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PREFATORY NOTE

THE Editorial Committee have pleasure in issuing the Fifth Volume of the *Fasti*. Their labours in connection with this Volume—the largest yet published—have again been attended with some difficulty, arising chiefly from the lack of information in the Separate Registers. In many instances these Registers have not been systematically kept, and important blanks have been noted. As far as possible, however, the Committee have been able to supply the necessary information from a variety of sources, not least from the Registers and Documents within H.M. General Register House, whose officials have given ready and courteous access thereto. Information has also been derived from numerous private individuals in various parts of the world, and volumes dealing with Local and Family History have been carefully consulted. Churchyard epitaphs have been examined, and newspaper notices have been considerably gleaned. Pains have been taken to verify all that has been recorded, and where discrepancies have occurred—mostly in the matter of proper names and dates—the official Registers have been accepted as authority.

The Committee desire to express their thanks to the Clerks of the different Presbyteries; also to the Rev. William Stephen, Inverkeithing, for help with the Presb. of Dunfermline, the Rev. W. H. Porter, Culz, the Presb. of Cupar, Professor Sir Peter R. Scott Lang, the Presb. of St Andrews, the Rev. William Wilson, Airlie, the Presb. of Meigle, the Rev. Robert Hall, Rescobie, the Presb. of Forfar, the Rev. W. S. Buchan, Liff, and the Rev. T. D. Meredith, Inchture, the Presb. of Dundee, the Rev. R. C. Mitchell, Fern, the Presb. of Brechin, and the Rev. William Stephen, Garvoeck, the Presb. of Fordoun.

The Volume has been brought down to the eve of publication.

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ABBREVIATIONS

Mr.	Master	marri.	married
Rev.	Reverend	min.	minister
bapt.	baptized	ord.	ordained
conf.	confessed	pres.	presented
contr.	contract	prob.	presbytery
dec.	declaration	procl.	proclaimed
des.	designed	resig.	resigned
dep.	deposed	spouse	without issue
trans.	translated	transl.	translated
univ.	university	unmarr.	university
widow	widowed	widow	widow

SYNOD OF FIFE

THE Register of the Synod of Fife begins at 2nd April 1639. There is a gap in the Record from 9th April 1657 to 22nd July 1690.

PRESBYTERY OF DUNFERMLINE

[In April 1581, when the General Assembly was much occupied with the organising of local ecclesiastical administration, one of the places chosen for the site of a Presbytery was Dunfermline. The Register of this Presbytery, as now extant, begins at 21st April 1647. There was a volume of earlier date, covering the period from 20th July 1582 to July 1662. On 3rd Dec. 1662 it passed into the hands of Andrew Honyman, Archdeacon of St Andrews, but of it nothing further is known. There are gaps in the Record from 12th May to 2nd June 1647, from 18th Sept. 1672 to 24th July 1689, and from 15th July 1691 to 14th Oct. 1696. From 7th April 1692 till about the end of the seventeenth century the Presbyteries of Dunfermline and Kirkealday were united. In 1856, on the erection of the Presbytery of Kinross, the parishes of Cleish, Kinross, and Orwell were transferred thereto.]

ABERDOUR.

[The fine old church of Aberdour, now ruined, was dedicated to St Fillan. It belonged to the Abbey of Inchcolm. The church is about seventy feet long. St Fillan's Well is near it. In the town was an hospital of St Martha, founded 22nd July 1474 by James, Earl of Morton, which was afterwards a convent of the Sisters of the Third Order of St Francis. Beside it was St Martha's Well. A fair of St Columba was held at Aberdour. The Augustinian Abbey of St Columba at Inchcolm was founded by King Alexander I. in 1123. The monastic buildings are still very extensive, and their oblong, light-grey mass, surmounted by a tall, square, central tower, forms a commanding object as seen from the shores of the Firth of Forth, or from the heights of Edinburgh. The stone-roofed octagonal chapter-house is one of the most beautiful and perfect in Scotland, and the abbot's house, the cloisters, and refectory are comparatively entire.]

JOHN PATERSON, was reader from 1567 to 1580; pres. to the vicarage 1587 of this parish by James VI. 23rd March 1573. [*Reg. Min.; Wodrow and Martland Miscell.*, iii.]

PETER BLACKWOOD, adm. before 27th Jan. 1566-7; pres. to the vicarage by James VI. 19th Sept. 1571, which he dem. before 23rd March 1573. About the same time Saline, Auchtertool, Dalgety, and Inverkeithing were under his care; he was a member of Assembly April 1581; nominated by the Assembly in succeeding Oct. one of those for establishing a Presb. in the west of Fife; continued in 1586, in which year, according to the editor of the *Minutes of the Synod of Fife*, he was trans. to Aberdeen; died between 3rd and 20th May 1587. He marr. (1) Katherine, daugh. of Robert Stewart, burgess of Dunfermline, and grand-daugh. of William Stewart of Rosyth, and had issue Henry; (2) Marjory Cumming, and had issue William, a student for the ministry in

1587. M. 600 c. 1, born 1559; *Aberdour Session Rec.*, *Rec. of the Kirk, Hect. for 1587*; *Rec. of Rec'ds*, 1591; *Rec. of Deeds*, xxv, 413; *Rec. of Rec'ds*, xxvi, 355b; *Rec. of Rec'ds*, xxvii, 17; *Rec. of Rec'ds*, 25th Aug., 26th Nov., 1588; *Memo. Wks.*, Box vi, Nos. 7, 42.

ANDREW KIRK, M.A., St Andrews; 1587. Presented vicarage of the parish of the 1587. Andrew, then reader at Meldrum, became reader at Aberdour, and Dalgety, prior to the parish of Dysart in 1588; after excommunication the Presbytery adjudged him "not meet there to be admitted in respect of the invaliditie of his doctrine"; appeal to Glenrothes 1591-2; *Rec. of Rec'ds*, 249, 477.

JOHN FAIRFOLI, entered as ex-scholar at Catolicas 1571, and in 1587 as schol. capacity cited along with Walter Balbous, etc., was schoolmaster at Dunfermline 1st July 1584, adm. before 6th Feb. 1587-8, prior to the vicarage of Dalgety and Beach by James VI, before 6th Feb. 1593, trans. to Dunfermline in 1598.

PATRICK CARMICHAEL, M.A., trans. from Soutra, adm. in 1602; he petitioned the General Assembly in Nov. that year to divide the stipend of Dalgety and Aberdour, and receive half of it to be given to him, but he was adjudged only the vicarage, trans. to Oxnam 25th March 1611.

WILLIAM EATON of Leuchars, brother of John, P. of Middle Ballilisk; ord. 1611; rec'd. 1st Churc. of St Andrews; M.A. 1650; man. of Mucktem in 1588; trans. to Orwell before 22nd March 1592; trans. to Dalgety in 1598. In 1611 he had charge of Beach, Aberdour, and Dalgety; was named by the King in 1610 a member of Auldky, and received 50 marks for his services; acquired Ruth which he sold to Lord Wemyss, received from Dalgety before 1613, at which time that parish and Beach were all in the charge. His death in 1634 was certified by a tell. He marr. Jean Balbous, d. at Leuchars; James; John, Skinner-burgess of Edinburgh; William;

Margaret (marr. Henry Johnston) and Jean, both of these were acting as teachers in Aberdour in 1661. [Rec. Assig.; Row's Hist.; *Rec. of Deeds*, ccvii, 218, 16th Oct., 1629; 15th Jan., 1652; *Family of Wemyss*, i, 293; *Life Susa*, vi, 635, 129; *Moray Wkts.*, Box xix, No. 6; *Aberdour Session Rec.*, 1661.]

WALTER STEWART, trans. from Rousay and Ezilshay; pres. by 1635 Charles I, 18th March 1635; trans. to South Ronaldshay and Burray in 1636.

ROBERT BRUCE of Kincaivill [now Kingscaivill], Linlithgow, born about 1637, third son of Sir John B. of Kincaivill; pres. by Charles I, the charge consisting of Aberdour, Dalgety, and Beach, 31st March 1637. At that time he sided with Episcopacy. In 1638 he joined the Covenanting Party, but in 1652 he again conformed to Episcopacy. He was a member of the Commission of Assembly in 1645; was under suspension for some reason in 1646, and became Elimosimar or Almoner to the King 12th March that year; died between 12th and 22nd Feb. 1667 after a lengthened illness. He was proprietor of Pitkeny, Mitchelston, and part of Strathore, and owned various tenements in Dysart. During part of his ministry he had as assistants William Cochrane, afterwards min. of Cross and Burness, Orkney, and William Smyth, afterwards of Queensferry (q). He marr. Janet (died at Burntisland, Oct. 1668), daughter of Captain Andrew Watson, Burntisland, sister of John W. of Dunnikier, and widow of Andrew Ayton of Kinglassie. [87 *Andrews Test.*; *Rec. Soc. Sig.*, i, 28; *Acts of Parl.*, vi, 607; *Rec. of Deeds*, Dalr., xv, 9, 10; *Gen. Rec. Sis.*, ii, 97, xli, 448; Ross's *Aberdour and Inchcolm*, 224-35.]

THOMAS LITSTER [or LISTER], M.A. (St Andrews, 28th July 1656); 1668 became schoolmaster of Leuchars 14th Dec. 1662; recommended for licence 28th Dec. 1664; ord. to Auchtertool 29th Sept. 1665; trans. and adm. 16th Sept.; pres. by Charles II, 21st Oct. 1668, and 7th July 1671; died in June 1689, aged about

55. He marr. 14th July 1668, in the church of Carnock, Margaret Lindsay, who died "as she lived in love with God and Man" 11th July 1688, aged 38, and had issue—James, born 1669; Katherine, born 1671; William, born 1673; Anna, born 1675; Margaret, born 1676; Hugh, born 1678, was a sailor in the ship *Rising Sun* of the second Darien Expedition, perished in the wreck of that vessel off the harbour bar at Charleston, South Carolina, when all aboard were lost; Thomas, born 1680; Margaret, born 1682; Helen, born 1683; Thomas, born 1685; James, born 1687, captain in Col. Hepburn's regiment in Holland.—[*Dunkeld Tests.; Inhib. and Hornings*, 28th Dec. 1668; *Tombst.*]

ROBERT JOHNSTON, min. in 1689, 1689 mouted that same year.—[*Selections Syn. of Fife*, 234.]

DAVID CUMMING, only son of Michael C., min. of Drainie; lieen. by Presb. of Dunfermline 21st Oct. 1696; called in Jan., and ord. 24th Feb. 1697; died between 4th Aug. and 30th Sept. 1701. He marr. Margaret Balenqual, and had issue—Anna, born in May and died on 22nd Aug. 1702.—[*Reg. of Deeds*, Mack., 22nd Dec. 1710; *Banff Sats.*, v., 6.]

ALEXANDER SCOTT, M.A. (Edinburgh, 3rd July 1693); lieen. by 1702 Presb. of Edinburgh 3rd Sept. 1701; called by the Presb. *jure devoluto* 26th Aug., and ord. 24th Sept. 1702; died Feb. 1721, aged about 48. He marr. (1) March 1703, Catherine Gordon in Cramond: (2) Oct. 1705, Janet, daugh. of Fergus Kennedy, merchant in Killantringan, and had issue—David, born 1707; Sophia, born 1709 (marr. 14th June 1747, David Patterson, saddler, Edinburgh).—[*Canongate Reg.; Moray Writs*, Box xvii., 1660.]

JOHN LISTON, born 5th June 1687, 1723 fifth son of Patrick L., farmer, Newliston, and Janet, daugh. of William Wilkie, in Cliftonhall (of the Rathobyles family); educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; lieen. by Presb. of Linlithgow 25th July

1716; pres. to Kirkmahoe by Charles, Duke of Queensberry and Dover, 11th Jan. 1720, but that not being carried out, he was presented to this charge by Robert, Earl of Morton, 21st June 1721 [notwithstanding considerable opposition by a section of the congregation]; ord. by a Committee of Synod 7th May 1723; died 17th Sept. 1764, and was buried beneath the aisle of the old church at Aberdour. He marr. 26th Dec. 1723, Mary (died 2nd July 1773, aged 71), younger daugh. of Francis Scott of Davington by a daugh. of Robert Douglas of Auchintully, and had issue—Ann, born 9th Jan. 1725; Margaret, born 24th March 1727; John, born 2nd, and died 12th April 1729; Robert, min. of this parish: Agatha, born 15th Oct. 1731; James, born 9th Oct. 1733, killed by a fall from the ruins of Aberdour Castle in 1752; Janet, bapt. 24th Aug. 1735. He left a Diary, which is still preserved. It contains interesting references to the general affairs of the Church and Country.—[*MS. Genet.; Innerleithen Sess. Reg.; McCall's Some Old Families*, 91-98, 220, and Appendix, xvi.]

ROBERT LISTON, born 22nd March 1730, son of preeeding; began to 1754 attend school 11th Feb. 1735, and matriculated as a student in the Univ. of Edinburgh 13th Oct. 1743; lieen. by Presb. of Dunfermline 5th Sept. 1753; called 13th Dec. that year (after a representation to the patron, James, Earl of Morton, by the heritors and elders); ord. (assistant and successor) 2nd April 1754; elected Moderator of the General Assembly 17th May 1787 (he was the last who filled the chair without being a D.D.); died 11th Feb. 1796. He marr. 11th Nov. 1766, Janet (died at Auldeathie, Hopetoun Park, 31st Dec. 1814), daugh. of Henry Hardy, min. of Culross, and had issue—Anne, born 7th Feb. 1768 (marr. 28th May 1792, Hugh Meiklejohn, D.D., min. of Abercorn); John, born 27th April 1769, apprenticed to a W.S., 1788, died 3rd March 1805; Mary, born 31st May 1770, died unmarr. 9th Oct. 1854; Henry, min. of

LAWRENCE, 3rd Bishop of Elgin, died Feb. 17, 1772, son of Alexander Lawrence, born 1705; Rector of Elgin 1731, died 1773; died 17th March 1772. MELVILLE, born 1773, May 1777, died 1st Aug. 1825. THOMAS, Sheriff of Fife, by his wife, born 1st April 1782, died 1st Dec. 1802. WILLIAM, son of Robert, born 17th July 1782, died 27th July 1810. WILLIAM MC CALL, of Moidenhill, Cumbernauld, near Glasgow, Liverpool, died 27th Feb. 1802. THOMAS, son of Robert of Fife, Sheriff of Stirlingshire, died 1803. MC CALL, son of Robert, died 1803.

WILLIAM BRYCE, born 10th April 1793, son of Alexander Bryce, min. of Kirkcudbright, and Rev. Dr. Bryce, of Edinburgh, died 1st July 1849, buried 3rd July 1849, posthumously George, Earl of Morton, and James, born 28th Sept. 1801, 10th St. Andrews, died 1826; wife of H. M. Morris, Chaplain in Ordinary, 23rd Feb. 1801, died through the intercession of the Duke of Wellington, named after him. David, son of Chapel Royal, in 1834, which was renewed, died Nov. 1834, and died 18 Sept. 1841. Henry, 1st Viscount, died 1841. Edinburgh, 10th July 1897, tenth daughter of James Graham, Marquess of Montrose, and Lady Mary, nee Gordon, born 12th Dec. 1813, married to General Beyond commandant of Liverpool, died 10th June 1855. Sir James, Baronet, descended of Lord C. Lovell, born 21st June 1817, Emily, born 29th April 1846, born William Chaloner, son of Emily, Catherine Elizabeth, born 18 Feb. 1821, died, born 1st May 1823, Barbara Anne, born 17th Feb. 1825, married 1st Feb. 1846, General George Murray, 2nd, William Ross, LL.D., son of Rev. George, Ayrshire, author of *Ayrshire Poems*, died 11th Feb. 1914. Alexander, Captain, in 20th March 1814, married Queenland, 28th Jan. 1883, deceased, 2nd, Barbara, born 10th March 1828, died 16th Dec. 1890. William, 1st Major, Fife, born 1817, died 1st December 1879. Oct. 1856, George, Lieut. 1st of 14th Regiment, born 17th Dec. 1832, died July 1877.

WILLIAM CHALMERS, M.A., pres. 1890, by George Shatto, Earl of Morton (on application of the parishioners), and succeeded as joint and successor) 5th Aug. 1930, trans. to Dailly 1st July 1841.

HUGH RALPH, M.A., LL.D., adm. 1842, 4th Feb. 1842, trans. to Dalgety 7th March 1844.

HENRY STEEL, born 22nd Feb. 1821, son of Charles, Snr., Edinburgh, and Isabella Brown, educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; ord. 10th July 1844; died 17th April 1845.

JOHN DUNCAN CAMPBELL, born 1845, son of John Campbell, of North Knapdale, Argyll, educated at Univ. of Glasgow, ord. 11th Sept. 1857; died minister, 9th Sept. 1856.

GEORGE RODDICK, born 1827, son of George, R., farmer, and Mary Thomson, educated at Univ. of Edinburgh, app. to Thornton in 1855; trans. and adm. 29th March 1857; died 29th July 1864. He married 21st April 1857, Elizabeth, died 3d Nov. 1883, youngest daughter of Captain David John Thomson, M.E.I.C.S.

WILLIAM HENRY GRAY, born 28th May 1866, second son of Andrew Gray, D.D., min. of Dalkeith, educated at Univ. of Edinburgh, M.A. (1885), B.D. (1888), licenced by Presb. of Dalkeith in 1888, assistant at Coldingham 1888-95, ord. 26th June 1896, died minister, 30th June 1914. Publication, *A Victorian Prosperity* (Dundee, J. D. Son & Son, Burntisland, 1897).

ROBERT JOHNSTONE, born at Lenahers 20th April 1872, son of Robert, Jr., min. of Lenahers, educated at St. Andrews Univ., M.A. (1894), B.D. (1897), licenced by Presb. of St Andrews in 1897, assistant at Lady Glenorchy's Church, Edinburgh, 1897-9, ord. to St James's Parish, Kirkcaldy, 15th April 1899, trans. to Murrayfield, Edinburgh, 17th Dec. 1901, trans. and adm. 18th Nov. 1914. Army Chaplain in France attached to 18th C.C.S. and 8th Seaforth

HIGHLANDERS, Dec. 1916 to Dec. 1917, May 1918 to May 1919. MARR. 2nd Aug. 1900, Edith Christina (born 17th Sept. 1875), daugh. of John Thomson Stocks and Fanny Martha Heal, Osborne House, Kirkcaldy, and has issue—Alistair Thorburn, Science student (Forestry), Edinburgh Univ., born 13th Aug. 1901; Edith Frances, born 19th April 1903; Robert Lawrence, born 6th Sept. 1905; Mabel Thorburn, born 27th June 1909.

BEATH.

[The church of Beath belonged to the Abbey of Inchcolm. It is mentioned as a parish in 1574. It was, however, the last in being settled. It is stated in the Session-book that "when all the congregations of Fyfe were planted, this poore kirke was neglected and overlooked after the Reformation eighty years. The poore parishioners being lyke wandering sheep without a sheepherd, and whair they should have conveeneed to hear a pastoure preiche, the principal cause of the people's meetings was to heare a pyper play upone the Lord's daye, which was the daye of their profaine mirth, not being in the workes of their calling. Sathane had a most faire name amongst them, stirring many of them up to dancing, playing at football, and excessive drinking, falling out and wounding one another, which was the exercise of the youngest sort, and the older sort played at gemes, and the workes of their calling without any distinction of the weeke daye from the daye of the Lord." The church was rebuilt in 1640, chiefly through the exertions of Alexander Colvill of Blair. John Row, min. of Carnock, attended the Committee in Edinburgh 17th July 1642, for the disjunction of the kirks of Aberdour, Dalgety, and Beath, and so this parish was re-erected in 1643.]

ALEXANDER STEVEN, formerly one of the monks of Dunfermline Abbey, 1574 reader from 1574 to 1579. [Acts and Decrets, lxvi., 396.]

HENRY SMITH, M.A. (St Andrews, 1620); went to Ireland, where he 1644 held a charge; returned to Scotland and was settled at Second Charge, Culross, before 20th March 1644; adm. here 15th May 1644; pres. by Charles I. 15th Feb. 1645; died before 17th Feb. 1673. He marr. Marjorie Sands, and had issue—Marjorie, bapt. 20th March 1644; John, born 1643; Alexander, born 1645; James. One of his sons was a bursar at the New College, St Andrews, in 1664.—[*Dunfermline and Aberdour Sess. Reg.; Reg. Sec. Sig.; Lamont's Diary*, 100.]

ALEXANDER SHAW, M.A. (St Andrews, 27th July 1651); had 1673 testimonial from Presb. of St Andrews for licence 6th Jan. 1664; ord. after 29th March, and adm. to Orwell 17th May 1665; pres. by Charles II. 17th Feb. 1673; trans. and adm. in April, and still min. in 1686.

GEORGE GRAY, min. of Dalgety; 1689 probably officiated here 1689-90.

ALEXANDER STEDMAN, son of 1691 Robert S., chaplain of the Trinity Hospital, Edinburgh; elected bursar of Philosophy by the Town Council 10th June 1674; educated at the Univ. there; M.A. (1677); licen. by a Committee of Synod at Mid-Calder 4th Nov. 1687; ord. 9th June 1691; called to Wiek 7th March 1697, but did not accept the appointment; dem. 7th July 1725. He marr. (1) 3rd Aug. 1693, Beatrice, daugh. of Andrew Donaldson, min. of Dalgety, and had issue—Robert, min. of this parish; Andrew, born 1697; Alexander, min. of Tillicoultry, born 1701; (2) 16th Aug. 1704, Anna Balfour, in parish of Kennoway, and had issue—John, born 1705; David, born 1707; James, born 1709.—[*Lothian Syn. Reg.; Fraser's Life of Ralph Erskine*.]

ROBERT STEDMAN, born 1695, eldest son of preceding; educated at Univ. 1726 of Edinburgh; M.A. (24th May 1715); licen. by Presb. of Dunfermline 15th Nov. 1721; called 2nd July 1725; ord. 17th Feb. 1726; was one of fifteen mins. who dis-

1757. JOHN HOGG, M.A., born 1730, died 1787, son of John Hogg, M.A., of Edinburgh, trans. to Kirkcudbright 1757, and died at Kirkcudbright 1787.

1758. DAVID NASH, M.A., born 1730, died 1787, son of David Nash, M.A., of Edinburgh, trans. to Kirkcudbright 1758, and died at Kirkcudbright 1787.

1759. DAVID HOGG, M.A., born 1730, died 1787, son of John Hogg, M.A., of Edinburgh, trans. to Kirkcudbright 1759, and died at Kirkcudbright 1787.

1760. GEORGE HOGG, M.A., born 1730, died 1787, son of John Hogg, M.A., of Edinburgh, trans. to Kirkcudbright 1760, and died at Kirkcudbright 1787.

1761. JAMES FERGUSON, born Blair Atholl 1732, died 1787, son of Donald Ferguson, of Blair Atholl, by his wife, St. Andrew's Kirk, Kirkcudbright, Presb. of Kirkcudbright, trans. to Kirkcudbright 1761, from Kirkcudbright 1760, and died 1787.

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1768. DAVID HOGG, M.A., born 1730, died 1787, son of David Hogg, M.A., of Edinburgh, trans. to Kirkcudbright 1768, and died 1787.

1769. DAVID HOGG, M.A., born 1730, died 1787, son of David Hogg, M.A., of Edinburgh, trans. to Kirkcudbright 1769, and died 1787.

1770. DAVID HOGG, M.A., born 1730, died 1787, son of David Hogg, M.A., of Edinburgh, trans. to Kirkcudbright 1770, and died 1787.

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DAVID NASMYTH HOGG, M.A., ord. 1890, trans. to Ardrosson 1896, trans. to Auchterarder 1898, died 22nd July 1974.

ARCHIBALD CONNELL MCPHAIL, 1870, trans. and adm. from Quarter 26th Oct. 1870, trans. to Kirkcudbright 15th June 1870.

JOHN SINCLAIR, born 13th Dec. 1856, died at Kirkcudbright 1st March 1919. He married 30th April 1881, Elizabeth Duncle, died 23rd May 1919, daughter of William Wilson, and widow of Captain Hon. R. A. Atkin, Marquess of Lorne.

ROBERT JAMES STILLE DICKEY, 1815, son of Major of Hhian Orkney, son of William James Stille, Dr. D.D., son of Harry, Orkney, educated at St Andrews, licensed by Presb. of Perth 10th May 1841, assistant at Kirkcudbright, Cumb. and North Berwick, ord. 7th July 1844, served in the Army, Sept. 1845 to Jan. 1847, Captain R.H.A., and R.F.A., and later R.G.A., a Field Instructor, Northern Army Training Centre, 1858-61, Dover Garrison, Marries 20th Nov. 1855, Helen Russell Ryrie, Angle Street, St Andrews, and has issue, Elizabeth Russell, born at St Andrews, 21st Nov. 1856, Mrs. William Gardner, born at Beach, 18th Nov. 1856.

KELTY (Q.S.).

A mission station was opened here in 1804. The parish was disjoined from Beath 1825.

GEORGE HUNTER, M.A., born 1857, 1897, son of George Hunter, app. missionary at Strabane, Parish of Moolin, app. missionary Lurg in 1894, ord. to Kelty Chapel 22nd March 1897, res. 3rd June, and was adm. to Oldham Street Church, Liverpool, 10th June 1893, res. that in 1897 became assistant at Kirkhill and Strathclyde, and died 13th Feb. 1900.

WILLIAM HENDERSON ADAM, ord. 1863, 22nd Oct. 1863, trans. to Calderbank 1st April 1899, died 28th Feb. 1923.

WILLIAM THOMSON, born Keirfield, 1919 Lerocpt, 26th Jan. 1876, son of John T. and Christian Moir; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Dunblane 1st May 1900; assistant North Parish, Dunfermline, June 1900-2; St Michael's, Crieff, Sept. 1902 to Feb. 1903; North Esk, March 1903 to Oct. 1904; Larbert, Nov. 1904; ord. to Springfield 20th July 1905; trans. and adm. 7th Aug. 1906.

CARNOCK.

[The old church of Carnock, whose ruins still stand in the churchyard, belonged to the Ministry of the Red Friars at Scotlandwell. It is said that there was in this parish an early dedication to St Cearnach.]

RICHARD BROWN, acted as reader 1567 from 1567 to 1576.

PETER BLACKWOOD, min. of Saline, 1571 etc., had also charge of this parish, being adm. in 1571.

DAVID FERGUSSON, min. of Dunfermline, had also the care of 1574 Carnock.

JOHN BAXTER, formerly a monk of 1578 Dunfermline Abbey, reader from 1578 to 1580.—[*Acts and Decrets*, lxvi., 396.]

JAMES STEWART, min. here in conjunction with Saline about 1581, but 1584 removed there in 1589 or the following year, retaining, however, the charge of Carnock till 1592.

JOHN ROW, born Perth, his baptism is recorded as having taken place 6th 1592 Jan. 1568-9, third son of John R., the Reformer, min. of Perth; educated by his father, he was so precocious that he knew Hebrew at the age of seven, and read daily after dinner or supper portions of the Old Testament in the original. On the death of his father in 1580, his brother William and he received friar's pensions from the King's Hospital at Perth. At fifteen he became schoolmaster of Kennoway and tutor to his cousins, sons of Beaton

of Balfour, whom he accompanied to Edinburgh Univ. in 1586, where he graduated M.A. 1st Aug. 1590. Shortly afterwards he was elected schoolmaster of Aberdour, and was tutor to William, Earl of Morton. He continued his studies in divinity, and towards the end of 1592 he was ord. to this charge. He was one of the forty-five mins. who signed a Protest to Parliament, 1st July 1606, against Episcopacy, and in the same year, at Linlithgow, he met with the mins. who were to be put on their trial for holding the Assembly at Aberdeen in disobedience to the King's command. In 1616 he declined a presentation to Aberdour, and later, a call to Culross. In 1619, and again on 29th Dec. 1621, he was summoned before the Court of High Commission for non-conformity and opposition to Prelacy. He was prevented by illness from obeying the former summons, but was represented by a son and a nephew. Sir George Bruce of Carnock also intervened on his behalf and sent a letter by one of his servants, Richard Christie, to the Archbishop. The Archbishop deposed two mins. but dealt more leniently with Row, who was simply "confined to his own congregation." Richard Christie claimed as much credit for the light sentence as Row's other friends: "After sundry arguments, Christie came on with one weightie argument," saying, "thir coals in your mines are very evil, and my master (Bruce) hath very many good coals: send up a vessel every year to Culross, and I shall see her laden with good coals." After Row had been restricted to his small parish he organised the Communion services which gave Carnock a celebrity among the parishes of Scotland. This it retained for upwards of two hundred years. At a Communion in 1635 it is said there were no fewer than seventeen tables. Row was a member of the Glasgow Assembly of 1638, when he was app. one of a committee of mins. "come to years" to enquire—from personal knowledge of the handwriting of clerks and their own recollection of events—into the authenticity of certain Assembly Records which had been missing for some time, the result being that their genuineness was established. By the

son. As nearly he was named one of a committee of ten to draw up such institutions as were to a might prevent corruption in the future election which had troubled the Kirk Session. He died 26th June 1630 after a two day illness, and was buried at the east end of Carnock Church, where a stone tablet now is erected to his memory. This monument is inscribed by Sir John's son, and is largely overwrought with the Hebrew writer "The Last Horse," and the following Latin inscription: "Hic dicit M. J. Row. Petrus Iunius eodem sedi hunc ex viuere certus ventus et fons. Sit enim sacerdos hierarchie et auctoritate populi et Benemeritum trivium et in theologia in frequenti studiatura et in ecclesiastica constantissimus. In Memoriam eis Family f. Row. (in MS. 7) and it is found this other epitaph:

The body of Mr. John Row, Minister of Carnock, was interred in the church of Carnock, on the 26th June 1630, in the 50th year of his age, and the 30th year of King Charles the First, and the 10th year of the Parliament of Scotland.

He married 1stly, 1595, Ginel, died 26th June 1627, described as "a verie comely and beautily ered woman, daughter of David Birrell, min. of Dunfermline, and wife to the Deidle man in Ireland, who was oblig'd to return to Scotland after residence of twenty five years, fifteen of which he had spent in the ministry, with wife and two children without means of support, by reason of persecution and oppression from Landts who burned, slew, and did all the hurt they could to those that did not recd. John Principal of King's College, Aberdeen; 2ndly, Robert, min. of Abercorn; William, min. of Cress, Kylverie marr. 1st cont. 1st Sept. 1627, Robert Mason, merchant burgess, Dunfermline; 3rd John Messon, burgess of Culross; Elizabeth marr. cont. 1st April 1623, William Gibbon, indweller in Bonham; Margaret marr. David Robertson, of Marnie Elginshie, and was great great grandfather of Principal Robertson, the historian. Publication *The Historie of the Kirk of Scotland from the year 1558 to August 1637, with a Continuation to July*

1639 by Jas — a. John Row, Principal of King's College Aberdeen. [Row's *Histories*, based on paper left by his father in law, David Ferguson, found its way into circulation by means of several manuscript copies, one of which in Edinburgh Univ. Library was first printed by the Wodrow Society, Edinburgh, 1842, an edition being printed also that same year for the Maitland Club, 2 vols., *[Memoirs of the Family of Row]*, edited by James Meldment] Edinburgh, 1828.; Baillie's *Letters*, i. 129; Gordon's *Sitt. Regs.*, i. 137, ii. 127; Notes preface to the *Histories*; Calderwood's *Histories*, viii. 519—533; Livingstone's *Chartularies*; Chalmers's *Dunfermline*, iii.; Ross's *Perth and Inchcolm*, 220, 229; Cunningham's *Culross*, 462, 4; *Dict. Nat. Biog.*, *Reg. of Deeds*, cccxvii. 53, cccxviii. 411; *Perth Sess.*, v. 137.

GEORGE BELFRAGE, M.A. (St An-
1617 drews 1627), was on the Exercise
 at Kirkealdy 15th Jan. 1635; min. at Culross in 1642; trans. and adm. 2nd June 1647; suspended 27th Oct. 1663, and dep. 5th April 1664 for conforming to Episcopacy, but still designated min. of Carnock June 1664; was resident at Culross Aug. 1677, and in Dunfermline 29th Jan. 1678, when he appears among those who had not signed the Bond for the Publick Peace. He marr. (1) 11th May 1641, Marion Setoun, who died in or after 1662, and had issue John; (2) at Dron, 14th Aug. 1677, Elizabeth, daugh. of Andrew Lundie, Kinglassie. [Kinglassie, Dron, Culross, Sess., Regs.; Wodrow's *Hist.*, i. 328; Sinclairs *Sitt. Regs.*, xi.; Gen. Sess., xl. 276; *Per. Sess.*, xvii. 362, i. 438; *Reg. of Deeds*, Dabro, xi. 402; *Reg. Privy Council*, 29th Jan. 1678.]

JOHN SHAW, M.A.; trans. from Kells,
1605 pres. by Alexander, Earl of Kin-
 cardine, coll. in Jan., and adm. 1st Feb. 1605; trans. to Kinnaird, Perthshire,
 13th March 1678.

THOMAS MARSHALL, a native of
1679 Montrose; educated at the Univ.
 and King's College, Aberdeen; M.A. (17th July 1668); adm. 27th Aug. 1679;

deprived by Privy Council, 4th Sept. 1689, for not reading the Proclamation of the Estates, and not praying for William and Mary, but for King James, and "hoping to see him in his throne before Lammas." He marr. Jean Craford, and had issue — Christian.

WILLIAM INNES, called in March, 1693 and ord. 18th Oct. 1693; trans. to Thurso May 1696.

JAMES HOG, born about 1658, son of Thomas H., min. of Larbert; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh (M.A. 1677) and in Holland (probably Utrecht); licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh; ord. to Dalserf 20th Jan. 1691. He declined to take the Oath of Allegiance in 1693. In 1695 he was elected a member of Assembly but refused the necessary oaths, upon which the Lord High Commissioner (John, Lord Carmichael) objected to his taking his seat. Entreated by his friends either to take the oaths or retire, he agreed to the latter course, on condition that the Assembly should "attest his diligence" [certify as to his attendance]. Through ill-health, he dem. 30th March 1697, but was adm. to this charge 23rd Aug. 1699. In 1711 he was a candidate for the Chair of Divinity at Marischal College, Aberdeen. He died in Edinburgh, 14th May 1734. He is best remembered for his connection with the "Marrow" Controversy. He republished in 1718 Edward Fisher's *Marrow of Modern Divinity*, to which his attention had been drawn by Thomas Boston, who had found the book in the house of one of his Simprin flock. Hog was one of the twelve protesters against an Act of Assembly which condemned the work, 20th May 1720, and enjoined ministers to warn their people not to read it. He marr., and had issue — Alison (marr. William Hunter, min. of Lilliesleaf); Janet (marr. Daniel Hunter, min. of this parish). Publications — *Remarks concerning the Spirit's Operation, and the difference betwixt the Law and the Gospel* (Edinburgh, 1701) — issued also as *Notes about the Spirit's Operations for discovering from the Word their Nature and Evidence* (Edinburgh,

1709); *A Causalistical Essay upon the Lord's Prayer, to which is subjoined A Letter to a Friend* (Edinburgh, 1705); *A Letter to a Friend, containing diverse Remarks concerning the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper* (Edinburgh, 1706); *Some Select Notes towards detecting a correct mixture of the Covenant of Works and of Grace* (Edinburgh, 1706-18); *The Covenants of Redemption and Grace displayed* (Edinburgh, 1707); *Otia Christiana, or Christian Recreations* (Edinburgh, 1708; Aberdeen, 1776) [in the First Edition the author's signature appears in error at the end of the Preface as "John Hog"]; *Some Remarks about Submission to the Sovereign disposure of the God of the Spirits of all Flesh* (Edinburgh, 1709); *Notes about Saving Illumination* (n.d., also reprinted at Aberdeen, 1778); *A Letter to a Gentleman, in which the Unlawfulness of imposing Forms of Prayer, and other Acts of Worship, is plainly Demonstrated* (Edinburgh, 1710) [answered by Robert Calder in *An Answer to Mr James Hog* (Edinburgh, 1710)]; *A Letter to a Person exercised to Godliness about our Natural Eunuity* (Edinburgh, 1714); *An Abstract of Sundry Discourses on Job XXXVI, 8, 9, 10* (Edinburgh, 1714; Aberdeen, 1778); *Abstract of two private Discourses on Mark IX, 23* (Edinburgh, 1715); *Remarks concerning the Rooting, Growth, and Ripeness of a Work of Grace in the Soul* (Edinburgh, 1715); *An Essy to vindicate some Scripture Truths [against Professor Simson]* (Edinburgh, 1716); *A Letter to a Gentleman detecting the gangrene of some Errors vented at this Time* (Edinburgh, 1716); *Abstract of Discourses on Psalm XLI, 4* (Edinburgh, 1716); *Letter to a private Christian on Gospel Holiness* (Edinburgh, n.d.); *Three Missives written to a Minister of the Gospel, in answer to one from him* [an anti-Separatist tract] (Edinburgh, 1717, the first of those missives was reprinted at Edinburgh in 1893); *The Right of Church Members to choose their own Overseers* (Edinburgh, 1717); *The Marrow of Modern Divinity* [by Edward Fisher], edited with Preface (Edinburgh, 1718); *A Vindication of the Doctrine of*

Graves for the Clergy of Ayrshire (Edinburgh, 1718); *Six Proposals for Peacemaking* (Edinburgh, 1718); *Six Months' Address to a Gentleman which Containeth His State of Religion* (Edinburgh, 1719); *Two twelve letters* (Edinburgh, 1719); *A Letter concerning the True State of the Question between the New and Antient Clerks* (Ministers of the Church of Scotland) (Edinburgh, 1719); *An Exposition of Passages excepted in the Minutes of Merton Delegacy* (Edinburgh, 1719); *A Collection of Prophetic Hints and Epistles* (Edinburgh, 1719); *Remarks upon the Reasons of A Christian* (Edinburgh, 1719); *Letters to the Clergy, containing a defense of the Ministers and Pastors of the Kirk of Scotland* (Edinburgh, 1720) [on Answer to "The Snake in the Grass, or Remarks upon the Minutes of Merton Delegacy" Edinburgh, 1719]; *The Second Session of the Minutes of Merton Delegacy* (Edinburgh, 1721); *Reasons of Master James Hargrave, James Battlegate, &c., for their not Observing the Day of Thanksgiving* (Edinburgh, 1723); *Answer to Campbell's Discourse proving that the Apostles were no Baptists* (Edinburgh, 1724); *On Contumacy* (Edinburgh, 1727); Preface to Halyburton's *Natural Religion insinuating to Man's Hypothesis* (Edinburgh, 1714), and to *Memoirs or Spiritual Exercises of Mistress Ross* (Edinburgh, 1735); *The Controversy concerning the Minutes of Conselue in Several Familiar Dialogues, I., II.* (Edinburgh, 1721-2); *Queries agreed unto by the Commission of the General Assembly* (1721) and put to those Ministers, together with the Answers given (Edinburgh, 1722); *Memoirs of the Public Life of Mr. James Hargrave* (the Ecclesiastical Proceedings of his Time preceding his Settlement at Carnock, written by himself as a Testimonial Memorial, 1758); [R. Brown, *Eloc.*, Boston, *Memo.*, Woodrow's *Corresp.*, p. 236, 105 s. n. 3, 104, 308, n. 7; *Eloc.*, Chris. Inst., 1831-2, p. 604; R. Brown's *Gospel Truth*; *Prayers* Ralph Erskine; Fraser's *The Christian, the Student, and Pastor*; *Exemplar* (Edinburgh, 1751). Erskine,

Life Relation, 1714; Henderson's *Religious Controversies of Scotland*, 20-33; *Diet. Nat. Biog.*

DANIEL HUNTER, licen. by Presb. 1730 of Dunfermline 16th Sept. 1724; became chaplain in the family of Colonel Erskine of Carnock; called 26th June 1729; ord. assistant and successor 21st Jan. 1730; died 15th Jan. 1739. He married Janet (died 28th May 1752), daughter of James Hog, min. of this parish, and had issue James; Isabella, born 1732; Mary, born 1733; John, born 1735; Archibald; Thomas, born 1737; Janet. Publication *Answer to Campbell's Discourse proving that the Apostles were no Baptists*, perhaps jointly with preceding. [Wodrow's *Auth.*]

THOMAS GILLESPIE, born Clearkburn, 1711, parish of Duddingston, 1708, son of a farmer; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh. Purposing to enter the ministry of the Secession Church, he went to Perth to study divinity under William Wilson at the Secession Hall there, but disliking the views propounded he stayed only ten days, after which he attended a Theological Academy at Northampton, presided over by Philip Doddridge, D.D.; licen. by a Presbyterian Classis or Presbytery [or, according to Struthers, by Doddridge and a number of independent mins.] in England 30th Oct. 1740; ord. min. of a congregation in the north of England 22nd Jan. 1741. He returned to Scotland in March, was pres. to this parish by Colonel Erskine of Carnock, called 7th May, and adm. 11th Sept. that year. When signing the "Confession of Faith" he took exception to chapter xxiii., in which are defined the powers of the civil magistrate. With five co-presbyters he opposed the settlement of Andrew Richardson at Inverkeithing, refusing to implement the orders of the Assembly for his induction in May 1752, and submitting a Representation in terms of the Act of 25th May 1736, which set forth, "that it is, and has been since the Reformation, the principle of this Church, that no minister shall be intruded into any parish contrary to the will of the

congregation." An agreement might have been come to under modifications proposed by three of G.'s brethren, but G. himself stood firm and produced a second paper re-affirming his position. By a majority of forty six, the General Assembly determined that to punish the contumacy of the Presbytery, one of its members should be deposed, and in a sederunt of fifty-six mins. and elders, fifty-two voted for G.'s deposition, 23rd May 1752. He remained at the bar, listened to the Moderator (Patrick Cumming, D.D.) pronouncing sentence, and made this reply: "I desire to receive this sentence of the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland pronounced against me with real concern, and awful impressions of the divine conduct in it; but I rejoice that to me it is given on behalf of Christ, not only to believe in Him, but also to suffer for His sake." It is said that G. returned to Carnock late on the night of the Saturday of his deposition. His wife, not expecting his return, had gone to bed. When he knocked at the door for admittance, she rose, went to the window, and desired to know who was there. "The deposed minister of Carnock," was the reply. On getting inside the house, he said, "I am no longer minister of Carnock," and to that his wife answered, "Well, if we must beg, I will carry the meal-pock." The next day a vast crowd assembled at Carnock from all parts, but instead of preaching in the church, a service was held in the church-yard, G. taking for his text the words: "Necessity is laid upon me; yea, woe is unto me, if I preach not the Gospel!" For four months he continued to preach in the fields till a meeting-house was opened at Dunfermline. On 22nd Oct. 1761, the Presb. of Relief (*i.e.* for the relief of Christians oppressed in their Church privileges) was founded by G. and two other mins. Thomas Boston, the younger, and Thomas Colier, min. at Colinsburgh, with an elder from each of their Sessions. G. died 19th Jan. 1774. He was a conscientious and painstaking min., single-minded, devoid of personal ambition in the matter of his ecclesiastical convictions, somewhat uncouth and nervous in his

public appearances. He literally wore himself out with his indefatigable labours. It has been stated that in his later years he desired to return to the Church of Scotland, and that on his deathbed he advised his adherents to get his meeting-house received as a chapel of ease. This, however, is strenuously denied, and there is no direct evidence for a statement made chiefly on the authority of John Erskine, D.D. He marr. 19th Nov. 1744, Margaret (died *s.p.* 27th April 1787), daugh. of John Riddell, physician, Edinburgh. Publications—*A Just View of the Constitution of the Church of Scotland* (n.p., 1752) [answered by *A Juster View* (Edinburgh, 1753)]; *An Essay on the Continuance of Immediate Revelations of Facts and Future Events in the Christian Church* [containing a Letter by James Cuthbert, min. of Culross, and a Preface by John Erskine, D.D.] (Edinburgh, 1771); *A Treatise on Temptation* [Preface by John Erskine, D.D.] (Edinburgh, 1774).—[See *A Letter from several Elders, Lovers of Peace and Moderation, upon the Depositing of T. G.* (n.p., 1752); *A Speech concerning the Reopening of T. G.* (n.p., 1753); *An Inquiry into the Powers committed to the General Assemblies of this Church, and the Nature of Deposition from the Holy Ministry, occasioned by the Conduct and Procedure of the Assembly* 1752, by the author of the "Queries" in the *Scots Mag.* for July 1752, with an Introduction by another hand (Glasgow, 1754); *The Case of the Rev. T. G.* [by T[homas] B[oston]] (n.p., 1770); *The Case of the Rev. T. G. reviewed* (Edinburgh, 1770); *Sermons preached at Dunfermline on the Death of the Rev. T. G.* [by James Cowan, min. at Colinsburgh] (1796); *Lives of Ebenezer Erskine, William Wilson, and Thomas Gillespie, Fathers of the U.P. Church* [Life of G. by William Lindsay, D.D.] (Edinburgh, 1849); *The History and Principles of the First Constituted Presbytery of Relief, by the Surviving Members of said Presb.* (Edinburgh, 1795); Struthers's *Hist. of the Relief Church*, 1839; McKelvie's *Annals of the U.P. Church*; Small's *Hist. of U.P. Congs.*, i., 358; Alex. Carlyle's *Autobiography*; Cunningham's *Hist. of the Secession and*

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Robert Thompson, b. 1731, d. 1773, son of John Thompson, b. 1690, d. 1753, minister at Carnock, died at Edinburgh.

WILLIAM GILSTON, b. in Chirkton 1731, d. 1790, son of John Gilston, b. 1727, minister at Edinburgh, presbytery of Edinburgh, presbytery of Edinburgh, Presbytery of Carnock, N. w. 1820, born 8th April 1817, joined the Free Church in 1843, man of Carnock Free Church 1843-81, b. 12th July 1811, He married 3rd Sept. 1821 Margaret Leigh, widow of Andrew Stirling, weaver, Perth, Scotland, Carrall, who died 18th May 1842, and had issue Jessie Carrall, b. 20th May 1843, John Gilston, b. 12th April 1845, and an Australian Isobel McNeill, born 29th June 1867. Graham born 17th June 1846, and Aikenson Duncie, Falkirk, A Vicar of the Parish No. 8 Stat. Mex. x. 8 m. 18. XIII. CXXI. f. 22. Chancery Court, London.

ALAN PLA K DUGLAS, b. in 1805, son of Alan Duglas, farmer and miller, 1843, and Isobel Blair, b. 12th Oct. 1843, at East Edinburgh, 23rd April 1862. He married 9th Jan. 1874 Jane, daughter of Peter Mitchell, a weaver, Kirkcudl, she married 2nd June 1877 James William Murphy, man of Cumbernauld.

ROBERT JOHNSTONE, b. 11th Dec. 1802, transy. Longchamp 10th July 1832, d. 1866.

PETER PENNYCOOK, born 1837, son of Charles Penneycock, and Christian Bayne, educated at St Andrews Univ., assistant at Govan, adm. 23rd Sept. 1859, d. 1st Sept. 1876. He married 21st Jan. 1858, Hamilla, daughter of John Mitchell, Mose Park, Govan, and had issue Charles Hamilton Mitchell, of 118 Denmark Terrace, Brighton, born 2nd Dec. 1870, Janet Hamilton, born 17th Dec. 1871, died at Lynwood, Bridge of Allan, 6th Jan. 1880, Annie Mitchell, born 14th Dec. 1872, died at Dalkit, Park, Dalkeith, 13th June 1922.

WILLIAM AULD, born Kippen Schoolhouse, 2nd March 1854, son of James A., parochial schoolmaster; educated at Glasgow Univ., 1871-8; M.A., 27th April 1876; B.D., 28th Nov. 1878; missionary assistant at Bridgeton, Glasgow, Aug. 1875 to Dec. 1876; and Blucher, Glasgow, Jan. 1877 to March 1880; licen. by Presb. of Glasgow, 12th June 1878; ord. 25th March 1880; dem., Nov. 1919. Marr. 28th Oct. 1886, Emily, daugh. of James Wallace, Burnbank, Dennistoun, Glasgow, and has issue—James Cecil Wallace, born 9th Jan. 1891.

JAMES MOIR WEBSTER, born Forde, 31st Aug. 1875, son of Joseph W.; educated at Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A., 1897; B.D., 1900; licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen in 1900; assistant at South Church, Aberdeen; ord. to North Parish, Dunfermline, 20th Nov. 1902; trans. and adm. 5th Feb. 1920. Marr. 7th July 1903, Christina Mollison, died 6th March 1921, daugh. of John Gibson, Bucksburn, Aberdeen, and has issue—Mary Paterson, born 6th Aug. 1904, died 26th Oct. 1919; Jeanie Gibson, born 16th Aug. 1907.

COWDENBEATH (Q.S.).

[A Mission was begun here in 1894, and in 1896 a church was built, and a chapel-of-ease constitution obtained. On 6th July 1915 the parish of Cowdenbeath was disjoined from Beath and Auchtertool.]

ROBERT CONDIE HUNTER, app. missionary 31st Oct. 1894, and res. in March 1895; ord. min. of Annabank 28th Sept. 1898; trans. to Leadhills 17th July 1923.

JAMES AIKEN, M.A.; app. missionary in Feb. 1895 and res. in Aug. 1898; afterwards min. of St James's Parish, Ferfar.

JOHN HENDERSON, M.A., B.D.; ord. first min. of Chapel-of-Ease 13th Oct. 1898; res. 19th Sept. and adm. to Muirkirk 21st Sept. 1910.

JAMES FRANCIS, M.A., B.D., formerly of Twechar Chapel, Glasgow; adm. 1911, 17th Jan. 1911; res. 13th July and adm. to St Thomas's Parish, Glasgow, 7th Aug. 1913.

ROBERT MUIR, born Maryhill, Glasgow, son of John M.; educated at Glasgow Univ.; licen. by Presb. of Dumbarton in April 1905; assistant at St Clement's Parish, Dundee, 1905-6; ord. to Toward Chapel (parish of Inverell), 5th May 1906; adm. to St Mark's Parish, Glasgow, 4th May 1909; trans. and adm. 18th Feb. 1914; died 10th Oct. 1921. Largely through his untiring efforts the Parish *quoad sacra* was erected. He marr. 5th Dec. 1899, Charlotte, daugh. of Jas. Cook.

JOHN WATSON EMLIE, born Edinburgh, 21st Jan. 1886, son of James E., Deputy Keeper of Privy Seal of Scotland, and Janet Tod Watson; educated at Edinburgh Univ.; M.A., 1908; became a teacher; served in the Army as private and officer in Scottish Rifles, Seaforth Highlanders, and Chinese Corps, 1914-20; licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh March 1919; assistant at South Leith Feb. 1920 to March 1922; ord. 22nd March 1922.

CULROSS.

The original parish church of Culross, dating from a very early period and now a ruin, is situated in a field about three-quarters of a mile to the west of the burgh, and is surrounded by a very interesting graveyard. To the north of the church, on the farm of the Ashes, is a spring designated the Monk's Well. It does not appear that the church was ever used for Protestant worship, for the Act of Parliament of 1633 which declared that the abbey church be that of the parish states not only that the said abbey church had been used for the service of the cure since the Reformation, but also that "the kirk callt the parochial kirke of Culross is an old kirk quhaireto service is not, nor has not been used seit memorie of man, and is altogether ruinis, decayit, and falline down in divers parts."

Dedicated to the Virgin Mary and St. Servatius, the Culross Abbey or Church was founded in 1257 by Malcolm Earl of Fife. It was much resorted to by pilgrims of all classes, and possessed great wealth. The grey church is now ruined, its choir eighty feet in length, with transept and a stately tower. On the east side of the tower stands the church, just divided, which has been continually unoccupied since the thirteenth century. On the west side are traces of what was probably a church for centuries a ruin. As the tower is built from the ground and not founded, it must have divided the complete church into two. In fact the eastern portion underwent a large scheme of restoration which has revealed its internal beauties. At the same time many interesting discoveries were made. At the south-east boundary of the close grounds and close to the public road stood the Chapel of St. Mungo erected in 1573 by Robert Blackadder, Archibishop of Glasgow. It probably took the place of an earlier foundation, the site being the place so tradition runs, where St. Kentigern, after fleeing from his fatal birth, gave birth to St. Mungo. In 1631 a Second Charge was founded for this parish. In 1672, the barony of Kincardine on Forth and the lands of Lang, Sands, and Kellywood were disjoined from Culross, and added to the parish of Tullidburn. Parishes of St. Servatius and St. Matthew were held at Culross.]

JOHN DYKES, min. in 1567, Tullidburn being also in the charge, he was 1567 a member of the Assembly Aug. 1571, March 1572, Aug. 1574, and of the Convention 12th June 1574. In 1574 Crombie and Tullidburn were in the charge. A libel, raised against him by the Laird of Tullidburn, was found by the Assembly in 1577 to be not proven. He was a member of Assembly April and Oct. 1581, and May 1586. In 1586 he was named by the Privy Council one of the Commissioners for the Preservation of the True Religion in the sherrifdoms of Clackmannan and Kinross, and a letter mentioned here in 1591, was presented by Queen Anne 28th Jan. 1591 to Newburn parish, vacant

by the departure of Andrew Hunter 23rd Nov. 1593. During his ministry, John Forrest was reader 1580-1. [Reg. Min. and Assess. Book of the Kirk; *Stirling Presb. Recd.*, Calderwood's *Hist.*, iii., 132, 583, iv., 560, vi., 82, 376 *et seq.*, viii., 222; *Turriff Kirk Libr. Writs*, *Chancery Distr.*, 253; *MS. A. 1. 1. 1.*, fol. 34.13.]

ROBERT COLVILLE of Nether Kingmoodie, born about 1560, son of Alexander Colville, commendator of Culross, and brother of James Colville, min. in 1593 but had been apparently ord. to a parish unidentified within the Presb. of Linlithgow; he was one of those who met with the brethren at Linlithgow before their trial in 1603, for holding an Assembly at Aberdeen against the King's orders; signed, with forty-one others, a Protestation to Parliament, 1st July that year, against the introduction of Episcopacy, and was one of fifty-two who signed a Protestation to Parliament in behalf of the Liberties of the Kirk, 27th June 1617. He was still min. 13th July 1629, though obliged to have the services of an assistant (Robert McIlvile), when he probably retired to Kinghorn. He died 25th Feb. 1631. He marr. Catherine McIlvile, and had issue—Robert of Kinneadar, served heir 5th Dec. 1640 and 8th May 1649; Jean (marr. his successor at Culross); Katherine (marr. cont. 30th Oct. 1637, James, son of James Aiken of Middle-Grange). [Stirling Presb.; Calderwood's *Hist.*, v., 268, vi., 376, 454, 457, vii., 250; Livingstone's *Chancery. Inq. Rec.* 1561, 601, *and Perth*, 589; *Burtonyre Missal*, iii., *Recd. of Decls.*, cclxii., 23rd Jan. 1617; *Prinsep's Prot. Book*, 106; *Gen. Reg. Infib.*, xxv., 283; *Perth Sis.*, xi., 19; *Gen. Reg. Sis.*, xvii., 180, xxiv., 232, xlvi., 44; *Linf. Sis.*, ix., 241; *Reg. of Prov. Hearings*, iv.,]

JOHN DUNCAN, M.A. (St Andrews, 1619; adm. to Saline about 1629; pres. by Charles I. 25th March; trans. and adm. in 1632). A letter of 18th March from Adam, Bishop of Dunblane, to George Bruce of Culross, whose influence had been

used in favour of Duncan, indicates that there was opposition to the settlement. He was a member of the Glasgow Assembly in 1638, and of the Assemblies 1642-8; had a pension from the King 2nd Sept. 1641, which was confirmed by Parliament 17th Nov. following. From Nov. 1646 to the close of 1647 he was "in the camp of General Leslie at Newcastle," and he was also a member of the Commission appointed by Parliament for visiting the colleges of St Andrews 16th Jan. 1649. After being laid aside nearly twelve months from public duty, he died 25th March 1655, aged about 56. He marr. Jean Colville (died before 12th Dec. 1678), daugh. of preceding min., and had issue—John, min. of Rerrick, served heir 31st Dec. 1655; Bessie Duncan (marr. 26th Dec. 1640, at Culross, George Thomson, min. of Kilmun) was probably a daugh.—[*Dunf. (Deaths) Reg.*; *Culross Reg.*; *Culross Past and Present*, 72; *Reg. Sec. Sig.*; *Acts of Parl.*, v. 488, vi.; *Currie's Search*; *Blair's Autob.*; *Lamont's Diary*, 29, 87; *Gen. Reg. Sas.*, xlvi, 429.]

MATTHEW FLEMING, M.A. (Glasgow, 1643): became tutor to Lord James, son of William, Marquess of Douglas; called in April, and adm. 24th Dec. 1656; pres. 4th Oct. 1662, and that year he was confined to his parish for non-conformity to Episcopacy. His name appears, however, in Wodrow's list of ejected mins. in 1663. He had Alexander, Lord Montgomerie, with him to board: still min. 20th Sept. 1673, at which time he was serving both charges, and was alive March 1677, though not in the charge, which was vacant in 1675.—[*Lanark Presb.*; *Edin. Reg. Sas.*; *Reg. Sec. Sig.*, i., 241; *Mem. of Eglinton*, ii., 331, 336; *Wodrow's Hist.*, i., 328; Chalmers's *Dunf.*, i., 583; *Reg. Privy Council*, 7th May 1673, 18th Jan. 1676.]

JOHN BURNETT, M.A.; trans. from Second Charge, Linlithgow, 1676; 1676 trans. to Monymusk in 1678.

[Both this, as well as the Second Charge, were vacant in 1679, when James Ramsay, Bishop of Dunblane, undertook the "ministerial charge" of Culross. In 1680, the Privy Council granted him the vacant stipend for epop in 1679 to the extent of 1000 merks for the repair of the manse, in which he was residing.]—[*Privy Council Reg.*, 3rd ser., vi., 579, 18th Nov. 1680.]

ROBERT WRIGHT, born about 1650, 1684 son of Robert W., min. of Clackmannan; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (14th July 1670); passed trials before Presb. of Stirling and had a testimonial for licencee 18th Sept. 1673: min. in 1684; deprived by the Committee of Estates 11th May 1689, for neither reading the Proclamation of the Estates, nor praying for William and Mary; died at Edinburgh, 6th March 1721. He marr. Katherine, daugh. of Robert Edmonstone, min. of the Second Charge, and had issue—Robert, M.D. (Rome), born 1687; James, writer, Edinburgh; John, wine merchant, Piccadilly, London; Mary, alive 1762.—[*Dunblane Syn.*; *Edin. Reg. (Bur.)*; *Acts of Parl.*, ix., App. 18, 22, xi. 198; *Ind. to Services, etc.*; *Perth Sas.*, xi., 235; *Edin. Sas.*, 1st Aug. 1758; *St. And. Comm. Deeds*, 30th March 1782; *Lyon Reg.*, 1732.]

JAMES FRASER of Brea, born at Brea, 1689 in the old parish of Kirkmichael [Resolis], Ross-shire, 29th July 1639, son of Sir James F. of Brea (who sat as Commissioner from the Presb. of Inverness in the Glasgow Assembly of 1638), and grandson of Simon, seventh Lord Lovat, by his second wife, Jean Stewart, daugh. of James, Lord Doune, son of James, Earl of Moray. His father died while F. was still a child, and some of the greatest troubles of his life came to him out of his ownership of Brea and the derangement of his father's pecuniary affairs. These, however, he was able to amend considerably in course of time. He graduated M.A. at Marischal College, Aberdeen, in 1658, and thereafter commenced the study of law. Coming under deep religious impres-

sions he resolved to enter the ministry, and having qualified himself was ord. by the convt. mss. of the Presb. of Moray in 1672. In 1673 he was ordered to be apprehended for preaching at conventicles, and letters of intercession were passed against him (9th Aug. 1673). He was summoned before the Privy Council 26th Jan. 1676, and next day he was sentenced to imprisonment on the Bass Rock, where he remained for two and a half years, during which period his chief studies were the Bible and Oriental languages. He was released on paying a sum for his good behaviour in July 1679; Sir Hugh Campbell of Cawdor becoming earlomer in the absence of gpo. In Dec. 1681 he was again called before the Council and sent to Blackness Castle until he should pay a fine of 5000 merks, and give a promise to cease preaching or leave the country. Unknown to him, a brother in law petitioned for a resission of the fine. So free, he went to London 16th June 1682, where he was apprehended for a third time and confined in Newgate 21st July 1683 for six months for being what was styled the "Oxford ooth." He returned to Scotland before 9th July 1687, when he was resident within the bounds of the Synod of Lothian and Tweeddale. Early in 1689 he became min. of this parish, preaching in a meeting house till the Committee of Estates sanctioned his use of the church, 13th May. He was a member of Assembly 1690 and 1692, was sent to give supply in the North, and had a call from Inverness Sept. 1690, but was not settled, died at Edinburgh 13th Sept. 1699. Frazer's reputation rest on his noble and sanctly character, his devotion to the Presbyterian principles, his sacrifice for the same, and his *Memoirs*, a "book of the intricacies of his own heart and life," of which Dr. Alexander Whyte said: "It is in his *Memoirs* that James Fraser of Brea will live, and he will live in that remarkable book as long as a scholarly religion, and an evangelical religion, and a spiritual religion, and a profoundly experimental religion, lives in the native land. It is a book that for depth and for grip has few, if any, equals among the foremost

books of its kind in the whole world." He marr. 1. 31st July 1672, Isobel (died Oct. 1676), daugh. of Sir William Gray of Pittendrum, and widow of William Hamilton, merchant, Edinburgh, and had issue: Jean (marr. a second wife, 1678, Hugh Rose of Kilravock, died s.p.) Beatrice (marr. William Burnett, min. of Falkirk); (2) Christian (died s.p. about 1696), daugh. of John Inglist, min. of Hamilton, and widow of Alexander Cornichael, min. of Pettinairn. Publications: *A Defence of the Convention of Estates* (1689); *Preaching an Idiot, and Private Idolaters*, a sermon (Edinburgh, 1713); Glasgow, 1723; *Meditations on Several Subjects in Divinity* (Edinburgh, 1721); *A Treatise concerning Justifying or Saving Truth*, 2 vols. (Edinburgh, 1722-30); *Sixty Choice Select Meditations* (Edinburgh, 1726); Glasgow, 1733 (edited by James Hog of Carnock); *Memoirs of the Life of Sir James Fraser of Brea, written by Himself* (Edinburgh, 1738; Aberdeen, 1776); Glasgow, 1798; Aberdeen, 1843; Inverness, 1889 [with Introductory Note by Alexander Whyte, D.D., and Biographical Sketch by Gustavus Aird, D.D.]; *The Lawfulness and Duty of Separation from Corrupt Ministers and Churches Vindicated* (Edinburgh, 1744); [Edin. Bur. Reg.; *Acts of Parl.*, ix., App. 22; Wodrow's *Hist.*; Wodrow's *Analepta*; Boston's *Memoirs*, 40; Anderson's *Bass Rock*; *Family of Kilravock*; Walker's *Theology and Theologians of Scotland*; *Edin. Christ. Inst.*, xxiii.; *Sect. Bibl.*, ii. ("W. from Soc."); (Edinburgh, 1847); John Brown's *The Christian, the Student, and Pastor* (Edinburgh, 1781); Kings' *The Characters in the North*, 375-40; *The Characters in Moray and Ross*, 104; *Gen. Reg. Soc.*, xliii., 186; Whyte's *JAMES FRASER, Laird of Brea* (Edinburgh, 1911); Elder Cumming's *Holy Men of God*; Beveridge's *Fife Bibliography*, 148-6; *Dict. Nat. Biog.*]

JAMES CUTHBERT, licen. by Presb. of Dalkeith 27th May 1707; called 1708; 23rd Jan.; he had also a call from Auldburn 18th May, but was ord. here 23rd Sept. 1708; died 1st Oct. 1715. He was a poet of some ability, and was an early patron and friend of Ralph Erskine

whom he licen. and ord., and who has eulogised him highly in his poetical works. Publications—*The Counter-quarries Querried* (1712); *A Letter on the Danger of Considering the Influences of the Spirit as a Rule of Duty* (Gillespie's Essay on the Continuance of Immediate Revelations). He wrote *An Answer from a Non-Jurant to a Jurant* in 1713, which was not printed.—[*Auldcairn Sess. Reg.*; Wodrow's *Anal.*; Fraser's *Life of Ralph Erskine*; Brown's *Gospel Truth*.]

ALLAN LOGAN, son of —— Logan of that ilk : ord. to Torryburn 24th July 1717 1695; called 12th June, by Presb. *jure devoluto* 4th July 1716; trans. and adm. 17th July 1717. He succeeded his brother William in the estate of Logan, Ayrshire, and became chief of the name in March 1727; died before 6th Sept. 1733. He left a sum of money to the poor of Culross and Torryburn. He marr. Mary, daugh. of Robert, Lord Colville of Ochiltree. She died before 19th Nov. 1739, and had issue—Hugh, of Logan; George, born 15th July 1701. Publications—*The Oath of Aljurament enquir'd into, etc.* (n.p., 1712); *Queries upon the Overtures concerning Kirk-Sessions and Presbyteries, by a Gentleman in the Country* (n.p., 1720); *A Countryman's Brief Remarks on the Reverend and Learned Mr John Simpson, Professor of Divinity, his Letter to the Reverend Presbytery of Glasgow* (Edinburgh, 1726); *An Enquiry into Professor Simson's Sentiments on the Doctrine of the Trinity, from his Papers in the Process against him* (Edinburgh, 1729); *The Necessity of Zeal for Truth, and of Restraining Error by the Exercise of Church Discipline; with an Answer to several Objections* (n.p., 1730).—[*Torryburn Sess.; Test. Reg. (Durblane)*; Boston's *Mem.*; *Ind. of Services*; Wodrow's *Anal.*; Fraser's *Life of Ralph Erskine*; Brown's *Gospel Truth*; *Scots Peerage*, ii., 574; *Bibliog. of West Fife*, 197-8; *The Wonderful Predictions of Mr Allan Logan* [8 pp. in a Chap-book of 24 pp., containing *The Remarkable Predictions of Mr Christopher Love*] (Glasgow, 1801).]

ALEXANDER WEBSTER, called 1733 (assistant and successor) 5th July, and ord. (after death of preceding) 6th Sept. 1733; trans. to Tolbooth Parish, Edinburgh, 2nd June 1737.

HENRY HARDY, born 1717, son of 1741 Thomas H., farmer, West Craigs, Corstorphine, and Janet Bryce; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 29th Nov. 1738; called 18th June, and ord. 3rd Sept. 1741; died of consumption 11th May 1752. He marr. 6th Dec. 1743, Ann (born 12th Oct. 1719, died 4th June 1805), daugh. of John Halkerton, town clerk of Culross, and had issue—Janet, born 1744 (marr. Robert Liston, min. of Aberdour); Anne, born 19th April 1746; Thomas, Professor of Divinity and Ecclesiastical History, Univ. of Edinburgh, and min. of New North Parish there, born 22nd April 1748; John, born 16th Jan. 1750, died 20th April 1752; Henry, born 10th Oct. 1751, died 23rd March 1752.—[Moncreiff's *Life of Erskine*; *Acts of Ass.*, 1748.]

JOHN ERSKINE, M.A.; trans. from 1753 Kirkintilloch; pres. by Charles Cochrane of Culross, 24th Aug. 1752; adm. 21st Feb. 1753; trans. to New Greyfriars Parish, Edinburgh, 15th June 1758.

ROBERT ROLLAND, born 25th May 1758, son of John R., maltster, and bailie of Culross; licen. by Presb. of Dunfermline 5th Aug. 1752; ord. to Second Charge 18th July 1754; pres. by the Trustees of Charles Cochrane of Culross and adm. 1st Nov. 1755; died 11th Dec. 1815. He marr. 3rd May 1759, Antonetta (died 5th May 1774), daugh. of Adam Rolland of Gask and Luscar, W.S., and had issue—John, captain 7th Bengal Native Infantry, born 18th Feb. 1760, died at Futtyghur, Bengal, India, 19th Sept. 1801; Adam, born 17th July 1763, afterwards of Gask, Principal Clerk of Session, whose son, Adam R. of Gask, was father of Susan R., wife of Robert Rainy, D.D., Principal of U.E. College, Edinburgh; Robert, born 25th Jan. 1765, died 3rd March 1775; Jean,

born 13th Dec. 1766; died 24th Sept. 1772; Marion, born 23rd Dec. 1768; died 13th June 1796. Publication—Account of the Parish [jointly with his successor Sinclair's *Stat. Rec.*, x., xviii.]. [Moncrieff's *Life of Erskine*, Chalmers's *Hist. Duxf.*, iii.; *Gra. Tatt.*, i.]

WALTER MALPINE, born Luss, 18th Dec. 1741, son of John M., min. of Campeltown; licen. by Presb. of Dunblane 11th March 1769; ord. to Second Charge 28th March 1770; pres. by Sir Robert Preston of Valleyfield, Bart., with consent of George, Viscount Keith, 26th Jan., and 3rd Feb., trans. and adm. 26th May 1816; died 1st June 1823. He marr. 3rd Dec. 1782, Janet Stein, who died at Edinburgh, 29th Nov. 1835, and had issue—John Stein, born 5th July 1784, died at Edinburgh, 6th March 1823; James, born 2nd Feb. 1786; Mary, born 13th Sept. 1788; Margaret, born 6th Nov. 1790; Helen, born 5th Nov. 1792. Publications—*Sermon Preached before the S.P.C.K.* (Edinburgh, 1782); Account of the Parish [jointly with his predecessor] (Sinclair's *Stat. Rec.*, x., xviii.).

ANDREW BETHUNE DUNCAN, born 19th July 1797, son of Andrew D., min. of Ratho; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 26th April 1820; pres. by the Trustees of George, Viscount Keith, 11th July 1823; ord. 11th March 1824; died 21st July 1853. He marr. 7th Oct. 1810, Elizabeth Henderson (died 6th Aug. 1879), daugh. of James Young, merchant, Glasgow, and had issue—Christian Ann Young, born 30th Sept. 1811, died 28th May 1917; Margaret Bethune, born 12th Jan. 1814; Jane, born 21st June 1845, died 22nd June 1923. Andrew Bethune, born 30th May 1847; John William, born 27th March 1851; Patrick James, born 23rd March 1855. Publication—Account of the Parish (*New Stat. Rec.*, x.).

GEORGE STEPHEN, born Glass, Aberdeenshire, 22nd March 1846, son of Arthur S., parochial schoolmaster; educated at Aberdeen Univ.; M.A. (1867),

B.D. (1871); licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen 11th Jan. 1871; assistant at Stirling; pres. by Lady Elphinstone of Tullidellan, and ord. 26th May 1874; res. 18th May 1904; died 12th March 1905. He marr. 8th Sept. 1874, Jessie Martin (died 29th Oct. 1884), daugh. of Alexander Duthie, Aberdeen, and had issue—

Arthur, born 18th Aug. 1875; Alexander Duthie, born 1st March 1877; William Duguid, born 1st Oct. 1878, died 14th Jan. 1885; James Alexander Campbell, born 11th April 1880, died 3rd June 1882; Robert Halkerton Davidson, born 7th March 1884.

DAVID McHARDY HAMPTON, born 1904 Laurencekirk, 17th Aug. 1855, son of David McHardy H., farmer, Hedderwick, and Margaret Smart Allison; educated at Parish and Free Church Schools and Univ. of St Andrews; sometime teacher in Elementary and Secondary Schools; licen. by Presb. of Dundee 3rd May 1893; assistant at St. Andrew's, St. Matthew's, and St Clement's, Dundee, and *locum tenens* South Kirriemuir Parish, 1893-4; assistant (*locum tenens*) First Charge, Culross, 1894-1904; ord. to First Charge, 22nd Sept. 1904; res. 1924. Marr. 6th June 1911, Elizabeth Margaret Hamilton Bruce, youngest daugh. of David Nasmyth Hogg, min. of Auchtermurchty. Publications—*Poems* (Edwards's *Modern Scottish Poets*, vol. viii.) (Breachin, 1885); *Poems* (Reid's *Bards of Angus and The Mearns*) (Paisley, 1897).

SECOND CHARGE.

[In the seventeenth century at least the stipend of 600 marks was a "voluntary contribution of the heirs and other good people of the parish. —(*Reg. Privy Council*, 23rd Aug. 1670).]

HENRY SMITH, M.A.; settled here 1641 before 20th March 1641. During a vacancy in Duntermill about 24th Nov. 1642, "the cure of baptisms and marriages was served by the ministers of the Presb., and specially by Mr Henry Smythe who was then come from the sturrs in Ireland, and dwelling heir." He was adm. to Beath 15th May 1644.

GEORGE BELFRAGE, M.A.; min. in 1642 1642; trans. to Carnock 2nd June 1647.

ROBERT EDMONSTONE, son of James E., min. of St Ninian's; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1642); pres. by the heritors, Town Council, and Erskine of Carnock; adm. 2nd July 1649; dep. by Archbishop Sharp 1st April 1668 "for obstinately refusing to keep the Synodical meetings." He died at East Grange 17th July 1683, aged about 62. He marr. Katherine, daugh. of John Chrystie, of Ashes, Perth, and with her had an annual rent of 300 merks from the lands of Blairhall, 14th Oct. 1662. She survived him, and had issue—Katherine (marr. Robert Wright, min. of First Charge), served heir 8th Sept. 1691; Elizabeth, born Sept. 1666.—[*Testes. (Dunbl.)*; *New Reg. Gen. Sos.*, iv.; Lamont's *Diary*, 201; *Inquis. Ret. Perth*, 988; *Pitfirrane Writs Invent.*, 602.]

JAMES RAMSAY, Bishop of Dunblane, 1680 undertook the charge of the whole parish.—[See First Charge.]

ALEXANDER YOUNG, educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (24th Sept. 1681); pres. by Charles, Earl of Mar, and disposition by the Earl of Kincardine; adm. 1684; deprived by the Committee of Estates 11th May 1689, for not reading the Proclamation of the Estates, and not praying for King William and Queen Mary. In 1695 he seems to have remained in the parish and to have conducted irregular ministrations. He marr. Antonia Lundie, and had issue—James, born 1684; Margaret, born 1686; Elizabeth, born 1688.—[*Dunblane Syn. and Dunblane Presb. Reg.*; *Acts of Parl.*, ix., App. 18, 22.]

GEORGE MAIR, called in May, and 1698 ord. 2nd Sept. 1698; trans. to Tulliallan 21st July 1714.

CHARLES MOORE, called 13th, and 1715 pres. by the Presb. *jure devoluto* 16th March, and ord. 10th May 1715; trans. to Second Charge, Stirling, 26th March 1718.

JOHN GEDDES, educated at King's College, Aberdeen; licen. by Presb. of Stirling 24th Jan. 1705, but deprived of his licence 8th Jan. 1707 for immoral conduct; he became schoolmaster of Saline, and had his licence restored 14th March 1718; called 24th, by the Presb. *jure devoluto* 25th Feb., and ord. 6th May 1719; died 10th Nov. 1746. He marr. Christian Fergus, who died 16th Nov. 1746, and had issue—William; six daughters, one of whom, Elizabeth, was born in 1721.—[Fraser's *Life of Ralph Erskine*.]

JAMES STODDART, M.A.; called 1748 6th Oct., and ord. 24th Nov. 1748. Charles Cochrane, advocate, having pres. William Trotter, licentiate (afterwards min. of Selkirk), 1st May 1747, raised a process of multiple poinding that the right to the stipend might be determined. The Court, 26th June 1751, preferred Cochrane as patron, and decreed against the heritors in payment to him, not only of the stipend due before the settlement of Stoddart, but also of the stipend due after it. The parishioners compensated Stoddart for his services by a voluntary contribution. He dem. 27th June 1753, and was adm. to Kirkintilloch 16th Aug. that year.

ROBERT ROLLAND, pres. by the 1754 Trustees of Charles Cochrane of Culross in March, and ord. 18th July 1754; trans. to First Charge 1st Nov. 1758.

ALEXANDER MOODIE, pres. by the 1759 Trustees of Charles Cochrane of Culross in June, and ord. 26th Sept. 1759; trans. 8th April 1762 to Riccarton, Ayrshire, where he quarrelled with "Black Jock" (John Russel, min. of Kilmarnock), and was thus immortalised by Burns in "The Twa Herds":—

"O, Moodie, man, an' wortly Russel,
How could you raise so vile a bustle;
Ye'll see how 'New Licht' herds will whistle,
An' think it fine!
The L——'s cause ne'er gat sic a twistle
Sin' I ha'e min'."

[Wallace's *Burns*, i., 172.]

WILLIAM MCLEISH, licen. by Presb. of Dunoon 1st May 1756; called 5th Jan., and ord. 12th May 1763; died 23rd Feb. 1790. He marr. 3rd Aug. 1767, Mary Stark, who died 28th July 1775, and had issue: David, born 1st July 1768.

WALTER MELPINE, pres. by the Trustees of Charles Cochrane of Culross in Aug. 1770; ord. 28th March 1770; trans. to First Charge 29th May 1816.

JOHN BALFOUR, born 2nd May 1768, 1816 son of David B., min. of Torryburn; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Dunfermline 1st Feb. 1792; pres. by Sir Robert Preston of Valleyfield, Bart., with consent of George Viscount Keith, 1st and 6th Dec. 1815; ord. (assistant and successor) 6th May 1816. Joined the Free Church in 1843; went to reside in Edinburgh, where he died 21st Aug. 1845. He marr. 6th Sept. 1842, Barbara Scotland Gray, who married again, 26th May 1846.

JOSEPH LAURIE, D.D.; educated at 1813 Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Dumfries 5th Nov. 1817; ord. by that Presb. assistant chaplain in India 10th July 1822; app. chaplain at Bombay in 1833; adm. to this charge 13th Oct. 1843; res. through ill-health 6th March 1845; died 22nd Oct. 1870. He marr. 7th Oct. 1822, Frances Brown (died Jan. 1865), only daugh. of John Barker, provost of Dumfries. Publication: *Observations on the Extension and Present Condition of the Scottish Church in India, etc.* (Edinburgh, 1840).

PETER LOGAN, born 1820, only son of Thomas L., architect, Lanarkshire, 1845 nephew of Richard Logan, min. of St Andrew's Chapel, Dundee; educated at Relief Theological Hall and Univ. of Glasgow; ord. 21st May 1845; res. 19th Jan. 1881; died unmarr. 31st Aug. 1887.

ALEXANDER SMITH ALLAN, born 1821 Portlethen, 7th Nov. 1845, son of James A., educated at Univer. of Aberdeen (M.A. 1872) and Edinburgh; student-missionary in Fountainbridge, Edinburgh; assistant at West Coates; ord.

15th June 1881; died at Bridge of Allan 1st Feb. 1894. He marr., in or about 1874, Jane Leiper, Portlethen, who died 13th Oct. 1885, and had issue: Maggie Bertha, born 25th May 1875; Edwin Frederick William, born 5th Feb. 1877, died in India.

JOHN GORDON, M.A.; ord. 17th May 1894; trans. to St Tittie's, Aberdeen, 4th Oct. 1911.

OLIVER CRAWFORD, born Milldale House, Dunbrean, Omagh, County Tyrone, 6th May 1869, son of Oliver C. and Anne Pollock; educated at High School, Omagh, Queen's College, Galway, Magee College, Londonderry, Queen's College, Belfast, Univ. and New College, Edinburgh, Royal Univ. of Ireland, B.A. (1896), Princeton Univ., U.S.A., M.A. (1897), Berlin Univ. and Assembly's College, Belfast; licen. by Presb. of Omagh 3rd June 1897; assistant at Crescent Church, Belfast, July 1897 to Dec. 1899; accepted by Colonial Committee of Church of Scotland for work in South Africa; ord. by Presb. of Omagh 24th July 1902, and ministered at Roodeport, Transvaal, for two years; returned home for health reasons; admitted 30th May 1907 by the General Assembly as an ordained minister of the Church of Scotland; assistant at Buchanan, St Mary's, Partick, First Charge Ayr and Kirkcudbright; *locum tenens* in the First Charge, Haddington; adm. to Second Charge, Culross, 11th Feb. 1912; died unmarr. 7th Feb. 1920.

JOHN MILLER GOW, born Edinburgh, 1921 24th Feb. 1893, son of John G., Muirhill; educated at Perth Academy and Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (1913), B.D. (1919); licen. by Presb. of Auchterarder June 1919; assistant at St Bernard's Parish, Edinburgh, July 1919 to April 1921; app. by the Presb. *jure devoluto* (after consultation with the congregation) and ord. 12th May 1921; enlisted in the R.F.A. Oct. 1914 as driver, and promoted 2nd Lieut. June 1915; served in Egypt and Palestine Jan. 1916 to Jan. 1919; mentioned in Dispatches June 1917; Military Cross July 1917. Marr. 19th Feb. 1924, Nora, eldest daugh. of Archibald Powrie, Earlie Bank, Perth.

DALGETY.

[The old church of Dalgety, now ruined, was dedicated to St Bride. It belonged to the Abbey of Inchcolm and is included in the Bull of Pope Alexander III. to Walter, Prior of Inchcolm. A new church for the Parish of Dalgety was built in 1830. The Pre-Reformation church, stripped of its roof, stands on the shore of Domibristle Bay. The mediaeval bell with the inscription, "O Mater Dei Memento Mei," still hangs in the belfry of the ruin. At Fordel, within the bounds, there is a chapel dedicated, it is said, to St Ferreolus, the Martyr of Vienne. It was rebuilt in 1650 by Sir John Henderson of Fordel. It has all along been a private chapel, and is used for mortuary purposes.]

1587 JOHN PATERSON, reader.

JOHN BROU'NHILL, formerly one of the monks of Inchcolm Abbey; **1574** reader in 1574.—[*Sel. Syn. of Fife*, 237; *Cal. Laing Charters*, 1266; *Acts and Dees.*, lvii., 430.]

ALEXANDER STEVEN, formerly one of the monks of Dunfermline Abbey; **1575** reader at Beath 1569-74; held the vicarage of Dalgety 14th June 1575.—[*Invent. Yester Writs, Acts and Dees.*, lxvi., 396; *Sel. Syn. of Fife*, 237.]

JOHN TYRIE, reader, 25th Nov. 1582; **1582** son of John Tyrie of Bridgend, Aberdour, Chamberlain of the Abbacy of St Colm's Inch.—[*Aberdour and Inchcolm*, 214.]

WILLIAM PATON, M.A.; trans. from Orwell and adm. in 1598. In 1599 **1598** Beath was also under his care; he was pres. to the vicarage of Dalgety and Beath by James VI. 4th April 1603, and to the vicarage of Dalgety, Beath, and Aberdour before 7th May 1611. In the Assembly 21st March 1606 he was ordered to serve the cure both of Aberdour and Dalgety; trans. to Aberdour before 1614.

ANDREW DONALDSON, born Perth **1644** about 1618; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (5th June 1638); licen. by Presb. of Perth on or about 12th Jan. 1644; adm. min. here 28th Aug. 1644; pres. by Charles I. 11th Feb. 1645. From 3rd Aug. 1645 to 7th Jan. 1646 he was in England, having been app. by the Committee of the Provincial Assembly to accompany Lord Dunfermline's Regiment. In taking leave of his congregation he exhorted them "to seik the Lord in his absence, and to learne more and more to be gracious, by a cairful walking under the meanes, promising them, in name of the Presbytrie, that every Lord's day they suld be supplied, during his absence in England, which the Presbytrie had bound themselves to do. And the Sessione being met, John Henderson, ruling elder, was appointed to wait weiklie on the Presbytrie, that the congregations be not frustrat. And the minister chaired the elders to be diligent and cairful in everything during his absence as they will be answerable to Christ their Master, and so he takes leave of the Sessione, and calls upon God." No preaching, however, took place all the five months D. was away, because "immediately after his removale the enemie came to the bounds, and for ane month after that lamentable fight at Kilsyth, ministers durst not hazard almost to keep a presbytrie, or come abroad, and it pleased the Lord to visit this congregation with pestilence, so that the Presbytrie could not safelie come heir to preach." He was a member of Commission of Assembly in 1648; app. Chaplain in the Army 11th May 1649; joined the Protesters in 1651 and for a time was protected by Charles, Earl of Dunfermline; dep. by the Bishop of Dunkeld 4th Oct. 1664 for his opposition to Episcopacy. A party of soldiers was sent to eject him after the congregation had assembled for worship, but he was allowed to proceed with the service and "all outbreak, or tumult was prevented." Soon afterwards the Earl of Dunfermline having heard in London of D.'s deposition obtained a royal warrant authorising him to resume his ministry, but to this Archbishop Sharp stoutly objected. Although decreeit was

process against him and others 16th July 1651; Discontinued to preach at his own house and at conventicles till letters of intercession were issued 3rd Aug. 1653, which removed to Inverkeithing. There he preached to his family and others on Sunday evenings, but was seized while in his bed and taken to the prison at Linlithgow where he remained till 29th Aug. 1659 when a fund of security was given in his behalf by the burgh and parishioners of the Kirkcaldy which he was granted an audience by the Privy Council 18th Dec. following. He returned at the Toleration when he recd. the 13th Act of Parliament 27th April 1660, died having suffered from paralysis for some years after 2nd Nov. 1663. He marr'd 17th June 1648 Helen daughter of James Hamilton of Mirkle Park, and Isabella, daugh. of William Meld, merchant draper, Edinburgh, and had issue Alexander, born 1649. Elizabeth, born 1672. [See Beatrix Chalmers, who died at Inverkeithing 16th Oct. 1713, and had issue Beatrix marr'd Alexander Steindam, name of Beatrix, Helen (marr'd 26th Jan. 1682, Henry Mackie, Chamberlain to Sir Peter Halket of Fifehaven), Andrew, [Lament's *Diary*, 33, *O'Farrell, T. & B. Burns, Stephen's Kirkcaldy*, 42], Hunter's *Deed of Donald L.* 373, Ross's *Geographies of Pastoral Work in the Covenant*, p. 117, *A Report of the Labours of Andrew Donaldson* (London, 1877). *Reg. of Deeds, Fife, 1st Jan. 1706.]*

JOHN CORSMAR, born 1633; educ'd at St. Leonard's College, St Andrews; M.A. (27th July 1661); ord'd to Second Charge, South Leith, 21st Aug. 1663; preb. by Charles II, 21st Oct. 1668; trans. to Edin. 27th Jan. 1669; died 27th May 1684. He marr'd Anna Carmichael, and had issue John, writer, Edinburgh. Before 2nd Nov. 1683 his widow marr'd George Gillan, writer, Edinburgh. [*Reg. of St. Leonard's, 131, Tredst., Tyle Sis., viii, 33, xxi, 7, 294, O'Farrell, Parker Writs,*]

JOHN LUMSDEN, trans. from St Andrews, presb. by Charles II, 5th July 1684; trans. to Second Charge, Canongate, Edinburgh, about 1682.

JOHN ROW, son of John R., Principal of King's College, Aberdeen; educated at King's College; M.A. (15th July 1658); adm. to Balmacellan between 29th April and 27th Oct. 1668; trans. to Stoneykirk 13th Sept. 1672; said to have been trans. to Dreghorn before 1682; trans. here before 1686. He deserted the cure at Lammas that year, renounced the Protestant Faith and became a convert to Romanism, but was allowed a pension of £50 stg. by the King 30th July that year and 27th Jan. 1687; had an Act of the Court of Session authorising him to draw the stipend till Whitsunday 1687, although a successor had been settled. He marr'd a daugh. of Rig of Carberry, and had issue Margaret, eldest daughter (marr'd, prob. 17th June 1705) George Turnbull, merchant burgess of Edinburgh; Elizabeth (marr'd John Thomson, writer, Edinburgh), and died insane, June 1727. [Fountainhall's *Dees.*, i., and *Diary*; Kirkton's *Hist.*, 193; Wodrow's *Hists.*, iii., 166, 231; *Reg. Soc. Regt.*; *Edin. Marr. Regt.*]

GEORGE GRAY, educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; adm. before 27th Jan. 1687; called to South Leith in 1686, but the Presbyterian min. was preferred; deprived by Act of Parliament 25th April 1690, restoring the Presbyterian mins. [Fountainhall's *Dees.*, ii.; Monroe's *Apology*.]

ANDREW DONALDSON, M.A. (See 1688 above.)

ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL, born 1667; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (18th July 1692); called in June; ord'd 27th Aug. 1696; died 25th June 1714. He marr'd May 1697, Isobel, daugh. of Robert Baird, baillie of Inverkeithing, and Margaret, eldest daugh. of William Wellwood, yr., portioner of Touch, and had issue Charles; Archibald; Margaret (marr'd (1) James Harrower, merchant and shipmaster, and probably (2) William Henderson, min. of this parish); probably also Susanna (marr'd Robert Wellwood of Touch and Garvoe); Robert, merchant, Edinburgh. [Edin. Marr. Regt.; *Tredst.*; Fraser's *Life of Ralph Erskine*;

Inverkeithing and Rosyth, 476; Chalmers's *Dunf.*, ii., 455.]

WILLIAM HENDERSON, born 1690; pres. by Charles, Earl of Moray, in 1717 June, and by Robert, Earl of Morton, in July, called by Presb. *jure devoluto* 5th Sept. 1717 [after the failure of presentations by Major Henry Balfour 12th Oct. 1711 in favour of Charles Campbell, min. of Newbattle, and 2nd April 1715 in favour of John Hay, M.A., afterwards min. of Peebles]; ord. 23rd Sept. 1717 (Ralph Erskine presiding); died 27th Oct. 1737. He is stated to have been the "man that most of all did advise James Hog to publish the *Marrow of Modern Divinity*, with his preface," and to have purchased copies of Alexander Hamilton's "Catechism" to circulate in his congregation, but afterwards to have become a great enemy to both. He marr. Margaret Campbell, probably identical with Margaret, daugh. of his immediate predecessor in the charge. She died 8th Feb. 1768, and had issue—Archibald, student of Philosophy, born 1720, died at Edinburgh 27th Dec. 1734; Charles, born 1722; John, born 1726; William.—[Fraser's *Life of Ralph Erskine; Tombst.; Edin. Chr. Inst.*, xxx.; Chalmers's *Dunf.*, ii., 455.]

JAMES BATHGATE, born Inverkeithing, Sept. 1709, son of James 1738 B., min. of Orwell; licen. by the Presb. of Dunfermline 30th April 1735; pres. by James, Lord Doune, in Feb., and ord. 5th July 1738; called to Second Charge, Stirling, 7th Dec. following, but the Presb. refused translation. The motion was, however, carried against his wishes, by a majority in the Commission of Assembly March 1739, and the 25th April was fixed for his admission. Rather than submit to be settled in a place so divided in opinion, he offered a demission of his charge, and petitioned the General Assembly to treat him with tenderness. The Assembly, 22nd May, agreed that the finding of the Commission could not be reversed, but advised an arrangement of the matter between then and August, when if B. "continue his aversion, and the parish

of Stirling still insist on their choice, both charges should be declared vacant." He was again called *de novo*, pres. by James, Lord Doune, Nov. following, and adm. 13th Feb. 1740. Having been summoned to the Assembly to answer for his disobedience, and a Committee appointed to confer with him, he again compeared, when the Moderator (George Logan) 19th May 1740, "did signify their dissatisfaction with his conduct." He died 23rd Dec. 1776. He marr. 12th Nov. 1741, Eupham Anderson, Aberdour, who died 8th July 1755, and had issue—Agnes, born 13th Jan. 1743, died 1st March 1746; Margaret, born 1744 and died that year; Janet, born 28th Aug. 1745, died 8th June 1747; Helen, born 25th Sept. 1746, died 16th July 1750; James, born 11th Feb. 1748. —[Ind. to Services; *Stirling Presb. Reg.*; *Acts of Ass.*, 1739, 1740, 1752; *Inverkeithing Sess. Reg.*.]

JOHN HOYES, pres. by Francis, Earl of Moray, 13th April 1777; adm. 1778 16th July 1778; trans. to Kinloss 27th July 1786.

PETER PRIMROSE, pres. by Francis, Earl of Moray, in Jan., and ord. 5th 1787 July 1787; trans. to Prestonpans 14th April 1796.

JOHN SCOTT, licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 25th June 1783; ord. to 1797 Auchtertool 10th May 1787; pres. by Francis, Earl of Moray, 19th July 1796; trans. and adm. 1st March 1797; died 15th Jan. 1827. He marr. 27th Jan. 1791, Margaret (died at Edinburgh, 1st Oct. 1846, aged 82 years), daugh. of James Stoddart, one of the Commissioners of Excise, and had issue—Jean, born 13th Dec. 1791; James, born 12th July 1793, died at Madras, 7th April 1816; Walter, born 16th March 1795, died 11th July 1810; Margaret, born 5th July 1796, died 21st Dec. 1817; Agnes, born 20th Sept. 1797; David, born 12th Oct. 1798, died 21st Dec. 1817; John, born 6th Jan. 1800, died at Edinburgh, 29th July 1821; Alexander, born 26th Aug. 1801; Anne Stuart, born 12th April 1803, died 10th Oct. 1819.

ALEXANDER WALLACE, M.A., born 1872, died 1st April 1929. Educated at the University of Edinburgh, LL.B., LL.M., LL.D., F.R.S.E., F.R.G.S., F.R.A.S., F.R.S.A. Author of "The History of the Highlands and Islands of Scotland," 1902; "The Highlands and Islands of Scotland," 1905; "The Highlands and Islands of Scotland," 1911; "The Highlands and Islands of Scotland," 1913; "The Highlands and Islands of Scotland," 1915; "The Highlands and Islands of Scotland," 1917; "The Highlands and Islands of Scotland," 1919; "The Highlands and Islands of Scotland," 1921; "The Highlands and Islands of Scotland," 1923; "The Highlands and Islands of Scotland," 1925; "The Highlands and Islands of Scotland," 1927; "The Highlands and Islands of Scotland," 1929.

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Archibald, Rev. Ian, by Fr. Peter St. John, born 7th January 1870, died 1st February 1929. Educator at the Merchant Taylors' School, London, 2nd April 1887, and at the Royal Naval College, Greenwich, 1st April 1891, and of the Royal Regiment, W.S., 1st April 1892, and of the Royal Engineers, 1st April 1893, and of the Royal Artillery, 1st April 1894, and of the Royal Engineers, 1st April 1895, and of the Royal Artillery, 1st April 1896, and of the Royal Engineers, 1st April 1897, and of the Royal Artillery, 1st April 1898, and of the Royal Engineers, 1st April 1899, and of the Royal Artillery, 1st April 1900, and of the Royal Engineers, 1st April 1901, and of the Royal Artillery, 1st April 1902, and of the Royal Engineers, 1st April 1903, and of the Royal Artillery, 1st April 1904, and of the Royal Engineers, 1st April 1905, and of the Royal Artillery, 1st April 1906, and of the Royal Engineers, 1st April 1907, and of the Royal Artillery, 1st April 1908, and of the Royal Engineers, 1st April 1909, and of the Royal Artillery, 1st April 1910, and of the Royal Engineers, 1st April 1911, and of the Royal Artillery, 1st April 1912, and of the Royal Engineers, 1st April 1913, and of the Royal Artillery, 1st April 1914, and of the Royal Engineers, 1st April 1915, and of the Royal Artillery, 1st April 1916, and of the Royal Engineers, 1st April 1917, and of the Royal Artillery, 1st April 1918, and of the Royal Engineers, 1st April 1919, and of the Royal Artillery, 1st April 1920, and of the Royal Engineers, 1st April 1921, and of the Royal Artillery, 1st April 1922, and of the Royal Engineers, 1st April 1923, and of the Royal Artillery, 1st April 1924, and of the Royal Engineers, 1st April 1925, and of the Royal Artillery, 1st April 1926, and of the Royal Engineers, 1st April 1927, and of the Royal Artillery, 1st April 1928, and of the Royal Engineers, 1st April 1929.

DONALD STEWART ROSE, born 1866, died 1st June 1929. Educator at the Royal Academy, 1st April 1887, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1888, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1889, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1890, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1891, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1892, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1893, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1894, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1895, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1896, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1897, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1898, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1899, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1900, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1901, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1902, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1903, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1904, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1905, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1906, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1907, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1908, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1909, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1910, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1911, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1912, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1913, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1914, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1915, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1916, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1917, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1918, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1919, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1920, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1921, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1922, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1923, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1924, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1925, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1926, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1927, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1928, and of the Royal Academy, 1st April 1929.

1913. Publications.—"The Otterston Loch Curling Club," a poem *Fifeshire Advertiser*, Feb. 1922; "A Lay of Haymarket," a poem *Fifeshire Advertiser*, March 1922.

DUNFERMLINE

[*The Parish of the Holy Trinity.*] The ancient church of this parish formed the west portion of the whole Abbey Church, the east part obviously being reserved for the monks; but there is no reference to the parish church of Dunfermline as Parish Church before 1300-1301. From about 1306 (and in all likelihood earlier still) the whole Abbey Church was described as the Church of the Holy Trinity and St Margaret. Within the bounds were the following chapels: St Ninian's, between the High Street and West Queen Anne Street; St Katherine the Virgin's, a little to the north-west of the Abbey, beyond the street now known as St Katharine's Wynd; St Mary's, on the south side of the Nethertown, at the east corner of Grange Road; St John the Baptist's, at Garvoch, a mile east of Dunfermline. There were also St Leonard's Chapel and Hospital, at the south end of the town, at the site of the older St Leonard's School, with St Leonard's Well a little to the south east. Near the Abbey were enclosures known as St Laurence's Croft, St Laurence's Yard, and St Laurence's Orchard, pertaining to the altar of St Laurence in the conventional church, and in the vicinity also was St Margaret's Well. Probably about 1072-74 Queen Margaret and Malcolm III. built a church, dedicated to the Holy Trinity, and in all likelihood on the site of an earlier foundation. The foundations of this church were laid bare under the floor of the existing nave, by excavations carried out by the late Dr P. MacGregor Chalmers in 1916, and show it to have been a small building of Anglo-Saxon type, with western tower, nave, chancel, and eastern apse, the total length being 86 feet. In or soon after 1124 David I. erected the Benedictine Priory of Dunfermline almost beyond doubt founded by Malcolm III., into an Abbey. At the same time he built a new church on a

much larger scale, the breadth of the nave between pillars being the same as the width of the old aisleless choir, there also being a new crossing and choir to the east of the old church. This church, the nave of which still exists, though somewhat mutilated at the east end, was dedicated in 1150; and in the following century, between 1216 and 1226, the eastern portion of the church was extended and to some extent remodelled, there being also added a chapel which subsequently contained the shrine of St Margaret. This noble monastery had its full share in the havoc and desolation of the long English wars. Edward I. of England occupied the building at various times. He came first in 1291, and returned in 1293 and 1303. A most unwelcome guest he must have been. His first stay covered most of the winter, and lasted well on into 1304. At the end, he burned the Abbey, and then went his way. The task of rebuilding was quickly taken up, and King Robert aided it zealously. But in 1385 the English came again under Richard II., and again the great monastery, but half restored, was given to the flames. The work of reparation was soon resumed, and was carried on steadily from generation to generation. Thus there grew up again a stately pile 280 feet long, with a central tower 150 feet high, and finished with two western towers. The monastic buildings also were very lordly and extensive.

From far and near came hosts of pilgrims to visit St Margaret's Shrine in the Lady Chapel of the Abbey. In the great church there were many altars, including dedications to St Laurence, St Katherine, St Ninian, St Cuthbert, St Eloi, and St Nicholas. From early times Dunfermline was a favourite residence of our Kings. Malcolm Canmore loved it, as did his sons, and most of their successors for many generations. Their royal castle here did not survive the English wars, but in its place came the larger and stately palace. This successive sovereigns often altered and added to. Its surviving ruins are mainly the work of James VI., who was fond of the place. His second son, Charles I., was born at the Palace of Dunfermline.

But the death of the King was followed by royalist forces in Scotland. He was chosen at Marston Moor Queen's warden of Scotland, and he was present at the battle of Marston Moor. King Charles I was captured by him at the Battle of Dunbar, and he kept him a prisoner at Edinburgh until May 1646. He was made Warden of the south Marches with the rank of colonel by parliament. In 1647 he was a member of the Council of State. In 1648 Queen Henrietta Maria sent him to France. In 1650 he was sent to command a regiment of foot in the army of the Duke of Monmouth. He was a member of the Convention of Estates, and was a member of the Committee of Safety. In 1653 he was a member of the Convention of Estates, and was a member of the Committee of Safety. In 1654 he was a member of the Convention of Estates, and was a member of the Committee of Safety. In 1655 he was a member of the Convention of Estates, and was a member of the Committee of Safety. In 1656 he was a member of the Convention of Estates, and was a member of the Committee of Safety. In 1657 he was a member of the Convention of Estates, and was a member of the Committee of Safety. In 1658 he was a member of the Convention of Estates, and was a member of the Committee of Safety. In 1659 he was a member of the Convention of Estates, and was a member of the Committee of Safety. In 1660 he was a member of the Convention of Estates, and was a member of the Committee of Safety. In 1661 he was a member of the Convention of Estates, and was a member of the Committee of Safety. In 1662 he was a member of the Convention of Estates, and was a member of the Committee of Safety.

DAVID PERGESSON, or PERTON,
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that he was then a man of note in Scotland. The date of his birth is not certain. The date of his death is also not certain. Spottwood believed him to be born in 1590, while Wedderburn states that he was even twenty years older, and David Laing thought he could not have been later than 1620. He was a divine, and though he never attained a ecclesiastical position, he knew many of the leading men of the day, and had given much study to divinity. He succeeded to this charge on the 2nd July 1638, and held Regalia under his arms in 1651, and in 1654 Carrick and Both Kyneth were excommunicated. He was a member of thirty-nine General Assemblies, from 22nd June 1633 to 10th May 1657, and in two of these, 6th March 1632 and 23rd Oct. 1633, he was Moderator.

He has played a full the important com-
mitttee of the Church, and also at the
Meeting of the Assembly, the beginning of
the Assembly's session, and during the
final session of the Assembly. He was one of the men who
signed the "Recusant Hall" of Morton at
Aberdeenshire in 1641. In 1650 he was appointed Master
of Chancery, and he was a member of the
Committee of Safety, and other bodies. He
was a member of the Convention of Estates, and was a member
when the Assembly wished to examine
the matter of importation to the King,
and he said in reply that the English
King James, "Be beware of innovations in
Scotland," and the King said, "It is well
known to them, and to put him in re-
membrance of Holm, the English King.
He said also that Henry was the
first King of Scotland, and that he was
Henry son, but recognising that King
James had the pre-eminence, and was tan-
gible to him, he would give him his right.
By his tact and ready wit he was able to
calm the most turbulent parts, and upon
one occasion he effected a conclusion
that when the commons departed the King
should be kindly received and upon every
one of them. At a meeting of Synod at
Cupar, Feb. 1678, he then the oldest
man in Scotland, strongly opposed a pro-
posal of the commissioners, a vote in parliament,
comparative to a "locking up" of the
travellers for the overthrow of Troy.
He died February 1678, and was buried
in the church of the Church of Scotland
on 23rd April 1678. He is described as "a good
preacher, witty, and of sound and pleasant
disposition." He had a remarkable know-
ledge of the Scottish vernacular, and many
of his sayings lingered long in the speech of
the people. A portrait of him painted on
paper in a small oval, and presented by
John Ross to the Univ. Library, Edinburgh,
cannot easily be traced. He married Isobel
Dunham, and had issue: Margaret, bapt.
31st May 1622 (marr. David Spens, min. of
Kirkcudbright, William, physician, Dundee,
bapt. 10th Sept. 1624, died 25th March
1627; Patrick, bapt. 23rd June 1626; Robert, bapt. 3rd Oct. 1628; Janet, bapt.
22nd Sept. 1630 (marr. April 1638); David

Ramsay); David, bapt. 21st Jan. 1572/3; John, bapt. 19th May 1574; Grisel, bapt. 15th Feb. 1575/6 (marr. John Row, min. of Carnock); Isobel, bapt. 24th Feb. 1579/80. Publications: *An Answer to an Epistle, written by Renart Benedict, the French Doctor, Professor of God's Word (as the Translation of this Epistle calleth him), to John Knox and the rest of his Brethren, Ministers of that Word of God, made by David Fergusson, Minister of this same Word at this present Dunfermline* (Edinburgh, 1563) [the only copy known to exist was presented to the Univ. Library, Edinburgh, in 1701, by John Row, but has been reprinted in *Tracts by David Fergusson*, edited by David Laing, LL.D., for the Bannatyne Club in 1860]; *Ane Sermon prechit before the Regent and Nobilitie upon a part of the Third Chapter of the Prophet Malachi, in the Kirk of Leith, etc.* (St Andrews, 1572) [the only copy extant is in the Advocates' Library, Edinburgh, but it also has been reprinted in Laing's volume]; another edition by John Lee, D.D., appeared about 1828]; *Scottish Proverbs: gathered together by David F. . . and put ordine Alphabetico when he departed this life, Anno 1598* (Edinburgh, 1641) [a copy is in the Advocates' Library, and an imperfect copy in the British Museum Library]; *Nine Hundred and Fourty Scottish Proverbs, the greatest part of which were at first gathered together by David F.* (Edinburgh, 1659, 1675, 1699, 1706); *A Select Collection of Scots Poems . . . to which is added a Collection of Scots Proverbs by the Rev. David F.* (Edinburgh, 1777, 1785); *A Collection of English Proverbs . . . whereunto are added Local Proverbs . . . and Scottish Proverbs* [the latter consisting of 38 pages, are acknowledged in the Preface to be Fergusson's Collection] (Cambridge, 1670, 1678; London, 1737, 1768, 1817). [The vol. entitled *Epithalamium Mysticum Solomonis Regis* (Edinburgh, 1677) has been wrongly ascribed to D. F. It is the work of another D. F. of Kirkcaldy, who lived a century later.] He left a Diary containing a record of the chief ecclesiastical events of his time, which is believed to be the basis of his son-in-law John Row's *History*.—

[Calderwood's *Hist.*, ii. 41, iii. 618, 717-19, v. 435, 681; Row's *Hist.*; Wodrow's *Anatlecta*, 120; Laing's Introduction to *Tracts* (1860); *Reg. Assign.*; McCrie's *Knox*; Fernie's *Dunfermline*; Henderson's *Proverbs*; *Reg. of Decls.*, xxix.; James Melville's *Diary*, 236, 288; Thomson's *Dundee*; *Diet. Nat. Biog.*]

JOHN FAIRFOUL, trans. from Aberdour, and adm. in 1598. He was proposed as a royal chaplain by the General Assembly 11th May 1601, but was not accepted; app. master of the Grammar School of Culross by a gift from His Majesty 2nd Feb. 1603. He was a member of the Assembly May and Nov. 1602, and was nominated by that of 1606 as constant Moderator of the Presb., the members being charged by the Privy Council to receive him as such 25th Jan. following, within twenty four hours after notice, under pain of rebellion. In 1609 he was called before the Privy Council at the instance of the Chancellor, the Earl of Dunfermline, and on the information of Andrew Forrester, his colleague, charged with praying for the mins. banished in 1606, for holding the Assembly at Aberdeen the preceding year. Being found guilty, he was ordered to repair to Dundee, within six days, there to continue during the royal pleasure. On 8th March 1610 his place of confinement was changed to West Anstruther. At the same time he was forbidden to attend ecclesiastical meetings without the King's leave, but received liberty, "enduring the tyme of his stay in said paroche, to teache and preache in the kirke thereof"; he became min. there 19th Aug. 1610.

ANDREW FORRESTER, trans. and adm. from Second Charge about 1610. On 21st April 1612 a complaint was lodged with the Synod that he had allowed a crucifix to be painted on the chancellor's desk in the church, but the process was stopped by the King. Having appropriated money from the poor box and fearing apprehension, he fled from his charge in 1616 on a Sunday after having announced his text from the pulpit. He was afterwards min. at Collace.

JOHN MORAY, son of Robert Moray, 1st Viscount of Cromartie, West 1920, and of Elizabeth, daughter of Alexander Maitland of Auchterhouse, 1929, who died 1931, was born 1901, educated at St. Andrews College, 1913-1919, Post-Graduate School, Cambridge, 1919-1920, and at Princeton University, 1920-1921. He was a member of the Council of the Church of Scotland, 1921-1923, president of the Free Church of Scotland, 1923-1924, and of the Free Church of Scotland, 1924-1925. He was a member of the Free Church of Scotland, 1925-1926, and of the Free Church of Scotland, 1926-1927, and of the Free Church of Scotland, 1927-1928. He was a member of the Free Church of Scotland, 1928-1929, and of the Free Church of Scotland, 1929-1930. He was a member of the Free Church of Scotland, 1930-1931, and of the Free Church of Scotland, 1931-1932. He was a member of the Free Church of Scotland, 1932-1933, and of the Free Church of Scotland, 1933-1934. 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HENRY MARQUE, son of James Marquess of Rattray, and Jean Wemyss, 1922, died 1941, buried at Kirk of St Andrews, May 1941, interred for 3rd April 1942, and 19th Dec. 1944, aged about 47. He was born 1903, died 1941. He died 21st Dec. 1941, son of Robert Lindsay of the Claypotts, and of Mary, 1901, baptised 21st July 1901. Mary died 1939, buried Oct. 1939. Robert Lindsay of the Claypotts, 1903, died 1941, son of James Wemyss of Rattray, and survived him and married 1911, died 1947. James Robert Lindsay of Dunfermline, died 1941. They are buried at Kirk of Rattray, interred 10th April 1941, son of Ann Campbell, 1904, died 1937. Christian wife of Robert Lindsay, William, born 1904, May 1941. Marquess of Rattray, *Declaratio Hystoriae Regis Roberti Secundi Nov. 1627*, *Memoirs of Queen Bona*, No. 10, p. 773.

ROBERT KAY, trans from Second Company, Edinburgh, adm. 17th, and promoted by Charles II, 29th Jan. 1667, there was no further promotion for two years, 1st Oct. 1668, because of the rebellion of Leslie and Montrose, whose regiment had quartered in the borders,剽窃 and destroying parts. The Kirk Session 10th April 1663, chose him minister to supply the Commandery of Edinburgh for having Kay in his regiment. It hearkens to his own honour and to be granted before the 26th instant to be minister, and he "desyrteth that the Session will take care for supply at next meeting, may have liberty to preache again, and also the libertie to be avyly by the Kirk Session. He died in 1666, and was interred Stow in 1666.

WILLIAM HELSON, MA, trans from 1666, Finsbury, and adm. 17th Jan. 1667, DD, 1st Apr. 1667, 16th May 1673, trans. to Stirling 13th Sept. 1676.

ALEXANDER DUNBAR, son of the Laird of Moray, educated at King's College, Aberdeen, MA, 13th July 1658, licensed by Presb. of

Inverness; ord. to Birnie 22nd June 1659; trans. to Essil 8th July 1667; trans. southwards that year; adm. to this charge 19th Oct. 1676; died 22nd March 1678, aged about 40. [Fernie's and Chalmers's *Hist. of Dunf.*]

ROBERT NORIE, M.A.; adm. 18th Sept. 1678; pres. by Charles II, 3rd Sept. 1679. He complained to the Privy Council 4th May 1681 against certain Justices of the Peace for issuing a warrant against him to make him account for the fines in the Kirk-Session; trans. to Durrie 11th June 1686.

JOHN WARDLAW, M.A., formerly min. of Kemback; on 18th Dec. 1679, in answer to a petition by Robert Ged of Baldridge and others, for themselves and in the name of other parishioners of Dunfermline, he was allowed by the Privy Council to preach in terms of the Act of Indulgencies; he soon contravened the "Indulgencies," and on 2nd June 1681 was put to the horn for failure to appear on a charge of keeping conventicles and exercising the other functions of the ministry. W. had no access to the Abbey church, and his services must have been held in a meeting-house.

SIMON COUPER, educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (1697); min. of Kirkendbright in 1678; trans. to Second Charge 17th May 1681; pres. by the heritors and magistrates and by James VII, 5th Nov. 1686; trans. and inst. after 12th Dec. of that year; he was accused before the Privy Council, 4th Sept. 1689, of not reading the Proclamation of the Estates, not praying for their Majesties William and Mary, and for saying, when there came the news of the defeat at Killiecrankie, "that no less could come of them for rebelling against their lawful sovereign," but he was acquitted, as this was not proven. He was dep. by the united Presb. of Dunfermline and Kirkealdy, 28th Dec. 1693, for contumacy and contempt of its authority, which sentence was affirmed

by the Synod 6th May 1694. He was ordered by the Privy Council, 4th June 1694, to leave the church. He died in Edinburgh, 20th Sept. 1710, aged about 64. He marr. 26th Feb. 1678, Elizabeth Meldrum, and had issue: Simon, born July 1682. Publications—*An Impartial Inquiry into the Order and Government settled by Christ and His Apostles in the Church* [anon.] (Edinburgh, 1704), answered by *The Funeral of Prelacy* [anon., but by Robert Whyte of Banochy, advocate] (n.p., 1704); *Three Essays concerning Church Government* (Edinburgh, 1704), containing *The Phoenix; or, Prelacy Revived from the Ashes of its "Funeral"* [a reply to preceding by Whyte, anon.] (Edinburgh, 1704). This again was answered in *The Fable of the Sacred Phoenix* [by Robert Whyte] (n.p., 1704); *The Moral of the Phoenix Justified; or, the Reflections on the "Funeral of Prelacy" Vindicated* (Edinburgh, 1705), answered by *A Stone upon the Grave of Prelacy; or, Prelates not Apostles* [anon., but by Whyte] (n.p., 1705).—[Edin. Reg. Marr. and Bur.]; *Hist. Gen. Ass.*, 1690; Chalmers's *Hist. of Dunf.*]

JOHN GRAY, who had lived here in 1680 for the education of his family; trans. from Orwell; adm. before 17th April 1688; he was the first Presbyterian minister of Dunfermline after the Revolution, and appears to have ministered, not in the Abbey church, but in the Meeting-house; he continued 9th June 1691, but seems to have ceased to hold office after the close of that year.

WILLIAM GULLAN, called in June, 1692 and ord. (in the Meeting house) 24th Aug. 1692; trans. to Ladykirk 4th Dec. 1694.

HUGH KEMP, trans. from Forgan; 1701 called 30th April 1700; adm. 1st May 1701. During his incumbency the parish church was occupied one-half of the day by his Episcopal coadjutor, and the other by himself; trans. to Carnbee 30th Nov. 1701.

THOMAS BUCHANAN, M.A., of
1710, of East Lothian, M.A.
1710, of Edinburgh, died 1711,
on 10th March, aged 40. He had
been a student at Marischal College,
transferred to the University of
Edinburgh, and was a member of
the Faculty of Law, where he returned
to the University after his return from
Paris, where he studied law, 1708,
and graduated at Homburg, 1710. April 1708
General Assembly of the Church of
Scotland at Leith, Dr. George Mackay
of Dryburgh, Dr. James Blair, Dr. Trinity
Hospital, Dr. John Leslie, Dr. May, Dr.
John Robert Martin, Dr. John Pilkington,
Nov. 1708. Report to General Assembly
concerning the "Inquiry into the State of
Pecuniary Resources."

RALPH ELSKINE, son of Maud
1718, b. c. 1690, d. 1718
March 10, 1718, son of Henry El-
skine, minister at Cramond, afterwards
of Cramond by his wife, Margaret
Hill, and brother of the Rev. Dr. Hill,
of Stirling, created Lord of the Isles of
Lindisfarne, Nov. 1706, and is said to
have graduated M.A. in 1704, though
his name is not in the list of members
published by the Royal Society of Edinburgh
in 1711. He was a man of the following
form: "Black, tall, slender, delicate,
of Cramond, with his pale face, and his
well known white ruff." *See also* *Edinburgh
Post-boy*. His name is also given in
connection with the post office of Edinburgh
on 2nd July 1709. On 1st May 1711 he was
elected to the Society of Merchant Adventurers
of Edinburgh, the name of his father. He preferred Dunfermline, where he was elected
on Aug. 1711, probably to Edinburgh,
but transferred to Edinburgh, Feb. 1712.
He died at Edinburgh, May 1718.

General Assembly who had rejected his
thesis of 1709, he called him to all the protestations
on behalf of the Free Britons, and sent
the "Twelve Apostles" or Representatives
of 1721, evidently to protest the loss of the
Free Britons, 1709, and was deposed
May 1718. He took an active part in the
visit of George Whitefield to Scotland in

1739, and was one of the founders
of the Rev. Mr. Calder's Chapel. On the
10th of June 1740, Robert O'Neil, who died
with him at Edinburgh, in thinking it a
service for the church, and conscience, and
the cause of the party opposed to
the Duke of Argyll, recommended him to the
Rev. Mr. Hill, who called him his
assistant to the vicarage of his old parish
of St. Saviour, and Hymen had an extensive
ministry. He preached his last sermon
at Kirk O'Neil, and died of a paroxysm fever
on Nov. 11, 1740. A sermon of Henry Hardy
was delivered before him. He was buried in front of
Queen Anne's St. Stephen's Church, Dunfermline,
on June 15, 1741. Burial, 15th July
1714. Memorial inscribed 22nd Nov. 1739, aged
32, erected by John Dewart, Esq., his son,
and his wife, Elizabeth, born 1715, died
1749. Margaret, born 1718, married
John Newell, bookseller, Glasgow,
and died 1731. Henry, born 1716, Henry
name of the Society, Congregational
Fellowship, 1716, died 26th July 1754,
Chairman of the Associate Congregation,
Leeds, born 1721, died 8th May 1751.
Robert, born 1717, Ebenezer, born 1729,
died 1737. Christian, died in infancy.
John, name of the Society, Congregational
Starling, in succession to his father, born
1719, died 10th March 1771, aged 52. Edm.
1732. Margaret, daughter of Daniel Simpson,
W.S., Edinburgh, and died young. Ralph,
born Dec. 1732, died May 1721. Daniel,
born 1734, died 1735. Robert, F.R.S.,
Geographer and Surveyor General to the
American Army, author of *A Descrip-
tion of the American Army*, London, 1779, born 7th
Sept. 1737, died in America, 2nd Oct. 1789.
Robert, born Jan. 1738, died April 1738.
Edmund, etc. The editions of his works in
English, printed and collected, are very
numerous. *See also* *Dunfermline*, Edinburgh,
1706, 1717, 1721, and *Congregational
Press*, 1730, 1736, 1740, 1741, 1742, 1743, 1744,
King George's Supply Bond, Edinburgh,
1714, *See also* *Friars' Library*, page 155, *and* *Calder*, *or* *Saint*, *or* *Saint*, in Five
Parts, by a Minister of the Gospel in the
Church of Scotland (100 pp.), Edinburgh,
1709, *The History of the Divine At-
tached Dissenters*, a sermon (Edinburgh,

1724, and various editions); *Litur-death, Gospel-life, or The Death of Legal Righteousness* (Edinburgh, 1724); *The Best Bond, or Secret Engagement* (n.p., 1724); *Christ the People's Covenant* (n.p., 1725); *The Militant's Song* (Edinburgh, 1725); *Gospel Sonnets, or Spiritual Songs* (Edinburgh, 1726, 1732; London, 1734); London, 1741; numerous other editions); *The Present Promise* (n.p., 1726); *The Happy Congregation, or The Great Gathering of the People to Shiloh* (Edinburgh, 1726); *Presenting Love* (Edinburgh, 1728); *The Gradual Comfort* (Edinburgh, 1728); *The Main Question of the Gospel Catechism, What Think Ye of Christ?* (Edinburgh, 1729); *The Strength of Sin* (Edinburgh, 1729); *The Mediator's Power in Heaven and Earth* (Edinburgh, 1729); *The Lair of God's House* (Edinburgh, 1733); *The Lamb in the Midst of the Throne* (Edinburgh, 1734); *The Female Preacher* (Edinburgh, 1735); *The River of Life* (Edinburgh, 1736); *The Conquer's Conflict* (Edinburgh, 1736); *A Paraphrase, or Large Expository Poem upon the Song of Solomon* [166 pp.] (Edinburgh, 1736); *God's Great Name* (Edinburgh, 1737); *The Mounting Christian* (Edinburgh, 1737); *Dark Providences Cleard in Due Time* (Edinburgh, 1737); *The Great Trumpet of the Everlasting Gospel* (Edinburgh, 1737); *Faith's Plea upon God's Word and Covenant* (Edinburgh, 1738); *The Sun of the Gospel* (Edinburgh, 1738); *The Great Ruin, and the Great Relief* (Edinburgh, 1738); *The Plant of Renown* (Glasgow, 1738); *The Best Match, or The Incomparable Marriage between the Creator and the Creature* (Edinburgh, 1739); *Sensible Presence, Sudden Absence* (Edinburgh, 1739); *Present Duty before Approaching Darkness* (Edinburgh, 1739); *Glad Tidings in Sad Times* (Edinburgh, 1739); *Gospel Compulsion, or Ministerial Power and Authority* (Edinburgh, 1739); *An Elegy, or Funeral Poem on the much-lamented Death of . . . Mr Alexander Hamilton . . . To which is pref'd An Elegiac Poem to the Memory of . . . the Reverend Mr James Cuthbert, sometime minister of the Gospel at Culross . . . also Smooching Spiritualiz'd, a short poem* (Edinburgh, 1739); *The Giving Love of Christ,*

and the Receiving Property of Faith, Four Sermons (Edinburgh, 1740); *Chambers of Safety in Times of Danger* (Edinburgh, 1740); *The Fountain-head of all Blessings* (Edinburgh, 1740); *Gospel Humiliation grounded on Faith's View of Divine Pacification* (Edinburgh, 1741); *The Word of Salvation Sent to Sinners* (Edinburgh, 1741); *The True Christ no New Christ* (Edinburgh, 1742); *God the Conquered, yet Conquering Tribe* (Glasgow, 1742); *Divine Influence the True Spring of the Extraordinary Work at Cambuslang* (Edinburgh, 1742); *The Power and Policy of Satan* (Glasgow, 1742); *Redemption by Christ* (Edinburgh, 1742); *Fraud and Falshood Discovered* (Edinburgh, 1743); [answered by *A Letter from Mr Alexander Webster . . . in answer to Mr Erskine's Charge of Fraud and Falshood* (Edinburgh, 1743)]; *The Builder's Armour* (Edinburgh, 1743); *Covenanted Grace for Covenanting Work* (n.p., 1744); *Faith in Fancy, or a Treatise of Mental Images* (Edinburgh, 1745); *The Happy Hour of Christ's Quickening Voice* (Edinburgh, 1745); *The Best Security for the Best Life* (Edinburgh, 1746); *Witnesses cited for God* (Edinburgh, 1747); *Heaven Posid and Pressid with Questions and Demands* (Glasgow, 1747); *Clean Water* (Glasgow, 1747); *Christ's Treasures Opened by Himself* (Glasgow, 1747); *Fancy no Faith* [against a pamphlet, *Acts and Proceedings of the Associate Synod*] (Glasgow, 1747); *The Lawfulness of the Religious Clause of some Burgess Oaths* (Glasgow, 1747); *Observations upon the Conduct of the Separating Brethren, to which is added, Fancy still no Faith* (Glasgow, 1748); *Temple Production making way for Temple Restoration* (Glasgow, 1748); *The Third Proof of Fancy no Faith* (Edinburgh, 1749); *The Best Comptay in the most Lonely Case* (Glasgow, 1750); *A Short Paraphrase upon the Lamentations of Jeremiah* (Glasgow, 1750); *The Repose and Rest of Faith under the Shady and Fruitful Tree of Life* (Edinburgh, 1751); *The Happy Victor* (Edinburgh, 1751); *Mountains Overleaped* (Edinburgh, 1751); *A New Version of the Song of Solomon into Common Metre* (Glasgow, 1752); *Christ's Love-suit Re-*

JAMES THOMSON Esq. 1743. 46
Former Chaplain to the Royal
Family, now Master of the Mint
and May 1743. 46. In the
Year of Our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Forty Three
April 12. Chedworth. The Petition
of James Thomson of London with wife
the widow of George Thomson Esq. Clerk of the
Exchequer March 1743. 46. and a
certainty of the same. That he is the son of
John Thomson of Cheltenham in the County of
Gloucester Esq. and by his wife Mary
Hepburne of Cheltenham Esq. by whom he
had a son who died when he was a child.

He was born at New Haven, Conn., Aug. 11, 1795, and died there where he was for a number of years. He was about five feet four and twenty-five to thirty years of age when he died. He practiced law for many years, and filled his early manhood by the study of the law. A time soon after his marriage, which he was twenty. He sold his office, and left New Haven for the city of New York, where he remained until Oct. 1, 1817, when he returned to New Haven, and there died on the 11th of August, 1833.

ALLAN MACLEAN, born 1770, died 17
1791. Born at MacLean's Castle, originally
in the parish of Kilchurn, by Brodick,
now known as MacLean's Isle, in the Chapel
of Ease of Kilchurn, on the 6th May 1770. Pre-
pared for the University of Edinburgh, 1786, from
William Blackford, M.A. After graduating
from the University he became a
representative of the Canadian Society in New
York, which was established by the House of
Lords on March 1-12, 1782, for the purpose
of aiding the Colonies in their struggle against
England. He returned to Edinburgh in 1786.
He then travelled through England and France
and then resided at the University of Paris as
a student. He returned again to Edinburgh in
1790, and there he wrote his *Sketches of the
Literary Society of Paris*.

HILL CHALMERS, died Sept 1 1836. Son of Alexander Chalmers, minister of Glasgow, educated at University of Glasgow, M.A. 1808. Preached first sermon at width Sept 1814, assistant to Revd John Galloway, died 1814. Chalmers' first pulpit 1817, probably William IV Chapel, Liverpool, now Liverpool Oct 1817. He joined the Free Church May 1823, opened a pulpit at which he preached Sermons, and became interested in questions and difficulties in connection with the Free Church. Supposed to be a Quaker, and applied to the Friends, and was given received into their society 1833. D.D. Glasgow 1849. Prof. of Theol. Edinburgh 1850. Died 11th April 1859. He

marr. (1) 10th Oct. 1822, Marion (died 20th Feb. 1857), daugh. of James Hay, writer, Edinburgh, and had issue—Marion Inglis Bald, born 30th Nov. 1823, died 6th Sept. 1837; Jane, born 3rd June 1825; Lillias, born 27th May 1827; James Hay, W.S., born 10th Jan. 1829, died 21st June 1860; Annabella Craig, born 5th Aug. 1830; Helen Kidd, born 3rd July 1832, died 4th Feb. 1833; Peter Bald, born 1st, died 7th July 1834; Helen, born 20th July 1835; Peter Bald, born 8th Sept. 1837, died 22nd Jan. 1839; Marion, born 6th Oct. 1839 (marr. Alexander Mitchell, D.D., min. of the North Parish, Dunfermline); (2) 23rd Dec. 1863, Marie Louisa Mann Anderson, Burntisland. Publications—*Two Discourses on the Sin, Danger, and Remedy of Drinking* (Edinburgh, 1822); *Strictures on some recent Sayings and Doings of the Dunfermline Voluntaries* (Glasgow, 1835); *A Parting Word to the Rev. Mr. Law, suggested by his late Catechism* (Dunfermline, 1835); *An Historical and Statistical Account of Dunfermline*, 2 vols. (Edinburgh, 1841-59); *The Province of Reason in Matters of Divine Revelation and Sceptical Objections considered* (Dunfermline, 1847); Account of the Parish (*New Stat. Acc.*, ix). [Mercer's and Chalmers's *Hists. of Dunf.*; McCosh's *What and Why?*]

JAMES FRENCH, born 1811, son of James F., merchant, and Jane Thomson; Professor of Rhetoric in the Aneronian College, Glasgow; ord. to St. Bernard's, Edinburgh, 11th Sept. 1843; trans. to Second Charge 2nd May 1845; pres. by Queen Victoria 3rd May, and adm. 1st July 1870; died 13th Feb. 1880. He marr. 18th June 1841, Ann McDonald, and had issue—Agnes, born 15th March 1845; Thomas, born 26th May 1846, died 1st Oct. 1846; Catherine, born 10th May 1847 (marr. Thomas Dewar, min. of Lothgelly); James, born 16th June 1848; Margaret Ann, born 11th March 1850.

JOHN PITT, born 1811, son of Samuel Pitt, coachman, and Elizabeth McLaren; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (1864), B.D. (1878); ord. to Second Charge 22nd Sept. 1870; trans. and adm.

18th May 1880; died 10th May 1893. He marr. 16th July 1872, Margaret Douglas (born 10th Nov. 1847, died 26th Dec. 1911), third daugh. of William Wilson, Edinburgh, and had issue—Esther, born 6th Aug. 1873; Samuel Douglas, born 25th Oct. 1875. Publications—*Our Sunday School System*, a sermon; *Working With Might*, a sermon; *Thoughts on Public Worship*, a sermon (Dunfermline, 1878, 1887, and 1890 respectively).

ROBERT STEVENSON, born Tullibody, parish of Alloa, son of Robert Stevenson, S.; educated at Glasgow, M.A. (1876), and Edinburgh Univ.; licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 16th May 1879; assistant at St Paul's, Dundee; ord. to Second Charge 16th Nov. 1880; elected 4th July 1893 (this being the first election of a minister by ballot in the Church of Scotland in terms of the new regulations of the General Assembly 1893); adm. 10th July that year. He marr. 19th April 1888, Margaret Fisher (died at Bournemouth 22nd Oct. 1922), second daugh. of Robert Reid, manufacturer, Dunfermline, and had issue—Robert, born 11th Feb. 1889, M.A., B.D. (Glasgow), Black Fellowship in Divinity, contributed various articles to the *Encyclopædia of Islam*, licen. by Dunfermline Presb. 5th May 1915, gazetted same year lieutenant in Black Watch and killed in action near Ypres 23rd Aug. 1917; Alan, born 23rd March 1892, engaged in sugar industry, North Queensland, Australia, joined 3rd Australian Division Oct. 1915, and served as Dispatch Rider, awarded Military Medal for "conspicuous services" during the Messines engagement; Madge Rita, born 5th Dec. 1894 (marr. 7th Sept. 1920, John Aubrey Brooking Snell, B.A., M.B., B.Ch. Cantab., D.P.H. London, Wareham, Dorset); Sidney, Arts student, Univ. of Edinburgh, born 12th April 1905. Publications—*The Communion and Some other Matters in Dunfermline in the Seventeenth Century* (Dunfermline, 1900); *Dunfermline, 1791 to 1812* (1906).

SECOND CHARGE.

[In the seventeenth century at least the stipend was "a voluntar gift, granted by the inhabitants" (*Reg. Privy Council*, 4th April 1672).]

ANDREW FOULSFIELD, M.A., trans.
from Cappel, at Edinburgh 17th
Aug. 1658, trans. to First Charge 1st May 1660.

JOHN MURRAY, M.A., trans. from
S. and C. at Edinburgh 17th
Oct. 1611, trans. to First Charge 1st May
1612. He was a member of the Faculty
of Physicians of Edinburgh 1611, and
of the Faculty of Surgeons 1612. He
was buried at Edinburgh 1st May 1620.
See *Edinburgh Register*.

SAMUEL ROW, M.A., trans. from Ben-
edictine at Cork 17th Aug. 1633, trans. to Cork 17th Jan. 1634.

WILLIAM OLFHANT, M.A., S.
1645. Andrews, 1645, trans. to First Charge
at Glasgow, Edinburgh, Dunfermline,
and Linlithgow 17th Aug. 1644. John
16th Jan. 1645. He was a member of the
Commissioners of Anatomy 1638, 1640,
July 1641, the Protectors in 1651, who planned
by the Council of Estates 1st Aug. 1651,
one of the first universities in Scotland, for
the ministry in Perth, Fife, and Angus.
He died 15th July 1652, at Edinburgh [N. 10]
and is buried at *Dunfermline*. See *Edin-*
*via App. of Battell's Test. Provis. for the
founding of Royal Edinburgh, Fife, and Charters
Hist. of Prof.*

THOMAS KINNINMONTH, M.A.,
trans. from Kinross and Edin. 1st
1690, July 1696, trans. to Auchterdenie
6th Dec. 1698.

ALEXANDER MUNRO, Edin. 7th
April 1673, the son of Alexander Munro
1673, a verger, or vicar, trans. to Kirkcudbright 26th March 1697.

JOHN BALNEVIS, M.A., trans. from
T. B. trans. to Edinburgh 8th Nov. 1676,
1676, trans. to Dundee 14th Jan. 1677.

SIMON COFFER, M.A., trans. from
Kirkcudbright 1st May 1681, May
1681, trans. to First Charge after
12th Dec. 1681.

JAMES GRAEME, Sir GRAHAM,
M.A., trans. of S.C. in Britain
1687, 1687, was a man of note during
the Proscription of the Stuarts, not pray-
ing for their Majesties William and Mary,

but supporting the cause of the Jacobites.
Sir Kilwardby, of Kilwardby, could
not get his name registered in their Lawful
List, so he left England, declared that he
had no place in the Kingdom, and
that he was welcome to Ireland; he was
admitted by the Irish Council 1st Sept.
1689. He was admitted by the Synod, Edinburgh
1690, and became a member of the Faculty
of Physicians of Edinburgh 1690, appointed by the
Commissioners of the General Assembly,
and died Jan. 1711, aged 71. See p. 71, the
last Principal, a parish minister of Dun-
fermline. He married April 1678, Agnes
Stratton, and had a son James, served
near 29th Nov. 1711, George, born 1685,
Archibald, born 1696, John, born 1693,
Katherine, born Dec. 1702, William, Cal-
wallan, born 1704, Edinburgh, Feb. 1704,
*The First Part of the Life, Reign, and
Loyal Meditations of King James VII. and
II. King of Scotland, and before the
Union, Containing the History of
Scotland, written by him at London
1711, to his Successor King Charles II.
of Right, Translated, Writings of Mr. John
Stevens, Hartlib, 1690, 1690, 1690, 1690, 1690,
See also *Edinburgh Register*, 1690, 1690, 1690,
Sir Robert Bruce's *De Jure Britonum
in West Fife*, 1691.]*

RALPH ERSKINE, M.A., called 1st
May, and 4th Aug. 1711, trans.
1711, to First Charge 1st May 1716.

JAMES WARDLAW of Lissard, born
1673, died 1st Oct. of Henry W.
1713, of Wester Lissard, i.e. Christian
Hutton, educated at Univ. of St. Andrews,
and died in his parish of Carnock 16th Feb.
1703, buried by Probst of Dunfermline 5th
June 1703, and to Crichton 29th Sept. 1717,
all 121. A natural and calm 29th Nov. 1718, who one of the twelve who signed a
representation to the General Assembly,
11th May 1721, against the Act of indemnity
of the *Martyrs of Mohravia*,
died 2nd May 1742. He was a strenuous
opponent of patronage. He marr. Jean
Muir, who died at Old Cumnock, 3rd
May 1735, and had issue Christian, born
12th July 1715, marr. Thomas Charters,
min. of Inverkeithing; Jean, born 13th
June 1717, marr. 7th May 1738, Joseph

Strachan, writer, Edinburgh), died 25th May 1742; Elizabeth, born 11th March 1719; Mary, born 31st May 1720, died unmarr. March 1746; Isobel, born 2nd Sept. 1722 (marr. 12th Sept. 1753, George Muir, D.D., min. of Old Cumnock); Henry, born 5th Oct. 1723, died young; Janet, born 7th Feb. 1727.—[Brown's *Gospel Truth*; Dun's *Sermon*, i.; Fraser's *Life of Ralph Erskine*; Chalmers's *Hist. of Dunf.*, i., 428; *Dunf. Royalty Recs.*; *Warriours in Scotland*, 114; Pratt's *Buchan*, 48; Mackay's *Cruelen and its Ministers*, 64-7.]

THOMAS FERNIE, born 1715; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. 1744 (May 1730); became tutor in the family of Durham of Largo; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 16th March 1742; called 11th Jan., and ord. 19th April 1744; died 5th April 1788. He marr. (1) 24th May 1749, Elizabeth Geddes, who died 16th Dec. 1752, and had issue—Thomas, born 21st April 1750, died 5th March 1753; John, born 7th May 1751, died 10th March 1753; Christian, born 15th, and died 18th Dec. 1752; (2) 29th Oct. 1755, Elizabeth Lamont, who died 11th April 1799, and had issue—Thomas, born 11th Aug. 1756, died 12th Feb. 1759; Elizabeth, born 21st March 1758; Agnes, born 11th July 1759; Anna, born 21st Feb. 1761, died 3rd April 1785; John, min. of this parish; Mary, born 9th May 1761; James, born 1st April 1763; Andrew, born 11th Dec. 1768; Barbara, born 19th May 1771, died 23rd March 1780; Livingstone (daugh.), born 28th Feb. 1773, died 9th April 1790. Publications—*Sermons on Important Articles of Christianity* (Edinburgh, 1786).—[Fernie's and Chalmers's *Hists. of Dunf.*]

JOHN FERNIE, born 27th Nov. 1762, son of preceding; educated at Univ. 1789 of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Dunfermline 9th July 1788; pres. by George III, 15th Aug. 1788; ord. 10th Feb. 1789; died 2nd Nov. 1816. He marr. 16th May 1809, Agnes, died 14th Oct. 1838, daugh. of James Tait, writer, Edinburgh, and had issue—Anna, born 1st Oct. 1811. Publications—*A History of the Town and Parish of Dunfermline* (Dunfermline, 1815);

Sermons on Important Subjects (Dunfermline, 1818); Account of the Parish [jointly with his colleague] (Sinclair's *Stat. Acc.*, xiii.);—[Mercer's and Chalmers's *Hists. of Dunf.*]

PETER CHALMERS, M.A.; pres. by George, Prince Regent, 11th Feb. 1817 and ord. 18th July 1817; trans. to First Charge 5th Oct. 1836.

JOHN TOD BROWN, born 10th Sept. 1805, youngest son of James B., min. of Newbattle; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Dalkeith 12th Aug. 1828; pres. by William IV, at the request of the parishioners 18th Oct. 1836, and ord. 11th May 1837; dem. on being called to the Presbyterian congregation, Rodney Street, Liverpool, 30th May 1844; trans. to Caledonian Church, London, 1847; res. in 1849. Joined the Church of England, and was ord. deacon by Charles James, Bishop of London, 23rd Dec. that year; became priest 11th June 1851; curate of Cheshfield, Essex, 1851-2. From 1852 to 1857 he held a proprietary chapel in London (Eaton Chapel), and to financial difficulties ensuing upon this step may be attributed the after troubles which are described in his autobiography entitled *Moral Murder*. In 1865 he was chaplain to the Isle of Thanet Union; died 5th June 1873. He marr. 11th Oct. 1837, Lucy, daugh. of Richard Joseph, merchant, Holloway, London; she was divorced for non-adherence. Publications—*Report of the Speeches delivered at a Church and School Extension Meeting, Dunfermline* (Edinburgh, 1839); *A Letter to the Moderator of the Presbytery of Dunfermline on the Subject of Church Extension* (Dunfermline, 1839); *Ode to the Queen on Her Majesty's Landing in Scotland*, 1st Sept. 1842 single sheet, 1842 [according to the author's own statement only two copies were printed]; *The Visit of Her Majesty contemplated under a Religious Aspect* (Edinburgh, 1842); *A Parting Statement: addressed to those now, or recently, professing to worship in the Abbey of Dunfermline* (Liverpool, 1844); *The Union of Christians*, a poem (London, 1846); *Sermon on the Death of Sir Robert*

Scottish Hymns, Sincere but with Popish Errors, Separation, and Fealty (1891); Mr Stephen Williamson, M.P., for the Kilmarock Burghs, before Popish Assembly, Correspondence between the Rev. Jacob Primmer and Mr. S. Williamson, M.P., Portobello, 1891; Popish Proprietary Church, Differing, Protestant Approach to the Great Assembly by the Rev. J. Primmer and Others (mp., 1891); Memorial as to Proprietary Popish Ecclesiastical (mp., 1893); In Church of Scotland Assembly Papers, 1897, "A Appendix J. P." Edinburgh, 1897; "Which is the Greater Evil—Rome or Rome, and the one for both" (1897); The Cathedral Public Discussion between Pastor Jacob Primmer and the Rev. William C. McDougall Ainslie, 1897; Jacob Primmer in Rome (Edinburgh, 1897); Popery and Crime, Pastor Primmer's Reply to Priest Mellon (Dunfermline, 1897); Popery in Glasgow University; The Secretary for Scotland and Pastor Jacob Primmer (Dunfermline, 1899); Martyrdom of Jacob Primmer at the Assembly of 1899 (Dunfermline, 1899); The General Assembly's Communion Service in St. Giles' (1899); Mr Birrell, M.P., and Mr Primmer (Dunfermline, 1899); Mr Jacob Primmer and H.M. Board of Works (Dunfermline, 1899); The Established Church Home Mission Committee; The Rev. Mr Primmer's Grant (Dunfermline, 1899); Awful Popery in the Church of Scotland (Dunfermline, 1899); Story and Others versus Jacob Primmer (Dunfermline, 1900); Charleson's "Why I left the Church of Scotland" exposed (1901); Pastor Jacob Primmer's Semi-Jubilee (1901); Pastor Jacob Primmer and Dundee Presby. The Services of the Mass in Birrell's Church (1901); The Great Mock State Trial at Dundee of Pastor Jacob Primmer (1902); Ritualism at the General Assembly (1903); The Barony Church Popery (1904); Jesuit Campaign in Edinburgh (1908); Popish Schools placed on the Public Rates (1913); Popish Aggression in Scotland (1914); Rome on the Rites without Public Control (1914). [Life of Jacob Primmer (portrait), by his son, Dr John Boyd P. (Edinburgh, 1916); Jamie's Life of John Hope; various General Assembly Papers.]

DAVID AVENEL VIPONT, formerly Melville Vipont Anderson, adm. 27th 1904 Oct. 1904; res. in 1907, and admitted to Membeur 29th Aug. 1908.

JOSEPH JAMES LORRAINE, born Polmont, 15th Feb. 1890, son of Walter L., missionary, and brother of Walter Fotheringham L., min. of Monkton and Prestwick; educated at Glasgow Univ.; Rec'd. by Presb. of Irvine in 1886; missionary assistant at Kincardine-on-Spey, Olnacirch Mission, Delting, Rapness Mission, Westray, Lintrigg Mission, Slamanan, assistant at Blantyre, and missionary assistant Newton, Cambuslang; ord. 9th April 1908; res. on account of ill-health in 1917. Marr. at Old Machar, 29th Sept. 1894, Jessie, daugh. of Richardson Alexander, sugar planter, West Indies, and Mary Morrison.

ST ANDREW'S PARISH (Q.S.).

[Built as a meeting-house for Thomas Gillespie, after his deposition from Carnock in 1752. At Gillespie's death, the greater part of his congregation petitioned the Presb., 30th March 1774, to be received into communion. After being discussed in four General Assemblies this crave was remitted back to the Presb., by whom the petitioners were received 28th Oct., and the chapel was opened 28th Dec. 1777. This parish was granted a Constitution in terms of the Act of Assembly 31st May 1834, called St Andrew's, and erected *quoad sacra* by the Court of Teinds, 11th June 1851.]

JOHN MONTEATH, M.A.; ord. 16th 1780 Feb. 1780; called 29th of that month, and trans. to Houston 13th June 1781.

ALLAN MACLEAN, called 12th Dec. 1782 1781; ord. 16th May 1782, trans. to First Charge, Dunfermline, 30th June 1791.

JAMES ROBERTSON, called 29th Dec. 1792 1791; ord. 6th June 1792; dem. office 17th Dec. 1798 on a presentation to Slamanan.

DAVID SAVILLE, M.A., born 26th Dec. 1796; died 17th Jan. 1799, trans. to 1799, Chap. of Eccl. of Edinburgh, called 17th Oct. 1800.

CHESTER HER GRIGG, M.A., called 1800, died 17th Dec. 1800, trans. to the Free Church, by Presb. 21st Aug. 1807.

ELIOT BROTHURSTON, called 17th March, and ord. 19th July 1803, trans. to the Free Church, pres. to St. Paul's County, Dumbarton, 1st Aug. 1806.

JOHN MACWHIR, died 16th Oct. 1810, trans. to 11th Jan. 1810, dem. in 1810, and assistant to Urquhart, 5th Oct. 1813.

DAVID MURRAY, born 26th March 1813, son of David Murray, brewer, 1817, educated at school at Ayr, studied at Univ. of Edinburgh, became Chaplain in the Charity Workhouse at St. Cuthbert's there, born by Presb. of Scotland, 1st April, and called 19th Dec. 1817, ord. 27th March 1817, died 21st Feb. 1838. He marr. Isabella, died 6th Nov. 1834, daughter of William Gosman, farmer, Kirkcaldy, and had issue William, Russell, Isabella, Mitchell. Publication: *Letters and Stories*, edited by David Dickson, D.D., St. Cuthbert's, Edinburgh, Edinburgh, 1841. [See *new* Memoirs *Postscript*.]

ANDREW SUTHERLAND, born 1811, 1830, son of Andrew Sutherland, Chaplain who educated at Univ. of Glasgow, M.A. 1831, called 19th Dec. 1832, died 19th Dec. 1835, a student at Kilmarnock, declined election to Gartmorn Chapel of Eccl., called 15th Jan., and ord. 19th March 1836, joined the Free Church, 1843, name of St. Andrews Free Church, Dumbarton, 1843-55. He res. in 1855, was prep. to a charge at Gibraltar, where he left to explain to the Presbyterian

elder in the garrison, died 18th Oct. 1867. He marr. 1848, Amelia McPharney, and had issue Andrew Neil, M.A., F.C. and R., born 1855, Lewis Robertson, M.B., C.M., Professor of Pathology, Univ. of St. Andrews, born 1863, Margaret Kerr, John Kerr.

JOHN MIDDLETON, M.A., ord. 21st 1847, April 1847, trans. to Glenmerrick 15th March 1849.

DAVID NICOL, ord. in 1849, first min. of the parish 11th June 1851, trans. to Dalry 11th Jan. 1855.

JAMES PENNELL, ord. 11th May 1855, trans. to Ballingarry 10th 1855, Sept. 1857.

JAMES MILLAR ROSE, M.A., born Burntisland 1832, son of James Rose, Inland Revenue Officer, and Isobell McAllan, educated at King's College, Aberdeen, M.A. March 1854, ord. 11th Feb. 1858, res. 18th May, and died 29th Aug. 1863. He marr. 29th Oct. 1850, Georgina, died 27th May 1859, daughter of James Alexander of Birkdale, manufacturer, Dunfermline.

WILLIAM ANDREW HUTCHISON, born Glasgow 25th Nov. 1853, son of William Hutchison, gold mine manager, and Margaret Miller; educated at Hutchison's Grammar School and Glasgow Univ. 1862-6, being by Presb. there in 1866, assistant in this parish 1866-1868, ord. 26th July 1868. Marr. 10th Feb. 1869, Helen Turnbull, daughter of Thomas Smith, banker.

THE NORTH PARISH (Q.S.).

[The North Church Golfridum, founded early in 1849, was opened for public worship on second Sunday of Nov. 1849, with settings for 800. The cost of the building was £1673, of which £1002 was raised by subscription, and £31 received from the General Assembly's Extension Fund. This parish was erected *quæstus* in 27th Jan. 1855.]

CHARLES MARSHALL, born Paisley, about 1796, eldest son of Charles Marshall, manufacturer, and Mary Baird; educated at Univs. of Glasgow and Edin-

burgh; was Governor of John Watson's Institution, Edinburgh, 1827-40; ord. 16th July 1841. Joined the Free Church in 1843; was min. of Free North Church, Dunfermline, 1843-82 [the Free Church obtained possession of the building from 1843 to 1849, when it was vacated upon decision obtained in the House of Lords]; died June 1882. He marr. 1878, Lilia, daugh. of Thomas Bisset and Margaret Scott. Publications—*Lays and Lectures for Scotland's Daughters of Industry*, two editions (Edinburgh, 1853); *Homely Words and Songs for Working Men and Women, Wives and Mothers* (Edinburgh, 1856); *Homely Words and Songs for Young Women* (Edinburgh, 1856); *The Watchman's Round in the Way of Life and the Way of Death* (1868); *Winter Evening Conversations of Free Church Ladies* (1870); *Lays and Lectures for Working Men and Women*—Vol. I., *To Wives and Mothers* (fourth edition, Edinburgh, 1878), Vol. II., *To Young Women* (Edinburgh, 1878); *Licht Frou the Smirby o' Saunders Dinwudlie* (Edinburgh, 1880).—[Bibliog. of West Fife, 209.]

CHARLES ROGERS, born 18th April 1825 (his mother died at his birth), only child of James R., min. of Dunino; educated at Dunino Parish School and Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews June 1843; assistant to Hew Scott, D.D., at West Anstruther, also at Kinglassie, and Abbotshall; ord. 13th July 1849; res. 10th July 1850; became assistant at Ballingry and Carnoustie; LL.D. (Columbia College, New York, Dec. 1853); opened a preaching-station at Bridge of Allan, and from Jan. 1855 to 11th Aug. 1863 was chaplain to the garrison at Stirling Castle. Elected a member of Stirling Town Council Nov. 1861; took a prominent part in local affairs, instituted a Churchyard Improvement Association, and was prime mover in the erection of the national Wallace Monument on the Abbey Craig 24th June 1861. In 1855 he opened at Stirling a Scottish Literary Institute, and in 1862 a British Christian Institute for the dis-

semination of religious tracts, chiefly to soldiers and sailors, but both schemes failed. In 1863 he went to Lewisham, Kent, where he devoted himself to literary work, originated a short-lived Naval and Military Tract Society, and founded the London Book and Tract Depository, which lasted until 1874. On 2nd Nov. 1868 he inaugurated the Grampian Club for the issue of works illustrative of Scottish literature and antiquities, and was secretary and editor until his death. He claimed to be founder of the Royal Historical Society begun in 1868, of which he continued to be secretary and historiographer until 1880. In 1873 he was presented by his friends with a residence at Forrest Hill, London, which he named Grampian Lodge; D.D. (St Andrews, 1881); returned to Edinburgh and died at his house, 6 Barnton Terrace, Craigmyle, 18th Sept. 1890. He was a man of indefatigable habits of work, scholarly and patriotic, with a temperament which did not brook opposition, and inclined too often to imagine himself the victim of animosity and misrepresentation. His labours in connection with the Wallace Monument and in the sphere of Scottish literature, entitle him to the gratitude of Scottish people. He was a member of numerous British, Continental, and American learned Societies. He marr. 14th Dec. 1854, Jane, eldest daugh. of John Bain, St Andrews. Publications—*Memoir and Poems of Sir Robert Aytoun* (Edinburgh, 1844; London, 1871); *Historical Notices of St Anthony's Monastery, Leith* (1849); *History of St Andrews* (Edinburgh, 1849); *A Week at Bridge of Allan* (Edinburgh, 1851, various editions); *The Beauties of Upper Strathearn* (Edinburgh, 1854); *The Modern Scottish Minstrel*, 6 vols. (Edinburgh, 1855-7); also 1 vol. (Edinburgh, 1870); *The Sacred Minstrel* (London, 1859); *Ettrick Forest, the Ettrick Shepherd and his Monument* (Edinburgh, 1860); *Issues of Religious Rivalry* (1866); *Lyra Britannica* (London, 1867); *Christian Heroes in the Army and Navy* (London, 1867); *Traits and Stories of the Scottish People* (1867); *The Golden Sheaf: Poems by Living*

1839. *The North Parish Register*, 1839, pp. 102-103, record the birth of a son, John, to Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hart, on 2nd July 1839. On 27th August 1839, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hart, of Newgate, London, registered the birth of a son, John, to Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hart, at their residence, 10, Newgate Street, London. On 1st March 1842, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hart registered the birth of a son, John, to Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hart, at their residence, 10, Newgate Street, London. On 20th April 1843, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hart registered the birth of a son, John, to Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hart, at their residence, 10, Newgate Street, London. On 20th April 1843, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hart registered the birth of a son, John, to Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hart, at their residence, 10, Newgate Street, London. On 20th April 1843, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hart registered the birth of a son, John, to Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hart, at their residence, 10, Newgate Street, London. On 20th April 1843, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hart registered the birth of a son, John, to Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hart, at their residence, 10, Newgate Street, London. On 20th April 1843, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hart registered the birth of a son, John, to Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hart, at their residence, 10, Newgate Street, London. On 20th April 1843, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hart registered the birth of a son, John, to Mr. and Mrs. John H. Hart, at their residence, 10, Newgate Street, London.

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ALEXANDER MITCHELL, born Aberdeen, 1811, son of James Mitchell, merchant, three educated at Marischal College, M.A., 1816, and King's College, Cambridge, B.Sc., of Aberdeen, in 1841, died 17th April 1881, largely through his efforts the parish of *Ballater* was created, D.D., Aberdeen, 1870, son of Robert James Mitchell, H.M. Inspector of Marine and of Bridgwater, 5th Sept. 1861, died at the house of Peter Chalmers, D.D., man of Dunfermline Abbey, and died at Maryhill, Glasgow, 1881, marr. Jessie Hendry, M.A., Edinburgh, daughter Margaret Gordon, born 1862, marr. John Clark, D.D., man of Muggleswick, Peter Chalmers, born 23rd Nov. 1863, educated at Aberdeen Univ., M.A., with honours, 1863, and Oxford Univ., B.A., 1st class, Nat. Sci., 1888, D.Sc., 1891, F.R.S., 1891, LL.D., Univ. of Aberdeen, lecturer on Biology at Queen's Cross Hospital, 1862, at London Hospital, 1864, one staff of the 8th Dragoon Guards, Secretary, Zoological Society of London, 1868, James, of Bangor, Walgett, Australia, born 1863, Anna, wife Jane, born 1865, marr'd as his second wife, William S. Sutherland, D.D., Kilmpong, India, H.M. 3, in 1870, marr. David H. Gordon, Dunfermline, Alexander William, man of Ardentinny, born 2nd June 1873, John Stevenson, M.B., Ch.B., Edin. Univ., F.R.C.S., London, Bridge of Allan, born

1882. Publications: *Electro-Plating*, an address (Dunfermline, 1856); *Female Education in India*, an address (Cupar Fife, 1860); *Report of Committee on Sabbath Schools* (Dunfermline, 1867); *A Address to the Young*, No. 1, *The Reformation of the Sixteenth Century* (Dunfermline, 1868); *The Book of Jonah: the Text analysed, translated, and the Accents named; being an Easy Introduction to the Hebrew Language* (London, 1873); *Sermons preached in the North Parish Church, Dunfermline, Sabbath, 16th April 1876, Semi-annually of Rev. Alex. M's. Ministry* (Dunfermline, 1876). Mrs. Mitchell was author of *First Steps: A Catechism of Bible Teaching for Infant Classes* (Edinburgh, 1879). [Biblio. of West Fife, 214.]

JAMES MOHR WEBSTER, M.A., B.D.; ord. 20th Nov. 1902; trans. to Carnock 5th Feb. 1920.

RITCHIE DOUGHTY LYON, born 1920 Aberdeen, 7th March 1896, son of James Lucas engineer, and Mary A. A. Ritchie; educated at Aberdeen Univ.; M.A. (1916), B.D. (1919); licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen May 1919; thereafter student at Edin. Univ., post graduate, School of Theology, 1919-20; assistant at St George's-in-the-West Parish, Aberdeen, 1917-18, at Rubislaw Parish, Aberdeen, 1918-19, and at Govan Parish in 1919; *locum tenens* at Granton and at New Deer; ord. 24th June 1920. Marr. 4th March 1924, Margaret Rollo, daugh. of James Auchterlonie, farmer, Leckesterne, Dunfermline, and Elizabeth Rollo.

ST LEONARD'S (Q.S.).

[Under the designation of the Brucefield Mission, work was inaugurated and carried on in a temporary church in the Brucefield district of Dunfermline. The mission was served by (1) 1895-9, David Bruce Millar, M.A., afterwards min. of St James's Parish, Kirkcaldy; (2) 1899-1903, Joseph Campbell, M.A., afterwards min. of Bargrennan. William McLaren, Dunfermline, bequeathed a sum of money for the erection of a church and hall at Brucefield,

and on 17th Sept. 1904 the church, built according to plans by Peter MacGregor Chalmers, LL.D., Glasgow, was opened for worship. A Chapel of Ease constitution was obtained in the same year. St Leonard's Parish was erected on 24th Jan. 1908. At what is now the entrance to the Brucefield property stood the chapel and hospital of St Leonard, erected probably in the thirteenth century.]

EDWARD CHARLES HOULSTON, 1904 born Eltham, Kent, son of Charles John H., educated at St Andrews (Church of Scotland) High School, Bangalore, India, and Unive. of Madras, B.A. (1895), and Aberdeen, B.D. (1902); licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen in 1901; assistant at West Parish, Aberdeen; ord. to St Leonard's chapel-of-ease 30th Sept. 1901, and became first min. of the parish 24th Jan. 1908; trans. to St Serf's, Edinburgh, 1st March 1917. Marr. 21st July 1909, Isabella Scott, elder daugh. of Archibald Mason, F.R.I.S., Arbuthnott.

WILLIAM M'MILLAN, born Maxwell-town, Galloway, 22nd April 1883, son 1917 of Robert M. (a lineal descendant of William M'Millan, min. of Holywood and first Moderator of Synod after the Revolution in 1688), and Jane Neilson (descendant of John Neilson of Corsock who "glorified God in the Grassmarket for his adherence to the Covenant in 1666"); educated at Glasgow Univ.; M.A. (1918); student assistant at Crawford during the summer of 1909 and 1910; licen. by Presb. of Glasgow in 1911; assistant at Crawford, April to Oct. 1911, and at Kilwinning, Oct. 1911 to March 1912; ord. to Hallside 27th March 1912; trans. and adm. 30th Aug. 1917. Marr. 11th June 1912, Isabella Brodie, daugh. of Thomas M'Kendrick and Elizabeth Scott, and has issue—Mary Scott, born 21st June 1913; Robert Leonard, born 21st March 1918. Publications: *Poetry of Robert Burns* (Hamilton, 1913); *Arms of the Royal Burgh of Singular* (Dumfries, 1914); *Scottish Symbols* (Paisley, 1916); *St Andrew's Day* (Glasgow, 1919); *Scottish Parliament, and Life of St Conal* (p.p., Dumfries); "Scottish Emblems," "Scottish

Lowland Burghs, in Canmore, where Burns' War-happy "Lassie" (B. 1. 1. 1. 2. 21) and "Farewell to the World" (B. 1. 1. 2. 42), and "Hark! the Warbler" (B. 1. 1. 2. 42), and "Hark! the Warbler" (B. 1. 1. 2. 42), and "Up, my st. Chieftain" (B. 1. 1. 2. 42), and "Burns and the King" (one of his "Burns and the King" poems) (B. 1. 1. 2. 42), and "The Soldier's Dream" (B. 1. 1. 2. 42), and "The Soldier's Dream" (B. 1. 1. 2. 42), and "The Soldier's Dream" (B. 1. 1. 2. 42).

CANMORE STREET CHAPEL.

[Reconstructed by Prof. Clark] built 1833.

WILLIAM DALZELL, reader minister 1839—died Oct. 1863, son of George Dalzell, died 11th Oct. 1855, joined the Church of Scotland with his congregation in 1836, transferred Thurs. 29th Sept. 1843.

INVERKEITHING AND ROSYTH.

In 1611 the Commissioners for the moderation of stipends set the erection of church buildings in the churches, a pulpit designed to remain in the small "incompetent" parishes, to be provided for a minister at Rosyth. In 1618 the Commissioners for the Restoration of Kirk decreed the union of the two parishes. The church of Rosyth, traditionally said to have been dedicated to St John, and granted to the monastery of Inchcolm by Richard Bishop post Brinkell in 1170-75, ceased to be a place of worship about after 1630, and its now ruined Inverkeithing church, dedicated to St Peter, was granted to Dunfermline Abbey by Waldegrave, son of Gasparrus, 1618-82. He was the High Abbot and prior of the church of St Michael, the Holy Blood, St John the Baptist, St Katherine, the Holy R. I., St Laurence, St Ninian, and St Mary. In 1825 the church of Inverkeithing was burned, but the medieval tower and portions of the wall remain. A Friday of the Greyfriars was founded at Inverkeithing, 1320-34. The chapel of Inverkeithing was conveyed to Dunfermline Abbey by Malcolm IV, in 1156. At North Queensferry there is the ruin of a chapel dedicated to St James. It was granted to Dunfermline Abbey by Robert I, 1320-23.

JOHN ANGUS, "prefect monk of Dunfermline prior to the marriage 1592 of David, Earl of Orkney, by the Queen, at the Chapel of Dunfermline 29th Aug. 1592, and installed by the Bishop of St Andrews 23rd Jan. 1593." He also informed when he married on the May 1593, he was parson of Criffel and Newburn, whence he mentioneth also with his son, William, parson of Kirkton, and Stephen, "Reader in the Royal Chapel," 242, *Arch. Soc. Dunfermline*, MS. 1.

JOHN HUTCHISON, minister of Tullyburn 1599—died Oct. 1600, in charge in 1599. [See *Arch. Soc. Dunfermline*, 272.]

PETER BLACKWOOD, minister at Salter 1599 had the oversight of Inverkeithing from 1st Aug. 1599, Aberdeen, Dalziel, and Alford, being also in the charge, his remuneration being £100 Scots, in addition to the parsonage of the five parishes. At this time and apparently up to 1574 Rosyth was under the care of David Birrell, minister of Dufftown, with JOHN BURNS and JOHN CHRISTIAN as readers. [See *Arch. Soc. Dunfermline*, 272.]

JOHN BURNE, reader at Dunfermline 1570—died to Inverkeithing by the Presb. of Dunfermline in 1570, for a time had charge of Dalziel, and in 1574 of Rosyth and Tully with Agnes Anstruther and George Duncan, both formerly chaplains at altars in Inverkeithing Church, readers at Inverkeithing and Rosyth respectively, he was a member of Assembly in 1581; at his instance in 1585 the Lords of Exchequer issued a decree for payment of his stipend against Agnes Leslie, Lady Lochleven, and on 12th Dec. 1586 the Archbishop of St Andrews was put to the horn for not paying the same, he died 1611. He married Beccie Turis, and had issue Isobell, bapt. 29th June 1574, Rachel, born 2nd July 1576. [See *Arch. Soc. Dunfermline*, 272, *Arch. Soc. Dunfermline*, 288, 2.]

ROBERT ROCHE, M.A. (St Andrews 1611—1697), clerk to the Presb. there 22nd March 1608-1609, and was then employed with the Reector, nominated Oct.

1610 by the Archbishop and several brethren of the Synod as assistant to John Burne, then in feeble health, and after the death of the last named, the congregation, 2nd April 1611, craved the Synod that Roche be ord. to the charge; but no provision being made for him, the Synod next day enjoined such to be made within forty days, and this being done, he was ord. 30th July 1611 by the Archbishop of St Andrews, and the members of the Presb. of Dunfermline. At the same time he took charge of the work at Rosyth; soon after he was recommended by the Church Commissioners to be min. at Rosyth, underwent trials before the Bishop of Dunkeld, was approved and received presentation to Rosyth from James VI, 17th Dec. 1611. He was app. Moderator of the Presb. by the Synod 11th April 1613, signed the Protestation for the Liberties of the Kirk 27th June 1617, and on 25th April 1620 was arraigned by the Synod for non compliance with the Five Articles of Perth, and threatened with removal from the ministry if he persisted in his unbending attitude; raised an action for possession of the glebe at Inverkeithing designed in 1630, which action the Lords, 22nd Jan. 1631, decided in his favour; but they refused, 11th Feb. that year, to give him as manse a house built on the glebe. He died 23rd June 1640, aged about 63. He marr. Isobel, daugh. of Matthew Greig, burgess of Inverkeithing, and had issue "ane only bairn," John. [*St. And. Syn.; Dunc. Sess., and Test. Reg. (St. And.); Durie's Dec.; Melville's Autob.; Calderwood's Hist., vii., 256; Banburyne Miscell., iii.; Inverkeithing and Rosyth, 274.]*

WALTER BRUCE, fourth son of Sir 1641 John Bruce of Kincavil, and Jean Drummond; educated at St Andrews Univ.; M.A. (1628); on a crave by the parishioners of Inverkeithing and Rosyth he was app. min. by the Synod; ord. before April 1641; pres. by Charles I, 14th May that year; in 1649 he was suspended, and prior to being reponed had to declare his repentance before the congregation for being part owner of a ship and for indiscretions of language, including an as-

sertion in a sermon "that the spirit of godlines in thir tymes was aye salt humour arysing fra the melt, trubbling the stomach, and ascending to the head, whilk made a cracking of the braine"; later, 26th June 1650, he was deposed by the Presb. of Dunfermline for "gross neglects in the speciale duties of his ministrie"; he made appeal; in Dec. 1652 the Synod on remit from the General Assembly granted him "libertie to preache as he shall be called"; and, 26th April 1653, decreed that the min. of Kinghorn preach at Inverkeithing 26th June following and intimate "the sentence for taking off the censure." Bruce at the time being rebuked and admonished by the Moderator; in 1662 he conformed to Episcopacy and 11th Oct. that year was appointed "Constant Moderator" of the Presb.; died between 20th Feb. and 5th March 1673. He marr. (cont. 29th April and 3rd May 1634) Jean, daugh. of Alexander Menzies of Rotmell; she marr. (2) John Liddell, min. of Scone, and died before 6th May 1691. — [*Durie's Dec.; Melville's Autob.; Banburyne Miscell., iii.; Inverkeithing and Rosyth, 274.*]

ROBERT SCOTT, M.A.; pres. by Charles 1673 11, 17th March 1673; trans. to Canon-gate, Edinburgh, before 28th Nov. 1676; D.D. (St Andrews 6th Nov. 1680). (Cf. Vol. I, 24, and Vol. III, 259.) He marr. (1) Isobel Cullen, and had issue—Charles, bapt. 15th April 1673; Marie, born July 1678; Anna, born May 1680 (marr. William Lyell of Dysart), died at Leith 21st April 1753, leaving a daugh. Barbara, wife of William Law, a min. in Leith; (2) (cont. 1st Nov. 1791) Barbara, daugh. of George Martin, min. at Dundee, and widow of Charles Carnegie, D.D., min. at Farnell and Dean of Brechin, fifth son of Sir Alexander Carnegie of Pitarrow, and had issue

William, died 18th March 1793, aged 11 months.

DAVID LAUDER, M.A. (St Andrews 1676 1662); tutor to the sons of Sir William Stewart of Invernytie; had a testimonial for ordination 16th July 1668; adm. to Aberdalgie 26th Aug. 1668; trans. and adm. between 25th Oct. and 20th Dec.

1680-1681. No record of his death. He married Eliza Gentry, and died at home, 16th April 1700. Buried at Inverkeithing, 18th April 1700. (See also Robert Gordon, *ibid.* p. 105.)

ALFRED CHARTERS, MA, DD, 1692-1702. Born in London, 1692. Educated at Eton College, he was admitted to Jesus College, Cambridge, 1698. His first post was as a tutor at the school of the Earl of Orkney, and he was ordained in 1700. He was appointed by the University of Edinburgh, 10th May 1680, to the chair of Latin, and of the Faculty of 11th April 1700, to the chair of the Faculty of the Law. He was born at Warkworth, Northumbria. On his departure he took with him two silver chalice and paten, dated 1693, which were received by the churchwardens of the burgh of the Sheriff of Northumberland. King George I had recently left Scotland, having been staying in the Queen's Strand Hotel and Park of the University. King and his complaints were made at the annual enquiry in 1701, for which he was called up. In 1701, he was the author of *Warr of Edin*, or the Craigwall Edge, and of *Edinburgh*, 17th April 1701. He married, 17th July 1701, Lukis Graham, died 17th Dec. 1701, who was a protestant widow of 2nd June 1677. He died 17th July 1707, buried at Captain's Lane, Bonhill, Glasgow, 18th July 1707, interred there. Isobel James, daughter of Captain John James, 1706, with Captain John Stewart, 8th Earl of Queensberry, 18th Sept. 1706. *Edinburgh Royal Magazine*, 1706, A. 6. 7. *Private Kirkcaldy Hist.*, 163. W. Brews' *Hist.*, 350. *Architectural Record*, 278-9.

ROBERT HODGE, MA, DD, 1692-1709. Died in London, 1692-1709. Nov. 1692, he was ordained by the General Assembly minister to the church of St Peter, in pursuance in the parish of Inverkeithing, according to the presbyterian way, on a supply-vow from the magistrates, burghsmen, and inhabitants, after Irvine's secession in 1681, and in response to a petition by the magistrates, Town Council, and burghsmen,

to the town and parish of the City of Edinburgh, 4th May 1692, and was granted permission and leave of the magistrates to exercise the work of the ministry in the church of St Peter, in the town of Edinburgh, 1st April 1693. He was received into the General Assembly of Scotland, 1st April 1693. He married Margaret, daughter of Major-General Sir John Maitland of Thirlestane, 2nd April 1693. They had one son, Robert Maitland, 1st Duke of Lauderdale, President of the Court of Session, *etc.* See also *Architectural Record*, 278-9.

CHARLES CHARTERS, MA, DD, 1692-1702. Charles Charters, MA, DD, 1692-1702. Born in London, 1692. Educated at Eton College, Cambridge, 1698. His first post was as a tutor at the school of the Earl of Orkney, and he was appointed by the University of Edinburgh, 10th May 1680, to the chair of Latin, and of the Faculty of 11th April 1700, to the chair of the Law. He married, 17th July 1700, Margaret, daughter of Sir John Kirkpatrick, of Fordbridge, and daughter of Sir John Kirkpatrick, the Rector, and had three sons, William, of Salsbury, and John Kirkpatrick, 17th Dec. 1701, of Johnstone, 17th April 1702, and David, 27th July 1702, of Johnstone, 17th April 1702. They were buried in the Kirk of the Marquess, 17th March 1702. Sir John David Kirkpatrick of Salsbury, son of Charles Charters, which he received from William, his brother, and Sir Walter of His Majesty's Customs in Scotland, *Edinburgh Royal Magazine*, 1706, A. 6. 7. *Architectural Record*, 278-9.

THOMAS CHARTERS, DD, 1702-1733. Thomas Charters, DD, 1702-1733, son of preceding, educated at University Edinburgh, licentiate Presb., 16th Sept. 1733; but previously, 18th Jan. 1727, while a student, had received permission from the Presb. of Edinburgh, to assist

his father in visiting and catechising, ord. assistant and successor) 28th Oct. 1731; the patron, General George Preston of Valleyfield, agreeing to present him to the parish if he survived his father; this promise he fulfilled 6th Sept. 1733; died 13th Feb. 1744. He marr. 10th Feb. 1737, Christian, eldest daugh. and one of the heirs of James Wardlaw of Lusear, one of the mins. of Dunfermline, and had issue: Samuel, D.D., min. of Wilton, Hawick; Margaret (marr. 21st May 1763, Henry Hunter, D.D., min. of the Second Charge, South Leith); Jean, born 30th March 1738 (marr. James Hardy of the Leith Customs, died 24th April 1807). [Semerville's *Funeral Sermon on Charters*; Conolly's *Edinburgh Biogr.*; Fraser's *Life of Ralph Erskine*; *Inverkeithing and Rosyth*, 281.]

ALLAN BUCHANAN, born Culross, 1744, 5th Oct. 1722, son of John Ba, bldie of Culross and Hannah Kirk; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Dunfermline 17th March 1744; chaplain to General Preston of Valleyfield, by whom he was pres. 15th Aug. 1744; ord. 8th Nov. 1744; died unmarr. 8th March 1749. He was of delicate constitution. Publication: *Sermons on Interesting Subjects* (Edinburgh, 1791). [Culross Sess. Reg.; *Sermons: Inverkeithing and Rosyth*, 281; *Biogr. of West Fife*, 29.]

ANDREW RICHARDSON, son of John R., farmer, Blackdykes, East Lothian; licen. by Presb. of Dunbar 2nd Jan. 1731; ord. to Broughton 5th March 1735; pres. by Captain Philip Anstruther, 26th Aug. 1749. A month previously the Town Council (which had twice laid claim to the patronage without any warrant) and the Kirk Session approached the Presb. craving "a hearing" of certain other persons. This led to lengthy and bitter disputes before the Church Courts, but finally the General Assembly ordered the Presb. to proceed to induction on 18th June 1752. R. died in Edinburgh, 25th Dec. 1790. Notwithstanding the opposition and obloquy which he encountered, he was an admirable parish min., a good preacher, and a scholar of repute. During his incumbency

not a few of those who had seceded returned to his ministry. He marr. 10th Sept. 1737, Janet (died 5th Oct. 1789), daugh. of George Anderson of Windygoull, North Berwick, and had issue: John, born 24th July 1738, died 19th June 1753; George, born 26th March 1740, died 28th Jun. 1760; Richard, merchant, Edinburgh, born 14th Jan. 1742; David, born 5th Sept. 1744, died 10th Feb. 1757. Publications: *A Free and an Arbitrary Government Compared, in two Sermons* (Edinburgh, 1736); *Reasons of Dissent from the Sentence and Resolution of the . . . General Assembly . . . concerning the Conflict of the Presbytery of Dunfermline, &c.* (Edinburgh, 1752); *The Necessity, Usefulness, and Importance of Social Worship and Public Instruction, with a Dissertation on Positive Institutions* (Edinburgh, 1759). [Broughton Sess. Reg.; *Sots. Mag.*, xiv.; Morison's *Annals*, i, 262; Monereiff's *Life of Erskine*; *Acts of Ass.* 1750-2; Buchanan's *Ten Years' Conflict*, xi.; *Report on Church Patronage: Inverkeithing and Rosyth*, 284-7, where an account is given of R.'s settlement; *Biogr. of West Fife*, 233-7.]

ANDREW ROBERTSON, born Kinghorn, 1758; became schoolmaster of Culross; licen. by the Presb. 24th Nov. 1784; pres. by Sir William Erskine of Terry, Bart., 23rd May 1791 (opposition was made to his settlement, but this was set aside by the General Assembly 23rd May 1792); ord. 8th Aug. 1792; died 14th May 1845. He marr. 30th Nov. 1795, Agnes Robertson, who died at Portobello, 9th June 1862, aged 86, and had issue: Andrew, professor of chemistry, Calcutta, born 15th Feb. 1797; Margaret, born 9th April 1799; Jane, born 9th April 1801; Agnes, born 15th Aug. 1803 (marr. John Ferguson, min. of Bower); Robert, solicitor, Calcutta, born 28th June 1805; John, S.S.C., Edinburgh, born 23rd May 1807; Isabella, born 6th July 1810 (marr. William Hay, merchant); William, born 3rd June 1812; Alexander, born 5th May 1814, died at Edinburgh, 25th May 1831; Janet (twin), born 5th May 1814 (marr. David Lindsay Foggo, min. of Abercrombie). Publications: Accounts

of the Faculty of Law at St. Andrews, and A. S. GOODFELLOW, Esq., LL.B., of the Faculty of Law.

HENRY MACMILLAN, born Feb. 13, 1845—March 18, 1873, buried from St. Matthew's Church, Edinburgh, 1873. Lucy Baird, his widow, died 1st July 1873, buried St. Paul's Church, Edinburgh, 1st July 1873. A. H. ROBERTSON, D.D., of Glasgow, died 1st June 1873. His wife died his widow, 1873. They were not uniformly successful in their publications. [See also *Inverkloofing*, &c.]

JAMES MACKAY, M.A., born from 1854, the New Parish, Ardrosson, 1854, by the Presbytery of Ardrosson, suspended, excommunicated, by his member of Parliament, of the church, and died 29th Jan. 1873, buried in Blackfriars Parish, Glasgow, 10th Nov. 1873.

ALEXANDER MACGREGOR, born 1893—died 1st Dec. 1873, buried from 1873, son and heir of Hugh MacGregor, educated at Univ. of Glasgow, B.A., 1869, M.A., 1871, licensed by Presby. of Glasgow with Jan. 1871, ord. to H. of G. 17th Mar. 1871, transferred to Edinburgh 1872, died 21st May 1873. He married 19th July 1870, Eliza Sinclair, who died at Glasgow 29th Aug. 1882, aged 37, and had three children. Sinclair, born April 1870, died 21st Feb. 1877, Edinburgh, 18th March 1878, died 23rd Dec. 1873. [See also *Inverkloofing*, &c.]

JOHN GLENDDINNING, ROBERT SON, born Chel. 1st Aug. 1872, died 1873, of Fife, Fife, Scotland, son of Thomas Glendinning, Druggist, of Bishopbriggs, Renfrewshire, educated at Fife County High School, Kirkcaldy, M.A., 1866, incorporated in the Faculty of Divinity, Edinburgh Univ., B.D., 1869, licensed by Presby. of Tantallon, St. Paul's Parish,

Edinburgh, 1870, died 1st July 1873, New York, 1st July 1873, buried from 1st July 1873, by the Presby. of Edinburgh. He devoted a great deal of attention, and the energy of his life, to the promotion of the interest of Free Churchmen. A. H. ROBERTSON, D.D., of Glasgow, died 1st June 1873. His wife died his widow, 1873. They were not uniformly successful in their publications. [See also *Inverkloofing*, &c.]

