

## Coats of Arms in Berkshire Churches.

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(continued from Vol. 41, No. 1).

### HUNDRED OF CHARLTON.

#### BARKHAM.

*Nave. North Wall. Mural Marble.*

Henry Clive, Esquire, *d.* 1848, aged 71. Also Charlotte Jane his relict; *d.* 1874, aged 90.

1. Silver a fesse sable with three molets gold. CLIVE.

Impaling :

2. Sable on a cross silver voided in the centre four eagles sable. BULLER.

He was the third and youngest son of George Clive Esquire of Whitfield, Co. Hereford, by his wife Sydney Bolton of Louth, Ireland. He married Charlotte Jane, third and youngest daughter of John Buller Esquire of Morval, Co. Cornwall, by his wife Anne, sister of Sir William Lemon, Bt. He bought the manor of Barkham sometime after 1816 and was Under-Secretary for the Home Department; he died *s.p.* After the death of his widow in 1874 his nephew George Clive, third son of his eldest brother Edward-Bolton Archer (*d.* 1845), sold the manor to John Walter of Bearwood. [*V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 240; *Burke, Gen. Arm.*; *Burke, Land. Gent.*].

*South Transept. East Wall. Hatchment.*

3. Quarterly 1 & 4. Barry of eight silver and gules a cross paty sable. GOWER.
4.                      2 & 3. Azure three laurel leaves gold. LEVESON.

Impaling :

5. Silver a cross engrailed per pale gules and sable. BROKE.  
The whole background of the hatchment is black.

The hatchment represents General John Leveson-Gower, M.P. (1774-1816) the eldest son of Admiral of the White the Hon. John Leveson-Gower (1740-1792) by his wife Frances (*d.* 1813), eldest daughter of Admiral the Hon. Edward Boscawen. He married

in 1796 Isabella Mary (*d.* 1817), daughter of Philip Bowes Broke, of Broke Hall, Co. Suffolk, by whom he had two sons, John (1802-1883), of Bill Hill in Hurst, Co. Berks. and Edward (1807-1853) and two daughters. His grandmother Lady Mary Gower (*d.* 1785), third wife of John, 1st Earl of Gower (1694-1754) purchased the manor of Barkham about 1783 which descended to John (1802-1883) during whose minority it was sold by trustees to Henry Arthur Broughton. [*V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 239-240; Burke, *Peer.*].

*On Font.* Two stone carved shields on north and south sides.

6. On a wreath: a standing griffin. Motto: audacter et sincere.

The crest and motto of the family of Clive. (See No. 1 above).

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### FINCHAMPSTEAD.

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*West End. Over Gallery. Painted on canvas.*

1. Stewart Royal Arms. "C.R. 1660."

*North Chapel. Banner.*

2. Silver a cheveron engrailed azure and three martlets sable and on the cheveron a trefoil between two crescents gold.  
WATSON.

The banner of General Sir John Watson, V.C., G.C.B., who died in 1919 at North Court, Finchampstead. [*Arm. Fam.* (1930), 2046].

*Table Tomb.*

Richard Palmer of East Court; *d.* 1670.

3. Checky [gold] and [sable] on a chief [gules] two molets [gold]. PALMER.

He was the eldest son of Richard Palmer (*d.* 1637) of Wokingham by Dorothy daughter of Richard Meade of Soulbury, Co. Bucks. He married Mary daughter and heir of Oliver Fish of Biggleswade, Co. Bedford, by whom he had a son and heir Richard (born 1647, *d.s.p.*), John (1656-1674), Charles (1660-1712) and three daughters, Mary, Martha (*d.* 1723) and Elizabeth. He was a barrister and a magistrate for the County; he bought the manor of East Court in Finchampstead from Sir Richard Harison in 1661 and on the death of his son and heir Richard it passed to his third son Charles Palmer, M.D., of Arborfield, Co. Berks., and the manor remained in the family until 1849. See also Sonning Nos. 32-36, Vol. XI (1936), 75-76, and Hurst No. 81 on p. 96 of this volume. [*Harl. Soc.*, lvi, 255-6; lvii, 188-190; *V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 244; *M.I.*; Lyon, W., *Chron. of Finchampstead* (1895), 128].

*Mural Marble.*

Colonel Murray Venables Hilton ; killed in action while leading  
7th Bn. East Lancashire Rgt. in France, 1915, aged 59.

4. Silver two bars azure. HILTON.

He married Dora Elizabeth, daughter of General Sir John Watson  
(*d.* 1919 ; see No. 2 above). [Information from E. Billing].

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HURST.

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*South Aisle. West End. Ledger Stone.*

[Ch]arlott Morley, daughter of Richard Morley Esquire and  
Elizabeth his wife, and grand-daughter of Sir John Browne,  
Bt. ; *d.* 1718, aged 21.

1. On a lozenge : [Silver] a lion [sable] crowned [gold].  
MORLEY.

See No. 3 below.

*Table Tomb with marble ledger stone on brick foundation.*

Richard Bigg, *d.* 1677, aged 26.

2. Party ermine and [azure] a lion passant [gules] crowned  
[gold] and a bordure engrailed gules charged with eight  
fleurs-de-lys [gold]. BIGG.

He was the fourth son of Richard Bigg (born 1613) of Haines Hill  
in Hurst by his first wife, Lady Phebe, daughter of James Ley  
(*d.* 1629), 1st Earl of Marlborough. His father owned the manor of  
Odes in Hurst and lived at Haines Hill and was a partisan of  
Cromwell but was pardoned by Charles II and allowed to retain  
his property which remained in the family until the middle of  
the 18th century. See also Nos. 7 and 8 below and Wallingford  
St. Mary, Nos. 4 and 8 (Vol. xxxix (1935), 168, 169). [*V.C.H.*  
*Berks.*, iii, 248, 255 ; *Harl. Soc.*, lvi, 171 ; *Compl. Peer.*, viii  
(1932), 489].

*Ledger Stone.*

Elizabeth Morley, relict of Richard Morley, Esquire, and  
daughter of Sir John Browne, Bt. ; *d.* 1720, aged 48.

3. On a lozenge : MORLEY.

Impaling :

4. [Sable] three lions passant in bend between  
double cotises [silver]. BROWNE.

She was the mother of Charlotte Morley (*d.* 1718 ; see No. 1 above)  
and was probably the second daughter of Sir John Browne (*cr.* Bt.,  
1665) of Caversham, who married Mrs. Bradley. [*Burke, Ext.*  
*Bt.*, 88].

*South Wall. Mural Marble.*

The children of John and Eleanor Whitcomb of this parish. John, *d.* 1762, aged 21 months. Eleanor, *d.* 1764, aged 5½. Mary, *d.* 1767, aged 13 months. Charles, *d.* 1769, aged 10 months. Ann, *d.* 1771, aged 14 months. Harriot, *d.* 1780, aged 8 years and eleven days. James, *d.* 1790, aged 26. John Whitcomb Esquire, J.P., of the County; *d.* 1800, aged 67. Eleanor, wife of John Whitcomb Esquire; *d.* 1813, aged 81. James Church, *d.* 1858, aged 74.

5. Paly of six [gold] and sable three eagles countercoloured. WHITCOMB.

Impaling :

6. (? Gold) a bend between two lions sable.

[Burke, *Gen. Arm.*].

*Mural Marble.*

Lady Phebe, a daughter of James Ley, Earl of Marlborow sometime Lord Treasurer of England, late wife of Richard Bigg of Hurst, Co. Wilts., Esquire, who had issue by him four sons, James, John, Daniel and Richard. She *d.* 1653.

7. On an oval : BIGG.

Impaling :

8. Silver a cheveron between three mastiffs' heads cut off at the neck erect sable. LEY.

See No. 2 above. [Doyle, *Off. Baron.*, ii, 476; *Ashmole MSS.* 850, 246].

*Mural Stone.*

Thomas Bagley of Hurst, Gent.; *d.* 1684, aged 71.

9. Gold three lozenges [azure]. BAGLEY.

*North Chapel. North Wall. Canopied marble tomb with brasses.*

Richard Warde.

