VIII.—AN ALPHABETICAL CATALOGUE OF THE GOLD-SMITHS OF NEWCASTLE (SUPPLEMENTAL LIST).

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Since the paper under the above heading was published in Arch. Ael., 3 ser., xI, 65-II8, some names to be found in the books of the associated companies have been communicated by Mr. Thomas Taylor, while others have been recovered from the various parish registers of the town by Mr. H. M. Wood, the secretary of the Durham and Northumberland Parish Register Society, and by Mr. Edwin Dodds. It may be taken as certain that the owners of some of these names never made on their own account; but in the case of others it is always possible that their marks may be found or identified on pieces of plate.

SUPPLEMENTARY CATALOGUE.

THOMAS ARMSTRONG.

Besides the two men of this name set down in the original catalogue (Arch. Ael., 3 ser., xi, 68) there seems to have been another Thomas Armstrong who was apprenticed in 1693 to Francis Batty and admitted to the freedom of the Goldsmiths' company in 1700 (ex inf. Mr. T. Taylor).

WILLIAM BALDERSON.

' 1769, May 31, William Balderson, silversmith, bur.'—All Saints' Register.

BARTLET.

'Mr. Bartlet' is mentioned in the Assay-book for the years 1753 and 1754 [ex inf. Mr. T. Taylor).

JOHN BETRAND

was probably only a temporary resident.

'1723, May 10, Ann, daughter of John Betrand, goldsmith, stranger, bapt.'—All Saints' Register.

RICHARD BATTY

was apprenticed 29 September, 1682, to his father Francis Batty, for seven years (Books of Associated Companies).

PATRICK BEECH OF BEATCH

in 1778 had a shop in the Side (Whitehead's Directory) and is mentioned as assaying small goods in 1777 and 1778 (ex inf. Mr. T. Taylor).

HUGH BIRKHEAD.

'1675, May 2, Hugh Birkhead, silversmith, buried.'—All Saints' Register.

JACOB BURNAND

was apprenticed 2 August, 1678, to Francis Batty, for seven years (Books of Associated Companies).

WILLIAM BURNAND

was apprenticed 15 July, 1662, to John Wilkinson, for eight years (Ibid.).

JAMES CARTER,

a goldsmith, or jeweller, had a shop on the Quayside in 1778. His name does not appear in the Newcastle poll-book of 1777 or 1780.

JOHN CHILTON

was apprenticed in 1700 to Francis Batty, for nine years (Books of Associated Companies).

ALEXANDER CREUSE.

'1652, May 4, Alexander, son of Alexander Creuse, gowldsmith, a Dutchman, bapt.'—All Saints' Register.

WILLIAM CURRY.

Besides the person of the name set down in the original catalogue there was a William Curry who was apprenticed in 1699 to Eli Bilton, for eight years (Books of Associated Companies).

PETER DEKO.

' 1664, Dec. 25, Peter Deko, goldsmith, a Frenchman, bur.'—All Saints' Register.

PETER DEMIN.

' 1758, February 7, Peter Demin, silversmith, bur.'—All Saints' Register.

CHRISTOPHER DODDS

was apprenticed in 1697 to Thomas Hewitson, for seven years (Books of Associated Companies).

BENJAMIN DRYDEN

worked from 1778 to 1784 making buckles only (ex inf. Mr. T. Taylor). His name does not appear in the Newcastle poll-book for 1777 or 1780.

GEORGE GIBSON,

goldsmith, had a daughter who was baptized and also buried at All Saints in the year 1687.

ANTHONY HALL

was apprenticed 13 March, 1671, to John Dowthwaite, for nine years (Books of Associated Companies).

NICHOLAS LAMKEE.

'1673, May 19, Catherine, daughter of Nicholas Lamkee, goldsmith, bapt.'—All Saints' Register.

WILLIAM LUCK.

The christian name of Mr. Luck, who in 1636 made a new seal for the town, has been ascertained to have been William. He had a burial place and an inscribed grave-cover in the old church of All Saints, being 'No. 4 in the third row at the east end of the church.'

'1638, April 13, William, son of William Luck, goldsmith, bur.'—All Saints' Register.

RICHARD NICHOLSON

in 1741 voted at the election of members to serve in parliament in Newcastle. As of the High-bridge, silversmith, he was buried at St. Andrew's 24 April, 1808, aged 92.

THOMAS PARTIS.

There was a second person of that name who, like the other, traded in Sunderland. He entered his stamp in 1751 and assayed small goods from 1751 to 1753 (ex inf. Mr. T. Taylor).

JOHN PATTINSON

having served his apprenticeship with Eli Bilton, as from 8 November, 1689, was admitted to the freedom of the Goldsmiths' company in 1696 (Books of the Associated Companies).

PATRICK RADEMACKER.

goldsmith, and Janet his wife, had children baptized at St. Nicholas's from 1776 to 1787. His name does not appear in the Newcastle pollbook for 1777 or 1780.

JOSEPH RICHARDSON

was apprenticed in 1703 to Thomas Armstrong, and in the same year was set over to Mrs. Margaret Ramsay (Books of Associated Companies).

WILLIAM ROBINSON.

Besides the William Robinson, goldsmith, who was buried at All Saints, 6 March, 1654/5, there was another of the name who was apprenticed in 1657, to P. Soulsby, plumber, and on his admission to his freedom in 1666 stated that he intended to follow the trade of a goldsmith (ex inf. Mr. T. Taylor).

' 1674/5, March 9, William Robinson, goldsmith, bur.'-All Saints' Register.

AMBROSE THOMAS

was apprenticed I January, 1669, to William Robinson, for eight years, and in 1674 was set over to Mr. William Ramsay to serve out his time (Books of Associated Companies).

MICHAEL TONKINS,

son of Henry Tonkins, master and mariner, was apprenticed to Francis Batty as from I September, 1714, for seven years.

DEODATUS THRELKELD,

previously known as a clock-maker, was described in All Saints' Register on 23 December, 1684, as goldsmith, on his marriage, on that day, with Hannah Anderson, spinster.

IOHN WARD

was apprenticed in July, 1688, to Eli Bilton for seven years (Books of Associated Companies).

R. WILSON

traded in 1794 and 1795 as a maker of spoons (ex inf. Mr. T. Taylor).