

THE HOWARDS OF EFFINGHAM.

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THE visit of our Society to Effingham, from which one of the many branches of the ennobled family of Howard took its title, suggested to me that a short account of the Lords of Effingham would not be out of place, more especially as they were distinctly a Surrey line, being connected by property and residence with this place, Great Bookham, Reigate, Croydon, Blechingley, and Lingfield, not to mention Lambeth, where, in the Howard Chapel of the Church, some of this line were buried.

No family has been ennobled in so many of its members. The *Times* of January 2nd, 3rd, and 10th, 1874, on the occasion of the elevation of Admiral Howard to the peerage as Baron Lanerton, gave a collected list of the honours attained by the Norfolk family. A writer in the *Norfolk and Norwich Arch. Soc.*, Vol. VIII, p. 43, quotes it: "The number of the Howard family who at present hold seats in the House of Lords is seven. These are the Duke of Norfolk, the Earls of Suffolk, Effingham, Wicklow, Carlisle, and Barons Howard of Glossop and Lanerton. Lord Howard de Walden is not a Howard paternally but an Ellis, though the first Lord Howard de Walden was grandson of Thomas, fourth Duke of Norfolk. Besides these there have been the following titles in the family—Viscount Howard of Bindon, extinct 1619; Baron

Howard of Castle Rising, created 1669; Baron Howard of Eserick, extinct 1714; Baron Howard of Marnhull, extinct 1614; Earl of Northampton, created 1604, extinct 1614. Speaking roughly, it may be said that the Howards own or have owned in the English peerage one dukedom, twelve earldoms, four viscountcies, twenty baronies, as well as an earldom, viscountcy, and barony in the peerage of the sister kingdom. Nearly forty coronets in four centuries form a roll of honours never equalled by any other English house in ancient or modern times."¹

A writer in the *Quarterly Review*,² in an article on Drummond's *Illustrious Families*, says: "The house of Howard stands absolutely unrivalled in the variety, number, and extent of its distinctions. From King Edward the Fourth, its founder received the Barony of Howard and the Garter; from Richard the Third the Dukedom of Norfolk. It subsequently obtained numerous baronies, several viscountcies, and no less than eleven earldoms; it has produced a cardinal, and the unequalled number of nineteen Knights of the Garter. It is remarkable that one title, that of Marquis, has never been borne by a Howard." Another writer³ says: "Pope's famous couplet has made the name of the Howards a synonym for all that is august and patrician; the Mowbray marriage founded their greatness; they did not become peers till 1470, and their remotest ancestor traceable flourished about 1297—1308. This was Sir William Howard, Chief Justice of the Common Pleas to the first two Edwards. They leaped, as it were, to the highest rank in England at a bound. They are almost the only house attaining a very great position, of whom we can say without doubt that they were not Norman."

¹ To these should be added the Earldom of Nottingham (created 1596, extinct 1681). The Earldom of Bindon and Barony of Chesterford (created 1706, extinct 1722). The Earldom and Viscountcy of Stafford (extinct 1762).

² Vol. LXXII, 173.

³ Id., Vol. CIII, 44.

I shall begin with Thomas, second Duke of Norfolk, K.G., the father of William, first Lord Effingham. He was born 1444, and died on 21st May, 1524.¹ He was the hero of Flodden Field, and it was in commemoration of his services there that the well-known augmentation of the Howard arms was granted by Henry VIII, viz., "on a bend in an escutcheon or, a demi-lion rampant, pierced through the mouth with an arrow within a double tressure flory and counter-flory gules." He died at Framlingham Castle, and his body was conveyed to Thetford Priory. It is supposed that at the Dissolution his remains were removed, when his tomb was destroyed, and some say that the brasses were brought to the Howard Chapel in Lambeth. Such, at any rate, is Lilly's account. His Will, which is dated 31st May,² 1520, "is remarkable, as being probably the last in which a subject speaks of himself in the plural number."³ He gives directions therein for making a tomb before the high altar of Thetford "with pictures of us and Agnes our wife to be set together thereupon." The inscription on the brass at Lambeth ran "To the memory of the High and Mighty Prince Lord Thomas Howard, Duke of Norfolk, Earl Marshall, and Lord High Treasurer of England, who died 16 Hen. VIII. 1524." Agnes, his second wife, was daughter of Sir Hugh Tylney, of Boston. She was married about 1508-9, and proved her husband's Will as executrix 16th July, 1524. She is said, I believe incorrectly, to have been buried first in Thetford Priory, under a monument with a brass effigy on it, and to have been

¹ There is a portrait of him on panel at Greystoke Castle, Cumberland.

² See *Appendix* (III).

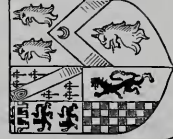
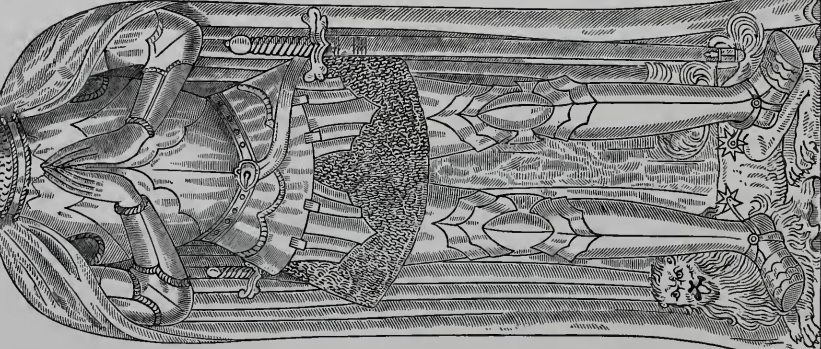
³ I remember that some years ago the housekeeper at Alnwick Castle, in pointing out to me the various portraits in the dining-room, said, this Duke 'reigned' so many years, that Duke so many. I was at the time rather startled at this attribution of royalty to a subject. I read, however, in the 'World' of March 14th, 1888, in the account of the funeral of the late Duke of Rutland, "When all was over, the silent raising of the flag on the Staunton Tower proclaimed to all present that the '*reign*' of John, 7th Duke of Rutland, had indeed begun."

removed afterwards to Lambeth,¹ where was formerly a fair altar tomb in the middle of the Howard Chapel. Lilly mentions two banners there—"the one of our Blessed Lady St. Mary the Virgin, the other of St. Margaret, the which were used at the funerall of the Lady Agnes, Dutchesse of Norf., second wife of Thomas the victorious Duke of Norf." In the Parish Register of Lambeth occurs the following entry, "Oct. 13, 1545; my Lady Agnes, olde Dutchesse Norf., buried."²

Lord WILLIAM HOWARD, the eldest son by the above Agnes, was born about 1509-10. In October, 1532, he was with Henry VIII at the Field of the Cloth of Gold. He assisted at the coronation of Ann Boleyn as Earl Marshal in room of his half-brother, the Duke of Norfolk, then Ambassador in France. In 1534 he was sent to Scotland to invest James V with the Garter, was created a peer as Baron Howard of Effingham on the 11th March, 1553-4, and on the 20th of the same month was appointed Lord High Admiral of England, and October 9th following, K.G. He was made Lord Lieutenant of Surrey and the Borough of Southwark, May 1st, 1559, and Custos Rotulorum of Surrey, February 11th, 1561. Having been Chamberlain since the accession of Elizabeth, he resigned it on 13th July, 1572, and was appointed Privy Seal. Like so many of the Howards, he had had a taste of the Tower, for in 1539 he, his wife, and his mother the Duchess of Norfolk, were committed there on a charge of concealing what they knew of the behaviour of Queen Catherine Howard. Lord Effingham has a portrait of him, by Lucas de Heere, which was formerly in Reigate Castle, on which he is said to have died at the Priory of Reigate; others say that he died at Hampton Court on 21st January, 1572-3. The Register of Reigate gives the 11th.

¹ She directs in her Will that she shall be buried at Lambeth.

² By the kindness of the Norfolk and Norwich Archaeological Society, I am able to give here woodcuts of the brasses of the Duke and Duchess of Norfolk, formerly in Lambeth Church.



P E D I G R E E O F H O W A R D O F E F F I N G H A M .

1. Elizabeth, d. and h. of Sir Frederick Thilly and widow - died 24th March, 1684; buried at Howard Chapel, Berens.

1. Elizabeth, d. and h. of John Bromington, co. Huntingdon, died 23rd April, 1635; buried in Howard Chapel, Lumbeth. M. 1.

William Pankle, 3rd Marquis of Winchester; = Agnes Howard, died 24th November, 1508.

1. Catherine, d. and h. of Henry Lord Hunsdon, co. Middlesex, co. = Lord William Howard; born 1395-19; died 11th March, 1535-41; Kt. 9th October, 1544; married at London, 1546; buried at St. Dunstons, London, 15th January, 1568; buried at Reigate, Surrey, 6th May, 1568; proved in P. C. C., 14th June, 1573.

1. Catherine, d. and h. of Henry Lord Hunsdon, 25th February, buried at Chelsea, 28th February, 1492-3.

Anne, d. and h. of John Lord St. John, died at Reigate, 27th December, 1577; buried at Chelsea, 28th February, 1578; buried in Westminster Abbey, 5th June, 1588.

John Moorhaunt. = Elizabeth, only d. and h.; born at Arundel House, 10th January, 1602-3; baptized 17th February, 1603; died at Chelsea, 16th November, 1671.

Frances, d. of William Godwell, of Godwell, co. Kent; buried at Reigate, 1st March, 1615. = Sir William Howard, Kt., of Lingfield, co. Surrey; knighted at Calais, 1566; died at Haling House, Croydon, 18 September, buried at Reigate, and September, 1608.

1. Sir Edward Howard, Kt., baptized at Reigate, 22nd December, 1579; Cupbearer to King James I., knighted 11th May, 1603; died unmarried A. A. C. A. C., 17th October, 1629. Will dated 5th August, proved in P. C. C., 17th November, 1629.

Lodowick, knighted at Reigate, 10th October, 1632; buried at Reigate, 13th March, 1703. Will dated 4th December, 1703; proved in P. C. C., 11th April, 1704.

1. Philadelphia, d. of Sir Thomas Peham, of Langbe- ton, co. Sussex; Bart; born in parish of St. Michael's, Lewes, 6th October, 1654; married at Cowhurst, Sussex, 8th July, 1673; died in Virginia, 30th August, 1684, at 31; buried at Langbeaton, 16th July, 1686. M. 1.

Charles Howard, eldest son; born 25th November, baptized at Reigate, 14th May, 1656; died at Reigate, 11th April, 1684, unmarried, at 27; 18; buried at Lingfield, 13th April, 1684, M. 1.

George Venables. = 2. Mary, born in Ireland, second daughter of Sir William Venables, 1st Baron Venables. September 17th, 1709; married 1703; died 1746.

1. Diana, d. of General = Hon. Francis Howard, 7th Baron Effingham, created Earl of Effingham, 8th Dec- 23rd May, 1779. Married at Chelsea, 20th October, 1758; died at St. James's, Westminster, 17th February, 1742-3.

Elizabeth, d. of Peter Bookford, of St. Catherine's, Jamaica; born 18th, baptized at St. Catherine's, 23rd = Thomas, 2nd Earl of Effingham, Deputy Earl Marshal of England; Avila-de- February, 1729; married at St. James's, Westminster, 14th February, 1744-5; Lady of the Bookford at Chelsea, 20th October, 1758. = 2nd Baron, 1744; died 17th November, buried at Great Bookham, 13th March, 1764. = George Howard, 16th April, 1697; died 13th December, 1684. M. 1.

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2. Agnes, d. of Sir Philip Thilly, Kt., of Boston; married 17th February, 1684; buried 13th October, 1745. Will dated 12th March, 1742; proved in P. C. C., 9th November, 1816.

2. Margaret, 2nd d. of Sir Thomas Gamage, Kt., of Coty, co. Hereford; married at Hereford, 16th August, 1689; buried at Reigate, 19th May, 1681; buried at Reigate, 19th May, 1681.

For her other issue, see below.

1. Lady Margaret Stewart, d. of James Stewart, Earl of Moray; also remarried William Lord Manso, Viscount Camarlen; died 4th August, 1639.

Annella, d. of Edward Smith, = Sir Charles Howard, Kt., born 1604; knighted 2nd April, 1624; died at the Middle Temple, 1643; buried at Nottingham; died at Morlake, 29th April, 1681; buried at Reigate.

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He was buried in the chancel of Reigate Church on 29th January. His Will¹ is dated 6th March, 1569; by it he bequeaths to his son Charles his collar of gold and robes of the Order of the Garter, and desires a tomb to be made for him in Reigate Church. He acquired considerable estates in Surrey: first, by a grant on 19th March, 1551, of the Manor of Effingham, and a moiety of the Manors of Reigate and Hooley, in consideration of the good, true, and acceptable service done by him; and secondly, in 1560, by purchase from William Cawarden of the Manors of Blechingley, Heckstalls, and Lingfield. Few men played a more important part than he did, both in the reigns of Queen Mary and Queen Elizabeth.

