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THE RECORDS OF THE CORPORATION OF OSWESTRY.

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(Continued from p. 52 of Vol. IV.)

THE Records of Oswestry, from 1674 to the present time, are in the form of entries in the Corporation Books more than of separate Deeds. We cannot transcribe the contents of these volumes in their entirety; we shall therefore describe the books and then extract (as far as is convenient in the order of date) the more interesting of the notices contained in them.

I.—1673 to 1801. Book containing a list of the Mayors and other Officers of the Corporation, together with notices of other matters.

II.—1674 to 1758. Book of the Mayor's accounts.

III.—1676 to 1834. Lists of the Oswestry Burgesses, not quite regularly kept.

IV.—1714 to 1757. 2nd Vol., 1757 to 1832. Books of the Civil Court held weekly before the Mayor and Town Clerk.

V.—1725 to 1760. Parchment Rolls of Burgesses.

VI.—1733 to 1754. Muringer's accounts.

VII.—1737 to 1765. 2nd Vol., 1766 to 1792. 3rd Vol., 1793 to 1836. Quarter Sessions Books.

VIII.—1748-49-51-52-81. "Tencery" Books, i.e., assessments to rates.

IX.—1771 to 1799. Names of the watchmen for the several streets.

X.—1818 to 1838. Copies of Documents and proceedings relative to the Town and Liberties of the Borough of Oswestry.

The most instructive of these volumes are those which contain the lists of the Mayors and the accounts of the Mayors. There are more details in the earlier than the later years. We commence our extracts almost at the first page of the Mayor's book.

1673. Wee whose names are hereunto subscribed doe declare that there lyes no obligation upon me or any other p'son from the oath commonly called the solemne League and covenant, and the same was in itself an unlawful oath imposed upon the subjects of this realm against the knowne Laws and Libertyes of this Kingdome.

Richard Pope Mayor		Richard Price	} common-council.
Morgan Wynne Recorder		John Muckleston	
Mr Edward Owen Coroner		John Glover	
John Morrall Towne Clarke		Nathaniel Jones	
Gabriel Edwards	} Alderman	William Price	
Richard Jones		—	
John Blodwell		—	
John Lloyd		—	

List of Refusers¹ and defaulters of the subscription in obedience to the King's gracious letters patents upon summons on the 20th of March 1673.

Sir John Trevor beinge att London & had not notice.

Richard Lloyd default in appearance.

John Jones mercer refused except the charter were translated into English.

Hugh Price will take the oath but not subscribe.

Richard Jones, Mercer, will not subscribe.

John Jones will not take the oath of com'on Councillman

Richard Jones glover ditto.

Edward Evans will not subscribe against the covenant.

Thomas Edwards will not take the oaths because he voted against it.

Thomas Edwards clothier will not subscribe.

Timothy George ditto

Hugh Edwards ditto

Thomas Vaughan ditto

Thomas Ffelton² ditto

¹ The defaulters' places were filled up by other elections. The "Solemn League and Covenant" was a test invented in the Commonwealth time.

² Thomas Ffelton was a brazier, as were his son and grandson; all of whom were connected with the Old Chapel, Oswestry, which took

1674. It is ordered that whatsoever person which doth inhabit within the saide Towne being not a burgess of the same shall be assessed, provided it doth not exceed the payment of thirty shillings yearly for his Tencery money—

Tanners' composition shall be granted				
provided they pay				tenne pounds.
Clothmakers	...	...	...	six ———
Butchers...	...	...	...	six ———
Shoemakers	...	...	...	six ———
Smiths ...	...	...	...	six ———
Glovers ...	...	...	...	six ———
Tailors ...	...	...	...	five ———

An assessment of a hundred pounds and upwards ordered for defraying the charge of renewing the Charter.

All fforaigne burgesses to be assessed accordinge to their abilities and capacities.

No person to be admitted Burgess under payment of forty shillings except gratis¹

We turn to the Book of the Mayor's accounts for a remarkable record of the costs which were imposed upon a Corporation for a new Charter. We have also here the details of the expenses which the new local Government of the town involved.

1674. Mr. Popes account of what money hee and Mr. Davenport received towards the renewing of the Charter and

its rise after the ejection of 1662. The names of Timothy George, grocer, and Hugh Price, also appear in the early documents connected with the Chapel. The latter was, probably, owner of the land on which stands "Union Place" in Beatrice Street. See paper on Oswestry Ecclesiastical History, Vol. IV. of *Sh. Arch. Transactions*.

¹ It will be seen from the above, that the income of the Corporation was derived from

1. Payments made by the different guilds or trading companies.
2. Payments made for the privilege of Burgesship, which varied from 40 shillings to five pounds.
3. Rates assessed upon those who were not burgesses, and upon foreigners.
4. In addition to these sources of revenue, were certain rents and fines.

We observe here an example of the old mode of assessment "according to the ability" of the ratepayer, instead of according to the value of the real property in his occupation, as is the modern method.

what money the said Mr. Pope received during the time of his being Mayor, and how the same was laid out.

	li	s.	d.
Rec ^d of Mr. Mosse by order of Mr. Nathaniel Edwards the sume of	10	0	0
From the Haberdashers Company in two payments	12	0	0
From the towne the sume of	20	0	0
Total ...	42	0	0

Disbursements by Mr. Pope and Mr. Davenport.

Paid Mr. Blayne the clerk of the Haberdashers Hall for a copy of the decree for the poors money	0	10	0
Paid for coach hire from London to Bradford to speake with Sir John Barber	0	8	0
Paid for coppinge of the old charter to present to the E. of Craven	0	7	6
Paid for another coach to Sir John Barber	0	8	0
Paid for two horses to Sir John Barber	0	6	10
Paid by water to Sion House to speake with Sir John Barber	0	1	6
Paid for a letter and a box w th the poor's acquitances	0	2	6
Spent upon a collation with Mr. Martiall	2	8	0
Paid for framing the petition to the king by the Attorney Generall's Clerke for expedition, for the returne of the Petition upon the report and a copy of the same and a copy of the warrant for the Kinge to signe, to the Attorney Generall for draweing of the Charter, to the Secretary of the Estates for expedition, for the returne of the petition with other expences and disbursements of Mr. Davenport & Mr. Pope in the affaires of the Towne being absent 11 weeks & odd dayes the whole amounting unto £45 7 6...	45	7	6
Paid for coach hire coming home	0	18	0
Paid upon the clamor of Cap ^t . Jones & others that the poors money was laid out for ye Charter paid back to Mr. ——— and Mr. Blodwell being Churchwardens the sum of 12 <i>li</i> the s ^d being—as before mentioned laid out for a decree att which time Mr Pope rec ^d of Mr John Glover £3 15s. 0d. of Mr. Richard Price 1 <i>li</i> , of Mr. Richard Jones, 15/ soe ye said Mr. Pope paid of his owne money 12 <i>li</i> 10s. 0d...	12	0	0

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	li	s.	d.
Paid Messenger which came with a letter to Carnath from Mr. ———	0	2	6
Paid a messenger from Kelehendry	0	0	6
Paid Johnson the carrier for bringinge downe the Charter	0	5	0
Paid another messenger to Mr. Recorder and Mr. Morrall to page the Charter	0	1	0

Disbursements for Fitting-up of the Exchequer Chamber.

	li	s.	d.
Paid for 200 of sapp laths of Francis Mason ...	0	2	6
Paid for 200 of Thomas Edwards	0	2	6
Paid—agreed with carpenters for	0	6	0
Paid—agreed with Francis Ellis for lathing and plasteringe... ..	0	10	0
Paid—more for 600 of lathes	0	7	6
Paid for 6 pounds of haire to Thomas ap Richard	0	4	6
Paid for 10 loads of lime	0	5	0
Paid 4000 of lath nails	0	6	8
Paid for 200 of spike nails for ye glass windows ...	0	0	4
Paid Roger Edwards for 96 yards of Sparrs ...	1	0	0
Paid for carriage of materials	0	2	0
Paid William Moses for glazinge	0	3	0
Paid for casment	0	3	0
Paid for pillers for windows & for setting them up	0	6	8
Paid for glazing two other windows	0	8	6
Paid for the locke of the Exchequer study ...	0	5	0
Paid for the locke of the Exchequer Chambers ...	0	5	0
Paid for takinge downe the poste	0	0	6
Paid for 5 quiers of paper for ye Towne concernes	0	2	6
Disbursements about the schoole concernes I give my bill of particulars to Mr. Richard Jones when hee was bayliffe	2	7	0
Paid Edward Bomford for goinge to Carmarthen-shire to Mr. Muchleston Allen	0	6	0
Paid Elizabeth Phillips for going to the same place	0	5	0
Spent myselfe & man in going to meet him ...	0	5	0
Paid Mr. Stodart for a collation for Sir John Trevor & his company	3	1	6
Paid for 4 bottles of wine att the same tyme ...	0	4	0
Paid for a seasoned hoop for a Standert	0	1	0
Paid for Irons for it	0	1	0

John Kyffins Cloaths.

Paid for his shoes	0	3	6
Paid for 6 yards of white	0	14	6

	<i>li</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>
Paid for dyeing and dressinge	0	3	6
Paid for linenge for Coats & Briches	0	6	2
Paid for 2 dozens of buttons	0	1	0
Paid for tape & silke	0	1	5
Paid for makinge the suite	0	3	0
Paid for his wages			
Paid more for the militia than was collected by the Constables... ..	0	15	0
Paid Mr. Morgan Wynne ye Recorder	5	0	0
Disbursements in London in transcribing the by- laws & engrossing them after <i>perusal</i> by Sir John Trevor & Council & transcribing the de- positions against Mr. Kynaston Mr. Lloyd & Mr. Morgan	1	0	0
Paid Mr. Thomas Edwards demands for his journey to Whitchurch, from thence to Drayton being out 3 dayes with a man and 2 horses to fetch the Charter	1	4	0
Paid Fee likewise demanded for Mr. Hodges for writing 13 proclamations (0 16 0) and for 2 quiers of paper (1/)	0	17	0
<i>Mr. Marshall's Bill.</i>			
Paid to the Secretary of State for ye reference on ye petition... ..	2	3	0
Paid to the Atturney generall for his report thereon	2	3	0
Paid to his clerk for drawing and entering of it ...	0	10	0
Paid Secretary's fee for ye King's hands to ye warrant to Mr. Atturney generall	6	9	0
Paid to his under Clerke for ye enteringe of it ...	0	15	0
Paid to Mr. Harries & Mr. Niccolls att ye late Atturney generall for drawing the warrant & drawing & engrossing ye charter	16	10	0
Paid for the Atturney generall's hand to it, beinge 6 skins. Note that 10£ is saved out of the Atturney generalls office, for it is 5£ each skinn & might have been paid the old Atturney hade he continued	20	0	0
Paid to his secretary & his clerke	2	10	0
Paid Secretary's fee for the King's hand to the Charter att 6£ p. skinn	36	0	0
Paid att the signett office it being 12 skinns there	25	13	0
Paid att the Privy Seale the like	25	13	0
Paid seale & wax & Wafers Att the Greate Seale...	0	10	0
Paid L ^d Keepers secretary for ye Recepi	2	3	0

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li s. d.

Paid fees at the patent office & Dividend money at my L ^d Keepers	38	15	0
Paid for expedition there for fear of a caveat ...	2	0	0
Paid fine & fees at the Hanaper	49	16	0
Paid in several small sums to doorekeepers ...	0	12	6
Paid for publishing ye charter in ye Gazett ...	0	11	0
Total for charter	li232	14	10

In the year 1677 the following was the list of "Things appertaining to the Towne delivered by John Blodwell late Mayor to his successor":—

King Charles 2 Charter.

The old Charter.

The Statutes at large being the gift of Edward Morris of Lloran Esq.

One other statute book with one other booke of all ye Acts of Parliament to ye 15th of Feb. 1676.

The Burgesses' silver bowl.

A copie of Mr. Phillips¹ will.

The Towne seale.

One greate padlocke and two other locks and ye key of ye Burgesse Chest.

Fower bundles of papers.

One boxe of writings.

Five paper bookes.

One brasse measure.

One kernell of brasse.

¹ By this will of James Phillips, who died in 1661, ten houses in Southwark, London, were bequeathed to the Mayor and Corporation of Shrewsbury. The rents are to be disposed of in providing a weekly Thursday sermon, to be preached in the Parish Churches of Ellesmere, Whitechurch, Oswestry, and St. Chad's, Shrewsbury, and the remainder of the rents "in gowns and cloaths for ye poore people" of the same parishes. In case of default by the Mayor and Aldermen of Shrewsbury, the bequest is to go to the University of Oxford "for the maintenance and education of poore schollars sent out and from ye said county of Salop to the University." From the Parliamentary Paper on Endowed Charities, issued in 1868, it appears that the total gross annual income of the Charity is £519; and that £389 of that is spent on maintaining the lectureships, the remainder in the purchase of flannel for the poor. It is to be hoped that the most is made of this rich and probably increasing fund, by the Mayor and Aldermen of Shrewsbury, and that the interests of the several parishes of Oswestry, Ellesmere, Whitechurch, and St. Chads, are duly cared for.

The two old maces.
 One wooden halfe measure.
 Two sealinge trows.
 One paire of skekles (shackles).
 Six locks.
 Five pair of boults.
 One iron chaine.

The following entry in the Mayor's accounts shows us that Oswestry was not without two of the characteristic features of an old English town, the reality of which it is difficult for us now to imagine. In the most conspicuous public place of every town were the Bull-ring for the public baiting of bulls, and the Pillory for the public exposure and whipping of criminals.

1682	For a stone for the Bull ring...	...	...	0	2	6
	For 18 pound of iron to make the ring at 2					
	per pound ...	...	...	0	3	0
	P Kinge for the workinge of it ...	...	...	0	1	6
	For 9 yards of plaine board to make the					
	pillory at 8 ^d p. yard ...	...	...	0	6	0
	For 2 yards of sparr at 3 ^d p. yard ...	...	...	0	0	6
	For 5 yards of board at 5 ^d p. yard ...	...	...	0	2	1
	For ale and beer at a quarter sessions ...	...	...	0	3	4
	To Roger Cheshire for making the pillory ...	...	...	0	3	0

In the Book of the Quarter Sessions, which, however, does not begin till the year 1737, we find frequent records to the following effect :—

The King ag^t Margaret Jones for felony. This Court orders that the said Margaret Jones shall be publicly whipt by the Bellman of the town on next Wednesday between the hours of twelve and one of the clock in the afternoon of the same day at the public whipping post or pillory there giving her 12 lashes with the common whip used in such cases till her body is bloody.

This punishment was abolished in respect of women by the 1 Geo. IV. c. 57. 1820.

The punishment of the pillory was severe or light according to the temper of the people who surrounded the pillory. Here is an extract from Gough's *History of the parish of Middle*, which describes what happened to an unlucky culprit.

At that time (the beginning of the reign of James II) a limner was employed to beautify the parish church at Ellesmere. Clarke went to see his work and said "you do well to leave the church in good repair for us; for you had it from us in good repair." The limner knowing him to be a Papist said "What! do you think the Papists must have the Church?" "Yes I do" says Clarke. Then says the limner "what do you think shall become of us Protestants?" Clarke answered "I hope to see all Protestants fry in their own grease before Michaelmas next." The limner proved these words before Mr. Kinaston of Oatley, a justice of the peace; Clarke was committed to prison and indited at the next assizes, for these seditious words; and judgement was given against him, that he should stand in the pillory at three market towns, on three several market-days viz., Shreusbury Elsmere and Oswestry. He was sett on the pillory at Shreusbury; but the under-sheriff, knowing how enraged the people were against him, suffered him to stand without fastening his head through the penance-board.

"Male regnatur dum vulgus ductat habenas."

The people by pelting him with eggs, turnips, and carrots, stones and dirt used him so hardly, that the under-sheriff took him down for fear he should be killed outright. The people followed him to the gaol door, pelting him all the way. He lay some while sick and sore at Shreusbury, and afterwards was brought to Ellesmere, and put on the pillory there, when he found the like favour from the under-sheriff, and the like hard usage, or worse from the people; and thereupon the high sheriff wrote a letter to the judge and acquainted him with what he had done, and withall told him, that he could promise to put Clarke upon the pillory at Oswestry, but he could not promise to bring him alive from amongst the enraged Welshmen; and thereupon the rest of the punishment was remitted.

In 1683, Sir George Jeffreys visited Oswestry, he was at that time Chief Justice of England, and as we know he was a burgess of Oswestry. The Corporation accounts show how he was entertained.

	li	s.	d.
For Sir George Jeffrey's treat	7	19	0
To G Davis for wine for Sir George Jeffreys treat ...	2	0	0
Arthur Edward ditto	0	16	0
Arthur more	0	5	0
for a barrell of oysters	0	2	6
for 5 pound of biscuits at 10 ^d a pound	0	4	2
for beer and anchiovis	0	5	0

In the same year ¹Sir Job Charlton, Bart., visited the town; for him however only were spent

	<i>li</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>
Two bottles of wine	0	3	6

In the same year, 1683,

²For six bottles of wine to treat ye Bishop 0 11 0

1689 For cole for the guard and watch when the

³Earle of Castlemaine was in custody 0 1 4

¹ Sir Job Charlton was the son of Robert Charlton of Whitton Court, near Ludlow, by his first wife Emma, daughter of Thomas Harby, of Adston.

1614 born.

1659 to 1678 M.P. for Ludlow.

1673 Speaker of the House of Commons.

16— Chief Justice of Chester.

1680 Induced to resign the Chief Justiceship to make room for Jeffreys, when he was made a Judge of the Common Pleas.

1686 Removed from the Bench for giving judgment against the King's dispensing power.

1686 Created a baronet, and afterwards restored to the Chief Justiceship of Chester, and appointed to the Chief Justiceship of the Court of the Marches of Wales.

He lived at Ludford, in Ludlow, where there is a good portrait of him in his Judge's robes. The baronetcy became extinct on the death of Sir Francis, fourth baronet, in 1784. In the female line the family is represented by the Lechmere Parkinsons of Ludford, the Kinchant's, late of Park, near Oswestry, and the Leightons.

² There are frequent similar entries of treats to the Bishops.

³ Roger Palmer, Earl of Castlemaine, belonged to the Roman Catholic faction of the Government of James II. He was the husband of Barbara, Duchess of Cleveland, one of the mistresses of Charles II. At the time of the "Popish Plot," invented by Titus Oates, he was tried for his life. In 1686 he was sent by James II. on an embassy to Rome, which gave great offence to the Protestants, aggravated by an extravagant account of the mission, upon the title page of which he was represented in the robes of an English Peer kissing the Pope's toe. In 1689, as we see from the above entry, he was arrested. He was sent to the Tower and charged with the capital offence of trying to reconcile the Kingdom to the Church of Rome. He died in 1705.

A correspondent of *Bye-gones*, December 13, 1871, quotes from Howell's *State Trials*, Vol. 12, p. 597, the following extract from a speech by Lord Castlemaine, when defending himself against a charge of high treason in the House of Commons:—"Be pleased then, Sir, that I tell you that as soon as the King first left Whitehall, I thought it decency to go out of town; and therefore three days after I took

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	<i>li</i>	s.	d.
For Powder and bullets	0	2	6
For drinke to the watch	0	1	0
For a messenger to the High Sheriff	0	1	0
A Messenger to Edw. Kynaston	0	0	6
For advice touching the Earle of Castlemaine ...	0	4	0
¹ For halfe a barrel of wine upon the Irish alarm ...	0	6	0

1694 ²A treat to the Earl of Macclesfield.

1698 ³Paid for ye approbation from His Majestie
of Thomas Powell Esq to serve Recorder for ye
Towne and Borough 8 8 0

In 1691 we find a proposal for the relief of the poor
under the following entry in the Mayor's book.

coach for Montgomeryshire, where of late I used to reside in the summer time. On the borders of that county, at a small Corporation called Oswestrie, I was first stopped by the rabble, and afterwards retained by a strong guard at my inn by the Mayor, though nobody, he confessed, made any oath against me, and though he had no orders, as he said, from London for it; nay, after a month's restraint, he denied me my liberty, upon bail, notwithstanding two neighbouring lawyers whom I sent for assured him he could not justify the refusal by law. I do not complain of any incivility either from him or the people, for I was used with respect enough, but I judge it fit to let you see how the liberty of a subject was wilfully invaded by a magistrate, and how little conscioius I was of any guilt, since, instead of flying I went to a place where I was known. In fine, Mr. Speaker, after a confinement of seven weeks I was sent for up, and brought hither by a party of horse."

CYFFIN, writing to *Bye-gones*, December 27, 1871, says that "the Earl of Castlemaine appears to have been making his way through Oswestry to his friends and co-religionists, 'Pryces the Papists,' of Plas-ucha, Llanfyllin, in whose house he is said to have been concealed for some time after the Revolution."

¹ It will be remembered that after James II. had fled from England, he invaded Ireland in the hopes of regaining the throne with the assistance of the French.

² Charles Gerard, Earl of Macclesfield, was the last President of the Court of the Marches, which was abolished in 1689.

³ The salary of the Recorder was only £5 a year, so that this seems an enormous fee upon his appointment. By the Charter of Charles II., the election of the Recorder was in the Corporation, but the approval of the Crown was required also. Thomas Powell remained Recorder till 1724, when he was discharged from his Recordship because "for five years last past and upwards, he had neglected to attend the Corporation." Robert Williams was elected in his place.

Upon the perusal of the proposals of the King and Queen's Corporation for the linen manufacture presented by Richard Pope gent it was then concluded and agreed that the Towne hall should be the place for a workhouse and warehouse to be used for the employing of the poore of this Corporation as the agents of the Corporation of the linen manufacture shall direct, and then agreed and consented to all the proposals of the said Corporation.

Here follow the details of the proposal.

In 1703, ¹The Right Hon. Lord Viscount Montgomery, by a deed poll appointed Roger Green, jun., Town Clerk. The deed recites that William, late Earl of Craven, in 1688 appointed Edward Morrall of Duddleston, gentleman, to be Town Clerke of Oswestry, and Register of the Court Leet, and Baron of the Manors of Dupart and Tryan, and to hold office for life at the ancient annual fee of £3 6s. 8d., together with all fees, wages, etc., therewith previously enjoyed. That Edward Morrall deputed Roger Green to be his deputy in 1698, and that Roger Green has accepted the office of Mayor. Roger Green, jun., is hereby appointed during the will and pleasure of the Lord of the Manor, and for such time as he shall think fit.

In 1704 the victory of Blenheim was duly honoured by the consumption of 5s. worth of drink upon the receipt of the news, and in the same year £5 10s. 3d. was spent in a present to my Lord Powys. In 1714

¹ William Herbert, Viscount Montgomery, was the eldest son of William Herbert third Baron, who was raised to an Earldom in 1674, to which the Viscounty of Montgomery was added in 1687. He followed the fortunes of James II. and was created a Marquis and a Duke at St. Germain's by the exiled monarch, at the same time that he was outlawed by William and Mary. He died abroad in 1696. His son was restored to the Viscounty of Montgomery on the accession of Queen Anne, and afterwards created an Earl and a Marquess. These titles became extinct in 1748, on the death unmarried of his son. The Earl of Craven having died at the age of 88 in 1697, the manor of Oswestry, which it will be remembered was purchased by Sir William Craven, devolved upon his great nephew, the Viscount Montgomery, and thus the Lordship of Oswestry became vested in the family of Herbert.

the Corporation consumed £1 14s. worth of ale at the King's coronation, and £2 7s. 6d. worth of wine at "proclaiminge ye Kinge." In the next year, 1715, a misfortune happened to the chief magistrate of the Towne. Mr. John Davies, the Mayor of Oswestry, was by the Coroner's inquest found guilty of murder and felony upon the body of Richard Evans, the younger, of Whittington, deceased, and he fled from justice; whereupon the Aldermen and Common Council disfranchised him.

16 Nov 1716 George Edwards Mayor } Lease of $\frac{1}{2}$ an acre of
and } land near the school
Robert Lewis Glover } house in Church St for
3 lives at 30/ a year.

In 1722 Sir William Williams, Bart.,¹ and Robert Lloyd, Esq.,² gave £5 towards the fire engines.

In 1737 the first book of the Quarter Sessions commences. We extract the first report :—

The town of Oswestry } To wit an Extract of all and singular
1737. } the fines and amerciaments made and
appointed at the General Quarter Sessions of the Peace held
for the said town the seventh day of October 1737 before
Robert Barkley Esq mayor of the said Town and Robert
Williams Esq Recorder two of His Majesties Justices of the
peace for the said Towne.

The names of the Jury

Richard Hughes
Edward Morris
Edward Gough
Edward Rees
Josiah Thomas
Paul Evans
Oliver Jones

Edward Francis
John Edwards
Job Muckleston
Thomas Phillips
Charles Thomas
Richard Wolfe

Which said Jury upon their respective oaths say and present as follows

¹ Of Llanvorda. He was the eldest son of Speaker Williams. He married the heiress of Edw. Thelwall of Plas-y-ward, and through her his son, Sir Watkin Williams Wynn, derived the estates of Wynn-stay and the additional surname of Wynn. He died in 1740.

² Of Aston. He was M.P. for Shropshire from 1710 to 1727.

Cross Street. We present Job Charlton Esq ¹ for not taking down or repairing a house of his in the said Street it being dangerous to passengers. So he is in mercy 13/4 if not repaired or pulled down by next Q ^r	0	13	4
Leg Street. We present David Lewis Gardner for not cleansing under his garden hedge leading from the Black Gate to William Pryce's house. So he is in mercy if not done in 3 months ...	0	3	4
We present the Muringer for not making a sufficient bridge of plank for passengers to cross the water-course at Black gate. So he is in mercy 5/ if not done in 2 months	0	5	0
We present the Muringer for a dangerous hole in the Causeway in Bettridge Gate. So he is in mercy 13/4 if not done in a week	0	13	4
Willow Street. We present his Grace the Duke of Powis ² for not repairing the Gable-end of the Gate it being dangerous to passengers.			
Bayley Street. We present David Lewis Gardner for not cleaning the Bayley Head and Oatmeal Markett place so he is in mercy 3/4 if not done in a week	0	3	4
Church Street. We present the overseers of the highway for not inclosing the well called "fynon Evan" it being dangerous to passengers. So he is in mercy 3/4 if not done in a fortnight ...	0	3	4
We present John Roberts Innkeeper for throwing a mixon of Ashes near the bridge called "pont vain." So he is in mercy 6/8 if not carried away in a fortnight	0	6	8

Epiphany Sessions 13th January 1737.

Ordered that an assessment of four pence p^r pound be assessed on the Inhabitants of the s^d town towards the repair

¹ Of Park. He was a younger son of Sir Francis Charlton, who purchased the Park estate for him from the Powells. He was grandson to Sir Job Charlton. On his death in 1748 the estate devolved upon his sister Emma, successively married to John Lloyd of Aston, Richard Jenkins of Biston, and John Kinchant.

² He appears to have retained by courtesy the title conferred upon his father by James II. at St. Germain's, though legally he was a Marquess only. He took his seat in the House of Lords in 1722, and died in 1745. In 1738 the Corporation paid 13s. for his entertainment in the Town Hall.

of the highways within the said Town, and overseers of the highways appointed for the year ensuing for the town of Oswestry.

Thomas Jones
John Lloyd malster
Edw Davies Innkeeper

In the years 1736-38-41-42-46 and not unfrequently afterwards, there appear to have been contested elections for the office of Mayor.

In 1742 the town was visited by a destructive fire. In the Muringer's accounts we find the following entries.

1742	By orders to four persons for watching at the late terrible fire	...	...	...	0	9	0
	For ale to the workers at the late fire	...	...	...	0	3	8
	Ditto	...	...	...	0	2	0
	At the Bowling Green for ale to the same	...	...	...	0	5	0
	For leather to the little engine	...	...	...	0	1	0
	Richard Phillips for drink to the fire...	...	...	...	0	1	0
	Carpenter for repairing engines	...	...	...	0	7	6
	For red lead and oil to the engines	...	...	...	0	2	0
1743	Paid Mary Jones widow by the Mayor's orders for drink to ye fire	...	...	...	0	5	0
	Regulating ye money for ye sufferers by fire	0	0	6			

A subscription was made in Birmingham for the sufferers, which amounted to £14 15s. 10d. A list of the subscribers in a book signed by Richard Dovey, Rector of St. Martin's, Birmingham, records the charity of the people of Birmingham to the people of Oswestry.

In the Burgess list for the year 1755, it appears that Joseph Venables and his six sons, John, Joseph, Richard, Lazarus, Edward, and George, were elected Burgesses. The last, I presume, is the George Venables of Liverpool, who in 1794, "made a present of two pair of very handsome candlesticks to the Corporation" for which the thanks "of this common Hall" were voted to him.

On the 8th Nov. 1762 "ordered that the old Cross be taken down immediately after the next fair."

Before the Corporation Reform Act, 1836, it was the custom for the neighbouring gentlemen to take a share

in municipal government of the towns in their neighbourhood, thus we find—

In 1762, ¹Sir Charlton Leighton ²William Humphreys and ³Robert Godolphin Owen were elected to the Common Council.

In 1769 ⁴Sir Watkin Williams Wynn B^t. ⁵John Mytton Esq^r. and Watkin Williams gentleman were elected to the Common Council.

In 1770 ⁶Richard Middleton Esq^{re}.

1777 ⁷Edward Browne Esq^r } elected to the Common Council
⁸Noel Hill Esq^r }

1780 ⁹John Kynaston Esq^{re} elected to the Common Council

1789 Robert Godolphin Owen Esq^r elected Alderman

1793 Watkin Williams Esq^r elected Alderman

¹⁰R^t. Hon Lord Clive

¹¹Rev. John Robert Lloyd } elected to the Common
¹²Owen Ormsby } Council

¹³Thomas Lovett

¹ Sir Charlton Leighton married Anna Maria, only child of Richard Mytton of Halston. He was the great grandson of Sir Job Charlton, from whom he derived his Christian name.

² Of Llwyn, co. Montgomery. He was afterwards High Steward of Oswestry.

³ Of Porkington, the last of the surname of Owen, he died in 1792, and was succeeded in his possessions by Margaret, his sister and coheir, married to Owen Ormsby of Willowbrook, in the county of Sligo. Their only daughter, Mary Jane, carried the large estates of the family in marriage to William Ormsby Gore, of a family seated at Woodford, in the county of Leitrim. (Blakeway's *Sheriffs of Shropshire*.)

⁴ The fourth baronet, M.P. for Denbighshire. He married Charlotte, daughter of the Right Hon. George Grenville, and was grandfather of the present Sir Watkin.

⁵ Of Halston; he succeeded his brother Richard, and was grandfather of "Jack" Mytton.

⁶ Of Chirk Castle.

⁷ Of Sweeney, uncle to Sarah, wife of Thos. Netherton Parker.

⁸ M.P. for Shropshire. Created Lord Berwick in 1784.

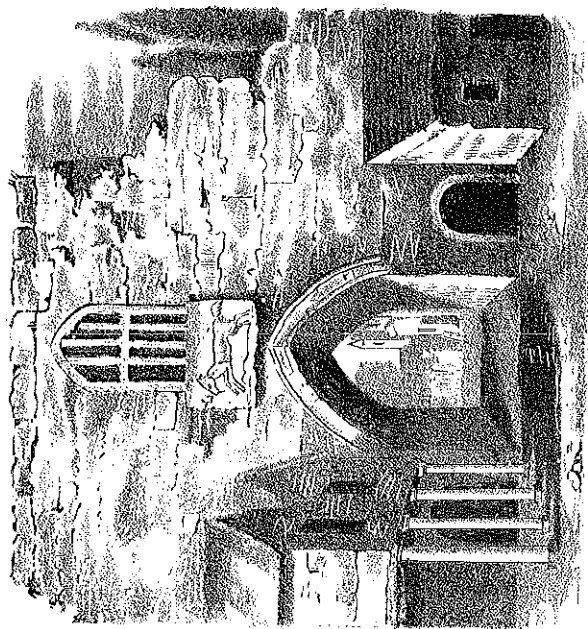
⁹ Of Hardwicke, M.P. for Shropshire, 1784 to 1825. Assumed the additional name of Powell, was made a baronet, was High Steward of Oswestry.

¹⁰ Son of Lord Clive of Plassey. He married Henrietta Antonia, sister and heir of the Earl of Powis. He was created Earl of Powis, in 1804; the Lordship of Oswestry thus became vested in the family of Clive.

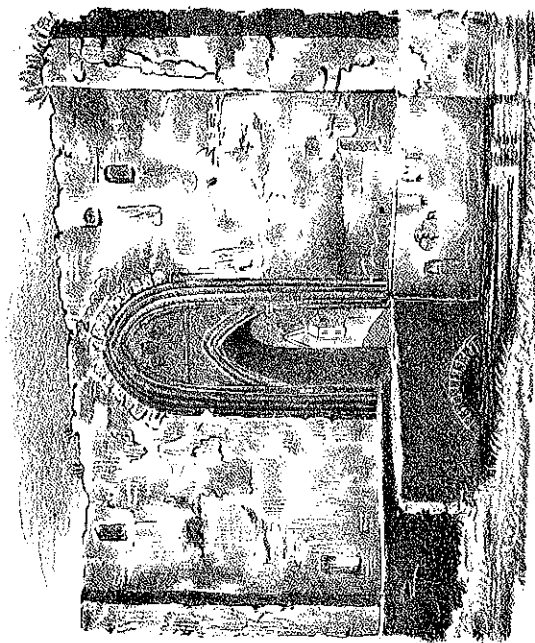
¹¹ Of Aston, Rector of Whittington and Selattyn.

¹² Of Porkington.

¹³ Of the family of Lovett of Belmont.



NEW GATE.



WEDDALL & VENABLES LITHO OSWESTRY

BEATRICE GATE.

Facsimiles of the Gates as they appeared when taken down in 1782; copied from the pictures in Price's *History of Oswestry*, and Mrs. Acton's *Garrisons of Shropshire*.

1794 ¹Robert Lloyd of Swanhill Esq^{ro} } elected to the Common
²Sir Watkin Williams Wynn B^t } Council
³Richard Myddleton Esq^r

THE TOWN GATES.

The outward appearance of Oswestry must have been very different in the last century to its appearance now. There are few plans or drawings of the older town, but in the Corporation Records the gradual changes are noted, as one after the other the landmarks of the past were swept away. A hundred and twenty years ago the fortification rising above the Castle mound must still have been a point of observation. The town walls were almost perfect. An open stream flowed through the streets, and a ditch which often required to be cleaned, surrounded a portion of the walls. The Bull ring and pillory were probably situated in the quadrangle, now called the Bailey head, a name derived from the Ballium or court yard of the Castle. The four gates must have made picturesque if inconvenient approaches. Where the four ways met in the centre of the town stood the ancient Cross, which was removed by orders of the Corporation in 1762. In the accompanying sketches the modern pillars are shown which mark the site of two of the gates, the "New" gate in Church Street, and the Beatrice gate in Beatrice Street, called after the daughter of the King of Portugal, the wife of Thomas, Earl of Arundel, who built the gate in the time of Henry IV. No pillars mark the situation of the Wallia or Welsh gate, or of the Black gate on the Shrewsbury road. On the 16th of September, 1782,

¹ The last of his family who lived in this neighbourhood. His daughters and coheirs, married John Wynne Eyton of Leeswood, Esq., co. Flint, and Edw. Gatacre of Gatacre, co. Salop. The house, which stood just within the present entrance to Brogyntyn Park, has been taken down.

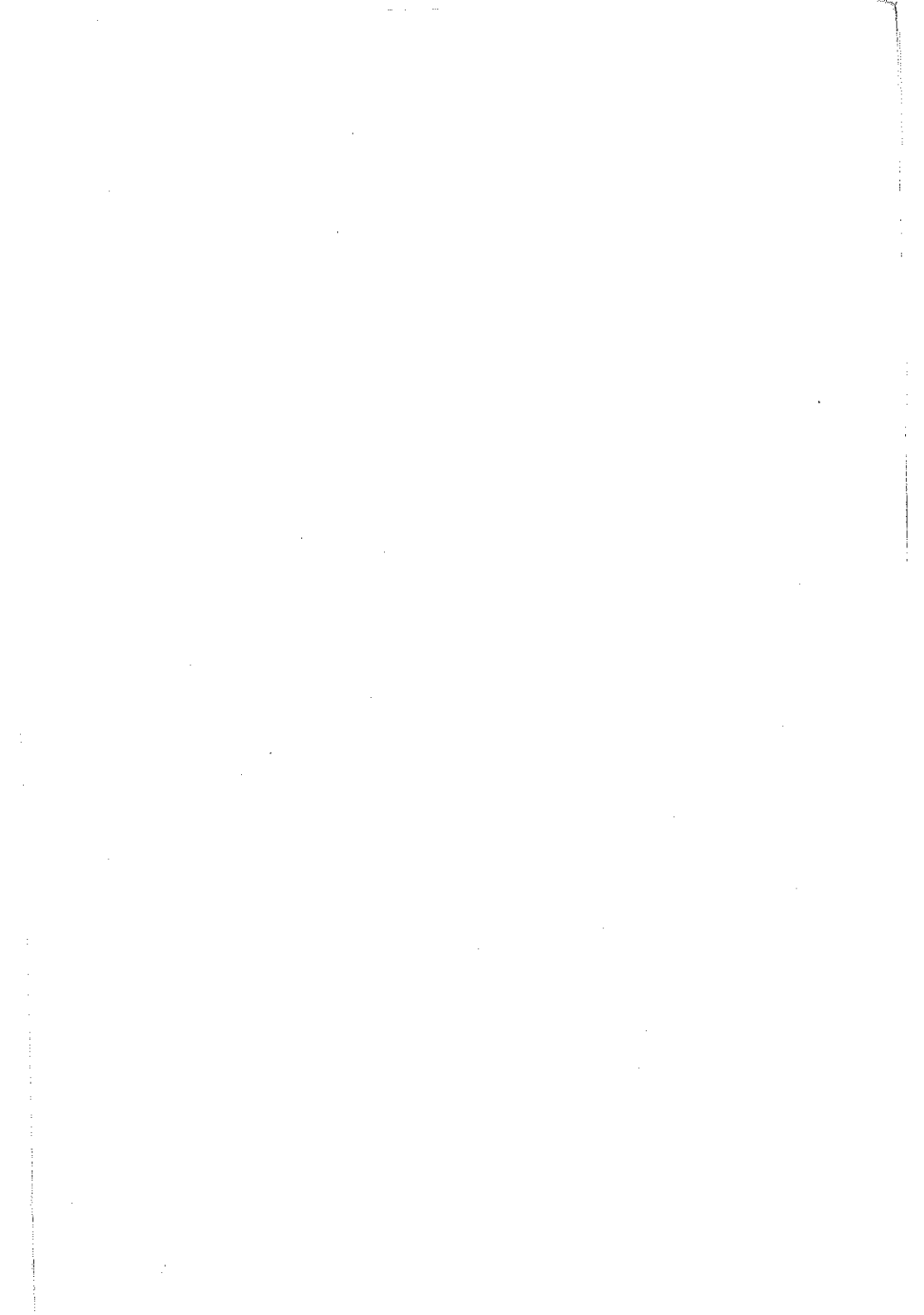
² Fifth Baronet.

