

SELECTED EXTRACTS FROM -

The
Visitations of Essex

BY

HAWLEY, 1552; HERVEY, 1558; COOKE, 1570;
RAVEN, 1612; AND OWEN AND LILLY, 1634.

TO WHICH ARE ADDED,

Miscellaneous Essex Pedigrees

FROM VARIOUS HARLEIAN MANUSCRIPTS:

AND AN APPENDIX

CONTAINING

Berry's Essex Pedigrees.

EDITED, WITH AN INDEX OF NAMES,

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Preface.

THE *first* Visitation of Essex given in this Volume is that of 1552. It is taken from Add. MS. 7098, which professes to contain the Visitations of this and other Counties by Hawley, Clarencieux, 6 Edward VI., and appears to be the only authority for the statement that a Visitation of this County was made by him in that year.

The *second* Visitation, that of 1558, is taken from Harleian MS. 1187, which contains, *inter alia*, "The Visitation of Essex, taken by William Hervey, Esq. *alias* Clarenceulx King of Armes: begonne the 10th day of August, Anno 1558, in the 5th and 6th yeares of the raygnes of our Soveringe Lord & Lady King Phillipe & Queene Mary," being copied by Jacob Chaloner, and by him dedicated to Garter, Principal King of Arms, 26 December, 1615. It does not appear that the original of this Visitation is at the College of Arms, or that there is any copy elsewhere than among the Harleian MSS.

The *third* Visitation of Essex appears to have been made, between 1570 and 1588, by Robert Cooke, Clarencieux, of which the original is at the College of Arms; no distinct copy is to be found among the MSS. at the British Museum, but the greater part of it appears to be included in Harleian MS. 6065, which also comprises the *fourth* Visitation of Essex, that by John Raven, Richmond Herald, in 1612—1615, of which a copy is at the College of Arms. The whole of this MS. is given in this Volume

under the heading of "Visitation of Essex, 1612," being the title the MS. bears in the Catalogue of the Harleian MSS.

The *fifth* Visitation was made in 1634 by George Owen, York Herald, and Henry Lilly, Rouge Rose. It is given in this Volume from Harleian MS. 1542, and professes to have been *coppyed by the originall*, which is at the College of Arms. Of the *sixth* Visitation, that of 1664, the original MS. is at the College of Arms, and no copy is known to exist elsewhere.

The "Miscellaneous Essex Pedigrees" which follow the last mentioned Visitation have been taken from the following Harleian MSS. :—

MS. 1083, which professes to contain the arms and pedigrees of the Visitation of 1634;

MS. 1096, containing, *inter alia*, Pedigrees of London Gentry, collected by Mr. Lillie, Mr. Withie, and others, from which the pedigree of CAMPION of Witham, co. Essex, has been taken;

MS. 1398, containing pedigrees of divers Essex families, from which the pedigree of LEGATT of Havering, co. Essex, has been taken;

MS. 1432, containing a collection of descents and arms of the gentry of Essex, seeming (*vide* Catalogue) not to have been copied from any particular Visitation Book;

MS. 1541, containing, *inter alia*, a large collection of the descents of Essex families made by Mr. Mundy from the Visitations of 1583, 1614, and 1634, "divers of them being enlarged and continued by Mr. Mundy, Mr. Robert Dale, etc." (*vide* Catalogue); and

MS. 1557, containing the Visitation of the County of Oxford made by John Phillipott, Somerset Herald, and William Ryley, Blue Mantle Pursuivant of Arms, in the year 1634, from which the pedigree of FISHER of Prittlewell, co. Essex, has been taken.

These Miscellaneous Pedigrees refer either to families not already noticed, or forming additions to, or continuations of, descents already given.

The compilers of the Visitations of 1612 and 1634, particularly the former, borrowed much, and altered much of what they borrowed, from previous Visitations. This has rendered repetition in some instances unavoidable, but I have been careful to note alterations, instead of repeating pedigrees, wherever practicable.

In an Appendix will be found Berry's Essex Pedigrees. With this addition, it is believed, the present work will contain all that is known of Essex Families out of the College of Arms.

I have endeavoured to render this work as accurate as possible, especially as to proper and local names, and, in these respects, I think it will bear favourable comparison with more than one of the publications of a similar nature already issued by the Society.

No doubt, time can scarcely be said to be thrown away, or trouble ill-bestowed, in the accurate reproduction of the *original* MS. of a Visitation, and even then, care might be taken to explain differences in orthography between the proper and local names there given and those in modern use applicable to the same persons and places; but to reproduce, as a work worthy the name, and acceptable to the Members, of the Society, a MS., itself a *copy*, or more probably a *copy of a copy*, of a Visitation written long ago by some one, alike ignorant of the names and localities described, and careless of the effect of errors in their transcription, and to preserve carefully all such errors, without an attempt to explain or correct them, and to do this by way of giving what Mr. FETTERSTON, in his 'Warwickshire,' calls a *literal* copy, is not my idea of the duty of an Editor, nor, in my opinion, is it one that can be further indulged in without seriously compromising the usefulness, and lowering the status, of the Society's Publications.

I have arranged all the Visitations, as well as the Miscellaneous Pedigrees, and Berry's Essex Pedigrees, alphabetically, as being most convenient for reference.

