

Coats of Arms in Berkshire Churches.

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The following notes on the heraldry of Berkshire Churches are intended primarily to be an accurate record and description of the coats of arms existing at the present time. Where the tinctures are not shown on the original they have been ascertained, as far as possible, from some recognised source and inserted in the description. Where some authoritative information appears to exist the name of the family bearing the coat follows the description in block capitals ; where, however, there exists only evidence which leads to a probable identification being made the name appears in block capitals in italics within brackets.

Where no name is given after the blazon little or no evidence is available to the author to indicate to whom the arms were granted. Short historical and genealogical notes and tricks (for the drawing of which the author wishes to thank his wife) have in some cases been added to the descriptions which have been arranged alphabetically by localities within the various Hundreds commencing with the northern part of the County.

The compiler of these notes, conscious of the difficulty of ensuring the possession of all the relevant information desirable, much hopes that readers having evidence on the heraldry and genealogy concerned will not hesitate to send it for publication in the Journal or communicate with the author. Each separate coat has been serially numbered for each Church in order to afford convenient identification for reference purposes.

HUNDRED OF HORMER.

ABINGDON, ST. HELEN'S CHURCH.

Outer North Aisle. North Wall. Mural Marble.

Bernard Bedwell, Esquire, *d.* 1811, aged 77. A native of Abingdon and late of Canonbury, Middlesex. Martha, his wife, *d.* 1818, aged 80.

1. Per saltire lozengy or and gules and ermine. **BEDWELL.**

Mural Marble.

Bernard, late of Clapham Rise, Surrey, and St. Johns, Middlesex, son of Bernard and Martha Bedwell, *d.* 1845, aged 80. Sarah Peyto Bedwell, his sister, *d.* 1854, aged 82.

2. **BEDWELL.**

His father and he were benefactors to the town and his name is perpetuated by a charity of £170 stock for St. John's Hospital being the gift of Philip his executor.

Mural Marble.

Thomas Lintall, Esquire ; Elizabeth, his widow, *d.* 1820, aged 78 ; Ann, their daughter, *d.* 1820 ; Daniel, *d.* 1834, aged 66 ; and Thomas, his twin brother, *d.* 1841.

(? upper half of the shield missing).

3. Sable a bend or semée of lozenges of the field.

Thomas formerly lived at Fitzharris House, Abingdon, and was buried at Streatham Church, Surrey. His widow, Elizabeth, died at Caldecot House ; Daniel of Caldecot House was buried with his mother and sister in the vault below the monument. Thomas, also of Caldecot, twin brother of Daniel, was the last survivor of the family and was also buried in the same vault.

Mural Marble with figures.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hawkins, *d.* 1780 ; Mark and Mary Hawkins, 1724 ; Ann Jones, *d.* 1767, aged 35 ; James Trinder, *d.* 1758, aged 49.

4. On a lozenge per fess gules (?) and argent on a cross moline azure four fleurs-de-lys or.

Mrs. Hawkins bequeathed (a) the interest of £100 for the preaching of four sermons annually on January 5th, April 19th and 25th and September 28th ; (b) the interest of £60 for the distribution of bread on the above days to the poor of Little Bury and Otwell Lanes in Abingdon ; (c) one-third of the interest of the overplus of her personal estate for ornamenting the Church ; and (d) two-thirds for the Church at Wotton. She was to have married the Rev. Walter Hart, Vice-Principal of St. Mary's Hall, Oxford, who died in 1768. The monument, for which she appropriated £400, was erected by her executors and trustees, James Bedwell, John Bedwell and Joseph Tombs. Her portrait and that of Rev. Walter Hart are in the Hall of Christ's Hospital, Abingdon.

East End. Ledger Stone.

John Saunders, Esquire, son of John Saunders of Mongewell, Co. Oxon, *d.* 1700, aged 23.

5. Per chevron sable and argent three elephants' heads erased counterchanged. **SAUNDERS.**

South Wall. Mural Marble.

Sir Charles Saxton, 2nd Bt., M.P., Under-Secretary for Ireland and Recorder of Abingdon, *b.* 1773, *d.* 1838.

6. Per bend argent and or on a bend engrailed sable between two wings elevated gules a plain bend counterchanged of the field charged with three garlands or red roses leaved vert the badge of Ulster. SAXTON.

He was the eldest son of Sir Charles Saxton, 1st Bt. (*cr.* 1794, *d.* 1808) by his wife Mary, only daughter of Jonathan Bush, Esq., of Burcot, Co. Oxon; in 1808 he gave to the Corporation the Gainsborough portraits of George III. and Queen Charlotte which may be seen in the council chamber at Abingdon; in 1824 he was Sheriff of Berkshire; dying unmarried he was succeeded by his brother John.

Mural Brass.

Tobias Garbrand, M.D., *d.* 1689, aged 78.

7. Azure a lance and poleaxe in saltire or heads argent in chief an arrow of the second barbed and feathered of the third. GARBRAND.

He was Principal of Gloucester Hall, Oxford, from 1648 to 1660 having become a D.M. in 1648; being a non-conformist he was obliged to leave Oxford at the Restoration and retired to Abingdon where he practised as a doctor; he married, firstly, Susannah, daughter of William Bury of Culham and, secondly, Anna, who died in 1688 and was buried in St. Helen's Church with their daughter Ann who married Thomas Danson, sometime Fellow of Magdalen College, Oxford, who was also a well-known Presbyterian. Tobias died in 1689 and no difficulties seem to have been raised in connexion with his burial in the Church; he disclaimed at Ashmole's Visitation in 1665-6; his son John was at Oxford and became a lawyer; his son Joshua was one of the boys expelled from Roysse's School in 1671 as being sons of non-conformist parents.

East End. Altar Tomb.

John Roysse, *d.* 1571.

8. Gules a griffin segreant argent charged on the shoulder with a rose of the field barbed and seeded proper. ROYSSE.

He was born in 1500 and died a widower; he was a native of Abingdon and became a mercer in London where he owned freeholds; he founded the well-known school in Abingdon which bears his name in 1563 for seventy-three boys having remodelled buildings purchased from the Corporation and giving one of his London properties for endowment; he also instituted an annual sermon at St. Helen's Church at which the masters and scholars of the school were to be present and thoughtfully provided refreshment at the termination thereof. He had one son, Thomas, who was partially deprived of benefit under his will in favour of his grandson John; his only daughter married Thomas Martin, LL.D., who was one of the executors of his will. He obtained his Grant of Arms in 1563 bequeathing the Patent (which has since disappeared) to the Corporation; his portrait may be seen in Guildhall at Abingdon.

Nave. East End. Carved on pew-ends.

9. Vert a cross patonce between four crosses patée or.

BOROUGH OF ABINGDON.

South Nave Piers. Painted inscriptions.

10. 1. 1873. Vert a cross patonce or between four crosses patée argent. BOROUGH OF ABINGDON.
11. 2. 1717. Or a cross patonce between four crosses patée gules. (BOROUGH OF ABINGDON.)

Clerestory. North Side. East Window.

12. Sinister : FRANCE and ENGLAND quarterly.

South Side. East Window.

13. Dexter : ENGLAND.

West End. Mural Marble.

Thomas Knight, Esquire, *d.* 1836, aged 81.

14. Azure (? sable) on a chevron or between in chief a lion passant guardant and in base an escallop argent three roses gules barbed and seeded proper.

He was one of the senior Governors of Christ's Hospital, Abingdon, and a principal burgess and Alderman of the Corporation of Abingdon over which he was eleven times elected as chief magistrate. He made a yearly gift of £20 to provide alms, meat and coal for the poor of the old almshouse.

Mural Brass.

