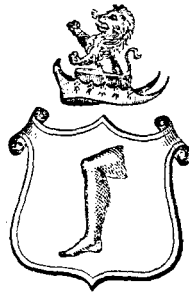


GENEALOGY  
OF THE  
GILMAN FAMILY  
IN  
ENGLAND AND AMERICA;  
TRACED IN THE LINE OF THE  
HON. JOHN GILMAN, OF EXETER, N. H.  
BY  
ARTHUR GILMAN OF GLYNLLYN.



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GILMAN FAMILY  
IN  
ENGLAND AND AMERICA.





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## ILLUSTRATIONS.

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Portrait on Steel of Prof. Chandler R. Gilman, M. D.,  
of New York.

Family Arms, on the title page.

~~Residence of Samuel H. L. N. Gilman, late of Hing-~~  
~~ham, England.~~









## AUTHOR'S NOTE.

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IT is known to many who will see these pages that the writer has been engaged for some years in the study of the history of the Family of Gilman. Like many similar undertakings, the investigation was begun merely as a pastime, and was so pursued until, at the solicitation of friends, arrangements were made for the publication of such information as should be elicited. In pursuance of this design an outline sketch of the family in America has been prepared and submitted for the correction of errors, and in order that still more history may be obtained. The present outline of the family in England is presented to the descendants of Edward Gilman there for the same purpose.

The two parts are to be published together, as soon as it may properly be done, and the friends in England will assist much in making

the final publication perfect, by communicating to the author any particulars which may be omitted.

The author desires to have the name of *every member* of the family, with the following information concerning each :

1. When and where born, or baptized.
2. Biographical sketch.
3. Wife's name, the name of her parents, with date and place of her birth, marriage and death.
4. Name in full of all children, with dates and places of birth and death, and all other details usually found in family records.

A reference will probably be made in the final publication to such other branches of the family as may exist, and of which the author may become cognizant. The author has lately been put in correspondence with a member of the family of Gillman of Rock House near Ballinadee, county Cork, Ireland, Henry Gillman, Esq., now connected with the U. S. coast survey, and lately of Detroit, Mich., U. S. A. Mr. Gillman is connected with James Gillman of Oakmount, and the others of the name in county Cork.

This sketch is illustrated with a portrait on steel of Professor Chandler Robbins Gilman, M. D., of the College of Physicians and Surgeons New York. The portrait is engraved by Ritchie, and is inserted as a sample of the style in which others are to be made for the work, several of which are either finished or in the engraver's hands.

A small view representing the ~~residence of the late Samuel Hey-~~  
~~hoe Le Neve Gilman~~ *Parsonage at Hingham Eng* is inserted, and is from a photograph kindly

furnished by James Feltham of Hingham. Other larger wood cuts are in preparation. The printing, executed by Mr. Munsell, well known for his success in this peculiar style of work, speaks its own praise.

It is proposed to publish a genealogy which shall be a credit to the Gilman name, and a monument to the worth of our ancestors, both in its mechanical execution, and in the intrinsic value of its facts, and to effect this it is necessary that every one should take that interest in the undertaking which will lead him to see that his record at least, is correctly made.

All are therefore earnestly requested to communicate what items they can to the undersigned, of whom further information may be had.

The family's obedient

Servant,

ARTHUR GILMAN of Glynlllyn.

GLYNLLYN, Lee, Berkshire Co., Mass., }  
August 1, 1864. }



AUTHOR'S SKETCH  
OF THE  
ENGLISH BRANCH OF THE FAMILY.





## GILMAN FAMILY.

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### ENGLISH BRANCH.

1. EDWARD GILMAN<sup>1</sup> of Caston, who is the earliest known ancestor, was married at Caston, June 22, 1550, to ROSE RYSSE. She survived her husband, and his will, which was dated February 5, 1573, was proved by her on the 7th of July of the same year. By his will he devised his Mansion House in Caston to his eldest son John, and his other different estates, etc., were divided among his three other sons and five daughters. Mrs. Gilman married at Caston April 3, 1578, John Snell, and was buried in Caston October 3, 1613.

