

## Coats of Arms in Berkshire Churches.

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### HUNDRED OF BRAY.

#### BRAY.

##### *Nave. East End. Ledger Stone.*

Henry Partridge, Alderman of London; *d.* 1666, aged 62.

Henry Partridge, son of the above; *d.* High Sheriff of this County, 1670, aged 33.

1. [Gules] on a fesse [cotised gold] between three flying partridges [gold three roundles gules] in chief a spear-head point downwards . . . PARTRIDGE.

By his wife Ann (*d.* 1674, aged 69) he had issue Henry (*d.* 1670, High Sheriff), Sarah (*d.* 1709) and Hannah (*d.* 1691). In 1647 he held the lease of the estate of Lowbrook in Bray from William Englefield and in 1656 he bought the estate from the latter's trustees; it remained in the family till the end of the 19th century when it was sold to Mr. Lewis Rose. The name of Henry Partridge appears in the list of those summoned to the Visitation of 1665-6 as "citizen of London"; he made no appearance. [V.C.H. Berks., iii, 104; Kerry, C., *Hist. & Antiq. of the Hundred of Bray* (1861), 54-5: 108; *Harl. Soc.*, lvii, 44; Burke, *Gen. Arm.*].

##### *Ledger Stone.*

Dame Judith Werden, second wife of Sir John Werden of Holyport, Co. Berks., Bt.; *d.* 1726, aged 41. Also Dame Elienor Werden, third wife of the above; *d.* 1732-3 [aged 27].

2. Above: [Gules] on a bend [silver] three leopards' faces [gules] the badge of Ulster. WERDEN.  
Impaling:
3. [Silver] on a cheveron [sable] three quatrefoils [gold]. EYRE.
4. Below: WERDEN.  
Impaling:
5. . . . a cross paty . . .

Sir John Werden (1683-1758) was the only son of Sir John Werden (*d.* 1716, *cr.* a baronet 1672 and commissioner of the Navy) by his second wife Mary (*d.* 1683), daughter of William Osbourne of Kenniford, Devon. He married firstly in 1704 Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Breton, Esquire of Norton, Co. Northants. He married secondly Judith (*d.s.p.* 1726), daughter of John Eyre, Esquire of Maidford, Co. Northants. He married thirdly Elienor Verney (*d.s.p.*) and fourthly Susanna, daughter and coheir of John Staveley

Esquire, by whom he had an only daughter Susanna. The arms of Verney were *Azure on a cross gold five molets pierced gules*; Kerry, p. 53, quoting Sir Thomas Reeve's *Collections* gives *Gules a cross moline gold* here. [Kerry, C., *Hist. & Antiq. of the Hundred of Bray* (1861), 53; Burke, *Gen. Arm.*; Burke, *Ext. Baronet.* (1838), 560-1].

#### *Ledger Stone.*

Francis Carswell, D.D., Chaplain to Charles II and James II, Rector of Remenham, Vicar of this parish for 42 years; *d.* 1709, aged 70.

6. [Sable] a bend [gold] a label of five [silver]. CARSWELL.

[Burke, *Gen. Arm.*; *M.I.*; Kerry, C., *Hist. & Antiq. of Hundred of Bray* (1861), 54, 59].

#### *Ledger Stone.*

John Howland of Maidenhead in this parish; born at St. Albans, Hertfordshire; *d.* 1687, aged 66.

Mrs. Elizabeth Howland, his widow; *d.* 1702, aged 83.

7. [Silver] two bars [sable] in chief three lions [sable]. HOWLAND.

Impaling:

8. [Silver] a chevron [sable] between three buckets . . . PEMBERTON.

#### *Ledger Stone.*

Whit[shed Keene] Esquire, late of [Sackville Street, Lon]don, sometime [Father of the] house of Commons who [died at] Hawthorn Hill in this parish, 1822, aged 90.

9. Defaced but traces on dexter of a *lion passant*.

He gave the sum of £1,630 10s. consols as an endowment of the girls' school in Bray. [*V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 113; Kerry, C., *Hist. & Antiq. of Hundred of Bray* (1861), 55].

#### *Ledger Stone partly covered by pulpit.*

[John] Orlebar Esquire [Master of Chancery]; *d.* 1721.

[Also Elizabeth his wife] daughter of [John Whitfield of] Maidenhead, [Esquire]; *d.* 1724.

10. [Silver] two bars [gules on the upper two roses and on the lower a rose silver]. ORLEBAR.

Impaling:

11. [Silver] a bend within two cotises engrailed [sable]. WHITFIELD.

#### *Ledger Stone.*

John Whitfield, Esquire; *d.* 1727, aged 78. Mrs. Elizabeth his widow, daughter of John Howland Esquire; *d.* 1680, aged 31. Also Mrs. Mary Whitfield, last surviving daughter; *d.* 1752, aged 77.

