

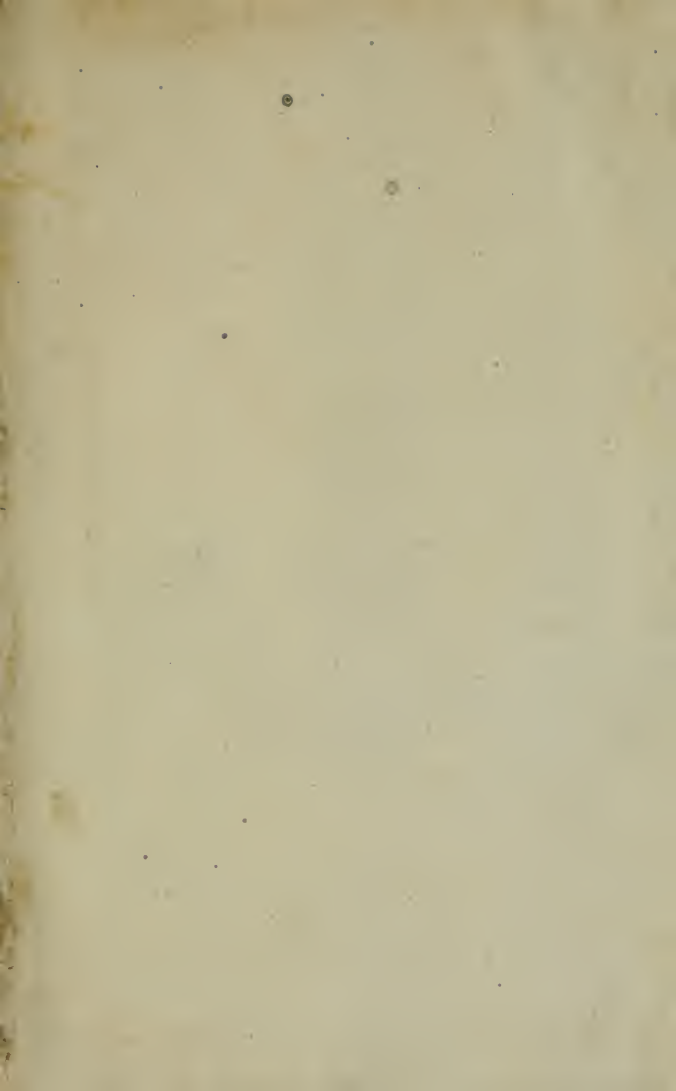




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The *First* Containing (in a Concise but Methodical Method, by Rules and Explanations of Bearings) the Body of *Heraldry* :

The *Second*, *Honour* Civil and Military; Being a Treatise of the *Nobility* and *Gentry* of *ENGLAND*, as to their *Priviledges*, *Dignities*, &c. According to the *Laws* and *Customs* of our *Realm*.

The whole Illustrated with variety of *Apt* and *Proper Sculptures*, for the better *Explanation* thereof.

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TO THE

RIGHT HONOURABLE

GEORGE

Earl of Berkeley, Viscount Duresley, Lord Berkeley, Mawbray, Segrave and Bruce, and Baron of Berkeley Castle, &c.

My Lord,

THIS Treatise of Heraldry, though small in book, yet large in substance comprehending all the cheif and necessary Rules in the said Art, which (with no small labour and pains) are digested in a methodical method (in way of an Ordinary) in several Shields engraven on Copper Plates; and for the Explana-

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Epistle Dedicatory.

tion thereof the several Coats in each Shield are Blazoned with the names of the Bearers, except to those that are made use of only for Examples; and the number of the Figures refers to the Coat in the Shield, which is reckoned from the first in the Dexter cheif. And under the said Heads, Coats of like Bearings may be comprised, whether of themselves, or between, or charged upon any of the Honourable Ordinaries; for it can't be expected that this small Tract should give Examples of all Bearings this being only designed for a small Pocket Book, and only to give the Rules with Examples of Bearings, to teach the way of Blazoning any Coat Armour.

The

Epistle Dedicatory.

The second Part is a Treatise of the Nobility and Gentry of England as to their Priviledges, Dignities, &c. And for Examples of Bearings I have inserted Atchievements of each Degree compleat, that is, with all the external ornaments as Mantle, Helmet, Crest, Motto, and Supporters, having given your Honour's Atchievement for the Example of an Earl.

My Lord, as on the one hand, I may presume to say that there hath been nothing yet extant of this nature so full in so small a Compass; so on the other it is my ambition to take this opportunity to express the great esteem I have for your Honour, as well in respect of the nobleness of your Family

Epistle Dedicatory.

which renders you a person interess'd in this work, as to testifie my gratitude for your favours shew'd upon me for the promoting some former undertakings, being indeed a great favourer of all ingenuous Arts, and in particular to HERALDRY the Subject of this Book. My Lord, your generous Spirit hath ever aimed at a publick Good, many admire you, and most love and honour you. You are generally beloved for your generous and noble Actions, for your generous and noble Inclinations, and for your generous and noble Principles so that I cannot but receive Commendations for selecting you to the Patronage of this Work. My Lord, if you pardon this my
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Epistle Dedicatory.

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on, and can be no better con-
tented than in that and in being
stiled

My Lord,

*Your honours most
humble Servant*

RICHARD BLOME.

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The Art of HERALDRY
 teaching the blazoning of ARMS;
 is set forth in these Shields. By
 vvhich Examples any Coat may be
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CHAP. I.

This Chapter treateth of the original & universality, the sundry Denominations, and the original Discipline of Arms and Ensigns, with their use and necessity: Their Sympatoy with the Bearers, and conformity with Names, their Definition, Blazon, Distribution, Accidents and Parts, and lastly their Abatements and Rewards of Honour.

THE Dignity and Estimation of *Arms* cannot but be great, if we alone consider that it delights the Beholders, greatly Graces the places where they are erected;

cted, and gives occasion to the Beholders to make inquiry whose they are, and of what family the bearer is descended.

Before I proceed further, it will not be unnecessary briefly to begin with some *Observations* suitable to this subject, and first, of those *Marks* or *Ensigns* called *Arms*, in Latin *Arma*.

The word *Arma* as in *Guillims Heraldry*, is taken for very natural Instruments, and in this sence Doctor *Casius* doth use the same where he saith, *Arma belluis natura dedit, ut Leoni Dentes, serpenti aculeum, &c.*

It is also taken for all manner of *Instruments* that belong to *Mechanical Trades*.

Instru-
ments Mi-
litary.

It is likewise taken for all sorts of *Warlike instruments*: But the word *Arma* doth not here signify any of these things, but is taken for *Shields, Targets, Military Cassocks, Banners*, and other *Martial Instruments* on which they were *Engraven, Embossed or depicted*, and these were peculiar only to *Martial Men*, and professed *Souldiers*, which to this day is called *Arms*, from the Latin word *Arma*. And *Claudius Fauchet* saith that *Armes* have their

their denomination, because *Military Men* did bear their several *Devices* as aforesaid upon their *Shields*.

Guillim saith that *Arms* were called *Symbola*, which signifies tokens or Marks, which in the time of Hostility or civil Tumults were given to *Souldiers* by their *Captains* or *Chief Commanders*, for distinguishing of particular Persons, as well amongst themselves as from their *Enemies*.

These *Armorial Notes* so much in request now amongst us, are oft times called *Ensigns*, which comprizeth in general all *Marks* and *Tokens* of *Honour* due to meritorious Persons, as well in respect of their *Government*, *Learning*, *wisdom*, *Magnanimity*, &c. as for their *Martial Prowes*. Amongst these *Ensigns* are those *Marks* and *Shapes* of *Animals*, that *Martial Men* used to adorn their *Helmets* withal, to the end that they might appear more eminent in the *Field*, and be the better taken notice of for their valourous *Actions*, when they encountred their enemies in *Battle*, or should draw on their forces to fight.

Note the use of these *Ensigns* was yet further extended then the Adorning of

Shields and *Helmets*; for *Ships* were beautified with *Arms* on their *Sterns*, to distinguish the one from the other, as the *Ship* where *St. Paul* went, whose *Badg* was *Castor* and *Pollux*; also the fore-Deck of *Europa* that was carried away, had the form of a *Bull* depicted thereon, which gave occasion to the fable, that a *Bull* had stolen away *Europa*, nor did the *Antients* only use it, but it hath been a Custom in all succeeding *Ages*, even to this day, and from thence doth come the names of *Ships*.

Definition of *Arms*. *Arms* then, according to original use, are Tokens or Resemblances signifying some Act or Quality of the Bearer, either by some worthy exploit performed in *Military Affairs* (especially if bestowed by a Noble Prince) or else by their Learning and Wisdom, which they do by spending their *Spirits* in continual study to make themselves fit for the *Patronage* and defence of their *Country*.

Rebuffes. Sometimes there are *Arms* born, which may seem to have been devised (in their first *Institution*) according to the *Sir-Name* of the Bearer, as 3 Castles for *Castleton*; three Gates for *Yates*; three Coneyes for
Conisby

Conisby and the like, and such Bearings are called *Rebuffes* being very Antient.

If there were two distinct *Families* of one *Sir-Name*, yet bearing several *Coat Armors*, it is not evident that they were both extracted from one *Ancestor*, for the *Coat-Armour* is the express sign of Distinction.

As suppose there are two *Families* divers in Name, and issued from several *Parents*, and both of them do bear one *Coat Armour*, and the name of one of them is agreeable to the *Coat Armour*, and the other dissonant from the same; now the question is, to which doth this *Coat* belong; in answer it may according to probability be conjectured, to belong to him whose appellation is agreeable therewith, rather than to the other. And it is observable, that two distinct *Families* ought not, nor are they allowed to bear one and the same *Coat-Armour*, but amongst the *Welsh* this Rule is not observed.

There is between the *Arms* and their *Sympat'y Bearers* a kind of Sympathy, insomuch of Arms as he who dishonourably or unreverent- with their ly useth the Arms of any one, seemeth *Bearers.* to have offered an affront to the Per-

son of their Bearer, insomuch that according to the opinion of some *Authors*, their owner may right himself against such an Offender, *actione injuriarum*.

Antient
Bearing.

As touching the antiquity of *Arms*, I shall give you a Brief account of some peculiar *Bearings*. The *Romans* chose the *Eagle* the greediest of all Birds: The *Phrigians* the *Sow*, a hurtful Beast: The *Thrasians* *Mars*: The antient *Goths* the *Bear*: The People of *Alani*, that invaded *Spain* the *Cat*, a greedy and crafty Beast: The Old *French* the *Lyon*: The *Saxons* the same; but afterwards the *French* that inhabited *France* took the *Toad*, and the *Saxons* the *Horse* a warlike Beast, and now the *French* have the *Flower de-lis*, which they say was sent them by an Angel from Heaven to *Clovis*, the first Christian King of *France*: The *Flemins* did bear the *Bull*, in token of valiantness and hardiness. The Ensign of the King of *Antioch* was an *Eagle* holding a *Dragon* in his claws: That of *Pompey* a *Lion* with a *Sword*: That of *Attila* was a *Crowned Gennet*, and the *Romans* themselves that were saved by *Geese* that watched in the *Capitol*, could not be moved for so great a Benefit

fit received, to bear a *Goose* in their Ensigns.

There be of them also that set in their Shields *Swords, Daggers, Halberts, Axes, Towers, Castles, Engines,* and many other Instruments of Homicide and Destruction: Furthermore the *Ensigns* of the *Persians* was a Bow and Quivers, likewise amongst the Heathen Gods, *Jupiter* chose *Lightning*; *Neptune* the tripple toothed *Mace*; *Mars* the *Javeline*; *Bacchus* the *Spear* wrapped in *Boughs* and *Ivy*; *Saturn* the *Sieth*, and every one of these *Badges of Arms*, according to the nature of his *Cruelty, Raving, Violence, Mankood,* &c. As the *Heralds* do appoint, are supposed some to be Nobler *Bearings* then others; for the more cruel and fierce the *Beast* or *Fowl* is, the more Noble is that *Shield* esteemed, and those *Targets* or *Shields* that have milder things thereon, as *Trees, Flowers, Plants,* and the like, also the *Sun, Moon, Stars, Planets,* and other of the *Celestial Spheres,* or such as be parted only with variety of colours, or charged with any of the *Honourable Ordinaries* only, as also by any *Artificial things*, made by the Invention of Man: These and such like things are

not esteemed so Noble as the former, and are not so Antient *Bearings*.

Thus having briefly shewed the first Original Institution and Use of *Arms*, I shall proceed to the practick Exercise of these *Armerial Tokens*, which appertain to the Office of a *Herald*, and is termed *Armory*, and may be thus defined; *Ar-*

Definiti-
on of *Ar-*
mory. *mory is an Art rightly prescribing the true knowledg and use of Arms.*

The skill of *Armory* consists in *Blazoning* and *Marshalling*.

Rules in
Blazoning
Coats. \ By *Blazoning* is understood the displaying or expressing a *Coat of Arms* in its proper Colours and Metals, for to lay Colour upon Colour, Metal upon Metal is a great fault, and a different form of *Blazoning* makes the *Arms* not the same.

Rules in
Marshalling
Coats. By *Marshalling* is understood the joyning of divers *Arms* in one *Shield*, in which you must have a great care, but of this more when I treat of *Arms* joyned together.

You must use no repetition of words, but comprise them in as few as you can.

A *French Armorist* saith, that to *Blazon*, is to express what the Shapes, Kinds, and Colour of things born in
Arms

Arms are, together, with their apt and proper *Significations*.

In the *Blazoning* of any *Coat of Arms*, always observe this special Rule, first begin with the *Field*, and then proceed to the *Blazon* of the *Charge*, and if there be sundry things charged in the *Field*, whether they be of one or divers kinds, name that first which is most prædominate, and lyeth next the *Field*. and then that which is most Remote.

The *Blazon* of *Arms* consists in *Accidents* and *Parts*; and such *Accidents* are *Tincture* and *Differences*.

Tincture, as *Guillim* notes, is a vari- Tincture.?
able hew of *Arms*, and is as well common to *differences* of *Arms*, as to *Arms* themselves, and the same is distributed into *Colours* and *Furs*.

Colours he saith is an external *Dye*, Colours.
wherewith any thing is coloured or stained; or else is the gloss of any body beautified with light; and the *Colour* here mentioned is both *General* and *Special*; by *General* is understood the proper and natural colour of each particular thing, whether *Natural* or *Artificial*, of what kind soever they are Illustrated, or set forth in their external or proper Beauty. Things

Things that are born in their natural *Colours* are to be blazoned proper, and not to mention the *Colours*:

Other things there are in *Armory* which have only names attributed unto them, and no *Colour* specified in the Blazoning thereof, the name being sufficient to express the same, although the form is all one and the same, which is in Resemblance like a round *Ball* or *Bullet*, the names of which are as followeth, with *Colours* appropriate to them.

1. *Besants*, whose Colour is Or.
2. *Plates*, Argent.
3. *Hurts*, Azure.
4. *Torteauxes*, Gules.
5. *Pellet* or *Agresses*, Sable.
6. *Pomeis*, Vert.
7. *Golpes*, Purpure.
8. *Orenges*, Tenne.
9. *Guzes*, Sanguine:

In these Nine are comprehended all the Colours usually made use of in *Blazonry*.

Terms for
Colours.

Coats of Arms are Blazoned by *Metals* and *Colours*; when they belong to *Gentlemen*, under the Degree of *Nobiles*
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Minors, as Gentlemen, Esquires, Knights and Baronets; By Precious-stones, when to those of the Nobility, as Barons, Viscounts, Earls, Marquisses and Dukes; and by Planets, when to Emperours, Kings, and Sovereign Princes.

<i>Mettals and Colours.</i>	<i>Precious Stones.</i>	<i>Planets.</i>
Or	Topaz	Sol
Argent	Pearl	Luna
Gules	Ruby	Mars
Azure	Saphir	Jupiter
Sable	Diamond	Saturn
Vert	Emerald	Venus
Purpure.	Amethyst	Mercury
		(Head
Tenne	Jacynthe	Dragons
		(Tail.
Sanguine.	Sardonix.	Dragons

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Or.



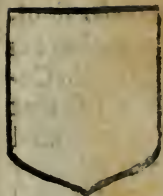
This in Arms is Blazoned *Or*, and signifies *Gold* and the black Specks in the *Escocheon* do express the *Colour*. This *Metal* is said to Inchant the Heart of Fools,

and Blind the Eyes of the Wise. Of the excellency of this Metal, *Hesiodus* thus writes, *Aurum est in corporibus, sicut Sol inter stellas*; and as this *Metal* doth exceed all others in Purity, Value and Fineness, so ought the Bearer to endeavour to surpass all others in Vertue and Prowes. The *Precious Stone* is *Topaz*, which *Diascorides* saith asswages wrath and ill humors, and this Stone was set in the Breast of *Aaron*.

Topaz.

Sol.

The *Planet* to which Gold is resembled is *Sol*, of which the *Philosophers* write, that as the Heart of Man is the Noblest, so is this *Planet* more worthy then any other, and as it were the comfort of them all.



The Colour White is **Argent.** resembled to Light, and is called Argent, this in Dignity and Worth is next to *Or*, and without these two *Metals* no *Armory* can be good. It fig-

nifies Hope, Innocency, Continencc and Temperance. The Precious Stone is **Pearl.** *Pearl*, which *Plato* saith hath a restorative Vertue, and is food to man, which is verified by *Josephus*, who saith, that when the City of *Jerusalem* was besieged by *Titus Vespasianus*, the *Jews* lived some time only upon *Pearls*, and *Aristotle* saith it comforteth the Brain.

The Planet is *Luna*, which *Pliny* saith **Luna.** is the Fairness of the Night, the Mother of the Honour, and Lady of the Sea and Times, She is also said to be the changer of the *Air* and *Winds*, and as the Scripture saith, She is the Ripener of, and Increaser of Fruits, as appears by the benediction of *Joseph*, who was blest with the ripe Fruits of the *Moon*.

Gules.



The word *Gules* signifieth Red, the Hatches downwards shews the Colour, which is of that Dignity, that it is used for a Vesture of Majesty and Dignity. and is used

by the Judges and Chief Magistrates in their Seats of Judicature.

Ruby.

The precious Stone is the *Ruby*, which neither Fire nor Water wasteth or spoyleth.

Mars.

Its *Planet* is *Mars*, which of all others is the most Hot and Fiery, he is said to be the God of Battle.

Azure.



The word *Azure* signifies Blew, and is expressed by Hatches overthwart the *Escocheon*; It is a Royal Colour representing the Skie; it signifies *Loyalty*, *Chastity*,

Saphir.

and *Fidelity*. The *Precious Stone* is *Saphir*. which as *Isidore* saith, is both Noble and Excellent, being a remedy against Poyson, and a Preserver of the Sight. The

Jupiter.

Planet is *Jupiter*, which by his goodness, as *Martianus* saith, abateth the Malice of

of *Saturn*, and augmenteth the goodness of the others.



The word *Sable* signifies *Sable*:
 signifies *Black*, and is expressed by cross *Hatches* as in the *Escocheon*, and although it doth represent Mourning, yet is of a good esteem in Armory.

This Colour signifies Prudence, Constancy and Heaviness for the loss of Friends; the Precious Stone is the *Diamond*, which of all other is of the greatest value, and is of that hardness, that it cutteth all *Stones* and *Metals*. The *Planet* is *Saturn*, the most malevolent of all others, and under whom are brought forth *Grave Councillors*, great Builders and good House-keepers.



The word *Vert* is *Green*, *Vert*.
 and is expressed by stroaks thwart ways, as in the *Escocheon*: This Colour is most delightful and comfortable to the sight, it signifies *Love*, *Mirth*,

Peace, and *Concord*. The Precious Stone is

Emerald. is the *Emerald*, which hath in its self
Venus. singular Vertues. The Planet is *Venus*
 which is of temperature Cold and Moist,
 and doth excite to Love.

Purpure.



Purpure is a Colour
 consisting of much Red,
 and a little Black, it hath
 its denomination from a
 Fish called in Latin *Pur-*
pura. The Precious Stone
 is the *Ametkist*, which

Ametkist.

for its preciousness was set in the Breast
 of *Aaron*. The Planet is *Mercury*, which
 is of a goodly Temperature, being of
 quality good with good, and goeth with
 evil for Company sake.

Tenny.

Tenny or *Tauny* is a bright colour, and
 made of Red and Yellow, and is ex-
 prest by *Hatches* like the *Purpure*; A-
 mongst the *French* this Colour is much in
 use, but not with us: The *Precious Stone*
 is the *Jacynthe*, which is said to be of
 singular Vertue. This *Tenny* is com-
 pared to the *Dragons Head*, which al-
 though it be not a *Planet*, yet in some
 respects hath the Nature of a *Planet*,
 and keeps its constant course in the *Zo-*
diack as they do.

Jacynthe.

**Dragons
 Head.**

Sanguine is much like the colour of *Sanguine Murrey*, and is made of *Lake*, with a little Spanish Brown, it is also express'd by Hatches as the *Purple*, It is a Colour in use amongst the Knights of the *Bath*, as also amongst the *Sergeants* at Law in their Vestures. The *Precious Stone* to this Colour is the *Sardonix*, which *St. John* in the *Revelations* saith, shall be the sixth Stone in the Heavenly *Jerusalem*. The *Dragons Tayl* is appropriate to this Colour, which though no *Planet*, yet in his Workings and Movings hath the effects of a *Planet* through all the Twelve Signs of the *Zodiack*.

Dragons
Tayl.

Thus having treated of the *Metals*, and *Colours* used in *Heraldry*: I shall proceed next to *Furrs*, used as well in Doublings of the *Mantles* pertaining to *Coat Armour*, as in the Coat it self.

Furrs, according to *Guillim*, consists of one Colour alone, or of more then one:

B

Furrs

Furs that are Compounded of two Colours only, are sorted either.

with <i>Black</i> and are ei- ther	}	<i>Black mixt</i> } as <i>Ermine</i> , <i>with White</i> } and <i>Ermines</i>
		Or <i>Black mixt</i> } as <i>Ermineois</i> <i>with Yellow</i> } and <i>Pean</i> ,
Or	}	<i>Vairy, Argent and A- zure.</i>
without <i>Black</i> such are ac- cording to [<i>Leigh</i> .		and <i>Verry, Or and Gules,</i> or the like Colours.

But for the better explaining them observe these Examples following.

Ermine
and *Erme-
noir*.



Ermine, that is the Field is *Argent*, and the Powdering is *Sable*.

Ermineois, is when the Field is *Or*, and the Powdering is *Sable*.

Ermines
and *Pean*.



Ermines, that is the Field is *Sable*, and the Powdering is *Argent*.

Pean is when the Field is *Sable*, and the Powderings are *Or*.

Verry



Verry or *Vairy*, which is of two sorts, that is if your *Vairy* do consist of *Argent* and *Azure*, then in *Blazoning* to say *Vairy* is sufficient, but if

Verry or *Vairy*.

it be compounded of any other Colours, they say *Vairy* of such and such a Colour, naming them.



This Example is Blazoned *Potent-Counter-Potent*, or *Vairy Copy*, and the Colours must be expressed as *Azure* and *Argent*, or the like.

Potent-Counter-Potent.

In Antient times these *Doublings* or *Furs* were used for lineings of *Robes*, and *Mantles* of *Senators*, *Consuls*, *Kings* and *Emperors*.

Having in Brief given you the Examples of *Furs*, I shall next proceed to *Bardures*.

Examples of B O R D U R E S.

**Bordures
plain.**

THE First is Gules, a *Bordure Or*, although this *Bordure* is plain, yet in the Blazoning the word plain is to be omitted.

Engrailed

2. Sable, a *Bordure Engrailed Argent*, this is called Engrailed from the Latin word *Ingrador*, which signifies to go in, or to make entrance, or elle from *Gradus*, which signifies a Step or Degree.

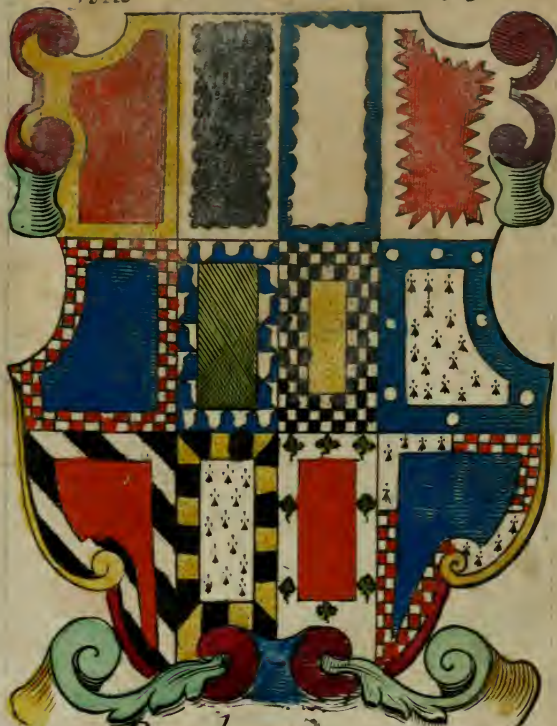
Inverted.

3. Argent a *Bordure Inverted Azure* This *Bordure* is quite contrary to the last, for as the other did enter into the Field, so contrariwise this doth, by the inversion of the points, into it self.

Indented.

4. Gules a *Bordure Indented Argent*. This is so called as being as it were composed of *Teeth*, and in the fashion of *Indentures*.

5. Azure



*Bordures, ~
Plaine and Charged.*





5. Azure a *Bordure Counter-Componed* Counter-Argent and Gules. Note that *Counter-Componed* doth always consist of two *Tracts*, and no more, whereas that of *Checky* doth of three.

6. Vert a *Bordure Vairy*.

Vairy.

7. Or a *Bordure Checky* Argent and Sable.

Checky.

8. Ermine a *Bordure Azure*, charged with eight *Plates*. Note that a *Plate* is always to be understood to be Argent, without expressing the Colour.

Bordures charged.

9. Gules a *Bordure Sable*, charged with three *Bendless* Argent. What a *Bend* is shall be shewed when I come to speak of *Bends*.

10. Ermine a *Bordure Gobonated* Or and Sable.

Gobonated.

This is so termed as being in small and equal Pieces.

11. Gules a *Bordure* Argent charged with *Verdoy of Trefoils* slipped proper, that is Vert.

Verdoy of Trefoils.

12. Azure a *Bordure* quarterly composed of *Purslew* Ermin, and *Counter-Compony*, Argent and Gules.

These Examples may suffice, the more curious may be further satisfied in *Guillims Display of Heraldry*, in the Chapter of *Bordures*.

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Examples of

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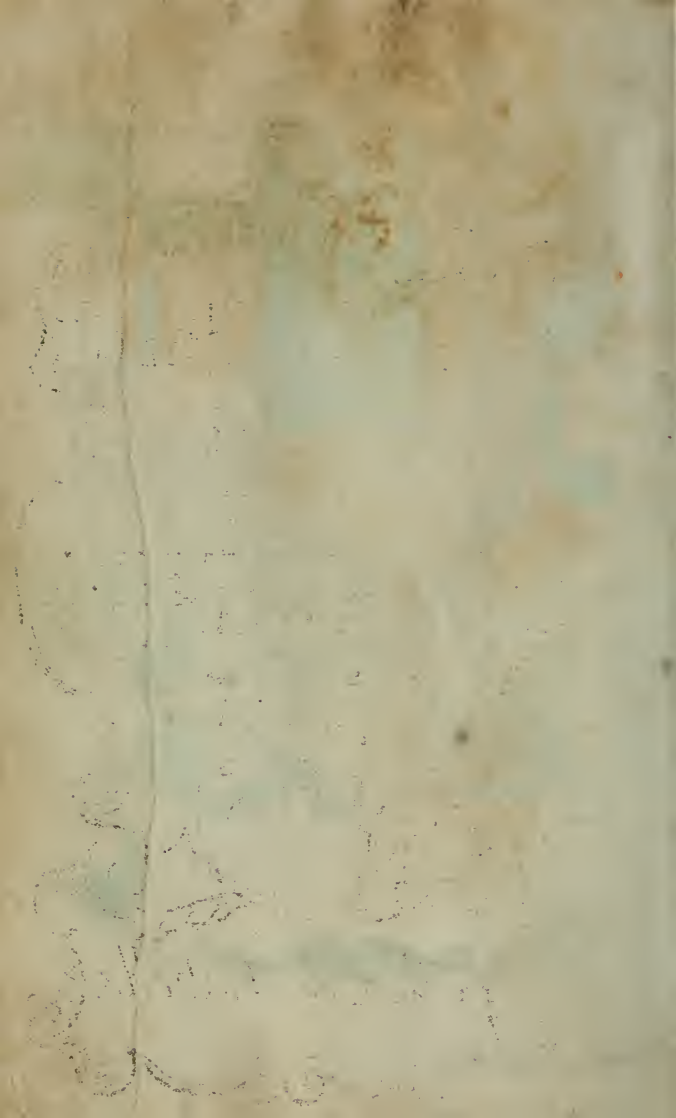
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1. ARGENT a File with one *Label* Gules.
2. Azure a *File* of three *Lambeaux* Argent.
3. A File of five *Points* or *Lambeaux*, Azure.
4. Argent a File of three points in *Bend* Sable.
5. Three Files *Bar* ways Gules, the first having 5 Points, the Second 4, and the Last *Tripple* Pointed.
6. Argent a File issuing out of the *Chief*, without any *Intermission* at all Sable.

Dis-



Files, and Labells.



Differences or Distinctions of Families in Coat Armour.

The First House.



The Elder Brother distinguishing the Life of his Father.



The Second Brother. Crescent.



The Third Brother. Mullet.



The Fourth Brother. Martlet.



The Fifth Brother. Annulet.



The Sixth Brother. Flower-de-lis.

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By these Differences every *Brother* or *House* ought to observe his due difference for the avoiding of contention in *Coat Armour*.

2d. House. The First Brother of the Second House beareth a *Crescent* charged with a *Label*. The Second Son of the Second House, a *Crescent* charged with another *Crescent*. The Third Son of the Second House a *Crescent* charged with a *Mullet*. The Fourth Son of the Second House a *Crescent* charged with a *Martlet*. The Fifth Son of the Second House a *Crescent* charged with an *Annulet*. And the Sixth Son of the Second House, a *Crescent* charged with a *Flower-de-lis*.

3d. House. The *Mullet*, which is the difference of the third House is thus charged; For the First Son with a *Label*; For the Second with a *Crescent*; For the Third with a *Mullet*; For the Fourth with a *Martlet*; For the Fifth with an *Annulet*; And for the Sixth with a *Flower-de-lis*.

4th. 5th. and 6th. House. The *Martlet*, *Annulet* and *Flower de-lis*, being the differences of the *Fourth*, *Fifth* and *Sixth* Houses are charged for Distinctions, as the *Mullet* is.

But

But Daughters are allowed to bear the *Arms* of their Fathers, without any of these *Differences* or *Distinctions*.

The PARTS of ARMS are the *Escoccheon*, and the *Ornaments* without the *Escoccheon*, as the *Mantle*, *Helmet* and *Crest*.

The *Accidents* in the *Escoccheon* are *Points* and *Abatements*.

Points are certain places in an *Escoccheon*, diversly named, according to their several *Positions*, whereof some are in the *Middle*, and some *Remote*. Those in the *Middle* are in or near the *Center* of the *Escoccheon*, and such are the *Honour*, the *Fefs* and the *Nombril Points*.

The *Fefs Point* is in the exact *Center* of the *Escoccheon*,

The *Honour Point* is next above the same in a direct *Line*, and the *Nombril Point* is next underneath the *Fefs Point*.

Remote Points are those that are placed at a further distance from the *Centre* of the *Escoccheon*, and of these some are *Superior*, and some *Inferior*. The *Superior* are those that have their being in the upper part of the *Escoccheon*, and of these there are *Middle* and *Extreams* :

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3. The Middle is the precise middle of the *Chief*, between the two *Extreams*. The two *Superior Extream Points* do possess the *Corners* of the *Chief* part of the *Escoccheon*, and are called the *Dexter* and *Sinister*.

**Inferior
Points.**

The *Inferior Points* do possess the *Base* of the *Escoccheon*, and of these there are also both *Middle* and *Remote*.

But for the better *Explanation* thereof, I have in an *Escoccheon* placed *Letters* that answers to every one of the said *Parts* or *Points*.

**Parts in
the Escoccheon.**



A. Signifies the *Dexter-Chief-Point*.

B. The *Precise Middle Chief*.

C. The *Sinister Chief*.

D. The *Honour Point*.

E. The *Fefs Point*.

F. The *Nombril Point*.

G. The *Dexter Base*.

H. The *Dexter Middle Base*.

I. The *Sinister Base Point*.

The knowledge of these *Points* are of great concernment, and ought to be well observed, for oft times they are occupied with sundry things of different kinds in one *Escoccheon*.

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*Abatements
of Honour.*

Examples of

Abatements of HONOUR.

AN *Abatement* is an Accidental Mark annexed to *Coat Armour*, shewing some dishonourable quality or stain in the *Bearer*, whereby the Dignity of the *Coat Armour* is abased,

Abatements do consist in *Diminution* and *Reversing*. *Diminution* is a Blemishing of some particular Point of the *Esccheon*, by reason of some *Stain* and *Colour* which they must be always of, as *Sanguine* and *Tenne*, and never of *Metal*, for then they are *Additions* of *Honour*. Now what these *Abatements* are, followeth.

1. Argent a *Delph* *Tenne*: This *Abatement* is due to him that revoketh his challenge. Delph.

2. Or, an *Esccheon* reversed *Sanguin*, Due for deflowring a *Maid*. Esccheon reversed.

3. The

- Coat re-
versed. 3. The whole *Coat Reversed* (*viz.*)
Sable a *Lyon Rampant*, Argent due to a
Traytor.
- Point
Dexter. 4. Or, a *Point Dexter Tenne*, due
for too much boasting of his *Martial*
Acts.
- Point in
point. 5. Argent, a *Point in Point Sanguine*,
due to a *Coward*.
- Point
Campion. 6. Or, a *Point Campion Tenne*, due
to him that kills his Prisoner, after he
hath yeilded himself and craveth Quar-
ter.
- Gore. 7. Argent, a *Gore Sinister Tenne*, due
for flying from his *Colours*.
- Gussets. 8. Or, two *Gussets Sanguine*, due to
him that commits *Adultry*.
- Plain
point. 9. Argent, a *Plain Point Tenne*, due
to him that tells Lyes to his *Prince*, or
General.





Forms of

CHARGES:

On which Rewards and Additions of Honour are oft times placed in COAT-ARMOUR.

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| 1. | G ules, a <i>Canton</i> Or. | Canton. |
| 2. | Argent, a quarter Azure. | Quarter. |
| 3. | Sanguine, a <i>Gyron</i> issuing from the Dexter-chief Argent. | Gyron. |
| 4. | Ermine, an <i>Escocheon</i> Gules. | Escocheon. |
| 5. | Argent two <i>Flasques</i> Azure. | Flasques, |
| 6. | Sable, a Star of eight <i>Rayse</i> or <i>Points</i> Or, between two <i>Flanches</i> Ermin, and is the Coat Armour of Sir Henry Hobart of <i>Blinkling</i> in Norfolk, Knight and Baronet. | Flanches. |
| 7. | Tenne two <i>Voyders</i> Or. | Voyders. |

CHAP. II.

Treats of the divers kinds of Escocheons, what the Field and Charges are, the Diversity of Charges, and their Common Accidents, with their Properties and Forms: And lastly of the Bearing or Using the Ordinaries in COAT ARMOUR; together with divers Notes, Rules and Observations to them belonging.

Escoche-
ons.

Escocheons are either of one *Tincture* or more then one. Those that are of more then one, some are more predominate, and that is said to be predominate, when some on *Metal*, *Colour* or *Fur* is spread, or is understood to be spread all over the surface of the *Escoccheon*, which is termed the *Field* or *Shield*; And in such *Escoccheon*

cheons as have in them more *Tinctures* than one (as most have) the *Field* and *Charge* must be observed. And in the *Blazoning*, first name the *Field*, and then the *Charge* thereon, and if there be several *Charges* (as oft times there is) then name the first which is nearest the *Field*. Tincture of the Field.

The *Charge* is that which possesseth the *Field*, whether it be *Sensitive* or *Vegetable*, *Natural* or *Artificial*, and is placed either throughout all the superficies of the *Escucheon*, or else in some special part of the same. The Charge.

The common *Accidents* of *Charges* are *Adumbration* or *Transparency*; or they are *Transmutation* or *Counter-changing*. Common Accidents.

The making of **ORDINARIES** consists of *Lines* diversly *Composed*. Ordinaries.
Lines are the matter whereof these *Ordinaries* are formed, and according to the divers *Tracts* and *Forms* of *Lines*, they receive their divers *Shapes* and variation of *Names*.

The property of these *Lines* are their *Rightness* or *Crookedness*.

A *Right Line* is carried equally throughout the *Escucheon* without rising, or falling, contrary to which is a crooked *Line*.

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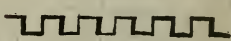
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A *Crooked Line* is either Bunched or Cornered, according to these Examples.

Engrailed. 

Invested. 

Waved. 

Crenelle or Embattuled. 

Nebule. 

Indented. 

Dancette. 

Of these and Streight Lines are composed the *Honourable Ordinaries*; as also *Abatements* and *Rewards of Honour*.

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The Honourable
ORDINARIES.

THE *Honourable Ordinaries* are the *Honourable Ordinaries.*
Cross, Chief, Fess, Barr, Pale,
Cheveron, Bend, Saltier and Es-
cocheon, all which shall be treated of in
order.

The **CROSS** taketh up the fifth part **Cross.**
of the *Escocheon*, but if charged then
the third, and it is born as well En-
grailed, Invested, Wavey, or the like as
plain, also 'tis born between a Charge,
and charged, as the rest of the *Ordina-*
ries are.

The **CHIEF** is said to be given to **Chief:**
those, that by their high merits have
procured them chief places and esteem
amongst men. It must contain the
third part of the *Escocheon* in depth, and
it is divided into a *Fillet*, which con- **Fillet:**
tains the fourth part of the *Chief*, and
standeth in the *Chief Point*.

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Fefs.

The FESS contains in breadth the third part of the *Eschocheon*, and doth occupy the *Center* of the *Shield*. This hath formerly been taken for the Girdle of Honour, as dividing the *Shield* into two equal parts.

Bar.

The BAR differeth from the *Fest* only in that it contains, but the fifth part of the *Shield*, whereas the *Fefs* doth the

Closet.

third. It is divided into the *Closet*, which contains the moiety of the *Barr*,

Barulet.

and the *Barulet* which is the half of the *Closet*.

Pale.
Pallet.

The PALE contains the third part of the *Eschocheon*. It is subdivided into a *Pallet* which is the half of the *Pale*, and is never to be charged with any thing, either *Quick* or *Dead*, neither must it be parted; and into an *Endorse*, which is the fourth part of a *Pale*, and is not used but when the *Pale* is between two of them. If the *Pale* be upon any *Beast*, then you must say, *He is Debrused with the Pale*, but if the *Beast* be on the *Pale*, then say, *He is Supported of the Pale*.

Endorse.

Cheveron

The CHEVERON Represents the *Rafters* of a *House*, and was in Antient time the *Head attire* of *Women Priests*. It takes up the fifth part of the *Field*,
and

and is subdivided into the *Cheveronel*, Cheveronel. which contains half a *Cheveron*, and Cheveron. a *Couple Close*, which is the fourth part of Couple-close. a *Cheveron*, and is not born but by Pairs, except there be a *Cheveron* between them.

The **BEND** doth contain the fifth part Bend: of the **Field** in **Breadth** if uncharged, but if charged, then the third.

It is divided into a *Bendlet*, which is Bendlet: limited to the sixth part of the *Shield*; Into a *Garter*, which is the moiety of a *Bend*; Into a *Cost*, which is the fourth Cost. part of a *Bend*; and into a *Ribon* the Ribon. moiety of a *Cost*.

There is also the *Bend Sinister*, which Bend Sinister. goeth thwart the *Escocheon* from the Sinister. *Sinister Chief*, to the *Dexter Base*, which is quite contrary to the other *Bend*; and this is subdivided into the *Scrape*, Scrape. which is half the *Bend*, and into the *Battune* which is the fourth part of the Battune: *Bend*; And this is the most usual **Badg** of **Illegitimacy**; but note that the *Battune* doth not extend it self quite thwart the **Shield**, but wants something at both sides, as by the example will appear.

The **SALTIER** Contains the fifth Saltier: part of the **Shield**, but if charged then

the third. The *Saltier* is said to be about the height of a Man, and was formerly used to Scale the Walls of a Town, and was driven full of Pins, which served for Steps.

This *Ordinary* as the rest is born *Engrailed*, *Wavey*, or the like, as also between Or, charged with a *Charge*.

An *Inescocheon*.

Escocheon of *Pre-
tence*.

An *Inescocheon* doth contain the fifth part of the Field, and must be placed in the *Fess point*: This is also termed an *Escocheon of Pretence*, and is so born by those that match with an *Heiress*, giving therein her *Coat of Arms*.

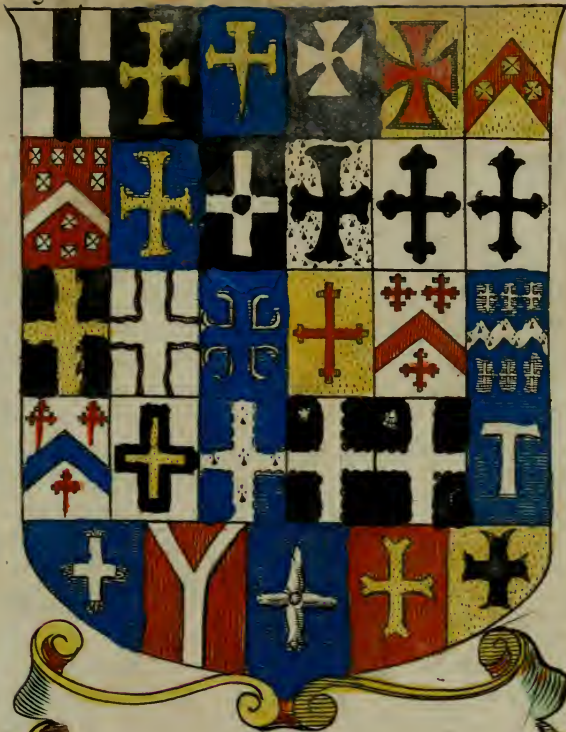
Examples of the several

CROSSES

Most Usually born in *Coat
Armour*.

