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son of Robert french, DL, JP, of Monivea, and *d* 4 Nov 1906, leaving issue (see that family). He *d* March 1917.

2 Johanna Isabella, m 1st 1864, Croasdaile Molony, of Granahan. He *d* 1872. She *m* 2ndly 1873, as his 2nd wife, John Blakeney, DL, JP, of Abbert, co Galway, and had issue (see that family). He *d* 1901.

The 2nd son,

THE REV ROBERT FFRENCH BLAKE, of Kilnock, co Mayo, Rector of Staple, Kent, *b* 18 June 1838, *educ* Trin Coll Dublin (BA), *m* 8 Nov 1877, Mary Elizabeth (*d* 28 July 1900), dau of Arthur T. Hewitt, DL, and *d* 18 Oct 1900, leaving issue,

1 ARTHUR O'BRIEN FFRENCH, of whom presently.

2 Robert Charles Sydney french, 2nd Lieut The Buffs, *b* 18 July 1880; accidentally shot in S Africa 19 May 1902.

3 St John Lucius O'Brien Acheson french, Major 21st Lancers, *b* 26 May 1889, *educ* HMS Britannia, *m* 1 June 1912, ●Doris Kathleen (*Lower Lease, Saunton, Braunton, N Devon*) (who *m* 2ndly 7 April 1920, Col Launcelot Machell Wilson, CMG, DSO, RA (*d* 28 Feb 1950), son of Rev Canon Wilson, JP, of Bolton, Yorks), dau of Arthur John Tweedie, of Braunton, N Devon, and was *k* at Gaza 19 April 1917, leaving issue.

●Robert Lifford Valentine french, DSO (1945), Lt-Col 17th/21st Lancers (ret 1949), served in World War II (*Midgham Park Farm, Woolhampton, nr Reading, Berks*), *b* 3 March 1913, *educ* Eton, and RMC Sandhurst, *m* 11 July 1939, ●Grania Bryde, JP (1952) Cornwall, dau of late Capt Walter Hilton Curran, of Orillia, Canada, and Notgrove, Glos, and has issue,

(1) ●Neil St John french (*The Barn House, Midgham Park, Woolhampton, nr Reading, Berks*), *b* 4 Nov 1940, *educ* Eton, *m* 11 July 1970, ●Lady Caroline Anne de Vere Beauclerk, dau of 13th Duke of St Albans, OBE (see BURKE'S Peerage), and has issue,

●Clare Eleanor de Vere french, *b* 15 Jan 1972.

(2) ●Anthony O'Brien french, 17th/21st Lancers (ret 1971) (*The Bailiffs House, Midgham Park, Woolhampton, nr Reading, Berks*), *b* 21 April 1942, *educ* Eton, and RMA Sandhurst, *m* 17 Feb 1968, ●Susanne, dau of Flemming Bergsøe, of Copenhagen, Denmark, and has issue,

1a ●Flemming Martin french, *b* 22 Aug 1970.

2a ●Nicholas Anthony french, *b* 22 Jan 1974.

4 Desmond O'Brien Evelyn french, Lt-Col 13th/18th Hus, served in World War II, *b* 30 June 1900, *educ* Eton, and Ch Ch Oxford, *m* 1 Aug 1939, ●Elizabeth Iris (*Ibthorpe House, Hurstbourne Tarrant, Andover, Hants*) (who *m* 2ndly 1 Feb 1951, Capt Anthony George Hogg (*d* 15 July 1973), son of Rev Walter Eustace Hogg, of Wantage, Berks), dau of William Henry Cardale, of 4 Berkeley Gardens, London W8, and was *ka* in N Africa 31 May 1943, leaving issue,

●Robert John William french, Major 13th/18th R Hus (*Ibthorpe House, Hurstbourne Tarrant, Andover, Hants*), *b* 21 June 1940, *educ* Eton, and RMA Sandhurst.

1 Nora Mary, of Crowbally, co Cork, *b* 12 Sept 1886; *dunm* 9 Oct 1968.

The eldest son,

LT-COL ARTHUR O'BRIEN FFRENCH BLAKE, TD, of Rothford, Giles Lane, Canterbury, Kent, formerly of Kilnock, co Mayo, DL (1955) Kent, joined R E Kent Yeo 1901, served in World War I, Jt Master and Huntsman West Street Harriers 1902-03, Master and Huntsman 1905-10, Jt Master and Huntsman Wilton Hounds 1922-26, The Grove Hounds 1926-30, Master and Huntsman E Kent Hounds 1930-32, Jt Master 1932-33, Master and Huntsman S Shropshire Hounds 1938-46, *b* 22 Feb 1879, *educ* Eton, and Ch Ch Oxford, *m* 16 Aug 1910, ●Laura Iris (*5 South Close, The Precincts, Canterbury, Kent*), only dau of Charles Henry Walker, of Muckeridge, co Cork, and *d* 28 Oct 1973, leaving issue,

1 ●MARTIN ARTHUR O'BRIEN, of whom we treat.

1 ●Elizabeth Mary, *b* 2 Sept 1912, *m* 14 Jan 1948, ●Cedric David Charles Dickens (*Hillcroft, Darford Road, Farningham, Kent*), elder son of late Philip Charles Dickens, of 16 St John's Wood Court, London NW8, and has issue,

●John Philip Charles, *b* 19 July 1951, *educ* Wellington.

●Jane Sybil, *b* 16 April 1950.

2 ●Bridgit Iris, *b* 17 Nov 1914, *m* 26 Jan 1937, ●Major Richard Moubray Allfrey, QO RW Kent Regt (*Sunnyside, Storrige, Malvern, Worcs*), eldest son of late Charles Moubray Allfrey, of Beresford, Broughton Monchelsea, Kent, and has issue, two sons and two daus (see BURKE'S LGi).

3 ●Daphne Ann, *b* 26 Nov 1918, *m* 22 June 1950, ●Eustace Ian Scott (*Lower Uppacott Farm, Tawstock, Barnstaple, N Devon*), 3rd son of Hon Denys Scott, of The Holt, Appledore, N Devon (see BURKE'S Peerage, ELDON, E).

Arms (UO)—Arg a fret gu. Crest—A mountain cat passant ppr. Motto—Virtus sola nobilitat.

Seats—Oranmore Castle, co Galway; Ballyglunin Park, co

Galway; Raford, co Galway; Ballinafad, co Mayo; Ardfry, co Galway; Renville Hall, Oranmore, co Galway; Coolcon, co Mayo; Renwyle, Connemara, co Galway; Windfield, co Galway; Annefield, co Mayo; Merlin Park, co Galway; Cregg Castle, co Galway.

BLAKENEY

ROBERT EDWARD BLAKENEY, late R Sigs, served in World War II, empd with Woodhall Duckham Ltd, formerly with Savoy Gp (*Ashdown House West, Dane Hill, Haywards Heath, Sussex*), *b* 7 July 1911, *educ* St Paul's, *m* 26 Aug 1949, ●Meriel Enid, MBE, yst dau of late Sir Gerald Trevor, KCIE, Inspr-Gen of Forests India and Burma, of Trawscoed Hall, Welshpool, Montgomeryshire, and has issue,

●NICHOLAS DAVID WILLIAM, *b* 10 Dec 1955, *educ* Winchester, and Nottingham Univ.

