

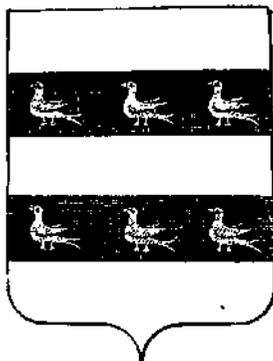
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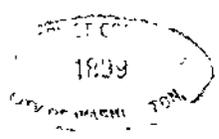
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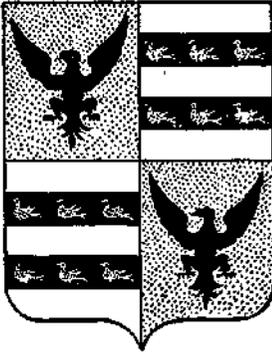


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## TEMPLE.

The descent of the Temple family has been derived from the Saxon earls of Mercia, and the fabulous arms attributed to those earls, have been, in some cases, prefixed (in the first quarter) to those originally borne by the Temples.



The origin of this family, which takes its name from residence in one of the houses of the Knights Templars, is recorded upon very substantial evidence, but the genealogical descent is obscure, as the Temples did not rise above the rank of small gentry until the latter part of the XVth century.

There are two very contradictory lines of descent of this family, both however leading to Robert I Temple, who was seated at Temple Hall, co. Leicester, in the XVth century, and with him we begin our account.

This Robert Temple left four sons: Nicholas, who succeeded him, but died without issue; Robert II, who inherited Temple Hall from his brother Nicholas; Thomas, the founder of the Line of Witney; and Henry, who left no posterity.

### Line of Temple Hall.

This Line is no longer heard of after 1660, when its representative, Peter Temple, a regicide, was imprisoned for life and Temple Hall was confiscated. This Peter had four sons; the two older ones left no issue, and the others and their descendants, if they had any, seem to have dropped out of sight.

### Line of Witney.

Thomas I Temple, the third son of Robert I Temple, of Temple Hall, settled at Witney, co. Oxford, and founded this Line. In tracing this Line we come to Thomas II, who had two sons, Robert and Peter; Robert continued the Line, of which, however, we hear nothing further after 1635; and Peter founded the Line of Stowe.

### Line of Stowe.

Peter Temple, the founder of this Line, had two sons: John, who continued the Line, and Anthony, who founded the Line of Coughton. The Line of Coughton, which became extinct in 1865, produced a number of prominent statesmen; among others, Sir William Temple, of the time of Charles the Second, and the late Lord Palmerston.

John, who continued the Line of Stowe, had five sons: Thomas, his heir, and the first Baronet; John, and Alexander, who founded, respectively, the two short-lived Lines of Frankton and Long House, and William and Peter, of whose issue nothing is known.

Sir Thomas Temple, the first Baronet, left four sons: Peter, his heir; Sir John Temple, of Biddlesden and Stantonbarry, Kt., founder of the Line of Stantonbarry; the Rev. Dr. Thomas Temple, founder of the Line of New England; and Miles, founder of the Line of Dover.

The Line of Stowe became extinct in 1749.

**Line of Stantonbarry.**

Sir John Temple, second son of Sir Thomas Temple, first Baronet, the founder of this Line, had two sons who left issue: Sir Peter, his heir, who continued the Line and whose representative succeeded to the Baronetcy in 1749; and Colonel Edmund Temple, of Sulby, the founder of the Line of Sulby.

The Line of Stantonbarry became extinct in 1786.

**The Line of Sulby.**

The last representative of this Line was Edmund Temple, who died without issue in 1796.

**The Line of New England.**

This Line, founded by the Rev. Dr. Thomas Temple, third son of Sir Thomas Temple, first Baronet, is at present represented by Sir Grenville Louis John Temple, twelfth Baronet.

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## DETAILED ACCOUNT OF THE LINES.

### Line of Temple Hall.<sup>1</sup>

#### ROBERT I TEMPLE,

OF TEMPLE HALL, AND BARTON UNDER NEEDWOOD, CO.  
STAFFORD, 1421.

**Married:** 1st, Joan, daughter of William Shepey, of Shepey.<sup>2</sup>

—— 2dly, Mary, daughter of Sir William Kingscote, Kt.

#### Issue.

1. **Nicholas Temple**, of whom later.
2. **Robert II Temple**, of whom later.
3. **Thomas Temple**, founder of the Line of Witney.<sup>3</sup>
4. **Henry Temple**, left no issue.



#### NICHOLAS TEMPLE,

OF TEMPLE HALL.

**Died:** in 1506; left no issue; buried in the yard of the church at Shepey Magna.<sup>5</sup>

**Married:** Elizabeth, daughter of — Burdett; she was alive in 1512; buried with her husband.

<sup>1</sup> See Appendix, page 7.

<sup>2</sup> See Appendix, page 8.

<sup>3</sup> See page 13.

<sup>4</sup> "Argent, two bars sable, each charged with three martlets or."

<sup>5</sup> See Appendix, page 8.

**ROBERT II TEMPLE,**

OF TEMPLE HALL, AND BARTON UNDER NEEDWOOD.<sup>1</sup>

(Succeeded his brother Nicholas, at Temple Hall, in 1506.)

**Issue.**

1. **Richard I Temple**, of whom later.

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**RICHARD I TEMPLE,**

OF TEMPLE HALL, AND BARTON UNDER NEEDWOOD.

**Died:** in 1507.

**Married:** Elizabeth, daughter of Richard Vincent.

**Issue.**

1. **Roger Temple**, of whom later.
2. ——— **Temple**; supposed to have been the wife of Sir Anthony Fitzherbert.<sup>2</sup>

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**ROGER TEMPLE,**

OF TEMPLE HALL, AND BARTON UNDER NEEDWOOD.

**Died:** in 1522; buried in the Church at Tatynhull, co. Stafford.

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<sup>1</sup>Barton under Needwood was given to him by his father, Robert I Temple.

<sup>2</sup>Sir Anthony Fitzherbert was a distinguished lawyer of the reign of Henry VIII; Judge of the Court of Common Pleas; author of the "Grand Abridgment," and of other works; died in 1538; one of the Overseers of the will of his brother-in-law, Roger Temple.

**Will:** February 20th 1521-22; proved April 16th 1522. (Consistory Court of Coventry and Lichfield. Liber I. page 36.)<sup>1</sup>

**Married:** Anne, daughter of John Beaufoy; she was alive in 1522; buried with her husband.

### Issue.

1. **Richard II Temple**, of whom later.

2. **Robert Temple**,<sup>2</sup> of Barton under Needwood; died in 1534; will of February 21st 1533-34; proved July 13th 1534 (Consistory Court of Coventry and Lichfield. File for 1534.);<sup>3</sup> married Anne —; she was alive in 1534; besides his eldest son Thomas, who was not 18 in 1534, he had other children, among whom, probably a son Robert.<sup>4</sup>

3. — **Temple**; wife of Henry Coteton; both alive in 1522.

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## RICHARD II TEMPLE,

### OF TEMPLE HALL.

**Died:** in 1556; buried at Sibbesdon,<sup>5</sup> co. Leicester.

**Married:** prior to 1522, Joyce, daughter and coheiress of — Lovett, of Welford, co. Northampton; she died in 1554, and was buried with her husband.<sup>6</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> See Appendix, page 9.

<sup>2</sup> In 1610, Administration was granted upon the goods of Nathaniel Temple, of Barton under Needwood (Consistory Court of Coventry and Lichfield. Act Book II, fol. 120.); this Nathaniel may have been a descendant of Robert.

<sup>3</sup> See Appendix, page 10.

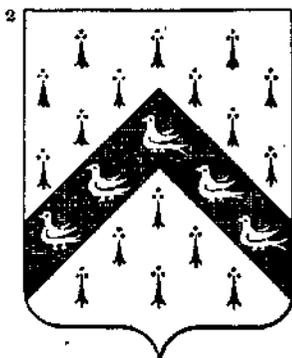
<sup>4</sup> See will of Richard III Temple, of Temple Hall.

<sup>5</sup> A parish near Market Bosworth, in which is situated Temple Hall.

<sup>6</sup> Their tomb had inscribed upon it: "Richard Temple and Joyce his wife. He died 1556."

**Issue.<sup>1</sup>**

1. **Richard III Temple**, of whom later.



**RICHARD III TEMPLE,**  
OF TEMPLE HALL.

**Died:** buried at Sibbesdon,<sup>3</sup>  
January 24th 1567-68.

**Will:** January 14th 1567-68;  
proved March 24th 1567-68. (6  
Babington.)<sup>4</sup>

**Married:** Elizabeth, daughter  
of John George, of Baudington,  
co. Gloucester; she was buried  
November 10th 1594 in the same  
tomb with her husband.

**Issue.**

1. **Edmund I Temple**, of whom later.
2. **Richard Temple**; not 21 in 1568; supposed to have left no issue.
3. **Mary Temple**; married: 1st, later than 1568, — Dicie, of Ridlington; 2dly, William Bulstrode.

**EDMUND I TEMPLE,**  
OF TEMPLE HALL.

**Born:** not 21 in 1568.

**Will:** February 15th 1615-16; proved October 12th

<sup>1</sup> There may have been other children, but we have no record of them.

<sup>2</sup> Arms: "Ermine, a chevron sable charged with five martlets argent."<sup>3</sup>

<sup>3</sup> See Appendix, page 11.

<sup>4</sup> See Appendix, page 11.

1618. (Archdeaconry Court of Leicester. File for 1618, No. 77.)<sup>1</sup> and also (67 Cope.)

**Married:** Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Burgoine, of Wroxhall, co. Warwick, Esq.; her will is of April 24th 1657; proved December 15th 1657. (359 Ruthen.)<sup>2</sup>

#### Issue.

1. **Paul Temple**, of whom later.

2. **Mary Temple**; married, prior to 1616, Robert Shilton, of Birmingham, co. Warwick; she was probably not alive in 1657.

3. **Elizabeth Temple**; married, prior to 1616, Henry Bannister of Upton; she was probably not alive in 1657.

4. **Jonathan Temple**, born in 1598; died in 1619; buried at Sibbesdon; his will is of November 22d 1619; proved January 9th 1619-20. (Archdeaconry Court of Leicester. File for 1620, No. 59.)<sup>3</sup>

5. **Peter Temple**, of whom later.

6. **James Temple**; died between 1616 and 1619; left no issue.

7. **Joseph Temple**, of the Would, Matlocke, Derbyshire; born in 1606; living in 1657; his 2d wife was Milliecent, sister of Henry Flint, of New England, and widow of Robert Hall; her will of December 25th 1654, was proved November 20th 1655, (444 Aylett.)<sup>4</sup> Joseph Temple, by a first marriage, had a son Benjamin Temple, who was living in 1657, and at that time was not 21 years old.

8. **Anne Temple**, baptized at Sibbesdon, June 14th, 1607; alive in 1657, and at that time wife or widow of—— Egerton.

9. **Benjamin Temple**, born in 1610; alive in 1657.

10. **Martha Temple**, baptized at Sibbesdon, January 17th——; probably not alive in 1657.

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<sup>1</sup> See Appendix, page 13.

<sup>2</sup> See Appendix, page 17.

<sup>3</sup> See Appendix, page 18.

<sup>4</sup> See Appendix, page 23.

**PAUL TEMPLE,**

OF TEMPLE HALL.

**Born:** in 1590.**Died:** in 1641.**Issue.**

1. **Edmund II Temple**; alive in 1619; died prior to 1641; left no issue.

2. **John Temple**; <sup>1</sup> alive in 1619; died prior to 1641; left no issue.

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**PETER TEMPLE,**

OF TEMPLE HALL.

**Born:** baptized at Sibbesdon, October 14th 1600.**Died:** subsequently to 1660.**Married:** Phoebe, daughter of John Geering of London, grocer.**Issue.**

1. **Edmund III Temple**; buried at Sibbesdon, November 13th 1628; left no issue.

2. **John Temple**, baptized at Sibbesdon, March 22d 1625-26; left no issue; probably not alive in 1657.

3. **Edmund IV Temple**; alive in 1657.

4. **Peter Temple**, baptized at Sibbesdon, June 10th 1635; alive in 1657.

5. **Phoebe Temple**; alive in 1657.

6. **Elizabeth Temple**; alive in 1657.

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<sup>1</sup> Mentioned in 1619 in the will of his uncle, Jonathan Temple.

**Account of Peter Temple.**

At one time a linen-draper in Leicester. On the death of his brother Paul, he inherited Temple Hall.

1645, Sheriff of Leicestershire.

Captain of a troop.

Defended Leicester for Parliament.

1645 Nov. 17th, Member of Parliament.

Sat on the King's trial, and was one of the signers of the warrant for his execution.

1660, arraigned as a regicide and condemned to death; sentence commuted to imprisonment for life; Temple Hall confiscated.

With him ends all trace of this Line.

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**Line of Witney.**

**THOMAS I TEMPLE,**

OF WITNEY, CO. OXFORD.

(Third son of Robert I Temple of Temple Hall.)

**Married:** Mary, daughter of Sir Thomas Gedney, Kt.

**Issue.**

1. **William Temple**, of whom later.

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**WILLIAM TEMPLE,**

OF WITNEY.

**Married:** Isabella, daughter of Sir Henry Everton, Kt.

**Issue.**

1. **Thomas II Temple**, of whom later.

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**THOMAS II TEMPLE,**

OF WITNEY.