Raynsford 1.

A Rgent a Cross sable born by Sir Richard Raynsford of Dallington in



Crosses .



in *Northamptonshire*, Knight, late Lord Chief Justice of his Majesties Court of Kings Bench.

Or, a *Cross Vert*, born by the Name of *Hussey*.

Hussey.

Ermine, a *Cross Sable*, by the name of *Archer*.

Archer.

Argent, a *Cross Sable* between four *Pellets*, born by Sir *Robert Clayton* of the City of *London*, Knight, Lord-Mayor thereof, *Anno* 1680. Clayton.

2. Sable, a *Cross Potence Or*, born by the Name of *Alley*.

Alley.

Azure, a *Cross Potence Or*, by the Name of *Branchley*.

Branchley

Gules, a *Cross Potence Ermine*, by the Name of *Norton*.

Norton.

Ermine, a *Cross Potence Azure*, by the Name of *Lemyng*,

Lemyng.

Per Bend, Or and Sable, a *Cross Potence* counterchanged by the Name of *Alman*.

Alman.

3. Azure, a *Cross Potence Or* or *Potent Fitch* Or, born by *Etheldred*, King of the *West Saxons*.

4. Sable, a *Cross Patee* or *Forme* Argent, born by *Maplesden*.

Maplesden

Gules, a *Cross Patee Argent*, by the Name of *Cross*.

Cross.

Argent, a Cross *Patee Flowry* Sable,
Swinston. by the Name of *Swinston*.

Per Pale, Or and Gules, a Cross
Patee, Counterchanged by the Name of
Clopton. *Clopton*.

5. Or, a Cross *Patee* Gules, fimbriated Sable, that is edged with another Cross of a different Colour.

6. Or, on a Cheveron Gules, three Crosses *Patee* or *Forme* of the Field, born by *William Peck* of *Samford-Hall* in *Essex*, Esquire, Son and Heir of *Edward Peck* of the said place, Sergeant at Law deceased.

7. Ruby, a Cheveron between ten Crosses *forme Pearl*, born by the Right Honourable *George Berkeley*, Lord *Berkeley*, *Mowbray*, *Segrave* and *Bruce*, Baron of *Berkeley Castle*, and Earl of *Berkeley*, &c.

Ruby a Cheveron Ermine between ten Crosses *forme Pearl* is born by the Right Honourable *Mawrice Berkeley*, Baron *Berkeley* of *Rathdown*, and Viscount *Fitz Harden* of *Bear haven* in *Ireland*.

Also by the Right Honourable *John*
Lord *Berkeley*, Baron of *Straton* in *Somerset-shire*, &c.

8. Azure, a *Cross Moline* Or, born by Sir *John Molineux* of *Tavershal* in *Nottinghamshire*, Baronet. Molineux.

Azure, a *Cross Moline* Argent, by the Name of *Trelesk*. Trelesk.

Gules, a *Cross Moline* Or, by the Name of *Berneston*. Berneston

Argent, a *Cross Moline* Gule, by the Name of *Vudal*. Vudal.

9. Sable, a *Cross Couped* or *Pierced* Or, by the Name of *Grill*. Grill.

Note that *Piercings* are born round, as in this example, as also four square, and *Lozenge ways*.

10. Ermine, a *Cross Patonce* Sable, born by *Jonathan Goddard* Doctor in *Physick*, and Fellow of the Colledge of *Physitians*. Goddard.

Gules, a *Cross Patonce* Argent, by the Name of *Latimer*. Latimer.

Argent a *Cross Patonce* Sable, by the Name of *Banester*. Banester.

Vert a *Cross Patonce* Or, by the Name of *Boydell*. Boydell.

Sable, a *Cross Patonce* Or, by the Name of *Mannock*. Mannock.

Azure, a *Cross Patonce* Or, by the Name of *Ward*. Ward.

Quarterly Gules and Azure, a Cross
 Wenman. *Patonce Or*, born by Sir *Richard Wenman*
 of *Caswel* in *Oxford-shire*, Baronet.

11. Argent, a Cross *Bottony Sable*,
 Winwood born by *Richard Winwood* of *Ditton Park*
 in *Buckingham-shire* Esq; Son and Heir
 of the Right Honourable Sir *Ralph Win-*
wood Knight, Principal Secretary of State
 to King *James*, and Embassador *Ledger*
 to the States of the *United Provinces*.

12. Argent, a Cross *Flowry Sable*,
 Copley. and is the Coat of Sir *Godfrey Copley* of
Sproadbrough in *York shire* Baronet.

13. Sable, a Cross *Raguled Or*, by the
 Stoway. Name of *Stoway*.

Argent, a Cross *Raguled Sable*, by the
 Wroth. Name of *Wroth*.

14. Argent, a Cross *Wavey voided Sa-*
 Ducken- ble, by the Name of *Duckenfield*.
 field.

15. Azure, a Cross *Moline Or*, void-
 ed throughout; this with the addition
 of Cross *Crosetts Or*, dispersed in the
 Knowles. Field, is the Coat of *Knowles*, of which
 Family is the Right Honourable *Charles*
 Earl of *Banbury*, Viscount *Wallingford*,
 Earl of *Banbury*, and Baron *Knowles* of *Greys*.

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16. Or, a Cross *Croset* Gules, by the Name of *Taddington*. Taddington.
- Argent, a Cross *Croset* Sable by the Name of *Wickerley*. Wickerley.
- Argent, a Cross *Croset* Gules, by the Name of *Brightley*. Brightley.
- Vert, a Cross *Croset* Or, by the Name of *Bury*. Bury.
- Sable, a Cross *Croset* Ermine, by the Name of *Durant*. Durant.
17. Argent, a *Cheveron* between three Cross *Croslets* Gules, born by *Richard Stern* of *White Cliff* in *York-shire* Esquire, *Stern*.
Son to his Grace, *Richard* late Lord *Arch-Bishop* of *York* Deceased.
18. Azure, a *Fess* *Dauncette* Ermine, between six Cross *Croslets* Argent, born by *Sir Thomas Barnardiston* of *Kediton* in *Suffolk*, Knight and Baronet, By *Sir Samuel Barnardiston* of *Brightwel* Hall in the said County Baronet. Barnardiston.
19. Argent, a *Cheveron* Azure between three Cross *Croslets* *Fitche* Gules, born by *Sir John Buckworth* of *London*, Knight. Buckworth.
20. Argent, a Cross *Couped* Sable, charged with another Or.

21. Azure

21. Azure, a Cross *Engrailed* Ermine,
 Stoughton born by *Nathaniel Stoughton* of *St. Johns*
 near *Warwick*, Esquire.

22. Sable a Cross *Engrailed* Or, in the
 dexter quarter a Mullet Argent by the
 Name of *Peyton*, of which Family is Sir
 Peyton. *Thomas Peyton* of *Knolton* in *Kent*, Ba-
 ronet.

By Sir———*Peyton* of *Doddington* in
Cambridg-shire, Baronet: and Sir *Robert*
Peyton of *East Barnet* in *Hartford-shire*,
 Knight.

23. Sable, a Cross *Engrailed* Argent,
 in the Dexter Quarter an *Escallop shell*
 of the second, born by *Justinian Pagit* of
 Pagit. *Grays-Inn*, Esquire.

24. Azure, a *Taw* Argent Ermine, or
 a cheif indented Gules, 3 *Taws* Or,
 born by *Edward Thurland* Esquire, only
 Thurland. Son of Sir *Edward Thurland* of *Reygate*
 in *Surrey*, Knight, one of the Barons
 of his Majesties Court of *Exchequer*,
 Deceased.

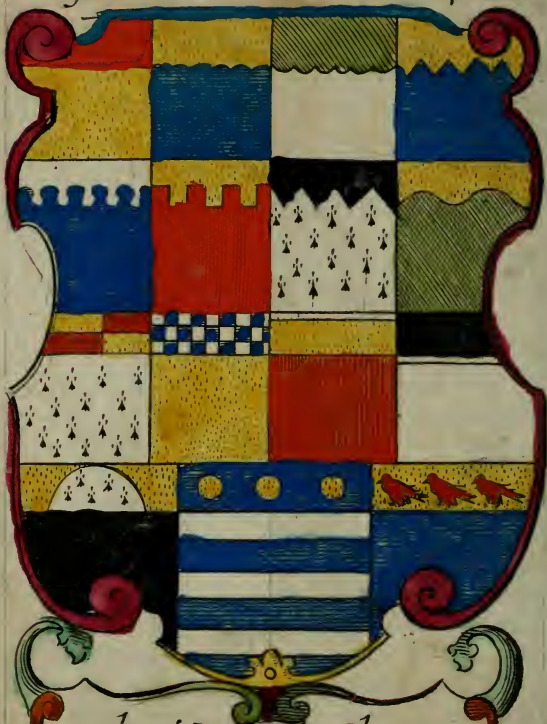
25. Azure, a Cross *Flury* Argent, by
 Cheney. the Name of *Cheney*.

Sable, a Cross *Flury* Or, by the Name
 Manox. of *Manox*.

26. Gules, a Cross *Pall* Argent.

27. Azure,





*Cheifs, with Charges
thereon.*

27. Azure, a Cross *Avelane* Argent.


28. Gules, a Cross *Furche* Or.

29. Or, a Cross *Ankred* Sable.

Thus much for *Crosses* which may be born between, or Charged with a *Charge*,

Examples of

CHIEFS.

1.  OR, a Chief Gules, born by Sir *Martin Lumley* of *Bradfield* in *Lumley*. *Essex* Baronet.

2. Azure, a Chief Engrailed Or.

3. Argent, a Chief Invested Vert.

4. Saphir, a Chief Indented Topaz; born by his Grace *James* Duke, Marquess and Earl of *Ormond*, Earl of *Ossery* and *Brecknock*, Viscount *Thurles*, Baron of *Arklow* and *Lanthony*, Lord High Steward of his Majesties Household, Knight of the Honourable Order of the *Garter*,
Duke of
Ormond.
 Chan.

Chancellor of the University of Oxford, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, and one of the Lords of his Majesties most Honourable Privy Council, &c.

Earl of
Ossery.

By The Right Honourable *James* Lord *Butler* Baron of *More Park* in *England*, and Earl of *Ossery* in *Ireland*, Grand Child to his Grace *James* Duke of *Ormond*.

Earl of
Arran.

By the Right Honourable *Richard* Earl of *Arran*, Viscount *Tulough*, Baron of *Clougrenan* in *Ireland*, and Baron *Butler* of *Weston* in *England*, second Son to his Grace *James* Duke of *Ormond*, and Lord Lieutenant of *Ireland*, Anno, 1683.

5. Azure, a Chief Nebule Argent.

6. Gules a Chief Crenelle or Embattuled Or.

7. Ermine, a Chief Dauncette Sable.

8. Vert, a Chief Wavy Or.

9. Ermine, a Chief Quarterly Or and

Peckham. Gules, by the Name of *Peckham*.

10. Or, a Chief Checky Argent and Azure.

11. Gules, a Chief Argent surmounted of another Or.

12. Argent, a Chief Sable, in the nether part thereof a Fillet Argent.

13. Sable, a *Chief Or*, charged with a *Shapournet Ermine*.

14. Azure, three *Barrs Argent*, in Chief three *Bezants*, born by Sir Rich. *Atkins* of *Much Hadham* in *Hartfor-shire*, *Atkins*. Knight and Baronet.

15. Azure, on a *Chief Or*, three *Martlets Gules*, born by Sir *William Wray Wray* of *Ashby* in *Lincolns-shire*, Baronet.

By Sir — *Wray* of *Glentworth* in the said County Baronet.

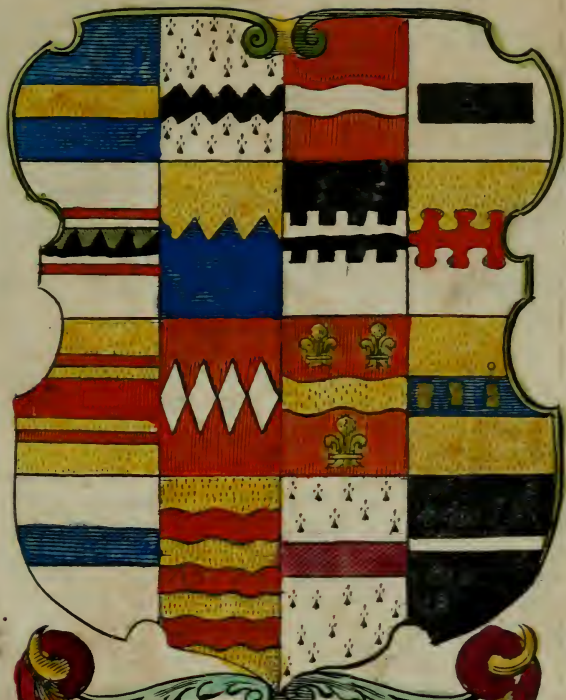
This *Ordinary* is subject to a *Charge*, as the others are.

Examples

Examples of

FESSES and BARRS.

- Eliot. 1. **A**zure a *Fess* Or, by the Name of *Eliot*.
- Barnaby. Ermine a *Fess* Gules, by the Name of *Barnaby*.
- Colvil. Or, a *Fess* Gules, by the Name of *Colvil*.
- Pennington. 2. Ermine, a *Fess* *Dauncette* Sable, by the Name of *Pennington*.
- West. Argent, a *Fess* *Dauncette* Sable, by the Name of *West*.
- Bengham. Azure, a *Fess* *Dauncette* Argent, by the Name of *Bengham*.
- Somner. Vert a *Fess* *Dauncette* Ermine, by the Name of *Somner* of *Kent*.
- Nevil. Argent, a *Fess* *Dauncette* Gules, by the Name of *Nevil* of *Leicester*.
3. Gules, a *Fess* *Wavey* Argent.
4. Argent, a *Fess* *Humid* Sable.
5. Argent,



Fesses, Barrs
&c.





5. Argent, a *Fefs per Fefs Indented* Vert and Sable, between two *Cottizes* counterchanged, by the Name of *Huddy* Huddy of *Dorsetshire*.

6. *Per Fefs Indented* Or and Azure, by the Name of *Saunders*. Saunders.

7. Parted *per Fefs* Sable and Argent, a *Fefs Batile Counter-Battled*, Counterchanged.

8. *Per Fefs* Or and Argent, a *Fefs Netule* Gules, by the Name of *Ante*-Anteshed. *bed*.

9. Argent, on a *Fefs* between a double *Cottize* Gules, three *Griffons* Heads erased Or, born by Sir *Robert Dashwood* Dashwood of *Norbrook* and *Wickham* in *Oxfordshire*, Knight.

And by *Samuel Dashwood* of the City of *London* Esquire, now Sheriff of the said City.

10. Ruby, 4 *Fussils* in *Fefs* Pearl, born by the Right Honourable *George Lord Carteret*, Baron of *Hawnes* in *Bedfordshire* Carteret. &c.

And by Sir *Philip Carteret* of *St. Owen* in the Isle of *Jarsey* Baronet.

11. Gules, a *Fefs Wavey* between 3 *Flower delis* Or, born by Sir *William Hicks* of *Ruckolls* in *Essex*, Knight and *Hicks* Baronet.

12. Or

12. Or, on a *Fefs Azure*, three *Garbs* of the *Field*, born by *James Vernon* of *St. Martins in the Field* in *Middlesex*, Esquire, descended from the *Vernons* of *Cheshire*.

Burkin.

13. *Argent*, a *Barr Azure*, born by Captain *James Burkin* of *London*, Esquire.

14. *Topaz*, three *Barrs Wavy Ruby*, born by the Right Honourable *James Earl* of *Pertb*, Lord *Drummond* and *Stobhall*, Steward of *Strathern* and *Balahidder* by Inheritance; Lord Justice General of the Kingdom of *Scotland*, one of the extraordinary Lords of the Session, and one of the Lords of his Majesties most Honourable Privy Council for the said Kingdom.

Basset.

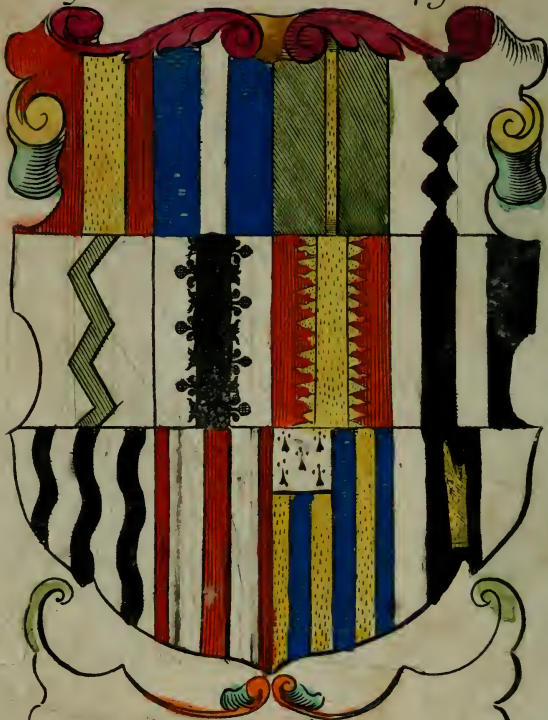
Barry Wavy of *fix Or* and *Gules*, born by *John Basset* of *Heanton Punchardon* in *Devonshire*, Esquire.

15. *Ermine*, a *Croset Sanguine*.

16. *Sable*, a *Barulet Argent*.

Example





Pales, Pallets &c.

Examples of

P A L E S.

1. **G**ules, a *Pale* Or, by the Name Grand-
of *Grandmain*. main.
2. Azure, a *Pallet* Argent.
3. Vert, an *Endorse* Or.
4. Argent, a *Pale Lozenge* Sable, by Savage;
the Name of *Savage*.
5. Gules, a *Pale Lozenge* Argent, by the Manduit;
Name of *Manduit*.
6. Argent, a *Pale indented* Vert, by Dixon.
the Name of *Dixon*.
7. Argent, a *Pale Flory* Counterchang-
ed Sable.
8. Gules, a *Pale Radiant* Or, by the Coleman;
Name of *Coleman*.
9. Party per *Pale* Argent and Sable, a
Pale Counterchanged.
10. Argent, three *Pallets Wavy* Sable, Downes;
by the Name of *Downes*.

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10. Argent, a *Pale* between two *Indorses Gules*.

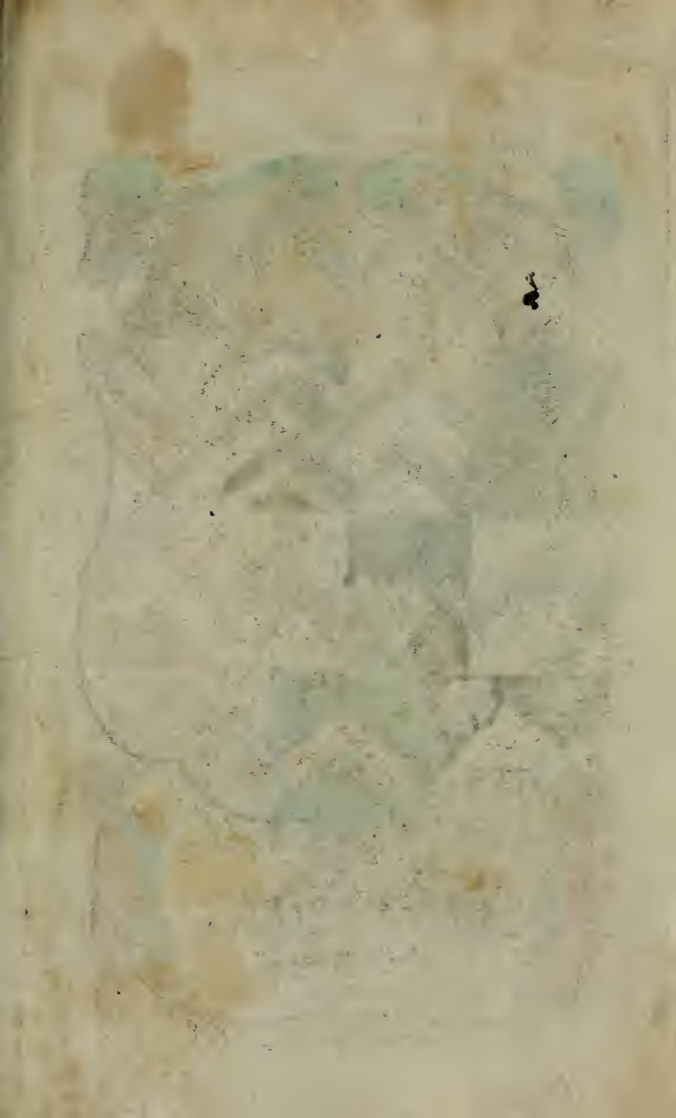
11. Paly of six Topaz and Saphir, a *Canton Ermine*, born by the Right Honourable *Robert Lord Shirley*, Baron *Ferrers*, of *Chartley*, &c.

Lord Ferrers.

12. Argent, on a *Pale Sable*, a *Congers Head Erected and Couped Or*, born by Sir *Bernard Gascoyn*, Knight.

Gascoyn.

Note that such *Ordinaries* as are either of themselves, or else by reason of some charge imposed on them, do challenge the third part of the *Field*, are exempted from this kind of Bearing one besides another, of such the *Field* can conteyn but one of them at once, but their *Derivatives* and *Subdivisions* may well be sorted in the same *Esccheon*, as a *Pale* between two *Endorses*, a *Bend* between two *Cottizes*, and such like.





Cheverons,

Examples of

C H E V E R O N S.

1. **G**ules a *Cheveron* Argent, born by
Thomas Fulford of *Fulford* in *Devonshire* Esquire.

Argent, a *Cheveron* Azure by the name of *Swillington*.

Or a *Cheveron* Sable by the name of *Heningfield*.

Argent, a *Cheveron* Gules by the name of *Trye*.

2. Ermine, a *Cheveron couped* Sable, by the name of *Jones*.

3. Or a *Cheveron* in chief Azure.

4. Sable, a *Cheveron Rompe* Argent.

5. Azure a *Cheveron engrailed voyded* Or, by name of *Dudley*.

6. Argent, two *Cheverons* Sable, born by *Sir Joseph Ash* of *Twittenham* in *Middlesex* and of *Downton* in *Wiltshire* Baronet.

An Essay to

By *Samuel Ash* of *Langley-Burwel* in *Wiltshire*, Esq.

By *William Ash* of *Hatchbury* in the said County Esq.

And by *John Ash* of *Fisfield* in the said County, Esq.

Ermine, two *Cheverons Azure*, born by *Sir Walter Bagot* of *Blithfield* in *Staffordshire*, Baronet.

Or, two *Cheverons Gules*, born by *Sir John Mounson* of *Burton* in *Lincolnshire*, Knight of the Bath and Baronet.

Ermine, two *Cheverons Gules*, by the *Fanner*. Name of *Fanner*.

7. *Azure*, three *Cheverons Argent*, born by *John Lewkenor* of *West Dean* in *Suffex* Esq.

Argent, three *Cheverons Gules*, born by *Richard Lougher* of *Tytleston* in *Clamorganshire*, Esq.

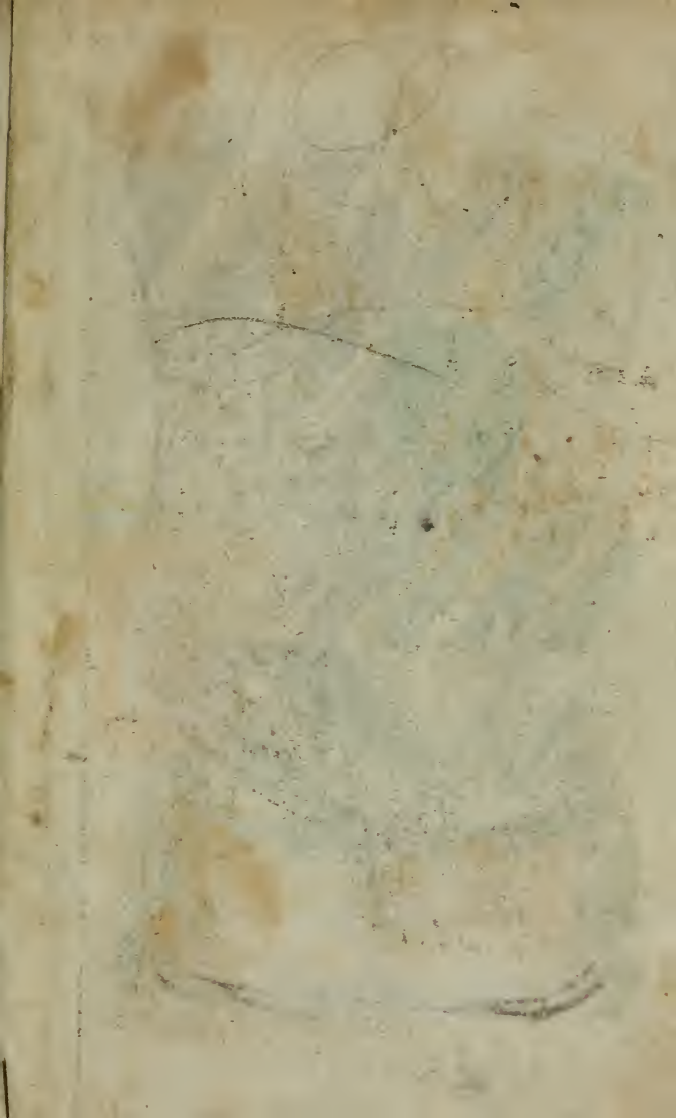
Gules, three *Cheverons Or*, by the *Horne*. Name of *Horn*.

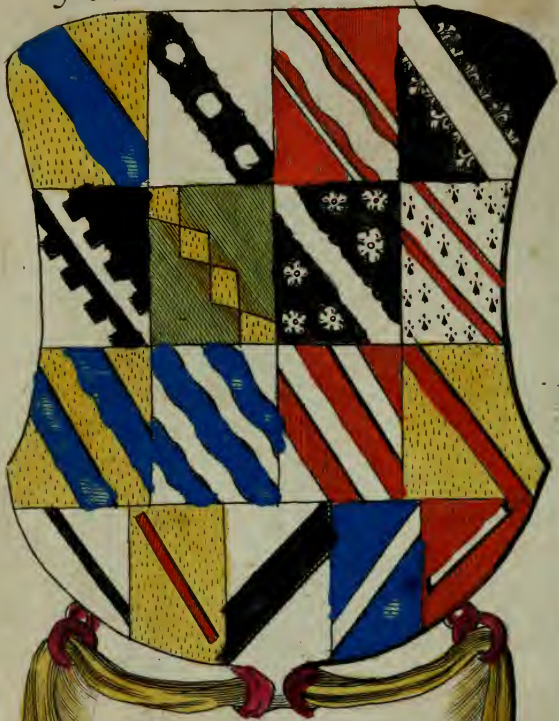
8. *Argent*, three *Cheverons reversed Gules*.

9. *Argent*, a *Cheveron Enarched Gules*.

10. *Azure*, three *Cheverons* braced in the base of the *Escocheon*, *Or*, by the *Fitz-hugh*. Name of *Fitz-Hugh*.

11. *Ermine*,





Bends .

11. Ermine, on a *Cheveron* Gules, three Cinquefoils Or, born by *Skepper* of *Skepper* *Lincolnshire*.

12. Gules, a *Cheveron* engrailed between three Owles Argent, born by Sir *George Hewytt* of *Pishobury* in *Hartfordshire*. *Hewyt*. *Baronet*.

13. *Ter Cheveron* Azure and Argent, in Chief two *Falcons* Volant Or, by the Name of *Stephens*, and is born by *Tho. Stephens*. *mas Stephens*, Esquire, Son and Heir of Sir *Thomas Stephens* of *little Sodbury* in *Glocestershire*, Knight.

14. Vert, a *Cheveron* Argent.

15. Ermine, a *Coupee-Close*, Gules.

Examples of

B E N D S.

1. O R, a *Bend* Azure, by the Name of *Caltherupe*.

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Calthe,
Gules, rupe.

Colem-
bert.

Gules, a *Bend Or*, by the Name of *Colembert*.

Kendal.

Argent, a *Bend Vert*, by the Name of *Kendal*.

Cottel.

Or, a *Bend Gules*, by the Name of *Cottel*.

Ratcliff.

2. Argent, a *Bend Engrailed Sable*, born by *Sir Francis Ratcliff* of *Dilston* in *Northumberland*, Baronet.

Culpeper.

Argent, a *Bend Engrailed Gules*, by the Name of *Culpeper*, and is the Coat of the Right Honourable *Thomas Lord Culpeper* Baron of *Thonway*.

It is also born by *Sir Thomas Culpeper* of *Preston Hall* in the Parish of *Aylesford* in *Kent* Baronet.

Grove.

Argent, a *Bend Engrailed Azure*, by the Name of *Grove*.

Clark.

Or, a *Bend Engrailed Azure*, by the Name of *Clark*.

Marshal.

Gules a *Bend Engrailed Or*, by the Name of *Marshal*.

Gules, on a *Bend Argent*, three *Crosses Patte* or *Forme Sable*, is born by *Sir John Kerersby* of *Thribergh* in the West Riding of *Yorkshire*, Baronet, Governour of the City of *York*.

Cutte.

Argent, on a *Bend Engrailed Sable*, three *Plates* born by *John Cutis* of *Arksden*

don in Essex, and of Childerly in Cambridgeshire, Esq.

Argent a *Bend Wavy Sable*, born by *Henry Wallop of Farleigh-wallop in Hampshire, Esq.*

3. Gules, a *Bend Wavy* between two *Cottizes Or Coats*, Argent by the Name of *Etton.*

Etton.

Azure, a *Bend Wavy Cottized* Argent, by the Name of *Keynes.*

Keynes.

Sable, a *Bend Engrailed Cottized* Argent, by the Name of *Willington.*

Willington.

Azure, a *Bend Engrailed* Argent, Cottized Or, by the Name of *Fortescue.*

Fortescue.

4. Sable, a *Bend Flory* Argent, by the Name of *High-Lord.*

Highlord.

Sable, a *Bend Flory* Or, by the Name of *Bromfleet.*

Bromfleet.

5. *Per Bend* Sable and Argent, a *Bend Ragule Counter* changed by the Name of *Strangman.*

Strangman,

6. Vert, a *Bend Lozenge* Or, by the Name of *Knight, of Hampshire.*

Knight.

Sable, a *Bend Lozenge* Argent, by the Name of *Lenthal of Oxfordshire.*

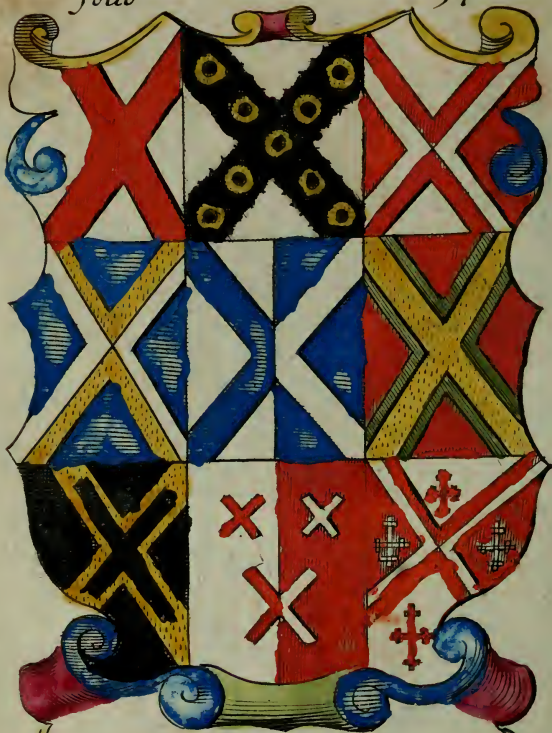
Lenthal.

Ermine, a *Bend Lozenge* Gules, by the Name of *Plumley of Devonshire.*

Plumley.

- Povey. 7. Sable, a *Bend* engrailed between six *Cinquesoyle*s Or, born by *Tho. Povey* Esquire, one of the *Masters of Requests* to his Majesty King *Charles* the Second:
- Ireton. 8. Ermine, a *Bend* voided Gules, by the Name of *Ireton*.
- D'oyley. 9. Or, two *Bendlets* Azure, by the Name of *D'oyly*, and is born by Sir *John D'oyley* of *Chislehampton* in *Oxfordshire*, Knight, by *Christopher D'oyley* of *Alderbury* in the said County Esquire, and by *Land D'oyley* of *St. Giles* in the Fields, in *Middlesex*, Gent.
- Tracy. Or, two *Bendlets* Gules, born by the Name of *Tracy*.
- Braintwaite. Or, two *Bendlets* Engrailed Sable, by the Name of *Brantwait*.
- Wilbraham. 10. Azure, three *Bendlets* Wavey Azure, born by Sir *Thomas Wilbraham* of *Wooakey* in *Cheshire*, Baronet.
11. *Bendy* of six Pieces Argent and Gules.
12. Or, a *Garter* Gules.
13. Argent, a *Cost* or *Cottize* Sable.
14. Or, a *Ribon* Gules.
15. Argent a *Bend Sinister* Sable.
16. Azure, a *Scrape* Argent.
17. Gules, a *Battune* Argent.





Saltiers,

Examples of

SALTIER S.

1. **P**Earl, a *Saltier Ruby*, born by the Right Honourable *Charles Lord Gerard*, Baron of *Brandon* and Earl of *Maxfield*, &c.

Earl of
Maxfield.

By the Right Honourable *John Fitz-Gerard*, Earl of *Kildare*, Premier Earl of the Kingdom of *Ireland*.

Earl of
Kildare.

By the Right Honourable *Digby*, Lord *Gerard* Baron of *Gerards Bromley*, and Lord of *Dutton*.

Lord *Gerard.*

By Sir *Francis Gerard* of *Harrow-hill* in *Middlesex*, Knight and Baronet.

By *Gilbert Gerard* Cofsein of *Brasserton Hall* in the *North Riding* of *Yorkshire*, Esquire, Son and Heir to Sir *Gilbert Gerard*, Knight and Baronet.

Ruby, a *Saltier Pearl*, born by the Right Honourable *George Lord Nevil*, ny.

Ba-

Baron of *Bergavenny* in *Monmouth-shire*, but the Family of the *Nevils* beareth in the middle of the Saltier a Rose Gules for a Distinction.

Dering. Or a *Saltier* Sable, born by the Right Honourable Sir *Edward Dering* of *Surrenden Dering* in *Kent*, Baronet, one of the Lords Commissioners of his Majesties Treasury, &c.

Baldwin. Argent, a *Saltier* Sable, born by *Martin Baldwin* of *Castle Geshel* in Kings County in *Ireland*, Esquire.

York. Azure, a *Saltier* Argent, born by Sir *William York* of *Burton Pedwarding* in *Lincolnshire*, Knight.

Nevil. Gules, a *Saltier* Argent, charged with a Rose of the Field, born by the Name of *Nevill*.

Ducket. Sable, a *Saltier* Argent, born by *Thomas Ducket* of *Steplemorden* in *Cambridgeshire*, Esquire.

Hunt. Vert, a *Saltier* Or, born by the Name of *Hunt*.

Gage. Per Pale Azure and Gules, a *Saltier* Argent, by the Name of *Gage*.

Earl of Scarsdale. 2. Pearl; on a *Saltier* Engrailed Diamond, 9 *Annulets* Topaz, born by the Right Honourable *Robert Leak* Earl of *Scarsdale*, and *Baron Deyncourt*.

Vert,

Vert, a *Saltier* Engrailed Argent, by the Name of *Hawley*. Hawley.

And is born by the Right Honourable *Francis* Lord *Hawley*, and by *Henry* *Hawley* of *Branford* in *Middlesex*, Esquire.

Argent, a *Saltier* Engrailed Sable, born by Sir *George* *Middleton* of *Leighton* in *Middleton Lancashire*, Baronet.

3. Parted *per Saltier* Argent and Gules, a *Saltier* Counterchanged.

4. Azure, a *Saltier* quarterly quarter-Bath and
ed Or and Argent, being the Arms of *Wells*.
the Episcopal See of *Bath* and *Wells*.

5. *Per Pale* Argent and Azure, a *Saltier* Counterchanged by the Name of *Hodbonel*.
Hodbonel.

6. Gules on a *Saltier* Or, another Vert, Andrews.
by the Name of *Andrews*.

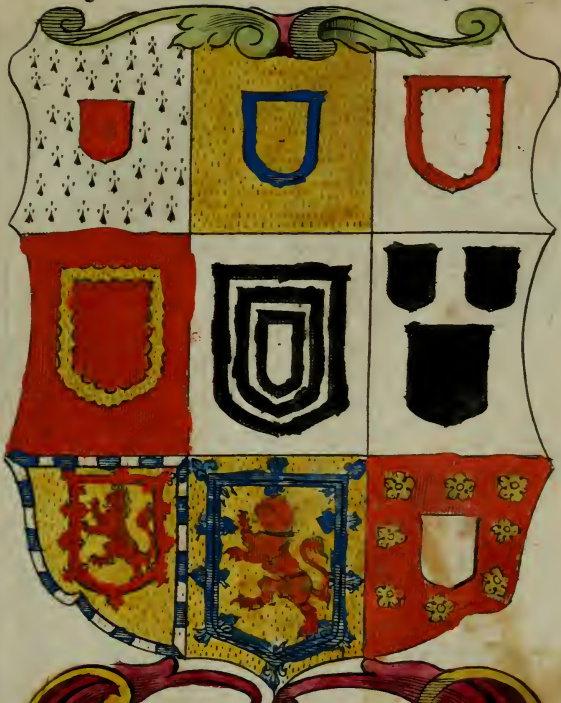
7. Gules, a *Saltier Cleche*, that is pier-
ed through, Or.

8. *Per Pale*, Argent and Gules, three
Saltiers Counterchanged, born by Lane.
Lane of *London*.

9. *Girony* of four Argent and Gules,
a *Saltier* between as many *Cross Crestlets* all
Counterchanged, born by *Roger* *Twisden* Twisden.
of *Bradborn* in *Kent*, Esquire, Eldest Son
to Sir *Thomas* *Twisden*, Knight and Baro-
net, one of his Majesties Justices of
Kings Bench. Ex-

Examples of
 INESCOCHEONS
 and
 ORLES.

1. **E**Rmine an *Inescocheon* Gules.
 2. Or, an *Orle* Azure, by the
 Bertram. Name of *Bertrams*.
 3. Argent, an *Orle* Engrailed on the
 Inner side Gules.
 4. Gules, an *Orle* Engrailed on both
 sides Or.
 5. Argent, an *Orle* of three Peices
 Sable.
 6. Argent, three *Escocheons* Sable, by
 Lowdham the Name of *Lowdham*.
 7. Topaz a Lyon Rampant, and
 Treasure of *Scotland* Ruby, within a
 Border gobonated Pearl and Saphir, this
 is the Coat of the Right Honourable
Alexander
-



Inescocheons,
and Orles.



Alexander Earl of *Murray*, Lord *Down* Earl of
and *Abernethe* in *Scotland*, and one of his *Murray*.
Majesties principal Secretaries of State
for that Kingdom.

8. *Topaz*, a *Lion Rampant* cut in pie-
ces at the *Joynts Ruby*, within a *Trea-*
sure of Scotlard Saphir, born by the Right Lord
Honourable *Richard Lord Maitland*, Lord *Maitland*.
Justice Clarke of the Kingdom of *Scot-*
land, one of the Lords of his Majesties
most Honourable Privy Council for that
Kingdom, and Eldest Son to the Right
Honourable *Charles* Earl of *Lauderdale*,
&c.

9. *Gules*, an *Inescocheon* *Argent*, within
an *Orle of Cinquefoyls Or*, born by Do- Chamberl
ctor *Hugh Chamberlain* Doctor in *Physick* *lain*.
in Ordinary, to his Majesty King *Charles*
the Second, and by his Brother Doctor
John Chamberlain, Doctor in *Physick*.

Examples of
P I L E S.

THe *Pile* is an Ordinary consisting of a twofold Line, formed like a *Wedge*, and is an Antient Addition to *Armory*, being that which makes all *Foundations* and *Fortifications* sure and Firm, especially upon Moorish and Watry Grounds.

The Examples follow.

1. Or a *Pile* Engrailed Sable, born by the Name of *Waterhouse*.
 2. Azure, a *Pile* Ermine, born by Sir *Cyrill Wyche* of *Flansford* in *Surry*, Knight, sometime *Embassadour* at *Constantinople*, for his Majesty King *Charles* the First.
- Azure, a *Pile* Or, by the Name of *Aldham*.
- Or, A *Pile* Azure, by the Name of *Bagginton*.

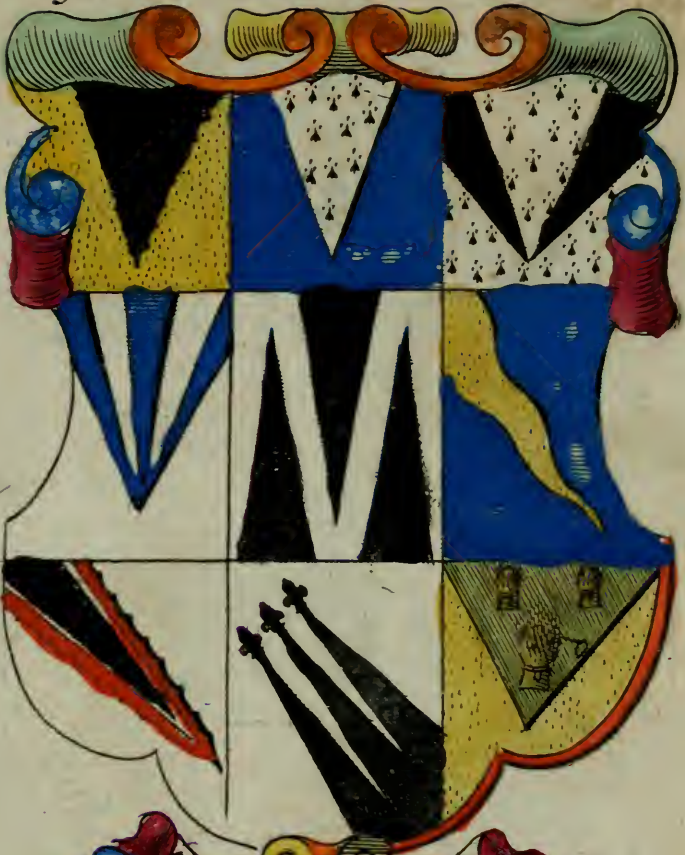
Water-
house.

