

A
GENEALOGICAL ACCOUNT
OF THE
FAMILY
OF
BISSHOP OR BISHOP,
ERST OF

TILLINGTON COURT, CO. HEREFORD,
LORDS OF THE MANORS OF HOLWAY AND IN-PARK, CO. DORSET, AND OF
SOUTH WARNBOROUGH, CO. HAMPSHIRE, &C., &C.

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When you read this historic book of our family in England, you will encounter dates that are established by the year of the Ruler or Sovereigns of Great Britain. Examples follow:

Temp. Richard II equals Time of Richard II (1377 to 1399)

Temp. Henry VIII equals Time of Henry VIII (1509 to 1547)

Abbreviations are used for some of the counties. Example: WILTS is the abbreviation for WILTSHIRE. HANTS is the abbreviation for HAMPSHIRE county. HARL followed by file numbers refers to the HARLEAN Library, a special library within the Library of the British Museum.

Any language you encounter other than ENGLISH is Latin. A Latin to English dictionary will allow you to translate.

To fully appreciate the text material in this book, you should read an encyclopedia account of the life of Charles I.

The name of the Village of Cattistock has been spelled several ways other than the current way. In the 11th century, it was spelled ERTACOMESTOCK. In the year 1610, the name was spelled CATSTOKE. The Village existed prior to the NORMAN invasion in 1066. The present Church is thought to be the third or fourth building on the same spot.

On page 62 you will find the Inquisition, Post Mortum of Rev. John Bishop's grandfather William Bishop, followed by Inquisition Post Mortum of his father, William Bishop. The latter would be administered by Richard, the oldest brother of John. These documents are translation as one of Rev. John's descendants has a copy of the original and it is written in LATIN.

You will notice that our family name has been spelled several different ways. The original spelling seems to be BYSSHOP, and BISSHOP, other spellings simply add an "e" which does not change the pronunciation very much. The 1982 edition of the LONDON telephone directory shows a few people using BISHOPP spelling.

The dates below the Coat of Arms is the date it was issued. The earliest record of our family received his Coat of Arms in 1390. He would have to be an adult and likely born in the mid 14th century. On page 68 and 69 you will find the names of allied families, families that Bishop's had intermarried with. Several of these names also appear in Normandy in the same era. A book titled "THE NORMAN PEOPLE" is a report of research done in England and Normandy to attempt to establish the roots of certain people in England following the Norman Conquest in 1066. A Mr. Rudolphus and a Mr. Richardus Episcopus are recorded as having paid a fine in NORMANDY in the 12th century. Episcopus translates to BISHOP. This is a possible origin of the name. The pedigrees of at least one name in the book labels him as a Norman.

I want to express my appreciation to two cousins for help and encouragement in reprinting this historic book about our Bishop family. Their names:

Mrs. Frances P. Mercer, 21 Miller Hill Drive, Lagrangeville, N.Y. 12540

Mr. Fredrick A. Bishop, 8822 Devon Street, Norfolk, Va. 23503

Your Cousin,

WILLIAM T. BISHOP
4936 N. Kansas Avenue
Kansas City, Mo. 64119

My Line: Thomas to Frome St. Quintin and Holway time of Henry VIII, John, William, William, John, born Holway 1610 to New England colonies 1640, Stephen, Stephen, Joseph, Jonathan, Thomas, Job, Charles, William T.M.D., William T. Bishop.

(3 Car 1)— Third year of Charles First.

This is of Particular Interest to the Descendants of the Rev. John Bishop

Immigrant Ancestor John Bishop 1610-1694

On May 3, 1610, John Bishop was baptised at the Anglican Church of Saints Peter and Paul in Cattistock, Dorchester, Dorset County England. His parents were William and Alice (Dunning) Bishop. Their home was the ancient manor of "Holway" about a mile north of the village where the church and the school are located. The above appears in "The History and Antiquities of the County of Dorset" by Hutchins. Volume IV. Other farms in the same area, owned by members of the BISHOP family were "In-Park," "West Holway," "Lower Holway," "Metford," "North Chalmington," "Chalmington," and possibly others. Total property in excess of 1000 acres.

It is reasonable to assume that John received his early education at Cattistock where the church and school are located. The record of students at Oxford University covering the period of 1500 to 1714 page 130 shows John Bishop son of William Bishop of Holway farm in Dorset County, attained his BA degree in 1632 from Balliol College; and his MA degree in 1635 from the same college.

John's activities from 1635 to 1639 are not known at this time but it is known that his parents died 13 days apart in August 1638 and are buried on the East side of the south aisle in the church at Cattistock. By 1640 John had migrated to Taunton in the colony of Mass. He is described as a schoolmaster and also finishing his education for the ministry. From official records the following quote in 1644: "THE NEW SETTLEMENT AT STAMFORD, COLONY OF CONN., IN NEED OF A PASTOR SELECTED LT. FRANCIS BELL AND GEORGE SLAWSON, FURNISHED THEM FOOD FOR THE WAY AND SENT THEM TO BOSTON TO SEE IF THEY COULD FIND ONE JOHN BISHOP, WHOSE NAME HAD BEEN REPORTED TO THEM OR SOME OTHER MINISTER WHO THEY COULD PERSUADE TO COME BACK WITH THEM, SO THIS PEOPLE MIGHT NOT BE SCATTERED AND SUFFER SIN AGAINST THE ORDINANCES OF GOD".

"They providentially did find Mr. Bishop then a young man on whom was the seal of concentration and promise and with much persuasion, they prevail on him to accept this pressing call from the LORD. Taking his well worn bible in his hands, he starts with the two brethren for the field of his labors and the meeting house henceforth, as long as it stands, bear witness to his faithful and acceptable labors." The bible he carried on that long walk is said to be in the possession of one of his descendants.

There as the second pastor of the FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH OF STAMFORD, CONN., He served 50 years, 1644-1694. Not long after his arrival at Stamford, he married Rebecca Goodyear, eldest daughter of Stephen Goodyear, and his wife Mary. It has been determined that Stephen Goodyear was the immigrant ancestor of Charles Goodyear, the famous early American inventor. The Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co. is named for Charles Goodyear. Rebecca was born in London about 1626 and died about 1679. To them were born 10 children, four that died in infancy and six of whom we have a record. After Rebecca died John married widow Joanna (Boyce) Prudden, daughter of Rev. John and Joanna Boyce of county Halifax England who had nine children by her first husband, Rev. Peter Prudden. He died in 1656 and Joanna married Thomas Willett, the first English mayor of New York City. He passed away and Joanna married John Bishop third. Her death occurred in 1681 and her will mentions "my silver tankard shall be delivered to my deare husband Mr. John Bishop".

Rev. John Bishop labored many years in Stamford and we find numerous mention of him in various genealogical publications. He is credited with the authorship of a latin epitaph on Richard Mather published in the Magnalia Ecclesiastical Church History of New England signed in Latin "J. EPISCOPUS" (JOHN BISHOP). There are a number of letters to Increase Mather, son-of-the-above. They are in the New England Historic Genealogical Society located in Boston. In one he spoke of Mather's books saved from a fire that destroyed his home. Also thanked him for kindness to "my sister Lake" (actually his wife's sister, Mary, who was the wife of Capt. Thomas Lake). In another letter he regretted that his children were not getting a good education. "Our Latin Schole failing and my estate too feeble to send them forth, their progress also failed. I have one entering his grammer I would fain give learning to". In the same he also said "where GOD has given be four living sons (of 8 that I had)". By this we establish the total number of his children, 4 sons and 2 daughters one of the latter died young.

It is generally believed that his home was on the northwest corner of Atlantic and Main Streets, just a few steps from the church. It was frequently used as a "SABBATH DAY HOUSE" between the long morning and afternoon or evening services, by parishoners that were obliged to come long distances. The closing days of the old preacher are thus described by Mrs. Calkins, in her History of Stamford, Conn.: "And now the good bishop (sic) who so long had kept spiritual watch over this widely scattered people began to feel the infirmities of age. At a town meeting, September 12, 1692, he expressed an earnest desire that someone come to relieve him. The town desire in compliance with his motion, being sensible also to their necessity, do therefore think it their duty first to settle a maintenance upon Mr. Bishop that may be yearly paid during his lifetime in case we supply another minister." They voted 40 pounds a year.

He lived until 1694. "The will of Rev. John Bishop, dated November 16, 1694, proved March 1694/95, requested that he be buried between his two wives, Rebecca and Joanna," "Who have fallen asleep in Jesus and gone to heaven before me." Names his sons: Stephen, Joseph, Ebenezer, Benjamin and a daughter Rebecca Whiting were also included.

He was buried in the cemetery which occupied the ground known as "west park". When the stones and dust of the settlers were removed more than a century ago, all that was mortal found a resting place in the cemetery known as St. John's on Franklin Street. The stone over the grave includes the original stone slab which marked his grave before removal to this spot.

Several descendants of Rev. John Bishop have made an ancestral journey back to Cattistock, England—the land of their forefathers, located near Dorchester in Dorset county. There they found the former Bishop farms nearly all intact and the homes still occupied. The one of most interest is the home where Rev. John was born and first occupied by and possibly built by his great great-grandfather during the reign of Henry VIII. His name was Thomas Bisshop, (an older spelling of the name). Mrs. Frances Phelps Mercer, a seven times great grand-grandaughter of Rev. John, learned from research that the graves of his parents and grandparents were under the floor of the church there and unmarked. This was fully documented to be true in Hutchins—HISTORY OF DORSET. In England, it is common practice to place brass memorials on the wall of the church, and it is considered a duty of the parishoners to keep them polished. People volunteer their time as part of their lay duty to polish the brasses.

Mrs. Mercer was touched by her findings and set on a project to solicit contributions from about 80 descendants to procure a hand engraved brass plaque, marking the graves and honoring the Rev. John Bishop, son and grandson of the two Williams and their wives who were buried there.

On October 5, 1980, four descendants of Rev. John Bishop met in Cattistock for the dedication of the plaque at the 11:00 a.m. service of Holy Communion which was conducted by Canon Linley Blathwayt, the rural dean from Ever-shot, a village nearby.

Following the dedication, the visitors from America who included: four blood relatives—William Thomas Bishop, Kansas City, Missouri; Hazel Bishop Phelps, Landenberg, Pennsylvania; Frances Phelps Mercer, Langrangeville, New York; Rodney Phelps Mercer, Washington, D. C.; along with Vernon Swayne Mercer, husband of Frances and father of Rodney, and Mr. Orville Whittle, Kansas City, Missouri, who was traveling with William: were invited to "Holway" farm by the present owner, Mrs. June Atkinson. Here they all had a most enjoyable afternoon, which included a refreshing lunch in the lovely spacious dining room with its beautifully plastered ceiling panels. All were invited to wander through the various rooms as they each desired. The age of the house was about 460 years. This is a very moving experience for Americans to visit the home of their ancestors, when that home is more than twice the age of their country!

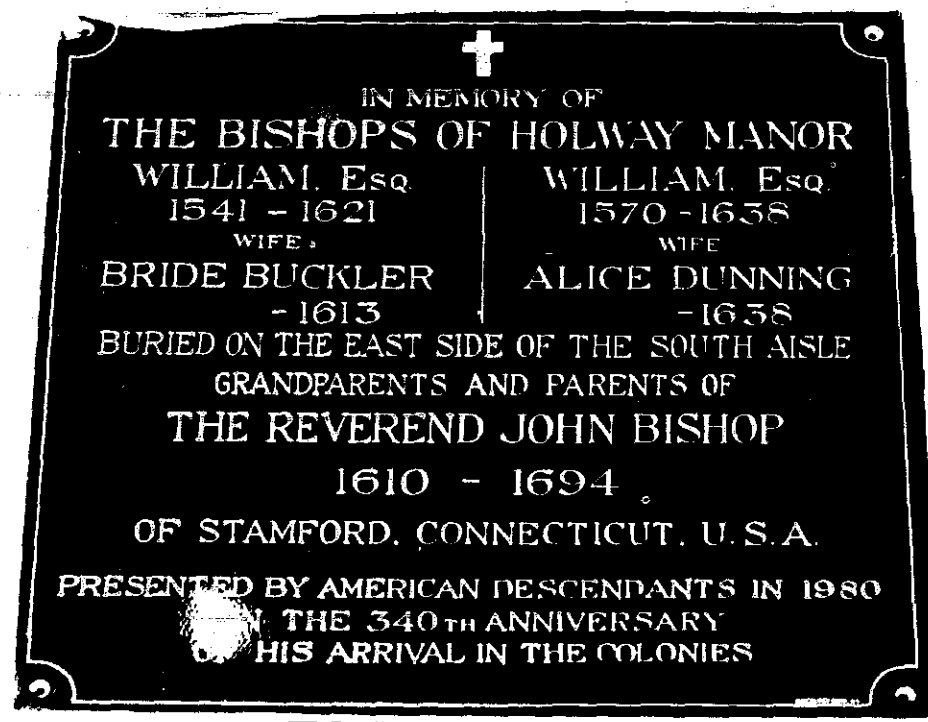
Much credit is due the late Ira E. Bishop (of Homewood, Illinois), for the compiling of our genealogical information. Ira operated under "Bishop Families of America". He did much to compile the genealogy of many Bishop families.

In recent years a microfilm has been available from The Library of Congress, Washington, D. C. which is the history of our ancestors in England back to about 1350. It is titled "A GENEALOGICAL ACCOUNT OF THE FAMILY BISSHOP OR BISHOP, ERST OF TILLINGTON COURT, COUNTY HEREFORD.

LORDS OF THE MANORS OF HOLWAY AND IN-PARK, COUNTY DORSET AND OF SOUTH WARNBOROUGH COUNTY HAMPSHIRE ETC. ETC. THIS BOOK WAS PRINTED FOR PRIVATE DISTRIBUTION ONLY. PRINTED, LONDON 1877.

In this book you will find John Bishop appearing on p. 7 as the seventh son of William Bishop and Alice Dunning. You will find many interesting accounts of records of John's eldest brother, Richard. Richard loaned money to King Charles I. You will note that many names of allied families appear to be French derived names, for instance, Malculin de la Mare. This family name appears in Normandy in the 10th century and probably appears in England following the Norman conquest of England in 1066.

PICTURE OF BRASS PLAQUE IN CHURCH AT CATTISTOCK DEDICATED OCTOBER 5, 1980



A Genealogical Account, &c., &c.

BYSSHOP OR BISSHOP,

*Formerly of TILLINGTON COURT, Co. HEREFORD, and
HOLWAY and IN-PARK, Co. DORSET, afterwards of
SOUTH WARNBOROUGH, Co. HANTS, and FRENHAM,
FRITHINGHURST and GREYSWOOD, Co. SURREY.*

JOHN BYSSHOP, the earliest recorded ancestor of this Family named in the Heralds Visitations, married temp. Richard II. *Agnes Burguillon*, niece and heir of *Alice*, wife of *Malculin de la Mare*, who died 28 June, 1400, seized of a part of the Manor of Kidderminster, Co. Worcester; and at the Inquisition* taken on her death at Worcester 6 Nov., 1400, the Jury returned that "*Agnes* wife of *John Bysshop* is the kinswoman and heir of the said *Alice*, namely, daughter of *Robert*, brother of the aforesaid *Alice*, and is of the age of forty years and more."—Their grandson,

JOHN BYSSHOP, Esquire, of Poundesford, Co. Somerset, in 1444, died at Farnham, Co. Surrey, in 1470, and was succeeded by his son,

JOHN BYSSHOP, Esquire, Provost of Downton, Co. Wilts, in 1487, who died 29 May, 1497, and was

* See Appendix, page 31.

buried at Hook Norton, Co. Oxford.* By his wife *Isabella* he had issue,

JOHN BYSSHOP or BISSHOP, Esquire, of Burford, Co. Oxford, and of Tillington Court, Co. Hereford, who married *Margaret*, daughter and one of the co-heirs of *Simon Milborne*, of Tillington aforesaid, and of Westbury, Co. Gloucester, and other manors. By this lady, who died before 1522, he had issue.

- I. ANTHONY, born in 1503; living in 1522; died without issue in his father's lifetime.
- II. THOMAS, his heir.

John Bisshop was succeeded by his eldest surviving son,

THOMAS BISSHOP, Esquire, of Tillington Court, Co. Hereford, and of Frome St. Quintin and Holway Manor, Co. Dorset, temp. Henry VIII. He married a daughter of — *Gray*, of Sidling, Co. Dorset, Esquire, and had issue with one daughter, *Margaret*, who married — *Gold*, of Chetnell, a son, *John*, who succeeded him.

JOHN BISSHOP, Esquire, of Holway and Frome St. Quintin, temp. Edward VI.; living 28 October, 1552; married *Elizabeth*, daughter of *Philip Dawe*, of Frome St. Quintin, Esquire, (an ancient Dorsetshire family,) by whom he had issue, with four daughters, two sons, namely—

Crate pro animabus Johannis Bysshoppe et Esabella
uxoris ejus, qui quidem Johannes obiit hicesimo hunc
hie memsis Maii Anno Domini Milicesimo CCCnonagesimo
septimo querum animabus propieirtur Deus Amen

- I. WILLIAM, his heir, of whom presently.
- II. PHILIP, of Metford, Co. Dorset; living in 1591; died without issue.

WILLIAM BISSHOP, Esquire, born in 1541 (on whom and whose issue the family estates were re-settled by Deed of Entail, dated 28 October, 1552), married *Bride*, daughter of *Alexander Buckler*, of Wolcombe, Co. Dorset, and niece of Sir Richard Buckler, Knight; and died at Holway, 27 December, 1621,* having had issue—

- I. WILLIAM, his heir, of whom presently.
- II. JOHN, bap. at Cattistock, 13 May, 1576, d.s.p.
- III. MATTHEW, bap. 18 May, 1582; married 2 Sept., 1606, *Christiana Newton*, widow, and had issue a son, *Matthew*, bap. 11 February, 1607, who died s.p.
- IV. RICHARD, of Metford, bap. at Cattistock 2 January, 1583; died 31 December, 1660,† leaving issue, now extinct; *vide post*, page 27.
- I. ELIZABETH, bap. 1565; married 24 May, 1586, to *William Jacob*, Esquire.
- II. KATHERINE, bap. 10 December, 1567; died December, 1623.
- III. JOANE, bap. 2 April, 1573.
- IV. BELLAMINA, bap. 28 June, 1579.
- V. AGNES, bap. 13 May, 1586; married 3 February, 1605, to *John Colter*, Esquire.
- VI. BRIDGET, bap. 18 April, 1590; married, 19 May, 1611, to *Robert Kenscr*, Esquire.

Mr. William Bisshop, at his decease, was succeeded by his eldest son,

* Buried at Cattistock 31 Dec. 1621.

† Buried at Cattistock.

WILLIAM BISSHOP, Esquire (or Bishop, as the name was then frequently inserted in the Parish Registers), bap. 13 May, 1570, at Cattistock; married *Alice*, daughter of *William Dunning*, of Brockhampton, in the Parish of Buckland Newton, Co. Dorset, Esquire, and died 28 August, 1638,* having had issue by her (who died August, 1638)—

- i. RICHARD, his heir, of whom presently.
- ii. WILLIAM, bap. 23 June, 1594 (at Cattistock).
- iii. PHILIP, bap. 15 Sept., 1596 (at Cattistock).
- iv. FRANCIS, bap. 8 Oct., 1598 (at Cattistock); married *Dorothy Flint*, of York, and had issue.
- v. WALTER, bap. 13 January, 1606 (at Cattistock).
- vi. HENRY, of North Chalmington, in the Parish of Cattistock, bap. 18 June, 1609 (at Cattistock); died in April, 1657,* having had issue by his wife *Grace* (who died in Sept., 1684)—

- i. *George*, of North Chalmington, bap. 6 Jan., 1651, and died in December, 1722,* having had issue by *Mary*, his wife (who was buried at Cattistock 20 December, 1688)—

1. *Jane*, born in 1685; died unmarried. Buried at Cattistock 3 March, 1712.
2. *Grace*, bap. 29 March, 1687; died, unmarried, in June, 1727.
3. *Ann*, bap. 8 November, 1688; married, 9 September, 1724, *Richard Symes*, of Netherbury and East Melplash, Co. Dorset,

* Buried at Cattistock.

Esquire, and died without issue in January, 1734.

ii. *Henry*, born in 1653; died, unmarried, February, 1688. (Buried at Cattistock.)

iii. *Thomas*, born 12 October, 1656; died in May, 1664.

vii. JOHN, bap. 3 May, 1610 (at Cattistock).

i. MARGARET, married at Cattistock, 1619, *Thomas Hardy*, Esquire, of Sidling, and had issue a son, *Richard* (who was living in 1657).

ii. BEATRIX, married, at Cattistock, 31 January, 1625, *William Scyborne*, Esquire, of Beauminster, Co. Dorset.

iii. ISABELLA, bap. at Cattistock, 5 December, 1602; married *S. Moore*, Esquire, and had issue *Richard* (living in 1657), and *Alice* (living in 1661).

iv. BRIDE, bap. at Cattistock 20 March, 1613; married 16 October, 1636, *Richard Standewick*, Esquire.