DONALD FERGUSON, born at Terregles, near Hawick, Scotland, Registration, 1863—died 1st March 1879, son of Samuel Ferguson, Farmer, educated at Stanley L. C. S. & L. Stirling High Sch. of Univ. of Edinburgh, M.A., April 1891, and St. Andrews, licenced by Pres. of St. Andrews May 1891, as Deacon, First Charge, St. Andrews, May 1892, A.M., 1893, and North Leith, April 1893, to March 1894, ord. 10th March 1894, died unmarried, 12th July 1897. Fullerton, A. 87, *h. of M. & M. Macgregor, or the late Rev. Prof. Donald Ferguson, M.A., Minister of the Parish of Flockton, Fife, and author of his Essays, Poems, Sermons, &c., &c.* J. G. & C. L. Kelly Esq., brother, Robert Ferguson, Fergusson, D.D., man of Kirk Paisley, 1898. [See also *Inverkloofing*, &c.]

WILLIAM STEPHEN, born Dundee, 1807—died 29th May 1868, son of Alexander Stephen, and Margaret Anderson, educated at Old Deer Park Sch. & L. Grammar School, Old Aberdeen, Aberdeen Univ., M.A., 1861, B.D., 1867, and Aberdeen Univ., Germany, student mission, 1867, at Pittertoun, Old Deer, April to Oct. 1862, licensed by Pres. of Aberdeen May 1864, *Curate of Rosemount Parish, Aberdeen, temporary assistant, Second Charge, Old Minster Cathedral, and assistant to South Parish, Aberdeen, April 1865 to Dec. 1867, and 10th Dec. 1867, Marr, 1st July 1868, Alexandria Dimler, elder daughter of William Milne, merchant and shipowner, Aberdeen, and Anna Petrie, who has issue, William Douglas Milnes, and Capt. Turk Corps, 1848, assistant C.E., L. & N.E. Rail. Coy., born 13th Feb. 1866, Graham Milne, paper maker, born*

27th May 1901; Ranald Dunbar, born 2nd Feb. 1907. Publications—*Fortifications of the Upper Forth*; *Fortifications of Inchkeith*; *Inchcolm and Wair*; *Russia's Allies from the Forth*; *Rosyth*; *The Battle of Inverkeithing*; *Notes on National Service*; *Barnbougle*. Episodes in the Sixteenth Century (being Articles in “The Searchlight,” the Unofficial Organ of the Forth Defences, 1915-16); *Memories of the Battle of Jutland at an East Coast Naval Port*; *Notes on the Scottish Navy* (being Articles in *The Craigleath Hospital Chronicle*, April to Dec. 1917); *History of Inverkeithing and Rosyth* (Aberdeen, 1921); *Register of the Consultations of the Ministers of Edinburgh and Some Other Brethren of the Ministry*, 1652-7, with Introduction, vol. i. Scottish History Society, Edinburgh, 1921.)

SECOND CHARGE.

ROBERT ECHLINE, born 1576, third son of Henry E. of Pittadro in 1601 in the parish; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (31st May 1596); was probably colleague here in 1601; promoted to Bishopric of Down and Connor 14th March 1613, and on 18th May that year was made a free denizen of Ireland; died at Ardpit 17th July 1635. From him are descended the Echlines of Clough, Kildare. [Ware's *Works*, i.; Reid's *Ireland*, i., 186; *Reg. Privy Council*, vii., 651; *Inverkeithing and Rosyth*, 294; *G. R. Inhib.*, xxx., 2.]

ROSYTH MISSION, INVERKEITHING AND ROSYTH.

[In April and May 1916 the Home Mission Committees of the Church of Scotland and the United Free Church, with consent of the respective General Assemblies, agreed to carry on work jointly for a time at Rosyth, each church in turn to supply a min. for six months. The work was inaugurated on 12th Nov. 1916 by Matthew Scott Dickson, M.A., min. of Old Monkland, who conducted services in the Douglas Block, Castle Road, Rosyth, and subse-

quently in the temporary school on the west side of the Garden City, and later in the Church of Scotland Temporary Naval Church, Castle Road, which was ready for use in February 1917. Mr Dickson's period of office terminated at the close of April 1917, and other Church of Scotland mins. who officiated under the joint scheme were (Nov. 1917 to April 1918), William Ogilvy Duncan, M.A., min. of Clarkston, and (Nov. 1918 to April 1919) John Muir, B.D., min. of Yester. The joint scheme involved also the finding of a site for a church in the Garden City, on which a temporary church was built according to plans by Peter Macgregor Chalmers, LL.D., Glasgow, and opened on 27th June 1917. In 1919 a further agreement was made whereby the Church of Scotland took over the work at Rosyth, the church and site becoming the property of the Home Mission Committee. Thereafter the work was carried on for a time by (1) George Campbell, M.A. (September 1919 to May 1920), min. of St Ninian's Mission Church, Edinburgh, and (2) William Lindsay Gordon, B.D. (June to August 1920), who became min. of Yetholm. From August 1920 Rosyth has been a recognised mission station.]

MATTHEW WELSH NEILSON, M.A., B.D.; ord. to South Bridge 1920 Street U.F. Church, Airdrie, 1915; adm. in 1920 min. of the Church of Scotland; app. 25th July 1920, and began duties 3rd Aug. following; res. Nov., and adm. to St Matthew's Parish, Dundee, 17th of same month.

GEORGE SCANLAN, born Dreghorn, 1920 Ayrshire, 5th Sept. 1872, eldest son of William S., and Margaret Baird Cunningham; educated at Dreghorn Public School, privately, Glasgow University, and Scottish Congregational Theological Hall, Edinburgh; Congregational min. at Nairn 1902-4, Falkirk 1904-16; chaplain to Forces in France 1916-20; attached to 12th Royal Sussex and to Royal Air Force; adm. to Church of Scotland in 1919, and ord. by Presb. of Edinburgh as Army chaplain 4th June that year; mentioned in despatches; app. Hon.

C. L. appointed 14th Nov. 1842, transferred to Ballyarry, 1st Feb. 1844. Minister 1863. His son the Minister James, died 1st Dec. of Kinnaird, May 1869. H. ELLIS, Presb. of Nairn, succeeded 1st June. Minister born 27th Dec. 1808. W. C. Clark ordained 1st April 1841. George Henry, 2nd July 1842. N. J. Andrew, born 20th Dec. 1843.

JAMES MARSHALL, son of John Marshall, Edinburgh, and nephew of Lord Shee of Dunfermline, educated at Dumbarton Academy, Dunfermline High School, and Univ. of St. Andrews, M.A. 1810, B.D. 1813. He was by Presb. of Dunfermline 1813, assistant at Gashill, East West St. Giles, Edinburgh, served in R.G.A. in Egyptian War, ord. 10th April 1823.

MOSSGREEN (Q.S.)

A church was built in 1852 and dedicated in 1857. Mossgreen became a chap. of ease in 1859. The parish was separated from Aberdeenshire, District, Inverkeithing, Dunfermline, 13th June 1879.]

JAMES YOUNG, B.A., "presently officiating at Mossgreen," was by 1854 the first as a preacher within the bounds (ibid. Dec. 1854).

ROBERT THOMSON, ord. 8th Nov. 1860, transferred to Caledonian Chapel, Newcastle-on-Tyne, 27th Nov. 1862, presb. to Queen'sberry in 1871. Rev. Prof. was raised to minister afterwards name of Ladywell, Charing Cross, now — Cf. Vol. III, p. 406. Translation *Lectures on Some Aspects of Religious Philosophy and Practical Theology*, 1860. Appendix, "Notes on the Life of Robert Thomson," Glasgow, 1871.

ROBERT MARKLAND, born 1803, St.ewarton, Ayr, Presb. of C. of 1833. James Marshall, died at Glasgow Univ., M.A. 1818, ord. 8th July 1833, res. 17th Nov. 1837, having received an appointment in Presbyterian Church, New South

Wales, where he stayed at Sydney, Ffynnon-y-Cwmwd, and Wellington, on board ship to Australia Dec. 1837.

DAVID MILLAR, M.A., B.D., LL.B., born 1817, May 1841, transferred to Liverpool, 1842. Keighley, 1st Nov. 1860.

ROBERT ROBERTSON, ord. 2nd June 1870. Presb. of C. of 23rd Aug. 1876.

JOHN NASHMYTH, ord. 22d Dec. 1856, 1876, and 1st minister of the parish (ibid. 1877). Presb. of C. of 29th Sept. 1878.

JOHN CLARK, son of Donald Street, Belfast, son of John Clark, M.D., and Margaret Gray Burns, Ballywell, further educated at Queen's University, Ireland, M.A. 1872, word to Dumbarton Presbyterian Church, Ireland, 19th May 1873, who admitted Church of Scotland as an ordained minister in 1879, and came to this charge 2nd July that year, B.D. The legal Faculty of the Irish Presbyterian Church in 1879, res. 13th Nov. 1877. Mar. 9th Sept. 1885, Margaret Gordon, daughter of Alexander Mitchell, B.D., min. of North Parish, Dumbarton, and res. 1884. Margaret Gordon Gray Burns, born 17th July 1886 (mar. in 1899) Andrew Wilson, John Alexander Murray Mitchell, M.B., Ch.B., Edinburgh 1845, born 18th April 1833, entered the Army as a surgeon, and was killed during Scinde 18th Nov. 1856; James Hey Chalmers, born 19th March 1856, M.A., Edinburgh 1875, M.B., Ch.B., Edinburgh 1871, and later in the same year graduated in Diplomacy, Tropical Diseases, D.P.H., 1872, served in France as Lieutenant R.G.A., Publications, A. Price, Liverpool, A. L. T. and G. Quiggin, National Equitable Society, Liverpool, 1874. Dumbarton 1875, Professor of Moral Philosophy, in the Arts in the "Belfast University," 1st Aug. 1882.

ALFRED JOHN KESTING, born Liverpool 1843, 27th Oct. 1874, son of Ernest Kestling, organist, educated at Univ. of Aberdeen, M.A. 1864, B.D. 1875, licent. by Presb. of Inverness May 1877, assistant at

West Parish, Aberdeen, May 1897 to Jan. 1898; ord. 13th Jan. 1898 (by Presb. of Inverness) as missionary in Nyasaland; res. in 1901; *locum tenens* at Maleddler and Leslie, Fife, 1902-3; in charge of St John's Mission, Kirkealdy, May 1903 to Oct. 1908; adm. to St Fittick's Chapel of Ease, Aberdeen, 8th Oct. 1908; res. Dec. 1910; min. of the Scots Church, Paris, Jan. 1911 to August 1918; called by the Presb. *jure devoluto* and adm. 11th Sept. 1918; Marr. 28th Dec. 1910, Frances Cumming, daugh. of Lewis Grant, Kirkealdy.

SALINE.

[Previous to the Reformation the church was "ane common Kirk of Dunkeld." In 1890 a considerable part of the area of the parish of Saline was added to Torryburn. In return, the lands of Bonnington, Cult-mill, Cults, Hallcroft, Hallburn, Hillend, Hillside, Meadowland, Pow, and Wellwood were taken from Torryburn and annexed to Saline. The present church was built in 1810. Many of the inscribed stones of the old church have been built into the house of Devonview in the parish.]

PETER BLACKWOOD, formerly a monk of Holyrood Abbey, and had 1587 a pension of £10; Aberdour, Dalgety, Inverkeithing, and Auchtertool were also in his charge in 1567; pres. by James VI, 30th June 1568; removed to Aberdour about 1571.

JAMES BLACKWOOD, reader; adm. 25th Dec. 1567; dep. by the General 1587 Assembly 25th Oct. 1577, for celebrating the marriage of Robert Pitcairn, Commendator of Dunfermline, and Eupheme Murray, widow of Robert Stewart of Rosyth, "without testimoniall of the minister of the parish where they made residence"; became min. and parson of Sanquhar soon after, and continued there 12th April 1582; returned to Saline and was min. before June-July 1584, when he and others were charged with burning the house of Nether Kinneddar; probably removed soon after, and on 11th Aug. 1590 as "sometime

minister at Saline," he appears in a list of "abusers of the Sacraments." [See *Syn. of Fife*, 240; Calderwood's *Hist.*, iv., 386; *Inverkeithing and Rosyth*, 189; *Reg. Privy Council*, 12th April 1582, 10th July 1584, 11th Aug. 1590.]

JAMES STEWART, probably son of John S., servitor to James, Lord 1591 Bonnie; had a gift of the teinds of Meikil Dysart, extending to £30 for his support at the schools for seven years, 25th Dec. 1583; min. at Carnock about 1584; pres. to the vicarage of Saline by James VI, 18th Nov. 1584, and also to the parsonage and vicarage of Saline by His Majesty 17th May 1587; removed from Carnock to Saline about 1589-90; was named by the King a member of the Assembly in 1610; was still min. 17th April 1624, but was dead in 1627. He marr. (1) Alison, daugh. of Andrew Stewart, and had issue—Harry; (2) Elizabeth Doig, and had issue—Margaret (marr. Patrick Scobie in Sandlands); Elizabeth (marr. John Thomson in Saline); Jean (marr. Walter Glendinning); Helen; Rebecca. [Epis. Brech., ii.; *Eccles. Bk.*; Calderwood's *Hist.*, v., 268, vi., 603, vii., 106; *Moray Writs, Box* iv., 810, 35; *Reg. of Deeds*, xlvi., 65, 436, 1st Nov. 1630, 27th Nov. 1623, 533 f., 260, 215 f., 425.]

ANDREW LEARMONT, M.A.; min. 1626 of Saline 6th April 1626; manifestly identical with Andrew Learmonth, M.A., the son of Andrew L. of Baleomic and Birkhill, who was pres. to Liberton in 1627. [Dunf. Par. Reg., 6th April 1626. See Vol. I., 171.]

JOHN DUNCAN, M.A.; min. in 1629; 1629 trans. to Culross in 1632.

THOMAS COUPER, M.A.; adm. prior 1634 to 21st June 1634; trans. to Menmuir before 2nd April 1639.

WILLIAM MARSHALL, far of Pitcairns; educated at Univ. of St 1639 Andrews; M.A. (1622); became schoolmaster and min. of Second Charge, Brechin, in conjunction, 1633; trans. and adm. before 2nd April 1639; he is said to have committed suicide 25th July 1649,

and son 1648. He married Robert Clark who died 1647, and had issue Robert, David, Niel, & Catherine, marr. Gavin Alexander Wester Edinburgh. Alexander died 1650. [See also Lamont's *Douglas* (1866), *Baldwin's Hist. Brit.* (1866), *Porter's Hist. Eng.* (1873), *Roxburghe MSS.* (x. 318).]

JAMES OLIPHANT, a native of 1650 St. Andrews, educated at Univ. of St. Andrews, M.A. 1643, called to the Kirk, and adm. 16th Oct. 1650, died before 26th March 1656. He married and had issue George, preacher of the Kirk in 1700. [Lamont's *Douglas*, *Elliott's MSS.*, *Perkins' Rec.* (b. 66), *Rec.* (b. 88), 12th Feb. 1692, *Rec.* (b. 94), 2d March 1700.]

JOHN ANDERSON, M.A., called before 26th July, and adm. 28th 1659 Dec. 1660, trans. to Fife by 26th Jan. 1664.

JAMES LINDSAY, brother of David 1664, b. of Cargill, educated at Univ. of St. Andrews, M.A. 1645, admitted Kirk Edinburgh 16th May 1651, pres. and colleague George, Bishop of Dunkeld, trans. and called 29th March 1664, died May 1674, aged about 30. He married Aug. 1658, Jean, died after 16th Feb. 1700. [He had eight of John Thornton, Radolphine, Ffarfshire, and had issue William, served him 2d Aug. 1675, John, deceased elder son in 1691. [See also Lamont's *Douglas*, *Aug. Rec.* (c. 1829), *Gen. Rec.* (86), lxxvii. 22, *Rec.* (b. 94), *Mack.* 2d July 1710, Hunter's *Douglas*, *Douglas* (26).]

JOHN JOHNSTONE of Wardmuirhead 1694, son of David Jr. of Wardmuirhead, educated at Marischal Coll. in Aberdeen, adm. to Kirk before 3rd Oct. 1692, trans. at Fife between 27th May 1693 and 27th Sept. 1694, was accused of being too much affected to Episcopacy, and of recommending a superstitions and erroneous book, *The Whole Dougl. of Munro*, but was deposed, it is said, for "scandal," he died at the time of the Revolution. He married Mary Haliburton. [Kettles MSS.,

Heg. Rec. (86), 1690, *Sages Burris*, i. 1, Sch. Spec. (Type 230), *Gen. Rec.* (17), 5th July 1689.]

JOHN WYLIE, M.A., called in Aug. 1695, and ord. 19th Sept. 1696, trans. to 1696 Crichton Edinburgh April 1700.

PATRICK HENDERLEATH, born 1701 19th June 1696, son and exec. of David I. of Kyle, Kirk Edinburgh, winter Etan, and served at Edinburgh Univ. M.A. 28th April 1696, licensed by the Presb. there in 1699, called 2nd July, and ord. 31st Dec. 1701, died 1st fever at Fordoun 2d Jan. 1715, and is said to have affected piety and humility, ministered, and in the heat of frequently going done to pray in his church. A certain piety said of him, "I never knew a man in whom more of the Lord's image shined, and another said,

He saw a man	like a	man	of	63
He saw a man	like a	man	of	63
He saw a man	like a	man	of	63
He saw a man	like a	man	of	63
He saw a man	like a	man	of	63

He marr. Jean, died 13th Aug. 1739, daughter of James Rymer, one of the minis. of St. Andrews, and had issue David, min. of Telbooth, Edinburgh, Benjamin, apprenticed to a WS. in 1732. [Monroe's *Rec.*; Fraser's *Lif. of Ralph Erskine*, 87, *Chetham's Rec.*, R. 1.]

JOHN BRYCE, born 1677, chaplain to the Laird of Leithan, licens'd by 1716 Presb. of Fife 23rd July 1711; called 17th Oct. 1715, ord. 8th Feb. 1716, died 27th Jan. 1731. He marr. 1. 28th Sept. 1713, Elizabeth, daughter of James West, baker, Edinburgh, widow of Gavin Weir, merchant burgess of Edinburgh, + 2. 22th Dec. 1716, Margaret Kerr, widow of Thomas Kerr, goldsmith, Edinburgh, and had issue one child, Elizabeth (marr. 1734, David Dempster of Wester Newton Kircist. [T. M. S., Fraser's *Lif. of Ralph Erskine*, 87, *Chetham's Rec.*, R. 1.]

DAVID HUNTER, born 1698, licens'd by Presb. of Dunfermline 7th June 1727; 1732 called by the Presb. *pure devolutio-* 18th Nov. 1731, ord. 26th Jan. 1732, he

would not consent to the enrolment of Robert Stark, min. of Kinross, as a member of Presb. in 1733, though he had been ord. to his charge in the previous year, he was also one of the fifteen mins. who dissented from the sentence of the General Assembly deposing the eight seceders 15th May 1710; he would not obey the orders of either the Commission or General Assembly for the admission of Andrew Richardson to Inverkeithing in 1752, and was accordingly one of the three suspended "from the exercise of his office in all Presbyteries, Synods, or Assemblies till 1st June 1765, he, and the others, having since behaved with all due submission, and lived in good correspondence with their brethren." He died FATHER OF THE CHURCH 6th May 1792. He marr. 9th June 1737, Margaret (died 5th July 1785), daugh. of Samuel Charters, min. of Inverkeithing, and had issue—Robert, born 10th July 1739, died May 1760; Margaret, born 20th Feb. 1741 (marr. Alexander Colvill, min. of Ormiston); Samuel, born 1st Sept. 1744, died Oct. 1767. [*Acts of Ass.*, 1733, 1752, 1753, 1765; *Fraser's Life of Ralph Erskine*; *Moncreiff's Life of Erskine*.]

WILLIAM FORFAR, born 1757; licen. by Presb. of Dunfermline 26th March 1793 1788; became schoolmaster of Carnbee; pres. by George III. 26th Sept. 1792; ord. 24th Jan. 1793; died 24th Nov. 1844. He marr. 14th March 1794, Maxwell Bethune, who died 14th Nov. 1832, and had issue—Janet, born 23rd Jan. 1795 (marr. 2nd Dec. 1831, Alexander Duffus Robertson, schoolmaster, Saline); Helen, born 4th July 1796 (marr. 13th June 1823, Alexander Forfar, Orwell, died 9th April 1825); Margaret, born 11th Sept. 1797, died 29th March 1798; Margaret, born 13th Dec. 1800 (marr. 1st Dec. 1826, William Fotheringham in Saline). Publication—*Account of the Parish* (*Sinclair's Stat. Acc.*, x.).

PETER MORRISON, born 1806, son of John M., landed proprietor, and 1843 Catherine Yeats; studied at St Andrews Univ.; adm. (assistant and successor) 4th Aug. 1843; died 22nd Dec.

1881. He marr. (1) 12th Nov. 1845, Anne died 27th Feb. 1865, daugh. of James Gentle, farmer, Methill; (2) 4th July 1877, Christian Hunt died 26th May 1878, only daugh. of James Macfarlane, writer, Dunfermline.

ALEXANDER STEWART WILLIAMS, born 19th Dec. 1846, son of Alexander W., min. of Dundonald; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Ayr 2nd Feb. 1870; ord. (assistant and successor) 10th Oct. 1877; res. 5th July 1900; died 19th June 1920. He marr. Isabella Stewart.

[WILLIAM FINDLAY; assistant to Sir William Thomson (Lord 1886 Kelvin, Professor of Natural Philosophy, Glasgow; ord. under the Bellhaven Act in 1886; died in Edinburgh, 22nd April 1917. He marr. Margaret Husband (died 16th Oct. 1914), daugh. of William Dawson MacRitchie, surgeon, H.E.I.C.S., and widow of Alexander Webster, min. of St David's, Edinburgh. Publications—*The Charters of Kilmurus* (Kilmarnock, 1874; *The Tom Kirk, Edinburgh*, a lecture Edin., 1879.)]

KENNETH DANIEL MCLAREN, trans. from Ruthrieston, Aberdeen, 1900 and adm. 29th Nov. 1900; trans. to Cadzow 17th May 1906.

JOHN MACARA, born Partick, Glasgow, 17th Feb. 1870, son of Thomas M.; educated at Glasgow Univ.; M.A. 1890, B.D. 1892; licen. by Presb. of Glasgow in 1892; assistant at Dalmarnock, Glasgow, May to Oct. 1892; ord. by Presb. of Edinburgh, 16th Oct. 1892 missionary of the Scottish Universities Mission, Sikkim, India (1892-1902); assistant at Park Parish, Glasgow, 1903 (t); adm. here 13th Sept. 1906. Marr. 23rd Nov. 1901, Jean Gordon, second daugh. of W. C. Gordon Barkley, and has issue—Thomas Gordon, born 26th Sept. 1908.

TORRYBURN AND CROMBIE.

[Almost from the Reformation the churches of Torryburn and Crombie were associated, and in 1622 the parishes were

the Kirk of Cromble, and a
few months later he was sent to
work at Marischal College, and that
was followed by his being the Kirk of
Cromble's minister until his peculiar
death at Cromble late Aug. 1630,
and shortly thereafter. Before
dying he had a fall, and it is said
that he was buried in Cromble, but
it is also reported that he was
buried in the church of the Church of
Toryburn, County of Fife, mentioned
in the next section.

JOHN HENDERSON formerly a monk
of St. Andrews, May 1567, man of Cromble
1567, man of Toryburn being locum
tenens, transferred to Inverkeithing in
1570.

EDWARD BRUCE, born 1570, second
son of Edward Bruce of Blairhall,
1574. M.A., living at this time of
Toryburn, 15th May 1574, was still in
Scotland in 1592, located Laird Kinross
in 1604, Laird of Balnagask in 1611, marr. Magdalene
daughter of Sir Alexander Clerk of Balnagask.
[*Act. of Parl.*, 1611, 343, xxvi, 311.]

WILLIAM LAWSON, reader at Tory
burn 1574. At this time John
1574 Burn, man of Inverkeithing, had
variolous pockes.

WILLIAM HOME, man of Cromble,
1585, with Tory also under his care
was also Master of the Grammar
School for a year of Cawdor, holding this
office by confirmation before 28th
Jan. 1611, one between 13th July and
1st Oct. 1615. He married and had issue
John and Robert, the former of whom
was buried in Cromble, rebuked for his failure
to appear before the Privy Council in 1617
to answer a charge of a wilful design with
others to injure Sir James Stewart, 8th
Earl of Argyll, Provost of Ayr, & *Post Reg.*
1617, 17th Dec. 1618. His son Robert
Post Reg. 1617, 12th July 1619.

ROBERT THOMSON, man of Mar
1615, died in 1612, transferred to
1615 Oct. 1615, prior to Cromble, and to
Toryburn and Cromble by James VI, 6th

Aug. 1616, due to the visitation of Tory
burn and Cromble both Dec. 1615, that year
the Synod of Perth held 1616, ordered him
to present at Perth every Sabbath in
former to before the Commissioners of
Parliament. He died 14th Sept. 1618.
He had a Christian Clerk, who survived
him and became his successor, Sept. 1619
Elected to Blairhall, Sept. 1619, Aug. 1623
transferred Murray, successor to St. Andrews.
Murray died Sept. 1623. He had a son, James,
James, Kyn, marr'd to Glenfarg, and 2
Robert Murray, marr'd to Balnagask, and 2
Robert, Sept. 1619, *Post Reg.* 1619, 172.
[*Post Reg.* 1619, 172.]

JAMES SIBBALD, probably eldest son
of James S. of Kyn, marr'd Ben
1629. Educated at Univ. of St
Andrews, M.A., 2nd July 1611, as Head
Master at Dunfermline before 21st April
1618, and onwards, in succession to William
Smyther, formerly a monk of the Abbey
and chaplain of St. Katherine's Almshouse,
died 18th March 1620, was a member of
the General Assembly 1638, and of the
Commission of Assembly 1637-7, con-
firmed to Episcopacy in 1632. He died
April 1637, and at 70. He left 200
marks for the use of the schoolmaster, and
100 marks were ordered to be distributed
among the poor of Toryburn the day after
his burial, "his own friends being first
looked to." He marr'd 1. Isobel Rowstoun
who died soon after 17th Jan. 1616, and
had issue John, Sept. 1616, 1619,
Jan. 1620, Sept. 1618, Elizabeth,
Sept. 1619, Oct. 1624, Margaret, Sept. 1619
April 1620, Gellie, Sept. 1618, George, Sept. 1619, 2. 17th
Dec. 1617, Janet McIlrath, who survived
him, and had issue Robert, *Post Reg.*
1619, 172, also *Post Reg.* 1619, 172, 1620,
1621, 1622, 1623, 1624, 1625, 1626, 1627.
[*Post Reg.* 1619, 172, 1620, 1621, 1622, 1623, 1624, 1625, 1626, 1627.]
Woodroffe, *Hist.* 1, 328. Elements
Post Reg. 1619, 172, vii, 127. *Gen. Reg.*
1619, 172, xli, 170, xlv, 467. *Post Reg.*
1619, 172, xviii, 295.]

JAMES AIRD, born about 1625 [in the 1668 *Ante-Death Life of Sir Robert Sibbald,* *H.D.*] A. is said to be aged 68 in 1664, but this is manifestly an error for 38, son of John A., min. of Newcastle; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (30th July 1656); app. session clerk of Newcastle 13th May 1647; ord. to Ingram near Glanton, Northumberland, but was ejected by the Act of Uniformity 24th Aug. 1662. He returned to Scotland and resided for a time in Edinburgh. One of his friends and correspondents was Robert Leighton (afterwards Archbishop, who recommended him for several appointments). On 5th March 1661, Leighton wrote to his brother, Sir Elisha L., in favour of A., as "one acquainted with my free thoughts, and that hath himself a free unprejudiced soul, and loves truth and devotion wheresoever he finds it. He hath a cell and a provision amon'gst the hills in the borders of England, but is threatened with a removal upon the title of an old incumbent, who is at London or near it. If you be acquainted with Dr Cozens, Bishop of Durham, or can recommend him to him by anyone that is, if he himself desire it, or if in any other way you can assist him, I entreat it of you." On 22nd Sept. 1662, the heirs of Straiton were asked to favour A. for that parish but without success; pres. to this charge by Alexander, Earl of Kincardine, and adm. 15th July 1668. In 1670 he was one of the six "Bishop's Evangelists" app. to preach to the Presbyterians within the diocese of Glasgow, the Archbishop specially desiring A. to "bestow his pains in that circuit that lies eastward from Hamilton, or thereabouts, and particularly in the Kirk of Carluk;" not doubting that the minister thereof, and others in the like case, will very gladly receive and earnestly intreat what help he can do towards the bringing of their people to frequent the public ordinances, and the removing of their prejudices and calming of their passions, that they may with one heart worship that one Lord whom we all profess to love and honour." He was dep. by the Privy Council 18th Oct. 1689, for neither reading the Proclamation of the Estates, nor

praying for William and Mary, left for King James, "our natural Prince, that God would comfort him in the day of his distress, and send back that tyrant King William (who had come to invade these lands, with a hook in his jaws)." He died unmarr. June 1701. Wodrow describes him as "a man of strong affections for piety and virtue, and of a simple and chaste life, and, according to his power, charitable to the poor in an eminent degree. At his own expence the bridge near Toryburn church was built. Kirkton says that because A. imitated Leighton's "hng and grimace" he was called "Leighton's Ape." This language no doubt merely reflects the bitterness of the times. [Hutchinson's *Northumberland*; Wodrow's *Ant.*, i., 135; Sibbald's *Hist. of Fife*, 291; Butler's *Life and Letters of Robert Leighton*, 251-64, 399 *et seq.*, 481-4, 503-4; Kirkton's *Hist.*, 294.]

ALLAN LOGAN of that Ilk, called 1695 19th Jan., and ord. 24th July 1695; trans. to Culross 17th July 1717.

JOHN HEPBURN, called 19th Sept., 1717 and ord. 26th Dec. 1717; trans. to New Greyfriars, Edinburgh, 14th Dec. 1723.

ROBERT STARK, born 1697, probably 1725 son of Mark S., surveyor, Boness; studied at the Univ. of Leyden; licen. by Presb. of Hamilton 31st Dec. 1723; became chaplain in the family of Sir William Calderwood of Polton, Senator of the College of Justice; called 24th March, and ord. 13th May 1725. He was one of the fifteen mins. who dissented from the sentence of the Assembly deposing the eight Seceders 15th May 1730; died 16th Aug. 1755. He marr. 4th June 1731, Elizabeth (died 26th Nov. 1782), daugh. of Ralph Ferlie or Fairley, merchant, Glasgow, and Grizel Nisbet, and had issue: Ralph, born 9th April 1732; Mark, merchant, Dunfermline, born 11th June 1734; Mary, born 4th March 1736; John, born 4th Nov. 1738; Elizabeth, born 27th June 1743; Sarah, born

30th March 1747, ord. 23rd Nov. 1792; died 18th Feb. 1793.

DAVID BALFOUR, born 1725; licen. 1767 by Presb. of Edinburgh 27th June 1767; pres. by John Erskine, of Cromekirk, Jun., and ord. 1st May 1767; died 29th Feb. 1808. He marr. 5th June 1747, Ann, died 12th Sept. 1804, daughter of John Herdman, coppermith, Edinburgh, and his wife, John, one of the mains of Culross, born 2nd May 1758; Agnes, born 27th March 1769, died 28th Feb. 1779; Isabella, born 31st July 1771, died in Culross 22nd March 1842. Publication: *A Count of the Parish* (Sinclair's 866, Act. viii).

PETER COSENS, pres. by Mrs Mary Erskine or Stuart and the Misses Ann and Christian Erskine 26th March 1808, ord. 3rd May 1809; delay laying been occasioned by a Crown prosecution to John Balfour, son of preceding min., which was not sustained by the Lord Ordinary, 9th July 1808, and by the Inner House 17th May following; trans. to Lander 27th June 1811.

THOMAS MILLAR, born 1773; edn. 1811, catect at Associate Burgh Hall; licen. by Presb. of Dalkeith 6th Dec. 1803; pres. by Mrs Mary Erskine or Stuart and the Misses Ann and Christian Erskine 28th June; ord. 29th Sept. 1811; died 8th Sept. 1828.

JOHN GORDON LORIMER, pres. by the trustees of James Stuart of Dundurn Nov. 1828; ord. 22nd April 1829; trans. to St David's Parish, Glasgow, 10th May 1832.

THOMAS DOIG, born 16th June 1796, son of Robert Doig, min. of East Parish, 1802 Aberdeen, M.A. Univ. and Marischal College, Aberdeen, 2nd April 1812; licen. by Presb. there 10th May 1816; ord. by Presb. of Arbroath 23rd Dec. 1819, as assistant in that parish; pres. by the trustees of James Stuart of Dundurn in June, and adm. 27th July 1832. Joined the Free Church

in 1843, man. of the Free Church, Toryburn, 1843-66; died 26th Sept. 1866. He marr. 5th Nov. 1822, Anne, died 6th March 1878, daughter of John Anderson, Provost of Arbroath, and his wife Elizabeth Elizabeth Hepburn, born 10th Aug. 1823; Agnes Doigwall, born 26th Nov. 1824; Ann, born 23rd April 1826; Margaret, born 21st April 1827; Rebecca, born 17th July 1830; John, born 20th June 1832; Rebecca Ferrierson, born 21st June 1834; Thomas, born 19th Oct. 1835; Wilhelmina Gordon, born 22nd May 1837; Robert Fleming, born 26th Feb. 1839; Mary, born 17th Aug. 1841. Publications: *The Supply School* (Edinburgh, 1833); *Accounts of Toryburn and of Arbroath* (N.B. 1830, I. & II, xii. xi.). Sermon XIV., Lecture XVI., *The Child's Pupil*, i. iii.

JOHN FERRIES, ord. 28th Sept. 1843, trans. to Auchtermuchty 27th Sept. 1843.

ROBERT CURRIE, son of Robert Currie, farmer, and Jean Aitken, ord. 3rd April 1845, and died unmarr. 2nd April 1861.

JAMES WILLIAM MILROY, ord. 16th Sept. 1861, trans. to Colmonell 13th Feb. 1868.

JOHN PATERSON, son of James Paterson, house-painter, and Isobell Thomson; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh, M.A. (1863); assistant at St Andrews, Edinburgh, ord. 24th July 1868; died 27th Aug. 1876.

WILLIAM GALL, born Perth, son of James Gall, educated at Perth Academy, and Univ. of St Andrews and Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Perth 8th May 1873; assistant at St Clement's Parish, Dundee, and Tron Parish, Glasgow, ord. to Haggis 6th March 1875; trans. and adm. 22nd March 1877; res. 13th Nov. 1896; died 29th Jan. 1896. He marr. 10th April 1877, Margaret Muir, died 30th Dec. 1915, daugh. of William

Smith, Eglinton Engineering Works, Glasgow, and had issue Agatha, born 19th Aug. 1879; Rudolf, licentiate, born 14th Feb. 1882, served 1914-18 in A.S.C. in India and Mesopotamia, afterwards in Glasgow; Evelyn, min. of St. Luke's Parish, Lochee, born 26th April 1885.

ADAM RICHMOND ROSE, born Kilmarnock, 23rd Sept. 1864, son of James R.; educated at Glasgow Univ.; licen. by Presb. there in 1893; assistant at North Parish, Stirling, 1893-5, Riccarton Parish, Ayrshire, 1895-6; ord. 14th May 1896; died 2nd Sept. 1904. He marr. 30th Dec. 1893, Jane, daugh. of Robert Roxburgh, Glasgow, and had issue Christina Richmond, born 15th Dec. 1897; Agnes Miles, born 7th Nov. 1902 marr. July 1923 John C. Orkney, B.Sc., Pittsburg, U.S.A.).

ALEXANDER CROSS, M.A.; ord.
1905 26th Jan. 1905; trans. to Bluevale,
Glasgow, 19th Feb. 1914.

ROBERT GARDNER, M.A., B.D.; ord.
1914 9th July 1914; trans. to Auchterarder 25th Sept. 1917.

WILLIAM PITCAIRN CRAIG, born
1918 9th April 1873, son of Robert James
C., min. of Dalgety; educated at Edinburgh Univ.; M.A. (1902); licen. by Presb. of Dunfermline 27th April 1898; assistant at Dalgety, 1898-9; St Cuthbert's Parish, Edinburgh, 1899-1905; ord. to Second Charge, Kirkwall, 3rd Aug. 1905; trans. and adm. 7th March 1918; Chaplain to the Forces, 106th Infantry Brigade.

PRESBYTERY OF KINROSS

[The Court was opened by the General Assembly on 26th May 1638. The parishes which formed it were taken from the Presbyteries of Perth, Auchterarder, Kirkcaldy, and Dunfermline.]

ARNGASK.

The church of Arngask, *Ardnask*, on the hill of Bravery, was dedicated to St Columba. It belonged to the Abbey of Culross until the Reformation. In 1562 the parishes of Arngask and Stirlinghenge were united, but their name was discontinued. In 1692 the lands of Ecclefechan, Wester Findell, East Dargie, Birk, Elms, Glendye, and Glenmuir were taken from the parish of Forres-Orkney, and added to Arngask. In 1694 parts of the parishes of Orwell and Stirlinghenge were likewise added to this parish. Arngask Church was built in 1804. In the churchyard are the remains of an older structure.]

1597 JOHN PITBLADDO, reader in 1597.

ALEXANDER WARDLAW, reader in
1574–1574.

PATRICK WEMYSS, son of Dr John Wemyss, held this parish in 1596, and again in 1606, returned to Deanery of Fife 16th Dec. 1609.

LAURENCE MERELL, M.A., died
1604 17th Dec. 1604, buried at Fossoway 17th Dec. 1604.

JOHN LETHAM, or LICHMAN,
1625 M.A., St Andrews 1607. Held a testimonial for ordination from Presb. of Perth 6th Aug. 1623, admitted

to Longforgan Orkney, and settled at Forres Oct. 1623, and took prebendary of Fife 16th Oct. 1624, till June 27th 1625.

GEORGE MONCHREEF, reader of Arngask, Mairi, and Kinross, 1635–1636, and of the University of St Andrews, M.A. 1636. Called to the Kirk of St. Peter in Stirlinghenge, 1636, and continuing 1639, presby. Chalm. 14th Oct. 1640, and by John Archibald of St Andrews, 1641, inst. after 21st Oct. 1640, and 17th Aug. 1641, Oct. 1643, and 15th Jan. 1644, 1645, 1646. He married Elizabeth, daughter of William Murray of Fife, 1641. His wife, Elizabeth, daughter of Alexander and Elizabeth, died 1646. He married Robert Geden, parson of this parish, 1647. Buried near Robert Murray, off hand of Horatio Stewart, Bishop of Moray, 16th Dec. 1650. *St. Peter's, 1650, Rec. 1650, L. 816, x, x, 312.*

ROBERT GEDDIE, born 1617, died 1695. Son of George, of Cowdenbeath, 1617, d. Presb. of St Andrews, M.A. 1639, admitted to the Kirk of St. Peter in Stirlinghenge, 1640, and of the Kirk of St. Peter in Stirling, 1641, presby. Chalm. 11th April 1641, died 29th Aug. 1661. He was rev'd 17th Nov. 1658, for "whispering that his godly life had been derelict, and he openly treated of gain, glory, and many reproachful words, and other bad treatment in his own house, Dec. 1658, for "gross and abominable scandals, 29th Oct. 1660." He married (1) Elizabeth,

dough, of George Moncrieff, his predecessor; (2) Margaret Crawford, who died in Nov. 1675. [*St. Andrews Tests.*; *Seton's House of Moncrieff*, 139; *Scottish Pastoral*,]

GILBERT MELVILLE, ord. 18th Dec. 1688; trans. to Glendevon 2nd Aug. 1693; 1694.

JOHN DEMPSTER, called 27th Nov. 1695; ord. 27th Feb. 1695; trans. to St. Madoes 27th March 1706.

JAMES GILLESPIE, licen. by Presb. of Stirling 24th Jan. 1705; called 17th Dec. 1706; ord. 21st May 1707; called to Kinross 16th Aug. 1713, but the Presb. refused translation; died 5th Dec. 1729. He marr. 26th June 1717, Euphan Fute, in the parish of Glendevon, who died 5th Dec. 1767, and had issue: John; Patrick; James, Principal of the New College, St. Andrews (*q. v.*); Laurence, min. of Auchtermuchty; Andrew; Jane. [*St. Andrews Tests.*]

JOHN JOHNSTON, born about 1700, son of William J.; licen. by Presb. 1731 of Linlithgow 25th April 1722; called 17th Dec. 1730; ord. 16th March 1731; died 28th Dec. 1746. He marr. 5th April 1730, Margaret (died 8th July 1768), daugh. of John Brown, min. of Abercorn, and had issue: Robert, banker, Edinburgh, born 28th July 1732; David, D.D., min. of North Leith, born 29th April 1734; Elizabeth, died young; William; James; Elizabeth.

ANDREW WILLIAMSON, called 9th July, and ord. 3rd Nov. 1747; trans. 1747 to Auchtergaven 16th Dec. 1782.

WILLIAM LANG, born 1752; licen. by Presb. of Cupar 1st Dec. 1778; 1783 assistant at Cupar; pres. by David Low and William Low of East Fordell 11th and 28th April, and ord. 18th Sept. 1783; died 10th Jan. 1827. He marr. 5th Dec. 1788, Janet Low, who died *s.p.* 1st Jan. 1847. Publication Account of the Parish (Sinclair's *Stat.* Acc. i.).

ALEXANDER BURT of Denby, born 1791, son of Alex. B., landed prop. 1819; priest, and Isabella Lang, sister of preceding; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Perth 29th June 1814; pres. by Robert Low of Fordell 23rd July, and ord. assistant and successor 11th Oct. 1819; died 20th Feb. 1847. He marr. 28th April 1840, Euphemia Hay, died 16th Nov. 1886, aged 76, eldest daugh. of Arthur Barefy of Paris House, and had issue: Alexander, born 28th May 1841, died 23rd Dec. 1857; Jane Hay, born 12th June 1843, died 19th Sept. 1863; Arthur, born 19th June 1845; James, born 13th April 1847, died 9th June 1897; Isabella Low, born 25th Sept. 1851. Publication Account of the Parish (*New Stat.* Acc. x.).

WILLIAM LANG BAXTER, M.A.; ord. 18th Sept. 1867; trans. to 1867 Cameron 17th May 1877.

ROBERT KIRKWOOD MONCREIFF, born Arbroath, 22nd June 1847, son 1877 of Thomas Reid M.A., stationer, and Caroline Campbell Mitchell; educated at Arbroath Schools and Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1869), B.D. (1872); licen. by Presb. of Arbroath 4th June 1873; assistant at Monkton; ord. 27th Sept. 1877; D.D. (St. Andrews June 1919); res. 21st Oct. 1919 (blind).

JAMES CAMPBELL, born Lossiemouth 10th Dec. 1887, son of James 1920 C.; educated at Lossiemouth School and Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A. (1910); licen. by Presb. of Elgin May 1915; assistant at Irvine; served in European War, and was a prisoner in Germany for nine months; ord. 8th April 1920. Marr. 28th April 1917, Annie, daugh. of John and Jane Stuart.

BALLINGRY.

[There are mission chapels in the parish of Ballingry at Glenraig and Lochore.]

PETER WATSON, a member of the Chapter of St Andrews previous to 1561 the Reformation; min. in 1561; trans. to Markinch before 10th Nov. 1564.

ALEXANDER WARDLAW, son of John W. of Torry, parson in Orkney 1595-1601, and Laird of Ballingry, was accused by the Superintendent in 1601 of acting as minister in the parish since the Reformation, he not having been elected thereto in accordance with Law. W. was in the admitted manner refusing to repair the church after the session had been held and before the minister and Session of St Andrews had wifed and sent forth for electing the Superintendent, and was ordered to appear in the parish church of St Andrews on 1st April, and there confess his fault and ask God's mercy, and the Superintendent's forgiveness, and to repeat the same within the church of Ballingry on 3rd April, which he did. He was excommunicate in 1597 and made in 1604, died 1st before 29th June 1604. He married, and had issue, John, George, Katherine, marr. 19th April 1611, John Dickin, Limpkin, Margaret, marr. James Miller, son of Robert Miller, esq. of Kirkcaldy. [Wardlaw's *S. Chanc.* Cl. Type Manuscr., 27th Feb. 1589-1, Reg. Asscr.]

WILLIAM BRAIDFUTE, trans. from Markinch after 1581, granted 1581 a charter of the parochial lands to Henry Wardlaw, younger, of Torry, retrans. to Markinch before 1585. [The *Chancery of Kirkcaldy*, ii., 235.]

DAVID ANDERSON, M.A., St Andrews, 29th Nov. 1586, a pres. by 1595 Presb. of Kirkcaldy, adm. in summer 1595. A person was found guilty by the Justiciary Court, 16th Dec. 1610, of being a traitor, part in mortifying him of his right arm at the door of the masters. On 29th April 1620 he was asked at the Synod if he administered the Communion according to the Act of Assembly at Perth, and replied that "My parochians will not receive it after that manner from me." He died 10th Sept. 1646, aged 70. [The *Chancery of Kirkcaldy*, no. 112, Reg. Asscr. Calderwood's *Hist.* vols. 342.]

ROBERT BRUCE, born 1603, son of William B. of Earlshall and Eliza 1641, both Wood, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1626, a pres. to Culross

23rd March 1631, but not settled pres. by John F. of Ruthrie Nov. 1633, adm. 17th March 1641, died 16th Dec. 1668. He married, 1632, Anne, d. dec. 1668, and 1672, a daughter of Michael Stewart, Laird of Craigs, Nether Urquhart, and last wife, Thomasina, Anne, marr. Sir Andrew Bruce of Elphinstone, Helen, marr. John Bruce, marr. 1st, Francis, b. Reg. Asscr. *S. Chanc.* [T. R. Kett, *Arch.*, 1648, fol. 72v; xviii, 211, 66, R. S. 80, xxvii, 106.]

JAMES MARTIN, born 1st April 1614, eldest son of George M. D.D., 1600. Principal of St Salvator's College, St Andrews, adm. 1st Aug. Univ. then M.A. 1631, when he obtained a p. 1636, trans. to Airthrey, 1636, pres. by John Maclellan of Balloch, 1640, and adm. 1st Dec. 1640, died 1st Feb. 1683. He marr. 1st June 1633, Janet, died 13th Sept. 1644, aged 28, younger daughter of Thomas Robertson, Dean of Guild, St Andrews, and had issue, Robert, born March 1635, marr. Jan. or Feb. 1666, Robert Carsells, town-clerk of St Andrews, died 17th Oct. 1692; George, of Clermont, clerk of the Commission of St Andrews, author of *Reg. of the Pres. in Airthrey*; Nicholas, born Sept. 1644; Katherine, twin, born Sept. 1644, and four others who died in infancy. 2. Jan. 1636, John, died 24th May 1692, daughter of Patrick Muir, and had issue, James, Robert, David, Mary, Euphemia, Anne, marr. 1666, Archibald, son of William Maclellan, marr. of Kilmartin, Helen Macfarlane, *Arch.* 1666, 1667, St Andrews' *Testam.* [Lament, *Arch.*, 4, 271, Pt. C, *Arch.*, 29th Aug. 1665, 66, R. I. 1665, 1st Dec. 1670, 66, R. I. 1665, 7736, Montrose's *M. m.* 1622, Reg. Man. *S. Chanc.* ix., 120, 1740.]

HENRY MALCOLM, third son of William M., writer, Cupar, edr. 1631, marr. at St Andrews Univ., M.A. 27th July 1653, adm. 29th Sept. 1653, deprived by the Privy Council, 22nd July 1654, for not taking the oaths as required, died at Cupar 3rd April 1727, aged about 74. [Deeds Registry, St Andrews.]

ANDREW WARDROPER [or WARD ROPE], born 1650, son of Andrew **1702** W., baillie of Dundee; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (2nd Aug. 1677); ord. to Second Charge, Kirkealdy, 30th June 1692; called 27th Jan., and adm. 30th April 1702; died 13th June 1717. He left fifty merks to the poor of the parish, and was characterised as a "worthie, faithful, and laborious pastor, whose memory will be ever fragrant." The tradition that for seven years during his incumbency there was no birth, baptism, marriage, or burial in the parish, is unsupported by the parish records which chronicle many such events during W.'s ministry. He marr. Elizabeth, daugh. of Alexander Moncrieff, min. of Seconie; she survived him, and had issue—Margaret, —[*St Andrews Tests; Tombst.; Wodrow's Anal.; Services of Heirs; Jamie's Ballingry*, 35.]

ROBERT BALFOUR, educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (15th **1719** May 1707); became chaplain to Sir John Wemyss of Bogie; licen. by Presb. of Kirkealdy 9th Aug. 1716; pres. by Sir John Malcolm July 1717; ord. 25th March 1719; died 1st May 1773. He marr. 22nd Nov. 1720, Jean (died 27th May 1765), youngest daugh. of Sir Michael Balfour of Denmylne, Bart., and had issue—Michael; Robert; Emeilia; David, born 20th April 1731, died 30th Aug. 1761.—[*Jamie's Ballingry*, 39.]

THOMAS HARDY of Navity, born **1774** 22nd April 1748; pres. by Sir Michael Malcolm of Lochore, Bart., 21st Oct. 1773; ord. 10th June 1774; trans. to High Kirk, Edinburgh, 25th Nov. 1784.

JAMES LAURIE, licen. by Presb. of Dunfermline 3rd Sept. 1777; pres. by Sir Michael Malcolm of Lochore, Bart., in May; ord. 16th Sept. 1785; died 11th Oct. 1788.

THOMAS SCOTT, pres. by Alexander Park of Lochore, Dec. 1788; ord. **1789** 13th Aug. 1789; trans. to Newton 24th April 1801.

JAMES WALLACE, pres. by John Sime of Lochore, Oct. 1801; ord. 1802 29th April 1802; trans. to White kirk and Tynningham 6th Nov. 1806.

JAMES GREIG, born 1767, eldest son **1807** of Christopher G., tenant in Kirk forfar, and brother of Christopher G., min. of St Ninians; licen. by Presb. of Kirkealdy 7th Dec. 1791; pres. by John Sime of Lochore in April, and ord. 3rd Sept. 1807; died unmarr. 11th May 1851.

JAMES CUTHBERT, born 1795, son **1851** of James C. and Jane McArdie; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1844); ord. 11th Sept. 1851; res. 11th May 1857; thereafter resident in Edinburgh; died unmarr. there 11th March 1874.

JAMES PENNELL, born 31st Oct. 1829, eldest son of James P., Greenock, and Margaret Cheape; educated at Brown's School, Greenock, and Unive. of Glasgow and St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Greenock in 1850; assistant at Bonhill and High Kirk, Edinburgh; ord. to St Andrew's Parish, Dunfermline, 11th May 1855; trans. and adm. 10th Sept. 1857; died at Hyres, France, 12th Jan. 1882. He marr. 19th Feb. 1856, Emily Bethia (died 26th June 1908), youngest daugh. of William Meikleham, M.D., San Fernando, Trinidad, and had issue—Julia Oriana, born 26th Dec. 1857; Emily Euphrasia, born 26th Nov. 1858; Blanche Jane, born 7th Nov. 1860; Maud Agnes, born 22nd Dec. 1862 (marr. Hugh Cameron, min. of Newington); Helen, born 4th Sept. 1864; James Henry Leslie, S.S.C., Leith, born 10th Sept. 1865; Walter Scott, born 26th June 1868; William Joseph, min. of Borgie, born 11th Aug. 1870; Charles Stuart, born 11th Sept. 1873.

DAVID JAMIE, born Edinburgh, 10th Jan. 1851, son of David J. and Isabella Crabbie; educated at Royal High School and Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (1875), B.D. (1879); licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 15th May 1879; assistant at St Paul's, Glasgow, and High Church, Inverness; ord. 18th July 1882; died 23rd Feb. 1912. He marr. 9th Oct. 1883, Sarah

Jane, fourth daugh., of Alexander Dallas, solicitor, Inverurie, and Edin. m. Annie Macgregor, born 30th March 1885; David Alexander, born 7th Jan. 1887; William Dallas, 2nd birt. K.O.S.B., born 24th Dec. 1888; George Hope, M.A., R.N., Presbyterian Chaplain to the Atlantic Fleet, H.M.S. *Melville*, 1822, born 30th Nov. 1891. [Published as *Officer's Log of HMS Ballincrieff*, Kinross, 1890.] *A. H. Hope, Pilot Officer Royal Engineers*, Edinburgh, 1900.

WILLIAM HUTCHISON MACDIARMID, born Farningham, Kent, 1912, 5th May 1880, son of Andrew G. M. and Elizabeth S. Hutchison, educated at Juniper Green, Leith Academy, and Edinburgh Schools and Univ. of Edinburgh, M.A. (1902), B.D. (1909); taught in Bo'ness and Edinburgh, Rec'd. by Presb. of Edinburgh April 1900; assistant at Tollbooch Parish, Edinburgh, ord. 2nd Aug. 1912; trans. to Stenfield 1st Oct. 1923; Marr. 6th July 1915, Marion, M.A., daugh. of John Barclay, Coupar Angus.

GEORGE SCANLAN, trans. from 1924 Rosyth *epc.*, 9th Feb. 1924.

BLAIRINGONE (Q.S.).

[A chapel was opened here in 1838. The parish was disjoined from Fossoway and erected 18th July 1860.]

ANDREW NOBLE, born 1808, son of 1841 David N., farmer, and Margaret Spalding; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh, M.A. (1828); ord. in 1841, joined the Free Church in 1843; min. of Free Church, Fossoway, 1844; trans. to Free Church, Loudoun, 1847; died at Newmills 12th Jan. 1882. He marr. 1843, Williamina Beattie Mackay, and had issue: Kenneth David, shipbuilder, Dumbarton, born 1844, died at Helensburgh 23rd Dec. 1922; Eric Mackay, died at Washington, U.S.A., 1892; Margaret, died at Helensburgh 1908.

WILLIAM FERGUSON, ord. 29th Dec. 1849, trans. to Fossoway 28th Sept. 1854.

ALEXANDER McWHANNELL, ord. 8th 1855 March 1855, adm. first min. of the Parish in 1860, trans. to Auchterarder 13th Feb. 1876.

JOHN WILSON, born about 1850, son of John Wilson, bookseller, Rothesay, 1876, and Henrietta Bolland, educated at Univ. of Glasgow, Rec'd. by Presb. of Paisley, assistant at High Church, Paisley, ord. 7th July 1876, deposed 12th March 1885. He marr. Catherine McGowan, and had issue: Catherine, born 18th Feb. 1866; a son, born 19th Nov. 1866.

JOHN FAWN'S CAMERON, born 1885 Fettercairn, 4th April 1855, son of Archibald Cowie C. LL.D., school master, and Mary Fawns, educated at Fettercairn and Aberdeen Grammar School and Univ. of St Andrews, Rec'd. by Presb. of St Andrews 5th May 1880; assistant at Bookhills, Largo, and Criffell, ord. 10th Sept. 1885, Marr. 18th April 1907, Margaret Janet, second daugh. of Robert Macdonay of Nemoor and Cambus West, and Catherine Beveridge, oldest daugh. of John Wilson of Hill Park, Bonnochburn, s.p.

CLEISH.

[The church of Cleish was dedicated to St Cuthbert. In 1655 the parish of Cleish was disjoined by Act of Parliament from the county of Perth and annexed to Kinross-shire.]

JOHN ANDERSON, sometime vicar; reader in 1567, was ordered to celebrate his marriage with Eupheme Paton on Trinity Sunday 1564. [See *Antiquities Kirk Session Reg.*, i. 193.]

WILLIAM LUMSDEN, son of John L. of Andrie, formerly a monk of 1567 Dalmuline; adm. parson before April 9th 1567; vicar of Dalmuline; died after 8th Jan. 1567 s. [Stephen's *Liverkathing*, 160, *Reg. of Decls. Alvin*, 133.]

JOHN HENDERSON, vicar, from 1st 1575 May 1575, died 1581.

EDMOND MYLES, reader in 1580; pres. to the vicarage by James VI, 1580 17th March 1581, and to the parsonage 23rd Sept. 1586; was one of the forty two brethren who subscribed a Protestation to Parliament 1st July 1606, against the introduction of Episcopacy; dem. before 22nd April 1634. He marr. Christian Lindsay, and had issue Robert, dead in 1633; James; William; Thomas; Elizabeth; Margaret (marr. Laurence Mercer, min. of Fossoway). [*Reg. Assis.*; *Lochloven Papers*; *Prot.-Book of James Primrose*, 14; *Fife Sis.*, vi, 113, x, 293; *Calderwood's Hist.*, viii, 121; *G. R. Sis.*, viii, 362.]

JAMES CARMICHAEL, M.A. 1631 (St Andrews, July 1612); pres. by Charles I, 22nd April 1631; dem. in Oct. 1649, "being sensible of his weakness for the ministrie"; dep. for insufficiency. —[Lamont's *Diary*, 10.]

ROBERT STEEDMAN, min. of Carriden, entered 9th Oct. 1650, 1650 "until the time it pleases God he go hame to his awin charge."

JAMES HALKERSTON, M.A. (St Andrews, 1635; called 2nd March; 1651 adm. 8th July 1651; died in 1679, aged about 64. He marr. Barbara Falconer, who died before Jan. 1682.

WILLIAM HALKERSTON, son of James II. of Rathillet, Fife; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. 8th Aug. 1666; was probably assistant here in 1678; pres. by Charles II, 27th Dec. 1679; dem. 8th Oct. 1690. He marr. 23rd Aug. 1681, Margaret Halliday. [*P. C. Reg.*, 3rd ser., vi, 559; *Reg. Soc. Sig.*, *Eng. Reg.*, iii, 276; *Fif. Returns*, 1575; *P. C. Acta*, 1680.]

THOMAS JAMES, called in June; ord. before 29th Sept. 1691; trans. to be 1691 min. to the first Darien Expedition under the "Company of Scotland, trading to Africa and the Indies," 6th July 1698; died of fever on the *Dolphin* on the passage to Darien 23rd Oct. 1698. "A very good man, and much lamented, and had four dropping guns fired at his throwing over."

[*Anal. Sets.*, i, 360; Borland's *Hist. of Darien*; *Memo. of William Patich*, 236; Barbour's *William Paterson and the Darien Company*, 63, 88.]

JOHN GIB, born 1668; M.A. (Edinburgh, 22nd Sept. 1685); licen. by 1701 Presb. of Stirling and Dunblane 6th Oct. 1687; ord. to Muickhart 10th May 1698; called 10th Dec. 1700, trans. and adm. 31st March 1701; died June 1741. He marr. Euphan, daugh. of Robert Alice of Blairgowrie, and had issue — James, born 1700; Jean; Robert; John; Margaret; Robert; Allan. Publication *The Beauty and Strength of Gospel Zion*, a sermon preached before the Synod (Edinburgh, 1743). — [G. R. Sis., xv, 368, 15th Jan. 1700; Fraser's *Life of Ebenezer Erskine*, 208.]

ALEXANDER DALLING, born 1713; 1743 licen. by Presb. of Linlithgow 25th Nov. 1739; called 24th Feb.; ord. 27th July 1743; was one of three suspended from sitting in Church Courts by the General Assembly, 23rd May 1752, for not obeying its sentences regarding the settlement of Inverkeithing. This was repealed 1st June 1765. He died 8th Aug. 1790. He marr. 18th Sept. 1746, Margaret Jerniment in Borrowstounness, who died 20th April 1764, and had issue — Katherine, born 18th Jan. 1749, died 10th June 1773; Allan, born 14th Oct. 1750, died 12th Oct. 1783; Elizabeth, born 16th Sept. 1752, died 28th Jan. 1820; William, his successor in the parish, born 19th Dec. 1755; Jerniment, born 12th Oct. 1759 (marr. David Spence, min. of Kinnaird); a child was buried 19th July 1754. — [Scots Mag., xiv, xv, xxvii.; Moncreiff's *Life of Erskine*.]

WILLIAM DALLING, born 19th Dec. 1755, son of preceding; educated at 1783 Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Dunfermline 26th July 1786; pres. by George Graham of Kinross in March; ord. (assistant and successor) 9th Oct. 1788; died 13th Nov. 1835. Publication *Accounts of the Parish* (Sinclair's *Stat. Acc.*, iii, and *New Stat. Acc.*, ix.).

WILLIAM WALLACE DUNCAN
1830 born 1st Oct., son of Henry Da-
 Duncan, man of Rathwell, educated at
 Univ. of St Andrews, St Andrews, and
 Edinburgh, licensed by Presb. of Aberdeen 1st
 July 1826, assistant at Haddington, pres. to
 Uni. Arts 1832, assistant to Prof. of Phys. &
 John Younger of Glasgow, Nov. 1833, died
 26th Feb. 1839; M.A. Edinburgh, 2nd
 Jan. 1840; Jun. 1st the Free Church 1843,
 min. of Free Church of Peebles, 1842-43,
 died of smallpox, 10th July 1864. He
 married 11th July 1830, Mary, daughter of
 the hymn-writer, tender Shepherd, her
 mother, born 29th April 1814, died 5th Jan.
 1840, daughter of Robert Lindesay, min. of
 Kelso, and had issue: Mary Lindesay, born
 29th April 1837, marr. 1863, Alexander
 Duncan Campbell, F.C. min. of Lockerbie;
 Henry Robert, missionary, born 5th Jan.
 1839, d. 8th Feb. 1842; Rachel Berth-
 wick, died 12th Sept. 1879, daughter of
 Henry David Hill, Professor of Greek,
 Univ. of St Andrews, and had issue:
 Margaret Ann Berthwick, born 30th Nov.
 1842; Kate Cherry; William Wallace;
 George Alexander. Publications: *A New Hebrew and English and Hebrew Lexicon*, London, 1841; *Helps to
 Communicateons of Every Country*, Edinburgh,
 1850; *Our Zeal, or the Ministry of
 Jesus*, Edinburgh, 1861; *A New Hebrew
 Grammar*, London, 1866; Accounts of
 Hoddam and partly of this Parish *Near
 Stin*, A. M., iv., ix. [Memor. of Mrs
 Louisa Drysdale, her Mother, 10th edition,
 Edinburgh, 1884; *Rymes for My
 Children* (1842).]

CHARLES ROSS, born Urephart,
1843 Morayshire, about 1818, son of
 Charles Ross, educated at King's
 College, Aberdeen (M.A. 1838), and Univ.
 of Edinburgh (B.D. 1843), ord. 21st Sept.
 1843 (LL.D. Aberdeen, 22nd Aug. 1866);
 res. 16th May 1853, died at Wolverhampton,
 29th July 1897. He marr. 15th Feb.
 1850, Margaret Saunders-Knox, born 26th
 Feb. 1829, died 3rd Feb. 1870, eldest daugh.
 of William Drysdale, assistant clerk of
 Session, and had issues: William Drysdale,
 real estate agent, Australia, born 6th Aug.

1843; Charles Beveridge, born 17th Jan.
 1846, M.A., B.D., lic. min. by Presb. of Kinross
 3rd May 1866, ord. min. of St. Andrews
 Church, Ianover, County, 12th March
 1884, min. at Earl Grey and Gibbet, Saska,
 1st May; Margaret Williamson Beveridge, born
 23d March 1848, min. the Rev. James
 Armstrong, M.D., Hawick, 1st July 1871;
A Physician's Kinswoman, Berth, 1880.

THOMAS BURNETT PETER, M.A.,
 B.D., lic. Ord. Oct. 1863, trans. to
 Part of Montrose 1st Oct. 1897.

WILLIAM COWPER ROBERTSON,
1867 born 15th June 1828, son of Lewis
 Peter, R. and Margaret Cowper,
 educated at David Stewart's College and
 Univ. of Edinburgh (M.A. 1852), lic. min.
 by Presb. of Edinburgh in 1855, assistant
 at Leith, ordained 7th Aug. 1867. Marri-
 ed 1st Jan. 1858, Jessie Katharine, daughter of
 James McGregor, and has issue: Agnes
 Margaret, born 1st March 1868; Katharine
 McGregor, born 21st April 1872.

FOSSWAY AND TULLIBOLE

[These parishes were united in 1614.]

Foss-way. In 1614 part of the parish of
 Foss-way was taken from Perthshire and
 added to the county of Kinross.

Tullibole. In 1655 the parish of Tullibole
 was severed from Perthshire and incor-
 porated in the county of Kinross.]

ADAM MARSHALL, exhorter in 1577,
1587 reader from 1574 to 1580, Glendevon
 and Tullibole being under his care in
 1586, removed to Glendevon in 1588.

ANDREW KIRK, pres. by the Presb.
 of Stirling 27th April 1588, who found him
 "not meet there to be admitted in respect
 of the invaliditie of his doctrine."

RICHARD WRIGHT, adm. 8th April
1589, trans. to Chequeman on 25th
 June 1591.

ALEXANDER WALLACE, M.A., St
1600 Andrews 1582, min. of Clack-
 mannan in 1585; trans. and adm.
 28th Feb. 1590, died 15th Feb. 1606. He

marr. Isobel Consten, and had issue—Elizabeth (marr. Laurence Mercer, min. of this parish). [*Reg. of Deeds*, xxxviii., *Tombst.*]

LAURENCE MERCER (*primus*), bapt. 1607 6th March 1578/9, youngest son of Andrew M., merchant burgess and sheriff-depute of Perthshire; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1600); adm. to Arngask before 1st Dec. 1604; trans. and adm. before 1607, died after 12th Oct. 1652, having been unable to preach on only one Sunday during his ministry. He marr. (1) Elizabeth, daugh. of Alexander Wallace, min. of this parish, and had issue—Laurence, his successor in the parish; (2) 25th Feb. 1619, Margaret, daugh. of Edmond Myles, min. of Cleish, and had issue—Edmond, bapt. 22nd Feb. 1625; Annabel, born 26th Jan. 1634; Christian (twin), born 29th Jan. 1634; William.—[*Merger Genealogy*; *Tombst.*; *Perth Sas.*, Sec. *Reg.*, iii., 368.]

LAURENCE MERCER (*secundus*), born 1608, eldest son of preceding; M.A. 1647 (Edinburgh 25th July 1629); chaplain to George Bruce of Carnock; adm. (colleague) before 13th April 1647; died Jan. 1658. He marr. Katherine Murray, and had issue—Laurence, min. of Findo-Gask. [*Merger Genealogy*.]

ALEXANDER IRELAND, son of Alexander L., min. of Kinchaven; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (13th May 1652); adm. before 11th Oct. 1659; in 1676 he caused one of his parishioners to stand before the congregation in white sheets, for attending a conventicle at Tullibole; dep. after the Revolution. There was no session 15th March 1685, the min. being "sick of the measles," nor "any collection gathered 15th Nov. 1691, because of the uproar made by L. and the malignants, who were seeking to intrude on the kirk, but were driven back." He went to Ireland, where he died before 5th July 1698. He marr. April 1662, Anna, daugh. of Major Drummond, sometime of Pitcairne; she survived him and had issue—Isobel and

Barbara. [*Edin. Testts.*, *Bass Rock*, 327; *Tombst.*; *Perth Deeds*, 27th June 1666, 2nd Feb. 1670; *Wodrow MSS.*, xxix., 143.]

WILLIAM SPENCE, a native of Orkney, 1664 born 1636; M.A. (St Andrews, 18th May 1654); sometime schoolmaster of Abernethy; adm. to trials for licence before Presb. of Perth 21st Sept. 1659; was on the Exercise and got a testimonial to the Bishop of Dunblane 23rd May 1664; adm. in 1664 to the conjoined charge of Fossway and Glendevon; dep. 22nd May 1679 for disowning the existing Church Government, and excommunicated by the Synod in Oct. 1680. He became secretary to Archibald, Earl of Argyll, was arrested in England, loaded with irons, from which he was relieved by the Privy Council, but kept a close prisoner 22nd April 1684. He underwent a searching examination and was put to the torture of the boot 25th July. Next day the Council ordered such of His Majesty's forces, officers and soldiers, as should be found most trusty, to watch him by turns and not suffer him to sleep by night or by day, and for this end to use all effectual means for keeping him still awake. Yet for many days and nights he underwent this barbarous treatment and made no disclosure. On 17th Aug. the Privy Council made another Act for his torture, but having confessed all he knew he was exonerated on 21st and removed to Dunbarton Castle, with allowance of liberty within its walls. His deposition was declared to be null by the General Assembly 1690. He became on the Toleration min. of a meeting house at Kinross, and in 1690 was restored to Glendevon; called 27th July, trans. and adm. 21st Sept. 1691; died 19th March 1715. He marr. Anne, died 12th June 1708, aged 80, eldest daugh. of Archibald Monerell, min. of Abernethy.—[*Dunblane Testts.*; *St Madoes Sess. Reg.*; Wodrow's *Hist.*, iv., 95, 285; *Tombst.*; Seton's *House of Monerell*, 139; Playfair's *Baronetage*, iii.; *Diary of Thomas Brown*, 35; Willcock's *A Scots Earl in Covenanting Times*, 312-16 *et seq.*]

ALEXANDER BAXTON, born 1709
1712—M.A. Edinburgh, died Nov. 1766.
 Lived by Presb. of Kirkcudbright, till July 1710; then at Tullibole, and lived there until his death, Aug. 1766. His son, Robert, died 16th June 1746. His daughter, Barbara Smith, who married James, *D. of Fife, Presb. of Fife*.

ANDREW BREWSTER, by Presb. of
1717—Died 18th March 1749, aged 32.
 Michael, 16th Feb. 1718, 1743, died 27th Dec. 1746, buried in Fife, 29th April 1747; died 7th April 1742. His wife, Mary, died Sept. 1725, only daughter of William M'neffie, min. of Moonie, and had seven children, Andrew Brewster, of Coldstream, &c. (*D. of Fife, Presb.*)

JOHN STORER, son by Presb. of
1743—Kirkcudbright, 6th May 1738, called
 28th April, and ord. 22nd Aug. 1743, died 8th June 1778. He marr. 16th Oct. 1744, Susan Stewart, who died 14th April 1782, and had issue: John, born 10th July 1747; Michael, born 27th Oct. 1748, died 16th March 1749; Susan, born 15th June 1750, died 23rd Dec. 1750; Anne, born 14th July 1751, died 2nd July 1768; Betty, born 3rd Nov. 1752; Gillian, born 27th June 1754; Joseph, born 4th Nov. 1755, died 10th Jan. 1796.

WILLIAM GRAHAM, born 1736, pres.
1780—by George Graham of Kincraig, Aug. 1778, ord. 11th May 1780, the settlement being delayed by the presentation by the Crown of Elizabey Marshall, afterwards of Colpope, 19th July 1778. This was declared null by the Court of Session, died 13th Feb. 1803. He marr. 28th Dec. 1780, Jean Dens, who died 26th April 1792, and had issue: George, his successor in the parish; Agnes, Anna, born 5th Aug. 1783, died 26th April 1804; Jean, born 5th Dec. 1784, died 16th July 1818; Mary, born 6th Oct. 1785, died 29th Jan. 1811; Janet, born 11th Dec. 1786, died 5th June 1812; William, born 21st April 1788; Margaret, born 10th March 1789, died 24th March 1808. Publication: *Account of the Parish (Sandie's *Stat.*, 4, 1, xxvii)*.

GEORGE GRAHAM, born 1733, May 1803—son of George, educated at Univ. of Aberdeen, M.A. 1756, became Presb. of Kirkcudbright, 19th May 1767, presented to the presb. of Kirkcudbright Sept. 18, 1767, and minister there July 1823.

PETER BRYDIE, born 1736, died 1825—Lived at Broadford, 19th July 1813, and at Giffnock, Glasgow, April 1741 to April 1816, presented to the presb. of Kirkcudbright, Nov. 1742, transferred to the presb. of Kirkcudbright, March 1817, died 19th Feb. 1825. He had two wives, and had three children, the third, a daughter, died 17th Oct. 1811, and the fourth, 11th Oct. 1813, and the fifth, 13th Oct. 1816. He died in the vestry of the Parish Church, Sept. 1823.

DUNCAN CAMPBELL, died 3d Jan.
1843—1836, trans. L. & S. 19th Feb. 1822.

ALEXANDER THOMSON COSENS,
1852—ord. 1851, May 1852, trans. to
 Burghmuirhead, April 1854.

WILLIAM FERGUSON, born Russia,
1854—Port Glasgow, 10th Sept. 1821, third son of James Ferguson, Kirkcudbright, Merthill, and Euphemia Bracken, educated at Glasgow Univ., ord. to Blairgowrie, 26th Dec. 1856, trans. to Blairgowrie 28th Sept. 1857, died 26th Jan. 1892. He marr. 15th July 1860, Elizabeth, born 29th Dec. 1826, died 12th Feb. 1888, daughter of Robert Haig of Duffart, M.D. and Glenferrie, and had issue: John MacGowan and Elizabeth Haig, and had issue: James Haig, M.D., Edinburgh, born 18th Dec. 1862, Janet Haig, born 29th March 1864, marr. Nov. 1884, Ernest G. Bonfield.

PATRICK BAILEY THOM, born 1869—Fergie, Aberdeenshire, 6th May 1847, son of William T. Farmer, and Mary Bodkin, educated privately, studied farming, and at Univ. of London, B.Sc. 1877, and Glasgow, M.A. 1885, became Presb. of Glasgow in 1887; assistant at Broughton, adm. assistant and successor to 26th Feb. 1889; Marr. 16th Dec. 1867, Madeline, youngest daughter of James

McInroy, The Birkeward, Bridge of Allan [authoress of many songs and ballads], and grand daugh. of James McInroy of Lude, Perthshire, and has issue: Patricia Madeline Mary, born 16th June 1899; Cecil Charlotte Campbell, born 7th April 1903. Publications: "The Potato Disease, its Nature and Cure" (*North British Agriculturist*, 1880); *Lectures on The Origin of the World, Evolution and Development, God and Man and the Lower Animals; Socialism; The Bible and Socialism; Life in Scotland in the Days of Yore; Consumption; What it Really is.*

WILLIAM WILSON BOYLE, born 1918 Bushmills, 28th May 1869, son of James B., min. of Bushmills, Co. Antrim, Ireland, and Martha Wilson; educated at Coleraine Academical Institution, Owens College, Belfast, Royal Univ. of Ireland, Dublin, B.A. (1889), and New College, Edinburgh, and Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Rounte May 1892; ord. to St John's Presbyterian Church, South Shields, 22nd Feb. 1893; adm. to Church of Scotland May 1905; chaplain at Secunderabad, India, Dec. 1903 to March 1908; adm. to Duncansburgh (Fort William), 9th May 1912; trans. and adm. (assistant and successor) 19th Dec. 1918. Marr. 6th Dec. 1904, Jessie Alexis, daugh. of James Skinner and Janet Matheson, and has issue: Eileen Skinner Wilson, born 24th Dec. 1909.

TULLIBOLE.

[This parish was united to Fossoway in 1614.]

JOHN HENDERSON, reader, 1567 1567 to 1574.

JOHN EDMONSTOUN, min. in 1576, 1576 with Fossoway, Glendevon, Muckhart, and Dollar under his charge; trans. to Crail before 1578.

THOMAS SWINTON, reader at Perth in 1576; adm. in 1578; trans. to 1578 Muckhart before 28th Sept. 1583.

KINROSS.

[The church of Kinross was dedicated to St Serf. It belonged to the Abbey of Drumfermline. Fairs of St Serf and St Lude were held at Kinross.]

JAMES DOWIE, min. of Orwell, with 1567 Kinross also in his charge in 1567; removed here in 1573, had Cleish and Portmoak also in his charge in 1574; still min. in 1579. [*Lochleven Papers*; *Reg. Assis.*]

ROBERT RAIT, min. in 1580; still 1580 min. in 1591. [*Reg. Assis.*]

JOHN COLDEN, min. of Borthwick 1593 in 1593; trans. to Newlands, but collation was refused; trans. and adm. in 1593; app. with two others "to deal with the Erle of Morton and his lieie, to find fault with them, and to rebuke them sharplie, for receiving within their hous, and interteaning the Erle of Huntlie and others"; signed the Protest to Parliament, 1st July 1609, against the introduction of Episcopacy; was confined to the parish for opposing Archibishop Gladstones taking the Moderator's chair at the Synod, 18th Aug. 1607; died between 7th April and 6th Oct. 1640, aged 79. He marr. Margaret, third daugh. of Henry Lamond of Ellinhill, and Isobel Orme of the Mugdrum family, and had issue: George, his successor in the parish; William. [*Reg. Assis.*; *Reg. Soc. Sig.*; *Lochleven Papers*; *McIvill's Actes and Tombst.*; *Row's Hist.*; *Calderwood's Hist.*, v. 266; *Macfarlane's Gen. Coll.*, ii. 159.]

GEORGE COLDEN, son of preceding; educated at Univ. of St Andrews, 1641 M.A. (1627); pres. by Charles I, 3rd May 1641; died while attending a meeting of the Synod at St Andrews 5th April 1665, aged 60. He marr. a lady whose initials G. D. only are known; she died 1st Sept. 1691, aged 57. [*Reg. Soc. Sig.*; *Lamont's Duty*, 177; *Tombst.*]

JAMES HORSYARD, M.A., born 1695, died 1735, minister of Methven from 1713 to 1735. He was born at Kirkhill on October 21st, and educated at New College, Edinburgh. He was admitted to the Faculty of the Law of Scotland at Edinburgh in 1713. He became a member of Convocation of the University of St. Andrews in 1716, and was admitted to the Faculty of Divinity in 1720.

HENRY CHRISTIE, born probably in 1679, died 1741, son of Henry Christie, M.A., born July 1671, entered in trial Faculty of Divinity, Edinburgh, April 1694, Master of Divinity, probably October 1700, O.T. Professor of Divinity, the Free Church of Scotland, 1707, and of the Faculty of Divinity, Edinburgh, 1711. He was a prayer for William and Mary at their coronation June 1689, and to inform his enemies of it. He was consecrated a Bishop of the Nonconformist Church at Dundee on 17th April, 1710, and 17th May 1718. He married Margaret, eldest daughter of George Blacker of Gil-Pine, and Elizabeth, William's widow, Alexander, May 1696. *Res.* Soc., 27th Oct. 1718; *Res.* Soc., 8th Feb. 1719; *Res.* Soc., 17th April 1731.

WILLIAM SPENCE, M.A., formerly of Glendevon, seems to have died 1687. [He is in the parish after the Toleration in 1687, returned to Glendevon in 1690.]

ROBERT MCGILL, born 1672, died 1699, elected at Univ. of St. Andrews, 1691, by Dr. G. of Dunfermline, 27th Dec. 1692, of Edinburgh, and died 27th April 1699, aged 31. On May 1700 he left his wife and family, who represented him, and for a considerable time travelled by water, with many kinds of company, until 1718. He married 1711, daughter of John Duffell, brother of South Church, Dundee, she survived him, and had issue. Alexander served her 10th June 1727. *Free Church of Dundee, First Session, 1711, March 8, 1712, Soc. of H. & C. Low, Minister of Dundee, and others, Robert of Dundee or Spence, that the Clergy Ministers House of Kinross, 1718.*

JOHN COOPER, born 1696, died 1738. He was born at Kirkhill on October 21st, and died by the sea on 19th April 1738. The parishes he served are given above.

ROBERT MCKEE, born 1730, son of Dr. M. of St. Andrews, 1731, died 1782. He was born at Kirkhill on October 21st, and died by the sea on 19th April 1782. The parishes he served are given above. The Rev. 1732, and afterwards minister of the church of present Kirkhill, and of St. Ninians Kirkhill, part. The Rev. 1733, appointed to the Academy of Kirkhill, and died there. For the action of the trustees were sharply rebuked by Dr. M. of St. Andrews 17th May 1733, and died April 17, 1782. He was an able scholar, a good divine, a diligent and exact and very exact teacher of the young students in his appointment. He married 17th Feb. 1744, Margaret, 1st Sept. 1745, and 8th after marriage, 17th June 1746. His son, Dr. Brightland, married 2d wife, Catherine, born 17th Nov. 1744, married 17th Dec. 1771, Dr. David Martin, died 17th February 1790, buried 17th Aug. 1790. William born 17th May 1748, William born 24th May 1750, Anne born 17th May 1752, and 1753, F. b. 1753. David born 26th Feb. 1754. Christopher born 17th Oct. 1756, died 21st Jan. 1780. Dr. Brightland, *Postscript to the Clerical Register, Postscript to the Clerical Register, Edinburgh, 1772.* — *See also the Postscript to the Clerical Register, Postscript to the Clerical Register, Edinburgh, 1772.* — *See also the Postscript to the Clerical Register, Postscript to the Clerical Register, Edinburgh, 1772.*

ARCHIBALD SMITH, born 1723, son of John Smith, of Fettercairn, 1734, elected at Univ. of Glasgow, 1735, by Dr. G. of Dunfermline 1735, Sept. 1735, died at Fettercairn 1752, transacted S. to Kirk, Rattray, 17th Oct. 1753, trans. to Strichen, 17th May 1770, presented by George Graham of Kinness 17th Sept. 1783, trans. and died 29th June 1784, aged 12th April 1803. He married 2nd Sept. 1774, Elizabeth, 19th Sept. 17th March 1790, died 18th May 1800, daughter of Thomas Mayne of Powis Lodge, merchant, Linton, and had issue. Helen, born 24th June

1755, died 12th Feb. 1768.; Ann, born 21st June 1756; Jean, born 19th March 1758, died 4th Sept. 1769.; John, born 24th April 1759, died 26th Jan. 1769.; Frances Allan, born 17th March 1761, died 11th July 1763.; Elizabeth, born 18th May 1762, died 2nd March 1774.; Margaret, born 31st Dec. 1763.; Mayne (deceased), born 6th March 1765, died 21st March 1808.; Francis, born 18th June 1766, died 26th Jan. 1768.; William, born 24th April 1768, died 16th May 1770.; Helen, born 27th July 1770.; Edward, born 23rd May 1772. Publications: *An Enquiry into the Subject and Manner of Apostolical Preaching*, a sermon (Glasgow, 1765); *The Objections of the Presbytery of Dunbar against Mr Adlie's Discourse on James i. 27, explained and defended* (Glasgow, 1771); *Account of the Parish Sinclair's Stat. Rec.* vii. [Steven's Scot. Church in Rotterdam, 292.]

GEORGE CRAIG DALZIEL BUCHANAN, born about 1775, son of **1804** James Craig, architect; licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 28th Aug. 1799; pres. by trustees of George Graham of Kinross 29th July 1803; ord. 3rd May 1804; assumed the name of Dalziel Buchanan in 1803; D.D., St Andrews, 27th April 1829; died 12th April 1842. Publication: *Account of the Parish New Stat. Rec.* ix.)

JOHN ALEXANDER CASTLE-MAINE TANNOCH, trans. and **1842** adm. from St David's Chapel, Edinburgh, 27th Sept. 1842; trans. to Glamis 31st Oct. 1844.

WILLIAM PETERS, born 1821, son of **1845** Alexander P., schoolmaster. Mar. (noct) educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen. M.A. 1837.; ord. 2nd Jan. 1845.; died 26th Jan. 1894. He marr. (1) 24th April 1845, Margaret Simpson, and had issue: Mary Eliza, born 13th June 1846; William, born 24th Jan. 1848; Margaret (twin), born 24th Jan. 1848; James Black, born 13th Nov. 1849; Jessie Anne, born 14th Sept. 1851; John, born 13th Nov. 1854; Robert Moir, born 12th Oct. 1857; Florence Jane, born 8th Sept. 1859; Charles, born 18th Jan. 1862; (2) 29th

Dec. 1870. Margaret, died Nov. 1734, daughter of Peter Findlater, Auchterarder, Banffshire; (3) 29th Dec. 1875, Beatrice, born 2nd July 1833, died 26th Aug. 1911, daughter of Robert Pringle, manufacturer, Hawick.

FREDERICK HUNTER WILLIAMSON, son, born Greenlaw, Berwickshire, **1895** 14th Nov. 1865, son of John Williamson, parish schoolmaster, and Mary Ann Conacher; educated at Madras College and Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1888); B.D. 1895; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews in 1890; assistant in this parish; ord. 3rd July 1895. Marr. 2nd June 1906, Helen, eldest daughter of Alexander Smart Hayfield, Kinross, and has issue: Margaret Stedman, born 11th Aug. 1908; John, born 23rd May 1909; Winifred Conacher, born 26th July 1912; Helen Mary Joyce, born 1st June 1914.

MUCKHART.

[The parish of Muckhart was disjoined on 2nd October 1632 from the Presbytery of Auchterarder, and was added to that of Dunfermline. On 9th Oct. 1639 it was taken from the Presbytery of Dunfermline and given back again to that of Auchterarder. In 1856 it was severed from Auchterarder a second time and was incorporated in the Presbytery of Kinross.]

JAMES PATON, of the family of Ballisisk; min. here on 16th Jan. 1585/6; **1585** was accused 2nd Dec. 1589 of treasonable assistance given by him to George, Earl of Huntly, Archibald, Earl of Argyll, and other conspirators against the King and of sending Archibald Robesonne in his name and upon his expense to Linlithgow for the advancement of the foresaid treasonable enterprise. He was consecrated Bishop of Dunkeld 1572 (*q. 3*).

HARRY COLVILLE, pres. to the parsonage 27th Aug. 1579, to be admitted if **1579** he be found qualified to use the office of minister, again pres. 5th Oct. 1579; pres. to Orphir 6th June 1580. [*R. & S. Sig.* xliv. 10, 67.]

THOMAS SWINTON, son of Sir Thomas Swinton of that Ilk, trans. and adm. from Tullibed before 29th Sept. 1583.

JAMES COCKBURN, edoc. of the Patrick and brother of John C. of Clerkington, pres. pro tempore, and vicar of Ayr by James VI, 16th Feb. 1573, which is a canonry or prebendary of the Chapel Royal of Stirling, had also a gift of the emoluments of Kilmadr St Mary, Brechin, in 1576; pres. by James VI, 12th Jan.; inst. 31st Dec. 1585, deposed for non-residence 10th Aug. 1591. [Reg. Assiz. Block's Hist. of Brechin, 41.]

WILLIAM PANTON, min. in 1580, 1583. [Reg. Assiz. 5.]

ANDREW KIRK, M.A., reader from 1583 to 1586, and at Aberdeenshire 1583. Dalgety in 1587, pres. to the vicarage of Aberdeenshire by James VI, 29th May 1587, min. here in 1588; trans. to Glandevon in 1591.

ALEXANDER SIMSON, M.A., adm. in 1591, trans. to Alva in 1592.

PATRICK DAVIDSON, M.A., Edinburgh, 1587, min. of Auchterarder in 1604; pres. by James VI, before 27th April, trans. and adm. 1591, died in 1621. He marr. Marion Mercer, who died 1st Dec. 1622. [Reg. Assiz. : Doc. 60, 1604, Bonn' Rec.]

ALEXANDER FOTHERINGHAM, M.A. (St. Andrews), 1616, adm. before 1st Oct. 1622, died June 1639, aged about 43. He marr. Margaret, daughter of John Piton of Middle Balloch, who survived him, and had issue: John Janet. [Stirring Pees., Perth, 8 ser., iii, 177.]

DAVID DRUMMOND, M.A., adm. before 9th Sept. 1639; trans. to Second Charge, Linlithgow, 21st April 1642.

JOHN GOVAN, M.A. (St. Andrews), 1635, ord. May 1644, appd. to Lord Kirkcudbright's Regiment by the Assembly 7th Feb. 1645, died of fever in Edinburgh Jan. 1659, aged about 41,

and was buried in the Henrykirk aisle in Grytniar Churchyard. "He was endued with a sharp wit, and a ready speech; he was president of the Law Society, and a member of the Inner, Outer, and Middle Courts. He had an excellent memory of the law, and could have written well if he had given himself in it; but he did not do so. Likewise he was a most exact scholar, and a diligent of letters; his pen was better extremely quick and ready, and short; there were none in Britain at that time would have gone beyond him in the art, and few of a gentle and plenteous conversation; he was courteous andrewled by the best of qualities, and earnest in the resolution to write their histories, which he did in parliament, or willingly, moste pertained with shelling him, which made a glorious appearance. He did write several copies of the Covenant very faire. He could have written also in a print character, the Lord's Prayer, Creed, and Head of the Commandments, within the circumference of a Tunner, as upon each two pence Scots." He marr'd 1636 Helen, daughter of Archibald Rynd, min. of Tullibeddy who survived him, and marr'd 2nd Patrick Geddie, citizen of St. Andrews, and had issue: John, min. of Campsie, Patrick, writer, Edinburgh, Ann, married at 29th April 1657, Thomas, Factor, Principal of the New College, St. Andrews, Barbara, marr'd 29th Aug. 1657, Robert Mylne, writer, Edinburgh, died 11th Dec. 1627, Mary, 1658, & 1659, Pres., in 1633. [See Stirring Pees., iii, 13; MacKillop, The Parish and its Churches, 26.]

JAMES FORSYTH, formerly of Larbert, and adm. before 11th Oct. 1636, trans. to Auchter 8th Oct. 1636.

JAMES FORSYTH, M.A., adm. before 18th May 1632, trans. to Bothkennar 11th May 1635.

DAVID MONCREIFF, M.A., adm. before 17th April 1637, trans. to Abendoch 22nd April 1637.

ROBERT SHARP, M.A. (Glasgow), 1632, borm. by George, Bishop of Edinburgh, 2nd Sept. 1638, ord. after 6th July; adm. 16th Sept. 1677,

His goods having been plundered, the Sheriff of Fife was ordered by the Privy Council 13th Aug. 1679, to apprehend the robbers and endeavour to recover the stolen property, the case being also recommended to the Treasury. He was dep. for contumacy, between 11th April and 12th Oct. 1697.

JOHN GIB, M.A.; ord. 10th May 1698; trans. to Cleish 31st March 1701.

ANDREW URE, called in 1702; ord. 16th Feb. 1703; trans. to Fossoway 25th April 1717.

DAVID GUTHRIE, licen. by Presb. of Perth 9th June 1711; called 16th 1718 Oct. 1717; ord. 8th Jan. 1718; died 9th March 1724.

ALEXANDER WARDROBE, called 1725 3rd Dec. 1724 by the Presb. *jure deservit*; ord. 7th April 1725; trans. to Whithorn 2nd March 1732.

ARCHIBALD RENNIE of Easter Ballilisk, born Stirling about 1705; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh 1st May 1724; licen. by Presb. of Stirling 9th Dec. 1730; pres. by George III. 20th June 1732, and after much opposition, ord. by a committee of the Commission of Assembly 18th April 1733; died 13th March 1786. During his long incumbency dissent was so strong in the parish that he never preached in the church except the first Sunday, never had an elder, never dispensed the Communion, never had any collection for the poor, and, with the exception of the dining-room, where he conducted services, let the manse. He took a lease of the farm of Boghall in the parish for twenty-one years and purchased the estate of Easter Ballilisk. He marr. 12th Aug. 1734, Margaret Warden, who died 17th Sept. 1789, and had issue—Archibald of Easter Ballilisk.—[*Muckhart—The Parish and its Churches*, 18.]

ANDREW GIBSON, born 1741; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. 1766 by Presb. of Dunfermline 19th Nov. 1766; assistant at Alva 1767-86; pres. by

George III. 3rd April, and ord. 5th Dec. 1786; died 18th Oct. 1830. He marr. 4th Dec. 1783, Catherine Morrison, who died 20th June 1842, and had issue—James, born 12th April 1787; William, merchant, Glasgow, born 6th Dec. 1788; Andrew, born 12th Nov. 1790; Henry, born 25th Feb. 1793, died 13th March 1798; Janet, born 24th Sept. 1797; Henry, born 4th March 1801; Alexander, born 6th Jan. 1804, died 7th Nov. 1805; Catherine, born 7th March 1806. Publication—*Account of the Parish* (Sinclair's *Stat. Acc.*, ix.).

ROBERT ALLAN, M.A.; pres. 1824 by George IV. in Feb., and ord. (assistant and successor) 15th July 1824; trans. to Little Dunkeld 2nd Feb. 1826.

WILLIAM ROBERTSON, pres. by 1831 William IV. 8th Dec. 1830; ord. 28th July 1831; trans. to Logie 12th Jan. 1832.

JAMES THOMSON, born Ormiston, East Lothian, 1800, son of John T. 1832 of Prior Letham, merchant, Leith, and Margaret Reddie; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Dalkeith 9th Dec. 1823; pres. by William IV. 9th May, and ord. 23rd Aug. 1832. Joined the Free Church in 1843; min. of the Free Church, Dollar and Muckhart 1843-63; died in Edinburgh 24th Dec. 1871. He marr. 26th Dec. 1850, Mary Maclaurin Monteith, who died at Salthill, 28th April 1867, and had issue—John, born 19th Feb. 1854; Mary Monteith, born 23rd March 1856; Alexander, born 12th April 1858; Margaret, born 29th March 1860. Publications—*Account of the Parish* (*New Stat. Acc.*, x.); *Sermon XCIII. (Free Church Pulpit*, ii.).

ALEXANDER MOORHEAD 1843 **FERGUSON**, born about 1809, second son of John F., artificer, Kilmadoeck; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; substitute schoolmaster at Logie, Bridge of Allan, for his brother Daniel, who had become mentally unfit, 1831-43; pres. by Queen Victoria 21st March, and

1800, 29 Sept. 1843, buried manse, 4th Dec.
1843, [Parishes in 1843, p. 267, 313.]

GEORGE PAULIN, born Berwickshire,
16th July 1819, son of George Paulin,
rector of Irongray, Ayrshire, brother
of Howell, George, and Oliver Paulin;
of Edinburgh, M.D., died in Berwick 1st Aug.
1851. He had been educated at Irongray
Academy and University of Edinburgh, receiving
the M.A. of Irongray, &c., by Queen Victoria
1837. He died in Irongray May 1850, res. 5th
Nov. 1850, interred in Edin. 2nd April
1851. He married 12th Feb. 1844, Jane
Carr, daughter of Mr. Miller of Milngavie, 10th May 1823
and widow of George Paulin, Rector of Irongray,
and was buried 2nd June 1851. Jane Wright, born
27th Aug. 1825, married 26th June 1849, Dr
Dugald Macmillan, born 25th Oct. 1800
interred Nov. 1850, John Westwood, George
Henry, A.R.S.A., sculptor, Glasgow, born
14th Aug. 1858, Charles Ross, painter,
Irving, Largs, born 15th Feb. 1860, died
at Irongray 14th Feb. 1861. [M. *Edinburgh
Review*, 1862, Oct., p. 126, portrait, 56.]

JOHN EDGAR CAIRNS, born Castle
1807, Earl Mayo, 13th July 1866, son of
John Cairns, at Tulliboch and
Cairnhill, and Mary Jane Steens, educated
at Intermediate School, Bellary, R.A.M.,
Bellary, and Loyd Univ. of Ireland, B.A.
1857, M.A. 1859, Rec'd. by Presb. of
Cornwall 17th April 1860, assistant at Holy
wood, C. D. Brown, Ord. to Cethbar 10th
March 1861, trans. and adm. 25th April
1867. Marr. 1st Jan. 1869, Edith Annie
born 7th March 1871, daughter of William
Robertson, Killaloe, and has issue
William Thomas Stanley, 2nd Lieut. R.A.F.,
born 25th March 1895, Muriel Margaret,
born 13th Jan. 1897 (marr. 26th Oct. 1921),
George Henry Peilin, A.R.S.A., Charles
Albert, heir at Irongray, Cudby, born 1st Oct.
1888, Eva Mary Steens, born 2nd March 1900
(marr. 26th Nov. 1923), Jane Rennie, sixth
son of Alexander Izatt, C.I.E., of Ballincloch,
Frederick Edgar, born 26th Aug. 1892, John
Douglas, born 13th March 1903; Isabth
Jane, born 17th Aug. 1906, Robina Elizabeth,
born 31st Oct. 1910, died 28th Dec.
1914, Alice Neld, born 29th June 1912.

ORWELL.

The parishes of Orwell were originally
from Kynross 1507. On 16th Jan. 1732,
the Court of Session removed the parish
church from Orwell to Milnathort. The
remains of the old church are still to be
seen in the churchyard of Orwell.

JAMES DOOWIE, minister 1597, with
1597 his son also in charge, removed
there in 1593.

DAVID SPENS, trans. from Kirkcudby
1581, in 1584, trans. there, 1st Apr. 1584.

WILLIAM BALFOUR, vicar of West
1584 Linton, in 1584, was court collector
“within the bounds of Kirkcudby,
and Kynross, of mills of the Bishop of Shrews-
bury 1584, held the vicarage pensionary
of Kynross and Orwell from 1584, exchequer
at Kynross 1587-12, deceased in 1594, re-
deceased in 1599, marr. in 1584, died in
1586. He marr. Elizabeth Bellair, widow
of Troyis Grigsden, *curia Webster*, burgess
of Leith, she died in Dec. 1590. [Reg.
Assy., *Liber Pynegys*, Wodrow MSS.]

WILLIAM PATON, M.A., trans. from
1592 Makenstoun, presb. by James VI,
before 22nd March 1592, trans. to
Dalcross in 1598.

PATRICK GEDDIE, M.A., St Andrews
1601 1593, marr. in 1601, pres. to church
of Orwell by William, Earl of
Morton, 7th July 1618, died June 1656,
aged about 84. He bequeathed £30 to
certain poor people in the parish. He marr.
in Sept. 1633, Barbara Geddie, who died at
St Andrews June 1660, and had issue
Michael, belli of St Andrews, Robert,
marr. of Arngask; John, buried in Grey-
friars, Edinburgh, 11th Jan. 1664; Anna
marr. Andrew Rynd, marr. of Tillieculter;
Margaret (marr. Alexander Henryson).
[Reg. Assy., *Greyfriars Burials*, St
Andrews Posts.]

JOHN GRAY, M.A., Edinburgh, July
1650 1642, called 12th Sept. 1649, ord.
(assistant) 26th March 1650, de-
prived by Act of Parliament 11th June,

and decree of Privy Council 1st Oct. 1662, decree passed against him, with others for keeping conventicles, 16th July 1671; granted an indulgence here 18th Dec. 1679, but discharged 8th July 1680; adm. to Dunfermline Meeting House before 17th April 1688, and returned here before 10th July that year. [Wodrow's *Hist.*, iii., 166; Kirkton's *Hist.*, 350.]

ALEXANDER MALCOLM, pres. by William, Earl of Morton, in Feb.; **1683** ord. and coll. 2nd June, and adm. 29th July 1683; elected to Tolbooth Parish, Edinburgh, 28th Oct. 1693.

ALEXANDER SHAW, M.A.; ord. after 29th March, and adm. 17th May **1685** trans. to Beath April 1673.

GEORGE GRAHAM, M.A., son of George G., min. of Stronsay; adm. before 16th July 1673; trans. to Lochmaben in 1675.

ALEXANDER LUNDIE, M.A.; ord. prior to 3rd Oct. 1677; trans. to **1677** Carnbee 27th April 1681.

JOHN GRAY, M.A.; above mentioned, **1679** indulged here in 1679.

CHARLES M'KINNON, adm. 7th Sept. 1681; deprived by Privy Council, **1681** 29th Aug. 1689, for not reading the Proclamation of the Estates, etc.

JOHN GRAY, M.A.; above mentioned, **1683** returned before 16th July 1688; dem. 3rd July 1690. He marr. Margaret Crawford, and had issue—Euphan. [Perth *Sas.*, x., 16.]

ANDREW THOMSON, born 1651, son of Thomas T., burgess of Inverkeithing; **1688** ord. in a meeting-house at Milnathort 27th Sept. 1688; declared min. by General Assembly 4th Feb. 1692; died 14th Sept. 1715. (His niece, Janet Thomson, marr. 6th Dec. 1705, Henry Stenhouse, M.A., schoolmaster, Inverkeithing, who was shot 6th April 1707 by Robert Balfour, Master of Burleigh.) He marr. 17th March 1692, Rachael, daugh. of David Oswald of Dalderss, and had issue—Robert, min. of Girthon; Mary; Grizel

marr. pro. 19th Sept. 1712, William Auld, smith, burgess of Edinburgh; Isobell; Janet; Margaret; Ebenezer. [Edin. *Munr. Reg.*; *Tombst.*; *Reg. of Deeds*, Edin., clii., 4th Oct. 1712; Stephen's *Inverkeithing*, 301-5.]

JAMES BATHGATE, born 1685; **1717** M.A.; app. schoolmaster of Inverkeithing 12th June 1707; licen. by Presb. of Dunfermline 19th Oct. 1715; called 24th July, and by the Presb. *jure devicto* 12th Sept. 1716; ord. 6th March 1717; died 30th March 1724. He joined with the Erskines in a Representation to the General Assembly against the Act of 20th May 1720, condemning the *Marrow of Modern Divinity*, which book he vindicated in the pulpit. He marr. (1) 26th Oct. 1708, Margaret Gray in Dalgety, and had issue—James, min. of Dalgety, born Sept. 1709; (2) Isobel Dron, and had issue—John, born 1718. [Tombst.; Brown's *Gospel Truth*; *Scots Mag.*, xviii.; Fraser's *Lives of E. and R. Erskine*, 210; Stephen's *Inverkeithing*, 395.]

THOMAS MAIR, born 1701, son of William M., manufacturer, Strathmiglo; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Kincardine O'Neil 4th Oct. 1722; called 29th July, and ord. 27th Sept. 1725; adhered to the protest against the Commission's sentence loosing the four Seceders from their charges 16th Nov. 1733; was elected min. of the Scottish Church, Rotterdam, 21st Aug. 1736, but the call was set aside on 24th Nov. through false accounts having reached the Consistory that M. held Antinomian doctrines and opposed patronage; gave in his demission to the Presb. 16th, and his adherence to the Associate Presb. 18th Feb. 1737, and as their Moderator, read their declination at the bar of the Assembly 17th May 1739; dep. 15th May 1740, along with Ebenezer Erskine and his followers. He zealously opposed the Burgess Oath introduced in some burghs, and as officiating Moderator of the Associate Synod called a meeting of the majority, who constituted themselves the Synod (Antiburgher), and deposed those who differed from them. For dis-

at the conclusion of the Antiburgh Synod he was suspended 21st Aug. 1755, deposed and excommunicated 21st April 1756, and continued his ministry to such of his congregation as adhered to him. In 1760 and 1767 petitions for his restoration were refused by the Antiburghers. He died 15th Feb. 1768. The following is his epitaph at Orwell:

M. J. SPENCE, Minister of the Kirk
of ORWELL, in the County of
LUDLOWSHIRE, in the Diocese of
LUDLOW, in the Province of
Wales, and Extraordinary
Minister of the Kirk of
LUDLOWSHIRE, deceased, born in
Holland, 1700, died 15th Feb. 1768.
He was suspended 21st Aug. 1755,
deposed and excommunicated 21st April 1756, and continued his ministry to
such of his congregation as adhered to him.
He died 15th Feb. 1768, aged 68 years.
May his soul rest in peace.

He married, 26th June 1726, Ann Christie, of the parish of Alfordon, who died 8th Feb. 1755. *Replies of Present from the Ministers Associate, &c. to their Pastoral Conference, Edinburgh, 1756.* [See Case laid before the Session to satisfy the several desire Interrogations about the strange Book sent to the Associate Samuel and Mr. Muir.] Edinburgh, 1756. [A Covenant of Dates, and a Covenanted Consent with a Covenant of Oaths, concerning sermons.] Edinburgh, 1765. [Stevens' St. C. Church, Rutherford, 1747.] Fraser's *Life of Eliezer Erskine*, 537. *Locutor.* Woodrow's *Anal.* iii. 350. McKenrew's *Hist. of the Session*, 111 of sept. 1805. *Sects. M. J.* i. iii. ix. xvii. xix. *Denis' Hist. Forb.* Book, App. Ixxviii. Small's *Hist. of U.P. Ch.* i. 373-5.]

JOHN SPENCE, native of Ross-shire, M.A. King's College, Aberdeen, 27th March 1735, licensed by Presb. of Linlithgow 27th Dec. 1742, called 2nd Aug., and ord. 22nd Sept. 1744, suspended from acting in Church Courts by Assembly 23rd June 1752, for disobeying its orders regarding the Settlement of Inverkeithing, but reopened 1st June 1755, died 29th July 1769, having been reputed one of the best classical scholars in the Church. He marri-

ed 10th Oct. 1760, Jean daughter of Patrick Clew, native of Ireland, and had issue Patrick, his son, — r. John, born 17th April 1769; David, man of Kinross, born 16th Dec. 1770; Elizabeth, born 23rd April 1773, marr. 10th April 1773, Alexander Alison, merchant, birthplace Jersey, merchant Quibell, born 21st Dec. 1770; Margaret, born 20th July 1770. Published in *The Case of Present from the Kirk Session to their Pastoral Conference, Edinburgh, 1756.* [See Case laid before the Associate Samuel and Mr. Muir.]

PATRICK SLENCE, born 14th Sept. 1733, educated in proceedings of the University of Glasgow, M.A. 1760, licensed by Presb. of Dumfries 14th April 1778, appointed George Graham of Kinross 16th April 1785, and successor and successor 25th June 1786, died 28th July 1823. He was succeeded by Dr. Chalmers "one of the ablest men in the Church." He marr. 26th June 1794, Elizabeth Storar, who died 27th Feb. 1823, and had issue John, born 27th Aug. 1795.

JAMES WEMYSS, born 1795, son of David W., St. Andrews, educated at Univ. of St. Andrews, licensed by Presb. of St. Andrews 5th May 1816, presbytery the trustees of Thomas Graham of Kinross 21st and 27th Nov. 1823, ord. 6th May 1823, died 25th April 1842. He marr. 12th Oct. 1824, Charlotte Syme, died in Edinburgh 2nd Dec. 1852, and had issue David, only child, born 22d Aug. 1832. Publication Account of the Parish *Acc. Stat.* 4. viii.

JOHN GILCHRIST, ord. 25th Sept. 1842, trans. to Dumfries 21st Sept. 1843.

WALTER LITTLE, born Jedburgh, 1808, son of William Little, tanner, and Mary Lamb, and brother of William Little, min. of Kirkpatrick Juxta, educated at Univ. of Edinburgh, ord. 14th Feb. 1844, died 6th Aug. 1860. He marr. 2nd Dec. 1846, Christian Pearson, who died 11th June 1873.

WILLIAM LAIDLAW McDougall, born St Mungo, Dumfriesshire, 13th **1879** Feb. 1842, son of George M. and Margaret Boyes; educated at Earlsferry School and Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (1875); licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh; assistant at Linlithgow, and St Cuthbert's, Edinburgh; ord. (assistant and successor) 10th April 1879; res. 1st Dec. 1910; died at Dollar 10th March 1912. He marr. 4th July 1869, Annabella Rogerson (born 30th Dec. 1868), second daugh. of James Bell Carruthers, M.D., Edinburgh, and Jane Rogerson, and had issue Jane Carruthers, born 17th March 1901; William Laidlaw, born 21st June 1902; Margaret Orwell, born 18th Sept. 1905. Publications: *Reminiscences of Annabellie of Last Century* (Dumfries, 1912); "The Early Days of Thomas Carlyle" (*Dumfries Herald*).

ALEXANDER JOHN CAIRNS RITCHIE, born Whiterm, 29th April **1911** 1885, son of Alexander R., D.D., min. of Dunblane; educated at Stirling High School, George Watson's College, and Unive. of Edinburgh and St Andrews; M.A. (1905), B.D. (1909); licen. by Presb. of Perth May 1908; assistant at Galashiels; ord. 13th April 1911. Marr. 20th March 1917, Alice Mary Paterson, second daugh. of Arthur Anderson Dickson, Galashiels, and Jessie Roberts, and has issue Ian Alexander, born 24th April 1919, died 11th July 1922; Arthur Anderson, born 29th March 1922.

MILNATHORT.

[An Original Secession Church which joined the Church of Scotland in 1839. Retained by the Free Church in 1843.]

JAMES THORNTON, born Glasgow, 24th Dec. 1791, second son of James **1839** T., drysdtter, and Isabella Shaw; educated at Univ. of Glasgow and Burgher Synod Hall; licen. by Original Secession Presb. of Glasgow 12th Dec. 1815; ord. min. of Original Secession Church at Milnathort 27th Aug. 1846; clerk to Original Secession Presb. of Perth and Dunfermline. Joined the Church of Scot-

land in 1839. Joined the Free Church in 1843; min. of Orwell Free Church 1843-74; died suddenly in his chair while conversing with some friends on family business, 3rd Sept. 1874. He marr. 26th Dec. 1850, Elizabeth (died 9th Oct. 1882), daugh. of David Morison and Margaret Hay, and had issue a son (still born) 7th July 1855; a daugh. (still born) 17th Dec. 1857. [Scott's *Annals of Original Secession Church*, 489.]

PORTMOAK, OF OLD KIRKNESS.

[The church of Kirkness was dedicated to St Moan; but there was a later dedication to St Stephen. The ancient Celtic Priory of Loch Leven was founded on St Serf's Inch in this parish in 838. King David I. converted it into an Augustinian Monastery, and made it a cell of St Andrews. The parish contained also the hospital of Scotlandwell, belonging to the Red Friars. It was founded by William Malvoisine, Bishop of St Andrews, who died in 1233.]

JOHN RENTON, canon of St Andrews **1565** Priory, reader in 1565-6. [*Acts and Dec.*, lxxvi, 61; *Process in Register House*.]

HENRY FORSYTH, reader; pres. to **1573** vicarage 13th Feb. 1573, but does not seem to have been admitted.

WILLIAM BALFOUR, reader in **1574** 1574.

WILLIAM BRAIDFUTE, member of the Chapter of St Andrews prior to **1590** Reformation; min. of Falkland or Kilgour in 1567; pres. to vicarage of Strathmiglo by James VI. 27th Jan. 1572; pres. to vicarage of Markinch 13th Sept. 1583; trans. to Ballingry after 1st Jan. 1584; returned to Markinch before 1585; trans. and adm. about 1590; died 18th March 1594. He marr. Elizabeth, sister of William Lundie in Suther Fawfield; she survived him, and had issue Henry; David; Beatrix; Margaret; Elspet.—[*Inq. Ret. Fife*, 206; *St Andrews Tests.*; *Fife Sts.*, viii, 405.]

JOHN WILKIE, M.A., St Andrews, 1603, 29th Nov. 1596, named 1st Oct., still named 1st May 1604, died 14th June 1632. He marr'd Ethelis, or Harry, daughter of a Scotch peer. [See also *Royal Seal*.]

HARRY WILKIE, son of preceding, 1633, pres. by Charles I, 11th June 1637, ord. for 14th and 15th, 29th Feb. 1633, trans. to Wemyss 3rd Nov. 1632.

GEORGE OGILVIE, M.A., pres. by Charles I, 3rd Dec. 1642, adm. 13th Sept. 1643, App. Synod, clerk 5th April 1646, trans. to Kirkcaldy 17th May 1655.

JOHN BRUCE, M.A., St Andrews 1643, son of George Wishart, Bishop of Edinburgh 9th May 1603, pres. and coll. by James, Archibishop of St Andrew, 29th April 1609, deposed for drunkenness 6th Sept. 1609, had clarity from the Kirk Session of Stirling 10th June 1609, died in Edinburgh 28th Sept. 1609. He marr'd (1) const. 12th Dec. 1606, Helen, daughter of Robert Bruce, minister of Ballochry; (2) Elizabeth Leighton, who survived him. [*Grocer's Royal Register of Pastors*, ix., App. 18; *G. R. H.* ed. 29th April 1670, *Title-List*, iv., 192; *Treasury of L.* L. 3, 10th July 1609.]

WILLIAM MACKIE, adm. after the Toleration in 1687; trans. to Kirkcaldy 1687, died 10th Feb. 1698.

JOHN WILSON, M.A., called 19th Sept., and ord. 29th Nov. 1688, trans. to Kirkcaldy 22nd Oct. 1702.

EBENEZER ERSKINE, M.A., called 26th May, and ord. 22nd Sept. 1703, trans. to Third Charge, Stirling, 8th July 1731.

ROBERT DOUGLAS, called 25th Dec. 1734, ord. 1st May 1735, died 28th Sept. 1742. He marr'd, Helen, youngest daughter of Sir Robert Douglas of Kirkness, and had issue: Ann, Jean, marr'd George Clephane of Carnlogie. [See *Ante's Testes*, Douglas, L. 11, p. 31.]

JOHN MUDIE, pres. by James, 1743, son of John Mudie, Capt. Regt. by King of Kilkenny 9th April 1733, called 14th June, and ord. 1st Sept. 1733, died 29th June, and ord. 1st Sept. 1733, died 29th June 1737. He marr'd 17th Oct. 1722, Christian Riddell, born 10th Nov. 1702, and had issue: John, died 1707, in the parish of Maran, Fife; [See *Testes*, L. 12, p. 8, note 2, *H. S.*]

JOHN MUDIE, son of preceding, 1751, pres. by King of Kilkenny 10th July 1749, 22d April 1750, and died, without issue, 10th June 1751, son of 1st ord. 1st Sept. 1733. He marr'd 12th Sept. 1734, Helen Streeton, who died 17th June 1759, and had issue: Katherine, born 18th Sept. 1735, married to James, son of John, 16th July 1757; John, born 3rd Nov. 1737, William, born 11th Aug. 1759, died 12th April 1762; Robert, born 23rd Dec. 1744, died 17th Nov. 1766; Helen, born 12th July 1746.

ANDREW GRANT, pres. by George Graham of Kinnaird 22nd Jan., and ord. 10th Sept. 1684, trans. to Kirkcaldy 6th May 1692.

HUGH LAMRD, born 1703, second son of James, L. Farmer, Houston, educated at Univ. of Glasgow, M.A. 1731, licen. by Presb. of Glasgow 1st July 1731, ord. to Norrie-ton Chapel 1st Jan. 1814, pres. by trustees of George Graham of Kinnaird in Argyll, and died 19th Sept. 1802, D.D. Abridged O. 1744-1813. Joined the Free Church in 1843, named Lamark Free Church 1843, died 28th May 1849. He marr'd 14th Dec. 1802, Elizabeth Blackhall, Dunoon, die 1st Nov. 1843, aged 61, and had issue: Eliza, wife the Simpson, born 10th Dec. 1803; Emily Baxter, born 1st Jan. 1806; James Miller Riddell, born 7th Dec. 1807, died 10th Aug. 1832; Alexander Oswald, minister of Ardbeg Hall, born 24th Oct. 1808; Hugh, writer, Kinross, born 24th March 1810, died 1882; John, 1st D.D., min. of Inverkeilan, born 8th Aug. 1811; Robert, born 11th Nov. 1812, died 1842; George, born 29th May 1814, died 1885; Christina Drummond Riddell, born 13th May 1815, died 21st May 1821; Henry Monro, min. of Leslie Free Church, Fifeshire, born 29th Oct.

1816, died 12th Feb. 1852; Michael Lanning, born 2nd May 1818, died 1838; Mary Henderson, born 26th Nov. 1819 (marr. 15th Aug. 1833, Alexander Somerville, Stamp Office Edinburgh, died 1881; Drummond, born 28th May 1821, died 6th March 1831; Christina Drummond Riddell, born 15th May 1822 (marr. 29th Oct. 1850, James Swinton, min. of the Free Church, Portmoak, died 23rd Feb. 1905); Ann, born 1826, died 1831.

JOHN STEELE, born 11th Nov. 1803,
1844 third son of John S., farmer, Leiths,
 Lesmahagow, and Martha Semple; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; ord. to St Thomas's Chapel, Leith, 17th Oct. 1843; trans. and adm. 26th Sept. 1844; died in Edinburgh, 9th July 1887. He changed the spelling of his name from Stiell to Steele. He marr. 20th Nov. 1845, Jane (died 8th Dec. 1904), daugh. of John McLachlan, min. of Wemyss, and had issue - Christian Mary, born 25th Sept. 1856 (marr. her cousin, William Stiell); John, born 23rd Oct. 1854, died 1861; Hugh

Reoch, public company secretary, born 27th Sept. 1857; Martha, born 28th May 1859; John, tea planter, born 1862.

JAMES CAMPBELL BROWN, born 1881 Kilmarnock, 1852, son of Alexander B. and Jean Campbell, and brother of Alexander B., min. of Kirtle; educated at Univs. of Edinburgh and St Andrews; assistant at North Leith; ord. (assistant and successor) 29th March 1881; died unmarr. 10th Jan. 1908.

JAMES FERRIER POLLOCK, born 1903 Paisley, 3rd Oct. 1872, son of William P. and Jessie Jamieson; educated at John Neilson School and Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Kintyre; assistant at Dennistoun in 1902; ord. to Dennistoun Chapel, Glasgow, 12th Jan. 1904; trans. and adm. 15th May 1908; app. clerk of Presb. in 1912. Marr. 27th April 1915, Margaret, daugh. of John Muir, min. of Govanhill, and has issue - Margaret Muriel, born 1st Feb. 1916; Freda, born 26th July 1919.

PRESBYTERY OF KIRKCALDY

[The earliest notice of this Court known occurs on 28th April 1563. The Register of the Presbytery begins at 15th April 1633. There is a gap in the Record from 21st Sept. 1633 to 10th July 1658. The Presbyteries of Kirkcaldy and Dunfermline were united from 7th April 1662 till about the end of the seventeenth century.]

AUCHTERDERRAN.

[The church was built in 1789 and extended in 1891. At Cardenden in this parish there is a mission chapel of St Fothad.]

GEORGE BOSWELL, tenth and youngest son of David B. of Balmuto
1567 and Elizabeth Moneruff, min. in 1567, had Kinglassie and Leslie also in his charge in 1574; was infirm with his wife in the half land of Balgrie in 1586, died Jan. 1593. He drew up a genealogical account of his family. He marr. Isobel, daughter of Robert Sibbald of Leatham, and had issue Captain David, served heir 23rd Aug. 1615; Robert, George, Roger, Andrew, Elspet, Margaret; Katherine [Douglas] *Brown*, 310; *Reg. of Deeds*, xxiv, 41, 175 s., xxxi, xl; *Top. Rot. Pte*, 252; *Western Miscell.*; *Muir's Glenrothes*, 33.]

JOHN CHALMERS *procur*, min. in 1598, was one of the fifty-five mins. in 1608 who signed the Protestantion on behalf of the Liberties of the Kirk 27th June 1617; was summoned before the Court of High Commission, 27th Feb. 1620, for not observing the holy days and not administering the Communion according to the order prescribed by the Assembly at Perth, but was excused on account of sickness, died in 1632. He marr. (1) and had issue John, his successor in the parish; James, apprenticed to John

Beardon, merchant, Edinburgh, 7th Dec. 1631; Margaret; (2) c. 1631, 2nd Nov. 1636 Grizel Forrester, widow of John Semple, Jr. of Bowhill. [*Top. Rot. Gen.*, 2631; *Reg. of Deeds*, dxxix, 233; *Eccles. Apparatus & Reg.*, Livington's *L*(6).]

JOHN CHALMERS *procur*, son of preceding, educated at Univ. of 1639 St Andrews, M.A. 1627, was on the Exchequer in the Presbytery of Ayr 1632, adm. assistant 17th May 1638, presby. David Boswell of Balmuto in 1642, died 13th Nov. 1662, aged about 57. He marr. (1) Isobel Semple, Jr., and had issue John, Marie marr. George Dewar in Leethamend; Elizabeth marr. — Paton; (2) Margaret Carnichael, who died between 26th July 1670 and 12th July 1671. [*St Andrews' Testam.*; *Launcells' Pet. Reg.*, 157; *Top. Rot. Gen.*, 2631, 2116, 5187.]

WILLIAM LINDSAY, adm. in 1663; trans. to First Charge, Perth, 9th 1663 April 1668.

THOMAS KINNINMONTH, M.A. (St Andrews 27th July 1657), became 1668 tutor in 1666 to Robert Maillard of Linlithgow, had testimonial for licence 1st Jan. 1662 from Presto of St Andrews; ord. to Kilmarry 20th Aug. 1663, trans. to Second Charge, Dunfermline, 18th July 1666, trans. and adm. 6th Dec. 1668; died July 1687, aged about 50. He marr. 24th Sept. 1667, Catherine Forrester, who survived him, and had issue James. Mar-

garet, three others. [*Archibald's Burials, St Andrews Tests.*; *P. C. Decreta*, 26th Jan. 1693; *Fountainhall's Dec.*, i.]

ROBERT GLASFURD, son of Baillie Patrick G. in Cupar; educated at **1689** Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (23rd July 1659); recommended by Presb. of St Andrews for licence 16th March 1664; adm. to Kemback 7th Sept. 1664; trans. to Kilmany in 1667; pres. by David Boswell of Balmuto, but the Primate refused to collate him Nov. 1688; adm. in 1689; accused of neither reading the Proclamation of the Estates, nor praying for William and Mary, 11th Sept. 1689, but acquitted by Privy Council; dep. for neglect of duty, etc., 1st Oct. 1690; died Nov. 1691, aged about 52. He marr. 16th March 1666, Annas Paterson in parish of Cupar, and had issue Andrew; Robert; George; Margaret. [*St Andrews Tests.*; *P. C. Papers*; *Peterkin's Constitut. of the Church*.]

THOMAS HARVIE, M.A. (Glasgow 1665); was a min. in Ireland for **1692** thirteen years and afterwards in England; attended the first meetings of mins. in Synod of Lothian after the Toleration; adm. to Abbotrule in 1689; called 30th Sept., trans. and adm. 20th Oct. 1692; suspended 2nd Nov. 1699 for profaning the Lord's Day, etc.; reponed by Synod 2nd Dec. that year; dem. same month and went to Ireland, and settled at Donech, near Londonderry; died Feb. 1717, aged about 72. [*Edin. Tests.*]

JOHN AFFLECK, born 1670; chaplain to Margaret, Countess of Rothes; **1700** licens. by Presb. of Kirkcaldy 15th Feb., called 3rd July, and ord. 18th Dec. 1700; died of fever in Edinburgh while attending the General Assembly 22nd May 1740. He marr. and had issue Elizabeth (marr. June 1744, John Dudgeon, tenant in Meikle Pinkerton, Dunbar).

MATTHEW MITCHELL, M.A. (Edinburgh, 26th Feb. 1739); called 23rd **1741** Sept. 1740; ord. 17th Sept. 1741; died 23rd March 1782. He marr. 20th Sept. 1749, Magdalene (died 8th Dec. 1777),

daughter of John Archibald, portioner of Drummaird, and had issue Anna, born 18th Aug. 1750, died 18th Dec. 1779; John, born 15th June 1752, died 11th Oct. 1768; Alexander, born 24th Aug. 1754, died 2nd Feb. 1780; James, born 12th May 1756; Marion, born 20th April, died 31st Dec. 1758; Murray Matthew, born 13th Aug. 1760, died 9th Sept. 1765. [*Tife Sus.*, xxxiii, 108.]

ANDREW MURRAY, born 1749, son of Alexander M., min. of Duffus; **1783** educated at King's College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1774); licen. by Presb. of Elgin 8th Sept. 1779; pres. by David Boswell of Balmuto 17th July 1782; ord. 13th March 1783; D.D. (St Andrews, 28th Dec. 1822); died FATHER OF THE CHURCH 29th April 1844. He marr. 28th June 1796, Janet Mackay, who died in Edinburgh, 13th Dec. 1855, aged 81, and had issue: Alexander, born 23rd May 1797, died in Jamaica, 21st Oct. 1821; John, min. of Morton, born 27th Nov. 1798; Isabella, born 26th May 1800 (marr. 27th April 1830, William Lang, W.S.), died 30th March 1891; Archibald, born 25th Jan. 1802, died 27th March 1867; Elizabeth, born 9th Nov. 1804 (marr. 21st Sept. 1830, Walter Horsburgh, W.S.), died 1866; Andrew, born 2nd July 1806; Rebecca, born 23rd Dec. 1808 (marr. 11th June 1839, William Stuart, Attorney in Exchequer); Charles, born 7th Sept. 1811. Publications—*Accounts of the Parish Sinclair's Stat. Acc.*, i., and *New Stat. Acc.*, ix..

PATRICK MACGREGOR GRANT, born Inverness-shire, 1805, son of **1844** Donald G., farmer, and Elspeth —; educated at King's College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1836); app. schoolmaster of Banchory-Devenick 10th March 1836; pres. by John Irvine Boswell of Kincaisie and Balmuto; ord. 27th Sept. 1844; became insane in 1855; died unmarr. in Edinburgh, 28th March 1889. Mainly through his exertions, the chapel-of-ease at Lochgelly was erected into a parish.—[Henderson's *Hist. of Banchory-Devenick*, 83.]

ARCHIBALD MCNEIL, HODGSON, born Corrahill House, Ayrshire, 24th April 1835; son of William H. and Margaret McNeil, educated at Symington, Ayr Academy, and Univ. of Glasgow, M.A. 1851, B.D. 1854; licentiate of Glasgow, 1854; minister of Hyndland in 1854; Halkyn, Glasgow, 1854; elected as assistant under Bellman, Ayr, March, died 1st Aug. 1855; minister of Fullarton 3rd July 1855; Mar. 1856; died 1st Oct. Jane Nicoll, eldest daughter of John Morrison Stewart, Greenhill House, Paisley, and his wife Jane Henderson McNeil, born 7th March 1807; Denyian McNeil, born 6th Nov. 1808; Highlanders, born 1st June 1808; Field-veterans' *Ordo Legerorum et Veteranorum's* Church Law Society, 1808; edited *Royalist Remains*, by John Under [Peter Under, the Fifeshire poet], Cupar, 1803; *Auchterderran, Fife, Past & Present History*, Paisley, 1923.

AUCHTERTOOL.

[The church of Auchtertool belonged to the Abbey of Inchcolm.]

WILLIAM THALLAND [or SHALLAND, or CHILLAND, or CHILLANE], reader from 1574, when he was deprived by the General Assembly. He became factor for William Kirkcaldy of Grange. (*The Parish of Auchtertool*, 1, 22, 60).

JOHN MICHAELSON, M.A., min. in 1588; trans. to Markinch in 1589.

JAMES TULLIS, brother of John T., min. of Wemyss, and maternal nephew of Andrew Bennett, min. of Monimail, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1587; adm. in 1590, pres. to vicarage by James VI. before 14th May 1594; died 15th Feb. 1603, aged about 36. He marr. Christian Wettre, who survived him, and had issue, John; James. (*Ecclesiastical Records of Dundee*.)

DAVID MARTIN, born 1556, son of the Laird of Kilraston, Perthshire, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1575; pres. by James VI. 20th March 1595, died after a period of infirm health 2nd Sept. 1636. He marr. Catherine,

daughter of Sir Robert Balfour, and had issue two sons, lawyers in Kinghorn and Burntisland. (*Trans. Recs. of Dundee*.)

WILLIAM BELL, M.A., pres. by 1630; Chalm's L. 24th Jan., and adm. 27th Nov. 1630; trans. to Drim, his native parish, 28th Nov. 1641.

JOSHUA MILDRED, M.A., pres. by 1642; Sir Andrew Skene of Hyndys, Oct. 1641; adm. 17th Feb.; inst. March 1642; trans. to Kinghorn, 2nd June 1651.

ANDREW WALKER, M.A., called by the parsoner, and Kirk Session in 1652; died 17th April 1652; trans. to Borth, Ayrshire, before 1654.

JOHN WILKIE, son of Harry Wilkies of Wemyss, educ'd at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 23rd July 1658; adm. a sott. 1660; died 18th March 1675, aged about 27. He marr'd Feb. 1669, Isobel, daughter of David Lindsay of Lissenden, in Lamont's *Deury*, 1761. (*Trans. Recs. of Dundee*, 333.)

THOMAS LITSTER, M.A., ord. 26th Sept. 1665; trans. to Aberdeenshire 1st Sept. 1668.

JOHN BLAIR, M.A., min. in 1672; 1672 trans. to St. Andrews 19th May 1682.

HENRY BALFOUR, of Halliehill, M.A. 1688; St Andrews, 28th July 1677; had testimonial for him from Presb. of St. Andrews 24th May 1682; adm. in 1686, dep. for constituency being a staunch Episcopalian, 22nd June 1693; retired to Halliehill, where he died. (*Wemyss Soc. Rec.*, 82d Ed. 1877.)

MARTIN SCHANK, M.A., called in 1694; July, and ord. 27th Sept. 1694; trans. to Newburgh 26th April 1697.

ANDREW ELLIOT, born 1673, licens'd by Presb. of Kirkcaldy 22nd Dec. 1700; 1698; called 30th Oct. 1699; ord. 26th Feb. 1700; elected Synod clerk 26th Sept. 1719; conjunct clerk 27th Sept. 1726; died 1st July 1745. He marr. 8th Sept. 1703, Margaret Forrester, who died 6th June 1754, and had issue Helen.

HENRY MOHR, a native of Linlithgow,
1746 Leen, by Presb. of Linlithgow 18th

April 1733; assistant at St. Ninians, pres. by James, Earl of Moray, Dec. 1745; ord. 1st May 1746; succeeded to the estate of his brother, the Rev. James M., D.D., of Edgemont County, North Carolina, in 1767; died 18th June 1786. He marr'd 13th Feb. 1764, Lilia Stewart in the parish of Linlithgow, who died 26th Feb. 1788, and had issue—Jean, born 2nd Dec. 1764; Agnes, born 12th April 1767 (mar. prof. 10th April 1792, Alexander Cunningham, writer, Edinburgh). Publications—*Sermons on Several Subjects and Occasions* (Edinburgh, 1759); *Faith in Christ, the First and Principal Work in Christianity*, a sermon (Edinburgh, 1764). [The Parish of Auchtertool, 81, 185.]

JOHN SCOTT, pres. by Francis, Earl of
1787 Moray, Dec. 1786; ord. 10th May
1787; trans. to Dalgety 1st March
1797.

FRANCIS NICOLL, M.A.; pres. by
1797 Francis, Earl of Moray, 26th July,
and ord. 21st Sept. 1797; trans. to
Mains and Strathmartine 19th Sept. 1799.

DAVID GUILDFORD, born 12th May 1765,
1800 son of William G., schoolmaster of
this parish; educated at Univ. of
St Andrews; leen, by Presb. of Kirkcaldy
6th Oct. 1790; became tutor in family of
General Wemyss of Wemyss, and that of
the Earl of Moray; pres. by Francis, Earl of
Moray, 5th March, and ord. 8th May 1800;
sometime clerk of Presb. and of Synod; died
unmarr. 9th July 1846. Publication—
Account of the Parish (*New Stat. Acc.*, ix.).
[The Parish of Auchtertool, 85.]

WALTER WELSH, born at Caplegill
or Moffat Water about 1799, son of
1843 John W., merchant, Liverpool (who
was son of Walter W. and Jane Baillie, the
maternal grandfather and grandmother of
Jane Baillie Welsh (Mrs Carlyle)); educated
at Univ. of Edinburgh; leen, by Presb. of
Penpont; assistant to preceding; pres. by
Francis, Earl of Moray, 23rd Nov. 1842;
ord. (assistant and successor) 13th Sept.
1843; died unmarr. 17th Dec. 1879. Thomas

Carlyle and his wife frequently visited the
Mans of Auchtertool, where Mrs Carlyle's
"dearest and only uncle," "sole male of my
house and heart, the father of the mind,"
died in 1853. [Stevenson's *Auchtertool*,
133-42; Thomas Carlyle's *Reminiscences*;
Mrs Carlyle's *Letters*, 143, 200.]

ANDREW MILLER, M.A.; adm. 3rd
1830 June 1880; trans. to Blaybally, Glas-
gow, 20th Nov. 1885.

DONALD MACMILLAN, M.A.; trans.
1836 from Wanlockhead, and adm. 29th
April 1886; trans. to Kelvinhaugh,
Glasgow, 8th July 1891; dem. that charge
1923. (Cf. Vol. III, 419.) Publications—*Life
of Professor William Hume, D.D.* (Glasgow,
1923); *The Teaching in Socialist and Prolet-
arian Sunday Schools* (Glasgow, 1923).

WILLIAM STEVENSON, born Mid-
1891 Kelton Farm, Castle Douglas, 17th
Dec. 1852, son of Robert S. (youngest
son of James S. of Threepwood, Renfrew-
shire) and Marion, daugh. of John Whyte-
ford, farmer, Willowyard of Beith, Ayrshire;
educated at Balmacellan School and Univ.
of Glasgow; M.A. 1878; leen, by Presb.
of Glasgow June 1881; assistant at Campsie
and Markinch; ord. to Middle Parish,
Perth, 29th Sept. 1882; trans. and adm.
17th Dec. 1891; died 1st July 1905. He
marr'd. 19th Sept. 1883, Isabella Walker,
younger daugh. of Alexander Gibb, farmer,
Auchmutie, Markinch, and had issue—
Robert, Government surgeon, South Africa,
served in East Africa, born 17th Feb. 1886;
Isabella Walker, born 6th Aug. 1887;
William Alexander, capt. H.L.L., born
12th Feb. 1889, died of wounds at Valen-
ciannes 20th Dec. 1917; Alistair, capt.
R.A.M.C., born 13th Oct. 1890; Bertha St
John, born 13th Nov. 1891 (marr. 6th Nov.
1924, John Ernest Mour, Calentice); Marion
Whyteford, born 3rd Feb. 1893, died 31st
Oct. 1894; James Whyteford, born 1st
Nov. 1894, died 28th March 1895; John
Whyteford, M.C., capt. 2nd H.L.L., born
2nd April 1896. Publications—*A Short
Historical Account of the Kirk and Kirk
Session of Markinch* (Cuper, 1882); *Lecture
on the History of St. John's Church, Perth*

Perth, 1693; *The Presbytery of Kirkcaldy*, 1695 & 1698; Kirk-day, 1699; *The Kirkcaldy Presbytery*, Kirk-day, 1699. [Memorandum printed by Auchtertool.]

JAMES STEWART WATT IRVINE
1698 born 17th Dec. 1875, son of James Stewart Watt, laird of Stairland, Laird of Fife, and of Univ. of Aberdeen, M.A. 1900, B.D. 1903, L.L.B. by Pres. of Kirkwall in 1903, assistant at West Parish, Aberdeen, and St. Georges, Edinburgh, until 3rd Dec. 1908. Marr. 11th April 1920, Louis, daughter of John Macleod Macgregor, min. of Kilmore.

BUCKHAVEN (Q.S.).

[A chapel was built here in 1692. On 6th June 1713 the parish of Buckhaven was disjoined from Wemyss, Methil, and Milton of Balgonie.]

JAMES STORRY BANNERMAN, min.
1693 15th July 1693, trans. to Newcastle upon Tyne 28th Oct. 1694, min. of Clarke in 1693, &c.

JOHN MACKECHNIE, trans. from Beach Mission, Brightley Ferry,
1695 23rd Feb. 1695, trans. to Strontsay 17th Dec. 1697.

ALEXANDER COLIN HENDERSON,
1698 M.A., B.D., sometime min. of Duffing, adm. 18th June 1698, trans. to Whalsay 8th Sept. 1699.

WILLIAM DUNLOP, born Patna, Ayrshire, 3rd Nov. 1696, son of James D. and Agnes Galloway, educated at Univ. of Glasgow, born by Pres. of Ayr 4th May 1692, assistant at Coltness in 1692, missionary at Buckhaven, and to Caledonian Church, London, 18th Oct. 1696, trans. and adm. 23rd March 1711, adm. first min. of parish 7th June 1698, dem. July 1623. Marr. 19th Aug. 1698, Mary Grant Watson.

JOHN W. SPENCE, born Arbroath 1699, 19th June 1692, son of John Spence of St. Modans, Kirkcaldy, and Janet Johnson, educated at Westminster School

and George Watson's College, and Univ. of Edinburgh, licensed by Pres. of Edinburgh 1692, minister of St. George-in-the-Fields, Gloucester, 1st 23rd Sept. 1693. Marr. 19th Feb. 1694, Mary Ann, died 17th Aug. 1694, daughter of John Pettycock, and has issue, Mary Pettycock, born 6th March 1695, &c. and John 1696, son of a Young, daughter of John Walker.

BURNTISLAND.

In old times the parish, often styled Kinghorn Water or Little Kinghorn. It was at one time divided from Kinghorn, away off the Fife Coast. The Parish Church was dedicated to St. Serf. It belonged to the Abbey of Dunfermline. The ruins of the old church still stand at the Kirkcaldy Brae, near the ferry, and claimed a seat every fourth year. In 1702 a new and larger church was built in the town, on a hill above the Kirkcaldy Brae. On 12th May 1694, when this new church was built, the General Assembly met in it. In that year there was a great outbreak of plague in Edinburgh, and in various other populous places. Therefore the Assembly was called to meet at Burntisland, which had a large Hospital, King James VI. founded, after him, the Burntisland Assembly, and took an active part in its work. It was there that His Majesty called the attention of the Church to the need of a new and authoritative version of the Scriptures in English. The Assembly heartily took up the idea, and appointed a committee to further it. In 1695, however, Rev. James B. added to the English translation of his home for the rvs. of the Bible was carried out in England, resulting in the Authorised Version of 1611. The Parish Church, in which the Assembly met, is a grandly proportioned building. It is said to be the work of a Dutch architect. Fairs of St. Serf, St. Peter, and St. Clement were held at Burntisland.

JOHN BROWN, reader in 1567, 1607 reader from 1573 to 1589.

ANDREW LAMB, min. in 1593, trans. 1593 to Arbroath in 1596.

WILLIAM SYMON, min. in 1597,
1597 granted liberty by General Assembly,
 21st March 1600, to take another
 charge, as the Crown had refused to pay
 him any stipend, trans. to Dunbarton in
 1601.

WILLIAM WATSON, trans. from Old
1601 Kirk, Edinburgh, and adm. by a
 committee of Assembly with advice
 of King James VI. in 1601; was one of
 eight mins. summoned to London by the
 King 21st May 1603 to confer with him
 with a view to carrying measures opposed
 to the former ecclesiastical policy. After
 an absence in London for five months the
 Session demanded his demission and he
 was ordered to confine himself to his own
 parish. This was recalled when certain
 articles were agreed to at Falkland 16th
 June 1608. In consequence of a riot in
 the burgh to which he gave countenance
 he was dismissed by the Privy Council
 and ordered to transport himself out of the
 burgh before 10th Jan. 1610. These per-
 secutions, however, rendered him only more
 popular with his parishioners. On 12th
 May 1609 the King assigned him 500 marks
 for stipend, which sum he bespeaketh for the
 support of the minister in all time coming.
 He was trans. to Markinch in 1616.

JOHN MICHAELSON, M.A. (St Andrews 1583); adm. to Auchter-
1616 tol about 1588; trans. to Markinch in 1589, signed petition against the intro-
 duction of Episcopacy, 1st July 1606, but
 showed his inconsistency by being nomin-
 ated Constant Moderator of Presb. by
 Assembly, Dec. that year; was a member
 of the Episcopal party at the conference at
 Falkland 16th May 1608; app. clerk of the
 Diocesan Synod of St Andrews 9th Oct.
 1610; trans. and adm. 25th Jan. 1616; D.D. (1621); was one of the Commissioners
 for Church Discipline 21st Oct. 1634, dep.
 for contumacy 7th Feb. 1639. Being called
 upon to subscribe the Covenant 12th March
 1640, he excused himself on the ground of
 age and inability to travel but was given
 from 19th March till Whitsunday to comply,
 and on 9th July he was appointed to make his
 repentance within the Kirk of Burntisland,

but did not do so. He marr. (1) Euphemia, probably daugh. of John Halkhead, burgess
 of Kirkcaldy, and had issue. Agnes (marr.
 1623, Richard Ross, burgess of Burntisland), died 1651; John, went to England, pres. to
 Chelmsford in 1623, died 1674; Andrew,
 declined the Covenant, and fled to England
 in 1640; (2) Isabella Orrok, and had issue.
 Isabella, served heir to her mother 2nd May
 1633. Publications. *The Longfulness of
 Keeping at Communion* printed by Raban,
 St Andrews, 1620; contributed Latin verses
 to *The Pearle of Prayer* by William Nairn,
 parson of Dysart (Edinburgh, 1630). [Reg.
 Soc. Sig.; *Maitland Miscell.*; *Inq. Ret. Fife*,
 1861; *Fif. Sis. Soc. Reg.*, iii, 293; *Records of
 Dysart*; Baillie's *Letters*; Leishman's *John
 Michaelson* (Scot. Ecccl. Soc., Trans., 1924).]

ANDREW LESLY, M.A. (St Andrews
 1625); adm. 30th Jan. 1640; pres.
1640 by Charles I. 17th July, and coll.
 22nd Dec. 1641; died 14th April 1643, aged
 about 38. [Reg. Soc. Sig.]

JOHN SMITH, M.A.; trans. from
 Leslie; pres. by Charles I. 24th
1643 July, and adm. 18th Oct. 1643; trans.
 to Trinity Parish, Edinburgh, 17th
 March 1648.

GEORGE NARNE, brother of Mex-
1649 ander N., factor of the barony of
 Aberdour; was on the Exercise in
 the Presb. of St Andrews 19th April 1643;
 adm. to Cameron 6th May 1643; called
 25th Feb., trans. and adm. 15th Aug. 1643;
 gave in a protest to the Presb. 3rd Dec.
 1651 against the Public Resolutions. He
 and nine other mins. who had met in a
 private house to draw up a supplication
 to Charles II., were seized and committed
 to the Castle of Edinburgh 23rd Aug. 1650,
 and his stipend sequestered by the Com-
 mittee of Estates 25th Sept. that year;
 deprived by Act of Parliament 11th June,
 and Decree of Privy Council 1st Oct.
 1652; died at Finglassie June 1670. He
 marr. Elizabeth (died before 3rd Sept.
 1681), daugh. of John Stevenson, citizen
 of St Andrews, and had issue. Elizabeth;
 Cecilia.—[*Lif. Sher. Court Docs.*, 15th Aug.
 1658; *St Andrews Tests.*; *Acts of Parl.*, viii.

ad. App. 21, 66. Lancast. Rec. I. 1. 1.
Rec. Gen., 6321. Type Spec. vi, 193.

HARRY MALCOLM, M.A., born 17th June 1693, died 10th July 1703, living probably only one Sunday after July the year.

WILLIAM LIVINGSTON, M.A., St Andrews 1693, was a presbyterian Prelate of Kirk, 17th April 1693, admitted to Faculty in 1701, tried to Fife-head 25th Dec. 1703, pres. by Charles II, 17th June, tried, and died 10th Sept. 1693, was imprisoned 3rd Sept. 1672, for corresponding with Holland. He married Agnes Lidday, and had issue Mary, marr'd William Person, marr'd of Stirling, & Alexander Person, marr'd of Temple. [Rec. Soc. S. & S., G. R. I. 1. 1., 17th April 1692. G. R. H. 1. 1. 1., 26th Jan. 1689. Type Spec. iii, 106.]

GEORGE CLARK, eldest son of George Clark of Crowley, and Anne, daughter of Patrick Hay of Buncriff, received Act of Assembly concerning him 22nd July, and a posthumous charter 9th Aug. 1678, and Act of Parliament 1st Aug. 1679, pres. by Charles II, and died 1st Aug. 1672, strangled himself in his house 27th June 1688. The seal of his estate was given 22nd June that year to Andrew Irving, merchant, Edinburgh. He married, on 19th March 1670, Isobel, daughter of John Fraser of Kinneiray, and had issue Alexander, merchant in Glasgow in 1705, Margaret, John, Andrew, Charles, Robert, Peter, Anne, & Isobel. [Rec. viii, 517. G. R. S. & S., xxviii, 235. Pres. Soc. E. & R. Rec. iv, 39. Rec. of Deeds, Durie, 26th July 1675.]

GEORGE JOHNSTON, born 1633, M.A., Edinburgh, 17th July 1656, admitted to Faculty of S. & S. 12th Jan. 1683, pres. by James VII, 17th July 1688, dep. 26th Nov. 1691 for continuance. He resided in Niddry Wynd and had a meeting house in Baillie's Close, Edinburgh, died 26th Feb. 1692. Publication: *Sermon Preach'd*. [Rec. Soc. S. & S., *Archives Burntisland, Charters S. & W.*] [See also *Archives of Heriot*.]

JAMES HICCAIN, marr'd 1692-10-22, died 17th April 1704.

JAMES INGLIS of St. Edwards, 1660, marr'd 1st Feb. Charles Hely, d. 1693, and died 10th June 1704, buried at St. Martin's on 11th June, and 17th Sept. 1694, reported as deceased 17th Dec. 1688, and died 8th March 1694, and 15th Aug. 1693, reported 14th May 1699, for continuance, death of James Hely, an English clergyman, parson of St. Lawrence, Berwick-upon-Tweed, married Elizabeth, daughter of Michael Merton, and had issue John, & others.

JOHN CLIGHORN, M.A., died 1692-12-10, March 1701, died 15th May 1701, buried 19th May 1701. [See *Archives Burntisland, Charters S. & W.*]

John was son of John, son of Sir Edward Hely, of St. Edwards, and William, daughter of Sir John, created by the First Duke of York, 27th July 1711, and 1st Duke of Albemarle, created by Queen Anne 15th Nov. 1712. This being the first peer created after the restoration of patronage, he received the title of Baron to the present, which he assumed. His descendant, known as the Church Grants, was deprived of his honours by the General Assembly 1st May 1733. He was succeeded by William, Bishop of Carlisle, 1714, and succeeded by Alrichard, of Burntisland, an Episcop. of Dunfermline.

HENRY ROBIN, M.A., Edinburgh, 1714, and July 1693, died 10th July 1704, having died 15th Nov. 1697, assisted at the Orphan Hospital, Alverthorpe, 8th Sept. 1699, and 11th by the Pres. Soc. E. & R. 17th July, tried, and died 14th Sept. 1713, disp. for military Acre, 1718, died Jan. 1733, aged about 61. He married 1. 29th July 1704, Anne, daughter of John Hallinan of Myres, 2. 29th July 1706, Anne, ill, daughter of William Livingston, marr'd of Greystoke, and had issue: William, born 3. April 1708, Anne, daughter of David Willan, marr'd at St. Cuthbert's, Edinburgh, and had issue: David, Katherine, [See *Archives Burntisland, Charters S. & W.*]

JAMES THOMSON, born 1683, son of James T., in Finmont, Kinglassie; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Cupar 23rd April 1712; called 3rd March, and ord. 7th May 1719; joined the Associate Presb. 7th June 1738; d.p. with seven others 15th May 1740; became first min. of the Anti-burgher Congregation, Burntisland. Led a call to Jedburgh Associate Congregation in 1742, but Presb. refused translation; died May 1766. He marr. 14th Aug. 1719, Mary, second daugh. of John Drew, merchant, Glasgow. [Smalls' *Hist. of U.P. Chs.*, iii, 362.]

ROBERT SPEARS, born 1700, son of Robert S., Boness, and Margaret Stewart; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. 1st May 1719; licen. by Presb. of Linlithgow 30th Aug. 1727; ord. to Second Charge, Linlithgow, 3rd April 1728; called 27th July, trans. and adm. 15th Sept. 1743; elected Synod clerk 10th April 1759, which office he dem. 8th April 1777; d. 14th Oct. 1778. He marr. 16th Nov. 1732, Jane (died 10th July 1768), daugh. of Alexander Dalgleish, min. of Linlithgow, and had issue—Alexander, min. of Kirkeally, born 11th Aug. 1733; Susanna, born 12th Sept. 1734; marr. David Swan, min. of Scoonie; Margaret, born 28th Feb. 1735 (marr. Robert Dalgleish of Scotserail, min. of Ferryport on Craig); Hannah, born 12th April 1740 (marr. July 1767, Vice Admiral Sir William George Fairfax); died 12th May 1770; Robert, born 15th Feb. 1742; William, born 21st March 1744, died 11th March 1765; Cumberland, born 24th Aug. 1745, died 21st June 1766; Jane, born 5th April 1750.

JAMES WEMYSS, born 1750, second son of John W., Mains of Bogie, and 1770 Cecil, daugh. of Robert Dirie; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A.; licen. by Presb. of Kirkcaldy 23rd July 1773; pres. by George III. 11th March, and ord. 9th Sept. 1779; died 2nd Feb. 1822. He marr. 1st Oct. 1783, Christian, died 28th March 1834, aged 75; daugh. of Samuel Charters, solicitor, of H.M. Customs in Scotland, and had issue—

John, born 11th June 1784, died 23rd April 1785; Samuel, born 17th Jan. 1786, drowned; Christian, born 5th Sept. 1787, died 20th Feb. 1870; Cecil, born 25th Oct. 1789; Margaret, born 22nd Oct. 1791, died 20th Dec. 1882; Sir James of Bogie, Bart., W.S., born 30th April 1795, died 31st Dec. 1839; Agnes, born 19th April 1797; Janet, born 1799 (marr. 31st Aug. 1826, James Levin, W.S.), died 26th June 1891. Publications: *A Scriptural View of Kings and Magistrates, and the Subjection and Obedience all Christians ought to yield unto them*, a sermon (Edinburgh, 1794); Account of the Parish (Sinclairs' *Stat. Acc.* iv, xxi.)

CHARLES WATSON, born Edinburgh, 22nd Jan. 1794, son of Charles W., cabinetmaker, Greenside, and Elizabeth, daugh. of Patrick Heron Heron's Court, Edinburgh; educated at the High School and Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (28th May 1833); licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 27th Aug. 1817; pres. by George IV. in March, and ord. assistant and successor) 30th June 1820; D.D. (Aberdeen, Sept. 1833); dem. on account of weakness of voice 5th April 1837. Joined the Free Church in 1843, died at Edinburgh 11th Aug. 1866. He marr. 1st June 1821, Isabella (died 31st Dec. 1887), daugh. of Robert Boog, Edinburgh, and Robina Elizabeth Anderson, and had issue—Charles, D.D., min. of the Free Church, Largs, author of a *Commentary on the First Epistle of John*; born 23rd Feb. 1822, died 14th Jan. 1908; Robert Boog, LL.D., chaplain to the Forces in the Crimea and Indian Mutiny, afterwards Free Church min. at Madeira and Cardross, a noted conchologist and geologist, one of the staff of the *Challenger*, born 26th Sept. 1823, died 13th June 1910; Elizabeth Robina Anderson, born 13th March 1825 (marr. 16th Aug. 1849, Alexander Gordon MacGillivray, min. of Roseburn Free Church, Edinburgh, died 12th Sept. 1899); William Creech, born 28th Aug. 1826, died 1st April 1828; Isabel Heron, born 16th Aug. 1828, died 1st Feb. 1831; Jane Christian, born 28th Aug. 1830, died 9th Feb. 1831; Sir

Lectures on the Life and Death of Edinburgh, argued before the Jury, and delivered 1st Dec. 1837. Mrs. G. Brown, the Ayr Peacock, died Oct. 1834. David F. March was partner in Bell's Almanac, 1st April March 1836; died 1st Dec. Oct. 1837. Isabella Bertheau, mother of the author, died 17th Dec. 1837. David F. March married Isabella Bertheau, 1st March 1833. Ann Archibald, born 26th May 1831, married 12th June 1862, John Macpherson, merchant, New Zealand, died at San Diego, California, 13th April 1910. Publications: *Hints on Christian Elopement*, Edinburgh, 1828, 2nd edition, 1833; *These Addresses to Subjects of Religious Doubt*, 8vo, Edinburgh, 1827; 3rd edition, 1832; *Properties of Death*, Edinburgh, 1828; *Properties of Youth*, Edinburgh, 1831; *Properties of Time*, Edinburgh and London, twenty editions, 1832-1860; *Memoirs of Dr. Andrew Thomas*, intended to some extent as a memorial of *Properties*, Edinburgh, 1831; *A Short Daily Prayer*, Edinburgh, 1839; *On the Intercession of Christ*; *In Praise of the Sons of Charity*; *An Activity*; *The Gospel History of the Poor Evangelists*. He was sometime Editor of *The Christian Instructor*, (C. B. B.) Watson's *Almanac for Clergy and King's Clerical Services*.

JOHN AIKMAN WALLACE, precisely George IV, in Ayr, died 1st April 1827, and buried on 3rd April 1827, trans. to Hawick 16th May 1833.

DAVID COUPER, born 1809, son of John Couper, manufacturer, Burntside, 1834 educated at Univs. of St Andrews and Edinburgh, licen. by Presb. of Dunfermline 28th Sept. 1831, pres. by William IV in April, and ord. by minister and successors 11th May 1834. Joined the Free Church in 1833, man. of Free Church, Burntside, 1843-52, died 29th March 1882. He marr. 16th Sept. 1815, Mary Bertram, died 5th May 1869, daughter of Stephen William, one surgeon, another, and had issue: Mary Elizabeth, born 2d July 1816, died 16th Feb. 1841. Isabella, born 2nd Oct. 1848. Publications: *Doctr*

in the Christian Religion, 1829; *Principles of the Christian Religion*, 1830; *Christianity and Infidelity*, 1831; *Scripture and the English Bible*, 1832; *Religious Address*, 1833; *Scripture VIII*, 1834; *Scripture IX*, 1835; *Scripture X*, 1836.

JOHN WILLIAM FRASER, M.A., born 1809, of Queen's College, Edinburgh, graduated B.A. 1831, M.A. 1833, trans. to Scotland, and died 21st March 1844.

JAMES MACKINTOSH, M.A., born 1814, of Queen's College, Edinburgh, graduated B.A. 1834, M.A. 1837, and became Chaplain to Queen Victoria, 1841, and Chaplain to the Queen, 1846, with appointment to the Royal Household. He married 28th March 1842, Mary, a Williams, who died 1851. Another son, John James Mackintosh, born 1st May 1843, Harry Williams, died 1867, and John Williams, 11th Nov. 1846. Died, Melrose, 1st March 1871.

JOHN BOHN, born 1807, D.D., 1839, son of Robert Bohn, and Sarah Anne, widow of Dr. John of Edinburgh, died 1st Nov. 1859, 1st June 1865, Pres. by Queen Victoria of the Order of the British Empire, 1861. He marr. 2d June 1811, Mary Smith, died 17th April 1826, died 22d Nov. 1851, at Elveden, Norfolk, John, born 11th Dec. 1813, died 2d June 1851, Mary, born 11th Oct. 1815, died 2d June 1851, William, born 1816, Martha, born 1st Aug. 1818, died 1st Feb. 1851. Publications: *Ellipsis*, Edinburgh, 1827. *Yesterdays*, Edinburgh, 1830.

JAMES FIGGAR HILL, M.A., B.D., born 1811, constant and zealous in 1853-1854, trans. to St Paul's, Dublin, 2d April 1857.

ROBERT JAMES CAMERON, born Nova Scotia 1833, son of Donald 1877, Carralvey contractor, and Elizabeth Dugdale, died 1st May 1859, Glasgow; licen. and ord. by Presb. of Glasgow to St Andrews Church, St John's, New Bruns-

wick, adm. (assistant and successor) here 20th S pt. 1877; died 5th Dec. 1879. He marr. Ann Fraser.

JOHN MACALISTER THOMSON, born 12th Jan. 1830, eldest son of **1880** Henry T. merchant, Bonhill, educated at Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1850); ord. to Penitik 2nd March 1854; trans. to Third Charge, Stirling, 8th Nov. 1855; app. chaplain at Calcutta 22nd June 1856; trans. to Morut in 1863; trans. to St Andrews Church, Calcutta, 1867-70; adm. (assistant and successor) 18th and died suddenly in pulpit Sunday 28th March 1880. He marr. 23rd June 1858, Frances Ann Robertson, daugh. of James Paterson, M.D., 42nd Highlanders, and had issue - Henry Sinclair, born 25th April 1859; died at Rungunath, Buxa, Doars, 13th Nov. 1899; Ada Jemima, born Morut, 26th Nov. 1862; died 17th Sept. 1893; Donald Sinclair, born 17th Sept. 1869; died 27th Oct. 1879.

JOSEPH SAGE FINLAYSON, born **1880** Perth, 5th March 1836; son of Alexander F. and Mary Sage; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1873); licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 17th May 1877; assistant at St Andrews, Glasgow, and Trinity, Edinburgh; adm. (assistant and successor) 21st Oct. 1880; died 2nd Sept. 1899. He marr. 21st April 1884, Jamesina, daugh. of James Macdonald, Moraystone, Petty, Inverness shire, and had issue - James Macdonald, min. of Lomond; Alexander Wilson, min. of Campsie; William Logie, min. of Kirkpatrick Juxta, born 1st April 1887; Joseph Sage, lieut. 7th Black Watch and King's African Rifles, born 22nd Aug. 1888; Alfred, 2nd officer Transport Service, born 21st May 1891.

JOHN ROGAN [or RUGGAN], born **1910** Crawford, Lanarkshire, 8th Oct. 1839; son of William R. and Elizabeth Maxwell; educated at Hutcheson's Grammar School and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1894); licen. by Presb. of Glasgow Oct. 1897; assistant at Gartsherrie; ord. to Assynt 8th June 1898; trans. to Logies Coldstone 7th March 1902; trans. and adm.

2nd March 1910, resumed name of Rogan Aug. 1918. Marr. 3rd June 1902, Christian Ann, daugh. of Thomas McGhee, Burnbray, Rutherglen, and Mary Maxwell, and has issue - Mary Burns, born 11th March 1903; Elizabeth Agnes, born 23rd June 1904; Christian Anne, born 16th Oct. 1905; William Henry, born 1st Jan. 1907; John McGhee, born 3rd July 1913. Publication Edited with a Biographical Sketch, *A Letter from a Scottish Minister*, by John A. Ireland, minister of Gartsherrie (London, 1918).

DYSART, FIRST CHARGE.

[The old church of Dysart is dedicated to St Serf. It is now a picturesquely placed ruin, about 135 feet long, with a noble tower. Near the old church is St Serf's Cave, which has been utilised as a hermitage. The parish of Dysart was a prebend of the Collegiate Church of St Mary on the Kirk Hough at St Andrews. A Second Charge for this parish has existed since 1607. A new parish church was built in 1802. There was within the bounds a chapel of St Denys.]

ROBERT DANIELSTON, mentioned **1560** as rector in 1560. He probably conformed to Protestantism.

ANDREW FORRESTER, made intimation to various persons 21st Oct. **1565** of an assignation in his favour, by the Abbot of Lindores of certain sums of money and victual which they should have paid to the said abbot. In 1567 Wemyss and Methil were also in his charge, trans. to Falkirk before 1574.

GEORGE SCOTT, brother of Thomas **1574** S. of Abbotshall; adm. to Kirkeddy before 14th Dec. 1560; pres. by James VI, 25th May 1574, when Kirkeddy and Wemyss were also in his charge, was a member of Assembly March 1574 and Oct. 1581; de-m. before 25th Oct., and died 2nd Nov. 1582 and was buried at Kirkeddy. He marr. Katherine Melville, who survived him. (*Reg. Pres.; Eton. Tests.; Books of the Kirk;* Muir's *Gleanings*, 27.)

JOHN YOUNG, M.A., pres. of J. 1582. Yester, of Elgin, pres. by James VI, 16th Nov. 1582, died before 1st July 1584, and succeeded by John, d. 16th Feb. 1584 Nov. 1584. *Rec.* Soc. Soc. Alm. 1611, p. 10. *Mars. Gene.* 1582.

THOMAS WOOD, pres. by James VI 1584, 27th Nov. 1584, and probably 1584 died.

WILLIAM MURRAY, son of Patrick Murray Woodhead and Elizabeth, 1584, of the kirk of David Murray of Carsehead, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1582, pres. by James VI, 16th March 1584-5, was an unsuccessful applicant for the Archdeaconry of Glasgow in 1585, died Sept. 1596, and died 17th February, Margaret, daughter of David Murray of Lomond, who survived him, and had issue. William created Earl of Dysart and Lord Huntingtower 3rd Aug. 1603, died about 1611. Margaret married John Peters, minister of Oldhamstocks, about 1585. *Soc. Rec.* xv. 398; *Rec.* *Aberd. Test.* Mrs. G. G. 1611, p. 28; *Rec.* *Earl of Dysart.* G. R. I. 1611, 337; *Rec.* *of the Kirk.*

WILLIAM NAIRN, M.A., Glasgow 1617, 1603, reader to Kippen Dec. 1603, 1617, pres. by Margaret, Lady Sandal, 1st Nov. 1619, coll. 21st July, and inst. 22nd Aug. 1617, and b. vev. 3rd Sept. 1620 from Freshwater to London, as the benefice is likely to be withdrawn, died Jan. 1633, aged about 70. He married 1 and had issue. Margaret, Elizabeth, esp. July, marr. David Adamson, man of Finty, 12th Nov. 1627; Margaret Cockburn, and had issue Walter, major in the Army, Barbara, 18th Nov. 1630, Margaret Sibbald, who survived him. Public Chapel, Chancery Street, London 1625. *The Person of Prince Charles, stepson of a Royalist.* Edinburgh, 1630. *Rec.* *Aberd. Test.* Soc. Rec. of Parks, London, *Douce*, 52; *Mars. Gene.* 28; *Rec.* *Earl of Dysart.* 45; *Rec.* *Huntingt.* xxvi. 296.

[1640] JOHN AULD, reader]

JAMES WILSON, brother of David Wilson, reader of Elgin, M.A. 1584. Andrew Wilson, his son, later to John Laird of Kirkton, was elected to the Kirk of St Andrews, 16th March 1603, elected St. Paul's Church, and May 1603, 2 years expatriate in France, except the Public Recitation, and 1604 he returned to his native country, and became vicar of St. Paul's Church between them during the Interregnum 1645-51. However, 1. Margaret, Abigail, 1604, and 2. Mary Wood, and had issue. John Sandilands, Laird of Denside, 1611. *Mars. Gene.* 1611, p. 28; *Rec.* *Huntingt.* xxvii. 17.

JOHN ROBERTSON, reader from Scotland, Glasgow, Kirkby pres. 1604, by John Laird Sandilands, Angus, and John 29th Oct. 1604, reader of Grey friars' Kirk, Edinburgh Nov. 1604.

JOHN ANDERSON of Bulman, M.A., Glasgow 1613, reader to Saltoun 1604, 18th Sept. 1613, pres. by John Laird Sandilands, with consent of John Sandilands of Hermitage, Edinburgh, 16th March, and coll. 17th Nov. 1603, died 10th Jan. 1633, died between 10th March and 18th Sept. 1607, aged 40, at 73. He married 1st Nov. 1602, Helen Rumsey, and had issue. Andrew of Bulman, Robert, Margaret, born 1607, marr. 29th March 1627, Sir John Lister of Bentinkhill, Lord of Scouson, John, Margaret, Helen. *Rec.* *Douce*, 1610; *Rec.* *Earl of Huntly.* *Douce*, Soc. Rec. of Her. Morris, 6, 1611, p. 28; G. R. H. 1610, 17th April 1622, 28th June 1628; *Rec.* *Huntingt.* xiv. 64.

DAVID FITCAIRN, b. 1672, son of John Fitcairn of Kettle, created 1708, of Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1698 Aug. 1698, reader to Crichton 27th Aug. 1699, for refusing to go to the North and supply vacant pulpits, he was suspended by Commission of Assembly, and the church declared vacant 17th Sept. 1700, app. chaplain to 26th Foot, and sentence of suspension taken off by Assembly 31st March 1705, coll'd. 23rd

Dec. 1707; adm. 8th Jan. 1708; died Father of the Church 18th April 1757. He marr. 1st July 1708, Catherine, born 12th May 1682, died 3rd March 1758, daugh. of William Hamilton of Wishaw, and had issue: Henry, born 12th Sept. 1709; Margaret, born 24th Sept. 1710; William, M.D., President Royal College of Physicians, born 9th May 1712, died 23rd Nov. 1791; James, born 1713; Archibald, born 1714; Elizabeth, born 1715; David, born 1717; Jean, born 1718; Mary, born 1719; Charles; John, major of Marines, fired first shot in American War, born 1722, killed at Bunker's Hill, 19th April 1775; Robert, born 1728. Douglas's *Burke*, 479; *Sots Prentie*, iii. 51; Anderson's *House of Hamilton*; *Sots May*, lxxxi.; *The Pifte Petitions*, 317.]

PATRICK MUIRHEAD, born 20th Oct. 1718, younger son of John M. of 1757 Teggetshough; licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 31st Oct. 1750; ord. to Second Charge 10th May 1753; pres. by General James St. Clair of St. Clair in Oct., trans. and adm. 24th Nov. 1757; D.D. (Glasgow 1776); died 17th Feb. 1807. With his brother John of Teggetshough he gave £100 for yearly prizes in the Humanity Class at Glasgow Univ. He marr. 11th Feb. 1761, Elizabeth (died 14th Feb. 1779), daugh. of John Muirhead, min. of Glassford, and had issue: John, born 16th July 1762, died 29th Dec. 1772; George, D.D., min. of Craimond, born 11th Feb. 1764; Lockhart, professor of Natural History, Glasgow, born 30th Nov. 1765, died 23rd July 1829; Betty, born 20th June 1767, died 18th May 1771; Janet, born 27th Feb. 1769; William, born 14th Aug., and died 3rd Sept. 1770; James, born 11th Dec. 1772, died 19th July 1787; Margaret, born 21st July 1773, died 5th Nov. 1788; Ann, born 23rd June, and died 13th Dec. 1775; Jean, born 6th Feb. 1777, died 20th Oct. 1779.

GEOERGE MUIRHEAD, son of preceding; trans. from Second Charge; 1807 pres. by James, Earl of Rosslyn, and adm. 10th June 1807; trans. to Craimond 24th Oct. 1816.

PETER BROTHERSTON, trans. from 1816 Second Charge, pres. by James, Earl of Rosslyn, in Nov., and adm. 2nd Dec. 1816; trans. to Alloa 26th Nov. 1828.

DAVID MURRAY, born 26th March 1787, son of David M., brewer's 1829 servant, Leith; licen. by Presb. of Selkirk 5th July 1808; ord. to St. Andrew's Church, Dunfermline, 23rd Dec. 1813; trans. to Second Charge, Dysart, 23rd Jan. 1817; trans. to St. David's Parish, Dundee, 27th Nov. 1823; pres. by James, Earl of Rosslyn, Dec. 1828; trans. and adm. 19th Feb. 1829; died 6th July 1859. He marr. 11th Jan. 1811, Margaret Sutherland (died 18th Oct. 1845), and had issue:

Catherine Stevenson Wilson, born 31st Oct. 1814; David, born 3rd May 1816, died 19th July 1830; John Sutherland, born 12th May 1818; Margaret Mackie, born 10th July 1820; Lucy Hay, born 5th Dec. 1822 (marr. William Anderson, min. of Walls and Flotta); Alexander Pitcairn, born 10th Sept. 1824; Lavinia Salmon, born 28th Jan. 1827. Publications: *The Blessedness of Every Religion exemplified in the History of Elizabeth Nicoll* (Edinburgh, 1821); *The Parent's and Teacher's Assistant* (1826); *Sermons* (Edinburgh, 1844); *The Biblical Student's Assistant*, by "Clericus" (Edinburgh, 1844); Account of the Parish (*New Stat. Acc.*, ix.).

WILLIAM MUIR, born Paisley, 30th Aug. 1794, eldest son of William 1850 M., rector of the Burgh School; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; ord. to Temple 19th Nov. 1839; trans. to Second Charge, 21st Sept. 1843; pres. by James, Earl of Rosslyn; trans. and adm. 2nd Oct. 1850; died 1st Dec. 1864. He marr. 1 Christian Bain, who died 24th Jan. 1845, and had issue: Christian, born 1st Jan., and died 4th April 1829; William, born 28th Feb. 1830, died 22nd July 1849; Margaret, born 16th Jan., and died 15th Oct. 1832; James, born 24th Sept. 1833, died 20th Dec. 1836; Jean, born 20th March 1836, died 12th March 1837; Margaret, born 18th Jan. 1838; Jean, born 9th July 1839; James, born 20th Aug. 1841; 2 25th Dec. 1850; Margaret Robert-

in which he died on the date of his decease he was buried at Kirkcudbright, 1st March 1863. *Transcript of Register of Deaths*, 1863, Kirkcudbright, Galloway, Vol. 3, p. 27. *Transcript of Register of Kirkcudbright, 1863*, *Transcript of Register of Deaths*, 1863, Kirkcudbright, Galloway.

JAMES SIMPSON, born 18th March 1811, educated at Edinburgh Seminary 1835, and Falkirk High School, at Roxburgh Hall, and University College, and at the University of Edinburgh, and at the Royal College of Physicians in London, and took First B.Sc. Chapel, Kirkcudbright, 1857, trans. to Second Charge, Kirkcudbright, 1860, trans. and died 17th May 1865, LL.D., U.S.A., died at Peebles, 14th June 1864, and interred there. He was blind for many years before his death. He married 6th June 1861, Mary, died 6th Sept. 1917, daughter of David Edward of Ballochderry, and had issue—

Mary, born 17th June 1862; James Christian, M.D., captain R.A.M.C., already cited phys., and born 12th May 1863, died at Camborne, 15th June 1900.

JOHN WAUGH GIBSON of Hallfield, born Symington, 11th May 1837, son of Laurence G. and Mary Waugh, educated at Symington School and Bradford Academy, and Univ. of Edinburgh, M.A. 1861, licensed by Provost of Kirkcudbright 1865, assistant at Galashiels, and to Second Charge 1st Sept. 1865, trans. and made assistant and successor 30th Sept. 1874, died 21st Aug. 1906. He married 23rd July 1878, Catherine Elizabeth, only daughter of William Polson minister of Wemyss, and had issue—Laurence, James, Douglas, M.A., B.Sci., M.I.C.E., captain Transport Corps, born 8th April 1879; William Polson Scott, captain Black Watch, born 11th March 1882; Arthur John Haworth, min. of St Andrews, Galloway, born 20th Oct. 1883. Heribert Robert Barrett, born 12th Jan. 1884, died 12th June 1886.

HUGH MENZIES, born Gifford, 1806, son of James M. and Jane Eastman 1807, educated at Falkirk High School, and Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1834,

B.D., licensed by Provost of Kirkcudbright, 1st May 1836, minister at Kirkcudbright, Galloway, 1836, and to Kirkcudbright March 1867. Married 1st June 1836, Jessie Nettle, died 1st May 1873. Died at Kirkcudbright, 18th March 1888, interred at Kirkcudbright, 19th March. His son, Rev. Dr. John Menzies, minister at Kirkcudbright, 1867, died 1st Sept. 1904, interred at Kirkcudbright, 2nd Sept. 1904.

Second Charge.

JOHN SCRIMGEOUR, minister 1804, died 1st June 1834, interred Kirkcudbright, 1st June 1834.

THOMAS HOG, minister Kirkcudbright, 1807, died 1st June 1834, interred Kirkcudbright, 1st June 1834. Andrew Macleod, who ministered in Kirkcudbright, Nov. 1802, died at Creetown, Dumfriesshire, where years he was minister, trans. charge of provost by Court of High Commission, and April 1806, called minister to Kirkcudbright. His Majesty's pleasure, 1st April 1807, under the Abolition Act of Assembly, at Kirkcudbright, 27th April 1802, ordered that the minister of Kirkcudbright, Kirkcudbright, the same day, was charged to certain fees, together with the fees of Dysart and Kirkcudbright, 1st June 1814. His deposit money was remitted Sept. 1, 1804, April 1808, and he was settled at Kirkcudbright, 1st June 1809.

WILLIAM SHETTALL, M.A., St Andrews 1822, minister of the 1826 eldership, born 1826, appears to have got into financial difficulties and to have been impeded so far, which the Archdeacon directed the Kirkcudbright presbytery from proceeding against him, and he was excommunicated, but deominated in 1835 and went to Ireland. He married Jean, daughter of Robert Key, skipper, burgess of Dysart, and Jessie Simpson, and had issue—John. *Imp. Rec. Gen.*, 1865; *Rec. of Deeds*, vol. viii, 34; *P. C. Reg.*, 2nd ser., v, 183.

MUNGO LAW, M.A., adm. 2nd Oct. 1636; trans. to Greyfriars, Edinburgh, 27th March 1644.

JAMES WILSON, M.A., adm. 22nd May 1644; trans. to First Charge about 1654.

JAMES BLAIR, M.A., son of Robert Ba.
1655 min. of St Andrews, regent in St Leonard's College there, called 7th Jan., and adm. 23rd April 1655; died at St Andrews 21st Oct. of that year, aged about 29. Publication *Continuation of the Life of Mr Robert Blair Blair's Library*, [Wodrow Society, 1848]. [Lamont's *Diary*, 87, 94; Muir's *Gleanings*, 28.]

ROBERT HONYMAN, trans. from Newbuny; called 16th Nov. 1656; 1657 adm. 18th March 1657; trans. to Cupar 6th Aug. 1663.

ROBERT LUNDIE, M.A.; ord. by James Sharp, Archbishop of St Andrews) and adm. Sept. 1669; trans. to Leuchars Sept. 1684.

JAMES ARBUTHNOT, M.A., St Andrews, 23rd July 1674; pres. by James Cockburn of that ilk, 6th Feb., coll. 29th May, and adm. 24th Nov. 1685; deprived by Privy Council 4th Sept. 1689, for not reading the Proclamation of the Estates, nor praying for William and Mary, but for James VII. He subsequently became a skipper. He marr. (cont. 23rd Nov. 1686) Christian, daugh. of Henry Boswell, portioneer of Kirkcaldy, and had issue: Henry, born 1690; Jean. [Muir's *Gleanings*, 28; *Fife Sis.*, xv, 57; *G.R. Horning*, 12th Dec. 1688.]

ANDREW WEDDERBURN, second son of James W., min. of Moonzie; 1688 M.A. (St Andrews 1645); adm. to Liff 29th July 1650; deprived by Act of Parliament 11th June, and Decreet of Privy Council 1st Oct. 1664; retired to Anstruther Wester; was summoned before Privy Council 31st July 1673 for holding a conventicle in his own house, and imprisoned until he found caution; adm. here in 1688; restored to Liff by Act of Parliament 25th April 1690, but returned here the

same year, died in 1694, aged about 60. He marr. Jan. 1655, Elizabeth, daugh. of Andrew Daw, portioneer of Sandhope, and had issue: Robert, H.M.S. *Dromsuar*, died about 1697; Mary, bapt. 17th March 1656; Margaret, bapt. 5th Jan. 1658, served heir 22nd March 1703 (marr. James Halsoan, baile of Anstruther Wester, died March 1708); Elizabeth, bapt. 26th Feb. 1660. [*Rec. Mag. Sig.*, 26th Dec. 1693; *Series of Heirs*; Muir's *Gleanings*, 25; *The Burn Book*, i, 50.]

DAVID LOW, M.A. St Andrews, 13th 1699 July 1634; licen. by Presb. of Kirkcaldy 16th Feb., called 31st July, and ord. 13th Sept. 1639; died between 22nd Oct. and 19th Nov. 1702, aged about 29.

ALEXANDER BONTHON, M.A. St Andrews, 13th July 1694; licen. by Presb. there 7th Sept. 1699; called 21st Sept. 1710; ord. 14th March 1711; died 4th June 1743, aged about 60. He marr. Margaret Wilson, who died 20th March 1733, and had issue: Henry, shipmaster, Dysart; Agnes; David; Margaret, born 1720; William, born 1722. [*Series of Heirs*; Muir's *Gleanings*, 28.]

GEORGE KAY, trans. from Minto; 1743 called 18th Aug., and adm. 8th Dec. 1743; trans. to St Cuthbert's, Edinburgh, 3rd Sept. 1747.

GEORGE MUIRHEAD, M.A.; trans. from Monigaff; called 29th Oct. 1748 1747; adm. 28th Jan. 1748; dem. on app. as Professor of Oriental Languages in Univ. of Glasgow *q.v.* 26th Dec. 1752.

PATRICK MUIRHEAD, pres. by General James St Clair of St 1753 Clair in Jan., and ord. 10th May 1753; trans. to First Charge 24th Nov. 1757.

ROBERT COLVILLE, licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 20th May, pres. by 1758 General James St Clair of St Clair 26th May, and ord. 14th Sept. 1758. A libel having been raised against him whereof he confessed to certain points, he was suspended 6th Oct. 1784; assigned part of his

typed for app't to the Presbytery of Edinburgh, 23rd Jan. 1768; H. married 28 Sept. 1762; Marqy. died 28th Feb. 1781, and wife of Hugh Greville, 1st of Kynaston, and had issue:

Walter, born 18 Aug. 1763; Hugh, born 26th May 1765; George, born 18th March 1767; Donald, born 8th March 1769; Jacob, baptised 16th Dec. 1772; John, died.

*Letters upon the Law in the 1757
Pro-Catholick Hearings, or, The
anti-Pope's Case in the Papal Appeal
Edinburgh, 1771.*; *The Trial of the
Marquis of Granby, Viscount St
Asaph, London, 1776.*; *A Trial at Law in
London, 1777.*; *Sixty Proprietary Letters
1780.*; *The Death of the River C
feber, a Cantil., London, 1788.*; *Poems
Works, 2 vols., London, 1789.*; *Extracts
from his Sg. & S. Sermons, To the Mem
of the Hon. William Leslie, a poem, West
Mys., xxvii., xxxviii., [Letters of Encour
Sgt., &c., Muir's Collections, 28.]*

GEORGE MUIRHEAD, presby. by
Colonel James, 8th Jan. 1788, pres. by 4th
in April, and ord. 3rd Sept. 1788, trans.
to First Charge 10th June 1807.

CHRISTOPHER GREIG, M.A., trans.
1807 from St Andrews' Chapel, Dumfries,
from St Andrews' Chapel, Dumfries,
line, pres. by James, Earl of Rosslyn, in
July, and adm. 17th Sept. 1807, trans.
to Leith 26th Jan. 1809.

PETER BROTHERSTON, trans. from
1809 St Andrews' Chapel, Dumfries,
pres. by James, Earl of Rosslyn, in
June, and adm. 24th Aug. 1809, trans. to
First Charge 2nd Dec. 1819.

