.

(3d Lord.) FRANCIS, the eldest, succeeded his father, and dying unmarried,

(4th Lord.) ROBERT, the second, became heir; and marrying Anne, daughter of John Dodington, Esq. by her had six sons, who all died young; and two daughters; Anne, married first to William, the fourth Earl of Kingston, and afterwards to William Pierpoint, Esq. and Dodington to Charles Montagu, the first Duke of Manchester; but having no issue male, and dying Feb. 17, 1677, the honour descended to

(5th Lord.) FULK, the fifth and youngest brother. He married Sarah, daughter of Francis Dashwood, Esq. Alderman of London, and had four sons and seven daughters; Catharine, Anne, Elizabeth, Sarah, Mary, Diana, and Henrietta; of whom, the latter was married to Sir James Long; Elizabeth, the third, married Francis North, the second Lord Guildford; and Catharine, the eldest, married first to Wriothesly-Baptist Noel, Earl of Gainsborough, and next to John Sheffield, Duke of Buckingham; the other four died unmarried. Of the sons, who were Francis, Algernon, Dodington, and Robert; the two latter died unmarried; Algernon married Mary, daughter of the Lord Arthur Somerset, by whom he had one son Fulk Grevile, Esq. and two daughters; and their father dying on the 22d of Oct. 1710, and

FRANCIS his eldest son dying eleven days before him, left issue by Anne Wilmot, daughter of John, Earl of Rochester, two sons and two daughters; Elizabeth, who died unmarried; and Catharine married to Charles Egerton, Esq. Of the sons,

(6th Lord.) FULK the eldest, succeeded his grandfather, but dying in February following, unmarried,

(7th Lord.) WILLIAM, his brother became heir. He married Mary, daughter of Henry Thynne, Esq. and by her, who died March 1720, had three sons, William and Fulk, who died infants; and their father dying July 28, 1727, was succeeded by

(1st Earl.) FRANCIS, his only surviving son, born 1719, who, on the 7th of July 1746, was advanced to the dignity
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of Earl Brooke of Warwick-Castle; and the late Earl of Warwick dying without issue male, his Lordship was created Earl of Warwick, Nov. 27, 1759. He, May 16, 1742, married Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Archibald Hamilton, son of the Duke of Hamilton, by whom, (who outlived his Lordship, and married secondly General Clarke) he had George, the present Earl.—Charles-Francis, born May 12, 1749.—Robert Fulke, born Feb. 3, 1751, a Captain in the first Regiment of Foot Guards.—Louisa-Augusta, born April 14, 1743, married to William Churchill, of Henbury, Esq. and has issue.—Frances-Elizabeth, born May 11, 1744, married July 17, 1764, to Sir Harry Harpur, Bart. and has issue.—Charlotte-Mary, born July 6, 1745, married August 14, 1762, to the present Earl of Galloway, and died in 1763.—Isabella, born March 1, 1748, who died the same day.—Anne, born Aug. 28, 1760, died May 22, 1783. His Lordship deceasing July 6, 1773, was succeeded by his son,

(2d Earl.) GEORGE, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Created Lord Brooke of Beauchamps-court, in the county of Warwick, January 9, 1620, the 18th of James I. Earl Brooke of Warwick-Castle, 7th of July 1746, 20 George II. and Earl of the county of Warwick, Nov. 27, 1759.

ARMS.] *Sable*, on a cross, within a border ingrailed, *or*, five pellets of the *first*. [*Plate XVI.*]

CREST.] In a ducal coronet, *or*, a swan, with wings expanded, *argent*; beaked, *sable*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two swans, *argent*; beaked and membered, *sable*; and ducally gorged, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Vix ea nostra voco*. I can scarce call these Things our own.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Warwick-castle in Warwickshire; and at Richmond in the county of Surry.

G O W E R, E A R L G O W E R.

THE Right Hon. GRANVILLE-LEVESON GOWER, Earl GOWER, Viscount Trentham, and Lord Gower, Baron of Stittenham, and Baronet, born 1717, succeeded his father Dec. 5, 1754. He married first in 1744, Elizabeth, daughter of Nicholas Fazakerley, Esq. of Lancashire, by whom, who died May 19, 1745, he had a son, John, born

May 14, 1745, who died the same day. He married secondly, March 31, 1748, Louisa Egerton, daughter of George, Duke of Bridgewater, by which Lady, who died March 14, 1761, he had issue, Louisa, born Oct. 22, 1749, married Dec. 27, 1777, Archibald Mackdonald, Esq. brother to Lord Mackdonald, of Ireland, by whom she has issue.—Carolina, born November 2, 1753, who married March 22, 1770, the Earl of Carlisle, and has issue.—George-Granville-Leveson, Viscount Trentham, born January 9, 1758.—Anne, born February 22, 1761. He married May 23, 1768, his third wife, Susanna, daughter of the Earl of Galloway, by whom he has Granville-Leveson, born 1773.—Georgina, born April 23, 1769.—Charlotte, born June 11, 1771.—Susan, born 1772.

SIR ALLAN GOWER of Stittenham, at the time of the Norman Conquest, was Sheriff of that county; and from him, in a direct line, the family hath continued their seat at Stittenham to the present time.

SIR EDWARD GOWER, married Margaret, daughter of Sir Robert Constable, and had two sons and three daughters, Catharine, Agnes, and Barbara. Of the sons, Richard the 2d, married Agnes, daughter of William Leving, and had issue Edward, Thomas, Francis, and Ralph.

THOMAS, eldest son of Sir Edward, was Marshal of Berwick, in the 1st of Edw. VI. He married 1st, Anne, daughter of John Malever, Esq. by whom he had no issue; 2dly, Barbara, daughter of John Baxter, Esq. and by her he had four sons, Thomas, Henry, William, and Edward; and three daughters, Barbara, Isabella, and Jane.

THOMAS, the eldest son, succeeded his father, and married Mary, daughter of Gabriel Fairfax; by her he had issue Thomas, Robert, Edward, Frances, and Elizabeth.

(1st Bart.) Sir THOMAS, the eldest son, was created a Baronet, and married Anne, third daughter and coheir to John Doyley, Esq. and had seven sons.

(2d Bart.) Sir THOMAS the eldest, married first Elizabeth, sister to Charles the first Earl of Carlisle, by whom he had no issue; 2dly Frances, daughter of Sir John Leveson, and sister and coheir to Sir Richard Leveson of Trentham, in the county of Stafford, and by her had, Edward.—William-Leveson.—Frances, married to Sir James Wood.

EDWARD died in his father's life time, and left issue by Dorothy, daughter of Sir Thomas Wentworth,

(3d Bart.) Sir WILLIAM LEVESON, 2d son, marrying Jane, daughter of John Granville, Earl of Bath, by her had three
sons

sons, John, Richard, and William; and two daughters; Catharine married to Sir Edward Windham; and Jane to Henry, late Earl of Clarendon and Rochester.

(1st Lord.) JOHN, the eldest son, was created, 1703, Lord Gower of Stittenham, and dying Sept. 10, 1709, left issue by Catharine, daughter of John Manners, the first Duke of Rutland, four sons and two daughters; Catharine, who died on the 20th of April 1712.—Jane, who was married to John Proby, Esq. of Elton-Hall, in Huntingdonshire, and died June 10, 1726, leaving issue, John, afterwards created Lord Carysfort in Ireland, and other children.—John, the late Earl.—William, married May 26, 1730, Anne, daughter of Sir Thomas Grosvenor, Bart. of Cheshire, and died Dec. 13, 1731, leaving issue a daughter Catharine, who died Dec. 13, 1756.—Thomas died unmarried Aug. 12, 1727.—Baptist.

(1st Earl.) JOHN, the eldest son, succeeded his father, and was created an Earl, 1746. On the 19th of March, 1712, he married to his first wife, Evelyn Pierpoint, daughter of Evelyn, Duke of Kingston, and by her, who died June 27, 1727, had issue, John, who died in July 1723.—William, who died April 14, 1739 —Granville-Leveson, now Earl Gower.—Richard Leveson, died October 19, 1753, unmarried.—Catharine, who died an infant.—Gertrude, married to John, late Duke of Bedford, by whom she had issue.—Mary, to Sir Richard Wrottesley, Bart. by whom she had issue, the present Duchess of Grafton, the Lady of the Hessian Ambassador, and other children, and died 1781.—Jane, died in May, 1737, unmarried.—Frances, married Lord John-Philip Sackville, uncle to the present Duke of Dorset —Elizabeth, married to Earl Waldegrave.—Evelyn, married first, 1744, to John, the late Earl of Upper Ossory, and had issue; after whose death she married 2dly, to Richard Vernon, Esq. by whom she had issue also. The Earl married secondly, 1733, Penelope, daughter of Sir John Stonehouse, and relict of Sir Henry Atkins, by whom (who died Aug. 19, 1735) he had a daughter Penelope, born in June 1733, and died in March, 1734. The Earl married to his third wife, Mary, daughter of Thomas, Earl of Thanet, and relict of Anthony Grey, Earl Harold, brother to the present Marchioness Grey, and only son of the late Duke of Kent; and by her had issue, Mary, who died young.—Thomas, born in August 1738, died in 1740 —John, born in 1742, a Captain in the Navy, married July 6, 1773, to Miss Boscawen, niece to the Earl of Falmouth, and daughter of Adm. Boscawen, by whom she has issue.—Thomas, born June 4, 1743, who died an infant. His

Lordship

Lordship dying the 25th of Dec. 1754, was succeeded by his eldest surviving son,

(2d Earl.) GRANVILLE-LEVESON, now Earl Gower.

CREATIONS.] Lord Gower of Stittenham, in Yorkshire, March 16, 1703; Viscount Trentham in the county of Stafford, and Earl Gower, the 8th of July, 1746.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, barry of eight, *argent* and *gules*; over all, a cross-flory, *sable*, for Gower. Second and third, *azure*, three laurel leaves erect, *or*, for Leveson. [Plate XVI.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a wolf passant, *argent*; collared and chained, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two wolves, *argent*, each having a collar and chain, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Frangas, non flectes.* You may break, but shall not bend me.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Trentham in the county of Stafford; and at Stittenham in Yorkshire.

HOBART, EARL OF BUCKINGHAMSHIRE.

THE Right Hon. JOHN HOBART, Earl of BUCKINGHAMSHIRE, Lord Hobart, Baron Hobart, of Blickling, and Baronet, born 1722, succeeded his father John, the late Earl, Sept. 22, 1756. He married Mary-Anne, daughter of Sir Thomas Drury, Bart. by whom, who died Dec. 30, 1769, he has issue, Henrietta, born April 7, 1762, married March, 1780, Almar Lowry Corry, Esq. of Tyrone in Ireland, since created Baron Belmore of that kingdom.—Caroline, born Feb 24, 1767.—Sophia, born April 5, 1768. His Lordship married secondly, Sept. 24, 1770, Caroline, daughter of William Conolly, Esq. by whom he has had issue, John, born March, 1773, died Dec. 20, 1775.—Henry-Philip, born Feb. 11, 1775, and died Feb. 15, 1776.—George, born April 2, 1777, died Oct. 30, 1780.—Amelia.

THOMAS Hobart, of Leyham in Norfolk, Esq. having two sons, William and James, the eldest succeeded him.

Sir JAMES the younger son, married Margaret, daughter of Peter Raunton, Esq. and had two sons and one daughter. Of the sons, who were Sir Walter and Miles, the eldest, who succeeded, married first Anne, daughter of Sir Henry Heyden;

den; secondly, a daughter of John Ratcliff, Lord Fitz-Walter, and sister to Robert, Earl of Suffex.

MILES, the second son of Sir James, marrying Eleanor, daughter of John Blenerhasset, Esq. had two sons, Thomas and John; Thomas married Audery, daughter of William Hare, Esq. by whom he had Sir Miles; and

(1st Bart.) Sir HENRY, who in 1611, was created a Baronet, and made Lord Chief Justice of the Common Pleas. He married Dorothy, daughter of Sir Robert Bell, and had twelve sons and four daughters, Dorothy; Mary; Elizabeth married to John Lisle, Esq. Frances married to — Hewet, Esq. Of the sons, Sir Miles, the second, married Susan, daughter of Sir John Peyton, and had Sir John his heir; and Alice, married to John Jermy, Esq.

(2d Bart.) Sir JOHN married first Philippa, daughter of Robert Sidney, Earl of Leicester; and secondly Frances, daughter of John, the first Earl of Bridgewater; but leaving no issue male, the title and estate descended to his nephew,

(3d Bart.) Sir JOHN, son of his brother Sir Miles Hobart. He married Mary, daughter of John Hampden, Esq. and widow of Colonel Hammond, and had three sons, Henry, John, and Thomas; and two daughters; Philippa, married to Sir Charles Pye; and Mary, who died unmarried. Thomas, the youngest son, died unmarried; John, the second, who died Nov. 7, 1734, was a Brigadier-General; and

(4th Bart.) Sir HENRY the eldest, who was slain in a duel by Oliver le Neve, Esq. in 1697, and left issue by a daughter of Sir John Maynard, John his heir; and three daughters, Henrietta, Catharine, and Dorothy. The latter died unmarried. The second was married to Lieutenant General Charles Churchill. The eldest to Charles, Earl of Suffolk; and secondly to the Hon. George Berkeley.

(1st Earl.) JOHN, in May 1728, was created Lord Hobart, and Earl of Buckinghamshire in August 1746. He married first Judith, daughter of Robert Britiffe, Esq. and by her (who died the 7th of Feb. 1727) had three sons; Henry, who died an infant.—John, the present Earl.—Robert, who died in May 1733. Also five daughters; of whom Dorothy only is living, and was married on the 21st of Oct. 1752, to Sir Charles Hotham, who has taken the name of Thompson, by whom she has issue. Feb. 10, 1728, his Lordship married secondly, Elizabeth, sister to Robert Bristow, Esq. by whom, who died 1762, he had two sons; George, married in May, 1757, to Albina, daughter of Lord Vere Bertie, son of Robert, the first Duke of Ancaster, by whom he has had
issue,

issue, 1. George, who died young. 2. Robert, born 1760. 3. George Vere, born 1761. 4. Albina, born 1759. 5. Henrietta-Maria; and, 6. A son born 1777.—His other son, Henry, married July 1761, Anne-Margaret, daughter of John Bristow, Esq. by whom he has issue, Anne-Catharine; and Maria-Anne. Her Ladyship deceased after the Earl in Sept. 1762; and his Lordship dying Sept. 22, 1756, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(2d Earl.) JOHN, now Earl of Buckinghamshire.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron Hobart, May 28, 1728; and Earl of Buckinghamshire, Sept. 6, 1746.

ARMS.] *Sable*, a star of eight rays, *or*, between two branches, *ermine*. [Plate XVI.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a bull passant, party per pale, *sable* and *gules*, all bezanty, and a ring in his nose, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a stag; on the sinister, a talbot; both *proper*, regardant, each having a radiant collar and line *or*.

MOTTO.] *Auctor pretiosa facit*. The Founder makes it more valuable.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Blickling in the county of Norfolk.

FITZ-WILLIAM, EARL FITZ WILLIAM.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM FITZ-WILLIAM, Earl FITZ-WILLIAM, Viscount Milton, Lord Fitz-William, and Baron of Milton in England; also Earl FITZ-WILLIAM, Viscount Milton, and Baron Fitz-William of Liffier, or Lifford, in Ireland.

For the account of this family, we refer to the Peerage of *Ireland*, under the title of Earl FITZ-WILLIAM.

HERBERT, EARL OF POWYS.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE-EDWARD-HENRY-ARTHUR HERBERT, Earl of POWYS, Viscount Ludlow, Lord Herbert of Cherbury, Baron Powys of Powys-Castle, and Baron Herbert of Cherbury and of Ludlow, born July 7, 1755, succeeded his father, the late Earl, Sept. 11, 1772.

Sir

Sir WILLIAM ap Thomas of Ragland-Castle had issue, William.—Sir Richard Herbert.—Elizabeth. William, the eldest son, on the 27th of May, the 8th of Edw. VI. was advanced to the title of Earl of Pembroke. He married Anne, sister to Walter Devereux, Lord Ferrers of Chartley, and had issue, William, who succeeded to the Earldom of Pembroke; but King Edward being desirous to dignify his son Prince Edward with the title of Earl of Pembroke, procured a resignation of it, and in lieu thereof created him Earl of Huntingdon, July 4, the 19th of his reign. He married Mary, daughter of Richard Woodvile, Earl Rivers, by whom he had Elizabeth his only daughter and heir, married to Charles Somerset, Earl of Worcester. The other children of William, Earl of Pembroke, were Sir Walter.—Sir George.—Philip.—Cecilie, married to Lord Greystocke.—Maud to Henry, the 4th Earl of Northumberland.—Catharine to George, the 2d Earl of Kent.—Anne to John Grey, Lord Powys.—Isabel to Sir Tho. Cooksey.—Margaret, first to Thomas Talbot, Viscount Lisle; and 2dly to Sir Henry Brodingham. The said Earl had issue by Maud (his concubine) daughter of Adam ap Howel Graunt, Richard, from whom the present Earl of PEMBROKE, and the late Marquis of POWYS, descended.

Sir RICHARD Herbert, brother to William, Earl of Pembroke, married Margaret, sister to Sir Rice ap Thomas, by whom he had three sons, William.—Richard.—Thomas.

RICHARD the 2d son, left issue by Anne, daughter of Sir David ap Enion ap Leuellin Vaughan,

EDWARD his heir, who married Elizabeth, daughter of Matthew Price, Esq. by whom he had issue three sons and five daughters; Mary.—Catharine.—Anne.—Jane.—Bridget. The sons were Richard.—Matthew, ancestor of the present Earl of POWYS.—Charles.

RICHARD the eldest son, married Magdalen, daughter of Sir Richard Newport, and by her, who afterwards married Sir John Danvers, had seven sons, and three daughters; Elizabeth, married to Sir Henry Jones.—Margaret to John Vaughan, Esq.—Frances, to Sir John Brown. The sons were Edward.—Richard.—William.—Charles.—George.—Sir Henry.—Thomas.

(1st Lord.) EDWARD, the eldest, was created Lord Herbert of Castle-Island in Ireland, 31st of Dec. 20 Jam. I. and on the 7th of May, 5 Ch. I. was created Lord Herbert of Chisbury. He married Mary, daughter of Sir William Herbert. By this Lady he had Richard his heir; Edward, and Beatrix, who died unmarried.

(2d Lord) RICHARD, Lord Herbert. He died May 13, 1655, and having married Mary, daughter of John, the first Earl of Bridgewater, had issue four sons; Edward his successor.—John, who died young.—Henry, who succeeded his brother Edward.—Thomas, who died unmarried; also four daughters; Frances, married to William Brown, Esq.—Florence, to Richard Herbert.—Arabella—Alice, married to Paul Burrard, Esq.

(3d Lord.) EDWARD, their eldest brother, married first Anne, daughter of Sir Thomas Myddleton; secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of George Chandos, but died without issue Dec. 9, 1678, and was succeeded by

(4th Lord.) HENRY, his brother, who married Catharine, daughter of Francis, the first Earl of Bradford; but dying without issue April 21, 1691, we now return to

Sir HENRY, 6th brother to Edward, created Lord Herbert, who left issue by Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Robert Offley,

(5th Lord) HENRY, who died Jan. 22, 1709, leaving issue by Anne, daughter of Alderman Ramsey, of London,

(6th Lord.) HENRY, his heir, who on Dec. 12, 1709, married Mary, sister to John, Earl of Portsmouth; and dying without issue in April 1738, we now return to

MATTHEW Herbert, second son of Edward, grandfather of Edward, first Lord Herbert; who having married Anne, daughter of Charles Fox, Esq. had Francis his heir, who married first Dorothy, daughter of Richard Parry, Bishop of St. Asaph, by whom he had no issue; 2dly a daughter of Garton, Esq. by whom he had issue Richard Herbert, who married Florence, daughter of Richard, the second Lord Herbert, by whom he left two sons; Francis, the eldest, married Miss Mary Baugh, and had two sons, Henry and Foliat, who both died without issue; and two daughters, Mary married Frederick Cornwall, Esq. and Arabella. George, the youngest son of Richard Herbert and Florence the daughter of Lord Herbert, married Miss Frances Newton, by whom he had Francis, and several other children.

FRANCIS, the eldest, marrying Dorothy, daughter of John O'dbury, and dying Feb. 27, 1719, left issue five sons; Henry-Arthur.—Richard, who died May 16, 1754.—Francis, who died in 1730, unmarried.—Herbert, and John, who both died in 1719, unmarried; and three daughters, Urania married to Coulson Fellows, Esq.—Dorothy to John Harris, Esq. and died June 1, 1759.—Florence died in 1720.

(1st Earl.) HENRY-ARTHUR, their eldest brother, was created Lord Herbert of Cherbury, Viscount Ludlow, and Earl of Powys, on March 30, 1751. He married Barbara, only daughter of Edward Herbert, brother to William the last Marquis of Powys, by whom he had George-Edward-Henry-Arthur, the present Earl.—Georgina-Amelia, born Jan. 10, 1752, died young.—Augusta, born Sept. 18, 1753, died young.—Barbara, born Oct. 9, 1757, died young.—Henrietta-Antonia, born Sept. 3, 1758. His Lordship deceasing Sept. 4, 1772, was succeeded by his son,

(2d Earl.) GEORGE-EDWARD-HENRY-ARTHUR, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Baron Herbert of Cherbury in the county of Salop, Dec. 21, 1743; Baron Powys of Powys-Castle, Viscount Ludlow, and Earl of Powys-Castle, the 27th of May 1748; and on the 7th of Oct. 1749, Baron Herbert, of Cherbury and Ludlow.

ARMS.] Party-per-pale, *azure* and *gules*, three lions rampant, *argent*; armed and langued, *or*. [*Plate XVI.*]

CREST.] On a wreath, a wyvern, with wings expanded, *vert*, holding in his mouth a sinister hand, couped at the wrist, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a lion, *argent*, semée of roses, armed and langued, *gules*. And on the sinister side, a lion, *azure*; semée of fleurs-de-lis, *or*.

MOTTO] *Fortitudine & Prudentia*. By Fortitude and Prudence. And sometimes, *Ung se serwiray*. I will serve one.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Powys-castle in Montgomeryshire; and at Oakley-Park, in Shropshire.

WYNDHAM, EARL OF EGREMONT.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE WYNDHAM, Earl of EGREMONT, Baron of Cocker-mouth, and Baronet, born December 7, 1751, and succeeded his father, the late Earl, Aug. 21, 1763.

This noble Lord derives his descent from Ailwardus, an eminent Saxon, who, soon after the Norman Conquest, being possessed of lands at Wymondham, now called Wyndham, in the county of Norfolk, assumed his surname from thence.

Sir JOHN WYNDHAM, who in the 2d of Hen. VII. was beheaded on Tower-hill, married first Margaret, daughter
of

of John, the first Duke of Norfolk, by whom he had, Sir Thomas. — Edward. — George. — Anne, married to Thomas Radcliffe, Esq. — Elizabeth, married first to Francis Calthorpe; and secondly, to Sir John Culpepper. — Dorothy. — Frances. His second wife was Eleanor, daughter of Norman Washbourn, Esq. and widow of Richard Scrope, Esq. by whom he had only one son, Francis.

Sir THOMAS, the eldest son, married first Eleanor, daughter of Sir Henry Scrope, by whom he had issue Sir Edmund; Sir John, ancestor of the Earl of Egremont; and three daughters; Margaret, married to Sir Andrew Luttrell; Mary, to Sir Erasmus Paston; and Elizabeth. He married secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Henry Wentworth, by whom he had Sir Thomas.

Sir EDMUND, the eldest son, married Susan, daughter of Sir Roger Townshend, and had three sons and two daughters; Jane married first to John Pope, Esq. and secondly to Humphrey Coningsby, Esq. The sons were, Roger, who died without issue. — Francis. — Thomas, who died unmarried Dec. 20, 1599. We now return to

Sir JOHN Wyndham, who by marriage with Elizabeth, daughter of John Sydenham, of Orchard, in the county of Somersset, Esq. had that estate, and it now retains the name of Orchard Wyndham. He had issue, John. — Edmund, who married Mary, daughter of Richard Chamberlain, Esq. and had several children. — Sir Hugh, his 4th son, was created a Baronet, August 4, 1641: He married Mary, daughter of Christopher Alanfon, Esq. and leaving only daughters, the title became extinct. Sir Thomas, elder brother to Sir Hugh, married Elizabeth, daughter of Richard Coningsby, Esq. and had several children.

JOHN, eldest son of the said Sir John, died in his father's life-time. He married Florence, daughter of John Wadham, Esq. founder of Wadham-College in Oxford, by whom he had one son,

Sir JOHN, who died in 1645. He married Joan, daughter of Sir Henry Portman, by whom he had nine sons and six daughters; Henry, his eldest son, succeeded him. — John died unmarried. — Thomas, died April 5, 1749. — Humphrey. — Sir Hugh. — Sir Wadham. — George, died unmarried. — Sir George. — Francis, who died unmarried. His daughters were Joan, wife of John Gifford. — Margaret, wife of John Courtenay. — Florence, wife of John Harris, Esq. — Rachel, wife of Thomas Moore, Esq. — Margery, wife of Thomas Carew, Esq. — Anne, wife of Sir John Ströde.

JOHN, the eldest surviving son, married Catharine, daughter of Robert Hopton, Esq. He died in 1649, leaving Sir William Wyndham his heir; Thomas; and three other sons, who died unmarried; also four daughters; Florence, wife to Sir John Mallet.—Mary, wife to William Okeden, Esq.—Anne, wife to Anthony Bullen, Esq.—Catharine, married first to John Specot, Esq. and afterwards to John Tanner, Esq.

Sir WILLIAM Wyndham was created a Baronet the 13th of Charles II. and died in 1683. By Frances his wife, daughter of Anthony Hungerford, Esq. he had John, William, and Hugh, who all died unmarried.—Sir Edward, who succeeded him.—Rachel, married first to Sir George Speke, and afterwards to Richard Musgrave, Esq.—Elizabeth married to Thomas Earl, Esq.—Frances to Nathaniel Palmer, Esq.—Joan to William Carey, Esq.

Sir EDWARD Wyndham, Bart. married Catharine, daughter of Sir William Levison Gower, by whom he had Sir William Wyndham; and one daughter Jane, married to Sir Richard Grosvenor.

Sir WILLIAM, his successor, died June 17, 1740. He married July 21, 1708, Catharine Scymour, second daughter of Charles, Duke of Somerset, by whom he had three sons and two daughters; Sir Charles his successor, late Earl of Egremont.—Percy O'Brien, who inherited the estate of Henry O'Brien, Earl of Thomond, who married Elizabeth, his mother's eldest sister, and took the name and arms of O'Brien, and on the 30th of Nov. 1756, was created Baron of Ibrican and Earl of Thomond in Ireland, and died unmarried in July 1774.—William born Jan. 19, 1719, died an infant.—Catharine, who died unmarried in April 1734.—Elizabeth, married in 1749 to George Grenville, Esq. brother to the Earl Temple, and died Dec. 5, 1769, leaving issue the present Earl Temple, and other children. Sir William's second Lady was Maria Catharina, daughter of M. Peter D. Jong, relict of William, Marquis of Blandford, by which last wife he had no issue, and she died Sept. 1779.

(1st Earl.) ALGERNON, Duke of Somerset, was created Earl of Egremont and Baron of Cokermonth, Oct. 18, 1749, with limitation of those honours to his nephew, Sir Charles Wyndham, and his brother Percy; and his Grace dying on the 7th of Feb. 1750, was succeeded in the said titles by the said

(2d Earl.) CHARLES, late Earl of Egremont, born Aug. 10, 1710. He succeeded his father as a Baronet, June 17, 1740. On Feb. 22, 1751, he married Alicia-Maria, daughter

ter of George, Lord Carpenter, of Ireland, by whom he had George, the present Earl.—Percy-Charles, born Sept. 23, 1757.—Charles-William, born Oct. 8, 1760, in the army.—William-Frederick, born April 7, 1763.—Elizabeth-Alicia-Maria, born November 29, 1752, married in July 1771, to the Hon. Henry Herbert, of Hampshire, and has issue—Frances, born July 1755, married Aug. 16, 1776, to Charles, eldest son of Lord Romney, and has issue.—Charlotte, born 1756, died young. The Countess their mother was married secondly, July 8, 1767, to Count Bruhl. His Lordship died Aug. 21, 1763, and was succeeded by

(3d Earl.) GEORGE, his eldest son, now Earl of Egremont.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron of Cockermouth, and Earl of Egremont, both in the county of Cumberland, the 18th of Oct. 1749, 23 George II.

ARMS.] *Azure*, a chevron between three lions heads, erased, *or*. [Plate XVII.]

CREST.] A lion's head, erased, within a fetterlock, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a lion rampant, *azure*, winged invertedly, *or*; on the sinister side, a gryphon, *argent*, gutté de sang.

MOTTO.] *Au bon Droit*. To the best Right.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Orchard-Wyndham in Somersetsshire; at Petworth, in the county of Suffex; and at Wresil-castle in Yorkshire.

GRENVILLE-TEMPLE, EARL TEMPLE.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE-NUGENT GRENVILLE-TEMPLE, Earl TEMPLE, Viscount and Baron Cobham, was born June 17, 1753, succeeded his uncle the late Earl, Sept. 8, 1779. He married April 16, 1775, Mary, daughter of Robert Craggs, Earl Nugent of Ireland, by whom he has issue, Richard, Lord Cobham, born March 21, 1776.

The family of Temple, from whom this Lord is maternally descended, is said to be derived from Leofrick, Earl of Mercia, who founded the Abbey of Coventry, and dying in 1087, was buried in that monastery. He married the famous Lady Godiva, who is reported to have rode naked through Coventry to obtain some immunities from her husband to that place.

PETER Temple, purchased several manors in the county of Warwick, and also the manor of Stow in the county of Bucks, in the reign of King Edward VI. and Queen Eliz.

He married Millicent, daughter of William Jeckyll, Esq. and had two sons, whereof Anthony, the youngest, was father of Sir William, from whom descended the famous Sir William Temple, Bart. and Henry Temple, Viscount PALMERSTON in Ireland.

JOHN, the eldest, who was born in 1542, succeeded his father. He died on the 9th of May, 1603, having married Susan, daughter of Thomas Spencer, Esq. and left six sons and six daughters; Millicent married to Edward Saunders, Esq. — Dorothy to Paul Risley, Esq. — Catharine, to Sir Nicholas Parker. — Susanna, to Sir Thomas Denton. — Mary to John Farmer, Esq. — Elizabeth to William, the first Viscount Say and Sele. Of the sons, which were Thomas, George, John, Sir Alexander, William, and Peter;

Sir THOMAS, the eldest succeeded, and was created a Baronet. He married Hester, daughter of Miles Sandys, Esq. by whom he had four sons and nine daughters, who lived to be married, and multiplied so exceedingly, that this Lady, who survived him, saw seven hundred descended from her, besides a new generation of marriageable females, just at her death, which is affirmed by Dr. Fuller, in his Worthies of England. Their sons were, Sir Peter. — Sir John, who married Dorothy, daughter of Edmond Lee — Thomas. — Miles. The daughters were Susan, married to Sir Edward Clark. — Hester to Sir John Rous, Knt. — Bridget to Sir John Lenthal. — Martha to Sir Thomas Peniston. — Elizabeth to Sir Henry Gibbs. — Catharine to Sir William Ashcomb. — Anne to Sir William Andrews. — Margaret, to Sir Edward Longueville. — Millicent to ——— Ogle, Esq.

Sir PETER his heir, married first Anne, daughter of Sir Arthur Throckmorton, by whom he had only two daughters, Anne married to Thomas Roper, Viscount Baltinglafs; and Martha to Weston Ridgeway, Earl of Londonderry. By his second wife, Christian, daughter of Sir John Leveson, he had two daughters, Frances and Hester, and

Sir RICHARD his heir, who married Mary, daughter of ——— Knap, Esq. and had four sons and six daughters; whereof two died young; Christian, 3d daughter, was married to Sir Thomas Lyttleton. — Maria, first to Dr. West, and secondly to Sir John Langham — Heiter, the second daughter, late Countess Temple. — Penelope to Moses Be-

renger, Esq. Of the sons, who were Richard, Purbeck, Henry, and Arthur, the three latter died unmarried; and

(1st Viscount.) RICHARD, was created Baron and Viscount Cobham, and to his heirs; and in default, the dignities of Viscountess and Baroness Cobham to Hester Grenville, sister to the said Richard, Baron of Cobham; and the dignities of Viscount Cobham, and Baron Cobham, to the heirs male of her body, lawfully begotten; and in default, the same dignities to Dame Christian Lyttleton, third sister of the said Richard, Lord Cobham, and to the heirs male of her body. He married Anne, daughter of Edward Halsey, Esq. but had no issue by this Lady, who died in March, 1760. And dying on the 13th of September 1749, was succeeded, pursuant to the limitation, by his eldest surviving sister,

(1st Countess.) HESTER, Viscountess Cobham, whom his Majesty, on the 18th of October, 1749, was pleased to create Countess Temple, and the dignity of Earl Temple to her heirs male. She married to Richard Grenville of Wotton in Bucks, Esq. which

RICHARD, was born the 23d of March, 1678, and dying Feb. 17, 1727, left six sons and one daughter; Richard the late Earl.—George, born in Oct. 1712, and died Nov. 13, 1770. He married in 1749, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir William Wyndham, by whom (who died Dec. 15, 1769) he had issue, George, the present Earl. 2. Charlotte, born Dec. 14, 1754, married Dec. 21, 1771, to Sir Watkins Williams Wynn, Bart. of Denbyshire, and left issue. 3. Elizabeth, born Oct. 24, 1759, married March 10, 1781, to Lord Mahon, eldest son of Earl Stanhope. 4. Hester, born Nov. 23, 1760, married May 4, 1782, Mr. Fortescue, eldest son of the present Lord Fortescue. 5. Catharine, born 1761, married June 5, 1780, Richard-Aldworth Neville, Esq. of Billingbeare in Berkshire, by whom she has issue two sons, born March 2, 1781. 6. Richard Percy, born March 12, 1752, died young. 7. Thomas, in the army, born Dec. 31, 1755. 8. Mary Hester, born Jan. 19, 1750, died Dec. 16, 1751. 9. William-Wyndham, born Oct. 25, 1759.—Henry, born in April 1714, died in May 1716.—James, born Feb. 12, 1715, married Mary, daughter of James Smyth, of Harding in Hertfordshire, Esq. and by her, who died Dec. 14, 1757, had issue two sons, James and Richard.—Henry, born in 1717, married Oct. 11, 1757, Margaret, daughter of Joseph Banks, Esq. by whom he has a daughter Louisa, born Aug. 10, 1758.—Thomas, born in 1719, killed in an engagement with a French squadron, May 3, 1747.—Hester, who married

married in Dec. 1754, William Pitt, late Earl of Chatham, by whom she had issue several children, and was created Baroness Chatham, is now living. And the Countess their mother dying Oct. 7, 1752, was succeeded by her eldest son,

(1st Earl.) RICHARD, late Earl Temple, born Sept. 26, 1711, married May 9, 1737, Anne, daughter and heiress of Thomas Chambers, Esq. of Hanworth in Middlesex, and by her, who died April 8, 1777, had issue a daughter Elizabeth, born Sept. 1, 1738, and died 1742. His Lordship dying Sept. 8, 1779, was succeeded by his nephew,

(2d Earl.) GEORGE, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Baron and Viscount, May 23, 1718; Earl, Oct. 18. 1749.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *or*, an eagle displayed, *sable*; second and third, *argent*; two bars, *sable*, each charged with three martlets, *or*. [Plate XVII.]

His Lordship quarters also the arms of Grenville, viz, *vert*, on a cross, *argent*, five torteaux.

CREST.] In a ducal coronet, a martlet close, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter, a lion party-per-fess embattled, *or*, and *gules*; on the sinister a horse, *argent*, powdered, with eaglets, *sable*.

MOTTO.] *Temp'la quam dilecta.* Temples how delightful.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Stow and Wotton, both in Bucks.

HARCOURT, EARL OF HARCOURT.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE-SIMON HARCOURT, Earl and Viscount HARCOURT, Viscount Nuneham, Baron Harcourt, succeeded Simon, the late Earl, Sept. 16, 1777. His Lordship was born Aug. 1, 1736, and married Oct. 8, 1765, to Elizabeth, daughter of Lord Vernon.

This family is descended from the illustrious house of the Harcourts in Normandy, who took their title from a place of the same name within that Duchy, and flourished there long before the Conquest.

Sir WILLIAM Harcourt married Jane, daughter of Richard, Lord Grey of Codnor, and had two sons; Sir Richard, who married Joan, daughter of Sir William Sharesnull, and died in 1371.—Sir Thomas married Alice, daughter of John, Lord Grey, of Rotherfield, widow of Sir John de Botetourt, and had Thomas his heir, who married two wives; first Joan, daughter of Sir Robert Fraunceys, and had issue Sir Robert,

who married Margaret, daughter of Sir John Byron, and had Sir John his heir, who by Anne his wife, daughter of John Morris, had issue Robert Harcourt, who married Agnes, daughter of Thomas Lymerick, and had a son John, who died in his life-time; and four daughters, his coheirs. Sir Thomas Harcourt, by Elizabeth, his second wife, had

Sir SIMON Harcourt, Knt. who married first, Eleanor, daughter of Sir Roger Lawkner, by whom he had John; and by his second wife Edith, daughter of Thomas St. Clere, Esq. and widow of Miles Stapylton, Esq. had a son Christopher, who marrying Joan, daughter and heir of the above-mentioned Miles Stapylton, had issue Sir Simon Harcourt, who married Agnes, daughter of Thomas Darel, Esq. and had two sons, Sir John and Edward; and a daughter Florence, married to Robert Cotefmore, Esq.

Sir JOHN, the eldest son, married Mary, daughter of Sir William Barentyne, and had seven sons and nine daughters. Simon, his eldest son, married first Mary, daughter of Sir Edward Aston; and secondly, Grace, daughter of Humphry Fitzherbert, Esq. widow of William Robinson, Esq. and thirdly, Jane, sister to Sir John Spencer. By his two last wives he had no issue; but by his first, he had six sons, Walter, John, Robert, Edward, William, and Francis; and two daughters; Jane, married to John Grey, Esq. and Elizabeth, to Richard Chamberlain, Esq. He was succeeded by his eldest son Sir Walter, who by Dorothy, daughter of William Robinson, Esq. above mentioned, had two sons, Robert and Michael; and three daughters; Grace who died young; Elizabeth married to Sir William Essex; and Elizabeth.

ROBERT, his heir, married first Elizabeth, daughter of John Fitzherbert, Esq. and secondly, Frances, daughter of Gefferey Vere, and had issue Sir Simon.—Francis, who died unmarried.—Vere, who married Lucy, sole daughter of Sir Roger Thornton, and had three sons, William, Simon, and Benjamin. Sir Robert had also three daughters; Elizabeth, who died an infant; Jane, married to Henry Wroughton; and Dorothy to Thomas Chetwynd, Esq.

Sir SIMON, eldest son of Robert, married Anne, daughter of William, Lord Paget, and by her, who married secondly Sir William Waller, had a son,

Sir PHILIP, who died in April 1688, and left issue by Anne, daughter of the said Sir William Waller, a son

(1st Viscount.) Sir SIMON, who was on Oct. 18, 1710, made Keeper of the Great Seal, and created Lord Harcourt.

In 1721, he was created Viscount Harcourt; but died on the 29th of July, 1727.

This noble Lord had three wives, first Rebecca, daughter of Thomas Clark, Esq. (and widow of Sir Samuel Astry) by whom he had three sons, and two daughters; Anne, married to John Barlow, Esq. of Pembrokehire, and died Nov. 1733.—Arabella, second daughter, was married to Herbert Aubery, Esq. The sons were Simon, Philip, and Walter, of whom the two latter died young. His Lordship's second wife was Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Spencer, Esq. by whom he had no issue; nor by his third wife, who was Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Thomas Vernon, and relict of Sir John Walter.

SIMON, the eldest son, married Elizabeth, sister to Sir John Evelyn, Bart. of Walton in Surry; which lady died April 6, 1760. His Lordship dying in 1721, left a son Simon, and four daughters; Elizabeth, who died unmarried, Sept. 28, 1765; Mary and Anne, who died young; and Martha married in April 1744, to George-Venables Vernon, now Lord Vernon, and has issue; among whom is the Lady of the present Earl Harcourt, her cousin.

(1st Earl.) SIMON, succeeded his grandfather, and was, on Dec. 1, 1749, created Earl and Viscount Harcourt. His Lordship married Rebecca, daughter and heiress of Charles Le Bas, of Pipewell Abbey, in Northamptonshire, Esq. by which Lady, who died Jan. 16, 1765, he had issue, two sons and two daughters, viz. George-Simon, the present Earl.—William, born March 20, 1742-3, a Lieutenant Colonel in the army, married Sept. 3, 1778, Mary, daughter of William Danby, D. D. and widow of Thomas Lockhart, Esq.—Elizabeth, born Jan. 18, 1739, and married June 20, 1763, to Sir William Lee, Bart. and has issue.—Anne, born in June, 1741, who is since dead. The Earl being unfortunately drowned in a well in his own park, Sept. 1777, was succeeded by his eldest son;

(2d Earl.) GEORGE-SIMON, the present Earl.

CREATIONS] Baron, Sept. 3, 1711; Viscount Harcourt, July 24, 1721; Viscount Nuneham, and Earl of Harcourt, Dec. 1, 1749.

ARMS.] *Gules*, two bars, *or*. [*Plate XVII.*]

CREST.] In a ducal coronet, *or*, a peacock close, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two lions, *or*, each gorged with two bars, gemels, *gules*.

MOTTO.] *La bon temps viendra*. Good Times will come.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Stanton-Harcourt, Cokethrop, and Nuneham, all in the county of Oxford.

SEYMOUR-CONWAY, EARL OF HERTFORD:

THE Right Hon. FRANCIS SEYMOUR-CONWAY, Earl of HERTFORD, Viscount Beauchamp, Lord Conway, Baron of Ragley, and Baron of KILLALTAGH in Ireland.

An account of this family is given in the *Peerage of Ireland*, under the title of Baron CONWAY.

NORTH, EARL OF GUILFORD.

THE Right Honourable FRANCIS NORTH, Earl of GUILFORD, Lord North and Guilford, was born April 13, 1704, and succeeded his father in 1729, as Lord Guilford; Oct. 31, 1734, he succeeded to the title of Lord North by the death of William, Lord North and Grey; and on March 8, 1752, was created Earl of Guilford. His Lordship married June 16, 1728, Lucy, daughter of George, Earl of Halifax, by which Lady, who died May 7, 1734, he has issue one son Frederick, the present Lord North, born April 13, 1732; who on the 20th of May, 1756, was married to Miss Speke, of Dillington in Somerset, by whom he has issue, 1. George-Augustus, born Sept. 11, 1757. 2. Francis, born Dec. 25, 1761, died June 8, 1780. 3. Catharine-Anne, born Feb. 16, 1760. 4. Anne, born Jan. 8, 1764. 5. Frederick, born Feb. 7, 1766. 6. Charlotte, born Dec. 1770. 7. Dudley, born May 31, 1777, died 1779. The Earl married secondly Jan. 1736, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Arthur Kaye, and relict of George, Lord Viscount Lewisham, eldest son of William, Earl of Dartmouth, by whom, who died April 21, 1745, he had issue, Louisa, born March 13, 1737, married Oct. 8, 1761, John Peyto Verney, Lord Willoughby de Broke, by whom she has issue.—Francis, born Feb. 14, 1739, died June 24, 1745.—Augustus-Francis, born Feb. 1, 1740, died Aug. 24, 1745.—Brownlow, D. D. born July 17, 1741, the present Bishop of Winchester, who married Jan. 17, 1771, Henrietta, daughter and coheirefs of — Bannister, Esq. by whom he has issue, 1. Henrietta, born Nov. 20, 1771. 2. Francis, born Dec. 19, 1772. 3. Frances, born in 1774. 4. Louisa, born 1774. 5. Lucy, born in 1775. 6. Elizabeth, born in 1776. 7. Brownlow, born

born 1778. — Charlotte, born Dec. 28, 1743, died March 2, 1748. And his second Lady dying April 21, 1745, his Lordship married 3dly, June 13, 1751, Catharine, daughter of Sir Robert Furnese, and relict of Lewis-Watson, Earl of Rockingham, which Lady died without issue, Dec. 17, 1766.

This noble Earl is descended from Roger North, Esq. who died in the 10th of Edw. IV. and left by Anne, daughter of John Harcourt, Esq. a daughter Ellen, married to John Parker, Esq. and Thomas his heir, who died the 10th of Henry VII. leaving two sons, Thomas; and Roger, who married Christian, daughter of Richard Warcup, and dying in 1509, left two daughters; Joan married to William Wilkinson, Esq. and Alice to Thomas Burnet, Esq. and a son

(1st Lord North.) Sir EDWARD North, who was advanced to the dignity of a Baron. He married first Alice, daughter of Oliver Squire, Esq. and had two sons, Sir Roger and Sir Thomas, and two daughters, of whom Christian married to William, the third Earl of Worcester; and Mary to Henry Scroop. He married secondly, Margaret, daughter of Richard Butler, widow first of Andrew Fraunces, Esq. secondly of Robert Chartsey, Esq. and thirdly of Sir David Brooke, by whom he had no issue. Sir Thomas his second son, married first Elizabeth, daughter of — Colwell, and widow of Richard Rich, Esq. but she dying without issue, he married secondly, the widow of Dr. Bridgewater; by whom he had Edward, who married Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Wren.

(2d Lord North.) Sir ROGER the eldest son, in 1564 succeeded his father, and died Dec. 3, 1600. He married Winifred, daughter of Robert the first Lord Rich, widow of Sir Henry Dudley, and had two sons, Sir John and Sir Henry; and a daughter Mary, who died unmarried. Sir Henry the younger son, married Mary, daughter of Richard Knevit, Esq. and had two sons, 1. Sir Roger; and 2. Sir Henry.

Sir JOHN the eldest son, died in the life-time of his father, June 5, 1597. He married Dorothy, daughter of Sir Valentine-Dale, and had issue, Dudley.—Sir John North.—Roger.—Gilbert.—Elizabeth, married to William Horsey, Esq.—Mary, to Sir Francis Coningsby.

(3d Lord North.) DUDLEY the eldest son, succeeded his grandfather; and marrying Frances, daughter of Sir John Brocket, left two sons, Dudley and John, and two daughters; Elizabeth, who died unmarried; and Dorothy married to Richard, Lord Dacres, of the South. Of the sons,

(4th Lord North.) DUDLEY the eldest, died June 24, 1627. He married Anne, daughter of Sir Charles Montagu, and by her, who died in 1680, had fourteen children, of whom six sons and four daughters lived to maturity; Mary, married to Sir William Spring.—Anne, to Robert Foley.—Elizabeth, first to Sir Robert Wiseman, and secondly, to William, Earl of Yarmouth.—Christian, to Sir George Wynieve. The sons were Charles, Francis, Sir Dudley, John, Montagu, and Roger; the 5th married a daughter of Sir Robert Geers; John died Master of Trinity-College in Cambridge; Sir Dudley was a merchant in London, and seated at Glenham-hall in Suffolk: He married Anne, daughter of Sir Robert Cann, widow of Sir Robert Gunning, and by her was father of another Dudley North, who married Catharine, daughter of Elihu Yale, Esq. and dying on the 4th of Feb. 1730, by her left two sons; Dudley, married to Barbara Herbert, daughter of Thomas the 8th Earl of Pembroke, who had a daughter married July 19, 1737, to Nicholas Herbert, Esq. uncle to the Earl of Pembroke; Roger; and two daughters; Anne; and Mary, the wife of Sir Henry LeStrange.

(5th Lord North, and 1st Lord Grey.) CHARLES, the eldest of the said six sons, married Catharine, daughter of William, Lord Grey of Wark, widow of Sir Edward Mosley, and was summoned to Parliament, by the title of Lord Grey, the 25th of Charles II. and had issue, two sons,

(6th Lord North, and 2d Lord Grey.) WILLIAM, Lord NORTH and GREY; and Charles, who died unmarried; but William, married Mary-Margaretta, daughter of Monsieur Elmeet, and dying without issue, the title of Lord Grey was extinct; his Lady married Patrick, Lord Elibank

(1st Lord Guilford.) FRANCIS, the second son of Dudley, the fourth Lord, was, on Dec. 12, 1682, made Lord Keeper of the Great Seal, and was, in 1683, created Lord Guilford, and died on the 5th of Sept. 1615. He married Frances Pope, daughter of Thomas, Earl of Down, and had three sons, Francis, his heir.—Charles, who died on the 10th of December, 1714, unmarried —Pope, who died an infant; and two daughters; Anne, who died unmarried; and Frances, who died an infant.

(2d Lord Guilford.) FRANCIS succeeded his father. He married first Elizabeth, third daughter of Fulk Grevile, the fifth Lord Brooke, but by her had no issue; 2dly, Alice, daughter and coheir of Sir John Brownlow, by whom he had three sons, and one daughter; Francis, now Earl.—Brownlow

low and Peregrine, who both died infants; and Alice, who died unmarried. His Lordship died Oct. 17, 1729.

(7th Lord North, 3d Lord Guilford, 1st Earl of Guilford.) FRANCIS, succeeded his father as Lord Guilford, and was created Earl of Guilford.

CREATIONS.] Baron North of Kirtling in the county of Cambridge, by writ of summons to Parliament, Feb. 17, 1553, 1. Mary; and Baron Guilford, by letters patent, Sept. 27, 1683, 25 Car. II. and Earl of Guilford, March 8, 1752.

ARMS.] *Azure*, a lion passant, *or*, between three fleurs-de-lis, *argent*. [Plate XVII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a dragon's head erased, *sable*, scaled, ducally gorged and chained, *or*,

SUPPORTERS.] Two dragons, scaled, ducally gorged and chained, *or*, winged, *sable*.

MOTTO.] *Animo & fide*. By Faith and Courage. And also, *La vertue est la seule noblesse*. Virtue is the Soul of Nobility.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Kirtlage, in Cambridgeshire; at Durdans, in Surry; and at Wroxton-Abby, in Oxfordshire.

CORNWALLIS, EARL CORNWALLIS.

THE Right Hon. CHARLES CORNWALLIS, Earl CORNWALLIS, Viscount Broome, Lord Cornwallis of Eye, and a Baronet, born Dec. 31, 1738, and succeeded his father, the late Earl, June 23, 1762. He married July 14, 1768, Jemima Tulekins, daughter of James Jones, Esq. by whom (who died Feb. 14, 1779) he had issue, Mary, born July 18, 1769.—Charles, Viscount Broome, born Oct. 22, 1774.

Of this family, which hath long been of good repute, was John Cornwallis, who in 1377, the 1st of Richard II. was Sheriff of London, and had a son John, who succeeded him, and marrying Philippa, daughter of Robert Buxton, of Suffolk, Esq. settled at Broome, which still continues the chief residence of this family. He was succeeded in 1436, by

THOMAS, his son, who married the daughter and coheir to Edward Tyrrel, and by her had a son William, who marrying Elizabeth, daughter of John Stumford, by her had Sir John; and Thomas, who was Archdeacon of Norwich. Sir John, who succeeded in 1520, married Mary, daughter of Edward Syliard,

Syliard, Esq. and by her had Sir Thomas, his heir, who married Anne, daughter of Sir John Jernegan, and had issue Sir William, who married first Lucy, daughter of John Nevil, Lord Latimer, and had Thomas, who died without issue, and four daughters; and Sir William their father, marrying to his second wife, Jane, daughter of Henry Hercules Mewtas, Esq. by her had,

(1st Lord.) FREDERICK, his heir, who by King Char. II. was created a Baron. By Elizabeth, his first wife, daughter of Sir John Ashburnham, he had three sons, Charles, his heir. — Frederick. — George; and a daughter, Henrietta-Maria, who died unmarried; and, by his second wife, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Henry Crofts, he had a daughter Jane, who was married to William Duncomb.

(2d Lord.) CHARLES, who in 1661 succeeded, married Margaret, daughter of Thomas Playsted, Esq. and died in 1673. He had issue, Frederick. — Nathaniel, who both died infants. — Charles, his heir. — Frederick, who died without issue. — William, who died unmarried. — Thomas, who died in Dec. 1731, without issue. — James, who died an infant. — George, who died at Turin. — Anne. — Elizabeth. — Henrietta-Maria, who all died unmarried.

(3d Lord.) CHARLES, married to his first wife Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Sir Stephen Fox, and by her had four sons; and by his second (whom he married in 1688) who was Anne, Duchess of Monmouth and Buccleugh, widow of James, Duke of Monmouth, he had one son, George, who died young; and two daughters; Anne, who died young; and Isabella, who died in 1748. The sons, by the first wife, were,

(4th Lord.) CHARLES, William, James, and John; the eldest succeeded his father; and he marrying June 1, 1699, Charlotte, daughter of Richard Butler, Earl of Arran, by her had nine sons and three daughters; Charles, the late Earl, born March 29, 1700. — James, born Sept. 16, 1701, died May 28, 1727, in the navy. — Stephen, born December 23, 1703, married Mrs. Pearson, and died in May, 1743. — John, born December 23, 1706, married Miss Dale, by whom he had, 1. John, who died young. 2. Charlotte, who died young. 3. Mary, who died young. 4. Sarah, married to the Rev. Mr. Earl. — Richard, born Sept. 17, 1708, died in Feb. 1741, unmarried. — Edward, born Feb. 22, 1713, married March 17, 1753, Mary, daughter of Charles, late Viscount Townsend, by his second wife Dorothy, sister to Sir Robert Walpole, first Earl of Orford, who died

died without issue, Dec. 29, 1776; and he died Jan. 14, 1776, Governor of Gibraltar, and a General in the army.—Frederick, (a twin with Edward) late Archbishop of Canterbury: He married Feb. 8, 1759, Caroline, granddaughter of Charles, late Viscount Townsend.—William, born March 12, 1714, deceased unmarried.—Henry, born May 22, 1715, deceased unmarried.—Charlotte, died young.—Elizabeth, died an infant.—Mary, died unmarried in July 1756. His Lordship died Jan. 20, 1722, and was succeeded by his eldest son,

(5th Lord, 1st Earl.) CHARLES, who, in Nov. 1722, marrying Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Charles, Viscount Townsend, by his first wife, Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas, Lord Pelham, by her had issue four sons; Charles, now Earl Cornwallis.—Harry, born Sept. 10, 1740, and died in April, 1761, —James, D. D. born Feb. 25, 1742, the present Bishop of Litchfield and Coventry, married April 30, 1771, Catharine, daughter of Gilfridus Mann, Esq. of Kent, by whom he had issue, a son, born March, 1780.—William, born Feb. 20, 1743, a Captain in the navy. And three daughters; Elizabeth, married in 1753, to Bowen Southwell, Esq. of Ireland.—Charlotte, married April 8, 1756, to the Rev. Spencer Madan, by whom she has issue.—Mary, married Aug. 13, 1769, to Samuel Whitbread, Esq. and died Dec. 27, 1770. His Lordship, on June 30, 1753, was created an Earl and Viscount; and dying June 23, 1762, was succeeded by

(6th Lord, 2d Earl.) CHARLES, his eldest son.

CREATIONS.] Baron Cornwallis of Eye in Suffolk, by letters patent, April 20, 1661, 13 Car. II. Viscount Broome, in the county of Suffolk, and Earl Cornwallis, June 30, 1753, 27 Geo. II.

ARMS.] *Sable*, goutte, d'eau, on a fess, *argent*, three Cornish choughs, *proper*. [Plate XVII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a mount, *vert*, and thereon a stag lodged, *argent*, attired, *or*, having about his neck a garland of laurel, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two stags attired and gorged, *argent*.

MOTTO.] *Virtus vincit invidiam*. Virtue overcometh Envy.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Broome in Suffolk; and at Culford-hall in the same county.

YORKE, EARL OF HARDWICKE.

THE Right Hon. PHILIP YORKE, Earl of HARDWICKE, Viscount Royston, Lord Hardwicke, Baron Hardwicke, succeeded his father, the late Earl, March 6, 1764. He married May 22, 1740, Jemima Campbell, MARCHIONESS GREY, only daughter of John, late Earl of Breadalbane, by Amabel Grey, eldest daughter of Henry de Grey, Duke of Kent, by whom he has issue, Amabella, born Feb. 8, 1751, married July 16, 1772, Alexander, Lord Polworth, eldest son of the Earl of Marchmont of Scotland, who was created Lord Hume of Berwick; but dying without issue, March 1781, the title became extinct.—Mary-Jemima, born Feb. 26, 1756, married Aug. 17, 1780, the present Lord Grantham, and has issue.

PHILIP, the late Earl, was, on October 31, 1733, made Lord Chief-Justice of England, created a Baron; and in February, 1737, was made Lord High Chancellor, and in 1754, created Earl of Hardwicke.

His Lordship married Margaret, daughter of Charles Cocks of Worcester, Esq. and of Mary his wife, eldest sister to the Lord Chancellor Somers, by whom he had issue, Philip, now Earl of Hardwicke.—Charles, appointed Lord Chancellor, on Jan. 17, 1770, and created a Peer, by the title of Baron Morden; but dying suddenly on the 22d of the same month, before his Patent passed the Seal, it did not take effect: He married May 19, 1755, Catharine, only daughter of the Rev. Dr. William Freeman, of Hertfordshire, and by her, who died July 10, 1759, had Philip, born May 29, 1757, married July 24, 1782, Elizabeth, daughter of the late Earl of Balcarras of Scotland. 2. Margaret, who died young; as did, 3. Catharine. He married, 2dly, Dec. 25, 1762, Agnetta, daughter of ——— Johnson, Esq. of Berkhamsted, Hertfordshire, by whom he had issue, 4. Charles-Philip, born March 14, 1764; and 5. Caroline, born, Aug. 29, 1765.—Sir Joseph, a Knight of the Bath, a General in the army, and lately Ambassador at the Hague, married June 22, 1783, the Dowager Baroness de Boetzelaer, widow of the late Baron de Boetzelaer, formerly first Noble of the Province of Holland.—John, born Aug. 27, 1728, married Elizabeth, daughter of Reginald Lygon, Esq. of Worcester-shire, by whom he has issue, a daughter Jemima, born June 5, 1763.—James, D. D. the present Bishop of Ely, married June 29, 1762, Mary, daughter of Dr. Isaac Madox, Bishop

shop of Worcester, by whom he has issue, 1. Charles, born May 14, 1764. 2. Joseph, born in 1765. 3. James, born July 27, 1766. 4. Margaret, born June 11, 1763.—Elizabeth, married to George, late Lord Anson, died June 1, 1760.—Margaret, married in June, 1749, to Sir Gilbert Heathcote, Bart. of Rutlandshire, and died Aug. 19, 1769. His Lordship departed this life, March 6, 1764, and was succeeded by

(2d Earl.) PHILIP, now Earl of Hardwicke.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron Hardwicke in the county of Gloucester, Nov. 23, 1733; and Viscount Royston in the county of Cambridge, and Earl of Hardwicke, April 2, 1754.

ARMS.] *Argent*, a saltire, *azure*, with a bezant in the center. [Plate XVIII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a lion's head erased, *proper*; collared, *gules*; charged with a bezant.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a lion guardant, *or*; collared, *gules*; charged with a bezant. On the sinister side, a stag, *proper*, attired and unguled, *or*; and collared in like manner.