**Married:** Alice, daughter of John Eritage, of Burton Dassett, co. Warwick.

**Issue.**

1. **Robert Temple**, of whom later.
2. **Peter Temple**. Founder of the Line of Stowe.<sup>1</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> See page 16.

**ROBERT TEMPLE,**

OF GOODRICHE CASTLE, CO. HEREFORD AND WITNEY.

**Will:** September 2d 1568; proved February 8th 1568-69.  
(4 Sheffield.)<sup>1</sup>

**Married:** wife not alive in 1568.

**Issue.**

1. **Cuthbert Temple**, of whom later.

**CUTHBERT TEMPLE,**

OF STANLAKE.

**Died:** prior to 1568.

**Issue.**<sup>2</sup>

1. **Peter Temple**, of whom later.

**PETER TEMPLE,**

OF CHILVERSCOTTON, CO. WARWICK.

**Died:** in 1615; buried in the Church at Chilverscotton.

**Will:** May 4th 1609; Administration granted September 19th 1615. (Consistory Court of Coventry and Lichfield. File for 1615.)<sup>3</sup>

**Married:** Anne, daughter and coheirress of Henry Acres, of Chilverscotton; she was alive in 1609, though not in 1635; buried with her husband.

<sup>1</sup> See Appendix, page 25.

<sup>2</sup> Fide his father's will, Cuthbert had more than one son.

<sup>3</sup> See Appendix, page 26.

**Issue.**

1. **Acres Temple**; buried at Padbury, co. Bucks, February 3d 1624-25; left no issue.
2. **William Temple**, of whom later.
3. **Henry Temple**; not 21 in 1609; died in 1635; buried at Chilverscotton, near his parents; his will of July 17th 1635, was proved, December 2d 1635. (Consistory Court of Coventry and Lichfield. File for 1635.)<sup>1</sup>
4. **Elizabeth Temple**; not 21 in 1609; married, prior to 1635, — Horley; she was still living in 1635.
5. **Anne Temple**; not 21 in 1609; alive and unmarried in 1635.
6. **Millicent Temple**; not 21 in 1609; married, prior to 1635, — Clarke; she was alive in 1635.
7. — **Temple**; married, prior to 1635, — Wagstaff; she was alive in 1635.

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**WILLIAM TEMPLE.**

**Died:** alive in 1640.

**Married:** Mary —.

**Issue.**

1. Acres Temple; alive in 1635.
  2. Mary Temple; alive in 1635.
  3. Martha Temple; baptized at Padbury, co. Bucks August 30th 1640.
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<sup>1</sup>See Appendix, page 27.

## Line of Stowe.

**PETER TEMPLE,**

OF BURTON DASSETT AND STOWE.

(Second son of Thomas II Temple.)

**Died:** at Stowe, May 28th 1577; buried at Burton Dasset.<sup>1</sup>

**Will:** April 8th 1570; proved June 11th 1578. (26 Langley.)<sup>2</sup>

**Married:** Millicent, daughter of William Jekyll, of Newington, co. Middlesex; she died at Stowe, December 6th 1582; buried with her husband; will of January 15th 1581-82, proved February 5th 1582-83. (5 Rowe.)<sup>3</sup>

## Issue.

1. **John Temple**, of whom later.
2. **Anthony Temple**; founder of the Line of Coughton.<sup>4</sup>
3. **Millicent Temple**; married — Pulteney; she was alive in 1582.
4. **Margaret Temple**; married, prior to 1582, John Brett, Esq.; she was living in 1582.
5. **Alice Temple**; married — Stafford; she was living in 1582, a widow.
6. **Anne Temple**; married, prior to 1582, Paul Tracy, Esq.; she was living in 1582.
7. **Susan Temple**; <sup>5</sup> married, prior to 1582, Richard Peton,<sup>6</sup> Esq.; she was probably not alive in 1582.

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<sup>1</sup> See Appendix, page 28.

<sup>2</sup> See Appendix, page 30.

<sup>3</sup> See Appendix, page 32.

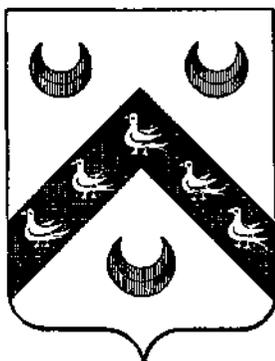
<sup>4</sup> See page 24.

<sup>5</sup> Mentioned in the will of her brother Anthony.

<sup>6</sup> There is some doubt about this name "Peton," which is taken from the will of Millicent Temple, in which it is very indistinctly written.

**Account of Peter Temple.**

1553, obtained from the Crown a grant of the manor of Merston Boteler, co. Warwick.



1554, leased the manor of Stowe<sup>1</sup> from the Bishop of Oxford.

1560, purchased two-thirds of the manor of Burton Dassett, co. Warwick.

1567, received a grant of the following arms: "Argent, a chevron sable charged with five martlets of the field, between three crescents gules."

**JOHN TEMPLE,  
OF STOWE.**

**Born:** in 1542.

**Died:** at Stowe, May 11th 1603; buried at Burton Dassett.

**Will:** July 18th 1597; proved May 26th 1603. (32 Bolein.)<sup>3</sup>

**Married:** November 24th 1561, Susan, second daughter and coheirress of Thomas Spencer, of Everdon, co. Northampton; her will of December 16th 1612 was proved July 8th 1614; (89 Lane);<sup>4</sup> buried with her husband.



<sup>1</sup> See Appendix, page 33.

<sup>2</sup> Arms from tomb: "Sable, a chevron armine, between three martlets argent."

<sup>3</sup> See Appendix, page 33.

<sup>4</sup> See Appendix, page 37.

## Issue.

1. **Thomas Temple**, of whom later.
2. **George Temple**; died young.
3. **John Temple**; founder of the Line of Frankton.<sup>1</sup>
4. **Alexander Temple**; founder of the Line of Long House.<sup>2</sup>
5. **William Temple**; a merchant in London; not 21 in 1597; not alive in 1642; he married, prior to 1611, Jane, daughter of Sir Thomas Beaumont, of Stoughton, co. Leicester, Kt.; in 1633 he had daughters living, besides other children.
6. **Peter Temple**; not 21 in 1597; he married, probably later than 1611, — Kendall; he was alive in 1642.
7. **Catherine Temple**; married at Stepney, co. Middlesex, May 29th 1593, Sir Nicholas Parker, of Ratton, co. Sussex, Kt.; she was alive in 1611.
8. **Susan Temple**; married, later than 1582, Sir Thomas Denton, of Hillesdon, co. Bucks, Kt.; she was alive in 1611.
9. **Mary Temple**; married, later than 1582, John Farmer, of Marlow, co. Bucks; she was alive in 1611, and at that time probably a widow.
10. **Millicent Temple**; married at Stowe in 1583, Edward Saunders, of Rycksworth, co. Northampton; she was alive in 1611.
11. **Dorothy Temple**; christened at Stowe, September 28th 1572; married at Stowe in 1597, Paul Risley, of Chetwood, co. Bucks; she was alive in 1611.
12. **Elizabeth Temple**; married in 1600, William Fiennes, Viscount Saye and Sele; she was alive in 1611.

## Account of John Temple.

An opulent man. He resided both at Burton Dassett and at Stowe. In 1590 he purchased the fee of the manor of Stowe.

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<sup>1</sup> See page 34.

<sup>2</sup> See page 37.

**Sir THOMAS TEMPLE, 1st Bart.,**  
OF STOWE.

**Born:** not 21 in 1583.

**Died:** at Stowe in 1637; buried at Burton Dassett.

**Will:** February 4th 1632-33; proved March 13th 1636-37. (40 Goare.)<sup>1</sup>

**Married:** Hester,<sup>2</sup> daughter of Miles Sandys, of Latimers, co. Bucks; she was born at Latimers; baptized at Chesham, co. Bucks, in 1569; died in 1656; buried at Burton Dassett; will of September 26th 1654, proved August 9th 1656. (300 Berkeley.)<sup>3</sup>

**Issue.**

1. **Peter Temple**, of whom later.
2. **John Temple**, born October 31st 1592; died January 1st 1592-93; buried at Stowe.<sup>4</sup>
3. **Sir John Temple**, of Biddlesden and Stantonbarry, co. Bucks, Kt. Founder of the Line of Stantonbarry.<sup>5</sup>
4. **Rev. Dr. Thomas Temple**. Founder of the Line of New England.<sup>6</sup>
5. **Miles Temple**. Founder of the Line of Dover.<sup>7</sup>
6. **Bridget Temple**; alive in 1654; married Sir John Lenthall, Kt.
7. **Susan Temple**; married Sir Edward Clarke, Kt.
8. **Hester Temple**; married at Stowe, Sir John Rous, Kt.
9. **Martha Temple**; married Sir Thomas Pennistoun, Bart.; she died January 25th 1619-20, aged 25 years; buried at Stowe.

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<sup>1</sup> See Appendix, page 38.

<sup>2</sup> Fide Fuller, she is supposed to have seen 700 of her descendants.

<sup>3</sup> See Appendix, page 39.

<sup>4</sup> See Appendix, page 33.

<sup>5</sup> See page 39.

<sup>6</sup> See page 53.

<sup>7</sup> See page 51.

10. **Elizabeth Temple**; alive in 1654; married Sir Henry Gibbs, Kt.

11. **Catherine Temple**; alive in 1654; married Sir William Ashcombe, Kt.

12. **Anne Temple**; married Sir William Andrewes, Kt.; she died in 1661.

13. **Margaret Temple**; alive in 1654; married Sir Edward Longueville, Bart., of Wolverton, co. Bucks.

14. **Millicent Temple**; alive in 1654; married Thomas Ogie, of Pinchbeck, Esq.

#### Account of Sir Thomas Temple.

1608 June, knighted.

1611 September 24th, created a Baronet.

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#### Sir PETER TEMPLE,<sup>1</sup> 2d Bart.,

OF STOWE.

**Born**: baptized at Stowe, October 10th 1592.

**Died**: buried at Stowe in 1653.

**Will**: intestate; January 6th 1653-54, Administration issued to Thomas Smith, Gen., principal creditor.

**Married**: 1st. in 1614, Anne, daughter and coheirress of Sir Arthur Throckmorton, of Paulespury, co. Northampton, Kt.; she was buried at Stowe, January 23d 1619-20.

2dly. at Kensington, May 30th 1630, Christiana, daughter and coheirress of Sir John Leveson, of Walling, co. Kent, Kt.; she was buried at Stowe, April 3d 1655.

#### Issue.

1. **Anne Temple**; married Thomas, Viscount Baltin-glass.

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<sup>1</sup> For certain papers in a Chancery Suit brought by him against his father, see 3d edition, page 89.

2. **Richard Temple**, of whom later.
3. **Henry Temple**; died unmarried, prior to 1654; buried at Stowe.
4. **John Temple**, of London; alive in 1654; married several times; buried at Basingstoke.
5. **Frances Temple**; married Weston Ridgway, Earl of Londonderry; she was not alive in 1683.
6. **Hester Temple**; married John Dodington, eldest son of Sir Francis Dodington, of Dodington, co. Somerset; left a widow in 1663; she was alive in 1683.
7. **Christiana Temple**; married December 11th 1661, John Risley, of co. Bucks; she was alive in 1683.
8. **Martha Temple**; married November 26th 1666, Christopher Broughton.
9. **Penelope Temple**; never married; buried at Stowe, March 11th 1669-70.

#### **Account of Sir Peter Temple, 2d Bart.**

Member for Buckingham in the two last Parliaments of Charles I.

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#### **Sir RICHARD TEMPLE, 3d Bart., OF STOWE.**

**Born:** March 28th 1634.

**Died:** buried at Stowe, May 15th 1697.

**Will:** August 22d 1683; proved November 9th 1697. (258 Pyne.)<sup>1</sup>

**Married:** Mary, daughter of Henry Knapp, of Rawlins, co. Oxford; she was buried at Stowe, January 25th 1726-27; her will, dated May 15th 1725, was proved February 3d 1726-27. (52 Farrant.)<sup>2</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> See Appendix, page 40.

<sup>2</sup> See Appendix, page 45.

**Issue.**

1. **Richard Temple**, of whom later.
2. **Purbeck Temple**; not 21 in 1683; buried at Stowe, March 5th 1698; left no issue.
3. **Henry Temple**; died in Ireland in 1703; left no issue; intestate.<sup>1</sup>
4. **Arthur Temple**; left no issue; buried at Stowe, February 4th 1701-02; will of February 1st 1701-2, proved May 18th 1702. (86 Hen.)<sup>2</sup>
5. **Hester Temple**; died October 6th 1752. Letters of Administration on her effects were granted, February 1st 1753, to her son Richard, Earl Temple. She married, later than 1702, Richard Grenville, of Wotton, co. Bucks; she succeeded to the peerages of her brother, Lord Cobham; created Countess Temple in 1749; ancestress of the recently extinguished ducal House of Buckingham.
6. **Christian Temple**; born June 11th 1688; married May 8th 1708, Sir Thomas Lyttelton, Bart.; she died April 10th 1748.
7. **Maria Temple**; married 1st. Richard West, D. D., Archdeacon of Berks; 2dly. Sir John Langham, Bart.
8. **Penelope Temple**; married Moses Beranger, of London; she was buried at Stowe in 1725.

**Account of Sir Richard Temple, 3d Bart.**

Served for Buckingham in the Restoration Parliament, and remained a Member of Parliament until his death; in 1661, he was one of the 68 persons of distinction created Knights of the Bath, to attend Charles II at his coronation.

