## FROM THE PASSAGE-BOOK OF THE EXTRACTS PORT OF RYE, 1635-6.

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Notwithstanding repeated allusions to the importance of Rye, as a port of communication with France, down to the time of Charles II., which are to be found in our notices of events and persons, it seems difficult for us now to realize the fact.

It is not in our day credited that the shortest land journey between the capitals of France and England, in times when travelling was difficult, should have been thought of more importance than a lengthened sea voyage from Rye to Dieppe. My friend Mr. John Bruce has, however, recently directed my attention to evidence on this point; it is well worthy of preservation among our Collections, and I therefore present to our readers a transcript of so much of the Passage Book of Rye<sup>1</sup> as relates to the period between 1st August. 1635, and 29th March following.

The persons, who thus travelled, include all the varieties of people of note and in trade, who at that period personally visited Paris for business or pleasure.

Many are the merchants of London, Plymouth, Norwich. Hull, Bristol, Rye, and Lewes, who went-some more than once-in the eight months, from this country. There are also Scotch and Irish merchants, who pursued their callings among the French, as did also the woollen merchants of Exeter and Barnstaple.

The scapegraces of some families visited Paris for its gaiety, and here we find Edward Noy, the son of the Attorney General, who had died at Tunbridge Wells, in August, 1634. leaving the residue of his estate to this son "to be squandered as he shall think fit; I leave it to him for that purpose, and I hope no better of him;<sup>2</sup> with his governor, John Bartar."

1636.

<sup>1</sup> State papers, Domestic. 4th April, from the arrant rake he "became a fine <sup>36.</sup> gentleman," but within two years he <sup>2</sup> Steele in the *Tatler*, No. 9 says that At the same time there went the wayward and erratic son of Sir Edmund Verney, of whom we find interesting notices in the Verney papers, edited for the Camden Society (1853— No. 56) by Mr. Bruce. Verney had visited Virginia, and had volunteered into the sea service in 1635, and now, after his release from the Marshalsea, he was entering the popular, though as it proved, disastrous, service of France.<sup>3</sup> Connected with that service we have other names, Robert Adamson, Secretary of George Lord Gordon,<sup>4</sup> Col. George Synnet,<sup>5</sup> and his Lieut. Robert Gray; and Percy, son of Sir Gilbert Slingsby, of Scriven; with English soldiers from Norwich and other places.

Grave travellers, like Sir Kenelm Digby, who, after this visit to France was reconciled to the church of Rome. and John Greaves, the learned professor of astronomy at Oxford, and author of the Description of the Pyramids and of the Persian grammar, are in the list; and young men of good families starting on their grand tour, such as the sons of the Earl of Cork; Sir Henry Newton of Charlton; and William, third son of Sir James Oxenden, of Wingham, Kent; Thomas Chaloner, of Guisborough; Thomas Quarles, son of Sir George Quarles, of Enderby, going perhaps to his relative John Quarles (who was the King's agent at the Hague, and had married a daughter of the Burgomaster of Rotterdam); Herbert Springate, of the Broyle; and James Mouatt, the tutor and travelling companion of his subsequent brother-in-law, William Campion of Combwell. From this return it appears that James Mouatt, whose letter was printed in our Sussex Arch: Collections,<sup>6</sup> like many other tutors at this period, was a Scotchman. The fashion of having tutors from North Britain in the principal English families followed the accession of James I. to the crown of England, but the same fashion existed in the royal family and nobility of France, owing, probably, to the sympathy for Mary Queen of Scots; and it continued in France down to the middle of the last century.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Crowe, vol. iii., p. 513.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Afterwards 2nd Marquess of Huntley: he had a company of gens d'armes in the service of the King of France— *Douglas*, p. 652.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> He was Coll. of a regiment of foot, in the like service *Cal: Domestic*, p. 591. <sup>6</sup> Danny papers, vol. x., p. 3.

Foote, in his farce of the "Englishman returned from Paris" (1757), draws no enviable character of one such tutor in *Macruthen*, and makes *Crab* speak of the class in very uncomplementary terms.

The Scotch, who were visiting France when this return was made, are very noticeable. Lord Erskine, the second title of the Earldom of Mar (the Earl, John, being then treasurer of Scotland), and four attendants, and James Murray, Lord and Viscount Annan, with his six attendants, were there.

The Earl of Arundel, Lord Berkeley, and the son of Lord North were likewise in Paris at this time.