Wyche.

Aldham.

Bagging-
ton.

Sable



Piles.





Sable, a *Pile* Ermine, by the Name of *Moriswith*. Moriswith.

3. Ermine, two *Piles* in point Diamond, born by the Right Honourable *John* Lord *Haughton*, Eldest Son to the Right Honourable *Gilbert* Earl of *Clare*, &c. Lord Haughton,

And is also born by the Right Honourable *Francis* Lord *Holles*, Baron *Holles* of *Ifield* in *Suffex*. Lord Holles.

3. Argent three *Piles*, meeting near the base of the *Escocheon* Azure, by the Name of *Bryan*, Bryan.

Or, three *Piles* Gules, by the Name of *Basset*. Basset.

Azure, three *Piles* Or, by the Name of *Salbourn*. Salbourn.

Azure, three *Piles* Gules by the Name of *Gildesborough*. Gildesborough.

Argent, three *Piles* waved Gules, by the Name of *Candish*. Candish.

Ermine, three *Piles* waved Gules, by the Name of *Gernon*. Gernon,

Ermyne, three *Piles* Engrailed Sable, by the Name of *Cade*. Cade.

5. Argent, three *Piles*, one issuing out of the *Chiefe*, between two others, transposed, or reversed Sable, born by Captain *Richard Hulse* of *Bethersden* in *Kent*, Esquire. Hulse.

6. Ar-

Aldham. 6. Argent, a *Pile* waved, issuing out of the Dexter Corner of the *Esccheon* Bendways Or, by the Name of *Aldham*.

7. Argent, a *Pile* in Bend, issuing out of the Dexter Corner of the *Esccheon* Sable, *Cottized* Engrailed Gules.

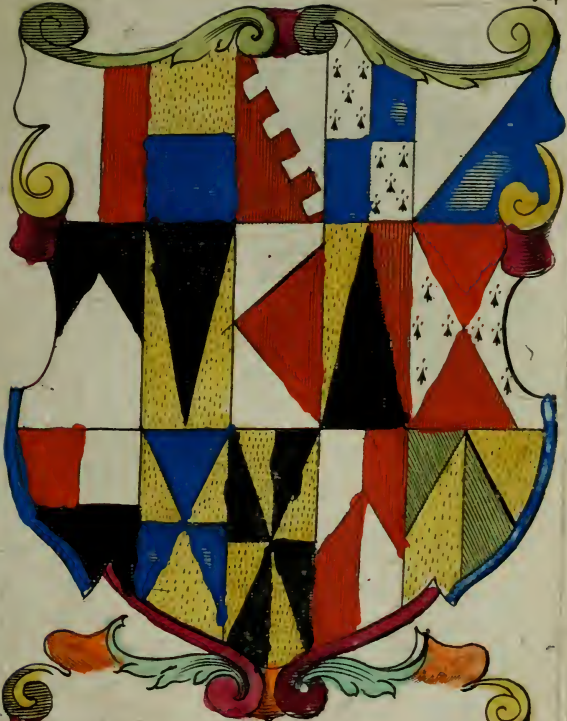
8. Argent, a *Triple Pile* flowry on the tops Sable, issuing out of the Sinister Base in Bend, towards the Dexter Corner.

Oldfield. 9. Or, on a *Pile* Vert, three *Wheat-Sheaves* of the Field, born by Sir *Anthony Oldfield* of *Spalding* in *Lincolnshire*, Baronet.

Partitions of

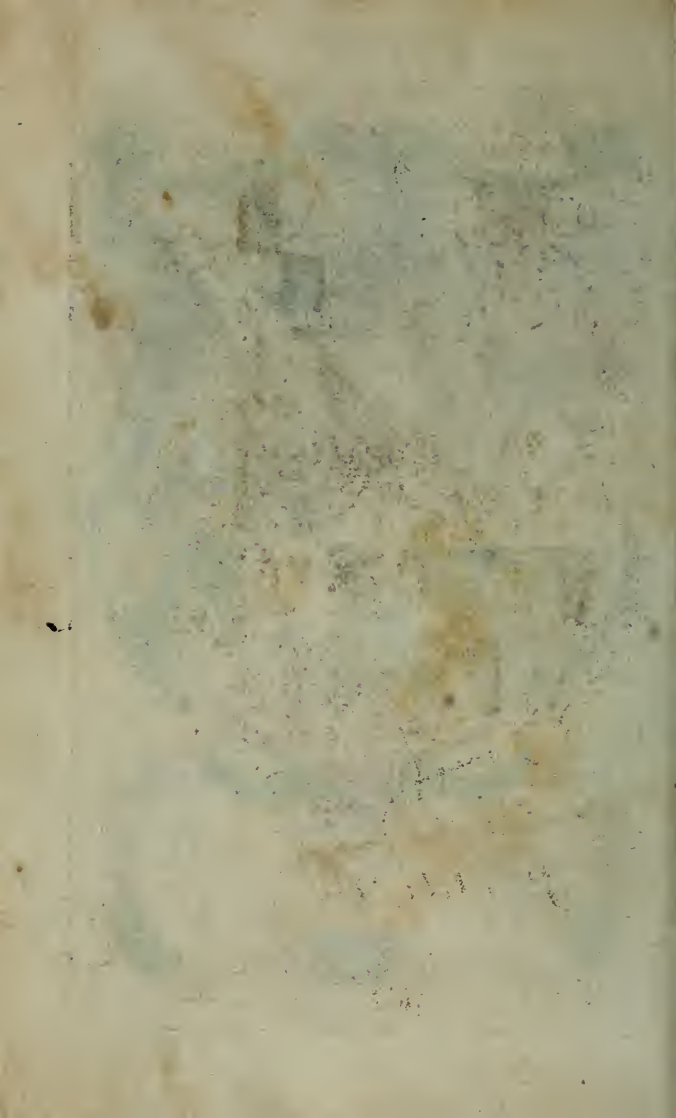
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Partitions are such in which there is no *Tincture*, that is *Metal*, *Colour*, or *Fur* predominating in them, and are formed of sundry sorts of *Lines* of *Partition*,



Partitions.





tition, occasioning oft times *Counter-changing* and *Transmutation*, and these kinds of *Bearing* are subject to be born *Wavey*, *Engrailed*, or the like: for Example.

1. Parted *per Pale* *Argent* and *Gules*,
by the Name of *Walgrave*. Walgrave

2. *Per Fess* *Or* and *Azure*.

3. *Per Bend Embattuled* *Pearl* and *Ruby*, born by the Right Honourable *Boyle Lord Clifford*, Eldest Son to the Lord *Clifford*, Right Honourable *Richard Boyle* Earl of *ford*, *Burlington*, and Baron *Clifford* of *Lansborough* in *England*, Earl of *Corke*, Viscount *Dungarvan*, and Baron *Youghal* of *Ireland*, &c.

And by the Honourable *Robert Boyle* Boyle:
of *Staulbridge* in *Dorset-shire* Esquire,
Brother to the Right Honourable the
Earl of *Burlington*.

Per Bend *Or* and *Vert*, by the Name
of *Hawley*. Hawley:

4. Quarterly *Ermine* and *Sable*, born
by *John Stanhope* of *Elveston* in *Derby-* Stanhope.
shire, Esquire.

Some Blazon this Coat parted *per*
Cross.

5. *Per Bend Sinister* *Argent* and *Azure*.

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6. *Per*

Aston. 6. *Per Cheveron* Sable and Argent ;
born by Sir *Willoughby Aston* of *Aston* in
Cheshire, Baronet.

7. *Per Pile* in Point Or and Sable.
The *Pile* part of this *Coat* may be charg-
ed, but no other part thereof, and that
may be used as one only *Coat*.

8. *Per Pale* Travers , Argent and
Gules.

9. Parted *Per Pile* Transposed Or ,
Gules and Sable. This is a Bearing rarely
met with.

10. *Per Saltier* Gules and Ermine, by
Rekwoold: the Name of *Restwoold*.

11. *Per Pale* and *Base* Gules, Argent
and Sable, a Bearing unusual.

12. *Girony* of 6 pieces Or and Azure.

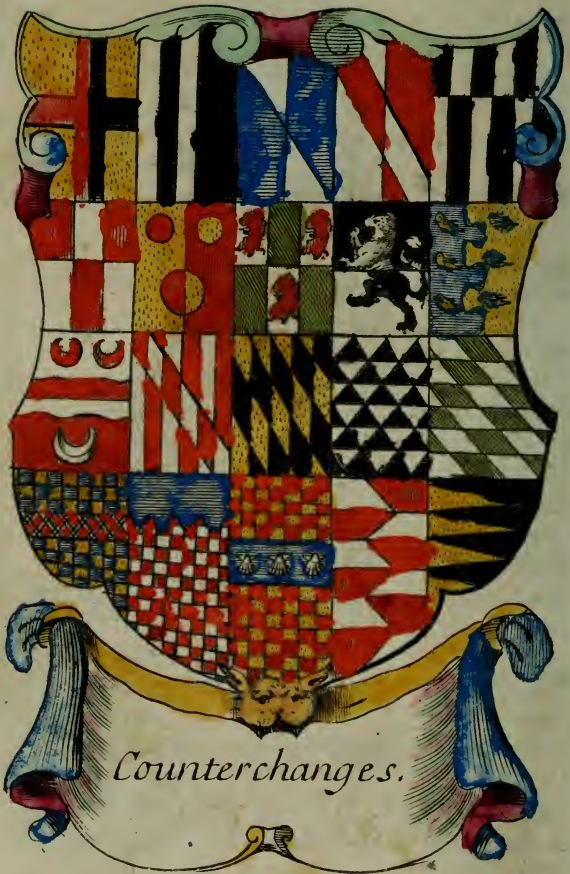
13. *Girony* of eight pieces Topaz and
Diamond, and is born by the Right Ho-
nourable *Alchibald* Lord *Lorn* , Eldest
Son to the Right Honourable *Archibald*
Earl of *Argile* , Lord *Kintire* Champ-
Lord *Lorn*. *bel* and *Lorn*, &c.

14. *Per Pale* and *Cheveron* Argent and
Gules.

15. *Chappe* Or and Vert Counterchang-
ed.

From *Partitions* I shall proceed to *Coun-
terchanges*, which doth also admit of a
Charge





Counterchanges.

Charge, as these Examples will Demonstrate.

Examples of

COUNTERCHANGES:

1. **O**R a *Cross parted per Pale Gules and Sable*, by the Name of *Brook*. Brook.
2. *Per Pale, Argent and Sable, a Pale Counterchanged.*
3. *Per Pale Argent and Azure, per Bend Counterchanged*; this the French Armorist term *Transbe*.
4. *Per Pale Argent and Gules, a Bend Counterchanged by the Name of Chaucer*. Chaucer's
5. *Paly of six Argent and Sable, a Chief Counterchanged.*
6. *Per Fess Gules and Argent, a Pale Counterchanged by the Name of Lavi-Lavider's*. Lavi-Lavider's

7. *Parted per Pale Or and Gules, three Roundels Counterchanged.*

Argal- 8. *Per Fefs Argent and Vert, a Pale Counterchanged three Lyons Heads Erased Gules, born by Sam. Argal of Walthamstow in Essex, Doctor in Physick, Candidat & Honorary and Physitian in Ordinary to Her Majesty.*

Earl of 9. *Per Fefs Sable and Argent, a Lyon Rampant Counterchanged by the Name of Vaughan, and is born by the Right Honourable Richard Earl of Carbury in Ireland, and Baron of Emlyn in England.*

Fleetwood 10. *Per Pale Nebule Azure and Or, six Martlets Counterchanged by the Name of Fleetwood.*

11. *Per Fefs Argent and Gules, a Bar between three Crescents Counterchanged.*

12. *Paly of six Argent and Gules, a Bend Paly of as many Counterchanged.*

13. *Paly Bendy or and Sable.*

Gill. 14. *Barry of six Indented the one into the other Argent and Sable, by the Name of Gill.*

15. *Barry Bendy Argent and Vert.*

16. *Checky Topaz and Saphir, a Fefs Ruby, fretty Pearl, born by the Right Honour-*

Honourable *Charles* Lord *Cheyne*, Vis- Lord
count of *Newhaven* in *Scotland*, &c. *Cheyne*.
which said Dignity, upon the Death of
his *Lordship*, descends on his Son and
Heir *William Cheyne* Esq.

17. *Checky* Argent and Gules, a Chief
Indented Azure, born by *Joseph Mickle-* *Mickle-*
thwaite of *Swayle* in *Holderness* in *York-* *thwait.*
shire, Esq.

18. *Checky* Or and Gules, on a *Fess*
Azure, three *Escallops* Argent, born by
Sir *Robert Baldock* of *Talconeston* in *Nor-* *Baldock.*
folk, Knight.

19. *Barry* of six Parted *per Pale In-*
dentented Argent and Gules, Counterchang-
ed, born by *William Peyto* of *Chesterton* *Peyto.*
in *Warwickshire*, Esq.

20. *Barry* Pily of eight pieces, Or
and Gules.

Thus much of *Coat Armours* that have
an obscure derivation from some of the
Ordinaries, and do keep their Name. I
shall next proceed to some Examples
where two or more *Ordinaries* are joyn-
ed in one *Shield*, and which are Subject
to a Charge.

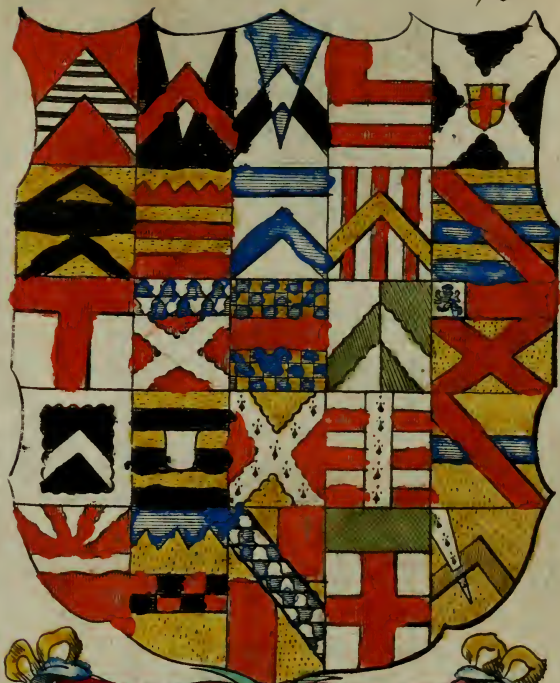
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Example

Examples of
O R D I N A R I E S

Joyned together.

1. **G**ules on a *Cheveron* Argent, three *Bars Gemelle* Sable, born by Sir *Barnham Throgmorton* of *Clower-wall* in *Glocestershire*, Knight and Baronet.
- Throg-
morton.
2. Sable, a *Pile* Argent *Surmounted* of a *Cheveron* Gules, by the Name of *Dixon*.
- Dixon.
3. Argent on a *Pile* Azure, a *Cheveron* Counterchanged Argent, and Sable, born by Sir *John Otway* of *Igmire*, in the West riding of *Yorkshire*, Knight, *Chancellor* of *Durham*, *Vice Chamberlain* of the County *Palatine* of *Lancaster*, and one of his Majesties *Council* learned in the Law.
- Otway.
4. Argent, two *Barrs* Gules, on a *Canon* of the second, a *Cross* of the first, born



*Ordinaries
Joyned together.*



born by *Thomas Broughton* of *Broughton* Broughton
in *Staffordshire* Esq; Son and Heir of Sir *ton.*
Bryan Broughton, Knight and Baronet.

5. Sable on a *Saltier Engrailed* Argent,
an *Escoccheon* Or, charged with a *Cross*
Gules, by the Name of *Morris*. Morris.

6. Or, a *Fefs* between two *Cheverons*
Sable, born by *John Lisle* of *Moxhul* in *Lisse.*
Warwickshire, Esquire.

7. Gules, two *Bars* and a *Chief Indent-*
ed Or, born by Sir *Thomas Hare* of *Stow-Hare.*
Bardolph in *Norfolk*, Baronet.

8. Argent a *Cheveron* and *Chief* A-
zure.

9. *Paly* of six Argent and Gules, a
Cheveron Or, born by Sir *Edward Bark-* B a i k h a.
ham of *West Acre* in *Norfolk*, Baro-
net.

10. *Barry* of six peices Or and Azure,
a *Bend* Gules, by the Name of *Gannt*. Gaunt.

11. Argent a *Pale* and *Chief* Gules.

12. Gules a *Saltier Engrailed* Argent,
and a *Chief Vairy*.

13. *Checky* Or and Azure, a *Fefs*
Gules, born by the Right Honourable
Hugh Lord Clifford, Baron of *Chndleigh* Clifford.
in *Devonshire*, Son and Heir of the Right
Honourable *Thomas Lord Clifford* decaaf-
ed, late Lord *High Treasurer* of *England*,
&c, E 4 14. Per

14. *Per Pale* Argent and Vert, a *Cheveron* Engrailed Counterchanged.

Bruce,

15. Topaz, a *Saltier* and Chief Ruby on a *Canton* Pearl, a *Lyon Rampant* Saphir; born by the Right Honourable Robert Bruce, Earl of *Ailesbury* and *Elgin*, Viscount *Bruce* of *Amphil*, Baron *Bruce* of *Whorlstone*, *Skelton* and *Kinloss*, Lord Lieutenant of the Counties of *Bedford* and *Huntington*, and one of the Lords of his Majesties most Honourable *Privy Council*, &c.

16. Sable, a *Cheveron* within a *Bordure* Engrailed Argent.

17. *Barry* of six Or and Sable, an *Esccheon*, Argent.

18. Gyrony of four Or and Gules, a *Saltier* Engrailed Ermine.

19. *Barry* of six Argent and Gules, a *Pale* Ermine.

Elwes.

20. Or a *Fess* Azure surmounted by a *Bend* Gules, born by Sir *Gervas Elwes* of *Stoke juxta Clave* in *Suffolk* Baronet, and by Sir *John Elwes* of *Grovehouse* in the Parish of *Fulham* in *Middlesex*, Knight.

Isham.

21. Gules, a *Fess* and three *Piles* in Chief Wavey Argent, born by Sir *Justinian Isham* of *Lampton* in *Northamptonshire*, Baronet.

22. Quar-

22. Quarterly Topaz and Ruby, a *Bend Vairy*, born by the Right Honourable *Charles Sackvile* Earl of *Dorset* and *Sackvile*. *Middlesex*, Baron *Bruckhurst* and *Cranfield*, one of the Gentlemen of his *Majesties Bed Chamber*, and Lord Lieutenant of *Suffex*, &c.

This Coat is also born by Collonel *Thomas Sackvile* of *Selscombe* in *Suffex*, Son of Sir *Thomas Sackvile* of the said place, Knight of the *Bath*.

23. Quarterly Or and Gules a *Bend Sable*, born by Sir *James Clavering* of *Clavering* *Anwel* in the *Bishoprick* of *Durham*, Baronet.

Quarterly Argent and Gules, a *Bend Sable*, born by *Tho. Widrington* of *Fen-widrington* in *Northumberland* Esquire.

Quarterly Sable and Or a *Bend Argent*, born by *George Laughton* of *Laughton* in *Lincolnshire* Esquire.

24. Argent a *Cross Gules* and *Chief Vert*.

25. Or, a *Bend Ermine Perforated* through a *Cheveron Gules*.

 CHAP. III.

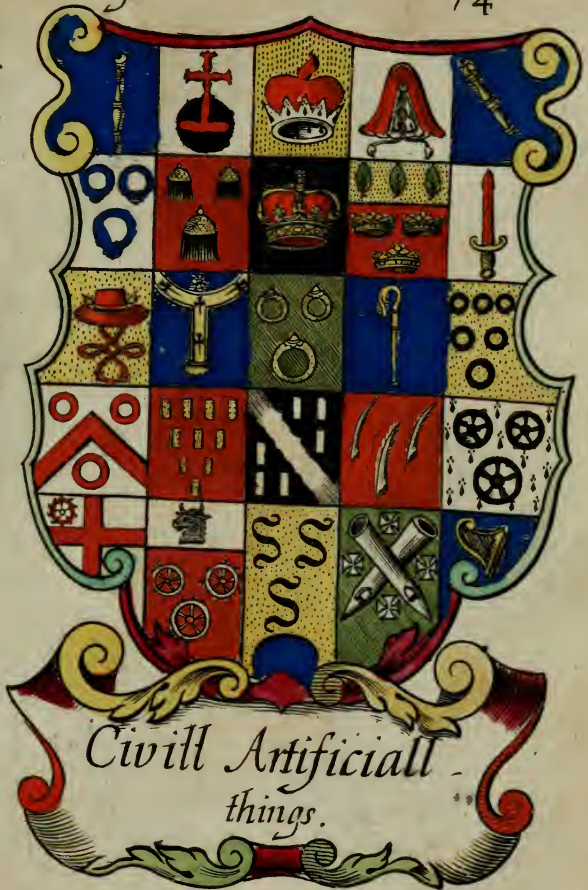
Treats of Coat Armour formed of things Artificial, to wit, such as are made by Man, and for his use, which shall be reduced under several Heads, as they Relate to the use of Civil Life, as the Ensigns of Dignity, both Temporal and Ecclesiastical; or of Professions both Liberal and Mechanical, or as they Relate to Military Actions, as well for the Land as Sea.

 CIVIL ARTIFICIAL
 THINGS.

1. **J**upiter a Scepter Royal in Pale, insigned with an Eye Sol.

The Eye betokeneth Providence in Government, being the *Watchman* of the Body, and the Scepter is an Emblem of Justice.

2. Luna



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things.



2. *Luna* a Mound, *Saturn* environed with a Circle, and ensigned with a Cross *Evallane Mars*.

This as *Guillim* notes, is an *Ensign* Representing Sovereign Majesty and Jurisdiction of a King, and therefore it is blazoned by the *Planets*.

By the roundness of the *Mound*, and insigning thereof with a *Cross*, is signified, that *Religion* and the Faith of *Christ* ought to be received and embraced throughout his *Dominions*.

3. *Sol*, a Cap of Maintenance *Mars* turned up Ermine.

This is called a Cap of Maintenance, for that Pope *Julius* the second sent such an one with a Sword to King *Henry* the eighth, for he had lately before that written a Book against *Martin Luther*; and after that, Pope *Leo* the Tenth gave him the Title of *Defender of the Faith*

4. *Luna*, a Mantle of Estate, *Mars* doubled Ermine, ouched *Sol*, garnished with Strings fastned thereunto fretways dependant, and tasselled of the same.

The *Mantle* is a Robe of Estate peculiar to *Monarchs*, and free *Estates*.

These Arms do belong to the Town of *Brecknock* in *Wales*.

Town of
Brecknock.

5. *Jupiter*

5. *Jupiter*; a *Mace of Majesty* in Bend Sol.

It is called a *Mace of Majesty* to distinguish it from a *Mace* born by a Common *Sergeant*.

6. Pearl three *Garters* Buckled and nowed Saphir, garnished with *Diamonds*.

This *Garter* is worn by the *Knights* of the *Garter*.

7. Gules three *Tassels* Or, by the Name of *Wooler*.

8. *Saturn* an *Imperial Crown* Sol.

Of *Crowns* I shall speak more in the Chapter of external *Ornaments*.

9. Gules three *Ducal Crowns* Or, on a *Chiefe* of the second as many *Laurel Leaves* proper, born by Sir *John Berkenhead* Knight, deceased.

10. Pearl a *Sword of Estate* in *Pale*, the point erected Ruby, hilted, and pommelled *Topaz*; the *Scaberd* enriched with precious *Stones* proper.

The manner of bearing this *Sword* varieth according to the several *Estates* and *Dignities* of the *Persons* for whom they are born.

11. Or, a *Cardinals Hat* with *Strings* pendent and plated in true-love, the ends meeting in base Gules.

Such

Such *Red Hats* are worn by the *Cardinals* at *Rome* and other *Catholick Countries*.

12. *Venus*, a *Staff* in *Pale Sol*, and thereupon a *Cross Pattee*, *Luna* surmounted off a *Pall* of the last, charged with 4. like *Crosses* fitched *Saturn*, edged and stringed as the second. This *Coat* belongs to the *Archiepiscopal See* of *Canterbury*, to whose place it appertains to *Crown* and *Inaugurate* the *Kings* of *England*.

13. *Vert*, three *Gem Rings* *Or*, enriched with *Turkasses* proper.

Though *Custom* and *Time* hath made the *Ring* a common *Ornament* for every *Mechanick Hand*, yet of right none should use and wear them, but such as either by *Blood*, *Wars*, *Learning*, or *Office* and *Dignity* were made capable thereof.

14. *Azure*; a *Bishops Crosier* in *Pale Erect Or*. The *Crosier* was given to the *Bishops* as an *Emblem* to fetch and draw the *Souls* of men to their *Lord* and *Master Jesus Christ*.

15. *Or*, Six *Annulets* 3 2 and 1 *Sable*, by the Name of *Lowther*, and is born by *Sir John Lowther* of *Lowther-Hall* in *West-Lowther*, *moreland* *Baronet*.

By

An Essay to

By Sir *William Lowther* of *Pontefract* in the North-Riding of *Yorkshire*, Knight.

By *Anthony Lowther* of *Mask* in *Cleveland*, in the North Riding of *Yorkshire*, Esq.

By *Henry Lowther* of *Cockermouth* in *Cumberland*, Esquire,

Azure six *Annulets*, 3 2 and 1 Or, born by Sir *Phillip Musgrave* of *Edenhall* in *Cumberland*, Knight and Baronet, Governour of *Carlisle* Garison.

Musgrave. By Sir *Edward Musgrave* of *Hayton Castle* in the said County Baronet.

By Sir *Christopher Musgrave* of *Eden Hall* in the said County Knight, second Son to the said Sir *Phillip*.

By *William Musgrave* of *Musgrave Hall* in *Penrith*.

By *William Musgrave* of *Clea*, both of the said County, Esquires.

And by *Edward Musgrave* of *Ashby* in *Westmorland*, Esquire.

Goreing. 16. Argent a *Cheveron* between, three *Annulets* Gules, born by *Thomas Goreing* of *Kinston* in *Staffordshire* Esquire, and by *Lovet Goreing* of the *Inner Temple*, *London*, Gent.

The Charge of *Annulets* are born several ways, and of greater or lesser quantities, as by these examples may appear.

Ar-

Argent, three *Annulets* in Chief Gules.

Azure, five *Annulets* in Cross Or.

Barry of six Argent and Azure, over all three *Annulets* Or.

Per Fess Argent and Sable, six *Annulets* Counterchanged.

Gules on a Chief Indented Argent, three *Annulets* Sable.

17. Gules, ten *Billets*, 4, 3, 2 and 1. Or, by the Name of *Cawdrey*.

Cawdrey

If the number of *Billets* be ten, or under, then in the blazoning Name, the quantity of them, but if above, then the Number is not exprest.

18. Diamond a *Bend Engrailed* between six *Billets* Pearl, born by the Right Honourable *William* Lord *Allington*, Baron of *Wymondley* in the Kingdom of *England*, and Baron of *Killard* in *Ireland*, *Constable* of his Majesties *Tower* of *London*.

Lord *Allington*.

19. Gules 3 *Pens* Argent.

20. Ermine 3 *Wheeles* Sable.

21. Argent, a *Cross* Gules in the first quarter, a *Katherin Wheel* of the second.

This *Wheel* differs from the plain, which is of use for *Carts* and other *Carrriages*, it having *Teeth* set round it, and was much in use in the primitive Age of the

the Church for the torturing *Christians*, and took it's Name *St. Katherin*, that suffered Martyrdom on such a kind of *Wheel*.

22. Gules 3 *Katherin VVheels Argent*, on a Chief of the second a *Bulls head coupé Sable*, born by Sir *Phillip Matthews* of *Edmonton* in *Middlesex* Baronet, and by *Joachin Mathews* of *Lincolns Inn* in *Middlesex*, Esquire.

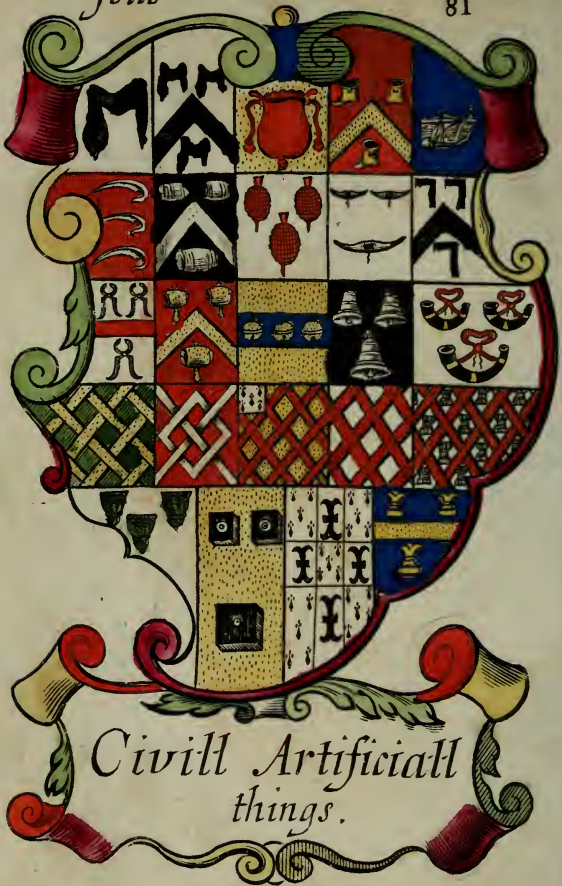
23. Or, three *Text Esses Sable*.

24. Vert, two *Organ Pipes* in Saltier between four *Crosses Pattee Argent*.

It is said that *Jubal* the Son of *Lamech* was the first that found out *Musical Instruments*.

25. Azure a *Harp Or*, stringed Argent, this is the *Armes of Ireland*, quartered in his *Majesties Royal Atchievement*.





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things.*

Other Examples of

CIVIL ARTIFICIAL
THINGS.

1. **P**Earl, a *Maunch* Diamond, born by *Theophilus* Earl of *Huntington*, Baron *Hastings*, *Hungerford*, *Botreaulx*, *Moulins*, *Moules*, *Homet* and *Peverel*, and one of the Lords of his Majesties most Honourable *Privy Council*, &c. Earl of
Huntington

The word *Maunch* is derived from the Latin word *Manica*, which signifies the *Sleeve* of a *Garment*.

2. **Argent**, a *Cheveron* between three *Maunches* **Sable**, born by Sir *Edward Mauncel* or *Mergan* in *Glamorganshire*, *Mauncell*; **Baronet**.

3. **Or** a *Purse* **Overt** **Gules**.

4. **Gules** a *Cheveron* between three *I-rish Broges* or *Shoes*, **Or**.

F

5: **Azure**

Kroge. 5. Azure a *Plough* in Fels Argent, by the Name of *Kroge*.

Kemple. 6. Gules three *Scithes* in Pale Barways Argent, by the Name of *Kemple*.

7. Sable, a *Cheveron* between three *Tuns* Argent, born by the Company of *Vintners*.

8. Argent three *Fusils* upon *Slippers* Gules.

They are called *Fusils* from *fucus*, which signifies a Spindle of Yarn. *Pliny* saith it was a fashion and custom at *Rome*, that when *Maid*s were to be Wedded, there attended upon them one with a *Distaff* with dressed Wool, as also with a Spindle and Yarn upon it, to put them in mind that *Housewifery* and *Wivery* were to go together.

Shuttleworth. 9. Argent, three *Weavers Shuttles* Sable, tipped and furnished with their *Quills* of Yarn or Thread Or, born by *John Skuttleworth* of *Newby Hall* in *Yorkshire*, Gentleman.

Atlow 10. Argent a *Cheveron* between three *Carpenter Squares* Sable, by the Name of *Atlow*.

11. Argent a *Fess* between three pair of *Pincers* Gules.

12. Gules

12. Gules a *Cheveron* between three *Malletts* Or, born by *John Soame* of little *Soame*. *Thurlow* in *Suffolk* Esquire.

13. Or on a *Fess* Azure, three *Hawks* *Bells* of the first.

These sort of *Bells* are of great antiquity, being worn by the *Hebrews High-Priests* on the *Skirts* of their upper *Garmments*, in their *Divine Worship*, to move the *People* to *Attention*. And the great *Bells* were invented to hang in *Churches*, to call the *People* to *Divine Service*.

14. Sable three *Bells* Argent, by the *Name* of *Porter*.

Porter.

15. Argent three *Bugle*, or *Hunters* *Horns* Sable stringed Gules and garnished Or, born by *Alan Bellingham* of *Leaven* in *Westmoreland* Esquire.

Bellingham.

Argent three *Bugle-hornes* Sable, stringed Vert and *Garnished* Or, is born by *Humfrey Wyrley* of *Hampstead Hall* in *Wyrley* *Staffordshire* Esquire, one of the *Prothonotaries* of his *Majesties* *Court* of *Common Pleas*.

16. Vert, fretty Or, born by *Sir Will. Whitmore* of *Apley* in *Shropshire*, *Baronet*.

Whitmore.

By *William Whitmore* of *Balms* in *Middlesex* Esquire.

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Sable

Bellew. Sable *Fretty Or*, born by Sir *John Bellew* of *Bellews Town* in the County of *Meath* in *Ireland*, Knight.

Fleming. 17. Gules a *Frett Argent*, born by Sir *Daniel Fleming* of *Ridale* in *Westmoreland* Knight, and by *Edward Fleming* of *Inslow* in *Devonshire* Esquire.

Harington. Sable a *Frett Argent* by the Name of *Harington*.

Eyreford. Gules a *Frett Engrailed Ermine*, by the Name of *Eyreford*.

Earl of Ganesborough. 18. Or *Fretty Gules*, a *Canton Ermine*, born by the Right Honourable *Edward Noel*, Viscount *Campden*, Baron of *Redlington* and *Elmington*, and Earl of *Ganesborough*, Lord Lieutenant of *Rutlandshire*:

Noel. And with a due difference, is born by the Honourable *John Noel* of *Luffingham* in *Rutlandshire* Esquire, third Son of the Right Honourable *Baptist Noel*, Viscount *Campden*, &c.

Hamilden. 19. Argent, a *Frett* of eight peices Gules, each charged in the midst with a *Flower de lis Or*, by the Name of *Hamilden*.

Nechur. 20. Argent *Frette Gules semy de Castles* of the second by the Name of *Nechur*.

21. Argent three *Weels*, their *Hoopes* upward Vert.

22. Or three *Dice* Sable, each charged with an Ace Argent, by the Name of *Ambes Ace*.

There is no Fortune in the *Dice*, but all Ominous, for he that loofeth is tormented, and he that wineth is enticed to play on until he is ensnared, and it may be loose far more then he formerly won, besides the ill Accidents that often attend, even to murther it self.

23. Ermine on a Cross quarter pierced Argent, four *Ferdemolins* Sable, born by Sir Edmond Turner of Stoke Rochford in Turnaer. Lincolnshire, Knight.

24. Azure a *Fess* between three *Chest-rooks* Or, by the Name of *Bodenham*. Bodenham

This is a thing used in the Play of *Chests*, being for the defence of all the rest, and stands in the utmost Corner of the *Chest Board*, or *Frontier Castle*.

Other Examples of

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THINGS.

Warcup.

1. Sable three *Cups* covered Argent, bore by *Edmond Warcup* of *North Mere* in *Oxfordshire*, Esq.

Butler.

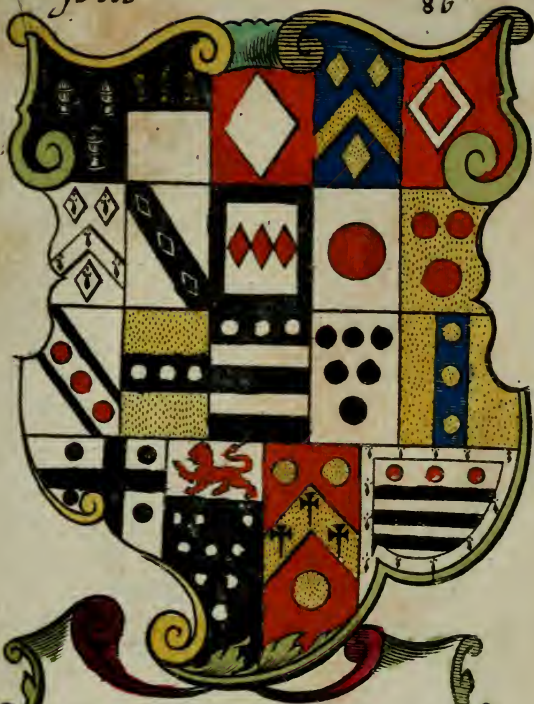
2. Argent, on a *Chief* Sable, three *Cups Covered* Or, born by *Sir James Butler* of *Lincolns Inn*, Knight, *Steward* of his Majesties *Palace* and *Marshalsea Court*.

And by *Nicolas Butler* of *Hailes* in *Over Rawcliff* in *Lancashire*, and of the *City of London*, *Doctor* in *Physick*.

3. Gules a *Fusil* Argent.

Earl of
Clarendon.

4. Saphir, a *Cheveron* between three *Lozenges* Topaz, born by the Right Honourable *Henry Earl of Clarendon*, *Viscount Cornbury*, and *Baron Hide* of *Hendon*, and by the Right Honourable *Laure Hide*,
Earl



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Earl of *Rochester*, first Lord Commissioner of his Majesties Treasury, and one of the Lords of his most Honourable Privy Council. Earl of *Rochester*.

5. Gules a *Masle* Argent.

The *Fusil* is longer then the *Lozenge*, having its upper and lower parts more acute and sharp then the other two collateral middle parts.

The *Lozenge* differs from the *Fusil* in that it is not sharp at the top and bottom, but all the *Lines* of an equal length.

A *Masle* is in form and shape like the *Lozenge*, but that it is voided as in the *Escocheon* appears.

6. Argent a *Cheveron* between 3 *Fusils* Ermenois, born by Sir *John Shaw* of *El-Shawtham* in *Kent*, Baronet, and by Mr *Thomas Shaw* of the City of *London*, Merchant.

7. Argent on a *Bend* Sable, three *Masles* of the Field, born by *Rowland Carleton* of *Amphill* in *Bedfordshire*, Gentleman.

8. Pearl three *Lozenges* in *Fess* Ruby, within a *Bordure* diamond, born by the Right Honourable *Charles Mountague*, *Montague*, Earl of *Manchester*, Viscount *Mandevil*, Earl of *Baron of Kimbolton*, *Manchester*.

By the Right Honourable *Edward* Earl of *Montague*, Earl of *Sandwich*, Viscount *Sandwich*. *Montague* of *Hinchingbrook*, and Baron of *St. Neots*.

By the Right Honourable *Edward* Lord *Montague* of *Boughton*.

By *Edward Montague* of *Horton* in *Northamptonshire* Esquire.

And by *William Montague* Esquire, Son and Heir of the Right Honourable *William Montague*, Lord Chief Justice of his Majesties Court of *Exchequer*.

9. *Argent a Rundle.*

The *Rundle* is a thing much used in *Coat Armour*, but by different Names, it retaining one and the same shape, and the Names appropriated to it, doth declare the *Colour* without naming it; and of these *Rundles*, there are nine sorts, (*viz.*) *Bezants* whose *Colour* is *Or*. *Plates* whose *Colour* is *Argent*. *Torteaux-es*, whose *Colour* is *Gules*. *Hurts*, whose *Colour* is *Azure*. *Pellets* or *Ogresses*, whose *Colour* is *Sable*. *Pomeis* is *Vert*. *Golpes* is *Purpure*. *Oranges* is *Tenne*, and *Guzes* is *Sanguine*.

And of these three are the usual bearing either in a *Field* by themselves, or on, or between any of the *Ordinaries*, as by the

the Examples in the *Escocheon* doth appear.

10. Or three *Torteauxes*, born by Sir *William Courteney* of *Powderham Castle* in *Courteney* *Devonshire* Baronet.

And by *John Courteney* of *Knowstone* in the said County, Esquire.

11. Argent, three *Torteauxes* in Bend, Cottized Sable by the Name of *Ince*. Ince.

12. Or, on a Fess Sable three *Plates*, born by Sir *John Bramston* of *Screens* in *Bramston* *Essex*, Knight of the *Bath*, and by *Francis Bramston* of *Sergeant Inn* London, Sergeant at Law, Brother to the said Sir *John*.

13. Sable, two *Bars* Argent in Chief, three *Plates*, born by Sir *Edward Hungerford* of *Farley Castle* in *Hampshire*, Knight of the *Bath*. Hungerford.

14. Argent Six *Plates*, three, two and one.

15. Or, on a *Pale* Azure. 3. *Bezants* born by *John Wildman* of *Beaucot* alias *Becket* in *Berkshire*, Esq.

16. Argent a *Croß* Sable between four *Pellets*, born by Sir *Robert Clayton* of the *Clayton*, City of *London*, Knight and *Alderman*, late Lord Mayor thereof.

17 Sable

Bridgman 17. Sable ten *Plates*, four, three, two and one, on a Chiefe Argent, a *Lyon Passant* Sable, born by Sir *John Bridgman* of *Castle Bromwick* in *Warwick-shire*, Baronet, Son and Heir of the Right Honourable Sir *Orlando Bridgman*, Knight and Baronet deceased, late Lord Keeper of the Great Seal of *England*.

By *Orlando Bridgman* of *Within-Brook* in *Warwick-shire* Esquire, second Son of the said Sir *Orlando*.

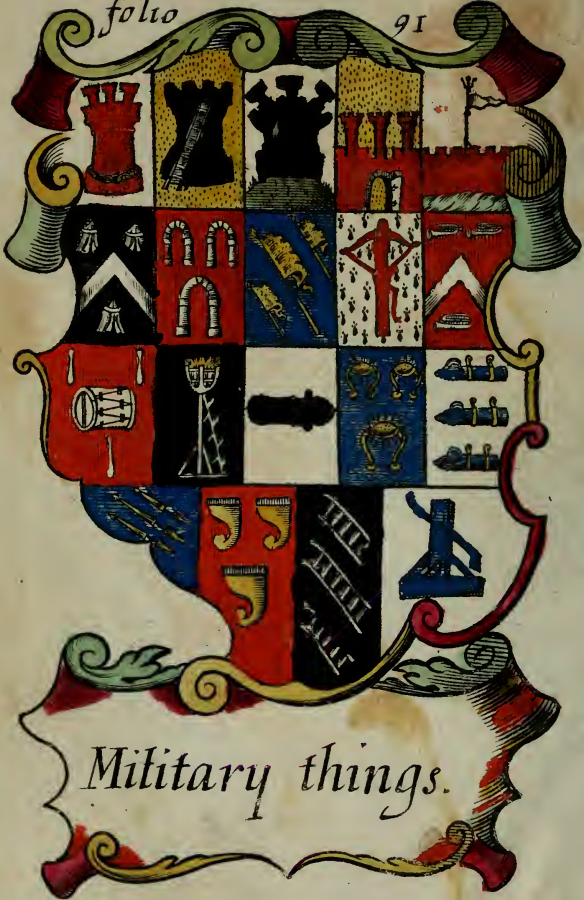
And by *William Bridgman* of *Tork-buildings* in the Parish of *St. Martins* in the *Fields* in *Middlesex* Esquire.