Lineage—THOMAS BLAKENEY, Gov of Dering's Castle, in N of Ireland temp ELIZABETH I and JAMES I, *m* 1st, Katherine, 2nd dau of Col Kelk, and sister of Susannah, Mrs Henry Ormsby (see that family). He *m* 2ndly, Sarah Hatton (said to be of the family of Lord Chancellor Hatton), by whom he had issue, with one other dau,

1 ROBERT, of whom presently.

2 William, of Mount Blakeney and Thomastown, co Limerick, Lieut in the Army, granted lands in co Limerick by Cromwell, which were confirmed to his elder son by King Charles II by Letters Patent 16 Feb 1666, *d* 31 March 1664 (*bur* St Peter's Church, Kilmallock, where the Norfolk Blakeney's (from whom this family traditionally claim descent) coat-of-arms is displayed on his tomb), leaving issue,

1 William, of Mount Blakeney and Thomastown, co Limerick, JP, MP for Kilmallock 1725-56, Col 27th Regt of Foot Drags 15 Aug 1702, *m* Elizabeth, dau of Cornet Henry Bowerman, of Cooliney, co Cork, by his wife Katherine, dau of Maurice Purdon, of Ballyclough, co Cork, and was *bur* St Peter's Church, Kilmallock (will *pr* 22 April 1718), leaving issue,

(1) WILLIAM, 1ST and last BARON BLAKENEY, KCB (1756), MP for Kilmallock 1725-56, Col 27th Regt of Foot 1737, served throughout Marlborough's wars in R Regt of Foot of Ireland, wounded at Namur, Blenheim and Malplaquet, Major-Gen and Gov of Stirling Castle 1745, Lt-Gen and Lt-Gov of Minorca 11 Sept 1747, *cr* BARON BLAKENEY, of Mount Blakeney, co Limerick 8 Sept 1756, *b* 1673; *dunm* 20 Sept 1761 (*bur* Westminster Abbey), when the peerage became extinct (see BURKE'S Dormant and Extinct Peerages).

(2) George, Lt-Col Villiers' Regt of Marines 22 May 1703.

(3) Charles, Lieut R Scots 18 Feb 1712.

(4) John, Lieut, Col Churchill's Regt of Marines 13 April 1709, and Sir Harry Goring's Huntington Regt of Foot (31st) 1 June 1715, *d* 1 Feb 1720.

(5) Robert, of Mount Blakeney, co Limerick, and 36 St Stephen's Green, Dublin, JP (1730) co Limerick, Capt Huntington Regt of Foot 15 May 1716, Bde-Major to Gen Hulse during German War 1743, and took part in Battle of Dettingen, *m* (sett 27 Jan 1729), Deborah, dau of Grice Smyth, of Ballynatray, co Waterford (see HOLROYD-SMYTH), *d* 18 Nov 1763, leaving issue,

1a William, of Mount Blakeney, co Limerick, and 36 St Stephen's Green, Dublin, and later of Bath, Somerset, Lieut in Lt-Col Robert Blakeney's Drags 1756, Barrister-at-law 22 May 1759, *b* 1733, *educ* Trin Coll Dublin (BA 1752), *m* 9 June 1764, his cousin Gertrude (*bur* St Andrew's Church, Dublin 26 Aug 1768), dau of Richard Smyth, of Ballynatray, co Waterford (see HOLROYD-SMYTH), *d* 15 Sept 1811, leaving issue, Robert (Rev), Rector of Great Elm, nr Bath, *b* 1768, *educ* Magdalen Coll Oxford (BCL 1792), *dunm* 12 Jan 1825.

2a George, Lieut in Col Robert Blakeney's Drags 1756, *b* 1735, *educ* Trin Coll Dublin.

3a Grice, JP cos Limerick, Cork and Tipperary, Gen in the Army, Lt-Col cmdg 14th Drags, Col 4th

(Blakeney's) R Veteran Bn 1790, *dunm* 16 Nov 1816, aged 75.

1a Gertrude, m 28 May 1752, Col Robert Blakeney, of Abbert, co Galway (*see below*), and d 21 April 1757, leaving issue. He d 30 Dec 1762.

(1) Hatton, m Robert Armstrong, of Cork, and had issue, one son and three daus.

(2) Mary, m — Le Strange.

(3) Catherine, m as his 2nd wife, Joseph Gubbins, JP, of Knocklong, co Limerick, Lieut in William Blakeney's Tp of Ingoldsby Drags, and had issue (*see 1912 Edn, GUBBINS of Kilfrush*).

(4) Elizabeth, m Francis Creed, of Ballygrenane, Uregare, co Limerick, and d 1744, leaving issue.

2 George, Lt-Col Huntington Regt of Foot (31), comm'n'd by King William III 12 Nov 1688, Lt-Col Luttrell's Marines 7 April 1705 (regt disbanded 11 April 1713), re-raised his regt as The Huntington Regt 1 June 1715, served at Cadiz and Vigo 1702, Gibraltar 1704, Toulon and Cagliari 1708, resigned his comm'n to his nephew William Blakeney 1718, *dunm* (will dated 10 June 1726, pr 10 May 1728).

3 John.

4 George.

5 Charles.

6 Henry.

1 Hatton, m — Pepper, of Drogheda.

2 a dau, m — Lovelace, and had issue.

3 a dau, m J. Gardner, and had issue.

The eldest son,

ROBERT BLAKENEY, of Castle Gallagh (*alias* Castle Blakeney), co Galway, Major in Sir Charles Coote's Regt of Drags, granted Gallagh, co Galway and lands in cos Mayo and Kilkenny by Cromwell for his mil services, said to have m 1st, Martha Bolton, niece of Sir Charles Corty. He m 2ndly, Susannah (d 29 Sept 1659, *bur* St Michael's Church, Dublin), dau of Capt Edward Ormsby, of Tobervaddy, co Roscommon (*see that family*), and d (will dated 10 Feb 1658, pr 6 July 1660), leaving issue,

1 JOHN, of whom presently.

2 Charles, d 1685.

3 Robert, of Newtown, Galway, and of Parke, co Galway, Dep Gov of Galway, Sheriff of Galway 1700, 1701 and 1703, Capt in Lord Meath's Regt of Foot, present at 1st siege of Limerick (wounded), Mayor of Galway 1714 and 1715, b 1657, m Elizabeth (will pr 4 Oct 1739), widow of — Macdonald, and dau of — Rogers, and dsp 12 Oct 1731.

4 Edward, of Gallagh, co Galway, recd Freedom of Galway 1 Aug 1684, Lieut in Capt Robert Blakeney's Tp of Drags 30 Sept 1702, b 1659, m Deborah, dau of Thomas Staunton, Capt Galway Militia and Mayor of Galway, by his wife Deborah, dau of Capt John Morgan, of Killoclan, co Galway, and had issue,

1 Robert, of Parke, co Galway, Capt in Lord St George's Regt of Drags, Portreeve of Athenry, m Elizabeth, sister of Simon Marshall, JP, of Kilbonan, co Galway, Collr of Galway, and d at Parke 18 Feb 1766, having had issue,

(1) Charles, d young.

(2) Edward, of Parke, co Galway, Capt-Lieut in Col Robert Blakeney's Regt of Dragoons 1756, *dunm* 1770.

(3) Simon, of Parke and Gortgariffe, co Galway, Lieut in Col Robert Blakeney's Regt of Drags, Portreeve of Athenry, m his cousin Marcella (d 29 Nov 1781), 3rd dau of Thomas Blakeney, of Currando, Cornacuoagh and Feigh, co Galway (*see below*), and d 1780 (*bur* Tuam Cathedral), having had issue,

1a Thomas, *bur* Tuam Cathedral 1769.

2a Edward, d young.

1a Elizabeth, m at Athlone 1787, James Betragh, of Manin, co Mayo, and had issue.