10. Above : centre : Silver on a cheveron sable three wolves' heads razed gold on a chief azure a cross paty between two martlets gold. WARDE.

Impaling :

11. Silver six moorcocks sable. MOORE.

12.                   sinister : WARDE.  
                            Impaling :
13.                   Gules on a bend silver three dolphins  
                            vert. FLAMBERT.
14. At the back : dexter : WARDE.  
                            Impaling :
15.                   FLAMBERT.
16.                   centre : WARDE.
17.                   sinister : FLAMBERT.
18. On the base : dexter : WARDE.
19.                   dexter centre : Missing.
- 20-I.               centre : WARDE impaling  
                            FLAMBERT.
22.                   sinister centre : WARDE.
23.                   sinister : FLAMBERT.

He was the eldest son and heir of Thomas Warde of Winkfield by his wife Maud daughter of Thomas Moore Esquire of Burton, Co. Bucks. He married Colubre daughter of William Flambert (Lamberde) of Chertsey, Co. Surrey, serjeant at arms to the King, by his wife Alice daughter and heir of Thomas Tasborough, Esquire of Co. Suffolk, by whom he had, according to the representation on the brasses, eight sons and nine daughters. In 1540 Richard Warde was granted the manor of Hurst by the King and he also held the manor of Winkfield, the rectory and advowson of White Waltham and of Waltham St. Lawrence; he also held the manor of Beenhams in Waltham St. Lawrence where he appears to have lived. He was cofferer to Henry VIII, Edward VI, Queen Mary and Queen Elizabeth; he died in 1578, his wife having predeceased him in 1574. Richard, his second son, appears to have been his heir, and was knighted at Reading in 1601 and died at New Windsor in 1605. Alice, his eldest daughter, married Thomas Harison (*d.* 1602) of Finchampstead, Co. Berks., and had a son Richard who *d.v.p.* and whose grandson was Sir Richard Harison (*d.* 1683; see No. 59 below). [*V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 86, 176, 181, 183, 252; *Harl. Soc.*, lvi, 12, 57; lvii, 140, 141; *Papw., Ord.*, 238; *Berks. Arch. Journ.*, xxv (1920), 55. *Ashmole MSS.* 850, 244-245].

*On the Organ.*

24. West : SEE OF OXFORD.
25. East : SEE OF CANTERBURY.

*Canopied alabaster tomb with four male and two female and five small kneeling figures.*

Lady Margaret Savile, daughter of George Dacres, Esquire;  
*d.* 1631, aged 73.

26. Above : dexter : Silver on a bend sable three voided lozenges silver. CARLETON.  
Impaling :
27. Silver on a fesse sable a lion passant silver in chief a molet gules for difference. GARRARD.
28. centre : Silver on a bend sable three owls silver in chief a molet gules for difference. SAVILE.  
Impaling :
29. Gold a cheveron sable between three roundles gules each charged with an escallop silver. DACRES.
30. sinister : Quarterly 1 & 4. Gold on a chief sable three eagles gold. HARISON.  
2. Silver on a cheveron sable three wolves' heads razed gold (*here* silver) on a chief azure a cross paty between two martlets gold. WARDE.
31. 3. GARRARD.
- 32.
33. At back : dexter : Azure a fesse wavy between three goats' heads razed [silver]. SIDLEY.  
Impaling :  
SAVILE.
- 34.
35. sinister : Gold on a chief azure three eagles gold. HARISON.  
Impaling :  
GARRARD.
- 36.

She was the daughter of George Dacres (No. 29), Esquire of Cheshunt, Co. Hertford, who was descended from the family of Dacres of the North. She married, as her first husband, George Garrard Esquire, second son of Sir William Garrard Kt., Lord Mayor of London, by whom she had issue three daughters, Anne

(Nos. 26 and 27, who married in 1607, as his first wife, Dudley Carleton, Viscount Dorchester (*d.* 1632); she died in 1627 and was buried in Westminster Abbey), a second daughter who died in infancy and Frances (No. 36, who married Sir Richard Harison, Kt. (*d.* 1655; Nos. 30-32 and 35)). She married secondly John Smith, Esquire of Co. Essex, by whom she had three sons all of whom died in infancy. Her third husband was Sir Henry Savile (No. 28), Kt. (1549-1622), Warden of Merton College, Oxford, and Provost of Eton, by whom she had two sons who died young and a daughter Elizabeth (No. 34) who married Sir John Sidley (No. 33), 2nd Bt. of Ailesford (*d.* 1638). The five kneeling figures of children against the sinister panel below probably represent the issue of her daughter Frances, four of whom, Richard, John, Elizabeth and Frances, are given in the pedigree in *Ashmole MS.* 852, 96, 97. See pedigree on p. 92. [*V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 257; *Harl. Soc.*, lvi, 219; lvii, 141; Doyle, *Off. Baron.*, i, 608; *Compl. Peer.*, iv (1916), 409; Burke, *Ext. Bl.*, 403; *Berks. Arch. Journ.*, xxv (1920), 57-58; *D.N.B.*; *M.I.*; *Ashmole MSS.* 850, 242-243].

*East End. North Side. Mural Marble.*

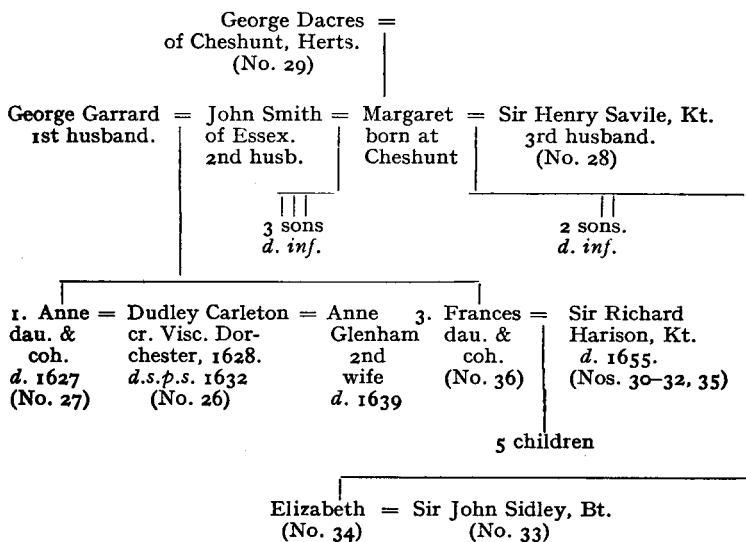
Thomas Septimius Dalby, Esquire of Hurst Grove; *d.* 1790, aged 54. Widow erected the monument.

Tierced in pale :

37. 1. Sable a leopard (? lion passant) between three helmets gold.
38. 2. Quarterly 1 & 4. Silver three bars wavy gules. DALBY
39. 2 & 3. Sable a fesse between three crescents silver.
40. 3. Sable a bend silver between two dolphins gold.

John Dalby bought the manor of Hurst *alias* Whistley in 1722 with which followed the descent of the manor of Lee in Hurst until 1785 when Thomas Septimius (*sic*) Dalby sold the former to Richard Aldworth-Neville and the latter to Lady Gower of Bill Hill. The arms No. 37 (with a leopard) were borne by Compton, No. 39 by Coventry and Symon or Symonds and No. 40 by French. [*V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 252-3; Burke, *Gen. Arm.*; Papw., *Ord.*, 132, 215, 743; *Harl. Soc.*, lvi, 189; lvii, 112].

## KEY PEDIGREE OF SAVILE.

*Ledger Stone.*

John Barker of Hurst, Co. Wilts., Esquire ; *d.* 1661, aged 56.  
Also his wife Elizabeth, daughter of Edmund West  
... rsworth in County ... , Esquire ; *d.* 1677.

41. Quarterly 1 & 4. Per chevron engrailed [gold] and [sable]  
a lion countercoloured. BARKER.
42. 2 & 3. [Silver] a chief [sable] and three tilting  
lances upright countercoloured a crescent  
for difference. BURLEY.