Smith. 18. Gules on a *Cheveron* Or three *Crosses Forme Fische* Sable, between as many *Bezants*, born by *Erasmus Smith* alias *Herez* of *St. Jones* in the Parish of *Clarckenwel* in *Middlesex* Esquire, Son of Sir *Roger Smith* of *Edmonthorp* in *Leicestershire*, Knight, deceased.

Bludworth 19. Argent, three *Bars* Sable in Chiefe, as many *Torteauxes*, all within a *Bordure* Ermine, born by Sir *Thomas Bludworth* of *Leather head* in *Surrey* Knight, Son and Heir to Sir *Thomas Bludworth* of the said place, and of the City of *London*, Knight, Alderman and Lord Mayor, Anno 1666.

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Military things.

Having treated of *CIVIL ARTIFICIAL THINGS*, next comes in Order *Military things* as well for Offence as Defence.

Examples of

MILITARY THINGS.

1. **A** Rgent a *Tower* tripple Tower'd
Gules, chained Transverse the
Port Or.

Castles and Towers are places of strength, and commonly seated on a lofty Assent, and in places of strength both by Nature and Art, and do serve for places of refuge and retreat, rather then for the valorous to perform any Noble exploit in, and many times *Castles and Towers* have proved very pernicious to those that have reposed trust in their safety:

2. Or a *Tower* Sable, having a *Scaling Ladder* raised against it in *Bend Sinister* Argent.

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3. Argent a *Tower tripple Tower'd* Sable, on a *Mount* proper, born by Sir Chiverton *Richard Chiverton* of *London* Knight and Alderman.

4. Or a *Castle tripple Tower* Gules, the *Ports* Displayed of the *Field*, leaved Argent.

Mr. *Guillim* observeth that when the *Architecture* or *Masonry* extendeth all over the *Field*, from one side to the other, it must be blazoned a *Castle*.

5. Argent a *Bridge* of three *Arches* in *Fess* Gules masoned Sable, the streams transluent proper, a *Fane* Argent, by the Name of *Trowbridge*.

Trow-
bridg.
Tenton.

6. Sable a *Cheveron* between three *Tents* Argent, by the Name of *Tenton*.

Tents and *Tabernacles* were the Chiefe Habitation of our Fore-Fathers, and such kind of Habitations were best for their convenience for the often removing their Seat, for the refreshing their *Cattle* with change of *Pastures*. And this *Custom* is at this day observed by the *Tartarians*, and some other of the Eastern People:

7. Gules three *Single Arches* Argent, the *Capitals* and *Pedestals* Or.

8. Azure three *Banners* disvelloped, or displayed in *Bend* Or.

Ban-

Banners are very useful for every *Band* of Foot, or Troop of *Horse* to gather their Company together, each *Banner* having some particular mark of distinction for their better knowledge thereof.

9. Ermine a *Cross Bow* bend in *Pale* Gules, by the Name of *Arblast*.

Arblast.

The *Cross Bow* is said to be first devised by the *Grecians*.

10. Gules a *Cheveron Engrailed* between three *Trumpets* Argent.

The *Trumpet* was made by the immediate direction and command of *God* to *Moses*, and was to be used for the assembly of the Congregation, and for the departure of the *Camp*. And the sound of the *Trumpet* is but as the loud voice of the *General*, and although the *Trumpeter* fights not, yet his sounding doth much excite and encourage the *Soldiers* to valour.

11. Gules a *Drum* in *Fess* between three *Drumsticks* erected Argent.

This loud sounding *Instrument* is of like use with the *Trumpet*, and used by many Nations.

Zizca that renowned Captain of the *Bohemians* being sick to Death, desired his *Souldiers*, when he was dead, to flea him

him, and make a *Drum* of his *Skin*, as-
 nring them that when their *Enemies*
 should hear the sound thereof they
 would put them to flight.

12. Sable, a *Beacon* fired Or, the flame
 proper.

Upon the Invasion of an *Enemy* the
Beacons are set on fire, which presently
 gives an *Alarum* to the whole *Country*,
 and such *Beacons* are placed upon high
 Hills, as in *Kent*, *Essex*, and other *Frontier*
Counties of England, for the like oc-
 casion when need requires.

13. Argent a *Culvering* dismounted in
Fess Sable, by the Name of *Leigh*.

Leigh.

14. Azure three *Murthering Chain* shots
 Or.

15. Pearl three *Battering Rams* bar-
 ways proper, headed *Saphir*, Armed and
 Garnished *Topaz*, by the Name of *Ber-
 tie*, and is born by the Right Honourable
Robert Earl of *Lindsey*, Baron *Willoughby*
 of *Eresby*, Lord Great *Chamberlain* of
England, Lord *Leutenant* of *Lincoln-
 shire*, and one of the Lords of his Maje-
 sties most Honourable *Privy Council*, &c.

Bertie.
 Earl of
 Abington.

Also by his Lordships Brother the
 Right Honourable *James* Lord *Bertie*,
 Barron *Norris* of *Rycot*, Earl of *Abing-*

Earl of
 Lindsey.

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son, and Lord Lieutenant of *Oxfordshire*.

This Coat with a due difference, is born by the Honourable Captain *Peregrin Bertie* of *Waldershire* in *Kent*.

By the Honourable Captain *Richard Bertie* of *Creton* in *Lincolnshire*. And by the Honourable Captain *Charles Bertie* of *Uffington* in *Lincolnshire*, Brothers of the Right Honourable *Robert* Earl of *Lindsey* afore said.

The *Battering Ram* was an Instrument much used by the *Romans* at their besieging *Cities*, or holds with purpose to surprize them; and such an *Engine* did *Titus Vespasianus* Erect against *Jerusalem*, when he took it.

16. Azure three *Launces* in Bend Or.

Guillim observes that it was the custom of the *Romans*, before they waged War, after a denial of restitution of things unjustly taken, or Satisfaction for injuries offered, that their *King* at *Armes* should amongst other Ceremonies throw a *Spear* headed with Iron, and imbrued with blood, and scorched with fire into the soyl of that People, against whom they intended Wars, to declare to them that they would with Fire and Force severely

verely punish them for injuries done them.

Earl of
Bath.

17. Ruby three *Clarions* Topaz, born by the Right Honourable *John* Earl of *Bath*, Viscount *Greenvile* of *Landsdown*, Baron *Greenvile* of *Kilhampton* and *Bidiford*, Lord Lieutenant of *Cornwal*, Governour of *Plimouth*, Lord Warden of the *Stanneries*, Steward of the *Dutchy*, *Groom* of the *Stool*, first Gent. of his *Majesties* Bed Chamber, and one of the Lords of his *Majesties* most Honourable *Privy Council*, &c.

The *Clarion* by some is said to be a rest for *Launces*, and by others a *Musical Instrument* used in *Battle* and *Turnaments* like unto *Trumpets*, for in many old descriptions of *Tiltings*, we find *Knights* to come in with *Clarions*.

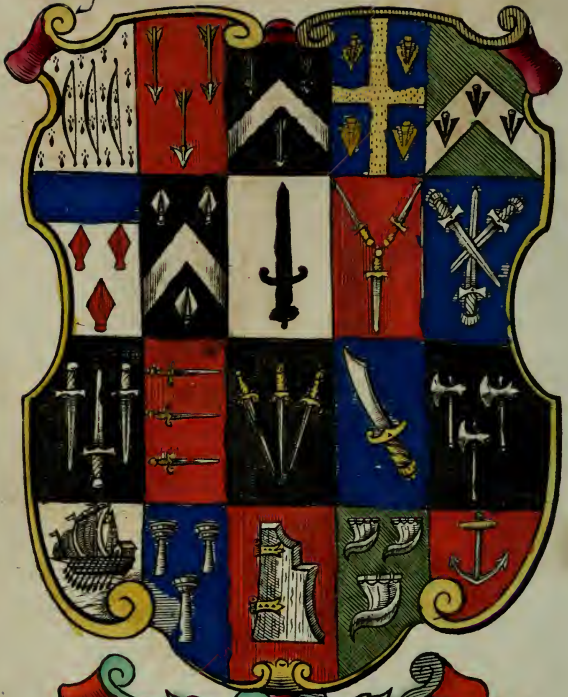
Shipstow.

18. Sable three *Scaling Ladders* in Bend Argent, by the Name of *Shipstow*.

Magaal.

19. Argent a *Sweep Azure*, charged with a *Ston Or*, by the Name of *Magaal*.

This Instrument was used to cast *Stones* into the *Towns*, or *Fortifications* of the *Enemies*.



Military things.

Other Examples of

MILITARY THINGS.

1. **E**Rmine three *Long Bowes* in *Pale Bent* Gules, by the Name of *Bowes*. Bowes.
2. Gules three *Arrows* Or, feathered and headed Argent, born by Sir *Edward Hales* of *Tunstal* in *Kent*, Baronet.
By Sir *Robert Hales* of *Beakesborn* in *Hales*, the said County Baronet.
And by Sir *John Hales* of *Coventry* in *Warwick-shire* Baronet.
3. Sable a *Cheveron Engrailed* between three *Arrows* Argent, born by Sir *Humfrey Foster* of *Aldermaston* in *Bark-shire*, Foster. Baronet.
4. Saphir a *Cross* between 4 *Pheons* *Topaz*, born by the Right Honourable *Richard Jones* Viscount and Earl of *Ranelagh*. Earl of Ranelagh.
5. Vert

Keymis. 5. Vert on a *Cheveron* Argent, three *barbed Arrow-head* Sable, born by Sir *Charles Keymis* of *Keven Mabley* in *Glamorgan-shire*, Baronet.

The *Bow* and *Arrows* were *Military Instruments*, much used in former Ages, before the Invention of *Guns* by the *English*, and great Execution was done thereby. And it was the custom of the *Persians* when they went to war, for every one to put an *Arrow* into a Chest for that purpose, placed before the Throne of their *King*, and at their return, for every one to take forth an *Arrow*, and by those remaining, the number of the slain did the better appear.

Reyce. 6. Argent three *Spears heads* Gules, a *Chiefe* Azure by the Name of *Reyce*.

Morgan. 7. Sable a *Cheveron* between three *Spears heads* Argent, the points embrewed proper by the Name of *Morgan*.

Dymock. 8. Argent a *Sword* erected in Pale Sable, by the Name *de Dymock*.

The *Sword* is a *Weapon* fitted for Execution, and hath been used in all Ages.

Stapleton. 9. Gules three *Swords* conjoynd at the *Pomels* in Fess; their points extended into the *Corners* of the *Escoccheon* Argent, by the Name of *Stapleton*.

10. Azure

10. Azure three *Swords*, one in *Pale* with the Point upwards, Surmounted of the other two, placed *Saltier* ways, with the points downwards *Argent*, by the Name of *Norton*.

Norton.

11. Sable three *Swords*, one in *Pale*, two with their points downwards, and the middlemost upwards *Argent* by the Name of *Rawlins*.

Rawlins.

12. Gules three *Swords Barways* *Argent*, the *Hilts* and *Pomels* *Or*, born by *Chaloner Chute* of the *Vine* in *Hampshire*, Esquire.

13. Diamond, three *Swords* with their *Points* downwards, meeting in the middle base point *Pearl* hilted *Topaz*, born by the Right Honourable Charles Earl of *Wiltshire*, Son and Heir to the most Honourable Charles Marquess of *Winchester*, Earl of *Wiltshire*, and Baron St. *John* of *Basing*, &c.

Earl of
Wiltshire.

14. Azure a *Curtelasse* in *Bend* *Argent* garnished *Or*, by the Name of *Tatnal*.

Tatnal.

15. Sable three *Battle Axes* *Argent*, born by *John Hall* of *Bradford* in *Wiltshire*, Esquire.

Hall.

16. *Argent* a *Galley* under full *Sayl* *Azure*.

The first *Ship* that we read of was made by *Noah*, for the preservation and increase of all living Creatures in the time of the *Deluge*, to wit the *Ark*, but *Fa-son* first made the *Galley*, which *Sesostris* King of *Egypt* used after him.

17. Azure three Peices of *Masts* Couped with their tops Argent.

18. Gules, a *Ruther* or *Helm* of a *Ship* Argent:

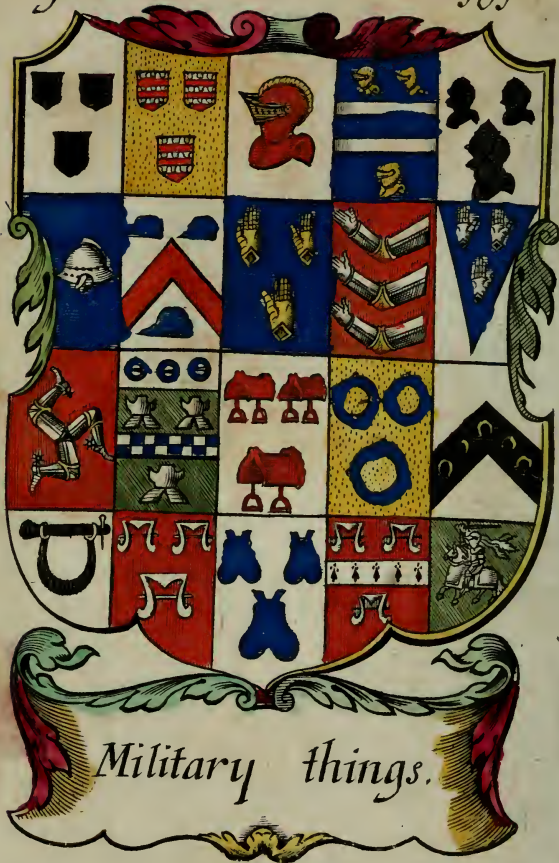
19. Vert three *Sails* Argent, by the *Cavel.* Name of *Cavel*.

20. Gules, an *Anchor* in *Pale* Argent, the *Timber* or *Crois* peice Or, by the *Goodreed* Name of *Goodreed*.

The *Anchor* signifies succour in extremity.

Other





Other Examples of

M I L I T A R Y
T H I N G S.

1. **A** Rgent three *Escocheons* or *Shields* Sable by the Name of *Lowdham*. Lowdham.
2. Or three *Escocheons* barry of six Verry and Gules, by the Name of *Mounchensey*. Mounchensey.
3. Argent a close *Helmet* Gules, garnished Or, by the Name of *Kingsley*. Kingsley.

It was the custom of the *Romans* in their *Wars*, to cover the *Head* peices of their light harnessed *Soldiers*, whether Horse or Foot, with the skins of *Bears*; and the *Grecians* used to cover their *Heads* with the skins of *Otters*, instead of *Helmets*, and both to the end that they should appear more terrible and gashly to their *Enemies*, and by such a surprize they might the better gain the *Victory*.

4. Azure two *Bars* Argent, between three *Cloze Helmets* Or, born by *Gabriel Armiger* of *North Creake* in *Norfolk*, and of the *Inner Temple London*, Esquire.

5. Argent, three *Helmets* with their *Beyers* open Sable, by the Name of *Miniet*.

6. Azure a *Morion* proper. This is the *Morion* now in use for the *Foot Soldiers*.

7. Pearl a *Cheveron* Ruby between three *Morions* or *Steel Caps* Saphir, born by the Right Honourable *Francis* Lord *Brudenel*, Son and Heir to the Right Honourable *Robert* Earl of *Cardigan*, Baron *Brudnel* of *Stanton*, &c.

8. Saphir three left hand *Gauntlets* Topaz, born by the Right Honourable *Charles Fane* Earl of *Westmoreland*, Baron *de Spencer* and *Burgwash*, whose second Son is the Honourable *Sir Francis Fane* of *Fulbeck* in *Westmoreland* Knight of the *Bath*.

9. Gules three *Dexter Arms* *Vambraiced* proper, by the Name of *Armstrong*.

10. Argent on a *Pile* Azure, three *Dexter Gauntlets* of the *Field*, born by *Thomas Jolliff* of *Costen Hall* in *Worcestershire*

shire Esquire, and by *William Folliff* of *Craswel Castle* in *Staffordshire*, Esq.

11. Ruby three *Legs* Armed proper, conjoynd in *Fess* at the upper part of the *Thigh* flexed in triangle, garnished and spotted *Topaz*. This is the Arms of the *Ile of Man*, and is quartered by the Right Honourable the Earl of *Derby*. The Isle of
Man.

12. Vert a *Bar* *Company* *Argent* and *Azure*, between three *Curasses*, or *Brest-Plates* of *Armour* of the second, on a *Chiefe* of the same, as many *Fermailes* or *Buckles*, as the third by the Name of *Baldberny* of *Scotland*.

13. *Argent* three *Saddles* with *Stirrups* *Gules*.

14. *Or*, three *Chaplets* Vert, by the Name of *Richardson*.

Guillim observeth that *Chaplets* were by the *Romans*, given as a *Reward* of *Honour* for some *Military Services* performed, and they were of several sorts, some were made of *Lawrel*, others of *Oaken Leaves*, *Palme*, *Ivy*, *Olive*, and some of *Gold*, and some of *Silver*, also some of *Roses*, *Violets* and such like *Flowers*.

15. *Argent* on a *Cheveron* *Sable*, five *Horseshoes* *Or*, born by Sir *Nicholas Crispe* *Crispe* of *Hamer Smith* in *Middlesex*, *Baronet*.

16. Argent, a *Shackbolt Sable*, by the
 Nevvthal. Name of *Newthal*.

17. Gules, three *Waterbougets* Argent,
 Roos. by the Name of *Roos*.

18. Gules, a *Fess* between three *Wa-*
terbougets Ermine, born by Sir *Thomas*
Meers of *Lincoln* Knight, one of the
Commissioners of the *Admiralty*.

19. Argent, three *Waterbougets* A-
 zure.

This kind of *Waterbouget* was antient-
 ly used in *Cout Armour*.

20. Vert, a *Chevalier* Armed at all
 points a *Cape a pee* Brandishing his *Sword*
 aloft Argent, garnished Or, mounted on
 a *Barded Courier*, furnished throughout
 as the second, garnished as the third.

CHAP. IV.

Treats of Common Charges in Coat Armour whereof some are Natural, and meerly formal as Angels, and Spirits, and others both formal and material as the Sun, Moon, and Stars, as also such Natures as are sublinar, as all kinds of Minerals which have Life after a sort as Vegetables, and Sensitive Creatures which have perfect Life.

Common Charges are *things Natural, or Artificial*; those *Artificial* are already handled. Things *Natural* are *Formal, or Material*, and are of that great variety that it can't be expected in so small a Volumn to pass through all the particulars of them, but only give some examples that may serve to instruct the *Reader* to Blazon a Coat of the like charge.

Celestials are born single, or upon, or between any of the *Honourable Ordinaries*, and then three are the usual number.

Examples of

C E L E S T I A L S.

1. **M**^{*Ars*} an Angel standing direct with his hands conjoyned and elevated upon his breast habited in a long Robe close girt *Luna*. his Wings displayed as prepared to fly *Sol*.

Angels are incorporeal Essences of a Spiritual Nature void of all material substances. They are the *Messengers* by whom God hath manifested his Will and Power to his Elect, and in Scripture they are said to be ministring Spirits.

2. *Luna*, on a chief *Jupiter* a Cherub displayed *Sol*.

The *Cherubins* were drawn with Wings before the place where the *Israelites* prayed

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Cælestialls.



ed manifesting the great speed when they went about the Lords business.

3. Or a *Sphere* Azure beautified, and replenished with variety of *Celestial Bodies* encompassing the *Terrestrial Globe* all proper.

These were the Ornaments wherewith the shield of *Achilles* was garnished.

4. Azure a *Star* of sixteen points *Argent* born by *John Huitson* of *Cleasby* in *Yorkshire* Esquire, one of the Captains of his *Majesties Companie* of *Foot Guards*.

5. Sable a *Fess* *Wavey* between the *Pole Stars* *Artick* and *Artartick* *Argent*, born by *Sir Francis Drake* of *Buckland Monachorum* in *Devonshire* *Bar!* Descendant of the famous *Sir Francis Drake* Knight that sailed about the *World*, making great discoveries thereof.

A *Star* commonly consists of six *Points*, or *Raies*, and then in the *Blazoning* the number needs not be exprest; but if of more, then name of what number as in the former examples.

Stars were Created by God to give light, and with their influences to be assistant to the *Sun* and *Moon* in the *Procreation*, *Production*, and *Fructification* of *Seeds* *Plants* and *Herbs*; as also for the designation

nation and foreshewing of Times and Seasons as the *Sun* and *Moon* were.

Stars are sometime peirced, and other whiles charged, and when peirced the peircing is round.

6. Pearl, a *Cheveron* between three *Stars* Diamond, born by the Right Honourable *Charles* Lord Viscount *Mordaunt* of *Aveland*, and Baron of *Rygate*.

Lord Mordaunt.

7. Saphir, three *Stars* and a *Chief Wavey Topaz* born by the Right Honourable *Charles Bodvel*, Viscount *Bodmyn* Grandson and Heir to the Right Honourable *John* Lord *Robarts*, Baron of *Truro*, Viscount *Bodmyn*, Earl of *Radnor*, and Lord *President* of His *Majesties* most Honourable *Privy Counsel*. And is also born by the Honourable *Hender*, and *Francis Robarts* Esquires, Sons of the Right Honourable *John* Earl of *Radnor*, &c.

Lord Bodmyn.

Robarts.

8. Gules, a *Blazing Star*, or *Comet* streaming in *Bend* proper.

The *Comets* have been observed to Prognosticate dreadful events of things to come, as *Pestilence*, *Famine*, *War* and the like.

Sometimes the stream is born upwards as it was before the great *Pestilence* in 1665, but most commonly it is born downwards.

9. Argent

9. Argent, a *Chevron* Sable between three *Flames* of Fire proper.

Fire in the *Scripture* is oft times taken for a special token of Gods favour, and that he is pleased with the Sacrifices that are done unto him, and Fire betokeneth zeal. Some Writers affirm that none of the *Mechanical Trades* were found out before they had Fire; but afterwards daily was put in practice some new invention or other, yet as it is a good Servant so it is (as also Water) a bad Master.

10. Azure, a *Crescent* encircled within an *Orl of Stars* Or, a *Border* of the Second, born by *Thomas Burton* of London Esquire. Burton.

11. Azure a *Sun* in his Glory, by the name of *Saint Ciere*. St. Ciere.

The *Sun* is a glorious Body, the Fountain of Light, and the production of *Fruits, Plants*, and all the Splendor that the *Moon* hath she borroweth from him, and between both these there is a great conformity.

12. Gules a *Chief* Argent on the lower part thereof a *Cloud*, the *Suns* resplendent Raies issuing thereout proper, by the name of *Lefone*. Lefone.

13. Azure one *Raye* of the *Sun* issuing

Aldam. ing out of the dexter corner of the *Escoccheon Bendwayes* proper by the name of *Aldam*.

14. Or a *Sun* Eclipsed Sable.

The *Suns Eclipse* is occasioned by the interposition of the *Moon* betwixt it and the Earth.

Descus. 15. Gules an *Increfcent* Or by the name of *Descus*.

This is the State of the *Moon* from her entrance into her first quarter, in which time she is more and more illuminated until she hath filled her Circle.

16. Gules, a *Moon* in her Complement Or Illustrated with all her Light proper which is sufficient without naming the colour which is Argent.

The *Moon* is the *Mistress* by which all moist, mutable, and inconstant things are ruled, as a *Woman*, the *Sea*, *Rivers*, and *Fountains*. The Ebbing and Flowing of the *Sea* following the *Moons* motion:

De la Luna. 17. Azure, a *Moon decrefcent* proper, by the name of *De la Luna*.

This is the state of the *Moon* in her Wain, the Horns must always be turned towards the left hand of the *Escoccheon*, as that in her *Complement* is towards the right.

18. Argent, a *Moon* in her detriment or *Eclipse* Sable.

The *Moon* is eclipsed always in her full State, and is so occasioned by the interposition of the Earth betwixt her and the Sun.

Lucy.

19. Azure, a *Crescent* Argent, born by *Jacob Lucy* of *London* Esquire.

Rider.

20. Azure, three *Crescents* Or, born by *Robert Rither*, or *Rider* of *Scarcraft* in *Yorkshire* Esquire. And by *Thomas* and *William Rider* of *Bednal Green* in *Middlesex* Esquire.

Gleue.

Sable, three *Crescents* Argent by the name of *Gleue*.

Perpoint.

Gules, three *Crescents* Argent by the name of *Perpoint*.

Fleming.

Gules, the *Crescents* Ermine by the name of *Fleming*.

Monnings.

Gules, three *Crescents* Or, by the name of *Monnings*.

21. Pearl, a *Fess* between three *Crescents* Diamond born by the Right Honourable *Edward Henry Lee* Earl of *Litchfield*, Viscount, *Quarenton*, and Baron *Spilisbury*.

22. Diamond, a *Fesse* Ermine between three *Crescents* Topaz, born by the Right Honourable *Coventry*.

An Essay to

Honourable *George Coventry* Baron of *Alesborough* in *Worcstershire*, &c.

And by the Honourable *Henry Coventry* Esquire, Son to the Right Honourable *Thomas* Lord *Coventry* Lord Keeper of the great *S. al* of *England*.

Weld.

23. Azure, a *Fess* *Nebule* between three *Crescents* Ermine born by *Hum, Weld* of *Lulworth Castle* in *Dorsetshire* Esquire Governour of His Majesties Isle and Castle of *Portland*, and *Sandes Foot*.

24. Gules, a *Star* issuing from between the Horns of a *Crescent* Argent.

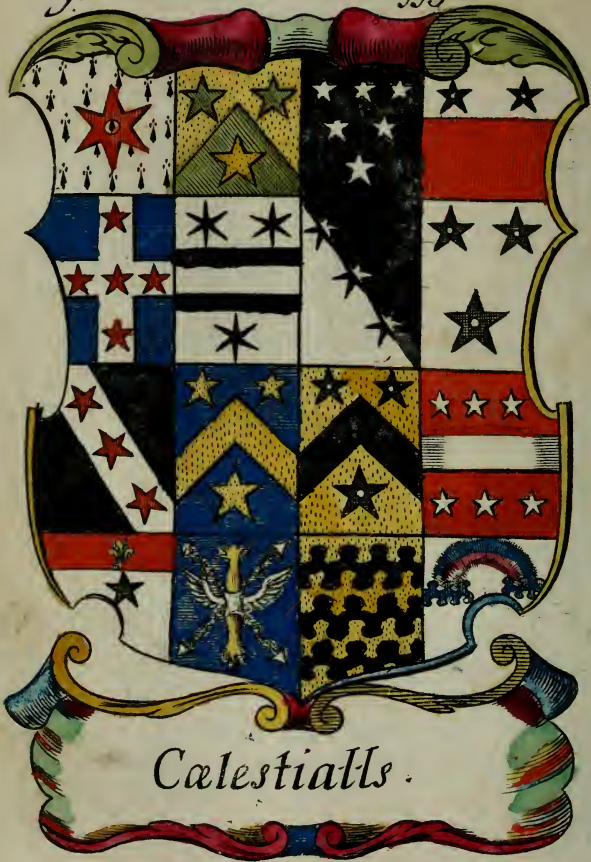
Other Examples of Crescents.

Harvey. **O**R on a *Chief Indented* Sable, three *Crescents* Argent, by the name of *Harvey*.

Barnham. Sable, a *Cross engrailed* between four *Crescents* Argent by the name of *Barnham*.

Topcliff. *Per Pale* Sable and Argent, three *Crescents* counter-changed by the name of *Topcliff*.

Barry



*Barry of six Ermine and Gules, three Crescents Sable, by the Name of Watter-
son.* Watter-
ton.

Or, five *Crescents*, one, three, one,
by the Name of *Hamond of Hampshire.* Hamond.

Argent six *Crescents*, three, two, one
Sable, by the Name of *Blare.* Blare.

Per *Pale* Argent and Sable, six *Cre-
scents* Counterchanged by the Name of
Wickhalse of Devonshire. Wick-
halse.

Other Examples of

C E L E S T I A L S.

1. **E**Rmine, a *Mullet* of six *Points*
pierced Gules, by the Name of
Hussenbul. Hussenbul

Meteors are an imperfect kind of mix-
ture engendered in the Airy Region of a
certain attracted fume drawn up by the
operation of the Sun and Stars, and is
of a hot quality, which at length breaks

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into *Fire*, and so loofeth or wasteth it self, and such are *Mullets* or *Flaming Stars*.

Antiently *Mullets* were born of six Points, as in this Example, but now usually of five.

2. Per *Cheveron* Or and Vert, three *Mullets* Counterchanged by the Name of *Hothe*.

3. Sable six *Mullets*, three, two, one Argent, by the Name of *Bonville*.

4. Azure, six *Mullets*, three, two, one Or, by the Name of *Welsh*.

5. Gules, on a *Chiefe* Argent, two *Mullets* Sable, born by Sir *Edmond Bacon* of *Redgrave Hall* in *Suffolk* Baronet.

By Sir *Henry Bacon* of *Lounde* in *Lo-vingland* in *Suffolk* Baronet.

By Sir *Nicolas Bacon* of *Shrubland Hall* in *Codenham* in the said County, Knight of the *Bath*.

6. Pearl on a *Chiefe* Ruby, 2 *Mullets* pierced *Topaz*, born by the Right Honourable *Oliver Saint John* Earl of *Bullingbrook*, &c.

7. And by Sir *Walter Saint John* of *Lydiard Tregos* in *Wiltshire*, and of *Battersey* in *Surrey* Baronet.

5. Azure on a *Cross* Argent, five *Mulletts* Gules born by Sir *Ralph Verney* of *Verney*.
Middle - Claydon in *Buckinghamshire*,
Knight and Baronet.

6. Argent two *Barrs* between three *Mulletts* of six points pierced Sable, born by *Phillip Doughty* of *York Buildings* in the *Doughty*.
Parish of *St. Martins* in the *Fields* in
Middlesex Esquire.

7. Per *Bend* Argent and Sable, three *Mulletts* of six points in *Bend* Counter-
changed.

8. Argent, three *Malletts* pierced Sa-
ble, by the Name of *Wollaston*. Wollaston

Azure, three *Mulletts* pierced Or, by *Whit-*
the Name of *Whittington* of *Lincolnshire*. Whit-
tington.

Azure, three *Mulletts* Or, by the Name
of *Grundin*. Grundin.

Or, three *Mulletts* Sable, by the Name
of *Pelton*. Pelton.

Sable, three *Mulletts* Argent, by the
Name of *Pulifston*. Pulifston.

Gules, three *Mulletts* Argent, by the
Name of *Hansard* of *Lincolnshire*. Hansard.

9. Sable, on a *Bend* Argent, three
Mulletts Gules, born by *Francis Gliffon*, *Gliffon*.
Doctor in *Physick*.

10. Azure, a *Cheveron* between three *Mullets* Or, born by *Walter Chetwynd* of *Ingestre* in *Staffordshire* Esquire.

11. Or, a *Cheveron* between three *Mullets* pierced *Sable*, born by *Thomas Davies* of *Crissing-Temple* in *Essex* Esq. Son and Heir of *Sir Thomas Davies* of *London*, Knight and Alderman deceased.

12. Gules, a *Fess* between six *Mullets* Argent, born by *Sir Denny Ashburnham* of *Broomhal* in *Suffex* Baronet, and by *Ashburnham* of *Ashburnham* in the said County Esquire.

13. Argent, a *Mullet* *Sable*, on a *Chiefe* Gules, a *Flower de lis* Or, born by *William Rogers* of *Castle-Hale* in the Parish of *Panswick* in *Glocester-shire*.

Other

Other Examples of

Mullets.

PER *Fefs* Or and Azure, a *Mullet* of eight points Counterchanged by the Name of *Scotto*.

Scotto.

Azure, three *Mullets* and a Chiefe indented Or, by the Name of *Bright*.

Bright.

Azure, a *Crescent* between three *Mullets* Argent, by the Name of *Minshal*.

Minshal.

Per *Pale* Argent and Gules, three *Mullets*, Counterchanged by the Name of *Langford*.

Langford.

Per *Fefs Indented* Gules and Or, three *Mullets* Counterchanged by the Name of *Eglington*.

Eglington

14. Azure, *Jupiters Thunderbolt* in *Pale* Or, inflamed on both ends proper, shafted *Salterwise*, and *Winged Fefs* ways Argent,

- Blunt. 15. *Barre Nebule* Or and Sable, born by the Name of *Blunt*.
16. Argent, a *Rain-Bow* of divers colours proper.
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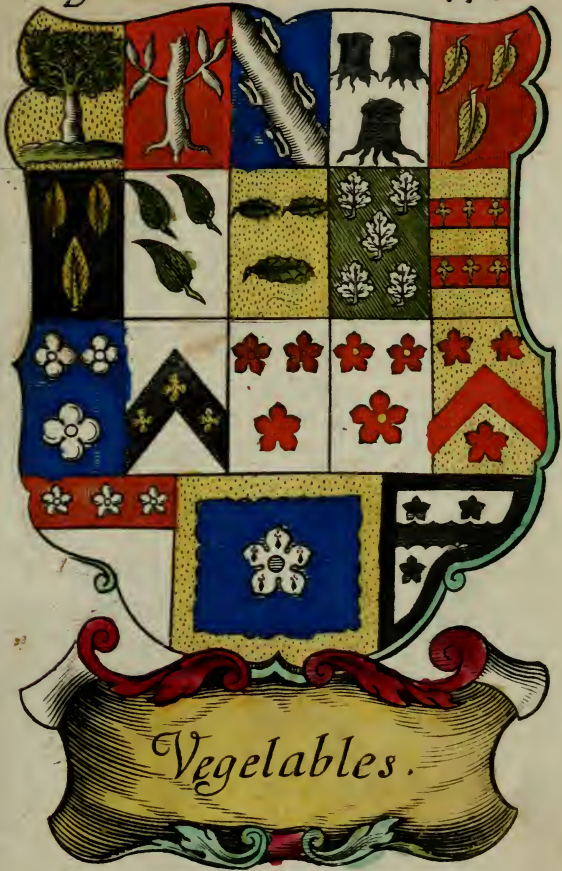
VEGETABLES;

Under which Head all Trees, Flowers, Plants, Leaves and Fruits are or may be comprized.

1. OR on a *Mount* in *Base*, a *Pear-Tree* fruited Proper, by the Name of *Pyrton*.

Pine. Argent, on a *Mount* in *Base*, a *Pine Apple Tree* fruited, by the Name of *Pine*.

Vegetables have in them a living Power of *Growing, Budding, Leasing, Blossoming*



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ing and *Fructifying*, as *Trees, Plants, Herbs, Grass, &c.* and of these, some on *Trunks* or *solid Bodies*, and some upon *Flexible Stocks*; some again grow upon a single *Stem*, as commonly all *Trees* do, and some upon several *Stems*, as *Shrubs, Roses*, and the like.

2. Gules, the *Stem* or *Trunck* of a *Tree* Eradicated, as also coup'd in Pale, sprouting out two *Branches* Argent, born by *William Burrough* of *Burrough* in *Leicestershire*, Gentleman.

3. AZURE a *Limb* of a *Tree* Raguled and *Trunked* in *Bend* Argent.

4. Argent, three *Stocks* or *Stumps* of *Trees*, coup'd and eradicated Sable, by the Name of *Retowre*.

Retowre.

5. Gules, three *Woodbine* *Leaves* *Pendant* Or.

The *Woodbine* is a loving and amorous Plant, embracing all that groweth near it, but without hurting of that which it loveth, and is contrary to the *Ivy* (which is a Type of Lust rather than Love) for it injureth that which it most embraceth.

6. Sable, three *Laurel* *Leaves* flipped Or.

The *Laurel* was in Antient times thought to be a remedy against *Poyson*, *Lightning* and the like, and in *War* used as a *Token of Peace and Quietness*.

7. *Argent*, three *Wooabine Leaves Bend ways*, two and one proper, by the Name of *Theme*.

8. *Or*, three *Holly Leaves Barrways*, two and one, their *Stalks* towards the *Dexter* part of the *Escoccheon* proper, by the Name of *Arnest*.

9. *Vert*, five *Figg Leaves* in *Saltier*.

10. *Topaz*, two *Barrs Ruby*, each charged with three *Trefoyles slipped* of the first, born by the *Right Honourable Roger Palmer Earl of Castlemain*, and *Baron of Limberick* in *Ireland*.

11. *Azure*, three *Quaterfoyls Argent* born by *Sir Anthony Vincent* of *Stoke-Dabernon* in *Surrey*, *Baronet*.

As also by *Samuel Vincent* of *Buckingham House* in *Norfolk* *Esquire*.

12. *Argent* on a *Cheveron Sable*, three *Quaterfoiles Or*, born by *N. Eyre* of *Wilton* in *Wiltshire*, *Gentleman*.

13. *Argent*, three *Cinquefoils Gules*, born by *Sir Thomas Darcy* of *St. Cleres Hall* in *St. Oseth* in *Essex*, *Baronet*.

14. *Argent*

14. Argent, three *Cinquefoyls* Gules, each charged with five *Annulets* Or, born by Sir Robert Southwel of Kingsweston in Southwel, Gloucestershire Knight.

15. Or, a *Cheveron* between three *Cinquefoyls* Gules, born by the Right Honourable Sir Thomas Chicheley of Wimpley Chicheley in Cambridgeshire Knight, Master of the Ordinance, and one of his Majesties most Honourable Privy Council, Anno 1681.

16. Argent on a *Chiefe* Gules, three *Cinquefoyls* of the Field, born by Sir Thomas Bellet of Moreton in Cheshire, Baronet.

17. Saphir, a *Cinquefoyl* Ermine within a *Bordure* Topaz, born by the Right Honourable Jacob Lord Astley, Baron of Reading, &c. Lord Astley.

And is also the Coat of Sir Jacob Astley of Melton-Constable in Norfolk, Baronet.

18. Argent, a *Fess Engrailed* between three *Cinquefoyls* within a *Border* Sable, born by Tho. Foley of Kidderminster in Worcester-shire, Esquire. By Paul Foley of Stoak Court in Herefordshire Esquire; and by Phillip Foley of Prestwood in Staffordshire Esquire, Sons of Tho. Foley of Wit-ley, of Court in Worcester-shire, Esq.

These

These Charges, as also *Fruits*, *Flowers*, &c. are born on, or between, any of the *Ordinaries*.

Examples of

FRUITS and FLOWERS.

1. **A**Rgent, a *Pomegranate* in *Pale slips*
ped Prope.

This *Fruit* is esteemed very good in *Physick*, whose juice is used for the allaying the heat of *Burning* or *Feavorish Agnes*.

2. Azure, three *Pears* Or, by the
Stukeley. Name of *Stukeley*.

3. Gules, a *Cheveron* Ermine between
three *Pine Apples* erected Or, by the Name
Pine. of *Pine*.

Under this head may be comprehend-
ed all other kind of *Fruit*.

4. Azure, a *Garbe* or *Wheat-sheafe* Or,
Grosve- born by Sir *Thomas Grosvenour* of *Egton*
nour in *Cheshire*, *Baronet*.

Azure



Fruits, & Flowers.



Azure, a *Garb* Argent, by the Name of *Holdesheafe*. Holdesheafe.

5. Sable, three *Garbs* Or, born by *William Stych* of *Newbury* in the Parish of *Stych Barkin* in *Essex* Esq.

Argent, three *Garbs* Sable, by the Name of *Wanting*. Wanting.

6. Azure, seven *Garbs* Sable, four, two and one Or, born by *Sir Thomas Doleman* of *Skaw* in *Bark-shire* Knight, one of the *Clerks* of his *Majesties* most Honourable *Privy Council*, Father of *Sir Humfrey Doleman*, Knight. Dolman.

7. Argent, on a *Cheveron* between three *Garbs* Gules, as many *Bezants*, born by *Tobias Eden* of the *Inner Temple*, London, Esq. Eden.

Azure, a *Cheveron* between three *Garbs* Or, born by the Right Honourable *Christopher Lord Hatton*, Governour of the *Isle of Jarsey*. Lord Hatton.

And by *Mr. Roger Hatton* of *London*, Merchant.

8. Azure, three *Ears of Guiny Wheat* couped and bladed Or, by the Name of *Grandgorge*. Grandgorge.

9. Saphir, a *Flower de lis* Pearl, born by the Right Honourable *George Earl of Bristol*, Baron *Digby* of *Sherbourn*, and *Bristol*. by

Ld. Digby. by the Right Honourable *Simon* Lord Digby, Baron of *Geashill* in *Ireland*.

Or, a *Flower de lis Azure*, born by Sir Portman. *William Portman* of *Orchard* in *Somersetshire*, Knight of the Bath, and Baronet.

Azure, a *Flower de lis Or*, by the Name Stepkin. of *Stepkin*.

Argent, a *Flower de lis Gules*, born by Morden. *John Morden* of *London* Merchant.

Gules, a *Flower de lis Or*, by the Name Palford. of *Palford*.

Gules, a *Flower de lis Argent*, by the Walden-field. Name of *Waldenfield*.

Vert, a *Flower de lis Argent*, by the Fovvk. Name of *Fovvk*.

10. Pearl, a *Cheveron Ruby* between three *Flower de lis Saphir*, born by the Lord Viscount *Faulconberg*, Baron of *Yarum*, Lord *Faulconberg*, *Leutenant* of the North Riding of *Yorkshire*, and one of the Lords of his Majesties most Honourable Privy Council.

And by the Right Honourable *John* Ld. *Belasis* Lord *Belasis*, Baron of *Worlaby*, &c.