RICHARD BISSHOP or Bishopp, Esquire, who succeeded to the family Estates on the death of his father in 1638, was bap. at Cattistock 2 April, 1592. In 1635 he had acquired the Manor of South Warnborough, Co. Hants, and was Sheriff of that County in 1647,* and advanced moneys to the king in aid of

* The following entry appears in the journals of the House of Commons under the date Die Martis 1^o Decembris, 1646:—"Resolved, that this House doth nominate and appoint Richard Bishopp, Esquire, to be Sheriff of the County of Southampton, and that the Commissioners of the Great Seal of England do issue a Commission to him to be Sheriff of the said County accordingly;" and in the journals of the House of Lords "Die Jovis 3^o Decembris, 1646. Ordered by the Lords and Commons assembled in Parliament, that *Richard Bishopp*,

the Royal cause.* He married, 10 May, 1625, at the church of St. Dunstan's in the East, London, *Mary*, youngest daughter of *Humfrey Walcot*, of Walcot, Co. Salop, Esquire, and died 1 October, 1658, having had issue by her (who died in his lifetime)—

I. **RICHARD**, his heir, of whom presently.

II. **WILLIAM**, of South Warnborough, Co. Hants, (who, under the provisions of his father's will, succeeded, at his decease, to the Manor of South Warnborough,) born ante 1634; married 28 August, 1656, at Swallowfield, *Flora*, only daughter and heir of *William Backhouse*, of Swallowfield, Co. Berks, Esquire, by Anne, his wife, daughter of Brian Richards, of Hartley Westpall, Hants, and died 3 March, 1660,† having had issue—

I. *William*, born at South Warnborough, 12 March, 1658; died 28 July, 1659.

II. *Anne*, born 1 November, 1657; died 24 March, 1659.

His widow married, secondly, *Sir William Backhouse*, Baronet (who died without issue, and was buried

Esquire, be *Sheriff* of the County of *Southampton*, and that the Commissioners of the Great Seal do issue a Commission unto him to be Sheriff of the said County accordingly." His accounts are entered upon the Great Roll of the Pipe for the 22nd year of Charles I., under the following heading:—"Southampton, Richardus Bishopp, Armiger, nuper vicecomes comitatus prædicti, a festo Sancti Michaelis Archangeli, anno regni domini nunc Caroli, Dei gratia, Angliæ, Scotiæ et Hiberniæ Regis. Fidei defensoris b. c. xxij^{da} usque festum Sancti Machaelis Archangeli extunc proximum sequentem anno regni ejusdem domini Regis nunc Caroli xxij^o. scilicet per unum annum integrum "

* There is, or was, until recently, amongst the family papers a letter from King Charles to Ric. Bishop, acknowledging a loan, and thanking him for his efforts in support of the Royal cause.

† Buried at Swallowfield.

at Swallowfield 28 September, 1669); and thirdly, at Swallowfield, 19 October, 1670, *Henry Hyde, Lord Cornbury*, eldest son of Edward, Earl of Clarendon, who succeeded his father in the earldom 19 December, 1674, and died 31 October, 1709.*

- I. MARY, married *William Barber*, of Adderbury, Co. Oxford, Esquire.
- II. BRIDGET, married, 4 June, 1656, at Wootton St. Lawrence, Hants, *Edward Goddard*, of Standen Hussey and Cliffe Pypard, Co. Wilts, Esquire, and had issue.

Mr. Bissshop was buried in the church of St. Dunstan's in the East, on the 12 October, 1658. His eldest son and heir—

RICHARD BISSHOP or Bishopp,† Esquire, of Holway, &c., Co. Dorset, born in 1629, succeeded also to the Manor and Estate of South Warnborough, Co. Hants, in 1661, on the death of his younger brother *William*, and was a magistrate for that county. He married *Katherine*, daughter of *James Heron*, of Panfield Hall, Co. Essex, Esquire, and by her (who was buried at South Warnborough 26 December, 1682) had issue—

- I. WILLIAM, his heir, of whom presently.
- II. HENRY, of Sidling St. Nicholas, Co. Dorset; bap. at South Warnborough 4 October, 1664, and died 4 July, 1719, having had issue by *Anne*, his wife (who was buried at Cattistock 3 October, 1741)—

- I. *Henry*, died in infancy; buried at Cattistock 20 April, 1696.

* Buried at Swallowfield.

† The name is thus written in his will.

- ii. *Henry*, of North Sidling and West Holway, and of Chalmington, Co. Dorset; bap. 29 January, 1705; married 25 October, 1736, at Over Compton, Co. Dorset, *Mary*, daughter of *Thomas Michell*, Esquire, and by her (who died 17 September, 1737, and was buried at Over Compton) had issue—

Henry, baptized at Over Compton 18 September, 1737, who died, unmarried, in March, 1773.
His father—

Henry Bishop, of North Sidling, died 26 February, 1779, and was buried at Cattistock, when his estates devolved upon his nephews, *George Baker*, Esquire, of Frome St. Quintin, and *George Mayo*, Esquire, of Lower Compton.

- i. *Jane*, died young; buried at Cattistock 4 April, 1700.
- ii. *Ann*, married at Sidling St. Nicholas 23 February, 1715, to *Thomas Mayo*, of Abbots Wotton, Co. Dorset, Esquire, and had issue.
- iii. *Margaret*, married at Frome St. Quintin, to *John Baker*, of Sidling, Esquire, and had issue.
- iv. *Jane*, bap. at Cattistock 23 May, 1704; died, unmarried, and was buried at Cattistock 28 August, 1731.

- III. BENJAMIN, Captain in H. M. service; bap. at South Warnborough, 12 June, 1666; buried at Frensham, Surrey, 22 July, 1724.
- IV. THOMAS, bap. at South Warnborough 4 November, 1669; living in 1686; died, unmarried, ante 1700.
 - I. ANNE, married *Thomas Weekly*, Esquire, and had issue *Thomas*, bap. at South Warnborough 10 November, 1679.
 - II. MARY, bap. at Cattistock 3 July, 1653; died unmarried, and buried at South Warnborough 1 January, 1671.
 - III. KATHERINE, born at Cattistock 9 March, 1656; married (subsequently to 1686) to — *Tonstall*, Esquire; living in 1704.
 - IV. FLORA, married, ante 1686, to *Francis Prendcourt*, Esquire; living in 1704.
 - V. BRIDGETT, bap. at Cattistock 17 October, 1660; died unmarried, and buried at South Warnborough 13 December, 1682.
 - VI. *Elizabeth* (twin sister to Benjamin), bap. at South Warnborough 12 June, 1666; married 31 July, 1684, to *Eustace Hook*, of Hook, Co. Hants, Esquire, and afterwards to *Piercy Rowe*, Esquire; buried at South Warnborough 10 July, 1695.

Richard Bisshop died in 1704, and was buried at South Warnborough on 3 February of that year, when the estates devolved upon his eldest son,

WILLIAM BISSHOP or Bishopp, Esquire, of Holway and South Warnborough, and of Frensham, Co. Surrey; born at Holway 21 May, 1655; married (subsequently to 1686) *Elizabeth*, daughter of —

Holman, Esquire, and by her (who was buried at Frensham 23 June, 1721) had issue—

- I. WILLIAM, his heir, of whom presently.
- II. RICHARD, born November, 1692, of whom hereafter.
- III. HENRY, bap. at South Warnborough, 30 April, 1694.
- IV. THOMAS, bap. at South Warnborough 22 April, 1695; buried there 20 February, 1697.
- V. BENJAMIN, bap. at South Warnborough 24 April, 1700; buried 3 July, 1700.
- VI. FRANCIS, LL.B. in Holy Orders, bap. at South Warnborough 15 October, 1702; was presented to the living of Bentley by his brother *William* in 1733, and died April, 1760; buried at Bentley 12 April, 1760.
- I. ELIZABETH, bap. at South Warnborough 26 November, 1691.
- II. DOROTHEA, bap. at South Warnborough 16 January, 1698; married at Frensham 30 September, 1721, to *Robert Kitching*, Esquire, and had issue a daughter, Dorothy.

William Bisshop died in October, 1726, and was buried at Frensham 21 October. He was succeeded by his eldest son—

WILLIAM BISSHOP or BISHOP, Esquire, of Holway and In-park, Co. Dorset, and Frensham, Co. Surrey; bap. at South Warnborough 14 October, 1690; died at Frensham 21 May, 1758, having had issue by his wife *Betty*, daughter of — (who was buried at Frensham 22 May, 1775)—

- I. WILLIAM, his heir, of whom presently.

- II. RICHARD, born at Frensham 3 February, 1735; buried there 29 March, 1736.
- III. HENRY, born at Frensham 9 April, 1740, who succeeded his brother *William*.
- IV. CHARLES, born at Frensham 28 July, 1741 (living in 1758).
- I. ELIZABETH, born 16 January, 1724; died, unmarried, and buried at Frensham 14 March, 1795.
- II. ANNE, bap. at Frensham 19 February, 1725; died in infancy.
- III. ANNA, born at Frensham 26 January, 1726; died unmarried, and buried at Frensham 30 October, 1815.
- IV. JANE, born 23 January, 1728.
- V. CATHERINE, born 13 September, 1732, and buried at Frensham 1 April, 1736.
- VI. FRANCES (living in 1748).
- VII. MARY TERESA (living in 1748).
- VIII. CATHERINE, born 5 August, 1738; buried at Frensham 23 January, 1739.

Mr. Bisshop was buried at Frensham 26 May, 1758, and was succeeded in the family estates by his eldest son,

WILLIAM BISHOP, Esquire, born at Frensham 25 August, 1730; assumed by Royal license, 25 May, 1782, the additional surname of *Bendysh*, having succeeded to a life interest in the Bendysh Estates in the Counties of Essex, Cambridge and Huntingdon, under the will of *Mrs. Sarah Pyke*, daughter of *Sir John Bendysh*, Baronet, of Bower Hall, Co. Essex.*

* The Bendyshes were an ancient Essex family. *Thomas Bendysh*, who died in 1342, purchased the property at Steeple Bumpstead, now known as the Bower Hall Estate. *Thomas Bendysh*, of Steeple Bumpstead, Esquire, was created a Baronet in 1611, and Sir Henry Bendysh,

Mr. Bishop-Bendysh died without issue 26 April, 1790, and was buried at Frensham, having disposed of the Manors of Holway and In Park, and also of the Great Tithes of Seal, Frensham, Elsted and Bentley, in his lifetime, and was succeeded in the other estates by his brother,

HENRY BISHOP, Esquire, born at Frensham 9 April, 1740; married *Elizabeth*, daughter of — *Westfield*, Esquire, by whom (who died at Greyswood April, 1822, and was buried at Frensham, 25th,) he had issue—

- I. WILLIAM, his heir, of whom presently.
- II. HENRY, born 1781; died unmarried.
- III. SAMUEL HUNTON TOWNSEND, of Great Marlow, Co. Bucks; living in 1870; born at Clapham 25 January, 1783; married *Mary*, daughter of — *Bailey*, of High Wycombe, Co. Bucks, Esquire, by whom he had issue—

his great-grandson, dying without issue 4 September, 1717, the baronetcy became extinct and the family estates devolved upon his sister, *Sarah Bendysh* (sole surviving daughter of Sir John Bendysh, Baronet), who married *John Crouch Pyke*, of Bathorne Hall, Essex, Esquire. Mr. Pyke died 3 December, 1738, and his widow, who died in 1752, by her will, dated 1 September, 1751, bequeathed the Bendysh Estates to Sir Stephen Anderson, Baronet, and his issue; and in default of issue to John Ansell, Esquire, for life; and then to Mary Gosling, and in default of issue to William Bishop, of Frensham, Surrey, Esquire, for life, and to his son William Bishop, with remainder to Henry Bendysh, of Great Yarmouth, Norfolk, Esquire; and in default of issue, to her right heirs for ever; all of whom were to take the name of Bendysh with the estates, except Sir Stephen Anderson. All the above-named devisees having died issueless, the property passed to Mrs. Stevens, as right heir of the testatrix, and a descendant of Lady Dawes, daughter of Sir Thomas Bendysh, the second Baronet. The estates devolved upon William Bishop, Esquire, of Frensham, in 1782 (his father being then dead), who thereupon assumed the additional name of Bendysh as directed by the testatrix.

- I. *William*.
- II. *Henry*, died unmarried.
- III. *Samuel*, died unmarried.
- IV. *Richard*.
 - I. *Mary Anne*, died an infant.
 - II. *Eliza*.

IV. RICHARD (Major in H.M. 5th Regiment of Foot), born at Clapham 25 March, 1784; died at St. Domingo, West Indies, unmarried, in 1821.

I. ELIZABETH, born 1776; married — *Frazer*, Esquire; died at Haslemere, without issue, and was buried there 3 December, 1838.

II. ANNA FRANCES, born 19 December, 1777; married in May, 1816, at St. George's, Hanover Square, to *John Cuming*, Esquire, J.P. for the County of Surrey, and died in January, 1869, leaving issue an only son, *George Walker Cuming*, born at Greyswood 8 September, 1817. Mr. Cuming died 10 October, and was buried at Haslemere 17 October, 1854.

Mr. Henry Bishop died 21 April, 1784, and was buried at Frensham; his eldest son,

WILLIAM BISHOP, Esquire, of Frithinghurst* and Greyswood, Co. Surrey; born 1780; entered Christchurch College, Oxford, 1798; joined the Hon. Society of Lincoln's Inn, 1801; called to the Bar 1806; married *Harriot* daughter of — *Saunders*, Esquire (who died at Southsea, 23 December, 1863, and was buried at Southampton), and died at Southampton 26 November, 1833, leaving issue—

* Frithinghurst is a manor in the Parish of Chiddingfold, Co. Surrey, which has been in possession of the family for many generations, and adjoins Greyswood, a small estate purchased by Mr. Bishop.

- I. JOHN CUMING, an officer in H.M. service, wounded at the battle of Moodkee, 18 December, 1845, and died in consequence.
- II. HENRY PARLETT, Lieut.-Colonel in the Royal Artillery.
- III. RICHARD PRETTYMAN, Major in H.M. 18th "Royal Irish" Regiment of Foot, died unmarried, 6th July, 1872.
 - I. ANNA, married to — *Theobald*, Esquire.
 - II. HARIOT, married to Lieut.-Colonel *W. H. Lomer*.
 - III. ELIZABETH, married to *Major-General Sir Francis Welcher*, Baronet, C.B.

ARMORIAL BEARINGS.

Argent, on a bend cotised gules, three bezants.*

QUARTERINGS.

1. As above.
2. Gules, a chevron between three escallops argent, for *Milborne*.
3. Gules, fretty ermine, for *Eynesford*.
4. Argent, a bend between six martlets gules, a crescent for difference, for *Furnival*.

* These arms, with a short descent of the family, down to Richard Bisshop, son of William Bisshop, of Holway, Co. Dorset, temp. 1627, are given in "Guillim's Display of Heraldry."

Also in the Harleian Manuscripts, No. 1476, and in the Visitation of London in 1633 and 1634 by Henry St. George, Richmond Herald, Folio 177, which contains the pedigree of the family, commencing with John Bisshop, of Tillington, and ending with the three eldest children of Richard Bisshop, living in 1633, accompanied by a neatly drawn shield of nine quarterings as above described, surmounted by the crest, an eagle's head erased, party per fess or and gules, beaked of the last.

Harleian MS., No. 1539. (Visitations of Dorsetshire in 1574 & 1623,) Folio 181 b., also contains a pedigree of five descents, beginning with

5. Or, a fret gules, for *Verdon*.
6. Argent, a lion rampant per fess gules and sable, for *Lovetot*.
7. Argent, a chevron gules between three hurts, a crescent for difference, for *Baskerville*.
8. Azure, a bend cotised between six crozlets fitchée or, for *Blackett*.
9. Same as 1.

CREST.

An eagle's head erased, party per fesse or and gules, beaked of the last.

MOTTO.

Pro Deo et Ecclesiâ.

Thomas Bisshop, of Co. Gloucester and Dorset, and ending with the children of William Bisshop, who married *Alice*, daughter of William Dunning, accompanied by a tricked shield of the arms and crest as above described.

The additional MS., No. 5533, page 249, also gives a similar pen and ink sketch of the above arms and quarterings as being "entered in the Visitation of London, 1633, by Henry St. George, Richmond, and approved by Sir Henry St. George, Knight, Clarenceaux."

The Visitation of Hants in 1686 also gives a sketch of the above arms and quarterings, and continues the pedigree of the family down to the year 1686, ending with the children of Richard Bisshop and Katherine his wife.

BISSHOP OR BISHOP,

Of SHELTON HALL, Co. STAFFORD.

RICHARD BISSHOP, or BISHOP, Esquire, second son of William Bisshop, Esquire, of Holway and South Warnborough, bap. at South Warnborough, 24 November, 1692, died 1st December, 1749, leaving issue by *Anne* his wife (who died in June, 1757)—

- I. RICHARD, of whom presently.
- II. JOHN, bap. 30 May, 1731; buried at Basingstoke, 3 December, 1789, having had issue by *Elizabeth*, his wife (who predeceased him, and was buried at Basingstoke, 6 August, 1778)—
 - i. *Elizabeth*, bap. 8 December, 1757; married, 23 June, 1774, *Brudenell Exton*, Esquire, of Alton, Co. Hants; buried at Basingstoke, 16 February, 1778.
 - ii. *Anne*, bap. 6 March, 1760; buried 23 March, 1761.
 - iii. *Mary*, bap. 12 January, 1763.
 - iv. *Penelope*, bap. 12 December, 1765.
 - v. *Charlotte*, bap. 14 Mar. 1770.

Mr. Bisshop was buried at Frensham, 4 December, 1749; his eldest son,

RICHARD BISSHOP, or BISHOP, bap. 10 January, 1728; married *Sardh*, daughter of — *Cesar*, Esquire, (who was married, secondly, circa. 1777, to William Varndell, Esquire; and, thirdly, 9 April, 1792, to Nicholas Windover, Esquire,) and died March, 1772, having had issue—

- I. RICHARD, bap. 9 January, 1758, died in infancy.
- II. WILLIAM, of whom presently.
- III. JOHN, of Kingsclere, Co. Hants; bap. 29 August, 1763; died s.p. February, 1845.*
- IV. GEORGE, bap. 12 April, 1765; died unmarried; buried 2 May, 1788, at Odiham, Hants.
- V. EDMUND, bap. 24 February, 1766; died unmarried, and was buried at Basingstoke, 27 February, 1792.
- VI. ROBERT, bap. 29 June, 1768; died unmarried, and was buried at Odiham, 2 March, 1788.
- VII. CHARLES, bap. 12 January, 1770; died in 1814.
- VIII. RICHARD, bap. 21 June, 1772.
 - I. SARAH, bap. 28 June, 1760; married 12 May, 1791, to William Henry Thomas, Esquire.
 - II. FRANCES, bap. 30 April, 1763; died unmarried, 4 January, 1791.
 - III. MARY, bap. 11 April, 1771; died unmarried.

Mr. Bisshop was buried at Basingstoke, 14 March 1772, and was succeeded by his eldest surviving son,

WILLIAM BISHOP, Esquire, bap. 15 March, 1759; married in 1785 *Elizabeth*, daughter of — *Trimmer*,

* Buried at Bentworth.

Esquire (who died in September, 1803), by whom he had issue—

- I. WILLIAM, of whom presently.
- II. RICHARD, born 4 June, 1787; buried at Basingstoke, 21 November, 1791.
- III. CHARLES, born 28 August, 1789; married 15 September, 1812, *Maria*, youngest daughter of *G. Holton*, Esquire, and had issue two sons and three daughters.
- IV. JOHN LIMBREY, born 4 March, 1792; lieutenant R.N.; died unmarried, 27 June, 1824; buried at Baswich, Co. Stafford.
- V. FREDERICK, born 24 July, 1795; buried 2 October, 1795.
- I. ELIZABETH, bap. 9 April, 1793; married circ., 1816, *Boyce Holton*, Esquire; died 4 May, 1839.
- II. MARIA, born 28 May, 1794; married 19th May, 1826, *Charles Hollingbery*, of Hanley, Esquire, and died a widow in 1868, leaving issue two sons.
- III. EMMA, born 4 July, 1801; married 17 March, 1821, *William Strugnell*, lieutenant R.N.; died in December, 1843, leaving issue five sons and four daughters.

Mr. Bishop married secondly, 4 April, 1805, *Anne Esther*, daughter of *Richard Tovey*, Esquire, by whom (who afterwards married, secondly, *J. Dale*, Esquire, and died 1 January, 1872), he had issue—

- I. FRANCIS TOVEY, born 30 March, 1807; died 12 March, 1864.
- II. ALFRED CESAR, of whom hereafter.

- I. ANNE, born 12 March, 1807 ; died 16 March, 1844.

Mr. William Bishop died 12 February, 1813, was buried at Basingstoke, and was succeeded by his eldest son,

WILLIAM BISHOP, Esquire, of Shelton Hall, Co. Stafford ; born 22 March, 1786 ; married 6 August, 1810, *Mary Ann*, daughter and heiress of *Charles Chatterley*, Esquire, of Shelton Hall (who died 16 June, 1821, and was buried at Hanley, Co. Stafford,) and died 28 June, 1849, having had issue—

- I. CHARLES WILLIAM, born 3 May, 1811 ; died 10 March, 1812.
- II. WILLIAM CHATTERLEY, of whom presently.
- III. FREDERIC, of The Mount, Stoke-on-Trent, Co. Stafford, J.P. ; born 5 December, 1815 ; married *Eliza Agnes*, second daughter of *James Watson*, Esquire, of Toutley Hall, Co. Berks, niece of Sir John Watson Gordon, R.A., by whom he had issue—

- I. *William Henry*, born 4 November, 1843 ; married, 8 July, 1865, *Sarah*, daughter of *William Hobbins*, of Beekbury, Co. Salop.
- II. *James Watson*, born 1 February, 1847 ; married 21 March, 1876, *Addaide Mary*, daughter of *Harry Coghill*, of Brampton Tree House, Newcastle-under-Lyne, Co. Stafford, Esquire.
- III. *Frederic Sillery*, born 12 July, 1848, elected Fellow of St. John's College, Oxford, 1873 ; married 20 July, 1876, *Amy*, youngest daughter of the late

John Trotter, Esquire, of Dyrham Park, Co. Herts, formerly Captain 2nd Life Guards.