In Sir Thomas Wyatt's rebellion in 1554, he was associated with the Lord Mayor in command of the troops which guarded the capital; it was he who closed Ludgate in Wyatt's face, and when he knocked for admittance, answered, "Avaunt! traitor, thou shalt not come in here."² Machyn³ relates how, on 2nd January, 1553-4, he received the Spanish Ambassadors at Tower Wharf. "The lord Wylliam Haward dyd saff-guard them, and so rod together." The same diarist recounts, 1557, that "on iii day of August my lade Anne of Cleyff (Cleves), sumtyme wyff unto King Henry the VIIIth, cam from Chelsey to be buried unto Westmynster, and there rod together 'my lord admerall,'⁴ my lord Darce of Essex, and mony knyghts and gentyllmen." At the accession of Queen Elizabeth, says Froude,⁵ "the Howard family was represented by William, Lord of Effingham, to whom above all other Englishmen Elizabeth owed her life and throne." When she was committed to the Tower in 1555,⁶ he managed, in spite of a refusal, to have a long private interview with her, and

¹ Peter, 22.

² Froude, *Hist. of England*, Vol. VI, 180.

³ *Diary*, p. 50.

⁴ *Id.*, p. 145. This was the title he always went by.

⁵ *Hist. of England*, VII, 44.

⁶ *Id.*, VI, 329.

the Court did not dare to interfere with him. He received her afterwards on her arrival at Hampton Court, and made the courtiers kneel and kiss her hand. The intrepidity of his character reveals itself in the reply made by him as Governor of Calais to Henry of France, who had offered to garrison the place for him. "The French," he replied, "might come to Calais if they desired, but their reception might not be to their taste."¹

His first wife was Catherine, daughter and one of the heirs of John Broughton of Tuddington, co. Beds, Esq., by whom he had an only daughter, Agnes, who married William Paulet, 3rd Marquess of Winchester. Lady Howard died 23rd April, 1535, and was buried in the Howard Chapel, Lambeth, where formerly were the remains of a brass to her memory.

The following description of her tomb at Lambeth is given in Lyson's *Environs of London*, Vol. I, 278:—

"On another slab is inlaid the figure of a woman, upon a brass plate; she is habited in a robe ornamented with coats of arms; at her feet is a squirrel. The vestiges of a Gothic canopy and several labels are to be traced upon the stone, to which was formerly affixed the following inscription:

"Here lyeth Catherine Howard, one of the sisters and heires of John Broughton, Esq., son and heire of John Broughton, Esq., and late wife of the Lord William Howard, one of the sonnes of the right high and mighty prince Lord Thomas, late Duke of Norfolk, High Treasurer and Earl Marshal of England; which Lord William and Lady Catherine left issue behind them, lawfully begotten, Agnes Howard, the only daughter and heir; which said Lady Catherine deceased the 23rd day of Aprill, Anno Dni 1535, whose soule Jesu pardon."

His second wife was Margaret, daughter of Sir Thomas Gamage, Knight, of Coity, co. Glamorgan, to whom he was married before 1536. She died 18th May, 1581, and was buried at Reigate.

The eldest son, by the second wife, was the famous CHARLES HOWARD, Earl of Nottingham, born 1536. He

¹ Froude, *Hist. of England*, VI, 41.

was elected knight of the shire for Surrey on 11th January, 1562-3, and again on 8th May, 1572, at which time he was a knight. He was Lord Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of Surrey, and High Steward of Kingston-upon-Thames. Made K.G. April 24th, 1574. He sat on the trial of Mary Queen of Scots. His chief title to fame was his appointment as Lord High Admiral, to command against the Spanish Armada; the Queen assigning as her reason that she knew him to be skilful in nautical affairs, wary and prudent, and that by the sweetness of his behaviour and by his bravery and conduct he was of great authority and esteem among the seamen. He captured Cadiz in 1596, and on 22nd October in that year was created Earl of Nottingham. He held the office of Lord High Admiral till the age of 83, and then resigned. "He retired," we are told, "from public life, and the rest of his life was peace and prayer." A striking contrast to the stirring scenes in which he had taken part. His funeral certificate¹ at the College of Arms bears the motto:—"Desier n'a fin." That borne by the Effingham family now is "Virtus mille scuta." On the Lingfield monuments the motto is "Virtus annexo innocenti."² He died at Haling House, near Croydon, December 14th, 1624, and was buried at Reigate, where there is an inscription on the coffin plate, but no other memorial. The Register records:—

"The xviii Dec. at night was buried the Rt. Honbl. Charles E. of Nottingham."

Sir Robert Naunton styles him "a good honest and brave man, and as for his person as goodly a gentleman as any of that age;" and Fuller describes him as "an hearty Gentleman, and cordial to his Sovereign, and of a most proper person. He kept seven standing houses: London, Reigate, Effingham, Blechingley, &c." The Lords of the Admiralty have a portrait of him—

¹ Fun. Cert., I, 8.

² This is clearly an error, "Virtus annexa innocentiae" is possibly intended, the union of valour with innocence.

a full length—standing with white staff and robes and collar of the Garter. His Will is dated Dec. 1587.¹ He describes himself as Charles Lord Howarde, Baron of Effingham, Lord Highe Admyrall of England, and of the Most Noble Order of the Garter Knighte—desires his body to be buried in the Chauncell of the Parish Church of Rigate, Surrey, “wher my late lorde and father lyeth buryed in such honorable sorte as to my lovinge lady and wyeffe shall seame meet.” To his wife the Lady Katherine Howard, “as well towards her more honorable mayntenance as for the educacon and bringinge up of his two sonnes William and Charles accordinge to their degrees and callinges and the mayntenance and bestowinge in mariage his two daughters Fraunces and Margarett, all his goodes plate juells money chaynes hangeinges houshold stuff &c. and his capitall howse or messuage called the Skynners Place in West Greenwich, co. Kent, and to his wife his mannor and lordshippe of Esher co. Surrey with the advowson for life.” Appoints his wife sole Ex^{ix}, and overseers the Lord Burghley, Lord High Treasurer of England, and the Lord Hunsden, Lord Chamberlayne, to whom he bequeaths his best George and best Garter and his second George and second Garter to be equally divided between them.

His first wife was Catherine Carey, daughter of Henry, Lord Hunsdon, whom he married in July, 1563; she died 21st March, 1602-3, three days before Queen Elizabeth.² It is of this lady that the story is told that Queen Elizabeth shook her on her death-bed for having withheld delivering to her the ring given to her in charge by the Earl of Essex.

¹ This Will is not to be found in the P. C. C., it is given by a writer in the *Collectanea Topographica*, Vol. VI, 98, and is said to be from a draft copy, now the cover of an extent of the Manor of Bray, co. Berks. There are 2 Admōns in the P. C. C., dated Nov. 1629 and Dec. 1642.

² Such is the commonly received account, but by reference to the Register of Chelsea it will be seen that she died on 25th February, and that her funeral was kept on 21st March. (See *Appendix*, p. 412.)

His second wife was Lady Margaret Stewart, daughter of James Stewart, Earl of Moray, whom he married when in his 68th year. Nichol relates: "the Queene remained at Basing till the King's coming hither; and she hath as well entertained herself with good dancing which hath brought forth a marriage between my Lord Admyrall and the Lady Margaret Stuart."¹ She remarried William Lord Monson Viscount Castlemain, and died 4th August, 1639.

The issue by the first wife were William, whose baptism occurs in the Reigate Register. He married, at Chelsea, 7th February, 1597 (Lyson's *Env.*, II, 119), Anne, daughter and heiress of John Baron St. John of Bletsoe, but died before his father on 28th November, 1615, and was buried at Chelsea. His wife died in the parish of St. Bartholomew the Great, London, and was buried in Westminster Abbey, June 8th, 1638.² He left an only daughter, Elizabeth, who married John Mordaunt, Earl of Peterboro'. She took a leading part in this county on the side of the Parliament, and carried her politics so far as to quarrel with her son Henry for espousing the Royal Cause, and to endeavour to disinherit him. She lived principally at the Manor House at Blechingley.³ She is said to have died at Drayton, Northants, and was buried at Chelsea on 18th November, 1671.

Halstead, in his *Genealogies*, says: "That she was a lady of extraordinary beauty, and before she was married

¹ *Nichol's Progresses of James I*, Vol. I, 258. See also 265, 273.

² In the Bodleian Library [Rawlinson MSS., II. 290, fol. 8], is an Indenture dated 13th April, 40 Eliz., with the signatures of William and Anne Howard.

³ The Manor House, or Blechingley Place, stood near the road called Brewer Street. It was pulled down by Henry, Earl of Peterboro', in 1680, as appears by a presentment on the Court Rolls; a part of the Gate-house is now all that remains. The chalk stone chimney-piece in the Hall of Reigate Priory is said to have been brought from there; upon it are the arms of Howard of four quarters, and in two spandrils a lion rampant, argent, on a red field. The upper part and the sides of the chimney-piece, which are of wood and of later date, are said to have come from Nonsuch.

the hopes and expectations of every one that was great and considerable in England.”

Charles, the second son, who succeeded his father as second Earl of Nottingham, was born at Blechingley and baptized there, as appears by the entry in that Register. The Register of Reigate also records his birth. He does not appear to have taken any active part in politics. He was M.P. for Blechingley 1597, and for Surrey the same year; for Sussex 1601, 1604, and 1611; for Windsor 1614. Knighted at the Charterhouse 11th May, 1603. He was Lord Lieutenant of Surrey in 1627, and died at Reigate October 2nd, and was buried there the 8th October, 1642.

By his first wife Charity, daughter of Robert White of Christ Church, Hants, and widow of Richard Leche of Sheffield, in Fletching, co. Sussex, whom he married on 19th May, 1597, he had no issue. She died December 18th, 1618, and was buried at Fletching. At the east end of the south aisle in Fletching Church is a large, square alabaster monument, with marble columns and gilt capitals, whereon are recumbent effigies in marble of Richard Leche, Esq.,¹ and Charitye his wife, under a canopy. On a circular shield above are the arms of Leche, ermine on a chief indented gu., 3 crowns or; mantling and helmet, crest, issuing out of a crown a hand entwined with a leech.

His second wife, whom he married in St. Peter-le-Poor's Church, London, on 22nd April, 1620, was Mary, eldest daughter of Sir W. Cokayne, Lord Mayor of London. She died also without issue, and was buried at Reigate.

The Earldom of Nottingham and Barony of Effingham thereupon passed to his half-brother CHARLES, fourth son of the first Earl by his second wife. He was born in 1604, and was knighted at Theobalds on 2nd

¹ His Will [89, Drake] was proved in the P. C. C., 24th December, 1596. He desires to be buried in the south chancel of Fletching Church, near his late wife and child, and appoints his wife Charity sole executrix.

April, 1624; he was M.P. for Gatton, 1625-6, 1628-9; High Steward of Kingston, 1642—1651; First Commissioner to the Army, June 7th, 1647; and the like to Scotland from the Parliament, January 27th, 1648; Joint Commissioner of the Admiralty and of the Cinque Ports, March 4th, 1648. He married Arabella, daughter of Edward Smith, of the Middle Temple, Esq., and, dying at Mortlake on 26th April, 1681, was buried at Reigate. She died on 16th January following, and was buried in the Church of St. Mary Savoy, London. On his death without issue the Earldom of Nottingham became extinct, and the Barony of Effingham passed to Sir FRANCIS HOWARD, of Great Bookham, great-grandson of Sir William Howard, of Lingfield, who was second son of William, first Lord Effingham.

Sir William Howard, of Lingfield, was knighted at Calais by the Lord Admiral in 1596. He was M.P. for Reigate from 1558 to 1586, and again from 1593 until 1600. He died at Haling, Croydon, 1st September, 1600, and was buried at Reigate. He married Frances, daughter of William Goldwell, of Goldwell, in Great Chart, co. Kent. She was also buried at Reigate, 1st March, 1615.

Their eldest son was Sir Edward, baptized at Reigate. He was appointed cupbearer to King James the First on 11th May, 1603, and knighted by him at the Charterhouse on that day. He was M.P. for Reigate from 1600 to 1615, died unmarried, and was buried at Reigate.

Sir FRANCIS HOWARD, his brother, resided at Eastwick House, Great Bookham. He was knighted at Chatham on 4th July, 1604. He died 7th July, 1651, and was buried in Great Bookham Church, where there is a flat marble gravestone to him.

He married Jane, daughter of Sir William Monson, of Kinnersley, Reigate; and by her had seven sons and one daughter.

Charles, his eldest son, succeeded him. He was born in 1615, knighted on board the "Maria Honor"

by the Earl of Lindsey, 23rd September, 1635, and died on 20th March, 1672. He was buried at Lingfield. In the chancel there is a black marble stone with the arms of Howard, and a Latin inscription recording that there lies the body of Sir Charles Howard, Knight, son of Sir Francis Howard, of Great Bookham, died 20th March, 1672-3. Aged 57.

He married, at Ticehurst, 5th August, 1641, Frances, daughter of Sir George Courthope, of Whiligh, Sussex, Kt., who died on May 6th, 1681. In the church at Lingfield, on south side of choir, is a black marble stone to her memory.

Aubrey, *History of Surrey*, III, 64, describes it as a black marble tomb, supported with brick; and Brayley, Vol. IV, p. 170, states that it is in the churchyard.