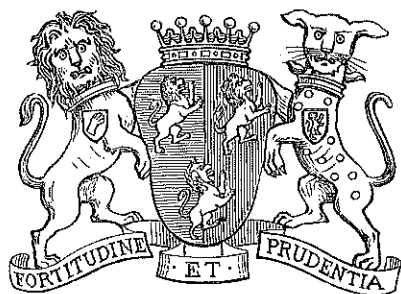
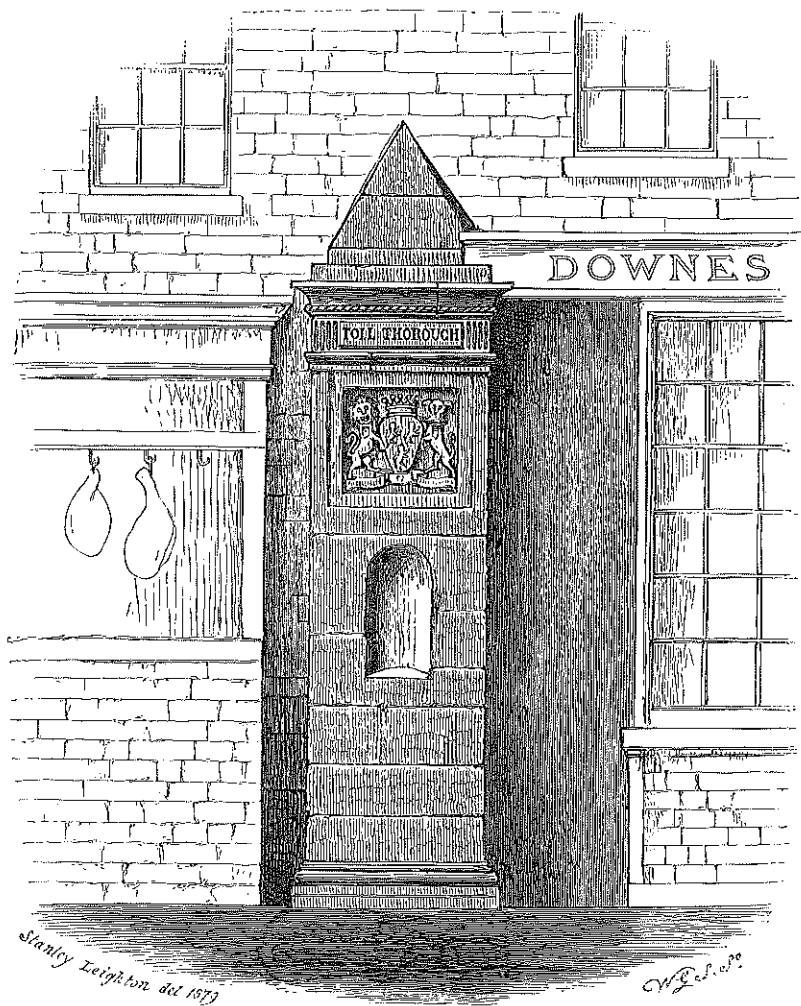
³ Of Chirk Castle. On his death in 1796, the estates passed to his sisters and coheirs, the one married to Robert Biddulph of Ledbury, the other to the Hon. Frederick West.

the Right Hon. Edward Henry Arthur, Earl of Powis and lord of the manor of Oswestry, the son of Henry Arthur Herbert who married the niece and heiress of the last Marquess of Powis, agreed with the Corporation of Oswestry for the removal of the Willow gate, the Beatrice gate, and the New gate. The Black gate had been removed in his father's time, and "an handsome stone pillar made and erected on each side of the said road, but such pillars are not arched over as the gateway when standing." These handsome stone pillars have vanished and nothing visible now remains to show from the street where either the Black gate or the Willow gate once stood. The deed of agreement of 1782, recites "that the Towne was formerly walled round, and had several strong towers built on the walls thereof, and there were time out of mind four gateways under strong stone arches in the four avenues leading into the said town, which several gateways were so close and narrow that it was very inconvenient for His Majestie's subjects with carriages, to pass and repass through the same." These gates were repaired by the lord of the manor, who received "Toll thorough" from the passengers. But the inhabitants of the townships of

Treflach	Blodwell	Llanvorda
Trevyrclawdd	Maesbury	Selattyn
Brynn	Sweeney	Llynklis
Morton	Pentregaer	Crickheath
Trefonnen	Kynynion	together with parish of Oswestry, called the "Groat" Burgesses,

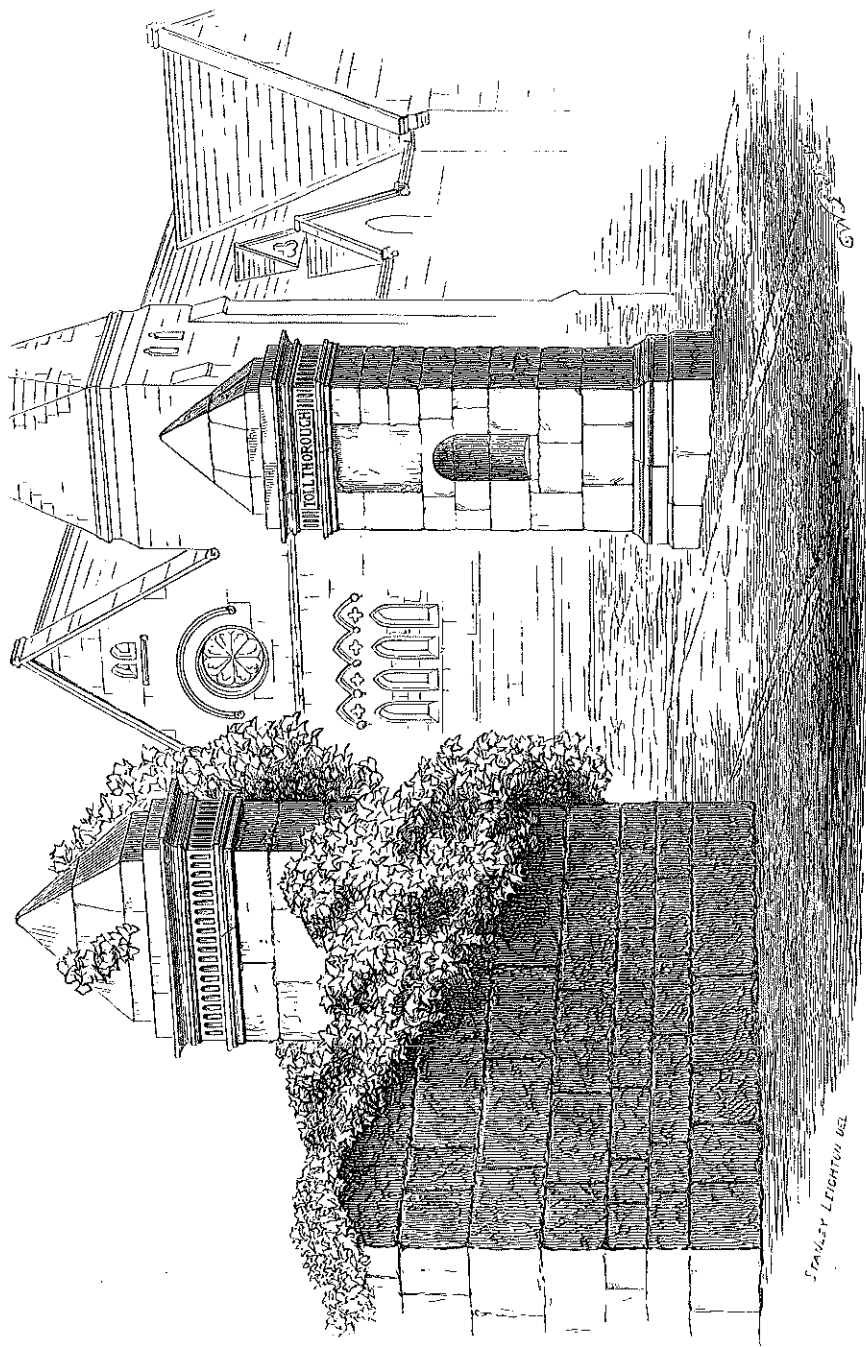
were accustomed to carry materials for the repair of the gates and were personally toll free. It was further agreed that a prison was to be built with the stones of the gates which were not used for the erection of the pillars. Hitherto the guardroom of the Newgate had served as a place of detention for prisoners. Within two years the Corporation undertook to put up pillars after the design in the margin of the deed, with the king's arms on one and the arms of the lord of the





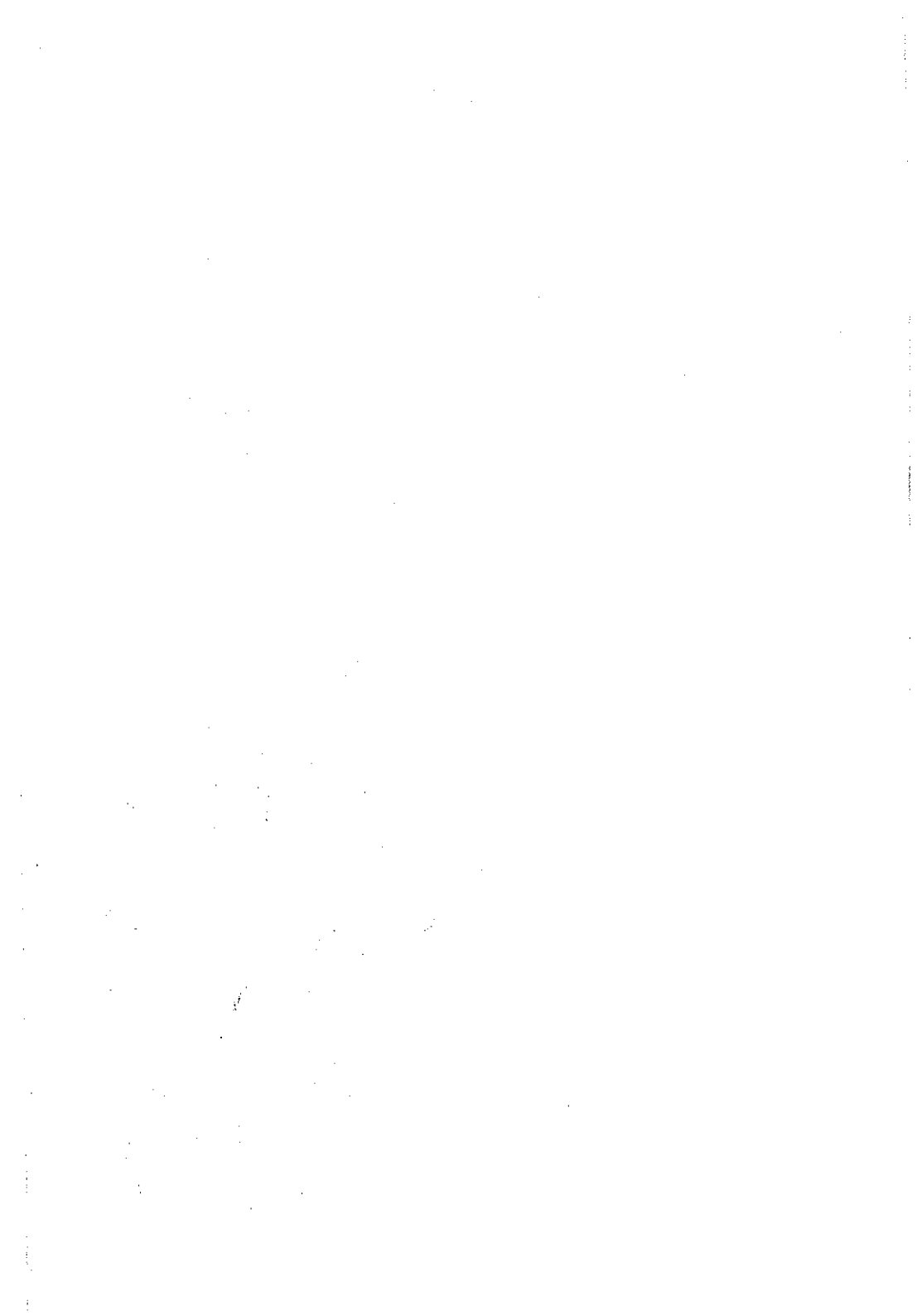
PILLAR IN CHURCH STREET, OSWESTRY, ERECTED IN 1782 ON THE SITE OF THE NEWGATE.

ARMS OF THE EARL OF POWYS, LORD OF THE MANOR.



PILLARS ERECTED IN 1782 ON THE SITE OF BEATRICE GATE, OSWESTRY.

STANLEY LEIGHTON DEL.



manor on the other, and over the arms the words "Toll Thorough." The right to the tolls was specially reserved still to the lord, as well as the obligation to carry materials for the repair of the pavement between the pillars on the ¹"Groat" Burgesses.

In the same year (1782) it was ordered

That the present Wool-hall be taken down and that the site thereof with the materials be given up and appropriated to the erecting a convenient prison and house of correction for the use of the Towne.

It was also ordered in 1786

That a building lease² for ninety nine years be granted to the best bidder by auction of the waste ground at each end of the New Prison or House of Correction, subject to repair and other usual covenants.

We will conclude this Chapter with a copy of the oaths which were required of the holders of Municipal offices. In addition to the sanction of the oath a certificate was required that the official had taken the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper before two witnesses.

Oath of Allegiance.

I do sincerely promise and swear that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to His Majesty King George.

So help me God.

Oath of Supremacy.

I do swear that I do from my heart abhor detest and abjure as impious and heretical, that damnable doctrine and position that princes excommunicated or deprived by the Pope or any authority of the See of Rome may be deposed and murdered by their subjects or any other whatsoever. And I do declare that no foreign prince, person, prelate, state or potentate, hath or ought to have any jurisdiction power superiority pre-eminence or authority ecclesiastical or spiritual within this realm.

So help me God.

¹ Mr. R. Salisbury, in some evidence he prepared in anticipation of a law-suit about the tolls, says, "Those who pay four-pence a year [i.e. one penny at each of the four ancient fairs] in lieu of tolls are called 'Groat' Burgesses."—Ex. rel. Askew Roberts.

² This building lease would expire in the year 1885, and unless the Corporation have during the currency of the lease alienated their property, an estate of some value will soon fall in to the town.

Oath of Abjuration.

I do truly and sincerely acknowledge, profess and testify and declare in my conscience before God and the world that our Sovereign Lord King George is lawful and rightful King of this realm and all other his Majesty's dominions thereunto belonging, and I do solemnly and sincerely declare that I do believe in my conscience that not any of the descendants of the person who pretended to be prince of Wales during the life of the late King James the Second and since his decease pretended to be and took upon himself the style and title of King of England by the name of James the third or of Scotland by the name of James the eighth or the style and title of King of Great Britain, hath any right or title whatsoever to the crown of this realm or any other the dominions thereunto belonging; And I renounce refuse and abjure my allegiance or obedience to any of them; and I do swear that I will bear faith and true allegiance to his Majesty King George and him will I defend to the utmost of my power against all traitorous conspiracies and attempts whatsoever, which shall be made against his person crown or dignity. And I will do my utmost endeavour to disclose and make known to his Majesty and his successors all treasons and traitorous conspiracies which I shall know to be against him or any of them, and I do faithfully promise to the utmost of my power to support and maintain and defend the succession of the Crown against the descendants of the said James and against all other persons whatsoever which succession by an Act intituled An Act for the further limitation of the Crown and better securing the rights and liberties of the subject is and stands limited to the princess Sophia electress and duchess dowager of Hanover and the heirs of her body being protestants—And all these things I do plainly and sincerely acknowledge and swear according to the express words by me spoken and according to the plain and common sense and understanding of the same words without any equivocation mental evasion or secret reservation whatsoever—And I do make this recognition acknowledgement, abjuration renunciation and promise heartily willingly and truly upon the true faith of a Christian.

So help me God.

Declaration against Transubstantiation.

I do declare and I do believe that there is not any transubstantiation in the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper or in the elements of bread and wine at or after the Consecration thereof by any person whatever.

WENLOCK PRIORY.¹

BY THE LATE REV. R. W. EYTON.

THE very name by which common consent designates the monastic ruins at Wenlock is characteristic of that general uncertainty or misapprehension which exists as to their foundation and history. The religious house now known as Wenlock "Abbey" belonged to a class whose members in England used uniformly and correctly to be styled priories, as being subject to no resident authority other than that of their respective priors. These priories owed common allegiance to the great Burgundian abbey of Clugny; nor was this allegiance merely nominal, but such as strongly affected both their internal economy and their external character and history. The order of Clugny was originally Benedictine, and its members retained the black habit of that profession. Its formation in the early part of the tenth century, under a presumptively improved discipline, soon gained for it a distinctive name. William de Warren, whose wife was a step-daughter of the Conqueror, founded the first Clugniac house in England. The date of this foundation was 1077-8; the place, Lewes, in the county of Sussex. The first prior, Lanzo, and three other monks, his companions, were sent to England by the parent abbey. The monasteries of this order in England were indeed uniformly governed by priors of foreign appointment, if not themselves foreigners. They were subject to foreign visitation: they were occupied by a majority of foreign monks: their internal

¹ Reprinted from *Arch. Camb.*, 1853.

differences were settled by foreign arbitration. The bulk of their revenues went beyond sea. The abbot of Clugny received at one period a fixed annual pension of £2,000 from the English houses of his rule. The Prior of Lewes was his high chamberlain and vicar-general in England, Scotland and Ireland. Such was the allegiance owned by Wenlock, and at least thirty other English houses, most of them of greater antiquity than the reign of Henry II.

Yet, though thus in rank but a priory, and subject to a rigid and extortionate control, Wenlock was the oldest and most privileged, perhaps the wealthiest and most magnificent, of the religious houses of Shropshire.

For the germ of this splendid foundation we must revert to times of extreme antiquity, and accept the testimony of a writer, who, however trustworthy, lived more than four centuries after the event now to be mentioned, and may have derived his information from legendary sources of doubtful accuracy.

William of Malmesbury, who wrote in the earlier half of the twelfth century, tells us that St. Milburge, daughter of Merewald, (who founded Leominster Priory,) niece of Wulphere, and grand-daughter of Penda, kings of Mercia, lived in a nunnery at Wenlock, and was buried there; moreover that the said nunnery was forsaken before the arrival of the Normans, and the place of the saint's sepulture forgotten.

Other authorities supply further, but perhaps less accurate, particulars, viz., that the older name of the place was Winnicas, that the nunnery was founded by St. Milburge herself, and that she presided therein as abbess.

St. Milburge was sister of St. Mildred, and if her parentage be correctly described, she must have lived in the end of the seventh century, when also all that is true of the particulars quoted above must have taken place. Whatever was the nature of this first ecclesiastical foundation at Wenlock, the lapse of two centuries left little of it remaining beyond the sanctity of the foundress'

name, and the veneration attaching to her place of burial. This destruction is attributed to the Danes, and if truly, will have been at the time of their conquest of Mercia, about A.D. 874.

The selection of the same place by Leofric, Earl of Mercia, and his wife Godiva, though for a religious establishment of very different character, was probably suggested by such popular traditions concerning the life and death of St. Milburge as had survived the disturbances of the next century and a half.

Earl Leofric's foundation was in the time of King Edward the Confessor (1043-66), when also he founded Coventry and other religious houses. The nature of these foundations will have been of the usual Saxon character, viz., colleges of secular clergy combining more or less of the monastic element.

The extent of the possessions of the church of St. Milburge, as it was called, in the Confessor's reign, can be accurately determined on the authority of Domesday. Its manors were Erdington (near Bridgnorth), Wenlock (now Much Wenlock), Tichelevorde (corresponding to Eaton under Heywood), Madeley, Little Wenlock, Shipton, Petelie (whose modern name is uncertain), Burton (near Wenlock), Godstoch (now Stoke St. Milburg), Dehocsele (now Deuxhill), Pickthorn, Sutton (near Salop), Clee (the exact site of which is a question), a small manor of half a hide (probably now Hughley), and one of the hundred hides then contained within the liberties of Shrewsbury. These possessions constituted a territory measuring $74\frac{1}{2}$ hides, which would be equivalent to nearly 18,000 of the acres of that period, and to a somewhat greater number of modern statute acres. A portion of this land (about a sixth) is noticed in Domesday as having been free of the impost called Danegeld in the time of King Canute (1017-35). Such immunity was not common among the manors of east Shropshire, and, if it arose from any religious connexion, must have been a relic of the earlier foundation of St. Milburge.

The annual income derivable from the whole, exclusive of the hide at Shrewsbury (which is not valued), amounted in the Confessor's time to nearly £50.

This second Saxon foundation at Wenlock will hardly have endured for thirty years. William of Malmesbury, as quoted above, speaks of Wenlock as forsaken at the arrival of the Normans; but it is evident that he used this language with reference to the foundation of St. Milburge, rather than to that of Leofric, of which indeed he seems to have been wholly ignorant. Taking his evidence however, in conjunction with that of Domesday, presently to be cited, we must conclude that during the gradual subjugation of the Saxon race, the church of St. Milburge was deserted, if not destroyed, and its possessions placed at the disposal of one of the Conqueror's followers. Who he was has now to be shown.

Roger de Montgomery, Vicomte of the Norman Oximin, though he did not (as stated by Dugdale) accompany Duke William in his first invasion, was yet brought hither by the Conqueror, on his second arrival here, in December, 1067. He forthwith was enriched with the honour of Chichester and Arundel, and in process of time with the county and earldom of Salop. The latter investiture will have been subsequent to A.D. 1071, when the outlawry of Earls Morcar and Edwin, the grandsons of Earl Leofric, first placed such a gift at the Conqueror's disposal. The new earl, between this year (1071) and 1086, founded or restored the Church of St. Milburge at Wenlock—founded it, inasmuch as he instituted a new order of things, restored it, in so far as he endowed the new establishment with all, or nearly all, the possessions of the old.

And this was generally the Norman policy when dealing with such Saxon foundations as involved anything of the monastic element. Their possessions were not confiscated, but diverted to ecclesiastical objects more or less cognate with the original design. The year 1080 has been assigned as the specific year of this foundation of the Norman earl, and with much probability, for

Wenlock Priory was a younger house than Lewes, which was originated in 1077-8, and older than Shrewsbury, which was first designed in February, 1083.

At this period the great Benedictine Abbey of Clugny was increasing in wealth and influence. Amongst its five principal and earliest affiliated priories were the French house of La Charité sur Loire, and the English house at Lewes. Wenlock was undoubtedly Clugniac from its first foundation by the Norman earl, but whether affiliated immediately on Clugny, or on the house of La Charité, is a question not decided, and perhaps not to be decided, by any existing evidence.

The antiquity of Wenlock Priory as compared with Shrewsbury Abbey has been asserted above. It rests on the evidence of Domesday, wherein the earl is spoken of as then making (*facit*) an abbey at Shrewsbury, and having made one (*fecit*) at Wenlock. And here it must be observed that the Domesday application of the word *abbey* to the religious house at Wenlock, is merely an inadvertent use of a general term, and by no means a justification of the prevalent misnomer first alluded to.

Of Earl Roger's charter or charters of foundation, which were of course reduced to writing, nothing is known to exist. The particulars must be gathered from Domesday, from which we learn, that six years after its alleged foundation, *i. e.*, in 1086, the monks of Wenlock were possessed of nearly all that had been possessed by the church of St. Milburge in the Confessor's days.

The exceptions were the two manors of Erdington and Stoke St. Milburge. The latter had been temporarily assigned to the earl's private chaplains, but ultimately reverted to the priory; indeed the officers who took the Domesday survey, and who were Normans, distinctly notify the claim and better title of the priory. This is not the only instance of a grant of church property by Earl Roger to his chaplains, and as in the other case he limited his grant to a life interest, and directed a reversion to the church, it is most

probable that such was the case with Stoke St. Milburge.

As regards Erdington the case was different. Up to the year 1086, no claim had been made by the church on that manor. It was then in the Earl's hands, who will in this case have exercised the right of the dominant party in an act of simple confiscation. We shall see that this act was afterwards amended by the Earl himself, but whether as one of impolicy, injustice, or sacrilege, we cannot now stop to inquire.

Enough has been said to show that at the time of Domesday, Wenlock Priory either possessed, or was shortly to possess, a territory equal in extent, and nearly identical, with that which had been held by the church of St. Milburge twenty years before.

A comparison therefore naturally suggests itself as to the relative value of this property at the two periods, which is found to have been as follows:—That which in the Confessor's time was estimated as annually productive of an income little short of £50, would, in 1086, realize barely £36. And the difference probably arose from the many hindrances to the peaceful cultivation of the soil, which must have arisen in Shropshire at the period. In 1086, the territory in question employed but $80\frac{1}{2}$ teams of oxen in its cultivation, whereas there was arable land sufficient for the employment of $141\frac{1}{2}$.

The unfortunate contrast as regards records which Wenlock Priory suggests to any one acquainted with the foundation charters of Shrewsbury Abbey, will justify the mention here of a few, otherwise trivial, particulars. Of the existence of the priory during the ascendancy of the Norman earls, we have only an occasional hint; for instance, Richard, a monk of Wenlock, is among the witnesses, who, about A.D. 1086, attested Earl Roger's foundation charter of the Collegiate Church at Quatford. There is also a record bearing every appearance of authenticity, which tells of Earl Roger having given Millichope to Wenlock, in

exchange for, or in composition of, its claim upon the manor of Erdington. Whether the original of this valuable document exists, and if so, in what custody, this notice may serve to induce an inquiry. The fact stated is more than probable. The next incidental notice of Wenlock is in a charter of Earl Hugh to Salop Abbey. Granting to that house the tithe of all his venison in Shropshire, he excepts that taken in the woods of St. Milburge, of which probably the tithe had been granted to the priory.

This designation of Wenlock Priory under the name of St. Milburge is noticeable, inasmuch as it is nearly certain that the conventual church was primarily dedicated to the Holy Trinity. The practical importance of associating the name of the Saxon saint with the Norman foundation was however never lost sight of. The acquisition of the bones of another Saxon saint (St. Winifred) by the monks of Shrewsbury, and the monastic value of such possessions, have been well set forth by the historians of that town and abbey, when speaking of a period somewhat later than that now before us. The monks of Shrewsbury encountered the perils of a distant journey and an inhospitable region in pursuit of their object. A similar acquisition was earlier made by the monks of Wenlock, who had no such primary obstacles to surmount. There was a tradition that St. Milburge was buried at Wenlock, and a probability that the unknown place of her sepulture would be within the precincts of the ancient church. If the site of the successive foundations were the same, as probably it was, the accidental discovery of her remains during the progress of the Norman building would be perfectly credible. Of course an accident so desirable happened; a boy, running over the floor of the proposed building, trod upon the very tomb of the saint. The balsamic exhalations usually resulting on such occasions were not wanting; the merits of the saint, the ingenuity of the monks, or the enthusiasm of the people were instantly rewarded by miraculous

effects of average credibility. Crowds thronged to the sepulchre; cures were effected, partial or complete; but the chief success of dead St. Milburge was alleged in remedy of such scrofulous disorders as had resisted all other treatment.

The translation of her relics, *i. e.*, their removal to a spot in front of the high altar of the new church, took place May 26, 1101.

In the reign of Stephen we have notice of the first recorded prior of this house; his name was Raynald, and he is only known as the friend and companion of Robert de Bethun, Bishop of Hereford, the prior's diocesan, who closed a troubled and exemplary career when attending the Council of Rheims, in April, 1148. The prior was with the bishop to the last, and probably did not survive him long, as Humbald occurs as prior in the commencement of the next reign.

In the thirteenth year of Henry II, (1167), the prior of Wenlock is mentioned as having been amerced for some offence within the jurisdiction of the justiciar of the forest. In this reign also the priory made a valuable acquisition in the manor of Dudinton (now Prior's Ditton). Herein the monks were devisees of one Hugh de Periers, who took name from Periers sur Andelle in Normandy, and who, accompanying Duke Henry to England in 1153, was rewarded on the accession of that prince by a grant of the royal manors of Corfham, Culminton and Ditton. Hugh de Periers dying issueless, the two former reverted to the crown, but the king in 1175-6, and again in 1180, confirmed, with certain conditions, his bequest of Ditton to Wenlock. By this act the annual value of Ditton, estimated at £11, assumed the nature of a royal grant in frank almoigne to the priory, and the sheriff entered it regularly in his accounts at the exchequer, as a part of the royal revenue, for which he was, after December, 1175, no longer accountable. Here then is the first royal recognition of Wenlock Priory of which we have public record. At this and at a later period, when

other religious houses are found contributing to the crown revenue in the form of a donum, the prior of Wenlock seems to be exempt, nor does he appear as a contributor to such revenue till 1199, when he stands on the Pipe Roll as furnishing his quota with the abbots of Salop, Haghmon, and Lilleshull, in the proportion of £15 to £20, £5, and £3 6s. 8d. respectively.

His contribution being less than the abbot of Salop probably implies not so much an inferiority of means as a less liability. A liability of any kind seems to have been a new thing, and has next to be accounted for. The reign of Richard I. brought an aggrandizement to this house, which, beyond a general idea of its importance, we have hardly the means of estimating. It was probably in return for some great but unrecorded subsidy, extorted from, or offered by, the monks, in aid of Richard's warlike necessities, that a new hundred was in his reign created in this county, and seigniorial rights therein, involving much influence and revenue, conferred on the prior of Wenlock. The limits of this new hundred or liberty corresponded nearly, if not exactly, to those of the modern franchise of Wenlock. At the same time the prior and his tenants, within the said district, were exempted from all obligation to do suit at other hundred courts, or even at the greater county courts of the sheriff.

From this period the prior is usually found assessed with other abbots and priors when taxed by the crown. He contributed to the donum of 5th of John (1203) to the aid for marrying the king's sister, levied in 1235-6, but not to that for marrying the king's daughter, which was payable in 1245.

When the inquisitions for the hundred rolls were taken in 1255, all the manors within the liberty of Wenlock are stated as being held under the prior, and owing suit to his court only. At the same period several important additions had been made elsewhere to the Domesday possessions of the monastery, which had now probably attained to its greatest prosperity.

In the non-existence or concealment of any connected chartulary of Wenlock, the local antiquary suffers an incalculable loss. Such a document alone can afford information as to the particulars of that steady and quiet aggrandizement by which this house was distinguished from its neighbours, but which, if we are to believe Giraldus, was a common result of that sobriety and prudence which prevailed in establishments of the Clugniac order.

In 1291, the annual income of the prior of Wenlock from different sources was estimated at about £160, but from this estimate several items, accruing from outlying possessions, are excluded. A similar valuation of the income of Salop Abbey at the same period gives a result of little more than £133.

The few charters relating to this house, which are printed in the *Monasticon*, are chiefly from private collections. A few others are known to exist in similar repositories, and an increasing interest in such subjects may perhaps bring to light many more.

All other information which can be hoped for in illustration of the history of Wenlock Priory must be sought in the usual quarters, viz., the diocesan registers of Hereford, and the public records of the kingdom. The facility with which the latter can now be consulted renders any attempted statement of minute particulars in such a notice as the present both unnecessary and inadequate. Suffice it to say that, like other alien priories, Wenlock was seized by the crown during the French wars of Edward III., and a valuation of its possessions, made in 1380, is still extant. In the 18th of Richard II. it was finally declared denizen, and so ceased to be dependent on any foreign house. It never, however, like Bermondsey, another Clugniac house, was exalted into an abbey, and if it gained anything by exemption from foreign jurisdiction, it probably lost more by the consequent failure of internal discipline and economy, and by becoming obnoxious to the disfavour, and amenable to the extortions, of a govern-

ment which had no longer those foreign interests to maintain which had contributed to the rise and prosperity of such establishments as Wenlock.

In the 26th of Henry VIII. the net annual income of this priory was little more than £400, being less than four-fifths of that of Shrewsbury Abbey.

Its surrender to the crown bears date January 26, 1539 (30 Henry VIII.), and a valuation of three years later, though it exhibits its possessions as somewhat more valuable than the valuation of 26th Henry VIII., bears the same ratio to a second valuation of Shrewsbury. At its dissolution the monastic body consisted of a prior, sub-prior, and eleven monks.

The first grantee of the site of Wenlock Priory was Augustinus de Augustinis, in 36 Henry VIII. The succession of its subsequent owners, even if it could be included here, forms no part of the history of Wenlock Priory, though it may reasonably be regretted that no feeling of veneration for such a monument of medieval skill should have accompanied the inheritance.

The ruins of the priory are situated close to the town, adjoining the parish churchyard.

They consist of the chapter-house, the south transept, a fragment of the north transept, a portion of the south side of the nave of the conventual church, and the prior's house. The rest of the foundations of the church can be traced, and show its dimensions to have been as follow :—

Length of nave	...	...	...	156 feet
Span under centre tower	...	...	...	39 "
Choir	...	...	...	156 "
Lady Chapel	...	...	...	48 "
Length from east to west	...	...	...	401 "
Length of transepts	...	...	...	166 "
Breadth of nave and aisles	...	...	...	66 "
¹ Breadth of Lady Chapel	...	...	...	40 "

The chapter-house is an oblong square of sixty-six

¹ In Rev. Mackenzie Walcott's *Four Minsters* is a ground plan of the Priory.—EDD. SHROPS. ARCH. SOC.

feet by thirty-one feet. The entrance to it from the cloister was by a rich circular-headed doorway, on each side of which is a window; all are similarly ornamented with chevron, hatched and arched mouldings. Above were three tall circular-headed windows, represented in Buck's *Views*, but now entirely gone. On the spandrils have been figures of saints.

The north and south walls of the chapter-house are still tolerably perfect; at about three feet from the floor is a projection having a chevron moulding, from which rise two clusters of six small round shafts, which divide the space into three compartments of fifteen feet. These columns are five feet high, and have capitals variously ornamented, from which issue a corresponding number of ribs, which formed the groined roof. In the spaces between the clusters of columns are five small circular arches, resting on columns consisting of three shafts, above which, up to the groins of the roof, the space is covered by rows of intersecting arches, each springing from the intersecting point of the arches beneath them. This beautiful specimen of Norman architecture is probably the work of Roger de Montgomery; and, from the bases of six plain Norman pillars, which a few years ago were to be seen in the choir, it is probable that it also was of the same date.¹

The west front, nave, and transepts were in the Early Pointed style. The great west window is gone, but from the remains of one of the imposts, its form is conjectured to have been a triple lancet. Beneath it appears to have been a spacious doorway, but the mouldings are so destroyed that the form of the arch can scarcely be traced.

The west front belongs to the latter half of the thirteenth century, exhibiting in the only window that now remains the elements of Geometrical tracery, that is, a single arch, enclosing two lancet lights, the head

¹ Views of the interior of the Chapter House and also of the South Transept are in Britton's *Archit. Antiq.*—EDD. SHROPS. ARCH. SOC.

filled with an open circle, the jambs of the window furnished with slender columns, and the arch divided into mouldings.

Of the great west window, only one of the jambs and the springing of the arch remain, but it must have been of large dimensions; and, judging from the window already described, it was in all probability also filled with Geometrical tracery. The east window of Acton Burnell Church, in the immediate neighbourhood, and erected about the same period, will at once suggest the probable form and arrangement of the tracery.¹

The interval between these windows was occupied by tiers of trefoil-headed niches, each tier consisting of three niches, decorated with columns, capitals and moulded heads. Beneath the west window appears to have been a spacious doorway. Attached to the west end are the remains of the south side of the nave, consisting of three pointed arches, having a triforium above of lancet arches in couplets, each of these couplets being enclosed within the span of the large arch. Above them is a row of clerestory windows, much defaced.

The pillars of the nave are octagonal, and attached to three of them are massive columns, supporting a plain groined roof, above which, on a level with the triforium, is an apartment lighted by the window described in the west front, and two similar ones to the south, and a door, which is supposed to have communicated with the dormitories.

The south transept consists of three graceful arches springing from lofty clustered columns. Above these is a triforium of lancet arches, divided by the shafts which supported the ribs of the roof, between which are the clerestory windows.

The bases of the four large piers which supported the centre tower at the intersection of the nave and choir remain, as do some others in the nave.

¹ There is an excellent engraving of this beautiful east window in the *Building News*, Oct. 13, 1871.—EDD, SHROPS. ARCH. SOC.

No part of the cloisters now exist, but it is evident that the nave and chapter-house formed two of its sides, and it is probable that the domestic offices, such as the dormitory, refectory, &c. (now totally destroyed), formed the other two sides.

The prior's residence, which adjoins the south side of the chapter-house, is a most interesting specimen of the domestic architecture of the period, and from its arrangement appears to have occupied the sides of a quadrangular court, of which one side only now remains perfect. This consists of a building of two stories, surmounted by a very high roof, and contains some of the principal apartments. Its whole length is about 100 feet, and it has a light and elegant open cloister extending the whole length, and communicating with the rooms on either floor. The cloister is divided into compartments by large buttresses at regular intervals, and these again are subdivided into two compartments by smaller buttresses, the space between being filled in with two trefoil-headed lights and divided horizontally by a transom. The space below the transom is filled in solid, and is open above to give light to the cloister. The arrangement is the same for the lower story.

A similar cloister appears to have extended round the other side of the court, but to have been only one story high. Arched doorways open from the cloisters into the various apartments on both floors, and the communication from one cloister to the other is by a narrow stone staircase at the north end.

In a room on the ground floor, which is supposed to have been the private chapel of the prior, is a recess lighted by three trefoil-headed lights, and divided from the room by an arch of singular form.

In the upper story the apartment of most importance, and in the best state of preservation is the banqueting hall. Its length is twenty-five feet, and its width nineteen, its lofty roof rising to the full height of the building, and is divided in its length into three bays of unequal dimensions, and lighted by four windows

of two lights each, these being again enclosed within a deeply recessed arched head, enriched with tracery. On each side of the window, and within the depth of the recess, is placed an octagonal pedestal, in the situation usually occupied by stone seats in the houses of the same date; but in this case they are too lofty to have been used with convenience for this purpose, and for what other they could have been intended it is difficult to guess.

The summit of the walls on which the roof rests is furnished with a moulded cornice enriched with flowers. The roof is of oak, and designed with extraordinary skill and beauty. As before stated, it is divided into three unequal bays by two principals, each principal consisting of a beautifully proportioned arch, enriched with well-designed mouldings, and resting on slender stone columns attached to the walls, finished with capitals of varied design, and terminating half way down the wall on moulded brackets and intermediate bands. The apex between the top of the arch and the angle formed by the rafters is enriched with open trefoils, and the intervals between these arched principals are filled in with a series of plain arched ribs giving support to the rafters, attached to which, and extending the whole length of the roof on each side, is a broad band of open flowing trefoil work.

The wall opposite to the windows is plain, with the exception of the door of entrance from the cloister, the shafts supporting the roof already described, and an ornamented bracket intended probably to support a light. At the north end of the room is a large ugly fire-place of modern date, and a narrow stone staircase communicating with the kitchen beneath. To the south of this is another apartment of similar proportions, but in a very dilapidated state.

It is an extraordinary circumstance connected with this very interesting room, that the general form and detail of the roof indicate an age anterior to the date of the building of which it forms a part; belonging, as far

as it is safe to judge by the analogy of style, to the middle of the fourteenth century, while the date of the latter is unquestionably a century later. There is a roof of somewhat the same kind in the church at Wigmore in Herefordshire, where the building itself is undoubtedly of the earlier date.

The notes from which the above description has been drawn up were made two years ago, on the occasion of a visit to Wenlock in company with Mr. Blore, who, with his usual kindness and readiness to give information, pointed out to the writer all that was most interesting in the architecture. Whatever may be valuable in this account is therefore derived from Mr. Blore, and the writer must be accountable for any inaccuracies that may have arisen from misconception of Mr. Blore's meaning.

He considered the prior's house to be a singularly interesting specimen; and, as it has been hitherto undescribed, the detail has been made as full as the notes would admit of.

The writer at the same time understood that Mr. Blore was disposed to assign the chapter-house and some other fragments to the date 1140; the transept, nave, &c., to the early part of the thirteenth century, when it appears that Lady Agnes Clifford was a contributor to the building; and that the west front might have been erected a little later, when a slight advance had been made to a change of style; and the prior's house in the middle of the fifteenth century.

Since the above was written Mr. Gaskell, the owner of the Priory, has converted the Prior's House into a fine mansion for himself, preserving most judiciously the characteristic architectural features. The whole of the ruins have been excavated down to the original level, and a large octagonal sacristy has been discovered on the south side of the choir, as well as two sepulchral cross slabs, in the cloisters, and a beautiful alabaster sculptured basin or reservoir in the centre of the cloister, into which the water from the Holy Wells of St. Owen and St. Milburga was conveyed for the use of the numerous pilgrims who resorted there to be miraculously cured of disease. And now (1881) excavations are going on on the north side of the Church,—EDD. SHROPS. ARCH. SOC.

PERSONS CONNECTED WITH SHROPSHIRE
 WHOSE DESCENDANTS CAN CLAIM
 LEGITIMATE DESCENT FROM EDW. I., EDW. III., OR
 HEN. VII., AND A FEW FROM HEN. III.

FROM A MS. OF THE LATE MR. GEORGE MORRIS OF SHREWSBURY.

Those with a * before them are put for sake of the connecting link to others, and do not belong to Shropshire. S are Shropshire; the rest doubtful.