Thomas Mayott, Gent., *d.* 1627, aged 63 and was buried in the Chancel.

15. Dexter :a chevron between three boars' heads coupé.....MAYOTT.

16. Sinister : the same.

Impaling :

17. Azure a saltire or over all on a fess of the last three pellets. LYDALL.

He married Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Thomas Lydall of Reading ; he was a principal burgess, twice Mayor and a Governor of Christ's Hospital, Abingdon, and left an annual sum for two sermons to be preached on Palm Sunday in the Church.

Mural Marble.

Henry Knapp, *d.* 1825, aged 69 ; Anne Knapp, *d.* 1836, aged 84, and was buried in the same vault with five infant sons.

18. Or a lion passant and in chief three helmets close sable.
KNAPP.

Henry Knapp was the head of the banking firm of Knapp, Tomkins and Goodall in Abingdon ; he held the Northcourt estate from 1819 ; he was a Governor of Christ's Hospital, Abingdon, and Mayor of Abingdon in 1805-6 and 1813-14. His sons Tyrell and Henry erected the monument in 1837.

Mural Marble.

George Knapp, Esquire, *d.* 1809, aged 56.

19. KNAPP.

He sat as M.P. for the Borough in 1807 until his death and was buried at Chilton ; a banker of Abingdon and of whig principles he twice unsuccessfully contested the seat in the elections of 1802 and 1806 against Sir Thomas Metcalfe, Bt.

Outer South Aisle. South Wall. Mural Marble.

Benjamin Hucks, *d.* 1730, aged 53.

20. Argent a chevron between three owls sable. HUCKS.

He was a brewer and late of St. Giles-in-the-field, Middlesex.

Mural Marble.

Clement Saxton, Esquire, *d.* 1810, aged 86.

21. Or on a bend gules cotised sable between two wings elevated of the second three garlands of the field. SAXTON.

He was the eldest son of Edward Saxton of Goosey, Co. Berks, and London, a merchant, by his wife Elizabeth, eldest daughter of Thomas Bush of Burcot, Co. Oxon, and grandson of Clement Saxton of Abingdon who died *c.* 1736 ; he appears to have been a Steward of Abingdon School in 1760 and was a pupil there under the mastership of Woods ; he lived at Caldecot House, was High Sheriff of the County in 1778 and a Lieut.-Colonel in the Berkshire County militia. The monument was inscribed by his nephew Sir Charles Saxton, 2nd Bt. in 1812.

East Wall. Mural Marble.

Edward Bedwell, *d.* 1823, aged 86 ; Mrs. Anne (? Jane) Bedwell, his wife, *d.* 1806, aged 58.

22. BEDWELL.

Edward Bedwell was formerly of Middle Scotland Yard, Westminster, and contributed to the improvement of Abingdon when living, and by his will he left the interest on £250 for distribution to sixteen poor widows of Abingdon in bread weekly for ever. His wife was buried at Perivale, Co. Middlesex.

Ledger Stone.

Mrs. Mary (? late) wife of Mark Hawkins, Gent., *d.* 1724, aged 72. Mark Hawkins, her husband, *d.* 1724, aged 72.

(Defaced but probably)

23. Argent on a saltire sable five fleurs-de-lys or. HAWKINS.
Impaling :

24.a bend engrailed between.....fleurs-de-lys.....

The tombstone was laid by his three daughters Mary Stevens, Ann Fleming and Elizabeth Hawkins.

South Aisle. South Wall. Painted inscription.

Charles Twitty, Esquire, of Westminster ; 1706.

25. Argent a saltire engrailed gules a chief azure. (TWITTY.)

He gave by his will, 1705 (a) £1,700 to build and endow a hospital which bears his name in St. Helen's parish for three poor men and three poor women, and (b) £300 for the repair and adornment of the Church which work was carried out by the Minister and Churchwardens in 1706.

Framed painting of genealogical tree.

William Lee, *d.* 1637, aged 92.

26. Azure two bars argent over all on a bend chequy of the first and gules a crescent for difference. LEE.

At the age of 92 his progeny numbered seventeen children, seventy-eight grandchildren and one hundred and two great-grandchildren, in all one hundred and ninety-seven ; he had successively three wives ; by the first, Jane Lapton, he had two sons ; by the second, Kathren Wright, four sons and eleven daughters ; and by the third, Kathren Liddall, no issue. He was five times Mayor being a principal burgess for fifty-five years and successively Master and a Governor of Christ's Hospital, Abingdon, in all for forty-two years ; he appears to have provided by deed in 1628 an annual sum of £1 for the distribution of bread and meat at Christmas.

Painted inscription.

Oliver Hide, *d.* 1565. Thomasine, his wife, *d.* 1568.

27. Quarterly : 1 & 4. Gules two chevrons argent. HYDE.

28. 2. Argent a buck's head sable between three cocks gules. LOVINCOTT.

29. 3. Ermine on a pile gules a lion passant or a crescent sable for difference. CATER.

Impaling :

30. Quarterly : 1 & 4. *Doubtful* : Argent between two bendlets sable three fleurs-de-lys or. (*Possibly intended for* : Argent on a bend between two cotises sable three fleurs-de-lys of the first. (MORGAN.)
31. 2 & 3. Quarterly or and gules a bordure sable charged with eight fleurs-de-lys of the first.

The Oliver here mentioned, who died *s.p.*, was probably the second son of William Hyde (*d.* 1557) by his wife Margery (*d.* 1562) daughter of John Cater, Esquire, of Letcombe, and grandson of Oliver Hyde (*d.* 1516) of South Denchworth who married Anne, daughter and heir of Thomas Lovingott, Esquire, of Edmington, Co. Oxon. It appears that he was the first to represent Abingdon in Parliament, sitting as member for the Borough on its being enfranchised from 1557 to 1563; his brother William (*d.* 1567) also sat in the second Parliament of 1553, 1554 and 1555.

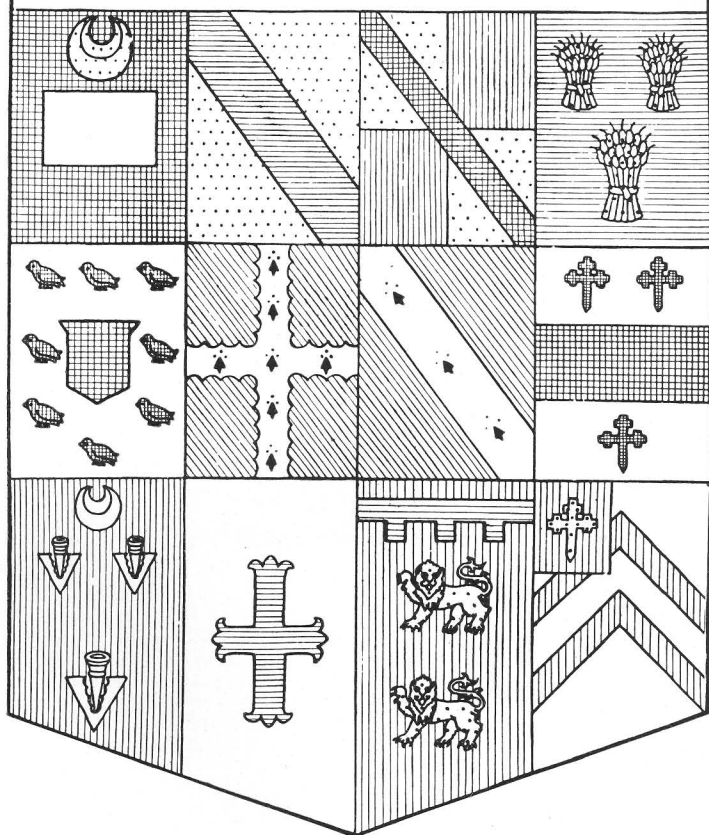
Mural Marble.