MOTTO.] *Nec cupias, nec metuas.* Neither Desire nor Fear.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Hardwicke, in the county of Gloucester; at Wimple in Cambridgeshire; and at Wrest-house, in Bedfordshire.

VANE, EARL OF DARLINGTON.

THE Right Hon. HENRY VANE, Earl of DARLINGTON, Viscount and Baron Barnard of Barnardcastle, in the Bishoprick of Durham, succeeded his father, Henry, the late Earl, who died March 6, 1758. His Lordship, March 10, 1757, married Margaret Lowther, sister to Sir James Lowther, Bart. by whom he had two daughters, Grace, born Dec. 3, 1757; and Elizabeth, born April 28, 1759, both of whom died young; and a son, Viscount Barnard, born July 27, 1766.

JOHN Vane married Joan, daughter and coheir to Edward Hault, and had issue two sons, Henry and Richard, from which Richard is descended the present Earl of WESTMORELAND; and from Henry the eldest, descended Sir Henry Vane, Knt. who left two sons, Henry and George. Henry, the eldest, was beheaded on Tower-hill, June 14, 1662.

(1st Lord.) Sir CHRISTOPHER, his son, was created a Baron, 1699, and dying October 28, 1723, left by Elizabeth, daughter of Gilbert Holles, Earl of Clare, and sister to John, Duke of Newcastle, two sons, and a daughter Grace; besides two sons and three daughters, who all died young. Of the sons, William the youngest was created Viscount VANE, in Ireland; and

(2d Lord.) GILBERT, the eldest, who was Lord Barnard, marrying Mary, daughter of Morgan Randle, Esq. by her, who died on the 4th of August, 1728, had six sons and three daughters; Henry, who succeeded him.—Morgan, who married Margaretta, daughter of Robert Knight, Esq. and she dying in May, 1739, left a son, Morgan Vane, who on July 4, 1760, married Miss Upton, and secondly, Miss Fowler, who died July 11, 1771, without issue.—Thomas, died unmarried, on Feb. 19, 1758.—Gilbert, died Oct. 28, 1772.—Randle, deceased.—Charles, married Feb. 15, 1776, Miss Wood.—Anne, died at Bath March 26, 1736.—Elizabeth, married in Oct. 1732, to Sir William Humble, and died, Feb. 22, 1770, aged 57.—Jane, married to Thomas Staunton, Esq. His Lordship dying April 27, 1735, was succeeded by

(3d Lord and 1st Earl.) HENRY, who married in 1725, Grace, daughter of Charles, Duke of Cleveland; and by her, who died Sept. 29, 1763, had three sons; Henry, who succeeded him.—Frederick, born June 26, 1732, married Harriet, sister to Sir William Meredith—Raby, born Jan. 2, 1736, married in April, 1763, to Miss Eyres, and died October 23, 1769. Also three daughters; Anne, married first to Charles Hope Weir, Esq. 2dly, to George Monson, who died in 1777, and his Lady in 1776, in the East Indies.—Mary, married in November, 1752, to Ralph Carr, Esq.—Henrietta, who died unmarried on Dec. 26, 1729. He was succeeded, on March 6, 1758, by his eldest son,

(4th Lord and 2d Earl.) HENRY, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Baron Barnard, July 8, 1699, Wm. III. Viscount Barnard and Earl Darlington, April 3, 1754, 27 Geo. II.

ARMS.] *Azure*, three sinister gauntlets, *or*. [*Plate XVIII.*]

CREST.] A dexter hand in armour, coupé at the wrist, *proper*, holding a sword, *argent*; hilt and pomel, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a gryphon, *argent*; on the sinister an antelope, *or*, each gorged in a plain collar, *azure*. The dexter charged with three left hand gauntlets, the other with three martlets, *or*.

MOTTO.

MOTTO.] *Nec temere nec timide.* Neither rash nor fearful.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Raby Castle, in the Bishoprick of Durham.

BELASYSE, EARL FAUCONBERG.

THE Right Hon. HENRY BELASYSE, Earl FAUCONBERG, Viscount Belasyse, and Baron Fauconberg, one of the Lords of his Majesty's Bed-Chamber, Lord Lieutenant of the North-Riding of Yorkshire, and Colonel of the North-Riding Regiment of Foot, raised the 18th of Nov. 1779; succeeded his father, the late Earl, in February, 1744. His Lordship was born April 13, 1742, and married May 29, 1766, Charlotte, only daughter of the late Sir Matthew Lamb, Bart. and sister to Lord Viscount Melburne, by whom he has issue, Charlotte, born Jan. 20, 1767.—Anne, born Dec. 27, 1767.—Elizabeth, born Jan. 17, 1769.—Harriet, born April 21, 1776.

This family is descended from BELLASIUS, a Norman Knight, who came into England with William the Conqueror, and was commander in his army.

Sir WILLIAM Bellassise married Margaret, daughter of Sir Nicholas Fairfax, and had several sons and daughters. He died the 13th of April, 1604.

(1st Bart.) Sir HENRY, the eldest son, succeeded; and on the 22d of May, 1611, 9 Jac. I. was created a Baronet. He married Ursula, daughter of Sir Thomas Fairfax, and by her had two daughters; Dorothy, married to Sir Conyers D'Arcy; Mary, to Sir William Lister; and

(1st Viscount.) THOMAS, his heir, who having been advanced to the dignity of Baron Fauconberg, 3d Charles I. was afterwards created Viscount Fauconberg. He married Barbara, daughter of Sir Henry Cholmondeley, and had two sons, Henry, and John; and five daughters; Margaret, was married to Sir Edw. Osborne.—Mary, to John, Lord D'Arcy.—Barbara, to Sir Henry Slingsby.—Ursula, to Sir Walter Vavasour.—Frances, to Sir Thomas Ingram. John the youngest son, in the 20th of Charles I. was created Lord Belasyse. He married first Jane, daughter and heir to Sir Robert Boteler, by whom he had a son, Sir Henry; and a daughter Mary, married to Robert, Viscount Dunbar. His second wife was Anne, daughter of Sir Robert Crane; and his third wife

was Anne, daughter of John, the 5th Marquis of Winchester, by whom he had three sons and nine daughters; the sons, and five of the daughters, died in their infancy. Honora, married to George Nevil, the 10th Lord Abergavenny.—Barbara, to Sir John Webb, and died March 28, 1740.—Catharine, to John Talbot, Esq.—Isabella, to Thomas Stoner, Esq. Henry by the first wife, succeeding his father, married first Rogerfa, daughter of Francis Rogers, Esq. 2dly, Susan, daughter of Sir William Armine, (created Baroness Belafyfe, 1674, 26 Charles II. during her life) by whom he had Henry, his heir, who married Anne Brudenel, sister to George, the third Earl of Cardigan; but dying without issue, his honour became extinct; and she married secondly, Charles, first Duke of Richmond. We now return to Henry, elder brother to John the first Lord Belafyfe, which

HENRY, dying before his father, left issue by Grace, daughter of Sir Thomas Barton, four sons and four daughters; Grace, married to George Saunderson, Visc. Castleton.—Frances, to Sir Henry Jones.—Arabella, to Sir William Frankland.—Barbara, to Walter Strickland, Esq. And of the sons, who were Thomas, Henry, Sir Rowland, and John; the latter died young; the second died in his father's lifetime; and the eldest,

(2d Viscount.) THOMAS, in 1652, succeeded his grandfather; and April 9, 1691, was created Earl of Fauconberg. He married to his first wife Mildred, daughter of Nicholas Saunderson, Viscount Castleton; and to his second, Mary, daughter of Oliver Cromwell; and dying on the 31st of Dec. 1700, without issue male, the title of Earl ceased, and that of Baron and Viscount was continued.

Sir ROWLAND, who was brother to the Earl, marrying Anne, eldest daughter, and at length sole heir to James Davenport, Esq. by her had four sons; and two daughters, Anne and Mary. Of the sons, who were Thomas, Henry, John, and Rowland; the latter married Frances, daughter of Christopher Roper, Lord Teynham; and the eldest,

(3d Viscount) THOMAS, succeeded his uncle in the titles of Baron and Viscount Fauconberg. He married Bridget, daughter of Sir John Gage, and by her, who died in Nov. 1732, had four sons and three daughters; Mary, married to John Pitt, Esq. brother to the Earl of Londonderry, in Ireland; Anne and Penelope, both deceased young. And of the sons, who were Thomas; Henry, and Rowland, who died infants; and John, who died unmarried, 1768. The eldest,

(4th Viscount, 1st Earl.) THOMAS who was born, April 27, 1699, on the 26th of November, 1718, succeeded his father; and in 1756, was created an Earl. On August 5, 1726, he married Catharine, daughter of John Beetham, of Rowington in the county of Warwick, and by her, who died May 30, 1760, had issue Thomas, who died an infant; another Thomas, born June 29, 1740, died in 1750.—Henry, the present Earl. And four daughters; Catharine.—Barbara, married in April 1752, to George Barnewell, Esq. brother to Viscount Kingsland, and died 1761.—Mary, married July 23, 1776, Thomas Eyre, of Hassop, in Derby, Esq.—Anne, married on April 20, 1761, to Francis Talbot, brother to the Earl of Shrewsbury, and died in 1768, leaving issue. And his Lordship deceasing in February, 1774, was succeeded by his third and only surviving son,

(2d Earl.) HENRY, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron, May 25, 1627; Viscount, Jan. 31, 1684; and Earl, June 15, 1756.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *argent*; a chevron, *gules*, between three fleurs-de-lis, *azure*; second and third, *argent*, a pale engrailed between two pallets plain, *sable*. [Plate XVIII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a lion couchant, guardant, *azure*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a buck holding in his mouth a branch of oak fructed, all *proper*; on the sinister an unicorn, *azure*, armed, crested, and unguled, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Bonne & belle assez*. Good and handsome enough.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Newborough-hall, in Yorkshire; and at Sutton in Cheshire.

STRANGWAYS, EARL OF ILCHESTER.

THE Right Hon. HENRY-THOMAS STRANGWAYS, Earl of ILCHESTER, Lord Ilchester and Stavordale, Baron Strangways of Woodford Strangways, Baron of Redlynch, was born Aug. 10, 1747, and succeeded his father, the late Earl, Sept. 29, 1776. He married Aug. 20, 1772, Mary-Teresa, daughter of Standish Grady, Esq. by whom he has had two daughters, Elizabeth-Teresa, born Nov. 23, 1773; and Mary-Lucy; and one son, the late Lord Stavordale, who died April 7, 1777.

WILLIAM FOX, of Farley in Wilts, married Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Pavey, by whom he left two sons. John the eldest, by Elizabeth, daughter of Henry Smart, had John, his eldest son (who left an only son Stephen, who died in 1699, unmarried) and four daughters; Mary married to Edward Thornberrow; Elizabeth to Thomas Dunkley; Margaret to Sackville Whittle; and Jane to Richard Ridge.

Sir STEPHEN, the youngest son, in 1651, married Elizabeth, only daughter of Mr. William Whittle, by whom he had seven sons and three daughters, all which sons died young excepting Charles, who married Elizabeth, only daughter of William Trollop, by whom he had no issue, and died in 1713. Of the three daughters, Margaret, died young.—Elizabeth was married in 1673, to Charles, Lord Cornwallis.—Jane was married in 1685, to George, Earl of Northampton, and died in 1721. Sir Stephen Fox married secondly in 1703, Christian, daughter of the Rev. Mr. Charles Hope, by whom he had four children; two sons, and two daughters; one of whom died young by an accidental fall from a window; and Charlotte, the other sister, was married to Edward Digby, son of William, Lord Digby; Henry, the youngest son, was created Lord Holland.

(1st Lord and Earl.) STEPHEN, the eldest surviving son of Sir Stephen, was created Baron of Ilchester in Somersetshire, and Baron Strangways, of Woodford-Strangways, in Dorsetshire, May 11, 1741, 14 George II. and Lord Ilchester of Stavordale, and Baron of Redlynch in the county of Somerset, with remainder to Henry Fox, his brother, Jan. 3, 1747, 20 Geo. II. and was created Earl of Ilchester, June 5, 1756. He married in March 1736, Elizabeth, only daughter and heiress of Thomas Strangways Horner, of Wells in the county of Somerset, Esq. and took the name of Strangways. He had issue three sons and six daughters, viz. Henry-Thomas, the present Earl.—Stephen-Strangways-Digby, born Dec. 3, 1751, in the army.—Charles-Redlynch, born April 27, 1761.—Susannah-Sarah-Louisa, born Feb. 1, 1743, and married March 7, 1764, to William Obrien, Esq.—Charlotte-Elizabeth, died young.—Juliana-Judith, died young.—Lucy, born Dec. 15, 1748, married Oct. 1, 1771, to Stephen Digby, brother of Lord Digby, by whom she has three sons.—Christian-Henrietta-Carolina, born Jan. 3, 1750, married to John Dyke Acland, Esq. and died Nov. 15, 1778, having had three daughters; and a son John, born at New-York, Feb. 1778.—Frances-Muriel, born Aug. 1755, married Aug. 24, 1777, to Sir Valentine-Richard Quin, Bart. of Ire. land.

Iand. His Lordship deceasing Sept. 29, 1776, was succeeded by his son

(2d Earl.) HENRY-THOMAS, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Earl of Ilchester, June 5, 1756, the rest as above.

ARMS.] *Ermine*, on a chevron, *azure*, three foxes heads, erased, *or*; and in a canton, *azure*, a fleur-de-lis, *or*.

CREST.] On a chapeau, *azure*, turned up, *ermine*, a fox, sejant, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a fox, *ermine*; *frettée*, *or*; on a collar dovetail, *azure*, three fleurs-de-lis of the *second*. On the sinister side, a fox, *proper*, collared in like manner.

MOTTO.] *Faire sans dire*. To act without boasting.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Redlynch, near Bruton, in Somersetshire.

WEST, E A R L D E L A W A R.

THE Right Hon. JOHN-RICHARD WEST, Earl DE LA WAR, Viscount Cantalupe, Baron De La War, and Lord West, born July 18, 1758, and succeeded his brother, Jan. 1783. He married April 22, 1783, Miss Lyell.

Sir THOMAS de West, in the 17th of Edward II. served in Parliament as one of the Knights for the county of Warwick; and in the 16th of Edward III. he had summons to Parliament among the Peers of the realm.

He married Eleanor, daughter and heir to Sir John Cantalupe, and by her had Sir Thomas de West, who married Alice, sister to Lucy Fitz-Herbert, and was succeeded by Sir Thomas his son; who married Joan, daughter of Roger, Lord De La War, and was father of another Sir Thomas, who in 1405, succeeded him, and died without issue.

(1st Lord.) Sir REGINALD his brother, became heir, and 5th of Hen. VI. was summoned to Parliament as Lord De La War. He married Margaret, daughter of Robert Thorley, and left issue a daughter Elizabeth, married to William, Earl of Nottingham; and

(2d Lord.) RICHARD his heir, who died March 10, 16th of Edward IV. leaving issue by Catharine, daughter of Robert, Lord Hungerford, a son and heir,

(3d Lord.) THOMAS, who married first Elizabeth, sister to John Mortimer, and had issue two sons and four daughters; secondly, Eleanor, daughter of Sir Roger Copley, by whom he had three sons; Owen, George, and Leonard; and three daughters; Anne, married to Sir Anthony St. Amand.—Barbara, to Sir John Guilford—Catharine. Of the daughters by the first wife, Dorothy was married to Sir Henry Owen.—Elizabeth to Charles, Earl of Worcester.—Anne to Thomas, Lord Clinton.—Eleanor to Sir Edward Guilford. And of the sons, William died without issue; and

(4th Lord.) THOMAS, the eldest, succeeded his father; but dying Oct. 9, 1554, without issue, William, son of his brother George, became his heir.

(5th Lord.) WILLIAM, who succeeded his uncle, marrying Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Strange, by her had a daughter Jane, married to Sir Richard Wenman.

(6th Lord.) THOMAS, his son, married Anne, daughter of Sir Francis Knolles, and by her had two sons and six daughters, Lucy, Catharine, Eleanor, Anne, Penelope, and Elizabeth; the eldest was married to Henry Ludlow, Esq. Eleanor to Sir William Savage; Anne to John Pellet, Esq. and Penelope to Herbert Pelham, Esq. And of the sons, who were Robert and Thomas; the eldest,

(7th Lord.) ROBERT, marrying Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Henry Cock, Knt. and dying without issue,

(8th Lord.) THOMAS, his brother, became heir, and married Cicely, daughter of Sir Thomas Shirley, and had Henry his heir, and six daughters; Jane, Elizabeth, Anne, Cicely, Lucy, and Catharine; and the said

(9th Lord.) HENRY, marrying Isabel, daughter of Sir Thomas Edmonds, by her had a son Charles, and two daughters; Elizabeth married to Francis Binlows, Esq. and Mary to the Reverend Mr. Orme; and

(10th Lord.) CHARLES, their brother, succeeding his father, and taking to wife Anne, daughter of John Wild, Esq. by her had three sons and two daughters; Cicely, who was married to Dr. Beau, Bishop of Hereford; and Anna-Sophia, who died unmarried. And of the sons, who were Charles, Horatio, and John; the second died unmarried; and the eldest,

(11th Lord.) CHARLES, succeeded his father; but dying without issue,

(12th Lord.) JOHN, his brother, became his heir; and dying on the 26th of May, 1723, left issue by Margaret, daughter of John Freeman, of London, merchant, John, his successor;

successor; and a daughter Elizabeth, who in August 1724, was married to Thomas Digges, late of Chilham-Castle in Kent, Esq. and had two sons, West and Dudley.

(13th Lord, 1st Earl.) JOHN, who succeeded his father, was born April 4, 1693, and was created Viscount Cantalupe and Earl De La War. In 1721, marrying Charlotte Maccarty, daughter of Donagh, Earl of Clancarty, by her, who died Feb. 7, 1735, had issue; John, his successor.—Henrietta-Cecilia, born in 1730, and married in 1762, to Gen. Johnson.—Charlotte, born Sept. 2, 1725, died young.—Diana, born in 1731, married Nov. 9, 1756, to General Clavering, and died in May 1776.—George, born in 1733, who, on Feb. 24, 1764, married Mary Grey, daughter of the Earl of Stamford, (who died March 1, 1783) and died in 1776. His Lordship in June, 1744, married to his second wife the Dowager Lady Abergavenny, who died in July, 1748, leaving no issue. His Lordship deceasing on March 16, 1766, was succeeded by

(2d Earl.) JOHN, his eldest son, born in 1729, married Aug. 8, 1756, Mary, daughter of Lieutenant-General John Whynyard, by whom he had issue; William-Augustus, the late Earl, born in 1757, who died 1783.—John-Richard, the present Earl, born July 28, 1758, an officer in the army.—Frances, born Sept. 24, 1759, and died unmarried, June 17, 1777.—Thomas Holles, born Sept. 27, 1760.—Charlotte, born Dec. 13, 1761.—George, born Dec. 31, 1762, and died in 1777.—Augustus, born 1764, died young.—Septimus-Henry, born Nov. 11, 1765.—Amelia, died in March 1770.—Georgina. His Lordship died Nov. 22, 1777, and was succeeded by his son,

(3d Earl.) WILLIAM-AUGUSTUS, born April 24, 1757, who dying unmarried in Jan. 1783, was succeeded by his next brother,

(4th Earl.) JOHN-RICHARD, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Baron De La War, by writ, June 8, 1294; Baron West, Feb. 25, 1342; Viscount and Earl, March 21, 1761.

ARMS.] *Argent*, a fess dancette, *sable*. [Plate XVIII.]

CREST.] In a ducal coronet, *or*, a gryphon's head *azure*; ears and beak of the *first*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a wolf, coward, *argent*; his plain collar, *or*. On the sinister, a cockatrice of the *second*, his wings displayed, *gules* and *or*.

MOTTO.] *Jour de ma vie*. The Day of my Life.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Bolderwood, Hants.

HENLEY, EARL OF NORTHINGTON.

THE Right Honourable ROBERT HENLEY, Earl of NORTHINGTON, Viscount and Baron Henley of the Grange, in the county of Southampton, Knight of the Thistle, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, succeeded his father, the late Earl, Dec. 14, 1772, born Jan. 3, 1746-7, unmarried.

This family has been of long standing, great repute and interest in the West of England.

Andrew Henley, had two sons and two daughters; Sir Robert Henley. — George. — Joan. — Margery. Sir Robert, the eldest son, had three sons, Andrew his heir; John; Sir Robert, ancestor of the present Earl, who by his wife, the daughter of Sir Edward Hungerford, had Anthony his heir; Robert, who died Sept. 2, 1758; and Williemsfa, wife of Sir Theodore Janssen, Bart.

ANTHONY, his eldest son, died in 1711. He married Mary, daughter of Peregrine Bertie, of Waldershare in Kent, Esq. second son of Montagu, Earl of Lindsey, and by her had three sons, Anthony his heir; Robert; and Bertie, who died July 6, 1760.

ANTHONY, the eldest son, married Elizabeth, only daughter of James, Earl of Berkeley, but died without issue.

(1st Lord and Earl.) ROBERT, the second son, on March 27, 1760, was created Lord Henley, and made Lord High Chancellor. On May 19, 1764, he was created Viscount Henley, and Earl of Northington. In December, 1743, his Lordship married Jane, daughter of Sir John Husband, of Isley in Warwickshire, by whom he had issue; Robert and Henry, both died young.—Robert, now Earl of Northington.—Bridget, born Oct. 2, 1744, married July 29, 1761, Robert Lane, son of Lord Bingley; and afterwards, on Dec. 4, 1773, to John Tollemache, son of the Earl of Dysart in Ireland, who died 1777, without issue.—Jane, born July 12, 1750, married Dec. 16, 1772, to Sir Willoughby Aston, Bart.—Mary born Sept. 20, 1751, married Dec. 23, 1772, to the late Earl Ligonier, by whom she had no issue.—Catharine, born Nov. 11, 1757, married March 17, 1777, to Lord Viscount Deerhurst, eldest son of the Earl of Coventry, and died Jan 9. 1779 —Elizabeth, born June 10, 1759, married Aug. 7, 1783, to Molton Eden, Esq. His Lordship died Dec 14, 1772, and was succeeded by his eldest surviving son, (2d Earl.) ROBERT, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Created Lord Henley, Baron of Grange, March 27, 1760, 33 Geo. II. Viscount Henley, and Earl of Northington, May 19, 1764, 4 Geo. III.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *azure*, a lion rampant, *argent*, crowned with a ducal coronet, *or*, within a border, *argent*, charged with eight torteaux for Henley; second and third, *argent*, three battering rams, *proper*, garnished *azure*, for Bertie. [Plate XIX.]

CREST.] A demi lion, *argent*, ducally crowned, *gules*, and *femée* of hearts.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a lion rampant, *argent*, *femée* of torteaux and ducally crowned, *or*. On the sinister, a stag, *argent*, *femée* of torteaux, attired, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Sola & unica virtus.* Virtue alone.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Grange in the county of Southampton.

BOUVERIE, EARL OF RADNOR.

THE Right Hon. JACOB PLEYDELL-BOUVERIE, Earl of RADNOR, Viscount Folkestone, Baron of Longford in Wilts, and Baron Pleydell-Bouverie, of Colehill in Berks, born March 4, 1750, succeeded his father, William, the late Earl, Feb. 1, 1776. He married in July, 1777, Anne, daughter of the late Lord Feversham, by whom he has issue, Mary-Anne, born April 23, 1778.—William, Viscount Folkestone, born May 11, 1779.—Duncombe, born June 28, 1780.—Laurence, born Aug. 6, 1781.—And a daughter born Sept. 1, 1782.

The first of this family, who settled in England, was Laurence des Bouveries, a younger son of Le Sieur des Bouveries, of the Chateau des Bouveries, near Lisle in Flanders. He had an only son Edward, who died in 1625; who also had a son Edward, born in 1621, an eminent Turkey merchant in London, who acquired a great fortune, and whose eldest son William, was created a Baronet, Feb. 19, 1713. He married first Mary, daughter of James Edwards, Esq. His second wife was Anne, daughter of David Urry, Esq. by whom he had three sons and two daughters, who survived him, viz. Sir Edward, his successor.—Sir Jacob, who succeeded his brother, and changed his name by act of Parliament, from *Des Bouveries* to *Bouverie*.—Christopher, who died unmarried.—Jane, married to John Allen Pulsfey, Esq. died Jan. 10, 1742.—Anne, died 1771, unmarried.

Sir William died May 19, 1717, and his Lady June 5, 1739. Sir Edward married Mary, daughter of John Smith, Esq. and dying without issue, in November 1736, was succeeded by his only brother,

(1st Viscount.) Sir JACOB Bouverie, who was created Baron of Longford in the county of Wilts, and Viscount Folkestone in Kent, July 29, 1747. He married first, Mary, daughter of Bartholomew Clarke, Esq. by whom, who died Nov. 16, 1739, he had issue; William the late Earl.—Mary, born April 29, 1726, died unmarried in 1729.—Jacob, born April 3, 1727, died March 15, 1731.—Bartholomew, born April 16, 1728, died March 6, 1741.—Anne, born Oct. 7, 1729, married Jan. 31, 1761, Rev. George Talbot, brother of the late Earl Talbot, by whom he had issue.—Mary. His Lordship married secondly in April, 1741, Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Robert, late Lord Romney, by whom, who died Sept. 25, 1782, he has had two sons, Jacob, born 1742, who died young; Philip, born Oct. 8, 1745. His Lordship departed this life on Jan. 18, 1761, and was succeeded by his eldest son,

(2d Viscount 1st Earl.) WILLIAM PLEYDELL-BOUVERIE, born Feb. 17, 1761, who was created Baron Pleydell-Bouverie of Colehill, Berks, and Earl of Radnor; and in default of issue, the title of Earl of Radnor, to the heirs male of Jacob, Viscount Folkestone, deceased. He married first, January 14, 1748, Henrietta, the only child of Sir Mark Stewart Pleydell, of Colehill in Berks, Bart. who left his estate to his Lordship, directing each person enjoying the same to use the name of Pleydell-Bouverie. By this Lady, who died May 29, 1750, he had issue, Jacob, the present Earl. He married secondly, Sept. 5, 1751, Rebecca, daughter of John Alleyne, of Barbadoes, Esq. by which Lady, who died May 4, 1764, he had issue; William-Henry, born Oct. 30, 1752, married Aug. 14, 1777, Bridget Douglas, daughter of James, Earl of Morton, and has issue; 1. William-John, born Nov. 23, 1778. 2. Elizabeth, born Oct. 1, 1780. 3. Charles-James.—Bartholomew, born Oct. 29, 1753, married March 9, 1779, Mary Wyndham, daughter of James Everard Arundell, brother to Lord Arundell of Wardour, and has issue; 1. Anne-Maria, born Dec. 9, 1779. 2. Henry-James, born April 17, 1781.—Younge died an infant.—Edward, born Sept. 20, 1760; married May 24, 1781, Catharine, daughter of the Earl of Dunmore, by whom, who died July 7, 1783, he has a son born Feb. 11, 1783.—Mary-Henrietta, and Henrietta-Mary, twins, born June 20, 1755, died infants. He married July 22, 1765, his third wife, Anne, daughter
of

of Sir Thomas Hales, Bart. and widow of Anthony, Lord Feverham, mother of the present Earl's Lady, and by her had issue, Mary-Elizabeth, born May 25, 1766, and died July 5, following.—Caroline, who died April 12, 1772. And his Lordship deceasing Feb 1, 1776, was succeeded by his son,

(2d Earl.) JACOB, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Created Baron Feb. 19, 1714; and Baron of Longford in the county of Wilts; also Viscount Folkstone in the county of Kent, June 29, 1747; Baron Pleydell-Bouverie, of Colehill, Berks, and Earl of Radnor, Sept. 28, 1765.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, party-per-fefs, *or*, and *argent*, an eagle displayed, with two heads, *sable*, for Bouverie, by English grant; second and third, *gules*, a bend, *vair*, being the original arms of Des Bouveries. [Plate XIX.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a demi-eagle displayed, *sable*; beaked and ducally gorged, *or*; on his breast a cross croset, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] On each side, an eagle regardant, *sable*, gorged with a ducal coronet, charged on the breast with a cross croset, *argent*.

MOTTO.] *Patria cara, Carior Libertas.* My Country is dear, but my Liberty is dearer.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Longford, near Salisbury, in Wiltshire.

SPENCER, EARL SPENCER.

THE Right Hon. JOHN SPENCER, Earl SPENCER, Viscount Spencer and Althorpe, and Baron Spencer of Althorpe, in the county of Northampton, was born Dec. 6, 1734, and created Viscount Spencer and Baron of Althorpe, April 3, 1761, and advanced to the dignities of Viscount Althorpe and Earl Spencer, Oct. 5, 1765. He married Dec. 27, 1755, Georgina, eldest daughter of Stephen Pointz, Esq. by whom he has had issue; George-John, Viscount Althorpe, born Sept. 1, 1758, married March 5, 1781, Miss Bingham, daughter of Lord Lucan of Ireland, by whom he has issue, a son born May, 1782.—Georgina, born June 7, 1757, who in June, 1774, married William Cavendish, Duke of Devonshire.—Henrietta-Frances, born June 16, 1761, married Nov. 23, 1780, William, Viscount Duncannon, son of the Earl of Beborough of Ireland, and has issue.—Charlotte, born

Charlotte, born Aug. 25, 1765.—Louisa born April 2, 1769, died April 24, following.

His Lordship's father, John Spencer, was the fourth son of Charles, Earl of Sunderland, by Anne Churchill, second daughter and coheirefs of John, the great Duke of Marlborough. [*See Spencer, Duke of Marlborough.*] He was married Feb. 14, 1734, to Georgina-Carolina, third daughter of the late Earl of Granville, and by her had issue; John, now Earl Spencer.—Diana, born May, 1731, who died young. John Spencer dying June 10, 1746, his widow married May 1, 1750, William, late Earl Cowper, and died August 19, 1780.

CREATIONS.] Viscount Spencer, and Baron of Althorpe, April 3, 1761, and advanced to the dignities of Viscount Althorpe and Earl Spencer, Oct. 5, 1765.

ARMS.] Quarterly, the first grand quarter; quarterly, *argent* and *gules*, in the second and third, a fret, *or*: over all a bend *sable*, charged with three escallops, *argent*, for Spencer; second and third grand quarter, *sable*, a lion rampant, *argent*, in a canton of the last, a cross, *gules*, for Churchill. [*Plate XIX.*]

CREST.] Out of a ducal coronet, *or*, a gryphon's-head between two wings, *argent*, collared gemelly, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a gryphon, *per-fesse ermine* and *ermineois*; and on the sinister, a wyvern, *ermine*, their wings erect, each gorged with a collar fleury counter-fleury and chained, *sable*, and on the collars three escallops, *argent*.

MOTTO.] *Dieu defend le droit.* God defends the Right.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Althorpe, Northamptonshire; and at Wimbledon and Battersea, in Surry.

PITT, EARL OF CHATHAM.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM PITT, Earl of CHATHAM, Viscount Pitt of Burton-Pynsent, in the county of Somerset, succeeded his father, the late Earl, May 11, 1778, was born Oct. 9, 1756, married July 9, 1783, Mary-Elizabeth, daughter of the present Lord Sydney.

THOMAS Pitt, Esq. grandfather of the late Earl of Chatham, married Jane, daughter of James Innes, Esq. of Reidhall, in Scotland, by whom he had issue; Robert, father of the late Earl of Chatham.—Thomas, created Earl of Londonderry

derry in Ireland, who married Frances, daughter of Robert Ridgeway, Earl of Londonderry, by whom he had two sons and a daughter; 1. Thomas. 2. Ridgeway, who both succeeded to the Earldom, and both dying unmarried, the title became extinct. 3. Lucy, married Peirce Meyrick, of Bodorgan in Anglesea, Esq.—John, married Mary, sister of Thomas, Viscount Fauconberg, and died without issue.—Lucy, married James, Earl Stanhope.—Effex, married Charles Cholmondeley, of Vale-Royal, Esq.

ROBERT Pitt, father of the late Earl, married Harriot, sister to John, Earl of Grandison, by whom he had issue; Thomas, who was Lord Warden of the Stannaries and Steward of the Duchy of Cornwall; he married Christian, daughter of Sir Thomas Lyttleton, by whom he had issue, 1. Thomas. 2. Amelia, married to William Spry, L. L. D. 3. Christian, married to Thomas Saunders Esq.—William, late Earl of Chatham.—Harriot, married to Sir William Corbet, Bart.—Catharine, married to Robert Needham, Esq.—Anne.—Elizabeth.—Mary.

WILLIAM, the late and first Earl, was born Nov. 15, 1708, and created July 30, 1766, Viscount Pitt and Earl of Chatham, for his unrivalled abilities, and the eminent services he had done the nation. His Lordship married Oct. 16, 1754, Hester, only daughter of Richard Grenville, Esq. sister to the late Earl Temple, and by her Ladyship (who is *Baroness Chatham* in her own right) had issue; John, the present Earl.—William, born May 28, 1759, the late Chancellor of the Exchequer.—James Charles, born April 24, 1761, died 1780.—Hester, born Oct. 18, 1755, married Dec. 19, 1774, Charles, Viscount Mahon, eldest son of Philip, Earl Stanhope, and died without issue July 18, 1780.—Harriot, born April 15, 1758. His Lordship died May 11, 1768, and was buried in Westminster Abbey, at the publick's expence; and the Parliament, as a tribute due to his merit, settled 4000l. per ann. on the male heir as annexed to the title. He was succeeded by

(2d Earl.) JOHN, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Created Viscount Pitt, and Earl of Chatham, July 30, 1766.

ARMS.] *Sable*, a fess chequé, or and *azure*, between three bezants of the second. [Plate XIX.]

CREST.] A crane, *proper*, beaked and membered, or, holding up his right foot upon an anchor erect, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a lion guardant, *argent*, charged on the right shoulder with a bezant. On the sinister, a buck attired, gorged and chained, or.

MOTTO.

MOTTO.] *Benigno numine.* By God's Blessing.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Hays, in Kent; and at Burton-Pynsent, in Somersetsshire.

BATHURST, EARL BATHURST.

THE Right Honourable HENRY BATHURST, Earl BATHURST, Baron Bathurst of Battleſden, and Baron Apsley, was created Lord Apsley, Jan. 1771, and ſucceeded his father as Earl Bathurst, Sept. 20, 1775. His Lordship married first, Sept. 19, 1754, Anne, daughter and heir of — James, Esq. widow of Charles Philips, Esq. who died Feb. 8, 1758, without issue; and he married secondly, in June 1759, Triphena, daughter of Thomas Scawen, Esq. of Northamptonshire, by whom he has issue; Henry, Lord Apsley, born May 22, 1762.—Triphena, born Oct. 23, 1760.—Catharine, born June 1764.—Selina-Lætitia, born June 3, 1766.—Sufan, born Feb. 3, 1768.—Apsley, born Oct. 14, 1769.

This family was originally seated at a place called Bathurst, near Battle-Abbey, in Suffex, and was possessed of several estates in Kent. Lawrence Bathurst left issue three sons; Edward.—Robert.—John. Edward, the eldest, had issue Lancelot, who lived in the reign of Queen Elizabeth, and married Judith, daughter of Richard Randolph, Esq. and had issue four sons; of whom, George, the youngest, in 1610, married Elizabeth, daughter of Edward Villiers, Esq. and by her had twelve sons and four daughters. Of the sons, Ralph was Dean of Wells, and died June 14, 1704; Villiers, died in 1711; Moses and Henry also lived to an advanced age; and leaving no issue male, and several of the other brothers dying, the estate devolved to the heirs of

Sir BENJAMIN, the youngest, who died on the 27th of April 1704. He married Frances, daughter of Sir Allen Apsley, by whom he had three sons and a daughter, viz. Allen, the eldest son, the late Lord. — Peter, the second son, married to Leonora-Maria, daughter and heiress of Charles How, of Gritworth, in the county of Northampton, Esq. by whom he had Leonora, married to Dr. George Macaulay; and Frances, married to Mr. Cooper; he died in 1768; and she dying, he married to his second wife, Selina Shirley, eldest daughter of Robert, Earl Ferrers, by his second

cond wife, by whom he had five sons and ten daughters; whereof Selina, the eldest, married in 1748, Arthur, Lord Ranelagh; and secondly, to Sir John Elwill, Bart; Henrietta, to the Hon. William Tracy; Anne, to the Rev. Robert Thittlethwayte; Catharine, to Sir Michael Malcolm, Bart. Charlotte, to Joshua Langton, Esq. and died in July 1757; Elizabeth, to Sir Thomas Frederick, Bart. and died 11th of Sept. 1764; Frances, to Anthony Duncombe, late Lord Feverham, and died in child-bed of a daughter, Nov. 21, 1757; Louisa, to George Byam, Esq. Mary, to the Rev. Mr. Yalden; Margaret, unmarried. Of the sons, Peter, the eldest, married Elizabeth, daughter of —— Evelyn, Esq. — Benjamin Bathurst, the youngest son, married the daughter and coheirs of Henry Poole, of Kemble in Wiltshire, who died in child-bed, 1738, having had twenty-one children, whereof seven survived her; of whom Thomas, the eldest son, married Aug. 24, 1749, Miss Anne Fazakerly; Pool, second son, married Miss Anne Hasket; Anne, the eldest daughter, married Charles Bragge, Esq. Susana, married Powell Snele, Esq. Finetta, died unmarried in 1762; and Catharine, married the Rev. Charles Coote, Dean of Kilsenora in Ireland. He married, 1742, to his second wife, Miss Brodrick, only daughter of Dr. Brodrick; and died in 1767. — Anne, married to Henry Pye, of Farrington, in Berkshire, Esq.

(1st Lord and Earl.) ALLEN, the eldest son, was created Lord Bathurst, December 31, 1711, and Earl Bathurst, Aug. 12, 1772. He married Catharine, daughter and heiress of Sir Peter Apsley, Knt. by which Lady, who died June 9, 1768, he had issue four sons and five daughters, viz. Benjamin, born Aug. 12, 1711, and married Nov. 26, 1732, Elizabeth, daughter of Charles, late Earl of Aylesbury, who died Nov. 12, 1771, and his Lordship died Jan. 17, 1767, without issue. — Henry, the present Earl. — John, born in 1728, died unmarried May 6, 1777. — Allen, born Oct. 1729, took Holy Orders, and died in Aug. 1767. — Frances, born 1708, married Aug. 5, 1731, to William Woodhouse, Esq. who died in March 1735. She married secondly, to James Whitshed, Esq. — Catharine, born Nov. 12, 1709, married in 1737, to Henry-Reginald Courtenay, Esq. brother to the late Viscount Courtenay. — Jane, born in 1717, married in April 1744, James Buller, Esq. of Cornwall, by whom she had the present Judge Buller, and other children. — Leonora, born 1718, married in 1752, to Edward Urmston, Esq. — Anne, born 1722, married in 1752, to the Reverend Dr. Benson.

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Benfon. And his Lordship deceasing, Sept. 20, 1775, was succeeded by his son,

(2d Earl.) HENRY, the present Earl.

CREATIONS.] Baron Bathurst, Dec. 31, 1711; Lord Apley, Jan. 22, 1771; and Earl Bathurst, Aug. 12, 1772.

ARMS.] *Sable*, two bars, *ermine*; in chief three crosses, *pattée*, *or*. [Plate XXVII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a dexter arm, in mail, embowed, and holding a club with spikes, all *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two stags, *argent*, each gorged with a collar gemel, *ermine*.

MOTTO.] *Tien ta foy*. Keep thy Faith.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Ruskins, in the county of Bucks; and at Cirencester, in Gloucestershire.

HILL, EARL OF HILLSBOROUGH.

THE Right Hon. WILLS HILL, Earl of HILLSBOROUGH, and Viscount Fairford, in England; and Earl of HILLSBOROUGH, in Ireland.

For an account of this family see Earl of HILLSBOROUGH, in the Peerage of *Ireland*.

BRUCE, EARL OF AYLESBURY.

THE Right Hon. THOMAS BRUDENELL-BRUCE, Earl of AYLESBURY, Lord Bruce of Tottenham, youngest son of George, late Earl of Cardigan, succeeded to the title of Lord Bruce on the death of Charles, Earl of Aylesbury, Feb. 10, 1747, and was created Earl of Aylesbury, June 8, 1776. He married Feb. 17, 1761, Susanna, daughter of Henry Hoare, Esq. and widow of Charles, Viscount Dungarvon, eldest son of the Earl of Cork, in Ireland, by whom, who died Feb. 4, 1783, he has had issue, George, Lord Bruce, born March 23, 1762, died April 1783.—Carolina-Anne, born May 1, 1763.—Frances-Elizabeth, born May 31, 1765.—Charles, born March 7, 1767, died an infant.—Charles, born Feb. 14, 1773. His Lordship, who is second brother to the present Duke of Montagu, and next brother to Lord Brudenell, was, Dec. 29, 1767, by his Majesty's licence, permitted to take up and bear the arms and supporters

Supporters of Bruce, being son of the sister of Charles, the late Earl of Aylesbury, who was created Lord Bruce of Tottenham, in Wiltshire, 19 George II. 1746, with limitation of that honour to his nephew, the present Earl. His Lordship married Anne Savilè, eldest daughter and coheirefs to William, Marquis of Halifax, by whom he had two sons and two daughters; George, born in 1707, who died young.—Robert, who married in 1729, Frances, daughter of Sir William Blacket, of Newcastle upon Tyne, Bart. and died without issue.—Mary, his eldest daughter, married in Dec. 1728, to Henry, late Duke of Chandos, and died in August, 1738, leaving issue the present Duke.—Elizabeth, married in 1732, to the late Benjamin Bathurst, Esq. eldest brother to the present Earl Bathurst, and died without issue, 1771. The said Earl, Charles, married to his second wife, Juliana Boyle, second daughter of Charles, late Earl of Burlington, who died without issue by him, in 1738. He married thirdly, in June, 1739, Caroline, only daughter of John, late Duke of Argyl; and dying Feb. 10, 1747, left issue by her a daughter, named Mary, married in 1757, to the Duke of Richmond.

CREATIONS.] Baron Bruce, April 17, 1746; Earl of Aylesbury, June 8, 1776.

ARMS.] *Argent*, a chevron, *gules*, between three steel caps, *azure*, differenced by a martlet, *sable*; being the distinction of a fourth son. [Plate XIX.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a sea horse naiant, *argent*, mane and tail, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On either side a savage wreathed about the temples, and girt about the loins with ivy, all *proper*; holding in their exterior hands a banner streaming over their heads, *or*, charged with a saltire, and chief, *gules*, on a canton, *argent*, a lion rampant, *azure*, the staff and point *proper*.

MOTTO.] *Fuimus*. We have been.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Tottenham-Forest, in Wiltshire.

VILLIERS, EARL OF CLARENDON.

THE Right Hon. THOMAS VILLIERS, Earl of CLARENDON, Lord Hyde of Hindon, in the county of Wilts, second son of William, the 2d Earl of Jersey. On June 1, 1756, his Lordship was created a Baron, by the name and stile of Lord Hyde of Hindon, in the county of Wilts, to descend to the heirs male of his body, by Charlotte

Hyde; and in default of such issue, the title of Baroness Hyde of Hindon, as aforesaid, to devolve to the said Charlotte Hyde, and the heirs male of her body; and was created Earl of Clarendon, June 9, 1776; also Count of the Holy Roman Empire, 1782. For the ancestors of this noble Lord, See *Earl of JERSEY*. On March 30, 1752, he married Charlotte Hyde, daughter of William, Earl of Essex, by his wife Jane, daughter and coheirefs of Henry, Earl of Clarendon, by whom he has issue; Thomas, Lord Hyde, born Dec. 26, 1753. — John-Charles, born Nov. 13, 1757. — George, born Nov. 23, 1759. — Charlotta Barbara, born March 27, 1761.

ARMS.] *Argent*, on a cross, *gules*; three escallop shells, *or*, on an escutcheon, *azure*; a chevron between two lozenges, *or*. [*Plate XXX.*]

CREST.] A lion rampant, *argent*, ducally crowned, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On either side, an eagle, wings, *or*; ducally collared and legged, *or*; each charged on the breast with a cross, *argent*.

MOTTO.] *Fidei cotricula crux*. The Cross is the Touchstone of Faith.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Hindon, Wilts; and at Grove, Hertfordshire.

MURRAY, EARL OF MANSFIELD.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM MURRAY, Earl of MANSFIELD, and Baron of Mansfield, in the county of Nottingham, Lord Chief Justice of the Court of King's Bench, was created a Baron, Nov. 8, 1756, and was advanced to the dignity of an Earl, October 19, 1776, with remainder to the heirs male of his father. He married in September 1738, Elizabeth, sister to the late Earl of Winchelsea, by whom he has no issue.

For a particular account of this noble Lord's family, the reader is desired to see Viscount Stormont, among the Peers of Scotland.

ARMS.] *Azure*, three mullets, *argent*, within a double tressure, *or*. [*Plate XXXI.*]

CREST.] On a wreath, a buck's head, coupéd, *proper*, with a cross, pattee between his antlers, *argent*.

MOTTO.] *Uni æquus virtuti*. Favourable to Virtue alone.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Cane-Wood, near Hampstead, in Middlesex.

VISCOUNTS OF ENGLAND.

DEVEREUX, VISCOUNT HEREFORD.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE DEVEREUX, Viscount HEREFORD, and Baronet, Premier Viscount of England, born April 25, 1744, and succeeded his brother, the late Viscount, August 1, 1783. His Lordship married Nov. 30, 1765, Mary, daughter of George Devereux, Esq. of Tregoyd, in Brecknockshire, by whom he has issue, a son born May 16, 1772; and a daughter.

This family is said to take their surname from Eureux, a town of note in Normandy.

Sir JOHN DEVEREUX, in the 42d of Edward III. attended the Black Prince into Gascoign, and afterwards served that King in his war in France; and from the 8th to the 16th of Richard II. had summons to Parliament among the Barons. From him descended

Sir WALTER Devereux, who married Anne, sole daughter and heir to William, Lord Ferrers of Chartley, and was summoned to Parliament as Lord Ferrers, the 1st of Edward IV. but was slain with Richard III. at Bosworthfield; leaving a daughter Elizabeth, married first to Sir Richard Corbet, and secondly to Sir Thomas Leighton; and a son,

Sir JOHN Devereux, who succeeded him as Lord Ferrers of Chartley. He married Cicilia, daughter of Henry Bourchier, Earl of Essex, and had summons to Parliament from the 3d to the 12th of Henry VII. and had a son,

(1st Viscount.) WALTER, who succeeded him; and on the 2d of Feb. 1546, the 1st of Edward VI. was created Viscount Hereford, and died in 1558. He married to his first wife, Mary Grey, daughter of Thomas, Marquis of Dorset, and by her had three sons; Henry who died unmarried.—Sir Richard.—Sir William, who married Jane, daughter of John Scudamore, Esq. and left two daughters; Barbara, married first to Edward Cave, Esq. and afterwards to Sir Edward Hastings; and Margaret to Sir Robert Littleton. And by his second wife, Margaret, daughter of Robert Garnish, Esq. he had a son Sir Edward.

Sir RICHARD, the eldest son, married Dorothy, daughter of the first Earl of Huntingdon; and dying in his father's life-time, left issue,

(2d Viscount.) WALTER, who succeeded his grandfather; and on the 4th of May, 1572, the 14th of Eliz. was created Earl of Essex. He was also stiled Earl of Eu, Hereford, and Bouchier, Lord Ferrars of Chartley, Bouchier, and Louvain, and died Sept. 22, 1576, leaving issue by Lettice his wife, daughter of Sir Francis Knolles, two daughters; Dorothy, first married to Sir Thomas Perrot, and secondly to Henry, the ninth Earl of Northumberland; and Penelope, to Robert, the third Earl of Warwick; and one son,

(3d Viscount.) ROBERT Devereux, Earl of Essex, that great favourite of Queen Elizabeth, who was on Feb. 15, 1600, beheaded. He married Frances, daughter of Sir Francis Walsingham, widow of Sir Philip Sidney, and by her (who afterwards married Richard Bourk, Earl of St Alban's) left one son and two daughters; Robert, Frances, and Dorothy; who were all restored in blood, the 1st of James I. The eldest daughter married the second Duke of Somerset; the youngest, first to Sir Henry Shirley, and secondly to William Stafford, Esq. He had also by his mistress Southwell, a natural son named Walter.

(4th Viscount.) ROBERT, married first Frances Howard, daughter of Thomas, the first Earl of Suffolk; but that marriage being set aside, he married secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir William Powlett, by whom he had a son, Robert, who died an infant; and dying Sept. 13, 1646, without surviving issue, the Earldoms of Essex and Eu became extinct, and the Barony of Ferrars of Chartley descended to the family of Shirley, Earl Ferrers.

Sir EDWARD Devereux, son of Walter, the first Viscount Hereford, married Catharine, daughter of Edward Arden, Esq. by whom he had two sons, Sir Walter and Sir George; of whom,

(5th Viscount.) Sir WALTER, became Viscount Hereford, and marrying Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Knightley, Esq. had five sons; Essex, Leicester, Walter, Edward, and John. Essex, the eldest, married Anne, daughter of Sir William Courteen, and died in his father's life-time, without issue; Walter, Edward, and John, left no issue; and

(6th Viscount.) LEICESTER became heir. He married first Elizabeth, daughter of Sir William Withipole, and by her had a daughter Frances, married to the fourth Viscount Tracy; and by his second wife Priscilla, daughter of John Catchpole, Esq. he had two sons and two daughters; of whom, Elizabeth died unmarried; Anne, married first to Leicester Martin, Esq. and left an only daughter Elizabeth,
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married to Price, the tenth Viscount; and secondly, to John Berkeley, Esq. who died December 11, 1736, leaving a son Norborne Berkeley, the late Lord Botetourt; and a daughter Elizabeth, married in April, 1740, to Charles Noel, late Duke of Beaufort. And of the sons,

(7th Viscount.) LEICESTER, the eldest, on the 1st of December, 1676, succeeded his father in the title of Viscount Hereford; but he dying in March, 1683, the honour devolved upon

(8th Viscount.) EDWARD, his brother. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Walter Narborne, Esq. but having no issue male, and dying on the 9th of August, 1700, we return to

Sir GEORGE, brother to Sir Walter, the 5th Viscount, who married Blanch, daughter and heir to John Ridge, Esq. and had George his heir, who married Bridget, daughter of Arthur Price, Esq. and had two sons, Price, who died before him; and Vaughan.

PRICE, the eldest, leaving issue by Mary his wife, daughter of ——— Stephens,

(9th Viscount.) PRICE Devereux, his heir. This Lord married Mary, daughter of Samuel Sandys, Esq. and by her, who died on the 14th of Jan. 1729, had one son, Price; and one daughter, Mary, married to William Price; and dying in Oct. 1740, was succeeded in honour and estate by his only son,

(10th Viscount.) Price Devereux, born June 9, 1694, who married January 3, 1720, Elizabeth, only daughter of Leicester Martin, Esq. which Lady died, leaving no issue. He married July 30, 1740, to his second wife, Eleonora, daughter of ——— Price, Esq. and dying in Aug. 1748, without issue, we return to

VAUGHAN, second son of George Devereux, Esq. who left issue by a daughter of ——— Fox,

ARTHUR, his heir, who married first a daughter of Evan Glynn, Esq. by whom he had two sons; Arthur, who died in 1737, without issue; and Vaughan, who died an infant; but by his second wife, Elizabeth, daughter of Richard Glynn, Esq. had issue

(11th Viscount.) EDWARD, Viscount Hereford, who married Catharine, daughter of Richard Mytton, Esq. which Lady died Feb. 2, 1749; by whom he had issue, Bridget, born May 9 1739, married Price Jones, Esq. and died in May, 1781.—Arthur, born March 25, 1740, died Sept. 17, 1743.—Edward, late Viscount, born February 19, 1741.—Arthur, born Feb. 10, 1742, and died in July following.—

Catharine, born Feb. 7, 1743.—George, born April 25, 1744, the present Viscount. His Lordship departing this life, on Aug. 21, 1760, was succeeded by his eldest surviving son, (12th Viscount.) EDWARD, the late Viscount, born Feb. 5, 1741, who married in May, 1774, Henrietta-Charlotte, daughter and coheirefs of Anthony Keck, Esq. by whom he had no issue; and dying Aug. 1, 1783, was succeeded by his only surviving brother,

(13th Viscount.) GEORGE, the present Viscount.

CREATION.] Viscount Hereford, Feb. 2, 1550.

ARMS.] *Argent*, a fefs, *gules*, and in chief three torteaux, *gules*. [Plate XXI.]

CREST.] In a ducal coronet, *or*, a talbot's head, *argent*; eared, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a talbot, *argent*; eared, *gules*; with a ducal coronet of the *second*. On the sinister a rein deer of the *last*, attired, gorged with a ducal coronet, and chained, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Basis virtutum constantia*. Steadiness is the Foundation of Virtue.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Nanteribba, in Montgomeryshire.

BROWN, VISCOUNT MONTAGU.

THE Right Honourable ANTHONY BROWN, Viscount MONTAGU, born April 11, 1728, and succeeded his father, April 23, 1767. He married July 2, 1765, Frances, daughter of Herbert Mackworth, Esq. and widow of Lord Halkerton, by whom he has a daughter, Elizabeth-Mary, born Feb. 5, 1767; and George Samuel, born June 26, 1769.

Sir ANTHONY BROWN, Knight of the Bath at the coronation of King Richard II. had issue Sir Robert; and Sir Stephen, who was Lord Mayor of London in 1439. Sir Robert was father of Sir Thomas, who had five sons; 1. Sir George. 2. William, who died without issue. 3. Anthony. 4. Thomas. 5. Sir Robert. Anthony married Lucy, daughter of John Nevil, and had Sir Anthony, who left by Alice his wife, daughter of Sir John Gage, 1. Anthony. 2. Thomas. 3. William.

(1st Viscount.) ANTHONY the eldest, was in the first of Philip and Mary, advanced to the dignity of Baron and Viscount Montagu. He married first Jane, daughter of Robert Ratcliffe,

Ratcliffe, Earl of Suffex, and had a son Anthony; and a daughter Mary, first married to Henry Wriothesly, Earl of Southampton; secondly, to Sir Thomas Heneage, Knt. and thirdly, to Sir William Harvey. And by his second wife, Magdalen, daughter of William, Lord Dacres, he had four sons and three daughters; Elizabeth, married to Robert, the first Lord Dormer.—Mabel, to Sir Henry Capel.—Jane, to Sir Francis Lacon. The sons were, Sir George.—Thomas, who died unmarried.—Henry.—Francis.

ANTHONY, by the first wife, married Mary, daughter of Sir William Dormer, and dying in his father's life-time, Oct. 19, 1592, left three sons and three daughters; Dorothy, married to Edmund Lee, Esq.—Jane, to Sir Francis Englefield.—Catharine, to — Treganian, Esq. The sons were, Anthony.—John, who married Anne Gifford, and had issue Stanislaus and George.—William.

(2d Viscount.) ANTHONY the eldest, succeeded his grandfather; and by Jane, daughter of Thomas, first Earl of Dorset, had Francis his heir, and six daughters; Mary, married first to William, Lord St. John of Basing.—Catharine, to William Tyrwhitt, Esq.—Anne and Lucy, both nuns.—Frances married to John Blomer, Esq.—Maria, to Robert, the third Lord Petre. And

(3d Viscount.) FRANCIS, their brother, who succeeded his father, marrying Elizabeth, daughter of Henry the first Marquis of Worcester, had Anthony, who died unmarried; Francis and Henry; and a daughter Elizabeth, married to Christopher, the fifth Lord Teynham.

(4th Viscount.) FRANCIS, the eldest surviving son, on the 2d of Nov. 1680, succeeded, and married Mary, daughter of William, Marquis of Powys, and widow of Richard, eldest son of Caryl, Viscount Molineux in Ireland; but dying without issue in 1708,

(5th Viscount.) HENRY, his brother, became heir. He married Barbara, daughter of James Walsingham, Esq. and dying on the 25th of June, 1717, left Anthony his heir, and six daughters; Mary, who died unmarried; Elizabeth, a nun; Barbara, married to Ralph Salvin, Esq. Catharine, to George Collingwood, Esq. Anne, married to Anthony Kempe, of Slindon, Esq. and Henrietta married — Harcourt, Esq.

(6th Viscount.) ANTHONY, who succeeded, marrying 1720, Barbara, third daughter of Sir John Webb, Bart. by her, who died April 6, 1779, left Anthony, the present Viscount. — Mary, born in 1735, married on Sept. 24, 1761, to Sir

Richard Bedingfield, Bart. and died Sept. 23, 1767, leaving issue.

(7th Viscount.) ANTHONY, the present Viscount.

CREATION.] Viscount Montagu, Sept. 2, 1554.

ARMS.] *Sable*, three lions passant in bend, between two double cotises, *argent*. [*Plate XXI.*]

CREST.] On a wreath, an eagle displayed, *vert*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two wolves, *argent*; with each a plain collar and chain, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Suivex raison*. Follow Reason.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Cowdry in Suffex.

TOWNSHEND, VISCOUNT TOWNSHEND.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE TOWNSHEND, Viscount TOWNSHEND of Raynham, and Baron Townshend of Lynn Regis, and Baronet, born Feb. 28, 1724, and succeeded his father the late Viscount, March 12, 1764. He married first in December, 1751, Charlotte, only daughter of James, Earl of Northampton, and Baroness Ferrars of Chartley, in right of her mother, by which Lady, who died September 14, 1770, he had issue, George, born April 18, 1753, now Baron de Ferrars.—John, born Jan. 1757, and died in Dec. 1773.—Frederick-Patrick, born Dec. 20, 1767, who died within a week after his brother John.—Charlotte, born Oct. 15, 1754, and died March 12, 1760.—Caroline, died an infant.—Frances, born March 28, 1761, and died May 11, following.—Charles, born Jan. 6, 1769.—Elizabeth, born 1766. His Lordship married secondly, May 19, 1773, Miss Montgomery, by whom he has, Anne, born Feb. 1, 1775.—Charlotte, born March 19, 1776.—Honora Maria, born July 6, 1777.—William, born Sept. 15, 1778.