Among the officials are Sir Henry Hungate, Knight of the King's Chamber, and Thomas Croftes, one of his Majesty's servants, who had come to England in July, 1635, bearing a strong letter of recommendation from Elizabeth, Queen of Bohemia, to Archbishop Laud, for employment in the education of the King's son;<sup>7</sup> and Wm. Flamville, servant of the Queen.

There was also Sir Francis Crane, Knight, Chancellor of the Order of the Garter, who (as appears in the French State papers), underwent the operation of lithotomy at Paris,  $\frac{18}{28}$  April, 1636, and died on  $\frac{J_{\rm une} 27}{J_{\rm uly} 7}$  following.

Hearty and staunch, and in after times tried loyalists, are travelling to or living in France: William Killigrew, the Commander of the Horse that guarded Charles's person, and Capt. Edward Stradling, of the "Swallow,"<sup>8</sup> who in July, 1642, was guarding the Irish coast, and when the fleet had gone over to the Earl of Warwick and the Parliament, refused to give up his ship. Clarendon says the men "quickly disposed of two other honest captains, Kettleby and Stradlin (whom they could not corrupt)" and got their ships into the service of the Parliament; in fact, when the captains endeavoured to bring off their ships to the King "they were seized by the seamen and kept prisoners till they could be sent to land."<sup>9</sup>

Two names of English painters appear, of whom I can find no mention elsewhere — Thomas Musgrove, and Thomas

7 Cal: of State Papers, Domestic, p. 207. 8 He was one of the Captains of the ships in the narrow seas. In 1632 he commanded the tenth Lion's Whelp in the Downs; on 13 March, 1633-4, he

was appointed to the first Lion's Whelp, and 30th of March, 1635, to the Swallow.

<sup>9</sup> Clarendon, Book V., pp. 114 and 591 (Oxford Ed.)

Brooker; nor has Mr. Samuel Redgrave, who has been for many years collecting materials relating to English artists, any note of them. That English painters were at this time of sufficient repute to be employed on commissions abroad is evidenced by the fact that Belcamp was sent over by Charles I. to paint Louis XI., whose picture is now at Hampton Court, and Anne of Austria. Probably, as Mr. Bruce suggests, Musgrove and Brooker were of that class of artists whose works we are in the habit of setting down to greater men, whom they assisted and served, and whose style they imitated.

March 29° 1636.—An Abstract taken out of y<sup>e</sup> Register Booke of Passage at Rye aforesaid, By comandment of y<sup>e</sup> Right Honorable Our Lord Warden of all his Ma<sup>ts</sup> subjects, of English, Scotish, and Irish that have passed from thence to Diep in France, and of the severall qualities of such persons, and by what warrant they passed as followeth, viz<sup>t</sup>.

*Passed to Diep ye 1st of Aug. last*, 1635.—Wm. Martin, a poore English soldier, aged 50 years; Mallachie Duddenie, aged 22 yeres, servant to a marchant of Exeter, per warrant of Comissioners of passag at Rye.

To Diep the 9° August—Reignald Mone, of Dedsham <sup>10</sup> in Sussex, aged 32 yeres, sworne and examined per Mr. Maior and the other Comissioners and permitted to pass by their warrant, who retourned againe the 9 of September following with y<sup>e</sup> Lord Mones son.

Samuell Clarke, English marchant of Exeter, per like warrant.

Charles Thomas, servant to Capt. Stradling, per like warrant

Andrew Ricard, of London, per warrantes of y<sup>e</sup> Lordes dated the last of July, 1635, the copie whereof remaineth in y<sup>e</sup> Register Book of Passag at Rye.

John Wells, english marchant of London, and William Bevin, English merchant of Bristow, per warrant at Rye.

To Diep the 20 August.—Sir Henry Newton, Baronet<sup>11</sup> of \_\_\_\_\_, in Kent. John Archer, of Tamworth, esquire. James Newton, gentleman All 3 per his Ma<sup>ts</sup> licence sealed with the signet, and dated the last of July, 1635, the copie whereof is kept in the Register booke of passage at Rye; with them went over Richard Juice, Alexander Coningham, and John Coningham, their attendantes.

Thomas Challoner,<sup>12</sup> Esq<sup>r</sup>., by warrant of y<sup>e</sup> Lordes, dated 30 July last, and is copied in the Register Booke, at Rye, by the clark of y<sup>e</sup> passage.