#### *Children of EDWARD GILMAN (1) and wife.*

2. John<sup>2</sup> of Caston.

3. Robert<sup>2</sup> of Caston (5) baptized Caston, July 10, 1559; married —, Mary —, who was buried Caston March 9, 1618. He is mentioned in his brother Lawrence's will in 1639, and March 2, 1631, he enfeoffed his son John with lands devised by his father Edward in 1572. He was buried at Caston March 6, 1631.

4. Lawrence<sup>2</sup> of Caston (9), baptized, Caston, November 3, 1561; buried at Caston, August 21, 1629; married, Caston, June 20, 1588, Elizabeth James, who was buried at Caston December, 20, 1602. His will is dated August 1, 1629, and was proved December 8, 1629.

#### *Children of ROBERT GILMAN<sup>2</sup> (3) and wife.*

5. Robert<sup>3</sup> (11, 12) of Hingham, married *first*, Hingham May 14, 1611, ROSE HAWES; *second*, Mary —, who survived him and

proved his will January 21, 1658. He was admitted Hingham Gurneys in 1650, and bought Hingham in 1658. His will was dated September 27, 1658, and proved as above.

6. *Edward*<sup>3</sup> (13), married Hingham June 3, 1614, Mary Clark, with whom and with three sons, two daughters, and three servants he emigrated to America, and became the founder of the Gilman line there.

7. *Lawrence*<sup>3</sup> of Caston, baptized Caston December 1, 1594; was a devisee in his brother John's will in 1639. His own will was proved in 1647.

8. *John*<sup>3</sup> of Caston, baptized Caston February 28, 1598. March 2, 1631, he was enfeoffed by his father of lands devised to him by his father Edward in 1572.

*Children of LAWRENCE GILMAN<sup>2</sup> (4) and wife.*

9. *Leonard*<sup>3</sup> baptized Caston August 17, 1597; married, Elizabeth —, who survived him, and proved his will February 3, 1634.(?) He was devisee in his father's will of estates charged with annuity to his brother Edward<sup>3</sup> (10). His will was dated September 9, 1634, and he was buried at Caston on the 24th of the same month.

10. *Edward*<sup>3</sup> (23), married Caston January 29, 1614, Rebecca Spooner, who was buried Caston December 24, 1620. He was buried at the same place December 24, 1624.

*Children of ROBERT GILMAN<sup>3</sup> (5) and Rose Hawes.*

11. *Daniel*<sup>1</sup> (24), the third son, and fourth child was baptized at Hingham March 25, 1624; married Bridgett —.

[The names of the other children are not known to the author.]

*Children of ROBERT GILMAN<sup>3</sup> (5) and Mary —.*

12. *Samuel*<sup>1</sup> (27), baptized Hingham October 5, 1644; mentioned in his father's will in 1658; heir of his mother, Hingham Gurneys, 1684; buried Hingham September 25, 1698. He was married July 1, 1674, at St. Peter's, Hungate, Norwich, to Lydia Williamson, who was baptized at Gedney, Lincolnshire, February 2, 1654, and was buried at Hingham August 7, 1727.



*Children of EDWARD GILMAN<sup>3</sup> (6) and wife.*

13. *Mary*<sup>4</sup>, baptized at Hingham, Eng., August 6, 1615; married John Foulsham, who came over in the same ship.

14. *Edward*<sup>4</sup>, baptized at Hingham, Eng., December 26, 1617; married ~~Ann Smith~~, and perished at sea in 1653. *Ad Rich.*

15. *Sarah*<sup>4</sup>, baptized at Hingham, Eng., January 19, 1622. Further particulars unknown. ~~in John~~

16. *Lydia*<sup>4</sup>, baptized —; married by Mr. John Peck, at Hingham, Eng., January 19, 1645, to Daniel, son of Matthew Cushing, Sr.

17. *JOHN*<sup>4</sup>, born January 10, 1624; baptized at Hingham, Eng., May 23, 1626; died July 24, 1708; married June 30, 1667, Elizabeth, daughter of James and Catherine (Shapleigh) Treworgye.\* She was born —, 1639, and died September 8, 1719.