*Ledger Stone.*

Henry Fairfax, Esquire, second son of Thomas, Viscount  
Fairfax of Emely in Ireland, and who married Frances only  
daughter of Henry Barker of Hurst, Esquire, by whom he had  
two sons and one daughter, Henry, John and Frances. He  
*d.* 1650, aged 49.

43. Quarterly 1 & 8. [Silver] three bars gemel [gules] and a  
lion [sable] a crescent for difference.  
FAIRFAX.



Engraved on another fair Marble, lying on the North side of the Chancel,

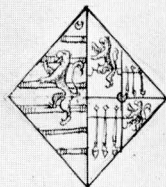
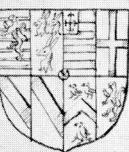
Here lyeth the body of **JOHN BARKER** of Hurst in the County of Wilts. Esquire, who being in the 57<sup>th</sup> year of his age, dyed the 4<sup>th</sup> of September. 1661.

Engraved on another fair Marble, lying on the North side of the Chancel.

Here lyeth the body of **HENRY FAIRFAX** Esquire, second son of **THOMAS** Viscount Fairfax of Embsay in Ireland, who married **FRANCES** the only Daughter of **HENRY BARKER** of Hurst Esquire; by whom he had two Sons & one Daughter, vizt: **HENRY**, **JOHN**, and **FRANCES**. He dyed the 4<sup>th</sup> day of July Anno Dni 1650. being the 50<sup>th</sup> year of his age.

Above the Epitaph, are

Beneath are the same.



Upon a plate of Brass, fixed on a Gravestone, layd nere the High Altar:

Here lyeth buried the body of **RICHARD KIPPAX** Gentleman, who dyed the 14<sup>th</sup> day of September; Anno Domini 1628.

Elegiacall for Mournefull Verses, made upon the death of M<sup>r</sup>. Richard Kippax, sometime Examinee in the Marchant's Office, which Verses by a Friend, well wishing to his memory, are dedicated to M<sup>rs</sup>. **ANNE KIPPAX**, his late Wife, Sister to the worthy Gentl<sup>man</sup>: **S<sup>r</sup>. RICHARD FLEETWOOD** Knight Baronet, & Baron of Newton.

Hurst.

Henry Fairfax  
[Nos. 43-49]

44. 2. [Silver] a cheveron between three hinds' heads razed [sable]. MALBIS for Fairfax.
45. 3. Barry of eight.....and.....on a canton.....a cross paty (or crosslet) ETON.
46. 4. [Gules *vel* gold] a cross [silver *vel* sable]. VESCI.
47. 5. [Gold] a bend [sable]. MAULEY.
48. 6. Gules a bend silver. FOLLIOT.
49. 7. ....a cheveron.....between three martlets.....over all a crescent for difference.
- 50-56. On a lozenge : FAIRFAX.  
Impaling :
57. Quarterly 1 & 4. BARKER.
58. 2 & 3. BURLEY.  
a crescent for difference.

See No. 73 below and illustration facing p. 92. *Ashmole MSS.* 850, 248.

*South Aisle. Canopied marble monument with male and female figures kneeling with one figure between them.*

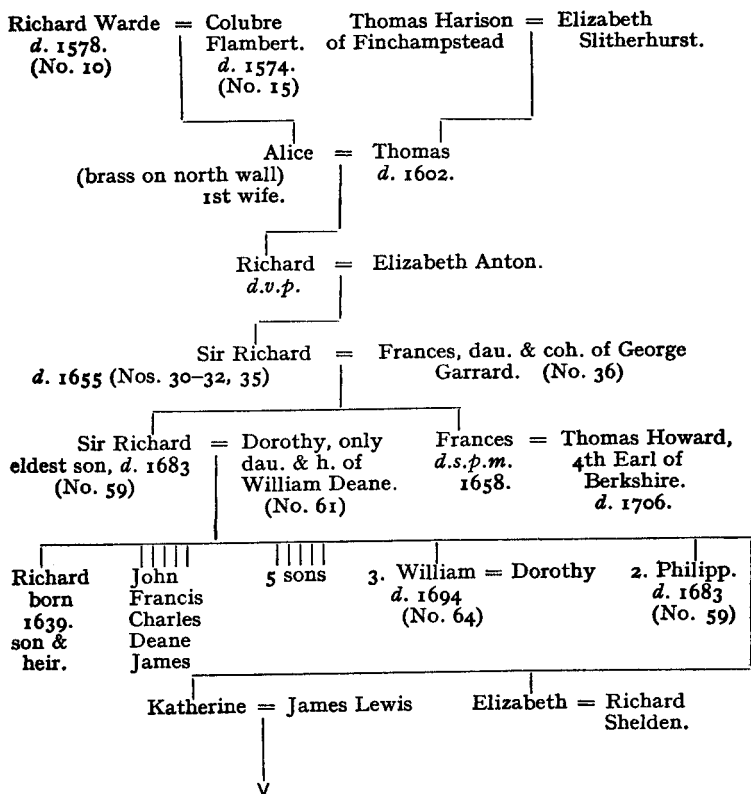
Sir Richard Harison, *d.* 1683, aged 72. Philipp, his youngest son ; *d.* 1683, aged 22.

59. Above : [Silver] on a chief [sable] three eagles [gold]. HARISON.
60. At back : dexter : HARISON.  
and in pretence :
61. [Sable *vel* silver] two bars [silver *vel* sable] and a bordure gules. DEANE.
62. sinister : Quarterly 1 & 4. HARISON.
63. 2 & 3. DEANE, of Nethercot, Lewknor.

He was the eldest son of Sir Richard Harison Kt. (*d.* 1655) of Whistley and Hinton in this parish, by his wife Frances, daughter and coheir of George Garrard, second son of Sir William Garrard Kt., Lord Mayor of London. He married Dorothy only daughter and heir of William Deane Esquire of Nethercot, Co. Oxon., by

whom he had thirteen sons and two daughters. His sister Frances (*d.s.p.m.* 1658) was the first wife of Thomas Howard (*d.* 1706), 4th Earl of Berkshire. His father was knighted in 1621 and lived at his manor house in Hurst and was M.P. for Berkshire and New Windsor and Sheriff of the County; both father (*d.* 1655) and son (*d.* 1683) were Royalists and suffered heavily for their loyalty; the latter raised two troupes of horse at his own charge and served first under the Earl of Crawford and then under Colonel Thomas Howard afterwards Earl of Berkshire, who as stated above, married his sister Frances. Sir Richard (*d.* 1683) had to mortgage his manor in 1659 to Samuel Hyne who paid £1000 for it together with property in Finchampstead; at the Restoration he was made a member of the Privy Chamber and was in possession again in 1672 when, with his son John, he made a settlement of the manor. His third son William (*d.* 1694; see No. 64 below) was educated at Winchester and Wadham College, Oxford, and was rector of Cheriton, Master of the Hospital of St. Cross and a prebend of Winchester; he married Dorothy and in 1678 was holding the manor of Hurst until his death. See pedigree below. [*M.I.*; *V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 252; *Harl. Soc.*, lvi, 219; lvii, 140; O'Byrne, *Biolog. & geneal. notices of M.P.s, Berks.*, 1848), 149; tomb of William Deane in Lewknor Church, Oxon].

## KEY PEDIGREE OF HARISON.



*East Wall. South Side. Mural Marble.*

William Harison, S.T.P., son of Richard Harison, Kt. and Dorothy his wife ; *d.* 1694, aged 53.

64. Above : Quarterly 1 & 6. Gold on a chief [sable] three eagles [gold]. HARISON.  
 65. 2. WARDE.  
 66. 3. GARRARD a crescent for difference.  
 67. 4. Silver a cheveron between three crescents sable.  
 68. 5. Silver three bars sable.  
 a crescent for difference.  
 69. Below : Gold on a chief azure three eagles gold a crescent for difference. HARISON.  
 Impaling :  
 70. Silver a lion sable crowned gold.

See No. 59 above.

*Mural Marble.*

William Fairfax, son of Henry Fairfax, Esquire, by Ann his wife, daughter of Sir Thomas Browne, Kt. ; *d.* 1684, aged 3. Also Ann Alethea, their daughter.