IV. *John Watson Gordon*, born 25 December, 1849.

V. *George Adderley*, born 24 February, 1853; died, unmarried, 31 December, 1875.

VI. *Charles Howard*, born 16 January, 1861; died 10 November, 1866.

VII. *Henry George Chatterley*, born 21 October, 1863.

VIII. *Robert Digby*, born 23 October, 1865.

I. *Catherine Fanny*, born 5 April, 1845.

II. *Penelope Marion*, born 19 August, 1851.

III. *Agnes Eliza*, born 18 September, 1854.

IV. *Emily Charlotte*, born 11 March, 1858.

V. *Jemima Albinia*, born 2 March, 1862; died 24 August, 1862.

IV. GEORGE, M.A., Clerk in Holy Orders, late Vicar of Wolvey, Co. Warwick; born 11 April, 1820; married, 11 July, 1851, *Ann Elizabeth*, daughter of *Daniel Fleming Wilson*, Captain R.N., and died 5 June, 1873, leaving issue—

I. *William Chatterley*, born 24 January, 1853.

II. *George*, born 22 September, 1857; died 6 October, 1863.

I. *Eleanor*, born 4 May, 1854.

II. *Emily*, born 18 April, 1860.

I. EMMA, born 3 June, 1812; married, 12 December, 1848, *Robert Garner*, Esquire.

II. ELLEN, born 20 May, 1814; married, 21 April, 1846, *George Hay Smyth Yates*, Major, H.M. Indian Army, and died February, 1873, leaving issue three daughters.

- III. EMILY, born 18 November, 1816.
- IV. CHARLOTTE AUGUSTA, born 18 November, 1817; died, unmarried, 5 November, 1865.
- V. JANE, born 28 November, 1818; married, 8 January, 1846, the Reverend *William Kermode*; died 30 September, 1858, leaving issue four sons and five daughters.

Mr. William Bishop married secondly, 9 November, 1822, *Emma*, daughter of *Henry Hadley*, Esquire (who died 19 May, 1857), by whom he had issue—

- I. HENRY, born March, 1824; died 11 September, 1824.
- II. HARRY, born 9 September, 1825; died unmarried, 30 November, 1855.
- III. ALFRED, born 22 September, 1827; died unmarried, 28 November, 1847.
- IV. THOMAS LLOYD, born September, 1830; died in 1832.
- V. WALTER, born 29 April, 1834; died unmarried, 25 September, 1856.
- I. LOUISA BEATA, born 4 April, 1829; died unmarried, 11 November, 1864.
- II. MATILDA, born 22 April, 1832; married 29 April, 1856, *James Bass*, of Olney, Co. Bucks. Esquire.
- III. CAROLINE, born 1 January, 1836; married 15 January, 1868, the Reverend *William Russell Blackett*, M.A.; died 2 February, 1875.
- IV. MARIA JANET, born 23 June, 1838; married 9 July, 1861, *Francis Bagley*, Esquire.
- V. JULIA VICESIMA, born 25 September, 1840.

Mr. William Bishop died 28 June, 1840, and was succeeded by his eldest surviving son—

WILLIAM CHATTERLEY BISHOP, M.A., of Shelton Hall, Co. Stafford, Clerk in Holy Orders, formerly Vicar of Upton, Co. Northampton; born 24 April, 1813; elected Fellow of St. John's College, Cambridge, 1839; married 11 February, 1840, *Janet*, youngest daughter of Sir *Robert Dunbar*, of Durn, Co. Banff, Baronet (and fifteenth in descent from *Robert II.*, King of Scotland, through his daughter, *Princess Marjory*, who married *John Dunbar*, Earl of Moray.)

ARMORIAL BEARINGS.

Same as Bisshop, of Tillington Court, &c., and for cadency a crescent gules.

CREST.

An eagle's head erased, party per fesse or and gules, beaked of the last.

ANOTHER CREST.*

On a ducal coronet or, a griffin séjant argent, resting the dexter claw on an escutcheon of the last.

MOTTO.

Pro Deo et Ecclesiâ.

* In the earlier pedigrees of the family, as set forth in the Harleian MSS., noticed in page 16, no mention is made of this Crest, and it is uncertain by whom it was first adopted, but it has been borne by this and other branches of the family for many generations.

BISSHOP OR BISHOP,

Of BRAMDEAN Co. HANTS.

THE REVEREND ALFRED CÆSAR BISHOP, or BISSHOP (M.A., Oxon), of Bramdean House, in the County of Hants, Clerk in Holy Orders, instituted to the living of Martyr Worthy, Co. Hants, 1851, and to that of Bramdean, in the same Co., 1866; born 23 February, 1811; married, first, on 24 August, 1834, *Lucy Sarah Anne*, only daughter of *Sir James* and the *Right Honourable Lady Frances Webster Wedderburn* (who died at Martyr Worthy, 24 April, 1864), by whom he had issue—

- I. JAMES FRANCIS WEDDERBURN.
- II. HOWARD ARTHUR WEDDERBURN, of "Hawkey Uplands," Co. Hants.
- III. HENRY, late H.M. 89th and 22nd Regiments of Foot.
- IV. HERBERT ALFRED, late H.M. Indian Army.
- V. ROBIN WEDGEWOOD SHIRREFF.
- VI. HELYAR WEDDERBURN.
- VII. WILLIAM USBORNE DOUGLAS.
- VIII. PHILIP GEORGE CROSBIE.
- IX. FREDERICK WILLIAM.
- I. MATILDA ELLEN.
- II. ALICE LUCY, married, 9 April, 1872, *Robert Willoughby*, eldest son and heir of *Robert*

George Luxton, of Brushford Barton, Co. Devon, Esquire, by whom, who died 11 November, 1876, she has issue.

III. FRANCES ANNE AUGUSTA.

and, secondly, on 4 April, 1866, *Louisa Frances Katharine*, daughter of the Hon. and Rev. *Augustus George Legge*, Chancellor and Archdeacon of Winchester, and Rector of Wonston, Hants.

ARMORIAL BEARINGS.

Same as Bysshop, or Bisshop, of Tillington Court, &c.;—within a crescent gules a crescent or, for cadency.

CREST.

An eagle's head erased, party per fesse or and gules, beaked of the last.

ANOTHER CREST.

On a ducal coronet or, a griffin sejant argent, resting the dexter claw on an escutcheon of the last.

MOTTO.

Pro Deo et Ecclesiâ.

RICHARD BISSHOP,
Of METFORD and IN-PARK,
AND HIS DESCENDANTS (EXTINCT).

RICHARD BISSHOP, of Metford, Esquire, fourth son of William Bisshop, of Holway, Esquire, and Bride his wife; bap. at Cattistock 2 January, 1583-4; married twice. By *Elizabeth*, his first wife, he had issue an only son,

WILLIAM, of whom presently;

and by his second wife, *Mary Carne*; married at Cattistock 9 January, 1614-5, he had issue—

I. RICHARD, bap. 19 May, 1617, and died young.

II. FRANCIS, of In-Park; bap. in 1619, and buried at Cattistock 12 July, 1700, aged 81; who had issue by *Isabella* his wife—

I. *Francis*, bap. 10 October, 1651; married *Fanc*, daughter of —, but died without issue (buried 26 July, 1696); his widow survived till 1714, and was buried on 8 August.

II. *Richard*, of In-Park; bap. 28 November, 1657, and was buried 23 February, 1726-7; and by *Margery* his wife, who died a widow, and was buried 11 May, 1743, he had issue—

1. *Francis*, bap. 30 April, 1696, and buried 1 January, 1698-9.

2. *Francis*, of Rampisham, Co. Dorset, in 1728; bap. 28 March, 1699, and had issue—

1. *William*, buried at Cattistock
20 June, 1728.
1. *Catherine*, buried at same
place 14 October, 1733.
3. *John*, bap. 3 January, 1700-1; died
young.
4. *Henry*, bap. 4 May, 1703; died young.
5. *George*, bap. 9 January, 1708-9; mar-
ried *Mary*, daughter of *Samuel*
Palmer, of Southover, Sussex, and
had issue—

Samuel, M.A., Clerk in Holy
Orders; born in London 21
September, 1731; Head-
Master of Merchant Taylors'
School, Rector of Ditton,
Kent, and of St. Martin's,
Outwich, London; * mar-
ried, in 1768, *Mary*, daughter
of *Joseph Palmer*, of Old
Malling, near Lewes, Sussex
(who married, secondly, Rev.
Thomas Clare, M.A., Rector
of St. Bride's, London), and
died 17 November, 1795,
aged 64.

1. *Isabella*, bap. 17 February, 1691-2.
 2. *Mary*, bap. 12 September, 1694.
111. *William*, bap. 8 March, 1658-9, and died un-
married; buried 5 August, 1683.
1. *Mary*, bap. 8 May, 1646; died an infant.

* Entered Merchant Taylors' School 6 June, 1743; elected to St. John's College, Oxford, 11 June, 1750, and admitted a Scholar on 25th of the same month; to a Fellowship in June, 1753; B.A., 24 April, 1754; ordained Deacon 1754 and a Priest in 1755; M.A., 11 April, 1758; Under-Master of Merchant Taylors' School 26 July, 1758, and elected Head-Master in January, 1783; an office which he continued to hold till his death, together with the above rectories.

- II. *Edith*, bap. 4 July, 1648.
- III. *Mary*, born 20 November, 1649; died unmarried, and buried 11 November, 1702.
- IV. *Agnes*, born 3 June, 1654.
- V. *Katherine*, born 14 May, 1656.
- VI. *Mellior*, bap. 16 December, 1660; died unmarried; buried 23 July, 1746.
- VII. *Grace*, bap. 10 September, 1663.
- VIII. *Anne*, bap. 1 November, 1666.
- III. LEWIS, bap. 13 September, 1621.
- IV. THOMAS, bap. 26 September, 1624, and buried 18 November, 1632.
- V. HENRY, bap. 18 June, 1626.
- I. ANNE, bap. 16 March, 1627-8.
- II. KATHERINE, bap. 12 November, 1630, and buried 5 September, 1631.

Mr. Richard Bisshop died on 31 December, 1660, aged 76. and was buried in Cattistock Church, January 8. He was succeeded by his eldest son,

WILLIAM BISSHOP, Esquire, of Metford; bap. 22 May, 1611; married, first, on 3 June, 1630, *Elizabeth Bartlet*, who died issueless; and, secondly, on 13 July, 1637, *Mellia Bradford*, by whom he had issue—

- I. RICHARD, his heir.
- I. MARY, bap. 5 January, 1639-40.
- II. IBBIT, bap. 9 July, 1643; died unmarried, and buried at Cattistock 27 February, 1724-5.

His only son,

RICHARD BISHOP, of Metford, bap. 6 January, 1637-8; married *Margarct*, daughter of —, by whom, who died a widow and was buried 7 September, 1731, he had issue—

- I. RICHARD, his heir.
- II. SAMUEL, of Cerne Abbots, Co. Dorset; bap. 28 October, 1684, and had issue by *Mary* his wife a daughter *Mary*, bap. 13 July, 1718.
- I. *Mary*, bap. 11 July, 1692.

Mr. Bishop died in 1714, and was buried at Cattistock on 20 June. His eldest son,

RICHARD BISHOP, married, on 8 January, 1709-10. *Susanna Elby*, by whom (who died a widow, and was buried 24 December, 1739,) he had issue—

- I. WILLIAM, bap. 7 October, 1710, and buried on 12th of the same month.
- II. ELBY, his heir.
- III. RICHARD, bap. 3 February, 1721-2; died sine prole.
 - I. ANNE, bap. 30 April, 1715; married *William Spraxley*, of Wraxall, 24 November, 1753.
 - II. GRACE, bap. 11 September, 1718; married *Peter Sannways*, of Netherbury, 6 August, 1738.

Mr. Bishop was buried at Cattistock 6 February, 1721-2. His eldest surviving son,

ELBY BISHOP, bap. 28 February, 1711-2; married, on 21 August, 1736, *Sarah Bradford*, by whom (who died and was buried 15 December, 1766,) he had issue—

- I. WILLIAM, bap. 21 June, 1737; married *Anne Stone* on 4 February, 1764, and died without issue in his father's lifetime; buried, at Cattistock, 3 March, 1766, aged 29. His widow survived him more than forty years, and was buried on 14 August, 1807, aged 69.
- I. SARAH, bap. 27 September, 1729, and was buried on 12 December, same year.

Mr. Elby Bishop dying without surviving issue, in May, 1772 (buried on 25th), aged 61, this branch of the family became extinct.

APPENDIX.

Agnes, WIFE OF John Bysshop, Esquire.

The Inquisition Post Mortem on the death of *Alice*, the wife of *Malculin de la Mare*, who died seized of a part of Kidderminster Manor in Worcestershire, was taken at Worcester on the Saturday nearest after the Feast of All Saints, in 2 Henry IV. (viz., on November 6, 1400.) The Jury stated that the said second part of Kidderminster Manor and the other two parts were held of the King in chief, and the worth of the said second part in all its issues was £10 per annum. They also stated that the aforesaid *Alice* died on the Monday nearest after the Feast of the Nativity of St. John the Baptist last past (viz., June 28, 1400), and that *Agnes*, wife of *John Bysshop*, is kinswoman and heir of the aforesaid *Alice*, namely, daughter of *Robert*, brother of the aforesaid *Alice*, and is of the age of forty years and more.*

This *Alice* was sister of *Robert Burguillon*, who is mentioned as one of the trustees of the property in a settlement of it made in the reign of Richard II.

There was also another Inquisition taken at Shrewsbury before William Banastre, the King's Escheator for the County of Salop, on 18 November, 1400; in which the Jury say upon their oaths that *Alice*, who was the wife of *Malculin de la Mare*,† held no lands or tenements in her demesne or in service as of the fee of the lord King in chief in the county aforesaid on the day which the same *Alice* died, and on what day the same *Alice* died, and who is her nearest heir, or the age of her heir, they know not.‡

TRANSLATION OF CARDINAL BEAUFORT'S APPOINTMENT OF JOHN BYSSHOP TO THE OFFICE OF PARK-KEEPER OF POUNSFORD, NEAR TAUNTON, SOMERSETSHIRE.

"HENRY by the Divine mercy of the title of St. Eusebius, Cardinal Priest of the Holy Roman Church, Cardinal of England and Bishop

* Inquis. Post Mortem, 2 Henry IV., No. 43.

† *Malculin de la Mare* presented to the Vicarage of Kidderminster in 1391, and again in 1395.

‡ Inquis. Post Mortem, 2 Henry IV., No. 5.

of Winchester. To all to whom these present letters shall come, health in our Lord. Know ye, that we, greatly trusting the fidelity and diligence of our beloved servant and tenant JOHN BISSHOP of our Borough of Taunton, have ordained, constituted and appointed, and by these presents ordain, constitute and appoint the said JOHN Park-keeper of our Park of Ponsford, near Taunton. To have and to keep our park to our advantage, honor and utility, as to be responsible to us, for the term of the life of the said JOHN BISSHOP, and to receive the wages and fees to the same of old due and accustomed for the aforesaid office during the above-mentioned term. We command therefore our officers and tenants, in all and singular, which belong to the aforesaid JOHN, as our Park-keeper aforesaid, as well as in those matters which belong to his office, shall obey and perform all things as becometh. Given under our seal employed for our episcopal transactions, in our Manor of Esher, the 28th day of January, the 23rd year of the reign of my lord King Henry VI., after the conquest A.D. 1444-5."

William Waynefflete who, in 1447, succeeded Cardinal Beaufort as Bishop of Winchester, on the 24th March, 1460-1, by an instrument in similar words, appointed his "beloved servant JOHN BISSHOP, Esquire," Janitor of his castle of Taunton and Keeper of all and singular his woods within his lordship of Taunton. To hold the said office himself or by a sufficient deputy agreeable to and as long as it should please the Bishop, and he was to receive for the office of Janitor two-pence a day, and a similar sum for the keepership of the woods, and another two-pence per day in money for the fees and issues of the lordship, there to be paid him by the hands of the Bishop's receiver for the time being, together with all the other emoluments, profits and advantages, to the aforesaid offices of old due and accustomed.

On 16th September, 1461, Bishop Waynefflete granted by charter to the same "JOHN BYSSHOP, Esquire, our servant," several parcels of land in the town and market-place of Taunton and near the cemetery of the borough, and another piece of land in Fore Street, near St. Andrew's Chantry, to be held by the aforesaid JOHN BYSSHOP, his heirs and assigns, for ever; paying yearly to the Bishop and his successors in the See of Winchester twenty-pence, with the usual warranty on the part of the Bishop for himself and his successors, and concludes, "In testimony of which, to this our present charter we have affixed our seal, these being witnesses — John Lysle and John Seymour, Knights; Thomas Uvedale, Thomas Gyan, Richard Burton and others. Given in our Palace of Wolvesey the 16th day of September, in the first year of the reign of King Edward IV."

On the 1st June, 1465, he obtained a confirmation from Bishop Waynefflete of his two previous appointments for life, also of the

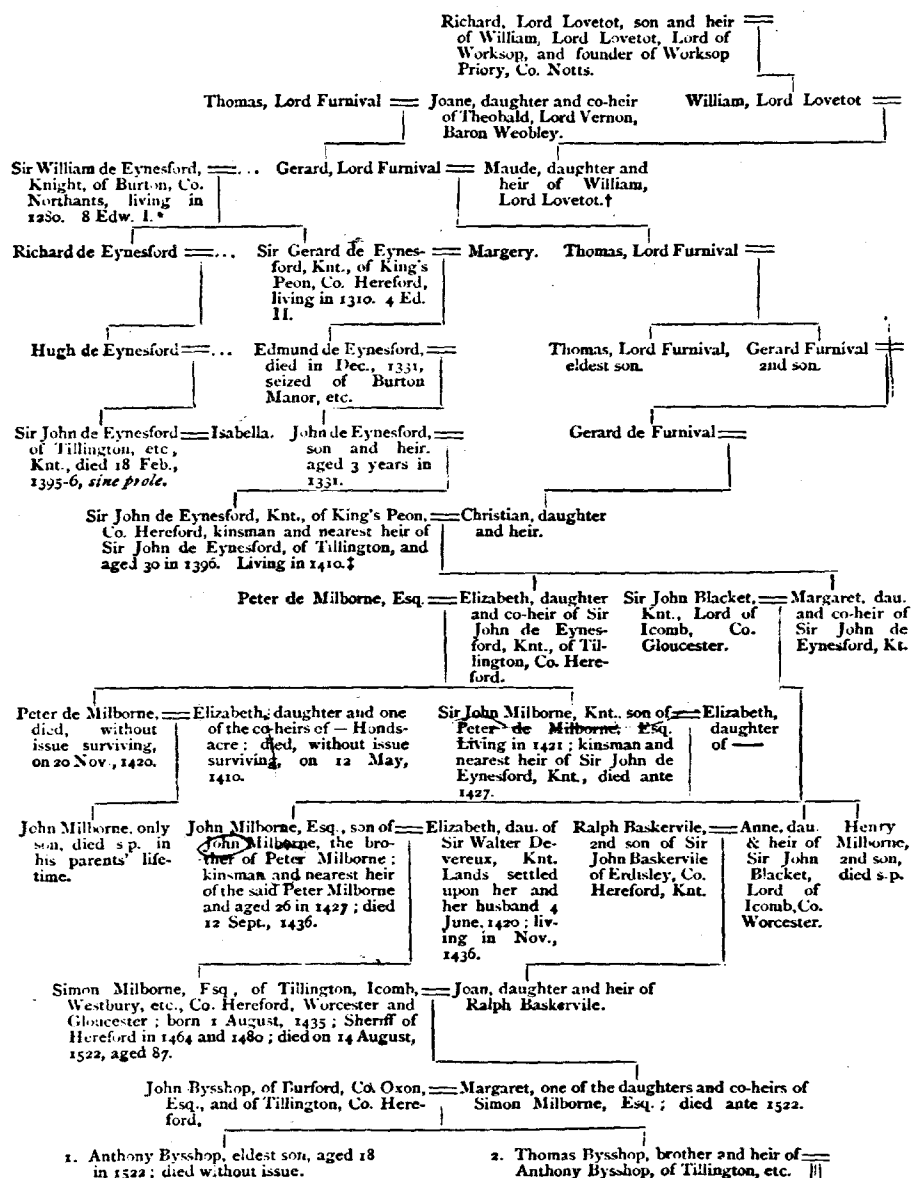
Janitorship of Taunton for the same period, by three different instruments under the Bishop's seal; dated at Waltham on 1st June, 5 Edward IV.; one for each office, viz., Park-keeper of Poundsford, Janitor of Taunton Castle, and Keeper of all the Woods within the Bishop's lordship of Taunton. In each of these documents the Bishop styles him, "Our most beloved servant JOHN BYSSHOP, of our Borough of Taunton, in the County of Somerset, Esquire."

This JOHN BISSHOP died in 1470, as on the 10th November, 1470, Bishop Wayneflete issued a commission for the administration of the goods of JOHN BISSHOP, deceased and intestate.

"Also on the 10th day of the month of November, in the year of our Lord MCCCCLXX., at Southwark, the administration of the goods of JOHN BISSHOP, lately dwelling at Farnham, deceased, intestate, was committed to Master Richard Newbrigge, Perpetual Vicar of the Parish Church of Farnham aforesaid, and to Richard Parson of the same; with power to pay the creditors what is due to them, and to dispose the residue, if any, for the health of the soul of the deceased."

His son, JOHN BISSHOP, Esquire, was Provost of the Manor of Downton, Co. Wilts, in 1486, one of the Lordships of the Bishopric of Winchester, and died in 1497.

PEDIGREE OF MARGARET MILBORNE, WIFE OF JOHN BISSHOP, ESQUIRE,
OF TILLINGTON, CO. HEREFORD.