DESCENDANTS OF

- s Acton, Edw., of Aldenham (d. 1386), Edw. I., by w. Eleanor' d. of Fulke le Strange, of Blackmere, through Stafford' Clare, Plantagenet.
- s Acton, Sir Edw., of Aldenham, 1st Bart., d. 1659, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Sarah, d. of Rich. Mytton of Halston (1640), through Corbet, Vernon, Talbot, Butler, Bohun, and Plantagenet. Also Hen. III., by same wife, through Corbet, Vernon, Talbot, Strange, Fitzalan, and Plantagenet.
- s Acton, Rich., of Bridgnorth, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of Michael Lyster (d. 1635), through Lee, Corbet, Vernon, Talbot, Butler, Bohun, and Plantagenet.
- s Acton, Henry, Hen. III. and Edw. I. by w. Hannah (md. 1671), d. of Robt. Corbett, London, through Morton, Lee Corbet, Vernon, Talbot, Butler, Bohun, and Plantagenet.
- s Acton, Roger, of Bockleton, Edw. I., by w. Anne, d. of Ralph Leighton of Cotes, through Trentham, Corbet, and Devereux, as Sir Walter, Devereux.
- s Adams, Thos., of Longdon, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Ursula, d. of Thos. Newport (3 Edw. V.), through Corbet, Vernon, Talbot, as above.
- * Amphlett, Joseph, of Clent, Edw. I. and Edw. III., by w. Anne, d. of Sir Chas. Littleton of Hagley, Edw. I., through Talbot, Butler, Bohun, and Plantagenet, and

- Edw. III., through Talbot, Greystock, Ferrers, and John of Gaunt. Also Hen. III., by same wife, through Talbot, Strange, &c.
- * Anderton, Thos., of Lostock, co. Lancaster, Edw. III., by w. Eliz., d. of Sir Charles Somerset (d. 1655), s. of Edw., Earl of Worcester, through Beaufort to John of Gaunt, D. of Lancaster.
 - * Annesley, Edw., of Brookside, Edw. I., by w. Katherine, d. of Rowland Berkeley of Spechley (d. 1611), through Mowbray, Segrave and Brotherton.
 - * Anthony, Thos., Visct. Southwell, Edw. I., by w. Jane, d. of John Berkeley, through Mowbray, &c., as above.
 - Arblaster, Edmund, of Longdon, co. Stafford, Edw. III., by w. Mary, d. of Edw. Littleton, d. 1704, through Devereux, Bouchier, and Plantagenet, and Edw. I. by Devereux, Ferrers, Stafford, Audley, and Clare to Joan, d. of Edw. I.
 - * Arthur, Rich., of Clopham, co. Somerset, Edw. I., by w. Alice, d. of James, Lord Berkeley, through Mowbray, Segrave, and Brotherton.
 - * Arundel, Thos., s. and h. of Thos. Lord of Wardour, Edw. III., by w. Blanche, d. of Edw. Somerset, Earl of Worcester, through Beaufort to John of Gaunt.
 - s Astley, Sir John, of Patteshall, by w. Mary, d. of Sir Francis Prince, through Wrottesley, Astley, Talbot, Butler, Bohun, and Plantagenet. Also Hen. III., by same wife, through Talbot, Strange, &c. Also Edw. III., by same wife, through Parton, Wrottesley, Astley, Talbot, Greystock, and Ferrers, to John of Gaunt.
 - s Astley, Sir John, of Patteshall, Edw. III., by w. Mary, d. of Sir Francis Prince, through Prince, Wrottesley, Astley, Talbot, Parton, Beaufort, to John of Gaunt.
 - s Astley, Sir Thos. (d. 1542), Edw. I., and Edw. III. (æt 30, 1532), by Mary, d. of Sir Gilbert Talbot, through Butler, Bohun, and Plantagenet, and through Parton, Beaufort, &c., as above.
 - s Astley, Sir Thos., and Edw. III., by Mary, d. of Sir Gilbert Talbot, through Greystock, and Ferrers, to John of Gaunt.
 - s Astley, Sir Thos., Hen. III., by Mary, daughter of Sir Gilbert Talbot, through Butler, Bohun, and Plantagenet.
 - s Audley, Hugh de, Earl of Gloster, Edw. I. by w. Margaret, d. of Gilbert de Clare, by Joan, d. of Edw. I.
 - s Audley, James Touchet, Lord, Edw. III., by w. Margaret, d. of Edw. Beaufort, Duke of Somerset, through John of Gaunt.

- s Audley, James Touchet, Lord (d. 1497), Edw. III., by w. Joan, d. of Fulke Bouchier, Lord Fitzwarine, through Thos. of Woodstock.
- Atwood, Fras., living c. 1700, Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Chas. Bawdewin of Diddlebury, through Corbet, Vernon, Talbot, Strange, Fitzalan, Plantagenet.
- Atwood, Fras., Hen. III., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Chas. Bawdewin of Diddlebury, through Corbet, Vernon, Talbot, Bohun, Plantagenet.
- s Aston, Sir Thomas, of Aston, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Arthur Mainwaring of Ightfield (d. 1558), through Corbet, Vernon, Talbot, Strange, Fitzalan, Plantagenet.

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- Berkeley, James, Lord, d. 1463, Edw. I., by w. Isabel Mowbray, d. of Thos., Duke of Norfolk, through Segrave and Brotherton.
- Berkeley, James, Lord, Hen. III., by w. Isabel Mowbray, d. of Thos., Duke of Norfolk, through Plantagenet, by Joan, d. of Henry, Earl of Lancaster.
- Berkeley, Thos., d. 1611, Edw. III., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Sir George Cary, through Butler and Beaufort to John of Gaunt.
- s Berkeley, Francis, of Hadnal, Edw. I., by w. Muriel, d. of Sir Wm. Childe, through Lacon, Corbet, and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- * Beauchamp, Rich., Lord Bergavenny, Edw. I. and Edw. III., by w. Isabel, d. of Thos., Lord Despenser. Edw. I., through Clare by Joan of Aeres, d. of Edw. I. Edw. III., through Constance Plantagenet, d. of Edw. of Langley, Duke of York.
- * Beauchamp, Rich., Earl of Warwick, Edw. I. and Edw. III., by same lady as above.
- * Butler, James, Earl of Ormond, Edw. I., by w. Eleanor, d. of Humphrey de Bohun, Earl of Essex, by w. Elizabeth Plantagenet, d. of Edw. I.
- * Bouchier, Wm., Earl of Eu, ancestor of Lord Berners, Edw. III., by w. Anne Plantagenet, d. of Thos., Earl of Gloster, s. of Edw. III.
- * Bouchier, Sir Wm., Lord Fitzwarine, s. of Wm. Bouchier, Earl of Eu, Edw. III., by w. Anne Plantagenet, d. of Thos., Earl of Gloster, s. of Edw. III.

- * Bouchier, Henry, Earl of Essex, s. of Wm. Bouchier, Earl of Eu, Edw. III., by w. Anne Plantagenet, d. of Thos., Earl of Gloster, s. of Edw. III.
- * Barrett, Edw., of Belpouse, near Aveley, co. Essex, Edw. III., by w., Ann Somerset, d. of Sir George Somerset, to John of Gaunt.
- * Browne, Sir Henry, of Kiddington, co. Oxford, Edw. III., by w. Frances, d. of Sir Chas. Somerset, to John of Gaunt.
Browne, Rev. Corbet, of Withington, Edw. I., through marriage of Eleanor, d. of Roger Corbet of Sundorne, d. 1715, and Adbright Hussy with Rupert Browne of Hungry Bentley, co. Derby.
- * Bohun, Humphrey de, Earl of Hereford and Essex, Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth Plantagenet, d. of Edw. I.
- * Brandon, Chas., Duke of Suffolk, Henry VII., by w. Mary, 3rd d. of Henry.
- * Beaumont, John, Lord, Hen. III., by w. Eleanor, d. of Henry, Earl of Lancaster.
- Brudenell, Chas., Earl of Aylesbury, Hen. VII., by w. Elizabeth Seymour, d. of Henry, Lord Beauchamp, through Grey and Brandon.
- Brooke, Robert, of Blacklands, co. Stafford, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Frances, d. of John Wrottesley, through Astley. Hen. III., Talbot, Strange, Fitzalan, and Plantagenet. Edw. I., Talbot, Butler, Bohun, and Plantagenet. Edw. III., Talbot, Parton, Beaufort, to John of Gaunt. Edw. III., Talbot, Greystock, and Ferrers, to John of Gaunt.
- Brooke, Leigh, of Blacklands, Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Sir Humph. Briggs, through Moreton, Lee, Corbet, Vernon, Talbot, Butler, Bohun, and Plantagenet.
- Brooke, Leigh, of Blacklands, Hen. III., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Sir Humph. Briggs, through Moreton, Lee, Corbet, Vernon, Talbot, Strange, Fitzalan, Plantagenet.
- s Brooke, Edw., of Stretton, Edw. I., by w. Frances, d. of Rich. Leighton of Cotes, 1603, through Trentham, Corbet, and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Blakeway, Roger, of Moate, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Clara, d. of Sir Rich. Prince, through Wrottesley, Astley, Talbot, as Brooke above.
- s Benthall, . . . Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Mary, d. of Gilbert Astley of Patteshall, through Talbot, as Brooke above.
- s Bennett, Charles, Earl of Tankerville, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Alice, d. of Sir John Astley, Bart., through Talbot, (as Brooke above.)

- s Bayley, Thos., of Preston, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III.,
by w. Sarah, d. of Scarlett Lloyd, through Scarlett,
Prince, Wrottesley, Astley, Talbot, as Brooke above.
Also Edw. I., by same, through Green, Barkley, Mow-
bray.
- s Bayley, Wm., of Shrewsbury, banker, Hen. III., by w.
Hannah, d. of Samuel Harley, through Cornwall, De la
Barre, Talbot, Strange, Fitzalan, and Plantagenet.
- Bright, Henry, of Brockbury, co. Hereford, Hen. III. and
Edw. I., by w. Joan, d. of Rowland Berkeley of Spetchley,
through Mowbray. Also, Edw. I., Mowbray, Segrave,
and Brotherton; Hen. III., Mowbray and Plantagenet,
by Joan, d. of Henry, Earl of Lancaster.
- s Bromley, Wm., of Holt Castle, n. 1656, Hen. III. and Edw. I.,
by w. Margaret, d. of Rowland Barkeley of Cotheridge,
(d. 1334,) through Mowbray, (as Calcot, Wm.,)
- s Bromley, Henry, of Holt Castle, ob. 1652, Hen. III. and
Edw. I., by w. Beatrix, d. of Rich. Newport, (d. 1650,)
through Corbet, Vernon, &c., as Leigh Brooke.
- s Bromley, George, of Hawkstone, Edw. I., by w. Jane, d. of
Sir Thos. Lacon (1533), through Corbet and Devereux,
as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Betton, Robt., of Salop, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by
w. Beatrice, d. of Wrottesley Prince (d. 1677), through
Wrottesley, Astley.
- s Betton, Rich., of Salop, Edw. III., by w. . . . d. of
Rich. Salwey, through Littleton, as Sir Edw. Littleton,
- s Benion, James, of Shrewsbury, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw.
III., by w. Mary, d. of Thos. Jenkins, through Wing-
field, &c., as Thomas Jenkins.
- s Boycott, Rev. Rich., of . . . Hen. III., Edw. I., and
Edw. III., by w. Gertrude, d. of Thos. Jenkins, through
Wingfield, as Thomas Jenkins.
- s Boycott, Thos., of Hinton, Edw. I., by w. Philadelphia, d. of
Sir Thos. Cotton of Combermere (d. 1715), through
Mainwaring, Corbet, Vernon, Talbot, Butler, Bohun,
and Plantagenet.
- s Blodwell, Rich., of Llwyn, Edw. I., by w. Prudence, d. of
Roger Kynaston of Hordley, through Grey, through
Cherleton and Holland to Joan, d. of Edmund of Wood-
stock, s. of Edw. I.
- s Blodwell, Rich., of Llwyn, Hen. III., by w. Prudence, d. of
Roger Kynaston of Hordley, as Sir Roger, Kynaston.
- s Bridgeman, Orlando, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Judith, d.
of John Kinaston of Morton, through Grey, Cherleton,

- and Holland, to Joan, d. of Edmund of Woodstock, s. of Edw. I.
- s Bridgeman, Sir Orlando, Edw. I., by w. Anne, d. of Rich. Newport, Earl of Bradford (1721), through Corbet, Vernon, Talbot, Butler, Bohun, and Plantagenet.
- s Bridgeman, Sir Orlando, Hen. III., by w. Anne, d. of Rich. Newport, Earl of Bradford, through Corbet, &c., as Thos. Newport.
- Brereton, Edw., of Bersham, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Dorothy, d. of Rich. Hanmer of Hanmer, through Kynaston, Grey, &c., Holland to Joan Plantagenet, gdd. of Edw. I. See Sir Roger, K. 206.
- Brereton, Randle, of Kiddington, co. Cest., Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of Wm. Hanmer of Fenns, through Kynaston, Grey, and Holland, to Joan Plantagenet, gdd. of Edw. I., 1570.
- Bird, David, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of Sir Thos. Hanmer (1545), through Kynaston, Grey, &c., as Brereton above.
- s Bird, Rev. Thos., Vicar of Kinlet, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. d. of Rowland Niccols of Boycott, through Kynaston, Grey, &c., as Brereton.
- s Barnfield, Robert, of Newport, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, md. 1655, d. of Humphrey Dymock (1650), through Kynaston, Grey, &c., as above, as Sir Roger, Kynaston.
- Baldwyn, Bawdeilyn, Thos., of Diddlebury, Edw. I. and Hen. III., by w. Gertrude, d. of Robt. Corbet of Stanwardine, through Vernon, &c., as Robt. Corbet of Morton.
- Baldwyn, Bawdeilyn, Thos., of Diddlebury, Hen. III., and Edw. I., by w. Dorothy, md. 1656, d. of Humph. Mackworth, through Lee, Corbet, &c., as Robt. Corbet of Morton.
- Baldwyn, Edw., of Diddlebury, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Edward Lutwyche (1638), through Leighton, Onslow, Corbet, and Devereux, as Sir Walter Davereux.
- s Burton, Edw., of Atcham, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Francis Newton of Heightley, Edw. I., through Corbet, Vernon, Talbot, Butler, Bohun, and Plantagenet. Hen. III., through Corbet, Vernon, Talbot, Strange, Fitzalan, and Plantagenet.
- s Bulkeley, Ralph, of Woore, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Rich. Cotton (1544), through Mainwaring. Corbet, Vernon, as Burton above.

- s Blithe, Fras. Turner, Hen. III., and Edw. I., by w. Martha, d. of Wm. Forester of Dothill, through Newport, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton above.
- s Briggs, Humphrey, of Haughton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Anne, d. and coh. of Robt. Moreton, through Lee, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton above.
- s Briggs, Humphrey, of Haughton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Magdalen, d. of Sir John Corbet of Stoke, S. P., through Vernon, as Burton above.
- s Briggs, Humphrey, Edw. I. by w. Dorothy, d. of Edw. Lutwyche (1638), through Leighton, Onslow, Corbet, Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Berry, John, of Oswestry, Hen. III., and Edw. I., by w. Jane, d. of Wm. Corbett of Lee (1560), through Kynaston, Grey, as Blodwell.
- s Baugh, Laurence, of Leintwardine, Hen. III., Edw. III., and Edw. I., by w. Lætitia, d. of Sir Wm. Fowler, Bart., through Littleton, as John of Frankley, Hen. III. and Edw. I., through Newport, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton above.
- s Bevan, Henry, of Shrewsbury, Hen. VII., by w. Sarah, d. of Wm. Pigott, through Ward, Sutton, Segrave, and Brotherton.
- s Beale, Thos., of Heath, Edw. III., by w. Constantia Isabella, d. of Rich. Salwey, through Littleton, Devereux, &c., as Robt. Leighton.
- s Ball, John, of Langley (1771), Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Anne, d. of Wm. Downton, through Hughes (Rector of Wem), Scryven, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton above.
- s Billingsley, John, Edw. I., by w. Frances, d. of Wm. Acton of Aldenham (1541), through Strange, Stafford, Clare, Plantagenet.
- s Burnell, Thos., of Shrewsbury, Edw. I., by w. Eleanor d. of Thos. Onslow of Onslow, through Corbet, Devereux, as Walter, Devereux
- s Banaster, Edw., of Lacon, Edw. I., by w. Eleanor, d. of Rich. Lacon (1543), through Corbet, Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Bodenham, Thos., Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Sir Francis Lacon (1623), through Corbet and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Barker, James, of Haghmon, Edw. I., by w. Dorothy, d. of Rich. Clive (1562), through Corbet and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.

C.

- s Charlton, Edw., Lord Powys (d. 1421), Hen. III. and Edw. I.,
by w. Eleanor, d. of Thos. Holland, Earl of Kent, through
Joan Plantagenet, d. of Edmund of Woodstock, s. of
Edw. I.
- s Charlton, John, Hen. III., by w. Alice, d. of Rich. Fitzalan,
Earl of Arundel, through Plantagenet.
- s Charlton, John, Edw. I., by w. Alice, d. of Rich. Fitzalan,
Earl of Arundel, through Bohun and Plantagenet.
- s Charlton, Andrew, Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of James
Barker of Haghmon.
- * Cecil, Wm., Lord Burleigh (ante 1600), Edw. I., by w. Eliza-
beth, d. of Edw. Manners, through Holland to John of
Gaunt.
- * Cecil, Thos., Earl of Exeter, Edw. III., by w. Dorothy, d. of
John Nevil, Lord Latimer (d. 1517), through Somerset
and Beaufort to John of Gaunt.
- * Courtenay, Hugh, Earl of Devon, Edw. I., by w. Margaret,
d. of Humph. Bohun, Earl of Hereford.
- * Courtenay, Thos., 7th Earl of Devon, Edw. III., by w. Mar-
garet, d. of John Beaufort, Earl of Somerset, s. of John
of Gaunt.
- * Clifford, Sir Roger, Edw. I. and Edw. III., by w. Joan, d. of
Thos. Courtney, 7th Earl of Devon, through Beaufort
to John of Gaunt.
- * Clifford, Henry, Earl of Cumberland, Hen. VII., by w. Eleanor,
d. of Chas. Brandon, Duke of Suffolk, by w. Mary, third
d. of Hen. VII.
- Conway, Sir Hugh, Edw. I. and Edw. III., by w. Elizabeth,
d. of Thos. Courtney, 7th Earl of Devon, through
Beaufort to John of Gaunt.
- * Conway, . . . Marq. of Hertford, Hen. VII., by w.
Arabella, d. of Chas. Stuart, Earl of Lennox, through
- Conway, John, Esq., Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Sir Thos.
Hanmer (1545), through Kynaston, Grey, Cherleton, and
Holland, to Joan, d. of Edmund, s. of Edw. I.
- * Cary, Thos., of Chilton Folliott, (ancestor of Lords Falkland,
Hunsdon, and Berkeley,) Edw. I. and Edw. III., by w.
Margaret, d. of Robert Spencer by w. Eleanor, d. of
Edmund Beaufort, Duke of Somerset, to John of Gaunt.
- * Cornwallis, Sir Wm., of Brome, co. Suffolk, Edw. III., by w.
Lucy, d. of John Nevil, Lord Latimer, through Somerset
and Beaufort to John of Gaunt.

- Campbell, Archibald, of Edw. III., by w. Anne,
d. of said Sir Wm. Cornwallis.
- * Clapham, Sir Chas., Knight (1675), Edw. III., by w. . . .
d. of . . . Thwaytes, through Parton and Beaufort
to John of Gaunt.
- * Coke, Edw., Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of
George, 12th Lord Berkeley (d. 1658), through Mowbray,
(as James, Lord Berkeley).
- s Corbet, Andrew, of Morton (d. 1757), Hen. III., Edw. I., and
Edw. III., by Frances, d. of Wm. Prince, through
Wrottesley, Astley, (as Brooke).
- s Corbet, Henry, or Reginald, Knight, Hen. III., Edw. I., and
Edw. III., by w. Susanna, d. of Hugh Wrottesley,
through Astley, as Brooke.
- s Corbet, Thos., of Leigh and Sundorn, c. 1500, Edw. I. and
Hen. III., by w. Jane, d. of Sir Roger Kynaston by w.
Elizabeth Grey, through Cherleton and Holland to
Joan, d. of Edmund, s. of Edw. I.
- s Corbet, Robert, of Leigh and Sundorn (d. 1608), Edw. I., by
w. Elizabeth, d. of Roger Kynaston of Hordley, through
Grey, as above.
- s Corbet, Richard, of Morton (d. 1718), Edw. I., by w. Judith, d.
of Sir J. Bridgeman, through Kynaston, Grey, as above.
- s Corbet, Moses, Governor of Guernsey, Hen. III. and Edw. I.,
by w. Sarah, d. of John Mytton, through Kynaston,
Grey, as above, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Corbet, Moses, Governor of Guernsey, Hen. III. and Edw. I.,
by w. Sarah, d. of John Mytton, through Corbet, Vernon,
as Burton.
- s Corbet, John, of Sundorn (d. 1759), Hen. III. and Edw. I., by
w. Barbara Lætitia, d. of John Mytton, through Leighton,
Bawdewin, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Corbet, John, of Sundorn, Edw. I. and Hen. III., by w.
Barbara Lætitia, d. of John Mytton, through Kynaston,
Grey, as above.
- * Corbet, Henry Arthur, of Ynysymaengwyn, Hen. III. and
Edw. I., by w. Frances Mary, d. of Wm. Mostyn, through
Kynaston, Grey, as above.
- s Corbet, Sir Vincent, of Morton, (d. 1681), Hen. III. and Edw.
I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Francis Thornes, through
Kynaston, Grey, as above.
- s Corbet, Robert, of Morton, Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of
Sir Henry Vernon of Haddon (d. 1515), through Talbot,
Butler, Bohun, and Plantagenet. Also Hen. III., as in
Talbot.

- s Corbet, Pelham, of Lee and Sundorn (1652), Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Anne, d. of Andrew Corbet, through Vernon, Talbot, Butler, as Burton.
- s Corbet, Robert, of Lee and Sundorn, Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Roger Kynaston, through Grey, as above.
- s Corbet, John, of Stoke (d. 1662), Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Anne, d. of Sir George Mainwaring of Ightfield, through Corbet, Vernon, Talbot, Butler, as Burton.
Corbet, Rich., of Stoke (1593), Edw. I., by w. Anne, d. of Sir Thos. Bromley, Lord Chancellor, through Lacon, Corbet, and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Corbet, Edw., of Longnor (d. 1649), Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Anne, d. of Rich. Newport (1650), through Corbet, Vernon, Talbot, Butler, as Burton. Edw. I., by same, through Bromley, Lacon, Corbet, Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Corbet, John, of Sundorn, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Barbara Lætitia, d. of John Mytton, through Corbet, Vernon, Talbot, Butler, as Burton.
- s Corbet, John, of Sundorn, Edw. I. and Hen. III., by w. Barbara Lætitia, d. of John Mytton, through Kynaston, as above.
- s Corbet, Sir Corbet, Bart., of Adderley, Hen. III., and Edw. I., by w. Hester, d. of Sir Lynch Cotton, through Mainwaring, Corbet, Vernon, Talbot, Butler, as Burton.
- s Corbet, Thos., of Longnor, Hen. III. and Edw. I. (d. 1645), by w. Jane, d. of Robt. Moreton, through Lee, Corbet, Vernon, &c., as Burton.
- s Corbet, Edward, of Longnor (d. 1653), Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of Edw. Waties of Burway and Ludlow, through Fox and Somerset.
- s Corbet, John, of Sundorne (d. 1817), Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Emma Elizabeth, d. of Sir Charlton Leighton, through Newport, Corbet, Vernon, Talbot, Butler, as Burton.
- s Corbet, Sir Robert, of Morton (ob. 1513), Hen. III., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Sir Henry Vernon of Haddon (1515), through Talbot, Strange, Fitzalan, and Plantagenet.
- s Corbet, John, of Sundorne (d. 1817), Edw. I. and Edw. III., by w. Ann, d. of Rev. Wm. Pigott.
- s Corbet, John, of Sundorne, Hen. VII., by w. Ann, d. of Rev. Wm. Pigott, through Ward, Sutton, Seymour, Grey, and Brandon.
Corbet, John, of Sundorne, Edw. I., through w. Emma, d. of Sir Charlton Leighton, through Forester, Cecil, Howard, Mowbray, Fitzalan, and Bohun.

- s Corbet, Sir Rich., of Morton, Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Walter Devereux, Lord Ferrers, of Chartley, through Stafford and Audley to Joan Plantagenet, d. of Edw. I.
- s Corbet, Wm., of Lee, Edw. I., by w. Alice, d. of Sir Thos. Lacon (1533), through Corbet, Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Cludde, Charles, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Beatrice, d. of Wrotesley Prince (d. 1677), through Wrotesley, Astley, &c., as Brooke.
- s Cludde, Thos., Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. and h. of John Coston of Coston, through Kynaston of Shotton.
- s Calcott, . . . Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Penelope, d. of Hugh Wrotesley, through Astley, as Brooke.
- s Calcott, Wm., of Berwick (n. 1709), Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Dorothy, d. of Rowland Berkeley of Cotheridge: Hen. III., through Mowbray and Plantagenet, by Joan, d. of Henry, Earl of Lancaster; Edw. I., through Mowbray, Segrave, and Brotherton.
- s Craven, John, father of Wm., fifth Lord Craven, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Maria Rebecca, d. of Henry Green of Wykin, through Berkeley, Mowbray, as Calcott above.
- s Craven, Wm., sixth Lord Craven, Edw. I. and Edw. III., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Augustus, fourth Earl Berkeley, through Mowbray and Cary, as Cary.
- s Cotes, Washington, of Woodcote, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Andrew Corbet of Moreton, through Prince, Wrotesley, as Brooke.
- s Cotes, Washington, of Woodcote, Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Andrew Corbet of Moreton, through Bridgeman, Kynaston, Grey, as Roger Kynaston.
- s Cotes, Washington, of Woodcote, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Andrew Corbet of Moreton, through Vernon, as Burton.
- s Clive, Edward, Earl of Powis, Edw. III., by w. Henrietta Antonia, d. of Henry Arthur Herbert, Earl of Powis, through Somerset.
- s Clive, Edward, Earl of Powis, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Henrietta Antonia, d. of Henry Arthur Herbert, Earl of Powis, through Fox, Newport, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Clive, George, of Walford, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth (married 1662), d. of Robt. Corbet of Stanwardine, through Vernon, as Burton.

- s Clive, Thos., of Walford, Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. and coh. of George Onslow (c. 1584) of Onslow, through Corbet and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Clive, Rich., of Styche (d. 1562), Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of Sir Rich. Corbet of Morton, Knight, through Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Clive, Joshua, s. and h. of Sir George, Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Andrew Charlton (Shf. 1590), through Barker, Clive, Corbet, and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Carpenter, Rich., of Edw. I., by w. Anne (md. 1616), d. of George Corbet of Leigh, through Kynaston and Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Coston, John, of Coston, Edw. I., by w. Dorothy, d. of Roger Kynaston of Shotton (1586), through Hammer, Kynaston, Grey, &c., as Roger Kynaston.
- s Cornwall, Thos., of Burford (1656), Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Anne, d. of Gilbert Littleton, through Talbot, as John Littleton.
- s Cornwall, Thos., of Burford, Edw. I., by w. Anne, d. of Sir Rich. Corbet of Morton (1492), through Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- Chetwynd, Walter, of Ingestrie, Edw. I. and Edw. III., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Sir Edward Littleton, through Devereux, as Sir Edward Littleton.
- s Childe, Wm., of Kinlet, Edw. I., by w. Annabella, d. of Sir Charlton Leighton, Bart., through Mytton, Owen, Needham, Butler, Bohun, and Plantagenet.
- s Childe, Wm., of Kinlet, Hen. III., by w. Annabella, d. of Sir Charlton Leighton, Bart., through Strange, Fitzalan, and Plantagenet.
- s Childe, Wm., of Kinlet, Edw. III., by w. Annabella, d. of Sir Charlton Leighton, Bart., through Mytton, Kynaston, and Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Childe, Wm., of Kinlet, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Annabella, d. of Sir Charlton Leighton, Bart., through Forester, Newport, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Childe, Wm., of Kinlet, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Annabella, d. of Sir Charlton Leighton, Bart., through Bawdewin, through Corbet, Vernon, and Mackworth, as Bawdewin.
- s Childe, Wm., of Kinlet, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Annabella, d. of Sir Charlton Leighton, Bart., through Mackworth, as Bawdewin.
- s Childe, Wm., of Kinlet, Edw. I. and Edw. III., by w. Annabella, d. of Sir Charlton Leighton, Bart., through

- Devereux, Bouchier, Plantagenet, and Thomas of Woodstock.
- s Cotton, Rev. H. C., of Great Ness and Hinstock, Edw. I. by w. Eloisa, d. of Wm. Mostyn Owen of Woodhouse, through Kynaston, Grey, &c., as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- Cotton, Wm., of Bellaport, Edw. I., by w. Joyce, d. of Sir Thos. Bromley (1623), through Lacon, Corbet, and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Cotton, Thos., of Combermere, Edw. I., by w. Frances, d. of Robt. Needham, second Viscount Kilmorey, through Butler, Bohun, and Plantagenet.
- s Cotton, George, of Combermere (44 Eliz.), Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Arthur Mainwaring (d. 1590), of Ightfield, through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Cotton, Thos., of Pulley, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Alice, d. of Sir John Corbet of Adderley, through Vernon, as Burton.
- s Cotton, Wm., of Cotton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Bridget, d. of Thos. (or Robt.) Onslow (c. 1500), through Corbet and Vernon, as Burton.
- s Cotton, George, of Combermere (c. 1649), Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Sir George Bromley, through Lacon, Corbet, and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- Congreve, John, of Stretton, co. Stafford, Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Rowland Nicholls of Boycott, through Kynaston, Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Carles, John, of Albrighton, Edw. I., by w. Joan, d. of Fulke le Strange of Blackmere, through Stafford, Clare, and Plantagenet.
- s Cleaton, Ralph, of Areley, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Rachel, d. of Sir Rich. Lee of Langley, through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- Cross, Charles, of Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Ann, d. of Edward Bawdewin, through Lee, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- Cross, Charles, of Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Ann, d. of Edward Bawdewin (bp. 1653), through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- * Cholmondeley, Chas., of Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Anna Maria Emma, d. of Nicholas Smythe, through Mytton, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- * Cholmondeley, Chas., of Edw. III., by w. Anna Maria Emma, d. of Nicholas Smythe, through Leighton, Mytton, Kynaston, and Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Child, Thos., of Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w.

- Sarah, d. of Sir Edward Acton, Bart. (Shf. 1685), through Mytton, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Childe, Sir Wm., Edw. I., by w. Anne, d. of Rowland Lacon (1657), through Corbet and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Cooke, Thos., of Edw. I., by w. Sarah (md. 1706), d. of Arthur Corbet of Acton Reynald, through Vernon, as Burton.
- s Creswell, John, of co. Stafford, Edw. I., by w. Jane, d. of Rich. Clive of Styche (1562), through Corbett and Devereux.
- s Chambers, Nics., (Michl.), Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of James Barker of Haghmon, through Clive, Corbet, Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Careswell, John, of Shiffnal, Edw. I., by w. Dorothy, d. of Andrew Charlton of Apley (Shf. 1590), through Barker, Clive, Corbet, and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- Cornwall, Edmund, of Burford, Hen. III., by w. Elizabeth, d. and coh. of James de la Barre, Knight, through Talbot, Strange, Fitzalan, and Plantagenet.

D.

- * Despencer, Lord, Hugh le, Edw. I., by w. Eleanor, d. of Gilbert de Clare, Earl of Gloucester.
- * Despencer, Lord Thos., Earl of Gloucester, Edw. III., by w. Constance, d. of Edmund of Langley, s. of Edw. III.
- Devereux, Sir John, Lord Ferrers of Chartley (d. 1497), Edw. III., by w. Cecilia, d. of Wm. Bourchier, Viscount Bourchier, s. of Henry, Earl of Essex, through Plantagenet to Thomas of Woodstock.
- Devereux, Sir Wm., Baron Ferrers, Edw. I., by Mary, d. of Sir Thos. Grey, Lord G. of Groby, Marquis of Dorset, through Ferrers, Mowbray, Segrave, and Brotherton, as Sir Henry Ferrers.
- Devereux, Sir Wm., Baron Ferrers, Hen. III. and Edw. III., by w. Mary, d. of Sir Thos. Grey, Lord G. of Groby, Marquis of Dorset, through Ferrers of Groby, Mowbray, as Sir Henry Ferrers.
- Devereux, Sir Walter, Edw. I., by w. Ann, d. and h. of Wm., Lord Ferrers of Chartley, through Stafford and Audley to Joan Plantagenet, d. of Edw. I.
- s Devereux, Edward, of Nanteribba, Edw. I., by w. Dorothy, d. of John Mytton, through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- * Darrell, Sir Rich., Knight, Edw. III., by w. Margaret, d. of Edmund Beaufort, Duke of Somerset, grandson of John of Gaunt.

- s Dicken, Thos., of Woollerton, Edw. III., by w. Sarah, d. of Borlase Wingfield, through Prince, Wrottesley, Astley, &c., as Brooke.
- s Dicken, Thos., of Woollerton, Edw. I., by w. Sarah, d. of Borlase Wingfield, through Prince, Wrottesley, as Brooke.
- * Dudley and Ward, Viscount, Hen. III. and Edw. I. (John de Sutton, Lord Dudley, d. 1351), by w. Isabel, d. of John Cherleton, Lord Powis, through Holland and Plantagenet, as Sir Roger Kynaston. (See Sutton.)
- * Dacre, Thos., Lord of Gillesland, Edw. III., by w. Elizabeth Greystock, d. and h. of Robt. Lord Greystock, through Ferrers to John of Gaunt.
- * Dymock, Wm., of Willington, co. Flint, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Wm. Hanmer of Fens (1589), through Kynaston, Grey, &c., as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Draper, Humphrey, of Walton, Edw. I. and Hen. III., by w. Dorothy, d. of Wm. Corbet of Lee (1560), through Kynaston, Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Draper, Thos., of Walton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by Anne, d. of Moreton Briggs, through Moreton, Lee, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Davies, Edw., of Sandford (now Mount Pleasant, Oswestry), Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Alice, d. of Rich. Thornes of Oswestry, through Kynaston, Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- * Digby, Sir Kenelm, of Tong, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Venesia, d. of Sir Edw. Stanley (d. 1632), through Vernon, Talbot, Butler, Bohun, and Plantagenet.
- s D'Avenant, Col. Thos., of Adderley, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Anne, d. and coh. of Sir Robt. Corbet, through Vernon, &c., as Burton.
- s D'Avenant, Corbet (afterwards Sir Corbet Corbet, Bart.), Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Hester, d. of Sir Lynch Cotton, through Mainwaring, Corbet, Vernon.
- * Dean, Elias, of Farmcote, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Thos. Gatacre (d. 1707), through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- *s Davison, Robt., of Brand, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Rachel, d. of Rich. Leighton of Leighton, through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- * Delves, Sir Thos., Bart., Edw. I., by w. Rachel, d. of Fras. Forester of Watling Street, through Newport, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- * Delves, Sir Brian Broughton, Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Wm.

- Forester of Dothill, through Newport, Corbet, Vernon,
as Burton.
- s Dana, Geo. Kinnaird, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Arabella,
d. of Cecil Forester of Rossal, through Newport, Corbet,
Vernon, as Burton.
- s Dodd, Robt., of Petsey, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Priscilla,
d. of Moreton Briggs, through Moreton, Lee, Corbet,
Vernon, as Burton.
- s Downton, Wm., of Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w.
Margaret, d. of Rev. Rees Hughes, rector of Wem,
through Scryven, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Delton, Adam, of Delton, Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Wm.
Acton (1541) of Aldenham, through Strange, Stafford,
Clare, and Plantagenet.
- s Dycher, Robert, Edw. I. by w. Margery, d. of Rich. Leighton
of Cotes (1603), through Trentham, Corbet, Devereux,
as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Davenport, Wm., of Hawne, co. Salop, Edw. I., by w. Jane, d. of
Eras. Bromley, through Lacon, Corbet, Devereux, as
Sir Walter Devereux.
- De la Barre, Hen. III., through Talbot, Strange, Fitzalan,
and Plantagenet.

E.

- s Egerton, Sir John, Earl of Bridgewater, Hen. VII., by w.
Frances, d. of Ferdinando Stanley, Earl of Derby,
through Clifford and Brandon.
- s Egerton, Sir Rowland (ancestor to Earl of Wilton), Edw. III.
by w. Bridget, d. of Arthur, fourteenth Baron Grey de
Wilton, through Somerset, Earl of Worcester.
- Eyton, Ellis, of co. Denbigh, Hen. III. and
Edw. I., by w. . . . d. of Sir Roger Kynaston, by
w. Elizabeth Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- Eyton, John, of Rhuabon, co. Denbigh, Edw. I., by w. Ermine,
d. of Sir Roger Kynaston, by w. Elizabeth Grey, as Sir
Roger Kynaston.
- s Eyton, Sir Thos., of Eyton, co. Salop, Hen. III. and Edw. I.,
by w. Margaret, d. of Rich. Thornes of Shelvocke,
through Kynaston and Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- Eyton, Ranulph, of Edw. I., by w. Jane, d. of
Edw. Trevor of Brynkynalt, through Eyton.
- s Eyton, Rev. John, of Eyton, co. Salop, Hen. III. and Edw. I.,
by w. Anna Maria, d. of Edmund Plowden, through
Newton, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.

- s Eyton, Rev. John, of Eyton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Rachel, d. of Thos. Acton of Gatacre Park (1677)! through Mytton, Corbet, Vernon, &c., as Burton.
- s Evans, Edw., of Creketh, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Gwen, d. of Edw. Kynaston of Morton, through Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Evans, Edw., of Treflach, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Jane, d. of Roger Kynaston (d. 1608) of Hordley, through Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- * Erdeswicke, Walter, Edw. I., by w. Ursula, d. of Edw. Stafford, second Baron Stafford, through Audley and Clare.
- * Erdeswicke, Walter, Edw. III., by w. Ursula, d. of Edw. Stafford, second Baron Stafford, through Plantagenet.
- * Erdeswicke, Walter, Edw. III., by w. Ursula, d. of Edw. Stafford, second Baron Stafford, through Neville.
- s Edwards, John, of St. Martins, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of John Trevor of Winnington (d. 1538), through Eyton, Kynaston, &c., as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Edwards, John, of Newhall, Chirk, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Sarah, d. of Edw. Trevor of Brynkynalt, through Eyton, Kynaston, &c., as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Edwards of Pentre, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Rich. Lyster (d. 1698), through Lee, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Edwardes, Sir Fras., Bart., Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Hester, d. and coh. of John Lacon of West Coppies, through Cotton, Mainwaring, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Edwardes, Sir Fras., Bart., Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Anne, d. of Thos. Rocke, through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Edwardes, Thos., of Shrewsbury, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. and coh. of John Heynes of Netley, through Niccolls, Kynaston, &c., as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Edwardes, Sir Henry, Bart., Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Louisa Mary Anne, d. of John Thos. Hope, Esq., of Netley, through Heynes, Niccolls, and Kynaston, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Eaves, Wm., of in Cloverley, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Katherine, d. of Thos. Gatacre (d. 1707), through Corbet, Vernon, &c., as Burton.
- s Emery, Thos., of Fosbrooke, co. Stafford, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Katherine, d. of Roger Houghton of Beckbury, through Leighton, Newport, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.

F.

- * Ferrers, Sir Henry, Lord F., s. of Wm., Lord Ferrers, of Groby (d. 1388), Hen. III., by w. Isabel, d. of Thos. Mowbray, Duke of Norfolk, through Joan Plantagenet, d. of Henry, Earl of Lancaster.
- * Ferrers, Sir Henry, Lord F., s. of Wm., Lord Ferrers, of Groby, Edw. I., by w. Isabel, d. of Thos. Mowbray, Duke of Norfolk, through Segrave and Brotherton.
- * Ferrers, Sir Henry, Lord F., s. of Wm., Lord Ferrers, of Groby, Edw. III., by w. Isabel, d. of Thos. Mowbray, Duke of Norfolk, through Neville to Joan Beaufort, d. of John of Gaunt.
- s Ferrers, Robt., Lord F., of Wem, Edw. III., by w. Joan Beaufort, d. of John of Gaunt, Duke of Lancaster.
- * Ferrers, John, Lord F., of Chartley (d. 1367), Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Hugh (or Ralph), Earl of Stafford (d. 1385), through Audley and Clare to Joan Plantagenet, d. of Edw. I.
- s Fitzalan, Richd., Earl of Arundel, Hen. III., by w. Eleanor, d. of Henry, Earl of Lancaster, grandson to Hen. III.
- s Fitzalan, Richd., Earl of Arundel, Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Wm. de Bohun, Earl of Northampton.
- Fermor, Sir Richd., Edw. III., by w. Cornelia, d. of Sir Wm. Cornwallis, through Lucy Somerset, w. of John Nevil, Lord Latimer.
- Fermor, Richd., of Somerton, Edw. I., by w. Jane, d. of Rowland Lacon (1612), through Corbet and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Fox, Sir Edw., of Gwernoge, co. Montgomery, Edw. III., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Chas. Somerset, through Beaufort to John of Gaunt.
- s Fox, Sir Chas., of Gwernoge, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Isabella, d. of Rich. Newport (d. 1570), through Corbet, Vernon, &c., as Burton.
- Finch Earl of Aylesbury, Hen. VII., by w. Charlotte Seymour, through Brandon.
- s Fowler, Rich., of Harnage (d. 1667), Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Mary, d. of Sir Edw. Littleton (1583), through Devereux.
- s Fowler Richd., of Harnage, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Sarah, d. of Edw. Burton (d. 1642), through Newton, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Fowler, Walter, of Penford, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Margaret, d. of Humphrey Salwey, through Littleton and Devereux, as Devereux.