71. Above on a lozenge : FAIRFAX a crescent for difference.

See No. 73 below.

*Ledger Stone.*

"Fran : " the grandchild of Henry Fairfax of Burlington, Co. Yorks., Esquire. By his eldest son Henry and Ann his wife, daughter of Sir Thomas Browne of Norwich, Kt. ; *d.* 1678, aged 5.

72. FAIRFAX a crescent for difference.

See No. 73 below.

*Chancel. North Wall. Canopied alabaster tomb.*

Henry Barker of Hurst, Co. Wilts., Esquire ; *d.* 1651, aged 76.

73. Above : Quarterly 1 & 4. BARKER.  
 74. 2 & 3. BURLEY.  
 75. At back : dexter : Quarterly 1 & 4. BARKER.

76.

2 &amp; 3. BURLEY.

Impaling :

77.

[Silver] on a fesse [azure] a tower triple-towered [gold] between two fleurs-de-llys gold between two leopards gules each charged on the shoulder with a bezant. CADE.

78.

Below : dexter : Quarterly 1 &amp; 4. BARKER.

79.

2 &amp; 3. BURLEY.

80.

sinister : CADE.

Henry Barker (*d.* 1651) was the eldest son of John Barker (*d.* 1620 ; for 43 years gentleman usher to Queen Elizabeth) of Hurst by his wife Frances, daughter of Henry Manfield of Taplow, Co. Bucks. He married Magdalen, daughter of William Cade, Esquire of Essex, by whom he had John, Henry, Henry, William and a daughter Frances. The latter married Henry Fairfax (*d.* 1650 ; see Nos. 43-58 above), second son of Sir Thomas Fairfax (*cr.* Viscount Fairfax of Emley, Co. Tipperary ; *d.* 1636), by his wife Catherine, daughter of Sir Henry Constable, of Burton Constable. The eldest son of Frances and Henry Fairfax was Henry who married Ann, daughter of Sir Thomas Browne, Kt. of Norwich, by whom he had William (*d.* 1684 ; see No. 71 above), Ann Alethea, Frances (*d.* 1678 ; see No. 72 above) and Frances (*d.* 1719) who married in 1696 David, 9th Earl of Buchan (*d.* 1745) as his first wife. See pedigree on p. 97 and also Sparsholt No. 8 (Vol. xxxvi (1932), 157) and West Hanney No. 2 (Vol. xxxvi (1932), 141). [*V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 249, 257 ; *Quart. Jour. Berks. Archaeolog. & Architect. Soc.*, ii (1891-3), 122-128, 191-192 ; *M.I.* ; *Her. & Gen.*, vi (1871), 392, 628 ; vii (1873), 153 ; *Berks. Arch. Jour.*, xl (1936), 76 ; *Compl. Peer.*, ii (1912), 381 ; *Ancestor*, vii, 188 ; *Papw., Ord.*, 359 ; *Harl. Soc.*, lvi, 164 ; *Ashmole MSS.* 850, 247].

### South Wall. Mural Marble.

Robert Palmer, Esquire ; *d.* 1787, aged 72.

81. Checky gold and sable on a chief gules two molets gold.  
PALMER.

He was the second son of Thomas Palmer (1678-1762) and married firstly in 1745 Ann le Grys (*d.* 1752) of Great Yarmouth, Co. Norfolk, by whom he had several children all of whom died in infancy. He married secondly in 1755 Charlotte Wakelin (*d.* 1768) of London by whom he left a son Richard (1765-1806 ; see Sonning Nos. 32-36 on p. 76 Vol. xl (1936)) and four daughters. Robert Palmer was an attorney-at-law and lived in Great Russell Street, Bloomsbury, and was for many years agent to the Duke of Bedford. About the middle of the 18th century he bought Hurst Lodge and the rectory of Hurst, the latter remaining in the family until 1874 when Miss Susanna Caroline Palmer (*d.* 1880 ; see Sonning No. 36) gave the great tithes for the endowment of Hurst church. [*M.I.* ; Burke, *Hist. of Commoners*, i, 65 ; Burke, *Land. Gent.* (1853), 905 ; *V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 249, 259 ; *Harl. Soc.*, lvi, 255 ; lvii, 190].

*Over chancel screen. Carved in wood, coloured and standing free.*  
82. Stewart Royal Arms.

*South Aisle. East End. South Wall. Mural Slate.*

William Clark, LL.B., Rector of this Church; *d.* 1675, aged 62 and in the 37th year of his ministry. His widow Ann erected the monument.

83. [Silver] on a bend [gules] between three roundles [sable] three swans. CLARK.

[Papw., *Ord.* 280; *V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 258].

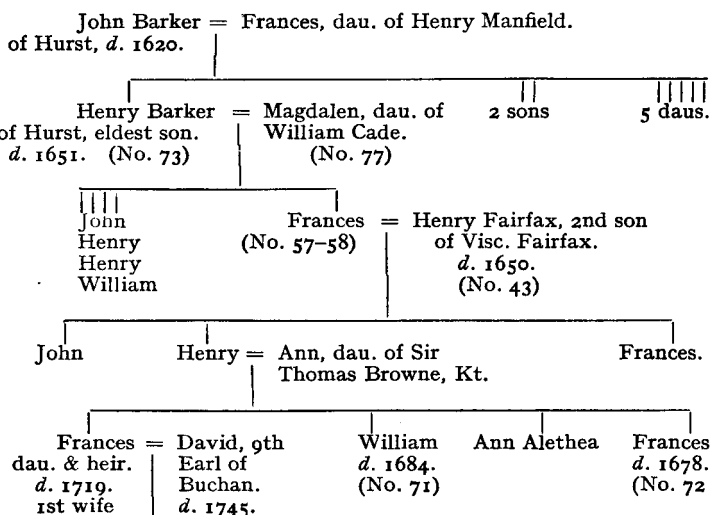
*Mural Stone.*

George Charles Kynaston Pigott Roupell; *d.* 1921, aged 72.

84. Azure on a mount an African holding in his right hand a bow and in his left hand a sheaf of arrows barbed silver feathered gold. ROUPELL.

He was the fourth son of Thomas Boone Roupell (*d.* 1889) of Loddon Court in Swallowfield, Co. Berks., by his wife Arabella Elizabeth, fourth daughter of the Rev. John Dryden Pigott of Edgmond. He was of Charlton, Co. Kent, late Captain, 15th Yorkshire Rgt., and served in the Army 1869-80; in 1886 he married Ellen Priscilla, daughter of Colonel William Cross of Redscar, Co. Lancs., by whom he had a son Thomas George Pigott, born in 1890. [*Land. Gent.* (1937), 1957; *Arm. Fam.* (1930), 1687].

#### KEY PEDIGREE OF BARKER AND FAIRFAX.



*Mural Brass.*

John Edward Levesongower of Bill Hill, Berks., Esquire, J.P.; *d.* 1892, aged 65. Also his widow Katherine Elizabeth, daughter of Basil Cochrane (grandson of Archibald, 9th Earl of Dundonald); *d.* 1928, aged 87.

85. Quarterly 1 & 4. Barry of eight silver (*here* gold) and gules a cross paty sable. GOWER.  
 86. 2 & 3. Azure three laurel leaves [gold]. LEVESON.

*Impaling:*

87. Quarterly 1 & 4. Silver a cheveron gules between three boars' heads couped [azure]. COCHRANE.  
 88. 2 & 3. Silver a saltire sable charged with nine lozenges silver. BLAIR.

He was the eldest son of John Leveson-Gower (*d.* 1883) of Bill Hill in Hurst by his wife Charlotte Gertrude Elizabeth (*d.* 1876), daughter of Colonel Henry Hugh Mitchel. He succeeded to Bill Hill in 1883 and in 1879 married as his second wife Katherine Elizabeth (*d.* 1928), eldest daughter of Basil Cochrane by whom he had an only son John Henry, who died in 1912 unmarried, and a daughter Idonea Gertrude who married in 1907 Henry Michael Hodgson of Bill Hill. [*V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 251; *Burke, Peer.*].

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 TWYFORD.
 