## 12. WHITFIELD.

Impaling :

## 13. HOWLAND.

A John Whitfield was steward of the manor of Bray in 1654. The reputed manor of Ives in Bray was bought in 1649 from the Garway family by John Whitfield. A John Whitfield gave a silver plate to the chapel of Maidenhead in 1727 and in 1720 a John Whitfield endowed the chapelry with £240 and Richard Whitfield (see No. 17 below) by will proved in 1730 gave to the same chapelry £250 and charged his estate at Wheatley, Oxon., with an annuity of £6 10s. for money and clothing for four poor men and two poor women of the borough of Maidenhead. The name of John Whitfield appears in the list of those summoned to appear at the Visitation of 1665-6 thus: "Maydenhead in Bray p'ish. John Whitfield Esqr. adjourn'd till Easter Term 1665. Summoned to Reding Assises 1665-6. Mr. Turbervill saith he will enter at London." [Kerry, C., *Hist. & Antiq. of Hundred of Bray* (1861), 7, 26, 138, 178; *V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 105, 114; *Harl. Soc.*, lvii, 45].

*Ledger Stone.*

Ascanius Williams Esquire of Cannon [Hill] in this parish ;  
d. 178[9] (covered by reading desk), aged 5[9].

14. . . . a fesse . . . between two eagles' (?) heads razed . . .  
and in base a dolphin . . .

Impaling :

15. Quarterly 1 & 4. Ermine (?) a lion . . .  
16. 2 & 3. . . . on a saltire . . . a rose.

*North Aisle. Floor. Ledger Stone.*

Richard Whitfield Esquire, third son of John Whitfield,  
Esquire of Maidenhead; d. 1729, aged 73.

17. [Silver] on a bend between two cotises engrailed [sable] a  
martlet . . . in sinister chief a molet. WHITFIELD.

See No. 12 above.

*Brass shields on ledger stone.*

[Thomas Little, d. 1567].

18. Above : dexter : Per cheveron [silver] and [sable] in  
chief two fleurs-de-lys in base a  
tower triple-towered countercoloured.  
LITTLE.  
sinister : on a lozenge :  
19. Quarterly 1. Ermine on a chief  
indented [azure] three  
ducal coronets [gold].  
LYTTON.  
20. 2. [Silver] three boars'  
heads razed and erect  
[sable]. BOOTHE.

21. 3. Ermine on a cross  
[gules] five escallops  
[silver *vel* gold].  
WEYLAND.
22. 4. [Sable] on a fesse be-  
tween six acorns [gold]  
three oak leaves.  
OKE.
23. 5. . . . an eagle . . .
24. 6. . . . three catherine  
wheels . . .
25. centre : LITTLE.
26. Below : dexter : LITTLE.  
Impaling :  
As in Nos. 19-24 above.
- 27-32. sinister : LITTLE.
- 33.

Thomas Little married Elizabeth, second daughter and coheir of Sir Robert Litton, son of William Litton, Governor of Boulogne Castle, and Audry, daughter and heir of Sir Philip Booth, Kt., of Shrubland Hall, Co. Suffolk. His only daughter and heir married Edward Bacon; the latter sold the estates of the Little family in Bray to Dr. Robert Challoner for £2,000. In 1530 Robert Little purchased Masts with other lands in Bray, Fifield and Winkfield from John March (*alias* Dony) and Margaret his wife; this Robert Little conveyed the same lands in 1537 to Robert Little, Gent., and Joan his wife, and to their son Robert and his heirs. [*Harl. Soc.*, lvii, 177; Kerry, C., *Hist. & Antiq. of Hundred of Bray* (1861), 40-1; *Ashmole MSS.* 850, 306].

*West End. North Wall. Mural Marble.*

The Rev. George Augustus Legge, eleven months vicar of this parish; eldest son of the Hon. and Rev. Augustus George Legge, Lord Chancellor and Prebend of Winchester, and Honora his wife; *d.* 1826, aged 25. He married in 1825 Frances Augusta Bowyer.

34. Azure a stag's face gold in chief and a gem ring gold.  
LEGGE.  
Impaling :
35. Quarterly 1 & 4. Gold a bend vair between two cotises  
[gules] *here* azure. BOWYER.
36. 2 & 3. [Azure] three spades [silver].  
KNIPERSLEY.

*Mural Marble.*

William Turbill, formerly of Middle Temple, Gent.; *d.* 1699, aged 66. Hannah his wife, daughter of John Whitfield, Esquire of this parish; *d.* 1711, aged 66. Monument erected by his youngest and only surviving son George.

37. Checky gold and gules a fesse ermine. TURBERVILLE  
*alias* TURBILL.

## Impaling :

## 38. WHITFIELD.

He was the son of George Turberville (*d.* 1648) of Cirencester by his wife Anne, daughter of Robert Winch of Bray. [*Harl. Soc.*, lvi., 298].