- s Fowler, Rich., of Harnage, Hen. III., by w. Margaret, d. of Rich. Newport (1650), through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton; Edw. I., by same, through Bromley, Lacon, Corbet, Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Fowler, Rich., Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of Edw. Burton (1642), through Newton, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Fowler, Sir John, of Harnage, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Sir Robt. Cotton (1712), through Mainwaring, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- Fisher, Thos., of King's Springfield, co. Warwick, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Margaret, d. of Walter Gough of Oldfalings, co. Stafford (1730), through Littleton and Devereux, as Devereux.
- s Forester, Cecil Weld, Edw. III., by w. Catherine Mary, d. of Charles Manners, Duke of Rutland, through St. Leger and Plantagenet, Duke of York.
- s Forester, Francis, of Watling Street, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Rich. Newport (1650), through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- Forster, Thos., of Walsall, Edw. I., by Dorothy, d. of John Lacon of West Coppies (1676), through Corbet and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- * Fowke, Ferrers, of Brewood, co. Stafford, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by Frances, d. of Moreton Briggs of Haughton, through Moreton, Lee, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Flint, John, of Shrewsbury, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Jane, d. of Waties Corbett of Longnor, through Lee, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- * Feilding, Basil, Earl of Denbigh (d. 1675 s.p.), Edw. III., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Sir Edw. Bouchier, Lord Fitzwarine, through Thos. of Woodstock, Duke of Gloucester.

G.

- * Grey de Ruthin, Sir John, Lord, Hen. III., through Constance, d. of John Holland, Duke of Exeter, through Blanche, w. of John of Gaunt, and daughter of Henry, Earl of Lancaster, great-grandson of Hen. III.
- Grey de Ruthin, Edw. III., by Constance, d. of John Holland, Duke of Exeter, through John of Gaunt.
- Grey de Ruthin, Edw. I., by Constance, d. of John Holland, Duke of Exeter, through Segrave and Brotherton.
- * Grey de Groby, Sir Edw. (d. 1457), Hen. III., by w. Elizabeth Ferrars, d. of Sir Henry, through Mowbray, Lancaster &c. Grey, Sir Edw., Baron Ferrers of Groby (d. 1457),

- Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Elizabeth, d. and h. of Henry, Lord Ferrers of Groby, through Mowbray and Plantagenet.
- * Grey de Groby, Sir Edw., Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth Ferrars, d. of Sir Henry, through Mowbray, Segrave, and Brotherton.
 - * Grey de Groby, Sir Edw., Edw., by w. Elizabeth Ferrars, d. of Sir Henry, through Neville and Beaufort to John of Gaunt.
 - * Grey de Wilton, Sir Wm., Edw. III., by w. Mary, d. of Charles Somerset, Earl of Worcester, to John of Gaunt.
 - s Greystock, John, Lord, Edw. III., by w. Elizabeth, eldest d. of Robt. Ferrers, Lord Ferrers of Wem, through Joan, d. of John of Gaunt.
 - s Greystock, Sir Robt, s. and h. of Ralph, Lord Greystock, Edw. I. and Edw. III., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Edmund Grey, Earl of Kent, through Holland.
 - * Gerard, Sir Charles, Knight, father of Lord Gerard of Brandon, Edw. III., by w. Elizabeth Somerset, d. of Sir Charles Somerset (d. 1598), to John of Gaunt.
 - Grove, J., of Hasbery, co. Salop, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Mary Prince, through Wrottesley, Astley, as Brooke.
 - * Grey, Ford, Lord, Earl of Tankerville, Edw. I. and Edw. III., by w. Mary, d. of George, 13th Lord Berkeley (d. 1698), through Mowbray, Cary, Butler, and Somerset to John of Gaunt.
 - * Grey, Sir John de, Earl of Tankerville, Edw. I., by w. Joan, d. of Edw. de Cherleton, through Holland to Joan, d. of Edmund of Woodstock.
 - * Green, Henry, of Wykin, co. Worcester, Edw. I., by w. Eliza, d. of Sir Rowland Berkeley of Cotheridge (d. 1614), through Mowbray, Cary, Butler, and Somerset, to John of Gaunt. Also, by same lady, Hen. III. and Edw. I. as Wm. Calcott.
 - Griffith, Walter, of Brongain, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Catherine, d. of Roger Kynaston (1608) of Hordley through Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
 - Griffith, Humphrey, of Llanygomrie, in Llansaintfraid parish, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Helen, d. of Roger Kynaston of Morton, through Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
 - Griffith, Rich. de le Poole, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Anne, d. of Thos. Corbet of Aston (d. 1609), through Kynaston, Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.

- * Gough, Henry, of Perry Hall, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Mary, d. of Sir Edw. Littleton, Bart., through Devereux, as Devereux.
- Grey, Ambrose, of Enville, Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of Richd. Prince, through Leighton, Onslow, Corbet, Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Gatacre, Wm., of Gatacre, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Anne, d. of Jerome Corbet (d. 1598), of Beslow, through Vernon, as Burton.
- * Glyn, Evan, of Glyn, co. Montgomery, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Vincent Corbet of Ynysymaengwyn, through Vernon, as Burton.
- s Grosvenor, Wm., of Bellaport, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Cecilia, d. of Rich. Mainwaring of Ightfield, through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Gratewood, Wm., Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Thos. Newport (3 Edw. VI.), through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Gratewood, Wm., Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Rich. Newport (d. 1570), through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Gardiner, Egerton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Chas. Bawdewin, of Diddlebury, through Corbet Vernon, as Burton.
- Gardiner, Egerton, Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Chas. Bawdewin of Diddlebury, through Lee, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.

H.

- * Hastings, Henry, Lord, Hen. VII., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Ferdinando Stanley, Earl of Derby, through Clifford and Brandon.
- * Hastings, John, Earl of Pembroke, Edw. I., by w. Anne, d. of Walter Manny, through Brotherton.
- * Hastings, Henry, Lord, Earl of Huntingdon, Hen. VII., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Ferdinando, Earl of Derby, through Clifford and Brandon.
- Herbert, Henry, s. of Sir Thos., of Winestow, co. Monmouth, Edw. III., by w. Lucy, d. of Wm. Somerset, Earl of Worcester.
- Herbert, Wm., s. and h. of Percy H., Lord Powis, Edw. III., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Edw., s. and h. of Henry Somerset Marquis of Worcester.

- s Herbert, Rich., of Montgomery, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Magdalen, d. of Rich. Newport (d. 1576), through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Herbert, Henry, Lord H., of Chirbury, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Katherine, d. of Sir Francis Newport, Earl of Bradford (1702), through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- Herbert, Matthew, of Dolgeog, Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of Chas. Fox (1634), through Newport, Corbet, Vernon.
- * Hall, Benedict, of Highmedow, co. Worcester, Edw. III., by w. Anne, d. of Sir Edw. Winter, through Somerset.
- * Hall, Thos., of Stourbridge, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Jane, d. of Thos. Gatacre (d. 1707), through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Heyes, Thos., of Salop, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Dorothy, d. of Sir Rich. Prince, through Wrottesley, Astley, &c., as Brooke.
- * Hewitt, Sir Thos., of Shire Oak, co. Notts., Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Mary, d. of Sir Rich. Prince, through Wrottesley, Astley, &c., as Brooke.
- * Hewitt, Thos. Wall (Major), Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Anne, d. of Francis Lloyd of Ellesmere, through Scarlett, Prince, Wrottesley, as Brooke.
- Hutchinson Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Anne, d. of Walter Wrottesley, through Astley, &c., as Brooke.
- s Harries, Francis Blithe, of Benthall, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Emma Gertrude, d. of Edw. Jenkins of Charlton Hill, through Wingfield, Prince, Wrottesley, &c., as Brooke.
- s Harries, Thos., of Boreatton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by Mary, d. of General Thos. Mytton, through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Harries, Francis, of Abcot and Aston, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Sarah, d. of Rich. Lyster (d. 1635), through Lee, Corbet, and Vernon, as Burton.
- s Harries, Rev. Edw., Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Lucia, d. of Francis Turner Blithe, through Forester, Newport, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Hanmer, Rich., of Hanmer, Edw. I. and Hen. III., by w. Margaret, d. of Sir Roger Kynaston by w. Elizabeth Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Hanmer, Rich., of Pentrepant, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Roger Kynaston (1608) of Hordley, through Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.

- s Hanmer, David, of Porkington, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Roger Kynaston of Morton, through Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Hanmer, Anthony, of Bettisfield, Edw. I., by w. Susan, d. of Ralph Clive of Walford, through Corbet and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Hanmer, Wm., of Bettisfield, Edw., by w. Winifred, d. of Ralph Clive of Walford, through Corbet and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Hope, John Thos., of Netley, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Helen Esther Mary, d. and h. of Sir Thos. Edwardes, Bart., through Heynes, Niccols, Kynaston, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Hope, Thos. Henry, of Netley, Edw. III., by w. Louisa Charlotte Anne, d. of F. K. Leighton, through Wilson, Knyvett, Bouchier, and Plantagenet.
- Hill, Rich., of London, Edw. I., Edw. III., and Hen. III., by w. Constance, d. of Sir Edw. Littleton (1583), through Devereux.
- s Hill, Rev. Rich. Noel, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Frances Maria, d. of Wm. Owen of Woodhouse, through Kynaston, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Hill, Thos., of Soultton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Andrew Corbet, through Vernon, as Burton.
- s Harwood, Samuel, of Criccieth, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Mary, d. of Walter Gough (1730), through Littleton and Devereux.
- Humphreys, John, of Llwyn, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Rebecca, d. of Wm. Owen of Woodhouse, through Kynaston, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Haynes, John, of Netley, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of Rowland Nichols of Boycott, through Kynaston, Grey, &c., as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- Haynes, John, of Uttoxeter, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Lettice, d. of Rich. Leighton of Leighton (1715), through Newport, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- Holland of Tenbury, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary Elizabeth, d. of Thos. Mytton of Shipton, through Edwards, Haynes, Nichols, and Kynaston, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- Holland of Tenbury, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Mary Elizabeth, d. of Thos. Mytton of Shipton, through Gough, Littleton, Devereux, as Devereux.
- Hodges, Capt. John, of the Guards, Hen. III. and Edw. I.,

- by w. Sarah, d. of Sir Rich. Fowler (d. 1731), through Newport, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- Hodges, Capt. John, of the Guards, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Sarah, d. of Sir Rich. Fowler, through Littleton and Devereux.
- s Hayward, Robert, of Walford, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Frances, d. of Edw. Thornes of Wheathill, through Kynaston, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- Hayward, Roger, Edw. I., by w. Katherine, d. of Edw. Onslow, through Corbet and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Huntley, Rev. Rich. Webster, Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Rich. Lyster, through Eytton, Thornes, and Kynaston, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Huntley, Rev. Rich. Webster, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Rich. Lyster, through Lee, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Hussey, Sir Rich., of Adbright Hussey, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Sir Vincent Corbet (1615), through Vernon, as Burton.
- s Hussey, Robt., of Leighton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of George Cotton of Combermere (d. 1649), through Mainwaring, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Hussey, Rich., of Adbright Hussey, Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Thos. Trentham of Shrewsbury (1510), through Corbet, and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Heyward, John, of . . . Edw. I., by w. Katherine, d. of Rich. Lee (1591) of Langley, through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- Hughes, Rev. Rees, rector of Wem, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Sir Thos. Scryven, Knight, by w. Mary, d. of Sir Vincent Corbet, through Vernon, as Burton.
- s Hawkes, Thos., of Botfield, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Rich. Powell of Worthen, through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Houghton, Roger, of Beckbury, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Margery, d. of John Leighton of Leighton, through Newport, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Hatchett, Bulkeley, of Lee, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. and h. of Thos. Mainwaring of London, through Kynaston, Lee, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- Heath, Thos., of . . . Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Arthur Corbet of Acton Reynald, through Vernon, as Burton.

- s Heywood of Bridgnorth, Edw. I., by w. Alboron, d. of Rich. Lacon (1543), through Corbet and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Harnage, Francis, of Belwardine, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Anne, d. of Rich. Mainwaring, through Corbet and Vernon.
- s Hacluyt, Thos., of Eaton Constantine, Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Rich. Trentham (c. 1540), through Corbet and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Holland, Walter (or William), of Purslow, by w. Elizabeth, d. of Edw. Lutwyche (1638), through Leighton, Onslow, Corbet, Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.

I.

- Inge, Theodore, sen., of Thorpe, co. Stafford, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Henrietta, d. of Sir John Wrottesley, Bart., as Brooke.
- s Ireland, Thos., of Albrighton, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Sarah, d. of Edw. Lloyd of Leaton (d. 1764), through Scarlett, Prince, Astley, Wrottesley, as Brooke.

J.

- s Johnson, Benj., Apothecary, Shrewsbury, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Scarlett Lloyd, through Green, Berkeley, and Mowbray.
- s Johnson, Benj., Apothecary, Shrewsbury, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Scarlett Lloyd, through Scarlett, Prince, Wrottesley, Astley, as Brooke.
- s Jenkins, Thos., of Shrewsbury, Edw. I., Edw. III., and Hen. III., by w. Gertrude, d. of Rich. Wingfield (1708), through Prince, Wrottesley, Astley, &c., as Brooke. Also from Edw. I. and Edw. III., by same lady, through Leighton.
- s Jenkins, Thos., of Charlton Hill, Edw. I. and Edw. III., by w. Rachel, d. of Sir Edw. Leighton, Bart., through Devereux.
- s Jenkins, Thos., of Charlton Hill, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Rachel, d. of Sir Edw. Leighton, Bart., through Bawdewin, Corbet, Vernon, &c., as Burton.
- s Jones, Sir Thos., Knight, Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. and coh. of James, s. of Maurice, seventh Lord Berkeley (d. 1506), through Mowbray.
- Jones, Price, of Glanhafren, Edw. I. and Edw. III., by w. Bridget (d. 1781), d. of Edw. Devereux, eleventh Viscount Hereford.

- Jones, John, of Argoed, Edw. I., by w. Eleanor, d. of Roger Kynaston of Morton, through Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Jones, Thos., of Careghova, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Jane, d. of Sir Edw. Leighton, Bart. (1711), through Bawdewin, Corbet, Vernon, Burton.
- s Jones, Thos., of Careghova, Edw. I. and Edw. III., by w. Jane, d. of Sir Edw. Leighton, Bart., through Devereux.
- s Jones, Sir T. Tyrwhitt, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Harriet Rebecca, d. of Edw. Williams, through Mytton, Corbet, &c., as Burton.
- s Jones, Sir T. Tyrwhitt, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Harriet Rebecca, d. of Edw. Williams, through Mytton and Kynaston, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- Jones, Wm., of Newtown, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Elizabeth (n. 1732), d. of Lingen Owen of Bettws, through Lloyd, Fowler, Littleton, and Devereux.
- Jones, Wythen, of Aberhafesp, Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Rev. W. Thornes of Alberbury, through Kynaston, Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- Jones, Capt. Edw. I., by w. Susanna, d. of Rev. W. Thornes of Alberbury, through Kynaston, Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Jones, Joseph, of Chilton, Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Thos. Burton, through Newton, Corbet, Vernon.
- Jones, Sir Henry, of Albemarle, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Rich. Herbert of Montgomery Castle, through Newport, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- Jones, John, Edw. I., by w. Dorothy, d. of Wm. Acton of Aldenham (1541), through Strange, Stafford, Clare, and Plantagenet.
- Jones, Isaac, of London, merchant, Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth (n. 1591), d. of Rich. Prince, through Leighton, Onslow, Corbet, and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- Jeffreys, Henry, of Holme Castle, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Jane, d. of Wm. Berkeley of Cotheridge (d. 1658), through Mowbray.
- s Jernegan, Henry, of Cossey, co. Norfolk, Edw. III., by w. Eleanor, d. of Wm., Lord Dacre of Gillesland (d. 1525), through Greystock and Ferrers to John of Gaunt.
- s Jukes, Rich., Esq., Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Jane, d. of Rich. Lee of Langley (d. 1591), through Corbet and Vernon, as Burton.
- Jellicoe, Edw., of Brewood, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w.

- Elizabeth, d. of John Whitmore of Ludstone, through Acton, Mytton, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Jorden, Wm., of Shrewsbury, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Dorothy, d. of Thos. Lyster (d. 1655), through Lee, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Jobber, Thos., of Acton, Edw. I., by w. Sarah, d. of Sir Wm. Childe, through Lacon, Corbet, Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.

K.

- * Knyvett, Edw., through Bourchier, Lord Berners, to Thos. of Woodstock.
- s Kynnersley, Anthony, of Leighton, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Jane, d. of Borlase Wingfield (1753), through Prince, Wrottesley, Astley, as Brooke.
- s Kynnersley, Anthony, of Leighton, Edw. III., by w. Jane, d. of Borlase Wingfield, through Prince, Wrottesley, &c., as Brooke.
- s Kynnersley, Thos., of Leighton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Anne, d. of Thos. Eyton, through Acton, Mytton, Corbet, &c., as Burton.
- s Kynnersley, Thos., of Wrickton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Sarah, d. of Rich. Leighton of Leighton, through Newport, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Kynaston, Sir Roger, of Hordley, Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Henry Grey de Powis, through Cherleton and Holland to Joan, d. of Edmund of Woodstock s. of Edw. I.
- s Kynaston, Sir Roger, of Hordley, Hen. III., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Henry Grey de Powis, through Cherleton, Grey, Holland, Fitzalan, and Plantagenet.
- s Kynaston, Roger, of Shotton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Sir Thos. Hanmer of Hanmer, through Kynaston of Morton, Grey, Cherleton, Holland.
- s Kynaston, Edw., of Hordley, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Victoria, d. of Sir Charles Lloyd of Garth, through Bawdewin, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Kynaston, Thos., of Breadenheath, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by Eleanor, d. of Nicholas Thornes of Shelvocke, through Kynaston, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Kynaston, Edw., of Hordley, Edw. I. and Edw. III., by w. Victoria, d. of Sir Chas. Lloyd of Garth, through Leighton, Devereux, as Robt. Leighton.
- s Kynaston, Edw., of Hordley, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Victoria, d. of Sir Chas. Lloyd of Garth, through Leighton, Bawdewin, Corbet, and Vernon, as Burton.

- s Kynaston, Francis, of Pant-y-bursley, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Katherine, d. of John Trevor of Brynkynalt, through Eytton and Kynaston, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Kynaston, John, of Hordley, Edw. I., by w. Beatrix, d. of Sir Vincent Corbet of Morton, Bart., through Thornes and Kynaston, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Kynaston, John, of Hordley, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Beatrix, d. of Sir Vincent Corbet of Morton, Bart., through Vernon, as Burton.
- s Kynaston, Powell, Sir John, Bart., Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Henry Powell of Worthen, through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Kynaston, Chas., of Oteley, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Jane, d. of John Lacon of West Coppice, through Cotton, Mainwaring, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Kynaston, Sir Francis, of Oteley, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of Humphrey Lee of Langley (d. 1632), through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Kynaston, Edw., of Hordley, Edw. I., by w. Amy, d. of Thos. Barker of Haghmon, through Clive, Corbet, and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Kilvert, John, of Grinshill (1792), Hen. III. Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Catherine, d. of Rev. Wm. Clarke, through Corbet, Prince, Wrottesley, as Brooke.
- s Kilvert, John, of Grinshill, Edw. I. and Edw. III., by w. Catherine, d. of Rev. Wm. Clarke, through Corbet, Bridgeman, Kynaston.
- s Kilvert, John, of Grinshill, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Catherine, d. of Rev. Wm. Clarke, through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- Kough, Thos. Harley, Hen. III., by w. Catherine, d. of Samuel Harley, through Cornwall, De la Barre, Talbot, Strange, Fitzalan, and Plantagenet.
- s Kerry, Thos., of Bin Weston, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Susan, d. of Edw. Bawdewin of Diddlebury (1636), through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Kerry, Thos., of Walton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Arthur Devereux of Nanteribba, through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.

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- s Leighton, Robt., of Wattlesborough, Edw. III., by w. Anne, d. of Sir Edw. Devereux, Bart., through Bouchier and Plantagenet to Thos. of Woodstock. Also from Edw. I., by same lady, through Ferrers, Stafford, Audley, and Clare to Joan Plantagenet, d. of Edw. I.

- s Leighton, Baldwin, Hen. VII., by w. Anne, d. of Rev. Wm. Pigott, through Ward, Sutton, and Segrave.
- s Leighton, John, of Wattlesborough, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Katherine, d. of Thos. Newport (3 Edw. VI.), through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Leighton, Robert, of Wattlesborough, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Gertrude, d. of Edw. Bawdewin of Diddlebury (1636), through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Leighton, Sir Charlton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Anna Maria d. of Rich. Mytton, through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Leighton, Sir Charlton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Anna Maria, d. of Rich. Mytton, through Kynaston, Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Leighton, Sir Edw., Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Rachel, d. of Sir Wm. Forester, Knight, through Newport, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Leighton, Herbert, Edw. III., by w. Harriet, d. of Henry Wilson, through Knyvett, Bouchier, and Plantagenet.
- s Leighton, Wm., of Plash (1607), Edw. I., by w. Isabel (or Elizabeth), d. of Thos. Onslow, through Corbet and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Leighton, Ralph, of Cotes, Edw. I., by w. Anne, d. of Thos. Trentham, through Corbet and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Leighton, Wm., of Plash (1520), Edw. I., by w. Dorothy, d. of Sir Thos. Lacon, through Corbet and Devereux.
- Littleton, John, of Frankley (d. 1532), Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth Talbot, d. and coh. of Sir Gilbert, through Butler, Bohun, and Plantagenet. Also from Hen. III., by same lady, through Strange, Fitzalan, and Plantagenet.
- Littleton, John, of Frankley, Edw. III., by w. Elizabeth Talbot, d. and coh. of Sir Gilbert, through Greystock and Ferrers to Joan, d. of John of Gaunt. Also from Edw. III., by same lady, through Parton and Beaufort to John of Gaunt.
- Littleton, Sir Edw., of Pillaton (d. 1588), Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of Sir Walter Devereux (1560), through Ferrers, Stafford, Audley, and Clare to Joan Plantagenet, d. of Edw. I. Also from Edw. III., by same lady, through Bouchier and Plantagenet to Thos. of Woodstock, s. of Edw. III.; and from Hen. III. (See Devereux).
- Littleton, Sir Henry, of Frankley, Hen. III. and Edw. I.,

by w. Elizabeth, d. of Sir Francis Newport, Earl of Bradford (1702), through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
 Littleton, Sir John, Knight, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Alice, d. of Rich. Thornes, through Corbet, Vernon, &c., as Burton.

Littleton, John, of Frankley, Edw. I., by w. Muriel, d. of Sir Thos. Bromley, Lord Chancellor, through Lacon, Corbet, and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.

s Lloyd, Edw., of Leaton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Susannah, d. of Peter Scarlett, through Prince, Wrottesley, Astley, as Burton.

s Lloyd, Edw., of Leaton, Edw. III., by w. Susannah, d. of Peter Scarlett, through Prince, Wrottesley, as Brooke.

s Lloyd, Jevan, of Abertanat, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Sir Roger Kynaston, through Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.

Lloyd, Edw., of Yale, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Humphrey Kynaston of Hordley, through Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.

s Lloyd, Rich., of Hardwick, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Gayner, d. of Roger Kynaston of Hordley (1608), through Grey.

s Lloyd, John, of Llanvorda, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of Roger Kynaston of Morton, through Grey.

Lloyd, Wm., of Halghton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Ermyne, d. of Sir Thos. Hanmer (1545), through Kynaston and Grey.

Lloyd, Randle, of Halghton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Ermyn, d. of Sir Thos. Hanmer, through Kynaston and Grey.

Lloyd, John, s. of Robt. of Bryngwyn, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Ermyn, d. of Randle Hanmer (s. of said Sir Thos.), through Kynaston and Grey.

Lloyd, Wm., of Penley, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Magdalen, d. of Wm. Dymock, through Hanmer, Kynaston, Grey.

Lloyd, John ap Hugh, of Bettws, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Blanche, d. of Thos. Corbet of Aston and Lee (1595), through Kynaston and Grey.

Lloyd, Sir Chas., of Garth, Edw. I. and Edw. III., by w. Jane, d. of Sir Edw. Leighton, Bart. (1711), through Devereux.

Lloyd, Sir Chas., of Garth, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Jane, d. of Sir Edw. Leighton, Bart., through Bawdewin, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.

- s Lloyd, Robt., of Treflach, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Jane, d. of John Trevor of Winnington (d. 1538), through Eyton, Kynaston, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Lloyd, Edw., of Llanvorda, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Frances, d. of Sir Edw. Trevor of Brynkynalt, through Eyton and Kynaston.
- s Lloyd, David, of Maesbury, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Katherine, d. of Jeuan Lloyd Vaughan of Abertanat (c. 1520), through Thornes and Kynaston.
- Lloyd, Edw., of Denbigh, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Anne, d. of Thos. Tanat of Abertanat (c. 1580), through Thornes and Kynaston.
- Lloyd, Sir Chas., of Garth, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Victoria, d. of Sir Rich. Corbett of Longnor, Bart., through Newport, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- Lloyd, Sir Chas., of Garth, Hen. III., and Edw. I., by w. Victoria, d. of Sir Rich. Corbett of Longnor, Bart., through Moreton, Lee, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Lloyd, Saml., draper, Salop, Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Timothy Tourneur, through Newton, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- Lloyd, John, of Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of Fras. Newton of Heightley, through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Lloyd, Rich., of Llwynymaen, Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of George Onslow, through Corbet and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- Lloyd, John, of Montgomery, by Jane, d. of Chr. Lacon of Kenley (1590), through Corbet and Devereux.
- s Lloyd, Rich., of Aston, Edw. I., by w. Anne, d. of Andrew Charlton of Apley (Shf. 1590), through Barker, Clive, Corbet, and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- * Lewis, Sir Henry, Edw. III., by w. Elizabeth Beaufort, d. of Edw., Duke of Somerset.
- Lewis, Matthew, of Myvod, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Alicia, d. of Rich. Tanat of Blodwell, through Kynaston, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Langley, Jonathan, of Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Margaret, d. of Hugh Wrottesley, through Astley, as Brooke.
- s Langley, John, of Tuckies, co. Salop, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Dorothy, d. of Thos. Bawdewin of Diddlebury, through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Langley, John, of Shrewsbury, Edw. I., by w. Eleanor, d. of Sir Henry Bromley, through Lacon, Corbet, Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.

- Lane, John, of Bentley, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Sarah, d. of Rich. Fowler, through Salwey, Littleton, and Devereux.
- Lane, Thos., of Hungry Bentley, co. Stafford, Edw. I., by w. Catharine, d. of Rich. Trentham (1540), through Corbet and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Lacon, Thos., of Linley, Edw. I. and Edw. III., by w. Mary, d. of Sir Rich. Astley, first Bart., through Talbot, as Astley.
- s Lacon, John, of West Coppice, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Hester, d. of Sir Robt. Cotton of Combermere (1712), through Mainwaring, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Lacon, Thos., of Willey, Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Sir Rich. Corbet (1492), through Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Littlehales, Edw., of Shrewsbury, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Margaret, d. of Borlase Wingfield, through Prince, Wrottesley, Astley, as Brooke.
- s Littlehales, Lieut.-Col. John, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Mary, d. of Edred L. Lee, through Gough, Littleton, Devereux.
- s Lea, Wm., of Hales Owen, Edw. III., by w. Frances, d. of Wm. Ward, Lord Dudley and Ward, through Sutton, Seymour, Grey, and Brandon.
- s Lovel, John, Lord of Tichmersh, Hen. III., by w. Joan, d. of John Lord Beauchamp (d. 38 Hen. VI).
- s Lee, Edred Lancelot, of Coton, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Isabella, d. of Henry Gough of Perry Hall, through Littleton and Devereux.
- s Leë, Humphrey, of Langley, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of Reginald Corbet of Stoke (d. 1566), through Vernon, as Burton.
- s Lee, Thos., of Langley, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Jane, d. of Sir Robert Corbet of Morton, through Vernon, as Burton.
- s Leigh, George, of Shrewsbury, Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Thos. Shery, through Kynaston, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Leicester, Henry Aug., Edw. I. and Edw. III., by w. Letitia Sophia, d. of Nicholas Smythe, through Leighton and Devereux.
- s Leicester, Henry Aug., Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Letitia Sophia, d. of Nicholas Smythe, through Leighton, Devereux, Bawdewin, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Leicester, Henry Aug., Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Letitia Sophia, d. of Nicholas Smythe, through Leighton, Mytton, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.

- s Leycester, Chas., Edw. I. and Edw. III., by w. Louisa, d. of Nicholas Smythe, through Leighton and Devereux.
- s Leycester, Chas., Edw. I. and Edw. III., by w. Louisa, d. of Nicholas Smythe, through Leighton, Devereux, Bawdewin, Corbet, Vernon.
- s Leycester, Chas., Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Louisa, d. of Nicholas Smythe, through Leighton, Mytton, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Lyster, Rich., of Rowton, Hen. VII., by w. Anne, d. of Rev. Wm. Pigott, through Ward, Sutton, Seymour, Grey, and Brandon.
- s Lyster, Rich., of Rowton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Sir Thos. Eyton (d. 1658), through Thornes, Kynaston, Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Lyster, Michael, of Rowton, Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Rich. Newport, through Corbet, Vernon, Talbot, Butler, Bohun, and Plantagenet. Also from Hen. III., by same lady, as in Corbet.
- s Leeke, Ralph, Hen. VII., by w. Honor, d. of Walter Thursby, through Pigott and Ward, as Rich. Lyster.
- s Leveson, Sir Walter, of Lilleshall, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Anne, d. of Sir Andrew Corbet of Morton (1578), through Vernon, as Burton.
- s Leveson, Sir Walter, Edw. I., by w. Susan, d. of John Vernon of Hodnet (d. 1591), through Talbot, Butler, Bohun, and Plantagenet.
- s Lawley, Fras., of Spoonhill, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Rich. Newport (d. 1570), through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Lawley, Thos., of Spoonhill, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Rich. Newport, through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Lingen, Thos., of . . . Hen. III. and Edw. I., by Anne, d. of Robt. Burton (1679).
- s Lutwyche, Wm., of Lutwyche, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Rich. Lyster (d. 1635), through Lee, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- Lutwyche, Edw., Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Wm. Leighton, through Onslow, Corbet, and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.

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- s Mortimer, Edmund, Earl of March, Edw. III., through w. Philippa, d. of Lionel, Duke of Clarence, third s. of Edw. III.

- s Mortimer, Roger, Earl of March, Edw. I., by w. Eleanor, d. of Thos. Holland, Earl of Kent.
- * Manners, George, Lord Roos, father of Thos., Earl of Rutland, Edw. III., by w. Anne St. Leger (ante 1513), through Plantagenet, Duke of York.
- * Mowbray, John, Duke of Norfolk (d. 1432), Edw. III., by w. Catherine, d. of Ralph Neville, Earl of Westmoreland, by w. Joan Beaufort, d. of John of Gaunt. Also Hen. III. and Edw. I., by Ancestors as below.
- * Mowbray, John, Lord (d. 1360), Hen. III., by w. Joan, d. of Henry Plantagenet, Earl of Lancaster.
- * Mowbray, John, Lord, s. of last John (ob. 42 Edw. III., 1368), Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. and h. of John, Lord Segrave, through Brotherton.
- s Maddocks, Robt., father of Rev. Robt., of Leighton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of Francis Lloyd of Leaton, through Scarlett, Prince, Wrottesley, Astley, as Brooke.
- s Maddocks, Robt., father of Rev. Robt., of Leighton, Edw. III., by w. Margaret, d. of Francis Lloyd of Leaton, through Scarlett, Prince, Wrottesley, as Brooke.
- s Mytton, Rev. Devereux, of Llandyssil, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Francis Lloyd of Ellesmere, through Scarlett, Prince, Wrottesley, Astley, as Brooke.
- s Mytton, Rev. Devereux, of Llandyssil, Edw. III., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Francis Lloyd of Ellesmere, through Scarlett, Prince, Wrottesley, as Brooke.
- s Mytton, Rich., of Halston, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Rebecca, d. of Roger Kynaston of Hordley, through Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Mytton, Henry, of Shipton, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Martha, d. of Walter Gough of Oldfaling (1730), through Jittleton and Devereux.
- s Mytton, John, of Halston, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Sarah Harriet, d. of Wm. M. Owen of Woodhouse, through Kynaston, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Mytton, John, of Halston, Hen. VII., by w. Rebecca, d. of Robt. Pigott, through Ward, Sutton, Seymour, Grey, and Brandon.
- s Mytton, Edw., of Halston (d. 1583), Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Anne, d. of Reginald Corbet of Stoke (d. 1566), through Vernon, Talbot, Butler, Bohun, and Plantagenet.
- Mytton, James, of Garth, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. d. and h. of Brochwell Wynne of Garth, through Powell, Corbett, Vernon.

- s Mytton, Edw., of Halston (d. 1583), Edw. I. and Hen. III.,
by w. Anne, d. of Reginald Corbet of Stoke, through
Vernon, Talbot, Strange, Fitzalan, and Plantagenet.
- s Mytton, Adam, of Salop, Edw. I., by w. Jane, d. of Lancelot
Lacon (1560), through Corbet and Devereux, as Sir
Walter Devereux.
- s Mytton, John, of Halston, Edw. I., by w. Mary Elizabeth
(md. 1732), d. of Henry Davenport, through Bromley,
Lacon, Corbet, Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- * Morgan, Sir Edw. (ancestor of the Baronets), Edw. III., by
w. Frances, d. of Edw. Somerset, Earl of Worcester.
- * Mansel, Sir Edw. (ancestor of the Baronet), Edw. III., by w.
Jane, d. of Henry Somerset, Earl of Worcester.
- s Middleton, Wm., Broomfield, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III.,
by w. Margaret, d. of Thos. Bayley, through Lloyd,
Scarlett, Prince, Wrottesley, Astley, as Brooke.
- s Middleton, Wm., Broomfield, Edw. III., by w. Margaret, d.
of Thos. Bayley, through Lloyd, Scarlett, Prince,
Wrottesley, as Brooke.
- s Morris, Charles, of Newport, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by
w. d. of Rev. Borlase Wingfield, through
Prince, Wrottesley, Astley, as Brooke.
- s Morris, Charles, of Newport, Edw. III., by w. d.
of Rev. Borlase Wingfield, through Prince, Wrottesley,
as Brooke.
- s Morrall, Edw., of Duddleston, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w.
Elizabeth, d. of Edw. Dymock, through Hanmer,
Kynaston, Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Morrall, Rich., of Onslow, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w.
Elizabeth, d. of Thos. Eyton, through Acton, Mytton,
Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Morrall, Thos., of Shrewsbury, mercer, Hen. III. and Edw. I.,
by w. Mary (md. 1701), d. of Rich. Lyster, through Lee,
Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Meredith, Hugh, of Penybryn, near Oswestry, Hen. III. and
Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of Roger Kynaston of
Shotton (1648), as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Morgan, Edw., of Golden Grove, Edw. I. and Edw. III., by
w. Priscilla, d. of Edw. Leighton (d. 1635), through
Devereux.
- * Maurice, Price, of Lloran, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Anne,
d. of Athelstan Owen, through Corbet, Vernon, as
Burton.
- * Maurice, David, of Penybont, co. Denbigh, Hen. III. and
Edw. I., by w. Frances, d. of Sir John Corbet, through
Vernon, as Burton.

- s Moreton, Robt., of Haughton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Joice, d. of Thos. Lee of Langley, through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s More, Thos., of Millichope, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of Rich. Leighton of Leighton (1715), through Newport, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s More, Thos., Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Harriet Mary, d. of Thos. Mytton of Shipton, through Edwardes, Haynes, Nicholls, Kynaston, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s More, Thos., Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Harriet Mary, d. of Thos. Mytton of Shipton, through Gough, Littleton, Devereux.
- s Muckleston, Hugh, of Oswestry, mercer, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Edw. Kynaston of Morton, through Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Mostyn, Wm., Esq., Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Humph. Kynaston of Bryngwyn, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Mainwaring, Rich., of Ightfield, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Dorothy, d. of Sir Robt. Corbet of Morton, through w. Elizabeth Vernon (1563), as Burton.
- s Mainwaring, James, of Brombro', Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Chas. Kynaston of Oteley, through Lee, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton; and through Lacon, through Cotton, Mainwaring, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Mackworth, Thos., Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Dorothy, d. of Rich. Lee of Langley (d. 1591), through Corbet, Vernon, &c., as Robt. Corbet of Morton, and as Burton.
- s Mackworth, Thos., of Betton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Sarah, d. of Gen. Thos. Mytton, through Corbet, Vernon, &c., as Robt. Corbet of Morton, and Burton.
- s Middleton, Alexander, of Ruyton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Sarah, d. of Rich. Powell of Woodhouse, through Newton, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Middleton, Rowland, of Ruyton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Isabel, d. of Rich. Powell of Worthen, through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Mason, Thos., of Shrewsbury, Edw. I., by w. Harriet, d. of Brooke Forester of Dothill, through Newport, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Mason, Thos., of Shrewsbury, Edw. I., by w. Jane, d. of Ralph Leighton (1534) of Cotes, through Trentham, Corbet, and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Matthews, John, of Trefnanney, Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of Sir Edw. Corbet of Longnor, through Morton, Lee, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.

- * Meyricke, Susan, of Warbrook, co. Salop, Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of Edw. Clive (1625), through Corbet and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.

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- * Neville, Sir John, father of Ralph, Earl of Westmoreland, Edw. I., by w. Anne, d. of John Holland, Duke of Exeter, through Plantagenet.
- * Neville, John, s. and h. of Ralph, Earl of Westmoreland, Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Thos. Holland, Earl of Kent, through Plantagenet.
- * Neville, Ralph, s. of Ralph, Earl of Westmoreland, Edw. III., by w. Mary, d. of Lord Ferrers, by Joan Beaufort, d. of John of Gaunt.
- * Neville, Ralph, Earl of Westmoreland, Edw. III., by w. Joan Beaufort, d. of John of Gaunt.
- * Neville, Edw., s. of Ralph, Earl of Westmoreland, Edw. I., by Elizabeth, d. of Rich. Beauchamp, Lord Bergaveny, Earl of Warwick, through Despencer and Clare.
- * Neville, Edw., s. of Ralph, Earl of Westmoreland, Edw. III., by Elizabeth, d. of Rich. Beauchamp, Lord Bergaveny, Earl of Warwick, through Beaufort to John of Gaunt.
- * Neville, Rich., Earl of Salisbury, Edw. I. and Edw. III., by w. Anne, d. of Rich. Beauchamp, Earl of Warwick.
- * Neville, John, Lord Latimer, Edw. III., by w. Lucy, d. of Henry Somerset, Earl of Worcester, to John of Gaunt.
- Newport, Sir Robt., of Rush, co. Worcester, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Margaret, d. of Sir Gilbert Talbot (ob. c. 1542), as John Littleton.
- s Newport, Edw. (or Edmund), s. of Thos., Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Anne (or Margaret), d. of John Littleton (1535 or 1532), through Talbot.
- s Newport, Thos., of Ercal, Edw. I., by w. Anne, d. of Sir Robt. Corbet of Morton, through Vernon, Talbot, Butler, Bohun, and Plantagenet. Also from Hen. III., by same lady, as in Corbet, through Talbot, Strange, Fitzalan, and Plantagenet.
- s Newport, Francis, of Ercal, Edw. I., by w. Beatrice, d. of Rowland Lacon (d. 1612), through Corbet and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Newton of London, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Joyce, d. of Rowland Berkeley of Cotheridge (d. 1611), through Mowbray.
- s North, Rev. Thos., of Neenton, Edw. I., by w. Dorothy, d. of Thos. Lyster of Rowton, through Eyton and Kynaston, as Sir Roger Kynaston.