FRANCIS, their eldest son, upon the failure of issue of Charles, Earl of Nottingham, on 26th April, 1681, became fifth Baron Howard of Effingham. He was baptized at Great Bookham, 17th September, 1643, lived at Hale House, Kensington, was Governor of Virginia, and died on 30th March, 1694-5. Against the south wall of the chancel in Lingfield is a marble tablet with a long Latin inscription to him and his wife. His Will is dated 20th December, 1694. Proved 1st June, 1695. He desires his body to be buried with all devout privacy in his chapell at Lyngfield, "in the place I have appointed as near my ever dearly beloved wife Philadelphia as possible, and what inscription shall be thought requisite to be written over my grave be affixed in that vacant part of the Tomb I have placed over my dear wife in memory of us both." To poor of Great Bookham and Lingfield, £5. Lands, &c., to eldest son Thomas.

His first wife was Philadelphia, daughter of Sir Thomas Pelham, of Laughton; born 1654, married 1673, who died in Virginia, August 13th, 1685, and was buried at Lingfield, July 10th, 1686. His second wife was Susan, daughter of Sir Henry Felton, of Playford, co. Suffolk, Bart., and widow of Philip

Harbord, Esq.,¹ who proved his Will. She died on 11th December, 1726, and was buried at Playford, in the church of which there is a ledger stone with inscription to her memory.

THOMAS, his eldest surviving son by his first wife, succeeded as sixth Baron. He was born at Hale House, in Kensington, July 7th, 1682. He was Guidon to First Troop of Horse Guards, January, 1706, and a Gentleman of the Bedchamber to Prince George of Denmark from May, 1706, to October, 1708. He is described, in 1704, as "a very pretty, modest young gentleman." He died at Spa, July 10th, 1725, and was buried at Lingfield the 4th August following. His Will is dated 14th May, and was proved 5th August, 1725.

His first wife was Mary, daughter of Ruishe Wentworth, of Cleeve, in the Isle of Thanet, son of Sir George Wentworth, Knight, by Frances, daughter and co-heir of Sir Francis Ruishe, of Sarre, co. Kent, by whom he had two daughters, Anne and Mary. His marriage is thus noted by Le Neve, in his *Memoranda of Heraldry*:—

"1706-7. Howard of Effingham (Thomas Lord) married on Shrove Tuesday, 25th of February, to Mary, dau^r of Ruishe Wentworth, of Ireland. A fortune."

There is a monument at Lingfield to her. She was born in September, 1681; died 29th May, 1718.

His second wife was Elizabeth, daughter of John Rotheram, of Much Waltham, and widow of Sir Theophilus Napier, of Luton, Hoo, Bart., who died *cir.* 1719.

¹ His Will [33, Exton] is dated 4th April, 1685, and was proved in the P. C. C., 24th March, 1687-8, by Susan his relict. He desires to be buried in the chancel of Beesthorp Church, Norfolk, near Sir Charles Harbord and Dame Mary his wife, his father and mother. Marriage settlement with his 1st wife, Anne, daughter of Sir William Drury, Kt. Bequeaths to his brother John his best case of pistols "to serve the King withall."

She remarried Sir Conyers D'Arey, K.B.,

"Sep. 12. Sir Conyers D'Arey, Knight of the Bath, marry'd to the Lady Howard of Effingham, Relict of" (*Hist. Reg.*, 1728.)

and was buried at Lingfield, December 31st, 1741.

Leaving no male issue, his brother FRANCIS succeeded as seventh Baron, and was created Earl of Effingham, December 8th, 1731. He was born at Little Chelsea, October 20th, 1683. He was appointed Deputy Earl Marshal of England, December 13th, 1731; Colonel of the 20th Regiment of Foot, July 22nd, 1732; and Brigadier-General, July 2nd, 1739. He married first, at St. James', Westminster, 23rd February, 1712-13, Diana, daughter of General Fergus O'Farel, of the Kingdom of Ireland, and secondly, Anne, sister of Robert Bristow, one of the Commissioners of the Board of Green Cloth.

"May 23. Francis Howard, Lord Howard of Effingham, marry'd to Mrs. Anne Bristow." (*Hist. Reg.*, 1728.)

She died November 15th, 1774.

"The Comtess Dowager of Effingham, one of the Ladies of Her Majesty's Bedchamber. Her death was occasioned by a fright she received by her cloaths taking fire as she sat reading on Tuesday evening, at her apartments in Hampton Court."¹ (*Annual Register*, 1774.)

"Mrs. Dashwood was sadly shocked with the manner of Dow'r Lady Effingham's death, who was her aunt. Beware of standing too near the fire in a combustible dress." (Mrs. Delany to Mrs. Port, November 25th, 1774.—Vol. V, 70.)

In the Hall at Squerryes Court, Westerham, Kent, is a full-length portrait of her, by Dahl, in a white satin dress and pink shoes, with a black, conical beaver hat: it represents her as rather short, with very dark eyes and eyebrows. Next to it hangs a full length of her sister Elizabeth, Countess of Buckinghamshire, and over the mantel-piece in the Library is a full length of her other sister, Frances, wife of John Warde, Esq., both by

¹ Collins' *Peerage*, V, 26, says that she died at her house in George Street, Hanover Square.

Dahl; there are also portraits in the Hall of Robert Bristow, Esq., and Sarah his wife, their father and mother, by Van der Voort.

He died 12th February, 1743, and was buried at Great Bookham.

THOMAS, his son, second Earl, succeeded him. He was appointed Deputy Earl Marshal of England, April 16th, 1743; Aide-de-camp to King George II, August 20th, 1749; Major-General, 1758; Lieut.-General, 1760; and Colonel of the First Troop of Horse Guards, October 30th, 1760. He married, on 14th February, 1744-5, Elizabeth, daughter of Peter Beekford, of Jamaica. (She was a Lady of the Bedchamber to Queen Charlotte, and re-married,¹ as his second wife, Lieut.-General Sir George Howard, K.B., eldest son of Thomas Howard, Lieut.-General and Governor of Berwick; he died 16th July, 1796.)

“May 24. Sir George Howard, K.B., and member for Stamford, to Lady Dowager Effingham.” (*Ann. Reg.*, xix, 209.)

“1774. Our old house (*i.e.*, at Kew), at least the drawing room half of it, was given to Lady Effingham, then a widow, with every attending kindness.”

“1776. Lady Effingham’s eldest daughter Lady Betty Howard having married Dr. Courtenay, Bishop of Exeter, her ladyship now left Kew as a home.”

“1791. The Lady Howard of Effingham, friend of the Queen and one of her ladies of the bedchamber, died during this year.”²

He died 1763,

“Nov. 19. Right hon. Thomas Howard Earl of Effingham, deputy Earl Marshal of England, colonel of the first troop of horse grenadier guards, a lieutenant-general, and one of the Searchers of the Port of London; he hath left issue Thomas Lord Howard, born Jan. 13, 1746-7, and Richard, born Feb. 21, 1747-8, and four daughters.” (*Ann. Reg.*, 1763.)

¹ She was married at St. George’s, Hanover Sq., on 21st May, 1776. (*Par. Reg.*, St. George’s.)

² *Court and Private Life in the Time of Queen Charlotte.* Mrs. Papendiek. Vol. I, 65, 74; Vol. II, 278.

and was buried at Great Bookham.¹ He was succeeded by his eldest son.

THOMAS, third Earl, born January 13th, 1747; Ensign Coldstream Guards, February 20th, 1762; Captain First Regiment of Foot Guards, August 1st, 1766; Deputy Earl Marshal from October 21st, 1777, to September 3rd, 1782; Treasurer of the Household, April 10th, 1782, to April 9th, 1783; P. C. 1782; Master of the Mint, February 10th, 1784, to September 12th, 1789; Vice-Admiral of Jamaica, July 21st, 1789; Governor of Jamaica, October 14th, 1789, where he died November 19th, 1791.

“At Jamaica, Thomas Howard Earl of Effingham lord Howard, governor general of that island and a colonel in the army. He had been for some time in a dangerous state of health; and it was partly in the hope of amendment from the climate that he solicited the appointment to the government of Jamaica.” (*Ann. Reg.*, xxxiii, 62.)

He married October 14th, 1765,² Catherine, eldest daughter of Metcalfe Procter, Esq., of Thorpe-on-the-Hill, near Leeds, born September 17th, 1746, by Martha, third daughter of the Rev. John Disney, of Lincoln, but died without issue. She died in 1791.

“On board his majesty’s ship “Diana,” in her passage from Jamaica to New York, whither her ladyship was going for the recovery of her health, Catherine Countess of Effingham, wife of the Earl of Effingham, governor of Jamaica. Previous to her ladyship’s death, she expressed a wish that when dead her body might be opened, which was accordingly done, and the liver found closely adhering to the right side, in which situation it appeared to have been some time.” (*Ann. Reg.*, XXXIII, 61.)

¹ He was deputy Earl Marshal at the Coronation of George III. In a Sale Catalogue at Christie’s, of April 10th, 1888, was (Lot 101) A ticket of admission to W. Abbey to witness the Coronation of George III, 1761; it was numbered 2074; it had a shield with an Earl’s coronet and the arms of Howard of 4 quarters and supporters. Inscription: “Thomæ Com: De Effingham Vice Comitibus Mareschal Angliæ;” and below, “Effingham, M.” At the back was written: “Ticket for the Coronation of King George the 3^d, Sep. 22, 1761. South East Door. At 4 o’clock.” (This must have been 4 o’clock a.m.)

² “1765. Oct. 14. Lord Effingham Howard to Miss Kitty Procter, of Thorp, near Leeds.” (*Ann. Reg.*, VIII, 164.)

RICHARD, his brother, succeeded as tenth Baron and last Earl of Effingham. He was born 21st February, 1748. Cornet First Troop of Horse Guards, November 21st, 1763; Brigadier and Lieutenant, January 21st, 1768; Secretary and Comptroller of the Household to Queen Charlotte, March 29th, 1784-1814; Treasurer to the Queen, April, 1814; Admitted a Fellow of the Society of Antiquaries, June 10th, 1784. He died at Grange, near Rotherham, on 11th December, 1816, having married 14th June, 1785, Harriot, daughter of John Marsh, of Waresley Park, co. Huntingdon.

“1816. 11 Dec. Richard Howard, Earl of Effingham, in the 69th year of his age.” (*Ann. Reg.*, LVIII, 224.)

He left no issue, whereupon the earldom of Effingham became extinct, and the barony devolved on Lieutenant-General KENNETH ALEXANDER HOWARD, fourth son of Thomas Howard, who was the only son of Henry Howard, Esq., of Arundel, by his second wife, Maria, daughter and co-heir of Kenneth Mackenzie, Viscount Fortrose, and second son of George Howard, second brother of Francis, fifth Lord Howard of Effingham, son of Sir Charles Howard, and great-grandson of Sir William Howard, of Lingfield. The earldom was revived in his person 27th January, 1837, and is now held by HENRY HOWARD, Earl of Effingham.

A P P E N D I X.

(I.)

REGISTER EXTRACTS.

LINGFIELD.

Burials.

- 1673, March 26. Buried S^r Charles Howard, Knight.
1681, May 11th. Buried The Lady Howard, sen., of great Buckham.
1686, July 10th. Buried the Lady Howard, wife of Francis, Lord Howard, Baron of Effingham and Governor of Virginia.
.. The same day Madam Margaret Howard, daughter of Francis, Lord Howard, was buried.
1694, Ap. 13. Francis [? Charles]¹ the some of the Right Honourable Francis, L^d Howard, Baron of Effingham.
.. July 8. Buried Philadelphia, the daughter of the Right Honourable Francis, L^d Howard, Baron of Effingham.
1695, Aprill 5. Buried the Right Honourable Francis, Lord Howard, Baron of Effingham.
1718, June 4. The R^t Hon. Mary, Wife of Thomas, L^d Effingham.
1725, Aug. 4. The R^t Hon^{ble} Thomas, Lord Effingham.
1737, Dec. 23. Francis, Son of y^e Hon^{ble} Brigad^r Howard.
1739, Oct. 29. Henrietta Diana, Daughter of y^e Hon^{ble} Gen^l Howard.
1741, Dec. 31. Elizabeth, Lady Dowager Effingham, Wife of Sir Conyers D'arcy.

CHELSEA.

- Dñus Willm̃us Howarde et Agneta S^t John, filia et haeres Dni S^t John de Bletsoe, traxerant matrimonium 7^o die Februarii, 1596-7.
Catharyne, the Countess of Nottingham, died the 25 day of February, at Arondell-howse, London, and buried at Chelsey, the 28 day of the same : whose funeralls were honourably kepte at Chelsea the 21 day of March, 1603.
Anna, filia Dni de Effingham et Anna uxoris, baptiz. 12 Octobris, 1605.
William, the some of Charles Howard, Lord Admiral, was baptized Dec. 5, 1617. (Buried at Chelsea two days afterwards.)
James, Buried June 5, 1610.
The Lord of Effingham buried 1615.
Thomas, Buried Feb. 5, 1616-17 (died young).
Margaret, the daughter of the Earl of Nottingham, was baptized Dec. 22, 1618.

¹ See Monumental Inscriptions, *post*, pp. 419-20.