John Greaves,  $^{13}$  Master of Arts, of Oxford, per warrant of y<sup>e</sup> Lordes, dated y<sup>e</sup> last of July, and is so copied.

To Diep ye 20 August.—Henry Lord Morley and Monteagle <sup>14</sup> per his Ma<sup>ts</sup> licence, dated 16 May, 1635, and is so copied, and with him Francis Godfreis, Esq., Maurice Evans, John Brett, and Thomas Watkins, his four attendantes by y<sup>e</sup> same warrant.

<sup>10</sup> In Slinfold, which then belonged to the Blounts.

<sup>11</sup> Of Charlton, Kent, son of Sir Adam Newton, tutor to Prince Henry. He had also property in Warwickshire.

<sup>12</sup> Third son of Sir Thomas Chaloner, of Guisborough, Yorkshire, also tutor to Prince Henry. This son was afterwards M.P. for Richmond, 1640, and Scarborough, 1658-9. He sat on the trial of Charles I.

<sup>13</sup> The learned traveller.

<sup>14</sup> Henry Parker, 12th Lord Morley. His father, who discovered the gunpowder plot, had been summoned to Parliament, *v.p.* as Lord Monteagle in right of his father's mother. To Diep the 28 August.-Wm. Humble, English merchant of Pope's Head alley, in London.

Wm. Bow, English merchant, of St. Swithin's Lane, in London

Phillip Feild, Irish marchant, of Limbrick, sworne and examined, per Mr. Maior John Trussell, English marchant, of Paternoster-row, in London.

Harrington Drayton, English marchant, of London.

John Crayford, Andrew Fergison, Patrick Stanley, and Robert Worsall, 4 Scots shoemakers, examined and sworne, per warrant of y<sup>e</sup> comissioners of passage, at Rye.

Robert Adamson, Esq., secretary of  $y^e$  Lord Gordon and Alexander Chreighton, Scots gentleman, per licence from the Lordes dated  $y^e$  last of July, 1635, and is so copied.

To Diep the 5 September.--Titus Wesbie, English marchant, of Paul's church yard, in London per warrant of Mr. Maior and y<sup>e</sup> comissioners of passage at Rye.

To Diep the 20 September.—Sir Kenelme Digbie, K<sup>t</sup>, per his Majesty's licence, dated y<sup>e</sup> 11<sup>th</sup> Aprill, 1635, and is copied.

John Skelton, English gentleman, Canadin Goodman, Stephen Marke, his attendants per the said licence.

S<sup>r</sup> Henry Hungate,<sup>15</sup> K<sup>t</sup>, one of y<sup>e</sup> gentlemen of his Ma<sup>ts</sup> Chamber per warr<sup>t</sup> of y<sup>e</sup> Lordes, dated the 6 of September, 1635, and is also copied in y<sup>e</sup> Register at Rye, and Jenkyn Morgan, Alexander Johnson, his attendantes by y<sup>e</sup> said warrant.

To Diep 20 Sept. more.-Willm. Montith, Scots marchant of Edinborough.

Willm, Stuard, Scots marchant of St. John's town,

Nicholas Brown, Scots marchant of Edinborough.

Edward Hallam, English marchant of Evesham.

William Hacker, English marchant of London.

Richard Webb, English marchant of London, per warrant of y<sup>e</sup> Maior and other comissioners of passage at Rye.

To Diep the 23 September.—Robert Blinkhorne, English servant to Mr. Williams, \* who past here lately per y<sup>o</sup> Lordes warrant.

William Buly, English marchant of Crouched Friars, in London.

Samuell Patteson, English marchant of Seeding Lane, in London.

John Langley, English marchant, of Mincinge Lane, in London.

Ralph Allen, English marchant of Mincinge Lane, in London.

William Rowden, son to Mr. Rowden, marchant of London, aged 15 years, who brought with him a warrant y<sup>e</sup> Comissioners at London had given him.

George Gosling,<sup>16</sup> English marchant of London, per warrant of the comissioners of passage at Rye.

To Diep the 26 September—Edward Noye,<sup>17</sup> gentleman, per his Ma<sup>ts</sup> letters of safe conduct dated 22 Sept, 1635, and is copied in the Register booke at Rye per the Clark of y<sup>e</sup> passage, and with him John Bartar and Francis Chandler his attendantes by the said licence or safe conduct.

Christopher Barnes, English marchant of London.

Thomas Croftes, English marchant of London.

John Bowes, English marchant of Hull.