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<sup>1</sup> August 3d 1703. Commission to Mary Temple, widow, mother of Henry Temple, Ar., late of Stow, Bucks, but in Ireland, dec.

<sup>2</sup> See Appendix, page 45.





Richard Temple Viscount Cobham

The coat of arms of the Temple family, featuring a shield with a cross and four lions, supported by two lions, and topped with a crown. The motto 'TEMPLE' is visible on a ribbon below the shield.

Engraved by J. Smith

**Sir RICHARD TEMPLE, 4th Bart.,**  
OF STOWE.

**Born:** not 21 in 1683.

**Died:** September 12th 1749, at Stowe; buried there.

**Will:** June 8th 1748; proved October 13th 1749. (307 Lisle.)<sup>1</sup>

**Married:** Anne, daughter and heiress of Edward Halsey, of Southwark; she died March 29th 1760.

**Account of Sir Richard Temple.**

1714 October 19th, created Baron Cobham, of Cobham, co. Kent.

1718 May 23d, created Viscount and Baron Cobham, with remainder, in default of issue, to his sister Hester, wife of Richard Grenville, and her heirs male, and with a like remainder to his sister, Christian, Lady Lyttelton.

The last male of the Line of Stowe; on his death the baronetcy devolved upon William Temple of Nash House, Kempsey, co. Worcester, the representative of the Line of Stantonbarry; the peerages passed to his sister Hester, Mrs. Grenville, the ancestress of the recently extinguished ducal House of Buckingham, and the estates went, under settlement, to her eldest son.

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<sup>1</sup> See Appendix, page 46.

**Line of Coughton.****ANTHONY TEMPLE,**

OF COUGHTON, CO. WARWICK.

(Second Son of Peter Temple, of Burton Dassett and Stowe.)

**Died:** not alive in 1581.**Will:** December 29th 1580; proved June 3d 1581. (21 Darcy.)<sup>1</sup>**Married:** Jane, daughter of — Bargrave; she was alive in 1580.**Issue.**

1. **Peter Temple;** not 18 in 1580; alive in 1597, but not heard of after that time.
2. **Anne Temple.**<sup>2</sup>
3. — **Temple,** (daughter.)
4. — **Temple,** (daughter.)
5. **William Temple,** of whom later.

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**Sir WILLIAM TEMPLE, Kt.**<sup>3</sup>**Born:** not 18 in 1580.**Died:** January 15th, 1626–27; buried on the 20th inst. under the Provost's seat in the Chapel of Trinity College, Dublin.**Will:** December 21st 1626; proved in 1627. (Public Record office of Ireland, Dublin.)<sup>4</sup>**Married:** Martha, daughter of Robert Harrison, of co. Derby, Esq.; she outlived her husband.

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<sup>1</sup> See Appendix, page 50.<sup>2</sup> Mentioned in 1580 in her father's will; all three daughters are referred to in 1582, though not by name, in the will of their grandmother Millicent Temple.<sup>3</sup> Arms: "Argent, two bars sable, each charged with three martlets or"; also, "Sable, a chevron ermine between three martlets argent."<sup>4</sup> See Appendix, page 51.

## Issue.

1. **John Temple**, of whom later.

2. **Rev. Thomas Temple**; <sup>1</sup> Fellow of Trinity College, Dublin; presented March 6th 1626-27, to the Rectory of Old Ross, in the Diocese of Fernes; in 1634 he was instituted of Battersea, co. Surrey, in which parish he was still until 1639; <sup>2</sup> in 1641 he became a prominent preacher in London, and later a frequent preacher before the Long Parliament; one of the Assembly of Divines; an adventurer in Ireland, and by subscribing the sum of £450, had assigned to him 750 acres in the county Westmeath. The Rev. Thomas Temple died probably prior to 1671; he left no will; he was buried in his wife's family vault under the aisle in the Church of St. Lawrence at Reading, Berks; he married Anne, of a family from Reading; she died, probably in 1683, and was buried with her husband; her will, dated London, January 19<sup>th</sup>, 1679-80, was proved May 4<sup>th</sup>, 1683 (64 Drax.); <sup>3</sup> they had issue two daughters, <sup>4</sup> Frances Temple, who married ——— Woodward, of Reading, the other daughter married Rev. William Durham, Rector of St. Mildred, Bread Street, London, who at the time was probably a widower.

3. **Catherine Temple**; married; 1st, John Archdall, of Castle Archdall, co. Fermanagh, Esq.; 2dly, prior to December 1626, Sir John Vell, Kt.; she died November 13th 1642; buried on the 15th inst. in St. Warbrogh's Church, Dublin.

4. **Mary Temple**; married Job Ward, of Knockragh, co. Wicklow, Esq.; she died December 24th 1627.

5. **Martha Temple**; never married; died December 6th 1675; buried in St. Warbrogh's Church, Dublin.

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<sup>1</sup> Not to be confounded with Thomas Temple, D. C. L., third son of Sir Thomas Temple, 1st Bart., and who was founder of the Line of New England.

<sup>2</sup> See Appendix, page 110.

<sup>3</sup> See Appendix, page 53.

<sup>4</sup> It has been stated that the Rev. Thomas Temple was the ancestor of the Line of Mount-Temple, of co. Westmeath, but I have met with no evidence indicating that he left issue male.

### Account of Sir William Temple, Kt.

Employed by Sir Philip Sidney. Sir Philip left him an annuity of £30, and recommended him to the Earl of Essex. The Earl of Essex employed him as secretary until the end of his career, when William Temple retired to Ireland. In 1609 he became Provost of Trinity College, an office he held until his death, together with a Mastership in Chancery, to which he was appointed in the same year. He sat in Parliament in 1613, and on May 4th 1622, he was knighted in Ireland.

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### Sir JOHN TEMPLE, Kt.<sup>1</sup>

**Born:** in 1600.

**Died:** November 12th 1677; buried on the 19th inst. in the Chapel of Trinity College, Dublin.

**Will:** July 4th 1676; proved in 1677. (Public Record Office of Ireland, Dublin.)<sup>2</sup>

**Married:** at St. Michael's Church, Cornhill, London, March 26th 1627, Mary, daughter of Robert Hammond, of Chertsey, co. Surrey; she died in November 1638; buried at Penshurst, co. Huntingdon.

### Issue.

1. **William Temple**, of whom later.
2. **John Temple**, of whom later.
3. **Henry Temple**, of Lincoln's Inn, London; married<sup>3</sup> Mary, daughter of Calcot Chambre, Esq., and widow of Alexander Temple, of Ballinderry, Esq., of the Line of

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<sup>1</sup> Arms: "Argent, two bars sable, each charged with three martlets or."

<sup>2</sup> See Appendix, page 55.

<sup>3</sup> He may possibly have been married more than once, as in his will he refers to: "Mr. David Ward my Wife's Brother."





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SIR WILLIAM TEMPLE, BART.

IN THE COLLECTION OF SIR GEORGE OSBORN, BART.,  
CHICKSANDS PRIORY.

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In the Collection of John Temple Esq.

W. Kneller sculp. 1690

J. Kneller sculp.

Long House. Henry Temple died in 1699; his will, of March 5th 1692-93, was proved March 29th 1699-1700. (50 Pett.)<sup>1</sup>

#### Issue.

1. **Chambre Temple**; not 16 in July 1676; he died at the age of 17.

4. **Martha Temple**; married April 21st 1662, Sir Thomas Giffard, of Castle Jordan, co. Meath, Bart.; she died December 31st 1722, aged 84 years, and was buried in Westminster Abbey, January 5th 1722-23.

#### Account of Sir John Temple, Kt.

He was knighted at Anderweek, in Scotland, on the 16th of July, 1633.

Appointed Master of the Rolls in Ireland in 1640, a post he retained until his death. Sir John sided with Parliament, and was much trusted by Cromwell. At the Restoration he was continued in his office, and in 1663 he obtained a reversionary grant of the same for his oldest son. He inherited the friendship of the Sidney family, and when Robert Sidney, Earl of Leicester, was Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, he enjoyed his confidence.

In 1646 he published a history of the Irish Rebellion, which was generally accepted as a work of merit.

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#### Sir WILLIAM TEMPLE, Bart.,<sup>2</sup>

OF MOOR PARK, CO. SURREY.

(The well-known statesman of the time of Charles II; created Baronet, January 31st, 1665-66.)

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<sup>1</sup> See Appendix, page 57.

<sup>2</sup> Arms: "Sable, a chevron ermine between three martlets argent."

**Born:** in London in 1628.

**Died:** at Moor Park, in January 1698-99; buried, February 1st, 1698-99, in the south aisle in Westminster Abbey; his heart was interred near the sun-dial in Moor Park; he left no issue male.

**Will:** March 8th 1695-96; proved March 29th 1698-99. (50 Pett.)<sup>1</sup>

**Married:** January 31st 1654-55, Dorothy, second daughter of Sir Peter Osborne, of Chicksands, co. Bedford, Kt.; she died at Moor Park in her 66th year; she was buried in Westminster Abbey, February 7th 1694-95.

### Issue.<sup>2</sup>

1. **John Temple**, of whom later.

2. **Diana Temple**; born September 14th 1665; baptized at Richmond, Surrey, September 22d of the same year; never married; buried in Westminster Abbey, March 27th 1679.

### John Temple.<sup>3</sup>

(Secretary at War in 1689.)

**Died:** in 1689.

**Will:** August 17th 1686; proved November 22d 1689. (166 Ent.)<sup>4</sup>

**Married:** September 7th 1685, Mary, only daughter of Monsieur Duplessis Rambouillet, of France; she died in October 1710; her will of October 20th 1710, was proved October 21st 1710. (220 Smith.)<sup>5</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> See Appendix, page 58.

<sup>2</sup> Besides the two children enumerated, Sir William Temple had seven other children, who all died in infancy.

<sup>3</sup> For certificate of nobility issued to him by the College of Arms, see Appendix, page 60.

<sup>4</sup> See Appendix, page 63.

<sup>5</sup> See Appendix, page 63.

*Dorothy Daughter of Sir Peter Osborne & Wife to  
William Temple Bar<sup>t</sup>, Ambassador to the  
States General*



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DOROTHY OSBORNE, LADY TEMPLE.

IN THE COLLECTION OF SIR GEORGE OSBORN, BART.,  
CHICKSANDS PRIORY.



**Issue.**

1. **Elizabeth Temple**; married, prior to 1708, John Temple, a son of her great-uncle Sir John Temple, Kt.; she left no issue.

2. **Dorothy Temple**; married, later than 1710, Nicholas Bacon, of Shrubland, co. Suffolk; she left issue.

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**Sir JOHN TEMPLE, Kt.**

**Born:** in 1633.

**Died:** at East Sheen, co. Surrey, March 10th 1704-05 buried in the churchyard at Mortlake, on the 16th of the same month.

**Will:** November 22d 1704; proved March 15th 1704-05. (154 See.)<sup>1</sup>

**Married:** August 4th 1663, Jane, daughter of Sir Abraham Yarnor, of Dublin, Kt.; she was buried with her husband, on the 25th of June 1708; her will of April 12th 1708, was proved July 6th 1708. (190 Barrett.)<sup>2</sup>

**Issue.**

1. **Catherine Temple**; baptized September 4th 1664; married December 15th 1681, Charles Ward, of Killough, co. Down, Esq.; 2dly, Charles King, of Dublin, Esq.; she died in June 1694.

2. **Dorothy Temple**; baptized November 7th 1665; married in 1682 Francis, son and heir of Sir Robert Colvil, of Mount Colvil, co. Antrim, Kt.; 2dly, and prior to 1704, Sir Basil Dixwell, of Broomhouse, co. Kent, Bart.; she died in 1718.

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<sup>1</sup> See Appendix, page 64.

<sup>2</sup> See Appendix, page 67.

3. **Elizabeth Temple**; baptized March 31st 1667; never married; buried in St. Michan's Church, Dublin.

4. **Mary Temple**; <sup>1</sup> baptized May 30th 1668; married January 17th 1683-84, Thomas Flower, of Darrow, Esq.; she was not alive in 1708.

5. **Lucy Temple**; baptized August 29th 1669; never married; buried at Mortlake, November 29th 1733.

6. **William Temple**; baptized April 21st 1671; buried in St. Michan's Church, Dublin, February 11th 1678-79.

7. **Jane Temple**; born in 1672; married, John, Lord Berkeley, of Stratton; 2dly, May 16th 1700, William, Earl of Portland, whose second wife she was; appointed Governess to the oldest daughters of George II, April 12th 1718; she died in London, March 26th 1751; buried at Mortlake.

8. **Henry Temple**; 1st Viscount Palmerston, of whom later.

9. **William Temple**; died in infancy.

10. **John Temple**, of Moor Park; baptized March 28th 1680.

**Died**: buried in the grave of Sir William Temple, the Statesman, in the south aisle of Westminster Abbey, February 20th 1752-53.

**Will**: proved February 22d 1752-53. (53 Bettesworth.)<sup>2</sup>

**Married**: prior to 1708, Elizabeth Temple, his cousin, daughter of John Temple, Secretary at War; she died May 1st 1772, aged 86 years, and was buried, on the 9th of the same month, in the south aisle of Westminster Abbey; her will, of February 13th 1760, was proved May 15th 1772. (197 Taverner.)<sup>3</sup>

### Issue.

1. **Mary Temple**, born prior to 1710; buried at St. James, Westminster, April 18th 1745.

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<sup>1</sup> She is mentioned, in 1676, in the will of her grandfather, Sir John Temple, Kt.

<sup>2</sup> See Appendix, page 68.

<sup>3</sup> See Appendix, page 70.