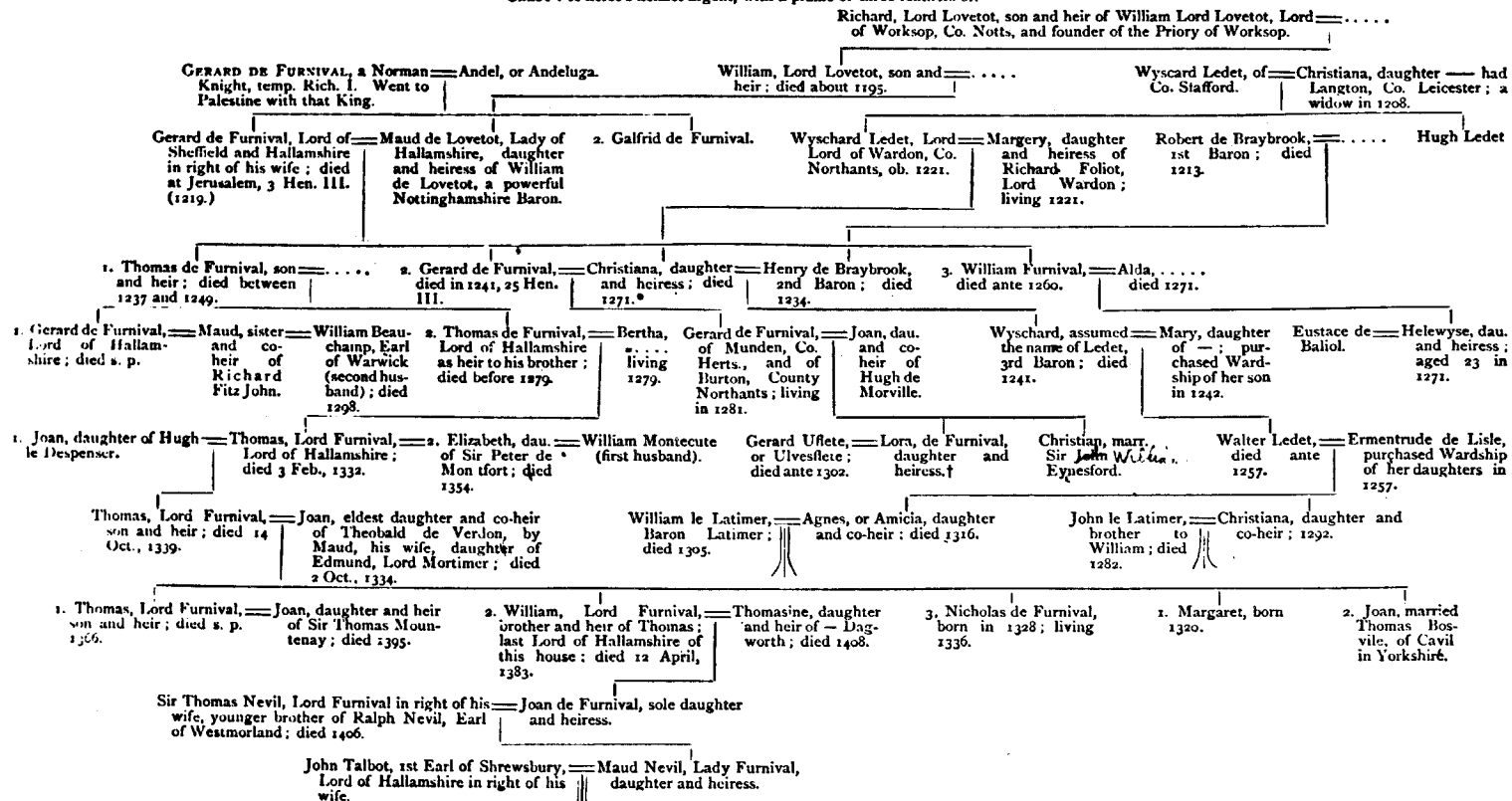
* His armorial bearings are given upon the Roll of Arms, temp. Edw. I., belonging to the Society of Antiquaries. William de Eylesford, gives, fretty ermine. A Sir William de Eynesford was one of the knights who tilted at the tournament at Dunstaple in 1329, 7 Edw. I.

† These descents of the Furnival family are given as in the Harleian MSS., Nos. 1140, 1159, 1442, 1545 and 1566, though they do not agree with the pedigrees hereafter set forth, which give the Verdon match some generations below the Lovetot marriage. They are, however, given for the sake of showing the order in which the Heralds of the 16th century brought in the quarterings assigned by them to the family of Bissshop of Holway and South Warborough. The Eynesford and Milborne descents are given from documentary evidences, principally Inquisitions post mortem.

‡ This Sir John de Eynesford married a lady named Margaret, who occurs as his wife in 1410. The Furnival match being placed much too low down in the pedigree. The proper place of such marriage would seem to be opposite the name of Sir William de Eynesford, who was living in 1250, as will be seen by comparing the dates given in the correct pedigree of the Furnival family.

PEDIGREE OF THE FURNIVAL FAMILY (ACCORDING TO OTHER AUTHORITIES).

ARMS : Argent, a bend between six martlets gules.
 CREST : A horse's helmet argent, with a plume of three feathers or.



* It appears by an Inquisition "ad quod damnum" taken at Geddington in 1280 (8 Edw. I.) Sir William de Eylesford, or Eynesford, Knight, held the Manor of Burton (Burton Latimer), Co. Northants, by grant of Lady Christiana, who acquired it by grant from her son, Gerard de Furnival; and it is not unlikely that Sir William was her third husband. In 1331 Edmund de Eynesford died seized of two parts of Burton Manor, the son and heir of Sir Gerard de Eynesford, a younger son of Sir William de Eynesford.

† The Inquisition taken in Hertfordshire after the death of William de Kirkeby, on 9 August, 1302, records that the said William held the Manor of Mundene Furnivale with the advowson of the Church, of Lora, who was the wife of John de Ulvesflete, daughter and heir of Gerard de Furnivale. — *Inquis. post mortem*, 30 Edw. I., No. 31.

NOTES AND EVIDENCE ILLUSTRATIVE OF THE **Milborne** PEDIGREE.

In the year 1280 (8 Edward I.), William de Eylesford, of Burton, in Northamptonshire, complained on account of himself and tenants being sued for 75s. payable yearly at the ward of the King's Castle of Rockingham, inasmuch as Christiana de Furnival lately held the Barony of Wardon, together with fifteen knights' fees belonging to the same barony, for which she was accustomed to pay 75s. annually at the ward of the aforesaid castle by the hand of the bailiff of her Manor of Burton; and William le Latimer and John le Latimer, his brother, who have married Christiana and Agnes, two sisters and the heirs of the same barony, have collected annually and detained the 75s.; and the tenants of the said William de Eylesford are grievously distrained by the constable of the castle for payment of the same to the ward of the castle.*

His grandson, Edmund de Eylesford, died in 1331, seized of two parts of Burton Manor (the other, or third part, appears to have been in the hands of his mother, as her dower), and four marks of rents in Craneford, Northants. (Writ "ad diem suum clausit extremum" is tested 21 January, 1331-2, 5 Edward III.) Leaving John de Eylesford his son and heir, aged three years and more.†

Sir John Eylesford, otherwise Eynesford, of Tillington, Co. Hereford, Knight, cousin to the above, namely, grandson of Richard de Eynesford, uncle to Edmund, died on the 18th of February, 1395-6, seized in fee tail of Tillington Manor, held of Thomas Lord Berkley, and one third of Westbury Manor, Co. Gloucester; also the Manor of Bouleswas and the advowson of its church and the Manor of Isenbridge. Isabella, his wife, survived him, and Sir John de Eynesford, Knight, the son of John, the son of Edmund, the son of Gerard,‡ the brother of Richard, the father of Hugh, the father of this John de Eynesford now deceased, was declared to be his kinsman and nearest heir, and of the age of 30 years and more.§

Isabella, widow of the first-mentioned Sir John de Eynesford, afterwards married Richard de la Mare, and died on 17 September, 1421, holding in dower the third part of Westbury Manor and the Manor of

* Inq. P. M., 8 Edw. I., No. 37.

† Inq. P. M., 5 Edw. III., 1st Nos. 43.

‡ Sir Gerard de Eylesford, son of Sir William de Eylesford, in 1311, gave to the Priory of Wormsley, the advowson of the Church of King's Pyon, together with an acre of land.—*Carta Domini Gerardi de Eylesford, militis, de advocacione Ecclesie de Pyona Regis. In cartulario Prioratus de Wormesley. Fol. 69 Harl. MS., 3586.* This grant was confirmed by Sir John de Eylesford, Knight, on 10 October, 1380, 4 Rich. II.

§ Inq. P. M., 19 Rich. II., No. 22.

Brimfield; also in dowry the third part of Tillington Manor, with the reversion belonging to John de Merbury, John Brugge and Peter Vyntier, Esquires, by the concession of John Milborne, son of Peter de Milborne, Esquire; and on the death of Isabella they granted the above properties to John, the son of Peter de Milborne and Elizabeth his wife, to them and their heirs for ever. She also held for life only, by the grants of Malculin de la Mare and others, the Manor of Yeddeseu, which, after her death, was to revert to William Crofte, son and heir of John de Crofte. Richard de la Mare died on 1 February, 1435-6, seized of the Manors of Boulewas, Isenbridge and Brimfield, in right of his late wife, relict of Sir John de Eynesford, Knight.*

Sir John de Eynesford, Knight (the kinsman and heir of Sir John de Eynesford), and Margaret his wife, in 1410, settled the Manor of Houton upon Isabella and Richard de la Mare for their lives, and on the death of Richard de la Mare it was to revert to John Milborne, kinsman and heir of Sir John de Eylesford, Knight, and to his heirs for ever.†

An Inquisition taken at Wragby, Lincolnshire, on 23 September, 1426, testifies that Elizabeth, who was the wife of Peter Milborne, deceased, held a third part of the Manor of Estrington in that county, in her demesne as of the fee, and so seized, she married the aforesaid Peter, and had issue a son named John, who died in Elizabeth's lifetime; and afterwards the said Elizabeth died, seized of the aforesaid part, after whose death the said Peter continued to hold the same by the law of England. The said Elizabeth died on 12th May, 1412 (13 Henry IV.), and Peter Milborne, her late husband, died on 2nd October, 1419‡ (7 Henry V.); and John Milborne is the kinsman and nearest heir of the aforesaid Peter, namely, son of William, brother of Peter, because the said Peter died without issue. The said John Milborne is 26 years of age.§

This John Milborne, Esquire, died on 12 September, 1436, seized of the Manor of Holme, Lincolnshire, one third of Westbury Manor, and Bolley Manor, Gloucestershire, and the Manors of Tillington and Mounesley, and lands in Burghill, Co. Hereford. He held these manors jointly with his wife Elizabeth, who survived him, by a charter dated 4 June, 1420 (8 Henry V.), granted by John Brugge, Esquire, and John Vyntier, Esquire, to the said John Milborne and Elizabeth his wife, and to their heirs for ever. Simon, son of the aforesaid

* Inq. P. M., 9 Hen. V., No. 40.

† Ibid.

‡ According to another return he died on 20 November, 1420.

§ Inq. P. M., 4 Hen. VI., No. 65.

John Milborne, was his nearest heir, and of the age of one year—born on 1st August, 1435.*

Simon Milborne, his son and heir, married Jane, daughter and heir of Ralph Baskerville (second son of Sir John Baskerville, of Erdesley, Co. Hereford), by Anne his wife, daughter and heir of Sir John Blacket, of Icomb, Co. Worcester, and Margaret his wife, daughter and co-heir of Sir John de Eynesford, Knight.† By this lady he had issue thirteen daughters, two of whom died in infancy; all the others were married, being heiresses to the large estates inherited by their father and mother, namely: 1, Alice, married, first, to Henry Newcourt, and, secondly, to Thomas Baskerville; 2, Elizabeth, wife of Thomas Monington, of Sarnesfield; 3, Sibilla, first to Richard Hakehute (who died 28 April, 1486), secondly to John Breynton, and died 26 November, 1537; 4, Ann, married William Rudhall, of Rudhall, Serjeant-at-Law; 5, Joyce, Thomas Hyett, of Lydney; 6, Katherine, Thomas Barton; 7, Blanch, James Whitney, and afterwards to Sir William Herbert, Knight; 8, Eleanor, John More, of Bromsgrove; 9, MARGARET, married to JOHN BISSHOP, of Burford, Co. Oxon; 10, Agnes, Thomas Walwyn, of Helyns; 11, Jane, Richard Cornwall, of Brimton, Co. Hereford. Their father, living afterwards to an advanced age, died on 14 August, 1522, in his 88th year; and the Inquisition refers to his great age, debility of nature, and infirmity of body.‡

EXTRACT FROM MS. IN THE HARLEIAN LIBRARY IN THE
BRITISH MUSEUM.

“The Milbournes came out of Lincolnsh. King Edward V. and Sir Peers Milbourne descended from two sisters. (The Milbournes originally came from Milbourne Port, in the Co. Somerset.) Sir Peers was one of L^d Beauchamp's heirs and Chancellor of the Queen of England;—which Sir P. married the d^r and heir of Sir John Eynesford, Kn^t, Lord of Tillington, in the Parish of Burghill, Co. Hereford. The said Sir John rec^d the King into his house and kept him certain days at his own cost and charges. Sir Peers had a Son of the afore-said D^r of Sir John Eynesford, who married the d^r of Sir Walter Devereux, Lord of Weobley. This does appear on a fair Tomb in the Parish Church of *Burghill* with this Inscription:—‘Here lyeth the bodies of Sir John Milbourne and Elizabeth his wife, d^r of the Most

* Inq. P. M., 15 Hen. VI., No. 31.

† Harl. MS., 1140, 1159 and 1442, fol. 27; and 1545, fol. 36.

‡ Inq. P. M., 16 Hen. VIII., No. 100.

Hon^{ble} Kn^t of England, Sir Walter Devereux, who was killed at the great Battle of Pilleth' (?). Of the said Sir John and Elizabeth his wife came Simon Milbourne."

COPY OF AN OLD MS. IN THE POSSESSION OF LADY FRANCES HARCOURT,
AT BRAMPTON BRIAN, CO. HEREFORD.

(Apparently written in the early part of the Seventeenth Century.)

"The pedegree of the Millbournes w^{ch} came out of
Lincolnesheire, w^{ch} were the great Inheritors

King Edward the fift and S^r Peirse Millbourne descended from two Sisters. The Millbournes came west And S^r Peirse Millbourne was one of the Lord Bewchamp's heires and Chancellour to the Queene of England And married the Daughter and heir of S^r John Ailesford or Ansam Knight Lord of Tillington in Herefordshire The s^d S^r John receaved the King of England into his house and kept him certaine dayes oute of his owne Costs & Charges. S^r Peirse had a sonne by the for^m Daughter hight S^r John Millbourne the w^{ch} married the daughter of S^r Walter Devereux of Webley. If you think this be not true goe to the parish Church of Tillington w^{ch} is called Burghill within two miles of Hereford, and there shall you find a faire Tomb with wrighting saying Here lieth the body of S^r John Millbourne and Elizabeth his wife daughter to the most honourable knight of England S^r Walter Devereux w^{ch} was slaine at the battle of Pilth The s^d John and Elizabeth had a sonne hight Simon Milbourne, and S^r John Baskervill Lord of Eardesley and Ralph were brothers the mother of them was the Daughter of the Lord Audley, and the mother of her was the daughter of the Earle of Arundel The fores^d Ralph married the daughter and heire of S^r John Blackett in Cotswould at a place called Jcombe and he had a daughter by her hight Jane the w^{ch} the fores^d Simon Millbourne married and had by her a sonne and xiiij daughters The sonne & two daughters died without issue and the xi daughters were married as followeth

- j Elizabeth the Eldest was married to S^r Thomas Monnington Knight of Sarnesfeild in Herefordshire who had by her seaven children and after his decease she married a worshipfull Esq^r named John Whittington and had by him four children
- 2 Sibill the second Daughter was married to Richard Hackluyt Esq and after his decease married to John Breinton Esq and had issue by either of them

- 3 The third was married to W^m Riddall chiefe Judge of England and the Kings Attorney and had by her many children
- 4 Joyse the fourth Daughter was married to Thomas Hyett of the fforest a man of fair lands and had issue by her
- 5 Katherine the fifth daughter was married to Esq^r Barton of Webley a man of fair liveings and had issue by her
- 6 Blanch the sixt daughter was married to James Whitney of Whitney and after his decease she married the right worth knight S^r W^m Herbert of Troy she had children by them both
- 7 Alice the seaventh daughter was married to Henry Mill of Newcourt & had many children, viz 19.*
- 8 Eleanor the eighth Daughter was married to John Moore Esq a man of faire lands in Gloster and Worcestershire
- 9 Margaret the ninth daughter was married to John Bushop a man of faire liveings in Worcestershire
- 10 Ann the tenth daughter was married to Thomas Wallowin Esq^r a man of faire lands in Herefordshire
- 11 Jane the eleaventh daughter was married to S^r Richard Cornewall Knight of Herefordshire & had issue by him

All the s^d daughters had many children

The s^d S^r Simon Millbourne knowing his title to be good and pedigree went to Law with King Henry the 8th and recovered an advowson in Lincolneshire of 500^l a yeare against the King

This Simon Millbourne inherited the lands of S^r Peirce Millbourne in the West, S^r John Allison (*sic*) S^r John Old Castle and S^r John Blackett Knights

After the death of that nobleman S^r Walter Devoreux, one S^r Thomas Parr out of Kent married his wife and had by her two sonnes S^r Thomas and S^r W^m Knights, w^{ch} were uncles by the mother to the fores^d Simon The s^d S^r Thomas Parr had two daughters Henry the 8th married the one and the Earle of Pembroke the other

The superscriptions upon the Tomb in Burfeild (*sic*) Church† as appears there

Hic jacet Elizabeth uxor Johannis Millbourne Armigeri que Elizabeth

* She was mother of Blanche Parry, Maid of Honour to Queen Elizabeth.

† The marble ornaments round the Tomb (a handsome marble altar tomb) which are missing, were built up in the wall, near the S.W. angle of Burghill Church. There is a mound adjoining the churchyard, which was probably the site of a camp in the Civil War, and the rampart and fosse round the adjoining orchard probably enclosed the Summer Camp, to which the Portway formed the approach. The Rood Loft is the most ancient in the county, and the most curious except that of St. Margaret's. The Piscina is unusually placed in the Rood Loft. The font, which is of metal, is an object of great antiquity; on its sides are engraved the 12 minor prophets, and also the 12 Apostles. A very small Norman window in the chancel is one of the oldest pieces in the church.

fuit filia nobilis Gualteri Devereux militis que inter sectus fuit Bello
Pilatæ quæ quidem obiit Anno Dni 1475

Cuius alme propitiet' Deus Amen

Hic jacet Johannes Millbourne Armiger filius Peircei Millbourne qui
quidem Johannes obiit 7^o die mensu Septembris Anno Dni 1435

Cuius anime propitiet' Deus Amen."

Blanche Parry.

"*Blanche*, daughter of "*Henry Miles ap Harry*," of Newcourt, co. Hereford, by his wife *Alice*, dau. and co-heiress of *Sir Simon Millbourne*, Knight, of Tillington, in Burghill, co. Hereford, and Icombe, co. Gloucester. (Harl. MSS. 1140 and 1442.) Born in 1508. Was chief gentlewoman of Queen Elizabeth's Privy Chamber, whom she faithfully served from Her Highness's birth, and died at Court, 12 February, 1589, ætat 81. Entombed at Westminster, her bowels at Bacton, co. Hereford."

To her memory there is a window in the Church at Atcham, near Shrewsbury, having an inscription to the above effect.

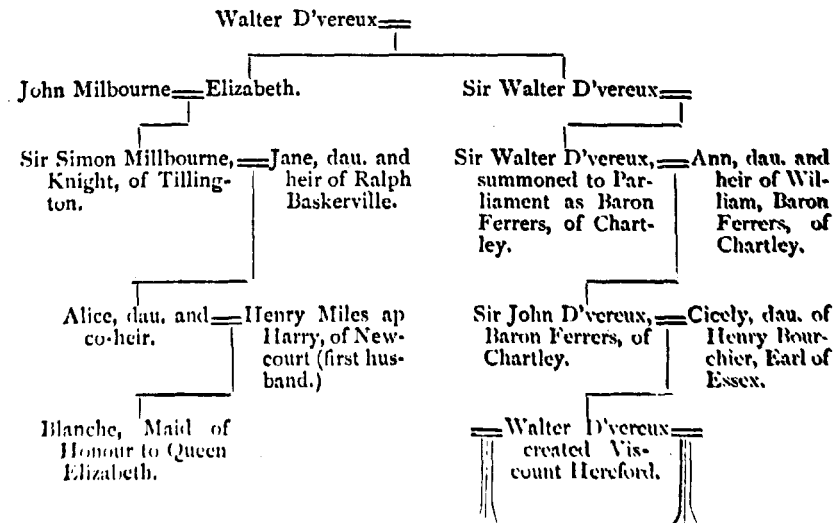
"Blanche Parry, Queen Elizabeth's old Maid of Honour, was one of the learned women of the day. She was born in 1508, and died blind in 1589. She was an Alchymist, Astrologer, Antiquary, and Herald, and a great crony of Dr. Lee, the conjuror, for whom she obtained the Mastership of St. Cross Hospital, and it is probable kept up his connection with the Queen. (Vide Geo. Ballard's "*Memoirs of several Ladies of Great Britain*" edit. 1775, p. 124.) Ballard says that her body was buried in Westminster Abbey, and her bowels in the Church at Bacton, and that in both places monuments were erected to her memory, the one at Westminster being 'on the South Wall of the Chancel.' Of the latter monument no vestige remains. The monument at Bacton bears the following epitaph:—

"I Parry hys daughter Blaenche of Newecourte borne,
That trayned was in pryncys courts wyth gorgious white;
Wheare fleetyng honour founds wyth blaste of horne,
Eache of accounte too place of worlds delygths,
Am lodgyd heere wythein this stonye tombe:
My harpynger ys pacyde I owghte of due,
My fryends of speeche heerin doo fynde my doombe,
The whyche in vaine they doo so greatly rue,
For so moche as hyt ys but the ende of all:
Thys worlde rowte of state what so they be,

The whyche unto the reste hereafter shall,
 Assemble thus eache wyght in hys degree ;
 I lyvde allweys as handmaede to a Queene,
 In chamber chieff my tyme did over passe,
 Uncareful of my welthe there was I seen ;
 Whylste I abode the ronnyng of my glasse,
 Not doubtyng wante whilste that my mystresse liv'd,
 In womens state whose cradell sawe I rockte ;
 Her servante then as when shee her crowne attchiev'd,
 And so remaend tyll Death my doore had knockt ;
 Preferryng styll the causys of eache wyghte,
 As farr as I doorste move her graces care,
 For to reward decerts by course of rygine ;
 As needs vrytyle of farys donne each wheare,
 So that my time I thus did passe awaye,
 A maide in courte and never no mans wife ;
 Sworne of Queene Ellfbeth bedd chamber allwaye,
 Wythe maiden Queene a meade did ende my lyfe."