Or, a *Cheveron* between three *Flower de lis Sable*, born by the Right Honourable *Evelyn* Lord Viscount *Fanshaw*, his Majesties *Remembrancer* of his Court of *Exchequer*, &c. By

By the Honourable *Henry Fanshaw* of *Dengy-hall* in *Essex* Esquire: And by the Honourable *Charles Fanshaw* of *Dengy-hall* aforesaid Esquire, his Majesties Envoy extraordinary in *Portugal*, Sons of the Right Honourable *Thomas* Lord Viscount *Fanshaw*, deceased.

11. Topaz on a *Fess* Ruby, three *Earl of Flower de lis* of the Field, born by the *Suffex*, Right Honourable *Thomas Leonard* Earl of *Suffex*, and Lord *Dacres* of *Gilesland*, &c.

Argent, on a *Fess* Gules three *Flower de lis* Or, born by *Gervase Disney* of *Norton-Desney* in *Lincolnshire*, Esquire. *Disney*

12. Quarterly Gules and Or, in the first quarter a *Flower de lis* Argent, born by *Elias Ashmole* of the *Middle Temple*, *London* Esquire. *Ashmole*

13. Sable a *Fess* Dauncette Or, in cheif three *Flower de lis* Argent, born by *William Feak* of *Stafford* in *Staffordshire*, *Feak* Gentleman.

14. Sable, three *Lozenges* Argent, on a chief Or, as many *Flower de lis* Gules, born by Sir *Nicholas Pedley* of *Abbot-sley*, and *Tetsworth* in *Huntingtonshire*, *Pedley* Knight.

15. Argent, a *Cheveron* Sable, between three

Hall.

three *Columbines* slipped proper by the name of *Hall*.

Banks.

16. Sable on a *Cross* between four *Flower de lis* Argent, five *Pheons* Azure born by *Caleb Banks* of the *Friers* in *Aylesford* in *Kent* Esquire, Son and Heir of Sir *John Banks* of the said place Barronet.

Warner.

17. Or on a *Bend Engrailed* between six *Roses* Gules, born by *Edmond Warner* of *Warner-Hall* in *Essex* Esquire: And by *John Warner* of *Brokenthwait* in the Parish of *Kirby-overbow* in *Yorkshire* Esquire, descended from the *Warners* of *Warners-Hall* aforesaid.

Trant.

18. Gules, two *Swords* with their points erected in Saltier proper, *Hilts* and *Pomels* Or, between three *Roses* Argent, viz. one in *Cheif*, and two in *Fess*, born by *Patrick Trant* of *Saint Giles* in the *Fields* in *Middlesex* Esquire.

Clarges.

19. Or, three *Flower de lis* Azure, a *Bordure* Gules charged with eight *Roses* Argent, born by Sir *Walter Clarges* of *Saint Martins* in the *Field* Baronet.

Rose.

20. Sable, on a *Cheveron* Argent, three *Roses* Gules, seeded and Barbed proper, in the dexter cheif a *Helmet* close Bevered of the Second, born by *Robert Rose* of *Hasland* in *Derbyshire*, Gentleman.

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Under this head all other *Flowers* may be comprized; some few more examples I have here set down.

Argent, three *Roses Gules*, by the name of *Young*. *Young.*

Gules, three *Flower de lis Argent*, by the name of *Wisemale*. *Wisemale.*

Azure, a *Vine with Fruit and Leaves* all Or.

Per Pale, Ermine and Gules, a *Rose Counter-changed*, by the name of *Nightingale*.

Sable, three *Roses Argent*, seeded Or, by the name of *Powel*. *Nightingale.*

Argent, six *Roses 3, 2, and 1, Gules*, by the name of *Palton*. *Powel.*

Argent, ten *Roses 4, 3, 2, 1, Gules* by the name of *Payens*. *Palton.*

Gules, three *Flower de lis Argent*, by the name of *Mondesford*. *Payens.*

Or, five *Flower de lis 2, 1, 2, Sable* by the name of *Spindelow*. *Mondesford.*

Gules, six *Flower de lis 3, 2, 1, Argent* born by Sir *Gilbert Ireland of Hut, Ireland*, and *Beausie* in *Lancashire*, Knight.

Argent, three *Gilly Flowers* proper, by the name of *Jorney*. *Spindelow.*

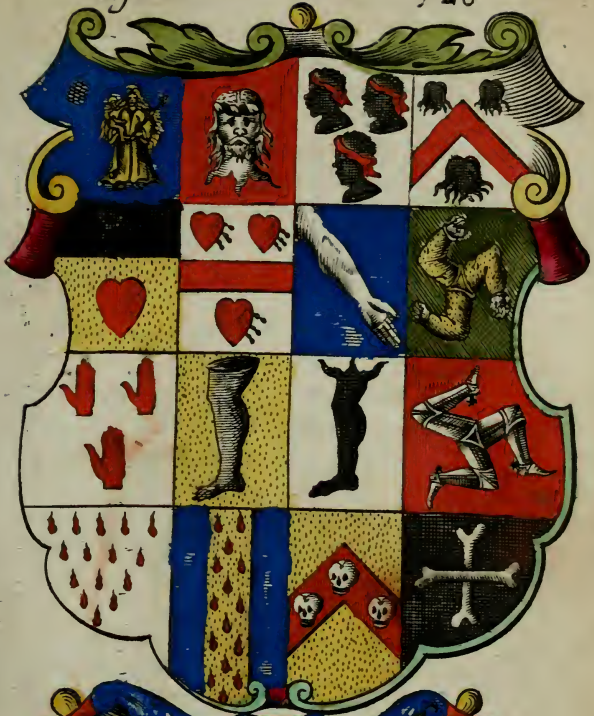
From *Vegetables as Leaves, Trees, Plants, Fruits and Flowers*, I shall next treat of the parts of *Mans Body*. *Jorney.* Ex-

Examples of the

PARTS of MANS BODY.

1. **J**upiter, our blessed Lady with her Son in her right hand, and a Scepter in her left all Topaz, this Coat belongs to the *Bishoprick of Salisbury*.
- Bishoprick of Salisbury.* 2. Gules, a Saracens Head crazed at the neck Argent, environed about the Temples with a wreath of the Second and Same, by the name of *Mergish of Wales*.
- Mergish.* 3. Argent, three Blackamores Heads coup'd proper, banded about Gules, born by *John Tanner of Court in Cornwall Esquire*.
- Tanner.* Or, three *Blackamores Heads* coup'd proper, banded about Argent, born by *Samuel Mico of London Esquire*, and by *Edward and Aaron Mico of London Merchants*.
- Mico.*

4. Argent,



*Parts of Mans
Body.*



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4. Argent, a *Cheveron* Gules between three *Peruques* Sable.

Claudius surnamed *Comatus* when he gained the Government of *France* instituted a *Law* that the *French* men should wear their Hair long (as his Arm was) in token of Liberty, for shaving off the Hair was then a token of Bondage, and this was observed by the *Romans* who used to shave the Hair of their *Bondmen*.

5. Or a *Heart* proper, a cheif Sable, by the name of *Scambler*.

Scambler

6. Argent, a *Fess* Gules, between three *Hearts* vulned and distilling drops of blood on the sinister side proper, by the name of *Tote*.

Tote.

7. Azure an *Arm* sinister issuing out of the *Dexter* point and extended towards the *sinister* base in form of a *Bend* Argent,

8. Vert, three *Dexter Arms* conjoined at the Shoulders and flexed in Triangle Or, with Fists clenched Argent born by *Arthur Tremaine* of *Cullocombe* in *Devonshire* Esquire.

9. Argent, three *sinister hands couped* at the *Wrists* and erected Gules, born by

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Sir

Maynard. Sir John Maynard of Gunnersbury in the Parish of *Ely* in *Middlesex*, Knight, Serjeant at Law to His Majesty King *Charles* the Second.

10. Or, a *Mans* Leg couped at the midst of the thigh *Azure*, by the name of

Haddon. *Haddon.*

11. *Argent*, a *Mans* Leg erased at the Thigh *Sable*, by the name of *Prime.*

12. *Ruby*, three *Legs* Armed proper, conjoined in *Fess* at the upper part of the Thigh flexed in *Triangle*, garnished and spurred *Topaz*, this *Coat* is the Arms of the Isle of *Man*, and is quartered by the Earl of *Derby* as Lord of the said *Isle.*

Arms of
the Isle of
Man.

13. *Argent*, *Guttee de Sang*, by the name of *Lemming.*

These *Drops* are seldom born by themselves alone, but upon or with some of the *Ordinaries.*

Gutte de Sang without naming the Colour signifies drops of Blood, and is always *Gules.* *Gutte de Harmes* drops of Tears which is *Azure.* *Gutte de Han* drops of Water which is *Argent.* *Gutte de Poix*, or *Gutte de Sable*; that is drops of Pitch, and is *Sable.* *Gutte de Or*, drops of Gold, and is, *Or*

The form or shape of these drops are all

all as one, only the names change the Colours.

14. Azure, a *Pale*, or, *Gutte de Sang*, born by Sir *Thomas Player* of *London*, *Player*. Knight, late *Chamberlain* of the said City of *London*.

15. Or, on a *Cheveron* Gules, three *dead mens Skulls*, of the field by the name of *Bolter*. *Bolter*.

16. Sable, a *Shin-bone* in *Pale* surmounted of another in *Cross* Argent by the name of *Bayns*.

OF ANIMALS.

FROM the parts of *Mans Body* I shall proceed to *Animals* born in *Coat Armour* both whole and in parts, which the following Examples will demonstrate.

And of *Animals* those of prey are of most Esteem, as the *Lyon*, *Tiger*, *Bear*, *Wolf*, &c. And in *Coat Armour* the bearing of whole *Animals* being more

worthy then the several parts, I shall first begin with them.

Of all *Creatures* apt to generation and corruption *Animals* are most worthy.

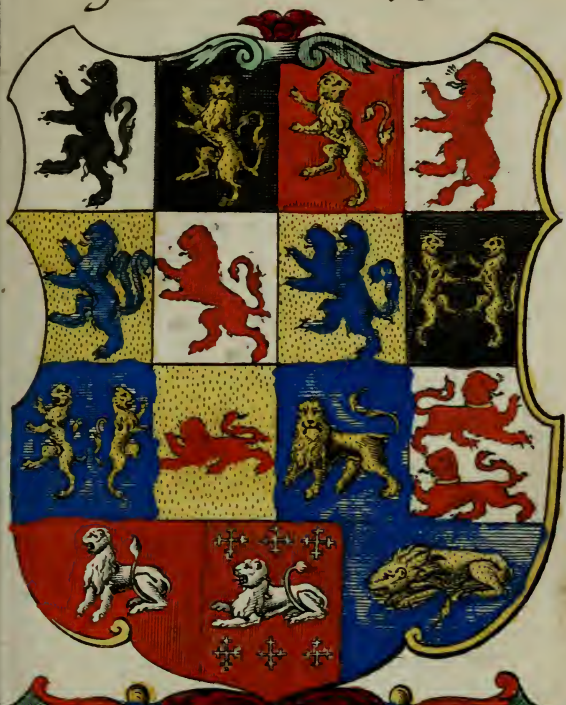
All *Savage Beasts* are naturally armed with something wherewith they may hurt their *Enemies* as the *Boar* hath *Tukes*; the *Lion* *Tallons*, the *Stag* *Horns*, the *Serpent* *Poyson*, and the like.

All four Footed Beasts are esteemed more worthy of bearing then *Fishes*, or *Fowls* in regard they contain in them more worthy and commendable significations of *Nobility*: and the *Males* are esteemed more worthy then the *Females*.

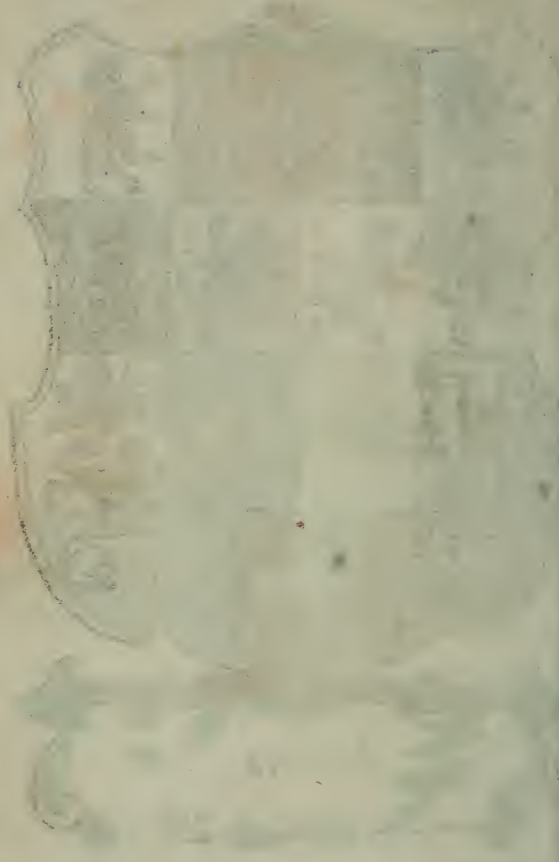
Examples of

BEARINGS of LIONS.

1. **A** Rgent, a *Lion Rampant* Sable, by name of *Stapleton*.
Stapleton.
 Argent, a *Lion Rampant* Gules by the name of *Verdon*.
Verdon. Argent,



Lions.



Argent, a *Lion Rampant* vert by the name of *Springs*.

Springs.

Or a *Lion Rampant* Sable by the name of *Poley*.

Poley.

Azure, a *Lion Rampant* Or, by the name of *Beckingham*.

Beckingham

Ermine, a *Lion Rampant*. Azure, by the name of *Hardness of Kent*.

Argent, a *Lion Rampant* Sable Crowned Or, born by *Charles Morley* of *Drox-Morley* in *Hants* Esquire, one of the *Masters of Requests* to his Majesty King *Charles the Second*.

Azure, a *Lion Rampant* Crowned Or, born by *Sir Francis Dayrel* of *Castle Camps* in *Cambridgeshire* Knight.

Dayrel.

Vert, a *Lion Rampant* Or, by the name of *Morgan*.

Morgan.

Ermine, a *Lion Rampant* Azure, crowned Or, born by *Sir Henry Pickering* of *Whaddon* in *Cambridgeshire* Knight, and *Barronet*.

Pickering.

2. Azure a *Lion Rampant* Gardant Or, born by *Fitz Hammond*.

Fitz Ham-

Or, a *Lion Rampant* Gardant Gules, by the name of *Heron*.

mond.

Gules, a *Lion Rampant* Gardant Or, born by *George Masters* of *Lincolns Inn* in *Middlesex* Esquire.

Heron.

Masters.

Gules, a *Lion Rampant Gardant Argent*,
St. Marney, by the Name of *St. Marney*.

3. Gules, a *Lion Rampant Regardant*
Morice, Or, born by *John Morice* of *London Esq.*

Or, a *Lion Rampant Regardant Vert*, by
Hume, the Name of *Hume*.

Or, a *Lion Rampant Regardant Gules*,
Roberts, by the Name of *Roberts*.

This Action of the *Lion*, manifests an inward and degenerate Perturbation of the Mind, which is Repugnant to the generous Nature of the *Lion*, this denoting a timorous Mind, yet it betokens a diligent Circumspection, and Consideration of things to come.

4. Argent, a *Lion Rampant Coward*
Rowch, Purpure, by the Name of *Rowch*.

This Cowardly Action of claping his Tayl betwixt his Leggs (as all Beasts do that are affrighted) is contrary to the Noble Spirit of the *Lion*.

5. Or, a *Lion Rampant Double Quene*
Wansford, Azure, born by *Sir Christopher Wansford* of *Kirklington* in *York-shire* Baronet.

Or, a *Lion Rampant Double Quene*
Wells, Sable, by the Name of *Wells*.

Sable, a *Lion Rampant Double Quene*
Kingston, Or, by the Name of *Kingston*.

Azure, a *Lion Rampant Double Quene*
 Or,

Or, by the Name of *Bromhall*.

Bromhall.

The *Forked Tyl* is an Emblem of Magnanimity, and Strenuousness.

6. Argent, a *Lion Saliant* Gules, by the Name of *Felbridg*.

Felbridge.

Sable, a *Lion Saliant* Argent, by the Name of *Sturmy*.

Sturmy.

Gules, a *Lion Saliant* Argent, by the Name of *Salisbury*.

Salisbury.

When the *Lion* prosecutes his Prey, he pursueth the same Leaping, or Saliant, which action he never useth when he is Chafed in Fight, but is always Passant.

7. Or, a *Lion Rampant Double Leste* Azure, born by *Simon Mason* of *Great Mison*. *Gransden* in *Huntington-shire* Gent.

8. Sable, two *Lion Cells Rampant Combatant* Or, born by *Nicholas Carter* of *Carter*. *Willesborrow* in *Kent*, and of *London* Dr. in *Physick*.

Leigh saith, That these two *Lions* were of sundry Regions which strove for Government, for the *Lion* is as desirous of Mastery, as a Courageous Prince is ambitious of Honour.

Azure, two *Lions Rampant Guardant Combatant* Argent, born by *Sir Jacob Garrard*. *Garrard* of *Langford* in *Norfolk* Baronet.

9. Azure, two *Lioncells Rampant Endorsed Or*.

This Coat is said to be born by *Achilles* at the Siege of *Troy*; and *Leigh* supposeth it to be a Combat intended between two Valiant Men who both met in the Field, but the Prince favouring them taketh the Matter into his hands, and then they turn back to back, and so leave the Field.

Games. 10. Or, a *Lion Passant Gules*, by the Name of *Games*.

Pynoke. Or, a *Lion Passant Sable*, by the Name of *Pynoke*.

Taylor. Sable, a *Lion Passant Or*, by the Name of *Taylor*.

Field. Sable, a *Lion Passant Or*, by the Name of *Field*.

Drew. Ermine, a *Lion Passant Gules*, by the Name of *Drew*.

Witber. Ermine, a *Lion Passant Sable*, by the Name of *Witber*.

Bromfield. 11. Azure, a *Lion Passant Gardant Or*, born by Sir *John Bromfield* of *Suffolk* place in *Southwark* Knight.

Thompson. Azure, a *Lion Passant Gardant Or*, born by *William Thompson* of the middle *Temple London* Esquire.

Stone. Argent, a *Lion Passant Gardant Sable* by the Name of *Stone*. Argent,

Argent, a *Lion Passant Gardant Gules*, by the Name of *Querleton*.

Querleton.

Gules, a *Lion Passant Gardant Or*, by the Name of *Brett*.

Brett.

Gules, a *Lion Passant Gardant Argent*, by the Name of *Redeshall*.

Redeshall.

The *Lion Passant* seemeth to go with more Confidence and Resolution, but the *Gardant* with more Vigilancy and Circumspection.

12. Argent, two *Lioncells Counter Passant Gules*, the uppermost towards the Sinister side of the *Escoccheon*, both *Coloured Or*.

13. Gules, a *Lion Sejant Argent*.

Although this *Gesture* hath affinity with the *Lion Couchant*, yet the difference is easily to be observed.

14. Gules, a *Lion* between six *Cross Crosslets Argent*, born by Sir *Halfwell Tynte*, of *Halfwell* in the Parish of *Goat-Tynt*, *hurst* in *Sommer set-shire* Baronet.

The *Lion* must not be thought to be compelled to *Couch*, but that he hath so settled himself of his own accord; for it is contrary to his Nature, to be compelled to any thing by Chastisement, and a generous mind is easier to be led then drove.

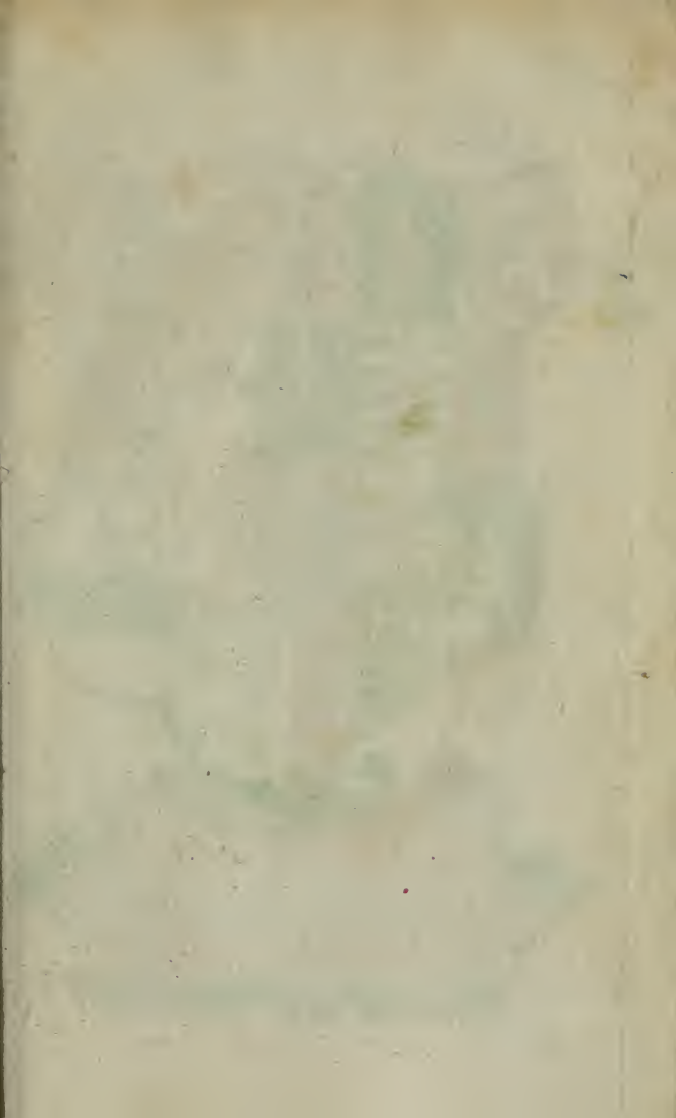
15. Azure,

15. Azure, a *Lion Dormant Or.*

'Tis said, That the *Lion* sleepeth with his Eyes open, being an Emblem to *Governours*, whose Vigilancy should shew it self, when others are most at rest and secure.

Some are of Opinion, That the *Lion* should not be made *Gardant*, affirming that to be the property of the *Leopard*. The generous Nature of the *Lion*, is discerned by his plentiful Shaggy Locks which cover his neck and shoulders, and doth shew his Noble Courage, especially if curled and short; also the thickness of the *Lions Mane*, is a Testimony of his generous Birth, and by the same he is distinguished from the Bastard Race of *Leopards*, begotten by the Adulterous *Lioness* and the *Parde*, which are Naturally deprived of this Noble Mark, nor have they the Courage.

To *Lions, Bares, Wolves*, and other Beasts of Prey, Nature hath given sharp *Teeth* and *Tallons*, for the seizing and keeping their Prey, and therefore in the *Blazoning* of *Beasts*, their *Teeth* and *Tallons* must not be omitted, and for expressing them, say Armed of such and such a Colour, which is always Gules or Azure,
and





Lions Rampant

and contrary to the Colour of them.

All *Beasts of Prey* in their going do contract their *Talons* within their *Flesh*, to keep them sharp for the tearing their *Prey*, which otherwise would be blunt, and so become uselefs to them.

Other Examples of

LIONS RAMPANT.

1. **S**aphir, a *Lion Rampant Pearl*, born by the Right Honourable *John Lord Crew*, Baron of *Stean* in *Northampton shire*, &c. Ld. Crew.

Argent, a *Lion Rampant Sable*, charged on the *Shoulder* with a *Mullet Or*, born by *Sir Thomas Mompesson* of *Bathampton* in *Wilt-shire*, Knight. Mompesson

Vert, a *Lion Rampant Or*, born by *Arthur Shaen* of *Great Kewe* in *Surrey*, Esq; Shaen.
Son and Heir of *Sir James Shaen* of the said place, Knight and Baronet.

2. Vert, a *Lion Rampant* between three *Trefoyles Slipped Or*, born by *Thomas Sheridan*. Sheridan.
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ridan of *Cavan* in the Province of *Ulster* in *Ireland*, Esquire.

3. Pearl, a *Lion Rampant Ruby*, between three *Pheons Diamond*, born by the Right Honourable *John Egerton*, Earl of *Bridgwater*, Viscount *Barkley*, and Baron of *Elesmer*, Lord Lieutenant of *Buckinghamshire*, and one of the Lords of His Majesties most Honourable Privy Council, &c.

This Coat is also born by *John Egerton* of *Broxton* in *Cheshire*, Esquire, Eldest Son of Sir *Phillip Egerton* of *Egerton* and *Outon*, in the said County Knight.

4. Argent, a *Lion Rampant* between three *Cross Crosets Fitch* Gules, born by Sir *John Bowyer* of *Kingspersley* in *Staffordshire*, Knight and Baronet.

5. Ermine, a *Lion Rampant Gules*, within a *Border Sable*, born by Sir *William Pritchard* of the City of *London* Knight, Lord-Mayor thereof Anno. 1684.

6. Gules on a *Pale Or*, a *Lion Rampant Sable*, born by *John Darnall* of the *Middle Temple London*, Esquire.

7. *Barry* of 10 Argent and Azure, over all a *Lion Rampant Gules*, born by *Richard Stratford* of *Hayling* and *Neither-Getting* in *Gloucestershire* Gent. descended from

from the *Stratfords of Farmcot* in the said County.

8. Azure, *Flo: y a Lion Rampant Argent*, born by Sir *John Holland* of *Quidenham* in *Norfolk*, Baronet. *Holland.*

9. Pearl, *Semy de Cinquefoyls Ruby*, a *Lion Rampant Diamond*, born by the Right Honourable *William Pierrepont*, Earl of *Kingston* upon *Hull*, Viscount *Newark* upon *Trent*, Baron of *Holme Pierrepont*, *Manvers*, and *Herris*. *Earl of Kingston.*

And by *Gervas Pierrpmont* of *Tonge Castle* in *Shropshire*, Esquire. *Pierrepont.*

Sable, *Semy de Cinquefoils a Lion Rampant Argent*, born by Sir *Thomas Clifton* of *Clifton* in *Lancashire*, Baronet. *Cliffien.*

10. *Per Bend Sinister Ermine*, and *Ermines*, over all a *Lion Rampant Or*, born by Sir *Roger Mostin* in *Flint-shire*, Baronet. *Mostin.*

This Coat is also born by Sir *John Trevor* of *Brynkynalt* in *Denby-shire*, Knight: *Trevor.*

11. *Girony of 4 or and Azure*, a *Lion Rampant Counterchanged*, born by *John Gould* of *Broadnemet* in *Devonshire*, Gentleman. *Gould.*

12. *Girony of 8 Pieces Ermine*, and *Ermines a Lion Rampant Or*, born by Sir *Trevor Williams* of *Langibby Castle* in *Monmouthshire* Baronet. *Williams.*

13. *Sable*

13. Sable a *Lion Rampant Argent* depressed with a *Bendlet Gules*, born by **Churchill.** Sir *John Churchill* of *Churchill* in *Somersetshire*, Knight.

14. *Argent*, a *Bend* between two *Lions Rampant Sable*, born by Sir *John Osborn* of *Chicksands* in *Bedfordshire*, Baronet.

15. *Ermine* three *Lions Rampant Gules*, by the name of *Cudley* in *Devonshire*.

16. *Argent*, three *Lions Rampant*, and a *cheif Azure*, born by *Samuel Grant* of *Crundal* in *Hantshire*, and of the *Inner Temple* London, Esquire.

17. *Per Pale Saphir* and *Ruby*, three *Lions Rampant Pearl*, born by the Right Honourable the Earl of *Pembrook* and *Montgomery*, Baron *Herbert* of *Shurland*, *Cardist*, *Ross* of *Kendale*, *Parr*, *Marmion*, and Sir *Quintin*, Lord of the Lordships of *Usk*, *Carleon*, *Newport* and *Treleg*.

By the Right Honourable *William Herbert* Earl and Baron of *Powis*, &c.

By the Right Honourable *Edward Lord Herbert* Baron of *Cherbury*, and *Castle-Island* in *Ireland*.

By the Honourable *Arthur Herbert*, Esquire, Admiral and Commander in *Cheif*

Cheif of His Majesties Fleet in the *Mediterranean Seas* Anno 1683, and one of the Right Honourable the *Commissioners* of the *Admiralty*.

By Sir *Thomas Herbert* of *Trinlern* in *Herbert.*
Monmouth-shire, Baronet.

By Sir *Matthew Herbert* of *Bromfield*
in *Shropshire*.

This Coat is also born by Sir *William Jones* of *Slowey* in *Sommerfetshire*, Knight:

By *Edward Proger* Esquire, one of the Grooms of His Majesties *Bedchamber*.

18. Pearl, six *Lyons Rampant* Diamond, born by the Right Honourable *Thomas Savage*, *Earl Rivers*, *Viscount*
Colchester and *Rock Savage*, *Lord Darcy*,
and *Baron of Chich*, &c.

19. Ermine, on a *Cheif Azure*, three *Lions Rampant Or*, born by Sir *Anthony Ancher*
of *Bishopsbourn* in *Kent*, Knight
and *Baronet*.

Other

Other Examples of

LIONS PASSANT.

1. **D**iamond, a *Lion Passant Gardant* Topaz, between three *Helmets* Pearl, born by the Right Honourable *James* Earl of *Northampton*, *Baron Compton* of *Compton*, Lord Lieutenant of *Warwickshire*, *Constable* of the *Tower of London*, and one of the Lords of His *Majesties* most Honourable *Privy Council*, &c.

Earl of
Northamp-
ton.

2. Azure, a *Lion Passant* between three *Pheons* heads Or, born by Sir *Thomas Wolstonholom* of *Minsingden* in the Parish of *Edmonton* in *Middlesex* Baronet.

Wolston-
holom.

Three Sable, three *Piles* Argent on a *Cheif* of the second a *Lion Passant* Gules, born by Sir *Andrew Hacket* of *Moxhull* in *Warwickshire* Knight.

Hacket.

4. Or a *Lion Passant* Sable, in *Cheif*, three *Piles* of the second, born by Cap-
tain



Lions Pasant



tain *John Logan* of *Ibury* in *Oxfordshire*, *Logan*.
Esquire.

5. Argent, on a *Fess* Gules between two *Lions Passant Gardent* Sable, a *Flower de lis* Or, between two *Crescents* Argent, born by the Honourable *Sir Henry Goodrick* of *Ribston Park* in *Yorkshire*, Knight and Baronet His Majesty's *Envoy Extraordinary* to the King of *Spain* Anno 1682₃.

6. Argent, two *Lions Passant Gardant* Azure, born by *Sir Thomas Hanmer* of *Hanmer* in *Flitshire* Baronet, and of *Sir John Hanmer* of the *Middle Temple*, London, Knight.

Or, two *Lions passant Gardant* Sable, born by *Sir James Rushurst* of *Milast* *Rushurst*.
Green in *Essex*, Barronet.

Gules, two *Lions Passant Gardant* Argent, born by *Sir Nicholas L'estrange* of *Hulston* in *Norfolk* Baronet, and by *Roger L'estrange* of *Saint Giles* in the *L'estrange*.
Fields in *Middlesex*, Esquire.

7. Gules, two *Bars* Ermine in Chief a *Lion Passant* parted Per Pale Or, and Argent, by the name of *Hill* of *Norfolk*.

8. Ermine, a *Saltier* and Chief, Gules, on the last a *Lion Passant Gardant* Or, born by *Evers Armine* of *Osgodby* in *Lanca*.
Armine.

K

shire,

Carew. shire, and of *Ketton* in *Rutlandshire*, Esq;
9. Or, three *Lions Passant Sable* born
by *Sir Thomas Carew* of *Hackcomb* in *De-*
vonshire Barronet.

English. Sable, three *Lions Passant Argent*, born
by *Thomas English* of *Buckland* in *Maid-*
ston in *Kent*, Esquire.

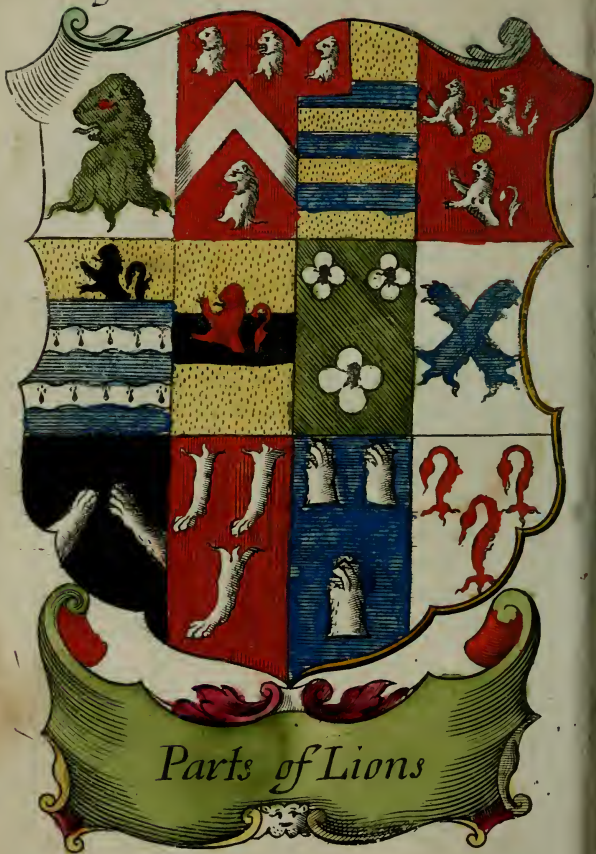
Brograve. 10. Argent, three *Lions Passant Gar-*
dant Gules, born by *Thomas Brograve* of
Hamels in *Hersfordshire*, Barronet.

11. Ruby, three *Lions Passant Gar-*
dant Per Pale Or and Argent, born by
the Right Honourable *William O' Brion*,
Earl and Baron Insequin, and *Baron of*
Burren in *Ireland*, and one of the *Lords*
of *His Majesties most Honourable Privy*
Council for that Kingdom.

Hawes. 12. Azure a *Fess Wavey*, between
three *Lions Passant Or*, by the name of
Hawes.

From whole *Lions* I shall proceed to the
parts thereof.





Examples of the

PARTS of LIONS.

1. **A** Rgent, a *Lions head erased*
Vert.

2. Ruby, a *Cheveron* between three *Lions heads* erased Pearl, born by the Right Noble *Christopher* Duke of *Albemarle*, Earl of *Torrington* Baron *Monk* of *Potheridge*, *Beanchamps* and *Teys*, Knight of the *Garter*, Captain of His Majesties *Life Guard*, Lord *Leutenant* of *Essex* and *Devonshire*, one of the *Gentlemen* of His Majesties *Bedchamber*, and one of the *Lords* of his most Honourable *Privy Council*, &c.

Azure, a *Cheveron* between three *Lions heads* erased *Or*, born by *Sir Hugh Windham* of *Silton* in *Dorsetshire* Knight, one of the *Justices* of His Majesties *Court of Common Pleas* at *Westminster*. And is

Windham. also born by *Thomas Windham* of *Tale* in *Devonshire* Esquire, one of the *Grooms* of *His Majesties Bedchamber*, third Son of *Sir Edmund Windham* of *Cathanger* in *Somersetshire*, Knight *Marshal* of *His Majesties Household*.

Cox. 3. Or, three *Bars Azure*, on a *Canton Gules*, a *Lions head crazed* *Argent*, born by *Thomas Cox* M. D. *Physitian* in *Ordinary* to *His Majesty King Charles* the *Second*. And is also born by *Daniel Cox* of *London* Dr. in *Phyick*.

Earl of Arlington. 4. *Ruby*, a *Bezant* between three *Demy Lions Rampant* *Pearl*, born by the *Right Honourable Henry* *Earl of Arlington*, *Viscount Thetford*, Knight of the *Garter*, *Lord Chamberlain* of *His Majesties household*, and one of the *Lords* of *His Majesties Honourable Privy Council*. And is born by the *Right Honourable Sir John Bennet* Knight of the *Bath*, and *Baron of Oswestre*, &c.

Bennet. Also by *John Bennet* of *Abington* in *Cambridgeshire*, *Esquire*.

Smith. 5. *Azure*, two *Bars Wavy Ermine*, on a *Chief Or*, a *Demy Lion Sable*, born by *Sir James Smith* of the *City of London* Knight and *Alderman*.

6. Or

6. Or, out of the midst of a *Fess* Sable, a *Lion Rampant Naissant* Gules, by the name of *Emme*.

Emme.

This Form of Blazon is peculiar to all living things that shall be found issuing out of the midst of some ordinary, or common charge.

7. *Vert*, three *Quarterfoils* Argent, each charged with a *Lions head Erased*, Sable, born by *Thomas Plot* Esquire, Secretary to his Highness the great Duke of *Tuscany*; descended of the Family of the *Plots Sparsholt* in *Berkshire*.

Plot.

8. Argent, two *Lions Paws* erected in *Saltier*, the dexter surmounted of the sinister Azure.

9. Sable, two *Lions Paws* issuing out of a dexter and sinister base points erect in form of a *Cheveron* Argent, by the name of *Frampton*.

Frampton.

10. Gules, three *Lions Paws* or *Gambes Erased* Argent, born by *Richard Newdigate* of *Arbury* of *Warwickshire*, *Newdigate*. Esquire.

11. Azure, three *Lions Paws* coupéd and erected Argent, by the name of *Usher*.

Usher.

12. Argent, three *Lions Tails* erected and erased Gules.

Cork.

The *Lion* hath great strength in his *Tail*, and his much motion thereof is a sure sign of *Anger*. When he intends to assail his *Enemy* he stirreth up his courage by often beating his back and sides with his *Tail*, and when he is hunted the better to escape his *Pursuers* (with his *Tail* as he goeth) he sweepeth out his footsteps and leaveth no tract behind him.

These and the like *Parts* of *Lions*, and all other *Beasts* are born on, and between, any of the *Ordinaries*.

From *Lions* I shall proceed to *Elephants*, *Horses*, and other *Beasts*.

Examples of Other

BEASTS in whole and in part.

1. **G**ules, an *Elephant* passant Argent, tusked Or, by the name of *Elpington*, *Elpington*.

The *Elephant* is a *Beast* of great strength but of greater wit and docility surpassing

surpassing all other *Beasts*, and is so ambitious that if they are praised they will kill themselves with labour, his strength appears in that he carrieth on his back in a *Castle of Wood* about thirty men, as is accustomed in the *Eastern Countries* to make use of them in their *Wars*.

2. Or a *Fess Gules* between three *Elephants heads erazed Sable*, born by *John Fountain*. *Fountain of Melton* on the Hill in *Yorkshire*, Esquire.

3. Purpure; a *Proboscide Trunk* or *Snout* of an *Elephant* in *Pale* coupéd, flexed and reflexed in form of an S Or.

The *Elephant* hath great strength in this part and useth it for his hand, as well to feed himself; as for all uses of *Agility*.

4. Or, an *Asses* head erazed Sable, by the name of *Hackwell*. *Hackwell.*

The *Ass* is the lively Embleme of patience: From this *Beast*, and the *Horse* cometh the *Mule* which being so produced doth not bring forth young as other *Beasts*.

5. Pearl, three *Bulls Passant* Diamond, This was the Coat of the Right Honourable *Anthony* Earl of *Shaftsbury*, Baron *Earl of* *Astley* of *Wimborn* *Saint Giles*, Lord *Shaftsbury*.

Cooper of Pawlet, &c.

The *Bull* is the Ringleader amongst ruther *Beasts*, and through hope of his encrease of breed he is priviledged to rang freely in all Pastures.

The *Bull* being *Gelt* changeth not on-ly his nature but his name to an *Ox*. And it is said that the *Athenians* to express their gratefulness for the laborious travel of the *Ox*, did stamp it's Figure on a certain *Coyn* called a *Didrachma*.

Sanders. 6. Sable, a *Cheveron* Ermine between three *Bulls head cabosed* Argent, born by *Thomas Sanders* of little *Ireton* in *Derbyshire*, Esquire.

Lord Mas- serene. 7. Pearl, three *Bulls head erazed* Dia- mond, born by the Right Honourable Sir *John Skeffington* of *Fisherwick* in *Staffordshire*, Barronet, Baron of *Loughneugh*, Viscount *Massereen*, *Custos Rotolorum*, and Governour of the County of *Londonderry* and Town of *Coleraine* and one of the *Lords* of His Majesty most Honourable *Privy Council* for *Ireland*

Baker. 8. Gules, a *Goat Passant* Argent, by the name of *Baker*.

The *Goat* is not so hardy as poli- tick.

9. Gules, a *Stag standing at Gaze* Ar- gent

gent, attired Or, by the name of
Jones.

Jones.

The *Stag* is a goodly Beast, full of State in his *Gate* and *View*, and amongst *Beasts of Chase* is esteemed the cheif for *Game*. It is observed that when he findeth himself Fat he lodgeth in obscure places to avoid Chasing. This Beast is indued with two excellent faculties above others to wit quickness of hearing, and swiftness of Foot, which makes the Chase more long and difficult.

10. Argent, a *Stag* springing forward Gules.

Pliny saith that the Horns of this Beast whilst they are growing are so mollified with Wax that they may be made capable of divers *Impressions*. All *Horns* are hallow except towards the tip, but the *Deers* are solid throughout.

11. Vert, on a *Cheveron* between three *Bucks* triping Or, as many *Trefoils* slipped Gules, born by Sir *Lumbley Robinson* of *Robinson*. *Kentwell-hall* in *Suffolk* Barronet, Son and Heir of Sir *Thomas Robinson*, chief *Prothonotary* of his *Majesties Court of Common Pleas*, deceased.

The *Buck* is a worthy Beast, and hath much of the properties of the *Stag*,
but

but cometh short of his stateliness and boldness.

Colleton.

12. Or, three *Bucks head couped* proper, born by *Sir Peter Colleton* of *Saint James's Fields* in *Middlesex*, *Baronet*.

The Bearing of the *Head* of any living thing betokeneth jurisdiction and Authority to administer Justice, and to execute *Laws*.

Lord Dartmouth.

13. *Saphir*, a *Stags head Pearl*, born by the *Right Honourable George Leg*, *Baron of Dartmouth*, *Master General of the Ordnance*, *Leutenant of Alceholt*, and *Wolmer Forest* in *Hantsire*, *Master of the Horse* to his *Royal Highness James Duke of York*, *Admiral of His Majesties Fleet of Ships in the Mediterranean*, *Anno 1683*, and one of the *Lords of His Majesties most Honourable Privy Council*, &c.

Earl of Seafort.

14. *Saphir*, a *Bucks head cabosed Topaz*, vulned in the forehead proper, born by the *Right Honourable Kenneth*, *M^r Kenzie*, *Earl of Seafort*, *Lord M^r Kenzie* and *Kentail*, *Baron of Ardebu*, *Islandonan* and *Lews*, *Sheriff principal of the Shires of Ross*, and *North Nafs*, &c.