The family of Townshend hath long flourished in Norfolk. Sir Roger Townshend, in the reign of Edward V. was made chief Justice of the Common Pleas: He married Anne, daughter of Sir William Brewse, by whom he had a numerous issue. The sons were; Roger, who died without issue.—John.—Sir Robert, who was Chief-Justice of Chester.—George.—Thomas.—Giles. John the second son married Eleanor, daughter of Sir John Heydon, and had four sons, of whom Richard, the eldest, married Catharine, daughter of Sir Humphrey Brown, and by her had

had Sir Roger Townshend, who by Jane, youngest daughter of Sir Michael Stanhope, who afterwards married Henry the seventh Lord Berkeley, had issue, 1. Sir John. 2. Sir Robert, who married Anne, daughter of William, Lord Spencer, but died without issue. Sir John married the daughter of Nathaniel Bacon, and by her had,

(1st Baronet.) ROGER, who in 1617, the 15th of James I. was created a Baronet, and died January 1, 1636.—Stanhope.—Elizabeth, married to John Spelman, Esq. Sir Roger, the eldest, married Mary, daughter of Horace, Lord Vere, and by her (who afterwards married Mildmay, the second Earl of Westmoreland) had Sir Roger, who died in his minority; Sir Horatio; and five daughters; Mary, Jane, Anne, Elizabeth, and Vere; whereof the latter was married to Sir Ralph Hare; Anne, to William Cartwright, Esq. Jane, to John Wyndham, Esq. and Mary, to Thomas Lord Crew: And

(1st Viscount) Sir HORATIO, their brother, in 1661, was created Lord Townshend, and in 1682, Viscount Townshend. He married first Mary, daughter of Edward Lewknor, Esq. by whom he had no issue; secondly Mary, daughter of Sir Joseph Ashe, by whom he had three sons, Charles, Roger, and Horatio; whereof the latter died Oct. 4, 1751, leaving a daughter, married to Lord Burleigh, eldest son of the Earl of Exeter. Roger died May 22, 1709, unmarried; and

(2d Viscount.) CHARLES, the eldest, succeeded his father. By his second wife (who was Dorothy, sister to Robert, Earl of Orford, and who died on the 29th of March, 1726) he had issue four sons and two daughters; George, an Admiral in the navy, born 1715, died in 1769.—Augustus, deceased in 1746.—Horatio, died in 1764.—Richard, born Sept. 8, 1721, died an infant.—Edward, in Holy Orders, who married in May, 1747, Mary, daughter of Brigadier-General Price, by whom he had one son Edward, and five daughters; Mary, Elizabeth, Henrietta, Lucy; and Charlotte, married May 12, 1773, John Norris, Esq. of Norfolk, and secondly, to William Fanquier, Esq. He died Jan. 27, 1764.—Dorothy, married 1742, to Dr. Spencer Cowper, Dean of Durham, brother to William, Earl Cowper, and died May, 1779.—Mary, married March 17, 1753, to Edward Cornwallis, Esq. uncle to the present Earl, and died without issue, Dec. 29, 1776. And by his first, who was Elizabeth, second daughter of Thomas, Lord Pelham, he had five sons; and a daughter Elizabeth, married to Charles, late Earl Cornwallis. The sons by the first wife were, Ho-
ratio,

ratio, born Aug. 13, 1699, and died an infant.—Charles, his successor.—Thomas—William.—Roger, died August 7, 1760. William, the fourth son, born June 9, 1702, on May 29, 1725, married Henrietta, daughter of the Lord William Powlett, who died Jan. 11, 1755. He died in Jan. 1738, leaving issue a son, Charles, married August 1777, Miss Annabella-Paulett Smith, and has issue, 1. Caroline, married the Hon. Frederick Cornwallis, late Archbishop of Canterbury. 2. Anne, married Charles Hedges, Esq. and died 1758. 3. Dorothy, married Burton Allen, Esq. 4. Frederick, died young, as did 5. Henrietta.—Thomas, 3d son, born June 2, 1701, and died 1780, having married May 2, 1730, Albana, daughter of Colonel John Selwyn; and by her, who died in 1739, he had three sons and two daughters, 1. Thomas, born 1733, the present Lord SYDNEY. 2. Charles, born in 1736. 3. Henry, killed in Germany in 1760. 4. Albinia, born in April 1735, and married in April, 1752, to George, late Viscount Middleton of Ireland, by whom she had issue. 5. Mary.

(3d Viscount.) CHARLES, the eldest, on the 24th of May, 1723, was called up by writ to the House of Peers, and in the same month married Audrey, daughter of Edward Harrison of Balls, in the county of Hertford, Esq. and by her had issue, four sons and a daughter; George, the present Viscount.—Charles, who married Sept. 15, 1755, to Caroline, eldest daughter of John, late Duke of Argyll, widow of Francis, Earl of Dalkeith, now Baroness Greenwich, and died Sept. 4, 1767, leaving issue; *See Baroness GREENWICH.*—Edward, died June 25, 1731.—Roger, Lieutenant-Colonel in the army, who was killed July 25, 1759, aged 28, at Ticonderago.—Audrey, married Robert Orme, Esq. of Devonshire, and died Feb. 1781. His Lordship succeeded his father in June, 1738, departed this life March 12, 1764, and was succeeded by his eldest son,

(4th Viscount.) GEORGE, the present Viscount.

CREATIONS.] Baron, April 20, 1661; Viscount, Dec. 2, 1682.

ARMS.] *Azure*, a chevron, *ermine*, between three escallop shells, *argent*. [*Plate XXI.*]

CREST.] On a wreath a buck, *sable*, attired, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a buck, *sable*; on the sinister, a greyhound, *argent*.

MOTTO.] *Hæc generi incrementa fides.* This Faith will be of Service to our Descendants.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Raynham-Hall; and at Stiffcay-Hall, in the county of Norfolk.

THYNNE, VISCOUNT WEYMOUTH.

THE Right Hon. THOMAS THYNNE, Viscount WEYMOUTH, and Baron Thynne, of Warminster, Knt. of the Garter, and Baronet, born Sept. 13, 1734, succeeded Thomas the late Viscount, his father, Jan. 12, 1751; and married May 22, 1759, Elizabeth Bentinck, eldest daughter of the late Duke of Portland, by whom he has had issue, Louisa, born March 25, 1760, married Dec. 3, 1781, the present Earl of Aylesford.—Charlotte, born Nov. 7, 1761, died May 19, 1764.—Henrietta, born Nov. 17, 1762.—Sophia, born Dec. 19, 1763, died April 6, 1782.—Thomas, born Jan. 25, 1765.—Two sons, twins, still-born, June 25, 1766.—Maria, born Aug. 1, 1767, died March 30, 1768.—Isabella, born Oct. 11, 1768.—George, born Jan. 23, 1770.—Frances, born March 20, 1771.—John, born Dec. 25, 1772.—Elizabeth, born Aug. 19, 1775, died three days after.—Mary, born May 17, 1778.—A son born, Oct. 1781.

This family, according to the account of our best historians, came into England in the reign of King John, bearing the surname of Bouteville.

JOHN Bouteville, was named John le Thynne; and from him (who lived in the reign of Edward IV.) the name of Thynne was derived to the family of Bouteville. He married Joan, daughter of — Boulder, by whom he had issue three sons, William, Roger, and Thomas. William married Joan, daughter of John Higgins of Stratton, and had issue Thomas, and William. Thomas, married Margaret, daughter of Thomas Eynes, Esq. by whom he had Sir John Thynne, who built Long-Leate: He married first, Christian, daughter of Sir Richard Gresham, and by her had John his heir; Francis; Thomas; and three daughters; Anne, married to John Coles, Esq. Dorothy married to John Strangways, Esq. Elizabeth, to Sir John Chamberlain. His second wife was Dorothy, daughter of Sir William Wroughton, by whom he had five sons, Henry, Charles, Edward, William, and Egremont; and two daughters, Catharine and Gresham. He died May 21, 1580, and was succeeded by Sir John, his eldest son, who married Joan, daughter of Sir Rowland Heyward, and by her had a son Thomas, and two daughters; Dorothy, married to — Roscarrock, Esq. and Christian to Sir Francis Leigh. Sir Thomas, married two wives; first Mary, daughter of George, Earl of Castlehaven, by whom he had two sons, Sir James and Sir Thomas; of whom, the

eldest

eldest succeeded him; but he (who married Isabella Rich, daughter of Henry, Earl of Holland) dying without issue, Sir Thomas his brother became heir; he married a daughter of Dr Balenquell, and had issue one son, Thomas, and two daughters; one married to Mr. Baynton, and the other to Mr. Hall. Thomas, their brother, succeeded his father; he was married or contracted in marriage to Elizabeth, only daughter and heir of Josceline Percy, the last Earl of Northumberland, and widow of Henry, Earl of Ogle, son of Henry, Duke of Newcastle, afterwards the wife of Charles, Duke of Somerset; on which Lady's account he was basely murdered, by the contrivance of Count Conningmark, in his coach, in Pall-mall, on Sunday the 12th of Feb. 1682, by three assassins, who were all executed where they committed the fact.

The male line of this branch thus expiring, we return to Sir Thomas Thynne, his grandfather, who married to his second wife, Catharine, daughter of Charles Howard, by whom he had Sir Henry-Frederick Thynne, Bart. who married Mary, daughter of Thomas, Lord Coventry, and by her had three sons and two daughters; of whom Catharine, the youngest, was married to John, Viscount Lonsdale; and Mary, the eldest, to Sir Richard How. The sons were, Thomas, James, and Henry-Frederick. James, died unmarried March 15, 1709, at Long-Leate; and,

(1st Viscount.) THOMAS, the eldest, succeeding, was created a Baron, and Viscount Weymouth, with limitation, in failure of heirs, to his brothers. He married Frances Finch, eldest daughter of Heneage, Earl of Winchelsea, and by her, who died April 17, 1712, aged 63, had a son Henry; and a daughter Frances, married to Sir Robert Worsley. Henry, his son, marrying Grace, daughter of Sir George Strode, by her had two daughters, Frances and Mary; of whom, the youngest married William Grevile, Lord Brook, but died March 29, 1720; and the eldest was the widow-dowager of Algernon Seymour, Duke of Somerset. But the said Henry, having no issue male, and dying on the 20th of December 1708, in his father's life-time, the title, after his father's decease, the 28th of July, 1714, descended to the heirs of Henry-Frederick, before-mentioned, his father's younger brother; who marrying Dorothy, daughter of Francis Philips, Esq. by her had Thomas, who died on the 24th of April, 1710; John, who died in 1708; Dorothy, married to John, late Lord Chedworth; and Mary, who died in 1710. Tho-
mas,

mas, their brother, married Mary, daughter of Edward, Earl of Jersey, whom he left with child of

(2d Viscount.) THOMAS, successor to Thomas, his grandfather's brother; and his Lordship on the 6th of Dec. 1726, married Elizabeth Sackville, daughter of Lionel, Duke of Dorset, who died before cohabitation, on the 29th of June, 1729, whilst his Lordship was on his travels. But his Lordship, marrying in July 1733, to his second wife, Louisa, second daughter of John, late Earl of Granville, had issue, Thomas, the present Viscount.—Henry-Frederick, born Nov. 17, 1735, who was heir to the late Earl Granville, and thereupon took the name of Carteret. — James, born December 25, 1736, when she died in child-bed; and her son James, died on March 19, 1741. His Lordship dying January 12, 1751, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(3d Viscount.) THOMAS, now Viscount Weymouth.

CREATIONS.] Baron and Viscount, December 11, 1682:

ARMS.] Barry of ten, *or* and *sable*. [Plate XXI.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a rein deer, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a rein deer, *or*, gorged with a plain collar, *sable*; on the sinister, a lion, *gules*.

MOTTO.] *J'ay bonne cause*. I have a good Cause.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Long-Leate in Wiltshire; at Drayton Bassit in Warwickshire; and at Botsfield in Salop.

ST. JOHN, VISCOUNT BOLINGBROKE.

THE Right Hon. FREDERICK ST. JOHN, Lord Viscount BOLINGBROKE, and St. John, Baron St. John of Lydiard-Tregoze, and Baron St. John of Battersea; succeeded as Viscount St. John, on the death of his father, in Feb. 1749, and to the honours and estates of his uncle the late Lord Viscount Bolingbroke, who died Feb. 15, 1751; and in Sept. 1757, was married to Diana Spencer, daughter of his Grace the late Duke of Marlborough, from whom he was divorced in 1768, and she married secondly to the late Topham Beauclerk, Esq. uncle to the Duke of St. Albans, by whom she was left a widow in 1780. He has issue, George, born March 5, 1761. — Frederick, born Dec. 20, 1763. — Charlotte, who died young.

This is a younger branch of the family of St. John of Bletshoe.

Sir OLIVER St. John, married Elizabeth, daughter of Henry, Lord Scroop, and by her had John, his heir, and three daughters; of whom, Elizabeth, was married first to Gerald, Earl of Kildare, and secondly to Sir John Wallop; Eleanor to Thomas Grey, Marquis of Dorset; and Margaret was Abbess of Shaftesbury.

JOHN, who succeeded his father, married Jane, daughter of Sir John Ewarby, and by her had two sons, John and Oliver; of whom, the eldest marrying Margaret, daughter of Richard Carew, had three sons, Nicholas, William, and John.

NICHOLAS, who succeeded, married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Richard Blount, and by her had two sons, John and Oliver, and five daughters; whereof Catharine was married to — Webb, Esq. Eleanor to Sir Thomas Cave; Jane to — Nicholas; Dorothy to — Egiok, Esq. and Elizabeth to Sir Richard St. George. And of the sons,

OLIVER, was on the 3d of June, 1623, created Viscount Grandifon of Limerick in Ireland; and on May 21, 1626, was created Baron Tregoze of Highworth in Wilts; but dying on the 30th of Dec. 1630, without issue, his honours expired with him.

Sir JOHN, his brother, married Lucy, daughter of Sir Walter Hungerford, and by her had an only son, and six daughters; of whom, Barbara was married to Sir Edw. Villiers; Lucy, to Sir Allen Apsley; Jane, first to — Ayte, and secondly, to Sir Charles Pleydell; Catharine to Sir Charles Mompeffon; Anne to Sir George Ayliffe; and Eleanor to Sir William St. John.

(1st Baronet.) And his son JOHN, was on the 22d of May, 1611, created a Baronet. He married Anne, daughter of Thomas Leighton, and by her had seven sons, and a daughter of her name, first married to Francis-Henry Lee; after his decease, to Henry Wilmot, Earl of Rochester. And of the sons, who were Oliver, William, Edward, Nicholas, John, Walter, and Henry; William was killed at the taking of Cirencester; Edward at the battle of Newbury; and John in the North. Henry married Catharine, daughter of Oliver St. John, by whom he had an only daughter Anne, who married to Anthony Bowyer, Esq. and Oliver, the eldest, succeeded his father: He married Catharine, daughter of Horatio, Lord Vere, and by her had Sir John St. John; but the said Sir John dying unmarried, his honour descended to Sir Walter St. John, his uncle, his father's sixth brother,

brother, who died July 3, 1708: He married Johanna, another daughter of Oliver St. John, and by her had

(1st Viscount.) Sir HENRY St. John, his only son, who was, the 2d of Geo. I. created Baron of Battersea, and Viscount St. John; and a daughter Anne, who was the second wife of Thomas Cholmondeley, Esq. Sir Henry married to his first wife Mary, daughter of Robert Rich, Earl of Warwick, by whom he had an only son, named Henry, who in July 1712, was created Baron St. John of Tregoze in Wiltshire, and Viscount Bolingbroke, with remainder for want of issue male, to Sir Henry St. John, Bart. his father, and the heirs male of his body: But in 1741, those honours were forfeited; and he died Dec. 15, 1751. He married first Frances, daughter of Sir Henry Winchcomb, and secondly, Mary Clara des Champs de Marfilly, niece to the famous Mad. de Maintenon, and widow of the Marquis de Villette; but had no issue by either; and this Lady died March 18, 1750. And his father, the Lord St. John, by his second Lady, Angelica-Magdalen, who died in Aug. 1736, daughter of George Pellesary, had three sons; and a daughter, Henrietta, married to Robert Knight, Earl of Catherlough. Of the sons, George, the eldest, died at Venice, in 1715; Holles, third son, died in October 1738, unmarried. His Lordship dying in April 1742, was succeeded (according to the limitation of the patent) by

(2d Viscount.) JOHN, his second and only surviving son, by his last wife; who married on the 17th of April, 1729, Anne, daughter of Sir Robert Furness, Bart. of Kent; and by her, who died July 11, 1747, had issue; Elizabeth, married in 1760, the present Lord Bagot, by whom she has issue.—Anne, who died an infant.—Louisa, who died young.—Frederick, the present Viscount.—Henry, now a General in the army, married Aug. 31, 1771, Elizabeth, sister to the Countess of Essex, and daughter of Thomas Bladen, Esq. in Somersetshire.—John. His Lordship married secondly, Hester, daughter of James Clarke, Esq. of Hertfordshire, by whom, who died March 8, 1752, he had no issue; and dying Feb. 1749, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(3d Viscount.) FREDERICK, who succeeded his uncle the Lord Viscount Bolingbroke in October 1761.

CREATIONS.] Baron St. John of Lydiard Tregoze, and Viscount Bolingbroke, July 7, 1712; Baron St. John of Battersea, and Viscount St. John, July 2, 1716.

ARMS.] *Argent*, on a chief, *gules*, two mullets, pierced, *or*. [Plate XXI.]

CREST,

CREST.] On a wreath, a mount, *proper*, and therefrom a falcon rising, with bells, *or*, and ducally gorged, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two eagles with wings expanded, *or*, crowned ducally, *gules*, and upon each breast a pair of horses hemes, tied at the top and bottom, *proper*, within which is party-per-pale, *argent* and *gules*.

MOTTO.] *Nec quærere nec spernere honorem.* Neither seek nor despise Honours.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Lydiard in Wilts.

BOSCAWEN, VISCOUNT FALMOUTH.

THE Right Honourable GEORGE-EVELYN BOSCAWEN, Viscount FALMOUTH, Baron Boscawen-Rose, succeeded Hugh, the late Viscount, his uncle, Feb. 4, 1782, was born May 6, 1758, a Captain in the 5th Regiment of Dragoons, unmarried.

RICHARD Boscawen, Esq. lived in the reign of Henry VI. His son John, married Elizabeth, daughter of Nicholas Loar, and was succeeded by a son John, who died in 1524, leaving Thomas, his son and heir, from whom descended HUGH, who marrying Anne, daughter of Wentworth, Earl of Kildare, by her, who afterwards married Francis Roberts, Esq. had two sons, Edward and Hugh: The youngest married Margaret, daughter of Theophilus, Earl of Lincoln; Edward, the eldest son, married Jael, daughter of Sir Francis Godolphin, and had

(1st Viscount.) HUGH, who, on June 8, 1720, was created a Peer. He married Charlotte, daughter of Colonel Charles Godfrey, by whom he had issue eight sons and ten daughters, viz. Hugh, the late Viscount—Charles, died young.—Edward, Admiral of the Blue, who died in Jan. 1761, married Frances, daughter of Evelyn Glanville, of St. Clare, in Kent, Esq. in Dec. 1742, by whom he had,
 1. Edward-Hugh, born Sept. 13, 1744, died unmarried July 17, 1774. 2. Frances, born March 7, 1746, married July 6, 1773, John-Leveson Gower, brother to Granville, present Earl Gower, by whom she has issue. 3. Elizabeth, born May 23, 1747, married April 2, 1766, Henry, the present Duke of Beaufort, and has issue. 4. William Glanville, born Aug. 11, 1751, died in 1769. 5. George-Evelyn, the present Viscount.—George, General in the army, married Anne, daughter

ter of John-Morley Trevor, Esq. and had, 1. George, born Sept. 4, 1745. 2. Anne, born Oct. 10, 1744. 3. Charlotte, born May 1, 1747. 4. William, born Aug. 17, 1752 — John, a Brigadier-General, died in 1767. He married Miss Surman, who died Jan. 18, 1749, and left one son, William-Augustus Spencer, born Jan. 1754. — William-Frederick, who died unmarried. — Henry, died unmarried. — Nicholas, D. D. married Mrs. Hatton, and has one son, Nicholas, born March 25, 1756. — Charlotte, married to Henry Moor, Earl of Drogheda, who died in April 1735. — Anne, married to Sir Cecil Bishopp, Bart. and is since dead. — Mary, married in August 1732, to John Evelyn, Esq. also dead. — Lucy, married to Sir Charles Frederick. — Catharine, who died unmarried. The rest died young and unmarried. And his Lordship dying Oct. 25, 1734, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(2d Viscount.) HUGH, the late Viscount, born 1707, married May 6, 1736, Anne-Catharine-Maria, widow of Richard Russel, Esq. and daughter of Thomas Smith, Esq. of Surry; and dying Feb. 4, 1782, without issue, he was succeeded by his nephew,

(3d Viscount.) GEORGE-EVELYN, the present Viscount.

CREATIONS.] Baron Boscawen-Rose, and Viscount Falmouth in the county of Cornwall, June 8, 1720, 6 Geo. I.

ARMS.] *Ermine*, a rose, *gules*, barbed and seeded, *proper*. [Plate XXII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a boar passant, *gules*, armed, bristled, and unguled, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two sea lions, *argent*, gutty de larmes.

MOTTO.] *Patience passe Science*. Patience surpasses Knowledge.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Tregothan, in the county of Cornwall.

BYNG, VISCOUNT TORRINGTON.

THE Right Honourable GEORGE BYNG, Viscount TORRINGTON, Baron Byng, and Baronet, born in 1739, succeeded George, the late Viscount, his father, April 6, 1750. He married July 10, 1765, Lucy, only daughter of John, Earl of Cork and Orrery in Ireland, by whom he has issue; Lucy-Elizabeth, born Oct. 27, 1766. — Georgiana-Elizabeth, born Feb. 1768. — William-Henry, born May 26,

1769, died Nov. 23, 1770.—Isabella-Elizabeth, born Sept. 21, 1773.—William-Henry, born May 7, 1775.

This family was long seated at Wrotham in Kent. John Byng, in the year 1535, marrying Agnes, daughter of — Spencer, of Essex, by her had two sons and three daughters. The sons were Robert and Thomas; the eldest succeeded his father, and was High Sheriff of Kent, the 34th of Eliz. and married to his first wife Frances, daughter of Richard Hill, Esq. and by her had three sons, George, John and Francis died without issue: And by his second wife, the daughter of William Maynard, Esq. he had William; and a daughter Anne, married to David Polhill, Esq.

GEORGE, marrying Jane, daughter of William Cromer, Esq. by her had a son George, and four daughters; whereof Elizabeth, the eldest, was married to Thomas Polhill, Esq. and

GEORGE, her brother, in 1616, succeeded his father. He married Catharine, daughter of Sir John Hewet, by whom he had John his heir; and a daughter Elizabeth, married to — Man, Esq. but the said

JOHN, her brother, married Philadelphia, daughter of — Johnson, and by her left several children; of whom, (1st Viscount.) GEORGE, the eldest, born Jan. 27, 1663, was bred up in the sea-service, and on the 9th of Sept. 1721, was created Baron Byng of Southill, and Viscount Torrington. He married in 1691, Margaret, daughter of James Master, Esq. and by her, who died April 1, 1756, aged 87, had eleven sons and four daughters: Of the latter, Sarah only survived him: She married John Osborne, Esq. and died Nov. 1775, leaving issue, the present Sir Geo. Osborne, Bart. The sons who survived him, were, Pattee, the 2d Viscount. —George, the 3d Viscount.—Robert.—John.—Edward, married Nov. 17, 1730, to Mary, daughter of John Bramston, Esq. and died in 1756. The unfortunate John, Admiral of the Blue, was shot, agreeable to the sentence of a Court-Martial, on board his Majesty's ship the Monarque, in Portsmouth harbour, March 14, 1757, unmarried. Robert, born 1705, on Dec. 19, 1734, married Elizabeth, daughter of Jonathan Forward, Esq. In May 1739, he was made Governor of Barbadoes, and died there in October 1740, leaving three sons; George, born 1735, in the army, married March 5, 1761, Anne, daughter of William Conolly, Esq. of Castleton in Ireland, and grand-daughter of Thomas Wentworth, Earl of Strafford, and sister to the Countess of Buckinghamshire,

inghamshire, by whom he has issue, George, born May 17, 1764; and Anne-Elizabeth, born Feb. 14, 1762.

(2d Viscount.) PATTEE, the eldest, born 1699, on the 13th of January 1732, succeeded as Viscount Torrington. In June, 1724, he married Charlotte Montagu, daughter of Charles, Duke of Manchester, and by her, who died Sept. 14, 1759, he had a daughter Carolina, and two sons; George, who died on the 15th of May, 1730; and Frederick, who died young. He died Jan. 23, 1747, without issue male living, and was succeeded by his brother,

(3d Viscount.) GEORGE, born 1701, a General in the Army, who married in 1736, Elizabeth, daughter of ——— Daniel, Esq. son of Sir Peter Daniel, Knt. by which Lady, who died March 27, 1759, he had two sons; George, the present Viscount.—John, born October 11, 1740, a Lieutenant Colonel in the Army, married March 3, 1767, Bridget, daughter of Arthur Forest, Esq. by whom he has issue, 1. Elizabeth, born Jan. 1768. 2. Cecilia-Anne, born Aug. 15, 1770. 3. Maria, born August 18, 1771. 4. Frances. 5. George. 6. Edmund; and another son born Sept. 22, 1781. His Lordship dying April 7, 1750, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(4th Viscount.) GEORGE, now Viscount Torrington.

CREATIONS.] Baron and Viscount, Sept. 9, 1721.

ARMS.] Quarterly, *sable* and *argent*; in the first, a lion rampant of the *second*. [Plate XXII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, an antelope passant, *ermine*, horned, tusked, flashed, maned, and hooped, *or*, langued, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, an antelope, *ermine*, horned, maned, and hooped, *or*, standing on a ship gun, *proper*. And on the sinister side, a sea-horse, *proper*, finned, *or*, on a like gun.

MOTTO.] *Tuebor*. I will defend.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Southill in Bedfordshire.

FITZGERALD, VISCOUNT LEINSTER.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM ROBERT FITZGERALD, Viscount LEINSTER, of Taplow in the county of Bucks, and Duke of LEINSTER, Marquis and Earl of Kildare, Earl and Baron Offaley, in the kingdom of Ireland.

For an account of this family, see *Duke of LEINSTER* in the Peerage of *Ireland*.

NOEL, VISCOUNT WENTWORTH.

THE Right Honourable THOMAS NOEL, Viscount WENTWORTH, of Wellesborough, and Baron Wentworth of Nettled; and a Baronet, was born November 18, 1744, and succeeded his father, the late Viscount, in November 1774.

An account of this noble family may be seen under the title of Wentworth, Earl of Strafford; and that Sir Thomas Wentworth, who was created Lord Wentworth of Nettled, was also on the 7th of Feb. 1625, created Earl of Cleveland, and died March 26, 1667. He married to his first wife Anne, daughter of Sir John Crofts, by whom he had three sons, Thomas, Lord Wentworth; William, and Charles, who both died young; also three daughters, Anne and Mary, who died young; and another Anne, of whom hereafter. And the said Thomas, Lord Wentworth, dying in the life-time of his father, without issue male, the title of Earl of Cleveland became extinct, and the Barony of Wentworth descended to his only daughter and heir, Henrietta; who dying unmarried on the 23d of April, 1686, it devolved on Anne, her father's sister, who was styled Baroness Wentworth of Nettled, and married John, Lord Lovelace, by whom she had a son and heir, John, Lord Lovelace, and three daughters; Anne, who died unmarried; Margaret, who was married to Sir William Noel; and Martha to William Drax, Esq. But her son John, Lord Lovelace, dying before her, Sept. 26, 1693, and having married Martha, one of the daughters of Sir Edmund Pye, by her had a son John, who died an infant, and three daughters; Anne, who died unmarried, March 31, 1691; Catharine, who died unmarried, June 22, 1693; and Martha, his sole heir, successor to her grandmother in the Barony of Wentworth; which title was adjudged to her by Parliament, in 1703.

She married Sir Henry Johnson, who died on the 29th of September, 1719; and her Ladyship dying July 18, 1755, without issue, we now return to Margaret, daughter of John, the second Lord Lovelace, who married Sir William Noel, as above mentioned, descended from the same ancestor as the Earl of Gainsborough, who became Baroness Wentworth, in right of her grandmother. By her marriage with Sir William, she had two sons, Sir Thomas Noel, who succeeded his father as a Baronet, having married Anne, daughter of Sir William Whitlock, of Henley upon Thames; but dying without issue in 1688, was succeeded in that honour by his brother,

brother, Sir John Noel, who married Mary, daughter of Sir John Clobery, and had issue, Sir Clobery Noel, his successor; and William, Justice of the Court of Common-Pleas, who married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Thomas Trollop, of Casewick in Lincolnshire, Bart. by whom he had issue four daughters, 1. Mary, who married Thomas Hill, of Tern in Shropshire, and died 1760. 2. Anne, who died unmarried. 3. Frances, married to the present Earl of Harborough, and died Dec. 13, 1760. 4. Elizabeth. Sir Thomas Clobery had also a daughter Anne, married to Francis Monday, of Markheaton in the county of Leicester, Esq.

Sir CLOBERY, the eldest son, married Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Roney Esq. by whom he had six sons; Edward, the late Viscount.—Rev. Clobery, who died without issue, 1763.—Thomas, a captain of a ship of war, wounded off Minorca, and died at Gibraltar, 1756.—Rev. John Noel.—Rev. Rowney.—William-James, who died young.—Mary. Sir Clobery Noel, died July 30, 1733, and was succeeded by his eldest son,

(1st Viscount.) Sir EDWARD, his eldest son, who succeeded also in July 18, 1745, at the death of Margaret, Baroness Wentworth, to that Barony; and on May 4, 1762, was created a Viscount. His Lordship married 1743, Judith, daughter and heir of William Lambe, Esq. of Northamptonshire, and by her, who died Dec. 10, 1761, had issue, Thomas, the present Viscount.—Judith, born Nov. 3, 1751, married Jan. 9, 1777, Ralph Milbank, Esq. eldest son of Sir Ralph Milbank, Bart. of Yorkshire.—Elizabeth, born July 10, 1755, married June 19, 1777, James Bland Burges, Esq. of Lincoln's Inn, and died Jan. 25, 1779.—Sophia-Sufanna, born March 24, 1758, married Aug. 18, 1777, Hon. Nathaniel Curzon, eldest son of Lord Scarfdale, and has issue. His Lordship died Oct. 31, 1774, and was succeeded by his son,

(2d Viscount) THOMAS, the present Viscount.

CREATIONS.] Baron, Dec. 2, 1529; Viscount, May 4, 1762.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, frette, *gules*, a canton, *ermine*, for Noel; second, a chevron, between three leopards faces, *or*, for Wentworth; third, *gules*, on a chief indented, *sable*, three martlets, *argent*, for Lovelace. [Plate XXII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a buck at graze, *argent*, armed, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two gryphons, *argent*.

MOTTO.] *Penſes a bien*. Think for the best.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Kirkby-Mallory, in Leicestershire.

COURTENAY, VISCOUNT COURTENAY.

THE Right Honourable WILLIAM COURTENAY, Viscount COURTENAY, of Powderham-Castle in the county of Devon, and Baronet, born October 30, 1742, succeeded his father, the late Viscount, May 16, 1762. He married May 7, 1762, Miss Frances Clack, by whom, who died March 25, 1782, he had issue; Frances, born January 6, 1763, married Dec. 13, 1779, the present Sir John Honeywood, Bart. her first cousin by the mother's side, by whom she has had a daughter, born June 1781, named Frances, and a still born son, in 1782.—Charlotte, born Feb. 14, 1764.—Isabella, born June 20, 1765, and died March 4, 1783.—Elizabeth, born Sept. 2, 1766.—William, born July 30, 1768.—Lucy, born June 13, 1770.—Harriot, born Sept. 7, 1771.—Eleanora, born Nov. 23, 1772.—Anne, born Feb. 2, 1774.—Caroline, born March 26, 1775.—Amelia, born June 6, 1777.—Matilda-Jane, born July 6, 1778.—Sophia, born Jan. 25, 1780.—A daughter born Jan. 1, 1782.

This noble Lord is descended from Hugh Courtenay, who was created Earl of Devonshire, by King Edward I. 1295. There have been of this family, several Barons of Okehamp-ton, twelve Earls of Devonshire, and a Marquis of Exeter.

Sir WILLIAM Courtenay, grandfather of the present Viscount, married in 1704, Anne, daughter of James, Earl of Abingdon, by whom he had issue; William, died an infant.—James, died young.—William, the late Viscount.—Henry-Reginald, who married Catharine, sister of the present Earl Bathurst, who died 1763, and left two daughters, Catharine and Anne; and two sons, William, the present Rector of Keane, in Devon; and Henry-Reginald, D. D. Rector of St. George, Hanover Square, who married Jan. 26, 1774, Elizabeth, sister to the present Earl of Effingham, by whom, who died Jan. 1782, he had issue a son William.—Peregrine, married Lucy, daughter of Benjamin Incedon, Esq. of Pilton, who died in 1778; and he married secondly, Feb. 18, 1780, Augusta Glynn, widow of Sir ——— Glynn, Bart. of Wales.—Mary, who died young.—Anne Sophia, died unmarried.—Eleanor, who married Frances Bassett, Esq. of Heanton-Court in Devon, and died 1764, leaving issue.—Isabella, married John Andrew, M. D. of Exeter, by whom she had issue.—Bridget, married William Ilbert, Esq. of Bowringleigh, in Devon, by whom she had issue.—Mary, married first to John Langdon, Esq. of Park in Bovey Tracey; and

and secondly, to John Davie, Esq. of Orleigh in Devon, and died 1754.—Elizabeth, died young. Their father died 1736, and was succeeded by his third son,

(1st Viscount) Sir WILLIAM Courtenay, born 1710, who married to Frances Finch, daughter of Heneage, the late Earl of Aylesford, April 2, 1741, by whom, who died Dec. 19, 1761, he had issue; William, the present Viscount.—Elizabeth-Anne, who died young.—Mary, born March 2, 1744.—Frances, born March 10, 1746, married June 7, 1770, to Sir John Wrottesley, Bart. by whom she has issue.—Lucy, born June 6, 1748, married Oct. 19, 1777, to John Coates, Esq. of Shropshire.—Charlotte, born Jan 21, 1751, married Sept. 12, 1782, to Lord Loughborough. He was created Viscount Courtenay, May 4, 1762, and deceasing May 16, 1762, was succeeded by his only son,

(2d Viscount.) WILLIAM, the present Viscount.

CREATIONS.] Viscount; May 4, 1762.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *or*, three torteaux; second and third, *or*, a lion rampant, *azure*. [Plate XXII.]

CREST.] A dolphin naiant, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two boars, *argent*, bristled, tusked, and hoofed, *or*,

MOTTO.] *Ubi lapsus? Quid feci?* Where am I fallen? What have I done?

CHIEF SEAT.] At Powderham-Castle, and Ford, in Devon.

WARD, VISCOUNT DUDLEY AND WARD.

THE Right Hon. JOHN WARD, Viscount DUDLEY and WARD; Baron Ward of Birmingham, born in 1724, succeeded his father, the late Viscount, in May, 1774.

WILLIAM WARD, was Jeweller to King Charles the First's Queen, and having a very ample fortune, Edward Sutton, Lord Dudley, bestowed Frances, his grand-daughter and heir, on Humble Ward, Esq. son and heir of the said William. She was the sole daughter of Sir Ferdinando Sutton, son of Edward, Lord Dudley, before-mentioned; who dying June 23, 1643, the said Frances became Baroness Dudley, being descended from John de Sutton, who in the reign of King Edward II. married Margaret, eldest daughter of Roger de Someri, Baron of Dudley, sister and coheir of John de Someri, Baron of Dudley, who died the 15th of Edward II.

(1st Lord.) Which Frances, Baroness Dudley, was with her husband, Humble Ward, Esq. in Oxford, when her grandfather, Edward, Lord Dudley, died; and he was, on March 23, 1643, advanced to the dignity of Baron Ward, of Birmingham. He died Oct. 4, 1670, as did his wife, the Baroness of Dudley, in 1701. They had issue three sons;

(2d Lord W. and 1st Lord D. and W.) EDWARD, who on the death of his father, succeeded to the title of Lord Ward, and on the death of his mother, in 1701, to that of Lord Dudley, died the 8th of August, 1701. He married Frances, daughter of Sir William Brereton, by whom he had three sons and three daughters; of which sons, John the eldest, died unmarried.—Ferdinando Dudley, died unmarried in 1718.—Catharine was married to John Grey, Esq.—Humbletta died young.—Lettice, was married to Thomas Porter, Esq.

WILLIAM, the second son, died in his father's life-time, May, 1692. He married Frances, daughter of William Dilke, by whom he had three sons, Edward.—John, died an infant.—William; also a daughter, Frances, married to William Lee, Esq.

(3d Lord W. and 2d Lord D. and W.) EDWARD, the eldest, succeeded his grandfather, 1701, and having married Diana, daughter of Thomas Howard, Esq. died on the 28th of March, 1704, in his minority, leaving his Lady, who died May 17, 1709, then big with child of

(4th Lord W. and 3d Lord D. and W.) EDWARD, Lord Dudley and Ward, who dying on the 6th of Sept. 1731, unmarried, his honours devolved on

(5th Lord W. and 4th Lord D. and W.) WILLIAM, his uncle, who also dying unmarried, in May 1740, the Barony of Dudley devolved on the heir general, Ferdinando Dudley Lea, and the title of Lord Ward, by virtue of the limitation to the heirs male, descended to John Ward, Esq. grandson of William Ward, Esq. third son of Humble, who was created Lord Ward; his second having died an infant.

Which WILLIAM died in January, 1714; and by Anne, daughter of Thomas Parkes, left issue, William his heir; and three daughters; Frances, married to Robert Pigot; Jane, to Daniel Jevon; and Rebecca, who died unmarried.

Their brother WILLIAM, died on the 25th of September, 1720. He married Mary, daughter of John Grey, Esq. by whom he left issue, two sons and two daughters,

(6th Lord W. and 1st V.) JOHN, Viscount Dudley and Ward.—William, who was in Holy Orders, married Elizabeth, daughter

daughter of John Hawkes, Esq. and died July 21, 1758, leaving issue, 1. Humble. 2. Frances, who married August 1, 1776, William Codrington, Esq.—Frances, married to George Rook, Esq. and died Oct. 14, 1770.—Anna, unmarried. John married Anna-Maria, daughter of Charles Bouchier, Esq. by whom he had one son John, the present Viscount; and she dying on the 12th of Dec. 1725, he married, on the 4th of Jan. 1745, to his second wife, Mary, daughter of John Carver, Esq. by whom he had issue; Humble, born March 11, 1747, who died an infant.—William, born Jan. 21, 1750; married July 21, 1780, Miss Boswell. On April 25, 1763, he was created Viscount Dudley and Ward; and dying on June 30, 1775, was succeeded by his son,

(2d Viscount) JOHN, the present Viscount.

CREATIONS.] Baron Ward, March 23, 1644; and Viscount Dudley and Ward, April 23, 1763.

ARMS.] Chequée, or and azure, a bend, ermine. [Plate XXII.]

CREST.] In a ducal coronet, or, a lion's head, azure.

SUPPORTERS.] Two angels, haired and winged, or, their under robes, sanguine, and their uppermost, azure.

MOTTO.] *Comme je fus.* As I was.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Dudley-Castle, Himley-Hall, and Sedgely-Park, Staffordshire.

MAYNARD, VISCOUNT MAYNARD.

THE Right Honourable CHARLES MAYNARD, Viscount MAYNARD of Estaynes Parva, and Baron Maynard of Much Easton, and Baronet.

For an account of this family, see Lord MAYNARD in the Peerage of Ireland.

HAMPDEN-TREVOR, VISCOUNT HAMPDEN.

THE Right Hon. THOMAS HAMPDEN-TREVOR, Viscount HAMPDEN, Lord TREVOR of Bromham, succeeded his father Robert, the late Viscount, Aug. 21, 1783, was born Sept. 11, 1746, married in June 1768, Catharine, only daughter of General David Græme.

JOHN

JOHN Trevor, was seated at Brynkinalte in the county of Denbigh, and died 1495. He was the ancestor of

Sir JOHN Trevor, who married Margaret, daughter of Hugh Trevanion, and by her had four sons and three daughters; Anne, the eldest, married Colonel Robert Weldon of London.—Jane married Sir Francis Compton, fifth son of Spencer, Earl of Northampton.—Elizabeth to William Masham, Esq. eldest son of Sir William Masham, Bart. ancestor to the late Lord Masham. The sons were, John.—Charles.—William.—Richard. The latter was Doctor of Physick, and died in 1676.—John, the eldest son was knighted by Charles II. and made one of his principal Secretaries of State, 1668, and sworn of his Privy Council; he died before his father, aged 47, on the 28th of May, 1672, leaving issue by Ruth, daughter of John Hampden, of Hampden, in the county of Bucks, Esq. five sons; John, heir to his grandfather.—Thomas, created Lord Trevor.—Richard.—Hampden.—Edward.

JOHN married Elizabeth, daughter of — Clarke, Esq. and widow of John Morley, of Glynd in Suffex, Esq. and by her (who after his decease married secondly to Lord Cutts) had two sons and two daughters; Elizabeth married to David Polhill, Esq. of Otford in Kent; and Arabella, who was first married to Robert Heath, Esq. of Lewes, and secondly to Colonel Edward Montagu, brother to the second Earl of Halifax. The sons were John-Morley Trevor, and Thomas; the eldest dying in April 1719, was succeeded by his son, John Morley Trevor, who died in 1743.

(1st Lord.) THOMAS, second son of Sir John Trevor and Ruth Hampden having been bred to the law, in 1692 was made Solicitor-General, on the accession of Queen Anne was made Lord Chief Justice of the Common Pleas, having been knighted in 1695, when he was made Attorney-General, and on the 31st of December, 1711, was created Lord Trevor of Bromham; but died on the 19th of June 1730, having borne the principal offices of state. He married first, Elizabeth, daughter of Colonel John Searle, of Finchley, by whom he had two sons, Thomas and John, successively Lords Trevor; and three daughters: And by his second wife, who was Anne, daughter of Colonel Robert Weldon of London, widow of Sir Robert Bernard, Bart. of Huntingdon, he had three sons; Robert, who took the surname of Hampden, and was the late Viscount Hampden; Richard, late Bishop of Durham, who died 1771, unmarried; and Edward, who died young. Of the daughters by the first wife,
who

who were Anne, Letitia, and Elizabeth; the second married Peter Cock, Esq. And of the sons,

(2d Lord.) THOMAS, the eldest, who succeeded his father, marrying Elizabeth, only daughter and heir of Timothy Burrel, of Cuckfield in Suffex; by her, who died in August 1734, left one daughter Elizabeth, married to Charles, the 2d Duke of Marlborough. And his Lordship dying March 22, 1753, without male issue, was succeeded by his brother,

(3d Lord.) JOHN, at that time one of his Majesty's learned Council in the Law, and one of the Welch Judges, who on the 31st of May, 1731, married Elizabeth, daughter of that celebrated author Sir Richard Steel, Knt. by whom, who died in 1782, he left issue an only daughter Diana, born June 14, 1744, died unmarried, Jan. 19, 1778; and he dying on Sept. 27, 1764, was succeeded by his half-brother,

(4th Lord, 1st Viscount.) ROBERT, the late Viscount, who was born in 1710. His Lordship was advanced to the dignity of Viscount Hampden of Great and Little Hampden, June 8, 1766, having in 1754, taken the name of Hampden, on the death of John Hampden, Esq. of Buckinghamshire, to whom his Lordship was heir. He married, in 1743, Constantia, daughter of Peter-Anthony De Huybert, Lord of Kruningen in Zealand, by which Lady, who died June 15, 1761, he had issue; Thomas.—John, born Feb. 24, 1749, married July 18, 1773, Harriet, only daughter of Dr. Burton, Canon of Christ Church, Oxford. — Maria-Constantia, married to Henry, late Earl of Suffolk, and died Feb. 8, 1767.—Anne, died in 1760, unmarried. His Lordship dying Aug. 21, 1783, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(2d Viscount.) THOMAS, the present Viscount.

CREATIONS.] Baron Trevor, Dec. 31, 1711; Viscount Hampden, June 8, 1766.

ARMS.] Party-per-bend, sinister, *ermine* and *erminois*, a lion rampant, *or*, for Trevor; he also quarters, *argent*, a saltire, *gules*, between four eagles displayed, *azure*, for Hampden. [Plate XXVII.]

CREST.] On a chapeau, *gules*, turned up, *ermine*, a wyvern rising, *sable*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two wyverns regardant, *sable*.

MOTTO.] *Vestigia nulla retrorsum*. No retreating.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Bromham, in Bedfordshire; at Great Hampden, in Bucks; and at St. Ann's-hill, near Chertsey, in Surry.

EDGE CUMBE, VISCOUNT EDGE CUMBE, and VALETORT.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE EDGE CUMBE, Viscount EDGE CUMBE and VALETORT, Baron of Mount-Edgecumbe, succeeded his brother Richard in the Barony, May 10, 1761, and was advanced to the dignity of a Viscount by his present Majesty in 1781. He married Aug. 6, 1761, Emma, only daughter of Dr. John Gilbert, Archbishop of York, by whom he has a son, Richard, born Sept. 13, 1764.

This family took its name from Edgecumbe, near Crediton. In the reign of Edward III. WILLIAM DE EDGE CUMBE, married Hillaria, daughter and heir of William de Cottehele, of the county of Cornwall, and afterwards chiefly resided there. Sir Richard Edgecumbe was a person of great note in the reign of Edward IV. He married Joan, daughter of Thomas Tremayne, Esq. by whom he left PIERS EDGE CUMBE, his heir; and Joan, married to Fulk Prideaux, Esq. which PIERS married first, Jane, daughter of Stephen Dernford, Esq. and secondly, Catharine, sister to Sir John St. John, Knt. relict of Sir Griffith Rice, Knt. and by her he left no issue. By his first wife he had issue three sons, Richard, John, and James; and three daughters, Elizabeth, wife of John Arundel, Esq. Jane, wife of Thomas Pomeroy, Esq. and Agnes; and dying the 14th of August, 1539, Richard succeeded him; he built the beautiful seat called from him Mount-Edgecumbe. He died the 1st of February, 1562, and was succeeded in his estate by Peter Edgecumbe, who dying January 4, 1607, was succeeded by his eldest son,

Sir RICHARD; he died March 22, 1638, and left issue, Piers and Richard; which Piers left a son, Richard, who married Anne Montagu, daughter of Edward, Earl of Sandwich, by whom he had issue two sons, John, who died an infant; and Richard; also six daughters; and his Lady married, secondly, Christopher Montagu, elder brother to Charles, Lord Halifax, and died March 14, 1730. Four of the daughters, viz. Anne, Mary, Catharine, and Anne, died unmarried; Elizabeth, born 1675, married ——— Atkins, Esq. of Gloucestershire; and Margaret, born 1681, married ——— Pine Esq. Their father died March 1688.

(1st Lord.) RICHARD, was created Lord Edgumbe. He married Matilda, daughter of Sir Henry Furnese, Bart. by whom, who died March 1721, he had a son Henry who died an infant, Richard, and George. His Lordship dying November 29, 1758, was succeeded by his son

(2d Lord.) RICHARD, who deceasing on May 10, 1761, unmarried, was succeeded by his brother,

(3d Lord.) GEORGE, the present Lord.

CREATIONS.] Baron, April 20, 1742, 16 Geo. II. Viscount Mount Edgumbe and Valetort, Feb. 17, 1781, 21 Geo. III.

ARMS.] *Gules*, on a bend, *ermine*, cottised, *or*, three boars heads couped, *argent*. [*Plate XXIX.*]

CREST.] On a wreath, a boar passant, *argent*; a chaplet about the neck of oak leaves, fructed, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] On each side, a greyhound, *argent*; gutted-poix, collared, dovetail, *gules*.

MOTTO.] *Au playfire fort de Dieu*. To the Almighty Pleasure of God.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Mount-Edgumbe, near Plymouth, in Devonshire.

GERMAIN, VISCOUNT SACKVILLE.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE GERMAIN, Viscount SACKVILLE, Baron Bolebroke, created Feb. 9, 1782, brother to the late, and uncle to the present Duke of Dorset, born Jan. 26, 1716, married Sept. 3, 1754, Miss Diana Sambrooke, second daughter and coheir of John Sambrooke, Esq. brother to Sir Jeremy Sambrooke of Gubbins Bart. by whom, (who died Jan. 15, 1778) he had issue two sons and three daughters, viz. Charles, born Aug. 27, 1767. — George, born Dec. 7, 1770. — Diana, born July 8, 1756, married Nov. 26, 1777, to John Crosbie, present Earl of Glandore in Ireland, by whom she has had issue a son and a daughter, who both died in a short time after their birth. — Elizabeth, born July 4, 1762, married Oct. 28, 1781, Henry-Arthur Herbert of Mulkrusk in Ireland, Esq. by whom she has issue a daughter, born 25th of July 1782. — Caroline, born June 30, 1764. His Lordship assumed the name of Germain, Feb. 16, 1770, pursuant to will of the late Lady Elizabeth Germain.

For an account of this family and descent; See Duke of DORSET.

ARMS, CREST, and SUPPORTERS.] The same as the Duke of Dorset, with the crescent for difference.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Drayton in Northamptonshire; and at Stoneland in Suffex.

HOWE, VISCOUNT HOWE.

THE Right Honourable RICHARD HOWE, Viscount HOWE, of Langar in the county of Nottingham, was advanced to that dignity by his present Majesty, April 24, 1782, being at that time VISCOUNT HOWE of the kingdom of Ireland.

For the account of this family, see Viscount HOWE, in the Peerage of *Ireland*.

KEPPEL, VISCOUNT KEPPEL.

THE Right Honourable AUGUSTUS KEPPEL, Viscount KEPPEL, of Elvedon in the county of Suffolk, was created to that dignity by his present Majesty, April 24, 1782, at the general alteration of the Ministry, when his Lordship was appointed first Lord of the Admiralty. From the early part of his life he has been brought up to the sea-service, and was with Lord Anson in the South-sea, at the reduction of the town of Paita, where his courage and conduct were very conspicuous. In 1744, he was made a Captain in the Navy. In 1751, he was a Commodore in the Mediterranean, where he shewed great wisdom in settling the differences between the Dey of Algiers and some English merchants. He signalized himself by his courage in 1758, against Goree, and in 1759 off Belliesle, where he sunk the Theseus French 74 gun ship of war. In 1762 he was at the reduction of the Havanna. He was appointed a Lord of the Admiralty in 1765, which he resigned in 1766. He was promoted to the rank of Rear Admiral of the Red in 1770, and the same year Vice Admiral of the Blue. In 1775, Vice Admiral of the White; in 1776 Vice Admiral of the Red; and 1778, Admiral of the Blue; having in 1765, been made an Elder Brother of the Trinity-House. In 1778 he had the
command

command of a fleet destined to curb the perfidy of the Court of France; but an unhappy difference between his Lordship and Vice Admiral Palliser, at that time one of the Lords of the Admiralty, prevented the happy consequences that were anxiously expected, and produced a charge of misconduct against the Admiral, brought by the Vice Admiral, which on trial was proved to be groundless, and he was most honourably acquitted to the infamy of his accuser, who became the object of popular outrage, and occasioned his being discharged all public employ. The Admiral soon after declined acting under the then Ministry, and lived retired till the general change in April 1782, when he was appointed first Lord of the Admiralty, sworn of the Privy Council, &c. His Lordship is uncle to the present Earl of Albemarle, (where we have given a short account of his noble family) and is unmarried.

His Lordship's Crest, Arms, and Motto, are the same as the Earl of Albemarle's, with a crescent for difference, and a Viscount's coronet instead of an Earl's.

The Supporters are the same, with the addition of the lions standing on cannons, having each an anchor resting against the shield, all *proper*.

BARONS OF ENGLAND.

D'ARCY BYRON, BARONESS CONYERS:

THE Right Honourable AMELIA D'ARCY BYRON, Baroness Conyers, succeeded her father, the late Earl of Holderness, May 16, 1778. She married first July 31, 1773, the Marquis of Caermarthen, eldest son of the Duke of Leeds, by whom she has issue. (See Duke of LEEDS' pedigree.) Her marriage was dissolved by Parliament, in May, 1779; and her Ladyship married secondly, soon after, Mr. Byron, son of Admiral Byron, and nephew of Lord Byron.

This family is descended from NORMAN D'Arcy, who came into England with William the Conqueror; from him descended

Sir JOHN D'Arcy, who had summons to Parliament from the 8th of Edward I. to the 16th of Edw. III. He married first Emelina, daughter of Walter Heron; 2dly Joan, daughter

ter of Richard Burgh, Earl of Ulster, and widow of Thomas, the second Earl of Kildare, by whom he had William; and Elizabeth, married to James, the second Earl of Ormond. By his first wife, he had three sons, Sir John, Sir Roger, and Adomer. From Sir Roger, second son, descended Thomas D'Arcy of Chiche, who in the 5th of Edward VI. was called up to the House of Peers, by the title of Lord D'Arcy, of Chiche, and died the 21st of Edward III.

Sir JOHN, his elder brother, had summons to Parliament, from the 22d to the 28th of Edward III. but dying the 30th, left issue by Elizabeth, daughter of Nicholas Menil, two sons,

JOHN, and Philip; of whom, the eldest died in his minority, and Philip his brother, became heir. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Thomas Grey, by whom he had John, Thomas, and Philip, and was succeeded by John, his eldest son, who marrying Margaret, daughter of Henry, Lord Grey of Wilton, had two sons, Philip and John; and his wife surviving him, married secondly, Sir Thomas Swinford.

PHILIP, the eldest son, married Eleanor, daughter of Henry, Lord Fitz-Hugh, and dying Aug. 2, 1419, before he came of age, left only two daughters, Elizabeth married to Sir James Strangeways; and Margaret to Sir John Conyers; so that

JOHN, the second son, succeeded, and married Joan, daughter of John, Lord Greystock. He died 36th Hen. VI. having an only son Richard; and a daughter Joan, married to John Beaumont, Esq. Richard, married Eleanor, daughter of John Scrope, and dying in the life-time of his father, left

WILLIAM, his only son, who succeeded his grandfather. He married Eufemia, daughter of Sir John Langton, and was succeeded by his only son

THOMAS, who had the title of Baron revived to him, by writ of summons to Parliament, the first of Henry VIII. which title had ceased in the two daughters of Philip, Lord D'Arcy aforesaid; but on the 20th of June, in the 39th of Henry VIII. he was beheaded on Tower-hill. He married first Elizabeth, sister of William, the first Lord Sands, and had an only daughter Elizabeth, married to Sir Marmaduke Constable; but by his second wife Doufabella, daughter and heir of Sir Richard Tempest, he had Sir George his heir, Sir Arthur, and Richard, and a daughter Mabilla. To him succeeded

GEORGE his eldest son, who was restored in blood by King Edw. VI. He married Dorothy, daughter of Sir John Melton,

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ton, and dying the 4th of Philip and Mary, left issue, John his heir, and six daughters; Edith, married to Sir Thomas Dawney; Agnes, to Sir William Fairfax, and died without issue; Dorothy, to Sir Thomas Metham; Clara, died unmarried; Mary, married to Henry Babington, Esq. and Elizabeth, to Bryan Stapylton, Esq.

JOHN, Lord D'Arcy, of Aston, married Agnes, daughter of Thomas Babington, Esq. by whom he had an only son

MICHAEL, who dying in the life-time of his father, left issue by Margaret, daughter of Thomas Wentworth, Esq. John; Margaret; and Anne, married to Henry Savile, Esq.

JOHN, the eldest son, succeeded his grandfather, in 1587, as Lord D'Arcy, and died in July, 1635. He married Rosamond, daughter of Sir Peter Frescheville, by whom he had issue, John, Elizabeth, and Rosamond, who all died in their father's life-time, unmarried. We now return to

Sir ARTHUR D'Arcy, brother to George, and third son of Thomas that was beheaded; which Sir Arthur married Mary, daughter of Sir Nicholas Carew, by whom he had ten sons, and five daughters; Sir Henry, who married Catharine, daughter of Sir John Fermor.—Thomas, of whom hereafter.—Sir Edward, who married Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Astley, Esq. by whom he had three sons, Sir Robert, who married Grace, daughter of Alexander Redish; Christopher; and Carey. The rest of the ten sons of Sir Arthur, were Arthur, Nicholas, John, Frances, Charles, William, and Philip; of whom the three last died in their infancy; and of the sisters, Elizabeth, married to Lewis, Lord Mor-daunt.

THOMAS, the second son, married Elizabeth, daughter of John, Lord Conyers, who was lineally descended from Margery, daughter of Philip, Lord D'Arcy, and dying Nov. 6, 1606, left issue an only son,

Sir CONYERS, to whom King Charles I. in the 17th year of his reign, was pleased to confirm the title of Lord D'Arcy, as enjoyed by his ancestors. He married Dorothy, daughter of Sir Henry Bellaffise, and dying in 1653, left issue six sons; Conyers, his heir.—Sir William.—Henry, who married Mary, daughter of William Scrope, and had issue Philip, his heir; and others.—Thomas.—Marmaduke, who died unmarried.—James, married Isabel, daughter of Sir Marmaduke Wyvil, by whom he had issue, James D'Arcy, from whom descended James, Lord D'Arcy, of Navan, in Ireland, so created Au-

gust 1, 1721. Of the daughters, Barbara, married Matthew Hutton, Esq. — Ursula, married John Shillington, Esq. — Margaret, to Sir Thomas Harrison. — Dorothy, to John Dalton, Esq. — Anne, to Thomas Metcalf. — Grace, first to Geo. Best, Esq. and secondly to Francis Molineux, Esq. — Mary, to Acton Burnel, Esq.

(1st Earl.) CONYERS, who succeeded his father, married Grace, daughter of Thomas Rokeby, Esq. and had Conyers, his heir; and five daughters; Ursula, married to Sir Christopher Wyvill. — Elizabeth, to Sir Henry Stapylton. — Grace, to Sir John Legard. — Margaret, to Sir Henry Marwood. — Anne.

(2d Earl.) CONYERS their brother, who succeeded, married first Catharine, daughter of Mildmay Fane, the 2d Earl of Westmoreland, by whom he had no issue; nor by his third, who was Frances, daughter of the second Duke of Somerset, and widow first of Richard the second Viscount Molineux, and secondly of Thomas Wriothesly, Earl of Southampton. His fourth wife was Elizabeth, daughter of John, Lord Frescheville, and widow of Philip Warwick, Esq. by whom he had likewise no issue; but by his second wife, Frances, daughter of the first Earl of Berkshire, he had three sons; John, his heir-apparent. — Philip. — Charles.

JOHN, who died in his father's life-time, June 7, 1688, married Bridget, only surviving daughter of Robert, Lord Lexington, and left two sons, Robert and Conyers; and two daughters; Elizabeth, married to Sir Ralph Milbank; and Charlotte, to Wardel-George Westby. Conyers, the youngest son, was Knight of the Bath, and married Mary Bentinck, daughter of William, Earl of Portland, relict of Algernon, Earl of Essex, by whom he had no issue; and on the 12th of September, 1728, married Elizabeth, daughter of John Rotheram, Esq. widow first of Sir Theophilus Napier, and secondly, of Thomas, Lord Howard of Effingham, and died without issue Dec. 1, 1758.

(3d Earl) ROBERT, his elder brother, succeeded his grandfather, 1692; and died on the 20th of January, 1722. He married Frederica, eldest of the two daughters of Menhardt Schonbergh, Duke of Schonburgh in England, Duke of Leinster in Ireland, Count of the Roman Empire; and by her, who married secondly, in June 1724, Benjamin Mildmay, Earl of Fitz-Walter, (and died August 7, 1751) left Louisa-Carolina, married to William Kerr, Marquis of Lothian in Scotland, and died Nov. 15, 1778, leaving issue; and

(4th Earl.) ROBERT, the late Earl, who in Nov. 1743, married Mary, daughter of the Sieur Francis Doublet, one of the nobles of Holland, by whom he has had issue, George, born in Sept. 1745, who died at two years of age.—Thomas, born May 7, 1750, and died in July following.—Amelia, born Oct. 12, 1754. His Lordship dying May 16, 1778, without male issue, the Earldom became extinct, but was succeeded in the Barony by Amelia, his only surviving child, the present Baroness.

CREATION.] Baron, June 8, 1294.