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*Nave. West End. South Wall. Mural Stone.*

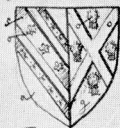
Sir Henry William Verey, Kt.; *d.* 1920, aged 83.

1. Quarterly 1. Gules between six crosslets sable a lion gold.  
 2. 2. Silver three bendlets gules.  
 3. 3. Silver strewn with crosslets sable three boars' heads cut off at the neck azure.  
 4. 4. Azure strewn with gold crosslets two . . . ? gold.  
 5. 5. Gules a lion gold.

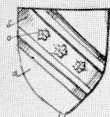
Of Bridge House in this parish, he was the elder son of Henry Verey, Esquire, and Anne Patience his wife of Bromham Cottage, Bedford and Bridge House, Twyford. He was an exhibitioner of Bedford School and at Trinity College, Cambridge; he was a barrister-at-law and Official Referee of the Supreme Court of Judicature, 1876-1920 and for thirty-seven years a J.P. for the

In the South wall of a Chapel at the East end of this South Chely, is a little Stone Monument over which this Figure being broken away, except of two Daughters;

At the head are these  
Arms.



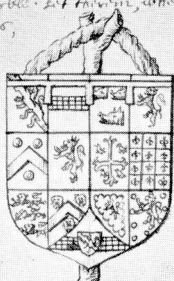
At the lower are these.



Towards the feet of this Monument, is this  
Inscription.

Hic sepulta cacent corpora EDVARDI MARTINI  
armigeri comitatus Berk. quondam Superisioris regij,  
MARIE uxoris eius, qui postquam amicam natalam  
Vanderam nomine ANNAM, GVLIELMO WOLLOSCOTO  
nuptum dederant, fecerunt struxerant sacellum amicos  
exhalauerunt, ille 8<sup>o</sup> die Junij an<sup>o</sup> Dni 1604. etatis ant<sup>e</sup>  
sue 49. illa vero 10 die Oct: an<sup>o</sup> Dni 1607 etatis vero  
sue 71.

At the upper end of the north wall rising a Planchell  
is a gray marble set therein, whereon is engraid  
this Arms,



Hic Officio suo hinc hinc, MARCV.  
filio SIMONIS STEWARD armigeri  
de Cokinghale in form. suff. posuit.



### Shinfield.

Edward Martin [Nos. 35-38]. Huick Steward [Nos. 1-14].



Forest Division of Berkshire and a churchwarden of this church. He married Henrietta Maria, 5th daughter of Edward Williams Hasell of Dalemain, Penrith, Cumberland, who died in 1933, aged 96. In correspondence with the writer in 1937 Lieut.-Col. H. E. Verey said "The coat of arms on my Father's memorial tablet was copied from one we have which belonged to my grandfather as representing his arms. . . ." [M.I.].

### SHINFIELD.

*Over West Tower Arch. Painted on ? wood.*

Stewart Royal Arms. "C.R. 1660."

*Nave. North Side. West Wall. Mural Marble.*

Huick Steward, son of Mark, son of Simeon Steward of Lakenheath, Co. Suffolk. Dated 1576.

Quarterly 1. [Silver] the lion of Scotland with a ragged bend [gold] over all. STEWARD.

2. [Gold] a fesse checky [silver] and [azure]. STUART.

3. [Vert] three boars' heads coupé [silver]. BORELEY.

4. [Silver] a lion [sable]. WALKFARE.

5. [Silver] a chevron [gules] between three roundles [azure]. BASKERVILLE.

6. Party [sable] and [gules] a leopard rampant [silver] crowned [gold]. BESTNEY.

7. [Silver] a cross paty [sable] between four martlets [sable]. SPENLOW.

8. . . . a trellis . . . in each opening fleurs-de-lys . . .

9. [Vert] three lions passant [gold]. FITZ-GEFFREY.

10. [Azure] a chevron [ermine] between three leopards' faces [gold]. BLACKNEY.

11. [Silver] a leopard rampant [sable] and a bordure engrailed [sable]. BERUEN.

12. [Gules] a lion [silver] in a field [bezanty]. HEWICK.

13. In point : [Gold] a fesse checky [azure] and [silver] and on the fesse an escutcheon [silver] a lion [gules] and a ragged bend [gold]. STEWARD, Co. Suffolk.

Over all a label of three points.

He was the son of Sir Mark Steward, third son of Simeon Steward of Lakenheath, Co. Suffolk, which Simeon was brother of Robert Steward, *alias* Welles, last Prior and first Dean of Ely, who bore No. 13. A Mark Steward was living in Shinfield parish in 1575. See illustration facing p. 99. [*Ashmole MSS. 85c*; *Berks. Arch. Jour.*, xxxv (1931), 100-111; *Harl. Soc.*, xli, 7; Bentham, J. *Hist. and Antiq. of Ely Cathedral* (1771), plate 39.]

*North Wall. Mural Marble.*

Master Henry Beke, Esquire; *d.* 1580.

14. Above : centre : [Gold] two bars dancetty [sable] on a chief [azure] three rings [silver].  
BEKE.
15. Below : dexter : BEKE.  
Impaling :
16. [Azure] three cheverons [silver].  
LEWKNOR.
17. sinister : on a lozenge. LEWKNOR.

He was the son of Hugh Beke who was the brother of Marmaduke Beke of the manor of Early Whiteknights and Hartley Court in Shinfield. He married Jane (see No. 29 below), daughter of Sir Roger Lewknor by whom he had a daughter Elizabeth who inherited the manor of Early Whiteknights and married Hugh Speke by whom she had a son George. [*V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 214-215, 261, 264, 265-6; *Harl. Soc.*, lvi, 2, 15; *Papw., Ord.*, 549; *M.I.*; *Berks. Arch. Jour.*, xxxv (1931), 111-118; *Burke, Gen. Arm.*; *Ashmole MSS. 85o*, 218].

*South Chapel. East Wall. South Side. Mural Marble.*

Alexander Cobham, Esquire, a magistrate; *d.* 1809, aged 72. (Defaced but probably as on hatchment).

18. [Gules] on a chevron [gold] cotised [sable] three lions [sable]. COBHAM.  
Impaling :
19. [Silver] three horses' heads razed [sable] a chief [gules].  
SLADE.

In about 1786 he bought the manor of Shinfield from the Earl of Fingal. According to records in the India Office (quoted in *Berks. Arch. Jour.*, xxxvii (1933), 144) he sailed to India in the ship "Success" in 1783-4 as a free merchant; he married a Slade and was sheriff of Berkshire in 1790 and died suddenly as a result of a fall from his horse. The manor passed to his great-nephew, Alexander Cobham Martyr who took the name of Cobham and had a grant of arms in 1813 of "*Gules on a cheveron engrailed between three cinquefoils gold three lions sable.*" The manor remained in the family until 1920 when it was sold. [*V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 261, 262; *Arm. Fam.* (1929), 392; *Land. Gent.*, (1937). *Berks. Arch. Jour.*, xxxvii (1933), 144-145].

*Over South Aisle arch facing East. Hatchment.*

Dexter half black.

20. Gules on a cheveron gold cotised sable three lions sable.  
COBHAM.

Impaling :

21. Silver three horses' heads razed sable a chief gules.  
SLADE.

See No. 19 above.

*Over South Aisle arch facing West. Hatchments.*

Dexter : the whole field black.

22. Barry of eight gold and azure on a canton silver  
a chaplet gold. HULME.

Impaling :

23. Gules a lion silver within an orle of gold nails.  
BREEDON.

Sinister : sinister half black.

24. HULME.

Impaling :

25. BREEDON.

See No. 27 below.

*South Aisle. South Wall. West End. Mural Marble.*

The Rev. George Hulme of Shinfield Green in this parish :  
*d.* 1845, aged 58.

26. HULME.

Impaling :

27. BREEDON.



35. Gules a saltire between four sheaves gold. READE.  
 36. Below under canopy : dexter : MARTIN.  
 37. sinister : READE.