The Ritte Hon^{ble} Margaret, Countess of Nottingham, died on the 4th day of August, in Commu (Covent) Garden, London, and buried heare at Chelsea the 19th day of the same mnth, 1639.

Elizabeth, Countess Dowager of Peterborough, buried Nov. 18, 1671.¹

REIGATE.

Baptisms.

1573. September the above namyd xxith daie beinge Sondaye and on Saynte Matthewes daye in y^e mornynge was borne Mestres Margarete Howarde, y^e dowghter of y^e Ryghte Worshipfull Mr. Charll Howard, & y^e saide Margarete was chrystenyd y^e xxiiith daye.

1577. The xxviiith daye of December was Borne betwene 1 and 11 of y^e clok in the mornynge Mr. Wyllyā howarde, sone and ayere of the Ryght honorabell y^e lorde Charll howarde and the ladye Katryn his wyffe, the w^{ch} Wyllyā was (*sic*) the thirde daye of Janewarye.

1579. September, the xviith daye of this monthe September, aboughte vii of the cloc at after noone of the same daye beinge Thursdaye, was borne at the Manor place of Bleching Lye Mr. Charles howarde, the sonne of the Ryghte honorabell the Lorde Charll howarde and the ladye Karin his wyffe, the w^{ch} Charll was crystenyd the xxiiith day of the fore saide monthe.

1579. Dec. the xxiith daie was Mr. Edwarde howard, the some of Wyllyā howarde, Esquier, and Mestres francis his wyffe.

1585. October the xxith daye was M^r franneys howarde, the Sone of the Ryghte Worshepful M^r Wyllyā howarde, Esquier, and Mestres francys his wyffe.

1587-8. Februarie the secondaie was borne M^r Charll Southwell, about 3 of the clocke at after noone of the same daye, And was crystenyd the xi daye Sone and Ayere of the Ryght Worshipfull S^r Roberte Southwell and the Layde Elyzabethe hys wyffe.

1592. October the xv daie was C. Mestres frawcys Southwell, the daughter of the Righte worshipfull S^r Roberte Southwell, knyght, and the Ladye Elyzabethe his wyffe.

1596. June the xv daie was C. M^r Thomas Southwell, sonne of the Righte Worshipfull Syr Robert Southwell, knyghte, and the Ladye Elyzabethe his wyffe.

1602-3. February the vii day was baptised Elizabeth, the daughter of the Right honorable Williā lord howard of Effingham, w^{ch} sayd Elizabeth was borne the xixth day of Janua. last before at Arundell house in London and there also baptised.

1608. Nov. the xi daie was borne a Some of the Right honorable Charles howard and the Lady Margerett his wyffe.

¹ Lyson's *Environ of London*, Voi. II, 119-21.

1615. July the 2 day was baptized Charles Howard, the son of the Righte Worshippfull Sr Fraumes Howard and the Lady Jane his wife, and was baptized at Kynnersley Ho^use, in Horley, by Mr. Hampton, Vicar of Ragate.

Marriages.

1583. Aprill the xviith daye was Maryed the Ryghte Worshypfull Mr. Roberte Southwell and Mr^{is} Elyzabethe howarde.

Burials.

1569. Aprell the xxith daie was buried M^r Edwarde howarde and dyed or dep'ted ye xv daie.
- 1572-3. Janewarve the xi daie beinge Sondaie in ye brecking of daye dyid or deptyd y^e Righte honorabell Lorde y^e Lorde Wyllia howarde, Lord preevy Sealle, & was buryed y^e xxix daye of the same monethe of Janewarve, on whosse Soulle god have mereye, a-men.
1581. Maye the xviii daye being thorsdaie betwen 3 and 4 of the clok in the after noone of the same daie dyed or departy'd this present lyffe the right honorabell the ladye Margarete howarde, wyddow, late the wyffe of the Ryght honorabell the lorde Wyllia howarde, lord privye Seale, the w^{ch} ladye Margarete was buryed the xix daye of Maye and the funeralle kept the viii daie of June.
1598. September the 20th day departed m^{ris} Kateren howard, daughter to the righte honorable the L. willm howard, L. privie sealle, and sister to Charles howard, Earle of Nottingham, L. highe Admirall of Englande. She was buried and made her funeral the xxii of September being Saterdag folowing.
1600. September the firste beinge monday betweene 4 and 5 of the clok in the after noone of the same day dyed or departed this p'sente lyffe The Righte worshipfull Sir Willyam Howarde, Esquier, Brother to the earll of nottingham, w^{ch} Sir Willyam howard was buryed the tewesday nexte beinge the ii day of September, and the funeral kepte the xxvi day of September beinge fryday: he died at Croydon at halinge house and Buryed heer at Rigat in y^e vawte.
- 1602-3. february the xxv day beinge fryday departed the life of the righte honorable the Lady Catheren hooward, Countis of nottingham, late wiffe to the righte honorable lord Charles howard, Earle of nottingham, Lord highe Admirall of England, w^{ch} Countis was buryed at Chelsy the monday nighte folowinge beinge the xxviii of february And beinge Layd in the earth at Chelsy, her funeral was at Chelsy kept the xxi of march beinge monday, and she dyed at Arundell house in London.
1608. November the xii daie was buryed A Sonne of the Ryght honorable Charles howard Earle of Nottingham and Margaret his wyffe.

1615. The 1 daie Marche was bur. the Right Worshipfull the Lady Howard, late wife unto S^r Willm. Howard, deceased.
1620. Aug. 11, was bur. the Ryghte Honorable Knyghte Syr Edward Howard.
- „ 16 Dec. was ffrances, sonne of the honorable Knyght Syr Frances Howard.
1624. The xviii dai of December at night was buryed the Right Hon^{orable} Charles, Earle of Nottingham.
1642. Oct. 8. The Right Hon^{ble} Charles, Earle of Nottingham, was buryed.
1651. Mary, Countess of Nottingham, Feb. 11.
1653. 14 Martii, S^r Charles Howard, Knight.

BLECHINGLEY.

Baptisms.

1579. Charles Howard, the sonne of Charles Lord Howard, Baron of Effingham, and the most hon^{ble} Knight of the garter, and lady Katheryn his wyffe, was baptized ye 24^o day of September, a^{no} 1579.

GREAT BOOKHAM.

Baptisms.

1632. M^{ris} frances Howard, daughter of Sir ffrancis Howard, buried June 27.
- „ Lodowicke Howarde, the sonn of Sir ffrancis Howard, was bapt. 8^{bris} 9^o 1632.
1635. Bur. A son of Sir ffrancis Howard, Kn^t, still-borne, May 1^o.
1636. Bap^t John Howard, the son of Sir ffrancis Howard, Knight, and the Lady Jane Howard, was baptz^d July 2.
1642. Bap^t. ffrancis Howard, y^e sonne of Sir Charles Howard, K^t, and y^e Ladie ffrancis Howard, was baptized May 1.
- „ Bur. ffrancis Howard, y^e son of S^r Charles Howard, Knight, was buried May 2.
1643. Bap^t. ffrancis Howard, Esqr., y^e sonne of S^r Charles Howard, K^t, was baptized Sep. 17.
1645. Bap^t. Jane Howard, the daughter of S^r Charles Howard, was baptized the 14th day of September.
- Howard (*sic*)
1647. George the sonne of S^r Charles Howard was baptized the 10th of Aprill.
1651. S^r ffrancis Howard, Lord of the Manner of Great Bookham, was buryed the tenth day of July, anno domini 1651.
1653. frances Howard, y^e daughter of M^r Tho. Howard, bapt. the 4 Octob. 1653.
1657. William Howard, y^e sonne of Thomas Howard, Gent., was borne the 16th of June, 1657.
1664. William, y^e son of M^r Tho: Howard of Leatherhead, buryed y^e 30th of March.

1672. William, the son of M^r W^m Howard, born Aprill 19th. Baptized the 20th.
1674. Frances, the daughter of Mes^t Francis Howard, Esqre, was Baptized the 9th day of May.
1675. Margreat, the daughter of M^r Francis Howard, Esq^r, was borne the 25 day of October and baptized the 1 of November.
1676. Frances Howard, the daughter of M^r Francis Howard, Esq^r, was buried the 29th day of October.
- „ Charles Howard, the Sonne of M^r Francis Howard, Esq^r, was born the 25 day of November and baptized the 28 day of the same month, Ano dn. 1676.
1678. Charles, the sonne of M^r George Howard, was Baptized the 27 day of Aprill, 1678.
1678. Philadalphat, y^e daughter of M^r Francis Howard, Esq^r, was Baptized 31 day of August.
- Frances, the Daughter of M^r George Howard, was Baptized the 15th day of March, 1679.
- Frances, the daughter of M^r Francis Howard, Esq., was Baptized y^e 8 day of November, 1679.
1680. Elizabeth, the Daughter of M^r Francis Howard, Esq^r, was Baptized the 7th daie of februarie, 1680-1.
1682. Mary, the daughter of M^r George Howard, was Baptized y^e 26 day of Aprell.
1684. Thomas, the son of M^r George Howard, Baptised y^e 13 day of August.
1718. George, son of Collonel Thomas Howard, baptized June 20, by me John Hyett, in the parish of St. Clements Dane.
1753. Maria, D^r of the R^t Hon^{ble} Thomas and Elizabeth, Earl and Countess of Effingham, Aug. 31.

Burials.

1681. Henry Howard, buryed June 15.
1682. Frances, the daughter of y^e Lord Effingham, buryed Dec. 11th.
1684. Thomas Howard, Gent., buryed Novemb 23, and affidavit brought within time Limited.
- „ George Howard, Gent., buried Dec. 14. Affidavit.
1700. M^r Henry Howard, buryed May 26, affidavit brought May 25.
- 1701-2. Frances Howard, buryed March 24, affidavit brought March 28.
1707. Henry Howard of West Horsley and Mary Tulet of Send, married Oct. 30th. Pd 5^s.
1703. Lodowick Howard, Gent., buryed Mar 13. Affidavit.
1704. M^{rs} Anne Howard, of the parish of Kensington, Middlesex, buryed Septbr. 16, affidavit brought 23. Pall 10^s.
1715. M^{rs} Mary Howard, buryed July 21, affidavit brought by Rebecca Blundel the same day. Paid for pall 10^s.
1733. Elizabeth, ye Daught^r of Coll. Howard, April 3. Affid.
1734. Thomas, y^e son of Coll. Howard, 9^{ber} 22. Affid.
1742. Francis, Earl of Effingham, 18 Feb. 1742-3.

1751. William, son of Hon. Coll. and Ly. Lucy Howard, 17 Nov.
 1753. Lt General Howard, Linen, 6 April.
 1762. Wife of Cap^t Henry Howard, 22 Dec^r.
 1763. Thomas, Earl of Effingham, 26 Nov^r.
 1764. Miss Lucy Howard, 24 May.
 1771. The right honorable Lady Lucy Howard, May 4.
 1774. Ann, Countess Dowager of Effingham, Nov. 22.
 1791. Elizabeth, Countess Dowager of Effingham, October 20, N.B.
 1796. R^t Hon^{ble} Lady Frances Howard, June 24.
 „ Marshal Sir George Howard, K.B., July 25th.
 1800. R^t Hon^{ble} Lady Ann Carleton, July 19th.

TICEHURST.

“ 1641. Sr Charles Howard and M^{rs} Francis Courthop were maryed
 the 5th day of August.”

FLETCHING.

“ 1618. Decemb. 20th, buried the right honorable Charitye, the Lady
 of Effingham.”

MONUMENTAL INSCRIPTIONS.

LINGFIELD.

On the south wall of the chancel two large carved oval shields of white marble joined together, on the top an urn, and below the inscription a baron's coronet and crest surmounting the arms of Howard of four quarters. Supporters Two lions argent, each charged on the shoulder with a mullet, sa. Motto, VIRTUS ANNECTO INNOCENTI. On the dexter shield this inscription,—

M. S.

Prænobil (*sic*) atq. Honoratissimi
 FRANCISCI DOMINI HOWARD.
 Baronis de Effingham
 Sub Serenissimo Britanicarum
 Insularum Monarcham
 Carolo Secundo
 Principe Desideratissimo
 VIRGINIE apud Indos Occidentales
 Pro-Regis nuper Exoptatissimi

Fidei utpote in Regem semper inculpatæ
 Justitiæ in Subditos integerrimæ
 Costantiæ (*sic*) in Amicos summæ
 Benevolentia (*sic*) in Inferiores promptissimæ
 Et ob Amorem tandem Conjugalem
 In Charissimam suam Philadelphiam
 Exempli singularis
 Juxta Cujus Ciners (*sic*).
 Suos moriens heic Voluit depositos
 ut quem vix Mors ipsa Nexum
 Dissolvere potuit
 Felix admiraret tandem Resurrectio ?
 Usque-quo
 Sepulcrum hocce turbet nulla
 Sacrilega manus
 obiit 30 die Martii
 1695.