*North Wall. Brass. Male figure between two female figures.*

[Sir John de Foxley, *d.* 1378].

39. On male figure : [Gules] two bars [silver]. FOXLEY.

40. On dexter female figure : FOXLEY.

Impaling :

41. [Sable] a lion (for a leopard) rampant [gold]. BROCAS.

42. On sinister female figure : FOXLEY.

Sir John de Foxley was the son of Sir Thomas de Foxley (*d.* 1360), constable of Windsor Castle, from whom he inherited the lands in Bray known as Foxleys. His mother was Katherine daughter of Sir John de Ifield. He married in about 1333 Maud daughter of Sir John Brocas of Beaurepaire, Co. Hants., by whom he had William (*d.s.p.v.p.* 1376), Katherine (who married John de Wableton) and Margaret (who married Robert Bullock); he also had a son Thomas (*d.* 1436) by Joan Martin whom he married after Maud, his first wife, had died; Thomas succeeded to the manor of Foxleys and left as his heir his daughter Elizabeth (wife of Thomas Uvedale) by his wife Margery Lytton. In 1377 Sir John had a grant of the custody of the castle of Southampton, the park at Lyndhurst and the New Forest for life at the annual rent of £130. Extracts from his will are given in Kerry, p. 105. Sir John was M.P. for Hampshire, 1364-5 and for Berkshire 1369-70. In connection with No. 42, it is to be noted that *two bars* was also the coat of Martin, but nevertheless it is not for Martin here in No. 42 because Sir John de Foxley's will especially excludes that coat. [*V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 102; Kerry, C., *Hist. & Antiq. of Hundred of Bray* (1861), 34, 101-6; *Topographer & Genealogist*, Jan. 1854, 178, quoted in MS. additions to Kerry, p. 104, *penes* (1933) John Cherry, Esquire of 3, Grays Inn Square, London, W.C.; *Ashmole MSS.* 850, 300].

*Mural Marble.*

William Paule, Kt.; *d.* 1685, aged 53.

43. Above : (Defaced but giving) Ermine a lion azure.

Impaling :

44. . . . a cheveron wavy . . . with roundles.

45. Centre : [Silver] on a cross engrailed [sable] five stars [gold]. PAULE.

He was the elder son of William Paule (*d.* 1665), Bishop of Oxford, 1663-5, and was knighted at Windsor on 6 July 1671. By his will he left an annual rent charge of £5 on his estate of Woodward's (*alias* Kember's) in Oakley "lately purchased of Thomas Page, Gent." to be paid to the minister and schoolmaster of Bray for the poor of the parish being of the church of England. In 1675 he built Braywick Grove and erected a seat in the north aisle of Bray church in 1679 for his own use and for "his new erected house at Braywick for ever." Catherine his sole daughter and heir brought the Braywick estate by marriage to Sir William Stapleton of Westminster. See also Hatford No. 2 (*Berks. Arch. Jnl.*, 36 (1932), 45).

[Kerry, C., *Hist. & Antiq. of Hundred of Bray* (1861), 82-3, 127, 179; *V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 96, 112; *Harl. Soc.*, lvii, 192-3; Bedford, W. K. R., *Blazon of Episcopacy* (1897), 98].

### Mural Marble.

Mrs. Mary Hanger, second daughter and coheir of John Hanger of this parish, Esquire; *d.* 1738-9, aged 35. Also Elizabeth, [youngest] daughter and coheir of John Hanger, Esquire; *d.* 1744-5, aged 38. Also the Rt. Hon. Ann Lady Colerane, relict of Henry Lord Colerane, eldest daughter of John Hanger, Esquire; *d.* 1754, aged 53.

46. Above: Quarterly 1 & 4. [Gules] two bars gold a chief indented [gold]. COLE-RAINE.  
2 & 3. . . . on a bend . . . three lozenges . . .  
and in pretence:  
48. Ermine a griffin rampant per fesse gold and [azure]. HANGER.  
49. Below: on a lozenge: HANGER.

John Hanger (*d.* 1733, aged 77), of Trinity Minories, merchant of London, and of Bray, was Governor of the Bank of England 1719-21; he married Mary Coles. His daughter Ann (dowry £100,000) married in 1718 Henry Hare, 3rd Baron Coleraine (*d.* 1749) from whom she separated within three years of her marriage and did not return to him; on Lord Coleraine's death "she inherited most of his property, which she left, together with Cannon End Place, her seat in Berks, to her cousin, Gabriel Hanger, the 1st Lord of the next creation. She presented the parish of Bray with a fire engine." On the death of John Hanger's second daughter Mary in 1739 "her fortune of £13,000 went to her two sisters Lady Coleraine and Elizabeth." [*Compl. Peer.*, iii, (1913), 365, 367; Kerry, C., *Hist. & Antiq. of Hundred of Bray* (1861), 45, 46; *M.I.*].