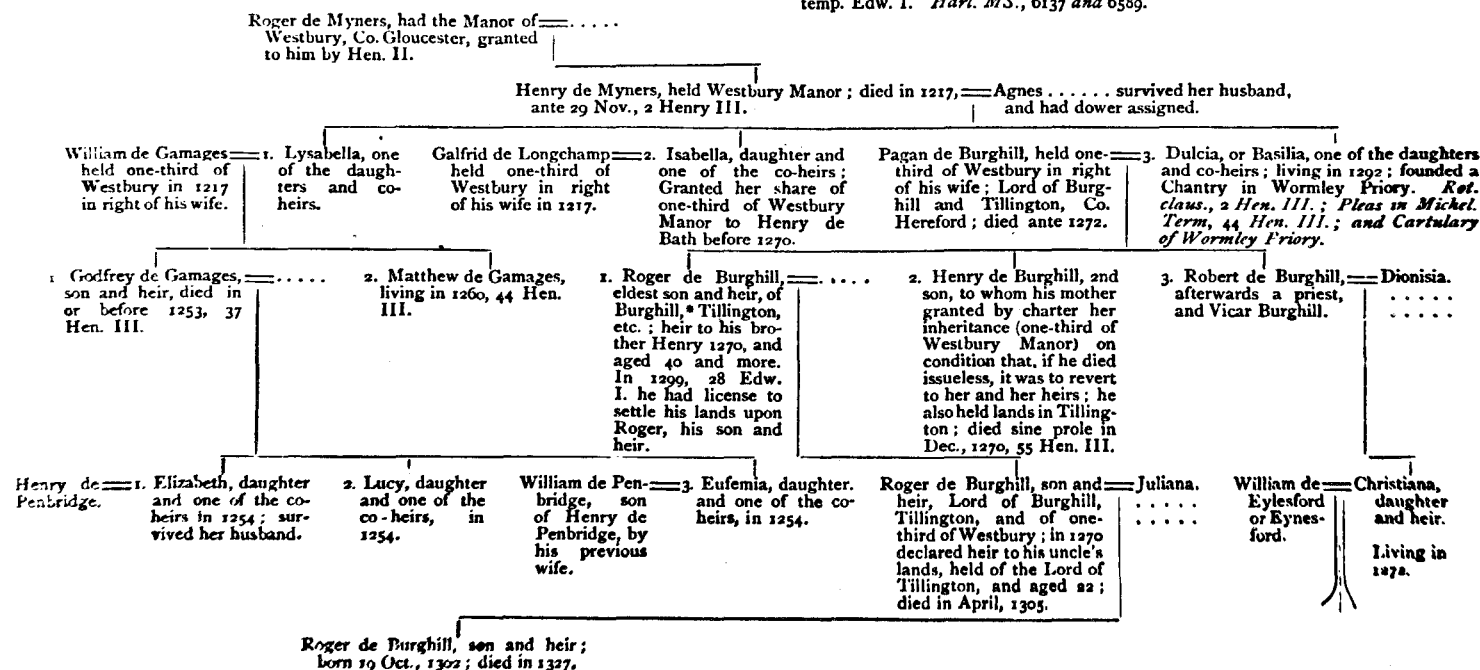
And the Altar Cloth at Bacton is an ancient piece of tapestry of her work.

PEDIGREE OF BLANCHE PARRY.



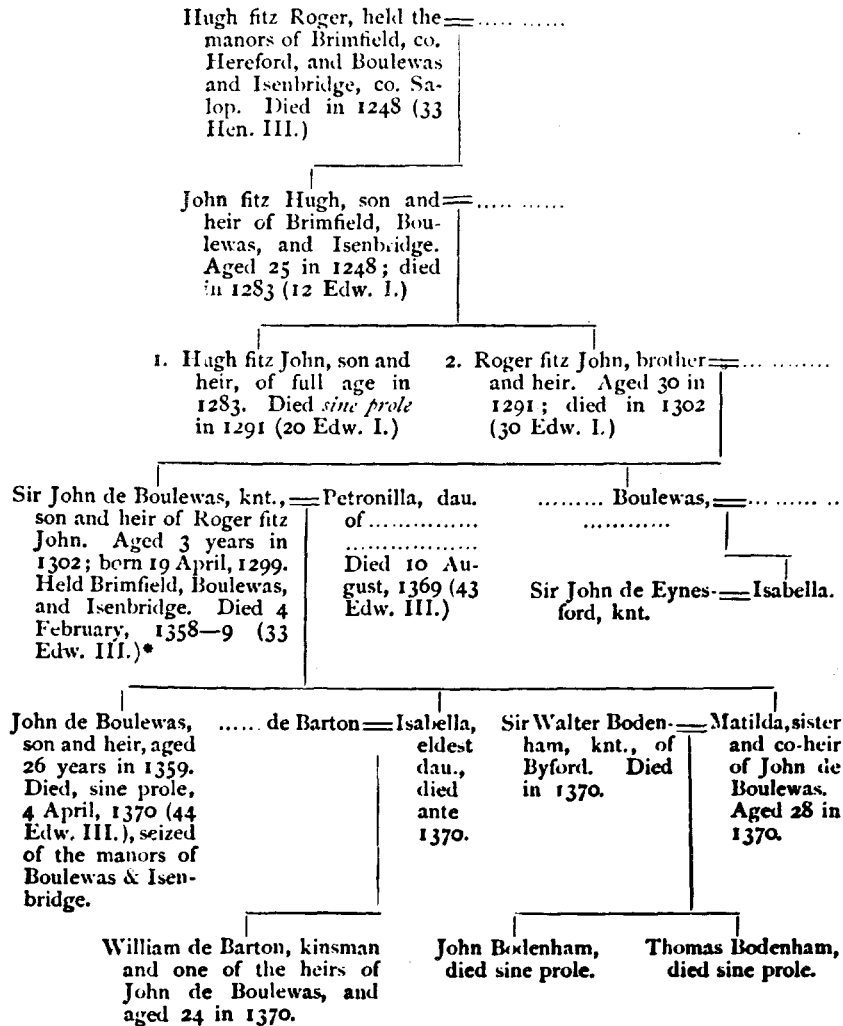
PEDIGREE ILLUSTRATING THE DESCENT OF THE MANORS OF WESTBURY, BURGHILL AND TILLINGTON.

ARMS: Paly of ten argent and sable, a bend gules. Borne by Roger de Burghill, temp. Edw. I. *Hart. MS.*, 6137 and 6589.



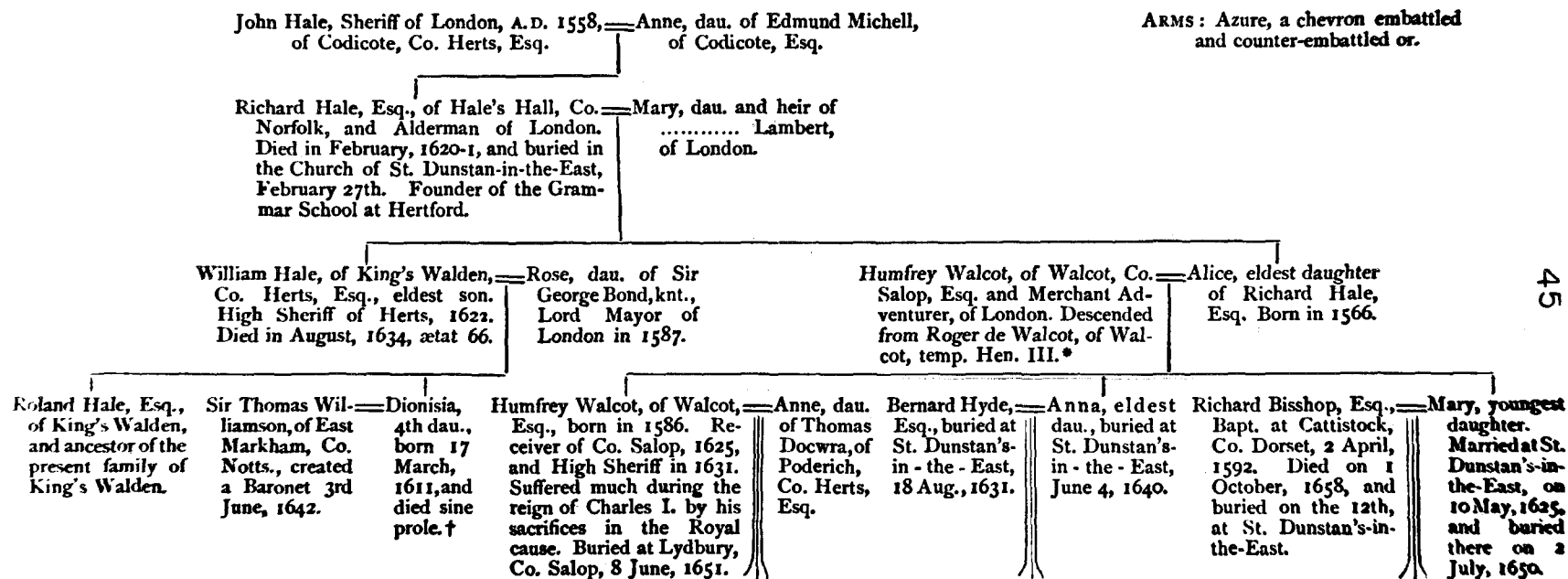
* Burghill is a parish in the hundred of Grimsworth, Co. Hereford, four miles N.W. by N. from Hereford, containing, with the Township of Tillington, 823 inhabitants. The church is dedicated to St. Mary.—*Lewis' Topog. Dictionary*.

THE MANORS OF BRIMFIELD, BOULEWAS, AND ISENBRIDGE.



* The manors of Boulewas and Brimfield were settled upon this Sir John de Boulewas and Petronilla his wife, and the heirs male of their bodies, and if they died without such issue, then to go to the right heirs of the said John de Boulewas for ever. Their only son, John de Boulewas, made another settlement of these manors, after his father's death, by which, in the event of his dying issueless, they were to go to Sir John de Eylesford, knight, and Isabella his wife, and their heirs for ever. In 1370 (John de Boulewas having died issueless), William Auncell, the king's escheator for the County of Hereford, was directed to deliver to John de Eylesford and Isabella his wife the Manor of Brimfield, with appurtenances, which was held of the King in chief by the service of keeping the King's Forest of Morff, and in the King's hands by reason of the death of John de Boulewas, knt., and Petronilla his wife, etc.—*Rot. Orig.*, 44 Edw. III. m. 30.

DESCENT OF MARY WALCOT, WIFE OF RICHARD BISSHOP, ESQ., THE PURCHASER OF THE MANOR OF SOUTH WARNBOROUGH.



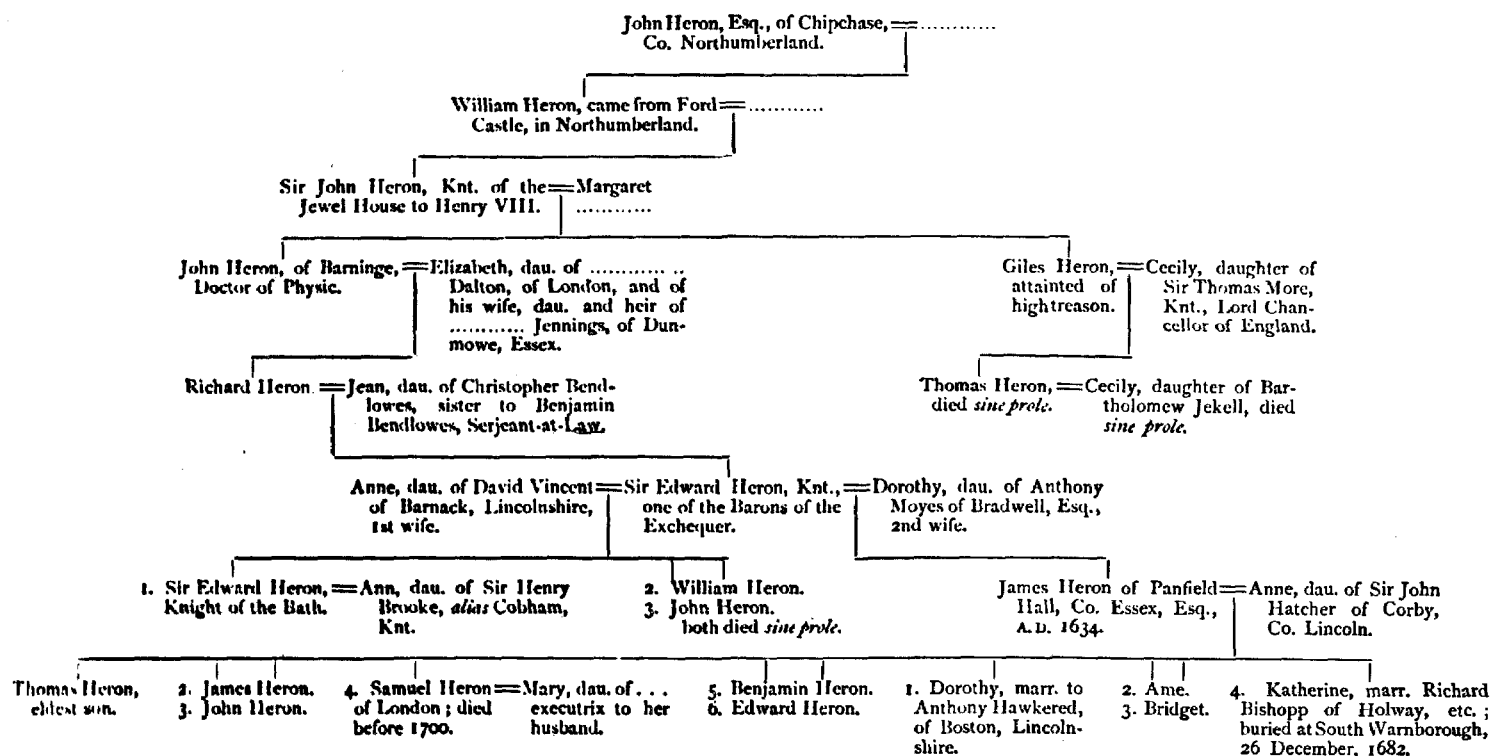
* Sixth in descent from Roger de Walcot was John Walcot, of whom the pedigree relates, "that, playing at Chess with King Henry V., he gave him check-mate with the rooke, whereupon the King changed his coat of arms, which was a cross with fleur de lys, and gave him the rooke for a remembrance." ARMS: Argent, a chevron between three chess rooks ermine. The former coat, argent, on a cross patonee azure, five fleur de lis, or, is assigned to John de Walcote in a roll temp. Ric. II.

† This lady gave £4,000 towards the rebuilding of St. Dunstan's Church, which had been destroyed by the Fire of London, and £2,000 towards the rebuilding of the Church of St. Mary-le-Bow; also £2,620 towards the rebuilding of St. Paul's Cathedral, being the largest donation made by any private person towards its erection.

DESCENT OF KATHERINE HERON, WIFE OF RICHARD BISHOPP, OF HOLWAY, DORSET, AND OF SOUTH WARNBOROUGH, HANTS, ESQ.

ARMS: Sable, a chevron ermine between three herons argent beaked and legged gules.

From Harleian MSS., 1137, Fol. 141; 1432, Fol. 158;
1542, Fol. 72; and 1551, Fol. 84-5.



DESCENT OF FLORA BACKHOUSE, WIFE OF WILLIAM BISSHOP, OR BISSHOPP, OF SWALLOWFIELD, ESQUIRE.

ARMS : or, a saltire ermine ; quartering gules, two chevrons between three escallops argent *for PARKINS.*

MOTTO : Sic juvat

BACKHOUSE OF SWALLOWFIELD, CO. BERKS.

Thomas Backhouse, of Whitridge, Co. Cumberland, Gent. = Ellen, daughter of John Parkins, Esq., of Hartlo, Co. Cumberland.

Nicholas Backhouse, Alderman and Sheriff of London, 1578 ; died 12 June, 1580. = Anne, daughter of Thomas Curzon, of Croxall, Co. Derby.

John Backhouse, of Little Marlow, Co. Bucks, Esq., temp. Eliz. Sheriff of Berks in 1601 ; died 24 June, 1626.

1. Samuel Backhouse, son and heir, who purchased the manor of Swallowfield, Co. Berks, of John Lytcott, Esq., temp. Eliz. Sheriff of Berks in 1601 ; died 24 June, 1626.

Elizabeth, second daughter of Sir John Borlace, of Little Marlow, Co. Bucks, Knt. ; died 1 February, 1630-1 ; buried at Swallowfield.

3. Rowland Backhouse, Alderman of London, purchased the manor of Widford, Co. Herts ; died 4 August, 1648.

Elizabeth, dau. of Barnes, of London.

1. Sarah, married to Nicholas Fuller, of Gray's Inn, Barrister-at-Law.

Sir William Rother, Knt., M.P. for Aylesbury ; buried at Little Marlow, 10 Sept., 1628.

2. Mary, buried 9 July, 1629.

Nicholas Backhouse, of Walford, Co. Herts, living in 1634.

John Backhouse, of Little Marlow, Co. Bucks, Esq., temp. Eliz. Sheriff of Berks in 1601 ; died 24 June, 1626.

Flora, daughter of Thomas Henshaw, of London, Esq. ; buried 17 October, 1651.

2. Samuel Backhouse, second son ; died young.

3. Nicholas Backhouse, died without issue.

4. William Backhouse, of Swallowfield, Esq. ; died 30 May, 1662, aged 70.

Anne, daughter to Brian Richards, of Hartley West-pall, Co. Hants, Esq. ; died 30 January, 1664.

1. Ann, married Thomas Chester, of Amesbury, Co. Gloucester, Esq.

2. Elizabeth, marr. Richard Hellingham, of Frodingham, Co. Lincoln.

3. Mary, marr. William Standen, of Arborough, Berks, Esq.

John Backhouse, son and heir, born 6 Nov., 1626 ; died unmarried, 1 Sept., 1660.

2. Samuel Backhouse, died young

1st. William Bisshop, of South Warnborough, Co. Hants, Esq., second son of Richard Bisshop of Holway, Co. Dorset, and of South Warnborough, Co. Hants ; died 3 March, 1660-1, and buried at Swallowfield.

Flora Backhouse, sole daughter and heiress, aged 9 years in 1648 ; married at Swallowfield on 28 August, 1656 ; died without issue surviving.

2nd. Sir William Backhouse, of London, created a Baronet on 9 Nov., 1660 ; died S.P. and was buried at Swallowfield, 28 Sept., 1669 ; sold Widford in 1668.

3rd. Henry Hyde, Lord Cornbury, eldest son of Edward, Earl of Clarendon, married Lady Flora Backhouse at Swallowfield, on 17 October, 1670 ; succeeded his father 19 December, 1674, and died 31 October, 1702.

1. Theresa, daughter of Arthur, 6th Lord Capel

William, born at South Warnborough on 12th, and bapt. 24 March, 1658-9 ; died on 28 July, 1659, and buried at Swallowfield on the 24th.

Anne, born 1 Nov., 1657 ; died on 24 March, 1659, and buried at Swallowfield.

Edward Hyde, only son and heir ; third Lord Clarendon.

AMONG THE STATE PAPERS, DOMESTIC SERIES,

Occurs a grant, under the King's sign manual, dated Westminster, March 24, 1622-3, to Richard Bisshop, on surrender of John Rowles, of the office of Serjeant-at-Arms in ordinary for life. (Vol. cxi.)

And under date Whitehall, July 10th, 1660. Petition of Richard Bisshop to the King. To confirm to him and to his son William the grant made to them by the late King (Charles I.), at Oxford, of Serjeant-at-Arms to the House of Commons. Lost 6,000*l.*, and had his estate sequestered for executing that office, and receiving the Privy Seal money for the late King.

April, 1661. Grant to William Bisshop, in reversion, after Richard Bisshop, his father, of the office of Serjeant-at-Arms.

Richard Bisshop, ==
 had grant of
 office of Ser-
 jeant of Arms
 in ordinary for
 life, 24 March,
 1622-3.

[Died in 1658.]

Richard Bisshop, ==
 had grant of the
 office of Ser-
 jeant at Arms,
 etc., by Charles
 I., at Oxford,
 circa 1640, and
 renewed in
 1660.

[Died in 1704.]

William Bisshop,
 had reversion
 granted in
 1661.

[Died in 1726.]

AN ACCOUNT OF THE MANORS OF HOLWAY, ETC., IN THE PARISH
OF CATTISTOCK, IN THE COUNTY OF DORSET.*

LOWER HOLWAY (the principal manor of the out parish). This manor and pasture for 404 sheep was granted in 37 Hen. VIII. (1545), to Richard and Robert Southwell, Knights. In 4 Edw. VI. (1550), Robert Southwell had licence to alienate this manor to Richard Rede, Knt. In 6 Edw. VI. (1552), it was held by Sir Richard Rede, who had licence to alienate it to John Byshop and John Dawe, Junr, and their heirs, but this alienation does not appear to have taken effect, for in 20 Elizabeth (1577-8), Innocent, the son and heir of Richard Rede, held it, value £11 16s. 3d. In 6 Jac. I. (1608), eight messuages, eight gardens, eight orchards, and 359 acres of land here were granted to William Bisshop and Robert Dawe.† In 1620, the manor, with several fee-farm rents issuing out of the dismembered tenements, was granted by Richard Rede, of Reddownbury, co. Herts, Esq^r, to Richard Bisshop, of London. In this family it continued till of late years, when it was sold, with the farm called Inn Park, by William Bisshop, Esq^r, to Thomas Pope.