On the other—

M. S.

Heic infra
 apud suos in dulci natali Solo
 tandem requiescit dilectissima
 PHILADELPHIA.
 THOMÆ PELHAM de Laughton in agro
 Sussexiæ Baronetti Filia
 FRANCISCI DOMINI HOWARD, Baronis
 de Effingham (Serenissimi CAROLI 2^{di}
 P. M. Auspiciis Virginiae
 Gubernatoris Generalis)
 Charissima Desideratissima Coniunx
 En attonite Lector !
 Miranda Calcas !
 Cœlestem Pulverem.
 Fœminam omnibus numeris absolutam,
 Pietate primæva erga Deum
 Charitate erga egenos interminabili ;
 Erga maritum optimum
 Amore strictissimè Coniugali ;
 Omnes morum suavitate benignissimâ
 raro imitabilem :
 In fœlici virtutum omnium Studio
 Alicubi Fortassis fero parem invenies
 Nullibi Certo Priorem
 Pietissimam efflavit animam cœlo maturam
 Virginiae
 Fato illuc & amore sponte pulsa
 Augusti 13. 1685. Ætat : 31.

Underneath are two hands supporting a heart, and under it—

Resurgemus.

Westward, against a pillar between the chancel and the south chancel aisle, a large white marble tablet sculptured with flowers and foliage, and with this inscription,—

Here Lyeth Interred The Body
of That Truly noble and
Religious Lady MARY HOWARD
late Wife of THOMAS LORD HOWARD
Baron HOWARD of Effingham by whom
Shee had Issue Two Daughters ANN and MARY
Shee was the only Child of RUSHIA WENTWORTH
Esq^r of Cleave in y^e Isle of Thanet in Kent
Her Piety towards God & Charity to the Poor
Her Sincere Affection in her Conjugal State
Her Tender Love & Parental Care in the Education
of her Children.

Her Goodness & Kindness to her Domesticks
Her Pleasing Gravity Courteous and affable Behavior in
being generously Just to all Were very Conspicous (*sic*) to Every
One That Truly knew her And shee was hap
pyly Endowed with all the Vertues that adorn
The Great and Good So They never Forsook
her till with true Humility under the stroake of a
Cruell distemper shee patiently Resigned
her Life

The 29th Day of May

Anno Dom.

1718.

Below is a shield, with baron's coronet and arms of Howard of four quarters. Over all, on an escutcheon of pretence Az., a chevron between 3 leopard's faces or, for Wentworth. Motto, VIRTUS ANNECTO INNOCENTI.

On a black marble stone on the floor of the chancel, south of the Cobham Altar tomb, is this inscription,—

To the deare memory of the Hon-ble
CHARLES and PHILADELPHIA HOWARD
Son and Daughter of the Right
Hon-ble the LORD HOWARD of
Effingham & PHILADELPHIA
his Wife;

CHARLES dyed the 11th day of Aprill 1694 neer y^e
 Age of Eighteen years & PHILADELPHIA
 the 5th of August following neer
 the Age of Sixteen years to the
 perpetuall greefe of their
 surviving Father.

Likewise under the Tomb of their dear
 Mother lyeth in her Grave MARGARET,
 their 2^d Daughter who dyed
 the 15th of May 1685.

On another black marble stone in the chancel, whereon
 are the arms of Howard of four quarters, mantling and
 crest, is this inscription,—

Hic dormit Corpus CAROLI
 HOWARD Militis filii FRANCISCI
 HOWARD Militis Amborum de
 Bookham Magna in hac Comitatu
 Qui heu animam expiravit vicessimo
 die Martis Anno Dom. 1672-3.
 annoq: Ætatis quinquagessimo
 septimo.
 Resurgemus.

On a flat blue marble stone on the south side of the
 choir, a shield with the arms of Howard impaling a
 chevron between 3 estoiles, and this inscription,—

Here lyeth by her owne
 Desiere & Command
 FRANCES
 the Relict of CHARLES HOWARD
 of East-Wick in Great Bookham in
 this County Kt & Daughter to Sr
 GEORGE COURTHOP late of
 Whyly in the County of Sussex
 Knight
 who departed this Life the sixt
 of May 1681.
 Resurgemus. ¹

¹ This inscription is given by Aubrey, Vol. III, 64, who, together
 with Manning (*Hist. of Surrey*, Vol. II, 360), states that it was in
 the Churchyard, on a black marble tomb supported with brick.

GREAT BOOKHAM CHURCH.

On a small black marble gravestone near the south wall is this inscription,—

Here lyeth BURIED Sr. FRANCIS
HOWARD K^t Sonne of Sr. WILLIAM
HOWARD K^t Grandsonne to WILLIAM Lord
HOWARD of EFFENGEM Lord
High Admirall of England
& Great Grandsonne
To THOMAS HOWARD Duke
of NORFOLKE
who departed this Life
Y^e 7th of July
1651.

On a white marble gravestone at the west end of the south aisle is this inscription,—

Here lyeth y^e body of
FRANCES y^e eldest Child of
FRANCIS HOWARD of this
Parish Esq. who departed
this Life on y^e 28 of October
1676 neare y^e Age of
two Years & an halfe.

Resurgemus.

On a stone next to it:—

An Epitaph upon FRANCIS HOWARD
3^d daughter of S^r FRANCIS
HOWARD K^t & his Wife who
departed this Life y^e 25
of June 1633 at y^e Age of
one Year & halfe.

If Peereless Beauty could have swaide
This Rose Cheeke Child had longer staide ;
But Death repugn'd her Friends Desire,
And sent her to y^e Heavenly Quire,
Where shee doth Hallelniah sing
With glorious Saints unto her King.

At east end of north aisle, on a black marble stone:—

Here lyeth y^e body of
M^R GEORGE HOWARD younger
Sonn of S^R CHARLES HOWARD of great
Bookham in Surry who departed this
Life y^e 13th day of December
Anno Domini 1684.

Against the west wall of north aisle (formerly on east wall of chancel), a white marble mural tablet with fluted columns, and surmounted by an urn:—

Underneath
Lies interr'd the Body of
GEORGE HOWARD Esquire
(Brother to the R^t. Honourable FRANCIS
Lord HOWARD Baron of Effingham)
who departed this life the 13th day of December
1684.

In this Chancel
likewise lies interred the Body of
ANN HOWARD [His Wife] Daughter of
1 KIDDER of Lewes in Sussex Esquire
As also
the Bodies of HENRY, FRANCES & MARY HOWARD
the Son & Daughters of the said GEORGE & ANN.
This Monument is Erected with all Duty
and Affection to their Memories
By THOMAS HOWARD Esquire
(Son of the said GEORGE & ANN)
Lientenant General of His Majesty's Forces
Colonel of One of his Regiments of Foot
And Governor of Berwick
this 26th day of November 1744.²

Inscription on coffin-plate to Charles, first Earl of Nottingham, in Reigate Church:—

Heare lyeth the Body of CHARLES HOWARDE Earle
of NOTTINGHAM Lorde High Admyrall of Englande
Generall of Queene Elizabeths Navy Royall
at Sea agaynst the Spanyards invinsable Navye
in the Year of our Lorde 1588 : who departed this
Life at Haling-House the 14. day of Dec. in the
Yeare of our Lorde 1624 Ætatis sue 87.

¹ Should be "Thomas."

² The inscription upon this monument is rapidly becoming obliterated.

PLAYFORD CHURCH, SUFFOLK.

Here lieth the Body of
 The right hon^{ble} SUSAN eldest
 daughter of Sir HENRY FELTON Bart.
 of this place, who was first marryed
 to PHILIP HARBORD Esq. of Stanuing Hall
 in the County of Norfolk and whose second
 husband was the R^t Hon^{ble}
 FRANCIS Lord HOWARD of Effingham.
 She departed this life on
 the 11th of December in the
 year of our Lord 1726.

Her piety with Vertuous Beauty joynd
 To form the fairest body, noblest mind.

Above, in a lozenge, are the Arms of Howard, impaling two lions
 passant in pale, for Felton.

(II.)

FUNERAL CERTIFICATES. (COLLEGE OF ARMS.)

I, 8, 11.

Arms of Howard of four quarters. Supporters with mullet on shoulder.
Motto "DESIER N' A REPOS."

The R^t Hon. Charles Howard Earl of Nottingham and late lord high Admiral of England departed this mortal life the 14 day of December 1624 being of the age of 88 years and knight of the noble Order of the Garter almost 52 yeares and was buried in the Parish Church of Rygate in the County of Surrie. He married to his 1st wife Catherine daughter of Henry Cary Lord Hunsdon and late Lord Chamberlain to Queen Elizabeth by whom he had issue 2 Sons and 3 Daughters William Lord Howard of Effingham son and heir who married Anne the daughter and sole heir of John Lord St. John of Bletsoe by whom he had issue one only daughter married to the Lord Mordaunt, Charles Howard 2^d son now Earl of Nottingham married Charity the daughter of White and had no issue: he married to his second wife daughter of S^r William Cockain, Elizabeth eldest daughter married to Sir Richard Southwell of C^o Norff. K^t. Frances 2 daughter married 1st the Earl of Kildare in Ireland and after to Henry Brooke Lord Cobham, Margaret 3 daughter married to Sir Richard Levison K^t Vice Admiral of England. The said Charles Howard married to his 2^d wife Lady Margaret Steward daughter to the Earl of Murray by whom he had issue S^r Charles Howard K^t of the age of 13 years and the Lady Anne of the age

I, 8, 61.

In a lozenge, Arms of Howard of four quarters impaling Arg. on a chief gu. 2 mullets or, for St. John.

The R^t Hon^{ble} Anne late wife to the R^t Hon^{ble} William Lord Howard of Effingham eldest son and heir apparent to Charles Lord Howard of Effingham Earl of Nottingham Knight of the most noble order of the Garter and Lord Admiral of England sole daughter and heir of John Lord St. John of Bletsho departed this mortal life at Great S^t Bartholomews in London on Thursday xi June 1638 from whence she was honourably conveyed on friday night following to Westminster Abbey where she lyeth interr'd. This noble lady had issue by the said Lord, Elizabeth their only daughter and heire married to the R^t Hon^{ble} John Lord Mordaunt of Turvey Earl of Peterboro' by whom she hath issue 2 sons and 2 daughters Henry L^d Mordaunt aged 13 and upwards John 2^d son aged 12 Elizabeth eldest daughter and Anne 2^d daughter. This Certificate was taken by W^m Ryley Blewmauntle and is attested to be true by the s^d Earl of Peterborough.

JOHN PETERBURGH.

I, 5, 169.

Shield with Arms of Howard of four quarters. Crest. Banner with Arms of Howard as before.

Memorandum that M^r Edwarde Howarde Esquier thierde sonne to William howard Baron of Effingham one of the quene's majesty's pensionarys died on frydaye being the xv day of April in Westmester and from thence was brought to Rygate and there was buryed in the prishe Church the xvi daye of the said month. The chief morner there was Edmonde Tylney gent. the other 2 morners was Rouland Mayna^d and John Jones Gent. and the heraulde that servid there was Edmond Knyght als Rongedragon. In witness whereof the said morners have sett To their hands the xxii daye of April 1569.

I, 16, 101.

Banner with Cross of St. George and Crest of Howard twice repeated. Flag with Arms of Howard of four quarters. Helmet mantling and crest. Shield parted by a sword with Arms of Howard as before. Tabard and belt with the same Arms. Below a shield with Az. a lion rampant argent billetée sable, a chief or, for Goldwell.

The Right Worshipfull S^r William Howard K^t 2 son to William Lord Howard of Effingham and brother to the R^t Hon^{ble} Charles Howard Earl of Nottingham and Lord High Admiral of England married frances daughter of Goldwell of C^o Kent Esq. by whom he had issue 3 sons now lyyunge Edward francis and Charles: he departed out of this transitory life the 1st Sep. 1600 his funeralls were worshipfully solempnised according to his estate att Reigate C^o Surr. the 26 day of the s^d month. The principall morner Edward Howard his son and heir the assistants frances Howard his second brother, John Turner, Benjamin Cooper and M^r The preacher M^r Nouthall the standard borne by Reginald Gould the peimon by Clement. The Officers of Armes that derected s^d fmerall was W^m Camden als Clarencieux King of Armes of the province and Thomas Knight Rongeroix in Witnes of the trewth hereof the chiffe morner hath subscribed his name.

EDWARD HOWARD.

I, 16, 27.

16 Nov. 1598. Sir Robert Southwell son and heir of Thomas Southwell of Woodrising married Lady Elizabeth Howard daughter of Charles Howard Earl of Nottingham by whom he had issue 4 sons and 4 daughters whereof the three eldest died young. Thomas Southwell son and heir about 2½ years Elizabeth eldest daughter 15 years

Katherine 2^d daughter 8 years Frances 3^d daughter 6 years Mary youngest daughter 4 years. He died at his Manor House of Woodrising on Thursday 12 Oct. 1598: buried at Woodrising on Thursday 16 Nov. last, interr'd at the East end of the Chancel on the right hand. Chief Morner Sir Rob^t Mansell his near kinsman. He left Elizabeth his wife sole Executrix.

Signed ELIZABETH SOUTHWELL, W.
ROBERT MANSELL.

I, 19, 113.

The Hon^{ble} Knight Sr Edward Howard Cupbearer to King James Departed this Mortal Life one Monday the seaventh day of August A.D. 1620 and his Body was interr'd in the Parish Church of Rigate Surr. among his Ancestors he died a Bachelor and made the Hon^{ble} K^t Sir Francis Howard his next brother his only heir and Executor. By whom this certificate is testified by subscription of his name,

F. HOWARD.

On a book in the College of Arms, marked H. 10, Painters, 1725—1753, p. 183.