2a Sarah, *dunm*.

(4) Robert, of Parke and Gortgariffe, co Galway, served for several years in N America in independent Regt of Foot (later 119th Regt), b 1732, m at Clonburn, co Galway 27 April 1785, Judith Ryland, and d at Athenry 4 Feb 1808, leaving issue,

Robert, Ensign 28th Regt of Foot 1804, Lieut 1805, Capt 36th Regt of Foot 1812, served in Peninsular War (mentioned in despatches from Duke of Wellington 14 Nov 1814), and in Corfu under Lord Nugent, Res of the Island of Paxo for 21 yrs, b 1788, m at Corfu 1823, Contessa Julia Balbi, and d at Paxo 1855, leaving issue,

1b Robert, HBM Consul at Santi Quaranta, Albania, m Amelia Alexachie, and d at Corfu 9 April 1886, aged 56.

2b John Henry, Lieut 77th Regt of Foot (ret 1858), b at Zante, d at Corfu 17 Sept 1869.

3b Charles Altavilla, MVO (4th cl) (1906), Cons Agent at Santi Quaranta 1862-65, Vice-Consul at Missolonghi 1869-74, at Prevesa 1874-99, and Corfu 1899-1907, b at Paxo Jan 1840, m at S Maura, Ionian Islands, Virginia, a dau of Count Nicholas Connenemos, Turkish Consul at Corfu, and d at Leghorn 17 Jan 1907, leaving issue,

1c Charles Llewellyn, of Greece, served in World War II in Egypt, sometime HBM Consul at Belgrade and at Athens 1945-46, b at Prevesa 14 July 1880, m, and d 13 June 1970, leaving issue,

● Muriel Virginia Julia, m ● — Spanopoulos (7 Loukianou, Athens, Greece), and has issue, one son.

1c Cecilia.

2c Mary.

3c Sappho.

1b Cecilia, m at Paxo 1844, Capt John Gibson, The Rifle Bde. He was *ka* in S Africa during the Kafir War 1846.

2b Mary, m at Paxo, Major William Hugh Barton, 76th Regt of Foot, and had issue, five sons and four daus (*see that family*).

3b Charlotte, m at Corfu 24 July 1852, Col Marcus Wyllie De la Poer Beresford, 49th Regt of Foot, son of John Beresford, Col Sec of Island of St Vincent, and d 31 Oct 1906, leaving issue (*see BURKE'S Peerage, WATERFORD, M*). He d 12 Feb 1902.

4b Anne, m at Corfu 1858, Surg-Major G. Faught, 46th Regt, and d in India.

2 Thomas of Currando, Cornacuoagh (*jure uxoris*), and Feigh, co Galway, b 1693, m 1715, Sarah (*bur* Tuam Cathedral 18 Feb 1763), dau and heiress of Redmond (Robert?) Burke, of Cornacuoagh, Tyaquin, co Galway, and d 27 May 1762 (*bur* Tuam Cathedral), leaving issue,

(1) Edward, of Cornacuoagh, co Galway, and 71 Newman Street, London W, Priv Sec to Gen Lord Blakeney, Gov of Minorca 1748, HBM Consul at Nice 1755, Commissary-Gen for the Army, granted a pension by Sec of State after German War "for his valuable services to his country", b 1716, *educ* Trin Coll Dublin, d 1799 (will dated 15 March, pr 29 June 1799).

(2) Thomas, of Feigh, co Galway, and St Andrew's Street, Dublin, m 29 Jan 1760, Margaret Wallace (*bur* 6 April 1795), dsp, and was *bur* 23 July 1789.

(3) Robert, Lieut in Gen Blakeney's Regt of Foot, served in Ticonderoga, Crown Point, Montreal, Martinico, Grenada and Havannah, *educ* Trin Coll Dublin, *dunm* off Havannah 20 Sept 1762.

(4) George, *dunm*.

(5) Charles, of Feigh and Currenlarman, co Galway, Cloneera and Lisnamult, co Roscommon, and 2 Hume Street, St Stephen's Green, Dublin, b 1731, m 6 March 1761, Bridget (d 15 Sept 1776), dau and heiress of Barnaby Gunning, JP, of Holywell, co Roscommon (uncle of the famous beauties, Maria Gunning, Countess of Coventry, and Elizabeth Gunning, Duchess of Hamilton, and later Duchess of Argyll), by his wife Anne, dau and co-heiress of John Staunton, KC, DL, JP, MP for Galway, of Oldburg, co Galway, and d Dec 1815, having had issue,

1a John Edward, of Greenhall, co Roscommon, Lieut RMLI (ret on account of wounds 1796), *bapt* 7 June 1763, m 1st, Frances (d 1820, aged 50, *bur* Roscommon 25 April), dau of Thomas Bradley, and had issue,

1b Richard, of Ballymurry, co Roscommon, Lieut 14th RMLI (invalided 1819), served in HMS *Horatio*, mentioned in despatches from Capt Sir George Scott 1809), HMS *African*, and HMS *Queen Charlotte*, b 1788, m 21 Aug 1816, Susan Maria (d 24 Feb 1863), eldest dau of James Batty Purdon, of Lissbride, co Roscommon, by his wife Magdalen, afterwards 2nd wife of John Edward Blakeney (*see above*), and d 26 Sept 1848, leaving issue,

1c Richard Paul (Rev Canon), DD, LL.D, Canon and Preb of York Minster, Rector and RD of Bridlington, Yorks, author of numerous theological works, b 2 June 1820, m 1st 1 April 1841, Anna (d 2 July 1855), dau and heiress of Lieut Richard O'Connor, RN, of Roscommon, and had issue,

1d Susan, m 10 Oct 1865, Rev Albert Wade, BA. Canon Blakeney m 2ndly 2 Dec 1856, Elizabeth (d 19 Sept 1916), dau and co-heiress of Robert Bibby, of Prince's Park, Liverpool, and d at Bridlington 31 Dec 1884, having by her had issue,