DAVID MURRAY, trans. from St
1817 Andrews' Chapel, Dumfries, pres.
by James, Earl of Rosslyn, Dec.
1819, adm. 23rd Jan. 1817, trans. to St
David's Church, Dundee, 27th Nov. 1823.

JOHN THOMSON, born Kilberry, 1791,
1824 son of Daniel Tait, craftsman, Glasgow,
educated at Univ. of Glasgow, licen.
by Presb. of Glasgow 23rd April 1816, ord.
to Leith Wynd Chapel, Edinburgh, 16th
Nov. 1820, pres. by James, Earl of Rosslyn,
2nd Dec. 1823, trans. and adm. 5th Feb.
1824, joined the Free Church in 1843.

joined the Free Church 1843, died
11th March 1861. Publications—
N.C. of Free Church Proceedings,

WILLIAM MUHR trans. from Temple
1843—
ord. 21st Sept. 1843, trans. to
First Charge 24th Oct. 1843.

JOHN WILSON, ord. 16th Dec. 1850,
1850, pres. by 4th, 1st July 1857,
trans. to Methven 15th Dec. 1857.

JAMES SIMSON, LL.D., trans. from
1860 First Ch. Chap. I. Kirk Wyd., and
admit. 10th June 1860, trans. to First
Charge 11th May 1866.

JOHN WAUGH GIBSON, M.A., ord.
1st Sept. 1865, trans. to First Charge
1865—3rd Sept. 1874.

PETER ANTON, ord. 7th Jan. 1875,
1875, trans. to Kip 16th Feb. 1881.

MALCOLM MACLEAN MACNEILLI,
born Glasgow 1833, son of Rev. Mr. Mac
1831 neill, minister, died at Univ. of
Glasgow, where he was Prof. of Divinity, 23rd
Nov. 1871, and died at Cardwell,
1870, ord. 25th March 1873, app'd by
Colonel Committee to Mount Forest,
Ontario, 13th Aug. 1873, reg'd. 1875,
admit. to Banff 15th Oct. 1877, trans. to
Banff 18th Nov. 1878, trans. to Bridge
gate, Glasgow, 23rd Sept. 1879, trans. and
ord. 1st Sept. 1881, D.D. Knox College,
Toronto, Ph.D. Gibson 1894, died 8th
June 1903. His son, John, Ord. 1874,
Eliz. Ruth Thomson, died 23rd Aug. 1881,
daughter of William Forrest, farmer, and Mary
Catherine Brown, and had issue—Mary
Forrest, born 22nd Sept. 1875; Malcolm
James, born 17th Feb. 1877; Robert
William Forrest, born 21st Feb. 1880; and
Alfred George, born 25th March, died 2nd
Oct. 1881. John MacLean, born 5th July
1886, died 15th April 1890. Publications—
*The Home Book of Queries of the
Catholick's Pulpit*, 1898; *A Collection of
the History of Ancient Pulpits*, 1900; *Ecclesiastical Lives and their Lessons*, 1900; *Church, his Life and its Lessons*, 1903; *The Bishop's Gavel*, 1903.

DAVID ALEXANDER MORRISON, M.A. (St Andrews, 10th Dec. 1586); son of Walter M. and Jean Scouller; educated at Townend Public School, Training College, Glasgow, and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. 1595; B.D. 1599; teacher, Govanhill Public School, 1593-6; licen. by Presb. of Irvine 2nd May 1599; assistant at Inversnaid, Buchanan, and Uddingston; ord. 10th Nov. 1604. Marr. 21st Sept. 1605, Jane, died 8th Nov. 1620, youngest daugh. of John McFarlane, bailie of Govan, and has issue, John McFarlane, born 11th April 1607; Walter Alexander, born 23rd Aug. 1608; Jean Blackadder May, born 2nd Dec. 1611.

KENNOWAY.

[The church of Kennoway was dedicated to St Kenneth. It belonged to the Priory of St Andrews. A fair of St David was held at Kennoway. The bell of the old church, demolished in 1849, has the legend, "I'm for the Kirk o' Kennoch." It is now at Borthwick Hall, Midlothian.]

JOHN ROW, M.A.; adm. April 1560; before Reformation fully established; 1560 trans. to Perth in July that year.

ALEXANDER SAUCHE, Canon of St Andrews' Priory; reader, 1565-6. [Proc. in Reg. House.]

JOHN SYMSON, Canon of St Andrew's Priory; schoolmaster in this parish; 1575 adm. to Scoonie in 1566; had Kennoway also in his charge in 1567, and Markinch and Methil in 1574; pres. to the vicarage here by James VI. 15th Dec. 1575, and removed here; died 9th Nov. 1581. He marr. Janet Ballingall, who survived him and marr. (2) James Law, burgess of Dysart. — [Edinburgh Test., Fife Sheriff Court Book, 30th July 1583.]

ROBERT WOOD, pres. to the vicarage by James VI. 10th Dec. 1582; trans. to Austruther in 1584, but returned here as reader in 1585; still min. in 1589.

ROBERT HAMILTON, M.A. (St Andrews, 10th Dec. 1586); mentioned as min. in Register of 1590; was dead before 5th June 1595, when Helen Hamilton, daugh. of min. of St Andrews, had a still born child by him. [St Andrews Kirk Sess. Reg., ii. 797.]

WILLIAM SCOTT, M.A.; min. in 1593; 1593 pres. to the vicarage by James VI. before 15th April 1603; trans. to Cupar in 1604.

GEORGE NAIRN, M.A. (St Andrews, 26th Nov. 1586); adm. to Kemback 1604 12th Dec. 1596; trans. and adm. 1604; died before 4th April 1611. He marr. Elizabeth Campbell, who survived him and had issue, five children, to whom the Synod, 23rd April 1612, agreed to pay £4000. [Reg. Assisi.]

JAMES SYMSON, M.A.; adm. 20th 1611 Aug. 1611; trans. to Kirkealdy in 1627.

FREDERICK CARMICHAEL, M.A.; 1627 pres. by Charles I. 21st April 1627; trans. to Markinch 11th June 1649.

THOMAS HOG, M.A.; formerly of Second Charge, Dysart (q.v.); adm. 1640 25th June 1640; pres. by Charles I. 8th Sept.; coll. 16th Nov. 1641; died 22nd June 1652, aged about 73. He marr. Elizabeth Carmichael, who survived him and had issue, Patrick. [St Andrews Test., Reg. Soc. Sig.; Lamont's Derry, 42; Muir's Glor. Scot., 28, 56; Records of Dysart; Row's Hist.]

ROBERT MERCER, fifth son of James M. of Clevage; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1618); adm. to the Exercise at Perth 10th Sept. 1622; became chaplain to William, Lord Cranstoun; on the Exercise in Presbs. of St Andrews, 10th March 1647, Jedburgh and Perth; coll'd 3rd Oct. 1652; adm. after 27th Jan. 1653; had sasine of an annual rent of £800 from lands of Morickmans and others Sept. 1666; died Feb. 1682, aged about 84. He marr. (1) July 1653, Alison Cranstoun, gentle woman to Mary, Lady Cranstoun (she died in childbed 24th Oct. 1657, aged 39), and had

Issue—Gilliman Alexander Colquhoun, Regent of Edinburgh, died at Edinburgh, 10th April 1707; Humphrey, second son of Robert, Dean of Elgin Newton, and his wife Roberta Hamilton. *De mortuis 119.* *Stat. Reg. of Parochies of Ayrshire Reg. 1824*, v. *Prestonkirk Kirk Session Book*.

GEORGE CHAMBERS, son of George Chambers, M.A., Aberdeen, 13th May 1695—1733, died 7th Oct. 1695, deprived by Presb. General, 1st Sept. 1695, for neither reciting Proclamation of the Estates nor praying for William and Mary, went to England, and resorted to Rectory of Ford by Friends' Block of Ford, first at London, 22nd Nov. 1695, and 7th March 1696, D.D. Aberdeen, called Jan. 1711, and educated. He married Elizabeth [—], who predeceased him, and had issue—Frances, married John 30th Nov. 1723. [*Trans. Recd. Hist. Johnson's Thistlewood, 1st Tristram, Successor of Hous.*]

THOMAS RUSSELL, son of Thomas Russell, Rector of Kettle, educated at Univ. of St. Andrews, M.A., 23rd July 1700. In an Epis. of Dr. Franklin it is said to be a well-grown man, ignorant of Latin, and that at his trial the Presb. knew not what his want of education was, that he "had grace which he was sufficient." Principal Rule states that every word of this is false, and that he had a firm course of learning, and a very good gift of preaching and praying. [See 8th Oct. 1699, died 1st Dec. 1714, and 28th May.] He married and had issue—David, curate of Kennoway, served heir 11th Oct. 1733; John, R.R. See *Archib. Murray's Rec. 81a, lxxiii, 183, lxxv, 227, Rec. Pipe, 300.*]

ROBERT PONTON, born 1680, M.A. 1710, Edinburgh, 23rd July 1680, became chaplain to the family of George, Earl of Leven and Melville, at Ratho, ord. to Kinghorn 3rd Dec. 1707, called 22nd June 1715, trans. and admitted Feb. 1716, died 3rd April 1748. He marr. 12th Sept. 1711, Christian, died at Leitheth Jan. 1750, daughter of Sir William Lockhart, Soldier General, and had issue—Robert, Elizabeth, Mary, marr. 28th April 1736,

Walter—9th Edinb. church. [*Trans. Recd. Stat. Reg. of Parochies, Cunningham's Kirk Session Book.*]

NEIL BETHUNE, born 1722, died 1760, called by B. Farmer, Birsewick, Skye, 1750, educated at Univ. of St. Andrews, M.A., 1741, and took Master of Arts 1746, Presb. of Kirkcally 23rd July 1747, pres. of Garioch 11th April 1748, and Presb. of the same till his appendicitis at Fort William. After some opposition which gave rise to the Session in Congregational Kennoway, he was excommunicated 3rd Aug. 1751, and deposed 16th Apr. 1751. He died 1760, son of Mr. J. 1750, deceased. A widow, Jane, née. Walter Newton, married him. Henry, born 15th Dec. 1757, died 27th July 1778. Maxwell, born 29th Dec. 1759, married him 19th Dec. 1780, and died 1790. Publication of Articles, 1751. Answer, 1751. *Recd. of Presb. of Kirkcally, 1757.*

PATRICK WRIGHT, born 1733, son of Patrick Warriner, at Brechin, 1772. Abridg'd. was a tutor in the family of James, Earl of Balcarres, whom by Presb. of St. Andrews 9th May 1770, pres. by George III, 31st Jan., and ord. 23rd Sept. 1772. After many years of bad health he died suddenly 21st Feb. 1831. Publication of Account of the Parish, 1811, pp. 87ff. *M. & A. Kirkcally.*

DAVID BELLS, born 1790, son of James Bells, minister of Uphall, educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; Recd. by Presb. of Linlithgow 27th April 1826, was employed as actor, and was a headmaster at Girvan; pres. by William IV, 21st March, and ord. 8th Sept. 1831, clerk to Presb. from 1833 to 1st July 1857, died suddenly 7th April 1857. He was much beloved by his parishioners, to whose welfare he devoted himself greatly. He marr. 29th May 1830, Sarah Scott, Portsea, who died 23rd Aug. 1833, and had issue—Augustus Clifford, Indian Chaplain, born 12th April 1832; James Lattimer Scott, born 28th July 1833, died 23rd May 1843. Publication of Account of the Parish, Aug. 1851, pp. iv

DAVID STEWART, born Tannadice 12th April 1829, son of S. and Agnes Thornton; educated at Tannadice School, Grammar School, Aberdeen, and Univ. of Aberdeen (M.A. 22nd March 1858) and St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 13th May 1857; assistant at Boarhills; ord. to Strathkinness 13th Dec. 1860. He read Principal Tulloch's Lectures during his absence, 1863-4, and Dr Cook's, 1864-5; pres. by Queen Victoria 11th May; trans. and adm. 31st Aug. 1865; died 6th July 1887. He marr. (1) 5th Feb. 1861, Jessie (died 21st April 1872), fifth daugh. of Hugh Philip, Filtonour Links, St Andrews, and had issue Agnes Thornton, born 21st Dec. 1861, died 5th Aug. 1862; Jessie Philip, born 11th June 1863; (2) 29th Dec. 1874, Catherine Herd (died 29th Nov. 1917), second daugh. of William Kilgour of Glasgow. — [The *Eccles. Pulpit*, 129-137.]

JAMES SMITH SIMPSON, born 31st Jan. 1855, son of James S. and Anne Smith; educated at Leslie Parish School and Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh May 1880; assistant at Canongate Parish 1880-3; ord. to Stobhill 11th July 1883; trans. and adm. 14th Feb. 1888; died 1st Dec. 1924. Marr. 17th Sept. 1901, Emily Frances, daugh. of William Stewart of Ballylaggan, County Derry, and has issue Margaret Frances Moriarty, born 9th July 1902; Annette Elmie Braid, born 3rd April 1905; Kathleen Bride Moriarty, born 17th June 1908; Eileen Mary Stewart, born 11th March 1914.

KINGHORN EASTER.

[*Kinghorn*, of old *Kingorn*. The church of Kingorn (*Cirian-gorm*, "the green headland") was dedicated to St Serf. It belonged to the Abbey of Dunfermline. There was within the bounds a chapel of St James. On the night of 19th March 1286, King Alexander III. was killed by a fall from his horse near the seashore in this parish. A fair of St James was held at Kinghorn.]

DAVID WOOD, was charged 13th Jan. 1562 before the Superintendent and ministry of St Andrews with injuring and defaming John Brown, the reader in

this parish, by calling him "a hypocrite, an idolater, a mass monger, and rascally knave." He was ordered to pass to the church and confess he had exceeded his office in discharging the said John from his post, and to ask his and the congregation's forgiveness. He was also deprived until he should obtain a new admission to office. — *Marshall's Miscell.*, iii.; Wodrow's *Biog.*]

1562 JOHN BROWN, reader.

THOMAS BIGGAR, born 1540, a member of the Chapter of St Andrews before the Reformation; adm. in 1566. In 1574 Kinghorn Wester and Auchtertool were also in his charge; pres. to the vicarage by James VI. 18th July 1570 and 23rd April 1601; died 4th Jan. 1605. He marr. Elizabeth Colvin, and had issue Thomas, reader in the parish and "scribe to the Session," suffered for non-conformity in 1621, born 1574, died 1st Jan. 1644, "while registratinge the proceedings of the Session in the execution of discipline"; Elizabeth. — [*Acta. and Dec.*, xlix., 123; *Roy. Soc. Sig.*, exi., 141; *Edin. Test.*; Monteith's *Mort.*, 240; Wodrow's *Biog.* and *Miscell.*; Calderwood's *Hist.*, iii., 187, vii., 514.]

JOHN SCRIMGEOUR of Wester Bow-hill, Auchterderran, born about 1567, son of William S. of Myres; proposed for Auchtermuchty 22nd June 1592; was a min. without charge in Presb. of Dundee 5th Nov. 1602; adm. to Dysart before 1604; trans. and adm. here before 26th Feb. 1606. When the six brethren were tried at Linlithgow 16th Jan. 1606 for holding the General Assembly at Aberdeen in opposition to the King's command, he accompanied them to their trial and went to prison with them. At the Synod in Aug. 1607 he opposed the Archbishop taking the chair in right of his office. For this he was confined to his parish by Royal command 24th Sept. but was afterwards allowed freedom within the bounds of the Presbytery, and was relieved from his confinement 28th July 1614. He joined in a Protest with fifty-four other mins. for the Liberties of the Kirk 27th June 1617, and in the next year at the General Assembly at Perth, he

1632, the next year he was admitted Five Articles and found ready to defend each of them. He was often before the Courts of High Commission, both before and after his conversion, especially before the commissioners to the Clerical Assembly in conformity with the command of the Perth Assembly, and his company was deprived 1st March that year of all their incomes in Kirk and ordered to live within six regal bounds of the town of Elgin, at Wester Bowhill. Notwithstanding the harsh penalties which were inflicted upon him, he appeared before the commissioners of the General Assembly on two other occasions, died at Wester Bowhill 1634, leaving thirty marks to the poor of the parish. He married General Hugh and co-heiress of Robert Forsyth of Boghall, who survived him, and had 1 son, John, of Wester Gartmorn, & Henry Gilbert Isdell, Christian. He died [R. R. M. Soc. viii, 188], *G. R. H.* v. 18, xxviii, 33; *G. R. Int'l.* xxvi, 33; *Stat. Rec.* *P. 1634*; *G. R. 1634*, 40; alvix, 279; *H. S. of Doct.*, lxiii, 162; Calderwood's *H. S. vi*, 454, 457, 478, viii, 276; *Act. Spec.* *Elements of Faith*, pt. 8, 1, 16; *Friars' M. Soc.* *Bk. ii.* 180; Livingston's *Catech.* *ss. vi*, *P. 1634*, iii, 173.]

ALEXANDER SCRUMGEOUR, *1620* of Alexander Scrumgeour, Dundee, a scholar in 1584, M.A., admitt'd. Bonny about 1594, admitt'd. Inchtuthil in 1606, and still retaining Bonny, was ordered to desist same by the Synod in 1614, trans. and admitt'd. Nov. 1612, none of the people consenting except John Boswell of Fife. At a visitation, 6th Aug. 1622, Arch'd help Spottiswood to divide certain older to the Kirk Session, whom Scrumgeour displayed because they would not kneel at the Lord's Supper, and desired them to take humbly the hand, and accept him in either name, which they did. He died between 11th April 1630 and 15th June 1641. He married Agnes Ramsey, and had issue: Christopher, David, Calderwood's *H. S.* vi, 436, 452, vi, 209, vii, 22, viii, 104; *Stat. Rec.* *P. 1634*; *Act. Spec.* *Relig. Rec.* *f. Doct.*, vii, 123; *Dunlee Bur.* *R. H.* 16 Sept. 1695.]

JOHN MCNAULIE, son of John, born 1630, of St. Andrews, M.A. 1626, admitt'd. to C.R. 1st Oct. 1628, trans. and admitt'd. 1st May 1630, April 1630, a chaplain to the Earl of Huntly, and was present at the Battle of Marston Moor, where he lost his master, and was taken prisoner, and sent to the Tower of London. He married Susanna Martin, and had issue: John, M.A., admitt'd. to Elizabethe Kehler, daughter of Christopher May, *Stat. Rec.* *P. 1634*; *Act. Spec.* *I. 1634*, 24; *Eng. Rec.* *22*, 3; *Recd. Lett.* *4*; *Arch'd. Recd. D.* *xxxi*, 23; *Recd. Lett.* *H. 1634*, 1.

JOSHUA MELDRUM, M.A., trans. to the Acad. of Edinburgh, June 29th 1651, died 1654, trans. to Trinity Church, Edinburgh, 1658, N. 1662.

GILBERT LYON, son of Patrick Lyon, and brother to Patrick Lyon, Laird of Craignethan, admitt'd. to the University of St. Andrews, M.A. 23rd July 1630, Chaplain to the Laird of Bothwell, young man, though playing only chess, was served by George, Bishop of Linlithgow, 29th April, and admitt'd. May 1630, and syndic clerk by Arch'd. 1st pt. 21st April 1630, 1631, St. Andrews 1st Decr. 1634, and 1st April 1635, and about 17. He married Oct. 1636, Jean, daughter of Alexander Orrick of Orrick, who survived him, and had 2: Alexander Ramsey, made of St. Giles, Edinburgh, and his issue: Ruth, k. 3 in 1678; Alexander, Sir R. 1642, Sept. 1651; Margaret, b. in 1644, *I. 1642*; *Act. Spec.* *I. 1634*, 2; *Recd. Lett.* *I. 1634*, 2; *Recd. Lett.* *I. 1634*, 7; *Eng. Rec.* *v*, 112.]

PATRICK LYON, fourth son of William Lyon, Laird of Lyon, educated at Univ. 1636, of St. Andrews, M.A. 26th July 1637, ord. to Tammer before 1st Nov. 1632, trans. and admitt'd. 1st May 1633, conformed to the Civil Government at the Revolution, but having prayed for James VIII, and sat in the pulpit while the Earl of Mar's Proclamation was read 16th Oct. 1715, he fled the parish 29th Dec. that year, on the arrival of the Government Forces,

was dep. for contrav. 11th April 1719, set up a meeting house in the town, but was inhibited by the Justices of the Peace for the county, which sentence was confirmed by the Lords of Session 20th Nov. 1717. He afterward preached at Peebles. He marr. cont. 5th Jan. 1683, Margaret, daugh. of George Halliburton, portioneer of Denhead, and had issue William, surgeon, London; Robert; Helen Liston, born 1686. (*Pebles Presb. Recd.* Fife Sess., xv., 379; Rules Soc. *Forbidding Services of Heresies*; *Case of Greenstocks*, &c.)

ROBERT PONTON, M.A.; called 7th Sept., and ord. 3rd Dec. 1707; trans. 1707 to Kennoway 29th Feb. 1716.

JAMES HENRY, born 1678; M.A. (St Andrews, 23rd July 1697); licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 28th March 1701; ord. to Creich 23rd Sept. 1702; called 19th Sept., trans. and adm. 13th Dec. 1716; died 29th Oct. 1758. He bequeathed £400 to the poor of the parish and £300 to found a bursary in Univ. of St Andrews. He marr. Helen, daugh. of Thomas Forrester, Principal of New College, St Andrews.

THOMAS WEBSTER, born 1731; M.A. (St Andrews 1750); ord. to Clinie 23rd Sept. 1755; pres. by John, Earl of Strathmore, 5th Feby, trans. and adm. 26th July 1759; dem. 24th Nov. 1770, having given offence to his parishioners by not opposing the Catholic Toleration Bill; died at Bath, 6th July 1816. He marr. 8th June 1756, Elizabeth (died 23rd June 1758), daugh. of James Meik, portioneer of West Banchory, and had issue—Katherine, born 14th Sept. 1757, died 24th March 1772.

JOHN USHER, born 1753; licen. by Presb. of Kirkealdy 22nd Dec. 1779; pres. by tutors of John, Earl of Strathmore in May, and ord. 21st Sept. 1780; died 30th Oct. 1796. He marr. 1st June 1785, Jean (died s.p. May 1788), daugh. of Samuel Charters of Sydgate, Solicitor of Customs for Scotland, and Christian, daugh. of John Murray, advocate, Edinburgh; 2 14th Dec. 1795, Elizabeth Gordon, who died 16th Feb.

1838. Publication Account of the Parish (Sinclair's *Stat. Acc.*, xii.).

ADAM PATERSON, born 1767; licen. 1800 by Presb. of Kirkealdy 10th July 1793; pres. by commissioner for John, Earl of Strathmore, Dec. 1799; ord. 21st Aug. 1800; died 16th July 1831. He marr. 13th Nov. 1800, Jane (died 16th April 1861), daugh. of George Shaw, min. of Abbotshall, and had issue—Margaret, born 1st Nov. 1802; Marion, born 16th May 1804; Jean, born 13th Dec. 1805, died 15th Sept. 1807; James, Glasgow, born 21st Sept. 1807; George Shaw, surgeon, Markinch, born 28th May 1808; Adam, writer, Glasgow, born 8th March 1811, died 1st July 1851; William Berry Shaw, min. of Kilmaronoek, born 26th Jan. 1813; John, factor at Ballymagarry, Ireland, born 11th Nov. 1815; Joan, born 13th Sept. 1819.

FERGUS JARDINE, born 1801, seventh 1831 son of John J., Portpatrick; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Stranraer 2nd Jan. 1822; became tutor in family of Thomas, Earl of Elgin; ord. by Presb. of Dunfermline 2nd Dec. 1830 min. of Scots Church, London Wall; pres. by trustees of John, Earl of Strathmore, Nov., trans. and adm. 22nd Dec. 1831; died 20th July 1848. He marr. 3rd March 1835, Jane (died 25th Oct. 1848), fourth daugh. of John Martin, D.D., min. of Kirkealdy, and had issue—Margaret, born 25th Aug. 1835, died 20th March 1836; Agnes, born 16th Oct. 1836; Jessie, born 8th July 1838; Matilda Harriet Bruce, born 13th Aug. 1839; a daughter, born 8th, and died 29th Aug. 1840; Ann Irvine, born 21st Feb. 1842; John Martin, born 23rd Nov. 1843; Isabella, born 21st Nov. 1844; Mary, born 10th Dec. 1845, died 25th Aug. 1846. Publication Account of the Parish (*N.W. Stat. Acc.*, ix.). [Assembly Cases; *Acts of Ass.*, 1830.]

MATTHEW BOWIE, born 1800, fourth 1848 son of George B., farmer, Galston; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1818); licen. by Presb. of Linlithgow 9th Sept. 1824; app. junior chaplain, Indian Establishment, 1831; ord. 29th June 1831;

promoted to rank of Captain 1st April 1860, died at the parish 11th May 1866. D.D. Glasgow, May 1868, buried at West Beach, Fife, 1893. Nephew of Rev. H. R. Hardy, 1831, James, son of Rev. Dr. J. G. Hardy, son of George M. Hardy, rector of St Andrews, died 1838; George M. Hardy Barrister, captain in Indian Army, born 7th August 1807, Mary Anne, born 27th April 1837; Matthew Morton, Indian Civil Service, born 1st May 1838; Friend of Prof. Dr. R. A. G. Brown (1801), M.A. 1831, B.D. Edinburgh 1835, died 19th June 1871, buried on eve of his son's nupt. July 1875; John Hamilton, Anna Park, London, born 28th Feb. 1843; Margaret Elizabeth, born 12th Oct. 1844; Millerburgh, Sk. and born 13th March 1848, died 8th Jan. 1851; Robert Wyllie, born 20th March 1850.

WILLIAM JARDINE DOBIE, born 11th July 1842, son of James Dr. 1867, min. of Applecross, educated at Dumfries Academy and Univ. of Glasgow, Reg'd. by Prof. Dr. L. Landau 11th May 1864, assistant at High Church, Paisley, 1864; Kinghorn, 1865; Park Church, Glasgow, 1866; presbyt. Hall of Strathmore, adm. as student and successor 31st Jan. 1867, res. 6th Nov. 1867. Marry 27th June 1871, Margaret Hamilton, daughter of Walter Verchick Grant, Fife, and had issue: Elizabeth Anne, born 17th July 1872 (marr. 18th Oct. 1888, George Russell Hart, London, Ldss); Margaret Alice, born 27th March 1874; Mary, Army nurse, born 25th May 1875; Agnes Jane, born 27th Sept. 1876; James, a captain 3rd His or. D.S.O., M.C., born 28th July 1877, killed in action 20th Sept. 1915; Williamina, born 19th April 1881; Edith, born 21st April 1885, died 2nd Feb. 1887.

ALEXANDER HANNAY MILL, RAIH, born Amsterdam, Holland, 6th May 1843, son of John Mill, man. of Erskine, educated at Erskine Public School, Dollar Institution, and Univ. of Glasgow, M.A. 1868, licensed by Prof. Dr. of Greenock May 1868, as student at St Stephen's, Glasgow, ord. to Ministry 25th March 1863, trans. and adm. 16th April 1865.

KINGLASSIE.

The town of Kinglassie was founded c. 1820, on the site of the old Abbey of Dunfermline, situated on the River Almond, which flows into the Firth of Forth.

1867 DAVID SPARK, died 1877.
1869 JOHN PYND, died 1st Aug. 1893.
GEORGE RAMSAY, rector, 1874 to 1874, 1-16.

JAMES WILSON, marr. in 1817, with Isabella, daughter of James, was born 1565, minister of the County of Halk, Cumbernauld, 1817, died 1847, buried 20th July days after his death, from the Communion service, which he had prepared by the Assembly of Particulars 21st Dec. 1830. He married Anne, daughter of a widow of George Scott, minister of Dryburgh, and had issue: John, [R. S. S. E. 1868, B. 1871, R. 1874, D. 1876], G. R. S. 1868, 229; Robert, [D. 1874, XIX, 11, 1874, 150]; G. R. T. 1874, and others.

THOMAS MELVILLE, born 1802, died 1st May 1870, and Margaret 1839, son, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1822, licensed by Prof. Dr. L. Stevenson, Edinburgh, 1823, adm. 16th Dec. 1860, died 21st April 1870. He presented four silver communion cups to the parish. He married 1st May 1839, in Germany, at Koenigswinter, Barbara, daughter of 1st March 1806, Thomas, died 2nd May 1837, Jane, baptised 28th Jan. 1808, in Scotland, 3rd Oct. 1837, John Whyte, younger of Pirnmill, Edinburgh, died 2nd May 1843, Isobel, born 18th May 1843, Robert, born 18th Feb. 1846, Miss, Margaret, born 18th June 1848, married 1st 29th Oct. 1866, James Wemyss, of Glantyre, and Beatrix, born 1st Aug. 1870. George, born 25th Jan. 1871, Catherine, born 1st April 1876, [R. S. S. 1876, R. Ruth 1878].

ALEXANDER MONROE, trans. from Second Clergy, Dumbarton, and 1876, adm. 26th March 1876, trans. to Wemyss 6th June 1878.

DAVID BAYNL, son of Alexander Baynl, sheriff-clerk of Fife, educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (1671); adm. to Moonzie before 17th Aug. 1675; trans. and adm. 26th Oct. 1678; was charged before the Privy Council 8th Sept. 1680, with not reading the Proclamation of the Estates, nor praying for William and Mary, but was acquitted; dem. 16th Oct. 1690, went to Dysart, died Feb. 1719, aged about 59. He marr. 9th Dec. 1692, Agnes Alexander, who survived him. [Edin. Mair. Reg.; St Andrews Test.]

ROBERT ELIOT, son of Robert Eliot, min. of West Linton; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (1st Aug. 1651); adm. to Broughton 3rd Dec. 1661; deprived in 1662; had an indulgence at West Linton 3rd Sept. 1672, withdrawn 30th July 1684; returned at Toleration July 1687; restored to Broughton by Act of Parliament 25th April 1690, but returned to West Linton, called in May; trans. and adm. 11th Sept. 1691; died Sept. 1704, aged about 74. He marr. his cousin Helen, daugh. of John McGhee, min. of Dirleton, who survived him, and died at Edinburgh, and had issue Robert, apprenticed to Hugh Simervell, surgeon, Edinburgh, 22nd Nov. 1688; Helen (marr. (1) Alexander Hamilton, min. of St Giles, Edinburgh; (2) 14th April 1698, John Duncan, merchant, Edinburgh. [Edin. Guild Reg.; Edin. Mair. Reg.; Edin. Test.]

JOHN CURRIE, M.A. (Edinburgh, 22nd March 1696); licen. by Presb. of Kirkeddy 19th April; called 24th July, and ord. 28th Sept. 1705; adhered to the Protest against loosing from their charges the four Seeders, by Commission of Assembly, 16th Nov. 1733; died 22nd Sept. 1765, aged about 86. He was the friend and correspondent of Ebenezer and Ralph Erskine, who were much grieved that he did not join them but bitterly opposed their sectarian conduct. He marr. 8th Nov. 1706, Jean (died 26th Feb. 1758), daugh. of Duncan Mackintosh, bailie of Edinburgh, and had issue John, died young; James; John; Ebenezer;

Francis, William, his successor, Alexander; Jean; Elizabeth (marr. pro. 11th Nov. 1739, Robert Cleugh, merchant, Edinburgh); Agnes (marr. pro. 7th Dec. 1735, Thomas Colville, merchant, Edinburgh). Publications *Jus Populi Vindictum* (Edinburgh, 1729); *The Overture Considered* (Edinburgh, 1732); *Romicks on the Modest and Humble Inquiry* [by G. Logan], concerning the Right of electing . . . Ministers (Edinburgh, 1732); *Sermon at opening the Synod* (Edinburgh, 1733); *A Full Vindication of the People's Right to elect their own Pastors* (Edinburgh, 1733); *The Search; or, An Enquiry into the Conduct of the Author* [G. Logan] *of the Modest and Humble Inquiry* (Edinburgh, 1734); *An Essay on Separation* (1738); *A Vindication of the Real Reformation of the Church of Scotland concerning Separation, &c.* (1740); *Serious Conference about Separation from the Church of Scotland* (1741); *The Plain Pejury and Iniquity of the Seeding Brothers New Covenant Disclosed* (Edinburgh, 1744); *Jus Populi Doiman* (Edinburgh, 1827 and 1841). For his writings in vindication of the Church, the General Assembly, 22nd May 1741, approved of the conduct of the late commission in having ordered him a grant of £60.—[Fraser's *Lif. and Doings of Ebenezer Erskine*, 419 *et seq.*; Edin. Mair. Reg.; G. R. Sis., xcv., 468.]

WILLIAM CURRIE, born 1722, son of preceding; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (18th March 1742); licen. by Presb. of Kirkeddy 23rd March 1744; a call to Scone was set aside by General Assembly, 15th May 1747; called 7th Nov. 1749; ord. assistant and successor 13th March 1750; died 11th March 1770. He marr. 9th May 1755, Jean Douglas (died 10th Oct. 1768), and had issue Rachel, born 12th Sept. 1756 (marr. pro. 25th May 1777, James Spankie, staymaker, Edinburgh); Christian, born 13th Nov. 1757; John, born 26th May 1759, died 18th Nov. 1767; Charles, born 20th March, and died 13th April 1761; Charles, born 21st May 1764, died 2nd Feb. 1767; William Henry, born 21st April

1765, and 16th Feb. 1766. Robert James, born 25th July 1768.

THOMAS MITCHELL, M.A., 1773, by John, Earl of Rothes, 5th Aug. 1773, but owing to opposition thereto the General Assembly suspended his appointment May 1772, he withdrew and was settled at Lennington.

JAMES REID, born 1732, son in the family of Lord President Dundas, 1773, ord. to Lennington 21st Aug. 1769, pres. by John, Earl of Rothes, 3rd July, trans. and adm. 23rd Sept. 1773, died 6th Dec. 1816. He marr. 26th Dec. 1773, Alexandrina, died at Kirkcaldy 2nd Nov. 1822, daughter of Thomas Fyers, overseer of H.M. Works in Scotland, and died issue Thomas, born 3rd Sept. 1774, died 18th Jan. 1775; Elizabeth, born 11th Feb. 1776; Ann, born 23rd Aug. 1777, died 10th March 1785; Alexandrina, born 8th Nov. 1781; James, born 10th Sept., and died 10th Nov. 1784; Mary, born 6th Sept. 1785; Margaret, born 30th June 1787; John, born 28th Oct. 1788. Sir William, K.C.B., Governor of Malta, born 25th April 1791, died Jan. 1859. Thomas, born 27th May 1793; Rose, born 6th March 1795. Publication—*Account of the Parish Session Statute, &c.*, iv.

JOHN MACPHERSON CUNNINGHAM, born 6th Sept. 1775, son 1818 of Hugh Cunningham, minister of Traquair, educated at Univ. of Edinburgh, licensed by Presb. of Haddington 1st Aug. 1809, ord. to Newtyle 28th Sept. 1815, pres. by George William, Earl of Rothes, Feb. 1817, trans. 16th March 1818, died 8th Sept. 1847. He marr. 20th Dec. 1816, Margaret, died at Dundee 23rd Nov. 1850, daughter of Colin Symes, minister of Alyth, and had issue Hugh Robert, M.A., curate of Sedgefield, Durham, born 28th Jan. 1820; Helen Hollyburton, born 27th Nov. 1822, died 27th Jan. 1823. Publications—*A Short and Practical Address to the Clergy*, Kirkcaldy, 1843; *Account of the Parish Act Statute, &c.*; *Preface to Cunningham's Catalogue of Expositions of the Four Commandments*, Edinburgh, 1825.

ANDREW JOHNSTONE, born 1813, 1848, eldest son of John Johnstone, Less than 10 years of Glasgow, practitioner of Secular Church, ord. 22nd Aug. 1837 as Chaplain to the Mining Company in Brazil, returned home, became teacher in the Canongate Charity Workhouse, Edinburgh, and to St. John's Church, Dundee, 12th Feb. 1846, trans. to High Church Parish, Paisley, 17th Sept. 1849, trans. and adm. 9th March 1849, died 18th Dec. 1882. He marr. 5th Feb. 1836, Letitia Bentiville, and had issue—Eliza, Elizabeth, born 6th May 1842; Lovellie Bentiville, born 18th Aug. 1844; Frederick John Bentiville, born at Leswalt, circa 12th April 1846; Andrew Bentiville, born 7th Feb. 1849; Barbara Dowell, born 12th Oct. 1851; Henry Bentiville Andrew, born 22nd Aug. 1853; Henrietta Rose Murray, born 26th Oct. 1857.

WILLIAM THOMPSON, born in Ireland 1831, son of William Thompson, 1833, and Janet Cuthbert, née Gray Presb. of Derry, 27th May 1834; to Mary, Co. Donegal, circa Nov. 1852, added to this charge 16th April 1853, died 11th March 1867. He marr. 16th March 1856, Catherine Marshall, died 9th Aug. 1868, and had issue William, born 16th Oct. 1857; John Marshall, born 21st Nov. 1859; Frances Elizabeth, born 18th Sept. 1864, who all went abroad. (*Hist. of Presbyterian Chgs. in Ireland*, 201.)

JOHN FRASER, born 7th Jan. 1853, 1897, son of Alexander Fraser and Isabella Adam, educated at Carlisle Street School, Paisley, and Univ. of Glasgow; licensed by Presb. of Paisley in 1880, assistant at St. George's Parish, Paisley, ord. 15th Sept. 1897. Marr. 7th Dec. 1897, Helen Laming, daughter of James Weir, Paisley, born 1st July 1866, and has issue John Alexander, born 4th Aug. 1899; Helen Macdonald, born 18th April 1902; Oliver Wilson, born 12th March 1904. Publication—*Council in O'er*, a drama, Paisley, 1904.

KIRKCALDY.

ABBOTSHALL.

[The parish of Abbotshall was disjoined from Kirkcaldy and Kinghorn in 1650. The Abbot of Dunfermline had a manse here, which has given its name to the parish.]

PATRICK WEMYSS, son of Henry Wemyss of Foddie; educated at Univ. of **1650** St Andrews; M.A. (1643); was on the Exercise thereof called 17th March, and adm. 4th Nov. 1650; deprived by Act of Parliament 11th June, and Decree of Privy Council 1st Oct. 1652. He purchased the lands of East Condland in 1650, and those of Gladney in 1651, and died at the latter place in Nov. 1657, aged about 45. He marr. (1) 2nd Sept. 1653, Elizabeth, died 5th April 1662, eldest surviving daugh. of George Hamilton, min. of Pittenweem, and had issue Harry; George; Eupham; 2 26th Jan. 1660, Janet Durie of the parish of Burntisland. [Lamont's *Diary*, 59, 145, 173, 202; Wodrow's *Hist.* i., 329.]

ALEXANDER FRASER, brother to Robert F., advocate; M.A. Aberdeenshire 1648; became schoolmaster at Cruden; adm. before 13th June 1651, trans. to Daviot and Dunlichty 31st Aug. 1654; returned here in 1662.

ROBERT FORREST, M.A. (Glasgow 1654); licen. by Presb. of Stirling 26th May 1656; adm. to Dollar 3rd Jan. 1660, trans. and adm. before 6th Aug. 1664; died June 1679, aged about 45. He marr. Marion, daugh. of Sir John Rollo of Bannockburn (she survived him and marr. (2) James Bruce *alias* Forsyth of Garvell, and had issue John; Andrew; Anna. [St Andrews *Test.*; *Lochleven Papers*; *Scots Peerage*, vii., 197.]

JOHN BOWES, educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; adm. before 7th Oct. 1685; accused of neglecting the Catechism of the Westminster Assembly,

and using that set forth by the Diocesan Synod of Edinburgh; dep. for contumacy 15th Oct. 1691; reponed 7th April 1693. [Rule's *Soc. vindication*; Sage's *Works*.]

ALEXANDER FRASER, M.A., above mentioned; trans. from Daviot and Dunlichty; called 23rd Dec. 1691; adm. 5th Jan. 1692; died between 6th April and 16th Sept. 1697, aged about 59. He marr. Anna Pearson, and had issue Elizabeth marr. 17th April 1707, Patrick Dobie, barber, Perth. [Wodrow's *Hist.* i., 329; *Crampgate Reg.*]

PATRICK MELVILLE, licen. by Presb. of Kirkealdy 28th Oct. 1697; became **1699** chaplain to the laird of Raith; called in Aug., and ord. 29th Sept. 1699; died between 12th Jan. and 22nd Feb. 1710. He marr. April 1701, Elizabeth, daugh. of Daniel Ross, writer, Edinburgh, and had issue Alexander; Thomas; Barbara; James. [Elm. Marr. Reg.]

THOMAS NAIRNE, born about 1680, son of Samuel N., min. of Errol; **1710** educated at St Andrews Univ.; M.A. (19th July 1702); licen. by Presb. of Cupar 27th Sept. 1708; called 26th June, and ord. 7th Sept. 1710. Joined the Associate Presbytery 12th Oct. 1737; dep. by General Assembly, 15th May 1740. Differing from his Associate brethren about "an Act for renewing our Covenants," he seceded from them, 3rd Feb. 1743, and with John McMillan, formerly of Edinmaghie, founded the Reformed Presbytery 1st Aug. 1743. He petitioned the General Assembly to be again received into the Church, acknowledging his error, and was first, after discipline, admitted as a member, and afterwards restored to the ministry 5th June 1758; died Feb. 1764. He marr. and had issue Ann; Margaret (marr. John Cunningham of Pittarthy); Helen; Mary marr. 8th June 1752, James McEldrum, writer, Kirkealdy. Publication *A Sermon preached at Braehead* (Glasgow, 1745). [Gill's *Display*; Hutchison's *Reformed Presbyterian Church in Scotland*, 184 203.]

GLODELL, GIB, M.A., born 1710, died
May 1743. Ordained at Leith
1742, and Fifth Minister of St. Cuth-
bert's, Edinburgh, till his retirement
April 1751. Marriages: 1st 1735, to the
widow of Francis Stewart, writer, Edinburgh, and died 1750; 2nd, to Margaret
Marchant, 1751. Buried at St. Cuthbert's
Parish Church, Edinburgh, 21st March
21st March 1771. Memorials: tablet in
John Rylands' ch. May 1774.

ALEXANDER SHEARS, presby. Major
William Armit, died 2d Nov. 1757.
1758, ord. 1st March 1758, trans. to Kirk-
cudlly 28th June 1758.

GEORGE SHAW, born 1737, M.A.
St Andrews 1756, pres. by William
1769, Ferguson of Ruth. 1st Oct. 1769,
ord. 27th April 1770, died 9th Jan. 1800.
He married 17th Dec. 1772, Margaret Watt,
who died 13th Jan. 1823, aged 51, and
had three children: William Barry, man of Law,
Edin., born 22d July 1775; Jean, born
16th Jan. 1777, man Adm'r Extraordinary
of Kitchens; Robert, man of Law, born
18th May 1778. Burial in St. Cuthbert's
April 1782. Jane, deceased, born 16th
Feb. 1784. Publication: Account of the
Parish Session, 1801, 4to.

WILLIAM ANDERSON, born 1754,
died by the Presb. 5th Nov. 1794.
1810, pres. by William Ferguson of Ruth
17th April 1809, ord. 1st Aug. 1810, died
27th Aug. 1826. He married 13th Dec. 1810,
Catharine Christiana Whyte, who survived
him, and married Robert Watt, minister
of the Church, she died in Edinburgh,
14th March 1851.

JOHN MURRAY, pres. by Robert
Ferguson of Ruth, in 1815, and
1823, 9th March 1826, trans. to Morton
4th April 1830.

ALEXANDER OSWALD LAIRD, born
29th Oct. 1808, son of Hugh La-
1839, D.D., man of Portmuk, ord. at
the Univ. of Edinburgh, Presb. by Prof.
of Kirkaldy 16th Sept. 1830, called 17th
June, and ord. to Ardoch 23rd July 1833,
trans. and adm. 17th Sept. 1833. Joined the

Church of Scotland 1836, and was a member
of the Free Church 1838. Died 1843.
Burial in St. Cuthbert's, Edinburgh, 19th
May 1843. His wife, Anne Brown, who
died 1838, was buried in St. Cuthbert's, May
1839. His son, John Murray, 1839, died Nov.
1860, and was buried in St. Cuthbert's, Nov.
1860. His son, Robert Murray, 1841, died
1869, and was buried in St. Cuthbert's, May
1870. Son, Alexander, 1843, died Sept. 1874,
and was buried in St. Cuthbert's, Agnes
Brown, his wife, died Nov. 1843. Emily
Christie, 1843, died Nov. 1847, and was
buried in St. Cuthbert's, May 1848. His son,
Alfred Murray, 1845, died Jan. 1869, and was
buried in St. Cuthbert's, May 1869. His son,
John Murray, 1846, died Feb. 1874, and was
buried in St. Cuthbert's, May 1874.

ROBERT GILLIN, born 19th Sept.
1813, died 1st Sept. 1848, buried
Glasgow, 19th Sept. 1848.

JOHN BLAIR, died 17th June 1813.
Burial in St. Cuthbert's, Edinburgh, 1813.
1847, Thomas Murray, Presb. of Kirk-
cudlly, pres. by Robert Ferguson of Ruth,
17th Oct. 1847, died 17th June 1853.
Burial in St. Cuthbert's, Edinburgh, 1853.
Helen, his wife, May 1853, daughter of
David Bannerman, Kirkcudlly.

JOHN DUNCAN, died 17th June 1853,
trans. to St. Mary's, Dunfermline, 17th June
1853.

BRUCE BEVERIDGE, B.D., born
Kirkcudlly, 17th June 1813, died 1853.
Son of Robert Bruce, Presb. of Kirkcudlly,
and Grace Beveridge, and great-nephew
of Robert Burns, died 1851, at Kirkcudlly.
Burial in St. Cuthbert's, Edinburgh, 1853.
M.A. 1838, M.A. 1850. Presb. by Presb.
of Glasgow, in 1833, assistant at St.
Davies, Glasgow, 1833-4, Trans. Ed. Edinburgh,
1845, ord. 17th Sept. 1846. D.D. Glasgow,
1866, died 27th Aug. 1873. Burial, 13th Dec. 1873.
Margaret, his daughter, died 1873.

of Andrew Currie of Glassmount, Fife, and had issue Robert Burns, born 30th March 1874; Elizabeth Fiskon, born 16th Oct. 1875; Grace Beveridge, born 18th Aug. 1877 (marr. William James Somerville Miller, min. of West Coates, Edinburgh); Andrew Currie, banker, London, captain and adjutant Black Watch, born 13th Oct. 1879, killed in action 30th July 1916.

JOHN MERCER HUNTER, born 1811 Ayr, 6th Dec. 1880, son of John H. and Margaret Murray; educated at Newton upon Ayr Academy, Ayr Academy, and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. 1905; B.D. 1908; licen. by Presb. of Ayr 6th May 1908; assistant at St Mungo's, Glasgow, and Peebles; ord. (assistant and successor) 6th Dec. 1911; captain Black Watch and Chaplain to the Forces in European War. Marr. 5th June 1913, Frances Margaret, daughter of Thomas Martin, D.D., min. of Peebles, and has issue John Murray, born 10th Nov. 1920. Thomas Martin, born 12th Dec. 1922. Publication *The Scottish Service Guide* (1918).

INVERTIEL (Q.S.).

[There was of old at Invertiel a chapel of St Katherine. In 1836 a mission chapel was built here. The parish of Invertiel was disjoined from Kinghorn and Abbotshall 19th July 1869.]

WILLIAM REID, elected 16th Nov. 1833 1837; ord. 11th Jan. 1838; trans. to Kettle 16th Sept. 1842.

JOHN ISDALE, born 16th Feb. 1818, 1843 son of Alexander L, min. of Dron; educated at Unive. of St Andrews and Edinburgh; ord. 2nd Feb. 1843. Joined the Free Church in 1843; min. of Free Church, Invertiel, 1843-56; min. of St Andrew's Free Church, Glasgow, 1856-91; died in Glasgow 29th March 1891. He marr. 1849, Maria Aitken, and had issue Alexander, M.A., B.D., min. of St Stephen's Free Church, Perth, born 1858.

[Vicarant 1843-56.]

JOHN FLEMING, born 1831, third son 1856 of William F., inn keeper, Andries, educated at Univ. of Glasgow; ord. 27th Sept. 1856; died unmarr. at Kinghorn 16th Nov. 1857.

GEORGE GREEN GILLAN, M.A., 1858 ord. 5th March 1858; trans. to Dalzellington 15th Dec. 1859.

JAMES SMEATON, ord. 17th Oct. 1861; 1861 res. 1868.

WILLIAM CRICKSHANK EDDIE, 1868 JAMESON, ord. 16th April 1868; trans. to St Matthew's Parish, Glasgow, 4th Aug. 1869.

DAVID MILLAR, M.A., B.D.; ord. 19th Nov. 1869; trans. to Mordington 1869 22nd June 1871.

JOHN YOUNG SCOTT, trans. from Brechin East, and adm. 24th Aug. 1871 1871; trans. to Broomleuch Parish, Edinburgh, 16th Dec. 1875.

ROBERT GLASGOW, born Manchester 1876 19th Aug. 1846, son of Robert G. and Elizabeth Wright; educated at Eccles School and Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Duns; assistant at Kilwinning, Dunbarton, and St Matthew's, Glasgow; ord. 3rd May 1873; res. 14th Dec. 1914; died in Portobello 11th March 1924. He marr. 12th Dec. 1876, Margaret (died 19th April 1918), youngest daughter of James Ker, Peebles, and Jane Lee, and had issue Jane Lee, born 14th Oct. 1877, died 10th Jan. 1895; Robert, private, Australian Army, born 11th May 1879, died 25th April 1915; Elizabeth Gascoigne Wright, born 14th July 1881; James Ker, born 21st June, died 13th Sept. 1886.

JOHN BARBOUR, born Omagh, County Tyrone, 24th June 1873, son of George 1915 B. and Mary Mackay; educated at Foyle College and Magee College, Londonderry, Royal Univ. of Ireland (B.A. 1896), United Free Church College, Edinburgh, and Univ. of Edinburgh (M.A. 1908); licen. by Presb. of Derry in 1900; assistant Lecturer in Mathematics, Magee College; adm. as licentiate by General Assembly in 1905; assistant at Marnoch, Renfrew,

Galafield, and Old Greyfriars, Edinburgh, ord. 29th April 1616; Mar. book date 1616; Charles Smith, Dawson.

KIRKCALDY, ST. BRICE

The parish church of Kirkcaldy was dedicated to St Brice. It belonged to the Abbey of Dunfermline. The parish of Abbotshall was taken off Kirkcaldy in 1650. A Second Charge existed in this parish from 1612 to 1650. In the church there was of old an altar of St Katherine. Within the bounds there were chapels of St Patrick, St Katherine, and St Peter.

GEORGE SCOTT, adm. before 14th May 1580, dep. 1590, trans. to Dysart 1574.

DAVID SPENS, probably son of David 1578 Spens, min. of Carnbee, min. in 1578 trans. to Orwell before 18th June 1581; entered into a contract with Town Council to take up a Grammar Sch. of in July 1582; returned before 1584; was a witness to recitation of Patrick Adamson, Bishop of St Andrews, 5th April 1601, dem. "on account of great age and infirmity before 14th Aug. 1625"; died 1626. He marr. (1) 18th June 1581, Margaret, daughter of David Ferguson, min. of Dunfermline; (2) before 1600, Margaret Wemyss, and had issue: Margaret, marr. Adam Simson, min. of New Abbey. [Reg. Assoc., *Aucto. the Sess. Recd. Libr. on Pipers*; McIlviss' *Autobi.*, 303; Reg. of Decls., lxxx.]

JOHN GILLESPIE, M.A. (Glasgow 1602), ord. to Alva 18th July 1603 1625 was one of the forty two min. who signed the Protest to Parliament against the introduction of Episcopacy, trans. to Second Charge, Kirkcaldy, after 14th Oct. 1612, trans. to First Charge, pres. by Charles I, 14th Aug. 1625, died before 12th Aug. 1627, aged about 46. He marr. Lillias, died 1627, daugh. of Patrick Simson, min. of Stirling, and had issue: Capt. John, served her 14th March 1665, George, min. of St Giles, Edinburgh; Patrick, Principal of Univ. of Glasgow; William; Janet; Lillias (marr. Alexander Skene of Newtyle, Aberdeen); Christian — marr.

David, son of Alexander Lewis, kupper, Tullibody; Mary, marr. Frederick Carmichael, min. of Maranatha. [Reg. Soc. Soc.; *Recd. Libr. on Pipers*, 4879, 6, Reg. Soc. Soc., 234.]

FREDERICK CARMICHAEL, pres. by Charles I, 24th April 1627, pres. by the Earl of Orkney with James Simson, min. of Kincraig.

JAMES SIMSON, M.A. St Andrews 1627 — 1690, born 1607, son of Alexander Simson, min. of Blair Atholl, pres. by Charles I, 16th Aug. 1627, and by the Earl of Orkney 1628; died 29th June 1671, as too credulous in carrying things to the pulpit upon his day, was controversial in his sermons, his fasts in prayer and expectation of so great a judgment, those who speak unto God and not him, and a loving fellowship between the minister and the ones yoke fellow, died 29th June 1671. "A man who had 2000 shill. of land." He marr. Margaret Michaelson, sister to John Michaelson of Binnfield, and had issue: Euphemia, Grizel, Janet, Agnes, marr. Thomas Richardson, elder, b. 1616, of Dysart. [Reg. Soc. Soc.; Lamont's *Decls.*, 179; *Recd. Libr. on Pipers*, Reg. Soc. Soc., xiv, 319.]

GEORGE OGILVIE, M.A. Edinburgh, 29th July 1636, died 1670, b. Fortmeik 1635 — 13th Sept. 1643, pres. by Charles II, adm. 17th May 1665, died June 1677, aged about 42. He marr. Elizabeth Ballindean, who died "an old woman" at Collessie Feb. 1681, and had issue: John, min. of Collessie; Anna. [See *Autobi.*, p. Poste; *Recd. Libr. on Pipers*; Lamont's *Decls.*, 113, 156, 182; *Reg. Soc. Soc.*, vi, 136.]

JAMES WILLIAMSON, son of David 1677 Williamson of Chipch, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1672; passed trials before Presb. of St Andrews and had a testimonial for him on 16th May 1693, adm. to Cameron 24th June 1698; pres. by Charles II, 27th Dec. 1679, as approved by Town Council, adm. 7th Nov. 1677, dep. 31st July 1699. He was instituted, however, to the vicarage of Saints Cosmas and Damian in the Elcan, Kent, 24th March previous, and had a dispensation

to hold also the vicarage of St. Dunstan's, near Canterbury, to which he was ind. 15th May 1700; died 4th Aug. 1728, aged about 86. He marr. Katherine, daugh. of William Balfour of Nydie, and had issue: David, born 1680; Gilbert; Christian; Janet. [Lochaber Papers; Hasted's *Kent*, iii.; Macfarlane's *Gen. Coll.*, iii., 201; G. R. Inhba., 20th July 1676; Register of Arch. bishop & Sheriff.]

ROBERT RULE, M.A.; formerly of
1688 Second Charge; adm. 24th July
 1688; trans. to Second Charge,
 Stirling, 15th Nov. 1693.

ARCHIBALD RIDDELL, M.A.; trans.
1697 from Wemyss; called Dec. 1696;
 adm. 20th May 1697; trans. to
 Trinity Parish, Edinburgh, 8th Dec. 1701.

JOHN WILSON, M.A.; trans. from
1702 Portmoak; called 18th Aug., and
 adm. 22nd Oct. 1702; trans. to
 North Leith 9th Sept. 1708.

HENRY DALL, M.A. (St. Andrews
1711 12th July 1690); ord. to Second
 Charge 6th Nov. 1704; called 4th,
 trans. and adm. 18th Oct. 1711; while
 attending a Committee of Synod engaged
 at Kirkcaldy regarding a presentee to
 Burntisland in Oct. 1713, he was seriously
 injured by the rabble; died Feb. 1724,
 aged about 45. He marr. Rachel Hamilton,
 who died 26th Nov. 1759, and had issue:
 —Rachel; John; Thomas; Ann; James,
 went to Guinea, and died before 9th July
1745; Margaret (marr. 9th Dec. 1744, Henry
 McKeechie, merchant, Edinburgh); Janet;
 Henry; Mary. —[*Services of Heirs*.]

JOHN DRYSDALE, M.A. (Edinburgh,
1726 29th April 1701); licen. by Presb.
 of Kirkcaldy 3rd July 1707; ord. to
 Second Charge 6th March 1712; called
 8th, trans. and adm. 10th Feb. 1726; died
 May 1726, aged about 45. He marr. Anne,
 daugh. of William Ferguson, Provost of
 Kirkcaldy, and had issue: John, D.D.,
 min. of Tron Parish, Edinburgh, and
 several others. [Drysdale's *Sermons*.]

ALEXANDER ADAM, licen. by Presb.
1729 of Stirling 30th April 1718; ord. to
 Second Charge 22nd June 1729; called
 9th, trans. and adm. 24th Nov.
 1729; died 31st Jan. 1749. He marr. Isobel
 (died 30th Oct. 1758), daugh. and heiress of
 John Whytt of Ballo, and had issue: Alex-
 ander, born 1739. [Douglass's *Latomia*, 539.]

DAVID MARSHALL, licen. by Presb.
1741 of Perth 4th March 1724; tutor in the
 family of Belsches of Invermay; ord. to
 Second Charge 10th June 1729; called
 28th Aug. 1740; trans. and adm. 22nd
 May 1741, the settlement having been
 delayed through a counter presentation.
 In 1759 he undertook the duties of the
 Second Charge in addition, receiving half
 the stipend of the same; died 28th Aug.
 1767. He marr. 17th Nov. 1733, Marion
 Wood, who died 26th May 1786, and had
 issue: Thomas, born 22nd Jan. 1735; Jean,
 born 21st Jan. 1738; Sophia, born 27th
 Dec. 1739 (marr. George Lyon, min. of
 Strathmiglo); Jaspar, born 21st May 1741,
 apprenticed to a W.S.; 1761; James, born
 11th July 1744; Cumberland, born 5th
 June 1746; David, born 4th Jan. 1748,
 died 6th Feb. 1750.

ALEXANDER SPEARS, born 11th
1768 Aug. 1733, son of Robert S., min.
 of Burntisland; educated at Univ.
 of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Kirk-
 caldy 28th Aug. 1755; ord. to Abbotshall
 1st March 1758; pres. by George III, 17th
 Sept. 1767; trans. and adm. 28th June
 1768; died 17th May 1783. He marr.
 26th Sept. 1764, Katherine (died in Edin-
 burgh, 9th Nov. 1813), daugh. of David
 Berry, merchant, Edinburgh, and had issue:

Ferguson, captain, born 13th Aug. 1765;
 Robert, merchant, Glasgow, born 27th Aug.
 1766, died at sea, 17th May 1842; David,
 born 27th Feb. 1768, died 3rd Jan. 1771;
 William, born 7th Nov. 1769; Agnes, born
 24th June 1771 (marr. 13th June 1802,
 Thomas Graham, writer, Glasgow, and
 collector of Crown rents, Orkney); died
 4th Oct. 1859; Jean, born 31st Dec. 1772,
 died 20th Nov. 1781; David, born 12th
 Sept. 1774, died 26th May 1779; Beatrix,
 born 17th Jan. 1777.

WILLIAM MOODIE, pres. by George III, 26th May 1783, and adm. 9th June 1784, died 1785, trans. to St. Andrew's Parish, Edinburgh, 27th Oct. 1787.

THOMAS FLEMING, D.D., trans. from Kilmarnock, pres. by George III, 13th Feb., trans. and adm. 10th July 1788, trans. to Lucy Yester's Parish, Edinburgh, 23rd Oct. 1800.

JOHN MARTIN, born 10th Dec. 1792, son of Samuel Martin, min. of Mennock, 1807, been, by Presb. of Cigar, 10th Oct. 1792, ord. to Strichenloch, 11th Sept. 1793, pres. by George III, 29th Oct. 1803, trans. and adm. 25th June 1807, D.D., St. Andrews, 8th Feb. 1833, died from effect of a carriage accident 4th Sept. 1837. On the evening of communion day, Sunday, 10th June 1828, Edward Irving was to preach in Kirkcaldy church. Long before the hour of service the building was crowded. One of the galleries gave way under the living burden, and in the rush to the doors twenty-eight persons were killed, and one hundred and fifty were more or less injured. He marr. 10th Nov. 1796, Margaret, died 6th Nov. 1846, daughter of Andrew Walker, farmer, Carlisle, and had issue: Isobel, born 6th Sept. 1797, marr. 13th Oct. 1823, Edward Irving, man. of Regent Square Church, London; Elizabeth, born 26th Jan. 1799, marr. William Hamilton, merchant, London; Margaret, born 9th March 1801, marr. James Brodie, min. of Mennock; Samuel, min. of Bathgate, born 22nd Dec. 1802; Janet, born 24th May 1804, marr. Francis Jardine, min. of Kinghorn; Andrew, merchant, London, born 15th Jan. 1806; Anne, born 19th Feb. 1808; John, born 18th Oct. 1809, died 10th Jan. 1815; David, born 28th April 1811. Publications: *Sketches of the Life of Robert Cleek*, Count's Sermons, London, 1808; *Review consisting of Sermons, Essays, and Letters*, Edinburgh, 1838. [Mrs. Oliphant's *Life of Edward Irving*, Campbells Kirkcaldy, 206-7.]

JOHN ALEXANDER BUCHAN, Esq., born 12th March 1803, third son of James Buchan, a Scotch Presbyterian minister educated at Univ. of Edinburgh, and Glasgow, assistant at Dumfries, 1814-15; Warden Town, April 1815-16; 1836 pres. by Queen Victoria of Dr. 1837, trans. and adm. 11th March 1838, 10th 11th Pres. Church 3d, 1843, man. of Pres. Church, Kirkcaldy, 1843-63; D.D., Peter's College, New Jersey, U.S.A., 1844-51, and 1st May 1863. He married 10th Dec. 1833, Elizabeth, and 1st March 1855, widow of George Elliot, merchant, Kirkcaldy, Kirkcaldy, and had issue: John, Helen, Elizabeth, born 26th Sept., pres. of man. James Stalker, D.D., man. of Pres. Church, Kirkcaldy, and Pres. of man. U.P. College, Aberdeen, d. 16th April 1869; Frederick, A. marr. at the Parish, Ayr, 1867, Mary, Eng., b. 17th Oct. 1867; Alice, b. 1869, Kirkcaldy, 1872.

MARK JOHNSTON BRYDENS, born 1813, son of William Bryden, Presb. 1843, Drunken, and Ann Stark, educated at Dumfries Academy and Univ. of Edinburgh, born by Presb. of Ayrshire, and adm. at Greenock, Edinburgh, pres. by Queen Victoria 19th Aug., and ord. 25th Sept. 1843, died 7th Oct. 1851. He had 1. Mary, daughter of George Hall, master driller, London, and had issue: Elizabeth Balfe, born 26th April 1843; Anna, born 16th April 1844, died 26th Sept. 1863; Lilles Jessie, born 18th Jan. 1846; Mary Williamson, born 1st Sept. 1847; William Anthony, engineer, Glasgow, born 26th March 1849; George Hall, born 27th March 1851; Caroline Jane, born 13th March 1853; Mark Johnston, born 31st Jan. 1855; Clara Mcdermott, born 17th Oct. 1859, d. 31st July 1877; Jessie Williamson, died 14th July 1911, widow of Charles Nairn Barker, Melville, min. of Maryculter.

JOHN CAMPBELL, born Fertingall, 26th Oct. 1847, son of John C. 1881, and Jessie Macnaughton, educated at Parish School, Leinster, and Univ. of Glasgow, M.A. 1867, B.D. 1870; licen. by Presb. of Lanark, May 1870;

assistant at St Georges in the Fields, Glasgow; ord. to Newhall, Glasgow, 18th April 1872; trans. to Airdrie 15th April 1875; trans. and adm. 31st March 1881; D.D. Glasgow 1915. Marr. 11th Jan. 1879, Elizabeth, second daugh. of Herbert Renwick, Parks, Beattock, and has issue—Phyllis Carruthers, M.A., St Andrews, born 1st Nov. 1880; Duncan McGregor, Order of the Nile, mechanical engineer, Irrigation Department, Egypt, born 21st Feb. 1882; Jessie Macnaughton, M.B., Ch.B., St Andrews, D.P.H., Edinburgh, born 21st Aug. 1883 marr. Aug. 1919, Alexander Maxwell, M.A., Oxon., Home Office; Lizzie Mabel Renwick, M.A., M.B., Ch.B., St Andrews, born 2nd May 1885; Adeline Herbert, M.A., M.B., Ch.B., St Andrews, Hon. Red Cross, Military Cross, and Order of St Saba, all of Serbia, born 11th June 1887; Margaret McGillevie, M.A., St Andrews, born 26th Oct. 1889; Annie Renwick, M.B., Ch.B., St Andrews, born 20th Aug. 1893; Catherine McGregor, medical student, born 26th March 1898; Isobel Grace Macnaughton, born 12th Oct. 1906. Publications—*The Church and Parish of Kirkcaldy from the earliest times till 1843*, portrait (Kirkcaldy, 1901); Memoir prefixed to the Rev. William Stevenson's *Auchtertool Kirkcaldy*, 1908.

SECOND CHARGE.

JOHN GILLESPIE, M.A.; trans. from Ayac after 14th Oct. 1612; trans. to **1612** First Charge in 1625.

ROBERT DOUGLAS, M.A.; adm. 9th Nov. 1628; trans. to St Giles, Edinburgh, after 22nd Aug. 1639.

PATRICK GILLESPIE, M.A.; adm. 11th April 1642; trans. to Outer High Kirk, Glasgow, before 15th May 1648.

KENNETH LOGIE, son of James L., advocate; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (25th July 1629); licen. by Presb. of Dalkeith 8th Aug. 1633; elected librarian to Univ. of Edinburgh 22nd April 1635; adm. to Skirling 17th

Dec. 1640; called 12th Nov. 1649, trans. and adm. 9th Jan. 1650; conformed to Episcopacy, died 29th Nov. 1669, aged about 60. He marr. Jean Fallsdaill, who died June 1682. [See *Andrews' Tests.*; Lamont's *Diary*, 14, 215; Wodrow's *Hist.*, i, 320; Montith's *Memo.*, 207.]

JOHN ROBERTSON, M.A.; adm. (probably assistant) **1658** 1658; trans. to Dysart 29th Oct. 1661.

ROBERT RULE, M.A., formerly of Second Charge, Stirling; adm. (probably assistant) before 28th Sept. 1662; deprived by Act of Parliament 11th June, and Decree of Privy Council 1st Oct. 1662 (afterwards min. of First Charge).

DAVID PIERSON, only son of Thomas P., min. of Forfar; educated at **1670** Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (8th Oct. 1662); had testimonial for licence from Presb. of Paisley 7th April; ord. to Kilbarchan before 13th Oct. 1664; pres. by Town Council, and adm. 14th Sept. 1670; died 1675, aged about 33, bequeathing to the church fifty merks to buy a Cambridge Bible. He marr., and had issue—Thomas, served heir 31st July 1682; Catherine. [See *Andrews' Tests.*; *Inq. Ret. Forfar*, 489.]

ALEXANDER HERIOT, M.A.; pres. by Town Council; adm. prior to 5th **1676** April 1676; trans. to Dalkeith 11th Jan. 1683.

LUDOVICK GORDON, M.A.; trans. and adm. from Rothiemay in 1683; **1683** deprived by Privy Council 29th Aug. 1689, for not reading the Proclamation of the Estates, nor praying for William and Mary. He was afterwards min. at Kinore.

JOHN LAW, called 29th July 1691; **1691** settled at Crichton 28th Dec. 1693.

ANDREW WARDROPER [or **WARD-**
1692 **ROPE**], M.A.; called in March, and ord. 30th June 1692; trans. to Ballingry 30th April 1702.

HENRY DALE, M.A., called 29th Aug.
and ord. 2nd Nov. 1703, trans. to
1704 First Charge 1stn Oct. 1711.

JOHN DRYSDALE, M.A., called 20th
Nov. 1711, and ord. 3rd March 1712,
trans. to First Charge York Feb. 1716.

ALEXANDER ADAM, called 2nd
1723 March, and ord. 22nd June 1729,
trans. to First Charge 26th Nov. 1729.

DAVID MARSHALL, called 30th Jan.,
and ord. 10th June 1730, trans. to
1739 First Charge 2nd May 1731.

DAVID RINTOUL, called 2nd March,
and ord. 21st June 1743, trans. to
1743 Elgin 28th Sept. 1749.

[After a dispute lasting several years,
the Second Charge was suppressed. For
an account of the controversy thereabouts,
see Campbell's *Church and Priest of Kirk-*
July, 152-160.]

PATHHEAD Q.S.

[The parish of Pathhead was disjoined
from Dysart 16th March 1850.]

CHARLES JAMESON, born Kirkcaldy
1840 on Firth 1807, son of Charles
J., shipowner, and Janet Anderson,
educated at Univ. of Edinburgh, assistant
at Kirkintilloch, elected 10th Sept., and
ord. 26th Oct. 1830. Joined the Free Church
in 1843, min. of Pathhead Free Church
1843-70, died 1st Feb. 1870. He married
in 1851 Grace Pratt, daugh. of Alexander
Chalmers, M.D., brother of Thomas
Chalmers, D.D., and Helen Pratt, and
had issue: Charles, District County Judge,
Northern Queensland, born 1853; Alex-
ander Chalmers, C.E., died at sea; Thomas
Chalmers, died in America; Helen Pratt,
Adam, M.D., commissioner of Land, member
of Executive and Legislative
Councils, Pretoria, born 1860, killed in
railway accident in South Africa 11th
March 1907; Janet, born 1863, married
John Charles Griffith Foulkes, Frederick
Pratt, Arthur Pratt, Patrick Chalmers,
surgeon, New York. (*Crown Parochy
Registers*.)

WILLIAM KILTON, born d.c. 1808,
1814 called by Pres. of St. Andrews
and by Pres. of Clerical Board
to Glentanner, Northumberland, in 1834,
died here 10th Dec. 1844, went to New
Zealand and was vicarage at Wellington,
Port Essington, and at Kaipara Feb. 1863,
died 29th Aug. 1871. He married Mary
Blackett. (*Hist. of A. Z. Pres. 6th ed.*
C. 1848, 175, 325-330.)

JAMES BEVERIDGE HANTON, born
1850, son of Andrew H. H. Hanton,
and Janet Bevridge, educated at
Univ. of Edinburgh, licensed by Pres. of
Kirkcaldy in 1870, and 15th April 1870,
elected to charge of parish in 1870, res.
in 1873, died 10th Aug. 1897. He married
Elizabeth Maclellan Bevridge, of Balloch, Bute,
Scotland.

JOHN CLEGGHORN BELL,
born Symington, Dumfriesshire, 1836,
1873 son of John Bell, minister, and
Sister Clegghorn, educated at Symington
School and Univ. of Edinburgh, licensed
by Pres. of Biggar, assistant at Tranent and
Inverkeithing, and to Milton of Balgoie 8th
April 1870, trans. and adm. 13th May
1873, res. 14th Dec. 1885, died unmarried
7th Jun. 1914.

JOHN YUILL WALKER, born Larbert,
1889 10th Sept. 1876, son of John W. and
Margaret Yuill, educated at Univ.
of Glasgow, licen. by Pres. of Stirling in
1903, assistant at St. Leonard's, Perth,
ord. to Glencairn 10th Feb. 1905, trans.
and adm. 17th May 1906, trans. to Inner
Lerthien 9th March 1917. Marr. 7th Dec.
1906, Mary, daugh. of Peter McOwan, Perth,
and has issue: John Yuill, born 13th Sept.
1908; Noron Christian May, born 16th
July 1910.

ALEXANDER SALMOND SMITH,
born Arbroath 27th Dec. 1886, son
1917 of Andrew Kyd S. and Elizabeth
Lindsay Salmon, educated at High
School, Arbroath, and Univ. of Edinburgh;
M.A. (1912), B.D. (1915), licen. by Pres.
of Arbroath May 1915, assistant at St
Cuthbert's, Edinburgh, and St. Mungo's,
Glasgow, ord. 8th Aug. 1917, trans. to

Douglas 20th April 1922. Marr. 26th Dec. 1917, Susan May Mill, eldest daugh. of William Robertson, Arbroath, and has issue Alexander Salmond, born 3rd Feb. 1920.

THOMAS GILLESPIE SNODDY, born 1922 Greenock, 23th Sept. 1885, son of James S. and Elizabeth Whitehead Roper; educated at Greenock High Grade School, and Univ. of Glasgow, licen. by Presb. of Greenock 24th Jan. 1921, assistant at Polmont; ord. 15th Aug. 1922. Marr. 8th Oct. 1949, Catherine Pattison, Greenock.

RAITH (Q.S.).

[A church was purchased at Linktown in 1875 and mission services begun. The parish of Raith was disjoined from Abbots hall on 25th Feb. 1884.]

THOMAS SCOTT, adm. 24th July 1878; 1878 adm. first min. of parish in 1884; trans. to Half-Morton 17th May 1888.

DAVID LAWRENCE FRANCIS, born 1888 Glasgow, 14th Dec. 1853, son of William F. and Isabella McLean; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1882); licen. by Presb. of Glasgow in 1885; assistant at High Church, Paisley; ord. 20th Sept. 1888. Marr. 27th March 1894, Katherine Anne (born 3rd June 1860), elder daugh. of John Pollock, Greaghglass, Monaghan, and has issue William Pollock, lieut., 12th Royal Scots, born 30th Aug. 1897, killed in action, Ypres, 22nd Oct. 1917; Rachel Gault Maclean, born 2nd Sept. 1899.

ST. JAMES'S (Q.S.).

[Formerly Cowan Street or Port Brae. This parish was disjoined from Kirkcaldy 24th June 1872.]

ROBERT MACINDOE, born Partick, 1839 12th Dec. 1804, second son of Adam M., artificer, and Jean Miller; educated at Univ. of Glasgow and Burgher Synod Hall; licen. by Presb. of Glasgow 19th Jan. 1830; ord. min. of Original

Secession Church, Kirkcaldy, 16th Aug. 1831. Joined the Church of Scotland in 1830, and was instrumental in the erection of Port Brae Church at a cost of £2000. Joined the Free Church in 1843; adm. min. of Free Church, Galston, 28th Feb. 1844; died 16th March 1877. He marr. 27th April 1837, Janet Jamieson (died 27th Nov. 1861), only daugh. of William Willis, min. of the Associate (Burgher) Congregation, Stirling, and sister of Professor Michael W., D.D., LL.D., sometime min. of Renfield Church, Glasgow, and had issue Jane Jamieson, born 7th March 1838, died 27th March 1860; Jessie Willis, born 2nd Feb. 1840; Isabella, born 5th June 1842, died 27th April 1871; Agnes Eliza, born 5th March 1844, died 4th Aug. 1889. Publication—*Communion Address (Scottish Christian Herald, 1841)*. [*Annals of Original Secession Church*, 507.]

JAMES SIMPSON, LL.D.; elected 3rd April 1856; ord. in 1857; trans. to 1857 Second Charge, Dysart, 26th Jan. 1860.

CHARLES GRANT McDONALD, born 1860 Keith; educated at Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A. (1855); schoolmaster at Rosemarkie; licen. by Presb. of Chanonry; ord. 6th June 1860; res. 21st July 1869 to go to Colonies.

ALEXANDER FYFE BURNS, M.A.; ord. 6th Oct. 1869; adm. first min. 1869 of the parish 24th June 1872; trans. to Lady Glenorchy's Parish, Edinburgh, 17th May 1877.

JOHN SPARK, M.A.; ord. 18th Oct. 1877; trans. to Clyne 13th Aug. 1889.

JOHN JOHNSTONE, born 29th Sept. 1864, son of Robert J., min. of Leuchars; educated at Madras College and Univ. of St. Andrews; M.A. (1885), B.D. (1888); licen. by Presb. of Forres in 1888; assistant at High Church, Inverness; ord. 29th Jan. 1890; died 5th Jan. 1896. He marr. 21st Oct. 1891, Jessie, daugh. of Alexander Mann, Nairn (she marr. (2) 28th Sept. 1897), and had issue Isobel Nancy, Medaille Militaire, born 13th

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JOHN SWETT AND MARY

1884 N. S. W. 1885 N. S. W. 1886 N. S. W.

1846
Matthew Webb was born at Newbury on 1st March 1846. He was married at Newbury on 1st August 1873. His wife died on 1st May 1881.

PATRICK CLOD, M.A., of St Andrews
1713—1751, July 1701, son of Sir John
Clod, 2nd baronet, 1644, posthumous son of the
Earl of Rathlin Aug. 1614, and Elizabeth New
1713, died Nov. 1751, aged 50 years. He
married 1st, Ann Macduff, daughter of Sir
John Fermor, 1st Baronet of the Standard
of Orme, 1618, president of Marchioness
of Kendal, Queen of the Marchioness of
Lancaster, and daughter of Lord Shrewsbury
Roxbury. *Posthumous Poems, 1756.*

ROBERT YOUNG, son of William Young
1732—died at Edinburgh, physician, St Leonard's
College, St Andrews, 1732, and of
Univ. of St Andrews—M.A. and M.D.
1721, ordained by Presbytery 12th Sept.
1722, appointed commissioneer for John
Earl of Rathlin May, and ordained Sept.
1732, died Sept. 1734, 361 O.S. 1722
died 29th Oct. 1738. He married 1st 29th June
1735, Rachel Haldimay, who died 31st May
1749, and had issue—Mary, born 28th Aug.
1738, died 11th May 1813, 2d 18th May
1747, died 10th Jan. 1781, died child of
Thomas Newton, minister, and had issue—
David, born 7th April 1748, married
born 7th May 1749, son of John Bruce,
surveyor of Customs, Albany, Wilkes-Barre,
born 1st Aug. 1720, died 18th Jan.
1752, died 18th Nov. 1753. Hannah Howard,
born 21st May 1733, married Captain John
Bruce, 79th Regiment, died 1st June 1741
Feb. 1755. Thomas, born 18th May 1745,
died in France, Anne, born 6th May 1747,
married Alexander Keith, 1st Earl of Lothian,
of Edinburgh.

GEORGE WILLES, born 1726, died
1756—1753, posthumous son of David
Willes, born 27th March 1726, died 20th Sept. 1750, aged
1st May 1805. He married 1st April 1744,
Anne, died 21st April 1746, daughter of
Thomas Arnot of Chapel, and daughter of
Agnes, born 28th March 1722. Katherine,
born 13th Sept. 1713, died 17th March 1774.
Thomas, born 23rd March 1733, George,
collator of Customs, Hull, born 10th Oct.
1776—Margaret, born 27th March 1778, died
31st Jan. 1800. Lett, born 11th April

1799, died 1st April 1801. *Posthumous
Account of the Parish-Saints,* 1802
4 vols.

CHRISTOPHER GREGG, M.A., pres.
1800—1810, of St Andrews, Presby. 1810
and 1811, and of the Counties of
Bute, with the title of Sir Christopher Gregg,
now deceased, 1811, and general
1st pres. of St Andrews, 1812, 1813.

JAMES NICHOLSON, 1801, son of
William Nicholson, S. of the Church.

1825—Sole subscriber to the
Journal of Glasgow,—B.A. 1801, M.A.
1804, Minister of the Free Church of Scotland
June 1813, pres. of Glasgow Presby. 1813
and 1814, and of the Counties of
Bute, with the title of Sir James Nicholson, 1814.
1825—ordained Feb. 1825. He married 10th
June 1825, Mary Hunter, born 1802, daughter of
Ornithologist Dr. John Hunter, died 1826.
Widowed, and the following year died at
An Elkanah, New Zealand, 1827. His
brother Andrew Hunter, born 1802,
surgeon, Canadian Army, died May 1828.
Son of a Captain, born 1802, died 1829. Sept.
1831, Mary Hunter, born 1803.
James, born 1813, Pres. of Glasgow
Academy, the Edinburgh, 1814, 1815.

ALEXANDER MACLAEN, pres. 1830
George, Earl of Kellie, Nov. 1774
1855—ordained Mar. 1811, died 1855
Married 10th June 1811.

DAVID WILLIAMSON LINCOPIN,
born 27th June 1831, son of David
R. Williamson, F.S.A., Univ. of Glasgow
M.A. 1830, ordained by Presby. of Glasgow
presby. Horriestown, Congress, U.S.A.
died 1st Sept. 1864, res. 5th Dec. 1877,
winter in New Zealand, adm. 1878
Stephen, Presby. of Cheltenham, Gloucestershire,
England, 1885, &c., app. registered Univer-
sity of Yale, U.S.A., 1891, res. 1894,
died at Auckland 27th June 1894. He
married 27th April 1869, Isabella Agnes,
died 13th April 1917, aged 68, daughter of
Matthew Williamson, D.D., man. of Gwyn,
and his wife Jane Elizabeth, born 17th
Feb. 1867. David, born 9th Sept. 1871,
died 10th June 1887. Matthew Lincopin

born 9th Aug. 1869, died at Buenos Aires 4th Sept. 1920; William Aitchison, born 9th Aug. 1871, died 30th Oct. 1917; Robert Leishman, born 9th June 1873; John Leslie, born 12th April 1875; Janet Aitchison, born 17th July 1876 (marr. Thomas Scott, min. of Letham kirks); James Bruce, born 20th Aug. 1878, died 27th Feb. 1879; Isabella Ruth, born 27th Dec. 1879 (marr. George Haydon); Alexander Ewing, born 6th March 1882, died 28th Sept. 1882; Elizabeth Anderson, born 6th June 1883 (marr. 11th April 1917, William George Andrews, min. of St Brides, Edinburgh); Hugh Inglis, born 23rd Dec. 1885; Mary Russell, born 27th Dec. 1887, died 25th July 1889.

ANDREW RUSSELL, born Maryhill, 3rd Oct. 1844, son of John R. and 1873 Jeanie Gillies; educated at Maryhill Parish School and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1866); assistant at St James's Parish, Glasgow, and Carlisle; ord. to East Parish, Brechin, 7th Dec. 1871; trans. to North Church, Stirling, 17th Sept. 1874; trans. and adm. 13th May 1878; died 14th April 1914. He marr. 6th Dec. 1883, Emily Cecilia, fourth surviving daugh. of Joseph Davies, Kensington, and had issue—Edith Cecilia, born 8th Oct. 1884 (marr. 29th June 1910, Arthur Cuthbertson Ponsford); Beatrice Irene, born 15th July 1888.

JOHN ROBERTSON MACGREGOR, born Strathtay, 20th Sept. 1864, son 1907 of John M. and Grace Robertson; educated at Hutcheson's Grammar School and Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Glasgow May 1898; assistant at Holburn, Aberdeen, 1898-9, Arbroath Parish, 1899-1902; ord. to Hutchesontown, Glasgow, 23rd June 1902; trans. and adm. (assistant and successor) 31st Jan. 1907. Marr. 16th Oct. 1889, Mima, daugh. of James Grandison and Eleanor Reid, and has issue—Eleanor, born 23rd July 1890; Grace Robertson Holburn, W.R.N.S., born 22nd Nov. 1898 (marr. 3rd June 1924, Herbert Walker Hayworth, B.L., Stranraer); Gladys Grandison, born 19th Aug. 1901.

LOCHGELLY (Q.S.).

[A chapel was built here in 1855. The parish of Lochgelly was disjoined from Auchterderran and Ballingry on 12th Feb. 1868.]

ANDREW WILSON, M.A.; ord. 4th July 1856; trans. to Fern 25th April 1861.

WILLIAM MAIR, M.A.; ord. 24th 1861 Oct. 1861; trans. to Ardoch 6th April 1865 (*cf.* Vol. II., 150). Publications

A Digest of Laws and Decisions Ecclesiastical and Civil [supplementary edition prepared by a Committee of the Association of General Assembly, Synod and Presbytery Clerks] (Edinburgh, 1923) (second edition, 1895 not 1875, fourth edition, 1912 not 1914 as in Vol. II.); *Speaking*, 5th edition (Edinburgh 1923).

MUNGO REID, M.A.; ord. 17th May 1865; adm. first min. of the parish; trans. to Mearns 30th July 1868; died 19th Jan. 1924.

THOMAS DEWAR, born 15th June 1846, eldest son of Thomas D., min. of South Parish, Aberdeen; educated at Grammar School and Univ. of Aberdeen; licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen May 1867; assistant at South Parish, Aberdeen; ord. 2nd Dec. 1868; res. 28th Oct. 1912. Marr. 22nd Nov. 1870, Catherine (died 12th March 1918), eldest daugh. of James French, min. of Dunfermline, and had issue—Thomas, born 13th Sept. 1871; Ann Macdonald, born 25th Dec. 1873; Grace Catherine Edmonston, born 7th July 1882.

DAVID FINLAY CLARK, M.A., B.D.; ord. 12th March 1913; trans. to John Knox Parish, Aberdeen, 9th March 1918.

ROBERT NICOL PATON, born Stanleybridge, 1st Feb. 1886, son of John P. and Annie Eliza Nicol; educated at Grammar School and Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A. (1907), B.D. (1910); licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen May 1910; assistant at Ferniegair, Hamilton; ord. to New Byth 21st

March 1913; trans. and acted 23rd July 1918. Marr. 30th Aug. 1913, Catherine, daughter of George Henry Grey, and his issue—Esther Margaret, born 8th April 1915; Nigel David, born 2nd March 1916.

MARKINCH.

[*Markinch* and *Kirkforther*. These parishes were united in 1831.]

Markinch. The church of Markinch was dedicated of old to St. Dunstan, but there was a later dedication to St. John the Baptist. The church belonged to the Priory of St. Andrews.

Kirkforther. Kirkforther was a personage. Its ruined church still stands.]

PETER WATSON, trans. from Ballingry before 10th Nov. 1564, with Kin^g glassie, Leslie, Portmeak, and Kirkforther also in his charge; trans. to Dumfries about 1574. [*Cron. of Presb. Ch. of St. Andrews*.]

WILLIAM BRAIDFUTE, trans. from Kilgour in 1576; pres. to the vicar^{age} by James VI, 13th Sept. 1583; trans. to Ballingry after 1st Jan. 1584; returned before 1585; trans. to Portmeak in 1590.

JOHN MICHAELSON, M.A.; trans. from Auchtertool in 1590; trans. to Burntisland 25th Jan. 1616.

WILLIAM WATSON, adm. to High Kirk, Edinburgh, 18th April 1585; trans. to South East or Old Kirk 18th April 1588; trans. to Burntisland in 1601; pres. by James VI, 1st March 1601; died 16th May 1616. He marr. (1) before 12th Sept. 1580, Barbara, daugh. of John Craig, min. of the Chapel Royal, Stirling, and had issue—William, bapt. 27th July 1585; James, bapt. 29th March 1588; died young; Janet marr. David Phin, seclor, Burntisland; Rebecca; (2) Mawisia Thomson, widow of Adam Boswell, Burntisland. [*Reg. Soc. Soc., Edin., Gall. Reg., Edin., Byp., Reg. of St. Andrews, Test., &c., R. Inhba., xxix., 206; Reg. of Deeds,卷xxviii., 411; Cowan Pepl. Table, xvi.*]

ANDREW LAMONT, son of Alan Lamont, min. of Scotland, educated at Univ. of St. Andrews, M.A., 22nd July 1608; was an excommunicate 26th Aug. 1615, pres. by James VI, 1st June 1616, and to Kirkforther by Charles I, 16th May 1626. [Edin., dep. 7th Feby. 1630 for contumacy, and referring to certain whedge the levelling of the General Assembly Proceedings, or to extract the sentence of deposition, and if he kept silent it should be confirmed by Parliament. He went to England, but returned to Scotland 8th Sept. 1630 in consequence of an edict of Parliament in Aug. that year commanding all Scots people to remove out of England under pain of death. He again went to England 27th Oct. 1631, was inst. person of Thwing in Yorkshire, where he died in June 1633, aged c. 50 yrs. He marr. Margaret, daugh. of Robert Howie, Principal of St. Andrews, and had issue—Alan of Northbenton, Yorkshire, d. in 1628; Andrew, D.D., factor of Rosby, Surrey; James; Janet marr. Robert Colville, vicar of Muston, Yorkshire; Jean; Agnes; Margaret. [*Reg. Soc. Soc., Edin., Gall. Reg., Edin., Byp., Reg. of St. Andrews, Test., &c., R. Inhba., xxix., 206; Reg. of Deeds,卷xxviii., 411; Cowan Pepl. Table, xvi.*]

FREDERICK CARMICHAEL, M.A., eldest son of John Carmichael of Kilmoray, pres. to Kirkcudly 21st April 1627; left it, settled in ord. to Kenmoway that year; trans. and adm. 11th June 1630, pres. by Charles I, 17th Sept., and coll. 29th Oct. 1631, received a protection from the Marquess of Montrose 26th Aug. 1634; had a thanksgiving service for General Leslie's victory at Philiphaugh, was one of the Commission for visiting the Univ. of St. Andrews 18th Jan. 1636; died 3rd May 1667, aged about 70. He marr. 4th Dec. 1623, Mary, died Feb. 1666, daugh. of John Gell, sp. min. of Kirkcudly, and had issue—John, min. of Tregevor; Alexander, min. of Pettinam; Frederick, Ld. of Arnavy; G. d. marr. Robert Honeyman, min. of St. Andrews. [*Reg. Soc. Soc., Edin., Gall. Reg., Edin., Byp., Reg. of St. Andrews, Test., &c., R. Inhba., xxix., 206; Reg. of Deeds,卷xxviii., 411; Wodrow's Hist. Eccl. Reg. Gen., 6133; Baltours' Hist. W. S.*]

JOHN RAMSAY of Duniface; M.A. 1608 (St Andrews 1640); adm. to Cares ton before 1st May 1645; trans. to Scoonie 14th Aug. 1662; trans. and adm. 6th May 1668; died Feb. 1685, aged about 65. He acquired the land of Duniface, which he bequeathed in 1681 to one of the United Colleges, St Andrews, to found bursaries. He marr. Isobel Guthrie, who died s.p. before 16th Jan. 1687. [Lamont's *Diary*, 153, 205; *St Andrews Tests.*; Fountainhall's *Deed; Inq. Ret. Fife*, 1267; *Genea.* 6544; *Sc. Warrant Book*, iii., 434; *Fife Sis.* xiv., 55.]

JOHN MIDDLETON, M.A. (King's College, Aberdeen, 1644); licen. by Fresh of St Andrews before 4th July 1650; ord. by the First Presbyterian Classis in the province of London as min. of a congregation in England; adm. to Leuchars 4th Dec. 1661; D.D. (St Andrews, 30th Dec. 1683); trans. and adm. after 24th March 1684; accused before Priyy Council 10th Sept. 1689 of not reading the Proclamation of the Estates, nor praying for William and Mary but for James VII.; he was acquitted; dem. in 1695; died in 1696, aged about 72. He marr. (1) Margaret Wemyss, and had issue—John; Robert, rector of St Mary's, Colchester; served Lear to his father 21st Dec. 1711; Isobel; (2) Ann Forrester, and had issue—Alexander; John; George; Margaret; (3) Janet Hume, who died 28th Nov. 1773. [*Services of Heirs; Inq. Ret. Fife*, 129; *Fife Sis.*, xiii., 188.]

WILLIAM MACKIE, was a min. at the first meeting of ministers in Lothian 1698 6th July 1687 after Toleration had been granted; adm. to Portmoak in 1687, and preached at Scotland Well in a small house built of stone and turf; called Dec. 1697; trans. and adm. 10th Feb. 1698; died 24th May 1699. He marr. (1) Christian Ayton of Burntisland, and had issue—Charles, professor of Civil History in Univ. of Edinburgh, 1719-65; Jean; (2) pro. 16th Dec. 1699, Margaret, daugh. of John Carstairs, min. of St Mungo's, Glasgow, who survived him and

marr. (2) pro. 15th Sept. 1706, Major James Colt, Edinburgh Castle. —[*Edin. Marr. Reg.*; *St Andrews Tests.*; Ferrier's *Life of Carstairs*; *Colt Family*.]

JOSEPH DREW, trans. from New Monkland; called 13th Oct. 1700; 1701 adm. 30th April 1701; trans. to St Leonards 6th Oct. 1708.

JAMES DICKSON, M.A. (Edinburgh, 11th July 1696); licen. by Presb. of 1712 Earlston 23rd Nov. 1699; ord. to Second Charge, South Leith, 16th July 1700; called 20th Nov. 1711; trans. and adm. 23rd Jan. 1712; died between 16th July and 20th Aug. 1730, aged about 54. He marr. 23rd Dec. 1700, Theodosia, daugh. of Thomas Gibson, surgeon, burgess of Edinburgh, who survived him, and had issue—Theodosia; Isobel; Ann; Mary; Margaret; Thomas; Janet; Eupham; James; Agnes; George; Joseph. Publication—*Practical Discourses* (Edinburgh, 1731). [Edin. Marr. Reg.]

THOMAS TULLIDELPH, trans. from Dron; called 28th April, and adm. 1731 7th Oct. 1731; dem. on appointment as Professor of Divinity, St Mary's College, St Andrews, 17th Oct. 1734 (*q.v.*)

GEORGE PRESTON, licen. by Presb. of Cupar 1st Jan., pres. by George II, 1735 9th April, called 27th May, and ord. 21st Aug. 1735; died 24th Aug. 1757. He marr. 5th Oct. 1737, Susan Macaren, who died 20th May 1768, and had issue—Janet, born 27th Nov. 1738; Eupham, born 15th Jan. 1740; Margaret, born 18th Dec. 1741; Alexander, W.S., born 29th Dec. 1742, died 26th Dec. 1820; Susanna, born 19th Dec. 1743, died 17th April 1744.

JOHN PINKERTON, born 9th Aug. 1717, son of James P., schoolmaster of Lasswade; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Dalkeith 24th March 1741; ord. to Dalziel 7th Feb. 1744; called 30th March, trans. and adm. 7th Sept. 1758; died suddenly at Balfour House 17th June 1784. He marr. 9th Aug. 1748, Anne (died 21st April 1787), fourth daugh. of William Drummond of

Hawthornwood, and the name of Hawthornwood appears with the burgh of Markinch by 1736. An act of Parliament 1625, *Prohibiting Hawthornwood, Scotland, from*

JOHN THOMSON, DD, translated from 1735—Secretary to Dr. George III., Edinburgh Nov. 1st, with the May Letter to the New Greyfriars Kirk, Edinburgh Oct. 1800.

GEORGE WRIGHT, DD, translated from 1804—Rector of Chapel House, probably George III., 15th March, and died 7th May 1810, translated to First Charge, Stirling, 21st Jan. 1810.

JAMES STEWART, bapt. 19th 1818—March 1832—son of James S. Dunn, solicitor, Parish of Carnock, educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen, MA, 27 April 1837, became tutor in family of Alexander Stewart, DD, Dungwall, licensed by Presb. of Perth 25th Nov. 1812, ordained by Presb. of Edinburgh 29th Jan. 1813, minister of Presbyterian congregation of Georgehead, Tyne, probably George Regent, 27 Feb., and adm. 17th April 1814. Joined the Free Churchman of Markinch Free Church 1843; DD, Glas., 11th March 1846, elected Moderator of Free Church General Assembly 26th May 1847, died 26th Nov. 1852. Dr Chalmers died suddenly during the sittings of the Assembly of 1847. At his friend, Dr S., "walking a little apart, and alone, with feeble and tottering steps, was an obscure figure. His old nose, his jet black wig, and his meditative dress, suggested an old world sort of a grave divinity of the seventeenth century. He looked as if he had stepped out of scripture times to stand in the saddleatherane." He married 10th June 1816, Jean, daughter of Hugh Smith 24th Oct. 1813, daughter of James Miller of Newhaven, Fife, whom *The Edinburgh Review* New Series, 1816, Edinburgh, 1816, *Memoirs of Rev. Alexander Stewart, DD*, Stewarton, Scotland, Edinburgh, 1821, *Postscript to Scottish Ministers*, Edinburgh, 1825, *Sermon before a Free Church Assembly for Queen of the United Kingdom*, Edinburgh, 1843, *Memoirs of the Ministry*

of Edinburgh, 1845, *A Visit to the Parish of St. Stephen, New St. Andrews Street, Edinburgh*, 1846, *The Anti-Slavery Society, Home and Foreign*, 1846, *Papers of Mr. John Taylor, Home Missionary, Markinch, 1847*.

JAMES LANDELL, or LANDELL, 1843—Loose叶paper, Edinburgh 1843, son of William Russell, brewer, Berwickshire, brother of David Landell, and of Christopher, educated at Abington, and buried at Giffnock, probably Queen Victoria's birthplace, died 19th Nov. 1843, in Liverpool, 18th June 1850, *Testament*.

JAMES HENDERSON, TRYDEN, 1849—son of Thos. Burns, M.A., Dumfries, born 13th Aug. 1811, son of James Reid, and Louisa, the Hetheringtons, studied at Govt. Chapel, Edinburgh, and St. Andrews, and University of Glasgow, and Edinburgh, MA, 1833, BD, 1838, Licency, First Edinb. church 14th May 1839, minister of Leith, Edinburgh, 1840, of Kirkcaldy, 1842, of Dunfermline, 1844, of Hawick, 1846, of Bishopbriggs, 1848, of Coatbridge, 1850, of Cambuslang, and of Rutherglen, 1852, died 1st April 1863, George and Maria, his wife, daughters of George Williamson of Huntly, Perthshire, and Mrs. ——*Rev. J. L. R. —— Minister, 1849—1851, Justice of Peace, Edinburgh, 1851—1852, Member of Methill*

KIRKFOORTHAR.

United to Markinch by the Act before 11th Nov. 1641.

DAVID DONALDSON, rector, 1733—1573, and 1575—1600, *Memoranda*

METHILL (Q.S.).

A chapel opened here on 1st April 1733, later than that built in the General Assembly 18th May 1830. The parish was disengaged from Wemyss and Markinch on 2nd March 1876.

JOHN WILSON, ord. 21st Nov. 1836, res. in 1843 on presentation to Port 1839, mark, left owing to opposition of congregation, was not admitted there,

adm. to North Church, Aberdeen, 27th Sept. 1843.

[Vacant 1843-55.]

JAMES DUFF, educated at King's College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1831); **1855** ord. (assistant) at New Spynie in 1847; app. here in 1855.

THOMAS MORISON, born 20th April 1825, son of Walter M., min. of Morebattle; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Kelso; ord. to Melbourne, Montreal, Canada, March 1853; dem. in 1855; adm. to this charge 21st Oct. 1858; adm. first min. of parish in 1870; died 26th Dec. 1882. He marr. Elizabeth Christian (died 16th April 1908), daugh. of James Donaldson, min. of Canonbie.

ALEXANDER AYTOUN YOUNG, trans. from Sinclairtown Chapel and **1883** adm. 1st May 1883; trans. to Clunie 15th May 1911.

THOMAS MUIR, M.A., B.D.; ord. 24th Sept. 1891; trans. to Skirling 25th Sept. 1906.

ALEXANDER ROBERTSON, born Galston, 29th Nov. 1864, son of **1907** Alexander R. and Elizabeth Paton; educated at Galston School and Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Ayr 7th Dec. 1898; assistant at Strathaven, Larbert, and Kilwinning; ord. 28th Feb. 1907; died 18th Sept. 1923. He marr. 23rd April 1907, Annie, daugh. of William and Susannah Shepherd.

GEORGE OMOND MCKENZIE, born **1823** 27th Aug. 1893, son of John M., solicitor, and Janet Omond; educated at George Watson's College and Univ. of Edinburgh, M.A. (1921); licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 20th Dec. 1922; assistant at Kirkintilloch; ord. 27th Dec. 1923. Marr. 19th Sept. 1914, Isabella Jopp, daugh. of Thomas Spence and Jane Christie, and has issue Ian Gordon, born 1st July 1916; Thomas Spence Seaforth, born 11th July 1917, died 19th Feb. 1923; George Fingal, born 27th April 1920; Gilbert Omond, born 20th May 1921; Kenneth Macbeth, born 6th June 1923.

MILTON OF BALGONIE (Q.S.).

[A chapel was opened here in 1835, and had a constitution from the General Assembly 29th May 1837. The parish was disjoined from Markinch and erected 21st Feb. 1876.]

JOHN MURRAY, elected 1st Sept. **1837** and ord. 26th Oct. 1837; trans. to Dumbeg 11th May 1838.

JOHN MEEWEN, elected 1st Nov. 1838; **1839** ord. 31st Jan. 1839; dem. 3rd Aug. 1843, to go to Canada under Colonial Committee, but became assistant at St Andrews; adm. to Dyke 23rd Nov. 1843.

WILLIAM BAIN, born 1793, only son of William B., schoolmaster, Glasgow; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; ord. 7th Dec. 1843; died 26th Jan. 1870. He marr. a daugh. of Archibald Fleming, Anderston, Glasgow, and had issue Isabella, born 1831, died 16th Sept. 1915.

JOHN CLEGHORN BELL, ord. 8th April 1870; trans. to Pathhead 14th **1870** May 1873.

JAMES FORBES, trans. from Low Meeting, Berwick upon Tweed, 1873; **1873** adm. first min. of parish in 1876; trans. to Cranshaws 7th Sept. 1876.

ALEXANDER GALLOWAY, M.A., B.D.; ord. 28th Dec. 1876; trans. **1876** to Minto 19th June 1878.

JOHN MITCHELL MONCREIFF, born Arbroath, 1850, son of Thomas **1878** Reid M., stationer, and Caroline Campbell Mitchell, and brother of Robert K. M., D.D., min. of Arngask; educated at Parish School and Univ. of St Andrews; ord. 11th Nov. 1878; died unmarr. 16th March 1883.

JAMES CLARK, born Laigh Crook, Sorn, 5th Dec. 1851, son of William **1883** C. and Elizabeth Lindsay; educated at Sorn Parish School and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1878); licen. by Presb.

of Ayr, 20th May 1800, was buried at West St. Giles, Edinburgh, 2nd 1st Aug. 1833; died suddenly 10th May 1821.

JOHN PAULDS, born Ardrosson, 29th Feb. 1870, died Ardrosson, 2nd July 1921. Gained a scholarship at Murray Hall, David Stewart's College, and Univ. of Edinburgh, licensed by Presb. of Edinburgh 20th Nov. 1896, minister at North Kirk, Ayr, and Hamilton, and the Kentry, C. 1898-12th Sept. 1900; minister 1920, died 29th Aug. 1921. Marr 20th Sept. 1900, Jane Nairn, daughter of Thomas Munro and Jean Nairn, Nairn, Scotland.

PRINLAWS (Q.S.).

The parish was disjoined from Linlathen on 19th Nov. 1800.

JAMES NIVEN, born Milton of Balloch 1884, of Balloch 18th Aug. 1846, son of Colin H. and Janet Niven, educated at Milton of Balloch School, Univ. of St Andrews, and Theological Seminary of Chicago, Illinoian, Presb. of Chicago, Illinois, U.S.A., 1874; to Bellville, Wisconsin, U.S.A., 1878; trans. to Dwight, Illinois, Oct. 1878; supp. here July 1884; adm. first min. of the parish 2nd Dec. 1894; res. 8th June 1899; died 12th April 1922. He marr. 9th April 1874, Margaret Josephine, daughter of Charles Hartshorne, had issue: Janet Theresa, born 26th March 1875; Charles Thompson, born 12th Oct. 1878; died 18th May 1901; John Coal Pitman, M.A., chaplain at Scindabad, India, born 17th July 1887. Publications: *The Castle of Leoch* (ed. in Poems Edinburgh, 1893); *First Class in the Law* (two editions, Kirkcaldy, 1896).

ARNOLD (SHENKE) GRAY-SMITH, born 1860, son of James Shenke, S. man of Edzell, educated at Univ. of Edinburgh, M.A., 1886; licensed by Presb. of Edinburgh in 1892; assistant at Lady Yester's, Edinburgh, 1892-8; 1st at Inverkeithing, opp. to Fife, 1st Nov. 1899, ord. there 4th April 1903; trans. and adm. 12th Nov. 1920. Marr 3rd June

1921, Elizabeth, 3rd child, Dorothy, sister doch. of John Gray of Rosberry, Orkney, and her son, Margaret Ephphatha McRae.

SCOOHIE.

The Kirk of Scooie was founded by Sir Michael Scott, Bishop of the Bruce or St Andrews. In 1154, the church was re-dedicated to St. Peter & St. Paul.

JOHN SYMONS, born in 1866, with 1563 Mackintosh of Methil in the charge in 1873, removed to Kirkcudbright 1876.

ALAN LAMONT, born 1750, son of 1530 Alexander Lamont, knighted 1777 by Sir William Murray, Lord of the High Court of Justiciary, and St. Leonard College 1777. Educated at Presb. school, taught by James Vile, died 1772; son of Rev. H. Carr of Margaret Naes, who died 1787; 1581, married Anne, daughter of Rev. 1719 Dr. Margaret, a planter, daughter of James Colquhoun of Troon, and his wife Anne Thomas, also daughter in the parish. Another son of Margaret, James, son of King Charles, Walker, was born in the parish. John appears as Mr. John Talybarn, merchant, Edinburgh, 1581. Died 1616, afterwards named F. Talybarn, passed over to Ireland by the rebels in 1642, died 21st Jan. 1672. [See *Act. Soc. Genealog. Scot.* viii, 231; *Act. Soc. Genealog. Scot.* viii, 280, 281, 317, 348, 349.]

THOMAS LAMONT, son of preceding, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, 1614. M.A. 1636, was an "exp. tent" 16th Sept. 1611, "winn. of Regal" 15 May 1614, still minister Oct. 1624, died 1st Feb. 1643. He marr. Margaret Colquhoun, who died before 1643, and had issue: Alan, *Act. Soc. Genealog. Scot.* viii, 231.]

WALTER LAMONT, younger brother of preceding, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1618, passed trials before Presb. of St Andrews and Kirk-

cally; sometime reader at Dysart, app. assistant, but his settlement was opposed by the laird of Durie and William Rig of Athernie. On 2nd Oct. 1627 he was allowed to remain assistant till next Synod; pres. by Charles I. 22nd May 1631, but not settled, went to Ireland and was min. at Temple Patrick in 1643, preached in Yorkshire between June 1649 and 8th Nov. 1667. He marr. Cecil, daugh. of James Holburn of Menstrie, and had issue - Colin. [Lamont's *Papers*, 643, 656; Lamont's *Diary*, 5, 202; Reg. Soc. Sig.]

ROBERT CRANSTOUN, son of William C., min. of Lathrisk (Kettle); educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. (29th July 1606); pres. to Lathrisk 6th May 1625, and to this charge by Charles II. 11th Nov. 1632; was a member of Assembly of 1638; had his chamber in Durie burned by a fire during sermon 28th Feb. 1641, when the Session Records also perished, died in 1643. He marr. and had issue - Edmund; Sarah (marr. John Ramsay, min. of Kettle). [St Andrews *Testis.*; Reg. of Deeds, 29th April 1603; Reg. Soc. Sig.; Baillie's *Letters*; G. R. *Inh.*, 14th Feb. 1637.]

ALEXANDER MONCREIFF, bapt. 19th Dec. 1613, second son of **1643** Matthew M. of Kintillo, parish of Dunbarney; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (1635); was on a leet for Kirkcaldy 23rd Dec. 1641; pres. by Charles I. 11th June, and adm. 26th Sept. 1643; was one of the commissioners for visiting the Univ. of St Andrews 16th Jan. 1649; gave in a protest to the Presb. against the public Resolutions 3rd Dec. 1651; named by Cromwell one of the commissioners for authorising mins. to enjoy their benefices, etc., in the provinces of Perth, Fife, and Angus. He presented a petition from himself and other mins. of Fife against the Toleration and other encroachments, and having thus made himself obnoxious to the Government was imprisoned on a charge of praying for the King. He along with nine other mins. who had met to draw up an address to the King were arrested and con-

fined in the Castle of Edinburgh 23rd Aug. 1650. On 12th July 1661 he was inhibited by the King and Parliament from exercising any office within the parish, to which he was confined. A decree was passed against him for holding conventicles, 16th July 1674, and on 23rd the magistrates of Perth were appointed to arrest him. He died 6th Oct. 1688, after having several times eluded the search of his persecutors, and was buried in Greyfriars, Edinburgh. He marr. Anna (died 25th Oct. 1704, aged 84), daugh. of Robert Murray of Woodend, min. of Methven, and had issue - Matthew, who succeeded his uncle in estate of Cultergair; William, min. of Largo; John, min. of Trinity Parish, Edinburgh; Robert, clerk to the Privy Council 1689; Anna (marr. 1681, Hugh Cunningham, Lord Provost of Edinburgh); Margaret (marr. cont. 1st Dec. 1691, Alexander Swyne, bailie of Dysart); Elizabeth (marr. Andrew Wardroper, min. of Ballingry). Publication - Letter while in Confinement to Mrs Moncreiff (*Christian Mag.*, viii.). [St Andrews *Sess.*; Reg.; Greyfriars Burials; Playfair's *Baronetage*, iii.; Lamont's *Diary*; Reg. Soc. Sig.; G. R. *Inh.*, 22nd Dec. 1652; Monteith's *Mort.*, 55; Fleming's *Fulfill. of Scriptures*, 343; Seton's *House of Moncreiff*, 84.]

JOHN RAMSAY, M.A.; trans. from **1662** Careston, and adm. 14th Aug. 1662; trans. to Markinch 6th May 1668.

GEORGE WOOD, born Crail, 1648, son of Robert W., portioner of Sauchope, and Catherine Moncrieff; M.A. (St Andrews, 19th July 1664); passed trials before Presb. of St Andrews and recommended for licence 11th Dec. 1667; pres. in Aug., and adm. 18th Nov. 1690; app. Synod clerk 25th April 1677; accused of adultery, he deserted his charge and went to England about 8th Feb. 1680, the parish being declared vacant 16th May that year. He marr. and had issue - Robert; James; Alison.

GEORGE LANDAL, M.A.; trans. from Kemback, and adm. 16th June 1680; trans. to Cupar Fife in 1682.

JOHN BLAIR, M.A., St Andrew, 1692, adm. to Aucterden, 1st April 1692, trans. and adm. 10th May 1692, received for the Envoy Council 3rd Sept. 1692, further reading the Proclamation of the Envoy, and praying for William and Mary, 1692, was accounted deputys a committee of Synod when he was over forty-eight years of age, after 11th April 1717. He presided the Assembly, which on 11th May fell, was informed the next day, and on 13th, Herman Murray, Edward and Robert, David, Catherine Christian, Margaret, Jane, Stephan, Helen, &c., R. 1890, xxv, 344. *Carey's Genealogies, Marriages, Deaths, &c.*

THOMAS MELVILLE, M.A., Glasgow, 1713, Pres. Feb. 1708. Laid by Presby. Kirkdaly 9th Aug. 1716, became chaplain to the Lord of Ruth, called 9th Oct. 1717, ord. 9th March 1718, dem. own of it, and infinity 12th Oct. 1732, died 12th Nov. 1756. He marr. 7th Oct. 1719, Jane, d. 12th March 1752, d. chil. of Alan Lamont, merchant, Leven, and had issue—Endothia, Andrew, Margaret, b. in 28th Nov. 1722; Lottie, Thomas, H. b. in d. 11th May 1731; Alan, b. in 7th Dec. 1727, d. at Boston, Mass., 2nd Jan. 1766; Maria, Sophie, John, b. in 23rd June 1732, admitted to Middle Temple, 11th July 1777; Ann, b. in 6th June 1734, died 27th May 1747. *R. 1890, xxv, 112.*

DAVID SWAN, born 1734, M.A., St. Andrew, 1753, Pres. of Kirkdaly 26th March 1769, became a student in the parish, pres. by George Hill, 31st June, and ord. 10th May 1764, elected Synod clerk 8th April 1777, D.D., Marischal College, Aberdeen, 25th Sept. 1802, died 22nd Oct. 1812. He marr. 10th Dec. 1765, Susanna, died 28th Feb. 1800, daughter of Robert Spears, man of Birkenland, and had issue—Jean, born 27th Sept. 1766, died 17th Oct. 1797; Endothia, born 6th Dec. 1767, died 9th March 1779; Katherine, born 29th Dec. 1768, died 1st April 1789; James, born 1st Oct. 1771, died at London, 17th Aug. 1788; Robert, man of Aberfeldy, born 6th May 1773; Alexander, born 11th March 1775,

died 1862. William Dalgleish, man. of Ferryport-on-Craik, born 27th Oct. 1780, 2, 16th March 1861; Helen Landie, who died 6th Sept. 1833. Publication Account of the Parish, *Saints' Statute*, v. 1, [reprint in *Archives*, Y. 1901, 101.]

GEORGE BREWSTER, born 1784, 1813, son of James B. Rector of the Grammar School of Jedburgh, and Margaret Key, and brother of Sir David Brewster, D.D., Prof. of Edinburgh, became minister in the family of Christie of Duris, then by Prof. of Kirkdaly 23rd Aug. 1800, pres. by George Prince Royal, 9th Nov. 1812, and 23rd Aug. 1813, D.D., St. Andrew, 1st June 1848, died 26th June 1855. He marr. 27th Oct. 1815, Jane, died 13th April 1860, eldest daugh. of Thomas Haddaway, Strickland, and had issue—James, born 3rd Nov. 1816, died 4th Feb. 1817; Mary Ann, born 21st June 1818, died at Leith, 11th June 1839; Margaret Key, born 12th May 1819; Thomas Haddaway, b. in 29th March 1822, died 21st June 1870; George M. D., surgeon, R.N., born 8th Nov. 1823, died at Port Royal, Jamaica, 5th April 1850; John, born 11th Nov. 1825, died 22nd Dec. 1826; Jane, born 19th April 1827, marr. 28th June 1853, James Corriveau, M.D., H.E.I.C.S.; David, man. of Kilmenny, born 25th Sept. 1828. Publication—Several Articles in the *Edinburgh Review*; Account of the Parish, *A. 1811*, A. 1814, *H. in Leith, for Dr. J. Lees, &c.*, 41.

DAVID BROWN, pres. by Queen Victoria 11th Aug., trans. and adm. from St. Bernard's, Edinburgh, 15th Nov. 1855, trans. to St. Enoch's, Glasgow, 3rd Feb. 1859.

JAMES BLACKWOOD, born 19th Aug. 1831, son of William B., bleacher, and Mary Millar, educated at Univ. of St. Andrews, M.A., pres. by Queen Victoria, 22nd Aug., and ord. 26th June 1860, died unmarr. 19th May 1866.

JOHN DUNCAN, born Auchterdenan, 1828, educated at Parish School and Univ. of St. Andrews, and Edinburgh, during divinity course was secre-

tary to Dr Woodford, H.M. Inspector of Schools; chaplain to Blind Asylum; ord. assistant and successor to Abbotshall 11th June 1857; trans. to St Michael's, Dumfries, 30th June 1865; pres. by Queen Victoria 13th June; trans. and adm. 11th Oct. 1866; D.D. (St Andrews 1876); died unmarr. 18th Sept. 1880.

CHARLES DURWARD, born Aberdeen, 6th June 1850, son of Charles D., and Jane Robbie; educated at Fettercairn School, Montrose Academy, Aberdeen Grammar School, and Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1871; B.D. 1874; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews May 1874; assistant at St Mungo's, Glasgow; ord. 21st Sept. 1875 to South Parish, Greenock; trans. and adm. 5th May 1881; D.D. St Andrews 1899. Marr. 13th June 1882, Christina Jane Grieve (died 13th June 1915, youngest daugh. of Walter Thorburn, banker, Peebles, and Jane Grieve, and has issue Eric Stanley, oilfield superintendent, California, born 29th May 1883; Colin Thorburn, East India merchant, served as captain in Royal Scots, European War, born 29th Sept. 1885; Jeanie Alison, born 14th Feb. 1887; Charles Walker, student in medicine, Edinburgh, served in European War as captain, Highland Cycle Brigade, born 10th Jan. 1890.

THORNTON (Q.S.).

[A chapel was built here in 1837, and had a constitution from General Assembly 28th May 1838. The parish was disjoined from Markinch, Dysart, and Kinglassie on 1st Feb. 1878.]

JOHN LINDSAY ADAMSON, elected 1838 19th April 1836; ord. 16th Aug. 1838; trans. to St David's Parish, Dundee, 1st Feb. 1844.

RICHARD RAMSAY, ord. 9th July 1844 1844; trans. to Rhynd 7th Jan. 1847.

GEORGE McCULLOCH, born 1807, 1847 fourth son of John M., artificer, Glasgow; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. there; ord.

15th July 1847; res. in 1854, died at Glasgow 24th Oct. 1861.

GEORGE RODDICK, ord. 3rd May 1855 1855; trans. to Aberdour 26th March 1857.

JAMES MILLAR LOWE, son of John 1857 M. L. dyer, Dunfermline; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1854); ord. 10th Sept. 1857; res. 2nd June 1869. He marr. 13th Oct. 1857, Barbara, only daugh. of Andrew Gray, manufacturer, Perth, and had issue Jessie Miller marr. George Beale, min. of Torphichen; a daugh. (marr. Donald Murchiston, Inverleith Row, Edinburgh).

ANDREW IRVING, trans. from Hexham 1869 17th Nov. 1839; trans. to 1869 Gartmore 28th Dec. 1871.

JAMES BRUNTON, ord. 2nd May 1872 1872; trans. to Middle Church, Perth, 16th Oct. 1874.

PETER MCQUEEN, missionary, Ladyburn, Greenock; ord. 29th April 1875 1875; res. 1st Nov. 1876 on app. to Reformed Presbyterian Church, St Thomas, West Indies.

DUNCAN MACFARLANE WILSON, 1877 born Paisley, 2nd Feb. 1850, son of William W. and Isobel Macfarlane; educated at Paisley School and Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Paisley 12th Nov. 1874; assistant as Campsie; ord. to Thornton 8th March 1877; adm. first min. of the parish 18th Feb. 1878; app. clerk to Presbytery 4th Dec. 1878; app. clerk to Synod of Fife 12th April 1898.

WEMYSS.

[The church of Wemyss was dedicated to St Cuthbert. It belonged to the college of the Holy Trinity at Edinburgh. In the church there was a chapel of St Katherine, and a croft not far off was called St Katherine's Land.]

JOHN BOWSLE, m. deo. from
1576—1600.

JOHN TULLOS, maternal nephew of
1535 Andrew Benet, min. of Montrose,
and rector of Fife; Waster in 1580;
canon of St. Giles' and Dean 1636, "a most
wicked minister." He marr'd, and had issue:
John, [See *Recd. Accts., Recd. Papers, Recd.
Marrs.* &c. 1636] Baillie, *Lett.*

PATRICK MEARN, M.A., pres.
1630—Andrew 1623, was on the Exchequer
1630—1st March 1633, pres. by Town
Council of Edinburgh 15th June, and adm.
8th Sept. 1633; died unmarried, Dec. 1637,
and obit. 25. (*Edin. Council Recd.* &
Adm. & Estts.)

GEORGE GILLESPIE, M.A., pres.
1633—by Town Council of Edinburgh 15th
June, and adm. 26th April 1638, pres.
to sonson of Methil by David, Lord Ellice in Oct.; coll. 1st, and inst.
8th Nov. 1638, elected one of the mns. of
Aberdeen, but his translation was refused
by General Assembly 2nd Aug. 1631, trans.
to Greyfriars Parish, Edinburgh, 23rd Sept.
1642.

HARRY WHIKIE, son of John Wh.
1642 min. of Portmeak, had testimonial
for licence 13th Feb. 1631, pres. by
Charles I. 14th June 1632, ord. before
14th, and adm. 24th Feb. 1633; pres. by
Town Council of Edinburgh 19th Oct., and
adm. 30th Nov. 1632, died 7th Oct. 1673,
and is described as "a little knackety
body." He marr'd. 30th Jan. 1633, Janet,
daughter of James Ramsay of Corstorphine, and
had issue: John, min. of Auchtertool; Janet
marr. Andrew Heddlewick, writer,
Edinburgh, and several others. [*St. Antho.
Recd. Recd. Edin. Council Recd.
Lament. Duty, Inq. Recd. Gen.* 1630; *Muir's Genealog.,* 77.]

JAMES NAIRN, M.A., Edinburgh, 15th
July 1630, born 1629, elected
1635 librarian to Univ. of Edinburgh
23rd July 1632, res. 28th Dec. 1633, adm.
to Second Charge, Holyroodhouse, 17th
April 1635, trans. to First Charge in 1657,
trans. to Bolton 10th Nov. 1662; trans. and

adm. 31st May 1663, was one of those
turned into "the Bishop Evangelist,"
elected in 1670 to preach to the
Presbyterians in the West, was offered a
Bishopric in 1671 but declined, app'd. one
of His Majesty's Chaplains and Ordinary
31st July 1671, soon his charge about
May obit. 4th July 1678. He is said to
have been the most eloquent of all our
preachers, and especially admirable
learning and tact, but inclined to the
Calvinists. He founded two bursaries
for students of divinity, and bequeathed his
library, amounting to 1743 volumes, to the
Univ. of Edinburgh. The catalogue, *Cat.
libr. Universitatis quae in Libr. the Universitatis
Edinb. J.V.*, was printed at Edinburgh in
1678. [Lamont's *Paro.* 172; Grant's *Hist.
of the Univ.* in 1771; *Recd. Soc.* 89; *Wodrow's Hist.*]

ALEXANDER MONRO, D.D., trans.
from Kinloss, app'd. by the Town
1678—Councillor Edinburgh, adm. 5th June
1678, adm. in 1682 as Prof. of
Divinity in Univ. of St. Andrews. *ibid.*

ALEXANDER LUNDIE, M.A., trans.
from Cambus, elected by the Town
1683—Councillor of Edinburgh 10th March
and adm. 4th May 1683, trans. to Cuper
July 1686.

ALEXANDER KER, M.A., born 1649;
1660 Regent of Humanity in St. Leonard's
College, St. Andrews, elected by the
Town Council of Edinburgh 10th April;
pres. in Aug. and adm. 8th Sept. 1686; dep.
by Privy Council for not reciting the
Proclamation of the Estates, nor praying
for William and Mary but for James VII.,
died 30th March 1705. He marr'd. Aug.
1679, Janet Balmer, and had issue: James,
[Kirkcaldy 1688; *Recd. Greyfriars
Burk's*; Peterkin's *Constitution of the
Church.*]

WILLIAM TULLIDEEF, M.A.;
formerly of Kilbirnie, adm. in
1688, trans. to St. Leonard's, St
Andrews, in 1691.

ARCHIBALD RIDDELL, M.A.; trans. from Kippen; called in Aug. and adm. 28th Sept. 1691; trans. to Kirkealdy 29th May 1697.

THOMAS BLACK, trans. from Strathmiglo; called 7th June and adm. 11th Oct. 1697; trans. to Second Charge, Perth, 5th April 1698.

JAMES GRIERSON, called 1st Aug. 1698 and ord. 22nd Sept. 1698; trans. to Trinity Parish, Edinburgh, before 1st Aug. 1710.

JOHN CLEGHORN, M.A. (Edinburgh, 21st Oct. 1699); licen. by Presb. of Peebles 7th Aug. 1700; ord. to Burntisland 7th May 1701; called 8th Dec. 1710; trans. and adm. 7th Feb. 1711; died 22nd Feb. 1744, aged about 65. He marr. Janet Salkrig, and had issue Matthew, min. of Dryfesdale; Elizabeth (marr. Sir James Clerk of Penicuik, Bart.); David; Charles; Ann; Christian. — [Douglas's *Baronye*, 423.]

HARRY SPENS, D.D.; called 2nd Aug. and ord. 28th Nov. 1744; dem. 1744 18th Oct. 1780 on app. as Professor of Biblical Criticism, St Andrews (*q.v.*).

WILLIAM GREENFIELD, M.A.; pres. by Town Council of Edinburgh 1st Nov. 1780; ord. 6th Sept. 1781; trans. to St Andrew's Parish, Edinburgh, 25th Nov. 1784.

GEORGE GIB, born 1751; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; licen. by Presb. of Kirkealdy 4th Sept. 1776; pres. by Town Council of Edinburgh 1st Nov. 1784; ord. 31st March 1785; died unmarr. 11th April 1818.

JOHN McLACHLAN, born near Perth in 1785; licen. by Presb. of Linlithgow 29th June 1810; ord. to Alva 22nd April 1813; elected 22nd April and

pres. by Town Council of Edinburgh July 1818; trans. and adm. 4th Feb. 1819; died 13th Feb. 1850. He marr. 8th April 1814, Christian (died at Edinburgh 3rd March 1833), daugh. of John Reoch of Forthbank, Stirling, and Martha Jamieson, and had issue Mary, born 2nd Dec. 1815 (marr. Dr James Drummond, Campfield, Comrie); Christian, born 19th Feb. 1818, died 23rd Aug. 1848; Jane, born 25th Sept. 1819 (marr. John Steele, min. of Portmoak); Robina, born 12th July 1821, died 2nd May 1822; John, born 29th Aug. 1823, died 30th Aug. 1824. Publications *On Infidelity*, a sermon (Edinburgh, 1823); Account of the Parish (*New Stat. Acc.*, ix.).

WILLIAM POLSON, born Aberdeen in 1811, son of John P. and Jamie Dow; 1850 educated at Aberdeen Grammar School; King's College, Aberdeen; M.A. (April 1830); licen. by Presb. of Alford; ord. to Cluny in 1849; trans. and adm. 5th Sept. 1850; died 23rd Nov. 1893. He marr. 18th Sept. 1851, Catherine (died 11th March 1884), daugh. of James Scott, and had issue William David Scott, born 21st March 1853, died 1915; Catherine Elizabeth, born 24th Sept. 1854 (marr. John Waugh Gibson, min. of Dysart).

JOHN KENNEDY, born Saltcoats, Ayrshire, 13th Dec. 1867, son of David K. and Ann Fleck; educated at Kilmarnock Academy and Univs. of Glasgow (M.A. 1889) and Edinburgh (B.D. 1892); licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 4th May 1892; assistant at Kirkealdy Parish 1892-4; ord. 23rd May 1894. Marr. 1st June 1898, Elizabeth Blyth (born 29th Dec. 1872), only daugh. of Captain George Rollo, Newport-on-Tay, and has issue David, lieut. R.A.F., born 22nd March 1899; George Rollo, born 23rd Aug. 1901.

WEST WEMYSS (Q.S.).

[The parish of West Wemyss was disjoined from Wemyss on 1st March 1875. There is a mission chapel within the bounds at Coaltown of Wemyss.]

JOHN THOMSON, Jr., 134, died 1930. He farmed at Maryhill until his death at Larkhall, Scotland, in 1930. He was the son of Captain John Thomson, who came to America from Scotland in 1800, and settled in New York City. He married Mary Murray, daughter of Captain John Murray, who had come to America in 1790. They had three sons, John, James, and Robert.

SAVILLE MIDDLEMASS, born Edinburgh, Scotland, May 18, 1868, died 1921. He was a son of Thomas Middlemass, M.A., and Mary, daughter of Dr. James St. Andrew Middlemass, who died 1891. He was a member of the Royal Artillery and served during the Boer War and the First World War. He was a member of the Royal Canadian Legion, and died at St. John's, Newfoundland, on Sept. 19, 1921.

GEORGE MILFORD DUNN, born Glasgow, Scotland, Aug. 1888, son of William Dunn, died 1921. He was a Catholic. He lived at Almond Glen School and taught at Glencoe, where he had Royal Artillery duties during the First World War, and a son, whom he named Pte. Farquhar R.G.A., died by drowning in Hamilton, Feb. 1921. He was a member of the Canadian Legion and died at St. John's, Newfoundland, on Sept. 19, 1921.

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PRESBYTERY OF CUPAR

[In April 1581 there was before the General Assembly a proposal to establish a Presbytery at Falkland. That plan was not carried out, but, on 9th Sept. 1591, the new Court was erected with its seat at Cupar Fife. In a letter from Archbishop Gledstanes to King James VI., dated 9th June 1611, the Prelate suggests "that your Majestic give directione and charge to me that the Exercise at Cupar be dissolved, and out the breach thereof ane other be established at Falkland ; specially since, in the first erectione of Presbyteries, Anno 1581, Falkland was appointed ane special place for ane Presbyterie, swa that there sal be ane gude warrant thairfor." On 5th Aug. 1611, King James wrote to the Archbishop in the terms desired, and then, in obedience to the royal wish, the Presbytery removed its sittings to Falkland. The Synod of Fife met on 4th of Sept. following, and the Presbytery's change of seat was fully considered. In the end the Synod instructed the Lord Archbishop "to deal with the King's Majestic" that the Presbytery be brought back to Cupar. "Sundry gude causses and considerationnes" are stated in behalf of this course, notably that "in Winter, or efter gret weittes in Summer," Falkland was not accessible. The Register of the Presbytery begins at 15th Oct. 1646. There is a gap from 20th Sept. 1660 to 5th April 1693. During the five or six last years of that time the Presbyteries of St Andrews and Cupar were united.]

ABDIE, or OLD LINDORES.

[The church of Lindores was dedicated to St Adrian. It belonged to the Abbey of Lindores. In the parish church there was an altar of St Ninian.]

WILLIAM SYMSON, min. in 1561,
1581 when Andrew, Earl of Rothes,
"fermorar of the fruits of the
Abbey of Lindores" obliged himself to
pay £80 to him; was still min. 18th June
1565. [Maitland *Miscell.*; *Reg. of Deeds.*]

ALEXANDER SCROOGHE, pres. to
1586 the vicarage pensionary by James VI.
28th Jan. 1586; trans. to Flisk in
1594.

JOHN COLDCLEUCH, third Master in
St Mary's College, St Andrews; min.
1594 in 1594; app. constant Moderator of
Presbytery in 1606 until the return of Mr
Scott from Court at London; summoned
before Court of High Commission and con-
fined to his parish, for giving with three

others admission to the min. of Strathmiglo
in 1611, without acknowledging the Arch-
bishop; was a member of Assembly in
1600-2, 1608, and 1610, and generally sup-
ported the measures proposed by the Court.
He died between 30th April and 1st Oct.
1612, and is described by James Melville as
"a daft wousten man" (a vain boasting
fool). [Reg. Priv. Conv.; Melville's *Autob.*,
123; *Wodrow's MS. Biog.*, iii.; Calderwood's
Hist., vii., 106; Pitcairn's *Crim. Trials*,
ii., 317.]

SIR ANDREW MURRAY of Balvaird,
1622 second son of David M. of Binn,
and Agnes, daugh. of Sir William
Monereiffe of Monereiffe; educated at
Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1618);
pres. by his grandfather David, Viscount
Stormont, in May, and adm. 1st Oct.
1622; succeeded his grandfather in the
baronies of Arngask and Kippo 27th Aug.
1631; was knighted at the Coronation
of Charles I. 18th June 1633; signed the

Nicholas, 1630; died 1633, attended the church at Edinburgh, 1630, during a Assembly of Divines, and was received in full communion with the rest of the Lord High Church, and son of James Marquess of Huntly, and the King's sister, Lady Elizabeth Balfour, 1630 Nov. 1633. A year before his death the Commission of the Estates was at the Assembly, 16th Aug. 1643, during which he was ordered to stand at the altar, and the Prelate gave him leave of deposition. He died near the castle of Stirling, before or at the time of the death of the second Viscount in March 1642. [Holland's *Sp. Particulars* 37. He married postdated 3rd April 1622, Lady Elizabeth Carnes, daughter of David first Earl of Southesk and Margaret Lindsay, and had issue, David, and Lord Balfour, who succeeded as fourth Viscount Stirling and Lord Southesk, 13th July 1668. Sir Andrew of Murrayhall, died Dec. 1705, James, M.D., established 1651, John of Drummond, Lord Drummond, apy. Senator of the College of Justice, 14th Oct. 1651, died abt. 1700. William, advocate, learned 1651, 1656, Kelliebar, Marjory, marr. 1st John, 1651, Sir Alexander Gilmour of Darnie, died at Birth, 2d Aug. 1691. Barbara, marr. Patrick, eighth Lord Gray. [See *Edin. vols.* 29(3), *St. A. Libr. Poet.*, *Bald's Letters*, *Doune Nut. Bk.*]

SIR ALEXANDER BALFOUR, of 1634 Darnie, in the parish of Darnie, son of Sir Michael Balfour, 1st Balfour, and Jeanne, daughter of James Dickson of Lar Kerrow, and brother of Sir James Balhousie, and Lord Lyon King of Arms, educated at Univ. of St. Andrews, M.A. 1626, and assistant to Bishop Blair, Aug. 1631, till from 11th May 1673, in which year he succeeded his nephew Sir Robert Balfour, fourth Baronet of Darnie, died about 22nd July 1675. He had a promise of a bishopric from James, Archibishop of St. Andrews, and was a man not more respected for the dignity of his appearance than the wisdom and purity of his life. He marr'd 1st Elizabeth Cartans, who died in Aug. 1633, and had issue, Jean

Marie, 22nd May 1648, d. 1652, M'Call of Fife, and Sir Michael, 1st the Barony, M.P. for Fife, and the S. trust, Lieutenant of Fife. In the spring of 1650 Sir Michael was away from Dundee with the express intention of visiting some friends, and was returning to Scotland. He was over taken by a Kilmarnock crew of pirates, and lost his life. He had M'D. James, M.A., and Mr. William, previously his schoolmaster, in the parish of Grange, Anna, 3d January, marr'd of Peter Hay of Lypsey, *Libr. Poet.* Soc. Reg. Scot. 1650, *Edin. vols.* 29(3), *R. I. Poet.* Soc. Reg. Scot. x. 45, 1650, Soc. Reg. Scot. 1651, *Edin. vols.* 29(3), *R. I. Poet.* Soc. Reg. Scot. x. 37, 1651.

WILLIAM BALFOUR, Representative of 1671, proceeding, educated at Univ. of St. Andrews, M.A. 29th July 1669, had a testimonial from Dr. John of St. Andrews, 26th April 1671, till 1673, when prior to 7th Oct. 1673, he was chosen a member of the House of Commons, 1677. Margaret Keith, who survived him, and his wife, Dame Elizabeth, died 1st August, Jan. 1720. [K. Soc. *Edin. Poet.* Soc. Reg. Scot. 1654-55, *Poet.* Soc. Reg. Scot. *H. Soc.*]

WILLIAM ARNOULD, M.A., of St. Andrews, 29th July 1668, son of John of Tindaleworth in 1654, trans. and dim. before 5th Nov. 1656, deprived by Privy Council 13th Sept. 1658, for not receiving the Proclamation of the Estates, etc., and May 1658, and 1658. He marr'd Jan. 1657, Anna Balfour who survived him, and had issue, David, Anne, Marjory, Euphemia, Elizabeth, [M'Call's *Edin. Poet.* Soc. Reg. Scot. 1650, *Edin. vols.* 29(3), *R. I. Poet.* Soc. Reg. Scot. x. 21].

JOHN CARSAN, M.A., Edinburgh 1670, held a charge at Langford in 1691, Ireland adm. before 7th April 1691, died 18th May 1716, wife c. 1670. He marr'd Isabel Barkly, who died 1st Dec. 1724. [Reid's *Edin. vols.* 320, *Capit.* Soc. Reg. Scot. *Edin. Poet.* Soc. Reg. Scot. x. 21].

JOSIAS WALKER, bapt. 11th Jan. 1721, 1695, son of David Walker, marr'd of Temple, educated at Univ. of Edinburgh, M.A. 18th June 1713, cheen-

by Presb. of Dikkeith 5th April 1729, called 11th Jan., and ord. 27th April 1721, died 17th May 1745. He marr. 14th June 1723, Margaret, died at Cupar 8th July 1775, aged 74; eldest daugh. of Sir Michael Balfoir of Denmiln Bart., and Jane Ross, and had issue: David, Michael, John. [Edin. *Test.*; Temple *Sess. Rec.*]

JAMES GILLESPIE, called 18th 8 pt. 1747 1748; ord. 18th March 1747, trans. to Dunbarney 21st March 1751.

ROBERT WINGATE, born 1720; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. 1752 by Presb. of Dumblane 18th Nov. 1746; app. preacher at Norrieston Chapel of Ease; called 6th Dec. 1751; ord. 26th June 1752; died 8th Feb. 1788. He marr. 4th Dec. 1755, Janet, died at Perth 17th Feb. 1810, daugh. of James Fenton of Milearn, and had issue: Margaret, born 3rd April 1757 (marr. 20th Nov. 1778, William Marshall, merchant, Auchtermuchty); Beatrix, born 29th April 1759, died 18th Feb. 1765; Grizel, born 13th April 1761 (marr. 20th Nov. 1787, Oliver Thomson of Leckiebank), died 24th Aug. 1843. James of Milearn, born 29th Oct. 1762; Janet Agnes, born 18th Nov. 1764 (marr. Robert Cleland, jeweller, Edinburgh).

THOMAS MILLAR, born 21st March 1788, son of John M., min. of Inchture; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Dundee 7th Feb. 1787; assistant at Perth; pres. by David, Viscount Stormont, in May, and ord. 18th Sept. 1788; died 13th Nov. 1792.

WILLIAM AITKEN, pres. by commis. 1793 sioner for David, Viscount Stormont, 8th Jan., and ord. 29th Aug. 1793; trans. to Sccone 19th Nov. 1795.

ROBERT THOMAS, licen. by Presb. of 1796 Perth 28th March 1787; assistant at Perth; pres. by commissioner for David, Earl of Mansfield, 10th Dec. 1795; ord. 12th May 1796; died 2nd Dec. 1811. A dispute as to his glebe and the anxiety of the litigation are said to have shortened

his days. He marr. 12th Nov. 1799, Elizabeth Bennet, Perth, who died 25th Nov. 1813, and had issue: Ann, born 28th Oct. 1801. Publications: *The Cause of Truth*, Dundee, 1797; *The Sufferings of Christ, & the Effect of Envy*, a sermon (Edinburgh, 1805). Accounts of Forgandenny and of Sccone (Sinclair's *Stat. Acc.*, iii., xviii.).

LAURENCE MILLAR, born 1767, 1812 eldest son of Adam M., Forgandenny; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Ayr 29th Feb. 1792; assistant at Perth; ord. to Ardoch 19th March 1803; pres. by William, Earl of Mansfield, in May, and adm. 15th Oct. 1812; died unmarr. 25th Jan. 1839. Publication: Account of the Parish *New Stat.* *Acc.*, ix.

JOHN DUNCAN, born Carzill 1814, son 1839 of James D., farmer, and Ann Ross; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Dunkeld; ord. 21st June 1839; D.D. St Andrews, Oct. 1901; died FATHER OF THE CHURCH 2nd March 1902. He marr. 11th Jan. 1843, Margaret Walker, died 28th Feb. 1904, aged 80, daugh. of William Bisset, Fernie, and had issue: James, born 7th Nov. 1843; Euphemia Catherine, born 21st Nov. 1844; Ann Ross, born 2nd Sept. 1852 marr. William Oliver, min. of Greyfriars, Aberdeen; Agnes Boswell Walker, born 19th Dec. 1855; Eliza Margaret Jane, born 22nd April 1858 (marr. 3rd July 1885, David Dickie, mason, Edinburgh).

ALEXANDER ALLISON, born 1897 Balgray, Irvine, 7th April 1868, son of Robert Dunlop A. and Mary Faulds; educated at Kilmarnock Academy and Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Irvine in 1893; assistant at Coltness; ord. assistant and successor 16th Dec. 1897. Marr. 28th June 1899, Annie, daugh. of Arthur Dingwall, Blackhouse, New Deer, and Barbara Peters, and has issue: Arthur Alexander, born 2nd June 1900; Thomas Ian, born 17th June 1903; Ronald Dunlop, born 6th Feb. 1905; Andrew Maxwell, born 7th Feb. 1911.

AUCHTERMUCHTY.

[The church of Auchtermuchty was dedicated to St. Serf. It belonged to the Abbey of Lindores.]

GEORGE LESLIE, man of Strathmiglo,
1563—had also charge here.

ALEXANDER FAIRNY, reader, 1567
1567—d. 1574.

GEORGE LESLIE, reader, 1576—
1576—1578.

JAMES LESLIE, reader, 1579—
1579—1591.

HENRY LEITCH, w.c. reader at Logie
Murdoch, 1571 to 1580, and at Cupar,
1583—adm. to Cred before 12th Jan., 1584, elected 6th Dec., 1589, adm. in 1593, was summoned before the Court of High Commission and confined to his parish during His Majesty's pleasure in 1611 for giving with three others admission to the man of Strathmiglo without authority from the Archbishop, died 21st Aug., 1613. [See *Matthew's Test.*]

JAMES BENNET, son of Andrew Benet,
1615—min. of Monimail, adm. in 1615, was accused at the Syr. 13rd April 1627 of being "one frequent hunter with dogs, and player at cards, and a rimer of heros upon courses," for which he was gravely rebuked, and expressly inhibited to frequent any of the former games in time coming. He died about 1640. He marr. cont. 27th Aug., 1619, Geillis, daughter of George Moncrieff of Rothes (she survived him), and marr. 2. Sir James Oliphant of Newton, Bart., Lord of Session, and 3. James Pettygrew of Sootherose, merchant at Kerdene, Lithuaniae, and had issue

Stephen, Andrew, David, William, John, died before 1682. [See *Mill. S.* viii, 1701; *G. R. Soc.* xiv, 140, xxiii, 39, xlvi, 390; *Rec. of Drks.* Mack., 18th Nov., 1672, dxi, 354; *Fife Soc.*, xviii, 10; *Pr. L. & K. Pit. Chanc.*; *Rec. Rec. of Chanc. of Estates*, 2nd Nov., 1648; *G. R. Tuk.*, 3rd Sept., 1675.]

JAMES MARTIN, M.A., trans. from
1641—Chaplain 1631 suspended in 1639
for neglecting to give communion
for two years, and for "somethings im-
pertinent in the Session Book written by him, and afterwards blotted out" trans. to Bellingsay
sth Dec., 1646.

JAMES DUMESTEE, b. 1613, d. 1643,
1670—son of Henry Dumester in Cupar,
ord. c. 1636, Univ. of St Andrews, M.A., 29th July, 1633, adm. in 1637, dis-
privileged by Privy Council, 29th Aug., 1639,
for not reciting the Proclamation of the
Estates, etc., died prior to 17th Sept.,
1638. He marr. Margaret Turnbull, who
survived him, and had issue—Anne
[See *Robert Blair's Test.*]

ALEXANDER GLAS, M.A., adm.
1670—died 29th Sept., 1691, trans. to
1691—Kirkcudbright, April 17th.

THOMAS THOMSON, b. m. 1677,
1701—second son of William T. of Newton
of Collessie, and Jane Brudenell, and brother of James T. M.D., translator of the
Coriolanus (see *Test.*), adm. in 1696,
ordained at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A.,
23rd July, 1697, m. 1. Ruth, Ayr., at Ford,
23rd Sept., 1714, da. 1st Jan., 1733. He
marr. 2nd June, 1735, Margaret, second
daughter of Hugh Crichton, m. of Collessie,
and had issue—John, died young, Hugh,
James, William, master of a vessel trading
between London and America, Lawrence,
Thomas, marr. Dally, Frances, John;
Christian, marr. Robert Traill, D.D., Profes-
sor of Divinity, Glasgow. Helen;
Alice. [See *James Moncrieff*, Laing's
Vetus et Thuria Pictorum; Neiper's *John
Pitcairn of Duffieldston*, 397.]

MATTHEW MONCREEFF, pres. by
the Laird of Newark and Captain
1734—George Moncrieff of Rothes, called
but by a minority 17th July, 1733, ord.
by a committee of Commission of Assembly
16th April 1734, but settlement reversed by
General Assembly 10th May that year. M.
was afterwards min. of Bressay.

PATRICK MANTON, called 17th July 1733, and corroborated by Presb. *jure devoto* 25th June 1734, who ordered his settlement, but though his induction was interdicted by the Court of Session, the Presb. ord. him on 16th July 1734. The Presb. having apologised, the Court deemed this satisfactory so far as they were concerned but allowed the patron to retain the stipend till that date. He died 16th July 1750. He marr. 7th Dec. 1742, Elizabeth Colvill, who died 19th May 1757, and had issue—Alexander, born 6th Jan. 1745; Margaret, born 28th July 1746; Jean, born 8th May 1749.

LAURENCE GILLESPIE, bapt. 28th Oct. 1725, son of James G., min. **1751** of Arngask; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Perth 28th Feb. 1750; pres. by commissioner for Major George Moncrieff of Reidie Dee, 1750; ord. 27th June 1751; died 18th Nov. 1760. He marr. 20th March 1760, Martha Gray, who died 10th Aug. 1791.

THOMAS MUTTER, trans. from Leswalt; pres. by commissioner for **1762** Lieut.-Colonel George Moncrieff of Reidie May 1761; adm. 28th Sept. 1762 (delay being occasioned by Presb. refusing to sustain call, which Assembly reversed); trans. to Dumfries 4th July 1765.

CHARLES WILSON, called 19th Dec. 1765; ord. 6th Feb. 1766; elected **1766** Presb. clerk 13th Oct. 1772; trans. to Scone 29th Oct. 1777.

JAMES LISTER, born 1750, son of James L., farmer, Pitlessie Mill; **1778** educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1770); pres. by Patrick Moncrieff of Reidie in April, and ord. 3rd Sept. 1778; died 17th Jan. 1832. He marr. 23rd Nov. 1791, Janet Jaffray, who died 12th June 1805, and had issue—Margaret Shiells, born 20th Oct. 1794, died 29th May 1805; James, born 21st Aug. 1796, died 12th March 1805; Henry Jaffray, born 28th May 1798, died 12th Aug. 1821; David, born 23rd Jan. 1800, died 6th April 1891;

Lucy Hay, born 10th May 1803, died 20th Oct. 1820. Publications—*Sermon preached on the Death of the Rev. George Lyon* (Lyon's Sermons); Account of the Parish (Sinclair's Stat. Acc., vi.).

ROBERT JOHN JOHNSTONE, M.A.; pres. by Mrs Tyndal Bruce of Falk **1832** land, with consent of her husband, in May, and adm. 17th Aug. 1832; trans. to Logie (Dunblane) 4th April 1844.

JOHN FERRIES, ord. to Torryburn 28th Sept. 1843; trans. and adm. **1844** 27th Sept. 1844; res. 13th Nov. 1852; died 7th Dec. 1860.

JAMES MACNAIR, M.A.; trans. from Legerwood 1st July 1853; trans. **1853** to Canongate 23rd Dec. 1869.

DAVID NASMYTH HOGG, born Newton-upon-Ayr, 7th May 1842, **1870** son of David H., min. of Kirkmahoe; educated at Dunfermline School and Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Dumfries; assistant at Govan; ord. to Beath 16th Aug. 1866; trans. and adm. 22nd July 1870; died 6th April 1905. He marr. 24th Sept. 1867, Lizzie Eveline Beatrice (born 19th Oct. 1848, died 11th April 1913), daugh. of John Clarke, surgeon, Belfast, and Margaret Gray Burns, and had issue—Martha Andrea Burns Clarke, born 28th April 1869, died 9th Dec. 1914; Margaret Gray Burns, born 5th June 1870 (marr. 9th Feb. 1898, William Lambert, manufacturer, Auchtermuchty); David Nasmyth Clarke, M.B., LL.D., in Canada, born 14th Feb. 1872; Lizzie Ann Hamilton Bruce, born 1st Aug. 1875 (marr. David M'Hardy Hampton, min. of Culross).

JOHN GILMOUR, born 6th July 1876, son of James G., Blackford, **1905** Perthshire, and Margaret Campbell; educated at Unive. of St Andrews and Glasgow; M.A. (1900), B.D. (1903); assistant at Hillhead and St George's, Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Auchterarder April 1903; ord. 21st Sept. 1905.

BALMERINO

The church of Balmerino was dedicated to St. Mary the Virgin, and to the Abbey of St. Edmund. The Cistercian Abbey of St. Edmund the Confessor at Balmerino was founded in 1127 by Queen Ermengarde, widow of William the Lion. In 1234 its royal founder was buried in the Abbey church. The monastery was burned by the English in 1347, and its ruins are now scanty. They show that the buildings have been spacious and elegant. The church has been 240 feet long. There were in this parish a Chapel of St. Ayle. There were also Wells of Our Lady, St. John, St. Bridget, and St. Aidan.]

ARCHIBALD KEITH, min. of Leys.
had this parish also in his charge
1582 in 1562.

PATRICK AUCHENLECK, entered Aug. 1571 with Leys, dying in the
1571 charge appannant to the household
of the Regent James, Earl of Morton, 27th
Nov. 1577, afterwards min. of Alves.

THOMAS DUGGLAS of Stanyephine,
min. in 1578, with Leys also in
1578 his charge to 1580, pres. to the
vicarage by James VI, 21st March 1580-1, was assailed coming from his church on
Sunday, 10th May 1581, to the loss of
blood, by John Forrest, brother to the
laird of that ilk, and was nearly assassinated on 22nd June 1581 in Edinburgh
by Walter Grindane, who struck him
"two strokes upon the head behind the
right ear to the effusion of blood in
great quantity." His assailant was sen-
tenced to be "scourged fra the Cauchillhill
to the Nether Bow, and his right hand to
be strikin af at the Nether Bow, and
to be banished." On 10th March 1581 he
was charged before the Justiciary Court
of being art and part in the slaying of
Thomas Crichton of Bodiamontay, be-
tween Balmerino and Cupar on 13th Feb.
that year, but the case was not proceeded with. He died 2nd April 1634. He married
Maria Kinnear, and had issue James of
Arden, served heir to his father 14th Aug.

1634, and died 20th Sept. and
had issue 1618, David Kinnear of that ilk,
See Arden, David Kinnear, Edin. 371, 1634
See Hume, Robert, Presb., 1614, 1634
See Laidlaw, Rev. Mervyn, 1614, 1634
See Laidlaw, Rev. Mervyn, 1614, 1634
See Campbell, Laidlaw, 1634.]

WALTER GRINDAN, adm. his tutor in
1621 with issue of Sir Archibald p. who
in 1635 succeeded to him because of
non infirmity and in ablation for which
G. was ordered to renounce before Easter.
He remained, however, and was a member
of Commission of Assembly, 1642, 1645,
1646, 1648, who chaplain to Lord Balmerino
Bartament of Horne in 1644, was apolypt
from Edinburgh 24th Sept. 1671, died 31st
Jan. 1672, leaving 22d to the poor. He
marry. Mary, probably daughter of Peter Hay
of Nairn, in whose bed she died, the day preceding
him, so they were buried together in one
grave. They had issue James, 1st bar in
the 1st P. of Marquess 1637, married
21st March 1672, Thomas Stark of Beldam
deceased son of Alexander Williamson min.
of Culter. Mary married 21st and 19th
Jan. 1656, Sir George Wemyss of Jock-
mington, son of Sir Andrew [1575-
1614, xiv, 334], Campbell, *Laidlaw*, 1634.

ANDREW BRUCE of Pittardhill, son of
1673 Andrew B. of Pittardhill and Eliz.
Beth Bruce of Kirkhill, educated at
Marischal College, Aberdeen, became
chaplain to James, Archbishop of St
Andrews, circa 11th May 1633, died
before 10th March 1652. He married 25th
Dec. 1673, Mary, second daughter of Sir John
Leslie of Barkhill, who survived him and
married Lawrence Aytoun of Durmickarrow,
and had issue Andrew, Helen, Jean,
See Bruce, Rev. Andrew, See Bruce,
Ehre, Peter, Campbell, Laidlaw, 1634, 1673,

JAMES GARDEN, M.A., trans. from
Mary ilter, presb. by Charles H.
1676 22nd March 1676, trans. to Cumber-
eth Sept. 1678.

GEORGE HAY, adm. before 22nd Sept.
1678 1678, trans. to Cupar Angus 26th
Nov. 1682.

JOHN OCHTERLONIE, M.A., trans.
1682 from Kilmairies and pres. by Charles
 II. 5th Dec. 1682; dem. before
 21st March 1690; intruded afterwards at
 Fordoun.

ANDREW BOWIE, M.A.; adm. 24th
1690 Sept. 1690; trans. to Ceres 7th July
 1692.

JAMES HAY, born about 1679, son of
1693 Thomas H. of the King's Scots
 Guards and nephew of Peter H.
 of Naughton; educated at Univ. of St
 Andrews; M.A. (22nd July 1695); licen.
 by Presb. of Cupar 31st Dec. 1695; ord.
 7th May 1696; died *non compos mentis*
 12th Jan. 1752. He marr. 25th Feb. 1697,
 Christian (died March 1715), eldest daugh.
 of Thomas Stark of Ballindean, and grand
 daugh. of Walter Greig, min. in 1621,
 and had issue Peter; James; Margaret;
 Christian; Mary, and seven others who
 died young. [See, *R. of Fife*, 181;
 Campbell's *Balmerino*, 441.]

THOMAS KER, M.A. (St Andrews, 6th
1722 May 1706), brother to John K., min.
 of Mains; licen. by United Presb. of
 Dundee and Forfar 5th Dec. 1711; called
 17th Nov. 1721; ord. (colleague and suc-
 cessor) 1st May 1722; died Nov. 1741, aged
 about 56. He marr. 1726, Margaret, daugh.
 of George Oliphant of Prinlaw, and had
 issue Mary; Robert, served heir 6th April
 1745, and another.—[*Serries of Heirs*;
 Campbell's *Balmerino*, 452.]

THOMAS STARK of Ballindean and
1742 Nerbizing, son of John S., min.
 of Logie; educated at Univ. of St
 Andrews; M.A. (6th May 1726); licen. by
 Presb. of Cupar 24th July 1733; called 10th
 March, and ord. (assistant and successor)
 27th May 1742; died 5th March 1772, aged
 about 66. He marr. 27th Nov. 1746, Helen
 (died 18th Oct. 1800), daugh. of James Bruce
 of Kinloch, parish of Creich, and had issue
 John, his successor; James of Kingsdale,
 born 11th Jan. 1749; Elizabeth, born 3rd
 July 1750 (marr. Charles Wilson, D.D.,
 min. of Auchtermuchty); Andrew, born
 31st Dec. 1751, died 23rd Feb. 1753;

Catherine, born 2nd Feb. 1753 (marr.
 Colonel Dean, Indian Army); Harry or
 Teasses, born 4th April 1754; Margaret,
 born 1st Oct. 1755 (marr. prof. 1st Nov.
 1782, William Barron, Professor of Phil-
 osophy, St Andrews); Ann Barbara, born
 21st Sept. 1757, died 2nd April 1766;
 Stuart. [Campbell's *Balmerino*, 469, 655.]

JOHN STARK of Ballindean, born 31st
1773 Aug. 1747, son of preceding; ed-
 ucated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1766); licen.
 by Presb. of Cupar 19th July 1772; pres. by George III. 24th
 March, and ord. 22nd April 1773; dem. 30th
 Oct. 1781; studied medicine (M.D.) Edinburgh 1783; became physician at Bath; went to Paris and was taken prisoner by the French, but escaped as an American citizen, through the intervention of the American Consul; died in Paris 8th Aug. 1809. He assumed the name of Robertson. He marr. 1790, Susannah, died in Paris 31st May 1838, only daugh. of General John Reid (originally Robertson) of Straloch, who left his estate, amounting to more than £50,000, subject to her life-rent, to the Univ. of Edinburgh for the foundation of a Chair of Music, etc. (The Reid Chair). Publication *Dissertatio Medica Inauguralis De malo Hypochondriaco*. Edinburgh, 1783.—[Grove's *Dict. of Music*; *Dict. Nat. Biog.*]

ANDREW THOMSON, born 1746, licen.
 by Presb. of St Andrews 5th April
1782 1775; pres. by George III. 31st Oct.
 1781; ord. 5th Sept. 1782; died 7th March
 1836. He marr. 22nd March 1793, Janet
 Brown, who died 21st Jan. 1805, and had
 issue John, his successor. Publication
 Account of the Parish (Sinclair's *Stat.*
Acc., ix.).

JOHN THOMSON, born 13th Jan. 1797,
1824 son of preceding; educated at Univ.
 of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Cupar 19th Dec. 1820; pres. by George IV.
 in May and ord. assistant and successor
 5th July 1824; died 22nd May 1857. He
 marr. 25th Nov. 1846, Eliza, died at Edinburgh 16th Aug. 1871, daugh. of Charles

MARSHAL, JOHN, Kinsman of John of Balmerino, and Master of the Royal Burgh of Fife, Sheriff of Fife, and Member of Parliament for Fife, was born at Mossend, near Edinburgh, 1570; George Marshall, of Berry, in W.S., was son of John Marshall of the Dene, of Berry, 1570; he was born 1570, July 1570, and died 1596. He was educated at Edinburgh University, and was a member of the Faculty of Advocates 1594.

JAMES CAMPBELL, born 1570, son of John Campbell, Sheriff of St Andrews, and Margaret of St Andrews, was minister at St Mary's Church, Leith, 1590; Provost of Dundee, 1591; Minister 1593; Chaplain to Hugh, Lord Erskine, Chancellor of Scotland, 1594; Chaplain to James VI, King of Scots, 1595; Vicar of St Peter's Kirk, Dundee, 1596; Dean of Dundee, 1600; St Andrews, 1601; died minister at Dundee, 1611. His last sermon, *Meliora Sunt*, 1581, gives his life, 1570–1611, and his Hymn, in Latin, 1581, *Hymnus de laetate Christi*, is also given. He died suddenly whilst staying at St Paul's, London, 1580. *Itinerarium et Descriptio*, Edinburgh, 1585, and 1590.

JOHN THOMAS ARNOTT, born 17th Decr. 1877, son of John Arnott, master, Kirkcaldy High School, educated at Kirkcaldy School and University of Glasgow, M.A. 1900, B.D. 1903; Deacon of Free Kirk of Kirkcaldy, 20th May 1903; minister at Melville, assistant at Wilson's Kirk, Edinburgh, and successively 20th Decr. 1907, died 17th April 1920. He married 23rd Aug. 1912, Isabella Lindsay, daughter of Peter Lindsay, Ballincoll, Newton, Wormald, and having issue, Christine, b. 1st Symer, born 4th July 1913.

PETER CARMICHAEL MILLAR, born 21st Aug. 1877, son of James Millar, Moderator, Anstruther, and Jane Carmichael, educated at Ayrshire Academy and Univ. of Glasgow, M.A. 1900, B.D. 1912; Deacon of Free Kirk of Glasgow, 1912; Minister, Study Secretary in 1912; minister at Birney Parish, Glasgow, 1913; formerly of Asaphon with Egyptian Expeditionary Force, 1913; O.B.E.; died 21st Lowson Memorial Parish, Forfar, 13th Sept. 1943; trans. and adm. 13th Sept. 1920.

CRIES.

The first type of Cries belongs to the period of the St Mary's the Kirk Church, 1572–1573.

PATRICK COUSSEN or COUSSEN
TANCE, afterwards ADAMSON,
1590. M.A. and LL.D. graduated in 1593.
He was a royalist gentleman and ordered
to the service of the Queen of the Country.
He kept the post of tutor to James, Prince of St Andrews, M.G.M., Lord Clerk
Roxburgh, and travelled with him into
France and other parts, where he studied
law and became master of Adamson
the day before his master's dying, and
was retained by the family, coming to
Edinburgh Aug. 1572.

WILLIAM LAING, attorney of
Monkland, married 1571, trans.
1597 to Captain's Chair, and returned
here in 1600, with Armstrong, and
Tayvaldy under charge, trans. to Canongate
in 1679.

THOMAS BUCHANAN, son of Thomas
1573, B. of Drummingill and Miles Chatting
Lain, and nephew of George Buchan,
son of the Laird of Lain, Regent of St
Sylvester College, St Andrews, who was also joint
Rector of the High School of Edinburgh
29th Aug. 1578, entered 13th Feb.
1583, and was appointed by James VI
as an officer of the Merchant Company of
Glasgow, 1584; Master of the Grammar
School of Stirling, 1584; prior to
Provost of Kirkcaldy, he travelled to the
court of Queen James VI, 1st April
and 3rd Aug. 1578, and a gift of £2000
from the surplus of thirds of monies
from James VI, 14th Oct. 1573, having
been a member of the Royal Household
for number of years. He was nominated
by the Assembly one of the Masters of
the New College, St Andrews, Oct. 1582,
but this was not carried out, elected by
Assembly commissioner for Fife 15th 1587,
elected Moderator of General Assembly 6th
Aug. 1588, was appointed Privy Council 6th
March 1589 a commissioner for the Preser-
vation of True Religion in Fife, and in June

1598 was on a list of three chosen by the Synod from whom the King was to elect a "commissioner of the Kirk" for Parliament. In consequence of being thrown from his horse he died 12th April 1599, aged about 70. He was a member of twenty six out of thirty one Assemblies, and had a considerable influence in the management of the Church. He marr. (1) Elspeth, daugh. of John Traill, younger, of Magask, widow of Robert Hamilton, Principal of New College, St Andrews; she died 9th Dec. 1595, and had issue a daugh. (marr. Thomas, son of Henry Philip, min. of Creich); (2) Eupham Hay, who survived him. [Stevens's *High School*; Melville's *Autobi.*, 442; *Edin. Tests.*; McCrie's *Melville*; Calderwood's *Hist.*, ii. 46, iii. 403 *et seq.*, iv. 549, vi. 706; *Hist. of Strathendrick*, 313.]

ROBERT BUCHANAN, son of Walter B. of Drumkinnill, and Agnes Kinross, and nephew of preceding min.; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1583); adm. to Forgan 15th March 1590; pres. to the Provostry of the College Kirk of St Mary of the Hauch, St Andrews, by James VI, 12th and 13th April; adm. between 7th and 30th June 1599; supported the measures of the Court in the Assemblies of 1602, 1606, and 1610; died Feb. 1618, aged about 55. He marr. Elizabeth Blair, and had issue—Walter, min. in 1623; Robert; John; Thomas; Andrew; Margaret; Cecil. [St Andrews *Tests.*; Calderwood's *Hist.*, vi. 626, vii. 106; *Miscell. Scot.*, iv. 1; *Hist. of Strathendrick*, 315.]

DAVID KINNEAR, son of Henry K., Abbot of Balmerino; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1590), min. of Creich in 1608; pres. 12th July 1617; trans. and adm. 1618; died April 1624, aged about 45. He marr. Katherine Thomson, widow of James Rankin, mariner, burgess of Dundee. [*Fife Sheriff Court Books*, 16th May 1615.]

WALTER BUCHANAN, eldest son of Robert B., min. of this parish; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1617); ord. and adm. by Archbishop 29th

June 1624, member of Assembly in 1638, and of Commission for visiting Univ. of St Andrews 16th Nov. 1631; died 22nd Aug. 1632, aged about 46. He marr. Margaret Melville, and had issue—Robert; John; George; Elspeth; Margaret; Janet; Christian; Jean; Elizabeth; Catherine. [St Andrews *Tests.*; Baillie's *Letters*; Stevenson's *Hist.*; *Acts of Parl.*, v. 100, 413.]

WILLIAM ROW, fourth son of John R., min. of Carnock; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. 29th July 1631; became assistant to his father in 1631, pres. by Ludovic, Earl of Crawford, in 1633; adm. 4th July 1633, was a member of Commission of Assembly in 1639; was seized by a party of English in Nov. 1653 at his own house, carried to Cupar and Burntisland, and obliged to bind himself to do nothing prejudicial to the Commonwealth under a penalty of £1 stg.; suspended in April 1654, and dep. in Oct. 1655 for refusing submission to Episcopacy; had decree passed against him 16th July 1671 for keeping conventicles; was indulged by Privy Council 19th Sept. 1679, but this was withdrawn 5th July 1680; returned in 1683; died in 1688, aged about 84. He marr. 6th May 1647, Jean (buried 15th Dec. 1700), daugh. of Robert Blair, min. of St Andrews, and had issue—Robert, chaplain to the Earl of Haddington; John, Professor of Philosophy, Univ. of Edinburgh; James; William, buried 10th June 1689; Thomas, apprenticed to Hugh Blair, merchant, Edinburgh; David; Margaret; Grisell; Elizabeth (marr. — Girond); Katherine (marr. — Melville); Margaret; Jean; Agnes (marr. Andrew Bowie, min. of North Leith). Publication "Supplement and Continuation of the Autobiography of Mr. Robert Blair" (*Edin. Works*, 8 v., 1847). [Lamont's *Diary*, 60, 177; Blair's *Autobi.*; *Edin. Guild Reg.*]

ALEXANDER LESLIE, M.A.; trans. 1667 from Anstruther Wester, ed. adm. 17th Oct. 1667; trans. to Crail 22nd Oct. 1684.

1676 WILLIAM ROWE, deponent and

JOHN MATHERS, M.A., St Andrews,
born 20th Aug. 1673, or 21st, succeeded by
1680 Dr. John Ferguson, 2nd April 1680, and
1685 James Cleland, 28th Sept. 1685, and
1701 Dr. Michael Baillie, 26th Sept. 1701,
and 1709 Dr. James Peter, May 1709, and
successor to Dr. Peter was Dr. H. H. that
died 1729, and A. A. Duncanson had
successor in H. H. H. that
died 1748, and H. H. that
died 1760, and M. Duncanson died
1772, and J. Blair, 1772, and died
1781, William Rowe 1787, 1804, died
1790, and Dr. Ferguson, April 27, 1790, *ibid.*
R. I. P., 26th May 1790. *I. & S. N.*, xxv.
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1680 WILLIAM ROWE, deponent and

ANDREW BOWIE, M.A., born from
1692 Edinburgh, died 9th July 1692,
transferred to North Leith 31st March
1697.

THOMAS HALIBURTON, called 1698
Nov. 1698, and 18th May 1700, *ibid.*
1700 Professor of Divinity in New College,
St Andrews, April 1700, *ibid.*

WILLIAM GREENLEES, born by
1711 Prof. of Divinity 15th Nov. 1711,
ord. to Second Charge, October 1711,
May 1712, called 7th Aug. and adm. 29th
Sept. 1711, died Aug. 1737.

THOMAS SCOTT, born 1700, M.A.
St Andrews, 3rd May 1727, licensed
1740 by Presb. of Linlithgow, 31st July
1753, called 17th June 1758, *ibid.* 11th
Sept. 1758, died 24th Jan. 1782, *ibid.*

JOHN TROTTER, born Edinburgh,
1752, son of Thomas Trotter, magistrate
of the city, emigrated at 1791 there,
pres. by trustees for the creditors of
William, Earl of Crawford, and his Lord
21st Sept. 1772, D.D., Edinburgh, 24th
Oct. 1791, born 14th Nov. 1752, or
appointment to the Soc. of Clarendon, New
Street, Edinburgh, and resided at Knights
bridge, 14th Sept. 1788, and was buried in
Bunhill Field, Hackney, 17-28th June
1753, Elizabeth Oswald, who died 26th

Aug. 1752, and was buried 27th Aug.
1752, May 1753, 11th June 1753, and 26th May
1753. Sir James, born 26th April 1753, and
1st March 1754, died 17th January 1786, Will and term
int. Presb. of Linlithgow, 19th March 1754.
He died 17th January 1786, joined
the Soc. of Clarendon, 17th June 1754, and
was buried 17th July 1786. Albertina
28th Oct. 1754, M. M. 1754, married
28th May 1771, *ibid.* 17th Aug.
1771, Margaret Warre, who died 1st
July 1774, 1st Dec. 1774, 1st Feb. 1775,
she was interred in the vault of the
Linen Drapery, 1774. *A. R. of Presb. of Linlith.
M. M. 1754.* *P. L.*, 1754. *B. K.*, 8, 66.
C. L., 1754. *P. L.*, 1754. *J. C. L.*, 1754.

ROBERT ARNOT, pres. by George
1770, Earl of Crawford, 1st April, and
ord. 13th Aug. 1770, and 1st Feb.
clerk, 24th Dec. 1777, deacon in April
mentary Presb. of Linlithgow, St. Andrews,
18th Oct. 1778, 17th Oct. 1781, off. as man
of Kirkaldy.

JOSEPH Crichton, of Kirkaldy,
1783, born 1754, licensed 1783,
ordained Oct. 1783, and 1st Curate
18th July 1783, till 1792, after the
closure of Crichton Chapel, Crichton, 19th
March, tried and condemned 12th July 1793,
and executed at Crichton 12th July 1793.
John Hunter, 1793, March 1783, Ann
Lindley Ryburn, 10th Oct. 1804, and ss.,
married, son of George, Earl of Crawford,
and died by John Hunter, of Kirkaldy,
born 26th Dec. 1793, *ibid.* 1794, and 22nd
Sept. 1804, died 2nd Nov. 1804.

JOHN DUNNAN, born Kirkcudbright,
1837, was ex-pupil of Edward Irving, at Kirk
cudbright, A. M. of my, educated at Univ.
of Edinburgh, licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh,
June 27th July 1855, appointed Rector Chapel
in 1852, ord. to H. Woodward, 17th Dec. 1855,
pres. by George Hall, of Glasgow, in July,
and became assistant and professor 23rd Nov.
1857, joined the Free Church in 1843,
man of St Boswell Free Church, 1843-67,
died at Edinburgh 26th May 1867.

ROBERT COOK, born 1793, son of William C., farmer, Rhynie; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen, M.A. 2nd April 1813; ord. to Clatt 2nd Aug. 1820; trans. and adm. assistant and successor 10th July 1844; died 20th Dec. 1851. He marr. 6th Dec. 1831, Christina (died 31st Aug. 1876), youngest daughter of John Wilson of Thordby, Renfrewshire, and had issue Elizabeth Swanston, born 6th April 1835 (marr. John Caldwell Cochran Brown, min. of this parish); Margaret Christina Wilson, born 3rd June 1841 (marr. C. Thomson Glover, London); John Robert Wilson, born 25th April 1843. Publications: *Sermons preached in the机关 First Harvest, to which are subjoined Metrical Paraphrases* (Aberdeen, 1831); *The Catechist's Pocket Manual* (Aberdeen, 1834); *The Young Clergyman's Manual* (Edinburgh, 1839, 2nd edition, 1851); Account of Parish of Clatt (*New Stat. Acc.*, xii).

JOHN CALDWELL COCHRAN BROWN of Carboth, Guthrie 1852 [which he bought in 1861 and sold in 1872], born 1837, youngest son of Hugh B., merchant, Beith, Ayrshire, and Margaret Caldwell; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; assistant at the Barony Parish, Glasgow; ord. 22nd April 1852; died 25th April 1878. He marr. 14th Feb. 1854, Elizabeth Swanston, daugh. of Robert Cook, min. of this parish, and had issue Margaret Caldwell, born 23rd Nov. 1854; Christina Wilson, born 21st April 1856; Hugh, born 5th Nov. 1857, died at Irvine 25th May 1861; Robert, born 26th March 1859, died at Irvine 24th May 1861; James Caldwell Cochran Cook, Border Regiment, born 28th Nov. 1860; Elizabeth, born 11th May 1863 (marr. 18th Dec. 1884, Francis James Robertson, W.S.). [Guthrie Smith's *Strathblane*, 45.]

JOHN NASMYTH, born Auchterderran, 1878 3rd April 1853, son of James Armstrong N., coalmaster, Millbank, Dundermonie, author of the ballad, *The Lassie that's My Am*, and Isabell Chisholm; educated at Donibristle School, private school, Burntisland, and Univ. of Edinburgh; licen-

by Presb. of Dunfermline 14th July 1875; assistant at Markinch, ord. to Monymail 29th Dec. 1876; trans. and adm. 29th Sept. 1878; died unmarr. at Newhaven Manse, 30th April 1894. Publications: *Glenlivet Papers*, and miscellanies. Article s. [*Memoir* by the Rev. George Johnston, Flisk (Edinburgh, 1895).]

JOHN HENRY DICKIE, M.A.; adm. 1894 1st Nov. 1894; trans. to Springburn 24th Sept. 1896.

ANDREW BROWN, M.A.; ord. 8th April 1897; trans. to West Aberdeen 1897 1st June 1901.

ANDREW WATT, M.A.; ord. 5th Dec. 1901 1901; trans. to Balshagray, Glasgow, 5th Oct. 1909.

GEORGE WILLIAM WALKER, born 1910 Clyne, 11th Nov. 1879, son of Alexander W., min. at Foyers, and Isabella Jamieson; educated at Robert Gordon's College, Aberdeen, and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1904), B.D. (1907); licen. by Presb. of Glasgow May 1907; assistant at Eastwood and Springburn; ord. 7th April 1910. Marr. 30th April 1913, Jessie Jane Forbes, youngest daugh. of Thomas Donald of Parkieston, Newmilns, Ayrshire.

COLLESSIE.

[The church of Collessie belonged to the Abbey of Lindores.]

JOHN WEBSTER, exhorter in 1561; 1561 reader in 1567.

1574 JOHN KILGOUR, reader in 1574.

THOMAS ROBERTSON, reader in 1578 1576.

ALEXANDER JARDEN, removed from Monimail in 1578, having Auchter- 1578 muichty and Abdie also in charge, returned to Monimail in 1579.

HENRY BALFOUR, reader at Moni- mail from 1574 to 1579; adm. in 1580 1580; pres. to the vicarage on death of Thomas Scott by James VI. 11th Aug.

John the First was succeeded by the
Supt of Colliessie, probably his son, from
whom the name of the town derives and
from whom dates the Supt of Sept 1629. He
was succeeded by Henry, Reg'd.
Colliessie, D. [1721] M. 3. 1621

JOHN MONCKEYLL, MA, born
1621, died at Colliessie 1628, trans.
to Kirkton 1629, died 1630, and
buried at Kirkton 17th April 1630.

JOHN LITTLEJOHN, son of a weaver
1641, died at MA, St Andrews 1623,
and was buried at Kirkton 1623.
John the Second, by George, Bishop of
Edinburgh, 17th March 1657, adm. before
Privy Council 16th April 1657, and
confirmed by Ep'c. 1658, in 1659, and
died before 1660. His wife, Mary Cunningham,
who died after 1660, and before 1670, is
Buried at Kirkton, *Colliessie*, 16th June 1680.

JOHN OGILVIE, son of George, O.,
1683, born at Kirkton, educated at
Univ. of St Andrews, MA, 1688,
July 1693, and by George, Bishop of
Edinburgh, 17th March 1697, adm. before
Privy Council, depraved by Privy Council
3rd September, for not reading Proclamation
of the Estates, etc., retired to Edinburgh
where he was buried 16th March
1707, of a living irregular marriage,
died 6th July 1708, aged about 64. His
wife, Anne Cunningham, who died in
Edinburgh 18th Sept. 1724, and had
been George Alexander, John, Anne,
(M.) or Anne, Reg'd. *Edin. Testes, Gene-*
alogus Regis.

WILLIAM FITCAIRN, MA, St An-
1693, drows, 19th July 1704, buried by
Friends of Chapel 17th March 1694,
and 4th June, and ord. 9th Sept. 1697,
died 19th May 1702, and about 49. His
wife, 1. Jean Cunningham, died 1704 (successor
of Elizabeth Macleod, wife of Kilmarne),
and 2. Mary, daughter of John Bethune of
Blairquhan, died c. 1706. His son, Harry, died
before 3rd May 1730. His son, Alister
Sutherland, Janet, marr. 26th April 1730,
William Campbell, merchant, Edinburgh,
Katherine,

THOMAS THOMSON, born 1697,
1723, buried Kirkton 16th Feb.
1724, Ord. 1724, called 11th April, and
ord. 17th Sept. 1724, died 6th May 1728.
His wife, Katherine Thomson, who died
2nd April 1724, aged 27, *Collo-
quy, Colloquy*, buried by Henry Reg'd. Anct.
H.L.D. Cate., 1724.

JOHN BALLINGALL, MA, called
1729, Ord. 1729, and ord. 10th March
1730, trans. to Second Charge,
Cupar, 26th Aug. 1730.

GEORGE KAY, MA, called 4th June,
1730, and ord. 12th Sept. 1730, trans. to
Minto 23rd Oct. 1731.

HUGH BLAIR, MA, called 8th May,
1742, and ord. 23rd Sept. 1742, trans. to
Second Charge, Cupar, H.M., Edinburgh,
14th July 1743.

JOHN MATHIE, or MATTHEW, born
by Presb't. of Haddington, 17th March
1743, 1739, called 31st Jan., and ord. 12th
Oct. 1744, died unmarried 11th April 1775.

JAMES BALLINGALL, presbyt. tutor
of David Hay of Leys, ord. 22nd
Sept. 1757, trans. to Third Charge,
Dundee, 22nd Nov. 1771.