He may have been the fifth son of William, eldest son of Thomas Martin of Wokingham and he may have married as his first wife Katherine, daughter of John Cheyney of Chesham Bois, Co. Bucks. The inscription states that he was a royal supervisor and that by Mary his wife he had an only daughter and heir Anne who married William Wollascott. According to the pedigree in *Ashmole MSS. 852, 156-7*, his wife Mary was the daughter of Thomas Reade of Barton near Abingdon by his wife Anne, daughter of Thomas Hoo of Hoo, Co. Hertford. Edward Martin probably built the south chapel and appears to have settled the manor of Shinfield on himself and his (? first) wife Katherine in 1561 which manor his son-in-law William Wollascott eventually held with that of Brimpton, Co. Berks. See illustration facing p. 99. [*Harl. Soc.*, lvi, 44 : lvii, 204-5 ; *M.I.* ; *V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 262-265 ; *Ashmole MSS. 850, 219*].

*South Aisle. West End. Hatchment.*

(Dexter half black. Torn and defaced).

38. A notice in the porch says it was one of three of the Hulme family.

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### SPENCERSWOOD.

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*Nave. East End. South Side. Mural Brass.*

Henry Lannoy Hunter of Beech Hill ; *d.* 1909 [aged 73].

He gave land and built the chancel at his own cost and contributed to the building and endowment funds.

1. Quarterly 1 & 4. Gold strewn with crosslets formy fitchy a lion gules. HUNTER.
  2. 2 & 3. Silver a bear leaping sable. BARNARD.
- (An indistinct charge on an inescutcheon).

He was the son of Henry Lannoy Hunter (*d.* 1876) of Beech Hill in Swallowfield, Co. Berks., by his wife Charlotte Octavia (*d.* 1895), daughter of Christopher Bethell Codrington of Dodington, Co. Glouc. He married in 1879 Anna, daughter of Sir James Carter of Mortimer Lodge, Co. Berks., by whom he had issue three sons and one daughter. See also Swallowfield Nos. 1-3 on p. 104. [*Burke, Land. Gent.*].

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### SWALLOWFIELD.

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*Nave. South Wall. West End. Mural Marble.*

Henry Lannoy Hunter, Esquire of Beechhill, Berks. ; *d.* 1768, aged 57. He married Eleanor daughter of David and

Elizabeth Bosanquet on 24 June 1736. He left one son and two daughters, Henry, Harriot and Eleanor. Also Eleanor Hunter his widow; *d.* 1786, aged 70. His only son Henry, *d.* 1789, aged 50, married Mary, daughter of William and Elizabeth Sloane of Stoneham, Co. Southampton, by whom he had two sons and two daughters who survived him, Henry Lannoy, Claudius Stephen, Eleanor and Mary. Also Mary Hunter his widow; *d.* 1822, aged 82.

1. Quarterly : 1 & 4. Defaced.
2.                    2 & 3. Gold a bear leaping sable. BARNARD.
- Impaling :
3. Defaced.

The Claudius Stephen mentioned in the inscription was created a baronet in 1812; his grandson, Sir Charles Roderick Hunter, 3rd Bt., *d.s.p.s.* in 1924 when the baronetcy became extinct. Henry Lannoy Hunter, of Beech Hill, grandson of the Henry Lannoy who was brother of Claudius Stephen, died in 1909. See Spencerswood No. 1 on p. 103 of this volume. [Burke, *Peer. : Land. Gent.*].

*West End. North Wall. Mural Marble.*

Newton Walter only child of Alexander Walker Esquire of Island of Barbadoes and wife of John Walter Esquire of Farley Hill in this parish; *d.* 1772, aged 38.

4. Quarterly 1 & 4. Silver sprinkled with drops of blood two swords in saltire gold over all a lion gules. WALTER.
5.                    2 & 3. Gules on a saltire silver a rose gules. NEVILLE of Abergavenny.

and in pretence :

6. Silver in chief an eye in a cloud and in base a pelican in piety. WALKER.

Lady Russell in "*Swallowfield and its Owners*," p. 237, note 2, states :—" John Walter of Farley Hill . . . was one of the same family as John Walter Esquire, M.P., of Barbados and Busbridge Hill, and was descended from Sir William Walter, Bart., of Sarsden, Oxfordshire, who was an intimate friend of Henry Lord Clarendon. John Walter of Farley Hill married Newton, only daughter of Alexander Walker, of Swallowfield and Barbados, Sheriff of Berks. in 1751. . . . Her father was probably descended from Sir Walter Walker of Bushey Hall, Herts., Advocate to Charles II's Queen, who was also a great friend of Lord Clarendon. William Walker, the second son of Sir Walter, married Mary, daughter of Powell Pryce of Newton, Co. Montgomery, and Earley Court, Reading.

Hence, no doubt, the reason of the name 'Newton' having been given to Miss Walker." It is to be noted that the family of Walker of Bushey, Co. Hertford, bore, according to Burke's 'General Armory' *Erminois on a pile battled azure a mural between two galtraps in pale gold* while Walker of Barbados bore *Vert a canton silver charged with an eye*. It is not clear why the coat of Neville (No. 5) is quartered by Walter. The arms of Walter of Sarsden on a tomb in Wolvercot church, Oxon, are *Azure a daunce gold between three eagles silver*. Further, it appears, from a deed of bargain and sale dated December 16 1773 (in the possession of the Hon. Editor of this Journal) that Powell Pryce was of Newtown and not of "Newton" as Lady Russell stated.

*North Chapel. West Wall. South Side. Mural Marble.*

Sir William Backhouse, Bt. ; *d.s.p.* 1669, aged 28.

7. Above : Quarterly 1 & 4. Per saltire azure and gold a saltire ermine.

BACKHOUSE.

8. 2. Gules two cheverons between three escallops silver.

PERKINS.

9. 3. Azure two leopards silver.

BARNES.

The badge of Ulster.

10. Centre : Top dexter : BACKHOUSE.

Impaling :

11. Ermine on a bend [sable] two hands and arms with sleeves to elbow issuing from the clouds and rending a horseshoe [gold]. BORLASE.

12. Top sinister : Gules a lion passant [ermine] between three lures silver.

CHESTER.

Impaling :

13. BACKHOUSE.

14. Below : dexter : BACKHOUSE.

Impaling :

15. Silver a cheveron sable ermined silver between three cocks sable legs and combs gules. HENSHAW.

16. sinister : BACKHOUSE.

## Impaling :

17. Sable a cheveron between three fleurs-de-lys silver. RICHARDS.
18. At base : dexter : Silver on a bend cotised gules three bezants. BISHOP.

## Impaling :

19. BACKHOUSE.
20. centre : BACKHOUSE.
21. sinister : BACKHOUSE.

## Impaling :

22. BACKHOUSE.

He was the son of Nicholas Backhouse (*d.* 1650, merchant and sheriff of London and of Widford, Co. Hertford, by Christian, daughter of William Williams of London. In 1662 he married Flower (1641-1700), sole daughter and heir of his first cousin William Backhouse (*d.* 1662) by Anne (*d.* 1663; No. 17), daughter of Brian Richards. Flower had married as her first husband William Bishop (*d.* 1661) of South Warnborough, Co. Hants., by whom she had William (born in 1659; *d.* young; No. 18) and a daughter Anne (1657-1660); she married thirdly in 1670 Henry Hyde, Viscount Cornbury who, as eldest son of Edward Hyde, Earl of Clarendon, succeeded to the earldom in 1647. As Lady Clarendon, Flower was governess to the Princess Anne and was described by the Duchess of Marlborough as "one who looked like a madman and talked like a scholar." Sir William held the manor of Swallowfield in the right of his wife and was created a baronet in 1660 and in 1664 he was sheriff of Berkshire. He owned three adventurers' shares in the New River Company and Lady Flower held eleven such shares; in 1889 one adventurer's share was sold by auction for £122,800. The monument was erected by his widow and also commemorates:—1. Her grandfather Samuel (*d.* 1626), 2. Her grandmother, Elizabeth (*d.* 1630; No. 11), daughter of John Borlase of Marlow, Co. Bucks., 3. Her aunt, Ann (No. 12) who married Thomas Chester of Almondsbury, Co. Glouc., 4. Her uncle Sir John Backhouse (*d.* 1649; Nos. 26-31) and his wife Flower (*d.s.p.* 1652; No. 30), daughter of Benjamin Henshaw of London, 5. Her brother John Backhouse (*d.* 1660), 6. Her children by the first marriage, William (No. 18) and Anne Bishop, 7. Her parents, William (*d.* 1662) and Anne (*d.* 1663; No. 17), daughter of Brian Richards, and her husbands William Bishop (*d.* 1661; No. 18) and Sir William Backhouse (*d.s.p.* 1669). See pedigree on p. 108. [*Harl. Soc.*, lvi, 160-161; *V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 269; Russell, *Swallowfield and its owners* (1901), 134-137; *Compl. Peer.*, iii (1913), 267, note b.]