- 1d Richard (Rev), Canon Res of Peterborough Cathedral 1923-45, b 14 Oct 1857, *educ* Merton Coll Oxford (BA 1880, MA 1884), m 16 April 1884, Alice, eldest dau of Henry Unwin, JP, of Broom Cross, Sheffield, and *dsp* 28 Feb 1946.
- 2d Robert Bibby (Rev), hon Canon of Liverpool Cathedral, Rector and RD of Southport, b 1 Feb 1865, *educ* Peterhouse Camb (BA 1889, MA 1904), m 19 July 1894, Constance Eleanor (d 28 July 1937), 2nd dau of Col Henry Zouch Darrah, BSC, and *dsp* 31 May 1948.
- 3d John Edward, Lt-Col 3rd Bn Essex Regt, seconded for services with W African Forces 1895, served throughout operations in Sierra Leone Protectorate 1898-99, cmd'd Sierra Leone Bn W African Frontier Force 1900, Res (2) N Nigeria 1904, served in World War I, OC 18th Corps Troops 1917-18, b 20 Dec 1866, *educ* Peterhouse Camb, m 28 Feb 1899, Louisa Margaret (d 20 Feb 1946), eldest dau of Lt-Col Lorenzo N. Mosse, 67th S Hants Regt, and *dsp* 17 Jan 1961.
- 4d Herbert de Courcy, Major E Surrey Regt, served in World War I, FMS Govt Service 1920-30, b 18 Dec 1873, *educ* Marlborough, and Trin Coll Dublin, m 1st 2 Oct 1895 (m diss by div 1909), Edith Sara, dau of George Bower, of Whitefield, Heston Chapel, Lancs, and had issue,
- 1e ● Dorothy de Courcy, b 17 Jan 1901, m 1st 1 June 1928, Capt Arthur Weale, RASC, son of James Weale, of Liverpool. He d 1957. She m 2ndly ● Leonard William Smith (15 Green Lane, Hales, Norwich, Norfolk), son of Harold Smith, of Norwich.
- 2e ● Irene de Courcy, b 24 Feb 1902, m 6 Nov 1935, ● Terence Henry Eustace, formerly S African Amb at Rio de Janeiro (4 Pemray Drive, Highlands, Salisbury, Rhodesia), son of late William Moss Eustace and has issue, two sons and one dau (see that family).
- Major H. de C. Blakeney m 2ndly 9 Oct 1915, Gladys Sybella (d 29 April 1959), dau of Prof Henry Arthur Tilley, FRGS, of 1 Cornwall Terrace, Regent's Park, London NW1, and d 14 March 1954.
- 2d Elizabeth Gunning, b 18 Nov 1858, m 14 July 1881, Capt Arthur Penry Williams, RN, and d 3 Feb 1882.
- 3d Ellen St Leger, b 23 Nov 1859, m 28 July 1887, Rev John Howard Deazeley, MA, of Hamilton House, Milford Haven, Pemsb, and Lettermacaward, co Donegal, sometime Rector of Killybegs, co Donegal, and *dsp* 9 Aug 1947. He d 18 Aug 1924.
- 4d Florence Purdon, b 26 Dec 1861; *dunm* 20 Jan 1900.
- 5d Magdalen Amelia Ireland, b 2 Nov 1868, m 6 Jan 1898, Rev Lancelot Hicks Becher, MA, Rector of Banks, Lancs, son of Michael Allyn Richard Becher, JP, of Ballydurane House, co Cork, and d 8 Sept 1932, leaving issue, one son. He d 7 May 1912.
- 6d Constance, b 8 Sept 1870, m 8 Dec 1886, Major-Gen Sir Walter de Sausmarez Cayley, KCMG, CB, DL, eldest son of Sir Henry Cayley, CMG, FRGS, Dep Surg-Gen Bengal Army (see BURKE'S *Peerage*, CAYLEY, Bt), and *dsp* 23 May 1966. He d 21 July 1952.
- 2c John Edward (Ven), DD, Archdeacon and Vicar of Sheffield, Canon and Preb of York Minster, Chap-in-ord to HM Queen Victoria, b 7 Dec 1824, m 3 June 1856, Martha, dau of Benjamin Darbyshire, JP, of Hamilton Square, Birkenhead, and d 12 Jan 1895, leaving issue,
- 1d Edward Purdon (Rev), hon Canon of Sheffield Cathedral and Vicar of Bungay, Suffolk, b 12 Oct 1870, *educ* Harrow, and Trin Coll Camb (MA 1897), m 20 June 1899, Hilda Kate (d 21 Jan 1935), eldest dau of William Ernest Dring, MD, JP, of Tenterden, Kent, and d 23 Oct 1933, leaving issue,
- 1e ● John Edward, Headmaster of Merton Court Sch, Sidcup 1931-59 (*Hunters Gate, Elham, Canterbury, Kent*), b 2 Dec 1901, *educ* Trent Coll, and Peterhouse Camb (BA 1925, MA 1930), m 17 Aug 1935, ● Pamela, dau of late C. V. Thompson, of The View, Knoll Road, Sidcup, Kent and has issue,
- 1f ● Robin Edward, racehorse trainer (*Coler Hill Stud, Westwell Leacon, Charing, Kent*), b 1 Dec 1938, *educ* St Dunstan's Coll Catford, m ● Marian, dau of Donald Stevens, of Kent.
- 2f ● Richard John (*East Kent Hunt Kennels Cottage, Elham, Canterbury, Kent*), b 6 Oct 1941, *educ* St Dunstan's Coll Catford, m 1963, his cousin ● Susan Ann, yr dau of Lt-Col Charles Noel Blakeney, ED, AMIME (see below), and has issue,
- Jonathan Charles, b 7 Jan 1965.
- Sally Louise, b 21 Jan 1968.
- 3f ● James Patrick, Co Dir (*Calehill Stud, Charing, Kent*), b 6 Oct 1941 (twin with his brother Richard John), *educ* St Dunstan's Coll Catford.
- 2e ● William Ernest, Solicitor, served in World War II as S/Ldr R Aux AF (6 Eastgate Road, Tenterden, Kent), b 21 Feb 1903, m 6 Sept 1930, ● Gladys Gwendoline, 4th dau of William Searle Roberts, Loughton, Essex, and has issue,
- 1f ● Robert William, b 17 Nov 1936.
- 1f ● Mary Gwendoline, b 2 Oct 1931.
- 2f ● Wendy Elizabeth, b 31 Aug 1934.
- 3f ● Julia, b 26 Jan 1945.
- 3e ● Charles Noel, ED, AMIME, late Lt-Col R Indian Engrs, served in World War II (despatches Burma 1943) (4 Martins Close, Tenterden, Kent), b 5 June 1904, *educ* Trent Coll, and Sheffield Univ (BEngng), m 23 Oct 1937, ● Evelyn Violet Montagu, 2nd dau of Capt Charles Roland Chambers, late Dist Mag Transvaal, of Tenterden, Kent, and has issue,
- 1f ● Sally Margaret Eve, b 15 Aug 1938, m 6 June 1959, ● Lieut Nicholas Gore Gambier, RN (*Shoot Farm, Lee-on-Solent, Hants*), son of Capt Robin Gore Gambier, RN, of Shoot Farm, Lee-on-Solent, Hants, and has issue,
- Nigel Charles Gore, b 26 April 1963.
- Caroline, b 9 Oct 1961.
- 2f ● Susan Ann, b 22 Sept 1943, m 1963, her cousin ● Richard John Blakeney (*East Kent Hunt Kennels Cottage, Elham, Canterbury, Kent*), 2nd son of John Edward Blakeney, of Hunters Gate, Elham, Canterbury, Kent, and has issue (see above).
- 4e ● Eric Lancelot, (*Mulberry Cottage, Slindon, Arundel, Sussex*), b 1 Oct 1906.
- 1e ● Joyce Hilda Martha (*Wisteria Cottage, Newick, Lewes, Sussex*), b 1 Oct 1906, m — Lindsey (*dec*).
- 2d John St Leger (Rev Canon), Rector of Wombwell, Yorks 1930-45, RD of Wath 1932-45, hon Canon of Sheffield Cathedral 1934-47, Canon Emeritus 1947-67, Vicar of Firbeck with Letwell, Yorks 1945-47, b 15 Dec 1873, *educ* Trin Coll Camb (BA 1897, MA 1900), m 19 Oct 1909, Amy Elizabeth (*dec*), dau of John Lowes, of Sharrow, Sheffield, Yorks, and d 10 Nov 1967, leaving issue,
- Edward St Leger (Rev), Vicar of Bethersden, formerly Vicar of Stowmarket (*The Vicarage, Bethersden, Ashford, Kent*), b 4 Aug 1911, *educ* Trent Coll, and Emmanuel Coll Camb (BA 1933, MA 1937), m 28 Sept 1939, ● Dorothy Talbot, dau of Rev Arthur Talbot Easter, MA, Vicar of St Luke's, Woodside, Croydon.
- Sheila St Leger, b 15 April 1913, m 20 Dec 1947, ● Stuart Cecil Smith (*Broad Oaks, Wroot Road, Finningley, Doncaster, Yorks*).
- 1d Martha Susan, b 25 Dec 1862, m 21 Dec 1880, Rt Hon Sir Samuel Roberts, 1st Bt, PC, DL, JP, MP, and d 25 Feb 1941, leaving issue (see BURKE'S *Peerage*, ROBERTS, Bt, of *Eccleshall*). He d 19 June 1926.
- 3c William Purdon, MD, MRCS, b 1834, m 1853,