The length of this book renders it necessary to issue it in two Parts. The first (the present Volume) contains the Visitations of 1552, 1558, 1612, and 1634. The second will contain the Miscellaneous Pedi-

grees and Berry's Essex Pedigrees, with Errata and Addenda, and an Index of Names to the whole work. This part is in the press, and will be issued with as little delay as possible.

I recommend the Members to note up the Errata and Addenda. These will be greater in number than I could wish, and as far as possible they will be referred to in the Index.

My best thanks are due to Mr. EVERARD GREEN, F.S.A., for much assistance in the blazon of the Arms and otherwise.

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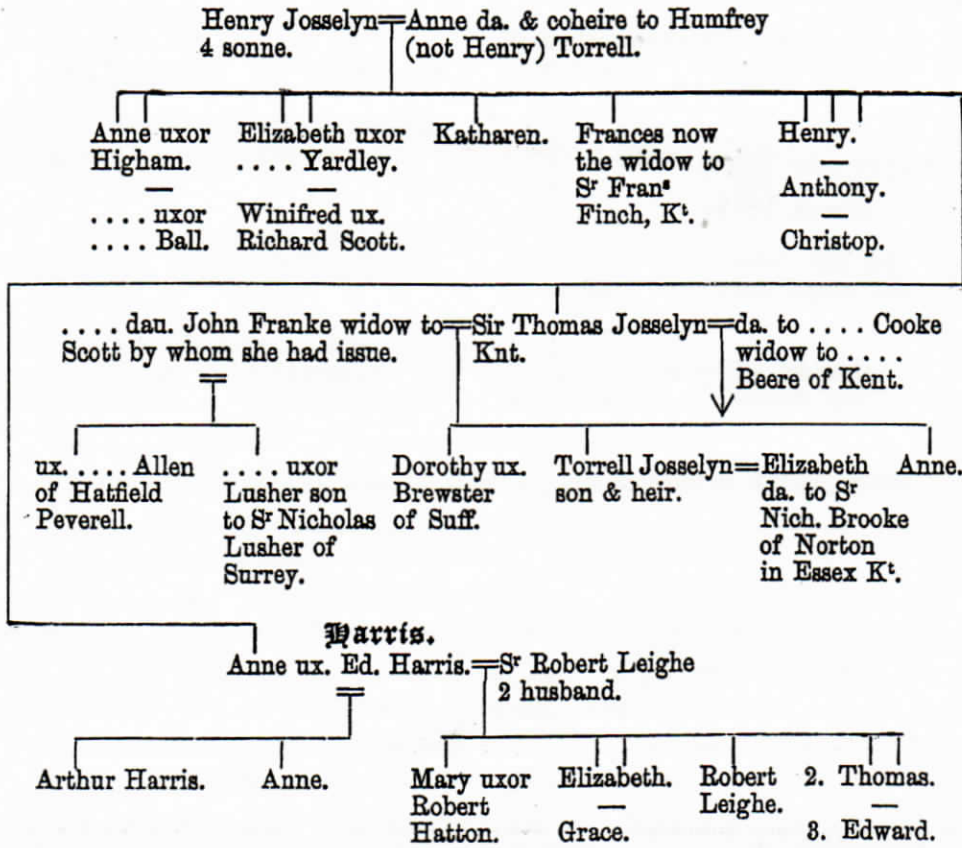
March, 1879.

Jobson.

(See Gray.)

Josselyn, Jocelyn.

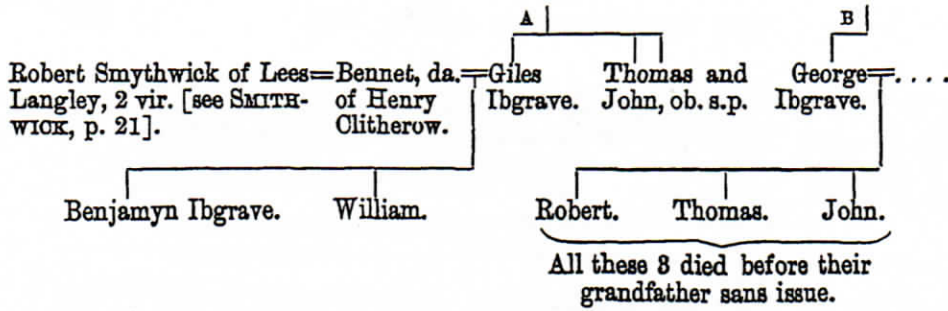
Same as in Vis. of 1612, No. 1, but gives the descent of Henry, 4th son of Sir Thomas Josselyn, as under.



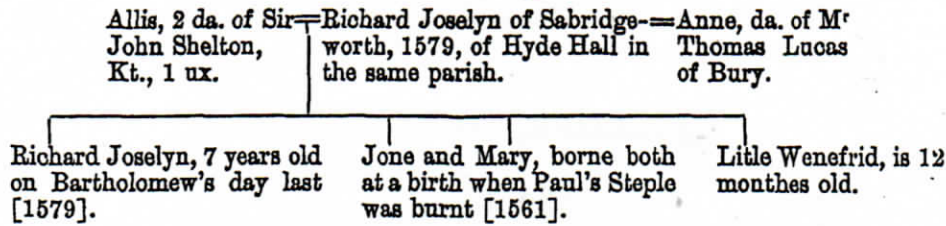
Kempe.

Same as in Vis. 1612; but Alford erased, and Apulderfield substituted in a later hand.

ARMS.—1. Quarterly of eight—The first 7 quarterings as in first shield in Vis. 1512.
The 8th. Sable, three sinister gauntlets argent. [GUNTER.]