- s North, Rev. Thos., of Neenton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Dorothy, d. of Thos. Lyster of Rowton, through Lee, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- North, Rich., of Droitwich, co. Worcester, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Sir Rowland Berkeley of Cotheridge, through Mowbray.
- s Niccols, Thos., of Boycott, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of John Kynaston of Morton, through Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Needham, Thos., Viscount Kilmorey, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Frances, d. and h. of Francis Leveson Fowler, through Littleton and Devereux.
- s Needham, Thos., of Shavington, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Anne, d. of John Talbot of Grafton, through Butler, as Burton.
- s Needham, Thos., sixth Viscount Kilmorey, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Frances, d. and h. of Francis Leveson Fowler, through Newport, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Needham, Robt., eleventh Viscount Kilmorey, Edw. I., by w. Frances, d. of Sir Robt. Salusbury Cotton, through Mainwaring, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Newton, Fras., of Heightley, Edw. I., through w. Mary, d. of Reginald Corbet of Stoke (d. 1566), through Vernon, as Burton.

O.

- s Oswell, Rev. T., rector of Westbury, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Mary Dorothy, d. of Francis Lloyd, through Scarlett, Prince, Wrottesley, Astley, as Brooke.
- s Oswell, Rev. T., rector of Westbury, Edw. III., by w. Mary Dorothy, d. of Francis Lloyd, through Scarlett, Prince, Wrottesley, as above.
- s Owen, W. Mostyn, of Woodhouse, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by Mostyn (he taking surname of Owen), through grandmother Mary, d. of Humphrey Kynaston of Bryngwyn, through Kynaston, Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Owen, Lingen, of Bettws, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Mary, d. of Jenkyn Lloyd of Clochvaen, by w. Rachel Fowler, through Littleton and Devereux.
- s Owen, Wm., of Condober, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Ellen, d. of Sir Robt. Needham, through Talbot, as Burton.
- * Owen, Athelstan, of Rhiewsaion, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Anne, d. and coh. of Vincent Corbet of Ynysymaengwyn (ob. 1723), as Burton.
- s Owen, Edw., of Woodhouse, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w.

- Sarah, d. of Thos. Cotton of Pulley, through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Owen, Thos., younger s. of Wm., of Bettws, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Elizabeth (n. 1709), d. of Thos. Kerry of Walton, through Devereux.
- s Owen, Rev. Lewis, of Porkington and Penrhos, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Rich. Lyster (d. 1708), through Lee, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Onslow, Edw., of Onslow, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Katharine (n. 1584), d. of Rhese Tanat of Abertanat (c. 1580), through Thornes and Kynaston, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Onslow, Wm., Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Alice, d. of Andrew Corbet (1625), through Vernon, as Burton.
- s Onslow, Thos., of Roddington, Edw. I., by w. Catherine, d. of Sir Rich. Corbet (d. 1492), through Devereux, Ferrers, Stafford, Audley, and Plantagenet.

P.

- * Plantagenet, Rich., Duke of York, father of Edw. IV., from Edw. III., by w. Cecilia Neville, d. of Ralph, Earl of Westmoreland, through Beaufort to John of Gaunt.
- * Plantagenet, George, Duke of Clarence, Edw. I., by w. Isabel, d. of Rich. Neville, Earl of Salisbury and Warwick, through Lord Bergavenny (Beauchamp), Despencer, and Clare.
- * Plantagenet, George, Duke of Clarence, Edw. III., by w. Isabel, d. of Rich. Neville, Earl of Salisbury and Warwick, through Beaufort to John of Gaunt.
- * Plantagenet, Edw., Prince of Wales, s. of Hen. VI., from Edw. I., by w. Anne, d. of Rich. Neville, Earl of Salisbury and Warwick, through Despencer and Clare.
- * Plantagenet, Edw., Prince of Wales, s. of Hen. VI., from Edw. III., by w. Anne, d. of Rich. Neville, Earl of Salisbury and Warwick, through Beaufort to John of Gaunt.
- * Plantagenet, Rich., Duke of Gloucester, Edw. I. and Edw. III., by w. Anne, d. of Rich. Neville, Earl of Salisbury and Warwick, through Beaufort to John of Gaunt.
- * Percy, Henry, Earl of Northumberland, Edw. III., by w. Eleanor, d. of Ralph Neville, Earl of Westmoreland.
- * Percy, Henry, Earl of Northumberland, Edw. III., by w. Katherine Spencer, d. of Sir Robt. Spencer, by Eleanor, d. of Edmund Beaufort, Duke of Somerset.

- * Percy, Thos., Earl of Northumberland, Edw. III., through Ann, d. of Henry Somerset, Earl of Worcester, through Beaufort to John of Gaunt.
- * Percy, Henry, Earl of Northumberland, Edw. III., through Katherine Nevil, d. of John Lord Latimer, through Somerset and Beaufort to John of Gaunt.
- * Percy, Henry, Lord Percy, of Alnwick, Hen. III., by w. Mary, d. of Henry, Earl of Lancaster, s. of Edmund of Langley, s. of Hen. III.
- * Parton, Sir Wm., Edw. III., by w. Anne, d. of Edmund Beaufort, Duke of Somerset, to John of Gaunt.
- * Petre, Wm., Lord Petre, of Writtel, co. Essex, Edw. III., by w. Katherine, d. of Edw. Somerset, Earl of Worcester.
- * Pipe, Samuel, of Bilston, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Elizabeth, d. of John Wrottesley, by w. Elizabeth Astley, as Brooke.
- * Pipe, Samuel, of Bilston, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Howard Prince, d. of Sir Rich. Prince, through Wrottesley, Astley, as Brooke.
- s Prince, Sir Rich., of Shrewsbury, Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Walter Wrottesley, through Astley, Talbot, Butler, Bohun, and Plantagenet. Also Hen. III., through Wrottesley, Astley, Talbot, Strange, Fitzalan, and Plantagenet.
- s Prince, Sir Rich., of Shrewsbury, Edw. III., by w. Mary, d. of Walter Wrottesley, through Astley, Talbot, Parton, Beaufort, and John of Gaunt. Also Edw. III., through Astley, Talbot, Greystock, and Ferrers, to John of Gaunt.
- s Prince, John, of Shrewsbury, Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Wm. Yonge of Cainton, through Corbet, Vernon, Talbot, Butler, Bohun, and Plantagenet.
- s Prince, John, of Shrewsbury, Hen. III., by w. Mary, d. of Wm. Yonge of Cainton, through Corbet, Vernon, Talbot, Strange, Fitzalan, and Plantagenet.
- Prince, Rich. (d. 1598), Edw. I., by w. Dorothy, d. of Wm. Leighton, through Onslow, Corbet, Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Procter, Henry, of Aberhafesp, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Susanna, d. of Edw. Lloyd of Leaton (d. 1779), through Scarlett, Prince, Wrottesley, Astley, as Brooke.
- s Procter, Henry, of Aberhafesp, Edw. I., by w. Susanna, d. of Edw. Lloyd of Leaton, through Green, Berkeley, Mowbray, Cary, Butler, and Somerset, to John of Gaunt.

- s Pigot, Lord, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Frances, d. of Sir Rich. Wrottesley, through Astley, as Brooke.
- s Pigott, Robt., of Chetwynd, Hen. VII., by Frances, d. of Humble Ward, s. of Humble Ward, through Sutton, Seymour, and Brandon.
- s Pigott, Rev. W., Edw. III., by w. Arabella, d. of John Mytton, through Kynaston, Grey, Cherleton, Holland, to Joan, d. of Edmund, s. of Edw. I.
- s Pigott, Rev. W., Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Arabella, d. of John Mytton, through Corbet and Vernon, as Burton.
- s Pigott, Robert, the younger, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by Diana, d. of Thos. Roche, through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Pigott, Thos., Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Sir Thos. Eyton (d. 1658), through Thornes, Kynaston, Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Pigott, Thos., Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Sir Henry Bromley, through Lacon, Corbet, and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Price Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Joyce, d. of Gilbert Astley of Patteshall, through Talbot, as Brooke.
- s Price, Wm., of Vaenor, Edw. I. and Edw. III., by w. Mary, d. of Price Devereux, ninth Viscount Hereford.
- s Price, Arthur, of Vaenor, Edw. III., by w. Bridget, d. of John Bouchier, fourth Lord Fitzwarine, through Thos. of Woodstock.
- s Price, Daniel, D.D., rector of Worthen, Edw. I., by w. Isabel (n. 1593), d. of Rich. Prince, through Leighton, Onslow, Corbet, Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- Price, Thos., of Dyffryn, Hen. VII., by w. Frances, d. of W. Pigott of Edgmond, through Ward, Sutton, Seymour, and Brandon.
- s Price of Bitterley, Hen. VII., by w. d. of Henry Bevan of Shrewsbury, through Pigott, Ward, Sutton, Segrave.
- s Pryce, Roger, of Caehowell, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Rachel (n. 1735), d. of Lingen Owen of Bettws, through Lloyd, Fowler, Littleton, and Devereux.
- s Price, Thos., of Webscott (1701), Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of Fras. Thornes, through Kynaston and Grey.
- s Price, Thos., of Webscott, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of Fras. Thornes, through Corbet, Vernon, &c., as Burton.

- Pryce, Thos., of Escairweddan, co. Merioneth, Edw. I., by w. Jane, d. and coh. of Vincent Corbet of Ynysymaengwyn, through Vernon, as Burton.
- Pryce, Wm., of Tynewydd, Edw. I. and Edw. III., by Penelope, d. of Thos. Kerry of Walton, through Devereux.
- s Parry, Capt. Francis, of Shrewsbury, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Susanna, d. of Scarlett Lloyd, through Scarlett, Prince, Wrottesley, Astley, as Brooke.
- s Parry, John, of Pontesbury, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of Edw. Thornes of Wheathill, through Kynaston, Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Pulteney, Wm., Esq., Edw. I., by w. Arabella, d. of George, thirteenth Lord Berkeley (d. 1689), through Mowbray, Segrave, Brotherton.
- s Pulteney, Sir Wm., of Middlesex, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Grace, d. of Sir John Corbet of Adderley, through Vernon, as Burton.
- s Panting, Robert, of Leighton, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Jane Eliza Kynnersley, d. of Anthony Kynnersley, through Wingfield, Prince, Wrottesley, &c., as Brooke.
- s Panting, Robert, of Leighton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Jane Eliza Kynnersley, d. of Anthony Kynnersley, through Leighton, Newport, Corbet, as Burton. Also through Leighton, Bawdewin, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton. Also Edw. I. and Edw. III., by same lady, through Leighton and Devereux. Also Edw. I., by same lady, through Leighton, Forester, Cecil, Howard, Mowbray, Fitzalan, and Bohun; but his w. E. E. Corbet had no issue.
- s Penrhyn, Edw., of Llandrinio, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Anne, d. of Edw. Kynaston of Hordley, through Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Puleston, Roger, of Emral, Edw. I., by w. Janet, d. of Thos. Bulkeley of Ayton, through Molimeux, Stanley, Goushill, Fitzalan, and Bohun.
- s Puleston, Edw., of Llai, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Ermine, d. of Rich. Hanmer of . . . through Kynaston, Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Puleston, Peter, of Tir Vron, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Catherine, d. of Sir Thos. Hanmer of Hanmer (1545), through Kynaston, Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Puleston, Roger, of Emral, by w. Margaret, d. of Sir Thos. Hanmer (1604), Hen. III. and Edw. I., through Kynaston, Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.

- s Puleston, Sir Rich., of Emral, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Emma Elizabeth, d. of John Corbet of Sundorn, through Kynaston, Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Puleston, Sir Rich., of Emral, Edw. III., by w. Emma Elizabeth, d. of John Corbet of Sundorn, through Pigott, Ward, Sutton, Seymour, and Brandon.
- s Puleston, Sir Rich., of Emral, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Emma Elizabeth, d. of John Corbet of Sundorn, through Mytton, Kynaston, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Puleston, Roger, of Emral, Edw. I., by w. Susanna, d. of Sir George Bromley, through Lacon, Corbet, and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Plowden, Wm. (d. 1739), Edw. III., by w. Mary, d. of John Storrer, through Talbot, Fortescue, Manners.
- s Plowden, Edmund, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Anna Maria, d. of Robert (Lingen) Burton, through Moreton, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- Præd, Hump. Mackworth, Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Wm. Forester of Dothill, through Newport, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Pemberton, Edw., Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Anna Maria Emma, d. of Nicholas Smyth, by Anna Maria, d. of Sir Charlton Leighton, through Devereux.
- s Pemberton, Edw., Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Anna Maria Emma, d. of Nicholas Smyth, by Anna Maria, d. of Sir Charlton Leighton, through Smyth, Leighton, Mytton, Kynaston, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Pemberton, Edw., Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Anna Maria Emma, d. of Nicholas Smyth, by Anna Maria, d. of Sir Charlton Leighton, through Smyth, Leighton, Owen, Needham, as Thos. Needham.
- s Pemberton, John, of Wrockwardine, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of John Leighton of Leighton (d. 1614), through Newport, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Pemberton, Edw., Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Anna Maria Emma, d. of Nicholas Smyth, through Leighton, Mytton, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Presland, Thos., Edw. III., by w. Elizabeth, d. of R. A. Slaney, through Plowden, Storrer, Talbot, Fortescue, Manners.
- s Powys, John, of Berwick (1760), Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Jane, d. of Thos. Lyster of Rowton, through Eyton, Thornes, Kynaston, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Perry, Wm. Henry, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Rev. John Eyton, through Thornes and Kynaston, as Sir Roger Kynaston.

- s Perry, Wm. Henry, Edw. III., by w. Mary, d. of Rev. John Eyton, through Plowden.
- s Perry, Wm. Henry, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Rev. John Eyton, through Plowden, Burton, Moreton, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Purcell, Edw., younger s. of John of Hayes, near Madeley, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. and h. of Herbert Langley of Broseley, through Bawdewin, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Powell, Thos., of Oswestry, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Sir Robt. Corbet of Morton, by w. Elizabeth Vernon (d. 1563), as Burton.
- s Powell, Rev. W., L.L.D., of Nanteos, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Athulstan Owen of Rhiewsaeson, through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Powell, Rich., of Worthen, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Rich. Corbet of Adderley, through Vernon, as Burton. Also Edw. I., by same, through Bromley, Lacon, Corbet, Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Powell, Rich., of Edenhope, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Joan, d. of Rich. Lee of Langley (1591), through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Powell, Edw., of Shadwell, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Martha, d. of Rich. Lyster (d. 1635), through Lee, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Pierce, John, of Plealey, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Andrew Corbet, through Vernon, as Burton.
- s Phillips, Andrew, of Shiffnal, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Ann, d. of Charles Bawdewin of Diddlebury (1636), through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Phillips, Andrew, of Shiffnal, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Ann, d. of Charles Bawdewin of Diddlebury, through Lee, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Phillips, Philip, of Chelmick, L.L.D., Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Edw. Bawdewin of Diddlebury, through Lee, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Phillips, Rich., of Netley, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Rich. Leighton of Leighton (d. 1593), through Newport, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Pope, Roger, of Woolstaston, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of General Thos. Mytton, through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- * Pennant, D., of Bychton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Arabella, d. of Rich. Mytton, through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.

- * Pennant, D., of Bychton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Arabella, d. of Rich. Mytton, through Kynaston, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- * Pennant, Edw., of Baghilt, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Catherine, d. of Edw. Kynaston of Oteley, through Lee, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Peele, Henry, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Diana Margaretta, d. of John Flint, through Corbett, Moreton, Lee, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Plymley, Joseph, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Diana, d. of John Flint, through Corbett, Moreton, Lee, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.

R.

- * Roos, Thos., Lord Roos of Hamlake, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by Philippa, d. of Sir John Tiptoft, by Joyce Cherleton.
- s Roche, John, of Trefnanney and Shrewsbury, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Mary, d. of Borlase Wingfield (1753), through Prince, Wrottesley, Astley, as Brooke.
- s Roche, Rev. John, of Shrewsbury and Clungunford, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Harriet, d. of Pryce Owen, through Lloyd, Fowler, Littleton, and Devereux.
- s Roche, Thos., of Shrewsbury, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Diana, d. of Sir Rich. Corbett of Longnor, through Newport, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.

S.

- s Stafford, Ralph, Baron Stafford (ob. 1372), Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of Hugh Audley, Earl of Gloucester, through Clare, by Joan Plantagenet, d. of Edw. I.
- s Stafford, Humphrey, Earl of (d. 1460), Edw. III. by w. Ann Neville, d. of Ralph, Earl of Westmoreland (d. 1426), by w. Joan Beaufort, d. of John of Gaunt.
- s Stafford, Edmund, Earl of (d. 1403), Edw. III., through Anne Plantagenet, d. of Thos. of Woodstock, Duke of Gloucester.
- * St. Leger, Thos., Edw. III., by w. Anne, d. of Rich., Duke of York, great grandson of Edw. III.
- * Savage, Sir John, of Clifton, father of Sir John Savage of Rock Savage, Edw. III., by w. Elizabeth Somerset, d. of Charles, Earl of Worcester.
- * Stanley, Sir Edw., of Winwick, Edw. III., by w. Lucy Percy. Stanley, Wm., Earl of Derby, Hen. VII., by w. Margaret, sole d. of Henry Clifford, Earl of Cumberland, by w. Eleanor Brandon, Duke of Suffolk.

- Stanley, Sir Thos. (d. 1576), Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. and coh. of Geo. Vernon of Haddon, through Talbot, Butler, Bohun, and Plantagenet.
- * Seymour, Lord Henry, Edw. III., by w. Jane Percy.
- * Seymour, Edw., Earl of Hertford and Beaufort, Hen. VII., by w. Catherine, d. of Henry Grey, M. of Dorset, through Seymour and Brandon.
- * Segrave, John, Lord, Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of Thos. Brotherton, Earl of Norfolk.
- * Sands, Sir Wm., Edw. III., by w. Elizabeth Cornwallis, through Nevil, Lord Latimer, and Somerset.
- s Scarlett, Leighton, of Hogstow, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Susan, d. of Sir Rich. Prince, through Wrottesley, Astley, Talbot, as Brooke.
- s Scarlett, Leighton, of Hogstow, Hen. III. and Edw. III., by w. Susan, d. of Sir Rich. Prince, through Wrottesley, Astley, Talbot, as Brooke.
- s Smalman, Thos., of Wilderhope, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Jane, d. of Sir Rich. Prince, through Wrottesley, Astley, as Brooke.
- s Smalman, Henry, of Wilderhope, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Martha, d. of Wrottesley Prince, through Wrottesley, Astley, as Brooke.
- s Smalman, Stephen, of Wilderhope, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Jane, d. of Fras. Lawley, through Newport, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- * Shirley, Fras., of Astwall, co. Northampton, Edw. I., by w. Frances, d. of Henry, Lord Berkeley (d. 1613).
- s Slaney, Moreton Aglionby, of Shiffnal, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Mary, d. of Rich. Prince Corbet, through Prince, Wrottesley, Astley, &c., as Brooke.
- s Slaney, Moreton Aglionby, of Shiffnal, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Mary, d. of Rich. Prince Corbet, through Bridgeman, Kynaston, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Slaney, Robt. Aglionby, Edw. III., by w. Frances Theresa, d. of Wm. Plowden, through Storrer, Talbot, Fortescue, Manners.
- * Sutton, John, Lord Dudley, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Ciceley, d. of Sir Thos. Grey, Marq. of Dorset.
- * Sutton, John, Lord Dudley, Edw. III., by w. Ciceley, d. of Sir Thos. Grey, Marq. of Dorset, through Grey, Seymour, and Brandon.
- s Stury, Thos., of Rossal, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Jane, d. of Sir Roger Kynaston, by w. Elizabeth Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.

- s Simmons, Fras., of Newport, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Barbara, d. of Edw. Dymock (c. 1650), through Hanmer, Kynaston, Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Skrymsher (Skrymshire), Fras., rector of Forton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary (md. 1703), d. of Robt. Corbet of Adbright Hussey, through Kynaston, Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Skrymsher, Sir Chas., of Norbury, Edw. III., by w. Frances, d. of Sir Wm. Noel, through Ward, Sutton, Grey, Seymour, and Brandon.
- s Salwey, Hump., of Stanford, co. Worcester, Edw. I. and Edw. III., by w. Anne, d. of Sir Edw. Littleton (1583), through Devereux, as Robt. Leighton, or Devereux.
- s Smith, George, of Morville, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of John Leighton of Leighton (d. 1614), through Newport, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Smith, Rich., of Burton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Edw. Bawdewin of Diddlebury (1636), through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Smith, Rich., of Albrighton, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Martha, d. of Saml. Harwood of Criccieth, through Gough, Littleton, Devereux.
- s Smith, Wm., of Ridgeacre, co. Salop, Edw. III., by w. Anne, d. of Wm. Lee of Hales Owen, through Ward, Sutton, Grey, Seymour, and Brandon.
- * Smith, Thos., of Hanley, co. Staff., Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Dorothy, d. of Wm. Yonge of Caynton, through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Smyth, Nicholas, of Condover, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Anna Maria, d. of Sir Charlton Leighton, through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Smyth, Nicholas, of Condover, Edw. I. and Hen. III., by w. Anna Maria, d. of Sir Charlton Leighton, through Devereux.
- s Sherrard, Gerard, of co. Salop, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Thos. Stury (c. 1623).
- s Strange, Fulke (d. 1349), s. of Roger of Whitchurch (1349), Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Ralph, Earl of Stafford, through Audley, Clare, Plantagenet.
- s Strange, John le, of Blackmere (d. 1361), Hen. III., by w. Mary, d. of Rich. Fitzalan, Earl of Arundel, through Henry, Plantagenet, Earl of Lancaster.
- * Salusbury, Sir John, T. P., Edw. III. and Edw. I., by w. Harriet, d. of Edw. Pemberton, through Smythe, Leighton, Devereux.

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- * Salusbury, Sir John, T. P., Edw. III., by w. Harriet, d. of Edw. Pemberton, through Leighton, Mytton.
- * Salusbury, Sir John, T. P., Edw. I. and Edw. III., by w. Harriet, d. of Edw. Pemberton, through Smythe, Leighton, Mytton, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton; through Smythe, Leighton, Mytton, Kynaston, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- Salusbury, John, of Bachraig, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Hester, d. of Sir Thos. Cotton of Combermere (1715), through Mainwaring, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Scryven, Sir Thos., of Frodesley, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of Sir Vincent Corbet, through Vernon, as Burton.
- s Scryven, Sir Thos., of Frodesley, Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Henry Bromley, through Lacon, Corbet, Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- * Spurstow, Geo., of Spurstow, co. Cest., Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Susan, d. of Sir John Corbet of Adderley, through Vernon, as Burton.
- * Starkey, Thos., of Wrenbury, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Katherine, d. of Rich. Mainwaring of Ightfield (d. 1558), through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Steventon, John, of Dothill, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Rich. Newport (1650), through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Steventon, John, of Dothill, Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Rich. Newport, through Bromley, Lacon, Corbet, and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.
- s Smythe, Edw., of Ethe, co. Durham, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Sir Rich. Lee of Langley (1660), through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Stanier, John, of Cosford, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Rich. Leighton of Leighton (1715), through Newport, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Stedman, Thos., of . . . Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Rich. Lyster (d. 1698), through Lee, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Stuart, Capt., of Shrewsbury, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Catharine, d. of Cecil Forester of Ross Hall, through Newport, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Stackhouse, John, of Pendarves and Acton Scott, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Susanna, d. and h. of Edw. Acton of Acton Scott, through Mytton, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Studley, John, Edw. I., by w. Sarah, d. of Andrew Charlton (Shf. 1590), through Barker, Clive, Corbet, and Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.

T.

- * Tudor, Edmund (fr. of Hen. VII.), Edw. III., by w. Margaret Beaufort, d. of John Duke of Somerset.
- Touchet, Lord Audley. See Audley.
- s Talbot, Sir Gilbert, (ob. 1542), Edw. III., by w. Anne, d. of Sir Wm. Paston of Norfolk, by w. Anne, d. of Edmund Beaufort, Duke of Somerset, to John of Gaunt.
- s Talbot, Sir Gilbert (ob. 1517), Edw. III., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Ralph Greystock, Lord Greystock, through Ferrers, to John of Gaunt.
- s Talbot, Fras. Earl of Shrewsbury (ob. 1560), Edw. III., by w. Mary, d. of Thos. Lord Dacre, through Greystock, Ferrers.
- s Talbot, Sherrington, of Salwarp (c. 1680), Edw. III., by w. Jane, d. of John Lytelton of Hagley, through Talbot.
- s Talbot, John, third Earl of Salop, (ob. 1473), Edw. I., by w. Catherine, d. of Hump. Stafford, sixth Earl of Stafford, through Audley.
- s Talbot, John, third Earl of Salop (ob. 1473), Edw. III., by w. Catherine, d. of Hump. Stafford, sixth Earl of Stafford, through Ann Plantagenet, d. of Thos. of Woodstock.
- s Talbot, John, third Earl of Salop (ob. 1473), Edw. III., by w. Catherine, d. of Hump. Stafford, sixth Earl of Stafford, through Ann Neville, d. of Ralph, Earl of Westmoreland.
- s Talbot, Rich., fourth Lord Talbot (d. 1396), Hen. III., by w. Ankaret, d. of John le Strange of Blackmere, through Fitzalan and Plantagenet.
- s Talbot, John, second Earl of Shrewsbury, (ob. 1460), Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of James Butler, fourth Earl of Ormond, through Bohun and Plantagenet.
- * Throgmorton, Sir Robt. (Ancr. of Bts.), Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Thos. Lord Berkeley (d. 1532), through Mowbray.
- Taylor, Nichs., of Heath, co. Radnor, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Mary, d. of Wrottesley Prince, through Wrottesley, Astley, as Brooke.
- Taylor, Andw., of Nantwich, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Grace, d. of Rich. Corbet of Shawbury (d. 1691), through Vernon, as Burton.
- s Tayleur, Wm., M.D., Hen. III., and Edw. I., by w. Sarah Frances, d. of Edw. Chas. Windsor, through Price, Thomas, and Kynaston, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- Taylor Rich., Edw. I., by w. Magdalen, d. of Sir Fras. Lacon (1623), through Corbet, Devereux, as Sir Walter.
- s Thornes, Roger, of Shelvock, Hen. III., and Edw. I., by w. Anna, d. of Sir Roger Kynaston, by Elizabeth Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.

- s Thornes, Fras., of Shelvock, Hen. III., and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. and coh. of Andw. Corbet of Morton (1625), through Vernon, as Burton.
- s Thornes, Rich., of Shelvock, Hen. III., and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Edw. Mytton.
- s Thornes, Thos., of Shelvock, Hen. III., and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Edw. Mytton of Halston (1583), through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Tanat, John, of Abertanat, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Ellen, d. of Sir Roger Kynaston, by Elizabeth Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Tanat, Rich., of Abertanat, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of Edw. Kynaston of Hordley, through Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Tanat, Thos., of Abertanat, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of Roger Kynaston of Hordley, through Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s. Tarrat, . . . of Abertanat, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. . . . d. of John Thornes, through Kynaston, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Tanat, Thos., of Broxton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Anne, d. of George Cotton of Combermere (d. 1649), through Mainwaring, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Trevor, John, of Winnington, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of John Eyton, by w. Ermine, d. of Sir Roger Kynaston, through Grey, as Roger Kynaston.
- s Trevor, John, s. of Edw., Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Hump. Kynaston, through Grey, as Roger Kynaston.
- s Trevor, Thos., of Oswestry, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Edw. Kynaston of Hordley, through Grey, as Roger Kynaston.
- s Thurlin, Ralph, of Shrewsbury. mercer, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Sarah, d. of Rev. Ralph Kynaston, through Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- Tench, John, of Nantwich, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Edw. Dymock (1650), through Hammer, Kynaston, Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- Tench, Rev. John, of . . . Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Sir Lynch Cotton of Combermere, through Mainwaring, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Thomas, Rev. Wm., of Shrewsbury, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Rich. Smith, through Harwood, Gough, Littleton, and Devereux.
- s Thomas, John, of Winnington, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w.

- Anne, d. of John Powell of Worthen, through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Thursby, Walter Harvey, Hen. VII., by w. Dorothy, d. of Rev. Wm. Pigott, through Ward, Sutton, Grey, Seymour, Brandon.
- s Thursby, Harvey, Hen. VII., by w. Honor, d. of Robt. Pigott, through Ward, Sutton, Grey, Seymour.
- s Tourneur, Timothy, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Jane, d. of Fras. Newton of Heightley, through Corbet, Vernon, &c., as Burton.
- s Turner of Salop, gent., Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Johanna, d. of Edw. Burton (d. 1642), through Newton, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Trentham, Thos., of Shrewsbury, Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Sir Rich. Corbet (d. 1492), of Morton, through Devereux, as Sir Walter.
- s Tomkies, Thos., of Eyton, Salop., Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Ralph Clive, through Corbet, Devereux, as Sir Walter.

V

- Vaughan, of Tretower, co. Brecon, Edw. III., by w. Eleanor, d. of Henry Somerset, Earl of Worcester.
- Vaughan, . . . of Ruarden, co. Gloucester, Edw. III., by w. d. of Sir Henry Guilford, by Elizabeth d. of Edw. Somerset, Earl of Worcester.
- s Vaughan, John, of Shrewsbury, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Jane, d. of Edw. Littlehales, through Wingfield, Prince, Wrottesley, as Brooke.
- s Vaughan, Jeanan Lloyd, of Abertanat, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Roger Thornes of Shelvoek, through Kynaston, Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Vaughan, John, of Llwydiarth, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of Rich. Herbert of Montgomery Castle, through Newport, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Vaynor, Henry, of Condover, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Rich. Lee of Langley (d. 1591,) through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- * Vincent, Sir Fras., Bart., Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Mary, d. of Sir John Astley, Bart., as Brooke.
- * Verney, John, of Kinderton, co. Warwick, Edw. I., by w. Katherine, d. of Wm. Berkeley (d. 1651) of Cotheridge, through Mowbray.
- s Vaughton, R. D., of Whitechurch, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary Anne (md. 1825), d. of Edw. Dymock of Penley,

through Hanmer, Kynaston, Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.

Vernon, Sir Henry, of Haddon (d. 1515), Edw. I., by w. Anne (d. 1494), d. of John Talbot (d. 1460), 2nd Earl of Shrewsbury, through Butler, Bohun, and Plantagenet.

Vernon, George, of Harlington Hen. III., and Edw. I., by w. Jane, d. of Richd. Corbet of Adderley, through Vernon, as Burton.

Vernon, Sir Henry, of Haddon (d. 1515), Hen. III., by w. Anne, d. of John Talbot (d. 1460), through Strange, Fitzalan, and Plantagenet.

Vernon, George (1635), of Harlington, Edw. I., by w. Jane, d. of Rich. Corbet of Stoke, through Bromley, Lacon, Corbet, and Devereux, as Sir Walter.

W.

* Widville, Sir John, Earl Rivers, Edw. III., by w. Catherine, d. of Ralph Neville, Earl of Westmoreland.

* Windsor, Lord, Edw. III., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Wm. Somerset, Earl of Worcester.

Windsor, Thos., Lord, Edw. III., by w. Dorothy, d. of Thos. Lord Dacre, through Greystock, Ferrers.

Windsor, John, of Shrewsbury and Harnage (d. 1771), Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Sarah, d. of John Price of Webbscott and Middle, through Thornes and Kynaston, as Sir Roger.

* Winter, Sir Edwd., of Ledney, co. Gloster, Edw. III., by w. Anne, d. of Edwd. Somerset, Earl of Worcester.

* Wrottesley, John, Edw. III., by w. Eliza, d. of . . . Astley, through Talbot, Greystock, Ferrers, to Joan, d. of John of Gaunt. Also from Hen. III., by same lady, through Talbot, Strange, Fitzalan, and Plantagenet.

* Wrottesley, John, Edw. III., by w. Eliza, d. of . . . Astley, through Astley, Talbot, Paston, Beaufort, to John of Gaunt.

* Wrottesley, Sir Walter, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Anne, d. of Thos. Burton (d. 1642), through Newton, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.

* Wrottesley, Hugh, Edw. I. and Edw. III., by w. Margaret, d. of Sir Edw. Devereux (d. 1622), as Devereux.

* Wrottesley, Sir Walter (1553), Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, or Margaret, d. of Sir Thos. Wolrich, Bart., through Bromley, Lacon, Corbet, and Devereux, as Sir Walter.

s Whitmore, Wolriche, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Lucy Elizabeth Georgiana, d. of Orlando Bridgeman, Earl of Bradford, through Kynaston, Grey, as Sir Roger.

- s Whitmore, John, of Ludstone, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Sarah, d. of Thos. Acton of Gatacre Park (d. 1677), through Mytton, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Whitmore, George, of London, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mabel, d. of Rev. John Eyton (1768) through Mytton, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Whitmore, George, of London (s. of John of Ludstone), Hen. III. and Edw. I., by Mabel, d. of Rev. John Eyton (1768), through Thornes, Kynaston, Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Wingfield, Saml., Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Sir Rich. Prince, through Wrottesley, Astley, as Brooke, Prince.
- s Wingfield, Saml., Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Sir Rich. Prince, through Wrottesley, Astley, Talbot, as Brooke, Prince.
- s Wingfield, Philip, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Martha, d. of Wrottesley Prince, through Wrottesley, as Brooke, Prince.
- s Wingfield, Philip, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Martha, d. of Wrottesley Prince, through Wrottesley, Astley, Talbot, as Brooke, Prince.
- s Wingfield, John Muxloe, of Tickencote, co. Rutland, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Catherine Ann Harriet, d. and h. of H. L. Lee of Coton, through Gough, Littleton, Devereux.
- s Wingfield, Thos., of Alderton, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by Elizabeth, d. of Thos. Wingfield of Preston, through Prince, Wrottesley, as Brooke, Prince.
- s Wingfield, Thos., of Alderton, Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Thos. Wingfield of Preston, through Prince, Wrottesley, Astley, Talbot.
- s Wingfield, Capt. Rich., Hen. III., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Mary, d. of Rob. Leighton of Wattlesborough, through Rawdewin, Corbet, Vernon, as John Prince. And Edw. I. and Edw. III., through Devereux.
- s Wingfield, Capt. Rich., Edw. I., and Edw. III., by w. Mary, d. of Rob. Leighton of Wattlesborough, through Devereux, &c., as Rob. Leighton.
- s Worfield, Wm., of . . . Edw., I., by w. Katherine, d. of Rowland Berkeley of Spetchley (d. 1611), through Mowbray.
- s Wylde, Thos., of Commandery, co. Worcester, Edw. I., by w. Dorothy, d. of Rowland Berkeley of Spetchley, through Mowbray.

- Whetall, Wm., of Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Jane, d. of Roger Kynaston of Hordley, through Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- * Winn, Robt., of Bedwell, co. Denbigh, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Edw. Kynaston of Morton, through Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- Wynne, Rob., of Gartherin, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Wm. Dymock (d. 1764), through Hanmer, and Kynaston, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- Wynne, Brochwell, of Garth, co. Montgomery, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Dorothy, d. of John Powell of Worthen, through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Wynne, Sir Watkin W., Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Henrietta Antonia, d. of Edw. Clive, Earl of Powis, through Herbert, Fox, Newport, Corbet, and Vernon, as Burton.
- Wynne, Sir Watkin W., Edw. III., by w. Henrietta Antonia, d. of Edw. Clive, Earl of Powis, through Clive, Herbert, and Somerset.
- s Wycherley, Wm., of Wem, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Eleanor, d. of Rich. Hanmer of Hanmer, through Kynaston, Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Wycherley, Edw., Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Katharine (md. 1613), d. of George Corbet of Leigh, through Kynaston, Grey, as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Wood, Basil, of White Abbey, Edw. I. and Edw. III., by w. Abigail, d. of Rob. Leighton of Wattlesborough (d. 1688), through Devereux.
- s Wood, Basil, of White Abbey, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Abigail, d. of Rob. Leighton of Wattlesborough, through Bawdewin, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Wood, Alexander, of White Abbey, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Frances, d. of Wm. Adams of Longdon, through Newport, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s Wood, Wm., of Muckleton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Mabel, d. of Rev. John Eyton (1671) through Thornes, Kynaston, Grey, &c., as Sir Roger Kynaston.
- s Williams, Edw., of Eaton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Barbara Letitia, d. of John Mytton of Halston, through Kynaston, as Sir Roger.
- Williams, John, of Ystymcolwyn (d. 1685), Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Muriel, d. of Rich. Powell of Worthen, through Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- Williams, Chas., of Berthdu, Hen. III., and Edw. I., by w. Henrietta, d. of Pryce Maurice, through Owen, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.

- s Wallop, Sir Henry, Knight, Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. and coh. of Sir Rob. Corbet of Morton (1578) through Vernon, as Burton.
- s Waties, Edw., of Burway, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Martha, d. of Chas. Fox (1634), through Newport, Corbet, Vernon, as Burton.
- s. Wolley, Thos., of Shrewsbury, Edw. I., by w. Judith, d. of Rich. Clive, through Corbet and Devereux, as Sir Walter.
- s Wicksteed, Rev. Rich., Rector of Harley, Edw. I., by w. Sara, d. of Edw. Lutwyche (d. 1638), through Leighton, Onslow, Corbet, and Devereux, as Sir Walter.
- s Wolryche, Fras., Edw. I., by w. Margaret, d. of Sir George Bromley, through Lacon, Corbet, Devereux, as Sir Walter Devereux.

Y.

- s Yonge, Capt. John, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Elizabeth, d. of Andw. Corbet (1625), through Vernon as Burton.
- s Yonge, Wm., of Caynton, Hen. III. and Edw. I., by w. Susannah, d. of Robt. Corbet of Stanwardine, through Vernon as Burton.

Z.

- s Zouche, John, s. and h. of Sir John Zouche of Codrine, Edw. I., by w. Mary, d. of Henry Lord Berkeley (1613), through Mowbray.

THE FOUNDER OF OSWESTRY SCHOOL.

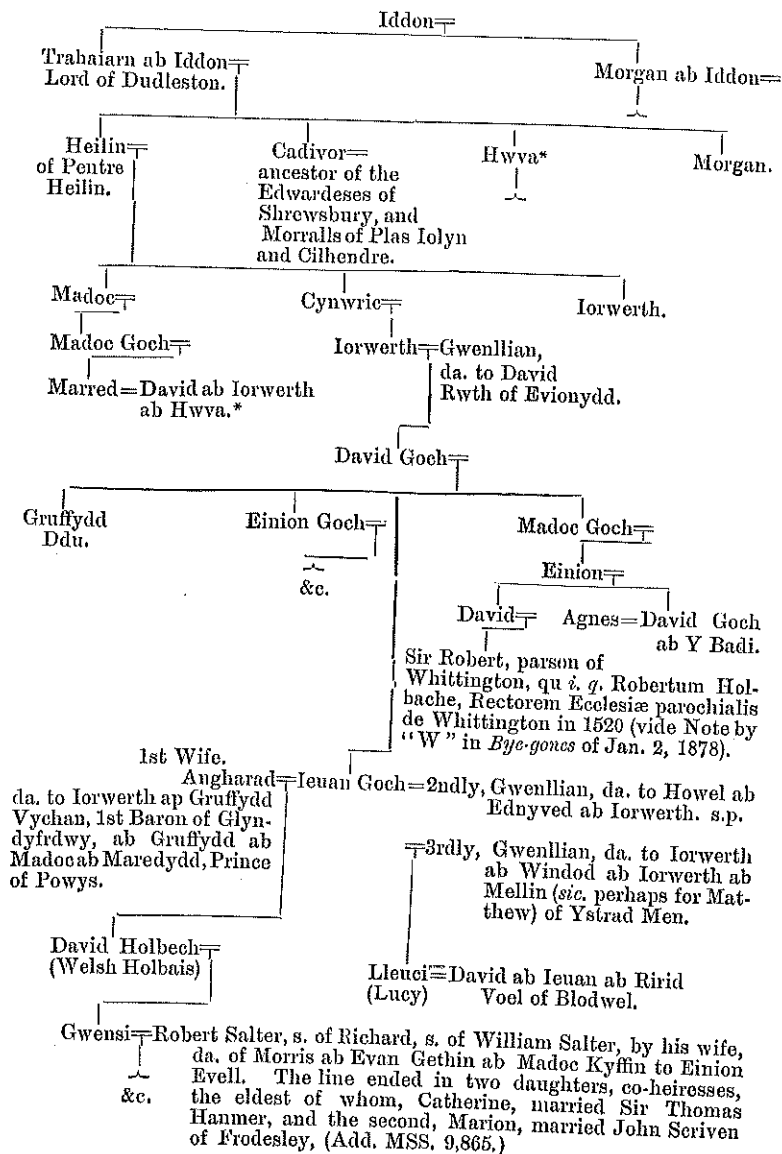
By HOWEL W. LLOYD, M.A.