- Emily, dau of Thomas Clegge, of Tranmere, Cheshire, and *d* 2 Jan 1879, leaving issue,
 William Purdon (Rev), Vicar of Thorpe Salvin, Yorks 1886-1916, *b* 2 Feb 1856, *educ* Gonville and Caius Coll Camb, *m* 29 April 1889, Elizabeth Adaline, dau of William John Wilson, MD, of Claycross Hall, Derbys, and *d* March 1945, having had issue,
 Leslie St Leger, commn'd Lancs Fus 1910, served with Togoland Forcé, W Africa 1914, *b* 13 April 1890, *educ* Marlborough, and RMC Sandhurst, drowned 28 March 1915, when SS *Falaha* was torpedoed off Liverpool, *unm*.
 1c Ellen, *b* 1823, *m* 1842, Rev William Clementson, MA.
 2b John, Lieut 68th RMLI, commn'd 13 Nov 1804 (aged 15), taken pow by French, executed at Verdun 1815 (*admon* 20 May 1816).
 3b Thomas, Lieut 77th RMLI, commn'd 5 Oct 1808 (aged 15), *dsp* 1833.
 4b Charles William, *d* at Mauritiuis 10 July 1848.
 5b Theophilus, *d* young.
 6b Robert H., *bapt* 5 June 1805.
- Mr J. E. Blakeney *m* 2ndly, Magdalen, widow of John Batty Purdon, and eldest dau of de Courcy Ireland, of Low Park, co Roscommon, by his wife Susannah, sister of Sir Edmund Stanley, Ch Justice of Madras and MP for Lanesborough, and by her had issue,
 1b Mary Anne.
 2a Thomas (Rev), of Holywell, co Roscommon, and 3 Fitzwilliam Square, Dublin, Rector of Roscommon 1805, *b* in Dublin 1770, *educ* Trin Coll Dublin (BA 1791), *m* July 1801, Alicia (*d* 9 Jan 1951), dau of Most Rev William Newcome, DD, Archbishop of Armagh, and Primate of All Ireland, and *d* 18 Jan 1845, leaving issue,
 1b Charles William, of Holywell, co Roscommon (which he sold 1853), Barrister-at-law 1836, Judge of High Court of Queensland 1836-58, *bapt* 15 July 1802, *educ* Trin Coll Dublin, *m* (sett 16 Oct 1826), Ellen Frances, dau and co-heiress of John Jeffries, of Blarney Castle, co Cork (*see* BURKE'S *Peerage*, COLTHURST, Bt), and *d* 12 Jan 1876, leaving issue,
 William Theophilus, Reg-Gen for Queensland, *b* 9 Sept 1832, *m* 31 March 1853, Elizabeth Louise (*d* 6 April 1907), dau of Frederick Carr, Inspr RIC, of Tullamore, co Carlow, and *d* 26 June 1898, having had issue,
 1d Charles William, *b* 24, *d* 29 March 1854.
 1d Ellen Frances, *m* 29 March 1871, Lieut Thomas H. Barron, IN, Commr of Police for Queensland, and had issue.
 2d Elizabeth Amy Augusta, *d* young.
 3d Amy Emma, *m* 6 April 1875, Charles Ridley-Smith, of Eaton Square, London, ADC to Gov of Queensland (Lord Normanby).
 4d Mabel Henrietta, *m* George E. Elliot.
 5d Grace Louisa, *m* 3 Sept 1904, Sydney Colen Legge, MRCS, LRCP, of Imperial House, Knowle, Bristol 4, and *d* 30 Jan 1940.
 6d Gertrude Isabel, *m* 6 July 1904, Stuart Brownrigg Leishman.
 2b Thomas, of 3 Fitzwilliam Square, Dublin, settled in Canada, *b* 1804, *educ* Trin Coll Dublin (BA 1827), *m* 1834, Emma, 4th dau and co-heiress of Charles Jones, of Killincarrick, co Wicklow, by his wife Eleanor, dau of Patrick Palmer, LLD, Snr Fell of Trin Coll Dublin, and had issue,
 1c Thomas, *b* 1841; *dunm*.
 2c Henry, of Ottawa, Canada, *b* 4 Nov 1845, *m* 9 April 1890, Rebecca Kathleen (*d* 12 Aug 1931), dau of R. P. Lewis, MD, and *d* at Ottawa 26 July 1931, having had issue,
 1d Thomas Lewis (46 Donlea Drive, Toronto, Ontario, Canada), *b* 1896, *m* 26 April 1922, Mary Frances (*d* 1963), dau of Thomas P. Owens, of Drogheda, co Louth, and has had issue,
 1e Thomas Newcome, served in World War II as Lieut RCN, *b* 9 June 1923, *m* 28 Dec 1946, Muriel (45 Westpark Drive, Ottawa, Ontario, Canada), dau of G. Stuart Grimmer, of Dalhousie, New Brunswick, and *d* 6 Oct 1964, leaving issue,
 1f Thomas Stuart, *b* 12 Dec 1954.
 1f Susan, *b* 17 Feb 1956.
 2f Sarah, *b* 9 March 1959.
 2e Henry Owens (46 Donlea Drive, Toronto, Ontario, Canada), *b* 22 June 1927, *m* 1 Aug 1953, Jean Bowden, dau of Robert I. Hollett, of Burin, Newfoundland, and has issue,
 1f Henry Owens, *b* 7 Aug 1962.
 1f Gayle Lynne, *b* 16 March 1954.
 2f Patricia Jean, *b* 29 Sept 1957.
 2d Henry Newcome, *b* 1898, *m* 1933, Elizabeth Whitley, of Toronto, and *d* 1971, leaving issue,
 1e Peter Whitley, *b* 30 July 1936.
 1e Alicia Newcome, *b* 6 Jan 1935.
 2e Elizabeth Jane, *b* 26 April 1939.
 3e Margaret Rachel, *b* 9 July 1942.
 1d Millicent Deane, *d* young.
 2d Rebecca Kathleen, *m* 1921, Lt-Col Frederick Owen Hodgins, DSO, R Can Engrs, 2nd son of Major-Gen William Egerton Hodgins, CMG, and has issue, one dau. He *d* 13 Nov 1924.
 3d Mary Frances, *m* Henry Walter Davis, and has issue, three daus.
 3c Arthur William, *b* 1854, *m* Alicia A. Sutton, and *dsp*.
 1c Anne, *b* 1836, *m* 9 Nov 1859, Evan Stratford Martin, 3rd son of Col Martin, of Derryclere, York, Canada, late of Ballinahinch Castle, co Galway, and had issue, three sons and three daus.
 2c Catherine Maria, *m* Frederick Oliver Martin, 5th son of Col Martin, of Derryclere (*see above*), and had issue, five sons and two daus.
 3b Edward, of Sallymount, co Roscommon, Solicitor, *bapt* 26 May 1805, *m* 10 Aug 1842, Anne, dau of Dermot Garvey, and *d* 27 March 1857, leaving issue,
 1c Edward Thomas, LRCSI, of Roscommon, *b* 10 June 1849, *m* 1st 1881, Caroline Belinda (*dsp*), dau of Andrew Irwin, of Ballymoe, co Roscommon. He *m* 2ndly 5 Nov 1912, Josephine Mangan (*d* 13 Aug 1936), and *d* 7 Sept 1933, having by her had issue,
 Edward St Leger.
 Joan.
 2c Richard Henry, of Strawberry Hill, Dalkey, co Dublin, *b* 18 Sept 1851, *m* 14 Feb 1894, Henrietta May (*d* 23 Jan 1942), dau of Stephen Catterson-Smith, and *d* at Exeter Nov 1927, having had issue,
 1d Edward William Charles, Lieut 36th Ind Cav (Jacob's Horse), served in World War I, *b* 26 Jan 1896, *educ* Exeter Sch, and Wellington Cadet Coll India, *dunm* at Karachi Jan 1919.
 2d Stephen Richard, Lt-Col 10th Baluch Regt (ret 1946), served with 46th Punjab Regt in World War I and in World War II, (7A Vista Grove, Toorak 3142, Victoria, Australia), *b* 31 March 1898, *educ* Exeter Sch, and Quetta Cadet Coll India, *m* 8 March 1923, Mary Alice (*d* in Melbourne 2 Oct 1964), dau of Norman Fraser Falkner, of Noorilim, Victoria, Australia.
 1d Alicia Newcome Anne, *b* 26 Jan 1896 (twin with her brother Edward William Charles), *m* 1st 21 Sept 1921, Arthur Ridgway, son of Henry Ridgway, of Halifax, Yorks, and had issue. He *d* June 1943. She *m* 2ndly, as his 2nd wife, Russell Dickens (Greystones, Whistley Down, Yelverton, Devon), son of F. A. Dickens, of Steepway, Broom Close, Esher, Surrey, and *d* 23 Jan 1961.
 1c Alicia, *b* 23 Oct 1843, *m* 3 June 1863, Henry de la Valle Smyth, JP, RM, of Hollywell, co Roscommon.
 2c Frances, *dunm* 1874.
 3c Anne, *dunm*.
 4c Catherine Gunning, *b* 3 March 1854, *m* 6 Nov 1876, Henry Mark Scott, LRCS, MRCPI, of Castle Hollow, Inniscrone, co Sligo, and *d* 11 Feb 1944, leaving issue.
 4b Robert, of Cluntagh, co Down, and 30 Fitzwilliam Square, Dublin, Barrister-at-law 1836, *bapt* 8 Nov 1807, *educ* Trin Coll Dublin, *m* 1846, Rachel Anne (*d* 2 Oct 1863), dau and co-heiress of Major William Stewart, of Drummagassen House, co Antrim, and was bur 1 Sept 1863, leaving issue,
 1c Stewart, JP co Down, sold all his land in Ireland, *educ* Trin Coll Dublin (BA 1871), *m* 12 Oct 1894,