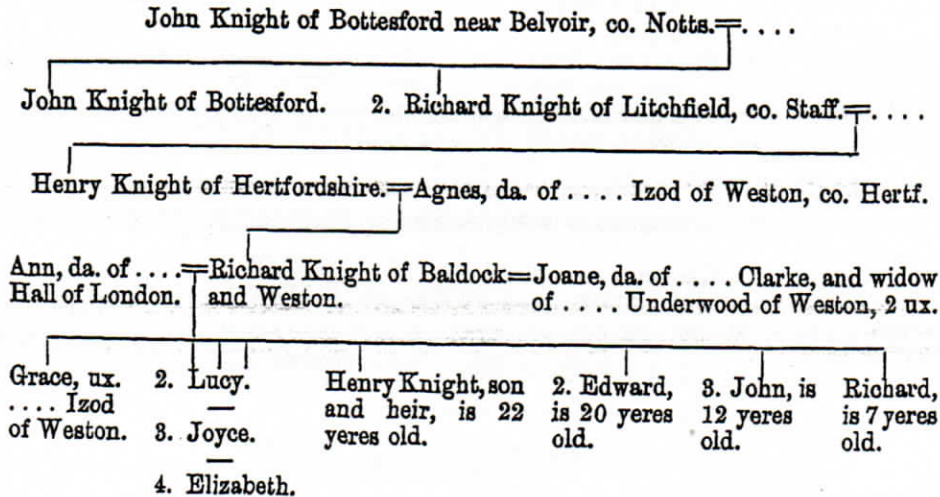
Joscelin of Hyde Hall.



Knight of Baldock and Weston.

ARMS.—Sable, on a fess Argent three quatrefoils of the field, in chief a horse's head erased Or.

CREST.—A goat's head Or, erased and horned Gules, holding in its mouth an ivy-branch Vert.



RICHARD KNIGHT.

		1	2	A
William 4 th sonne mar. y ^o daugh. to Glatton of S ^t Ives.	Robert a fellow of King's Col- lege in Cam- bridge.	Ann, mar. to Phillip Glascoke of Min- chions in Dun- mowe.	Jayne, mar. to Francis Browne of S ^t Ives Esquier.	
8	4	5		
Grisogon mar. to. Robert Pascall of much Baddow, Gent.	Mary, mar. to John Tiffine cosen and heire to William of Wakes Colne, esquier.	Mary, mar. first to John Hather- sall, obiit s.p. 2 ^{dy} to John Langley Gentleman and Lynning draper of London.		

Josselyn, Jocelin.

(No. 1.)

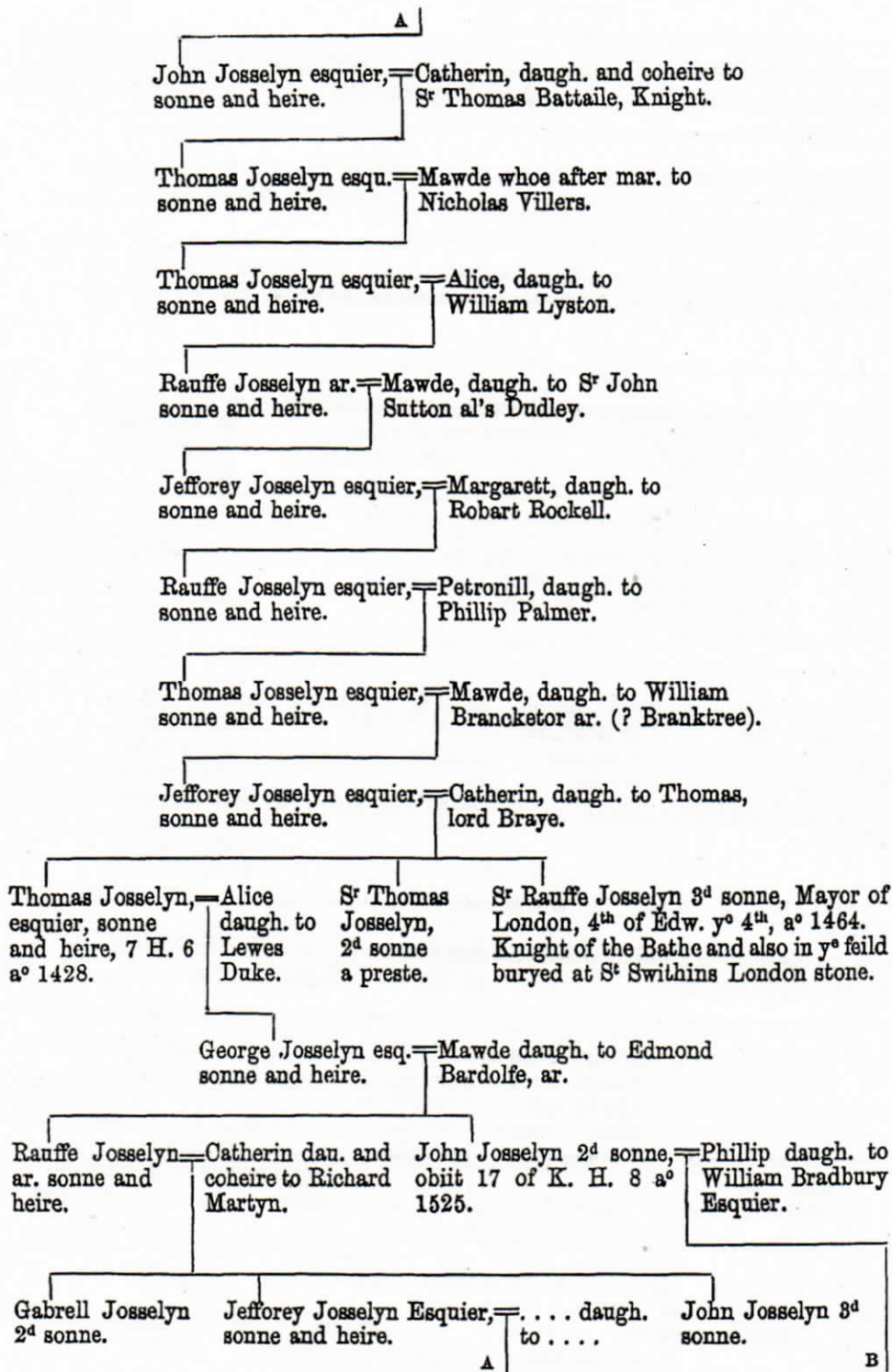
- ARMS (5 shields).—1. *Quarterly*—1. *Azure, a wreath argent and sable, with four hawks' bells conjoined thereto in quadrangle or.* [JOSSELYN.]
2. *Gules, on a saltire engrailed or five torteaux, a chief ermine.* [HYDE.] 3. BATTALL. 4. *Azure, a fess or.* [ELLIOTT—? CHASTELIN.]
2. *Quarterly of six*—1. JOSSELYN. 2. *Gules, on a bend or three castles sable.* [CASTLETON.] 3. ELLIOTT. 4. BARRETT.
5. *Paly of six or and azure, on a chief gules three martlets of the first.* [MARTYN.] 6. HYDE, *impaling sable a chevron ermine between three bulls' heads cabossed argent.* [SAUNDERS.]
3. *Quarterly*—JOSSELYN, CASTLETON, ELLIOTT, and HYDE, *impaling quarterly*—1 and 4. SMYTH, as in *Vis. of 1552.*
2 and 3. *Argent, on a bend sable three cross crosslets of the first, a martlet of the second for difference.* []
4. *Quarterly*—1. JOSSELYN. 2. CASTLETON. 3. ELLIOTT.
4. BATTALL, *impaling sable on a fess or between three cinquefoils ermine a lion passant between two mullets gules.* []
5. *Quarterly of six*—1 and 6. JOSSELYN. 2. CASTLETON.
3. HYDE. 4. BATTALL. 5. ELLIOTT.