### Mural Marble.

William Norreys of Fifield in Bray, Esquire; *d.* 1591, aged 68.

50. Above: dexter: Quarterly 1 & 4. [Azure] a bend engrailed [silver] between two cotises [gold]. FORTESCUE.  
2 & 3. [Silver] fretty [sable] on a chief [silver] three red roses.  
51. sinister: Quarterly 1 & 8. Quarterly [silver] and [gules] fretty [gold] on a fesse [azure] a crescent for difference. NORREYS.  
2. [Silver] a falcon wings  
53.

54. raised [sable] on a mount. ERNEYS.  
 3. [Sable] a cross moline [gold]. MOLYNEUX.  
 55. 4. [Sable] a fret [silver] a molet gold for difference]. HARRINGTON.  
 56. 5. [Silver] a cross paty [sable].  
 57. 6. [Silver] a lion double-tailed [azure].  
 58. 7. [Azure] three bars [gold]. FOWLER.  
 a crescent in centre chief for difference.  
 59-66. Centre : As in Nos. 52-58.  
 67-73. Below : As in Nos. 52-58 without the difference.  
 Impaling :  
 74-75. As in Nos. 50-51 a crescent in centre chief for difference.

He was the son of John Norreys (*fl.* 1576), Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod to Queen Elizabeth, by his wife Mary, daughter and coheir of Henry Staverton, Esquire of Bray. He was Usher of the "parliament house," a K.G., Comptroller of Windsor Castle and Keeper of Folijohn Park. By his wife Mary, daughter of Sir Adrian Fortescue Kt., whom he married in 1548, he had issue six sons and six daughters. His father settled the manor of Bullocks in Cookham on him in 1548 and he duly succeeded in 1577; his son Sir John Norreys (*d.* 1612) settled this manor on himself in 1606 for life with remainder to his (Sir John's) sister-in-law Elizabeth and her husband Thomas Lord Erskine in tail. The arms of Erneys, Molyneux, Harrington and Fowler can be accounted for on reference to the pedigree in *MS. Ashmole, 852*, pp. 130-1, printed in *Harl. Soc.*, lvii, 184-5. [*V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 128; *Harl. Soc.*, lvii, 184-5; Kerry, C., *Hist. & Antiq. of Hundred of Bray* (1861), 127; *Ashmole MSS. 850, 304*].

#### Mural Brass.

Lady Georgiana Isabella Frances wife of Charles Pascoe Grenfell Esquire and daughter of William, 2nd Earl of Sefton; *d.* 1826. Also Charles William, their eldest son; *d.* 1861.

76. Dexter : Gules three organs gold. GREYNVILLE for GRENFELL.  
 Impaling :  
 77. Azure a cross moline gold. MOLYNEUX, Earl of Sefton.  
 78. Sinister : GRENFELL.  
 Impaling :

79. Sable a cross paty and a border gold. LASCELLES.

Charles Pascoe Grenfell (*d.* 1867) was the eldest son of Pascoe Grenfell (*d.* 1838) and he married in 1819 Lady Georgiana Isabella Frances Molyneux, eldest daughter of William, 2nd Earl of Sefton (*d.* 1831) by his wife Maria Margareta, sister of William, 1st Earl of Craven. Charles William, their eldest son, was M.P. for Sandwich 1847-52 and of Windsor; he married in 1852 Georgiana Caroline (*d.* 1911) eldest daughter of the Rt. Hon. William Sebright Lascelles, and died *v.p.* leaving issue four sons (the eldest of whom was created Viscount Desborough in 1905) and two daughters. Charles Pascoe Grenfell of Taplow Court bought the manor of Philberds in 1860 from the dean and chapter of Windsor; he also bought in 1861 the estate of Lowbrook in Bray and the reputed manor of Ockholt. He also repaired the roof of the north chapel in *c.* 1860 and set up two new corbels with his arms (see Nos. 84-5 below) and those of his parents (see No. 91 below). See Nos. 96-99 and Nos. 112-113 below. [G.E.C., *Compl. Peer.*, vii (1896), 101; Burke, *Peer.*; Kerry, C., *Hist. & Antiq. of Hundred of Bray* (1861), 89, 115; *V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 101, 104].

*East Wall. North Chapel. North and South side of window.*  
*Two carved shields.*

- 80-81. [Silver] a cheveron between three ravens' heads razed [sable]. RAVENSCROFT adopted by NORREYS.  
Supporters: Two sea-otters.

