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Roths, great-grandfather of George-William Evelyn, present Earl.

II. RICHARD, of whose descendants we treat.

This

RICHARD EVELYN, who was settled at Naas, co. Kildare, Ireland, *m.* Jane Mead, and was father of an only son,

THE VERY REV. WILLIAM EVELYN, dean of Emley, in Ireland, who *m.* Margaret, dau. of Michael-Tankerville Chamberlain, Esq. of Chamberlain's Town, co. Meath, and *d.* in 1776, having had issue,

William, of Glanville, an officer in the army, killed in the American war. He was *unn.*

John, his heir.

George, who *d.* about 1766, *unn.*

The dean's second but only surviving son,

JOHN EVELYN, Esq., *s.* to the estate of Wotton, co. Surrey, in 1817, under the will of Mary, Lady Evelyn, widow of Sir Frederick Evelyn, Bart. He *m.* 24 Nov. 1787, at Calcutta, Ann, dau. of Anthony Shee, Esq. of Castlebar, and sister of Sir George Shee, Bart., and had issue,

I. JOHN, *d.* an infant.

II. William, an officer in the army, lost in a transport-ship, in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, about the year 1805. He *d.* *unn.*

III. GEORGE, heir to his father.

IV. Frances, who *m.* in 1822, Col., now Sir Charles Rowley, eldest son of Admiral Sir Charles Rowley, Bart., K.C.B., and *d.* at Florence, in 1834, leaving two sons and two daus., viz., Charles-Evelyn; Albert-Evelyn; Sophia-Evelyn, wife of E.-N. Harvey, Esq. of Over-Ross, co. Hereford; and Louisa-Evelyn, *d.* *unn.* in 1840.

Mr. Evelyn *d.* in 1828, and was *s.* by his son,

GEORGE EVELYN, Esq. of Wotton, capt. 3rd regiment of Guards, *b.* 16 Sept. 1791, who *m.* 12 July, 1821, Mary-Jane, dau. of J.-H. Massy Dawson, Esq. of Ballynacourte, M.P. for Clonmel, and had issue,

I. WILLIAM-JOHN, his heir.

II. George-Palmer, an officer in the Rifle-brigade.

III. Charles-Francis, an officer in the navy.

IV. Frederick-Massy. V. James.

VI. Edmund-Boscawen.

Mr. Evelyn *d.* in 1829, and was *s.* by his eldest son, the present WILLIAM-JOHN EVELYN, Esq. of Wotton and St. Clere.

Arms—AZ., a griffin, passant, or, a chief, of the last.

Crest—A griffin, passant, or, ducally gorged.

Motto—Durete.

Seats—Wotton, Surrey; and St. Clere, Kent.

FARQUHARSON OF WHITEHOUSE.

FARQUHARSON, PATRICK, Esq. of Whitehouse, co. Aberdeen; *m.* in 1795, Marjory, only dau. of William Stewart, Esq. of Lessmurdie, co. Banff, by Barbara, his wife, dau. of William King, Esq. of Newmill, co. Moray, (*see* vol. ii. p. 1305,) and has issue,

GEORGE-CAMPBELL, who *d.* *unn.*

Andrew, sometime a partner of the house of Forbes and Co., Bombay.

Jane-Stewart.

Margaret, *m.* to Major J. Farquharson, of Corrachree, H.E.I. Co.'s service.

Mr. Farquharson is in the commission of the peace for Aberdeenshire.

Lineage.

The families of this surname were, from the earliest accounts, located in Strathdee, in the parishes of Crathie and Kindrochit, or Braemar, co. Aberdeen, and were at one time very numerous. The first person of eminence of the name was FINDLAY MHOR, so called, from his great stature. He was head of the clan commonly known in the Highlands by the name of Clan Ionlay, or Farquharson of Braemar. Findlay Mhor was killed at the battle of Pinkie, in 1547, in the reign of Queen MARY, carrying the Royal standard of Scotland, and was buried in the churchyard of Inveresk, at a short distance from the field of battle. No monument was erected to his memory, but