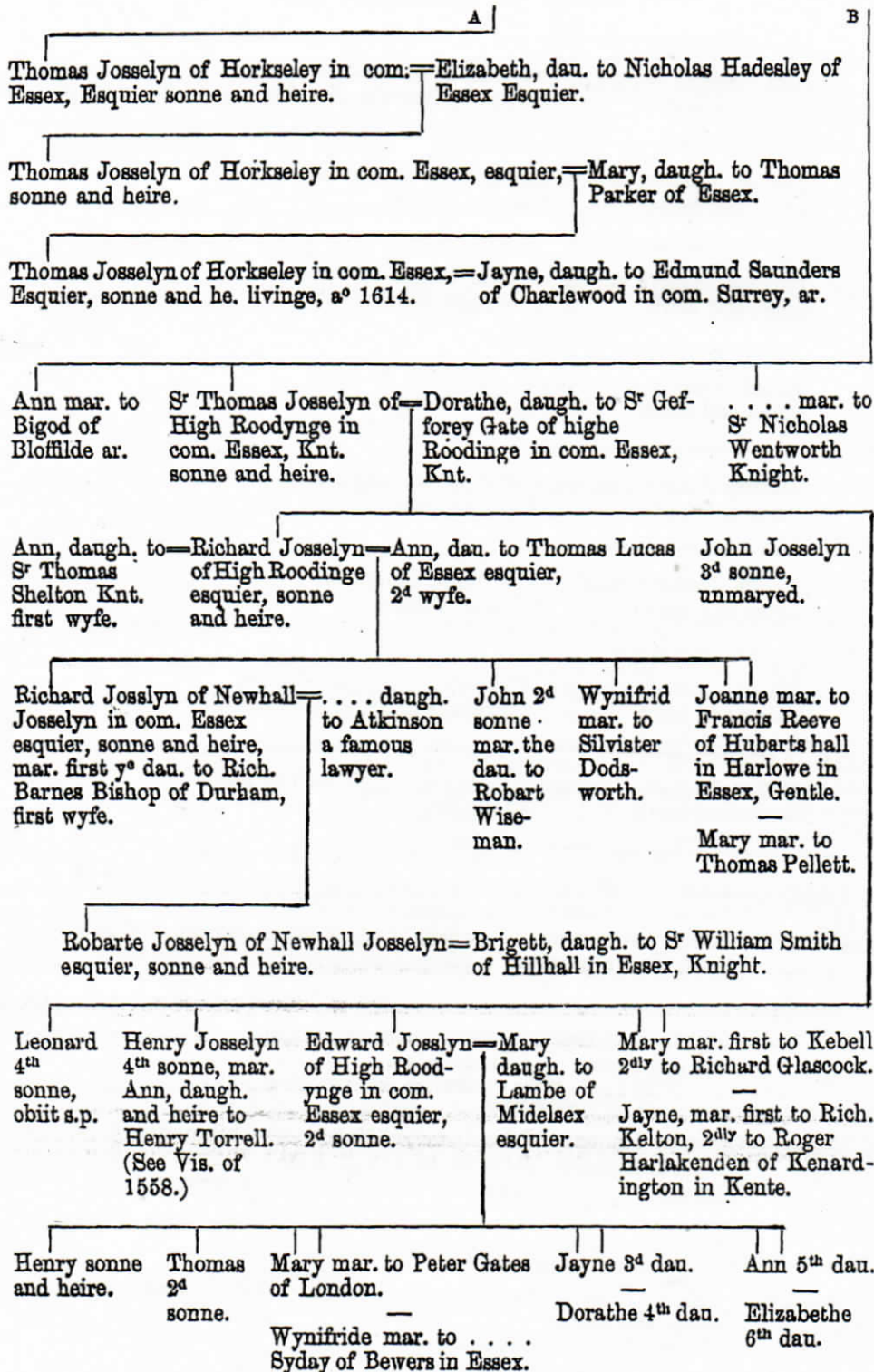
James Josselyn of Essex, Gentleman. =

Henry Josselyn sonne and = Jane, daugh. and heire to
heire to James. William Chastelyn.

Ranffe Josselyn sonne = Mawde, dau. and he. to
and heire. Sr John Hyde, K^t.

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Josselyn, Jocelin.

No. 2.

ARMS.—*Azure, a josselyn argent and sable, belled or.* [JOSELYN.]

Stemma et propagationes perantiquæ Joscelinorum familiæ de comitatibus Essexiæ et Hertfordiæ ab adventu Normannorum in Angliam ad hunc usque diem par spatium quingentorum; et eo amplius continuate masculorum serie genealogica una cum coalescentium hæredum (quorum Arma sive insignia gentilitia simul cum prædiorum portionibus deficiente stirpe masculina) ad præfatam familiam per fœmineas heredes devoluta sunt diligenter observatæ. Omnia summa cum fide ac diligentia ex publicis Regni Archivis, et privatis ejusdem familiæ evidentiis (e quibus veritas ipsa potissimum elici solet) collecta ac elaborata, et hoc Schemate sunt breviter concionata. Anno a Verbo incarnato, 1627.

DE GILBERTO FILIO JOCELINI.

Miles quidam Jocelinus nomine Loci hujus religione delectatus dedit deo et Ecclesie Sancto Marie duas partes decima omnium rerum suarum quas in possessione quadam que grava dicitur habebat Radulphus filius eis postea confirmavit donationem predictam Tempore Regis Henrici primi.

Ex libro de Abingdon folio 159.

ARMS.—*Quarterly of six*—1. JOSELYN or JOCELIN, as in Pedigree of JOSELYN, No. 1. 2. *A demi-lion sable crowned or.* [JOCELIN.] 3. *Azure, a fess or.* [CHASTELIN.] 4. BATTELL. 5. ENFIELDE. 6. [HYDE.] 7. *Argent, three mescutcheons gules.* [PATMERE.] 8. *Gules, three chevrons argent.* [BAUDE.]

CREST.—*A falcon's leg erased proper, belled or.* [JOCELIN.]

Gilbertus Joselinus genearcha sive pater originalis hujus familiæ qui multis patifundiis abathiam de Semp-
ringham in agro Lincolnensi locupletavit.

Galfridus Joselinus. = . . . filia Johis
de Bisset.

William = Oswaldia filia Roberti Gous-
Joselin. hull militi.

Robertus Joscelin. = . . . filia Johannis
Fleming.

Jacobus Joscelin. = Joanna filia Henrici
Throckingholden.

Henricus Jocelin. = Jana filia Willelmi Chastelin.

Chastelin.