Mr. Bisshop, of Inn Park, sold this manor and farm to Mr. Strangers, of Weymouth. It now belongs to the heirs of the late Hon^{ble} Henry Bilson Legge, Esq^r. Here is an old mansion house; on an old pane of coloured glass in the staircase window is the following.—
“R. B. 1626.”‡

WEST HOLWAY, near the former, belonged to Henry Bishop, of a family of whom five descents are given in the Visitation Book of 1623. Their arms are, a bend gules, cotized in chief, three balls or. Crest, an eagle's head erased gules and or counter-changed,§ which were granted

* Extracted from Hutchin's "History of Dorset," edition of 1813.

† The following appear to be the only entries relating to the Dawe family occurring in the Cattistock Register anterior to 1640:—

1569. Thomas Dawe, buried 12 June.

1587. Julian Dawe, y^e daughter of John Dawe, buried 20 July.

1604. John Dawe, of Hollway, buried 8 June.

In the Churchyard, on North side of Chancel, upon an old tomb,—“Here lyeth the body of John Dawe, the first of that name, and of Joan his wife, who was buried the 10 June, in Anno Regni Regis Jacobi 2^o, in Anno Dom. 1604.

‡ This pane of coloured glass has since been removed, by permission of Mr. Wingfield Digby, the present owner of the property, and is now in possession of the Rev. A. C. Bisshop, of Bramdean House.

§ This is not correct. The arms intended are—Argent, on a bend cotised gules, three bezants or. Crest—An eagle's head erased, party per fess or and gules, beaked of the last.

by Sir William Segar, Carter, to William Bisshop, of Holway, August 10, 1627.

It now (1813) belongs to Mr. George Mayo, of Lower Compton, near Sherborne, one of the nephews of the late Mr. Henry Bishop, of Sydling.

INN PARK, to which the Manor of Holway is annexed.—In 27 Eliz. (1585), lands, woods, and moors, called In-Park, in Holway, were held by — Harris, by purchase from Richard Rede. In 1620, the fee was granted by Richard Rede, Esq^r, to Richard Bisshop, of London, whose descendants of late alienated it to Mr. Thomas Pope.

MEDFORD, or METFORD, a farm.—In 33 Eliz. (1591), a messuage called Metford in Holway, &c., was held by Philip Bishop, by purchase from Richard Rede, Knt. It belonged to — Bishop, whose ancestor possessed it in 1660; now (1813) to Mr. Thomas Hobbs.

WOORS, or WORTHS, was dismembered from the Manor of Holway by Sir Richard Rede, Knight, in 17 Eliz. (1575). Not long afterwards it was held by the Bishops, but whether they were the first purchasers is uncertain. In 16 Car. II. (1664), it was granted by Grace Bishop, widow, to Thomas Burt, whose descendants very lately sold it to Edward Bellamy.

HIGHER or NORTH CHALMINGTON, in Cattistock, anciently a manor, is now a tithing or farm leased under Winchester College. The lease was purchased before 1600, by — Bisshop,* whose family held it for some descents. About 1724, one moiety came into possession of Richard Symes, of East Melplaish, on his marriage with Anne, only

* There appears to be a mistake in this date, unless the family were sub-lessees, as on 7 December, 1582, the Warden and Scholars of Winchester College granted to Queen Elizabeth and her assigns, on a lease for fifty years, "all those their lands and tenements and cottages, tofts, closures, meadows, feedings, pastures, moors, heaths, underwoods, rents, reversions, and services, with all their appurtenances lying and being in Chalmington, within the Parish of Cattestock, in the County of Dorset, whatsoever." And again, on 1 November, 1634, Dr. John Harris, Warden of Winchester College, and its Scholars, clerks, leased for twenty years, to John Packer, of the City of Westminster, Esq., "all their lands and tenements, cottages, tofts, closures, meadows, feedings, pastures, moors, heaths, underwoods, rents, reversions, and services whatsoever, with all their appurtenances, set, lying, and being in Chalmington, within the Parish of Cattestocke, in the County of Dorset." At the same rent as in the lease of 1582, viz., "Paying yearly during the said term, to the Warden and Scholars, clerks, forty bussheles of good, sweet, well winnowed, and merchandizable wheat, at the Feast of All Saints, or within twenty-eight days next after the said Feast, yearly during the said term to be delivered." On the 20 December, 1634, they granted the same John Packer, Esq., "licence to demise, grant, and let to farm the premises aforesaid, by and during the term of ten years from the date of his indenture, to any person or persons whatsoever."

daughter of George Bishop, of North Chalmington. The other moiety was held by the Burts, of Worths and of Mappercombe, in Peerstock, though in what right is unknown. A few years since the whole of it was purchased by Henry Bishop, of Sydling, a descendant of the ancient owners, who left it to his great nephew, George Baker, Esq^r, of St. Quintin, whose widow is the present lessee.

STOKEWOOD belonged to the ancient family of Cantelupe; afterwards Milicent-de-la-Zouch had for her property this manor and several others (2 Edw. I.), A.D. 1273. It came afterwards into the noble family of the Newburghs. From them it passed to their successors, the Lords Marney and Howard, of Bindon, who held it of the Manor of Cranborn; but the last of these families alienated it, for in 35 Elizabeth (1593), John Mintern, at his death, held the Manors of Stokewood and Newland of the Queen, as of her honour of Gloucester, by knight's service, value £6 13s. 4d. Hence it came to the BISSHOPS, of Frensham, in Surrey, who now (1813) possess it.

Lower Holway Estate contains about 300 acres; Higher or Upper Holway, 120 acres; and In-Park about 300. The Cattistock Estate was recently purchased by Mr. Wingfield Digby, of Sherborne Castle, for £60,000, including Chalmington, which has a good house on it, inhabited by Col. Digby.

THE CHURCH OF CATTISTOCK.*

On a carved Screen of wood which divided the Chancel from the Nave, but which has been removed long since, was this inscription :—

Tempus Edax rerum ligno non marmore sculptum
Dicit non genitis hoc pietatis opus,
Ric. Bifshop, Hol. struxisse 1634.

On a grave stone,—

Richard Bishop, of Metford, died 1660, aged 76.

Upon a tomb on the East side of the South Aisle,—

Here lyeth the Bodies of
WILLIAM BISSHOP, of Holway, Gentleman,
And of ALICE, his wife. She died the
..... Anno D'ni 1638.

Both sick and in one day they joynd have
In birth, in life, in death-bed, and in grave.

Here is our home till trump doth sounde,
And Christ for us doth call :
Then shall we rise from death to life,
No more to die at all.

In piam memoriam pientissimorum parentum

μνημόσυνον

per Ricardum Bifshop, de Holway, exstructum.

Round the verge of a flat stone, upon a tomb parallel to the above, is the following inscription :—

Hic jacet Guililelmus Bishop, nuper de Holwaye, cum Brida uxore sua ante annos novem prius defuncta ; obiit 26 die Decembris, Anno Domini 1621, ætatis suæ 83.

On the West side of the South Aisle are several tombs for the Bishops of North Chalmington, another branch of this family. Arms upon one,—Three escallops in pale, impaling, on a bend cotised, three roundels ; and an inscription for Richard Symes, of East Melplash and North Chalmington, who died March ..., 1737, and for Anne, his wife, daughter of George Bishop, of North Chalmington, who died January ..., 1734. And another for Henry Bishop, of Sidling, who died February 26, 1779, aged 74.

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SOUTH WARNBOROUGH, HANTS.,

Is a parish in Bermodespit Hundred, 6 miles south from the Winchfield Station of the London and South-Western Railway, 46 miles from London, and about 3 miles from Odiham, and has an area of 2,569 acres, and 369 inhabitants at the Census of 1861. The Church is dedicated to St. Andrew the Apostle, and is in the patronage of St. John the Baptist College, Oxford.

The Manor of South Warnborough, alias South Warnborne, at the time of the Domesday Survey, belonged to HUGH FITZ BALDRY, and it was then held under him by WITHE DE CREON, jointly with his wife, daughter of Hugh Baldry, and thus it passed into the hands of the Creon family. WITHE or WIDO DE CREON was one of the Norman knights who came in with the Conqueror, and who held, at the time of the Great Survey, sixty-one lordships, mostly in Lincolnshire, Freston, in the district of Holland, being the head of the barony.

ALAN DE CREON, his son and heir, was Senescal of the Palace of Henry I. On the 7 March, 1114, he and Lady Muriel his wife, their eldest son Maurice de Creon, and their daughter Matilda, laid foundation stones of the new church of Croyland Abbey, placing upon each stone the title-deeds of churches belonging to them. This was the origin of the Priory of Freston, founded by the said Alan de Creon as a cell to Croyland Abbey, which he endowed not only with these churches, but subsequently with other churches and lands. Between the years 1138 and 1142, he and Muriel his wife and his son Maurice, granted and confirmed these gifts by charter, which included by name "the Church of Warneburne, with all its tithes and customs, and with the lands and wood belonging to it," and as a ratification of the same, in 1142, or soon afterwards, he notified, by a letter addressed to Henry de Blois, Bishop of Winchester, so that it might be known for all future time, that he had, with the counsel and consent of Maurice his son, and of William Fitz Roger his nephew, given in alms to the Abbey of Croyland, three hides of land in Crudeshale, with the Church of Warneburne, and a yardland, which of old they had given to the Church of St. James the Apostle, in Holland (Freston Priory), and to his monks there serving God; all of which he had confirmed by charter in the presence of very many persons. He died before the year 1155, and was succeeded by his son MAURICE DE CREON, who paid a fine of two hundred marks to King Henry II. for licence to marry Claricia, widow of Albert de Gresley and daughter of Thomas, Baron Basset, of Hedendon, Co. Oxon. In 1174 he was appointed Governor of the Provinces of Anjou and Mayne, and died in the year 1181. WITHE DE CREON, his son and heir, had to pay two hundred marks for livery

of his father's lands, of which sum there still remained due, in 1190, to the Exchequer, £77 6s. 8d., as well as a balance of £7 6s. 8d. of the fine for his father's marriage. He accompanied Richard the First to the Holy Land, and left at his decease an only daughter, PETRONILLA, his sole heiress, who married, in or before 1205, Henry de la Mare, who died not long afterwards; his widow then married WILLIAM, Baron LONGCHAMP, by whom she had a son, HENRY DE LONGCHAMP, and being once more a widow, she took Oliver de Vaux, or Vallibus, for her third husband, about the year 1212, and in the reign of Hen. III. The *Testa de Nevill* records that Petronilla de Vallibus holds Warneborne of the old feoffment of the lord King in chief, and that it was a member of her Barony. She died in 1261, and HENRY DE LONGCHAMP, her son and heir, being at that time upwards of fifty years of age, became the next owner of Warneborough, who on the 2nd February, 1268-9, granted it to Sir Philip Basset, knight, and the Lady Ela, Countess of Warwick, his wife, for their lives, in consideration of the £200 which Sir Philip had paid Sir Hamon le Strange for his ransom, he having been taken prisoner in the Barons' war. At the Court of the King's Justices itinerant, held at Winchester in November, 1280, it was certified "that Henry de Longchamp held the Manor of Southwarneborne in chief of the lord King, and Ela, Countess of Warwick, holds it in another manner of the inheritance of the aforesaid Henry."

HENRY DE LONGCHAMP died on Tuesday, 11 September, 1274, and bequeathed his body to the Abbey of Swineshed,* and his heart to the Church of Burton Pedwardyn, Lincolnshire, to be buried before the altar of the Blessed Mary the Virgin, leaving issue, by Sibilla his wife, daughter of Thomas Heringande, ALICE DE LONGCHAMP, his sole heiress, who married Sir ROGER DE PEDWARDYN, knight, and the Manor of South Warnborough passed into their hands on the death of Ela, Countess of Warwick. ALICE died on 15 May, 1330, and lies buried on the north side of the Lady Chapel, in the Church of Burton Pedwardyn, her husband having entirely rebuilt the church and chapel, with the exception of the south aisle and the Chapel of St. Nicholas, built by the parishioners. He was succeeded by his son, Sir ROGER DE PEDWARDYN, who in 17 Edward III. held the Manor of South Warnborne as a parcel of the Manor of Burton Pedwardyn, and died on 10 February, 1368. Sir WALTER DE PEDWARDYN, his son and heir died on 11 June, 1405, and was succeeded by his son, Sir ROBERT PEDWARDYN, who died 26 April, 1432. WALTER PEDWARDYN, Esq., his only son, died 14 August, 1429; and his son and heir, ROGER PEDWARDYN, who married BEATRIX, daughter of Matthew Leeke, dying

* A Cistercian Abbey in Lincolnshire, founded in 1134, by Robert de Gresley, the father of Albert de Gresley, whose widow married Maurice de Creon, as noted in the text.

without issue before the year 1461, Sir FULK PEMBRIDGE, knight, who appears to have been trustee, sold the manor to ROBERT WHITE, merchant and Mayor of the Staple of Calais, a native of Yateley, Hants, who resided at Farnham, Surrey; subject, however, to the payment of the dowry due therefrom to the widow of Roger Pedwardyn. A copy of one of the receipts for such payment has been preserved.

"Be it known unto all by these presents, I William Porter attorney or deputy of Beatrix who was the wife of Roger Pedwardine, widow, have received and had on the day of the making of these presents from Robert White, merchant, five marks sterling of my dower which comes to me from the Manor of Warnbourne, for the terms of St. Michael and Easter last past, etc. Given on 22 day of June, in the first year of the reign of King Edward IV. (A.D. 1461).

ROBERT WHITE, the purchaser of this manor, died on — October, 1467, and by his will, dated on the 16th, he bequeathed a suit of vestments to the Church of Warneborough, of the value of four or five marks. JOHN WHITE, his son and heir, died seized of South Warnborough Manor on —, 1469, and was succeeded by his eldest son, ROBERT, who died on 4 August, 1512, and was buried in the Church of South Warnborough. His grandson, Sir THOMAS WHITE, of South Warnborough, knight, Master of the Requests, on 26 June, 35 Henry VIII., 1543, obtained a grant from the Crown of the Manor or Demesne of Crowdale, or Crudeshale, in the parish of South Warnborne, and the advowson, etc., of the Church of South Warnborne, being a portion of the property of the dissolved Monastery of Croyland, in Lincolnshire, and the Manor of Anstye, near Alton; and died in London, November 2nd, 1566. In 1561, the property being held jointly by him and Agnes his wife, they conveyed the Manors of South Warnborough, Crowdale, *alias* Crowdeshold, and other properties in the neighbourhood, together with a certain rent or annual annuity, of £4 issuing out of the Rectory of South Warnborough, also the advowson of the church, to Chideock Paulet, Esq., and John White, citizen and Alderman of London, his wife's brother, in trust, and was settled to go to RICHARD WHITE, the third son of Sir Thomas, who succeeded to it on the death of Lady Agnes White, his mother, who died at Canterbury, January 15, 1570-1. He was afterwards knighted, and was buried at South Warnborough, November 12, 1613, leaving THOMAS, his eldest son, a minor, his second and youngest son having died unmarried in 1635. The eldest, THOMAS WHITE, Esq., and ELIZABETH his wife, and the other trustees, conveyed in the following year (1636) the Manors of South Warnborough *alias* South Warneborne, Crowdall *alias* Crodishold, and Anstye, with appurtenances, and sixty messuages, seventy gardens, a thousand acres of land, forty acres of meadow, two hundred acres of pasture, two hundred and fifty acres of wood, eleven hundred acres of furze and heath, £6 of rents, knight's fees, common of pasture for all kinds of

cattle, free fishery, free warren, wards, marriages, escheats, view of frank pledge, and whatever belongs to view of frank pledge, goods and chattels of felons and fugitives, goods and chattels, waifs and estrays, with appurtenances, in South Warneborne *alias* South Warneborough, Crowdale *alias* Crowdishale, Anstye, Alton, Winchfield, Blackwater, and Odiham, also the advowson of the Church of South Warneborne, *alias* South Warneborough, to RICHARD BISSHOP, Esq., and to his heirs for ever, with the usual warranties, and he gave them for this remission, quit-claim, warranty fine, and concord, £1,400. RICHARD BISSHOP, Esq., who thus became possessed of the Manor of South Warneborough, was the eldest son and heir of WILLIAM BISSHOP, Esq., of Holway, in the parish of Cattistock, in the county of Dorset. He married MARY, the youngest daughter of Humfrey Walcot, of Walcot, Staffordshire, Esq., and was Sheriff of the County of Hants in 1644. By his will, dated January 7, 1656-7, he bequeathed the manor to his second son, WILLIAM, to "have and receive all the profits and revenues of all these my manors, farms, and lands of South Warneborowe and Crowdishall, in the county of Southampton, together with a tenement, orchard, and garden in Odiham, in the county of Southampton, now in the tenure of Thomas Hurlston, clerk. If my said son William shall die without issue male lawfully begotten, and shall leave only daughters as issue, then these lands in Hampshire to be charged to half their value to raise portions for the said daughters, and shall descend to my eldest son, Richard, and to his heirs male." The testator had parted with the advowson of the church before the end of the year 1637, to the President and Scholars of St. John the Baptist College, Oxford. WILLIAM BISSHOP, Esq. (or Bisshopp, as the name appears in some cotemporary documents), his second son, who inherited South Warneborough under his father's will, married, about the year 1656, FLORA, only daughter and heir of William Backhouse, of Swallowfield, Co. Berks, Esq., and died without issue surviving, at Swallowfield, on 3 March, 1660-1. The Manor of South Warneborough thereupon reverted to RICHARD BISHOPP, Esq., of Holway, who soon afterwards came to South Warneborough, and made it his place of residence, in the same way as his father had done. His eldest son, WILLIAM BISSHOPP, Esq., was the next owner of South Warneborough and occurs as Lord of the Manor in 1690. In the latter part of the year 1705, or early in 1706, he sold the manor and property to ROBERT GRAHAM, Esq., of London, with the exception of about 176 acres woodland and coppices which he retained, and took up his residence in the almost adjoining parish of Frensham, in Surrey, having acquired the great tithes of that parish and of Elsted, Bentley and Seal. His grandson, in 1775, sold the tithes of Seal, and the tithes of the other parishes in 1790; but the before mentioned coppice lands in South Warneborough still continued in the hands of the family.

ROBERT GRAHAM, Esq., who had purchased the manor and estates of South Warnborough, died in November 1721, and was succeeded by his son, Robert Graham, Esq., who died and was buried at South Warnborough, December 28th, 1749. From the Graham family the estate passed into the hands of the Wayne family, and was recently held by Thomas Moore Wayne, Esq., on whose death it passed to his nephew, Mr. Harrison Wayne, the present lord of the manor.

South Warnborough church is an ancient fabric dedicated to St. Andrew the Apostle, and contains several interesting tombs and monumental memorials of the White family who owned the manor from 1450 to 1635; but there are no monumental memorials of the Bisshop family now existing in the church (unless concealed beneath the flooring of the pews), but on the south side of the chancel hangs the hatchment put up after the death of Mrs. Katherine Bisshop, wife of Richard Bisshop, Esq., and daughter of James Heron, Esq., of Panfield Hall, Co. Essex, who was buried at South Warnborough, December 26th, 1682. The hatchment has a black ground on the sinister side only; there is no crest, and the arms are: argent, on a bend cotised gules three bezants for BISSHOP, impaling, sable, a chevron ermine between three herons closed argent, beaked and legged gules, for Heron, Co. Essex, and London. Below the shield the motto—"IN MORTE QUIES." Her husband, Richard Bisshop, Esq., used these two coats as given above, upon his seal, very neatly executed; several impressions of which, together with his signature, may be seen in the Registers and Rate books of the parishes of South Warnborough, Crondal, Nately Scures, and others in the neighbourhood.

* From a Rate-book of the Parish of South Warnborough, it appears that "William Bishop, Esq.," was rated for the manor-house and other lands in hand, as late as May 5, 1704, and had parted with the manor before 13 April, 1705, on which day a rate was made, and Robert Graham, Esq., is mentioned as owner. A portion of the property, comprising about 170 acres of coppice-land in the parish of South Warnborough, was, however, retained by the Bishop family, and they were rated for the same year after year. In rate made 14 April, 1710, Mr. Bishopp is called "Major Bishop," and in 1711, 1712, and 1713; but in the rate made 2 April, 1714, he is styled William Bishop, Esq., and so on year after year, "William Bishop, Esq., for the coppice, 5s.;" and after his death, his son and grandson are rated. On the death of the latter, it passed to his nephew, William Bishopp, Esq., who continued to be rated for it down to the 25 March, 1819, being the last rate recorded in the book. This property still continues in the possession of the family.

FRENHAM, CO. SURREY.

"Frensham," says Manning and Bray,* "is a small village on the main branch of the river Wey, on the verge of the County westward, including a small part of Holt Forest, distant about four miles south-west from Farnham, to which it was formerly a chapelry, but to all the purposes of civil jurisdiction it is now parochial. It adjoins to Farnham north and north-east; to Brinsted and Headly on the west; and to Halesmere on the south.

"The parish is divided into three tithings:—Frensham, Cherte and Pitfold. In the first of these is the village itself with the church.

"The Benefice is one of the chapelries belonging to the archdeacon of Surrey, as impropriate rector of Farnham, and with the others has been usually granted on leases for lives. The Lessee appoints a curate.

"The church is dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary. It is substantially built with stone, having at the west end a low square tower of the same, with diminishing buttresses at each corner, except the south-east. In it are five bells. The church is partly covered with slate stones, partly with tiles. It consists of a nave only, with a chancel at the east end, the whole length being about 120 feet. On the north wall of the chancel are two fluted pilasters, and over them a pointed arch, worked in the wall. Where it was originally built is not known; but from the annals of Waverley it appears it was removed to its present situation in 23 Henry III., 1239, with the advice and consent of Luke de Rupibus, at that time archdeacon of Surrey.