*On roof corbels.*

82. South side: 1. NORREYS (as in No. 80).  
83. 2. NORREYS.  
84. 3. GRENFELL.  
Impaling:  
85. ST. LEGER.  
86. 4. Defaced. (?NORREYS).  
87. 5. NORREYS.  
Impaling:  
88. [Azure] a cheveron between three wolves' heads razed [gold]. CHEDWORTH.  
89. North side: 6. . . . a cheveron . . .  
90. 7. NORREYS.  
91. 8. GRENFELL impaling MOLYNEUX.  
92. 9. NORREYS.  
Impaling:  
93. Quarterly 1 & 4. [Silver] three covered cups [sable]. CLIDEROW.  
94. 2 & 3. [Silver] a tower triple towered [sable]. OLDCASTLE.  
95. 10. NORREYS.



The arms (Nos. 82-95) shew that the chapel of St. Nicholas was built at the cost of John Norreys, Esquire (*d.* 1466) of Ockwells and repaired by Charles Pascoe Grenfell (*d.* 1867: see Nos. 76 and 112) in c. 1860 when two corbels carrying the wall posts of the middle tie beam were renewed and carved with the arms of Charles Pascoe Grenfell and those of his parents. John Norreys (*d.* 1466) was the son of William Norreys (of Ockwells, Kt. of the Shire *temp.* Hen. VI) by his first wife Christina, daughter and heir of William Strecche of Ruscombe, Co. Berks. He married firstly Alice Merbrooke, heiress of Yattendon, Co. Berks. and secondly Eleanor, daughter and heir of Roger Cliderow (No. 93) of Ash, Co. Kent (whose mother was Catherine, daughter and coheir of Sir John Oldcastle), and thirdly Margaret (*d.* 1495) daughter of Sir John Chedworth (No. 88) and afterwards the wife of John, Duke of Suffolk (*d.* 1486). The issue was Sir William Norreys (*d.* 1507), Kt. of Ockwells, John (High Sheriff of Berks. & Oxon., 1479-80) and Ada (who married John (*d.s.p.*), son and heir of Sir Robert Harcourt of Stanton Harcourt, Oxon. For his will see Kerry, pp. 116-120. The arms Nos. 93 and 94 are found in glass in Ockwells Manor House. The arms, No. 80, Ravenscroft, were adopted by Norreys when Sir John Norreys' great-grandfather, John of Ockwells (*fl.* 1437) married Milicent, daughter and heir of Ravenscroft of Cotton and Hardingstone, Co. Northants. [Kerry, *C., Hist. & Antiq. of Hundred of Bray* (1861), 27, 116-20; *D.N.B.*; *Arch. Cant.*, xi, 93; *Harl. Soc.*, lvi, 10; *V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, frontispiece; MS. addition to Kerry, p. 120, *penes* (1933) John Cherry, Esquire, 3, Grays Inn Square, London, W.C.]

*East Wall. Under Window. Mural Brass.*

Pascoe Grenfell, Esquire of Taplow House, Bucks.; *d.* 1838. Charlotte Grenfell, his first wife; *d.* 1790. The Hon. Georgiana, daughter of St. Leger, Viscount Doneraile, his second wife; *d.* 1818. Erected by Charles Pascoe Grenfell, Esquire, M.P. of Taplow Court, Bucks., 1862.

96. Dexter: GRENFELL.

Impaling:

97. GRENFELL.

98. Sinister: GRENFELL.

Impaling:

99. [Azure] fretty [silver] a chief gold. ST. LEGER, Viscount Doneraile.

See Nos. 76-79 above. He was the eldest son of Pascoe Grenfell (*d.* 1810) of Marazion, Cornwall, Consul of the States of Holland, by his wife Mary, daughter of William Tremeneere. He was M.P. of Marlow and subsequently of Penrhyn and married firstly in 1786 his cousin Charlotte Grenfell by whom he had issue two sons and one daughter, the second son being Charles Pascoe (*d.* 1867: see No. 112 below). He married secondly in 1798 the Hon. Georgiana St. Leger, youngest daughter of 1st Viscount Doneraile, by whom he had issue two sons and ten daughters. He bought the manor of Bray from the Crown in 1818 and the so-called manor of Shoppenhanger in 1801 from Sir Adam Gordon. [Burke, *Peer.*; *V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 100, 106; Kerry, *C., Hist. & Antiq. of Hundred of Bray* (1861), 113].

*South Wall. Facing North. Carved in stone, part of tomb, c. 1570.*

100. Quarterly 1. [Gold] a lion passant and three piles in chief [sable]. LOGGINS.  
 101. 2. . . . a greyhound running . . . a border engrailed. . . .  
 102. 3. [Silver] a cheveron between three maunches [vert]. STAVERTON.  
 103. 4. . . . three wheels . . . a border engrailed . . .

Humphrey Staverton, who was in possession of the manor of Strode in Bray, died in 1524 leaving two daughters, Anne, wife of Thomas More, and Eleanor, who married Robert Loggins and eventually became heir of Strode. This shield must represent one of the Loggins descendants probably Simon who was in possession of the manor of Strode in 1560. [Kerry, C., *Hist. & Antiq. of Hundred of Bray* (1861), 49, 97; *V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 106; *Harl. Soc.*, lvi, 40, 107].