Edmund, son of Lionel Bostock, *d.* 1605, aged 24.

Quarterly of 12 :

32. 1. Sable a fess humetty argent and in chief a crescent or. BOSTOCK.
33. 2. Or a bend azure. VERNON.
34. 3. Quarterly or and gules a bendlet sable. MALBANK.
35. 4. Azure three garbs or. RANDOLPH BLUNDEVILLE.
36. 5. Argent an escutcheon within an orle of martlets sable. WINNINGTON.
37. 6. Vert a cross engrailed ermine. WETTENHALL *al.* KINGSLEY.
38. 7. Vert a bend ermine. WETTENHALL.
39. 8. Argent a fess between three crosslets fitchy sable. LAWTON.
40. 9. Gules three pheons argent a crescent for difference. MALPAS.
41. 10. Argent a cross flory azure. MALPAS.
42. 11. Gules two lions passant guardant or a label of three points azure. STRANGE.

Bostock.



43. 12. Argent two chevrons gules on a canton of the last a crosslet fitchy or. **MOBERLEY.**

Edmund Bostock was the third son of Lionel Bostock by Joan (*d.* 1580), daughter of Thomas Wolley of Henley-on-Thames. The family was resident at Fitzharris Manor in Abingdon for over sixty years; his father Lionel was a wealthy and influential woollen merchant who died in 1600 having been Mayor four times and also a Governor and Master of Christ's Hospital in Abingdon; in addition to Edmund, Lionel had two other sons: William, who married in 1592 Edith (*d.* 1643), daughter of Sir Bessils Fettiplace and who eventually dissipating the family estate died in poverty; Lionel and a daughter Joan. In the inscription on this monument, written by Dr. John Tichborne, Edmund is styled the eldest son and the "real and only beloved brother" of Lionel.

East Wall. Mural Marble.

John Bedwell, Gent., *d.* 1799, aged 62; Mary, his wife, *d.* 1793, aged 80 (? 30).

44. Gules a chevron or between three bezants.

Impaling :

45. **BEDWELL.**

He was twice Mayor and bequeathed £200 to the Twitty Almshouse and left other charitable donations.

Mural Marble.

Doctor John Crossley, *d.* 1753, aged 63; Ann, his wife (formerly Miss Saxton), *d.* 1789, aged 78.

46. Sable a cross between four martlets or. **CROSLEY.**

Impaling :

47. Or on a bend cotised sable between three wings elevated gules two and one three garlands of the field. (**SAXTON**).

John, their only son, of Magdalen College, Oxford, died in 1763, aged 19. Ann, their daughter died, a spinster, in 1768, aged 33. Two other children, Ann and Mary, died infants. Dr. Crossley was a member of Exeter College, Oxford, and for a number of years practised in Abingdon as a physician. The monument was erected in 1790 by Mrs. Crossley's nephew and executor, Charles Saxton, Esquire, of Caldicot, late Captain and (in 1790) H.M. Commissioner at Portsmouth.

ABINGDON, ST. NICHOLAS CHURCH.

Nave. North Wall. Mural Marble.

John Selwood of Lyford, *d.* 1715, aged 52; Elizabeth, daughter of John and Martha Selwood, his wife, *d.* 1721, aged 22.

1. Per bend gules and azure three dragons' heads erased bendwise argent on a chief or three fleurs-de-lys sable.

Impaling :

2. Or a lion rampant gules a chief azure. AYSHCOMBE.

Mural Marble.

Walter Dairell, Esquire, *d.* 1628, aged 63.

3. Quarterly : 1 & 4. Argent on three bars sable six cinquefoils of the field three two and one. DAIRELL.
4. 2. Barry wavy of six argent and azure a mullet for difference. SAMFORD.
5. 3. Argent a saltire gules between four eagles displayed azure a crescent for difference. HAMPDEN.

He was born at Lillingstone Dayrell, Co. Bucks, being the third son of Paul Dayrell who was Sheriff of Buckinghamshire in 1562 and 1579 and who died in 1606; his wife Alice, who died in 1650, was a grand-daughter of Richard Mayott, first Mayor of Abingdon, and by whom he had three sons and three daughters. Of the sons Paul was the eldest and was living in Oxford in 1655; Thomas, M.A., was a Fellow of All Souls College, Oxford, and died in 1654-5; and Walter, who died in 1684, was sometime of Christ Church, Oxford, and Archdeacon of Winchester. Of his daughters, Alice (*d.* 1684), married Charles Holloway of Oxford and Inner Temple, Counsellor at Law, and Mary (*d.* 1681) married firstly, John Morris, D.D., Canon of Christ Church and Professor of Hebrew in the University, who died in 1647-8, and secondly, Thomas Keyt of Great Wolford in Warwickshire. Walter lived at Lacy's Court from 1612 until his death, the estate, however, continuing in the possession of the family until about 1649; he was at Oxford and appears to have been the first Recorder of Abingdon in 1610 as well as legal adviser and auditor of Christ's Hospital, Abingdon; in 1618 he was appointed a Commissioner, with three others, to hold an inquisition concerning the property of St. Nicholas Church; he was also one of the eight Commissioners who drew up the statutes on the foundation of Pembroke College, Oxford, in 1624; he died at Gray's Inn. Of his ancestors, Henry Dayrell, *temp.* Henry III. and Edward I., married firstly, Johanna, daughter and co-heiress of Roger de Samford, and first-cousin to Alicia de Samford, wife of Robert de Vere, Earl of Oxford, and secondly, Alicia, daughter of Christian, who was the daughter and heiress of Alexander Hampden.

South Wall. East Window.

6. Quarterly : 1 & 4. ENGLAND.
7. 2 & 3. Quarterly i & iv. Barry or and azure an inescutcheon argent on a chief of the first three pallets between two gyronies of the second. MORTIMER.
8. ii & iii. Or a cross gules. DE BURGH.

Mural Marble.

William Thompson, Esquire, late of Marylebone, London, died at Bath, 1800, aged 58; Mary, his wife, died in London, 1801, aged 61; Elizabeth, their daughter, died in Abingdon, 1772, aged two years and ten months.

9. Per fess or and sable a fess counter-embattled between three falcons counterchanged. THOMPSON.

Impaling :

10. Gules a chevron vair between three crescents argent (? or).

North Quasi-transept. West Wall. Monument.

John Blacknall, Esquire, and his wife, Jane, *d.* 1625.

11. Per bend azure (*here* sable) and or an eagle displayed counterchanged. BLACKNALL.

Impaling :

12. Or on a bend sable three legs in armour couped at the thigh and ankle proper (*here* of the field) a crescent for difference. BLAGRAVE.

He was born in 1583 and was the last male survivor of an influential family which had resided in Abingdon since 1553; he married Jane, a member of the Blagrove family at Bulmarsh. His eldest and surviving daughter, Mary (*d.* 1650) married Ralph (1613-96), son and heir of Sir Edmund Verney of Claydon, Co. Bucks, in 1629; their daughter Jane died in 1626; his son John was born in 1625 just before the death of his parents and probably died in infancy. Both he and his wife died, probably of plague, on the same day in 1625. He bequeathed £2 a year to the master of the Free School which has now been converted to one Blacknall scholarship at Roysse's School; he left funds to support a Readership at St. Nicholas Church which was at one time usually held by a master of Roysse's School but which has now been transferred to St. Helen's Church; he arranged for a distribution of bread from his tomb which still takes place and left other charities which are now administered by the Governors of Christ's Hospital, Abingdon, including the bequest of £4 for four sermons a year by a preacher of the Queens College, Oxford. The site of the monastery in Abingdon was bought by John's grandfather William (who was an original Bailiff and twice Mayor of Abingdon), and eventually passed to the Verney family by the marriage of his daughter Mary recorded above.