18. *Moses*<sup>4</sup>, baptized at Hingham, Eng., March 11, 1630; married —, Elizabeth, daughter of William Hersie, Sr.

19. Son, died young and unmarried.

20. Son, died young and unmarried.

21. Son, died young and unmarried.

22. Son, died young and unmarried.

*Child of EDWARD GILMAN<sup>3</sup> (9) and wife.*

23. *Edward*<sup>4</sup>, baptized, Caston, December 30, 1615; received an annuity as *lame grand-child* in Lawrence's will in 1629, and is

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\* NOTE.—Mr. Alexander Shapleigh was a merchant and ship-owner, and was interested in the early settlements in Maine and New Hampshire, to which places he sent over his goods in his own ships. He was agent for Sir Ferdinando Gorges and visited this country probably before 1635. He had a son, Major Nicholas Shapleigh, a chief man in Maine, and daughter Catherine, who married first, Mr. James Treworgye, who died in Newfoundland before 1650. She married second, Mr. Edward Hilton, — of Dover, in 1624, and Exeter 1640 — the father of the settlement of New Hampshire. Catherine and James Treworgye had daughters, Joan, who married John Amerideth of Kittery, Me., Lucy, who married Mr. Thomas Wills of Kittery, and Elizabeth, who married Hon. JOHN GILMAN, of Exeter, and had son Hon. Nicholas Gilman of Exeter, born 1672, died 1749, Judge of Superior Court, ancestor of Governor Gilman, Senator Gilman and of the author hereof.— See *N. E. Hist. Gen. Register*, vol. v., pp. 345-6, etc.

mentioned in his uncle Leonard's will in 1634. He appears never to have married.

*Children of DANIEL GILMAN<sup>4</sup> (11) and wife.*

24. *Mary*<sup>5</sup>, baptized Hingham, November 8, 1647.

25. *Daniel*<sup>5</sup> (31), baptized Hingham, February 14, 1648; will dated 1710, proved 1713-14. He married Ann——.

26. *Edward*<sup>5</sup>, baptized Hingham, April 12, 1651; died after 1658, when he was living with his grandfather.

*Children of SAMUEL GILMAN<sup>4</sup> (12) and wife.*

27. *Samuel*<sup>5</sup> (34), born ——, 1675; married *first*, at Wymondham, November 13, 1701, Hester, daughter of William Le Neve of Wymondham; *second*, Anna Francis Amyas, who was born 1677. His first wife was buried at Hingham, February 25, 1723-4; and his second died at the same place, March 10, 1740; and he was buried at the same place, November 28, 1741. A tablet to his memory in the chancel of the church of Hingham is inscribed as follows:

[Arms and Shield.]

M. S.

SAMUELIS GILMAN GENEROSI  
Qui, Uxoribus Marium Natis, Parentem  
Servis; Magistrum; Junctis Amicitia, Amicum,  
Semper se præstitit optimum  
Sine Invidia Laudem meruit  
Et placidam Egit vitam:  
Morte non Acerba quievit:  
Die 28<sup>vo</sup> Nov. 1741,  
Anno Æt. 66.  
Haud procul ab hoc depositor Sunt ossa  
Patris et Matris  
Samuelis et Lydiæ Gilman.

Mrs. Gilman's epitaph reads thus:

[Arms and Shield.]

HESTERA GILMAN  
Gulielmi Le Neve Generosi Filia  
Samuelis Gilman hujus Parochiæ Generosi  
Uxor Clarissima  
Rei domesticæ & pollentissima  
Christianæ patientiæ insigne ex plar:  
Obijt 23d Februarij  
Anno { Salutis 1724  
Ætatis suæ 43°.  
Hic quoque jacent  
Hestera & Sara  
Optimæ Spei, nec non  
amantissimorum parentum  
Filiæ.

A tablet to the memory of Mr. Gilman's second wife is as follows:

[Arms and Shield.]

Hic jacet  
ANNA FRANCISCI AMYAS GENEROSI NATA  
Samuelis Gilman Uxor altera,  
Quæ  
Parentibus Reverentia  
Marito Fidelitate  
Familiaribus Amicitia  
Pauperibus Charitate  
Deo Pietate  
rite peractio  
immaculata  
si quæ alia  
Morte succubuit  
Die Martii 10  
Anno Æt. 63  
Salutis 1740.