*North Aisle. South Wall. Mural Marble.*

Inscription illegible from below. Probably Anne, wife of William Innes Pocock, Lieut., R.N., only daughter of Thomas Wilson, Esquire of Ives Place, and Mary his wife; *d.* 1825, aged 22.

104. Quarterly 1 & 4. Checky [ermine] and [gules] a leopard rampant [gold] a border engrailed gold. POCKOCK.  
 105. 2 & 3. [Silver] three stars and a border engrailed azure. INNES.

and in pretence :

106. Sable a wolf rampant [gold] and in chief three stars gold in centre chief a crescent for difference. WILSON.

See Nos. 107-110 below.

*Mural Marble.*

William Innes Pocock Esquire, Lieut., R.N., formerly of Ives Place; *d.* at Reading 1836, aged 52. He married secondly Elizabeth Anne, only daughter of Richard Pearson, M.D., F.S.A., by whom he had one son who with three daughters by his first wife survive him.

107. Quarterly 1 & 2. POCKOCK.  
 108. 2 & 3. INNES.

Impaling per fesse :

109. (1) WILSON.  
 110. (2) Silver a cheveron sable ermined silver between three leaves vert. PEARSON.

Sometime after 1794 the estate of Ives in Bray passed to Thomas Wilson who was living there in 1810; his only son Thomas died in 1824 and after his death in 1829 Ives passed to his son-in-law William Innes Pocock who sold it in 1830. See also Cookham

Nos. 15 and 16 (p. 51) and Nos. 44-6 (p. 56) *Berks. Arch. Jnl.*, XLI (1937). [*V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 106; Burke, *Gen. Arm.*; Papw., *Ord.*, 697].

*Sanctuary. North Wall. Canopied mural monument with male and female half figures.*

William Goddard Esquire and Joyce Maunsell his wife, of Philliberts in this parish. He *d.* 1609. She *d.* 1622. He founded Jesus Hospital. He was a citizen of London and of the Fishmongers' Guild.

111. Gules and eagle gold and a chief vair. GODDARD.

In 1608 he bought from William Hyde Lordsland Farm which he devised with other property in London and Bray under his will on the Fishmongers' Company for the support of Jesus Hospital which he founded in Bray. The hospital was erected by 1628 for six aged poor persons of the Fishmongers' Company and for thirty-four aged poor of Bray. In about 1597 he was living at the manor house of Philiberts and in 1597 he bought Moores farm adjoining from Thomas Lawrence of Bray for £1,000. [Kerry, C., *Hist. & Antiq. of Hundred of Bray* (1861), 74-6, 89; *V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 101, 111; *Ashmole MSS.* 850, 296].

*South Wall. Mural Brass.*

Charles Pascoe Grenfell, Esquire of Taplow Court; *d.* 1867.

Window erected by his daughter Louisa Grenfell.

112. (Hatched). GRENFELL.

Impaling:

113. MOLYNEUX, Earl of Sefton.

See Nos. 76-79 and 96-99 above.

*South Chapel. North Wall. Mural Brass and Stone.*

[John Rixman, Gent.; *d.* at Maidenhead, 1620, aged 66.

Mary, his wife, erected monument in 1621].

114. Centre: Azure on a cheveron between three greyhounds' heads silver collared gold 1azed three roundles gules. RIXMAN.

115. Dexter: RIXMAN.

116. Sinister: RIXMAN.

Impaling:

117. Gules a ring gold and a border sable charged with eight stars gold and on a canton ermine a lion sable. WHITE.

He matriculated from St. John's College, Oxford, December 20, 1575 ("... pleb. f. ...") and eventually became a Fellow of the College and by his will he bequeathed £100 for the best use of the College. He married Mary, daughter of Geoffry White, mercer. His widow left money arising from property in Bray near Boyn Hill for the poor of Bray and for apprenticing boys. [Kerry, C., *Hist. & Antiq. of Hundred of Bray* (1861), 31, 38, 182; Wood, A., *Hist. & Antiq. of Colls. & Halls in Univ. of Oxford* (Ed. Gutch, 1786),

539; *V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 113; Morley, H. T., *Hist. of Church of St. Michael, Bray* (1930); *Oxf. Hist. Soc.* (1887), Pt. 2, 69; *Ashmole MSS.* 850, 296].

*South Wall. Mural Brass.*

William Smithe, *d.* 1594, aged 84.

118. (Tinctures repainted) Sable a ring silver and a border engrailed gold (?) on a chief gold (?) a mace horizontal [gold].  
SMITHE.

According to the inscription he held office as gentleman at arms under Queen Elizabeth and Queen Mary. [*Ashmole MSS.* 850, 301].