15. *Diamond*, three *Bucks heads cabosed Pearl*, attired *Topaz*, born by the
Right





*Beasts in whole,
and in part.*

Right Honourable *William* Earl of *De-* Earl of
vonshire, Baron *Cavendish* of *Hardwick* *Devonshire*
Lord Lieutenant of *Derbyshire*, &c.

16. Azure, a *Fess* between three *Ti-*
gers heads erased Or, born by Sir *Henry*
Hunlock of *Wingerworth* in *Derbyshire*, *Hunlock*,
Baronet.

17. Argent, a *Chevron* between three
Attires of a *Stag* fixed to the *Scalp* *Sa-*
ble, by the Name of *Coches*.

18. Or, three *Attires* of a *Stag* born *Coches*.
paly *Barry* *Sable*.

Other Examples of

BEASTS in whole and in part.

1. **S**able, a *Fess* between three *Horses*
passant Argent, born by Sir *Thomas Stamp*.
Stamp of *London*, Knight and Alder-
man.

A *Horse* erected, (that is bolt upright)
may be termed enraged, but his noblest
Action

Action is exprest in a saliant form. The *Horse* of all *Beasts* for mans use is esteem'd the most noble, and useful either in Peace or War, he is naturally stubborn, fierce and pround, and of all *Beasts* there is none that vaunteth more after Victory obtained, or dejected if vanquished, and none more prone to *Battle*, or desirous of revenge.

Marsh. 2: Gules, a *Horses head* coup'd Argent, this was the Coat of Sir *Thomas Marsh* of *Darkes* in the Parish of *South Mimms* in *Middlesex*, Knight deceased.

Harling. 3. Argent, a *Unicorn seiant* Sable, horned Or, by the name of *Harling*.

The *Unicorn* takes his name from his one Horn which grows on his Forehead, yet there is another Beast called a *Rinoceros* which hath but one Horn, but that doth grow on his Snout.

The *Unicorn* is no less worthy of remark for his Vertue then for his Strength in that his *Horn* is said to be a powerful *Antidote* against poyson; in so much as (according to the general opinion) the wild Beast (for fear of the venemous *Serpents*) use not to drink before he hath stirred the *Waters* with his *Horn*; he is said

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said to be of such a great and haughty mind that he will never be taken alive, but rather will be killed; being by nature of so untamely a disposition.

4. Gules, an *Unicorn* triping *Argent*, armed *Or*, by the name of *Mustertun*.

5. Vert, three *Unicorns* in *Pale courant* *Argent*, armed *Or*, by the name of *Farington*.

Farington.

6. Sable, a *Camel passant* *Argent*.

This *Beast* doth surpass the *Horse*, not only for strength (his common burthen being 1000 *l.* weight,) but for his swiftness in *Travel*.

7. *Argent*, a *Bore passant* *Gules*, armed *Or*, by the name of *Trewarthen*.

Trewarthen

The *Bore* though he wanteth *Horns* is no way defective in his *Weapon* of defence or rather of offence, to wit his strong and sharp *Tusks*, being reckoned for the most absolute *Champion* amongst the *Wild Beasts*. In his fight he is so cruel, and stomachful that he foameth all the while for rage, and against the time of any encounter he often whetteth his *Tusks* to make them more peircing, and he beareth the encounter with a noble courage.

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8. Topaz, three *Bores heads* erazed and erected Diamond armed of the first, born by the Right Honourable *George Lord Booth Baron de la Mere of Dunham Massey in Cheshire.*

Lord De
la Mere.

And by Sir *Robert Booth of Salford in Lancashire, Knight, Lord Chief Justice of his Majesties Court of Common Pleas in Ireland,* and one of his Majesties most Honourable *Privy Council* for the said Kingdom.

Booth.

And is also born by *Richard Booth of the City of London, Esquire.*

9. Argent, a *Cheveron* between three *Bores head* erazed Sable, born by *Theophilus Oglethorp of the Parish of Saint Martins in the Fields in Middlesex Lieutenant Collonel to his Royal Highness's Troop of his Majesties Horse Guards, &c.*

Oglethorp.

10. Azure, three *Cups Or*, out of each a *Bores head* erected Argent, born by Sir *John Bolles of Scampton in Lincolnshire, Baronet.*

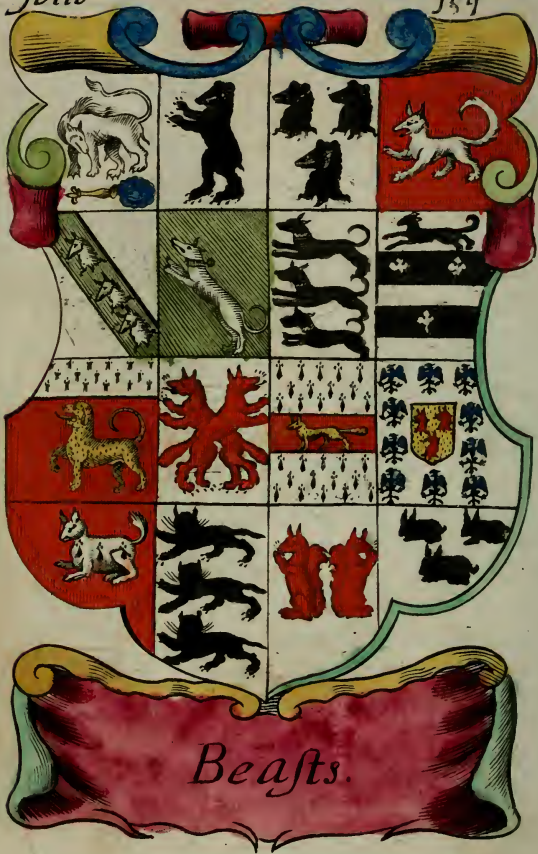
Bolles.

11. Azure, a *Toison d' Or* within a *Treasure of Scotland Or*, born by Sir *Robert Jason of Broad Somersford in Wiltshire, Baronet.*

Jason.

12. Argent, a *Cheveron Sable*, between three *Rams heads* erazed Azure, born by
Sir





Sir *John Bendish* of *Steeple-Bumsted* in *Essex* *Bendish*.
Baronet.

The *Ram* is a Captain of the whole flock, and his strength consisteth in his head.

Other Examples of

B E A S T S.

i. **A** Rgent, a *Tiger passant regardant*, gazing in a looking Glasse all proper.

The *Tiger* is said to be a *Beast* of great cruelty and exceeding swift of Foot, whence some think the River *Tigris* took its name.

It is reported that when those that go to rob her of her young, do use a policy to detain their Dam from following them, by casting sundry *Looking Glasses* in the way, on which she useth to gaze long upon whether it be to behold her
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own beauty, or because when she seeth her shape in the Glasse she thinketh she seeth one of her young ones; but by this means they escape her.

Barnard. 2. Argent, a *Bear Rampant Sable*, musled Or, by the name of *Barnard*.

The *Bear* by nature is a cruel *Beast*, and in its combates useth no less policy then strength. The *Female* is most cruelly enraged against any that hurts her young, or robbeth her of them.

Langham. 3. Argent, three *Bears heads erased Sable*, Musled Or, born by Sir *James Langham* of *Cottesbrook* in *Northamptonshire*, Knight and Baronet.

By Sir *William Langham* of *Walgrave* in the said County Knight. And by Sir *Stephen Langham* of *London* Knight, Sons of Sir *John Langham*, Baronet deceased.

Low. 4. Gules, a *Wolf preyent Argent*, born by Sir *Edward Low* of *New Sarum*, in *Wiltshire* Kt. one of the *Masters* of the high Court of *Chancery*.

The *Wolf* by nature is a greedy, ravenous and cruel Creature, and a great Enemy to the poor harmless *Sheep*; inso-much that (for the publick good) Laws have been made to give a gratuity to those

those that kill, or take any of them alive.

Macidon Grand-child of *Cham* the Son of *Noah* bore a *Wolf* when he went under the Conduct of *Osirus*. And the Image of a *Wolf* was set up at *Dalghos* before *Apollo* who was called *Lycostones* a *Wolf* killer and he was rewarded by the Laws of *Draco* and *Solon* that killed or took alive this Creature.

5. Argent, on a *Bend Vert*, three *Wolves heads* erased of the Field, born by Sir *Richard Middleton* of *Chirk Castle* in *Myddelton*, *Derbighshire* Baronet.

And by Sir *Thomas Middleton* of *Stansted Mount-Fitchet* in *Essex* Knight.

6. Vert, a *Greyhound currant* Argent, colored Gules, studded Or, born by *Richard Blome* of *Abergwilly* in *Caermardenshire*, Esquire, by *Jahn Blome* of *Sevenoke* in *Kent*, Gentleman, and by *Richard Blome* of *London* Gentleman, the Author of this Treatise of *Heraldry*.

The *Dog* whether it be for Pleasure and Game in the Field, as the *Greyhound*, and the *Hound* (of which there are several sorts as the *Buck hound*, *Bloodhound*, *Harier*, *Greyhound* and the like; or for safe-guard at home as the *Mastiff*

deserveth a very high estimation, and of all *Dogs* those of Chase are the most deserving in *Heraldry*.

It is observed that there is scarce any vertue incident to a Man, but there are some resemblances thereof in the sundry kinds of *Dogs*; and the *Mastiff* hath that undaunted courage and true love to his Master that he will take his part even to death, infomuch that the *Romans* took *Mastiffs* hence to carry in their Army instead of *Souldiers*; others there are that when they happen to be lost will refuse meat to eat untill they see their Masters again; others are to be admired for their excellent properties in looking to their *Masters* Goods, others in fetching, carrying, and finding out any lost thing that they are enjoyned to do; and others in pursuing any thing or Game in the Chase by the scent of its foot.

Morc. 7. Argent, three *Grey-hounds* in *Pale currant* Sable collered Or, born by Sir *Cleve More* of *More-hall*, and *Bank-hall* in *Lancashire* Baronet, and by Sir *John More* of *London*, Knight and Alderman, late Lord Mayor thereof.

Gules, three *Grey-hounds* currant in *Pale* Argent, collered of the Field, born by

by Sir *Thomas Mauleverer* of *Allerton-Mauleverer* in *Yorkshire*, *Baronet*. *Mauleverer.*

8. Argent, two *Bars Sable* charged with three *Trefails* of the *Field*, in *Chief* a *Greyhound* currant of the second, born by *William Palmer* of *Ladgrave* in *Warwickshire*, *Esquire*. *Palmer.*

9. Gules, a *Talbot passant* Or, a *Chief* Ermine, born by *Thomas Chaffin* of *Chettle* in *Dorsetshire* *Esquire*. *Chaffin.*

10. Argent, two *Reynards* or *Foxes* counter-Saliant in *Bend*, the dexter surmounted of the finister Saltire wise Gules by the name of *Kadrod-Hard* of *Wales*. *Kadrod-Hard.*

The *Fox* for his great wit and subtilty doth surpass all *Beasts*, and is compared to the crafty *Lawyer*. *Hard.*

11. Ermine, on a *Fess* Gules, a *Fox passant* Or, born by Sir *Thomas Proby* of *Elton-hall* in *Huntingtonshire*, *Knight*. And by *John Proby* of the middle *Temple* *London*, *Esquire*. *Proby.*

12. Or, three *Foxes heads* erased Gules, a *Border* Argent charged with eight *Flower de lis* Azure, born by *Nevin-Fox* of *Stadbrook* in *Suffolk* *Esquire*. *Fox.*

13. Gules, an *Ermine* proper.

The *Skin* of this little *Beast* is an exceeding rich *Fur* used for the *Lining* of

Kings and Princes Robes, and is that Fur so much used in Heraldry called Ermine.

14. *Argent, three Cat a mountains passant in Pale Sable, born by Sir Jonathan Keat of Pauls Walden in Hertfordshire, Baronet.*

There is no Creature that contendeth so much for liberty as the *Cat*, and therefore the *Dutch* formerly bore it for their Ensign.

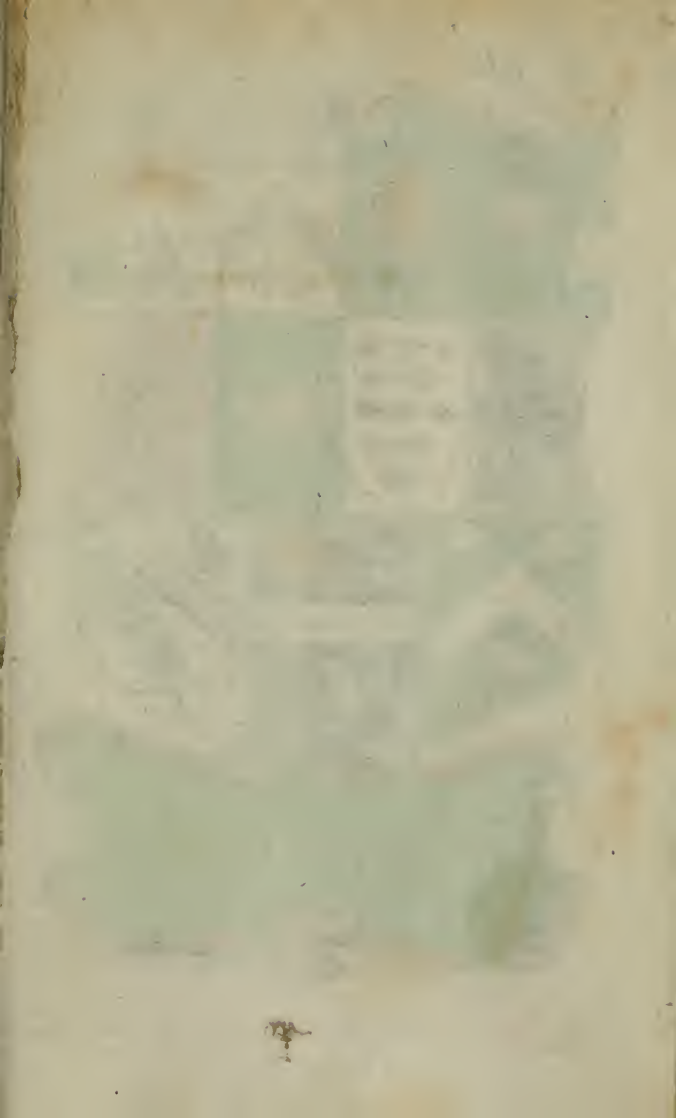
It is also a Creature of such great use that no house can well be without one for the destroying Vermine.

15. *Argent, two Squirrels Sciant endorsed Gules, born by Sir Thomas Samwel of Upton and Gayton in the County of Northamptonshire Baronet.*

This little *Creature* is much to be commended for his great industry in gathering, and providing his food in the Summer for the Winter, which should be an example to the slothful man who regardeth nothing but from hand to mouth.

16. *Argent, three Coneys Sable, by the name of Stroud.*

From the *Coney*'s is said that men first learnt the Art of undermining and subverting





Animalls.

verting of *Cities, Castles, and Towers*, by the Industry of *Pioneers*.

From *Beasts* I shall proceed to *Animals*.

Examples of

ANIMALS.

I. **V**ERT, a *Tortois passant*, Argent, born by Sir *Charles Gawdy* of *Crows-hill* in *Debenham* in *Suffolk*, Kt. and Baronet. By *Charles Gawdy* of *Sta-Gawdy-peston*, and by *Anthony Gawdy* of *Ipswich* both of the said County Esquires.

Tortoises, live both by Land and Sea, and are much esteemed as well for their Vertues, and operation, as for the delicacy of their Shells used for divers curious works, and their flesh to eat. They are Enemies to *Vipers* destroying both *Snails* and *Worms* that eat the *Fruits*. The Shells of the *Arcadian Tortoises* are very

great of which they make *Harps* where-
of *Mercury* is said to be the first inven-
tor, who finding a *Tortoise* upon the *Rocks*
after the falling of the River *Nilus*, the
flesh being consumed, and the sinews
dried up, he stroke them with his hand,
and making a kind of musical sound he
framed it into a *Harp*.

2. Azure, a *Tortoise* erected Or, by the
name of *Cooper*.

3. Argent, a *Cheveron* between three
Mouls, or *Wants Sable*, born by *Richard*
Twisleton. *Twisleton* of *Drax* in the *West-riding* of
Yorkshire Esquire.

This *Animal* is very pernicious in *Gar-*
dens, *Orchards*, and other grounds casting
up the Earth in great hillocks with their
Snouts. They are very quick of hear-
ing, and have a good smell.

4. Argent, three *Toads* erected Sable,
by the name of *Betereux*.

Toads and *Frogs* when they sit, hold up
their heads without motion, which state-
ly action *Spencer* in his *Shepherds* *Calen-*
der calleth the *Lording* of *Frogs*.

5. Or, a *Cobweb* in the *Center* thereof
a *Spider* proper.

The *Spider* may be said to be born
free of the *Weavers* Company, for she
stu-

studieth not his *Art*, nor hath his stuff having her thread out of her womb, from whence she laboriously draweth it, and through the Agility of her Feet she weaveth gins and dilateth, contracteth and knitteth them in form of a *Net*, and with the *threads* that she draweth out of her body she repaireth the same, and these *Webs* are framed with much artificial cunning, and yet are fit for no use, but to entangle Flies; and as it is observed, the Execution of the Law is compared to *Cobwebs*.

*Laws like Spiders webs are wrought.
Great Flies escape, and small are caught.*

The *Spider* is poisonous, yet her *Web*, although it be drawn out of her *Womb*, is said to be an *Antidote* against it:

6. Argent, 11 *Emets* 3, 2, 3, 2, 1, Sable.

By the *Emet*, or *Pismire*, as indeed by the *Spider* may be signified a man of great labour, wisdom, and providence in his Affairs: And to these little Creatures the slothful man is sent to learn wisdom.

7. Vert, a *Grass-hopper* in *Fess passant*
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In the Summer Season the Male *Grass-hoppers* do sing, but the Females are silent.

Amongst the *Athenians* *Grass-hoppers* were holden for a special note of *Nobility*, and therefore did use to wear in their Hair golden *Grass hoppers*. *Solomon* reckoneth the *Grass hopper* for one of the four small things in the Earth that are full of wisdom, but according to the Fable the *Emet* thinks him otherwise.

8. Gules, an *Adder* nowed Or, by the name of *Nathiley*.

The *Serpent* is very subtile and prudent, as well to hurt others, as to save himself; and knowing, that his most principal and most weakest part to be his head, he hath the greatest care thereof; this here enfolded may seem as *Guillim* noteth to be one of the Locks of that Monstruous Dame *Medusa*, every Hair of whose Head was said to be a *Snake*, and indeed *Albertus* saith that the Hair of Women taken at some Seasons and laid in Dung will become venomous *Serpents*, which some have supposed to befall that Sex for the ancient familiarity it had at first with that accursed Serpent.

9. Azure, a *Cheveron* between three *Urchins*, or *Hegdhogs* Argent, born by *William Mainston* of *London* Gentleman, lineally descended from *Thomas Mainston* *Mainston*. of *Urchinfield* in *Herefordshire* Gentleman, who lived *Temps Edward* the Third.

The *Hedghogs* may be compared to a *Man* expert in gathering of substance, and as it were one that maketh Hay whilst the Sun shineth.

10. Sable, a *Fess* between three *House Snails* Argent, by the name of *Shelley*. *Shelley*.

The *Snail* though a slow goer yet in time by the constancy of her Course ascendeth to the top of the highest Tower.

It is Fabled that when the *Hare* was to go a Journey for a Wager with the *Snail*, the *Hare* too confident of his Footmanship resolved to take a Nap by the way but the *Snail* well knowing that he had nothing to trust unto but his indefatigable perseverance came to his Journeys end before the *Hare* awaked.

11. Argent, a *Cheveron* Gules between three *Scorpions* reversed Sable, by the name of *Cole*.

Scorpions are venomous yet the Oyl ^{*Cola*} made

made of them is an approved *Antidote* against their own stinging.

Thus much of Animals under which head may be comprehended all those of four or more Feet that lay *Eggs*, as *Crocodiles*, *Salamanders*, *Cameleons*, *Ewtes*, *Lizards*, &c.

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CHAP. IV.

Treats of Fowls and Birds of all sorts, which may be termed Areal Animals, and may be considered by their Feet, which are either whole, which resembleth the Palm of a Hand, and such are the Swan, Goose, Duck, and for the most part all River Fowls: or divided as the Eagle, Falcon, Raven, and the like, and Birds of the Air as shall appear by the following Examples.

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LL Fowls of what kind soever must be bore in their natural Actions, of Going, Setting, Standing, or Flying.

Concerning the *Beaks or Bills*, and *Feet of Birds* all those that either are whole

whole Footed, or have their Feet divided, and yet have no *Tallons* should be termed *Membred*; but the *Cock* and all *Birds* of *Prey* should be termed *Armed*; and the *Arming*, or *Membring* them is always to be of a different Colour from the *Fowl* or *Bird* it self.

It is generally observed that the *Females* amongst *Birds* of *Prey* are the noblest and most hardy which nature hath so ordered, as being her part to take care, and to provide for her young.

In the *Blazoning* of *Fowls* much used to fly, if their *Wings* be not displayed they must be termed close.

The *Parts* and *Members* of *Fowls* are usually born in *Coat Armour* both couped and erazed, and that on, or between, any of the *Honourable Ordinaries*.

Birds are of a more noble bearing than *Fish* for that they participate more of the *Fire* and *Air* the noblest Elements.





Fowle & Birds.

Examples of

F O W L and B I R D S.

1. **G**ules, a *Swan* Argent, by the name
of *Leigham*.

Leigham.

All *River Fowls* have their *Tails* shorter than *other Birds*, for the length of the *Tail* doth hinder their *Swimming*, *Diving*, or *Running*.

The *Swan* is a *Bird* of great *Beauty* and *Strength*, and it is said that he useth not his *Strength* to *Prey*, or *Tyranize* over any other *Fowl*, but only to be revenged on such, as first offer him wrong, in which case he often subdueth the *Eagle*, and it is observed that he never encounters with any other of his own kind, but in two cases, the one if any be a *Rival* in his *Love*, or offer to *Court* his *Mate*, he will be revenged to death; the next is if another do inroach upon his possession,

on, or place of haunt, he is never quiet until he hath expulsed him.

Pitfield. 2. Azure, a *Bend Engrailed* Argent, between two *Signets Royal* proper, born by Sir *Charles Pitfield* of *Hoxton* in the Parish of *Saint Leonards Shoreditch* in *Middlesex* Knight, deceased.

Charlton. Azure, three *Swans* Argent, by the name of *Charlton*.

Bawdrip. Gules, three *Swans* Argent, by the name of *Bawdrip*.

More. Sable, a *Swan* with her *Wings expanded* Argent, *Membred* Or, within a *Border Engrailed* of the Second, by the name of *More*.

Mellish. Azure, two *Swans* Argent, between as many *Flanches Ermine*, born by *Samuel Mellish* of the *Inner Temple, London*, Esquire.

3. Sable, a *Cheveron* between three *wild Ducks* Volant proper.

The *Wild Duck* hath many enemies, as *Men, Dogs, and Hawks*, yet by their shifts in *Flying, Swimming, and Diving*, they often beguile the hope of their pursuers.

Starkey. 4. Argent, a *Stork* Sable, *Membred* Gules, by the name of *Starkey*.

The *Stork* is a *Bird* most careful of her young,

young, and therefore nature requiteth her care; for their young do take the like care of them in their old Age, whence it is that the *Stork* is the Emblem of a grateful Man, and a dutiful Son. *Alian* writes of a *Stork*, which bred in the House of one that had a beautiful Wife, which in her Husbands absence used to commit Adultery with one of her meaner Servants, which the *Stork* observing, in gratitude to him who freely gave him *House-rooms* he flying in the Villains face struck out both his Eyes.

5. Ermine, a *Spread Eagle*, or *Eagle* displayed Gules, born by Sir Henry *Bed-Bedingfield* of *Oxborough*, and *Beck hall* in *Norfolk* Baronet.

The *Eagle* hath a sharp and peircing sight, and soareth so high that oft times she transcendeth the sight of a man. She hath a tender care of her young, and when they are ready to flie taketh them on her Wings, and so soareth with them through the Air to teach them to fly.

6. Argent, a *Spread Eagle* with two *Heads* Sable, born by Sir *John Glynn* of *Glyn*. *Burcester* alias *Bisister* in *Oxfordshire* Baronet.

7. Gules,

Travel. 7. Gules, a Bend between two Eagles displayed Or, born by *Thomas Travel* of *Saint Martins in the Fields* in *Middlesex*, Esquire.

Wynn. 8. Vert, three Eagles displayed in Fess Or, by the name of *Wynn*.

Other Examples of Eagles.

Cotton. Azure an Eagle displayed Argent, born by *Sir Robert Cotton de Bruce* of *Hatley*, *Saint George* in *Cambridgeshire* Knight.

Goddard. Gules, an Eagle displayed Or, born by *Edward Goddard* of *Standen*, by *Thomas Goddard* of *Swinden*, *Richard Goddard* of *Catford*, and by *Edward Goddard* of *Ogbourn* all of *Wiltshire* Esquires.

Millington. Argent, an Eagle displayed Sable, by the name of *Millington*.

Boylant. Sable, an Eagle displayed Argent, armed Gules, by the name of *Boylant*.

Bilney. Argent, an Eagle displayed Vert, by the name of *Bilney*.

armed

Or, an *Eagle* displayed Sable, by the name of *Kirkhill*.

Kirkhill.

Gules, an *Eagle* displayed Ermine, by the name of *Waney*.

Waney.

Parted per *Pale* Or, an *Argent*, an *Eagle* displayed Gules, by the name of *Thompson*.

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Parted per *Pale* Gules and Ermine, an *Eagle* displayed Or, by the name of *Bor-Bordam*.

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Parted per *Bend*, Gules and Vert an *Eagle* displayed Or, by the name of *Grave*.

Grave.

Azure, three *Eaglets* displayed Or, by the name of *Billesworth*.

Billesworth

Or, three *Eaglets* displayed Gules, by the name of *Eglesford*.

Eglesford.

Argent, three *Eaglets* displayed Gules by the name of *Eaglesfield*.

Eaglesfield

Sable, six *Eaglets* displayed Argent, by the name of *Barantine*.

Barantine.

9. Sable, a *Goshawk* Argent, *Perching* upon a *Stock*, fixed in the *Base* point of the *Escocheon* of the second, *Armed*, *Fessed*, and *Billed* Or, by the name of *Weele*.

Weele.

Next to the *Eagle* which is reckoned the Sovereign Queen of all *Fowls*, the the *Goshawk*, the *Ger-Falcon*, the *Falcon*,

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and other Birds of Prey are the Cheif.

Gules, three *Falcons* Argent, Armed, Jessed and Belled Or, by the name of *Atherton*. *Atherton*.

Azure, three *Falcons* Argent, *Armed*, *Jessed*, and *Belled* Or, by the name of *Pennington*. *Pennington*.

Sable, a *Falcon* Argent, Armed Or, by the name of *Yedling*. *Yedling*.

10. Gules, a *Cheveron* between three *Falcons* Argent, born by *George Hadley* of *East Barnet* in *Hertfordshire* Esquire. *Hadley*.

11. Azure, three *Bustards* rising Or, by the name of *Nevill*. *Nevill*.

It is observable that all long Shank'd Fowl in their flight do stretch forth their Legs at length to their *Tails*, but the short do truss their Feet up to the midst of their *Bodies*.

12. Or, a *Raven* proper born by Sir *John Corbet* of *Stoke upon Teane*, and *Adderley* in *Shropshire* Baronet. *Corbet*.

The *Raven* is said to give no food to it's young until she seeth what colour they will be of, and when she seeth them black like her self she is very careful of them. This Bird is said to live about 100 years, and doth take it's name from it's rapine quality.

13. Gules,

13. Gules, a *Pelican* in her *Nest*, with *Wings displayed*, feeding her young ones Or, vulned proper, by the name of *Carne*.

Carne.

The *Egyptian Priests* as *Farnesius* noteth used the *Pelican* for a *Hieroglyphick* to express the duties of a *Father* to his *Children*.

14. Gules, three *Cocks* Argent, armed, crested, and Jolloped Or, by the name of *Cock*.

Cock.

The *Cock* may not improperly be termed the *Knight* amongst *Birds*, being of a noble courage, and also prepared to *Battel*, having his *Comb* for an *Helmet*, his sharp and hooked *Bill* for a *Faulcheon*, or *Court-lax*, and as a compleat *Soldier* armed a *Cap-a-pee*, he hath his *Legs* armed with *Spurs*. When he is *Victor* he croweth which gives testimony of his *Conquest*, and when he is vanquished he shuneth the light, or society of men.

15. Or, three *Swallows*, their *Wings* close proper, by the name of *Watton*.

Watton.

The *Swallow* is the welcome harbinger, shewing the approach of the *Spring*.

16. Argent, a *Cross* Gules between four *Peacocks* Azure, born by the Right Honourable *Francis Lord Carington*, Ba-

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rington.

ron of *Wotton* in *Warwickshire*, and Viscount *Barreford* in *Ireland*.

The *Peacock* is so proud that when he erecteth his Fan of Plumes he admireth himself, and doth display them against the rayes of the Sun that they may glister with the greater Glory.

Other Examples of Fowls.

Argent, three *Swans* disclosed Sable, by the name of *Folgnardy*.

Sable, a *Heron* Argent, by the name of *Heron*.

Argent, a *Cock* Gules, Armed, Crested, and Jolloped Or, by the name of *Broncham*.

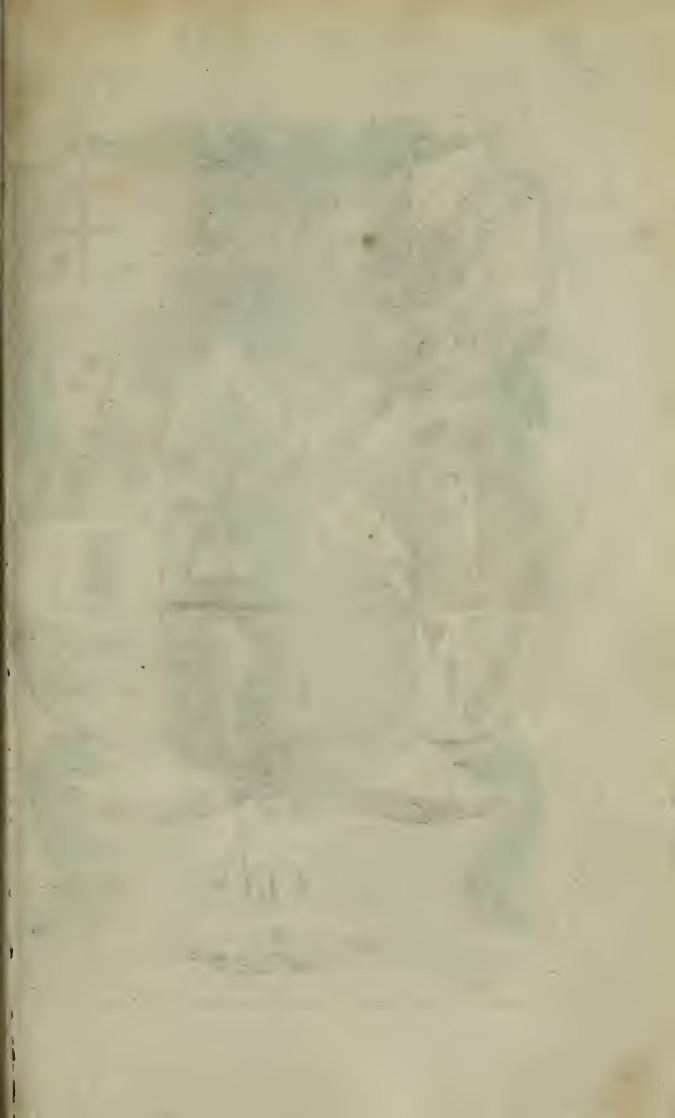
Argent, a *Raven* proper, by the name of *Merton*.

Sable, a *Falcon* Argent, Armed Or, by the name of *Yedling*.

Azure, three *Falcons* their *Wings* expanded Argent, by the name of *Nevile*.

Argent, a *Pelican* in her *Nest*, vulned, and disclosed Sable, by the name of *Cantrell*.

Azure, three *Pelicans* Or, vulned proper,





Birds.

per born by Sir *John Pelham* of *Langton Pelham* in *Suffex* Baronet.

Argent, a *Cock Gules*, Armed, Crested, and Jolloped Or, by the name of *Brougham*.

Brougham.

Argent, three *Cocks Gules*, by the name of *Coliborn*.

Coliborn.

Argent, three *Cocks Sable*, Armed, Crested, and Jolloped Or, by the name of *Pomfret*.

Pomfret.

Sable, three *Heath Cocks Argent*, Membred Gules, by the name of *Hathe*.

Hathe.

Argent, six *More Cocks Sable*, Membred Gules, by the name of *Fitz-Mores*.

Fitz-Mores.

Other Examples of

B I R D S.

1. PEARL, on a *Bend Diamond*, three *Owls* of the *Field*, born by the most Honourable *George Savill*, Marquess Earl and Viscount *Hallifax*, and Baron of

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Eland in *Yorkshire*, *Lord Privy Seal*, and one of the *Lords* of his *Majesties* most *Honourable Privy Council*, &c.

The *Owl* was *Minerva's Bird*, and was born by the *Athenians* for their *Armorial Ensign*. In *Armoury* he signifies *Prudence*, *Vigilancy*, and *Watchfulness* by *Night*.

2. *Sable*, an *Orle* of *Owls* within an *Escoccheon Argent*, born by *Sir Henry Calverley* of *Eryholme* in *Yorkshire* *Knight*.

3. *Diamond*, *Guite de lean*, on a *Fess Pearl*, three *Cornish Choughs* proper, born by the *Right Honourable Charles Lord Cornwallis*, *Baron of Eye* in *Suffolk*, &c.

4. *Argent*, a *Cross Potance* between four *Martlets Sable*, a *Canton Ermenois*, born by *Thomas Stringer* of *Bexwells* in *Essex* *Esquire*.

5. *Or* an *Escoccheon* within an *Orle* of eight *Martlets Sable*, born by *Sir John Brownlow* of *Belton* near *Grantham* in *Lincolnshire* *Baronet*.

The *Martlet* hath *Legs* so short that they can't go, and if they happen to fall upon the ground they can't raise themselves upon their *Feet* as other *Birds* do to prepare themselves for flight, and for this reason they make their *Nests* upon *Rocks*, and high places, from whence they may easily take their flight.

6. *Per*

6. *Per Fess Gules and Argent*, six *Martlets* counterchanged, born by Sir *Jo. Fenwick* of *Wallington* in *Northumberland* Baronet, *Cornet* to the *Queens* *Fenwick.* *Troop* of his *Majesties* *Guards*.

7. *Azure*, a *Cheveron* between three *Martlets* *Argent*, born by *Tolemach Duke* *Duke.* of *Lincolns* *Inn* in *Middlesex* *Esquire*, *Exigenter* for *London* in the *Court* of *Common Pleas*.

8. *Gules*, a *Cheveron embattuled* *Ermine*, between three *Martlets* *Or*, born by the *Honourable* *Sir Francis Withins* of *Withins.* *Eltham* in *Kent* *Knight*, one of the *Justices* of his *Majesties* *Court* of *Kings* *Bench* *Westminster*.

9. *Gules*, a *Ferdemolin* *Argent*, between two *Martlets* *Or*, born by *Sir William Beversham* of *Millbeck-hall* in *Suffolk* *Knight*, one of the *Masters* in *Chancery.* *Beversham.*

10. *Sable*, on a *Cheveron* between ten *Martlets* *Argent*, five *Plates*, or *Ogres* *ses* born by *Thomas Bard* of *Caversfield* *Bard.* in *Buckinghamshire* *Esquire*.

11. *Azure*, three *Bees volant en arriere* *Argent*, by the name of *Bye*. The *Bee* *Bye.* is a very profitable *Insect* for its *Wax* and *Honey* which is esteemed a great preser-

ver of Nature. To speak of the properties of the *Bee*, and their Government would be too tedious for this place.

12. Argent, three *Eagles heads* erazed Sable, by the names of *Yellen*.

Yellen.

13. Argent six *Ostriches feathers* 3, 2, and 1 Sable, by the name of *Jervis*.

Jervis.

14. Gules, two *Wings impailed* conjoined in *Fess*, or two *Wings* in *Lure* Or, by the name of *Seymour*.

Seymour.

15. Sable, an *Eagles Leg* in *Pale* erazed *a la quise* Argent, the *Talons* Gules, by the name of *Cunhanfer*.

Cunhanfer.

16. Or, two *Eagles Legs barways* erazed *a la quise* Sable, armed Gules.

Other Examples of Birds.

Herwart. Argent, an *Owle* Gules, by the name of *Herwart*.

Trenchyn. Argent, a *Cornish Chough* proper, by the name of *Trenchyn*.

Hodby. Gules, three *Doves* proper, by the name of *Hodby*.

Ayer. Az re, 3 *Larks* Or, by the name of *Ayer*.

Birdge. Argent, three *Owles* Sable, by the name of *Birdge*.

Boughton. Sable, three *Owles* Argent, armed Or, by the name of *Boughton*. Ar

Argent, three *Coots* proper, by the name of *Coots*.

Coots.

Parted per *Fess* Argent and Sable, a *Martlet* counterchanged, by the name of *Remis*.

Remis.

Sable, a *Martlet* Argent by the name of *Adam*.

Adam,

Argent, three *Martlets* Gules by the name of *Fornival*.

Fornival.

Azure, three *Martlets* Argent by the name of *Kirketon*.

Kirketon.

Sable, three *Martlets* Argent, by the name of *Naughton*.

Naughton.

Gules, three *Martlets* Argent by the name of *Wotton*.

Wotton.

Per *Cheveron* Or, and Azure, three *Martlets* counterchanged, by the name of *Edgeworth*.

Edgeworth.

Sable, four *Martlets*, two and two Argent by the name of *Monster*.

Monster.

Argent, five *Martlets* three and two Gules by the name of *Dowdal*.

Dowdal.

Sable, six *Martlets* 3, 2, 1, by the name of *Apleby*.

Apleby.

Per *Pale Indented* Argent and Sable, six *Martlets* counterchanged, by the name of *Wren*.

Wren.

Sable eight *Martlets* 3, 2, 2, 1, Argent by the name of *Stanton*.

Stanton.

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- Rochdale.** Argent, a *Flower de lis* between eight *Martlets* Sable by the name of *Rochdale*.
- Vaux.** Argent, an *Escocheon* within eight *Martlets* Gules, by the name of *Vaux*.
- Bobun.** Gules, a *Cressent* Ermin between eight *Martlets* Or, by the name of *Bobun*.
- Tochet.** Gules, ten *Martlets* 4, 3, 2, 1 Or, by the name of *Tochet*.
- Squire.** Sable, three *Swans* necks coupéd Argent, by the name of *Squire*.
- Beconthorp** Azure, three *Peacock* heads Erazed Or, by the name of *Beconthorp*.
- White.** Argent, three *Cocks* heads erazed Sable, Membred and *Joloped* Gules, by the name of *White*.
- Reney.** Gules, two *Wings* inverted and conjoyned Ermine, by the name of *Reney*.
- Earl of Londonderry.** Sable, a pair of *Wings* conjoyned, and elevated Argent, born by the Right Honourable *Robert Ridgway* Earl of *London-derry*, and Barron of *Gallon-Rigeway* in *Ireland*.
- Newport.** Gules three *Winges* elevated Argent, by the name of *Newport*.
- Baud.** Gules three *Wings* pendant Or, by the name of *Baud*.

CHAP. VI.

Treats of watry Animals, being such as have their abode, and relief only in the water, to wit Fishes of all sorts, which as they are of a less compleat nature then Earthy, or Aerial Animals, so are they of less esteem in Coat Armour.

As Birds have their Plumes, Wings & Trains for their cutting their passage through the Air; So are Fishes provided with Finns wherewith they guid themselves in their swimming, and cut the current of the streams and waves for their more easie passage wherein their course is directed by their Tayl, as Ships are conducted by their Helm, or Ruther.

Fishes are born after divers manners, viz. directly upright, imbowed, extended, indorsed, respecting each other, surmounting one another. Fretted and Triangle, &c. All Fishes (saith Leigh) that are born feeding shall in Blazon be tearema devouring,

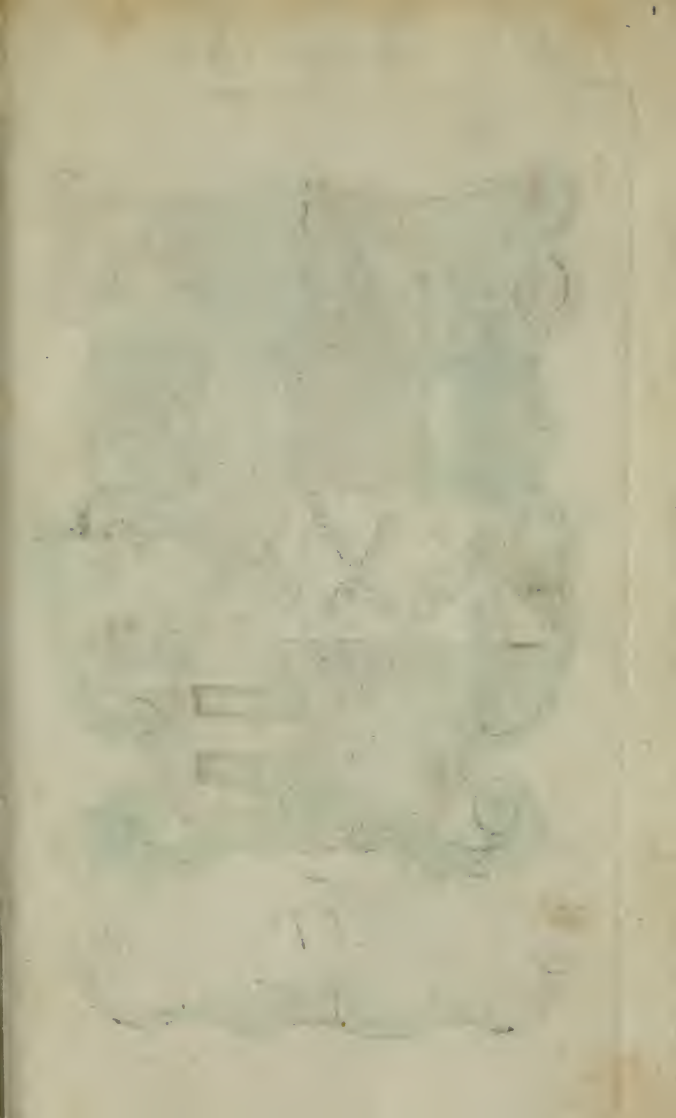
ing, and that whereon they feed must be expressed.