Carved on front of pew.

13. BOROUGH OF ABINGDON.

Chancel. North Wall. Mural Brass.

Adam Fettiplace Blandy, younger son of John Blandy and Caroline Anne Poyntz of Kingston Bagpuize, Co. Berks, died in Abingdon, 1902, aged 59; Robert Acton Blandy, eldest son of the above, Captain, C.D.F., killed in action near Molteno, Cape Colony, 1901, aged 31; Adam Poyntz Blandy, third son, died at Neath, South Wales, 1903, aged 31.

14. Quarterly: 1 & 4. Ermine three urns sable with flames issuant proper. BLANDY.

15. 2 & 3. Barry of eight gules and or. POYNTZ.

Impaling:

16. Gules a pelican in her piety or.

South Wall. Mural Marble.

Thomas Woods, M.A., d. 1753, aged 71.

17. (*Defaced but possibly*) Per pale ermine and argent in sinister six lions' faces three two and one vert. (WOODS).

He was Reader at the Church from 1716 to 1749 and Headmaster of Roysse's School (where he was known as "flogging Tom") from 1716 until his death in 1753 at which time he was also Vicar of Culham. Many boys, who afterwards became well known, were at the School during his time, including Clement Saxton, subsequently High Sheriff of the County, and William Newcome, afterwards Archbishop of Armagh. He was a Tory in politics and it appears that he may also have been the road surveyor. An inventory of the Church plate, issued on the occasion of the robbery in 1785, includes a large silver flagon given by him and bearing his arms: "Party per pale ermine and argent the first charged with six lions' faces three two and one vert."

East Window.

18. Azure on a mound vert a stag trippant argent on a chief engrailed of the last between two crosses patée gules a bugle horn sable stringed or.

Impaling:

19. Argent a saltire sable on a chief of the last five escallops of the field three and two.

It is recorded that in 1881 E. J. Trendell, Esquire, of the Abbey House, Abingdon, inserted the Bristol glass in this window.

Clergy Vestry. Ledger Stone.

Gregory Pope, *d.* 1723, aged 32 ; Elizabeth, his daughter, *d.* 1718, aged four months ; Mary, his other daughter, *d.* 1721 (? 1727), aged seven years and seven months.

(Defaced but possibly)

Per pale or and azure on a chevron between three griffins' heads erased as many fleurs-de-lys all counterchanged.
POPE.

BESSELS LEIGH.

Sanctuary. North Wall. Mural Marble.

Edward Erskine Wilmot-Chetwode, of Trinity College Oxford, only son of Edward Erskine Wilmot-Chetwode and Gertrude, his wife ; grandson of Edward Wilmot-Chetwode of Woodbrook, Queens Co., Ireland, and step-son of the Rev. E. M. Walker (*) Rector of Bessels Leigh, *d.* 1900, aged 22, at Lindley, South Africa of wounds received in action while serving with 45th (Dublin) Co. Imperial Yeomanry.

1. Quarterly : 1. Quarterly argent and gules four crosses formy counterchanged an annulet azure for difference. CHETWODE.
2. Or three crescents gules two and one. WAHULL.
3. Sable on a fess or between three eagles' heads erased argent as many escallops gules a mullet for difference. WILMOT.
4. Vert a lion rampant and in chief three estoiles or. O'MORE.

Chancel. North Wall. Mural Marble.

Susanna Brome, (daughter of Richard Franklin, Doctor of Physic, by Frances, his wife) late wife of Charles Brome of Sandford, Gent., *d.* 1717, aged 49.

5. Sable on a chevron argent three bunches of broom vert seeded or. (BROME).

(*) Now Provost of The Queen's College, Oxford.

Impaling :

6. Azure a dolphin embowed argent a chief or. FRANKLIN.
Richard Franklin, of The Queen's College, Oxford, was created a Doctor of Physic " by virtue of the King's letters " on November 29th, 1660.

Partition above Rood Beam. East Side. Hatchment.

Quarterly of 6 :

7. 1. Sable a bend fusily argent. LENTHALL (1).
8. 2. Argent (*here* or) on a bend (*here* gules) cotised sable three mullets or pierced of the second. LENTHALL (2).
9. 3. Argent a bend cotised gules (*here* a bend gules cotised sable) between six billets sable.
10. 4. Argent a saltire engrailed gules between four birds sable. BADBY.
William Lenthall of Lachford, Co. Oxon, son and heir of Thomas Lenthall, married Katherine, daughter of John Badby.
11. 5. Argent two bars azure on a canton of the last (*here* gules) a cinquefoil or. PYPARD.
John Badby, father of Katherine (who married William Lenthall) married Jane, daughter and heiress of Richard Pypard.
12. 6. Argent a chevron between three greyhounds salient sable those in chief face to face. WILLIE.
Thomas Lenthall, the son and heir of William of Lachford (who married Katherine Badby), married Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of John Willye of Bovey Tracy, Co. Devon; their son William was living in 1584.

Nave. North Wall. Hatchment.

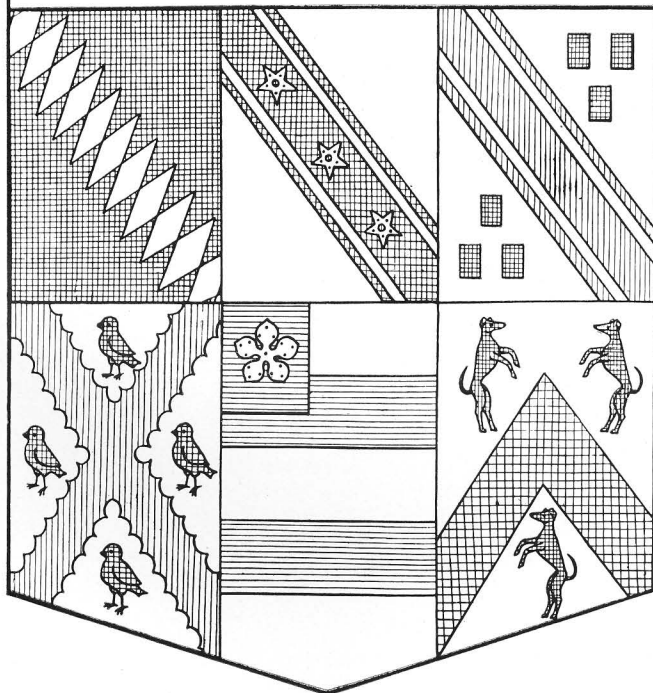
13. LENTHALL (1).

Impaling :

14. Argent (*here* azure) two lions rampant combatant (*here* argent) supporting a sinister hand coupé at the wrist gules (*here* proper) in chief three estoiles (*here* mullets pierced) of the last in base in waves of the sea a salmon naiant all proper. O'NEILL.

Hatchment.

Lenthall.



15. LENTHALL (1) a mullet for difference.

Over Corbels.

16. East. 1. Or a chevron between three eagles displayed vert. BLEWET.

Sir John Lenthall (*d.* 1681), Sheriff of Oxfordshire in 1672, married, as his second wife, Mary, daughter of James Blewet of Greenham, Co. Somerset.

17. Centre. 2. PYPARD.

18. West. 3. BADBY.

South Wall. Hatchment.

19. LENTHALL (1) a crescent for difference.

Hatchment.

20. LENTHALL (1).

Over Corbels.