Edward Estman, English marchant of Barnstaple.

Ralph Michaell, English marchant of Norwich.

<sup>15</sup> Knighted at Royston, 20 April, 1619. Nichols' Prog., Died 1648.

<sup>16</sup> The Goslings are still Bankers in London. He went again in the following March.

<sup>17</sup> Son of William Noye, Attorney General. The Gilberts of Eastbourne are descended from his brother, Humphrey Noye, through his daughter and heiress, Catherine.

To Diep 2 October, 1635-John Gooch, English gentleman of Oxford, per warrant of ye Lordes, and is so copied into the Register booke, and one servant with him.

Herbert Springat,<sup>18</sup> Esq, of Sussex, per licence of y<sup>e</sup> Lordes, and is so copied as aforesaid. John Horsmonden his servant per said warrant.

James Mouat, Scots servant to Sr William Campion of Combwell.<sup>19</sup> per warrant of Mr. Maior and Comisioners.

To Diep the 18 October-Sir Thomas Wortley, 20 Knt., per warrant of ye Lordes dated the 14th October last, and is copied into ye Register Booke of passage, and Richard Wilson, English his servant.

John Pont, English marchant of Canterbury.

John Roberts, English marchant of London.

Robert Seaman. English marchant of London, per warrant of Mr. Maior and other Comissioners of ye passage at Rye.

William Dick, Scots marchant of Edinborow.

John Forbes, Scots marchant of Edinborow.

Jeery Gray, English soldier of Meuppam in Kent, per the like warrant.

To Diep the 24 October-Thomas Quarles, of Enderby,<sup>21</sup> Esq., per licence of ye Lordes dated the 22 Aprill last, 1635, and is copied in ye Register at Rye.

Christopher Nethersoll, English marchant of London.

Michaell Gatewood, English marchant of London, and John Godwin, English his servant of Stoneham in Suffolk

Thomas Hallows, English marchant of Caning Street in London, per warr<sup>t</sup> of Mr. Maior and other of the Comissioners of passage at Rye.

To Diep the 3 of November-The Lord Erskine of Scotland, per his Majesties licence dated ye 27 October last, the which is copied into the Register Booke of Passage at Rye, and with him Laurence Rollock, Esq., John Haldan, Gentleman, Christopher Sanders, gent., Walter Sterlinge, his attendantes by the said licence.

Henry Lawrence, Esq., per warrant of ye Lordes dated ye 12 Aprill last, and is so copied. Ralph Blackbeard and John -----, his servantes by ye said warrant.

William Strond, servant to Mr. Ashe, Draper in Caning Street in London. Thomas Davies, English marchant of Bristow.

Richard Chalkhill, English merchant of Cornhill in London, per warrant of the Comissioners at Rye.

To Diep ye 14 November-John Maninge, English marchant of London.

Samuell Browne, Bookseller of London.

David Jeffery, Willm Keith, Andrew Burnett, and John Crokset, 4 Scots, shipwrackt upon the Goodwin Sands.

John Lambert, Irish marchant of Bauly ner to Cork, sworne per warrant of ye Maior and other Comissioners of Passage at Rye.

To Diep ye 18 November-Henry Winwood, Esqre, per his Majesty's licence dated the - of Nov., 1635, and for one servant to attend him, which licence is copied into ye Register at Rye.

Mr. Anthony Fane, <sup>22</sup> and his Brother George Fane, Esquires, per his Majesties licence dated the 4 of November last, which is copied into ye Register of Passage at Rye. Willm. Spencer and Thom. Williams, per the said licence.

Thomas Gray, Scots marchant of Aberdin.

<sup>18</sup> Eldest son of Sir Thomas S., of Broyle Place.

<sup>19</sup> His son William, of whose travels abroad in 1633 notice has been taken in Suss. Arch. Coll., Vol. X., pp. 2, 3, was probably again abroad. 20 Of Wortley, co. York.

<sup>21</sup> Leicestershire. Sir George Quarles owned the manor. *Nichols' Leicester*shire, iv., p. 158.

22 Of Briston, Kent?

John Gooch, English marchant of Bristow, per warrant of y<sup>e</sup> Maior and Comissioners at Rye.

To Diep ye 19 November - Thomas Sperpoint servant to ye Earle of Holland. 23

Richard Cranley, English marchant of London.

John Farrin, English marchant of Milk Street in London, per warrant of y<sup>e</sup> Maior and Comissioners at Rye.