28. *Mordecai*<sup>s</sup>, died unmarried.

29. *Robert*<sup>s</sup>, (39) married.

30. *Reuben*<sup>s</sup> (40), born —; married Sarah, daughter of Rev. Mr. Stannard of Laxfield, and niece of Lawrence Le Neve.

*Children of DANIEL GILMAN<sup>5</sup> (25) and wife.*

31. *Daniel*<sup>6</sup> (45), born —; married —, Sarah Andrews; buried St. Lawrence, Norwich, 1716. See *Blomfield*, vol. iv., p. 259.

32. *John*<sup>6</sup>.

33. *Luke*<sup>6</sup>.

*Children of SAMUEL GILMAN<sup>5</sup> (27) and wife.*

34. *Alice*<sup>6</sup>, born —; married Rev. John Breese, and had Mary, who married Daniel Jodrell, and John, who married and settled in Rhode Island.

35. *Samuel*<sup>6</sup> (46), baptized Hingham, December 30, 1708; married, Wicklewood, October 22, 1740, Frances, daughter of Edward Heyhoe of Hardingham, who was born 1709, and died at Hingham, March 23, 1767. He died March 26, 1768, at Hingham.

His epitaph, and that of his wife, in the church at Hingham, are as follows:

[Arms and Shield.]

To the memory of

SAMUEL GILMAN,  
late of this Parish, Attorney at Law,  
whose unblemished honor in his profession  
spoke him the honest man;  
Generous and sincere Friend;  
He departed this life the 26th of March,  
in the year of our Lord 1768,  
and in the 60th year of his age.

Also in memory of

JOHN & FRANCES GILMAN,  
Son and Daughter of  
Samuel Gilman and Frances his wife,  
who died in their infancy.

[Arms and Shield.]

To the memory of

FRANCES the wife of  
Samuel Gilman,  
late of this Parish, Gentleman,  
and Daughter of Edward Heyhoe, Clerk,  
late of Hardingham.

She was a tender and affectionate Wife,  
 Kind and indulgent Mother,  
 a sincere and constant friend,  
 whose amiable qualities made her greatly  
 respected by all her acquaintances.  
 She departed this life the 20th of March,  
 in the year of our Lord 1767,  
 and in the 58th year of her age.

36. *Hester*<sup>6</sup>, died unmarried.

37. *Sarah*<sup>6</sup>, died unmarried.

38. *Mary*<sup>6</sup>, born 1726; married Capel Bringloe. He was born 1720, and died October 1, 1797. She died July 22, 1763. Their remains were interred at Hingham.

*Child of ROBERT GILMAN*<sup>5</sup> (29) *and wife.*

39. *Robert*<sup>6</sup>, died leaving no issue living.

*Children of REUBEN GILMAN*<sup>5</sup> (30) *and wife.*

40. *Sarah*<sup>6</sup>, born 1712; died March 7, 1733.

41. *Henrietta*<sup>6</sup>, born 1716; died December 14, 1738.

- These sisters were buried in Hingham, and their tablets in the church there bear the family arms, with appropriate inscriptions in Latin.

42. *Reuben*<sup>6</sup>, died unmarried.

43. *Charles*<sup>6</sup>, died unmarried.

44. *John*<sup>6</sup> (52), born —; died —; married Mary Williams.

*Child of DANIEL GILMAN*<sup>6</sup> (31) *and wife.*

45. *Daniel*<sup>7</sup>.

*Children of SAMUEL GILMAN*<sup>6</sup> (35) *and wife.*

46. *Elizabeth*<sup>7</sup>, born 1741; died November 8, 1797.

47. *Samuel*<sup>7</sup> (56), baptized Hingham, October 13, 1742; buried Hingham, December 13, 1826; married Oxwick, December 27, 1770, Lydia, daughter of Edward Case, Gent., of Pottesley House,

Norfolk, born June 16, 1743; died Hingham, October 14, 1817.

His epitaph in the Hingham church is as follows:

[Arms etc.]