21. East. 1. LENTHALL (1).

22. Centre. 2. Argent on a bend cotised sable three mullets or (*here* argent) pierced of the second. LENTHALL (2).

23. West. 3. Argent a bend gules cotised sable between six billets of the last.

Sanctuary. Ledger Stone.

Sir John Lenthall, *d.* 1681, aged 59.

- 24-29. Quarterly of 6 as in Nos. 7-12.

Impaling :

30. Gules a saltire or surmounted of another vert. (ANDREW).

He was the only surviving son of Speaker Lenthall by his wife Elizabeth (*d.* 1662), daughter of Ambrose Evans, Esq., of Lodington, Co. Northants; he married firstly, Mary (*d.* 1661), daughter of Sir William Ayschombe of Alvercot, Co. Oxon, secondly, Mary, daughter of James Blewet of Greenham, Co. Somerset, by whom he had one son, William (who married his first cousin the Hon. Catherine Hamilton and died, aged 27, in 1686, leaving two sons, John, his heir (living in 1701) and James) and a daughter, Elizabeth, and thirdly, Catherine, daughter of Eusebius Andrew, Esq., of Edmonton, Middlesex. Sir John was matriculated at Corpus Christi College, Oxford, and entered Lincoln's Inn, being elected M.P. for Gloucester in 1645 and for Abingdon in 1658; he was created a Baronet by Cromwell in 1657 and was Knighted by Charles II. in 1677; a clerk in Chancery, Governor of Windsor Castle and a Colonel in the Army, he was expelled from the House when sitting as member for Abingdon in 1660 and committed to the Tower as the result of a speech in defence of the regicides; he soon, however, was released and in 1672 was Sheriff of Oxfordshire.

CUMNOR.

North Aisle. St. Catherine's Altar. Mural Marble.

Alice, relict of Charles Peacock (who *d.* 1695, aged 86), *d.* 1715, aged 50.

1. On a lozenge gules a fess argent between three plates each charged with a lozenge sable. PEACOCK.

Impaling :

2. Vert on a chevron between three griffins' heads erased or langued gules five mullets sable. (DEANE).

Mural Marble.

Whorwood Peacock, Gent., *d.* 1759, aged 72 ; Dean Peacock, Gent. ; Mary Peacock, sister of Dean and Whorwood, *d.* 1761, aged 69.

3. PEACOCK.

The family appear to have been in possession of the advowson and rectory in 1623 and 1647 and Francis (*d.* 1670) and John were householders in the parish in 1665 ; mention is also made of Henry Peacock and his wife in connexion with the rectory in 1694. William Peacock, M.A., Fellow of Magdalen College, Oxford, was Vicar of Cumnor from 1681 to 1728 ; he married the daughter (*d.* 1683) of Dr. Henry Beesly, sometime Rector of Swerford, Co. Oxon ; Mary mentioned on the tablet left £500, the interest of which was to be distributed for education and for three poor women, " maidens or widows," of 50 years of age and over. Anne, the daughter of Francis Peacock, married Thomas Drope, Chaplain of Magdalen College, 1617-30, a Bachelor of Divinity and Rector of Ardley and Vicar of Cumnor where he died in 1644. Some of the family married into the families of Helyn, Holt, Maund, Broom and Weston.

Chancel. Marble Canopied Tomb.

Anthony Forster, *d.* 1572 ; Anne, his wife, *d.* 1599. Eight shields.

Centre panel : dexter.

4. 1. Quarterly : 1 & 4. Argent three bugle horns stringed sable.
5. 2 & 3. Sable three pheons argent a martlet for difference. FORSTER.

Impaling :

6. Quarterly : 1 & 4. Azure two organ-pipes in saltire between four crosses patée argent. WILLIAMS.
7. 2. Argent a moorcock sable. MORE.
8. 3. Gules a chevron ermine (ermineois) between three lions' heads erased or on a chief barry nebulée argent and vert (purple) a pale sable (azure) charged with a pelican or (argent) all within a bordure of the same charged with ten hurts. FOX.

Centre.

9. 2. FORSTER quarterly.
Sinister.
10. 3. Quarterly : 1 & 4. WILLIAMS.
11. 2. MORE.
12. 3. FOX.

Below : dexter.

13. 4. FORSTER quarterly.
Centre.

14. 5. FORSTER quarterly.
Impaling :

- 15-17. WILLIAMS, MORE and FOX quarterly.
Sinister.

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| 18. | 6. Quarterly : 1 & 4. | WILLIAMS. |
| 19. | 2. | MORE. |
| 20. | 3. | FOX. |

Above : dexter.

21. 7. FORSTER.
Sinister.

22. 8. WILLIAMS.

Anthony Forster was the fourth and youngest son of Richard Forster of Evelith in Shropshire by Mary, daughter of Sir Thomas Gresley; his brothers were Thomas (who married Frances Gifford), William and Michael. Anthony was probably born about 1510; he married, between 1530 and 1540, Anne, daughter of Rainould Williams of Burghfield in Berkshire, who was the eldest son of Sir John Williams and brother of Lord Williams of Thame. He was tenant of the Manor holding a lease from Owen, physician to Henry VIII., and it appears probable that he was at Cumnor at the time of Amy Lady Dudley's death there in 1560; later on he purchased the manor and lordship of the Hundred of Hormer. On the death of Oliver Hyde of Denchworth he became Member of Parliament for Abingdon in 1566 and again in 1570 which position he held until his death in 1572. He had five children, all of whom died during his lifetime; his widow lived until 1599, probably at Cumnor. He left the Manor to Robert, Earl of Leicester, his patron.

Nave. South Wall. Mural Marble.

Dudson Bacon, *d.* 1715; Ann, daughter of Thomas James of the Forest of Dean, Gloucestershire, *d.* 1711.

23. Argent a fess between three round buckles gules. BACON.
Impaling :

24. Azure on a chevron between three lions passant guardant or as many escallops sable. JAMES.

Mural Marble.

Norris Hodson, *d.* 1741.

25. Quarterly argent and gules in second and third quarters a fret or over all a fess azure. NORREYS.

A shipwright and mariner, he was born at Cumnor in 1716 and died on board H.M.S. *Gloucester* in the squadron commanded by Commodore Anson; the monument was erected by Mr. John Quainton in 1743.

North Aisle. North Wall. Mural Marble.

Benjamin Buckler, D.D., *d.* 1780, aged 64.

26. Sable on a fess between three dragons' heads erased argent as many mullets of six points of the field. (BUCKLER).

He was the son of Thomas Buckler of Warminster, Co. Wilts, where he was born in 1716; in 1732 he matriculated at Oriel College, Oxford, where he took his B.A. in 1736 and his M.A. in 1739. Elected a Fellow of All Souls College, he became B.D. in 1755 and D.D. in 1759; he was elected a Proctor in 1756 and became Keeper of the Archives in the University in 1777. He was an antiquary of repute and his writings included "A Complete Vindication of the Mallard of All Souls College," published in 1750, which concerned the traditional mallard found in a drain when the foundations of the College were made. He was Vicar of Cumnor from 1755 until his death and he also held the Rectory of Frilsham in Berkshire; he left £100, the interest to provide Bibles and Prayer Books for the poor of the Parish.

NORTH HINKSEY.

Chancel. North Wall. Mural Marble.

William Finmore, *d.* 1687, aged 29 ; Martha Finmore, *d.* 1687, aged 28.

Ermine two chevrons gules a crescent for difference.

1. FINMORE.

Impaling :

2. FINMORE.

He was Recorder of Abingdon in 1686 (being succeeded by Simon Harcourt) and a J.P. for the County and the Town. Hearne remarks that "perhaps conjugal love was never maintained with greater religion than between this couple."