Anne Elizabeth, dau of William Bourne, CSI, and *dsp* in Switzerland 11 Oct 1939.

2c William Newcome, of Appin House, Wokingham, Berks, b 1854, *educ* Trin Coll Dublin (BA 1876), *dsp* 20 Dec 1949.

5b George, of Moville, co Donegal, Lieut 83rd Regt of Foot (ret 1835), *Insp* RIC, b at Dublin 19 July 1810, *dunn* (will dated 21 Aug 1846, *pr* Sept 1853).

1b Anne, *bapt* 4 May 1806, m 1st (sett 6 July 1830), John Nugent, of Lacken, co Westmeath, and had issue, one son and one dau. He *d* 25 April 1835. She m 2ndly (sett 16 Aug 1837), Rev William Trocke, of Mount Ormond, co Kilkenny, and had further issue.
2b Catherine, *bapt* 6 Nov 1817, m (sett 16 March 1841), John Battersby, of Bobsville, co Meath, and had issue.

3a Charles, *bapt* at St Peter's, Dublin 2 Nov 1770; *bur* St George's, Dublin Feb 1791.

4a Robert, of Curraghmore, co Roscommon, and 9 Fitzwilliam Square, Dublin, Barrister-at-law 1799, b 1774, *educ* Trin Coll Dublin (BA 1794, MA 1832), m (sett 18 Jan 1806), Catherine Anne, dau and co-heiress of Samuel Lee Owens, JP, of Dundermot Lodge, co Roscommon, and *d* (will dated 15 Feb 1840, *pr* 13 Feb 1841), leaving issue.

Mary Anne, m John Henry Mitchell, of Coolmeen, co Roscommon, and had issue, one son and one dau.

5a William, Ensign 84th Regt of Foot (Yorks and Lancs) 1795, took part in siege and capture of Cape Town, Lieut 19th Foot (Yorks Regt) 1799, *ka* at Kandy, Ceylon 24 June 1803.

1a Anne, b 1762, m 20 July 1779, as his 1st wife, Col Hon Richard St Leger, 2nd son of 1st Viscount Doneraile, and *d* 19 July 1809, leaving issue (*see* BURKE'S *Peerage*). He *d* 30 Dec 1840.

2a Bridget, m 10 July 1795, Thomas Henn, 4th son of William Henn, of Paradise Hill, Ennis, co Clare (*see that family*), and *dsp*. He *d* 1822.

(1) Elizabeth, m Thomas Waldron, of Drumsna, co Leitrim, and had issue (*see* 1958 *Edn*, WALDRON-HAMILTON of *Ashfort House*).

(2) Deborah, m (lic 28 Nov 1750), Andrew Kirwan, of Coraghan, co Galway, son of Patrick Kirwan, of Cregg, co Galway, and *d* (will dated 8 June 1771, *pr* 13 March 1773), leaving issue, four sons and two daus (*see that family*, 1912 *Edn*).

(3) Marcella, m her cousin Simon Blakeney, of Parke and Gortgariffe, co Galway, and *d* 29 Nov 1781, leaving issue (*see above*). He *d* 1780.

(4) Jane, m Francis Nesbit, of Kilmore, co Roscommon, son of Matthew Nesbit, of Derrygarden, co Leitrim, and *d* (will dated 24 Oct 1800, *pr* 23 Feb 1803), leaving issue.

3 John, of Lisnamult, co Roscommon, Lieut Lord St George's Regt of Drags, HM Customs apptment 2 Dec 1721, m a dau of Arthur Lovelace, of Ballybride, co Roscommon, and *d* 1760, leaving issue,

(1) George.

(2) Charles.

(3) William.

1 Mary, m Robert Ormsby, of Gloghans, co Mayo, and had issue (*see that family*). He *d* 1700.

2 Susannah, m William Godwin, of Tuam.

The eldest son,

JOHN BLAKENEY, of Castle Blakeney (the family estates granted by Cromwell were confirmed by King Charles II by Letters Patent 5 Dec 1688), b 1649, *educ* Trin Coll Dublin (BA 1671), m 1671, Sarah, dau of Very Rev Dudley Perse, BD, of Roxborough, co Galway (*see that family*), and *d* 1691 (*admon* 19 April 1691), leaving issue,

1 ROBERT, of whom presently.

2 John, of Distington, Cumberland, Capt R Regt of Foot of Ireland, served throughout Marlborough's Wars, present at Battles of Blenheim and Malplaquet, *dunn* 21 May 1749, aged 68.