Arms of Howard of four quarters with supporters. On the dexter lion the like arms impaling a lion rampant for O'Farel, on the sinister the same impaling ermine on a fess cotised 3 crescents for Bristow. Below. The Earl of Effingham.

(III.)

ABSTRACT OF WILLS.

Will of Thomas, Duke of Norfolk. [23, Bodfeld.]

We Thomas Duke of Norfolk being of hole mynde &c. Our bodye to be buried in the Churche of the Priory of Thetford before the high awter there. Indenture of 31 Aug. 8 Hen. VIII, appointing certain Manors including Lambeth for Agnes our wife—'To leveye one hundred thirty and thre pounds sixe shillings and eightpence for making of our Tombe'—£300 for every daughter. 'We woll that our said Exceuntours cause our tombe to be made and sett in the said Church of the priory of Thetford directly before the high awter where it was devised by us Maister Clerk Maister of the King's works at Cambridge and Wastell fremason of Bury in C^o Norf. and the pietours of us and of Agnes our wife to be sett togider theruppon as well as it may be.' To Agnes our wife all our household stuffe, beddinge, hangings, shets, fustians blankette, pelows, ensheons, hanged bedds of gold and silk, and all other stuffe belonging to Bedding or appareling of Chambers—all our Naprye, and all our Chapell stuff—almaner of kechyn stuff—all apparell for our body—wth all our horses, marys, fools, felyez, colts, wth all maner of stuff belonging to our stabell and horses and all our Shepe and Noot¹—all our harnessse and other abillaments of warrys wth long howes cross howes and bendings all our Rings Jewells of gold garnished and ungarished, and all other plate of golde and silver and gilt with all our Coyne gold and silver and all other our goods and catalls whatsoever they be. We constitute our s^d wife Agnes and our servant Sir Thomas Blenerhaysett Knight our Ex^{ors}. The Lord Cardynall of York² to be good lord unto my wife and to take of our gifte a pair of our gilt potts called our Skotish potts. Yeven the last day of May and have sett our sealle and signe manuell 1520.—T. NORFF. Proved in St. Paul's London, 16 July, 1524, by Agnes the Relict.

Will of Agnes, Duchess of Norfolk. [40, Pynmyng.]

I, Agnes, Duchess of Norff. widdowe of late the wiffe of the most noble prince, Thomas Duke of Norff. dec^d, make my will xii daye of Marche 1542. My bodye to be buried wthin the parishe churche of Lambithe C^o. Surrey in suche place whereas I have prepared my Tombe. To my Chapple at Lambith my best chalice of silver and

¹ Neat stock. See Halliwell's *Archaic Dictionary, in verbo*.

² Cardinal Wolsey.

gilte withe the patten. I will that my sonne lord William howarde have iii partes of all my gooddes both houshold stuffe Juells and plate. I give to my lady brigewater my daughter the fourth part of all my goodds and 4 parts of all my rayment. To Sir John Rabon chauntry priste of lambithe 2 silver spones. To my nephewe Tynlay a goblett of silver and gilte without a cover. Ex^{ors} Lord W^m Howarde and my nephewe Tynley.—AGNES NORFF. Proved in the P. C. C., 9 Nov. 1545.

Will of William, Lord Howard of Effingham. [22, Peter.]

6 May, 1569. I William howarde Knight of the most noble order of the garter Lorde howarde of Effingham and Lorde Chamberleyne unto our saide Sovereaigne Lady the queenes moste excellent Maiestie. My body I will to be buried in the parrishe churche of Reygate within the Channeell. I will that my Excentrix shall erecte & make one dacente tombe for me in the saide Chauncell of Reygate, as my trust is in her.¹ I give to my Soueraigne Q. Elizabeth² To Charles Howard my son and heir apparent my collar of goulde and all my robes which are belonging to the order of the Knyghte of the Garther: to him the Manor of Esheire. To W^m Howard my son in money or plate £50—Daughters Marie, Katherine, Marthae, & frances howarde—Residue of all my Juells, Money, plate, goods, catalls quicke & deade, unto Ladye Margarett my intierlye beloved wife and appoint her sole Excentrix. Overseers: R^t Hon. William E. of Pembroke Lord High Steward of England and Sir William Cycill³ Knyghte principal Secretary to the Quene's Maiestie and Master of her graces wards and lyveries. Have hereto set my seale of Armes and subscribed with my own hande. Proved 16 June, 1573, by Margarett Howard the Relict.

Will of Frances, Lady Howard, widow of Sir William Howard of Lingfield. [60, Cope.]

12 Mar. 1607. I ffrauncys Ladye Howard a wretched sinner, thonghe not healthfull in body yet perfect in mynde. As concernyng my bodie my desire is to have it buried at Ryegatt, where my husband is interred—for my fineral £20. £5 to the poor of Reigate and of Kyngeswoode. 50 shillings to the poore of Battersey where I nowe dwell. To M^r Edward Spencer of Reigate one of my silver cupboard bolles—he to ayde about my buriall. To my 2nd Son S^r ffrauncis howarde all the ymplements & furniture of his chamber within my

¹ This was never done.

² Left blank in the original.

³ The famous Lord Burleigh.

house at Battersey, my lesser silver gilt bason and Ewer and also my blak velvet gowne with the two kertles and sleeves thereto. To my youngest son Charles Howard (at his age of 21) the truncke standing in his brother frauncis chamber aforesaid on which his name is written and also my greene Bed whereon I lye and also one of my silver potts or juggs used to be served in the eupbord—Money for him at Cambridge—to him my figured satten gowne with the kirtle and also my colt in the greate parke at Windsor. To my niece Katherine Goldwell my best silke gowne—my purple bayes¹ nightgowne—my blacke mourninge gowne in the Standard² and all my Ruffes. Residue to my son Sir Edward Howard whom I appoint Executor.—FRANCES HOWARD. Proved in the P. C. C., 18 June, 1616, by Sir Edward Howard.

[5, Parker.]

The honorande femme Charite dūr Howard.

I Charitie Howard of Sheffield Co Sussex wife of the hon^{ble} and my dearly beloved Charles Howard youngest son of R^t Hon^{ble} Earl Charles of Nottingham K.G. &c. 16 May, 3 Jac I. Body to be interred at Fletching neere unto the body of Richard Leeche Esq. my late dear and loving husband. To R^t Hon^{ble} Earl my especiall friend and most kinde lovinge ffather in law 200 Angells of currant English money as a testimonie and pledge of my unfeyned love and loyall dutie towards him. To Edward Saye eldest son of my sister Mary dec^d £50—W^m Saye £100—Cozen Robert White Gent. Cozen W^m Saye son of Robert Saye Gent. dec^d and of my sister Patience now wife of Thomas Churhyarde Esq.—To Elizabeth Saye eldest daughter—Ellen and Patience Saye their daughters £20 a peece. To Martin and Anne Hart son and daughter of my sister Margaret Harte £20 a peece. To loving Cozen Robert White and Justinian Champneys £20 apiece. To 6 poor widows of fletching 20 shillings a peece for life. To Robert White Richard Amherst and John Wilson Overseers £10 a peece. Residue to S^r Charles Howard my loving husband—he sole Executor. Last Will concerning my Manors Lands &c.³ To Sir Charles Howard and his heirs the Manor of Barkeham and all Manors in Sussex Surrey and elsewhere.—CHARITIE HOWARD. Witness Giles Duncombe 8 Nov. 1618. Codicil: Niece Elizabeth Powell and Patience Saye to be put out—Niece M^{rs} Anne Baucker. Proved in the P. C. C., 27 Jan. 1618.

¹ Baize (Halliwell).

² A large chest used for plate, jewels, and linen. "The great 'standerd' in the chamber wherein I lye." (Will of Isabel Flemyng, 1544.)

³ In the Parish of Fletching. The Will contains a long and tender aspiration for her husband.

[119, Campbell.]

Charles Howard, Earl of Nottingham, Baron of Effingham.

Will dat. 24 Aug. 1642, pr. 11 Nov. 1642 by the relict Mary Countess Dow^r of Nottingham.

To be buried amongst my Ancestors in the Chancel of Reigate Church. Poor of Leatherhead £5 yearly for 20 years.

To my mother in law the Countess of Dover one square diamond ring set in black.

To my brother Sir Charles Howard Kn^t a turkey ring which was my Great Grandfather's.

Bequests to servants, viz. Geo. Todd £100, W^m Bassano £20, Rich^d Owden £10, Humfrey Mayland £10, and Rich^d Dibden £6.

Residue to my wife Mary Countess of Nottingham, sole Ex^{ix}.

My friend Sir Francis Stiddolph of Mickleham, Surrey, kn^t. and my brother in law Charles Cockayne of Ruston co. Northton esq. Overseers.

I have already by various deeds conveyed my manors, lands &c. in Sussex and Surrey to my s^d wife, and I now confirm the same.

Witn. Tho^s Goodman, Tho^s Sands, Will^m Hampton, Francis Sands.

[Soame, 110.]

Testamentum Dⁿⁱ Edwardi Howard militis. 5 Aug. 1620,
18 Jac. I.

I, Sir Edward Howard of Westminster Knighte sick in body. Body to be buried in Parish Church of Reigate as nere to my deere mother there as convenientlie may be. To loving brother Sir Charles Howard Manor of Bagshott. To servant Anthony Stert during his life parsonage Barn of Lingfield with lands there worth £20 p. ann: Brother Sir ffrances Howard K^t—to servant Daniell Killpatrick my greene coate layed with gould lace—Housekeepyng at Saies to be kept till X^mmas—Poor of Ryegate £5, forty shillings to poor men, £3 to poor women. All residue to brother S^r ffrances Howard K^t—he sole executor. E. HOWARD. Sealed in presence of Ch. Howard and others. Proved in the P. C. C., 17 Nov. 1620, by Sir Francis Howard.

Will of Sir Charles Howard.

Oct. 17, 1670. Sir Charles Howard K^t of Eastwick in Great Bookham—to be buried in my chancell at Lingfield with as much privaey as shall be be conveint (*sic*) . . . to my deare wife the Lady Howard my new coach and two coach horses and my biggest diamond ring. Daughter Jane Howard—Sons George Howard and Francis Howard Esq.—To Cosin Jane Whitfield £5 if she be unmarried at my death. To S^r George Courthop and his lady my brother and sister in law mourning and to each of them a ring—brother William Howard—Sister

M^{rs} Mary Kirkham—Sir George Courthop's children. Son Francis Howard Esq. my sole heir and executor of all my manners Lands and tenements whatsoever and of all my Estates both real and personall. Proved Commissary Court of Surrey, April 2, 1673.

Below is a shield with the arms of Howard of four quarters and the crest.

[29, Grey.]

Memorandum that the Right Hon^{ble} Mary C^{ts}s dowager of Nottingham being sicke of the sickness whereof she died on or about 6 Feb. 1650—Body to be buried at discretion of Executor. To every one of her sisters £20 a piece. Poor of Lethered £10. All residue to deare and lovinge brother Charles Cokayne—he sole Executor. Witness William Hampton, Cleric.¹ To M^{rs} Lambert £20—her daughter Joyee Lambert £10. Proved in the P. C. C., by Ch. Cokayne, 18 Feb. 1650-1.

[93, Irby.]

Test: prænobilis et honorandi viri francisei nuper domini Howard
de Effingham.

Ffrancis Lord Howard of Effingham. Body to be buried with all decent privacy in my chancell at Lyngfield in the place I have appointed as near my ever dearly beloved wife Philadelphia as possible and what Inscription shall be thought requisite to be written over my grave to be affixed in that vacant part of the Tomb I have placed over the Grave of my dear Wife in memory of us both. Confirms settlement on his marriage with 1st wife. All land subsequently purchased to dear and eldest son Thomas Howard—Son ffrancis Howard.—Dear wife Susan Lady Howard of Effingham rents of all lands which she holds in jointure from M^r Harboard her former husband—to her paire of best coach horses, best Coach and all household linen at house in London—dear daughter Elizabeth Howard £3000 at age of 18 till then fourscore pounds a year—to son ffrancis Howard £1200 at age of 21. Sir John Pelham and Sir Nicholas Pelham Trustees of certain money in settlement upon marriage with wife Philadelphia. Dearest sister M^{rs} Methwold £20. Sister Howard £10. £20 in charity. £5 to the poor of G^t Bookham. £5 to poor of Lyngfield. To sister Howard during widowhood £40 p. ann. All residue to eldest son Thomas (under age). Lovinge brother Sir Nicholas Pelham of Catsfield C^o Sussex K^t, loving nephew

¹ He was Rector of Blechingley for fifty-one years, from 1625 to 1676, was Chaplain to Charles, 2nd Earl of Nottingham, and preached his funeral sermon at Reigate, on October 3rd, 1642.

George Monson of Gray's Inn Esquire and loving brother Thomas Methwold of Hale House in Kensington C^o Midd. Guardians of children and Executors of Will and to them £20 a piece.—EFFINGHAM. 20 Dec. 1694, 6 Will. & Mary. Proved in P. C. C., 1 June, 1695, by Nicholas Pelham, Thomas Methwold, and George Monson.

[61, Farrant.]