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the place was long known in that parish by the name of the "Long Highlandman's Grave." Findlay Mhor *m.* 1st, a dau. of the Baron Reid of Kincardine Stewart, and had issue four sons, William, James, Alexander, and John, the descendants of whom generally settled on the borders of the counties of Perth and Angus, south of Braemar; some of them in the district of Athol, who took the name of M'Erachlar, Gaelic for M'Farquhar, the surname of Findlay's father, afterwards Farquharson, but are all now extinct. Findlay Mhor *m.* 2ndly, Beatrix Gardyne, dau. of Gardyne of that ilk, or Banchory, (now Garden,) and had five sons, viz., DONALD, Robert, Luchlan, Findlay, and George, and five daus. The eldest son,

DONALD FARQUHARSON, of the Castleton, of Braemar, and Monaltrie, *m.* 1st, Jean Ogilvie, dau. of Newton, and had issue seven sons, viz., DONALD, Robert, Alexander, James, John, George, and Thomas, and one dau., Ann, *m.* to M'Pherson of Nuid, afterwards Cluny. This Donald, of the Castleton and Monaltrie, was Chamberlain and Bailie to George, Earl of Huntly, in Strathdee, then administrator of the earldom of Mar, under Queen MARY. His eldest son,

DONALD FARQUHARSON, *m.* Beatrix, dau. of Gordon of Knockespeck, and had issue five sons, DONALD OIG, or young Donald, JAMES, Robert, Alexander, and David. The eldest son,

DONALD OIG, of Monaltrie, &c., in Strathdee, *m.* Margaret Gordon, dau. of Abergeldy, and had two sons, Donald who *d.* *unn.* in France; and Charles, who left dau. only. By a contract extant, dated 27 Aug. 1632, betwixt John, Earl of Mar, and John, Lord Erskine, his son, on the one part, and on the other, the said Donald Farquharson, the earl became bound to grant a feu charter to him and his heirs male of the lands of Monaltrie, &c., in Strathdee, also the lands of Auchindrync, in the parish of Kindrochit, or Braemar, for a yearly payment in money for all time coming, and certain services when required; and of the same date, the said earl and his son granted a feu charter containing a precept of sasine for infefting him therein, upon which he was infeft personally upon the 11th day of October thereafter, Robert Farquharson, of Cloack, or Invercauld, his cousin-german, acting as bailie for the Earl of Mar; the witnesses being Robert Farquharson, of Finzean; James Farquharson, of Inverey; and Donald Farquharson, son of Alexander Farquharson, of Allanaquoich: the two first, his uncles; and the last, his cousin-german.

Donald Oig was colonel of the Braemar and Strathdeemen, under the illustrious Marquess of Montrose, in the time of CHARLES I., and was greatly distinguished for his gallant bearing, and at the same time for his mild and conciliatory manners and address, having risen high in favour with his sovereign, and being held in much esteem by his great commander. A striking eulogy of his character is giving by a contemporary writer, Patrick Gordon, of Ruthven, as appears in a chronicle of the period from 1639 to 1649, entitled "Britane's Distemper," published in an abridged form by the Spalding Club of Aberdeen in 1844. Col. Farquharson fell in a sudden affray with the Covenanters' horse, led by Sir John Hurry, at Aberdeen, 15 March, 1645, and was buried in the Laird of Drum's Aisle, forming a part of the principal ecclesiastical edifice in that city; Montrose, then encamped with his forces at Kintore, having sent Lord Lewis Gordon, third son of the Marquess of Huntly, with a thousand horse and foot, to see interred "the pride of Braemar." The aid afforded by Col. Farquharson in maintaining the Royal cause bore severely on his resources, and neither the sacrifices which he made in equipping his followers, nor his personal exertions ever having been recompensed by CHARLES II., on his Restoration, his son Charles ultimately found it necessary to dispose of his paternal property, the lands of Monaltrie, in 1702, to Alexander Farquharson, youngest brother of John Farquharson, of Invercauld.