3 William, Cornet 5th Drags.

1 Susannah, m J. Colpays, and had issue.

2 Mary, m Thomas Taylor, and had issue.

The eldest son,

COL ROBERT BLAKENEY, of Castle Blakeney (burnt 1720s) and Abbert (leased from Most Rev Theophilus Bolton, Archbishop of Cashel), co Galway, JP (1714), High Sheriff 1709 and 1729, Galway Drags (Col 1720), MP for Atheryn from 1721, m (sett 22 June 1702), Sarah, dau of Gilbert Ormsby, JP, of Tobervaddy, co Roscommon (*see that family*), and *d* 5 May 1733, leaving issue,

1 JOHN, of whom presently.

2 George Augustus, of Distington, Cumberland, Capt in Gen Blakeney's Regt (27) 17 Feb 1745, present at Battle of Culloden and siege of Cartagena, b 7 June 1716, m 29 Jan 1744/45, Mary (d 17 Sept 1800), dau of John Dixon, of Gilgarron, Cumberland, and *d* 25 Feb 1799, leaving with other issue, Robert, of Whitehaven, Cumberland, DL, JP, Collr of Customs, Whitehaven, *bapt* 5 Feb 1758, m 1st (lic 10 March 1780), Elizabeth, dau of Robert Burrows, Collr of Customs, Whitehaven. He m 2ndly, Margaret (d 14 Feb 1828), dau of Rev Samuel de la Brouf Edwards, of Pentre Hall, Montgomeryshire, and *dsp* 6 Nov 1822.

3 Gilbert.

4 Robert, of Dublin, m Elizabeth Gill, of Dublin, and *d* at Ramsey, IoM Feb 1779, leaving issue,

Robert, *dunn*.

Elizabeth, *dunn*.

1 Margaret, m Samuel Simpson, of Dublin.

2 Dorothy, m Francis Perse.

3 Lettice, m H. Hardy.

The eldest son,

COL JOHN BLAKENEY, of Abbert, co Galway (bought 14 May 1734), JP (1727), High Sheriff 1727 and 1738, Galway Drags, MP for Atheryn from 1727, m Grace, dau of Henry Perse, of Roxborough, co Galway (*see that family*), and *d* 21 July 1747, leaving issue,

1 ROBERT, of whom presently.

2 JOHN, s his nephew (*see below*).

3 THEOPHILUS, s his brother (*see below*).

4 William, MP for Atheryn 1781-83 and 1790-99, Col in the Army, Major R Welch Fus 1775, served throughout German War (wounded at Minden and Rhyndberg), and in War of American Independence (severely wounded at Bunker Hill), b 1735, m 6 Sept 1770, Sarah (d 31 May 1799), dau and heiress of Samuel Shields, of Ouseburn, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and *d* 2 Nov 1804, having had issue, with three daus,

1 William Augustus, Major 87th Regt 1804, m Sarah O'Dell, and *d* 3 Sept 1848, leaving issue.

2 John Theophilus, Barrister-at-law, Inner Temple 1801, *educ* St John's Coll Camb (MA, Snr Fell), *dunn* 31 March 1856, aged 82.

(3) Hargrave, *bur* 14 March 1778.

4 Thomas, Lt-Col cmdg 1st Bn R Berks Regt (66) 1806, *dunn* at Trincomalee, Ceylon 2 July 1808.

5 Edward (FM Rt Hon Sir), PC, GCB (1849) (KCB 1815), GCH (1836), Cmdr of the Forces in Ireland 1835-55, Gov of Chelsea Hosp 1856, Col R Fus 1832, and The R Scots 1854, Kt of the Tower and Sword (Portugal), b 26 March 1778, m 5 May 1814, Mary (d 21 Jan 1866), dau of Col Thomas Gardiner, HEICS, of Twickenham, Middx, and *dsp* 2 Aug 1868.

6 Samuel, Capt 68th Regt of Foot, *ka* at Fort St Lucia (*admon* 6 June 1806), *unn*.

7 Robert, Lieut RN 1806, b 31 April 1782; *d* off Barbados 10 Jan 1810.

8 Henry Perse, of Cheltenham, Major R Berks Regt (66th), served in Spain and Portugal, Bde-Major to Gen Lord Aylmer 1814, Liaison Offr at Longwood, St Helena between Napoleon and Gen Sir Hudson Lowe, *d* 7 Jan 1823.

1 Sarah, m 1750, William Perse, of Roxborough, co Galway, and had issue (*see that family*). He *d* 1802.

2 Mary, m 19 June 1759, Thomas Taylor, of Castle Taylor, co Galway (*see* SHAWE-TAYLOR).

The eldest son,

COL ROBERT BLAKENEY, of Abbert, co Galway, DL, JP, High Sheriff 1754, Galway Drags (Col 1753), MP for Atheryn from 1747, m 28 May 1752, his cousin Gertrude (d 21 April 1757), dau of Major Robert Blakeney, of Mount, co Limerick (*see above*), and *d* 30 Dec 1762, leaving issue,

JOHN, of whom presently.

Grace, *bapt* 7 Dec 1755, m 9 May 1786, Thomas Lyon, of Watercastle, Queen's Co, and had issue, one dau.

His only son,

JOHN BLAKENEY, of Abbert, Lieut 14th Drags, MP for Atheryn 1776, b 12 Sept 1756; *dunn* 23 Aug 1781, and was s by his uncle,

COL JOHN BLAKENEY, of Abbert, co Galway, JP, High Sheriff 1768, Galway Drags, formerly Capt Lord Blakeney's Regt of Foot (27th), present at Battles of Culloden, Tyconderago, Crown Point, Montreal, Martinico and Havannah (despatches 1763, wounded at Las Navira), MP for Atheryn from 1763, *dunn* (spl) 25 July 1789, leaving three illegitimate sons,

(a) Robert, Capt 2nd Bn Essex Regt.

(b) John, Capt 1st Bn Essex Regt, *ka* at Louisiana, USA 10 July 1815.

(c) William, Ensign Regt in Corsica 1799.

The estates and the representation of the family thus passed to his brother,

THEOPHILUS BLAKENEY, of Abbert, co Galway, and of Dublin, DL, JP co Galway, High Sheriff of co Galway 1763, Capt R Sussex Regt, served at Quebec and Staten Island, MP for Athenry 1767-76 and 1783-99, and for Carlingford 1776-83, Surveyor-Gen Connaught (20 June 1772), m Dec 1782, Margaret, dau of John Stafford, of Gillstown, co Roscommon, and d 22 Sept 1813, leaving issue,

1 JOHN, of whom presently.

1 Bridget, m April 1807, Sir Richard Bligh St George, 2nd Bt, and d Dec 1866, leaving issue, four sons and three daus (see BURKE'S *Peerage*). He d 29 Dec 1851.

2 Margaret, m 1817, John O'Dwyer, Barrister-at-law, of Fitzwilliam Place, Dublin, and had issue.

3 Elizabeth, m 1825, Capt Charles de Hugo, French Nat Guard.

4 Harriet Elinor, m 11 Feb 1810, Arthur St George, of Kilrush House, Freshford, co Kilkenny, and had issue (see that family). He d 1853.

The only son,

JOHN HENRY BLAKENEY, of Abbert, co Galway, DL, JP, High Sheriff 1819, m 1 July 1813, Charlotte (d 9 Aug 1865), 3rd dau of Sir Ross Mahon, 1st Bt, JP, MP (see BURKE'S *Peerage*), and d 17 Nov 1858, leaving issue,

1 JOHN, of whom presently.

2 Robert, Major 48th Regt of Foot, ADC to Sir Edward Blakeney and Assist Mil Sec 1849-55, served in Crimea, present at Siege of Sebastopol, Queen's Messenger 1862, m 2 Oct 1860, Hon Mary Sophia Flower (d 17 April 1886), dau of 5th Viscount Ashbrook (see BURKE'S *Peerage*), and d 20 June 1902, having had issue,

1 Henry Ross, b 2 April 1862.

2 Frederick Robert, b 16 May 1863.

3 Ernest Cecil, b 29 June 1869.

1 Frances Alice, *dunm* 4 Oct 1889.

2 Beatrice Maria, *dunm* 27 April 1899.

3 William, Col IA (1878), m — Odell, and d 25 Dec 1895, leaving issue,

1 Edward Hugh, of Dorking, Surrey, Staff Surg-Major, m 1st Caroline Miller, of Hasfield, Glos (d in Quebec 23 May 1847, aged 21), and had issue,

(1) William Augustus Frederick, m Emily Courtenay (d 1926), and d 1884, leaving issue,

1a Eileen.