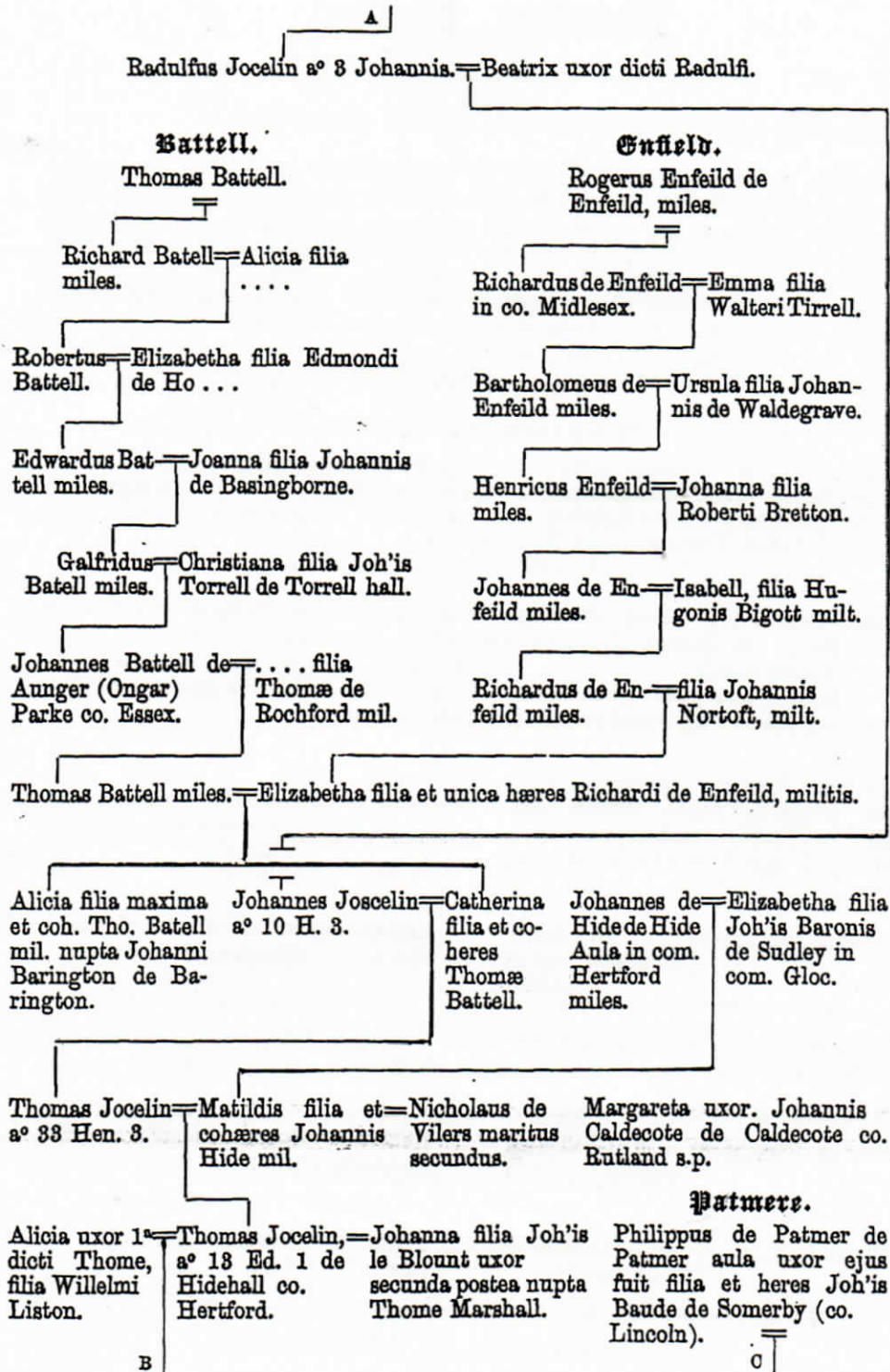
Gervasius =
Chastelin.

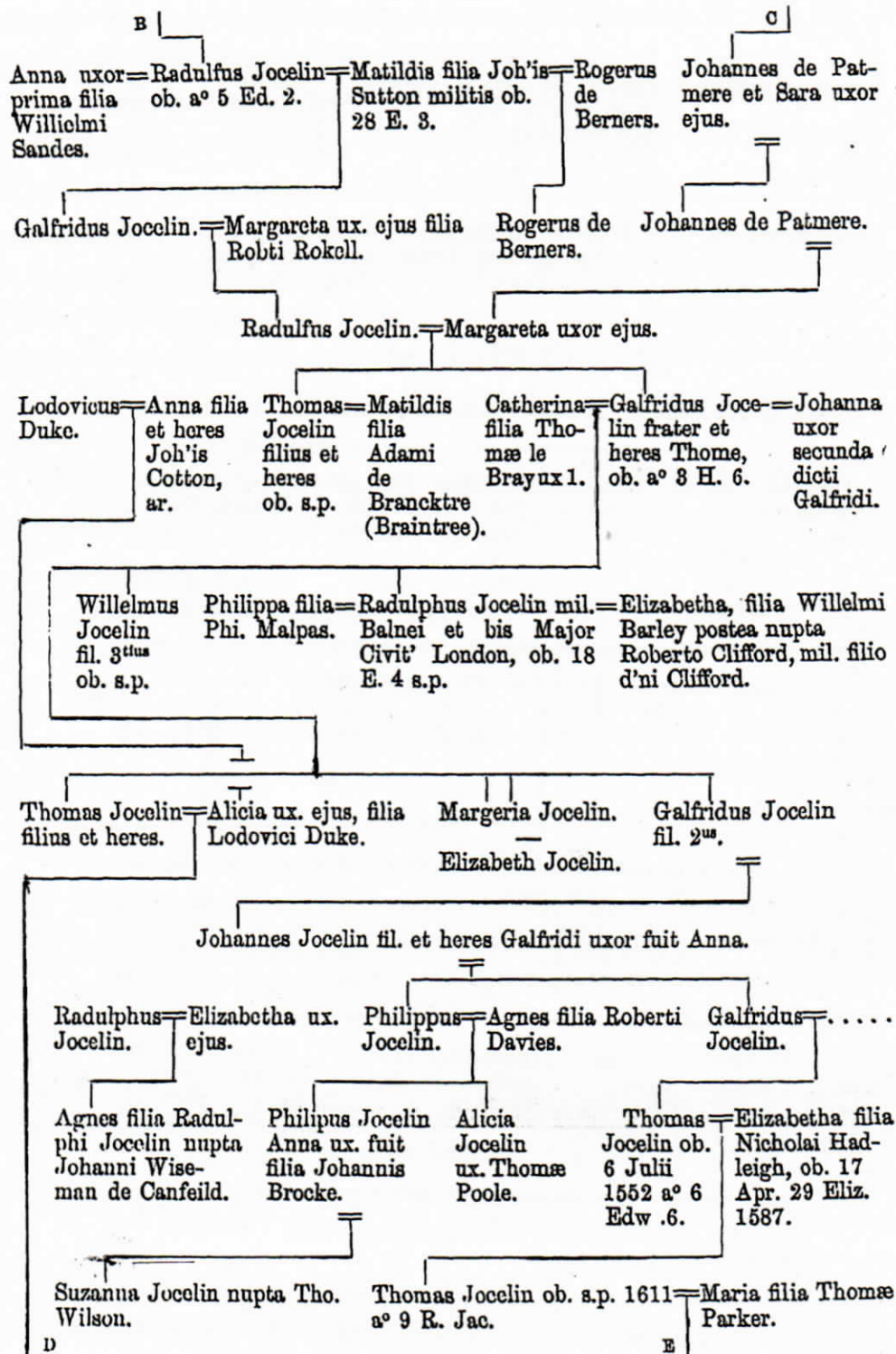
Robertus = Isabell filia Johannis
Chastelin. Fitz-Archer de Grove.