*To Diep ye* 26 *November*—Daniell Codgill, Scots marchant living in Marseiles, per warrant of y<sup>e</sup> Comissioners at Rye.

John Basford, English Gentleman, per warrant of Mr. Secretary Coke, which is copied.

John Leslie, Scots marchant of Aberdin.

Thomas Bacon, English marchant of Leadenhall Street, London, per warrant of y<sup>e</sup> Maior and Comissioners of passage at Rye.

To Diep the 3 December—Alice Moore, an English servant maid, that past with hir M<sup>rs</sup>, a french gentlewoman, who passed per his Ma<sup>ts</sup> licence dated 11 yere of his Ma<sup>ts</sup> Reigne, and is copied.

To Diep ye 16 December—Anthony Welden, English soldier of Norflet in Kent, and William During, his servant was sworne and permitted to pass by Mr. Maior and most of ye Comissioners of passage at Rye by their warrant, and Jonas Phillips servant to Mr. Howard, English marchant, per like warrant.

Thomas Lucas, English marchant of Lewes, per the like warrant.

To Diep the 19th December—John Wanke, English servant to Mr Noye, past heere before Joan Bartar, governor to Mr Noye, who had a warrant at y<sup>e</sup> Custom house at London, which is upon the file at Rye which testified their licence.

Thomas Reignolds, English taylor of Wolverley, aged 23 y<sup>rs</sup>, per warrant of Mr Maior and other the Comissioners at Rye.

To Diep ye 6th day of January [1635-6]-John Wakeman, English marchant of Gret Yarmouth in Norfolk.

George England, English marchant of ye said Yermouth.

Percy Slingsbie, 24 English soldier, 3 son to Sr Gilbert [Guildford?] decesed.

Harington Drayton, English merchant of London.

Alexander Burnett, Scots marchant of Aberdin.

Nicholas Stephens, son to Thomas Stephens, marchant of London, per warrant of Mr Maior and other Comissioners of passage at Rye.

To Diep the 8 January-Mr James Arnold, Scots merchant of Edinborg.

John Arnold, his son, marchant.

Charles Arnold, his cousin, marchant.

Alexander Sample, Scots marchant of Edinborg.

George Lister, servant to Mr Arnold.

Walter Wisely, marchant of Dublin.

Wm. Atkinsoll, English horskeper, pore.

Thomas Amy, English marchant of Exceter.

Wm. Carr, Scots servant to a French gentleman.

John Carr, his cousin, a pore Scotes taylor, per warrant of y<sup>e</sup> Maior and other of the Comissioners of passage at Rye.

To Diep ye 2 of February-Thomas Varney 25 Esqre per licence of the Lordes

<sup>23</sup> Henry Rich, created Earl of Holland, 1624.

land, 1624. <sup>24</sup> The brother of Sir G. Slingsby married Elizabeth, d. of Stephen Boorde, of Boorde's-hill, Sussex. Percy was the third of Sir G's eight sons, and was named after his grandmother, Mary, p. of Sir Thomas Percy. <sup>25</sup> Second son of Sir Edmund V., of Middle Claydon. Sir Edmund V. had been appointed Knight Marshall of the palace in February, 1626, and his servant Markhall was an attendant on his son Thomas. dated the 13 Dec. last, which is copied. Willm. Steward and Michaell Sharman his servants, by the said licence.

John Campion, English merchant, late servant to Mr. Allen, marchant of London. Phillip Roche, Irish foteman to the Earle of Bedford.

Thomas Markhall, English servant to Sir Edmund Varney, Knight Marshall. Symon Hake, English marchant, servant to Jonas de Pester of London.

Robert Isack, English pomp-maker of Tower hill, aged 26 yeres, since returned. Carmo Gouran and Brian Divelling, 2 pore Irish beggers, 1 soldier of them.

Wm. Reve, English servant to Mr Croftes, his Majesty's servant now at Paris. Edward Rawley, servant to Mr Killegrew, English gentleman now at Paris.

Edward Rogers, English taylor of London, aged 24 yeres, sworn

Anthony Hubbard, English taylor of Holborne, aged 23 yeres, sworn per warrant of y<sup>e</sup> Maior and other Comissioners of passage at Rye.

To Diep the 2 February—Collonel George Synnett, his wife and two children, three men servants, a maid servant and a boy, per licence of the Lordes which is copied into the Register Booke dated 23 Dec 1635.