2. **William Temple**, born prior to 1710; not alive in 1745.

3. **Elizabeth Temple**, born prior to 1710; not alive in 1745.

4. **Jane Temple**, born prior to 1710; not alive in 1745.

11. **Frances Temple**; married, prior to 1704, William, Lord Berkeley, of Stratton, brother and heir of Lord John, the first husband of her sister, Jane Temple; Frances died July 16th 1707.

#### Account of Sir John Temple, Kt.

Solicitor-General of Ireland in 1660, Speaker of the Irish House of Commons in 1663, and in 1684 Attorney-General. Knighted in Ireland, August 15th 1663. His latter days he spent in England.

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#### HENRY TEMPLE,<sup>1</sup>

1ST VISCOUNT PALMERSTON.

**Born:** in 1673.

**Died:** at Chelsea, June 10th 1757.

**Married:** 1st, prior to 1704, Anne, daughter of Abraham Houblon, of London, Esq.; she died December 8th 1735; 2dly, at St. Antholin's Church, London, May 11th 1738, Isabella, daughter of Sir Francis Gerrard, of Harrow on the Hill, co. Middlesex, Bart., widow of Sir John Fryer, Bart., Lord Mayor of London in 1721; she died, near Hammersmith, August 11th 1762.

#### Issue.

1. **Henry Temple**; died at Mortlake, August 18th 1740; buried there, the 25th of the same month; his will of July 12th 1740, was proved December 19th 1740. (334

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<sup>1</sup> Arms: "1 and 4, or, an eagle displayed sable; 2 and 3, argent, two bars sable, each charged with three martlets or." Supporters, etc.

Browne.)<sup>1</sup> Married, 1st, June 18th 1733, Elizabeth, daughter of Colonel Lee; she died at Lyons in October 1736; 2dly, at St. Antholin's Church, London, September 12th 1738, Jane, daughter of Sir John Barnard, Kt., at that time Lord Mayor of London; she died in January 1788; her will was proved February 14th 1789. (119 Macham.)<sup>2</sup> Henry Temple left issue: Henry Temple, 2d Viscount Palmerston, of whom later.

2. **Jane Temple**, born February 5th 1703-04; never married; died December 23d 1728; buried at Mortlake, January 3d 1728-29.

3. **Elizabeth Temple**; never married; died at East Sheen, June 2d 1737; buried at Mortlake, the 10th of the same month.

4. **John Temple**; buried at Mortlake, May 4th 1719.

5. **Richard Temple**; M. P. for Downton.

**Died**: at Crowhurst, co. Sussex, August 8th 1749.

**Will**: intestate.<sup>3</sup>

**Married**: May 18th 1748, Henrietta, only daughter of Thomas Pelham, of Stanmer, co. Sussex, Esq.; her second husband, whom she married February 5th 1753, was George, Lord Abergavenny; she died in September 1778.

#### Issue.

1. **Thomas Temple**, born February 19th 1749; baptized at St. Anne's, Soho, London, in March of the same year; he died in 1753.

#### Account of Henry Temple,

##### 1ST VISCOUNT PALMERSTON.

March 12th 1722, created Baron Temple of Mount Temple, co. Sligo, and Viscount Palmerston, of Palmerston, co. Dublin; all in the Peerage of Ireland.

<sup>1</sup> See Appendix, page 72.

<sup>2</sup> See Appendix, page 73.

<sup>3</sup> For account of the Administration on his effects, and those of his son and widow, see Appendix, page 73.

**HENRY TEMPLE,**  
2D VISCOUNT PALMERSTON.

**Born:** December 4th 173-.

**Died:** April 17th 1802.

**Married:** 1st, October 6th 1767, Frances, daughter of Sir Francis Poole, of Poole Hall, co. Chester, Bart.; she died June 2d 1769; 2dly, at Bath, January 5th 1783, Mary, daughter of Benjamin Mee, of Bath, Esq.; she died, February 8th 1805.

**Issue.**

1. **Henry John Temple**, 3d viscount, of whom later.
2. **Sir William Temple**, Kt.; born January 19th 1788; in the Diplomatic Service; died in 1856; left no issue.
3. **Frances Temple**; married, August 9th 1820, Admiral Sir William Bowles, R. N., Kt.; she died August 9th 1838.
4. **Elizabeth Temple**; born March 30th 1790; she married, December 6th 1811, the Right Hon. Lawrence Sullivan; she died November 13th 1837.

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**HENRY JOHN TEMPLE,**  
3D VISCOUNT PALMERSTON.

(The well-known Statesman of the present reign.)

**Born:** in London, October 20th 1784; baptized at St. Margaret's Church, Westminster, November 23d of the same year.

**Died:** at Brockett Hall, Herts., October 18th 1865; buried in Westminster Abbey, the 27th of the same month; left no issue.

**Will:** November 22d 1864.

**Married:** December 16th 1839, Emily Mary Lamb, daughter of Peniston, Viscount Melbourne, and widow of Peter, Earl Cowper; she died, September 11th 1869.

**Line of Frankton.****JOHN TEMPLE,**

OF FRANKTON, CO. WARWICK.

(Third son of John Temple of Stowe.)

**Born:** not 21 in 1597.**Died:** August 7th 1642; buried at Frankton.<sup>1</sup>**Will:** July 20th 1642; proved November 24th 1642.  
(124 Cambell.)<sup>2</sup>**Married:** prior to 1610, Anne Tomlins; she died July 6th 1642, and was buried at Frankton.**Issue.**1. **Anne Temple**, married at Frankton, September 28th 1629, John Busbridge, Esq.2. **Susannah Temple**, married at Frankton, April 25th 1636, Thomas Hammond, Esq.3. **Peter Temple**, baptized at Frankton, October 21st 1610; buried there, January 28th 1610-11.4. **Mary Temple**, baptized at Frankton, September 15th 1616; alive and unmarried in 1642.5. **Thomas Temple**, of whom later.6. **John Temple**, baptized at Frankton, January 30th 1625-26.7. **Peter Temple**, buried at Frankton, March 25th 1630.

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<sup>1</sup> Interred under a raised tomb in the yard of the church, situated at the east end of the chancel wall; on it the following inscription:

“Here lyeth the body of John Temple Esquire deceased August the 7, and Ann his ——— deceased July 6, Anno Domini 1642”; and his arms: “A chevron ermine between three martlets.”

<sup>2</sup> See Appendix, page 76.





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MISS TEMPLE.

*From an unfinished Miniature  
in the Possession of Lord Westcote at Huxley Park.*

*Pub. July 1. 1808. by John White, Fleet St & John Scott, Strand.*

**THOMAS TEMPLE,**  
OF FRANKTON.

**Born:** baptized at Frankton, August 25th 1622.

**Died:** not alive in 1680.

**Married:** Rebecca, daughter of Sir Francis Carew, of Beddington, co. Surrey, Kt.; she died at Frankton, March 6th 1665-66; buried at Beddington, March 20th of the same year.

**Issue.**

1. **Anne Temple**,<sup>1</sup> born at Frankton, August 26th 1649; baptized there, September 4th of the same year; second wife of Sir Charles Lyttelton, Bart., whom she married, May 23d 1666; she died August 27th 1718; buried with her husband at Over-Arley, co. Stafford.

2. **Carew Temple**, born at Frankton, October 8th 1650; baptized there, October 20th of the same year; married at Beddington, September 11th 1667, Thomas Jesson, of co. Warwick, Esq.

3. **Thomas Temple**, born at Frankton, June 23d 1652; baptized there, July 4th of the same year; buried there, September 25th of the same year.

4. **Rebecca Temple**, born at Frankton, September 5th 1653; baptized there, September 28th of the same year.

5. **Philippa Temple**, born at Frankton, September 18th 1655; baptized there, September 29th of the same year; died, unmarried, in 1711; her will was proved May 3d 1711. (116 Young.)<sup>2</sup>

6. **Susanna Temple**, born at Frankton, June 15th 1657; baptized there, June 20th of the same year.

7. **Richard Temple**, of whom later.

8. **Thomas Temple**, born at Frankton, June 14th 1660; baptized there, June 15th; died there, June 17th; buried there, June 19th, all in the same year.

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<sup>1</sup> For account of her, see Grammont's Memoirs.

<sup>2</sup> See Appendix, page 78.

9. **Martha Temple**, born at Frankton, June 1st 1662; baptized there, June 2d of the same year.

10. **Mary Temple**, born and baptized at Frankton, December 2d 1665; married, 1st Sir Thomas Lynch, Kt., who was Governor of Jamaica from 1671 to 1676; 2ndly February 11th 1688-89, Sir Hender Molesworth, Bart., a widower, and who was also Governor of Jamaica; she was a widow in 1703; she died in 1721.

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### RICHARD TEMPLE,<sup>1</sup>

OF FRANKTON.

**Born:** at Frankton, October 1st 1658; baptized there, October 26th of the same year.

**Died:** in 1703.

**Will:** intestate.<sup>2</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> Godson of Sir Richard Temple, 3d Bart. In 1680, Richard Temple sold Frankton to Sir Theophilus Biddulph.

<sup>2</sup> April 21st 1703. Commission to Dame Mary Molesworth, widow, sister of Richard Temple, Ar., late a Captain in the Legion of the Hon<sup>ble</sup> Coll. Columbine, bachelor, dec.





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*Susanna Temple*

*The only Daughter of Sir Alexander Temple Knight  
Lady Thoroughhurst Lady Lister*

*Published as the Act directs July 1670 by W. Richardson Carver in the Strand*

**Line of Long House.****Sir ALEXANDER TEMPLE, Kt.,**

OF LONG HOUSE, CHAWELL, CO. ESSEX.

(Fourth son of John Temple, of Stowe.)

**Born:** not 21 in 1597.**Will:** November 21st 1629; proved December 19th 1629.  
(106 Ridley.)<sup>1</sup>**Married:** 1st, Mary, eldest daughter and coheirress of John Somers, of Rochester, and widow of Thomas Penniston; 2dly, Mary,<sup>2</sup> daughter of John Beve, of St. Edmundsbury, co. Suffolk, and widow of John Busbridge, citizen and merchant of London, and of Haremare in the parish of Echingham, co. Sussex; her will of May 17th 1654, was proved July 21st 1655. (302 Aylett.)<sup>3</sup>**Issue.**

1. **James Temple**, of whom later.
2. **Susanna Temple**; Maid of Honour to Anne, wife of James I; she married, 1st, Sir Geoffrey Thornhurst, Kt.; 2dly, Sir Martin Lister, Kt.

**Account of Sir Alexander Temple, Kt.**

Alexander Temple, of Kent, was knighted at the Tower of London on March 14th 1603-04.

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**JAMES TEMPLE,**

OF CO. SURREY.

**Married:** ———, daughter of John Busbridge, of Haremare, co. Sussex, and daughter by her first marriage, of James Temple's father's second wife.

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<sup>1</sup> See Appendix, page 78.<sup>2</sup> See Appendix, page 79.<sup>3</sup> See Appendix, page 81.

**Issue.**

1. **John Temple**; over 21 in 1655; executor of the will of his grandmother, Mary, 2d wife of Sir Alexander Temple, Kt.
2. **Alexander Temple**, of whom later.
3. **James Temple**; alive in 1654.
4. **Peter Temple**; alive in 1654.

**Account of James Temple.**

A Colonel in the Parliamentary service; a signer of the death-warrant of Charles I.

**ALEXANDER TEMPLE,**

OF BALLINDERRY, IRELAND.

**Died:** in Ireland, November 28th; buried December 3d 1663.<sup>1</sup>

**Married:** Mary, daughter and heiress of Calcot Chambré, and granddaughter of Calcot Chambré, of Denbigh, Wales, and Carnowe, co. Wicklow, Esq.; as a widow, she married Henry Temple, of Lincoln's Inn, of the Line of Coughton.

**Issue.**

1. ——— **Temple**; he died prior to 1663.
2. **Mary Temple**; married in November 1676, Abraham Yarner, second son of Sir Abraham Yarner, of Dublin, Kt.

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<sup>1</sup> Among the funeral entries in Ulster's office at Dublin Castle, we find in Vol. 14, p. 57: "Mr. Alexander Temple died 28th of November and buried the 3d of December, 1663. He married Mary, dau. of Calcot Chambré, by whom he had a son and a dang: now living named Mary. Arms: Argent, two bars sable, each charged with three martlets or; impaling azure, a dexter arm embowed in armour or, holding a rose gules slipt vert."

**Line of Stantonbarry.****Sir JOHN TEMPLE, Kt.,<sup>1</sup>**OF BIDDLESDEN<sup>2</sup> AND STANTONBARRY,<sup>3</sup> CO. BUCKS.

(Second son of Sir Thomas Temple, 1st Bart.)

**Born:** baptized at Stowe, November 10th 1593.**Died:** at Biddlesden, September 23d 1632; buried in the church at Stantonbarry,<sup>4</sup> September 26th 1632.**Will:** September 18th 1632; proved October 26th 1632. (98 Audley.)<sup>5</sup>**Married:** 1st (prior to 1613), Dorothy, daughter and coheirress of Edmund Lee, of Stantonbarry; she died in September 1625, and was buried in the church at Stantonbarry.——— 2dly, Frances, daughter of Simon Bloomfield, of Coddendam, co. Suffolk, widow of Thomas Alston, of Gedding Hall; baptized at Coddendam, September 8th 1612; will August 3d 1642; proved August 9th 1647. (182 Fines.)<sup>6</sup>**Issue.**

1. **Peter Temple**, of whom later.
2. **Thomas Temple**.<sup>7</sup>
3. **Dorothy Temple**; baptized at Stowe, October 17th 1616; married John Alston of the Inner Temple, and of Pavenham, co. Bedford; she was alive in 1664.