Susan, Lady Dowager of Effingham.

Will dat. 2 Dec. 1726, pr. 28 Mar. 1727 by John, Earl of Bristol, the other Ex^{or} Thomas folkes first renouncing.

To the poor prisoners in Ipswich Gaol £50, poor of Rushmeare £50, and poor of Strettham, Isle of Ely £50.

Mrs. Catherine Welch £100.

All my personal estate to be sold, and a moiety of the proceeds to my niece the Countess of Bristol, and the interest of the other moiety to my niece the Lady Playters for life, and at her death the s^d moiety to be divided among her children.

Mr. John Playters and my niece the Lady Playters.

All my lands to my heir at law.

The Earl of Bristol and Mr. Thomas folkes to be Ex^{ors}, and to the latter £100.

The mark of SUSAN EFFINGHAM.

Wit. Nath. Betton, David Williams, Rob^t Hullock.

[172, Romney.]

Thomas Lord Howard Baron Howard of Effingham.

Lands &c. to James Pelham of St. James' Westminster and James fortrey of . . . nigh Gravesend in trust for first, second, and third son—then to use of dear brother Francis Howard—then to cousin Hon^{ble} Colonel Thomas Howard Esq.—then to Hon^{ble} Charles Howard brother to the Earl of Suffolk. To loving wife £3000. To R^t Hon^{ble} the Lady Dowager Effingham yearly £70. To brother Francis Howard £2000—to father in law John Rotheram Esq. £100—to dear sister Mary Rotheram £200—M^{rs} Penelope and M^{rs} Anne Rotheram £50—to sister Hutchinson £20—to cousin Thomas Howard £30—to R^t Hon^{ble} Viscount Palmerston £20. To Hon. Col. James Pelham and James fortrey Trustees £50 a piece. To deare and eldest child Nanny a diamond ring which was her dear mother's—to daughter Mary the youngest yet not less dear a gold snuff box which was also her mother's. Wife sole Executrix and to her all residue in trust. Brother Francis Howard £1000 and £1500 after decease of Dow^r Lady Effingham, his son my nephew Thomas Howard. Set hand and seal 14 May, 11 George 1, 1725.—EFFINGHAM. Proved in the P. C. C., 5 Aug. 1725, by Elizabeth Lady Effingham.

[17, Tremley.]

Elizabeth Lady Howard Baroness Dow^r of Effingham wife of R^t Hon^{ble} Sir Conyers D'Arey Knight of the Bath.

To be buried in a private manner at the discretion of my Executor in the Vault of Lingwell C^o Surrey near the remains of my late lord according to his earnest and dying request. Recites Indenture 16 July 1718 between Sir Theophilus Naper of Luton Hoo C^o Beds Bart. her former husband. Another of 6 Jan. 1721 between herself as Elizabeth Lady Napier of London Widow and the Rt. Hon^{ble} Thomas Lord Howard her late husband. Deed poll 11 Sep. 1728 between her and Sir Conyers D'Arey, all lands to Sir Conyers D'Arey and after his decease to her sister frances Lady Somerville and to her £500—to sister M^{rs} Mary Rotheram £500—to sister M^{rs} Anne Wyatt £500—to goddaughter Anne Yonge daughter of Sir William Yonge Bart. £200—to R^t Hon^{ble} Earl of Effingham the whole length picture of his father and also the half length picture of his mother and the two whole length pictures of my late lord and myself all which pictures are at Estwick, he to have the use of them during his life and after his death to his son the R^t Hon^{ble} Lord Howard. Sir Conyers D'Arey sole Executor.—10 Jan. 14 George II, 1740.—ELIZ. EFFINGHAM. Proved in P. C. C., 2 Jan. 1741, by Sir Conyers D'Arey, K.B.

[39, Boycott.]

The R^t Hon^{ble} Francis Earl of Effingham.

To my dear wife £100 for mourning—one pair of my Coach horses and one of my Coaches or Chariots. To her the following pieces of plate viz. all the christening plate, the Tea Kettle, Lamp, Stand, and all plate belonging to the Tea Table and two dozen of plates two cases of Knives Forks and Spoons, the gilt desert Knives the silver Cup and Cover the stand of Castors and Crnets two hand square waiters and the two middle salvers, all the pictures furniture household stuff goods and things whatsoever in my house in Great George St. in Hanover Square except the following: all books and prints in my closet below stairs all the pictures in the back parlour the Bedurean and all the prints in my dressing room my father's picture in the dining room upstairs and the picture over the chimney there and all the fire arms swords and other implements of war in the dressing room and in the Hall or elsewhere about the house all which together with the rest of the plate and all money, arrears of Rent due from the government and all residue of my personal estate I give and bequeath to my dear son Thomas Lord Howard whom I make Executor and in case of his death before me then to my cousin Maj. Gen. Thomas Howard—then to his eldest son George Howard then to Henry Howard his second son. I would be buried at Great Bookham in Surrey and I give ten guineas to the Rev. M^r Reve Ballard the minister there.—27 Aug. 16 George II, 1742.—EFFINGHAM.

I do hereby bequeath to my dear wife forgot before to mention my silver bread basket and also a diamond ring with a large brilliant stone in the middle set round with brilliant small diamonds and £500 South Sea Stock. Ghent Sep. 25 O.S. 1742.

I will that the Chintz Bed and furniture designed to be put up at Eastwick and also all necessary Linen as well for Beds as for the Table of my house at Eastwick in same manner as when my family lives there shall go to my son. Dated 23rd Feb. 1742-3. Ja. Wallis and Stephen Lauder witnesses to the Will depose to the Codicil. Proved in the P. C. C., 25 Feb. 1742-3, by Thomas, Earl of Effingham, Executor.

[89, Simpson.]

R^t Hon^{ble} Thomas Earl of Effingham.

If Estate in Essex late belonging to late Earl of Suffolk now in dispute between me and the Lord Hervey and the Countess of Portsmouth and her sister, as Audley End House and Park and lands adjoining comprised in a grant from his late Majesty K. William III be adjudged to me according to a settlement made in 1721, by Charles William Earl of Suffolk, subject to debts and dower of my wife it shall go to my cousin L^t Gen. Thomas Howard and his assigns for life and after his decease to R^t Hon^{ble} John Lord Monson and James Pelham of Crowhurst Co. Sussex Esq. in trust—remainder to George Howard eldest son and heir of Thomas Howard remainder to Henry Howard his second son—Audley End to James Pelham and to my brother in law William Beckford Esq. in trust charged with £1000 a year for wife in lieu of dower-Lands in Kent. In case the child my wife is ensient with shall be a son I give his guardianship to James Pelham and William Beckford. Residue to dear wife and she Executrix. Set hand 7 Dec. 1745, 19 Geo. II.—EFFINGHAM. Proved in the P. C. C., 15 March, 1764, by Elizabeth, Countess Dowager of Effingham.

[432, Bargrave.]

R^t Hon^{ble} Anne Countess Dow^r of Effingham.

I desire to be buried in the family Vault at Bookham in Surrey near the remains of my dear husband Francis late Earl of Effingham. £50 to such poor of Bookham as do not receive alms—poor of Lingfield £30—poor of Hampton Midd. £20. All Manors lands &c. in or near Lingfield or elsewhere C^o Surrey and all other real estates to nephews Robert Bristow, John Warde, and George Bristow in trust to sell and pay legacies. To Thomas Earl of Effingham £500 and his late grandfather's picture an half length in a gilt frame, and all my prints in the front parlour of my house in George St. Hanover Square consisting of 17 pieces of the Spanish Armada three camp pieces and three ship pieces all in black frames and glazed. To his brother the Hon^{ble}

Richard Howard £300. To Lady Elizabeth wife of Rev. Henry Reginald Courtney Clerk and Lady Ann Howard and Lady Maria wife of Maj. Gen. Guy Carlton and to Lady Frances Howard the four daughters of Thomas late Earl of Effingham £300 each. To sister Rebecca Bristow £1000—nephew John Bristow second son of late brother Robert Bristow £500—to Ann Judith widow of late brother John Bristow £100—nephews Henry, John, and William Bristow three sons of my late brother John Bristow £1000 each. To nieces Ann Margaret wife of my nephew Henry Hobart, Lonisa wife of Tillieux Girardot Esq. and Frances wife of Richard Neave Esq. £500 each—to nieces Caroline wife of William Henry Lyttleton Esq. and Mary Bristow and Sophia Bristow daughters of my brother John Bristow £1000 each—to aforesaid nephews Robert Bristow John Warde and George Bristow £1000 in trust to invest and pay income to niece Katherine wife of L^t Gen. Simon Fraser. Articles of agreement dated 2 Aug. 1773 made between L^t Col. John Shesson and my niece Harriet Elizabeth Bristow now his wife.—To nephews George and Henry Hobart sons of my late sister the Countess of Buckinghamshire £500 each—nephew Samuel Dashwood and niece Katherine Dashwood £500 each. To Henry Hobart Sir John Sebright of Beechwood Co. Herts Bart. and niece Katherine Dashwood £1000 in trust for benefit of nephew and niece Henry Bristow and Anne his wife late Anne Dashwood. Deed of Settlement of 24 Aug. 1764.—To nephew Col. George Warde son of my late sister Frances Warde £500—to Ann Berners Hutchinson daughter of Francis Howard Esq. dec^d £50—to Dame Anne Yonge relict of Sir William Yonge the picture of her uncle Francis late Earl of Effingham enamelled by Zincke with the shagreen case thereto belonging—to Lawrence Stevens of Piccadilly £300 at time he sets up in his trade. Nephews Robert Bristow John Warde and George Bristow Executors and to each £500—all goods trinkets, horses &c. to be sold. All residue to nephew Henry Hobart. Set hand and seal 20 April 1774.—A. EFFINGHAM.

I shall give my small diamond ring set garter fashion to Miss Maria Ann Bristow or a fansied ring set round with different stones. To Miss Sophia Bristow Lord Effingham's picture done by Zincke given to Lady Yonge in my will—to Katherine Dashwood my large garnet necklace one row and all my birds—to sister Rebecca Bristow for cards 15 of Gernegan's silver meddells and 3 dozen and two of foreign silver counters¹ in a red velvett Bagg with a quadrille with fish and Box that came from Holland. To niece Harriot Bristow my large cocque de pearl Necklace and Earrings. To my sister Rebecca Bristow all my Treass in Tubbs and potts at Hampton Court as well as fish and Counters for Cards. To niece Hobart all my Bronzes containing with the pedestals seven with all other ornaments that used to be placed on my marble chimney piece in the dining room in George St.

¹ These are now in the possession of Col. Warde, of Squerries, Westerham, the lineal descendant of the testatrix's sister,

To Miss Mary Bristow my silver standish for writing containing Ink-stand and Bell. To Miss Caroline Bristow my repeating watch with the gold carved outward case chain and two seals a bloodstone and a man's head and a gold one for wafers. 28 Nov. 1774. Abraham Winterbottom and Sarah Pearce sworn to handwriting 29 Nov. 1774.

George Bristow nephew and Executor deposed that said deceased died at her house at Hampton Court. On Tuesday 15 inst. day following, this deponent, John Warde and Hon^{ble} Henry Hobart went to her house at Hampton Court to search for her Will. Robert Bristow being absent at his seat in Hampshire. Will was conveyed to Mr Hobart's house at Richmond on Friday 18th and opened the same day. Proved in the P. C. C., 1 Dec. 1774, by John Warde and George Bristow.

[Searle, 110.]

L^t Gen. Thomas Howard of Great Bookham. Body to be buried at Great Bookham. Deed of 5 Feb. 1716 whereby £3000 portion of my dear wife was previous to our marriage conveyed to three Trustees and invested in the purchase of lands C^o Stafford.—Daughter Mary married to Francis Vincent Esq. has a considerable provision under the will of M^{rs} Diana Dormer. Marriage Settlement of daughter dated 30 Jan. 1743. To dear wife Mary Howard Manor and lands in Tetnel Regis C^o Stafford remainder to eldest son George Howard. To wife annuity of £280—messuage in Savile Street Burlington Gardens wherein I now dwell—jewells—diamond ring usually worn by me gold watch and £500. To son Henry Howard £3000 at age of 25 and further sum of £1000 if he survive his mother—to daughter Catherine Howard £3000—to son George Howard all lands and tenements situated in or near Great Bookham and all residue of personal estate. Wife and son George Executors. Set hand and seal 8 May 1752.—T. HOWARD. Son Col. George Howard to pay Hardecastle my wife's servant twenty guineas for her care of me during my illnesses. Given at Great Bookham 14 Nov. 1752.

27 Mar. 1753. My gold snuff box with agate I give unto my dear son Col. Howard and my watch. Proved in the P.C.C., with three Codicils, 11 April, 1753, by Mary Howard the relict and George Howard, Esq., Executors.

[Ash, 84.]

Lodowick Howard of Bookham weak in body. Body to be decently buried at discretion of Execentrix—£20 in trust for use of niece Frances Howard and to her £20 more—to nephew William Howard £80—to Edward Prove my silver hilted sword. All rest residue &c. to loving wife Katharine and she sole Execentrix. 4 Dec. 1703.—Lod: HOWARD. Proved in P. C. C., 11 April, 1704, by Catherine Howard the relict.