SOME light may possibly be thrown upon the connection of this worthy with Oswestry, and the motives which prompted him to found a free school in the town¹ from consideration of his genealogical tree, and its surrounding circumstances. David Holbache was of the Noble Tribe of the Marches, the reputed founder of which was Tudor Trevor, who, as we learn from the *History of Powys Vadog* by the Chevalier Lloyd, was not only sovereign prince of Gloucester, Hereford, Erging, and Ewias, in right of his mother Rhiengar, grand-daughter of Caradoc Vreichvras (of the Brawny Arm) but also

¹ We are told in a work entitled *Christian Schools and Scholars* (Longmans, 1867, v. 2, p. 285) that the close of the xvth century witnessed the establishment in England of two new schools, the importance of which caused them to be regarded as models for all subsequent foundations of a similar kind in this country. These were William of Wykeham's twin colleges at Oxford and Winchester, the first of which, opened in 1386, may be said to have perfected the collegiate system of our Universities, while the second, which was not completed till seven years later, laid the foundation of another system, more peculiarly national—that of our English public schools. The object of these two institutions was to furnish a complete course of free education to 200 scholars, who were to be led from the lowest class of grammatical learning to the highest degrees of the various faculties. And at the same time that their intellectual training was thus amply provided for, they were subjected to a strict rule of discipline, and the religious element of education was given a much larger development than it had received in any collegiate foundation that had yet appeared. Chapels had, indeed, in some cases been attached to colleges before the time of Wykeham, though they do not seem to have been regarded as any essential portion of such institutions; but now the choral office and the magnificent celebration of ecclesiastical rites were provided for with no less scrupulous care than the advancement of studies; and thus the founder set his seal to one great principle of the earlier monastic education, namely, that habits of devotion, and those too of a certain liturgical character, ought to be infused into the training which is given to the children of Holy Church.

inherited, at the commencement of the 10th century, the Lordships of the two Maelors, Chirk, Whittington, Oswestry, and Nantheudwy, from his father, Ynyr ab Cadvach, who is said to have built the old Castle of Whittington, and dwelt there. These possessions he divided among his three sons, Goronwy, Lluddoccaf, and Dingad, the second of whom took all the northern territory (Maelor Uchaf, excepted, which fell to Dingad), inclusive of Whittington and Oswestry, and transmitted them to three descendants in succession, Llywarch Gam, Ednyved ab Llywarch, and Rhys Sais ab Ednyved. The latter died in 1070, leaving three sons, the eldest of whom, Tudor ab Rhys Sais, succeeded to the Lordships of Chirk, Whittington, Nantheudwy, and the English Maelor; Elidur became Lord of Eyton Isaf, Erlisham, Borasham, Sutton and Ruyton, while Iddon, the third son, is stated to have inherited only Dudleston and *part of Oswestry*. What became of the remaining part of Oswestry the historian has omitted to state, but it is to be presumed that ere this it had fallen into Norman hands, and become lost for ever to the Tribe of the Marches. So far the *History of Powys Vadog*. Now, from the paper entitled Dudleston in *Archæologia Cambrensis*, 1873, p. 255, we learn further that "the Lordship of Oswestry comprises also that part of the parish of Ellesmere which contains the townships of Upper and Lower Dudleston: that David Holbeche of Dudleston was Deputy Steward of Bromfield and Yale in 1409, and that he belonged to the family of Heilin of Pentre Heilin, descended from Iddon, from whose posterity it may readily be conceived that he derived the portion of land in Oswestry which he devoted to the foundation of a free school. This he could do the more freely, as he died without issue male, whence the bulk of his property fell to his uncles Einion Goch of Pantybursli, and Madoc Goch. This will more clearly appear from the following continuation of his pedigree, the more interesting from its connection with the ancestry of two such well-known modern families as

those of Morrall of Plas Iolyn, and Edwardes (Baronets) of Shrewsbury, who take their descent from Cadivor, the second son of Trahaiarn.



THE FAMILY OF FITZ-WARINE.¹

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THE prominent position given to the family of Fitz-Warine by Mr. Wright, in his amusing and instructive work, the *History of Ludlow*, just completed, and the fact that neither Mr. Wright, nor any author that has yet preceded him, has given a correct account of this noble family, once so celebrated, and so long connected with the history of the Marches of Wales, may be offered as an excuse for my venturing to place before the gentlemen to be assembled at Ludlow a corrected statement of the early history of the Fitz-Warines, to which I am the more inclined as it will be, in its humble way, a proof that the genealogies preserved in the rural districts of Wales may sometimes be made subservient to the clearing up of details in Border history that would otherwise remain unexplained and subject to erroneous impressions.

Mr. Wright has discovered (p. 83 of his work) that Dugdale had "missed a whole generation in the pedigree" of the Fitz-Warine family; but the fact is that two generations of the family have been missed by Dugdale and our other historians: and this I am enabled to prove by deeds and other evidences equally indisputable; for Fulk Fitz-Warine, whom Mr. Wright calls the *second* Fulk, in a deed which I shall hereafter quote, distinctly describes himself as the *third* of that name, while Dugdale omits also the one Guarine, whom Mr. Wright has stated to be the father of the first Fulk, but who was, in fact, the son of the first Fulk, and the grandson of Guarine, *i.e.*

¹ This paper was read at the Ludlow meeting of the Cambrian Archaeological Association in 1852, and afterwards printed in *Archæologia Cambrensis*, 2nd ser., 3 p., 282.

Warine, the sheriff of Shropshire under Roger de Montgomery, which Warine was one of the warriors that came with William the Norman to the conquest of England.

This Warine, who, according to a pedigree in the possession of the late Rev. W. G. Rowland, compiled from the early evidences of the Warine family was "é familia de Loraine," Roger de Montgomery made governor of Shrewsbury and sheriff of Shropshire. Ordericus, the Norman historian of that period, who was born at Attingham, near Shrewsbury, describes Warine as a man "of low stature, but of lofty courage," and further states that Earl Roger gave him his niece Aimeria in marriage. By a singular oversight, Messrs. Owen and Blakeway, in their valuable *History of Shrewsbury*, vol. i. p. 39, state that Warine the sheriff died without issue, although Mr. Blakeway, in his *Account of the Sheriffs of Shropshire*, p. 34, distinctly avers that such was not the case, and that he had one son, at least; the fact being that he had two sons, Hugh and Fulk, both of whom, with their father also, are recorded as benefactors to the abbey of Shrewsbury, and as having severally held the office of sheriff of Shropshire.

Warine died prior to the compilation of Domesday; the name of Fulk his son, the *first* Fulk Fitz-Warine, occurs twice therein; and he served the office of sheriff of Shropshire under his kinsman Robert de Belesme, then Earl of Shrewsbury, from 1098 to 1102. He appears also to have again held the office in 1121; and at the burial of his wife, "with the consent of his son Henry," he gave Pimley, an estate near the town, to the abbey of Shrewsbury. In a deed of "Wills' Abbās de Lilleshall," among others relating to the priory of Alberbury, now in the archives of All Souls' College, Oxford, he is described as "Nobilis Miles Fulcho fit Guarini," and to him is attributed primarily the foundation of a religious establishment at Alberbury; but the pedigree to which I have referred adds to the name of his son Warine, "cui Rex. H. I. dedit Alberbury et iste fundavit Abbatiam de Alberbury in Marchijs Walliæ." It is probable that the

foundation made by Warine was an enlargement of that commenced by his father.

The family had doubtless suffered for their connexion with Robert de Belesme, on whose attainder the lordship of Whittington, &c., had passed into the hands of the crown, and from thence was transferred to the Peverells; but Warine, son of Fulk, added greatly to their importance and to their possessions by marrying Miletta, sister and heir of Payne Peverell, then Lord of Whittington, by whom Warine obtained that estate; although, as it clearly appears, it was not without considerable opposition from her uncles, Sir Roger de Powys (so called from his own estates being in Powysland) and Jonas his brother, that Warine and his son Fulk (the second of that name) were enabled to preserve a title to the patrimony so acquired, and which Sir Roger de Powys and other members of his family more than once got into their possession.

Before I proceed to the progeny of the *second* Warine, it will be requisite to deduce the descent of his wife Miletta.

At the period of the Norman Conquest a large tract of the Marches of Wales, including the greater part of the present parishes of Whittington and Oswestry, the district of Maelor, &c., was held by the head of a distinguished Cambrian line named *Rys Sais*, which latter appellation was given to him because he was conversant in the Saxon or English language. He, doubtless, came to an amicable arrangement with the successful intruders; for it is recorded that, in the year 1070, he divided his possessions among his sons. Tudyr, the eldest son, had his father's lands in Whittington and the district of Maelor; but he clearly held them under Roger de Montgomery, for he is recorded in Domesday as a tenant to the Norman Earl of Shrewsbury, to whom he paid a chief rent of four pounds five shillings. The entry, which follows the statement as to "Wititone" (Whittington) in that record, is in these words:—"Tyder q'da Walensis teñ de comite I finē t'ræ Walens' & inde redd IIII liþ & V solid."

Bleddyn, the eldest son of Tudyr, had, at his father's death, the lands in Maelor, and from him the families of

Mostyn, Trevor, LLoyd of Leaton Knolls, Dymock of Penley, &c., &c., derive their descent. Ranulphus (in Welsh, Gronwy, 'Ronwy, or Wrenoc, as he was variously called), the younger son, had the lands in Whittington. In Welsh pedigrees he is styled Gronwy *Pefr*, i. e. Ranulphus the *smart* or *handsome*. He married Maud, daughter of Ingelric, a noble Saxon, who had previously had a son named William, of which the Conqueror himself was the father. By Ranulphus (who had a grant from the Conqueror of Hatfield in Essex) she had three sons, Hamon, William, and Payne, which last named was standard bearer to Robert Curthose in his expedition to Palestine, but he died without male issue. It may be presumed that William the son of Maud by the Conqueror was brought up with his half brothers, for they all bore the appellation of *Pefr*, anglicised into the surname of Peverell. The Conqueror's son William had a grant of estates in Nottinghamshire, Northamptonshire, Derbyshire, &c.; and the other sons of Maud were amply provided for. Hamon Peverell, the uncle of Payne and Miletta, after the attainder of Robert de Belesme, had Whittington, to which his brother William, and subsequently his nephew, and eventually his niece also, succeeded. By another wife, Ranulphus (Gronwy) had Roger, afterwards called Sir Roger de Powys, and Jonas; the former of whom Mr. Wright, by error, at page 64, has styled "prince" of Powys, a designation to which he had no pretension. Sir Roger had a son Meuric, the "Morice Fitz-Roger" of "The Gestes of Guarine and hys Sunnes;" and Meuric had two sons, Gronwy (Wrenoc) and Gwên (the latter often written *Owen* in Welsh pedigrees). This digression and explanation will be found useful in relation to the statement that follows, which will, I trust, place the earlier descents of the Fitz-Warines in a clearer light than the narrative abstracted from the historic romance.

Warine, second of that name, and husband of Miletta Peverell, must have died in or prior to 1156, as will appear from a document hereafter referred to: the

number of his children is not given ; but two of his sons, Fulk Fitz-Warine, the *second* of that name, and Richard Fitz-Warine, are mentioned in a deed of confirmation of lands to the abbey of Haghmond by Reiner Bishop of St. Asaph, who was appointed to that see in 1186.

The *second* Fulk Fitz-Warine married Hawise, youngest daughter and co-heir of Sir Josce de Dinan, the castellan of Ludlow. Mr. Wright calls him (erroneously) the *first* Fulk. His eldest son, the *third* Fulk Fitz-Warine, married Matilda, daughter of Sir Robert Vavasour, Knight, and relict of Theobald Walter, brother of Hubert Archbishop of Canterbury. Her inheritance was in Amunderness, county Lancaster, of which her husband Fulk Fitz-Warine had livery in the 17th year of King John's reign ; and that he was the *third* Fulk Fitz-Warine I am enabled to prove by a deed belonging to the priory of Alberbury, the original of which is now in the archives of All Souls' College, Oxford, to which establishment the priory of Alberbury was transferred (being an alien foundation) by King Henry the Sixth. In this deed, by the name of " Fulco filius Warini *tertius*," he confirms to the priory at Alberbury all its possessions there. It is witnessed by (*inter alios*) William de Hodenet, Randolph de Hodenet, and Randolph rector of "Wytinton." In this instrument (which is without date) he names Fulk his father, Hawise his mother, and Matilda his wife ; so that his position in the pedigree can admit of no mistake. Having thus established his place in the family, I shall return to the descent of the manor, &c., of Whittington, which is a remarkable instance of the uncertain tenure by which estates were held at that period of our national history.

Owen Gwynedd, who ruled over North Wales from 1137 to 1169, was a prince of considerable ability, and he obtained from King Henry the Second a grant of, among other places, the lordship of Whittington, which he re-granted to Sir Roger de Powys and his brother Jonas, the uncles by the half-blood of Miletta Peverell. This took place in the year 1156, and there can be no doubt, from the grant and all other circumstances atten-

dant thereon, that Warine, the husband of Miletta, had just previously died, leaving his son Fulk in a very early minority ; for it appears from the Pipe Rolls of that year, under the head of Gloucester, that the honour of Alceston, in that county, was assigned to Fulk Fitz-Warine as a compensation for the deprivation occasioned to him by the grant to Owen Gwynedd of the lordship of Whittington : and this will account for Fulk having been brought up from his infancy with Sir Josce de Dinan, to whom, there can also be no doubt he was in ward ; and during this his minority Owain Gwynedd obtained Whittington from the English monarch.

On the accession of King Richard the First, however, Fulk Fitz-Warine recovered his inheritance, and paid a fine of forty marks for the livery of Whittington Castle. (*Vide* Rot. Pip. 1 R. I. tit. Salop.) He was a great favourite of that monarch, and was by him appointed Warden of the Marches of Wales during the king's absence in the Holy Land.

Fulk did not stand in the same favour with Richard's successor ; for on the accession of King John, he was again deprived of his patrimony, that monarch conferring the chief tenancy of Whittington upon Llewelyn ap Iorwerth, then Prince of Wales, who re-granted the same to Wrenoc (Gronwy) and Wennen (Gwên), the sons of Meuric de Powys, whose father Roger de Powys and uncle Jonas ap Gronwy had been tenants thereof to Owen Gwynedd. This grant of the Welsh prince was confirmed by the English monarch in the second year of his reign. The instrument (the original of which is Cart. 2 John, p. 2, m. 26, n. 123) is in the following words, which I quote as confirmatory of my previous statements :—

“Johannes Dei Gratia,” &c. “Sciatis nos concessisse et presenti carta nostra confirmasse Wereñeco et Wennoneo filijs Meuric de Powis pro servitio suo ipsis et heredibus suis Witinton et Overton cum omnibus pertinentijs suis ad tenend de nobis et hered nostris per servitium quod Rogerus pater prefati Meuric et Jonas frater ejusdem Rogeri facere solebant Henrico Regi patri nostro de ferendis mandatis nostris per Walliam : et ea conditione quod si aliquis p̄tas terras calum-

niatus fuerit et eos versus nos disrationaverit satisfaciemus inde per escambium donand ipsi Werefneco et Wennoneo vel heredibus suis vel ei qui versus nos terras illas disrationaverit," &c.

This grant of confirmation is dated at Condoever, county Salop, 1st August, 1200. The manor of Condoever was then in the hands of the crown; and at this time Meuric, the father of the new grantees, held the manor of Whittington.

Meuric de Powys must have died in or about the fourth year of King John's reign; for on the Escheat Rolls of the fifth year of that monarch, there is an entry under the head of "Salopescir," that £100 and four palfreys had become due from "Wrenoc fit Meurick de Powis," on account of his having succeeded to Whittington, &c., of which his father had died seised. I am, however, inclined to think that Wrenoc (Gronwy) never paid the above sum, nor did he enter upon Whittington; as it is clear that Fulk Fitz-Warine had sufficient influence to enable him to resume his family inheritance in the sixth year of King John, the restoration (the original of which is to be seen in Rot. Pat. 6 John, n. 17) is in these terms:—"Rex, &c., Vicecomiti Salopescirie Sciās quod reddidimus Fulconi filio Gwarini Castellum de Wittinton cum omnibus pertinentijs . . . Sicut jus et hæreditatem . . . teste meipso apud Waltham, xvij Octob." It would seem that Gronwy's brother Gwên must have died prior to this resumption by Fulk Fitz-Warine, inasmuch as, under the terms of the grant of the second of John, if any one should claim or recover the manor of Whittington, &c., then the king was to give the grantees satisfaction in another place; and accordingly, without any mention of Gwên, Gronwy, the son of Meuric de Powys, had a recompense for the same, the original of which is copied, Julius C. 2, Cott. Lib., and it is thus set forth:—"Wrenocus filius Meurici tenet octo liberatas terræ de Balliva domini regis Johannis pro decem libratis in escambium de Wytinton, quod Fulco filius Warini tenet, et debet esse de servitio Latimarius

in Angliâ et Walliâ." Thus also, the service or serjeanty of Gronwy (Wrenoc), which was that of being latimer or interpreter to the king, was transferred from the manor of Whittington to those lands that were given to Gronwy in exchange for that estate.

The *second* Fulk Fitz-Warine died in or prior to the fourth of Henry III., 1219 ; for in that year his son, the *third* Fulk Fitz-Warine gave to that monarch £262 sterling and two coursers, (*Vide* Rot. Pip. 4 H. III., tit. Berks,) to have the possession of Whittington Castle confirmed to him and his heirs. In the year following, (*Vide* Claus. 5 H. III., m. 9,) he had license to fortify this castle, having, on the 23rd November preceding, obtained a grant of a market at Whittington on each Wednesday, and for a fair there to last two days at Luke-tide, for which he was to give the king a palfrey, as may be seen in the record of fines, 4 H. III., m. 9, folio 143. He was slain in the service of his sovereign at Lewes in 1263 ; and King Henry the Third, being a prisoner to Simon de Montfort, was induced to grant to Llewelyn ap Griffith, Prince of Wales, who had engaged to marry De Montfort's daughter, Whittington, with other castles and domains, which were till then held by Fulk Fitz-Warine and others who had espoused the cause of Henry, as may be seen in Pat. 49 H. III., n. 47. We learn also from Pat. 49 H. III., n. 26, that in the month of December preceding the said grant, Peter de Montfort had the custody of this castle, but to meet the wishes of Llewelyn, he resigned his pretensions.

Most of these proceedings, however, were cancelled by the battle of Evesham, which took place on the 26th of August, 1265 ; but still we find Llewelyn retaining possession of Whittington, for in the fifty-first of Henry III., as may be seen in Rymer's *Fœdera*, tom. i, fol. 844, it was agreed between the king and Prince Llewelyn, that the latter was to receive from Whittington the services he claimed to have been accustomed due and paid to his ancestors, but that the king should appoint a constable and soldiers for the defence of the castle.

The *fourth* Fulk Fitz-Warine, though deprived of Whittington, had succeeded to Alberbury and some other of his father's Shropshire estates ; for in the seventh of Edward I., 1279, he had granted Alderton, in the parish of Middle, to his kinsman, John de Lee, of Lee Hall, subject to the annual payment of one pound of pepper for all services, as appears by an Inquisition of that date. Possessing the gallant spirit that had distinguished all his ancestors, he so successfully served Edward I. in his Welsh campaigns, that he had the inheritance of Whittington restored to him, and by Cart. 11 E. I., n. 39, received from that monarch a grant of free warren in his lordship of Whittington.

It was the *fourth* Fulk Fitz-Warine, whose eldest son having been baptised by the name of John, afterwards adopted that of Fulk ; for certain legal proceedings between him and his younger brother Fulk, then of Alberbury, are thus set forth :—

“Fulco fil' Warini de Abberbur' summon' fuit ad respondend' Fulconi filio Warini de Witinton de placito quod teneat conventionem factum inter Fulconi fil' Warini patrem pdti Fulconis fil' Warini de Wytinton et pdtm Fulconem fil' Warini de Abberbur' de man' de Abberbur' cum pertint' exceptis Advocacione Abbathie de Abberbur' et Advocacione Eccles' eiusdem Villæ et Walescheria ad idem man' pertinent'.” &c.—(Rot. 18 dorso Placita de Juratis et Assis' coram Johe' de Berewick, &c. Justiciarijs Itinerantibus in Coñ Salop' 20 E. I. 1292.)

It is probable that the *fourth* Fulk Fitz-Warine had died a short time before these proceedings, as from this period the Whittington and Alberbury estates were divided. His eldest son, the *fifth* Fulk, was summoned to Parliament as a Baron from the 23rd June, 1295, to the 24th October, 1314 ; and from this time the descent of the Fitz-Warines of Whittington and that of the manor continued uninterrupted until, by the extinction of the male line, the estate passed with Elizabeth the sister and heir of the *tenth* Fulk Fitz-Warine, to her husband, Sir Richard Hankford, Knt. Their daughter and heir Thomasine, married William Bouchier, ancestor of the

Earls of Bath of that name. His descendant John Bouchier, Earl of Bath, exchanged the manor of Whittington with King Henry VIII. : from the crown it passed to the Fitz-Alan family, from whom it was purchased in 1570, by William Albany, Esq., and the manor of Whittington has since continued with that gentleman's posterity.

If these memoranda should be deemed acceptable by the gentlemen assembled at Ludlow, and be of any service in clearing up some points of local and family history that have hitherto required explanation, I shall feel satisfied that my time and trouble in collecting and arranging them has neither been mis-spent nor misapplied.

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21st August, 1852.

THE EARLY INCISED AND SCULPTURED STONES OF SHROPSHIRE.

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IN an admirable paper in *The Antiquary* by Mr. J. H. Parker, of Oxford, on "The Victorian Revival of Gothic Architecture," he comments pithily and pointedly on the *furor* of the present age for the restoration of ecclesiastical structures. This restoration consists generally not in the preservation of the fine old portions, but rather in applying the "besom of destruction" in a clean sweep out and making all things new and pretty looking in that style for which the architect has a peculiar predilection. The consequence is that all things which have an historical association either general or local are destroyed. The monuments and tomb stones which record the former possessors of landed estates in the parish, are destroyed or mutilated, or, if preserved, removed from their original positions to some obscure and out of the way corner of the building. Many of the inscribed gravestones in the floors of the church or chancel are covered over with concrete, on which a gay looking pavement of modern encaustic tiles is laid. The remains of the ancient stained glass, which probably has its own special history attached to it, or which may be connected with that or some older edifice, is replaced with modern flashy stained glass whose subject has no association. Fine old wooden carved ceilings, or the fronts of excellent though perhaps late carved work of a gallery, are both, however excellent and appropriate in themselves, altered according to some modern style, or removed altogether. Truly old things

are past away and all is become new, but verily a great deal more harm than good is the result.

Scattered among the churches of Shropshire are many incised and sculptured stones which are not only interesting as examples of the art and skill of earlier days, but especially doubly valuable as records of the early introduction of Christianity into our county. No doubt some of these which existed a century ago have been destroyed either willfully or accidentally, and it is with the hope of preserving the knowledge of those still remaining that they have been embodied in our *Transactions*, so far as we have been able to collect them. This notice will probably direct attention to, and bring to light, others which have as yet escaped us, and which may form the subject of future papers.

Fig: 1. This little Cross is very similar to those found in Cornwall, and termed Romano-British Christian in the *Journal of the Archaeological Institute*, Vol. 4, where they are figured. Its date may be of the 5th or 6th century. It was found with others under the foundations of Atcham Church, which was of Saxon origin.

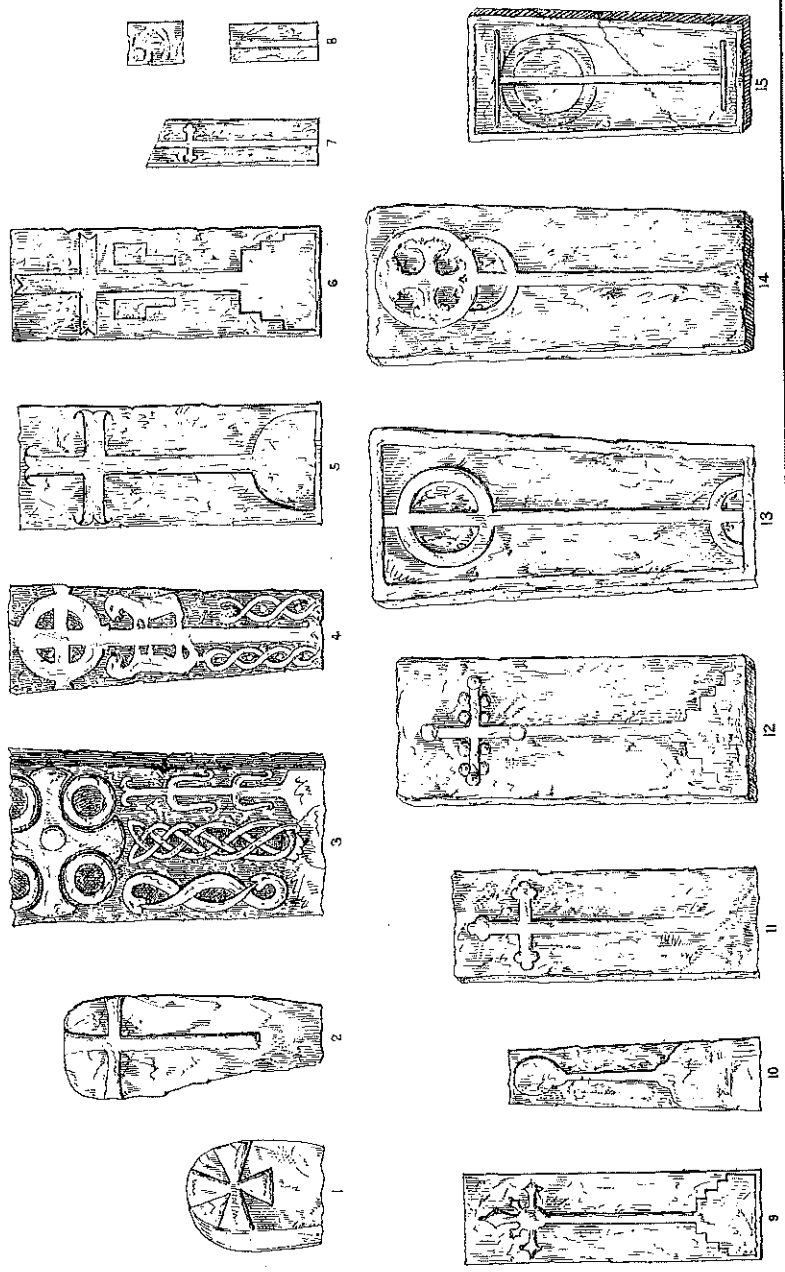
Fig: 2. This simple cross, of very early date, was also found at Atcham Church. It is similar to a cross at Trevorgy, engraved in *Gent: Mag: Vol. 75, pt. 2, p. 1201*.

Fig: 3. This fine but broken raised Cross Slab 3 feet 1 inch long, 2 feet wide at the top, and 21 inches wide at the bottom, and 5 inches thick, was found built under one of the northern pillars of the Norman arches in the nave of St. Mary's Church, Shrewsbury, which was of Saxon foundation. Its date may be from 8th to 10th century.

Fig: 4. This raised Cross Slab was also found under the foundations of the Saxon Church of Atcham. In length 4 feet 4 inches, width at top, 1 foot 7½ inches, at bottom 1 foot 1 inch. It may be referred to any time from the 8th to the 10th centuries.

Fig: 5, 6, 7, 8. Incised Cross Slabs in the floor of St. Giles's Church, Shrewsbury, of the 12th century. Length of fig. 5, 6 feet 3½ inches; breadth, 2 feet 7¼ inches. Fig. 6, length, 6 feet 6 inches; breadth, 2 feet 3 inches. Fig. 7, length, 3 feet 6 inches; breadth, 1 foot. Fig. 8 formed the step of the south door, and is probably now nearly or quite obliterated.

Fig: 9 and 10. Raised Cross Slabs in the floor of St. Giles's Church, Shrewsbury, also of the 12th century. Length of fig.



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9, 6 feet $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches; breadth, 1 foot 10 inches. Fig. 10, length, 5 feet $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches; breadth at top, $13\frac{1}{2}$ inches, breadth at bottom, 1 foot 10 inches.

Fig: 11, 12, 13, and 14. Raised Cross Slabs in Quatford Church, probably of 11th or 12th centuries.

Fig: 15. Incised Slab, found many years ago in taking down Meole Brace old church, referable probably to 12th century.

Fig: 16. Floriated incised Cross Slab in St. Giles's Church, Shrewsbury, of 12th century.

Fig: 17. Raised Cross Slab at Atcham, of 12th century.

Fig: 18. Portion of a Slab at Atcham Church.

Fig: 19. A raised Cross Fleuré Slab at the Grey Friars, Bridgnorth, traced from a drawing by the late Mr. David Parkes, 13th century.

Fig: 20. A raised Cross Slab of 13th century age, with the matrix cut away to the depth of $\frac{1}{3}$ of an inch, and filled originally with pitch or coloured plaster, at Glazeley, from a drawing by late Mr. D. Parkes.

Fig: 21. A very beautiful raised Cross Slab of elegant and elaborate design, with the sunken matrix, originally filled with pitch or coloured plaster, at St. Mary's Church, Shrewsbury. Length, 4 feet; width, 18 inches.

Fig: 22. A raised coffin shaped Cross Slab in the north-east portion of the cloister of Wenlock Priory. From its lying opposite a small chantry chapel, with a pavement of ancient encaustic tiles bearing the arms of Leighton, there is probably some connection. The shield on the stone has no doubt been enamelled with the same arms. The Leightons from proximity were chiefly benefactors of Buildwas Abbey, but probably one of the family may have made a grant to Wenlock, which may account for his burial there.

Fig: 23. Incised Cross Slabs in the south aisle of the Chancel of the Church of Haghmon Abbey. The state of the matrix indicates that the cross was probably of brass, with the shields at the base, enamelled with the arms in proper colours; the surrounding inscription being filled probably with pitch. The letters are those usually termed Longobardic capitals, which were in use until the very end of 14th century, when the German or Old English text came into fashion. These slabs were placed before an altar at the east end of the aisle which thus formed a chantry chapel. The inscriptions are in Norman French:—

+ WOVS . RI . PASSEZ . PAR . ICI . PRIES . PUR .
LALME . IOHAN . FIS . ALEIN . HI . GIT . ICI . DEU .
DE . SA . ALME . EIT . MERCI . AMEN .

+ ISABEL . DE . MOR R . SA . FEMME . ACOST .
D . L . DEU . DE . LER . ALM . EIT . MERCI . AMEN .

They commemorate John Fitz Alan, (fourth in descent from William Fitz Alan, founder of Haghmon Abbey), born 1246, died 1272, and Isabel, his wife, daughter of Roger de Mortimer of Wigmore.

Fig: 24. A fine foliated Cross Slab in the Church of High Ercall. The matrix had probably a brass cross inserted, with enamelled shields of arms on either side at the top. The letters are those of the 13th century, and the inscription indicates it the tomb of + DAME . ELANORE . LESTRANGE . DE . BLANCMISTER . GIST . ICI . DIEU . DE . SA . ALME EIT . MERCI .

She was one of the daughters and co-heirs of William de Albo Monasterio (who died before June 11, 1260), and wife of Robert le Strange of Whitchurch (who died about 1276). She subsequently became the wife of Bevis or Bogo de Knovill, and died before June, 1306. Why she was buried at High Ercall is unknown.

The figure was traced from Mr. D. Parkes's drawing, and the inscription appears to have been then partially effaced.

Fig: 25. A broken Slab, 1 foot 9 inches, by 1 foot 1 inch, with raised fleur-de-lis foliage, amongst the ruins of Buildwas Abbey, of the date of 13th century. The remaining portion of the inscription is C' : HUE : LE : PIZ : S .

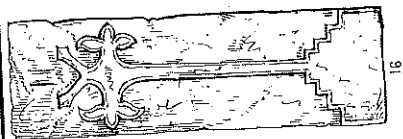
Fig: 26. A fine Slab in the south aisle of the Abbey Church, Shrewsbury, believed to have been removed thither from St. Giles's Church, in the same parish, in 1824. It is of the shape known as *dos d' ane*, and of the period of 13th century. Below a richly foliated cross in high relief, on the left hand division of the tomb, lies the effigy of the deceased, also in high relief, his hands joined in prayer. He is vested in an alb, and on his left are, a bell close to the head; a chalice, containing the holy wafer; a book or missal; and a taper in a candlestick; all in outline. Along the edge, on the right of the figure, are the following Longobardic capitals:—

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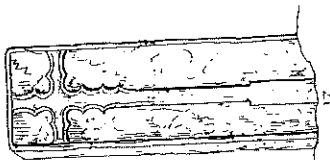
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Fig: 27. A Slab of coarse marble in the floor of the south aisle of St. Julian's Church, Shrewsbury, has an inscription round the outer margin in very early characters of the 13th century.

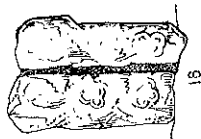
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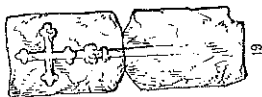
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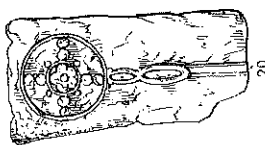
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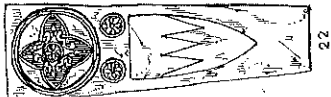
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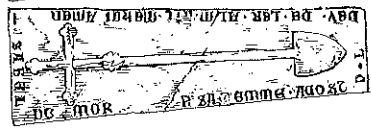
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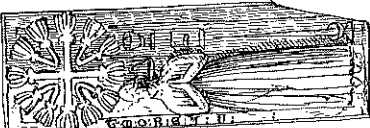
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The Troumwyns were a family of very remote antiquity. Roger Tromwin was sheriff of Shropshire 1 Edw. II., and Sir John Tromewyn, Knt. occurs 17 Edw. III.

Whether the centre of the slab originally bore a raised cross cannot now be known, as it was utilised by inscriptions to Richard, son of Tho. Hussey, glover, 1620, and to others subsequently of his family.

Fig: 28. A broken square stone, bearing a very elegant floriated raised cross, enclosed in a circle about 1 foot diameter, with fleurs-de-lis opposite each angle, among the ruins of Buildwas Abbey, and of the 14th century.

Fig: 29. A broken slab, 3 feet 3 inches long, 1 foot 10 inches at top, at 1 foot 5 inches at bottom, at Buildwas Abbey, bearing within an hexagonal raised border a raised cross, protruded below the border into a large fleur-de-lis. 14th century date.

Fig: 30. A very elegant and elaborately ornamented raised cross slab, of 14th century, at Buildwas Abbey, the upper part of which is engraved in Eyton's *Antiquities of Shropshire*, v. 6, p. 335.

Fig: 31. A stone slab, 6 feet 8 inches long, 2 feet 7 inches wide at top, and 1 foot 7 inches at bottom, bearing in the upper portion an elegant raised cross, engraved in Eyton's *Antiq. Shropsh.* loc. cit., and also from Buildwas Abbey. 14th century.

Fig: 32. Two crosses fleuré, raised on three steps, lying parallel, with TB. and SB., in Burford Church, traced from Mr. D. Parkes's drawing. 14th century.

Fig: 33. A dos d'ane slab from Wenlock Priory, 5 feet 9½ inches long, 1 foot 8 inches wide at top, and 1 foot 6 inches at bottom, bearing a raised Greek Cross patée on a plain shaft: from Mr. D. Parkes's drawing. 14th century.

Fig: 34. A coffin-shaped stone slab at Oldbury Church, near Bridgnorth, bearing a looped cross in a sunken circle, supported on a shaft which tapers at the base, resting on a conical-shaped mound. Traced from Mr. D. Parkes's drawing. 14th century.

Fig: 35. A stone slab from Bromfield Church, near Ludlow, bearing a raised cross fleuré in a sunken quatrefoil, supported by a shaft on three steps, with a flower at top. On left side are some obliterated letters. Traced from Mr. D. Parkes's drawing. 14th century.

Fig: 36. No. 7, Plate 2, of Gough's *Four Plates of Crosses on Tomb Stones*, is a large coffin-shaped slab from Chetwynd Church, of 14th century date. It bears a raised cross, the

arms of which terminate in recurved simple branches with an acorn at the end, supported by a shaft similarly ornamented with alternate recurved branches and acorns, springing from a lion passant. A roundlet on the left side bears the arms of Chetwynd. This slab was originally in the middle of the chancel.

Fig: 37. A large oblong slab from Alberbury Church, with a fine cross fleuré, with smaller crosses fleuré radiating from the angles of the primary cross, supported on a shaft flanked with short fleuried ornaments, and a roundlet at the top. 14th century.

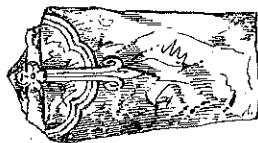
Fig: 38. A coffin-shaped slab from Alberbury Church, bearing an elegant scalloped wheel cross of eight rays, terminated by fleur-de-lis with an intermediate round flower. The shaft arises from a lamb with banner, and is flanked by five horizontal arms, each terminating in a fleur-de-lis, and with a plain cross in a lozenge at each swollen part of the shaft whence the arms issue. Immediately under the wheel cross are two fishes haurient. 14th century.

Fig: 39. An oblong slab from Albrighton Church, near Shifnal, bearing a broad raised Latin cross on a single step, the arms patée, the upper arm shortened so as to admit a reversed label with INRI, and two shields at the upper corners. 16th century. Traced from Mr. D. Parkes's drawing.

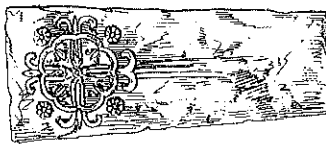
Fig: 40. An oblong slab, of 16th century date, from Shawbury Church, traced from Mr. D. Parkes's drawing, bearing a cross-crosslet Latin cross, and above it on the dexter side, EC; and on the sinister, KP.

Fig: 41. An oblong slab of 16th century date, bearing a plain incised Latin cross, arising from a conical mound. Below the arms of the cross on the dexter side is RALPH, in Roman letters, and a shield bearing St. George's cross, and on the sinister side, T+ESTON, and a shield bearing three chevronels reversed. Traced from Mr. Parkes's drawing.

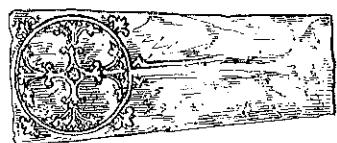
Fig: 42. A large oblong slab from Acton Scot Church, bearing a floriated cross resting on three steps. Above the dexter arm of the cross is the letter R, and on the sinister a monogram apparently of B and A intertwined. Below the dexter arm is a chalice, and underneath that the letter I. Below the sinister arm is a book or missal, and below that the letter A. 15th century.



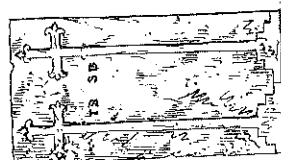
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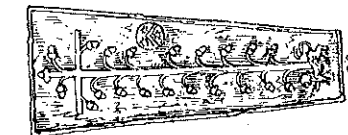
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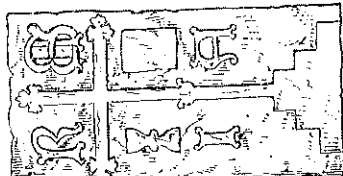
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OLD SHROPSHIRE WILLS.