*Mural Marble.*

Henry, eldest son of Sir Henry Russell, Bt.; *d.* in Cairo, 1847, aged 28.

23. Silver a cheveron sable between three crosslets fitchy a bordure engrailed gules charged with bezants in the corners



and escallops gold on the sides ; on the cheveron a label of three points. RUSSELL.

He was the eldest son of Sir Henry Russell (1783-1852 ; see No. 35 below), 2nd Bt., by his second wife Marie Clotilde (*d.* 1872 ; see No. 37 below), daughter of Baron Benoît Mottet de la Fontaine. See pedigree on p. 111. [Burke, *Peer.* ; Russell, *Swallowfield and its owners* (1901), 269].

*Mural Bronze.*

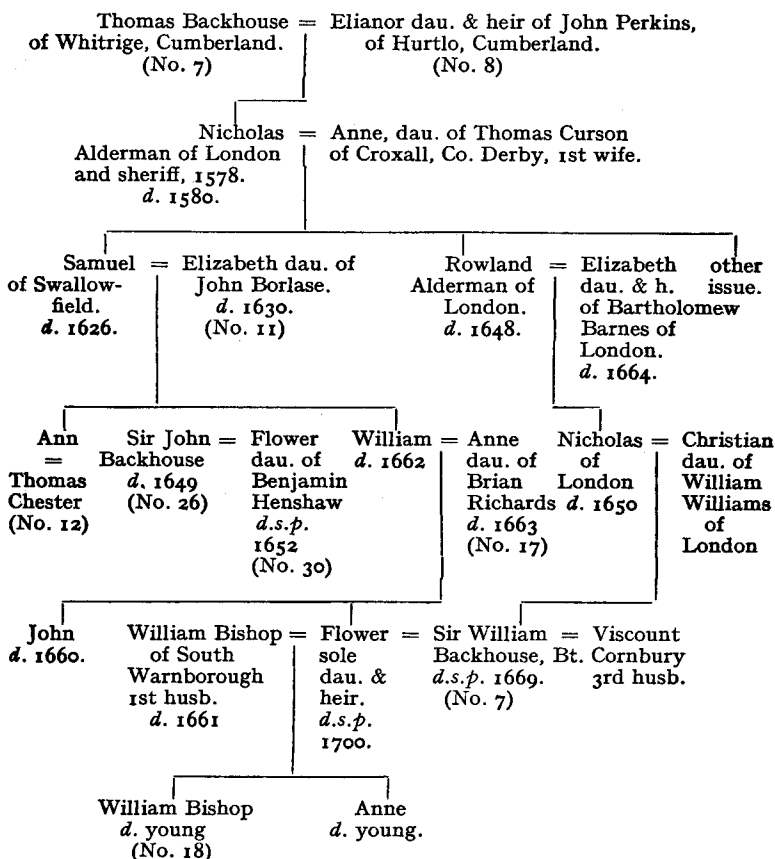
Cecil Henry Russell, *d.* 1910, aged 77.

24. Quarterly 1 & 4. RUSSELL.

25. 2 & 3. [Silver] a bend sable and in sinister chief a sheaf [gules]. WHITWORTH.

He was the son of George Lake Russell (1802-1878 ; fifth son of Sir Henry Russell, 1st Bt.) by his wife Caroline Alicia (*d.* 1890), daughter of Edmond 1st Earl of Limerick. He was a barrister-at-law and Treasurer of Lincoln's Inn and married in 1859 Katherine (*d.* 1905), daughter of Henry Porter of Winslade, by whom he had three sons and four daughters. See pedigree on p. 111. [Burke, *Peer.*].

## KEY PEDIGREE OF BACKHOUSE.

*Mural Marble.*

Sir John Backhouse of Swallowfield; d. 1649, aged 65.

26. At base : Quarterly 1 & 4. Per saltire gold and azure a saltire ermine.

BACKHOUSE.

27. 2. PERKINS.

28. 3. BARNES.

29. Centre : As in No. 26. BACKHOUSE.

Impaling :

30. Silver a cheveron sable ermined silver three cocks sable. HENSHAW.

The marble Gravestone lying over the body of Sir John Backhouse, adjoyning to the south side of that laid for Samuell Backhouse his Father; wherein are the Armes, Trophies & Emblems as follow,



On another Gravestone in this Chancel, wherein (in a bras plate) is the figure of a Woman, in her ordinary Habit, as tho' she were out of her mouth

Thou mercy Lady help.

Die iact Margeria quondam uxor Thome Litterford ex-  
quis obijt die . . . . . An. dni 1400. cuius anima requiescat in pace Amen.

Swallowfield.

Sir John Backhouse  
[Nos. 26-31]

## 31. Sinister : HENSHAW.

He was the eldest son of Samuel Backhouse (*d.* 1626) of Swallowfield, by his wife Elizabeth (*d.* 1630 ; No. 11), daughter of John Borlase of Marlow, Co. Bucks. In 1615 he married at St. Alban's church, Wood Street, Flower (*d.s.p.* 1652 ; No. 30), daughter of Benjamin Henshaw of London and merchant tailor and silkman to James I ; he was a royalist and suffered imprisonment and sequestration ; at the coronation of Charles I he had been made a Knight of the Bath, having been member for Great Marlow in the first parliament of that reign ; he sat again in 1626 and 1628. He was succeeded at Swallowfield by his brother William (*d.* 1662), the Roscicrucian and friend of Ashmole ; extracts of his will are given in 'Swallowfield and its owners,' pp. 118-120. See pedigree on p. 108. [*Harl. Soc.*, lvi, 160-161 ; *V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 269 ; Russell, *Swallowfield and its owners* (1901), 110, 116-120 ; *Ashmole MSS.* 850, 224].

*Against North Wall. West Side. Funeral Shield.*

## 32. Quarterly 1 &amp; 4. BACKHOUSE.

33. 2. Gules two cheverons between three escallops gold. PERKINS.

34. 3. Azure two leopards gold. BARNES.

The badge of Ulster.

*North Window. Glass.*

Sir Henry Russell, Bt. Dame Marie Clotilde Russell. Sir Charles Russell, Bt., V.C., M.P. Window placed in memory of parents and brother by George Russell, 4th Bt. of Swallowfield and his three sisters in 1884.

Dexter : Sir Henry Russell, Bt. 1783-1852.

35. Quarterly 1 & 4. RUSSELL.

36. 2 & 3. WHITWORTH.

Impaling :

37. Gules a cheveron gold between two roses slipped silver and in base a bezant on a chief azure three molets silver. DE LA FONTAINE.

Centre : Dame Marie Clotilde Russell. 1794-1872.

38. 1. On a lozenge : Quarterly 1 & 4. RUSSELL.

39. 2 & 3. WHIT-

WORTH.

Impaling :

40. DE LA FONTAINE.

41. 2. DE LA FONTAINE.  
Sinister : Sir Charles Russell, Bt., V.C., M.P.
42. Quarterly 1 & 4. RUSSELL.
43. 2 & 3. WHITWORTH.