PEDIGREE OF HOWARD OF EFFINGHAM.

1. Elizabeth, d. and h. of Sir Frederick Tilney, and widow = THOMAS, 2nd Duke of Norfolk; born 1444; = 2. Agnes, d. of Sir Philip Tilney, Kt., of Boston; married
of Sir Humphrey Bouchier, K.B., son of John Lord died 21st May, 1524; buried at Framlingham, Suffolk. Will of Sir Humphrey Bouchier, K.B., son of John Lord Berners. dated 31st May, 1520; proved in P. C. C., 16th July, 1524. *cir.* 1508-9; buried 13th October, 1545. Will dated 12th March, 1542; proved in P. C. C., 9th November, 1545.

1. Katharine, d. and h. of John Broughton, of Tuddington, co. Beds, Esq.; died 23rd April, 1535; buried in Howard Chapel, Lambeth. M. I. = Lord William Howard; born 1509-10; = 2. Margaret, 2nd d. of Sir Thomas Gamage, Kt., of Coity, co. Glamorgau; married before 1536; died 18th May, 1581; buried at Reigate, 19th May.
created Baron Howard of Effingham 11th March, 1553-4; K.G. 9th October following; Lord High Admiral; died 11th January, buried at Reigate, 29th January, 1572-3. Will dated 6th May, 1569; proved in P. C. C., 16th June, 1573.
For her other issue, see below.

William Paulet, 3rd Marquis of Winchester; = Agnes Howard.
died 24th November, 1598.

1. Catherine Carey, d. of Henry Lord Hunsdon; married July, 1563; = Sir Charles Howard, Kt.; born 1536; = 2. Lady Margaret Stewart, d. of James Stewart, Earl of Moray; she
died at Arundel House, London, 25th February, buried at Chelsea, 28th February, 1602-3. K.G. 24th April, 1574; created Earl of Nottingham, 22nd October, 1596; Lord High Admiral, and Victor of the Spanish Armada; died at Haling House, Croydon, 14th December, 1624, *æt.* 87; buried at Reigate, 18th December following. Admⁿ. November 1629 and December 1642. = 2. Mary, eldest d. of Sir William Cokayne, Kt., Lord Mayor of London; married in St. Peter-le-Poor Church, London, 22nd April, 1620; died 6th February, buried at Reigate, 11th February, 1651; n. i. Nuncupatory Will proved 18th February, 1651.
Arabella, d. of Edward Smith, = Sir Charles Howard, Kt., born 1604; of the Middle Temple, Esq.; knighted 2nd April, 1624; 3rd Earl of Nottingham; died at Mortlake, buried in Church of St. Mary, Savoy, London. 26th April, 1681; buried at Reigate.

Anne, d. and h. of John, Lord St. John of Bletsoe; died in parish of St. Bartholomew the Great, London; buried in Westminster Abbey, 8th June, 1638. = 1. William Howard, born at Reigate, 27th December, 1577; baptized there, 3rd January, 1577-8; married at Chelsea, 7th February, 1597; died 28th November, 1615; buried at Chelsea, between 11 and 12 o'clock. = 2. Charles, 2nd Earl of Nottingham; born at the Manor Place, Blechingley, 17th September, baptized 24th September, 1579; knighted 1603; died at Reigate, 2nd October, buried there 8th October, 1642. Will dated 24th August, proved in P. C. C., 11th November, 1642. = 2. Mary, eldest d. of Sir William Cokayne, Kt., Lord Mayor of London; married in St. Peter-le-Poor Church, London, 22nd April, 1620; died 6th February, buried at Reigate, 11th February, 1651; n. i. Nuncupatory Will proved 18th February, 1651.
John Mordaunt, = Elizabeth, only d. and h.; born at Arundel House, 19th Earl of Peterborough'. January, 1602-3; baptized 17th February; marriage settlement dated 31st March, 1620; buried at Chelsea, 18th November, 1671. Will dated 23rd November, 1669; proved in P. C. C., 30th November, 1671.

Issue of Lord William Howard by his 2nd wife, Margaret Gamage.

Frances, d. of William Goldwell, of Goldwell, co. Kent; buried at Reigate, 1st March, 1615. Will dated 12th March, 1607; proved in P. C. C., 18th June, 1616. = Sir William Howard, Kt., of Lingfield, co. Surrey; knighted at Calais, 1596; died at Haling House, Croydon, 1st September, buried at Reigate, 2nd September, 1600.

1. Sir Edward Howard, Kt., baptized at Reigate, 22nd December, 1579; Cupbearer to King James I; knighted 11th May, 1603; died unmarried 7th August, buried at Reigate, 11th August, 1620. Will dated 5th August, proved in P. C. C., 17th November, 1620. Jane, d. of Sir William Monson, of Kinnersley, Reigate, Kt. = 2. Sir Francis Howard, Kt., of Eastwick House, Great Bookham; baptized at Reigate, 21st October, 1585; knighted at Chatham, 4th July, 1604; died 7th July, buried at Great Bookham, 10th July, 1651. M. I. = 3. Sir Charles Howard, Kt.; knighted at Newmarket, 16th February, 1610-11; buried at Reigate, 14th March, 1653.

William Henry Edward = John, baptized at Great Bookham, July 2nd, 1636. = Lodowick, baptized at Great Bookham, 9th October, 1632; buried there 18th Mar., 1703. Will dated 4th December, 1703; proved in P. C. C., 11th April, 1704. = Katharine, living 1704. = Frances, d. of Sir George Courthop, of Whiligh, co. Sussex, Kt.; married at Ticehurst, 5th August, 1641; died 6th May, buried at Lingfield, 11th May, 1681. M. I. = 1. Sir Charles Howard, of Great Bookham, baptized at Kinnersley House, 2nd July, 1615; knighted 23rd September, 1635; died 20th March, buried at Lingfield, 26th March, 1672-3. M. I. Will dated 17th October, 1670; proved in Commissary Court of Surrey, 2nd April, 1673. = Col. Thomas Howard, slain on the King's side, at Preston Moor, 1643.

1. Philadelphia, d. of Sir Thomas Pelham, of Laugh-ton, co. Sussex, Bart.; born in parish of St. Michael's, Lewes, 6th October, 1654; married at Crowhurst, Sussex, 8th July, 1673; died in Virginia, 13th August, 1685, *æt.* 31; buried at Lingfield, 10th July, 1686. M. I. = 1. Francis Howard, baptized at Great Bookham, 17th September, 1643; succeeded as 5th Baron Howard of Effingham, 26th April, 1681; Governor of Virginia; died 30th March, buried at Lingfield, 5th April, 1695. M. I. Will dated 20th December, 1694; proved in P. C. C., 1st June, 1695. = 2. Susan, eldest d. of Sir Henry Felton, of Playford, co. Suffolk, Bart.; widow of Philip Harbord, of Stanning Hall, Norfolk, died 9th September, 1687; married to her 2nd husband at St. Giles in the Fields, 20th January, 1689-90, by license. Died 11th December, 1726; buried at Playford. Will dated 8th December, 1726; proved in P. C. C., 23th March, 1727. M. I.

Charles Howard, eldest son; born 25th November, baptized at Great Bookham, 28th November, 1676; ob. 11th April, 1694, unmarried, *æt.* *cir.* 18; buried at Lingfield, 13th April, 1694. M. I. = 1. Mary, d. and co-heir of Ruish Wentworth, of Cleve, co. Kent; born September, 1681; married 25th February, 1706-7; died 29th May, buried at Lingfield, 4th June, 1718. M. I. = Hon. Thomas Howard, 6th Lord Effingham, born at Hale House, Kensington, 7th July, 1682; Gentleman of the Bedchamber to Prince George of Denmark; died at Spa, 10th July, buried at Lingfield, 4th August, 1725; no male issue. Will dated 14th May, proved in P. C. C., 5th August, 1725. = 2. Elizabeth, d. of John Rotheram, of Much Waltham; widow of Sir Theophilus Napier, of Luton, Hoo, Bart. (died 1719). Marriage settlement with him dated 16th July, 1718; with Lord Effingham, 6th January, 1721-2. She remarried, 12th September, 1728, Sir Conyers D'Arcy, K.B.; buried at Lingfield, 31st December, 1741. Will dated 10th January, 1740-1; proved in P. C. C., 2nd January, 1741-2.

1. Diana, d. of General Fergus O'Farel; married at St. James's, Westminster, 23rd February, 1712-13. = Hon. Francis Howard, 7th Baron Effingham, created Earl of Effingham 8th December, 1731; born at Little Chelsea, 20th October, 1683; died 12th February, buried at Great Bookham, 18th February, 1743. Will dated 27th August, 1742; proved in P. C. C., 25th February, 1742-3. = Anne, sister of Robert Bristow, Esq.; married at St. Dunstan's in the East, 23rd May, 1728; died at Hampton Court on Tuesday, 15th November, buried at Great Bookham, 22nd November, 1774. One of the Ladies of the Bedchamber to Queen Charlotte. Will dated 20th April, 1774; proved in P. C. C., 1st December following.

Elizabeth, d. of Peter Beckford, of St. Catherine's, Jamaica; born 18th, baptized at St. Catherine's 23rd February, 1726; married at St. James's, Westminster, 14th February, 1744-5; Lady of the Bedchamber to Queen Charlotte; remarried at St. George's, Hanover Square, 21st May, 1776. Lieut.-Gen. Sir George Howard, K.B.; died at Chelsea College, 13th October, buried at Great Bookham, 20th October, 1791. = Thomas, 2nd Earl of Effingham, Deputy Earl Marshal of England; Aide-de-Camp to King George II; died 19th November, buried at Great Bookham, 26th November, 1763. Will dated 7th December, 1745; proved in P. C. C., 15th March, 1764.

Maria, born 31st August, 1753. = Anne, born 4th May, 1752. = 1. Elizabeth, born 10th November, 1750. = Catherine, eldest d. of Metcalfe Procter, Esq., born 17th September, baptized at Rothwell, co. York, 16th October, 1746; married at Haddington, 14th October, 1765; died 1791. = Thomas, 3rd Earl of Effingham, born 13th January, baptized at St. George's, Hanover Sq., 21st January, 1746-7; Deputy Earl Marshal; Treasurer of the Household; Governor of Jamaica, where he died, 9th November, 1791; n. i. = Harriot, d. of John Marsh, of Waresley Park, co. Huntingdon; married at St. George's, Hanover Sq., 14th June, 1785; buried at Lyndhurst. = Richard, 4th Earl of Effingham, baptized at St. George's, Hanover Square, 21st February, 1748; Comptroller of the Household; F.S.A.; died 11th December, 1816; n. i. *Earldom of Effingham extinct.*

Issue of George Howard, 2nd son of Charles Howard (died 1672), brother of Francis, 5th Baron Howard of Effingham.

Anne, d. of Thomas Kidder, Esq., of Lewes, co. Sussex. Buried at Great Bookham, 16th September, 1704. M. I. = George Howard, baptized at Great Bookham, 10th April, 1647; died 13th December, buried at Great Bookham, 14th December, 1684. M. I.

Mary, youngest d. of William Morton, Bishop of Meath; married at St. Bridget's, Dublin, 28th February, 1716-17; died 5th February, buried in St. James's, Westminster, 12th February, 1782. = Lieut.-Gen. Thomas Howard, Governor of Berwick (1742); baptized at Great Bookham, 13th August, 1684; Brigadier-General, 1735; died at his house in Savile Street, 31st March, buried at Great Bookham, 6th April, 1753. Will dated 14th November, 1752; proved in P. C. C., 11th April, 1753.

Elizabeth, d. of Peter Beckford, widow of Thomas, 2nd Earl of Effingham; married at St. George's, Hanover Square, 21st May, 1776; n. i. = Sir George Howard, K.B., M.P., baptized at St. Clement Danes, 20th June, 1718; married 1st, 16th February, 1747; Governor of Chelsea Hospital; died 16th July, 1796; buried at Great Bookham, 25th July. Will proved 4th August following. = 1. Lady Lucy Wentworth, d. and co-heir of William, Earl of Strafford; died 27th April, buried at Great Bookham, 4th May, 1771. = 1. Catherine, d. of Rev. John Carlton, D.D.; died December, 1762; buried at Great Bookham. = Henry Howard, Esq., of Arundel; born in Savile Row, 14th January, baptized 10th February, 1736; died at Arundel, 10th September, buried at Reigate, 26th September, 1811. = 2. Maria, 2nd d. and co-heir of Kenneth Mackenzie, Viscount Fortrose; born 29th January, 1746; married at Dalkeith, 6th November, 1766; died 29th January, 1826; buried at Arundel.

Gen. Richard Vyse = Ann, married 1780; died 1784.

Lady Charlotte, d. of Neil, 3rd Earl of Rosebery; married 27th May, 1800; remarried, 30th April, 1858, Thomas Holmes; died 17th September, 1864. = Kenneth Alexander, K.C.B., born at Manchester, 29th November, baptized at St. Anne's, Manchester, 25th December, 1767; succeeded as 11th Baron Howard of Effingham, 11th December, 1816; created Earl of Effingham, 27th January, 1837; executed office of Earl Marshal at Coronation of George IV; died 13th February, 1845.

Henry Howard, present Earl of Effingham; born 23rd August, 1806.