South Wall. Mural Marble.

William Finmore, *d.* 1646, aged 87 ; William, only son of the former, *d.* 1677, aged 83.

3. FINMORE.

Impaling :

4. Argent two chevronels sable between three roses gules seeded and barbed proper. WICKHAM.

He was born at Reading, was a Bachelor of Laws and a Fellow of St. John's College, Oxford. William, his only son, married firstly Katherine Cox by whom he had three sons and two daughters, and secondly, Martha (*d.* 1683), daughter of William Wickham of Garsington, Co. Oxon, and the widow of Thomas Mayott, twice Mayor of Abingdon and by whom he had Thomas and Eleanor ; he left £10 for the poor of the parish and to which his wife made an addition. The family held the Manor and ferry over the River Thames in 1629 and 1658 ; William (*d.* 1677) appears to have disclaimed at Ashmole's Visitation in 1665-6.

Sanctuary. North side. Ledger Stone.

Elizabeth, wife of Richard Fynmore Esquire, of Kidlington, *d.* 1716.

5. FINMORE.

South side. Ledger Stone.

William Fynmore, Gent., *d.* 1757, aged 85 ; Martha, his wife, *d.* 1723, aged 38.

6. FINMORE.

William Fynmore, Gent., and James Fynmore, citizen and vintner of London, placed this stone in memory of their parents.

SOUTH HINKSEY.

Nave. Ledger Stone.

1. Jane, the wife of John Willis, *d.* 1728, aged 85.
On a lozenge.....a chevron between three
lozenges.....

RADLEY.

Belfrey. West Tower. Hatchment.

Quarterly of 6 :

1. 1. Or a bend vair cotised gules in dexter and middle chief
two inescutcheons each charged with the badge of
Ulster. BOWYER.
2. 2. Azure three spades argent bladed or. KNIPERSLEY.
3. 3. Azure a bend or a bordure argent. (*Possibly intended
for Gules a bend or a bordure ermine.* GROSVENOR).
4. 4. Azure two bars argent. VENABLES.
5. 5. Argent on a fess sable between three hawks volant
azure a leopard's face enclosed by two mullets or.
STONEHOUSE.
6. 6. Argent crusilly a lion rampant gules (*here azure*).
BRETT.

Impaling :

7. Argent a man's heart gules ensigned with an imperial
crown proper on a chief azure three mullets of the field.
DOUGLAS.

The hatchment of Sir George Bowyer, 6th and 2nd Bt., 1773-1860; he married in 1808 Anne Hammond (*d.* 1844) the daughter of Sir Andrew Snape Douglas, R.N., and was M.P. for Malmesbury, 1807-10 and for Abingdon, 1811-18. The Stonehouse arms are brought in by the marriage in 1733 of Anne, the 5th daughter of Sir John Stonehouse, 3rd Bt., by his second wife, Penelope, daughter of Sir Robert Dashwood, Bt., with Sir William Bowyer, 3rd Bt. Sir George Bowyer (*d.* 1800), the 5th and 1st Bt., Admiral of the Blue, M.P. for Queenborough, 1784-90, who was created a Baronet for gallantry in Lord Howe's victory off Ushant in 1794, married, as his second wife, in 1782, Henrietta (*d.* 1845), the only daughter and heiress of Sir Percy Brett, Kt., M.P., Admiral of the White; in 1795 he came into possession of the Radley estate under the will of the Rev. Sir James Stonehouse, 6th and 9th Bt., who was his maternal uncle.

Nave. North Wall. Window.

8. Dexter : FRANCE and ENGLAND quarterly ; *Supporters*, two antelopes argent. HENRY VI.
9. Centre : Or a bend vair cotised sable. BOWYER.
10. Sinister : FRANCE and ENGLAND quarterly ; *Supporters*,
Dexter : a lion guardant crowned or ;
Sinister : a dragon gules. HENRY VIII.

Chancel. North Wall. Mural Stone.

Sir John Stonehouse, Bt., *d.* 1733, aged 60.

11. STONEHOUSE.

Impaling :

12. Argent on a fess double cotised gules three griffins' heads erased or. DASHWOOD.

Sir John, 3rd Bt., married in 1706 as his second wife, Penelope, daughter of Sir Robert Dashwood, Bt. He was M.P. for Berkshire from 1701 to 1733, a Privy Councillor and Comptroller of the Household to Queen Anne ; his sons John and William each succeeded to the Baronetcy but both died unmarried ; his third son, the Rev. Sir James, 6th and 9th Bt., D.C.L. and Rector of Clapham, died unmarried in 1792, the Radley estates devolving, in 1795, to Sir George Bowyer, 5th and 1st Bt.

Mural Stone.

Sir Andrew Snape Douglas, Kt., *d.* 1797, aged 35.

13. Argent a fess chequy of the first and gules a man's heart in base proper on a chief azure three mullets of the field all within a bordure vert charged with eight crescents or. DOUGLAS.

He was the son of William Douglas of Edinburgh and grandson of Captain Andrew Douglas, a cadet of the family of Douglas of Maynes ; Captain of H.M.S. *Queen Charlotte* and a Colonel of Marines he commanded the flagship of Lord Howe in the victory of 1794 and " engaged the enemy's fleet foremost and alone on that glorious day the 23rd June, 1795 " when he received a wound in the head from which he died in 1797, being buried at Fulham, Co. Middlesex. His daughter, Anne Hammond, who married in 1808 Sir George Bowyer, 6th and 2nd Bt., whose hatchment is seen in the belfry, erected the monument.

Six shields on roof moulding.

14. 1. BOWYER, the badge of Ulster.
15. 2. BOWYER, the badge of Ulster.

Impaling :

16. Azure a fess nebulée between three crescents ermine.
WELD.

Sir William Bowyer, 1st Bt. of Denham Court, Co. Bucks, who died in 1679, married in 1634 Margaret, daughter of Sir John Weld, Kt., of Arnolds in Middlesex, and son and heir of Sir Humphrey Weld, Lord Mayor of London, *c.* 1609.

17. 3. Quarterly of 4 : i. BOWYER.
18. ii. KNIPERSLEY.
19. iii. Azure a garb or. GROSVENOR.
20. iv. VENABLES.
21. 4. Quarterly of 4 : i. BOWYER, the badge of Ulster.
22. ii. KNIPERSLEY.
23. iii. GROSVENOR.
24. iv. VENABLES.

Impaling :

25. Barry of ten argent and azure six escutcheons sable each charged with a lion rampant of the first. CECIL.

Sir William Bowyer, 2nd Bt., 1639-1721, M.P. for Buckinghamshire, married in 1679 Frances, daughter of Charles, Viscount Cranbourne, son of William, 2nd Earl of Salisbury ; she died in 1723 ; their grandson William (who married in 1733 Anne, daughter of Sir John Stonehouse, 3rd Bt.) succeeded as 3rd Bt.

26. 5. STONEHOUSE, the badge of Ulster.

Impaling :

27. Gules on a chief indented argent three martlets sable.
LOVELACE.

Sir George Stonehouse, 1608-1675, 3rd and 1st Bt., was M.P. for Abingdon from 1639 to 1643 and from 1660 to 1667 and High Sheriff of Berkshire in 1637. Having disinherited his eldest son George, who married Anne, widow of.....Scarlett, he obtained a second patent in 1670 from Charles II. entailing the baronetcy upon his second and third sons. Sir George married in 1633 Margaret (? Martha), second daughter of Richard, 1st Lord Lovelace of Hurley, by his second wife Margaret, daughter and heiress of William Dodsworth of London.

28. 6. BOWYER, the badge of Ulster.