JAMES FARQUHARSON, the immediate younger brother of Col. Donald Farquharson, of Monaltrie, was a writer to the signet at Edinburgh, and purchased the lands of Whitehouse, in Cromar, co. Aberdeen. He *m.* 1st, a dau. of Mr. Hay, a lawyer, at Edinburgh, and had two sons, James and David, whose descendants are all now extinct. He *m.* 2ndly, Ann, dau. of Colonel Gardyne, of the Russian service, and by her acquired the lands of Ballaterrauch, and had a son, HARRY, who *s.* him. Mr. James Farquharson *d.* in 1666, and was buried in the family burial-place in the church of Tullich, in Mar,

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where many of his descendants lie, and where a marble tablet has been placed to their memory. His son and successor,

HARRY FARQUHARSON, of Whitehouse, *m.* 1st, in 1681, Barbara, youngest dau. of Francis Ross, of Auchlossen, and had issue three sons, I. FRANCIS, his heir; II. Charles, who *m.* a dau. of Grant of Garthmore, and had two daus.; III. John, a surgeon in London, *m.* and had a dau.; and three daus., whereof the eldest *m.* John Forbes, of Deskrie; the second, Euphemia, William Stewart, of Aucholzie; and the third, Barbara, Douglas of Blackmill. Mr. Farquharson *m.* 2ndly, Mrs. Elizabeth Harper, and had by her two sons, HARRY, and James, the latter of whom *d. unm.*, and three daus.* The eldest son,

FRANCIS FARQUHARSON, of Whitehouse, *m.* Euphemia, dau. of Robert Ross, of Auchlossen, his cousin-german, and had two sons, HARRY, and Francis, who *d. unm.*, and several daus. He purchased the land of Shiels, in the parish of Cluny, co. Aberdeen. His eldest son,

HARRY FARQUHARSON, of Shiels, *m.* 1st, Jane, dau. of Rose of Tillymaught, and had three sons, Harry, Charles, and Alexander; the two first *d.* in Jamaica, *unm.*; the youngest, Alexander, *m.* a dau. of Irvine of Cults, but *d.* without issue. There were also several daus.; the eldest *m.* John Henderson, Esq. of Caskieben, co. Aberdeen, and had an only son, Alexander-Farquharson Henderson, M.D., now of Caskieben; the other three *m.* gentlemen of the names of Edgar, Ord, and Gordon, in Jamaica; the two first had issue, the last none. On the death of Alexander, great-grandson of Harry Farquharson, of Whitehouse, the heirs male of his first family became extinct, when

HARRY FARQUHARSON, his eldest son by Mrs. Harper, his second wife, became his heir. He was a captain in the regiment of infantry commanded by Colonel Francis Farquharson, of Monaltrie, forming a part of the army of Prince Charles-Edward, and fell at the battle of Culloden, in April, 1746. He *m.* in 1720, Barbara, dau. of John Gordon, of Hallhead, co. Aberdeen, by Mary, his wife, dau. of Francis Ross, of Auchlossen, whose brother, Captain Ross, was killed at the battle of Malplaquet, being then aid-de-camp to John, Duke of Argyle. Mary Ross was dau. of Francis Ross, of Auchlossen, and Barbara, dau. of Robert Farquharson, of Invercauld. Barbara Gordon was also aunt to Sir William Gordon, K.B., envoy-extraordinary from the court of St. James's to the court of Brussels, in the Low Countries, then subject to Austria. By her Capt. Farquharson had issue,

- I. HARRY, *d. s. p.*
- II. WILLIAM, of whom we treat.
- III. James, *d. s. p.*
- IV. Robert, a physician in Jamaica, who *d.* there, leaving a dau.
- I. Margaret, who *d. unm.*
- II. Grace, *m.* to the Rev. George Campbell, D.D., F.R.S., Edin., Principal and Professor of Divinity in the University of Marischal College, and one of the ministers of Aberdeen, a man eminent for piety and literary acquirements.