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<sup>1</sup> The arms on his tombstone are: "1 and 4, an eagle displayed; 2 and 3, three bars charged with six martlets." Those in the funeral certificate are: "Sable, a chevron between three martlets argent, a crescent for difference."

<sup>2</sup> See Appendix, page 82.<sup>3</sup> See Appendix, page 82.<sup>4</sup> See Appendix, page 84.<sup>5</sup> See Appendix, page 84.<sup>6</sup> See Appendix, page 86.<sup>7</sup> See page 45.

4. **John Temple**; baptized at Stowe, November 14th 1617; buried January 17th 1617-18.

5. **Hester Temple**; baptized at Stowe, September 5th 1619; married Edward Paschal, of co. Essex.

6. **John Temple**; baptized at Stowe, November 6th 1620; dead before 1623.

7. **Edmund Temple**; founder of the Line of Sulby.<sup>1</sup>

8. **Mary Temple**; baptized at Stowe, August 5th 1623; married Robert Nelson, of Gray's Inn, London; she was alive in 1664.

9. **Purbeck Temple.**<sup>2</sup>

#### Account of Sir John Temple.

1612-13 March 21st, knighted at Royston by James I.

1614-24, resided at Stowe; his house at Stantonbarry being leased to Viscount Purbeck.

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#### Sir PETER TEMPLE, Kt.,<sup>3</sup>

OF STANTONBARRY.

**Born:** 1613.

**Died:** buried at Norwich in the church of St. Peter's, Mancroft, January 14th 1659-60.

**Married:** September 7th 1635, Elianor, daughter of Sir Thomas Tyrrell, of Okeley, co. Bucks, Kt.; she was born in 1614; died May 24th 1671; will May 15th 1671; proved May 30th 1671. (70 Duke.)<sup>4</sup> She married 2dly, July 1st 1661, Richard Grenville, of Wotton, co. Bucks; she was buried<sup>5</sup> at Stantonbarry.

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<sup>1</sup> See page 46.

<sup>2</sup> See page 50.

<sup>3</sup> Arms: "Or, an eagle displayed sable."

<sup>4</sup> See Appendix, page 87.

<sup>5</sup> See Appendix, page 83.



Peter Temple kni<sup>t</sup>.

*W. Kneller sculpsit 1658*





*Her Exact St. Portature nextest the Life  
Is Vertues Patterne, Mother Mayd & Wife  
Whose Name's her Glorious Character to best,  
Thus Living TEMPLE of the Holy Ghost*

*Publ'd 1706 by W. Richardson N<sup>o</sup> 51 Strand.*



**Issue.**

1. **John Temple**; born in 1635; died at Smyrna in 1676; left no issue; a merchant; will of January 20th 1676-77; proved April 24th 1677. (42 Hale.)<sup>1</sup>

2. **Timothy Temple**,  
 3. **Henry Temple**,  
 4. **Thomas Temple**, } all dead prior to 1677.

5. **William Temple**, of whom later.

6. **Eleanor Temple**, married April 12th 1666, Richard Grenville, of Wotton, co. Bucks.

**Account of Sir Peter Temple.<sup>2</sup>**

1635, Sheriff of Buckinghamshire.

1641 June 6th, knighted at Whitehall.

**WILLIAM TEMPLE,**

OF LILLINGSTON-DAVRELL, CO. BUCKS.

**Born**: in 1646.

**Died**: buried at Stowe,<sup>3</sup> August 13th 1706.

**Will**: July 25th 1706; proved December 9th 1707. (302 Poley.)<sup>4</sup>

**Married**: Mary, daughter of —— Green, of co. Kent; she was alive August 17th 1716.

**Issue.**

1. **Mary Temple**, born in 1691; married John Baldwin, of co. Bucks; she died, a widow, in 1767, leaving no issue.

<sup>1</sup> See Appendix, page 87.

<sup>2</sup> See Appendix, page 88.

<sup>3</sup> See Appendix, page 33.

<sup>4</sup> See Appendix, page 91.

2. **William Temple**, of whom later.
3. **Peter Temple**, of whom later.
4. **Anne Temple**; born in 1696; married Hugh Coffel, of co. Bucks; she went to America.

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**Sir WILLIAM TEMPLE, 5th Bart.,**  
OF NASH HOUSE, KEMPSEY, CO. WORCESTER.

**Born:** in 1694.

**Died:** buried at Kempsey,<sup>1</sup> April 14th 1760.

**Married:** 1st, May 1718, Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of Peter Paxton, M. D., of co. Bucks, and of Elizabeth his wife; she died in 1729; buried in the church of Martin Hussentree, co. Worcester.

——— 2dly, November 1731, Elizabeth, daughter of Hugh Ethersey, of Leckhamstead, co. Bucks; she was born in 1695; buried with her husband, December 3d 1762.

**Issue.**

1. **Paxton Temple**, born in April 1720; died unmarried in London in 1745.

2. **Henrietta Temple**, born in December 1723; married Wm. Dieken,<sup>2</sup> of Shenton, co. Salop.

3. **Anne Sophia Temple**, born January 2d 1734; married her cousin, Sir Richard Temple, 7th Bart.

4. **Martha Temple**; buried at Kempsey, October 31st 1739.

**Account of Sir William Temple.**

1716, residing in Buckingham.

1738, purchased Nash House, Kempsey, co. Worcester.

1749 September 12th, succeeded to the Baronetcy on the death of Sir Richard Temple, 4th Bart., Lord Cobham.

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<sup>1</sup> His tomb bears upon it an epitaph to him and his second wife.

<sup>2</sup> Their eldest son assumed, September 23d 1796, the name and arms of Temple, and from him descend the Temples of Nash House, co. Worcester, one of whom is Sir Richard Temple, Bart., a distinguished Indian Administrator.





SIR PETER TEMPLE, 6<sup>TH</sup> BART.

FROM A MINIATURE IN THE POSSESSION OF  
ROBERT C. WINTHROP, JR., ESQ.

**Sir PETER TEMPLE, 6th Bart.**

**Born:** not 21 in 1706.

**Died:** November 15th 1761; buried at Drayton, co. Oxford.

**Will:** February 28th 1755; proved November 24th 1761. (411 Cheslyn.)<sup>1</sup>

**Married:** 1st, 1719 Elizabeth Broughton, of Longdon, co. Stafford; she died in 1726; —— 2dly, in 1729, Elizabeth daughter of John Mold, of Charlton, co. Oxford; she died in June 1759; she was buried at Drayton, co. Oxford.

**Issue.**

1. **Elizabeth Temple**, born in 1720; died in 1742, unmarried; buried in Buckingham.

2. **Peter Temple**, born in 1721; served in the Royal Navy; died at Portsmouth of small-pox in 1748; buried there.

3. **Richard Temple**, of whom later.

4. **Mary Temple**, died young.

5. **Anne Temple**, born in February 1733; died January 10th 1782, unmarried; buried at Drayton, co. Oxford.

**Account of Sir Peter Temple.**

At one time of the town of Buckingham.

**Sir Richard Temple, 7th Bart.,**

OF NASH HOUSE, KEMPSEY, CO. WORCESTER.

**Born:** June 1st 1731.

**Died:** At Bath, November 15th 1786.

**Will:** April 1st 1786; proved November 25th 1786. (590 Norfolk.)<sup>2</sup>

<sup>1</sup> See Appendix, page 93.

<sup>2</sup> See Appendix, page 94.

**Married:** at Kempsey, June 24th 1758, Anne Sophia Temple, daughter of his uncle, Sir William Temple, 5th Bart.; she was alive in 1786.

#### Issue.

1. **Sophia Temple**, born in 1762; died September 13th 1775; buried at Hackney in the Church of St. Augustine.<sup>1</sup>  
Other children, who all died young.

#### Account of Sir Richard Temple.

1761 March, Commissioner of the Navy.

1766-86, Comptroller of the cash of the Revenue of Excise.

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<sup>1</sup>Epitaph: "In memory of Miss Sophia Temple, only daughter of Sir Richard Temple, Bart., by Dame Ann Sophia his wife, who departed this life Sept. 13th, 1775, aged 13 years."

**Sir THOMAS TEMPLE, Kt.,**AND BARONET OF NOVA SCOTIA.<sup>1</sup>

(Second son of Sir John Temple, of Stantonbarry, Kt.)

**Born:** baptized at Stowe, January 10th 1614.**Died:** London, March 27th 1674; buried at Ealing, co. Middlesex, March 28th.**Will:** Boston, October 14th 1671, proved July 28th 1674. (Probate Office, Suffolk co., Mass.)<sup>2</sup> Second will, London, March 27th 1674, proved July 27th 1674. (93 Bunce.)<sup>3</sup>**Account of Sir Thomas Temple.**

On the 20th of September 1656 Sir Charles St. Etienne made over to Sir Thomas, and to one Crowne for a consideration, all his interest in a grant of Nova Scotia, reserving to himself one half of all fruits and peltries; this grant was confirmed by Cromwell, who appointed Sir Thomas Governor of Acadia, under the name of "Colonel Thomas Temple, esquire." Under Charles II the government of Nova Scotia was granted to Elliot, who farmed it out to Sir Thomas for £600, and Temple went over as his deputy; thus it went on until 1667, when on conclusion of the peace with France, Acadia was transferred to that country. July 7th 1662, a Baronet of Nova Scotia. He resided several years in Boston; in 1672 he is said to have sold a house in Boston to Stephen Temple, of Sulby, co. Northampton, England, a son of his brother Colonel Edmund Temple. Sir Thomas joined the church of Cotton Mather; in 1672 he gave £100 towards the endowment of Harvard College, one eighth of the whole sum subscribed at that time by the citizens of Boston.

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<sup>1</sup> Arms: "Argent, two bars sable, each charged with three martlets or."

<sup>2</sup> See Appendix, page 94.

<sup>3</sup> See Appendix, page 98.

**Line of Sulby.****COLONEL EDMUND TEMPLE,**

OF SULBY AND SIBBERTOFT, CO. NORTHAMPTON.

(Third surviving son of Sir John Temple, of Stantonbarry, Kt.)

**Born:** baptized at Stowe, June 6th, 1622.**Died:** March 9th 1667-68; <sup>1</sup> buried at Welford. <sup>2</sup>**Will:** August 20th 1664; proved March 30th 1667-68. (36 Hene.)<sup>3</sup>**Married:** 1647, Elcanor, daughter and coheirress of Sir Stephen Hervey, of Hardingstone, co. Northampton, Kt.; born 1627; she was buried at Welford, November 25th 1661.**Issue.**1. **Stephen Temple**, born in 1647; died unmarried; buried at Welford, October 26th 1672; will October 12th 1672; proved October 22d 1672. (117 Eure.)<sup>4</sup>2. **Mary Temple**; buried at Welford, December 19th 1664.3. **John Temple**, of whom later.4. **Elinor Temple**; <sup>5</sup> not 21 in 1672; she married, July 24th 1673, Oliver Harvey, of London.5. **Dorothea Temple**; buried at Welford, March 13th 1671-72.

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<sup>1</sup> Pepys states, March 10th 1667-68, "and so to Newgate, where he (Sir D. Gawden) stopped to give directions to the jaylor about a Knight, one Sir Thomas Halford, brought in yesterday for killing one Colonel Temple, falling out at a tavernne." (The Diary of Samuel Pepys; edited by H. B. Wheatley, vol. vii, page 333.)

<sup>2</sup> See Appendix, page 99.<sup>3</sup> See Appendix, page 101.<sup>4</sup> See Appendix, page 102.<sup>5</sup> She is mentioned in 1674, in the second will of her uncle Sir Thomas Temple, of Nova Scotia.

**6. Edmund Temple**, of Leicester.

**Born:** (not of age in 1672.)

**Died:** buried from St. Martin's Church, Leicester, September 15th 1689.

**Married:** at St. Martin's Church, Leicester, January 3d 1681-82, Ellen Wilde, of that parish.

### Issue.

1. **Purbeck Temple**; baptized at St. Martin's Church, Leicester, October 26th 1682; a godson of Sir Purbeck Temple, of Edgecumbe, Kt., in whose will, of July 14th 1693, he is mentioned.

2. **Richard Temple**; baptized at St. Martin's Church, Leicester, December 25th 1683.

3. **Edmund Temple**; baptized at St. Martin's Church, Leicester, July 7th 1685.

These three sons of Edmund Temple, of Leicester, are mentioned in 1696 in a codicil to the will of Sarah Draper, widow of Sir Purbeck Temple, of Edgecumbe, Kt.; nothing further is known of them.

7. **Stephanor Temple**; not of age in 1680; she married in London, July 6th 1680, Thomas Meriden, of Bread Street, London, mercer.

8. **Hester Temple**; died young; buried at Welford in March 1661-62.

### Account of Colonel Edmund Temple.

He was a colonel in the service of Parliament, and in September 1648 his petition respecting his great losses and sufferings, and the payment of his arrears, was recommended by the House of Lords to the consideration of the Commons, who, in May 1649, appointed a committee to audit his accounts for his services in Ireland.

**JOHN TEMPLE,**

OF SIBBERTOFT, CO. NORTHAMPTON.