Window.

29. FRANCE and ENGLAND quarterly.

Sanctuary. Painted on north wall.

30. Quarterly : 1 & 4. Quarterly sable and or a bend argent.
LANGTON.
31. 2. Azure fretty or on a canton gules a
cross moline of the second. (*MUMBY*).
32. 3. Sable four hawks volant argent.
(*MEUTER*).

Impaling :

33. Quarterly : 1 & 4. STONEHOUSE.
34. 2 & 3. Per saltire or and azure four eagles
displayed counterchanged.
(*BARONSDALE*).

The following would appear to be the history of this coat : Mary, the second daughter of Sir William Stonehouse, 1st Bt. (*d.* 1632) by his wife Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of John Powell, married the Rev. William Langton, D.D. (1573-1626), Rector of Lympsham, Co. Somerset, 1607-1616, President of Magdalen College, Oxford, 1610-1626 and Rector of Brightwell, Co. Berks, 1615-1626, Chaplain to the King and Domestic Chaplain to the Earl of Salisbury. Successive John Langtons of Langton, Co. Lincs, had married the daughters and co-heiresses of Mumby and John Meuter of Saltfleethaven. Sir James Stonehouse (1566-1638), brother of Sir William Stonehouse of Radley, 1st Bt., and uncle of the above Mary, married, as his second wife, Joane, daughter of William Baronsdale, M.D. (*d.* 1608), of St. John's College, Cambridge and President of the College of Physicians, 1589-1600.

East Window. Centre Light.

35. FRANCE and ENGLAND quarterly ; *Supporters*, Dexter : a dragon gules ; Sinister : a greyhound argent collared gules.
HENRY VII.

South Wall. Canopied tomb with two recumbent figures.

Sir William Stonehouse, Bt., *d.* 1632, aged 76.

36. Above : STONEHOUSE, the badge of Ulster.
37. Dexter : STONEHOUSE, the badge of Ulster.

Impaling :

38. Or between a chevron three lions' gambes erased
gules. POWELL.
39. Centre : STONEHOUSE.

Impaling :

40. POWELL.
 41. Sinister : POWELL.
 42. STONEHOUSE and POWELL quarterly, the badge of Ulster.

Sir William Stonehouse, 1556-1632, was an M.A. of Oxford, a J.P. and High Sheriff in 1606, being created a baronet in 1628 ; he was the eldest son of George Stonehouse (*d.* 1573) of Little Peckham, Kent, who was Lord of the Manor of Radley and a Clerk of the Green Cloth to Queen Elizabeth. Sir William married, in 1592, Elizabeth, the daughter and heiress of John Powell of Fulham, by whom he had three sons and five daughters. He was succeeded by his eldest son John, of Trinity College, Oxford, a Fellow of Gray's Inn, M.P. for Abingdon, 1628-9, and a Privy Councillor, who died unmarried in 1632 four months after his father's death, being succeeded by his brother George as 3rd and 1st Bt. For a transcript of the epitaph see *Berks Arch. Jour.*, 29, p. 144, and for a translation see Ashmole, *Antiquities of Berkshire*.

Six shields on roof moulding.

43. 1. STONEHOUSE, the badge of Ulster.
 44. 2. Quarterly of 4 : i. BOWYER, the badge of Ulster.
 45. ii. Argent a lion rampant between three crosses fitchée gules. BOWYER of Staffs.
 46. iii. Argent a lion rampant between nine crosses fitchée gules. BRETT.
 47. iv. STONEHOUSE.
 This coat may possibly represent one of the descendants of Sir George Bowyer, 6th and 2nd Bt.
 48. 3. Gules two bars or. (*HARCOURT*).

Impaling :

49. STONEHOUSE.
 50. 4. Argent a fess between three crescents sable. LEE.
 This may represent the marriage of Catherine (1708-1754), fourth daughter of Sir John Stonehouse, 3rd Bt., by his wife Penelope Dashwood, with Robert Lee, 4th Earl of Lichfield who died *s.p.* in 1776.
 51. 5. Argent a bend engrailed sable.
 52. 6. POWELL.

Window.

53. Dexter light : FRANCE and ENGLAND quarterly.
HENRY VII.
54. Centre light : FRANCE and ENGLAND quarterly.
HENRY VI.
55. Sinister light : FRANCE and ENGLAND quarterly.
HENRY VIII.

South Aisle. Window.

56. Dexter light : above : FRANCE and ENGLAND quarterly.
57. below : FRANCE and ENGLAND quarterly. HENRY VIII.
58. Centre light : FRANCE and ENGLAND quarterly.
59. Sinister light : above : FRANCE and ENGLAND quarterly.
60. below : FRANCE and ENGLAND quarterly ; *Supporters*, Dexter : a lion guardant crowned or ; Sinister : a boar argent tusked and bristled or. (? intended for RICHARD III).

SUNNINGWELL.

Chancel. North Wall. Mural Marble.

Mary, daughter of Sir Thomas Throgmorton, wife first of Sir Thomas Baskerville and afterwards of Sir James Scudamore, *d.* 1632 ; Hannibal Baskerville, her son, *d.* 1668, aged about 72.

1. Argent a chevron gules (azure) between three hurts (torteaux). BASKERVILLE.

Hannibal was the son of Sir Thomas Baskerville of Goodrest, Co. Warwick, and was born *c.* 1597 at St. Vallery in Picardy where his father died when Hannibal was nine weeks old ; he was a student of Brazenose College, Oxford, and appears to have been a somewhat eccentric and melancholy man but of charitable disposition ; he was accustomed to give refuge to wanderers in a barn on his estate at Bayworth and was once indicted at Abingdon for harbouring beggars. He died at Bayworth having married Mary, daughter of Captain Nicholas Baskerville, second brother of Sir Thomas Baskerville, by whom he had seven sons and two daughters ; his eldest son, Thomas, was Lord of the Manor of Sunningwell in 1680 and died in 1700. Hannibal's name appears in Ashmole's Visitation of Berkshire in 1665 as one summoned to appear. The estate passed to Sir John Stonehouse of Radley when the last surviving Baskerville, grandson of Hannibal, died in 1720.

Sanctuary. North Wall. Mural Marble.

Rev. Henry Bowyer, *d.* 1853, aged 68.

2. Quarterly : 1 & 4. Or a bend vair cotised gules. BOWYER.
3. 2 & 3. Azure three spades or handles argent. KNIPERSLEY.

He was the third son of Admiral of the Blue Sir George Bowyer, 5th and 1st Bt., by his second wife, Henrietta, only daughter and heiress of Sir Piercy Brett, Kt., M.P., Admiral of the White ; he was Rector of Sunningwell for forty years and died unmarried.

Floor. Ledger Stone.

S(amuel) F(ell), *d.* 1649, aged 65.

4. Or (argent) two bars sable charged with three crosses patée fitchée argent (or) two and one. FELL.

He was born in London in 1584, educated at Westminster School and went up to Christ Church, Oxford, as a Queen's Scholar in 1601 ; having become D.D. in 1619, Proctor in 1614 and Canon of Christ Church in 1619 and Professor of Divinity in 1626, he was appointed Dean of Christ Church in 1638 having been Dean of Lichfield, 1638 and Rector of Stow-in-the-Wold in 1637. He was a staunch royalist and, when Vice-Chancellor, refusing to appear before the parliamentary visitors he was deprived of his University offices ; he then retired to the Rectory of Sunningwell to which he had been appointed in 1625 and there he died, as tradition has it, from shock on hearing of the execution of King Charles. He married in 1624 Margaret, daughter of Thomas Wyld, Esq. of Worcester and by whom he was the father of John Fell (*d.* 1686) who became Bishop of Oxford.