"In Mr. Aubrey's time the arms of Lord Arundel of Wardour were over the screen between the nave and chancel, now removed.

"The font is a great square stone, supported at one corner by two short clustered pillars, the other three repaired with bricks, the inside a large round leaden bason.

"The lease was held in the 17th and 18th centuries by the family of Salmon, and after them of Bishop, who resided here.

"The last Mr. Bishop took the name of Bendysh, and sold the lease to the Rev. Thomas Mantell about the year 1790. The latter resided here, engaged in a great many suits with the Parishioners as to the tithes, and was nearly ruined. He died in 1805, when the lease of this and the other chapelries of Elsted and Bentley was sold, and separate leases granted by the archdeacon. This with Elsted was purchased by Richard Baker, Esq., of Brighton.

"The Register begins only in 1648."

* "History of Surrey," Vol. III.

Frensham church is for the most part of early English work, and is of the date of its re-erection as noted in the Waverley annals, which records under the year 1239:—"Ecclesia de Frenesham transpositur hoc anno de loco ubi prius sita fuit ad alium locum, consilio et auxilio Luce archidiaconi surveie, et hoc eodem anno dedicata est." *M.S. Cotton, Vespasian. A. XVI. Fol. 134.*

The Bishop family were also lessees of the tithes of the Parish of Seal, which were sold in 1775 by the then owner of the lease, William Bishop, Esq., of Frensham, to Mr. Richard Pain, of Tongham, and the archdeacon of Surrey, as impropriate rector of Farnham, granted him a separate lease, and a fresh lease of Frensham, Elsted and Bentley to Mr. Bishop, who afterwards took the name of Bendysh, and in 1790 conveyed it to the Rev. Thomas Mantell, as mentioned above.

Against the north wall of the chancel of Bentley church, Hants, there is, or was a few years ago, a long list of benefactions, dated 1734, for the purpose of augmenting the curacy. Among the donors occurred William Bishop, Esq., £10. With the money thus raised lands were purchased in North Warnborough and in the Parish of Odiham to the value of £16 10s per annum by the Rev. Francis Bishop, curate of the Parish of Bentley.

INSCRIPTIONS ON TOMBSTONES IN FRENESHAM CHURCH IN 1866.

On a large flat stone under the Communion Table :—

Here lyeth the body
of John Salmon Gent
who departed this Life
the 28th day of August 1701
In the 38th year of his age
Resurgam.

Also the Body of
Richard Bishop Gent
who died y^e 1st Dec^r 1749 aged

57.

Also of William Bishop
Bendysh Esq^r
who died 26th April 1790
in the 60th year of his age.

On the South Side lyeth
Mrs. Elizabeth Bishop
who died y^e 6th March 1795
Aged 71 years

On the West Side Lyeth
Mrs. Anna Bishop
who died y^e 23rd Octo^r 1815
Aged 90 years.

In April, 1866, there was lying in the belfry of the church the hatchment of William Bishop Bendysh—the shield of arms quarterly 1 and 4, argent, on a bend cotised gules three bezants, for BISHOP; 2 and 3, argent, a chevron sable between three rams' heads erased azure, horned or, for BENDYSH. Crest : An eagle's head erased, per pale or and gules, beaked of the last.

On the floor of the chancel is another stone, somewhat decayed, inscribed—

Here lyeth the Body
of Henry Bishop, Esq.,
who died 21 April
1784
Aged 44 years.

Also
of Mrs. Elizabeth Bishop
his wife
who died April
1822
Aged 70 years.

Manning and Bray record the following, which have since disappeared :—

On one stone :—

“ Hic est depositum mortale
Guilielmi Salmon Armig :
Anno ætatis suæ 54 D'ni que n'ri 1716.
Guilielmus Bishop Arm :
ob. 21 Maii
Anno Dom. 1758
Ætatis suæ 67.”

On another :—

“ Henricus Salmon Armigex,
obiit decimo octavo die Aprilis
Anno Dom. 1717
Ætatis suæ 52.”

“ Over the Inscriptions of William and Henry Salmon are their arms,—Sable, a boar's head coupée argent in chief, between two croziers erect.”

ABSTRACT OF INQUISITION POST MORTEM, 20 JAC. I., No. 37, Pars. 2.
TAKEN ON THE DEATH OF WILLIAM BISSHOP, OF HOLWAY, ESQUIRE,
WHO DIED A.D. 1621.

"William Bisshop, of Holway, Co. Dorset, Esq., son and heir of John Bisshop, was born about the year 1537, and died in 1621, and in the following year the king's Escheator for the County of Dorset having received the usual writ "ad diem clausit extremum," impanelled a jury at Dorchester on the 5th September, 1622, and they returned upon oath that the said William Bisshop, on the day of his death, held lands, etc., at Holway, settled upon the heirs of his body by an Indenture, dated 28th October, 6 Edw. VI. (A.D. 1552), made between Sir Richard Read, knight, on the one part, and John Bisshop, deceased, father of the said William Bisshop, and John Dawe the younger, of Froom St. Quintin, Co. Dorset, deceased, on the other part, with remainder in default of issue to Philip Bisshop, the brother of the same William Bisshop and the heirs of his body, with remainder in default to Alice Harris, sister of the aforesaid William Bisshop and the heirs of her body, with remainder in default to Agnes Beere, the other sister of the aforesaid William Bisshop and the heirs of her body, in default, the remainder to Elizabeth Dike, the other sister of the aforesaid William Bisshop and the heirs of her body, etc., for ever. He also held other lands in Holway, called Metford, by Indenture, dated 7 November, 17 Eliz. (A.D. 1575), executed between the said Sir Richard Read, knight, on the one part and the said William Bisshop on the other part. They also say upon their oath, that the aforesaid William Bisshop, Esq., died at Holway on the twenty-seventh day of December last past, before the taking of this inquisition, and that William Bisshop is the son and nearest heir of the aforesaid William Bisshop, deceased, and was at the time of his father's death fifty years old and upwards.

"On the death of his son William Bisshop, a similar "Inquisition post mortem" was taken at Sherborne in the County of Dorset, on the 26 April, 15 Car. I. (A.D. 1639), and the jury returned upon their oaths that the said William Bisshop, deceased, held lands in Holway and Metford, in the Parish of Catestoke, in the County of Dorset, and that by an Indenture, dated 11 March, 2 Car. I. (A.D. 1626-7) between the said William Bisshop, deceased, as William Bisshop of Holway, in the Parish of Catestoke, in the County of Dorset, on the one part and Richard Bisshop, son and heir apparent of the said William Bisshop, etc. He held and was seized of these lands, etc., on the 28th of August last past, the day of his death, and Richard Bisshop is certified as his son and nearest heir and of the age of forty years fully completed." *Inquis. Post Mortem*, 15 Car. I. No. 157. Pars. 1.

AN ABSTRACT OF THE WILL OF RICHARD BISHOP, OR BISHOP, OF
SOUTH WARNBOROUGH, ESQ., SON AND HEIR OF WILLIAM BISHOP,
OF HOLWAY, IN THE PARISH OF CATTISTOCK, CO. DORSET, ESQ.,
DATED ON THE SEVENTH DAY OF JANUARY, 1656-7.

I, RICHARD BISHOP, of South Warneborowe, in the County of South-
ton, Esquier. In good health, etc., commits his soul to God, etc.
“And as for my body, my desire is to be committed to Christian burial
in a decent manner without funeral pompe or ostentation at the discre-
tion of my Executor hereafter named, and if it may be my chance to
dye in London then to be buried in St. Dunstan's Church in the East,
London, as near as may be to the place where my wife MARY was there
lately interred. Item I give and bequeth to the poor of the Parish of
Catestoke in the County of Dorset, where I was borne, the sum of ten
pounds of lawful money, five pounds of it to be for the poor within the
manor of Holway within the Parish of Catestoke aforesaid, to be dis-
posed unto them at the discretion of my son Richard now dwelling
there. Item I bequeth to the poor of the parish of South Warneborowe
the sum of ten pounds.

“My eldest son Richard of Holway shall have and retain all the
profits and revenues of all those my manors, farms and lands of Holway
alias Holwall and Inparke, with all appurtenances within the parish of
Catestoke and in Stoklands *alias* Stokewood in the parish of Stoke-
wood in the said county of Dorset, to him the said Richard and his
heirs male for ever. If he my said son Richard should die without
issue male and leaving daughters only, and that my son William shall
have living heirs male, then the said lands in Dorsetshire shall be
charged for the raising of portions for the said daughters not exceeding
half the value of the said lands, the same shall descend to my son
William and his heirs male.

“My second son William shall have and receive all the profits and
revenues of all those my manors, farms and lands of South Warn-
borowe and Crowdishall in the County of Southampton, together with
a tenement, orchard and garden in Odiham in the County of
Southampton, now in the tenure of Thomas Hurlston, clerk. If my
said son William shall die without issue male lawfully begotten, and
shall leave only daughters as issue, then these lands in Hampshire to
be charged to half their value to raise portions for the said daughters,
and shall descend to my son Richard and to his heirs male. If one
son should die without issue then the other surviving son to have the
aforesaid lands, etc.

“Item whereas upon the marriage contract of my daughter Bridgett
with Edward Goddard of Standen (besides her present portion) I did

then engage by bond to give her £350 by way of legacy after my decease if she survived me, which promise I do now hereby confirm, to be paid according to the terms of the said bonds.

“ My daughter in Law, my son Richard's wife, etc.

“ My son Richard's four children, William, Anne, Mary, and Katharine to each a legacy of £50.

“ To Richard Hardy, Samuel Bishop, Richard Moore and Bride Bishop, my nephews & godchildren, fifty shillings apiece.

“ To Alice Moore, my sister Moore's daughter, five pounds.

“ To my son William Bishop these two houses in North Warnborowe with the lands belonging to them, which were purchased of Anthony Bushell in the nature of a mortgage.

“ My son William Bishop to be sole executor, etc.

“ My son Richard Bishop to be overseer of this my last will, etc.

“ To my daughter in law, Flower Bishop, a diamond ring worth five pounds.”

The Testator, Richard Bishop, confirmed this his last will and testament and signed it on 30 September, 1658.

Proved at London, November 11th, 1658, before the Judges for the probate of Wills, etc., by the oath of William Bishop, sole Executor named in the said Will. *In Book Wotton, Quire 615.*

AN ABSTRACT OF THE WILL OF WILLIAM BISSHOP, OR BISHOPP, OF
SOUTH WARNBOROUGH, ESQ., SECOND SON OF RICHARD BISSHOP,
ESQ., OF SOUTH WARNBOROUGH, HANTS, AND OF HOLWAY, CO
DORSET. DATED MARCH 1st, 1660-1.

" I William Bishopp, of South Warnborough, in the County of South-
ampton, Esq^r, being sick and weak of body," etc.

" My body to be decently interred.

" I give and bequeath to my dear Wife, Mrs. Flower Bishopp, my
manor of Okeangre in the County of Southampton, also all my freehold
in Swallowfield in the County of Berks.

" My Brother Mr. Edward Goddard

" To my loving sister Mrs. Bridgett Goddard my watch.

" Item I give and bequeath to my dear mother Mrs. Anne Back-
house my great Bible with the Bosses.

" My loving cousin Mr. William Lloyd

" Item I give and bequeath to the poor of the parish of South Warn-
borough the sum of five pounds, to the poor of the parish of Swallow-
field five pounds as also one silver flagon for the communion table of
Swallowfield.

" My Aunt Moore's daughter Alice"

PROVED at London on 11 June, 1661.

In Book " MAY," Quire 66.

The silver flagon purchased in accordance with the above bequest
still forms a portion of the communion-plate at Swallowfield. In front
of it is engraved a shield charged with the family arms:—*Argent, on a
bend cotised gules, three bezants*, with palm branches tied beneath the
shield ornamenting the sides, below which is inscribed—

" Ex dono GULIELMI BISHOPP Ecclesie Swalofield."

AN ABSTRACT OF THE "WILL OF RICHARD BISHOPP, OF SOUTH WARBOROUGH, IN THE COUNTY OF SOUTHAMPTON, ESQ."

Dated 19 September, 1700, 12 Will. III., and proved in London on 3 March, 1704-5.

His body to be decently buried in the church of South Warborough "as near my beloved wife* as conveniently may be, without vain pomp or ostentation." He bequeaths to his eldest son and heir, William Bishopp, all his estates in the counties of Southampton and Dorset, and elsewhere, and appoints him his sole executor. To the poor of the parish of South Warborough £5, to be paid and distributed within three months after his decease, by the parish officers there, with the approbation of his executor. To the poor of the parish of Cattistock, in the County of Dorset, 50s., to be paid and distributed within six months after his decease, at the discretion of the Churchwardens and Overseers of the poor there for the time being. To his sister, Mrs. Bridgett Keiling, of Cliffe-Pypard, in Wiltshire, £4 to buy mourning in remembrance of him, to be paid her as soon as conveniently may be after his decease. To his sons, Henry Bishopp and Benjamin Bishopp, and to his daughters, Katherine Tonstall and Flora Prendcourt, £20 a-piece, to be paid within six months after his decease, also the balance of the £50 "due to the said Katherine, now in the hands of Mrs. Mary Heron, her Aunt, as executrix to my brother, Mr. Samuel Heron, Merchant, lately deceased." Also to his daughter Flora, wife of Francis Prendcourt, £40 due to her, and the payment of a bond for £250. To each of his grandchildren living at the time of his decease, 50s., and an additional legacy of £25 to each of his three orphan grandchildren, daughters of his youngest daughter Elizabeth and her husband Piercy Rowe, both deceased.

* Katherine, daughter of James Heron, of Pantfield Hall, Essex, Esq.

Armorial Bearings, &c.,

OF THE SEVERAL FAMILIES ALLIED TO THAT OF BISSHOP.

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3. *Agnes*, daughter of *Robert Burguillon*, and niece and heir of *Alice*, wife of *Malculin de la Mare*.—Quarterly or and gules, a bend sable; in the 2nd and 3rd quarters three annulets argent.

- 4 & 34. *Margaret*, daughter and co-heir of *Simon Milborne*, Lord of Tillington, Co. Hereford.—Gules, a chevron between three escallops argent.

34. *Joane*, daughter and co-heir of *Theobald*, Lord Verdon, Baron Weobley.—Or, a fret gules.

34. *Maude*, daughter and heir of *William*, Lord Lovetot.—Argent, a lion rampant per fess gules and sable.

34. *Christian*, daughter and heir of *Gerard*, Lord Furnival.—Argent, a bend between six martlets gules, a crescent for difference.

34. *Elizabeth*, daughter and co-heir of *Sir John de Eynesford*, of Tillington, Co. Hereford.—Gules, fretty ermine.

34. *Anne*, daughter and heir of *Sir John Blacket*, Lord of Icomb, Co. Worcester.—Azure, a bend cotised between six crolets fitchée or.

34. *Joan*, daughter and heir of *Ralph Baskerville*.—Argent, a chevron gules between three hurts, a crescent for difference.

4. — *Gold*, of Chetnell, Co. Dorset.—Argent, three roses gules, seeded or.

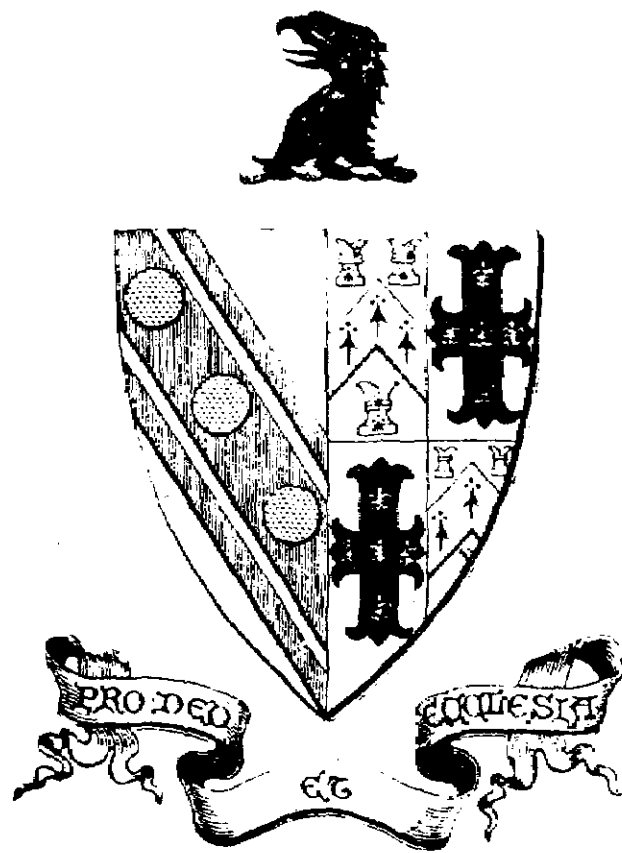
4. *Elizabeth*, daughter of *Philip Dawe*, of Frome St. Quintin, Co.

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- Dorset (an ancient Dorsetshire family).—Argent, on a pale gules a chevron between three crosses croset of the first.
5. *Bride*, daughter of *Alexander Buckler*, of Wolcombe, Co. Dorset.—Sable, on a fesse between three dragons' heads erased or, as many estoiles of the field.
 6. *Alice*, daughter of *William Dunning*, of Brockhampton, Co. Dorset.—Bendy sinister of fourteen, or and purple, over all a lion rampant sable.
 6. *Richard Symes*, of Netherbury and East Melplash, Co. Dorset.—Azure, three escallops in pale or. *Crest*: A demi-hind rampant and erased or.
 7. *Thomas Hardy*, of Sidling, Co. Dorset.—Sable, on a chevron between three escallops or, as many dragons' heads erased of the first.
 8. *Mary*, daughter of *Humfrey Walcot*, of Walcot, Co. Salop.—Quarterly 1st and 4th, argent, a chevron between three chess rooks ermine; 2nd and 3rd, argent, on a cross flory sable five fleurs-de-lis or. [*Vide* Walcot Predigree, page 45.]
 8. *Flora*, daughter and heir of *William Backhouse*, of Swallowfield, Co. Berks.—Or, a saltire ermine.
 9. *Edward Goddard*, of Standen Hussey, and Cliffe Pypard, Co. Wilts.—Gules, a chevron vairé between three crescents argent. *Crest*: A stag's head coupé at the neck and affrontée gules, attired or. *Motto*: "Cervus non servus."
 9. *Katherine*, daughter of *James Heron*, of Panfield Hall, Co. Essex.—Sable, a chevron ermine between three herons closed argent, beaked and legged gules.
 10. *Thomas Mayo*, of Abbots Wotton, Co. Dorset.—Gules, a chevron vair between three ducal coronets or. *Crest*: Out of a ducal coronet or, a sinister hand proper between two wings argent.
 11. *Eustace Heck*, of Hook, Co. Hants.—Argent, a fesse between three fleurs-de-lis or. *Crest*: A fish haurient.

P.M.H.

12. *Robert Kitching*, Esquire.—Argent, a chevron between bastards' gules.
13. *Sarah*, daughter of *Sir John Bendysh*, Bart., of Steeple-Bumstead, Co. Essex. Argent, a chevron sable between three rams' heads, erased azure.
14. *Sir Francis Wheeler*, Bart., C.B.—Or, a chevron between three leopards' faces sable. *Crest*: Out of a ducal coronet or, a spread eagle issuant gules. *Motto*: "Facie tenus."
15. *Sarah*, daughter of — *Cesar*.—Gules, three roses argent, on a chief of the second as many roses of the first.
16. *Amy*, daughter of *John Trotter*, late Captain 2nd Life Guards, of Dyrham Park, Co. Herts.—Quarterly 1st and 4th, argent, a crescent gules, on a chief azure three mullets of the field pierced; 2nd and 3rd, gules, a lion rampant argent, royally crowned, and charged on the shoulder with a crescent of the field; all within a bordure ermine.
17. *Janet*, daughter of *Sir Robert Dunbar*, Bart., of Durn, Co. Banff, fifteenth in descent from Robert II., King of Scotland, through his daughter Princess Marjory, who married John Dunbar, Earl of Moray.—Quarterly 1st and 4th, gules, a lion rampant within a bordure argent; 2nd and 3rd, or, three cushions within the royal tressure gules; all within a bordure nebulée quartered azure and gules.
18. *Lucy Sarah Anne*, only daughter of the late *Sir James Wedderburn* and the *Lady Frances Caroline*, his wife (daughter and eventually one of the co-heirs of Arthur, late Earl of Mountnorris, and Viscount Valentia, claiming also to be seventh Earl of Anglesey, both which earldoms are now extinct).—Argent, a chevron between three roses gules, barbed vert.
19. *Louisa Frances Katherine*, daughter of the Hon. and Rev. *Augustus George Legge*, late Chancellor and Archdeacon of Winchester, and Rector of Wonston, Hants.—Azure, a buck's head cabossed argent.