WILLIAM WALKER, Reg'd. 2nd Sept.
1759, presbyt. son of Alexander W.,
of St Fergus, Is. 1611. Major Gen.
and at Univ. of St Andrews, MA, 1759,
born by Presb't. of St Andrews 3rd Jan.
1759, presbyt. tutor for David Hay of
Leys in May, and ord. 22nd Sept. 1760,
died 14th Nov. 1771, and "was buried
in the kirk of Colliessie under the seat
he built." His wife, 2nd Nov. 1762,
Margaret, died in Edinburgh 2nd Dec.
1810, buried at Patrick Maidenstone,
merchant, Edinburgh, and had issue
Alexander of Bowland, governor of St
Helena, brigadier general, H.E.I.C.S., born
12th May 1764, died in Edinburgh 5th
March 1831. (He formed a valuable collection
of Oriental manuscripts which was
presented by his son, Sir William W., to the
Bodleian Library, Oxford.) Patrick, hon.
colonel, H.E.I.C.S., born 22nd March 1766,

died in 1816; William, attorney, Jamaica, born 15th Jan. 1768, died in 1799; Magdalen, born 5th Jan. 1770 (marr. 17th April 1798, William Walker, M.S.A., of Pitlair), died 26th Nov. 1812; Isobel, born 4th Sept. 1771 (marr. 29th Oct. 1799, Paul Stevens Samuels, M.D., Jamaica), died 9th Feb. 1853. [Douglas's *Biography*, 1811, *Twelfth*, Burke's *Life & Letters*; *Post-Nat. Biog.*]

ANDREW WALKER, born 1742, son of Andrew W., rector in Castle Haggis, 1772 Konnoway; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1761), became assistant in this parish; pres. by John Hay Balfour of Leys, with consent of his curators in April, and ord. 24th Sept. 1772; died "much lamented," 16th May 1820. He marr. 14th June 1751, Sophia, died 13th Nov. 1820, aged 62, daugh. of James Duddingston of St Fort, and had issue Margaret, born 6th June 1782 (marr. 26th Aug. 1806, Captain John Wilkie, Bengal Infantry, died Oct. 1828); Helen, born 4th Jan. 1784 (marr. 29th Dec. 1807, Henry Buist of Berryhill), died 25th Dec. 1847; Sophie, born 6th Nov. 1785 (marr. William Herlman, min. of Rattray); Andrew, born 5th Jan. 1788; Elizabeth, born 12th March 1790; Fanny, born 6th March 1792, died 16th Nov. 1880; James, ensign, 93rd Regiment, born 8th June 1794, died 19th Aug. 1815; Ann, born 16th June 1796, died 13th Nov. 1828; Mary, born 18th Dec. 1799 (marr. 16th Nov. 1821, George Russell of Hayston, died 31st July 1828). Publication Account of the Parish Sinclair's *Stat. Acc.*, ii.). [Dr Rae Arnot's *Collessie*, 19.]

DAVID OGHLIE, bapt. 13th March 1821, son of Philip O., Auchter-muchty; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Cupar 23rd Sept. 1813; pres. by William Johnston of Lathrisk Dec. 1820; ord. 9th May 1821; died 26th July 1832. He marr. 25th Dec. 1827, Barbara Livingstone, who died in Edinburgh, 28th April 1888, aged 83, and had issue Barbara, born 13th March 1829 (marr. Andrew Aitken), died 30th Nov. 1871; Jessie, born 10th June 1830, died 24th Feb. 1837.

JOHN MACFARLANE, born Edinburgh, 1798, son of John M., ed. 1833 educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Linlithgow 26th Dec. 1821; ord. to Ardoch 25th Aug. 1823; pres. by William Johnston of Lathrisk in Jan., and adm. 15th March 1833. Joined the Free Church in 1843; adm. to Free Church, Dalkeith, 16th Jan. 1844; D.D. (Princeton, U.S.A., 1853); died 2nd June 1875. He marr. (1) 24th Nov. 1826, Janet Marshall, died 20th Jan. 1852, daugh. of George Gray, merchant, Dundee, and had issue John, born 29th Nov. 1827; Catherine Balfour, born 19th Feb. 1829; George, born 2nd July 1830; Jane, born 4th June 1832; Jessy, born 28th Dec. 1834; Robina, born 28th Aug. 1835; William Francis, born 19th June 1837; Margaret Ann, born 29th Nov. 1839; (2) 4th July 1854, Louisa Cecilia (died 25th Sept. 1884), third daugh. of Rear Admiral John Ronett Smollett, R.N., of Bonhill, and Elizabeth, daugh. of the Hon. Patrick Boyle, son of second Earl of Glasgow. Publications *The Jubilee of the World; an Essay on Christian Missions to the Heathen* (Glasgow, 1842); *The Great Stone under the Oak*, a sermon (Edinburgh, 1844); Account of the Parish (*New Stat. Acc.*, ix.); Sermon (*Free Church Pulpit*, i).

ROBERT WILLIAMSON, born 1843 Anstruther, 28th Oct. 1803, son of Alexander W., M.D., and Beatrice, daugh. of Archibald Johnstone of Pittowie, Crail; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 1st Dec. 1830; became tutor in families of Sir Robert Calder and William Johnston of Lathrisk; pres. by the latter; ord. 27th Sept. 1843; D.D. (St Andrews, 13th Dec. 1862); died unmarr. 6th Nov. 1887. He was largely instrumental in the erection of the parish of Ladybank, to whose endowment he contributed £2000. He also founded a school at Ladybank.

JOHN HENDERSON, born Leven, 1888 24th Nov. 1863, son of James H. and Elizabeth Coutts, educated at Scoonie Parish and Leven Schools and Univ.

at St Andrews, M.A. 1579, B.D. 1585. Licensed to Kirkcudbright Kirk day 17th May 1587, as vicar of Kirkcudbright May 1587, died in this parish Nov. 1595 to Nov. 1597, and died May 1598.

CREICH.

The 'Churche of Creich' now ruined, was dedicated to St Swithin. It belonged to the Abbey of Linlithgow. The ruined church is at the foot of Mount Pentlands, a few miles from Edinburgh. It contains a tablet to the memory of David Barclay of Lubbesthorpe, who died in 1490, and Helen Douglas his wife, who died in 1521.]

JOHN SETON, rector, deprived in 1562
1560, and excommunicated, [St Andrews
Kirk Sec. 1, R. v. viii.]

ROBERT WILLIAMSON, rector in
1567-1567, ad. 1st for Nov. 1571

ROBERT PATERSON, min. of Elsick,
1567, also in charge here.

JAMES CARIE, rector from Nov. 1571
1571 to 1580.

ANDREW BENNETT, pres. to vicarage
1583 by James VI, 25th Feb. 1583, trans.
to Melrose, but is 1585.

THOMAS BANTER, min. in 1585, had
1585 Dunbeg also in his charge in 1586,
pres. by James VI, before 11th Dec.
1592, removed to Dunbeg about 1593.

HENRY PHILIP, min. in 1593, trans.
1594 to Arbroath first.

JOHN KINNEAR, younger son of
1601 Henry K. A. of Balmerino, and
Christina, daugh. of Robert Beaton, f.
Creich, collected at Univ. of Edinburgh,
M.A. 16th Aug. 1606, adm. in 1604, died
Jan. 1633, aged about 27. [Eton, Post]

ALEXANDER STRACHAN, was on
the Exercice at St Andrews 15th
June 1593, adm. to Second Charge,
Cupar, before 1596, trans. and adm. at St
1605, was one of those who constituted
the Assembly at Aberdeen, 2nd July 1606,
against the King's wishes, for which he was
detained on 15th July, and imprisoned at

Blackfriars, Br. Astur, tried before the Lords
of Justiciary 16th Jan. 1606, but he was
released from Middlemarch prison,
after petitioning the King in vain for
liberty to return on account of his health.

[Cadderwood, *Hist. vii.* 284, 286, 289, 290;
Pitcairn, *Crown. Trials*, i. 43, 163;
Melville, *Adm. of P. C. Rec.*, vi. 4.]

ADAM MITCHELL, min. of Cupar
and Crail in 1607, trans. to A. v. vi.
1607.

DAVID KINNEAR, min. of Pittenweem
1608 by James VI, 12th July 1608, trans.
to Creich in 1618.

ANDREW BENNETT, son of Andrew
Bennet, of Melrose, ed. at Univ.
1618 Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1614,
opp. to this parish Jan. 1618, was a
member of Commission for visiting the
Univ. of St Andrews 16th Jan. 1614, died
after 1st April 1614, ad. v. vi. 1617. He
marry Margaret, died 13th June 1675, 42, 4
78, daughter of Alexander Wedderburn of
Pittenweem, and had issue: David, Bishop
intra muros, 25th July 1670; William
Wemyss, Burgess of Cupar, [The Wemyss
Family, 2, 1, 40, G. R. I. 1, 14th June
1670, T. & S. 16, vi. 117; Reg. of Presby.
council, 403; Balfour, *H. of B. 3, viii, 3, v.*]

JOHN ALEXANDER, third son of
1654 Thomas A. of Skellway, and
Alison Orrok, educated at Univ.
of St Andrews, M.A. 1652, adm. to
Gidisburgh 1653, confirmed to Episcopacy,
died unmarried 1654, aged about 72. He left
the sum of £100 to his brother John,
but the sum of £800 to his widow, 18th
March 1650, that if she did not get married
again, left belonging to his sister as her
of kin. [St. M. Rec. & Posts, Morris, 1654,

JAMES SETON, son of John S. of
1685 Lathrisk, and Agnes Beaton, educ.
ated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A.
(24th July 1679), adm. in 1685, deprived
by Privy Council 4th Sept. 1686 for not
recalling the Proclamation of the Estates,
etc., and impeding the contribution for the

French and Irish Protestants. [*Memoirs of Sess., Rec.*; Macfarlane's *General Coll.*, i., 16.]

JOHN LAW, had been a Presbyterian
1693 min. before 8th Sept. 1689; adm.
to Second Charge, Kirkeddy, 1694; trans. and adm. 28th Dec. 1693; died 6th June 1694. He marr., and had issue Christian. [*St Andrews' Test.*]

DAVID PITCAIRN, ord. 27th Aug. 1695;
1695 suspended by General Assembly 15th Sept. 1700; adm. to First Charge, Dysart, 8th Jan. 1708.

JAMES HENRY, M.A.; called 11th June; corroborated by Presb. *jure devoluto* 11th Aug.; ord. 23rd Sept. 1702; trans. to Kinghorn 13th Dec. 1716.

JAMES BRUCE, studied at Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Cupar
1719 25th Feb., and called 11th July 1718; ord. 10th March 1719; died 21st Dec. 1746. He marr. 8th Feb. 1734, Jean (died *s.p.* 7th Sept. 1747), daugh. of John Oliphant of Carpow.

FRANCIS ADAMS, son of James Ad.
1747 min. of Kinnaird; licen. by Presb.
of Cupar 6th Oct. 1741; called 30th June, and ord. 23rd Dec. 1747; died 16th Sept. 1754, aged about 38.

MICHAEL GREENLAW, born Sept.
1755 1722; licen. by Presb. of Haddington 24th Dec. 1754; pres. by Alexander Baillie and his curators in Feb., and ord. 8th May 1755; D.D. St Andrews (30th July 1782); died 5th April 1815. He marr. 22nd Sept. 1766, Jean Wilson, who died 13th Feb. 1813, and had issue George, W.S., born 7th May 1799, died 12th Dec. 1834; John, merchant, Glasgow, born 3rd March 1771, died before 1800; Adam, in Glasgow, born 30th Sept. 1772, died 30th Sept. 1794. Publications—Accounts of Creich and Dunbog (Sinclair's *Stat.* Acc., iv., xxi.).

ALEXANDER LAWSON, born 1st April 1788, son of Thomas L. of Pitlethie; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews

3rd May 1809; pres. by William Grant of Congleton 15th May; ord. 14th Sept. 1815; died 6th May 1875. Publication—Account of the Parish (*New Stat.* Acc., ix.).

JOHN RITCHIE, born 2nd May 1846;
1875 son of William R., D.D., min. of Longforgan; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A.; licen. by Presb. of Dundee 24th June 1869; assistant in this parish, Maxwell, Glasgow, and Oldhamstocks; ord. 10th Sept. 1875; clerk to Presb. 1900-18; died 26th Jan. 1918. He marr. 24th March 1880, Andrewina Bell (died 17th Aug. 1905), younger daugh. of Andrew Clark, Airdrie, and had issue: William Andrew, born 2nd March 1881; Christina Carstairs, born 6th May 1882 (marr. 5th March 1919, Peter Scott MacLellan, Glasgow); John, born 26th April 1884; Margaret Bower, born 5th Sept. 1885; Robert Bower, born 10th Dec. 1886; Elizabeth Clark, born 27th June 1888; Frederick Johnston, A.S.C., born 26th June 1892.

JAMES LAMONT FYFE SCOTT, M.A.;
1918 ord. 28th June 1918; trans. to Rhynie 11th May 1922.

THOMAS BARR VALLANCE, born 19th Aug. 1890, second son of James V., Burnside, Strathaven, and Mary Barr; educated at Strathaven School, Hamilton Academy, and Univ. of Glasgow; served as a private in R.A.M.C. for three and a half years during European War; M.A. (1919); licen. by Presb. of Glasgow June 1920; assistant at St Marnoch's, Kilmarnock; ord. 28th Sept. 1922. Marr. 18th Oct. 1922, Mary Graham, youngest daugh. of John Paterson, tweed merchant, Peebles.

CULTS.

[The church of Cults belonged to the College of St Salvator at St Andrews. At Pitlessie in the parish three fairs were held in honour of St Malrubh, St Katherine, and St Philip.]

JOHN BALLOF (BALLOFF) died at the
1503 "M. et. 10. Q. 1. m. 16." and was
entombed at the Kirk of St. Machar.
The living was at first held by a man who
resided by General Charter of the Kirk
1503 and lived in a house in the paten-
tories of the Bishopric of Aberdeen.
He probably had a wider and more
important sphere than the Kirk Reg-
isters show; he was Master of the
Munition of the King.

JOHN RUTHERFORD (RUTHERR)
FIELD, died at St Andrews on 17th
of July and probably buried in the
cemetery of St. Salvator's. He was a
native of Jedburgh. He studied under
Nobility, Gracious, and Georges
Bordelais, where George Boileau was
Professor of Latin. In 1531 he accom-
panied George and Barbara on to the new
University of Clermont. Port Royal, where
he spent some years. In 1536 he passed to
Paris. He had the high reputation under
the tutorage of Archdeacon Heydon, who
appointed him to the Chair of Humanity
at St. Andrews. In 1543 he declined an
invitation to return to Bordelais, and in
1557 he became Dean of the Faculty of
Arts at St Andrews, where he was entrusted
with the chief part of the education of the
Admiral, Crichton. Having professed the
Reformed faith while abroad, he was de-
clared by the General Assembly at Edinburgh
1560 "one of those most qualified for
ministration of the kirk." On 25th
June 1563 he was elected to this charge, which
was a parish in the gift of his father. He
served one year as a committee of the
General Assembly. By the Assembly 17th
March 1570, for "not serving his charge at
law tyme in tyme, in the year of 1567 & 8 winter,"
he was admonished "to amend the
ad fault in tymes remayn, otherwise the
Kirk will proceed againt him as an
neglecter of duteis." He died between
9th Sept. and 18th Dec. 1577, just the
time the most celebrated master of schol-
astic philosophy in Scotland. He married
Christian Forsyth, and had issue John
and Mairi of St. Andrews, and probably other

children. Professor Sir G. P.
Gunn, in his "History of the Kirk
of Scotland," A.D. 16. Presb. 1. No. 16
part 1, p. 174, says: "Report
of the Presb. of Dundee, 1624,
that the Kirk of St. Machar, Aber-
deen, was founded 1608 by Dr. John
McCosh, M. D., 1607-11, & 127
226. Rev. 1868, p. 11068 gives delivery
Rev. 1868, p. 11068. Cf. Andrew's His-
tory of the Kirk of St. Machar, p. 2."

JAMES MARTIN, M. A. 1573, son of
1573 John Martin, F. O. 1571, St. Andrews,
and Margaret Ross, died 3rd March
1620. James Martin, son of John and
Dame of the Name of Martin of Kink-
leach, 1573 trans. and 1617, was
Treasurer of St. Salvator's College, and he
held an annuity of £100. St Andrews,
probably received it during March 1620.
"My friend, Mr. John G. Martin, M. A.,
of St. Andrews' College, in a letter of
25th January 1904, says that, 'John Mar-
tin, M. A., died 3rd March 1620.'

PATRICK PEAT, died at Elgin 17th
1595-1605 17th June, *Life of John Peat*, 1603.]

ANDREW MORTON, probably son
1608 of John, in 1608, died 21st Jan.
1637. He married Elizabeth Morton,
who died 27th April 1614, and 45.
See *Acta Sanctorum Thessalorum*
v. 332.

EDMOND CRANSTOUN, M. A. St
Andrews 1621, succeeded by the
Synod of Ross in proceeding 7th
Oct. 1637, he was the Provost of the Old
College for the title and charge of prov-
ostship. He was on the Exchequer at
Kirkcudl dy 3rd June 1641.

JAMES MARTIN, M. A., adm. before
1639, died 1641, trans. to Auchter-
house in 1641.

WILLIAM GLASFURD, brother of
1641 Patrick Glassford, educated
at Univ. of St. Andrews, M. A.
1632, adm. in 1641, 17th June 16th Oct
1642, died before 1644. He married Mary,
daughter of Robert Cleaper in Scotland.

well, and had issue Jean. [*Fife Horns*, xxvi., 197; *G. R. Sis.*, 18th Dec. 1702; *Perth Sis.*, 20th Feb. 1645.]

JOHN ALEXANDER, M.A.; adm.
1643 (probably colleague) in 1643; trans.
to Crichton 28th Dec. 1654.

GEORGE DISHINGTON, M.A. (St Andrews 1640); called July 1655;
1658 adm. 1st May 1658; deprived by
Act of Parliament 11th June, and Decree of
Privy Council 1st Oct. 1662; suspended
Oct. 1665; d.p. 1st April 1668; purchased
the lands of Lochmalony in 1669; died
Feb. 1673, aged about 53. He marr. 6th
Sept. 1656, Anna Hamilton (died Jan.
1708), widow of David Barclay of Easter
Touch, and had issue George, town clerk
of Crail in 1693; Margaret (marr. 1692,
Andrew Robertson, min., residing in Crail);
David; Thomas. [*Kirkcaldy Sess. Reg.*;
Lamont's Diary, 177, 204, 213; *Fife Sis.*,
v., 151; *Reg. Maj. Sig.*]

[The parish vacant five years.]

JOHN MATHERS, M.A.; adm. in 1673;
1673 trans. to Ceres 12th March 1685.

ALEXANDER SKENE, D.D., Principal
1685 of St Salvator's College, which he
held in conjunction; took temporary
charge here in 1685; died in 1707, aged
about 68. (*Cf. Vol. IV.*, 234.)

JOHN KEIR, M.A. (St Andrews, 24th
July 1670); min. in 1686; deprived
1686 by Privy Council 10th Oct. 1686, for
not reading Proclamation of the Estates,
etc.; died March 1707, aged about 48. He
marr. and had issue Elizabeth; Margaret.
—[*Moniment Sess. Reg.*]

[The parish vacant four years.]

ALEXANDER WILSON, born 1620;
1693 M.A. (Edinburgh, 3rd April 1640);
was on the Exercise of the Presb.
18th April 1640; adm. to Cameron 24th
April 1650; deprived 11th June 1662 and
went to Holland; returned to Cameron
in 1687; adm. here 26th Jan. 1693 (when
he was aged 73); died April 1697. He
marr. Jean, daugh. of Walter Greig, min.
of Balmerino, and had issue Walter, min.

of Kilconquhar; Katherine, died 1693;
Elphian (marr. pro. 24th July 1710, David
Jarvie, brewer in Canongate); Marie (marr.
1691, John Bayne, treasurer of Cupar);
Margaret (marr. 22nd Oct. 1712, William
Bradwood, brewer, Canongate); and two
others. [*Timkst.*; *Canongate Marri. Reg.*;
Wodrow's Hist., iii., 483.]

THOMAS BURRELL, M.A. (St An-
drews, 21st July 1683); passed as a
1699 probationer under Episcopacy; had
a testimonial from Presb. of Kirkealdy, 11th
Nov. 1692, that he had acquitted himself
well on trials, but had not satisfied them
that he would be faithful to the govern-
ment; probably he did so 24th Aug. 1695;
called 22nd March, and ord. 12th May 1699;
died 24th March 1729, aged about 63.

ANDREW MELVILLE, M.A. (St An-
drews, 5th May 1714); licen. by
1726 Presb. there 20th April 1720; called
26th May, and ord. 20th Sept. 1726; died
5th May 1762, aged about 71. He marr.
6th Oct. 1730, Margaret, daugh. of Thomas
Martin, St Andrews, but had no issue.

ANDREW HUTTON, M.A.; trans.
from Glenisla; pres. by United
1762 College, St Andrews, 10th July, and
adm. 28th Oct. 1762; trans. to Kilmarnock
8th June 1773.

DAVID WILKIE, born 1738, only son
1774 of John Wilkie, tenant in Ratho byres,
Midlothian, and Helen Robertson;
educated at Univs. of Edinburgh and St
Andrews; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews
9th May 1770; assistant at Glamis and
at Rescobie; pres. by United College of
St Andrews 24th Nov. 1773; ord. 14th
April 1774; elected Presb. clerk 16th Oct.
1792, died 1st Dec. 1812. His son Sir
David placed a monument by Chantrey
in the church. He marr. (1) 18th
Oct. 1776, Mary (died 8th Feb. 1777),
daugh. of George Campbell, schoolmaster,
St Andrews, sister of George C., D.D.,
min. of Cupar Fife, and aunt of Lord
Chancellor Campbell; (2) 3rd Nov. 1778,
his cousin Margaret (died in childbirth,
28th March 1780), daugh. of James Wilkie,
Edinburgh; (3) 4th Oct. 1781, Isabella

had a brother, John, born 1774, died 1853, and a son, Sir David Wilkie, R.A., born 1785, died 1841. He was a member of the Royal Academy of Artillery, and had a son, Lieutenant H. F. C. S., born 19th Aug. 1782, and a daughter, Mrs. Anna Maria Weston, and five grandchildren with her, namely, 1st Lord, 1st Viscount Weston, born 1823; Sir David R.A., died 1863, and born 1828, Naval Officer, married 1st June 1841, Thomas Weston, died 1862, born 3rd Oct. 1829; and 1st Baron Weston, born 1794, died 1862, and died 29th Nov. 1859. He married on 1st May 1799, and on 18th June 1811, William Hunter, M.D., of W. J. bank, Largs, surgeon-major in Coldstream Guards, died 1870. Publications: *The Poetry & Prose of the Scotch Poets*, Edinburgh 1794; *Poems & Miscellaneous Prose of the Scotch Poets*, Edinburgh 1794; *Poetry of the Scotch Poets*, Edinburgh 1804; *Sixty Years of a Physician's Practice*, Edinburgh 1831.

THOMAS GILLESEPIE, born Dunnottar, 1770, died 1830. Educated at Wallaces' Academy, then Dunnottar Academy, and Univ. of Edinburgh. Son and heir of family of Sir James Hay of Dunnottar, held by Presby. of St. Andrew, Edinburgh 1810, pres by Univ. of College, St. Andrews, in Mar. he died 23rd Sept. 1813, LL.D., Glasgow 1824, ad dom. 3rd Sept. 1828, in appointment as assistant and successor to the Professor of Humanity in Univ. of St. Andrews, died in Dunnottar 11th Sept. 1843. He married 1st 26th Sept. 1800, Elizabeth, bethed 14th Oct. 1821, daughter of Dr. John Hunter, Professor of Humanity, St. Andrews, and his wife, Elizabeth Marshall, born 1811. John, born 8th Jan. 1813; Catherine, born 30th July 1814; George McCleay, born 1793, Feb. 1816; Helen Weston, ——, her father's post-m.

He died at his residence, Newlands, on 15th May 1856. Margaret, wife of John, died 18th April 1858, at Merton, Middlesex. They had a son, John, who died 1862, and a daughter, Georgina, who died 1866. The son, John, was educated at Harrow, and at the Royal Naval College, Greenwich, and became a naval officer. He died 1862, and left a widow, Elizabeth, and two daughters, Elizabeth and Georgina, and a son, John, who died 1871. His widow, Elizabeth, died 1876, and left a son, John, who died 1871. His widow, Mary, died 1883.

GEORGE CRAWFORD, son of Stephen Marshall, and wife of William, died 1826, D.D., and of Stephen afterwards. Father of Rev. Mr. Marshall, died 1851. Andrew, son of Rev. Mr. Marshall, died 1852. Elizabeth, b. 1833, April 1, 1833, pres by Principal and Prof. of Univ. of Edinburgh, Dec. 1836, and on 23rd May 1837, died Edmund, 2nd Nov. 1838. Elizabeth, M.A., pres by Prof. of Edinburgh 1832.

JOHN COOK MA, pres by Principal and Prof. of Univ. of Edinburgh, 1832, died 1832. Sir Andrew, son, married, and died 18th June 1833. ——, ——, son, and charged his widow, Edith, 1833.

THOMAS JACKSON CRAWFORD, M.A., pres by Principal and Prof. of Univ. of Edinburgh, 1831, died 1832. ——, ——, son, St. Andrews, in April 1832, and on 18th June 1833, ——, ——, son, and charged his widow, Edith, 1833.

JAMES ANDERSON, born Marshall, 1830, son of James A. Turner, 1830, originally his law master, became teacher of a private school, educated at Univ. of Glasgow and Edinburgh, after 1830, obtained the family of Earl of Hopetoun, betheld by Dr. of Dukesth. Feb. 1830, educated as missionary at Langward, pres by the Principal and Professors of the United College, St. Andrews, Dec. 1838, ord. 22nd Dec. 1839, elected Presby. clerk in 1841, died from the effects of a fall from a wagon, 30th Sept. 1863. However, an authority on ecclesiastical law, and was much consulted on the subject.

He marr. 23rd Oct. 1838; Maria, died 29th Nov. 1892, aged 70, daugh. of William Ferrie, D.D., min. of Kilmophil, and had issue: Elizabeth Ann, born 21st April 1840 (marr. 29th Sept. 1879); Alexander Forbes, missionary at Madras, died 29th Sept. 1862; Maria Jane, born 14th Sept. 1841, died 12th Feb. 1863; James Lindley Ferrie, born 20th April, and died 7th May 1843; William Ferrie Gentle, shipowner, Glasgow, born 7th July 1844, died 22th Nov. 1907; Robert, born 10th Jan., and died 5th April 1846; James, manager of Oriental Bank, Colombo, born 13th June 1848; Henrietta Demina, born 27th Jan. 1851; Julia Sinclair Marzett, born 11th July 1852, died in London, 11th April 1891. Publications: *A Catechism on the Sacraments of the Old and New Testaments* (Edinburgh, 1851); *The Minister's Directory* (Edinburgh, 1853); *Light in Darkness, or Comfort to the Sick and Afflicted* (Edinburgh, 1858). He edited *The Family Altar; or a Guide to Devotion* (Edinburgh), and had almost ready for publication a volume on Church Law, but was fore stalled by the issue of Dr Cook's *Styles*.

JAMES ROBERT CHRYSTAL, M.A.,
1884 B.D.; ord. 5th April 1864; trans.
to Coltness 21st Jan. 1879.

JAMES FORBES, born Duns, son of
1879 Thomas F., painter, and Elizabeth
Dewar; educated at Duns School and Univ. of Edinburgh; ord. to Low
Meeting, Berwick upon Tweed, in 1864; adm. to Milton of Balzowie in 1873; trans.
to Cranshaws 7th Sept. 1873; trans. and
adm. 4th July 1876, died 6th June 1900. He
marr. 29th Nov. 1866, Agnes Knox (died
11th June 1915); daugh. of Archibald
Haswell, London, and had issue: Thomas
Dewar, M.D., London, born 2nd June 1868;
Agnes Hope, born 7th Nov. 1878.

WILLIAM HENRY PORTER, born
1900 9th July 1865, son of William P.,
Falkland, and Euphemia Galloway; educated
at Falkland School and Univ. of Glasgow;
licen. by Presb. of Glasgow
12th June 1894; assistant at Hillside and
St Paul's, Leith; ord. 1st Nov. 1900,

Merr. 1st June 1903. Margaret Andrew, a
younger daugh. of Andrew Dickson, Rose
bank, Haddington, and Grace S. Cunningham,
and has issue: William Bruce, born
22th April 1904; Andrew Dickson, born
30th Oct. 1905; James Galloway, born
19th Jan. 1909, died 29th Oct. 1913;
Douglas Hunter, born 17th Jan. 1911;
Alexander Gordon, born 21st Sept. 1912;
Norman Cunningham, born 29th May
1914. Thomas Forrest, born 10th July
1916. Publications: *Cambuslang and its
Ministers, 1560-1843* (Glasgow, 1897); *Cults
and its Ministers, 1560-1843* (Cupar Fife,
1906).

CUPAR.

[*Cupar-Tyf* and *Tarvit*. These parishes were united in 1618.]

Cupar Tyf. The church of Cupar was dedicated to St Christopher. It belonged to the Priory of St Andrews. A Second charge for this parish was founded in 1625. The Black Friars had a convent in Cupar, dedicated to St Katherine. Fairs of St James and St Martin were held in this parish.

Tarvit. The church of Tarvit was dedicated to St Michael. It belonged to the Abbey of Cambuskenneth.]

ROBERT MONTGOMERY, settled in
1562 the ministry (perhaps here) in 1562.
He was requested by the Assembly
29th June 1563, to supply Largo every
alternate Sunday until other provision
should be made. A Commission was app.
by the Assembly 27th Dec. that year re-
garding mutual complaints from him and
the magistrates of Cupar; trans. to
Dunblane in 1567.

ALEXANDER SPENS, min. of Kil-
comphair in 1560; trans. and adm.
1567 about 1567; died Nov. 1568.

ROBERT WILKIE, entered at Linlathen
in 1569, Auchternoonzie (Moonzie)
1569 being also in his charge; trans. to
Loudoun about 1573.

ADAM MELVILLE, son of Robert
1573—died 1573, but his name omitted and
in the Register of the General Assembly
1576—called 'Graemester'.

WILLIAM LAINING, son from Ceres
1574— with A. Laining, 1st Laird, and
Ceres, died in the same year 1574
return to Ceres, 1st Laird.

WILLIAM SCOTT, son of Robert Scott,
1604—Myndis, son of son of William
Simpson, minister of Kincardine, educated
at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1606
Nov. 1599—son of King, was in 1603
app'd by the General Assembly in Dundee
to serve with the Marquess of Huntly, one
of the Catholic Lords traitors, and in March
1603—son in the Protestant cause to the
dissolution of Hispaniola 1st July 1603
was summoned to London by the King's
Letter 21st May that year, where he
strongly defended the lawfulness of the
Aberdeen Assembly in especially before the
Lord Advocate, Sir Thomas Hembury.
After being detained a month, he was
summoned in charge to Dr David Elphège
of Peterburgh, but with five of his
brothers obtained permission from the
English Privy Council to return to his
parish 8th March 1607. He was now made
consec't Moderator of Presbytery in 1607,
was a member of Assembly in 1608, and of
the Conference at Falkland in 1609, and
shortly after was confined to his parish
but this in tract was taken off by the
Privy Council 25th July 1614. On 27th
June 1617 he signed the Protestant Confession
the Liberties of the Kirk, passed the Five
Articles in the General Assembly of 1618
which were then agreed to, was appa-
riate of Edinburgh that year, was unsuccess-
fully sued before the High
Commissioner 1619, of being the
author of a book entitled *The Chalcedonie*,
or having a hand in it, and his removal
to Edinburgh was refused 11th Oct. 1620,
died 26th May 1642, aged about 70. He
raised the spire of the church from the
settlements at his own expense and
enriched a sum of money for the benefit
of the poor and for the education of poor

children. He married Barbara Simpson, who
survived him, and had issue—Barbara
and David Dalgleish, man of this parish,
Parochial of Leven, 1616, C. 1620,
Died 1629, and Margaret, wife of the State
of Fife, died 1629. Kirkcudbright
Wardrobe Society Edinburgh 1840—*The
Liberation of Melville*—Calderwood's
History of Scotland 1627, p. 17, 1629,
1638—Sir Melville's *Spiritual Progress*
1638—*Letter to the Kirk of Worksws MS.*
Kirkcudbrightshire—Montrose's *Martyrs*,
230—Melville's *A Confession of Faith*.

DAVID DALGLEISH, son of David D.,
1642—minister, St Andrews, educated at
the Univ. there, M.A. 1606, was a
competent and popular divine, too
preaching now and May 1613, was directed
by the Synod of the Oct. 1617 to enter solemnly
to the Archibishop of Canterbury and
submit to the authority of the Archibishop
10th Nov. 1618. After his entry he was a
member of Assembly in 1620, prior to
David, in 1631, but not until pres. to
First Charge by Charles I 27th May 1633,
was laid aside from duty in 1643 through
accident to his leg while attending a
meeting of Council in Edinburgh. At
the entry of Charles II 1st Aug. 1660 July
1661 he made a speech of regeneration,
died 7th May 1672, and died 1730. His
matri Barbara, daughter of William Scott,
had 3 sons, and had issue—(1) only son
David—*Rec. Soc. S. & S. 1640*—*Rec. Test.*
1668—*Rec. Soc. S. & S. 1640*—*Rec. Test.*
1668—*Rec. Soc. S. & S. 1640*—*Rec. Test.*
1668—*Rec. Soc. S. & S. 1640*—*Rec. Test.*

JOHN MARGELL, of Kendrick, third
1654—son of James M. of Kendrick,
and Katherine Clephane, educated
at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1640, on
Examination 7th Dec. 1642, ord. to
Dundee 21st 1643, called 16th Oct., trans-
ferred via 13th Dec. 1644, living charge
of the whole parish, had a sharp attack
of fever in Feb. 1657, deprived by Act of
Parliament 11th June and Decree of Privy
Council 1st Oct. 1652, studied medicine,
was abroad for his health with George
Lord Melville, 10th Feb. 1663, had leave
from the Privy Council 24th May that
year to return on giving satisfaction for

his peaceable behaviour, graduated M.D. at the Univ. of Angers (1663), returned to Scotland; purchased the estate of Kemback in 1667; died 24th April 1673, aged about 52. He marr. (1) 25th April 1617, Helen, died 20th July 1655, daughter of James Forbes of Kilmarie, and had issue James, born 19th Feb. 1638, died 13th July 1649; David, born 15th July 1649, died 13th July 1656; John of Kemback, born 3rd Sept. 1651, died before 6th Oct. 1677; Arthur of Kemback, born 15th Dec. 1652, died 31st Jan. 1725; William, born 29th March 1655, died 17th March 1657; James, born 5th March 1658, died 29th Dec. 1659; Helen, born 18th July 1659 (marr. 1678, Thomas Nairn of Baldevan); David, born 25th Jan. 1661, died May 1693; James, born 5th Nov. 1662; (2) 22nd Jan. 1668, Euphane Paterson, widow of Gavin Wemyss of Unthank.

[*Reg. of General Lyon Office*; *Lif. Sis.*, iv., 116; *St Andrews Tests.*; *Lamont's Diary*, 82, 159, 166, 196, 203; *Inq. Ret. Gen.*, 5789; *Scots Peerage*, vi, 590.]

ROBERT HONYMAN, M.A.; trans. from Second Charge, Dysart, and 1663 adm. 6th Aug. 1663; trans. to St Andrews 7th July 1681.

GEORGE LANDAL, M.A., St Andrews, 25th July 1668), adm. to 1682 Kemback 4th June 1674; trans. to Scoonie 16th June 1680; trans. and adm. in 1682; died 18th Oct. 1685, aged about 38. He marr. 15th June 1682, Alison, daugh. of Sir Alexander Gibson of Durie, who survived him, and had issue John; Alexander, born 1684. [*St Andrews Tests.*, *Second Par. Reg.*]

ALEXANDER LUNDIE, second son 1688 of John L. of Strathairlie; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (24th July 1689); passed trials before Presb. of Glasgow and had a testimonial for licence 5th June 1672; ord. to Orwell before 3rd Oct. 1677; trans. to Carnbee 27th April 1681; trans. to Wemyss 4th May 1683; pres. by Arthur, Archbishop of St Andrews, July 1686; deprived by Privy Council 29th Aug. 1689, for not

reading the Proclamation of the Estates, etc. In 1692 he was imprisoned in the Tolbooth for not praying for William and Mary, but was liberated in four days, being "far from the means of subsistence, and his wife lying dangerously ill at home with a family of small children." Having begged the Council's pardon, he was prohibited from exercising the ministry until he qualified himself by Act of Parliament. He died 23rd June 1696, aged about 47. He marr. [Crawford, and had issue Anna; Mary; James, born 1687. [Wemyss MSS., Reg.]; *Inq. Ret. b. Test.*, 1157.]

THOMAS ARNOT, M.A., St Andrews, 1660 (25th July 1666); licen. by Presb. of Perth 15th Dec. 1654; became assistant 17th April 1657, but on 28th May 1658 purposed to accept a call to a church in Ireland; called to Second Charge 11th June, and adm. 18th Nov. 1658; deprived by Act of Parliament 11th June, and Decree of Privy Council 1st Oct. 1662; was permitted by David, Earl of Wemyss, to occupy the house of Elcho 13th Oct. 1663, and was outlawed 6th June 1682 for holding conventicles; attended first meeting of Synod 22nd July 1690 as min. of this charge; died May 1694, aged about 68. He marr. 17th March 1659, Euphane Inglis, Cupar, and had issue Alexander, born 1670; Isabel; Helen (marr. cont. 20th Jan. 1698, George Menzies, Master of the Grammar School, Dundee). [*Perf. Sheriff Court Deeds*, 15th May 1710; *Lif. Sis.*, i., 366; *Cupar Mar. Reg.*]

JAMES HADOW, trans. from Second Charge; called 27th June, and adm. 1694 30th Oct. 1694; trans. to Professorship of Divinity in St Mary's College, St Andrews, 5th April 1696 (*q.v.*).

WILLIAM DICK, eldest son of Alexander D., portioner of Pitquhanatrie; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (19th July 1696); became schoolmaster of Orwell; licen. by Presb. of Kirkcaldy 12th March 1695; ord. to Forgandenny 6th Sept. 1695; trans. and adm. 30th July 1702; died 9th Oct. 1736,

ended 1707. He married 18 Sept. 1696, Elizabeth Carmichael, in the parish of Airthrey, and had issue: George, born 16 Oct. 1702; David, 1704; John, died 1705; Jane, 1707, daughter of David Macleod of Rykebourne, and had issue: Elizabeth, born 1708; Colburn, born 1710; James, 1712; John, 1714; Francis, 1716; Sir Andrew, 1718; William, born 1st May 1722. David, born 10th Dec. 1733, Robert's son, died 1733. His widow was entitled to the estate of Rykebourne in the sixteenth century after Catherine, wife of Alexander Christie, writer, Edinburgh. (*R. C. S., S. 1, T. 6, p. 52.*, *P. 6, S. 1, viii, p. 439.*)

GEORGE BOES. Born 1702, son of Robert Boes, man of Rettry, died 1738, educated at Univ. of Edinburgh, M.A. 11th June 1713, elected schoolmaster in George Henry's Hospital 17th April 1721, elected by Presb. of Edinburgh 26th Dec. 1725, ord. to Second Charge 21st Feb. 1728, was elected representative elder by the burgh of Cupar to the General Assembly which on 6th May 1732 refused to sustain his commission, being contrary to the Acts of Assembly, pres. to this charge by George III, 23rd March 1737, adm. 3rd Jan. 1738, died 11th Jan. 1773. He marr. 21st Nov. 1732, Agnes Bruce, who died 24th March 1773, and had issue: Elizabeth, born 24th Sept. 1733; Margaret, born 30th Nov. 1734, marr. 28th Jan. 1769, David Young, dancing master, Dundee; Ann, born 19th Feb. 1737, marr. 19th Jan. 1762, William Foster, lieut. of Marines, 18th January, born 16th Aug. 1738, marr. 12th May 1765, Henry Ralph, merchant, London; Crawford, born 1st Feb. 1740, died 4th Jan. 1767; Frederik, born 2d April 1749.

SIR ROBERT PRESTON. Born 1705, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 6th May 1724, chosen by Presb. of Dundee 26th Oct. 1729, ord. to Arbroath 18th Feb. 1731, trans. to Second Charge 26th Nov. 1738, pres. by George III, 21st Feb., and adm. 16th May 1739, was served heir to his grandfather, Sir John Preston, fourth

Baron 1720, 1725, 1730, 1735, and the title of first Baron of the Cullen 18th Sept. 1734. He marr. 16th Nov. 1736, Mary, daughter of Andrew McAllister, of Monanay, and had issue: Alexander, born 22d Oct. 1739, died 22d July 1804, 11th Sept. 1775; Margaret, died 21st Oct. 1773; death of Robert Speer of Ardkinglass, 1776; Robert, marr. 1st June 1776, Rev. Dr. George, died 26th July 1777, died 2nd Mar. 1790; George, born 1st March, died 2d Oct. 1776.

GEORGE CAMPBELL. Born 1737, son of George Campbell, minister, St Andrews, now rector at Univ. of St Andrews, chosen by Presb. of Dundee 11th Dec. 1773, ord. to Second Charge 1st July 1773, pres. by George III, 4th and ultim. 27th Oct. 1781, D.D. of St Andrews, 4th Pres. 1793, died 26th Nov. 1824. He marr. 5th Dec. 1777, Margaret, died 12th March 1793, only daughter of John Hally, Justice of The Peace, and had issue: Jane, born 10th Dec. 1779, marr. Thomas Gilstrap, LL.D., master of Culzean Castle, 1796, died 1798; Lord Hugh Campbell, 1831, author of *Laws of the Law Courts*, born 15th Sept. 1779, d. 23rd June 1861; Jane, born 21st March 1782, marr. 10th Feb. 1809, James Gregor of Bellairie; Elizabeth, born 7th Dec. 1785, died 19th March 1873; Lindsay, born 26th March 1788, marr. 27th April 1807, David Johnston of Overton; Margaret, born 13th Oct. 1792, marr. Charles Grace, M.D., F.R.S., F.L.S., Vice-President of the Royal Society 1803, M.A., xviii, 1, D. 6, V. 2, L. 1.

LAURENCE ADAMSON. Born 7th Aug. 1757, son of James Adamson, of Abriachan, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, chosen by Presb. of St Andrews 21st Oct. 1787, ord. to Second Charge 8th May 1794, elected Presb. clerk 17th Dec. 1812, D.D. of St Andrews, 16th May 1813, pres. by George IV, 21st Jan., trans. and adm. 16th May 1825, died 8th Jan. 1837. He marr. 28th April 1796, Isobel Robertson, who died 2nd Nov. 1826, and had issue:

Isobel Stevenson, born 6th Jan. 1796, died 22nd Dec. 1817; James, D.D., min. of a congregation at Cape Town, South Africa, 1828, and Professor in South African College, 1841, born 22nd Jan. 1797, died 1875; Anne, born 25th May 1798 (marr. Alexander Kidd, D.D., min. of Moonzie); Wilhelmina, born 13th Jan. 1800, died 11th March 1803; Jane, born 4th March, and died 29th April 1801; Laurence, born 29th June 1802; John, born 29th July 1803; Robert Key, born 14th Oct. 1804, died at Kingston, Jamaica, 20th Dec. 1827; Margaret, born 2nd Nov. 1805; Mary Bruce, born 17th June 1807 (marr. 29th May 1811); James Young, Moonzie; Christina, born 29th Jan. 1809; Elizabeth, born 11th May 1811; Frederick, born 14th Oct. 1812, died 4th May 1813. Publications—*A Discourse on the Fiftieth Anniversary of His Majesty's Accession* (1806); *Abstract of a Discourse on the Public Thanksgiving* (Edinburgh, 1816); *Sermons* (1838). He edited *Sir Robert Smith's History of Fife and Kinross* (Cupar, 1803).

ADAM CAIRNS, born 30th Jan. 1802, **1837** son of Adam C., min. of Longforgan; educated at Longforgan School and Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Cupar 5th Oct. 1824; assistant at St Cuthbert's, Edinburgh; ord. to Manor 21st Aug. 1828; trans. to Dunbeg 3rd May 1833; pres. by William IV, 20th March, trans. and adm. 1st Sept. 1837. Joined the Free Church in 1843; min. of the Free Church, Cupar, 1843-53. On account of his health he went as a missionary to Gibraltar; D.D. St Andrews, 6th April 1853; dem. his charge and went to Australia; min. of Chalmers Church, Melbourne, 1853-73; Moderator of General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church of Victoria 1st Nov. 1859; first Principal of the Theological Hall of the Presbyterian Church of Victoria and Professor of Divinity 1865-73; died 30th Jan. 1881. He marr. 11th Feb. 1834, Jessie, died 26th Aug. 1906, daughter of Mr Ballingall, Ayton, and had issue Margaret, born 26th Aug. 1835; Elizabeth, born 25th Feb. 1837; Jessie, born 5th

Sept. 1840; Ebenezer, Adam, born 5th Jan. 1843. Publications—*Some Objections to Universal Homeoral Statehood and the Current Objections to a Particular and Efficient Attainment*, published two discourses, Cupar, 1844; *On the Original Obligation of the Sabbath*, being No. 1, Sermons on the Sabbath (Dundee, 1847); *The Social War* (Edinburgh, 1852); *Advent of Dunbeg New Stt.* (Aberdeen, ix. 1854); *LXIII. Two Church Palpitations*; *Philip's Longjewels*, 247-59; *Disruption Witness*, iii. 117-24; *Annals of the Disruption*, 572-6; *A Jubilee Hist. of Presbyterian Church of Victoria*, 78 &c seq., 301; *Fifty Years of Presbyterianism in Victoria* (portrait, 132.)

JAMES COCHRANE, born All. 1805, **1843** son of John C. and Catherine Anderson; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (1828); licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 28th April 1830; private secretary to Dr Thomas Chalmers and librarian to Theological Library, Univ. of Edinburgh; ord. to Second Charge 13th May 1832; pres. by Queen Victoria 3rd, trans. and adm. 18th Aug. 1843; D.D. (Edinburgh 1874); died 21st May 1877. He marr. 22nd Oct. 1841, Jane, died 3rd April 1850, daughter of James Church, Park House, Canonbie, and had issue—Henry John, born 2nd Jan. 1843, died 14th April 1850; Jane Margaret, born 28th Oct. 1844 (marr. William Little, Burnfoot, Langholm); Catherine Mary, born 27th Nov. 1846 (marr. Ernest William Peto Betts, Rector of Drayton, Bedfordshire, Bucks); Eleanor Christian, born 26th Jan. 1848 (marr. Henry M. Church, M.D., Edinburgh); James Church, Indian Civil Service, born 11th March 1850. Publications—*Manual of Devotion* (Edinburgh, 1836); *The Protestant's Manual* (Edinburgh, 1839); *The Works of H. Beeching, with a Life of the Author* (1836); *The Present State of the Church* (Cupar, 1843); *Mirror for Sabbath Schools and Communities' Companion*, The Work to Come (Edinburgh, 1847, 2nd Ed. 1852); *Discourses on Peculiar Texts of Scripture* (Edinburgh, 1848); *Companion to the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper* (Edinburgh, 1850); *Discourses on Difficult Texts*

SIR JOHN FRANCIS, M.A., D.D.,
of Fife, late Minister of the
Church of Scotland, died 17th April
1641. Transferred to Dept. of Lands
and Works, 1st Feb. 1641-2.

JOHN RICHARD SCULLAR, born
1670. Son of John Groat, M.A., Successor of
Kirkcaldy, Minister at Ruthbury Parish
School and Univer. of Glasgow, died 16th July
1670. Ordained May 1640, or 1641. Minister
Glasgow, 1642. Died 1660. Transferred 1662
3rd April 1662, died 21st July 1670. He married Ruthbury, 1st, Ann Murray, died 1621.
2nd, Isabella, only daughter of James McEwan,
Glasgow. Ruthbury and Elizab'th McIlroy
survived him. Educated at the M. Indus. College,
M.A. B.S. and the P.D. Nov. 1641. Ann
Murray, daughter of Alexander Murray, George
Frederick Chapman, & Harry, son of John
Groat, his name of Oliver, born 27th Sept. 1684.
Mary Hock, born 16th July 1686. Anne Black, born 16th April
1682.

ROBERT FRIZELLE, born Glasgow
1915. Died at Co. Tyrone, 27th Feb.
1871. Son of James Frizelle and Mary
Strachan, educated at Royal School,
Dundonald, B.A. Trinity College, Dublin
1871. Licensed 1st of Edinburgh
12th May 1870, ord. 16th May 1881. Minister of
Second Presbyterian Church, Donaghdy
trans. and diaconies, and Charlestown 21st
July 1891. Transferred 1st claim 11th Nov. 1903
Mar. 1904. Nov. 1913. Katherine Shee
Hoy, only daughter of William A. Hoy, man
of Sixth U.P. Church, Bathgate, and his
issue. Kirkcaldy, Jessie Hoy, born 19th
June 1913.

ANSON ROBERTSON CRAIK
WOOD, M.A., B.D., O.B.E., trans.
1621 from Stranraer, now constant at
St. Asaph, 1913.

SECOND CHARGE.

JOHN RUTHERFORD, M.A., died
1500 afterith and app'd by Pres. to the ch.
until further order March 1669. Trans-
ferred Kilkenny 21st July 1670.

ALEXANDER STRACHAN, born in
1560. Transferred to Creekfield 2nd
July 1610.

DAVID DALGLISH, M.A., app'd
1614 to the ch. 1st May 1614. Transf.
to First Ch. in 1632.

THOMAS ARNOT, M.A., died 1619
Nov. 1619. Transferred 11th Jan. 1662
1653. Transferred to First Ch. 1662.

WILLIAM WILSON, son of Andrew W.
of Elphir, Minister of Elphir, Fife
1665. Ord. Elphir, 1665. M.A. 1666. July
1672. Transf. Nov. 1672. Transferred by Pres.
Craik Kirkcaldy Aug. 1673. Transferred to the
Presbyterian of the Kirkcaldy, Fife, 1673.
1673. Ord. Elphir, 1673. Transferred to
Elphir, and minister of Elphir, Fife,
July. However, 3rd Dec. 1673, Margaret
Wemyss, Lady Darnley, 1st wife of David
Rutherford, Rector, Elphir, died 1673.
Alexander, son of Wemyss, died 1684.
Wemyss, son of David Rutherford, died
1684. David, 1684.

JAMES HOLLOWAY, died 31st July
1669. Transf. to First Ch. in 1662
Oct. 1662.

WILLIAM GREENLEES, M.A., died 1661
1661. Nov. 1661. Transferred 16th May 1662. Transf.
to First Ch. in 1662.

JAMES GREENLEES, M.A., St Andrews, died
July 1700. Licensed 1st July 1700. Kirk
of Dundee, 1700. Transferred 1701. Ord. 1701.
Minister of Dundee, 1701. Sept. 1701. Ord. 1701.
May 1722. Ord. 1722. However, 1st Oct.
1722. Major-General John Andre, of Princet.
ord. St. Leonard's Ch. in St Andrews.
Minister of Kirkcaldy, 1722. Ord. 1722. Jan.
Hodderwick, Kirkcaldy 1722. Nov. 1722.

GEOGE BOLES, M.A., died 27th
July 1717. Ord. 21st Feb. 1728.
Transferred to First Ch. and Jan. 1738.

JOHN BALLINGAL, curate of Fife,
M.A., St Andrews, 22nd Sept. 1729.
Licensed Presb. of Cupar 3rd Nov.
1729. Ord. 1730. Gilkes, 17th March 1729.
Ord. 17th March, presb. by Rev. C. C. Gould
in June, and adm. 26th Aug. 1738. died
22nd April 1758, ag. Fife, aged 58. He mar-

1st Nov. 1739; Jean, died 8th March 1759, daugh. of Lachlan McIntosh, D.D., min. of Errol, and had issue— Margaret, born 12th July 1742, died 31st March 1808; Euphemia, born 1st July 1744, died April 1753; Jean, born 20th Nov. 1745, died July 1746; James, born 28th Aug. 1747, died 19th April 1753; Lachlan, born 14th Jan. 1749; Elizabeth, born 26th July 1750, died 10th May 1752; Jean, born 14th Oct. 1752; Euphemia, born 26th Nov. 1755; Elizabeth, born 31st Oct. 1757.

SIR ROBERT PRESTON, Bart., M.A.: pres. from Arbirlot; pres. by George
1758 11, 30th June and adm. 9th Nov. 1758; trans. to First Charge 16th May 1775.

GEORGE CAMPBELL, pres. by George
1773 III, 29th Jan. and ord. (assistant and successor) 1st July 1773; trans. to First Charge 25th Oct. 1791.

LAURENCE ADAMSON, pres. by George III, 3rd Dec. 1791; ord. 8th May 1794; trans. to First Charge 16th May 1825.

JOHN BIRRELL, born Newburn 16th April 1788; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. Edinburgh, 24th Feb. 1814; sometime teacher in George Watson's Hospital and tutor in the family of James Horne, M.D., of Cowdenknowes, Earlston, Professor of Materia Medica, Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 29th Nov. 1815; ord. to Westeruther 23rd Sept. 1819; pres. by George IV, 18th Feb., trans. and adm. 28th Sept. 1825; elected Presbytery clerk 16th Dec. 1834; died suddenly at a meeting of Presbytery 1st Feb. 1842. He marr. 30th March 1826, Isabella, died 12th April 1866, aged 66, daugh. of John Turnbull of Abby St Bathans, and had issue— Margaret, born 9th Feb. 1827; John Turnbull, born 11th Dec. 1827, died 20th May 1846; Elizabeth, born 10th March 1829, died 18th Dec. 1847; George, born 29th Sept. 1830, died 24th July 1856; Jean, born 19th Jan. 1832 (marr. Captain Charles Dempster), perished with her husband and four sons at Cawnpore in the mutiny of 1857; Patrick Cochrane, born 30th Oct. 1833, died 4th Feb. 1835;

Alexander Christie, born 20th Aug. 1835, died 11th Feb. 1836; Isabella Turnbull, born 6th Feb. 1838; Anne Horne, born 11th Nov. 1839, died 27th March 1849; James Duncan, born 15th May 1842, posthumous, died 12th Aug. 1866. Publications—*A Discourse on the Causes of the Pestilence and its Remedy*, Cupar, 1832; Account of the Parish *Xen stat. Acc.*, ix.

JAMES COCHRANE, M.A.: pres. by Queen Victoria 5th Feb., and ord.
1842 13th May 1842; trans. to First Charge 18th Aug. 1843.

JAMES WORDIE, born 1799, third son of Thomas W. Denny; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; licen. in 1826; ord. to Scots Church, Kingston, Jamaica, 1826; pres. by Queen Victoria 3rd Nov. 1843; adm. to this charge 5th Jan. 1844; died 8th March 1862; D.D. He marr. 4th Dec. 1826, Mary Henderson (died 24th June 1880), and had issue— Mary Bow, born 21st Nov. 1827 (marr. 22nd April 1857, James Potter, Grahamston); James William, born 22nd Nov. 1830; Thomas Henderson, born 10th May 1835; John Cater, born 21st May 1837, died 30th March 1922; Henderson, born 12th July 1844; Christina Isabella Henderson, born 13th Aug. 1846 (marr. 18th July 1888, William S. Storie, chaplain, Barlinnie Prison, Glasgow); Margaret Ann Hill, born 15th April 1853.

WILLIAM LECKIE MACFARLAN,
1862 pres. by Queen Victoria 14th July, and trans. from Tongland 19th Oct. 1862; trans. to Lenzie 2nd July 1879.

THOMAS PEARSON, M.A., B.D.: trans. from Hurlford 7th Jan. 1880; trans. to Newhaven 13th Oct. 1887; died 26th July 1920.

DUNCAN DAVID FARQUHARSON
1888 MACDONALD, M.A.: ord. 12th April 1888; trans. to Swinton 6th Feb. 1892.

ROBERT FRIZELLE, B.A.: adm. 21st July 1892; trans. to First Charge 11th Nov. 1915.

ROBERT ALEXANDER, minister at Cupar 1616. The first son of Andrew Alexander, a native of Kirkcaldy, and Newbattle, and a member of the Faculty of Law, M.A., 1606. B.D. 1611. Called to the Kirk of Cupar 1st May 1616, and to that of St Andrews, Gowrie, 1620. Called to St Andrews Kirk from 1620 to 1625. Transferred to Cupar 11th May 1625. Minister till Sept. 1629. At that time he was called to Dundee. Steven, a widow, of Arbroath, now Kirkcaldy, 7th March 1629. Helen Campbell, born 18th Dec. 1615, Jane Ryburn, 1620, died 1666.

ST MARY'S.

WILLIAM ELDER, minister 1830, trans.
1839—died 27th Sept. 1843.

DAIRSHIE.

The church of Dairsie was built at St Mary's Kirk, and dedicated to the Trinity and St Andrew. The present church was built in 1611 by John Spottwood, Archdeacon of St Andrews. The building of one arch has survived. There was in the parish a chapel of St Edmund.

PETER RAMSAY, brother of Thomas Ramsay, minister of Kirkcaldy, died 1585. One of members of the Chapter of St Andrews prior to the Reformation, who died there 18th Jan. 1585/6, died in the place of Brechin 9th March 1586. [See *Edinburgh Writings*, v. 1.]

JAMES YULE, man in 1585, died before end Feb. 1611. He married 1st, Barbara, who survived him; 2nd, Robert, daughter of David, 6th Earl of Lennox. [See *Records of Dundee*, 6, 42, *Edinburgh Writings*, v. 1.]

JOHN Rutherford, formerly of Kellie, died probably 1611. VI 1611—22nd Feb., and again between 3rd April and 3rd May 1611, trans. to Montfeth in 1626.

DAVID BARCLAY of Tillydrone,
1630—son of John Barclay of Tillydrone
and Joanna, daughter of David Barclay of Colquhoun, Adam of Dally in 1599, trans.

to Maybole in 1606, died 1611, after 1630, buried 1st Feb. 1611. Known also as David of St Mary's, St Andrews, B.D. 1611. Called to the Kirk of Cupar 1st May 1616, and to that of St Andrews, Gowrie, 1620. Called to St Andrews Kirk from 1620 to 1625. Transferred to Cupar 11th May 1625. Minister till Sept. 1629. At that time he was called to Dundee. Steven, a widow, of Arbroath, now Kirkcaldy, 7th March 1629. Helen Campbell, born 18th Dec. 1615, Jane Ryburn, 1620, died 1666.

PATRICK SCOTT, M.A., died 1636, buried 1st April 1636, trans.
1639—died 27th March 1640.

DAVID RATTRAY, M.A., died 1646, Newbattle, 1646, trans. to Kirkcaldy
1646—died 1646.

GEORGE LATTERSON, M.A., died 1655—Arbroath, 1655. Known also as member of Cupar Kirk, 1655, and 1656, displaced by James Caw, 1656—Sept. 1656, transferred to the Kirk of Dundee, 1656. Died 1656. [See *Edinburgh Writings*, 1.]

ANDREW GLIDDELL, M.A., called by the Kirk of Dundee 1660, died April 1660—1661, 1st Mar. 1661, trans.
to Kirkcaldy 17th Oct. 1663.

WILLIAM KNOX, born about 1678,
1704—died 1st Sept. 1704. Known also as
Gifford, by his chapter of George, Earl of Montrose, called 1st July, and died 13th Dec. 1704, died 1st April 1704. He married 1st March 1701, Elizabeth, died 2nd Apr. 1703, daughter of John Bethune,
of Blidie, and had issue, John, sergeant, Haddington, bapt. 1st Feb. 1689, Alison, bapt. 13th Feb. 1701, Henry, merchant, Dunbar, bapt. 22d Dec. 1710, James,

min. of Scone, bapt. 13th April 1712; William, in-relation, Dunbar, bapt. 5th March 1713; George, physician, Richmond, Surrey, bapt. 8th Feb. 1716; Christian, bapt. 6th July 1718; Elizabeth, bapt. 23rd Sept. 1721, died young; Robert, bapt. 29th Feb. 1722, died young; David, bapt. 3rd Nov. 1723; Margaret, bapt. 7th Oct. 1725; Elizabeth, bapt. 15th Dec. 1727. [*George's Memoirs of the Life of King Charles II.*]

THOMAS CONDIE, licen. by Presb. 5th Oct. 1741; called 2nd Jan., and 1747 ord. 23rd Sept. 1747; died 28th June 1767, aged 50. He marr. 28th June 1734, Mary Oswald, who died 6th Aug. 1769.

GEORGE HENDERSON, born 1741; 1768 pres. by Charles, Earl of Elgin, Dec. 1767; ord. 12th May 1768; died 11th July 1771. He marr. 25th Oct. 1770, Christian, daugh. of Thomas Wilson of Trinity (who marr. 2d 15th March 1774, John Stocks, brewer, Kinghorn), and had issue—George, born 27th Aug. 1771.

ROBERT McCULLOCH, born 21st July 1740, only child of William McCulloch, min. of Cambuslang; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 15th Nov. 1768; pres. by tutors of Thomas, Earl of Elgin, in 1771; ord. 7th May 1772; D.D. St Andrews, 7th Sept. 1811; died 2nd Sept. 1824. "For twelve years previous to his decease, he had his coffin prepared that he might not be forgetful of his latter end." He marr. 18th June 1772, Janet (died 28th Nov. 1811), daugh. of John Campbell, writer, Maybole, and had issue—William, of East India House, London, born 15th June 1773; Janet, born 31st March 1776 (marr. 7th July 1801, Robert Coutts, min. of Brechin); John, licentiate, born 4th Oct. 1777, died 13th July 1801; Robert, born 17th Oct. 1779, died in 1816; Jane, died 28th Nov. 1811. Publications: *The Established Church of Scotland Vindicated*, a sermon (Glasgow, 1776); *Lectures on the Prophecies of Isaiah*, 4 vols. (London, 1791); Edinburgh, 1804); *Sermons Preached on Interesting Subjects*,

2 vols. (Edinburgh, 1803-6); *Account of the Parish* (Sinclair's *Stat. Agric.* iii.).

ALEXANDER MACARTHUR, born 1778, eldest son of John MacArthur, schoolmaster, Inishail; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Selkirk 2nd April 1805; became tutor in the family of Thomas, Earl of Elgin, ord. to Row 24th Sept. 1812; pres. by Thomas, Earl of Elgin, in Jan.; trans. and admn. 22nd April 1825; died 11th Feb. 1841. He marr. 10th Jan. 1838, Isabella (died 28th Aug. 1870), youngest daugh. of John Allison, St Andrews.

ANGUS MACKINTOSH MACGILLIVRAY, born at Achness Manse, 1841—5th Jan. 1865, son of Duncan Macmillan, of Lairg; educated at Univs. of Aberdeen and Glasgow; became schoolmaster of Golspie; licen. by Presb. of Dornoch 27th Nov. 1827; ord. to Strathy 25th Sept. 1828; trans. and admn. 10th Sept. 1841. Joined the Free Church in 1843; min. of Dairsie Free Church, 1843-73; died 5th Dec. 1873. He marr. 29th Dec. 1861, Emma Mackenzie (died 30th Nov. 1881), daugh. of William Christie, banker, Dundee, and Agnes Hamilton, daugh. of James Burn, min. of Forgan, and had issue—Agnes, born 10th Feb. 1863 (marr. Colonel Garforth Tottie of Coniston Hall, Yorkshire); Duncan, solicitor, Edinburgh, born 15th July 1864, died 26th April 1924; Jean Gordon of Highlands, Co. Down, born 10th Sept. 1866; Emma Augustina, born 4th Feb. 1869, died May 1875. Publications: *The Perpetuity of the Sabbath connected with the Change of the Day*, sermons on the Sabbath (Dundee, 1847); *Account of Dairsie* (New Stat. Acc. ix.); *Sermon LXXXVII. (Free Church Pulpit, iii.)*; *Recruit of Religion in the Highlands*.

JOHN STEWART, assistant at St Andrew's Church, Dundee; ord. 1844 15th March 1844; died 8th June 1850. [Mr Stewart, about a year after induction, was unable from ill health to perform his duties, and these were discharged by John Burns and afterwards by Patrick Gilchrist.]

JOHN DAIRSI DUNBOG, born at Catterline, 1650; M.D., of the University of Edinburgh, 1675; son of John Dunbog, Factor to Earl Marischal of Huntly. He was educated at King's School, Canterbury, and at Pembroke College, Cambridge. He was a Fellow of the Royal Society, and a Corresponding Member of the Royal Society of London, 1687; a Fellow of the Royal Society of Edinburgh, 1703; and a Fellow of the Royal Society of Paris, 1704. He was a member of the Society of Friends, and a Nonconformist. He was a man of much learning, and had a good knowledge of French, Latin, and Greek. He died at his residence in Edinburgh, 1704, aged 54.

SIR ROBERT DUNBOGH of Kinkell, educated at the University of St. Andrews, and at the University of Edinburgh, 1681; M.A., Master of St. John's College, and A.V. Chancellor of Univ. of Cambridge, 1690; M.A., 1691; died 29th July 1699. Sir James George, K.C.LL, was his postulant. He was a member of the Middle Temple, upon admission dated and published after Sir Robert's death. Sir Robert's will, dated 1698, left £100 to the University of Edinburgh, and £100 to the University of St. Andrews.

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The Book of Deaths, 1692.

ROBERT WRIGHT, born Walls, 1801; died 1823, son of James Wright, minister, and Janet Wright, educated at Univ. of Edinburgh, taught at the Free Church, Davidon's Mans, mississary at West St. Giles' Parish and Grassmarket Mission, licensed by Presby. of Edinburgh, 1800; by Captain Macmillan of Sandyside, 1st 16th July 1801, died 2nd Feb. 1800. He married 3rd Aug. 1876, Margaret, eldest daughter of William Anderson, min. of Walls, &c.

DAVID GRAHAM WEBSTER, born Helensburgh, 10th July 1833, son of Robert W. and Mary Graham Webster, &c. &c. educated at Leighton School and Univ. of Glasgow, M.A. 1854, B.D. 1857, a Black Fellowhip, 1857-8, licen. by Bishop of Dumbarton 1st Feb. 1858,

ordained at Blairgowrie, 13th Sept. 1858.

DUNBOG.

The Laird of Dunbog belonged to the Argyll of Ardchattan. In this parish lived the Cistercian Friars of Culross, and of Balmerino.

WILLIAM THOMSON, pres. 1774-5,
1574, died 1st March 1680, and
24th May 1687. *Rec. Hist. Churc.*
R. of Doct., xviii., 37. *Rec. M. of Scot.*
v., 314.

ROBERT LATERSON, man. of Flock,
1597, died at Lark, here, 1676. *Rec. of Doct., xxv., 296.*

PETER WATSON, man. 3rd March
1588. *Rec. of Doct., 17.*

THOMAS BAXTER of Balmerino
1594, son of David Burgess of Cupar,
and of the University of St. Andrews.
M.A. 1581, admitted Crichton 1581 with
this parish also in his charter, received
here about 1594, died before 7th Sept.
1641, and buried so. He married Jean
Perry, and had issue: David, Burgess of
Cupar; Beatrix, marr. George Fleming,
yeoman, in Kildrummy; Elizabeth, marr.
David Elystan in Lathkill; Margaret
Rec. Soc. S. J. *Rec. M. of Scot.* vi., 217;
viii., 214; *Rec. S. J.*, xii., 274; *Rec. of
Doct., com. 491, 6.* *Rec. S. J.*, xxvi., 323.

WILLIAM LIVINGSTONE,
M.A., pres. by Charles I., 7th
Sept. 1641, trans. to Falkland 25th
Dec. 1645.

JOHN MACKILL, M.A., adm. in
1646, trans. to Cupar 13th Dec.
1654.

WILLIAM TULLIDEE, M.A., called
1657, 5th March, and adm. 30th July 1657,
deprived by Act of Parliament 11th
June, and Decree of Privy Council 1st
Oct. 1662 [afterwards min. at Kilturnie].

ALEXANDER MARTIN, M.A., 68
1664 Andrews, 1639; pres. by Charles II,
 16th June 1663; adm. about Candle-
 mass in 1634; died Sept. 1665, aged about
 55. [Reg. Soc. Sct.; Lamont's *Dury*,
 169, 183.]

ALEXANDER AUCHENECK,
1666 second son of Andrew A., min. of
 Dundee; educated at Univ. of St
 Andrews; M.A. 11th July 1666; passed
 trials before the Presb. there, and re-
 commended 28th June 1665 for licenct;
 adm. 13th Sept. 1666; deprived by Privy
 Council 13th Sept. 1680, for not reading
 the Proclamation of the Estates, etc.;
 died Oct. 1711. He marr. the heiress
 of Cinnochie, and had issue Alexander
 of Cinnochie. Publication *A Sermon
 prentis on the 30th Jun. 1703. At
 Cupe of Fife.* [Lamont's *Dury*, 102; *St
 Andrews Test.*; *Brechin Test.*; *Sermons
 of Mrs. Sibbald's Fife.*]

GEORGE ANDERSON (*primus*), son
1698 of James A., meal dealer, Dundee;
 educated at Univ. of Glasgow; M.A.
 1682; adm. to Second Charge, Dundee,
 prior to 2nd Nov. 1690; trans. to Logic
 before 5th April 1691; called 17th Jan.
 trans. and adm. 12th July 1698. He
 marr. and had issue George, his successor.

GEORGE ANDERSON (*secundus*), son
1716 of preceding; educated at Univ. of
 St Andrews; M.A. (7th May 1705);
 licen. by Presb. of Cupar 27th Feb. 1711;
 calle 8th June, and ord. (assistant and
 successor) 19th Oct. 1713; died 22nd April
 1746, aged about 58. He marr. 13th Nov.
 1716, Marion, daugh. of George Campbell,
 Professor of Divinity, Edinburgh, who sur-
 vived him, and had issue George; James;
 William; Agnes, died young; Mary; May;
 Margaret, born 28th Nov. 1731; Rosina,
 born 29th May 1733; Jean, born 15th Sept.
 1736. [*St Andrews Test.*]

JAMES BRUCE, born 21st Nov. 1714,
1748 son of Robert B. of Grangeghill, and
 Margaret Shaw; educated at Univ.
 of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Kirk-
 caldy 17th Dec. 1711; pres. by George II,
 10th July 1746 (settlement was delayed

owing to opposition, but ordered by
 Assembly 13th May 1747); ord. 2nd March
 1748; died 5th July 1795. He marr. 26th
 Aug. 1758, Elizabeth Inglis, who died 7th
 Nov. 1769.

JAMES KEYDEN, born 16th Oct.
1794 licen. by Presb. of Cupar
 25th July 1786; pres. by George
 III, in Jan., and ord. (assistant and suc-
 cessor) 6th March 1794; died 26th Sept.
 1832. He marr. 30th April 1784, Margaret,
 daugh. of Robert Johnston of Overton, and
 had issue James, min. of Fettercairn, born
 11th Oct. 1785; John Belsches of Pitton,
 licentiate, born 11th March 1791, died 3rd
 May 1837. [Reg. of Deeds, dlxxi, 639.]

ADAM CAIRNS, trans. from Moray;
1833 pres. by William IV, in Feb., and
 adm. 3rd May 1833; trans. to First
 Charge, Cupar, 1st Sept. 1837.

JOHN MURRAY, born Cademuir,
 Manor, Peeblesshire, 1808, son of
1838 William M., and Margaret Charles;
 educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by
 Presb. of Peebles 28th March 1832; ord. to
 Milton of Balgonie 26th Oct. 1837; pres.
 by Queen Victoria 7th Nov. 1837; trans.
 and adm. 11th May 1838. Joined the Free
 Church in 1843; min. of Abdie and New-
 burgh Free Church, 1843-82; died 29th
 April 1882. He marr. 3rd April 1861,
 Mary Ann (died 26th Sept. 1907), daugh.
 of John Pitcairn of Kinnaird.

JOHN GILCHRIST, pres. by Queen
1843 Victoria 17th July, trans. from
 Orwell 21st Sept. 1843; trans. to
 Clackmannan 7th Aug. 1862.

JAMES PITT EDGAR, born Eccles,
1863 Berwickshire, 1826, son of Mark E.,
 farmer, and Jessie Heriot; educated at
 Peebles School (his parents having
 removed to Glenormiston), and Univ. of
 Edinburgh; assistant at Old Greyfriars,
 Edinburgh; ord. to Low Meeting, Berwick-
 upon-Tweed in 1850; pres. by Queen
 Victoria 29th Sept. 1862; trans. and adm.
 10th July 1863; died at Nethy Bridge 29th
 Aug. 1896. His appointment to Dunbog
 was contested with great bitterness and

the first half of the 17th century the parish was under the jurisdiction of the Bishop of Edinburgh, who had the right of presentation to the church. In 1650 the church was endowed with £100 per annum, and the vicarage of Falkland was established. The church was built by the Earl of Lennox, and the vicarage by the Earl of Haddington. The church was very poor, and the vicar was uneducated. The Earl of Lennox was a zealous royalist, and he was well known in the parish for his strict adherence to the episcopal service, for his strict observance of the shattering of the communion bread, and for his weekly communion which he held with his head whistled. By kindly way, and the exertions of the Earl of Lennox, funds were collected for the repair of the church, and a new altar was erected in the parish church. He was succeeded in his ecclesiastical functions by Robert Bruce, son of Sir Martin Bruce, a yeoman of the Royal Guard, and Margaret, daughter of Sir John Lovell, of Chaworth.

WILLIAM MIDDLETON TOCHER,
1669—born Brodick, H. L., Barc, 29th Nov. 1636; son of Andrew T. Barc, and Mary, daughter of Robert, High Sheriff of Argyll, and Lucy, of St Andrews, Mar. 1637; B.D. 1656; licensed by Presb. of Argyll, May 1660; assistant at St Mary's, Dumfries, and at the parish school 16th Dec. 1660; Mar. 16th April 1661; Mary, widow of son of many 12th Dec. 1663; daughter of Rear Admiral Maitland of Linlathen.

FALKLAND, or OLD KILGOUR.

The church of Falkland belonged to the Priory of St Andrews. In it there was an altar of St Ninian. A place of worship in the parish was known as the Chapel of Our Lady on the Hill. Near the manse are Our Lady's Well and St John's Well. Both are springs, and which of old belonged to the Order of the Knights of the Temple. A fair of St. Agnes was held at Falkland.

David Dunbar Ruthven, elder son of Bishop III, was appointed to the Office of Falkland, and then to the priory of Falkland. He carried out the works of restoration and fortification. Not long after the Duke gave to the Duke of Albany his lands and property, and he was at that time the most powerful of James II's favourites, and was created Earl of Falkland. He sent the wife of Ruthven to him, and she became the Duchess of Albany. In 1646, Marquess of Angus, the exiled Queen of Henry VII, Elizabeth, and her son Edward, Duke of Warwick, were the guests of James IV. It was at Falkland that the Queen of France entertained in 1497, Ferdi. Montr. King French, prior to his post as Cardinal Duke of York, brother of Edward V. June 1611, a vessel laden with the queen was found at Falkland. When Charles I came back to Scotland he made Falkland his chief hunting-ground, and it was here that he met the Duke of Lauderdale. It was in his reign that a great part of the castle structure was pulled down.

ALEXANDER MURE, canon of the Chapter of St Andrews prior to 1585—Reformation canon, 1585; adm. to Lathesk in 1595; exhorter to Lathesk in 1597; removed to Strathmiglo, c. 1598.

WILLIAM BRAIDFUTE, adm. to 1587, 1597—pres. to Strathmiglo, 27th Jan. 1592.

WILLIAM BRAND, adm. to 15th July 1584 when he was deposed to appear before the Lands of Council and Session. [See *Archib. Douglas, 1st of the Chart. of Sess.*, 34.]

JAMES PITCAIRN, canon of St Andrews 1589—Andrew P. of Internethy, and Janet Chalmers, adm. to Strathmiglo in 1585; trans. to Lathesk in 1588; trans. and adm. in 1590; pres. to the vicarage by James VI, before 10th Nov. 1595; incurred the royal displeasure, and was committed to his parish for taking part in the admission of a minister to Strathmiglo without the

Archbishop's authority in 1641; adm. before 26th Aug. 1623. [Rep. Ass'ts.]

WILLIAM SCHETHOIS, M.A. (81) Andrews 1619; pres. by James VI. 1624; 26th Aug. 1623; dep. 7th Oct. 1630 for drunkenness. He marr'd and had issue Robert. [Rep. Ass'ts. G. R. H. 1624, lxxvi, 26th Oct. 1635.]

WILLIAM BARCLAY, son of William Barclay of St Andrews; educated at Univ. there; M.A. 1623; pres. by Charles I. 13th Oct. 1635; dep. 8th Jan. 1635 for malignancy in supporting Montrose. He resided thereafter in St Andrews, and on a charge in the government reported a sermon of Mr Blair's to Archbishop Sharp; had a gift of the vacant stipend of Luncarty allowed him by Parliament 30th May 1631; accompanied Sharp on his consecration to St Andrews 16th April 1662; was readm. 27th Sept. 1663; died between 26th Nov. 1672 and 29th March 1673. He marr'd (1), and had issue John, min. of Kettle; (2) cont. 19th Dec. 1640; Annas, daugh. of John Arnot of Friarton, and had issue David, min. of Strathmiglo; Elizabeth (marr. William Oliphant of Provost Mains). [Inq. R. U. 1357; Edin. 84s., 3rd April 1700; Acts and Dec. Dal., 25th July 1634.]

WILLIAM LIVINGSTONE, M.A.; trans. from Dunbeg; called 13th 1645 Oct., and adm. 25th Dec. 1645; pres. by Charles I. 7th March 1646; trans. to Burntisland 10th Sept. 1663.

WILLIAM BARCLAY, M.A.; above 1683 mentioned.

JOHN HAY of Wester Condland, son of George H. of Naughton; promoted 1673 from being regent in St Leonard's College, St Andrews; adm. 11th Sept. 1673; D.D. St Andrews, 27th Sept. 1683; dep. by Privy Council 15th Aug. 1689 for not reading the Proclamation of the Estates. He acquired the estate of Wester Condland; was prohibited by the Privy Council from exercising any clerical function under a severe penalty in Dec. 1692; was alive in 1709. He marr.

Margaret Lundie. Publications: *Sixty-Six Reasons against the Presbyterian Treaty with Papists* (Edinburgh, 1703); *Inquiry into Pastors* (Edinburgh, 1703); *Sixty-Six Reasons* (Edinburgh, 1703); *The Stone Returns* (Edinburgh, 1703); Campbell's *Balmoral*, 51s.; *U. S. 1818*, viii, 444.]

HENRY HAMILTON, M.A.; called in 1690; removed to Currie in 1691.

JOHN FORREST, M.A.; trans. from Tulliallan; called unanimously and adm. 7th April 1691; trans. to Prestonkirk 14th April 1692.

WILLIAM SELKIRIGG [SEL CRAIG, SELKIRK], M.A. Glasgow 1662; adm. to Roberton, Lanarkshire, after 16th Aug. 1663; trans. to Glenholm in 1679; adm. in 1690, having signed the Confession of Faith and Larger and Shorter Catechisms, was received into communion 29th Jan. 1692 by the Assembly; called unanimously; adm. 21st Sept. 1692; died Aug. 1701, aged about 60. He marr'd Rachel Purdie, and had issue William, writer, Edinburgh; Elizabeth; Henrietta (marr. 22nd Feb. 1711, Roger Robertson, bookbinder, Edinburgh); Janet (marr. 25th Aug. 1714, Andrew Waddell, merchant, Edinburgh); Rachel (marr. George Browne, merchant, Edinburgh). [St Andrews Tests, Acts and Dec. Dal., 16th July 1663; Edin. Mar. Rep.; Services of Heirs.]

ALEXANDER ANDERSON, M.A.; trans. from Kemback; called 25th 1702 March, and adm. 13th May 1702; trans. to St Andrews 14th April 1725.

ALEXANDER STODDART, M.A. (81) Andrews, 22nd April 1712; ord. to Dunkeld 5th Feb. 1719, called 24th May, and adm. 18th Aug. 1720; took an active part in the disputed settlement at Auchtermuchty in 1733, and was cited before the Court of Session for proceeding in face of its interdict; died 28th Sept. 1745, aged about 54. He marr'd 22nd Jan. 1735, Barbara (died 4th March 1770), third daugh. of the Hon. James Melville of Balgony, and had issue Mary; James, born 22nd Feb. 1737; Elizabeth.

GEORGE SIMMONS, born 1806
 1747 son of Dr. George Simmons,
 F.R.S., M.A., F.R.C.P., M.R.C.P. of London.
 Jan. 1750, H. C. and son of Dr. George
 Simmons, F.R.S., M.A., F.R.C.P., M.R.C.P. of
 London, died July 1814.

THOMAS SPINKER, born 1738, died
 1770 son of George Spinker, of Newgate,
 May 21, and George III, of Mayfield,
 April 28, 1738, died June 28, 1750.
 He married 1st Mrs. Mary, daughter of
 Dr. Thomas Shadwell, May 21, 1749.
 He married 2nd Mrs. Mary, daughter of
 Rev. Mr. St. John, of Rye, Aug. 1750.
 Died at Newgate, 3rd May 1770, buried
 at St. Michael's, Newgate, May 4, 1770.
 John, son of 2d wife, was born Nov.
 17th Sept. 1753; married the Hon. Maria
 1776, died Sept. 27, 1786, buried July 1,

ANDREW BROWN, D.D., presby.
 1781 Mrs. Rachel Thomson, of Newgate,
 with consent of her husband, New
 1783, April 1st, died Oct. 1843, buried
 Tranent, Feb. April 1842.

GEORGE BUST, presby. Alexander
 Thompson of Bishopbriggs, M.D., died
 1802 July 1, and on 29th Sept. 1802
 buried to St. Peter's Church, St Andrews,
 Sept. 1813.

WILLIAM THOMSON, dined 1813
 Univ. of St. Andrews, 1813, 1819
 1814 Presy. of St. Andrews, 1819, 1821
 1821 Presy. of Edinburgh, 1822, 1823
 presy. by Mr. Simond, of Newgate, with
 consent of his friends, Dec. 1823, 1824
 1825 May 1824, and again 1840. He
 married 5th April 1824. Lived at the New
 Inn, and on 29th Oct. 1843, died
 his address: "Anstruther, Fife," 1840, or
 John Crawford, min. of Cranstoun, Ayrshire.

GEORGE SMEATON, born 1803, died
 Berwick, Mar. 9th April 1843, aged 40.
 1840 nephew of John Smeaton, engineer,
 educated at Univ. of Edinburgh, where
 he committed to memory every word in
 a great old Greek Lexicon, and was a
 favourite student of Dr. Chalmers, LL.D.,
 by Presb. Edinburgh, 29th March 1843, his
 missionary companion North British and
 Moravian, 14th March 1829, presby. by

Henry Bowes, of Falkland, Presby. by
 1st his predecessor, 1829. His children
 1. Rev. Mr. Charles Fletcher, Pres. Edinburgh
 1843, 3d presy. Presby. of Hawick, 1843, and
 2d Hawick, 1848, Pres. Pres. Edinburgh
 1850, Pres. Hawick 1853, Pres. Edinburgh
 1854, and 2nd Hawick 1854, Pres.
 Hawick, 1857, Newgate, July 1857.
 2. Rev. Mr. W. J. Bowes, Pres. Pres.
 of Hawick, 1859, Pres. Pres. Edinburgh
 1863, Pres. Pres. Edinburgh 1865.
 3. Rev. Mr. W. J. Bowes, Pres.
 Pres. Pres. Edinburgh 1865.
 4. Rev. Mr. W. J. Bowes, Pres.
 Pres. Pres. Edinburgh 1865.
 5. Rev. Mr. W. J. Bowes, Pres.
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 6. Rev. Mr. W. J. Bowes, Pres.
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 7. Rev. Mr. W. J. Bowes, Pres.
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 8. Rev. Mr. W. J. Bowes, Pres.
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 9. Rev. Mr. W. J. Bowes, Pres.
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 10. Rev. Mr. W. J. Bowes, Pres.
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 14. Rev. Mr. W. J. Bowes, Pres.
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 15. Rev. Mr. W. J. Bowes, Pres.
 Pres. Pres. Edinburgh 1865.
 16. Rev. Mr. W. J. Bowes, Pres.
 Pres. Pres. Edinburgh 1865.
 17. Rev. Mr. W. J. Bowes, Pres.
 Pres. Pres. Edinburgh 1865.

ANDREW WILSON, ord. the 8th
 1843, trans. to Fife by Apr. 1st
 1843, Aug. 1842.

ROBERT CHARLES HENRY MAC-
 DUFF, ord. 14th March 1813, trans.
 1833 to Kirkcaldy July 1833.

JOHN BARRACK, born Jarrow,
 1807, son of William Barrack and Ann
 Hunter, educated at O.U. Aberdeen
 Grammar School and Univ. of Aberdeen
 M.A. 1847, died to Cleckheaton 29th Jan.
 1873, presy. by Mrs. Tyndall, Pres. et al.

and adm. 3rd Jan. 1867; died in London, 17th Dec. 1903. He marr. 30th Jan. 1872, Margaret Jane, only daugh. of James Dunn, farmer, Kincraigie, Lumpphanan, and Janet Petrie, and had issue Ann, born 3rd Nov. 1872 marr. to James William, born 30th Oct. 1874, killed by Chinese pirates.

ALEXANDER LYON JOHNSTON, born Selkirk, 18th March 1862, son 1898 of John J. and Janet Lyon; educated at Dollar Academy and Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Selkirk 13th April 1892; assistant at Cambusnethan; ord. assistant and successor 30th June 1898; died 22nd Oct. 1911. He marr. 23rd Jan. 1900, Anne Smith, daugh. of John Currie, Wishaw, and Jane Thom. Publication—*Selected Sermons* (private circulation [1912]).

JAMES KEDDIE RUSSELL, born Glendevon, 8th March 1884, son 1912 of Walter Nicol R., schoolmaster, Glendevon, and Elizabeth Sarah Smith Keddie; educated at Dollar Academy and Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1904); B.D. (1907); licen. by Presb. of Auchterarder 5th May 1908; assistant at Peebles and Hamilton; ord. 16th April 1912; Chaplain to the Forces. Marr. 29th Oct. 1919, Dolina, nursing sister, T.F., 1st General Hospital, Aberdeen, daugh. of Neil MacInnes and Mary Mackinnon.

FLISK.

[The church of Flisk was dedicated to St Adrian. There was a chapel in the parish at Glenduckie, probably dedicated to St Duthac.]

ROBERT PATERSON, one of those 1564 whom the first General Assembly 29th Dec. 1560 thought most qualified for ministering and teaching, was min. here 10th Feb. 1564-5; had Dunbog and Creich also in his charge in 1567; pres. to vicarage of Creich by James VI, 21st Oct. 1570; and to that of Dunbog 2nd Sept. 1570; died March 1574. He marr. Margaret Geddes, who survived him, and had issue Steven; Robert; John; Isobel;

Margaret, Katherine. [*Edin. Testes.*; *Reg. Mgr. Sig.*, iv., 2666; *Life Sheriff Court Book*, 12th Jan. 1574-7, 31st May 1576, 22nd June 1577.]

JOHN DURHAM, min. in 1576; trans. 1578 to Monikie before 1585.

PETER WATSON, a member of the 1585 Chapter of St Andrews previous to the Reformation; min. of Ballintegy in 1564; trans. to Markinch before 18th Jan. 1565-6; trans. to Dumfries in 1574; complained that the town there on Yule 1575, as neither he or the reader would officiate, had brought in a reader of their own, "with tabron and whissle" and had caused him to read prayers; was charged with celebrating a private marriage of the laird of Gairies and ordered by the Assembly, Oct. 1577, to confess his fault in the church of Durisdeer in presence of the congregation; trans. and adm. in 1585; died 17th Jan. 1585. He marr. Christian Stanhouse, who survived him, and had issue—John, min. of Kirkton; William, min. of St Giles, Edinburgh; George; Janet; Margaret; Elizabeth. [*Reg. Assig.*; *Edin. Testes.*; *Acts and Dec.*, I, 299; *Prov. Register House*.]

PATRICK THOMSON, coll. prior to 1587; still min. in 1589. [*Book of the Kirk*.]

JOHN WEMYSS, pres. by Andrew, Earl of Rothes, 6th, inst. after 17th 1590 Sept., and coll. 1st Oct. 1590; probably became min. of Kilbucho in 1597.

ALEXANDER SCROGGIE, educated at Univ. of St Andrews; became 1594 min. of Abdie in 1585; trans. and adm. in 1594; died 14th Jan. 1607. He marr. Grisell Learmonth, who survived him, and had issue—Robert; Andrew; Margaret; Elspeth; Janet; Isobel. [*Reg. Assig.*; *Edin. Testes*.]

JOHN MAKGILL, born 1583, son of James M. of Rankeilleur and Jean 1609 Wemyss; min. in 1609; died 22nd March 1659. He marr. Euphame Inglis, and had issue—Alexander; John; James,

burgh} *Initation Address* (Cupar, 1833); *Considerations for the Considerate*; "Our Freeman in our Country with the Church presently Established" (Cupar, 1843); *Hints for the Considerate* (Cupar, 1844); *What Shall be the End of these Theories?* [An Enquiry as to the probable Results of the Disruption]; *A Word for the Way*; *Hints for Travelling Theists*; *Mr Pitt's Labour is Finally a Disaster to Scotland*; *The Young Household*; *Tenets on Piety*; *A Book of Memory* (George Walker of Riskiehill); *Pain Persuasives for the Peasant*, or *Something for the Ploughman*; *Sermon III.*; "On the Sabbath" (Dundee, 1847); *Saintuary Service* (Birmingham, 1847); *A Month's Visit to Comrie and its Mission Stations* (Edinburgh, 1849); *Biographical Notices of the Rev. William Taylor of Perth* (Cupar-Fife, 1852); *Memoir of David Murdoch Mackay Crichton of Rankinlour* (Edinburgh, 1853); *In a Country Manse*; *Reminiscences of Life and Work* (London, 1860); *Historical Antiquities of Fife*, chiefly Ecclesiastical, 2 vols. (Cupar, n.d.); *An Historic Plot for Ecclesiastical and Educational Party*; *The Broad School*; *The Religion of Scotland, the Religion of the Bible, and of Sanctified Conscience*; *Thoughts for Church Attenders and for Church Neophytes*; *The Establishment Principle demanding Disestablishment in Scotland*; *Boys and Girls at Play in the Streets of Jerusalem*; Contributions to the *Scottish Christian Herald*, *Free Church Records*; [Scott's Original Session Church, 514.]

ROBERT FINDLAY FISHER, born 1809, son of John F., spinner and manufacturer, and Helen Henderson; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; ord. 28th Sept. 1833; died 20th June 1855. He marr. Catherine (died 23rd Dec. 1852), daugh. of James McLaren, and had issue —Jane, born 20th Feb. 1844; John, calendar manager, Dundee, born 12th Jan. 1846; Helen Henderson, born 17th Aug. 1847; Margaret, born 26th July 1849; James McLaren, born 3rd April 1851; Catherine McLaren, born 22nd Dec. 1852.

GEORGE JOHNSTON, born Letham, 1803—3rd April 1833, son of George J., M.D., and Agnes Johnston, educated at Madras College and Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. 1827; licen. by Presb. of Cupar 15th Oct. 1827; assistant at Kirkcaldy, Collessie, Fossoway, and Mortlach; ord. 13th May 1830; died 15th May 1833. He marr. 16th Dec. 1830, Agnes Madeline Lawrie, eldest daugh. of John Sharp, Leiston, East Lothian, and Jessie Wallace Johnston. Publication: *Memoir of John Nasmyth [min. of Cupar], Selections from his Writings* (Edinburgh, 1895).

CHARLES ROBB MCMURRAY, born 1808—Greenock, 14th Aug. 1873, son of James M., and Margaret Mathers; educated at Greenock Academy and Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Greenock in 1831; assistant at Port Glasgow, Tullynessle, Lerwick, Coatbridge, and Alexandria; ord. to Wormit 5th Dec. 1863; trans. and adm. 23rd Sept. 1868. Marr. 6th Aug. 1874, Catherine Manson, daugh. of John Hardie and Elizabeth McGuire, and has issue: Charles Robb, apprentice paper manufacturer, A.S.C.; James, student, Dundee, R.A.F., born 16th July 1890; John, apprentice engineer, R.A.F., born 6th Sept. 1891; Catherine Margaret, student of music, Dundee, born 5th Jan. 1893; Robert, apprentice engineer, born 26th Aug. 1894.

FREUCHIE (Q.S.)

[The church was opened for worship 15th Oct. 1876. The parish of Freuchie was disjoined from Falkland on 15th March 1850. This remained long a moorland neighbourhood. Hence comes its name, *Freuchie* (*Frenchie*—heathery).]

CHARLES FRASER, born Grey, 29th Aug. 1839, son of John F.; educated at Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A. 1870; licen. by Presb. of Nairn 16th May 1869; assistant at Forfar; ord. 21st Feb. 1877; adm. first min. of the parish 30th March 1880; died 13th Oct. 1914. He marr. 29th Dec. 1880, Janet Balfour, daugh. of

Alexander Macmillan, born 1874, died 1st July 1928, M.A., LL.B., M.R.C.P., died 1st March 1941, son of Alexander Macmillan, M.A., 1899, born by Rev. Dr. John Macmillan, 19th April 1843, a member of House of Bishops May 1916, translated to Kirkcaldy Diocese 1897, Ordained 1898, Mar. 19th July 1901, Alice Victoria, daughter of George Lockhart, C.A., died 1918, and Jessie Emily, Lady Lockhart, wife of William Lockhart, Oct. 1917. Married Mary Wilson, 1st March 1921.

ROBERT WILSON FORTESCUE,
1915—Archdeacon of Ross, 1915–1916,
born 1885, son of Robert Fortescue
of St. Margaret's, Roxburghshire,
clergyman, 1870, of A. & T. Fortescue, M.A.,
1910, born by Rev. Dr. John Macmillan,
19th April 1843, a member of House of Bishops
May 1916, translated to Kirkcaldy Diocese
1897, Ordained 1898, Mar. 19th July 1901,
Alice Victoria, daughter of
George Lockhart, C.A., died 1918, and
Jessie Emily, Lady Lockhart, wife of William
Lockhart, Oct. 1917. Married Mary Wilson, 1st
March 1921.

DONALD MACASKILL BEGGIE,
1916—born Edinburgh, 19th Dec. 1881,
son of David Begbie, M.A., May
1916, B.A., M.A., 1917, of the Church of
Scotland Normal School and University
of Edinburgh, licensed by Free Church Presbytery
of Edinburgh, 19th May 1913, and to the Free
Church, Edinburgh, 19th Sept. 1913, translated
as joint 19th Sept. 1917, pres. and diaconal
19th April 1919, licensed 19th June 1920, 23rd
Nov. 1921, Mar. 3rd April 1924.
Marryed older daughter of William Suttie
Lockhart, of Larkhall, and his wife
George Heath, born 7th Nov. 1920. Daughter
William Davie, born 19th May 1922.

WILLIAM GEMMELL MITCHELL,
1922—son of Robert Gemmell, M.A., born
1900, minister at Ardencaple, Gemmell
Jopp, director of Royal High School,
Brighton, Junior Student Centre, and
Univ. of Edinburgh, M.A., July 1915,
born by Rev. Dr. Ed. J. Judd, 26th Jan.
1900, a member of St. Michael's, Edinburgh,
Sept. 1920 to March 1922, ord. 16th March
1922, served during European War in
Hospital Unit at Corfu and Serbia,
received Serbian Order of St. Sava, Mar.
19th May 1923, Annie Alice Berry, daughter
of John Gall, minister of Rutherglen
U.P. Church, and Eliza Allan Berry, who
is now Elizabeth Berry, born 18th Nov.
1923.

KETTLE, or von LATHRISK.

Hector Kettle, 1870, educated
at St. Andrews, Butcher, was elected
to the Faculty of Students of Edinburgh.
Transferred to the Faculty of
Surgery, 1873.

DAVID KETTLE, 1870, son of 1870,
1565—Archdeacon of Ross, 18th June 1906,
[See R. H. 1911.]

JOHN BALFOUR, 1870, son of 1873,
1574—Archdeacon of Fife, 18th March
1909. *[See R. H. 1911, v. 231.]*

JOHN FITCAIRN, 1870, son of 1870,
1583—Strathmiglo, having Kilbirnie, 1880,
where he was born, 1880.

WILLIAM CRANSTOUN, 1870,
1586—son of Robert Cranstoun of St. Asaph,
1870, and wife, 1. Margaret, May 1870,
2. The Honourable Sir Sawrey Cope, 1870, 1871,
Archdeacon of Ross, 1870–1871. Nov.
1870, was a member of Assembly in 1870,
May 1870, March 1870, 1871, 1872, 1873,
and president of the Association of
Free Church Clergy, 1870, 1871, 1872,
1873. Studied at Edinburgh, 1870, 1871,
and had been a fellow of Royal Holloway
College, London, 1870–1871. Archdeacon
of the Royal Commissioned and
ordained 1871. He was allowed 8 p.m.
that year, depriving him of High Com-
mission 1st March 1871, and was pres-
by Rev. Mr. 1871, 1872, 1873, and 1874,
1875, May 1876, died Jan. 1877. His mar-
1. Mrs. Robertson, who died 23rd Nov.
1873, and had issue, Robert, his son, 1874,
Elwin, 1875, Walter, Margaret, Elspeth, 1876,
1877, John, Brown, skipper, 1878, son of
David, 1879, and 2. Rev'd Dr. Ramsay,
brother to old man of this period. 2.
Margaret Bell, 1878, who died 28th Nov.
1879, and had issue, Janet, 3. Janet Alex-
ander, 1880, and had issue, Sarah, married John
Hawley, son of the parson. (See *A. b. c.*
1900, T. 6, 1880, v. 136, R. H. 1906,
v. 342, 1880, 324, G. R. 1906, 13th
Dec. 1917, 18th Nov. 1937, and Nov.
*1964, *Festus, Glenrothes Records*.)*

Dynast., 52; *Reg. Soc. Sig.*, Calderwood's *Hist.*, iv, 354, vi, 684, vii, 679, viii, 277, 443; Melville's *J. C.*, 716.]

ROBERT CRANSTOUN, M.A., son of preceding; pres. by Charles I, 4th **1626** March, and ord. April 1626, trans. to Seconne in 1630.

JOHN RAMSAY of Corstoun, brother **1633** to David R. of Corstoun, promoted from Regent in St Salvator's College, St Andrews; pres. by Charles I, 6th March, and ord. April 1633, died Dec. 1666, aged about 63. He marr. (1) Sarah, daugh. of William Creuchestein, min. of this parish, and had issue: James of Corstoun, (2) 17th April 1656; Anne, daugh. of James Stewart of the Rosyth family and widow of William Ged, far of Baldridge. [*Reg. Soc. Sig.*; *Ed. Hist.*; *Reg. Maj. Sig.*, xi, 138, 159, 224; *Fife*, 818, xix, 281; *Fife Horn*, xxviii, 22; *Reg. of Deeds*, Durie, ix, 213; *G. R. Libab.*, 11th Feb. 1637; Stephen's *Inventory*, 191.]

JOHN BARCLAY, eldest son of William **1667** B., min. of Falkland; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1690), passed trials before Presb. of St Andrews, and had testimonial 25th Nov. 1693 for licence and 16th Oct. 1694 for ordination; ord. to Dunino 15th Dec. 1694, trans. and adm. July 1697, deprived by Privy Council 29th Aug. 1698 for neither reading the Proclamation of the Estates, nor praying for William and Mary but for King James. He was found dead in a well in Edinburgh in July 1698, aged about 62. [Lamont's *Doings*, 199; *Gravities Burials*; *St Andrews Tests.*; *Acts and Dec.*, Dal., 25th July 1694.]

JAMES PITCAIRN, bapt. 26th Jan. **1691** 1648, son of William P. of Forthar and Ann, daugh. of Sir David Crichton of Luton; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews; ord. Presbyterian min. at Ballymena, Ireland, in 1676; returned to Scotland in 1687; adm. to Burntisland in 1688; called Feb., trans. and adm. 15th April 1691; died 28th April 1712. He marr. 26th Dec. 1670, Elizabeth (buried 13th July 1731), daugh. of Sir Francis

Rutherford of Fielde, and had issue: Alexander, bapt. 26th Aug. 1671; Janet, bapt. 25th March 1673; David, min. of Dysart; Margaret. [*The Five Pitcairns, 1691, Fife Hist.*; *Hist. of Presbyterian Chmrs. in Ireland*, 30; *The Sixty-four Clerks Books*, 13th March 1714.]

JAMES MONRO, called 22nd Feb. **1717** ord. 25th April 1717, trans. to Third Charge, Dundee, 11th Dec. 1720.

HUGH GLAS, M.A., 6th Andrews, 4th **1731** May 1720, born 1701; became schoolmaster of Mokinich; licen. by Presb. of Kirkcaldy 28th Nov. 1728; called 16th Sept. 1730; ord. 23rd Sept. 1731; died 7th June 1777. He marr. (1) Elizabeth, daugh. of William Arnot of Balginch, and had issue: William, born 8th Nov. 1732; Agnes, born 15th July 1734, died young; Robert, born 18th Feb. 1736, died young; George, born 23rd June 1734; (2) 16th June 1743, Jean (died 4th March 1777), daugh. of Sir Michael Balfour of Dennill, Bart., and had issue: Marjory, born 28th March 1744 (marr. 2nd Sept. 1762, Robert Colvill, min. of Dysart); Margaret, born 23rd Jan. 1746, died young; Helena, born 7th Dec. 1747, died 22nd Feb. 1762; Margaret, born 29th Jan. 1750 (marr. 27th Aug. 1773, Robert Stark, writer, Cupar); Catherine, born 28th Sept. 1752 (marr. 16th Sept. 1773, Davidson McKain, grocer, Edinburgh).—[*Timl. st.*; *W. H. M. J.*, xxxvi].

PETER BARCLAY, bapt. 4th June **1778** 1749, son of James B. of Towie Mills and Elizabeth Mitchell; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1766); licen. by Presb. of Cupar 17th June 1777; pres. by George III, 5th July that year; ord. under protection of the military 14th May 1778, D.D. (8th Andrews, 4th Oct. 1817); died FVERIN OR THE CHITREN, 13th Dec. 1841. He marr. (1) 13th March 1783, Margaret (died 6th Aug. 1801), daugh. of James Dringlingston of St Fort, and had issue: James, M.D., born 16th Jan. 1784, died at Penang 22nd Oct. 1811; Robert Heriot, Captain R.N.,

Born 1st Sept. 1794, died 20th May 1862.
Buried 2nd April 1862. Margaret
born 1st Nov. 1800, died 18th Dec. 1861.
John Kettle, born 1st July 1803, died 10th July
1866, buried at Greenock 1st July 1866.
Eliza, wife of John Kettle, born 1st Oct.
1805, died 1st Aug. 1861, buried at Muir
of Ord, near St. Andrews, 1st Aug. 1861.
Buried 2nd April 1862. John, born 1st Dec.
1803, died 1st April 1862. Buried at Muir
of Ord, near 1st April 1862. St. Andrews
Church, Kettle's, Ontario, Canada, 1821,
born 10th July 1826, died 1st August 1862.
Sept. 1866, buried at Greenock, same date.
John, son of John Kettle, born 2nd Sept.
1826, buried at Greenock, same date.
John, son of John Kettle, born 17th June 1827,
died at Muir of Ord 15th Sept. 1862. Mary
Ann, born 11th June 1829, married 25th April
1843, James Bailey, of England, died
1841. Helen McNeill, born 1829, died
10th Nov. 1863, buried 12th April 1863.
Elizabeth McPherson, who died 29th
March 1841, died 1st April 1862. Archibald
Campbell of Meldrum, Tain, born 1st Oct.
Aug. 1803, died 1862. George, born 1st Dec.
1806, died at Dundee 6th Aug. 1862.
Elizabeth Riddoch, born 25th April 1808,
died 1862. Publications.—A Count of the
Parish—Sketches, &c., and A Statistical
View.

WILLIAM REID, born 1810, third son
1842 of Walter Reid, Minister, Kirkcaldy
died, Perthshire, educated at Univ.
of Glasgow, became Pres. of Dundee
5th May 1835, died 1st Inverness 11th June
1838, buried by Queen Victoria 11th June
1838, died 1st Aug. 1842, Sept. 1842, d.
at Stirling 24th Feb. 1884. He was 5th
March 1841, Archibald 3rd Dec. 1860,
daughter of Robert Carters, and 1844
Jane, Walter, M.D., R.N., born 27th Dec.
1841, Christiane, born 6th Aug. 1843,
died 11th Jan. 1846. Robert Carters,
C.E., Edinburgh, born 22d Dec. 1847, died
10th March 1894. Ann Morris, born 1st Sept.
1848.—*Memoirs of Pastors of Dundee*,
C.L. xviii. 369-371. [1894.]

ANNEAS GUNN-GORDON, born 19th
Sept. 1846, son of Gilbert Gunn and
1878 Mary Ann Gunn, educated at Foster
Academy, Univ. of Edinburgh, Glasgow,

and University of Aberdeen, LL.B., graduated
by Trin. Coll. Edinburgh Oct. 1877, was
ordained at Cawdor, Strathcarron, Cupar, and
Kirkcaldy, and taught at St. Andrews 12th
Dec. 1877, Marischal A.C. 1st Oct. 1878, Christ's
College, Cambridge, 1st June 1879, Stewart.

KILMANY.

The church of Kilmany 16th and 17th
St. Andrews, Co. of St. Andrews.

WILLIAM RAMSAY, died 27th June
1574. 1594, buried 27th June 1574.

ROBERT HYNESHAW, Rector in St
 Andrews, Scotland, which he left 1.
1574, he came to Scotland, where he
lived at Blairgowrie, in the County of Kincardine
1573-1576, prior to
the visitation by Dr. VI. 1st Dec. 1579
and again 31st Jan. 1583, and 14th Jan.
1584. He died 27th June 1574.
W. T. M.—*Edinburgh*.

JOHN SHARP, M.A., St. Andrews
1601-1602, died 1602. Warden of
the University of St. Andrews, 1602, and
dean of the Faculty of Law, which he was ap-
pointed like the other deans to two other
universities, 1602, to the University of
Buckinghamshire, and brought before the
Privy Council at London 27th Aug. and
arraigned for his adherence to the
Assembly. Not having given satisfactory answers
they were tried before the Justiciary Court
of London, with the 1602, on a charge
of treason and high treason, and condemned for
16,234 £ 0 0 0. He went to Barbary, became
Emperor of the Loggia in the Univ. of Ischia,
but would probably have returned to St. Andrews
had he not been in terms of recompensation
to his adherents. In 1633 he was recalled
to St. Andrews at the instance of Cardinal
Richelieu, the Prince Minister, who had
a well-merited reputation as a Pro-
testant teacher, app. Professor of Divinity
in the Univ. of Edinburgh 17th Nov. 1633,
and lived 1647, aged 76. He married Agnes
Davidson, and had issue—Mary, bapt. 18th
Aug. 1640; John, bapt. 8th Aug. 1641.
Publications.—*Tractatus de Justificatione*

homini enim Deo. Geneva, 1609, and 1612); *Poetriae lemnos hominis statu sub pectore* (Geneva, 1610); *Cursus Theologicus* dedicated to James VI. (Geneva, 1618 and 1622); *Sermones Proletariorum et Aristorum* (Geneva, 1625 and 1629). [Melville's *Meth. 571 et seq.*; Calderwood *Hist.*, vii, 262, 332; Pitcairn's *Crim. Torts*, iii, 494; Young's *Life of Welsh*, 1696; McCrie's *Meth.*, iii, 253; *Duct. Not. Brev. P. C. Reg.*, viii, 83 et seq.; Murray's *Spec. O'U.S. Authors whose Books were Printed Abroad*, 20.]

JAMES THOMSON, born 1588; M.A. 1611 (St Andrews 10th Dec. 1589); was on the Exercise there from 6th Oct. 1597 to 5th Dec. 1605; officiated as min. and presided fourteen times in the Kirk-Session of Anstruther from 12th Jan. to 25th Sept. 1608; adm. here in 1611, but was non-resident for want of a manse; was the companion and friend of Alexander Henderson, min. of Lenhars, who presented him with a copy of the *Decretory for Worship* at its publication in 1645; died Oct. 1636, soon after Henderson. He marr'd Bessie Smith, with whom he lived forty one years, and had issue James, min. of Kinneil; George, his successor. [Instruthor Sess., Reg.; Aiton's *Life of Henderson*.]

GEORGE THOMSON, son of preceding; 1640 educated at Univ. of St Andrews; adm. (assistant) in 1640; died 22nd Nov. 1691, aged about 52. He marr'd (pro. 29th Dec. 1640) Bessie Duncan, in the parish of Culross, and had issue John. Publication. Probably author of *A Treatise on the Six Sins*. [Lamont's *Diary*, 142; *Inq. Ret. Gene.* 6025.]

THOMAS KINNINMONTH, M.A.; 1663 adm. 20th Aug. 1663; trans. to Second Charge, Dunfermline, 18th July 1696.

ROBERT GLASFURD, M.A.; trans. from Kembach in 1697; trans. to Auchterderran after July 1687.

JAMES McDougall, adm. in 1692; 1692 dem. 22nd Oct. 1695; died before 5th April 1697 leaving a widow, who petitioned the Presb. for charity to

defray her journey to her native country of England.

ALEXANDER PITCAIRN, I pp. 13th Jan. 1650, son of Alexander Pa. 1697 Principed of the New Coll. of St Andrews, educated at Univ. of St Andr w. M.A. 22nd July 1692; licen. by Presb. there 24th June 1693; called 26th July that year; ord. 23rd Feb. 1697; died between 22nd Oct. 1700 and 13th Sept. 1701. He bequeathed £400 for beleaf of the poor.

WILLIAM BROWN, a native of Fife 1703 bld.; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. 22nd July 1697; licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 7th Dec. 1698; called 28th June, and ord. 23rd Sept. 1703; died 2nd June 1720, aged about 35. He marr'd 25th April 1719, Catherine Mitchell, who died before 10th July 1762. [*Br. Test.*]

WILLIAM SMIBERT of Lochindony; M.A. Edinburgh, 7th April 1713; became tutor to the Laird of Lundie; licen. by Presb. of Dundee 27th Sept. 1721; called 6th Aug., and ord. 6th Dec. 1722; elected Synod clerk 5th April 1723; acquired estate of Lochindony; died 4th April 1759, aged about 66. He marr'd 1 Margaret, daugh. of William Myles, min. of Moonzie, and had issue John, in 26th Foot, born 20th Dec. 1731; Margaret, born 8th Aug. 1734; William, born 22nd March 1739; (2) 22nd Jan. 1747, Helen (died at Cupar, 27th July 1775), daugh. of Dr James Bethune of Kingask, and had issue Ann, born 15th Dec. 1747.

JOSEPH MCCORMICK, M.A.; pres. by United College, St Andrews, 1760 July 1759; ord. 17th April 1760; trans. to Temple 21st Nov. 1760.

WILLIAM GIB, pres. by United College, St Andrews, in March, and ord. 1761 24th Sept. 1761; trans. to Uphill 27th Oct. 1763.

JOHN ADAMSON, M.A.; pres. by United College, St Andrews, 6th 1764 Jan., and ord. 10th May 1764; trans. to Second Charge, St Andrews, 5th Nov. 1772.

ANDREW HETHERON, M.A., St Andrews, born 1773, died 17th Sept. 1803, son of George Hetheron, Nov. 1777, born at Colinton Oct. 1792, presbytery of Edinburgh, St Andrews, 5th Dec. 1792, from which he studied at St Andrews, died 14th Sept. 1797. He was a zealous anti-slavery. He married 14th Aug. 1799, Georgina, died 1st March 1799, daughter of Thomas Telford, D.D., Principal of St Andrews University, and his wife, Thomas, born 1st Aug. 1761, died 1st Sept. 1799. Alison, born 2nd Sept. 1793, died 19th Sept. 1799. Alison, born 2nd Sept. 1793, died 19th Oct. 1799. David, born 22nd March 1799. Elizabeth, born 3rd May 1798, died 27th May 1771. George, born 23rd May 1799. Cecil, born 21st Oct. 1792.

JOHN COOK, M.A., pres. by United College, St Andrews, 6th Nov. 1792, ord. 10th May 1793, dem. on appointment as Professor of Hebrew, St Andrews, 12th Oct. 1802.

THOMAS CHALMERS, pres. by United College, St Andrews, 2d 1803 Nov. 1802, ord. 12th May 1803, tried at The Parochial Court 26th, 21st July 1811.

HENRY DAVID COOK, born 26th Feb. 1791, younger son of John Chalmer, Professor of Moral Philosophy, St Andrews, addressed at Univ. there, M.A. 1810, chosen by Prof. there 28th April 1813, pres. by United College, ord. 29th Sept. 1815, died 1st Sept. 1871. His son, John, Sept. 1820, fourth son of John Bent, Firth, and his wife, Isabella, born 18th Sept. 1827, and 18th Sept. 1836. Henry David, born 1st Aug. 1840, died at Melton, Australia, 22nd April 1915. Isabella, born 10th Sept. 1842, died 18th June 1914. The Rev. Mr. Andrew of the Parish Vicar, 1877, M.A., &c.

DAVID BREWSTER, born 28th Sept. 1803, son of George, B. D.D., born 1858, of St Andrews, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, licensed by Prof. of St Andrews, ord. 18th Feb. 1858, D.D., St Andrews 1866, a clerk of Presby. 1863-68, died 13th

Dec. 1870. His son, with wife, 1869, David, born 11th April 1870, tried at Kirkcaldy, Wester Ross, and his wife, and children, George, born 1st July 1871, David, born 30th Sept. 1874, David, born 1st May 1876, David, born 18th Oct. 1878, died 1924.

ROBERT THOMAS MARSHALL, born 1st in Leslie, Fifeshire, 1st Aug. 1817, son of Robert Marshall, Esq., of St Andrews, M.A., 1838, B.D., 1850, canon by Prof. of Kirkcaldy, 1857, assistant at Dundee, 1858, and in this parish, 10th, 12th May 1861. Maria, 31st Aug. 1861, deceased. Their only surviving son, David Kirkcaldy, Fettercairn, and Margaret, Fettercairn, his wife, issue: Robert, born 22d July 1863; Margaret, Fettercairn, 28th Sept. 1866; Helen, Fettercairn, 29th May 1911; Jean, Thomas Kirkcaldy, born 17th March 1913; Mary Kirkcaldy, 1914; William, born 16th May 1916; Helen, Lancaster, born 21st March 1918; Thomas, born 1st June 1919. Elizabeth Fettercairn, 11th Aug. 1920; Alice Kirkcaldy, 3rd Oct. 1921; Gwendoline, 7th Dec. 1922.

LADYBANK (Q.S.).

The parishes of Ladybank were combined from Culloden until Jan. 1822.

ROBERT HAGART KERR, born Fife 1812, died Clapham, 2nd May 1877, son of Donald Kerr and Isabella McDonald, born 1st Sept. 1811, and Univ. of Edinburgh, M.A., 1875, canon by Presby. of Fife, 1st May 1881, assistant at West Lothian, 18th Oct. 1881, Maria, 16th, 27th Feb. 1886, Jessie Gilmour, died 10th Oct. 1886, c. 1894, widow of Donald McDonald, man. of North Kippside, and his issue: Isabella McDonald, born 1st Aug. 1894, died 10th Dec. 1899; Helen Johnstone, born 23rd Sept. 1894 (mar. 12th June 1916); Albert R. S. Fowler, subbenton, R.N.; Evelyn Margaret, born 27th Aug. 1893, died 24th

Feb. 1894; Ida Hazart, born 2nd March 1894, died 24th Aug. 1895; Thomas Edward, Cyclist, Battalion, born 29th June 1895; Florabel, born 27th Jan. 1897, died 18th July 1900; (2) 10th June 1913, Lizzie Leslie, died 14th Oct. 1918, youngest daughter of Adam Henderson, Reechiebys, Auchtermuchty.

LOGIE, OR LOGIE-MURDOCH.

[The church of Logie Murdoch was dedicated to St Logan. It belonged to the Abbey of Balmerino.]

ARCHIBALD KEITH, brother of William K., of Ludjohair; min. 1562 in 1562, with Balmerino also in the charge; trans. to St Fergus before 1567.

JOHN LOUSETT, M.A., St Andrews 1589; reader at Foulis Wester in 1585; adm. in 1595; pres. to the vicarage by James VI, 3rd Sept. 1600; died before 14th April 1613, aged about 44. He marr. Margaret Forrest, who survived him.—[*Reg. Assyz.*]

JOHN DURIE, M.A., St Andrews 1591; adm. to Fifteenement in 1611; trans. and adm. after 5th Oct. 1613; died April 1651, aged about 80. He marr. Agnes Braes, who survived him, and had issue—Elizabeth (marr. Oliphant); Margaret. [Lamont's *Dairy*, 29; *G. R. Inhabit.*, 12th March 1664; *Life Sis.*, xx, 290.]

HENRY PITCAIRN, son of James P., at Trent; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. 1635; called 27th Aug. 1651; adm. 6th May 1652, deprived by Privy Council, 29th Aug. 1659, for not reading Proclamation of the Estates, etc. He had been unable for about ten years previously to perform his duties from age and infirmity; died before 23rd Nov. 1692, aged about 77. He marr. (cont.) 4th May 1653, his cousin Susan, daugh. of John Pitcairn of Onston, and had issue—James; William; Alexander; Anne; Janet Christian; Jane; Janet. [Lamont's *Dairy*, 41, 51; *Life Sis.*, xii, 311, 313; *Life Sheriff Court Books*, 15th Jan. 1669.]

DAVID BALFOUR, M.A., St Andrews, 2nd Aug. 1684; adm. as tutor in 1685 1685, suspended from ministerial functions within the parish by Privy Council, 29th Aug. 1686, for not reading Proclamation of Estates, etc.; died before 13th Sept. 1723. He marr. (cont.) April 1682, Catherine, daugh. of Simon Greig, writer, Edinburgh, and had issue—Beatrix (marr. Patrick Balbirnie, merchant, St Andrews). [*Lif. Sis.*, xv, 460.]

GEORGE ANDERSON, M.A.; trans. from Dundee; called 29th Dec. 1691 1690; adm. before 7th April 1691; trans. to Dunbeg 12th July 1698.

JOHN STARK of Ballindean, born about 1676, son of Thomas St. of 1700 Ballindean and Margaret Greig, lieut. by Presb. of Cupar 8th Nov. 1698; called 24th Oct. 1699; ord. 30th April 1700; died 1st July 1748. He marr. 2nd Dec. 1507, Katherine (died 29th June 1770), daugh. of John Bethune of Blibo, and had issue—Thomas, min. of Balmerino; John, Harry; William; James, tenant in Brasehill; Margaret; George.—[Campbell's *Balmerino*, 566, 654.]

SAMUEL WEST, born 1723; lieut. by Presb. of Dundee 3rd Sept. 1740; 1751 called 12th Oct. 1749, which call was set aside "from certain indecencies, by stones being thrown at the electors"; again called 11th Jan., and ord. 14th May 1751; died 1st Dec. 1766. He marr. 15th Aug. 1751, Margaret Mein, who died 19th Jan. 1777, and had issue—Stewart, born 18th May 1752; Mary, born 25th June 1753; Elizabeth, born 14th Jan., and died 6th June 1755; John, born 19th April 1756; Maurice, born 22nd Sept. 1757; Samuel, born 21st Jan. 1760; Margaret, born 10th July 1762; Marjory, born 6th Dec. 1763; Elizabeth, born 3rd July 1765.

ROBERT BOGIE, born 1739, brother of James B., writer, Edinburgh; Alexander B., tenant of Kettney, and Margaret B., wife of John Swan of Prestonhall; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1758); lieut. by Presb.

there 7th May 1766; pres. by George III, 11th Dec. 1766; ord. 30th July 1767; died 16th Sept. 1802. He marr. 26th Oct. 1766, Jean Cowan, who survived him, and marr. (2) 1803. Publication Account of the Parish (Sinclair's *Stat. Acc.*, viii.).

ANDREW MELVILLE, born 1775, son of Alexander M., farmer, Peashills, 1803 Balmerino, Fife; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Cupar 26th Aug. 1800; pres. by George III, 15th Oct. 1802; ord. 27th April 1803. Joined the Free Church in 1843; min. of Free Church, Logie, 1843-8; died 30th June 1848. He marr. (1) 11th Oct. 1803, Jane Duncan, who died 15th Aug. 1809, and had issue Alexander, born 7th Aug., and died 22nd Sept. 1804; Helen, born 30th Jan. 1805; Alexander, min. of Falkirk, born 28th July 1807 [not 1809 as in Vol. I, p. 208]; John, born 8th March, and died 17th Aug. 1809; (2) 17th Dec. 1810, Ann Gordon (died 8th Jan. 1851), widow of Peter Lumsdaine of Pittanochope. Publication Account of the Parish (*New Stat. Acc.*, ix.).

WILLIAM RANKEN WATSON, born 21st Oct. 1811, son of David W., 1843 min. of Leichars; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews; pres. by Queen Victoria 21st July, and ord. 22nd Sept. 1843; died at Aberfeldy, 18th Oct. 1873. He marr. (1) 1st March 1844, Janet (died s.p. 13th Oct. 1867), daugh. of George Milligan, D.D., min. of Elie; (2) 29th Dec. 1869, Caroline Matilda (died s.p. 11th Feb. 1887), second daugh. of George Naylor, rector of Roughton, Suffolk.

DAVID PITCAITHLY FENWICK, born Tibbermore, 31st Dec. 1836, 1874 son of David F. and Margaret Pitcaithly; educated at Perth Academy and Univ. of St Andrews; assistant at St Vigeans, Monimail, Beyrout, and Alexandria; pres. by Queen Victoria 17th Nov. 1873; ord. 12th Feb. 1874; clerk of Presb. 1898-1900; died 19th July 1900. He marr. 30th March 1876, Elizabeth Mary (died 11th July 1919), daugh. of John Sharp, min. of Aberdalgie, and had issue William,

born 11th Jan. 1877; John Sharp, born 2nd April 1878; died 29th April 1919; Jane Maxton, born 8th March 1880; David Pitcaithly, Black Watch, born 27th April 1881; Elizabeth Mary, born 29th Sept. 1883, died 10th July 1903; Charles, lieut. A. & S. Highlanders, born 17th April 1886; Francis, twin, captain 5th Cavalry, Indian Army, born 17th April 1886.

DUNCAN CAMERON, M.A., B.D.; ord. 28th June 1901; trans. to Barrhead 3rd Oct. 1906.

WILLIAM JAMES JAMESON, M.A.; ord. 11th April 1907; trans. to 1907 Dreghorn 15th May 1914.

EVELYN GALL, M.A., B.D.; ord. 23rd Sept. 1914; trans. to St Luke's, 1914 Lochee, 28th March 1917.

CHARLES ORFORD ALLAN, born Bolton, East Lothian, 24th Dec. 1917 1888, son of John Gray A., teacher, and Annie McEwan; educated at Royal High School and Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. 1910, B.D. 1913; licen. by Presb. of Haddington 10th May 1913; assistant at St Cuthbert's, Edinburgh; ord. 19th July 1917; trans. to Kirknewton 26th July 1922. Marr. 21st Nov. 1917, Ena Anderson, daugh. of Alexander Mills, min. of Colliston, and has issue Charles Orford, born 1st Dec. 1920.

ALEXANDER AITKEN MORTON, born Dunfermline 22nd March 1893 1922 son of George M. and Christina Spowart; educated at High School, Dunfermline, Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. 1915, B.D. 1918; licen. by Presb. of Dunfermline 1st May 1918, served in European War in R.A.M.C. for eighteen months; assistant at Markinch; ord. 17th Nov. 1922. Marr. 17th July 1924, Jessie Simpson, elder daugh. of James Brown Cowdenbeath.

MONIMAIL.

[The church of Monimail formed a prebend of St Andrews, and was a mensa kirk of the Archbishop. In the parish there was a Well of St Curadan.]

DAVID SPENS, adm. before 1562; **1562** trans. to Carnbee about 1567.

ALEXANDER JARDEN, min. of Kilspindie in 1563; was suspended by the General Assembly 31st Dec. 1563 for ante-nuptial fornication, but was in consideration of his public satisfaction, restored by it 29th July 1564; adm. Aug. 1568; had Collessie, Auchtermuchty, and Abdie in his charge in 1574; removed to Collessie before 1578 but returned in 1579; was a member of Assembly April 1581.—[*Wodrow's Miscell.*; Calderwood's *Hist.*, ii. 247, iii. 415.]

ANDREW BENNET, reader at Forgan **1585** 1574 to 1580; adm. min. of Creich in 1583; trans. and adm. in 1585; was one of those called before the Court of High Commission for admitting a min. to Strathmiglo without the Archbishop's sanction; was still min. 1st Oct. 1639; died before 11th Sept. 1641. He marr. Margaret Beaton, who died 21th March 1618, and had issue—Andrew, min. of Creich; Robert, min. of Kilrenny; James, min. of Auchtermuchty; William, his successor; Elizabeth; Katherine (marr., cont. 26th Oct. 1627, John Kinloch, portioner of Luthrie); Mary (marr. James Wedderburn, min. of Moonzie); Grizel (marr. James Shaw of Seggie).—[*St Andrews Tests.*; Calderwood's *Hist.*; *Reg. of Deeds*, lxxviii, 137, cccvi, 404, 29th Dec. 1637; *Gov. Reg. Sas.* xxii, 40, 262; *Prot.-Book Pat., Carrall*; *G. R. Inhib.*, 21st Aug. 1622.]

WILLIAM BENNET, son of preceding; **1626** M.A.; adm. before 3rd Nov. 1626; trans. to Trinity Parish, Edinburgh, 28th Oct. 1641 (*cf. Vol. I.*, 132). He had issue—Euphemia, who died before 16th June 1640.

DAVID ORME, born 1602, son of David **1641** O. (of the Mugdrum family), bailie of Newburgh, and Elizabeth Philip; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1623); was on the Exercise at Perth 26th April 1626; adm. to Newburgh in 1631; trans. and adm. 30th Dec. 1641; was found guilty by Commission of Assembly, 21st March 1646, of maintaining the lawfulness

of treating with James, Marquess of Montrose, and was ordered to declare on his conscience in the churches of Monimail and Cupar that he knew nothing but soundness of judgment in the doctrine of Mr Robert Blair and Mr Patrick Gillespie. He was ordered by the Synod, 29th Sept. 1657, to cease from farming land he had at Newburgh as it diverted him from his calling. He died at Cupar, 29th June 1684. He marr. Agnes, daugh. of Alexander Jamieson, merchant burgess of Cupar, and had issue

William, his successor; Elizabeth.—[Lamont's *Diary*, 109; Balfour's *Hist. Works*; *Fif. Sas.*, xi., 290; *Fif. Hornings*, xxvi., 387.]

WILLIAM ORME, son of preceding; **1679** educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (26th July 1679); adm. (colleague) 23rd July 1679; still min. 11th April 1683. He marr. Katherine, daugh. of Alexander Campbell of Carsgownie, and had issue—Alexander; David.—[Macfarlane's *Gen. Coll.*, ii. 170.]

JAMES ROSS, probably son of Alexander R., min. of Monymusk; educated at Univ. of St Andrews 21th July 1675; recommended for licence 10th July 1678 by Presb. of Auchterarder; adm. 20th May 1686; deprived in 1689 for not reading the Proclamation of the Estates, etc.; was consecrated a bishop of the Nonjurant Church at Edinburgh 29th Nov. 1726; died at Cupar in April 1733, aged about 78. He marr. (1) 5th June 1688, Euphemia (died 6th June 1704), daugh. of Mungo Carmichael, brother to Sir David C. of Balmadies, and had issue—James, born 1689; Barbara; (2) Ann Barclay, who died 5th Sept. 1737. [*Dunboy Sas.*; *Reg.*; *The Rebuff'd rebuffed*; *Fif. Sas.*, xiv., 262.]

EDWARD JAMESON, M.A. (Edinburgh, July 1643); min. of Swinton in 1647; dep. in 1651; again min. in 1657; adm. here in 1690; died 8th Feb. 1704. He marr. Catherine Congilton, and had issue—George, min. of St Martins; William; Grace (marr. Andrew Robertson, surgeon, Edinburgh). [*St Andrews Tests.*; *Dunkeld Tests.*; *Wodrow's Anct.*; *Reg. of Deeds*, Durie, 10th June 1673.]

NICHOLAS MELVILLE, son of Nicholas Melville, died 23rd March 1736, in the 57th year of his age, and was buried at the church of St. George's, Edinburgh, and interred in the vault of the church, 24th July 1736.
 ROBERT HAMILTON, son of Robert, 45th Earl of Arran, died 20th April 1737, in the 44th year of his age, and was buried at the church of St. Mary's, Edinburgh, 21st April 1737, and interred in the vault of the church, and died at Gifford, 10th March, and interred in the church of St. Peter, Edinburgh, 11th March, and was buried in the vault of the church of St. Peter, Edinburgh, 12th March, 1737. [See *Edinburgh Register*, p. 328.]

FREDERICK CARMICHAEL, M.A., died 1st Nov. 1739, aged 31.
 1737—March 1737, trans. to Inveresk 17th April 1731.

GERSHOM CARMICHAEL, brother of
 1742—Frederick, called 3rd Dec. 1731,
 died 2nd April 1742, trans. to
 St. Michael's, Edinburgh, 1st Aug. 1731.

DAVID HUNTER, M.A., called 16th
 March, and ord. 6th May 1732,
 trans. to St. Paul's, Edinburgh, 8th May 1732,
 1733—Oct. 1733.

ROGER MOODIE, son of Roger M.
 1703—M.A., Edinburgh 1710, elected
 1711—Treasurer of the Master in General
 Hospital, Edinburgh, Edinburgh, 11th Nov.
 1740, was educated either 6th Sept. 1739
 at the Presbytery of Hamilton, 1st Aug.
 1731, or to Gairly 11th May 1737, pro-
 fessor Devon, Earl of Leven, in March, trans-
 ferred from 9th July 1736, died 28th Nov.
 1760, at Hamilton 16th June 1757, Margaret
 died 10th Oct. 1814, daughter of William
 Smith, of Leven, by her first wed-
 ding, 10th Dec. 1781, to Andrew, Earl of
 Dalkeith, 1750, Gairly, born 8th July
 1694, Earl of Dalkeith 1st May 1733, man-
 aged by McCracken, agent to General
 Augustus, he succeeded her in 1750,
 died 14th April 1765, died 26th Aug.
 1769, Professor of Inveresk 17th March
 1766, died born 24th Oct. 1768.

resigned 20th Nov. 1769, John Stirling
 succeeded him 24th Aug. 1774,
 died 23rd March 1781, succeeded by
 George II.

SAMUEL MARTIN, born 1st July
 1776—Lecturer of Dr. Martin, minister
 of Ardrosson, East Lothian, died 1st
 March 1822, interred in the church
 of the parish of Haddington, 1st May
 1822, and buried in the church of
 Bellie 12th Sept. 1822, posthumously
 David, Earl of Leven, 17th May, and
 upon 20th May, minister of the Assembly
 Edinburgh, he was the last to take
 much part in the actual work, then
 died, and buried 8th Sept. 1822, D.D.—St
 Andrews, 6th April 1795, and 12th
 Sept. 1822, Henry Charles, Earl of Hail-
 Clyne, son of David, Earl of Leven, and
 Melville, Haddington, 9th Oct. 1768, Eliza
 9th June, 1781, wife of 1st Marq. 1718
 and 1760, and the Rev. Dr. John, D.D., son
 of Kirkcudbright, born 10th Dec. 1760, died
 2nd July 1771, buried 4th Sept. 1766,
 Walter Broadbent, Edinburgh, 1st Aug.
 1782, Mary, his wife, 1782, died 1783,
 died 26th Nov. 1818, Eliza, died 1st Sept.
 1775, and died Nov. 1819, David, born
 26th Oct. 1777, wife Mary, born 17th July
 1777, died 19th Oct. 1796, buried 20th
 July 1797, married 1st March 1818, John
 Pittam of Kinnelaw, 14th Feb. Sept. 1843,
 Burdett, 1st June 1776, 1st Aug. 1783, son of James
 Miller, naturalist, of Melville, Edinburgh,
 He was a very restless, turbulent, & impulsive
 man, 1781 Collector of Royal Botanic
 Garden, 1792, Curator, 1794, 1795,
 and 1796, of the Botanic Garden, Glasgow,
 Prof. of the Art of Translating, 1798,
 Prof. of the Art of Translating, 1799, of the
 University, Edinburgh, 1799, of Prof. of
 Poetry, 1800, and Prof. of Prose, 1801,
 Prof. of Prose, 1802, of Prof. of Prose,
 1803, 1804, 1805, 1806, 1807, 1808, 1809,
 Prof. of Poetry, 1809, 1810, 1811, 1812,
 Editor of the Edinburgh Standard, 1813,
 and 1814, in Large and Small Sums, 1813,
 and 1814, in Large and Small Sums, 1815,
 A Count of the Parishes, Sir James' Stat. 1815,
 and 1816, (Reed's *The Kirk of the Water*,
 portrait, 81, 1806, Macfarlane's *Prose and
 Poetry*, 1811.)

JAMES BRODIE, grandson of preceding, born 29th June 1800, son of Walter Brodie, farmer, Pitarrow, and Ann Martin, educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen, M.A. (1817), licen. by Presb. of Elgin 27th March 1822; pres. by David, Earl of Leven and Melville, Sept. 1828, ord. assistant and successor 14th Jan. 1829. Joined the Free Church in 1843, min. of Bow of Fife Free Church 1843-78, clerk to the Free Synod of Fife, died 3rd Feb. 1878. He marr. 1st Nov. 1830, his cousin Margaret (died 22nd Feb. 1871), daughter of John Martin, D.D., min. of Kirkcaldy, and had issue—Walter, born 9th May 1832, died 1911; John Martin, born 6th Nov. 1833, died 16th Sept. 1846; James, born 21st June 1835, died 31st May 1857; Margaret, born 13th July 1837, died 27th Jan. 1844; Samuel Martin, born 6th Jan. 1843, died 11th March 1844. Publications—*A Memoir of Anne McDonald* (grandmother of Alexander and John Bethune), a self-taught Cottager (1832; 3rd ed. 1849); *The Alphabet Explained, or the Science of Articulate Sounds described, illustrated, and viewed in connection with the Origin and History of Nations* (Edinburgh, 1840); *Remarks on the Headship of Christ and the present Position of the Church of Scotland* (Cupar, 1842); *The Design for which the Sabbath was Instituted and the Manner the Day should be Observed* (No. IV., Tracts on the Sabbath, Dundee, 1847); *The Rational Creation* (Edinburgh, 1855); *An Inquiry into the Apocalypse, with an Endeavour to ascertain our present Position on the Chart of Time* (Edinburgh, 1861); *Remarks on the Antiquity and Nature of Man* (Edinburgh, 1864); *Papers offered for Discussion at the Meeting of the British Association at Dundee* (London, 1867); *Our present Position on the Chart of Time as revealed in the Word of God* (Edinburgh, 1870); *The True Text of the Old Testament* (Edinburgh, 1873); *Science and Scripture* (Edinburgh, 1875); Account of the Parish New Stat. Rec., ix.; Sermon LXXXI., *Free Church Pulpit*, iii. [The Fife Pulpit, 85-96]; Connolly's *Fifiana*, 52.]

WILLIAM LEITCH, born Rothesay, 1813, second son of John Leitch, educated at Univ. of Glasgow, B.A. (1837), M.A. (1838); licen. in 1839, assistant to Professor of Astronomy, Glasgow; assistant at Arbroath and Kirkden, pres. by David, Earl of Leven and Melville; ord. 8th Sept. 1843, res. 5th Nov. 1861 on appointment as Principal and Primitive Professor of Divinity, Queen's College, Kingston, Canada; D.D. (Glasgow, 1860); Moderator of Synod of Church of Scotland in Canada in 1862; died at Kingston 6th May 1894, and was buried at Monimail. He was a distinguished astronomer, naturalist, and mathematician. He marr. 12th May 1846, Euphemia (died 8th Aug. 1853, aged 32), youngest daugh. of George Paterson of Cumnockie, and had issue—Moncrieff, born 19th Jan. 1848; John, born 10th July 1849; William, born 20th May 1851, died 19th March 1852; George, born 26th June 1853, died 27th April 1854. Publications—*God's Glory in the Heavens* (London and Edinburgh, 1862; 2nd edition, 1863); *The Missionary's Witness*, a sermon (*Church of Scot. Pulpit*, Edinburgh, 1845); *Missions and Missionaries*, a sermon (Glasgow, 1881).—[Connolly's *Fife Biog.*, 268.]

JAMES MACGREGOR, trans. from High Parish, Paisley, 7th Aug. 1862, trans. 1862 to Tron Parish, Glasgow, 10th March 1864 (cf. Vol. I., p. 99). Publications—*The Church of the Present Day* [St. Giles Lectures, 1st series] (Edinburgh, 1881); *Religion of Ancient Rome*, 2nd series, (Edinburgh, 1882); *Disestablishment and Disendowment*, 6th series (Edinburgh, 1886); *Reunion of the Scottish Church on the lines of the Reformation* [Assembly Closing Address] (Edinburgh, 1891; a translation into Gaelic by John Whyte, published 1891).

DAVID SKINNER MAXWELL, born Jamaica, 1829, son of James M., 1864 M.D., and Ann Giscombe; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; ord. to Milngavie 20th Dec. 1855; trans. to Melville Parish,

MONMAIL, JOHN, son of Henry Lady
Lady, born 17th May, died 27th
May, 1810, at the Hague, died 17th
May, 1810.

MONMAIL, HENRY, son of John Lady
Lady, born 27th May, 1810, died 17th
May, 1810, at the Hague, son of John
Lady, George, and Mary
Lady, son of John Lady, George, Anne,

born 27th April, 1811, died May, 1811,
son of John Lady, Robert, in 1813, John
Lady, born 27th May, 1811, *See L.*
Monmail, John.

DAVID LAIRD ADAMS, M.A., B.D.,
1875, died 23rd Sept. 1875, re. 17th Nov.
1875, on appointment as Professor
of Hebrew and Oriental Languages, Univer-
sity Edinburgh.

JAMES BRUNTON, born Inverkip,
1872, son of James Hall, Bailliehead
of Inverkip, and Ann Beard, educated
at University of Glasgow, M.A., 1893, B.D.
1897, appointed Professor in 1872, died 10th
March, 1903, birth 10th Oct. 1873,
trained as a divine 11th May, 1892, died 12th
March, 1903, Home missionary 1887, Emily
Catherine Brown, born 10th Dec. 1869, died
10th Feb. 1903, eighth Prince Brown
Duchess, Mclellan, Ladybank.

ALEXANDER JAMES MARSHALL,
1905, born 10th Aug. 1843, son of Andrew
Marshall, M.A., and Agnes Ford Hutton, edu-
cated at Burnside School, Linlithgow, Daniel
Street, Glasgow, and University of Edinburgh,
M.A., 1861, born by Prof. of Linlithgow
on 20th May, 1864, assistant at Linlithgow
St. Stephen's Church, and Blackfriars,
Glasgow, and at Tward 27th April 1867,
married Cecilia Anna, Kett, Nov. 1869,
trained as a divine 27th Sept. 1896,
May, 1897, F.R.S. 1898, M.L.B.I.L., 1898,
successor of Thomas Hutton, Cape Town, and
Member Royal Institute, and has issued
Alexander George Walker, born 6th Dec.
1913, Martha Agnes, born 31st Aug. 1916,
Mary Louise, born 20th April 1918,
Dey, 1 Walker, born 30th April 1921.

MOONZEE, or AUCHTER- MOONSIE.

The name of Auchtermoon was
derived from the Holy Trinity. It referred
to the name of the local church of St. Peter
and St. Paul. From St. Peter's church
at Cuperfield, Auchtermoon, the name
was derived.

SIR WILLIAM GREGG, rector from
1574 to 1576, died after 26th
March, 1576, *See A.* *Gregg.*

GILBERT MURSCHILL, rector from
1579 to 1585 to 1586.

ADAM MURSCHILL, son of Gil-
bert Murschill, 1586, *See Adam*,
1608. He married Carter, May 1573,
1574, by Frize, Carter died March 1586,
one of the seven members of the in-
formation of the treason of within. He
was freely received of exiles in 1606
transferred to Scotland before 1607, and
died in 1607, died 29th Aug. 1620. He
had a son Christian Carter, died 2nd Sept.
and Oct. 1603. Catherine, daughter of Alex-
ander Foryth, of Nytoun, who served him,
and had issue, Janet, Margaret,
1614, *See Foryth, R. I.* *See xxv.*
1615, *See Skirf, C. et L.* *See 5th Jan.*
1596; *Reg. of Recs.* *xxvii. 388.*

JAMES WEDDERBURN, son of Alex-
ander W. of Pittenweem, and Christian
Living, educated at Univ. of St.
Andrews, M.A., 22nd July 1688, ad-
mitted 24th Nov. 1693, joined Free Church
Party in 1694, died 1st May 1701, and buried
in the same year. He married, 29th Oct. 1693,
Mary, daughter of Andrew Burnett, min. of
Montrose, and his wife, Alexander, min. of
Kilmarnock. James, his successor
Andrew, min. of Linl. Beside, died Nov.
1695. Batrie, minister 1672, Patrick
Crambie, merchant, Cupar, died 1696,
See Crambie, D. *See 136.* *See 16th Rec. of
Pit. Carsey.* *Reg. Mys. St. L.* *xxvii. 575.*
See 8th, xii. 339, xix. 16, xx. 369.
Wedderburn Rec. *i. xxxviii.*

JAMES WEDDERBURN, born 1635, second son of preceding; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (13th May 1658); called 8th May, and adm. colleague 1st Sept. 1658; deprived by Act of Parliament 11th June, and Doctor of Privy Council 1st Oct. 1662; further decree of Council against him and others 16th July 1671 for keeping conviviales; died of fever 23rd July 1671. He marr. 11th Dec. 1660, Jean Ingles, in the parish of Cupar, and had issue—William, drowned 6th July 1677; David; Helen, bapt. 22nd Nov. 1663, died May 1693; John, died June 1671; Alexander, died 22nd Aug. 1683; Isobel, died April 1696; Beatrix, died April 1671; Margaret, died Oct. 1675; Mary, died 30th June 1690. [Lamont's *Dixy*, 118; Montgath's *Mort*; Rogers's *Satiric Monuments and Testimonia*, ii. 83; *Reg. of Deeds*, 10th Feb. 1660; *Wedderburn Book*, i. xxxix, 233.]

DAVID BAYNE, M.A.; adm. before 1675 17th Aug. 1675; trans. to Kinglassie 29th Oct. 1678.

WILLIAM MONCREIFF, eldest son of George M., min. of Arngask; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. 25th July 1663; adm. before 7th Oct. 1685; died *non compos mentis* 4th Sept. 1711, aged about 68. He marr. 1 his cousin, Nicholas, second daugh. of Archibald Moncreiff, min. of Abernethy, and had issue—Archibald, min. of Blackford; David, physician; Mary marr. Andrew Ure, min. of Fossoway; & Euphemia, died at Edinburgh 1711, daugh. of John Alexander, procurator fiscal of the Commissariat of St Andrews and widow of John Corstorphine, third son of John C. of Nydick. [House of Moncreiff, 142; Macfarlane's *Gen. Coll.*, ii. 201; *Edin. Tests.; Gogfriars Borealis*.]

JAMES ROSS probably min. of Monimail and temporarily officiating; deprived by Privy Council 3rd Sept. 1689, for not reading Proclamation of Estates, etc.

SAMUEL NAIRNE, M.A., ord. before 1690 22nd July 1690, trans. to Kirri 12th Jan. 1692.

ANDREW YOUNG, said to have been 1693 previously a captain of dragoons and to have officiated at Cupar, called in May, and ord. 21st Nov. 1693; died after 23rd Sept. 1699. He marr. and had issue—Agnes marr. William Thomson, min. of Flisk.

WILLIAM MYLES, born 1670, son of William M., min. of Flisk; M.A. 1700 (St Andrews, 13th July 1694); licen. by Presb. of Perth; called 29th April, and ord. 12th Sept. 1700; died 21st Dec. 1745. He marr. June 1704, Margaret Dewart, in parish of Pittenweem, who died 15th July 1731, aged 54, and had issue—Archibald, his successor; Thomas, dyer, Cupar, born 1714; Helen; Christian; Margaret marr. William Smilert, min. of Kilmany. [Tombst.; Services of Heirs; Pittenweem Soc. Regt.]

ARCHIBALD MYLES, son of preceding; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (19th March 1724); licen. by Presb. of Cupar 1st June 1731; called 3rd Aug., and ord. assistant and successor 4th Sept. 1739; died 22nd Nov. 1754, aged about 46.

DAVID BURN, pres. by David Kinloch 1755 of Gilmerton in May, and ord. 24th July 1755; trans. to Largo 12th Oct. 1759.

ROBERT SWAN, brother of John S. of Prestonhall; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1755); licen. by Presb. of Cupar 11th May 1762; pres. by George, Earl of Crawford, in April, and ord. 6th Aug. 1770; died 15th March 1776. He marr. 20th Dec. 1771, Anne (died 13th May 1776), daugh. of Andrew Pitcairn, writer, Edinburgh. [See *A. Ross, Tests.*]

ANDREW IRELAND, born 1716, licen. 1777 by Presb. of Cupar 3rd Sept. 1770; pres. by George, Earl of Crawford, Aug. 1776; ord. 12th March 1777; died 21st Nov. 1806. He marr. 14th June 1777,

LESLIE HUNTER, who died on the 7th July 1833, and buried in the churchyard on the 9th May 1833, son of Robert Hunter, Esq., of Auchter Achnabreac, in the County of Sutherland, Scotland.

ALEXANDER RIDDELL, in Cupar, 1751-1807, son of John Riddeall, of St Andrews, M.A., 1750, educated by Presby. of Fife, born 1751, died 1807, rector of Kilconquhar, and minister of Wemyss, Fife, of Cerviston, 26th Nov. 1780, and died 8th Sept. 1806, D.D., St Andrews, born Nov. 1807, died 26th Oct. 1809. He married 1803, Rev. Dr. Anne, daughter of John Riddeall, minister of Linton, Ayrshire, D.D., son of George Riddeall, A.Rector of the Parish of St. Mary, Linlithgow.

ALEXANDER FORBES, born 1817, son of James, Esq., Lauder, and of Janet Rollitt, widow, and daughter of Rev. Dr. Alexander, of St. Andrews, ord. 16th April 1847, died 25th Nov. 1857. He married 1st Feb. 1848, Sarah, neé 1817, Oct. 1822, youngest daughter of Lieut. Hugh McWhirter, F.N., and her first son, John, born 20th May 1850, died 19th April 1857. He married, May 1857, born 14th Oct. 1850, Barbara, born 22nd May 1852, died 19th Dec. 1857. They had a son, born 19th Dec. 1853, Alexander, born 27th March 1858, posthumous.

JOHN MURRAY, born 17th Sept. 1816, son of George Murray, of North Berwick, born 6th May 1800, son of a Highlander, born June 1805.

GERARD MIDDLETON, born Birkenhead, 16th Sept. 1837, son of John Middleton, farmer, Marthwaite, and Mary Hope, educated at Grantham School, and University of Aberdeen, M.A. 1858, licensed by Presby. of Kendal, 1862, assistant of Keightley, and rector, chaplain to Bishop of Ceylon, in 1866, in the Islands in 1867, a assistant at Cuper Edge, adm. assistant and successor in 1871, died 24th Dec. 1881. He married, in 1872, Jane, born 23rd April 1843, daughter of Richard Height, Steart, in Cumberland, and died in 1881. William Gerard, born 1874; Annie Holmes, born 1878; Jessie, born 1880, married a German professor.

ANDREW FRINGLE HOGARTH, born Cupar, 11th Sept. 1848, son of George Hogarth, Cupar, and Mary Orme, Fife, and educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen, M.A. 1871, licensed by Presby. of Fife, 1873, assistant at Methil, Fife, 1874, and then at Fifeburgh, Fife, 1875, licensed by Presby. of Fife, 1876, assistant at Methil, Fife, 1877, and died 1st July 1881, in Fifeburgh, 16th Sept. 1881.

SAMUEL SOMERVILLE SANDERSON, son, born Edinburgh, 16th Aug. 1853, son of David Sander and Jane McArthur, educated at Royal High School and Univ. of Edinburgh, M.A. 1875, licensed by Presby. of Edinburgh, 1876, assistant at St. John's, Mayfield, Trinity, and Lady Yester, Edinburgh, ord. 29th Feb. 1877.

NEWBURGH.

The district now forming the parish was of old part of Athelstaneford, which was incorporated with the church of St. Catherine. In 1032 the parish of Newburgh was disengaged and erected. A church of St. Catherine was built in Newburgh, and also a Leaven-farm. There was a Well of the Nine Maidens in this parish, and at Lauder, beside the Abbey, a Well of St. Andrew. St. Andrews' Kirk, in Athelstaneford, was founded here in 1175 by David, Earl of Huntingdon, brother of Malcolm IV., and of William the Lion. King's burr was buried the Prince Alexander, elder son of Alexander III. There too was buried David, Duke of Roxburgh, son of Robert III. He died at the Castle of Fyvie, on 29th March 1462. The ruins of the Abbey are now but scanty. The church has been about 180 feet long, and of stately proportions, with wide transepts. Maudrum Cross and Cross Maeduff are remarkable ancient monuments in the neighbourhood.]

ALEXANDER MACDUFF, M.A., St Andrews 1603, man, about 1610, elected first man of the Scottish Kirk at Comyns, 14th July 1613, died Sept. 1625, aged about 43. [Stevens's Scottish

*Chanc. Register, 2904; The Scottish
Style at Kirkcaldy, 2747.]*

JAMES LESLIE, natural son of John Leslie, L. in Brechin; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (22nd July 1608); schoolmaster here 2nd Sept. 1611 to 1st Oct. 1622; adm. 1st Oct. 1622; died in 1631, aged 43. He marr. Elizabeth Winton, and had issue: Janet, col. Patrick, died before 1st March 1648. [Reg. Maj. Siz., ix., 1633; Fife Siz., vi., 189; Reg. Sec. Siz., *Lindores Abbey and Newburgh*, 205.]

DAVID ORME, M.A.; pres. by Charles I.
1631 8th June; adm. and coll. in 1631; trans. to Monimail 30th Dec. 1641.

DAVID RMIT, M.A.; adm. in 1642;
1642 trans. to Dairsie before 1646.

LAURENCE OLIPHANT, brother of William Ol., min. of Dunfermline;
1646 educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1636); adm. before 7th April 1646; conformed to Episcopacy in 1632; died between 16th Oct. 1670 and 12th Feb. 1671. Two women were hanged at Cupar in Nov. 1661 for burning his incense. He marr. (1) pro. 7th April 1643, Janet, daugh. of Henry Cheape of Ormiston, and had issue: Henry of Hattonhill; (2) 16th July 1658, Janet Young, who died at Cupar 1st Nov. 1713, and had issue: John; James; Jean marr. John Malcolm, writer, Cupar. [Lamont's *Deary*, 132; *Inq. Ret. Gen.* 5490; *Reg. Maj. Siz.*, 182, 4; *Fife Siz.*, vi., 382, viii., 516; xviii., 33; *Fife Sheriff Court Deeds*, 5th Nov. 1688; *Elin. Marri. Reg.*]

ROBERT BAYNE, son of James Bayne, of Findall, parish of Muthill; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (22nd July 1665); had a testimonial for licence from the Presb. of Auchterarder 24th Feb. 1666; adm. 11th April 1672, died June 1684, aged about 39. He marr. Elizabeth Cunningham, and had issue: Robert; Marion; John; James. His widow marr. (2) 1687, John Fairfull. [*St Andrews Tests.*; *Inq. Ret. de Tute*, 1051.]

WILLIAM GRANT, son of John Grant of Ballindalloch; educated at King's College, Aberdeen; M.A. (24th July 1679); adm. 27th Aug. 1685; deprived by Privy Council 9th Sept. 1689, for not reading the Proclamation of the Estates, etc., confined to reside in the parish till 26th March 1701, and was apparently reduced to great straits; died at Edinburgh 21st Jan. 1715, aged about 56. He marr. Anna, daugh. of George Lindy of Drums. [Gregg's *Burials*; *Privy Council Decrees*, 13th March 1694; *G. R. Hearings*, 18th Feb. 1686; *Laing's Lennox and Newburgh*, 296.]

THOMAS FERNIE, M.A. (8th Andrews, 27th July 1662); licens. 1698 by Presb. of Cupar 15th June 1697; called by it *jure decudit* 17th Aug. that year; ord. 8th Feb. 1698; died May 1699, aged about 27.

JOSEPH PITCAIRN, M.A.; ord. 7th May 1700; trans. to Kingsbarns 10th Sept. 1701.

JOHN SETHRUM, called 2nd Dec. 1702 1701; ord. 29th April 1702; trans. to Gladsmuir 25th Jan. 1711.

ROBERT LAING of Lindores Abbey; licens. by Presb. of Biggar 9th Sept. 1707; ord. to Crawfordjohn 9th March 1709; called 10th April, and adm. 17th July 1711; bought Lindores Abbey from Sir Alexander Leslie; died 2nd June 1749. He marr. 6th Aug. 1716, Margaret Gillespie, who died 19th Nov. 1749, and had issue: John; Robert (who sold Lindores in 1753 to Peter Hay of Leys).

ROBERT WRIGHT, born 1723; called 11th Oct. 1750; ord. 21st Feb. 1751; died 6th April 1762. He marr. (1) 29th April 1751, Mary, daugh. of John Wright, merchant, Glasgow, and had issue: Giles, born 3rd May 1752; Mary, born 9th Aug. 1754; (2) 29th April 1758, Margaret Robertson, who died 29th March 1772, and had issue: Robert, born 27th Nov. 1760.

JOHN MELVILLE MAY, son of John Melville, 1762-1834, and Margaret May, 1765-1834.

WILLIAM MELVILLE MAY, son of John Melville, 1762-1834, and Margaret May, 1765-1834.

THOMAS STUART, son of John Stuart, 1735-1803, and Mary, wife of John Stuart, 1735-1803.

John Stuart was a member of the congregation at Melville, Edinburgh, and his family lived there until he became a student at the University of Edinburgh. In 1759 he married Mary, daughter of Captain Robert Smith, of the Royal Artillery, who died in 1765. He then married Elizabeth, daughter of Dr. John Hay, of Edinburgh, and had two sons, John and Alexander.

John Stuart was a man of twenty years previously an Episcopalian, but had been converted to the Wesleyan-Arminian Society of Newburgh, New York, in 1773, presided by John Hay, Butcher of Ley's Alley, 1780. His own father had apparently made a complete presentation to the Theological Seminary of Newburgh, where John Stuart's son, however, took no interest in the family business. The son, John, was born in Newburgh, New York, in 1780, and died in Newburgh, New York, in 1853. He had three brothers, John, Alexander, and James, and two sisters, Mary and Elizabeth, and the parents of all three died about 1810, excepting with the exception of John, who died in Newburgh in 1853.

By his prediction, John May, 1762-1834, overcame the disease of the people that had vexed many of the inhabitants of Newburgh, consisting of the cholera of 1813, a yellow fever in 1822, and a cholera in 1832. He died in Newburgh, New York, on May 1, 1834. He was succeeded by Ephraim May, who died

in 1852, and was succeeded by their daughter, Mrs. Anna Maria, wife of George C. Williamson, 1800-1868, of the Parish of St. Paul, Newburgh, New York, and their son, David Williamson, 1829-1868, of the Parish of St. Paul, Newburgh, New York, who became a member of the Presbytery of Newburgh in 1852, and was succeeded by his son, David Williamson, 1854-1891, of the Parish of St. Paul, Newburgh, New York, who became a member of the Presbytery of Newburgh in 1878, and was succeeded by his son, David Williamson, 1878-1891, of the Parish of St. Paul, Newburgh, New York, who became a member of the Presbytery of Newburgh in 1891.

DAVID WILLIAMSON, born 1794, died 1868, son of John and Sarah Andrews, 1802-1868, of the Parish of St. Andrews, Newburgh, New York, and Captain John Williamson, 1797-1868, of the Parish of St. Andrews, Newburgh, New York, who became a member of the Presbytery of Newburgh in 1829, and was succeeded by his son, David Williamson, 1829-1868, of the Parish of St. Andrews, Newburgh, New York, who became a member of the Presbytery of Newburgh in 1852, and was succeeded by his son, David Williamson, 1852-1868, of the Parish of St. Andrews, Newburgh, New York, who became a member of the Presbytery of Newburgh in 1868.

JOHN ANDERSON, born 1796, died 1833, son of John and Margaret Anderson, 1802-1833, of the Parish of St. Andrews, Newburgh, New York, and Margaret Anderson, 1802-1833, of the Parish of St. Andrews, Newburgh, New York, who became a member of the Presbytery of Newburgh in 1829, and was succeeded by his son, John Anderson, 1829-1868, of the Parish of St. Andrews, Newburgh, New York, who became a member of the Presbytery of Newburgh in 1852, and was succeeded by his son, John Anderson, 1852-1868, of the Parish of St. Andrews, Newburgh, New York, who became a member of the Presbytery of Newburgh in 1868.

The Presbytery of Christ, a

ermon Hall, in 1830; *A Catechism for the Clerks Preparing to be Ministers and Presidents of their Parishes* (Edinburgh, 1838); *Address to the Ministers and Presidents of their Parishes* (Edinburgh, 1843); *The Clergyman's Treatise on Retraction* (London, 1850); *A Manual of Ecclesiastical Law* (London, 1853); *Essays on Various Ecclesiastical Subjects* (London, 1853); *Review of Dr. D. L. Macmillan's "Principles of A. M. Morris's Present Agents, &c."* (Edinburgh, 1854); *Gold Medall Prize Essay, "Growth of Lancashire Towns, 1660-1830"*; *Subjects of Study in Christian Missions* (Edinburgh, 1854); *Account of the Parish* (*New Statistical Account*, ix.).

ROBERT EDGAR, born 1835, second son of John Edgar, merchant, Dumfries; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. 1855; pres. by the Earl of Mansfield; ord. assistant and successor to Grinton 10th day 1860; trans. and adm. 22nd Sept. 1861, D.D. Glasgow, 1884; died 15th Sept. 1893. He marr. 28th July 1868, Helen Mary, elder daugh. of Oliver Russell, Edinburgh, and had issue: Anna Margaret, born 11th June 1869 (marr. 20th July 1890, John Steel Henderson); Maud Mary, born 20th April 1871; John, born 2nd Sept. 1872; Eleanor Russell, born 24th Sept. 1873; Janie Russell, born 6th June 1880. [*The Pulpit*, 207.]

HUGH YOUNG ARNOTT, born Turriff 24th April 1868, son of John A. 1895 schoolmaster, Kinloch, Perthshire, and Isabella Allison; educated at Kinloch School and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. 1890, B.D. 1893; licen. by Presb. of Dunkeld 9th May 1893; assistant at Lady Glenorchy's, Edinburgh; ord. 12th April 1895; app. clerk of Presb. in 1918; served as Chaplain to Forces during Great War; Colonel, Liverpool Scottish. [Marr. 5th June 1904, Christina Dandie, daugh. of Robert Clerk, Newburgh.]

SPRINGFIELD (Q.S.).

[The church was opened for worship 27th July 1862. The parish was disjoined from Cupar-Fife on 19th July 1865.]

JAMES NIMMO, born Ardrie 17th March 1839, son of Adam N. and Jessie Geikie; educated at Dollar Academy, Madras College, St. Andrews, and Univ. of St. Andrew and Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Culter in 1862; assistant at Abdie; ord. 28th Jan. 1865; adm. first man of parish in 1865; died 4th March 1901. He marr. 31st July 1866, Jane born 11th Feb. 1841, daugh. of George Provam, and had issue: Annie White Provam, born 28th April 1867; Adam Prentice, W.S., born 4th Sept. 1870; Jessie Geikie McKillop, born 6th June 1873 (marr. John Stuart Gowans, C.A., Edinburgh); Eliza Jane Provam, born 30th May 1878 (marr. Robert Cousin, shipbroker, Glasgow); George James, born 6th June 1881.

WILLIAM THOMSON, ord. 20th July 1905; trans. to Kelty Chapel 7th Aug. 1919.

DAVID LAIRD, born Cumberlang 26th Oct. 1887, son of Thomas Cowan Laird and Martha Moffat; educated at Kirkhill School, Cumberlang, Allan Glen's School, Glasgow, and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. 1915; student assistant at Dadzie, Motherwell, and Strathbungo; licen. by Presb. of Hamilton April 1919; assistant at Partick; ord. 12th Dec. 1919. Marr. 16th March 1920, Eliza Hamilton, elder daugh. of George Gray, The Haugh, Cumberlang, and Elizabeth Fleming.

STRATHMIGLO.

[The church of Strathmiglo was dedicated to St Martin. Its parish was a prebend of Dunkeld. At Gateside, within the bounds, there was a chapel of St Mary, with Our Lady's Well beside it.]

GEORGE LESLIE, min. in 1762; trans. to Kilconquhar about 27th 1562 Dec. 1569.

WILLIAM BRAIDFUTE, min. of Kilmour [Falkland]; also min. here, 1567-74; pres. to the vicarage by James VI, 27th Jan. 1572.

ALEXANDER MURKIN, canon of the Chapter of St Andrews, 1603
1574—Archdeacon of Fife, 1605, Kincardine, 1610, Bishop of Brechin, 1613, Bishop of Elgin, 1617, Bishop of Moray, 1621, Bishop of Ross, 1625, Bishop of Aberdeen, 1633, with the Lordship of Kincardine, Bishop of Brechin, and Bishop of Moray, 1638, till his death in 1641 when he was buried at Marpeth, prior to his burial in the cathedral of St Andrews, 1641. *Archiv. Soc. Hist. Morayensis*, v. 1, p. 12.

JAMES HETHERINGHAM, minister, 1580
1585—removed to Edinburgh, 1588.

JAMES BALCANQUALLI, minister,
1588—till man in 1605 called to
1592—rect. Hetheringham, Minister of who survived him, and minister of Arbroath, Gr. Fife, in Strathmiglo, 1611, till his death. William, his son, died 1626, son of James
1630 (*Arch. Soc. Hist. Morayensis*, vi. 133, vi. 207). *Reg. of Deaths, 1580-1753*, *Edinb. City Rec.* 1980, *Arch. Hist. Soc. Hist. Morayensis*, 1790, *Arch. Hist. Soc. Hist. Morayensis*, 1840, *Arch. Hist. Soc. Hist. Morayensis*, 1840, xxvii. 157.

ROBERT MURRAY, MA, possibly
1610—David Lord's successor by the same, pro-prior of the Arch-bishopric, is directed by the Bishopric in 1610 to trans. to Methven in 1615.

JOHN MURRAY, born 21st Jan. 1593,
1616—son of William Murray of Olddryope, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, MA, 22nd July 1616, pro-prietary of John VI, 1616, 1617, vicar in 1619, died 20th Oct. 1633. His marr. Christian, daughter of James Hamilton of Glenorchy and Lady Margaret Murray, daughter of John, 3rd Earl of Huntly, 1617, buried in his kirk, Olddryope, *Arch. Soc. Hist. Morayensis*, viii. 177, *Arch. Hist. Soc. Hist. Morayensis*, ix. 1716, viii. 1777. *Arch. Hist. Soc. Hist. Morayensis*, ix. 1716, viii. 1777.

JOHN RIGG, son of William Riddim
1655—of Inverness, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, MA, 1630, was on the Exiles there 13th March 1632, admitted to Edinburgh on 14th July 1634, called 24th May, and since 29th Sept. 1635, conformed to Episcopacy, died between 18th Aug. 1680 and 6th Oct.

1683. His marr. 2d 1635, to Jean, 21st July 1635, daughter of William Murray of Broughton, knight of Ardmuthy, and Elizabeth, wife and daughter of David Murray, 1610, died 1622. His father, born 1603, died 1667, and son of Robert Murray of Broughton, knighted by King Andrew, King of Scotland, born 1611, served King Charles I in 1640-1643, appointed to the Living of Methven, 1643, Provost of Edinb. 1646-1650, 1651-1652, died 1653. Andrew, William of Dumbellie, born 1617, died 1744. *Kelvin's Margravine*, *Arch. Hist. Soc. Hist. Morayensis*, 1863, 30; *Arch. Hist. Soc. Hist. Morayensis*, 1863, 31.

DAVID BARCLAY, born 1616, son of William Barclay, 1616, 1617, 1618,
1620—rect. of the Kirk of St Andrews, MA, 28th July 1621, son of John Barclay, his brother, 1617, 1618, 1619, 1620, deceased by Presbytery of Fife, 27th Aug. 1629, interred in the church of the Kirk of St Andrews, Edinburgh, 11th May 1629. His marr. Margaret Calderwood, who died 2d April 1658, 30th 42. *Memoirs of Rev. George Finlay, Bishop of Kirkwall, &c.* *Arch. Hist. Soc. Hist. Morayensis*, 1863, 14; *Arch. Hist. Soc. Hist. Morayensis*, 1863, 15.

ALEXANDER MURKIN, THE, MA,
1620—St Andrews, 1620, was in the Exiles there with Nov. 1630, and epiphysician at the General Meeting of Presbyterians, 29th July 1637, whom he became, died 20th Feb. 1653-1654, buried at St Andrews, *Arch. Hist. Soc. Hist. Morayensis*, 1863, 15.

THOMAS BLACK, called 1st July,
1635—and ord. 12th Sept. 1636, trans.
1636—to Wemyss, 13th Oct. 1636.

GEORGE GILLESPIE, born 1674, son
1690—of Robert G., who was excommunicated in 1673 for preaching to dissenters, and grandson of George G., man of High Kirk, Edinburgh, educated at Univ. of Edinburgh, MA, 29th July 1690, called 3rd Jan., and ord. 10th May 1690, died 30th Oct. 1750. He dissented from the resolution of the General Assembly to dispense the eight Sounding minis-

15th May 1740. He marr. (1) Margaret, buried 18th May 1725, daugh. of Gabriel Semple, min. of Jedburgh, and had issue

Robert; Gabriel; George; George; Margaret; Janet, who all died young; Alison unmar. James Lyon, min. of Blairgowrie; Barbara; (2) 18th Nov. 1729, Jean, died Dec. 1751, daugh. of Dr Adam Freer, physician, Edinburgh, and had issue Jean, born 8th May 1733, marr. James Marshall, merchant, Perth; Margaret, born 23rd Feb. 1737.

GEORGE LYON, born 17th Feb. 1729, son of James Ly, min. of Blairgowrie, 1754 and grandson of his predecessor, educated at Grammar School of Dundee and Univ. of St Andrews; licen. in 1752; became assistant here; was called 27th Dec. 1753; ord. (assistant and successor) 16th May 1754; died of apoplexy, 16th Feb. 1793. He marr. 11th Nov. 1757, Sophia (died at Dundee, 5th Feb. 1822), daugh. of David Marshall, min. of Kirkealdy, and had issue Mary, born 18th Jan. 1759; James, born 20th Aug. 1761, died 1782; David, born 7th Feb. 1763, lost at sea 1779; Alison, born 12th Dec. 1764 (marr. 2nd Nov. 1777, William Walker, tenant, Demperston, died 2nd Oct. 1833); Thomas, surgeon, E.I.C.S., born 24th Oct. 1766, killed in the Baltic 1805; Barbara, born 5th April 1768; Jean, born 21st Feb., and died 12th Nov. 1773; Jasper, merchant, West Indies and Glasgow, born 17th Feb. 1777. Publications *Sermons* [it is singular that the twenty seventh is also included in the Rev. R. Walker's *Sermons*, iv.] Edinburgh, 1794; *Account of the Parish Sinclair's Stat. Acc.*, iv. [Lyons of Cossins, 60.]

JOHN MARTIN, pres. by commissioner for David, Earl of Mansfield, 27th 1793 Feb., and ord. 5th Sept. 1793; trans. to Kirkealdy 25th June 1807.

GEORGE BENNET, born Dysart, 1751; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; 1807 licen. by Presb. of Dunkeld 3rd Sept. 1782; ord. by Presb. of Duns as

min. of Lady Glenorchy's Chapel, Carlisle, 1st June 1791; pres. to this parish by commissioner for William, Earl of Mansfield, 1st July, and adm. 24th Sept. 1807; died 20th Oct. 1835. He marr. 26th Oct. 1791, Ann Hutton, who died 17th March 1834, and had issue Christina, born 21st Sept. 1792; Andrew, D.D., min. of Closeburn, born 21st Feb. 1794; Agnes, born 28th Oct. 1795; Jean, born 26th May 1797 marr. David Forrester; David, min. of Lesswalt, born 8th Dec. 1800; Ann, born 10th May 1803, died 23rd April 1828. Publications *A Display of the Spirit and Designs of those who, under the Pretext of a Religious Arm at the Subversion of the Constitution and Government of this Kingdom, with a Defense of Ecclesiastical Establishments* (Carlisle, 1796); *Olam Hanukkah; or a View of the Intermediate State, as it appears in the Records of the Old and New Testaments, the Apocryphal Books, in Heathen Authors, the Greek and Latin Fathers* (Carlisle, 1800).

GEORGE MIDDLETON, born 3rd Dec. 1807, son of Hodgson M., farmer, and Phyllis Smith; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Kirkealdy 19th Oct. 1831; became tutor in family of Robert Douglas of Strathendry; pres. by William, Earl of Mansfield, as assistant and successor Oct. 1835; ord. 29th Jan. 1836; dem. 27th June 1843 and became a timber merchant; died at Edinburgh 16th April 1897. He marr. 8th July 1839, Helen, born 28th March 1814, died 21st Oct. 1860, daugh. of James Russell of Mansfield, and had issue Barbara, born 17th Dec. 1840, died 3rd Oct. 1857; George, born 29th April 1842, died 25th April 1844; James Russell, born 2nd Nov. 1843; Phyllis, born 18th April 1845, died 23rd Aug. 1847; Helen Russell, born 6th Nov. 1846, died Sept. 1865; George Hodgson (twin), born 6th Nov. 1846, died Dec. 1868; Isabella Phyllis, born 27th June 1849; Euphemia Russell, born 9th Nov. 1850; Alexander, born 30th Nov. 1852; Phyllis Margaret, born 12th Nov. 1854.

ANDREW ANDREW MINTY, born 1843, died 1st October 1920, M. A., LL.B., M.C., was a solicitor by profession and a Barrister-at-Law. He practised law at Strathmiglo from 1870 until his retirement in 1913. He died at his residence at 103a High Street, Newbridge, on the 1st October 1920, aged 77 years. Andrew Minty married Anna Stirling, daughter of James and Jane Wallace, on 2nd May 1870, died 1st April 1910. Andrew Minty died in 1920, April 1920, and his wife in 1910, and he died on 1st September 1920. Will and Inventory April 1920.

DAVID HENDERSON, born 1854, died 1st June 1909. Son of Henry Henderson, a Kilmarnock teacher, he was born 1st June 1854, died 1st June 1909, and his wife, 1st September 1909.

JOHN ARCHIBALD DOW, born 1821, son of John D. W. S. Dow, M.R.C.V.S. He practised Veterinary Medicine, principally Veterinary Medicine, at Eastgate, Argyllshire, from 1850 to 1869.

WILLIAM M'BEATH, born 1833, died 1st August 1887. After a short period as a student at Edinburgh University, he went to India in 1857, where he practised medicine at Hukkaik, 18th July 1888.

JAMES FRANKIN, born 1866, son of George Franklin, a Rector of the Kirk of Fife, he practised as a Doctor of Medicine at Elie, and was a member of the Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh, M.R.C.P. Edin., M.R.C.P. Lond., F.R.C.P. Eng., 1911. He practised as a Doctor of Medicine at West Wemyss, Fife, during the First World War, and was a member of the Royal Army Medical Corps. He died on 21st March 1920, and was buried at Fife, on 24th April 1920.

HUGH BROWN, born 1812, died 1st January 1891. Son of Hugh Brown, M.A., B.D., formerly Professor of Latin and Greek at St. Andrews University, he died 1st January 1891, and his wife, 1st November 1891. They had one son, Hugh Brown, who died 1st January 1893.

ROBERT FORRESTER VICTOR SCOTT, born 1st April 1872, died 1st March 1928. Son of Robert Scott, of Fife, he practised as a Medical Advisor to the Royal Household, and to the Royal Household, as well as to the Royal Household, during the First World War. He died 1st March 1928, and his wife, 1st March 1928. They had a son, Robert Victor Scott, who died 1st October 1923. Mary 18th March 1924. Burial, Dundurn, Fife, St. Gereon's Church.

PRESBYTERY OF ST ANDREWS

[There is evidence that this Court was erected in 1581. The Register of the Presbytery begins at 13th Oct. 1589. There are gaps in the Record from 20th April 1587 to 9th Oct. 1589; from 30th Oct. 1594 to 9th Oct. 1595; from 12th Dec. 1605 to 20th Oct. 1611; and from 28th Sept. 1687 to 18th April 1693. This last blank covers the time when the Presbyteries of St Andrews and Cupar were united.]

ABERCROMBIE, or ST MONANS.

[The church of Abercrombie, now ruined, was dedicated to St Margaret. It belonged to the Priory of St Andrews. Of old this was a very small parish, but, on 21st Oct. 1616, the Synod of Fife disjoined St Monans church and the barony of that name from the parish of Kileconquhar, and added these subjects to Abercrombie. At the same time, St Monans church was made the church of this parish, instead of the church at Abercrombie, which was smaller, and less accessible to most of the inhabitants. Abercrombie remains the official name of the parish, but the church is St Monans. The building, which is over 50 feet long, has a chancel, a tower, and spacious transepts, but no nave has ever been built. It was of old the church of a little priory of the Black Friars dedicated to St Monan, which King David II. erected in or about 1360. Beside it there is a Well of St Monan.]

JOHN FERGUSON, reader in
1563 1563.

THOMAS YOUNG, reader, 1576 to
1578 1578.

ALEXANDER BORTHWICK, reader,
1579 1579 to 1586.

ROBERT DURIE, adm. in 1588; trans.
1588 to Anstruther 1st Feb. 1592.

ALEXANDER FORSYTH, adm. min.
1593 of Dumfries in 1585; trans. to
Craigie in 1588; deprived after 13th
Oct. 1590, pres. to the vicarage by James
VI, before 20th Oct. 1593; dem. after 5th
Nov. 1605 and went to England. He may
be the Alexander F. recommended for
charity by the Assembly and receiving
alms from the Kirk Session of Tynning
haame 8th Jan. 1654. He marr. Margaret
Forsyth, and had issue James, *R. & A. Assy. : Tynninghaame Sess. Rec. : G. R. Inhba.*, xv., 218; *Rec. of Deeds*, exiii., 2nd
Dec. 1605.]

DANIEL WILKIE, son of Alexander
1605 W., maltman burgess of Edinburgh;
M.A. of St Andrews, became a Regent
in St Leonard's College, St Andrews, and
was on the Exercise there 13th Nov. 1602;
ord. 3rd Nov. 1605; pres. to the vicarage
by James VI, 17th June 1606; dem.
before 3rd Oct. 1625. He marr. Agnes
Auchincloik, and had issue Robert, min.
of this parish; David, apprenticed to
William Dick, merchant, Edinburgh, 26th
July 1629; James, apprenticed to David
Wilkie, merchant, Edinburgh, 26th May
1641; Harry, apprenticed to John Jossier,
merchant, Edinburgh, 9th June 1641.
[*Reg. Soc. Sc. L. : G. R. Inhba.*, xxviii., 292;
Pike Sis., vii., 43.]

ROBERT WILKES, 1757-1813
1623. Dr. by C. and L. 1702, and
1704. Dr. by C. and L. 1705, and
1706. Dr. by C. and L. 1707, and
1708. Dr. by C. and L. 1709, and
1710. Dr. by C. and L. 1711, and
1712. Dr. by C. and L. 1713, and
1714. Dr. by C. and L. 1715, and
1716. Dr. by C. and L. 1717, and
1718. Dr. by C. and L. 1719, and
1720. Dr. by C. and L. 1721, and
1722. Dr. by C. and L. 1723, and
1724. Dr. by C. and L. 1725, and
1726. Dr. by C. and L. 1727, and
1728. Dr. by C. and L. 1729, and
1730. Dr. by C. and L. 1731, and
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1736. Dr. by C. and L. 1737, and
1738. Dr. by C. and L. 1739, and
1740. Dr. by C. and L. 1741, and
1742. Dr. by C. and L. 1743, and
1744. Dr. by C. and L. 1745, and
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1770. Dr. by C. and L. 1771, and
1772. Dr. by C. and L. 1773, and
1774. Dr. by C. and L. 1775, and
1776. Dr. by C. and L. 1777, and
1778. Dr. by C. and L. 1779, and
1780. Dr. by C. and L. 1781, and
1782. Dr. by C. and L. 1783, and
1784. Dr. by C. and L. 1785, and
1786. Dr. by C. and L. 1787, and
1788. Dr. by C. and L. 1789, and
1790. Dr. by C. and L. 1791, and
1792. Dr. by C. and L. 1793, and
1794. Dr. by C. and L. 1795, and
1796. Dr. by C. and L. 1797, and
1798. Dr. by C. and L. 1799, and
1800. Dr. by C. and L. 1801, and
1802. Dr. by C. and L. 1803, and
1804. Dr. by C. and L. 1805, and
1806. Dr. by C. and L. 1807, and
1808. Dr. by C. and L. 1809, and
1810. Dr. by C. and L. 1811, and
1812. Dr. by C. and L. 1813.

JAMES RATTRAY, born at Port
MA (Glasgow) 1670 died 1681
1694 The son of Michael Rattray, born in 1646,
18th May, and died 10th July 1671, he was
deprived 13th Dec 1681 for refusing to
take the Test. He married 13th Aug 1693
Catherine Lady of the parish of Mark
in her dad's lifetime. Patrick, John,
James, William, James, John, Clements
Douglas, 175.