To the memory of  
 SAMUEL GILMAN,  
 late of this Parish, Gentleman,  
 the eldest son of  
 Samuel Gilman by Frances  
 his wife, the only daughter of the  
 Revd. Edward Heyhoe,  
 late of Hardingham,  
 Born 13th October, 1742,  
 Died 13th December, 1826.

Mrs. Gilman has a tablet in the church also, to her memory.

48. *Reuben*<sup>7</sup> (70), born —; married —, Ann Ellis; died

49. *Frances*<sup>7</sup>, died in infancy.

50. *John*<sup>7</sup>, died in infancy.

51. *Hester*<sup>7</sup>, born 1750; died March 14, 1834; married Thomas Grigson Payne, Esquire, of Hingham, who was born 1740; died July 3, 1806.

*Children of JOHN GILMAN*<sup>6</sup> (44) *and wife.*

52. *Mary*<sup>7</sup>, died in infancy and buried at Bungay.

53. *John*<sup>7</sup>, died in infancy and buried at Bungay.

54. *Reuben*<sup>7</sup>, died in infancy and buried at Bungay.

55. *Mary*<sup>7</sup>, born —; married Edward Bodham, and died without issue.

*Children of SAMUEL GILMAN*<sup>7</sup> (47) *and wife.*

56. *Lydia*<sup>8</sup>, born September 28, 1771; died January 21, 1816; married November 2, 1792, Joseph Howlett. He died December, 1822, aged 62.

57. *Frances Heyhoe*<sup>8</sup>, born November 25, 1772, was living in 1862, unmarried, at Hingham.

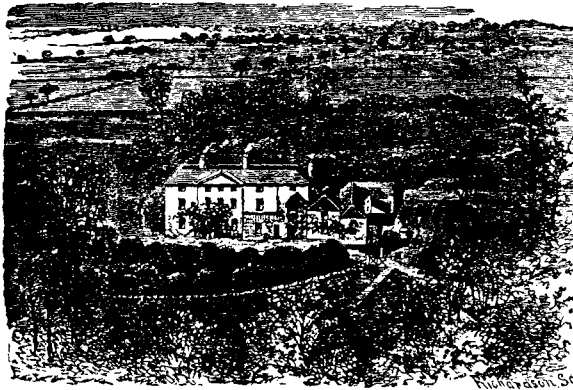
58. *Samuel Heyhoe Le Neve*<sup>8</sup>, born November 12, 1773; died April 4, 1860; married February 3, 1818, Ann Case.

From the Norfolk Chronicle of April 14th, 1860.

[This is a weekly newspaper printed and published in the city of Norwich.]

THE LATE MR. S. H. LE NEVE GILMAN.

In our last we recorded the death on the 14th instant, of Samuel Heyhoe Le Neve Gilman, of Hingham, Eng., in the 87th year of his age. His remains were interred on Tuesday last at Hingham. The funeral was attended by his relatives and friends, and many of the tradesmen and inhabitants of the Parish. During nearly all his long life he resided in his native town of Hingham, in which place his family have been settled for many generations, and have always held an high and honorable position. As a private gentleman he was honoured with the friendship of many of the noble and worthy of our land; in his own circle he was cherished as a true and valued friend; and to all, whether in prosperity or adversity, he readily afforded all the assistance in his power, both by his advice and his purse. As a lawyer, his talents and high moral and intellectual character procured for him the respect of his professional brethren and the confidence of his clients. He also for many years held the appointment of distributor of stamps for Norwich and Norfolk. In the earlier part of his life he took a prominent and active part in the political questions of the day. He was engaged on several occasions as the agent of the conservative party; and his strenuous exertions and indefatigable zeal contributed greatly to the success of the conservative cause, and ultimately to gain the elections for the late Ed-



Residence of the late Samuel H. L. N. Gilman.

mund Wodehouse, Esq., one of the late members for Norfolk His name is so identified with the prosperity of Hingham, that there is scarcely a person in the middle ranks of life, living in the place, who has not been benefitted by his numerous and important undertakings. He has died full of years and full of honors. He has carried with him to his grave the respect and esteem of all who knew his private worth; and in him many have lost an inestimable friend, a kind master, and a generous benefactor. Of him it may in truth be said, that a good man and good christian has passed from amongst us.