**Born:** (not of age in October 1672.)**Died:** at Sibbertoft; buried at Welford, February 22d 1701-2.**Married:** Martha——; she was buried at Welford, October 8th 1727.**Issue.**1. **Stephanor Temple**, born in 1680; married at Sibbertoft, December 29th 1701, Edward Gilbert Burcher.2. **Frances Temple**; baptized at Sibbertoft, March 31st 1682; not married in 1698.3. **Richard Temple**; baptized at Sibbertoft, January 29th 1683-84; nothing further is known of him.4. **Thomasine Temple**; baptized at Sibbertoft, June 20th 1685; married at Sibbertoft, January 14th 1710-11, Samuel Palmer.5. **Mary Temple**; baptized at Sibbertoft, September 16th 1687; buried at Welford, September 24th 1687.6. **Purbeck Temple**, of whom later.7. **Martha Temple**; married at Sibbertoft, April 15th 1701, William Marks.

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**PURBECK TEMPLE,<sup>1</sup>**

OF SIBBERTOFT, CO. NORTHAMPTON.

**Born:** baptized at Sibbertoft, March 29th 1689.**Died:** buried at Welford, May 19th 1763.**Married:** Mary——; she was buried at Welford, December 28th 1771.

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<sup>1</sup>A godson of Sir Purbeck Temple, of Edgenrabe, Kt.; he is mentioned in the will of Sir Purbeck, of July 14th 1693.

**Issue.**

1. **Mary Temple**; baptized at Sibbertoft, May 9th 1724; buried at Welford, December 7th 1753.
2. **Martha Temple**; baptized at Sibbertoft, November 19th 1725; buried at Welford, April 12th 1790.
3. **Elizabeth Temple**; baptized at Sibbertoft, October 12th 1727; buried at Welford, May 14th 1799.
4. **Edmund Temple**; baptized at Sibbertoft, April 17th 1734; buried at Welford, September 17th 1796; the last male representative of the Line of Sulby.

**Sir PURBECK TEMPLE,**  
OF EDGCUMBE, CO. SURREY, KT.,

(Fourth surviving son of Sir John Temple, of Stanton-  
barry, Kt.)

**Born:** later than 1623.

**Died:** at Croydon, September 29th 1695; buried, October 4th 1695, in the parish church of St. Mary, at Islington, co. Middlesex; left no issue.

**Will:** July 14th 1693; proved Nov. 27th 1695. (63 Irby.)<sup>1</sup>

**Married:** Sarah,<sup>2</sup> da. of Robert Draper, of Remington, co. Berks; she died at Edgcumbe; buried Feb. 13th 1699-1700, at Islington, with her husband; will of April 8th 1696, proved March 4th 1699-1700. (40 Noel.)<sup>3</sup>

**Account of Sir Purbeck Temple, Kt.**

Captain and colonel during the civil war.

1644 Sept. 30th, thanked by the Speaker of the House for a capture of goods at Islip.

1645 Aug. 9th, Governor of Henley.

1660 Sept. 3d, knighted.

1662, one of the Gentlemen of his Majesty's most honourable Privy Chamber in ordinary.

<sup>1</sup> See Appendix, page 103.

<sup>2</sup> See Appendix, page 104.

<sup>3</sup> See Appendix, page 104.

**Line of Dover.****MILES I TEMPLE,**

OF DOVER, KENT.

(Fourth son of Sir Thomas Temple, 1st Bart.)

**Died:** alive in 1660, but not in 1683.**Married:** supposed to have been married three times; on July 12th 1647, he was married to his second, or third, wife, Susan Chandler, a widow; she was alive in 1654.**Issue.**

1. **Miles II Temple**, of whom later.
2. ——— **Temple** (a daughter).

**Account of Miles I Temple.**

Administered in 1637 on the will of his father, Sir Thomas Temple, 1st Bart. The children above mentioned are presumed to have been by his first wife. Hasted, in his History of Kent, states that the manor of Temple, alias Boswell Banks and Downe, was bought in the reign of Charles I from one Harvey, by Captain Temple, of Dover; the latter parted with this manor during the early part of the reign of Charles II.

**MILES II TEMPLE.****Died:** not alive in 1683.**Married:** Ellen Griffith, a relative of Thomas Griffith,<sup>1</sup> of Abinger, co. Surrey, Esq.; she was alive in 1679.<sup>1</sup> See abstract of will of Thomas Griffith, Appendix, page 115.

**Issue.**

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|----------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| 1. <b>Griffith Temple;</b> | } | both born prior to 1679, and   |
| 2. <b>Richard Temple;</b>  |   | alive in 1683; nothing further |
|                            |   | known of them.                 |

**Account of Miles II Temple.**

Sometime prior to 1679, he was living in London and exercising the profession of a scrivener.<sup>1</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> See abstract of will of Thomas Griffith, Appendix, page 115.

**Line of New England.****Rev. THOMAS I TEMPLE, D. C. L.<sup>1</sup>**

(Third son of Sir Thomas Temple, 1st Bart.)

**Married:** —, daughter of — Green, D. D.**Died:** alive in 1654, though not in 1683.**Issue.**

1. **Thomas II Temple**, of whom later.
2. **John I Temple**; not of age in 1654; alive in 1683, at which time he had a son, John II Temple.
3. **Sandys Temple**; not of age in 1654; presumed to have been a captain in the Royal Navy; probably not alive in 1683.

**Account of Thomas I Temple.**

1614, Captain.

1622-1649, Vicar of Burton-on-the-water, co. Gloucester; is presumed to have eventually settled in Ireland.

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**THOMAS II TEMPLE.****Died:** alive in 1683.**Issue.**

1. **Thomas III Temple**, of whom later.
2. **Richard Temple**; alive in 1683.

**Account of Thomas II Temple.**

Not of age in 1654. Mentioned in 1671 in the first will of Sir Thomas Temple, of Nova Scotia.

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<sup>1</sup> Not to be confounded with Thomas Temple, D. D., Vicar of Battersea, who belonged to the Line of Coughton.

**THOMAS III TEMPLE.<sup>1</sup>**

**Died:** known to have been alive in 1683; presumed to have been alive, and living in Ireland in 1727.

**Married:** —, sister of Nathaniel White, of Plymouth, England.

**Issue.**

1. **Robert I Temple**, of whom later.
2. **Rebecca Temple**; married February 9th 1727, Christopher Emmet,<sup>2</sup> of Tipperary, Ireland; she was alive in 1773.
3. **Elizabeth Temple**; alive in Dublin in 1773; mentioned in the will of her brother-in-law, Christopher Emmet.

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**ROBERT I TEMPLE.**

**Born:** in Ireland in 1694.

**Died:** at Ten Hills,<sup>3</sup> Charlestown, Mass., April 14th 1754; buried, April 17th, in a vault under Christ Church, Boston.

**Will:** April 9th 1754; Probate Office of Suffolk co., Mass.<sup>4</sup>

**Married:** Boston, August 11th 1721, Mehetable, daughter of John I Nelson; she was born in 1691; died at Ten Hills, December 23d 1775; intestate.

**Issue.**

1. **Mary Temple**; born prior to 1723; married at Christ Church, Boston, February 10th 1741, to William Lance, of Sandwich, co. Kent, England; she died in 178-.

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<sup>1</sup> The descent of Thomas III Temple, and that he was alive in 1683, are facts proved; but his residence in Ireland in 1727, his stated marriage, and that he was the father of Robert I Temple and of his two sisters, are presumptions.

<sup>2</sup> One of the executors of his will (proved in 1743) was Joseph White. Joseph White, Jr., in his will, made in 1774, alludes to his cousin, Dr. Robert Emmet.

<sup>3</sup> See Appendix, page 115.

<sup>4</sup> See Appendix, page 117.

2. **Thomas Temple**; born on Long Island, Boston Harbor, in March 1723; died young.
3. **Margaret Temple**; baptized at Christ Church, Boston, April 5th 1724; married, in 1746, Nathaniel Dowse, of Charlestown, Mass.
4. **Thomas Temple**; baptized at Christ Church, Boston, March 27th 1726; in 1751 he was traveling in Europe; he executed a will in Jamaica, W. I., in which place he was engaged in business; never married; died prior to 1754.
5. **Elizabeth Temple**; born in February 1727; baptized at Christ Church, Boston, April 9th 1727.
6. **Robert Temple**, of whom later.
7. **Rebecca Temple**; baptized at Christ Church, Boston, April 13th 1729; married, later than 1754, but prior to 1765, Captain John Fenton, of the British army; Captain Fenton died in Dublin in March 1785, leaving issue by this marriage.
8. **Mehetable Temple**; baptized at Christ Church, Boston, September 20th 1730, she is presumed to have married, June 9th 1765, Edmund Quincy, Jr. of Boston, and to have died not long after, leaving no issue.
9. **John Temple**, of whom later.
10. **Agnes Temple**; baptized at Christ Church, Boston, July 28th 1734; buried at Christ Church, March 18th 1753.
11. **William Temple**.<sup>1</sup>

### Account of Robert I Temple.<sup>2</sup>

Robert I Temple, who had been an officer in the British army<sup>3</sup> (fide Hutchinson), conceived the idea of establishing

<sup>1</sup> For account of William Temple and his descendants, see 8d edition, page 55.

<sup>2</sup> For a further account of Robert I Temple, see Appendix, pages 123, 126.

<sup>3</sup> A careful search in the Records of the English War Office, made in 1874 under the auspices of Sir Richard Airey, then Quarter Master General, shows no trace of a Robert Temple any where about the year 1718, as an officer of the British Army; he may possibly have belonged to the Irish Establishment, of which there would be no record in the English War Office.

himself as a landed proprietor in America; he came to Boston in 1717 from Plymouth, England, in Captain James Luzmore's ship; he visited the Kennebeck and purchased rights in the Plymouth Patent, and engaged to plant a colony on their lands; in 1718 he chartered two ships, and in 1719 three more, to bring families from Ireland, which he settled mostly at a place called Cork, in the northern part of the present town of Bath, Maine; in 1720 he visited Ireland, and the same year he returned to Boston; the war of 1722 broke up his settlement in Maine, many of the colonists removing to Pennsylvania.

### Itinerary.

1717, arrived in Boston.

1718 April 30th and September 4th, in Boston.

1718-19, bringing over emigrants to the Kennebeck.

1720, visited Ireland.

1722-1723, fighting the Indians, with the rank of captain.

1723 December 29th, dedication of Christ Church, Boston; one of the 53 original pew-holders.

1742, Warden of Christ Church, Boston.

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### ROBERT II TEMPLE.

**Born:** baptized at Christ Church, Boston, March 10th 1728.

**Died:** in Ireland in 1782.

**Will:** proved May 25th 1782. (255 Gostling.)<sup>1</sup>

**Married:** Harriet, fourth daughter of Lt.-General William Shirley, Governor of the Province of Massachusetts Bay; she died in Ireland in 1802.

### Issue.

1. **Mehetable Temple;** baptized at Christ Church, Boston, November 19th 1758; married June 19th 1783,





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SIR JOHN TEMPLE, 8<sup>TH</sup> BART.

Hans Blackwood, later 3d Lord Dufferin and Clandeboye; she died in 1798.

2. **Robert Temple**; baptized at Christ Church, Boston, February 3d 1760; died young.

3. **Shirley Temple**; baptized at Christ Church, Boston, March 8th 1761; buried at Christ Church, August 5th 1761.

4. **Anne Western Temple**; married in 1784, Christopher Temple Emmet, of Dublin; she died October 27th 1788.

5. **Harriet Temple**; never married; alive in 1781.

#### Account of Robert II Temple.

Robert II Temple was member of the Council; being a Tory he sailed for England in May 1775, but the vessel being obliged to put into Plymouth, Mass., he was detained and sent to the camp at Cambridge; his family continued to reside at Ten Hills under the protection of General Ward; eventually he and his family all removed to Ireland, where they made their home.

1756-1758, Warden of Christ Church, Boston.

1763, Collector of the Customs.

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#### Sir JOHN TEMPLE, 8th Bart.

**Born:** on Noddle's Island,<sup>1</sup> Boston Harbor; baptized, Christ Church, Boston, April 16th 1732.

**Died:** at his residence, 156 Greenwich street, New-York, November 17th 1798, from the rupture of a blood-vessel in the lungs; funeral Monday the 19th November at 3 P. M.; buried (in the graveyard of St. Paul's Chapel?).

**Will:** August 1st 1798, proved New York, November 28th 1798. Office of the Secretary of State, Albany, N. Y. Wills and Probates, vol. ii, page 95.<sup>2</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> See Appendix, page 130.

<sup>2</sup> See Appendix, page 130.

**Married:** in Boston, January 20th 1767, Elizabeth, only daughter of James II Bowdoin; she was born in 1750; died in Boston October 25th 1809; buried October 30th in Boston, in the Bowdoin vault in the Granary Cemetery, Tremont street.<sup>1</sup> Will, Boston, July 10th 1809; proved November 13th 1809. Probate office, Suffolk co., Mass.; Vol. 107, p. 534.<sup>2</sup>

### Issue.

1. **Grenville Temple**, of whom later.

2. **Elizabeth Bowdoin Temple**; born, Boston, October 22d 1769; married, July 25th 1786, Hon. Thomas L. Winthrop; died, Boston, July 23d 1825; left issue.

3. **Hester Temple**; born, London, February 21st 1773; died there March 15th 1773; interred in the family vault, Christ Church, Boston.