ANDREW BURNETT, pres. in March
1682 admt. and int. 29th May 1682
deprived by Privy Council 6th
Sept. 1682 for not reading the Proclama-
tion of the Estates etc.

WALTER WILSON, called 2nd Nov.
1889 and ord. 17th Dec. 1889, trans. to
Kalamazoo 3rd Dec. 1791.

JOHN CRAIGIE, son of Lawrence C.
of Kilmacolm, and brother of Robert
1704 C. Laird, Frossent, 1734, M.A., St.
Andrews, entered July 1697, licensed by Pres.
of Edinburgh, 1702, called 30th May,
and ordained Sept. 1694, and 1st between
16th Feb. and 17th March 1703, aged 19 years.
He married Isabella, daughter of Thomas
Harrington, Finsbury, of the New College,
St. Andrews, and had a son, John.
Thomas Harrington, Merton Hall, Bishop's
Gates, died at London 25th Nov. 1751.
John, apprentice to a W.S., 1737, collector
of Customs at Larwick, became Chaplain

19. The following is a list of
the C. G. M. members:

JOHN COOK died at 1734
1734 The Hague, 17th July 1741.
Buried in the Old Church at
Leyden. St Andrew's Day, 17th July 1741.
He was born at Leyden, 17th
June 1701. He married at Leyden, 17th
April 1727, Anna Maria, daughter
of Wouter Willemse van der Kooij,
and had a son, John. Professor
of Mathematics at Amsterdam, 1730
and 1731 July 1731. Died at Leyden
July 1741. Buried in the Old
Church at Leyden, 17th July 1741.
He was born at Leyden, 17th
March 1701. Died at Leyden, 17th
March 1741, and 17th July 1741.
He was buried in the Old Church at Leyden,
17th July 1741.

WILLIAM TURNER, son of William and
1752. William Turner, of Boston, Mass., died April 1, 1752, aged
and Mary, 1752. He was a
farmer, and died April 1, 1752, at his home in
Pembroke, N.H., aged 41. His wife, D.
H. Turner, died April 3, 1752, aged 39.
He died April 3, 1752. His wife,
Mary, died April 3, 1752, aged 39.
He was a member of the Congregational
church, and died April 3, 1752.

Jacob, born at New York, 1732; William, M.A., LL.D., appointed Professor of Mathematics, Marshall College, April 1751; at the time of his death, he was the third oldest teacher in the Church of England; he was afterward Chancellor of Dewsbury, Chancellor of the University of York, Rector of St. John's, Kew, 1758-60, and died at Bath, 2nd Feb., 1831. Robert, M.D., surgeon, Grafton, born 1712, died Jan. 1775; from an illness caused by fatigue in attending the sick, and was buried after the striking of Seven o'clock, March 1, 1775. Agnes, 1730, died April 1750; William, Barrister-at-law, 1730, died Jan. 1775; and M.P. for Oxford, Suffolk, Deputy Inspector of Hay and Green, for the Hay Chamberlain, 1st Feb. 1751, died 11th Aug. 1818. Christiana, born 17th April 1731; Harry, attorney, London, 1751, died 1775; and Elizabeth, 1732, died 1775.

Memoirs (Edinburgh, 1749). [*Chalmers and Trail Ancestry*, 40, 121.]

JOHN CHEISLIE, pres. by George II.
1757 23rd Sept. 1756; ord. 21st April
 1757; trans. to Corstorphine 23rd Nov. 1768.

ARCHIBALD GILLIES, born 1733.
1769 pres. by George III. 7th Dec. 1768;
 ord. 28th Sept. 1769; died 24th May
 1803. He marr. 30th Jan. 1770, Elizabeth
 (died 11th Feb. 1811), eldest daughter of
 Henry Thomson, merchant, Dysart, and
 had issue William, born 20th Oct. 1771,
 died 12th June 1783; Henry, writer, Edin-
 burgh, born 26th June 1773; Elspeth, born
 23rd April 1775; Isabella, born 15th March
 1779, died 17th Aug. 1782; Archibald,
 Helen St Leger, born 18th Oct. 1781 (marr.
 25th April 1809, Matthew Fortune of the
 Tontine Tavern, Edinburgh). Publication
 Account of the Parish (Sinclair's *Stat.*
Anec. [Jack's *Hist. of St Monans*, 114].

ROBERT SWAN, born 16th May 1773,
1804 second son of David S., D.D., min.
 of Seconie; educated at Leven
 School and Univs. of St Andrews and
 Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Kirkcaldy
 30th Sept. 1795; pres. by George III. 21st
 June 1803; ord. 10th May 1804; some-
 time clerk of Presb. and of Synod; died
 16th Nov. 1839. He marr. 31st Oct.
 1804, Marion (died 12th Oct. 1852, aged
 75), youngest daughter of Robert Hamilton,
 LL.D., Professor of Mathematics, Marischal
 College, Aberdeen, and Ann Mitchell, and
 had issue David, a student, born 29th
 July 1805, died 28th Jan. 1821; Ann
 Mitchell, born 25th March 1807, died 13th
 May 1814; Susan Spears, born 8th Jan.
 1809, died 11th May 1814; Robert Hamilton,
 bencenter and classical tutor, born 3rd May
 1810, died at Edinburgh; Alexander, born
 16th Aug. 1811, died 2nd Sept. 1816; ¹
 Helen Thomson, born 8th Aug. 1813; Jane
 Morison, born 30th Nov. 1814; Alexander,
 born 4th Nov. 1816; Elizabeth Hamilton,
 born 2nd May 1819; William Abercrombie,
 planter, Ceylon, born 23rd July 1823.
 Publication *The Sabbath*, a poem (Edin-

burgh, 1884), Account of the Parish (No.
Stat. Acc. ix.).

CHARLES FOWLER, ord. Curate
1813 and successor 20th April 1843;
 trans. to Auldearn 21st Sept. 1843.

DAVID LINDSAY FOGGO, born
1814 Leith, 1808, son of John F., school-
 master, and Margaret Lindsay; educated
 at Univ. of Edinburgh; ord. assistant
 and successor 16th July 1844; died
 10th May 1883. He marr. 1. 3rd July 1850,
 Jane (died 13th Nov. 1851), daughter of Andrew
 Robertson, min. of Inverkeithing; 2. 8th April 1861, Anna
 Bella Grant or Bell, a widow, who died
 16th Aug. 1875.

JOHN TURNBULL, born Whitsome,
1882 Berwickshire, 29th Sept. 1854, son
 of John T. and Elizabeth Walker; educated
 at Weetfield Academy, Dunns, and
 Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of
 Edinburgh 16th May 1877; assistant at
 Portobello and St Stephen's, Edinburgh;
 ord. assistant and successor 19th May
 1882; elected clerk of Presb. 17th June
 1907. Publication *The Parish Church of
 St Monans Trans. Aberdeen Eccles. Soc.*
 1897, 180–201.

ANSTRUTHER EASTER.

A church was built here in 1634. In
 1641 the parish of Anstruther Easter was
 disjoined from Kilrenny. Until 1713 there
 was no manse. The house then secured for
 the purpose is a picturesque one, and has
 an interesting history. It was built in
 1590 by James Melville, min. of Kilrenny,
 the famous autobiographer. The house
 was his own property, and was sold by
 his son Ephraim Melville. A fair of
 St Carran was held in this parish.

COLIN ADAM, brother of Patrick A.,
1641 in Auchleish, M.A., St Andrews,
 1623; pres. to Kilrenny 30th Sept.
 1634; trans. and adm. 24th Feb. 1634, was
 one of the commission for visiting the
 Univ. of St Andrews 17th Jan. 1634, was

EDWARD THOMSON, Regent of Humanity in Old College, St Andrews, died 17th September 1772. He was born 17th October 1700. His father, John Thomson, was a student at the University of Edinburgh, and died 1st March 1700, aged 29 years. His mother, Margaret Thompson, died 1st February 1701, aged 26 years. He was born in the town of Old Town, in the parish of Hamerton, Old College, St Andrews, degree of Bachelor of Arts, 16th April 1721, Ordained a minister 1st March 1726, Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh, 1732. He was a member of the Western or Devonshire Society, 1743. Chancery Doctor, Royal College of Physicians of Edinburgh, 1746. Dean of the Faculty of Physicians, 1748, 1750, 1753. Worthy of the Faculty of Physicians, 1753. Member of the Faculty of Physicians, 1756, 1760, 1763. Worthy of the Faculty of Physicians, 1763. Vice-Chancellor of the University of St Andrews, 1763. A. M., Reg. of Docs., May 1763. Died June 1772. Godfrey's *Adv.* 1772.

EDWARD THOMSON, M.A., died 1777. Son of a minister whom he was soon in the knowledge of the truth and profession of religion, and who on his deathbed advised him not to draw near the Coventry strait at St Andrews. M.A. about 1758, he was Rectorian Old College, St Andrews, lecturer in the medical faculty, from Professor of St Andrews, 24th Oct. 1761, and adm. 12th Nov. 1767. After the death of his wife he became very sedentary, and on Saturday, 12th Dec. 1768, he went to make a visit at night, and stay'd late. "As he returned, the servants told that service had been afflained at church, as they passed a bridge, at which they saw one passing like a black beast passing before him. He ran quickly next morning, and threw himself into the River, where he was found dead, and about 44. He died 27th April 1773, Mary Bell, his and his wife's daughter, James Philip, Mary, Susanna, Helen, Christopher, *Reg. Soc. Soc. Kirkton H. G. 1779.* Worthy of *H. G.* 1774.

WILLIAM MONCHIERE, Regent of Humanity in Old College, St Andrews, 1780. Son of William Macchiarini, or the cardinal of Orkney, and Margaret Naselli, died 18th Aug. 1686, born voluntarily in Italy after dying

of a fever at the age of 12. He was educated at the University of Padua, and at the College of St. John of Pavia, and was a student at the University of Oxford, and at the University of Cambridge.

WILLIAM HOLDEN, died 1741, at 16th May 1741, aged 70 years. He was a native of Scotland, but educated by the Society of Friends. He was a Dissenting minister, and died 1741, leaving a large sum of money to the Friends' school at Newgate, and a sum of £1000 to the Society of Friends, to be distributed among the poor. He was buried at the spot where he died, and a stone marks the spot.

HENRY KING, died 1741, at 17th April 1741, aged 70 years. He was born 17th July 1671, at the University of Cambridge, and died 17th April 1741.

JAMES NAINES, born 1703, son of James Naines, Curate of Kirkton, died 1717. Educated at St Andrews, and at University of St Andrews, M.A. about 1707. Prebendary of St. Peter's, 1710-1711. Dean of the Faculty of Physicians, 1713, called Henry, and died 17th April 1714. Adm. 7th April 1717, over Fyvie, and died 17th April 1717. He died 14th March 1717, at Andrews, and died Jan. 1720, daughter of John Anderson, Rector of St. Leonard's, Kirkton. St. Andrew's, and held a public lecture on the parts of man three days before his death. *Reg. Soc. Soc. Kirkton H. G. 1774.* Worthy of *H. G.* 1774. *Cambridge J. 1774.* *Soc. Soc. Kirkton H. G. 1774.* Worthy of *Cambridge J. 1774.*

JOHN NAINES, of Glasgow, born 1711, died 1741, son of preceding. Educated at University of St Andrews, M.A. 7th May 1731, licensed by Presb. 17th Sept. June 1736, called 19th Dec. 1740, and collated and served on 18th June 1741, died Fyvie, or SYNO, 19th Feb. 1756. He died 17th April 1756. Eldest child died 19th March 1759, daughter

of Alexander Gordon, writer, Edinburgh, and had issue, James, D.D., min. of Pittenweem, born 3rd Aug. 1759; Helen, born 6th Jan. 1752, marr. 17th July 1780, George Hall, merchant, Dundee; Alexander, accountant, Edinburgh, born 27th Aug. 1753; Ann, born 16th Feb. 1756 (marr. 29th Dec. 1780, Alexander Wood, merchant); Eliza, Mary, Jean, born 2nd Jan. 1759, marr. 27th Jan. 1779, James Forrester, min. of Anstruther-Western; Peter, born 17th June 1761, died 6th Aug. 1786. (*Trans.* of Woods' *East Ayrshire*, Connell's *Trans.* of *Boggs*, 347.)

ROBERT WILSON, born 25th Feb. 1763, son of Peter Wilson, tenant in Dunino, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 6th April 1791, pres. by Sir John Anstruther, Bart., 12th Oct. 1795; ord. 5th May 1796; died 12th Jan. 1839. He marr. 25th June 1821, Rachel, (died at St Andrews 8th Dec. 1847, aged 67), daughter of Andrew Johnston of Pittowie, Crail. (Gourlay's *Anstruther*, 75.)

WILLIAM FERRIE, born 8th March 1815, eldest son of William Ferrie, D.D., min. of Killeoquhar, Professor of Civil History in Univ. of St Andrews; educated at Univer. of St Andrews, Glasgow, and Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 15th June 1836; ord. 18th July 1839. Joined the Free Church in 1843; min. of Free Church, Anstruther, 1843-54, of St David's Church, St John, New Brunswick, 1854; of Fourth Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, New York, 1861; of Prescott and Spencerville, Canada, 1863; of Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, Montauk Valley, Sullivan Co., New York, 1870; of Martfieldethere, 1877, died 24th Dec. 1903. He marr. 4th Feb. 1845, Jessie Eleanor Steer Taylor, and had issue, a son, born 28th Nov. 1845; Elizabeth, born 11th Jan. 1849; Jessie Henderson, born 21st Sept. 1851, died 29th Sept. 1852. Publications: *Notes of the Life of the Rev. John Custairs, with a number of his Unpublished Letters* (Edinburgh, 1843); *The Creation of Scottish His-*

tory; The Relation that Puseyism bears to Papery.

THOMAS CUTLAR, born 12th Oct. 1803, son of James Cutlar, manufacturer, and Catherine Thomson, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, sometime schoolmaster at Seconie, ord. 28th Sept. 1833; died in Edinburgh 25th May 1857. He marr. Ann Balfour, who died 2nd March 1868.

JOHN WEBSTER, M.A., trans. from Strichen 29th Oct. 1857, trans. to Cameron 16th March 1864.

DAVID MILLAR, trans. from Bridge of Allan 22nd Sept. 1864, trans. to Abernethy, Perthshire, 16th Nov. 1865.

ANDREW CAMERON, born 1833, son of William Cameron, Gartsherrie, educated 1866 at Univ. of Glasgow; ord. 10th April 1866; died 16th Nov. 1875. He marr. 12th June 1866, Christina Mack, who survived him and marr. (2) 25th Jan. 1877.

THOMAS MURRAY, born Kelburn, Millport, 29th Oct. 1834, son of Thomas Murray, farmer, and Catherine Miller; educated at Millport Public School and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. 1854; licen. by Presb. of Glasgow June 1858; assistant at Alloa; ord. to Strathkinness 15th Feb. 1863; trans. and adm. 16th May 1863; clerk of Presb. of St Andrews from 24th June 1891 till his death on 3rd Sept. 1903. He marr. 11th Sept. 1872, Mary Jane, only daughter of David Christie, Alloa, and had issue Thomas David, solicitor, Anstruther, colonel Black Watch, D.S.O., born 3rd Dec. 1873, died 16th March 1923; James Christie, born 19th Feb. 1877, died 11th Jan. 1889.

JAMES WOODSIDE ROBINSON, B.A.; ord. 20th Jan. 1903; trans. to Cadder 19th Dec. 1911—*pt. Vol. III.*, 375. Publication: *Slight Hopes* (London, 1923).

JOHN WILSON ANDERSON, M.A.,
1512—died 20th May 1612, trans. to
South Failes Abercorn, 18th Feb.
1613.

THOMAS SMITH, son of Glasgow, died
1517. He was a student at St. John's and Vicar
of St. Andrew's Church at Glasgow. He
graduated M.A. from the University of Glasgow
May 1517. He was a student at St. Clement's
College, 1519-1520; St. Andrews, Glasgow,
1520-1521; and at May 1521.

ANSTRUTHER WESTER

The church of Anstruther Wester was
erected by St. Etherman. It belonged to
St. Mary of Pittenweem. Two fairs were
held in this parish, that of Our Lady in
December and St. Nicholas fair in December.
The Fair of May forms part of the parish.
In it stand the ruins of St. Adrians Priory.
There was once the Isle an early Celtic
monastery of small size. This David I
converted into a Benedictine Priory, and
King Alexander III charred that into an
Augustinian foundation. The ruins are
inter-stated, and the ancient Well of Our
Lady remains.

WILLIAM CLERK, son of Alexander
1505—Clerk, burgess of Dysart, adm. before
1505—1506—Earl Kilrenny also in church
in 1507, and Abbot of Dunfermline in 1511, died
Feb. 1530. He married Margaret Anstruther,
widow of Thomas Wood, burgess of St
Andrews, she survived him, and had issue
a daughter, Mary, Alexander Martin, a
daughter, married George Adamson, *Memoirs
and Letters of George Adamson, Melville
House, and Letters of Dysart, Melville, Anstruther, Zurich Letters, Elie,
Fife, Kyns Works, Calderwood, Hist.,* &c., 210.

ROBERT WOOD, formerly of Kenton,
1581—was created by Bishop Adamson
in 1581—trans. to Kilrenny in 1586.

JAMES DAES, app. in 1585, adm. to
1586—Earl of Fife 2nd March 1586. He again
1586—obit 4th June 4th July 1588 and
returned to Earlston. *Ante and Post,* iv.
322, ex viii. 1882.

JAMES MELVILLE, M.A., proposed in
1593—died 17th Nov. 1597, pres.
The church of Anstruther, by James
VI, 5th May 1587, the church was reduced
to Anstruther and Kilrenny in 1586
removed to Kilrenny on Oct. 1587.

ROBERT BURIE, born 1517—died
1592—son of James Burie, of Leath.
He was born at St. Mary's, Cramond,
St. Andrews, went to R. Heller, and from
thence evicted him after much trouble.
John Melville, and reported in the letter
to the Parliament at Linlithgow 1517 Dec.
First, and despatched to Berwick Sept. 1518. He
was one who sent to the Parliament of
Dunfermline, who came to Aberdeen to in-
gress, prior to the year 1518, James VI,
then came to Scotland in 1518, and with the
other supporters of the usurpation of the
Abbey of Dunfermline, for it. He com-
menced the execution of his sentence to the
Lewis in Oct. 1518 to gather a sum
for edification, that last said in May
paid w^t command of the King with Robert
Bont, by the Assembly to visit Orkney and
Shetland, of which he gave a report to the
following General Assembly. On 2nd
July 1519 he attended as a member, the
Assembly at Aberdeen, after it had been
forbidden by the King. For this he was
charged before the Privy Council on 2nd
Aug., and with three others impri-
soned at Blackness. He and two others were tried
at Linlithgow on 1st Sept. 1519, for treason,
by declining the jurisdiction of the
Council and holding the Assembly as afore-
said, and on 23rd Oct. he was found guilty
and sentenced to banishment for life from the
King's dominions. He and aliked at Leith
7th Nov., landed at Berwick, proceeded to
Holland, where the magistrates of Leyden
endowed a church for him, and the Scottish
exiles there. He died Sept. 1546. He mar-
ried Elizabeth Rumsey, who survived him, and
had issue: Andrew, Eleazar, John, man
of the English Merchants or Court Kirk at
Rotterdam, well known for his endeavour
to accomplish a union between the Lutheran
and other reformed churches, author of
various works, born at Edinburgh 1506, died
at Cassel 28th Sept. 1580. James;

Margaret, Née Jean Robert, presented for baptism 6th March 1607 by George Ramsay of Lorraine. Publican. "Somebody commending the work, Melville's *Spirituall Preacher*, 1588, [Recd. Assessor Reg. of Deeds, Abt. Rec. of the King] McClellan, *Melvill*, i. 328, m. 119, p. Forbes' *Recd.* Pitcairn's *Crown Test.* iii. 307, 563; *Adv. Recd.* *Recd. to the viii. Stevens' *Sect. Clerk's Register*, 312, 315; Fisher's *8. 6s. in Groatage*, 175-81; *Dkt. M. P. 1.*]*

JOHN FAIRFOOT, studied at St 1610 Salvator's College, St Andrews, in 1589; exhorter at Aberdour Feb. 1571; was schoolmaster of Dunfermline before 1582; pres. to vicarage of Dalgety and Beath by James VI. before 4th Feb. 1594; trans. to Dunfermline 1598; nominated by General Assembly, 11th May 1601, a min. for the King's and Queen's house, but was not accepted; app. Master of the Grammar School of Culross by the King 2nd Feb. 1603; nominated Constant Moderator by the Presbytery in 1603; charged before Privy Council with praying for the min. banished in 1603 for holding the Assembly at Aberdeen, found guilty and confined to Dundee during the Royal pleasants; adm. here 19th Aug. 1610; pres. by James VI. 1st March 1613; died between 26th Jan. and 25th Feb. 1626, aged 80. He marr. Margaret Preston, and had issue: James, bapt. 19th Aug. 1582; Isobel, bapt. 1st July 1584; Norman, bairn of Anstruther and N.P.; Patrick, bapt. 22nd Sept. 1585; David, bapt. 5th April 1587; Frederick, bapt. 18th Nov. 1600; Nans, bapt. 31st July 1604; Andrew, Archbishop of Glasgow (p.c.), bapt. 14th Dec. 1606. [*Dunfermline Bapt. Rec.*; *Wedrow's Biog.*; *Recd. Soc. S.L.*; *T. mst.*]

GEORGE DEWAR, M.A. (St Andrews, 1626 July 1612); adm. to Second Charge, St Andrews, in 1624; pres. by Charles I. 25th Feb. 1626; dep. for disaffection to the reformed religion 21st Nov. 1644, and received charitable sums from several Kirk Sessions in the Presbytery. He marr. Anna Mearns, and had issue: —David; John; Robert; Hannah; Agnes;

Katherine; William, born 1638. [*Recd. Soc. S.L.*; *Burntside, Pittenweem, Elie, and Kilconquhar Soc. Recs.*]

DAVID GUTHRIE, M.A. (St Andrews 1633); adm. 23rd July 1645; was carried prisoner to Edinburgh with three of his co-presbyters by the English soldiers 12th Sept. 1653 charged with praying for Charles II., but liberated after eight days on condition they should do so no more. At the Restoration he was confined to his parish, suspended 5th April 1663 for refusing to conform to Episcopacy. He was alive 23rd Feb. 1672. He marr. (1) 11th Jan. 1647, Isobel Lindsay of the parish of Kilconquhar, who died in 1649, aged 31, and had issue: Alexander; Anna; (2) Margaret, daugh. of Colin Adam, min. of Anstruther Easter, and had issue: Colin; David, apothecary, Dundee; Andrew; John, writer, Edinburgh; Margaret; Agnes; Susanna. [*Brechin Test.*; *Lament's Diary*, 59, 177; *Tombst.*; *Inq. Ret. Recs.*, 8738, 8739.]

ALEXANDER LESLIE, M.A.; ord. 1636 12th and adm. 17th Jan. 1666; trans. to Ceres 17th Oct. 1667.

DAVID TAYLOR, fourth son of James T., one of the baillies of St Andrews; 1668 educated at Univ. there; M.A. 1692; had a testimonial for licence from that Presb. 11th Jan. 1666, and for ordination 18th Feb. 1668; ord. before 29th April, and adm. 13th May 1668; died 18th April 1688, aged about 46. He marr. 24th June 1675, Isobel, daugh. of Alexander Edward, D.D., min. of Crail, she was alive 1697, and had issue: David; Mary; Beatrice; Elizabeth; Helen; Isabella. [*St Andrews Test.*; *Inq. Ret. Pte.*, 1420; *Services of Heirs*.]

THOMAS AUCHINLECK, brother of James A., merchant, Dundee; M.A. 1689 (St Andrews, 18th July 1682), had a certificate for licence from Presb. of St Andrews 2nd June 1686; adm. 21st Jan. 1689; deprived by Privy Council 8th Sept. that year, for neither reading Proclamation of the Estates, nor praying for William and Mary. While chaplain to Lord Fannmore

he intrusted at Menstrie in 1715 until the failure of the Rebellion forced him to fly. He died in Edinburgh, 16th Feb. 1743, aged 70. See *Douglas Prest's Register*, p. 175.

THOMAS BLACK, son of William Black, of Clossburn, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 22nd July 1695, called 3rd Oct. 1699, ord. 1st May 1700, but on his becoming mentally deranged the parish was declared vacant 17th June 1702; died Jan. 1730, aged 34. His marr. Anna Durham, and had issue Thomas, born 1696. *Douglas's Register*, 285. See *Rev. F. G. S. Scott's Hist. Presb. Ch. in Scotland* March 1703.

ANDREW BURN, born 1676; M.A. 1703, St Andrews, 22nd July 1693; licens. by Presb. of Cupar 8th Nov. 1688, called 3rd Dec. 1702; ord. 1st April 1703; d. i FETHIEL OF THE SYNOD 4th Oct. 1760. He marr. 18th Aug. 1708, Janet, died 15th April 1771, 2d d. 87, daugh. of Patrick Carpenter, of Pittinweem, and had issue Elizabeth, born 6th June 1709; George, born 23rd June 1712; Patrick, licentiate of the Church, died 21st March 1746; Janet, John, Andrew, Janet, Andrew, John, David, Janet. [See *last*.]

ANDREW WADDELL, born 1735; M.A. St Andrews 1755; licens. 1761, by Presb. of St Andrews 16th April 1761, pres. by Sir John Anstruther, of Anstruther, Bart., in March, and ord. 17th Sept. 1761; died unmarr. 12th Jan. 1767. [See *last*.]

JAMES FORRESTER, pres. by Sir John Anstruther Aug. 1767, ord. 1768, 12th May 1768, trans. to Kilrenny 17th Aug. 1768.

JAMES MACDONALD, born Padde, North Uist, 1772, eldest son of Hugh Maclellan, tacksman, educated at Univ. of Aberdeen, M.A. 1789, licens. by Presb. of Edinburgh 29th April 1795, pres. by Sir John Anstruther, Bart., 18th Dec. 1798, ord. 18th April 1799, d. m. 3d Oct. 1804. In the company of Macdonald

of Clannalad he made a tour of the Continent, and also travelled with Sir Iwan Macgregor, but was shipwrecked on the coast of Jutland 26th Nov. 1808, and received injuries from which he never fully recovered, died in Edinburgh, 18th April 1810. He marr. Janet, born 24th Aug. 1778, died sp. 26th Oct. 1804, daugh. of James Playfair, D.D., Principal of St Andrews Univ., Publications: *The Poetical Drama and Part of Sutton*, 2 vols. (London, 1806); *A General View of the Agriculture of the Hebrides* (Edinburgh, 1811); Translation Part of Carswell's *Poems of Pocock*, 1767; Leyden's *S. & Dissolu. Poems*, 214-28, (Edinburgh, 1803); Articles in Brewster's *Edinburgh Encyclopædia*.

ANDREW GEORGE CARSTAIRS, born 1780, son of Thomas, 2d pres. 1805, tutor of Kingsbarns, educated at Grammar School and Univ. of St Andrews, became tutor in the family of Lord Anstruther; licens. by Presb. of St Andrews 26th Sept. 1802, pres. by Sir Philip Anstruther of that ilk Dec. 1804, ord. 6th May 1805, D.D. (St Andrews, 16th Feb. 1831); died at Devon Grove, Dollar, 11th Oct. 1838. He marr. 1. 11th Oct. 1804, Mary (died 14th Oct. 1817, aged 31), daugh. of William Dickson of Prestonpans, and had issue Catherine Grant, born 22nd Aug. 1806, died Aug. 1834; Thomas, Lieutenant, 26th Native Infantry, Indian Army, born 11th Jan. 1807, died 11th Oct. 1829; William Dickson, wine merchant, Leith, born 27th July 1808; George Andrew Francis, born 6th May 1812, died 18th April 1813; Andrew, born 17th Jan., and died 26th Aug. 1815; George Andrew, went to Australia, born 7th Oct. 1817; 2d. 5th Aug. 1822 Helen died 25th Dec. 1854, aged 60, daugh. of John Macellan, merchant, Kirkeudbright, and had issue Elizabeth Campbell Janet, born 31st May 1824; John Campbell, born 5th Aug. 1825, died 1st Feb. 1827; John Robert, born 26th Nov. 1827, died 20th Jan. 1828; Macellan, born 26th May 1829, died 6th March 1834; Janet, born 24th Dec. 1830; Andrew, born 8th Aug. 1834.

Publications. *The Scottish Communion Service* (Edinburgh, 1829); Sermon XVI. (Gillan's *Scottish Pulpit*).

HEW SCOTT, born Haddington, 5th Feb. 1791, son of Robert S. Excise 1839 officer, and Catherine Dunbar; educated at Haddington Public School and Univ. of Edinburgh 1813-14 to 1819-20; M.A. (King's College, Aberdeen, 2nd Dec. 1816); licen. by Presb. of Haddington 24th Oct. 1820, and ord. in 1829 (by same Presb.) for service abroad, but changed his mind at the last moment and became an assistant in the General Register House, Edinburgh, taking pulpit supply on Sundays; assistant at Garvald, Lady-kirk, Cockpen, and Temple; pres. by Sir Windham Carmichael Anstruther, and adm. 12th June 1830; D.D. St Andrews 1867; died 12th July 1872. He marr. 3rd Feb. 1859, Sarah (died *s.p.* 1st May 1874), daugh. of James Kennedy, farmer, Colmonell, and widow of Alexander McDougall, schoolmaster. Dr Scott will always be remembered as the originator and chief compiler of the first edition of *Fasti Ecclesiarum Scotiarum*. Publications. The above monumental work Vol. I., Part I. (Edinburgh, 1866); Part II. (1867); Vol. II., Part I. (1868); Part II. (1869); Vol. III., Part I. (1870); Part II. (1871); *Reflections on the Death of Job: A Sermon Preached at Crail* (Edinburgh, 1827); *Sermon Preached at Temple* [on the death of an heiritor] (1835). [Biographical Sketch prefixed to the revised *Fasti* (portrait), Vol. I. (Edinburgh, 1915); Gourlay's *Anstruther*, 159-63; *Diet. Nat. Biog.*; Connolly's *Eminent Men of Fife*; Dr Charles Rogers's *Autobiography*, 81.]

JAMES BUTCHART, born Drumsturdy Muir, 23rd April 1844, son of William 1872 B. and Isabel Crighton; educated at Monifieth and Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1868); licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 24th June 1868; assistant at Arbroath; pres. by William Baird of Elie and ord. 29th Nov. 1872; died unmarr. 28th Aug. 1907.

JAMES ALEXANDER PATERSON, born Montrose, 25th April 1883, son 1908 of John Anderson P. and Jeannie McManus; educated at Montrose Academy and Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1903); B.D. (1906); licen. by Presb. of Cupar 8th May 1906; assistant at Arbroath June 1906 to Feb. 1908; ord. 12th Feb. 1908. Marr. 6th Oct. 1915, Christian Gordon, daugh. of John Cargill, Anstruther, and has issue John Cargill Sievwright, born 16th July 1916; James Galloway Thomson, born 29th Oct. 1917; Anne Chalmers, born 6th March 1919; Jeannie Isobel Sievwright McManus, born 18th May 1921; William David, born 18th Dec. 1922.

BOARHILLS (Q.S.).

[Boarhills chapel dates back to the ninth century or the tenth. When the church was built in 1865 it is said that remains of a Culdee chapel were found. There are references to such a building as the chapel of Kinglassie. From about 1840 onwards services were conducted in Bearhills school. The foundation stone of the present church was laid on 23rd May 1866, and on 20th March 1870 the parish of Boarhills was disjoined from St Andrews and St Leonards.]

DAVID STEWART, app. in 1857; ord. 1857 to Strathkinness 13th Dec. 1860.

WILLIAM WEIR TULLOCH, M.A., B.D.; app. 1870; afterwards of Maxwell Parish, Glasgow.

CHARLES G. FORRESTER, born 1871 Leuchars, 1838; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews; app. to Boarhills Mission in 1871; afterwards of Port Elizabeth, South Africa.

DAVID LUNDIE, M.A.; app. Nov. 1872 1872; afterwards of Kinlochbervie.

JOHN FAWNS CAMERON, afterwards 1880 of Blairingone.

PETER DOW, afterwards 1882 of Penicuik.

ROBERT THOMSON, M.A., B.D.
1885—afterwards of Edinburgh.

ROBERT THOMAS MARSHALL,
M.A., B.D.—afterwards of Kirkcaldy
1896—Henry.

JAMES ROBB, M.A., B.D., LL.B.
1898—Edinburgh, afterwards
secretary to the Carnegie Trust.

ALBERT TARBETT, M.A., B.D.
1894—afterwards of Kirkcaldy.

GEORGE SELBY THOMSON, M.A.
1893—B.D., afterwards of Dundee.

JOHN OWEN STAFFORD, M.A.
1897—afterwards of Grangemouth.

JOHN GORDON STEVENSON, M.A.
1900—B.D., afterwards of Dunnett, 26th Sept.
1901.

EDMOND STEWART RUSSELL,
M.A.—apparmissionary in 1900, and
in 1901, minister of Polkewell, Fife.

ALEXANDER CHRISTIAN
WILLIAM SAUNDERS, M.A.
1901—apparmissionary in 1900, and
in 1901, minister of Braemar, in
1907.

ROBERT HENRY MACKAY, B.D.
1903—Dundee, 13th Dec. 1874, son of
James Macmillan, min. of Brechin, educated at Brechin, Gordon's College, Aber-
deen, and Univ. of St. Andrews. M.A.
1897, licensed by Presb. of St. Andrew
May 1898, assistant at Inverness, Both-
well, and Wallacetown, Dundee, and
18th June 1903, served as Chaplain to the
Forces in France during the Great War.
Married Sept. 1913, Elizabeth, daughter
of James Lawrence, Forres.

CAMERON.

[An Act of Parliament was passed on
5th June 1702 for building an additional
church on the south side of St. Andrew.
The purpose of that Act was not carried
out, but on 7th April 1704 it was reported
to the Provost and Assembly of St. Andrew
that another Act had been obtained, and

that it was to be undertaken who had
been hitherto employed to be called to
the service of Kirkcaldy Parish after the
death of the Rev. Mr. Kelly. The present
church was built under.

GEORGE NAINI, M.A., Ord. May
1646—Died 1670, minister of Burntisland 17th
July 1646.

ALEXANDER WILSON, M.A., Ord.
1650—23rd April 1650, deposed by Act
of Parliament 11th Jan., and De-
creed of Privy Council 1st Oct. 1652. Ministers
of poor, unmerciful people, 1650, than 16th
July 1653 for holding services in Burntisland.
In Nov. 1658 he died at Haddington
and buried after 1654, and from 1654 in Burntis-
land, returned to his home, Langrigg,
Deo 1550. Writings, *H. C. 1650*, 483.

JAMES WILLIAMSON, M.A., Ord.
1668—23rd June 1668, minister of Kirkcaldy
1668—7th Nov. 1677.

ANDREW FLOOKER, son of Nidia, the
Dean of Guild, St. Andrews, licensed
at St. Salvator's College, St. Andrews,
M.A. 26th July 1670, died testimoniad
for Rev. Mr. John Newell, 1675, and by Presb.
and for ordination of the Rev. 1677, died
3rd June 1678, deposed by Privy Council
for not holding Presbytery of the Estate
on 13th Sept. 1676, and by Act of Parlia-
ment 27th April 1676. He married Dr. 1681,
Jean Taylor, who died 29th April 1706,
and had issue: Nidia, George, *Deo 1688*,
viii. 290.

ALEXANDER WILSON, M.A., de-
1690—mented, interred by Act of
Parliament 26th April 1690, interred
at Kirkcaldy 26th Jan. 1693.

JOHN OLIPHANT, M.A., St. Andrews,
1694—26th July 1676, called to the
ministry, and ord. 13th Dec. 1694,
died March 1717, aged about 60. He married
Euphemia Wilson, who died 1717, and had
issue: Isobel, Anna, Andrew, Thomas,
buried in Greyfriars, Edinburgh, 29th
March 1731, aged 21; David, bookseller,
Edinburgh; John, Agnes, buried 31st May
1733. Margaret, *St. A. 1694, P. 608*.

JOHN STEWART, M.A., (St Andrews, 1717) 18th April 1707; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 9th Sept. 1715; called 7th Aug. 1716; ord. 17th Jan. 1717; died 7th April 1751, aged about 64. He marr. 16th May 1718, Elizabeth Kerr, parish of Whitekirk, who died 18th June 1767.

JOHN MAIR, born 1722; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Cupar 9th Jan. 1750; pres. by George II. 6th June 1751; ord. 24th March 1752; died 29th April 1798. He marr. 2nd Dec. 1754, Margaret, only daugh. of William Forbes, surgeon, Methil, and had issue James, surgeon R.N., born 11th Dec. 1755, died 21st Aug. 1788; Alexander, licentiate of the Church of Scotland, born 11th Oct. 1757, died 24th Sept. 1781; Peter, born 5th May 1759, died 27th July 1789; Katherine, born 6th Oct. 1761; Helen, born 25th May 1764, died 25th Jan. 1765; Walter, born 5th Feb., and died 10th Aug. 1766; Bruce, born 3rd Feb. 1771, died 23rd Sept. 1789. Publication Account of the Parish (Sinclair's *Stat. Acc.*, xi.).

THOMAS ADAMSON, born 1762, son of the bedellus of the United College, St Andrews; educated at that Univ.; licen. by Presb. there 27th Sept. 1785; assistant at Dunfermline Abbey; ord. by Presb. as chaplain to St Andrews volunteers 27th Sept. 1797; pres. by George III. 18th June, and adm. 31st Aug. 1798; died 25th Feb. 1839, and was interred in the Cathedral burying-ground, St Andrews. He marr. 20th Dec. 1798, Elizabeth Mackie, Dunfermline, who died 29th Sept. 1840, aged 83, and had issue Christian, born 20th May 1803, died 17th Sept. 1806; John William, born 14th Nov. 1805; Elizabeth Katherine, born 27th March 1807 (marr. Alexander Hill of Stonywynd). Publication Account of the Parish (*New Stat. Acc.*, ix.). [Tombst.]

ANDREW BROWN, born 1805, son of B., wright, Pathhead; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Kirkcaldy 8th Sept. 1831; became assistant schoolmaster at Kileconquhar and tutor in the family of Graham Bonar of

Greigston; pres. by Queen Victoria, ord. assistant and successor 12th April 1838; died of fever 11th Dec. 1843. [Tombst.]

WILLIAM MILLIGAN, M.A.; pres. by Queen Victoria 28th Feb., and ord. 1844 30th May 1844; trans. to Kileconquhar 18th Oct. 1850.

WILLIAM PURDIE DICKSON, M.A.; pres. by Queen Victoria 23rd June, 1851; and ord. 9th Sept. 1851; ind. Professor of Biblical Criticism, Glasgow University, 2nd Oct. 1863 (*q.v.*); dem. this charge 21st Oct. 1863.

JOHN WEBSTER, M.A.; pres. by Queen Victoria 25th Nov. 1863; trans. from Anstruther Easter, 10th March 1864; trans. to St John's, Edinburgh, 28th Dec. 1876.

WILLIAM LANG BAXTER, born Muirfield, Arngask, 23rd Jan. 1841, son of Rev. Daniel B. and Beatrix Burt; educated at Aberdeen Grammar School (dux and Medallist 1855), King's College, Aberdeen (Huttonian Prizeman 1859); M.A. (1859); licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen in 1863; assistant at Fordyce and St James's, Glasgow; ord. to Arngask 18th Sept. 1867; trans. and adm. 17th May 1877; D.D. (St Andrews, 3rd March 1888). Publications *The Sabbath not for the Jew but for Man* £100 Prize Essay, by Lord's Day Observatory Society, Edinburgh, 1880; *Saintuary and Sacrifice: A Reply to Wohlhausen* (vol. iv. of "The Bible Students' Library," London, 1896); *Smooth Stones out of the Brook, or how to meet the Philistine* (Princeton Theol. Rev., xix., April 1921, reprinted separately, London, 1921).

CARNBEE.

[The church of Carnbee belonged to the Abbey of Dunfermline. The present building was erected in 1793.]

WILLIAM SCOTT, min. in 1564.—[See 1564 *Andrews Kirk-Session Record*, 229.]

ANDREW OLIPHANT, min. before 1567 1567. [*Acts and Dec.*, xlvi., 61.]

DAVID SEENS, the third son, was a member of the first General

1597 Assembly at Edinburgh, which he brought home with him the privilege of forming tribes and baronies. A complaint was made to the Assembly on 1st Aug. 1602 that he had given a certain town, possibly as a present, in virtue of his royal blood, to Mungo Stewart, that did transact and come about 1597, prior to the year 1st Dec. 1591, had Kilbrough in Newburn, and Lurgie under his charge in 1595, died in Aug. 1597. He married and had issue.

David Seens (*Edin. Post., Rec. of Acts of Parl.*, xxxvii, 1876).

GEORGE DURIE, min. in 1572, still held the parsonage in 1596. (*Soc. M. A. Soc. Edinb.*, 203.)

THOMAS WOOD, whenz at the **1578** scolls, was pres. to the Prelacy of Kirkell in the College Kirk of Our Lady called the Kirkhead beside St. Andrews by James VI, 23rd Nov. 1571 which was confirmed to him with a stipend at the Univ. Edinb. by 1572, was reader at Abdie and at Larze in 1574 and afterwards at St. Andrews, pres. to the vicarage of this par. by James VI, 5th Nov. 1576 and 29th Feb. 1579-7, as styled vicar of St. Andrew and of the Convent of Landrie in 1580 and 1582, pres. to Dysart by James VI, 10th Nov. 1584, but not settled. (*Rec. Soc. M. A. Soc. Edinb.*, xxviii, 415.)

WILLIAM LAING, probably of family of Spittal, man. and vicar of **1579** Monymusk from 1591-7, adm. to Ceres in 1597, pres. to Ceres before 1574, returned to Ceres in 1579; trans. in 1579 with vicarage of Monymusk in conjunction, died 6th Apr. 1583. (*Edinb. Test., Rec. of Parl.*, viii, 117.)

ANDREW HUNTER, ord. in 1582, **1582** trans. to Newburn in 1588.

DAVID MEARN, M.A. St. Andrews **1580** 1582, adm. to Newburn 27th Nov. 1589, trans. that year and adm. 1st Jan. 1590, pres. to the vicarage of Charles I, 2nd April 1603. When a conference took place between the parties in

Nov. 1611 relative to enforcement of many of the Articles of the Assembly of Perth, he was one of those selected on the part of the majority for negotiating the business for peace, who continued to his party by Act of High Commission 1st April 1602, and see O.S. *Papers*, vol. vii, 77. He taught and held in some degree probably his own school at Callendar. See *St. Andrews Test., Rec. Soc. M. A. Soc. Edinb.*, Rec. of Parl., xxviii, 273.

JOHN MEARN, probably of profession **1639** of St. Andrews 1622, adm. 10th April 1639, dep. 6th Jan. 1639, not only for his indiscretions of entry to the ministry and opposition of his masters but also because of his weakness in doctrine, his utter inability to exercising discipline, and his great contumacy to the Presbytery. He had a provision of £500 mark from the General Assembly in Aug. 1633, but became so reduced in circumstances that he had to except himself from the Kirk Session with O. C. 10th and 12th Dec. 1636. He married Janet, daughter of James Martin, Merchant. (*Edinb. Test., viii*, 188.)

HENRY RYMOUR or RYMER, M.A. **1641** St. Andrews 1633, adm. 29th April 1641, pres. by Charles I, 11th Jan. 1643, called to Paris in 1643, but not settled, joined the Resolutioners in 1644, suspended 27th Oct. 1646, dep. 6th April 1644, for non-conformity to Episcopacy, returned in terms of Act of Parliament and June 1649, up one of the visitors of Unives. to 4th July that year, died in Edinburgh 17th Oct. 1653, aged about 52. He married Elizabeth Lorraine, daughter of Alexander, Earl of Kintyre, Westm., and had issue John, written Edmund, David, Edward, had issue with his father in an attorney from Caskies Ferry, Feb. 1608, Elizabeth, Jean, Mary, died with her father in an annual rent from Lands of Kinneard and West Blair Jan. 1671, and perhaps James, min. of St. Andrews. (Lamont's *Test.*, 171; Weddow's *Hist.*, i, 329; Blair's *Act. of Parl.*, viii, 38, ix, 100; *Rec. Soc. M. A. Soc. Edinb.*, xxvi, 173; *Groat Soc. Library, Gen. Rep. of Soc.*, xv, xviii, xxvi.)

ANDREW BRUCE, pres. by Charles,
1664 Earl of Dunfermline; ord. before
 4th and adm. 26th Sept. 1664; trans.
 to Pittenweem 19th July 1677.

JAMES GARDEN, trans. from Mary
1673 Culter; pres. by James, Archbishop
 of St Andrews, in Aug., and adm. 6th
 Sept. 1678; app. Professor of Divinity in
 King's College, Aberdeen, 13th Oct. 1680
 (*q.v.*).

ALEXANDER LUNDIE, trans. from
1681 Orwell; pres. by Sir Robert Dalyell,
 tutor to Alexander, Earl of Kellie,
 with consent of Mary, Dowager Countess
 of Kellie, in March, and adm. 27th April
 1681; trans. to Wemyss 4th May 1683.

JOHN FALCONER, born about 1660,
1683 son of David F., D.D., Professor of
 Divinity, St. Mary's College, St
 Andrews; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh;
 M.A. (1679); became chaplain in the family
 of Wemyss of Wemyss; adm. 23rd May
 1683; deprived by Privy Council 8th Sept.
 1689, for not reading the Proclamation of
 the Estates, etc., and by Act of Parliament
 25th April 1690, restoring Presbyterian
 mins.; was consecrated a Bishop of the
 Non jurant Church at Dundee 28th April
 1700 and had the district of Brechin assigned
 to him in 1720; died at Ingismaddie 6th
 July 1723 and was buried at Logie-Pert.
 "A good and grave man and very modest,
 tall, black, and stooping." He wrote a little
 tract described as "a popular exposition of
 the various Covenants of God and especially
 of the sanctions and conditions of the
 Christian Covenants," which has been pre-
 served in MS. He marr. Elizabeth Gal-
 loway (bapt. 6th Feb. 1671, died March
 1691), daugh. of Thomas, second Lord
 Dunkeld, and had issue — James, served
 heir 15th April 1729; Thomas, — [*St
 Andrews Tests.; Services of Heirs; Scots
 Peerage*, iii., 380; Connolly's *Li'fshire Biog.*
 180; Black's *Brechin*, 323.]

HENRY RYMOUR [or RYMER],
1690 M.A., above mentioned.

JOHN ARTHUR, probably assistant
1690 to foregoing; trans. to Elie before
 27th Sept. 1692.

ROBERT FAIRWEATHER, M.A.;
1693 called 31st May, and ord. (colleague)
 5th Oct. 1693; trans. to Crail 25th
 Sept. 1701.

HUGH KEMP, adm. to Forgan before
1704 18th April 1693, when he was Presby-
 tery clerk; trans. to Dunfermline
 1st May 1701; called in Oct., and adm.
 30th Nov. 1701; died between 20th Aug.
 and 24th Sept. 1718. He marr. 11th Nov.
 1701, Margaret, daugh. of Thomas Gourlay
 of Kinraig, and widow of Thomas Spens
 of Lathallan, and had issue — James, — [*St
 Andrews Tests.*; Wood's *East Neuk*, 147.]

WILLIAM DALGLEISH, called 2nd
1719 April, and ord. 10th Sept. 1719;
 trans. to Ferryport-on-Craig 11th
 Oct. 1739.

JOSEPH PITCAIRN, born Nov. 1708,
1742 son of Joseph P., min. of Kingsbarns;
 educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (4th May 1726); licen. by Presb. there
 30th May 1733; pres. by Alexander, Earl
 of Kellie, Sept. 1741; ord. 16th Sept.
 1742; died 14th Oct. 1780. He presented
 the Communion cups to the parish, which
 are still in use. He marr. 20th Oct.
 1761, Janet, daugh. of Samuel McCormick,
 General Examiner of H.M. Books of Taxes,
 and had issue — Helen, born 13th Jan. 1763
 (marr. Alexander Brodie, min. of this
 parish); Joseph, merchant, New York, and
 benefactor to this parish, born 1st Nov.
 1764.

ALEXANDER BRODIE, born 30th
1781 June 1745, son of James B., min. of
 Latheron; educated at Univ. of St
 Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Perth 28th Sept.
 1768; ord. to Dunino 7th Jan. 1773; pres.
 by Sir John Anstruther in May; trans. and
 adm. 18th Oct. 1781; died 27th Oct. 1804.
 He marr. 30th June 1779, Helen (died at
 Edinburgh 9th March 1812, aged 49),
 daugh. of Joseph Pitcairn, min. of this
 parish, and had issue — Janet, born 30th
 March 1780 (marr. 7th Oct. 1803, Duncan
 Cowan, merchant, Edinburgh), died 1st
 Jan. 1824; James, C.B., brigadier general
 H.E.I.C.S., born 6th Feb. 1782, died 18th
 June 1831; Joseph, merchant, Hamburg,

born 20th Aug. 1783, died 14th March 1826; William, born 13th July, died 1st Sept. 1786; Alexander Oswald, merchant, New York, born 25th Sept. 1787, died 1856; Edward, born 28th Sept. 1789, died 1812; Elizabeth, born 7th Jan. 1792, died unmarr. 13th Oct. 1857; Helen, born 3rd Sept. 1793 (marr. 23rd Aug. 1830), Alexander Cowan, paper-maker, Penicuik, died 18th Dec. 1863. [Boog Watson's *Caravan Pictures*.]

JOSEPH TAYLOR, born 1740, educated at Univ. of Aberdeen, became schoolmaster of Wick, which office he dem. 4th Dec. 1763; been by Presb. of Caithness 6th Nov. 1764, ord. to Watten 21st April 1770, where he acted as factor on the Watten estate; pres. by Sir Robert Anstruther of Balaskie, Burt, Dec. 1803, trans. and adm. 2nd Aug. 1805; died at Pittenweem from injuries received in a zig accident 26th Nov. 1815. He marr. 12th June 1770, Jean (died 16th May 1796), daugh. of Duncan Forbes Ross of Kindace, and had issue: Jean, born 26th April 1780 (marr. John McKid, farmer, Watten); Robert Dunbar, lieut. 18th Foot, and merchant, Glasgow, born 5th July 1781, died 1830; Henrietta, born 8th Sept. 1782, died 1st May 1783; Elizabeth Dunbar, born 5th Oct. 1785 (marr. 7th Feb. 1812, John GoodSir, surgeon, Anstruther, and was mother of John GoodSir, the celebrated anatomist); Anne Munro, born 12th March 1789, died 1864; Joseph, second Ruit. 17th Native Infantry, India, born 26th May 1790, died 3rd March 1818; Anstruther, min. of this parish; Duncan Forbes Ross, born 12th March 1796, killed in India. Publication: *Account of Watten* (Sinclair's *Stat. Acc.* xi., "Auld's Ministers and Men in the Far North").

ANSTRUTHER TAYLOR, born 8th Nov. 1793, son of preceding, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, licen. by Presb. there 1st May 1816, pres. by Sir Robert Anstruther of Balaskie, Burt, that month; ord. 12th Sept. 1816, died unmarr. 28th Oct. 1863. Publications: *Jurisdiction of the Church over Universities and Colleges* (Edinburgh, 1814); *Case for the*

Presb. of St Andrews in the Trial against S. D. of B. & C. K.H., LL.D., F.R.S. Edinburgh, 1845; *Account of the Parish New Statistical Survey*.

THOMAS PETER JOHNSTON, 1804, born Edinburgh, 19th Aug. 1836, son of Peter Thomas J., of Og castle, Lancashire, writer, and Margaret Weston of Orrell in descent, a relative of David Webber, the poet, educated at High School and Univ. of Edinburgh, and at Marburg, Germany, licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh May 1863, assistant at Athelstaneford, pres. by Sir Robert Anstruther, Bart., ord. 6th April 1863. He marr. 6th Sept. 1863, Mary, died 1898, daughter of James Matthew, and had issue: Thomas Evans, L.D.S., St Andrews, born 24th April 1871; Mary Matthew, born 16th July 1873 (marr. James MacKinnon, consulting engineer); Hermina Margaret, born 11th Feb. 1877 (marr. Edward Elliot Morrison, LL.D., member of the Land Court); Louisa Anstruther, born 19th Sept. 1878 (marr. Thomas Robertson); Jessie Matthew, born 10th March 1881, died 15th Feb. 1885; James Haig, L.R.C.P. & S., L.D.S., Edin., L.F.P.S., Glas., dental surgeon, Dunfermline, born 21st Dec. 1883. Publications

"Columbus," prize poem in the Class of Rhetoric, Edinburgh Univ.; *B'k of d's Migraine*; *Patrick Heriot's A Target for the Reformation* (Edinburgh, 1882); *Poems* (Edinburgh, 1912); Contributions to *Chancery Journal*, and other periodicals, [*Memoirs of the Poets*, v., 372-7.]

GEORGE SPEED THOMPSON, born 1905, Captain, Fife, 12th June 1866, son of Alexander T., sergeant in the 42nd Foot, Royal Highlanders, The Black Watch, who won the Victoria Cross in the attack on Fort Religh, 15th April 1858, and Isabella Speed, educated at St Ninians School, Perth, and Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1892), B.D. (1895); licen. by Presb. of Perth 15th May 1895; assistant at West St Nicholas, Aberdeen, Bearhills, and South Church, Greenock; ord. to West Maybole 16th April 1898; trans. assistant and successor 17th May 1905; served as chaplain attached to Royal

Scots Greys South African Field Force, 1903-4; app. chaplain to Fife and Forfar Yeomanry in 1905; T.D. 1912; served as chaplain with the British Expeditionary Force, 1914-15; "1914 Star," Marr. 27th April 1910, May Catherine, daugh. of James Tosh, and has issue Christine Campbell, born 12th April 1911; Isabel May, born 5th May 1913; Alexander Frederick, born 6th March, and died 18th Nov. 1917; Elizabeth Munro, born 31st May 1920. Publication "*War Memorials and Sketches by a Scottish Chaplain* (Paisley, 1916).

CELLARDYKE (Q.S.).

[The church was dedicated here 6th March 1881. The parish of Cellardyke was disjoined from Kilrenny 28th March 1883.]

CHARLES BEVERIDGE ROSS, M.A. 1881 (Edinburgh 1877), B.D.; served as a licentiate 9th April 1881 to March 1882. See p. 62.)

JAMES HIRAM WATSON, born 27th Oct. 1852, only son of James Rutherford W., min. of Eccles; educated at Eccles School and Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Duns; assistant at Fraserburgh and Peterhead; adm. to Cellardyke Chapel July 1882; res. March 1883; devoted himself to literature, writing under the pen-name of "Andrew Cheviot"; died unmarr. at Edinburgh 24th Jan. 1903. Publications *Black Agnes, a Romance of the Siege of Dunbar* (Dunbar, 1890); *Trick, Trial, and Triumph: a Clerical Detective Story* (Perth, 1891); *The Provost of St Pauls* (Perth, 1893); *Proverbs, Proverbial Expressions and Popular Rhymes of Scotland* (Paisley, 1896). [*The Border Almanac*, 1904.]

JAMES RAY, born Paisley, 13th April 1859, son of Robert R. and Elizabeth Forrest; educated at John Neilson's School and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1878); licen. by Presb. of Paisley July 1880; assistant at Kilbarhan and North Leith; ord. first min. of the parish 8th June 1883; trans. to St James's Chapel, Portobello, 3rd Oct. 1916. Marr. 6th June 1888, Agnes Bonthrone, fourth daugh. of

Philip Oliphant, solicitor, Austruther, and has issue Robert, born 12th April 1889; Philip Oliphant, R.F.C., born 15th June 1893, killed in action in the Great War 13th April 1917; James Forrest, born 28th Feb. 1896.

JAMES ROBERT LEE, born North Berwick, 20th Dec. 1885, son of Charles Hamilton L. and Mary Hamilton White; educated at Lenzie Collegiate School, Springburn Higher Grade School, Glasgow, and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. 1906, B.D. 1909; licen. by Presb. of Glasgow April 1909; assistant at Govan; ord. to Glengarry 17th Dec. 1914; trans. and adm. 28th Feb. 1917.

CRAIL.

[In early times the church of Crail was dedicated to St Malrubh, but there was a later dedication to St Mary. The church belonged to the Cistercian Nunnery of Haddington. A collegiate foundation was given to this church in 1517. Within the building there were altars of the Holy Rood, St Michael, St Katherine, St John the Baptist, St James, St John the Evangelist, St Bartholomew, St Stephen, and St Nicholas. At Kilmunning, in the parish, there was a chapel of St Monan. From 1600 to 1646 this parish had a Second Charge. A Roodmas fair was held at Crail.]

JOHN MELVILLE, became min. in 1560 1560, though not universally acknowledged as such, as appears from his complaint, 5th Oct. 1561, that certain persons threatened to take him out of the pulpit "be the luggis and chais him out of the town," for which offence they were obliged to make penitential confession. On 27th Dec. 1565, the Assembly interdicted him from solemnizing a marriage until an objection to it was first heard by the Superintendent and two others. [He was afterwards min. of Spott.]

THOMAS KINNEAR, elected by the baillies, council, and community with 1566 consent of the Superintendent and adm. before 25th Feb. 1566; pres. to the

Priory by James VI, 1st th Dec. 1560, dep. by General Assembly Oct. 1577. He was pres. by the magistrates and canonized to the prebend of St. Nicolas Altar in the College Kirk of Crail 25th Nov. 1572, but his duties being neglected the magistrates on 15th Nov. 1577 declared the office vacant. He was banished the burgh, 11th Jan. 1579, on a charge of adultery. [Reg. Assis. of Crail, *Crail, County Reg.,* Rows Hist., Willm. Moseley.]

JOHN EDMESTOUN, trans. from 1578 Tullibole in 1578; pres. to the vicarage pensionary by James VI, 3rd April 1581, holding the prebend of St. James's Altar in the College Kirk of Crail and resigning that of St. Katherine in the same church; trans. to High Kirk, Edinburgh, in 1584.

HENRY LEITCH, adm. before 12th 1588 Jan. 1589, trans. to Auchtermuchty in 1593.

ANDREW MONCREIFF, son of Sir 1593 William M. of that ilk and Jean Oliphant, adm. to Kello, either in 1576; app. by Privy Council, 6th March 1589, one of the commissioners for preservation of the "true religion" in the sherrifdom of Fife, and nominated by the Assembly, 25th April 1593, one of three to visit the Presbyteries of Lothian; trans. and adm. 2nd Sept. 1593, died 8th Aug. 1606. He marr. Janet Moncrieff who survived him, and marr. 2d William Murray, min. of this parish, and had issue: Andrew, died before 16th Dec. 1643; John, min. of Kinghorn; James; William. [Reg. Assis. St. Andrews Test.; McVills' *Act. & Reg. Rec. Fife,* 347, 484; *Reg. de Test.* 34; G. R. 818, xvii, 238.]

ANDREW DUNCAN, Regent in St. 1593 Leonard's College, St. Andrews, and Rector of the Grammar School of Dundee from 1571; pres. by James, Lord Lindsey, ord. 11th Sept. 1593, coll. 2nd March 1597; attended the Assembly at Aberdeen, 2nd July 1605, despite the royal authority. For this he was imprisoned at Blackness, tried at Linlithgow with four others, 10th Jan. 1606, found guilty and

banned the kingdom for life. He settled at Berwick and became a Professor of Theology in the College of Rochelle May 1607. He returned to Scotland before 1st July 1613, submitted to the King, and obtained permission to remain, resuming his ministry in this parish. He was summoned before the Court of High Commission, 13th April 1619, but declined its authority, was suspended 22nd, confined to the town of Dundee, and dep. 16th May 1620. In 1621 he presented a supplication in name of certain ministers to the Lord Clerk Register, for which he was confined by the Privy Council in Dunbarton Castle. He was liberated 2nd Oct. and allowed to reside in any parish but Crail or Edinburgh. He went to Kilrenny, but was obliged to leave there for Berwick-upon-Tweed, where his great pecuniary difficulties were relieved "almost miraculously" by an unknown lady, died in 1629, aged about 60. He marr. Janet Liwell, and had issue: John, William, David, Bessie, and three others, who predeceased him. Publications: *Litterae Germanicae ad parvorum suorum etiam per litteras ex usum cultorum* in Edinburgh, 1595; *Appellatio Etymologica in primis quatuor litteris* in Edinburgh, 1597; *Rudimenta Poetica* in Edinburgh, 1598; *St. Leonardi Pervicere Crinis* in Edinburgh, 1599; *Appellatio* in Edinburgh, 1597; *Admonitio ad Hoc* (sciss.); *Letters to the Justis of Scotland's Colderwood's Hist.,* viii, 184; *Org. Lett.*, ii, 1. [Reg. Assis. Bk. of the Kirk, Pitmedden Crim. Test., iii, 293, 503; Livingstone's *Churc.*] [

WILLIAM MURRAY, son of David Ma. 1600 portioner of Ardeth, and Margaret Kirk, ddy., was a min. 6th Oct. 1597; adm. to Second Charge, Crail, 14th Sept. 1600; trans. to First Charge; pres. by Sir Andrew Murray of Edvard, Knight; adm. 16th April 1607, suspended 7th April 1624 on account of his behaviour with Helen Wood in his wife's lifetime, and his haste in marrying her after his wife's decease. His suspension was removed 6th Oct. following, but the Synod did not consider it advisable he should exercise the ministry here. He marr. (1) Janet (died

Aug. 1623), widow of Andrew Monereiff, min. of this parish: (2) Helen Wood, and had issue—Janet, died before 1625; Margaret marr. Arthur Myrton of Pittowie. Publication *Nine Songs paraphrased out of Scripture* 1631. [Fife Sheriff-Court Books, 5th Oct. 1624; *G. R. Sis.*, xvii., 235; *Acts and Dec.*, cccxlii., 187.]

JOHN DUGLAS, son of John D. of Parkhead; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (22nd Feb. 1602); adm. min. of the Auld North British Regiment in the Low Countries on the suit of Sir William Edmond, lieut.-colonel; ord. (in Stirling Church by a committee of Presb.) 20th Feb. 1603; adm. to Second Charge, St Andrews, 1621; D.D. (25th July 1621); trans. and adm. in 1624; on Commission for Maintenance of Church Discipline 21st Oct. 1634; died before 22nd Oct. 1635, aged about 54. He marr. Catherine Lindsay, who was buried in Greyfriars 30th Aug. 1674, and had issue—Daniel, min. of Hilton.—[*Reg. Sec. Sis.*; *Fife Sis.*, xix., 31, 34.]

GEORGE HALYBURTON, min. of Dunino in 1633; pres. by Charles I. 1635 22nd Oct. 1635; was accused by Lord Lindsay in Assembly, 7th Dec. 1638, of misversation of church funds, but it is said Lord L. had an animus against him as H. had been admitted to the parish without his consent as patron. The matter was referred to the Presbytery and the parish was vacant in 1639. He marr. Elspeth Gledstones, widow of Sir John Wemyss of Craigtown, and had issue—William, portioner of Kincaipe; George; Elspeth. [*Reg. Sec. Sis.*; Baillie's *Letters*, i., 154; *Reg. of Deeds*, ccclxiv., 150, ccclxvi. 3.]

ARTHUR MYRTON, born about 1600, 1640 son of William M. of Cambo; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (21st July 1621); adm. before 7th April 1640; died in 1645. Publication *The Touchstone of Conversion, or Marks of True Faith in the Heart* (London, 1647).—[Wood's *East Neuk*, 461; *Miscell. Scot.*, iii.; Baillie's *Letters*.]

JAMES SHARP, pres. by John, Earl of Crawford, in 1647; adm. 27th Jan. 1648 1648; trans. to be third professor in the New College of St Andrews 16th Jan. 1661 [afterwards Archbishop of St Andrews (*q.v.*)].

ALEXANDER EDWARD, M.A.; Regent of Humanity in Old College, 1663 St Andrews; adm. to Dunino 13th Oct. 1652; trans. and adm. 5th Aug. 1663; D.D. (1672); died 7th May 1684, aged about 61, and was “buried behind Balcomie’s seat, where the ministers do celebrate the Sacrament of the Lord’s Supper.” He marr. Isabell Davidson, and had issue—Thomas, min. of Tynningham; David, born 1653; Isobel marr. David Taylor, min. of Anstruther Wester; Helen; James, born 1659. [*St Andrews Tests.*; *Tombst.*; Blair’s *Autob.*; *Miscell. Scot.*, ii.]

ALEXANDER LESLIE, born about 1637, fourth son of James L. of Warthill, Aberdeenshire, and Beatrix Abercrombie; educated at King’s College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1657); became chaplain to David Leslie, first Lord Newark; had a testimonial for licence from Presb. of St Andrews 25th April 1665; ord. to Anstruther Wester 12th, and adm. 17th Jan. 1666; trans. to Ceres 17th Oct. 1667; pres. by Thomas Monereiff of that ilk in Sept., trans. and adm. 22nd Oct. 1684; deprived by the Privy Council, 17th Sept. 1689, for not reading Proclamation of the Estates, etc. He was called “Long Leslie” from his height; one of his intimates was Archbishop Sharp, who rested at Ceres manse for an hour or two on the afternoon on which he was murdered at Magus Muir 3rd May 1679; prohibited from exercising any part of his clerical functions under a severe penalty by the Privy Council in 1693. He continued, however, to minister at Crail to those of his parishioners who did not conform to Presbyterianism. The old Episcopal chapel on the Bankhead Brae, above Crail Harbour, was probably built for these services; died 23rd Sept. 1703.

He marr. 13th Jan. 1674, Helen, daugh. of John Symer, min. of Meigle, and had issue—Alexander, born 1678; David, merchant,

Anstruther, Sept. 2, 1684, died 1696; Anne, born 1681, marr. 13th Aug. 1692, Henry Crawford, of Helms, born 1684, marr. 10th Dec. 1694, John Lindsay of Newton, of Nydick, merchant, Crail, died 21st Dec. 1734, Isobel, bapt. 13th Sept. 1657, James, merchant, Crail, died in the Rising of 1715, Sheriff Clerk of Fifeshire, died 1730. [T. S. *Society of Hairs, G. R. Lovell*, 29th Sept. 1675.] Beveridges, *Obituary of Men of Note of Crail*, 1622.

WILLIAM HARDIE, M.A., called 2nd, 1800, and ord. 23rd Sept. 1800, trustee to Second Chargee, St. Andrews, 1st May 1791.

ROBERT FAIRWEATHER, M.A., St Andrews, 2nd Aug. 1684, licensed by Presb. of Anstruther and Mearns, 1st Sept. 1692, assistant at Crichton, ord. to Carnbee, 5th Oct. 1693, called 13th Aug. 1694, trans. and adm. 25th Sept. 1701, died May 1738, aged about 52. He married 23rd Jan. 1702, Anne, died June 1703, aged 24, daughter of Patrick Lindsay of Wormiston, commissary clerk of St Andrews, and Katherine, daughter of Robert Bethune, of Bunkle, and died issue Patrick, bapt. 17th Nov. 1702, Anne, bapt. 1st May 1704; 2, 13th July 1710, Richard Bethune, who died 3rd March 1758. Lydia Anne, buried 28th June 1800, aged 67, may have been a daughter by his second wife. — *Sc. Peerage*, v. 315, *Spec. Rec. Reg.*, 472; *Wood's Exct. N. & S.*, 455.

PATRICK GLAS, born 1702, M.A., St. Andrew, 3rd May 1721, licensed by Presb. there 12th Sept. 1728, appointed assistant here 5th Dec. 1732, call'd 11th Sept. 1733, and ord. assistant and curate 25th Dec. 1733, died 27th May 1787. He married 16th 31st May 1750, Anne, died 5th Feb. 1760, daughter of James Dickson, merchant, St Andrews, and had issue Elizabeth, born 18th Aug. 1757, Helena Hay, Jan. 1760, born 31st Jan. 1760, 2, 23rd April 1764, Elizeth, died 26th June 1776, daughter of William Lindsay, M.D., of Foddinie, and Isob. Mar-
garet, born 21st Feb. 1745, marr. 18th Aug. 1769, Alexander Cheyne, chief officer

of the Royal Guard, and Capt. Hardee, William, born 1st March 1767, died 27th Dec. 1800. Catherine, born 2nd Feb. 1749, marr. Patrick Murray man of Kilmallock, Dromore, and died Dec. 1770. Patrick, born 23rd Aug. 1752, died 18th Oct. 1763. Eliza, born 1st May 1753, Sept. 1773, marr. 3rd Aug. 1773, David Cowing, farmer, Tiverton, in the parish of Dunfermline, died June 1777; Charles, born 26th Nov. 1779, died 6th Oct. 1791; Walter, born 1st May 1783.

Cat. Rec. Reg., Spec. Rec. Reg., 3625; Beveridges, *Obituary of Men of Note of Crail*, 200; Connally's *Local History Sketch*, 1839, 173.

ROBERT GLENDRINNING, born Moffat, 1701, licensed by Presb. of Edinburgh 26th July 1729, probably trustee for creditor of William Hall of Crawford, Nov. 1787, died 1st May 1788, having become entangled in difficulties at the same time, these manifested in 22d April 1789. [See *St. Andrews Presb.*]

ANDREW BILL, born 3rd Sept. 1755, elder son of John Bill, rector in Kildrummy, in 1700, of Presb. of St. Andrews, M.A., 1774, tutor in the family of Admiral, afterward Viscount Duncan, born by Presb. of St. Andrews 12th Oct. 1788, presbytery St. Davy, Kirk of Gilman, as trustee of royal 8 Sept. 1789, ord. 6th May 1790, died suddenly 30th June 1828. He married 1st Dec. 1796, Catherine, died 5th April 1822, daughter of David Beatson, min. of Dundarney, and had issue: — Annabella, born 25th May 1798, marr. 21st Sept. 1820, Charles Narine, W.S., died 26th March 1874; Margaret, born 18th March 1800, marr. 21st July 1826, John Marshall, Lord Churchill, *post mort.* died 1st Nov. 1860; Catharine Beatson, born 21st Feb. 1801, died 6th Feb. 1812; John Beatson, W.S., agent for the Charities of Scotland, in 23rd Sept. 1807, died 15th May 1868; David Beatson, born 16th June 1804.

WILLIAM MERSON, bapt. 1st Dec. 1828, fifth son of John M. Blacksmith, Huntly, educated at King's College, Aberdeen, M.A., 20th March 1849,

and Univ. of St Andrews; assistant master in Grammar School, Aberdeen; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 29th March 1815; assistant at Pittenweem and Cupar; tutor in the family of Lieut. Colonel Andrew Glas, H.E.L.C.S.; assistant in Univ. Library, St Andrews; assistant at Pittenweem, and Cupar; pres. by Lady Mary Lindsay Crawford and Lieut. Colonel Glas; ord. 30th July 1828; died 8th Jan. 1865. He marr. 29th Jan. 1830, Jessie Grant (died 18th Dec. 1841), daugh. of said Lieut. Colonel Glas, and had issue — Andrew, accountant, Oriental Bank, Melbourne, born 2nd Feb. 1831; Jessie Harriet, born 23rd Jan. 1832, accidentally burnt to death 21st Nov. 1836. Publication—*Account of the Parish (New Stat. Acc.)*, ix.).

JOHN REID, born Drumoak, 30th Aug. 1835 1833, son of William R. and Mary Mitchell; educated at Grammar School and Marischal College, Aberdeen; licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen 23rd June 1857; assistant at Largs and Cortachy; ord. 3rd May 1865; died 8th Feb. 1917. He marr. 23rd Oct. 1863, Jane Brown (died 30th Dec. 1896), daugh. of John Brown, and had issue William, born 16th April 1868; Jane Fleming, born 5th March 1870; John, born 15th Feb. 1872; Robert, born 9th Sept. 1873, died 30th March 1904; James Charles, born 15th Jan. 1876; Alexander Brown, born 18th July 1878.

WILLIAM MURRAY MILNE, born 1915 Glasgow, 27th July 1883, son of George M., shipbroker, Helensburgh, and Barbara Murray; educated at Glasgow Academy and Univ.; M.A. (1906); licen. by Presb. of Dumbarton April 1909; assistant at Logie, Bridge of Allan; ord. to Maeduff 24th March 1911; trans. and adm. (assistant and successor) 17th Nov. 1915. Marr. 29th July 1919, Kathleen Florence May, youngest daugh. of Frederick Roome Lumsden, schoolmaster, Newburn, and has issue William Murray, born 8th June 1920.

CRAIL.—DUNINO

SECOND CHARGE.

WILLIAM MURRAY, M.A.; adm. 1600 13th Sept. 1600; trans. to First Charge 19th April 1607.

PATRICK JAMESON, M.A. (St Andrews 1641 1632); studied divinity at Aberdeen; Regent in Univ. of St Andrews; adm. in 1641; was in bad health 5th April 1642, and probably died before 4th Oct. that year. Publication—*Elegy XL.*, XLII. (Forbes's *Funeral Sermons*).

JOHN HEART, M.A.; adm. 1643 22nd March 1643; trans. to Dunino 30th Dec. 1646.

THIRD CHARGE.

[Subsequently erected into parish of Kingsbarns.]

JOHN MACBIRNIE, M.A.; adm. 1601 about 1601, preaching at Kingsbarns; trans. to Ferryport-on-Craig 10th May 1604.

DUNINO.

[The rectory of Dunino belonged to the college of St Salvator at St Andrews.]

DAVID GUILD, M.A.; adm. about 1564 1564; trans. to Kemback in 1570.

JAMES MARTIN, elected by the Provost and Masters of St Salvator's College, St Andrews; confirmed by King James VI. 30th Nov. 1570; trans. to Kemback before 1574.

THOMAS BROWN, adm. in 1574; 1574 trans. to Kemback in 1578.

JOHN RUTHERFURD, adm. in 1578; 1578 trans. to Kemback in 1579.

DAVID MONYPENNY, adm. in 1579; 1579 trans. to Kemback before 1585.

DAVID MARTIN, third son of John M., Dean of Guild, St Andrews; became 1591 Regent in St Salvator's College there; ord. 5th April 1591; still min. in 1597, and died shortly thereafter. (Macfarlane's *Gen. Coll.*, iii. 191.)

JAMES HAMILTON, M.A., son of James Hamilton, 1607, Minister of St Andrews, died at Crail, 1636; Master of St Andrews, May 1636, and afterwards Master of the Royal Hospital to Parliament during the Interregnum. Died 1st July 1651. July 1636, was one of a Committee appointed by Assembly to revise the Book of Common Prayer, in 1637, was summoned before the Court of High Commission, 23rd Dec. 1637, for not observing his duty as a minister of the Church of Scotland in not meeting the other presbyters of the Assembly at Edinburgh, and ordered 21st April that year to be sent to the Tower, was released 29th March 1638. He married Majorie Hay, who died 13th Feb. 1626. *St. A. L.* [See *James Hamilton, Kirk, Linlithgow, etc.*, p. 17, and *Index*, 2d July 1626, *R. & D.*, *vol. vii*, 42.]

GEORGE HALIBURTON, man before 1633—1634, trans. to Crail, July 1634.

DAVID FOIRIE, M.A., Rector in Old College, St Andrews, admitted about 1638, trans. to Forfar in 1640.

JAMES WOOD, son of a merchant, 1640, St Andrews, was a Rector in the Old College, then died. In 1640 elected Professor of Divinity in Marischal College, and man of Grayfriars, Aberdeen. 1643, went to settled, trans. to be third Master in the New College, St Andrews, received 15th March 1644, died about 1648. His wife, Elizabeth, died 16th Sept. 1648, and his daughter, of James' Christians, married, St Andrews, and had issue William, John, and others. St Andrew Ketherine married John Leitch, an Armenian, William, eldest son of Walter Fairtoun, of Leith, Ten Weston, three other sons and four other daughters, all both dead 1648. Attacked and died 1648 of John Napier of Lepor, provost of St Andrews. *I. & S.*, xix, 1, 66. *R. & D.*, 2d July 1633, June 1642, 6, *R. & D.*, 4th Dec. 1671.

JOHN HEART, M.A., trans. from Crail, and died 3rd Dec. 1646. 1646, trans. to Dunkeld in 1650.

MARION HARLIE, K. MA., son of John Marley, died Aug. 1650, Oct. 1651. 1652, buried at Crail, 16th Aug. 1653.

WILLIAM MOORE, M.A., died 1653, Nov. 1653, trans. to St. Paul's Church, St Andrews, 1st July 1653.

JOHN BARCLAY, M.A., died 1654, Dec. 1654, trans. to Kirkcaldy 1654.

PAUL MUTHVEN, M.A., St Andrews, 27th July 1654, died 1st August 1655. 1657, license from Pres. of St Andrews 15th Nov. 1656, and trans. to St. Paul's, Kirkcaldy, 2nd Nov. 1656. Was married 29th April 1657, and died 29th June 1671.

ANDREW AUCHINLEK, K. MA., St Andrews, 26th July 1657, died 1st July 1658. 1659, license and trans. to Pres. of St Andrews 17th March 1660, died 3rd April 1672, trans. to Kirkcaldy 11th May 1681 till next Synt. of the present Kirk, Kirkcaldy. His son, John Auchinleck, has been the president of law in Edinburgh, trans. to Newgate, 6th July 1672.

WILLIAM WOOD, M.A., St Andrews, 26th July 1671, died 21st October 1672. 1673, license from Pres. of St Andrews 26th Aug. 1673, died 16th April 1683, esp. for continuance 2nd May 1683, died April 1706, and died 27th April 1706. He married Sept. 1700, Helen Christopher, and had issue John, Elizabeth, 1674, *etc.* See *Wood*.

JAMES KNOX, bapt. 15th Aug. 1688, son of Robert Knox, writer, Edinburgh, 1697, and greater grandfather of the Reformer, educated at Univ. of Edinburgh, M.A. 26th July 1698, licensed by Pres. of Edinburgh about 1699, called in March, and ord. 2nd Sept. 1697, died 16th May 1719. He married 27th April 1709, Margaret Wedderburn, and had issue Helen, bapt. 28th March 1711, died in infancy. Margaret, bapt. 21st April 1702, died in 1783. Christian, bapt. 25th July 1704. Anna, bapt. 27th March 1705. William, lieutenant, bapt. 10th July 1708. Janet, bapt. 15th July 1710. Helen, bapt. 15th Oct. 1710, deceased 17th May 1713.

Mandalen, bapt. 24th Aug. 1715; Christian, bapt. 6th April 1717; Elizabeth, born 19th Sept. 1720; marr. 1741, Robert West, Dundee. [See *Archives Testis.*; *Edin. Biggs.*; *Crawford's Knox Genealogy.* 7, *Eccles. Rec.* Grou. 7025.]

JOHN TOD, M.A., St Andrews, 3rd May 1727; licen. by Presb. 21st **1741** Dec. 1737; called 26th Dec. 1740; ord. 24th June 1741; died at Balhunroo, 28th Dec. 1771. He marr. 15th Dec. 1739, Alison Landie, died at Pittenweem, 12th Jan. 1814, aged 84, daugh. of the Rev. Alexander Tod, Landerlorgi, Kingsmuir, and had issue—David, born 21st Oct. 1759; Alison, born 29th April 1752; Margaret (marr. John Bell, tenant of Kilkinean). [See *Archives Testis.*]

ALEXANDER BRODIE, pres. by the Principal and Masters of the United **1773** College of St Andrews June 1772; ord. 7th Jan. 1773; trans. to Carnbee 18th Oct. 1781.

JOHN BRAID, M.A. (St Andrews 1766), licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 15th **1782** Dec. 1773; pres. by Principal and Masters of the United College Dec. 1781; ord. 9th May 1782; died 5th Oct. 1785. He marr. 29th Dec. 1783, Margaret Campbell, who died 29th May 1822, and had issue—Helen, born 18th Oct. 1784.

HENRY DAVID HILL, born 21st April 1762, son of John Hill, min. of St **1793** Andrews; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by the Presb. there 7th Sept. 1785; pres. by the Principal and Masters of the United College in March, and ord. 24th Aug. 1786; dem. 25th Oct. 1789, on appointment as Professor of Greek in Univ. of St Andrews (21st Oct. 1789); died 11th Nov. 1820. He marr. (1) 1st Oct. 1802, Margaret (died 11th Dec. 1814), daugh. of Archibald Borthwick, banker, Edinburgh, whose title as seventeenth Lord Borthwick was in abeyance till 1870, and Margaret Neilson, daugh. of James Scott, C.S., and had issue—John, Commissary General of the Madras Army, born 19th Sept. 1803; Margaret, born 26th Dec. 1804; Jean McCormick, born 18th

April 1806 (marr. Walter Weir, min. of Longformacus); Rachel, born 11th Sept. 1811 (marr. as his second wife, William Wallace Duncan, min. of Cleish, afterwards of the Free Church, Peebles); (2) 31st Aug. 1818, Mary Baxter, and had issue—Jemima, born 30th July 1819, died unmarr. Publication *Essays on the Institutions, Governments, and Manners of the States of Ancient Greece* (London, 1819, 2nd edition, 1823). [Mrs Rodger's *A Book of Remembrance* (private circulation, 1913).]

JAMES BROWN, born 1763; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 2nd Sept. **1790** 1789; pres. by the Principal and Masters of the United College in Feb., and ord. 13th May 1790; dem. 5th June 1796, on appointment as Professor of Natural Philosophy in Univ. of Glasgow; died 3rd June 1836.

JAMES HUNTER, pres. by the Principal and Masters of the United **1796** College in June, and adm. 22nd Sept. 1796; dem. 3rd Oct. 1804, on appointment as Professor of Logic and Rhetoric in the United College, St Andrews [afterwards min. of St Leonard's *q.v.*].

JAMES ROGER, born Ryhill of Conpar-Grange, Bendochy, 24th **1805** June 1767, son of Peter Roger, farmer, and Janet, daugh. of Thomas Davidson of Woldlaw, Forfarshire; educated at Unive. of St Andrews and Aberdeen; licen. by Presb. of Dundee 11th May 1791; assistant at Cortachy and Moniteth; adm. school-master of Monikie 4th Dec. 1799; res. 11th June 1800; became secretary to George Dempster of Dunnichen, M.P.; was first editor of the *Dundee Advertiser*; was sometime a journalist in London, and assistant at Dunnichen; pres. by the Principal and Masters of United College, St Andrews, Nov. 1801; ord. 2nd May 1805; died 23rd Nov. 1849. He marr. 17th Jan. 1823, Jean (died 18th April 1825, aged 22), daugh. of William Haldane, min. of Kingoldrum, and had issue—an only child—Charles, D.D., LL.D., min. of North Church, Dunfermline, born 18th April 1825. Publications—*General View of the A*

Sketches of the County of Angus or Forfar
 with preliminary Observations by George
 Dempster, Esq., of Dunichen; Edinburgh,
 1794. — *Essays on Government*, Edinburgh,
 1797. — Account of Monikie and of Dunino
 Snelders' *Stat. Agric.* viii.; *New Stat. Agric.*
 ix.; *Four Pictish Families*, 31-6.
 Charles Rogers' *Letters from my Auto-*
graph, 1-80.]

JOHN BURNS, born St Andrews
 1816; educated at St Andrews
 1850 Univ.; M.A.; taught classes in
 Madras College, and Moral Philosophy and
 Logic in Univ. of St Andrews; assistant
 at Alloa; ord. to Dunichen 27th Sept.
 1839; trans. and adm. 12th June 1850;
 died unmarr. 18th Nov. 1863.

JOHN BIRRELL, ord. 15th June 1864;
 1864 trans. to Professorship of Hebrew
 and Oriental Languages, St Mary's
 College, St Andrews (*q.v.*), 4th Nov. 1871;
 dem. this charge 30th Oct. 1872.

JAMES EWAN, born Strathkinness, 2nd
 May 1838; educated at High School,
 1873 Dundee, and Univ. of St Andrews;
 B.D. 1879; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews
 2nd Nov. 1879; missionary at Annbank,
 Tarbolton; ord. by Presb. of Ayr 5th Nov.
 1872; assistant at Tarbolton; pres. by the
 United College, and adm. 8th May 1873;
 died unmarr. 21st Jan. 1911.

ALEXANDER MACDONALD, born
 Montrose, 12th Oct. 1883, son of
 1911 Alexander M. and Elizabeth Milne
 Baird; educated at Harris Academy,
 Dundee, and Univ. of St Andrews; M.A.
 (1906); B.D. (1910), also at Univ. of Berne;
 licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 3rd Aug.
 1910; assistant to Professor of Hebrew,
 St Mary's College; ord. 12th April 1911.

ELIE.

[A church was built and endowed here
 by William Scott of Ardross, trustee of
 his father, Sir William Scott of Elie. It
 was opened on 17th April 1690. The parish
 of Elie was disjoined from Kilconquhar on
 11th Sept. 1641. At Earlsferry, within the
 bounds, a fair of St Nicholas was held.]

JOHN CARMICHAEL, parson of the
 1622 church of Elie; died June 1622.—
 [Book of Trochrig's Oats, Bannatyne
 Club.]

ROBERT TRAIL, M.A.; pres. by
 1639 William Scott of Ardross in June,
 and adm. 17th July 1639; trans. to
 Greyfriars, Edinburgh, 23rd March 1649.

ROBERT WEMYSS of Baddvie, born
 1640 St Andrews; educated at Univ.
 there; M.A. (1663); was on the
 Exercise of the Presb. of St Andrews 25th
 Aug. 1647; pres. by William Scott of
 Ardross in March, and adm. 16th Aug.
 1639; deprived by Act of Parliament 11th
 June and Decret. of Privy Council 1st
 Oct. 1662; dep. 6th April 1665, for refus-
 ing his submission to Episcopacy. He
 marr. Jan. 1657, Mary (died in child-
 birth Aug. 1668), eldest daugh. of Dr
 John Sharp, Edinburgh, and had issue
 William; Robert; John; Marie.
 [Lamont's *Dairy*, 166, 191; Blair's *Autobi.*;
G. R. Inhib., 14th Sept. 1677.]

ALEXANDER GILLESPIE of Newton
 1677 Rires; called min. in 1677. He marr.
 Christian Small. — [Wood's *East
 Neuk*, 121.]

ALEXANDER WILSON, M.A.; be-
 1678 came chaplain to Scott of Ardross
 before 18th Aug. 1661; had a testi-
 monial for licence from Presb. of Auchter-
 arder 7th Sept. 1670; pres. by Sir William
 Scott of Ardross in Jan., and adm. 8th
 May 1678, deprived by Privy Council
 8th Sept. 1689, for not reading the Pro-
 clamation of the Estates, etc. He after-
 wards intruded at Fern and subsequently
 at Kinnaird.

JOHN ARTHUR, probably assistant
 1692 at Carnbee in 1690; trans. and adm.
 before 27th Sept. 1692; died after
 16th April 1699.

JAMES CHALMERS of Radernie,
 1701 second son of John C. of Pitmeedin,
 cadet of the family of Gadgirth, and
 Rector of the Grammar School of Cupar
 Fife, and Katherine, daugh. of Michael
 Balfour of Randerston; educated at

Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (12th July 1698); licen. by Presb. of Cupar 12th Sept. 1699; called Oct. 1700; ord. 16th April 1701; died of consumption 20th Jan. 1741, aged about 63. He marr. 1st June 1702, Agnes (died 26th Feb. 1761), daugh. of Robert Merchiston, min. of Kirkpatrick Juxta, and had issue—Helen, born 19th March 1703, died young; Katherine, born 6th May 1705 (marr. Thomas Key, min. of Kilrenny); Marion, born 4th March 1707; Helen, born 14th May 1708 (marr. Nathan Pattullo, shipmaster, Elie), died 20th Nov. 1787; Christian, born 27th Dec. 1709, died 20th June 1761; John of Radernie, his successor in the parish; James, shipowner, Anstruther [grandfather of Thomas Chalmers, D.D.], born 13th Dec. 1713, died 1788; Robert of Pittmeddin, born 24th June 1715, died 1771; Margaret, born 19th April 1717 (marr. pro. 24th May 1747, William Chalmers, printer, Edinburgh); Patrick, brewer in Elie, born 24th May 1719, died 2nd Sept. 1779; Agnes, born 9th April 1721 (marr. — Borthwick); Alexander, born 1725. [Hanna's *Life of Chalmers*; Connolly's *Fife-shire Biog.*, 111; Genealogical Note, *Letters and Journals of Anne Chalmers*, 189.]

JOHN CHALMERS, D.D. of Radernie, 1738 son of preceding; called 16th Nov. 1737; ord. (assistant and successor) 31st May 1738; trans. to Kileconquhar 19th June 1760.

WILLIAM PAIRMAN, born 1735, son 1761 of John P., Biggar, Lanarkshire, and nephew of Principal Leishman, who bequeathed his library to him; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1756); licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 30th April 1760; pres. by Sir John Anstruther of that ilk, Bart., in Jan., and ord. 12th May 1761; died 17th Feb. 1768. He marr. 28th May 1770, Helen, second daugh. of David Ramsay, Prestonpans, and had issue—Jean, born 27th Feb. 1771 (marr. Robert M'Wraith of Auchinflower); Helen, born 18th Oct. 1772 (marr. 31st July 1797, George Birrell, Kirkealdy); William, born 1st Aug. 1774, died 14th June 1794; Adam, born 20th Sept. 1776, died 5th March

1790; John, born 8th Sept. 1779, died 13th Jan. 1780; David James, born 7th May 1786. Publication—*Account of the Parish* (Sinclair's *Stat. Acc.*, xvii.).

JAMES CLARK, licen. by Presb. of Linlithgow 21st June 1786; ord. by 1793 that Presb. 11th April 1797 on appointment as Morning Lecturer in Edinburgh; assistant in St Andrew's Church, Edinburgh, and chaplain to 3rd Battalion Edinburgh Volunteers; pres. by Sir John Anstruther, Bart., 16th July, and adm. 27th Sept. 1798; died 18th Aug. 1831.

GEORGE MILLIGAN, born Dumfries 1832 1792, son of William M. and Agnes Colville; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Dumfries 24th Aug. 1814; became assistant to Josiah Walker, Professor of Humanity in Univ. of Glasgow; pres. by Sir Windham Carmichael Anstruther of that ilk, Bart., in Feb., and ord. 10th May 1832; app. clerk to Presb. and to Synod in 1840; D.D. (Glasgow, Dec. 1853); died 15th Oct. 1858. He marr. Janet Fraser, who died 16th April 1853, and had issue—William, D.D., Professor of Divinity and Biblical Criticism, Aberdeen (*q.v.*), born 11th Feb. 1821; Peter, min. of Guthrie, born 17th Nov. 1822; Janet, born 17th Sept. 1821 (marr. William Ranken Watson, min. of Logie); George, brigade major of artillery, born 29th May 1826, died at Sentari 1854; Jean Harley, born 28th Jan. 1829 (marr. Frederick Patterson); Agnes, born 26th Jan. 1831, died 1st July 1836; Windham, merchant, Liverpool, born 10th March 1833. Publications—*Catechism of English Grammar* (Edinburgh, 1832); *Sermon on the Death of the Rev. Andrew G. Carstairs, D.D.* (Edinburgh, 1839); Accounts of Elie and Anstruther Wester (*New Stat. Acc.*, ix.).

ROBERT BUCHANAN, ord. 12th May 1859; trans. to Dunbar 9th July 1862.

JAMES HILLHOUSE, born 1836, son 1862 of James H., schoolmaster, and Agnes Underwood; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; ord. 25th Sept.

1861, minister and 1874, first ordained minister of the Church of Scotland, Nov. 1867, deceased Nov. 1911. Hunter, 1st A.M., 1861; Minister, Dundee, and taught divinity at the Free Church College, Dundee, M.D., Edinburgh.

FETHER HAY HUNTER, M.A., died 1893. 19th April 1883, transferred to Yester, 19th April 1886.

ROBERT HAMILTON DUNLOP, born 1897, deceased 19th Sept. 1898, son of James McCall, D.D., and Isabella Hamilton, educated at University Glasgow, Library Trustee of Hamilton, 29th April 1894, elected at Greyfriars, Dundee, 1st July 1894, to 23rd Dec. 1896, and 13th June 1897, elected clerk to Presbytery St. Andrews, 1st Oct. 1893, res. 17th July 1897, to appointment as Deputy for Edinburgh and Home Mission Society, D.D., St. Andrews 1922, Mar. 5th Nov. 1897, death Greyfriars, Dundee, 28th April 1919, daughter, Peter Cameron Blackman of Old Monkland, and has issue, Margaret, Margaret, born 11th Aug. 1888, married John Scottie, James Warr, born 17th June 1890.

WILLIAM NEVE MONTGOMERY, born 1897, 22d Aug. 1878, son of John Macmillan of Glenairney, educated at Peters College and Univ. of Oxford and Glasgow, B.A., Oxon 1894, B.D., Glasgow 1897, licensed by Presb. of Penpont 17th May 1904, assistant at Buenos Aires and St. Andrews, 1904, 18th Sept. 1907, enlisted in Tife and Forfar Yeomanry in 1914, promoted sergeant, The Royal Brigade, 22d Jan. 1916, and killed in action Battle of Loos 25th Sept. 1916. He married 29th March 1915, Marion, daughter of Benjamin C. Cox, and had issue, William Neve, born 31st Dec. 1916.

JOHN ELLIS, ord. 19th Jan. 1916, transferred to St. Leonard's, Ayr, 15th Oct. 1919.

DAVID MATHIESON BELL, born 1820, Caversham, 11th May 1891, son of David Bell and Elizabeth Mathieson, educated at West Coats Higher Grade School and Univ. of Glasgow, M.A., 1906,

B.D. 1844, Locality Presb. of Hamilton, May 1844, assistant at Berney, now w. Berwick Army Chaplain 1st May 1847, added to the charge of Ferry Port, 20th Mar. 26th March 1849, his epiphany minister death of John Ramsay, In the Lattewall, 18th June 1884. David Mathieson, born 3rd Jan. 1823.

FERRY PORT ON CRAIG.

The parishes of Ferry Port on Craig was de-sected from Leuchars in 1642 and was erected by Act of Parliament on 11th July 1660.

JOHN MACBIRNIE, M.A., was from 1604 Third Charge, Craik, and died 1st May 1604, transferred to Ayrshire 21st Oct. 1605.

SIMEON DURIE, M.A., adm. 1605.
1605 transferred to Ferry Port.

JAMES JARDEN, M.A., pres. to 1609 vicarage of James VI, 5th Nov. 1609, transferred to Ferry Port 1615.

SAMUEL CUNNINGHAM, man and amanuensis to Patrick Hamilton, Archdeacon of St. Andrews, 8th April 1591, afterwards sole minister of Ferry Port and an expectant 4th Sept. 1611, pres. by James VI, 29th June 1615, succeeded to the Covenant at Edinburgh 1st March 1639, deposed for insubordination, died 1st Feb. 1640, at Arbroath 1st Oct. 1641. He married Margaret Nairne, and had issue, Bishop Hamish Andrew Honyman, Bishop of Orkney, & Anna, who was blind. (Melville's *Ante-R. Soc. Scot.*, *Pipe Sis.*, vols. 188, 196, R. S. 1, 17th Jan. 1710.)

ANDREW HONYMAN, M.A., adm. 1640 as assistant before 6th Oct. 1640, pres. 1640 by Charles I, 1st Oct. 1641, transferred to Second Charge, St. Andrews, 24th Nov. 1642.

THOMAS WOOD, M.A., Regent in Old College, St. Andrews, adm. 1st 1644 May 1644, dem. on account of his health 2nd May 1646.

JOHN RIGG, M.A., adm. 15th Jan. 1651, transferred to Strathmiglo 20th Sept. 1655.

WILLIAM VILANT, M.A., called 21st Nov. 1655; adm. 21st May 1656; deprived by Act of Parliament 11th June, and Director of Privy Council 1st Oct. 1662; dep. 6th April 1665, for refusing submission to the Church Government, indulged at Cambusnethan 27th July 1669, returned here in 1690.

WILLIAM JOAS, preacher at the East Ferry in 1663, younger son of Thomas 1666 Jr. of Collynwert. [Bengt Sis., i., 393.]

ROBERT WHITE, licen. by Presb. of 1668 Dalkeith 21st March 1669; ord. to Inchture 12th June 1669; trans. and adm. 24th May 1669; deprived 1689, for not praying for William and Mary. He marr. 6th Oct. 1668, Elspet Fidie, who is called his widow 18th Feb. 1697, and had issue—James; Robert, min. of an Episcopal congregation at Cupar and Bishop thereof; Alexander; Charles; Helen; Elizabeth. [Lamont's *Ditry*, 189; Bell's *MS. Notes*; *Treasury Sel. Book*.]

WILLIAM VILANT, M.A., before 1690 mentioned; trans. from Cambusnethan; entered 12th June 1690; appointed Principal of New College, St Andrews, in 1691 (*q.v.*).

WILLIAM KEMP, bapt. 15th Feb. 1659, 1691 son of William K.; was a probationer at the General Meeting of Presbyterian mins. 6th July 1687; called 30th June, and adm. 12th Nov. 1691; the parish was vacant after 1st April 1693 to 1697.

PATRICK TULLIDELPH, son of 1697 William T., min. of St Leonard's educated at Univ. of Edinburgh, M.A. (13th July 1691); licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 26th Aug., and called 17th Nov. 1691; ord. 6th May 1697; died 14th March 1709, aged about 38. He marr. 8th March 1698, Christian Brown of parish of Kirkcaldy, and had issue—Elizabeth; Margaret; Helen. [Fif. Sis., xxi., 384.]

JAMES WALKER, M.A.; trans. from 1710 Forteviot; called 10th Nov. 1709; adm. 14th June 1710; trans. to Canongate, Edinburgh, 23rd June 1713.

HENRY KING, licen. by Presb. of 1715 Kirkcaldy 10th Nov. 1709; ord. to Austruther Easter 15th July 1712; called 22nd Dec. 1714; trans. and adm. 16th June 1715; died 23rd April 1719.

WILLIAM VILANT, born 1684, son of 1716 William Vilant, min. of this parish; educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 14th April 1704, and at Leyden; licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 29th June 1715; called 16th June, and ord. 21st Nov. 1716; died 25th Dec. 1738. He marr. (1) 30th Dec. 1716, Janet, daugh. of William Woddrop, min. of Austruther Easter, and had issue—

Christian; (2) Nov. 1719, Jean Wilson of parish of Kileconquhar, who died 17th Feb. 1780, and had issue—Walter, died young; Walter, died young; Walter; William; Nicholas, Professor of Mathematics, St Andrews, 1765, died 25th May 1807; Jean; Jessabel; Ann; Eupham; Bathia.

WILLIAM DALGLEISH of Scotseraig, 1739 born 1690, son of James D., skipper, Queensferry, and Isobel Stewart; educated at Univ. of Glasgow, M.A. 27th June 1707 and at Leyden; licen. by Presb. of Glasgow 6th Feb. 1717; ord. to Carnbee 10th Sept. 1719; called 12th July, trans. and adm. 11th Oct. 1739; succeeded his brother in the estate of Scotseraig; died 6th Aug. 1759. He marr. (1) 15th July 1725, Christian (died 7th Oct. 1737), daugh. of Alexander Dalgleish, min. of Linlithgow, and had issue—James of Scotseraig, advocate, born 26th Sept. 1726, died 11th March 1780; Robert of Scotseraig, successor in the parish; (2) 31st Dec. 1741, Christian (died 12th Aug. 1750), daugh. of James Nairn, shipmaster, Elie, and had issue—Alexander; William, died young; William; Christian. [See, *Rev. Fife*, 436.]

ROBERT DALGLEISH of Scotseraig, 1760 born 5th June 1731, son of preceding; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1750); licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 15th June 1756; pres. by George II. 25th Sept. 1759; ord. 7th May 1760; succeeded his brother in Scotseraig in 1780; D.D. (St Andrews 1785); dem. 17th Nov. 1794; died 19th April 1803. He marr. (1) 16th

May 1788 Marquess of Londonderry, and son of Prince George, Duke of Kent, and of Princess Charlotte, William, St. Andrews, presby. April 17, 1801, died 12th Nov. 1823, presby. of St. Peter's, St. Andrews, Presby. of St. Paul's, Edinburgh, and of the Free Church of Scotland. The Parish Session's Statement, 1823.

DAVID WILLIAMSON, presby. Gles-

1795 HL. in March, and of the Mar-

1795 1796. Posts to Newcastle, 1797, and 1820.

WILLIAM DALGLEISH SWAN, F.R.

1820 1796 Oct. 1789, son of David, D.D., man of St. Andrews, educated at Univ. of St. Andrews, then by Prof. of Kirkaldy, 1st May 1807, presby. George IV, 1811, F.R. and of Kirkaldy, May 1811, died 1st July 1827. He married 12th June 1811 Susannah Gordon, who died at Dundee 26th Dec. 1822.

WILLIAM NICOLSON, F.R. Ch.

1823 1796, schoolmaster of Methill, in 1820, and afterwards of Kincraig, M.A., St. Andrews 1821, presby. George IV, 29th Sept. 1827, died 29th April 1829. Joined the Free Church in 1833. Member of Scots' Church, London, Welland Oct. 1844, and of Free Church, Hart, Tiverton, in 1850. D.D., Amer., 1863, died 2nd Jan. 1869. He married Elizabeth Swan, and had issue: John, died 27th Aug. 1823; Ralph, St. Edmund, Marquis, William, born 6th Oct. 1826, Peter, born 3rd Jan. 1832. His wife, Elizabeth, died 15th Jan. 1849. Published: *The Christian Reformation in Scotland*, Edinburgh, 1827; *A Review of Home's Anti-Slavery Tracts*, Dundee, 1831; *A Practical Review*, London, 1833; *A Specimen of Religious Criticism*, Berlin, 1834; *Protestant Theology and Papist Errors*, Exeter, 1835; *An Account of the Parish*, Amer., 1846; *A Review of Miss Weston's Sermon XVII.*, *The Christian Proprietor*.

WALTER FORMAN BURT, ed. and
1843 at Univ. of St. Andrews, presby.

Quoted, Victoria 29th April, and on 6th Nov. 1843, dep. by General Assembly

23rd May, 1843, and on 12th Nov. 1851, 1852. He married 10th April 1842, Jane Lawrence, of Kirkaldy, his son, born 23rd March 1843.

JOHN ALEXANDER MACKENZIE,
1853 M.A., pres. of Queen Victoria
College, Dundee, from Chaplinfield,
1853, 22d 1853, 24th 1853, and of Kincraig
24th Sept. 1853.

DAVID ROSE, F.R. Nat. Math., 1796
Aug. 1826, son of Lewis, R. Farmer,
of Tenterdean, and of Helen, daughter
of George, Univer. of Glasgow, and Andrew
St. Andrews, 1834, and St. Andrews, 1841, pres-
by. Died at Tenterdean, 20th Feb. 1870.
He married 2d, St. Matthew's, New York,
1849, Queen Victoria, born 14th
Nov. 1819, died 2d, July 1870. He married
3d April 1871, Mrs. Charlotte, daughter of
John, Curator of the British Museum, in
London, born 1st Feb. 1848, died 4th March 1877. He married 4th, 27th April
1874, Mrs. David, George, and J. W.
Carr, 27th Feb. 1874, and 28th Nov. 1873,
Mary, Clay, died in York, Oct. 1879.
Katharine, Bunting, Curate, born 2d Nov. 1872, James, Curate, born 16th Aug. 1874.

CHRISTOPHER HALLIDAY, F.R.
1879 1796, Johnstone, Dumfriesshire, 11th Jan.
1851, eighth son of William Halliday,
Weston, and Margaret Duncan, educated
at Wimborne, Dorset, School, Univ. of Cambridge, B.A., 1871, and became
lecturer in Chemistry, Faculty of Edinburgh
16th May 1878, and tutor at Kirkaldy,
16th 29th Nov. 1879, V.D., 1880, and 28th
Jan. 1923. He married 2d, Feb. 1897, Freda
Lester, daughter of the Rev. James Martin
Baptist, and had issue: Margaret Ruthven,
born 29th Nov. 1899, died 21st April 1921,
Robert, M.A., B.A., B.D., Professor of
History and Old Testament Exegesis, Free
Church College, Edinburgh; Christina
Martin, born 23rd Sept. 1899, Sybil Mary
Frederick, born 27th Jan. 1907.

JOHN MACLAINE MUNRO, born
Oran, 6th Feb. 1866, son of Martin
1823, M., and Mary MacLane, educated at
Oran High School, and Univ. of Glasgow,
M.A., 1915, B.D., 1920, licent. by Presb.

of Glasgow 31st March 1620; assistant at Clarkston 1620-2, and ord. assistant in Barony Parish, Glasgow, 19th Nov. 1622; adm. here 29th June 1623. Marr. 29th Aug. 1623, Violet Catherine, only daugh. of Harvey Sladen, St Mary's House, Bournemouth, and Julia Dorcas Winstanley.

FORGAN.

[The church of Forgan was dedicated to St Fillan. It belonged to the Priory of St Andrews. The present church was built in 1841.]

DAVID BELL, exhorter at the Kirk of Newthousies, called St Fillan's Kirk.
1581 March 1561-2.

JOHN FLAGEAR, Canon of St Andrews Priory; reader 18th Jan. 1565-6.
1585 [Proc. in Register House.]

ANDREW BENNET, reader 1576 to
1578 1580.

ROBERT BUCHANAN, M.A.; coll. 28th Oct. 1590; adm. 15th March 1590-1; trans. to Ceres June 1594.

WILLIAM MARCHE, M.A.; Regent in St Leonard's College, St Andrews,
1599 for thirteen years; pres. to the vicarage by James VI. 29th June, and adm. 2nd Sept. 1599; died in 1606, aged 49. (*Monteith's Mort.*, 170; *Acts and Dec.*, cxxiii., 339.)

DAVID LINDSAY, M.A.; trans. from Second Charge, St Andrews; pres. to the vicarage by James VI. 28th May 1606; trans. to Second Charge, South Leith, 30th July 1609.

SIMEON DURIE, M.A.; trans. from Ferryport-on-Craig; pres. to the vicarage by James VI. 20th June 1609; trans. to Arbroath in 1628.

HENRY SCRIMGEOUR, M.A. (St Andrews, 16th July 1620); pres. by Charles I. 24th May 1628; D.D.; was on Commission for the Maintenance of Church Discipline 21st Oct. 1634; attempted to read the Service Book "but not being very dexterous, he dis-

courted it"; dep. before 26th Aug. 1639 "for immorality, breaking the Sabbath, affirming the nobles were taking the crown off the King's head to set on their own, calling the Covenant a black Covenant. He died in England Feb. 1653, aged about 53. He marr'd, and had issue William; John; and others who were allowed £100 by Parliament, 21st June 1661, on account of their sufferings. [*Roy. Soc. Sig.*; *Edin. Test.*; *Acts of Parl.*, viii., App. 78; *Lytte Sheriff Court Deeds*, 18th March 1671.]

DAVID FORRET, M.A.; trans. from Dunine; adm. in 1640; trans. to
1640 Kilecomphair 27th May 1646.

ALEXANDER WEDDERBURN, M.A.; pres. Oct. 1646; adm. 10th Feb. 1647-1648; was app. by the Presb. to deliver its letter to General Monk, and another to the brethren comforting and encouraging them under their sufferings. He was suspended 5th April 1664, confined to the parish by the Court of High Commission 15th same month, and dep. 6th April 1665 for refusing submission to Church Government [was afterwards min. of Kilmarnock 27th Jan. 1670].

JOHN ALEXANDER, M.A. (St Andrews, 14th July 1660); had certificate for licence from Presb. 24th Aug. 1661, and for ordination 20th July; ord. 2nd, and adm. 20th Aug. 1665; died in 1674, aged about 34.—[*St Andrews Test.*.]

WILLIAM SCOTT, M.A. (St Andrews, 14th July 1660); adm. 12th Aug. 1674-1675; died between 2nd Aug. and 24th Oct. 1677, aged about 35.

ALEXANDER SHARP, sometime a min. in Ireland; adm. 16th Jan. 1678; trans. to Bourtie in 1678.

JAMES STRACHAN, M.A.; Regent in Old College, St Andrews; adm. 1678-25th Sept. 1678; deprived by Privy Council 29th Aug. 1689, for not reading the Proclamation of the Estates, etc. He marr'd, and had issue —Elizabeth, died before 3rd Jan. 1749.

JAMES RYMER, who probably died 1661
1637, became Rector of Old Collie, St Andrews, prior to 1636; was named at the General Meeting of the Presbyterian 6th July 1637, after the Toleration, tried from the meeting-house at Forgan to St Andrews, and died 26th Nov. 1637.

HUGH KEMP, born in 1600, app. 1600, Pres. of the 15th April Pres., trans. to Braemar 1st May 1691.

JAMES NAHNE, M.A., called 2nd July 1702, ord. 2nd Feb. 1703, trans. to Anstruther 11th Oct. 7th Aug. 1713.

JAMES RUSSELL, M.A., St Andrews 1718, 10th May 1700, born by the Presb. 21st Nov. 1715, called 22nd Jan. and ord. 20th Aug. 1718, died between 20th Dec. 1727 and 17th Jan. 1728. He marr. Elizabeth, died 26th Jan. 1778, probably daughter of Patrick Tullidelph, man of Ferryport on Craig, and had issue Margaret, Elizabeth, James, Helen.

JOHN GELLETLY, called 22nd June 1729, and ord. 24th April 1729, trans. to Thir Charge, Dundee, 15th July 1731.

WILLIAM BEAT, schoolmaster of Kilconquhar, born by Presb. of St Andrews 29th Oct. 1740, called 15th July, and ord. 26th Sept. 1740; trans. to Kilmuir 5th Nov. 1760.

JAMES BURN, born 1731; born by Presb. of Kirkcaldy 29th Dec. 1731; pres. to Killoch, after 8th April 1759, but not styled, ord. by the Presbyterian Classis at Newark, man of Castlegarth Meeting-hse. 10th Dec. 1760, pres. by George III, 23rd Jan., and adm. 7th May 1761, died 22nd Feb. 1800. He marr. 17th Dec. 1761 (1) Agnes, died 21st Jan. 1798, daughter of Robert Hamilton, master mason, Kinloch, and had issue John, born 9th May 1763, died 17th Dec. 1763; Robert, born 5th Oct. 1763, apprentice to A.W.S. 1781; James, born 11th Sept. 1765, died at sea June 1788; William, born 12th June, died 12th Aug. 1768; (2) 11th Nov. 1773, Barbara, died 28th July 1779, daughter of William Cockburn, Kelso, and had issue William, born 14th Nov. 1774,

John, born at Edinburgh 12th Feb. 1776, Murray, born 6th April 1777; Alexander, born 21st May 1778, died 6th June 1789; (3) 21st Nov. 1781, Elizabeth, died 26th June 1792, son of Capt. David Stewart of East Murray, Renfrewshire, and wife of Capt. David Stewart, born 28th Sept. 1742, died 13th Feb. 1782. Ann Mackay, 13th June 1783, marr. William Grennachy Stewart, Elizabeth, born 19th July 1786, Anne, Halkin, born 18th April 1787, marr. William Christie, Linker, Dundee; James John, born 19th Feb. 1788, died 29th Feb. 1791; John, born 17th July 1792, Elizabeth, born 23rd Feb. 1793; Barbara, born 31st May 1796. Publications: *Nicetus, or, Seven Years Progress of the Free Church*, 1759; *Edinburgh, 1780*; *Sermon*, Dundee, 1805; *Account of the Parish Smelters*, 1806. Also *Nairn's History of Angus*, p. 676.]

ALEXANDER MAULE, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, Presb. by 1801 Presb. of Dundee, 5th Dec. 1787, pres. by George III, 10th April 1800, ord. 26th March 1801, D.D., St Andrews, 1st May 1801, died unmarr. 28th July 1825. In Leighton's poem, "The Baptoement" o' the Bairn, the character and merits of Dr Maule admirably hit off. [Nairn's *Notes*, p. 79.]

CHARLES NAIRN, born 7th July 1803, 1836, son of John Nairn, merchant, Leith, and Catherine Borthwick, educated at High School and Univ. of Edinburgh, born by Presb. of Dunblane 11th Aug. 1826, assistant at Cuper, pres. by William IV, 22nd Sept. 1835, ord. 3rd Feb. 1836, joined the Free Ch. in 1833, went to Madeira while in bad health, as minister of Free Ch. church, adm. to St David's Free Church, Dundee, 1840, died 17th March 1873. He marr. 11th June 1840, Janet, died 10th March 1864, daughter of Thomas Edmondston, ironmaster, Edinburgh, and had issue Isabella Howden, born 11th Feb. 1841; Catherine Borthwick, born 6th Nov. 1842; Thomas Edmondston, born 3rd Sept. 1845; Janet Howden, born 25th Dec. 1848; Helen McNaull, born 22nd Aug. 1851; James Edmondston, born 9th Feb.

1855; Elizabeth Edmondston, born 7th April 1857; Boswell Laird, born 18th Oct. 1858; William Curr, born 25th April 1861. Publications—*The Boring Leaf: An Address to the Young; A Time of Chastening Improved*, Pastoral Letters (Glasgow and London, 1845); Account of the Parish (*New Stat. Acc.*, ix.).

DAVID THOMSON, born Duns, Berwickshire, 20th Oct. 1811, son **1843** of Ebenezer T., classical master Ayr Academy, and Rebecca Fournay (of Huguenot extraction); educated Ayr Academy and Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1826); licen. by Presb. of St Andrews Aug. 1841; assistant to Professor James Hunter in Logie Class and College Church, afterwards to Principal Haldane in the Parish Church, St Andrews; pres. by Queen Victoria 12th July, and ord. 21st Sept. 1843; D.D. St Andrews 1883; died 28th May 1884. He marr. 13th Dec. 1847, Harriet (died s.p. 22nd Oct. 1893), daugh. of Charles Monro, writer, Stonehaven, and widow of Robert Muir, Glasgow. Publication—*Exercises for First Communicants* (several editions). [Neish's *Newport*, 81-5.]

THOMAS MARTIN, M.A., B.D.; trans. from St Stephen's, Perth, and adm. **1884** 18th Dec. 1884; trans. to Cramond 23rd April 1890 (*cf.* Vol. I, p. 289); elected Moderator of General Assembly 18th May 1920. Hugh Forgan, rector of Dollar Academy 1923; Thomas, M.B., Ch.B., Peebles; Christian Isabella (marr. George T. Thomson, min. of Tain).

THOMAS MUNN, born Glasgow, 13th May 1859, son of Walter M. and **1891** Jane Anderson; educated at St James's Public School, Mechanics' Institute, and Athenaeum, Glasgow, and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1885); licen. by Presb. of Glasgow 23rd June 1888; assistant at Maybole West, Coylton, and Lady Glenorchy's, Edinburgh; ord. 12th Feb. 1891; res. 24th Nov. 1920. Marr. 17th Aug. 1892, Jessie Lewars, only daugh. of Samuel Findlay, Ayr, and has issue: Walter Anderson, Royal Scots Fusiliers, born 4th July 1893, died in Netley Hospital 6th Jan. 1920.

HUGH FULTON FRAME, born Bothwell Park, Bellshill, 24th May 1893, son **1921** of William F. and Isabella Barrowman Laird; educated at Hamilton Academy and Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Glasgow 30th June 1920; assistant at Irvine; ord. 13th April 1921. Marr. 6th Oct. 1920, Jean MacIntyre, daugh. of Alexander Dick,

KEMBACK.

[The old church of Kemback, now ruined, belonged to the College of St Salvator at St Andrews. In 1446 Robert de Forney and his wife Mariote Olifert, Lady of Kemback, granted to Gilbert de Galbraith, rector of the church of Kemback, and his successors, four acres of the lands of Kemback with three cows' grass and one horse's grass for ever, to be held on condition of the rector being always bound to say two masses weekly in the said church for them, their parents, and benefactors. The present church was first used for public worship May 1814. The old church bears date 1582.]

WILLIAM RAMSAY, M.A. (St Andrews **1570** 1537); Regent in St Salvator's College; taught for many years on the Continent, but returned home at the Reformation; was one of those found qualified for ministering and teaching by the General Assembly 20th Dec. 1560; adm. to Kilmany 27th June 1564; pres. to the vicarage of Fothergill by James VI, 3rd July 1568; trans. and adm. in 1570, holding his Mastership at St Andrews in conjunction; died between 21st June and 30th Nov. 1570, aged about 53. Publications—*Judicium de Lusitanis, ad Vallium Senatus Burdigatensis Presidentem*, lib. i.; *Answer to Bullinger on the Abusements or Apparel of Preaching in England* (doubtful if this was printed). [Knox's *Works*; McCrie's *Melville*, i. 364; *Bannatyne's Journal*, 179.]

DAVID GUILD, Canon of St Salvator's **1570** in 1555; was one of those in St Andrews whom the General Assembly in 1560 thought most qualified for ministering and teaching; adm. to Dunino about 1564; trans. in 1570, holding his Mastership in conjunction.

JAMES MARTIN, trans. to St Andrews
1574; in 1574, trans. to Elgin in 1578.

THOMAS BROWN, trans. from Dundee
1578, and died in 1578.

JOHN RUTHERFURD, trans. from
Dundee in 1578, trans. to St An-
drews July 1581.

DAVID MONTIENNY, about Dundee
in 1578, trans. and died in 1582,
still min. in 1583.

GEORGE NAIRN, M.A., adm. 15th
Dec. 1581, trans. to Kinnoull in
1583, 1584.

DAVID MONTIENNY, above men-
tioned, restored by 1584; d. p. for
1604 him early 7th Oct. 1615.

DAVID MUNRO, D.D., Regent in the
Univ. of Edinburgh, adm. in 1618,
trans. to Kilnoullie in 1628.

JOHN BARRON, M.A., Regent in the
Old College, St Andrews, adm. in
1628, 1648, complained against for non-
residence and for not giving service owing
to his being second Master at St Andrews.
He was tried and found wilfully to his
ignorance, 1648, St Andrews, app. Principal
of Old College in 1650, when it was held he
was incapable of rendering min. here suspended
by the Assembly, 10th Aug. 1648,
for supporting the late Parliament.
He marr'd Grizel, daughter of George Martin,
Provost of St Salvator's College, and had
Issue.—G. marr'd Helen, daughter of Catherine
marr'd Thomas Binning, St. Mungo's,
James John.—[Maffordines 66, 171, 172
in 1650.]

[GEORGE BARRON, probably
1648 assistant.]

DAVID LATON, M.A., pres. by the
Masters of St Salvator's College
1648, St Andrews, in Jun., and adm. 15th
July 1648, trans. to Kettins 6th Aug. 1648.

JOHN WARDLAW, Capt. 2d. Oct.
1653, son of Thomas Wardlaw, Esq., of Leslie,
and Katherine Alison, educated at
Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 16th March
1672, was an ex-p. min. Pres. of St

Andrews, as 2nd secnd min. of Cupar
16th Feb. 1672, but not settled, called to
this parish 17th Feb., and adm. 2nd July
1672, deprived by Act of Parliament 11th
June, and Decr. of Privy Council 1st
Oct. 1672, d. p. for not conforming to
Episcacy 27th Oct. 1683. He is in-
dicted for heresy against several mins.,
16th July 1671, for keeping conventicles,
etc. He was indicted at Dunfermline by
the Privy Council 18th Dec. 1670; was
again cited 2nd June 1681, for preaching
and holding conventicles, and not con-
forming, was outlawed. He died after 23rd
May 1682. [Mairies 14, 17, 18, Wedrow's
Hist. 32, 63, 297, Lamont's *Dury*, 98,
174; *Leviathan or the Respyt*, 25.]

ROBERT GLASFURD, M.A., adm.
7th Sept. 1674, trans. to Kilmany
1684 in 1687.

JOHN CHRISTISON, M.A., adm.
3rd June 1672, trans. to Liff 30th
1672 July 1673.

GEORGE LANDAL, M.A., adm. 4th
July 1674, trans. to Scone 16th
1674 June 1680.

ALEXANDER EDWARD, son of
1682 Robert Ed. marr. of Murray; edu-
cated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. 29th July 1677; pres. N.v. 1681;
S.H. in Jun., and adm. 22nd Feb. 1682;
deprived 1st 1688 for not reading the Pro-
clamation of the Estates, etc. His house
was attacked in his absence at midnight,
2nd July 1688, by a party of armed men,
who assaulted an inmate and threatened
to take his life. He died in Edinburgh,
16th Nov. 1718, aged about 58.—[*Greyfriars
Bur. Rec.*]

ALEXANDER ANDERSON, M.A.,
ord. 29th Sept. 1690; trans. to
1700 Falkland 13th May 1702.

WILLIAM CUNNINGHAM, M.A. (St
Andrews, 22nd July 1692); licen.
1703 by Presb. of Kirkcaldy 15th Aug.
1703, called 3rd Nov. 1702; ord. 13th
March 1703; died between 23rd Oct. and
20th Nov. 1728, aged about 57. He marr'd
1. Helen Bellantyne, who died Feb. 1705;

(2) Alison Lindley, who died 17th Aug. 1737, and had issue—William, min. of Sampford John.—[*Coy in Deptl Recd.*]

ROBERT MELDRUM, M.A., St Andrews, 8th June 1708; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 24th April 1717; called 28th Oct. 1720; ord. 29th March 1730; died 5th Sept. 1733, aged about 43. He marr. Anna McCandless, who died 8th Feb. 1730, and had issue—Janet.

ALEXANDER WALKER, M.A., St Andrews, 8th May 1730; licen. by Presb. of Cupar 25th July 1732; called 14th Oct. 1735; ord. 2nd March 1736; died 19th April 1784, aged 58. He acquired the estate of Nether Magask. He marr. 5th April 1742, Christian Gillispie, who died 28th March 1747, and had issue—Jean, born 5th March 1747; marr. 8th Nov. 1765, Hugh Hay of Paris.—[*Treas'rs; Dougl's Last Supp. 1781.*]

JAMES MACDONALD, licen. by Presb. of Arbroath 3rd May 1781; pres. 1781 by the Principal and Masters of the United Coll. St Andrews, in Oct. that year; ord. 1st May 1781; elected Professor of Natural Philosophy in the United Coll. St Andrews, 1st Dec. 1784; adm. to Chair 11th Feb. 1785; but his intimation was set aside, 20th May 1786, by the House of Lords on an appeal as to whether the Principal of St Leonards had a casting vote in the election; D.D., St Andrews, 2nd June 1800; died FATHER OF THE CHURCH 3rd Sept. 1843, aged 61. He marr. 19th Nov. 1772, Barbara Smith, who died 3rd Aug. 1794, and had issue—Susannah, born 3rd Nov. 1773, died 12th Aug. 1793; & 2—18th July 1796, Jean, died s.p. 21st Dec. 1837, aged 80, daugh. of John Hill, min. of St Andrews. Publication—Account of the Parish Sinclair's *Stat. Agric. xiv.*—[*Mrs Reid's A.B.C. of Remembrance, 7.*]

THOMAS ANDREW ALEXANDER EASTON, born 31st Aug. 1813, son of Thomas E., D.D., min. of Kirriemuir; educated at Univ. of St Andrews;

ord. 11th Jan. 1844, died unmarried, 1st July 1867.

DAVID CARRUTHERS, born 31st Aug. 1816, second son of J. & C. 1846 Kilmarock; educated at Glasgow Univ. and 25th Feb. 1848; Ord. at Dumfries, 10th Oct. 1851; marr. 1. and had issue—David, Sheriff-Clerk, Kilmarock, born 1st Feb. 1843; Henry, Pres. Univ. Glasgow, born 8th Aug. 1844; & 8th June 1848, Mary Swire, who died 17th June 1874.

ALEXANDER MACLAREN, born Brightly, Perthshire, 4th April 1815, 1852 son of David M.; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews, 5th 17th May 1832; LL.B. 1831; died 11th Jan. 1856. He marr. 16th Aug. 1837, Betsy, died 1st July 1857, daugh. of George Arklay, and had issue—David, min. of Humble, born 12th Jan. 1839; Janet Smith, born 2nd May 1841; George Alexander, born 27th Feb. 1844; Bessie Kerr, born 14th Aug. 1847.

JOHN HENRY, born Monifieth, 28th Dec. 1834, son of Robert H. and 1838 Ann Petrie; educated at Brightley Ferry Public School and Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. 1858; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 11th May 1851; ord. assistant and successor 11th Aug. 1853; H. 17th Aug. 1861. He marr. 17th Dec. 1859, Patricia Party Barron, eldest daughter of Alexander Groat, Brightley Ferry, and had issue—Ann Petrie, born 7th Feb. 1868; Elsie Margaret, born 5th July 1870. Robert Alexander, M.A., served as Rev'd. in R.G.A. and R.A.F. in European War, born 1st Oct. 1865.

JOHN MIDDLETON, born Glasgow, 1st May 1874, son of James M. 1891 and Jane Smith; educated at Allan Glen's School, Glasgow, Kilmarnock Academy, Greenock, and Univer. of Aberdeen; M.A. 1896, and Glasgow, LL.B. 1897; licensed by Presb. of Glasgow 5th May 1899; assistant at Brechin Cathedral and Gowran Parish; ord. 14th Dec. 1911; trans. to Kirkpatrick-Fleming 2nd Nov. 1917.

RODERICK JOHN FRASER, M.A.
 DONALD, F.R.S., died 16th July
1918 Physician of James VI and Germany
 Professor of French at Dollar Institution and
 Univ. of St. Andrews. M.A. 1902, B.D.
 1915, ad m. by Presb. of Dunfermline
 Nov. 1911, son of Rev. Dr. Roderick Fraser,
 11th March 1918.

KILCONQUHAR.

The church of Kilconquhar belongs to the Benedictine Nunsery of North Berwick. In 1500 the church was re-dedicated, and the east end transformed into a chancel with organ and carved oak Communion-table.

ALEXANDER SPENS, was one of those in St. Andrews whom the **1560** first General Assembly, 20th Dec., thought most profited formalitists, and therefore, entered that year, the parishioners complained against him for not celebrating the Communion for six years, on 25th June 1565, trans. to Cupar in 1567.

GEORGE LESLIE, trans. from Strathmiglo in 1567, pres. to the vicarage **1567** by James VI, 26th Aug. 1568; trans. to Mortlach in 1573.

DAVID SPENS, member of assembly in **1573** Minutes of the Synod of Fifeshire 1611-27. [Abbotsford Club, 1837.]

WILLIAM BELLENDEN, reader and **1574** vicar 6th May 1574. [*Arch. of D. & L.*, v. 5.]

ANDREW MONCREIFF, adm. in **1577**, trans. to Craigie in Sept. 1593.

JOHN RUTHERFORD, M.A., St. Andrews, 1582, trans. and adm. **1594** from Second Clergy, Cupar, 21st July 1594. On 20th Oct. 1595, at a visitation, various charges were made against him, and he was dep. 26th July 1596, after doing disservice to the whole Church by the writing of an infamers and false libel, the heads of Blackness doctrine resolute in a Remist method against Revd. Blackness, of St. Andrews, and

presenting the same. He was repented by the commissioners of the Assembly 23rd June 1597, but the Presb. refused to receive him. He took to the profession of medicine, but was admt. to Paris in April 1611.

JOHN CARMICHAEL, son of David **1603** C. of Balmoral, and Isobel, daughter of David Barley of Colferme, educated at University of St. Andrews. M.A. 3rd Dec. 1583, ad m. to Newburn 1595, physician of the vector of Ross-shire, and in 1604, to wait upon the Lord Huntly, trans. and rem. 15th Aug. 1603, was one of those who met and consulted with the six nuns previous to their trial at Edinburgh 15th June 1603, and after the trial accompanied them to their place of confinement, was one of the forty two nobles who signed a protest to Parliament 18th July that year against the introduction of Episcopacy. He was received 15th Jan. 1607, by the King, May 1608, to go to London, admt. from Anstruther 17th, and arrived there 26th Aug. After several conferences, he was sent to advise with archbishops in the curia of Dr. Thomas Matthew, Archbishop of York, 23rd Nov., and obtained leave to return home Feb. 1607, on condition of keeping himself quiet and proceeding no farther than Scotland or Presbytery, and continuing himself to his parish. He was present at the Falkland conference 6th May 1609, was released by the Privy Council from his confinement 25th July 1614. He recd. the degree of D.D. July 1616, was on Royal Commission 21st March 1619, for visiting the Colleges of Aberdeen, and summoned before the Court of High Commission 26th Aug. that year as accessory to the writing of the book *Perth Assembly*, and on denying the Acts then passed there, died at Huntly, archbishop's June 1622, aged about 58. He firmly resisted all innovations proposed by the King, Huntly, Janet Black, and his sister, Frederick, min. of Marquess William, Earl of Buchan. Two letters to Mr. James Melville, Calderwood's *Hist.*, vi. 786, viii. 46. [Melville's *Arch.*, McCrie's *Melville*, i. 212, 254, 324, 487, Livingston's *Calvinist Life*, 816, x. 314,

Scots Porage, iv., 593; *Cupar Burgh Sis.*, i., 29th April 1606; *Reg. Mag. Sig.*, viii., 2011; *Row's Hist.*, 231, 439.]

HENRY ROLLOCK, M.A.; trans. from Auchterarder; pres. by Sir David Lindsay of Balcarres before 29th Aug. 1622; adm. in 1623; trans. to Trinity Parish, Edinburgh, in 1628.

DAVID MUNRO, D.D.; Regent in the Univ. of Edinburgh; adm. to Kemi-
1628 back in 1618; trans. and adm. in 1628; was one of the Commissioners for Maintenance of Church Discipline 21st Oct. 1634; was an unsuccessful candidate for the Bishopric of Argyll in 1637; was pelted with stones in Edinburgh in 1638 as a spy on the Covenanters; died after 2nd Oct. 1645, aged about 64. He marr. and had issue Sophia (marr. David Landells of Coull). [Baillie's *Letters*, i., 94; *Acts of Parl.*, v. 413, vi. 498; *Fife Sis.*, xi., 113.]

DAVID FORRET, M.A.; Regent in the Old College, St Andrews; adm. to Dumino in 1638; trans. to Forgan in 1640; pres. by Alexander, Lord Balcarres (to whom he had been tutor) in June; trans. and adm. 27th May 1640; was Moderator of Synod 2nd April 1661; not conforming to Episcopacy, he was confined to his parish; died before 6th March 1672, aged about 71. He marr. Elizabeth Borthwick, who was buried in Greyfriars, Edinburgh, 30th Aug. 1673, and had issue Alexander, born 1648; Elspet; Jean, buried in Greyfriars 14th Nov. 1684. [*Greyfriars Burials*; Lamont's *Drury*, 131; Baillie's *Letters*; *Memoir of Lady Anna Mackenzie*, 57; *Acts of Parl.*, vi. 498, ii. 138, 503, 509; Wodrow's *Hist.*, i., 329; Dick's *Annals of Colinsburgh*, 76-9.]

WILLIAM HAY, D.D.; ord. between 1673 12th and 23rd Oct., and adm. 19th Nov. 1673; trans. to Perth March 1684.

ALEXANDER HAY, elected precentor in session clerk of South Leith 1684 after 13th July 1682; adm. 24th Sept. 1683; deprived by Privy Council 12th

Sept. 1689, for not reading the Proclamation of the Estates, etc., and died soon afterwards. He marr. Sarah Auchincruy, and had issue Colin, born 1685; George; Helen, born 1689. [Peterkin's *Chrest. of the Church*; Rule's *Soc. Unitarian*.]

JAMES DRUMMOND, chaplain to Margaret, Marchioness of Argyll; 1691 having been imprisoned for preaching in families, was released 21st July 1674 on promising to attend no conventicles in future. He, however, joined the field preachers, was apprehended and sent to the Bass in 1677, but was liberated by the Privy Council 5th Oct., that year on finding caution to proceed to Kilmarnock and afterwards to Kintyre. He attended the General Meeting of Presbyterian mins. after the Toleration 6th July 1687; was called to this parish 24th April, and adm. 25th June 1691; died 29th Sept. 1696. He marr. Mary Montgomery, who survived him, and had issue Mary, and others. [87 *Andrews' Tests*; Wodrow's *Hist.*, iii., 270, 356, 364; *Bass Rock*, 186-202; *Select Mem. Synod of Fife*, 208.]

ALEXANDER GILLESPIE, a licentiate, who preached frequently here, 1669-1700; was called to the charge but declined it, having fallen into bad health.]

WALTER WILSON, son of Alexander W., min. of Cameron; educated at 1701 Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (28th July 1677); was a probationer 6th July 1687; ord. to Abercrombie 17th Dec. 1689; called 7th Oct., and adm. 3rd Dec. 1701; died 3rd June 1735, aged about 78. He marr. (1) cont. 31st Oct. 1688, Janet, daugh. of John Crombie, merchant burgess of Cupar, and had issue Christiana, (2) 1704, Anna (died at Elie in March 1754), daugh. of Alexander Pitcairn, Principal of New College, St Andrews, and had issue: Walter, Professor of Greek, St Andrews, 1748, died 2nd Feb. 1769; John; Rachael (marr. David Russel, surgeon, Kennoway); Ann (marr. John Cook, min. of Abercorn);

Lapland, trans. E. G. M., *Myers' Hist. of Newgate*, 17, 2, 89, and 305.

THOMAS AYTON, born 1694, became by Pres. of Edinburgh 6th Nov. 1735, 1736, ord. to Myth, 23rd Sept. 1736, died 1755, succeeded by Alexander Earl of Balcarres, and by Adamoth New 1736, died 17th June 1736. "Famed for his eloquence, which he and children of an earlier date, as Hume, Barbara died 22d Jan. 1737, death of Jane, Hallowe, founded of New College, St. Andrews, Published in *The Dissenting Clergyman's Case Against the Church of Scotland* (Edinburgh, 1736) [thus called forth "Some Observations upon it by Glas. of Tindall (Edinburgh, 1732)"] (See *Memoirs*, 43).

JAMES CHISHOLM, born 1713, became by Pres. of Edinburgh 26th Nov. 1736, 1738, became chaplain to Charles, Earl of Lauderdale, called 25th June, pres. by James, Earl of Balcarres, and ord. 15th Nov. 1739, died 13th March 1750. He marr. 17th April 1741, Wilhelmina, daughter of Alexander Brand, watchmaker, Edinburgh, and sister to James Edward B. Brigadier of the German Brigade in East Indies. (*Eloc. Posts.*, 1, 7, 1st.)

JOHN CHALMERS of Radmick, born 1760—died in 1712, son of James Chalmers of Elie, educated at Univ. of Edinburgh, Rev. by Pres. of Dalkieh 2nd Aug. 1737, ord. assistant and successor to Elie 31st May 1738, D.D. of St. Andrews, 13th April 1759, pres. by James, Earl of Balcarres, May 1759, trans. and adm. after appeal to the Assembly 16th June 1760. His settlement resulted in the formation of a Relief congregation in Chalmerdale, died 7th April 1791. He marr. 9th June 1743, Helen, died 23rd Feb. 1787, second daughter of Sir Alexander Anstruther and Jean, Baroness Newark, and had issue: William of Blebo, writer, Edinburgh, born 11th April 1744, died 26th Feb. 1807; Jane, born 16th Nov. 1745, marr. 22nd Aug. 1774, David Walker of Fifehill, Largo, died 1799. (See *Poore*, vi, 443; Connell's *Arch. of Rel.* 111; Haynes' *Life of Chalmers*.)

ALEXANDER SMALL, born 1733, M.A. St. Andrews 16th July 1757, Pres. of St. Andrews 3rd Sept. 1761, 1762, succeeded by Alexander Earl of Balcarres, and to Kirkcaldy, died 14th April 1767, trans. to Newcastle 16th July 1767, pres. by Alexander Earl of Balcarres, Sept. 1767, died 13th Nov. 1768. D.D. St. Andrews 17th June 1771, died 15th Nov. 1810. He marr. 17th March 1773, Jean, died 13th April 1790, daughter of Alexander Stewart of Strichen, wife of Blair Askill, died 1779. They had issue: Isabel, born 17th June 1774, died 18th Sept. 1800; Donald Robert, master of Melville, Marquess, born 27th July 1775, died 1st June 1849; John, born 1777, Robert, merchant, London, born 26th Oct. 1779; Alexander, minister of St. John's, born 6th Oct. 1781, died 1st Aug. 1783; John of Fife, pres. of the Law Institution, born 6th Jan. 1787; Charles, of Grange, born 26th June 1793. (See *Reviews*, Accounts of Newcastle and Kilconquhar Smelters, 1877, 4, 211, 212, 213.)

WILLIAM FIRRIE, born 29th Dec. 1752, second son of William Firrie, farmer, Kirkton, Linton, educated at Univ. of Glasgow, and Professor of Civil History at St. Andrews 2nd Dec. 1808, pres. by Alexander, Earl of Balcarres, April 1813; objection was taken because he declined to resign his Chair, but on appeal to the Assembly he was confirmed in his charge, 6th, 2nd, 15th, 1813. D.D. St. Andrews, 12th Feb. 1826, died 17th June 1850. Dr. Chalmers characterised him as "the best mind in the Fife, and the worst professor." He was mainly instrumental in the erection of the Chapel of Ease at Largoward. He marr. 26th July 1811, Elizabeth, died 24th Aug. 1847, young daughter of Joseph McCormick, Unitep. d. of United College, St. Andrews, and having issue: Maria, born 31st July 1813, marr. 26th Oct. 1838, James Anderson, man of Cults.; William, man of Anstruther, Fife, born 8th March 1815; Joseph McCormick, H.E.C.S., born 12th July 1816; Robert, lieut. 13th Bengal Native Infantry, born 29th July 1817, died 18th July 1846;

Elizabeth, born 17th May 1819 (marr. 22nd Jan. 1852, Clarence Gordon, examiner of Registrations); James Lindsay, born 16th March 1824, died 7th Nov. 1842, Publications *Sermon preached at Kilconquhar* (Edinburgh, 1842); *A Catechism on the Evidences of Revealed Religion, with a few preliminary questions on Natural Religion* (Edinburgh, 1852); Account of the Parish *New Stat. Acc.* ix.

WILLIAM MILLIGAN, M.A.; trans. from Cameron 18th Oct. 1850; dem. 1850 17th July 1861 on appointment as Professor of Biblical Criticism in Univ. of Aberdeen 8th Dec. 1860 (*q.v.*).

ROBERT FLINT, trans. from East Parish, Aberdeen, 2nd Jan. 1862; dem. 28th June 1865 on appointment to Chair of Moral Philosophy, Univ. of St Andrews, 16th Nov. 1864; afterwards Professor of Divinity in Univ. of Edinburgh (*q.v.*).

WALTER HRVINE, born Lundie, 13th Nov. 1833, son of Thomas L., min. 1866 of Lundie and Fowlis: educated at High School and Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Dundee 7th May 1856; ord. assistant and successor to Dollar 7th May 1857; trans. to Chapel of Garloch 24th Nov. 1859; pres. by James, Earl of Crawford and Balcarres; trans. and adm. 1st Feb. 1866; died 21st Nov. 1885. He marr. 9th Aug. 1859, Mary Julia, daugh. of William Kay, Huddersfield, and had issue Emily, secretary Women's Association for Home Missions, born 8th Aug. 1860, Walter, lieut.-col. I.M.S., born 21st Oct. 1865, killed on North West Frontier 26th Jan. 1919.

ALEXANDER LEGGE, born Outseat, Banff, 25th July 1842, son of George L. and Eliza Morrison: educated at Banff Academy and Univ. of Edinburgh; ord. to Congregational Church, Peterhead, 24th Sept. 1868; trans. to Congregational Church, Lancaster Road, Preston, 3rd May 1874; res. 22nd April 1878; adm. as a licentiate of the Church of Scotland 3rd

June 1878; ord. to St Andrews Parish, Dundee, 19th Dec. 1878; trans. and adm. 2nd June 1886; V.D. 1908, died at Colinsburgh 20th March 1920. He marr. 16th June 1870, Isabella Macdonald, died 6th March 1896, daugh. of John Leith, merchant, Aberdeen, and Margaret Grant, and had issue John Alexander, in Government service, South Africa, born 12th April 1871; Margaret Eliza, born 8th Sept. 1872 marr. 11th June 1910, James Bryce Cowan, banker and solicitor, Colinsburgh; George Lindsay, architect, born 14th Jan. 1874, died 13th March 1905; Emma, born 21st April 1875, died 19th July 1877; David James Melville, F.R.C.S., R.A.M.C., Albrighton, Salop, born 17th Feb. 1881; Sydney Buxton, M.D., R.A.M.C., East Africa, Shifnal, Salop, born 26th Feb. 1882; Alexander Grant, L.D.S., Bridgnorth, born 23rd April 1884.

ROBERT STIRLING ARMSTRONG, 1919 born 9th Sept. 1884, son of Robert A., min. of St Matthew's Parish, Glasgow, and grandson of James Hutchison Stirling, LL.D.; educated at High School and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. 1905, B.D. 1908; licen. by Presb. of Glasgow 6th May 1908; assistant at South Kirk, Greenock, and Partick; ord. to Dollar 27th July 1911; Chaplain to the Forces in 1917; trans. and adm. (assistant and successor) 18th Dec. 1919. Marr. 22nd Jan. 1914, Anne Andrina, eldest daugh. of William Spence, M.D., Dollar.

KILRENNY.

[The church of Kilrenny was dedicated to St Ernan of Eileach Naomh. It belonged to the Abbey of Dryburgh. There was a Well of St Ernan at Kilrenny.]

JOHN ANSTRUTHER, son of — A. 1574 of that ilk; reader in 1574, pres. to the vicarage by James VI, 17th Feb. 1578; still reader in 1586. He marr. Jean, daugh. of Lord Lindsay of the Byres, and widow of John Melville of Carnbee. [Rev. Sir. S. J., xlvi., 169; Wood's *East York*, 331.]

ROBERT WOOD, son of the University of St Andrews 1556, M.A. 1577, presbyter to the vicarage of Kilrenny, 4th Decr. 1577, transferred to Anstruther 1584, transferred again in 1586, died June 10th Sept. 1591.

JAMES MILVILLE, or MILVILLI,
1580, born 27th July 1561, son of Richard
Milville, Esq., of Maryton, and a nephew of
Andrew Milville, elected presbyter, and at
Univ. of St Andrews B.A. 1576, F.B. 1572,
and Glasgow became rector in St Andrews
Univ. and a doctor of Divinity. Andrew
Milville, Professor of Greek there, app. Pro-
fessor of Hebrew and Oriented Languages
there in 1579, and to Anstruther 15th Nov.
1586, was clerk to the "Commission
of the Inquisition" and controller of
the Kirk Session of the parish of the
True Religion in the Sheriffdom of Fife,
removed hence 9th Oct. 1590, presbyter to
the vicarage by James VI. before 21st
March 1592, till 12th April 1593. In the
middle of the church he took deep
interest and had powerful influence over
his brethren, so that the King to whom he
had proved himself serviceable, greatly
wished him to support the measures of
Church policy which were in contemplation
of silencing Presbyterianism and estab-
lishing Episcopacy in its place. All the
means of royal influence were used to effect
this, and were only the means of driving
Milville to desertion. He then openly
supported the Kirk Session of Edinburgh
and banished Kirkholders, the Assembly at
Aberdeen in 1593, and joined the Kirk
to Parliament with forty-one others, 1st
July 1593, against the introduction of
Episcopal government. In the assembly
he was one of the 300 ministers called by the
King to Leith to where he returned till
10th May 1595, when he was induced to
conceal himself to Newgate. Two months
after his friend and parson, Sir William
Anstruther, excommunicated by the King, made
him an offer of a bishopric, which he refused.

He then fled to Kinsale, and thence to
Dover. From thence he went to Italy, then
to the Netherlands. He was received in 1610 to
Berwickshire, Tweedside. Further, he sta-
tioned himself for his place of residence
at Edinburgh now dated 1612. Under
the cavity of the Kirk of the Estates of
the Church he had his lodgings and resided
at Berwick upon Tweed from Jan. 1613,
where a table was erected to his memory
29th June 1613. Called to the Kirk of the
Wardens of the whole town of Kirk
of Wardens, then in Kirkcaldy in his time,
and was ever employed by the General
Assembly and other publick functions.
He had his post-chaise drawn by two
horses, and often in his carriage and
post-chaise, the King's coat of arms, and
was always dressed in a black velvet
doublet and hose. He was a man of
singularly great personal beauty, and
was well known throughout Scotland
as the "handsome minister." He was
ordained at Haddington 1st May 1583,
Elected to the Kirk of Edinburgh, 1585, vicar
of John Durnes, 1586, of Edinburgh, and had
charge of Edinburgh Kirk, till his death.
Andrus, born 29th July 1587, son of James
Milville, died 15th Aug. 1593, died
in infancy. John Milville, of Newcastle, born
28th March 1589, died 1598. John Milville
1597, son of James Milville, 1598, died
drowned at Bishopbriggs, B.A., vicar of
Berwickshire, Tweedside, and successor to him
Bishop of the Diocese of Berwickshire,
Sunderland, &c. Robert Milville, son of
Sir James Milville, of Fife, 1598, died
1602. Robert Milville, 1598, son of James
Milville, died 1602. The Kirk
Session of Fife, 1602, to the Kirk
of Kirkcaldy, 1611, and
Sir James Milville, 1611, died 1612. A
copy of *The Book of Common
Prayer*, printed 1598, in A. Milville's
possessions, 1609, in *The Book
of Common Prayer*, 1611, to the
Kirk of Kirkcaldy, 1611, and
Sir James Milville, 1611, died 1612. A
copy of *The Book of Common
Prayer*, printed 1611, with continuation
printed by Robert Pitcairn, at New
Edinburgh, 1612. A. Milville MSS. by him
are in the Advocates' Library and that

of Edinburgh Univ., [*Melville's Melville*, iii, 151, 290, & seq., 441; *Eng. Rec. Gen.* 577; *de Test.* 1639]; *Diet. Nat. Biog.*; *Hist. Berwickshire Nat. Club*, xxi, 235; xxii, 301-2 (Photo of Memorial Brass.)]

JOHN DYKES, M.A., Edinburgh 1587-1596, inaugurated colleague after 14th Oct. 1596. In S. pt. 1599, he incurred the royal displeasure by making known some passages from the *Bible* in *Dane*, and was ordered to keep under hiding. By writing sonnets against the late Earl of Gowrie and his brother, for their conspiracy, he was restored to royal favour Nov. 1600, and returned to his ministry; trans. to Newburn 13th Dec. 1603, was one of those who spent the night previous to their trial with the minst. confined for taking part in the Aberdeen Assembly, and accompanied them to prison in 1606. He signed the Protest to Parliament against the introduction of Episcopacy 1st July that year, and as Constant Moderator of the Synod of Fife, was confined by royal warrant 27th Sept. following to the bounds of the Presbytery, was readmit. to this parish after 18th April 1610; pres. to the vicarage by James VI, 6th April 1611, received degree of D.D., 29th July 1616, died 9th S. pt. 1634, aged about 68. A brother min. said of him: "He would get more from meditating on a passage in Scripture during the time he was combing his hair, than some others would get in a whole day." He marr'd a daugh. of John Durie, min. of Montross, and had issue: Isobel; Helen (probably marr. Sundown Wayd, burgess of Anstruther Wester); Publications: Letter to Mr. James Melville, Calderwood's *Histor.* vi, 82, 376, 455, 476, 664, 666; Sonnets against the Earl of Gowrie and his brother, which perhaps were never printed.—[R. S. See, *Sig.*; *St. Andrews Test.*; *Tomblst.*; Melville's *Autobi.*, 331; McCrie's *Melville*, 290.]

COLIN ADAM, M.A.; pres. by Charles I, 30th Sept. 1634. He and his predecessors resided in Anstruther Easter till 1636; trans. there 27th Feb., and adm. before 16th Aug. 1641.

ROBERT BENNET, son of Andrew Benet, min. of Monimail; educated at Univ. 1642, of St. Andrews; M.A. (1626); pres. to Monimail by Charles I, 14th Sept. 1634; and to this parish 16th Nov. that year; adm. 23rd March 1642; was taken prisoner by the English 12th Sept. 1653 for praying for the King, and carried to Edinburgh; was confined to his parish on introduction of Episcopacy; suspended 5th April 1663; dep. for nonconformity 6th April 1665; died at Pittenweem Feb. 1674, aged about 60. [*St. Andrews Test.*; *Rec. Soc. Sig.*; Blair's *Autobi.*; Lament's *Diary*, 56, 180; Wodrow's *Hist.* i, 329.]

ANDREW BRUCE, M.A.; ord. 26th May, and adm. 11th June 1665; 1665 app. Professor of Divinity in Univ. of St. Andrews before 30th Aug. 1674 (*q.v.*).

JOHN WOOD, eldest son of Robert Wood, portioner of Sanchope; educated at Univ. of St. Andrews; M.A. (26th July 1670); became Regent in St. Leonard's College; pres. by Charles II, 3rd June, and adm. 3rd Nov. 1671; D.D. (St. Andrews 1683); dem. 30th Sept. 1698; died before 2nd April 1702, aged about 63. He marr. (1) cont. 22nd Dec. 1671, Christian Moncrieff, who died April 1692, and had issue: John of Sanchope, baillie of Craily; Catherine; Agnes, born 1687; (2) 10th Aug. 1694, Margaret Daw. [*St. Andrews Test.*; *Tomblst.*; *Records Soc. Rec. Craily*; *Life-Sis.*, x, 115, xv, 263.]

ROBERT CLELAND, son of Robert Cleland, of Hillhouse, writer, Pittenweem, afterwards of Edinburgh; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (13th July 1691); licen. by Presb. of St. Andrews 21st March 1695; ord. to Newburn 22nd July 1696; call'd 1st Nov. 1699; trans. and adm. 10th April 1700; died Aug. 1711, aged about 40. He marr. Margaret, daugh. of George Hamilton, min. of St. Giles, Edinburgh, and had issue: George, born 1698; Elizabeth (twins), born 1698 (marr. 18th May 1718, Dr. Alexander Wilson of Elie); William; Hans, died 1731; Robert of Carnbee, served heir 10th Oct. 1728; Margaret (marr. Alexander Anderson, min.

of the parish; Janet (marr. Richard Heron, son and heir of Blantyre), Sophie (born 21st June 1727); Robert Celand, writer, Edinburgh. [*Edin. Testis*; *G. Ross*, clv. viii, 31; 193; *Edin. Testis*, xxii, 290, 293; 1714; — *Soc. of Holes.*]

ALEXANDER ANDERSON, M.A. (st 1712) Andrews, 16th July 1703; licen. by Presb. of St. Andrews 26th Sept. 1709; called 28th Dec. 1711; ord. 16th July 1712; died 4th Nov. 1721, aged about 30. He marr. Margaret Celand, daughter of his predecessor, and had issue: Robert; Margaret (died); [St. Andrews' *Testis*; *Soc. of Holes.*]

THOMAS KEY, M.A. Edinburgh, 22nd 1721 April 1708; licen. by Presb. of Kirkcaldy 23rd May 1717; called 1st Oct. 1723; ord. 15th April 1724; died 16th April 1759, aged about 68. He marr. 27th Aug. 1725, Katherine, died 5th Jan. 1783, daughter of James Clunies, min. of Elie, and had issue: James, his successor in the parish; George, born 11th April 1730; John, born 2nd Dec. 1731; Robert, born 2nd Sept. 1733, drowned at sea; Anne, born 23rd May 1736; marr. James Adamson, min. of Abernyte; Sophia, born 31st Dec. 1738 (marr. John Adamson, D.D., min. of St Andrews); Agnes, born 3rd Aug. 1740; Mary, born 17th Sept. 1741; Helen, born 8th Dec. 1745; Marion (marr. Provost Watson of St. Andrews); Alexander, a sdyer. [Hannah's *Life of Chalmers*; Connolly's *Edinburgh Biog.*; Boag Watson's *Connie Philpines*, vi.]

JAMES KEY, born 12th Nov. 1728, son of preceding, licen. by Presb. of St Andrew 15th Nov. 1753; called 27th June; aid. ord. assistant and successor 16th Oct. 1754; died 17th April 1758.

PATRICK SIMSON, third son of Thomas S., M.D., Professor of 1759 Medicine, St. Andrews; educated at Univ. there; M.A. 1752; licen. by that Presb. 16th May 1758; pres. by Sir John Anstruther in Oct. that year; ord. 16th May 1759; died unmarr. 24th Jan. 1769, aged 26.

WILLIAM BEATTIE, born 1711, school master of Kilrenny, licen. by 1760 Presb. of St. Andrews 26th Oct. 1749; ord. to Forfar 26th Sept. 1756; pres. by Sir John Anstruther and Anstruther, Bart., 5th July, trans. and adm. 5th Nov. 1760; died 21st Dec. 1797. He marr. 1 17th July 1733, Elizabeth Dougall, in South Leith, who died 11th May 1772, agd 66; 2 21st Sept. 1772, Ann Dougall, who died 27th Aug. 1790; 3 25th March 1791, Euphemia Scott, who died 26th May 1803. Publication: *Sermes*. Edinburgh, 1760. Account of the Parish Sinclair's *Stat. M. A.* [Tomlott's *Key's Portraits*, i, 271.]

JAMES FORRESTER, born 16th Dec. 1744, son of William F., man. of Carsairs; studied theology at St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Biggar 9th April 1767; ord. to Anstruther Wester 12th May 1768; pres. by Sir John Anstruther, Bart., 5th June, trans. and adm. 16th Aug. 1768; died 5th Dec. 1808. He marr. 1 27th Jan. 1779 Jean (died 30th Oct. 1779), daughter of John Nairne, min. of Anstruther, Wester; (2) 17th May 1784, Isobel (died 23rd Oct. 1842), daughter of Andrew Johnstone of Rennyhill, and had issue: Euphemia, born 30th March 1786; William, born 25th Oct. 1787; Mary, born 5th Feb. 1791 (marr. James Brown, min. of this parish). Publication: Account of Anstruther Wester Sinclair's *Stat. Acc.* [iin — Tomlott's *Wood's East Neuk*, 381.]

JOSEPH DUNCAN, born 1775, son of 1809 Robert D., merchant and farmer, Nether Mill of Auchonhowe, and Jean Thomson; educated at Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A. 1793; licen. by Presb. of Tain 30th March 1803; assistant at Kemback; pres. by Sir John Anstruther in March; ord. 21st Sept. 1806; died unmarr. 28th May 1818.

JAMES BROWN, born Penicuik 17th July 1787; son of Alexander B., educated at West Linton School and Univ. of Edinburgh; became schoolmaster of Dunsyre; licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 27th Sept. 1815; became a teacher in a

private school in Elie and tutor in the family of Colonel Robert Anstruther of Elie, by whom, as factor *locorum tutoris* to Sir John Carmichael Anstruther, he was pres. in Nov. 1818; ord. 15th April 1819; declined (on account of ill health) a presentation to Falkirk by the Prime Minister, Sir Robert Peel; died at Causewayhead, Bridge of Allan, 16th Aug. 1834. He was a singularly able minister, combining great talents and accomplishments with the most amiable of temperaments. Principal Haldane said of him, "I never had a friend to whom I was more cordially attached." He marr. (1) 10th Dec. 1821, Ann (died 4th July 1823), youngest daugh. of Captain Ranken, 46th Foot; (2) 2nd Feb. 1825, Mary (died at Edinburgh 16th March 1866), only daugh. of James Forrester, min. of this parish, and had issue the Hon. Alexander, merchant, Chairman of Chamber of Commerce, President of the Bank, and member of Privy Council of Madras, born 15th Oct. 1825; Euphemia Forrester, born 6th Oct. 1826; James Forrester, farmer in Ireland, born 13th Feb. 1831; Helen (marr. George Fortune, farmer, Barnsmuir).

GEORGE DICKSON, born 4th Jan. 1835, son of James D., Carnwath, and Clara Richardson; became a schoolmaster at Prestompans and afterwards at Inveresk; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Lanark 11th Aug. 1842; became tutor in the family of John Cathcart of Genoeh; ord. 27th April 1845 to Pettinain; pres. by the commissioner of Sir Windham Carmichael Anstruther of Anstruther, Bart., in Feb.; trans. and adm. 20th Aug. 1855; died 19th Feb. 1872. He marr. 14th Nov. 1845, Mary (died 1st Dec. 1823), daugh. of Alexander Lockhart of Westbank, and had issue James, merchant, Leith, born 5th Oct. 1848, died 12th Dec. 1873; Alexander, merchant, Leith, born 15th July 1850, died 21st Oct. 1861; Elizabeth, born 7th March 1852, died 21st Oct. 1904; William Purdie, D.D., LL.D., Professor of Biblical Criticism, Glasgow (*q.v.*), born 22nd Oct. 1823; (2) 28th Nov. 1831, Janet (died 26th Feb. 1849), daugh. of Thomas Girdwood and Margaret

Thomson, and had issue Clara, born 28th Sept. 1832 (marr. William Hibton, min. of Oldhamstocks), died 21st April 1880; Margaret, born 27th March 1835, died 22nd July 1869; Janet Lockhart, born 10th Jan. 1837; Mary Lockhart, born 22nd Dec. 1839, died 8th April 1849. Publication Account of Pettinain and of Kilrenny (*New Stat. Acc.*, vi, xi).

JOHN CHRISTIE, pres. by William Baird of Elie; trans. from Kildruminy, and adm. 29th Nov. 1872; dem. charge 16th May 1878 on appointment to Chair of Divinity and Church History, Aberdeen University (*q.v.*), 20th Oct. 1877.

GEORGE STRANG ANDERSON, born 1878 Rutherglen 20th May 1842, seventh son of Alexander A., and Agnes Strang; educated at Renfrew Grammar School and Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Greenock Dec. 1869; assistant at Tron Parish, Glasgow; ord. South Parish, Paisley, 18th Dec. 1873; trans. to North Parish, Aberdeen, 21st March 1877; trans. and adm. 11th Nov. 1878. Marr. 21st Nov. 1882, Janet (died 14th July 1923), third daugh. of Robert Crawford, builder, Glasgow.

KINGSBARNES.

[The parish of Kingsbarnes was disjoined from Crail, and was erected by the Commissioners of Teinds on 9th Feb. 1631. This erection was confirmed by Act of Parliament on 28th June 1633.]

JAMES BRUCE, M.A. (Glasgow 1621), 1632 cousin of Andrew B. of Pittarthe, and of Robert B., min. of Edinburgh; was resident in the house of John Welsh at St. Jean d'Angely in 1619; tutor to eldest son of Principal Boyd and regent in the Univ. there; adm. in 1632; was one of those charged in Aug. 1637 by the Privy Council for refusing to purchase the Service Book in obedience to its injunction; was a member of Assembly of 1638, and one of the commissioners for visiting the Univ. of St Andrews 16th Jan. 1649; died 26th May

1650, 1651, 1654, 1655. Howe the means of maintaining himself at the Chapel he spent he reported that of anything he had done in his life. His mother Margaret Doudie was always by him, and died in the same bed as her son, 1st April 1675. Robert Howe was appointed to Alexander Christian's mercantile cargo at Edinburgh, 18th Augt. 1675. Patrick Murray, who refused the command of Argyll's ship Sharp when it ran off Caledon, marr. cont. 21st July 1675. John Baird, man of Linerwick, [Lament's Poem, 1707, MSS. 18, 2nd, *A short Poem written for Mr. Bellies Letter to the Queen*, 1709], Bellies' Letters, *Reg. of Deaths*, 23, 6, *R. S. Soc.*, xv, 131; *G. R. P. Soc.*, 17th Oct. 1692.]

GEORGE PATTULLO, M.A., 1st 1663. Andrews 1633, son of George Patullo, man of Newpyle, ord. assistant to his father before 4th Aug. 1647, app'dy General Assembly to attend the General of Artillery's Regiment in 1649, and one of the vicars to the Univ. of Aberdeen. He was taken prisoner at Alyth with certain men of Edinburgh who were there 28th Aug. 1651, carried to the ships in the harbour of Dundee, and confined there and at Tynemouth Castle for five weeks and afterwards in the Tower of London for twenty weeks, when he was liberated but fell sick in the city, returned to Newpyle 10th June 1652, trans. and adm. 24th Sept. 1663, app'dy to Principality of Old College, St. Andrews, 29th April 1667, and Nov. 1670, aged about 66. He marr. Marjorie, daughter of John Aytoun of Kanddie, and had issue: George, M.D., *Statutes Tests.*, Lament's Poem, 34, 6, *R. I. Soc.*, 15th June 1676; *Poet. S. Soc.*, v, 186, 388.]

GILBERT SIMSON, M.A. Edinburgh 1678, 1679, ord. to Edinburgh Castle 1st Feb. 1673, pres. by William, Earl of Crawford, Decr. 1677, trans. and adm. 30th Jan. 1678, purchased the lands of Niddrie, in 1685; died 8th May 1700, aged about 52. He marr. cont. 8th Oct. 1678, son, died 29th Feb. 1734, daughter of James Durham of Omachie, and had issue: Michael, Alexander, writer, Edinburgh, served heir 22nd Aug. 1710,

Gilbert, William, James, John, William, Penelope, marr. William Villant, Professor of Humanity, St. Andrews, And v. [*Statutes Tests.*, *Reg. P. Soc.*, 187, *Reg. Soc. for Critic. Spec. Reg. of Test.*, 113; *Reg. of Deaths*, Dahl, 23rd Aug. 1685.]

JOSEPH PITCAIRN, son of Alexander 1701. Prof. Principal of St. Mary's College, St. Andrews, educated at Univ. of St. Andrews, M.A. 29th July 1696, ord. to Newburgh 7th May 1700, called 28th May, trans. and adm. 10th Sept. 1701, died 11th Nov. 1737, aged about 63. He marr. 6th Aug. 1705, Sophia, died 27th April 1754, eldest daughter of Robert Innes, W.S., and had issue: Joseph, name of Cardinal, Sophia, born March 1707, Alexander,

WILLIAM VILANT, son of Colin V. Regent of Phil. sphy in St. Leonard's College, St. Andrews, educated at Univ. of St. Andrews, M.A. 3rd May 1727; licensed by Presb. there 5th June 1734, pres. by trustee for the creditors of William, Earl of Crawford, 7th March 1738, ord. 3rd Jan. 1739, died 27th Feb. 1789, aged about 76. He marr. 10th March 1765, Mrs Scott Millar of Trinity Parish, Edinburgh, who died at St. Andrews 1st Feb. 1811, and had issue: Colm, b. in 14th, and died 29th Sept. 1799; Isab., born 29th Aug. 1767; Christian, Presb., born 23rd April 1769; Alexander, born 18th Oct. 1771, died 13th Jan. 1772; Margaret, born 7th Jan., and died 31st March 1773; Betty, born 16th April, and died 5th Dec. 1774; Mary, born 5th June 1776. [*Soc. for Ch. Hist.*]}

JAMES BEATSON, pres. by trustee for creditors of George, Earl of Crawford 1787, born 2nd Sept. 1786, ord. 20th April 1787, trans. to Dunbarney 29th Nov. 1795.

JAMES THOMSON, born 9th April 1763, son of James T., schoolmaster, 1798, Kingsbarns, born 6th May 1789 and ord. by Presb. of St. Andrews 16th March 1796, adm. to Bursby and Harray 12th May 1796, pres. by George, Earl of Crawford, in May, trans. and adm. 16th

Sept. 1796; died 19th July 1799. He marr. Bruce Glass, who died at St Andrews 30th March 1833.

ROBERT ARNOT, born 1745; licen. 1800 by Presb. of Cupar 5th Sept. 1769; ord. to Ceres 30th Aug. 1779; elected Presb. clerk 9th Dec. 1777; dem. on app. as Professor of Biblical Criticism in New College of St Andrews 16th Oct. 1792; pres. by George, Earl of Crawford, Dec. 1799; trans. and adm. (after a complaint to General Assembly against his holding both offices, which was dismissed) 26th June 1800; died 2nd July 1808. He marr. 2nd May 1772, Helen Barclay (died 4th April 1816), widow of David Melville in Ceres, and had issue William, born 29th May 1774; Oliver, born 22nd Dec. 1775; died 15th Jan. 1783. Publication Account of Ceres (Sinclair's *Stat. Acc.*, v., [See *Scots Mag.*, iii.; *Tombst.*])

GEORGE WRIGHT, born 1st Nov. 1809 1787, son of John W., min. of Seone; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; became tutor in the family of Fletcher Norton, Baron of Exchequer; licen. by Presb. of Auchterarder 9th June 1809; pres. by Lady Mary Lindsay Crawford, same month; ord. 28th Sept. that year; D.D. (St Andrews, 6th Feb. 1867); died 28th May 1869. He marr. 2nd Nov. 1813, Jessie (died 15th Aug. 1864), daugh. of David Moncrieff, min. of Redgorton, and had issue John, W.S., born 26th Sept. 1814, died 8th Nov. 1888; Joanna, born 13th Feb. 1816 (marr. 12th Aug. 1846, Bethune James Walker of Faltfield); Euphaine, born 13th Sept. 1817, died 10th Oct. 1840; David Moncrieff, born 21st Jan. 1819, died at Akyab 22nd Dec. 1846; Amelia, born 3rd Dec. 1820 (marr. 25th Feb. 1850, George Tod, writer, Ayr); George, born 15th March 1822; James, born 8th Sept. 1823; Jane Stewart, born 1st June 1825 marr. 4th Feb. 1847, George Hutchison, D.D., min. of Banchory-Ternan; Thomas Erskine, born 23rd Jan. 1826, died 13th May 1846; Maxwell, min. of Echt, born 29th Nov. 1827; Nancy Adair, born 23rd May 1831; Charles, farmer, U.S.A., born 20th Aug. 1832; Frederick, surgeon, Crail, born 13th

Aug. 1833, died 1882; Elizabeth (in ur. 21st Dec. 1853, Thomas Duncan of Kinkell, farmer, Boghall). Publication *Memoirs of the Rev. Andrew Ramsay* (Ramsay's Sermons, Edinburgh, 1821); Account of the Parish (*New Stat. Acc.*, ix.).

ALEXANDER TODD, born Denbrae, 1869 Cupar Fife, 9th June 1842, son of George T. and Jane Ballingall; educated at Madras College, St Andrews, and Univs. of St Andrews, M.A. (1861), and Edinburgh, licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 19th July 1866; assistant at Kingsbarns and at Collessie; pres. by George, Earl of Glasgow; ord. 27th Oct. 1869; D.D. St Andrews 1910. Marr. 16th July 1873, Isabella Silexa (died 3rd March 1914), daugh. of Captain Alexander Corstorphine of Pittowie, Fife, H.E.I.C.S., and has issue George James, D.S.O., captain the Royal Navy, born 11th May 1874; Katharine Corstorphine, R.R.C., born 28th Dec. 1875; Isabella, born 31st Jan. 1877; Alexander Edward, C.A., Chartered Bank, Seremban, Malay States, born 28th June 1880, died 5th May 1918.

LARGO.

[The church of Largo belonged to the Benedictine Nunnery of North Berwick. A fair of St Leonard was held at Largo. The church was restored by Sir John Gilmour, Bart., in 1864.]

THOMAS JAMIESON, min. of Newburn 1566 burn in 1564; trans. and adm. in 1566; died before 2nd Feb. 1578/9. He marr. before 13th Dec. 1564, Janet Clepen. [Zurich Letters, ii.; *Fife Hornings*, 21st May 1580.]

GEORGE LUNDIE, called min. in 1570. (See Newburn.) [*Acts and Dec.*, xlvi., 1570 270.]

JOHN AUCHENLECK, born 1565; M.A. (St Andrews 1582); elected to 1592 Second Charge, St Andrews, 15th Dec. 1589; trans. and adm. in 1592; pres. by Andrew Wood of Largo in April, and called 7th Sept. 1598; died 15th May 1619. He marr. Barbara, daugh. of Alexander

Comely of Kirkcudbright, educated at Andrew, he was curate of the parish. David, appointed to John Simmerville Skinner Edinburgh, 16th July 1696, and a supernumerary to George Stewart, then in Edinburgh, 16th June 1698. *See L. & T. R. Register, 1633-1700, vol. 1, p. 10.*

ANDREW ALCHENLECK, M.A., born 1620, of preceding, adm. in 1626, trans. to First Charge, Dundee, in 1632.

JAMES FAIRIE, M.A., formerly Bishop of Argyll, probably Sir Alexander Gibson, younger, of Dunoon, Lord Clerk Register in 1632, but not received.

JAMES MARGHILL, of Rembury, son of John Marghill of Elskie, educated at 1644 Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1635, was chaplain in Presby. of Kirkcudbright 17th March 1631, presby. Sir Alexander Gibson, younger, of Dunoon, Lord Clerk Register in 1633, adm. 29th March 1633, had his horse stolen from him in 1633 by the forces under William, Earl of Glencairn, perched on estate of Rangay in 1638, was confined to the parish on Episcopacy being established in 1632, suspended till April 1634, deprived 6th April 1635, for refusing subscription to the Church Government, was one of the tutors to the children of James, Viscount Oxford, and was freed from restraint in 1633 that he might go to Edinburgh on their business. He returned to the parish in 1636, was received by Act of Parliament 25th April 1636, appearance of the visitors of the Univ. 4th July, and died in 1666, or about 75. *Lamont's Diary, 4 vols. of Part, i, 161; P.C.R., 3rd ser., i, 363.*

JOHN ALCHENLECK, M.A., son of Andrew Alchill, of Dundee, adm. to Rightas of Kirkcudbright 16th July 1636, trans. to Newburn 29th Sept. 1638, pres. and coll. by James, Archibishop of St Andrews, *post mortem*, 16th Oct. 1640, adm. 1st Nov. 1640, assisted by the reader between 29th May and 2nd June 1640, being obstructed in his duty by a crew, maimed with staves and bladders, he retired from the charge and was deprived by the Privy Council 29th Aug. that year.

for not reading the 11 chapters of the Psalms, etc., died 17th July 1697, aged 74. His man, called Davidson, who survived him. *See L. & T. R. Register, Elements, D. 1636, p. 8; Blair, A. C. L. G. R. H. 1636, p. 103, 171, 29th March 1676.*

JAMES MARGHILL, M.A., above 1630, mentioned.

WILLIAM MONCRIEFF, youngest son 1691 of Alexander Moncrieff of Scotalme, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 29th July 1677, became a presbyter and went to Hellier, returned in 1687, adm. in 1691, d. 11th Sept. 1723, aged about 96. Ralph Ettington thus describes him:

"He was a tall man,
With a large head, a thin face,
A very pale complexion,
And a thin, sharp, pointed nose,
His hair was grey, of a whitish grey,
His eyes were small, and of a dark brown colour,
The skin of his hands was wrinkled,
And of a dark brown colour,
As if he had been a swineherd."

He married 29th Dec. 1708, Ann, Lady Lindsay, sister to the Laird of Fingask, who died in the Claverhouse, Edinburgh, Nov. 1709, and had issue, Anne, and James, Margaret, Alexander, Barbara, and James, Margaret, and Killehanty. *See also Post's Presby. Lit. of Fife, Edinb., 8vo, 1823, p. 116; Scott's Hist. of Scotl., 1730, p. 33, 66; M. & L. & C. 1789, p. 139; 13th June 1733, Rec'd. of Doctor, Dundee, 4th Nov. 1737, Wedrow, Hist. of Dundee, 200; Post's Presby. Lit. of M. & A., 1823, p. 133, 190.*

JOHN HERRIER, born about 1700, son of Alexander Flora, of the manse of St Andrews, became Presb. there 29th Oct. 1723, called 21st May, and ord. 19th Sept. 1724, died 28th Dec. 1766. He married 28th Nov. 1729, Elizabeth Johnston, who died at Dundee 1st Aug. 1783, and had issue, Samuel, Alexander, min. of Second Charge, Dundee, born 19th Nov. 1728; John, died young; Gilbert, James, born 29th Jan. 1738,

John; James; Samuel; Robert, his successor in the parish; Isabell.

ROBERT FERRIER, born 14th July 1734, son of preceding; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 30th Nov. 1763, called 26th April, and ord. assistant and successor 23rd Aug. 1764. Adopting the principles of Independent Church Government, he dem. his charge 23rd Nov. 1768, and formed a new sect in conjunction with James Smith, min. of Newburn, at Balchrystie, but subsequently left them and became a Glassite, and finally pastor of a Congregational church at Glasgow; died in Edinburgh 5th Feb. 1795. He marr. (1) 29th April 1765, Hannah (died at Dundee 28th Oct. 1784), eldest daugh. of Anthony Keeling, Staffordshire, and had issue Mary, born 11th Sept. 1767, died 11th May 1771; John, born 9th Feb. 1769; Hannah, born 2nd April 1771; Elizabeth, born 17th Dec. 1772; Janet, born 28th July 1774; (2) 2nd Oct. 1786, Catherine, died 18th Jan. 1831, daugh. of George Sandeman, wright in Perth, and widow of William Waterston, wax chandler, Edinburgh, and had issue Jane; Catherine; James, born 11th June 1791; Margaret, born 5th Sept. 1792, died 10th Nov. 1793; Robert, born 11th Aug. 1794. Publications - *The Case of James Smith, late min. at Newburn, and of Robert F., late min. at Largo, truly represented and defended* (Edinburgh, 1768); Preface to a new edition of *The Testimony of the King of Martyrs* (Edinburgh, 1777). [Sutherland Genealogy; Scots Mag., xxx.; A Host of Congregational Independence in Scotland, 33-40.]

DAVID BURN, born 1727, son of David B., min. of Fetteresso; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Fordoun 21st Aug. 1749, ord. to Moonzie 24th July 1755; pres. by James Durham of Largo in May, and adm. 12th Oct. 1760; died 30th July 1776. He marr. 19th Jan. 1761, Mary (died 1st April 1794), eldest daugh. of James Duddingston of St Fort, and had issue David, born 17th Oct. 1761, died a student at St Andrews in 1775; Margaret, born 8th Feb. 1763 (marr.

James Cairstairs); Anne, born 9th July 1764 (marr. James Trail, min. of St Cyrus); James, born 21st Nov. 1766; John, born 2nd Aug. 1769; Durham, born 9th May 1772 (marr. 3rd Sept. 1812, David Dow, British Linen Bank, Edinburgh); William, born 20th June 1774. [Douglas's *Batromage*, 178; Wood's *East Neuk*, 177.]

SPENCE OLIPHANT, born 30th Dec. 1753, son of Michael O., Bogward; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 11th Dec. 1776; pres. by James Durham of Largo 16th Jan., and ord. 6th Aug. 1777; died 8th March 1822. He marr. 11th Sept. 1778, Fotheringham (died 21st May 1822), daugh. of James Duddingston of St Fort, and had issue Margaret, born 7th Aug. 1779; James, lieut. 11th Native Infantry, India, born 29th July 1780, died 16th Sept. 1804; John, lieut. R.N., born 7th Aug. 1782, died 2nd June 1810; Jean, born 16th Nov. 1783 (marr. 5th Aug. 1806, John Armit, min. of Westray); William Durham, born 29th March 1786; Elizabeth, born 15th Oct. 1788 (marr. 10th Sept. 1817, Robert Pringle, collector of Customs, Orkney); Anne, born 21st Dec. 1790; Christian, born 8th Feb. 1796; Christian, born 17th Jan. 1797; Stephen, born 13th, and died 27th June 1800. Publication Account of the Parish (Sinclair's *Stat. Acc.*, iv.). [Tombst.; Wood's *East Neuk*, 177.]

ROBERT LUNDIN BROWN, born 25th May 1792, son of James B., min. of Newbattle; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Haddington 26th March 1816; pres. by Lieut.-Gen. James Durham of Largo; ord. (assistant and successor) 28th June 1821, joined the Free Church; min. of Largo Free Church, 1843-77; assumed name of Lundin in 1855; died 9th April 1877. He marr. (1) 15th June 1827, Elizabeth (died 12th Feb. 1868), daugh. of Christopher Lundin of Auchtermairnie and Rachel, youngest daugh. of Andrew Johnston of Rennyhill, and had issue James, M.D., Malvern, born 4th April 1828, died 2nd May 1872; Richard of Auchtermairnie, born 7th Nov. 1829; Helen, born 9th

May 1832) married 2nd Feb. 1863, Thomas St. John, man of Free Church, Fife, deceased, died at Largo 2nd Dec. 1862; Robert Christopher, son of James and Catherine, solicitor, Rhodes, Linlithgow, born 17th Nov. 1834, died 10th April 1876; Elanche, Elanche, born 23rd Aug. 1836, died in London, 10th April 1877; William Oliphant, Edinburgh 18th Aug. 1838; Arthur Wemyss, H.M.C.S., born 31st May 1840, died 10th Aug. 25th Sept. 1875; Maria Waller, Edinburgh, Pean, blower, died, and daughter of Charles Leitch, son, George Wm. Leitch, Prisoner Royal Artillery, also survived him and married 2nd June 1882, David Ferguson, man of Dumfrieshire. Publication of *W. & G. East's Book 1843*, *A List of the Ministers of Scotland*, Edinburgh. Account of the Parish, No. 8, *State of the Kirk*. [Wood *East's Book 1843*.]

JOSEPH TAYLOR GOODSIR, born Lower Largo, 16th Sept. 1815, son of John G., surgeon, and Elizabeth Dunbar Taylor, and younger brother of John G., Professor of Anatomy, Edinburgh; educated at St. Andrews Univ., ord. 17th Aug. 1833; res. 27th Nov. 1850, on the ground that "the standards of the Church were not consistent with the teaching of Scripture." On 15th Dec. 1850 he lodged a petition against the above wording, died unmarried, 27th April 1863.