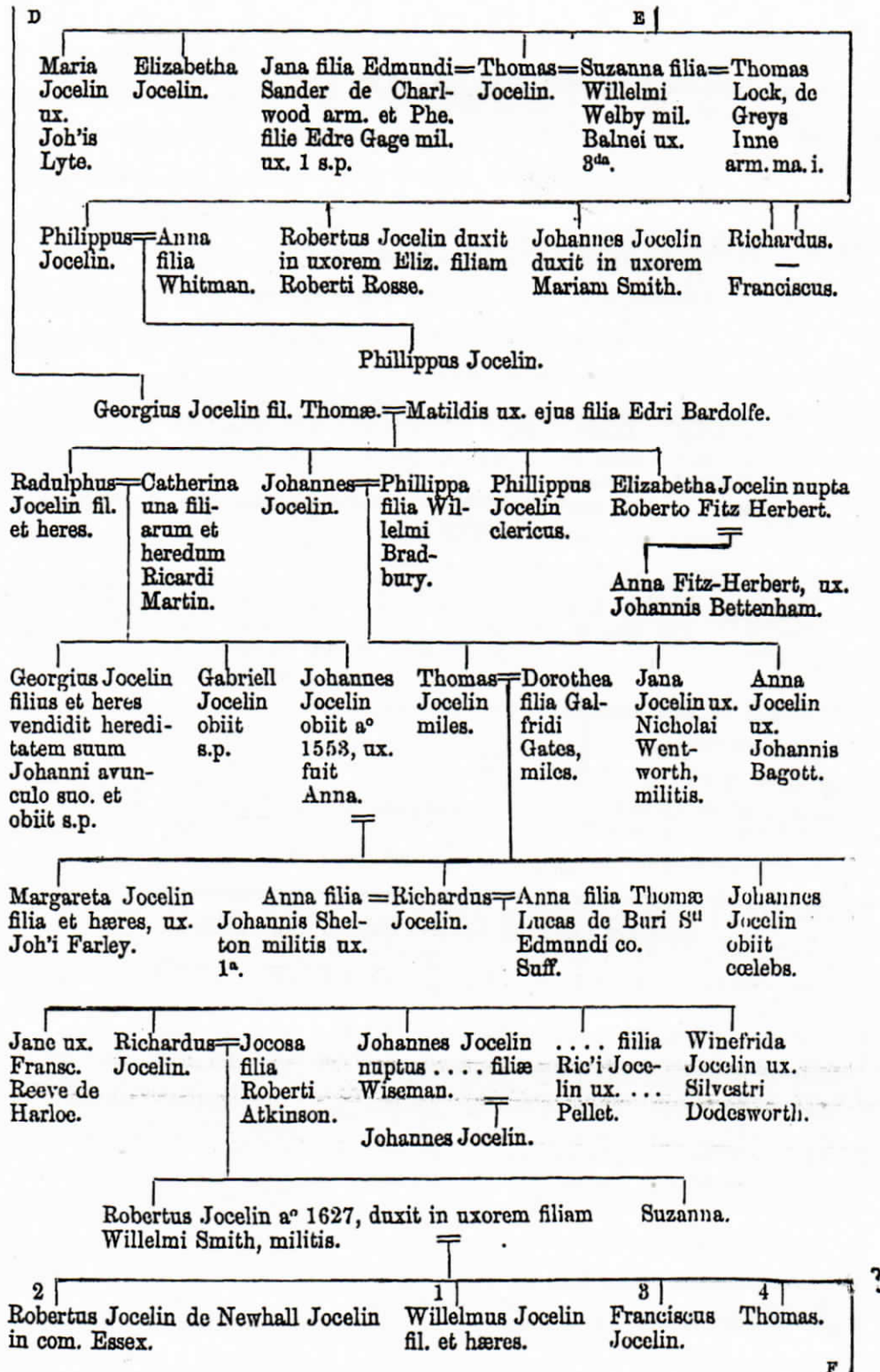
Richardus de = Beatrix filia Edmundi
Chastelin. Bamfeild.