4. **James Bowdoin Temple**; born, London, June 7th 1776; died at Twickenham, England, October 31st 1842; graduated at Columbia College, New York, in 1795; changed his name to Bowdoin, under the will of his uncle James III Bowdoin; married, London, at St. George's, Bloomsbury, April 26th 1808, Mary, daughter and co-heiress of Thomas Dickason, Esq., who pre-deceased him; he left issue a son and two daughters. The son, James Temple Bowdoin the younger, sometime a captain in the 4th Dragoon Guards, married Elizabeth, daughter of Sir William Clay, Bart. M. P.; he died without issue, in London, April 9th 1871. The elder daughter, Christine Temple Bowdoin, died unmarried at Florence, May 14th 1872. Her sister Laura Temple Bowdoin became the second wife of Gaston de Monroy, Prince of Pandolfina in Sicily, a Senator of the Kingdom of Italy; she died without issue at Florence, February 6th 1877.

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<sup>1</sup> Her pallbearers were: H. E. Governor Gore, Hon. Geo. Cabot, Gardiner Greene, Esq., David Sears, Esq., Dr. Jeffries, Dr. Warren, Sr.

<sup>2</sup> See Appendix, page 138.



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ELIZABETH BOWDOIN, LADY TEMPLE.



5. **Augusta Grenville Temple**; <sup>1</sup> born, Boston, January 22d 1779; married, New York, September 12th 1797, William L. Palmer, of the British Army; left issue.

### Account of Sir John Temple, Bart.<sup>2</sup>

Had been a Whig during the Revolution, and had paid the penalty of his opposition by the loss of more than one office of emolument under the crown; it was of him that Arthur Lee, then in London, wrote to Samuel Adams, December 22d 1773: "There is no man more obnoxious to Hillsborough, Barnard, Knox, and all that tribe of determined enemies to truth, to virtue, liberty, and America, etc."

He was a friend of, and was politically supported by his distant kinsmen, Lord Buckingham and Mr. Grenville; was implicated in the celebrated controversy relative to the Hutchinson papers.<sup>3</sup>

### Itinerary.

1759, in England.

1760, in England.

1761-1767, Surveyor-General of the Customs of the Northern District of America.<sup>4</sup>

1761-1774, Lieut.-Governor of New Hampshire.

1771, in London.

1772 January 1st, Joint Surveyor-General of the Customs in England.

1773, in London.

1774 January, in England; relieved from office on account of partiality to the American cause.

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<sup>1</sup> In the entry of Mrs. Palmer's birth in her father's Bible, she is put down as Augusta; in her mother's will, she is mentioned as Augusta Grenville.

<sup>2</sup> For further account of Sir John Temple, see Appendix, pages 132, 133, 134, 135, 136.

<sup>3</sup> See 1st edition, page 61.

<sup>4</sup> His commission is dated December 1st 1760, but by reason of his absence in England he did not enter upon his duties until October 1761.

- 1775, in London.  
 1776, in England.  
 1778, in England; returned to Boston.  
 1779, in Boston; sailed from Boston for Holland.  
 1783, moved to Boston.  
 1784, in England.  
 1785-1798, British Consul-General in New-York.  
 1786 November 15th, succeeded to the Baronetey; lived  
 51 Queen (Pearl) street, New-York.  
 1787, lived 188 Queen (Pearl) street, New-York.  
 1791, lived in Queen (Pearl) street, New-York.  
 1794-1796, lived 22 Cortlandt street, New-York.  
 1798, lived at 156 Greenwich street, New-York.

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**Sir GRENVILLE TEMPLE, 9th Bart.**

**Born:** in Boston, October 16th 1768.

**Died:** in England in 1829.

**Married:** 1st, in Boston, March 20th 1797, Elizabeth, daughter of George Watson, of Plymouth, Mass., and widow of Thomas Russell, of Boston; she died in Rome, November 4th 1809.

2dly. in England, June 9th 1812, Marie, daughter of Sir Thomas Rumbold, Bart., and widow of Colonel Frederick Manners; she died in 1852.

**Issue.**

1. **Grenville Temple**, of whom later.

2. **John Temple**, born June 14th 1801; died in 1871; married 1st, July 29th 1828, Jane, daughter of John Marshall, Esq., M. P.; 2dly, August 4th 1857, Celia, daughter of Peter Horrocks, Esq. John Temple left by his first marriage, besides three married daughters, an only son Major Edwyn Frederick Temple, born in 1835, who was married in 1863 to Caroline, daughter of General Budgen, R. E., and has issue.

3. **Elizabeth Augusta Temple**; married September 10th 1829, Lt.-General Edward Byam; she died April 8th 1878; left issue.

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**Sir GRENVILLE TEMPLE, 10th Bart.**

**Born:** July 20th 1799.

**Died:** in 1847.

**Married:** May 5th 1829, Mary, daughter of George Baring, Esq.; she died May 10th 1863.

**Issue.**

1. **Grenville Leofric Temple**, of whom later.

2. **Algar Bowdoin Temple**, born at Malta May 25th 1833; died in India in 1863; Captain in the Bengal Staff Corps; married at Simla, October 7th 1858, Mary, daughter of Captain Frederick Knowles, who survived him and became the second wife of General Sir Henry Norman. Captain Algar Bowdoin Temple left an only son, Grenville Edwyn Temple, born in 1860, who is the heir presumptive to the baronetcy. Grenville Edwyn Temple by his marriage in 1890, with Mary, daughter of Colonel William Saurin-Brooke, has issue.

3. **Blanche Temple**; married Colonel Zepf, of the German army.

4. **Eleanor Temple**; married John Picton Warlow, of the Madras Staff Corps.

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**Sir GRENVILLE LEOFRIC TEMPLE,  
11th Bart.**

**Born:** in Florence, February 5th 1830.

**Died:** in Constance, Germany, March 3d 1860

**Married:** July 22d 1856, Marie, daughter of Aron von Bistren, Minister of Finance in Transylvania; she died in Constance, July 12th 1865.

#### Issue.

1. Grenville Louis John Temple, of whom later.
2. ——— Temple, a daughter.

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**Sir GRENVILLE LOUIS JOHN TEMPLE,**  
12th Bart.

**Born:** January 5th 1858.

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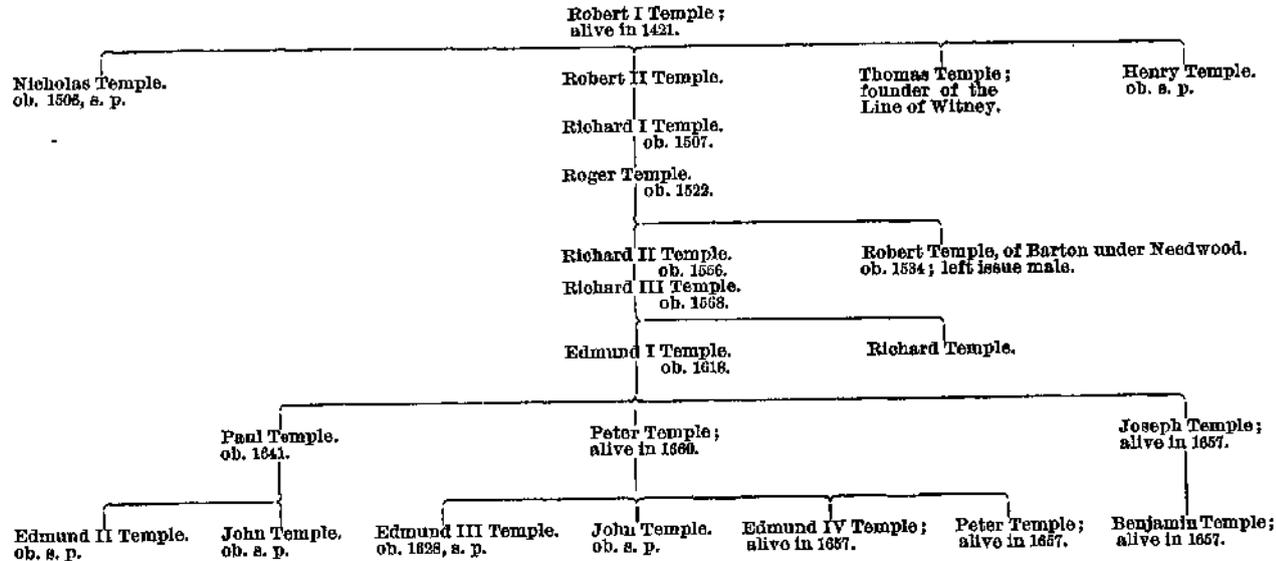
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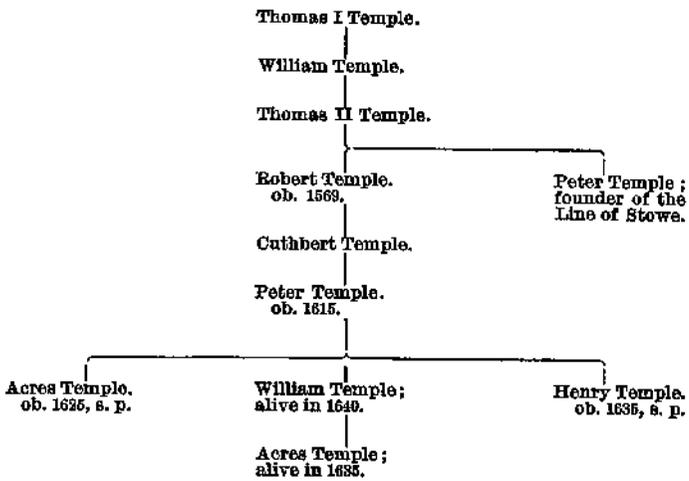
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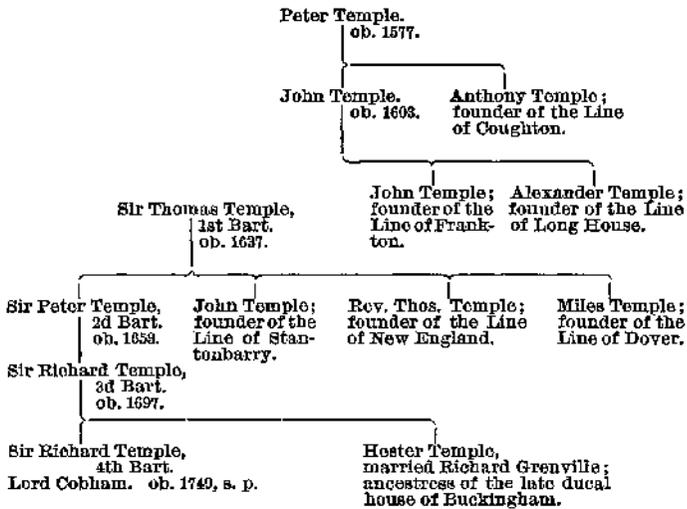
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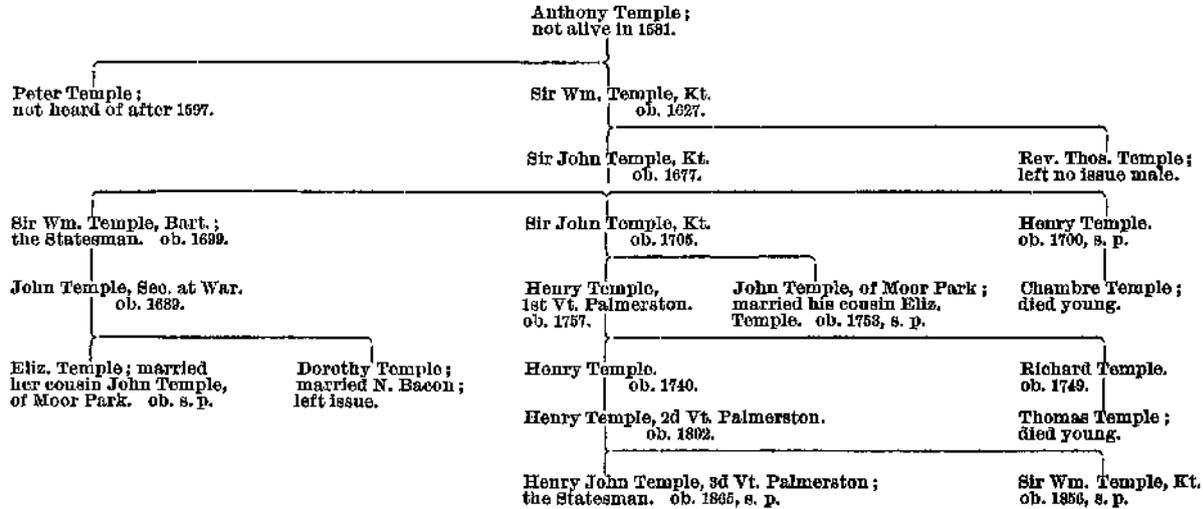
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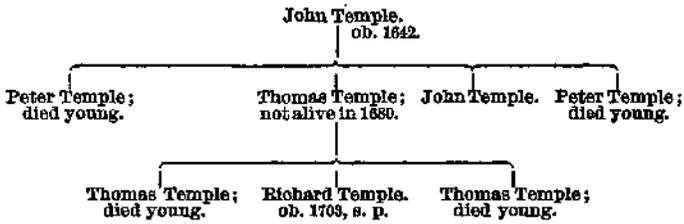


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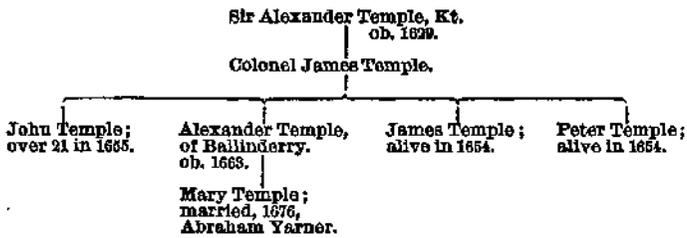