The second son,

WILLIAM FARQUHARSON, M.D., was a physician in Dundee, and family physician to John Lyon Bowes, Earl of Stratmore, whom he attended in his last illness on a voyage to Lisbon, during which his lordship *d.* at sea. William *m.* in 1756, Margaret, eldest dau. of Patrick Souper, of Auchlunies, co. Kincardine, son of William Souper, merchant in Aberdeen, and Jane Byres, sister of James Byres, who took an active concern in the company established in Scotland, about the Revolution, for colonizing the Isthmus of Darien, in South America, the failure of which undertaking, through the influence of the Dutch East India Company with King WILLIAM III., brought numerous families in Scotland to ruin, made the existing government very unpopular, and was a great means of fomenting the rebellion in 1715. By Margaret, his wife, Dr. Farquharson had issue (with a dau., Ann, who *d. unm.*) two sons, HARRY, who *d. unm.*; and PATRICK, now

* One of these ladies, Elizabeth, who went to Jamaica, and died unmarried, bequeathed £600 in trust to the family of Invercauld; one-half of the yearly interest thereof to be applied toward the support of the poor of the united parishes of Tullich, Glemnick, and Glengairn, and the other half of the interest towards supporting a charity schoolmaster for the education of the poorer classes of children in these united parishes; this bequest has been in operation for many years, and has been attended with very beneficial effects.

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of Whitehouse, the male representative of this family, and the lineal descendant of Findlay Mhor.

Arms, Crest, and Motto—same as FARQUHARSON OF INVERCAULD, but without supporters.
Seat—Whitehouse, co. Aberdeen.

* * * The earlier part of this genealogy is taken from a MS. copy of a history of all the families of the name made out by Alexander Farquharson, of Brochleg, an eminent physician and antiquarian, himself a descendant of Findlay Mhor, and one well acquainted with all these different families; this MS. is dated 1733.

FAWCETT OF DURHAM.

FAWCETT, JOHN, Esq. of Durham, M.A. of Baliol College, Oxford, *b.* 6 May, 1799, a magistrate and deputy-lieutenant for co. Durham; *s.* his father 13 July, 1830, and served as high-sheriff for co. Durham in 1847.

Tintage.

The family of Fawcett is of some antiquity in the co. of Durham, and held considerable property in the parish of Boldon. This property was partly alienated, and partly descended, in the female line, to a dau. of the elder brother of the great-grandfather of the present representative of the family, who now possesses estates at Lancheater, and in the township of Frammelgate, co. Durham, also a property in Bishop Wearmouth, at Sunderland, chiefly occupied by the sites of Fawcett, John, Frederick, and Foyle Streets, in that town.

CHRISTOPHER FAWCETT, Gent. of Lambton, co. Durham, who held lands in Chester and Boldon, A.D. 1669, *d.* 14 Jan. 1699-1700, leaving by Dorothy, his wife, three sons and three daus., viz.,

- I. WILLIAM, of West Boldon, *b.* in 1675, who *m.* in 1709, Sarah Thompson, and *d.* in 1720, leaving a son, Christopher, barrister-at-law, who *d. s. p.*, and a dau., Joan, who *m.* John Colville, Esq. of White House, in the parish of Jarrow, but *d. s. p.* in 1785.
- II. JOHN, of whose line we treat.
- III. Thomas, of Durham, whose will bears date, 3 March, 1741. He *d. s. p.*
- I. Anne, *m.* to Thomas Forster, Gent. of Lumley Castle, and afterwards of Newbottle.
- II. Margaret, *m.* to John Stephenson, Gent.
- III. Elizabeth, *m.* to the Rev. Matthew Forster.

The second son,

JOHN FAWCETT, Esq., barrister-at-law, and recorder of Durham, *b.* in 1676, *m.* Elizabeth, dau. of Richard Stonhewer, Esq. of Durham, and had issue,

CHRISTOPHER, his heir.

John, and } both *d. unm.*

William, } both *d. unm.*

Thomas, *d.* an infant.

Richard, in holy orders, D.D., vicar of Newcastle, rector of Gateshead, and prebendary of Durham Cathedral, bapt. 8 Oct. 1714, *m.* Elizabeth Brown, and *d.* 22 April, 1782, having had issue,

John, who assumed the surname of PULTENEY. He *m.* Elizabeth, dau. of Sir Richard Sutton, Bart., and is the present JOHN PULTENEY, Esq. of Northerwood, Hants.