ARMS.] *Azure*, semée of cross crozlets, three cinquefoils, *argent*. [Plate XI.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a spear broken in three pieces, *or*, headed, *argent*, and banded together at their middle by a ribbon, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a tyger, *argent*; on the sinister a bull, *fable*, armed, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Un Dieu, un Roy*. One God, one King.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Hornby-castle, in Yorkshshire; at Aston, Hurdwick, Patrick-Brampton, in the same county; and at Sion Hill, near Brentford, in Middlesex.

AUSTEN, BARONESS LE DESPENCER.

THE Right Hon. RACHAEL AUSTEN, Baroness LE DESPENCER, succeeded her brother, the late Lord; which title she claimed and was allowed in right of her mother, 1781. She married Nov. 1738, Sir Robert Austen, of Bexley in Kent, Bart. who died without issue 1743.

The family of Dashwood was originally of Dorsetshire, from whence they removed into Somersetsshire. Samuel Dashwood, of Rowney, near Taunton, Esq. had two wives; by the first he had four sons, viz. John; Francis, of whom hereafter; Richard; and William. By his second wife he had issue George.

Francis, second son of the aforesaid Samuel, was a Turkey merchant, and Alderman of London; he died in 1683, having married Alice, sister of — Sleigh, Esq. Alderman, by whom he had issue three sons, 1. Sir Samuel Dashwood, Knt. Alderman, and some time Lord Mayor of London, who married Anne, daughter of John Smith, Esq. by whom he had

George; Thomas; Elizabeth, married to Andrew Archer, Esq. Sarah to Richard Cowley, Esq. Jane, Anabella, Henrietta, and Sophia. 2. Thomas, married to Penelope, daughter of — Hillerfdon, Esq. and left issue; and 3. Sir Francis, was created a Baronet in the 6th of Queen Anne; also four daughters; Elizabeth, married to Thomas Lewes, Esq. Alderman of London; Mary, to John Coppin, Esq. Martha, to William Roberts, Esq. and Sarah, to Fulk Greville, Lord Brooke. Which Sir Francis Dashwood, afore-mentioned, married four wives; first Mary, only daughter of John Jennings, by whom he had issue two daughters, Mary, wife of Sir Fulwar Skipwith; and Susanna, married to Sir Orlando Bridgman. His second wife was Mary, daughter of Vere, fourth Earl of Westmoreland, by whom he had Francis, late Lord Le Despencer; and one daughter Rachel, married in Nov. 1738, to Sir Robert Austin, by whom she was left a widow without issue, and is the present Baroness. Mary Vere died Aug. 19, 1710. Sir Francis's 3d wife was Mary, daughter of Major King, by whom he had two sons, John and Charles; and a daughter Mary, married to John Walcot, Esq. His fourth wife was Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas, Earl of Plymouth, by whom he had no issue. He was succeeded as a Baronet by his eldest son,

(2d Baronet, 1st Lord.) FRANCIS, late Lord Le Despencer, who succeeded to the Barony, on the death of John, Earl of Westmoreland, being the only son of Mary, eldest sister of the said Earl, and the same was confirmed to him April 19, 1763; he married Sarah, daughter of Thomas Gould, of Ivor, in Bucks, Esq. and widow of Sir Richard Ellis, Bart. She died without issue, Feb. 2, 1769, and her Lord died Dec. 12, 1781, when the Barony descended to his sister,

RACHEL, the present Baroness.

CREATIONS.] Baron, May 25, 1604, but originally, June 3, 1595.

ARMS.] *Argent*, on a fess double cottised, *gules*, three gryphons heads erased, *or*. [Plate XXIV.]

CREST.] A gryphon's head, *ermine*, erased, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a gryphon, wings elevated, *or*, collared with a line reflexed over the back, *sable*, the collar charged with three escallops, *argent*. On the sinister, a bull, *argent*, pyed, *sable*, armed, hoofed and collared, with a chain reflexed over his back, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Pro Magna Charta.* For the Great Charter.

CHIEF

CHIEF SEATS.] At West-Wycomb, in Bucks; and at Mereworth, in Kent.

SOUTHWELL CLIFFORD, LORD CLIFFORD.

THE Right Hon. EDWARD-SOUTHWELL CLIFFORD, Baron CLIFFORD, Westmoreland and Vescy, born June 23, 1767, and succeeded his father, Edward, the late Lord, Nov. 1, 1777.

This family took its name from Clifford-castle, in Herefordshire, which came in marriage to Walter Fitz-Ponce, descended from Richard, Duke of Normandy, grandfather of William the Conqueror. He had three sons; Simon.—Walter, who resided at Clifford-castle, and took the surname of Clifford. — Richard.

(1st Lord.) WALTER, had five sons, Walter, Richard, Roger, Simon, and Hugh; and two daughters, Rosamond, concubine of Henry II. by whom he had William Longspee, Earl of Salisbury, and other children; Lucy (by some called Alice) married to Hugh, Lord Say. Roger, Simon, and Hugh, died without issue; Richard was Lord of Frampton.

(2d Lord.) WALTER, who succeeded his father, married Agnes, daughter of Roger de Cundy, by whom he had five sons, and was succeeded by

(3d Lord.) WALTER, his eldest son, who, by Margaret, daughter of Llewelyn, Prince of Wales, had Maud his only daughter and heir, who was married first to William Longspee, third son of William, Earl of Salisbury; and secondly, to Sir John Gifford of Brimfield.

(4th Lord.) We come now to ROGER, his brother, who married the Countess of Lorrain, by whom he had a son, Roger, who, 11th of Edw. I. was slain in a skirmish near Anglesea. He married Isabel, one of the daughters of Robert de Vipont: They had an only son,

(5th Lord.) ROGER, who was slain in Bannock's-bourn, June 25, 1314. He married Maud, daughter of Thomas de Clare, son of Richard, Earl of Gloucester, who by him had two sons; and a daughter, Idonia, married to Henry, Lord Percy. Of the sons,

(6th Lord.) ROGER, the eldest, dying unmarried, was succeeded by

(7th Lord.) ROBERT, who married Isabel, only daughter of Maurice Berkeley, Lord of Berkeley Castle, by whom he had three sons, Robert, Roger, and Thomas; and she bequeathed a mansion in St. Dunstan's Parish, Fleet-street, to the students at law, and which is still called Clifford's-Inn.

(8th Lord.) ROBERT, the eldest brother, succeeded his father. He married Euphemia, sister to Ralph Nevile, the first Earl of Westmoreland, and dying without issue,

(9th Lord.) ROGER, his brother, succeeded: He died July 13, 1390, leaving issue by Maud, daughter of Thomas, Earl of Warwick, Thomas, his son and heir; and Mary, married to Sir Philip Wentworth.

(10th Lord.) THOMAS, succeeding, married Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas, Lord Roos, by whom he left issue

(11th Lord.) JOHN, who succeeded his father, Sir William, who died without issue; and Sir Lewis, from whom descended the Lord Clifford of Chudleigh; and a daughter Maud, second wife of Richard, Earl of Cambridge, and afterwards wife of John Nevile, Lord Latimer. John, Lord Clifford was slain at the siege of Maux. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Henry Percy, commonly called Hotspur, by whom he had Thomas, his heir, born in 1415; Henry, who died without issue; and Mary, married to Sir Philip Wentworth.

(12th Lord.) THOMAS, taking part with Hen. VI. was slain at the battle of St. Alban's, May 22, 1454. He married Joan, daughter of Thomas, Lord Dacres of Gilsland, and had issue by her, John, his heir, born the 8th of April, 13th Hen. VI. Roger, Robert, Thomas, Elizabeth, Maud, Anne, Joan married to Sir Simon Musgrave, and Margaret married to Robert Carre.

(13th Lord.) JOHN, succeeded his father, and was slain, March 29, 1461, at the battle of Towton; leaving by Margaret Bromflete, daughter and sole heir of Henry, Lord Bromflete, Baron Vescy, Henry, his son and heir; Richard; and Elizabeth,

(14th Lord.) HENRY, succeeded his father as Lord Clifford; and his mother being by birth Baroness Vescy, brought the title of Baron Vescy to the Cliffords, and was restored in blood, in the first Parliament of Hen. VII. and to all his Baronies; &c. his father having been attainted in the 1st of Edward IV. He married Anne, daughter of Sir John St. John of Bletsho. He had by her three sons and four daughters; Henry, born in 1493.—Thomas.—Edward.—Mabel.—Eleanor.—Anne.—Joan. He married secondly, Florence, daughter

ter of — Pudsey, and by her had two sons, who died young; and one daughter, Dorothy, married to Sir Hugh Lowther.

(15th Lord, 1st Earl.) HENRY succeeded his father as Lord Clifford in 1525, and on the 18th of June, the same year, was created Earl of Cumberland: He married first Margaret, daughter of George, Earl of Shrewsbury, who died without issue; 2dly, Margaret Percy, daughter of Henry, 5th Earl of Northumberland. He was in great favour with Hen. VIII. who recommended Henry, Lord Clifford, the Earl's eldest son, to the Lady Eleanor, his cousin, daughter of Charles Brandon, Duke of Suffolk: Her mother was Mary, the French Queen, second daughter of King Henry VII. The Earl died the 22d of April 1542, leaving a daughter Catharine, married first to John, Lord Scrope; secondly to Sir Richard Cholmondeley; and

(16th Lord, 2d Earl.) HENRY, his heir: His Lady died in Nov. 1547; her issue male dying in their infancy, she left one only daughter, Margaret, afterwards Countess of Derby. He married, secondly, Anne, daughter of William, Lord Dacres of Gillelland, by whom he had George Clifford, Earl of Cumberland; and Frances, married to Philip, Lord Wharton.

(17th Lord, 3d Earl.) GEORGE, their brother succeeding his father, who died Jan. 8, 1659, married Margaret, third and youngest daughter of Francis, Earl of Bedford, on the 24th of June, 1577. By this Lady, who died 1616, he had two sons, who both died young; and a daughter Anne, his sole heir to the Baronies of Clifford, Westmoreland, and Vescy; afterwards Countess of Dorset and Pembroke. He dying Oct. 30, 1605,

(18th Lord, 4th Earl.) FRANCIS, his brother became the 4th Earl of Cumberland: He married Grisfold, daughter of Thomas Hughs, Esq. widow of Edward, Lord Aberga-venny. He died June 6, 1613, and left issue,

(19th Lord, 5th Earl.) HENRY, Earl of Cumberland; Margaret, who was married to Sir Thomas Wentworth; and Frances, second wife of Sir Gervase Clifton. He died Dec. 11, 1641: To whom succeeded

(20th Lord, 6th Earl.) HENRY, his only son, who in 1610, married Frances Cecil, only daughter of Robert, Earl of Salisbury, by whom he left issue an only daughter Elizabeth, his heir, born Sept. 1613, married July 5, 1635, to Richard, Viscount Dungarvon, son of Richard, Earl of Cork, in Ireland, who succeeded his father in the dignity of Earl of

Cork, and 20 Car. I. was created Lord Clifford of Laneshorough. The title of Earl of Cumberland became extinct by the death of Henry above-mentioned; but the Baronies of Clifford, Westmoreland, and Vescy, descended to Anne, sole daughter and heir of George, 3d Earl of Cumberland.

This noble Lady was born January 30, 1589, and married February 25, 1609, to Richard, Earl of Dorset: He died March 28, 1624, and had issue three sons, who died infants, and two daughters; Margaret, born July 2, 1614, married April 21, 1629, to John Tufton, Earl of Thanet, and had issue; and Isabella, born Oct. 6, 1622, married July 5, 1647, to James Compton, Earl of Northampton, and died without issue. Her Ladyship married, secondly, on the 3d of July 1630, Philip Herbert, Earl of Pembroke, who died Jan. 23, 1650, without issue by her. On her decease, the Baronies of Clifford, Westmoreland, and Vescy, devolved on her grandson Thomas, Earl of Thanet, who left no male issue, and the Barony of Clifford, &c. fell into abeyance amongst his five daughters; Catharine, married to Viscount Sondes, by whom she had one daughter, Catharine, married to Edward Southwell, Esq. and left a son Edward, the late Lord.—Margaret, married to James, Earl of Salisbury, and left issue.—Margaret, married to Thomas, Earl of Leicester.—Mary, married first to Anthony, Earl of Harold, and secondly to John, Earl Gower.—Isabella, married first to Lord Nassau Powlett, and secondly to Sir Francis Blake Delaval.—And on August 13, 1734, the Barony of Clifford, &c. was confirmed to Margaret, Countess of Leicester, and her Ladyship had one only son, Edward, Viscount Coke, who died in 1753; and upon the death of her Ladyship without issue, Feb. 26, 1775, the Barony of Clifford was confirmed on Edward Southwell, grandson of her eldest sister, descended from an ancient family in Nottinghamshire. His Lordship married Sophia, third daughter of Samuel Campbell, of Mount Campbell, in the county of Letrim, in Ireland, by whom he had Edward; born June 23, 1767, the present Lord.—Robert Campbell, born April 20, 1770, died 1777.—Henry, born March 30, 1773.—John, born Oct. 19, 1774, died 1778.—Mary, born Sept. 15, 1766.—Catharine, born Sept. 19, 1768.—Sophia, born June 10, 1771.—Elizabeth, born June 11, 1776.—Henrietta, born May 19, 1777. His Lordship deceasing on Nov. 1, 1777, was succeeded by his son

EDWARD, the present Lord.

CREATIONS.] Summoned to Parliament as Baron de Clifford, by writ, 23. Edw. I, 1295.

ARMS.] Those of the late Baroness, Plate 35, and sometimes quartered with the arms of Southwell, viz. *Argent*, three cinquefoils, *gules*, each charged with six annulets, *or*, the same as Lord Viscount Southwell, in Plate 20, of the Peerage of Ireland.

CREST.] A demi Indian goat, *argent*, charged on the body with three annulets, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter, a wyvern, *gules*; on the sinister, a monkey, *proper*.

MOTTO.] *Le Roy le veut*. The King will have it so.

CHIEF SEAT.] At King's Weston in Gloucestershire.

NEVILLE, LORD ABERGAVENNY.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE NEVILLE, Lord ABERGAVENNY, born June 24, 1727, succeeded his father William, the late Lord Abergavenny, September 21, 1744, married February 5, 1753, Henrietta, daughter of Thomas Pelham, late of Staunmer in the county of Sussex, Esq. and widow of the Hon. Richard Temple; by which Lady, who died in 1768, he had issue; Henry, born Feb. 1755, married Oct. 3, 1781, Miss Robinson, daughter of John Robinson, of Sion-Hall, in Middlesex, Esq.—George, born Sept. 1760.—Henrietta, born May, 1756, married Sept. 9, 1779, Sir John Berney, Bart. of Kerby-Bedon in Norfolk.

Of this ancient family, which is said to derive their descent from Gilbert de Nevil, a Norman, who was Admiral to William the Conqueror, when he came into England, was Ralph Nevil, Earl of Westmoreland, whose fourth son,

(1st Lord.) EDWARD, marrying Elizabeth, daughter of Richard Beauchamp, Earl of Worcester, son of William Beauchamp, Lord Abergavenny, by her, in the 20th of Henry VI. obtained livery of the Castle of Abergavenny, and had summons to Parliament, as above. He married secondly, Catharine, daughter of Sir Robert Howard. By this Lady he had three daughters; Margaret, married to John Brooke, Lord Cobham; Catharine, to Robert Tanfield; and Anne, to the Lord Strange; also three sons, who died young. By Elizabeth, his first wife, he had two sons; Richard, who died in his father's life-time; and

(2d Lord.) Sir GEORGE, his heir, who by Margaret, daughter of Sir Hugh Fenne, had five sons and two daughters; of whom, Elizabeth, the eldest, married to Sir Edward Berkeley;

Berkeley; and Jane, to Sir Henry Pole, Lord Montacute. The sons were George, William, Edward, Thomas, and Richard.

(3d Lord.) GEORGE, the eldest, succeeded his father. He married first Joan, daughter of Thomas, Earl of Arundel, by whom he had an only daughter Elizabeth, married to Henry, Lord d'Aubigny; but by his second wife, Mary, daughter of Edward, Duke of Buckingham, he had two sons and six daughters; Mary, married to Sir Thomas Fiennes.—Catharine, married to John St. Leger, Esq.—Margaret, to John Cheney, Esq.—Ursula, to Sir Warham St. Leger.—Dorothy, to William Brooke, son of George, Lord Cobham.—Jane, to Sir Henry Pole. The sons were,

(4th Lord.) HENRY, and Edward; the eldest succeeded his father. He married Frances, daughter of Thomas, Earl of Rutland, and dying in 1587, left an only daughter Mary, wife of Sir Thomas Fane. We now return to

EDWARD, her father's brother, who married Eleanor, daughter of Sir Andrews Windsor, and widow of Ralph, Lord Scroop of Upsal, by whom he had two sons; Edward, and Henry of Billingbear in Berks, from whom the Nevils of that county are descended; also three daughters; Frances, wife of Sir Edward Waldegrave; Elizabeth, wife of Thomas Haines, Esq. and Catharine, wife of Clement Throckmorton, Esq.

(5th Lord.) EDWARD, the eldest, who was next heir male of this line, and in whom the castle of Abergavenny was vested, likewise laying claim to the title, it was on the 25th of May, 1603, determined by the House of Peers in his favour; whereupon the King, to make some satisfaction to the heir female, granted the Barony of Le Despencer to her and her heirs, from whom descended the Earls of Westmoreland. He married first Catharine, daughter of Sir John Brown, by whom he had four sons, Edward, Francis, George, and Henry. His second wife was Grisold, daughter of Thomas Hughs, Esq. who brought him no issue, and surviving him, married Francis Clifford, Earl of Cumberland. Of the children by the first wife,

(6th Lord.) EDWARD, the eldest, succeeding, married Rachel, daughter of John Lennard, Esq. and by her had six sons and five daughters: Of the daughters, who were Elizabeth, Mary, Catharine, Frances, and Margaret, the eldest was married to John, Lord Grey of Groby, and secondly to Sir John Bingley.—Mary, to Sir George Goring, Knt. afterwards Earl

of Norwich.—Catharine, to Sir Stephen Lessieur. The sons were,

(7th Lord.) Sir HENRY, Edward, Christopher, John, Thomas, and Charles. The eldest, in 1622, succeeded his father: He married first Mary, daughter of Thomas Sackville, the first Earl of Dorset, by whom he had Sir Thomas Neville, and five daughters; and by his second wife, who was Catharine, daughter of Edward, Lord Vaux, he had two sons and three daughters; Catharine, Frances, and Elizabeth; whereof, the latter was married to Thomas Stoner, Esq. and the eldest, first to Sir Robert Howard, and afterwards to Robert Berry, Esq. Of the daughters by the first wife, who were Margaret, Cicely, Elizabeth, Mary, and Anne, the eldest was married to Thomas Brooke, Esq. the second to Fitz-William Coningsby, Esq. and Anne was Abbess of Pontoise, in France; and Sir Thomas, their brother, having married Elizabeth, daughter of Henry, Lord Mordaunt, by her had issue, Henry, who died in his infancy, 1629; and Charles, who died in 1637. Henry, their grandfather, dying in Dec. 1641, we come to his sons, by his second wife, who were John, his heir; and George.

(8th Lord.) JOHN, who succeeded, married Elizabeth, daughter of William Chamberlain, Esq. but he dying in 1660, without issue, the honour devolved upon

(9th Lord.) GEORGE, his brother, who marrying Mary, daughter of Thomas, son and heir of Henry Giffard, by whom he had George, his son and heir; and a daughter, Bridget, married to Sir John Shelley.

(10th Lord.) GEORGE, who succeeded, marrying Honora, daughter of John, Lord Bellassise, and dying March 26, 1695, without issue, we return to Christopher, third son of Edward the 6th Lord, by Rachel Lennard, who married Mary, daughter of Thomas D'Arcy, and left issue, Richard his heir, who by Sophia, his wife, had issue George; who married Mary, daughter of Sir Bulstrode, Whitlocke, by whom he left issue,

(11th Lord.) GEORGE, who succeeded to the title; and Edward. The former married Anne, daughter of Nehemia Walker, Esq. by whom he had three sons and two daughters; Jane was married to Abel Walter, Esq. but Anne died unmarried. The sons were Henry, George, and Edward; the eldest died young; and his Lordship dying,

(12th Lord.) GEORGE, the second, succeeded, and married Elizabeth daughter of Colonel Edward Thornicroft, but he dying on the 15th of November, 1723, without surviving issue,

issue, was succeeded by Edward, his brother; and she in June, 1774, married to Lord Delawar, and surviving him, died in 1778.

(13th Lord.) EDWARD, who thus became heir, married Catharine, daughter of Lieutenant-General Tatton; but he dying on the 9th of October, 1724, without issue, we return to Edward, brother to George, the 11th Lord, who died September 12, 1701, leaving issue by Hannah, daughter of Mr. Jarvois Thorp, a daughter Mary, married to Charles Chamberlain, Esq. and

(14th Lord.) WILLIAM, who married in May, 1725, Catharine, daughter of Lieutenant General Tatton, and widow of Edward, Lord Abergavenny, his predecessor; and by her, who died on the 4th of December, 1729, had issue a son, George, the present Lord; and a daughter Catharine. On the 20th of May, 1732, his Lordship married to his second wife Rebecca, daughter of Thomas the eighth Earl of Pembroke, by which Lady (who married secondly, Mr. Finch, and died October 20, 1758) he had issue, Harriot, born Nov. 17, 1734, who died unmarried in 1762.—Mary, born June 13, 1736, and died August 2, 1758, unmarried.—Sophia, born March 14, 1738, and died unmarried, Jan. 3, 1759.—William, born in Oct. 1741. His Lordship dying Sept. 12, 1744, was succeeded by his son,

(15th Lord.) GEORGE, the present Lord.

CREATION.] Baron, June 23, 1295.

ARMS.] *Gules*, on a saltire, *argent*, a rose of the *first*, barbed and seeded, *proper*. [Plate XXVI.]

CREST.] In a ducal coronet, *or*, a bull's head, *argent*; *pyed*, *sable*, armed of the *first*, and charged on the neck with a rose, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two bulls, *argent*, *pyed*, *sable*, armed, unguled, collared and chained, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Ne vile velis*. Form no mean Wish.

CHIEF SEATS.] At the castle of Abergavenny, in Monmouthshire; and at Eridge, and Kidbrooke-Hall, in Suffex.

TOUCHET, LORD AUDLEY.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE THICKNESSE-TOUCHET, Baron Audley, succeeded his uncle John, the late Earl of Castlehaven, who died April 22, 1777, as Baron Audley. It being one of the ancient Baronies in fee.

This

This family has been of great antiquity, William Touchet having summons to Parliament among the Barons of this realm, from the 24th of Edward I. to the 34th inclusive; and cotemporary with him was Thomas Touchet, who was possessed of the Manor of Ashwell, in the county of Rutland; and his son, Sir Robert, the 8th of Edward II. doing his homage, had livery of all his father's lands, and was father of John, who marrying Joan, daughter of James, and sister and coheir to Nicholas, Lord Audley, of Heleigh, by her had Sir John, father of another

(1st Lord.) Sir JOHN, who in the 15th of Richard II. was found to be heir to Joan his grandmother, sister to the fore-mentioned Nicholas, Lord Audley, and thereupon assumed that title, and was possessed of many Lordships and inheritances. He died Dec. 19, 1409, and was succeeded by

(2d Lord.) JAMES, his son; who the 7th of Henry V. was in the wars of France, and the 8th had summons to Parliament as Lord Audley; but in the 7th of Henry VI. being sent by Queen Margaret to encounter Richard Nevil, Earl of Salisbury, who was in arms on behalf of the house of York, and giving him battle at Blore-Heath, in the county of Stafford, was there slain, with 2400 of his company; leaving by Margaret, daughter of William, Lord Roos of Hamlake, a son John; and a daughter, Anne, married to Sir Thomas Dutton, of Dutton in Cheshire, whose fifth daughter, Eleanor, married Richard Cholmondeley, Esq. ancestor of the late Earl of Cholmondeley.

(3d Lord.) JOHN, who succeeded, was in great favour with Edward IV. In the 7th of Edward IV. he obtained a grant of the Manors of Sheer and Vachey in Surry, in consideration of his attendance on the King's person; and dying in 1492, left issue by Anne, daughter and heir of Sir Thomas Itchingham, Knt. a son,

(4th Lord.) JAMES, who in 1475, at the creation of Edward, Prince of Wales, was made Knt. of the Bath, and had summons to Parliament from the 1st of Edward IV. to the 12th of Henry VII. but in that year taking discontent at a subsidy then granted in Parliament, he joined the Cornish men in their insurrection; and being taken prisoner at the battle of Black-Heath, was brought to Newgate, whence he was led to Tower-Hill, in a coat of his own armories, (which was painted on paper, but reversed and torn) and was there beheaded, June 20, 1497. He married first Margaret, daughter of Sir Richard Darrel, Knt. (by Margaret, daughter of Edmund Beaufort, Duke of Somerset) by whom he had John, his heir; secondly,

secondly, Joan, daughter of Fulk Bouchier, Lord Fitz-Warren, by whom he had four sons and two daughters; of whom, Johanna, was married to Sir John Chichester, Knt. ancestor to the Earls of Donegall; and Anne, to Sir John Wingfield, and was mother of Sir Anthony Wingfield, Knight of the Garter.

(5th Lord.) JOHN, in 1491, attending King Henry VIII. at the taking of Therouenne, and afterwards being one of the Lords that subscribed that memorable Letter to Pope Clement VII. had restitution of all his father's lands, &c. and marrying Mary, daughter of Richard Griffin, of Braybroke, in the county of Northampton, Esq. by her had

(6th Lord.) GEORGE, his heir, who married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Brian Tuke, Receiver-General to the King, by whom he had a son,

(7th Lord.) HENRY, whose wife was Elizabeth, daughter of Sir William Snede of Bradwell, in the county of Stafford, and by her had two sons, and two daughters; Anne, and Elizabeth; whereof, the eldest was married to Thomas Brooke, of Norton in the county of Chester, Esq. and the youngest, first to — Bradshaigh of Haigh in Lancashire, Esq. and secondly, to George Legh of High Legh, Esq. And of the sons, who were

(8th Lord, 1st Earl.) GEORGE and James, the latter died without issue, and the eldest succeeded his father, and by James I. was created Earl of Castlehaven in Ireland. He was also made Governor of Utrecht, in the Netherlands, and was wounded at the battle of Kingsale, but yet was victorious; and marrying Lucy, daughter of Sir James Mervin, of Fonthill in Wilts, Knt. by her he had two sons and five daughters; Elizabeth, first married to Sir John Stawell, Knt. of the Bath, ancestor to the Lord Stawell; and secondly, to Sir Thomas Griffin, ancestor to the late Lord Griffin, and to Sir John Whitwell Griffin.—Eleanor, first to Sir John Davis, Knt. the King's Attorney-General in Ireland, and next to Sir Archibald Douglas, Knt.—Anne, to Edward Blount of Arleston, in the county of Derby, Esq.—Mary, to Sir Thomas Thynne, of Long-Leate in Wilts, grandfather of Mr. Thynne, who was basely murdered in Pall-Mall.—Christian, to Sir Henry Mervin, of Petersfield, Knt. He married another wife, Elizabeth, daughter of Andrew Noel; and of the sons, who were

(2d Earl.) Sir MERVIN, and Ferdinando; the latter was made Knt. of the Bath, at the creation of Henry, Prince of Wales, and the eldest succeeded his father. He married first Elizabeth, daughter and coheir to Benedict Barnham, Alder-

man of London, and secondly Anne, daughter of Ferdinando Stanley, Earl of Derby, and widow of Grey Bridges, Lord Chandos; but being accused of certain high crimes, was tried by a commission of Oyer and Terminer, and on the 14th of May, 1631, was beheaded on Tower-hill. By his second wife he had no issue; but by his first he had three sons and three daughters; of whom, Lucy, was first married to John Ancell, Esq. and afterwards to Gerald Fitz-Maurice, brother to the Lord Kerry in Ireland.—Dorothy, to Edmund Butler, the 4th Viscount Mountgarret, of the same kingdom.—Frances, to Col. Richard Butler, brother to the first Duke of Ormond. The sons were

(3d Earl.) JAMES, George, and Mervin; the second was a Benedictine Monk at Down, and the eldest, who became heir, was by letters patent, dated the 3d of June, 1634, restored to the title and dignity of Lord Audley, and Earl of Castlehaven. In the time of the civil wars, he was a Commander in Ireland under the Duke of Ormond; and in 1649, was General of the Irish forces, and acted against Cromwell's army, till the reduction of that kingdom, when he retired to Paris. On the Restoration he returned to England, and obtained an Act of Parliament, in 1678, for restoring the titles, forfeited by his father, to himself, and the heirs male of his body, and in default thereof, to Mervin his brother; and, for want of issue by him, to his sisters and their heirs. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Grey Bridges, Lord Chandos; but dying without issue, in Ireland, October 11, 1684,

(4th Earl.) MERVIN, his brother, succeeded him; and marrying Mary, youngest daughter of John Talbot, the 10th Earl of Shrewsbury, and widow of Charles Arundel, Esq. by her had two sons and three daughters; Mary, Anne, and Eleanor. The eldest was married to Sir Henry Wingfield of Easton in Suffolk, Bart. The sons were

(5th Earl.) JAMES, and John; the latter married Elizabeth, second daughter of Thomas Savile, Earl of Suffolk, by whom he had a daughter Mary, who was the first wife of Cadwallader, Lord Blaney; and the eldest married Elizabeth, daughter and coheir to ~~_____~~ Bard of Weston, Esq. (by Anne, his wife, daughter of Charles Villiers, Earl of Anglesea, and widow of Thomas Ratcliff, Earl of Suffolk) and by her (who died in June, 1733) had

(6th Earl.) JAMES, his only child, who, on the 12th of August, 1700, succeeded him, and enjoyed the honour. He married, in 1722, Elizabeth, only daughter of Henry, Lord Arundel of Wardour, and by her (who died in July, 1743) had

James, the 7th Earl.—John, the last Earl.—Elizabeth, married to Philip Thicknesse, Esq. Lieutenant-Governor of Landguard Fort, and died in 1762, leaving issue two sons and two daughters, George, the present Lord; Philip; Elizabeth; and Joyce.—Mary, who died in 1748, unmarried. His Lordship died in October, 1740, and was succeeded by his eldest son,

(7th Earl.) JAMES, the late Earl, who died May 6, 1769, unmarried, and was succeeded in all his honours by

(8th Earl.) JOHN, his brother, married 1776, Mrs. Cra-craft, and died without issue, April 28, 1777, when the Earldom and Irish Barony became extinct, and he was succeeded in his English Barony by his nephew, the present Lord Audley.

CREATIONS.] Baron Audley, by writ of summons, Oct. 20, 1403, but originally, Jan. 6. 1296, 24 Edward I.

ARMS.] *Ermine, a chevron, gules.*

CREST.] In a ducal coronet, or, a swan rising, *argent*, ducally gorged of the first.

SUPPORTERS.] Two wyverns, with wings expanded, *sable*.

MOTTO.] *Je le tiens.* I hold it.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Groveley, near Salisbury, in Wilts.

PERCY, LORD PERCY.

THE Right Hon. HUGH PERCY, Baron PERCY, Lucy, Poynings, Fitz-Payne, Bryan and Latimer, commonly stiled Earl Percy, being eldest son of the Duke of Northumberland, is a Lieutenant General in the Army, and Colonel of the 5th Regiment of Foot.

His Lordship succeeded to the above honours, on the death of his mother, Elizabeth, Duchess of Northumberland, Dec. 5, 1776. (See the article PERCY, Duke of NORTHUMBERLAND, where is given a full account of his Lordship's birth, marriages, and issue). It may be proper to give here a short sketch of his Lordship's descent from the Lords PERCY, ancient Earls of Northumberland, of whom he is heir general and representative.

This noble family is descended from Mainfred, a Norman Chieftain, who made irruptions into France in the 9th century; and his posterity settling in Normandy, took their name from their domain of PERCY in that Province. William de Percy, with his brother Serle, accompanied King William the Conqueror in 1066, from whom he had grants of eighty-six manors

manors in Yorkshire, thirty-two in Lincolnshire, &c. and is expressly stiled a BARON in records of that and the following reign. The grandson of this William dying without issue, in the reign of King Henry II. his daughter and heir, Agnes de Percy, married Josceline de Lorrain, son of the Duke of Brabant, and brother to Queen Adeliza, second wife of King Henry I. and by express stipulation took the name of PERCY, but retained the arms of Brabant, which originally were, *or*, a lion rampant, *azure*, since borne by the Percy family, quartered with the ancient arms of Percy, *azure*, five fusils in fess, *or*. Josceline was lineally descended in the male line from the Sovereigns of Brabant and Hainault, by a marriage with the daughter and heir of Charles, Duke of Lorrain, (son of Louis d'Outremer, King of France) who was the last male descendant of the Emperor Charlemagne, and who was true heir to the crown of France, usurped by Hugh Capet.

From Josceline had descended six Lord Percys in lineal succession, when the last of them having intermarried with the Royal Family, (Lady Mary Plantagenet) had two sons, who both became Earls, viz. 1. Henry, created Earl of Northumberland on July 16, 1377, 1 Rich. II. and, 2. Thomas, created Earl of Worcester, Sept. 29, 1397, 21 Rich. II. This last was also Lord of Haverford; but left no issue, being beheaded after the battle of Shrewsbury, fought by his nephew against King Henry IV.

(1st Earl.) HENRY Percy, Earl of Northumberland, was in the reign of King Rich. II. Earl Marshal of England, and in that of King Hen. IV. he had the office of Constable of England for life, and was made King of Man, to hold this island to him and his heirs; but entering into rebellion against the latter, whom he had helped to the Crown, was slain in 1408. He left issue by his first wife Margaret Neville, three sons; of whom the eldest, Sir Henry Percy, Knt. surnamed Hotspur, was the most distinguished Chieftain of that age, and after a sharp struggle for the crown, was slain at Battlefield, near Shrewsbury, on St. Magdalen's eve, 1403, leaving issue by Elizabeth Mortimer, (grand-daughter of Lionel, Duke of Clarence, son of King Edward III.) one son Henry, who was 2d Earl of Northumberland, and one daughter. Henry, first Earl of Northumberland, married secondly (without issue) Maud, Barones Lucy, Countess Dowager of Angus, who conveyed her great possessions and Baronial honours to this Earl and his posterity. This Earl, as also his brother and son, were all Knights of the Garter; but after their rebellion,

bellion, their names were expunged from the lists, their blood attainted, and their Earldom and Baronies extinguished, till
 2d (2d Earl.) HENRY Percy, son of Hotspur, was restored to the Earldom of Northumberland, &c. in 1414, King Hen. V. and in 1450, constituted Constable of England, by King Henry VI. in whose cause he was slain in the first battle at St. Alban's in 1455. By Eleanor Neville, grand-daughter of John of Gaunt, he had issue nine sons and three daughters. One of his sons, Thomas, was created Baron Egremont in 1449. His eldest son was

3d (3d Earl.) HENRY Percy, Earl of Northumberland, who in his father's life-time sat in Parliament as Baron Poynings, having married Eleanor, heiress of that Barony, as also of the Baronies of Fitz-Payne and Bryan. He was slain at Towton-field in 1461, where he commanded for the House of Lancaster, leaving issue, besides three daughters, one son, who was attainted and deprived of the Earldom, till his said son,

4th (4th Earl.) HENRY Percy, was restored to the Earldom of Northumberland, &c. in 1469, by King Edward IV. by whom he was also made a Knight of the Garter; as he was afterwards by King Richard II. Lord Great Chamberlain of England, in 1483, during an attainder of the Vere family. In the succeeding reign, he was slain in a popular tumult at his house in Yorkshire, in 1489; leaving issue by Maud, daughter of William Herbert, Earl of Pembroke, four sons and three daughters; of whom the eldest,

5th (5th Earl.) HENRY Algernon Percy, Earl of Northumberland, was a Knight of the Garter, and distinguished for his great magnificence and patronage of the Arts and Sciences, establishing a Professor of Philosophy and Grammar in his Monastery at Alnwick. He died in 1527, leaving issue by his wife Catharine, daughter of Sir Richard Spencer, Knt. and of Eleanor, daughter and heir of Edmund Beaufort, Duke of Somerset, three sons and two daughters. Of these, the second, Sir Thomas Percy, Knt. was executed for rebellion in 1537, and his two sons attainted, Thomas and Henry, who were afterwards restored, and successively became Earls of Northumberland. The eldest son of the 5th Earl was

6th (6th Earl.) HENRY Algernon Percy, Earl of Northumberland, and Knight of the Garter. He had been an admirer of Queen Anne Bullen, but afterwards married Mary, daughter of George, Earl of Shrewsbury, and died without issue in 1537; when his nephew, being under attainder, he left

left all his estates to the crown, and the Earldom was extinguished for twenty years. For which, and his early great expences, he has been called the unthrifty Earl. At length

(7th Earl.) THOMAS Percy, nephew of the last Earl, being restored in blood, in the 4th and 5th of Philip and Mary, 1557, became Earl of Northumberland, &c. and in the following reign Knight of the Garter; but falling into rebellion, was beheaded at York in 1572; and leaving by his wife Anne, daughter of Henry Somerset, Earl of Worcester, only four daughters; his honours and estate passed by entail to

(8th Earl.) HENRY Percy, Earl of Northumberland, &c. brother to the last Earl. He being suspected of favouring Mary, Queen of Scots, was found shot dead in the Tower in 1585; leaving issue by his wife Catharine, eldest daughter and coheir of John, Lord Latimer, (from which marriage the future Earls of Northumberland were stiled Barons Latimer) eight sons and three daughters. The eldest son was

(9th Earl.) HENRY Percy, Earl of Northumberland, Knight of the Garter. After distinguishing himself against the Spanish Armada in 1588; in the following reign he, though a firm Protestant, was accused in the Star-chamber of favouring his kinsman, Thomas Percy, who had been concerned in the Gunpowder Treason, and was sentenced by that arbitrary Court to pay 30,000*l.* and to be confined for life in the Tower, where he was imprisoned sixteen years: During which, he devoted his time to learning and the sciences, being attended by the most eminent scholars, chiefly mathematicians, who were called his Magi; and he stiled Henry the Wizzard. He died in 1632, having had issue by his wife, Dorothy, sister to the favourite Earl of Essex, four sons and two daughters. Of the sons, two only attained to manhood, viz. the second son, Henry, who being created Baron Percy of Alnwick, in 1643, followed the fortunes of King Charles II. dying in exile, without issue; and the eldest,

(10th Earl.) ALGERNON Percy, Earl of Northumberland, and Knight of the Garter, who was called up to the House of Lords in his father's life-time, by writ, in 1626. In 1637, he was constituted Lord High Admiral of England, and in 1639, Generalissimo of the army against the Scots. At the coronation of King Charles II. he officiated as Lord-High Constable of England, and died in 1668, having married two wives; Anne, daughter of William Cecil, Earl of Salisbury, by whom he had five daughters; and secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of Theophilus Howard, Earl of Suffolk.

folk, who lived to 1704, by whom he had only one surviving son, viz.

(11th and last Earl.) JOSCELINE Percy, Earl of Northumberland. He marrying Elizabeth, daughter and coheir of Thomas Wriothesley, Earl of Southampton, went abroad on his travels, and died at Turin, in 1670, leaving only one daughter. His Lady married secondly, Ralph, Lord Montagu, who was afterwards Duke of Montagu; by whom she had issue, John, late Duke of Montagu; and Anne, grandmother of the present Earl of Sandwich.

Lady ELIZABETH Percy, sole heir of the Baronial honours and estates of her house: She was first wife of Charles Seymour, Duke of Somerset, by whom she had seven sons and six daughters (only one of whom left issue, viz. Catharine Seymour, wife of Sir William Wyndham, Bart. whose eldest son Charles, Earl of Egremont, had the possessions of the ancient Earls of Northumberland, in Sussex, Yorkshire, and Cumberland). Her Grace died in 1722, on which her eldest surviving son,

Algernon Seymour (afterwards Duke of Somerset in 1748) took his seat in Parliament as Baron Percy, &c. in 1722. He married Frances, daughter and coheir of Henry Thynne, only son of Thomas, 1st Viscount Weymouth, by whom he had issue only one daughter; and one son, George, Viscount Beaucamp, who dying unmarried in 1744, all the Baronial honours of her father, (together with the estates of the ancient Earls Percy, in Middlesex and Northumberland) descended to his only daughter and heir,

ELIZABETH, late Duchess of Northumberland, whose eldest son and heir,

HUGH, the present Earl Percy, being abroad on the public service in America at his mother's death, did not take his seat in the House of Peers till Nov. 20, 1777. He has since claimed the office of Great Chamberlain of England, in 1787, as heir general of the eldest line of the Vere family, (through Catharine, wife of the 8th Earl of Northumberland) but the long enjoyment by a younger branch occasioned it to be decided in favour of the present possessors.

For further particulars relating to his Lordship, see the article PERCY, DUKE OF NORTHUMBERLAND.

ARMS.] Six quarters, for six Baronies. 1. Quarterly, Brabant and Lucy; first and fourth for Brabant, *or*, a lion rampant, *azure*; second and third for Lucy, *gules*, three lucas or pikes hauriant, *argent*. 2. For Percy, *azure*, five fusils in fess, *or*. 3. For Poynings, barry of six, *or* and *vert*, a bendlet, *gules*. 4. For Fitz-Payne, *gules*, three lions passant guardant

in pale, *argent*, a bend, *azure*. 5. For Bryan, *or*, three piles, *azure*. 6. For Latimer, *gules*, a saltire, *argent*, with an annulet in the center, *fable*.

CREST.] On a chapeau, *gules*, turned up ermine, a lion statant, *azure*.

Other ancient crests or badges, are; on a wreath, a crescent, *argent*; also a pair of fetterlocks, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a lion rampant, *azure*; on the sinister, an unicorn, *argent*, ducally collared, chained, horned, and hooped, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Esperance en Dieu*. Confidence in God.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Stanwick in the North Riding, and Armine in the West Riding, of Yorkshire.

TOWNSHEND, LORD DE FERRARS.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE TOWNSHEND, Baron DE FERRARS of Chartley, Lord Bouchier, Loyayne, Bassett, and Compton, eldest son of Viscount Townshend, born April 18, 1753, succeeded as Baron de Ferrars, on the death of his mother, Sept. 14, 1770; she being the only child of James, 5th Earl of Northampton, and Elizabeth, Baroness de Ferrars of Chartley in the county of Stafford. His Lordship married, Dec. 24, 1777, Charlotte, second daughter and coheir of Eaton Mainwaring Ellirker, of Risby Park in Yorkshire, Esq. and has issue; George, born Dec. 13, 1778; and another son, born March 1780.

HENRY DE FERRARIS, came over with William the Conqueror, and had Robert, who was advanced to the Earldom of Derby, 3d King Stephen. He had three sons; William, Earl Ferrars and Derby; Robert, who succeeded him; and Walcheline. Robert, who was heir to his brother William, was succeeded by William, Earl Ferrars, his son.

WILLIAM, Earl Ferrars and Derby, who died in April, 1254, left a son Robert Ferrars, Earl of Derby, his heir, who died the 7th of Edward I. and left John, his heir, who in 27th of Ed. I. was summoned to Parliament, among the Barons, as Lord Ferrars of Chartley. He married Hawyfe, daughter and heir of Sir Robert de Muscegros, Knt. and died the 18th of Edw. II. leaving Robert, his heir, who married Agnes, daughter of Humphrey de Bohun, Earl of Hereford, leaving John, his heir; and Robert, who married Elizabeth, daughter and heir of William le Boteler, second son of William, Baron of Wem.

JOHN, who succeeded as Lord Ferrars, married Elizabeth, daughter of Ralph, Earl of Stafford, and widow of Foulk L'Estrange, and died April 22, 1367, and was succeeded by his son Robert, Lord Ferrars, who died in 1413, leaving issue by Margaret, daughter of Edward, Lord Spencer,

EDMUND, his heir, who died 1436. He married Eleanor, daughter of Sir Thomas de la Roche, Knt. and by her, who married secondly Sir William Chetwynd, Knt. had two sons, William, Lord Ferrars, and Edmund; of whom, the eldest married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Hamon Belknap, and died June 9, 1450, leaving an only daughter Anne, his heir, married to Sir Walter Devereux, Knt. who was summoned to Parliament as Lord Ferrars of Chartley, and whose grandson was created Viscount Hereford. From that family the Barony descended to Dorothy, daughter of Robert Devereux, Earl of Essex, the great favourite of Queen Elizabeth, who married Sir Henry Shirley, as may be seen in the account of the family of Earl Ferrers; and that Elizabeth, daughter of Robert, Viscount Tamworth, succeeded to the Barony. She married James Compton, Earl of Northampton; and dying in 1740, Charlotte, her only surviving daughter, at length became Baroness Ferrars of Chartley, and in Dec. 1751, married George, now Viscount Townshend, by whom she had three sons, George, John, and Frederick-Patrick. And her Ladyship deceasing Sept. 14, 1770, was succeeded by her eldest son,

GEORGE, the present Lord Ferrars of Chartley.

CREATIONS.] Originally by tenure, and writ of summons, Feb. 6, 1298; also by writ of summons, 1 Edw. IV. 1460; again by writ, Dec. 17, 1677.

ARMS.] Those of his mother. [Plate XXXV.] Quarterly, first, *sable*, a lion passant-guardant, or, between three helmets, *argent*, for Compton; secondly, pally of six, or and *azure*, a canton, *ermine*, for Ferrars. Third, France and England quarterly with a border, *argent*, for Thomas of Woodstock, Duke of Gloucester. Fourth, as the first. He also quarters the arms of his father, Viscount Townshend.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter, a talbot, *ermine*, his ears, or; his ducal collar, *gules*. On the sinister, a rein deer of the last, attired, *argent*, gorged with a ducal coronet of the third, billeted, or.

CREST.] On a wreath; a buck, *sable*, attired, *proper*.

MOTTO.] *Je ne cherche que ung.* I look but for one.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Tamworth Castle, Warwickshire; and Risby Park in Yorkshire.

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MURRAY, BARONESS STRANGE.

THE Right Hon. CHARLOTTE MURRAY, Baro-
ness STRANGE, Lady of the Isle of Man, mother of
the present Duke of Athol, is Baroness in her own right,
by descent from her great grandmother, a daughter of the
Earl of Derby, beheaded in 1651.

For the account of her family, arms, &c. see Duke of
ATHOL, in the Peerage of *Scotland*; and the Earl of DERBY.

For the arms, see *Plate XXXV.*

SOMERSET, BARONESS BOTTETOURT.

THE Right Hon. ELIZABETH SOMERSET, Baro-
ness BOTTETOURT, mother of the present and wi-
dow of the late Duke of BEAUFORT, where may be seen her
issue and marriage connections. Her Ladyship was the daugh-
ter of John-Syms Berkeley, and sister to the late Norborne
Berkeley, Baron Bottetourt, who died unmarried in 1776,
(and was lineally descended from Sir Maurice Berkeley, se-
cond son of Maurice, Lord Berkeley, in the reigns of Edw. I.
and II. who was also ancestor of the Lords Berkeley of Stratton,
&c.) and claimed his title, as descended from the Lord Bot-
tetourt, High Admiral of England, and Constable of St. Bri-
avel's Castle in the reigns of Edw. I. and III. which after a
solemn hearing in the House of Peers, was allowed, and the
title adjudged to his Lordship in 1764. On the death of her
brother, her Ladyship became Baroness in her own right.

CREATION.] Baroness, 1305.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *gules*, a chevron, *er-
mine*, between ten crosses pattee, six above and four below,
argent; second and third, *or*, a saltire ingrailed, *sable*.

BARRET-LENNARD, LORD DACRE.

THE Right Hon. THOMAS BARRET-LENNARD,
Lord DACRE, born in 1716, succeeded in 1755, his
mother Anne, Baroness Dacre, who in 1723, had, by the death

of Dacre Barrett Lennard, his grandfather, succeeded to his estates. He married Anne, daughter of Sir John Pratt, Knt. Lord Chief Justice of the King's Bench, and sister to Charles, the present Lord Camden, by whom he had one daughter, Anne-Barbara, who died 1749, in the 10th year of her age.

This family, which for a long time ranked amongst the principal ones in Kent, was settled at Chevening in that county, as early at least as the middle of King Hen. Vith's reign, when George Lennard was then resident there, whose grandson, John Lennard, lies buried in Chevening church, under an altar tomb, on which in brass are his arms, *or*, on a fess, *gules*, three fleurs de lis of the first quartering. Those of Bird, his mother's, viz. quarterly, *argent* and *sable*, in the first; a spread eagle of the second. He left issue two sons, John; and William, whose son Sampson Lennard, was a person well accomplished as a soldier and scholar, and in his latter days a skilful member of the College of Arms, and died in 1633. John Lennard, the eldest son, born the last year of King Hen. VII. applied himself to the study of the law, being a student in Lincoln's Inn, and became eminent in that profession, and enjoyed successively the offices of Prothonotary of the nine shires in Wales, and Clerk of the Crown there; of second Prothonotary of the Common Pleas; and the 4th Queen Eliz. Custos Brevium of the Common Pleas; which had been held before him by many persons of great reputation, particularly by Sir William Cecil, afterwards Lord Burleigh. In the 13th of Elizabeth, he was appointed High Sheriff of Kent. He married Elizabeth, daughter of William Harmen, Esq. of Ellam in Crayford, in Kent; who by his mother, daughter of Sir John Butler, of Wood-Hall, was descended from the Lords of that name, Barons of Wem; by which Elizabeth he had two sons, Sampson; and Samuel, who was afterwards knighted, and was ancestor of the Lennards of West Wickham, Barts. and five daughters, whom he married into noble or very honourable and considerable families. In the execution of his offices, being a person of great integrity, he carried himself most uprightly, and died in 1690, in the 82d year of his age, having greatly added to his paternal inheritance, and lies buried under a fine tomb in Chevening church, on which are the effigies of himself and his wife. He was succeeded in the manor of Chevening, and the rest of his estates, which were very considerable, by Sampson Lennard, his eldest son, who married Margaret, daughter of Thomas, and sister and heir of George Finnes, Lord Dacre, which Margaret descended from an ancient and noble family,

Lords

Lords of Finnes, in the Bolonis in France; whose ancestors from the Conquest, to the time of King John, were hereditary Constables of Dover Castle, in exchange for which office, King John gave William Fynes the manor of Wendover in Bucks. This William de Fynes had Ingeham, who had William and Giles de Fynes, both Knights, which William, the elder brother, had issue John, his eldest son, Lord Wendover, who falling into the displeasure of King Edw. II. for harbouring his (the said John's) nephew, ——— Mortimer, in his estate in Picardy, his lands in England were seized upon, and he retired into France where he died, leaving issue by Isabel, sixth daughter of Guy de Dampier, Earl of Flanders, Joan, married to the Count of St. Paul; and Robert de Fynes, who was one of the most eminent persons of his time; so that he was in the reign of King John of France, promoted to the high dignity of Constable of that kingdom; and dying without issue, Joan, Countess of St. Paul, his sister, became his heir. Sir Giles de Fynes, second son of Ingeham de Fynes, married Sibil, daughter and heir of John Philliot, of Old Court in Suffex, whose grandson, Sir John de Fynes, temp. Edw. III. became possessed of the seat and manor of Herstmonceux in Suffex, by his marriage with Maud de Monceux, heiress thereof; and his descendant Sir Richard Fynes, marrying Joan, grand-daughter and heir of Thomas, Lord Dacre, was in her right, the 13th of Edw. IV. declared and accepted as Lord Dacre; which family of Dacre was one of the most considerable and ancient families in the north of England, being descended from William de Dacre, Sheriff of Cumberland, and Governor of Carlisle in the reign of King Henry III. and had been Barons and Lords of Parliament from the 14th of King Edw. the II. by marrying the heiress of the Lords Multon, of Gilsland in Cumberland. The aforesaid Margaret Fynes being thus descended, had issue by Sampson Lennard her husband, three sons, Henry, Gregory, and Thomas; and five daughters; Anne, married to Robert Morley, Esq. Mary, to Sir Ralph Bosvile; Margaret, to Sir Thomas Waller; Elizabeth, to Sir Francis Barnham; and Frances, to Sir Robert More.

HENRY Lennard, their son and heir, on the death of his mother, in 1611, was Lord Dacre, who in the year 1596, had been with the Earl of Essex in Spain at the taking of Cadiz, and there knighted. He married Chryfogona, daughter of Sir Richard Baker, of Sissingherst in Kent, son of Sir John Baker, Chancellor of the Exchequer, and of the Privy Council of King Henry VIII. by whom he had three
sons,

sons, Richard, Edward, and Finnes; of whom the two last died without issue; and four daughters; Margaret, married to Sir Anthony Widgoos; Pembroke, to Sir William Brooke; Philadelphia, to Sir Thomas Parker; and Barbara, to Sir Philip Stapleton. And their father dying August 13, 1616, was succeeded by his eldest son,

RICHARD, Lord Dacre: He married first Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Arthur Throckmorton, by whom he had four sons, Francis, Richard, Thomas, and Henry; which three last died without issue. His second wife was Dorothy, daughter of Dudley, Lord North, by whom he had a son, Richard, who took the name of Barrett; of whom hereafter.

FRANCIS succeeded his father, who died Aug. 18, 1630, as Lord Dacre: He married Elizabeth, daughter, and at length coheir of Paul, Viscount Bayning, and had issue three sons and three daughters; Philadelphia, married to Daniel Obrien, Viscount Clare; Elizabeth, to William, third Earl of Meath; and Margaret, who died unmarried. His sons were, Thomas, his successor; Francis, who died a bachelor; and Henry, who left three daughters. Their father died in 1662; and Elizabeth, his wife, was created Countess of Sheppy, during life, Sept. 6, 1686.

THOMAS, Lord Dacre, their heir, married the Lady Anne Palmer, alias Fitzroy, whom King Charles II. acknowledged as his natural daughter, by Barbara, Duchess of Cleveland, and was on Oct. 5, 26 Car. II. created Earl of Suffex; but coming very young to Court, being Lord of the Bedchamber to his Majesty, he fell into the expence of living in fashion there, and thereby, with great losses at play, he much diminished his estate, great part of which he sold, particularly his seat of Herstmonceaux. He had two sons, Charles, and Henry, who died in their infancy; and two daughters, Barbara, and Anne, his coheirs. He died in 1715; and the Barony became in abeyance, between the daughters, till the eldest (who was the wife of Charles Skelton, Lieutenant General in the French service, and Grand Croix de St. Louis) dying at Paris in 1740, without issue, Anne, her sister, became sole heir, and was Baroness Dacre. She married first, Richard Barrett-Lennard, Esq. secondly, to Henry Roper, Lord Teynham, being his second wife; by whom she had two sons, Charles and Henry, and one daughter, Anne; thirdly, to the Hon. Robert Moore, third son of Henry, Earl of Drogheda, by whom she had one son Henry.

RICHARD Barrett-Lennard, Esq. her first husband, was grandson of Richard Lennard, son of Richard, Lord Dacre,

by his second wife. This Richard Lennard took the surname of Barrett, in consideration of the manor of Belhouse, and other lands in Essex, bequeathed him by Sir Edward Barrett, Lord Newburgh, and Chancellor of the Dutchy of Lancaster, whose ancestor, John Barrett, became possessed of that seat and estate in the reign of King Henry IV. by his marriage with Alice, sister and heir of John Belhouse, of Belhouse aforesaid. This Richard Lennard, married Anne, daughter and heir of Sir Robert Loftus, Knt. (who died in his father's life-time) eldest son of Adam, Viscount Loftus, of Ely in Ireland, and Lord Chancellor there, who brought him a considerable estate at Clones in the said kingdom; and by whom he had issue, Dacre Barrett-Lennard, his son and heir; Richard, who was killed by a fall from his horse in the Park at Belhouse, and died a bachelor; and two daughters; Anne, married to Carew Mildmay, of Marks in Essex, Esq. and Dorothy, who died unmarried.

DACRE Barrett-Lennard, succeeding his father, took to his wife, Jane, eldest daughter of Arthur Chichester, the second Earl of Donegal, by whom he had a son, named Richard; and three daughters; Jane, who after her father's death married John Ranby, Esq. Serjeant Surgeon to his late Majesty, and died without issue; Dorothy, married to Hugh Smith, of Wealdhall in Essex, Esq. (by whom she had issue, two daughters; Lucy, the youngest, is mother of the present Earl of Derby) and Henrietta, who died single. His second wife was Elizabeth, daughter and coheir of Thomas Moor, Esq. by whom he had Elizabeth, wife of William Sloan, Esq. of Stoneham, Hants, who died without issue. His third wife was Sarah, daughter of Sir Capel Lukin, by whom he had a daughter Catharine, wife of Sir Philip Hall.

RICHARD Barrett-Lennard, his son, by Jane Chichester, as before-mentioned, married his cousin Anne Lennard, late Baroness Dacre, youngest daughter of Thomas, Earl of Suffolk, as before-mentioned; but died a few months after his marriage, in 1716, leaving Anne, his wife, with child of a son Thomas, now Lord Dacre; which Lady, soon after the death of the said Richard Barrett-Lennard, joining with her sister, sold Chevening, the old seat of the Lennards, to the Earl of Stanhope; and Dacre Castle, &c. to Sir Christopher Musgrave; which estates, as Lady Barbara meant to dispose of her share, would in all probability have been still preserved in the family had the said Richard lived longer; but through some unlucky misunderstandings between him and his father,

previous

previous to the marriage, in regard to it, as no settlements could be made on the marriage, so no steps were taken after his death to remedy that omission. The aforesaid Anne, Lady Dacre, died in 1755, and was succeeded by her said son,

THOMAS Barrett-Lennard, the present Lord.

CREATIONS.] By writ of summons the 1st of Edw. II. and again declared the 36th Henry VI. 1460, and also the 2d James I. 1604.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *or*, on a fesse, *gules*, three fleurs-de-lis of the *first*, for Lennard; second and third, party-per-pale, barry of four counter-changed, *argent* and *gules*, for Barrett. [Plate XXIV.]

CREST.] An Arabian dog's head, *argent*, langued, *gules*, eyes, *or*, issuing out of a ducal coronet, *or*; and sometimes a hydra, *proper*, on a wreath, *argent* and *gules*, being the Barrett crest.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a wolf, *argent*, langued, *gules*, with a spiked collar, chain and clog, *or*; on the sinister side, a bull, *gules*, horned and collared with a ducal coronet and chain, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Pour bien desirer. Desire good.*

CHIEF SEAT.] At Belhouse in Essex.

BURRELL, BARONESS WILLOUGHBY DE ERESBY.

THE Right Hon. PRISCILLA-BARBARA-ELIZABETH BURRELL, Baroness WILLOUGHBY DE ERESBY, by original creation in 1314, by writ of summons Jan. 15, 1580; daughter and coheirefs of Peregrine, Duke of Ancafter, and filter to the late Duke; in her own right and person possessed of the office of Lord Great Chamberlain of England, which is executed by her husband, Sir Peter Burrell, Knt. brother to the ladies of the Duke of Hamilton, Lord Percy, and Lord Algernon Percy. By her husband she has issue a son, born March 1782.

For an account of her family, arms, &c. see the Duke of ANCASTER.

FYNES-TWISLETON, LORD SAYE AND SELE.