Robert Gray, Lieutenant to Collonel Synnett, and his servant Richard Russell, who were admitted to pass per warrant of y<sup>e</sup> Comissioners of passage at London, which warrants they delivered here.

John Southwell, English soldier, of Norton in Suffolk, aged 24 yeres, brought the like warrant from y<sup>e</sup> Comissioners at London, and is filed here.

John Roberts and William Nuttholl, English merchants of Great Yarmouth in Norfolk, per warrant signed per Mr Maior and other Comissioners of passage at Rye.

William Flamvile, servant to y<sup>e</sup> Queene, and showed his letters to y<sup>e</sup> Comissioners per like warrant.

Passed to Diep 6 February-Andrew Wandrake, English taylor of London, aged 26 yeres, tall.

Thomas Bunting, English laborer, of Cringleford in Norffolk, sworne.

Edward Steward, English soldier of neer Norwich, aged 20 yeres, black, sworne.

George Cubitt, English soldier, of Norwich, aged 24 yeres, short stature, sworne.

Joseph Busbridg,<sup>26</sup> son to Mr Busbridg, linen draper of London, retorned, per warrant of Mr Maior and other of y<sup>e</sup> Comissioners at Rye.

To Diep the 12 Feb—Arthur Robertes, English servant unto Collonel Synnett, having a pass from y<sup>e</sup> Custom House at London was the rather admitted per a warrant of Mr Maior and other Comissioners heer at Rye.

John Leamon, English marchant, dwelling neer Algate, London.

George Birch, pore English soldier of Norfolk.

Peeter Andrewes, pore English marriner of London.

Moses Tressell, English soldier of Crokerley, in Oxfordshire, aged 29.

John Swane, Nicholas Griffen, 2 poore men, brought a pass from the Comissioners of passag at y<sup>e</sup> Custom-house, at London, per warrant of Mr. Maior and other Commissioners of y<sup>e</sup> passage at Rye.

To Diep the 13 February.—John Kirke, English gentleman, per a safe conduct, signed by the King's Majesty, dated the 27th January last past, 1635, and for one servant, the copie is entered in the Register Booke.

To Diep ye 19 February.—James Lord and Viscount of Annand in Scotland, per licence from his Ma<sup>tie</sup> dated the 5th of Feb., 1635, and for Mongo Murrey, Scotes Esq<sup>re</sup>. Robert Mackbrier, Scotes gentleman.

<sup>26</sup> He was second son of John Busbridge, who had settled at Echingham and rebuilt Haremare in 1616. John was an active Parliamentarian, and represented Winchelsea in 1658.

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Archibald Douglas, gentleman, Patrick Falconer, gentleman, Duncan Keith, gentleman, Myles Wodshaw, English gentleman, per the said licence, which is copied into y<sup>e</sup> Passage Booke at Rye.

Joseph Davies, English marchant of London, St. Thomas Apostles.

Robert Davies, his brother, marchant of London.

Thomas Musgrove and Thomas Brooker, English pictur drawers, who brought a warrant from  $y^e$  Custom house at London and were admitted per Mr. Maior to passe.

John Burges, English shomaker, of Flet-street, London, aged 22 yeres, low stature.

Robert Kenedy, English merchant, of Fanchurch St., London, per warrant of Mr. Maior and other y<sup>e</sup> Comissioners of passage at Rye.

To Diep ye 3 of March.-Edward Domelaw, English merchant of London, Fanchurch street, middle stature, flaxen, aged 24 yeres.

Robert Goodday, servant to ye 2d son to ye Lord North, now at Paris.

Charles Peard,27 English marchant of Barnestable.

John Wells,<sup>28</sup> English marchant of London, per warrant of y<sup>e</sup> Maior and Comissioners of passage at Rye.

To Diep the 6th of March.-John Metcalf, English servant to Mr Noy, now in Paris.

William Clark, English stonecutter of Long lane, neer London.

William Smyth, servant to Sr Henry Hungate.

Neale Lossehay, a pore Irish beggar boye.

Wm. Joy, English merchant of Rye Towne.

John Wilmot, English merchant of Maidstone in Kent.

Edmond Fletcher, alehouskeper of Maidston, and his son

To Diep the 18th of March.—Sir Francis Crane, Knt. Chancellor of y<sup>e</sup> Order (of the Garter) and with him six attendantes, whose names were not told unto y<sup>e</sup> Commissioners nor known, per warrant of y<sup>e</sup> Lordes dated 6 March last, copied.