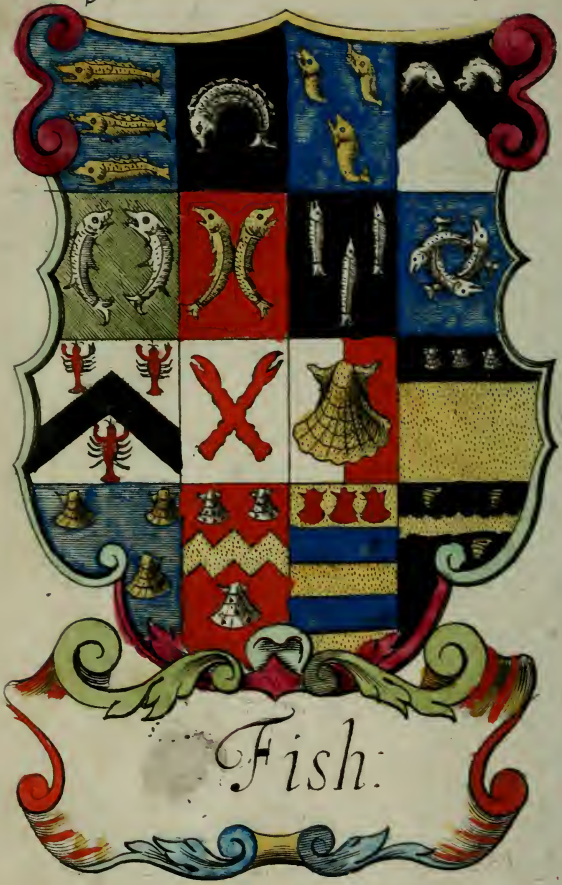
All Fishes raised directly upright, and having Finns must be termed in Blazon *Hauriaunt*, signifying to draw, or suck, because that Fish do oft times put their Heads above Water to refresh themselves with the cool Air, but especially when the Waters in the depth of the Seas do so rage, and as it were boyl against some Tempestuous Storm, that they cannot endure the unwonted heat thereof, All Fishes being born transverse, must be Blazoned *Naiant*, or *Swiming*, for in such sort do they bear themselves in the Water when they swim.

Of Fishes some have hard and crusty Coverings, others a more softer outside, and these latter are of two sorts, some having only Skin and others Scales.

Fishes are also born in part, and on, or between, any of the Honourable Ordinaries

Of these several kinds, these following Examples shall suffice.





Fish:

Examples of

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1. **A**zure three *Dolphins* Naiaant extended in *Pale Barry Or*, by the name of *Dolphin*. The *Dolphin* is here in its natural form of swimming, and is said to *Marchal* their great Troops in admirable order; for in the *Vant-guard* swim all their young ones, in the middle the Females, and in the Rearward all the *Males*, like good *Husbands* that have a care to their *Wives* and *Children*. The *Dolphin* is a Fish of such great *Strength*, and *Swiftness*, that in his pursuit of other *Fishes* for his prey (who make to the *Rocks*, or *Shoar* for *Shelter*) he oft receives danger. The *Naturalist* say that the She *Dolphin* hath *Dugs*, and gives suck to her young. That the *Dolphin* is a great lover of *Musick*, and loveth the Company of men, but that

that I leave to the Opinion of the Reader.

2. Sable a *Dolphin* *Naiant Imbowed*, and devouring a *Fish* proper, by the name of *Symonds*.

3. Azure, three *Dolphins hauriant* Or, born by Mr. *Peter Vandeput* of *London* Merchant.

4 Per *Cheveron* Sable and *Argent*, in chief two *Dolphins Naiant* respecting each other of the second born by *Ambrose Atfield* Dr. in *Divinity*; and *Vicar* of *St. Leonards Shorditch* in *Middlesex*.

5. Vert, two *Barbels hauriant* respecting each other *Argent*.

6. Gules, two *Pikes hauriant* endorsed Or.

7. Sable, three *Salmons hauriant* *Argent*, by the name of *Salmon*.

8. Azure, three *Trouts fretted* in *Triangle teste ala queue* *Argent*, by the name of *Trowbeck*.

9. *Argent*, a *Cheveron* Sable, between three *Crevicees* upright *Gules*, these are not to be *Blazoned hauriant* as *Fishes* that have *Fins* but upright.

10. *Argent*, a *Lobsters Claw* in *Bend finister* *Saltire* like, surmounted of another *dexter ways* *Gules*, by the name of *Tregarthick*.

11 Per *Pale* Argent and Gules an *Escallop Shell* Or, born by Sir *Humphry Wynch*, *Wynch* of *Harleford* in *Great Marlow* in *Buckinghamshire*, and of *Hamnes* in *Bedfordshire* Baronet.

12. Topaz, on an *Chief* Diamond, three *Escallop-shells* Pearl; born by the Right Honourable *Richard Grayham*, Viscount *Preston*, and Lord *Graham* of *Eske*, Embassadour for his Majesty King *Charles* the Second to the King of *France*, 1684. Lord *Preston*,

13. Azure, three *Escallops* Or, born by Sir *John Mallet* of *St. Andrews* in *West* *Quantox-head* in *Sommerfetshire* Knight. *Mallet*.

14. Gules a *Fefs dauncette* Or, between three *Escallops* Ermine, born by *Francis Dives* of *Bromham* in *Bedfordshire* Esquire, *Dive*. Son and Heir of Sir *Lewis Dive* of the said place Knight.

15. Or, two *Barrs* Azure, in *Chief*, three *Escallops* Gules, born by *Edward Clark* of *Chipley* in *Somersetshire* Esquire. *Clark*.

Sable a *Fefs* engrailed between three *Welks* Or, born by Sir *John Shelby* of *Shelby*. *Michelgrove* in *Suffex* Baronet.

Other Examples of Fishes.

- Fores.* Gules, a *Dolphin hauriant* Argent, by the name of *Fores*.
- Fitz James* Sable, a *Dolphin naiant imbowed* Argent by the name of *Fitz James*.
- Visacher.* Gules a *Dolphin naiant* Sable by the name of *Visacher*.
- Hanner,* Vert, two *Dolphins indorsed* Or, by the name of *Hanner*.
- Darburg.* Argent, three *Dolphins naiant* Sable, by the name of *Darburg*.
- Pickton.* Argent, three *Pikes in Pale* naiant Gules by the name of *Pickton*.
- Dolphingley* Vert, three *Dolphins naiant in Pale* Or, by the name of *Dolphingley*.
- Conghurst.* Azure, three *Congers hauriant* Argent, by the name of *Conghurst*.
- Ellis.* Argent, three *Eeles naiant in Pale* Barrey Sable, by the name of *Ellis*.
- Gesse.* Argent, three *Dog-fishes naiant in Pale* Sable, by the name of *Gesse*.
- Sea.* Barry wavy of six Or and Gules, three *Prawns naiant*, in the first of the second by the name of *Sea*, or *At sea*.
- Argent, a *Cheveron engrailed* Sable, between

tween three *Sea Crabs* Gules, by the name of *Bridger*.

Bridger.

Argent, an *Escallop* Gules, by the name of *Prelate*.

Prelate.

Azure, an *Escallop* Or, by the name of *Bayton*.

Bayton.

Gules, three *Escallops* Or, by the name of *Pale*.

Pale.

Argent, three *Escallops* Gules by the name of *Barnaby*.

Barnaby.

Argent, three *Escallops* Sable by the name of *Strickland*.

Strickland.

Sable, three *Escallops* Or, *Walcot*.

Walcot.

Azure, three *Escallops* Or, by the name of *Hartfield*.

Hartfield.

Gules, three *Escallops* Or, by the name of *Palmer*.

Palmer.

Or, three *Escallops* Gules, by the name of *Harbottle*.

Harbottle.

Azure five *Escallops* 2, 2, 1 Argent, by the name of *Rowton*.

Rowton.

Azure five *Escallops* 2, 2, 1, Or, by the name of *Shorevile*.

Shorevile.

Azure five *Escallops* 2, 1, 2 Or, by the name of *Ratesden*.

Ratesden.

Azure five *Escallops* 1, 3, 1 Or, by the name of *Barker*.

Barker.

Gules, six *Escallops* 3, 2, 1 Argent, by the name of *Scales*.

Scales.

Escot.

Sable six *Escallops* 3, 2, 1 Argent, by
the name of *Escot*.

C H A P. VII.

Treats of Monstrous Animals such as are exorbitant from the general course of Nature either for qualities or essence, and of these there are divers sorts, as Amphibia, that is such as live sometimes as if they were Water Creatures, and other times as if Lind Creatures. And those of a more Prodigious Shape, being formed, or rather deformed with the confused Shapes of Creatures of different kinds and qualities, and such are Monsters which St. Augustin saith can't be reckoned amongst the good Creatures that God created before the fall of Adam.

Ex.





Monstruous. Creatures:

Examples of

Monstruous CREATURES.

1. ARGENT, a *Beaver* erected
Sable, devouring a Fish, pro-
per.

The *Beaver* hath his Tail only *Fish*, which he keeps for the most part in the Water, his hinder Leggs are like a Swan, and his foremost like a Dogg; so he swims with the one, whilst he preyeth with the other.

2. Argent a *Fess* between three *Otters* Sable, born by *Symon Lutterel* of *Lutterel* Lutterel. in the County of *Dublin* in *Ireland* Esquire. It is reported that in *China* they train up *Otters* as we do *Spaniels* which go into the Water and bring forth Fish at the command of their Masters, which custome hath been practised of late years by some in *England*.

3. Azure, a *Musimon* Argent.

This is a *Bigenerous* Beast of an unkindly procreation being engendred between a *Goat* and a *Ram*; like as *Tyterus* is between an *Ewe* and a *BuckGoat*.

4. Gules, a *Leopard passant* gardant, Or, spotted Sable.

The Shape of the *Leopard* denoteth his unkindly Birth, and to be degenerate from the *Lyon*, but more agreeable to the *Pardus* in his shape and spots; nor hath he the noble Courage of the *Lyon*, to whom he is a mortal Enemy, and oft times by his subtle, treacherous policy doth get him into a Snare.

5. Argent, on a Cross Sable a *Leopards* face Or, born by *George Rodeney Bridges* of *Keynsham* in *Somersetshire*, Esquire. One of the Grooms of the Bedchamber to his Majesty King *Charles* the Second.

6. Diamond, a *Cheveron* between three *Leopards heads* or *Faces* Topaz by the name of *Wentworth*.

Wentworth. This with a Garter is born by the Right Honourable *William* Earl of *Strafford*, Viscount *Wentworth*, Baron of *Wentworth Woodhouse*, *Newmarch*, *Oversley* and *Rabby*, Knight of the *Garter*, &c.

Earl of
Strafford.

This Coat with a due difference is born
by

by Sir *William Wentworth* of *Wakfield* Kt.
 By *Jo. Wentworth* of *North Empsal* Knight.
 By *Jo. Wentworth* of *Wolley* Esquire, and
 by *John Wentworth* of *Elmshe* Esquire, all
 of the *West Riding of Yorkshire*.

Pearl, a *Cheveron* Ruby between three
Leopards Faces Diamond, born by the
 Right Honourable *Francis* Viscount
Newport of *Bradford*, Baron *Newport*
 of *High Erall*, Lord Lieutenant of Lord Vis-
Shropshire, Treasurer of his Majesties count
 Household, and one of the Lords of his *Newport*.
 Majesties most Honourable Privy Coun-
 sel, &c.

Or, a *Cheveron* between three *Leo-
 pards faces* Sable, born by Sir *Charles
 Wheeler* of *Burbury* in *Warwickshire* *wbeeler*.
 Baronet, antiently of *Martin Hustingstre*
 in *Worcestershire*.

Vert, a *Cheveron* between three *Leo-
 pards faces* Or, born by Sir *Thomas Fitch* *stich*.
 of *Eltham*, and *Mount Mascall* in Kent
 Knight.

Sable, a *Cheveron* between three *Leo-
 pards faces* Argent, born by Mr. *Thomas
 Hawes* of *London* Merchant. *Hawes*.

7. Argent on a *Bend engrailed* Gules,
 three *Leopards faces* Or, born by *Nicho-
 as Barbon* of *London* M. D. and one *Barbon*.

of the Colledge of *Physitians* of *London*.

Feltham. 8. Sable, two Barrs Ermin, in Chief three *Leopards faces* Or, born by *Owen Feltham* of *Grais Inn* in *Middlesex* Esquire.

Werden. 9. Gules on a *Bend* Argent, three *Leopards faces* of the field, born by *Colonel Robert Werden* of *Chester*, *Comptroller* to the Household of his *Royal Highness* *James Duke of York*, and first *Lieutenant* and *Major* of his *Guards*.

Mingay. Or, on a *Bend* Azure, three *Leopards faces* Argent, born by *J^o. Mingay* of *Ginninkam* in *Norfolk* Esquire.

Slingsby. 10. Gules a *Cheveron* between two *Leopards faces* in Chief, a *Bugle horn* in Base Argent, born by *Sir Thomas Slingsby* of *Skriven* in the *West Riding* of *Yorkshire* Baronet.

Morley. 11. Sable a *Leopards head* Argent, *Jessant* a *Flower delis* Or, born by *Sir William Morley* of *Halnaker* in *Sussex* Knight of the Bath.

12. Argent a *Cheveron* between three *Seals feet* erected, and crazed Sable, These Arms belongs to the *Town* of *Yarmouth* in *Norfolk*.



Monstrucous Creatures.

The *Milk* of the *Seal* is said to be very good against the falling Sick-ness.

Other Examples of

Monstruous CREATURES.

1. **A** Zure, a *Griffon passant*, and a *Chief Or*, born by *George Evelyn* of *Godstone*, and *Ditton* in *Surrey* Esquire, And by *John Evelyn* of *Sayes Court* near *Deptford* in *Kent* Esquire. *Evelyn.*

2. *Ermine*, a *Griffon Segreant*, or *Rampant Saphir*, born by the *Right Honorable Francis Lord Aungier*, *Earl*, *Vicount*, and *Baron of Longford* in *Ireland*, and one of the *Lords* of his *Mjesties* most *Honourable Privy Council* for that *Kingdom*, &c.

Sable, a *Griffon Segreant Or Rampant Argent*, born by *Edward Griffin* of *Dingley* in *Northamptonshire* Esquire, *Treasurer*

of the Chamber to his Majesty King Charles the Second, and Lieutenant Colonel of his Majesties own Troop of Horse-Guards.

Read.
Corfellis. Azure, a Griffon Segreant Or, by the name of *Read*. This Coat is also born by Mr. *James Corfellis* of London Merchant.

Meyerell. Owen Meyerell Doctor of Physick. Argent, a Griffon Segreant Or, born by

Coling. Azure, a Griffon Segreant Sable, born by *Richard Coling* of *Coveley* in *Shropshire* Esquire, principal Secretary to the Earl of *Arlington*, Lord Chamberlain of his Majesties household.

Hawkins. 3. Or, on a Cheveron between three Cinquefoils Azure, as many Escallops Argent, on a cheif Gules, a Griffon Passant of the Third, born by *Richard Hawkins* of *Marsham* in *Berkshire* Esquire.

Williams. 4. Argent, a Dragons head crazed Vert, holding in his mouth a sinister hand couped at the wrist Gules, born by Sir *John Williams* of *Mustow* house in *Fulham* in *Middlesex* Knight, Son and Heir of Sir *Thomas Williams* of *Eltham* Court in *Kent* Knight and Baronet.

Dashwood. 5. Argent, on a Fess between a double Cattize Gules, three Griffons heads e-razed Or, born by Sir *Robert Dashwood* of *Norbrook*, and *Wickham* in *Oxfordshire* Knight, 6. Sable

6. Sable, a *Cheveron* between three *Griffons* heads erased Argent, born by Sir *John Cotton* of *Lanwade* of *Cambridgeshire* *Cotton*.
Baronet.

7. Argent, a *Wivern* his *Wings* displayed, and *Tail* nowed Gules, by the name of *Drakes*. *Drakes.*

Like as the *Griffin* doth partake of a *Fowl*, to wit an *Eagle* in the fore-part and a *Lion* in the hinder, so doth the *Wivern* in the fore-part the *Wings* and *Legs* of a *Fowl*, and of an *Adder*, *Snake*, or *Serpent* in the *Tail*.

8. Sable, a *Cockatrice* displayed Argent, *Crested*, *Memored*, and *Foloped* Gules.

The *Cockatrice* is of that pestiferous, and poysonous quality that he is termed the King of *Serpents*.

9. Azure, a *Harpey* with her *Wings* disclosed, and her *Hair* flotant Or, This Coat stands in the Church at *Huntington*.

10. Argent, a *Mearemaid* Gules, crined Or, holding in her right hand a *Mirror*, and in her left a *Comb*, by the name of *Ellis*. *Ellis.*

11. Or, a *Dragon* Passant Vert.

12. Argent, a *Reremouse* or *Bat* displayed

Bakster.

played Sable, by the name of *Bakster*.

The *Reremouse* doth pertake both with the *Beast* and *Bird*, so that it can't be well said to which it doth belong; for by her *Wings* and *Flying* she should be a *Bird*, and by her body a kind of a *Mouse*. She bringeth forth her young, and suckleth them with her *Paps* which *Birds* do not.

Under this head cometh *Montegres*, *Satyres*, *Monk-fishes*, as also *Lion-dragons*, *Lions-poisons*, and all other double shaped *Animals*.

CHAP.

CHAP. VIII.

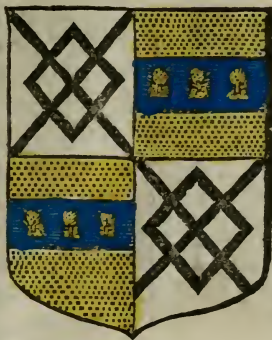
Having in these foregoing Chapters treated of the who'e Body of Heraldry, with Rules and Examples sufficient to blazon any Coat Armour ; my next business shall be to lay down some few Rules for the Marshalling and Impaling of Coats in one Shield.

BY *Marshalling of Coats* is to be understood an orderly disposing of sundry Coat Armours ^{Marshalling of} Coats. pertaining to distinct Families, and of their contingent Ornaments with their *Parts* and *Appurtenances* in their proper places. And of these some have their place within the *Escudocheon*, and some without : of those within some have their occasions obscure, and others manifest, as are those whose *Marshalling* (according

ing to ancient and prescript forms) do apparently betoken *Marriage*, or some gift of the *Sovereign*. Such as betoken *Marriage* do represent either a *Match* single, or *Hereditary*: By a single *Match*, is meant the conjoyning the *Coat Armour* of the *Man* with the *Woman* which is *Impaled* on the sinister side of the Mans; but if she be an *Heirefs* then her *Coat* is to be born in an *Escoccheon* of *Pretence* in the midst of his *Shield*, and over the *Charge*, if there charged.

It is also accustomary for *Bishops* to *Impale* on the dexter side of their *Coats*, the *Coat* belonging to their *Episcopal See*.

And if a *Man* hath had more than one *Wife*, the way of Bearing them is to *Impale* them betwixt his own, which is to be in the middle part of the *Shield*, *Examples* of all which shall be given for the *Readers* better instructions therein.



He Beareth,
two Coats quar-
terly both by
the name of *Vernon*, *Vernon*.
1. Argent,
a Fess Sable,
2dly. Or on a
Fess Azure,
three Garbs Or,
the 3d. as the
2d. the 4th. as
first. These Coats

thus Marshall'd are born by *George Ver-*
non of *Sudbury* in *Derbyshire*, and of *Ha-*
slington in *Cheshire* Esquire, descended of
the *Vernons* who were anciently *Barons* of
Shibbrook in the said County of *Chester*.

After this manner are a greater num-
ber of *Quarterings* born, as will appear by
the Examples given in the Second Part.

He



Clayton.

He Beareth
 Per Pale *Baron*
 and *Femme*, the
 first *Argent*, a
Cross Sable, by
 the name of
Clayton, the se-
 cond *Paly* of
 six *Or*, and
Gules, on a *Can-*
ton Argent, a
Bear rampant

Sable, by the name of *Trot*.

These *Coats* are thus born by Sir *Robert Clayton* of *Marden* in *Surry*, and of the *City of London* Knight and *Alderman*, Lord *Mayor* thereof *Anno 1680*, who is now Married to *Martha* Eldest *Daughter* of *Perient Trot* of *London* Merchant:

He



He Beareth
 Baron, Impaled
 between his
 two *Wives*, first
 in the midst
 Ruby a Bezant
 between three
 Demy Lions
 Rampant Pearl
 by the name of
Bennet.

Lord Of-
westre.

2dly. On the

dexter side Topaz on a *Pallet* Saphir, three
Flower de lis of the Field, being the Coat
 of *Elizabeth* Countess of *Mulgrave*, and
 Daughter to the Earl of *Middlesex* first
 Wife to the bearer hereof.

3dly. On the sinister side Topaz, a *Fess*
 between three *Wolves heads* couped Dia-
 mond, born by *Bridget How* of the Fami-
 ly of Sir *Grubham How* present Wife to
 the bearer hereof the Right Honourable
 Sir *John Bennet* Knight of the Bath, and
 Baron *Bennet* of *Oswestre* in *Middlesex*.

He



He Beareth
 Azure, a *Wheat*
Sheaf Or *Garb*
 Or, by the
 name of *Gros-*
venor, in an *Es-*
cocheon of *Pre-*
tence the *Arms*
 of *Davies* viz.
 Or a *Cheveron*
 between three
 Mulletts pier-

ced *Sable*; this with the *Arms* of *Ulster*
 is the *Bearing* of *Sir Thomas Grosvenor* of
Eaton in *Cheshire* *Baronet*, now *Married*
 to *Mary* sole *Daughter* and *Heir* to *A-*
lexander Davies of the *Mill-Bank* in the
Parish of *Saint Margarets Westminster* in
Middlesex *Esquire*.

He



He Beareth quarterly, first Argent, a *Lion rampant* Gules between three *Pheons* Sable, by the name of *Egerton*.

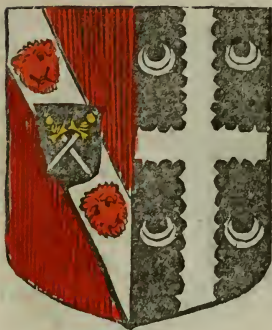
Egerton:

2. Barry of six Argent, and Azure, in Chief three *Torteauxes*,

a *File Ermine*, by the name of *Grey*.

3. Sable, on a *Bend* between two *Cottizes* Argent, a *Rose* Gules between two *Amulets* of the Field, by the name of *Conway*. the 4th. as the first on an *Escoccheon* of *Pretence*, Gules, two *Helmets* in chief Argent, and a *Wheat Sheaf* in base Or, by the name of *Cholmeley*. These Coats are thus born by *John Egerton* of *Broxton* in *Cheshire* Esquire, eldest Son of *Sir Philip Egerton* of *Egerton*, and *Onton* in the said County Knight, which *John* is now Married to the Daughter and Co-heir of *Tho. Cholmeley* or *Cholmondley* O' *Vale Royal* in *Cheshi e* Esquire.

Werden.



He Beareth
 Gules, on a
 Bend Argent,
 three Leopards
 heads, Or, faces
 of the Field by
 the name of
 Werden, Im-
 paled with Sa-
 ble, a Cross en-
 grailed between
 four Crescents

Argent, in right of *Jane* Daughter of
Edward Barnham of *Cockhall* in *Kent* Esq;
 first Wife to the bearer hereof ; and in an
Esccheon of Pretence Sable, two Swords
 Saltierwise with their points down-
 wards Argent, Pomeled and Hilted Or,
 by the name of *Towse*, in right of *Margaret*
 Daughter and Heir of *William*
Towse of *Basingborn-hall* in *Essex* Esquire,
 present Wife to the bearer hereof
 Colonel *Robert Werden* of *Chester*, *Comp-*
troller of the house of his Royal High-
 ness *James Duke of York*, and first *Lein-*
tenant, and *Major* of his *Guards*.

This Example sheweth how a *Man*
 should Bear the *Arms* of his *Wives* the
 one

one being an *Heirefs*, and the other not. The other *Examples* shew how the *Coats* of the *Wives* are to be born.

Having given examples of the *Marshalling* of *Quarterings*, *Impalings*, and *Escocheons* of *Pretence* for *Wives*. In the next place I shall treat of *Augmentations* of honour bestowed on the *Bearer* by his *Sovereign* for *Favour* or *Merit*, and of these some are *Impaled* with their *Paternal Coats*, and others born only on a *Canton*, *Quarter*, or *Chief*.



The Lady *Jane Seymour*, afterwards Wife *Seymour*. to King *Henry* the 8th. Mother to the most noble Prince *Edward* the Sixth, received as an Augmentation of honour to her

Family by the gift of her said Husband these *Arms* born on the dexter side of of the *Escocheon*, viz *Sol*, on a *Pile Mars*, between six *Flower de lis*, *Jupiter*, three

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Lions

Lions Passant Gardant of the first, *Impaled* with her Paternal Coat, viz. *Mars* two *Wings Pale ways* inverted, Or two *Wings in Lure Sol*. This Coat is now born by the Right Noble *Charles Seymour*, Duke of *Somerset*, Marquess and Earl of *Hertford*, Viscount *Beauchamp*, Baron *Seymour*, and Knight of the most noble Order of the Garter.



Ruby, on a *Bend* between six *Crosses Crosslets Fitchee Pearl*, an *Escobcheon Topaz*, thereon a *Denny Lion* peirced through the mouth with an *Arrow*, within a double *Trea-*

sure counter-floured of the first: and is the Paternal Coat of the Right Noble and ancient Family of the *Howards*, which now flourisheth in the persons of his Grace *Henry Duke of Norfolk*, Earl of *Arundel*, *Surrey*, *Norfolk*, and *Norwich*, Baron *Howard*, *Fitz-Allen*, *Matravers*,

Maw-

Duke of
Norfolk.

*Mawbrey, Segrave, Bruce, Clun, Oswald-
stre, and Castle Rising, Earl Marshal of
England, Constable of Windsor Castle, &c.*

The Right Honourable *James* Earl of *Earl of
Suffolk* Baron *Howard* of *Walden*. *Suffolk.*

The Right Honourable *Thomas* Earl of *Earl of
Berkshire*, Viscount *Andover*, and Baron *Berkshire.*
Howard of *Charlton*.

The Right Honourable *Charles* Earl of *Earl of
Carlisle*, Viscount *Howard* of *Morpeth*, *Carlisle.*
Baron *Dacres* of *Gisland*, Lord Lieutenant
of the Counties of *Cumberland* and
Westmoreland, Vice-Admiral of the Coasts
of *Northumberland*, *Cumberland*, *Westmore-
land*, *Durham*, and Maritime parts adjacent.

The Right Honourable *William* Ho-
ward Viscount and Baron *Stafford*, An- *Lord Staf-
ford.*
no 1680.

The Right Honourable *William* Lord *Lord Ho-
Howard*, Baron of *Escrick*. *ward.*

The Honourable *Charles* *Howard* of *Charles
Grastock* in *Cumberland* Esquire, brother to *Howard*
his Grace *Henry* late Duke of *Norfolk*. *Esq;*

The Honourable Sir *Robert* *Howard* of *Sir Robert
Vastern* in *Wiltshire* Knight, Brother to the *Howard.*
Right Honourable *Thomas* Earl of *Berk-
shire*.

And the Honourable Sir *Philip* *Howard* *Sir Phillip
Knight*, Captain of the *Queens Troop* of *Howard.*
his

his *Majesties Guards*, and Brother to the Right Honourable *Charles Earl of Carlisle*. And from these and their *Ancestors* Loins, have issued forth divers worthy Gentlemen as Stems to support the Dignity of the said Family.

The said *Augmentation* on the *Bend* was Granted unto the Right noble *Thomas Duke of Norfolk*, and his descendants by King *Henry* the eighth, for his signal Service as General of the Army which gave that remarkable overthrow at *Floding* to King *James* the fourth of *Scotland*; which said *Duke* was by King *Henry* the *Seventh* created Knight of the *Garter*, and made Lord *High Treasurer of England*.

To all the Arms of all *Baronets* King *James* granted according to the first Institution of that degree as an Augmentation of honour to them and their descendants the Arms of *Ulster*, viz. a sinister *Hand* couped at the *Wrists* *Gules*, to be born in a *Canton* or *Escocheon* *Argent*, which said *Augmentation* is placed in the most convenientest place of the *Shield*.



The *Field* is
 Topaz , two
 Bars Saphir, a
 cheif quarterly
 Jupiter and
 Mars on the
 first two *Flower
 de lis Sol* , on
 the second a
*Lion Passant
 Gardant* of the
 last ; the third

as the second, the fourth as the first.
 This Coat belongs to the Right Honour-
 able *John Mannors*, Earl of *Rutland*, Ba-
 ron *Ross of Hamlake*, *Trusbut*, and *Belvoyr*,
 which was given in *Augmentation* to this
 Family, being descended of the Blood
 Royal from King *Edward the Fourth*.

Earl of
 Rutland,

CHAP. IX.

In the former Chapters have been treated of such things in Coat Armour as are within the Shield or Escoccheon; I shall now treat of those external Ornaments without the Escoccheon, viz. Helms, Torces, or Wreaths, Caps, Crowns, Crests, Mantlings, and Escroles: and to Noble Men Supporters; of all which in order.

Helmet.

THE *Helmet* is placed next above the *Escoccheon* or *Shield* to all under the degree of a *Noble Man*, And to the Nobility there is a *Crown*, and the *Helmet* issuing out of the said *Crown*.

The *Helmet* doth distinguish the dignity of the *Bearer*, for to a *Gentleman* and

an

an *Esquire* the *Helmet* is placed sideways with the *Bever* close.

To a *Knight*, or *Baronet* (which is all *Knights* one) the *Helmet* is placed foreright with *Helmet*. the *Bever* open. The full faced *Helmet* doth signify direction and command, the close attention and obedience.

The open *Helmet* placed sideways with *Bars* doth belong to all *Nobles* under the *Degree* of his Majesty, and Sovereign *Dukes*, or those of the *Blood Royal*.

To *Kings*, *Sovereign Princes* and *Dukes* *King's Ha-* of the *Royal Blood* the *Helmet* is placed *met.* foreright with open *Bars*; all which will appear in the second Part of this *Book* in the *Chapters* relating to that *Degree* they are of; as will the *Crowns* or *Coronets* by which each *Degree* of the *Nobility* are distinguished.

Coronets.

The *Barons Coronet* is with six *Pearls* of *Barons* an equal height, and distance one from *Coronet.* the other.

The *Viscounts Coronet* is composed only *Viscounts* of *Pearls* close set together and of an e-*Coronet.* qual height without *Flowers* or *Points*.

An

Earls Co-
ronet.

An *Earls Coronet* is composed of *Points* and *Flowers*, but the *Points* are *Spiry* with *Pearls* on the top above the *Flowers*.

Marquess.
Coronet.

The *Coronet* of a *Marquis* is of *Leaves*, and *Points*, with the *Leaves* and *Flowers* above the *Points*.

Dukes Co-
ronet.

The *Coronet* of a *Duke* is only *Floral*.

Princes
Coronet.

The *Coronet* of a *Prince* is the same with the *Crown* of a *King*, only the *Arches*, *Mound*, and *Cross* are wanting.

The *Crown* of a *King* is as a *Dukes*, but with *Arches*, *Mound*, and *Cross*.

To a *Bishop* instead of a *Coronet* doth belong a *Miter*.

Torce or
Wreath.

Next above the *Helmet* is the *Wreath* or *Torce* which is of the principal *Metal* and *Colour* in the *Bearer's Paternal Coat*, this the *Crest* stands upon: besides which it oft times stands upon a *Mount*, *Hill*, *Chapeau*, Or *Coronet*.

Crests.

Crests are various each *Family* having one appropriate to themselves. About the *Shield* reaching from the top of the *Helmet* to the bottom of the *Shield* is the *Mantle* which is to cover or wrap about the same. And these *Mantlings* are of a different shape, and composure, and at the will of the *Bearer* to be altered at pleasure, those commonly made use of

Mantle.

are

are the *Cloak Mantles* (antiently used) and the *Folding Mantles*.

On each side of the *Shield* are placed *Supporters*.
Supporters for *Noble Men*.

The *Escrole* is at the bottom of the *Shield* in which is placed the *Motto* Or *Device* of the *Bearer* which is according to his *Fancy*, and may be altered at pleasure, but most commonly it alludes to the *Coat, Crest, Name, or Imploy*. And on the *Escrole* stands the *Supporters*.

The End of the First Part.

HONOUR CIVIL

ACCORDING TO THE
LAWS of ENGLAND.

With *Examples* of the *Atchive-ments* of each *Degree* of Honour:
And for the better explanation thereof one *Example* of each *Degree* is *Blazoned*: Which method is to be observed to all others.

The Second Part.

CHAP. X.

As in Mans Body for the preservation of the whole, divers Functions and Offices of Members are required, even so in all

*all well governed Kingdomes a distinction of persons is necessary, and the policy of England is such to have made a threefold division of persons, first the King, under which name a Sovereign Queen is comprised, Secondly the Nobles, viz. the Prince, Dukes, Mar-
Degrees of Honour.
 quesses, Earls, Viscounts, and Lords
 Spiritual and Temporal, and Thirdly the Commons which comprehends Barons, Knights, Esquires, and Gentlemen, &c.*

Our *Laws* contrary to other *Countries* calls Noble under the degree of a *Lord*, and the *Nobility* are *Peers* of the Realm, and do sit together in the *Kings* great *Council* of Parliament with his Majesty, and the word *Nobility* or *Noble* signifies to express men of generosity of *blood* and *degree*, as also the Reward of *Vertue*, but a word or two of each *Degree* in particular, and first of the *King* the *Fountain* from whom all *Rivulets* and swelling *Streams* of *Honour* spring
Of the King or Monarch of Great Britain.

Monarchy is as ancient as *Man*, *Adam* being created *Sovereign Lord* of the *Universe*, whose *Office* was to govern the *World*, and all *Creatures* therein, his *Posterity*

sterity divided into *Tribes*, and *Generations* acknowledged no other dominion then Paternity and Eldership, till men and vice multiplying, pride and violence adumbrated filial Piety, and obedience, the powerful oppressing the feble; which necessitated the introduction of a Politick Government, and put an end to the good old Age; the most valiant Stems, or Nations electing to themselves *Kings* to command them in peace, and to lead them forth to battle, which the *Greeks* call *Monarches*; others became governed under a select number of Magistrates which is called *Aristocracy*, and others were so unfortunate as to fall under the yoke of *Democracy*.

The Island of *Great Britain* ab Origin owned a Regal Power as *Cæsars Commentaries*, and all our *Chronicles* sets forth.

The *Brittains* were at first divided into many Kingdoms which afterwards were contracted into two *Monarchies*, viz. the *English* and the *Scots*, and in the end united into one, and the ancient name of *Great Britain* restored in King *James* as the right Heir and Descendant of the *Brittish*, *Saxon*, *Danish*, *Norman*, and *Scottish Kings*, from whom it descended to our immediate Sovereign King
Charles

Charles the Second, in whose Veins all those Sovereign Streams of Royal Blood are conjoined to Unite those jarring Nations into one Body under a Head unto which each one may justly claim an interest.

The King is Gods *Vice-Gerent*, and ought to be obeyed; if good he is a blessing, if bad a judgment, against whom we are to use no other Weapons but *Prayers* and *Tears* for his amendment, he is stiled *Pater Patriæ* and because the protection of his Subjects belongs to his care, the *Militia* is annexed to his Crown that the *Sword* and *Scepter* may be both in his hand.

It is the manner for Kings to Write in the Plural number, which is Gods own stile, *Mandamus, Volumus, &c.* And the Scripture calls them *Gods*, in which sense they may be stiled *Divi*, or *Dij, quia Vicarij, & Dei voce indicat*: And our *Lawyers* say, *Rex est persona mixta cum sacerdote*, which denotes his Power in *Causes Ecclesiastical*.

The *Ceremonies* at the Coronation are many, and more solemn with us, then in many other Countries, as the anointing with *Oyl*, an *Imperial Crown* set on his head
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(which is always done by the *Arch-Bishop* of *Canterbury*, as a Prerogative belonging to that *See*) A *Scepter* the ancient Ensign of Regality is put into his hand to signify Justice, a *Ring* is put on his Finger to denote Faithfulness; a *Sword* for Vengeance, and a *Mound* that is a *Globe* Crested with a *Cross* put in his right hand, the *Globe* denoting his Dominions by *Sea* and *Land*, and the *Cross* his Faith.

The Kings
Office.

The Office of the King of *England* according to *Foreſcue* is to fight the Battles of his People, and to do them Right and Justice. To enable him to perform this weighty office certain *Powers* and *Priviledges* are allowed him by the Law of the Land, amongst which he hath the power of the *Militia* both by *Land* and *Sea*, of making Peace and War, he hath all strong holds as *Castles*, *Forts* and the like; he hath the power of *calling*, *adjourning*, *pro-roguing*, and *dissolving* *Parliaments* at pleasure; also the encreasing the number of the Members of both *Houses* by creating new *Peers*, or bestowing new Priviledges to *Boroughs*, to elect and send *Burgesses* by his *Writ* to *Parliament*.

The *Bills* that pass both Houses receive the name of *Laws* from his breath, and
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are annihilated if he lays them by without giving a reason for it. He hath the sole nomination of all *Commanders* and *Offices* both *Military*, *Civil*, and *Ecclesiastical*, the power of conferring Honours, dispensing with *Penal Statutes*, the pardoning of *Criminals* the Coyning of *Money*, the erecting and making *Cities*, *Universities*, *Colledges*, *Hospitals*, *Fairs*, *Markets*, *Forsts*, *Chfcs*, &c. The Enfranchising of *Aliens*, the granting of *Letters of Mart*: he hath the regulation of *Weights*, and *Measures*; and the setting of prizes on *Provisions* within the *Verge* of his *Court*, which is twelve Miles round, which said office is executed by his *Clerk* of the *Markets* for the said *Verge*; he hath also the power to take *Carts*, *Wagons*, or *Boats* for the carrying his *Goods* from one *Palace* to another paying the *Rates* allowed by the *Statute*.

And for declaring his Royal pleasure he issueth forth his *Proclamations* which ought to be strictly obeyed by all his *Subjects*.

Debts due to the King are first to be satisfied, and all *Receivers* of his *Money* and *Revenues*, their *Persons*, *Lands*, *Goods*, *Heirs*, *Executors* &c. are at all times

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chargeable for the same, for *Nullum tempus occurrit Regi*.

In doubtful cases no Statute restrains the King unless he be especially named therein, no *Estoppel* can bind him, no *Judgment* final in a *Writ* of Right *Judgments* entred against him are with *Salvo jure domini Regis*.

The King hath the Custody of all *Idiots* and *Lunaticks*; to him belongs all Estates for want of Heirs, by *Forfeitures*, *Escheats*, &c.

All *Treasure*, *Trove*, all *Waifs*, *Estrais*, *Wrecks*, at Sea and the like not granted from the Crown belongs to him, the like doth all waste *Lands*, *Gold*, and *Silver Mines*, the Royalties of *Hawking*, *Hunting*, *Fishing*, and *Fowling*.

In the Church his *Prerogative Power* is very great, he can call *National Synods* for the making of *Canons* for the introducing of Ceremonies into the Church to reform *Heresies*, *Schism* and the like.

He hath the Patronage of all *Bishopricks* and the making of all *Bishops*.

These with many other are the *Prerogatives* that belongs to the Crown of *England*.





The ATCHIEVEMENT of the KING.

THe *Royal Atchievement*; or *Armorial Ensign of Honour* belonging to His Majesty is as followeth, Quarterly quartered first *Jupiter* three *Flowers de lis Sol*; quartered with *Mars* three *Lions passant Gardant* in pale *Sol*. 2dly, *Sol* within a double *Tressure* counter flowred a *Lion Rampant Mars*. 3dly, *Jupiter* an *Irish harp Sol*, stringed *Luna*, the fourth and last quarter in all points as the first, all within the *Royal Garter*, on a *Helmet* adorned with an *Imperial Crown*, a *Lion passant Gardant* crowned *Sol*, mantled with *Cloth of Gold*, lined *Ermine*, supported on the dexter side with a *Lion Gardant* crowned *Sol* and on the sinister with an *Unicorn Luna* thereto a *Chain* reflexed over his back, and a *Sol* and in a *Compartment* below his *Motto* DIEU ET MON DROIT.

Of the PRINCE.

THe Kings eldest Son (who is Heir apparent from the day of his Birth) is entituled Prince, from the Latin word *quasi principalis post Regem*.

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Prince of
Wales.

The first that is read of in *England* was *Edward* eldest Son to King *Henry* the Third, since which time the eldest Son of the King hath been by Patent, and other Ceremonies Created *Prince of Wales*, Earl of *Chester*, and *Flint*, &c.

King *Edward* the Third added the Dukedome of *Cornwal* with the said Principality, and made the Black Prince his Son Prince of *Aquitane*, and since the Union of *Scotland* his Title hath been *Princeps Mag. Britannia*, but ordinarily Prince of *Wales*. As eldest Son to the King of *Scotland* he is Duke of *Rothsay*, and *Seneschal* of *Scotland* from his birth, and so long as *Normandy* remained in the Kings possession he was stiled Duke of *Province*.

At his Creation he is presented before the King in *Princely Robes*, who puts a Co-

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ronet on his head, a *Ring* on his middle *Finger*, and a *Verge* of Gold into his hand, as also his *Letters Patents* after they are read.

The *Mantle* that he wears in *Parliament* is once more doubled upon the *Shoulder* then a *Dukes*, his *Cap* of State indented, his *Coronet* formerly of *Crosses* and *Flower de lis*, but hath now an *Arch* added, with a *Ball* and *Cross* in the midst on the *Summit*, by order of his present Majesty King *Charles* the Second. And the *Coronet* with *Crosses* and *Flower de lis* was then allowed to his *Royal Highness James* Duke of *York*; and all immediate *Sons* and *Brothers* of the *Kings* of *England*, but their *Sons* although they hold the *Titles* of *Dukes* are to use the *Coronet* of *Leaves* only as other *Dukes* do.