Sir Henry Russell (1783-1852), 2nd Bt., was the eldest son and heir of Sir Henry Russell (*d.* 1836; see No. 46 below), by his second wife Anne Barbara (*d.* 1814; see No. 47 below), fifth daughter of Sir Charles Whitworth. He married firstly in 1808 Jane Amelia (*d.* 1808), second daughter of John Casamajor Esquire, a member of the Council of Madras, and secondly in 1816 Marie Clotilde (*d.* 1872), daughter of Baron Benoît Mottet de la Fontaine, the last French Governor of Pondicherry, by whom he had issue Henry (*d.* 1847; see No. 23 above), Charles, 3rd Bt. (*d. unm.* 1883; see No. 42), George, 4th Bt. (1828-1898) and three daughters. He succeeded at Swallowfield on the death of his father in 1836 at the age of fifty-three; at the age of eighteen he was appointed assistant secretary to the Resident at Hyderabad and in 1810 he became Resident at the salary of £20,000 *per annum*, which post he held until 1820 when he retired to England, spending most of his time at Swallowfield. He is said "to have greatly resembled William Pitt in his features." See pedigree on p. 111. [Burke, *Peer.*; Russell, *Swallowfield and its owners* (1911), 262-272]. Sir Charles Russell, V.C. was the second son and heir of Sir Henry Russell (*d.* 1852; see No. 35 above) and succeeded as 3rd Bt. He was a captain in the Grenadier Guards and took part in the siege of Sebastopol and in the battles of Alma, Balacava and Inkerman and in 1857 on his return he was awarded the Victoria Cross. He was M.P. for Berkshire, 1865-68 and for Westminster, 1874-83. He died unmarried and was succeeded by his brother George (1828-1898) as 4th Bt. See pedigree on p. 111. [Burke, *Peer.*; Russell, *Swallowfield and its owners* (1901), 294-296].

*On North Wall. East Side. Funeral Shield.*

44. On an oval: Quarterly 1 & 4. As in No. 26. BACK-HOUSE.
45. 2 & 3. PERKINS.

*East Wall. Mural Marble.*

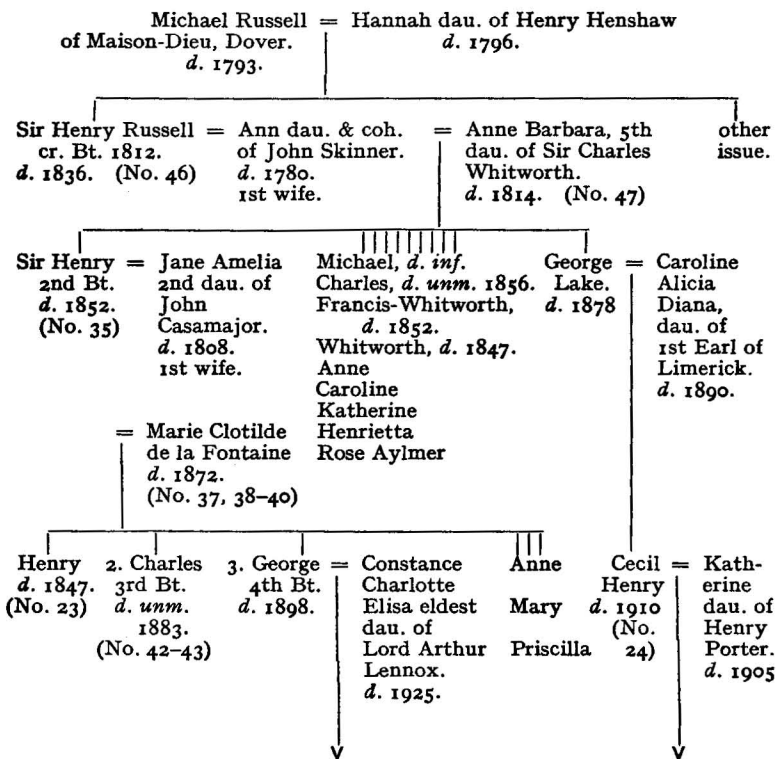
Sir Henry Russell, Bt., P.C., Chief Justice, Bengal; *d.* 1836, aged 85. Also Anne Barbara, his wife, daughter of Sir Charles Whitworth, Kt., and sister of Charles, Earl Whitworth; 1763-1814. He had issue six sons, Henry, Michael, Charles, Francis-Whitworth, Whitworth and George Lake; and five daughters, Anne, Caroline, Katherine, Henrietta and Rose Aylmer; of whom five sons and four daughters survived them, Michael having died in infancy and Anne in 1808.

46. RUSSELL, the badge of Ulster.  
Impaling :

## 47. WHITWORTH.

He was the third son of Michael Russell (1711-1793) of Maison-Dieu, Dover, by his wife Hannah (*d.* 1796), daughter of Henry Henshaw of Dover. In 1776 he married Ann (*d.* 1780), daughter and coheir of John Skinner, Esquire of Lydd, Kent. He married secondly in 1782 Anne Barbara (*d.* 1814; see No. 47), fifth daughter of Sir Charles Whitworth and sister of Charles, Earl Whitworth, by whom he had six sons and five daughters. In 1797 he was appointed to the Bench in India and in 1806 he became Chief Justice in Bengal retiring in 1813, having been created a baronet in 1812. He bought Swallowfield manor in 1820 and made considerable alterations to the house. He died at his London house, 62, Wimpole Street. See pedigree below. [Burke, *Peer.*; Russell, *Swallowfield and its owners* (1901), 252-261].

## KEY PEDIGREE OF RUSSELL.



*Sanctuary. South Side. Ledger Brass.*

Christopher Lytkott, Esquire ; *d.* 1554. He married Katheryn, daughter of Robert Cheyne of Chesham Boyes, Co. Bucks., Esquire, and had by her three sons and one daughter : John, Leonard, Christopher and Dorothy.

48. Above : dexter : 1 & 4. Vairy [silver and sable] two bars [gules] on a chief [gold] three dove-cotes [gules]. LYTCOTT.
49. 2 & 3. [Silver] a chief [sable] and three tilting lances upright countercoloured. BURLEY.
50. sinister : Quarterly 1 & 4. LYTCOTT.
51. 2 & 3. BURLEY.
- Impaling :
52. Checky [gold] and [azure] a fesse [gules] fretty [silver]. CHEYNE.
53. Below : dexter : Quarterly 1 & 4. LYTCOTT.
54. 2 & 3. BURLEY.
- Impaling :
55. CHEYNE.
56. sinister : CHEYNE.

He was the son of Roger Lytcott Esquire of Ruscombe and Twyford, Co. Berks., Marshall of the Hall to King Henry VII, by his wife Julian, daughter of John Barker Esquire of Sonning, Co. Berks. He married Katherine, daughter of Sir Robert Cheyne (Cheney) Kt., of Chesham Bois, Co. Bucks., by whom he had three sons, John, Leonard and Christopher (*d.s.p.* 1599 ; see West Hanney Nos. 1 and 2, Vol. xxxvi (1932), p. 141) and a daughter Dorothy. He was a gentleman pensioner of King Henry VIII and train-bearer to Queen Anne Bullen and had a grant of the manor of Swallowfield in 1553, having held the lease since 1542 of the house, of Swallowfield Park and the fulling-mill. His son John mortgaged the property which eventually was acquired by Samuel Backhouse (*d.* 1626). [*Harl. Soc.*, lvii, 174-175 ; *V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 269 ; Morley, *Mon. brasses of Berkshire* (for illustration), 206 ; *Ashmole MSS.* 850, 221].

*External. Below north window of north chapel. Ledger Stone.*

Edward Dalby, Gent., late of Reading ; *d.* 1726, aged 71. Johanna Dalby, his wife, daughter and coheir of John Finch, Esquire ; *d.* 1731, aged 59. Monument erected by son.

Defaced but giving traces of

57. Barry of eight a crescent and a shield in pretence.

He may have been the son of Edward Dalby Esquire of Inner Temple, by his wife Frances, second daughter of Charles Holloway of Oxon. By his second wife Johanna he had a son John Dalby of Hurst. John Finch was of the manor of Fynes (or Woolley) in White Waltham, Co. Berks. The arms given in *Rawlinson MS.*, D. 865, fol. 98 (quoted in *Harl. Soc.*, lvii, 111-112) are *Barry wavy of six gold and gules*. [*V.C.H. Berks.*, iii, 173; Russell, *Swallowfield and its owners* (1901), 332].