WILLIAM DAVIDSON, born Dykes, 1811, son of James Davidson, farmer; ed. 1851, cand. at King's College, Aberdeen, M.A. 1853; ord. assistant and successor to Cockpen 12th Jan. 1844; trans. and adm. 11th April 1851, D.D., Aberdeen, 10th March 1872; died 10th April 1896. He marr'd 1st 15th July 1845, Jane Robertson Scott, who died 26th Aug. 1853, and had issue: James, born 26th Dec. 1846, 26th Sept. 1858; Mary Catherine, died 10th June 1881, daughter of Thomas, donee, Leith, and had issue: Mary, born 18th March 1860, marr'd 15th June 1884, Jane Grant Ferguson, younger, of Baldmound; Jane, born 31st Oct. 1862, marr'd 11th Sept. 1883, James W. Russell, Bank of

Brent, Dublin, d. 23rd Aug. 1902; Admiral Sir John Hay, K.C.B., died 1913, buried at Largo; Rev. Mr. John Smith, minister at Bonnydean, born 18th Dec. 1866.

JAMES ROBERT BURT, of East Lothian, born near Ruthven, 10th May 1800, 1890, trans. to North Berwick 26th Jan. 1803, d. 1st Feb. 1893, M. M. 8th Oct. 1893, Anna Calderdale, d. of Thomas Robert Marshall, jeweller, Edinburgh.

DUNCAN MACMICHAEL, born Craighead, 7th July 1803, son of N. J. Mac 1804, man at Craignair, now clergymen at Ryed High School and Univ. of Edinburgh, M.A. 1830, B.D. 1833, licensed 1834, Probate of Inventory 13th May 1888, curate at Kilmodan, Kilmacolm, ord. to Dunoonburgh 12th July 1836, from that charge on appointment as minister to the Doars, Inver, 23rd Jan. 1840, adm. here 28th April 1843; M. M. 22nd Sept. 1865, Mary Elizabeth, born 16th Nov. 1873, daughter of David Fraser Wishart, Edinburgh, and his issue. N. died 19th June 1905.

LARGOWARD Q.S.

[The parish of Largoward was disjoined from Killempilar on 18th Jan. 1860.]

JOHN MILLAR, born Duan, Water of Leith, 27th June 1813, son of John 1856 M. and Jean Wright, educated at High School and Univ. of Edinburgh, deacon by Presb. of Edinburgh 24th June 1849, assistant at Twynhead, Oxnam, and at Largoward from 1847; ord. 18th June 1856; clerk of Presb. 24th Nov. 1858; rooth May 1861; adm. first min. of the parish 1st Feb. 1862; died unmarried, 5th March 1898. While staying with his uncle, Thomas Wright, man. of Borthwick, he showed Sir Walter Scott over Borthwick Castle. He was largely instrumental in getting a school erected at Largoward, the church having been used as the school, and it was mainly through his efforts and liberality that a manse was provided free of debt.

JOHN SIMPSON WILSON, born Nether Mills of Drum, Banchory
1893 Ternan, 8th Jan. 1871, son of Andrew W., and Jane Simpson; educated at Torphins Public School, Robert Gordon's College, and Univ. of Aberdeen; licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen 11th May 1897; missionary at Beauly; ord. 17th Aug. 1898; died unmarried, 15th April 1902.

ROBERT BROWN WISEMAN, M.A.; ord. 22nd Aug. 1902; trans. to St John's Chapel, Kirkcaldy, 6th Jan. 1903.

ALEXANDER WILLIAMSON, M.A.; ord. 28th April 1909; trans. to West Maybole 11th March 1916.

GEORGE WHITE born Applegarth, Dumfriesshire, 10th Dec. 1870, son of George W. and Jane Frood; educated at Royal High School and Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. 1894; licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh April 1896; assistant at Coltness; ord. 30th June 1916.

LEUCHARS.

[Leuchars Church was given to the Priory of St Andrews by Nes. Earl of Mar, and was dedicated to St Athernash by Bishop de Bernham in 1244. All that remains of the ancient church is the chancel and apse, which are of great richness and beauty, one of the finest examples of Norman architecture in Scotland. This interesting old building was restored for public worship in July 1904. In the parish were a chapel of St Benet and a Well of Our Lady. A fair of St Benet was held at Leuchars.]

JOHN URE, a conventual brother of the Augustinian Priory at St Andrews, and a member of the Chapter previous to the Reformation; was min. here in 1563; trans. to Menteith 27th June 1564, but returned before 5th Jan. 1565; had Forgan also in his charge in 1567; still min. in 1596; probably died before 2nd Aug. 1602, when his pension was given to another.—[Wodrow's *Bioi.*, i.; *Macfarlane*

Mss. iii.; *Southesk Papers*, i.; *Zurich Letters*, ii.]

[**PATRICK WEMYSS**, M.A.; adm. after 12th July 1591, but settlement reduced in Oct. following by a committee consisting of three mins. of Lothian, as was also the appointment of a competitor, Robert Wallace, afterwards min. of St Andrews.]

JOHN KINNEAR, M.A. St Andrews, 26th Nov. 1586; nominated by the General Assembly 27th April, and adm. assistant 17th June 1593; pres. by James VI. 10th Feb. 1600; died 2nd Dec. 1613, aged about 47. —[Melville's *Boyle*.]

ALEXANDER HENDERSON, M.A.; adm. probably in Jan. 1612; trans. to St Giles, Edinburgh, 10th Jan. 1639. [See *Alexander Henderson: Churchman and Statesman* (portraits) by Sheriff Orr, K.C. (London, 1919).]

ELEAZER BORTHWICK of Chesters and Brunton, son of Alexander B. of Nether Leng; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. 25th July 1607; ord. by John, Bishop of Caithness on warrant from James, Archbishop of Glasgow, as min. of a congregation at Orholmie in Sweden 2nd Sept. 1629; returned to London and was actively employed for some years among the nonconformists there; was recommended by the General Assembly, 16th Dec. 1638, as worthy of an early vacant charge; adm. to this parish by the Presb. and pres. by Charles I. 11th Oct. 1641; was selected in Dec. that year as min. to the Commissioners of the Scottish Parliament in attendance on that of England, where he remained till his death between 5th Nov. 1642 and 18th Aug. 1643, aged about 56. He marr. Elizabeth Hamilton, probably of the Kinkell family, and had issue Major William of Chesters; James, charged with being part in the slaughter of Alexander Stuart, student at St Andrews, 1643. [*G. R. Inhib.*, 2nd series, viii., 290; *Reg. Soc. Sig.*; Guthrie's *Mem.*; *Inq. Ret. Fife*, 673;

Bullion's *Letters*, *Pt. I.* & *II.*, 2nd series, vols. 43 & 44, Woods' *First N.* 1, 273, 337.]

PATRICK SCOTT GALT, trans., from
1645 Darien, pres. by Charles II, 1st
Dec. 1644; adm. March 1645, trans.
to Saltoun 16th Jan. 1650.

JOHN MIDDLETON, M.A., D.D.,
1661 pres. by Charles II, 13th July, and
adm. 4th Dec. 1661, trans. to Mark
inch after 27th March 1684.

ROBERT LUNDIE, third son of James
L. of Strathally, educated at Univ.
1684 of St Andrews, M.A. 16th July
1694, ord. to Second Charge, Dysart,
Sept. 1696; trans. and adm. privately
Sept. 1684; deprived in 1686; died March
1692, aged about 48. He marr. Ann
1672, Mary, daugh. of George Symson,
baillie of Dysart, and granddaugh. of
Archbishop Spottiswood, and had issue
David, Robert, Rachel, Charles, [see
Ante-Trans. Test.; *Trans. and Rec.*, v. 223.]

ROBERT ANDERSON, M.A., ord.
after 3rd Sept. 1696, trans. to Perth
1690 11th June 1691.

GEORGE GORDON, ord. by the Scots
Presb. in London in 1695; called in
1695 Feb., and adm. 3rd July that year;
deserted his charge, accepted a congrega-
tion in London, and the parish was
declared vacant 2nd Jan. 1706. He marr.
Jean Wastcoft, and had issue—Ann;
Emilia.

JAMES ROBERTSON, M.A., St An-
drews, 19th April 1704; called 26th
1706 April, and ord. 11th Sept. 1706;
died 24th March 1732, aged about 48. He
marr. Janet Clephane, who died 18th Jan.
1726, and had issue—Mary; Jean; Mar-
garet. Publication—*Kirk's in Howie's
Things New and Old*; or, an *Expositio
n of the Book of Revelation* (Edinburgh,
1730). [Tambster, *Sermons to Heresies*,
Austrether E. Sess. Rec.]

JAMES WALKER, second son of
1733 Alexander W. of St Port and Jean
Fleming, licen. by Presb. 28th Oct.
1731; pres. by George II, 15th Aug. 1732,

ord. 16th Jan. 1733, died 27th Dec. 1773.
He marr. 11th Feb. 1749, Katherine, died
7th Dec. 1789, sister of Robert Mont-
gomery, Lord Provost of Edinburgh, Com-
missioner of Customs. [Douglas' *Briar
Tree*, 489.]

THOMAS KETTLE, born 1731, edu-
1774 cated at Univ. of St Andrews, pres.
by George III, 13th Jan., and ord.
22nd Sept. 1774, died 14th Nov. 1808. He
marr. 13th Oct. 1775, Sarah, died at Edin-
burgh 24th Jan. 1811, daugh. of Alexander
Young, writer, Edinburgh, and had issue

Thomas Young of Savannah, America,
born 27th Nov. 1778; Alexander Young,
W.S., born 4th Feb. 1782, died 30th Aug.
1831. Publication—*Account of the Parish
Sinclair's Stat.* A. xxviii.

DAVID WATSON, born 1777, son of
1809 James W., Rector of the Grammar
School of Haddington, educated at the High School and Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Selkirk 5th Sept. 1798; became tutor in the family of Lindsay of Balcarres; pres. to Tayvers 15th July 1808,
Littres, on being pres. by George III, to
this parish 29th Nov. 1808; ord. 24th Aug.
1809, died 15th Jan. 1863. He marr. 21st
Aug. 1809, Susan, died 2nd Dec. 1849,
daugh. of Captain Ranken, 46th Foot, and
had issue—James, born 15th Sept. 1811; William Ranken, min. of Logie, Fife, born
21st Oct. 1814; Isabella, born 27th June
1818, died 7th June 1849; Marianne
Douglas, born 29th Aug. 1822; Susanna
Christina, born 23rd Dec. 1826. Publica-
tions—*Spiritual Culture* (Edinburgh,
1849); *Account of the Parish (New Stat.*
A. xii. ix.).

ROBERT JOHNSTONE, born Caer-
1809 lyrock 17th March 1832, son of
John J. and Helen Alcock; educated at Hutton Hall Academy and Unive.
of St Andrews and Edinburgh; licen. by
Presb. of Langholm 10th June 1858; assist-
ant at Tweedsmuir and Kirtlebridge; ord.
to Carnock, Dunfermline, 11th Dec. 1862;
pres. by Queen Victoria 16th Feb., trans.
and adm. 19th July 1863, died 13th Aug.
1906. He marr. 11. 25th Aug. 1863 Isa-

bella (died 22nd Dec. 1877), daugh. of William Thorburn, and had issue—John, min. of St James's, Kirkcaldy; Fanny Thorburn, born 27th May 1863; Helen, born 28th March, died 26th Aug. 1868; William Thorburn, born 6th July 1869; Robert, min. of Aberdour, born 26th April 1872; Agnes Mary Thorburn, born 28th April 1875; (2) 27th April 1882, Catherine (died 15th Feb. 1883), daugh. of Alexander Hall, Rhynd, and had issue—Alexander Hall, born 4th Feb. 1883 (M.A., B.D. St Andrews), died 6th April 1907; (3) 23rd April 1884, Helen Murdoch (died s.p. 30th Jan. 1920), daugh. of James Johnstone, town clerk, Irvine.

WILLIAM LARNACH TENNYSON LEVACK, born 16th Oct. 1874, son 1907 of John Grant L., min. of Saddell, Kintyre; educated at Daniel Stewart's College and Univs. of Edinburgh and Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Kintyre May 1900; assistant at Barony Parish, Glasgow; ord. to Inverallan, Grantown-on-Spey, 25th Sept. 1902; trans. and adm. 1st Feb. 1907; served as chaplain in the hospitals, Malta, for two years during the Great War; trans. to Belmont, Glasgow, 9th Oct. 1923. Marr. 27th June 1907, Elizabeth Williamson, M.A. (born 28th May 1877), daugh. of James Henderson, M.A., headmaster, Whitehill School, Glasgow, and has issue—John Grant, born 26th April 1908; James Henderson, born 15th Feb. 1910; William Larnach, born 20th Sept. 1912.

WILLIAM BORTHWICK, M.A., B.D.; 1924 trans. from Huntly (*q.v.*) 1924.

NEWBURN, OR OLD DRUMELDRIE.

[The church of Drumeldrie, dedicated to St Serf, belonged to the Abbey of Dunfermline.]

THOMAS JAMIESON, min. in 1561; 1564 trans. to Largo in 1566.

GEORGE LUNDIE, reader in the Regent's House Feb. 1568; adm. before 1570; also min. at Largo; trans. to Dalmeny in 1574.

1580 JOHN BROG [*Nss. Reg.*].

ANDREW HUNTER, educated at Univ. of St Andrews; ord. to Carnbee in 1583 1582; pronounced sentence of excommunication against Archbishop Adamson 14th April 1583, by the Synod's command, and when the General Assembly absolved him from that sentence, H. protested against the resolution as he had shown no sign of repentance; trans. and adm. in 1588; pres. by Andrew Wood of Largo in 1590; was clerk to the Synod 10th June 1591; coll. 8th Feb. 1592; dep. in May 1594 for deserting his flock, becoming chaplain to and joining in rebellion with Francis, Earl of Bothwell. Being forced to leave the country, he became chaplain to a Scots regiment in the Low Countries and assisted in the ministry at Utrecht 20th May 1622.—[*Reg. Assis.*; *Reg. of Decls.*, xxxv.; *Booke of the Kirk*; Melville's *Autobi.*, 180; Steven's *Scots Church*, Rotterdam, 338.]

DAVID MEARNS, M.A.; adm. 27th Nov. 1589; trans. to Carnbee 19th Jan. 1589-90.

JOHN CARMICHAEL, M.A.; adm. in 1595; trans. to Kilconquhar 11th Aug. 1603.

JOHN DYKES, trans. from Kilrenny; 1604 adm. 13th Dec. 1604; re-trans. to Kilrenny after 18th April 1610.

EPIURAIM MELVILLE, M.A.; adm. after 4th Sept. 1611; trans. to Pittenweem before 7th Oct. 1617.

JOHN FORRET, M.A. (St Andrews, 28th July 1610); adm. in 1619; elected to Campyre by the Convention of Royal Burghs 4th July and dem. before 3rd Oct. 1628; died Sept. 1629, aged about 40. [Edin. Convoc. *Reg.*; Steven's *Scots Church*, Rotterdam, 291; *Reg. Sec. Sig.*; *The Scottish Staple at Veere*, 277.]

GEORGE HAMILTON, M.A.; pres. by Charles I, 3rd Oct. 1628; trans. to Pittenweem 25th Feb. 1650.

JAMES FLEMING, M.A., min. of St Bathans; adm. during his stay in the country in Nov. 1650. He took his farewell 27th July 1651, "entreating and exhorting the Elders to be careful about

family disputes, was in trouble, and brought together by the law, he complained to the Kirk with an affidavit, and was received into the Clement's Church.

ROBERT HONYMAN, called Scholasticus, 1653, died about April 1653, trans. to St. Martin's Church, by ex. 16th March 1657.

GEORGE HAMILTON, M.A., called 1659, 3rd Oct. 1658, adm. both Ex. 1670, deprived by Act of Parliament 11th June, and Dismissed Privy Council in 1672, returned there in 1692.

JOHN AUCHENLECK, M.A., trans. from Inverness, pres. by Charles Earl of Dunfowndlin, adm. 20th Sept. 1663; trans. to Edinburgh 1st Nov. 1663.

WILLIAM OGILVIE, M.A., St. Andrews, 23rd July 1668, became chaplain to the Laird of Balloch, recommended for licens. by Pres. of St. Andrews 17th Aug. 1670, and for ordination 14th Feb., and adm. 14th March 1670, and 28th March 1670, aged about 41. He married, cont. 25th May 1670, Barbara, daughter of Alexander Gledstones, man. of St. Andrews, and widow of George Martin, man. of Dundee; she survived him. (Hunter's *Diary of Dr. Robert Bruce*, 251; *G. R. S. Soc.*, xxii, 431.)

WILLIAM SYME, M.A., trans. from a charge in Galloway, unidentified, 1679, pres. by Sir William Bruce of Balloch, in Aug., and adm. 17th Sept. 1679, deprived for declining to take the Test 16th Dec. 1681.

ANDREW YOUNGSON, son of William Youngson, Burgess of Aberdeen, 1682, called 1st Marischal College, Aberdeen, pres. by Sir William Bruce of Balloch, in May, 1682, admitted from Fresh of St. Andrew, 29th July for ordination, and adm. 16th Aug. 1682, died in Edinburgh 21st Jan. 1685. (*Statutes & Tests, Gregorian Church*.)

JAMES HAY, M.A., Edinburgh 1656, 1685, probably son of George Hay of Newton, and brother of George Hay, min. of Cuper Angus, became chap-

lain to George, Earl of Bothwell, adm. 17th Sept. 1656, by Act of Parliament 1670, deprived, restored to Presbyterian ranks. He married Isabell, daughter of John Liddell, man. of Seaton, and had issue: Anne, married 1680, *Kelvin, etc.* and Margaret, wife of James Ross, Regd.

GEORGE HAMILTON, M.A., above mentioned, returned 10th July 1692, 1692, trans. to St. Leonard's, St. Andrews, 20th Feb. 1693.

GEORGE CLELAND, M.A., called 1693, May 1693, 22nd July 1693, trans. to Kincardine 1st April 1700.

ARTHUR FAIRFOUL, M.A., St. Andrews, 23rd July 1697, licensed by Pres. of St. Andrews, 27th Nov. 1700, called 8th Oct. 1701, ord. 4th Feb. 1702, d. at Dornoch 1704, and at 28, *Life of St. John the Evangelist*, 1706.

DAVID MYLES, born 1652, M.A., St. Andrews, 19th July 1670, licensed by Pres. of St. Andrews, 31st May 1704, called 31st January, and Ord. 1st May 1705, d. at 27th June 1733. He married 1st 27th June 1705, Anne, daughter of Alexander Gillespie of Newton Burnes, and Christian Small, and had issue: Helen, marr. 4th May 1735, John, Rev. Dr. Wright, Edinburgh; 2d Helen, marr. 26th April 1773, Walter Wilson, d. had issue: Walter.

JAMES SMITH, born 1700, educated 1735, at Univ. of Aberdeen, called 16th, 1735, and pres. by Sir John Ainslie, brother of that ilk Dec. 1734, ord. 29th April 1735, was minister of this for the Scots Church, Rutherglen, in 1736 and 1737. Having adopted views of Independent Church government, he dem. 17th Aug. 1768, and with Robert Farquharson, of Langside, opened a meeting house at Ballochstry, died 16th Sept. 1775. He is described as a "well-favoured person, of good manners and of unquestionable piety, of a tender, holy walk, readers and prudent, and a good stock of learning." He marr. 6th Feb. 1737, Elizabeth, died 28th Nov. 1770, daughter of John Cunningham of Pittentrie, and had issue: Thomas, born 7th March

1748; James, Publications — *A Compendious Account, taken from the Holy Scripture only, of the Form and Order of the Church of God, in the several great Periods thereof; also of the Nature, Design, and Right Manner of Observing or Eating the Lord's Supper* (Edinburgh, 1765); *A Reply to Flocke's Defence of National Covenanting* (1767); *The Case of James Smith, late Minister at Newburn and of Robert Ferrier, late Minister at Largo, truly represented and defended* (Edinburgh, 1768). [Stevens's *Rotterdam*, 170.]

JOHN RICHARDSON, M.A. (St Andrews, 1755); licen. by Presb. of Kirkcaldy 30th Sept. 1761; pres. by Mrs Anne Craigie of Dunbarney, with consent of Charles Halkett Craigie her husband, in Feb., and ord. 3rd Aug. 1769; died 5th March 1778, aged about 43. He marr. 10th June 1765, Jean Inglis, who died 5th May 1799, and had issue — Bethia, born 23rd July 1768; marr. 29th Sept. 1785, William Hunter, surgeon, Leslie).

ARCHIBALD BONAR, pres. by Mrs Anne Craigie of Dunbarney, with consent of her trustees, Sept. 1778; ord. 31st March 1779; trans. to Glasgow, North West, St David's 17th July 1783.

JAMES BROWN, pres. by Mrs Anne Craigie of Dunbarney, with consent of her trustees, Dec. 1783; ord. 6th May 1784; trans. to Newbattle 4th Oct. 1786.

JAMES MITCHELL, born Dumfries-shire, 1756; licen. by Presb. of Lochmaben 1st Dec. 1778; pres. by Mrs Anne Craigie of Dunbarney 8th March, and ord. 27th Sept. 1787; died 24th Jan. 1793.

THOMAS LAURIE, born 1760, ammannensis to Lord President Dundas; licen. by Presb. of Dalkeith 1st Sept. 1789; pres. by Mrs Halkett Craigie of Dunbarney 10th June, and ord. 26th Sept. 1793; D.D. (St Andrews, 1810); died 5th March 1843. He marr. 10th Jan. 1794, Anne, died 23rd May 1805, daugh. of Nathaniel Donaldson of Tobago, and had issue — Marion, born 21st Nov. 1794 (marr. 27th Jan. 1812, Capt. John Porteous, R.N.); Anne, born 14th May 1797; Nathaniel

Donaldson, born 28th May 1800; Margaret, born 20th May 1802; Thomas James, born 23rd April 1805. Publications *The Duty of Thanksgiving*, a sermon (Edinburgh, 1798); *Sermons* (Edinburgh, 1811); *Lectures* (Edinburgh, 1837); Accounts of the Parish Sinclair's *Stat. Acc.*, xvi., and *New Stat. Acc.*, ix.,

ALEXANDER TROQUHART, born about 1797, son of Thomas T. Quarm, of Rosskeen; educated at Inverness Academy and Aberdeen Univ. M.A. 1816) and in Germany; was in America until app. here; ord. 31st Aug. 1843; D.D. Aberdeen, 1854; died 17th March 1885. He marr. Emilia Hageman, Darmstadt, who died 17th May 1875, and had issue — Emilia Lucretia, died 2nd Nov. 1880; Joanna Clunes, born 20th Jan. 1846, died 28th Feb. 1875.

GEORGE GEEKIE, born Fountainbleau, Forfarshire, 8th Oct. 1854, son of George G. and Elizabeth Scott; educated at Dundee and Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 2nd Aug. 1882; ord. assistant and successor 16th Aug. 1883; died 13th Aug. 1913. He marr. 1. 17th Dec. 1884, Margaret, died 25th Dec. 1903, daugh. of David Mann, Broughty Ferry, and had issue — Margaret Mann, born 3rd Nov. 1885; George Alexander, Black Watch, born 12th Sept. 1887; Elizabeth Scott, born 1st May 1889; Euphemia Scott twin, born 1st, died 3rd May 1889; Janet Crawford Anderson, born 19th Feb. 1892 marr. 7th Feb. 1922, Dr D. H. Russell, M.C., Methil; 2. 13th Feb. 1906, Anna McEwan or Paterson.

WILLIAM NEIL, born Glasgow, 23rd Oct. 1867, son of James N. and Elizabeth King Gray; educated at Hutcheson's Grammar School and Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Glasgow 6th May 1896; assistant at Possilpark, Glasgow; ord. to Whiteness and Wilsdale 9th Nov. 1899; trans. to Lybster 17th Feb. 1909; trans. and adm. 17th June 1914. Marr. 23rd Jan. 1897, Margaret, died 28th Nov. 1920, daugh. of Peter West.

NEWPORT—ST. THOMAS Q.S.

[A church was built in 1870, and the parish of Newport was erected 15th Feb. 1875.]

THOMAS FRASER, born Glasgow, 5th July 1843, son of Thomas F. and Jane Brown; educated at High School and Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Glasgow 13th June 1867; assistant at St. Matthews, Glasgow, 1867-9 and Sandyford, Glasgow, 1869-71; ord. to Newport Chapel 23rd March 1871; adm. first min. of parish 31st March 1875; D.D. Glasgow, 1887; died unmarr., 20th Jan. 1913. He left £4000 to the Parish Church, Newport.

HENRY COULTER, B.A., B.D.; ord. 1913 30th June 1913; served as Chaplain to the Forces in France during the Great War 1916-18; trans. to Holburn, Aberdeen, 24th Sept. 1919.

DONALD MACGREGOR GRANT, 1920 formerly min. of Walkerburn *q.v.*, which charge he res. 16th May 1918. Joined R.A.M.C. 30th March 1915, and served in Egypt; transferred 15th Aug. 1916 to R.E. Signal Service, and employed as German interpreter at Hill 62 Listening Station in the Ypres Salient; app. Chaplain to the Forces 4th Aug. 1917; served at Winchester and at Bangour War Hospital; adm. to this charge 13th Feb. 1920; trans. to Row 1924. Marri. 6th Feb. 1918, Elizabeth Christian, second daugh. of John Brown, min. of United Free Church, Aberdour, Fife, and Helen Still, and has issue: Ian William Bellantyne, born 16th Dec. 1918; Helen MacGregor, born 16th Oct. 1920; Donald Robertson, born 20th Sept. 1922.

PITTENWEEM.

[The Lands that form this parish were disjoined from Anstruther Wester by a Royal Charter of King James VI, on 8th Nov. 1588. The parish of Pittenweem was erected by Act of Parliament on 28th June

1633. In the parish are the ruins of St Mary's Ayrish Franciscan Friary of Pittenweem. Near it, on the shore, are St. Fillans' Cave, occupied of old as a hermitage, and St. Fillans' Well. Fairs of St. Clement and St. Magdalene were held at Pittenweem. The church was restored in 1883 and a vestibule added.]

NICOL DALGLEISH, mentioned as 1630 min. of St. Cuthbert's, Edinburgh, in 1584 (*q.v.*), adm. after Sept. 1589; took an active part in the affairs of the Church; favoured the views of his co-presbyter, David Black; declined the authority of the Privy Council to judge ministers spiritual; was charged to depart from the city of Edinburgh and return to his flock within twenty-four hours, 23rd Nov. 1590. He was elected Moderator of the General Assembly May 1592, April 1593, June 1595, March 1595-6, and May 1597; died July 1608. He marr. Agnes Philip, who survived him. [*Reg. of Recds.* xxxvii. 267; *Excv. 37*; *Liberate and Pottenger Papers*; Melville's *Matrik*; Wedrow's *B. J.*]

ROGER MELVILLE, M.A., trans. from 1603 Kirkmichael (Ayr) to be helper 20th Oct. 1603; accused of being drunk in the pulpit 23rd Aug. 1604; returned to Kirkmichael in 1608.

WILLIAM WEDDERBURN, M.A.; 1609 ord. 25th April 1609; trans. to Dundee in 1611.

JOHN DURIE, M.A.; adm. in 1611; 1611 pres. by James VI, 12th April 1613; trans. to Lochee Murdoch in 1613.

EPHRAIM MELVILLE, born Newcastle, 1617 15th Jan. 1585, eldest son of James M., min. of Kilrenny; educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1603; was on the Exercise there 26th Sept. 1605; adm. to Newburn after 4th Sept. 1611; trans. and adm. between 30th April and 7th Oct. 1617; died before 2nd July 1620. He marr. Sarah Smyth, who survived him, and had issue: Ephraim, min. of Queensferry. [*Reg. Soc. Sig.; Lipe Nas.*, xiii. 53]

M'Crie's *Melville*, ii.; *Pittenweem Papers*; Melville's *Autobi.*, 220, 251.]

JOHN MELVIN, M.A. (St Andrews 1629-1637); pres. by Charles I. 28th July 1629; died Aug. 1649, aged about 45. He marr., and had issue—Thomas; Alexander; John; James; Elspeth; Janet; Isabel. [*Canongate Sess. Reg.*; Lamont's *Diary*; *Reg. Soc. Sig.*]

GEORGE HAMILTON of Cairnes, born 1650 1602, son of George H., bailie of Anstruther Easter, and Elizabeth Monerieff; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (16th July 1620); pres. to Newburn 3rd Oct. 1628; was one of those directed in Aug. 1637 to purchase and read the Service Book, against which he and others petitioned the Privy Council; was one of those who in 1638 tendered a complaint to the General Assembly against the bishops; called 28th Sept. 1639; trans. and adm. 27th Feb. 1650. He was stopped in his sermon 24th May 1653 by a party of Fairfax's Regiment, which caused an uproar in the church, and with three of his co-presbyters, was carried prisoner to Edinburgh by the English soldiers 12th Sept. following, for praying for Charles II.; imprisoned for eight days and liberated on condition that he and his brethren should do so no more. Forfeited his benefice for not submitting to the Act of Parliament 11th June, and Decree of Privy Council 1st Oct. 1652, but allowed to remain till he died 8th April 1677. He marr. Euphemia (died 28th Jan. 1673, aged 63), only daugh. of John Douglas, burgess of Crail, and had issue—George, min. of High Kirk, Edinburgh; John; William; Alexander; Robert; Elizabeth (marr. Patrick Wemyss, min. of Abbotshall); Sophia (marr. cont. 3rd July 1652, Robert Smyth, clerk of Pittenweem); Eupham (marr. James Robertson of Dunmore); Christian (marr. cont. 14th Dec. 1666, John Brown of Vicarsgrange); Isobel, (marr. cont. 6th Jan. 1660, Matthew, eldest son of Matthew Anderson, burgess of Kirkealdy); Anna.—[*Fife Sis.*, xiii. 62, xiv. 13; *Reg. Mag. Sig.*, ix. 211]; *Tombst.*; Lamont's *Diary*; *Reg. Soc. Sig.*]

ANDREW BRUCE, M.A., and Regent 1677 in St Leonard's College, St Andrews; adm. to Carnbee 20th Sept. 1654; trans. and adm. 19th July 1677; accused 8th Sept. 1689, of not reading the Proclamation of the Estates, etc., but was acquitted by the Privy Council; kept up a spirit of disaffection in the parish by his preaching, and was ultimately dep. by the United Preb. of St Andrews and Cupar for drunkenness. He marr. 2nd Nov. 1665, Margaret, eldest daugh. of George Gibson of Balhoulie, and had issue—George; William; John; Mary, and Margaret, — [Carnbee *Sess. Rec.*; *Pittenweem Council Reg.*; Couper's *MS. Diary*.]

PATRICK COUPER [or COWPER], born Sccone 1660; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (22nd July 1678); was much persecuted as a Presbyterian. One Sunday evening, when engaged in family worship, he narrowly escaped capture by the magistrates of Perth, and was several times compelled to flee from that city. In 1679 he was taken prisoner there one Saturday on his way to a field meeting, though unarmed, called before two of the baillies, and imprisoned for nonconformity, until after the battle of Bothwell Bridge when he was released under the royal indemnity. Next year he was again detained in prison for three months for attending conventicles, but was liberated by his parents paying a fine of fifty merks, and a fee to the jailer of £11. A third time he was seized at Elthiehead in Strathaven when on duty on horseback as a sentinel at a conventicle. He was taken to Perth where he was received with derision by the Episcopal congregation, and was kept in prison for three months, fined £106, and bound over to enter into ward again under a severe penalty. Having determined to go abroad he sailed for Holland, and from thence to Konigsberg. He returned to Holland and obtained a licence to preach the Gospel at Rotterdam in Dec. 1684. He proceeded to Scotland, landed at Borrowstounness, and travelled to Perth, where he wrote to his wife to

John Laidlaw, a young man, fled to Edinburgh, and had to leave that city after two months as a safe place was made for him. He returned to Firth, spent the winter there, and returned to Holland in the spring with his wife, his mother-in-law, and his brother Thomas, afterwards Professor of Divinity. In Feb. 1687 he came back to Kirkcaldy and found the Toleration had been proclaimed. He again went to Holland in Aug., and when further restrictions were taken off he came home, finding a second time at Borrowstounness, was invited to preach at St Ninians, ord. in the meeting house at Butecockburn 17th Aug. 1688; called 4th April, trans. and adm. 5th May 1692, his admission being opposed by certain Jacobite lectors who barricaded the church. The magistrates, however, broke open the doors and drove out the offenders; died 14th June 1749. "He studied to follow a clear and distinct method in his sermons, and abhorred jingling, bombastic words, that airy soft seeking men affect much." In bodily appearance he was "small and thin," and when young nearly lost the sight of one of his eyes through illness, yet at seventy seven he could read the smallest print without spectacles even in candle light. He was the first who in 1719 proposed the rising of the Ministers' Widows' Fund. He marr. June 1682, Janet (died 1702), daughter of George Halyburton, min. of Aberdalziel, and had issue: Andrew, a lieutenant; Thomas; Joseph; Janet (marr. Andrew Burn, min. of Anstruther); Jean; Margaret; Isobel; Sophie; Jean; Isabel; Anne (marr. Murdoch Macdonald, min. of Durrisessie). Publications: *On Proprietary Duties* (Edinburgh, 1703); *A Discourse of the Address of Mr Alexander Archibald* (1725). He left a MS. Diary, [Woodrow's *Chronicle*, 218; Woodrow's *Historical MSS.* 304; Woodrow's *East No. 3*, 315; *Sixms. MSS. 10.2.2*; *W. and S. 9.1.2*, xlviij, xvij.]

DAVID BEATH, born Inverness, came 1741 south under the auspices of Lord President Forbes, educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1731),

LL.D. by Univ. of Kirkcaldy 7th Dec. 1738; called 2d Nov. 1740; ord. 7th May 1741; canon 8th April 1775; aged about 63. He marr'd March 1736, Agnes Bentham, who died 16th Dec. 1779, and had issue: Alexander, born 4th Jan. 1748; William, born 21st July 1749, died 1st Dec. 1795; Elizabeth, born 1st June 1753. [See *H. J. & S. Best's*]

JAMES NAIRN of Clarmont, born 1776, son of John Nairn, 1776, of Anstruther, Fife, educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 15th Dec. 1773; pres. by Sir John Anstruther, Bart., Sept. 1775; ord. 20th March 1776; LL.D. 1806; died Fyrish or Tern Presbytery, as his father and grandfather had done, 17th July 1816. He marr'd 12th Jan. 1778, Helen, died in London 2nd Feb. 1806, aged 81, daughter of Capt. James Kyd of Crail, and had issue: John, captain of the *Prince George* sloop-of-war, born 11th Oct. 1778, died on coast of Africa 23rd July 1807; Hannah, born 26th May 1780, marr. 26th May 1805, John Fornie, W.S.; died 16th Oct. 1849; James of Clarmont, W.S., born 26th Aug. 1782, died 26th Oct. 1847; Alexander, H.H.C.S., captain of the *Glenelg Knoll*, born 26th Feb. 1785; Elizabeth, born 4th Nov. 1787, died 16th July 1788; Ann Elmsall, born 11th Jan. 1791, marr. 5th June 1817, William Scott, stockbroker, London; Charles, W.S., born 23rd Dec. 1794, died 26th Jan. 1837. Publication: *An Account of the Parish Sessional Court, Ayrshire*. [Woodrow's *East No. 3*, 201; Connally's *Archives*, L. 2, 337 &c.]

CHARLES MORGAN ADDIE, born 2nd Oct. 1771, son of James Addie, 1720, min. of Kilmarnock, educated at Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Linlithgow 29th Dec. 1802; became tutor in the family of Colonel De war of Gilston; pres. by tutors of Sir John Carmichael-Anstruther, Bart., Dec. 1819; ord. 11th May 1820; died unmarried 23d Feb. 1834. Publication: *Roman Catholic Ecclesiastical or Diversions at Larbert* (Cupar, 1816).

JOHN COOPER, born 1802, son of William C., writing master, Edinburgh; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Linlithgow 15th June 1824; assistant at Clackmannan and Arbroath; ord. at Culter 20th March 1833; pres. by Sir Windham Carmichael Austruther, Bart., in Aug., and adm. 18th Sept. 1834; was seized with apoplexy while preaching and died within four hours, 26th March 1854. He marr. 14th April 1835, Jane (died in childbed 19th Jan. 1836), daugh. of James Maxton, min. of Alloa, and had issue Jane Maxton, born 17th Jan., died 2nd Feb. 1836.

PATRICK MACFARLAN, born 1854 Alexandria, Dunbartonshire, 13th Feb. 1828, son of Peter M., merchant, and Margaret McIntyre; educated at Alexandria Main School and Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Dunbarton 4th Feb. 1851; assistant at Stirling and Colvend; ord. 22nd Sept. 1854; died unmarr. 22nd June 1893. Publication—*Sermon on Crimean War*, 26th April 1854.

JAMES GRAHAM GOODALE, born 1893 Tillicoultry, 7th May 1861, son of John G. and Ann Graham; educated at Tillicoultry Academy and Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1889); licen. by Presb. of Dunblane 24th April 1891; assistant at Pittenweem; ord. 19th Oct. 1893. Marr. 9th July 1903, Margaret Chalmers, youngest daugh. of John Bowman, town clerk and banker, Pittenweem, and Martha Young.

ST ANDREWS.

[The site of St Andrews was an early home of the Celtic Church. At Muross, as it was then called, St Kenneth of Achabo carried on mission work in the sixth century. There either he, or someone before him, founded the Christian settlement to which the name of Kilrimont was given. It seems clear too that relics of St Andrew were brought to Kilrimont from Hexham in Northumberland, at the instance of King Angus MacFergus, in or about 736. Not long

after, there arose the church called Kilrule, of which St Rule's Chapel is the standing successor. Its lofty square tower, rising to 110 feet, and its walls still strong to a height of 34 feet, are lasting witnesses of the faith of old Celtic times. Of the later Celtic Church the chief memorial is St Mary's on the Kirk Hough. Of that building little is now left but the foundations. These show clearly the outlines of an edifice with chancel, nave, and transepts, over 100 feet in length. It was apparently to an earlier monastic building on this site that King Constantine III. came as a brother of the foundation, when he resigned his crown in 942, and here afterwards he ruled as abbot. St Mary's was endowed as a Chapel Royal (*Capella Domini Regis*) by Alexander II. in 1250, and thus its old monastic character came to an end. In 1504 it received a collegiate endowment.

At an early time a parish church was built in St Andrews. It was dedicated to the Holy Trinity. That church belonged to the Priory of St Andrews. The rector of the parish church of the Holy Trinity was Archdeacon of St Andrews *ex officio*. The church had many altars, including dedications to the Holy Rood, St Mary, St Katherine, St Laurence, St John the Baptist, St Bartholomew, St James, All Saints, St Fillan, St Duthac, St Magdalene, St Michael, St Fergus, St Ninian, St Nicholas, St Anne, St Peter, St Botolph, St Palladius, St Aubert, St Barbara, St Bride, St Columba, St Tridwal, and St Damian. A Second Charge was founded for the parish of St Andrews in 1589, and from 1593 to 1620 a Third Charge was maintained. The church itself has often been altered and added to. A fine restoration, with some additions, took place in the early years of the twentieth century. The church is now one of the most notable in the country. A very interesting feature of it is the elaborate monument to Archbishop Sharp erected soon after his murder. It is the work of Dutch artists. Eminent among the many religious foundations of St Andrews is the College of St Salvator with its noble church and tower. This

splendid addition to the resources of the ancient University was erected by Bishop James Kennedy in 1450. It soon rose to be a centre of learning, and one of its early Principals was the famous scholar and historian John Major. Among the works added to St Salvator's Collegiate Church were dedications to St Katherine, St John, and St Olaf.

During the early years of the Reformed Church, the General Assembly held several sessions at St Andrews. Of these the first was in 1572. At that time John Knox, then in poor health, was living in the ancient Cathedral city, a fact which seems to have had considerable weight in fixing the Assembly's place of meeting. It was at St Leonard's that the supreme Church Court met. The chief meetings were held in the old parish church of St Leonard, and probably all of them took place there, for the accommodation in St Leonard's College was then but small. The later sessions of the Assembly at St Andrews in 1631 and 1632 were held at St Salvator's College. The religious services were held in the College church there, and the other meetings in the hall of the College. In 1274 St Mary's Convent of the Black Friars was founded at St Andrews. The little fragment of its church now surviving gives a very favourable impression of its architectural merits. In 1350 the Grey Friars also established a priory in the city. But the chief distinctive feature of this ecclesiastical metropolis was the Augustinian Priory of St Andrews, founded in 1114. It was endowed with the wide possessions of the ancient Celtic Abbey, and soon attained to vast wealth. The Cathedral was built close beside it in 1162. It is a great building, even in its ruin, its interior length extending to 358 feet. Among the many shrines in it were dedications to St Andrew, St Katherine, and St John the Evangelist. Besides St Rule's, there were in this parish chapels dedicated to St Peter, St Bride, St Mirin, St Cormac, and St Magdalene. Within the bounds were also Wells of St Salvator, St Leonard, St Andrew, and St John. There were three

great fairs in St Andrews, those of Our Lady Day in Lent, and St Andrew's Day, and the Senzie Market, held during the summer session of the University.]

ADAM HERIOT of the family of Tradoune, East Lothian, born about 1550, 1514, was a conventional brother of the Augustinian Order of the Abbey of St Andrews who embraced the reformed faith; he was removed to Aberdeen in 1560, but retained the vicarage of St Andrews till his death 28th Aug. 1574. [McCrie's *Knox*, iii.; Spotswood's *Hist. Maitland MSS.*, iii.]

JOHN KNOX, the Reformer, said to be min. here 31st March 1560, in the Kirk Session Record of St Andrews. [Hay Fleming's *Kirk Session Rec.*, St Hest. Soc., i., 27.]

CHRISTOPHER GOODMAN, born 1560 Chester, about 1519, son of William G., merchant, the representative of an old Cheshire family; educated at Brasenose College, Oxford; B.A. (4th Feb. 1511); M.A. (13th June 1534); app. senior student of Christ's Church (in 1547) and Lady Margaret Professor of Divinity in 1548; B.D. (1551). During the reign of Queen Mary he went into exile at Strasburg, and joined the Reformers at Frankfort; but, disputes having arisen about Church order, he withdrew to Geneva, where he was elected joint pastor with John Knox in Sept. 1555, and assisted him in the preparation of his *Book of Common Order* and was also employed with Coverdale in translating the Geneva edition of the Scriptures. At the urgent entreaty of Knox he went to Scotland in Sept. 1556, when he acted as escort to Knox's wife and family. In Nov. he became min. of Ayr; was nominated by the Lords of the Congregation min. here 19th July 1560; was a member of first General Assembly 19th Dec. that year, and of the Assemblies June 1562, June and Dec. 1563, June and Dec. 1564, and June 1565; returned to England in Nov. or Dec. 1565; became chaplain to Sir Henry Sidney, Lord-Deputy of Ireland, Jan. 1566; was coll.

in 1570 to the Archdeaconry of Richmond and to the rectory of Alford, of which offices he was deprived shortly afterwards for nonconformity. He died at Chester after 11th June 1603 (on which date he was visited by Archbishop Ussher, who in after days used to repeat some of the dying man's "grave, wise speeches") and was buried in St Bride's Church there. Publications — *How Superior Powers ought to be obeyed of their subjects; and likewise they may lawfully, by God's Word, be disobeyed and resisted* (Geneva, 1558); *A Commentary upon Amos*. [Reg. Assist.; Zurich Letters, ii., 60; Dict. Nat. Biog.; Calderwood's Hist., i., 123, ii., 11, 44, 227 *passim*, iii., 114, vi., 511; McCrie's Knox, i., 284, 300, 328, *et seq.*; Maitland's *Essays on the Reformation*, 103, 112, 116, 126, *et seq.*; Ormerod's *Cheshire*, ii., 727; *Troubles at Frankfort* (Phenix), ii., 44; *Original Letters* Porter Soc.) Ser. ii. "Goodman to Peter Martyr"; *State Papers* [Scottish Ser., 1569-1603], p. 161; [Foreign Ser., 1569-1], p. 259; [Ireland, 1556-7], pp. 325; Le Neve's *Fasti Ecclesiarum Anglicarum*, iii., 518.]

ROBERT HAMILTON, was one of those found "maist qualified for ministering and teaching" by the General Assembly 20th Dec. 1560; adm. before 4th Sept. 1563; was a member of Assemblies of June 1567, July 1568, July 1569, March 1571, March 1572, March 1573, April and June 1576, being Moderator in that of 6th March 1571. He held in conjunction the office of Regent or Master, and afterwards of Provost or Principal in the New College, St Andrews, till the General Assembly of April 1576 decided against his holding that office and ordered him to remain with his ministry of St Andrews. Refusing to comply, he was deprived of his Provostry after 7th July 1579, but was retained in the ministry, and died in Edinburgh, 16th April 1581. He marr. Eispeth, daugh. of John Traill, younger, of Magask, and granddaugh. of John Traill of Blebo, and had issue—Robert; James; Thomas; Helen, who had a daugh. by Robert Hamilton, min. of Kennoway. His widow marr. (2) Thomas

Buchanan, min. of Ceres. [Edin. *Testis.*; Reg. of Min. and Assist.; Booke of the Kirk, ii., 620; Zurich Letters, iii.; Calderwood's Hist., i., 394, ii., 45, 157 *passim*, iii., 208, 372, 431, 445; McCrie's *Melville*, 77, 86, 454; Melville's *Autobi.*]

GEORGE BLACK, reader in 1579
1579 and exhorter in 1580, probably
a temporary appointment for ad-
ministering the sacraments and celebrating
marriages. [Reg. Assist.; Melville's *Autobi.*]

ROBERT PONT, trans. from St
Cuthbert's, Edinburgh; adm. after
1581 17th Oct. 1581, but failing to
obtain any stipend he returned to St
Cuthbert's April 1583.

JOHN RUTHERFURD, son of John
R., Provost of St Salvator's College;
1584 educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1569); was third Master of St Salvator's College 18th Dee. 1577; had a gift from James VI., 14th Oct. 1577, of the chaplaincy of said College called the chaplaincy of Balconphar; adm. to Dunino in 1578; trans. to Kemback, and Principal Master of St Salvator's College 3rd Sept. 1579; trans. and adm. July 1584. The King had previously asked him, "would ye be minister of St Andrews?" "Yes, sir," was his reply, "but shame fa' me, if I do not my dutie." His Majesty replied, "shame fa' thee, and the devil receive thee too, if thou do it not. Go thy way." He died of the plague 4th Oct. 1585. He marr. Janet, daugh. of David Inglis of Ardet, who survived him, and had issue—David, served heir 22nd March 1606; John, min. of Monifieth.—[Edin. *Testis.*; Calderwood's Hist., iv., 199, 382; *Inq. Ret. Gen.*, 8268; *Scots Peerage*, vii., 372.]

ROBERT WILKIE, adm. 29th June
1586; app. Principal of St Leonard's
College, 22nd Oct. 1590.

DAVID BLACK, elected and adm.
Nov. 1590; removed to Arbirlot
1590 July 1597.

GEORGE GLEDSTANES, M.A., translated from the University of Edinburgh, by Commis-
sion of the General Assembly, to the Bishopric of Kirkwall, 1607; to the Bishopric of Caithness
1610; to the Bishopric of Orkney 1611; Archdeacon of St
Andrews 1612; Archdeacon of Fife 1613, holding
the Bishopric in conjunction till he died
in 1622.

ALEXANDER GLEDSTANES, son of
1612, the said George, educated at Univ. of
St Andrews, M.A. 22nd July 1608, ap-
pointed Proctor VI. 16th April 1612, and
Archdeacon of Fife 1613, appears to 17th
Jan. 1616, when a member of Council of
High Commission in the city, and 21st Oct.
1616, of the congregation of Edinburgh. At
Aberystwyth 6th Dec. 1638, went to
Holland, where he lived in great hard-
ship, having left his wife and family
at Kirkwall 1631, and about 53. He
died 1st Augt. 1643, Jean Landay or
possibly South Leith, and had issue a
Bernard, Nicasius, who had £100 allowed
him by Parliament, 15th Augt. 1632, in
consideration of her father's sufferings.
Buried near to George Martin, min-
er of South Church, Dundee. (2) William
O'Neil, son of Newburne. (*Reg. Soc.
Soc. Reg. of Doctor Ethic. Testes, &c. Recd.
Soc. Reg. Soc. Balmer's Letters, Acts of
Parl. 1632, App. 88, G. R. Soc. xxiii, 331.*)
Cited in *Hist. viii.* 193, 276, 284
and Soc. M. C. T. M. Soc. viii.

ROBERT BLAIR, born Irvine 1603,
1630, nephew of John B. of Windygates,
a violent adventurer and cadet of
Blair and Beatrix Mure of the Rowallan
family, educated at Univ. of Glasgow,
M.A. 1612, a proctor there in 1615
to 1616. In consequence of the
appointment of John Cameron, D.D., to
the Bishopric, who favoured Episcopacy,
Robert Blair, who has recently gone to
Edinburgh, the invitation of Lord Clancie,
and was a sometime man of a Presbyterian
congregation at Bangor. He was ordi-
nated to the Robert Blair, Bishop of Down,
one of the neighbouring parishes. It
is narrated that he was "very careful to inform
him [Helding] both of what accusations had
been uttered against me of disaffection to the

civil powers, and that I could not submit
to the rule of the English liturgy nor
Episcopacy government." But he having
been informed of my discussions with Dr
Cameron, etc., I knew all their business,
and replied that he was content of pre-
paring a witness-tithe for me, which he
privily offered to do. Having been
invited to preach by the parishioners of Mr
Glen, in the sick man's bed, I yielded
to their invitation, and preached there
three Sabbath days. After that, several
of the most and most reverential persons
in the congregation came to me by order
of the whole, and informed me that they
were excommunicated by the sentence delivered
by me, and intreated me not to leave them.
Likewise the dying man did several ways
encourage me. He professed great sorrow
for his having been excommunicated. He com-
mended Episcopacy more sincerely than
ever I durst do, in charge of me in the
name of Christ, and as I expected his
blessing on my ministry, not to leave that
good way wherein I had begun to walk,
and then drawing my hand towards his
bed with both his arms, he laid his hands
on my head, and blessed me. Within a few
days after he died, and my admission was
accomplished as quickly as might be, in
the following way. The Vicar of Clancie
did, on my request, inform the Bishop how
opposite I was to Episcopacy, and their
liturgy, and had the audience to procure
my admission on easy and favourable
terms. At first his Lordship had not
been plain enough. I desired my opinion
fully to the Bishop at our first meeting,
and found him yielding beyond my expectation.
The Bishop said to me, "I hear
good of you, and will impose no conditions
on you. I am old and can teach you
ceremonies, and you can teach me sub-
stance; only I must ordain you, else
neither I nor you can answer the law
nor brook the hand." I answered him that
his sole ordination did utterly contradict
my principles; but he replied both wittily
and submissively, "Whatever your account
of presbytery to have divine warrant,
will you not receive ordination from Mr

[Robert] Cunningham [min. at Holywood] and the adjacent brethren, and let me come in among them in no other relation than a presbyter? This I could not refuse, and so the matter was performed, 10th July 1623. Echlin, however, turned to be his bitter enemy, and in Sept. 1631, B. was suspended from the exercise of his ministerial functions, the ostensible reason being that he had taken part with John Livingston in a celebration of the Lord's Supper at the Kirk of Sheetts; and on 11th May 1632 he was dep. Through the intervention of Charles I., sent nee was removed in May 1634, but he was again dep. by Echlin in Nov. that same year. He was now bent on emigrating to New England, but the ship in which he and other mins. sailed was driven back by stress of weather, a sign, as B. thought, that his services were still required at home. The next months were spent partly in Scotland and England, and an order for his apprehension being issued, he escaped to Scotland, and was adm. to the Second Charge of Ayr in July 1638. He was invited to go to France as chaplain to Colonel Hepburn's Regiment, but after embarking at Leith was threatened by a soldier whom he had reproved for swearing, and thereupon went ashore again. He petitioned the Privy Council for liberty to preach the Gospel; adm. to this charge 8th Oct. 1639. In 1640 he accompanied the Scottish army to England and assisted at the negotiations for the Peace of Ripon; pres. by Charles I. 8th Nov. 1641; preached in Ulster for three months during 1642, the Presbyterians there having petitioned the General Assembly for a supply of mins. after the Irish Rebellion of 1641; attended Lord President Spottiswood and others to the scaffold in 1645; was elected Moderator of General Assembly 3rd June 1646; app. Chaplain-in-Ordinary to King Charles I. that year; app. by Commission of Assembly in 1648, one of a Committee to endeavour to get Cromwell to establish "a uniformity of religion in England." On the division of the Church in 1650, he inclined to the Resolutioners and endeavoured to effect a union between them and the Protesters; was

summoned to London by the Protector in 1654, but excused himself on the ground of ill health; was named by the Council of England that year on the Committee for authorising admissions to the ministry in Perth, Fife, and Angus. On the establishment of Episcopacy he was removed from his charge Sept. 1661, confined to Musselburgh and subsequently to Kirkcaldy where he was for three years and a half, and afterwards at Meikle Coustoun, parish of Aberdour, Fife, where he died 27th Aug. 1666, and was buried in the churchyard of Aberdour. He marr. (1) 16th July 1626, Beatrix, died July 1632, aged 27, daugh. of Robert Hamilton, merchant, burgess of Edinburgh, and had issue James, min. of Dysart; Robert; Jean marr. William Row, min. of Ceres; (2) Katherine, daugh. of Hugh Montgomerie of Braidstane, Viscount Airls, and had issue William; David, min. of Old Kirk Parish, Edinburgh [father of Robert B., min. of Athelstaneford, author of *The Grace*]; Samuel; John, writer, Edinburgh, born 1640; Archibald; Alexander in Edinburgh; Andrew, born 1644; Montgomery, born 1646; Hugh, merchant, Edinburgh; Catherine (marr. George Campbell, min. of Old Kirk, Edinburgh, and Professor of Divinity). — Publications: *Autobiography*, 1593-1636 (Edin. *Woolman Soc.*, 1848); Preface to Durham's *Treatise on Scotland*. He had a Commentary on the Book of Proverbs, and an Answer to Bishop Hall's *Remonstrance*, ready for the Press, but these were never published. [Edin. *Guild. Reg.*; Edin. *Mari. Reg.*; *Reg. Soc. Sig.*; *G. R. Sis.*, iii. 161, ix. 106; Lamont's *Diary*; *Tombst.*; Baillie's *Letters*; Hills' *Life of Hugh Blair*; Reid's *Ireland*, i. 101 *et seq.*; *Dicit. Nat. Biog.*]

ANDREW HONYMAN, M.A.; trans. and adm. from Second Charge 2nd 1662 Oct. 1662; consecrated Bishop of Orkney (*q.v.*) 11th April 1664.

ALEXANDER YOUNG; trans. from Cramond; pres. by James, Archbishop of St Andrews; adm. 28th Sept. 1665; consecrated Bishop of Edinburgh (*q.v.*) 14th July 1672.

ANDREW BRUCE, Professor of Divinity in St. Mary's College, 1673; pres. by James, Archib. bish. of St. Andrews, adm. 21st Jan. 1673, consecrated Bishop of Kirkcaldy, 28th Oct. 1679.

WILLIAM MOORE, M.A., Rector of Humanity in St. Leonard's College, 1680; St. Andrews, recommended by Pres. of St. Andrews for ordination 21st Oct. 1680, and admitted 14th Nov. 1683, pres. by Town Council; elected by the rectors and Kirk-Sch. burghs, and admitted to Second Charge 15th July 1684; D.D., St. Andrews 1672, trans., and adm. 21st Oct. 1680, died 29th March 1684, aged about 45. He left £100 to the poor, and his library, in the event of his children's dying without issue, to the library of St. Salvator's Coll. except his MSS., which he bequeathed to James Gillespie, min. of Tarbolton. He marr. 25th June 1672, Agnes, second daughter of David Wemyss, younger, of Lainditch; she survived him, and had issue: Agnes, born 1673; Helen (marr. pres. 26th April 1702, John Farquharson of Kirkton of Aboyne); [St. Andrews Test., *Carewate Marr. Rec.*]

RICHARD WADDELL, born 1639, M.A., St. Andrews 1648; adm. to Denby 8th Sept. 1677, trans. to Stenton 9th Oct. 1658; trans. to Kelso 11th May 1660; trans. to St. Mungo, Glasgow, 28th March 1682; Rector of Univ. of Glasgow, 1682-4; pres. by Alexander, Archib. bish. of St. Andrews, in May, and adm. 10th July 1684; app. Rect. of St. Andrews Univ. March 1686; D.D., St. Andrews, deprived by Committee of Estates 11th May 1689, for not reading and obeying their Proclamation, banished from St. Andrews in 1691, but returned under protection of the Queen's general indemnity. In 1503 letters of banishment were raised against him by the agents of the church, when he was again ordered to remove from the town and parish; died 11th June 1718. He marr. Agnes Home, [Mats. of Parl., iv., App. 18, *Fife*, 8, p. xvi., 235.]

JAMES RYMOUR [or RYMER], son of George, R.R., St. Andrews, and Jean, Yould, had probably been a Rector in the Old College, St. Andrews, prior to 1676, was a member at the general meeting of Presbyterians 6th July 1687 after the Toleration; adm. to meeting-houses at Fife in that year, trans., and adm. 14th Dec. 1687, was a member of the visitors of Univ. of St. Andrews 17th July 1690, died 3rd Feb. 1697 (April 1697). He marr. Anna Menzies, and had issue: Henry; Jean (marr. Patrick Henderson, min. of Saline, & Huntly); born 1660, marr. Robert Willock, min. of Elgin; Mary; Margaret, buried in Greyfriars 25th May 1696; Helen; Elizabeth; Janet. [Liber MSS., St. Andrews Test., Arts. of Parl., iv., G.R. H. 1686, 31st Aug. 1686, Reg. of Recs., D.D., 8th June 1686, St. Andrews H. H. 1686.]

THOMAS FORRESTER, marr. from Killin, and adm. May 1692, trans. to Principalship of New Coll., St. Andrews, 14th Sept. 1698, 29th Jan. 1708.

JOHN ANDERSON, born 1655; M.A., Edinburgh 1672, was a preacher at first meeting of Pres. in Lothian and Tweeddale 6th July 1687 after the Toleration; ord. to Earlston 6th Oct. 1687; trans. to Second Charge, St. Cuthberts, Edinburgh, 1689, called 22nd June 1698; adm. 19th May 1699, died Feb. 1712. He marr. Elizabeth Edmon, who survived him. [St. Andrews Test., Parl. Mats. MSS., Com. i., 432-Hist. MS. Com. i.]

WILLIAM HARDIE, M.A., St. Andrews, 4th Aug. 1682, ord. to Crail 23rd 1712 Sept. 1690, trans. to Second Charge, St. Andrews, 11th May 1701, called 8th April, and adm. 6th Aug. 1712, died 27th Oct. 1723, aged about 61. He marr. (1) 11th Sept. 1691, Katherine, fourth daughter of Patrick Lindsay of Wormiston, and had issue: Patrick; Robert; John; William, merchant, Edinburgh; George; Catherine, recommended by the Presb. 26th March 1715 to the Synod as an object of charity, for a share of the *Deacon*; (2) Sept. 1705, Margaret, daugh-

of John Brown, merchant, St Andrews, and widow of Alexander Dalgleish, one of the mins. of the Scots colony at Darien.—[*Edin. Marr. Reg.*; *Scots Peerage*, v. 415; *Spec. Rec. Fife*, 231; *Wood's East York*, 155.]

ALEXANDER ANDERSON, son of John A., Principal of St Leonard's College; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (23rd July 1697); licen. by Presb. there 22nd Feb. 1700; ord. to Kembach 26th Sept. that year; trans. to Falkland 13th May 1702; called April 1724; trans. and adm. 11th April 1725; elected Moderator of the General Assembly 8th May 1735; died 9th Nov. 1737, aged about 61. He marr. Isabella (died 1720), daugh. of Francis Hay of Strowie, and had issue—James of Newbigging, advocate, born 1719, died 29th June 1794; Margaret (marr. (1) Laurence Watson, min. of the Second Charge, (2) Lauchlan McIntosh, min. of Errol).—[*St Andrews Tests.*; *Douglas's Baronage*, 588; *Spec. Rec. Fife*, 347.]

JOHN McCORMICK, born 1690, said [by Dr Hew Scott] to be a son of Hew M. of Castlewellen, Ireland, or of Captain Edward M. and Janet Gordon of Castlecary; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (8th Dec. 1710); licen. by Presb. of Dalkeith 25th Sept. 1716; ord. to Second Charge 7th May 1719; pres. to First Charge by George II. 7th March, trans. and adm. 26th April 1738; died 29th Dec. 1752. When settled in the parish "he was one of the prettiest fellows in person and in parts, the darling of the one sex, and the envy of the other," which drew on him no small trouble. For several years he was prevented from exercising his ministerial duty in public, through losing the power of his left side by paralysis. He marr. 22nd June 1730, Anna, eldest daugh. of Joseph Drew, Principal of St Leonard's College, and had issue—John, born 11th April 1731; Joseph, Principal of said college, born 22nd June 1733; Jean (marr. John Hill, min. of this parish); Sarah; Anna; Margaret; Janet (marr., cont. 14th April 1769, Andrew Balfour,

merchant, Edinburgh).—[Ferrie's *Life of Carlyle*.]

JOHN HILL, preacher in Edinburgh: 1753 ord. to Second Charge 2nd Nov. 1738; pres. to First Charge by George II. 26th Jan., trans. and adm. 27th June 1753; died (after a tedious illness) 18th Nov. 1764. He marr. (1) 14th Sept. 1743, Elizabeth (died 22nd May 1747), daugh. of John Gowdie, D.D., min. of Earlston, afterwards Principal of Edinburgh Univ., and had issue—Jean, born 29th May 1744, died young; John, L.L.D., Professor of Humanity in Unive. of St Andrews and Edinburgh, born 27th April 1747, died 7th Dec. 1805; (2) 3rd Aug. 1749, Jean McCormick (died 28th March 1796), daugh. of his predecessor, and had issue

George, D.D., afterwards min. of this parish, and Principal of St Mary's College, born 22nd May 1750; Anne, born 26th April 1752 (marr. Matthew Murray, min. of North Berwick); Janet, born 30th Jan. 1754 (marr. John Cook, D.D., Professor of Moral Philosophy, St Andrews); Margaret, born 5th March 1756, died young; Jean, born 3rd Nov. 1757 (marr. James Macdonald, D.D., min. of Kembach); Joseph, born 26th May 1759, died 16th April 1760; Henry David, D.D., Professor of Greek, St Andrews, born 21st April 1762; Elizabeth Helen, born 4th Sept. 1763.—[Mrs Rodger's *A Book of Remembrance—the Descendants of the Rev. George Hill, D.D.* (p.p., Glasgow, 1913).]

JAMES GILLESPIE; trans. from Second Charge; pres. by George III. Feb., and adm. 12th June 1765; D.D. (St Andrews 3rd Nov. 1768); dem. 3rd Oct. 1779 on appointment as Principal of St Mary's College (*q.v.*).

JOHN ADAMSON, born 1742, younger son of Laurence A., schoolmaster, Leuchars; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1757); licen. by Presb. there 2nd March 1763; ord. to Kilmany 10th May 1764; trans. and adm. to Second Charge 5th Nov. 1772; D.D. (St Andrews, 6th Dec. 1777); pres. to First Charge by George III. 21st Oct., trans. and adm. 15th

Dec. 1770; elected Moderator of General Assembly 18th May 1777, died of paralysis after preaching at St Andrews, 1780. He married 4th July 1756 Sophie, daughter of Dr. George of Thomas Key, minister of Kilbirnie, and had issue: Isabella, born 1st April 1760, died at Calton, April 1770; Thomas, born 1771, N.v.; 1797, died at St Andrews, 1785; Jane, born 29th March 1769, died 23rd June 1790; Katherine, born 17th Feb. 1772, died 17th Dec. 1773; Mary, born 28th Oct. 1773, died 1797; Peter 1798, Captain William Linday of Balmenie; Ann, born 1st Sept. 1776, Oct. 1776, marr. John Henry, man of Budeochy; Robert, born 6th Nov. 1777, died at Hillyatt, East Indies, Dec. 1799; Frederick Maitland, merchant, Glasgow, born 16th June 1779; Margaret Bellair, born 24th Feb. 1783, marr. Michael Sibbald, min. of Cargill. Publications: *A Series of Preachings at the Annexes to the Reformed Church, Edinburgh, 1780*; *An Account of the Parish Sinclair's 1800*. *Hawdhill*.

GEORGE HILL, D.D., died, from 1808 Second Charge, holding in conjunction Principalship of St. Mary's College (*q.v.*), pres. by George III. First Oct., and adm. 30th Nov. 1808.

ROBERT HALDANE, D.D., Prof. 1820 fessor of Mathematics, holding in conjunction Principalship of St. Mary's College (*q.v.*), pres. by George IV. Prince Regent, 4th June, and adm. 25th Sept. 1820, and 16th March 1854.

JOHN PARK, born Greenock, 14th Jan. 1804, son of John P. of the White Hart Inn, and Old Tontine Hotel there, and Mary, daughter of John Weir, educated at University of Glasgow and Aberdeen, licen. by Presb. of Greenock in 1826, curate at the West Church, Greenock, 1827, at Bonhill, ord. to St Andrews Clergy Rodney Street, Liverpool, 27th June 1831, trans. to Glenelg 29th Aug. 1843, pres. by Queen Victoria 5th May, trans. and adm. 7th Sept. 1854, D.D. of St Andrews 1854. In the spring of 1865 P. threw himself with his wife into the sea, the performances of the St Andrews Clerical Society,

of which he was President. On the night when the Society gave its annual concert it was present on the platform. The programme had been completed except the "Hallelujah Chorus." When this began Dr. L. stepped up with the other clergymen to sing, and when finished, "Is not this glorious?" With these words he sank to the ground and died. It is recorded that "He died still in a kneeling posture, April 1st, but never spoke a word." In character he was a preacher of moderate, neither wild nor accomplished manner, and his fame as a poet writing was surely less from than his love of poetry. Publications: For an appreciative notice of Park, see Introduction by Principal Sharp to *Songs, Choruses, and Part-Written by the Rev. J. D. Park, D.D.* (Leeds, 1876); *Letters on a Service* (Edinburgh, 1856). Among his best known songs are "The Miller's Daughter," "The Swallows and the Swallows," "The Crusader's Return," and "Oh, in I were where Gairn." This was composed whilst a student at Rogers' *Middle School* (see *Middle School*, 338; *Modern Scottish Poets*, ix, 734).

ANDREW KENNEDY HUTCHISON
1865 BOYD born Ayr Lindekk Manse, 3rd Nov. 1825, eldest son of James Boyd, D.D., min. of Town Parish, Glasgow, educated at Ayr Academy, King's College, London, and Univ. of Glasgow. Studied for English Bar. Member of the Middle Temple 25th April 1842, B.A. Glasgow 1846, Licency Profe. of Ayr 23rd Oct. 1850, assistant at St George's, Edinburgh, ord. to Newton-upon-Ayr 18th Sept. 1851, trans. to Kirkpatrick Frenchay 27th Jan. 1853, trans. to St. Edmund's, Edinburgh, 14th April 1856; pres. by Queen Victoria 31st May, trans. and adm. 13th Sept. 1865, D.D. Edinburgh 1867, LL.D. St Andrews 1880. Moderator of the General Assembly 22nd May 1890; Fellow of King's College, London, 1895; died at Bournemouth 1st March 1896 of accidental poisoning, and was buried at St Andrews. He married (1) 12th April 1854, Margaret Buchanan (died 14th March 1895),

daugh. of Captain Kirk of Carrickfergus, 77th Regiment, and had issue - Agnes Mary, born 6th March 1855 (marr. Granby Burke, Dublin); James Edmund, born 20th Dec. 1857; Jane Edith, born 15th Oct. 1861, died 22nd Nov. 1862; Frank Mortimer, journalist, founder and editor of *The Pelican*, author of *A Pelican's Tale*, born 1st Feb. 1863; Herbert Buchanan, Canon of Rochester and vicar of Westerham, Kent, born 19th Dec. 1865; Charles Walter, Political Secretary to Cecil Rhodes, C.M.G. (1900), and Secretary of Rhodes Trust, author of *George Wyndham* (1913), born 11th April 1869, died 1st Aug. 1919; Henry Crawford, born 26th Sept. 1870; (2) 5th April 1897, Janet Balfour (died s.p., 15th July 1917), daugh. of Leslie Meldrum, Devon, Clackmannan. Dr Boyd became widely known as an author by papers in *Fraser's Magazine* under the signature of "A.K.H.B." Sir Edward Russell says of him, "that he was almost, if not quite, the greatest raconteur I had ever known," and he was probably better known beyond Scotland than any other Presbyterian divine of his day. Publications - *The Recreations of a Country Parson* (three ser., London, 1859-61-78); *The Graver Thoughts of a Country Parson* (three ser., London, 1862-65-75); *Leisure Hours in Town* (London, 1862); *The Commonplace Philosopher in Town and Country* (London, 1862-4); *Counsel and Comfort Spoken from a City Pulpit* (London, 1863); *The Autumn Holidays of a Country Parson* (London, 1864); *The Critical Essays of a Country Parson* (London, 1865); *Sunday Afternoons at the Parish Church of a Scottish University City* (London, 1866); *Lessons of Middle Age, with some Account of Various Cities and Men* (London, 1868); *Changed Aspects of Unchanged Truths* (London, 1869); *Present Day Thoughts: Memorials of St Andrews Sundays* (London, 1871); *Seaside Musings on Sundays and Week Days* (London, 1872); *A Scotch Communion Sunday* (London, 1873); *Landscares, Churches, and Morali ties* (London, 1874); *From a Quiet Place* (London, 1879); *Our Little Life: Essays Consolatory and Domestic* (two ser., London, 1882-3); *To-*

wards the Sunset. Teachings after Thirty Years (London, 1882); *The Church of the Waldenses* [St Giles Lectures, 4th series] (Edin., 1884); *What Set Him Right, with other Chapters to Help* (London, 1885 &c); *Our Homely Comedy and Tragedy* (London, 1887); *The Past Least, with other Chapters to Help* (London, 1888); *To Meet the Day through the Christian Year* (London, 1889); *East Coast Days and Memories* (London, 1889); *Church Life in Scotland: Retrospect and Prospect* [Assembly Address] (Edinburgh, 1890); *Twenty-five Years of St Andrews*, 2 vols. (London, 1892); *St Andrews and Elsewhere* (London, 1894); *Occasional and Inmemorial Days* (London, 1895); *The Last Years of St Andrews* (London, 1896); *A.K.H.B., a Volume of Selections* [edited by his son Charles] (Edinburgh [in Nelson's Library] n.d.).—[*Men and Women of the Time* (London, 1899); *The Scotsman*, 11th March 1860; *Life and Work*, May 1899; Andrew Lang in *Longman's Magazine*, May 1899; *Sermons and Strat Papers* [Biographical Sketch by Dr W. W. Tulloch] (London, 1907); *Diet. Nat. Biog.*]

PATRICK MACDONALD PLAYFAIR, born 5th Nov. 1858, son of David P., min. of Abercorn; educated at Blair Lodge and Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (1877); licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 18th May 1882; assistant at St Stephen's, Edinburgh; ord. to Glencairn 29th July 1886; trans. and adm. 17th Aug. 1899; D.D. (St Andrews 1909); Convener of Committee on Correspondence with the Scottish Church in England; died 6th Oct. 1924. Marr. 11th July 1888, Eliza Anne, daugh. of John Walker, W.S., and has issue - Eleanor Mabel, born 28th Sept. 1890; Patrick Lyon, B.A. (Cantab.), captain 7th Battalion The Black Watch (Royal Highlanders), T.F., born 14th July 1893, wounded and died at Lestrem, France, 11th April 1918; John Maxwell, 2nd lieut. R.F.A., born 15th Dec. 1898. During the incumbency of Dr Playfair the parish church halls were built, Boarhills was erected into a parish *quoad sacra*, and the town church, the church of the Holy Trinity, was com-

pletely restored. Peter MacGregor Chalmers, LL.D., Architect, at a cost of over £30,000. This work had been contemplated for half a century, and the execution of it is an outstanding monument to his indefatigable energy and business capacity. Publication

Order of Divine Service at the Rededication of the Parish Church of the Holy Trinity, St Andrews (St Andrews, 1906).

SECOND CHARGE.

JOHN AUCHINLECK, M.A., elected
1589 by the parishioners 15th Dec. 1589; trans. to Largo in 1592.

ROBERT WALLACE, M.A., formerly 1593 of Loughars; app. by General Assembly 28th April, inst. 27th, and adm. 27th May 1593; gave offence to John Lindsay of Balcarres, Secretary of State, by accusing him of bribery, and by predictions against his posterity, in a sermon, for which on 11th July 1593 he was suspended and ordered to be removed. He was settled at Glenluce before 1599.

DAVID LINDSAY, formerly of Forfar; adm. 17th Aug. 1597; trans. to Forgan in 1606.

JOSHUA DURIE, M.A.; trans. from 1606 Lozie Montrose; adm. after 22nd Oct. 1606; trans. to Inverkeillor 6th Oct. 1613.

DAVID BARCLAY of Touch, probably 1614 trans. from Kilwinning; adm. in 1614; D.D. St Andrews, 29th July 1616; suspended from preaching within diocese by the Court of High Commission 21st April 1620; was afterwards min. of Dairsie.

JOHN DOUGLAS, M.A., D.D., adm. 1621 in 1621, trans. to Crail in 1624.

GEORGE DEWAR, M.A.; adm. in 1624 1624, trans. to Anstruther in 1626.

GEORGE WISHART, M.A.; trans. from Monifieth; adm. before 18th April 1629, fled to England in 1637, dep. for deserting his flock for eight on

months, error in doctrine, immorality, and arbitrary discipline; was afterwards Bishop of Edinburgh (*q.v.*).

ANDREW HONYMAN, M.A.; trans. from Ferryport on Craig, adm. 24th Nov. 1642; trans. to First Charge 2nd Oct. 1662.

WILLIAM MOORE, M.A.; trans. from Dunino, pres. by Town Council 1664 elected by heritors and Kirk Session 6th, and adm. 15th July 1664; trans. to First Charge 21st Oct. 1680.

ROBERT HONYMAN, M.A., Regent in St Leonard's College, St Andrews; 1631 adm. to Newburn 27th April 1653; trans. to Second Charge, Dysart, 18th March 1657; trans. to Cupar 6th Aug. 1663; pres. by Town Council 10th Feb., trans. and adm. 7th April 1681; D.D. St Andrews 1682; died 6th April 1686, aged about 62. He marr. 1. Nicholas Livingston, and had issue Nicholas; Magdalen; (2) 17th June 1659; Cecill died before 25th July 1707), daugh. of Frederick Carmichael, min. of Markinch, and had issue Frederick; Robert, born 1666; Andrew, born 1669; Eupham marr. Henry Malcolm in St Andrews; Cecill; Margaret, born 1671, died young; Margaret, born 1674. [*St Andrews and Brechin Tests.*]

JOHN WOOD, son of James W., Provost of St Salvator's College, St 1686 Andrews; M.A.; became a Regent in St Leonard's College; pres. by Town Council 10th Sept., had a testimonial for ordination 3rd Nov., and adm. 6th Nov. 1686; deprived by Committee of Estates 11th May 1689, for not reading Proclamation of the Estates, etc.; died June 1703, aged about 52. He marr. 14th July 1687, Helen, second daugh. of Patrick Lindsay of Wormiston, who survived him, and had issue John, born 1689; Patrick; David; Catherine; Margaret; Jean; Helen. [*St Andrews Tests.; Scots Peerage*, v., 414; *Acts of Parl.*, ix., App. 18; *Wood's East Neuk*, 455; *Fife Sis.*, xiv., 139; *St Andrews Com. Deeds*, 5th Oct. 1703, 11th Feb. 1703.]

ALEXANDER SHIELDS, born 1661, son of James S., miller, Haughhead, 1697 parish of Earlston, Berwickshire, and Helen Brown, and brother of Michael S., author of *Faithful Contentions Displayed*; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh, where he graduated M.A., "with no small applause," whilst in his fifteenth year (7th April 1675). He studied theology at Utrecht. On returning home he made his way to London, was amanuensis to John Owen, D.D., and came into close touch with some of the leading Puritans, who persuaded him to accept licence as a preacher. In 1684 he was ord. min. of a congregation meeting in the Embroiderers' Hall. On 11th Jan. 1685 he was apprehended while preaching in a private house in Gutter Lane, from the words in Genesis xlix, 21: "Naphtali is a hind let loose," afterwards the title of his famous Treatise, and was confined in Newgate. After the death of Charles II, he was sent to Scotland and kept for a time in the Edinburgh Tolbooth, whence he passed to the dungeons of the Bass. After fourteen months he was again brought to Edinburgh and offered his liberty, on condition that he would cease from preaching and "live orderly." That he declined to do, and was recommitted to the Tolbooth, but escaped in female disguise about the end of Nov. 1686. Next month he cast in his lot with James Renwick, whose biographer he became. The two became fast friends, and collaborated in writing the *Informatory Vindication*, for which Renwick was condemned. S. was asked to superintend its publication, but failed to find a printer. He crossed to Holland, saw the work through the Press there, and bussed himself with the completion of his *Hind*. After the Revolution he joined the Church of Scotland, and was received into communion, 25th Oct. 1690, with his associates, Thomas Linning and William Boyd. On 4th Nov. 1691 he was adm. chaplain to the Cameronian Regiment serving in the Netherlands, and was present at Namur and Steinkerk. On the Peace of Ryswick he returned home, was called to this charge 4th Feb. 1696, and adm. 15th Sept. 1697. Appointed senior min.

to the Second Darien Expedition, he sailed in the *Rising Sun* 24th Sept. 1699, his charge at home being supplied by brethren in his absence. It is to be noted that S. and his companions were really the first foreign missionaries of the Church of Scotland, the Commission of Assembly having, on 21st July, charged them "particularly that you labour among the natives for their instruction and conversion, as you have access." On the failure of the Expedition, he sailed for Scotland, heart-broken by the profligacy of the settlers and the little success his labours had met among them, but died of malignant fever in the house of Isobel Murray, Port Royal, Jamaica, 14th June 1700. All attempts to identify his burial-place have failed. He was unmarried. Descendants of his brother Michael, who accompanied the Expedition, and of other members of his family are still found in Jamaica. S. was "of low stature, ruddy complexion, quick and piercing wit, full of zeal, and firm in the cause he espoused; pretty well skilled in most branches of learning, in arguing very ready, only somewhat fiery; but in writing on controversy he exceeded most men of that age." Publications—*A Hind Let Loose, or an Historical Representation of the Testimonies of the Church of Scotland* [the first edition did not bear the author's name, but was "By a Lover of True Liberty"] (n.p., 1687; Edinburgh, 1714; Glasgow, 1770, 1797; epitomised as *A History of the Scotch Presbytery* (1691); *An Epistle upon the Death of J. J. Renwick* [anon.] (1688); *Some Notes of a Lecture preached at Distonkirk Hill* (1688); *The Restoration of the Covenant at Bonland Hill* (1689); *Vindication of the Solemn League and Covenants; Several Religious Letters both before and after the Revolution; A Short Memorial of the Sufferings of the Presbyterians in Scotland* [anon.] (1690), reprinted as *The Scots Inquisition, containing a Brief Description of the Persecution of the Presbyterians in Scotland* (Edinburgh, 1745); *An Account of the Methods and Motives of the late Union and Submission to the Assembly of Mr Thomas Linning, Mr Alexander Shields,*

Mr. Baillie's Test. [Edinb., 1701; and in 1691, *Chap. of Communion, or the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper, etc.* by John Baillie, 1701, reprinted as *Mr. Baillie's Test.* by Edinburgh, 1737.] *A True & Exact Record of the S. P. C. K. & S. C. C. K. & C. L. of Scotland, 1715.* [Edinb., 1715; and *S. P. C. K. & S. C. C. K. & C. L. of Scotland, 1724.* Edinb., 1724; *The Present State of the Affairs of the Church of Scotland, 1737.* *The Second and Last Lecture of Howies' Clergy, Glas-*gow, 1779; and in *Second Lecture of the Presbytery* [edited by James Kerr, D.D.], Edinb., 1880; *Letter to the Presbytery of St Andrews.* *H. & C. First,* xviii. [*Eloc. Test.*; Howies' Clergy, Wilson's *Dissert. Ch. 10.*, ill., 123; Fountainhills' *Diary*, Woodrow's *Archiv.* 177, *et seq.*; Borland's *Memor. of Diaries*, 42; *Act. Nat. Soc.*; Article by W. S. Crockett in *Life and Work*, Sept. 1895; *Treasury of the Scottish Clergy*, 372; *Divine Papers* [Bannatyne Club], 1849, 237, *et seq.*; *Archiv. Statelor van Utrecht*, 1886, p. 73.]

WILLIAM HARDIE, M.A.; trans. from Crail, called 6th Jan., and 1701 adm. 1st May 1701; trans. to First Charge 6th Aug. 1712.

LAURENCE WATSON, second son of 1712 Dean of Guild who formerly presented in the Town Church, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 13th April 1704; bound by the Presb. 26th Jan. 1711; pres. by the Town Council 13th Aug., and ord. 4th Sept. 1712; died 26th Aug. 1718. He marr. Margaret, daugh. of Alexander Anderson, min. of the First Charge; she survived him, and marr'd 2^d Leitchian McIntosh, min. of Errol, and had issue John, born 1716. Elizabeth, born 1718. [*St Andrews Test.*; Woodrow's *Clergy*, 1794.]

JOHN MCCORMICK, called 12th Feb., and ord. 7th May 1719; pres. to 1719 First Charge by George L. Kirk, 1724, but did not then accept; trans. to First Charge 26th April 1738.

JOHN HILL, called 26th July, and 1733 adm. and Nov. 1738; trans. to 1733 First Charge 27th June 1733.

DAVID CRAIGIE, born 1722, son of John Craigie, of St Mennan's, educ. 1754 at the Univ. of St Andrews, licen. by Profess. of Kirkcaldy 26th Aug. 1745; adm. to S. C. 27th Feb. 1748; pres. by Town Council Aug. 1753; trans. and adm. 31st Jan. 1753; died 4th Feb. 1757. He marr'd Nov. 1752 Agnes Simson, who died 23rd Feb. 1759, and had issue Margaret, born 10th Aug. 1753; Barbara, born 8th Aug. 1754. [*St Andrews Test.*]

JAMES GILLESPIE, trans. from Dumbarton, pres. by Town Council in 1757 June, and adm. 3rd Nov. 1757; trans. to First Charge 12th June 1758.

DAVID HUNTER, born 1723; M.A. Edinb., 17th April 1745; licen. 1765 by Profess. of Linlithgow 28th Nov. 1750; adm. to M. Wardhill 13th May 1752; pres. by the Town Council in Aug., trans. and adm. 17th Oct. 1765; D.D. St Andrews, 3rd Nov. 1768; died 4th Nov. 1771. He marr. 3rd Oct. 1756, Katherine Shaw, who died the same day as her husband, and had issue Robert, born 5th Nov. 1759; Andrew, born 3rd April 1762; Elizabeth, born 13th Aug. 1763; James, born 3rd Nov. 1767. Publication *Observations on the History of the Christian Church, and the State of the Proprietary of His Clergy, and the Rectitude of His Clergy*, 2 vols. Edinb., 1770.

JOHN ADAMSON, D.D.; trans. from Kilmany, pres. by Town Council 28th Nov. 1772; adm. 5th Nov. 1772; trans. to First Charge 15th Dec. 1779.

GEORGE HILL, pres. by Town Council 1780 in May, and adm. 22nd June 1780; trans. to First Charge 3rd Nov. 1808.

GEORGE BUIST, trans. from Falkland; pres. by Town Council March 1809; 1813 adm. (after much litigation) 1st Sept. 1813; app. to Professorship of Hebrew in St Andrews Univ. (*q.v.*), which he held in conjunction, 25th June 1817, till his death 11th April 1830.

ALEXANDER HILL, born Ayr, 28th Jan. 1826, son of Alexander H., D.D., min. of Dailly, and Professor of Divinity, Glasgow; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Glasgow Jan. 1849; assistant at the Barony Parish, Glasgow; ord. to Kilsyth 29th Dec. 1849; trans. and adm. 11th Oct. 1860; died 5th Jan. 1875. He marr. (1) 29th April 1851, Jane Horne, and had issue - Margaret Mather Crawford, born 4th Dec. 1852 (marr. William Weir Tulloch, D.D., min. of Maxwell Parish, Glasgow); Jane, born 26th Oct. 1854; Harriet Horne, born 16th Jan. 1857; (2) 2nd Nov. 1859, Jane Reid, who died 27th Jan. 1910.

MARK LOUDEN ANDERSON, born 24th May 1829, son of Richard A. and Margaret Kerr; educated at Hutton Hall Academy and Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1854); licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 16th June 1858; assistant at Montrose; ord. to Menmuir 22nd Sept. 1859; trans. and adm. 22nd July 1859; D.D. (St Andrews 1886); died 25th Dec. 1902. He marr. 20th Aug. 1859, Jane Low (died 5th March 1913), daugh. of James Corsar, Arbroath, and had issue - James Corsar, min. of Kinneff, born 22nd July 1861; Richard, born 9th Feb. 1863; Mark Louden, born 13th Aug. 1864; Flora Cruickshanks Corsar, born 30th March 1866 (marr. George Gordon Stott, D.D., min. of Cramond); William Corsar, M.B., C.M., Dundee, born 21st Nov. 1867, died 26th July 1913; Joseph Paterson Corsar, born 7th June 1869; Peter Corsar, licentiate of the Church of Scotland, Scots College, Claremont, Western Australia, born 16th Feb. 1871; Walter, solicitor, Perth, born 8th Sept. 1872; David Chapel, born 13th May 1874; Jane Low Corsar, born 2nd Oct. 1879.

JAMES WALLACE, M.A., B.D.; trans. from Eyemouth 25th June 1903; 1903 trans. to Inveresk 17th May 1906.

WILLIAM HARVEY LEATHEM, M.A., B.A.; trans. from Renton 29th Nov. 1906; trans. to Holburn Parish, Aberdeen, 15th May 1913.

JAMES ALAN CAMERON MURRAY, M.A., B.D.; ord. 25th Sept. 1913; 1913 trans. to Park Parish, Glasgow, 17th Aug. 1915.

WILLIAM KENNETH GRANT, born Edinburgh, 13th July 1883, son of William G., sometime Master of the Edinburgh Merchant Company, and grandson of William G., min. of Cavers, and Eliza Mary, daugh. of Thomas Fisher; educated at George Watson's College and Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (1905); licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh April 1908; assistant at St Bernard's, Edinburgh; ord. (assistant and successor) to Edrom 15th Dec. 1911; trans. and adm. 6th Jan. 1916; app. Chaplain to the Forces, and served with the British Salonika Force July 1918; trans. to Cavers 3rd June 1924. Marr. 30th June 1914, Evelyn Maud Mary, daugh. of William Urquhart, St Helens, Eskbank, and has issue - William Alan Kenneth, born 16th March 1916.

ALEXANDER SLATER DUNLOP, M.A., B.D.; trans. from Luss (*q.v.*) 1924 9th Oct. 1924.

THIRD CHARGE.

ROBERT YUILL, declared "sufficient" by the Presb. 9th Aug. 1593; 1593 proposed 13th Sept. 1593 that he should presently enter on the equal burden of the ministry with David Black and Robert Wallace, but decided he should continue as exhorter only. He is later described as preacher, teacher of the Evangel, master of the Hospital, treasurer to the poor, and vicar. On 2nd Nov. 1592 he laid two presentations to the vicarage before the Presb., one desiring him to be tried and adm. as reader, the other as min. He was therupon app. reader. In 1603 he was app. Moderator of Presb. by George Gledstanes, but protesting, he did not accept office. He marr. Agnes Smith. [Hay Fleming's *Handbook of St Andrews*, 228.]

ST LEONARD'S.

In medieval times great numbers of pilgrims thronged to St Andrews, to visit the shrines and tombs of the saints treasured there. In or about 1140, a hospital for the benefit of such pilgrims was founded in that city. It was dedicated to St Leonard, a famous patron of hospitals. This charitable institution at St Andrews, being very amply endowed, grew rich and accumulated wealth. It was therefore deemed right to assign a share of its income for local works of charity. Out of the hospital endowment an additional parish was provided for the Cathedral city. The new church was built beside the hospital, and, like it, was dedicated to St Leonard. Our earliest record tells of it as in full working in 1413. A time went on the hospital was found to be of little practical use, there being ample provision otherwise for the needs of pilgrims. Therefore the charity was diverted to form a sort of almshouse or residential hospital for old women. That does not seem to have met with much success, and, in 1512, St Leonard's Hospital was converted into a college of St Andrews Univ. The old close connection between the foundation of 1140 and the adjoining parish church was kept up by the fact that the church was now also the chapel of the college. Patrick Hamilton, the martyr of the Reformation, taught in St Leonard's College, and others of its staff laboured in the cause of Church reform. Of the men and their comrades, their fell we were wont to say, "they have drunk at St Leonard's Well." The similes of course refer to the Holy Well of St Leonard, which supplied the college with water. In 1772 the General Assembly met in St Leonard's Church, a building whose ruins are still of much interest.

From the Reformation up till 1824 the Principal of St Leonard's College was also min. of this parish. In 1756 the church being ruined, the Presb. at the request of the United College, who were practically sole heritors, ordered the min. and congregation to assemble for public worship in St Salvator's Chapel. In 1843 at the instance

of the United College, St Salvator's Chapel and neighbouring buildings were disjoined from the parish of St Andrews and annexed to this parish *quod servit utinam*, thus to "obtain the parish church situated within the bounds of the parish of St Leonard. In 1803 this decree of the Court of Exchequer was virtually reduced by the Court of Session through an Action of Declaration at the instance of the United College, and which was not opposed by the heritors, that the college had the exclusive right and title in and to the chapel. The University Court intimated in 1808 that the chapel was no longer to be used as the parish church. After prolonged dispute the heritors, now including a considerable number of farar, in addition to the Univ., were ordered to provide a church for the parish. The new parish church was dedicated on 28th July 1803.

In 1827 the Presb. designed a glebe, with ground for manse and offices for the parish, and an appeal by the United College was dismissed by the Court of Session in 1829. The minister Professor James Hunter then arranged with the heritors at that time practically limited to the United College, to accept an annual payment in lieu of manse and glebe. This arrangement continued till about 1862. At the request of the United College the designed glebe was exchanged for another piece of land in 1874. When the minister, consequent on the refusal in 1862 of the heritors to pay to him the usual sum in lieu of manse and glebe, intimated that he intended to take possession of his glebe, the Univ. on whose property the glebe lay, refused to cede it, all giving that the right of the church in the glebe had lapsed by the failure of the min. for over forty years to take possession of it. After much costly litigation the Courts decided against the min. He lost the old glebe, but got a more valuable new one, as well as a manse, garden, offices, etc. When the congregation removed to the new church in 1863, the Univ. refused to hand over *inter alia* a Communion Cup bearing the following inscription: "This Cup is dedicated to

the use of the Holy Table in St Leonard's Church, in St Andrews, by a devout Widow as a free-will offering for the returne of prayer upon the XIII day of April MDCCLXXXI.² The decision of the Court was that the Univ. should have the custody of the Cup subject to the Church being entitled to the use of it.]

JAMES WILKIE, Principal of St Leonard's College (*q.v.*) 28th April 1578 ; min. here in 1578.

ROBERT WILKIE, trans. from St Andrews, and adm. 14th Oct. 1591, holding Principalship in conjunction (*q.v.*)

PETER BRUCE, M.A.; D.D.; adm. in 1611, holding Principalship in conjunction (*q.v.*).

ANDREW BRUCE, D.D.; adm. in 1630, holding Principalship in conjunction (*q.v.*).

WALTER COMRIE, M.A.; adm. 1644 (colleague) 23rd May 1644; trans. to Dunkeld Aug. 1647, but continued here and was pres. by Charles I. July 1648; app. Professor of Divinity in St Mary's College (*q.v.*) 9th Feb. 1662.

JAMES WEMYSS, D.D.; adm. 21st Dec. 1662; pres. to the Deanery by Charles II. 17th Feb. 1664, holding Principalship in addition (*q.v.*).

WILLIAM TULLIDELPH, M.A.; trans. 1691 from Wemyss with Principalship (*q.v.*) conjoined; pres. by William and Murry, and adm. in 1691.

GEORGE HAMILTON, M.A.; trans. 1696 from Newburn, having Principalship (*q.v.*) conjoined; called 4th, and adm. 26th Feb. 1696.

JOHN ANDERSON, M.A.; trans. from 1697 Leslie with Principalship (*q.v.*) in conjunction; called 2nd Aug., and adm. 1st Sept. 1697.

JOSEPH DREW, trans. from Markinch with Principalship (*q.v.*) in conjunction; called 3rd Aug., and adm. 6th Oct. 1708.

THOMAS TULLIDELPH, trans. from 1739 Professorship of Divinity in St Mary's College, with Principalship (*q.v.*) in conjunction; called 16th Aug., and adm. 13th Sept. 1739.

ROBERT WATSON, LL.D.; trans. 1778 from Professorship of Logic, with Principalship (*q.v.*) in conjunction; pres. by George III. 29th Nov. 1777; ord. 24th Sept. 1778.

JOSEPH MCCORMICK, D.D.; pres. by 1782 George III. 23rd June, trans. from Prestopans 12th Sept. 1782, with Principalship (*q.v.*) in conjunction.

JAMES PLAYFAIR, D.D.; trans. from 1800 Meigle, with Principalship of United College (*q.v.*) in conjunction; pres. by George III. 21st Nov. 1799; adm. 9th Oct. 1800.

FRANCIS NICOLL, D.D.; trans. 1820 from Mains and Strathmartine, with Principalship *q.v.* of United College in conjunction; pres. by George, Prince Regent, 8th Oct. 1819; adm. 20th July 1820; res. parish 15th Sept. 1824.

JAMES HUNTER, born 1772, son of 1825 John H., LL.D., Professor of Humanity in United College, St Andrews; educated at Univ. there; licen. by that Presb. 30th April 1795; ord. by it 13th Oct. that year as Deputy Chaplain of the 2nd Batt. 4th Fencibles; adm. to Dunino 22nd Sept. 1796; dem. on app. as Professor of Logic and Rhetoric in United College 3rd Oct. 1804; pres. to this parish in conjunction by George IV. 14th Oct. 1824; adm. 12th May 1825; died 25th Feb. 1845. He was an excellent classical and French scholar. He marr. 31st Aug. 1797, Jane died 3rd Dec. 1859, daugh. of Charles Wilson, D.D., Professor of Ecclesiastical History, St Mary's College, and had issue — Elizabeth Helen, born 27th June 1798 (marr. John Jeffrey); Susan, born 3rd

OCT. 17th marr. 14th April 1837, James Starkie, C.E., John W.S., Auditor of Court of Session, born 15th March 1804, and 13th Dec. 1840, Charles, born, educated, H.H.C. S., born 6th July 1802, Jane, born 3rd May 1804, marr. Carters Leslie, C.E., Francis, born 14th April 1806, James, born 14th July 1808, Catherine, born 7th Oct. 1809, marr. 16th July 1833, John Whithead, S.S.C., Jessie Hadow, born 2nd Jan. 1818, marr. George Bust, LL.D., editor of *The Lamp of Truth*.

JOHN COOK, M.A., D.D., pres. by 1845 Queen Victoria 11th April, trans. from 1845 Leven Kirk, and adm. 2nd Oct. 1845 app. Professor of Church History, St Andrews, q.d., 15th June 1860, dem. this charge 30th Sept. 1863.

MATTHEW RODGER, born Greenock, 1804, 26th Aug. 1830, son of Mathew R. of Wester Rossland, Renfrewshire, and Elizabeth Wyllie, educated at Parish School, Erskine, High School, Glasgow, Univ. of Glasgow, licen. by Presb. of Greenock 24th Oct. 1853, assistant at Erskine and Bridge of Allan, ord. to West Parish, Crieff, 4th Dec. 1856, trans. to Shettleston, Glasgow, 29th Dec. 1861, pres. by Queen Victoria 11th March, trans. and adm. 1st July 1863, D.D., St Andrews 1886, res. 17th May 1898; died 4th June 1898. He marr. 16th March 1870, Elizabeth, died 28th May 1903, daugh. of Professor John Cook, and widow of John Robertson, F.R.S., min. of St Mengo's, Glasgow. She compiled *A Book of Remembrance*, *The Proceedings of Principal George Hill, D.D.* (Glasg. w. 1913).

ROBERT WILFRED WALLACE, 1808, born 24th Nov. 1862, son of Jardine Wallace, min. of Triggar, educated at Triggar Sch. and Univ. of Glasgow, M.A., 1882, licen. by Presb. of Peebles 5th Sept. 1884, assistant at East Merton, St. Leonard's, St. Andrews, Morningside and Newington, Edinburgh, ord. to St. Leonard's 6th Aug. 1888, Marr. 1st Dec. 1888, Mary Josephine, daugh. of Henry Robert Oswald, surgeon general, Indian Army, and Sarah Georgiana Cunningham.

STRATHKINNESS (Q.S.).

The par. of Strathkinness was separated from St Andrews on 18th July 1809.

RALPH ROBB, born Alloa about 1800, 1839, sixth son of William Rob, farmer, Leven, educated at Univ. of Glasgow, marr. to Original Seconder, Church, Strathkinness, 24th July 1827, joined the Church of Scotland in 1830, joined the Free Church in 1843, man. of Free Church, Strathkinness, 1843, dem. and emigrated to Halifax, Canada, was afterwards man. of Free Church, Hamilton, Ontario, died July 1874. He took an important part in uniting the Associate Burgher Synod, of which he was Moderator in 1853 with the Church of Scotland, and was the first Free Church man to settle in the Western World, *Edinburgh Review*, Vol. 18, Section One, p. 300.

DAVID STEWART, M.A., ord. 13th Dec. 1860, trans. to Kentaway 1860, 31st Aug. 1865.

THOMAS MURRAY, M.A., ord. 15th Feb. 1860, trans. to Anstruther Easter 16th May 1870.

ANDREW DEMESTERTAIT, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, licen. by 1876 Presb. of St Andrews 27th Nov. 1867, assistant at St David's, Dundee, ord. 5th Nov. 1876, died 16th Feb. 1890.

JOHN ROLLAND MACNAB, M.A.; 1800 ord. 26th July 1800, trans. to Kirkmichael 26th Jan. 1857.

WALTER MCLEOD, born Burntisland, 26th Sept. 1863, son of Henry Black Mc and Euphemia Dryburgh, educated at Burntisland Public Sch. and Univ. of St Andrews, M.A., 1887, B.D., 1890, licen. by Presb. of Kirkcaldy 5th May 1890, assistant at High Church, Kilmarnock, ord. 16th Aug. 1897, Marr. 11th Sept. 1912, Isabella Fergie Aitken or Robertson, daugh. of George Aitken, schoolmaster, St Combs, Aberdeenshire.

WORMIT (Q.S.).

[In 1895 a mission hall was erected by the Kirk Session of Forgan to provide religious services for the community that had begun to gather at Wormit subsequent to the re-opening of the Tay Bridge. A Chapel of Ease was constituted here in 1898. The parish of Wormit was disjoined from Forgan 9th March 1911.]

ROBERT CONSTABLE MITCHELL, M.A.; ord. 15th Sept. 1898; res. in 1906; became assistant at St Paul's, Perth; adm. to Fern 19th Dec. 1907.

CHARLES ROBB M'MURRAY, M.A.; ord. 5th Dec. 1906; trans. to Elsick 23rd Sept. 1908.

JAMES COUTTS, M.A.; trans. from Ardallie 17th May 1909; adm. first min. of the parish in 1911; trans. to Logie Buchan 21st May 1917.

HARRY LEGGATT, born Dundee, 8th Jan. 1885, son of Henry L. and Mary Robertson; educated at Dundee High School and Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1906; and Aberdeen; licen. by Presb. of Dundee May 1912; assistant at Alloa, Rubislaw, Aberdeen, and Tross, Edinburgh; ord. 15th Aug. 1917; res. 30th July 1923.

ROBERT MORRIS, born Glasgow, 30th June 1890, son of James M. and Barbara Cleland Waddell; educated at Dunblane Public School, Stirling High School, and Univ. of Glasgow, M.A. (1916); served during European War in Egyptian Labour Battalion; licen. by Presb. of Glasgow 22nd Dec. 1920; assistant at St George's, Glasgow, and Logie (Dunblane); Mission Study Secretary 1922-23; ord. 30th Nov. 1923. Marr. 17th Jan. 1924, Adra Simpson, youngest daugh. of Colin Mackenzie, min. of St Ninians U.P. Church, Stirling, and Georgina Simpson.

SYNOD OF ANGUS AND MEARNS

The Synod of Angus and Mearns was dissolved by the Act of Assembly on 21st May 1701. The Register of the Court begins at 17th April 1701. A court of record held the Record from 1639 to near the middle of the seventeenth century. It was extant on 18th Nov. 1662, but a decree of the Privy Council in 1663. In Oct. 1715 no meeting of Synod was held because Dundee and all the towns within the bounds were in the hands of the Covenanting rebels.

PRESBYTERY OF MEIGLE

(This Court was erected by the General Assembly in or near 1592. It was then made up of the parishes of Meigle, Airlie, Alyth, Bendoochy, Blairgowrie, Comper Angus, Esses, Nevay, Glenisla, Kettins, Kingoldrum, Linterneth, Newtyle, Ruthven, Kirriemuir, Kinneff, Cattachy, Rattray, and Glamis. The Register of the Presbytery begins at 5th Nov. 1606, and goes on in regular form till 15th March 1687. On 27th April 1687, through the action of the Bishop and Synod of Dunkeld, great changes were made upon the constitution and working of this Presbytery. Its name and place of meeting were changed from Meigle to Comper Angus. The parishes of Kettins, Newtyle, Esses, and Nevay, Airlie, Kingoldrum, Glenisla, Linterneth, and Blairgowrie were excluded from it. It was then made to consist of the parishes of Meigle, Alyth, Comper Angus, Bendoochy, and Ruthven, with the addition of those of Kinchaven, Cargill, Rattray, Kinkell, Clunie, and Letheby taken from the Presbytery of Dunkeld; Auchterhouse, Abernyte, and Tendry, from that of Dundee, and St. Martins taken from the Presbytery of Perth. It was, of course, intended to assign to some other jurisdiction the parishes severed from this Presbytery, but it does not appear that such a division was ever carried out. On 2nd April 1688 these changes were all repealed, and the Presbyteries were restored to their old condition, as at the beginning of 1687. The Presbytery of Meigle, however, was then united for a time to those of Dundee and Forfar. This was indeed but a temporary expedient due to special circumstances then arising, and the union did not last long. On 21st April 1703 the Presbytery of Meigle was severed from Dundee, and erected again as an separate Court. The Record of Presbytery begins again at 16th Oct. 1704. There are gaps in it from 15th April 1713 to 23rd April 1718, and from 18th Oct. 1749 to 16th Nov. 1768. Two volumes of the Register have unfortunately been lost. The later of these covered the time from 26th May 1655 to 17th Oct. 1656.)

AIRLIE.

(The church of Airlie was dedicated to St. Medan. Near the old church were St. Medan's Well and St. Medan's Knowe. There was in the parish a chapel of St. John the Baptist.]

ANDREW OGILVIE, a native of Angus; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; embraced the Protestant doctrine in 1560, licen. by Presb. of Forfar in 1563, min. of Keig, Leslie, and Fruinay in 1564, trans. and adm. 2nd Feb. 1567,

with Glenisla also in the charge; died unmarr. in 1589.

WILLIAM MALCOLM, brother of John
1590 M., min. of Perth; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1580); licen. by Presb. of Dunkeld; pres. to the vicarage of Kit goldrum 13th May 1588; trans. and adm. early in 1590; died 11th April 1636. He marr. (1) 1603, Grisel Matthor (or Matthew), who died 23rd Feb. 1609, aged 38, and had issue James; (2) Helen Somm r, and had issue John; Robert, min. of Bendochy; Agnes (marr. cont. 17th Sept. 1633, Oliver Peebles of Chapelhall); Isobel (marr. John Robertson, min. of Perth). [*Acta et Decr.*, exv., 200; *Perth Sas.*, iii., 232 6, 16th July 1626; *Perth Libib.*, xiv., 161; *St Andrews Tests.*; *Tombst.*; Melvill's *Autob.*, 549; *G. R. Sas.*, viii., 384, 386.]

JOHN MALCOLM, nephew of preceding; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1620); licen. by Presb. of Perth in 1623; assistant to his uncle; ord. in 1637; died before 21st Aug. 1646. He marr. a lady whose name is unknown, and had issue James; Robert; William; Elizabeth; Joanna. [*Inq. Ret. de Tut.*, 724; *Forfar Sas.*, iii., 335.]

JOHN ROBERTSON, born at Compart
1650 Grange, about 1623, son of Patrick R., notary in Littleton of Rattray, and Elizabeth —; educated at Compart School and Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1644); licen. by Presb. of Meigle in 1647; adm. before Nov. 1650; app. clerk to Presb. 1st May 1650; deprived by Act of Parliament 11th June, and Decree of Privy Council 1st Oct. 1652; died at Dundee. He marr. Nov. 1650, Isobel, daugh. of James Blair of Ardblair, Blairgowrie (she was alive 6th Aug. 1697), and had issue — James; John, writer, Edinburgh, died before 1687. [*Perth Sas.*, i., 115; *Forfar.*, iii., 335; Hunter's *Dic.* of Dunkeld, 315; *G. R. Hornings*, 13th March 1689.]

JOHN LYON, M.A.; pres. by Patrick,
1663 Earl of Kinghorn; ord. 27th Oct. 1663; trans. to Glamis 21st Dec. 1681.

FREDERICK LYON, fifth son of John
1682 L. of Wester Ogil, and Catherine Ogilvie, and brother of preceding; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (23rd July 1672); licen. by Presb. of Fortar in 1676; pres. by Patrick, first Earl of Strathmore, 29th Sept. 1681; was recommended 11th April for ordination, and adm. 12th May 1682; app. clerk to Presb. 1st May 1683; died of phthisis Sept. 1699, aged about 47. He marr. 1683, Isobel, daugh. of James Cramond of Balmkeith, she survived him, and had issue — Patrick; John; James of Easterdean houses; William; Helen; Gilles; a daugh. (marr. George Lyon, min. of Yesterdon). [*Inq. Ret. de Tut.*, 1175; *Servants of Heirs*; *Lyon of Cossens*, 54; *Reg. of Decls.*, Durie, 5th Oct. 1729; Wilson's *Autob.*, 212.]

WILLIAM LYON, of Wester Ogil, born
1700 Wester Ogil, 9th Oct. 1675, second son of George L. of Wester Ogil, and Jean, daugh. of Sir William Nicbet of Dean, and nephew of preceding; educated at Forfar Academy and Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by United Presb. of Dundee and Forfar in 1700; elected by heads of families in July; ord. 25th Sept. 1700; served heir to his father 21st Jan. 1703 (his elder brother John having died) to the lands of Milntown of Ogil and others in the parish of Tannadice, and on 6th Oct. 1704 to the life rent rights of Wester Ogil. He supported the Government in 1715, and through his influence prevented his parishioners joining the Earl of Mar. He joined in a dissent against a judgment of the Presb. of Dundee condemnatory of the voluntary opinions of his brother in-law, John Glas, min. of Tealing, and carried his dissent to the Commission of Assembly March 1730. He maintained all the ecclesiastical buildings during his ministry at his own expense, spending over £1000. He died suddenly, 4th Jan. 1743. He marr. (1) 16th Nov. 1704, Jean, daugh. of David Melville of Pitgarvy, and had issue — Jean, born 8th June 1708 (marr. as his second wife, Alexander Moncrieff of Culfargie, min. of Abernethy); Margaret, born 5th Aug. 1709, died young; George

1730. Wm. Ogilvie, of Elie, son of Robert Ogilvie, born 1st April 1700, died 1730, married Mary, daughter of James Keith, Laird of Pitmedden, Christian, born 10th Sept. 1730, died 1754, 10th Dec. 1754, William, minister, Dundee, and author of *Principles of St. Andrews*, born 24th June 1732, died 1763, Katherine, born 1st July 1733, died 1743, Alexander, born 1st July 1735, died 1763, John, born 16th Feb. 1737, died minister, 1765, Margaret, born 1738, died 1761, George, born 21st Dec. 1739, died 1764, and Elizabeth, born 16th Jan. 1801. Robert, minister, Dundee, born 19th Aug. 1749, died 14th Sept. 1801. Thomas, born 19th Aug. 1751, died young. *See* *Scottish Clergy, 1740*, Williams, p. 213 (Eng.).

DAVID THOMSON, born 1714, son of David Thomson, of Meigle, created by his father and at Univ. of St Andrews, became Presb. of Meigle 8th March 1738, became tutor in a private family, pres. by Thomas, Earl of Strathmore, 5th May, and ord. 12th Oct. 1742, died 9th May 1770. He marr. 6th Sept. 1735, Margaret, died at St. Andrew's 29th Feb. 1789, eldest daughter of Thomas Tullibeleigh, D.D., Bishop of St Andrews Univ.

JAMES STORMONT of Kinneum, 1730, born there 1st April 1733, son of Alexander, 8th of Kinneum, and Catherine, daughter of James Ogilvy of Askeavie, created by King James VI & I, Earl of Kinneum, Forfar Academy, Univ. of Aberdeen, M.A. 1754, born by Melville, Fife, 11th July 1759, pres. by father of John, ninth Earl of Strathmore, Oct. that year, and 9th July 1780, succeeded to Kinneum on the death of his father in 1781, died 27th Dec. 1800. He marr. 1st June 1759, I. died born 6th Oct. 1753, d. 4. 31. + March 1760, d. eighth of Robert Williamson of Pansie, and Elizabeth, Fife, born 29th Aug. 1757, died unmarried, 29th April 1802. Elizabeth, born 29th Sept. 1758, marr. 1st July 1818, James Maxwell, 4th b. in Dundee, died 7th Feb. 1874. Alexander, of Kinneum, born 16th June 1760, died 1839. Katherine, born 28th May 1761, marr. David Fraser, min-

ist, New Edinburgh, John, born 18th July, marr'd by the July 1766, Gordon, daughter of Ruth, Oct. 1759, and David, Jan. 1767, Margaret, born 1768, Rev. 1776, marr. David Clementine, of Ross, Kirkcaldy, Publ. 1800. Account of the Parish Session, 1800, A. M. 1800, pp. 322, 323. *See* *Eng.*

ROBERT AIKMAN, born Dundee 1810—1774, son of a teacher, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, became Presb. of Dundee, 21st Feb. 1767, and pres. of the Presbytery of Dundee, presby. 1770, and Earl of Strathmore in May, and Lord of Strathmore, Sept. 1810, d. 8th July 1822. He marr. 29th April 1810, Barbara Thomson, who was born 1811, and died 26th July 1871, and died in Maryport 27th July 1871.

DAVID WHITE, born Edinburgh 1833—1877, son of Alexander White, minister of St. John's Church, Edinburgh, and Helen Farquharson, 2nd b. in Edinburgh, Soleil, Forfar Academy, and Univ. of Edinburgh, became editor in Galloway, born by Presb. of Kirkcudbright, 29th June 1832, pres. by trustees of John, tenth Earl of Strathmore, Inveraray, Oxford, 24th April 1833, died 1st Pres. Church in 1833, min. of Free Church, Airlie, 1844-72, d. 1st June 1877, aged 45. He marr. 1st Sept. 1830, Isabella, daughter of Alexander Buchan, Edinburgh, and sister of William Buchan, Duke of Hylwood, Free Church, Edinburgh, and had issue: Henry, born 29th Dec. 1838, George, in business in New York, Isabella, Balfour, and six others. Publication, 1877, vol. 2, of the *Testamentary Dispositions, Manuscripts, &c.* of Alexander White

THOMAS REID, born Kinneum 1803, 1843, son of John Reid, parish schoolmaster, and Jean Milne, educated by his father and at Univ. of Aberdeen, St Andrews, and Edinburgh, born by Presb. of Forfar in 1827, became assistant teacher under his father at Kinneum, assistant at Airlie, 1830-2, succeeded his father as schoolmaster at Kinneum, and became

assistant also to the min. of that parish; pres. by trustees of John, Earl of Strathmore, 16th June, and ord. 24th Aug. 1843; died 11th Dec. 1889. He marr. 15th Dec. 1840, Jane, died 10th March 1848, daugh. of James Fenton, Purzvie, Lintrathen, and had issue: James, born 11th March 1843, died 4th June 1868; Jane, born 22nd March 1844 (marr. 19th April 1871, Thomas Munro Nicoll, Littleton); [Wilson's *Airlie* (portrait), 243-50; Reid's *Kincardine*, 352.]

WILLIAM WILSON, born Coatbridge, 29th Sept. 1860, only surviving son of William W. and Jane Bathgate; educated at Langloan Public School, Gartshiekie School of Science, and Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Hamilton 26th April 1887; missionary at Cullererneix; assistant at Middle Parish, Perth, June 1888; assistant (under Bellhaven Act) at Forȝendenny; assistant at Brechin Cathedral Sept. 1888; ord. 18th June 1890. Publication: *Airlie, or Parish History* (Coatbridge, 1917); *The House of Airlie*, 2 vols. (London, 1924). [Wilson's *Airlie* (portrait), 250.]

ALYTH.

[The ancient church of Alyth was of more than ordinary size, and its ruins are of architectural interest. It was dedicated to St Luaz. The parish was a prebend of Dunkeld. Very near the church was a chapel of St Ninian. A fair of St Luaz was held at Alyth. A new church was built in 1839.]

LAURENCE DUNCAN, reader here 1567 and at Ruthven in 1567.

JAMES GRAHAM, prebendary of 1569 Alyth about 1569. [Macfarlane *M.S.*]

DAVID GRAHAM, entered at Nov. 1572, having Rattray and Ruthven also in the charge. In 1574 Glenisla, Ruthven, and Meigle were likewise under his care; pres. to the vicarage of Ruthven by James VI, 19th April 1583; died 29th June 1602. He marr. Bessie Annand, who died May 1600, and had issue: David, mariner, Dundee; Margaret

(marr. John Moncur in Dundee); Elpeth (marr. John Fullerton, Dundee); Matilda (marr. Alexander Brown, Dundee). [Rey. Soc. *Sig.*, liv., 75.]

THOMAS LUNDIE [or LUNDIN], born 1570; M.A. (St Andrews 1602-1598); adm. in 1602; died "as though of a fever brought on by grief" 3rd June 1630; "revered for his piety and renowned for his blameless character." He marr. Johanna Blair, who died of fever, 22nd May 1636, aged 43, and had issue: Grizel, bapt. 6th Jan. 1625; Isobel (twin), bapt. 9th Jan. 1625; Magdalen, bapt. 14th March 1627; Jean (marr. George Chalmers, portioner of Banchory); James, bapt. 6th April 1630, apprentice to John Fish, merchant, Edinburgh, 10th Feb. 1647; Robert (twin), bapt. 6th April 1630; Thomas. [Walker's *Life of Peden*, 79; *Burns' Charters*, 225; *Tombst.*; Meikle's *An Old Session Book*, 241; *Perth Sis.*, 3rd ser., x., 385; *G. R. Sis.*, xx., 312, xxi., 29.]

JOHN RATTRAY of Blackhills, probably son of Sylvester R., min. of 1637 Rattray, and brother of David R. of Craighall; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1618); adm. to Rattray before 20th Oct. 1629; trans. and adm. 15th Jan. 1637; was with the Perthshire Regiment in England from before 21st July till 23rd Nov. 1641; being present at a meeting of the Committee of Estates was taken prisoner by the English, 28th Aug. 1651, and carried to England, where he was kept close in the Tower of London for twenty weeks. After being released, he returned in June 1652; acq[uis]e[sc]ing in Episcopacy he was Moderator of Presb. 1653-7; required an assistant in 1660 because of deafness and other infirmities; died about 13th Jan. 1678, aged about 80. He marr. Margaret Ramsay, who died 24th May 1671, aged 65, and had issue: John, min. of Ruthven; Patrick; William; Margaret (marr. cont. 29th Dec. 1691, James, only son of Alexander Arbuthnot of Blackston); Elizabeth; Isobel (marr. Thomas Robertson, min. of this parish); Helen; Jean. [Perth *Sis.*, iii., 188, 231;

Perfit Sis., iii., 250; *Ned. Party*
Meikles *Ayr O' Lasses.* [See, 242.]

THOMAS ROBERTSON, M.A., (81) Andrew, 1692, passed trials before 1699, the Presb. of Dundee, and had a stipend for him, 26th Feb. 1699, to be a preacher in Dundee, pres. at Kinnethie, and passed trials to ordination, ord. assistant and reader, 20th 12th Sept. 1699, pres. to chaperon and altarage of St Ninian by Henry Bishop of Dunkeld, and had a deed of execution and instrument in 1670, died betw. on 19th and 22nd Nov. 1685, aged about 44. He marr'd (1) 26th Dec. 1669, Isobel, daughter of John Rattray, min. of this parish, and had issue: John, bapt. Oct. 1670; Margaret, bapt. 4th Sept. 1672, died 16th March 1679; Thomas, born 23rd Nov. 1673; Isobel, bapt. June 1675; 26-11th Feb. 1677, Anne Halliburton, and had issue: James, bapt. Nov. 1681; Margaret, bapt. March 1683; Alexander, bapt. May 1684; Anna, posthumous, bapt. May 1686. [Perfit Sis., ix., 254.]

JOHN LOWSON, son of James Lawson, factor, burgess of Dundee, educated at Univ. of St. Andrews M.A., 24th July 1679, passed trials before the Presb. of Dundee, and had a stipend for him, 28th June 1682, became chaplain to the Bishop of Dunkeld, and preached at Meigle, pres. and coll. by Andrew, Bishop of Dunkeld, in April, 1684, and inst. 1st June 1686, but was much absent from his pulpit, being in Edinburgh, deprived by the Privy Council, 10th Oct. 1687, for not reading the Proclamation of the Estates, and not praying in terms thereof. He continued to reside in the manse, and died 26th May 1688.

JOHN MATHERS, M.A.; formerly min. of Ceres (*q.v.*), intruded here in 1690-1691.

[For a number of years there was no settled min. Thomas Ogilvy, a probationer, was in charge in 1695 to Whitsunday 1697, after which date various preachers officiated.]

JOHN THOMSON, M.A., St. Andrews, 24th July 1699, born by the United 1702 Presb. of Dundee, Fife, and Meigle coll. 1692, 1700, was in trials for Kilmarnock, when he was called to this parish 12th Dec. 1699, and by the Presb. of Dundee, 1702, appointed by the Commission of Assembly, 16 Mar., and ord. 7th May 1702, died 26th Dec. 1714, aged 43. He married a lady whose name is unknown, and had issue: John. An epitaph in the burial-ground, midway between the cemetery and the church of Alyth Church, has the following:

John Thomson, M.A., Presb. of Dundee,
and Meigle, died Dec. 26, 1714, aged 43.
He was a son of the Rev. Mr. Thomson,
rector of Dundee, and was educated at
the University of St. Andrews, and
had a stipend for him, 28th June 1682,
from the Presb. of Dundee, and had
issue: John, bapt. Oct. 1670; Margaret,
bapt. 4th Sept. 1672, died 16th March
1679; Thomas, born 23rd Nov. 1673;
Isobel, bapt. June 1675; 26-11th Feb.
1677, Anne Halliburton, and had issue:
James, bapt. Nov. 1681; Margaret, bapt.
March 1683; Alexander, bapt. May 1684;
Anna, posthumous, bapt. May 1686. [Perfit Sis., ix., 254.]

THOMAS AYTON, pres. by the Presb. of Dundee, 1702, and Ayr, and ord. 21st 1720 Sept. 1720, trans. to Killin, near 26th Nov. 1732.

JOHN ROBERTSON, born 1709, born by Presb. of Dunkeld 11-22nd 1737 Sept. 1730, called 18th June 1736, and by the Presb. of Dundee, 1737, and ord. 26th Jan. 1737, died of fever 3rd June 1772, leaving £10 for educating boys at Alyth School. He marr'd 10th Oct. 1737, Margaret Mack, who survived her husband one day, and they were buried together. [Dob. of Presb.]

COLIN SYMERS, son of Colin S., cordwainer, Dundee, M.A., St. Andrews, 1773, born 1761, pres. by George III., 13th Sept. 1772, and by the Hon. Walter Ogilvy of Clova, in Oct., and ord. 4th March 1773, died 22nd Jan. 1817. He marr'd 12th June 1777, Helen (died 27th Dec. 1798), daughter of John Halliburton, min. of Kettins, and had issue: David, min. of Kettins, born 1st June 1778; Margaret, born 21st Feb. 1780, marr'd John Macpherson Cunningham, min. of Kinglessie; Elizabeth, born 9th March 1781; Colin, collector of Customs, and

ngent of British Linen Bank, Dundee, born 6th March 1782, died 1860; Helen, born 7th Sept. 1783; Amelia, born 8th Feb. 1785; Euphemia, born 7th March 1787; Mary, born 31st March 1788; John, born 1st May, and died 31st July 1789; Janet, born 22nd Sept. 1790, died 29th May 1791; James, born 6th Oct. 1791, died 15th May 1841; Lillias, born 14th April 1793; John, merchant, and agent of British Linen Bank, Dundee, born 6th Dec. 1794, died 1st May 1866; Thomas, born 29th Jan., and died 13th March 1795; George, merchant, Dundee, born 13th Sept. 1798. Publication Account of the Parish (Sinclair's *Stat. Acc.*, vi.).

WILLIAM RAMSAY, born 11th May 1817, son of William R., min. of Cortachy; educated at Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A. (1st April 1809); licen. by Presb. of Forfar 16th June 1813; pres. by George Prince Regent, 5th March, and by Walter, titular Earl of Airlie, and ord. 11th Sept. 1817; died 16th April 1846. He marr. 12th Jan. 1821, Mary (died at Kirriemuir, 5th May 1868), daugh. of James McNicoll, factor to David, Earl of Airlie, and had issue William, min. of Guthrie, born 30th Jan. 1822; James, min. of this parish; John, born 10th April 1825; Stewart Grant, born 1st Oct. 1827; Alexander Keith, born 27th June 1829, died 1st April 1842; David Graham Drummond Ogilvy, D.D., min. of Closeburn, born 7th Jan. 1832; George McRitchie, born 8th Jan. 1834; Mary Stewart, born 3rd Sept. 1835; Eliza, born 22nd Oct. 1837; Clement (marr. 22nd Oct. 1863, Addison Newton, Arbirlot); Keith David son, shipowner, and Mayor of Dunedin, New Zealand, born 11th March 1844, died 3rd May 1906; a daugh. (marr. Alexander Henderson). Publication Account of the Parish (*New Stat. Acc.*, x.).

JAMES RAMSAY, born 14th Sept. 1823, son of preceding; educated 1846 at Parish School and Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Meigle in 1843; pres. by David, seventh Earl of Airlie, and Queen Victoria 11th May, and ord. 20th Sept. 1846; res. (owing to mental

illness) Oct. 1866; died 25th April 1876. He marr. 16th May 1848, Elizabeth Gray, who died 6th May 1900, and had issue William, born 6th Dec. 1848; Margaret, born 1st Oct. 1850; James McNicoll, born 11th June 1852; Ann Ogilvy, born 23rd Feb. 1854; Mary, born 5th Nov. 1855; John McNicoll, min. of Shotts, born 23rd July 1857; George Ogilvy, born 18th March 1859; Sarah Elizabeth Smith Whitson, born 5th March 1861; David Graham Drummond, born 23rd Aug. 1868.

ROBERT MURRAY, born Kilmarnock about 1831, second son of John M., 1866 weaver, and Jean O'Brien; educated at Public School, Kilmarnock, and Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Perth 8th June 1859; assistant at Kilwinning, 1860-1; ord. (assistant and successor) 8th Feb. 1866; died 13th Dec. 1885.

JOHN REID MACLAREN, born Bush Farm, St Martins, 17th Dec. 1848, 1886 son of William M. and Charlotte Reid; educated at Balbeggie School, Perth Academy, and Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Perth 27th Nov. 1872; assistant at Creich, Fife, 1873; ord. to Ceylon 7th Jan. 1875; returned to Scotland; assistant at Abdie; adm. to this charge 31st March 1886; retired 2nd Dec. 1895; died at Alberni, British Columbia, 7th June 1908. He marr. in 1878, Mary Jane, daugh. of Alexander Wylie and Eliza Maria James, and had issue—William Richard, lieut.-commander R.N., born 19th Dec. 1879; Frank Wylie, factor, born 29th Nov. 1881; Charlotte Mary, born 20th March 1884; John, born 16th April 1886, died 15th Jan. 1890.

JAMES MEIKLE, born Clockston Farm, Tarbolton, 7th Nov. 1861, 1897 son of Robert M. and Janet Hunter; educated at Tarbolton School, Ayr Academy, and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1883), B.D. 1886; licen. by Presb. of Ayr 5th May 1886; assistant at Dalziel, 1886-92, St George's-in-the-Fields, Glasgow, 1892-7; ord. (assistant and successor) 7th July 1897. Marr. 17th Aug. 1897,

Janet, daughter of Robert Hunter and Janet Allan, and his son, Robert, minister and teacher, died 17th July 1703. [See also *Aitken's Scottish Church History*, M'Glashen's *Scotsmen*, *Book of Faculty*, 1646.]

ARDLER—Q.S.

The parish of Ardler was a gift from Compt. Alan of Linton, 1285.

ROBERT MILNE, born 2nd March 1832, son of Peter Milne, minister 1805–1832. Studied at Parish School, Marischal College, and Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A. 1854, licent by Presb. of Arden, 1855, presbyt. of East Parish there, and assistant at St. Michael's, Dumfries, ord. to the Town 22th Sept. 1860, clerk to Presb. of Arden 1872–85, D.D. Arden 17th March 1886, trans. and adm. 26th May 1886, and at Ventnor 27th March 1893. He married 1st May 1860, Jane, died 11th Nov. 1892, daughter of John Remond, London, 1st, and had issue, Katherine Jane, born 10th May 1861, died 1st Sept. 1874; Mary Alice, born 23rd Sept. 1862, marr. James A. Duncan of Cawdor, now in South Africa; Frederick Charles, born 8th Jan. 1864, died as student at Arden 1st Feb. 1885; Eliza Jane, parish sister in Haddington Parish, Arden, born 16th Jan. 1870, died at Torquay, 23rd Nov. 1892. Publications: *Life-Work of the Clergy of the Lowland Church* (Edinburgh 1871); *A Book for Town Servants, or Hints for their Self-Degradation* (Edinburgh); *The Pulpit of the Clergy* (and Preachers) (London, 1886); *Ministers' Oaths* (Edinburgh, 1888); *A Syllabus of Texts for Spiritual Study and Practice* (ed.).

ARCHIBALD STUART, born Glenbow, 20th June 1806, son of John 1803 K. S. and Joanna Macleod, educated at Hutchison's Grammar School and Univ. of Glasgow, licent by Presb. of Glasgow in 1832, assistant at Plantation, ord. 23rd Nov. 1833, served in France in 1817, trans. to Elder Park Parish, Gdy

1841–6, May 1841–Mar. 3rd June 1858, vicar, 1st, of Donald MacKenzie, Mayfield, Middleburgh, and Anna Bruce, and Vicar, 2nd, Anna Bruce MacKenzie, born 19th April 1859. [See Graham MacLeod, 1st Th. 1851–61.] Publications: *Silver Anniversary on Behalf of Red Cross, Edinburgh, 1863*; *Chapels and Parishes Near Chipping, Fife, and of Haddingtonshire* (Edinburgh, 1870); *Some Tracts on the Old Testament*, with Foreword by Macmillan Committee of Authors.

DANIEL ANTON MORRISON, born 1821 Kirkmichael, Perthshire, 23rd Sept. 1846, son of Alexander MacTHELSA, and Margaret Abercromby, educated at Kirkmichael School, Daniel Stewart's College, and Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. 1869, licent by Presb. of Fife, assistant at Kirkhall and St. John's Parish, Edinburgh, and by Presb. of Edinburgh Army Chaplain at Arnhem 1st Jan. 1865, residing 1866–7, clerg. to this charge 21st Sept. 1867; Mar. 25th Aug. 1869, Agnes Rehman, Hydrope, and has issue, Jean Gormill, born 22nd Aug. 1870; Alexander Abercromby, born 9th March 1872; Daniel John Hy Lyle, born 2nd May 1873; Nancy Margaret, born 12th Feb. 1875; James Walker, born 16th Nov. 1877.

BENDOCHY.

[The church of Bendochy belonged to the Abbey of Coupar Angus. There was in the parish a chapel of St. Finian, and at Cally there was another chapel.]

JAMES ANDERSON, entered at Nov. 1569 (with Kettins also in the charge). In 1573 Collace was added, trans. to Stirling 2nd Dec. 1582.

HENRY GUTHRIE, rector of Dunsmichen, 1574–80, pres. to Collace 1585–10th Dec. 1582, was one of the committee app'd by Privy Council in 1589 for the Preservation of the True Religion in Angus, and a member of Assembly in 1600, trans. and adm. in 1595, pres. to the vicarage by James VI. in 1598, had also charge of Coupar Angus

for some time. Being unable for duty through age and illness, he had a joint presentation with his successor from the King to the parish 19th April 1633. He marr. Elizabeth Small, and had issue—James, W.S.; Henry, Bishop of Dunkeld (*q.v.*); Elizabeth (marr. 1691, William Small, brother to Patrick S., portioner of Coupar Grange). [Perth *Sis.*, *8*; *Reg.*, i. 41, 296, vi. 483.]

ROBERT MALCOLM, born about 1600, son of William Ma. min. of Airlie; **1631** educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. 16th July 1620.; adm. assistant in 1631; pres. conjointly with preceding by James VI. 19th April 1633; died 20th June 1633. He marr. Margaret Guthrie, and had issue Harry, his successor in the parish; William, min. of Kinloch; Isobel (marr. Andrew Many in Bruntie); Elspeth. [Inq. Ret. Perth, 723, *de Tutu*, 723; Perth *Sis.*, v. 115.]

HARRY MALCOLM, born about 1633, son of preceding; educated at Univ. **1633** of St Andrews; M.A. 13th May 1653; was a licentiate 26th Feb. 1657; adm. to Burntisland 17th June 1663; trans. and adm. after July and before 6th Oct. 1663; was clerk to Synod 4th Oct. 1665; had an adjudication of the lands of Kellier 16th, and a confirmation of an annual rent out the lands of Ardblair 20th March 1688; buried 8th April 1688. He marr. Helen Small, and had issue—Robert; Henry, residenter in St Andrews, died in 1693. [Perth *Sis.*, iv. 63; *St Andrews Tests.*; *Dunkeld Tests.*; Inq. Ret. Perth, 723, 979; *Gen.*, 6932, 8075.]

THOMAS BLAIR, born about 1636, second son of Thomas B. of Ardblair; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (28th July 1656); passed trials before Presb. of Meigle; had testimonial for ordination 26th Jan., and adm. to Blairgowrie 23rd March 1664; pres. to Bendochy by James VII. 4th May, and adm. before 13th Aug. 1688; died before 11th Sept. 1692. He marr. Helen Macleodn, who survived him, and had issue—William, Margaret; Isobel; Helen.—[*Dunkeld Tests.*; Perth *Sis.*, xv., 265.]

DAVID RANKEN, born 1663, son of Alexander R. of Pottie, merchant, **1692** treasurer and baillie of Perth, and Agnes Reid; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (28th July 1677); passed trials for licence and approved by Presb. of Perth 17th March 1680; app. Master of Grammar School of Perth 17th July 1682; adm. to Rattray 18th Sept. 1687; deprived by the Privy Council, 16th Oct. 1689, for not reading Proclamation of the Estates, etc.; intruded here, 11th Sept. 1692, on the invitation of the heritors and heads of families; left the charge in 1700, and had a meeting house in Skinner's Close, Edinburgh, but not producing his orders in terms of a sentence of the Lords of Justiciary, and having been forbidden to preach by the Provost and magistrates, he was convicted a second time before the Justiciary Court of not praying for King George in terms of the Act of Toleration, 18th June 1717, and was inhibited from exercising the ministry. He was consecrated a bishop of the Non-jurant Church in Edinburgh 11th June 1727, and died 17th Nov. 1728. He marr. Euphan Blair, who died 28th July 1736. Publications. *Three Sermons designed to exhort and assist on Devotion at the Holy Communion* (Edinburgh, 1713); *Three Discourses on I. Peter, iii. 13, 14* (Edinburgh, 1716); *Three Discourses on I. Peter, iii. 14, 16* (Edinburgh, 1716); *The Safety of the Righteous Man from Injury and Harm*, a sermon (Edinburgh, 1717); *Sermons* (1720); *Description of the Great Things contained in the Gospel* (1722).—[Hunter's *Diocese of Dunkeld*, 479.]

JAMES RAMSAY of Parkeonmar, only son of James R. of Bargavie and **1700** Parkeonmar; probably tutor of Alexander Gordon of Pitburg; ord. to Cortachy 30th Nov. 1687; called 19th June 1699; trans. and adm. 27th Nov. 1700; was one of fifteen mins. who dissented from the resolution of the General Assembly, 15th May 1740, to depose the eight seceding brethren; died 16th Aug. 1746. He marr. (1) (cont. 22nd July 1702), Margaret, daugh. of George Lyon

of Wester Ord, 2d, 20th Nov. 1721; Barbara, died 20th March, 1741, daughter of Sir Andrew Murray, of Murrayhall, and had issue, Christian, earl Thomas Gibson of Mearns, *D. & J. D. & R. Reg. of D. & J. D.*, 1st July 1746, *Epit. St. S. & C. xii. 333*; *L. & S. C. viii. 63.*

ALEXANDER DUN, born by Fresh
of Dundee, 1st May 1744, called
3rd Jun. 1744, died 10th Nov. 1747,
died 10th Nov. 1784. He marr. 11th Oct.
1754, Elizabeth Reekem, who died 30th
March 1798, and had issue, William
H. E. L. S., born 24th Sept. 1755; Anna
born 13th May 1756; Maria, 26th Jan.
1759; Robert Henderson, surgeon; Cooper
Angus; Elizabeth twin, born 11th May
1759; Alexander, born 2nd May 1771.

JAMES PLAYFAIR, bapt. 3rd May
1785, eldest son of Charles Playfair
Cochrane and Catherine Henderson,
born by Fresh of Menzies, 6th Aug. 1777,
assistant at Glanis, ord. by Presb. deput'y
chaplain of Royal Glasgow Volunteers
7th Feb. 1784; pres. by George III, 2nd
Dec. 1784; adm. 21st July 1785, died
22nd April 1812. He possessed a large
apertur, and made a study of the natural
history of the bee, wrote an account of his
discoveries, which he sent to a London
publisher who, it is said, appropriated it
to his own purposes. He also made an
investigation into the Antiquities of
Stormont. He marr. 26th Dec. 1786,
Grizel, died 16th Dec. 1808, daughter of
Patrick Duncan, min. of Tibbermore, and
had issue, Katherine, born 12th Dec. 1790,
died in infancy; Patrick, lieutenant, born
6th Oct. 1793; Charles, born 7th June
1795, died in America; James, born 21st
Oct. 1796, died young; George, farmer,
Parkhead, Bladonwrigg, born 26th Oct.
1798, died 22nd Nov. 1871. David
Publication, Account of the Parish of
Clair's *Stat. A. & C. xix.* (*Loc. P. 1835*,
Tom. I. p. 83.)

JOHN HONEY, M.A., born 1780,
1812 educated at Univ. of St Andrews,
while a student there he distinguished
himself on 3rd Jan. 1800 by

rescuing the crew of the ship *Phoebe* of
Mudaff, which had been driven on the
shores and dashed to pieces. For his
valour he was presented with a silver
cup by John, Earl of Kellie, and several
merchants of London, and the freedom of
the City of St Andrews was conferred on him
by the magistrates. He was born
by Fresh of Fife, 19th Feb. 1803, pres.
by George, Prince Regent, 28th May, and
ord. 29th Sept. 1812, died 16th Oct. 1814,
having never wholly recovered from the
effects of his brave exertions. He marr.
29th Sept. 1806, Anna, died at Edinburgh,
3rd Jan. 1831, daughter of John Adamson, D.D., Prof. of Civil History, St Andrews,
and his wife, John Adamson, D.D., min.
of Inchture, born 31st Oct. 1810; James,
writer, Perth, born 26th March 1812;
George, writer, Perth, born 29th June 1814.

THOMAS BARTY, born 1778, benn.
1815 by Presb. of Perth, 21st March 1784;
ord. assistant at Monzie, 4th June
1785, trans. to Newtyle 15th March 1792,
pres. by George, Prince Regent, 21st Jan.,
trans. and adm. 6th July 1815, died 1st
Aug. 1832. He marr. 1st Oct. 1795,
Anne, died in Edinburgh, 31st March
1815, fourth daughter of William Kerr
of Drumarrow, and her issue, Jean,
born 8th Aug. 1796; Patrick, min. of
Ruthven, born 5th Jan. 1798; William,
born 2nd Oct. 1799; Thomas, presb. reg'd,
Dunblane, born 3rd April 1802; James
Strachan, D.D., min. of this parish;
Margaret Wentley, born 30th Oct. 1804.

JAMES STRACHAN BARTY, born
29th June 1805, son of preceding,
educated at Univ. of St Andrews;
born by Presb. of Menzies, 6th Aug. 1828;
pres. by George IV, 26th April, ord. assist.
and successor, 11th Aug. 1829, app.
clerk to the Synd. of Angus and Mearns
13th March 1832, D.D., St Andrews, 13th
March 1851, elected Moderator of the
General Assembly 21st May 1868, died
1st Feb. 1875. He was an expert botanist.
He marr. 16th April 1837, Margaret (died
25th April 1861), daughter of James Webster
of Balruddery, and had issue, Thomas, min.
of Kirkeholm, born 5th Feb. 1838;

James Webster, LL.D., solicitor, Dunblane, born 1st Nov. 1841, died 23rd May 1915; Agnes Margaret, born 12th Nov. 1843 (marr. John Morrison, merchant, Liverpool, resides in Canada); Jemima (marr. Ian Colin Campbell); Elizabeth, Publications *Peter Plough's Letters to the Right Hon. Lord Kinnaid on High Farming and Free Trade* [an answer to Lord Kinnaid's pamphlet] (Edinburgh, 1850); contributions to *Blackwood's Magazine* and other periodicals; *Address Delivered at Close of the General Assembly* (Edinburgh, 1868); *Remarks on the Parochial and Burgh Schoolmasters Act* (Edinburgh, 1862); Account of the Parish (*New Stat. Acc.*, x.).

GEORGE BROWN, born Edinburgh, 1875 6th Feb. 1836, son of James B. and Mary Graham; educated at the Normal School, Edinburgh, and Univ. there; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 30th Sept. 1865. He proceeded to Egypt to work among the Jews, but was ord. to Gartmore Chapel 25th Oct. 1866; trans. to Newtyle 29th Sept. 1871; trans. to Second Charge, Montrose, 25th Sept. 1873; trans. and adm. 6th July 1875; died 13th Nov. 1897. He had antiquarian and historical tastes and collected a large amount of material for a history of the parish. He marr. 28th Dec. 1858, Mary (died 27th July 1909), daugh. of James Campbell, and had issue James, min. at Corrie, born 10th April 1860; George, born 1st March 1863, died 13th June 1884; Peter, born 29th March 1865, went abroad; Campbell Carrasco, born 10th July 1867; Janet Lillie Sophia (twin), born 10th July 1867; Archibald Graham, engineer, born 23rd Sept. 1868, died 16th Dec. 1909; Matilda Margaret Mary, born 28th March 1871 (marr. 14th April 1905, James Newlands); Eva Jane, born 18th July 1873; Alexa, hospital nurse, born 5th Aug. 1875, died 3rd April 1908; Minnie Euphemia, born 26th April 1878.

ANDREW WYLLIE SMITH, born Kilconquhar, 11th March 1865, son of George S. and Elizabeth Rodger; educated at Parish School and Univ. of

Edinburgh; M.A. (1887), B.D. (1890); licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 7th May 1890; assistant at St Pauls Church, Perth, Sept. 1890; ord. to South Church, Kirriemuir, 29th Nov. 1894; trans. and adm. 17th May 1898. Marr. 12th June 1895, Margaret Spring, elder daugh. of John Gray of Roeberry, Orkney.

BLAIR GOWRIE.

[The church of Blair in Gowrie belonged to the Abbey of Scone. There were in the parish Wells of St Ninian and St Margaret.]

THOMAS CRUICKSHANK, formerly 1588 a monk of Scone; was min. in 1588, — [Acts and Dec., cxv., 264.]

JOHN ROSS of Magdalens, son of 1603 John R. of Craigie; educated at St Andrews; M.A. (1599); pres. to parsonage and vicarage by James VI. 25th Jan. 1603; went to attend the Assembly at Aberdeen 2nd July 1605 but arrived three days after it had met. Approving of its proceedings he was summoned before the Privy Council 3rd Oct., and confined to the Castle of Stirling, but was liberated soon after. Was still min. 26th Jan. 1613. He marr. Jean, daugh. of William Shaw of Pittmурthlie, and had issue John, min. of Lethendy.—[P.C. Reg., vii. 674, ix. 132, 141; Bim. Charters, 168; Perth Sas. Soc. Reg., iv. 383, 404, v. 503; Sas. x. 263, 29th Jan. 1613; Melville's Autobiog., 598, 616; G. R. Sas., xvii., 279.]

JOHN RAMSAY, M.A. (St Andrews 1649 1634); adm. before 19th April 1639; died Oct. 1663, aged about 49. He marr. Feb. 1651, Helen, daugh. of Alexander Symmer, merchant burgess, Dundee, who survived him, and had issue—Alexander, min.; John, M.D., Dundee; David; James. [Inq. Ret. Gen., 4765, 6677, 6974, 6975; Perth Inhib., xiv., 2; G. R. Inhib., 30th Nov. 1660.]

THOMAS BLAIR, M.A., died at St Andrews 19th April 1704, interred in the church of St Andrews, 23rd March, and on 27th June, Archdeacon of St Andrews, 17th April 1693, interred 2d April 1695, trans. to Bendochy before 17th Aug. 1695.

GILBERT BLAIR, son of Thomas, 1688-1703, B. of Edinburgh, presbyt. of the VIII Presbytery of Edinburgh, 16th May, and died after 16th May 1703, deposed by the Free Church 19th Oct. 1698, for not attending the Free Presbyteries of the Estates, etc., who was interred 17th April 1704, and buried 27th Nov. 1704. (Douglas, *Brev. of 1704*.)

WILLIAM STEWART, M.A., died 1702, 17th April 1701, ord. 3rd Feb. 1702, trans. to Second Charge, Perth, 17th July 1721.

JAMES LYON, son of George Lyon, 1723, L. of West, Ord. and Dean Nov. 1723, educated at Perth Academy and Univ. of St Andrews, became by Presb. of Melrose 1729, called 17th April 1722, ord. 17th Sept. 1723, died 22nd Dec. 1768. He married 15th Nov. 1724, Alison, died 19th March 1749, daughter of George Gillaspie, minister of Strathmiglo, and had issue: George, minister of Strathmiglo; Gabriel, born 2d June 1726, died 17th Feb. 1757; Katherine, born 1st Dec. 1731; Robert, born 17th Jan. 1733; Barbara, born 28th July 1734, interred 27th April 1768; David, Walker, minister of Strathmiglo. (*Loc. cit. of Class. of 1704*.)

WILLIAM DOW, M.A., St Andrews 1755, educated at St Andrews, 17th April 1759, died 18th May 1786. He married 28th Nov. 1771, Mary, died 21st May 1786, eldest daughter of Patrick Duncan, minister of Tiddesley, and his wife Ann, born 29th Nov. 1772, died 19th March 1779. An heir, William, 29th April 1774, died 16th March 1779. Peter, born 19th June, died 17th Sept. 1786; Robert, born 9th May 1778; William, born 17th April 1780. Grace, born 29th July 1782, married David Harris, min. of Fern, John, born 24th July 1784.

JAMES JOHNSTON, F.R.S., 1706-1707, presb. by Dr. Scott, Birth 26th March 1707, died 1707, presb. by Thomas Graham of Balcarres, Oct. 1707, died 20th April 1787, and 1st Oct. 1800. He married 17th Sept. 1707, Jean Graham, who died 17th Dec. 1727, and is buried in the church of St Andrews, 21st June 1728. Jean Smythe, born 21st May 1707, married 17th May 1733, William Bowes, curate of the Perth Presbytery, died 17th Oct. 1733, and died 28th Jan. 1734. Bowes died 17th April 1733, and 17th Dec. 1734. Margaret Bowes died 17th April 1743, wife of John Anderson, minister of Third Charge, Dundee, and author of a part of the Perth Presbytery's 1776 Almanac.

ROBERT MACDONALD, born Perth 1713, son of Alexander Macdonald, minister of St. Cuthbert's, Edinburgh, emigrated to Univ. of St Andrews, and Edinburgh, licensed by Presb. of Perth, 19th June 1800, presb. by Mrs Oliphant of Gask and Ardfern in Fife, 17th April 1801, died 1837, buried in the Free Church, 1837, named Blangwirth Free Church, 1843-57, transferred to Free Church, North Leith, 12th March 1857, D.D., St Andrews, 12th Feb. 1859, elected Moderator of General Assembly of Free Church 29th May 1852, and 21st Aug. 1853. He married 19th June 1810, Catherine MacLean, who died 18th Feb. 1880, as 1771, and died in Jersey, Dungwall, Friday evening, 1866. Sir Thomas Granger, M.D., LL.D., Edinburgh, died 17th June 1921, Cleric, the Duke of Buccleuch, Robert Macdonald, 1880, Edinburgh, and others. Published as "A Work for the Benefit of the Poor," Edinburgh, A. Black & Son, 1849. "Held at Dundee, 1843," *Testimony of the Free Church*, 1845, a Lecture on the Protestant Religion of the Free Church, 1848, "A Work for the Benefit of the Poor," Edinburgh, 1849. McKeynes' "Expositions of the Epistles to the Seven Churches of Asia," *Loc. cit.* "A Manual of the Doctrines of the Free Church," 1849, "A Manual of Proprietary of the Sabbath," Stirling, 1856, "A Lecturing Society," Glasgow, 1865.

ARCHIBALD OCHILTREE GREIG, M.A. 1827; ord. at Montrose, Fife, 1843; 5th Nov. 1833; adm. to Brown Street Chapel, Blairgowrie, 23rd Oct. 1839; trans. and adm. 4th Aug. 1843; died 3rd Oct. 1854. He marr. (1) 13th Jan. 1835, Elvina MacBeth, and had issue John MacBeth, born 3rd Aug. 1840; Alexander, born 4th Jan. 1844; Archibald Ochiltree, born 6th Oct. 1845; (2) 14th Sept. 1852, Christina (died 22nd March 1869), daugh. of Andrew Park, and widow of George S. Carstairs, Edinburgh.

WILLIAM FRASER, born Forgue, 1853; son of William F., supervisor of Inland Revenue, Fife, and Paisley, and Ann Bruce; educated at Grammar School, Paisley, and Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. 1875; was *lector in towns* in the Chair of Moral Philosophy, Univ. of Aberdeen, in 1845; licen. by Presb. of Perth in 1846; assistant at St Enoch's, Glasgow; Old Machar, and St Ninians, Stirling; ord. 18th Feb. 1853; died 24th Feb. 1881. He marr. 17th Sept. 1841, Margaret, died 5th Aug. 1875, daugh. of Alexander McCosh, merchant, and Margaret Cattaneo, and had issue Margaret Jessie, born 5th Nov. 1862, died 27th Feb. 1879; Annie Bruce, born 11th April 1864; William Alexander, born 3rd Oct. 1868; Charles James Shaw, born 1874.

ROBERT KEMP, born Falkirk, 6th May 1856; son of William Strachan Kinny K., LL.D., classical master, High School, Glasgow, and Clementina Neilson; educated at High School, Dux and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. 1876; licen. by Presb. of Glasgow 6th June 1880; assistant at Lamlash, Arran, and Hillhead Parish, Glasgow; ord. 22nd Sept. 1881; died suid 6ly 21st June 1885. He marr. (1) 11th Jan. 1882, Jane Boyce, died 5th April 1885, daugh. of Francis B. Locky, and had issue Marjorie Boyce, born 12th March 1885; (2) 8th July 1896, Madge Laird, daugh. of James Rutherford, Kirkleatham. Publications—*The Praise and Blame of Love, with other Verse* [in collaboration with John Wellwood, min. of Drainie] Glasgow, 1882, 2nd ed. 1885; *O'Key's Prayer for Children* Blairgowrie, 1891; *Poems* [Memoir, portrait by Sir John Herkless, D.D., LL.D., and Notes by M. Roy Ridley] Oxford, 1892.

JOSEPH EDWARD RICHER, born West Hartlepool, 13th Dec. 1870; son of James R. and Mary Ann Armstrong; educated at Skelton, Yorkshire, Congregational College, Bradford; M.A. 1902; min. of Congregational Church; adm. by General Assembly as a Licentiate in 1915; assistant at St Margaret's, Edinburgh, and St Mungo's, Glasgow; ord. 6th Jan. 1916; B.D. Edinburgh, 1918. Marr. 6th June 1900, Isobel, daugh. of A. L. Fenton, and has issue Isabella Mary, born 30th Dec. 1902; Margaret Colling, born 13th April 1905.

ST MARY'S (Q.S.), FORMERLY BROWN STREET CHAPEL.

[St Mary's Parish was disjoined from Blairgowrie on 11th July 1879. The present church was opened 30th Aug. 1885.]

ARCHIBALD OCHILTREE GREIG, M.A.; app. 23rd Oct. 1839; trans. to Blairgowrie 4th Aug. 1843.

[Vacant 1843-70.]

ALEXANDER STEWART WILLIAMS; son; elected Nov. 1870; dem. 8 pt. 1876; ord. to Scone 10th Oct. 1877.

ROBERT DAVIDSON HUTCHISON, elected 23rd April, and ord. 21st May 1877; trans. to Persie 16th July 1878.

ROBERT STEWART, born Kippford, 2nd Aug. 1854; son of James S. and Ann Baxter; educated at High School of Dundee and Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Perth in 1877; assistant at St George-in-the-Fields, Glasgow; elected 27th April, and ord. 29th Oct. 1878; first min. of the parish 14th July 1879. Marr. 15th Jan. 1883 Jessie Jane, daugh. of Dr Robert Linton, Blairgowrie, and Mary Robertson, and has issue James, born 18th Oct. 1885. [Macdonald's *B'rn, circa*, 96, 226.]

COUPAR-ANGUS.

The first of Coupar-Angus formed part of the property of the Abbot of Dunkeld. In the year 1200 St. Mary's Chapel, Angus, founded in 1163 by King Malcolm IV. Though a building of much fame, and a centre of pilgrimage, there now survive only very scanty remains. In the gateway of the Abbey there was a chapel of St. Katherine. A fair was held at Coupar-Angus on the Thursday in Holy Week.

HENRY GUTHRIE, minister of Banchory, 1611, had charge here about 1611.

DAVID LEITCH, minis. 26th Aug. 1622, 1622. [G. R. Sims, M. 1856.]

ROBERT LINDSAY, M.A., of St Andrews, 1625—26th July 1641; was on the Exchequer at Perth 12th April 1620; became schoolmaster of this parish before Jan. 1625, probably adm. min. that year, was killed when the town was burned by Alister Macdonald, *alias Cille Chotach*, April 1635, aged about 54. He marr'd Margaret Rhynd, who survived him, and had an Act of Assembly passed in her favour, 6th June 1646, recommending her to the charity of the congregations of the Church. [A. S. of P. 1641, p. 111, 678, 692.]

GEORGE HALIBURTON, M.A., adm. 1648—died 12th Oct. 1648, suspended before 11th Sept. 1650, respondeo Nov. 1652, 14th Dec. 1653, consecrated Bishop of Brechin, 13th June 1678, retaining the parochial cure till apparently 1682 when he was app'd Bishop of Aberdeen.

GEORGE HAY, probably son of George Hay of Newtoun, adm. to Belmerino before 2nd Sept. 1658, presby. John, Master of Belmerino, 6th, 27th Oct. trans., and adm. 29th Nov. 1682, deprived by Privy Council 21st Apr. 1698, for not taking the oaths to William and Mary, etc. He marr'd Margaret Haliburton, and had issue William, George, James, George, Jean, Anne, Margaret, a daughter, buried Nov. 1690.

THOMAS MICHELLE, M.A., called 1660—22nd Nov. and ord. 11th Oct. 1660, trans. to Loudon, 2nd May 1722.

THOMAS OGILVIE, M.P., son of 1703 Thomas Ogilvie of Parcally, educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen, by his father, and preached in the Presb. of Fife, though not licensed by any presb. locum by the Univ. Presb. of Angus and Moray, 17th Feb. 1677, ord. to Strichen, 3rd May 1677, called by the Presb. of Kincardine, 3rd Feb. 1681, trans. and adm. 18th May 1703, died 2nd May 1741. He marr'd Elizabeth, died 11th Feb. 1730, daughter of Henry Smith of Glasswall, and had issue: Henry, name of Linlathen, Elizabeth marr'd 1. John Dunbar, man of Moncrieff, 2. Thomas Ogilvie of Colding, 3. old 1. marr'd 1. Glasswall, 2. Douglas, *Liberator*, 3. 3d.

THOMAS SPANKIE, born 1711; M.A., app'd to Perth by George Heriot's Hospital, Edinburgh, 6th May 1731, became shepherd of the family of Vere of Stonybyres, Lothian, Presb. of Linlathen 21st Sept. 1737, presby. John, Lord Belmerino, Sept. 1741, ord. 6th March 1742, dep't by the Presb. for his irregular marriage, disordination, etc., but sentence being reversed by the Synod 26th Oct. that year, he was shortly received at the bar, d. 2d May 1778. He marr'd 3rd Dec. 1736, Margaret Inglis, who died 11th Sept. 1782, and had issue: Rachel, born 4th Feb. 1736, Thomas, born 29th Jan. 1743, Ann, born 8th April 1744, died 10th April 1745, George, born 6th Dec. 1746, died 2nd March 1747, Isobel, born 18th Jan. 1747, marr'd 6th Nov. 1770, Robert Young, farmer in Wester Denshead, Margaret, born 15th Nov., and died 25th Dec. 1759.

CHARLES KEAY, born 10th Feb. 1770, second son of James Keay of Swanrow, Lothian, Presb. of Dunkeld 21st Oct. 1764, ord. to Old Deer 14th Dec. 1769, pres. by George III, 13th June 1778, trans. and adm. 18th May 1779; died unmarr. 9th April 1807.

JOHN HALKETT, born 1770; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; 1807 M.A. (1789); tutor in the family of George Douglas of Cavers; licen. by Presb. of Jedburgh 3rd Aug. 1803; pres. by George III, 7th Aug., and ord. 25th Sept. 1807; died 21st April 1828. He succeeded to the estate of Balendoch. He marr. 20th Dec. 1811, Grace (died at Balendoch, Perthshire, 25th Nov. 1867), second daugh. of Charles Hay of Beechhill and Balendoch, and had issue: James, in colonial service, Hong Kong, born 5th Jan. 1813, died 8th Nov. 1846; Charles Hay, born 29th April 1819; John Gilbert of Balendoch, born 27th March 1825; David Henderson in Blairgowrie, born 6th Sept. 1827.

PATRICK JAMES STEVENSON, born 1802, son of Patrick S. of the City 1828 Chambers, Edinburgh; educated at Univ. there; licen. by Presb. of Cupar 12th July 1825; pres. by George IV, 18th June, and ord. 26th Sept. 1828; D.D. (St Andrews, Dec. 1857); sometime clerk of Presb.; died 29th Oct. 1880. He marr. 14th Feb. 1834, Margaret Emily (died 12th March 1895), daugh. of John Peter Kirkland, Fife, and had issue: Patrick, min. of Inverarity, born 24th July 1835; John, LL.D., min. of Glamis, born 17th July 1836; Janet Euphemia, born 17th Sept. 1839 (marr. David Bett, agent of the Union Bank, Coupar Angus); Alexander Brunton, born 16th June 1842, died at sea 26th May 1873. Publication: Account of the Parish (*New Stat. Acc.*, x.).

FINLAY ROBERT MACDONALD, born Canada, 13th Oct. 1843; was one 1881 of a number of students brought to this country by the Colonial Committee with a view to licence for service in the Dominion, but who preferred to labour at home; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Ayr 1st July 1865; assistant at the Barony, Glasgow; ord. to Martyrs' Parish, Paisley, 25th Sept. 1874; trans. and adm. 18th Aug. 1881; died 22nd Nov. 1901. He marr. 11th July 1870, Agnes Jaffray Marshall, born 12th March 1849, died 1st May 1919.

CHARLES STEWART, born Lochore, 1902 12th May 1868, son of William S., architect, and Agnes Myles; educated at Dundee and Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1888), B.D. (1891); licen. by Presb. of Dundee in 1891; assistant at Greyfriars, Dumfries; ord. to Tannadice 19th April 1895; trans. and adm. 12th June 1902. Marr. 24th Sept. 1895, Edith Susan, daugh. of William Smith Kerr, M.D., Dumfries, and Mary Elizabeth Murray, and has issue:

Charles, born 11th July 1898; John Kerr, born 15th June 1900; Elizabeth Murray, born 5th Sept. 1903.

EASSIE AND NEVAY.

[These parishes were united on 21st March 1600.]

Eassie. The ancient church of Eassie, now roofless and somewhat ruined, was dedicated to St Fergus.

Nevay. The old church of Nevay, now roofless, was dedicated to St Nevydd.]

WILLIAM PITTLLOCH, reader 1576 1576 to 1591.

DAVID BROWN, trans. from Nevay 1599 with that parish also in charge; trans. to Glamis in 1601.

GEORGE SYMMER, pres. by James 1603 Crichton of Ruthven to parsonage and vicarage in 1603; adm. to same by the Presb. 4th Feb. 1606; trans. to Kilspindie in 1615.

WILLIAM BLAIR, M.A. (St Andrews, 29th July 1611); adm. in 1616; 1616 died probably unmarr., 2nd Feb. 1617, aged about 26. — [*St Andrews Test.*]

DAVID BROWN, M.A.; adm. after 1617 7th Oct. 1617; trans. to Longforgan in 1635.

[WILLIAM MURRAY, formerly of Crail; called parson and vicar 16th Dec. 1633.]

ROBERT CRICHTON, M.A. (St Andrews 1637 1625); adm. before 14th Oct. 1637; died between 28th March and 1st Aug. 1665, aged about 60.

SILVERSTER LAMMIE, son of Sylvester Lammie, of Glamis, educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. 27th July 1691, pres. of trials before the Presb., and was recommended for licence 26th Nov. 1693, ad. 1 for ordination 12th Sept., and licens'd 22d Sept. 1695; deprived by the Presy. Court of Dundee, for injury 5th Dec. 1695. He withdrew the congregation from the church and preached in the manse 17th April 1703, died before 28th April 1713. He marr'd Margaret McIvill, who survived him, and had issue John, D.D., min. at St. Ninian's, Middlesex; Sylvester, M.D., Mentreacher; Helen, marr'd Lieut. Colonel John Lennox, of Colonel Cunningham's Regiment. [*Edin. Test., Service of Hous.*]

ADAM DAVIDSON, born 1670, M.A. Edinburgh, 28th June 1697, licen.
1702 by Presb. of Edinburgh 7th Dec. 1698, called by Presb. of *St. Cuthbert*, 27th Aug. 1704, again 19th Sept., and ord. 30th Dec. 1702, died 26th Oct. 1720. He marr'd 23rd Jan. 1710, Agnes Slows, widow of Alexander Thomson, burgess of Edinburgh; she survived him, and marr'd James Paton, min. of Carrington. [*Test. mst.*]

ALEXANDER FINLAYSON, born 1662, licen. by Presb. of Stirling
1721 13th Apr. 1719, called by Presb.
of *St. Cuthbert*, 7th June, and ord. 23rd Aug. 1721, died 12th Sept. 1731. He marr'd Finlayson, who died 23rd Nov. 1773, and had issue Margaret (marr'd pre 11th July 1762) George Brown, farmer, George Mid, Edinburgh; Macfarlane, *Glen Croe*, 1777. [*Test. mst.*]

DAVID MAXWELL, M.A.; pres. by Sir William Nevin of Dunsinane
1733 March 1732, ord. by a Committee of the Commission of Assembly 22nd April 1733, trans. to Strichenarine 14th Nov. 1754.

JAMES OGIVY, bapt. 13th Oct. 1727,
1752 son of George Ogivie, of Kincardine, licensed by Presb. of Forfar
12th Sept. 1752, ord. 30th June 1752, died 26th June 1802. He marr'd 12th Aug. 1752, Susan, died at Edinburgh, 15th Feb.

1814, daughter of Sir George Ogilvie of Barras, Bart., and Lady Jane George, born 24th March 1757; Anna, born 19th Aug. 1758; David, born 3rd Oct. 1761, died 21st May 1792; William, of Westgate, in 30th Aug. 1763; James, born 17th Aug. 1765.

JAMES MILLER, pres. by the Hon.
James Stuart Mackenzie of Belmont,
1803 ord. 31st April 1803, trans. to Montrose
26th Sept. 1827.

JAMES FLOWERDEW, pres. by
1328 James Archibald, Lord Wharncliffe,
ord. 17th April 1828, trans. to Fordoun
22nd Feb. 1834.

DAVID LINDSAY, son of Murdoch, 16th
1811 May 1807, son of Alexander L. and
Jane Stevens, educ'd at Parish
School, Murdoe, and Univ. of St Andrews,
licen. by Presb. of Dundee 9th April 1831,
became teacher at Inverary, and
a student at Dunelmie, ord. 19th May
1844, and 19th May 1857. He marr'd
19th Nov. 1844, Jane, d. 17th Dec.
1889, daughter of Andrew Gow, and had
issue Jane Scott, born 22nd Feb. 1846,
died at Edinburgh, 23rd March 1918;
Jane Ann, born 17th Sept. 1847, died 15th
Oct. 1874; Barbara Bruce, born 18th May
1850, died 5th Nov. 1873; Marion Lucy
Lowden, born 21st Sept. 1854, died 11th
April 1897; David, born 12th June 1853;
Andrew Gow, born 13th March 1855;
Alexander, born 19th May 1857; John
Lawrence Gow, born 21st May 1859;
Robert Archibald, born 25th May 1861;
James Ainsworth, born 31st Jan. 1863;
Frederick, born 1st Feb., and died 12th
Nov. 1868.

NATHANIEL ANDERSON LAW,
born Insh, 29th May 1852, son of
John L. and Elspeth Stewart, educated at Insh School, Grammar School,
and Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A. (1873),
licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen July 1873,
missionary at Dowally, assistant at St
Mark's, Dundee, and Udy, ord. 21st Nov.
1877, died 14th Feb. 1888. He marr'd
15th Feb. 1882, Jessie, daughter of James L.
Gillespie and Janet Halliday (she marr'd

(2) 12th Oct. 1897, W. K. Bryce, and had issue — John, born 13th Dec. 1883, died 2nd May 1890; James Gillespie, born 5th June 1886, died 23rd Jan. 1888.

THOMAS BAYLEY MCCORKIN
1888 DALE, born Orkney, 30th May 1862, son of D. L. M., Congregational min. at Huntly, Sandwick, and Forfar, and Elizabeth Smith; educated at Forfar Academy and Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (1883); licen. by Presb. of Forfar in 1886; assistant at Dalziel; ord. 27th July 1888; res. 19th Dec. 1900 on appointment to Bonnington, Edinburgh; trans. to Kexland 12th Dec. 1907; res. 4th June 1910 and went to Canada; min. at Deseronto, Presb. of Kingston, in 1924. Marr. 18th June 1889, Margaret, youngest daugh. of William Menzies, M.D., Edinburgh, and has issue — William Menzies, born 16th June 1891; Jean Gladys, born 15th April 1892; Margaret Ingram, born 1st Sept. 1895.

ALEXANDER WADDELL, born 1901 New Monkland, 25th Feb. 1867, son of George W., farmer, and Margaret Gillespie; educated at Airdrie Academy, High School, and Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Hamilton June 1893; missionary at Limerigg, Shannan; ord. to Invergowrie Chapel 16th Nov. 1896; trans. and adm. 6th May 1901. Marr. 5th Aug. 1900, Ellie, daugh. of George Anton and Annie Nicoll, and has issue — Douglas Gillespie, born 15th April 1911; Alexander Nicoll Anton, born 8th Nov. 1913.

NEVAY.

ARCHIBALD ERSKINE, reader, Nov. 1587 1567.

MATTHEW MONCUR, reader 1588 1568 to 1579.

THOMAS MONCUR, reader in 1585 1585.

DAVID BROWN, min. in 1590; removed to Eassie between 1597 and 1599.

GLENISLA.

[The church of Glenisla was dedicated to St Mary, and near it was Our Lady's Well. Glenisla was a prebend of Brechin.]

WILLIAM MACKIE, reader in 1567 1567 to 1591.

WILLIAM FORBES, M.A. (St Andrews 1608 1587); pres. to vicarage of Kingoldrum 28th Dec. 1587, and to vicarage of Lintrathen 19th Aug. 1603; trans. and adm. before 17th Feb. 1606, when he had a manse and glebe assigned him; still min. 13th May 1613. [G. R. *Inhba*, xxii, 105.]

GEORGE HALIBURTON, M.A. (St Andrews 1607); adm. about 1615; 1615 was a member of Assembly in 1638 and 1639; still min. Sept. 1642. He marr. Janet Ogilvy, and had issue — George, Bishop of Dunkeld; William. [Perth Sas., 30th Nov. 1643, ccy., 193.]

WILLIAM RATTRAY, M.A.; adm. before 5th Jan. 1649; trans. to 1649 Cargill between 10th March and 13th April 1652.

DAVID NEVAY, M.A. (St Andrews 1659 1644); adm. before 15th Oct. 1659; 1659 still min. Nov. 1686. He marr. 24th March 1670, Catherine Rattray, and had issue Isobel (marr. David Farquharson of Pitlochrie); Margaret (marr. James Farquharson). — [Burke's *Commoners*, iii; *Broughdeary MS.*]

ALLAN MCLENNAN (probably assistant); died before 23rd July 1668; 1668 his escheat was given to Donald McLennan, min. of Fearn.

JOHN NEVAY, adm. before 15th March 1687; died subsequent to the 1687 Revolution.

WILLIAM CHAPMAN, licen. by United Presb. of Angus and Mearns 14th July 1700 1698; called by Presb. *jure devoluto* 7th Sept. 1699; ord. in 1700; died in 1717. He marr. and had issue — Jean (marr. 13th May 1733, John Auld, merchant, Edinburgh); Margaret (marr. 18th April

1742. William Oliphant, merchant, Edinburgh.

JAMES FLEMING, M.A., St Andrews, 1719; 31st May 1711; bsn. by Presb. of Culter 23rd Dec. 1718; called by Presb. of Brechin 26th April, and ord. 17th May 1719; died 4th Sept. 1723, aged about 32. (*Trans. of Tass.*)

JAMES MITCHELL, bsn. by Presb. of 1726; Frankeld 29th July 1726; called 1st Aug. 1729; ord. 17th March 1729; dem. Oct. 1737; dep. 17th April 1739 for his scandalous and immoral life; died April 1742. He marr. July 1727, Elizabeth Reid, who died 25th Jan. 1769. (*Dund'l Test.*)

WILLIAM ARTHUR, M.A., St Andrews, 1711; 3rd May 1727; became schoolmaster of Meigle; bsn. by Presb. of Meigle 11th Feb. 1736; pres. by John, Lord Balmerino, 11th Aug. 1740; ord. 11th March 1741; died 26th May 1757, aged about 50. He marr. 30th Dec. 1741, Agnes Ferrier, who died at Dundee 21st June 1794, and had issue: Alexander, born 15th March 1743; Agnes, born 27th March 1744 (marr. George Johnstone, min. of Monikie); William, born 17th Jan. 1749; George, born 5th Jan. 1748; Christian, born 1st Sept. 1749, died 11th Jan. 1750; John, born 9th Feb. 1751; Janet, born 26th July 1753, died 9th May 1754.

ANDREW HUTTON, M.A.; pres. by George II, 16th Aug., and ord. 24th Nov. 1757; trans. to Culter 28th Oct. 1762.

THOMAS MASSON, M.A.; pres. by George III, 31st Dec. 1762; ord. 11th May 1763; trans. to Dunnichen 31st July 1788.

JAMES GOWANS, M.A.; pres. by George III, 1st Sept. 1788; ord. 7th May 1789; trans. to Lunan 22nd April 1790.

JAMES DONALD, M.A., King's College, Aberdeen, 1772; bsn. by Presb. of Brechin 7th May 1777; pres. by George III, 7th Sept. 1789; ord.

25th Nov. 1790; died 4th Sept. 1793, aged about 32. He marr. 12th March 1791, Elizabeth Ozilvie. Publication: Account of the Earl &h. Sinclair's State Trial.

WILLIAM HALDANE, pres. by 1705 George III, 25th February by the Presb. of Culter 7th April, and ord. 7th May 1706; trans. to Kingfearn 12th May 1803.

GEORGE ADDISON, pres. by George III, 4th June, and ord. 22nd Sept. 1803 1803; trans. to Auchterhouse 11th Oct. 1804.

ALEXANDER PEAT, born Forfar about 1760, educated at King's 1805 College, Aberdeen, M.A. 1780; bsn. by Presb. there 18th Oct. 1787; assistant at Kirriemuir, pres. by George III, 22nd Nov. 1803; ord. 7th May 1805; died unmarried, 30th April 1806. Publication Edited the Rev. George Ogilvy *History* Dundee, 1804. (*Rev'd. Karmair*, 72, 154.)

ANDREW BURNS, born 1773; bsn. by Presb. of Drimel 13th April 1798; pres. by George III, 25th June, and ord. 25th Sept. 1800; died 1st March 1823.

JAMES MARTIN, M.A.; pres. by George IV, 5th April, and ord. 18th 1823 Sept. 1823; detaled on appointment to Stockbridge Chapel of Ease, Edinburgh, 2nd April 1828.

JAMES WATT, pres. by George IV, 26th May, and ord. 6th Sept. 1828; 1828 trans. to Certydy and Clova 16th Nov. 1848.

GEORGE GIBB, born 1794, son of Robert G. Brewer, and Agnes 1849 Boswell, ord. by Presb. of Chirnside to Presbyterian Congregation at Thropton, Northumberland, 1st July 1828; pres. by Queen Victoria 29th Dec. 1848; trans. and adm. 11th May 1849 amid much opposition, which led to the formation of a Free Church congregation; died 23rd May 1859. He marr. 11th Nov. 1825, Helen, died 8th Aug. 1830, daugh. of Thomas Rice, Pallins

burn Cottage, Ford, Northumberland, and had issue: Margaret Rae, born 28th Nov. 1826; marr. William Goldie Boag, min. of Delting); Agnes, born 5th Aug. 1828; Thomas, born 20th July 1830; (2) 13th Aug. 1846, Eliza Collins (died 27th April 1855), eldest daugh. of Captain William Sword, Leith, and had issue: George Robert, born 5th Dec. 1847; Christina Bayne, born 7th Dec. 1850; Mary, born 8th April 1853; Eliza Collins, born 31st Oct. 1854 (marr. 26th May 1884, Edward North, Hawick).

PETER CAMERON, born 1829, son of Peter C., farmer, and Margaret Robertson; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Dunkeld; ord. to Chapelshade in 1854; pres. by Queen Victoria 2nd July, trans. and adm. 5th Sept. 1859; died unmarr. 23rd Oct. 1865.

JAMES FLEMING, M.A.; trans. from Stanley Chapel; pres. by Queen Victoria 22nd Dec. 1865; adm. 12th April 1866; trans. to Kettins 17th July 1868.

NEIL McBRIDE, born 1829, son of Matthew M., innkeeper, Arran; 1869 educated at Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Kintyre in 1866; assistant at Bothwell, St Giles', Edinburgh, and St Mary's, Edinburgh; pres. by Queen Victoria 15th Oct. 1868; ord. 11th Jan. 1869; res. 5th Oct. 1904; retired to Arran, where he died unmarried 1st Feb. 1913.

JOHN YUILL WALKER, ord. 10th Feb. 1905; trans. to Pathhead 17th May 1909.

MALCOLM SHENNAN, educated at Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. 1909 there in 1907; ord. 25th Aug. 1909; trans. to Stepps 18th June 1913.

WILFRID JAMES LEWIS, born Saintfield, Co. Down, 10th Sept. 1874, son of James L. and Annie Preistly; educated at Cookstown Academy, Trinity College, Dublin, B.A. (1908), and Univ. of Belfast, B.D. (1913); licen. by Presb. of Tyrone in 1898; assistant at Rubislaw, Aberdeen; ord. to Rockcorry

in 1904; trans. to Presbyterian Congregation, Islington, London, 1907; adm. by the General Assembly May 1911; ind. to this charge 17th Sept. 1913. Marr. 26th Aug. 1906, Erna, daugh. of Franz and Marie Peile, and has issue: Annie Maria, born 26th Oct. 1907; Erna Azatha Alexander, born 1st July 1909; Ronald Wilfrid James, born 15th Oct. 1913; Francis Edgar Ian, born 11th May 1915.

KETTINS.

[The church of Kettins was dedicated to St Bride, and near it was St Bride's Well. The church belonged to the ministry of the Red Friars at Peebles. In early times there was in the Cross Kirk a Celtic monastery at Kettins. The church bell is one of the oldest still in use and bears the date 1519.]

JAMES JAMESON, reader from 1567 1567 to 1589.

JAMES ANDERSON, min. of Bendochy and Kettins Nov. 1569; trans. to 1590 Stirling 2nd Dec. 1582; was a member of Assembly April and Oct. 1583, May 1586, June 1587, and Aug. 1588, 1590, and 1602; trans. and adm. 1590; died 31st Jan. 1603. He marr. Agnes Halyburton, who survived him, and had issue: Henry, burgess of Perth. Publication—*Ane Godly Treatise, called the First and Second Coming of Christ, with the Tyme of the Winter Night: shewing brigly our native Blindness, wherein we were misled by Popery, and the clear Light of the Gospel now manifested in our Days to the Glory of God, and the Comfort of all them that hope for Salvacion* (in verse) (Edinburgh, 1595; reprinted Edinburgh, 1851). [Elin. Testts.; Bonar's Introduction (*Winter Night*).]

COLIN CAMPBELL, M.A.; adm. about 1605; trans. to Dundee in 1617.

JAMES AUCHENLECK, M.A.; adm. in 1618; dep. by Assembly's Committee 1618 for Visitation Sept. 1649; adm. to Auchterhouse 30th July 1656.

DAVID EYTON, born 1750, died 1790.
Professor of Latin at Kents College
1750-1756, M.A. 1744, educated at
Kings College, 1734-1743; translated
the *Principles of April* 1692. He
published a tract on *De Cœlo et Terra* 1779 and a treatise
on *Christianity*. Brown
and his wife died 1770, and had four
sons, three of whom became Presb.
David (1760) became G. of Maranathas
and was Bishop of Lichfield. Daniel
published in John Hall's edition of *The
Lectures on Systematic Theology*
Postscriptum 1834.

JAMES EYTON of Sutton, bapt. 27th
March 1755, son of presb. David,
1750-1756, M.A. 1744. Studied at
Oxford and preb. by Charles H. Ruth
and D. H. Hall, he first officiated 17th
Sept. 1774, and succeeded his father
as Preb. of Sutton posthumously.
He was George II's Chaplain, and died Hon
of the Royal Navy, and had also
retired from public life. He died between
the 1st and 4th of April 1781, 3d. 1st April
1780. His last speech was in favour of
Edinburgh Act, to oblige the sailors of
the Royal Navy to He man, 1st April
1780. After National service 1st April
1780, he died 1st April. John, George
Hudson, 11th, his only surviving child
in 1781, was born 2nd March 1781, Hon
of Chancery of Merchant Adventurers
Borough Christian, M.A., 1797, 2d. 1st April
1799, and died 1st April 1829. He
Ep. Reg. Gen. 7-8 vols. 1800. Eng.
Edin. Test. & P. 1818, xviii, 379.

JAMES GRAY, born 1752, M.A. St
Andrews, 22d July 1792, 1. 1st
1717, by Dr. John Finch, of Ander, and
M. 1719. Prof. Nov. 1794, ord. to Kirk
of St. Peter, 1797, called by the Presb.
of Edinburgh 17th Nov. 1797, and
ord. 15th March 1798. Hon. 1st. Ann
Drummond, and F. Dr. Mrs. John, Eliza
Bethmann, wife of Marquis of Nienburg,
merchant, Dundee. M. Margaret
Christian Arithurst, who died ex-
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p. 1st Presb. of Kirkcaldy, 26th June 1811,
transferred to Kirkcaldy.

JOHN KER, presb. by George Heath
1743, died 1763, 1st April 1743, trans
1743 to St. Paul's, Dundee, 1743.

ROBERT THOMAS, presb. by George III
1746, 17th April 1746, trans. to Kirkcaldy
1746, M. 2d. 2d. July 1746, owned
a house in Kirkcaldy. He married
e. Kettins, daughter of Rufford, 1743.