THE Right Hon. THOMAS, FYNES-TWISLETON, Lord SAYE and SELE, born 1735; having in 1781, claimed the title and Barony of Saye and Sele, had his claim allowed by the House of Peers. He is a Major in the third Regiment of Guards, and Colonel of the fourth Regiment of Foot; married 1767, Miss Turner, sister to the present Sir Gregory-Page Turner, Bart. and to the lady of the present Lord Hawke; and by her has issue, George-William, born in 1769.—Thomas-James, born in 1770.—Julia-Judith, born in 1771.—Cassandra, born in 1744.

This family, in the female line, is descended from JOHN, Baron of Fiennes, hereditary Constable of Dover Castle. Sir William Fiennes, Knt. who died the 34th of Edw. III. married Joan, daughter of Geoffrey, Lord Saye, (her eldest sister, Idonea, being married to John Clinton, ancestor of the Earl of Lincoln) and had a son Sir William Fiennes, who married Elizabeth, daughter of William Battsford; and had two sons, Roger, and James. Roger, the eldest, had a son Richard, who marrying Joan, daughter of Thomas, Lord Dacre, was declared Lord Dacre the 37th of Henry VI.

(1st Lord.) Sir JAMES, second son of Sir William, in regard that Joan his mother was sister and coheir to William de Say, was summoned to Parliament by the title of Lord Saye and Sele. He married Emeline, daughter of ——— Cromer of Willingham, and was succeeded by

(2d Lord.) Sir WILLIAM, his son, who married Margaret, daughter of William Wyckham, of Banbury, in the county of Oxford; and by her, who married secondly, John Hervey, Esq. had a son,

HENRY, who succeeded him; but the said Lord William having suffered much, and been forced to mortgage the greatest part of his estate, in him the Barony ceased. He died Aug. 1, 16 Edw. IV. and by Anne, daughter of Sir Richard Harcourt, had

RICHARD, his heir, who by Elizabeth, daughter of Richard Crofts, Esq. had a daughter Elizabeth, married to William Danvers, Esq. and a son,

EDWARD, who marrying Margaret daughter of Sir John Danvers, by her was father of

RICHARD, who succeeded him, and married Ursula, fourth daughter of Richard Fermor, Esq. and by her was father of

(3d Lord.) Sir RICHARD, who by letters patent, in 1603, the 1st of James I. was restored to the title of Lord Saye and Sele, and died in 1612. He married Constance, daughter of Sir William Kingsmill, and by her had a daughter Anne, married first to Henry Cave, Esq. and secondly to Sir William Villiers; and a son,

(1st Viscount.) Sir WILLIAM, who in the 22d of James I. was created Viscount Saye and Sele. He marrying Elizabeth, daughter of John Temple, Esq. by her had four sons, James, Nathaniel, John, and Richard; and five daughters, Bridget, married to Theophilus, the fourth Earl of Lincoln; Elizabeth, to Richard Norton, Esq. Constance, to Sir Francis Boynton, Bart. Susan to Thomas Earl, Esq. and Anne, to Sir Charles Wolfeley.

(2d Viscount.) JAMES, the eldest son, in 1662, succeeded his father. He married Frances, daughter of Edward, Viscount Wimbleton, and had three sons and two daughters; Elizabeth, married to Sir John Twisleton, from whom descended the present Lord; and Frances, to Andrew Ellis, Esq. The two eldest sons dying in their infancy, and the youngest in France, unmarried, we return to

NATHANIEL, his brother, who marrying Elizabeth, daughter of Sir John Eliot, had a son,

(3d Viscount.) WILLIAM, who in 1673, succeeded the said James, his uncle, as Viscount, and the Barony lay dormant. He married Mary, daughter of Richard Fiennes before-mentioned, his father's youngest brother, and had an only son,

(4th Viscount.) NATHANIEL, who succeeded him; but he dying on the 10th of January, 1710, unmarried, we return to

JOHN FIENNES, the third son of William the 1st Viscount. He married Susanna, daughter of Thomas Hobbs, Esq. and had six sons, John, Thomas, and Henry, who died unmarried; William married Cecile, daughter of Andrew Ellis, Esq. beforementioned, widow of Richard Langley, Esq. but left no issue; Laurence became the 5th Viscount; and Richard died young. He had also four daughters; Susannah married to Thomas Filmer, Esq. Hannah, to Mr. John Knight; Elizabeth and Martha, died unmarried.

(5th Viscount.) LAWRENCE, succeeding to the title, took his seat in the House of Peers, Feb. 24, 1710; and dying without issue in Dec. 1742, we come to

RICHARD, the fourth son of the first Viscount. He married two wives; first, the daughter of Andrew Burrel, Esq. and

and had two sons, viz. Faramus and William, who both died without issue; and five daughters; Elizabeth married first to William Danvers; secondly, to John Brawn; Mary, to William, the third Viscount above-mentioned; Anne, to Dr. Beaumont Percival; Arabella; and Alice, married to John Horn, Esq. He married, secondly, Susanna, third daughter of Sir William Cobb, by whom he had one son,

RICHARD, a clergyman, who married Penelope, daughter of George Chamberlain, Esq. and had issue Richard, the late Viscount, and five daughters; Susanna, died unmarried. — Vere married to Richard Wyckham, Esq. died in 1768. — Elizabeth, married to the Rev. Mr. Henry Quartley. — Cecilia, married to Capt. Gordon.

(6th Viscount.) RICHARD, his cousin, succeeded, and was the last Viscount. His Lordship first married Jan. 28, 1754, Isabella, daughter of Sir John Tirrel, and relict, first of John Knap, Esq. and secondly, of John Pigot of Doderhall, in the county of Bucks, Esq. by neither of whom he had any issue; and dying in 1781, the Viscounty became extinct; but the Barony was claimed and allowed the present Lord, being a descendant from James, the second Viscount, who died March 15, 1673, without issue male, whereupon the Viscounty descended upon William Fiennes, son of his brother Nathaniel, and the Barony became in abeyance between his two daughters and coheirs. Elizabeth, the eldest, who died in 1674, married John Twisleton, of Barley in Yorkshire, who died in 1682, leaving issue by her, an only daughter Cecil, who died in 1723, having married George Twisleton, of Woodhall in Yorkshire; by whom, in 1678, she had Fiennes Twisleton, who married Miss Clarke, and died in 1738, leaving issue, Alicia, who died unmarried. — Idonet-Cecil, married Richard Burdet, of Slaters near Whitby, in Yorkshire, and had issue. — Charlotte, married to John Crompton, Archdeacon of Tuam in Ireland, and left issue. — John Twisleton, born 1698, and died 1763, having married Anne, daughter of William Gardner, by whom, who died 1767, he had issue, John, a Lieutenant in the second Regiment of Foot Guards; slain in Germany, in 1762, unmarried. — Francis, the third son, was born in 1736, married Elizabeth, daughter and heir of Joseph Thompson, of Kingston-upon-Hull, in Yorkshire. — Thomas, the second son, was born 1735, and was summoned by writ, June 29, 1781, and is the present Baron Saye and Sele.

CREATIONS, J. Baron by writ, March 3, 1447, again June 29, 1781.

ARMS.] *Azure*, three lions rampant, *or*. [Plate XXI.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a wolf sejant, *argent*; his radiant collar and chain, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two wolves, *argent*; gorged and chained, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Fortem posce animum*. Wish for a brave Soul.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Boughton Castle, in Oxfordshire.

STOURTON, LORD STOURTON.

THE Right Hon. CHARLES-PHILIP STOURTON, Lord STOURTON, Baron Stourton, succeeded his father William, Oct. 3, 1781. He was born August 22, 1752, and married June 15, 1775, Mary, second daughter and coheirefs of Marmaduke Langdale, late Lord Langdale, and sister to Lady Clifford, by whom he has had issue, William, born June 6, 1776.—Constantia, born June 30, 1777.—Marmaduke-Charles, born and died in 1778.

WILLIAM STOURTON, in the 21st of Richard II. married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir John Moigne, and dying in 1413, left issue a daughter Margaret, married to William Clarent; and a son,

(1st Lord.) JOHN, who in the reign of Henry VI. was created Lord Stourton: He married Margery, daughter of Sir John Wadham, and dying in 1462, left issue two sons, Sir William, Sir Reginald who had no male issue, and two daughters; and was succeeded by

(2d Lord.) Sir WILLIAM, his eldest son, who married Margaret, daughter of Sir John Chideock, and dying in 1478, left issue a daughter Ursula, the second wife of Edward the first Earl of Lincoln.

(3d Lord.) JOHN, his heir, married Catharine, daughter of Sir Maurice Berkley, and leaving no issue, was succeeded by

(4th Lord.) WILLIAM, his brother, who married Thomafine, daughter of Hugh Wriothefley; and dying about the year 1522, without issue, was succeeded by

(5th Lord.) EDWARD, his brother, who married Joan, daughter of John Fontleroy, and dying in 1536, left issue,

(6th Lord.) WILLIAM, Roger, Peter, and Christopher; of whom the youngest married Elizabeth Denys, and had issue Thomas, Edmund, and Leonard; and the eldest succeeded

his

his father. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Edmund, and sister to John Dudley, Duke of Northumberland; and dying in 1556, was succeeded by his son and heir,

(7th Lord.) CHARLES, who suffered for murder at Salisbury, in 1557. He married Anne, daughter of Edward Stanley, the second Earl of Derby; and by her, who married secondly, Sir John Arundel, left three sons,

(8th Lord.) JOHN, Edward, and Charles; whereof, John being restored in blood by act of parliament, 1575; but dying without issue in 1588,

(9th Lord.) EDWARD, his next brother, became his heir: He married Frances, daughter of Sir Thomas Tresham, by whom he had four sons and two daughters; Margaret, married to Sir Thomas Sulyard; and Mary, to Walter Norton, Esq. And of the sons, who were

(10th Lord.) WILLIAM, Thomas, Francis, and Edward; the eldest, in 1632, succeeded his father. He married Frances, daughter of Sir Edward Moor, and by her had three sons and two daughters; of whom, Mary, was married to John Weld, of Lulworth-castle; and Frances was a nun at Cambray: And of the sons, who were Edward, William, and Thomas, the latter was a monk; and the eldest died in 1644, in his father's life-time; and left issue by Mary his wife, daughter of Robert, Lord Petre,

(11th Lord.) WILLIAM, who succeeded his grandfather: He married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir John Preston; and by her, who died in April 1668, left issue six sons, Edward, Thomas, Charles, Botolph, William, and John, besides three more who died young.

(12th Lord.) EDWARD, the eldest succeeded, and died at Paris in Oct. 1720, having there married a daughter of Robert Buckingham, Esq. but leaving no issue, was succeeded by

(13th Lord.) THOMAS, his next brother, who died in April 1744. Charles, the next brother, married Catharine, daughter of Richard Frampton, Esq. and by her had, Charles, his successor. — William, the late Lord. — James. — Mary, married to Jordan Langdale, Esq. — Jane, married to Anthony Kemp, Esq. — Elizabeth; and Catharine, both nuns at Leige in Germany.

(14th Lord.) CHARLES, who succeeded his uncle as Lord Stourton, married Catharine, sister and sole heir of Francis Walmesly, Esq. and widow of Robert-James, Lord Petre; and dying without issue, March 11, 1753, was succeeded by his brother,

(15th Lord.) WILLIAM, late Lord Stourton, married Oct. 11, 1749, Winifred, daughter of Philip Howard, Esq. youngest son of Lord Thomas, father of the two last Dukes of Norfolk; and by her, who died July 15, 1754, had issue; Catharine, born Aug. 16, 1750.—Charlotte, born, Sept. 16, 1751; and one son. He died Oct. 3, 1781, and was succeeded by his son,

(16th Lord.) CHARLES-PHILIP, the present Lord.

CREATION.] Baron Stourton, May 13, 1448.

ARMS.] *Sable*, a bend, *or*, between six fountains, *proper*. [Plate XXIV.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a demi grey fryar, habited in russet, girt, *or*, holding a scourge of three lashes with knots, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two sea-dogs, *proper*, scaled on their backs, and finned, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Loyal je serai durant ma vie*. Loyal shall I be during my Life.

CHIEF SEAT:] At Stourton Castle, in Yorkshire.

VERNEY, LORD WILLOUGHBY DE BROKE.

THE Right Hon. JOHN-PEYTO VERNEY, Lord WILLOUGHBY DE BROKE, born in 1738, succeeded his uncle Richard, the late Lord, August 11, 1752. He was born Aug. 4, 1738, and married Oct. 8, 1761, Louisa, daughter of Frances, Earl of Guildford, by whom he has issue, John-Peyto, born June 28, 1762.—George-Peyto, born June 25, 1763, died June 11, 1773.—Louisa, born Jan. 25, 1765, died April 28, 1768.—Sarah, born May 31, 1767; died Dec. following.—Louisa, born June 20, 1769.—Maria, born July 24, 1771, died March 22, 1772.—Henry, born April 5, 1773.—William, born Sept. 16, 1774.—Frances, born May 22, 1777, died in Dec. 1778.—Henrietta, born June 16, 1778.

This family is descended from William de Verney, who lived in the reign of King Henry I.

GEORGE Verney, who died April 8, 1574, married Jane, daughter of William Lucy, of Charlot, Esq. by whom he had four daughters, and one son, Sir Richard Verney, whose wife was Margaret, only daughter of Sir Fulk Grevile, Knt. (by Elizabeth, daughter of Edward, eldest son of Lord Willoughby of Broke, a younger branch of the family of Parham) and at length heir to her brother Fulk Grevile, Lord Broke,

Broke of Beauchamp's Court; and by her, who died March 26, 1631, he had issue four sons, Sir Grevile, John, Richard who died unmarried, and George who married Tryphena, daughter of Edmund Sheffield, the first Earl of Mulgrave; and four daughters, Mary, who was married to Sir Richard Samwell; Anne, to John Breton, Esq. Elizabeth, who died unmarried; and Margaret, who was married to — Shirley, Esq. Of the sons,

Sir GREVILLE, the eldest succeeded his father, 1630; and married Catharine, daughter of Sir Robert Southwell, by whom he had Grevile, his heir; John, who died an infant; Sir Richard, and George who died unmarried: Which Grevile marrying Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas the second Viscount Wenman, and dying in 1648, by her left a son Grevile, and he marrying Diana, daughter of William the first Duke of Bedford, by her, who married secondly William, Lord Alington, had William his only child, who dying unmarried, put an end to that line; so that we now return to Sir Richard, who being descended through the heiress of Grevile, from Robert Willoughby, Baron of Broke, laid claim to the said title, alledging that he was lineal heir to Sir Robert Willoughby, who was summoned to Parliament, as Lord Broke, 7th of Hen. VII. to whom succeeded Sir Robert Willoughby, his son and heir, who was summoned to Parliament by the same title, by King Henry VIII. and seized of the said Barony, to him and his heirs, as of fee and right; whereupon his Barony descended to Elizabeth Grevile, grandchild and at length sole heir to the second Lord Broke, and afterwards to her grandchild and heir, Sir Fulk Grevile; and though he was created Lord Broke of Beauchamp's Court, by King James I. by patent to him and his heirs male, with remainder to his cousin Robert Grevile, and his heirs male, yet he was entitled to the said Barony of Broke in fee; and dying without issue, the said Barony in fee descended to Margaret, sister to the said Fulk, to whom Sir Richard was sole heir; and the same being allowed in Parliament, 13th of Feb. 1696, he, on the 25th of the same month, took place as the ancient Barons of Broke, and died July 18, 1711. He married first Mary, daughter of Sir John Pettyman, and by her had three sons, and a daughter married to Samuel Davenport, Esq. and by his second wife, Mary, daughter of Thomas Dove, Esq. he had Richard, who died a bachelor; and Diana, married to Sir Charles Shuckburgh. Of the sons by the first wife, who were John; George; and Thomas, who died in Portugal; the eldest marrying Christian, daughter of John Breton, Esq.

by her had two sons, John and Grevile, who both died young; and dying in his father's life-time, Oct. 31, 1707, without surviving issue,

GEORGE, his next brother, who was Dean of Windsor, succeeded his father, and died on December 26, 1728. He married Margaret, daughter and heiress of Sir John Heath, Knt. of Braided in Kent; and by her, who died on the 18th of Oct. 1729, had five sons; and a daughter, married to Anthony Duncombe, Lord Feversham, and died Oct. 9, 1755. The sons were, George and Philip, who died infants; Thomas, Richard, and John; the latter died August 5, 1741, having married Abigail, daughter of Edward Harley, Esq. by which Lady (who died June 10, 1760) he had a son born in August, 1738; John-Peyto, the present Lord; and two daughters; Margaret, who died in 1733, unmarried; and Sarah, died unmarried May 27, 1762. Thomas, the eldest son, married Eleanor, youngest daughter of Thomas, Lord Leigh, and dying in May, 1710, by her, who died Jan. 8, 1756, had a daughter Eleanor, married to George Bowes, Esq. of Gibside, Durham.

RICHARD, his next brother, succeeded his father, December 16, 1723. He married first, Miss Rebecca Packe, daughter of Charles Packe, Esq. of Lincolnshire, who died without issue; and he married secondly Margaret, daughter of Nehemiah Williams, of Newport in Monmouthshire, Esq. by whom, who died Jan. 22, 1767, he had one son George, who died an infant. And his Lordship dying in August, 1752, was succeeded in the honour by

JOHN-PEYTO VERNEY, his nephew, the present Lord, son of his brother John.

CREATION.] Baron Willoughby de Broke, August 12, 1492.

ARMS.] *Gules*, three crosses recercele, verded, *or*, a chief *vair*, *ermine* and *erminois*. [Plate XXIV.]

CREST.] On a wreath, the bust of a man coupé and affronté, *proper*, crowned ducally, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two antelopes, *argent*, spotted, *gules*, armed, crested, and unguled, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Virtue vaunceth*. Virtue prevails.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Compton Murdock and Chesterton, in Warwickshire.

P A G E T, L O R D P A G E T.

THE Right Hon. HENRY BAYLEY PAGET, Lord PAGET of Beaufert, succeeded to this Barony on the death of Henry, the late Earl of Uxbridge, November 16, 1769, being descended by his mother from William the fifth Lord Paget. He married April 11, 1767, Jane Champagne, daughter of the Dean of Clonmacnoise in Ireland, by whom he has, Henry-William, born March 17, 1768.—William, born Dec. 22, 1769.—Arthur, born Jan. 15, 1771.—Caroline, born Feb. 6, 1773.—Jane, born Sept. 1, 1774.—Edward, born Nov. 3, 1775.—Camilla, born March 26, 1777.—Charles, born Oct. 7, 1778.—Charlotte, born Oct. 27, 1781.

(1st Lord.) Sir WILLIAM Paget, in the 4th of Edw. VI. was sent Ambassador to the Emperor Charles VI. and was created Baron Paget, of Beaufert. He left issue by Anne, daughter of Henry Preston, Esq. four sons, Henry, Thomas, Charles, and Edward, which latter died young; and five daughters; Ethelred, married to Sir Christopher Allen; Joan, to Sir Thomas Kitson; Anne, to Sir Henry Lee; Eleanor, first to Jerome Palmer, Esq. and secondly to Sir Rowland Clerk; Dorothy, to Thomas Willoughby, Esq. Grisel, first to Sir Thomas Rivet, and secondly, to Sir William Waldegrave.

(2d Lord.) HENRY, succeeded his father, and marrying Catharine, daughter of Sir Henry Knevet, by her, who afterwards married Sir Edward Carey, had a daughter Elizabeth, who died young. But having no issue male,

(3d Lord.) THOMAS, his next brother became heir, who in the 29th of Elizabeth, was attainted in Parliament, with his brother Charles, and died at Brussels. He married Nazaret, daughter of Sir Henry Newton, widow of Sir Thomas Southwell, and had issue,

(4th Lord.) Sir WILLIAM, his heir, who in the 1st of James I. was restored to his lands and honours. He married Lettice, daughter of Henry Knolles, Esq. and had three sons and four daughters; Margaret, married to Sir William Hicks; Dorothy died unmarried; Catharine married to Sir Anthony Irby; and Anne, first to Sir Simon Harcourt; and secondly to Sir William Waller. And of the sons, the two youngest, Henry and Thomas, died unmarried.

(5th Lord.) WILLIAM, the eldest, born Sept. 13, 1609, succeeding his father, married Frances Rich, daughter of

Henry, Earl of Holland, by whom, who died Nov. 2, 1672, he had six sons and seven daughters; whereof Isabella died unmarried 1635.—Lettice, married to Richard Hampden, Esq. of Buckinghamshire.—Elizabeth died unmarried.—Frances married Rowland Hunt, Esq. of Boreaton in Shropshire.—Penelope married Philip Foley, Esq. of Prestwood in Staffordshire.—Diana, to Sir Henry Ashhurst, of Waterstock in Oxfordshire, and died 1707.—Anne, died unmarried. The sons were, William, his successor.—Henry, born 1633, died young.—Essex, died an infant.—Rich, born 1652, died an infant.—Thomas, born April 7, 1660, died unmarried.—Henry, who married a daughter of — Sandford, Esq. and had a daughter Dorothy, married to Sir Edward Irby; and a son Thomas, who was a Brigadier-General, and married Mary, daughter of Peter Whitcomb, Esq. which Lady died Feb. 15, 1741, and the General in January, 1750, leaving issue a daughter Caroline, who was married in April, 1737, to Sir Nicholas Bayley, Baronet, by whom, who died Feb. 7, 1766, she had issue, Henry, the present Lord, (who became heir to this title, it being a Barony in fee, on the death of Henry, Earl of Uxbridge, and thereupon took the name of Paget, by his Majesty's royal licence) also Dorothy, who married to Sir Edward Irby, Bart. of Boston, in Lincolnshire, and died Oct. 24, 1734, leaving issue, William, the late Lord Boston.

(6th Lord.) WILLIAM, born Feb. 10, 1637, the eldest succeeded his father, Oct. 19, 1678, and died February 26, 1712. He married Frances, daughter of Francis Pierpoint, Esq. third son of the Earl of Kingston, and by her, who died Sept. 2, 1681, had William, who died in his father's life-time unmarried, 1684.—Frances, who died young.—Henry, who succeeded him in the Barony. He married secondly Isabella, daughter of Sir Anthony Irby, Knt. of Boston in Lincolnshire, and by her, who died Dec. 1685, had issue William, who died an infant. His Lordship died 1713, when his estate and honours descended to

(1st Earl.) HENRY, his heir, who in the life-time of his father, in 1711, was created Baron Burton, of Burton in Staffordshire, and Earl of Uxbridge in 1714. He married Mary, eldest daughter and coheir of Thomas Catesby, of Whiston in Northamptonshire, by whom he had an only son. This Lady died 1736, and his Lordship married secondly, in 1739, Elizabeth, daughter of Walter Bagot, Bart. of Blithfield, by whom, who died 1749, he had no issue; and dying in August, 1743, was succeeded by his grandson, who was the son of

THOMAS-

THOMAS-CATESBY, Lord Paget, who died Feb. 1742, in his father's life-time. By Elizabeth, sister to Scroop, Duke of Bridgewater, whom he married May 3, 1718, he had two sons, Henry, who succeeded to the honours of the Earl, and George who died in 1737; and a daughter Jane, who died 1719.

(2d Earl.) HENRY, who died Nov. 16, 1769, unmarried, when the title of Earl became extinct, but the Barony of Paget descended to HENRY BAYLEY, Esq. son of Sir Nicholas Bayley, Bart. in right of his mother, who was the only daughter of General Thomas Paget, son of Henry Paget, Esq. the second son of William, the fifth Lord Paget.

(9th Lord.) HENRY Bayley Paget, the present Lord.

CREATION.] Baron Paget, Jan. 19, 1550.

ARMS.] *Sable*, on a cross engrailed, between four eagles displayed, *argent*, five lions passant of the first. [*Plate XIII.*]

CREST.] On a wreath, a demi tyger, rampant, *sable*, gorged with a ducal coronet, tufted and maned, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two tygers, as in the crest.

MOTTO.] *Per il suo contrario.* By the reverse of it.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Dawley in Middlesex.

ST. JOHN, LORD ST. JOHN OF BLETSOE.

THE Right Honourable HENRY BEAUCHAMP ST. JOHN, Lord ST. JOHN of Bletsoe, born August 2, 1758, succeeded his father John, the late Lord, in June, 1767. He married Dec. 2, 1780, Miss Emma Whitebread, second daughter of Samuel Whitebread, Esq. by whom he has issue a daughter, born Dec. 3, 1782.

This family derive their surname from a place called St. John in Normandy.

JOHN de St. John, in the reign of Henry I. held lands in the county of Oxford. To him succeeded John, his brother, whose son Roger, marrying Cicely, daughter of Robert de Hava, had two sons; and a daughter Muriel, who marrying Reginald de Areval, by him had a daughter Mabil, who marrying Adam de Port, Baron of Basing in the county of Southampton, by him had a son William, who succeeded him; and assuming the surname of St. John, his family was stiled Lord St. John of Basing; and the line continued until the reign of Edward III. but then expired in the person of Edmund St. John, Lord of Basing, who left a sister Elizabeth, his heir; and she marrying with Luke de Poinings, he in her right, in

The 4th of Edward III. had summons to Parliament as Baron St. John of Basing; but that line terminating in three granddaughters, of whom the eldest being married to Sir John Powlet, his grandson William Powlet, in the reign of Henry VIII. was created Baron St. John of Basing, Earl of Wiltshire, and Marquis of Winchester, and was the ancestor to the Duke of BOLTON. But having done with this branch, we return to WILLIAM ST. JOHN, a younger son of Robert, the second Lord St. John of Basing; which William married Isabella, daughter and coheir to William Combmartin, and by her had a son John, who was knighted, and was father of another Sir John; which last marrying Elizabeth, daughter and coheir of Sir Henry Humfreville, of Penmark, from that match proceeded Sir John St. John, Lord of Penmark, who had issue Sir Oliver St. John, Knt. who married Margaret, sister and sole heir to John de Beauchamp of Bletsgoe, with whom he had that Lordship, and by her (who afterwards was married to John Beaumont, Duke of Somerset, and was by him mother of Margaret, Countess of Richmond, mother of King Henry VII.) had two sons and several daughters, of whom, Margaret was married to Henry, the fifth Earl of Kent. Of the sons, Oliver, the youngest, was progenitor of the present Viscount Bolingbroke; and John, being knighted, married Margery, daughter of Sir William Waldegrave, and by her had two daughters; Margaret, married to Frances the second Earl of Bedford; Mary, to John Harvey, Esq. and a son,

(1st Lord.) OLIVER, who in the first of Elizabeth, was created Lord St. John of Bletsgoe. He married Agnes, daughter of John Fisher, Esq. and by her had four sons and four daughters; Martha, who was married to — Cheney, Esq. Judith, to Sir John Pelham; Margaret, to — Luke, Esq. and Anne, first to Robert Corbet, Esq. and next to Rowland Litton Esq. And of the sons, who were,

(2^d Lord.) JOHN, Oliver, Thomas, and Francis; the eldest succeeding his father, married Catharine, daughter of Sir William Dormer, by whom he had a daughter Anne, who was married to William, Lord Howard of Effingham, eldest son of Charles, Earl of Nottingham; but having no issue male, the honour descended to

(3^d Lord.) OLIVER, his brother, who marrying Dorothy, daughter of John Read, Esq. by her had eight sons and seven daughters; Elizabeth, Margaret, Judith, Anne, Catharine, Dorothy, and Martha; of whom, the eldest was married to Sir William Beecher; the second to Sir Thomas Cheney;

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the third to Sir John Thompson; and the fourth to Robert Charnock, Esq. And of the sons, who were Oliver, John, Anthony, Alexander, Sir Rowland, Henry, Beauchamp, and Dudley; the second, third, fourth, and last died young; Anthony, Alexander, and Rowland, were knighted; and

(4th Lord and 1st Earl.) OLIVER, the eldest, succeeding his father, was, by King James I. in 1624, created Earl of Bolingbroke. He married Elizabeth, daughter and heir of William Powlet, Esq. and by her had four sons; and a daughter Dorothy, married to John, Lord Rochford, son of the Earl of Dover. The sons were Oliver, Powlet, Charles, and Francis. Oliver, bearing arms against the King in 1642, was slain at the battle of Edgehill; and by Arabella, daughter of John, the first Earl of Bridgewater, had four daughters; Frances, married to Sir William Beecher; Elizabeth, to John Bennet, Esq. Arabella, to Sir Edward Wise; Dorothy, to Francis Charleton, Esq. But dying in his father's life-time, without issue male, we come now to Powlet, his brother, who married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Rowland Vaughan, and by her had two sons; of whom,

(5th Lord and 2d Earl.) OLIVER succeeded his grandfather, but he marrying Frances, third daughter of William Cavendish, Duke of Newcastle, and dying in 1688, without issue, the honour devolved upon

(6th Lord and 3d Earl.) POWLET, his brother, who dying on the 7th of Oct. 1711, unmarried, the Earldom became extinct; so that we now return to

SIR ROWLAND, fifth son of Oliver, the third Lord. He was the father of Oliver St. John, who in 1660, was created a Baronet, and marrying Barbara, heir to the family of St. Andrew, by her had three sons, St. Andrew, his heir; Rowland, and Oliver.

ST. ANDREW, who succeeded his father in the title of Baronet, and died in 1708, had eight sons and seven daughters; whereof, Mary, the second, was married to the Rev. William Foster; and Elizabeth, to John Livefay, Esq. but the other daughters all died in their infancy. Of the sons, who were Oliver, St. Andrew, Powlet, William, Beauchamp, Rowland, John, and Henry; the latter died unmarried, as did Oliver, the eldest, and Powlet; Beauchamp was drowned at sea in 1703, with Sir Cloudesley Shovel; St. Andrew, the second succeeded his father, and dying before his wife, left her with child of a son, named

(7th Lord.) ST. ANDREW, on whom devolved the title of Lord St. John of Bletsoe, as successor to Powlet, Earl of Bolingbroke,

Bolingbroke, who died in 1711, as before observed; but he dying in May, 1714, it came next to

(8th Lord.) WILLIAM, his uncle, who dying on the 11th of Oct. 1720, unmarried, was succeeded by

(9th Lord.) ROWLAND, his brother; and he dying on the 4th of July, 1722, unmarried,

(10th Lord.) JOHN, his next brother, succeeded; and on March 6, 1725, marrying Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Ambrose Crowley, Knt. of Greenwich in Kent, by her, who died Oct. 24, 1769, had; John, the late Lord.—Andrew, born Dec. 23, 1726, who died in January following.—Mary, the eldest daughter, born Nov. 21, 1728, married Oct. 16, 1754, to Thomas Earle Drax, Esq.—Ambrose, born 1730, died young.—St. Andrew, born Jan. 17, 1732, Rector of Woodford in Northamptonshire, and married Sarah, daughter of Thomas Chase, Esq. of Bromley in Kent, by whom he had issue; 1. Ambrose. 2. John-Francis Seymour. 3. Thomas; and died July 17, 1775.—Elizabeth, born Dec. 12, 1733, died 1780.—Jane, born July 19, 1735, married to Humphry Hall, Esq.—Barbara, born Sept. 19, 1737, married to the Earl of Coventry.—Anne, born Jan. 31, 1739, married to Robert-Cotton Trefusis, Esq. of Cornwall, and died March, 1776.—Henry, born June 1, 1740, a Captain in the Navy, married Mary, daughter of — Schuyler, Esq. of New York, and died April 1780, leaving issue, a son Henry.—Lettice, born Dec. 7, 1741—Ambrose, born Oct. 17, 1743, was in Holy Orders, and died July 18, 1775. His Lordship dying June 24, 1757, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(11th Lord.) JOHN, who was born Nov. 15, 1725, and succeeded his father John, June 24, 1757; he married Dec. 13, 1755, Susanna-Louisa, daughter of Peter Simond, Esq. merchant, of London, by whom he had issue; John-Peter, who died an infant, 1760.—Susannah, born Sept. 18, 1757.—Henry Beauchamp, the present Lord.—St. Andrew, born August 22, 1759.—Matilda, born Jan. 30, 1761.—Elizabeth-Barbara, born Feb. 22, 1762.—Charlotte, born March 15, 1763.—George, born October 19, 1764.—Louisa-Theodosia, born October 5, 1765, who died an infant. And his Lordship dying in June, 1767, was succeeded by his son,

(12th Lord.) HENRY Beauchamp, the present Lord.

CREATION.] Jan. 13, 1559.

ARMS.] *Argent*, on a chief, *gules*, two mullets pierced,
v. [Plate XXV.]

CREST.

CREST.] On a mount, *vert*, a falcon rising, belled, *or*, and ducally gorged, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two monkies, *proper*.

MOTTO.] *Data fata secutus*. Complying with his declared Fate.

CHIEF SEATS:] At Melchburn in Bedfordshire; and at Woodford in the county of Northampton.

P E T R E , L O R D P E T R E .

THE Right Honourable ROBERT-EDWARD PETRE, Baron PETRE of Writtle, succeeded Robert-James; the late Lord, his father, July 13, 1742. He married April 19, 1762, Anne, only daughter and heiress of Philip Howard, Esq. brother to Edward, late Duke of Norfolk, by whom he has issue; Robert-Edward, born Sept. 2, 1763.—George-William, born Jan. 10, 1766.—Anne-Catharine, born March 8, 1769.—Philip-Hugh, born Dec. 20, 1773.

This family had their rise about the beginning of the reign of King Henry VIII.

Sir WILLIAM Petre, married first Gertrude, daughter of Sir John Tyrrel, by whom he had two daughters; Elizabeth, married to John Gostwick, Esq. and Dorothy, to Nicholas Wadham; and having no issue, they became the founders of Wadham-College in Oxford. His second wife was daughter of Sir William Browne, and dying in 1572, by her he left Sir John, his heir, and two daughters; Catharine, married to John Talbot, Esq. and Thomafine, to Lodowick Grevil, Esq.

(1st Lord.) Sir JOHN, who succeeded, was by King James I. created Lord Petre; and marrying Mary, daughter of Sir Edward Waldegrave, by her had three sons, William, John, and Thomas; of whom,

(2d Lord.) WILLIAM, succeeded him, and marrying Catharine, daughter of Edward Somers, the fourth Earl of Worcester, and dying the 5th of May, 1637, left seven sons and three daughters; Elizabeth, married to William Sheldon, Esq. Mary, to John, Lord Teynham; and Catharine, to John Carrel, Esq. And of the sons, who were Robert, William, Edward, John, Thomas, Henry who married Anne, daughter of Sir John Gage, and

(3d Lord.) GEORGE, the eldest, succeeded his father. He married Martha, sixth daughter of Anthony, the second Viscount

count Montagu, by whom he had three sons and two daughters; Mary, married to William, Lord Stourton; and Dorothy, to John Thimbleby, Esq. And of the sons, who were

(4th Lord.) WILLIAM, John, and Thomas; the eldest, on the 11th of June, 1638, succeeded his father in his honour. He married first Elizabeth Savage, eldest daughter of John, Earl Rivers, by whom he had no issue; and secondly, Bridget, daughter of John Pincheon of Writtle in Essex, Esq. having only one daughter Mary, married to George Heneage, Esq. and dying on the 5th of Jan. 1683,

(5th Lord.) JOHN, his next brother, became heir; and dying in January 1684, unmarried, the honour devolved upon

(6th Lord.) THOMAS, the youngest brother, who married Mary, daughter of Sir Thomas Clifton, Bart. and dying on the 5th of Jan. 1706, by her (who died on the 4th of February 1730) left Robert, his heir; and a daughter of her name, who died the 10th of April, 1713.

(7th Lord.) ROBERT, succeeded his father. He married March 1, 1712, Catharine, daughter of Bartholomew Walmfley, Esq. (who in April, 1733, married a second husband, Charles, Lord Stourton) and dying on the 22d of March, 1713, had issue,

(8th Lord.) ROBERT-JAMES, Lord Petre, who was born June 3, 1713, and married on the 2d of May, 1732, Mary, daughter of James, late Earl of Derwentwater, by which Lady, who died March 31, 1760, he had issue, Catharine, married to George Heneage, Esq. of Hainton, in Lincolnshire.—Barbara, married to Thomas Gifford, Esq. of Chillington, Staffordshire.—Julia, married to Edward Weld, of Lulworth-Castle, in Dorsetshire, Esq. and died June 16, 1772. And his Lordship dying in July 1742, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(9th Lord.) ROBERT-EDWARD, now Lord Petre.

CREATION.] July 21, 1603.

ARMS.] *Gules*, a bend, *or*, between two escallop shells, *argent*. [Plate XXV.]

CREST.] On a wreath, two lions heads erased and indorsed, the first, *or*, the other, *azure*, each gorged with a plain collar counter-changed.

SUPPORTERS.] According to Lilly, on the right side a regardant, *azure*, collared, *or*; on the left side a lion regardant, *or*, collared, *azure*.

MOTTO.] *Sans Dieu rien*. Nothing without God.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Thorndon, and Writtle Park, in the county of Essex.

ARUNDEL, LORD ARUNDEL OF WARDOUR.

THE Right Honourable HENRY ARUNDEL, Lord ARUNDEL of Wardour, and Count of the sacred Roman Empire, born March 31, 1740, succeeded his father Henry, the late Lord, September 21, 1756, and married May 31, 1763, Mary, daughter of Benedict Conquest, Esq. of Irnham, Lincolnshire, and by her has issue; Mary Christiana, born August 10, 1764.—Eleanor-Mary, born March 23, 1766.—Anna Maria, born March 22, 1770, who died 1771.

This family of Wardour is a branch of that which for many ages hath flourished in the West of England, whereof was ROGER ARUNDEL, who at the time of the general survey (taken soon after the Norman Conquest) was found to be possessed of twenty-eight Lordships in the county of Somerset.

THOMAS Arundel, in the reign of Henry VIII. marrying Catharine, daughter of John, Lord Dynham, by her had Sir John Arundel; to whose son, Sir Thomas, the said King gave the Castle of Wardour. He married Margaret, daughter of Edmund, Lord Howard, third son of Thomas, Duke of Norfolk, sister to Catharine, fifth Queen of King Henry VIII. by whom he was father of Sir Matthew, who by Margaret, daughter of Henry Willoughby, Esq. had

(1st Lord.) Sir THOMAS, his heir; who serving in the wars in Hungary against the Turks, was by Rodolph II. then Emperor, in the year 1595, advanced to the degree and honour of a Count of the Empire, and to his descendants for ever: And by King James I. was created Baron of Wardour. He married first Maria, only daughter of Thomas, Earl of Southampton, by whom he had two sons; and a daughter, Elizabeth, married to Sir John Philpot; and secondly, Anne, daughter of Miles Philipson, Esq. by whom he had three sons, Matthew, Thomas, and Frederick, who all died in their minority; and six daughters, of whom Catharine was married to Ralph, son of William, Lord Eure; Mary, to Sir John Somerset; Anne, to Cecil Calvert, Lord Baltimore; Frances, to John Talbot, the tenth Earl of Shrewsbury; Mary, to John Fortescue, Esq. and Clare, to Humphry Welde, Esq. And of the sons by the first wife, William, the youngest, married Mary, daughter of Anthony, the second Viscount Montagu, and widow of William, Lord St. John; and

(2d Lord.) THOMAS, the eldest, on November 1639, succeeded his father, and married Blanch, daughter of Edward the fourth Earl of Worcester; and dying May 19, 1643, left Henry, his heir, and two daughters; Catharine, married to Francis Cornwallis, Esq. and Anne, to Roger Vaughan, Esq.

(3d Lord.) HENRY, who succeeded his father, marrying Cicely, daughter of Sir Henry Compton, widow of Sir John Fermor, by her had two sons and a daughter. And of the sons, who were

(4th Lord.) THOMAS and HENRY, the eldest, on the 28th of December, 1694, succeeded his father, and married Mary, daughter of Thomas Spencer, Esq. by whom he had three sons, Henry, Thomas, and Matthew; whereof, Thomas was killed at the battle of the Boyne, and Matthew died unmarried; but

(5th Lord.) HENRY, in 1712, succeeded his father. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Panton, Esq. and by her (who died on the 9th of May, 1700) had two sons; and a daughter of her name, who was wife of James Touchet, Lord Audley. And of the sons, who were

(6th Lord.) HENRY and Thomas, the latter was born July 19, 1695, married Miss Anne Mitchel, and died April 16, 1752, and his Lady, Oct. 1, 1778. The eldest was born October 4, 1694, and on the 29th of June, 1726, succeeded his father. He married first, Eleanor-Elizabeth, daughter of Baron Everard of Liege, by whom, who died 1728, he had issue; Henry, born October 4, 1717.—Thomas, who married May 19, 1760, Mary, eldest daughter of John Porter, Esq. of Lincolnshire, and died May 11, 1768, and his Lady, Oct. 1, 1778.—James-Everard Arundel, who married on the 24th of June, 1751, Anne, daughter of John Wyndham, Esq. of Ashcombe in Wiltshire, by which Lady he had issue, 1. James-Everard, who died young. 2. Eleanor-Anne, born Nov. 2, 1752, died unmarried. 3. Mary Wyndham, born Dec. 2, 1757, married March 9, 1779, the Hon. Bartholomew Bouverie, third son of William, Earl of Radnor. 4. Catharine-Elizabeth, born Jan. 2, 1759. 5. James-Everard, born March 4, 1763. 6. Thomas-Raymond, born March 9, 1765. His Lordship married secondly, Anne Herbert, daughter of William, the last Marquis of Powis, but by her, who died Oct. 2, 1757, he had no issue; and his Lordship dying in July, 1746, was succeeded by

(7th Lord.) HENRY, the late Lord, who married Jan. 27, 1739, Mary, daughter of Richard-Arundel Beeling, Esq.
by

by which Lady, who died 1769, he re-united the two chief branches of this family, which had been separated 200 years. By her he had issue; Henry.—Thomas, born October 4, 1742, died 1781. His Lordship dying Sept. 13, 1756, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(8th Lord.) HENRY, the present Lord.

CREATIONS.] Baron, May 4, 1605; Count of the Roman Empire, Dec. 14, 1595.

ARMS.] *Sable*, six swallows, three, two, and one, *argent*. [Plate XXV.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a wolf passant, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a lion guardant, *ermine*, viz. yellow powdered with black, ducally crowned, *or*. On the sinister, an owl, *argent*, with wings disclosed, *or*, crowned as the dexter.

MOTTO.] *Deo Data*. Give to God.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Wardour-Castle, in Wiltshire.

B L I G H , L O R D C L I F T O N .

THE Right Hon. JOHN BLIGH, Lord CLIFTON, Baron Clifton of Leighton Bromswold, in England, Earl and Viscount DARNLEY, and Baron Clifton of Rathmore in Ireland, succeeded his brother Edward, the late Lord, in 1747.

For an account of this family, see the Earl of DARNLEY, in the Peerage of Ireland.

D O R M E R , L O R D D O R M E R .

THE Right Hon. JOHN DORMER, Lord DORMER of Wenge, succeeded Charles, the late Lord Dormer, his brother, March 7, 1761. He married Mary, daughter of Sir Cecil Bishopp, Bart. by which Lady, who died November 2, 1739, he had issue; Charles, who married Aug. 9, 1749, Mary, sister to George, Earl of Shrewsbury, by whom, (who died May 15, 1753, he had issue, Charles, born Jan. 12, 1748, who died young; Mary, born May 21, 1750, died in June 1770; and Charles, born Jan. 10, 1752.—Robert, born May 17, 1726.—John, born Feb. 18, 1730, an officer in the Hungarian service.—James, born May 27, 1735, married Mary, daughter of Patrick Purrel, Esq. of Cadiz in Spain, by

by whom he has issue, James, born Feb. 16, 1765; John, who died young; Elizabeth, who died an infant; and Anne, born Jan. 22, 1767.—Elizabeth, born May 15, 1724, married Nov. 21, 1753, to George, the Earl of Shrewsbury, by whom she has issue.—Catharine, born July 16, 1727.—Barbara, who died unmarried.

Of this family was Sir Robert Dormer, Knt. who in the 35th of Henry VIII. obtained a grant to himself, and Anne Newdigate, his wife, in fee, of the manor of Wenge; and was succeeded therein by

Sir WILLIAM, their son, who by Mary his wife, daughter of Sir William Sidney, had an only daughter Joan, who was married to the Count Feria, in Spain. His second wife was Dorothy, daughter of Anthony Catesby, Esq. by whom he had a son, Robert, and three daughters; Catharine, married to John, Lord St. John of Bletsoe; Mary, to Anthony Brown, Esq. and Margaret, to Sir Henry Constable, Knt.

(1st Lord.) ROBERT, their brother, succeeding his father, was created Baron Dormer of Wenge. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Anthony the first Viscount Montagu, and by her had three sons and three daughters; Elizabeth, married to Henry Huddleston, Esq. Magdalen, to Sir John Curson; and Catharine, to Sir John Carril. The sons were Sir William, Anthony, and Robert; the eldest dying in his father's life-time, left issue by Alice, sister to Sir Richard Molineux, a son Charles; and a daughter Elizabeth, married to Edward Somers, Marquis of Worcester.

(2d Lord.) CHARLES succeeded his grandfather, and on the 2d of August, 1628, was created Viscount Ascot, and Earl of Caernarvon; and was slain at the battle of Newberry, Sept. 20, 1643, leaving issue by Anna-Sophia, daughter of Philip Herbert, Earl of Pembroke and Montgomery,

(3d Lord.) CHARLES, his heir, who married first Elizabeth, daughter of Arthur, Lord Capel, and by her had two sons that died young, and two daughters; of whom Elizabeth was married to Philip, Earl of Chesterfield; and Isabella to Charles, Earl of Monrath. He married secondly, Mary, daughter of Montague, Earl of Lindsey; and dying on the 29th of November, 1709, without issue male, the Earldom became extinct: So that we return to

ANTHONY, third son of Robert, the first Lord; who marrying Margaret, daughter of Sir Anthony Terringham, by her had four sons, and two daughters; one married to ——— Watson; and the other to ——— Smith. Of the sons, who were

ROBERT,

ROBERT, Anthony, John, and Francis; the eldest married —, daughter of — Eyres, Esq. and by her had a son Rowland; and a daughter Anne, first married to Edmund Powlet, Esq. and next to Sir John Curson.

(4th Lord.) And the said ROWLAND, upon the death of Charles, Earl of Caernarvon, succeeded to the title of Lord Dormer; but dying unmarried in 1712, and all his three uncles, the brothers of his father, without issue, we return to

ROBERT, third son of Robert, the first Lord Dormer; who marrying Mary, sister to Sir Edward Banaster, by her had eight sons and six daughters; of whom, three died young; Elizabeth, was married to — Webb, Esq. Mary, to John Roper, Esq. and Anne, to George Eyston, Esq. And of the sons, who were Robert, Edward, James, Charles, John, William, Anthony, and Thomas,

CHARLES, the fourth, (by the death of his elder brothers) became heir to his father; and by Mary, daughter of — Cellier, Esq. had two sons, Charles and Robert; of whom, Robert married Frances, daughter of Windsor Finch, Esq. And the said

(5th Lord.) CHARLES, his brother, who was heir to his father, in 1712, succeeded the said Rowland as Lord Dormer. He married first Catharine, daughter of Edmund Fettyplace, Esq. of Suncombe in Oxfordshire, by whom he had issue two sons, Charles, who succeeded him, and died unmarried 1761.—And John, the present Lord. He married secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of Richard Biddulph, Esq. of Staffordshire, and by her had issue; William, who died unmarried in June 1757.—Robert, who married Anne, daughter of Robert Flynton, Esq. of Newark, and died without issue.—Walter, who suffered shipwreck in 1740, died unmarried.—Edmund died unmarried.—James settled at Antwerp, and has issue.—Joseph, died unmarried.—Anne, born Nov. 30, 1697, died unmarried.—Elizabeth born 1704, died unmarried.—Frances, married May 4, 1726, William Plowden, Esq. of Plowden, Shropshire.—Mary, born Jan. 15, 1706-7.—Helen, born Oct. 12, 1729, who died unmarried. And his Lordship dying on the 2d of July, 1728, was succeeded in honour and estate by

(6th Lord.) CHARLES, his eldest son, who died unmarried, March 7, 1761, and was succeeded by his brother,

(7th Lord.) JOHN, the present Lord.

CREATION.] June 30, 1615.

ARMS.] Azure, ten billets, four, three, two, and one, or; on a chief of the second, a demi-lion rampant, naissant, sable. [Plate XXV.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a right-hand glove, *proper*; surmounted by a falcon, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two falcons, *argent*; armed, membered, and belled, *or*.

MOTTO.] None.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Peterly, in the county of Bucks; and at Edsworth, in the county of Hants.

R O P E R, L O R D T E Y N H A M.

THE Right Hon. HENRY ROPER, Lord TEYNHAM, succeeded his father in his honour and estate, April 29, 1781. His Lordship was born May 7, 1733; and married Wihelmina, daughter of Sir Francis Head, Bart. of the Hermitage, in Kent; but she dying without issue, he married secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of ——— Webber, Esq. and widow of John Mills, Esq. of Woodford-Bridge in Essex, by whom he had issue; Betty-Maria, born August 7, 1761.—Catharine, born August 22, 1762.—Philip, died an infant.—Henry, born May 3, 1764.—Anne, born in 1765, —John, born March 28, 1767.

In the reigns of Henry IV. and V. Edmund Roper was a man of great repute; and John, his son, in the 11th of Henry VIII. was Sheriff of the county of Kent, and was father of another John, who married Jane, daughter of Sir John Fineux, and by her had a daughter Helen, married to Sir Edward Montagu; and two sons, of whom William, the eldest, married Margaret, daughter of the famous Sir Thomas Moore; and Christopher, the youngest, married Elizabeth, daughter of Christopher Blore, Esq. by whom he had

(1st Lord.) JOHN, his heir, who was created Baron of Teynham. He married Elizabeth, daughter and heir of John Parke, Esq. and dying 1618, left

(2d Lord.) CHRISTOPHER, his heir, and two daughters; Elizabeth, married to George, son of William, Lord Vaux; and Jane to Sir Robert Lovel; and the said Christopher, their brother, marrying Catharine, daughter of John le Bourne, Esq. by her had John, his heir, and William.

(3d Lord.) JOHN, who in 1622 succeeded, by Mary, daughter of William, Lord Petre, had three sons, and four daughters; Catharine, who died unmarried; Elizabeth, married

ried to Sir John Arundel; Mary, a nun; and Margaret, who died young. Of the sons, who were Christopher, Francis, and William; the latter died unmarried; Francis married Anne, daughter of William Walker, Esq. and

(4th Lord.) CHRISTOPHER, the eldest, in 1627, succeeded his father, and married first Mary, daughter of Sir Francis Englefield, by whom he had a son, John, who died before him, unmarried; and a daughter Francis, who was married to John Wildham; but taking to his second wife, Philadelphia, daughter of Edward Knolles, Esq. by her he had Christopher, his heir; and Thomas.

(5th Lord.) CHRISTOPHER, who, in 1673, succeeded, married Elizabeth, daughter of Francis, Viscount Montagu; and by her had four sons and seven daughters; Elizabeth, Mary, Philadelphia, Winifred, Anne, Frances, and Catharine; whereof the latter was married to William Sheldon, Esq. Frances, to Rowland Bellafise, Esq. Winifred to Thomas Stoner, Esq. and Mary and Philadelphia were both nuns. Of the sons, who were

(6th Lord.) JOHN, Christopher, Henry, and Thomas, the eldest succeeded his father, and to him succeeded

(7th Lord.) CHRISTOPHER, his brother: But they both dying unmarried,

(8th Lord.) HENRY, the next brother, became heir. He married first Catharine, daughter of Philip, Viscount Strangford, and by her, who died the 16th of April 1711, had two sons, Philip, who succeeded to his father's honours.—Henry, his successor, the late Lord.—Anne, married to John Webb, Esq. son and heir apparent of Sir John Webb, Bart. of Odstock in Wiltshire, and died without issue, July 6, 1772. He married secondly, Mary, a daughter of Sir John Gage, Bart. of Fittle in Sussex, by whom he had no issue. But by Anne, his third wife, second daughter and at length heiress to Thomas, Earl of Sussex, and widow of Richard Barret-Lenard, Esq. by whom she had the present Lord Dacre, and by her, (who afterwards succeeded to the Barony of Dacre) he had issue; Anne, born Aug. 20, 1719, married Peter Taylor, Esq. of Ireland.—Charles born May 28, 1721, who died Feb. 4, 1754, leaving issue by his wife Gertrude, sister and coheirefs of John Trevor, Esq. of Glynd in Sussex; 1. Trevor-Charles, born June 14, 1745, married March 2, 1773, Mary, sole daughter and heiress of Sir Thomas Fludyer, Knt. 2. Henry, born Oct. 29. 1747. 3. Gertrude, born Aug. 25, 1750, married April 20, 1771, Thomas Brand Holles, Esq. of Hoo, in Hertfordshire, and has issue.—George, born Sep-

tember 3, 1722, died young.—Richard-Henry, in Holy Orders, who married first Mary, daughter of William Chetwynd, Esq. and by her, who died in Jan. 1758, had issue, Mary, who died young: He married 2dly, Mary, daughter of Thomas Tenison, Esq. of Ireland, and by her had issue, 1. Alice, born in 1760. 2. Henry, born March 19, 1761. 3. Jane, born in 1763. 4. Thomas, who died young. 5. Blaney, born April 6, 1765. Her Ladyship was in her own right Baroness Dacre, and surviving Lord Teynham, married 3dly, to Robert Moore, Esq. sixth son of Henry, Earl of Drogheda, and died June 26, 1755, when she was succeeded in the Baronry by her son, the present Lord Dacre. His Lordship dying on the 16th of May, 1723, was succeeded by

(9th Lord.) PHILIP, his eldest son, who dying on the 1st of June, 1727, unmarried, was succeeded by

(10th Lord.) HENRY, his brother, the late Lord. He married first in July 1732, Catharine, daughter of John Powell, Esq. of Sandford in Oxfordshire, by which Lady, who died September 22, 1765, he had issue; Henry, the present Lord.—John, born Jan. 20, 1734, married Gabriella, second daughter and coheirefs of Sir Francis Head, Bart. (sister to the present Lord Teynham's first Lady) and by her, who died Nov. 1771, had issue, and died Aug. 1780.—Christopher, died young.—Francis, born Jan. 25, 1738, who married Miss Littleton, by whom he had issue, Catharine-Flavia, who died young.—Philip, born Oct. 13, 1739, married Miss Barbara Littleton.—Anthony, died young.—Mary-Catharine, born Dec. 24, 1743, married April 27, 1773, Thomas Mostyn, Esq. third son of Sir Geo. Mostyn, Bart. of Talacre in Flintshire.—Winifred, born Dec. 5, 1744.—Thomas, born Feb. 2, 1746. His Lordship married secondly, March 1766, Anne, daughter of John Brinkhurst, Esq. of the Moor in Buckinghamshire, which Lady died without issue, Jan. 2, 1771. His Lordship married thirdly, Sept. 7, 1772, — widow of John Davis, Esq. who survived his Lordship and re-married Nov. 1782, Evan-John Gerrard, Esq. of Highton in Lancashire; and his Lordship, who died April 29, 1781, was succeeded by his son

(11th Lord.) HENRY, the present Lord.

CREATION.] July 9, 1616.

ARMS.] Party-per-fess, *azure* and *or*, a pale, and three *or* bucks heads erased, counterchanged. [Plate XXV.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a lion rampant, *sable*, holding a ducal coronet between his paws, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a buck, *or.* On the sinister, a tyger regardant, *argent.*

MOTTO.] *Spes mea in Deo.* My Hope is in God.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Linsted-Lodge, in the county of Kent.

L E I G H, L O R D L E I G H.

THE Right Hon. EDWARD LEIGH, Lord LEIGH, of Stoneley, and Baronet, born March 1, 1742, succeeded Thomas, late Lord Leigh, his father, Nov. 30, 1749.

The family of Leigh took their name from the Lordship of High-Leigh, in the county of Chester, and was there seated before the Conquest, determining in one daughter, who was married to William Venables, second son of Sir William Venables, of Kinderton; she brought him that inheritance, and had a son, JOHN, who took the name of Leigh, and was stiled Leigh of Booths.

Sir THOMAS Leigh, in the first of Elizabeth, was Lord Mayor of London. He married Alice, daughter of ——— Barker, Esq. and by her had Rowland, Sir Thomas, and William, whose son Francis, in 1628, was created Lord Dunsmore; and, in 1644, Earl of Chichester. But having no issue male, the title of Earl of Chichester, &c. was extinct.

Sir THOMAS Leigh, his father's brother, was created a Baronet. He married Catharine, daughter of Sir John Spencer, by whom he had Sir John Leigh, Knt. who dying in his father's life-time, left a son,

(1st Lord.) THOMAS, who succeeded his grandfather, and was created Lord Leigh, of Stoneley. He married Mary, daughter of Sir Thomas Egerton, and by her had four sons and three daughters; of whom, Elizabeth was married to John, Lord Viscount Tracy; Vere, to Sir Justinian Isham; and Ursula, to Sir William Bromley. And of the sons, who were Thomas, Charles, Ferdinand, and Christopher; the eldest died in his father's life-time, leaving issue, by Jane, daughter of Patrick, Baron of Kerry, Thomas, his only son, and three daughters, Honora, Mary, and Jane; of whom, the eldest was first married to Sir William Egerton, and after his decease, to Hugh, Lord Willoughby of Parham; Mary, to Arden Bagot, Esq. and Jane, to William, Viscount Tracy. And the said

(2d Lord.) THOMAS, their brother, who succeeded his grandfather, and died in November 1710, marrying Eleanor, daughter of Edward Watson, Baron of Rockingham, by her had four sons and four daughters; of whom, Eleanor, the youngest, married to Thomas Verney, Esq. and Anne, died in Sept. 1734: And of the sons, Charles, the youngest, who married Barbara, sister to the Earl of Scarborough, died July 28, 1749, and his Lady died Jan. 4, 1755; and

(3d Lord.) EDWARD, in 1710, succeeded his father. He married Mary, daughter of Thomas Holbeck, Esq. of Filtonley in Warwickshire; and by her, who died in September 1743, had issue two sons and three daughters; Edward, born 1709, who died in his father's life-time, unmarried, Aug. 1737.—Thomas, his successor.—Mary, born July 19, 1711.—Eleanor, who died unmarried, Nov. 1709.—Anne, who died unmarried, August 1728. His Lordship dying March 1738, was succeeded by

(4th Lord.) THOMAS, his only surviving son. He married first, Maria Rebecca, daughter of John Craven, Esq. brother to Lord Craven; and by her, who died on Dec. 6, 1746, he had issue; Thomas, who died young.—Another Thomas, who died in 1741.—Edward, now Lord Leigh.—Mary. He married in December, 1747, to his second wife, Catharine, daughter of Rowland Berkeley, Esq. by whom he left a daughter, Anne, born Oct. 28, 1748, who married Andrew Hesketh, Esq. His Lordship dying Nov. 30, 1749, was succeeded by his only son,

(5th Lord.) EDWARD, now Lord Leigh.

CREATION.] July 1, 1643.

ARMS.] *Gules*, a cross engrailed, *argent*, a lozenge in the dexter chief, of the *second*. [Plate XXVI.]

CREST.] On a wreath, an unicorn's head erased, *argent*; armed and maned, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two unicorns, *argent*; armed and maned, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Tout vient de Dieu*. All Things come from God.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Stoneley Abbey, in Warwickshire; and at Fletchemstead, in the same county.