*Mural Brass.*

William Laken, Justice of the King's Bench, son of Richard Laken, Kt.; *d.* 1475. Sybella his wife, daughter and coheir of John Syferwast, lord of Clewer.

119. Quarterly per fesse indented ermine and [azure]. LAKEN.

Extracts from his will are given in Kerry's *History and Antiquities of the Hundred of Bray* (1861), p. 33. [Papw., *Ord.*, 1036; *Ashmole MSS.* 850, 298].

*South Aisle. South Wall. Mural Marble.*

Symon Beckley of London, Gent.; *d.* 1723, aged 63. Also Humphrey his only son; *d.* 1722, aged 34. Monument erected by his relict [Elizabeth, *d.* 1726, aged 64].

120. Quarterly 1 & 4. . . . a cheveron double battled . . . between three eagles' heads . . .  
121. 2 & 3. Azure (?sable) a cheveron between three crosslets fitchy gold a border engrailed gold.

Simon Beckley, gent., of Fifield in Bray disclaimed at the Visitation of 1665-6. [*Harl. Soc.*, lvii, 3, 44].

*Mural Marble.*

Henry Kemble, Esquire of Grove Hill, Camberwell, Co. Surrey; *d.* 1857, aged 69. Edward Kemble Esquire, his last surviving brother. Also the infant son and only child of Henry Kemble Esquire. Also Rachel Dobree Kemble, wife of the above Henry Kemble; *d.* 1885, aged 84.

122. (Hatched) Azure on a bend ermine three leopards' faces (?azure). KEMBLE.

Impaling:

123. Quarterly 1 & 4. . . . a fesse (hatched) sable.  
124. 2 & 3. (Hatched) Gules three crescents . . . and a border . . . with roundles . . . thereon.

*Over South Door. Carved in wood.*

125. Royal Stewart Arms.

*Mural Marble.*

Mrs. Elizabeth Gordon, *d.* 1788, aged 66. Her younger son, E. C. Gordon. Monument erected by her eldest surviving son, the Rev. Sir Adam Gordon, Bt.

On a lozenge: (Defaced but giving):

126. Azure three boars' heads razed gold. GORDON.

Impaling:

127. Party gules and azure.

Sir Adam Gordon bought the so-called manor of Shoppenhanger in Bray in 1799 and sold it in 1801 to Pascoe Grenfell. [*V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 106; *G.E.C., Compl. Barts.*, iv, 423].

*Mural Marble.*

Edmond Whitfield, S.T.B., Fellow of Queen's College, Cambridge and Fellow of Eton; *d.* 1693, aged 44.

128. WHITFIELD, in sinister chief a crescent sable.

See No. 12 above.

*Churchyard. South of Church. Table Tomb.*

John Micklem; 1732.

129. Fretty . . . and . . . a fesse . . .

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## JESUS CHAPEL, BRAY.

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*South Window. Glass.*

1. Gold a cheveron gules between three cinquefoils azure on a chief gules a leopard silver. COOKE.

Thomas Cooke by will 1810 created a trust fund of £5,900 consols for the benefit of Jesus Hospital "the dividends thereof weekly for ever for the benefit and relief of the 34 parishionary alms-people for the time being residing in Jesus' Hospital, by increasing the pensions and allowance of the said almspeople in equal shares and proportions." [*V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 111; Kerry, C., *Hist. & Antiq. of Hundred of Bray* (1861), 77; Papw., *Ord.*, 472].

*West Window. Glass.*

2. Above: Azure three dolphins swimming in pale crowned between two pairs of lucies in saltire over the nose of each lucy a crown gold, on a chief gules three pairs of keys in saltire gold. FISHMONGERS' COMPANY.
3. Below: Gules an eagle gold a chief vair. GODDARD.

See No. 111, Bray on p. 11

*North Window. Glass.*

4. Ermine on a bend sable three crescents silver. HIBBERT.  
Impaling :
5. Silver a cross quarter pierced azure between four quatrefoils  
gules on the centre of the cross a mill rind sable. TURNER.

In 1857 John Hibbert, Esquire of Braywick Lodge in Bray, gave £1,000 to the funds of Jesus Hospital "on condition that the married parishionary almspeople should receive an extra weekly allowance of 2s." A second donation of £1,000 was given by J. Hibbert, Esquire, in 1860 for the benefit of the 34 parishionary almsmen. He was born in 1811, the son of John Hibbert (*d.* 1855, aged 87) and married in 1836, Charlotte Elizabeth, daughter of Lieut.-Gen. Charles Turner, Colonel of the 19th Rgt. [*V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 111; Kerry, C., *Hist. & Antiq. of Hundred of Bray* (1861), 77; Papw., *Ord.*, 233; *Land. Gent.* (1879), i, 782].

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 BRAYWOOD.
 