JOHN HAMILTON, born 1722, son
1751 of David Hamilton, Presb. 1722,
ord. at Univ. of St. Andrews 1722,
by Presb. of Dundee, 21st July 1741, presb.
by George III 1751, M. 1st. 1751, 2d. 1752,
3d. 1754, 4d. 1756, 5d. 1758. Hon. 1st
1752, 2d. 1753, M. 1st. 1751, 2d. 1752,
Nov. 1753, 3d. 1754. David Hamilton,
of Miltonfield, son of H. 1753, 2d. 1754,
July 1755, m. 1st. 1756, 2d. 1758, 3d.
1759. M. 1st. 1756, 2d. 1758, 3d.
1759, d. daughter, Jan. 1762, m. 4th July
1767, Edward Kewell, son of 1st. 1756,
1759, and daughter, Thomas, son and
April 1770. He was the Hon. 1st. 1752,
1753, George, born 1st. 1753, 2d. 1754, daugh
er of 3d. m. 1st. 1757, 2d. 1759, son and
daughter, 1761, 1st. 1757, 2d. 1759.

DAVID SYMERS, born 1718,
1731, son of James Symers, of Alyth, and
ordained in 1742, trans. to Kirk
of St. Peter, 1742, of Alyth, and Univ. of St
Andrews, 1742, by Presb. of M. 2d. 1742,
1st. 1743, presb. by George III 1st. 1743,
2d. 1744, 3d. May 1745, died sudden
19th July 1742.

JOHN ROSS MACDUFF, presb. by
1742, Q.C. 2d. 1742, trans. to Kirkcaldy
1742, died 1742, trans. to St. Michael's
21st June 1849.

JOHN TILLOCH, D.D., presb. by
1749, Queen Victoria 28th June, trans.
from St. Paul's Church, St. Pauls,
Dundee, and adm. 29th Sept. 1810, res.
22nd June 1855 on appointment as Principal
of St. Mary's College, St. Andrews, 16th
Nov. 1854 (q.v.).

JOHN ALEXANDER MACKENZIE. born Auldearn; educated at King's College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1847); ord. to Chapel-hall, Dundee, 22nd April 1852; trans. to Ferryport on Craig 22nd Sept. 1853; pres. by Queen Victoria 16th July; trans. and adm. 27th Sept. 1855; died 31st Oct. 1867. He was of delicate constitution and frequently had to spend the winter in the south of France.

JAMES FLEMING. born Troon, 12th May 1832, son of James F., min. of Troon; educated at Troon, Irvine Academy, and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1860); licen. by Presb. of Perth May 1864; assistant at St. Paul's Church, Dundee; ord. to Stanney 11th May 1865; trans. to Glenisla 12th April 1866; pres. by Queen Victoria 28th April; trans. and adm. 17th July 1868; D.D. (Glasgow 1911); falling into ill health, he resigned 16th May, and died 21st Sept. 1913. He marr. 1st Dec. 1870, Mary Stuart Menzies (died 20th May 1896), daugh. of David Campbell Macdonald of Lassintullie, Perthshire, and Mary Stuart Menzies, and had issue—James, born 10th Nov. 1871. [*In Memory of the Rev. James Fleming, D.D.* (portrait [sermon by Professor Kay, D.D.]) ind., n.p.]

COLIN MACKAY KERR. born Aberdeen, 12th July 1880, son of James K. and Elizabeth Collier; educated at Grammar School and Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A. (1903); Ph.D. (1906); B.Sc. (1906); B.D. (1909); licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen; assistant at Arbroath Parish; ord. Missionary Professor to Scottish Churches College, Calcutta, 10th March 1909; adm. to this charge 25th Sept. 1913; served in Royal Garrison Artillery and Royal Engineers, and as Chaplain to Forces in European War; trans. to St. George's in the Fields, Glasgow, 16th May 1922. Marr. 4th Dec. 1913, Elizabeth, daugh. of David Cargill and Jessie Fraser, and has issue—Isobel Margaret, born 16th Nov. 1916. Publications—Contributions to *International Standard Bible Encyclopedia* and Hastings's *Encyclopaedia of Religion and Ethics*.

CHARLES NEILSON RUTHERFURD. born Lewes, Sussex, 27th April 1892; son of John R. and Margaret Neilson; educated at Brighton Grammar School, Paisley Grammar School, and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1914); licen. by Presb. of Glasgow 18th Dec. 1919; assistant at St. Mark's, Dundee; ord. 21st Sept. 1922. Marr. 22nd April 1924, Jean Archer, second daugh. of Ebenezer Henderson, Solicitor, Dundee.

KILRY (Q.S.).

[The parish of Kilry was disjoined from Glenisla, Lintrathen, and Alyth on 14th July 1879.]

JOHN WALLACE FOYER. educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (1860); 1877 licen. by Presb. there; assistant at Blairgowrie; ord. there in 1877; pres. by the trustees of this parish; ind. 25th Sept. 1877; clerk to Presb.; dem. 13th, and died 26th Dec. 1905.

JOHN CLARK FEARN. born Glasgow, 27th March 1877, son of Malcolm Grant Fearn and Helen Russell; educated at Hutchison's Grammar School and Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Forres 1903; assistant at Plantation Church, Glasgow; ord. 28th March 1906.

KINGOLDRUM.

[The church of Kingoldrum was dedicated to St. Medan, and not far from it was St. Medan's Well. The church belonged to the Abbey of Arbroath.]

JAMES STEILL. reader from 1567 to 1567 1580.

DAVID BLACK. min. of Kirriemuir 1585 Feb. 1571; trans. and adm. in 1555 with Nether Airlie also in the charge; died April 1588. He marr. Helen Wedderburn, and had issue. [*Walterburn Book*, i., 85.]

WILLIAM MALCOLM. M.A.; pres. to the vicarage 13th May 1588; trans. 1588 to Airlie about 1590.

WILLIAM FORBES, M.A., presbyte
1680 the vicarage by June VI, 16th Dec.
1687, and to vicarage of Lintonhill
16th Aug. 1693; trans. to Glenesk before
17th Feb. 1699.

JOHN OGILVIE, M.A., trans.
1603 from Berwick before 1603, trans. to Kinnaird before 22nd April 1623.

WILLIAM OGILVIE, M.A., St Andrews
1623 1648, adm. 1st or 16th Oct. 1631,
1623 pres. to the Treasurer of Bishop Buchan
by June VI, 16th April 1633, was proba-
bly one of the eighteen minis. dep. in
Angus in 1639. He had a warrant from
Parliament, 28th May 1641, for 3000 merks.
[*A. & S. of Presb.*, viii, 235.]

WILLIAM RAFT, born about 1626,
M.A., King's College, Aberdeen
1650 1644, adm. before 16th April 1640,
of new pres. and coll. by Bishop of Brechin
1st Jan. 1633, and inst. 2nd Jan. 1633, died
between 4th March and 1st April
1684. He marr. and had issue William,
student of divinity 1685, *Rer. Mer. Scot.*
xi, 635; *G. R. H. 1685*; and Dunc. 1674,
9th July 1685.]

GEORGE OGILVIE, M.A., St Andrews,
1680 23rd July 1676, passed trials before
the Presb., and got a testimonial
for licence 12th Jan. 1675; pres. by
Charles II, in May, was certified 26th
June 1680 for ordination, and adm. as
b放ter soon after. He was in ill health
19th Sept. 1682.

JOHN CONSTABLE, M.A., St
Andrews, 23rd July 1674, was
resident at Cambus when licen. by
Presb. of St Andrews 6th July 1677, had
testimonial from Presb. of Meigle for
ordination 26th Aug., and adm. before
23rd Sept. 1684, died Feb. 1703, aged
about 49. He marr. Magdalene Ogilvy,
who survived him, and in 1705 was
accused of immorality and rebuked for
her offence 11th May 1706. [*See Presb.
Tracts, Four Periodical Families*, 100.]

THOMAS CLEPHANE, born about
1704 1643, brother of George Clephane, of
Newtyle, educated at Univ. of St
Andrews, M.A., 2nd July 1663, licens'd
by Presb. of Haddington 25th May 1692,
and licens'd 16th Oct. 1703, died April
1712. He marr'd Elizab. the Only, who
survived him, and had issue Thomas,
serv'd Queen 16th Aug. 1713; Helen,
See Presb. Tracts, Four Periodical Families, 42.]

JOHN HUGH, born 1688, son of
1714 Hugh H., M.A., Glasgow, 19th Sept.
1704, licens'd by Presb. of Stirling
22nd Nov. 1710, ord. in the churchyard
in 1714, died 23rd Dec. 1731. He marr'd
Janet, died in 1762, eldest daughter of
Hugh Whyt, min. of Ladykirk, and had
issue John, min. of Newtyle, Associate
Antiburgh Congregation, Stirling, born
1731, and 1810, father of Hugh H., D.D.,
min. of Renfrew Free Church, Glasgow.
Hugh died at Glasgow Univ.
[*Macgill's Memorials of Dr. Hugh, D.D.,
B. A. 1731*.]

THOMAS WHITEHEAD, son of John
1733 W., Glover, Draper, and Husband,
daughter of Francis Scott, merchant,
Dundee, M.A., St Andrews, 31st May
1721, pres. by George H., 1st June 1732.
On the moderation of the coll. majority
called Hugh Whitehead. This coll. the
Presb. sustained, but the General
Assembly reversed their judgment and sus-
tained that of Whitehead, ord. 16th Sept.
1733, died 15th Jan. 1738, aged about 37.
He marr'd and had issue Margaret, marr.
Robert Matthews, watchmaker, Berw. k
upon Tweed.

ALEXANDER SCOTT, M.A., presb. by
1733 George H., 2nd March, and ord.
6th Sept. 1738, trans. to Meigle
3rd Nov. 1737.

JAMES THOMSON, son of David T.,
1758 min. of Meigle, educated at home
and Univ. of St Andrews, M.A.
1752; licens'd by Presb. of Meigle 1752;
ord. by Presb. of Brechin, min. of Spittal,
Berwick upon Tweed, 8th April 1752, pres.
by George H., 15th Feb. 1758, trans. and

adm. 23rd Nov. 1758; was thrown from his horse while going to cross the Ferry of Tay on his way to St Andrews, and died shortly after, 11th Sept. 1781, aged about 52. He marr. (1) 1756, Catherine (died 18th Aug. 1778), daugh. of Alexander Trotter, min. of Edrom, and had issue: Alexander, min. of Carnock, born 17th Feb. 1757; Helen, born 26th May 1759, died 13th Oct. 1780; Janet, born 27th Sept. 1761, died 17th April 1779; (2) 25th Dec. 1780, Alison (died at St Andrews, 13th April 1820, aged 85), daugh. of Thomas Tullidelph, D.D., Principal of St Andrews Univ.

JAMES BADENACH, born 1756; M.A. 1782 (St Andrews 1773); licen. by Presb. of Dundee, 7th May 1778; pres. by George III, 5th Sept. 1781; ord. 19th Sept. 1782; died 28th Aug. 1802. He marr. 29th April 1794, Janet (died s.p. Dec. 1802), sister of Thomas Hay Marshall, Provost of Perth. Publication Account of the Parish (Sinclair's *Stat. Acc.*, ix.). — [See *Andrews Tests.*]

WILLIAM HALDANE, born 1st Aug. 1803, only son of James II., portioner of Barnomy, and Jean Donaldson; educated at Univ. of St Andrews, where he distinguished himself by his translations in the Greek class in 1780; licen. by Presb. of Meigle 18th June 1788; ord. to Glenisla 7th May 1795; pres. by George III, 27th Sept. 1802; trans. and adm. 12th May 1803; died 27th May 1836. He marr. 17th May 1796, Ann (died 18th Sept. 1843), second daugh. of Charles Roberts, Episcopal min. in Dundee, and Ann, daugh. of Sir John Ogilvy, of Inverquharity, Bart., and had issue: John Robert, physician, born 30th March 1797, died 1835; Ann, born 7th Nov. 1799, died 11th Oct. 1803; William, born 25th May 1801, died 1817; Walter, merchant, born 8th May 1802, died 1830; Jean, born 16th Jan. 1804 (marr. James Roger, min. of Dunino); Innes (daugh.), born 20th Aug. 1806, died 1827; James Ogilvy, his successor in the parish; Thomas, born 23rd June 1813, died in infancy. Publication — Account of Cortachy and Clova

(Sinclair's *Stat. Acc.*, x.) [Four Perthshire Families, 120.]

JAMES OGILVY HALDANE, born 1838 31st Aug. 1809, fourth son of preceding; educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1829, and Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Meigle 3rd Oct. 1832; assistant in parish; pres. by William IV, 1st July, and ord. 25th Oct. 1833; died 20th Nov. 1891. He was a man of acute intellect, of great humour and ready wit, and was known in all parts of the country. He was one of the best Church lawyers of his day, and the prolonged litigation he had with his heritors, settled some points of law which were in dispute. He founded the Book Club of the Church of Scotland. This was dissolved at his death and the funds invested in the names of trustees, the annual income to be expended on a prize for the best essay on a prescribed subject. This was eventually discontinued and the capital, now amounting to £1050, invested, and the income paid to the Library Committee for the purpose of adding books to the Library of the Church. When he retired in Nov. 1886 he was presented with his portrait in oils, painted by Herdman, by his many friends throughout the country. He marr. 23rd Nov. 1871, Helen Christian (died s.p. 17th April 1913), daugh. of John Gunn of Risgill, Caithness, lieut. R.N. Publication Account of the Parish (New *Stat. Acc.*, xi.). [Four Perthshire Families, 122.]

JAMES CRAIG JACK, born Lochlee 1887 30th Dec. 1858, son of Alexander J. and Betsy Robertson; educated at Liff Road Public School and Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Dundee 10th June 1885; assistant at Townhead, Glasgow; ord. (assistant and successor) 5th April 1887.

LINTRATHEN.

[The church of Lintrathen was dedicated to St Medan. It belonged to the Priory of Inchmahome. St Medan's Bell, a relic greatly prized, was kept at Lintrathen by a hereditary keeper.]

THOMAS COWSLAND, reader from
1571–May 1571; d. p. May 1572.

ROBERT STEWART, reader from May
1572–1572 to 1580.

DAVID OGILVIE, prior to the vicarage
1580–by James VI, 15th Dec., 1580, with
name in 1581.

JAMES ROSS, was on the Exercise at
1605–Perth in 1620, prior to the vicarage
1605–by James VI, 26th July 1606; died
between 22d April 1625 and 5th Feb.
1626. He married, left a widow who
received charity from the Kirk Session of
Kinross, and had issue, James.

JAMES SANDERS, was a licentiate in
1629–Perth, 1st Sept. 1624; pres. by
Charles I, 25th Dec., 1626; died 2d
Feb. 1658. He married Margaret, daughter
of James Ogilvie of Cuthillhill, and had
issue, James, b. before 1620. [See *Archibald's
Testy; Top. Rec. Gourock, 2334; Presb. Rec'd. Court Doc.*, 21st March 1676.]

THOMAS SMALL, M.A., adm. proba-
bly assistant before 9th Aug.
1650–1650; trans. to Forfar 28th Jan.
1663.

THOMAS OGILVY, M.A., St. Andrew,
1664–29th July 1664; b. born, by Presb.
there 29th Dec., 1660; pres. by Presb.
Charles II, 8th Sept. 1663; adm. 1st Dec.
1664; he was under process 17th April
1701, when the Syndic sent a letter to Sir
James Stewart, the Lord Advocate, asking
for his removal. That did not succeed,
and he was still man in March 1710, and
probably to a later period. He married
Janet Stewart, who died 15th 1683. [See
*Andrews' Testy; Hunter's Dissert. of Don-
kirk*, 250.]

LAURENCE BROWN, M.A., St.
1717–Andrews, 6th May 1707; became
schoolmaster of Alyth, ord. 1st
April 1717, was one of the fifteen men
who dissented from the resolution of the
General Assembly, 15th May 1710, to
depose the eight seceding brethren, and
when Moderator of Presb. deposed by his
casting vote, 16th June 1712, James Sparkler,

man of Culpar Angus, clerk of Presb.,
died 26th Feb., 1770. He married 23rd Feb.
1719 Elizabeth Lyon, who died 23d April
1752, and had issue, John (mar. 22nd
July 1766), William Lyon, writer in Dund
ee; William, Doctor of Divinity and
Fellow of History, St. Mary's College,
St. Andrews; p. of John, died abroad,
1746. Robert, named English or migration
at Finschhafen, Dutch Agent there, born
the Dec. 1688; Lieutenant, officer R.N.,
born 12th Nov. 1734, ancestor of the
family of Brown Constable of Wallace
Craigie (this estate belonged to George
Constable, the Original of Sir Walter
Scott's character of 'Molon O'Gillivrey').
[Crockett's *The Scottish Dragonet*, 125.]

JAMES EDWARD, schoolmaster of
Aberthame, Birsay, by Presb. of
1772–Forfar, 8th Oct. 1748; pres. by
Walter Ogilvie of Cleve, July 1770. After much litigation in the Church Courts
the General Assembly on 29th May 1772
ordered the Presb. to proceed with the
settlement, ord. 1st July that year, died
11th July 1793. [See *Archibald's Testy; St. An-
drews, xxviii, xxix; Murr.*]

ALEXANDER THOMSON, born about
1730–son of George Thomson, schoolmaster
1794–of Glenside, and Helen, eldest
daughter of Alexander Ross, M.A., school-
master of Lochee, the part of Glenesk; educated
at Marischal Coll., Aberdeen; M.A. 1779; became schoolmaster at
Glenesk in 1778; b. born, by Presb. of
Katherine O'Neil 1st Dec. 1779; assistant
at Garvoe, and Cottachy, pres. by the
Hon. Walter Ogilvie of Cleve in Jan., and
ord. 17th April 1794; died 1st April 1813.
He married 27th Jan. 1797, Elizabeth Small,
who died 2nd March 1803, aged 54, and
had issue, Jean, born 6th Jan. 1798, died
30th Aug. 1798; Helen, born 16th Aug.
1799, died 29th March 1800; George, born
2d May 1802; Elizabeth, born 16th Nov.
1805; David, born 2nd Jan. 1808; Mar-
garet, born 29th Jan. 1810. Publications
—Life of Alexander Ross, M.A. (*Ross's
Helenore, or the Fortunate Shepherdess*,
Dundee, 1812); Accounts of Garvoe and of
Lintrathen (Sinclair's *Stat. Acc.*, iii, xxi.).

JOHN GOURLAY, M.A.; pres. by the Hon. Walter Ogilvy (Earl of Airlie) in Oct., and adm. 12th May 1814; trans. to Cortachy and Clova 27th July 1819.

GEORGE LOUDON, M.A.; pres. by David Ogilvy (Earl of Airlie) in July, and ord. 28th Sept. 1819; trans. to Inverarity 10th March 1831.

FRANCIS CANNAN, born 4th Sept. 1809, son of David C., D.D., min. 1831 of Mains and Strathmartine; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Dundee 8th June 1831; pres. by David, Earl of Airlie, in July, and ord. 28th Sept. 1831; dem. on appointment as army chaplain 18th May 1855; served in Crimea, 1855-6; died 7th May 1883. He marr. 3rd Aug. 1869, Eleanor G. Phillips, who died 1st Oct. 1922. Publication Account of the Parish (*New Stat. Acc.*, xi.).

CHARLES CHREE, born Glenbucket, Aberdeenshire, 26th Feb. 1827, son 1855 of William C. and Mary Dawson; educated at Inveraven Parish School and King's College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1845); licen. by Presb. of Cairston in 1848; assistant at Birsay; ord. to South Church, Kirriemuir, 2nd June 1853; pres. by David Graham Drummond, Earl of Airlie; trans. and adm. 26th July 1855; D.D. (Aberdeen, 9th March 1878); clerk of Presb., 1880-92; died 26th April 1893. He marr. 22nd July 1856, Agnes Searth (died 16th June 1873), fourth daugh. of William Watt Bain, procurator-fiscal, Kirkwall, and Janet Searth, and had issue: William, M.A., LL.B., K.C., advocate, app. Procurator of the Church, 22nd May 1923, born 6th July 1858; Charles, M.A., Sc.D., LL.D., F.R.S., superintendent, Kew Observatory, born 5th May 1860; Jessie Searth, born 23rd Oct. 1861; Alexander Bain, M.D., born 5th Jan. 1865, died 14th Feb. 1886.

JOHN ROBERT STRACHAN, born 1893 Langholm, 28th June 1834, son of William Greig S., schoolmaster, and Isabella Jolly; educated at Langholm Academy, Madras College, and Univ. of

St Andrews; M.A. 1886, B.D. (1888); licen. by Presb. of Perth in 1888; assistant at West Church, Aberdeen; ord. 21st Sept. 1893; app. clerk of Presb. Dec. 1918. Marr. 1st Aug. 1896, Jemima Jane, daugh. of James Jackson, Aberdeen, and Elizabeth Macdonald, and has issue: William Jackson, served as Lieutenant in Machine-Gun Corps during European War, teacher, Hutton Grammar School, Lancashire, born 21st Sept. 1897; Isabella Macdonald, born 14th Oct. 1899; John Robert, born 9th Sept. 1901; James Alexander, born 12th May 1903; Mark London Anderson, born 11th March 1905; George Murrie, born 11th June 1907; David Gallatly, born 21st Aug. 1909; Duncan MacEwan, born 1st Nov. 1912. Publications—*Gospel Foundations* (n.p., n.d.); *The Samaritan Gospel* (n.p., n.d.); *The Original Hebrew Gospel* (n.p., n.d.); *Hymn for Church Defenders: with Music by Finsale Smith* (Aberdeen, n.d.); *The Scenery of Lintrathen: A Guide for Visitors* (Alyth, n.d.); *The Tender Heart*, No. 1 of the Kirk for the Sick, the Aged, and all who are at Home (Alyth, n.d.); *Vocabulary to the Peshito Version of St Matthew*, xxvi.-xxviii. (privately printed, 1891); *The Philosophy of Politics*, a sermon (n.p., 1910). Edited: *The Gospel according to St Matthew: with Explanatory Vocabulary* ("Popular Paragraph Bible") (Aberdeen, 1889); *The Acts of the Apostles: with . . . Explanatory Notes* ("Popular Paragraph Bible") (Aberdeen, 1891). Translated: Aratus's *The Sun and Moon as Guides to the Weather* (Alyth, n.d.); *St Medin, the Patron Saint of Lintrathen*, from *Acta Sanctorum* (Alyth, 1902); *How to Decide the Struggle between Capital and Labour* (n.p., n.d.). Edited: Fyfe's (Thos.) *Legends from Lintrathen* (Brechin, 1903); Tusser's (Thos.) *One Hundred Hints on Farming* (Alyth, 1909).

MEIGLE.

[The church of Meigle was dedicated to St Peter. Meigle was a prebend of Dunkeld. There was in the parish a chapel of St Mary. Meigle church was

Burned to the ground on Sunday, 13th March 1600, and a new kirk built and prepared for worship 3rd July 1601.

ALEXANDER TYRHE, trans. from Auchterhouse presbytery to the parish 1672, age and vicarage by James VI, 26th March 1672, trans. to Meigle before 1674.

DAVID RAMSAY, trans. in 1681, 1681 [Liber Cofr. s. 94.]

JAMES NICOLSON, trans. from Cortachy and presby. James VI 26th 1583 (15th 1583), promoted to Bishop of Dunkeld 23rd April 1607 [ibid.]

JOHN BARCLAY, M.A., St Andrews 1600 1593, pres. to vicarage of Ruthven 17th Nov. 1602, trans. and adm. after 30th Nov. 1606; died before 28th May 1624. He marr. Eliza Haliburton, who survived him, and had issue James, served her 29th June 1627, John, Margaret [Liber Rec. Gen. 1338], *Ecclesiastical Rec. Mar. 8, 2, viii, 2163, Reg. of Deeds, clxxxi, 215, exxvi, 317.]*

GEORGE SYMMER, born in 1578, marr. Jessie in 1603, trans. to Kilquhan 1622 in 1615; trans. and adm. about 1622, was a member of Assembly 1616, 1630, 1633, and 1638, died 13th Feb. 1638. He marr. 1608, Margaret Fullerton, who died 1st April 1658, aged 80, and had issue John, min. of this parish, Alexander, min. of Dundee, and others [T. 187.]

JOHN SYMMER, son of preceding, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1627, adm. (probably a assistant) in 1634, pres. by Charles I, 17th Aug. 1641, died 9th July 1660, aged about 53. He marr. Margaret Campbell, who survived him, and had issue Alexander, min. of Langforze, Helen, marr. Alexander Leslie, min. of Crail. [Liber Rec. vi, 314.]

JOHN NICOLSON, M.A., called 7th Oct. 1660, ord. 26th March 1661, trans. to Birloch 6th Sept. 1666.

HENRY GUTHRIE, M.A., Bishop of 1695 Dunkeld 1695, held this parish in conjunction for a time.

WILLIAM MALCOLM, M.A., adm. 1671, 2d. Dec. 1672, trans. to Kellie after 1st May 1678.

WILLIAM LINDSAY, M.A., Bishop of Dunkeld 1695, held this parish 1677 [Liber Rec. Gen. 1338] (see above), died in 1679, and was buried in the church.

JOHN HAMILTON, M.A., Bishop of Dunkeld 1695, held this parish in 1626 [Liber Rec. Gen. 1338] (see above), deprived by Privy Council, 2nd. Oct. 1626, for not reciting the Proclamation of the Estates, and not praying for William and Mary, but for King James, and 'till God would give him the rocks of his enemies, and for his sins, John Graham of Cleverhous, Vicar of Dundee.

JOHN GRAHAM, M.A., St Andrews, 21st July 1683, adm. (assistant) before 7th June 1687, deprived by Privy Council, 2nd. Oct. 1689, for not reciting the Proclamation of the Estates, and not praying for William and Mary, but for King James, and 'till God would give him the rocks of his enemies, and for his sins, John Graham of Cleverhous, Vicar of Dundee.

WILLIAM MILLER, M.A., trans. from Chirnside, called 29th July 1701, 1702, adm. 31st Dec. 1702, trans. to Lady Yester's Parish, Edinburgh, 18th July 1708.

DAVID THOMSON, parson of Kingskettle, M.A., St Andrews, 17th July 1710 1702, licensed by Presb. of Clapham 18th March 1707, called by Presb. of Dundee 17th Nov. 1707, ord. 9th Mar. 1710, died 25th April 1737. He marr. 18th Oct. 1710, Helen, died 11th Jan. 1735, daughter of William Mylne, min. of Fife, and had issue David, min. of Aikhill, Margaret marr. John Haliburton, min. of Kettins, James, min. of Kingfearn. [Liber Rec. Gen. 1338, 23rd June 1719; *Forfeited Estate Papers, Register Books*, Dirrie, cxlviii, 263.]

ALEXANDER SCOTT, a native of Mearns, educated at Univ. and 1757 King's College, Aberdeen, M.A. 7th April 1727, licensed by Presb. of Dundee 1st Oct. 1735, ord. to Kingfearn 6th Sept. 1735, pres. by George II, 16th Aug., trans. and adm. 3rd Nov. 1737, died 28th Nov. 1776, aged about 60. He marr.

3rd Nov. 1744, Euphemia Henderson, who predeceased him by three days, and had issue—Thomas, studied divinity, but was afterwards Chief Justice of Upper Canada, born 15th Oct. 1746, died 1824; William, born 2nd May 1750, died 6th Aug. 1835.
[*Tombst.*]

JAMES PLAYFAIR, D.D.; trans. from Newtyle; pres. by George III, 28th Feb., and adm. 10th Oct. 1777; trans. to St Leonard's, St Andrews, 9th Oct. 1800.

DANIEL ROBERTSON, pres. by George III, 17th Oct. 1800; ord. 1801 14th May 1801; dem. on appointment as Professor of Hebrew in Univ. of St Andrews (*q.v.*) 1st Feb. 1809.

JAMES MITCHELL, born Dumfriesshire, 1799; became tutor to David Urquhart of Braekangwell, April 1794; licen. by Presb. of Chancery 28th March 1797; M.A. (St Andrews 1805); pres. by George III, in July, and ord. (assistant and successor) 3rd Nov. 1808; D.D. (St Andrews, 1st May 1829); died unmarr. 5th March 1855. Publication Account of the Parish (*New Stat. Acc.*, x.). [Mackay's *Meigle*, 24.]

JOHN NICOLL, born Perth, 19th Jan. 1824, son of John N. of Few and 1853 Euphemia Hunter, daugh. of Patrick Hill, farmer, Inchmichael; educated at Royal Academy and Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Perth 20th Dec. 1848; assistant in this parish in 1850; ord. (assistant and successor) 16th June 1853; died in Edinburgh, 20th May 1897. He marr. (1) 6th Sept. 1853, Isabella Stewart (died 9th Dec. 1858), daugh. of Matthew Mitchell, Little Knox, Kirkendbright, and niece of James Mitchell, D.D., above-mentioned; (2) 30th April 1863, Isabella Anderson (died 13th April 1906), daugh. of William John Elder, and had issue Euphemia Hunter Hill, born 24th Feb. 1864; Jessie, born 16th Oct. 1868; John, born 30th Nov. 1869; Thomas, born 19th May 1873.

HUGH CLIMIE, born Cumnock, 8th Oct. 1805, son of Hugh C. and 1807 Agnes Logan; educated at Cumnock School and Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Ayr 3rd May 1833; assistant at Methil and Bonhill; ord. (assistant and successor) 25th March 1847. Marr. (1) 1st Sept. 1848, Margaret Annie (died 8th March 1902), daugh. of William Simpson, D.D., min. of Bonhill, and has issue Margaret Agnes, born 25th July 1866; (2) 2nd Oct. 1907, Jeanie Thom, daugh. of Archibald Waddell, The Gain, Cray, Dunbartonshire, and Annie Small, and has issue Hugh, born 17th June 1909; Jean Isabel Robertson, born 14th Aug. 1913.

NEWTYLE.

[The church of Newtyle belonged to the Abbey of Arbroath. There was a chapel in the parish at Keilor, and at Templeton a Well of St Bride.]

SIR ANDREW LINDSAY, vicar in 1566. [*Edu. Chart. of Kirklands*, 1566 ii, 151.]

JOHN NEVAY, having Nevay and Eassie also in his charge in 1567; 1567 trans. to Glamis about 1571.

ROBERT BOYD, min. of Glamis in 1567; pres. to the vicarage by 1571 James VI, 5th July 1571; had Nevay also in charge in 1574. In the Assembly Oct. 1577 John Anderson compeared in linen clothes and prostrate on his knees, confessing he had offended B. by drawing his blood, whereof he repented and asked forgiveness, promising by the grace of God not to fall into like wickedness. B. died between 20th Sept. 1610 and 21st March 1611. [*Woolver Misell.*]

GEORGE PATULLO (*privatus*), M.A. (St Andrews 1601); ord. (colleague) 1610 20th Sept. 1610; pres. to the vicarage by James VI, 21st March 1611; was still min. 8th Nov. 1657. He marr. and had issue George, his successor in the parish; Robert, merchant, Dundee.

GEORGE PARROLD, M.A., son of a man of prominent family, born about 1617, before the Act of Settlement, King Edward VI, 1553.

ANDREW BRUCE, M.A., St Andrews, 1693, 28th May 1693, appointed Chaplain to the Queen, before 16th, and admitted Nov. 1693, died between 10th Nov. 1694 and 1st Dec. 1695 (see *C. A. 33*).

THOMAS BLACK, son of Thomas Black, clerk of St Andrews, educated at 1670 University of St Andrews, M.A. 1683, was a Lieutenant there 1681, Deacon 1684, admitted to Leslie, Fife, 17th April 1684, prebendary by Privy Council from several appropriated ministerial tithes, 9th March 1688, was installed by the Privy Council, 6th Mar. 1689, but was constrained to relinquish the charge, his license having been declared void and his office removed, 3rd Jan. 1684, for not keeping the anniversary of the Reformation and not appearing before the General Assembly. He died at St Andrews Sept. 1685, aged about 71. He married 17th March 1667, Catherine Kirkwood, gentlewoman to Lucy Ruth, and had issue: Anne (1668), *see Below*, *Post*, *Six*, 369; Hunter, *Deeds*, *Post*, 374; Lamont, *Deeds*, 197; *P. C. R. 1684*, 357.]

ALEXANDER MACKENZIE, presbytery of St George, Minard, Ayrshire, educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen, coll. before 16th, and admitted 5th May 1685, was successively a deacon, Privy Council, 6th Oct. 1686, for the remnant of the Incorporated of the Estates of Scotland, was a prebendary by privilege by the General Assembly 10th Dec. 1686, but retained in a minor class till 2nd May 1711, took possession of the church of St George, Ayr, where he died during the Reformation of 1688, removed to Edinburgh, where he died 22nd Sept. 1722, aged about 76. (*Eccles. Reg.*, *Post*, 357.)

GEORGE CLEPHANE, M.A., Edinburgh, 31st Aug. 1683, admitted 6th Oct. 1697, United Faculty of Arts and Mairs 6th Oct. 1697, ord. 23rd Nov. 1698, the greater part of the people adhered to the

presbyterian and attended the Principal's sermon, so that in Kirk Session it was agreed to pray for any Scotch dispossessed. On 2nd Dec. 1698, C. was admitted to the church of the members, Clephane to pray for King George. He was the first of the 1698 prebendaries of Johnstone, and the first of the 1698 General Assembly Birthright, who married by a widow or a dame, and who remained a widow or a Dame, daughter of the wife of an Edinburgh broker, and lived a quiet life for many years without scandal or vice. He always resided in the same house, and 14th Sept. 1691, 14th Oct. 1692, 14th Mar. 1693, 14th Oct. 1694, 1731, Secretary to the Marquis of Argyll, and of Robert Bruce, son of Robert Bruce, Earl of Gowrie, from 1st Dec. 1693, till 1st Dec. 1694, and 14th Oct. 1695, 14th June 1696, 14th Nov. 1696, died 14th June 1730. (Davies, *Post*, 61, Oct. 1730, and 24th Oct. 1732; Murray, *Post*, 16th Feb. 1733; Davies, *Post*, 14th Sept. 1734, and 3d Oct. 1735; J. and T. 17th July 1735, and 24th March 1736.)

JAMES FLAYFAIR, presbytery of Huntly, son of Sir Stuart Mackenzie, Lord Fivie 1770, 2nd May, admitted 1st Nov. 1770, trans. to Merkland 1st Oct. 1777.

ALEXANDER SMALL, M.A., trans. from Kirkmaiden, presbytery of Huntly 1773, son of Sir Stuart Mackenzie, Lord Fivie 1770, admitted March, and Adm'd. and July 1773, trans. to Kilmodan 4th Nov. 1774.

THOMAS BARTY, trans. from Montrose, presbytery of the Right Hon. James 1782, son of Sir Stuart Mackenzie, Lord Fivie 1770, Adm'd. 17th March 1782, trans. to Borthwick 6th July 1785.

JOHN MACPHERSON CUNNINGHAM, M.A.; pres. by the Hon. 1815 James Mackenzie of Belmont in July, and ord. 28th Sept. 1815; trans. to Kinglassie 19th March 1818.

ROBERT SMITH, trans. from Borthwick; pres. by James Archibald 1818 Stuart Mackenzie of Belmont 19th June, and adm. 24th Sept. 1818; trans. to Montrose 15th Sept. 1825.

JOHN MOON, born 1790, son of John 1825 M., farmer and linen manufacturer, and Margaret Robertson; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1822); licen. by the Presb. 1st March 1815; chaplain at Edinburgh Castle; pres. by James Archibald Worthy Mackenzie of Belmont; ord. 24th Nov. 1825; clerk of Presb.; died 20th Nov. 1862. He marr. 20th Oct. 1828, Penelope, died 6th June 1860, aged 50, eldest daugh. of George Moon, and had issue John, born 25th Sept. 1829, died 26th July 1900; Janet, born 9th July 1831, died 13th May 1859; George, born 23rd Jan. 1833; Penelope, born 16th March 1834, died 1st Oct. 1860; William, born 27th Feb. 1837; Margaret Robertson, born 22nd Sept. 1838, died 31st Jan. 1840; Jane Swan, born 9th Feb. 1840; Margaret, born 9th Oct. 1841, died 10th Oct. 1858; Christian Catherine, born 24th May 1843, died 21st Dec. 1857; Anne Stocks, born 3rd Oct. 1845. Publication—Account of the Parish (*New Stat. Acc.*, xi.).

JOHN CHALMERS, M.A.; assistant 1863 to preceding; ord. 25th March 1863; trans. to Ashkirk 31st May 1871.

GEORGE BROWN, trans. from Gartmore Chapel, and adm. 29th Sept. 1871 1871; trans. to Second Charge, Montrose, 25th Sept. 1873.

GEORGE BELL LUNAN, born 12th 1874 March 1846, son of Robert L., min. of Kinnettles; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1865), B.D. (1869); licen. by Presb. of Forfar in 1871; ord. to Logie Chapel of Ease, Dundee, 13th Jan. 1873; trans. and adm. 8th Jan. 1874; app. Presb. clerk in 1906; died 10th Nov. 1918. He was a distinguished linguist, an

expert botanist, and a model parish min., much respected by his brethren and by his parishioners. He marr. 26th April 1876, Jessie (died 11th April 1896), eldest daugh. of George Bell, Inchmichael, Errol, and had issue Elizabeth, born 2nd Aug. 1878, died 29th May 1879; George, M.A., born 16th March 1880, died at San Francisco 21st Dec. 1919; Robert, banker in India, born 18th Sept. 1882; and three others, died in infancy.

ROBERT WOOD, born Edinkillie, 1919 Morayshire, 27th May 1875, son of John W. and Jane Taylor; educated at Logie School, Robert Gordon's College, and Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A. (1896); became assistant master at Grammar School, Grantown-on-Spey; licen. by Presb. of Nairn in 1915; assistant at St Mungo's, Glasgow; ord. to Patna 1st Feb. 1917; trans. and adm. 16th May 1919. Marr. 15th April 1904, Annie Elizabeth, daugh. of John Grant, M.A., and Elizabeth Macrae, and has issue Catherine Janet, born 16th May 1907.

PERSIE (Q.S.).

[The parish of Persie was disjoined from Myth, Bendochy, Blairgowrie, Caputh, Kirkmichael, Lethendy, and Rattray 16th March 1859.]

JAMES MCGREGOR, born in 1823; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; 1848 app. in 1848; adm. first min. of the parish in 1859; died at East Lawton, Cargill, 7th April 1869. He marr. and had issue Mary Jane, born 12th Dec. 1862 (marr. 1886 Thomas Patrick Laird, C.A.), died 25th March 1915.

HERBERT BELL, ord. 23rd Sept. 1869; trans. to John Knox Parish, Aberdeenshire, 1st Oct. 1877.

ROBERT DAVIDSON HUTCHISON, educated at Univ. of Glasgow; ord. 1878 to Brown Street Chapel, Blairgowrie, 21st May 1877; trans. and adm. 16th July 1878; res. 2nd Oct. 1884; assistant at Dalmarnock in 1924.

THOMAS SMITH, born 5th Sept. 1836, son of John S. Farmer, Denholm 1805, Alexander and Isabella Frost, created at Grammar School and Univ. of Aberdeen, University Trustee of Aberdeen in 1888, died 2nd March 1889; MARRIED 1st 2nd Aug. 1857 Margaret Roberts of Fife, wife of Rev. Dr. Robert, 2d 18th Jan. 1869 Helen Donaldson Macphail, who died 11th Oct. 1875, 3d 14th Aug. 1872 Mary Keith Macmillan, daughter of James Keithly, Edinburgh, and Christina Roberts n.

RUTHVEN.

The church of Ruthven belonged to the Abbey of Arbroath. A fair of St. Lucy was held at Ruthven.

WALTER LINDSAY, reader before 1574 - 1574.

DAVID CUMYNG, reader from 1573 to 1578, pres. to the vicarage by 1574 James VI, 3rd July 1580, Master of the Sing-School of Leith in 1583. [A. & D., vol. i, p. 208.]

THOMAS MAXWELL, reader in 1579 1579 - and 1580.

DAVID RAMSAY, pres. to the vicarage 1st April 1582. [A. & D., vol. I, p. 218.]

ROBERT HAMILTON, M.A., 1st Andrews 1592; min. in 1595; died 1595 3rd Nov. 1596, aged about 24.

JOHN BARCLAY, M.A., min. in 1597 1597, pres. to the vicarage by James VI, 17th Nov. 1602, trans. to Moray after 3rd Nov. 1606.

PATRICK CRICHTON, son of Alex 1600 under Cl. f. Nightingale educated at Univ. of Edinburgh, M.A. 22d July 1600, pres. to vicarage of Fergie by James VI, 26th April 1600, and as this was not carried out, the vicarage of this parish 1st April 1606, was still min. 11th Aug. 1613. He marr. Isobel Rattray, and had issue Margaret marr. Alexander Ramsay of Daldilian. [Perth, 8th vols., 274.]

JOHN RATTRAY, M.A., admiss. before 20th Jan. 1651, trans. to Rattray 1651 - July 1656.

JOHN LYTHE, pres. by George Earl of Huntly, Dec. 1655, passed 1660 trial before the Presb. and ord. before 17th and 21st May 1667, died before 7th Nov. 1691. He married and had issue Henry, Lieutenant of the Church, Hunter's *Do. of D.,* p. 484.]

ROBERT PITCAIRN, M.A., 1st Andrews, 1st July 1669, called by 1705 the Presb. - 2d 6th Dec. 1670, ord. 21st March 1705, died Nov. 1742, aged about 73. He marr. and had issue Andrew, writer in Dundee.

WILLIAM CRUCKSHANK, pres. by George Marshall, Coll. 2d Aberdeen 1744 M.A. 1736, called by Presb. of Garth 3rd Dec. 1744, called 13th Oct. 1743, and 8th Feb. 1744, died 17th July 1756. He marr. 13th Oct. 1744, Barbara, died 22nd April 1753, daughter of Robert Lyon, min. of Kincardine. [Lyon's *of Glassie*, p. 57.]

THOMAS DUNCAN, licen. by Presb. of Cupar 16th July 1730, ord. 11th May 1737, died 12th Jan. 1783. He marr. Elizabeth Crooks, who died 10th Feb. 1787, and had issue Margaret, born 23rd Sept. 1747; Elizabeth, born 27th Oct. 1748; William, born 15th April 1750; Mary, born 14th July 1753; Jean, born 1st July 1755; Isobel, born 13th May 1757; Christian, born 3rd Jan. 1759; Charlotte, born 7th Oct. 1761; John, born 16th July 1763.

JAMES WILL, pres. by George III, 2d 1. March, and ord. 23rd Sept. 1784 1784, trans. to Gairrie 10th Aug. 1788.

PATRICK MACLAREN, licen. by the Presb. 8th Oct. 1788; pres. by 1798 George III, 21st Aug., and ord. 27th Sept. 1798, elected Synod clerk 27th Oct. 1807, died 7th Nov. 1822. He marr. 31st Aug. 1812, Catherine McLaren, who died at Edinburgh, 18th July 1856, aged 59, and had issue William, born 15th June

1813; Anne Wedderburn, born 29th Oct. 1814; Allan, born 1st April 1816; Jean, born 1st July 1818.

PATRICK BARTY, born 5th Jan. 1798, ¹⁸²³ eldest son of Thomas B., min. of Bendochy; educated at Univs. of St Andrews and Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Meigle 2nd Sept. 1819; pres. by George IV, 30th Nov. 1822; ord. 7th Aug. 1823; died unmarr. 24th June 1870. Publication: Account of the Parish (*New Stat. Acc.*, xi.).

JOHN GORDON M'PHERSON, born St Andrews, 28th June 1843, son of ¹⁸⁷⁰ James M., teacher of dancing, and Catherine Lamb; educated at Madras College and Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1865), Ph.D. (Rostock, Germany); licen. by Presb. of St Andrews in 1868; Rector of Hexham Academy in 1868; Rector of Forfar Academy in 1869; pres. by Queen Victoria 23rd Aug., and ord. 8th Dec. 1870; for six years Mathematical Examiner for degrees in Univ. of St Andrews, and sometime Extension Lecturer on Meteorology; died 10th Nov. 1909. He marr. 20th April 1868, Christina Wallace (died 16th Dec. 1910), eldest daughter of David Carstairs, and had issue

Christina, born 18th June 1871. Joan Davina Carstairs served with distinction as a nurse in European War, 1914-18, and was mentioned in despatches. Publications: *Strathmore: Past and Present* (Perth, 1885); *Fairy Tales of Some Paisley*, 1888, 2nd edition, London, 1891; *Golf and Golfers, Past and Present* (Edinburgh, 1889); *Summer Sunbeams in a Strathmore Parish* (Edinburgh, 1890); *Most I Tell* (Glasgow, 1891); *New Scotch Amusements* (Glasgow, 1892); *Meteorology, or Weather Explained* (Edinburgh, 1895). He was a voluminous writer on a variety of subjects, and had considerable reputation as a lecturer.

ALEXANDER KIDD WATT, born ¹⁹¹⁰ Auchterhouse, 13th June 1862, son of John W., farmer, and Agnes Kidd; educated at Newtyle Parish School and Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. there May 1890; assistant at Sandsting, Aithsting, Lerwick, and Wick; ord. to Carronshore Chapel 2nd March 1890; trans. and adm. 6th April 1910. Marr. 22nd March 1911, Katherine, daugh. of Alexander Banks and Katherine Masson, and has issue: Katherine Isle Margaret Kidd, born 6th Feb. 1912.

PRESBYTERY OF FORFAR

This Court was erected on 16th April 1611. To form it, the Parishes of Forfar, Tannadice, and Aberlemno were taken from the Presbytery of Brechin; those of Renfrew, Elvies, Dimock, Kirklees, and Methil from Arbroath; Glamis, Kinnoull, Kintore, and Cortachy from Montrose; and Inverarity from Dundee. The Register of the Presbytery now fills eight volumes. The first of these covers the period from 29th Oct. 1602 to 7th March 1683. It is now missing, but is said to exist still in private hands. From 1680 to 1717 this Presbytery was united to that of Dundee. It was dispensed again on 17th April 1717. The Record is taken up again on 1st May 1717, and is thenceforward complete. A volume containing the Record from 1650 to 1660 has been lost, and no trace of it can now be found.]

ABERLEMNO AND ALDBAR.

(These parishes were united early in the seventeenth century.)

Aberlemno. The church of Aberlemno belonged to the Priory of Restennet. The present kirk was erected in 1722, and was much restored in 1856. In a wall of the aisle is a stone of date 1604, bearing the Balfour coat of arms and the initials "J. B. E. M." [John Balfour, grandneph of the Cardinal, and Elizabeth Menzies, his wife. The kirk bell was cast at Edinburgh in 1718. In the nave garden the pre-Reformation holy water stoup and baptismal font have been preserved.]

Aldbar. The church of Albar belonged to the collegiate church of Methven. It was re-built in 1553, and is now a private chapel at Albar House.]

1507 GEORGE LYALL, rector in 1507.

WILLIAM GARDYNE, styled "a vicar here and person of Kirkleddon 1572 Nov. 1572."

DAVID LINDSAY of Pitfirle, to which he succeeded in 1543, probably son 1574 of Sir John L. of Pitfirle, and grandson of David, Earl of Crawford,

min. of Forfar in 1566, with Restennet and Aberlemnoals in the charge, removed to the latter about 1574, when Finavon, Ochlaw, Inverarity, and Kirkleddon were also under his care; died 11th March 1580. He marr'd a lady whose initials B. E. only are known [but may be Barbara Balfour, and had issue William, Alexander, John, Catherine, Barbara, &c. *Records of the Lairds of Craignethan, i., 133, 433; Reg. 1585, p. 1; Jervise's Recd. of the Lands, 165, 387.*]

JAMES RAMSAY, min. in 1585, trans. to Aldbar in 1589 or 1590, but returned here in 1591, trans. to Tannadice about 1597.

HENRY STERLING (or STIRLING), studied under Principal Rollock at 1507 Univ. of Edinburgh, M.A. (1587); min. of Edzell in 1590, trans. and adm. about 1597, was pres. to the Treasurership of Brechin by James VI, 2nd Jan. that year, and had also a gift of the deanery of Dunblane 18th Nov. 1602, died in 1603, aged about 36. He marr'd Margaret Hepburn, who survived him, and had issue John, apprenticed to Alexander Den, tailor, Edinburgh, 31st Aug. 1614; James, who had a gift of the above deanery 16th Dec.

1603; and others. [Reg. Assiz.; G. R. Indub., 2nd ser., viii., 90.]

JOHN LINDSAY, M.A. (St Andrews 1604; 1599); min. about 1604, Aldbar being in the charge in 1607; pres. to the vicarage by James VI. 1st Sept. 1608; was a member of the Glasgow Assembly in 1638, and of those of 1639 and 1645; dep. by the Committee of Assembly for Visitation in 1649, for impenal conduct. He died before 1655. He marr. (2) 3rd Oct. 1641, Margaret Mackill, who died in 1655, and had issue: David, slain 10th Nov. 1629, by John Oliver in Rescobie, and others; John; Henry; Thomas; Margaret. [Reg. Assiz.; Lamont's Diary; Elib. Marr. Reg.; Reg. of Deeds, xxvixix., 303; Reg. Soc. Stp., cit., 159; P. C. Reg., 2nd ser., iii., 548; Forfar Inhib., 15th March 1644.]

JOHN OCHTERLONY, born about 1623, son of John O., provost of Brechin; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1643); adm. before 1655; died in 1695. He presented a silver Communion cup in 1683, which is still in use. He marr. Mary Lindsay, who died Jan. 1678, and had issue: Catherine (marr. James Thomson, min. of Kinnell). [St Andrews Tests., 11th Oct. 1684.]

JOHN OCHTERLONY of Flemington, 1660; born 1667; son of Alexander O., min. of Carmylie, and nephew of preceding; M.A. (Marischal College 1685); was assistant to his uncle about 1690, and was chamberlain on the Melgund estate. Adhering to Episcopacy, he was accused, 17th April 1701, of withdrawing the people from the parish church, and preaching to them in a meeting-house at Flemington. He regained possession of the church in 1703, but was ejected by the Justices of the Peace. He intruded again, 29th Nov. 1716, and was prosecuted, with others, before the Lords of Justiciary, 29th July 1717, for praying for Prince Charles, and various offences, but the charge was fallen from "in respect of His Majesty's Act of Grace." In 1722 the Kirk Session requested O. to give up the poor's box, and

the mortcloths, with a list of those for whom they had been used since 1714. On 26th Nov. 1726, at Edinburgh, he was consecrated a bishop of the Non-jurant Church, and had the diocese of Brechin assigned to him. He died at Dundee May 1742. He is described as "a man of piety and prudence, orthodox in his principles, and blameless in his life," but it has also been said "never perhaps was there a more credulous, nor more illiterate man advanced." He marr. Margaret, eldest daugh. of John Graham, merchant and bailie, Dundee, and had issue: Alexander, merchant, Montrose, went to Philadelphia. [Lawson's Hist. of Scot. Epis., Ch., 230 (4), 293; Ind. Rec. Gen., 8127; Brechin Tests.; Act. of Epis. Settlement in Dundee, 1727; Jervise's Memorials, ii., 182; Tayfor Sts., 15th Oct. 1704.]

JOHN HENDERSON, called by the Presb. *jure devoluto* 13th May, and 1709 ord. 15th June 1709, "while he had nobody to hear him, the people being hindered"; trans. to Kirkden 4th July 1711.

THOMAS MITCHELL, born 1684; 1715 educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Dalkeith 27th May 1712; called by the Presb. *jure devoluto* 10th Aug. 1714; ord. 5th May 1715; died 9th Jan. 1750. He marr. 8th Sept. 1721, Mary Miller, who marr. (2) and died 23rd April 1755, and had issue: Mary, above 16 in 1744 (marr. David Scott, min. of Auchterhouse); Andrew, his successor in this parish; Janet, born 10th July 1730 (marr. David Fergusson, min. of Farmhill); Thomas; Agnes. [Toml. st.]

ANDREW MITCHELL, born 18th July 1729, son of preceding; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Forfar 7th Feb. 1750; pres. by David Smythe of Methven in March, and ord. 15th Aug. 1750; died 3rd Jan. 1794. He marr. 26th April 1754, Jean Craw, who died 27th Sept. 1809, and had issue: Elizabeth, born 8th Feb. 1755; Thomas, born 2nd Aug. 1756; William, born 15th March 1758, died 30th Nov. 1776; Mary, born 1st Jan. 1760, died 30th April 1767; Alexander, born

18th Dec. 1761; Andrew, born 23rd Jan. 1765; Margaret, born 6th Aug. 1767; James, his successor in this parish; Janet, born 28th Dec. 1772.

JAMES MITCHELL, born 9th April 1770, son of preceding; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; pres. by George III in July, and ord. 25th Sept. 1794, died 13th May 1841. The Mitchells were thus mins. of the parish in succession for 125 years. He marr. (1) 2nd May 1792, Elizabeth Sidgwick, who died 3rd May 1821, aged 54, and had issue Eliza Burnett, born 13th March 1793; Alexander, born 28th Feb. 1794; Anna Strachan, born 29th June 1795; Mary Sidgwick, born 1st Aug. 1796; Marmaduke, born 8th Nov. 1797; Jean Craw, born 8th Dec. 1799, died 11th Dec. 1809; Catherine Burnett, born 12th Sept. 1801; Andrew, born 4th Aug. 1802; James, born 24th July 1804; Robert Jarrow, born 19th July 1805; Ramsay (daugh.), born 3rd Oct. 1807; Georgina Margaret, born 20th Sept. 1809; Eliza Tailyour, born 18th June 1811; (2) 17th Sept. 1821, Janet Webster, who died 5th Oct. 1867.

JOHN CROMBIE, D.D.; trans. from 1841 St Andrew's National Scots Church, London, and adm. 6th Sept. 1841; trans. to Sccone 21st March 1844.

THOMAS MYLES, born Perth, 30th 1844 Jan. 1809, son of John M., merchant, and Margaret Blyth; educated at Perth Academy and Univs. of Glasgow, St Andrews, and Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Perth in 1833; missionary at Bargrennan and Auchmithie; pres. by Queen Victoria 25th March, and ord. 10th May 1844; died unmarr. 24th March 1894. He was a pioneer of Church Union, having presented an Overture to the Assembly from his Presb. in 1869, with a view to opening up correspondence between the Church of Scotland and the Evangelical Churches as to how Union could be best effected. Publications. [*The Kernel of the Controversy; The Kernel Further Discussed; Union especially between the Established and Free Churches* (1868).]

JAMES BEATTIE BURNETT, M.A., 1891 B.D., ord. 24th Sept. 1891; trans. to Fetteresso 8th March 1905.

FREDERICK DAVID LANGLANDS, 1905 M.A., B.D.; ord. 2nd Nov. 1905; trans. to Eastwood 31st May 1906.

DAVID NELSON, born Edinburgh, 1910 15th Jan. 1873, son of Andrew Swan N. and Catherine Leishman; educated at Leith Schools and Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (1896); licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 1901; assistant at Portobello; ord. to South Parish, Kirriemuir, 29th April 1905; app. by the Presb. *jure devoto* 15th Dec. 1906; trans. and adm. 3rd Feb. 1910. Marr. 18th July 1905, Netta McAra, daugh. of James Peat, engineer, Edinburgh, and has issue James Andrew, born 12th June 1906; Margaret Catherine, born 28th March 1909.

ALDBAR.

DAVID FOWLER [or FULLAR], 1567 reader in 1567.

1574 ANDREW KER, reader in 1574.

JAMES NEILSON, reader, 1576 to 1576 1580.

JAMES RAMSAY, removed from 1590 Aberlemno in 1590, Finavon [Orth. law] being also in the charge; returned to Aberlemno in 1591. [Reg. Assig.]

CLOVA (Q.S.).

[The church of Clova (*Cuthbarth*, the mound at the ford) was dedicated to St. Mary. It belonged to the Abbey of Arbroath. The parishes of Cortachy and Clova were united in 1618. A church was built in 1855. Clova was disjoined *quod sacer* from Cortachy on 14th March 1860.]

1576 JOHN MAIN, reader, 1576 to 1578.

ANDREW ALLAN, M.A.; adm. (by 1615 the Archbishop) 15th Oct. 1615; pres. by James VI, 1st March 1616. He had neither manse nor glebe on 2nd Oct. that year, while the stipend was

"assigned to and possessed by Robert Bruce in life-rent." A letter was written by the Synod to B. requesting "help to the min. who serves the cure"; pres. to Eassie, but a previous presentation to another was preferred; trans. to Finaven before 1622.

GEORGE WINEHOUSE, M.A.; app. 1811 Royal Bounty missionary in 1814; ord. 16th Feb. 1814; trans. to Auchterhouse 2nd July 1818.

WILLIAM OGILVY, ord. 22nd Dec. 1819; trans. to Cortachy 20th July 1819 1826.

JAMES WATT, app. 20th July 1826; 1826 ord. to Glenisla 4th Sept. 1828.

WILLIAM EWART, born Mill of Quiech, Alyth, about 1800, son of 1829 William E., farmer and miller; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Forfar; ord. 6th Jan. 1829; died unmarr. 29th Jan. 1844.

JOHN MICHELIE, born Romans, Clova, about 1810, son of John M., farmer; 1844 educated at Univ. and King's College, Aberdeen; ord. 21st Aug. 1844; died unmarr. 11th Aug. 1854.

ALEXANDER DUFF, ord. 26th Oct. 1855; trans. to South Parish, Kirriemuir, 25th Sept. 1856.

GEORGE SMITH, M.A.; ord. 26th Feb. 1857; adm. first min. of the 1857 parish 14th March 1860; trans. to Westray (Orkney) 26th Sept. 1872.

PETER MORRISON, born Comrie, 1842, son of John M. and Catherine 1872 Drummond; educated at Kirriemuir and Logie-Pert Schools and Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 13th July 1870; ord. 12th Dec. 1872; died unmarr. 28th Nov. 1873.

JOHN ADAMSON HONEY, ord. 17th April 1874; trans. to Inchture 7th 1874 Feb. 1884.

JOHN STRACHAN, ord. 11th Aug. 1884; trans. to Glenprosen 25th 1884 Aug. 1892.

HENRY REID CHALMERS, ord. 4th 1893 Jan. 1893; trans. to Kilmuir-Easter 1893 23rd May 1900.

ROBERT MATTHEW WATSON, born Glasgow, 9th Feb. 1862, son of 1900 Archibald W., D.D., min. of Dundee; educated at Dundee Institution and High School, and Univs. of St Andrews (M.A. 1884), Edinburgh, and at Tubingen; licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 13th May 1887; *locum tenens* at Mains and Strathmartine and at St Luke's, Dundee; assistant at Dundee and Newington, Edinburgh; ord. 20th Sept. 1900.

CORTACHY.

[The parish of Cortachy was a prebend of Brechin. Its church was dedicated to St Columba. There was a chapel in the parish at Lethnot. There was also within the bounds a Well of the Nine Maidens. In 1618 the parishes of Cortachy and Clova were united. On 14th March 1860 Clova was disjoined again *quodlibet serva*. A fair of St Columba was held at Cortachy.]

JAMES OGILVIE, reader here and 1571 at Clova in 1567; pres. by James VI. 28th Jan. 1571; Walter O., his brother, had a pension of £1 from the Kirk 24th Nov. 1579; dem. before 7th May 1580. [Reg. Min.; Reg. Ass'tg.]

JAMES NICOLSON, pres. by James VI. 7th May 1580; trans. to Meigle 1580 in 1583.

THOMAS RAY, pres. by James VI. 4th Dec. 1582; trans. to St Vigeans in 1582 1618.

JOSEPH RAY, born about 1593, son of preceding; educated at Univ. of 1620 St Andrews; M.A. (1611); adm. before 13th July 1620; died April 1632. He marr. Margaret Collace, who died before 11th Nov. 1683, and had issue—John; Annas. [Brechin Test.; *Bannatyne Miscell.*, iii.; *Forfar Inhib.*, 27th July 1615; *Reg. of Deeds*, ccxxxv., 2nd June 1619, ccciii., 333.]

DAVID RAMSAY, M.A., St Andrews
1623 July 1612; adm. before 20th Nov.
 1628, died between 20th Nov. 1632
 and 19th July 1637, aged about 45. He
 marr. Christian, daugh. of Alexander
 Scringour, min. of Kinlochorn. She sur-
 vived her husband, and "she and her
 beins" were recommended for a collection
 which was responded to by the Presbs.
 of Perth and Kirkeddy. He had issue
 Patrick, and others. [*G. R. Sis.*, xli, 214.]

JOHN PIGGOTT, M.A., Univ. and
 King's College, Aberdeen, 1608;
1637 licen. in 1611; schoolmaster of
 Tannadice that year; adm. min. of Lethnot
 before 17th May 1622; trans. and adm.
 after 7th Sept. 1637; died after 29th April
 1657. He marr. a lady (name unknown),
 who survived him.

JAMES ADAM, born about 1628, son
 of Colin A., min. of Anstruther
1659 Easter; M.A. (St Andrews 1648);
 adm. to Orkney, Caithness, before 6th Aug.
 1656; trans. and adm. before 30th Oct.
 1659; was still min. 23rd Oct. 1678, but
 on a reference to the Bishop and Synod
 for not attending the Church Courts he
 was probably deprived; he returned Oct.
 1691; died 22nd March 1692. He marr.
 July 1676, Christian Stratton, in parish of
 Brechin, widow of George Steill, notary
 burghs, Brechin; she survived him, and
 had issue Katherine and Matilda, who
 were recommended for support by the
 Assemblies 8th March 1701 and 21st April
 1707. [*Brechin Testis.; Acts of Assembly,*
 1701 and 1707; *Forfar Hearings*, 29th
 Aug. 1676.]

JAMES SMALL, M.A.; ord. before
 5th Oct. 1679; trans. to Forfar in
1679 1687.

ALEXANDER LINDSAY, born For-
 far, about 1700; educated at
1687 Univ. and King's College, Aberdeen;
 M.A. (14th July 1674); became chaplain
 to James Carnegie of Balnagown; passed
 trials for ordination before Presb. of
 Brechin by request of Presb. of Forfar
 6th July 1687, and adm. soon after;
 deprived by Decree of Privy Council, 29th

Oct. 1689, for not reading the Proclamation
 of the Estates, not praying for William and
 Mary, and not observing the Thanksgiving,
 etc. He intruded at Carnston in 1710; was dep. by Presb. of Brechin for intruding
 at Menmuir; resided at Balnagown, and
 died at the Mill of Carnabiston (Carnston),
 between 22nd May and 27th June 1729. He
 marr. Jean, sister of Robert Ball,
 merchant, Arbroath, and had issue
 James, serv'd heir 25th Feb. 1725; Mary
 marr. Alexander Greenhill, Miltown of
 Bridgetown; Elizabeth (marr. John Addi-
 son, a min. in Edinburgh); Isobel marr.
 William Bower, Kinnelbie. — [*Brechin Testis.; Services of Heirs.*]

1691 JAMES ADAM, M.A. [see above].

JAMES RAMSAY, called in Aug., and
 ord. 30th Nov. 1697; trans. to
1697 Bendochy 27th Nov. 1700.

ANDREW BRUCE, M.A.; called 12th
 April, and ord. 23rd Sept. 1701;
1701 trans. to Inverkeilor 21st May 1705.

JOHN OGILVIE of Quicke, called 12th
 May, and ord. 18th Sept. 1706; trans.
1706 to Tannadice 1st Oct. 1724.

WILLIAM BADENOCH, called 17th
 March, and ord. 6th May 1725;
1725 trans. to Alford 23rd June 1737.

GEORGE OGILVY, app. by the Presb.
June 1686, and ord. 22nd Dec.
1737 1737; trans. to Menmuir 22nd Aug.
 1745.

WILLIAM BROWN, app. by the Presb.
June 1686, 10th April, and ord.
1746 17th July 1746; dem. 29th June
 1748 on account of "the odium of the
 disaffected, the prejudices of the people,
 and his life being attacked by a ruffian." He
 became Professor of Divinity and
 Ecclesiastical History in Univ. of St
 Andrews (*q.v.*).

GEORGE OGILVY, pres. by John, Earl
 of Airlie in July, and ord. 22nd Sept.
1748 1748; trans. to Banchory-Devenick
 5th July 1773.

CHARLES GORDON, born Banff, 1718, son of Peter G.; educated 1774 at Marischal College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1755); licen. by Presb. of Kincardine O'Neil, 4th Jan. 1759; ord. missionary at Braemar 19th Sept. 1764; pres. by the Hon. Walter Ogilvy of Clova in Jan., trans. and adm. 10th Feb. 1774; died 3rd Feb. 1795. He marr. 7th Dec. 1782, Rachel Henderson, who died *s.p.* 19th Feb. 1839.

WILLIAM RAMSAY, born Moray, about 1755, son of William R.; 1795 educated at Univ. and King's College, Aberdeen; M.A. (30th March 1775); schoolmaster of Glamis; pres. by the Hon. Walter Ogilvy of Clova; ord. 27th Aug. 1795; died 10th Nov. 1818. He marr. 12th March 1785, Barbara Grant, Huntly, who died 16th Sept. 1828, and had issue—Robert, surgeon, Royal Artillery, born 30th March 1787, died 28th Feb. 1814; Barbara, born 28th July 1789; William, min. of Alyth, born 14th May 1791; John, writer, Edinburgh, born 27th March 1793; Jane Ogilvy, born 15th Jan. 1796 (marr. 6th Oct. 1815, John Kermack, W.S.), died 2nd Feb. 1834.

JOHN GOURLAY, born Brechin, 1756, son of James G.; educated at Univ. and King's College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1777); ord. (assistant) at Arbuthnott 3rd July 1799; adm. to Lintrathen 12th May 1814; pres. by Walter, Earl of Airlie; trans. and adm. 27th July 1819; died 27th March 1826. He marr. Sarah Ann (born 1765, died 14th March 1822), daugh. of John Hunter, Millplough of Allardice, Arbuthnott, and had issue—John; William, both above the age of 21 in 1826; Mary.—[*Tombst.*]

WILLIAM OGILVY, born Newtyle, 2nd Feb. 1791; educated at Univ. 1826 of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Meigle 2nd April 1817; assistant to preceding; ord. missionary at Clova 22nd Dec. 1819; pres. by David, Earl of Airlie, in June, and adm. 20th July 1826; died unmarr. 27th July 1848. Publication—Account of the Parish (*New Stat. Acc.*, xi.).

JAMES WATT, born Cortachy, 1799, son of Duncan W., farmer, Coilmay, 1818 and Elizabeth Mealmaker; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Forfar 15th Dec. 1824; app. missionary at Clova 20th July 1826; ord. to Glenisla 11th Sept. 1828; trans. and adm. 16th Nov. 1848; died 22nd Oct. 1861. He marr. 30th Dec. 1833, Isobel (who predeceased him), daugh. of Alexander White, linen manufacturer, Blaikie, Brechin, and had issue—John, min. of Glenprosen, born 1st Feb. 1836. Publication—Account of the Parish of Glenisla (*New Stat. Acc.*, xi.).

GEORGE GORDON MILNE, born Bellie (Fochabers), 2nd Feb. 1828, 1862 son of James M. and Mary Logie; educated at Aberdeen Grammar School, High School, Edinburgh, King's College, Aberdeen (M.A. 1845), and Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 14th May 1851; ord. to Careston 13th May 1858; trans. and adm. 16th May 1862; died 8th June 1894. He marr. 27th Sept. 1860, Jessie Gavin (died 23rd Feb. 1897, aged 65), daugh. of James Allan and Elizabeth Thoms, and had issue—David Graham Drummond Ogilvy, born 28th Feb. 1863; James Allan, born 18th Oct. 1864, died 5th Oct. 1899; George Gordon, born 22nd Oct. 1866; Harry Carstairs, Secretary Royal Exchange, Glasgow, born 11th June 1869, died 3rd Dec. 1924; Elizabeth Mary, hospital nurse, born 3rd June 1872, died in Glasgow, 29th July 1911; Edward Patrick, born 6th Dec. 1875, died in New Zealand, 24th July 1915; Helen Thoms, born 17th July 1881, died 11th July 1894.

JOHN STRACHAN, born Guthrie, 1894 11th Feb. 1857, son of James S. and Isobel Nicoll; educated at Letham School and Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Forfar in 1882; assistant at West Parish, Perth; ord. to Clova 11th Aug. 1884; trans. to Glenprosen 25th Aug. 1892; trans. and adm. 15th Nov. 1894. Marr. 17th July 1885, Catherine, daugh. of James Anderson, min. of Kirkden, and has issue—Annie Anderson, born 13th June 1886; Janet Isabel, born 20th June 1889.

marr. 7th April 1917, James Buchanan Hair, Cavalry Cadet. Publication *Courtney* [The Presbytery of Forfar] (Forfar, 1904).

DUNNICHEN.

[The church of Dunnichen was dedicated to St Constantine. It belonged to the Abbey of Arbroath. St Constantine's Well was in the parish and a fair of St Constantine was held here. At Letham there is a church, acquired in 1550, where service is also conducted.]

NICOL HOWESON, min. in 1567; 1567 trans. to Auldearn before 1674.

JAMES BALFOUR, trans. from Guthrie in 1574, when Idvie [Kirkden], Guthrie, and Rescobie were also under his care; removed to Idvie before 1584.

ANDREW GUTHRIE, reader in 1585; 1585 - [Aud. of Exch. 1584-98, 107.]

JOHN RIGG, born about 1564, son of 1589 Patrick R., merchant, Edinburgh (in right of whom he was entered burgess and guild brother of that city, 28th July 1613), and Elizabeth Hope; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A.; adm. min. here in 1589; pres. to the vicarage by James VI, 1st Dec. 1601, and to the modified stipend 1st Oct. 1610; died 2nd Nov. 1635. He marr. Jan. 1620, Elspet Ochterlony, Montrose, who died July 1627, and had issue John, of Rigsland, advocate; Christian (marr. cont. 27th May 1624, John Ray, Regent of Humanity, Univ. of Edinburgh); William, min. of Inverarity. [Edin. and Brechin Tests.; Hope's Diary; Reg. of Docts. Durie, dxviii, 388.]

GILBERT WISHART, second son of 1635 Thomas W. in Ballindarg; M.A. (Univ. and King's College, Aberdeen, 1622); adm. (probably as colleague) before 17th March 1635; died Jan. 1688, aged about 86. He marr. and had issue John of Balgavie, Regent successively of Humanity and Philosophy in Univ. of Edinburgh, and Commissary of Edinburgh; Isobel (marr. pro. 5th May 1661, John Ogilvie in Easter Idvie). [Edin. Council Rec.; Brechin Tests.]

HENRY LINDSAY, second son of 1662 David L., min. of Rescobie; M.A. (St Andrews, 28th July 1656); passed trials before Presb. of Glasgow, and recommended for licence 3rd Aug. 1671; app. assistant or chaplain by the Bishop before 16th Feb. 1676; adm. min. at Farnell before 15th Jan. 1682; trans. and adm. colleague in 1682. He joined the Jacobite Rising in 1715, and was dep. 30th May 1716, for "unsoundness of principle, by deserting the Protestant Cause, joining the late unjust and unnatural rebellion, observing the Fast for success to the Pretender's Arms, and thanksgiving for his landing in Scotland, and having read in Church on 11th April last, the late Earl of Mar's orders for raising of cess and meal for the use of the rebels." He marr. Margaret Dempster, and had issue George, served heir 22nd Sept. 1720. [Case of Greenshields; Services of Heirs.]

ANDREW ARROTT of Dumbarrow in 1716 the parish, born about 1683, son of William A. of Dumbarrow, min. of Montrose; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (7th July 1710); licens. by Presb. of Brechin 14th July 1714; called 26th July, and ord. 13th Sept. 1716. Joined the Associate Presb. 13th Oct. 1712; the Commission of Assembly instructed the Presb. of Forfar to set about reclaiming A., but failing in this, they dep. him, 5th June 1745. He built a church on his own ground at Dumbarrow, which became the gathering point for Seceders from a great part of Forfarshire, though the parishioners of Dunnichen did not follow him to any extent. In 1747 he adhered to the Antiburgher side, was "frail and indisposed" during the winter of 1752-3; died 16th May 1760. He marr. and had issue William of Dumbarrow, born 31st March 1720; Magdalene, born 30th Nov. 1722 (marr. Isaac Paton, min. of the Associate Antiburgher Congregation, Temple Patrick, Ireland); David, min. at Markethill, Ulster, born 6th Nov. 1725. [Morren's Annals, i., 385; Small's Hist. of U.P. Congs., i., 65.]

JAMES HENDERSON, pres. by the Presb. *jure devoluto* 3rd July, and **1746** ord. 11th Sept. 1746; trans. to Montfichet 9th March 1763.

GRIFFITH FERGUSON, educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Dundee 1st Oct. 1760; pres. by George III. 4th May, and ord. 1st Sept. 1763; died 26th July 1787. He marr. 30th March 1761, Cecilia Ronald or Renald (who marr. (2) 25th Nov. 1795), and had issue—John, born 13th Jan. 1765; George, born 1st March 1766; James, born 11th Dec. 1767; Griffith, born 10th July 1769; Cecilia, born 2nd May 1772; Patrick, born 4th Oct. 1774; Jean, born 12th June 1777 (marr., pro. 16th Nov. 1796, Alexander Ritchie, farmer, Friarton, Fifeshire); a daughter, marr. Jas. Hunter, merchant, Dundee; Andrew, born 9th March 1779.

THOMAS MASSON, born 1737, son of William M., Convener of Trades, **1783** St Andrews; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1754); licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 25th March 1761; ord. to Glenisla 11th May 1763; pres. by George III. 24th Sept. 1787; trans. and adm. 31st July 1788; D.D. (St Andrews, 2nd June 1804); died at St Andrews, 10th Nov. 1809. He marr. 29th June 1773, Jean, daugh. of James Rattray of Eastmill, and had issue—William, born 19th June 1774; James, born 9th May 1776; Thomas, born 28th April 1778; David, born 9th June 1781; Helen, born 5th April 1785; Rose, born 4th Jan. 1792 (marr. John Lee, D.D., LL.D., Principal of the Univ. of Edinburgh).

JAMES HEADRICK, born Logie, Stirlingshire, bapt. 25th March **1807** 1759, son of John H., farmer, and Isabel Neilson; educated at Logie School and Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Hamilton 25th April 1786; was a candidate for the Chair of Natural Philosophy in Univ. of Glasgow in 1795; pres. by George III. in March, and ord. (assistant and successor) 11th Aug. 1807; died 31st March 1841. As a student he was a leading member of the Glasgow Chemical

Society, and his whole life was devoted to the study of chemistry and cognate subjects. He was a mineralogist and geologist of more than local reputation. To Sir John Sinclair he rendered valuable assistance in the scheme for his Statistical Account of Scotland. He left in MS. a large collection of papers on scientific and agricultural affairs, and a considerable number of Poems—the “Death of Nelson,” the “Rock of Gibraltar,” and others. He marr. 3rd Sept. 1804, Katharine McBeth, who died 21st Aug. 1855, and had issues—James, born 8th Sept. 1805, drowned at sea; George Dempster, born 2nd Jan. 1810; John, born 9th July 1811; William, in Jamaica, born 21st March 1813; Samuel, born 8th April 1815. Publications—*View of the Mineralogy, Agriculture, Manufactures, and Fisheries of the Island of Arran* (Edinburgh, 1807); “Some Mineralogical and Geological Observations made in the Isle of Arran” (*Nicolson's Journal*, 1807); “Memoir of the Rev. David Ure” (*Scots Magazine*, Dec. 1808); *A General View of the Agriculture of the County of Angus* (Edinburgh, 1813); *Lecture on Geology delivered before the Forfar Scientific Institution* (Montrose, 1828); “Chemistry” (*Perth Encyclopaedia*); “The Caledonian Canal” (*Trans. High. Soc. Scot.*) [of which he was sometime Editor]; Account of the Parish (*New Stat. Acc.*, xi.); Edited *History of the Orkney Islands by George Barry, D.D.* (London, 1808). [Lowson's *Forfar Notables* (portrait), 81-100, 273; Warden's *Angus*, iii., 189.]

DONALD FERGUSSON, born Kirkmichael, Perthshire, 1811, son of **1837** Charles F. of Easter Dalnabreck; educated at Unive. of St Andrews and Edinburgh; pres. by William IV., and ord. (assistant and successor) 25th Aug. 1837. Joined the Free Church in 1843; adm. min. of St George's Free Church, Liverpool, 14th Feb. 1844; trans. to Free Church, Kilmadock, 1850; trans. to Free Church, Leven, Fife, 1865; died 14th July 1897. He marr. 11th March 1846, Catherine, daugh. of Colonel William Balfour, 82nd Regiment, and had issue—

Charles Ballantyne, William Ballantyne, M.D., Edinburgh, Glasgow, and Dundee; John Macmillan, of Dundee, Presbyterian Church, Westgate, Dundee; Ould, member of the Board of Missions in Foreign Parts, died 17th June 1841; Mary Wedderburn, Henrietta Field, died 19th July 1840; Andrew and others of Chapel Low, Westgate, Dundee; Fergus Armitage, and widow of Robert Laidlaw, Brown, man of Free Church, Dundee; Philip Stirling, Curate of Dundee, and Two Disciples; Francis, 1840, and *Peter's Private Prayer Book*, Presb. Lecture Hall, Dundee, 1840, and *Prayer Book*.

DAVID MARTIN, born about 1806, probably son of David Martin, minister in parish of Muilbryke, Co. Antrim, educated at Univ. of Glasgow, M.A. 1831, and United Societies' Theological Hall, pres. by Queen Victoria, 1st July, and ord. 12th Sept. 1843, died unmarried, 12th April 1847.

ALEXANDER PERRIER, M.P.
1847—CHELSEA, M.A., pres. by Queen Victoria, 6th Aug., and ord. 10th Nov. 1847, adm. Professor of Hebrew and Oriental Languages, St. Mary's College, St. Andrews, 1st Feb. 1848, died unmarried, 26th June 1849.

JOHN BURNS, pres. by Queen Victoria,
1849—3rd July, and ord. 22nd Sept. 1849,
trans. to Dundee, 12th June 1850.

ALEXANDER ROSS, born Turriff,
1850—Turriff, 22nd Nov. 1840, son of James
Ross and Ann Charles, educated at King's College, Aberdeen, and at H. P. Smith
Chapel, Aberdeen, 1843, pres. by Queen
Victoria, 26th July, and ord. 26th Sept. 1845,
clerk of Presbytery of Dundee, 1851 to 16th Dec.
1862, died unmarried at King's Lane, ON, 26th
July 1866, and was buried at Turriff.

JOHN DAWSON, formerly a layman,
chaplain at Bonhill, pres. by Queen
Victoria, 10th Oct., and adm. 6th Dec.
1866, trans. to Meldrum, 16th Sept. 1867.

JOHN MELTHVEN ROBBERSON,
1869—M.A., pres. by Queen Victoria 13th
Sept., and ord. 16th Nov. 1869, trans.
to Second Charge, Montrose, 12th Oct.
1871.

THOMAS ALEXANDER CAMERON,
1872—M.A., pres. by Queen Victoria 21st
Oct., and 11th and 12th Jan. 1872,
trans. to Dundee, 16th Feb. 1874.

DAVID BARRIE, born Glasgow, 1833,
1874—son of John Barrie, merchant, and
Catherine Neilson, educated at Univ. of Glasgow, 1852, pres. by Friends of
Glasgow, assistant at St. Margaret's, Glas-
gow, missionary at Robertsbridge, Monmouth
Church, Glastonbury, 1852, pres. by Queen
Victoria, 16th May, and ord. 16th May
1853, died unmarried, 12th Sept. 1854.

HUGH MACMASTER, born Glasgow,
1835—2d July 1875, son of James M.
and Jeanie Campbell Macmaster,
educated at High School, and Univ. of
Glasgow, library Pres. of Glasgow, 14th
June 1852, assistant at Cambuslang, 1852,
ord. 1st Feb. 1853, minister, Glasgow, 1853,
Chairman of Life and Work Soc. Committee on Rural
Parishes, died 15th July 1875. He married
and died, Isabella Gilmour, 1853, Feb.
1861, daughter of William Gilmour, Benjamin
of Dumbarton, 1861, and Margaret Agnes,
daughter of Dr. J. D. Maclean, Beggarmorn
31st Jan. 1901. Published *Doctrines* in
The Presbytery of Dundee, Dundee, 1854.

MICHAEL CLARK, born from
First and Second, 16th Dec. 1865, 1903,
trans. to Forfar, 1st Feb. 1866, Adrath,
16th June 1903.

JOHN FOSTER MCALUM, born
1823—St. Boswells, 23rd Dec. 1843, son of
Archibald M. and Keturah Taylor,
educated at Morrison's Academy, Cross,
and Univ. of St. Andrews, M.A. 1850;
library Pres. of A. H. R. 1850, May
1851, assistant at Inveresk, 1853, 18th Oct.
1853.

FORFAR AND RESTENNETT

[These parishes were united early in the
nineteenth century.]

Forfar.—The church of Forfar was dedi-
cated to St. James. It belonged to the
Abbey of Jedburgh. There were in the
parish-chapel of St. Cuthbert and St.
Margaret. A point of land in the Loch of

Forfar is called St Margaret's Inch. Two fairs held at Forfar bore the names of St James and St Ethernan. The interior of Forfar church was remodelled and improved at a cost of £7000 in 1808-9 by James Duncan of Coupar Grange.

Restennet. The church of Restennet was dedicated to St Peter. It belonged to the Abbey of Jedburgh. From a very early time Restennet was the seat of a Celtic monastery, which appears to have been founded in 710. In 1159 it was converted into the Augustinian Priory of St Peter. The fine, lofty tower, which still crowns the Priory ruins at Restennet, seems to be of great antiquity.]

DAVID LINDSAY of Pitairlie, min. here in 1566; trans. to Aberlemno 1568 before 1574.

NINIAN CLEMENT, min. of St Vigean in 1564; he probably also 1574 officiated at Arbroath that year; trans. to this parish about 1574, with Restennet, Kinnettles, and Tannadice also in the charge. [Zurich Letters, ii.; Jervise's Memorials, i. 210, ii. 229.]

JAMES RAIT, trans. from Lanark about 1576; trans. to Kinnettles 1576 about 1589.

DAVID LINDSAY, M.A.; min. in 1590, with Restennet also in the 1590 charge; adm. to Second Charge, St Andrews, in 1597.

JOSHUA DURIE, M.A.; trans. from Second Charge, Montrose, 1593; 1598 trans. to Logie-Pert after 22nd March 1603.

HENRY FULLARTON, born about 1566, son of David F., skipper, 1607 burgess of Dundee; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (10th Dec. 1586); licen. by Presb. of Brechin; adm. to this charge in 1607; app. clerk of Presb. 16th April 1611; was Moderator of Presb. 30th Sept. 1612; died before 17th June 1618. He marr. and had a son, William, min. of Rattray.—[*Reg. Sec. Sig.*; *P. C. Reg.*, viii., 99, 647.]

JAMES ELLIOT, son of Andrew E. of Cuithley, burgess of Arbroath; M.A. 1618 (St Andrews 1592); was ready to enter the ministry 26th April 1593; ord. to Oathlaw (formerly Finavon) in 1597; a member of General Assembly in 1610; pres. by James VI. 17th June 1618; trans. and adm. soon after; D.D.; died before 19th June 1637, aged about 65. He marr. Elpham Lindsay, who survived him, and had issue—Andrew, min. of Inverkeilor; James, min. of Trinity Parish, Edinburgh; a daugh. marr. James Ramsay, far. of Ogil. [*Reg. Sec. Sig.*; Jervise's Memorials, i., 48; *Reg. of Deeds*, ccxxvii. 168, dli. 33; *G. R. Sis.*, xvii., 304; *Forfar Sis.*, i., 370; *Reg. Mar. Sig.*, ix., 2130.]

THOMAS PIERSON, born about 1600, second son of Thomas P. of Loch-1637 lands and Agnes Boswell; M.A. (St Andrews 1621); pres. by Charles I. 19th June 1637; a member of Commission of Assembly in 1637; died Nov. 1656. He marr. Elizabeth Maule, and had issue—an only son, David, min. of Kilbarchan, who was served heir 31st Jan. 1655.—[*Reg. Sec. Sig.*; *Inq. Ret. Forfar*, 410.]

ALEXANDER ROBERTSON, M.A. (King's College, Aberdeen, 1653); 1653 adm. before 22nd Aug. 1658; deprived by Act of Parliament, 11th June, and Decree of Privy Council 1st Oct. 1662. [Wodrow's *Hist.*, i., 329.]

THOMAS SMALL, born about 1620, 1663 son of George S. of Foveran; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1640); was reader and schoolmaster of Meigle, when he had a gift of two chalders of victual from the teinds of that parish, which was ratified by Parliament 30th Oct. 1641; adm. to Lintrathen probably assistant only before 9th Aug. 1650; pres. by Charles II.; trans. and adm. 28th Jan. 1663; died April 1687. He marr. Susanna Ogilvie, who died May 1679, and had issue—James, min. of this parish.

FRANCIS LYON, mentioned as min. (*Acts and Deo.*, Durie, 25th Feb. 1687 1688).

JAMES SMALL, of Quarrell hill, born about 1650, son of Thomas S., min. of this parish; M.A. (St Andrews, 26th July 1670); passed trials before the Presb. and recommended for licence 5th Jan. 1678, and for ordination 10th Sept. 1679; ord. to Cortachy before 5th Oct. 1679, pres. by James VII, 23rd May 1687; trans. and adm. that year. About 1716 it is recorded that he was "driven from his church without so much as a shadow of sentence against him." He was alive 17th Dec. 1729. He marr. (1) 23rd Feb. 1675, Margaret, second daugh. of Alexander Pierson of Balmadies, and had issue Patrick; Katherine; (2) Oct. 1707, Christian Mitchellhill. Publication—*Letter to Bishop Rose of Edinburgh (Skinner's Anna's.) [Case of Greenslades.]*

HUGH MAXWELL, M.A.; trans. from Tealing, called 7th Feb., and adm. 1717; 21st March 1717; trans. to Strathmartine 27th June 1744.

JOHN KER, born Roxburghshire about 1715; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Kelso 22nd Nov. 1739; ord. to Kettins 1st Feb. 1744; trans. and adm. 7th March 1745; D.D. (Univ. and King's College, Aberdeen, 22nd April 1761); M.D. (same Univ. and same date); elected Moderator of General Assembly 23rd May 1776; died 15th Dec. 1781. He marr. 1746, Agnes Burton, who died 15th March 1788. [*Tombst.*]

JOHN BRUCE, born 24th July 1758, son of Andrew B., min. of Brechin; 1782 educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1789); sometime tutor in the family of Mr. Russell, Old Deer; licen. by Presb. of Deer 29th Nov. 1780; assistant to preceding; pres. by the Town Council 8th March, and ord. 24th July 1782; died 19th Jan. 1817. He marr. 6th May 1785, Mary (died 24th April 1844), daugh. of David Fergusson, min. of Farnell, and had issue Rebecca Mitchell, born 6th Feb., and died 7th Nov. 1786; Janet, born 8th Jan. 1788, died 11th June 1794; Andrew, born 24th May 1790, died 6th Oct. 1792; Mary, born 25th April 1792, died 14th June

1794; David, born 29th Sept. 1793, died 29th April 1803; John, D.D., min. of St Andrews Parish, Edinburgh, born 30th Nov. 1794; Margaret, born 30th June 1796, died 13th Feb. 1804. Publications—*Thanksgiving to Jehovah, the Lord of the Hosts*, a sermon (Dundee, 1797); *The Moral Discipline of Providence*, a sermon (Dundee, 1814); Account of the Parish Sinclair's *Stat. Acc.* viii. (St Andrews Tests); Lawson's *Forfar Notes* (portrait, 101-24, 274.)

WILLIAM CLEGGSTON, born Calton, Glasgow, 2nd July 1793, eldest son 1817 of James C., tailor, educated at Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1812); licen. by Presb. of Glasgow 6th Nov. 1813; app. by the Town Council 24th May, and ord. 21st Aug. 1817. Joined the Free Church in 1843; min. of the Free Church, Forfar, 1843-57; died 3rd March 1857. A great pulpit orator and said to be the most popular divine in Forfarshire. He marr. 2nd July 1818, Margaret (died 1st March 1866), daugh. of George Gartly, muslin manufacturer, and Margaret Gordon, and had issue Margaret, born 21st Sept. 1819, died 3rd Feb. 1841; James, born 10th Jan. 1823; George, born 26th June 1824; William, born 2nd April 1826; Janet, born 4th Feb. 1828; Alexander, born 24th April 1830; Elspeth, born 27th March 1834, died 25th Feb. 1835. Publications—*On National Judgments*, a sermon (Edinburgh, 1837); *The Widower and the Fatherless*, a sermon (Edinburgh, 1854); Account of the Parish (*New Stat. Acc.* xi.—[Reid's *The Royal Burgh of Forfar*, 156, 361-4; Lawson's *Forfar Notes* (portrait), 125-35, 274.]

ROBERT STEVENSON, born The Shiel, Campsie, 7th Feb. 1812, sixth 1843 son of William S., farmer, and Marjory Ferrie; educated at Unive. of Glasgow (M.A. 1831) and Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 1st May 1834; ord. (assistant and successor) to East Parish, Airdrie, 2nd June 1837; trans. and adm. 14th Sept. 1843; died 21st March 1877. He marr. (1) 1st Oct. 1844, Marion (died 21st Nov. 1851, youngest daugh. of

David Scott, Northfield, Duddingston : (2) 8th July 1868, Agnes (died 13th July 1901), daugh. of Andrew Barron, Halkerton, Forfarshire, and Jessie Guthrie, and had issue — William Barron, D.D., D.Litt., Professor of Oriental Languages, Univ. of Glasgow (*q.v.*), born 12th Aug. 1869 ; Marion Scott, missionary, Kenya Colony, British East Africa, born 19th May 1871 ; Robert Ferrie, born 2nd Sept. 1871. — [Reid's *The Royal Burgh of Forfar* (portrait), 157.]

DAVID MITCHELL, born Glasgow, about 1835, second son of John M., 1862 factor; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Glasgow; ord. to St Luke's Parish, Glasgow, 7th Oct. 1858; trans. and adm. (assistant and successor) 11th April 1862; dep. (by Presb. of Forfar) 22nd Dec. 1866. He became min. of the Scots Church, Jersey, U.S.A., and died there in 1905. He marr. in 1874.

GEORGE JOHNSTONE CAIE, born 1875 Chatham, New Brunswick, 18th Oct. 1839, son of James C. and Mary Little Johnstone; educated at Queen's College, Ontario, Canada, and Univ. of Edinburgh; B.A. (1861); sometime tutor in the family of George, Duke of Argyll; licen. by Presb. of Dunoon in 1861; ord. to New St Stephen's, St John's, New Brunswick, 6th June 1866; app. assistant here in 1874; adm. (assistant and successor) 2nd July 1875; D.D. (St Andrews 1899); died 4th Oct. 1911. He marr. (1) 24th Sept. 1872, Annabell (died 25th June 1882), daugh. of Robert Hyndman, Charlottetown, P.E.I., and Ann McNutt, and had issue — James Johnstone, born 7th July 1873, died 29th March 1874; Norman Macleod, min. of First Charge, Hamilton, born 2nd Oct. 1874; Annie Hyndman, born 4th Nov. 1875, died 31st Dec. 1876; Mary Richardson, born 15th Jan. 1877; Robert George, captain 5th Fusiliers, born 4th March 1880, died 11th Feb. 1919 ; (2) 4th June 1889, Margaret Matthew (born 22nd April 1854), daugh. of John Myles, solicitor, Forfar, and had issue — Annie Whitson, born 16th May 1891 (marr. 14th July

1919, James Arthur Lees, Torquay); Ethel Margaret (twin), born 16th May 1891 (marr. 2nd Oct. 1917, Robert S. L. Macpherson, C.A.); John Myles, born 5th Oct. 1894. Publication — *Family Prayers for Five Weeks* (Edinburgh, 1896); *Forfar* [The Presb. of Forfar] (Forfar, 1904). [Forfar Review, 17th Feb. 1890; *Kirriemuir Advertiser*, 6th Oct. 1911; Reid's *Forfar* portrait), 158.]

WILLIAM GALLOWAY DONALD-SON, born Cupar-Fife, 17th June 1908 1864, son of Ebenezer D. and Mary Stark Galloway; educated at Cupar and Unive. of St Andrews and Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Cupar 25th May 1889; assistant at Ladhope, Galashiels; ord. to North Parish, Kelso, 12th March 1891; trans. to St Paul's, Leith, 23rd Nov. 1898; trans. and adm. (assistant and successor) 1st Oct. 1908. Marr. 16th Aug. 1892, Isabella Thomson, youngest daugh. of Robert Adam, Gowans Park, Cupar-Fife (*q.v.*).

ST JAMES'S (Q.S.).

[During the ministry of William Clugston, owing to the parish church being over-crowded, services were held in an old Episcopal chapel which was purchased in 1835. St James's parish was disjoined from Forfar and erected into a parish *quoad sacra* 18th March 1872.]

JAMES YEAMAN STRACHAN, born 1838 about 1806, son of William S.; licen. by Presb. of Forfar 19th June 1833; ord. 21st Oct. that year as assistant to William Clugston, min. of the parish; adm. to this charge 20th April 1836; died unmarr. 1st Oct. 1843.

JAMES SOMMERS, ord. 30th Jan. 1845; clerk of Presb. 18th June 1845 to 19th Feb. 1851; trans. to Barry 18th Sept. 1851.

JAMES IRELAND, born about 1823; 1852 educated at Univ. of St Andrews; ord. to Bourock Chapel, now Barrhead, 26th Feb. 1850; trans. and adm.

15th June 1824—11th Feb. 1857, and went to America where he had a charge.

ALEXANDER CAMPBELL, born 1857—Aberfeldy, 1870; son of Alexander Campbell, grocer, and Isabella McLaren; educated at Aberfeldy School and Univ. of St. Andrews; missionary in St. David's Parish, Dundee, licensed by Presb. of Wormit, assistant at St. Clement's, Dundee, ord. 25th June 1857; died unmarried, 25th Jan. 1866. [Norris's *Dir. of Ch. Ministers*, 263.]

JOHN WEIR, born Rothsay, 25th Jan. 1860, third son of John Weir, merchant, and Mary McKeylay; educated at Rothsay School and Univ. of Glasgow, M.A. (1888), licensed by Presb. of Dunoon 29th Nov. 1881, as intern at Hogganfield, Mount Stuart, Kilbarn, and West St. Giles, Edinburgh, ord. minister of St. James's Chapel and Auld Ainslie, received as first man of the parish, 3rd April 1872, died 17th May 1909. Marr. 3rd March 1888, Christina Scott, daughter of Adam Bell, merchant, Edinburgh, and Agnes Scott, and has issue Ada Bell, born 6th Feb. 1890, Mary McKeylay, born 29th Aug. 1890. Publication: *St. James's Parish* [The Presb. of Forfar], Forfar, 1903. [Reid's *Portrait Portraits*, 1904.]

WILLIAM ADAM, M.A., B.D.; ord. 1900—9th Sept. 1900; trans. to Kirkpatrick Durham, 5th Oct. 1916.

JAMES AIKEN, born Kingston, Glasgow, 12th July 1866, son of Robert Aiken, Commodore of the "Laird" Line, and Ann Collins Donaldson; educated at Free Church Normal School and Univ. of Glasgow, M.A. (1891), licensed by Presb. of Glasgow in 1893, assistant at Beath, Milton of Campsie, Dumbarton, ord. by Presb. of Hamilton 6th May 1904, app't to St. Catherine's Parish, Berbice, British Guiana, and adm. 29th June 1904, trans. to St. Thomas, Georgetown, British Guiana, 1st Dec. 1914, Chairman of British General Government Industrial School Committee in 1915; adm. to this charge 8th Feb. 1917, served as Entomologist with the Meso-

potamia Expeditionary Force 1917–18, Marr. 14th Dec. 1905, Matilda, b. in 25th March 1879, daughter of Alexander McDonald Thomson, miller, manager, Ayley Bryan, Matilda, and his wife, Henrietta, born and died 23rd Dec. 1909. Publications: "The Mosquitoes of British Guiana," *British Guiana Medical Journal* (1905, 1906, 1908, 1912); "A Synoptical View of the Mosquitoes of British Guiana"; "A Memorial of the Life and Work of the Late Sir Robert Scott" (1912); *Notes on the Diseases of British Guiana* (which he edited, 1912–13); Editor of *The Scottish Church Review*, *British Guiana* (1905–15), of *The People's Newspaper and Leader* (1906–10), articles on Natural History in *The Edinburgh Post* and other journals.

LOWSON MEMORIAL (Q.S.).

The Lowson Memorial Parish was disjoined from the parish of Fettercairn erected 9th July 1913, 20th May 1914. The church was built, furnished, and endowed through the generosity of Mrs. Steele of Beechhill, Forfar, and other members of the family of John Lowson, jute manufacturer, Forfar, and was named in memory of their father.

PETER CARMICHAEL MILLAR, M.A., B.D., O.B.E.; ord. 17th Sept. 1914—1914, trans. to Balmerino, 14th Sept. 1920.

WILLIAM THOMAS SMELLIE, born 1921—Burghed, 7th June 1862, son of Robert James Smellie and Annie Peters; educated at High School and Univ. of Glasgow, M.A. (1913), served as Lieut. 6th A. & S. Highlanders, and captain R.E. in 1918; mentioned in despatches, Nov. 1918, O.B.E. (Military Division Jan. 1919), for services during the German attacks of 28th March and 4th April 1918, licensed by Presb. of Paisley in 1918, assistant at North Berwick, ord. 17th Feb. 1921, Marr. 31st March 1921, Jean, daughter of William Craig, Morag, Paisley, and Elizabeth Gray.

GLAMIS.

[In early Christian times, St Fergus made Glamis the seat of a mission of the Celtic Church. St Donald also carried on mission work here. The church of Glamis was dedicated to St Fergus. It belonged to the Abbey of Arbroath. St Fergus' Cave in the parish has of old been used as a hermitage. There were here Wells of St Fergus, St Medan, and the Nine Maidens. In 1487, John, third Lord Glamis, founded in the Parish Church of Glamis an altar of St Thomas the Martyr. A fair of St Fergus was held at Glamis. A Celtic cross, preserved at the manse, belongs to the earliest period of Christian art in Scotland.]

ROBERT BOYD, min. in 1567; trans.
1567 to Newtyle in 1571.

JOHN NEVAY, min. of Newtyle in
1571 1567; trans. and adm. about 1571
with Eassie, Lintrathen, and Meathie
also in his charge; still min. in 1590.
[*Reg. Assiz.*; Stirton's *Glamis*, 74.]

SAMUEL RAMSAY, min. in 1595;
1595 trans. to Montrose between 1599
and 1601.

DAVID BROWN [or BROUINE], min.
1601 of Nevay in 1590, having also charge
of Eassie, Glamis, and Lintrathen in
1593, but Eassie only in 1596; removed to
Eassie between 1597 and 1599; trans. and
adm. here in 1601; pres. by James VI.
17th Jan. 1602 and 3rd Feb. 1613. He also
held the parsonage and vicarage of Clova,
which he relinquished before 1st March
1616; was a member of Assembly, 1602
and 1610; referred to as "aged and
diseased" in 1620, and died March 1625.
He marr. and had issue James, M.A.;
Catherine; George. — [*Reg. Assiz.*; *Reg.
Soc. Sig.*; Calderwood's *Hist.*, viii., 105;
Forfar Inhib., 25th Nov. 1615.]

SILVESTER LAMMIE, son of George
1625 L. of Dunkenny; educated at Univ.
of St Andrews; M.A. (1617); pres.
by Charles I. 4th July 1625; was a
member of the Glasgow Assembly, 1638

and 1639, and of the Commissions of
Assembly, 1645, 1646, and was probably
dead before 20th Dec. 1665, when the
parish was vacant. He marr. Helen, eldest
daugh. of John Ogilvy of Balfour, and had
issue John of Dunkenny and Balnamoon;
Silvester, min. of Eassie; Elizabeth (marr.
Robert Douglas, Bishop of Dunblane). —
[*Reg. Soc. Sig.*; Peterkin's *Records*; Stir-
ton's *Glamis*, 75; *Forfar Inhib.*, 20th Aug.
1605; *Forfar Sis.*, ii., 270; *Perth Sis.*,
iv., 316.]

GEORGE MIDDLETON, M.A.; adm.
1637 5th June 1637; app. Regent in King's
College, Aberdeen, in 1671; d.m. in
1673. He was min. again before 27th July
1684, but on becoming Principal of King's
College (*q.v.*) he d.m. and preached his
farewell sermon (Philip, i., 27) on 11th Jan.
1685.

WILLIAM CHALMERS, born about
1636, son of William Ch., min. of
1674 Fettercairn; M.A. (King's College,
Aberdeen, 1656); passed trials before Presb.
of Fordoun and had a testimonial 2nd Feb.
1670; adm. to Bervie 14th May 1670; trans.
and adm. 15th April 1674; died March
1681. He marr. (1) a daugh. of Patrick
Lyon, min. of Barry; (2) May 1676, Martha,
daugh. of Arthur Granger, min. of Pan-
bride. She survived him.

JOHN LYON, M.A.; trans. from Airlie,
1681 and adm. 21st Dec. 1681; trans. to
Tealing before 27th July 1684.

GEORGE MIDDLETON, M.A. [see
1684 above].

JOHN BALVAIRD (*primus*); M.A.
1685 (St Andrews 1642); ord. to Kirkden
13th June 1650; trans. and adm.,
"with the unanimous consent of the whole
congregation," 24th Sept. 1685; died 1st
March 1698, aged about 76. He marr.
Elizabeth Spalding, and had issue John,
min. of this parish; William, min. of
Kirkden; Alexander; David, servitor to
the Earl of Strathmore; Robert; Marjory
(marr. Robert Strachan, min. of Colyond);
Margaret (marr. James Walker, min. of
Buntle); Elizabeth; Katherine.

JOHN BALVAIRD, *min.* Born 1696. D. 2^d son of presbyt., educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A., 26th July 1719; passed trials before the Presb. of St Andrews, and was entitled to licence 2nd Aug. 1721, was recommended by Presb. of Brechin for ordination 4th Sept. 1724, and came to Buzell soon after, deserted, probably cited from his charge and was excommunicated here 11th June that year. He turned noncon., became M.D., and probably died about 1746, his successor being appointed that year. He died 25th Oct. 1749. (*Cate. of Genealogies*; *Sturt's G. & S.* 190.)

WILLIAM DUN, *ord. to Second Charge*, 1716. Inveresk, 12th April 1709; called by the Presb. *re b. t. o.* 15th Oct., trans. and adm. 11th Nov. 1716; died 23rd Nov. 1726, "to the great grief of the whole parish." He marr. Elizabeth Campbell, who survived him.

JAMES OGILVY, born by Presb. of Edinburgh 21st April 1725; called 11th May, pres. by Rev. Dickson, town-clerk of Fetter, and ord. 21st Sept. 1729; died 29th Nov. 1749.

JAMES DONALDSON, descended from in Patrick Dundee, minister of Mansfield, at Rattray, educated at Marischal Coll., Aberdeen, born by Presb. of Selkirk, pres. by Thomas, Earl of Strathmore, in May, and ord. 3rd Sept. 1731; d. 3rd Dec. 1770. He marr. 19th Oct. 1743, Margaret, d. 13th Jan. 1771, daughter of James Adams, min. of Kinneir, and had a son John, born 29th Oct. 1744, marr. 17th July 1775, Jane, Hwy. of Scone, d. 19th Sept. 1777, died 17th Nov. 1777. Thomas, born 16th March 1746, died 30th May 1799. (*I. & S. G. & S.* 21.)

JAMES LYON, born 26th March 1759, 1780, son of George L. of Wemyss, Ord. 1780, man. of Longforgan, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, licenc'd by Presb. of Dundee, 17th May 1780; pres. by the trustees of John, Earl of Strathmore, 18th and 20th May, and ord. 14th Sept. 1780, D.D. Marischal College, Aberdeen, 12th

Dec. 1823—son of Father of the Syne, 3rd April 1738. A severe, determined-looking figure who ruled the people with a rod of iron, and was a strict disciplinarian. He marr. 23rd Jan. 1756, Agnes, postess and either of the wifes set to Neil Gow's "Farewell to Whisky." She left four volumes of MS. poems, which she directed either death to remain unpublished unless the family needed pecuniary assistance. Born in 1722, died 13th Sept. 1810, elder daughter of John Ramsey, L. Amy of Duncle, and had issue Agnes Hamilton, born 13th March 1787, marr. William Rogers, min. of Roseisle, George of Snowden House, Stirling, born 30th March 1789, died in 1850, James, born 25th Dec. 1790, died 17th Feb. 1815, Margaret, born 23rd Oct. 1792, died 16th July 1808, Ann Dempster, born 4th Feb. 1795, died 20th March 1815, Janet, born 16th July 1796, died 26th June 1834, William, min. of Union Chapel, Abendoch, born 13th July 1798, Barbara Katherine, born 26th April 1800, died 23rd Nov. 1826, Jane Playfair, born 3rd Aug. 1802, died 14th July 1808, Stewart, daughter, born 22nd Nov. 1804, died 25th Sept. 1830. His brother, Ascent of the Earl of Sinclair's Stirlingshire and Ayrshire, *A. & A. S.* 1800. *Sturt's G. & S.* (portraits), 147, 148, *Lays of Cessford and Glen Ogle*, 900. Rogers' *Memoirs of a Scotch Minister*, 1184. *The Books of Auld Lang Syne*, 292. Drummond's *Poems on Lay and Dye*, 68-85, derives *F. T. W.* (1841).

THOMAS JACKSON CRAWFORD, M.A., trans. from Culz, Fife, pres. 1838, by the trustees of John, Earl of Strathmore, and adm. 26th Sept. 1838, D.D. St Andrews, 6th March 1844, trans. to St Andrews Parish, Edinburgh, 16th Aug. 1844.

JOHN ALEXANDER CASTLE MAINE TANNOCH, born 17th 1844. Fife, 1806, eldest son of James T., soldier in Indian Army, educated at Univ. of Glasgow, ord. to St David's Chapel, Edinburgh, 6th Feb. 1837, trans. to Kinross, 27th Sept. 1842, trans. and adm. 31st Oct. 1844, D.D. (Marischal

College, 1854); died 28th Sept. 1872. He marr. (th June 1844) Anna (died at Ramsgate 18th Nov. 1907), daugh. of Captain George Macpherson, R.N., and had issue Margaret Macpherson, born 24th March 1845, died 1st Sept. 1863; Jane Reid, born 15th Aug. 1846 marr. William Waddell, min. of Fern; Sarah Mackintosh, born 19th May 1848; Anna, born 24th Feb. 1850; John, born 4th March 1852, died 19th July 1863; Mary Jane, born 29th March 1854, died 29th Aug. 1855; George Macpherson, born 10th Jan. 1857, died 29th Aug. 1863.

JOHN STEVENSON, born 17th July 1836, son of Patrick James S., D.D., min. of Coupar-Angus; educated at Coupar-Angus School and Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Meigle 16th May 1859; assistant at West Parish, Aberdeen; ord. to Millbrex 19th July 1861; trans. to Dun 3rd Aug. 1865; trans. and adm. 6th Feb. 1873; LL.D. (St Andrews 1888); died 27th Nov. 1903. Mycology was his favourite study, and he was one of the ablest authorities on the subject. He was Secretary of the Cryptogamic Society of Scotland. He marr. 15th March 1864, Elizabeth (born 16th Nov. 1843), daugh. of John Valentine, land and mill owner, Canada, and had issue — Patrick James, born 2nd Jan. 1865, died 16th March 1866; Emily Annie, born 25th Dec. 1866; Mary Henrietta, born 15th July 1869 (marr. Maunsell Grant Mackintosh Donald, min. of Kinnettles). Publications — *Mycologia Scotica: The Fungi of Scotland and their Geographical Distribution* (Edinburgh, 1879); *British Fungi*, 2 vols. (Edinburgh, 1886).

JOHN STIRTON, M.A., B.D.; trans. from Corsock, and adm. 19th May 1904 1904; trans. to Crathie 2nd April 1919.

MATTHEW BABINGTON, born Kilwinning, 15th April 1877, son of Robert B. and Elizabeth Macfarlane; educated at Irving Academy and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1900), B.D. (1903); licen.

by Presb. of Irvine in 1903; ord. to Toward 29th Sept. 1909; dem. 3rd Oct. 1916; assistant at St Mary's, Dundee, 1916-19; app. by the Presb. *jure devoluto* 5th Nov., and adm. 1st Dec. 1919.

GLENPROSEN (Q.S.).

[The parish of Glenprosen was disjoined from Kirriemuir and erected *quoad sacra* by decree of the Court of Teinds 12th Jan. 1874. Pitcairity Chapel occupied the site of Glenprosen Church. Until 1860, when Clova was endowed, services were conducted at Glenprosen by the missionary at Clova. Thereafter a Royal Bounty missionary resided here.]

JOHN MCGREGOR FERGUSON, M.A.; ord. 8th Nov. 1860; trans. to New Pitsligo 19th March 1869.

JOHN WATT, born 1st Feb. 1836, son of James W., min. of Cortachy; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Forfar; ord. (assistant) at Tannadice 22nd Dec. 1865; app. Royal Bounty missionary here, July 1869; received as first min. of the parish 21st Jan. 1871; res. 1st June 1892. He marr. 11th Jan. 1870, Janet Watt, who died *s.p.* 12th Aug. 1919.

JOHN STRACHAN, trans. from Clova 1892 and adm. 25th Aug. 1892; trans. to Cortachy 15th Nov. 1894.

DAVID GOWANS YOUNG, M.A., B.D.; ord. 16th April 1895; trans. to Moneydie 28th Sept. 1899.

ARCHIBALD JAMES MILLER, M.A.; ord. 1st March 1900; trans. to West 1900 Church, Stirling, 13th May 1907.

JAMES DALGETY, born Dundee, 10th June 1866, son of George D. and Christina McNeish; educated at Dundee High School and Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Dundee in 1894; assistant at Whiting Bay, Woodside (Aberdeen), and Waterside and Lethamhill, Dalmenyton, 1902; ord. 19th Sept. 1907.

INVERARITY AND MEATHIE.

These parishes were united about 1612.

Inverarity. The church of Inverarity was dedicated to St. Maelan. It belonged to the Abbey of Tanderon. A new church was built in 1614. The bell is said to be 1614.

Meathie. The church of Machyn or Meathie, of which now no trace remains, belonged to the Abbey of Coper in Aucter.

DAVID LINDSAY of Fife, b. m. of 1560. Oathlaw, had charge also here 1606.

JAMES POTTHIRINGHAM, min. in 1567, with Meathie and Kinneffes 1567 [also in the charge, provosts *Lindisfarne, &c., 1567, 3rd pt.*]

CHARLES WELWOOD, M.A., adm. in 1604, trans. to Elie, Kirkcaldy 1504 p. 1506. He probably held both charges for a time, and died here before 22d April 1606. [See *Assynt*.]

DAVID WILLIAMSON, pres. by James VI, 22d April 1606, removed from 1605 Meathie, and joined with Inverarity, trans. to Kilsyth 1st Aug. 1622.

WILLIAM RITCHIE, born Edinburgh, about 1557, son of John Ritchie, min. of Dun 1622 m. Jean, M.A., Edinburgh, 30th June 1617, pres. to Meathie by James VI, 16th Oct. 1622. On 4th Dec. 1635 he had an augmentation of stipend when he became head of the reformed to seek or crave any further augmentation so long as he lives the same at the said Kirk, ended July 1636. He marr. Margaret, daughter of Col. George Willmott of Dundee, and had issue: John, min. of Strichenie; William, min. of Linneie; Thomas, writer, Edinburgh; Margaret, marr. Andrew Oliphant of Lindlewood, marr. of Rossie; Elizabeth, marr. Andrew Arnot of Dunbarrow; Agnes, marr. 13th March 1670, John Peter of Chapel, W.S.; Luis marr., cont. 4th and 8th Dec. 1670, David Halstoun of Craigtoun. [See *Assynt*, *Eton, 8th ed., xvii., 1606*; *Recd. of Docts. Mack., 20th Sept. 1671*; *G. R. Lyon*, 10th Dec. 1670; *Tytler, Socy., v., 252*; *Pr. t. Book, J. L. C. Glasgow*.]

FREDERICK BOWER, brother of Alexander B. of Kinneffie, M.A., 1602 St. Andrews, peth July 1602, adm. before 2d Oct. 1602, died between 2nd Sept. and 7th Oct. 1633, agd 1 about 35. He marr. Helen Petheringham, who survived him, and marr. to John, son of James Pieron of Balmedie, and had issue Jean, marr. Alexander Graham, merchant, burgess of Montrose. [Lulus, died 1st for. 1675. *Recd. of Docts. Mack., 23rd May 1676*.]

GEORGE GRAHAME, M.A., St. An. drws. 23rd July 1637, passed 1605 trials before Presb. of Forfar, was recommended to residence on 22d March, and ord. 17th May 1637. He must, notwithstanding his disqualification for serving the cure of both parishes of Inverarity in 1607, be by the Committee of Assembly for the North, for "distresses, drunkardes" in 1604. [See *Assynt*, 1606.]

JOHN MILNE, formerly of 8 and Charge, Montrose, intituled here 1701 p. 1701, was tell in the parish in 1710, when he was depayed.

ROBERT YOUNG, M.A., St. Andrews, 16th July 1703, son of Revd. 1710 of St. Andrews 10th March 1708; was clerk to the Syr. of Fif, but soon, that office on being called to this charge by the Presb. of Dundee 31st Jan. 1710; on 10th June following, died 16th 1733. He marr. Elizabeth Anderson, and had issue: John, min. of this parish; Robert, min. of Berriedale.

JOHN YOUNG, born about 1711, son 1735 of preceding, educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen, then, by Presb. of Forfar 25th Sept. 1734, called 19th Dec. 1734, ord. 2d ch. 1735, 1735, 1738 St. Andrews, 17th March 1763, died 29th June 1778. He marr. 28th April 1737, Jean Hay, who died 24th Oct. 1779, and had issue: Robert, born 22nd March 1738, died 3rd March 1793; Maurice, born 22nd Jan. 1745. [See *Assynt*.]

JOHN WEBSTER, born 1755, son of John Webster, baillie of Forfar; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1773); licen. by Presb. of Forfar 18th Nov. 1778; pres. by Thomas Fotheringham Ogilvie of Powrie Nov. 1778; ord. 8th April 1779; died 10th Nov. 1807. He marr. 14th June 1793, Mary (died 18th Aug. 1801), daugh. of Patrick Bryce, min. of Carnylie, and had issue - Mary, born 25th March 1794; John, M.D., born 24th March 1795; Patrick, born 29th June 1796, died 25th Oct. 1820; Margaret, born 6th July 1797; Elizabeth, born 19th Sept. 1798; George, Parliamentary solicitor, London, born 28th March 1800; Charles, barrister, London, born 2nd July 1801; James, born 6th Nov. 1802, died at Cairo 1828; Francis, W.S., born 6th Nov. 1804, died 12th Sept. 1888; William Maul, solicitor, London, born 20th Dec. 1805; Thomas, advocate, born 5th July 1807, died 29th March 1877. Publication Account of the Parish (Sinclair's *Stat. Acc.*, iv.).

WILLIAM RANKINE, pres. by Alexander Ogilvie Fotheringham of Powrie in April, and ord. 3rd Nov. 1808; died 11th Feb. 1830. He marr. 1798, Margaret Scott, who died 17th May 1847, and had issue - Isabella, born 3rd April 1805; Margaret, born 18th Nov. 1806; Mary Fotheringham, born 5th Sept. 1808; Ann Elizabeth Fotheringham, born 30th Oct. 1809; Charles Fotheringham, born 23rd June 1811; William, born 18th May 1813; Thomas Fotheringham, born 28th June 1814; Frederick Fotheringham, born 16th Dec. 1815.

GEORGE LOEDON, born Tannadice, 1792, son of John L., farmer, and Mary Cant; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1817); licen. by Presb. of Forfar 15th June 1814; ord. to Lintrathen 28th Sept. 1819; pres. by Colonel Thomas Ogilvie Fotheringham of Powrie 5th July 1830; trans. and adm. 10th March 1831; died 9th March 1867. He marr. 7th April 1825, Mary, died 24th Nov. 1838, eldest daugh. of Robert Montgomerie of Barnahill, and had issue - Mary Marian

Montgomerie, born 26th Oct. 1827 (marr. James Crickshank Easton, min. of Meldrum); Elizabeth Macfarlane, born 23rd Dec. 1832. Publication Account of the Parish (*New Stat. Acc.*, xi.).

PATRICK STEVENSON, born 24th July 1835, son of Patrick James S., 1867 D.D., min. of Coupar Angus; educated at Coupar Angus School, High School, Edinburgh, and Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Meigle 16th May 1856; assistant at Dundee, Fife, Alyth, Carlisle, and Mount Stuart (Rothesay), pres. by trustees of Thomas E. Scrymsoure Fotheringham of Powrie, and ord. 23rd Aug. 1867; died unmarr. 20th Aug. 1905. He was a most admirable type of a parish min. Having attended medical classes during his college course, he was in a way the doctor of his parish as well as its min. His knowledge of botany was profound, and his favourite study was astronomy. On the occasion of his semi jubilee his congregation presented him with a valuable telescope, which stood in a wooden house of its own on his lawn. He made considerable studies for a work on the Diatomaceæ, but it was never completed. Publications *A Selection of his Sermons* [biographical introduction by Prof. Allan Menzies, D.D.] (portrait) (Forfar, 1903); *Unity and Eternal Life* in Professor Knight's *Scotch Sermons* (London, 1880); *Inverarity* [The Presb. of Forfar] (Forfar, 1904).

GEORGE BRENNER, M.A., B.D.; ord. 18th Jan. 1906; trans. to St 1906 Margaret's, Barnhill, 13th July 1924.

JAMES MILLER, born Alloa, 26th Nov. 1880, son of James M., and 1921 Christina Rey Bennett; educated at Alloa School (after which he followed a business career for fifteen years) and Univs. of Glasgow and Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 18th May 1921; assistant at St Mary's, Edinburgh; ord. 9th Nov. 1921. Marr. 14th March 1910, Laurence Hamilton (born 19th Nov. 1890), daugh. of Colin Finnie, Pollokshields, and has issue - Colin Finnie, born 24th Sept. 1911; Christian

Bennett, born 1st Feb., 1913; Laura Hanmer, born 2nd April 1916; Nuala Macneill, born 8th April 1921. Published in *A. C. Gray's "Memoranda from Lochnell Kirk Session Papers,"* Dr. L. G. 1916.

MEATHIE.

1574 JOHN WATSON, reader in 1574.

JOHN STRACHAN, reader in 1575 to
1576.

DAVID GUTHRIE, reader in 1588 to
1589—1591.

JAMES BANNERMAN, M.A., min. in
1590—1599, trans. to Leighton in 1600.

DAVID WILLIAMSON, adm. in 1600; removed to Inverarity on the union
1600 of the parishes in 1612.

KINNETTLES.

[The church of Kinnettles belonged to the collegiate church of St. Mary on the Kirk Haugh at St. Andrews.]

JAMES FOTHERINGHAM, min. of
Inverarity, also had charge here in
1597—1598.

ALEXANDER NEVAY, reader from
1573—1st May 1573 to 1574.

ROBERT DUNCANSON, reader in
1579—1586.

GILBERT SIMSON, reader from 1578
1579 to 1586.

JAMES RAIT, min. of Forfar in 1576;
1588—pres. by James VI, 16th, trans. and
adm. 19th Sept. 1588, and inst. soon
after, still min. in 1608. [Rep. Assy.]

DAVID LINDSAY, M.A. (St. Andrews
1602), min. of Carnmylie in 1606;
adm. before 29th Sept. 1610, trans.
to Bellhelvie before 8th Aug. 1617.

JAMES LAMONT, born about 1563,
1620 son of Alan La, min. of Scone,
educated at Univ. of St. Andrews,
M.A. (26th July 1613), adm. before 2nd
Oct. 1620, disp. for "insufficiency" (with
seventeen other min.) of the Synod; by

the Assembly's Committee for Visitation,
Oct. 1621, died at the place of Kin-
nettles in 1651. He marr. Margaret
Sibbald, who survived him. On 16th April
1634 she received twelve shillings from
Archbishop Sharp, and in Oct. 1635 she
was recommended by the Synod for charity
from the Kirk Session in the Diocese.
[Lamont's *Diary*, 10, 33.]

ALEXANDER FIGOTT, M.A., adm.
before 29th Oct. 1602, trans. to
1602 Arth. 5th May 1606.

SILVESTER LYON, M.A., adm. 31st
1607 Jan. 1607, trans. to Kirkinmuir 6th
Jan. 1609.

ALEXANDER TYLER or **TAYLOR**, a native of Brechin, educated at
1670 King's College, Aberdeen, M.A.
(29th July 1664), passed trials before the
Prov. of St. Andrews, and was recom-
mended for licence 6th Dec. 1665, pres.
by James, Archbishop of St. Andrews, 28th
Sept. 1666, ord. 27th Feb., and inst. 14th
March 1670, was still min. 11th July
1688. Publications: *Memoirs of the Life
and Actions of King James VI of Scotland*,
done in verse (Edinburgh, 1685); *Signal
Dangers and Deliverses Both by Land
and Sea, comprehending a short Account
of the Ruseyn of the Spaniard, together
with a Description of the Violent
Tempest which got the Edinburgh, 26th
Nov. 1684, with the Loss and many of
his Brethren for the Party of taking the
Oath required by the Test Act between
Burnetts and Ruthven, both called the
"Blessing," in two small poems (reprinted
in 1685); [Jervise's *Lives of the Laudites*,
379]; Macpherson's *Stratagem, Past and
Present*, 234.]*

JAMES TAYLOR, probably a relative
of preceding, adm. before 1689,
1689 participated in the Rebellion, and
was present at the Battle of Killiecrankie,
22nd July 1689, died in 1694.

JOHN LYON, M.A. (St. Andrews 1602);
1601 he had a bursary from the Presb. of
Forfar, passed trials for licence, and
was recommended for same 30th Nov. 1604;

licen. by George, Bishop of Edinburgh, 8th Dec. 1664, and ord. by him 15th Sept. 1665; adm. to Urr in 1666. In Nov. 1669, three disguised people entered his manse at Urr, dragged his wife outside, searched for her husband, but not finding him, ransacked and spoiled his house. For this assault that parish was obliged to pay him a fine of £600; outed at the Revolution. In 1693 he states he was called to supply vacancy caused by the deposition of Alexander (James) Taylor, and that he had exercised that function since April 1691, and was granted stipend from Martinmas 1692 onward; was allowed to remain as min. and preached for the last time 4th March 1716. He marr. Jean Murray, and had issue Robert, who predeceased him; Jane; Elizabeth. [*Case of Greenhillis; Dumfries Burial Reg.*; Wodrow's *Hist.* iv., 166; *Dumfries Sess.* vii., 307; *Trot.* Reg., iv., 233.]

WILLIAM WINGATE, educated at Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Stirling 3rd July 1706; called 9th Oct., and by the Presb. *pro tempore* 29th Nov., and ord. 14th Dec. 1716; died 8th May 1735.

THOMAS BROWN, called 6th Dec. 1735; ord. 26th Feb. 1736; dep. 26th Sept. 1743, for deserting his charge for seven months. Under the assumed name of William Jamieson, he celebrated an irregular marriage, for which he was tried before the High Court of Justiciary, 24th July 1751, and transported to the British plantations in America for fourteen years.—[*Scots Mag.*, xiii.; Morron's *Annals*, i., 220.]

GEORGE NICOL, licen. by Presb. of Forfar 21st July 1731; pres. by George II. 28th Feb., and ord. 20th June 1744; died 25th Nov. 1773. He marr. 6th Dec. 1744, Jean Abercromby, who died 18th Dec. 1773.

DAVID FERNEY, born 1738; licen. by Presb. of Kincardine O'Neil 3rd July 1765; pres. by George III. 9th Dec. 1773; ord. 30th June 1774; died 26th April 1806. He marr. 1st June 1775,

Margaret Cambella Walker, who died 27th Aug. 1821, and had issue William Douglas, born 2nd July 1776; Jean, born 12th July 1783. Publication Account of the Parish (Sinclair's *Stat.* Acc., ix., [Tombst.])

ROBERT LUNAN, born 1780; licen. 1807 by Presb. of Dundee 2nd May 1804; pres. by George III. 8th Aug. 1806; ord. 16th April 1807; died 6th April 1859. He marr. (1) 29th April 1808, Isabelle Smith, who died 5th Dec. 1841, and had issue Helen, born 24th June 1809, died April 1842; Margaret, born 12th Nov. 1810; Robert, born 18th March 1813; Elizabeth, born 18th March 1817; William, born 22nd Oct. 1819; (2) 8th June 1843, Elizabeth (died 16th April 1880), daugh. of George Bell, Mid Leech, and had issue George Bell, min. of New-style, born 12th March 1866. Publication Account of the Parish (New *Stat.* Acc., xi., [Tombst.])

ROBERT TURNER, ord. (assistant and successor) 10th Jan. 1850; clerk of Presb. 16th Dec. 1863 to 7th April 1886; dem. 16th May 1886; died 26th April 1903. He marr. 16th Sept. 1850, Marianne (died 3rd Dec. 1898), daugh. of William McFarlane, merchant, Glasgow, and had issue—William McFarlane, born 5th Nov. 1851; Robert, born 10th May 1853, died 15th Aug. 1856; Elizabeth Wylie, born 26th Feb. 1855; Marianne McFarlane, born 15th Oct. 1858, died 16th Jan. 1879; Margaret Fisher, born 2nd June 1861, died May 1919; John Kinross, born 7th Oct. 1864; Janet Wilson, born 20th Feb. 1867, died at Davos Platz, Switzerland, 28th Feb. 1890.

MAUNSELL GRANT MACKINTOSH 1899 DONALD, born Grantown-on Spey, 25th Aug. 1871, son of James D. and Elsie Mackintosh; educated at Raining's School, Inverness, and Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A. (1891); B.D. 1895; licen. by Presb. of Abernethy in 1895; assistant at Keith and Forfar; ord. 21st Sept. 1899. Marr. 3rd Jan. 1905, Mary Henrietta, younger daugh. of John Stevenson, LL.D., min. of

Glamis, and has issue John Steven, m. born 6th Aug. 1607, died 20th Jan. 1615; Francis Mackintosh, born 20th March 1612. Publication: *Kinnelies* [The Presb. of Forfar] (Forfar, 1694).

KIRRIEMUIR.

The church of Kirriemuir was dedicated to St. Mary. It belonged to the Abbey of Airlie, which there were in the parish three chapels, St. Colmog's near the town, St. Ninian's at Balinscho, and St. Neachtan's at Chapeltown. The church was erected in 1587 and a spire afterwards added by Charles Lyell of Kinmerdy.]

ALEXANDER AUCHINLECK, min.
in 1567, Kingoldrum also being in
1567 his charge; died in 1571. [*R. J.
Mon.*]

1587 GEORGE FYFE, reader.

DAVID BLACK, entered at Cudlomas
1571. In 1574 Nether Airlie was
1571 also included in the charge, removed
to Kingoldrum between 1580 and 1585.

WILLIAM PIGGOT, reader in 1583.
[*R. J. of Docts.*, xxii., 85, 29th Feb.
1583.]

ALEXANDER KYNNIMONTH [or
KINMONT] of Meathie; min. of
1583 Oathlaw in 1585; trans. and adm.
in 1585; was a member of Assembly in
1610; pres. by James VI, 10th March
1612; still min. 10th April 1621; died in
1630. He erected a chapel at Pitcairty
in Glenprosen. He marr. Anna (died
Feb. 1605, aged 31), daugh. of Sir John
Ogilvy of Innerpefferty, and had issue
Alexander, min. of this parish. [*R. J.
Assy.*; *R. J. of Docts.*, xxxi.; Calderwood's
Hist., viii., 105; Reid's *Kirriemuir*, 68.]

JOHN OGILVY, M.A.; min. of Kingoldrum in 1606; was one of forty-
1623 two mins. who signed a Protestant-
tion to Parliament, 1st July 1606, against
the introduction of Episcopacy; a member
of the Court of High Commission in 1620,
trans. and adm. before 22nd April 1628, and 11th

April 1629; died before 20th Aug. 1632.
He marr. and had issue John. [*R. J. Soc.*,
8 vols.; *R. J. of Docts.*, 17th Dec. 1638.]

ALEXANDER KYNNIMONTH [or
KINMONT], son of above Alexander
1620 Kyn. M.A. St Andrews 1619; pres.
by Charles I, 11th April 1620, was a
member of the Glasgow Assembly in 1638,
and of that of 1639; still min. 22nd July
1639, "when he was thinking of a heresy,"
died soon after. He left 100 marks to
erect a "bell house" for the church, a
bell, etc. at Rottenham in 1617, having
been presented to the parish by his father.
He marr. Catherine Ogilvy. [*R. J. Soc.*,
8 vols.; *O'U. Doct.*, iv., 1; *Logie*, 81, 1, 376,
iii., 73; Perkins' *Rec.*, 8; Reid's *Kirriemuir*, 61.]

JOHN KEITH, a native of Kirkcudbrightshire; educated at Marischal College,
1603 Aberdeen, 1611-13; ord. to Edzell
13th Dec. 1616; trans. and adm. 20th Dec.
1633; died before 8th Sept. 1665, "well
beloved in the parish." [*O'U. Doct.*, 1, 67,
68.]

SILVESTER LYON, born Kintore, about
1631, fourth son of John Lyon
1630 of Wester Ogil; M.A. St Andrews,
27th July 1660; passed trials before Presb.
of Forfar, and recommended for license 22nd
Sept. 1660; certified for ordination 22nd
Nov. that year; adm. to Kinnelies 31st
Jan. 1667; trans. and adm. 6th Jan. 1669; died
1st May 1713. He preached before
the Archbishop and Synod at St Andrews
a sermon against Popery which was con-
sidered "bold and daring." He presented
the church with two Communion cups, one
of which is still in use, the other being in
possession of the Episcopalian congregation.
He marr. and had issue David, a daugh-
tmar. James Ruth, sometime assistant
to his father, and afterwards Episcopal
min. at Kirriemuir and Dundee and
Bishop of Brechin. [*St. Andrew's Tests.*; *Inq. Ret. de Tute*, 1175; Lyons' *Coll. of
Case of Greenshields*, Jervise's *Land of
the Lindsays*, 311; "A Diary of Patrick, first
Earl of Strathmore, 1684-86" (*Scot. Hist.
Soc.*, Edin., 1890); Reid's *Kirriemuir*, 79.]

GEORGE OGILVY of Kintyre, born 1681, probably son of Thomas O.,
1713 min. of Coupar-Angus; M.A. (St Andrews, 19th July 1700); licen. by Presb. of Dalkeith 11th March 1707; ord. to Benvie 27th Aug. 1707; pres. by Archibald, Duke of Douglas, in July, trans. and adm. at Cabbylatch (in the Muir of Logie) in the face of much opposition 13th Sept. 1713; died 3rd May 1771. Actions by O. against James, Earl of Panmure, and the Jacobite heirs in the matter of his stipend were decided in his favour by the Court of Session. Though adm. min. in 1713, his first sermon was not preached till Feb. 1716. He marr. 27th Dec. 1712, Janet Trail, who died 23rd Oct. 1754, and had issue—Margaret, born 1713; George, min. of Menmuir, born 1715; Alexander, bapt. 5th March 1717; John, bapt. 30th Nov. 1718, died young; Thomas, bapt. 15th Dec. 1720, died young; John, bapt. 8th Aug. 1722, died young; Janet, bapt. 14th May 1724 (marr. William Brown, D.D., Professor of Divinity and Ecclesiastical History, St Mary's College, St Andrews); David, bapt. 27th April 1725, died young; James, min. of Eassie, bapt. 13th Oct. 1727; Susan, born 10th Aug. 1729; Betty, born 21st Feb. 1731; Henry, born 22nd Aug. 1732; William, bapt. 1st Dec. 1733. Publication—He left in MS. an account of his experiences, along with a short ecclesiastical history of Scotland, and a series of notes on the parish and district [edited by Alexander Peat, min. of Glenisla] (Dundee, 1801).—[Reid's *Kirriemuir*, 71; *Forfar Sis.*, xxiii, 420.]

WILLIAM EADIE, born 1710; educated at Univ. of St Andrews;
1772 M.A. (1760); pres. by Archibald Douglas of Douglas Oct. 1771, and ord. 23rd April 1772. He was drowned in the Short Moss between Forfar and Kirriemuir 20th Oct. 1784. It was said he had been waylaid, "but the precise cause of the sad event which plunged the district in sorrow was never ascertained." He marr. 11th Oct. 1780, Helen Leslie, and had issue—Christian, born 1st Aug., and died 2nd Sept. 1781; Francis, born 7th Aug. 1782, died 15th April 1783;

William Carnegie, born 14th Jan. 1784, died March 1790; Mary, died 13th Jan. 1787.

THOMAS OGILVY, born about 1756,
1785 son of William O., wright in Kirriemuir, and Isobel White; M.A. (1777); pres. by Archibald Douglas of Douglas in May, and ord. 1st Sept. 1785; died 6th April 1802. He marr. 28th April 1792, Mary Margaret (died 9th Oct. 1835), daugh. of Charles Roberts, Episcopal min. in Dundee, and had issue—Ann, born 28th March 1793, died 17th Sept. 1800; Walter, surgeon H.E.L.C.S., born 16th Oct. 1794, died at Nagpur, 30th Sept. 1818; Mary Lyell, born 12th Dec. 1795; Jean, born 18th June 1797, died 4th Oct. 1800; John, born 19th Feb. 1799; Jean, born 3rd Feb. 1801. Publication—Account of the Parish (Sinclair's *Stat. Acc.*, xli.).—[*Tombst.*]

DAVID CANNAN, pres. by Archibald, Lord Douglas, Sept. 1802; ord. 24th
1803 March 1803; trans. to Murroes 3rd Aug. 1809.

THOMAS EASTON, born Killearn,
1810 Stirlingshire, 1799, third son of John E., mason; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1798). Joined the Church of Scotland while a student at the Associate (Burgher) Theological Hall; licen. by Presb. of Glasgow 10th June 1807; pres. by Archibald, Lord Douglas, Dec. 1809; ord. 22nd April 1810; D.D. (Glasgow, 20th Oct. 1826); died 5th April 1856. "In him learning and knowledge were entwined with the most unassuming modesty, and moral worth was tempered by a meekness of soul which peculiarly enhanced his character." He marr. (1) 15th May 1810, Jane Brown (died 25th Feb. 1818), eldest daugh. of John Alexander, merchant, Glasgow, and had issue—John, born 8th May 1811, died young; Christina Snodgrass, born 2nd Sept. 1814, died 19th Jan. 1815; Thomas Andrew Alexander, min. of Kemback, born 31st Aug. 1816; Andrew Alexander, D.D., min. of St Mary's, Demerara, born 20th Nov. 1817; (2) 11th Jan. 1819, Margaret Cruick-

shank, who died 23rd Feb. 1870, and his issue—Henrietta, born 17th April 1829; James, Clerk, barrister, of Melrose, born 10th Oct. 1829; Alexander, born 27th April 1831, d. 13th June 1852; George, chaplain to Board of Northern Lighthouses, born 27th Dec. 1831; Elizabeth, born 1833; Anna, George, Bessie, Blanche, Kilbride, Tipperty, &c. Publications—*State of the Church of the Presbytery of Kirkcudbright, 1821*; *The Friends of Education, and their Measures for the Improvement of Dissenters to Parents*, Fettercairn 1828; *A Lecture kept at Heston's printing office, Dundee, for the Benefit of Rec'd. Dundee, 1829*; *Heston's Resources for Education, or the Parson of Kirkcudbright, Glasgow, 1837*; *Heston's the Clergyman's Assistant*, 4 vols. Edinburgh, 1841; *Sermon on the Death of the Rev. Mr. Aitken* [Anderson's Sermons], 1841; *An Account of the Parish of Kirkcudbright, 1841* [Timister, Reiss Kirkcudbright, p. trait., 73-5].

DAVID GRAHAM DRUMMOND RAMSAY [OGILVY RAMSAY] 1853 trans. from South Parish, Kirriemuir, and adm. 14th Aug. 1856; trans. to Closelburn 29th Aug. 1872. [On 3d April 1867, Mr. R. on proceeding to the property of Westhall upon the death of Sheriff Ramsay Ogilvy, adopted the name of Ogilvy.]

JOHN BOYD, born Abernyte, 21st March 1837, son of John B., farmer, and Isabella Thomson, educated at Dundee High School and Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. 1856; licen. by Presb. of Dundee; assistant at Mains and Strachmartine and at Kettins; ord. to Murray's 17th March 1864; trans. and adm. 10th Jan. 1873; D.D. 1881; Andrews 1898; died suddenly while on holiday at Corrie, Arran, 3rd July 1903. During his ministry a Communion table was presented by those he had admitted to first Communion and a baptismal font by those he had baptized. He marr. 7th June 1871, Charlotte Josephine (born 13th Aug. 1848), eldest daughter of Alexander Ramsay,

surgeon, Brightly Ferry, and Eleanor Johnston, and had issue John, min. of Montrose, born 8th June 1872; Alexander Ramsay, Middleburg, South Africa, born 14th Nov. 1872; William, born 16th July 1875, died 24th Oct. 1877; Eleanor Johnston, born 14th June 1877; marr. 17th March 1903, Hugh Macleod, Factor, London, Middlesex, Augt., Hong Kong and Shanghai Bank, born 1st June 1879. [Reads *Kirkcudbright*, 77.]

JOHN EWING WALLACE born 1803, Auckland, New Zealand, 4th Nov. 1803, son of John Wallace, min. at Whangarei, afterwards min. of Glenrock, educated at High School and Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of St. John, New Brunswick, 1829; ord. by Presb. of Kennebunk, the Rev. Jacob Bratt, Columbia, 11th Dec. 1835; trans. to Shubenacadie, Nova Scotia, 1836; trans. to Rockingham, Halifax, Nova Scotia, 1st Nov. 1860, till 28th Oct. 1862; vicar and educated min. of the Church of Scotland by General Assembly, 21st May 1863; assistant at Whitkirk, min. to this parish 1st Dec. 1863, died 26th Feb. 1913. He marr. 14th Oct. 1866, Margaret Anderson, born 2nd Sept. 1841, daughter of William Morris Brown, min. of St. Margaret's Parish, Edinburgh, and had issue John Ewing, born at Shubenacadie, Nova Scotia, 16th Aug. 1869, killed in action in France Aug. 1918; William Morris, born at Halifax, Nova Scotia, 27th Jan. 1862; Andrew Brodie, born 15th Nov. 1866; Alexander Ogilvie, born 15th March 1912. Publication—*Kirkcudbright* [The Presb. of Forfar], Forfar, 1903.

GEORGE JOHNSTONE CHREE, born 1913, King, Aberdeenshire, 11th July 1864, son of George Chree, M.A., schoolmaster, and Helen Johnston, educated at Keig School, Old Aberdeen Grammar School, and Univ. of Aberdeen, M.A. (1885), B.D. (1888); licen. by Presb. of Alford May 1888; assistant at Holbeurn, Aberdeen; ord. by Presb. of Aberdeen 3rd July 1889, and app. by Colonial Committee chaplain at Rawal Pindi and Murree, India; app. chaplain to Indian Ecclesiastical Establish-

ment (Bengal) 17th March 1892; chaplain of St Andrew's Church, Allahabad, Sept. 1892 to Nov. 1893; chaplain at Meerut and Chaharata, 1894-5; app. chaplain of St Andrew's Church, Calcutta, July 1895; app. Presidency senior chaplain (Bengal) in 1896; adm. to this parish 14th May 1913; dem. 18th May 1921. Marr. 11th Aug. 1889, Helen Robertson Hay, dочь of William Forsyth Arthur, Broonhill Park, Aberdeen, and has issue: Helen Hay Arthur Johnstone, born 17th May 1890 (marr. Mitchell Stewart); George William Johnstone, M.C., captain 2nd Batt. Royal Scots, born 9th Sept. 1893, killed in action on the Somme, France, 11th July 1916; May Arthur, born 20th Oct. 1895 (marr. 11th June 1921, Norman Birrell, Calcutta).

WILLIAM ADDISON, born Dunfermline, 31st May 1891, only son of Andrew A., Old Manse, Inverkeithing, and Elizabeth Lessells; educated at George Watson's College, Edinburgh, and Univs. of Glasgow (M.A. 1914) and Edinburgh; joined the 8th Cameron Highlanders as a combatant, and was two and a half years abroad as corporal with the 2nd Battalion; licen. by Presb. of Dunfermline in 1920; assistant at Lady Glenorchy's, Edinburgh; ord. 22nd Sept. 1921. Marr. 1st Aug. 1922, Edith Margaret, M.A. (born 8th Dec. 1892), second daugh. of Alfred John, Longrow, Campbeltown.

SOUTH CHURCH (Q.S.).

[Opened as an extension church in 1835. The parish was disjoined from Kirriemuir 28th Feb. 1870.]

WILLIAM NORVAL, born Glasgow, about 1809; youngest son of James **1837** N., merchant; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1829); licen. by Presb. of Haddington 17th April 1834; elected 27th Oct. 1836; ord. 5th Jan. 1837. He was pres. to Brechin by William IV, shortly after, but was accused of plagiarism, having preached to the congregation of Brechin (by app. of the Presb. prior to translation)

sermons from the published works of Henry Melville, canon of St Paul's, London. This he denied, but on the charge being brought to proof, he withdrew acceptance of the presentation (with permission of the General Assembly), 21st May 1838. To prevent further procedure he dem. 13th Aug. following. He joined the Church of England; licentiate of theology, Durham, 1840; curate of Trimdon, Durham, 1840-3; curate of St Andrews, Glasgow, 1843-4; curate of St James's, Bermondsey, 1845-51; rector of Ickleford, Herts, 1851-5; curate at St Andrew's, Holborn, London, 1865-70; chaplain of Fulham Workhouse, 1863-71; died 11th Sept. 1871.

DANIEL CORMICK, born 1808; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 25th **1839** March 1838; called 13th March, and ord. 18th April 1839. Joined the Free Church in 1843; min. of South Free Church, Kirriemuir, 1843-8; died 24th May 1848. He marr. 1834, Catherine Neish.

JAMES LAW, adm. 24th April 1845; trans. to Inverbrothock 29th Jan. **1845** 1846.

JAMES CRUICKSHANK EASTON, M.A.; ord. 14th May 1846; trans. to Meldrum 23rd Sept. 1852.

CHARLES CHREE, M.A.; ord. 2nd **1853** June 1853; trans. to Lintrathen 20th July 1855.

DAVID OGILVY RAMSAY, ord. 8th **1855** Nov. 1855; trans. to Kirriemuir 14th Aug. 1856.

ALEXANDER DUFF, born 17th **1856** May 1827, son of Duncan D. and Christian Stewart; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; ord. Royal Bounty missionary at Clova 26th Oct. 1855; trans. and adm. 25th Sept. 1856; adm. first min. of the parish 28th Feb. 1870; clerk of Presb. 7th April 1886 to 2nd May 1894; died 26th May 1894. He excelled as a violinist, and had a remarkable knowledge of Scottish harp and violin music. He marr. 28th Aug. 1876, Jane Webster (*s.p.*), daugh. of James Robb and Ann Dear, Kirriemuir.—[Reid's *Kirriemuir* (portrait), 79-80.]

ANDREW WYLIE SMITH, M.A.
1894 B.D., ord. 26th Nov. 1894; trans.
to Bendrick 17th May 1898.

ALEXANDER MACARA, ord. 10th
1898 Nov. 1898; trans. to Denny 23rd
Nov. 1903.

DAVID NELSON, M.A., ord. 26th
1905 April 1905; trans. to Airth 1st
3rd Feb. 1910.

ROBERT LOVE HUNTER, ord. 12th
1910 May 1910; trans. to Townshend
Glasgow, 7th Jan. 1915.

WALTER KILGOUR BLACK, born
1915 New Giffen, Largo, Fife, 26th Feb.
1875; son of Andrew B. and Jane
Kilgour, educated at Univ. of Edinburgh
and New College, Edinburgh; licent. in
Free Church Presbytery Edinburgh 4th July
1907; ord. to Dundee Free Church,
Dundee, 5th Feb. 1908; app. to parish of
Dobting and Oldkirch, and cur. 26th Aug.
1912; trans. and adm. 17th May 1915.
Marr. 15th Feb. 1911, Mary Jane, daughter
of George Crichton, Teacher's Farm, Largo,
and has issue Douglas Andrew Kilgour,
born 26th May 1913.

OATHLAW, or old FINAVEN.

[The vicarage of Finaven was a prebend of Brechin. Its church was dedicated to St Constantine. There were in the parish a chapel of St Leontius, and another chapel at Aitkenhaw near Finavon. There were also three Holy Wells, those of Our Lady, St Medan, and the Nine Maidens. On 17th May 1731 this parish was disjoined from the Presb. of Brechin and added to that of Forfar.]

DAVID LINDSAY of Pitcairne, parson
1590 in 1531, conformed and held this
parish and Inverarity, 1590-76.

WILLIAM LINDSAY, reader in 1576
1578 to 1578.

ALEXANDER KYNNIMONT [or
1585 KINMONT], min. in 1585, with
Inverarity and Kirkbuddo also in
his charge; trans. to Kirriemuir in 1586.

JAMES HEPBURN, M.A., St
1591 Andrews 1585, min. in 1591, died
1 July 1608, aged about 30. He marr.
Elizabeth Graham, and had issue, an only
daughter, Agnes. [See *Arch. Breff. Teste.*]

JAMES ELLIOTT, M.A., min. in 1573;
1597 trans. to Forfar after 17th June 1618.

ANDREW ALLAN, M.A., St Andrews,
1622 28th July 1622, admitt'd to Clova by
the Archdeacon 15th Oct. 1615;
trans. and adm. before 17th March 1622,
dep. by Commission of Assembly at
Brechin 29th Sept. 1639; they "having
heard him preach two several tymes, and
found him altogether conformablement
of the purpose of his text, etc." He was given
the stipend for crop 1639. He died before
17th July 1661. He marr. cont. 28th Nov.
1639, Sybella, daugh. of Andrew Cayhalls,
min. of Montrose, and her sis. Margaret,
Jane. His children had all wed them
by Parliament from vacant stipends 12th
July 1661. [R. 1, 80, 8, 2, 4, 6, 7, 10, 11, 12, 13;
App. 84; R. 1, 10, 1, 11, 12, 13, 14, 242;
Laws of the Kirk Session, 1671; *R. 1, 10, 13,*
etc., 243.]

DAVID OCHTERLONY, M.A., ord.
1650 5th Aug. 1650; trans. to Forfar
after 23rd Sept. 1658.

ANDREW STRATON, probably of the
1659 family of Fodray, M.A., St Andrews
1648, chaplain to Lindsay of Edzell
3rd April 1653, called in Jan., and ord. 4th
Aug. 1653, submitted to Episcopacy, and
held in 1663 or 1666. [R. 1, 10, 1, 12, 13, 14;
Laws of the Kirk Session.]

JOHN GRUB, M.A., King's College,
1693 Aberdeen, 1683, intruded here
about 1693, was declared an im-
mortal by the Pro. b. 6th April that year;
ejected and declared fugitive by the Privy
Council in 1701. He intruded at Kirkden
in 1715, at Carmylie in 1716, dep. 5th
June 1717 for those intrusions, and for his
persistent Jacobitism and contumacy. He
was prosecuted with others before the
Court of Justiciary, 29th July 1717, for
the above offences, but the Solicitor-
General [Robert Dundas] deserted the

dict in respect of the King's Act of Grace granted to such offenders. He opened a meeting-house in Brechin, which was closed by order of the Justiciary Court in 1723. [Black's *Brechin*, 134; Jervise's *Land of the Lindsays*, 169.]

JOHN ANDERSON, M.A. (Edinburgh, 9th July 1688); licen. by Presb. of **1710** Chirnside 20th March 1705; called 6th June, and ord. 30th Aug. 1710. During the Rising of 1715, for his anti-Jacobitism he was dragged out of the pulpit by four women, who appeared before the Kirk-Session, 21st Aug. 1716, acknowledged their offence, and were ordered "to stand, each in a white sheet, on the pulpit-stair, in the very same place where they attacked the minister, and be rebuked in face of the congregation." A. died 28th Jan. 1725. He marr. Agnes Dunbar, who survived him. [Jervise's *Land of the Lindsays*, 167-8.]

JOHN MARTIN, M.A. St Andrews, 23rd July 1697; licen. by Presb. of **1726** Forfar 31st July 1717; called 2nd Sept. 1725; ord. 9th Feb. 1726; died May 1740. He marr. Jean Stewart, who survived him.

THOMAS RAIKER, born Anstruther **1740** Wester 6th June 1711, seventh son of Robert R., Excise officer; licen. by Presb. of Forfar 6th July 1737; called 15th Oct., pres. by Carnegie of Finavon in Nov., and ord. 31st Dec. 1740; died FARMER OF THE SYNON 31st Jan. 1803; "a singular and zealous servant of his divine Master, while he was not inattentive to his own concerns." [He managed to save £5000 though his stipend was only £70.] Though in his 92nd year, he preached on the Sunday fortnight before his death. His tombstone contains this epitaph:

"Reets below this stone the mortal clay
Of Thomas Raiker, tid that awfu' day
When Christ w^t all sent his messengers thro' the skies,
And to the last proclaim, 'Ye sleepers, rise.'
Then may the Saviour to this servant say,
Enjoy a crown thro' an eternal day."

He marr. 4th Feb. 1742, Mary (born 5th Nov. 1715, died (s.p.) 21st July 1798), daugh. of James Profit, merchant, Kirrie-

muir. This couplet is inscribed on her gravestone:—

"Before mankind a better wife I see,
Time, O Death, shall strew a tart at thee."

Publication — Account of the Parish (Sinclair's *Stat. Acc.*, i., xxii.). [Tombst.; Jervise's *Land of the Lindsays*, 167; *Brechin Test.*]

LEWIS [or LUDOVIC] LITTLEJOHN, born Aberdeenshire; educated at **1803** Univ. and King's College, Aberdeen; M.A. (30th March 1786); sometime schoolmaster of this parish; licen. by Presb. of Forfar 18th Sept. 1793; pres. by the Hon. Douglas Gordon Haliburton of Finavon in May, and ord. 8th Sept. 1803; died 8th Nov. 1830. He marr. 24th July 1809, Agnes, died 18th Dec. 1836, daugh. of Andrew Milne, farmer, and Janet Young, and had issue Lewis, born 10th Feb. 1810; Douglas Gordon, born 15th Feb. 1811; Joseph, born 21st May 1812; James Gordon, born 11th Sept. 1813; Ford, born 12th June 1815; Gordon, born 23rd July 1819; Patrick, born 27th Sept. 1821, died in Dorward's House of Refuge, Montrose, 18th March 1897; William, born 19th Aug. 1824, died in Dorward's House of Refuge, Montrose, 26th Feb. 1909.

ANDREW CROMAR, born 1795, son of **1831** Patrick C., farmer, Lumphanan; M.A. (Marischal College, Aberdeen, 1814); licen. by Presb. of Arbroath 7th Feb. 1820; pres. by George, Earl of Aboyne, Dec. 1830; ord. 10th May 1831; died 10th Nov. 1835. He marr. 28th March 1828, Jane, died 7th Sept. 1874, daugh. of George Philip, Arbroath, and had issue Margaret Milne, born 9th Nov. 1828, died 27th Feb. 1901; Jane, born 9th April 1830 (marr. David Ritchie, Rio de Janeiro), died 1st April 1863; George Philip, wine merchant, Arbroath, born 5th Oct. 1831, died 12th Dec. 1862; Barbara, born 20th April 1833 (marr. Alexander Thos. Scott, min. of Bargeddie), died 30th March 1881.

HARRY STUART, born 1801, son of **1838** John S., farmer, Birse; educated at Marischal College and Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A. (3rd April 1820); licen.

by Presb. of Kincardine; O'Neill 11th April 1824; pres. by George, Earl of Aboyne, in June, and ord. 2nd April 1836; died unmarr. 18th March 1880. He was deeply interested in the life of farm-servants and all agricultural labourers, and along with the Prince Consort founded the Association for Improving the Agricultural Labourers Dwellings, of which he was app. Secretary. Publication—*Agricultural Labourers, as they are seen and will be in their Social Condition* (Edinburgh, 1853). [Jervise's *Life of the Lairds*, 168.]

ALEXANDER RITCHIE, born Dunblane, parish of Cilleac, 3rd June 1880—1855, son of Alexander R., farmer, West Muckle Whitefield, Carzill, and Jessie Douglas; educated at Carzill School, Perth Academy, Univs. of St Andrews and Edinburgh; student missionary at Rankinstone, Coylton, Ayrshire, 1878; licen. by Presb. of Perth 13th May 1879; assistant at St John's, Edinburgh; ord. 22nd Sept. 1880, app. clerk of Presb. 26th June 1894; acting chaplain with the South African Field Force, 1892-3. Publication—*Orthodoxy* [The Presb. of Forfar] (Forfar, 1901).

RESCOBIE.

[The church of Rescobie was dedicated to St Triduana, who in early times dwelt here. There was a chapel within the bounds at Ochterlonny. There was also a Well of St Triduana. Donald Bain, brother and successor of Malcolm III, died here in 1097, a prisoner in the Castle of Rescobie. A fair of St Triduana was held at Rescobie.]

THOMAS CORMACK, min. in 1597, 1597 trans. to Fyvie before 1574.

JAMES BALFOUR, min. in 1574 [ib. 1574 Dunichen].

JOHN SPAULDING, min. in 1590, 1590 died Oct. 1630. He marr. Barbara Auchindock, who predeceased him, and had issue—Andrew, min. of this parish; John; William. [Reg. Assess., St Andrews Fests.; Reg. of Deeds, ccclxxv., 430.]

ANDREW SPAULDING, born about 1604, son of preceding, educated 1630 at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. 1626, ord. assistant and successor about 1630, died 26th Oct. 1638. He left 100 marks to the poor of the parish. He marr. Marjory Hunter, who survived him, and had issue—John, served heir 28th Aug. 1640; Eliz. Margaret. [St Andrews Fests.; Reg. Rot. Gen., 2524.]

DAVID LINDSAY, born 1615, son of Henry L. of Blairfiedden and Alison 1640 Seilingour, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. (25th April 1635); ord. before 5th June 1640, died in 1677. He marr. (1) Marjory, daughter of Robert Lindsay of Kinnettless; (2) Batrie, died in 1716, aged 89, after a period of comparative poverty, when she had assistance from the Kirk Session of Newtyle, 5th Sept. 1697, death of—Ogilvy of Carsbank, and had issue—David, min. of Maryton; Henry, min. of Duntichen; Jean emigr. cont. 16th Dec. 1651; William Ogilvie of Whitehouse, perhaps Marjory emigr. Alexander Pedy, min. of Leven; and Robert, min. of Edzell. [Tombst. Jervise's *Life of the Lairds*, 423; Perth Sis., viii., 270; Bemg'nt Letters, 314.]

PATRICK LYON, born 1650, M.A. (St Andrews, 26th July 1670), bsc. 1677 came schoolmaster of Kirriemuir; passed trials before the Presb. of Forfar; was recommended for ordination 27th Oct. and ord. 23rd Dec. 1677; died Aug. 1703. He marr. and had issue—James, served heir 5th Feb. 1704; Philip; Margaret; marr. 29th April 1715, John Auchterlonie, wigmaker, Edinburgh; Elizabeth; Grisell; marr. Robert Stratton; Isabella; marr. Nov. 1753, Alexander Givin of East Braikie. [St Andrews Fests.; Tombst., Index to Sis., 358.]

JOHN DOUGAL, *parva*, born about 1704 1653, called 16th Dec. 1703, adm. 22nd March 1704, died 1st Dec. 1723. He marr. (1) Lydia Denzel, and had issue—John, his successor in the parish; (2) 15th June 1697, Isobel Erskine, who died 18th Aug. 1756.

JOHN DOUGAL (*secundus*), born 27th Nov. 1690, son of preceding; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (28th June 1716); licen. by Presb. of Forfar 13th Jan., called 20th May, and ord. 15th Sept. 1725; dep. 13th Jan. 1748 "for stealing books"; died at sea while going abroad, 28th Sept. 1757. He marr. 6th June 1728, Isobel Walker, died 11th Dec. 1769, and had issue John, born 21st Sept. 1729, died young; Isobel, born 22nd April 1731; David, born 3rd April 1733; Thomas, born 26th Nov. 1731; Alexander, born 24th Nov. 1736; Jean, born 31st Aug. 1738.

ROBERT TRAIL, pres. by Thomas, Earl of Strathmore, 1st Nov. 1748; 1749 ord. 15th July 1749; trans. to Panbride 13th Oct. 1763.

WILLIAM KEAY, born about 1710, son of James K. of Snaigow; licen. by 1764 Presb. of Dunkeld 7th Sept. 1762; pres. by John, Earl of Strathmore, Dec. 1763, ord. 26th April 1764; died unmarr. at Inveresk, 29th Aug. 1776. Publication —*The Duplicity of Sin*, a sermon, with two Poems (Edinburgh, 1767).

THOMAS WRIGHT, born Banffshire, about 1740; educated at Univ. and 1777 King's College, Aberdeen; M.A. (25th April 1759); licen. by Presb. of Caithness 3rd July 1765; assistant to preceding; pres. by the trustees of John, Earl of Strathmore, Dec. 1776; ord. 3rd April 1777; died unmarr. 9th April 1808. Publication Account of the Parish (Sinclair's *Stat. Rec.*, xi.).

WILLIAM ROGERS, born 1782; licen. by Presb. of Forfar 3rd April 1808; 1809 pres. by John, Earl of Strathmore, in Aug., and ord. 10th April 1809; found drowned in Rescobie Loch 10th Sept. 1812. He marr. 1 18th Aug. 1812, Agnes Hamilton (died 30th July 1816, aged 30), daugh. of James Lyon, D.D., min. of Glamis, and had issue William, born 7th June 1813, died 18th July 1815; James, born 3rd May 1814, died 19th May 1815; Agnes, born 17th May 1815; John, born

3rd, and died 4th June 1846; 2 5th May 1818, Ann, died 19th June 1841, aged 56, youngest daugh. of John Oldham, Millthorpe, Nottinghamshire, and had issue John Oldham, born 27th Dec. 1818; William Gourlay, Parliamentary Agent, Westminster, London, born 25th Feb. 1820; Margaret Hannah, born 21st Aug. 1821; James Samuel, born 24th Aug. 1823; Ann, born 23rd Nov. 1824; Mary, born 25th Oct. 1826; George Lyon, born 29th Oct. 1829. Publication Account of the Parish (*New Stat. Acc.*, xi.).

DAVID ESDAILE, M.A.; born 6th Feb. 1811, son of James E., D.D., 1843 min. of East Parish, Perth; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Perth; ord. 10th May 1843; D.D. (St Andrews 1865); died at Rothesay, 10th June 1880. He was founder of the Ministers' Daughters' College, Edinburgh, along with his brother James, M.D., and was one of the initiators of the Aged and Infirm Ministers' Fund. He marr. 11th Jan. 1847, Mary Chatterton, died 6th Sept. 1900, daugh. of John Lawson, Arbroath, and had issue Anne Stevenson, born 20th June 1848 (marr. Thom, Portugal); Mary Mowbray, born 8th Jan. 1850 (marr. Alexander Walker, min. of this parish); Alice, born 25th Nov. 1851, died 29th Dec. 1872; Margaret, born 16th April 1854, died 26th Aug. 1871; James Blair, born 18th March 1857, died at Seville, Spain, 18th Nov. 1899; Agnes Marion, born 5th Sept. 1863 (marr. William Muir of Innistrynich, Argyll). Publications *Contributions to Natural History by a Rural D.D.* (Edinburgh, 1865); *A Short Catechism on Scriptural Geography*; translated Rohr's *Historico Geographical Account of Palestine*.

ALEXANDER WALKER, licen. by Presb. of Madras for service in 1880 India; agent of the Ladies' Association at Madras in 1847; ord. missionary at Madras 11th March 1855; app. assistant chaplain at Madras 30th June, and adm. by Presb. of Edinburgh 28th Sept. 1859, subsequently chaplain and senior chaplain; adm. to this parish 10th Oct. 1880; died

28th June 1866. He marr. (1) 28th Dec. 1848, Robina Easton, died 19th Nov. 1875, aged 52, daughter of Robert Hunter, banker, and had issue: Helen Condie, born 15th Nov. 1849, died 17th July 1863; Alexandrina, born 16th Nov. 1851, marr. Campbell, solicitor, Edinburgh; Hunter Urquhart, physician in England, born 19th Jan. 1857; Robina Easton, born 3rd Jan. 1859, died 12th Dec. 1862; Eliza Frances, born 5th, and died 19th April 1861; Kate Stewart, born 3rd Nov. 1863, marr. John Williams, Wishaw, died 28th Dec. 1862; (2) 28th Jan. 1880, Mary Mowbray, daughter of preceding marr., and had issue: Ernest Alexander, M.D., F.M.S., born 20th Oct. 1880; Dore Mary, M.B., C.M., Edinburgh, resident medical officer, Holloway Prison, London, born 12th Sept. 1882.

ROBERT HALL, born Muirshill,
1869 Newburgh-on-Tay, 25th Oct. 1864, son of James H. and Margaret Anderson; educated at George Heriot's School and Univ. of Edinburgh; student missionary in Canonmire Parish, Edinburgh, 1882-5; licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 17th May 1895; *lector* at Arbroath and Rothesay; assistant at Alloa and Tullibody; ord. 7th Dec. 1896. Publication: *Rescue* (The Presb. of Forfar) (Forfar, 1903).

TANNADICE.

[The church of Tannadice was dedicated to St Adomnan. It belonged to the Abbey of Arbroath. At Shielhill in the parish there was a chapel of St Columba.]

JAMES MELVILLE, trans. from Fern
1567 in 1567, trans. to Menmech after
 29th July 1568.

JAMES RAFT, min. in 1567, Aberlemno
1567 being also in the charge, trans. to
 Larkmark before 1573.

ALEXANDER GORDON, reader in
1571 1573 to 1576.

JAMES RAMSAY of Wester Ogil, min.
1597 of Aberlemno in 1585, removed to
 Aldbar in 1586, but returned in 1591, trans. and adm. in 1597, still min. 10th April 1621. He marr. Christian Dempster,

and had issue: James, Agnes, [Reg. Mar. S.p., 335, 1319; *Debts*, xxix.; Reg. Episc. Lothian, iii., 233; Reg. Soc. Sep., lxviii., 108.]

ALEXANDER PITCAIRN, son
1617 of David P. of Forthair, M.A. (St Andrews, 22nd July 1608), was an "expectant" (th. Sept. 1611); his trials were approved 5th Oct. 1617 when he was adm. (probably collector or assistant). In 1641 he petitioned Parliament for relief, his house having been broken into during the night, "so that he was spilted of money, goods, and plentishing, his life threatened with a dirk, and himself, wife, and children left naked"; still min. 20th Nov. 1648, and had his case recommended to the Privy Council by Parliament 22nd Feb. 1661. He marr. Lucretia Charnieress, and had issue: Alexander, min. of Fife; Isobel, died before 1674; Margaret Jean, died before 1674. He had twelve marr., also Elizabeth, daughter of John Sinclair, Dean of St Andrews. [Heg. of Pitc., v. 366, 430, 674, 518, viii. App. 16; Pitkin's Reg. of the R. I. Ch., 4th Nov. 1674, *Progr. Sis.*, i., 533.]

ROBERT RULE, M.A., min. about
 16th c. trans. to Second Charge,
 Stirling, and adm. by the Protestant
 Presb. 12 July 1655.

WILLIAM ESSON, adm. before 23rd
 Jan. 1658, trans. to Avoch between
 1658 and 1660, between 21st Nov. and 10th Dec. 1660.

JAMES CARSTAIGHS, M.A., ord. 22nd
 Aug. 1667, trans. to Inchture 22nd
 March 1682.

PATRICK LYON, M.A., ord. before
 1st Nov. 1682, trans. to Kinghorn
1682 16th May 1686.

GEORGE LYON, sixth and youngest
1689 son of William L. of Easter Ogil,
 and brother of preceding, educated
 at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. (23rd
 July 1670), passed trials before Presb. of
 Haddington, and was certified for licence
 11th Dec. 1684, ord. about 1688; dem.
 12th April 1716. He marr. and had

issue Margaret, Mary; a son who was hanged for participation in the Rising of 1715. [Case of Greenfield.]

WILLIAM OLIPHANT, licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 1st Oct. 1712; called 27th Sept., app. by the Presb., *jure devoluto* 29th Nov., and ord. 13th Dec. 1713; dep. for drunkenness 17th Oct. 1723, but reponed 22nd Oct. 1724, the sentence being considered "so iniquitous."

JOHN OGHLAIE of Quiech, son of John O. of Shielhill (to whom he was served heir 22nd July 1741); licen. by United Presb. of Brechin and Arbroath 25th Dec. 1705; ord. to Cortachy 18th Sept. 1706; called by the Presb., *jure devoluto* 17th June, trans. and adm. 1st Oct. 1724; died April 1742. He marr. Jan. 1729, Catherine Findlay, and had issue Robert, served heir 12th Jan. 1741; Catherine (marr. John Edgar of Keithock). - [Services of Hires; Jervise's Land of the Lindsays, 336.]

JOHN WEATH, a native of Angus, born about 1704; educated at Univ. and King's College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1st April 1724); app. Master of the Grammar School of Brechin; licen. by Presb. of Brechin 2nd Aug. 1732; called 18th Nov., and app. by the Presb., *jure devoluto* 15th Dec. 1742; ord. 31st March 1743; died 27th April 1766. He marr. 27th Dec. 1743, Jean Dow, widow of John Johnston, min. of Second Charge, Brechin; she died s.p. 10th March 1767. [Acts of Ass., 1743.]

JOHN BUTK, licen. by Presb. of Dundee 3rd May 1758; pres. by the Principal and Professors of the New College, St Andrews, 25th Sept. 1766; ord. 5th Nov. 1767; died 8th April 1796. He marr. 23rd Feb. 1747, Elizabeth Balfour, who died 3rd Feb. 1773, and had issue Catharine, born 21st March 1748 (marr. 5th Jan. 1773, James McTarmid, min. of Weem); James, born 16th Nov. 1750, died young. [St Andrews Tests.]

JOHN BUIST of Tillywhanlaw and Kirkton of Aberlemno, born Abdie about 1762, son of George B.; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by

Presb. of Cupar 7th Feb. 1786; pres. by the Principal and Professors of St Mary's College, St Andrews, in June, and ord. 15th Sept. 1796; died 9th Dec. 1845. He had a rare fund of humour and was very ready at repartee. He marr. 25th Feb. 1802, Margaret (died 4th March 1866, aged 86), daugh. of James Jefferson, and had issue Jean, born 23rd March 1803; George, LL.D., F.R.S., eminent Indian journalist and scientific observer, editor of the *Bombay Times*, born 17th Nov. 1804 [not 22nd Nov. 1805 as in *Diet. Nat. Biog.*]; licen. by Presb. of Forfar in 1836; died in Calcutta, 1st Oct. 1860; Isobel, born 31st July 1806; Elizabeth, born 25th June 1808 (marr. Joseph London, min. of Dalziel); James Jefferson, merchant, Dundee, born 10th July 1810, died 28th March 1844; Margaret Johnson, born 12th June 1812, died 13th Aug. 1846; John, born 22nd Nov. 1815, died 7th June 1824; Alexander Jefferson, born 10th Feb. 1818; Charles Guthrie, born 19th Aug. 1822, died 3rd Dec. 1836. Publications: Account of James Duke (Sinclair on "Health," ii.); Account of the Parish (*New Stat. Acc.*, vi.). [Norrie's *Dundee Celebrities*, 190; Warden's *Anns.*, v., 181; *Diet. Nat. Biog.*]

WILLIAM ALLAN, born Dumfries, 1815, third son of William A., manufacturer of woollen fabrics, and Jean Beattie; educated at Unive. of Glasgow and St Andrews; M.A. (1840); licen. by Presb. of Arbroath; ord. (assistant and successor) 9th Oct. 1845; died 26th April 1870. He marr. 10th Aug. 1809, Mary Ann, daugh. of John Bartlett, farmer, and Mary Smith; she marr. (2) 15th Aug. 1871.

FREDERICK JOHNSTON, M.A., born Balmerino, 1843, son of George J., farmer, and Agnes Johnston; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; ord. 10th Nov. 1870; died 28th Dec. 1882. He marr. 9th Oct. 1872, Jessie (died s.p. in Edinburgh, 22nd Aug. 1916), daugh. of James Borwick, min. of U.P. Church, Rathillet.

JOHN HERKLESS, M.A., ord. 15th June 1883; app. Professor of Ecclesiastical History and Divinity, Univ. of St Andrews, *quæc.*, 27th March, and dem. 15th Nov. 1894.

CHARLES STEWART, M.A., B.D., ord. 15th April 1895; trans. to Cenpar Angus 12th June 1902.

DAVID FRASER LIDDLE, M.A., B.D.; ord. 6th Nov. 1902; trans. to St Margaret's, Arbroath, 26th Dec. 1907.

BRODIE SMITH GILFILLAN, M.A., B.D.; ord. 30th April 1908; trans. to Inch (Presb. of Stranraer), 29th Nov. 1916.

CHARLES EDWIN FORSTER, ord. 12th April 1917; trans. to South Parish, Aberdeen, 27th April 1921.

WILLIAM ROBERTSON SMART, born Liff, Dundee, 28th Dec. 1891, son of Thomas Robertson S., Liff, and Margaret Murray; educated at Liff School, Harris Academy, Dundee, and Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1913); B.D. (1916); licen. by Presb. of Dundee in 1916; assistant at Kirkeadie and Morningside, Edinburgh; ord. 7th Sept. 1921. Marr. 6th April 1922, Alison Maxwell, only daugh. of Thomas Sanderson, Hatton Place, Edinburgh, and has issue—Norman Sanderson, born 27th August 1924.

PRESBYTERY OF DUNDEE

[The Register of the Presbytery of Dundee begins at 20th Aug. 1694. There are gaps in the Record from 6th Feb. 1689 to 30th Sept. 1691, from 17th April 1700 to 27th May 1701, and from 6th May to 15th July 1703. Two volumes, covering the time from 1597 to 1660, have been lost. They were in existence on 1st Nov. 1632. See "Old Presbytery Records" in Rollo's *Dundee Historical Fragments*, 111-5 (Dundee, 1911).]

ABERNYTE.

[The parish of Abernyte was a prebend of Dunkeld.]

WILLIAM HAITLIE, min. in 1567; trans. to Logie (Liff) in 1574; trans. 1587 to Benvie in 1576; returned here between 1580 and 1585 when Lundie also was in his charge till about 1590; still min. in 1591.—[*Reg. of Deeds*, xv., 189.]

MICHAEL GREGG, reader in 1574-1574.

GEORGE HAITLIE, reader at Abernyte; was pres. to the fourth part 1593 of the fruits of Abernyte with both parsonage and vicarage by James VI, 7th Nov. 1577. He was "eruellie invaded by Thomas Boyd in 1588, and in redding of them a man was slaine"; adm. to Kinnaid about 1590; trans. and adm. before 1593; trans. to Rossie before 1599, probably holding both in conjunction as he was still min. here in 1614 and 1623; died 3rd Oct. 1628. He marr. Elizabeth Robertson, and had issue—William; Isobel (marr. Gilbert Robertson, skinner, burgess of Perth); Eupham (marr., cont. 17th June and 6th July 1629, Thomas Cruickshank in Badgavie). [*Perth Sis. Soc. Reg.*, ii. 166, vii. 373; *Reg. of Deeds*, cccxxxviii., 363.]

JAMES HAITLIE, M.A. (Edinburgh, 30th July 1614); adm. before 1620 1620 (probably colleague). [*Mayfarlane Geog. Coll.*, i., 141.]

THOMAS WHITEHEAD, M.A. (St Andrews, 28th July 1610); adm. 1628 before 20th Jan. 1628 (probably colleague); still min. 13th Nov. 1649.—[*Mayfarlane Geog. Coll.*, i., 141.]

JOHN MINIMAN, son of William M., merchant, Dundee, and Margaret, 1651 daugh. of John Fullartoun, sailor, Dundee; M.A. (St Andrews 1643); became chaplain to the Master of Gray; ord. Jan. 1651; deprived by Act of Parliament 10th June, and Decree of Privy Council 1st Oct. 1662, and ordered to remove by the latter 24th Feb. 1663. He was denounced and put to the horn with others, 16th July 1674, for holding conventicles. He died before 16th Oct. 1684. He marr. Margaret Bonar, who on 16th Oct. 1684 was imprisoned by the magistrates of Perth for nonconformity and was not permitted to see her son on his deathbed, which so affected her that she died of grief Jan. 1685. They had issue—John, died 1684; Christian, served heir to her mother 6th May 1693 (marr. (1) Alexander McGill, merchant, Edinburgh; (2) 8th June 1712, John Swinton). [*St Andrews Test.*; *Inq. Ret. Gen.*, 7360, 7924; *P. C. Reg.*, 3rd ser.,

1, 3, 4, 5, 238. *App. to the Pres. of the Royal Soc.* p. 6, 143, 7, 4. *App. to the Royal Pres.* p. 12. *Do. to the Pres. of the Royal Soc.* p. 126.

ANDREW SHILLITIE, born about 1694, son of Andrew Shillitie, of Bonnyton, died at Fife, by Pres. of St. Andrews, 27th July 1697, aged 43. A. V. 1st, 2nd, 3rd Decr. 1693, died 31st Jan. 1693. He married, 1st, about 17th Oct. 1666, Jane, widow of William Lerrick, 2d, with London, and had issue—David, Mary, and Margaret. George, who survived him, had a grant of a pension of £12, on 21st Decr. 1696, and had issue—Elizabeth, baroness of Dundee, Grizel, born 24th Augt. 1729; William, George, son of Elizabeth, and John, born 3rd May 1777. Born, died, &c. in 3rd Augt. 1729. *G. R. House*, 11th April 1699. *Procury Recd.* v. 3, no. 1.

THOMAS MITCHELL, born by United Pres. of Dundee and Perth
1701—13th Oct. 1707, called 17th Feb., and confirmed by the Pres. of the Pres. 1st March, and, 2d, 26th Nov. 1704, deputy Commissioner of Assembly, 13th March 1720, died 10th May 1732. He married, 1st, and had issue—John, Beatrix, Elizabeth, Mary, and Mary, born David, second son of Alexander, 22d June 1724, Elizabeth, widow of William, Mackenham, Edinburgh, who survived him, and had a grant of vacant stipend from the Exchequer 25th July 1733.

GEORGE BLAIR, or L. 31st Oct. 1733, son of one appointed as Master of 1733—Grammar School, Dundee, 10th Nov. 1733, afterwards master of Edzell.

ALEXANDER CORSE, born by Pres. of Kirk, 10th April 1733, died 1739—3rd April, and, 10th May 1739, died 10th Jan. 1734. He married, 8th Nov. 1715, Katherine Tress, who died 10th Feb. 1800, and had issue—Ann, born 18th Oct. 1736; Charles, William, born 26th March 1738; Isobel, born 31st Nov. 1740. George, born 18th Sept. 1751.

JAMES JOBSON, called 27th June, and of L. 16th Oct. 1755, trans. to Eri. 1 1755—7th June 1759.

JAMES ADAMSON, born 8th April 1734, son of Laurence A. school master, teacher of Pres. of Kirk, Pres. of St. Andrews, M.A. 1752, born by Pres. of Kirk, 10th May 1752, pres. by George III, 6th July 1759, and 10th April 1760, died 23rd Augt. 1807. He married, 7th Oct. 1766, Anne, died 12th Mar. 1827, daughter of Thomas Keyman, of Kirkcaldy, and had issue—Laurence, son of Captain, born 7th Augt. 1767; Thomas, born 10th July 1769, died 24th Nov. 1797; Katherine, born 24th March 1771, died 24th April 1807; Mary, born 26th Oct. 1772; Robert, born 3rd Augt. 1774; John, born 3rd May 1777; Beth, died, &c. in 3rd Augt. 1779; Helen, born 12th July 1782, died 4th Jan. 1783. Publication—A part of the Parish Session, 1807, p. xxv.

JAMES WILSON, born Dundee 1776, app. Reader of the Grammar School 1908, there in 1802, pres. by George III, 27th Oct. 1807, and 10th May 1808, died 10th Jan. 1810. A man of much a sort of religious piety, of the theologians who opposed Galileo and his believer in Sir Isaac Newton, the old gentleman sharply denied the doctrine of gravitation, and, being a devout good man, much interested in missions to the heathen, he followed the errors of Dr. Duff, who, he said, was fond avowing to subvert Hindooism by science, falsely so-called, a philosophy as erroneous as the doctrines of Brahmanism. He married, 5th May 1808, Janet Morrison, who died 2nd Feb. 1832, aged 60. Publications—*A few Dissertations on Physics* (Dundee, 1834); *Account of the Parish of St. Peter's, Ayrshire* (Philips' *The Encyclopædia Britannica*, 321, Art. *St. Peter's, the Parish Church, D.D.*, 1775).