BYRON, LORD BYRON.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM BYRON, Lord BYRON, of Rochdale, born November 5, 1722, succeeded William, late Lord Byron, his father, August 8, 1736, and married March 28, 1747, Elizabeth, only daughter and sole heiress of Charles Shaw, Esq. of Besthorp Hall, in the county of Norfolk, by whom he had; William, born June 7, 1748, died May, 1749.—William, born Oct. 27, 1749, married Juliana-Elizabeth, second daughter of his uncle, Admiral John Byron, and died June 22, 1776, leaving issue one son.—Henrietta Diana, born July 24, 1751, and died June 1, 1760.—Caroline, born Jan. 17, 1755.

Sir JOHN Byron, Knight of the Bath, married Anne, sister to Richard, the first Viscount Molineux, and by her had

(1st Lord.) Sir JOHN Byron, who was created Baron Byron, with limitation to each of his six brothers, Richard, William, Thomas, Robert, Gilbert, and Philip, and their heirs. He married first, Cicely, daughter of Thomas, Lord Delawar; and afterwards, in 1644, Eleanor, daughter of Robert, Viscount Kilmorey, widow of Peter Warburton, Esq. but dying in 1652, without issue by either,

(2d Lord.) RICHARD, his next brother, became heir; who, by his second wife, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir George Booth, had no issue; but by his first, who was Elizabeth, daughter of Geo. Rosel, Esq. he had William, his heir; and a daughter Catharine, married to Sir William Stanhope.

(3d Lord.) WILLIAM, who succeeded, married to his second wife, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir George Stonehouse, by whom he had no issue; but by his first, who was Elizabeth, daughter of John, Viscount Chaworth, he had five sons, and five daughters, Elizabeth, Catharine, Mary, Anne, and Juliana; whereof, Catharine was married to Arthur Cole, Lord Ranelagh; and the rest died unmarried; as did all the sons, except

(4th Lord.) WILLIAM, who in 1695 succeeded his father, and married first, Mary, daughter of John, Earl of Bridgewater, who dying April 12, 1703, he took to his second wife, Frances-Wilhelmina, daughter of William, Earl of Portland, and by her, who died March 31, 1712, had three sons and one daughter, viz. George, William, William-Henry, and Frances, who all died young; but his Lordship taking to his third wife, Frances, daughter of William, Lord Berkeley of Stratton, by her (who, in August 1740, married Sir Thomas

Hay, of East-Lothian, Scotland) had five sons, William, now Lord Byron, born Nov. 5, 1722.—John, born Nov. 8, 1723, a Vice-Admiral in the Navy, married in Aug. 1748, to Miss Trevannion, daughter of John Trevannion, Esq. of Carhays in Cornwall, and had issue, 1. John, an officer in the army, born Feb. 7, 1756, married June, 1779, Amelia D'Arcy, only daughter of the late Earl of Holderness, and late Lady to the Marquis of Carmarthen, from whom she had been divorced the same year, and succeeded to the Barony of Conyers. (See Barones CONYERS.) 2. George-Anson, in the Royal Navy, born Nov. 30, 1758. 3. Frances, married to Charles Leigh, Esq. Lieutenant Colonel of the Third Regiment of Foot Guards. 4. Juliana-Elizabeth, married to her cousin, William Byron, eldest son of the present Lord Byron. 5. Sophia-Maria. 6. Charlotta-Augusta.—Richard, in holy orders, was born Oct. 28, 1724, married in 1768, to Miss Farmer.—Charles, born April 6, 1726, and died May 16, 1731.—George, born April 22, 1730, married Miss Frances Levett, daughter and coheirs of Elton Levett, Esq. of Nottingham, and has issue, 1. Isabella, born Oct. 20, 1754. 2. William; and, 3. George, twins, both of whom died young. 4. John, born Sept. 14, 1758. 5. Frederick-George, born Nov. 21, 1764.—And a daughter, Isabella, born Nov. 10, 1721, married first, in 1743, to Henry, Earl of Carlisle, by whom she had issue; and after his death, to Sir Richard Musgrave, of Hayton Castle, in Cumberland. And their father dying Aug. 8, 1736, was succeeded by

(5th Lord.) WILLIAM, his eldest son, now Lord Byron.

CREATION.] Baron Byron, Oct. 24, 1643.

ARMS.] *Argent*, three bendlets enhanced, *gules*. [Plate XXVI.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a mermaid, with her comb and mirror, all *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two horses, *chestnut*.

MOTTO.] *Crede Biron. Trust Biron.*

CHIEF SEATS.] At Newstead Abbey, and Bullwell Park, in Nottinghamshire.

C R A V E N, L O R D C R A V E N.

THE Right Honourable WILLIAM CRAVEN, Lord CRAVEN, born September 22, 1737, succeeded his uncle, the late Lord, March 18, 1769. He married May 10, 1761,

1767, Elizabeth, second daughter of Augustus, Earl of Berkeley, by whom he has issue, Elizabeth, born April 20, 1768.—Maria-Margaretta, born April 26, 1769.—William, born Sept. 1, 1770.—Georgiana.—Henry-Augustus, born Dec. 21, 1776.—And another son, born June 1, 1779.

This family was antiently seated at Appletreewick, in the county of York. John Craven, Esq. who lived in the reigns of Henry VII. and VIII. had issue three sons; Henry, (of whom hereafter) William, and Anthony; of whom, William married Beatrix, daughter of John Hunter, and had issue, Sir William Craven, who in 1611, was Lord Mayor of London; and marrying Elizabeth, daughter of William Whitmore, by her had two daughters; Mary, who was married to Thomas, Lord Coventry; and Elizabeth, to Percy Herbert, Lord Powis; and

(1st Lord.) WILLIAM, his heir, who in 1626 was created Lord Craven of Hempsted-Marshal, with remainder to John and Thomas, his brothers; the elder, who in the 18th of Charles I. was created Lord Craven of Ryton, in the county of Salop, married Elizabeth, daughter of William, Lord Spencer, and died without issue, as did Thomas, his brother; and the said William, Lord Craven, was advanced to the dignity of Viscount and Earl of Craven, in the county of York, and died on April 19, 1687: And, because both his brothers were dead without issue, the title of Lord Craven, of Hempsted-Marshal, for want of issue male of his own body, was then also limited to Sir William Craven, of Lenchwick, and Sir Anthony, his brother; and in failure of issue by them, the said title, in 1665, was granted to Sir William Craven, of Combe. Henry, eldest son of John Craven, first mentioned, by his first wife, Mrs. Sherwood, had three sons, William and Thomas, who died without issue; and Robert, who married Mary Brockden, by whom he had, 1. Henry, who died without issue. 2. Sir William of Lenchwick, to whom the Barony was limited: He married Mary, daughter of Ferdinand, Lord Fairfax, and left an only daughter, Elizabeth, married to Theophilus Leigh, Esq. 3. Sir Thomas. 4. and 5. Robert and John, who died unmarried. 6. Sir Anthony. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Baron Polnitz, in Germany, and died in 1670, without issue. 7. A daughter, Margaret, married to Thomas Craven.

Sir THOMAS, the third son of Robert, married Anne, daughter of Francis Proctor, and dying in 1682, left issue, Sir William Craven, of Combe, to whom the title was limited in 1665, and three daughters; Mary, married to Sir Edmund

Edmund Andros ; Alice, to William Topham ; and Margaret, to Christopher Dawson, Esq. Sir William dying before the honour descended to him, left issue by Mary, daughter of Sir Christopher Clapham, eight sons and five daughters ; Margaret, Mary, Martha, Elizabeth, and Anne. The sons were,

(2d Lord.) WILLIAM, who, by virtue of the last limitation, succeeded to the title. — Thomas, born 1670, who died young. — John, who was born on November 23, 1673, and died on January 1, 1727, having had issue by his wife, Maria-Rebecca, daughter of Henry Green, of Warwickshire, Esq. six sons and two daughters, viz. William, late Lord Craven. 2. John, who married Miss Hickes, and by her had one son, William, the present Lord, and two daughters ; Jane, born April 23, 1743, married to the Rev. Mr. Lidiard ; and Anna-Rebecca, born August 17, 1745, married first, to Ludford Taylor, Esq. and after his death, she married Jan. 21, 1773, Robert-Augustus Johnston, Esq. 3. Henry, now living. 4. Basil, and Robert, who died unmarried. 6. Thomas, an Admiral in the Navy, who died 1772. 7. Dorothy, who died unmarried. 8. And Maria-Rebecca, married to Thomas, 4th Lord Leigh, and died 1746, leaving issue. — Robert, who died in 1710. — Christopher, died unmarried. — Anthony, who died an infant. — Henry, died without issue. — Charles, who died Dec. 26, 1754, married Elizabeth, daughter of — Staples, Esq. and by her, (who in October, 1755, married secondly, Jemmet Raymond, Esq.) had issue three sons, Charles, John, and Robert, and five daughters. William, who was the second Lord, married Elizabeth, daughter of Humberston Skipwith, Esq. and dying on the 9th of October, 1711, by her, who died May 16, 1704, left three sons,

(3d Lord.) WILLIAM, Fulwar, and Robert ; of whom the youngest died unmarried, and the eldest succeeded to the title of Lord Craven ; and in June, 1721, married Anne, only daughter of Frederick Tilney, Esq. and by her, (who died on the 5th of February, 1730, in the 26th year of her age) had an only daughter, who died on the 21st of Nov. 1725. He dying in August, 1739, was succeeded by his only brother,

(4th Lord.) FULWAR, who, deceasing on Nov. 10, 1764, without issue, was succeeded by

(5th Lord.) WILLIAM, eldest son of John Craven, Esq. brother to William, 2d Lord Craven, and 3d son of Sir William Craven, by his wife Mary, daughter of Sir Christopher Clapham, as before recited. He married Jane, daughter

ter of Howard Berkeley, Esq. and deceasing March 13, 1769, was succeeded by his nephew,

(6th Lord.) WILLIAM, the present Lord.

CREATION.] Lord Craven, of Hempsted-Marshall, in the county of Berks, Dec. 11, 1665, the 17th of Charles II.

ARMS.] *Argent*, a fess between six cross croquets, fitchy, *gules*. [Plate XXVII.]

CREST.] On a chapeau, *gules*, turned up, *ermine*, a gryphon of the *second*, beaked, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two gryphons, *ermine*.

MOTTO.] *Virtus in actione consistit*. Virtue consists in Action.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Comb-Abbey, in Warwickshire; at Hempsted-Marshall; Ashdown-Park, near Lamborn; and Benham-Place, all in Berkshire.

CLIFFORD, LORD CLIFFORD OF CHUDLEIGH.

THE Right Hon. HUGH-EDWARD-HENRY CLIFFORD, Lord CLIFFORD of Chudleigh, born July 2, 1756, succeeded Hugh, his father, late Lord Clifford, Sept. 1, 1783; and married May, 1780, Anne, daughter of the late Lord Langdale.

The descent of this noble family may be found under the title of Southwell-Clifford, Baron Clifford. Thomas, who was the tenth Lord, marrying Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas, Lord Roos, left issue, John, from whom descended Margaret, late Baroness Clifford; Sir William, who married Anne, daughter of Thomas, Lord Bardolph, died without issue; and Sir Lewis, from whom descended this Lord Clifford of Chudleigh, who by Eleanor, his wife, had a son William; and a daughter, married to Sir Philip la Vache. William, only son of Sir Lewis, married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Arnold Savage, and widow of Sir Reginald Cobham, by whom he had two sons, 1. Lewis, who died in the life-time of his father, and left by Anne, daughter of the Lord Molins, Alexander. 2. John, who married Florentia, daughter of Sir John St. Leger, Esq. and had Thomas, his heir, who married Thomazine, daughter of John Thorpe, and had issue William, who, by Elizabeth Vaux, had Henry, his heir, who marrying Elizabeth, daughter of William Carrant, left Anthony, his heir: He married Anne, daughter of Sir Peter Courtenay, of Ugbrook,

Ugbrook, in the parish of Chudleigh, in the county of Devon, by whom he had issue three sons, Henry, whose issue is extinct.—William had no issue.—Thomas, died in September, 1634, leaving by Amy, daughter of Hugh Steplehill, two sons, Hugh and Thomas; of whom the eldest married Mary, daughter of Sir George Chudleigh, by whom he had issue, Sir Thomas and George, and died in 1639. Of his sons, George, the youngest, married Elizabeth, daughter of George Price, Esq, and had issue, George, his heir, Elizabeth, and Margaret.

(1st Lord.) Sir THOMAS, the eldest son of Hugh, was created Lord Clifford of Chudleigh, and in 1672, Lord High Treasurer. He married Elizabeth, daughter of William Martin, Esq. and (besides other children, who died young) had three sons and three daughters; whereof, Elizabeth was married to Sir Henry Carew; Amy, to John Courtenay, Esq. and Mary, to Sir Simon Leach. And of the sons, who were,

(2d Lord.) HUGH, Simon, and Charles; the eldest, in 1673, succeeded his father. He married Anne, daughter of Sir Thomas Preston, and by her, who died in July 1734, had nine sons and six daughters; Elizabeth, married first to William Constable, Viscount Dunbar, and secondly, to Charles Gregory, Viscount Fairfax.—Catharine.—Mary.—Anne, was married to George Cary, Esq.—Amy, to Cutlibert Constable.—Preston. Of the sons, who were Francis, Thomas, Francis, William, George, Charles, Hugh, Henry, and Lewis-Walter; Charles, George, William, and the first Francis, died in their infancy.—Thomas, the second, who was born in 1687, married Charlotte, Countess of Newburgh; and by her, who afterwards married Charles Radcliffe, Esq. brother to the Earl of Derwentwater, and died in August, 1755, left issue, two daughters, Frances, and Anne.—The second Francis, Henry, and Lewis-Walter, died unmarried; and on the 13th of October, 1730,

(3d Lord.) HUGH succeeded his father. He married, first, Elizabeth, daughter of Edward Blunt, Esq. sister to the late Dukes of Norfolk, by Arabella, daughter of Sir John Guise, of Rendcomb in Gloucestershire, by whom he had issue, two daughters and four sons, viz. Elizabeth, who died an infant.—Mary, born April 27, 1731, married to Sir Edward Smyth, of Aston Burnell, in Shropshire.—Hugh, the late Lord Clifford, born Sept. 29, 1726.—Edward, born Dec. 31, 1727.—Henry, who died an infant.—And Thomas, born after his decease, Aug. 22, 1732, who on February 2,

1762, married Barbara, daughter and coheir of James, Lord Aston, and by her has, 1. Thomas-Hugh, born December 4, 1762. 2. Edward-James, born June 14, 1766, died an infant. 3. Henry, born March 2, 1768. 4. Walter, born March 13, 1773. 5. James-Francis, born Aug. 16, 1774. 6. Barbara-Elizabeth, born November 11, 1763. 7. Mary, born March 31, 1765. 8. Anne, born April 28, 1770. 9. Lucy-Bridget, born July 19, 1771. 10. Constantia, born Feb. 24, 1776. His Lordship dying March 26, 1732, was succeeded by

(4th Lord.) HUGH, his eldest son, the late Lord, married Dec. 17, 1749, Anne, daughter of the late Earl of Litchfield, by whom he had issue, Hugh-Edward-Henry, the present Lord.—Charles, born Nov. 28, 1759.—Robert, born Oct. 16, 1767.—Thomas, born Dec. 5, 1774.—Frances, born Oct. 7, 1752.—Anne-Elizabeth-Maria, born May 17, 1754.—Mary-Anne, born May 24, 1755, who died 1767.—Charlotte, born Feb. 1, 1773. His Lordship dying Sept. 1, 1783, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(5th Lord.) HUGH-EDWARD-HENRY, the present Lord.

CREATION.] Baron Clifford of Chudleigh, April 22, 1672.

ARMS.] Chequé, *or* and *azure*; a fess, *gules*, a crescent for difference. [Plate XXVII.]

CREST.] Out of a ducal coronet, *or*, a wyvern rising, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two wyverns, *gules*, with wings expanded, *azure*.

MOTTO.] *Semper paratus*. Always ready.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Ugbrook, near Chudleigh in Devonshire; and at Cannington, near Bridgewater, in the county of Somerset.

OSBORNE, LORD OSBORNE.

THE Right Hon. FRANCIS-GODOLPHIN OSBORNE, of Kiveton, Yorkshire, eldest son of Thomas, Duke of Leeds, was called up to the House of Lords by the before-mentioned title, May 14, 1776, and takes precedence according to the date of that Barony, Aug. 15, 1675.

For an account of his birth, marriage, &c. see Duke of LEEDS.

Arms, Crest, Supporters, &c. the same as those of his father, the Duke of Leeds.

BOYLE, LORD BOYLE.

THE Right Hon. EDMUND BOYLE, Lord BOYLE, of Marston in the county of Somerset, and also Earl of CORKE and ORRERY in Ireland; succeeded his brother Hamilton, Jan. 17, 1764.

For the account of this family, see the Earl of CORKE and ORRERY, in the Peerage of *Ireland*.

HAY, LORD HAY.

THE Right Hon. THOMAS HAY, Lord HAY, of Pedwarden, Viscount DUPLIN and Earl of KINNOUL in Scotland, succeeded his father George-Henry, July 29; 1758.

For the account of this family, see the Earl of KINNOUL, in the Peerage of *Scotland*.

WILLOUGHBY, LORD MIDDLETON.

THE Right Honourable HENRY WILLOUGHBY, Lord MIDDLETON, of Middleton, and Baronet, born April 24, 1761, succeeded his cousin the late Lord, Jan. 19, 1781, by writ of summons.

This noble family is descended from Sir John de Willoughby, a Norman Knight, who had the Lordship of Willoughby in Lincolnshire by gift, from William the Conqueror, from whom descended maternally the Lords Willoughby de Broke and Parham. Of this latter family, Sir Christopher Willoughby, marrying Margery, daughter of Sir William Jennens, had five sons; of whom Thomas, the youngest, marrying Bridget, daughter of Sir Robert Read, had Robert, his heir, who married Dorothy, daughter of Sir Edward Willoughby of Wollaton, and by her had a son Thomas; who marrying Catharine, daughter of Sir Percival Hart, by her had seven sons and three daughters; whereof, Sir Percival succeeded him, and married Bridget, daughter of Sir Francis Willoughby, and by her had Francis, his heir, whose wife was Cassandra, daughter of Thomas Ridgeway, Earl of Londonderry,

Londonderry, and by her was father of another Francis, and two daughters; Lettice, married to Sir Thomas Wendy; and Catharine, to Clement Winstanley, Esq. Francis, their brother, married Emma, daughter of Sir Henry Bernard, and dying July 3, 1672, by her, who afterwards married Sir Joshua Child, left two sons, Francis, his heir; Thomas; and a daughter Cassandra, who was the second wife of James, Duke of Chandos. And the said Francis, who in 1677, was created a Baronet, dying in 1688, unmarried,

(1st Lord.) THOMAS, his brother, succeeded, and was created Lord Middleton. He married Elizabeth, daughter and coheirefs of Sir Richard Rothwell, Bart. of Stapleford in Leicestershire, by whom he had four sons; Francis, his successor.—Thomas, born in 1695, died Dec. 2, 1742, having married Elizabeth, sole daughter and heirefs of Thomas Southby, Esq. of Birdsal, Yorkshire, and by her, who died April 25, 1752, had issue; 1. Elizabeth, who married to the Rev. Edmond Garforth of Askham in Yorkshire. 2. Emma, married to the Rev. Nathaniel Hodgson. 3. Cassandra, died unmarried 1750. 4. Antonina, married to the Rev. Henry Hewgill, of Smeaton. 5. Thomas, who died unmarried. 6. Henry, who married Dorothy, second daughter and coheirefs of George Cartwright, Esq. of Offington in Nottinghamshire, by whom she had issue; Henry, born April 24, 1761, (who succeeded to the Barony on the death of his cousin, the late Lord Middleton, and was called up to the House of Lords by a writ of summons in March 1781) and two daughters, Dorothy, born July 13, 1758; and Henrietta, born July 30, 1766. 7. Francis, who married Octavia, daughter and coheirefs of Francis Fisher, Esq. of Grange at Grantham, Lincolnshire. 8. Rothwell, died unmarried in 1764. 9. James.—Rothwell, born 1696, died unmarried, 1752.—Henry died on the 2d of April, 1729, unmarried.

(2d Lord.) FRANCIS, the eldest brother, succeeded his father, April 2, 1729, and the 25th of July, 1723, he was married to Mary, daughter of Thomas Edwards, Esq. of Filkins in Oxfordshire, by which Lady, who died March 12, 1762, he had, Francis, the third Lord.—Thomas, the late Lord.—Emma, who died young. And his Lordship dying August 4, 1758, was succeeded by his son,

(3d Lord.) FRANCIS, who died without issue, in December 1774, and was succeeded by his brother,

(4th Lord.) THOMAS, the late Lord, who died without issue Jan. 19, 1781, having married 1770, Miss Chadwick, who survived his Lordship. He was succeeded by his cousin the present Lord.

CREATIONS.] Created Baronet, April 7, 1677, the 29th of Car. II. and Lord Middleton of Middleton, in the county of Warwick, Dec. 31, 1711, the 10th of Queen Anne.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *or*, fretty, *azure*, for Willoughby of Parham and Eresby. Second and third, *or*, on two bars, *gules*, three water bougets, *argent*, for Willoughby of Middleton and Wollaton. [Plate XXVII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, the bust of a man, couped and affrontée, *proper*, crowned ducally, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a pilgrim, or greyfriar, in his habit, *proper*, with his beads, cross, &c. and a staff in his right hand, *or*. On the sinister, a savage with a club in his exterior hand, wreathed about the temples and middle with ivy, all *proper*; each supporter holding a banner, *gules*, fringed, *or*; ensigned with an owl, *argent*; crowned, ducally collared, and chained, *or*; the owl being the crest of Willoughby of Middleton and Wollaton.

MOTTO.] *Verité sans peur.* Truth without Fear.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Wollaton-Hall, in Nottinghamshire; and at Middleton, in the county of Warwick.

O N S L O W, L O R D O N S L O W.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE ONSLOW, Lord ONSLOW and CRANLEY, was created Lord Cranley of Ember-Court in Surry, May 17, 1776, and succeeded as Lord Onslow, on the death of the late Lord, Oct. 9, 1776. He married in 1753, Harriot, daughter of Sir John Shelly, Bart. of Michael Grove in Suffex; by whom he has issue, Thomas, born March 15, 1754, married first Dec. 20, 1776; Arabella, daughter and coheirefs of Eaton-Manwaring Ellerker, Esq. of Risby Park, Yorkshire, by whom he had issue, 1. Arthur-George, born Oct. 25, 1777. 2. Thomas Cranley, born in Sept. 1778: He married secondly, Feb. 1783, Mrs. Duncumbe, widow of the late Thomas Duncumbe, of Duncumbe Park in Yorkshire.—John, who died young.—Henry, who died an infant.—Edward, born April 9, 1758.—Henrietta.

This family took their surname from the town of Onslow, in the county of Salop. Roger de Onslow had two sons; Thomas, who died without issue; and William, his heir, who had two sons, Richard and Thomas; the former having a
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son Thomas, who died unmarried, and was succeeded by Thomas, his uncle, who lived in the time of Edward III. and he having five sons, John, the eldest, by Margaret, daughter of Madoç Kinaston, had two sons; Thomas, who died without issue; and Robert, who married Catharine, daughter of Richard Corbet, and had issue Edward, his heir, who married Anne, daughter and heir to Richard Houghton, and by her had four sons; Roger, the second son, married Margaret, daughter of Thomas Poyner, and by her had Richard and Fulk. Richard was Solicitor-General to Queen Anne, in whose reign he was Speaker of the House of Commons, and marrying Catharine, daughter of Richard Harding, Esq. had issue two sons and several daughters; whereof Margaret was married to Richard Threll; Cecily, to Sir Humphrey Winch; and Elizabeth to Richard Hill. And of the sons, Robert, the eldest succeeded his father; but dying unmarried, Edward, his brother, became heir. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Thomas Shirley, and left two sons and three daughters; of whom Jane, the second, married Gerard Aungier, Lord Longford. And of the sons, Thomas, the eldest, married Mary, daughter of Sir Samuel Leonard; but dying without issue, Richard, his brother succeeded. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Arthur Strangeways, Esq. by whom he had fourteen children; whereof six sons and five daughters lived to maturity; Anne, was married to Sir Anthony Shirley; Catharine, to Sir Thomas Cobb; Mary, to Sir George Freeman; Jane, to Sir George Croke; and Elizabeth, first to John Berney, and secondly, to Sir Francis Wyndham. Of the sons, Arthur, the eldest, succeeded his father. Henry, the second son, married a daughter of Sir Richard Studolph, widow of ——— Yates, Esq. by whom he had a son Richard, and a daughter; which Richard left issue several daughters; and one son Denzil. Richard, the third son, married Mary, daughter of Sir Abraham Reynardson, but died without issue. Thomas and John, fourth and fifth sons, died unmarried. And Denzil, the youngest, married Sarah, daughter of Sir Thomas Foot, widow of Sir John Lewis, and died in 1721, without issue. And Richard their father, died on the 19th of May, 1664.

ARTHUR, married to his first wife, Rose, daughter of Sir Laurence Stoughton, who died without leaving him any surviving issue; but taking to his second, Mary, second daughter of Sir Thomas Foot, by her had four sons; Richard, his heir; Foot, second son; Arthur, and Henry, both died unmarried. Foot died May 11, 1710. He married

Sufanna, daughter of Thomas Anlaby, widow of Arnold Colwell, Esq. by whom he had issue, Arthur, Speaker of the House of Commons, in the 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, and 11th Parliaments. He married Anne, niece of Henry Bridges, of Ember-Court in Surry, Esq. (which Lady died in June, 1766) by whom he had one son George, the present Lord; and a daughter who died young. Richard, brother to the said Arthur, died in March 1760. He married Rose Bridges, sister to the aforesaid Anne; but she dying without issue, he married secondly, Miss Pooley Walton, niece of Sir George Walton, by whom he had three sons, 1. George, married Jane, daughter of the Rev. Thomas Thorpe, by whom he had two sons, Richard born Jan. 13, 1754; and George, born April 7, 1764, but died an infant; and a daughter Pooly, born March 3, 1758. 2. Richard, Captain in the Navy, married June 1, 1773, to Miss Mitchell. 3. Arthur; and a daughter Elizabeth, married to the Rev. George Hamilton, brother to the Earl of Abercorn. We now return to Richard, eldest son of Arthur, which

(1st Lord.) RICHARD, was Speaker of the House of Commons in 1708, and on June 25, 1716, he was created Lord Onslow, with limitation, for want of issue of his body, to his uncle Denzil, and the issue male of his body, and in default to the heirs male of Sir Arthur, father of the said Sir Richard; but died on the 5th of Dec. 1717. He married the daughter of Sir Henry Tulse, and by her had two sons and two daughters; whereof Elizabeth, was first married to Thomas Middleton, by whom he left five daughters, his coheirs, of whom, Elizabeth married John, the second Viscount Moleworth; and secondly, to Samuel Baldwin, Esq. who died in June 1736; and Mary, his other daughter, married Sir John Williams. And of the sons, who were

(2d Lord.) THOMAS, and Richard; the latter died young, and the eldest succeeded his father, and marrying Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. Knight, by her (who died in April, 1731) had a son Richard, born in the year 1713. His Lordship dying in June, 1740, was succeeded by his said son,

(3d Lord.) RICHARD, who May 16, 1741, married Mary, daughter of Sir Edmund Elwell, Bart. of Exeter, and dying without issue, Oct. 8, 1776, was succeeded by his cousin

(4th Lord.) GEORGE, Lord Cranley, who is now Lord Onslow and Cranley.

CREATIONS.] Baronet, Nov. 21, 1660, the 12th of Char. II. and Baron Onslow of Onslow in the county of Salop, and

of West-Clandon in the county of Surry, June 25, 1716, the 2d of Geo. II. and Baron Cranley, May 14, 1776.

ARMS.] *Argent, a fess, gules, between six Cornish choughs, proper.* [Plate XXVIII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a falcon, *proper*; legged and belled, *or*; feeding on a partridge, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two falcons, *proper*; legged and belled, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Semper fidelis.* Always faithful.

CHIEF SEATS.] At West-Clandon, and Ember-Court, in Surry.

MARSHAM, LORD ROMNEY.

THE Right Hon. ROBERT MARSHAM, Lord ROMNEY, succeeded his father, the late Lord Romney, Nov. 28, 1724, and married Miss Priscilla Pym, of the island of St. Kitt's, by whom, who died Feb. 27, 1771, he has had issue; Robert Pym, born April 27, 1743, and died Nov. 28, 1762.—Charles, born Sept. 28, 1744, married Aug. 30, 1776, to Frances, daughter of the late Earl of Egremont; by whom he has issue, 1. Charles born Nov. 22, 1777. 2. Frances, born in 1778. 3. Harriott, and 4. Amelia-Charlotte.—John, born 1748, died young.—Shovell, born 1757, died young.—Jacob, born Feb. 28, 1759, died young.—Priscilla, born Dec. 20, 1745.—Elizabeth, born Feb. 9, 1751.—Frances, born April 2, 1755.—Harriot, born 1760, died young.—Charlotte, born Nov. 12, 1761, died young.

THOMAS MARSHAM, in the reign of King James I. was Alderman of London; and in 1625, Sir John, his son, left issue by Elizabeth, daughter of Sir William Hammond, two sons, Sir John and Sir Robert.

Sir JOHN, dying unmarried, Sir ROBERT, his brother, became heir, and dying July 15, 1703, was succeeded by (1st Lord.) Sir ROBERT, his son, who, by King Geo. I. was created a Peer. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Cloudesley Shovell, and by her (who in Sept. 1732, married the Earl of Hyndford, and died in Nov. 1750) had issue; Shovell, born October 15, 1709, who died young.—Robert, his heir.—Elizabeth, married in May, 1741, to Jacob Bouverie, Viscount Falstone, grandfather of the present Earl of Radnor, and died Sept. 25, 1782.—Margaret, born March 2, 1713, died young.—John, born Nov. 14, 1715, died young.

died young.—Henrietta, born May 11, 1721.—Thomas, born April 5, 1722, died young. And his Lordship dying Nov. 28, 1724, was succeeded by his only son,

(2d Lord.) ROBERT, now Lord Romney.

[CREATIONS.] Baronet, Aug. 22, 1663, the 13th of Char. II. and Baron Romney, in the county of Kent, June 25, 1716, and 2d of Geo. I.

ARMS.] *Argent*, a lion passant in bend, *gules*, between two bendlets, *azure*. [Plate XXVIII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a lion's head erased, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two lions, *azure*; semée of cross crozlets, and ducally gorged, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Non sibi, sed Patriæ*. Not for myself, but my Country.

CHIEF SEATS.] At the Mote near Maidstone in Kent, and at Cuxton in the same county.

C A D O G A N, L O R D C A D O G A N.

THE Right Hon. CHARLES-SLOANE CADOGAN, Lord CADOGAN, born October 29, 1728, succeeded his father Charles, the late Lord, Sept. 24, 1776. He married in 1747, Frances, daughter of the late Lord Montfort, by which Lady, who died in May 1768, he had issue; Charles-Henry, born Dec. 19, 1749, in the Army.—William-Bromley, born January 22, 1751, in Holy Orders.—Thomas, born Feb. 7, 1752, in the Navy, and died 1779.—George, born Dec. 1, 1754.—Edward, born Dec. 12, 1758.—Henry-William, born March 25, 1761, died Aug. 4, 1774. His Lordship married secondly, August 10, 1777, Miss Churchill, eldest daughter of Charles Churchill, Esq. (by Mary Walpole, daughter of Robert, Earl of Orford) by whom he has issue, Emily, born May 31, 1778; and another daughter, born July 12, 1781.

Of this family, who derive their descent from the British Princes of Ferlix and Powis, was William Cadogan, of Tocktry-vach in the county of Monmouth, Esq. whose second son Henry, was seated at Llanbeder; and he marrying Catharine, daughter of Thomas Stradling, son of Robert, younger brother of Sir Thomas Stradling, of the Castle of St. Donet, by her had William Cadogan, Esq. born Feb. 5, 1691; to him succeeded Henry, his son, who married Bridget, daughter of Sir Hardress Waller, Knt. and by her had two sons; and a daughter

daughter, Penelope, married to Sir Thomas Prendergast. And of the sons, who were William and Charles, the eldest succeeded his father, and the youngest succeeded his brother.

(1st Lord.) Which WILLIAM, by George I. was created Baron of Reading, and April 17, 1718, was advanced to the dignity of Baron of Oakley, Viscount Caversham, and Earl of Cadogan. He married Margaretta-Cecilia, daughter of William Munter, Counsellor of Holland, and by her (who died at the Hague in August 1750) had two daughters; Sarah, married to Charles, Duke of Richmond; and Margaret, to Charles-John Bentinck, Esq. second son of the Duke of Portland; but the said Earl their father having no issue male, the titles of Baron of Reading, Viscount Caversham, and Earl of Cadogan, became extinct, and the Barony of Oakley descended to

(2d Lord.) CHARLES, his brother, who married Elizabeth, daughter and coheir of Sir Hans Sloane, Bart. and by her, who died 1768, had an only son, Charles-Sloane Cadogan. And his Lordship deceasing Sept. 24, 1776, aged 85, was succeeded by his only son,

(3d Lord.) CHARLES-SLOANE, the present Lord.

CREATION.] Baron of Oakley, in the county of Bucks, April 7, 1718, the 4th of Geo. I.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *gules*, a lion rampant regardant, *or*; second and third, *argent*, three boars heads coupé, *sable*. [Plate XXVIII.]

CREST.] Out of a ducal coronet, *or*, a gryphon's head, *vert*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a lion regardant, *or*; on the sinister, a gryphon regardant, *vert*; each gorged with a double tressure, flowered and counter flowered, *gules*.

MOTTO.] *Qui invidet minor est*. He who envies is inferior.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Caversham, in Oxfordshire.

K I N G , L O R D K I N G .

THE Right Hon. PETER KING, Lord KING, Baron of Ockham, succeeded his father Thomas, April 4, 1779. He was born October 6, 1736, married Dec. 8, 1774, Charlotte, daughter of Edward Tedcroft, Esq. of Horsham in Suffex.

Peter King, Esq. on the 1st of June, 1725, was made Lord High-Chancellor of Great Britain, and died July 22, 1734.

He married Anne, daughter of Richard Seys, Esq. which Lady died 1767, having had four sons and two daughters; Elizabeth, who died in 1749; and Anne, who died in 1751; both unmarried. The sons were, James, who died an infant, in 1711;

(2d Lord.) JOHN, the late Lord; Peter; William; and Thomas. The eldest married in May, 1726, Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Fry, Esq. but she died January 28, 1734, without issue; and his Lordship died also, the 19th of February, 1740. Whereupon the honour and estate descended to

(3d Lord.) PETER, his brother, who dying unmarried in March, 1754, was succeeded by his brother,

(4th Lord.) WILLIAM, who died unmarried, April 15, 1767, and was succeeded by his brother,

(5th Lord.) THOMAS, the late Lord, born March 19, 1712, married Aug. 17, 1734, Wilhelmina-Catherina, daughter of John Troy, Esq. of Brabant, by whom he had issue, Peter, his present Lordship.—Anne, born Jan. 10, 1735.—Wilhelmina, born March 1, 1738.—Thomas, born April 11, 1740, died June 27, 1779.

CREATION.] May 27, 1725, 11 George II.

ARMS.] *Sable*, three spears heads erect, *argent*, embowed, *gules*; on a chief, *or*, as many pole-axes, *azure*. [Plate XXVIII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a dexter arm, couped below the elbow, and erect, habited, *azure*, and thereon three spots, *or*, turned down, *argent*; the hand, *proper*, grasping a truncheon, *sable*, the top broken off, and the bottom enamelled of the *second*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two English mastiffs regardant, *proper*, each having a plain collar, *gules*.

MOTTO.] *Labor ipse voluptas*. The Task itself is Pleasure.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Ockham, in the county of Surry.

MONSON, LORD MONSON.

THE Right Honourable JOHN MONSON, Lord MONSON, and Baronet, succeeded John, his father, the late Lord, July 20, 1774. His Lordship was born May 25, 1753, and married July 13, 1777, Elizabeth Capel, daughter of the Earl of Essex.

This

This noble Lord is descended from JOHN MONSON, who in the year 1378, was seated at Overfley, in the county of Lincoln; and had a son JOHN, who was an eminent merchant of the Staple; and JOHN, his son, marrying Elizabeth, daughter of William Handsford, by her had Sir JOHN, who married first, Beatrix, daughter of — Thurst, by whom he had Thomas, who died without issue male; but by his second wife, Dorothy, daughter of — Meere, of the Marsh, he had three sons, William, Robert, and George.

WILLIAM, the eldest, married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Robert Tyrwhit, and dying on the 15th of October, 1558, left

JOHN, his heir, who married Mary, daughter of Sir Robert Hussey, and had four sons and two daughters. Of the sons, who were Robert, John, George, and William; the third, by Eleanor his wife, daughter and coheir of — Fermer, left two sons, Robert and George; but Robert, his eldest brother, dying without issue,

Sir JOHN, the second, became heir, and married Anne, daughter of Robert Dighton, Esq. and dying on the 20th of December, 1593, left five sons; John, who died without issue; Sir Thomas; Sir William, Sir Robert, and Anthony. Sir Robert, (fourth son) left issue five daughters; Jane, married to Roger Molineux, Esq. Catharine, to John Povey, Esq. Anne, to Arthur Redhead Esq. Sarah, to Sir Vincent Corbet, and was created (for life) Viscountess Corbet, October 23, 1679; and Mary, to Molineux Disney, Esq. Anthony, (fifth son) by Faith, daughter of Robert Smith, had five sons, (of whom, John, the eldest, left issue) also several daughters, whereof Jane, married to John Osbaldiston, Esq.

(1st Baronet.) Sir THOMAS MONSON, (eldest son of Sir John) married Anne, daughter of Sir Edmund Anderson, and by her had two sons, who lived to maturity, and three daughters; Bridget, was married to Sir John Read; Elizabeth, to Sapcot, Viscount Beaumont; and Magdalen, to Thomas Cotton, Esq. Of the sons, who were Sir John and Sir William, the latter was, by King Charles I. created Viscount Castlemain, in Ireland. He married first, Margaret, daughter of James Stewart, Earl of Murray, widow of Charles Howard, Earl of Nottingham; secondly, Frances, sister to Sir Thomas Alton, (by whom he had Alton Monson, Esq.) and his third wife was Elizabeth, daughter of Sir George Reresby, widow of Sir Francis Foljamb, and also of Captain Horner.

(2d Baronet.) Sir JOHN, eldest son of Sir Thomas, married Ursula, daughter of Sir Robert Oxenbridge, (by Elizabeth, daughter

daughter of Sir Henry Cock, of Broxburn, in the county of Hertford) and with her had the manor of Broxburn, &c. and died in 1683. He had issue, Sir JOHN, his only son, who died in his father's life-time; Oct. 14, 1674. He married Judith, daughter of Sir Thomas Pelham, and by her had ten sons (of whom five lived to maturity) and a daughter, Bridget, married to Sir Charles Barrington, Bart. (3d Baronet.) Sir HENRY, the eldest, marrying Elizabeth, daughter of William Chyne, Viscount Newhaven, in Scotland, by Gertrude, sister to Robert, the third Earl of Kingston, and dying on the 6th of April, 1718, without issue, (4th Baronet.) Sir WILLIAM, his next brother, became heir. He married Letitia, daughter of John Lord Poulett, and dying on the 9th of March, 1727, without issue also, we come to George, the youngest of the five brothers, who by Anne, daughter of Charles Wren, Esq; had issue five sons; John.—George, who died unmarried July 7, 1739.—Charles, who died unmarried August 26, 1764.—Henry, his Majesty's Professor of Civil Law in the University of Cambridge.—William, died unmarried.

(1st Lord.) JOHN, the eldest succeeded his uncle, and was created Lord Monson. He married Margaret Watson, daughter of Lewis, late Earl of Rockingham, and by her, who died in February, 1752, he had three sons; John, late Lord Monson.—Lewis, created Lord Sondes.—George, born April 16, 1730, married Anne Vane, daughter of the Earl of Darlington, which Lady died without issue, Sept. 14, 1776, and her husband, who was a Brigadier General in the East Indies, died in 1777. And his Lordship dying in July, 1748, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(2d Lord.) JOHN, who married in June, 1752, Theodosia, daughter of John Maddison, Esq. by whom he had issue, John, the present Lord.—George-Henry, born October 17, 1755, in the Army.—Evelyn-Tyrwhit, died young.—Charles, born March 11, 1758.—William, born December 15, 1760.—Thomas, born May 10, 1764.—Catharine, born Sept. 12, 1754, married March 1782, Sir John Shaw, Bart. of Eltham in Kent.—Charlotte-Grace, born March 29, 1759, married Aug. 16, 1777, Henry Peirse, Esq. of Bedale in Yorkshire.—Theodosia-Margaret, born Sept. 20, 1762.—Harriot-Anne, died an infant. And his Lordship deceasing July 20, 1774, was succeeded by his son,

(3d Lord.) JOHN, the present Lord.

CREATIONS.

CREATIONS.] Baronet, June 26; 1611, 9. James I. and Baron Monson, of Burton, in the county of Lincoln, May 28, 1728, 1 George II.

ARMS.] *Or*, two chevrons, *gules*, [Plate XXVIII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a lion rampant, sustained by a pillar, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a lion, *or*, having a collar and chain, *azure*; the collar charged with three crescents of the *first*; on the sinister, a gryphon, *argent*; its collar and chain as the dexter, and its fore legs, *azure*.

MOTTO.] *Prest pour mon pais.* Ready for my Country.

CHIEF SEATS.] At South Carleton, in the county of Lincoln; and at Broxburn, in Hertfordshire,

T A L B O T, L O R D T A L B O T.

THE Right Hon. JOHN-CHETWYND TALBOT, Lord TALBOT, Baron of Hensol, succeeded his uncle, William, Earl Talbot, in the Barony, in May 1782; born 1738; married May 7, 1776, Charlotte, daughter of Wills Hill, Earl of Hillsborough, by whom he has issue, Charles Chetwynd, born April 25, 1777; and John, born April 4, 1779.

His Lordship is descended from Sir Gilbert Talbot, second son of John, the second Earl of Shrewsbury; whose son Sir John, married Elizabeth, his second wife, daughter of — Wrottesley, of Wrottesley in the county of Stafford, Esq. and had issue John, who married Oliva, daughter of Sir Henry Sherrington, and died 14th Eliz. leaving issue three sons, Sherrington, John, and Thomas.

SHERRINGTON, the eldest, who died about 1640, had two wives; first Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Thomas Leighton, by whom he had issue male remaining. His second wife was Mary, daughter of John Washborn, Esq. by whom he had four sons, 1. George; 2. Edward, who was slain in the civil wars, in behalf of Char. I. 3. WILLIAM, who married Mary, daughter of Thomas Doughty, Esq. by whom he had William, Bishop of Durham; and Catharine, who married first Walter Littleton, Esq. and secondly, Dr. Lancelot Blackburn, Archbishop of York. 4. Francis, who died unmarried.

WILLIAM, Bishop of Durham, married Catharine, daughter of Mr. King, by whom he had eight sons, and several daughters;

daughters; of whom those who lived to maturity were, Charles, who was the late Lord Talbot.—Edward, who died in 1720. He married Mary, daughter of the Rev. Mr. Martin, and left a daughter Catharine, who died 1770.—Sherrington, married to Miss Midget, by whom he has two sons, William, D. D. born May 1717, and died March 2, 1774, having married Miss Sarah Eyles; and Charles, born Oct. 30, 1720, married Miss Anne Hassell; by whom he had issue Charles and George, and four daughters. He married secondly Miss Eleanor Hickford; and thirdly, Miss Charlotte Freeman, by whom he has left a daughter Juliana, born Aug. 1751.—Henry, married first Miss Lloyd, by whom he had a daughter Elizabeth, who married Capt. Thomas Cornwall; he married secondly Catharine, daughter of Sir Hugh Clapton, who died without issue May 17, 1754.—Henrietta-Maria, married to Dr. Charles Trimnel, late Bishop of Winchester.—Catharine, married to Exton Seyer, L. L. D. Chancellor of Durham, which Lady died in Aug. 1734.

(1st Lord.) CHARLES, the eldest, was on the 29th of Nov. 1733, made Lord High Chancellor, and created a Baron. He married Cecil, daughter of Charles Matthews, Esq. who died in 1720, having had five sons, viz. Charles-Richard, who died in Sept. 1733.—William, late Earl Talbot.—John, married in May 1737, first Henrietta-Maria, daughter of Sir Matthew Decker, who dying in Sept. 1747, he married secondly, in August 1748, Catharine, eldest daughter of John, Lord Chetwynd. He died Sept. 22, 1756, and left issue, John Chetwynd, the present Lord, who married Charlotte, daughter of the Earl of Hillsborough. 2. Charles. 3. George. 4. William.—Edward, who died an infant.—George, D. D. married on January 4, 1761, Anne, sister to the Earl of Radnor. His Lordship dying in February, 1737, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(2d Lord 1st Earl.) WILLIAM, the late Earl, who was advanced to the dignity of Earl Talbot, March 19, 1761, and received the Barony of Dinevor, with remainder to his female issue, on Oct. 17, 1780. He married in Feb. 1734, Mary, daughter and sole heir of Adam Cardonnel, Esq. by whom he had one son, William, who died young; and a daughter Cecil, married to George Rice, of Newton in Carmarthenshire, Esq. by whom she has issue. The Earl her father dying in May 1782, without male issue, the Earldom became extinct, but the Barony of Talbot of Hensol descended to his nephew, the present Lord Talbot; and the Barony of Dinevor to his eldest daughter, the present Baroness DINEVOR.

(3d Lord.) JOHN Chetwynd Talbot, the present Lord.
 CREATION.] Created Baron Talbot of Henfol, in the
 county of Glamorgan, Dec 5, 1733, 2 Geo. II.

ARMS.] *Gules*, a lion rampant, within a border engrailed,
or; a crescent for difference. [Plate XXVIII.]

CREST.] On a chapeau, *gules*, turned up, *ermine*, a lion,
or; his tail extended.

SUPPORTERS.] Two talbots, *argent*, collared with a double
 tressure fleury, counterfleury, *gules*.

MOTTO.] *Humani nihil alienum*. Nothing pertaining to
 Man is foreign to me.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Castle-Menych, and Henfol, in the
 county of Glamorgan; and at Barrington, in Gloucestershire.

GODOLPHIN, LORD GODOLPHIN.

THE Right Honourable FRANCIS GODOLPHIN,
 Lord GODOLPHIN, succeeded his cousin, the late
 Earl of Godolphin, January 17, 1766, as Baron Godolphin
 of Helston, according to the limitation of the patent granted
 to Francis, the late Earl of Godolphin, January 23, 1735.
 He married first Feb. 1733-4, Barbara, daughter of William,
 Earl of Portland, which lady dying without issue April 1,
 1736, he married secondly, May 28, 1748, Anne, daughter
 of John, Earl Fitzwilliam.

This family took its surname from Godolphin, a hill in the
 county of Cornwall. They were stiled Lords of Godolphin
 from the time of the Conquest.

JOHN GODOLPHIN was Sheriff of Cornwall in the 19th
 of Henry VII. He married Margaret, daughter of John
 Trenouth, Esq. and by her had William and John.

WILLIAM, married Margaret, daughter of John Glyn,
 and by her had Sir William; and Thomas, who married a
 daughter of Edmund Bonithon, Esq. and had two sons, Sir
 Francis and William.

Sir FRANCIS, who was heir to his uncle, Sir William,
 married first Margaret, daughter of John Killebrew, Esq.
 by whom he had three sons, William; John, married to Ju-
 dith, daughter of Thomas Meredith; and Francis; and six
 daughters; 1. Blanch, married to George Keckwith, Esq.
 2. Ursula, married to John Credie, Esq. 3. Thomasin, to
 Sir George Carew, afterwards Earl of Totness. 4. Jane.

5. Elizabeth. 6. Margaret. He married secondly, Alice, relict of Sir John Glanville. He was succeeded by

Sir WILLIAM his heir, who died in 1613. He married Thomasin, daughter of Thomas Sidney, Esq. and had three sons; and a daughter Penelope, married to Charles Berkeley, Viscount Fitz-Harding. The sons were, Francis, Sidney, and William.

Sir FRANCIS, the eldest, succeeded his father. He married Dorothy, daughter of Sir Henry Berkeley, and had sixteen children, of whom, Jael was grand-mother of the late Lord Falmouth; Elizabeth, the eldest, married Sir Arthur Northcote. William Godolphin, his eldest son, succeeded him, and was created a Baronet, April 29, 1661; and left his estate to his nephew, Francis, late Earl of Godolphin; Francis the second son, married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Nicholas Johnson, and widow of Sir Charles Mordaunt; Sidney Godolphin, third son; Henry Godolphin, D. D. Dean of St. Paul's, and Provost of Eton-Colleges, 4th son, died Jan. 29, 1733; Charles, 5th son, died July 10, 1720.

(1st Earl.) SIDNEY, the 3d brother, August 25, 1684, was promoted to be first Lord of the Treasury, and was created Lord Godolphin of Rialton, and in 1706, was created Viscount Rialton, and Earl of Godolphin, and died on the 15th of April, 1712. He married Margaret, daughter of Thomas Blague, Esq. and by her had

(2d Earl.) FRANCIS, his only surviving son, born Sept. 3, 1678, who was, Jan. 23, 1734, created Baron Godolphin of Helston, and to his heirs male, with remainder to the heirs male of his uncle, Henry Godolphin, late Dean of St. Paul's. His Lordship marrying Henrietta Churchill, eldest of the four daughters, coheirs to John Duke of Marlborough, who by Act of Parliament was Dukes of Marlborough, on the demise of her said father, had by her two sons and three daughters. Of the sons, who were William and Henry, the latter died young, but the former, stiled Marquis of Blandford, married April 25, 1729, Maria-Catharina, daughter of Peter de Young, a Burgomaster of the province of Utrecht, and sister to the Countess of Denbigh, but had no issue, and died Aug. 24, 1731. And his Lady, on June 1, 1734, married Sir William Wyndham. Of the daughters, Henrietta married the Duke of Newcastle; Margaret, died young; and Mary was Dukes of Leeds, and died Aug. 3, 1764. His Lady, the Dukes of Marlborough, died October 24, 1733: And his Lordship deceasing on January 17, 1766, the titles of Earl of Godolphin, and Viscount Rialton, became extinct;

but

but he was succeeded as Baron Godolphin of Helstone, by Francis Godolphin, son of Dr. Godolphin, Dean of St. Paul's; which Henry Godolphin, D. D. Dean of St. Paul's, married Mary, daughter of Sidney Godolphin, Esq. by whom he had issue, Henry his eldest son, who died in 1722; Mary, married to William Owen, Esq. and had issue; and
(3d Lord.) FRANCIS, now Lord Godolphin.

CREATION.] Baron Godolphin of Helston, January 23, 1735, 8 George II.

ARMS.] *Gules*, an eagle, with two heads displayed between three fleurs-de-lis, *argent*. [Plate XXIX.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a dolphin, naiant, embowed, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two eagles regardant, with their wings displayed, *argent*.

MOTTO.] *Francha Leale Toge* A free loyal Gownsmen.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Baylies, near Windsor; at Gogmagoghills, near Cambridge; and at Godolphin in Cornwall.

BROMLEY, LORD MONTFORT.

THE Right Hon. THOMAS BROMLEY, Lord MONTFORT, Baron of Horfeheath, born Feb. 7, 1733, succeeded his father Henry, the late Lord, January 1, 1755. He married Feb. 29, 1772, Miss Blake, sister to Sir Patrick Blake, by whom he has issue, Henry, born May 14, 1773.

The family of Bromley is descended from Sir WALTER BROMLEY, of Bromley, in the county of Stafford, Knt. living in the reign of King John; from him descended

WILLIAM BROMLEY, who married Beatrix, daughter of Humphrey Hill, and had issue; 1. George, who marrying Jane, daughter of Sir Thomas Lacon, had issue, Sir George Bromley, Chief-Justice of Chester; and Sir Edward, one of the Barons of the Exchequer. 2. Sir Thomas, was Recorder of London, and married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Adrian Fortescue, by whom he had four sons, Sir Henry, Thomas, George, and Edward.

Sir HENRY, eldest son, married first, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir William Pelham, by whom he had Sir Thomas, his heir, and three daughters, Elizabeth, Eleanor, and Mary, which last was married to John Prynne; secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of Hugh Verney, by whom he had a son, John; his

his third wife was Anne, daughter of William Besaick, by whom he had issue, Henry, Philip, and Robert.

Sir THOMAS, eldest son by the first wife, married Anne, daughter of Richard Walsh, Esq. and had issue, 1. Henry. 2. John, who married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Henry Longueville. Henry, the eldest son, married Beatrice, daughter of Sir Richard Newport, and had two sons, Henry and Francis; and a daughter, Diana. Henry married Mercy, daughter of Edward Pytts, Esq. and had two sons, Henry, who died unmarried; and William, who succeeded his father, and married Margaret, daughter of Sir Rowland Berkeley, and left two daughters, Mercy and Dorothy, of whom, the eldest married JOHN BROMLEY, of Horseheath Hall, in the county of Cambridge, Esq. and dying August 5, 1707, left issue, Henry, their heir; which

(1st Lord.) HENRY, born Aug. 20, 1705, who was created Lord Montfort, married the sister and sole heir of Sir Francis Wyndham, of Somerset, and had issue a son, Henry; and a daughter, Frances, (who died in May 1768) married to Charles-Sloane, now Lord Cadogan; and his Lordship dying Jan. 1, 1755, was succeeded by his son,

(2d Lord.) THOMAS, now Lord Montfort.

CREATION.] Baron Montfort, May 9, 1741, 14 Geo. II.

ARMS.] Quarterly, per pale, dovetail, *gules*, and *or*. [Plate XXIX.]

CREST.] Upon a wreath, a demi-lion rampant, *sable*; issuing out of a mural crown, *or*; holding a standard, *vert*; charged with a gryphon passant, *argent*; the staff, *proper*, headed, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, an unicorn cream-coloured, gorged with a ducal coronet, thereto a chain reflected over his back, horned and unguled, *or*. On the sinister side, an horse, *argent*, pelted, collared, dovetail, *azure*; thereon three lozenges, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Non inferiora secutus.*

H O W E, L O R D C H E D W O R T H.

THE Right Hon. JOHN HOWE, Lord CHEDWORTH, and Baron of Chedworth, born August 22, 1754, and succeeded John, his brother, May 7, 1762.

This family has been long seated in Somersetshire, Wiltshire, and Gloucestershire. JOHN HOWE, who died in the

16th of Elizabeth, left issue, JOHN, his heir, to whom he bequeathed his manor of Huntspil, in the county of Somerset. JOHN, his son and heir, married Jane, daughter of Nicholas Grubham, by whom he had three sons, John, George, and Lawrence; and a daughter, Elizabeth, married to John Baynton, Esq.

GEORGE, the second son of John Howe, Esq. was, by King Charles II. created a Baronet; but his son, Sir James, dying without issue, that branch became extinct.

JOHN, the elder brother of George, was created a Baronet in 1660; and by Bridget, daughter of Thomas Rich, had three sons, Sir Richard Grubham Howe.—John, ancestor to the present Lord Chedworth.—And Sir Thomas Howe; which last married Hester, daughter of Sir William Manwaring, and died without issue.

Sir RICHARD married Anne, daughter of John King, Bishop of London, and relict of John Dutton, by whom he had issue,

Sir RICHARD, who married Mary, daughter of Sir Henry Frederick Thynne, and dying without issue, in July 1730, we return to his uncle, John Howe, second son of Sir John Howe, and brother to Sir Richard-Grubham-Howe, the father of the said Sir Richard, who died in 1730; which

JOHN, married Anabella, third daughter of Emanuel, Lord Scroop, and Earl of Sunderland, and by that marriage, became possessed of Langor, in the county of Nottingham: By her he had issue, Scroop, created Viscount Howe, in Ireland, who also succeeded to the title of Baronet.

JOHN, the second son, and brother to Scroop, died in 1721. He married Mary, daughter of Humphry Baskerville, relict of Sir Edward Morgan, by whom he left issue,

(1st Lord.) JOHN, his heir, who was created Lord Chedworth. His Lordship married Dorothy, eldest daughter of Henry-Frederick Thynne, Esq. (which Lady died, aged 90, February 17, 1777) and by her he had issue, John-Thynne, second Lord.—Frederick-Henry.—Thomas, who was Rector of Great Wishford, and Kingston Deverell, in Wilts, died in 1770, having married Frances, daughter of Thomas White, of Tattington Place, Esq. in Suffolk, by whom, who died February 17, 1778, he had issue, John, the present Lord.—Charles.—James, married July 5, 1755, to Miss Howarth, (daughter of Sir Humphry Howarth) who died without issue, and her husband soon after.—William, who died in Jan. 1782.—Mary, married to Alexander Wright, Esq. and is dead, leaving

leaving issue, Alexander, now in the Army; John, who was in the Navy, and killed under Lord Howe; William, Rector of Cowberley, in Gloucestershire; and Mary.—Anne, married to Roderick Gwynn, Esq. of Bran, in Carmarthenshire, who is now dead, but has left issue, Sackville, and Thynné Howe, both of whom are married and have issue.—Dorothy; and Lucy, both living, unmarried. His Lordship dying in April, 1742, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(2d Lord.) JOHN-THYNNE, married Sept. 23, 1741, Martha, daughter of Sir Philip-Parker Long, of Suffolk, who died 1775. His Lordship deceasing, without issue, on May 10, 1762, was succeeded by his next brother,

(3d Lord.) FREDERICK-HENRY, late Lord Chedworth, who died Oct. 6, 1781, unmarried, and was succeeded by his nephew,

(4th Lord.) JOHN, the present Lord.

CREATION.] Lord Chedworth, Baron of Chedworth, in the county of Gloucester, May 12, 1741, 15 George II.

ARMS.] *Or*, a fess between three wolves heads couped, *sable*; a crescent for difference. [Plate XXIX.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a dexter arm in armour, erased below the elbow, lying fess ways, and holding in the hand a scimitar erect, all *proper*; hilted and pomelled, *or*; pierced through a boar's head, couped, *sable*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a lion *argent*, pelltied, armed and langued, *gules*. And on the sinister side, an angel, *proper*, the face profile, with brownish hair, habited crimson, the under garment *azure*, the wings *argent*, pinioned of the *fourth*.

MOTTO.] *Justus & propofiti tenax*. Just and steady to his Purpose.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Stawel, in Gloucestershire; and at Wishford, in Wiltshire.

S A N D Y S, L O R D S A N D Y S.

THE Right Hon. EDWIN SANDYS, Lord SANDYS, Baron of Ombersley, succeeded his father, the late Lord, April 21, 1770. His Lordship was born April 28, 1726, and married in January, 1769, to Anne-Maria King, sister to Sir George Colebrooke, and widow of William-Paine King, Esq. of Fineshade, in Northamptonshire, which Lady died in 1777, without issue.