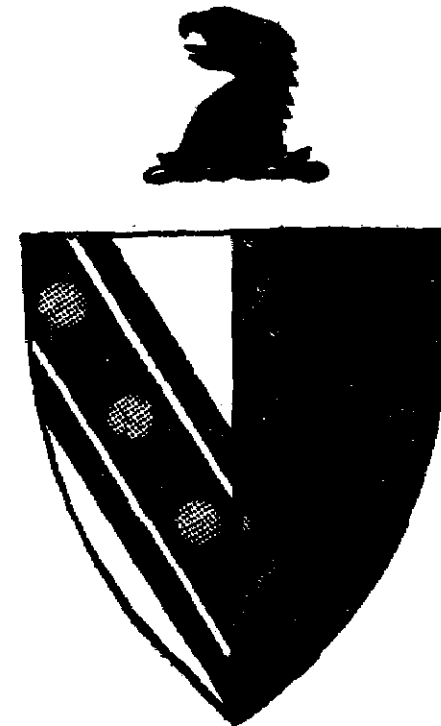


Richard Bysshop,

THE MANOR HOUSE, SOUTH WARNBOROUGH,

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THIS IS RICHARD BYSSHOP THE OLDEST
BROTHER OF REV JOHN AND HEIR TO
THE ESTATE OF HIS FATHER



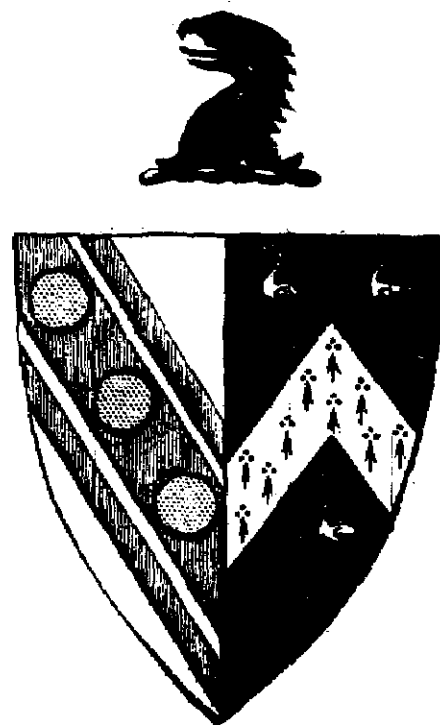
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OF

HOLWAY

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THIS IS THE FATHER OF JOHN BISHOP
HIS GRAVE WAS MARKED IN 1980 BY
DESCENDANTS FROM THE UNITED STATES
SEE PAGE 22. VERY INTERESTING



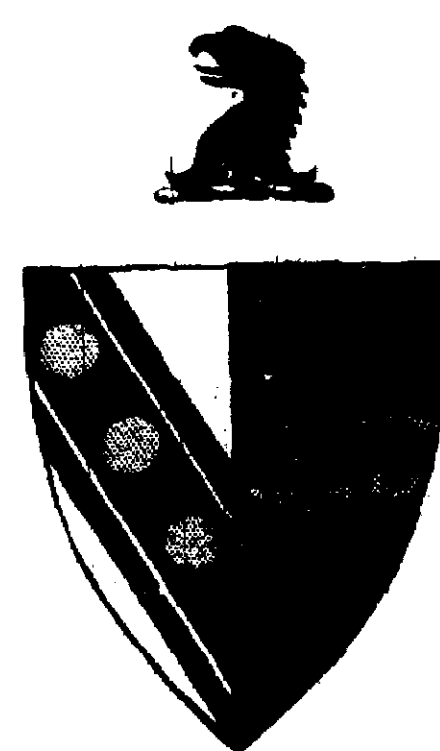
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1661.

THIS RICHARD MUST BE THE SON OF
RICHARD THE BROTHER OF REV JOHN



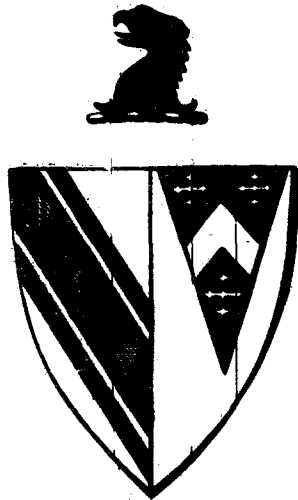
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OF

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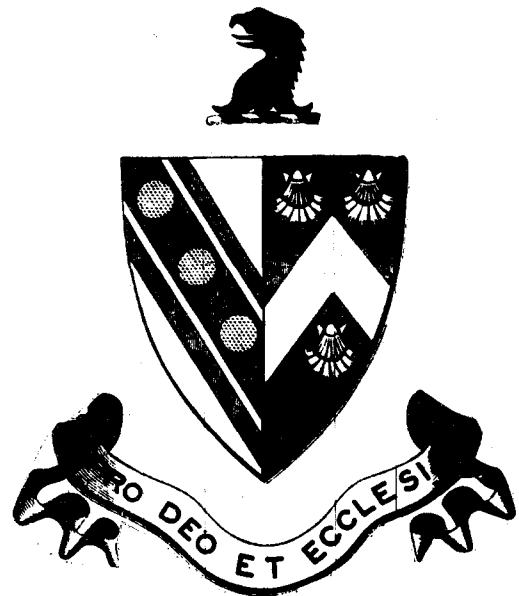


John Bishop,

HOLWAY,

1540.

JOHN BYSSHOP OF FROME ST.QUINTIN
AND HOLWAY WOULD BE THE GREAT
GRANDFATHER OF REV JOHN BISHOP
SEE PAGE 4 FOR GENEALOGY.



John Bysshop,

TILLINGTON COURT,

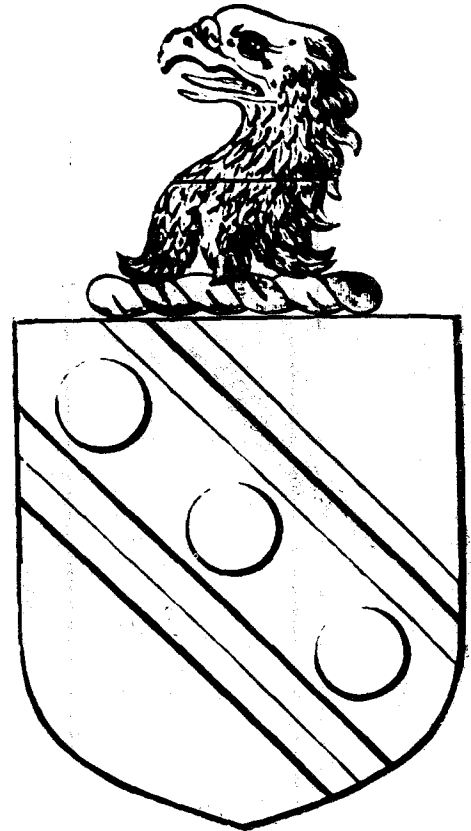
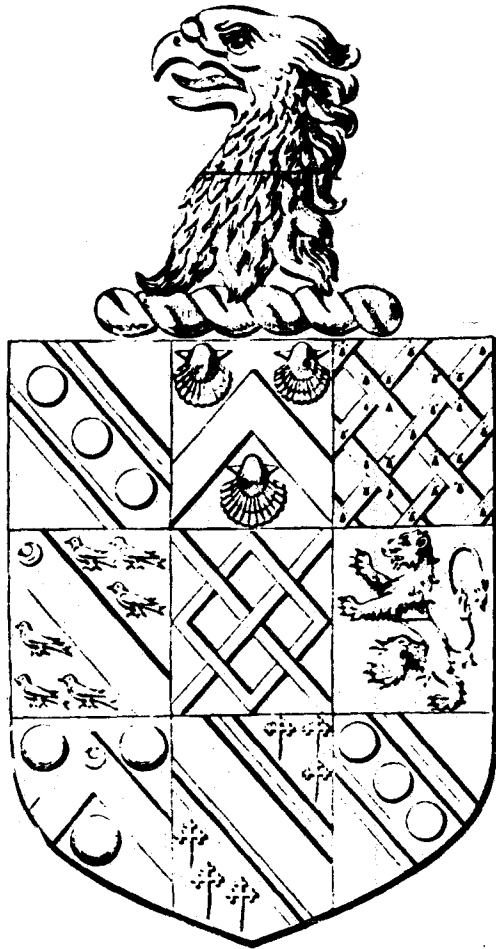
1502.

JOHN BYSSHOP OF TILLINGTON
COURT WAS THE GREAT GREAT
GREAT GRANDFATHER OF REV
JOHN BISHOP

REV ALFRED CAESAR BISHOP RECTOR
OF BRAMDEAN, COUNTY HAMPSHIRE
HAD COAT OF ARMS 1866

A MR. RICHARD BISHOP WAS ISSUED COAT
OF ARMS IN 1757
WM. CLATTERLY BISHOP WAS ISSUED COAT
OF ARMS IN 1840 HE WAS RECTOR

THOMAS BISHOP THE GREAT GREAT
GRANDFATHER OF REV. JOHN APARENTLY
DID NOT HAVE A COAT OF ARMS



Both these coat of arms appear on the Pedigree of BISHOP, of HOLWAY in the Parish of Cattistock

The one on the left is not assigned to a person but is definitely associated with the BISHOP family. The notation under the coat of arms states " Entered in the Visitation of LONDON, A.D. 1633, and approved by Sir Henry St. George Knt. Clarenceux. King of Arms, 14 Aug 1686"

The one on the right states " Assigned by patent, 10 August 1627 (Tenth year King Charles I) by Sir William Segar, Knt. Garter-King-of-Arms to WILLIAM BISHOP of HOLWAY, in the county of Dorset, gent. and RICHARD BISHOP, of LONDON, gent. his eldest son and heir apparent"

The one on the right is assigned to WILLIAM BISHOP the father of JOHN BISHOP and is an ancestor of the descendants of REV. JOHN.

The colors used are shown in " The Visitations of LONDON 74 "

This book is available in several libraries.

Page 16 of this book gives a brief description of the coat of arms for William Bishop and others.

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NAMES: WATSON, John Henry

PLACES: Sharon. Windsor. Vt.

To indicate that a child is an ancestor of the family representative, place an "X" behind the number pertaining to that child.

Born.	1610	Place	ANCIENT MANOR OF HOLWAY FARM, CATTISTOCK, DORCHESTER, DORSET CO. ENGLAND	
Chr.	MAY 3 1610	Place	ANGLICAN CHURCH OF SAINTS PETER AND PAUL, CATTISTOCK ENGLAND	
Marr.	ABOUT 1644 OR 1645	Place	PROBABLY NEW HAVEN OR POSSIBLY MILFORD, CONN	
Died.	1694	Place	STAMFORD, CONN.	
Bur.	STAMFORD, CONN.	Place	NOW IN ST. JOHN'S CEMETERY, BEHIND ST. ANDREWS EPISCOPAL CHURCH	
HUSBAND'S FATHER	BISHOP, WILLIAM		HUSBAND'S MOTHER	DUNNING, ALICE
HUSBAND'S OTHER WIVES	JOANNA (BOYCE) (PRUDEN) WILLET			

WIFE GOODYEAR, REBECCA FIRST CHILD OF STEPHEN GOODYEAR AND HIS WIFE MARY

Wife	ABOUT 1626	Place	PROB. ST. MARY'S, WOOLNOTH, LONDON, ENGLAND
Born		Place	
Chr.		Place	
Died	ABOUT 1679	Place	STAMFORD, CONN

Bur.
WIFE'S
FATHER

GOODYEAR, STEPHEN

Place

DEP. GOV. OF NEW HAVEN COLONY

MARY

WIFE'S OTHER HUSBANDS	JOANNA (BOYCE) PRUDDEN WILLET
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SEX M F	CHILDREN		WHEN BORN			WHERE BORN			DATE OF FIRST MARRIAGE		WHEN DIED		
	List each child (whether living or dead) in order of birth Given Names	Surname	DAY	MONTH	YEAR	TOWN	COUNTY	STATE OR COUNTRY	TO WHOM	DAY	MONTH	YEAR	
1													
F	MARY		DEATH RECORDED			25 JULY 1658			CONN				
2													
M	STEPHEN		ABOUT		1660	STAMFORD		CONN	ABOUT 1680	3 DEC		1722	
3													
F	REBECCA					STAMFORD		CONN	PROB. SLAWSON, MERCY		26 APR	1723	
4													
M	EBENEZER		20 JAN	1667		STAMFORD		CONN	WHITING, JOSEPH REV.	3 OCT 1700	12 MAR	1710	
5													
M	JOSEPH	BP	16 OCT	1667		STAMFORD		CONN	SLAWSON SARAH	3 NOV 1691	14 SEP	1733	
6													
M	BENJAMIN	BP		OCT	1675	STAMFORD		CONN	KNOWLES, ELIZABETH,	24 JUN 1695	25 JAN	1727/28	
7									PIERSON, SUSANNA				
8													
	JOHN BISHOP PROBABLY HAD 4 MORE CHILDREN THAT DIED IN INFANCY												
9													
10													
11													

SOURCES OF INFORMATION

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OTHER MARRIAGES

JOANNA FIRST MARRIED REV. JOSEPH WHITING
SECOND TO CAPT THOMAS WILLET FIRST
ENGLISH MAYOR OF NEW YORK CITY. THIRD TO
REV. JOHN BISHOP

NAMES: WATSON, John Henry
PLACES: Sharon, Windsor, Vt

ENTER ALL DATA IN THIS ORDER:
DATES: 14 Apr 1794

To indicate that a child is an ancestor of the family representative, place an "X" behind the number pertaining to that child.

HUSBAND BISHOP, STEPHEN SECOND CHILD OF JOHN BISHOP AND REBECCA GOODYEAR
Born. ABOUT 1660 Place STAMFORD, CONN.
Chr. Place
Marr. ABOUT 1680 Place
Died PR. 4 APR 1735 Place STAMFORD CONN.
Bur. Place
HUSBAND'S FATHER REV. JOHN BISHOP 1610/1694 HUSBAND'S MOTHER REBECCA GOODYEAR 1626/1679
HUSBAND'S OTHER WIVES

WIFE PROB. SLAWSON, MERCY

Born. Place
Chr. Place
Died Place
Bur. Place
WIFE'S FATHER PR. EBENEZER SLAWSON WIFE'S MOTHER
WIFE'S OTHER HUSBANDS

SEX M F	CHILDREN List each child (whether living or dead) in order of birth		WHEN BORN			WHERE BORN		STATE OR COUNTRY	DATE OF FIRST MARRIAGE		WHEN DIED		
	Given Names	Surname	DAY	MONTH	YEAR	TOWN	COUNTY		TO WHOM	DAY	MONTH	YEAR	
1	M	JOHN	ABOUT		1682	STAMFORD		CONN.	10 MAY 1704				1757
2	M	ABRAHAM (TWIN)	28	OCT	1684	STAMFORD		CONN	TALMAGE, MARY			29 OCT	1712
3	M	STEPHEN (TWIN)	28	OCT	1684	STAMFORD		CONN	UNMARRIED				
4	M	THEOPHILUS	1	FEB	1687	STAMFORD		CONN	4 JUN 1713	23	JUL	1731	
5	M	ISAAC	30	OCT	1689	STAMFORD		CONN	WAITSTILL (GREEN)				
6	F	REBECCA	9	APR	1692	STAMFORD		CONN	WATERBURY	3	SEP	1710	
7	F	ABAGAIL	15	JUL	1696	STAMFORD		CONN	UNMARRIED				
8									22 MAY 1718				1757
9									FINCH, SUSANNA			AFTER	1723
10									HOLLY, ELISHA				
11									2 JAN 1720	1	SEP	1757	
									SEELEY, JOHN				

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WAITSTILL GREEN MARRIED 1ST. DAVID
WATERBURY 10 APRIL 1707 HE DIED STAMFORD
CONN, 14 JUN 1710

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HUSBAND BISHOP, STEPHEN THIRD CHILD OF STEPHEN BISHOP AND MERCY SLAWSON

Born 28 OCT 1684 Place STAMFORD, CONN.

Chr. 4 JUN 1713 Place STAMFORD, CONN.

Marr. 23 JUL 1731 Place STAMFORD, CONN.

Died Bur. HUSBAND'S FATHER STEPHEN BISHOP

HUSBAND'S MOTHER MERCY SLAWSON

HUSBAND'S OTHER WIVES

WIFE (GREEN), (WATERBURY), WAITSTILL

Born 26 NOV. 1685 Place STAMFORD, CONN.

Chr. 5 JUL 1730 Place STAMFORD CONN.

Died Bur. WIFE'S FATHER GREEN, JOSEPH

WIFE'S MOTHER

WIFE'S OTHER HUSBANDS (!) WATERBURY, DAVID

WAITSTILL WIDOW OF DAVID HAD A SON, DAVID JR.

WILLIAM WIDOW OF DAVID AND A SON, DAVID SON.													
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1	M	AZUBAH	30	JUL	1714	STAMFORD		CONN	4 APR 1734				
2	M	JOSEPH	30	AUG	1715	STAMFORD		CONN	SIMEON, JUNE				
3	M	STEPHEN	16	OCT	1716	STAMFFORD		CONN	15 JUL 1740	1800 OR AFTER			
4	F	ELIZABETH	18	MAY	1722	STAMFORD		CONN	BOUTON, SARAH				
5									15 JUL 1740	16 MAY 1791			
6									SLAWSON SARAH				
7													
8		SOME REFERENCES SAY THERE WERE SIX CHILDREN											
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SARAH'S SISTER MARY, MARRIED EZRA BOUTON
 WHEREAS DAVID WATERBURY MARRIED MARY
 DAUGHTER OF JOHN BOUTON AND MARY HICKOCK

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HUSBAND BISHOP, JOSEPH SECOND CHILD OF STEPHEN BISHOP AND WAITSTILL (GREEN) WATERBURY

Born 30 AUG 1715 Place STAMFORD CONN.
Chr. Place
Marr. 15 JUL 1740 Place STAMFORD, CONN.
Died 1800 OR AFTER Place ST CLAIR BOTTOM, VIRGINIA
Bur. HUSBAND'S FATHER HUSBAND'S MOTHER PROB. MERCY SLAWSON
HUSBAND'S OTHER WIVES

WIFE BOUTON, SARAH (OLD SPELLING COULD BE BOUGHTON)

Born 15 JUL 1722 Place PROBABLY NORWALK, FAIRFIELD CONN.
Chr. Place
Died AFTER 1775 Place ST CLAIRE BOTTOM, VIRGINIA
Bur. WIFE'S FATHER BOUTON, JACHIN WIFE'S MOTHER WHITE, MARY
WIFE'S OTHER HUSBANDS

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1									9 FEB 1764				
M	MATTHEW		23	JUL	1741	STAMFORD		CONN.	WEBSTER, SARAH				
2											POS 11 JUL 1821		
M	STEPHEN		2	OCT	1743	STAMFORD		CONN.	POSSIBLY HANNA IN GEORGIA				
3									18 JUN 1766				
M	WAITSTILL		5	MAY	1746	STAMFORD		CONN.	HUBBELL JUSTUS				
4									ABT 1772		AFTER JUL 29 1780		
F	SARAH		2	SEP	1748	STAMFORD		CONN.	COLE, HUGH		IN VA.		
5									ABT. 1774		6 JUL 1831		
M	JONATHAN		26	JUN	1749	STAMFORD		CONN.	LEWIS MARGARET				
6													
M	LEVI		4	FEB	1750	SALEM, WESTCHESTER CO.		N.Y.	RUTH WIDOW OF ROBERT LEWIS				
7									19 JAN 1764		IN GA		
M	JAMES					PR. SALEM		N.Y.	MEAD, MILESON				
8													
F	RACHEL	BP.	19	SEP	1764	SALEM TOWNSHIP		N.Y.					
9									ABT 1785		28 DEC 1845	IN TEN	
M	JOSEPH	BP.	7	OCT	1764	SALEM TOWNSHIP		N.Y.	CLARK, MARY				
10									ABT 1791		JAN FEB 1802		
M	ENOS	BP.	12	SEP	1764	SALEM TOWNSHIP		N.Y.	MC DANIEL, TERRY				
11													
M	ELIAS												

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HUSBAND BISHOP, JONATHAN 5TH. CHILD OF JOSEPH
Born 26 JUNE 1749 Place STAMFORD, FAIRFIELD COUNTY CONN.
Chr. Place
Marr. ABOUT 1773 Place
Died 6 JULY 1831 Place ST. CLAIR BOTTOMS, SMYTHE COUNTY, VA.
Bur ST CLAIR BOTTOMS Place IN CHURCH YARD, ST CLAIR BOTTOMS VA.
HUSBAND'S FATHER JOSEPH BISHOP HUSBAND'S MOTHER SARAH
WIFE'S OTHER HUSBANDS

WIFE MARGARET, LEWIS
Born ABOUT 1743 Place POSSIBLY MARYLAND OR EAST VIRGINIA
Chr. Place
Died 7 NOV 1820 Place ST CLAIR BOTTOMS VA.
Bur ABOVE
WIFE'S FATHER WILLIAM LEWIS WIFE'S MOTHER
WIFE'S OTHER HUSBANDS

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1	JOHN		20	NOV.	1774	ST CLAIR BOTTOM		FIN-CASTLE	VA.	1797		20	SEPT	1837
2	JOSEPH		ABOUT	1776		" " "		"	VA.	RHODA DE BORD		26	SEPT	1847
3	LEVI		4	JAN	1777	" " "		WASH--INGTON	VA.	HANNA ST JOHN		25	DEC	1799
4	LEWIS		6	APR	1778	" " "		"	VA.	25 DEC 1799		12	MAY	1846
5	NOAH		27	OCT.	1779	" " "		"	VA.	RACHEL BISHOP COUSIN		27	JAN	1803
6	JONATHAN		ABT.	1780		" " "		"	VA.	28 SEPT 1828				
7	THOMAS		ABT	1782		" " "		"	VA.	MARY ADAMS		23	SEP.	1803
8	MARY		25	SEP	1786	" " "		"	VA.	23 SEP. 1803		11	MAY	1852
9	WILLIAM		3	JAN	1788	" " "		"	VA.	6 MAY 1806				
10										MARGARET KINCANNON				
11										25 MAY 1805		AFTER	1861	
										MARGARET GASTINEAU				
										26 SEP		1865		
										JAMES BUCKHANNON				
										7 AUG 1808		7	AUG	1863
										ELIZABETH POAGUE				

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DESCENDANTS OF CHARLES BISHOP 1840/ 1925 DESCEND FROM
THOMAS AND MARGARET GASTINEAU AND THEIR CHILD JOB
HAZEL BISHOP PHELPS AND DAUGHTER FRANCES P MERCER
DESCEND FROM NOAH
FREDRICK A. BISHOP DESCENDS FROM JOHN

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