Thomas, in holy orders, rector of Green's Norton, co. Northampton, *m.* Elizabeth, dau. of J. Portis, Esq.

Mary, }
Dorothy, and } all *d.* young.
Elizabeth, }
Elizabeth, *m.* to Peter Bowlby, LL.D.

The eldest son,

CHRISTOPHER FAWCETT, Esq., barrister-at-law, and recorder of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, bapt. 2 July, 1713, *m.* 29 May, 1757, Winifred, dau. of Cuthbert Lambert, Esq., M.D., of Newcastle, and had issue,

JOHN, of whom presently.
Elizabeth, *m.* to Richard-William Pierse, Esq. of Thimbleby, co. York.

Winifred, and } both *d.* infants.

Christiana, } both *d.* infants.

Julia, *m.* to Joseph Airey, Esq., and *d. s. p.*

Anne-Mary, *m.* to Robert Pearson, Esq.

The only son,

THE REV. JOHN FAWCETT, resident at Newton Hall, co. Durham, *m.* 29 Jan. 1795, Mary-Anne, youngest dau. of Ralph Bates, Esq. of Milbourne and Holywell, co.

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Northumberland, by Anne, his son, Esq. of Hebburn, co. Durham.

JOHN, his heir.
Christopher, in holy orders, *b.* 4 combe, Wilts, *m.* Sarah-Frances of George-S. Foyle, Esq. of So and has issue,

Christopher-John-Foyle.
George-Foyle. }
Frances-Foyle. } Cons.
William, *d.* 27 Jan. 1829, aged
Henry, *d.* 18 May, 1833, aged 20
Ralph-Thomas, *m.* Charlotte-A.
Hon. Charles Laurence and I
Winifred-Anne.
Mary-Anne, *m.* to John Trotter
Elizabeth. } Julia, *d.* 17 J

Mr. Fawcett *d.* 13 July, 1830, eldest son, the present JOHN FA

Arms—Or, a lion, rampant, sa., pony, gu. and arg.

Crest—A demi-lion, sa., holding erect, or, feathered, arg.

Residence—North Bailey, Dur

FETHERSTON KIRKOSW

FETHERSTONHAUGH, T College, Kirkoswald, co. Ty 1811; *m.* 15 Oct. 1838, John-Were Clarke, Esq. o by Frances, his wife, dau. of Bart. of Hacombe, and has

TIMOTHY, *b.* 5 Dec. 1841
Charles, *b.* 4 Feb. 1844.
Albany, *b.* 10 Dec. 1845.
Eliza. } Frances.

Mr. Fetherstonhaugh, who gristrate for the county, fo high-sheriff in 1845.

Tintage.

The first of the Fetherstonha wald, was

HENRY FETHERSTONHAUGH Fetherstonhaugh, Esq. of Fetherland, by Lucy, his wife, dau. of Yanworth, co. Westmoreland, dau. of Thomas Wybergh, Esq., having had a dau., Dorothy, *m.* Dalgarth, and a son,

SIR TIMOTHY FETHERSTON wald, who *m.* Bridget, dau. of of How, and had, (besides other

Henry, killed in the Royalist ca THOMAS, of whom we treat.

Richard, *m.* Catherine, dau. of nery, and had issue two daus

John, in CHARLES II.'s Life-gua nard Wharton, of Wharton sons.

Phillip, *d. s. p.*
William, in CHARLES II.'s Life-Mary.

Jane, *m.* 1st, to Bernard Kirkb to Edward Hassel, Esq. of Da Dorothy, *m.* to Robert Whitfill

Bridget, *m.* to Peter Bell, of La Frances, *m.* 1st, Christopher W of Winderwath, and 2ndly, Whitehaven, and had issue.

Elizabeth, *m.* to — Simpson, of

Sir Timothy, a devoted adher was beheaded by CROMWELL'S son and heir,

THOMAS FETHERSTONHAUGH 37 years of age at Dugdale's V 1st, Katherine, dau. of Thomas Sir William Musgrave, Knt. of had a dau., Mary. He *m.* 2nd Dacre, Esq. of Lanercost, and t