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His Lordship is descended from Dr. EDWIN SANDYS, Archbishop of York, in the reign of Queen Elizabeth, of the family of the Sandys, of St. Bees, in Cumberland, Knight of the Shire for the county of Cumberland, in the reign of Richard II. The Archbishop had six sons; of whom, Sir SAMUEL, the eldest, inherited his father's manor of Ombersley. He married Mercy, daughter of Martin Culpepper, Esq. by whom he had four sons, and seven daughters; and dying August 18, 1623, left Sir EDWIN SANDYS, his heir, who died on the 6th of September following. He married Penelope, daughter of Sir Richard Bulkeley, by whom he had four sons, and three daughters; 1. Samuel, born in 1615. 2. Richard, born in 1616, killed at Edgehill fight, Oct. 13, 1642. 3. Edwin, born in 1617. 4. Martin, born in 1624, after the death of his father. SAMUEL, married Mary, only daughter of Dr. Hugh Barker, by whom he had two sons and a daughter; 1. Samuel. 2. Edwin, died January 8, 1684. 3. Mary, died in 1681, unmarried. Their mother dying in 1651, he married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir John Packington, Bart. relict of Colonel Henry Washington, by whom he had no issue. He died in 1685, and she in 1698.

SAMUEL, his eldest son, married Elizabeth, only daughter of Sir John Pettus, by whom he had three sons; and four daughters; 1. Edwin. 2. Henry, who died young. 3. Martin, who married Elizabeth, daughter of John Burton, by whom he had five children, and died in January, 1753. Elizabeth, died young; Penelope was married to Henry Townshend, Esq. Mary, married Price, Viscount Hereford; and Frances, married Samuel Pytts, Esq.

(1st Lord.) SAMUEL, the eldest, December 20, 1743, was created Lord Sandys. He married in 1724, Letitia, eldest daughter of Sir Thomas Tipping, Bart. of Wheatfield, in Oxfordshire, which Lady died May 26, 1779. By her he had seven sons, and three daughters; Edwin, the present Lord.—Cheek, born 1727, who died in 1737.—Thomas, who died in 1728.—Martin, a Colonel in the Army, married June 17, 1760, Mary, daughter of William Trumball, Esq. of East Hampsted Park, in Berkshire, by whom he had issue, William, born 1761; Edwin, and Mary. He died Dec. 26, 1768.—Letitia.—William, born 1732, who died October 31, 1749.—Anne, born Jan. 10. 1733, married July 28, 1768, Christopher Bethell, Esq.—John, died in 1758.—Catharine, who died in 1736.—Henry, who died in 1737. His Lordship dying April 21, 1770, was succeeded by his son,

(2d Lord.) EDWIN, the present Lord.

CREATION.] December 20, 1743, 17 George II.

ARMS.] *Or*, a fess dancette, between three cross crosslets fitchee, *gules*. [Plate XXIX.]

CREST.] A gryphon segreant per fess, *or* and *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] On each side a gryphon per fess, *or* and *gules*, collared dancette of the last.

MOTTO.] *Probum non pœnitet*. The honest Man does not repent.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Ombersley, near Worcester.

F O R T E S C U E, L O R D F O R T E S C U E.

THE Right Honourable MATTHEW FORTESCUE, Lord FORTESCUE, of Castle-hill, succeeded his brother, Hugh, May 3, 1751, and married June 8, 1752, Anne, second daughter of John Campbell, of Calder, in Scotland, and of Stackpole-court, in the county of Pembroke, Esq. by whom he hath issue; Hugh, born March 12, 1753, married May 4, 1782, Hester Grenville, sister to the present Earl Temple, by whom he has a son, born Feb. 13, 1783.—Matthew, born April 12, 1754.—John, born March 6, 1755.—Lucy, born July 20, 1756, married in Sept. 1778, the Rev. Mr. Harrington.

JOHN Fortescue signalized himself under Henry V. He married the heiress of William Norfolk, by whom he had Sir Henry Fortescue, Lord Chief-Justice of Ireland, who had three sons; 1. Henry. 2. Richard. 3. John, who in the 20th of Henry VI. was made Lord Chief-Justice of England. His son and heir, Martin, had two sons, John, who died without issue; and William, who married Maud, daughter of John Atkins, and had three sons, John, Edward, and James; and a daughter, Jaquet, married to William Dennis, Esq.

JOHN, the eldest son, married Christian, daughter of John Arfcot, and had two sons, William, and John; and a daughter, Alice, married to John Farry, Esq.

WILLIAM, the eldest son, married Anne, daughter of Sir Roger Gifford, and had five sons and eight daughters. John Fortescue, the son, married Anne, daughter of Walter Parker, Esq. from whom descended Hugh Fortescue, Esq. who married Bridget, sole daughter and heir of Hugh Boscawen, Esq. by Margaret, his wife, daughter, and at length coheir, of Theophilus, Earl of Lincoln, and Baron Clinton, by whom he had Hugh, his successor.—Boscawen, who died unmarried,

Dec.

Dec. 1. 1719.—Theophilus, died unmarried, March 12, 1745.—Margaret, who, upon her brother's decease, became Baroness Say and Clinton, and died unmarried 1760, when those titles devolved to the present Earl of Orford, in right of his mother, Margaret. And by a second wife, Lucy; second daughter of Matthew, Lord Aylmer, he had Matthew, now Lord Fortescue; and a daughter, Lucy, married in 1742, to Sir George Lyttelton, afterwards Lord Lyttelton; and died, leaving issue, on January 19, 1747. The sisters of Margaret; the first wife, leaving no surviving issue, the Barony of Clinton devolved on

(1st Lord.) HUGH, son and heir of the fore-mentioned Hugh and Bridget, who, having demanded a Writ of Summons to Parliament, was, on the 16th of March, 1721, called up to the House of Lords, (and took his seat according to the ancient Batons Clinton, who by several summons had enjoyed it, and originally on the 6th of February, 1298, the 26th of Edward I.) On the 5th of July, 1746, his Majesty was pleased to advance him to the dignity of Earl Clinton, and Baron Fortescue, of Castle-hill, and in default of issue male, the said title of Baron Fortescue, to descend to Matthew Fortescue, his Lordship's youngest brother, and the heirs male of his body. And his Lordship dying unmarried, May 2, 1751, the title of Earl Clinton became extinct; and the Barony of Say and Clinton went to the Earl of Orford, in right of his mother, but the Barony of Fortescue descended to his half-brother,

(2d Lord.) MATTHEW, now Lord Fortescue.

CREATION] July 5, 1746.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *azure*, a bend engrailed, *argent*, cottized, *or*; second and third, *argent*, six cross crosslets fitchee; on a chief, *argent*, two mullets of the field. [Plate XXX.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a plain shield, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two greyhounds, *argent*, each having a ducal collar, *or*, with a double tressure, *gules*.

MOTTO.] *Fortē scutum salus ducum.* A strong Shield is the Safety of the Leaders.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Filleigh, in the county of Devon, of late called Castle-hill; and at Ebrington, in Gloucestershire.

LIDDELL, LORD RAVENSWORTH.

THE Right Honourable HENRY LIDDELL, Lord RAVENSWORTH, and Baronet, was created Lord Ravensworth, in the county of Durham, June 29, 1747, 21 Geo. II. He married in April, 1735, Anne, only daughter of Sir Peter Delme, Knight, Alderman of London, by whom he hath issue, one daughter, named Anne, married Jan. 29, 1756, to Lord Euston, now Duke of Grafton, from whom she was divorced, March 20, 1769, and afterwards married to John, Earl of Upper-Osford, by whom she has issue.

This family were anciently Lords of Liddel-Castle. THOMAS DE LIDDEL married Margaret, daughter of John de Laburne, and had two sons, Thomas; and George, whose only son died without issue. THOMAS, the eldest, married Barbara, daughter of Richard de Strangeways, and by her had four sons; Francis, whose son and heir died without issue.—Thomas.—Robert.—Percival, who died without issue; and two daughters, Alice, married to Oswald Carr; and Barbara, who died young.

THOMAS purchased Ravensworth in 1607. He married first, Margaret, daughter of John Watson, Esq. by whom he had Thomas, his heir, and three daughters; Elizabeth, married to William Sherwood; Alice, to Gawen Salkeld; and Eleanor, to Timothy Draper. He married secondly, Jane, daughter of Henry Midford, Esq. by whom he had, Henry, married to Elizabeth, daughter of William Jennison, Esq. and had a son, Thomas.—Roger, married to Grace, daughter of James Clavering, Esq.—Barbara, married to Samuel Sanderson.—Jane, to Robert Anderson, Esq.

(1st Baronet.) THOMAS, the eldest son, was created a Baronet. He died in 1650, having married Isabel, daughter of Henry Anderson, Esq. by whom he had six sons and three daughters; Elizabeth, married to Sir George Baker; Mary, to Sir Nicholas Cole; and Isabel, who died unmarried. The sons were, Sir Thomas Liddell.—Francis, who married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir George Tonge, and had issue, Francis.—William.—Robert.—George.—Henry, who all died unmarried.

Sir THOMAS died in 1627, before his father, and left issue by Bridget, daughter of Edward Woodward, Esq. (who, after his decease, married Thomas Henage, Esq.) an only son,

(2d Baronet.) Sir THOMAS, who succeeded his grandfather, and died in 1697. He had issue by Anne, his wife, daughter of Sir Henry Vane, five sons and three daughters; Sir Henry.—Thomas, who died unmarried.—Edward, who died young.—Robert, who married a daughter of William Kiffin, and had issue Thomas, and died in 1718; who by Mary Nelthorpe, his wife, had Henry, his only son, who died in August 1770; and one daughter, who was married to John Myddleton, of Chirke Castle in Denbighshire, Esq.—George, who died a bachelor.—Frances, married first to Thomas Vane, Esq. eldest brother to Christopher, late Lord Barnard; and secondly, to Sir John Bright.—Elizabeth, to Christopher Stockdale, Esq.—Isabel, who died unmarried.

(3d Baronet.) Sir HENRY, the eldest, married Catharine, daughter and heir of Sir John Bright, Bart. and had issue, Thomas, who died in 1715, before his father, leaving issue by Jane, eldest daughter of James Clavering, Esq. four sons and a daughter; of whom only Henry, now Lord Ravensworth, and Thomas, lived to maturity. Thomas died March 6, 1772, having married Miss Margaret Bowes, sister to George Bowes, Esq. of Gibside, Durham, by whom he had two sons, Thomas, who died an infant; and Henry-George, born Nov. 25, 1749, married in April 1773, to Miss Steele.—John, who was adopted heir to his grandfather, Sir John Bright, and took his name. He married Miss Cordelia Clutterbuck, and died Oct. 6, 1737, having had issue four sons, Thomas, married Margaret, heir of the late John Lowther, Esq. and left a daughter Mary, married Feb. 26, 1752, to Charles, second Marquis of Rockingham; Stephen, John, and Henry who died without issue; and three daughters, Anne, Catharine, and Cordelia who married Dr. Wintringham.—Henry, who married Anne, daughter of John Clavering, Esq. and died without issue.—George, died unmarried, Oct. 9, 1740.—Michael, who died unmarried.—Elizabeth, married to Robert Ellison, Esq. and had issue, Cuthbert Ellison, Esq. And Sir Henry, their father, dying Sept. 1, 1723, was succeeded by his grandson,

(4th Baronet and 1st Lord.) Sir HENRY, who was created Lord Ravensworth.

CREATION.] June 29, 1747, 21 George II.

ARMS.] *Argent*, frettee, *gules*; on a chief of the *second*, three leopards faces, *or*. [*Plate XXX.*]

CREST.] On a wreath, a lion rampant, *sable*, crowned, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On each side a leopard, *or*, spotted, *purple*, gorged with a mural crown of the *second*.

MOTTO.] *Unus & Idem.* One and the same.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Ravensworth-castle, and Newton, both in the county of Durham; and at Ellington, in Northumberland.

PONSONBY, LORD PONSONBY.

THE Right Honourable WILLIAM PONSONBY, Lord PONSONBY, of Sysonby, and Earl of BESBOROUGH and Viscount DUNCANNON in Ireland.

For the account of this family, see Earl of BESBOROUGH, in the Peerage of *Ireland*.

BEAUCLERK, LORD VERE.

THE Right Hon. AUBREY BEAUCLERK, Lord VERE of Hanworth, succeeded his father, the late Lord, Oct. 1, 1781; he was born June 3, 1740, married May 4, 1763, Catharine, daughter of the Earl of Besborough, by whom, who died Feb. 1783, he has issue, Aubrey, born Aug. 21, 1765. — William, born Dec. 18, 1766. — Catharine-Elizabeth, born Feb. 20, 1764.

His Lordship's father, Vere Beauclerk, was third son of Charles, late Duke of St. Albans. He was born July 14, 1699, and was created Lord Vere of Hanworth in Middlesex, March 28, 1750. His Lordship married Mary, eldest daughter and coheirs of Thomas Chambers, of Hanworth, by whom he had issue; Aubrey, who succeeded him; Mary, born Dec. 4, 1743, married Oct. 2, 1762, to Lord Charles Spencer, brother to George, the present Duke of Marlborough, and has issue. Besides those he had three sons and a daughter who died in their infancy. (For a full account of this family, see Duke of St. ALBANS.)

CREATION.] Baron Vere of Hanworth, March 28, 1750.

ARMS.] Quarterly; first and fourth, quarterly, France and England with a baton, *gules*, charged with three roses, *argent*; second and third quarterly, *gules* and *or*, in the first quarter a mullet, *argent*, for Vere. [Plate XXX.]

CREST.] On a chapeau, *gules*; turned up, *ermine*, a lion passant, *or*, crowned party-per pale, *argent* and *gules*, and gorged with a collar, *gules*, charged with three roses, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.

SUPPORTERS.] The same as the Veres, Earls of Oxford. On the dexter side a boar, *azure*, armed, crined and membered, *or*; on the sinister a harpie, *or*, face and neck, *proper*.

MOTTO.] *Vero nil verius*. There is nothing truer than Truth.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Hanworth-House, near Isleworth in Middlesex.

WALPOLE, LORD WALPOLE.

THE Right Hon. HORATIO WALPOLE, Lord WALPOLE, of Woolterton in Norfolk, born June 12, 1723, succeeded his father Horatio, the late Lord, Feb. 5, 1757. He married, May 12, 1748, Rachel, daughter of William, Duke of Devonshire, by whom he has had issue, Horatio, born June 24, 1752, married July 7, 1781, Miss Churchill, daughter of Charles Churchill, Esq. by a daughter of the late Sir Robert Walpole, afterwards Earl of Orford. — William, born 1756, died December 15, 1764. — George, born June 20, 1758, in the Army. — Robert, died young. — Catharine, born June 4, 1750. — Mary, born Oct. 22, 1754.

An account of the family of this noble Lord may be seen at large under the title of Earl of ORFORD.

(1st Lord.) HORATIO, Lord Walpole, was second son of Robert, the father of Sir Robert Walpole, who was created Earl of Orford. He married on the 21st of July, 1720, Mary, daughter of Peter Lambard, Esq. by whom he had, Horatio, the present Lord. — Thomas, who married Nov. 14, 1758, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Joshua Van-Neck, Bart. (which Lady died June 9, 1760) by whom he had Thomas, born May 23, 1755; Catharine-Mary, born July 8, 1756; Lambert-Theodore, born December 28, 1757; and Elizabeth, born March 8, 1759. — Richard, a Banker in London, who married Margaret, daughter of the said Sir Joshua Van-Neck, and by her has Mary-Rachel, born July 16, 1760; Richard, born June 15, 1762; and Caroline, born July 23, 1765. — Robert, a Clerk of the Privy-Council, married May 1780, Miss Diana Grossett. — Mary, married to Maurice Suckling, Esq. who deceased June 21, 1766. — Henrietta-Louisa. — Anne. His Lordship dying February 5, 1757, was succeeded by his son,

(2d Lord.) HORATIO, the present Lord.

CREATION.] June, 1756, 30 Geo. II.

ARMS.] *Or*, on a fesse, between two chevrons, *sable*, three cross crosets, a crescent for difference. [*Plate XXX.*]

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a royal hart, *proper*, charged with a cross croset, and on the shoulder with a crescent, *or*; and on the sinister, a lion rampant, charged with a cross croset, and on the shoulder with a crescent, *sable*.

CREST.] The bust of a man side faced, couped, *proper*, ducally crowned, *or*, with a long cap turning forwards, *gules*, with a catharine wheel thereon, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Fari quæ sentiat.* Speak as you think.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Woolterton, in Norfolk.

P E T T Y, L O R D W Y C O M B E.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM PETTY, Lord WYCOMBE, Baron of Chepping-Wycombe, in the county of Buckingham, and Earl of SHELBURNE, Viscount Fitzmaurice, and Baron of Dunkerron, in the county of Waterford, in the kingdom of Ireland.

For an account of the family of this noble Lord, the reader is desired to see the Earl of SHELBURNE, among the Peers of *Ireland*.

S T A W E L L, L O R D S T A W E L L.

THE Right Hon. HENRY-LEGGE STAWELL, Baron STAWELL, of Somerton in the county of Somerset, born Feb. 22, 1757, succeeded his mother, the late Baroness, Aug. 6, 1780. He married July 1, 1779, Miss Mary Curzon, daughter of Asheton Curzon, Esq. brother to Lord Scarsdale, by whom he has issue, Mary, born Aug. 18, 1780.

This nobleman's mother was descended from ADAM DE STAWELL, who lived about the time of the Conquest, and took his name from Stawell in the parish of Merlinch, in the county of Somerset, which was the seat of this family till the late John, Lord Stawell, sold it. Robert Stawell, in 1438, married Elizabeth, daughter of William Wadham, Esq. and by
her

her had Edward, his heir, who married Agnes, daughter of John Cheyney, and had a son Robert, whose wife was Anne, daughter and coheir of John St. Maud, Lord of Northmoulton in Devonshire, and had John his only son, who married Dorothy, daughter of Sir Edmund Carew. He was succeeded by Richard, his son, whose wife was Alice, daughter of William Powlett, Marquis of Winchester, and by her he had Sir John, his son and heir, who taking to wife the daughter of Sir Thomas Dyer, by her was father of another John, who married Elizabeth, daughter of George, Lord Audley, and by her he had John, his heir, who married Catharine, daughter of Sir Edward Hext, and by her had two sons, Ralph, his heir; and John.

(1st Lord.) RALPH, who succeeded, was created Lord Stawell of Somerton, Jan. 15, 1683. He married first, Anne, daughter of John Ryves, Esq. and by her had an only son, John; but by his second wife, who was Abigail, daughter and heir of William Pitt, Esq. he had two sons and four daughters; Elizabeth, Catharine, Lucy, and Diana; of whom, the eldest was married to William Bromley, Esq. and the second to William Higden, D. D.

(2d Lord.) JOHN, who was by the first wife, and succeeded his father August 5, 1689, married Margaret, daughter of James, Earl of Salisbury, and by her (who afterwards married to Richard Jones, Earl of Ranelagh in Ireland) had a daughter Anne, who was first married to James D'Arcy, grandson of Conyers, Earl of Holderness; and next, to John Baber, Esq. and died the 3d of August, 1727; and the said John, Lord Stawell, dying on the 30th of November, 1692, in the twenty-fourth year of his age, without issue male,

(3d Lord.) WILLIAM, his half-brother, succeeded to the title, and marrying Elizabeth, daughter of William Pert, Esq. and Elizabeth, his wife, and heir to her brother, Sir William Forster, of Aldermarston in the county of Berks, Bar. by her, who died in August 1748, had issue one son, William, who died in France in February, 1740; and a daughter, Charlotte, married first, to one Carlo (an Irish priest); secondly, to Major Hasel; and thirdly, to Ralph Congreve, Esq. His Lordship dying in January, 1742, was succeeded by his brother,

(4th Lord.) EDWARD, who married in May, 1719, Mary, daughter of Sir Hugh Stewkley, and by her, who died in July, 1740, had a son, Stewkley, born 1720, who died 1734; and a daughter,

MARY, the late Baroness, who married first, September 3, 1750, the Right Hon. Henry-Bilson Legge, brother to the late

late Earl of Dartmouth, who died Aug. 23, 1764, by whom she had Henry, the present Lord. She married secondly, Sept. 1763, Wills Hill, the present Earl of Hillsborough, of Ireland, and dying Aug. 6, 1780, was succeeded in the Barony, (which had been conferred on her May 20, 1760, with limitation to her heir by her first marriage) by

(5th Lord.) HENRY-LEGG STAWELL, the present Lord. CREATION.] Baron Stawell, May 19, 1760.

ARMS.] *Gules*, a cross lozenges, *argent*. [Plate XXXVI.]

SUPPORTERS.] Two beasts (by most termed man-tigers) bodied, &c. in form of lions, with human visages, *proper*, armed with a sort of horn like those of a satyr or goat, and maned and tufted, *or*.

MOTTO.] *En parole je vis*. I live by the Word.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Holte Forest near Farnham, Surry.

W A T S O N, L O R D S O N D E S.

THE Right Hon. LEWIS-MONSON WATSON, Lord SONDES, of Lees-Court, in the county of Kent, born November 28, 1728, was advanced to the dignity of a Peer, May 20, 1760. He married, October 12, 1752, Frances, second daughter of Henry Pelham, brother to the late Duke of Newcastle, by which Lady, who died July 30, 1777, he had issue; Lewis-Thomas, born April 18, 1754.—George-Henry, born October 18, 1755.—Charles, born March 11, 1758; died April 1769.—Catharine, born January 12, 1761; died young.—George, born Feb. 20, 1768.

His Lordship is brother to Lord Monson, and upon the death of Thomas, Earl of Rockingham, took the name of Watfon.

For a more particular account of this family, see Lord MONSON.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *argent*, on a chevron engrailed, *azure*, between three martlets, *sable*, as many crescents, *or*; second and third, *or*, two chevrons, *gules*. [Plate XXXI.]

CREST.] A gryphon's head erased, *argent*, with a ducal coronet, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a gryphon, *argent*, gorged with a ducal coronet, *or*; on the sinister, a bear, *argent*, collared, *or*.

MOTTO.

MOTTO.] *Esto quod esse videris.* Be what you seem to be.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Lees-Court, near Feversham, in the county of Kent; and at Rockingham-Castle, Northamptonshire.

R O B I N S O N , L O R D G R A N T H A M .

THE Right Honourable THOMAS ROBINSON, Lord GRANTHAM of Grantham in Lincolnshire, was born Nov. 30, 1738, and succeeded his father, the late Lord, Sept. 30, 1770, married Aug. 1780, Mary-Jemima, daughter of the Earl of Hardwick and Marchioness Grey, by whom he has a son born Dec. 8, 1781, and another son born October 30, 1782.

WILLIAM ROBINSON, a Hamburgh Merchant, who in the time of Eliz. was twice Lord Mayor of London, was succeeded by his son, and died in 1616.

WILLIAM, his eldest son, who married the daughter of Sir Henry Jenkins, died in 1626, and left

WILLIAM, his son, who by his first wife Mary, daughter of Sir William Bamburgh, had a son William, who died without issue. By his second, Frances, daughter of Sir Thomas Metcalf, he had two sons, Metcalf and Thomas, and three daughters that lived to be married, viz. Elizabeth to Philip Rycot, merchant; Margaret, to William Weddall, Esq. and Frances, to Robert Bell, Esq. He died in 1658.

METCALF, the eldest son, was advanced to the dignity of a Baronet, July 30, 1660; but having no issue by his wife, Margaret, daughter of Sir William D'Arcy, the title expired with him.

THOMAS, his brother and heir, married Elizabeth, daughter of Charles Tancred, Esq. by whom he had two sons, William and Tancred.

(1st Baronet.) WILLIAM, his son and heir, was advanced to the dignity of a Baronet, 1 William and Mary. He married Mary, daughter of George Aislabe, Esq. by whom he left Sir Metcalf, his successor; Sir Tancred, successor to his brother; William, who died unmarried; and Thomas, of whom hereafter; John; and Anne second wife of Thomas Worley, Esq. He died in 1736, and was succeeded by his eldest son,

(2d Baronet.) Sir METCALF, who died four days after his father, without issue, and was succeeded by his next brother,

(3d Baronet.) Sir TANCRED, who married the daughter and heir of — Norton, Esq. by whom he had issue,

(4th Baronet.) Sir WILLIAM, Norton, and Thomas, all deceased; also four daughters, Mary, Elizabeth, Alathea, and Margaret.

(1st Lord.) THOMAS, fourth son of Sir William the 1st Baronet, was created a Peer April 7, 1761, married Frances, daughter of Thomas Worsley, of Hovingham, in Yorkshire, Esq. by which lady, who died in 1750, he had issue, Thomas, the present Lord.—Frances, born Feb. 14, 1739, died unmarried Aug. 1758.—Anne, born at Vienna, died an infant.—Anne, born March 19, 1742.—Mary, born July 24, 1743, died Jan. 14, 1751.—Theresa, born Jan. 1, 1744, married May 18, 1769, John Parker, Esq. of Saltram in Devonshire, and died Dec. 21, 1775, leaving issue.—Frederick, born Oct. 11, 1746.—Elizabeth, born April 8, 1748, died Feb. 1749. His Lordship dying Sept. 30, 1770, was succeeded by his son.

(2d Lord.) THOMAS, the present Lord.

CREATION.] Baron Grantham, April 7, 1761.

ARMS.] *Vert*, a chevron between three stags, at gaze, *or*. [Plate XXXI.]

CREST.] On a crown fleur-de-lis, a mount, *vert*, thereon a stag at gaze, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On either side a greyhound, regardant, *fable*.

MOTTO.] *Qualis ab incepto*. The same as from the Beginning.

STUART, BARONESS MOUNTSTUART.

THE Right Hon. MARY WORTLEY-MONTAGU STUART, Countess of Bute, was created Baroness Mountstuart, of Wortley in Yorkshire, April 3, 1761, with limitation of the honour to her heirs male by her present husband, John, Earl of Bute, whom she married August 24, 1736, and has issue. (See Earl of BUTE in the *Scotch* Peerage, and Lord CARDIFFE in the *English* Peerage.)

EDWARD WORTLEY MONTAGU, Esq. father of the present Baroness, who died Jan. 22, 1761, was the second son of the Hon. Sidney Montagu, son of Edward, Earl of Sandwich, and married Mary Pierpoint, eldest daughter of Evelyn, Duke of Kingston, and by her, who died in Aug. 1762, had issue,

issue, Edward Wortley, who died unmarried; and Mary, the present Baroness.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *or*, three lozenges, conjoined in fess, *gules*; within a border *sable*. Second and third, *or*, an eagle displayed, *vert*, beaked and membered, *gules*. [Plate XXXVI.]

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side an horse, *or*, bridled, *gules*; on the sinister side a stag, *proper*.

MOTTO:] *Avito vires honore*. Flourishes by the Honour of Ancestors.

CHIEF SEAT.] Montagu House, in Yorkshire.

GROSVENOR, LORD GROSVENOR.

THE Right Hon. RICHARD GROSVENOR, Lord GROSVENOR, Baron Grosvenor of Eaton, in Cheshire, and Baronet, was born June 18, 1731, succeeded his father, Aug. 1, 1755, as Baronet, was created a Peer April 9, 1761. He married July 19, 1764, Henrietta, daughter of Henry Vernon, of Hilton, in Staffordshire, Esq. by his wife Henrietta, youngest daughter of Thomas, Earl of Straford, by whom he has had issue, Richard, born June 6, 1765, who died an infant.—Robert, born March 22, 1767.—Thomas, born May 13, 1768, died June 10, 1768.—Richard, born June 7, 1769, died June 16, 1770.

GILBERT LE GROSVENOR, attended William the Conqueror in his expedition into England.

RICHARD Grosvenor, of Eaton, was Sheriff of the county of Chester, in 44 Eliz. 1602 and married Christian daughter of Richard Brooke, Esq. by whom he had many sons and daughters. He was succeeded by his second son Richard, who by his wife, Lettice, second daughter of Sir Hugh Cholmondeley, had issue three daughters; and Sir Richard Grosvenor, the second Baronet, who married in 1628, Sidney, daughter of Sir Roger Mostyn, by whom he had issue, Roger, Thomas, Robert, Hugh, John, Lettice, Catharine, Mary, and Sidney. He died Jan. 31, 1664, and was succeeded by

(3d Baronet.) ROGER, eldest son of his son and heir Roger, by his wife Christian, daughter of Sir Thomas Middleton, Knight. He married Mary, daughter of Alexander Davies, Esq. by whom he had issue eight sons and daughters, and was succeeded by

(4th Baronet.) RICHARD, his second son and heir, who having no issue by his two wives, Jane, daughter of Sir Ed-

ward Wyndham; and Diana, daughter of Sir George Warburton, he was succeeded by

(5th Baronet.) Sir THOMAS, his next brother, who dying unmarried, January 31, 1733, was succeeded by his only brother,

(6th Baronet.) Sir ROBERT Grosvenor, who married in May, 1730, Jane, only surviving daughter of Tho. Warre, Esq. of Swell-Court in Somersetsshire, by whom, who died April 10, 1773, he had issue Richard, now Lord Grosvenor.—Thomas, who married Sept. 21, 1758, Deborah, daughter of Stephen Skynner, Esq. of Walthamstow in Essex, by whom, who died 1771, he has issue, Richard, born Oct. 5, 1761; Stephen, born Dec. 8, 1762, died young; Thomas, born May 30, 1763; Maria-Deborah, born Aug. 30, 1760; Emma, born Sept. 26, 1765; Robert, born June 9, 1767.—Mary, who died unmarried, 1774.—Elizabeth.—Jane, died in 1738, unmarried.—Dorothy, married Feb. 6, 1766, to Asheton Curzon, brother to Lord Scarfdale, and died 1774, leaving issue. He died in 1758, and was succeeded in honour and estate by his eldest son and heir,

(7th Baronet 1st Lord.) RICHARD, the present Lord.

CREATION.] Baron Grosvenor, April 3, 1761.

ARMS.] *Azure*, a garb, *or*. [*Plate XXXI.*]

CREST.] On a wreath, a talbot, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On either side, a talbot regardant, *or*, gorged with a plain collar, *azure*.

MOTTO.] *Nobilitatis virtus non stemma character.* Virtue, not Pedigree, is the Mark of Nobility.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Eaton-Hall, three miles from Chester; and at Halkin-Hall, two miles from Flint.

CURZON, LORD SCARSDALE.

THE Right Hon. NATHANIEL CURZON, Lord SCARSDALE, and Baronet, was created a Peer April 9, 1761, by the title of Lord Scarfdale of Scarfdale, Derbyshire. His Lordship, in 1751, was married to Caroline Collyar, daughter of Charles, Earl of Portmore, by whom he has issue; Nathaniel, born Sept. 27, 1752, married Aug. 1777, Sophia-Sufanna, daughter of Edward, Viscount Wentworth, by whom he has issue Sophia-Caroline, born Jan. 13, 1779.—Charles-William, born March 22, 1758.—John, born Oct. 27, 1760.—David-Francis, born July 18, 1762.—Henry, born May 24, 1765.—Caroline, born May 6, 1753.—Juliana, born Aug. 13, 1773.—A son born Nov. 28, 1780.

This

This family is recorded amongst those who came over with William the Conqueror, and to whom he gave lands and possessions for their services.

JOHN CURZON, of Kedleston, Esq. was Sheriff of the Counties of Nottingham and Derby, 15 Hen. VI. and was succeeded by Richard, his son and heir, who had issue, John and Henry; and a daughter Elizabeth. John, died 4 Hen. VIII. leaving issue three daughters, and Richard, his son and heir. Which Richard, left issue four sons and three daughters, and was succeeded by Francis his second son, whose son and heir, John, married Millicent, daughter of Sir Ralph Sacheverell, and had issue,

(1st Baronet.) Sir JOHN, created Baronet, 17 Car. I. He married Patience, sister to John, Lord Crewe, and had issue, John, Francis, and Thomas, who all died without issue; also Sir Nathaniel and three daughters, Patience, who died unmarried; Eleanor, wife of Sir John Archer; and Jane, married to John Stanhope, Esq.

(2d Baronet.) Sir NATHANIEL, only surviving son and successor, married Sarah, daughter of William Penn, Esq. by whom he had issue five sons, Sir John.—Sir Nathaniel.—Francis.—William.—Charles, who died without issue. Also four daughters; Sarah, who died unmarried.—Jane, wife of Henry Pye, Esq.—Elizabeth, who died unmarried.—Eleanor. He died March 4, 1719, and his Lady Jan. 4, 1728. He was succeeded by his eldest son,

(3d Baronet.) Sir JOHN, who dying unmarried, was succeeded by his brother,

(4th Baronet.) Sir NATHANIEL CURZON, Bart. who married Mary, daughter of Sir Ralph Asheton, who died March 18, 1776, by whom he had issue three sons, John, who died an infant.—Nathaniel, now Lord Scarfsdale.—Asheton, who married Esther, daughter of William Hanmer, Esq. by whom he had Pen-Asheton, Esther, and Mary. He married, secondly, Dorothy, sister to the Lord Grosvenor, and died Feb. 24, 1774. And Sir Nathaniel deceasing in the year 1758, was succeeded by

(5th Baronet 1st Lord.) NATHANIEL, his eldest surviving son, who was created a Peer.

CREATION.] Baron Scarfsdale, April 9, 1761.

ARMS.] *Argent*, on a bend, *sable*, three popin jays, *or*, collared, *gules*. [*Plate XXXI.*]

CREST.] A popin jay rising, *or*, collared, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, the figure of Prudence represented by a woman, habited *argent*, mantled *azure*, holding

holding in her sinister hand a javelin entwined with a remora, *proper*; and on the sinister, the figure of Liberality, represented by a like woman, habited, *argent*, mantled, *purple*, holding a cornucopia, *proper*.

MOTTO.] *Reſte & ſuaviter.* Juſtly and mildly.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Kedleſton, near Derby.

I R B Y, L O R D B O S T O N .

THE Right Hon. FREDERICK IRBY, Lord BOSTON, and Baronet, was born July 9, 1749, and ſucceeded his father, the late Lord, March 30, 1775. His Lordſhip married May 15, the ſame year, Chriſtian, only daughter of Paul Methuen, Eſq. of Corſham-Houſe in Wiltſhire, by whom he has iſſue, Charlotte, born March 11, 1776.—George, born Dec. 24, 1777.—Frederick-Paul, born April 18, 1779.—William-Auguſtus, born Nov. 28, 1780.—Albinia, born March 8, 1782.—A ſon, born Aug. 1783.

The family of Ireby, or Irby, is of great antiquity in the county of Lincoln, and has long had poſſeſſions in that county: Robert Irby, of Laceby, Eſq. had by his wife, daughter of Herbert Flynton, Eſq. Robert, who married Jane, daughter of Sir Jehn Lowdon, Knt. and by her had iſſue Bennet, who wedded a daughter of Sir Robert Gamſby, Knt. and had iſſue two ſons; John, the youngeſt, married a daughter of John Brough, Eſq. and Robert the eldeſt, married a daughter of John Hanſard, Eſq. and by her had iſſue, Robert, who by his wife, daughter of ——— Thimbleby, of Pollam, Eſq. had iſſue, Thomas, who died without iſſue; and

ANTHONY Irby, Eſq. (who was ſeated at Goſberton, and died June 21, 1552) married Alice, daughter of John Bountinge, Eſq. and by her, who died in 1557, had iſſue; Roſe, wife of John Bolles, Eſq. of Scampton, Lincolnſhire.—Jane, wife of William Bennet, Eſq.—Margaret, wife of Henry Deathe, Eſq.—Dorothy, wife of John Domeſday, Eſq.—Catharine, wife of Thomas Peirſon, Eſq.—Thomas.—Giles, who died unmarried.—Leonard, who married Anne, daughter of ———, and had iſſue, Edmund, who died unmarried; and Alice, wife of ——— Gates, Eſq.—John.

THOMAS Irby, Eſq. was ſeated at Whapload, and married Iſabel, daughter of John Seagrave, Eſq. and was buried at Whapload, April 30, 1561. He had iſſue, Audrey, who married April 22, 1560, Thomas Terril, Eſq.—Dorothy, who married

married June 25, 1565, John Brifon, Esq.—Anne, married Sept. 26, 1583, Simon Eger, Esq. and was buried at Whapload, May 30, 1588.—Beatrice, who married Aug. 3, 1586, George Walkot, Esq. and

ANTHONY Irby, Esq. who married Dec. 22, 1575, Alice Tash, widow, and daughter of Thomas Welbye, Esq. of Moulton, and by her, who was buried at Whapload, April 21, 1602, had issue, Thomas, baptized July 15, 1576, died young.—Sir Anthony.—Thomas, baptized March 5, 1580, married Anne, daughter of Sir Daniel Dunn, Knt. and by her, who married secondly, Henry Dawtree, Esq. had no issue.—Leonard, baptized June 7, 1582.—Kenelm, baptized Sept. 1, 1583, buried at Whapload, Dec. 29, 1585.—Anne and Alice, twins, baptized Jan. 3, 1584. Anne, married June 6, 1606, to Sir Frances South, Knt. of Kelsterne, Lincolnshire; and Alice, married Sept. 28, 1603, to Robert Ballam, Esq. of the Isle of Ely. Anthony Irby, Esq. father of these children, was buried at Whapload, Oct. 6, 1625.

Sir ANTHONY Irby, Knt. (who died in 1623) married in Feb. 1603, Elizabeth, third daughter of Sir John Peyton, Bart. of Iselham, Cambridgeshire, and by her, who married secondly, Sir George le Hunte, Knt. had issue; Sir Anthony.—Edward, who married Anne, daughter of David Hervey, Esq. of Evendin, Lincolnshire, and by her, who married secondly, the Hon. Peregrine Bertie, third son of Robert, Earl of Lindsey, had no issue.—Thomas, baptized June 16, 1608, married Jan. 9, 1643, Susan, daughter of —— Calier, Esq. and had issue, Anthony, baptized June 14, 1646, D. D. who married Elizabeth, daughter of Hugh Massey, Esq. of Ireland, and left one daughter Alice, wife of John Parker, Esq. of Dunkip; Thomas, baptized August 24, 1648; Alice, baptized Dec. 4, 1649, buried at Whapload, Jan. 23, 1650.—Alice, who married first, Francis Jermy, Esq. of Gunton, Norfolk, and had issue; and secondly, Edmund de Grey, Esq. of Merton, in the same county.—Elizabeth, baptized July 9, 1609, died young.

Sir ANTHONY Irby, Knt. (who died Jan. 2, 1681-2) was Sheriff for Lincolnshire, 13 Charles I. He married first, in 1623, Frances, daughter of Sir William Wray, Baronet, of Glentworth, Lincolnshire, and had issue; Elizabeth, who married in 1645, the Hon. George Montagu, of Horton, Northamptonshire, eldest son and heir of Henry, Earl of Manchester, (by his third wife Margaret, daughter of John Crouch, Esq.) and had issue Charles, created Earl of Halifax, and other children: He married secondly, Margaret, daugh-

ter of the Right Hon. Sir Richard Smith, Knt. and Privy Counsellor, of Ostenhanger, Kent, and by her, who was buried at Boston, July 19, 1631, he had no surviving issue. He married thirdly, in 1632, Margaret, daughter of Sir Edward Barkham, Knt. of Southacre, Norfolk, and had no issue. He married fourthly, in 1647, Catharine, third daughter of William, Lord Paget, of Beaufort, and by her, who died in 1695, had issue; Anne, died unmarried, and was buried Dec. 17, 1662.—Elizabeth, died unmarried, Nov. 30, 1683.—Isabella, who was second wife of William, Lord Paget, and was buried at Drayton, Dec. 12, 1685.—Lettice.—Frances, who married June 15, 1679, James Macartney, Esq. of Ireland, and died March 3, 1683-4.—And

ANTHONY Irby, Esq. who married in 1675, Mary, sole daughter and heiress of John Stringer, Esq. of Ashford, Kent, and by her, who was buried at Ashford, April 9, 1686, had issue; Sir Edward.—Anthony, who died in 1736.—Anne, who died January 23, 1680-1.

(1st Baronet.) Sir EDWARD Irby was created a Baronet 3d Anne, April 13, 1704. He married Dorothy, only daughter of the Honourable Henry Paget, second son of William, Lord Paget, and by her, who died Oct. 24, 1734, had issue, Sir William; and Jane, who died young. Sir Edward died Oct. 1718, and was succeeded by his son,

(2d Bart. and 1st Lord) Sir WILLIAM, who was created Lord Boston, and married August 26, 1746, to Albinia, eldest daughter of Henry Selwyn, Esq. and Maid of Honour to the Princess of Wales, by which Lady, who died April 1, 1769, he had issue; Augusta-Georgina-Elizabeth, born July 26, 1747, married April 30, 1772, to Thomas de Grey, the present Baron Walsingham, and has issue.—Frederick, the present Lord.—William-Henry, born August 9, 1750, married October 25, 1781, Mary, youngest daughter and coheir of Rowland Blackman, Esq. of Barbadoes, who died January 1783. His Lordship deceasing March 30, 1775, was succeeded by his eldest son,

(2d Lord.) FREDERICK, the present Lord.

CREATION.] Baron Boston, April 4, 1761, 1st Geo. III, Baronet, April 13, 1704, 3d Anne.

ARMS.] *Argent, fretty sable, on a canton, gules, a chaplet, or.* [Plate XXXII.]

CREST.] A Saracen's head in profile sinister, *proper*, wreathed, *argent and sable*.

SUPPORTERS.] On either side an antelope, *gu'es*, gorged with a chaplet, *or*.

[MOTTO.] *Honor fidelitatis præmium.* Honour is the Reward of Fidelity.

[CHIEF SEAT.] At Hedfor, near Beaconsfield, Bucks.

G R E N V I L L E , B A R O N E S S C H A T H A M .

THE Right Hon. HESTER GRENVILLE, was advanced to the dignity of a Peeress, October 4, 1761, 1 Geo. III. by the title of Baroness CHATHAM, of Chatham, in Kent, with limitation to her heirs male by her late husband.

Her Ladyship was daughter to the late Right Honourable Countess Temple, and is aunt to the present Earl Temple; she was married October 16, 1754, to the Right Hon. William Pitt, late Earl of Chatham.

See Earl of CHATHAM.

[ARMS.] *Vert, on a cross, argent, five torteaux.* [Plate XXXVI.]

[SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a lion guardant, charged on the breast with a slip of oak, fructed, *proper*; on the sinister, a stag, *proper*, attired, *or*, gorged, with a collar and chain affixed thereto, passing between his fore-legs, and reflected over his back, *sable*.

[MOTTO.] *Benigno numine.* By God's Blessing.

P E L H A M , L O R D P E L H A M .

THE Right Honourable THOMAS PELHAM, Baron PELHAM, of Stanmer, in the county of Sussex, succeeded to this title upon the death of Thomas, the late Duke of Newcastle. He married in June, 1754, Anne, daughter and heiress of Frederick Frankland, Esq. sixth son of Sir Thomas Frankland, Bart. of Thirkelby-hall, in Yorkshire, by whom he has issue; Thomas, born April 8, 1756.—Henrietta-Anne, born Sept. 1, 1757.—Henry, born July 10, 1758.—Frances, born December 1760, married December 4, 1778, to George Brodrick, Viscount Middleton, of Ireland.—Lucy, born Feb. 22, 1763.—Amelia, born July 19, 1764.—George, born Oct. 13, 1766.

HENRY Pelham, Esq. grandfather of Lord Pelham, married Frances, daughter and coheir of John Bine, of Rowdell,

in Suffex, Esq. by whom, who died in 1721, he had issue; Henry, who died unmarried.—John, who died also unmarried.—Thomas, father of Lord Pelham.—Elizabeth, married to Thomas Pelham, of Cattsfild-Place, Esq.—Grace, married to William Poole, of Hook, in Suffex, Esq.—Frances, married to Sir Francis Poole, Bart. of Poole, in Cheshire, and has issue.—Lucy, married to Talbot, Earl of Suffex, and died May 25, 1730, leaving issue.

THOMAS resided many years at Constantinople; he married Anne, daughter of Thomas Brydes, Esq. and dying in 1737, left issue; Thomas, now Lord Pelham.—Harriot, married first, May 1748, to the Hon. Henry Temple, third son of Henry, Viscount Palmerston, of Ireland; and secondly, Feb. 5, 1753, to George, Lord Abergavenny, and died in 1768, leaving issue.

CREATION.] Baron Pelham, of Stanmer, May 4, 1762.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *azure*, three pelicans, *argent*, vulning themselves, *proper*; second and third, *gules*, two demi-garters paleways, *argent*. [Plate XXXIII.]

CREST.] A peacock in his pride, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter, a bay horse; on the sinister, a bear, *proper*; each collared with a belt, *argent*, buckle and studs, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Vicit amor Patriæ*. The Love of my Country prevails.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Stanmer, in Suffex.

F O X, L O R D H O L L A N D.

THE Right Hon. HENRY-RICHARD FOX, Lord HOLLAND, Baron of Holland, in the county of Lincoln, and Baron of Foxley, in the county of Wilts, was born November 23, 1773, and succeeded his father, Stephen, the late Lord, Nov. 26, 1774.

For an account of this family, see Earl of ILCHESTER.

HENRY FOX, brother to the Earl of Ilchester, married May 2, 1744, Georgina-Caroline, eldest daughter of Charles, late Duke of Richmond, by whom he had four sons; Stephen.—Henry, who died an infant.—Charles-James, born Jan. 13, 1743.—Henry-Edward, born March 4, 1755, in the Army.

Her Ladyship was created Baroness Holland, of Holland, in Lincolnshire, and to her heirs by Henry Fox, Esq. May 6, 1762; and Henry, her husband, was created Baron Holland,

of Foxley, in the county of Wilts, April 16, 1763, and dying July 1, 1774, was succeeded by his son,

(2d Lord.) STEPHEN, who was born Feb. 20, 1745, and succeeded also, as Baron of Holland, in Lincolnshire, on the death of his mother, July 21, 1774. He married April 20, 1766, Mary, daughter of John, late Earl of Upper-Ossory, by whom, who died Oct. 5, 1778, he had Caroline, born November 3, 1767.—Mary, born in 1769, died young.—Emily, also died young.—Henry-Richard, the present Lord; and his Lordship deceasing Nov. 26, 1774, was succeeded by his son,

(3d Lord.) HENRY-RICHARD, the present Lord.

CREATIONS.] Baron Holland, of Holland, in Lincolnshire, May 6, 1762; Baron Holland, of Foxley, in Wilts, April 16, 1763.

ARMS.] *Ermine*, on a chevron, *azure*, three foxes heads creazed, *or*; on a canton of the *second*, a fleur-de-lis of the *third*. [Plate XXXII.]

CREST.] On a chapeau, *azure*, turned up, *ermine*, a fox sejant, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter, a fox, *ermine*, fretted, *or*; collared dovetail, *azure*; thereon three fleurs-de-lis of the *second*; on the sinister, a like fox, collared as the other, with a chain affixed thereto, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Vitam impendere vero*. My Life is suspended by Truth.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Kingsgate, in Kent; and Holland-house, in Middlesex.

PERCIVAL, LORD LOVELL AND HOLLAND.

THE Right Hon. JOHN-JAMES PERCIVAL, Earl of EGMONT, Viscount and Baron Percival, in the kingdom of Ireland, succeeded his father, who was created a Peer of Great Britain, May 7, 1762, by the title of Lord Lovell and Holland, Baron Lovell and Holland of Enmore, in the county of Somerset.

See Earl of EGMONT, among the Peers of *Ireland*.

D A M E R, L O R D M I L T O N.

THE Right Hon. JOSEPH DAMER, Lord MILTON, Baron Milton, of Milton-Abbey, in the county of Dorset; and also Baron Milton, of Shrone-Hill, in the county of Tipperary, in Ireland.

See Lord MILTON, in the Peerage of *Ireland*.

M O N T A G U E, L O R D B E A U L I E U.

THE Right Hon. EDWARD-HUSSEY MONTAGUE, Lord BEAULIEU, was advanced to the dignity of a Peer, by the title of Lord Beaulieu, of Beaulieu, Hants, May 4, 1762, Knight of the Bath. His Lordship is eldest son of James Hussey, Esq. of Westown, in Ireland, and was born 1720. In 1743, he married Isabella, Duchess of Manchester, eldest daughter and coheirefs of John, Duke of Montague, and relict of William, Duke of Manchester, and thereupon took the name of Montague, pursuant to an Act of Parliament in 1762. His issue are, John, born January 18, 1747.—Isabella, born August 27, 1750, died Sept. 3, 1772, unmarried.

The family of this noble Lord is of Norman extraction. Hubert, son of Helen, Countess of Hussey, came over with William the Conqueror to England, as Constable of his army. From him descended Sir Hugh de Huse, or Hussey, who settled in Ireland in 17 Henry II. and married the sister of Theobald Fitzwalter. He had, by the grant of Hugh de Lacy, the Barony of Deace, in the county of Meath, with other large possessions. From him lineally descended the Husseys, Barons of Galtrim; and James Hussey, of Westown, in the county of Dublin, Esq. who died in 1759, having married Catharine, daughter of Richard Parsons, Viscount Ross (which Lady deceased March 1, 1766) by whom he had issue, Edward-Hussey, now Lord Beaulieu.—Richard.—James.—Frances.—Elizabeth.—Mabel.—Mary, wife of James Hussey, of Galtrim, Esq.

CREATION.] Baron Beaulieu, of Beaulieu, Hants, May 4, 1762, 2 George III.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, Montague and Monthermer, quartered, viz. first, *argent*, within a border, *sable*, three lozenges in fess, *gules*, for Montague; second, *or*, an eagle

eagle displayed, *vert*, for Monthermer; third as second, fourth as first. Second and third, *ermine*, three bars, *gules*; on a canton, *argent*, a cross of St. George, for Hussy. [Plate XXXII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a gryphon's head, coupé, *or*, beaked and winged, *sable*.

SUPPORTERS.] On each side a stag, *proper*; collared with a ducal coronet and chain, the latter reflecting over their backs, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Speſtemur agendo*. Let us be ſeen by our Actions.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Ditton Park, in Bucks; and at Beaulieu, in Hants.

V E R N O N , L O R D V E R N O N .

THE Right Hon. GEORGE VENABLES VERNON, Lord VERNON, and Baron of Kinderton, Cheshire, born May 9, 1735, and ſucceeded his father, Auguſt 2, 1780. He married Louiſa-Barberina, ſole daughter and heir of Buſſy, Lord Manſel, by whom he has iſſue a daughter, Louiſa born June 18, 1765.

This noble Lord is deſcended from the Lords of Vernon, in Normandy. Richard de Vernon, Lord of Vernon, accompanied William I. in his expedition for the Conqueſt of England. Sir Henry Vernon married Anne, daughter of John Talbot, ſecond Earl of Shrewsbury, by whom he had five ſons, viz. 1. Sir Richard Vernon, whoſe line ended in two daughters and coheirs. 2. Thomas, whoſe line ceaſed in a daughter and heir. 3. Humphry, whoſe line failed in 1600. 4. Sir John Vernon, of Sudbury, in Derbyſhire, from whom deſcended Henry, of whom preſently. 5. Arthur. 6. A daughter Elizabeth, wife of Robert Corbett, of Morton-Corbet, Salop, Eſq. who lived to ſee of her own body, 233 ſons and daughters.

HENRY Vernon, above-mentioned, died in 1658, and was father of George Vernon, of Sudbury, Eſq. father of

HENRY Vernon, of the ſame place, Eſq. who married Anne, daughter of Thomas Pigot, Eſq. by Mary, his wife, ſiſter to Peter Venables, the laſt Baron of Kinderton, deſcended from Sir Thomas Venables, Baron of Kinderton, time of Henry VII. 1505. Peter, the laſt Baron, his great-great grandſon, had two daughters, his coheirs, viz. Catharine,

wife of ——— Shirley, son and heir of Sir Robert Shirley ; and Anne, wife of Lord Norreys, afterwards Earl of Abingdon, who both dying without issue ; according to his will, his estate would have devolved on Anne, daughter of his sister, Mary Pigot, and wife of Henry Vernon, all before-mentioned ; but Lady Abingdon surviving her, upon her decease, the estate came to the son of the said Anne, by Henry Vernon, to whom she bore a daughter Anne-Catharina, who married to Richard Lockwood, Esq. and

(1st Lord.) GEORGE Venables, born February 9, 1709, and was created a Peer, May 12, 1762, by the title of Lord Vernon, of Kinderton in Cheshire. He married first, June 21, 1733, Mary, daughter and coheirefs of Thomas Howard, Lord Effingham, and by her, who died Feb. 1740, had issue, George-Venables, now Lord Vernon.—Henry, who died young.—Howard, who died young.—Mary, who died an infant.—Mary, born Dec. 19, 1739, married Jan. 5, 1763, to George Adams, Esq. of Staffordshire, and has issue ten children. His Lordship married secondly, in December 1741, Mary, daughter of Sir Thomas Lee, Bart. of Hartwell, in Bucks, and by her, who died September 22, 1742, had no issue. He married thirdly, April 10, 1744, Martha, sister to the late Simon, Earl of Harcourt, by whom he had issue, Elizabeth, born Jan. 21, 1746, married Sept. 26, 1765, to George-Simon, the present Earl of Harcourt.—Henry, born Sept. 17, 1747, married Feb. 14, 1779, Miss Sedley, daughter and heirefs of Sir Charles Sedley, Bart. of Nuthall, in Nottinghamshire, and has taken the name of Sedley, by whom he has issue George-Charles-Sedley, born Dec. 1779.—William, who died young.—Catharine, born August 31, 1749, died unmarried June 8, 1775.—Martha, born Dec. 25, 1751.—Anne, born 1754.—Edward, born Oct. 10, 1757, died unmarried, 1780. His Lordship died August 2, 1780, and was succeeded by his eldest son,

(2d Lord.) GEORGE-VENABLES, the present Lord.

CREATION.] May 12, 1762, 2 George III.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *azure*, two bars, *argent*. Second, *argent*, a fret, *sable*. Third, *or*, on a fess, *azure*, three garbs of the *field*. [Plate XXXII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a boar's head erased, *sable*, ducally gorged, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a lion, *gules*, collared and chained, *or* ; on the sinister, a boar, *sable*, ducally collared and chained, *or*.

MOTTO.

MOTTO.] *Ver non semper viret.* The Spring does not always flourish.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Sudbury, in Derbyshire.

M O R T O N, L O R D D U C I E.

THE Right Hon. THOMAS REYNOLDS MORTON, Lord DUCIE, of Tortworth in Gloucestershire, was born Oct. 26, 1733, succeeded his uncle, the late Lord, Jan. 12, 1771, and married Feb. 20, 1774, to Miss Ramsden, daughter of the late Sir Thomas Ramsden, of Byrom, Bart.

Of this ancient family, which took their denomination from the town of Morton, in the county of Stafford, where the family was seated in the reign of King Edward I. was Matthew Morton, of Ingleton, Esq. whose son Edward, marrying Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Robert Ducie, of Tortworth, in the county of Gloucester, Bart. and sister and sole heir to Sir William Ducie of the said place, who was also Viscount Downe in Ireland, with her had several lordships and manors, which fell to

(1st Lord.) MATTHEW, their son, who was created a Peer by King George I. and his Lordship marrying Arabella, daughter of Sir Thomas Prestage, by her had three sons and four daughters; Elizabeth, first married to Richard Syms, Esq. of Blackheath, in Kent; and secondly, to Francis Reynolds, of Strangeways, in the county of Lancaster, Esq. and died Sept. 17, 1755, leaving issue two sons, Thomas the present Lord; and Francis, born March 28, 1739, married Oct. 10, 1774, to Miss Provis; and two daughters, Arabella, married Dec. 2, 1775, to John Bettefworth, Esq. of Hyde, in Bedfordshire; and Mary, who married Thomas Leigh, Esq. of Adlington, in Gloucestershire. Of the other sons, Rowland Lewis was Colonel in the Foot Guards; and Charles the youngest, married Anne, daughter of ——— Wyatt, Esq. and had issue by her, one son, Benjamin, who is deceased. And his Lordship dying May 2, 1735, was succeeded by

(2d Lord.) MATTHEW, his eldest son. His Lordship foreseeing that in failure of issue male of his own body, and the decease of his brother, without such issue, the title of Lord Ducie would become extinct, obtained a new patent on April 23, 1763, granting to himself and his heirs male, and in default of such issue, then to Francis Reynolds, Esq. his nephew and his heirs male, the dignity of Baron Ducie of Tortworth; and

and his Lordship deceasing Jan. 12, 1771, was succeeded by his nephew,

(3d Lord.) THOMAS REYNOLDS, the present Lord.

CREATIONS.] April 23 1763, 3 Geo. III.

ARMS.] *Argent*, a chevron, *gules*, between three square buckles, *sable*. [Plate XXVIII.]

CREST.] Out of a wreath, a moor-cock rising, *proper*, comb and wattles, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two unicorns, *argent*, armed, maned, tufted and hooped, *or*; each gorged with a ducal coronet, party-per-pale, *or* and *gules*.

MOTTO.] *Perseverando*. By Perseverance.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Spring-park and Tortworth, in the county of Gloucester.

P R A T T, L O R D C A M D E N.

THE Right Hon. CHARLES PRATT, Lord CAMDEN, of Camden-Place, in Kent, was created a Peer, July 17, 1765. He married Elizabeth, daughter of Nicholas Jefferies, of Brecknock-Priory, Esq. by whom he has issue; John-Jefferies, born 1759.—Frances, who married June 3, 1775, Robert Stuart, Esq. of Downe in Ireland, and has issue.—Elizabeth.—Sarah, who married Dec. 1779, —Price, Esq. of Ireland.—Jane, who married April 1780, James-Walter Read, Esq. only son of Sir Thomas Read, Bart.

Sir JOHN Pratt, father of the present Lord, who died Feb. 24, 1724, was appointed Chief Justice of the King's-Bench, 5 George I. He married first Elizabeth, daughter of the Rev. Henry Gregory, third son of Francis Gregory, Esq. of Hordley, in Oxfordshire, by whom he had issue, Elizabeth, died unmarried.—Grace, married to John, late Lord Fortescue of Ireland.—Anne, married Edward Gee, Esq. and died 1761.—Jane, married to Thomas Taylor, Esq. of Popes in Hertfordshire.—John, married first Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Geoffry Jeffries, of Brecknock-Priory, by whom he had issue, John, married to Sarah, daughter of Sir Joseph Eyles; and Elizabeth: He married, secondly, April 10, 1725, Dorothy, daughter of Robert Tracey, of Coscomb, in Gloucestershire, youngest son of Robert, Viscount Tracey of Ireland, and by her, who died in 1726, had issue, a son Robert, one of the Masters in Chancery.—Edward.

Sir JOHN PRATT married, secondly, Elizabeth, daughter of the Rev. Hugh Wilson, youngest son of John Wilson, Esq. of Fynant in Montgomeryshire, and by her, who died 1728, he had issue; Caroline, married to Herbert, Baron de Munster, in Westphalia.—Jane, married to Nicholas Hardinge, Esq. of Canbury, in Surry, and had issue.—Anna-Maria, married to Thomas, Lord Dacre.—Frances, died unmarried.—Thomas.—William, an officer in the South Sea Company's service, and was cast away at sea.—Charles, now Lord Camden.—Robert was in the Army and died unmarried.

(1st Lord.) CHARLES Pratt, Esq. now Lord Camden, in 1759, was chosen Recorder of Bath, and the same year was made his Majesty's Attorney-General. In Dec. 1761, he was constituted Chief-Justice of the Court of Common-Pleas. His Lordship presided in that Court with a dignity, weight, and impartiality, never exceeded by any of his predecessors, and on July 30, 1766, upon the resignation of Robert, Earl of Northington, was appointed Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain.

CREATION.] July 16, 1765, 5 Geo. III.