THE Documents so well-known as Wills are, says Mr. Sims in his *Manual*, of the greatest importance to the Genealogist, and interest to the Antiquary. They are the principal, and often the only records, by which families in the middle classes of life can trace any descent, prior to the introduction of Parochial Records. For the "Inquisitiones Post Mortem" were only taken on "tenants in Capite," or on persons supposed to be such. Wills are interesting documents as setting forth to a great extent the character of the Testator as a public benefactor to Church or State, and as a private individual. As a rule the Testator, if married, mentions by name his wife and children, and one or more members of his family. If the Testator be a bachelor or spinster, so much the better for the Genealogist; for then in such a case, all near relations, are, as a rule, mentioned by name, and often distant relatives. It sometimes happens that the Testator mentions the Christian names of his father and mother, and it very frequently occurs that a married man will mention his brother-in-law, thereby supplying the maiden name of his wife. If the Testator has been married before, he usually speaks of his wife as "my *now* wife." A Testator also as a rule states his social degree, profession, or trade; the name of the place at which he lives, and the parish or diocese in which it is situated. A woman nearly always states whether she is a widow or spinster, and if the former, is sure to mention the name of her late husband, and children, if any. The witnesses to old wills are as a rule always relations or connexions by marriage. The time of the death of Testator can, of

course, always be fixed as taking place between the date of the Will and the date of the probate. A list of debts and debtors was often added on to wills of the 16th and 17th centuries.

Old wills were written in Latin or Norman French, and much abbreviated. English does not seem to have been used till about the middle of the 15th century. Shropshire is in the province of Canterbury, and in four dioceses, viz. : Lichfield, Hereford, St. Asaph, and Worcester (one parish only).

Shropshire Wills are therefore to be found in the Record Offices which are attached to each of these four Cathedrals, and also in the Principal Registry of the Archbishop of Canterbury, at Somerset House, Strand, in the Archbishop's Registers at Lambeth Palace, S.W., the District Registry at Shrewsbury, and with the deeds relating to the Palmers' Guild at Ludlow. The (a) Calendar of Wills at Somerset House begins in 1383; at Lambeth in 1312; at Lichfield, 1526; at Hereford, 1517; at St. Asaph, 1565; at Worcester, 1494; at Shrewsbury, 1857. All the old wills proved in the Peculiar Courts in this country are preserved in the District Registries in Shrewsbury and Hereford. There are several sorts of Peculiars, viz. : [i] Royal Peculiars, which are under the immediate jurisdiction of the Crown, such as (a) St. Mary's, in Shrewsbury, including the parishes of Albrighton, Astley, Berwick, Clive, parish of St. Mary, Salop; (b) Bridgnorth, including parishes of Alveley, Bobbington, Claverley, and parish of Bridgnorth. [ii] Peculiars under the jurisdiction of Deans and Chapters, Archdeacons, Prebendaries, and other dignitaries, such as the Prebendary of Prees, including the parishes of Calverhall, Whixall, and parish of Prees. [iii] Peculiars which formerly belonged to Monasteries, such as Buildwas and Wombridge, but are now in lay hands. [iv] Peculiars called Donatives, such as Longdon upon Tern, Uppington, Ellesmere town and liberties,

(a) There is no Calendar of Wills at Ludlow.

Hampton and Colemere, Lineal, Tylley, Little Hereford, Ashford Carbonel, Morton Magna, and Bullinghope, which are under the jurisdiction of the Rector or Vicar of the parish, or a Registrar appointed by the Lord of the Manor. Part of these Peculiars are at Shrewsbury and part at Hereford.

Very early Wills are entered on the Close Rolls, in the Inquisitiones Post Mortem, in the Inrolment Books of Patents, and in the Chartularies of Monasteries. [v. Haughmon Cart : Vol. I., p. 173, *Trans: Shrops: Arch: Soc:*] The earliest Shropshire Will I have as yet been able to discover is in the Ludlow collection. It is beautifully written in Latin on a small piece of parchment, and is as perfect now as the day it was inscribed. It runs as follows:—

In no'ie pa'is t. filii t. sp's s'ci amen.

Ego Agnes Orm facio test'm meum in hunc modu'. In p'ms lego animam meam Deo om'ipotenci t. corpus meum ad sepeliendu' in cimiterio S'ci Laurencis de Ludelawe. It'm lego xxiiij. libras cere c'ea corpus me'm. Et om'ib's capellis ad vigil venientib's (cum diacono) t. subdiacono ecc'ie S'ci Lawrence (suas exequias). It'm sexaginta cli'cis psalteria p' anima mea psallentib's unicuiq' eor i'd. It'm lego su'mo altari ecc'ie Sci Laur' ii's. It'm op'i ecc'ie Hereford ii's. It'm frat'b's minorib's de Brugg v's. It'm frat'b's predicatorib's Salop ii's. It'm frat'b's S'ci Augustini de Lodel' ii's. It'm egrotis de Ludeford xviiij'd. It'm op'i cap'lle de Dynan xii'd. It'm in oblato'e t' al' exp'n die sepulte mee dimie marc. It'm lego D'no Walto' de Muneton Cap'll'o iij's. It'm lego domu' meam in Brodestret quam emi de Nicho' fra' meo d'co Orm venditori' se'd'm disposit'om execut' meor. It'm lego domu' meam in Mulnestret venditori' et domu' meam in Oldestret qua' emi de Rog'o Kybin venditor' Ex hiis lego quatuor annualia vide't duo celebrand' p' anima' Nichi' Orm fr'is mei p'd'ci. Et alia duo annual' celebra'da p' anima' Walt'r de Brugg burgenns' de Ludlowe. It'm lego Aliac Orm unam marcum. It'm Dionisia Orm t' Agneta filie sue dimi'e marci. It'm Tibote Orm dimi'e marca. It'm Margie Orm dimi'e marca. It'm Will'o Orm Cl'ico sex marcas. It'm Agneti fil' Thom' Ace dimi'e marc'. It'm Petronille Orm dimi'e marc' et resid'm de vendito'e predicta lego ad celebran' annual' p' salute a'ie mee in ecc'ie S'ci Laur' de Ludelawe. It'm lego Agneti uxor Rog'i de Capell' dom'u meam in Oldstret qua' emi de filiab's Rob'r'i

Brutun. It'm lego Ric'o Orm frat' meo domu' meam in Oldstret in quo inh'ito cum om'ib's suis ptni' ita ex ip'e dat Eme filii sue sex marcas ad ip'am maritane. It'm lego Agneti filii Willi' de Ledewich dimi'e marc'. It'm Agneti fil' Ric'i Orm dimi'e marc'. It'm lego x^s p'ticipane filioli's meis p'us no' nominatis se'd'm disposit'one execitor' meor'. It'm lego xl^s in pan' paup'ib's eregans. It' lego Petronill' Orm prediete unu' cocabu'. It'm lego Em'e p'dce unu' cocabu' a duas magnas cuppas. It'm lego fliab's Rog'i de Cap'll'a iij^s. It' lego qu'q'e filiis Ric'i Orm qu'q' solid'. It'm lego Sibile filie Rici Orm unam ollam ancum. It'm lego Alicie de Ledewich xij^s. It'm op'i ecc'ie de Lodel' ij^s. It'm op'i ecc'ie de Staunton xij^s. It'm ponti de Temedebur' xij^s. Et resid'm omni' bonor' meor' mob'lium 't inmob'l'm lego ad dispen' p' salute anime mee sed'm disposit'one execitor' meor' p'ut melius viderent expedire. Hui' q' testi' hos meos facio Execitor' f'rem vide't Ric'm Orm f'rem me'm, Will'm de Ledewich, Rog'm de Capella, fact'm fuit hoc test'm die lune p'xia ante f'm S'ci Mich'is Anno D'm mccc^{mo} quarto.

TRANSLATION.

In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost, Amen.

I, Agnes Orm make my Will in this manner. First I leave my soul to Almighty God, and my body to be buried in the churchyard of St. Laurence of Ludlow. Also I leave 24lbs of wax [? candles to be burnt] around my body. And to all the Chaplains who come to the Vigil with the Deacon and Sub-Deacon of the Church of St. Laurence their burial fees. Also to 60 clerks singing psalms for my soul, to each of them 1d. Also I leave to the High Altar of the Church of St. Laurence 2s. Also to the work of the Church of Hereford 2s. Also to the minor brothers of Brugg 5s. Also to the preaching brothers of Salop 2s. Also to the brothers of St. Augustin of Ludlow 2s. Also to the sick of Ludeford 18d. Also to the work of the Chapel of Dynan 12d. Also in oblation and other expenses on the day of my burial half-a-mark. Also I leave to Sir Walter de Muneton, Chaplain 3s. Also I leave my house in Broad Street, which I bought of Nicholas my brother called Orm, to be sold according to the disposition of my Executors. Also I leave my house in Mulnestreet [Mill St.] to be sold. And my house in Old Street which I bought of Roger Kybin to be sold. Of these I leave four annual payments, that is to say, two to celebrate for the soul of Nicholas Orm my brother aforesaid. And the other two annual pay-

ments to celebrate for the soul of Walter de Brugg burgess of Ludlow. Also I leave to Alice Orm one mark. Also to Dronicia Orm and Agnes her daughter half-a-mark. Also to Tibote Orm half-a-mark. Also to Margery Orm half-a-mark. Also to William Orm clerk six marks. Also to Agnes daughter of Thomas Ace half-a-mark. Also to Petronilla Orm half-a-mark. And the residue of the aforesaid sale I leave to celebrate annually for the welfare of my soul in the Church of St. Laurence of Ludlow. Also I leave to Agnes wife of Roger de Capella my house in Old Street which I bought of the daughters of Robert Brutun. Also I leave to Richard Orm my brother my house in Old Street in which I live with all its appurtenances so that he may give to Ema his daughter six marks for a marriage portion. Also I leave to Agnes daughter of William de Ledewich half-a-mark. Also to Agnes daughter of Richard Orm half-a-mark. Also I leave 10s. to be divided amongst my little sons [? grandsons or godsons] not before mentioned by name according to the disposition of my Executors. Also I leave 40s. in bread to be bestowed upon the poor. Also I leave to Petronilla Orm aforesaid one kettle, Also I leave to the aforesaid Ema one kettle and two large cups. Also I leave to the daughters of Roger de Capella 3s. Also I leave to the five sons of Richard Orm five (?) gold coins. Also I leave to Sibilla the daughter of Richard Orm one brass pot. Also to Alice de Ledewich 12s. Also to the work of the Church of Ludlow 2s. Also to the work of the Church of Staunton [Lacy] 12s. Also to the bridge of Temebury [Tenbury] 12s. Also the residue of all my goods moveable and immoveable I leave to be distributed for the welfare of my soul according to the disposition of my Executors as they shall see most expedient. And I appoint these my Executors of this my will, that is to say, Richard Orm my brother, William de Ledewich and Roger de Capella. This Will was made on the Monday next before the feast of St. Michael [29 Sep^r] one thousand three hundred and four.(b)

(b) Whether Agnes Orm was a widow or spinster is uncertain, but I fancy the latter. I have met with but few notices of the name of Orm after the date of her Will (1304). A fine was levied 8th Edw. III., between Thomas de Haulghton and Agnes his wife, plaintiffs, and William Orm of Ludlow, deforciant, concerning land in Ludlow.

The names of Nicholas and Richard Orm, occur in Ludlow Deeds without date.—Also William, son of Nicholas Orm, date about Edw. I. Also Nicholas, son of Richard Orm, 17th Edw. III.

- (c.) 1321. *John Ace*(d) of Ludlow. m. wife Alis; sons, Thomas, William, Christan; dau., Alicia; brother, Rich^d.
- (c.) 1336. *William Talace* of Ludlow. m. wife Matilda, daus. Joan, Alis, Petronilla.
- (c.) 1341. *William de Leynthale* of Ludlow m. wife Matilda, son John.
- (c.) 1342. *Richard de Tensdon*. m. wife Katherine.
- (c.) 1348. *William de Pyrefeld* of Ludlow m. sons, Richard, John, William & Hugh. Daus. Dionise & Petronille.
- (c.) 1349. ?(e) Plowmon or Plowdon. m. his father Simon, wife & dau; & sons John & William. D. 23 Ap.
- (c.) 1349. *Henry le Woolere* junior m. wife Margery.
- (c.) 1361. *William Ace* of Ludlow. m. wife Isabel.
- (c.) 1363. *Richard de Orleton* (f.) m. sons Wil^m & Tho^s.
- (c.) 1377. *William de la Vilde*. m. Rich^d his brother. D. 24 June.
- (c.) 1379. *Agnes de M.* [?](e). m. John son of John Hopton. Margery Pirfield. Alfred son of John Cachpole. Alice Cachpole. John Collyng Agnes dau of Wil^m Goldsmyth, John son of John Rockhull.
- (c.) 1381. *Thomas Milsant*, m. wife Johan. son John. dau. Alis.
- (c.) 1386. *Isolda de Bockelton* "before called Isolda Galys."
- (c.) 1390. *John Auledon* son of William Auledon.
- (c.) 1390. *Philip Tyler* m. his wife Joan.

Fine levied 19th Edw. III., between Nicholas de Warrewyk of Ludlow, and Alicia his wife, plaintiffs, and Nicholas Orm of Ludlow, deforciant, concerning land in Ludlow.

Fine levied 21 Edw. III., between William Orm of Ludlow, plaintiff, and Thomas de Haulghton and Agnes his wife, deforciant, concerning land at "Hyntes."

In the "*Deliberationes Gaole*," Salop, 9 Hen. V., the name of Orm of Wystanstowe, yeoman, appears.

(c) Will in Ludlow with Palmers' Guild Deeds.

(d) A Fine was levied 6th Edw. III., between Hugh, son of Hugh de Leynehale and Thomas Ace and Agnes his wife, plaintiffs, and John, son of the same Thomas and Agnes Ace, deforciant, concerning land in Midelton Hugford.

(e) Illegible in Will through decay.

(f) Fine levied 5 Edw. III. between William de Atforton of Ludlow, and Margery his wife, plaintiffs, and William de Orleton. senior, and Christiana his wife, deforciant.

- (c.) 1392. *Hugo Ace.* m. his dau. Agnes.
 (c.) 1397. *William Collyngs* [or Conyngs] of Ludlow. m.
 his son John.
 (c.) 13(e) *Stephen de Montgomery* of Ludlow. m. his wife
 Sabine. John Collyngs, John Catchpole &
 William Hope.
 (c.) 13(e) *William Parys (g)* of Ludlow. m. his wife Sibilla;
 son John, daus Elizabeth & Margaret. He
 wishes his body to be buried in the Chancel of
 St. John the Baptist in the parish Church of
 St. Lawrence of Ludlow. He leaves money to
 the Augustin brethren of Salop, Bridgenorth, &c.
 D. 1 March.
 (c.) 1405. ?(e) m. son John. To
 be buried at St. Laurence Ludlow. D. March.
 Proved 1405.
 (c.) 1410. *John de M . . . hton.* m. his brother William.
 (c.) 1413. *Amicia Fforcor.* m. daus Isabell & Agnes.
 (c.) 1417. *Henry Handon.* m. John & Johanna his relations.
 also Tho^s Green & William de Tewkesbury.
 D. 12 Nov.
 (c.) 1427. *William Corve (h)* of Ludlow. m. his wife Isabella
 & son Richard.
 (c.) 1437. ?(e) m. his wife Alice & his son John.
 (c.) 1439. *John Hereford (i)* of Ludlow. m. his wife Alis,
 sons John & William, his sisters Johanna &
 Sibilla.
 (c.) 1442. *Johanna D (e).* m. her father John
 Hereford. D. 2. April.
 (c.) 1453. *Richard Dylowe* of Ludlow m. his wife Johan &
 Walter Dylowe.

(c) Will in Ludlow with Palmers' Guild Deeds.

(e) Illegible in Will through decay.

(g) Fine levied 44 Edw. III., between John Parys of Ludlow, plaintiff, and Roger de Ledeney and Dionisia his wife, deforciant, concerning land in Ludlow.

At an Inquis. Post Mortem taken on Philip Otteley, the 13 Hen. VI., John Parys sat as a juror.

(h) Fine levied 2 Edw. III., between Hugh Penymawe and Isolda his wife, plaintiff and Richard De Corve and Alice his wife, deforciant, concerning land in Ludlow.

(i) Fine levied 33 Edw. III., between John, son of John de Hereford of Ludlow, plaintiff, and Richard de Cleobury of Ludlow, deforciant, concerning land in Ludlow.

- (c.) 1481. *Nicholas Tresser* m. his wife Johan dau. Gylan.
son in law Rowland Symonds.
- (c.) 1499. *Thomas Furbour* of Ludlow, Baker. m. Sir Hum-
frey Blakebourne Parson of Ludlow. John
Nounce, John Pryce, Richard Bynge &c. D. 25
Jany.
- (c.) 15th Cent. (e) *Stephen Hugyns*. m. William his brother
& Alice his mother D. 15 May.
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- (c) Will in Ludlow with Palmers' Guild Deeds.
- (e) Illegible in Will through decay.

(To be continued.)

THE GUILDS OF SHREWSBURY.

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THE Guild of the Barber-Chirurgeons appears to have been a very comprehensive one, comprising not only Barbers and Perriwig-makers proper, but also Chirurgeons, or Surgeons, and Apothecaries—and eventually Wax and Tallow-Chandlers. Why these latter, it is difficult to determine, inasmuch as their association seems rather more with Grocers, &c. The Guild was very pertinacious of its rights and privileges, and especially strict in carrying out its laws and regulations, never permitting any freeman to cut hair or shave on Sunday. When the era of perriwigs ceased, valets and ladies' maids *presumed* to dress and cut their employers' hair, but the Guild speedily pounced upon such offenders, and compelled them to pay a fine or to become freemen. One of their functions was to "let blood" and draw teeth, and probably also to compound doses of medicine, and hence the Association of Surgeons and Apothecaries in the Guild, which continued until the recent legislation respecting the medical profession. The painted, striped, or filleted pole suspended outside their shops indicated their calling—the pole being that which the patient grasped firmly with his hand so as to cause the veins to fill with blood, and the coloured fillets representing the bandages to be applied to guard against too great an outflow of blood. Like all other Guilds, the first charter proves it to have been originally incorporated for religious purposes as well as trade.

Henricus Dei Gra' Rex Angliæ & Francie et Dominus Hib'nie
 Om'ib's ad quos p'sentes L're p'ven'ent salt'm Inspeximus
 quosdam Ordinac'oes & Constitu'coes Misteram Barbitonsorie
 infra Villam n'ram Salop' tangent' & concernent' p' Ric'm
 Burton, Will'm Barbour, Joh'em Baggeley, Joh'em Hadenale,
 Joh'em nup' s'vientem Joh'is Now Joh'em Chinaler & Ric'm
 Gambon' Mag'ros ejusdem Mistere infra eandem Villam f'cas
 & Sigillis eor'dem Ric'i, Willi', Joh'is, Joh'is, Joh'is
 & Ric'i, ac Sigillis Willi' Hord & Joh'is Shetton jun'. Ballivor'
 Ville n're necnon Sigillo officii Ballive ejusdem Ville sigillat'
 in hec Verba In the name of the Trinite and oure blessed
 Lady Seint Marie and all the holy Companie of Hevene
 Knownen be it to alle Men That Wee Richard Burton, William
 Barbor, John Baggeley, John Hadenale, John Now, late servant
 to John Chinaler, Richard Gambon' Maistres of the Craft of
 Barbours of the Tow' of Shrosbury to the Honour and
 Rev'ence of God and Increce of ye Light that is boren yearly
 in the heye and worthy ffest of Corpus X'ti Day ben fully
 agreed and assented of certain Ordinances and Constitutions
 touching ouresaid Crafte to be had holden and kept as wele
 uppon oure Partie during oure Lyves as on the partie of ev'y
 p'sone and alle the p'sones yat in tyme comyng shall succede
 after us usyng and occupyng the saide Crafte withinne the
 said Tow' of Shrosbury and the Franchise (yat is to say) That
 ther shall no mann' p'sone fro' this Day in Tyme comyng
 usyng or occupying the said Craft of Barbo' sette up nother
 holde no shoppe in Privite ny appert ny shave as a Maistre
 withinne the saide Tow' ny Franchise in to ye Tyme that ev'y
 such p'sone have the Wille and Assent of the Stywardes and
 Maistres of ye saide Crafte for ye tyme beyng, payng 3
 Marc of Money to ye saide Stywardes and Maistres at such
 Dayes as the Parties may accorde the which 3 Marc by the
 ov'sight and avys of the saide Stywardes and Maistres yerely
 and tyme by tyme shal be paiet for Wax to ye Encrese of ye
 saide Light on Corpus X'ti Day And yef it so be that any
 man' p'sone in Tyme comyng be mys gov'net or wilfullich
 Reule p'sume oppon him to use and occupie the saide Craft
 as Maister not paing as hit is aforesaide and refusyng to
 have the saide some of 3 Marc in ye Fourme aforesaide that
 thenne hit is lewfull to ye Stywardes and Maisters of the
 saide Crafte for ye Tyme beyng to take Goodes and Catel of
 ev'y such mys gov'ned p'sone to holde ye foresaide xls in
 Name of Distresse ad the saide Goodes and Catell to have
 in to ye Tyme that Gree and Paiement be maade as hit is
 aforesaide.

Also that no man' p'sone of ye saide Craft fro' this Day in Tymes comyng shave no Man prively ny appert on Sondays on payne of iij^s. iv^d. to the Encrease of ye sayde Light.

Also there shall no Broder yt is sworn unto ye sayd Craft, or Masters S'vnt or Prentyc induce or tyce any other Mastres Accostom for hym nether any Ma' for hym els under the Payne off fforfetyng iij^s iv^d to the Encrease off the sayde Lyght to be reisyd by the Stywarts of the sayd Craft off Barburs.

And also that noon of the saide Barbours that nowe be ny no other in Tyme comyng take oppon him to shave no man' of p'sone yat is Custymr by the Quarte' to eny other Maistre of the saide Craft in to Tyme yat the saide Custume' fully have content and paid the saide Barbour his due Quat'age and Sallarie yef he go fro him away unpaid to be paid oppon Peyne of a Pounce Wax to the Encrease of the saide Light for evy Defaute yat any of them in Tyme comyng duewly may be founde gilty.

And also yat noon of the saide Maistres that nowe be or in Tyme to come shall be shall make no Coven'ts with no man' p'sone by the Quarte' to shave lasse than iij^d on Payne of 2 Pounce Wax to be paid at evy Tyme that evy such p'sone may duely be founde gilty in Man' and Fourme aforesaide and reisonued forth with the saide stywardes.

Also that no maner p'son of ye said Craft in Tyme comyng absente him to come and to appere at c'tein Place and Houre be resonable Somence and Warnyng to him to be maade by the Stywardes of the said Crafte for the Tyme beyng withoute Cause reasonable oppon Payne of q lb Wax to be paid for evy such Defaute as hit is aforesaid.

Also yef any Hevynesse or Dissencion fall in Tyme comyng betwene any p'sone of ye same Craft as God defend that thenne the partie or parties so greved shal make her Complaint to the Stywards and Maistres of the saide Craft the which shull in hast possible and resonable Tretie betwix the saide Parties so greved and so putte hem to a finall and a trewe ende rightfully and reasonable without Favo' shewyng to any Partie And yef any p'sone or p'sons of the saide Craft in Tyme comyng seche any Mainten'nce or any Complaint make as for any Offence or Dissencion to be doon or had betwix hem or eny of hem to any man' p'sone or p'sons but only to the Stywardes and Maistres of the saide Crafte as hit is aforesaide that thenne evy such p'sone shall pay ij lb Wax in man' and Fourme aforesaide at evy Tyme yat any such p'sone may be found gilty.

Also yat ther shall no Maistre of Barbor' Craft withinne ye Tow' of Shrosbury ny withinne the Franchise of ye said Towne techen he ny no Man for him no man' Man his Craft for Mede ny Huyre ny Cosinage ny Alliannee ny Brocage ny in no maner kynde but yef he be bounde p'intys seven years by Endenture of Coven't ensealet to that same Man yat he is bounde to And yef he be founde in this Defaute he shall paye xiijs iiij^d to ye saide Light and to the saide Maistres abovesaide in the man' and Fourme aforsaid to be arered that on half to the Bailiffs of ye saide Tow' for the Tyme beyng and that o' halfe to the saide Light.

And also that there shall no Maistre of the saide Craft *Worchen occupien* ny huyre ny resceive no mannes S'vant ny his Pr'tis of ye same Craft . . . on lasse thenne he have made a full Ende with his Maistre yat . . . he hath s'ved and have full Leve to go where hym lust on Payne of vjs viij^d for to be reiced in ye man' and f'ome aforsaide.

Also yat there shall no Maistre of ye saide Craft go away ny leven ny hym absenten' fro ye Light abovesaide in ffyndeing of ye saide Light on lasse thenne he have Leve of ye Maiste' of ye same Crafte in Peyne of vjs viij^d to be reiced by ye Stiwardes and Maistors of ye same Crafte that oon half to ye Baillifs of ye saide Tow' for ye Tyme beyng and yat other half to the Light.

And also that all ye Maistres yat nowe be of ye said Craft and all thoo yat in Tyme comyng shall be Maistres of ye saide Craft shall be swore oppon a Booke duely and trewly to observe kepe and execute all thees Articles and Ordinaunces aforsaide for ev'more In Witnesse of this saide Ordn'unce the Bailiffs of ye same Tow' that is to say William Hord and John Shetton yongre at the usual Prayer and Requeste of ye p'sons aforsaide have sette the seale of her office And We the forsaide Richard Burton William Barbour John Baggeley John Hadenale John su'tyme S'vant to John Chinaler Richard Gambon' to this p'sente have set on oure Seals Writen at Shrosbury in the ffest of Seynt Agath Virgine in the Yere of the Regne of oure Kyng Henry the vjth after the Conquest xth Et hoc omnib' quor' p' p'sentes In cujus rei Testimonium has L'ras n'ras fidei fecimus patentes Teste me ip'o apud Westm' quintodecimo Die Septembr anno Regni n'ri Decimo nono.

STOPYNDON.

To all Xtian people to whom this present writeing shall come or it shall see read or understand The Maior Aldermen and Assistants of the Towne of Shrewsbury in the Countie of Sallop

senden greeteing in our Lord God everlasting. Whereas it manifestly appeareth unto us by viewe and sight of ancient records and diverse and sundry compositions constitutions and ordinances in writeing heretofore had made and granted by our p'decessors Bailiffes of the said Towne under their seale of office to the Brotherhood and fellowship of Barbor Surgions Waxehandlers and tallowchandlers wthin the Towne franchess and liberties aforesaid that they have bin united remaying continuing abiding and agreeing in one fellowship and company wthin the Towne franchess and liberties aforesaid for the time whereof the memory of man is not to the contrary, And that by reason of which composic'ons constitutions and ordinances greate quiettness and tranquillitie amongst the Combrethren of the said fellowship and company and to us and our p'decessors hath continued touching the Governm^t of themselves And whereas now the said Brotherhood and fellowship have agreed wth Thomas Felton John Hoggins, Edward Browne now beinge and exercisinge the trade or misterie of Apothecaries wthin the said Towne and that they and all such others as hereafter shalbe and serve out their Apprentiships wthin the said Towne in and to the said trade or misterie of Apothecaries and which shalbe made free wthin the said Towne to exercise that trade or misterie shall from henceforth and forever be taken into and united to the said brotherhood and fellowship of Barbor Surgions, wax and tallow chandlers have now elected and admitted into their said fellowship the said Apothecaries w^{ch} we the said Maior Aldermen and Assistants doe by these p'sents approve ratifie and confirme And yett forasmuch as it appeareth by the said composi'cons and alsoe thought by the Combrethren of the said fellowship and company that some of the articles in the said writeings and composi'cons be superstitious and not agreeable to the Kings Ma^{ties} Lawes and alsoe some articles wanting thirein which be necessary to be had and used, For the reforma'con whereof and the establishm^t of good and laudable orders to be had amongst them the said now Brotherhood of Barbor Surgions wax chandlers tallow chandlers and Apothecaries to the honour and glory of God and increase of good love and politique Governm^t in the same fellowship at and upon the humble suite and request to us made by the Combrethren of the said fellowship and company in that behalfe Know yee that we the said Maior Aldermen and Assistants of the Towne of Shrewsbury have concluded upon the behalfe of Barbor Surgions wax chandlers tallow chandlers and Apothecaries for good order tranquillitie and com'on wealth of the said trades

misteries and occupac'ons and not only for themselves that now be but alsoe that the said conclusion and order is and shalbe to knowe a due order from henceforth to be kept amongst the said occupac'ons and misteries of the same And alsoe for their successors that hereafter shall use and exercise the said crafts and misteries for ever The said Brotherhood and fellowship be agreed that they and their successors shall observe and keepe these orders and provisions following:—

Imprimis It is ordered assented and agreed unto that the Wardens for the time being or their Deputies for the time being cause the whole fellowship or the Combrethren of the said Company by their Stewards for the time being or their Deputies to meete wth the said Wardens for the time being or their deputies at the accustomed place or such other place or places wthin the said Towne as by the Wardens shalbe thought fitt and convenient at and upon the Thursday yearely for ever next after Trinitie Sunday at which time and place two of the discreetest persons of the said Company inhabiting wthin the said Towne or the suburbs thereof which have not bin Wardens of the said Company of three yeares before shalbe yearely elected and nominated by the ould Wardens to be newe Wardens of the said company for the yeare following as they have bin used to be chosen And that none of the said Combrethren shalbe elected Warden or Wardens of the said fellowship wth hath not served the office of Steward of the said Company unless he have formely borne the office of Warden or have bin one of the Assistants of the said Company which two new Wardens and the two Assistants hereafter menc'oned shalbe yearely wthin ten daies after their election sworne upon the Holy Evangelists for the true and faithfull executeing and performing of their severall offices according to the true entent and meaning of this Composic'on and of all and singular articles and agreem^{ts} herein expressed and declared.

And that the new Wardens and either of them see newly chosen as aforesaid shall according to the ancient custome upon the same day time and place nominate make and appoint two of the said fellowship then inhab'ting and abideing wthin the Towne of Shrewsbury or the suburbs thereof to be Stewards of the said fellowship for the yeare following (*videl't*) each Warden one for which Stewards the Wardens that make and choose of them shall stand chardgeable to the said Company for all such somes of money gages distresses debts and specialties due and belonging to the said Company wth the said Stewards or either of them by the com'and of the said Wardens shall extract leavy receive and gather by distresse or

otherwise by virtue of this composic'on And that the Stewards soe nominated and chosen shalbe during the said time of their office at the comandment of the said Wardens for the time being or of their deputies to give sum'ons to the said Combrethren and freemen of the said fellowship for their assembling and meeteing togeather about such business and causes as shall touch or concerne the said Company at such places and times as they shalbe com'anded by the Wardens for the time being and report the said sum'ons to the Wardens.

Item that noe person or persons that is not a Barbor Surgion wax chandler tallow chandler or Apothecarie his Journeyman or Journeymen nor his Apprentice from henceforth shall make or cause to be made any tallow candles to sell wthin the said Towne and liberties of the same unless he compound and agree wth the brethren of the Barbor Surgions, wax chandlers tallow chandlers and Apothecaries.

Item that noe tallow chandler their Journeyman nor Apprentices nor the Journeymen or Apprentices of any of them nor any other person or persons shall from henceforth make or cause to be made or use any thing belonging to the said Barbor Surgions, wax chandlers and Apothecaries wthin the said Towne nor the liberties of the same unless he doe compound and agree wth the said Brethren of Barbor Surgions wax chandlers and Apothecaries.

Item that noe man'er of person from this day comeing which hath not served his Apprenticeship in the said Towne to some maister useing or occupieing of the crafts and misteries of Barbor Surgions wax chandlers tallow chandlers and Apothecaries shall sett up nor hould any shop in private or openly as a maister wthin the said Towne or Franchess until the time that every such person have the wills and assents of the maisters and wardens of the said Occupac'ons for the time being wthout paieing five pounds to the said maisters and wardens at such daies as the said parties shall accord.

Item if any man'er of person in time comeing shall willfully pr'sume to use and occupie the said crafts of Barbor Surgions wax chandlers tallow chandlers or Apothecaries or any of them not paying as is aforesaid and refusing to pay the said som'e of five pounds in forme aforesaid That then it shalbe lawful to the maister and Wardens of the said Company for the time to take a resonable distress of the goods and cattells of every such unruly person by their Stewards in the name of distress and the same goods and cattells to keepe till they agree and paym^t be made as is aforesaid.

Item that noe man'er of persons of the said crafts misteries or

occupac'ons of Barbor Surgions wax chandlers tallow chandlers and Apothecaries in time comeing absent him to come or to appeare at a certaine place upon sum'ons and warning to him to be made by the stewards of the said crafts misteries and occupac'ons of Barbor Surgions, wax chandlers tallow chandlers and Apothecaries for the time being wthout cause, resonable or lawfull upon peine of two shillings and six pence for every such default.

Item every master of the said fellowship and company shalbe true contributor to all man'er of chardges and expences touching or concerning the said Company to or wth the residue of the Combrethren of the said fellowship upon peine to forfeite three shillings fower pence besides his chardge of contribution.

Item that noe maister of the said Company shall receive or take any apprentice for any lesse terme than seaven yeares upon paine to forfeite for every apprentice to be taken to the contrary fortie shillings of lawfull money of England.

Item that noe man'er of person of the said craft or misterie of a Barbor Surgion shall shave any man privately or openly upon Sundaies upon paine of three shillings fower pence to be paid to the said maisters or wardens.

Item that noe Brother nor any servant or apprentice induce or entice any other maisters customer from him nor any man for him by his meanes or procurem^t under the paine of three shillings fower pence to be raised by the maisters and wardens of the said craftes or Stewards of the same by their com'and.

Item that noe maister of the said crafts or misteries wthin the said Towne or Franchess thereof nor noe man for him shall teach or cause to be taught any man'er of person but such as is bound apprentice by Indenture of apprenticeship sealed and delivered to the same man as he is bound to. And if any be found in this defalt he shall pay thirteene shillings and fower pence to the said Wardens and maisters in man'er and forme aforesaid.

Item it is agreed condescended and concluded among the said occupac'ons that all the maisters that now be of the said crafts and all those that in time comeing shalbe masters of the said crafts shall be sworne upon a booke before the Wardens of the said Company duely and truely to observe keepe and execute all these articles and ordinances for evermore.

Item it is agreed condescended and concluded among the said occupac'ons that the Stewards shall goe as oftentimes as it shalbe thought necessary by the said occupac'ons or by the Maior and Justices of the said Towne and liberties to every brothers house that maketh any tallow candles to view and

see that there be good and lawfull stuffe both of week and tallow putt in the said candles putt to sale or to be putt to sale.

Item if any Apprentice of the said Company and fellowship doe depart or steale from his master's service wthin the terme of his apprentishipp that such apprentice shall loose his freedome and never after be receaved into the said Company otherwise than as a Foreigner.

Item it is agreed condescended and concluded among the said occupac'ons that every brother of the said Company and fellowship beare and susteyne togeather as one whole occupac'on all man'er of chardges and customes belonging to the Kings Ma^{tie} the Maior and his Brethren of the said Towne and his and their successors as the said occupac'ons have done and used customably to doe before this time and that time out of mind.

Item that the Towne and liberties may be dayly served the better according it is agreed betwix ye Maior of the said Towne and his Brethren and the said Barbor Surgions wax and tallow chandlers and Apothecaries. It is agreed and granted unto the said occupac'ons by the whole consent of the said Maior and his Brethren That from henceforth there shall noe man'er of person or persons exercise use or sell any tallow candles wthin the said Towne and liberties of the same unless he or they w^{ch} shall soe use exercise make or sell any candles be admitted to the Franchess and alsoe after his said admittance have compounded or agreed with the said occupac'ons upon paine of forfeite to the said occupac'ons their stuffe made and putt to sale.

Item it is ordered that every master of the said Company when he taketh an Apprentice shall cause an entry thereof to be made into a booke of entries of the said Company for which entry there shalbe paid two shillings and six pence to the use of the said Company. And that every such apprentice at his being made a freeman of the said Company shall pay twentie shillings to the use of the said Company if a Foreigners sonne if a freeman's sonne but two shillings and sixpence and thereupon to have an entry made of his freedome in the said booke. In witness whereof to all and singular the premises we have caused the com'on seale of the said Towne to be putt the

day of
in the fowerteenth

 yeare of the Raigne of our Sovereigne Lord Charles the Second by the Grace of God of England Scotland France and Ireland King Defender of the Faith &c and in the yeare of our Lord one thousand six hundred sixtie and two.

To all to whom these Presents shall come Thomas Whittingham, Samuel Jones, John Lloyd, William Lloyd, John Owen, Joseph Heyward senior, Joseph Hayward junior, James Bennett, Samuel Washington, William Purslow, Charles Edwards, Joseph Chilton, William Hulme, William Gower, John Nightingale, Richard Lowe, Andrew Hinley, John Dibben, Joseph Barkley, William Warter, and William Clemson, all of the Town of Shrewsbury in the County of Salop, Peruke Makers and Hair dressers send greeting.

Whereas the practice of exercising our respective Trades and callings upon the Lords Day commonly called Sunday is not only a Profanation of that Holy Sabbath, but contrary to Law and being desirous as far as in us lies to prevent such Practices in future have unanimously resolved to discontinue the same and to bind ourselves mutually each to the other in the Penalty hereinafter mentioned in case of any Breach or Nonperformance of the Covenants hereinafter inserted for that purpose Now therefore these presents witness and we the s^d &c do hereby for ourselves severally and respectively and not jointly covenant that we will not hereafter directly or indirectly by ourselves journeymen or apprentices exercise our respective callings on the Lords Day on any pretence whatsoever.

Penalty for Breach £5—to be recovered by the Wardens of the C^o of Barbers &c in the Town Court of Shrewsbury—£4 of which shall be applied to the use and benefit of the Company in their Corporate Capacity and one pound to the Informer. No action until after 14 days notice in writing—nor after tender of penalty—and every action brought within one calendar month next after complaint. No objection to be raised to witnesses by reason of interest in penalty.

Signed and sealed by all the above (except Barkley Warter & Clemson who never signed) in the presence of two Witnesses. Aug. 1787.

BARBOR CHIRURGIIONS.

John Bowers
Richard Leather
William Blakeway
John Phillips
John Shelvocke
Thomas Hill
Thomas Chesheire
Thomas Trigg
Thomas Bowers
Robert Corser

Rowland Grinsell
Charles Brodhurst
William Clemson
Francis James
Moses Holebrooke
George Jones
Thomas Treavenor
John Wright
Richard Bott
Charles Shelvocke

Edward Wood		Andrew Ramsden	
Robert Oakeford		Edward Smith	
Stephen Gorton		William Wolly	
Andrew Baylye			
Jan. 8. 1675	Humphrey Hodgis	...	10 0 0
Jan. 7. 1674	Daniel Sunderland	...	10 0 0
Jan. 6. 1675	Robert Austin eldest s. of a barbor surgion ¹	...	
May 25. 1676	Henry Corser eldest s. of his father	...	
May 25. 1676	Richard Phillips eldest s. of his father	...	
	deceased	...	
Feb. 27. 1676	Thomas Collins	...	
Feb. 27. 1676	William Creswell	...	
June 24. 1677	Richard Ridley	...	
July 16. 1679	William Wartar	...	
June 15. 1681	John Lownes	...	
June 15. 1681	Cotton Needham	...	
Jan. 8. 1684	Philip Bowdeler	...	
May 26. 1687	Edward Nickolls	...	
May 26. 1687	Peter James eldest s. of his father	...	
May 26. 1687	Richard Phillips eldest s. of his father	...	
Sep. 8. 1688	Richard Smith	...	10 0 0
Jan. 9. 1688	Richard Clarke	...	
June 23. 1691	Daniel Clemson	...	
Jan. 8. 1691	John Grinsell eldest s. of a freeman	...	
Jan. 8. 1694	John Taylor	s.s.	...
Jan. 8. 1694	Samuel Harpar	s.s.	...
June 11. 1696	Thomas Clarke	s.s.	...
Dec. 8. 1696	William Woosull	s.s.	...
Jan. 7. 1696	Robert Gorton ²	s.s.	...
Jan. 6. 1697	Thomas Clemson	s.s.	...
Jan. 23. 1699	Thomas Smith	s.s.	...
Jan. 23. 1699	John Taylour	d.s.	...
Feb. 4. 1700	William Coxo	d.s.	...
Jan. 26. 1701	Samuel Clemson	d.s.	...
Jan. 26. 1701	Richard Wilding	d.s.	...
Jan. 26. 1701	John Gorton	d.s.	...
Jan. 7. 1702	William Somerfield	d.s.	...
June 23. 1704	Charles Fosbrooke ³	d.s.	...
June 23. 1704	Foster Phillips	d.s.	...
June 15. 1704	Thomas Davies ⁴	d.s.	...
June 14. 1705	Nathaniel Jonson ^{3 4}	d.s.	...

¹ Paid to the use of the Co. 2 quarts of French wine 6d. to the Steward and 4d. to the Clerk wh. is all that can be demanded of the eldest son of a Barbor Chirurgeon.