Mrs. Gilman is now residing in Hingham, and it is to her kindness that I owe the opportunity of making copies of valuable documents preserved by her late husband. Mr. Gilman had made the history of the Gilman Family a matter of much study and expensive research, and to his pains the family owes a debt which can perhaps never be repaid. Through the kind offices of Mr. James Feltham, who was long associated with Mr. Gilman, views in Hingham have been obtained and those which are not presented in this sketch are to appear in the completed work.

59. *Maria*<sup>s</sup>, born December 4, 1774; died April 16, 1775.

60. *Edward Case*<sup>s</sup> (80), born November 28, 1775; died April 28, 1855; married January 7, 1807, Elizabeth Margaret Buck.

61. *Hester*<sup>s</sup>, born November 28, 1775; died April 6, 1776.

62. *Elizabeth*<sup>s</sup>, born December 12, 1776; died January 17, 1777.

63. *Charles*<sup>s</sup>, born December 12, 1776; died January 9, 1777.

64. *Hester*<sup>s</sup>, born December 12, 1776; died January 19, 1777.

65. *Sophia*<sup>s</sup>, born February 5, 1778; died February 5, 1778.

66. *Caroline*<sup>s</sup>, born August 3, 1779; died September 20, 1779.

67. *Charles Case*<sup>s</sup>, born August 26, 1780; married March 2, 1809, Catharine Hammond, who died —; left no issue. He is now living at Norwich, Eng.

68. *Philip Case*<sup>s</sup>, born March 28, 1783; died October 19, 1858. Was a Colonel in the Bengal Native Infantry.

69. *Henrietta*<sup>s</sup>, born January 7, 1785; married June 7, 1814, Harvey Goodwin, Esq. She survives and now lives in Norfolk.



*Children of REUBEN GILMAN<sup>7</sup> (48) and wife.*

- 70. *Jermyn*<sup>s</sup>, deceased.
- 71. *Anne*<sup>s</sup>, deceased.
- 72. *Jermyn Heyhoe*<sup>s</sup>.
- 73. *Frances Heyhoe*<sup>s</sup>.
- 74. *Reuben*<sup>s</sup>.
- 75. *Elizabeth*<sup>s</sup>.
- 76. *Thomas*<sup>s</sup>.
- 77. *Hester*<sup>s</sup>.
- 78. *John*<sup>s</sup>.
- 79. *Charles*<sup>s</sup> (84), born —; married — Suckling.

*Children of EDWARD CASE GILMAN<sup>8</sup> (60) and wife.*

- 80. *Edward*<sup>9</sup> (87) born Hingham, Norfolk, Eng., March 31, 1811; married, Simcoe, Talbot district, Canada West, December 21, 1837, Mary Thompson. He is now living in Canada West, to which place he emigrated in 1836, about 200 years after the first emigration of the Gilmans to Hingham, Mass.
- 81. *Elizabeth*<sup>9</sup>, died unmarried.
- 82. *Margaret*<sup>9</sup>, married Rev. Patrick Royle. She is dead without issue.
- 83. *Mary*<sup>9</sup>, died unmarried.

*Children of CHARLES GILMAN<sup>8</sup> (79) and wife.*

- 84. *Charles Suckling*<sup>9</sup> (93), born —; married —, Mary Edgar.
- 85. *Ann*<sup>9</sup>, born —; married — Eagles, Aylesbury Burks. No children living.
- 86. *Martha*<sup>9</sup>, born —; married —, Mr. John Harvey of Norwich.

*Children of EDWARD GILMAN<sup>9</sup> (80) and wife.*

- 87. *Margaret Agnes*<sup>10</sup>, born November 8, 1838, at Whitby, C. W.; baptized by Rev. Thomas S. Kennedy, Rector of Darlington, April 26, 1839.

88. *Edward Le Neve*<sup>10</sup>, born February 7, 1840, at Bayham, C. W.; baptized June 1, 1840, by Rev. George Petrie, Church Traveling Missionary, London district.