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*South Churchyard. Table Tomb.*

Jean Sylvain Van de Weyer, *d.* in London 1874, aged 72.  
Carved in stone :

1. East : Dexter : . . . three fleurs-de-lys . . . and a label  
of three . . . VAN DE WEYER.  
and in pretence :
2. . . . on a fesse . . . between three cinque-  
foils . . . three fleurs-de-lys . . . BATES.
3. Sinister : VAN DE WEYER.

He was the son of Josse Alexandre Van de Weyer by his wife Martine Gouban and was born in London in 1802. He was a member of the Provisional Government and Congress of Belgium, 1830; Minister of Foreign Affairs 1831, and a Deputy to offer the crown of Belgium to H.R.H. Prince Leopold of Saxe-Coburg Gotha, 1831; Minister of Home Department, 1845-6; Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary at the Court of St. James, 1831-71; Minister of State, 1871-4; Member of the Royal Academy of Science and Literature, Belgium. In 1839 he married Elizabeth Anne (*d.* 1878), only child of Joshua Bates, Esquire of Sheen House, Surrey, and Winkfield Place, Berks., by his wife Lucretia Augusta, daughter of Samuel Sturgis, Esquire of Boston, U.S.A., and had, with other issue, a son Victor William Bates (1839-1915). The church was built in 1866 at the cost of Madame Van de Weyer. [*V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 110; Burke, *Land. Gent.* (1925), 1798; *M.I.*].

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 MAIDENHEAD ST. ANDREW.
 

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*West End. Mural Marble.*

George Vansittart of Bisham Abbey, Esquire, High Steward of this Town for 31 years; *d.* 1825, aged 82.

1. Ermine an eagle sable on a chief gules a crown between two crosses formy silver. VANSITTART.

He married in 1767 Sarah (*d.* 1819) daughter of Rev. Sir James Stonehouse, Bt. by Ann, daughter and coheir of John Neale of Allesley, by whom he had issue five sons and three daughters. The following note appears in *A history of Maidenhead* (1919) by J. W. Walker, on p. 72 "George Vansittart, sixth son of Arthur Vansittart of Shottesbrook, was born 15th September 1745. His earlier life was spent in India in the service of the East India Company, being employed partly in administration and partly in commerce. He is said to have been a good man of business and an accomplished linguist. He became a member of the Supreme Council of Bengal and was a friend and supporter of Warren Hastings. Returning to England, he purchased the Bisham Abbey estate in 1780, and for twenty-eight years represented Berkshire in Parliament. He died 24th January 1825 and an entry in the Corporation Minutes testifies to the great respect in which he was held locally. . . ." For other biographical notes see: O'Byrne, R. H., *Biograph & Geaneal. notices of M.Ps.* (1848), Pt. 2., Berks., 216-7. [Burke, *Land. Gent.*].

#### *Plaster Achievements.*

2. South: Royal Arms, after 1801.
3. North: Royal Arms, Queen Anne.

#### *North Wall. Mural Marble.*

(Inscription partly illegible). Robert Bever, Attorney of the . . . of Westminster, Mayor of this Corporation; *d.* 1723, aged 63. Monument erected by Robert Bever his only son.

4. Azure a catherine wheel gold (for BEVER). Within the wheel a shield of silver with three roundles gules a chief gold and a label azure.

Impaling:

5. Silver three roundles and a chief gules a label azure. TRISTRAM.

Mr. Frederick Turner, of Mortimer, Berks., has kindly supplied the following note:—"Robert Bever was baptised at Stratfield Mortimer, 14 August, 1660. In the Vicar General's Allegations for Marriage Licences in 1692 we have 'Robert Bever of Maidenhead, Berks. & Mrs. Mary Tristram of New Windsor, spinster, about 16, at her own disposal, parent dead, no guardian, attested by Thomas Bever of St. Dunstan's in the West, stationer.' The marriage took place at St. Giles' in the fields. Mary seems to have had property in Windsor. The Thomas of the marriage licence was Robert's brother. Robert seems to have been a bit of a spendthrift in early years. He was the eldest son, and borrowed money on Bever House, Mortimer, of Richard Warman of Barnet, and borrowed money from his brother Thomas, until the total amounted to £800. In 1703 Thomas paid off the mortgage and gave Robert a further £500 and took over Bever House. According to the agreement which preceded the conveyance, Robert retained the great copper in the brewhouse and other 'standards' which he might sell or remove at pleasure. Robert died in 1723 and was buried at Stratfield Mortimer, August 3rd. in that year. Query was he buried at

Maidenhead and afterwards removed to Stratfield Mortimer?  
Robert and Mary had a numerous family." [Burke, *Gen. Arm.*;  
Papw., *Ord.*, 1121].

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MAIDENHEAD ST. LUKE.

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*North Chapel. East Window. Glass.*

Henry George Jephson Meade, M.A., Hon. Canon of Oxford.  
Vicar, 1890-1914.

1. Gules three towers silver on a chief azure three fleurs-de-lys gold.