2a Norah, m — (dec 1885).

(2) Edward Henry, ACA, b 1847, m 1 Sept 1875, Flora Constance, dau of Capt G. B. B. Collier, RN, and had issue,

Stepney Edward, Assist Div Engr L&NW Rly, b 30 June 1876, educ Mercers', m 9 Oct 1909, Mabel Honor (d 25 June 1951), dau of Robert Frith Wyatt, of Bexhill, Sussex, and d 26 July 1943, leaving issue,

● ROBERT EDWARD, of whom we treat.

(1) Sarah, m Richard Moon, of Penyoel, Llanyrnnech, Montgomeryshire, and had issue, three sons and three daus.

Surg-Major E. H. Blakeney m 2ndly, Charlotte Maria Weare, and by her had issue,

(3) Robert, d aged 21.

(4) Henry, m Constance (d 1867), dau of William Inman, of Upton, Cheshire, and had issue,

1a Henry Edward Hugh, MC, of An Cala, Isle of Seil, Argyll, Capt R Sussex Regt, educ RMC Sandhurst, m ● Iris, dau of Tom Bullough, of Fasnacloich, and had issue,

1b ● Hugh Struan Weare (*Inverallan, Grantown-on-Spey, Morayshire*), b 1933, m 10 Feb 1970, ● Jane Margaret Christina Victoria, eldest dau of Capt Auberon Charles Alan Campbell Duckworth, DSO and bar, DSC, RN, of Myskyns, Ticehurst, Sussex (see BURKE'S *LGiii*), and has issue,

● Christina Catherine Jane, b 22 March 1973.

2b ● (Henry John) Mervyn (20 *Rawlings Street, London SW3*), m 30 Sept 1971, ● Verity Maria, only dau of Garth Owen Williams, of Nairobi, Kenya, and has issue,

● Guy Edward Weare, b 26 Aug 1973.

1b ● Hélène Mary Melody, b 30 March 1936.

2b ● Hazel Ann Joy, b 6 May 1940.

1a ● Catherine Constance (13 *The Mount, Reading, Berks*), b 5 Aug 1886.

2a Barbara, b 2 Jan 1888; *dunm* 5 Dec 1972.

3a Charlotte Ruth, b 12 June 1892; *dunm* 2 May 1949.

4a Mary Gladys Sarah, b 12 March 1900; *dunm* 18 April 1932.

(5) Hugh Theophilus (Dr), m Ellen Gosset.

(2) Charlotte, m Tom Scott.

(3) Barbara, m William Batson, and had issue, one son and three daus.

2 John.

4 Edward, of Cheltenham, Glos, m Mary Parker, and d 9 Nov 1910, aged 79, leaving issue, with a yr son.

William Edward Albemarle, CBE (1919), of Abbert, Camberley, Surrey, Col 3rd Bengal Lancers (Skinner's Horse), comm'd KSLI 1882, served in Egyptian Campaign, KOSB, India 1883-86, Cureton's Multanis 1886-87, trans Skinner's Horse 1887 (Cmdt 1908-13), served in Tirah Campaign 1897-98, and in World War I, Camp Cmdt IV Corps 1914-15, cmd'd 1st Garrison Bn Beds and Herts Regt 1916-20 (ret), educ Jersey, and RMC Sandhurst, m 15 Aug 1894, Mary Emily, 2nd dau of Col William Long, CMG, DL, JP, of Newton House, Clevedon, Somerset (see BURKE'S *LG*, 1914 *Edn*, LONG of *Preshaw*), and d 7 March 1942, leaving issue,

● Hope, m ● Frederick St Maur, of Kenya.

5 Henry, Col ASC, served throughout Crimean War on staff of Lord Raglan, present at Battle of Alma, m 27 July 1865, Louisa Jane (d 14 Dec 1872), dau of Francis C. Hutchinson, MD, of Carlisle, and d 11 Aug 1884, leaving issue,

Herbert Norwood, CMG (1918), DSO (1900), Col (ret 1920), entd Army 1890, served in S African War (despatches), and in World War I (despatches, wounded), b 26 April 1871; *dunm* 20 Dec 1946.

1 Elizabeth Margaret, m 24 April 1834, Albemarle Cator, DL, JP, of Woodbastwick Hall, Norfolk, and d 14 Feb 1892, leaving issue (see BURKE'S *LG*). He d 1 May 1868.

2 Sarah, *dunm* 30 Oct 1905.

3 Mary Gertrude, *dunm* 4 July 1893.

4 Louisa Elizabeth, *dunm* 20 March 1894.

5 Harriette Anne, m William Henry Crossmaker, of Westwood, Surrey, and d 6 March 1903, aged 88.

6 Anna, m 20 Dec 1856, Charles Morgan Norwood, MP for Hull.

The eldest son,

JOHN BLAKENEY, of Abbert, co Galway, DL, JP, High Sheriff 1873, Lieut R Welch Fus (ret 1849), b Oct 1826, m 1st, Frances (d 5 Aug 1869), eldest dau of James Hardiman Burke, of Issercleran (later St Cleans), Craughwell, co Galway (see BURKE-COLE), and had issue,

1 JOHN THEOPHILUS, of whom presently.

2 ROBERT EDWARD, s his brother (see below).

1 Anne.

2 Mary, m 28 April 1881, Rev John Octavius Coussmaker, and d 10 Dec 1921, leaving issue, three sons and three daus. He d 8 May 1923.

3 Frances, m 19 March 1895, Gilbert Mahon, yst son of Sir William Vesey Ross Mahon, 4th Bt (see BURKE'S *Peerage*), and dsp 17 March 1931. He d 2 Jan 1947.

Mr John Blakeney m 2ndly 1873, Johanna Isabella, widow of Croasdaile Molony, and dau of Henry Martin Blake, of The Heath, co Mayo, and d 1901, having by her had issue,

3 Henry Robert William, m 29 April 1905, Aileen Mary (d 24 March 1959), only dau of George R. Armstrong.

4 Ethel Frances Charlotte, m as his 1st wife, Lucien Joseph Jerome, HBM Consular Service, only son of Major-Gen Henry Edward Jerome, VC, and d at Havana (during the Cuban War) 1898. He d 23 April 1943.

The eldest son,

JOHN THEOPHILUS BLAKENEY, of Abbert, co Galway, JP, b 31 Jan 1855; *dunm* 16 Jan 1905, and was s by his brother, ROBERT EDWARD BLAKENEY, formerly of Abbert, co Galway, b 1858, m 1897, Katherine Everleigh (d his widow 22 Sept 1941), widow of Frederick Howe Lindsey Bacon Windham, and eldest dau of William Foster Batt, of Cae Kenfy, Abergavenny (see BURKE'S *LGiii*), and dsp.

Seats—*Castle Gallagher (Castle Blakeney)*, co Galway; *Abbert*, co Galway; *Mount Blakeney*, co Limerick.