89. *Charles Heyhoe*<sup>10</sup>, born May 29, 1841, at Simcoe, C. W.; baptized at that place by Rev. Francis Evans, October 10, 1841.

90. *William Buck*<sup>10</sup>, born December 27, 1842; baptized May, 14, 1843, at Simcoe.

91. *Mary Elizabeth*<sup>10</sup>, born October 11, 1844; baptized privately October 12, 1844, at Simcoe.

92. *Samuel Le Neve*<sup>10</sup>, born September 12, 1846, at Stuartville, near Kingston; baptized at St. James's Church, Stuartville, December 6, 1846.

*Children of CHARLES SUCKLING GILMAN<sup>9</sup> (84) and wife.*

93. *Charles Rackham*<sup>10</sup>, ( ), born —; married —, Sophie, daughter of — Storey, Esq., of London. They have three children.

94. *William Suckling*<sup>10</sup> ( ), born, Norwich, December 23, 1836; married, London August 4, 1859, Elizabeth Press, daughter of John Johnson, formerly of Norwich. Lives in Illinois, U. S. A.

95. *Marrienne Charlotte*<sup>10</sup>, born —; unmarried.

96. *John Henry Stother*<sup>10</sup>, born January 20, —; now resides in Lower Assam, Gouhetta, India. Unmarried.

97. *Rosa Lydia*<sup>10</sup>, born —; unmarried.

98. *Edward Philip Reuben*<sup>10</sup>, born —; unmarried.

The above are all the Gilmans in England whose connection with this branch has as yet been traced.

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GILMANS OF LONDON.

The family of which Ellis James Gilman, Esq., of Lombard St., London, is one, I have made some efforts to trace, but without success, as yet. I am under obligations to him and to his brother, R. J. Gilman, Esq., of The Mount, Bishopslake, near Winchester, for valuable information concerning the family in Sussex and Ireland.

The two following epitaphs were kindly copied for me by the last named gentleman.

In Reigate church.

Against the north aisle of the church is a Brass Plate with this inscription:

Ecce jacent subter pedibus simul ossa duorum

Anthonii Gilmyu conjugis atque sua

Quos pietas, quos vera fides conjunxit amore

De quorum Carolus sanguine solus erat

Obiit hic 23d die Augusti 1575. Illa 25 Decembres, 1580.

Hereby is buried Alice, wife of said Charles, ye 16 May, 1617.

Nutfield church.

In the north wall is a stone thus inscribed:

Here under feet, lyeth buried Charles Gillmyn,

the sonne of Anthonye Gillmyn of

Reigate, Gent., who died the 13 day of Aprill, 1631,

as by the monument of the said Antony in Reigate appears. -

Arms:—On a shield a man's leg with a spur thereon.

—*Brayley's Surrey*, vol. iv., pp. 244 and 334. 8vo. ed.

#### GILLMAN OF OAKMOUNT.

*Gillman, Jas., Esq.*, of Oakmount, Co. Cork, J. P., born 14 April, 1804; married 3 March, 1842, Elizabeth Sarah, only daughter of the late *Herbert Gillman, Esq.*, of Bennet's Grove, Co. Cork, and has issue,

*James Herbert*, born 22d Sept., 1845,

*Amelia Davies*, ———.

*Lineage.* The Gillmans of Ireland are stated in an old family tradition to be descended from a Christian knight of that name who, during the crusades was engaged in single combat with a Saracen, whose right leg he cut off with a sabre cut. This capture is commemorated in the coat of arms; and the crest, a griffin's head with a bear's paw in its mouth, being emblematic of strength, together with the motto, "*Not by word, but by deed*," tend to confirm the legend. The first who settled in Ireland, were two officers in king William's army, 1690, one of whom survived, and received a grant of land. It is supposed that they had previously come to England from Normandy in France. *ARMS.* *Az. a dexter leg cut off above the knee. ppr.* *CREST.* *A griffin's head erased with a bear's paw in its mouth.* *MOTTO.* *Non cantu sed actu.* Seat, Oakmount, Co. Cork.

—*Burke's Landed Gentry.*

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