² From this date it is called the trade of a "Barber Chyrurgeon and Perriwig maker."

³ Not to take any apprentice until he attain the age of four and twenty.

⁴ Nor Journeyman.

June 16. 1708	James Rhodes	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
June 30. 1709	Thomas Payton	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
Feb. 16. 170 ⁹ ₁₀	Walter Peake ¹	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
Jan. 9. 1710	David Roberts	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
June 7. 1711	Samuel Wilding	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
Jan. 11. 171 ¹ ₂	Robert Morgan	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
June 20. 1712	Robert Easthop	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
June 12. 1713	Thomas Barrett	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
June 12. 1713	Joseph Hussey	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
June 8. 1714	William Austin	<i>s.s.</i>	...	...
Jan. 16. 1715	Thomas Stanley	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
Jan. 16. 1715	Thomas Scrivener	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
Jan. 16. 1715	Samuel Downes	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
July 1. 1717	Richard Ridley	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
Jan. 9. 1717	Ralph Wattars	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
June 19. 1718	Joseph Williams	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
Jan. 20. 171 ⁸ ₉	John Burly	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
Jan. 14. 171 ⁹ ₁₀	William Warter jun ^r	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
Jan. 12. 172 ⁹ ₁	Richard Lorgrave	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
Jan. 12. 172 ⁹ ₁	Thomas Warter	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
Jan. 11. 1721	Francis Evans	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
Mar. 19. 172 ¹ ₂	Richard Davis	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
May 31. 1722	Nicholas Cooke	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
Jan. 9. 1723	Richard Clarke	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
Jan. 19. 1724	William Cope	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
June 17. 1726	Edward Cooke	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
June 17. 1726	Edward Jonson	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
June 17. 1726	Corbet Price	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
Oct. 21. 1726	James Wicksteed	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
July 2. 1728	Abraham Lyte	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
Jan. 17. 172 ⁸ ₉	Robert Heath	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
Jan. 17. 172 ⁸ ₉	John Phillips	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
June 11. 1729	John Austin	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
June 11. 1729	Theophilus Dod	<i>d.s.</i>	...	...
Jan. 15. 1729	Robert Harper	...	...	..
Jan. 15. 1729	John Fardoe	...	...	...
Jan. 15. 1729	William Cleaton	...	...	...
Jan. 14. 1730	William Oswell	...	...	...
Jan. 14. 1730	Richard Taylor	...	...	...
Jan. 14. 1730	Richard Harrison	...	...	...
Jan. 19. 1731	James Rhodes	...	...	...
Jan. 19. 1731	Benjamin Sockell	...	...	...
Jan. 19. 1731	Richard Phillips jun...	...	...	...
July 13. 1732	Thomas Picken	...	...	...
July 13. 1732	Atkins Whittingham	...	...	...
Jan. 16. 1732	John Davies	...	...	...

¹ Oath now first mentioned as taken before the Mayor of Shrewsbury.

Aug. 14. 1788	William Cotton	...	...	...
Jan. 16. 1788	Job Brown	...	...	...
Jan. 16. 1788	John Farrington	...	...	...
Jan. 16. 1788	Thomas Bennett	...	...	...
Jan. 2. 1784	Richard Briscoe	...	...	...
June 5. 1785	John Hall...	...	...	...
July 10. 1786	John Allett	...	...	...
Feb. 14. 1787	Samuel Miller	...	...	...
Feb. 26. 1789	Andrew Downes	...	...	...
Feb. 26. 1789	Edwasd Payton	...	...	...
Feb. 26. 1789	Richard Painter	...	...	...
Feb. 26. 1789	Francis Ball	...	...	...
May 28. 1741	William Warter	...	...	...
May 28. 1741	William Downes	...	...	...
June 8. 1741	George Steen	...	...	...
June 8. 1741	John Ralphes	...	...	...
Jan. 29. 1741	Thomas Phillips foreigner	...	...	...
Jan. 4. 1741	Richard Davis	...	...	...	20	0	0
June 28. 1744	Thomas Davies eldest s. of a freeman	...	...	...	0	3	6
June 2. 1745	William Watkis	...	...	...	1	3	6
April 30. 1746	Edward Edwards	...	...	...	1	3	6
June 4. 1746	Samuel Antelett	...	...	...	1	3	6
Jan. 23. 1746	Thomas Mansell	...	...	...	1	3	6
Jan. 23. 1746	John Warter eldest s. of a freeman	...	...	...	0	3	6
June 19. 1750	Richard Ravens	...	...	...	1	3	6
June 19. 1750	Edmund Hussey	...	...	...	1	3	6
June 19. 1750	Joseph Hayward	...	...	...	1	3	6
July 24. 1751	Joseph Barkley	...	...	...	1	3	6
July 9. 1752	Charles Peake	...	...	...
Jan. 8. 1753	Ellis Jones	...	...	...
Jan. 8. 1753	William Clemson eldest s. of Sam ^l Clemson	...	...	...	0	3	4
Jan. 8. 1753	William Easthope	...	...	...
July 9. 1753	Edmund Brown	...	...	...
Aug. 20. 1753	Samuel Williams eldest s. of Joseph Williams	...	...	...	0	3	4
June 3. 1755	William Reynolds	...	...	...	1	13	6
June 3. 1755	Thomas Owen	...	...	...
May 25. 1769	James Bennett	...	...	...
June 26. 1756	John Lloyd foreigner	...	...	...
Aug. 10. 1759	John Trevor	...	...	...	10	0	0
Jan. 26. 1761	William Brown	...	...	...
Jan. 26. 1761	Andrew Hindley	...	...	...
July 1. 1761	William Ashford foreigner	...	...	...	1	3	6
Mar. 1. 1763	Thomas Jones	...	...	...	10	0	0
May 3. 1763	Edward Peake eldest s. of a freeman	...	...	...	0	3	6
Jan. 12. 1764	John Nightingale	...	...	...
June 18. 1772	Joseph Walter	...	...	...
Jan. 10. 1765	William Jones	...	...	...
Feb. 4. 1766	Benjamin Bennett adm.	...	...	...

Jan. 7. 1773	Richard Lyth eldest s. of a freeman	...	...	...
May 25. 1769	James Bennett	...	...	...	1	3	6
Jan. 19. 1773	Samuel Washington...	...	...	...
Jan. 19. 1773	Benjamin Bennett see above sw.	...	...	...
July 22. 1773	James Painter adm. Jan. 15. 1767 eldest s. of freeman	...	...	...
July 22. 1773	John Manley	...	...	...	1	1	4
July 22. 1773	Charles Edwards	...	...	...	1	1	4
July 22. 1773	John Williams	...	...	...	1	1	4
June 2. 1774	Thomas Ball eldest s. of a freeman	...	...	...
Jan. 5. 1775	Richard Davies	...	...	...
Jan. 5. 1775	John Owen	...	...	...
Jan. 5. 1776	Richard Lowe	...	...	...	1	1	4
Jan. 12. 1776	James Pinches	...	...	...
Jan. 26. 1776	Thomas Payton	...	...	...
Jan. 26. 1776	George Llewellyn	...	...	...
Jan. 7. 1779	William Lloyd	...	...	...
June 3. 1779	James Brown	...	...	...
May 25. 1780	John Tipton	...	...	...
May 25. 1780	Samuel Jones	...	...	...
May 25. 1780	Joseph Chilton	...	...	...
May 25. 1780	Francis Tipton	...	...	...
July 10. 1780	Thomas Whittingham	...	...	...
July 10. 1780	Thomas Pinches	...	...	...
July 10. 1780	John Owen	...	...	...
April 11. 1788	Edward Payton eldest s. of a freeman	...	...	...
April 11. 1783	William Purslow	...	...	...
June 9. 1785	William Gower	...	...	...	10	0	0
June 27. 1786	James Lloyd foreigner	...	...	...
June 27. 1786	William Hulme	...	...	...
May 1. 1787	Joseph Hayward jun ^r appr.	...	...	...	5	0	0
April 8. 1788	Samuel Bowdler foreigner	...	...	...
June 3. 1788	James Bennett	...	...	...
May 13. 1789	William Carden appr.	...	...	...
Feb. 17. 1789	Richard Skrymsner appr.	...	...	...	10	0	0
Jan. 7. 1790	Thomas Littler foreigner	...	...	...
June 7. 1791	Thomas Littler	...	...	...	10	0	0
June 7. 1791	Thomas Abley foreigner	...	...	...
July 5. 1791	Thomas Whittingham jun ^r eldest s. of a freeman	...	...	...	0	12	6
July 5. 1791	Samuel Hayward	...	...	...
July 5. 1791	John Nightingale R	...	...	...	10	0	0
Feb. 10. 1791	Joseph Hulme	...	...	...	1	16	1
June 19. 1791	Thomas Thomas R appr	...	...	...	1	16	1
June 11. 1793	Tobias Roberts R appr	...	...	...
Jan. 20. 1795	Charles Hurlston Edwards eldest s. of a freeman			
June 4. 1795	Thomas Edwards appr			

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Feb. 16. 1796	Benjamin Careswell	R	appr	foreigner	10	0	0
	1796 William Nightingale	R	1	16	1
Aug. 16. 1796	John Haynes	...	...	...	1	16	1
June 27. 1797	John Gittins	foreigner	...	...	10	0	0
June 19. 1798	George Millward	appr	...	...	1	16	1
June 19. 1798	John Ford	foreigner	...	...	10	0	0
June 28. 1801	William Brunsdon	...	...	...	1	16	1
June 28. 1808	Thomas Ball	appr	...	...	...	...	...
July 31. 1810	Edward Hulme	...	...	...	...	...	...
June 9. 1812	Richard Philpot	R...	...	...	...	...	...
June 9. 1812	Thomas Bowdler	R	...	...	...	...	...
June 29. 1813	John Price	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mar. 18. 1815	Arthur Pyke	R	...	...	...	...	...
June 6. 1826	Samuel Hulme	R	...	...	...	...	...
June 6. 1826	Thomas Botwood	R	foreigner	...	10	0	0
June 26. 1827	John Corbett	Hulme	R	...	...	...	...
July 24. 1827	Richard Morris	R	foreigner	...	...	...	...
June 27. 1828	John Frail	R	appr	...	2	15	1
June 30. 1829	John Ryder	R	...	...	...	...	...
Sep. 11. 1829	William Chilton	R...	...	...	...	...	...
June 30. 1833	John Thomas	Nightingale	R	...	...	...	...
Oct. 20. 1789	William Carden	...	...	...	...	...	...

CHANDLERS.

Daniel Brigdale.
Roger Brigdale.
Roger Juckes.
Arthur Bates.

William Finch.
John Bridgdale.
Timothy Seymore.
James Symonds.

Jan. 6. 1675	Samuel Hinde	foreigner	...	...	10	0	0
July 16. 1679	William Farmer	foreigner	...	...	10	0	0
Jan. 14. 1679	John Jennings	...	...	...	1	0	0
June 10. 1686	John Buckeridge	...	...	...	...	...	...
June 20. 1688	Thomas Crachley	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jan. 8. 1690	William Cowkley	...	...	...	...	...	...
June 7. 1694	Edward Hanwood	foreigner	...	...	10	0	0
Jan. 3. 1694	Edward Cartar	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jan. 7. 1696	Timothy Seymour	appr. unexpired	...	...	4	4	0
Jan. 6. 1697	Matthew Travers	ditto	...	...	5	0	0
Aug. 9. 1698	John Farmour	...	...	...	...	...	...
May 16. 1700	John Mouseley	appr. unexpired	...	...	6	0	0
June 14. 1705	John Faulknar	...	...	...	...	...	...
June 30. 1709	Thomas Tompson	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jan. 12. 1713	Bazel Wood	...	...	...	...	...	...
June 21. 1720	John Gittins	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jan. 24. 1720	John Simmonds.	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jan. 19. 1724	Thomas Downes	...	...	...	...	...	...
June 3. 1725	William Farmer	jun.	...	...	...	...	...

Nov. 7. 1726	Edward Tipton	...	...	...
June 9. 1727	John Farmar	...	...	...
June 18. 1729	John Travers	...	...	...
Jan. 14. 1730	Richard Harrison	...	...	...
Jan. 18. 1732	John Spencer	...	...	...
June 21. 1734	William Prichard foreigner	...	...	...	10	0	0
Jan. 2. 1734	Joseph Hughes	...	...	...
June 10. 1735	John Farmer	...	...	...
June 17. 1737	Edward Tonge	...	...	...
June 17. 1737	William Thomas	...	...	...
Sep. 6. 1739	John Nickols	...	...	...
July 1. 1740	Richard Groome	...	...	...	1	3	6
Jan. 23. 1746	Edward Soldin	...	...	...	10	0	0
Jan. 23. 1747	James Hughes foreigner	...	...	...
July 9. 1753	Samuel Fawkener	...	...	...
Jan. 25. 1754	John Spencer son of John Spencer	...	...	...	3	3	0
June 9. 1757	Nathaniel Lawson foreigner no indenture.	...	...	...	0	3	6
June 26. 1758	Edward Tipton eldest s. of Edwa Tipton...	...	...	...	1	3	6
March 1. 1763	Thomas Jones	...	...	...
Jan. 17. 1766	Edward Tonge	...	...	...
Jan. 17. 1766	Robert Tonge	...	...	...	5	0	0
June 28. 1770	Corbett Walton	...	...	...
Jan. 8. 1778	John Hughes	...	...	...
June 18. 1778	Samuel Fawkner	...	...	...
June 18. 1778	Richard Bratton R	...	...	...
June 27. 1786	James Lloyd	...	...	...
June 27. 1786	William Hulme	...	...	...
Jan. 4. 1787	Joseph Lawson	...	...	...
Jan. 20. 1795	John Oakley appr.	...	...	...	10	0	0
Jan. 16. 1800	David Morgan foreigner	...	...	...	2	0	4
Jan. 12. 1801	Peter Walton appr.	...	...	...	10	0	0
June 6. 1815	John Drury R foreigner	...	...	...
June 17. 1817	Samuel Asterley R	...	...	...
June 9. 1818	Thomas Humphreys	...	...	...
Aug. 3. 1819	Richard Jones	...	...	...
June 13. 1822	Owen Jones R foreigner	...	...	...
June 6. 1826	Samuel Heath R	...	...	...
June 18. 1822	John Bromley R appr	...	...	...	10	0	0
Jan. 30. 1764	Betton Watkins	...	...	...
Jan. 2. 1783	John Mansfield	...	...	...

APOTHECARIES.

	Edward Browne						
	John Hoggins						
	Thomas Wall.						
	Thomas Hoggins						
Jan. 6. 1675	John Edwine	...	...	...	1	0	0
May 26. 1687	James Mollins	...	...	...

June 11. 1696	Richard Berrington	...	...	...
June 16. 1708	Henry Dowdswell	...	...	...
June 19. 1723	Thomas Griffiths	...	...	...
July 13. 1732	Thomas Berrington	...	...	...
Oct. 15. 1742	William Sanford	...	...	...	1	3	6
June 28. 1770	John Wynne	...	...	...	10	0	0
May 30. 1771	Thomas Bromfield	...	...	...	10	0	0
Jan. 7. 1773	Thomas Cambell Crofts	...	...	...	5	0	0
June 19. 1791	John Douston	...	...	...
June 11. 1793	John Bythel	...	...	...
June 13. 1809	Robert Blunt	R	chemist & druggist	...			
May 26. 1815	David Davies	do.	...	...	
May 28. 1752	Edmund Brown	do.	...	...	10	10	0
July 9. 1816	Richard Briscoe	R	do.	...			

COMBMAKER.

William Browne.

APPRENTICES.

Date of Appra.		Masters.
Mar. 29. 1737	Alline Pigon	Abram Lyth barber
Mar. 16. 1738	John Colefax	Ralph Waters barber
June 2. 1738	James Jones	Francis Evans barber
Sep. 6. 1739	John Warter	his father Thomas Warter barber
Dec. 25. 1739	William Payton	his father Thomas Payton
Mar. 25. 1740	John Spencer jun ^r	his father . . . Spencer tallow chandler
Feb. 9. 1747	Edwa Griffiths	John Ralphs barber
Sep. 14. 1747	George Kyffin	Job Brown barber
Feb. 14. 1754	Samuel Beadworth	Edmund Hussey barber
Mar. 11. 1752	Thomas Hughes	James Wickstead barber
Mar. 8. 1741	Joseph Hayward	Benjamin Sockett barber
June 24. 1742	John Fox	John Hill barber
Jan. 2. 1743	Charles Peak	John Davies barber
Jan. 12. 1743	William Clemson	James Wickstead barber
Sep. 22. 1743	James Jones	late Francis Evans barber decd turned over to Tho ^s Warter
June 4. 1744	Edward Tipton s. of	Edward Tipton chandler
Feb. 23. 1744	William Jones s. of Edw ^d	to Rich ^d Clarke barber
Jan. 1. 1753	Edward Wikey	Edward Tonge chandler
May 28. 1758	Robert s. of Edw ^d Tonge	to his father chandler
Feb. 25. 1745	Thomas Evans	Edward Cook barber
Mar. 25. 1745	John Waters	Ralph Waters barber
Mar. 25. 1745	Richard Green	his father Rich ^d Green chandler
June 13. 1745	William Hopton	William Warter barber

Date of Appre.		Masters.
July 29. 1745	John Fox	John Hall barber turned over to Ralph Waters.
July 18. 1768	David Roberts s. of David Roberts	William Browne barber
Aug. 18. 1769	John Barron	And ^w Hinley barber
May 13. 1771	Thomas Kinnerley	} Charles Edwards barber (June 3. 1788 only served 5 years freedom refused)
Feb. 25. 1778	Michael Williams	
Aug. 21. 1745	James Akin appr.	Benj ⁿ Sockett barber
Aug. 25. 1745	Edwd s. of Abram Lyth	to his father barber
Oct. 8. 1745	Ellis Jones	to Thomas Warter barber
Feb. 2. 1745	John Hanmer	to Ralph Waters barber
Jan. 8. 1746	Richard Lyth	to his father Abraham Lyth barber
June 15. 1744	Richard Williams	to Thomas Davies barber
Jan. 6. 174 ²	James Davis	to Richard Davis jun ^r barber
Jan. 6. 174 ²	John Davis	to his father Richard Davis barber
Jan. 5. 1747	Samuel Griffiths	to Wm Watkis barber
June 18. 1747	John Davis	to his father John Davis barber
Oct. 6. 1748	Edward Jones Wall	to Thomas Warter barber
May 1. 1748	William Reynolds	to Thomas Mansell barber
July 2. 1748	John Farmer eldest s of	late John Farmer chandler
Jan. 23. 174 ⁸	John Trevor	to Richard Clarke barber
Mar. 10. 1749	Benjamin Bennett	to Richard Painter barber
Jan. 1. 174 ²	Samuel Saas	to James Hughes chandler
Jan. 3. 1749	Nicholas Roe	to John Davies barber
Jan. 2. 1749	John Good	to Wm Warter barber
Mar. 25. 1751	John Griffis	to his father Tho ^s Griffis apothecary
May 10. 1750	Robt Jones	to Richard Raven barber
Oct. 28. 1750	Philip Worrall	to Joseph Hayward barber
Jan. 4. 1758	James Painter	to his father Rich ^d Painter barber
Apr. 10. 1753	William Rogers	to Richard Painter barber
June 21. 1753	Thomas Ball	to his father Francis Ball barber
Mar. 25. 1752	Samuel Hindley	to Benj ⁿ Sockett barber
Mar. 11. 1752	John Tipton	to his father Edw ^d Tipton chandler
April 16. 1753	John Wildblood s. of John Wildblood	to Ralph Waters barber
July 17. 1753	John Storey	to Wm Easthop barber turned over to Ralph Waters May 7. 1755.
July 6. 1754	Owen Ellis	to Thomas Griffis apothecary

Date of Appre.		Masters.
Jan. 1. 1751	David Lewis	to Job Brown barber
Feb. 28. 1755	John Brown	Job Brown barber
Jan. 26. 1756	Richard Cranke s. of George Cranke	Francis Evans barber
May 25. 1756	Andrew Hinley	John Warter barber rem ^r of term
May 25. 1756	William Kirby	John Warter barber rem ^r of term
May 1. 1756	John s. of Jo ⁿ Simmons	Richard Raven barber
Dec. 25. 1756	Joseph s. of John Jones	Ellis Jones barber
Mar. 2. 1757	John s. of John Robins	W ^m Reynolds barber
May 28. 1758	Edward s. of Edw ^d Tonge	to his father chandler
June 2. 1758	Tho ^s s. of late Thomas Whittingham dec ^d	Abram Lyth barber
Feb. 1. 1759	Rich ^d s. of Sam ^l Davies	Richard Clark barber
June 14. 1759	turned over to	John Trevor
Mar. 25. 1759	Charles Painter	his father Richard P. barber
June 1. 1759	William s. of W ^m Whiston	Job Brown barber
Nov. 20. 1760	Joseph Burd	Mrs. Lythe barber
Nov. 25. 1760	James s. of Rich ^d Pinches	John Lloyd barber
Mar. 30. 1762	Thomas Crockett	Ralph Waters barber
Sep. 27. 1762	Joseph Lawson	his father Nathaniel Lawson chandler
Sep. 27. 1762	John s. of Edw ^d Solden	his father chandler
May 1. 1762	Daniel Ruscow	John Lloyd barber
Jan. 1. 1763	Thomas Painter	his father Rich ^d P. barber
Jan. 1. 1764	Joseph Hayward	his father Joseph H. barber
Feb. 24. 1764	Rich ^d s. of Chas ^s Barber	John Ralphs barber turned over May 28 to Miles Field
June 18. 1764	John Owen	his father Tho. Owen barber
Aug. 20. 1762	John s. of Rob ^t Morris	And ^w Hinley barber
Sep. 22. 1782	Samuel Hayward	his father Joseph H. barber
Aug. 1. 1759	Charles Edwards	John Barkley barber
Mar. 25. 1760	John s. of Thos. Manley	Job Brown barber
Jan. 1. 1765	Richard Hussey	his father Edmund H. barber
Jan. 21. 1765	James Hinley	his father And ^w H. barber
Feb. 10. 1765	John s. of Ja ^s Mawl	Joseph Barkley barber
April 22. 1765	Samuel s. of Rob ^t Harvey	Job Brown barber
Oct. 7. 1766	Samuel Jones	his father Ellis Jones barber
May 25. 1769	Edward Solden	his father Edw ^d S. chandler
Oct. 1. 1769	Thomas Pinches	John Lloyd barber
May 25. 1769	Samuel Lawson	his father Nath ^l L. chandler
Jan. 14. 1770	William Brown	his father Job B. barber
April 19. 1770	Thomas Cooke	Edw ^d Tipton chandler
June 29. 1770	John Walton	his father Corbett W. chandler

Date of Appra.		Masters.
Aug. 5. 1770	John Williams	John Trevor barber ?
May 30. 1771	Joseph Chilton	John Lloyd barber
Apr. 8. 1771	Anthony Morris	Rich ^d Painter barber
Dec. 2. 1771	Joseph Walter	Edmund Hussey barber
Jan. 1. 1772	Samuel Jones	James Bennett barber
Jan. 1. 1773	James Bennett	his father James B. barber
Jan. 12. 1773	Joseph Ashford	his father W ^m A. barber
July 5. 1773	Tho ^s Muckleston	James Painter barber
July 15. 1773	William Lloyd	his father John L. barber
July 15. 1773	William Purslow	Benj ⁿ Bennett barber
Ap. 4. 1774	Tho ^s Jones	Ellis Jones barber
Jan. 30. 1775	Tho ^s Wilkison	Richard Low barber
June 15. 1775	Corbet Walton	his father Corbett W. chandler
June 20. 1775	W ^m Lloyd	John Nightingale barber
Mar. 21. 1780	Samuel Jeffryes	John Owen barber
	did not serve	
Feb. 25. 1778	W ^m Hulme	James Painter barber
Dec. 22. 1780	Tobias Roberts	James Bennett barber
Jan. 2. 1781	John Goodall	Sam ^l Jones barber
Sep. 29. 1784	Samuel Reynolds	James Bennett barber
July 12. 1785	William Ashford	Joseph Chilton barber
June 2. 1784	Joseph Hulme	W ^m Lloyd barber
Sep. 29. 1784	Thomas Ball	John Owen barber
Dec. 2. 1784	John Barrow	W. Lloyd barber
Sep. 29. 1783	Arthur Minton	Rich ^d Low barber
Nov. 2. 1783	Tho ^s Thomas	Tho ^s Pinches barber
Jan. 5. 1786	Peter Walton	his father Corbett W. chandler
Mar. 31. 1786	Jonathan Cross	Tho ^s Whittingham barber
July 25. 1786	Tho ^s Guest	James Bennett barber
Mar. 31. 1786	Benj ⁿ Pool	Rich ^d Low barber
Aug. 1. 1780	Tho ^s Whittingham	his father Tho ^s W. barber
Aug. 1. 1780	William Carden	Tho ^s Whittingham barber
Ap. 26. 1787	George Millward	William Gower barber
Ap. 26. 1787	John Hanes	W ^m Lloyd barber
Dec. 16. 1789	Tho ^s Barnes	John Owen barber
Dec. 16. 1789	W ^m Cook	Cha ^s Edwards
Dec. 16. 1789	George Smith	Sam ^l Bowdler
Sep. 29. 1789	Tho ^s Davies	Joseph Chilton
May 13. 1789	John Gittins	Jos ^h Chilton
May 1. 1790	Richard Chapman	John Lloyd
Ap. 1. 1784	Tho ^s Edwards 2nd s. of	Cha ^s Edwards
May 1793	Tho : Basby	Tho ^s Littler
Sep. 1. 179	Edw ^d Reynor	Ja ^s Bennett junr
Feb. 15. 1791	W ^m Brunsdon	Rich ^d Lowe
Mar. 22. 1795	Edmund Hordley	John Owen
Sep. 24. 1795	James Bilingham	Joseph Chilton
May 26. 1796	James Hill	Cha ^s Edwards
June 12. 1796	Tho ^s Davenall	John Nightingale

Date of Appra.		Masters.
Mar.	1800 Tho ^s Morgan	David Morgan chandler
Apr.	1800 Rob ^t Powell	David Morgan chandler
Mar.	3. 1798 John Dolphin	John Ford chandler
May	14. 1799 Tho ^s Hawley	John Ford chandler
Jan.	3. 1802 John Jones	John Ford chandler
May	2. 1803 David Pugh	David Morgan chandler
May	25 1803 W ^m Row	John Nightingale barber
Dec.	1. 1804 Edw ^d Gould	Jos ^h Chilton barber
July	15. 1805 W ^m Hulme	W ^m Hulme sen ^r barber
July	30. 1804 Jos ^h Stedman Taylor	John Ford chandler
	1805 William Haycock	John Ford chandler
Oct.	5. 1804 William Dyos	David Morgan chandler
Mar.	1807 Joseph Fox	John & W ^m Nightingale barber
	1807 John Jones	David Morgan chandler
Nov.	3. 1805 Samuel Bowdler	Ann Bowdler
Feb.	18. 1807 Samuel Hulme	W ^m Hulme
May	1. 1809 Samuel Asterley	David Morgan chandler
	1811 W ^m Chilton	Joseph Chilton
May	3. 1814 John Hulme	W ^m Hulme
July	1. 1818 Geo : Pritchard	Morgan & Asterley
Feb.	19. 1819 George Williams	Tho. Bowdler
Feb.	19. 1819 John Thomas	Tho. Bowdler barber
May	12. 1819 Geo : Edmonds	John Ford & Rd Jones chandler
Aug.	17. 1820 John Sam ^l James	Tho ^s Bowdler barber
Oct.	30. 1821 W ^m Marston	Morgan & Asterley chandlers
Feb.	1. 1821 W ^m Griffiths	Tho ^s Bowdler barber
	only served 4 y ^r s	
June	1. 1826 Tho ^s s. of Tho. Pugh	Sam ^l Hulme barber
July	9. 1828 Rob ^t Asterley	Samuel Asterley chandler
Sep.	24. 1828 Joseph Lloyd	Sam ^l Hulme
Oct.	12. 1828 Rich ^d Fred ^e Edwards s.	Sam ^l Heath chandler
	of Rich ^d Edwards Inn- keeper South Audley St London	
Feb	19. 1829 W ^m Simpson s. of	Sam ^l Asterley chandler
	Deborah Simpson	
Nov.	18. 1829 George s. of Tho ^s Bot-	Tho ^s Botwood barber
	wood	
Mar.	25. 1827 James Wathen	John Cox Nightingale barber
Ap.	25. 1831 Tho ^s s. of Rich ^d & Mary	John Frail barber
	Jones of par. S. Mary's Shrewsbury	
July	12. 1830 Tho ^s Gibbs Nightingale	his father John Cox N.
Mar.	25. 1832 Rich ^d Hewlett s. of W ^m	John Cox Nightingale
	H. Castle St Shrews- bury	

Date of Appra.		Masters.
Mar. 28. 1815	James Russell	Arthur Pyke barber
April 30. 1818	John Frail	John Cox Nightingale barber
June 24. 1823	John Tho ^s Nightingale	John Cox Nightingale barber

THE BARBERS' BY LAW.

Whereas there is & hath been for time immemorial within the Town of Shrewsbury in the County of Salop and the Libertyes and Franchises thereof an antient Craft or Mystery of Barbers called by the name of the Masters of the Craft of Barbers of the Town of Shrewsbury.

And whereas the said Masters of the said Craft of Barbers in virtue of their power in that behalf have from time to time as they have found it necessary or expedient made & ordained Ordinances Constitutions and by-laws for the better support of the said Craft and the regulation of their trade.

And whereas by a certain ordinance or bylaw made by the said Masters of the said Craft upon the feast of S^t Agath the Virgin in the 10th year of the reign of K. Henry VI. It was amongst other things ordained and ordered that no manner of person from that day in time coming using and occupying the said craft of a Barber within the said Town of Shrewsbury and the franchises thereof should set up nor hold any shop in private or publick nor shave as a Master within the said Town or franchise unto the time that every such person should have the will and assent of the Stewards and Masters of the said Craft paying three marks of money to the said Stewards & Masters at such times as the parties might accord which three marks was thereby directed to be paid for wax for the increase of the Light born on Corpus Christi day.

And it was thereby further ordered that if any manner of person in time coming should wilfully presume upon him to use and occupy the said Craft as Master not paying as afore-said and refusing to pay the said sume of three marks it should be lawful for the Stewards & Masters of the said Craft for the time being to take the goods and cattell of every such mis-governed person in the name of a distress for the said forty shillings.

And it was further ordered that no Master of the said Craft should teach any person the said Craft or trade within the said Town of Shrewsbury or the franchises thereof without such person was bound an Apprentice for seven years by Indenture

of Covenant ensealed as by the said Ordinance or bylaw amongst other things therein contained relation being thereunto had may more fully appear.

And whereas divers persons not having served seven years apprenticeship to the said Trade within the said Town of Shrewsbury or the suburbs libertyes or franchises thereof have presumed to set up and keep shops both in publick & private & to exercise & follow the trade or craft of a Barber within the said Town of Shrewsbury and the libertyes & franchises thereof without the assent or consent of the Stewards & Masters of the said Craft & contrary to the form and effect of the said antient Ordinance or bylaw & to the great detriment of the Masters of the said Craft.

Now in order to enforce a due obedience to the said bylaw & for the better support of the said Craft & regulation of the said trade It is by the Masters of the said Craft of Barbers of the Town of Shrewsbury hereby ordered ordained & established that no person or persons whatsoever shall from henceforth directly or indirectly in publick or private set up or keep any shop or show of the said trade or craft of a Barber or cut shave or trim the hair or beard of any person or persons or make sell or expose to sale any Perukes Borders Shades or Tires of hair or otherwise use or exercise the art trade craft or mystery of a Barber within the said Town of Shrewsbury or the Suburbs libertyes or franchises thereof unless such person or persons shall have duly & truly & without fraud or cozenage have served seven years at the least to the said Craft trade or mystery within the same Town of Shrewsbury or the Suburbs libertyes & franchises thereof & shall likewise have been first admitted a freeman or member freemen or members of the said Craft of Barbers of the said Town of Shrewsbury or have obtained the assent & consent of the Stewards & Masters of the said Craft upon pain of forfeiting twenty shillings for every week he she or they shall so set up or keep such shop or show or so exercise & follow the said Craft trade or mystery of a Barber as aforesaid within the said Town of Shrewsbury or the Suburbs libertyes or franchises thereof The said forfeiture to be paid unto the Masters of the said Craft of Barbers of the said Town of Shrewsbury for and towards the augmentation of their publick stock and to be sued for and recovered by and in the name of the said Masters of the said Craft by action of debt or otherwise in any of His Majesty's Courts of Record at Westminster. Aug 8. 1740. Signed by the whole Company of Barbers Chirurgions & Periwigg Makers.

Fees for Admitting a Freeman who has served Seven years as an Apprentice:—To the Company 20s/- To a treat to the Company 4s/- To a treat to the Mayor 6s/- Stamps 4/2. the Clerk 1s/- the Stewards 1/- = 36s/2^d

Increased in 1827 as follows:—Fine & treat to the Company 24s/- Treat to the Mayor 10/- Stamp 20/2 Stewards 1/- Clerk 1/- = 2. 16. 2.

Customary Fees on Admission of a Foreigner:—Company £10 Stamps 4/1 Treat to the Mayor & Company 10/6 Stewards 2/- Clerk 2/- = £10 : 18. 7

Customary Fees on the Admission of the eldest Son of a Freeman:—Company 10s/6^d Stamp 4/1 Stewards 1/- Clerk 1/- Treat to the Mayor 6/- = 16s/7^d.

THE WARDENS OF THE COMPANY OF BARBOURS CHIRURGEONS
& CHANDLERS THEIR OATH.

You and either of you shall be true & faithfull to our Sovereign Ladye the Queen and to her heyres & successors & obedyent to the Mayor of this towne for the time being and his successors and faithfully and truely discharge the office of a Warden for the time you are in being over and amonge the company of barbour chirurgeons and chaundlers and according to the best of your knowledge cunning and skill maintaine preserve and defend all and every the rights and priviledges of the said Company to the utmost of your power according to the articles of the Composition and shall give up a just and true account of all the moneys received and disbursed by you within fourteene dayes after you goe out of your office. All this you shall sweare to p'forme without favour or malice.

So helpe you God.

THE ASSISTANTS OATH.

You and every of you shall be true and faithfull to our Sovereign Ladye the Queen and to her heyres and successors and obedient to the Mayor of this towne for the time being and his successors and shall be ready upon notis given you to be assistant to the Wardens of the Company of Barbour Chirurgeons and Chaundlers for this yeare ensueing alwayes maintaineing the rights and priviledges of the aforesaid Company according to the articles of the Composition—and this you shall sweare to performe without favour or feare.

So helpe you God.

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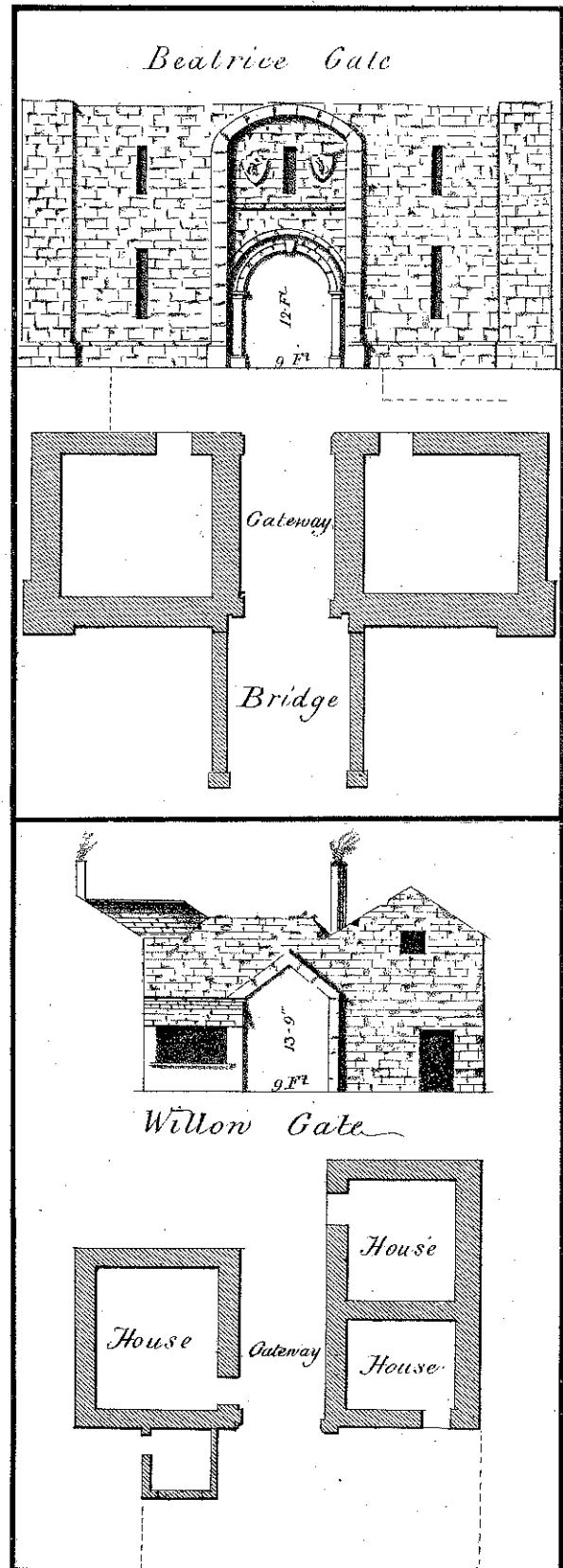
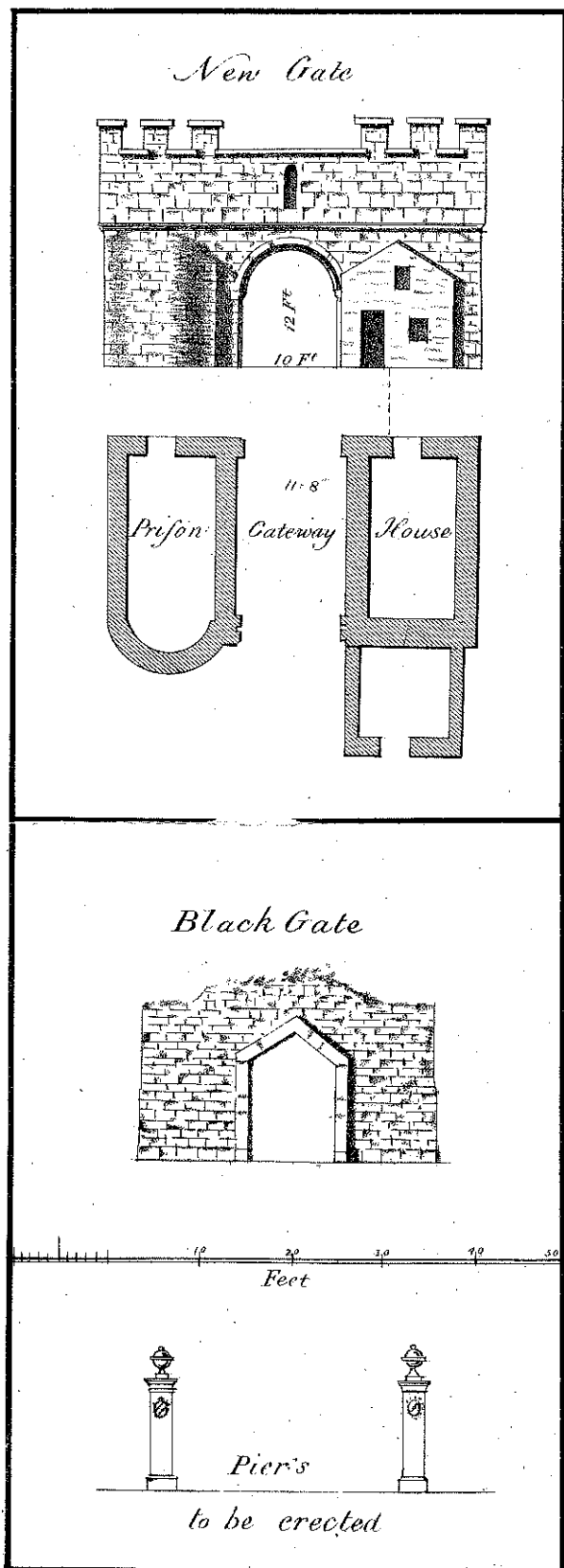
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