South Transept. Ledger Stone.

Dionysia, wife of Joseph Benet, *d.* (?) 1777, aged (?) 67;
Joseph Benet, *d.* 1796, aged 74.

5. Argent three demi-lions rampant gules. BENET.

Impaling :

6. Argent on a fess sable between three hawks volant azure a leopard's face enclosed by two mullets or. STONEHOUSE.

Dionysia was the eighth daughter of Sir John Stonehouse, 3rd Bt., by his second wife, Penelope, daughter of Sir Robert Dashwood, Bt.; she was born in 1715 and married in 1751. Joseph Benet was a member of Trinity College, Oxford, and took his M.A. in 1744; he was appointed Usher at the Abingdon Grammar School in place of his father, the Rev. Josiah Benet, Vicar of Denchworth, in November, 1750, but resigned the post in January, 1751; he was Lecturer at St. Helen's Church, Abingdon, 1750-3 and Reader at St. Nicholas Church, Abingdon, 1749-62. He was Rector of Sunningwell for 43 years.

Ledger Stone.

Phillipa Jones, wife of Walter Jones, *d.* 1683, aged 60. On the same stone : Ann Hale, of the City of Bath, *d.* 1795, aged 63.

7. Gules a lion rampant and a bordure indented or. JONES.

Impaling :

8. FELL.

Phillipa was the daughter of Dr. Samuel Fell; she died suddenly at Great Wycombe, Co. Bucks, on her way from London to Oxford in December, 1683. Her husband was the son of John Jones of Worcester, Gent., and was for a time Rector of Sunningwell and a Prebendary of Westminster Abbey where he was buried in July, 1672. The children of the marriage were Henry (who became Rector of Sunningwell and an executor of Bishop Fell), Walter, Richard, Anne, who were all living in 1684, and Elizabeth; three others died young.

WYTHAM.

Chancel. South-east window.

1. Centre : Azure ten billets or four three two and one on a chief of the second a demi-lion issuant sable.
DORMER.

Impaling :

2. Ermine a lion rampant sable.

3. Sinister : above : FRANCE and ENGLAND quarterly.
 4. below : Argent three battering-rams fesswise in pale proper headed and garnished azure. BERTIE.

Impaling :

5. Quarterly first and fourth argent second and third gules a fret or over all a fess azure. NORREYS.

Montague, 2nd Earl of Lindsey, a descendant of Robert Bertie (*temp.* Henry VII.), married as his second wife Bridget, daughter and heiress of Edward Wray by his wife Lady Elizabeth Norris, only daughter and heiress of Francis, Earl of Berkshire.

South-west window.

6. Quarterly : 1. BERTIE.
 7. 2. Gules a cross moline argent. BEKE.
 8. 3. Sable a cross engrailed or. UFFORD.
 9. 4. Quarterly gules and or on the first quarter a mullet argent. DE VERE.
 10. and in pretence : NORREYS.

On hammer-beams. South side.

11. Barry nebulée of six argent and gules over all on a bend sable three bezants. GOLAFRE.

North side.

12. Or a bend gules between two mullets sable. WYTHAM.

Ledger Stone with brasses.

Partly concealed by choir stall but giving :

13. Sinister : above : WYTHAM.

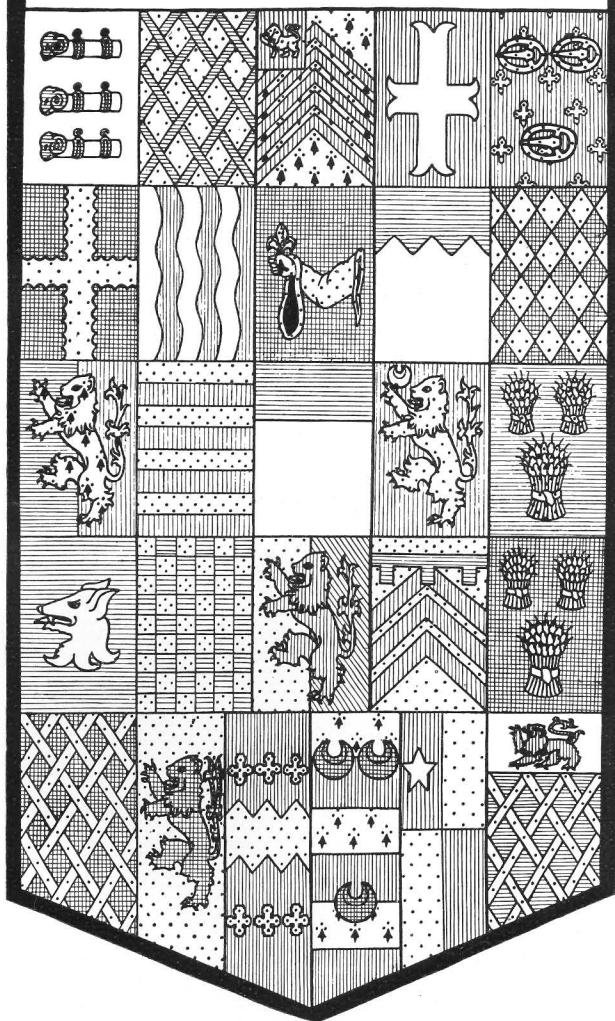
Impaling :

14. GOLAFRE.

15. below : WYTHAM.

Robert de Wytham (*d.* 1406) married Juliana, daughter of John Golafre of Fyfield. Their son Richard married Alice Daunsey by whom he had an only daughter and heiress, Agnes, who married William Browning and died *s.p.* 1444.

Bertie.



East window.

Quarterly of 26 :

16. 1. BERTIE.
17. 2. Or fretty azure. WILLOUGHBY.
18. 3. Ermine five chevronels gules on a canton of the second a lion passant or. OREBY.
19. 4. BEKE.
20. 5. Gules crusilly fitchée three oval buckles or. ROS-
CELINE.
21. 6. UFFORD.
22. 7. Paly wavy of six argent and gules. VALOINES.
23. 8. Sable out of a maunch a hand proper holding a fleur-
de-lys or. MOHUN.
24. 9. Argent a chief indented azure. GLANVILLE.
25. 10. Lozengy sable and or. BLUNDELL.
26. 11. Per pale azure and gules a lion rampant ermine.
NORWICH.
27. 12. Barry of eight or and gules. FITZALAN.
28. 13. Argent a chief azure. CLUN.
29. 14. Gules a lion rampant or a crescent for difference.
ALBANY.
30. 15. Azure three garbs or two and one. CHESTER.
31. 16. Azure a wolf's head erased argent. LUPUS.
32. 17. Chequy or and azure WARREN.
33. 18. Per pale or and vert a lion rampant gules. BYGOT.
34. 19. Or three chevrons gules a label of three points azure.
CLARE.
35. 20. Sable three garbs argent. MACMOROUGH.
36. 21. Sable fretty or. MALTRAVERS.
37. 22. Or a lion rampant sable queue-fourché. WELLS.
38. 23. Gules a fess dancettée between six crosslets or.
ENGAIN.

39. 24. Barry of six ermine and gules three crescents sable.
WATERTON.

40. 25. VERE.

41. 26. Azure fretty or on a chief argent a lion passant gules.
JEFFRAY.

Nave. On hammer-beams. South side.

42. East : BERTIE.

43. West : WYTHAM impaling GOLAFRE.

North side.

44. East : FRANCE and ENGLAND quarterly. (*EDWARD III., RICHARD II. or HENRY IV.*).

45. West : Azure a cross patonce between four martlets or.
(Probably intended for ABBEY OF ABINGDON).

(To be continued.)