The *Prince* is a distinct Person from the *King*, he is a *Subject*, and holds his *Principalities* of the *King*, and is subject to the *Law*, in token of which subjection he useth this *Posie* *ICH DIEU* an old *Saxon* word which signifies *I Serve*, which is placed about a *Flower de lis*.

DUKES.

A Duke is called *Dux* a *ducendo* from being a *General* or *Leader* of an *Army*, but of late days this dignity is given by the King to men of *Blood* and *Merit* by *Patent*. And the first English *Duke* was *Edward* the *Black Prince* who was created *Duke of Cornwall* by his Father *Edward* the *Third*.

Chapron.

Their *Chapron*, or head attire is of *Scarlet* doubled *Ermine*; their *Coronet* made of *Strawberry Leaves*, his *Mantle* guarded with four *Guards*, he holds a *Verge* of *Gold* in his hand, and at his *Creation* hath his *Sword* put over his *Shoulders*, or guided to him which *Viscounts*, and *Barons* have not.

Dukes Priviledges.

He may in all places out of the *Kings* or *Princes* presence erect his *Cloth of Estate* hanging down within half a yard of the *Ground*; his *Dutcheſs* may have her *Train* born up by a *Baroneſs*, and no *Earl* without his permission is to wash with him.

By *Curteſie* all *Dukes* eldest *Sons* are styled





Atchivement of his Grace Chris-
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stiled; *Marquesses*, and the younger *Lords*, and take place of *Viscounts*; he hath that Title of *Grace*, and is stiled most potent, and noble *Prince*.

Dukes of the *Blood Royal* are stiled, most High, Mighty, and Illustrious *Princes*.

The *Kings* younger Sons are stiled *Princes*, by Birth, but have their Titles of *Dukes*, *Marquesses*, &c. from Creation.

The *Daughters* are stiled *Princesses*, and the Title of *Royal Highness* is due to them all both *Sons* and *Daughters*.

I shall give you for example of the Bearing of a *Duke* the *Atchievement* of his Grace *Christopher Duke of Albemarle*.

The Right Noble *Christopher Duke of Albemarle*, Earl of *Torrington*, Baron *Monk of Potberidge*, *Beauchamp*, and *Teys Knight* of the most noble Order of the *Garter*, Lord Lieutenant of *Essex* and *Devonshire*, Captain of his *Majesties Life Guards* and *Guards of Horse*, one of the *Gentlemen* of his *Bed-chamber*, and one of the *Lords* of his most Honorable *Privy Council*, &c. Beareth within a *Garter*, Ruby a *Coveron* between three *Lions heads* erazed Pearl, Ensigned with a *Coronet*, and *Helmet* be-

sitting his Graces quality, thereon on a Cheapeau Ruby, lined *Ermine* a *Cat-a-Mountain* passant per Pale *Diamond* and *Pearl* between two *Palm* branches proper; mantled Ruby, double *Ermine*; supported on the dexter side by a *Lion*, and on the sinister by a *Griffon* both *Pearl*, and holding on their *Shoulders* a *Palm Branch* proper; and for his *Motto* in a *Scrole*
**FORTIER : FIDELITER
 FOELICITER.**

MARQUISSES.

A *Marquis* according to the *Saxon* word *Markenreue* signifies a Governour of the *Marches*; he hath the next place of Honour to a *Duke*; he is Created by girding on a *Sword*, by putting on his *Head* a *Chaplet* of *Gold*, and delivering into his hand a *Patent* under the great Seal for the said *Dignity*, his *Coronet* is partly *Flowred*, and partly *Pyramidal*, his *Mantle* and *Cheapeau* is *Crimson* or *Scarlet*, doubled *Ermine*, with three *guards* and a half on the *Shoulders*; his *Title* is most Noble and Honourable *Prince*. In the





Atchivement of the most Hon.^{ble}
George Marquess of Halifax &c.^a

the absence of the *King*, or a *Duke* he may have his *Clothof Estate* reaching within a yard of the *Ground*; and his *Marquiness* may have her *Train* born by a *Knights Lady* in her own *House*, but not in the presence of a *Dutcheff*. His eldest *Son* hath the *Title* of *Earl*, and his younger *Sons* are *Lords*. Also his eldest *Daughter* is a *Countess*, and his younger *Ladies* by *curtesie*.

For the example of the *Bearing* of a *Marquiss*, I shall incert that of the most *Honourable George Savil*, *Baron of Eland*, *Vicount*, *Earl and Marquiss of Hallifax*, *Marquiss Lord Privy Seal*, and one of the *Lords of his Majesties most Honourable Privy Council*, &c. who *Beareth* for his *paternal Coat Armour* *Pearl*, on a *Bend Diamond* three *Owls* of the *Field*. *Mantled Ruby*, *doubled Ermine*, and for his *Crest* on a *Coronet* and *Helmet* befitting his *Lordships Degree*, on a *Wreath* or *Torce* of his *Colours*, an *Owl* *Pearl*, supported by two *Talbots* *Pearl*, gorged about the *Necks* with *Ducal Crowns* per *Pale* *Pearl* and *Ruby*. And for his *Motto* in an *Escrole*
BE FAST.

EARLS

E A R L S.

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THe word Earl by the *Saxons* was called *Erlig*, or *Ethlin*; by the *Germanes* *Plsgrave* or *Lantgrave*, and by the *Normans* *Counts* being esteemed companions for *Kings* and *Princes*; they were Officers of great trust in former times in *England*, and have those *Ensigns* of Honour as the *Marquisses* and *Dukes*, viz. a *Chapeau* or *Cap* for the head with a *Coronet* of *Gold* which for distinction is *Pyramidal* pointed and pearled, and between each *Pyramide* is a *Flower* much shorter than the *Pyramid*. Their Body is adorned with *Robes*, viz. a *Hood*, *Surcoat*, and *Mantle* of *Scarlet* as for a *Marquis*, but there is but three *Guards* of *Ermine* Fur on the *Shoulders*; they are also begirt with a *Sword* and have a *Patent* delivered them. Their *Titles* are the *Right Honourable*, and truly *Noble Lord*, as also most *Potent* and *Noble Lord*, out of his *Superiours* presence he may have a *Cloth* of *State* fringed with *Pendants*, and his *Countess* may have her *Train* born up by an *Esquires* Wife. For





Atchivement of the Right Hon.^{ble}
 George Carle of Berkeley &c.^a

For the Example of the Bearing of an Earl I shall make use of the *Atcheivement* of the Right Honourable *George* Earl of *Berkley*.

The Right Honourable *George* Earl of *Berkley*, Viscount *Duresky*, Lord *Berkley*, *Mawbray*, *Segrave* and *Bruce*, and Baron of *Berkley* Castle and one of the Lords of his *Majesties* most Honourable *Privy Council* Anno Domini 1678 descended from *Harding* a younger Son of one of the Kings of *Denmark* that came into *England* with *William* the *Conquerour*. Who Beareth for his Paternal *Coat Armour* Ruby a *Cheveron* between ten *Crosses* form *Pearl*, above the same, on a *Cronet* and *Helmet* besitting his *Lordships* quality a *Wreath* of his *Colours*, thereon a *Miter* Ruby charged with his Honours *Coat* mantled Ruby doubled *Ermine*, supported by two *Lions* *Pearl*, the sinister *Crowned*, and gorged about the neck with a *Collar* and *Chain* reflecting over his back *Topaz*, and on a *Scrole* below his *Lordships* *Motto* VIRTUTE NON VI.

Atcheivement of the Earl of *Berkley*.

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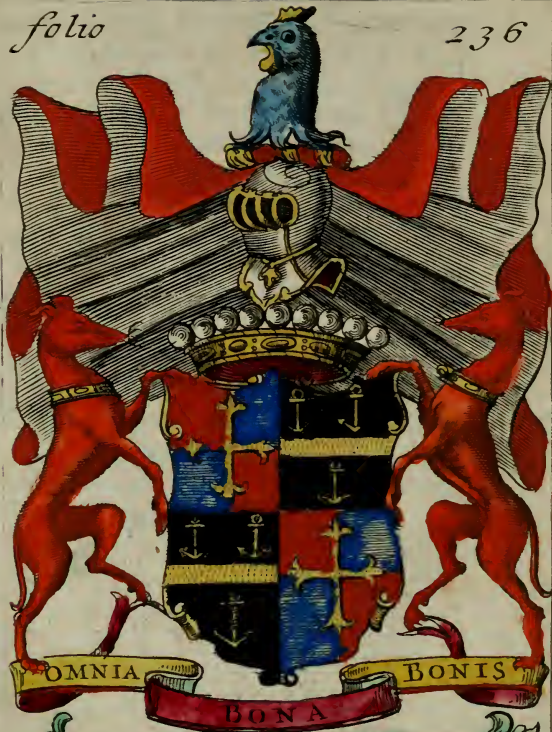
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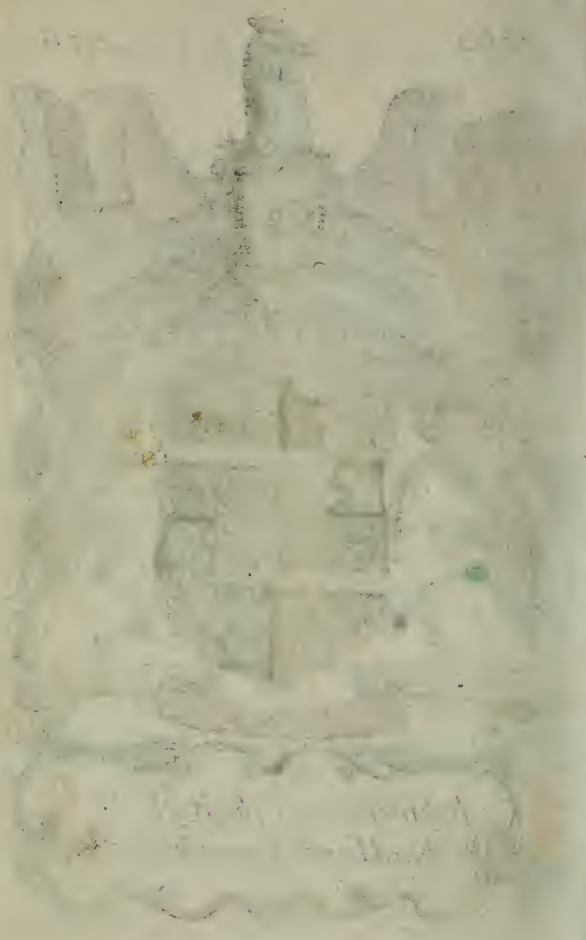
Viscount (an ancient name of office now in being for such that are *Sheriffs* of Counties) was about the eighteenth of King *Henry* the Sixth made a Degree of *Honour* who conferred the *Title* on *John* Lord *Beaumont* by *Letters Patents*, by which he was Created (as an Earl) having a *Hood*, *Surcoat*, and *Mantle* with two *Guards* and a half of plain white Fur on his *Shoulders* (whereas other *Degrees* above this are *Ermin'd*) and hath his *Crown* and *Chaplet* with a row of *Pearls* close set together on it. They have the Title of Right Honourable and truly Noble, or potent Lord. His *Viscountess* may have her train born up by a woman out of her Superiours presence.

Atchieve-
ment of
the Lord
Viscount
Wenman.

For the Example of the Bearing of a Viscount I shall insert the Atchievement of the Right Honourable *Phillip* Viscount *Wenman* of *Tuam* in the County of *Galloway* in *Ireland*, and Baron *Wenman* of *Kilmainham* in the County of *Dublin* in the said Kingdom of *Ireland*; who beareth two Coats
quar;



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Richard Lord Viscount Wenman &c.



quarterly, first *Ruby* and *Saphir* a *Cross Patonce* *Topaz* Secondly, a *Fess* between three *Anchors* *Topaz*; the Third as the Second, the Fourth as the first; supported by two *Greyhounds* *Ruby Colored*, *Topaz*; Mantled *Ruby*, doubled *Ermine*, and for his *Crest* on a *Coronet* and *Helmet* befitting his Lordships Degree, on a *Wreath* of his Colours a *Cocks Head* erazed *Saphir*, *Crested* and *Jollaped* *Topaz*; And for his *Motto* in an *Escrole* *OMNIA BONA BONIS*.

The said Dignity of Viscount, and Baron *Wenman* is by Letters Patents, Created on the Honourable Sir *Richard Wenman* of *Caswell* in *Oxfordshire* Baronet to commence after the death of the said *Phillip* Lord Viscount *Wenman*.

LORDS

LORDS SPIRITUAL.

EPiscopacy is as ancient as *Christian Religion*, being ordained by the Apostles who took that Office upon them, and commended it to their Successors where they planted the *Gospel*.

They are *Barons* of the Realm by *Writ*, by *Tenure*, and by *Consecration*. They are in *Precedency* next after *Viscounts*, and are placed upon the Kings right hand in *Parliament*. They have the Title of *Lords*, and Right Reverend Fathers in *God*; and their *Sees* by the Piety of former Ages are amply endowed with revenues sufficient to maintain their Dignities. There are two *Arch-Bishops*, viz. *Canterbury*, and *York*, under whom are five and twenty *Suffragan Bishops*, six and twenty *Deans* of Cathedrals and *Collegiate Churches*, sixty *Arch Deacons*, and 544 *Prebendaries*.

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shops, Bi-
shops,
Deans.

The Arch-Bishop of *Canterbury* is *Metropolitan* of *England* hath power to Summon the *Archbishop* of *York*, with the Bishops of his *Province* to a *National Synod*; he takes place of all *Dukes*, and
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great *Officers* at *Court* except the Royal Family; his Office is to Crown the King. The *Bishop* of *London* is his *Provincial Dean*, *Winchester* his *Chancellor*, and *Rochester* his *Chaplain*.

The *Arch-bishop* of *York* also hath precedence of all *Dukes* except those of the *Royal Blood* and of all *Great Officers* except the *Lord Chancellor* or *Lord Keeper*; he hath the Honour to Crown the *Queen* and to be her *Chaplain*.

Archbishops have the Title of *Grace*, and most *Reverent Fathers* in *G O D*. They have their *Armorial Ensigns* of *Honour* which is the *Coat* of their *Episcopal See*, on the *Dexter* side impaled with their *Paternal Coat*, and for *External Ornaments*, there is placed above a *Miter*, with *Keys Saltierwise*, according to this example.

Charles

TEMPORAL BARONS.

See *Guill.*
Nar. 2d.
Chap. 9.

A Baron is a Dignity next unto a Viscount, and our Law Books makes a difference between *Dukes, Marquisses, Earls, and Viscounts*, which are allowed Names of Dignity, and the *Baron*; for they affirm that such a Baron needs not to be named *Lord*, or *Baron* by the *Writ*, but the *Duke, Marquis, &c.* ought to be named by their *Names and Dignity*. This Dignity is very ancient, they were first called *Valvasors*, which name the *Saxons* chang'd into *Thanes*, and the *Normans* to *Barons*. And 'tis the received opinion that in those days every Earl had ten Barons under him, every *Baron* ten *Knights fees* holden of him, and those that had four *Knights fees* in Possession were usually called to the Degree of a *Baron*.

Three
sorts of
Barons.

There are three sorts Or kinds of Barons, *viz.* by *Tenure*, by *Writ*, and by *Creation* or *Patent*.

1. Barons by *Tenure* or *Prescription* are those that hold any *Honour, Castle, or Mannor*, as the head of their *Barony* of which

which there are two sorts *Spiritual* and *Temporal* and these are the most ancient Barons.

2dly. *Barons by Writ* are those to whom *Barons by a Writ of Summons* in the *Kings* name is directed to come to Parliament, &c. which kind of *Writ* is the same as directed to *Barons by Tenure*, as also to *Barons by Patent*; but those that are not *Barons by Tenure* nor *Patient*, and have only such *Writs*, after the receipt of such a *Writ* and place taken in *Parliament* accordingly ought to enjoy the *Name* and *Dignity* of a *Baron*. Writ.

The first institution of them is supposed to be in the 49 of *Henry the Third*, to supply the places of the *Rebellious Barons* then engaged against him in a *Civil War*.

3dly. *Barons by Patent* are Created *Barons by* by the *Kings Letters Patents* to them and *Patent*, their Heirs Male lawfully begotten, and this was begun in the Reign of King *Richard the Second*.

Barons have their *Hood* or *Chapeau*, their *Surcoat* and *Mantle* which hath two guards of *white Fur*, on their *Shoulders*: Also a *Coronet* with six *Pearls* placed at equal distance.

They have the Titles of *Right Honourable*

nourable, and truly noble Lords, and the *Baroness* may have her train born up by her Page.

For the Example of a Barons Achievement, I shall incert the Coat Armour of the *Right Honourable Digby Lord Gerrard*, Baron of *Gerrards Bromley* in *Staffordshire*, &c. who beareth Pearl a *Saltier* Ruby, for his *Crest* on a *Coronet* and *Helmet* besitting his Lordships degree, on a *Wreath* of his Colours a *Munky* proper with a *Chain* over his back *Topaz*, *Mantled* Ruby, doubled *Ermine*, supported by two *Lions* *Ermine* crowned *Topaz*.

KNIGHTHOOD.

KNIGHTS of the GARTER.

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Part 2.

Chap. 11.

IT was the custom and policy of puissant Princes both ancient and modern to carals men of Heroick Spirits and renowned with remarks of Honour, *viz.* precedency of place, honourable *Robes* and
Badges



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Digby Lord Gerard of Bromley & c^a



Badges, and additional *Titles*; amongst which none seems more ancient than that of *Knighthood*, most Nations having divers distinct orders, some *Military*, and some *Civil*; but amongst all orders purely *Military* that of *Saint George* which we call *Knights of the Garter* deservedly hath the preheminance for it's antiquity, glorious institution by that Triumphant King *Edward*, and for the many *Emperours*, *Kings* and *Princes* that have thought themselves honoured in being admitted into the Fraternity.

It was instituted about the year 1350, by the victorious King *Edward the Third*. The *Patron* of the order is *Saint George* a man of renown for *Chivalry* and *Christianity* in confirmation whereof he suffered *Martyrdom* in *Asia*, to whose memory many *Temples* and *Monasteries* were dedicated in the Eastern, and afterwards in the Western *Churches*. And the 23th. of *April* is assigned for his *Feast*.

The number of *Knights of the Garter* are not to exceed six and twenty, but there is usually left one or more vacancies for the gratifying a foreign *Prince*, or *Ally*.

The Habit of the order are Robes of

Crimson, and Purple *Velvet Cassocks*, with *Collers* to be worn over them on Feast and Solemn Days, and a Star of *Silver* to be embroidered on the left side of their *Cloaks*, or *Coats*. They are also to wear the Image of *Saint George* on Horseback encountring with the *Dragon* to be made of *Diamonds* set in *Gold*, which is to hang on a blue *Ribon*, and always worn cross their *Body* or *Shoulders*, as also a *Garter* on the left *Leg* Enamelled with *Gold*, *Pearl*, and precious *Stone* with the Motto *HONI SOIT QUI MALY PENSE*. Or instead thereof a *Blew Ribbon*, of all which stately *Robes*, together with the Solemnities at their *Instaulation*, &c. is at large treated of by *Mr. Ashmele*.

Atchievement of the Duke of Beaufort.

The distinction of Honour in their *Shields* is always within a *Garter* according to the examples following, born by the Right Noble *Henry* Duke of *Beaufort* Marquis and Earl of *Worcester*, Baron *Herbert* of *Chipstow*, *Raglon* and *Gower*, Lord *President*, and Lord *Leutenant* of *Wales*, and *Marshes*, Lord *Leutenant* of the Counties of *Glocester*, *Hereford*, and *Monmouth*, and of the *City* and *County* of *Bristol*, Lord *Warden* of his Majesties *Forest*



Atchivement of his Grace -
Henry Duke of Beaufort &c.^a



of *Dean*, and Constable of the Castle of *St. Briavells*, Knight of the most noble Order of the *Garter*, and one of the Lords of his *Majesties* most Honourable *Privy Council*, &c. who beareth within a *Garter*, *France* and *England*, quarterly within a *Border Gobonated Pearl* and *Saphir*. Ensigned with a *Cronet* and *Helmet* besiting his *Graces* quality, thereon on a *Wreath* of his *Colours* a *Pureullis Topaz*, mantled *Ruby* doubled *Ermine*, supported on the *Dexter* by a *Panthur Pearl*, spotted of all *Colours*, colored, and chained *Topaz*, with *Flames of Fire* issuing out of his *Mouth* and *Ears* proper. On the *sinister* side a *Wivern* emeral'd, gorged about the *Neck* with a *Crown Ducal*, and *Chain* reflecting over his *back Topaz*, holding in his *mouth* a *dexter hand* coup'd *Ruby*; and for his *Motto* in an *Escrole* *MUTARE VEL TIMERE SPERNO*.

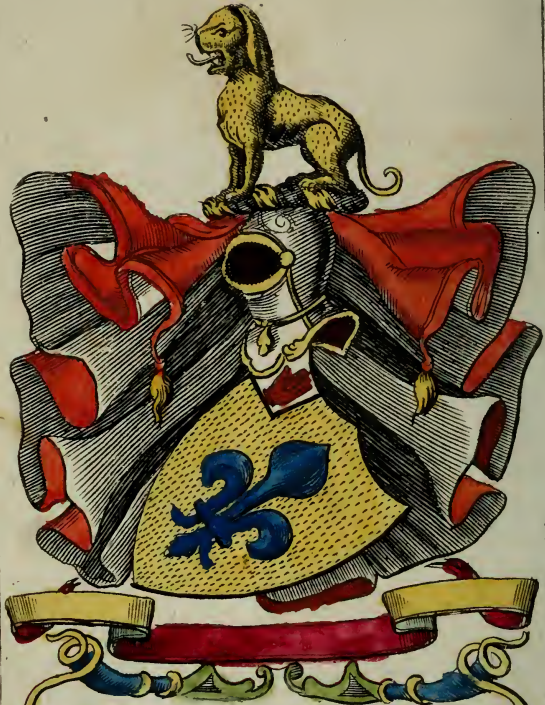
KNIGHTS BANERETS.

THIS Order of *Knighthood* was in former Times reputed *Barons*, and had the admittance amongst the *Peers* in *Parliament*, in the *Saxon Regiment*, amongst the *French* the Honour was *Hereditary*, but with us now adays for Life only, yet they retain some *Exsigns* of Honour, such as *Supporters*, and have Precedency of all under the *Degree* of a *Baron*. But they must be such *Banerets* as are made under the *Royal Standard* displayed, in time of battle the *King* or *Prince* being present, of this *Order*, there is at present none that I can hear of living.

BARONETS.

THE lowest degree of *Hereditary Honour* is that of a *Baronet*, instituted by *King James*, *Anno 1611*. They are created by *Patent* under the *Great Seal* as the *Nobles*, to them and their *Heirs* male lawfully





Atchivement of S.^r
William Portman Bar.^t

ly begotten, without otherwise by a particular Clause: They are styled in all *Writs* and *Commissions Baronets*, with the Addition of *Sir*, and the Title of *Lady* to their *Wives*.

There are also *Baronets* of *Nova-Scotia* for *Scotland*, but these of *England*, as *Nova Scotia* Baronet
an *Armorial Ensign* of their Honour, bears *vis.*
on a *Canton*, or in an *Escucheon* placed in
some convenient and perspicuous Place of
the *Shield*, the *Arms* of *Ulster*, (*viz.*)
Argent, a sinister hand couped at the
wrist, *Gules*.

For the *Example* of the *Bearing* of a *Baronet*, I shall incert the *Atchievement* of
Sir William Portman of *Orchard* in *Somer-* Sir William
setshire *Kt.* of the *Bath* and *Baronet*, who Portman.
beareth for his *Paternal Coat Armour*
Or, a *Flower de lis* *Azure* on a *Canton*,
the *Arms* of *Ulster* as aforefaid: And for
his *Crest* on a *Helmet*, befitting his *De-*
gree, a *Wreath* of his *Colours*, thereon a
Talbot Seiant *Or*, mantled *Gules* doubled
Argent.

There are some *Baronets* that besides
the *Augmentation* of a *hand* as aforefaid by
a peculiar *Grant* doth bear *Supporters*; for
an *Example* I shall make use of the *At-*
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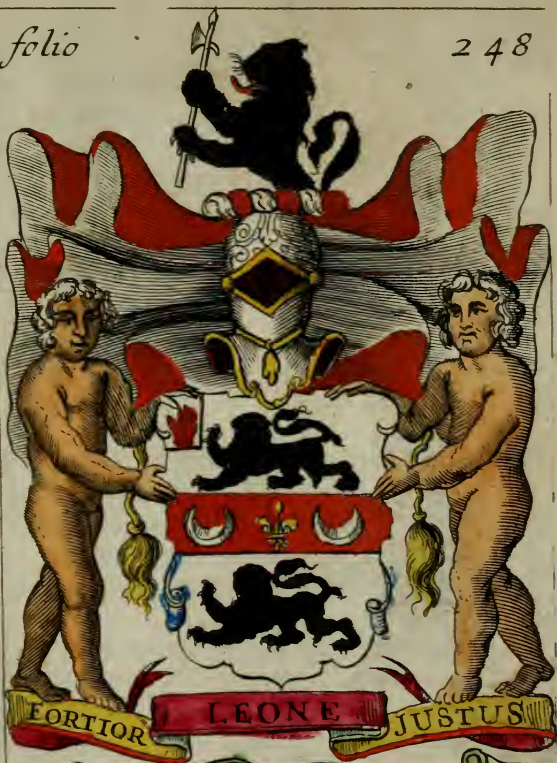
Goodrick of *Ribston-Park* in *York-shire* *Kt.* and *Bar.* His Majesties *Envoy* Extraordinary to the *King* of *Spain*, *Anno Domini*, 168 $\frac{2}{3}$, who beareth *Argent*, on a *Fess* *Gules*, between *Two Lyons passant* *Gardant*, *Sable*, a *Flower de lis* *Or*, between *two Crescents* *Argent*: For his *Crest*, on a *Helmet*, and *wreath* of his *Colours*, a *Demy-Lyon* *Sable*, holding a *Pole Ax* *Argent*, *Mantled* *Gules*, double *Argent*, for his *Supporters* *two Naked Boys* proper, and for his *Motto* in an *Escrole* *FORTIOR LEONE JUSTUS*.

KNIGHTS of the BATH.

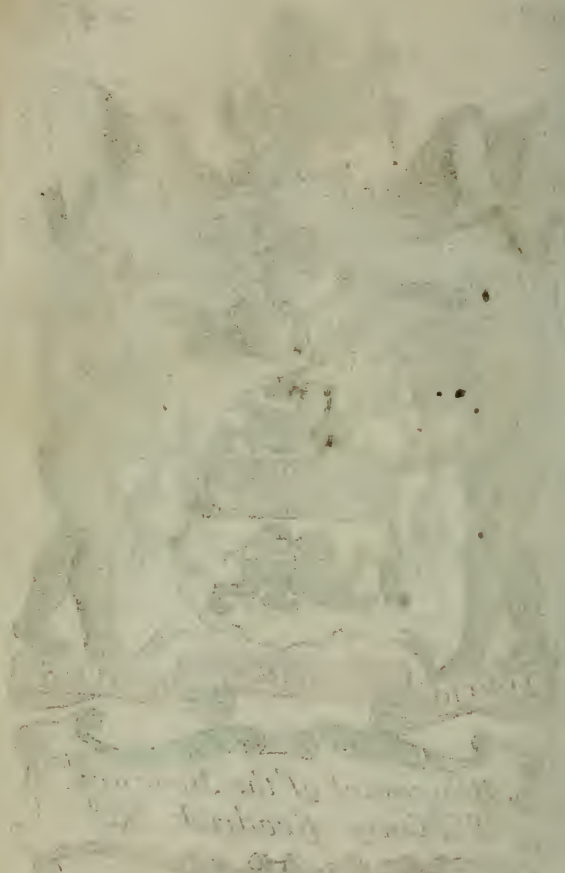
THESE *Knights* are so called from Part of the *Ceremonies* at their *Creation*, which is at the *Coronation* of a *King* or *Queen*, or at the *Creation* of a *Prince* of *Wales*, or of a *Duke* of the *Blood-Royal*.

This Order saith *Froysard* was instituted in *Anno* 1399. by *K. Henry* the *IV*, but others say they are of a longer continuance, being then revived after a *Disusage*.

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S.^r Henry Goodrick &c.^a



They have *Robes* and *Ceremonies* appropriate to them, they wear a *Red Ribbon* cross their left shoulder to which a *Medal* (being the Gift of the *King* or *Prince* that creates them) is affixed.

There is no *Badge* of Honour in their *Arms*, being in all respects the same as to external Ornaments with a *Knight Batchelor*.

KNIGHTS BATCHELORS.

K *Nights Batchelors* are such that are raised to this *Dignity* for their *Prowesses* and *Merit*, being at first a *Military Honour*, and bestowed as well for their *Reward*, as to encourage others to *Noble Achievements*.

They are called *Knights Batchelors*, as *Selden* in page 458. notes from *Buccellarii* signifying in the declining *Empire* a *Souldier* or *Servant* must be ready for *Military Employment*, to which word *Chevalier* was joyned to denote a *Souldier* tryed and fit for *Horse Service*, and by their *Honourable Achievements* obtained great repute throughout the *Christian World*.

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In all Foreign Countreys *Knights* have place according to their being *Knighted*, a Privilege debarred *Noblemen*; for be they never so Noble and Antient, they are only reputed as *Gentlemen* in Foreign Countreys, and cannot demand Place of the youngest Knight there by *Law of Arms*.

The other *Privileges* and *Honours* allowed them in *England* is at large discoursed in *Guilims Heraldry, Second Part. Chap. 21.*

Atchievement of Sir Robert Dashwood. For the Bearing of a *Knight Bachelor*, I shall incert the *Atchievement* of Sir Robert Dashwood.

He beareth *Argent* on a *Fess* between a double *Cortize*, *Gules*, 3 *Griffons* heads Erazed *Or*, Mantled *Gules* doubled *Argent*, and for his *Crest*, on a *Helmet* and *Wreath* of his *Colours* a *Griffons Head Ermenois* erazed *Gules*. This is the *Atchievement* of Sir Robert Dashwood of *Norbrook* and *Wickham* in *Oxfordshire* *Kt.*

Esquires:

E S Q U I R E S.

ESQUIRE by the *Latin* Word *Armiger* seemeth to take it's Original from Bearing the *Armour* of a *King*, *Duke*, or some great *Warrier*, as we find *Saul* and *Jonathan* to have their *Armour Bearers*; likewise *Troilus* and *Achilles* and *Clytus Alexander* the great in the same Office; so that amongst all *Civil Nations* such Men were in use, and of such reputation in those ancient days, that their *Posterity* were careful to own their *Descent*, and to continue the *Title*, and as in those antient Times, so are these in our days descended (for the most part) of worthy *Ancestors*, that for their warlike *Exploits*, or for their *merits* and *service* of the *Commonwealth* in times of Peace, had both the *Title* of *Esquires*, and *Coats* of *Arms* allowed, or bestowed on them, and their *Descendants* as a Reward for the same, of those that bear that *Title* amongst us are several sorts of *Honours* that precede *Knights*, and such are the *Eldest* Sons of *Viscounts* and *Barons* and *Noblemens* younger

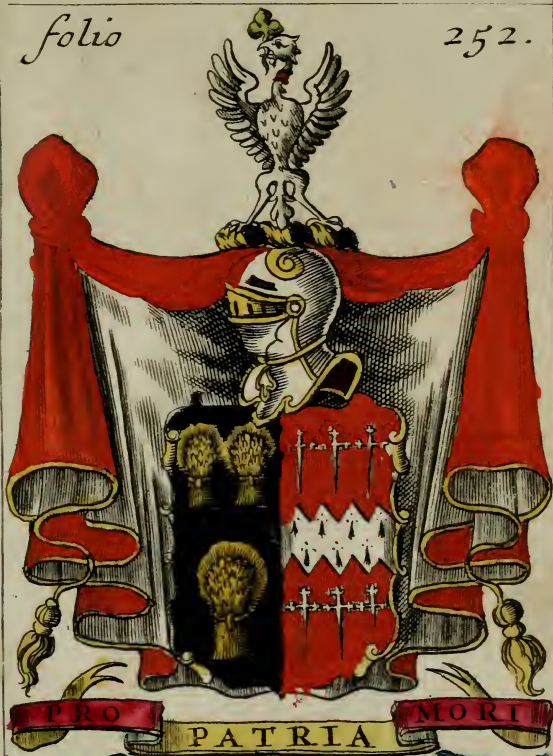
ger *Sons* of the second rank, are the Select *Esquires* of the *Kings* Body, then *Knights* Eldest *Sons*. In a fourth rank are such as the King together with the *Title*, giveth *Arms* or *Creates Esquires* by *Impolition* of a *Silver Coller* of *SS*, or by *Patent Creamus te Armigerum*; &c. and that but rarely.

In the first place are reckoned all such *Gentlemen* as by the *Kings Patent*, under the *Great* or *Privy Seal* are so intituled by reason of their publick *Offices*, &c. and such are all *Serjeants* at *Law*, *Justices* of the *Peace*, *Sheriffs* and other *Officers* and *Commanders* *Military* and *Civil*.

Lastly *Esquires* by *Reputation*, the *Principal* whereof are those that *Attend* *Knights* of the *Bath* at their *Creation*, then *Baristers* at *Law*, *Mayors* of *Cities*, *Officers* of *Courts*, &c.

The better sort of *Esquires* are stiled *Worshipful*.

For the *Example* of the bearing of an *Esquire*, which is the same of a *Gentleman*, I shall incert the *Atchievement* of *William Stych* of *Newbury* in the *Parish* of *Barkin* in *Essex* *Esquire*, who beareth *Sable* three *Garbs* *Or*, *Impaled* with the *Arms* of *Longueville*, viz. *Gules* a *Fess* *Dam-*



Atchivement of
William Stych Esq^r.



côte Ermine between six *Cross Croflets* *Fitche* Argent, in right of his Wife *Margaret Maria*, Daughter of Sir *Thomas Langueville* of *Wolverton* in *Buckinghamshire* Baronet; and for his Crest on a *Helmet* and *Wreath* of his Colours an *Eagle Displayed* Argent, Gorged with a *Coller Azure*, and holding in his *Beak* a *Trefoil slipped* Proper; Mantled *Gules* doubled Argent, and for his *Motto* in an *Escrole* PRO PATRIA MORI.

GENTLEMEN.

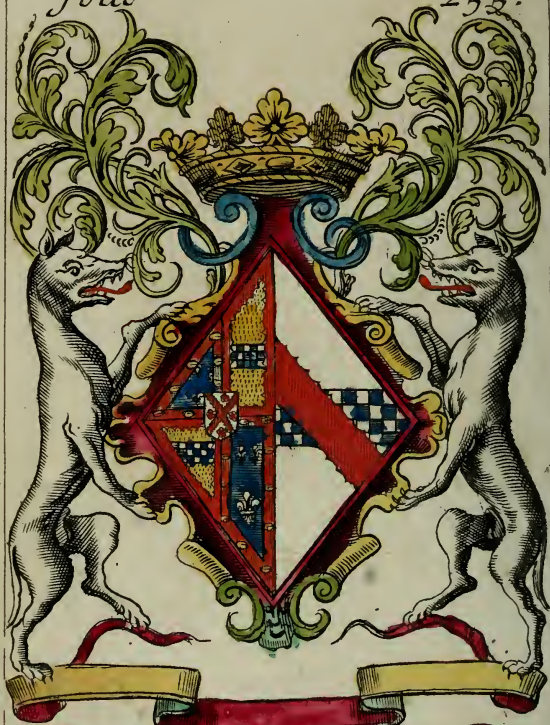
G*entlemen* had their beginning either of *Blood*, *viz.* Such as were born of worthy *Parents*, or that had done some noble exploit in *War* whereby they deserved to Bear *Arms* and to be accounted *Gentlemen*, but now a days whosoever studieth the *Laws* of the *Realm* at any of the *Inns* of *Court* or *Chancery*, or who is a student at the *Universities*, also he that professeth the *liberal Sciences*, or can live without manual labour, or by his *Wealth* can live and bear the *Port* of a *Gentleman*, shall be called *Mr.* and may

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may purchase a Coat of *Arms* to himself and posterity. And the *Saxons* admitted none to the Estate of *Gen ry* out of all the *Trades* conversant in *Gain*, but such, only as encreased their Wealth by honest *Husbandry*, or plentiful *Merchandize* from beyond the *Seas*.

Some others there are that number up nine several sorts of *Gentlemen*. First, those of *Ancestry* which must be *Gentlemen* of *Blood*. Secondly, those of *Blood*, and not of *Ancestry*, as when he is the second degree descended from the first. Thirdly, *Gentlemen* of *Coat Armour* and not of *Blood*, as when he beareth a device given him by the *Heralds*, and then he and his issue are so stiled to the third descent, who are *Gentlemen* of *Blood*. Fourthly *Gentlemen* of *Coat Armour* and not of blood, as when the King gives them and their Heirs a *Lordship* by vertue thereof they may bear the *Coat Armour* of the old *Lord*, the *Heralds* approving thereof, and provided the said old *Lords* Family is extinct. Fifthly, a *Christian Soldier* that in the Service of *God* and his *Prince* killeth a *Heathen Gentleman* he shall bear his Arms, and if he hath issue to the third Degree, then they are *Gentlemen* of blood;





Atchivement of the Right
Noble Frances Stewart Dutchesß
dowager of Richmond &c^a

blood; but note that no *Christian Soldier* may bear another *Christians Coat* although vanquished by him in *Battle*, but may bear his Coat, in the sinister *Quarter* with the proper Coat of such a *Gentleman* that he killed or put to flight, provided it be done in an *Army Royal*. Sixthly, if the *King Knight* a *Yeoman* he is then adjudged a *Gentleman* of blood. Seventhly, when a *Yeomans Son* is advanced to *Spiritual Dignity* he is then a *Gentlman*, but not of *Blood*, except he be a *Doctor* of the *Civil Laws*. Eighthly, or such that are brought up in a *Cathedral* or *Abbey* there serving in good office, or such as are of near kind to the *Bishop* or *Abbot*. And, Ninthly, such as serve a *Prince* as a *Page*: and afterwards by their diligent and faithful service are advanced to higher places although without badge by *Birth* are esteemed *Gentlemen*.

Thus you see the *Scale of Nobility* both *Major* and *Minor*. In the next place I shall give you the *Bearing* of a *Woman*, not under *Femme Covert*.

The Right Noble *Frances Steward*, *Dutchess Dowager* of *Richmond* and *Lenex* beareth two *Coates* quarterly; *First*, *Saphir* 3 *Flower de lis* *Topaz* within a *Border*
Ruby

Ruby charged with *Buckles* Topaz. Secondly, Topaz a Fefs checky Pearl and Ruby within a *Border Engrailed* of the *Third*, the *Third* as the *Second*, and the *Fourth* as the *First*, over all in an *Escocheon* of pretence *Pearl*, a *Saltier* Engrailed between *Four Cinquefoyls* Ruby, Impaled with Pearl, a Bend *Engrailed* Ruby surmounted by a Fefs checky Pearl and Saphir, supported by two Wolves proper. It will not be unnecessary to take notice of the principal Parts of *Honour* and *Vertue*, that every Gentleman of what Degree of Honour soever, ought to be endowed with, which are as followeth,

To fear God, and walk after his Commandments, and to his Power to defend *Holy Church*. To love *Honour*, to be loyal and serviceable to his *Prince* and *Country*. To delight in *Military Exercises*, to frequent the *War*, and to prefer Honour before worldly wealth. To be charitable to the distressed, and to support Widows and Orphans. To reverence Majestrates, and those placed in Authority. To cherish *Truth*, *Vertue* and *Honesty*, and to eschew Intemperance, riot, sloth, all dishonest recreations and *Company*. To be courteous, gentle and of an affable Deportment

ment to all men, detesting *Pride*, and *Haughtiness*. To be true and just in word and dealing, and to give no just cause of offence to any man. To be of an open and liberal heart delighting in *Hospitality* and to promote and encourage all publick useful and honourable works, especially such as relate to the advancement of knowledge and learning as the Printing of Books which are lively Monuments Registering to Future Ages an honourable Account of such persons that by whose generosity such undertakings were finished, for what greater satisfaction can it be to any Gentleman to find in Books an Honourable and Commendable Account of his Ancestors which certainly every one should be ambitious of, for Books the *Trumpet of Fame* sounds forth their praise not only in their own Country, but throughout the World, and and that to Future Ages. Whereas if no such Remarks were taken of their Families in process of time they will be forgotten, nay probably in that part of their own Countrey where they dwelt, especially upon removals of Families from one Countrey to another which is very accustomary and that for several reasons.

P R E C E D E N C Y.

P*recedency* may be thus observed. The *King* who is the *Fountain* of Honour. The *Prince* of *England* who is eldest Son to the King, and is born Duke of *Cornwal*, &c. *Princes* of the *Blood Royal* who are the *Sons*, *Brothers*, *Uncles* and *Nephews* of the King, The *Arch-Bishop* of *Canterbury*, the *Lord Chancellor*, or *Lord Keeper* of the *Great Seal*, the *Arch-Bishop* of *York*, *Lord Treasurer* of *England*, *Lord President* of the *Privy Council*, *Lord Privy Seal*, *Dukes*, *Marquisses*, *Dukes* eldest Sons, *Earls*, *Marquisses* eldest Sons, *Dukes* younger Sons, *Viscounts*, *Earls* eldest Sons, *Marquisses* younger Sons, *Bishops*, *Barons*, *Viscounts*, eldest Sons, *Earls* younger Sons, *Barons* eldest Sons, *Privy Council* that are not *Noblemen*, *Judges*, *Viscounts* younger Sons, *Barons* younger Sons, *Knights* of the *Garter* if not otherwise dignified as is rarely found, *Knights* *Bannerets*, *Baronets*, *Knights* of the *Bath*, *Knights* *Batchellors*, *Collonels*, *Serjeants* at *Law*, *Masters* of *Chancery* and *Doctors*, *Esquires*, and those may be comprehend-

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ded under five Heads, 1. Esquires, to the Kings Body, 2dly. The *descendants* by the Male line from a *Peer* of the Realm. 3dly. The eldest Sons of Knights of the Garter, Baronets and Knights, 4thly. The two Esquires attending on the Knights of the Bath at their Creation, and 5thly. *officious Esquires* as Justices of the Peace, Baresters at Law, Lieutenant Collonels, Majors, and Captains, and lastly, Gentlemen of Coat Armour.

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