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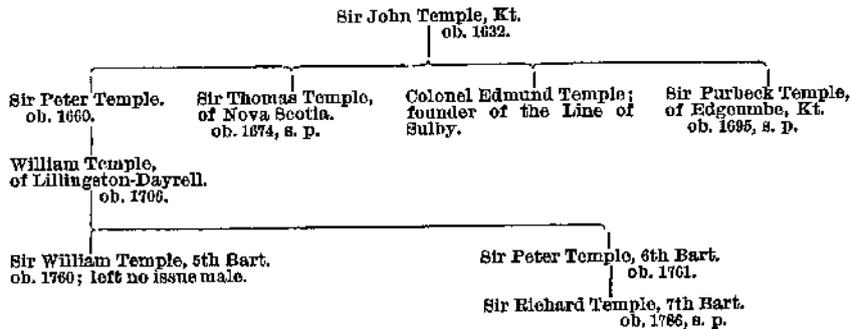
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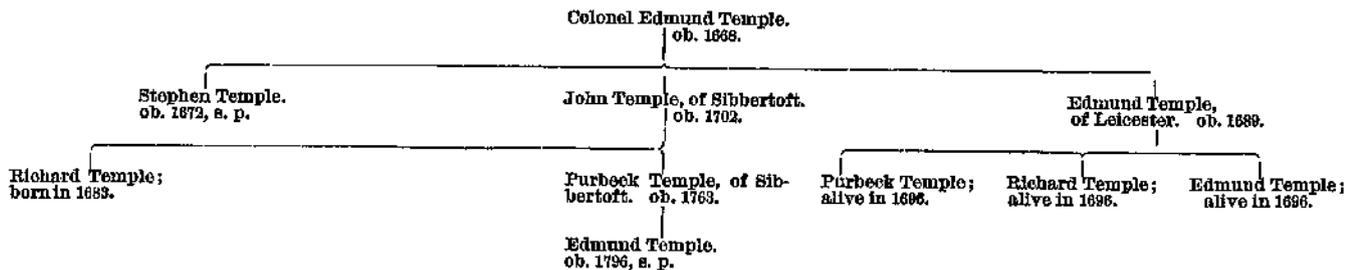
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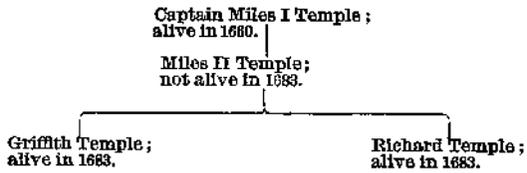
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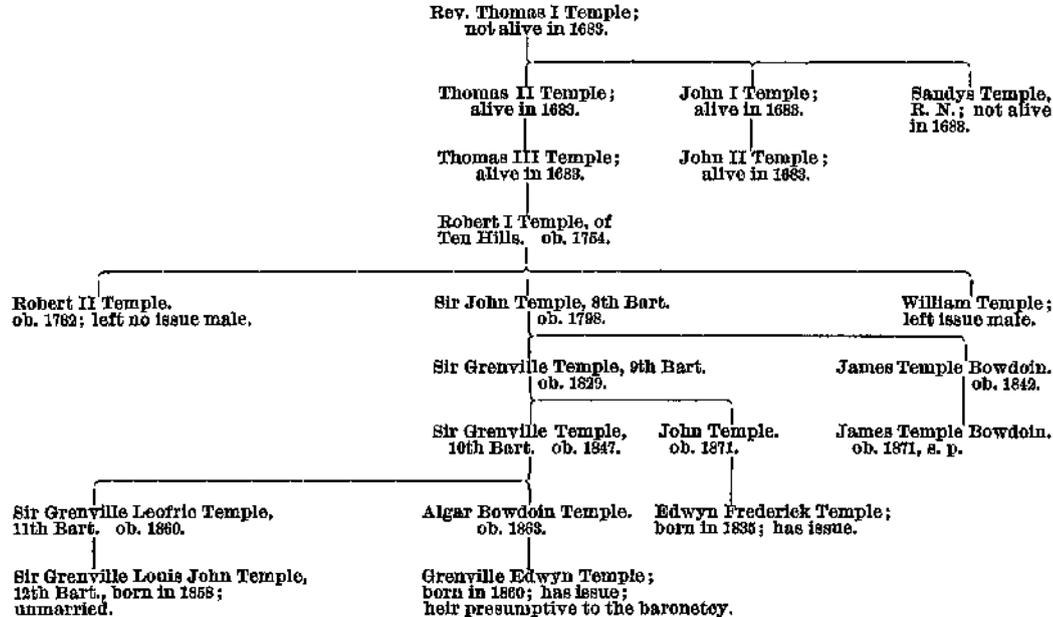
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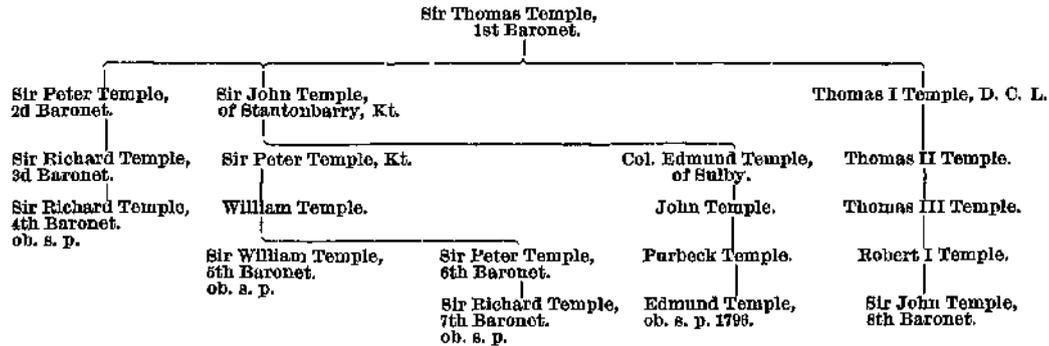
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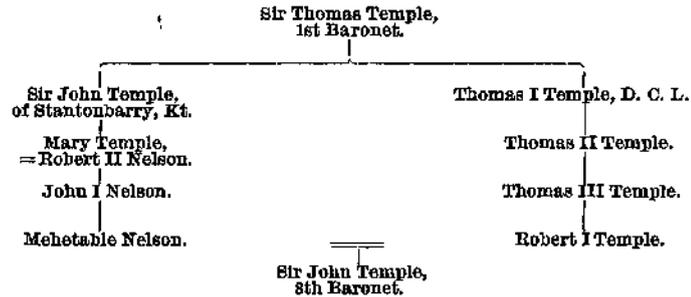


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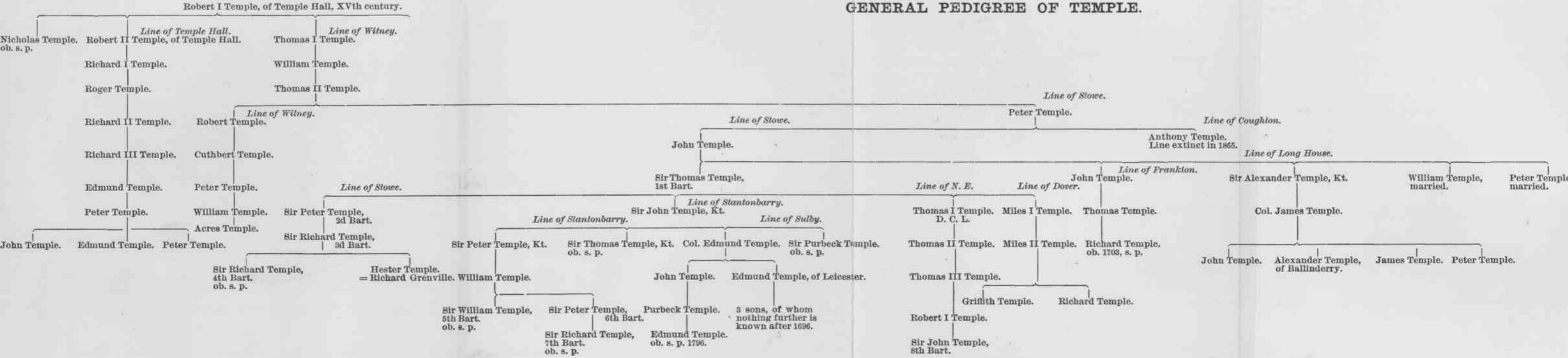
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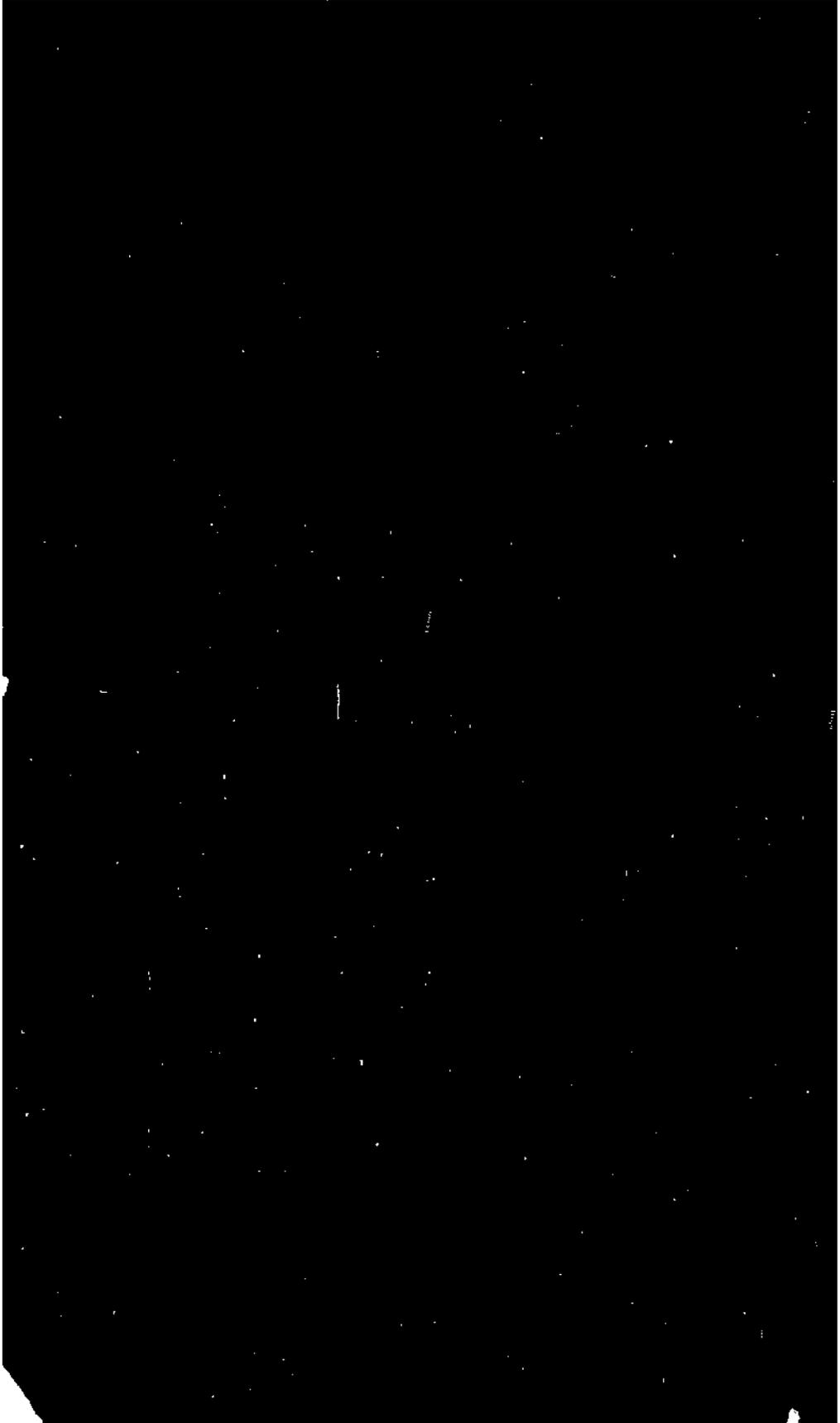
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John Robert Temple son of  
James Frederick Temple

and of  
Eliza Edmund Webb.

Crickton - Brunswick Co. Va.

married Fannie B. Temple 1887

has 10 children - 5 girls + 5 boys -

Edith Tabitha Temple  
of Tennessee married

Samuel W. Balch  
also of Tennessee

from that union  
were 3 children

John W. Balch

Charlotte V. Balch

Columbus Heskiah Balch

Mrs Edith T Balch

had 1 brother known

John Temple

over

John W Balch had  
had 8 children

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Daisy Marie B.  
Nelle B  
Charlotte Annabell B  
Charles B. dead  
Everett B dead  
Myrtle B dead  
John W B  
Samuel A. B

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Charlotte V. Balch  
FAMILY

Charles Warner B.  
1 daughter unknown DIED

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Columbus H Balch  
Killed in service  
Civil War.

Gladys Temple Adams

Daughter of John Centennial Temple  
who was the son of Joseph Marshall  
Temple. John Centennial Temple's  
100<sup>th</sup> Centennial year 1876 has  
three sons Basil Ethelbert born  
July 2<sup>nd</sup> 1900 - Robert Partick  
Hooker March 11<sup>th</sup> 1904 - John  
Centennial Jr. born March 4<sup>th</sup>  
1906. one daughter Gladys Adams  
born Aug. 30<sup>th</sup> 1902. Mother  
Nora Cecilia Mac Partick born  
1874 - died Dec. 1945.