Bartholomew Nicholls, English marchant of Plimouth, in Devon.

Thomas Hollowes,<sup>29</sup> English marchant of London, and William Starbuck, his servant.

John Bartar, governor to Mr. Noye, now at Paris, and Francis Chantler, servant to ye said Mr. Noye.

Robert Gray, English shomaker, with warrant of Custom house, filed.

Edward Thomson, shomaker, with warrant of Custom house, filed, per warrant of Mr. Maior, and other Comissioners of passage at Rye.

To Diep the 18 March, 1635.—Symon Barksdale, Esq<sup>r</sup>, of Winchester, per licence of v<sup>e</sup> Lordes dated the last of February, 1635, the coppie whereof is registered, and

Drew Turner, his servant, per the said warrant.

Georg. Gosling,<sup>30</sup> English marchant of London.

Thomas Dunkin, his Majesty's currier with letters, per warrant of y<sup>e</sup> Maior and Comissioners at Bye.

Robert Adamson Scot Esq<sup>re</sup>, Secretary to y<sup>e</sup> Lord Gordon, per warrant of the Lordes, dated the — of July last, 1635, and is copied in the Register Boke, and Mr. Alexander Chreighton,<sup>31</sup> Scots gentleman, per the s<sup>d</sup> warrant.

Wm. Oxinden, 3 son to S<sup>r</sup> James Oxinden, of Wingham in Kent, by a letter sent from his father and the Maior and Comiss<sup>18</sup> of Dover to y<sup>e</sup> Comissioners at Rye,

<sup>27</sup> The Peards are a well-known Devonshire family.

28 See also ante, Aug. 9th.

29 See also ante, Oct. 24.

<sup>30</sup> See also ante, Sept. 23.

<sup>31</sup> See also ante, August 28. As the feud between the Gordons and the Creightons was at its height this association is curious. and having given knowledge of his passage to Dover Castle, per a warrant signed by y<sup>e</sup> Maior and other the Comissioners at Rye.

To Diep ye 19 March.—Lewes Viscount Kenelmeckie and his brother, Roger Barron of Broghill, younger sones to the Earle of Corke, per his Maties Licence, dated the 15 March, 1635, the copie is registered in the Book of Passage. Isack Marcombes, their Governor, and Barnabie Scudamore, Brother to the Lord Ambassador at Paris, Roger Hemboro, 3 attendantes per the said licence.

Mr. William Savage, English gentleman, per consent of Mr. Maior and other Comissioners for that he past by warrant of y<sup>e</sup> Lordes lately before which is copied in y<sup>e</sup> Register, and David Lewis, his servant, per warrant of y<sup>e</sup> Comissioners at Rye.

John Horsey, Esqre., per warrant of y<sup>e</sup> Lordes, dated y<sup>e</sup> 19 August 1834, shewed and for hast could not be coppied.

To Diep the 25 March 1636 .- Thomas Juxson, servant to Mr. Wm. Allott, Marchant of London

William Trye, servant to ye Lord Barclay, Knowen.

William Shallett, servant to Mr. John Bartar, governor to Mr. Noy late.

Arthur Duncan, Scots servant to Mr. Urquart, a Scots gentleman.

A lame pore English boy with Admirally<sup>o</sup> post, per warrant of Mr. Maior and Comissioners at Rye.

To Diep the 30 March.—William Freissell, English gentleman belonging to  $y^{\circ}$  Earle of Arundell per a safe conduct signed by the Quenes Majesty, dated 3 November, 1635, and is copied in  $y^{\circ}$  Register.

Reignold Horne, English goldsmith of ye Strand, near Somerset House.

Thomas Bennett, English flourmaker, short stature, brown, per warrant at Rye.

Mary Boudovin, a child, per the Lordes warrant, dated 23 of Marchlast past, 1635 and Ann Whitewell, hir Attendant, and is registered.

James Hamilton, a Scots soldier of Edinboro, pore, per warrant at Rye.

Examined with the Register of Passage this 4 Aprill, 1636, by us the Comissioners of Passage, whose names are hereto subscribed.

Ma[rk] Thomas, Deputy Maior, Allen Grebell, Roger Bamford, John Nowell, Sa. Landsdale, Joseph Benbrigge, Cler of Passage.

Indorsed. 1636, March 29, Passingers at Rye. Also. Rye Passingers-sold for Fr. 18.

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