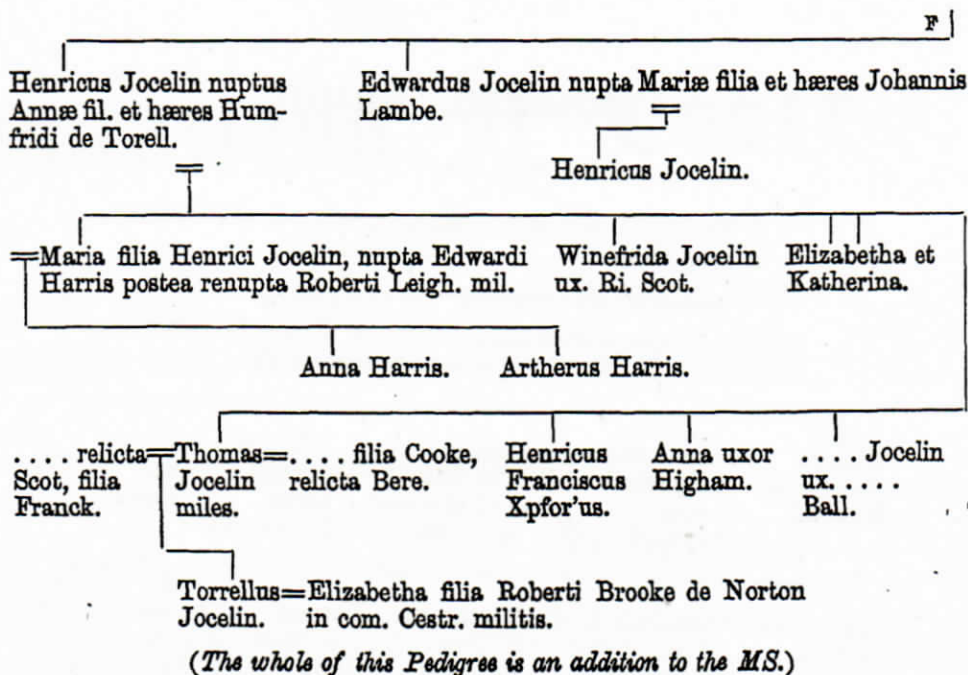
Robertus = Johanna filia Thomæ Feti-
Chastelin. place.

Willimus = Johanna filia Joh'is Sul-
Chastelin. liard.









Kempe.

ARMS (2 shields).—1. *Quarterly of seven.*—1. *Argent, a chevron engrailed gules between three estoiles azure.* [KEMPE.] 2. *Quarterly vert and or, a bend of the second.* [SPAYNE.] 3. *Sable, a chevron argent between three roses slipped or, on a chief of the second, a griffin passant of the first.* [RAYMOND.] 4. *Sable, two arms bending conjoined in fess argent, between three cross crosslets fitché or.* [ARMESBURY.] 5. *Sable, a bend argent between six martlets or.* [INCKELL.] 6. *Ermine, a fess vair gules and or.* [MILD or MILES.] 7. *Sable, a cross voided or.* [APPULDERFIELD.]

2. *The same, impaling CROCHRODE.*

... Kempe of Finchingfield in com. Essex Gentleman.

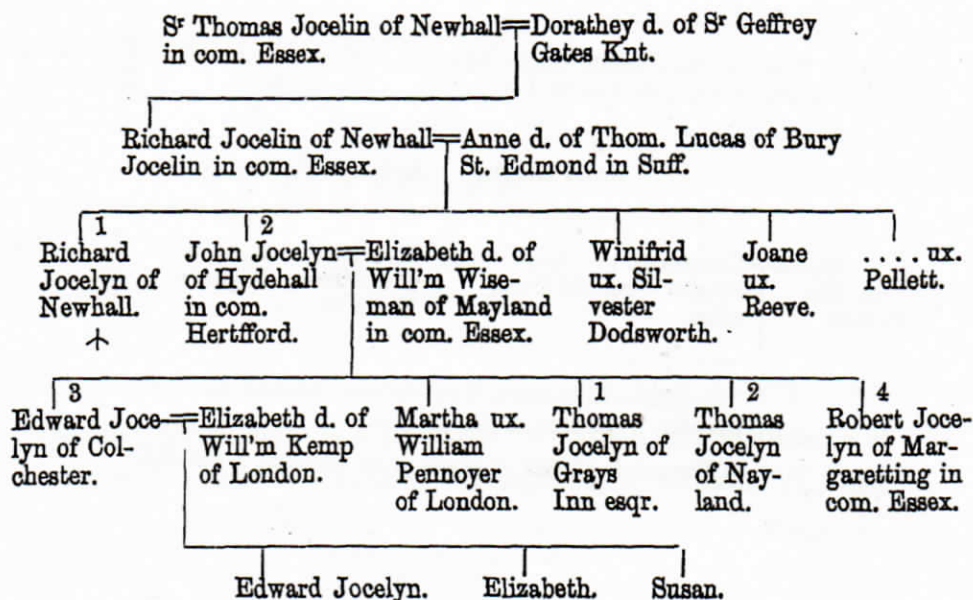
Robert Kempe of Spainshall of finchfield (Finchingfield) in com. Essex esquier, whoe lieth there buried. = ... daugh. and coheire to Alforde of Kente.

William Kempe of Spains in Finchfield (Finchingfield) in com. Essex esquier, sonne and heire. = Mary, daugh. to John Colte of Coltehall in Cavendishe in com. Suffolk, esquier and syster to S^r George Colte, Knight.

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Josselyn, Jocelin.

Arms as in Vis. of 1612, No. 1.



Jocelin of Hyde Hall.

ARMS.—*Azure, a circular wreath Argent and Sable with four hawks' bells conjoined thereto in quadrangle Or.*

CREST.—*A falcon's leg erased à la cuisse proper, belled Or.*