ARMS.] *Sable*, on a fess between three elephants heads, erazed, *argent*, as many mullets of the first. [Plate XXXIII.]

CREST.] An elephant's head erazed, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter, a gryphon, *sable*, beak and fore legs, *gules*; on the sinister, a lion rampant, *or*, each gorged with a collar, *argent*, charged with three mullets; *sable*.

MOTTO.] *Judicium parium aut lex terræ.* The Judgment of my Equals, or the Law of the Land.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Camden-place, near Chislehurst, in Kent.

D I G B Y, L O R D D I G B Y.

THE Right Hon. HENRY DIGBY, Lord DIGBY, Baron of Sherborne, in the county of Dorset, and also Baron Digby of Geashill, in King's-county in Ireland.

See Lord DIGBY, in the Peerage of Ireland.

CAMPBELL, LORD SUNDRIDGE.

THE Right Hon. JOHN CAMPBELL, Duke of ARGYL, was in his father's life-time, created a Peer of Great-Britain, by the title of Baron Sundridge, of Coombank, in the county of Kent, and in failure of his issue to the Lords Frederick and William, his brothers, and their heirs, December 22, 1766.

For a particular account of this family, see Duke of ARGYL, in the Peerage of *Scotland*.

Arms, Crest, Motto, and Supporters are there described; as also in *Plate XXXIII*.

CAMPBELL, BARONESS GREENWICH.

THE Right Hon. CAROLINE CAMPBELL, Baroness GREENWICH, eldest daughter and coheirefs of John, Duke of Argyl, born Nov. 17, 1717, and was created a Peerefs as above, Aug. 12, 1767, with limitation to her heirs male, by her late husband, the Right Hon. Charles Townshend.

Her Ladyship married first, October 2, 1742, Francis, Earl of Dalkeith, son of the Duke of Buccleugh, who died in April, 1751, in the life-time of his father, and left issue; Henry, the present Duke of Buccleugh.—Campbell, who died in 1766.—Frances. Her Ladyship married secondly, Aug. 15, 1755, Charles Townshend, brother to George, Viscount Townshend, who died September 4, 1767, and left issue; Thomas-Charles, born June 22, 1758, in the Army, is married and has issue.—William-John, born March 29, 1761, in the Army, and died Oct. 28, 1782.—Anne, born June 29, 1756, married March 12, 1779, to Richard Wilson, Esq. of Tyrone in Ireland, by whom she has issue, a son born May 1780.

For an account of her Ladyship's family, see Duke of ARGYL, in the Peerage of *Scotland*.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, girony of eight, *or* and *sable*; second and third, *argent*, a galley with her sails furled, flag and pendants flying, and oars in action, *sable*. [*Plate XXXVI*.]

SUPPORTERS.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a lion guardant, *gules*; on the sinister, a stag, *sable*, each having a collar, *azure*, charged with three escallop shells, *or*.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Sudbrook in Surry.

GUNNING, BARONESS HAMILTON.

THE Right Hon. ELIZABETH GUNNING, Baroness HAMILTON of Hamildon, in the county of Leicester, was created a Peeress, May 14, 1776, with the dignity of Baron Hamilton to her heirs male. Her Ladyship was second daughter of John Gunning, Esq. by Bridget, daughter of John, Viscount Mayo, and married first, February 24, 1752, James, the late Duke of Hamilton, who died Jan. 17, 1758, leaving issue. Her Ladyship married secondly, March 3, 1759, John, now Duke of Argyl, and has issue. (See Dukes Hamilton and Argyl, in the Peerage of Scotland.)

ARMS.] *Gules*, on a fess, *argent*, three crosses patteé of the field, between as many martlets, *or*. [Plate XXXIV.]

SUPPORTERS.] The dexter, a sphinx, *or*, semée of crosses, patteé, *gules*, the face, *proper*. The sinister, a country-man, *proper*, bearing a standard, *gules*, charged with a martlet and bordure, *or*.

STEWART, LORD CARDIFFE.

THE Right Hon. JOHN STUART, eldest son of the Earl of Bute, was created Baron Cardiffe, of Cardiffe-Castle, in Glamorganshire, May 20, 1776. He was born in July 1744, and married Nov. 12, 1766, Charlotte-Jane, eldest daughter and coheir of Herbert, Viscount Windsor, by whom he has issue; John, born Sept. 25, 1768.—Maria-Alicia-Charlotte, born Oct. 28, 1769.—Herbert-Windsor, born May 6, 1770.—Charlotte, born July 16, 1771.—James Evelyn, born May 7, 1773.—Elizabeth, born July 12, 1774, died the next day.—Charles, born July 18, 1775.

For an account of this family, see Earl of BUTE, in the Peerage of Scotland.

Arms, Crest, and Supporters, the same as the Earl of BUTE.

HAWKE,

HAWKE, LORD HAWKE.

THE Right Hon. MARTIN-BLADEN HAWKE, Lord HAWKE, succeeded his father the late Lord, Oct. 16, 1781. He was born April 20, 1744, married Feb. 6, 1771, Cassandra, daughter of the late Sir Edward Turner, Bart. of Ambroseden in Oxfordshire, by whom he has issue; Cassandra-Julia, born Jan. 16, 1772.—Edward, born May 3, 1774, and died Sept. 7, 1777.—Martin-Bladen, born April 16, 1776.—Another son, born in 1777.

EDWARD HAWKE, of Lincoln's-Inn, Esq. married Elizabeth, daughter of Nathaniel Bladen, sister to Colonel Bladen, and widow of Colonel Rùthven, by whom he had Edward, late Lord Hawke; and Frances, the wife of ——— Maule, Esq. son of Henry Maule, Bishop of Dromore.

(1st Lord.) EDWARD, father of the present Lord, was Vice Admiral of his Majesty's Fleet, whose great successes against the enemies of Great Britain have rendered his name very conspicuously eminent in the annals of his country. He was born Feb. 21, 1716, and was created a Peer of Great Britain, 1766, by the title and stile of Baron Hawke of Towton, in Yorkshire. He married Catharine, daughter and sole heir of Walter Brooke, Esq. of Burton Hall in Yorkshire, by whom, who died in Oct. 1756, he had the following issue, Martin-Bladen.—Edward, born Dec. 1746, was in the Army, and died unmarried Oct. 3, 1773.—Chaloner, born in 1750, was in the Army, and died by a fall from his horse, unmarried, Sept. 17, 1777.—Catharine, born in 1752.

His Lordship deceasing Oct. 16, 1781; was succeeded by his eldest son,

(2d Lord.) MARTIN-BLADEN, the present Lord.

CREATION.] Baron Hawke, May 20, 1776.

ARMS.] *Argent*, a chevron, *ermineois*, between three boat-swains' whistles, *proper*. [Plate XXXIII.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a falcon rising, *proper*, with a fleur-de-lis on his breast.

SUPPORTERS.] Dexter, Neptune crowned with an Eastern crown, standing on a dolphin, holding in his right hand a trident, *proper*. Sinister, a sea-horse, holding with his dexter paw an union flag, *proper*.

MOTTO.] *Strike*.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Towton in Yorkshire, and at Swaland near Southampton.

AMHERST,

AMHERST, LORD AMHERST.

THE Right Hon. JEFFERY AMHERST, Lord AMHERST, was created Baron Amherst, of Holmeffdale, in Kent, May 20, 1776, Knight of the Bath. He married first, Jane, only surviving daughter of Thomas Dalyson, Esq. of Hamptons in Kent, who died without issue, January 7, 1765; and he married secondly, March 26, 1767, Elizabeth, eldest daughter of the Hon. General George Cary, brother to Viscount Falkland.

JEFFERY AMHERST, of Riverhead, in Kent, Esq. father of the present Lord, who died 1750, married Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Kerrill, of Hadlow, in Kent, Esq. by whom he had; Sackville, who died unmarried, 1763.—Elizabeth, wife of the Rev. John Thomas, and died April 1779.—Margaret, died unmarried.—John, Vice Admiral of the Blue, married Anne, daughter of Thomas Lindzee, Esq. of Portsmouth, and died without issue in Feb. 1778.—Jeffery, the present Lord.—Thomas, Sidney, and Charles, died young.—William, a Lieutenant General in the Army, and died May 13, 1781. He married March 31, 1766, Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Patterson, Esq. and by her, who died March 7, 1776, he had issue, 1. William-Pitt, born Jan. 1773. 2. Elizabeth, born Feb. 1774. 3. Henrietta, born Oct. 1775.

(1st Lord.) JEFFERY, the second surviving son, was Knight of the Bath, Commander in Chief of the Forces in America, from 1758 to 1766, and was created Baron Amherst.

CREATION.] Baron Amherst, May 20, 1776.

ARMS.] *Gules*, three tilting spears, second and first erect in pale, *or*, heads, *argent*. [*Plate XXXIII.*]

CREST.] On a wreath, a mount, *vert*, thereon three tilting spears; one in pale; two in saltire, banded circular with an olive branch, all *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] Dexter, an Indian in his warlike dress, his feet in fetters, and a chain fixed to his exterior wrist, holding a Tomahawk. The sinister as the dexter, with a scalp on his Tomahawk, all *proper*.

MOTTO.] *Constantia et Virtute* By Steadiness and Virtue.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Montreal, near Seven-oaks, in Kent.

CUST, LORD BROWNLOW.

THE Right Honourable BROWNLOW CUST, Lord BROWNLOW, created Baron Brownlow, of Belton, in Lincolnshire, May 20, 1776, was born Dec. 3, 1744. He married first, Oct. 16, 1770, Jocosa-Catharina, daughter and coheir of Sir Thomas Drury, Knt. of Overton in Northamptonshire, by which Lady, who died Feb. 11, 1772, he had Etheldred-Anne, born July 22, 1771. He married 2dly, Aug. 31, 1775, Miss Banks, only daughter of the late Sir Henry Banks, Knt. of Wimbledon in Surry, by whom he has issue; Frances, born Oct. 3, 1776.—John, born Aug. 1779.—Another son, born in Sept. 1780.—A daughter, born June 29, 1782.

This family was antiently seated in Yorkshire, and removed to Pinchbeck in Lincolnshire, about four hundred years ago. Richard Cust, Esq. was created a Baronet by King Charles II. Sept. 29, 1677. He married Beatrix, daughter and heir of Thomas Purey, of Kirton, in the said county, Esq. by whom he had only one son, who lived to have children, viz. Purey Cust, Esq. and two daughters, Elizabeth, married to John Cockayn, of Cockayn-Hatley, in the county of Bedford, Esq. and Jane, married to John Proby, of Elton, in the county of Huntingdon, Esq.

Sir PUREY CUST had two wives, first Ursula, daughter and heir of Edward Woodcock, of Newtimber, in Suffex, Esq. by whom he had several children, who all died young, except one son, Sir Richard his successor, and two daughters, Mary, married to Robert Thompson of Standground, in the county of Huntingdon, Esq. and Ursula, married to Richard Newton, Esq. His second wife was Alice, one of the daughters and coheirs of William Saville, of Newton, in the county of Lincoln, Esq. by whom he had likewise several children, but they all died in their infancy, except the youngest, viz. Saville-Cockayn Cust, Esq. Sir Purey died in his father's life-time, so that Richard, Sir Purey's eldest son, succeeded his grandfather. This Sir Richard Cust married Anne, daughter of Sir William Brownlow, Bart. and sister to the Right Honourable John, Lord Viscount Tyrconnel, and died July 25, 1734, having had issue by his said Lady, Sir John, his successor.—William, in the Navy, who died unmarried.—Francis Cockayne, a counsellor at law.—Peregrine, a merchant in London.—Richard, Dean of Lincoln, died Oct. 16, 1783.—Two Annes, who died young.—Elizabeth-Jane, first married

to Francis Fane, of Fulbeck, in Lincolnshire, Esq. secondly, to James Evelyn, Esq.—Dorothy, died unmarried Sept. 3; 1770.—Lucy, died unmarried.

Sir RICHARD was succeeded by his eldest son, Sir John Cust, Bart. who was chosen Speaker of the House of Commons in two Parliaments, and died the 24th of Jan. 1770. He married Dec. 8, 1743, Etheldreda, daughter of Thomas Payne, of Houghton on the Hill, in the county of Lincoln, Esq. by whom, who died Feb. 14. 1775, he had issue, one son, Brownlow, now Lord Brownlow.—Anne, married Sept. 25, 1777, Jacob Reynardson, Esq. of Holywell in Lincolnshire.—Elizabeth, who married July 2, 1770, Philip Yorke, of Denbighshire, Esq. and died Feb. 1, 1779, and had five children.

CREATION.] Baron Brownlow, of Belton in Lincolnshire, May 20, 1776.

ARMS.] Quarterly, first and fourth, *ermine*, on a chevron, *sable*, three fountains, *proper*; second, *or*, an escutcheon between eight martlets, in orle, *sable*; third, *sable*, a fess, *ermine*, in chief, three crozlets pattee fitcheé, *argent*. [Plate XXXIV.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a lion's head erased, *sable*, gorged with a collar componé, *argent* and *azure*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two lions regardant, *argent*, gorged with collars, *gules*, buckled, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Opera illius mea sunt*. His Works are mine.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Belton, in Lincolnshire; and at Overton in Northamptonshire.

P I T T , L O R D R I V E R S .

THE Right Hon. GEORGE PITT, Lord RIVERS, was created Baron Rivers of Stratfieldsay in the county of Southampton, May 20, 1776. He married Penelope, daughter of Sir Henry Atkins, and heiress of Sir Richard Atkins, Bart. of Clapham in Surry, by whom he has issue; George.—Penelope.—Louisa, married to Peter Beckford, Esq.—Marcia.

This family hath been of long standing in the county of Dorset. Sir William Pitt married Edith, daughter of Nicholas Cadbury, Esq. and died in 1636, leaving three sons; Edward, the eldest, married Rachel, daughter of Sir George Morton, and had ten sons and four daughters; George Pitt,

Esq. the eldest surviving son, was seated at Stratfieldsay, in Southampton, and died July 27, 1694, having married Jane Savage, daughter of John, Earl Rivers, and widow of George Brydges, Lord Chandos; and by her, who died June 6, 1676, had issue; George, his successor.—William, who died unmarried.—Edward, who also died unmarried.—John, who married first, Mary, daughter of ——— Scrope, Esq. who died without issue; and he married secondly Isabella, daughter of — Condon, Esq. by whom he had issue Lora; and Isabella.—Mary, married Sir Charles Brown, Bart.—Elizabeth, married Thomas Fitzwilliams, Viscount Fitzwilliams, of Merion in Ireland.—Jane, married Christopher Hildyard, Esq. of Kelsterne in Lincolnshire.—Anne, married Frederick Tylney, Esq.

GEORGE PITT, Esq. grandfather of the present Lord, (who died Feb. 28, 1734) married first, Lucy, daughter of Thomas Pile, Esq. of Boverstock in Wiltshire, and widow of Lawrence Lowe, Esq. of Shaftesbury, and by her, who died Nov. 19, 1697, had issue, George, his successor.—Thomas, who died unmarried.—Lucy, who died unmarried. He married secondly, Lora, daughter and heir of Audeley Grey, Esq. of Kingstow in Dorsetshire, and by her, who died June 1750, had issue, Grey, who died young.—William, who married Elizabeth, daughter of — Wyndham, Esq.—John, who married Marcia, daughter of Marcus Morgan, Esq. of Ireland, and had issue, 1. William-Morton. 2. George, who died in 1768. 3. Charles, who died an infant. 4. John, who died young. 5. Maria.—Thomas, who died unmarried.—Elizabeth, who married William Burton, Esq. of Luffenham in Rutlandshire, and had issue.—Lora, married to Francis Gwyn, Esq. of Ford Abby in Devonshire.—Anne.—Mary, who died young.—Mary, who also died unmarried.

GEORGE PITT, Esq. father of the present Lord, who died in Oct. 1745, married Louisa, daughter of — Bernier, Esq. by whom, who died Feb. 7, 1781, he had issue, George, the present Lord Rivers.—James, who died young.—John, who died young.—William-Augustus, a Lieutenant-General in the Army, who married Mary, daughter of Scroope Howe, Viscount Howe.—Lucy, married to James Kerr, Esq. of Scotland.—Mary, who died Aug. 1744.

CREATION.] Baron Rivers, May 20, 1776.

ARMS.] *Sable*, a fess chequé, or and *azure*, between three bezants. [Plate XXXIV.]

CREST:

CREST.] On a wreath, a stork close, *argent*, beaked and membered, *or*, his right foot rested on an anchor erect, cabled, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] The dexter, a falcon, with wings displayed; the sinister, an unicorn, *argent*.

MOTTO.] *Æquam servare mentem.* To preserve an even Mind.

CHIEF SEAT:] At Stratfieldsay, in Hampshire.

RYDER, LORD HARROWBY.

THE Right Hon. NATHANIEL RYDER, Lord HARROWBY, Baron of Harrowby, in the county of Lincoln, was created a Peer May 20, 1776. His Lordship married June 22, 1762, Elizabeth, daughter and coheir of Dr. Richard Terrick, late Bishop of London, by whom he has issue, Dudley, born Dec. 22, 1762.—Henry, born Nov. 22, 1763, died on the 25th following.—Richard, born July, 1766.—Elizabeth, born Nov. 22, 1767.—Nathaniel, born Aug. 12, 1770, died young.—Nathaniel, born June 7, 1775, died March 13, 1776.—Henry, born July 1, 1777.—Anne, born Nov. 1779.

The family of Rythre, Ryther, or Ryder, (for the name has been variously written at different periods) has been long established in Yorkshire, and took their name from Ryther in the Hundred of Barkston, in that county.

It appears from Dugdale's Baronage, that William de Rythre, was summoned to Parliament, among the Barons of the realm, from the 21st of Edward I. till the 1st of Edward II. and that he was succeeded by John de Rythre, Governor of Shipton-castle; but it does not appear that he, or any of his descendants, was ever summoned to our Parliament.

Sir WILLIAM RYTHER, of Ryther, Knt. was High-Sheriff of Yorkshire, in the 5th and 9th of Henry VI. and his descendants frequently bore that office in that reign, and in those of Edward IV. and Henry VII.

Sir RALPH RYTHER, of Ryther, Knt. (who was Sheriff of Yorkshire, 19 Henry VII.) had a daughter named Eleanor, who married John Ashe of Angleton, Esq. and he, in her right, became possessed of the Lordship of Ryther, together with other lands.

Sir DUDLEY RYDER, Knt. father of the present Lord Harrowby, was born in the year 1691; after receiving a good school education, he went to the University of Edinburgh,

and from thence to that of Leyden. On his return to England he settled in the Temple, where he studied the laws of his country, with that assiduity and attention, which laid the foundation of his future rise in his profession. He was made Solicitor General in 1733. In 1736, he was advanced to the office of Attorney General, and he discharged with integrity and ability the duties of that laborious situation, during a period of about 18 years. In 1754, he was appointed Chief Justice of the Court of King's Bench. In 1756, his late Majesty, in reward of his long and faithful services, determined to raise him to the dignity of Peerage, and a warrant was accordingly signed by the King for that purpose, the 24th of May, 1756, but he died on the following day, before the patent was completed. He married Anne Newnham, daughter and heir of Nathaniel Newnham, Esq. of Stretham, in Surry, by whom, who died May 9, 1774, he left one son,

(1st Lord.) NATHANIEL, the present Lord.

CREATION.] Baron Harrowby, of Harrowby, in the county of Lincoln, May 20, 1776.

ARMS.] *Azure*, three crescents, *or*, each charged with an ermine spot, *fable*. [Plate XXXIV.]

CREST.] Out of a mural crown, *or*, a dragon's head, *argent*, thereon an ermine spot.

SUPPORTERS.] On each side a griffin, *argent*, collared, *azure*, thereon three crescents, *or*, chained, on the breast an ermine spot.

MOTTO.] *Servata fides cineri*. Be faithful to the Memory of your Ancestors.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Sandon, in Staffordshire; and at Norton, in Gloucestershire.

F O L E Y, L O R D F O L E Y.

THE Right Hon. THOMAS FOLEY, Lord FOLEY, of Kidderminster, was born July 7, 1742, and succeeded his father, the late Lord, November 18, 1777. He married, March 20, 1776, Harriet, daughter of the late Earl of Harrington, and has issue, Georgina-Harriot, born March 23, 1777.—William-Thomas, born Feb. 20, 1778.

THOMAS Foley, of Stoke-Edith, in Herefordshire, married first, Hester, daughter of Thomas Andrews, Esq. and by her, who died in 1717, he had Thomas, and another son, who died young. His second wife was Mary, daughter of John War-

teis,

teis, Esq. by which Lady, who died in 1721, he had Robert, D. D. married to Anne, daughter of the Reverend William Dowdeswell, and died January 1783; and Sarah, married to Andrew Foley, Esq. His third wife was Elizabeth, daughter of Henry Wolstenholm, Esq. by which Lady, who died in 1725, he had one son, Paul-Jermyn Foley, L. L. D. His fourth wife was Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Unitt, Esq. and his fifth was Catharine, daughter of Francis Gwyn, Esq. By the two last he had no issue.

(1st Lord.) THOMAS, the eldest son, born August 10, 1716, was created a Peer by the title of Baron Foley, May 20, 1776. He married, March 28, 1740, Grace, third daughter and co-heiress of George Granville, Baron Lansdown, by which Lady, who died November 21, 1769, he had issue; Thomas, born July 7, 1742, now Lord Foley.—Grace, born January 17, 1743-4, married May 21, 1774, James Hamilton, Earl of Clanbrassil, of Ireland.—Edward, born March 16, 1747, married Oct. 20, 1778, Anne-Margaret Coventry, second daughter of William, Earl of Coventry.—Mary, born Jan. 17, 1749-50.—Andrew, married May 7, 1773, Elizabeth, sole daughter and heir of Boulter Tomlinson, Esq. by whom he has issue, 1. Elizabeth, born March 15, 1774. 2. Grace-Mary, born May 1775. 3. Henrietta-Mary, born April 4, 1777.—Elizabeth, born October 13, 1756, died unmarried October 13, 1776.—Anne, born Sept. 12, 1759, married May 9, 1776, to Edward Winnington, Esq. eldest son of Sir Edward Winnington, Bart. of Stanford Court, Worcestershire, and has issue.—Robert, died an infant.—Paul, died an infant. And his Lordship deceasing November 18, 1777, was succeeded by his son,

(2d Lord.) THOMAS, the present Lord.

CREATION.] Baron Foley, of Kidderminster, May 20, 1776.

ARMS.] *Argent*, a fess engrailed between three cinquefoils, all within a border, *sable*. [Plate XXXIV.]

CREST.] On a wreath, a lion sejant, *argent*, holding between his paws an escutcheon, with the arms of Foley.

SUPPORTERS.] Two lions, *argent*, femée of cinquefoils, *sable*.

MOTTO.] *Ut profim.* That I may do Good.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Stoke-Edith, Herefordshire; and at Great Whitley, Worcestershire.

THURLOW, LORD THURLOW.

THE Right Honourable EDWARD THURLOW, Lord THURLOW, of Ashfield, in the county of Suffolk, created a Peer June 2, 1778. He was bred to the study of the Law, and in May 1770, appointed Solicitor General; and on June 23, 1771, succeeded Sir William De Grey, late Lord Walsingham, as Attorney General; and on June 2, 1778, was constituted Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain, when he was created a Peer as above. His Lordship is a widower, and has a son now living.

His Lordship is said to be a descendant from Thurlow, Secretary to Cromwell, and his family resident in Suffolk, where his Lordship received his education under the tuition of his father, the Reverend Thomas Thurlow, who married Elizabeth Smith, of Ashfield, in that county, by whom he had issue, Edward, the present Lord.—Thomas, in Holy Orders, the present Master of the Temple, and Bishop of Lincoln, who is married, and has a son, born June 11, 1781.—John, who resided at Norwich, and died March 11, 1782, having married Miss Moore, by whom he left issue a son, Edward; and a daughter, Josepha.

ARMS.] *Argent*, on a cheveron, between two cheveronels, *sable*, three portcullises with chains and rings, *argent*.

CREST.] On a wreath, a raven, *proper*, with a portcullis hung round his neck, *argent*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two eagles regardant, *sable*, each with a portcullis, as the crest, *argent*.

MOTTO.] *Justitiæ soror fides*. Truth is Sister to Justice.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Knights Hill, near Dulwich in Surry.

WEDDERBURN, LORD LOUGHBOROUGH.

THE Right Hon. ALEXANDER WEDDERBURN, Lord LOUGHBOROUGH, in the county of Leicester, was created Baron Loughborough, June 14, 1780. He was appointed one of his Majesty's Counsel, February 17, 1763; Solicitor General, Jan. 26, 1771; and Attorney General, June 10, 1778. He served in several Parliaments, from 1761 to 1780. On the 14th of June, 1780, he was made Chief Justice of the Common Pleas, called to the Privy Council,

Council, and created a Peer by the above title. He was born Feb. 13, 1733, and married first, December 31, 1767, Betty-Anne, sole child and heir of John Dawson, Esq. of Morley, in the county of York, by whom, who died February 15, 1781, he had no issue. He married secondly, Sept. 12, 1782, Charlotte, youngest sister to the present Lord Viscount Courtenay.

The surname of Wedderburn is derived from the Barony of that name, in the county of Berwick. The immediate ancestor of this Lord was Sir Peter Wedderburn, of Gosford, in the county of Haddington, a younger son of the family of Wedderburn, in the county of Forfar, and one of the Lords of Session in Scotland, in the reign of Charles II. He had three sons; and a daughter, Agatha, who married David Haliburton, of Pitcur.—John, the eldest son, Member of Parliament for the county of Haddington, and a Privy Counsellor, died unmarried in 1688.—Peter, the second son, married the heiress of Halkett, of Pitfirrane; and his eldest son, Sir Peter, assumed the name, and succeeded to the estate of his mother. He sat in Parliament for the borough of Stirling, &c. was Colonel of the 48th Regiment of Foot, and killed in the action at Monangahela, July 9, 1755. His brother Charles, the second son, succeeded to the paternal estate of Gosford, and left a son, the present Sir John Halkett, of Pitfirrane, that estate having devolved to him with the condition of assuming the name, by the extinction of the prior line.—Alexander, third son of Sir Peter Wedderburn, of Gosford, was called to the Bar, in Scotland, and upon the Union of the two Kingdoms, appointed one of the Commissioners of Excise. He had Peter, his eldest son; and a daughter Mary, who married George Cheap, Esq. whose children are Thomas, one of the Directors of the East India Company; Andrew, Prebendary of York, and Rector of Sutton in the Forest; and Mary, the widow of Colonel Mark Renton.

PETER, the eldest son, was called to the Bar, and having practised with reputation, was appointed one of the Lords of Session by his late Majesty. He married Janet, daughter of Captain David Ogilvy, by whom, who died in June 1771, he had two sons; and one daughter, Janet, married to Sir Henry Erskine, of Alva, Bart. who died August 1765, Lieutenant-General, and Colonel of the Royal Regiment of Artillery, leaving issue, the present Sir James Erskine, Bart. a Captain of the 14th Regiment of Dragoons, and Member of Parliament for Castle Rising; John, a student at Oxford; and a daughter, Maria-Henrietta.—David, the second son, was a

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Lieutenant Colonel of the 22d Regiment of Foot; and having served with distinction in the late war, in the year 1770 was appointed to command the East India Company's Forces at Bombay, with the rank of Brigadier General, where he was unfortunately killed at the reduction of Baroack, Dec. 31, 1767.—Alexander, the eldest son, is the present Lord Loughborough. Their father died August 11, 1756.

ARMS.] *Argent*, on a cheveron, *gules*, between three roses of the last, barbed, *vert*; a fleur-de-lis, *argent*.

CREST.] An eagle's head, couped, *proper*, on a wreath.

SUPPORTERS.] On each side an eagle, wings elevated, *proper*, gorged with a collar, *argent*, thereon a rose, *gules*.

MOTTO.] *Illeſi luminem ſolem.* An unclouded Sun.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Mitcham, in Surry.

RICE, BARONESS DINEVOR.

THE Right Hon. CECIL RICE, Baroneſs DINEVOR, in her own right, ſucceeded to the Barony on the death of her father, William, late Earl of Talbot, uncle to the preſent Lord Talbot, ſo created Oct. 17, 1780, with remainder to this his daughter and her iſſue, by her late huſband, George Rice, Eſq. of Newton, in Carmarthenſhire, who died Auguſt 1779, by whom ſhe had iſſue, George Talbot, born October 8, 1765.—William, born April 1, 1769, died April 20, 1780.—Edward, born November 19, 1776.—Henrietta-Cecilia, born September 28, 1758,—Lucy, born May 29, 1763; died young.—Maria, born April 5, 1773.

For the pedigree, &c. of this Baroneſs, ſee the preſent Lord TALBOT.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Henſol, in Glamorganſhire; and at Aldborough-hall, in Eſſex.

GAGE, LORD GAGE.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM-HALL GAGE, Baron GAGE, of Thirle, in Suſſex, ſo created October 17, 1780; and alſo VISCOUNT GAGE, of the kingdom of Ireland.

See Viſcount GAGE, in the Peerage of Ireland.

BRUDENELL,

BRUDENELL, LORD BRUDENELL.

THE Right Honourable JAMES BRUDENELL, Baron BRUDENELL, of Deane, in the county of Northampton, was created a Peer by that title, October 17, 1780, is brother to the present Duke of Montagu, and presumptive heir to the Earldom of Cardigan. His Lordship married November 19, 1760, Anne, eldest daughter of George, Lord Lewisham, and sister to the present Earl of Dartmouth.

For his pedigree, &c. see Duke of MONTAGU.

ARMS.] *Argent*, a cheveron, *gules*; between three morions, *proper*.

CREST.] A sea-horse, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side, a buck, *proper*, holding in his mouth an arrow, with a cross pattee fitchee between his antlets. On the sinister side, a horse, *proper*.

MOTTO.] *En grace affie*. On Grace depend.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Deane, in Northamptonshire.

DE GREY, LORD WALSINGHAM.

THE Right Honourable THOMAS DE GREY, Baron WALSINGHAM, of Walsingham, in the county of Norfolk, succeeded his late father, May 9, 1781. His Lordship was born July 14, 1748; was appointed one of the Grooms of his Majesty's Bedchamber in June 1771, one of the Commissioners of Trade and Plantations in June 1777, and in Feb. 1778, one of the under Secretaries of State in the American department, and at present is Comptroller of the First Fruits and Tenths. He was chosen to serve in Parliament for the borough of Wareham, in Dorsetshire, in Feb. 1774; for the borough of Tamworth in October of the same year; and for the borough of Lestwithiel, in Cornwall, in Sept. 1780, which he continued till his accession to the Peerage. He married April 30, 1772, Augusta-Georgiana-Elizabeth, only daughter of William, Lord Boston, by whom he has issue; George, born June 11, 1776.—Thomas, born April 8, 1778.—Georgiana, born June 28, 1773.—Charlotte, born June 28, 1774.—Augusta-Mary, born March 7, 1780.

The family of the Grais, Greys, Graas, or Grays, (for by all these names they are spoken of in antient evidences) is descended from Anscitil, or Anschitil De Grey, a Norman, who

who came in with William the Conqueror, being firnamed from the place of his residence, in Picardy. He had large possessions of that Prince's gift. The Peerages give a higher account of this family; but Blomfield, from whose History of Norfolk this account is chiefly taken, goes no higher than Anscitil, whose son Richard, was a Benefactor to Eynsham Abbey, and was succeeded by John, his son and heir, whose second brother, John De Grey, was Bishop of Norwich; and his third brother, Henry, was in great favour with Richard I. as appears from the grant which that Prince made to him of the Manor of Thurrock, in Essex, anno 1194; and it is evident, that he continued in favour under King John, not only from the confirmation of this grant, but from a special charter. Henry III. also gave him Grimston Manor, in the county of Nottingham, part of the possessions of Robert Bar-dolph.

JOHN De Grey, his uncle, was Archdeacon of Gloucester, and Bishop of Norwich, in the year 1200; Chief Justice of England, and afterwards Lord Justice of Ireland. He died at Picton, in 1214; and was buried at Norwich.

HENRY aforesaid, his nephew, left four sons, viz. 1. Richard, of Codnovre. 2. John, ancestor of the houses of Wilton, Groby, Dorset, and Lisle. 3. Robert, of Rotherfield. 4. William.

Blomfield supposes William to have been of Langford, in Nottinghamshire, then of Sandiacre, in Derbyshire, afterwards of Gray's Hall in Cavendish, and Cornarth in Suffolk, which estate still remains in the family. That he had two sons, John and Henry, and that Sir Thomas De Grey, of Cornerth, was son and heir of John, of Gray's Hall, in Cavendish, and married before the year 1306, to Alice, daughter and sole heiress of Sir Richard de Cornerth, a family of great antiquity, seated for many generations at that place. One of them was Sheriff for the counties of Norfolk and Suffolk, in the 8th year of the reign of King John.

Sir THOMAS De Grey was succeeded by his son, Sir Thomas, who died 1338, having married Isabel, daughter and heiress of Fulk Bagnard, of Merton, in the county of Norfolk. In consequence of this marriage, he settled at Merton, and the family have continued there in lineal succession ever since. He was succeeded by Sir Roger, who died in 1371, whose son Thomas, dying without issue, his uncle Fulk De Grey came into possession, from whom the estate descended to his son Fulk, who married Margaret Vernon, and dying 1474, left William, who married into the family of Bedingfield.

Edmund

Edmund succeeded William, married Elizabeth Spelman, and died August 20, 1548. Their son Thomas, married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Richard Fitz-Lewes, and died 1556. Thomas, his son, married Anne Everard, and his son dying an infant, in 1556, was succeeded by Robert Grey, his uncle, who married Anne Lovel, and died in the year 1660.

Sir WILLIAM, his son, is said to have been as eminent for his probity as descent. He died 1632. By his wife, Anne Calthorpe, daughter of Sir James Calthorpe, he had issue, Robert, who served in the county Trained Bands, was knighted by Charles I. 1641. He died 1644, and was succeeded by James his brother, who married Elizabeth Estreteville. He died 1665.

WILLIAM, his son, was chosen to serve in Parliament for the borough of Thetford, 1685. He married Elizabeth Beddingfield, by whom he had

THOMAS, father of the late Peer, born Aug. 13, 1680, was Major in the Norfolk Militia, and was chosen for Thetford in the year 1705; for the county of Norfolk in the years 1714 and 1724; married Elizabeth, daughter of William Windham, of Felbrigg, Esq. in the same county, by whom, who died May 10, 1758, he had six children, and died Dec. 18, 1765. The issue were, Elizabeth, born 1707, married June 3, 1734, to Edward Chamberlain, of Great Cressingham, in Norfolk, Clerk, by whom she had issue, 1. Charlotte, born Nov. 12, 1741, and married March 17, 1778, to William Hayward Roberts, D. D. 2. Anne, born June 21, 1748, married June 3, 1771, to Benjamin Kennicott, D. D. 3. George, born Feb. 2, 1738. 4. Edward, born Jan. 23, 1740. 5. Thomas, born May 13, 1743.—Charlotte, the second daughter, died unmarried in 1727.—Catharine, the third daughter, was born April 26, 1713, died unmarried June 1777.—William, the eldest son, was born September 10, 1710, died in 1718.—Thomas, the second son, was born September 29, 1717, educated at Christ's College, Cambridge, married August 12, 1745, to Elizabeth, third daughter of Samuel Fisher, Esq. of Bury St. Edmunds: she died without issue, Jan. 23, 1750. He was Colonel of the Western Battalion of the Norfolk Militia for many years, and was chosen to represent the county in Parliament in the year 1764, and again in 1768. He died June 1781.—William, the third son, was born at Merton, July 19, 1719; was of Trinity Hall, Cambridge, and was called to the Bar. He was appointed King's Counsel on the 30th January, 1758; Solicitor General to the Queen in September 1761; Solicitor General to the King,
Dec.

Dec. 16, 1763; Attorney General, August 6, 1766. He was chosen to serve in Parliament for the borough of Newport, in Cornwall, in the years 1761 and 1768, and for the University of Cambridge in 1770. On the 26th January, 1771, he received the honour of Knighthood; and was advanced to the dignity of Chief Justice of the Court of Common Pleas, which he resigned on the 8th June, 1780. On the 29th Sept. 1780, he was created Baron Walsingham, of Walsingham, in the county of Norfolk. He married November 12, 1743, Mary, daughter of William Cowper, of the Park, near Hertford, Esq. by whom he had issue, William, born June 25, 1746, who died February following.—Charlotte, born Feb. 7, 1745-6, married June 16, 1769, to Joseph Windham, Esq. of Waghen, in Yorkshire.—Thomas, his successor. His Lordship died May 9, 1781, and was succeeded by

(2d Lord.) THOMAS, the present Lord.

CREATION.] Baron Walsingham, Oct. 17, 1780.

ARMS.] Azure, two bars, argent; a chief of the second, three annulets, gules.

CREST.] A dragon's head, proper.

SUPPORTERS.] Two dragons regardant, proper, chained, or.

MOTTO.] *Excitari non hebescere.* Spirited not inactive.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Merton, near Thetford, in Norfolk.

B A G O T, L O R D B A G O T.

THE Right Hon. WILLIAM BAGOT, Baron BAGOT of Blithfield, in the county of Stafford, and a Baronet, was created a Peer Oct. 17, 1780. He married Aug. 20, 1760, Louisa, daughter of John St. John, Viscount St. John, and sister to the present Viscount Bolingbroke, by whom he has had the following issue, Edward, born Jan. 23, 1763, who died 1773.—Walter, born March 28, 1766, who died 1773.—William, born Sept. 11, 1773.—Hervey, born March 14, 1777.—Louisa, born Sept. 30, 1764.—Barbara, born Oct. 25, 1768, who died 1773.—Henrietta, born Feb. 14, 1780.—Another son, born Sept. 22, 1781.

This noble family is of great eminence and antiquity, and, as appears by Domesday-Book, were possessors of Bagot's-Bromley in Staffordshire, at the time of the Conqueror's survey, which they held of the Barons Stafford, whose male line became extinct 1195, and they became possessed of it by marriage

riage with the heiress of Robert de Stafford, with Hervey Bagot, a younger branch of this family, who thereupon assumed the surname and title of Stafford, and became progenitor to the succeeding Barons and Earls of Stafford and Dukes of Buckingham. From Bagod, Dominus Midietatis de Bramale, descended Sir John Bagot, Knt. Lieutenant of Calais, and Privy Council to Henry IV. ancestor of Sir Lewis Bagot, Knt. who was of the body to Henry VII. from whom descended Walter Bagot, who married Elizabeth, sister to William, Lord Burleigh, by whom he had four daughters and five sons; the eldest died unmarried in the life-time of the father; and the second, Hervey, ancestor of the present Lord, was advanced to the dignity of a Baronet, 1627. He married first Catharine, daughter of Humphrey Adderley, Esq. of Weddington in Warwickshire, who died Feb. 16, 1622; and he married secondly, Anne, daughter of Sir Clement Fisher, Knt. of Packington in Warwickshire, relict of Sir Thomas Dilke, Knt. of Maxstoke-Castle in the same county, and she died without issue, Dec. 27, 1660. By his first wife he had issue; John, who died young.—Sir Edward, his successor.—Hervey, of Pipe-hall, Esq. in Staffordshire, who married first Dorothy, daughter of Sir Henry Arden, Knt. who died Sept. 1649; and he married secondly, Elizabeth, sole daughter and heir of Sir Thomas Rotheram Knt. of Somersesse in Bedfordshire, by whom, who died 1685, he had a daughter who died 1653, unmarried. By his first wife he had two sons, 1. Arden, of Pipe-hall, who married Mary, daughter of Sir Thomas Leigh, and sister to Lord Leigh, by whom he had William; who died an infant; and Thomas-Arden, who married Honor, daughter and coheir of Sir William Egerton, Knt. of Worsley, brother to John, Earl of Bridgewater, by whom he was father of Egerton Bagot, Esq. 2. Colonel Richard Bagot, second son of Hervey Bagot, died unmarried; and his daughter Mary, first married to Charles Berkeley, Earl of Falmouth, and secondly, to Charles Sackville, Earl of Dorset. Sir Henry Bagot, Bart. died Dec. 27, 1660, when he was succeeded by

(2d Baronet.) Sir EDWARD, his second son, who married Mary, daughter of William Lambard, Esq. of Buckingham, by whom he had twelve sons and five daughters; all of whom either died infants or unmarried, except Walter his successor; Anne, who married Walter Chetwynd, Esq. of Staffordshire, and died 1671; and Mary, wife of Sir Richard Newdigate, Bart.

Bart. of Arbury, in Warwickshire. Sir Edward died March 30, 1673, and was succeeded by his only surviving son,

(3d Baronet.) Sir WALTER, who married Jane, daughter and sole heir of Charles Salesbury, Esq. of Bachymbyd in Denbighshire, by whom, who died 1695, he had issue, ve sons and five daughters. Four of the sons died without leaving issue; Mary, the eldest daughter, married Sir George Parker, Bart. of Ratton in Suffex.—Elizabeth, married the Earl of Uxbridge.—Jane, married Maurice Jones, Esq. of Denbighshire.—Anne, married George Shakerley, Esq. of Denbighshire.—Frances, died unmarried. Sir Walter died 1704, and was succeeded by his only surviving son,

(4th Baronet.) Sir EDWARD, who married Frances, daughter and sole heir of Sir Thomas Wagstaffe, Knt. of Tachbrooke in Warwickshire; (who surviving him married the late Sir Adolphus Oughton, Bart.) by this Lady he had issue two sons, Hervey, who died an infant 1699.—Walter-Wagstaffe, his successor.—And two daughters, Frances, married to Sir John Chester, Bart. of Chichley, in Bucks; and Jane, married to Craven Kynnersley, Esq. of Loxley, in Staffordshire. Sir Edward died May 1712, and was succeeded by his only surviving son,

(5th Baronet.) Sir WALTER Wagstaffe, Bart. who married 1724, Barbara, eldest daughter of the Right Hon. William, Earl of Dartmouth, by whom he had eight sons and eight daughters. The sons were, Edward and John, who died infants.—William, his successor, the present Lord.—Walter, bred to the church, at present Rector of Blithfield and Leigh in Staffordshire, born Nov. 2, 1731, married Sept. 7, 1773, Anne, daughter of W. Swinnerton, Esq. of Staffordshire, and has five children.—Charles, born Sept. 1, 1730, who took the name of Chester on the death of Sir Charles-Bagot Chester, Bart. married Catharine, daughter of Heneage Legge, Esq. and has twelve children.—Richard, born Nov. 13, 1733, married Feb. 25, 1783, Miss Howard, sister to the 12th Earl of Suffolk.—Lewis, D. D. Dean of Christ Church, Oxford, and Bishop of Norwich, born Jan. 1, 1740, married Mary, daughter of Edward Hay, Esq.—Thomas, born Feb. 14, 1746, died unmarried. Sir Walter was one of the trustees for executing the will of the learned Dr. Ratcliffe, and was a member of Parliament for six parliaments of Great Britain, and dying Jan. 28, 1768, was succeeded by his son,

(6th Bart. and 1st Lord.) Sir William, the present Lord.

ARMS.] *Ermine*, two cheverons, *azure*.

CREST.

CREST.] On a ducal coronet, *or*, a goat's head, coupéd, *argent*, attired, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two goats, *proper*, attired, *or*.

MOTTO.]

CHIEF SEATS.] At Gifford-Hall, Suffolk; Bromley-Hall, Essex; Sevington, in Hampshire; and at Blythfield, near Litchfield.

FITZROY, LORD SOUTHAMPTON.

THE Right Honourable CHARLES FITZROY, Lord SOUTHAMPTON, brother to the Duke of Grafton, was Oct. 17, 1780, created a Peer by the title of Baron of Southampton. His Lordship is a Lieutenant General of his Majesty's Forces, and Colonel of the third Regiment of Dragoons. He was born June 25, 1737, married July 27, 1758, Anne, daughter and coheir of Sir Peter Warren, Knight of the Bath, and Vice Admiral of his Majesty's Fleet, by whom he has had issue, Anne-Caroline, born May 1759, and died an infant.—Susanna-Maria, born Sept. 7, 1760.—Charlotte, born June 3, 1767.—Emily, born Dec. 27, 1770.—Louisa, born Dec. 12, 1771.—George-Ferdinand, born Aug. 7, 1761.—Charles, born Sept. 5, 1762.—Augustus-William, born July 21, 1764.—Henry, born Sept. 13, 1765.—Warren, born Sept. 1, 1768.—Frederick, born Oct. 10, 1769.—William, born Dec. 12, 1773.—Robert, born May 25, 1775.—Edward-Somerset, born Oct. 25, 1776.—A son in July 1778.—Another son, born Nov. 1779.

His Lordship's descent, is shewn under the pedigree of Duke of GRAFTON.

Arms, Supporters, Crest, and Motto, the same as the Duke of GRAFTON, with a crescent for difference.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Highgate in Middlesex; and at West Horsley near Guildford in Surry.

HERBERT, LORD PORCHESTER.

THE Right Hon. HENRY HERBERT, Lord PORCHESTER, was created Baron Porchester of Highclere in Hampshire, Oct. 17, 1780, married July 15, 1771, Elizabeth-Alicia-Maria, daughter of Charles, Earl of Egremont, born Nov. 29, 1752, by whom he has issue, Henry-George,

George, born June 3, 1772.—Charles, born July 31, 1774*
 —William, born Jan. 12, 1778.—George, born Feb. 21,
 1779.—Percy, born Sept. 17, 1780.—Frances, born June 5,
 1775.

The descent, &c. of his Lordship is shewn under the pedigree of the Earl of PEMBROKE, being the son of William, the 5th son of Thomas, father of the present Earl.

Arms, Supporters, Crest, and Motto, the same as the Earl of PEMBROKE, with a crescent for difference.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Highclere in Hampshire.

DUNNING, LORD ASHBURTON.

THE Right Honourable RICHARD-BARRÉ DUNNING, Lord ASHBURTON, was born Sept. 20, 1782, and succeeded his father John, the late Lord, Aug. 18, 1783.

The Dunnings or Donnings are of Saxon origin, the word, in the Teutonic or Saxon, signifying an Eminence or Lofty Mountain. We meet with the family in Domes-day Book, and we find them scattered in various parts of the kingdom, descended from one common Saxon ancestor. For many centuries back Richard has been a favourite Christian name with them, and we find Richard Donning de Aubray or Atterbury built a castle near Newbury, and called it from his own name Donnington-Castle. In the twelfth century we find the family seated in several of the northern parishes in the county of Devon, and from thence, in the fifteenth century, they fixed themselves at Gnatham in the parish of Wackhampton in the same county. John Dunning, grandfather of the late Lord, resided at Gnatham, whose second son John Dunning, an eminent Attorney at Law, resided at Ashburton in Devonshire, and died Dec. 1, 1780, aged 80, having married Agnes, daughter of Henry Jutsham, of Old Port near Modbury, in the same county, by whom he had issue; John, who died an infant.—Mary, now living, born Sept. 1733.—John, the late Lord Ashburton, who was born Oct. 18, 1731, and being bred to the law, rendered himself eminently conspicuous both for his extensive knowledge, eloquence, and inflexible integrity. His Lordship early in life discovered unrivalled abilities, which emerged him from obscurity, so that in Dec.

1767, he was appointed Solicitor General, which he resigned in March 1770, through party honour, and re-assumed his attendance at the bar, with uncommon success, till his Majesty in April 1782, was pleased to appoint him one of his Cabinet Council, Chancellor of the Duchy Court of Lancaster; and immediately after created him Baron Ashburton, of Ashburton in the county of Devon; but his health being greatly impaired by his intense application to business, and his endeavours to serve his country, suffered him not long to enjoy these honours; of whom a most elevated orator gave the following just character: "I am not afraid of offending a most learned body, and most jealous of its reputation for that learning, when I say he was the first of his profession. It is a point settled, by those who settle every thing else; and I must add, (what I am enabled to say from my own long and close observation) that there was not a man of any profession, or in any situation, of a more erect and independent spirit; of a more proud honour; a more manly mind; a more firm and determined integrity." His Lordship married March 31, 1770, Elizabeth, daughter of John Baring, Esq. of Larkbear, born 1744, and sister to John Baring, Esq. of Mount Radford, near Exeter; for which city he is representative in Parliament; by which lady he had issue John, born Oct. 29, 1781, who died April 4, 1782; and Richard Barré, the present Lord Ashburton, his successor.

CREATION.] As above.

ARMS.] Bendy, sinister of eight, *or* and *vert*, a lion rampant, *sable*.

CREST.] On a wreath, an antelope's head, *proper*, armed, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two antelopes, *proper*, armed, *or*, collared bendy of six, *or* and *vert*, each charged on the shoulder with a slip of oak, *proper*.

MOTTO.] *Studiis et rebus honestis*. By Learning and Virtue.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Ashburton in Devonshire; and at Putney Heath in Surry.

N O R T O N, L O R D G R A N T L E Y.

THE Right Honourable FLETCHER NORTON, Lord GRANTLEY, Baron of Markenfield in the county of York; which title was conferred on him March 30,

1782. His Lordship was born June 23, 1716, and married May 21, 1741, Grace, eldest daughter of Sir William Chapple, Knt. one of the Judges of the Court of King's Bench; by whom he has issue, William, born Feb. 19, 1742, appointed in 1765, his Majesty's Minister to the Swiss Cantons, member for Guildford in Surry, and Major of the Surry Militia.—Fletcher, of the Middle Temple, a Baron of the Exchequer in Scotland, and one of the members for Carlisle in the late Parliament; born Nov. 16, 1744.—Chapple, a Colonel in the Army, and Captain in the second Regiment of Foot Guards, born April 2, 1746.—Edward, of the Middle Temple, a Barrister at Law, and member for Haslemere in Surry, born March 11, 1750.—Thomas, who died an infant.—Grace-Trehane, who died an infant.—Grace, born Nov. 8, 1752, now unmarried.

His Lordship is descended from a very ancient family in Yorkshire and Suffolk, and being bred to the Law, became eminent in the profession, and was appointed King's Counsel; in Dec. 1761, he was appointed Solicitor General, and received the honour of Knighthood during his holding that office. In Nov. 1763, he was made Attorney General, and in 1769 he was appointed Chief Justice in Ayre, and sworn of his Majesty's Privy Council. In 1770, he was chosen Speaker of the House of Commons, having represented Appleby in Westmoreland; Wigan in Lancashire; and Guildford in Surry; in which station he continued till called to the Peerage in 1782.

ARMS.] *Azure*, a maunch, *ermine*, over all a bend, *gules*.

SUPPORTERS.] On the dexter side a lion, *or*, collared *azure*, buckle as the first, pendant thereto an escutcheon the same as the Arms. On the sinister side a gryphon, *argent*, charged with the same collar and escutcheon as the dexter supporter.

CREST.] A Moor's head couped at the shoulders, *proper*, crowned with a wreath of ivy; String; *argent* and *azure*.

MOTTO.] *Avi numerantur avorum*. Like among like.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Grantley, near Ripon in Yorkshire; and at Wonerth, near Guildford, Surry.

R O D N E Y, L O R D R O D N E Y.

THE Right Hon. GEORGE-BRYDGES RODNEY, Lord RODNEY, Baronet, and Knight of the Bath, was in consideration of the signal services done his country, on May, 12, 1782, created Baron Rodney, of Rodney-Stoke in the county

county of Somerset. His Lordship married first Feb. 2, 1753, Jane, daughter of Charles Compton, Esq. and sister to the present Earl of Northampton, by whom; who died Jan. 28, 1757, he had issue two sons; George, the present representative in Parliament for Northampton, and a Captain in the Guards, born Dec. 25, 1758; married April 10, 1781, Martha, daughter of Alderman Harley of London, by whom he has issue, a son, born June 17, 1782, and another son born June 19, 1783.—James. His Lordship married secondly, Henrietta, daughter of John Clies, a Merchant of Lisbon, but of a Cornish family; by whom he has issue, John, born May 10, 1765, a Captain in the Navy.—Jane, born Dec. 14, 1766.—Another daughter born 1770, and a third born April 1780.

The family of Rodney resided for several generations in the county of Somerset, and has produced many branches, but the elder branch terminating in an heiress, who married Sir Thomas Brydges of Keynsham Abbey, (the seat of the present Duke of Chandos) the ancestor of the present Lord, is the reason the additional Christian name of Brydges is given him. His Lordship having been bred to the sea, and serving in different stations, was in 1742, appointed a Captain in the Navy. In 1749, made Governor and Commander in Chief of the Island of Newfoundland. In 1759, he commanded the squadron that bombarded Havre-de-Grace on the coast of France; and was joint commander of the fleet at the taking the Havana in 1762. He was in 1764, created a Baronet and a Vice Admiral. In 1765, was appointed Master of the Royal Hospital at Greenwich. In 1771, was promoted to be a Rear Admiral; and in 1780 Commander in Chief of his Majesty's fleet at Barbadoes and the Leeward Islands, and the same year was created a Knight of the Order of the Bath, and received the thanks of the House of Lords and Commons for his eminent services in taking a convoy of Spanish ships, defeating and taking the Spanish Admiral Don Langara, and relieving Gibraltar. In 1781, he took the Island of St. Eustatia with an immense booty; and on his return to England was appointed Vice Admiral of Great Britain, and Lieutenant of the Admiralty, and was unanimously chosen to represent the city and liberty of Westminster, which he vacated on his promotion to the Peerage.

ARMS.] *Or*, three eagles displayed, *proper*.

CREST.] Out of a ducal coronet, *or*, a demy eagle rising, *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two eagles, *proper*, holding banners of St. George, charged on the staffs, *gules*, with ducal coronets, *or*.

MOTTO.] *Non generant aquilæ columbus.* Eagles do not breed Pigeons.

CHIEF SEATS.] At Purbeck Park near Salisbury; Rodney-Stoke in Somerset; and at Great Alresford in Hampshire.

R A W D O N, L O R D R A W D O N.

THE Right Hon. FRANCIS RAWDON, Lord RAWDON, eldest son of the Earl of MOIRA in Ireland, was created Baron Rawdon, of Rawdon in the county of York, March 4, 1783.

For a further account of his Lordship's family and descent, see Earl of MOIRA in the Peerage of *Ireland*.

Arms, Crest, Supporters and Motto, the same as the Earl of Moira his father, except in the Baron's coronet.

T O W N S H E N D, L O R D S Y D N E Y.

THE Right Hon. THOMAS TOWNSHEND, Baron SYDNEY, of Chiselmurst in the county of Kent, was created a Peer of Great Britain by that title, March 4, 1783, born Feb. 1731; married May 19, 1760, Elizabeth, eldest daughter and coheir of Richard Powys, Esq. and has had issue; Georgiana.—Mary-Elizabeth, married July 7, 1783, to the present Earl of Chatham.—John-Thomas.—Albinia, who died young.—Charles-Horatio, who died young.—Henry, who died young.—Frederick-Roger.—Frances.—Henrietta-Catharine.—William-Augustus.—Sophia-Charlotte, who died young.

His Lordship is cousin to the present Viscount Townshend, being son of Thomas the third son of Charles, the second Viscount, and nephew to Charles the late Viscount.

For an account of his Lordship's family, see Viscount TOWNSHEND.

Arms, Crest, Supporters and Motto, the same as Viscount Townshend, with a crescent for difference.

CHIEF SEAT.] At Frognal, near Foot's Cray in Kent.

PITT, LORD CAMELFORD.

THE Right Hon. THOMAS PITT, Lord CAMELFORD, Baron Bocconec of the county of Cornwall, created to that title Dec. 30, 1783. He was born March 3, 1737, and appointed one of the Lords of the Admiralty, April 16, 1763; married July 29, 1774, Anne, daughter and co-heir of Pinkney Wilkinon, Esq. of Burnham in the county of Norfolk, by whom he has issue Thomas, born Feb. 19, 1775.—Anne, born Sept. 10, 1772.

His Lordship is descended from the same ancestor as the Earl of Chatham and Lord Rivers, under which titles his descent is already described. His Lordship's grandfather was Thomas Pitt, Esq. married Harriot, sister to John Villiers, Earl of Grandison of Ireland, and by her had five daughters, who are treated of under the pedigree of Earl Chatham as well as his second son William, the late Earl. The eldest son, Thomas Pitt, Esq. seated at Bocconec in Cornwall, was Lord Warden of the Stannaries, and Steward of the Duchy of Cornwall and Devon. He was member of four Parliaments for Oakhampton, and in three was elected also for Old Sarum, which he represented in two, and died July, 1760, having married Christian, eldest daughter of Sir Thomas Lyttelton, of Hagley in Worcestershire, and sister to George, the late Lord Lyttelton, by which Lady, who died June 5, 1750, he had issue, Thomas, the present Lord Camelford.—Amelia, married to William Spry, L. L. D. Governor of Barbadoes.—Christian, married to Thomas Saunders, Esq. Governor of Fort St. George. He married secondly, Anne-Maria Murray, by whom he had no issue.

ARMS.] *Sable*, a fesse cheque, *or* and *azure*, between three bezants of the second. [See Plate XXXVII.]

CREST.] A crane, *proper*, beaked and membered, *or*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two Cornish choughs, *proper*, regardant, with wings elevated.

MOTTO.] *Per ardua liberi.* By Desire of my Children

CHIEF SEATS.] Bocconec, in Cornwall; and Old Sarum, in Wilts.

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CARTERET, LORD CARTERET.

THE Right Hon. FREDERICK CARTERET, Baron CARTERET, of Hawnes in the county of Bedford, which title was conferred on his Lordship Jan. 30, 1784, with remainders to the Hon. George Thynne, second son; the Hon. John Thynne, third son; and the fourth, fifth, sixth, and seventh; and every other son and sons, severally and successively of the Right Hon. Thomas, Lord Viscount Weymouth, and the respective heirs male of their bodies lawfully begotten. His Lordship is only brother to the present Lord Viscount Weymouth, was born Nov. 17, 1735, and is now unmarried. For his Lordship's descent and connexions, see Viscount WEYMOUTH.

ARMS.] Quartered quarterly. The first and fourth quarter of the first grand quarter, *gules*, four fusils in fesse, *argent*, for *Carteret*; the second and third quarter, *gules*, a chevron between three clarions, *or*, for *Granville*. The first and fourth quarter of the second and third grand quarter, barry of ten, *or* and *sable*, for *Thynne*. The second and third quarter, *argent*, a lion rampant, *gules*, for *Philips*.

CREST.] On a wreath, a branch of a tree, and thereon a squirrel, *sejant*, feeding on a chesnut, all *proper*.

SUPPORTERS.] Two winged deer, *gules*, attired the same.

MOTTO.] *Loyal devoir.* Loyal Duty.

CHIEF SEATS.] Hawnes, near Bedford.

E L I O T , L O R D E L I O T .

THE Right Hon. EDWARD ELIOT, Baron ELIOT, of St. Germain's in Cornwall, created to that title Jan. 30, 1784; was born July 8, 1727. He was appointed Receiver General of the Duchy of Cornwall in 1775, and married Sept. 25, 1756, Catharine, sole daughter and heir of Edward Ellifon, Esq. of Ditchley in Essex, by whom he has had issue, Edward, who died an infant.—Edward-James, born July, 1758, and in Dec. 1783, was appointed one of the Lords of the Treasury.—John, born Sept. 28, 1761.—William, born April 1, 1766.

This Family has been long resident in Devon and Cornwall, in great repute, from whom descended Richard Eliot, Esq. of Port Eliot, in the parish of St. Germain's in the county of Cornwall,

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