JOHN SMEATON, ord. assistant and 1814—son of 5th Jan. 1814, trans. to 1814—Talbarn in 6th March 1848.

ROBERT GRAHAM, ord. assistant and successor—27th July 1848; 1848—trans. to Errol 1st April 1858. He had issue—cf. Vol. IV., 268. Mary Ann Leyton Syme, born 13th Aug. 1854.

ROBERT MACKAY LEITCH, second son of John Leitch, farmer, Ardstraw, Co. Tyrone; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; B.A. 1851, M.A. 1852; licen. by Presb. of Dunoon; assistant at St Mary's, Dundee, pres. by Queen Victoria 2nd July, and ord. 16th Sept. 1858; res. 2nd Oct. 1872, and took orders in Church of England; curate of Silloth, 1872-3; of Crosby-on-Eden, 1873-4; of Ashby-de-la-Zouche, 1874-5; curate in charge of Sahan Toney, 1875-6; vicar of Blackfordby and Smisby, Burton-on-Trent, 1876; chaplain at Carlsbad, 1885-6; Pau, 1886-7; vicar of Glasby, Guildford, 1901; died at Guildford, 1st Oct. 1904. He marr. 19th Aug. 1875, Edith Mary Smith.

ALLAN MENZIES, M.A., B.D.; pres. by Queen Victoria 20th Feb., and 1873 ord. 13th May 1873; res. 11th June 1890, on appointment to Chair of Biblical Criticism, Univ. of St Andrews (*q.v.*).

WILLIAM LISTON MILROY, born 1890 4th Dec. 1862, son of Adam M., D.D., min. of Moneydie; educated at Univs. of Glasgow and St Andrews; M.A. 1882; licen. by Presb. of Perth 13th May 1885; assistant at Larbert; ord. 6th Nov. 1890. Marr. 18th April 1894, Jessie Stobo, third daugh. of William Haining, Tarbolton, and Annie Stobo, and has issue Adam Liston, M.C., Civil Service, Nigeria, born 7th Feb. 1895; Annie Stobo, born 23rd June 1896; William Haining, born 1st April 1901.

AUCHTERHOUSE.

[The church of Auchterhouse was dedicated to St. Mary. This parish was a prebend of Dunkeld. The church is an ancient building about eighty five feet long. Its chancel remains much as it was built, but the nave has been a good deal altered.]

SIR DUNCAN GRAY was vicar in 1565. His notarial Protocol Book is 1565 served in H.M. General Register House.—[*Acts and Dec.*, xlvi, 69.]

ALEXANDER TYRIE, third son of Alexander Tyrie, in Nevay (of the Drumkilbo family); min. in 1567, trans. to Meigle in 1572, readm. before 1582, having Strathmartin, Tealing and Mains also in his charge till 1590; pres. to the parsonage and vicarage by James VI. before 4th July 1594; res. 17th Oct. 1603 on account of age, debility, and want of memory. He marr. 1590, Janet Curron, widow of Thomas Fenton in Balkeerie, and had issue—James, died before 1605; David; Alexander. [Brown's *Prot. Book*, 19; *Moray Writs*, Box xxxvii, 15; *Particular Inhabitants*, 6th Jan. 1608.]

DAVID KINNEAR, son of John K., and 1604 grandson of Henry K., Commandator of Balmerino; adm. about 1604; was a member of Assembly of 1619 and 1616; resigned his property to Lord Balmerino 25th Feb. 1619; died 24th Oct. 1633, aged 52. He marr. Elizabeth, daugh. of John Douglas of Stonypath (she survived him), and had issue—John, served heir to his grandfather 13th Feb. 1665. [*G. R. Inhabitants*, 10th Feb. 1618; *Inq. Ret. Fif.*, 517; *Tombst.*; Campbell's *Balmerino*, 279; *G. R. Sas.*, xliv, 203.]

JOHN ROBERTSON, M.A.; adm. before 2nd Oct. 1633; trans. to Third 1633 Charge, Dundee, 8th Dec. 1641.

WILLIAM WEMYSS, adm. about 1642; died Nov. 1655. He marr. Isobel 1642 Balfour, who survived him. [Breckin *Test.*.]

JAMES AUCHENLECK, elder son of James A., skipper, burgess of Dundee; 1658 educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. 29th July 1669; adm. to Kettins in 1618; was accused of "defending the doctrine of universal grace, which he denied, and was acquitted by the Assembly 7th and 18th Dec. 1638; was a member of Commission of Assembly in 1646; dep. by Assembly's Committee for Visitation Sept. 1649; was called 1st May, and adm. here 30th July 1656. He marr. Grizel Lindsay, and had issue—Henry, min. of Mains; James, surgeon apothecary, Edinburgh; William; Bessie (marr. James Strachan of

Kirkton of Lythendy. Catherine, died before 13th April 1676; M'cadden emigr. John Williamson of Barnhill, sheriff clerk of Perth. Marzett died before 22nd June 1676. [See *St. Andrews Test. Inq. Rec.*, 131; *Gra.*, 7510, 7511; *Perth Test. Reg.*, 3rd Dec., 3rd July 1661; *Perth Sis.*, viii, 307; *Perth Sis.*, 16th Aug. 1705, lxxxviii, 333; *Perth Rec.*, Wright, 319, 320; *An. of an Angus Parish*, 127.]

JAMES CAMPBELL, ord. 29th Sept. 1665, suspended on his own confession of fornication with Marjory Ramsey, Countess of Buchan, 13th Dec. that year. Afterwards min. of Lundie and Foulis, having exchanged charges with John Robertson in 1667. [*Annals of an Angus Parish*, 130.]

JOHN ROBERTSON, son of John Robertson, min. of Dundee, educated at Univ. of St. Andrews, M.A. (28th July 1656), licen. by Presb. of Dundee 29th April 1663; adm. to Lundie and Foulis 11th June 1665, trans. and adm. 1st Sept. 1667; died between 5th Feb. 1692 and 15th Dec. 1700. He marr. 1666 Margaret, daugh. of Robert Hay of Dronlaw, and had issue Robert. [See *Brothow Test.*; *G. R. Sis.*, ix., 33; *Perth Sis.*, xiii., 338; *G. R. Inhba.*, 17th Sept. 1669; *Dundee Sis.*, cclxxix., 120.]

ANDREW ROBERTSON, Presb. min. 1688 in 1688.

PATRICK JOHNSTONE, born about 1702, only son of George, Jr., of Pittendreich, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 29th July 1695, licen. by United Presb. of Dundee, Meigle, and Forfar, 11th June 1696, called by the Presb. *jure deputato* 16th Sept., and ord. 29th Dec. 1702, died 2nd May 1740. He marr. 13th Dec. 1705 Agnes, third daugh. of John Dalbush, min. of Dundee, and had issue George, min. of Monikie. [*Forfar Sis.*, xi., 34; Inglis's *An Angus Parish in the Eighteenth Century*, 23.]

DAVID SCOTT, M.A. St Andrews, 1740 (11th May 1731); licen. by Presb. of Forfar 29th April 1738, called 18th Sept., pres. by John, Earl of Airlie, and

ord. 18th Dec. 1740, died 4th Jan. 1773. He marr. 7th July 1742 Mary (died 30th May 1793), daugh. of Thomas Mitchell, min. of Aberlemno, and had issue Mary, born 10th June 1743, Jean, born 10th Aug. 1744, Thomas, born 9th Aug. 1746, died 5th July 1771, Elizabeth, born and died 16th April 1751, Janet, born 10th Feb. 1753, Helenis, merchant, London, author of *Aventures of a Roger*, etc., born 23rd Aug. 1758; Elizabeth, born 27th Feb. 1761.

JAMES SCOTT, licen. by Presb. of Dundee 27th March 1771, pres. by 1774 Hon. Walter Ogilvy of Clava 30th July, and called 3rd Nov. 1773, ord. 22nd April 1774; died 28th Feb. 1804. He marr. 13th Nov. 1780, Margaret, died at Wooden 28th Dec. 1834, daugh. of James Munro, min. of Kinloss, and had issue George of Wooden, Roxburghshire, Admiral, R.N., born 27th Oct. 1782, died 1867; Robert Hallane of Kinloss and Wooden, born 7th Dec. 1783, died 1836; Mary Agnes, born 27th Feb. 1785, marr. George Addison, D.D., min. of Liff, James, went to Jamaica, born 6th June 1786, died 12th Dec. 1823; William Mercer, born 16th Sept. 1787, died 1829; General Duncan Gordon of Wooden, born 5th Dec. 1788, died 1803; Barbara, born 31st July 1790, died 1870; Margaret, born 27th Nov. 1791 (marr. Lieut. Colonel Munro), died 1820; Katherine, born 31st July 1793, died 1863; Thomas Munro of Benzie, born 1st May 1795, died 1862; Milliken, born 4th Oct. 1796; Adam, born 22nd Jan. 1798, died 25th June 1799; Janet, born 18th Feb. 1801. Publication Account of the Parish Sinclairs *Stat. Agric.*, xiv. [See *An. of an Angus Parish in the Eighteenth Century*, 1513.]

GEORGE ADDISON, M.A., trans. from Glensk, pres. by trustees of 1804 David Ogilvie of Airlie in June, and by the tutor of David Ogilvie of Airlie same month, trans. and adm. 11th Oct. 1804; trans. to Liff and Benzie 4th Sept. 1817.

GEORGE WINEHOUSE, born about 1818 1781, son of Alexander W., gardener, Kemnay; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; M.A. 31st March

1801); became schoolmaster of Kincardine, Ross-shire, 1803, and Newhills 26th March 1806; licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen 2nd Dec. 1807; ord. missionary at Clova 16th Feb. 1811; pres. by Walter, Earl of Airlie, in April, trans. and adm. 2nd July 1818; died in London 28th June 1851. Publication *Account of the Parish (New Stat. Acc., xi.)*.

HUGH ARBUTHNOTT LYELL, born 1844 8th Jan. 1812, son of David L., min. of Careston; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; ord. (assistant and successor) 8th Feb. 1844; died in Edinburgh 7th May 1878. He marr. 1st Dec. 1868, Elizabeth (died 21st July 1895), eldest daugh. of Robert Hardie, Prospect Bank, Leith, and had issue—Elizabeth Catherine Helen Wedderburn, born 16th July 1870; David John Stewart, born 20th Oct. 1871; Clare Jane Isabella, born 24th Sept. 1873; Williamina Scott Arbuthnott, born 15th May 1876.

WILLIAM MASON INGLIS, born 1850, 1878 son of Alexander I., market gardener, and Margaret Sheriff; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (1872); licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 28th Feb. 1877; assistant at Strathmiglo; ord. 24th Oct. 1878; died unmarr. 10th July 1912. Publications—*Annals of an Angus Parish* (Dundee, 1888); *An Angus Parish in the Eighteenth Century* (Dundee, 1904).

JOHN KIRKLAND CAMERON, born 1912 Rothesay, 11th Feb. 1871, son of Duncan C. and Margaret Kirkland; educated at Rothesay School, High School, and Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Glasgow 2nd May 1900; assistant at Kirkliston 1902-3, New Parish, Ardrossan, 1903; ord. (assistant and successor) there 29th Sept. 1904; trans. and adm. 18th Dec. 1912; chaplain to Forces during European War. Marr. 4th April 1905, Lillias Stewart, daugh. of James Steel Robertson and Helen MacGowan Brown, and has issue—Jessie Helen Margaret Kirkland, born 17th Feb. 1906.

BROUGHTY FERRY (Q.S.).

[A chapel-of-ease was opened here 7th May 1826. The parish of Broughty Ferry was disjoined from Dundee and Monifieth on 15th July 1863.]

DAVID DAVIDSON, born 29th Dec. 1827 1801, son of David D., D.D., min. of Second Charge, Dundee; educated at Unive. of Edinburgh and St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Dundee 31st July 1822; elected unanimously 25th Oct., and ord. 13th Dec. 1827. Joined the Free Church in 1843; signed the Protest on his deathbed; died 25th Aug. 1843. He marr. 15th Jan. 1828, Mary (died 7th June 1873), daugh. of Walter Foggo Ireland, D.D., min. of North Leith, and had issue—Mary Brown, born 1828 (marr. Alexander Mackie), died 15th May 1865; David, born 1829, died 8th Feb. 1836; Jane Ayres, born 1830, died 27th Oct. 1842; John Thain, D.D., born 25th April 1833, died 7th Nov. 1904, min. successively of Free Church, Maryton, Montrose, of Presbyterian Church, Salford, Manchester, Islington, London, and Ealing, Moderator of Presbyterian Church of England 1872, author of *Talks with Young Men* and other works; Jessie Maegillivray, born 1837 (marr. Captain Walter Foggo Ireland, Bengal Native Infantry), died 28th Oct. 1872. Publication—*A Sermon on Acts x., 43* (Dundee, 1830). [Dict. Nat. Biog., 2 Suppl., i., 474; *Reminiscences of John Thain Davidson* (1906).]

ANDREW JAMES MINTYRE, ord. 1843 29th Sept. 1843; trans. to Strathmiglo 29th Dec. 1843.

JOHN WOOD, born 1794, son of John W., crofter and tailor, Careston, and 1844 Jane McLeish; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (1823); licen. by Presb. of Haddington 21st June 1825; ord. to Scots Church at Monkwearmouth, Sunderland, 7th July 1825; in addition to his pastoral work he conducted a boarding-school at Hylton Castle and afterwards in Sunderland; LL.D. (Glasgow 1833); elected in March, and adm. here 4th April

1834; died 10th April 1864. He marr'd 27th Sept. 1824 Annabella, died 6th Sept. 1867, aged 56, daughter of Captain Martin Brydon, Bremen, and had issue: Thomas Brydon Hepburn, born 1826, died 1870; James Henry, died in infancy; Jane emigr'd to U.S.A., died 1871; Helen Maria, born 1831, died at Bremen 6th July 1868; Anne Eliza, born 1833, marr'd the Rev. Cosmo Reid Gordon, D.D., Manchester, died 16th May 1870; Martin Brydon, born 1837, died at Sydney, N.S.W., 15th April 1918; John Wood, born 1839, died 12th March 1864; Ann Emily, born 1845, died 26th March 1867. A portrait of Dr W. in his church at Monkwearmouth.]

JAMES LAMONT, trans. from Kilmuir, Glasgow, assistant and successor, 3rd Dec. 1850; trans. to Dalkeith West 8th May 1863.

JAMES WILSON, born 5th Sept. 1835, 1864; eldest son of Robert Rhodarius Wilson, Beith, and Mary Wilson; educated at Hazelhead School, Beith, and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1860); licen. by Presb. of Irvine 30th June 1863; assistant at Kilbarchan; ord. assistant and successor 31st March 1864; res. 17th May 1915, died at Hensolow, Newport, 8th Dec. 1922. He marr'd 26th Aug. 1863, Euphemia, daughter of John Anderson and Margaret Stewart Honeyman, and had issue: Charlotte Margaret, born 19th Nov. 1865; marr'd David F. Stewart; John Robert, born 27th Sept. 1867, died 26th March 1885; Mary, born 28th July 1869; Euphemia, born 2nd June 1871; Jane, born 28th March 1876; James, born 23rd May 1880.

WILLIAM JOHN SYM, born Edinburgh, 14th July 1855, son of James Pitcairn Sym, W.S., and Elizabeth Leitch Watt; educated at George Watson's College and Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. 1887; B.D. 1919; licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh in 1919; assistant at Robertson Memorial, Edinburgh; ord. to Balfron 10th June 1912; trans. and adm. 26th Oct. 1915; served as chaplain to Forces in European War (wounded); trans. to Mayfield, Edin-

burgh, 28th April 1921. Marr. 12th Oct. 1912, Marjorie, 11th daughter of James Bisset, Yokohama, Japan, and Mary Kerr, and has issue: Denis Marjorie, born 17th Nov. 1913; Rosemary Elizabeth, born 31st July 1915.

WILLIAM DEY FYFE, born Merton 1821; son of William Thomson Fyfe and Helen Macbeth Gray; educated at George Watson's College and Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. 1863; Aberdeen (B.D. 1910), and Oxford, licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen May 1866; assistant at St. Cuthberts, Edinburgh, Newtonmore, and Elgin; ord. to Rattray 2nd Sept. 1865; served in R.G.A. for eight months in 1917, and chaplain to the Forces in France 1917-18; trans. and adm. 15th Nov. 1921.

BEACH PARISH (Q.S.).

[Beginn'd as a mission in 1857. A chapel was built and opened 22nd Feb. 1860. The Beach Parish was disjoined from Broughty Ferry on 16th July 1907.]

ALEXANDER MILLER MACLEAN, M.A.; served from 6th June to Dec. 1887; afterwards min. of Paisley Abbey.

ANDREW ARMIT, missionary, 11th Dec. 1887 to 10th Dec. 1892; ord. to Pieton, Nova Scotia, 11th April 1893; afterwards min. of Monikie.

JOHN EASTON BLACK, M.A., B.D., missionary, 14th Feb. 1893 to 13th Dec. 1897; afterwards min. of Drumchapel.]

JOHN MCKECHNIE, opp. missionary 1st Feb. 1898; ord. 28th Dec. 1899; trans. to Buckhaven 23rd Feb. 1905.

JAMES BURGESS, born 1864, son of John B. and Mary Finngland; educated at Waterside School and Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Ayr 7th May 1890; ord. to Andover, New Brunswick, 17th Nov. 1891; adm. here 18th May

1905; died 11th Nov. 1924; adm. first min. of parish in 1907. He marr. 3rd Sept. 1901, Harriet Louise, daugh. of Calvin P. Bartlett and Eliza Cameron Foster.

ST STEPHEN'S (Q.S.)

[A chapel was opened here on 26th Nov. 1871. The parish of St Stephen's was disjoined from Broughty Ferry and Monifieth 19th July 1875.]

ROBERT SCOTT, M.A.; ord. 23rd Dec. 1869; trans. to Craig 5th Feb. 1873.

JAMES COOPER, M.A.; ord. 9th April 1873; adm. first min. of the parish 5th Aug. 1875; trans. to East Parish, Aberdeen, 17th May 1881.

JAMES LEASK, born Gamrie, 13th April 1848, son of George Leask; educated at Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A. (1869); assistant at Dysart and Lady Yester's, Edinburgh; ord. to Lonmay 6th Aug. 1871; trans. to Rosemount, Aberdeen, 13th June 1875; trans. and adm. 24th Nov. 1881; D.D. (Aberdeen 1903); res. 22nd Nov. 1918; died in Aberdeen 20th Dec. 1923. He was a great Greek scholar.

DOUGLAS WILLIAM BRUCE, born 1st June 1885, son of William Stratton Bruce, D.D., min. of Banff; educated at Banff and Fordyce Academies, and Univs. of Aberdeen (M.A. 1907) and Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Fordyce May 1910; assistant at Birnos Ayres in 1910, St Cuthbert's, Edinburgh, 1912; ord. to Cadzow 10th Feb. 1915; trans. and adm. 2nd May 1919; served as a combatant in France, 1916-18. Marr. 26th June 1915, Cecily Mary, M.B., Ch.B., daugh. of James Thomas Kerby, vicar of Goosnargh, Preston, Lancashire, and has issue—Maurice Stratton, born 1st April 1916; Jean Gordon, born 14th Aug. 1917; Alastair Douglas, born 18th May 1919; Denys William, born 12th Feb. 1924. Publication—*A Message from the Trenches* (1917).

DUDHOPE.

[A chapel was opened here in 1841. In 1843 the congregation joined the Free Church and retained the building.]

ALEXANDER MCPHERSON, born Glasgow, 1806, only son of Alexander McPherson, merchant, Glasgow, and Lilias McPherson; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; B.A. (1834); ord. 25th Aug. 1841. Joined the Free Church in 1843; became min. of Free Church, Meigle, 1843; died 17th June 1892. During the rebuilding of Meigle Parish Church after a fire, its congregation met in the Free Church there from 4th April 1869 to 3rd July 1870. In recognition of this, the heritors and members of the Parish Church presented M. with a solid silver tea-service. He marr. Eliza Bartie. [Mackay's *Meigle, Past and Present*, 26.]

DUNDEE.

ST MARY'S.

[The fame of Dundee as a harbour and a place of trade goes back to early times. Its ancient parish church was dedicated to St Clement, the recognised patron of all such as go down to the sea in ships. A royal castle, built to guard the harbour, became, in the reign of William the Lion, the seat of the King's brother, David, Earl of Huntingdon. Earl David, though owning great possessions in England, had his chief residence at Dundee. Like his royal grandfather, David I, he was a notable builder of churches. Towards the end of the twelfth century, he reared, beside his Castle of Dundee, the great Church of St Mary, now the High Kirk of the city. This church the Earl bestowed upon the Abbey of Lindores, which he had himself founded. As early as 1210 Dundee was made a royal burgh. Its commercial eminence brought it much distress during the long English wars. From the troops of Edward I, the town suffered sorely, and St Mary's was laid in ruins. It was long

before the church was destroyed, and soon after that came the massacre ordered by the Lord Protector Somersett, the regent for his nephew, Edward VI. An English garrison was then placed in Brodick Castle, and all Dundee was laid waste. Of it, the church, the tower alone was left standing. That tower, however, had ever been its chief glory. In 1588 the choir and transepts were set up again, and so the church stood until 1631, when an accidental fire swept all away, except again the solid, ancient tower. The restoration of the devastated church was promptly begun, but, while the work was still in progress, on 10th April 1633 a fresh conflagration broke out, the new building. It was only in 1780 that the disorders were repaired. Still another conflagration occurred on 3rd Jan. 1841, and burned down the transepts. A complete and costly restoration was carried out in 1843. It must be owned that the result falls somewhat in proportion. The choir and transepts lack the graceful dignity of the grand old tower. There were of old many altars in St Mary's. Among them were dedications to St Sylvester, the Holy Blood, St Magdalene, St Michael, St Mark, St Andrew, St Paul, St Stephen, St Aubert, St Denys, St Blaise, St Agatha, St Erasmus, St Leonard, St Gregory, St George, St Martin, St Severinus, St Magnus, St Margaret, St Thomas the Martyr, St Tridwal, St Anthony, St Helen, and St Barbara. Dundee was not without monastic foundations. The Nuns of St Clara established a convent here in 1260. The Red Friars of the Holy Trinity made a settlement in 1283. The Black Friars came early, and the Grey Friars founded a priory in 1262. The havoc made in Dundee by the troops of the Lord Protector Somersett was great. Many notable buildings perished altogether. Of the ancient parish church of St Clement we know only that it was found to be beyond restoration. Therefore, when St Mary's was removed in 1588, it was made the parish church of the town. The present church of St Clement belongs to a parish of modern origin. In the course of the seventeenth century the

population of Dundee grew greatly. To afford spiritual and ecclesiastical oversight to the multiplying community was no easy task. The strife and civil wars of the time, with their heavy financial burdens, made it really hopeless. The Town Council of Dundee, like others, sought refuge in the poor expedient of increasing the number of clergy without adding to the parochial organization, or even to the church building. In 1590 a Second Charge was founded for St Mary's. In 1606 a Third was added. On 23rd July 1788 the Court of Session sanctioned the setting up of Fourth and Fifth Charges for the parish. Thus St Mary's had five clergymen, each of whom was deemed minister of the parish. They conducted their services and duties by turns, and the great church was partitioned off into sections in which the various congregations met. One large Kirk Session, like a Parliament in its number, did its best to cope with the business arrangements of the parish. It speaks volumes for their Christian forbearance that they all got along peaceably and did their necessary work. A change was slow of coming, but it came in 1823. A sixth minister was then settled in Dundee, but not as a colleague with the five ministers of St Mary's. The new parish of St David was erected. In 1831 this overgrown parish was further reduced by the breaking up of its collegiate endowments. St Mary's became again an ordinary parish with one minister of its own, and the funds thus set free were used to found the new parishes of St Paul, St John, and St Clement. In old times there were several chapels in this large parish. Of these, the best known was perhaps St Rognes, outside the Cowgate Port of the town. There were also the Chapel of the Holy Rood at Kilarig, St Mary's beside Our Lady's Well, St Nicholas on the Ship Craig, west of the harbour, and in the town another Chapel of the Holy Rood, and those of St Salvator, St John, St Paul, St Michael, and St Anthony. Dundee had Wolls of Our Lady, St Clement, and St Francis. Two fairs were held in honour of St Mary, one in Aug. on Our Lady Day in autumn, and the

other in Sept. on Marymas Day in harvest. There are now mission chapels in the parish at Blackscroft and Drunieith.]

FIRST CHARGE.

PAUL METHVEN, for his preaching publicly in the town, where the first reformed church in Scotland was formed in 1558, was summoned before the Queen Regent and Bishops, 2nd Feb. that year, but the summons was withdrawn. He was summoned a second time in Nov. following, and failing to appear, he was banished. His fellow townsmen, one after another, gave him protection, even the Provost (James Halyburton of Pitcur) declining to apprehend him on the royal command. Summoned, with others, to appear before the Lord Justice at Stirling, 10th May 1559, and not appearing, he was denounced rebel. He was charged with "usurping the authority of the ministry of the Church, and administering the sacraments within the burghs of Dundee, Montrose, and elsewhere, in a manner far different from the divine and laudable use of the faithful Catholic Church." He was further charged "with persuading and seducing the lieges to his erroneous and seditious doctrines and heresies." He removed to Jedburgh in 1560.

WILLIAM CHRISTISON, app. by the 1580 Lords of the Congregation, etc., 19th July 1560, was a member of the first General Assembly 20th Dec. that year, and of sixty succeeding Assemblies he attended no fewer than thirty eight, being Moderator of that of 6th July 1569; pres. to the vicarage by James VI, 17th Nov. 1569; had Ballumbie also in charge in 1571; was at Convention Jan. 1571; app. conjunct visitor by the Assembly, June 1578, of the higher parts of Mar, the Garioch, and Angus and Mearns. In 1579 his visitation was restricted to the latter county. In 1589 he was nominated by the Privy Council one of the Commissioners for defence of the True Religion in Angus, but as he was unable to discharge his duties through age, another was app.

to supply his place, 14th March 1597; died in 1603. He marr. Anna Wynton, who survived him.—[Scott's *Reformers*; Maxwell's *Old Dundee*, 129; Melville's *Autobi.*, 38, 55, 302.]

ROBERT HOWE, Principal of Marischal College, Aberdeen, and 1598 min. of Third Charge, Aberdeen; elected by the General Assembly 14th March 1597; adm. before 26th Sept. 1598; was a member of Assembly 1600, 1601, 1602, and 1603; declared by the Privy Council "nowyse to be capable of any office, function or charge within the said town," 23rd July 1605, for aiding and abetting a faction in opposing the election of magistrates. He afterwards had a charge in the Presb. of Strathbogie, and was Principal of St Mary's College, St Andrews (*q.v.*).

DAVID LINDSAY, M.A.; adm. before 1606; consecrated Bishop of Brechin (*q.v.*) 23rd Nov. 1619, holding this parsonage till 1634.

PATRICK PANTER, M.A.; probably 1626 assistant or substitute to preceding; promoted to Professorship of Divinity in St Mary's College, St Andrews, 1627 (*q.v.*).

ANDREW COLLACE, M.A.; trans. 1635 from Ecclesgreig before 24th July 1635; dep. in 1639; was officiating at Wapping London, in 1650; was allowed £2000 by Parliament from vacant stipends 30th May 1661, and adm. to Duns in 1663.

ANDREW AUCHENLECK, son of 1642 John A., min. of Largo; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1615); ord. to Largo in 1620; was a member of Assembly in 1638 and 1639; was nominated in 1641 to visit Arran and adjacent islands with Robert Blair next spring; trans. and adm. (after a plea between the Constable of Dundee and the Town regarding the patronage) in 1642; was app. by the Assembly, with two others, to visit Orkney and Shetland that year, and was a member of Commissions of Assemblies 1643, 1645, 1647, and 1648. He favoured the restoration of King Charles II. without any condition, and at the siege of the town,

1st Sept. 1671, who went prisoner to London and detained there till the year of 1653. He died April 1693, aged 82 yrs. He married 14th April 1640, Janet Linton, of the parish of Kirkcudlaidh, and had issue, John, natural son of Newburn, Master of Dunbar; Archibald, William Davison, Katherine, married Thomas Ainslie, on 2d Oct. 1634, Margaret Wemyss, sister of James Wemyss of Edinburg, and widow of Archibald Bruce of Balquidair, 3rd baron 1672, Master of Balquidair, died 1674, and heir of Sir Patrick Murray of Tully, and had issue, Thomas, natural son of Charles Murray, and Elizabeth, married John Fletcher, merchant, Edinburgh, 14th Dec. 1674, Margaret Bowes, widow of James of Wichtoun, mercat, Dundee, she survived him, and married 2d John Fletcher, minister of Northmavine, and had issue, Isobel [P. of Tully], wife 2nd, *Reg. of Deaths*, ccclxxvii, 335, *Deaths*, Duke, exch. 132, *Deaths*, ccxvi, 93, *Deaths*, May 1675, *Deaths*, June 1675, *Lamont's Diary*, 1693, 163, 168.]

HENRY SCRYMGEOUR of Bowhill,
1694 son of David Scrymgour of Bowhill, educated
at King's College, Aberdeen, M.A. 1651, adm. and inst. 22d Aug. 1663, died Nov. 1690, parson of Ardwick, by Committee of Assembly for the North 11th July 1684. He married 2nd 1676, Janet, probably daughter of Col. Sir James Alexander. She gave 1000 merks to help of poor honest widows etc. in the town, 1st July 1689, [6, *R. I. Ch.*, 3rd Aug. 1675, *Scribbling Club*, Moseley, 1689].

SAMUEL JOHNSTONE, born 1676, M.A. Edinburgh 1677, adm. 1690. Studied in 1690, called 1st Feb., trans. and adm. 6th Sept. 1690, died 2nd Feb. 1731. He married Isobel Hall, and had issue, Samuel, bapt. March 1690, Elizabethe, bapt. 2nd Dec. 1700, Nathaniel, bapt. 27th Dec. 1702, John, bapt. 4th May 1709, Gabriel, Professor of Hebrew in New College, St Andrews.

THOMAS DAVIDSON, born 1676,
1732 son of Thomas D., merchant
burgess of Glasgow, and Mary Campbell, daughter of George Campbell of

Kilmachrie, sheriff of part of Argyll; educated at Univ. of Glasgow, licen. by Scots Free Church, 12th Dec. 1700; received by presbytery of Edinburgh 29th Nov. 1692, licensed to labour in the Cross Church, Edinburgh, by the Town Council there 11th Sept. 1700, and received chaplain by Queen Anne, and ord. to Starkey's Chapel 29th Oct. 1703, trans. to Whitmark 10th Aug. 1713, and 21st Nov. 1731, vicar, and curate 1731, March 1732, died 2nd Nov. 1766. He left 1700 to the presby. He married 1st 12th Aug. 1710, Janet, daughter of Starkey, 10th March 1773, aged 63, death of William Robert Kilwinning, and had issue, William, of Muirhouse, natural son of Robertson, born 1713, died 2d Sept. 1764. Thomas, H., the brother of Kirkcudlaidh, died 1733, Mary, unmarried, 14th March 1733, Thomas, Father of Chequham, writer, Edinburgh, 1722. Thomas, Kendall, name of Starkey, and was an actress of Kendal. Thomas Davidson, Archbishop of Canterbury, [Burke's *Peerage*, Philips' *Dictionary of Kings & Queens*].

ROBERT SMALL, born 12th Dec. 1732, 1791 son of James Small, of Cramylie, educated at Grammer School, Dundee, and Univ. of St Andrews, elected by the Town Council preacher in the Cross Church, and catechist, which appointment was approved by the Presb. and he was licens'd 2nd May 1759, called to this charge 4th Feb., and ord. 26th May 1761, D.D. St Andrews, 2d Oct. 1778, app. Chaplain to 83rd Foot or Royal Highlanders in 1778, elected Moderator of the General Assembly 19th May 1791, died 23rd Aug. 1805. He appeared before the General Assembly in 1800 in answer to a charge of having put questions to elders at their ordination different from those in the formulries, and not requiring their subscription to the Confession of Faith. He was admonished and cautioned to be more careful in future. He was an excellent classical scholar and a highly interesting preacher, deeply versed in mathematics, natural philosophy and astronomy, and a patron

of literature. In conjunction with Robert Stewart, surgeon, he founded in 1782 a medical dispensary for the poor. This at a later period gave rise to Dundee Royal Infirmary. He marr. 24th April 1764, Jean (died 7th May 1772), daugh. of Patrick Yeaman of Blacklaw, merchant and Provost of Dundee, and had issue—Isobel, born 23rd Feb. 1765, died 17th Feb. 1767; Lillies, born 26th Aug. 1766, died 16th July 1797; James, manufacturer in Dundee, whose failure in business ruined his father, born 28th Feb. 1768; Catherine, born 1st May 1769; Agnes, born 9th April 1772 (marr. Robert Thornton, merchant, Dundee). Publications: *Two Sermons* (Edinburgh, 1792); *The Importance of the Poor Illustrated*, a sermon (Dundee, 1794); *Account of the Astronomical Discoveries of Kepler* (London, 1801); "Demonstrations of some of Dr Matthew Stewart's General Theorems" (*Trans. Roy. Soc. Edin.* ii.); Account of the Town and Parish of Dundee (Sinclair's *Stat. Acc.*, viii.) [published separately (Dundee, 1792), and with notes and additions (1793)]. [Norrie's *Dundee Celebrities*, 21.]

ARCHIBALD McLACHLAN, born 1808 762, probably son of Duncan MacLachlan, merchant, Greenock; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Dunbarton 6th Dec. 1791; ord. to Greenock (East) Chapel of Ease 13th June 1794; trans. to St Clement's, Dundee, 16th Oct. 1805; trans. to Third Charge 22nd April 1806; D.D. (Marischal College, Aberdeen, 1808); pres. by Town Council; trans. and adm. 5th Oct. 1808; died 29th March 1848. He marr. 23rd Dec. 1806, Isabella (died 1st Nov. 1852), daugh. of John Gellatly, min. of Tealing, and had issue—Mary, born 7th Nov. 1807; Duncan, born 1st Aug. 1810; Ann, born 28th May 1812 (marr. 22nd Dec. 1840, William Thoms, banker, Dundee); Isobel, born 15th March 1814; Catherine, born 17th Feb. 1816, died 26th June 1817; Clementina (twin), born 14th Feb. 1816; Johanna, born 17th Feb. 1818; Jamina, born 4th, died 23rd April 1821; Archibald, born 19th March 1824, died 28th Nov. 1839; John Gellatly,

born 13th May 1827. [Norrie's *Dundee Celebrities*, 113.]

CHARLES ADIE, born Dundee, 18th 1848 Dec. 1785, son of Robert A. and Margaret Smith; educated at Dundee Grammar School and Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Dundee 5th Dec. 1810; ord. to Tealing 17th March 1814; trans. to South Parish, Dundee, 12th Oct. 1823; D.D. St Andrews, 9th Feb. 1833; trans. and adm. 12th July 1848; died 25th June 1861. He was offered but declined the Moderatorship of Assembly. He marr. 5th Sept. 1814, Janet (died 14th Nov. 1857), daugh. of Andrew Crichton, writer, Dundee, and had issue—Charles Smith, min. of Tibbermore, born 28th Oct. 1815; Margaret, born 20th June 1817, died 13th Nov. 1869; Robert, engineer, India, born 11th June 1819, died 26th April 1869; William Scott, born 27th Dec. 1820, died at Maniekungi, Bengal, 19th Nov. 1855; Andrew, jute merchant, Dundee, born 19th Nov. 1822, died 21st July 1897; James, jute merchant, Dundee, born 9th Nov. 1824, died 13th Dec. 1895; Janet, born 15th July 1826, died 7th Feb. 1827; George, jute merchant, Calcutta, born 1st Feb. 1828, died in France 1864. Publications: *The Righteousness of a Nation, its Glory*, a discourse (Dundee, 1835); *A Series of Questions to explain and illustrate the Nature and Uses of the Lord's Supper* (Dundee, 1836); *A Sermon occasioned by the Burning of three of the Churches in Dundee* (Dundee, 1841); *Sermon VII. Church of Scotland Pulpit*, i.; Civil History in the Account of the Town and Parish (New *Stat. Acc.*, xi.). [Norrie's *Dundee Celebrities*, 198.]

ARCHIBALD WATSON, born 9th July 1822, eldest son of John W., shoemaker, Lochwinnoch, and Annette Clullich; educated at Lochwinnoch and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1845); licen. by Presb. of Irvine in 1845; assistant at Borth; ord. to St Matthew's, Glasgow, 29th Feb. 1846; trans. and adm. 20th Feb. 1862; D.D. Glasgow 1862; app. chaplain to Queen Victoria 2nd May 1868; elected Moderator of the General Assembly 20th

May 1880, died 26th July 1881. In 1861 he accompanied Norman Macleod, D.D., to India with a Commission to visit all the mission stations, and furnish a Report of what they saw and heard. This Report, drawn up by Dr Weston, was presented to the General Assembly of 1868. "Nowhere is there more vivid description of mission work as it then existed, and never, except in Dr. Denie's address to the General Assembly, had there been any speech in that Court dealing so fully and so closely with the problems of missionary work as the address of Dr. Macleod." He marr'd Nov. 1847, Roma, died 21st Dec. 1913; death of Robert Urquhart, min. of Kilmarnock, had had issue: Elizabeth, born 23rd Feb. 1850, died 1893; John Matthew, stockbroker, Dundee, born 29th April 1850, died 1915; Anne, born 6th Aug. 1852, died 20th April 1853; Jessie Urquhart, born 20th Feb. 1853; son, William Ross, min. of St Mary's, Partick; Mary, born 13 Feb. 1856, died 16th March 1857; Archibald, t.c. plater, born 23rd Dec. 1857; Roland, born 23rd June 1859; Robert Matthew, min. of Clova, born 6th Feb. 1862; Frederick, born 13th April 1864, died 1919. Publications: *Report to the General Assembly of 1868 on Indian Missions*; Address at close of the General Assembly of 1880; *Christ's Anti-city, and other Sermons*, with memoir by John Card, D.D., Edinburgh, 1883; (*Weir's History of the Foreign Missions of the Church of Scotland*, portrait, 69).

COLIN CAMPBELL, born Campbelltown, 26th July 1848, youngest son of Archdeacon Col and Anne Macleod, educated at Campbeltown School and Univ. of Glasgow, M.A. 1874, B.D. 1877, assistant at Morningside, Edinburgh, ord. to St. Mary's, Partick, 14th May 1878; Black Theological Fellowship, Univ. of Glasgow, 1879; trans. and adm. 2nd March 1882; D.D., Glasgow, 1892. Germanic Lecturer, Univ. of Edinburgh (Egyptology), 1916-19. He marr'd 1-11th June 1879, Penelope Anne, died March 1906, daugh. of Captain John Alexander Mackay of Bleasdale, 20-9th Oct. 1911, Jessie,

daugh. of Malcolm Campbell Taylor, D.D., LL.D., Professor of Ecclesiastical History in Univ. of Edinburgh. Publications: *The First Three Gospels in Greek in parallel columns* (Glasgow, 1882, 3rd edition 1885); *Lectures in St. Giles Series* (including *A Life of Melville* and *Prestwich's Geological*) (Edinburgh, 1883, 1884); *Catechist's Stories in St. Luke's Gospel* (Edinburgh, 1891); *What we may do for the Poor* (London, 1900); *Sonata for Piano at Three* (London, 1903); *The Pictish Queens and their Tombs* (London, 1906); translation of H. Naville's *Le Rôle des Juives à l'époque romaine* (1890); *Scriptor of Pictavia* (c. 600 A.D.) in *Hibernian Pictures, Scotland* (Edinburgh, 1910); *The Tudor Procession and the Time of Monks* (Edinburgh, 1910); *The Musical Books of King Alfred* (Step III, and other Egyptian Studies) (Edinburgh, 1912).

WILLIAM LYALL WILSON, M.A.; trans. from Leinster, assistant and successor to 2nd Mrs. Leed, trans. to St. Cuthbert's, Edinburgh, 12th May 1911.

ADAM WIGHTMAN FERGUSSON, 1911, born Langholm, 23rd Nov. 1863, educated at Langholm School, Church of Scotland Training College, and Univ. of Edinburgh, M.A. 1890, B.D. 1893; licen. by Presb. of Langholm 16th May 1893; assistant at Earlston, ord. to Crichton 16th April 1896; trans. to Maxwell Parish, Glasgow, 5th Sept. 1901; chaplain to Moderator of Assembly in 1897, 1901, 1903, 1906; took charge of the Scots Kirk, Melbourne, Nov. 1910 to Feb. 1911; trans. and adm. assistant and successor 29th Dec. 1911, D.D., St Andrews, 6th July 1923. Marri. 2nd June 1878, Janet, daugh. of James Mair, min. at Martinstown, Canada; brother of William Mair, D.D., min. of Earlston, and has issue: James Wightman, born 11th March 1899; Margaret Boyeridge, born 28th March 1902; Beatrice Mair, born 18th April 1905. Publications: *Notes on the Duties, Ceremonial and Hospitality of the Moderator of the General Assembly* (privately printed,

1901 and 1907); *Towards the Cross. Notes of Four Services in Scots Church, Melbourne* (privately printed, 1911); *Sons of the Manse* (Dundee, 1923).

SOUTH CHURCH, OR SECOND CHARGE.

[The Church building called the South Kirk was destroyed by fire in 1645. In 1836 it was rebuilt and called the Greyfriars Church. It was again burned on 3rd Jan. 1841.]

JAMES ROBERTSON, born 1555; educated at Univ. of St Andrews, 1588 where he became third master in the New College; adm. about 1588; pres. to the vicarage by James VI, 21st May 1596; dem. in 1608; was a member of Assembly in 1594, 1598, and 1601; signed the Protestantation for the Liberties of the Kirk 27th June 1617; probably died in 1623. He marr. Margaret Scrymgeour, and had issue Alexander, Margaret. [Maxwell's *Old Dundee*, 287; Melville's *Autobi.*, 218, 549.]

JOHN DUNCANSON, educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (27th July 1611); elected by the Town Council of Dundee 29th Feb. 1624, and previously by the Lord Commissioners of the Kirk, on the leet for a charge in Edinburgh 13th Jan., elected to South Quarter there 16th Aug. 1626, but refused to accept; died after 1st Sept. 1651, leaving to the Kirk Session £360, 3s. 8d. for the poor. —[Nicoll's *Diary*.]

GEORGE MARTIN, M.A., second son of George M., D.D., Principal of St Salvator's College, St Andrews, and Catherine, daugh. of Patrick Schevez of Kemback; became a regent in the Old College of St Andrews for seven years; adm. before 29th July 1658; died of fever 21st April 1660, aged about 45. He marr. 13th Oct. 1643, Barbara, daugh. of Alexander Gledstanes, D.D., Archdeacon of St Andrews (she survived him and marr. (2) William Ogilvie, min. of Newburn), and had issue George; James; William;

Alexander; Katherine; Helen (marr. William Dalnay of Ravelrig); Barbara (marr. (1) Charles Carnegie, Dean of Brechin; (2) cont., 1st Nov. 1701, Robert Scott, min. of Hamilton); Jane, born 1642, died of smallpox 1660. An Act of Parliament was passed 25th June 1661 in favour of his widow and children that they might obtain the £100 due by the college for his services therein. [Brechin *Test.*; Lamont's *Distro.*, 121; *Acts of Parl.*, vii., 282; *Inq. Ret. Fife*, 1053, *et seq.*, 8060; Carnegie's *of Southesk*, 247; *G. R. Sas.*, xxii., 431; *Monfarlane General Coll.*, iii., 173, 194.]

ALEXANDER MYLNE of Pilmore, son of Alexander M., bailie in Dundee, and Elizabeth Fleshour; educated at Univ. of St Andrews 2nd May 1639; adm. to Longforgan after 29th July 1649; app. by Commission of Assembly to "attend the Lord Brechin's regiment for performing ministeriall duties to them," Nov. 1650 and March 1651; trans. and adm. 19th Sept. 1661; died between 26th June and 5th Sept. 1665, aged about 47. He bequeathed £133, 6s. 8d. to the Kirk Session for the poor. He marr. Agnes Fletcher, and had issue Alexander, served heir 10th Nov. 1666; James; Thomas, ancestor of the Mylnes of Mylnefield; George; John, bapt. 3rd Feb. 1663; Jean (marr. Robert Kinloch, merchant, Dundee); Margaret (marr. John Duncan, merchant, Dundee); Janet. Mrs M. gifted and dedicated, 21th July 1659, tablecloths and towels to the service of the kirk of Longforgan "in all tyme hereafter." —[*Brechin Test.*; *Inq. Ret. Gen.*, 5030; *Acts of Parl.*, vii., 483; Burke's *Land of Gentry*, 11th edition, 1062; *Glasgow Com. Records*, iii., 134, 345.]

JOHN GUTHRIE, born 13th Aug. 1631, 1667 son of James G., min. of Arbirlot; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (20th July 1650); adm. to Arbirlot 11th Oct. 1655; trans. and adm. 11th March 1667; died after 4th April 1685. He marr. 3rd Feb. 1663, Isabel (died 23rd Dec. 1683), daugh. of James Lamb of South Tarrie, and had issue John of Westhall, merchant, Stockholm, born 5th April 1664;

Isobel, born 27th Sept. 1665; Margaret, born 4th Oct. 1666; marr. Gilbert Guthrie; James, merchant, Stockholm, born 29th April 1669, died 1711; Nicolas, born 18th June 1672, died 24th June 1674; Robert, born 22nd April 1674; Ann, born 7th Sept. 1677; Alexander, born 6th Jan. 1679. His wife left £100 for the help and use of poor honest widows. [Buchen Test., Frobster, Log. Rec., 6838.]

ROBERT NORIE, educated at St. Leonard's College, St. Andrews, 1686; M.A. 27th July 1697; passed trials before the Presb. of St. Andrews and had a testimonial 26th May 1678 for ordination; claim to Dunfermline 18th Sept. that year; trans. and adm. 4th June 1680; deprived by Privy Council 29th Aug. 1680, for not reading the Proclamation of the Estates, etc., and dep. 29th Dec. 1710 for disloyalty. He was prosecuted with others before the Lords of Justiciary, 29th July 1717, for intruding into parish churches, beast-making and praying for the Cavalier, but the diet was deserted in terms of the King's Act of Grace. He was consecrated a Bishop of the Nonjurant Church at Edinburgh in 1724, and had the district of Brechin assigned to him; died Jan. 1727, aged about 80. He marr'd, cont. 30th April 1708; Isabel, eldest daugh. and coheiress of John Guthrie of Westhall. [Pap. Soc., xii. 300.]

GEORGE ANDERSON, M.A., adm. before 2nd Nov. 1690; trans. to 1690 Legie, Cupar 26th Dec. 1690.

JOHN SPALDING, M.A. (St. Andrews 1651), adm. to Dreghorn 16th Nov. 1656, deprived 11th June 1662, but had an indulgence there 3rd March 1670; adm. to Kirkcudbright in 1680; clerk to General Meeting of Presbyterian minis.; trans. and adm. 6th Aug. 1691; was a member of Assembly in 1692, died before 26th March 1699, aged about 68. He marr'd, cont. dated 3rd Nov. 1658; Jean, died 1680, daugh. of Robert Hunter of Hunterston and Elizabeth, daugh. of Patrick Crawford of Auchencraven, and had

isirs. — Marjory, marr. George Wemyss, man of Fife; Mary, Catherine. Publications. *The Sermons preached before His Majesty's High Commission and the Privy Council* Edinburgh, 1696 (part); *Sermons 1681-1703* Edinburgh, 1703; Glasgow, 1759; *The Prophecy of the Holy Prophets of St. Malachy's Sodality* Edinburgh, 1720.

JOHN DALGLEISH, born about 1644, 1700, son of William Dalglish, man of Cramond; educated at St. Salvator's and St. Mary's Colleges, St. Andrews; M.A. 1662; born 9th Sept. 1697; became chaplain to William, Earl of Roxburgh, ord. to Roxburgh 26th March 1673, went to Queen's Ferry in 1678 but returned to Roxburgh 17th Nov. 1679; called 7th Feb., trans. and adm. 27th Aug. 1700; preached a Thanksgiving Sermon at the Synod 26th Oct. 1714, on the Coronation of George I., from Psalm xvi. 1; died after 1st Nov. 1715. He marr'd Agnes, daugh. of Gilson Welsh, pe. of Pendleton, who survived him, and had issue. Isidore marr. Robert McGill, min. of Kintyre; Agnes marr. cont. 30th Oct. 1705, Patrick Johnston, min. of Aiktherhouse, Lanark. Publication. *Sermons Preaching Selfe Reserv'd for the Solemn Deaf* Edinburgh, 1714; [tr. R. T. Colly] 13th Aug. 1677; *L. f. 8. 18. xi. 84.*

JOHN WILLISON, born 1650, son of James W. of Cragforth, near Stirling, and Bethie Glenay, educated at Univ. of Glasgow where he is said to have graduated, but his name does not appear on any list; licens'd by Presb. of Stirling 12th Nov. 1701; ord. to First Charge, Brechin, 3rd Dec. 1703, in face of considerable opposition from the Jacobite or Episcopalian elements. In 1705 he reported to the Presb. that with the connivance of the magistrates, John Skinner, the deprived min., had "repossessed himself of the afternoon dieties and that any attempt to prevent Skinner would be followed by riots by his supporters and the actual 'ribbling' of the Presbyterian min. Energetic measures were taken by the Presb. and the matter is again and again referred to in the Register, till in 1708 the intruding min. was libeled and

dep., a sentence which had to be enforced by warrant of the Court of Justiciary. On 20th June 1716 W. was called to this charge, and adm. 6th Sept. afterwards. He died 3rd May 1750. He took a prominent part in the life and work of the Church. He opposed the tenets of Glas of Tealing; sympathised with the Seceders, though not to the extent of joining with them, did everything in his power to prevent a schism, counselling conciliatory measures, and was overwhelmed with grief when all his efforts failed. A strong opponent of patronage, he was sent, in 1734, with two others, to London to petition Parliament for a repeal of the Act of Queen Anne which had restored patronage, and though unsuccessful, he received the thanks of the Assembly. In 1742 he visited Cambuslang to witness for himself the results of the Whitefield revival, and a sermon which he preached at Kilsyth on his return journey was followed by a similar movement there. During the "Forty Five," soldiers from Prince Charlie's army twice entered his church and threatened to shoot him if he prayed for King George, and for a time the church was closed and services were held in private houses. He was an eminently pious and devoted man, rigidly evangelical, and while a keen controversialist, it was said "there was no asperity in what he said or wrote." He was specially noted for his diligence in catechising, and for his care of the sick. His *Afflicted Man's Companion* was one of the most widely read books of its time, and has been frequently reprinted. He left £66, 13s. 4d. to the poor. He marr. 4th Dec. 1704, Margaret (died March 1758), eldest daugh. of William Arrott, min. of Montrose, and had issue Andrew, physician, Dundee; David, printer and publisher, Edinburgh, born 1715, died 1748, father of George W., an eminent portrait painter; Margaret, bapt. 22nd Nov. 1716; Samuel; Bethia, born 1720 (marr. William Bell, min. of Arbroath). Publications: *Queries to the Scots Innovators in Divine Service, and particularly to the Liturgical Party in the Shire of Angus, by a Lover of the Church of Scotland* (Edinburgh, 1712); *A Letter from a Parochial*

Bishop to a Prelatical Gentleman concerning the Government of the Church (Edinburgh, 1714); *A Treatise concerning the Sanctifying of the Lord's Day* (Edinburgh, 1716); *A Sacramental Directory* (Edinburgh, 1716); *An Apology for the Church of Scotland against the Accusations of Prelatists and Jacobites, and particularly the Reflections of J. S., late Incubant at Forfar* (Edinburgh, 1719); *Letter to an English Member of Parliament [on the Bondage in which the Scottish People were kept from the Remains of the Feudal System]* (Edinburgh, 1721); *Sermons before and after the Lord's Supper* (Edinburgh, 1722); *A Defence of National Churches . . . against the Cavils of Independents [against the Glassites]* (Edinburgh, 1729); *The Mother's Catechism, an example of plain catechising on the Shorter Catechism* (Edinburgh, 1731); *The Church's Danger* [in which he recommended conciliation with the Seceders] (Edinburgh, 1733); [see *Letter by John Glas* (Edinburgh, 1734)]; *The Young Communicant's Catechism* (Edinburgh, 1734); *The Afflicted Man's Companion* (Edinburgh 1737, and numerous editions); *The Balm of Gilead* (Edinburgh, 1742); *Epistle to the Reader* [Edward's Marks of a Work of the Spirit] (1742); *A Letter on the Duty and Advantage of Religious Societies* (Edinburgh, 1743); *A Letter to Mr. Fisher . . . concerning his Unfair Dealing in his Review of Mr. Robt's Preface* (Edinburgh, 1743); *A Fair and Impartial Testimony against the Defects of the National Church* (Edinburgh, 1744); *Papery, another Gospel* [dedicated to the Duke of Cumberland] (Edinburgh, 1745); *Preface* [Gray's Sermons] (1746); *Sacramental Meditations and Adievers* (Edinburgh, 1747); *Gospel Hymns* (Edinburgh, 1767; 1791); *On the Lucifer of Christ's Kingdom*, two sermons [containing an allusion to the demoralised state of France]; they were published under the title *A Prophecy of the French Revolution and the Downfall of Anti-Christ* (London, 1793); *Collected Works* (Aberdeen, 1817); *Practical Works, with an Essay on his Life and Times* [by W. M. Hetherington, LL.D.] (Glasgow, 1844). [Black's *British*, 115.]

Brethren Test., etc., by W. M. Hetherington, LL.D., prefixed to Books 1843, *Some Details of the Life of Mr. J. Blackadder his Wife and Children* (Glasgow, 1754). *Doct. Nit. Biog.*; Wedgwood's *Correspond.*, 247, 255, 320.]

GERSHOM CARMICHAEL, born 1741, son of Gershon C., Professor of Moral Philosophy, Glasgow; educated at Univ. of Glasgow, M.A. 1733; librarian to Univ. 1737 &c.; ord. to Montrose 22nd April 1742; called 5th Feb., trans. and adm. 1st Aug. 1751; died 6th Nov. 1761.

ALEXANDER FERRIER, born 19th Nov. 1728, son of John F., min. of Largo; educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1748, the first after the union of the colleges; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 7th Nov. 1753; ord. min. of Presbyterian Congregation, Alnwick, 5th Nov. 1755; trans. to Oxnam 21st Sept. 1758; called 4th Aug. 1762; trans. and adm. 3rd Aug. 1763; died 28th Oct. 1764. He marr. 26th Nov. 1760, Mary Burn (who marr. 2d) Sept. 1774; Thomas Elderton, Northumberland, and had issue—John, M.D., Manchester, author of *Illustrations of Sterne, etc.*, born 21st Nov. 1761, died 4th Feb. 1815; Andrew, born 7th May 1763; Elizabeth, born 2nd Sept. 1764. [*Brethren Test., Doct. Nit. Biog.*; *Eton, Mel, and Surg. Journal*, 1815, xi., 268.]

WILLIAM BISSET, born 11th Nov. 1735, son of John B., min. of East Church, Aberdeen; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen, M.A. 1753; licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen 11th Oct. 1758; ord. to Footdee 7th May 1760; trans. to Drumblane 11th July 1764; called 3rd April; trans. and adm. 29th June 1765; died of consumption, unmarr., 29th Oct. 1773.

JOHN SNODGRASS, M.A., trans. from Norriston Chapel, called 1774, 3rd Aug., and adm. 10th Nov. 1774; trans. to Middle Church, Paisley, 19th Dec. 1781.

DAVID DAVIDSON, bapt. 11th Feb. 1750, son of William D., in Foulis 1782. Wever, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, licen. by Presb. of Drumblane 17th Aug. 1773; ord. assistant at Monzie 2nd Jan. 1776; trans. to Kippen 2nd May 1776; called 27th March, trans. and adm. 18th July 1782; D.D., Moris' Hall College, 1819; died 22nd Dec. 1825. He was reported the most popular preacher in Dundee of his time. He marr. 15th July 1776, Janet Sward, who died 18th Dec. 1828, and had issue—Susanna, born 14th April 1797; marr. 26th Sept. 1813, William Kirkaldy, merchant, Dundee; William, born 26th Dec. 1796; David, D.D., min. of Broughty Ferry, born 2d Dec. 1801; Janet, born 19th June 1803 (marr. 28th Aug. 1829, John Thain, merchant, Dundee). [Norrie's *Doct. Nit. Biog.*, 25, 270.]

CHARLES ADIE, trans. from Tidong; pres. by Town Council 11th June, and 1820; adm. 12th Oct. 1820; D.D. (1833); trans. to St. Mary's Church 12th July 1848.

ST CLEMENTS.

[In 1780 the nave of St. Mary's Church was occupied by a body known as the Steeple Kirk Congregation, or the Fifth Charge of Dundee. A new church was erected 23rd July 1788, and opened 17th May 1789. St Clement's parish was disjoined by the Court of Teinds from St. Mary's on 3rd Dec. 1834.]

JOHN ANDERSON, called 4th March, and adm. 10th June 1789; trans. 1790 to Third Charge 7th Dec. 1803.

ARCHIBALD M'LACHLAN, trans. from Greenock Chapel of Ease; 1805 pres. by Town Council 13th June, and adm. 10th Oct. 1805; trans. to Third Charge 22nd April 1806.

JAMES THOMSON, born Tyrone, Dumfriesshire, 1771, son of James 1800 T., educated at Univ. of Edinburgh, licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 30th Sept. 1801, ord. to Newark Chapel, Port Glasgow, 24th June 1802, pres. by the Town Council

11th May, trans. and adm. 23rd Oct. 1806; M.A. (Edinburgh, 7th April 1832); died 29th Nov. 1857. He took a prominent share in civic affairs and was chiefly instrumental in procuring the Royal Charter under which the Infirmary and the Asylum were incorporated. He figures as one of the leading characters in *The Executrix* by Harry Harwood. He marr. 27th June 1803, Hannah Turnbull, who died 10th June 1833, and had issue—Hannah, born 11th June 1807; James, born 23rd Feb. 1810; John William, writer, Dundee, born 27th Aug. 1811. Publications—“Industry” in Account of the Town and Parish (*New Stat. Acc.*, xi.). He was sometime editor of the *Dundee Courier*. [Norrie's *Dundee Celebrities*, 173.]

JAMES DODDS, trans. from Melville Church, Montrose, 23rd Sept. 1858; trans. to St. Stephen's, Glasgow, 2nd Aug. 1860.

ROBERT SMITH, born 27th May 1827, son of Robert S., D.D., min. 1861 of Montrose; educated at Univ. of St. Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Brechin; assistant at Crail; ord. 23rd Dec. 1852; trans. and adm. 21st March 1861; res. 3rd April 1868; died 13th July 1886. He marr. (1) 1st June 1863; (2) 6th Sept. 1870, Margaret Alice (died in Edinburgh, 18th Jan. 1922), third daugh. of Henry D. Wright of Harston, Cambridge, and had issue—Mabel, born 1873, died in Edinburgh, 17th Oct. 1921.

JAMES MACKAY, ord. (under Belhaven Act) 22nd Dec. 1864; adm. to full charge 10th June 1868; trans. to First Charge, Brechin, 26th Aug. 1875.

CHARLES RICHARDSON WHITE, born 1848, son of Thomas W., master joiner, and Margaret Nicolson; ord. to Chalmers Parish, Glasgow, 20th Aug. 1874; trans. and adm. 2nd March 1876; died 25th Feb. 1880. He marr. 4th Nov. 1873, Flora, daugh. of Nicolas Joseph Lambre, hotel-keeper, North Berwick, and Ann Brownlee (she marr. (2) 20th June 1885, and had issue—

Charles Richardson, born 4th June 1874; Lula Lambre, born 13th Sept. 1875; Alfred Lambre, born 23rd May 1877.

JOHN TROUP, born 1850, son of Alexander T., farmer, and Christian 1880 Ferries; ord. to Stoneywood 17th Dec. 1879; trans. and adm. 15th July 1880; res. 21st Nov. 1884; died 24th Feb. 1886. He marr. 19th July 1884, Helen (died 16th Feb. 1896), daugh. of William Gray, Ledcameronoch, New Kilpatrick.

JAMES EDWARD HOUSTON, M.A., B.D.; ord. 29th April 1885; trans. to Cambuslang 27th Dec. 1892.

JAMES MUIRHEAD BENSON, born 7th June 1856; licen. by Presb. 1894 of Glasgow May 1888; assistant in this parish; ord. 19th July 1894; res. 8th June 1922.

DAVID EASTHAM AUTY, born 21st 1922 Jan. 1882, son of John A. Bury, Lancashire, and Alice Eastham; educated at Bury Higher Grade School, Univ. of Manchester, Lancashire Independent College, and Univ. of London; B.A. (1908), B.D. (1910); ord. min. of Park Congregational Church, Ramsbottom, Lancashire, June 1910; trans. to Oaklands Congregational Church, Shepherd's Bush, London, June 1913; adm. on probation as licentiate of Church of Scotland by General Assembly May 1920, and to full status 26th May 1921; assistant at Dunblane in 1920; ord. 20th Sept. 1922. Marr. 20th Sept. 1910, Mary, daugh. of Richard and Ann Seed, and has issue—Alice Mildred, born 1st Feb. 1912; Eunice Mary, born 3rd Aug. 1918; Ruth Isabel, born 22nd Feb. 1920.

BALGAY (Q.S.).

[A reformed Episcopal Chapel of St John was acquired by the Church of Scotland here in 1885 and was called St Thomas. A new church was built and opened in Dec. 1902. On 7th March 1913 the parish of Balgay was disjoined from St Mary's and Liff.]

ANDREW Rutherford, M.A., 1835—1870, B.D., Glasgow 1882, ord. in 1855—1856, became teacher at St. Mungo's, Glasgow, and Kirkpatrick, Inverary, became merchant in Glasgow.

JOHN COLVILLE, M.A., B.D., ord. in 1803—1807, res. in 1807, afterwards man. of Leochbray.

WILLIAM HALL, born Belgrave, Bonhill, 24th May 1804, son of James H. and Janet Atton, educated at New Kilpatrick School and Univ. of Glasgow, M.A. 1830, licen. by Presb. of Glasgow in 1830, assistant at St. Mary's, Dundee, 1830, Airthrey in 1833, and Rutherglen in 1836, ord. 2nd March 1838, adm. first min. of the parish 7th March 1838, dem. May 1823. Marri. 1. 23rd April 1836, Louisa, died 28th Aug. 1866, daugh. of James and Margaret Macdonald, 2d. 27th April 1868, Amy, daugh. of James Johnston and Mary Kay, and has issue—Amy Atton, born 22nd May 1861, Norman, born 10th Nov. 1862, Hugh Russell, born 28th Feb. 1865, Harold, born 14th Dec. 1867.

CYRUS MAXWELL MORTIMER, 1924—M.A., ord. 3rd S. pt. 1924.

CHAPEL SHADE (Q.S.).

A chapel in connection with the Synod of Relief was built in Duthope Crescent Rose in 1789. Its congregation was admitted into the Church of Scotland 5th Dec. 1791. The church was retained by the Free Church in 1843, but possession was regained in 1847. On 18th March 1872 the parish of Chapelshade was disjoined from St. Mary's, Dundee.]

JAMES SMITH, born Leslie, Fife, 12th Feb. 1790, licens. by Presb. of Relief 1791, and ord. to Galespie congregation, Dunfermline, in 1797 (in succession to Thomas Gillespie), adm. by said Presb. to this chapel 27th May 1799, was dep. by it owing to a dispute between him and the Relief body chiefly on doctrinal questions. He and his congregation, feeling aggrieved by this sentence, applied for admission to the Church of Scotland and were

received by the Free of Dundee 5th Sept. 1791, died 23rd Sept. 1810. He marr. and had issue Margaret marr. William Bowie of Roswallie, d. 1st marr. Alexander Ogilvy, manufacturer, Dundee; Elizabeth marr. John Ogilvy, manufacturer, Dundee; Helen marr. George Miller, writer, Dundee, and editor of the *Dundee Chronicle*; Catherine, deaconess. Publications: *History of the Society of the Relief Church*, Edinburgh, 1773; *The Great Missions Committee, its Subjects*, Edinburgh, 1787 (answered in *Discourse on the Errors of Mr. Smith's System of the Atonement*, 1787); refuted by Alexander Simpson, D.D., *Particularism* (1782); *A Discourse on the Necessity, Nature, and Design of Christ's Sacrifice*, Edinburgh, 1788; *Discourse on the Reformation*, Dundee, 1790; *The National Church, Independent and Independent Reformed* (Dundee, 1800), in which appeared "Answers on Two Proposites," by James Gilchrist (Dundee, 1800); *Essays on the First Principles of Christianity*, 2 vols. London, 1808-10; *On the Different Systems of Scripture Terms, on the Possibility of establishing such a System from the Scriptural Oracle*; *Essays on Chillinger the Painter*; *The Golden Cities of Dan and Bethel*; *on the Affairs of the Highland State, and present Political Events*; *Explanation of the Disputed Points in Romans VII*, 14-25; *Small's History of U.P. Christianity*, i., 294, 350; *Norris's Dundee Chronicals*, 23.]

WILLIAM JOHNSTON, born 1765, licens. by Presb. of Meigle 3rd Oct. 1811—1787; ord. min. of the Scottish Church at Middleburgh, Holland, 4th April 1788, became assistant at Kintyre, called 21st Feb., and authorised by Presb. 6th March 1811, died 3rd March 1833. He marr. and had issue William, merchant, Dundee, born 16th Aug. 1798, died 1867.

WILLIAM REID, born near Glasgow 1793, probably second son of John Reid, artificer, educated at Univ. of Glasgow, licens. by Presb. of Dundee ("not without considerable difficulty, and after he had been sent back for further qualifica-

tion); called 7th Oct. 1829; ord. assistant and successor 18th Feb. 1830. Joined the Free Church in 1843; min. of Chapel shade Free Church, 1843-4; adm. to Free Church, Collessie, 1844; died 22nd Dec. 1854. He marr. 1842, Matilda C. Lawson. [Norrie's *Dundee Celebrities*, 158.]

WILLIAM ADAM SMITH, M.A.;
1849 elected 6th Dec. 1848; ord. 10th Jan. 1849; trans. to Towie 26th Jan. 1852.

JOHN ALEXANDER MACKENZIE,
1852 ord. 22nd April 1852; trans. to Ferryport on Craig 22nd Sept. 1853.

GEORGE STEWART BURNS, M.A.;
1853 elected 12th Oct.; ord. 15th Dec. 1853; trans. to Newton-upon-Ayr 11th May 1854.

PETER CAMERON, ord. 23rd Nov.
1854; trans. to Glenisla 8th Sept. 1859.

WILLIAM FERGUSSON WIGHT,
1860 ord. 1st Feb. 1860; trans. to Auchtergaven 25th Sept. 1862.

ARCHIBALD BELL, born Kirkpatrick-Fleming, 1831, son of Archibald Bell and Jane Irving; educated at St Mungo and Lockerbie Schools, and Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1858); licen. by Presb. of St Andrews in 1862; ord. 30th April 1863; D.D. (St Andrews 1894); res. in 1911; died 3rd Dec. 1913. He marr. 26th Sept. 1872, Nancy Edgar Clark (died 8th Oct. 1876), daugh. of William Thorburn and Agnes Herbertson, and had issue Agnes Thorburn, born 4th Oct. 1873; Archibald, solicitor, Dundee, born 21st April 1875.

STEPHEN FORSYTH, born 8th May 1863, son of Alexander F., min. of Presbyterian Church, Great Bavington, Northumberland, and Amelia Harvey Stephen; educated at Great Bavington and Aberdeen Grammar School and Unive. of Aberdeen and Glasgow; M.A. (1884); licen. by Presb. of Glasgow 6th May 1908; assistant at Kenmuir and Bluevale, Glasgow; ord. to St Serf's,

Springburn, 10th Sept. 1908; trans. and adm. 4th May 1911; died 18th June 1924. He marr. 17th May 1909, Isabella, daugh. of William Pettigrew Templeton, solicitor, and Isabella Fleming.

ARCHIBALD HENDERSON
1924 MITCHELL, ord. 17th Dec. 1924

CLEPINGTON Q.S.,

[A mission station was begun here in 1872. The church was built and opened in 1881. The parish of Clepington was disjoined from St Mary's, Dundee, on 12th Jan. 1885.]

DAVID RAE ROBERTSON, born Lethendy, 1848, son of Charles R.,
1875 schoolmaster, and Mary Ann Dawson, Culsalmond, Aberdeenshire, and brother of James R., D.D., min. of Whittingehame; educated at Lethendy School, Madras College, and Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1868), B.D. (1872); app. missionary in 1872; ord. 30th Dec. 1875; adm. first min. of the parish 4th Feb. 1885; D.D. (St Andrews 1909); res. 3rd Oct. 1917; died 25th April 1921. He marr. 28th Oct. 1884, Jessie Morris, daugh. of John Galloway, Hattonburn, Milnathort, and Mary Ann Thomson, and had issue Charles Moncrieff, min. of Little Dunkeld, born 16th Nov. 1885; James Whittingehame, licentiate, assistant to his uncle at Whittingehame, lieut. 7th Black Watch, born 11th June 1887, killed in action 23rd April 1917; Elizabeth (twin), born 11th June 1887; William Stewart, M.C., lieut. 7th Black Watch, born 29th Nov. 1892, killed in action in France 3rd Sept. 1916.

GEORGE M'WILLIAM, born Boharm, Banffshire, 13th Dec. 1882, son of George M. and Elspeth Lorimer; educated at Linton, Teviotdale, Maggie-knockater, Banff, Aberlour, and Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A. (1906), B.D. (1909); licen. by Presb. of Strathbogie May 1909; ord. Professor of History, Scottish Churches College, Calcutta, 25th Sept. 1910; assistant at Dunnottar in 1912, Peterhead, 1913-15; adm. to East Parish, Peterhead, 25th Feb.

1915; trans. and adm. 25th March 1918; Marr. 26th Sept. 1913. Edon Vacher, daughter of James Dawson, Malmesbury, Melksham, and wife of Alvin Andre Allin, and his son, Stanley Marion Lorimer, born posthumous 1915; David Stewart Dawson, born 26th Aug. 1917; Harcourt Morton David, born 26th Feb. 1921.

DOWNFIELD (Q.S.).

The parish of Downfield was disjoined from Mains and Strathmiglo 23rd Feb. 1912. The church was built in 1893.

DAVID DUTHIE MCLAREN, M.A., B.D., ord. in 1891, trans. to Oldham 1891, Street, Liverpool, 6th Nov. 1893, [leftwards of Monifieth].

DAVID HARROWER LOCHHEAD, born 1891, son of John L. Shawl 1893 manufacturer, and Agnes Dawson, ord. 29th Feb. 1896; died 2nd Sept. 1907. He marr. Emma Jane Mollison or Fairweather.

WILLIAM SIMPSON, M.A., B.D., app. 15th Jan. 1908; adm. first min. of the parish 26th Feb. 1912; trans. to Maid 23rd Jan. 1919.

HENRY DODD, born 14th Nov. 1852, son of John D. Tarbolton, and Janet Stewart, educated at Tarbolton School and Univ. of Glasgow, L.R.C.P. (Edinburgh 1866), F.P. & S., Glasgow 1866, licens. by Presb. of Glasgow, assistant at St Marnoch's, Kilmarnock, ord. to St Stephen's, Perth, 6th March 1880, trans. to Birsay 6th March 1883, res. 20th Nov. 1885; adm. to Craigiebank 23rd Nov. 1894, res. in 1900; adm. to Sherrery 19th April 1917, trans. and adm. 6th June 1919. Marr. 13th June 1883, Elizabeth, daugh. of Alexander Scott, writer, Glasgow, and Margaret Black, and has issue George Edward, Indian chaplain, born 22nd March 1884; Alexander Scott, B.Sc., F.I.C., F.C.S., F.R.S.E., city analyst, Edinburgh, born 27th Oct. 1885; Henry Black, B.Sc., C.E., born 17th May 1890.

ST DAVID'S.

A chapel was built in North Tay Street in 1800 by the Holderness or Independents, who called it the Tabernacle; after divisions in the congregation it was bought by the Town Council, and the parish of St David's was erected by the Commissioners of Towns 1st June 1823.]

DAVID MURRAY, trans. from Second Charge, Dysart, pres. by Town 1823 Council in Sept., and adm. 27th Nov. 1823, trans. to First Charge, Dysart, 16th Feb. 1826.

GEORGE TOD, born Kinross, 1788, educated at Univ. of Edinburgh 1820, licen. by Presb. of Brechin 21st March 1821, assistant at First Charge, Montrose, ord. assistant at Inveresk 12th July 1825, adm. to Tealing 26th March 1827, elected by the Town Council in April, trans. and adm. 6th Aug. 1829; died 5th Nov. 1838. He marr. 13th Feb. 1835, Mary Ann, died 11th Aug. 1857, daughter of Thomas Drummond of Ester, Newton, Perth. Publications: *The Gospel Preached to the Poor*, a sermon, Dundee, 1827; *Sure thoughts on Personal and Future Religion* (Dundee, 1831). Population (jointly with Alexander Peters, D.D.) and Parishal Economy in Account of Town and Parish *New Stat. Acc.* xii. He edited the *Montrose Chronicle* from its commencement in 1819 to 1822, and was subsequently editor of the *Dundee Courier*. [Norrie's *Dundee Celebrities*, 59.]

GEORGE LEWIS, born Glasgow, 1803, son of George La merchant, Glasgow, 1839, educated at Unive. of Glasgow, Edinburgh, and St Andrews, licen. by Presb. of Glasgow 11th June 1828, became one of the secretaries of the Glasgow Educational Society, ord. to Middle Parish, Perth, 22nd Feb. 1837, pres. by Town Council in Feb., trans. and adm. 6th June 1839. Joined the Free Church in 1843, min. of Free St David's, 1843-9, adm. to Free Church, Ormiston, 1849, dem. in 1865; died 27th Jan. 1879. He marr. 15th July 1845, Mary Anne Elizabeth Miller, who died 21st Dec.

1895, and had issue Mary Anne Elizabeth, born 13th May 1846; Margaret Caroline, born 17th March 1848. Publications—*The Episcopacy of the Church of Scotland* [anon.] (1834); *The Three Offices of Christ* ["Tracts on Scottish Church Principles," i.] Dundee, 1843; *The Two Magistrates, or the Powers that be in Church and State* ["Tracts on Scottish Church Principles," ii.] Dundee, 1843; *Christ's Church Government compared . . . with Caesar's Church Government in the three National Churches of England, Ireland, and Scotland* ["Tracts on Scottish Church Principles," iii.] (Dundee, 1843); *Impressions of America and the American Churches* Edinburgh, 1845; *The Bible, the Missal, and the Breviary*, 2 vols. (Edinburgh, 1853); *The Doctrines of the Bible developed in the Facts of the Bible* (Edinburgh, 1854); *Helps to Bible Teaching and Training*, No. II. "Lectures on the Social and Physical Condition of the People, especially in Large Towns," Glasgow; No. II. ("Lectures to Young Men," Dundee); Sermon CL.; Lecture XXVIII. (*Free Church Pulpit*, iii., iii.); editor of the *Scottish Guardian* newspaper. [Smith's *Scottish Clergy*, ii., 353-8.]

JOHN LINDSAY ADAMSON, born 1809, son of Robert A., sawyer, 1844 Anstruther; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; tutor to the family of James Thomson, D.D., min. of Eccles, 1828-32; app. schoolmaster of Kilmany Aug. 1832; licen. by Presb. of Cupar 27th March 1832; ord. to Thornton 16th Aug. 1838; pres. by the Presb. *jure devoluto* 17th Jan., trans. and adm. 1st Feb. 1844; died 27th March 1852. He was the friend and encourager of Alexander Bethune, author of *Tales and Sketches of the Scottish Peasantry*, who was one of his pupils at a night school at Lochend near the Loch of Lindores. He marr. Ann (died 31st Aug. 1882), daugh. of William Lees, wright, Pittenweem, and had issue Alice, born 25th Nov. 1833; John Lindsay, min. of Wallacetown, born 7th Aug. 1835; Isabella Lindsay, born 24th April 1837, died 2nd April 1884; William Lindsay, born 23rd May 1839; Thomas, born 8th Feb. 1841, died 1842;

Margaret, born 2nd June 1843; Hunter Lindsay, born 2nd Feb. 1846; died 24th July 1884. Publications—*Abraham, the Father of the Faithful; Joseph and his Brethren* Edinburgh, 1844; *Scriptural Metaphors* Edinburgh, 1846; *The Grace of a British Senator*, a sermon (Dundee, 1850). [Norrie's *Dundee Celebrities*, 133-5; McCombie's *Life of the Bethunes*.]

PETER MYLES, B.A.; ord. 16th Dec. 1852; trans. to Monifieth 29th Dec. 1853.

ROBERT STEVENSON HORNE, ord. 1853 11th May 1853, trans. to Slamannan 1853 10th July 1856 [cf. Vol. I., 229]. His son, the Right Hon. Sir R. S. H., M.P., LL.D., K.B.E. 1918., G.B.E. 1920., was Minister of Labour 1919, President of the Board of Trade 1920-1, and Chancellor of the Exchequer 1921-2.

ADAM INCH RITCHIE, pres. by the Magistrates of Dundee 6th Aug. 1856 and ord. 25th Sept. 1856; trans. to Fettercairn 28th July 1858.

JOHN HART, pres. by the Magistrates of Dundee 18th Dec. 1858; ord. 3rd 1859 March 1859; trans. to Aberlady 2nd May 1878. He had issue (cf. Vol. I., 353)—Janet, born 12th Feb. 1851, died 1912; Peter Mailer, born 30th Dec. 1854, died 1879; Isabella Joan, born 11th Jan. 1856, died 7th Oct. 1871; John, factor and farmer, Stonehaven, born 6th May 1857; Williamina Muir, born 6th March 1859, died 1885; George, born 1860, died 1896.

ROBERT SHARP WARREN, born 1878 Glasgow, 17th July 1837, son of Timothy W. and Margaret Dunn; educated at High School and Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Glasgow 13th June 1866; assistant in this parish, Kingarth, Carlisle, and Kilreggan, 1870-2; ord. to Stranraer 11th July 1872; trans. and adm. 3rd Oct. 1878; died at Moffat 29th July 1919. He marr. 1st Nov. 1870, Elizabeth Aitken, died 15th Jan. 1883, daugh. of John Henderson, architect, Liverpool, and had issue Isabella, born 26th Nov. 1871; Robert Sharp, born 22nd Dec.

1877; Margaret Ann, born 26th Oct. 1879; William Alexander, born 21st Aug. 1881; Elizabeth Aitken Henderson, born 22nd May 1883; James David Norman, lieut. 3rd Coldstream Guards, born 21st Nov. 1884; Timothy John.

GEORGE MURDOCH MACLEAN, born 27th March 1872, son of Kenneth MacLean, teacher, Brax, Skye, and Alexandrina Macdonald; educated at Macdiarmid School, Portree, Grammar School, Old Aberdeen, and Univ. of St Andrews; licens. by Presb. of Skye in 1897; ord. to Hallin-in-Waternish 7th July 1897; trans. to Duncansburgh 28th June 1899; trans. and adm. assistant and successor 31st March 1906. Marr. 26th Oct. 1898, Christina Mead, daughter of Peter Luke Kinnellies, and Helen B. Thomson, and has issue Helen Alexa, born 28th Oct. 1899; Madri, born 6th July 1901; Jessie Carmichael, born 10th Nov. 1903; Kenneth Norman, born 6th July 1906; George Christopher, born 14th March 1910; Catriona Cameron, born 6th Aug. 1917.

ST JOHN'S.

[The part of St Mary's Church called the Cross Kirk, after being destroyed by fire in 1645, was occupied as a stable in 1651 by General Monk's cavalry, and again in 1745 by those of Prince Charles Edward. It was repaired and fitted up for divine service in 1759, and was occupied as the Fourth Charge of Dundee. This was erected as a chapel by the Court of Teinds 23rd July 1788, rebuilt in 1839. St John's parish was disjoined from St Mary's on 3rd Dec. 1834. In 1912 a new church was erected in Blackness Avenue, and a portion of Liff and Benvie parish added *quoniam sicut*.]

ROBERT SMALL, app. preacher by the Town Council in 1759; ord. to First Charge 26th May 1761.

JAMES THOMSON, born 1724; licens. by Presb. of Linlithgow 17th Dec. 1761; 1755; elected 11th May 1761; res. in 1785, emigrated to America; returned about 1790; died 17th Nov. 1791. He was very eccentric "if not unsound in mind."

He published a volume of an extraordinary nature entitled *Chorles and Lecture*, purporting to be an account of his life and experiences. Among other matters he inveighs bitterly against the magistrates of Dundee, particularly Provost John Pitcairn, "for their unchristian usage of him, severely reproaching the Provost for sending a whole company of soldiers to arrest him by exercising them in his dining room in South Tay Street." It is said that the last time he preached, a black cat walked several times before him round the pulpit. This he considered to be the Devil come to put an end to his usefulness, as it put an unceremonious end to his sermon. [Thomson's *Hist. of Dundee*, 215.]

WILLIAM REID, born about 1730, eldest son of William R., farmer, Dunblane; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; licens. by Presb. of Dunblane 26th Aug. 1783; elected preacher in 1785; called 17th Sept. 1788; ord. 10th June 1789; died 18th Nov. 1791. He marr. 11th Dec. 1787, Elizabeth Wilson, who died 10th Feb. 1844, aged 78, and had issue—Elizabeth, born 28th Sept. 1788; Lillias, born 15th Jan. 1790; Jean, born 13th June 1791; William, born 11th Jan. 1793; George, born 27th Sept. 1794.

PATRICK MACVICAR, pres. by the Town Council 5th Aug., and ord. 1795 12th Nov. 1795; trans. to Third Charge 7th Dec. 1808.

ALEXANDER PETERS, born about 1750, son of Robert P., Begendollo, Fasque; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1772); licens. by Presb. of Brechin 2nd Oct. 1779; ord. (assistant) to Arberthnett 16th July 1783; trans. to Logie Pert 1st Dec. 1784; D.D. (Marischal College 1809), pres. by the Town Council in Jan., trans. and adm. 12th Oct. 1809; died 23rd June 1836. He marr. 20th Feb. 1787, Marjory (died 16th Nov. 1828), daughter of George Mowat, merchant, Aberdeen. Publications—*A Sermon; Account of Logie and Pert* (Sinclair's *Stat. Acc.* ix.); Population (jointly with the Rev. George Tod) in Ac-

count of the Town and Parish (*New Stat. Acc.*, xi.). [Norrie's *Dundee Celebrities*, 48.]

JOHN ROXBURGH, born 8th March 1806, third son of Archibald R., merchant, Glasgow; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. 1828; licen. by the Presb. there; assistant at St David's, Glasgow, and St George's, Edinburgh; pres. by the Town Council Nov. 1833; ord. assistant and successor 20th Feb. 1834. Joined the Free Church in 1843; min. of Free St John's, Dundee, 1843-7; adm. to Free St John's, Glasgow, 18th May 1847; D.D. Glasgow, 1st May 1849; Convener of Free Church Home Mission Committee, 1857-63; elected Moderator of Free Church General Assembly 23rd May 1867; died at Weston-super-Mare 2nd Nov. 1880. He marr. 7th June 1836, Catherine (died 1st May 1899), daugh. of George Gray of Yeaman Shore, Dundee, and had issue — Catherine Balfour, born 6th March 1837 (marr. Francis Sharman, wine merchant), died 25th March 1908; Elizabeth, born 28th Jan. 1839, died 29th July 1896; Archibald, merchant, Liverpool, born 6th Aug. 1841, died Feb. 1906; George Gray, born 5th May 1842, died in infancy; Janet of Dawyck, born 24th Feb. 1844 (marr. 23rd March 1867, Alexander Balfour, merchant, Liverpool, died 22nd Feb. 1923); Jane Anne, born 7th Jan. 1846 (marr. 1872, James Mellis, min. of Presbyterian Church of England), Southport; John, engineer, born 14th Oct. 1847, died Dec. 1871; Margaret Campbell, born 23rd May 1849, died 1857; Helen Jobson, born 5th Jan. 1851 (marr. Frederick Gourlay, M.D.), died 1879; Robert, M.D., born 25th April 1853, died 16th Feb. 1917. Publications: *Cruelty to Animals*, a sermon; *The Nature and Design of God's Judgments*, a discourse (Glasgow, 1832); *The Glory of the Latter House*, a discourse (Dundee, 1843); Sermon III. (*Free Church Pulpit*, i.). [Alexander Balfour, a Liverpool Philanthropist; Ernest Roxburgh Balfour] (Edinburgh, n.d.); *Memorials of John Roxburgh, D.D.* [by George G. Cameron] (Glasgow, 1881); *Memorial Addresses at Dawyck and Drumelzier* (1923).]

JOHN ANDERSON, pres. by Town Council of Dundee 19th June, and 1844 ord. 22nd Aug. 1844; trans. to East Parish, Perth, 27th Feb. 1845.

ANDREW JOHNSTONE, pres. by Presb. *jure devoluto* and adm. 12th 1846 Feb. 1846; trans. to High Church, Paisley, 17th Sept. 1846.

JAMES CAESAR, M.A.; pres. by Town Council of Dundee 3rd Feb., and ord. 1847 29th April 1847; trans. to Panbride 20th Feb. 1851.

PETER GRANT, born 1829, son of Donald G., merchant, and Helen 1851 McPherson; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; pres. by Presb. *jure devoluto* and ord. 25th Sept. 1851; D.D. (Queen's College, Canada, 1868); died 14th June 1905. He marr. 18th Sept. 1855, Helen Davidson (died 7th Dec. 1910), daugh. of John Guillan, manufacturer, and had issue — John Guillan, born 12th May 1857; Helen Guillan, born 11th Oct. 1858, died in Edinburgh, 12th Nov. 1921; Anne Guillan, born 27th Jan. 1861; Peter Guillan, born 21st Jan. 1862, died at Victoria, British Columbia, 16th May 1899; William Guillan, born 9th Oct. 1865; Jane Guillan, born 17th Oct. 1870.

GEORGE CHRISTIE, M.A., B.D.; trans. from Renton and adm. 1902 (assistant and successor) 8th Oct. 1902; trans. to St Andrew's, Edinburgh, 18th May 1908.

MARSHALL BUCHANAN LANG, born Glasgow, 1st April 1868, fifth 1909 son of John Marshall L., C.V.O., D.D., LL.D., Principal of Univ. of Aberdeen; educated at Glasgow Academy, Unive. of Glasgow, M.A. (1887), B.D. (1890), Leipzig, and Gottingen; licen. by Presb. of Glasgow 11th June 1890; missionary at Carrick Castle in 1890; assistant at St Columba's, Govan, and Kinnoull in 1891; assistant at St Bernard's, Edinburgh, 1891-5; ord. to Old Meldrum 18th Sept. 1895; trans. and adm. 9th March 1909; Chaplain to the Forces (1st Class) in Firth Coast Defence and Aberdeen Coast Defence, and to the 1st and 2nd Scottish General Hospitals

during European War, T.P., 1918, trans. to Whitbread's, 13th Nov. 1918. Mrs. Ruth Jones, born Mary Eleonor, daughter of William W. Farquharson, Secretary to Representative Council of Scotch Episcopal Church, has issued *Hannah Hamilton Marshall*, born 12th Sept. 1897, marr. 13th Jan. 1921, William Smith Ramsay Henderson, captain Royal Army. Annie Leurina, born 18th April 1901, Margaret Eleonor, born 17th Dec. 1905, William Farquharson Marshall, born 24 July 1908. Publications: *The Story of a Parish* (Meldrum, 1897); *Writings for the Royal Tailor* (1901); Contributions to *English at Times*; *The Story of the Cross Kirk Bazaar Book*, 1913.

JOHN ANTHONY MACRAE, born 1919, 19th May 1883, only son of Sir Colin George Macrae of Wellbank, W.S., and Flora Maitland, daughter of John Colquhoun, author of *The Merchant of the Lake*, educated at Edinburgh Academy, Royal High School, Monkton Combe School, Bath, Univ. of Oxford, B.A. 1905, and Edinburgh, Recd. by Prosc. of Edinburgh in 1908, assistant at St Michael's in 1908, Tron in 1911, and St Stephen's, Edinburgh, 1913, ord. to Balmoral Chapel 8th April 1915, res. in 1917, adm. to this charge 30th April 1919. Marr. 23rd June 1915, Jean Hope, only daughter of Kenneth Moody Stuart of Annat, min. of St Mary's United Free Church, Moffat, and Susan Walker, and has issue: Colin Scotland, born 28th June 1917; Kenneth Martin, born 5th Jan. 1920. Publication: *Fir Kirk and Keir* a novel (Edinburgh, 1911).

ST. PAULS, FORMERLY THIRD CHURCH.

[From 1609 onwards part of St. Mary's Church was occupied by the Third Clergy of Dundee. Out of this grew up the congregation for which St. Paul's Parish was disjoined from St. Mary's on 3rd Dec. 1834.]

WILLIAM WEDDERBURN, born 1611, 1573, second son of Alexander W. of Pittierme, baillie of Dundee, and Christian Fairny, educated at Univ. of

St. Andrews, M.A. 1592, Regent of Philosophy in St. Salvator's College, St. Andrews, was a licentiate 13th Nov. 1602, ord. to Linton in 25th April 1603, trans. and adm. after 2nd March 1611, when he was presented to the King as fit "a peaceable learned man and was bound to obey all the Acts of the General Assembly 1610, next he shall conform him self unto whatsoever order of Church Government the King and the Kirk shall set down"; died in 1636. He marr. (cont. 1st June 1611) Margaret, younger daughter of Alexander Wedderburn of Kingennie, and had issue: Margaret, marr. 1. Dr Andrew Bruce, Principal of St. Leonard's College, St. Andrews; 2. Alexander Forrester in Linlithgow, Christened dummar before 1616. His widow marr. 2. 28th March 1625, Sir George Haliburton of Fisherston, Senator of the College of Justice. (*Perpet. Register of L. & S.*, i. xxvii, 43, 47, 48, 139.)

COLIN CAMPBELL, born 1577, 1617, educated at Univ. of St. Andrews, M.A. 1597, was one of the forty-two brethren who subscribed a petition to Parliament, 1st July 1609, against the introduction of Episcopacy, but afterwards recanted from the same, marr. of Kettins in 1605, trans. and adm. in 1617, was named a member of Court of High Commission 15th June 1620, and of the Commission for the Maintenance of Church Discipline 21st Oct. 1631, died 13th Jun. 1638. He left 40 merks to the poor of the burgh. He marr. Margaret Hay, who survived him, and had issue: James, min. of St. Madoes; David, min. of Monimail; John, min. of Tealing; Margaret, marr. William Rigg, min. of Inverarity; Agnes, marr. George Fletcher, baile of Dundee. (*G. R. Fulton*, 11th Jan. 1670, *Brechin Test.*; Thomson's *Hist. of Dundee*, 214; *Wedderburn's Account Book* Scot. Hist. Socy. v. 128.]

JOHN ROBERTSON, born about 1610, 1641, son of James R., merchant, burgess of Stirling, educated at Univ. of St. Andrews, M.A. (1630), adm. to Auchterhouse before 2nd Oct. 1633, was a member of General Assembly in 1638 and 1639;

trans. and adm. 8th Dec. 1641; was a member of Commissions of Assembly in 1642, 1646, 1649; app. one of the Visitors of the Univ. of Aberdeen in 1639; was taken prisoner at the siege of Dundee 1st Sept. 1651, carried to London, detained there till spring 1653, and after returning was confined for some time in the common prison. He died March 1662, bequeathing £100 to the Kirk Session for the poor. He marr. Isobel Gleg, who survived him, and had issue Robert, served heir to his grandfather and great grandfather 20th March 1705; John, min. of Auchterhouse; Thomas, William, apprenticed to John Mein, merchant, Edinburgh, 2nd Dec. 1663. [*Taq. Rec. Gen.*, 4252; *G. R. Inh.*, 17th Sept. 1669; *Brechin Test.*; *Acts of Parl.*, vi. (2), 509, 748, 749; *Scot. Notes and Queries*, viii., 52; *Dundee Sess.*, No. 273, 120.]

WILLIAM RAFT, born about 1615, son of James Ra, min. of Marykirk: became a Regent in King's College, Aberdeen; adm. to Marykirk about 1633; trans. to Brechin 3rd Dec. 1644; trans. to Principality of King's College in 1651; trans. and adm. in 1662; died July 1679. He marr. Janet, eldest daugh. of James Guthrie of Kingennie, and had issue William, min. of Monikie; Robert, min. of this parish; James; John; David; Laurence, merchant, lost at sea; Alexander; Jean (marr. John Scrymgour of Kirkton); Margaret (marr. (1) John Campbell, min. of Tealing; (2) Baillie Kellock, Dundee); Janet; Agnes. Publication - *A Vindication of the Reformed Religion, from the Reflections of a Romish* (Aberdeen, 1671). [*Brechin Test.*; *P. C. Rec.*, 3rd series, viii., 67.]

ROBERT RAIT, born about 1651, son of preceding; educated at Univ. of 1682 St Andrews; M.A. 23rd July 1672; pres. by Town Council; adm. before 11th Sept. 1682; deprived by Privy Council, 26th Sept. 1689, for not reading the Proclamation of the Estates, etc.; died between 13th June and 30th Aug. 1704. He marr. 8th Oct. 1684, Elizabeth, died before 3rd April 1704, daugh. of Alexander

Wedderburn of Kingennie and Easter Powie, and had issue Alexander, served heir 12th Dec. 1705. [*The Wedderburn Book*, i., 156; *Roy. Mat. Sig.*, lxxiii., 77; *P. C. Rec.*, 3rd series, viii., 67.]

WILLIAM MITCHELL, educated at 1691 Marischal College, Aberdeen; elected to Footdee, Aberdeen, 4th April 1697, probably deprived in 1681 on account of the Test; min. at Leslie, Fife, in 1688; trans. and adm. 20th May 1691; was a member of Assembly in 1692; died July 1712. He marr. 22nd Nov. 1696, Margaret, daugh. of Alexander Cant, Aberdeen, who survived him, and had issue William, min. of High Kirk, Edinburgh; Thomas, min. of Longforgan; daugh. (marr. Robert Burnett, merchant, Aberdeen). Publications - *A Dialogue between a Quaker and a Stable Christian* (Aberdeen, 1670); *A Sober Answer to an Angry Pamphlet, or Animadversions, by way of Reply, to Robert Barclay's late book entitled "Truth Cleared of Calumnies"* [an examination of preceding Dialogue] (Aberdeen, 1671). [*Brechin Test.*; *Maidment's Scots Worthies*.]

ROBERT KINLOCH, M.A.; called 1713 unanimously, which was corroborated by the Presb. *jure devoluto*; ord. 26th Aug. 1713; trans. to High Kirk, Edinburgh, 8th Oct. 1728.

JAMES MONRO, son of John M., min. of Rothesay; became chaplain to 1729 Thomas, Earl of Haddington; ord. to Kettle 25th April 1717; called 26th Aug., trans. and adm. 11th Dec. 1729; died 17th Jan. 1744. He marr. 17th Nov. 1730, Katherine, daugh. of Sir Michael Badfour of Denmyln, Bart., and had issue Helen. [*Life Sis.*, xxix., 359.]

JOHN GELLATLY, ord. to Forgan 1745 24th April 1729; called 6th Dec. 1744; trans. and adm. 18th July 1745; died 3rd July 1759. He marr. 12th Oct. 1731, Isabella (died 18th Feb. 1779), daugh. of John Scrymgour of Tealing and Jean Duncan, and had issue Jean, born 29th Aug. 1732; Susanna, born 14th April 1734; Ann, born 17th March 1736; Isobel,

born 22nd Dec. 1737. Alexander, born 1st April 1741, John, man of Leith, born 27th Feb. 1742. Patrick, born 9th March 1744. Janet, born 27th Jan. 1746. Collected Socies. Aberdeen, 1800.]

JAMES BALLINGALL, born 1726, son of Andrew Ballingall, merchant, Stich 1759, master, learned by Presb. of Cuper 7th Jan. 1755, ord. to Collessie 22d Sept. 1757, trans. and adm. 22nd Nov. 1759, D.D., Marischal College, Aberdeen, 1762, died 4th Nov. 1763.

JAMES BLINSHALL, son of David Blinshall, man of Linington, educated at 1764 Marischal College, Aberdeen, M.A. 1739, licen. by Presb. of Bazaar 28th June 1744, adm. min. of English Churc. in Amsterdam, 1758, D.D. Marischal College, 18th Jan. 1762, called 10th Feb., and adm. 6th Sept. 1764, app. chaplain to George III. in 1765, died 19th Aug. 183. He bequeathed to the Kirk Session £25 for the poor. In remembrance of his services to Guthrie's fund for orphans, Blinshall Street was named after him. He marr. 22nd Jan. 1771, Jean, died 27th Nov. 1775, aged 29, daughter of Joseph Williamson, advocate. Publication, *The Effects of the Future Punishment of the Great and all Nations*, a sermon, Edinburgh, 1780. He left in Ms. A. Scott *History of the English Presbyterian Church in Amsterdam*. [Stevens Hist. Scotl. Ch. Rott. Inc. 279.]

JOHN ANDERSON, born about 1764, 1803 probably second son of John Anderson, merchant, Glasgow, educated at Univ. of Glasgow, licen. by Presb. of Dumbarton 7th Dec. 1784, ord. min. of Groat Market, Presbyterian Congregation at Newcastle upon Tyne, 12th Sept. 1786, adm. to Steeple Church 14th June 1786, pres. by Town Council, trans. and adm. 7th Dec. 1803, died 17th Jan. 1806. He marr. 21st Dec. 1802, Margaret Inglis, widow of George Ogilvie of Birkie, who survived him and marr. 3d James Johnston, min. of Blaergowrie, and had issue James, born 10th Aug. 1805.

ARCHIBALD MELACHLAN, D.D., 1803, tra. from Steeple Church, pres. by Town Council, and adm. 22d April 1803, trans. to First Charge 6th Oct. 1808.

PATRICK MACVICAR, born 1765, 1808, third son of Archibald Macvicar, Kilbride, Argyllshire, educated at Univ. of Glasgow, licen. by the Presb. 16th Sept. 1793, ord. to Cross Church 16th Nov. 1796, elected by Town Council 29th Nov., trans. and adm. 7th Dec. 1808, D.D., St Andrews, 14th April 1827, died 30th Sept. 1842. He marr. 17th Feb. 1797, Agnes, died 19th Sept. 1811, daughter of John Gibson, man of Manse, and had issue Archibald, student at St Andrews Univ., born 11th Decr. 1797, died 19th Oct. 1811, Elizabeth, born 9th May 1799, died 18th Sept. 1814, John Gibran, D.D., LL.D., man of Methven, born 10th March 1801, Catherine, Holyrood, born 26th June 1804, &c. 27th March 1818, Helen, died 21st June 1833, daughter of George Horner, town clerk of Leith, widow of James Hynoch, man of Aberfyle, and rector of St Davids, died 1811.

DAVID ARNOT, D.D., pres. by the 1838 Town Council in April, and ord. 1838, assistant and successor of 26th June 1835, trans. to High Church, Edinburgh, 26th Sept. 1843.

JOHN TULLOCH, ord. 6th March 1845, 1845 trans. to Kettins 27th Sept. 1846.

ANDREW TAYLOR, son of John Taylor, 1850, Avondale Stewart House, Wishaw; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; became teacher at Duddingston, presb. by the Presb. 12th Dec. 1851, 22nd Mar., and ord. 6th May 1859, D.D., St Andrews 1868, died at Port Glasgow 1st July 1873. He marr. 1st Elizabeth Ross, who died 5th March 1857, and had issue: John William, born 14th Feb. 1843, David George, born 7th Sept. 1845, died 10th Jan. 1853; &c. 26th Oct. 1858, Elizabeth Frier, died 6th Feb. 1861, daughter of Adam Whitson of Burnhead, Coupar Angus, and had issue: Margaret Matthew Whitson, born 6th Sept. 1860, died 29th Jan. 1862, Adam Whitson, Edinburgh, born 25th Dec. 1869,

THOMAS MARTIN, M.A.; trans. from New Parish, Rothesay; pres. by
1874 the magistrates of Dundee 17th Dec.
1873; trans. and adm. 26th Feb. 1874; trans. to Lander 21st Dec. 1876.

JAMES EDGAR HILL, born 1842;
1877 educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (1868), B.D. (1872); ord. to Burntisland in 1873; trans. and adm. 5th April 1877; res. 26th Oct. 1882 on appointment to St Andrew's Church, Montreal; D.D. (Edinburgh, 1890); died 3rd March 1911. He marr. Marianne Fletcher Philip (died 19th Aug. 1915), and had issue— Maggie Mudie Leslie, born 28th Feb. 1868; James, born 28th Sept. 1870; Catherine Hunter, born 30th April 1872; Walter Henry Philip, born 18th Nov. 1874; Marianne Paulina, born 11th June 1877; Norman Edgar. Publication—*Queen Charity, and other Sermons* (1891).

WILLIAM SMITH, born 1852, son of Robert Sinclair S., surveyor of taxes, and Catherine Spence; missionary at Waterside; ord. to Colliston 14th May 1877; trans. and adm. 6th May 1883; died 19th Jun. 1897. He marr. (1) 2nd June 1885, Christina Drummond (died 11th Feb. 1889), daugh. of George Campbell, min. of Eastwood, and had issue Robert Sinclair, born 12th June 1886; George Campbell, born 21st Aug. 1887, died of wounds while serving with Canadians in France, 27th Sept. 1916; William Christian, born 11th Feb. 1889; (2) 9th Aug. 1893, Jessie, eldest daugh. of John Bayne, Elmwood, Bridge of Allan.

JAMES BOATH WOOD, born Forfar, 2nd Sept. 1866, son of Alexander W., and Betsy Beath; educated at Brechin High School, Grammar School, Old Aberdeen, and Unive. of St Andrews, M.A. (1887), and Glasgow, B.D. (1890); licen. by Presb. of Glasgow 11th June 1890; assistant at Middle Parish, Paisley, and Ladhope; ord. to Buckie 19th Dec. 1894; trans. and adm. 11th July 1897. Marr. 6th Feb. 1895, Elizabeth, only daugh. of John Hair, Sunnybrae, Galashiels, and Agnes Young (*s.p.*).

FAIRMUIR (Q.S.).

[A mission station called Victoria Chapel was opened here in 1866. The parish of Fairmuir was disjoined from St Mary's, Dundee, and Mains and Strathmartine on 26th Dec. 1907.]

DONALD DEWAR MACDONALD, educated at Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. 1903 (1880), B.D. (1894); licen. by Presb. of Greenock in 1894; missionary at Whiting Bay; assistant at St George's in the West in 1900; ord. 22nd Dec. 1903; adm. first min. of the parish 21st Dec. 1907.

GAELOIC CHAPEL.

[In 1791 a number of Highland families formed a congregation for worship and religious instruction in the Gaelic language, and a chapel was erected in Long Wynd. Both minister and congregation joined the Free Church in 1843.]

MUNGO MEEARLANE, licen. by Presb. of Cupar; app. in 1791; died 13th **1791** June 1794.

MALCOLM COLQUHOUN, born 1758, only son of Archibald C., farmer, **1796** Muckairn, Argyllshire; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by the Presb. there 11th June 1794; ord. 6th April 1796; died 19th March 1819. He marr., and had issue Archibald, min. in Canada; Agnes, died unmarr.; Mary (marr. John Shaw, min. of Braecdale).

ALEXANDER MACLEOD, called 5th July, and ord. 16th Dec. 1819; trans. **1819** to Gaelic Chapel, Cromarty, 1821.

CHARLES MACALESTER, born Stewarton, 1789, probably son of **1822** William M., farmer; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Irvine 31st March 1818; ord. missionary at Benbecula 7th Sept. 1819, adm. to this charge June 1822. Joined the Free Church in 1843; min. of Gaelic Free Church,

1843-54, died 11th Feb. 1864, "a man of great devotedness and zeal." He marr. 1825, Sarah, d. Macdermid. [Norrie's *Deaths of Clergymen*, 1864.]

HILLTOWN.

Was constituted a chapel of ease by General Assembly 30th May 1836, and a church opened in 1838. The building was retained by the Free Church in 1843.]

JOHN BAXTER, born Blairgowrie, 1806, son of John B. of Ashbank, 1833 flax spinner, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1829, licens'd by Presb. of Meizle 6th April 1831, app'missionary at Perie Aug. 1831, elected 3rd Oct., and ord. 8th Nov. 1838. Joined the Free Church in 1843, and was Free Church min. here 1843-58, trans. to first Free Church, Blairgowrie, 1st Sept. 1858; D.D. St Andrews 1881. Was proposed for the Moderatorship of Free Church General Assembly in 1887; died 1893. He marr. 1840, Jane Scott. [Macdonald's *History of Blairgowrie*, 97, 221.]

LOCHIE.

A chapel of ease was opened here 6th Feb. 1831. The parish of Lochie was disjoined from Linlithgow 7th June 1880.]

WILLIAM STEWART, born Comrie, 1795, originally a journeyman, he saved 1832 as much from his wages as enabled him to attend the Univ., and worked at his trade during the summer months, educated at Comrie School and Univ. of Edinburgh, elected 26th Jan., and ord. 6th April 1832. Joined the Free Church in 1843 (the building in which he and his congregation worshipped having been erected by voluntary subscription, the managers wished to retain possession of it). As, however, knowing that the deed of constitution declared it to be in connection with the Church of Scotland, declined their proposal, and preached from his parlour window, with his hearers seated on the lawn in front, became min. of Free

Church, Duddingston 1843, died 12th Oct. 1862. He marr. 1833, Mary Key. [Norrie's *Deaths of Clergymen*, 148, 50.]

JAMES PORSYTH, born Ferries, 1818, 1845 son of William F. and Margaret Anderson; educated at Ferries School and Univ. of St Andrews, licens'd by Presb. of St Andrews May 1845, ord. 21st Aug. 1845, admitted min. of the parish 9th June 1850, died 8th Oct. 1882.

WILLIAM WRIGHT, born 2nd Jan. 1830, eldest son of John Wright, 1871 Alloa, and Jean Birrell, educated at Alloa and Denny Schools and Univ. of Glasgow, licens'd by Presb. of Stirling 26th Nov. 1861, assistant at Alloa, Leslie, Fife, and Leven, ord. assistant and successor 26th July 1871, died 27th Jan. 1915. He marr. 28th Oct. 1880, Margaret Asher, daughter of James Bell and Barbara Forsyth, and had issue Jane Forsyth, born 17th Aug. 1881, marr. 23rd Dec. 1902, — Thomson, & Kate Sutherland, born 22nd April 1883, Margaret Asher Bell, born 28th Dec. 1884 (marr. 11th Oct. 1920, — Banks), James Bell, R.N., born 2nd Sept. 1886, Isobel Ansell, born 3rd Oct. 1887, William, born 28th Oct. 1889.

THOMAS DOWNEY MEREDITH, M.A., ord. 23rd June 1847, trans. 1916 to Inchtuthil 17th May 1921.

RICHARD GIBB, born 23rd Aug. 1887, son of Richard G. Gibbbridge, and 1920 Mary McEadyon, educated at Carrick Higher Grade School and Univ. of Glasgow, M.A. 1916, licens'd by Presb. of Irvine 6th April 1920, assistant at Daldy and St Paul's, Glasgow, ord. 27th Oct. 1920. Marr. 6th Dec. 1921, Maggie, M.A., daughter of James Craig and Martha Wilson, and has issue John Watson, born 21st Oct. 1921.

ST. LUKES Q.S.

[The church, formerly United Presbyterian, was acquired in 1870 by Messrs Cox Brothers, made over to the Church of Scotland. It was opened as a chapel of ease 14th March 1874. St. Luke's parish was disjoined from Linlithgow 13th March 1876.]

PETER MACLEOD, ord. 17th Sept. 1874; adm. first min. of the parish 1574 5th April 1876; trans. to Neilston 29th April 1879.

WILLIAM MAY, born Ipswich, Suffolk, 31st July 1844, son of Benjamin M. and Susannah Faith Bennett; educated at John Watson's Institution and Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (1875); licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 16th May 1877; assistant at Govan; ord. 25th Sept. 1879; res. 27th Oct. 1916; died 7th Jan. 1925. He marr. 14th June 1898, Annie Reid, daugh. of Richard McDougall, Castlemilk Gates, Lockerbie, and Margaret Irving.

EVELYN GALL, born 26th April 1888, son of William G., min. of Torryburn; educated at High School, Stirling, and Univs. of Glasgow, M.A. (1910), and Edinburgh, B.D. (1913); licen. by Presb. of Stirling May 1913; assistant at St Mark's, Dundee; ord. to Logie, Fife, 23rd Sept. 1914; trans. and adm. 28th March 1917. Marr. 30th Nov. 1915, Roberta Jean Purdon, youngest daugh. of James Brown, Glasgow, and Jessie Cunningham, and has issue — Evelyn Graham, born 9th Dec. 1916; Douglas Muir, born 5th July 1920.

LOGIE (Q.S.).

[The church prior to the Reformation belonged to the Abbey of St Andrews. The parish was united to Liff by the Commissioners of Parliament before 3rd Sept. 1613, but was served *quoad spiritualia* by the parson of Dundee. Logie was constituted a chapel of ease 5th Aug. 1874, and on 16th July 1877 this parish was disjoined again *quoad secura* from Liff, Benvie, and Invergowrie.]

WILLIAM HAITLIE, trans. from Abernyte in 1574, with Liff, Invergowrie, Abernyte, and Lundie also in the charge; trans. to Benvie before 1576.

ANDREW HANY, reader here, and at 1574 Liff.

JOHN CHRISTISON, reader at Dunfermline from Nov. 1570 to 1574; adm. before 1576, with Liff and Invergowrie also in the charge; decree against him as a usurer 4th June 1612; died before 30th June 1615. He marr. (1) 30th April 1579, Bessie Keir, and had issue William, born 27th Jan. 1572 3; (2) Janet (died before 12th Feb. 1609), sister of John Davidson in Dunfermline. [Reg. of Deeds, clxx., 180; Forfar Inhib., 17th July 1615; Dunfermline Reg.; Reg. Mag. Sig., vi., 1374; P.C. Reg., ix., 385.]

GEORGE BELL LUNAN, M.A., B.D.; ord. 13th Jan. 1873; trans. to Newtyle 8th Jan. 1874.

GEORGE BRUCE SCOUNLAR WATSON, M.A., B.D.; ord. 19th 1874 March 1874; trans. to Cavers 30th Nov. 1876 (cf. Vol. II, 107); died 30th Dec. 1923.

STEWART GALLOWAY, born Milnathort, 1847, son of John G., Hattonburn, and Mary Ann Thomson; educated at Milnathort School, Cupar Academy, and Univs. of Aberdeen and St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews in 1874; assistant at St Paul's, Dundee, and St Mungo's, Glasgow; ord. 29th Feb. 1877; adm. first min. of the parish 3rd Oct. 1877; died 4th April 1909. He marr. 27th Oct. 1898, a daugh. of Thomas Cram and Janet Galloway.

RICHARD MACKIE CLARK, born 1909 Kinglassie, 15th Dec. 1884, son of Alexander C. and Helen Gow; educated at Mackie Academy, Stonehaven, and Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A. (1905); licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen in 1908; assistant in this parish; ord. 20th Sept. 1909; chaplain to Forces during European War; trans. to Wamphray 22nd June 1922. Marr. 12th Jan. 1910, Jeanie, daugh. of Alexander Scott, East Donside, Monikie, and Jessie Fairweather, and has issue — Alexander Scott, born 20th April 1911; Olive, born 16th May 1914; Florence, born 9th May 1916.

JAMES WILSON MUGGUCH, M.A.,
1922 B.D. (trans. and adm. from Hurford
op.) 13th Dec. 1922.

MARINERS'.

JAMES LAW, cited fr. a chaplain to
 seamen in Dundee, then app'd 6th
1843 May 1840 as min. at request of
 Seamen's Society. Joined the Free Church
 and ord. 6th July 1843. was re-adm.
 1st May 1844 on his petition, along with
 his congregation which were hipped in a
 church in Reform Street. He was sus-
 pended 10th June 1844 because of doctrinal
 doctrinal position and Episcop. tendencies,
 re-opened 31st July 1844, and left the Presb.
 2nd Oct. 1844, being granted a certificate,
 became min. at Kirriemuir, South, 24th
 April 1845 (*q.v.*).

MARYFIELD (Q.S.).

A chapel attached to the old asylum in
 Albert Street was acquired here in 1880.
 In 1889 it was enlarged. The parish of
 Maryfield was disjoined from St. Mary's,
 Dundee, 5th Feb. 1904.]

JAMES DOWIE, born Kemback, 13th
1887 July 1858, son of McBrinn D. and
 Isabella Galloway, educated at
 Madras College and Univ. of St. Andrews;
 licen. by Presb. there 7th May 1882; asst.
 at St. John's Cross, Dundee, ord. 17th Feb. 1887; adm. first min. of
 parish 12th Feb. 1894, res. owing to failing
 health 13th May 1922.

JOHN McILWRAITH, born Co. Antrim,
1922 7th June 1888, son of John G. Mc-
 ilwraith and Margaret Dunlop, educated at
 McCrea Mag. College, Londonderry, and
 Trinity Coll., Dublin; B.A. June 1912; licen.
 by Presb. of Ballymena 13th May 1915; ord. to Templepatrick, Co. Antrim,
 3rd Aug. 1915; chaplain to Forces in 1917;
 adm. to Church of Scotland by General
 Assembly May 1921; assistant at St. Mary's,
 Dundee, adm. to this charge 10th Sept.
 1922. Marr. 6th Jan. 1923, Ethel Helen
 Margaret, only daugh. of John Davidson
 Craig.

ROSEBANK (Q.S.).

[A chapel of ease was constituted here
 5th Apr. 1873. The parish of Rosebank
 was disjoined from St. Mary's, Dundee,
 1st Jan. 1751.]

JAMES NICOLL, ord. 1st Jan. and
 1873 trans. to Murray's 5th June 1873.

DAVID BARRIE CAMERON, born
 Hamilton 1839, younger son of
 John Cameron, merchant, Cambuslang,
 and Marion Barrie, educated at Hamil-
 ton Academy and Univ. of Glasgow;
 B.A. 1859, M.A. 1860. Rec'd. by Presb.
 of Hamilton in 1863, assistant at East
 Kilpatrick and New Monkland, ord. 26th
 Dec. 1873; adm. first min. of the parish
 3rd Feb. 1875; app'd. clerk of Presb. in 1895
 and of Synod in 1898; D.D. St. Andrews
 1903; died 14th Aug. 1916. He took a
 prominent part in the public life of Dundee,
 was Chairman of its School Board, and a
 member of many educational committees.
 He marr. 1st Nov. 1875, Rev. S. Bell,
 who died 10th March 1892, and had issue
 Marion Barrie Hamilton, born 10th June
 1877, died 11th April 1902; Edith, born
 3rd Sept. 1878, marr. 26th Oct. 1909,
 Sir Trichawke Herbert Kokowich, Bart.,
 barrister; 22-31st July 1912. Anna
 Robertson, daugh. of David Taylor and
 Mary Wilson.

ALEXANDER FORRES BLACK, born
 East Calder, Midlothian, 16th Nov.
 1920 1876, son of James B. and Margaret
 Thomson, educated at Petter's College and
 Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (1898); B.D.
 1912; licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 9th
 May 1912; assistant at Holburn, Aberdeen;
 ord. to Kincardine 7th Jan. 1915; trans. and
 adm. 17th May 1920. Marr. 7th June 1923,
 Barbara, eldest daugh. of Alexander Camp-
 bell, Balnabean, Crichton Bridge.

ST. ANDREWS (Q.S.).

[A chapel of ease was built here in 1772.
 St. Andrew's parish was disjoined from St.
 Mary's 3rd March 1873.]

THOMAS RAITT, elected by the Trades; ord. 3rd May 1775; trans. to Lundie and Fowlis 31st July 1806.

WILLIAM HAMILTON, elected by the Kirk Session Oct., and ord. 23rd Dec. 1807; trans. to Strathblane 14th Sept. 1809.

ALEXANDER MACNEIL, licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh in 1806; ord. 1809 by Presb. of Kincardine O'Neil missionary at Braemar 6th May 1807; elected by the Trades; trans. and adm. 6th Dec. 1809; died 16th April 1853.

GAVIN PARKER, ord. (assistant) 1st 1823 Oct. 1823; trans. to Union Terrace Chapel, Aberdeen, 16th Oct. 1828.

JAMES EWING, born Conraig, 1810, 1837 eldest son of Robert Ew, farmer, Muthill, Perthshire, and Catherine Comrie; educated at Muthill School and Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Dunkeld 2nd July 1833; elected by the Kirk Session 11th Oct. and ord. (assistant and successor) 11th Dec. 1837. Joined the Free Church in 1843; min. of St Andrew's Free Church in 1843; died 12th Feb. 1886. He marr. 5th Jan. 1847, Marjory died 7th Oct. 1860, daugh. of John Ferguson, writer, Glasgow, and had issue—Robert, M.A., D.D., Fellow of St John's College, Oxford, Vicar of Trinity Church, Trowbridge, Wilts, Canon of Salisbury, born 14th Dec. 1847, died 19th May 1908; John Ferguson, M.A., min. of Toorak Presbyterian Church, Melbourne, Australia, born 17th June 1849, died 7th May 1890; Jane Roxburgh, born 27th Feb., and died 18th March 1853; Sir James Alfred, K.C.B., M.A., LL.D., F.R.S., Vice-Chancellor and Principal of Univ. of Edinburgh, born 27th March 1855; Catherine Edith Roxburgh, born 23rd Aug. 1862, marr. 1st Aug. 1900, Charles Shaw, min. of St Andrew's Free Church, Dundee; Patrick Archibald, born 13th Feb., and died 25th May 1864. Publication—*Sermon XLII.* (*Free Church Pulpit*, i.).

JAMES RANKEN, trans. from Maxwell town (assistant and successor) and adm. 6th Feb. 1845, trans. to Kinaird 13th Nov. 1845.

RICHARD LOGAN, born 1798, third 1846 son of John L., Anderston, Glasgow, and brother of Alexander Stuart L., Sheriff of Forfarshire, and nephew of James L., min. of the Relief Church, St Ninians; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; ord. min. of Roxburgh Terrace Relief Church, Edinburgh, 18th Dec. 1834; res. 16th May 1842. Joined the Church of Scotland in 1845; adm. to this charge (assistant and successor) 8th Jan. 1846; died at Culross after prolonged ill health 17th July 1871. [Small's *Hist. of U.P. Congs.*, i. 459.]

ROBERT HOPE BROWN, ord. 1867 (assistant and successor to preceding min.) 16th May 1867; trans. to Kilsyth 1st June 1871.

ALEXANDER MILNE, trans. from Hillside, Montrose, 1st Nov. 1871; adm. first min. of the parish in 1873; trans. to Swinton 13th June 1878.

ALEXANDER LEGGE, ord. 19th Dec. 1878; trans. to Kileconquhar 2nd June 1886.

HARCOURT MORTON DAVIDSON, born 25th Jan. 1860, son of George 1888 Smyttan D., min. of Kinfauns [cf. Vol. IV., p. 218. Publication—*Lettings* 1902]; educated at Royal High School and Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Perth June 1884; assistant at West St Giles and St Cuthberts, Edinburgh; ord. 16th Dec. 1886. Marr. 25th July 1887, Jane Primrose Wylie, second daugh. of Robert Hutchison of Carlowrie and Mary Jemima, daugh. of Adam Duncan Tait, min. of Kirkliston, and sister of Sir Thomas Hutchison, Bart., Lord Provost of Edinburgh.

ST ENOCHS (Q.S.).

[A congregation formed partly from St John's and partly from Duddhope Free Churches was recognised by the Free Church General Assembly. It met in

The title Hall Union Street. A new church called St. Enoch was opened 1st June 1873. The parish of St. Enoch's was created 13th March 1870.]

WILLIAM ANGUS KNIGHT, born 1874, aged 15 in 1889, second son of George Fulton Knight, of Meldrum, educated at Circus Lane and High School, Dundee, and Free Church College, Edinburgh, a student at Free St. John's, Dundee, and Meldrumton Free Church, and minister of Driffield Free Church, ord. by Free Church Presby. 26th July 1866 man of St. Enoch's Free Church, K. preached in a Unitarian chapel, and published a discourse on the subject of Prayer, which some of his Presbyterians deemed heretical, the meeting came before the Presby. and caused considerable discussion, with the result that he and his congregation, who were very much attached to him, severed their connection with the Free Church, and were admitted to the Church of Scotland by the General Assembly 1st June 1874, who first met of the parish 13th March 1870, res. 6th Dec. 1870 on appointment to Chair of Moral Philosophy in Univ. of St. Andrews, LL.D., Glasgow 1870, Examiner in Mental and Moral Science to the Univ. of London in 1887, Examiner in Phil. supply to Victoria Univ. Manchester, 1893, Dean of Faculty of Arts and Organiser and Director of St. Andrews Univ. Extension Lecture Scheme. A leading authority on Wordsworth, he founded the Wordsworth Society and gifted to the trustees of Dove Cottage, Grasmere, the Wordsworth's old home, all the editions of Wordsworth's poems in his collection, many portraits, sketches, MSS., and other relics of the poet and his sister. He retired in 1899 from his Chair and died at Keswick 8th March 1916. He married 10th July 1893, Mary Simpson, daughter of David Leidell, St. Mary's Kirkcudbright, and had issue:—Mary Russell Landell, born 21st March 1897; Herbert Theodore, born 23rd March 1899. Publications.—*Papers from the Dawn of English Literature to the Year 1600* (1863), 65th part *Postscript to Deep-Sea Sounding* (1870), *The English*

Language in Later Antiquity (1879), *Works* (1879-91), *Studies on the English Literature* (London, 1879); *Proceedings of the British Archaeological Society*, 1880-81, edited 1901; *A Short History of English Poetry*, 15 vols. (Edinburgh, 1880-90); *Works with Posthumous Works and Life*, 11 vols. (London, 1881-85); *Specimens of English Poetry*, 1882, London; *Memoirs of Coleridge*, 2 vols. (Edinburgh, 1887); *Principles of Style*, 1888; *His Poems* (London, 1888); *85 Years from Worcester* (1889); *Works of Coleridge* (1890); *Essays on English Poets Old and New* (1890); *The White Doe of Rylstone* (edited 1891); *Editor's of Literature* (Manuals), 21 vols. (1891-96); *The Philosophy of the Lexington Poet* (London, 1891); *Its Thinking* (London, 1893); *The English Writers of the 17th Century* (London, 1892); *Blakes and Browning* (1893); *Some Social Pictures of the 19th C.* (1893); *Adventures of Tom* (London, 1894); *The Old-Saint Ether* (1894); *Edited Retractions* (selected at the University of St. Andrews) (London, 1894); *The Literary Efforts of Sir Walter Scott* (London, 1894); *The English Poet Latitudinarian* (1894); *Memoirs of John Nichol, Professor of English Literature in Glasgow University* (Glasgow, 1895); *The Works of William Wordsworth and of the Wordsworths*, 12 vols. (1897-1903); *Major Pitt* (1897-1903); *Last Month* (1901) and *Some of his Correspondence* (London, 1900); *Days of Pitt* (from 1800-1900), *Further Being Studies on Pitt's Poems of Patriotism and Piety* (1901); *Life and Times of Pitt* (1901); *Pro Patria et Rege* (1901); *Early Chapters in the History of the University of St. Andrews and Dundee* (1902); *Sixteenth-Century Scottish* (Edinburgh, 1902); *Andropogon* (1902); *Opportunities of the Contests in Dove Cottage* (1902); *Catalogue of Portraits of Painters, Poets, etc., presented to the University of St. Andrews* (1902); *Retrospects* (London, 1903); *Reciprocity in Trade, the Empire's Safeguard* (1903); *Biographical Sketches of Sir Thomas Thornton* (1905); *Prayers, Ancient and Modern* (1905); *The Poems of Coleridge*, edited; *Lectures of the Wordsworth Family* (1907); *The Poems of Sir Walter*

Scott, edited; Memorials of Thomas David son 1907); Coleridge and Wordsworth in the West Country, their Friendship and Surroundings (London, 1913).

HUGH GEORGE WATT, born 28th Jan. 1853, son of William Martin 1877. W., min. of Shotts; educated at Shotts Parish School and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1872), B.D. (1875); licen. by Presb. of Hamilton May 1874; assistant at Anderston, Glasgow, and *locum tenens* Hebrew Chair, Univ. of Glasgow; ord. 2nd May 1877, D.D. (Glasgow 1897); died suddenly, immediately after concluding service at Leceopt Church, 26th Nov. 1922. He marr. 29th June 1878, Amy Stanley, daugh. of William Wylie Allan, M.D., and had issue: William Martin, civil engineer, born 30th May 1879, died at Salisbury, Rhodesia, 25th Dec. 1918; George Herbert Johnston, grain broker, born 15th Feb. 1882; Lilian, born 30th March 1885 (marr. 2nd June 1918, George Welsher, wine merchant, Dundee); John Campbell, tea planter, born 9th Jan. 1889; Charles Hugh, mercantile clerk, born 18th Jan. 1892. Publication: *The Sacraments and Prayer, being Services for Public Worship, Sacramental and other Occasions* (Edinburgh, 1912).

WILLIAM YOUNG COLQUHOUN, 1923. born Glasgow, 18th April 1887, son of John C. and Margaret Taverow; educated at Springburn Public School, Whitehill Higher Grade School, Glasgow, and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (April 1907); licen. by Presb. of Glasgow 1st May 1912; assistant at Bluevale, 1912-13; Barony Parish, Glasgow, 1913-14; ord. to Ellon 8th May 1914; chaplain to Forces in Egypt and Palestine in 1918; trans. and adm. 17th May 1923. Marr. 27th April 1915, Rebecca Graham Rennie, youngest daugh. of William Macalister and Rebecca Graham Rennie, and has issue: John Gordon, born 9th March 1916; Donald Macalister, born 17th July 1918.

ST MARK'S (Q.S.).

[A church in Perth Road was opened for worship on 7th Nov. 1869. The parish of St Mark was erected 3rd July 1871.]

DONALD MACLEOD, trans. from 1870 First Charge, Montrose, 16th June 1870; adm. first min. of the parish 1871; trans. to Jedburgh 3rd May 1877.

CHARLES MARTIN GRANT, born 1877 Nova Scotia, 1842, son of James G., schoolmaster, and Mary, daugh. of George Ross Monro, and brother of George Monro G., D.D., LL.D., C.M.G., Principal of Queen's College, Kingston, Ontario; educated at Univs. of Glasgow, M.A. (1865), Edinburgh, B.D. (1866); licen. by Presb. of Ayr 25th July 1866; ord. missionary in Nova Scotia 5th Aug. 1866; min. of St Andrew's Church, Halifax, Oct. 1866 to Nov. 1868; missionary at Calcutta, Nov. 1868 to 1871, but obliged to come home on account of his health; adm. to St Mary's, Partick, 22nd Feb. 1872; trans. and adm. 16th Nov. 1877; D.D. (1900); res. 2nd April 1913; died 1st May 1916. He marr. (1) 9th Jan. 1871, Emily Ann McArthur, who died 13th Jan. 1873, and had issue: James Stuart Monro, born 18th Dec. 1872, died 29th Jan. 1889; (2) 3rd Feb. 1875, Eliza Jamesa Pollock (died 10th April 1902), daugh. of James Muirhead and Mary Pollock, and had issue: Mary Pollock, sometime missionary in India, now lecturer, born 2nd Dec. 1875; Charles Frederick, Indian Civil Service, born 29th Sept. 1878; Georgette Helena, born 20th Dec. 1882 (marr. Idwal Lloyd, Indian Civil Service); James Muirhead, captain 15th Hussars, born 5th Oct. 1884, died on service 29th Sept. 1915; Clara Jamesa, born 2nd Dec. 1886 (marr. Frank Lang, Publications *Like Heathens* (Edinburgh, 1886); *Between the Testaments* [Guild Text Book] (Edinburgh, 1907).

JOSEPH ROBERT PRENTER, born 1913 Dromore, Co. Down, 19th July 1872, son of Samuel P., D.D., LL.D., min. of Ormonde Quay Presbyterian Church, Dublin, and Helen Kinnair Brown, Stoneshaven; educated at High School, Dublin, and Trinity College, Dublin; B.A. (1893), M.A. (1902); licen. by Presb. of Dublin May 1899; ord. to Ahoghill, Co. Antrim, Sept. 1900; trans. to St Paul's, Leith, 7th April 1909; trans. and adm. 15th Oct.

1913. Marr. 3rd Oct. 1909, Louise, daughter of John Gibson Moore and Sarah Woods, and has issue: Helen, born 3rd Aug. 1904; Kathleen Louise, born 10th March 1903; Robert Gib, midshipman Royal Navy, born 27th July 1906; Irene Blanche Woods, born 30th Sept. 1913.

ST MATTHEWS (Q.S.).

A chapel of ease was constituted here 5th Aug. 1875. The parish of St Matthews was erected 12th Jan. 1885.]

JOHN MILLS, born Glasgow, 29th Aug. 1844, son of Thomas M. and Susan Adam; educated at High School and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1865); licensed by Presb. of Glasgow in 1860, assistant at Bothwell, ord. 6th Jan. 1871, adm. first min. of the parish 11th Feb. 1885; res. 10th May 1913, died 10th Jan. 1923.

ALEXANDER MAUCHLINE, born in 1913 Dalserf parish 29th April 1881, son of John M. and Elizabeth Neil, educated at Larkhall Academy and Univs. of Edinburgh, M.A. 1904, and Glasgow, B.D. (1906); licensed by Presb. of Hamilton, April 1906, assistant at Buncleugh, Edinburgh, ord. as Professor of English, Scottish Churches College, Calcutta, 15th Sept. 1909, adm. here 20th Nov. 1913, served as Lieutenant R.G.A. in European War, res. 22nd June 1912 (on appointment as missionary at Blantyre, Nyasaland), adm. to St Mary's Ddzbil, 12th Sept. 1923; Marr. 22nd Oct. 1910, Janet Kerr, daughter of John Neil and Elizabeth Laidlow, and has issue: Mary Elizabeth, born May 1915.

MATTHEW WELSH NEILSON, born 1920 Peterhead 11th Sept. 1890, son of David N. and Elizabeth Brown, educated at Ayr Academy and Univ. of Glasgow, M.A. 1910, B.D. 1914; licensed by Presb. of Ayr 28th March 1914, acted as army chaplain and as assistant at Rosyth, ord. 17th Nov. 1920, trans. to New Deer 1924; Marr. 4th July 1916, Louise, daughter of John and Christina Morrison, and has issue: Christina M. Leslie.

HUGH CLARKE MCCOLL, M.A. (trans. 1924 from Kilbirnie, p. 1) 9th Oct. 1924.

ST PETERS.

Detached from St John's parish and opened as a chapel of ease in 1836. Retained by the Free Church in 1843.]

ROBERT MURRAY MCHEYNE, born at Edinburgh 21st May 1813, 1836 youngest son of Adam M. W.S., and Lockhart Murray, daughter of David Jackson of Leckhowe, Dumfriesshire; educated at High School and Univ. of Edinburgh, licensed by Presb. of Annan 1st July 1835, assistant at Larbert and Dunipace, elected in Angus, and ord. 24th Nov. 1836. Never robust, he suffered a series of breakdown in health in 1838, and was obliged to give up his pastoral duties. He went to Edinburgh to rest and recuperate. During his absence his pulpit was supplied by William Chalmers Burns, afterwards the celebrated missionary to China. In 1839 he was one of a Deputation appointed by the Committee of the General Assembly on the Conversion of the Jews, to visit Palestine to consider the expediency of beginning a Jewish mission there. M. was away from 15th April to 6th Nov. 1839. On his return he resumed his work at Dundee with renewed energy, and devoted himself to evangelistic missions in England and Scotland. He preached to his own people on 12th March, and two days afterwards was seized with typhus fever, which he had contracted in the course of visitation, and died 25th March 1843. He was buried beside his own church, where an imposing monument marks his grave. He was unmarried. Perhaps no man in the Church of Scotland is better remembered for the saintliness of his character, the anxious devotion which informed the whole of his short ministry, and the success which everywhere accompanied his efforts as a preacher of the Gospel. He was a diligent Bible student and a good classical scholar. He learned to read Greek when he was but a boy, and he could carry on a conversation in Hebrew. He had fine poetical, artistic, and musical gifts. He trained his congregation in psalmody, and his hymns are the property of all the

Churches. Publications: *Why is God a Stranger in the Land?* (Edinburgh, 1838); *Reasons why Children should fly to Christ without Delay* (Edinburgh, 1839); *To the Lambs of the flock* (Edinburgh, 1840); *Testing against the running of Railway Trains on Sabbath* (Dundee, 1841); *For the Poor, Day* (Dundee, 1841); *Early Breath* (Edinburgh, 1842); *Another Leaf Gathered* (Edinburgh, 1842); *Narrative of a Mission of Inquiry to the Jews from the Church of Scotland in 1839* [jointly with Andrew A. Bonar] (Edinburgh, 1842); *The Everlasting Inheritance, the Believer's Portion, and the Vessel's of Wrath fitted to Destruction*, two discourses (Dundee, 1843); *Expositions of the Epistles to the Seven Churches of Asia* (Dundee, 1843); *Songs of Zion to cheer and guide Pilgrims on their way to the New Jerusalem* (Dundee, 1843); *Memoir and Remains* [portrait by Andrew A. Bonar (Edinburgh, 1844; numerous editions, and Gaelic translation by Allan Sinclair, 1895)]; *Additional Remains consisting of various Sermons and Lectures* (Edinburgh, 1846); *Basket of Fragments, the Substance of Sermons* (Aberdeen, 1848); *Revived Truth, being Sermons hitherto unpublished* (London, 1860). He wrote the hymns—"When this Passing World is done," "I once was a Stranger to Grace and to God," "Beneath Moriah's Rocky Side" [written at the foot of Carmel, June 1839], "Like Mist on the Mountains," and "Ten Virgins clothed in White,"—[*Memoir and Remains*; *Jean Logan Watson's Life, Autobiography of Thomas Guthrie, D.D.* [in which is described the accident said to have been the beginning of McCheyne's illness], 174; (*London, 1874*); *Norrie's Dundee Celebrities*, 815; *Julian's Dict. of Hymnology*, 707; *Diet. Nat. Biog.*]

WALLACETOWN (Q.S.).

[A church was opened here in 1840. In 1843 the min. and congregation joined the Free Church and retained the building until 1853, when it was sold by public roup and purchased by the Presb. of Dundee. The parish of Wallacetown was disjoined from St Mary's 9th March 1874.]

PATRICK LESLIE MILLER, born 1840 Edinburgh, 1812 he was the playmate and companion of Robert Murray McCheyne, son of Thomas Hamilton M.A., advocate, Sheriff of Selkirkshire, and Mary Ann, daugh. of Abel Ram, M.A.; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; licens'd by Presb. of Edinburgh; assistant at St David's, Dundee, and at Botriphnie; elected 18th Sept., and ord. 16th Dec. 1840. Joined the Free Church in 1843, min. of Wallacetown Free Church, 1843-7; trans. to Groat Market Presbyterian Church, Newcastle upon Tyne, 25th March 1847; died 16th April 1893. He marr'd, and had issue—four children. [*Hist. Memorials of Presbyterianism in Newcastle-upon-Tyne*, 107; *Norrie's Dundee Celebrities*, 297; *Memoir of McCheyne*, 249.]

JAMES ANDERSON, pres. by the Presb.; ord. 13th Aug. 1856; trans. 1856 to Forteviot 7th May 1857.

ANDREW GRAY, M.A.; ord. 1st Dec. 1857; trans. to New Parish, Dumfries, 9th Sept. 1858.

ALEXANDER MCLEAN, ord. 17th Feb. 1859; trans. to Strachan 7th Nov. 1861.

JOHN LINDSAY ADAMSON, born 1862 7th Aug. 1835, son of John Lindsay A., min. of St David's, Dundee; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; ord. 20th March 1862; adm. first min. of the parish 1st April 1874; res. in 1883; died 10th Jan. 1885.

JAMES MONTGOMERY CAMPBELL, ord. 7th March 1883; trans. to St Michael's, Dumfries, 20th Dec. 1905; app. Convener of Home Mission Committee, 1922.

JOHN MORRISON M'LUCKIE, trans. from Ruthrieston 11th April 1903; 1906 trans. to Lady Yester's, Edinburgh, 9th June 1910.

JOHN STEWART ROBERTSON, 1911 M.A., B.D.; trans. from High Kirk, Kilmarnock, 10th Feb. 1911; trans. to First Charge, Montrose, 17th May 1918.

STANLEY BUCHANAN CAREY, born Edinburgh Sept. 1884, son of Malcolm C. Davison, M.A., and Mary Ann Buchanan, educated at George Watson's College and Univ. of Edinburgh, M.A. (1906), licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh in 1909, ord. to Douglas Water, 10th March 1913, trans. and adm. to Dundee 1st June 1919, Marry 8th June 1945, to the daughter of John Stewart Macleod, Earlsferry, and has 1 son, Eleanor Edella Buchanan, born 6th July 1917.

WILLISON CHURCH.

[Formerly a. Original Secession Church; it was retained by the Free Church in 1843 & renamed after John Willison, min. of Dundee.]

ROBERT AIKEN, born 1787, eldest son of William A., artillerist, Glasgow, educated at Univ. of Glasgow and Original Secession Divinity Hall, licen. by Original Secession Presb. of Glasgow 26th Nov. 1810, had calls to Dunfermline, Kirkintilloch, and Shotts, but was ord. Original Secession min. at Kirkintilloch 15th Sept. 1811, removed to Barrack Street Church, Dundee, 5th June 1816, joined the Church of Scotland with his congregation 27th Oct. 1840, joined the Free Church in 1843, min. of Willison Free Church in 1843 & died at Rutherglen 1st July 1847.
See *Posthumous of Original Secession Church*, 1851.]

INCHTURE AND ROSSIE, or ROSSANCLEARACH.

[These parishes were united by Act of Parliament of 22nd Aug. 1670.]

Inchture. The church of Inchture belonged to the Priory of St Andrews.

RossanClearach, now Rossie.—The church of Rossan branch was dedicated to St Colum of Tyrrell, but there was a later dedication to St Laurence. The church belonged to the Priory of St Andrews.]

ALEXANDER JARDEN, canon of St Andrews Priory, canon in 1565,
1565 [Provost in Regent's House, 15th Jan.
1565, &c.]

JOHN SMYTH, reader in 1567, ex-
1567 letter at Linlithgow and Canon of
St Andrews Priory.

JAMES WICHTAND, reader in 1573,
1574 and d. at Kinghorn died 1579.

ARCHIBALD SIBBIT (or SIBBALD),
1579 pres. to the vicarage by James VI.
1579 14th Jan. 1579.

DAVID ROBERTSON, Canon of St
Andrews Priory, was min. of Rossie
1585 in 1585, trans. and adm. before
1585, with Kinghorn and Rossie under his
charge, till min. in 1588.

THOMAS RAMSAY, min. in 1589,
1589 trans. to Rossie about 1594.

ALEXANDER SCRUMGEOUR, M.A.,
1599 adm. before 1599, with Bonny also
in his charge, pres. by James VI. in
1600, trans. to Kinghorn Nov. 1620.

ALEXANDER ROBERTSON, M.A.,
Edinburgh, 27th June 1618, adm.
1626 before 31st Dec. 1626, till min.
13th May 1630, probably one of the
eighteen names in Synod dep'd by Committee of Visitation the year, was recom-
mended by the Synod 13th Oct. 1632 for
charity, being then aged and in distress,
died at Dundee before 27th Nov. 1637.

JOHN AUCHENLECK, M.A., adm.
before 10th July 1673, trans. to
Newburn 30th Sept. 1693.

ROBERT WHITE, ord. 12th June
1694, trans. to Fifehyperton Craig
24th May 1696.

JAMES CARSTAIRS, born 1651, son of
1682 Thomas C., Bearhills, educated at
Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. (1662);
licen. by Presb. of St Andrews in 1666; ord. to Tannadice 22nd Aug. 1667, pres.
and coll. by Alexander, Archbishop of St
Andrews, in Feb., trans. and adm. 22nd
March 1682, died before 4th May 1709.

GEORGE BLAIKIE, licen. by Presb. of Selkirk 11th Aug. 1698; ord. to **1710** Redgorton 25th April 1700; called 7th, which was corroborated by the Presb., *jure absolute*, 8th Feb.; trans. and adm. 1st June 1710; died 9th Sept. 1725. He marr. Anne Gardiner, who died 31st March 1756, and had issue George, min. at Charles town, South Carolina. [Tombst.]

JAMES OGILVIE, M.A.; trans. from **1728** Footdee; called 15th March, and adm. 28th April 1728; trans. to First Charge, Aberdeen, 26th May 1729.

JOHN RANKINE, born 1693, son of **1729** Alexander R., Episcopal min. in Dundee; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. 18th May 1719; ord. to Clunie 12th May 1729; pres. by George II, 9th, and called 24th Sept., trans. and adm. 10th Dec. 1729; died 14th Dec. 1737. He marr. Alison Haliburton, and had issue George; Alexander, served heir 22nd Jan. 1743; Barbara; Ann, died before 28th Nov. 1763; Elizabeth marr. John Hepburn, min. of Crawford. [Index to Services.]

THOMAS RANDALL, M.A., son of **1739** David R., merchant; called 1st Aug. 1738; ord. 21st March 1739; trans. to First Charge, Stirling, 21st June 1770. He marr. 28th Sept. 1742, and had issue (cf. Vol. IV., 321) David; Thomas, born 11th June 1747; William, born 2nd Nov. 1748, died 11th Nov. 1759; Janet, born 11th July 1750; Mary, born 14th Feb. 1752, died 17th July 1766.

THOMAS RANDALL, son of preceding; pres. by George III, 30th June 1770; **1771** ord. 21st Feb. 1771; trans. to Outer High Church, Glasgow, 18th Dec. 1773.

JOHN MILLAR, born 1734; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. **1774** (1759); ord. to Newburgh 23rd Sept. 1762; pres. by George III, 9th Dec. 1773; trans. and adm. 1st June 1774; died 26th Jan. 1799. He marr. 22nd June 1764, Jean Chrystie, who died 20th July 1803, and had issue Thomas, min. of Abdie, born 21st March 1765; Margaret, born 16th Nov. 1766; Elizabeth, born 21st June 1768; Robert, born 5th Dec. 1769;

Catherine, born 21st May 1771; Alexander, born 10th Feb. 1773; Agnes, born 1st March 1777; Patrick, born 7th Sept. 1779; Jean, born 20th Oct. 1781, died 11th Sept. 1782. Publication Account of the Parish (Sinclair's *Stat.* Acc., iv., xxvi).

ALEXANDER DAVIE, born 1763; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; **1799** pres. by George III, 1st Feb., and ord. 8th Aug. 1799; was libelled by the Presb. in 1811 on a *finesse clausa*, but the libel was withdrawn; again libelled in 1812 by certain parishioners, but after much procedure the General Assembly dismissed the same as not proven; died unmarr. 3rd Sept. 1840.

JOHN ADAMSON HONEY of Blair hall, born Spoutwells, Scone, 31st **1836** Oct. 1810, son of John H., min. of Bendochy; educated at Unive. of St Andrews and Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Perth 31st July 1833; pres. by William IV, in June, and ord. (assistant and successor) 1st Sept. 1836; D.D. (St Andrews, 28th Feb. 1868); died 21st Nov. 1898. He was a tall, handsome, courtly "gentleman of the olden time" and a keen sportsman. He marr. 9th Oct. 1837, Margaret Thomson (died 27th Sept. 1861), youngest daugh. of George Constable, Cupar Fife, and had issue John, born 5th Oct. 1838, died that month; McKenzie, born 12th Oct. 1839, died at Sydney, N.S.W., 5th March 1880; Mary Elizabeth, born 10th Jan. 1841 (marr. 31st July 1878, Allan Menzies, D.D., Professor of Biblical Criticism, Univ. of St Andrews); Frederica Anne, born 3rd Sept. 1842, died 19th Nov. 1916; Amelia Catherina, born 6th Feb. 1844, died 14th March 1895; Alfred James, born 29th Jan. 1846, licen. by Presb. of Dundee 3rd Feb. 1869, elected assistant and successor in this parish 10th May, but died at Edinburgh, 1st Sept. 1883; George Augustus Kinloch, born 27th Aug. 1847, died at St Leonards-on-Sea 11th April 1887; John Adamson, successor in the parish. Publication Account of the Parish (New Stat. Acc., x.); [Memoir of Allan Menzies in *A Study of Calvin* (London, 1918); *Voice of Yesterday* (portrait), 29-34.]

JOHN ADAMSON HONEY of Blair
1624—died in 1633, Nov. 1630, by pres.
of the Presbytery of Elgin at
Dunfermline School and Univ. of St
Andrews, M.A. 1606, son by Fr. John
of Blair, S.P. 1603, of the Presbytery
of Elgin, died 1633, lord of Glencairn 1620,
and of the Barony of Elgin, assessor
of the burgh of Fife 1621, died in St
Andrews 31 March 1623. He married
Anne, daughter and co-heiress of John
Stewart of Brightons, and had issue: John
Adamson, born 29 March 1603.

THOMAS DOWNEY MEREDITH,
born Catt, Douglas, and Oct. 1624,
1620—son of Sir William and Margaret
Downey, baronet of Castle Douglas, High Sheriff
of Galloway, Mary House, Training
College, and Univ. of Edinburgh, M.A.
1640, son by Fr. of Kirkcudbright
April 1613, as student at Aberdeen, ord.
to the barbri June 1615; trans. to Edin.
as student, and successor 17th May 1620;
Marr. 3rd Nov. 1645, Elizabeth Brast, L.L.A.,
eldest daughter of George Graham, Leslie,
and Isabella Steele.

ROSSIE.

DAVID ROBERTSON, min. in 1563,
1585—pres. to the vicarage by James VI.
1579, had Inchtuthil and Kilwardens in the charge in 1574; trans.
to Inchtuthil before 1585.

1574 DAVID COOK, reader in 1574.

THOMAS RAMSAY, educated at St
Leonard's College, St. Andrews,
1561—adm. to Inchtuthil in or before 1584;
trans. and adm. before 1591, died 1st Oct.
1597. His wife Christian Rutherford, who
survived him, had issue: John; Agnes;
Helen; Henry; John Ramsay of Jordantown,
and David Ramsay, his son, tutor
to his daughter in case of their mother
marrying again. [Elm. Teste.]

GEORGE HAMILIE, trans. from
1560—Abertynote before 1560, pres. to the
vicarage by James VI. 11th Aug.
1597, returned to Abertynote before 1614.

JAMES BLAIR, pres. by Charles I.
1624 Oct. 1624, 1st term 1647. He
1628 married Agnes Ogilvy, who had a
boy, and died Dec. 1647, and was succeeded
by his surviving brother, John, Alexander
Alexander, Alexander, Peter Hay of
Layton, Anne, marr. Pres. to the Hospital
of St. Mary of Leith, 1628, 1630,
1632, 1633, 1634, 1635, 1636, 1637. [See
Elm. Teste, Elm. Regist., 3, 36.]

ANDREW OLIPHANT, reader,
educated at Univ. of St. Andrews,
1650—M.A. 1654, wife, Elizabeth, in the
Family of Kirkaldy 11th Nov. 1654, adm.
on Nov. 1655, removed for his march
1658, probably for refusing the Teste. The
Synod of Fifeshire 1658 proposed he
should return to his charge and resolve to
recommend him to the General Assembly,
he having espoused his reputation for
his compliance with presbytery. He was
1659 and had issue: John, 2nd term
13th Nov. 1659, Margaret, daughter of
William Rutherford, of Inverurie, and had issue:
John, writer, Edinburgh, Thos. marr. George
Andrews, Margaret, Anna, Janet,
Magdalene, John, Mary, 3rd term 3rd
Aug. 1683. Isobell, only daughter of John
Shaw, citizen of St. Andrews. [Elm. Teste,
vi. 283, xi. 56; *Recd. of Docto.* Mack., 26th
Sept. 1671, *Life Hist.* viii, xxvi, 332.]

INVERGOWRIE (Q.S.).

[The ancient church of Invergowie, now
ruined, was dedicated to St. Peter. It is
said to have been the earliest Christian
church built north of the Tay. It belonged
to the Abbey of Scone. On 3rd Sept.
1613 this parish was united to Luff, Benvie,
and Logie. On 28th Jan. 1616 Inver-
gowrie was again disjoined, and with the
addition of an adjoining district taken
from Longforgan, the parish was erected
of new.]

NINIAN HALL, trans. from Luff Nov.
1571—1574; trans. to Biggar in 1573.

ALEXANDER FORBES, reader in
1574—1574.

ALEXANDER WADDELL, ord. 16th Nov. 1896; trans. to Eassie and 1899 Novay 6th May 1901.

DONALD DAVIDSON, born Inverness, 30th April 1854, son of Donald D. 1901 and Catherine Davidson, educated at Bell's School and privately and at Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. there June 1883, assistant at Campbeltown and St Michael's, Edinburgh, ord. to Kingstone, Jamaica, March 1888, missionary at Robertson Mission Church, Grassmarket, Edinburgh, 1896-1901; adm. to this charge 6th Oct. 1901; adm. first min. of the parish 1903. Marr. 5th March 1888, Lily, daughter of Alan Munro, and has issue: Janet, nurse; Helen Katherine, died 11th Dec. 1897; Donald, M.A., B.D., B.Litt., assistant at St Mary's, Dundee, ord. to Lowland Charge, Campbeltown, 4th April 1923; Alan, M.A., ord. Chaplain to Forces 11th Dec. 1920; James, medical student. Publications: *A Dwelling Place for God* (1900); *What Christ is to the Believer* (Dundee, 1917).

KINNAIRD IN GOWRIE.

[To distinguish this parish from several other places of the same name, it is styled Kinnaird in Gowrie.]

JAMES WICHTAND, reader here and 1574 at Inchture in 1574.

GEORGE HAITLIE, adm. about 1590; 1590 trans. to Abernyte before 1593.

JOHN OGILVIE, min. of Bonvie, had 1601 charge here in 1601.

ROBERT SEYMOUR [or SYMMER], 1607 M.A., eldest son of Robert S. and nephew of George S. of Balzeordie; pres. to the vicarage by James VI. 6th March 1607; trans. to Holyrood-house (Canongate) before 16th June 1621.—[*Reg. of Deeds*, ccxxxvi, 404.]

ROBERT MONTGOMERIE, M.A.; 1622 adm. in 1622; trans. to St Quivox in 1633.

JOHN BARCLAY, M.A., inst. 24th 1633 Nov. 1633; pres. to the vicarage 1633 by Charles I. 22nd April 1634; trans. to Monifieth 9th May 1639.

THOMAS KINNARES, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. (1635); 1640 adm. 22nd Aug. 1640, there was no service 6th to 20th July 1651, "he being with the army"; 3rd and 10th Aug., "the enemy being at Perth," and 10th thereafter the enemy being in their fields; on several occasions in 1675 it is recorded there was no preaching "because the barn doors, wherein the min. did formerly preach, were closed, all the seats removed, and the kirk not in a condition to preach in"; died April 1677, aged about 62. He marr. and had issue: James, D.D., min. of Selkirk; William; Thomas; Janet. [Philip's *The Evangel in Gowrie*, 152.]

WILLIAM PIERSON, M.A., fourth son of David P. of Lochlands; ord. 1659 (assistant and successor) 31st March 1659; trans. to Paisley before 29th Oct. 1663.

JOHN SHAW, educated at Univ. of 1678 Glasgow; M.A. (1681); passed trials before the Presb. of Stirling; licen. by George, Bishop of Edinburgh, 16th June 1683; adm. to Kells before 25th Oct. 1684; trans. to Carnock 1st Feb. 1685; trans. and adm. 13th March 1678; had a gift of the escheat of George Bruce of Wester Comrie 6th March 1688; conformed at the Revolution, but was suspended by the Privy Council 4th April 1700. He marr. 1 Anna Bennett, who died 12th March 1671, and had issue: George of Carsiebank, advocate, born 15th July 1669, died June 1739; Anna; Jean, born 6th March 1671; (2) Isabella Steedman (or Strachan), and had issue: Henry; Isabella; Catherine, born 21st June 1675; John, died 1st Dec. 1676.

JAMES ADAMS, born about 1682, son 1707 of Francis A.; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (12th July 1699); pres. by Sir David Threipland of Fingask;

called unanimously 5th Nov. 1706; ord. 25th Feb. 1707; died between 2nd Jan. and 6th Feb. 1734. Robert Chambers calls him an "obliging minister," from his frequent interferences with the Fingask family, who were chivalrous Jacobites. A being a Covenanter of a somewhat fiery type. He opposed the Marrow Doctrine, the tenets of John Giles, and the teaching of Professor Campbell of St Andrews. He marr. (1) cont. 12th May 1708; Elizabeth Maxwell; (2 1715; Jean, second daughter of Thomas Stark of Balmerino, and had issue Francis, min. of Creich; Henry, Robert, James; Margaret (marr. James Donaldson, min. of Glamis); she was sole surviving member of family in 1771; Elizabeth, Mary. Publications—*The Snake in the Grass, or Remarks upon a Book entitled "The Marrow of Modern Divinity,"* 47 pp. (Edinburgh, 1716) [answered in a *Letter to a Gentleman, containing a detection of errors in a print. entitled, "The Snake, etc."*] (1719); *The Cromwellian Ghost conjured, etc., and put from creeping into Houses, or Epiphroditus and Espavlerus called to a non Conference in vindication of the Author of "The Snake" (n.p., 1720); Marrow查明 displayed in a letter to the Rev. Mr. Ebenezer Erskine* (n.p., 1720) [answered in *The Viper Shaken off! Queries concerning the Lawfulness of National Covenanting* 1727] [addressed to John Glas, min. of Tealing]; *The Independent Ghost conjured* 1728; *Remarks on a late Pamphlet, entitled, "The Apostles no Enthusiasts"* [by Professor Archibald Campbell, D.D.] (London, 1730, Edinburgh, 1731). [T. & S., xxii. 347, xxx. 354; Philips' *The Evangel in Gowrie*, 17183; Chambers' *The Threiplands of Fife*, 32.]

[GEORGE BLAIKIE, born about 1708, son of George B., min. of Inchtuthil; pres. by George II. 27th April 1734, but the General Assembly found, 21st May 1734, that he could not be admitted min. of the parish, and that the parish must be settled according to the rules of the Church. He was afterwards pres. to Madderty (*q.v.*.)]

JAMES MYLNE [MILN], licen. by Presb. of Haddington 3rd Sept. 1734; 1736 called, 27th Feb. 1736, by the Presb. *pro rebus sua* 2nd, and ord. 16th Dec. 1736; died 17th Dec. 1783. He marr. 15th June 1741; Janet, died 21st Nov. 1790, daugr. of James Pritchey, min. of St Martin's, and had issue Elizabeth, born 4th April 1742, died 16th June 1771; Isobel, born 15th Sept. 1743; Mary, born 25th Oct. 1745 (marr. Andrew Hall, min. of Linlathen); Janet, born 24th July 1747 (marr. 12th Nov. 1763; Alexander Wright, junr., merchant, Dundee, died 26th Oct. 1769); Anne, born 12th Aug. 1749; died 2nd Aug. 1771; John, born 13th July 1751, died 12th Sept. 1793; Margaret, born 1st June 1753, died 6th April 1755; James, min. of Paisley, Professor of Moral Philosophy, Glasgow, born 3rd Sept. 1757, died 21st Sept. 1839; George in Bellario, born 18th March 1760; Margaret (marr. Adela Cairns, min. of Longforzaro).

DAVID SPENCE, born 16th Dec. 1750, 1784 son of John S., min. of Orwell, educated at Univ. of Edinburgh, M.A. 29th April 1766; licen. by Presb. of Dunfermline 1st April 1778; pres. by George III. 3rd Feb., and ord. 16th Sept. 1784; died 8th April 1830. He marr. 30th Oct. 1793, Jermont (died 24th Nov. 1833), daugr. of Alexander Dalling, min. of Cleish, and had issue Margaret, born 26th July 1794, died 12th Feb. 1805; Jean, born 12th Oct. 1797, died 10th April 1799; John, min. of this parish. Publication—*Account of the Parish* (Sinclair's *Stat. Acc.*, vi.).

JOHN SPENCE, born 27th April 1800, 1825 son of preceding; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Dundee 6th Oct. 1824; pres. by George IV. in June; ord. (assistant and successor) 27th Oct. 1825, died 24th Dec. 1866. He bequeathed £1000 to the Dundee Royal Infirmary, £1000 to Perth Infirmary, and the residue of his estate, about £12,000, to the Unive. of St Andrews and Edinburgh for bursaries. Publication—*Account of the Parish* (*New Stat. Acc.*, x.).

JAMES RANKEN, born 1811, third son of John R., merchant, Glasgow; **1845** educated at Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. there 28th March 1832; ord. to Maxwelltown 20th March 1834; trans. to St Andrew's Chapel, Dundee, 6th May 1835; pres. by Queen Victoria 10th Sept., trans. and adm. (assistant and successor) 13th Nov. 1845; died 6th Dec. 1868. He marr. 24th Aug. 1836, Margaret, died 23rd Feb. 1892, daugh. of David Ritchie, and had issue—John Hunter, born 15th Jan. 1838; James, born 30th Jan. 1840, died 21st Nov. 1863; William David, born 1st Sept., died 23rd Oct. 1842; Jane Oliphant, born 7th Jan. 1846; Mary Wilhelmina, born 28th April 1848; David Ritchie, born 9th Aug. 1851.

WILLIAM SINCLAIR, born about 1840, second son of Robert S., **1869** schoolmaster, Stewarton; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Irvine; assistant at Kersland Barony; pres. by Queen Victoria 16th Feb., and ord. 25th June 1869; died unmarr. at Crieff 10th Jan. 1879.

JAMES ROSE MACPHERSON, M.A., **1879** B.D.; ord. 1st July 1879; trans. to Dingwall 5th Jan. 1890.

JOHN MILNE ANDERSON, born St Andrews 30th Sept. 1869, son of George A. and Isabella Milne; educated at Madras College and Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1892), B.Sc. (1894), B.D. (1898); licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 5th May 1897; assistant at West Parish, Perth, and Old Machar; ord. 15th May 1899.

LIFF AND BENVIE.

[The parishes of Liff, Invergowrie, and Logie were united on 3rd Sept. 1643. On 5th Aug. 1753 Benvie was also joined with them. Logie was disjoined again in 1877, and Invergowrie also was severed from Liff and Benvie in 1916.]

Liff.—The church of Liff was dedicated to St Mary. It belonged to the Abbey

of Scone. Our Lady's Well is near the church.

Benvie.—The parish of Benvie, though in Gowrie, belonged to the diocese of St Andrews.

NINIAN HALL, min. in 1567, **1567** with Invergowrie and Logie in the charge; trans. to Invergowrie in 1571.

ANDREW HANY, reader here and at **1574** Logie.

JOHN CHRISTISON, min. of Logie, **1601** had charge here also.

JOHN DUNCAN, min. of Lundie in **1608** 1607; trans. and adm. between 1608 and 1613, when he had also charge of Logie and Invergowrie; dem. before 2nd March 1637; died in 1650. He marr. (1) Grizel Durham, and had issue—William; (2) Isobel Thornton, who received a gift from the Kirk-Session of Auchterhouse 17th March 1661, and had issue—Andrew, apprenticed to George Stirling, merchant, Edinburgh, 9th Dec. 1635; John; Agnes, died May 1615.—[*Inq. Ret. Gen.*, 2129; *Reg. of Deeds*, ccclxxxi, 34, eecxeix, 221.]

JAMES DUNCAN, educated at Univ. **1637** of St Andrews; M.A. (1631); pres. to Liff, Logie, and Invergowrie by Charles I, 2nd March 1637; still min. 15th July 1643. He marr., and had issue—Alexander of Ardounie, who, being desirous of leaving the country, had thirty shillings given him by the Kirk-Session 6th March 1667; William.—[*St Andrews Test.*; *Acts of Rec.*, Dal., 7th July 1696; *Banff Charters*, 226.]

PATRICK BALLINGALL, M.A. (St Andrews, 25th April 1635); adm. before 1st May 1649; still min. 5th June 1650.

ANDREW WEDDERBURN, M.A., **1650** son of James W., min. of Moonzie; adm. 29th July 1650; dep. 11th June 1664; restored by Act of Parliament, 25th April 1690, but did not return here on account of his health, and because the people adhered to John Christison.

WILLIAM SKINNER, born about 1670,
1684 son of Lawrence Skinner, of Navar,
 educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (18th May 1654); passed trials before
 the Presb. there, recommended for licens'd
 25th March 1663; adm. 16th Aug., pres.
 by Charles II; 13th Oct., coll. 8th Nov.,
 and inst. 24th Dec. 1663; died April
 1673. He marr. Nicolas Auchtlenie, who
 survived him. [See *Archib. Test.*, &c., *R. Horning*, 26th Nov. 1672.]

JOHN CHRISTISON, probably son or
1673 grandson of John Cummin, of Leven,
 educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (25th July 1663); licens'd by Presb. of St Andrews in 1668; adm. to Kemberick
 3rd June 1672; app. by James, Arch. bishop of St Andrews, pres. by Charles II,
 8th June, trans. and adm. 30th July 1673,
 deprived by Act of Parliament restoring
 Presbyterian mins.; received into communion
 between 17th May and 11th Oct.
 1694; died April 1703, aged about 65. He
 marr. Sept. 1679, Euphemia, sixth daugh.
 and co-heiress of David Balfour of Nether
 Sanford; she was in indigent circumstances
 in 1718, and had issue John. [G. R.
Hornings, 3rd June 1671.]

ANDREW WEDDERBURN, M.A.,
1690 above mentioned.

JOHN CHRISTISON, M.A., above
1694 mentioned.

ALEXANDER SCOTT, educated at
1704 Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (12th
 July 1696); licens'd by the Presb.
 there 21st April 1703; called 17th Feb.,
 which was corroborated by the Presb.
jure deodato; 1st March, and ord. 16th Aug.
 1704; died 7th Jan. 1724, aged about 45.
 He marr. (pro. 10th Dec. 1704), Margaret,
 daugh. of Donald Maxwell of Cowhill.
 [See *Archib. Test.*; *Elin. Marr. Rec.*]

THOMAS DONALDSON, licens'd by
1723 Presb. of Dunkeld 14th Feb. 1722;
 called 8th Oct. 1724; ord. (by a
 committee of Synod) 5th April 1726; died
 26th Sept. 1758. He marr. 5th Nov. 1727,
 Christian Hunter, and had issue John,

born 1728, served heir 8th Oct. 1762,
 Publication of *Sermon on Psalms* cxxiii.,
 1753.

JAMES PLAYFAIR, bapt. 6th Nov.
1753 1712, son of John Pa., tenant of
 Coopers Grange, and Jane Ure,
 educated at St Andrews Univ.; M.A. (4th
 May 1731); became chaplain to Thomas
 Gifford of Brasta in Shetland in 1739,
 licens'd by Presb. of Lerwick 6th Sept.
 1739; called 30th Nov. 1742; ord. to
 Bevie 23rd March 1743, removed here
 in terms of Decree of Annexation 19th Nov.
 1758; died 28th May 1772. He
 marr. (1) Isobel Ure, died sp. 12 9th
 Sept. 1746; Margaret Young, died in
 Edinburgh, 31st Jan. 1805, aged 85,
 and had issue John, his successor in the
 parish; Robert, born 5th Nov. 1751;
 Andrew, born 20th Feb. 1752, died 10th
 Feby. 1753; Jean, born 6th April 1754;
 James, architect, London, author of *A Method of Constructing Up-to-Date's* (1783)
 father of William Henry Pa., architect,
 Edinburgh, whose first public employment
 was the laying out of the new town of
 Edinburgh, designer of Royal and Regent
 Terraces, the College of Surgeons, Donaldson's
 Hospital, the National Gallery, and the
 unfinished National Monument on the
 Calton Hill; born 5th Aug. 1755; Charles,
 born 22nd Sept. 1759, died 8th March
 1760; William (twins), publicist, inventor,
 and author of *A Statistical Account of the United States of America* (1807), and
 various works on history, genealogy, and
 antiquity, born 22nd Sept. 1759, died in
 London 11th Feb. 1823; Andrew, born
 2nd May 1761; Margaret, born 16th July
 1763; Barbara, born 2nd July 1765.—
 [Four *Perthshire Families*, 52; *Diet. Nat.
 Biog.*]

JOHN PLAYFAIR, born 26th Feb. 1748
1773 [not 10th March as in *Diet. Nat.
 Biog.*], eldest son of preceding; educated
 at home and Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1765); acted as assistant to Professor
 of Natural Philosophy there during his
 illness; was at the age of 18 an unsuccessful
 competitor for Chair of Mathematics in
 Marischal College, Aberdeen, but came out

third; licen. by Presb. of Dundee 3rd Oct. 1770; unsuccessful candidate for Chair of Natural Philosophy at St Andrews in 1772; pres. by John, Lord Gray, 16th June 1772; ord. 30th June 1773; res. 8th Jan. 1783 on becoming tutor to the sons of William Ferguson of Raith; app. joint Professor of Mathematics [with Dr Adam Ferguson] in Univ. of Edinburgh, 21st May 1785; trans. to Chair of Natural Philosophy 30th March 1805; F.R.S. (1807); died unmarr. 20th July 1819. Publications *Elements of Geometry* (Edinburgh, 1795, 11 editions); *Illustrations of the Huttonian Theory of the Earth* (Edinburgh, 1802); *Letter to the Author of the Examination of Professor Stewart's Short Statement of Facts relative to the Election of Professor Leslie* (Edinburgh, 1803); *Outlines of Natural Philosophy* (Edinburgh, 1812, 1816, 1819); *Dissertation . . . exhibiting a General View of the Progress of Mathematical and Physical Science since the Revival of Letters in Europe* (supplement to 4th, 5th, and 6th editions of *Encyclopaedia Britannica*). Seventeen papers in the *Trans. of the Royal Society of Edinburgh* [of which he was General Secretary]. Collected edition of his Works in 4 vols. [edited by James G. Playfair] (1822). [*Dict. Nat. Biog.*; *Memoir prefixed to Works*; Cockburn's *Memorials*.]

THOMAS CONSTABLE, born 1750, 1785 eldest son of David C., grazier, Dundee, and Agnes Watson; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1772); licen. by Presb. of Dundee 8th Jan. 1783; pres. by George III, 13th, and Charles, Lord Gray, 26th June 1783, but owing to competing presentation, not ord. till 12th May 1785; D.D. St Andrews, 4th Feb. 1800; died unmarr. 17th April 1817. Publication—Account of the Parish (Sinclair's *Stat. Acc.*, xiii).—[*Four Perthshire Families*, 108.]

GEORGE ADDISON, born 1779, son of William A., miller, Huntly; educated at King's College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1794); was tutor in family of David, Earl of Airlie, for twelve years; licen. by Presb. of Forfar 20th Oct. 1802;

pres. by George III, 7th June, and ord. to Glenisla 22nd Sept. 1803; trans. to Auchterhouse 11th Oct. 1804; pres. by Francis, Lord Gray, in May, trans. and adm. 4th Sept. 1817; D.D. (St Andrews, 24th April 1830); died 4th Jan. 1852. He was a man of high intellectual powers and an admirable preacher. He was proposed for the position of Moderator of Assembly but declined. He marr. 14th May 1810, Mary Agnes (died 1st Dec. 1861), daugh. of James Scott, min. of Auchterhouse, and had issue Margaret, born 2nd May 1812; George, min. of Arbirlot, born 7th April 1815; Mary Christina, born 4th April 1819; William Scott, born 25th June 1822; James, born 26th Dec. 1823, died 5th July 1824. Publication—Account of the Parish (*New Stat. Acc.*, xi.).

LAUCHLAN MCLEAN, born 1797, son of Charles M., lieutenant in the 1852 army, and Jane Stewart; ord. to Kinfauns 25th Sept. 1813; pres. by John, Lord Gray, and Queen Victoria 2nd April, trans. and adm. 21st July 1852; died 7th March 1868. He marr. 7th May 1822, Christina Maclean, who died 2nd Jan. 1882, and had issue Charles Stuart, min. of Dun, born 19th June 1823; Alexander Brunton, born 14th June 1825, died 23rd Nov. 1859; Mary, born 23rd Feb. 1827; Lauchlan, born 3rd Dec. 1829; Christina Sinclair, born 20th July 1831; Allan Douglas, born 20th June 1833; Marion Hope Mackenzie, born 5th March 1835, died 27th April 1865; Donald Kennedy, accountant, Bank of Bombay, born 13th Aug. 1837; David Ridpath, born 22nd Jan. 1840, died 20th March 1863; John Fitzroy, born 17th Sept. 1842, died 14th Nov. 1866.

JOHN WILSON, born Aberdeen, 3rd Aug. 1839, son of Robert W. and 1869 Christian Rannie; educated at Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A. (1864); licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen 11th May 1867; assistant at the Barony, Glasgow; pres. 13th Oct. 1868; ord. 4th March 1869; died in Edinburgh, 12th April 1882. He marr. 25th Nov. 1869, Marianne (died in London, 17th Aug. 1908), eldest daugh. of Alexander Rae, Downhill

Hause, Glasgow, and Sarah Corson, and had issue James Reid, engineer, born 17th Sept. 1870, killed in railway accident at Scotby, U.S.A., 29th Oct. 1916; Alexander Robert Reid, born 23rd Aug. 1872, died 26th Nov. 1877; Mary Sedgwick Reid, born 14th July 1873; Christian Sarah, born 29th July 1874, died Nov. 1898; Mabel Campbell, born 1st Feb. 1876, marr. 16th Dec. 1900, Frederick Clegg Chittenden, North Fitzherbert, born 24th Jan. 1877, marr. 16th Aug. 1903, David Charles Wilson, solicitor; Mairi Alexandra, born 12th Feb. 1878, marr. July 1903, Francis Clement Yardley; Hilda Muriel Burden, man. Ramsay, born 2nd Nov. 1879, marr. 16th Aug. 1907, Frederick Ambrose Stapleton Gwatkin.

GEORGE DINGWALL, born Tariff 23rd March 1855, son of George 1892 Dingwall, educated at Univ. of Aberdeen, M.A. (1875), B.D. 1881, ord. to Craigiebuckler 22nd Dec. 1881, trans. and adm. 28th Sept. 1892, died 19th May 1918. He marr. 26th Aug. 1887, Annie Esther, died 13th March 1924, daughter of James Reid, and had issue George, merchant marine, born 3rd Nov. 1888; Esther, born 21st April 1890; Alice, born 21st Nov. 1891, died 26th June 1901; Archibald, M.C., engineer, born 8th June 1892; Neil, born 27th Dec. 1893, died 7th Oct. 1914.

WILLIAM SUTHERLAND BUCHAN, M.A., B.D., trans. from West Parish, 1919, Galashiels (q.v.) and adm. 3rd Jan. 1919, trans. to St James's, Portobello, 1924, app. editor of the *Church of Scotland Year Book*, March 1921.

BENVIE.

WILLIAM LUDE, pres. by David 1500 Lude, factor of Benvie [See *Registers of Inventories, etc., Reg. Socys., 1600-1650*].

1574 **JOHN BLAIR**, reader in 1574.

NICOLAS SPITTALL, trans. from Fowlis, with that parish and Long 1574 forgan also in his charge, removed to Longforgan in 1576.

WILLIAM HATLIE, trans. from Logie, with Abernyte and Lenins, also in 1576, the charge removed to Abernyte before 1585.

ROBERT SCRIMGEOUR, min. in 1585-1586.

PATRICK WATTERSTON, M.A., min. 1590 in Fife, trans. to St Andrews and Doorness, Orkney, 1591.

ALEXANDER SCRIMGEOUR, adm. in 1591, trans. to Inchtuthil in 1599, 1601 but because he retained this charge, the Synod, 6th Oct. 1613, ordered him to dimit, which he did into the hands of the Constable of Dundee between 3rd May and 8th Oct. 1614.

JOHN OGILVIE, M.A., adm. about 1599, leaving Kinneirid also in charge; 1600 pres. to the vicarages of Inchtuthil and Kinneirid by James VI, 3rd March 1601, trans. to Kingfearn in 1606.

JOHN RAMSAY, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 26th July 1600; 1610 adm. before 3rd Nov. 1610, still min. Sept. 1622.

HENRY FITTHE, M.A., pres. by Sir John Scrymgeour of Duthope 2nd, 1627 and coll. 25th March 1627, trans. to Mains in 1633.

ANDREW SHIPPERT, second son of Andrew Shippert, burgess of Dundee, 1633 educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. 1656, pres. by Sir John Scrymgeour of Duthope 2nd March, coll. 4th, and adm. 5th April 1653, still min. 21st July 1659. He marr. and had issue Andrew, min. of Abernyte. [See *Lock, T. Wightman, G. R. Horning*, 14th April 1670, Monteith's *Mort. Ste.*]

WILLIAM GRAY, min. in 1655, with Fowlis also in charge, dem. before 1655 6th June 1654 [See *G. R. Horning*, 13th June 1652].

ALEXANDER SCRIMGEOUR, born about 1632, eldest son of John S., 1635 merchant burgess of Dundee; educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. (14th

July 1660); passed trials before Presb. of Dundee and received a testimonial for licence 22nd Feb. 1665; pres. by John, Earl of Dundee, 9th June, and coll. by Archbishop of St Andrews 20th July 1665; inst. 9th May 1665; pres. to the vicarage by the Archbishop 11th May 1669; died Oct. 1686. He marr. Oct. 1664, Martha Granger, who survived him, and had issue, a daugh. (marr. Fervie, shipbuilder, Burntisland). [St Andrews *Test.*; *Procur Inhib.*, 4th Feb. 1670; *G. R. Hornings*, 13th Jan. 1672.]

GEORGE THOMSON, M.A.; promoted from being regent in the Old College, 1687 St Andrews; passed trials before Presb. of St Andrews; recommended for ordination 7th, and adm. 22nd Sept. 1687; because he prayed publicly for King James at a meeting of the Presb., his gown was pulled off by the populace and he himself imprisoned by the magistrates about the time of the Revolution. He den. before 3rd Jan. 1692, and retired to Edinburgh, where he died 18th April 1692, aged about 47. He marr. Oct. 1672, Margaret Wood in St Andrews, and had issue William; Elizabeth; Anna. [Edin. *Test.*; Edin. *Bur. Reg.*]

[**ALEXANDER RANKIN**, educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (27th July 1667); adm. a deacon under Episcopacy; intruded here 1692 to 1706; he afterwards lived in Dundee, and died 7th April 1729, aged 82. He marr., and had issue John, min. of Inchture. [Dunkeld *Test.*.]]

GEORGE OGILVY, M.A.; called 7th May, and ord. 27th Aug. 1707; trans. 1707 to Kirriemuir 13th Sept. 1713.

THOMAS BEVERIDGE, educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. 5th 1716 Aug. 1704); licen. by Presb. of Cupar 16th Dec. 1710; assistant at Second Charge, Dundee; pres. by John, Lord Gray, in June, and ord. 20th Sept. 1716; died between 6th Jan. and 3rd Feb. 1731, aged about 47. He marr. Barbara Rankine, who survived him, marr. secondly, and died 2nd April 1777.

THOMAS LAWRIE, educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (30th April 1731 1700); became chaplain to Thomas Shirp of Houston; licen. by Presb. of Linlithgow 16th March 1709; ord. to Bathgate in face of much opposition 25th Dec. 1717; called 10th Aug., trans. and adm. 18th Nov. 1731; died between 4th Nov. and 2nd Dec. 1741, aged about 62. He marr. (1) Jean, third daugh. of John Hamilton of Begs; (2) Margaret Ferguson, who died 12th Nov. 1789, and had issue Helen; Flora; Katherine. [Fam. of Broomhill, 39.]

JAMES PLAYFAIR, called 30th Nov. 1743 1742; ord. 23rd March 1743; removed to Liff in terms of Decree of Annexation in 1758.

LONGFORGAN.

[The church of Longforgan was dedicated to St Monenna. It belonged to the priory of St Andrews.]

NICOLAS SPITTALL, Canon of the Priory of St Andrews, min. of 1568 Fowlis-Easter and Benvie, had charge here; removed in 1576; died in Dundee 9th April 1576. [Reg. Min. Wodrow's *Miscell.*, i., 353; *Process in Register House*, 18th Jan. 1565-6.]

JOHN GOODFELLOW, was a member 1571 of the Chapter of St Andrews before the Reformation. Probably identical with J. G., min. of Benholme. — [Calderwood's *Hist.*, iii., 186; Wodrow's *Biog.*, i., 350; *Test. Reg.*]

1574 JOHN SMITH, reader in 1574.

NICOLAS SPITTALL, above 1576 mentioned.

PATRICK GALLOWAY, min. of 1577 Fowlis-Easter, had charge here in 1577.

ROBERT RYND, son of William R., min. of Kinnoull; reader in that 1590 parish in 1574; adm. to Ednam in 1579; trans. to Mertoun in 1580; trans. to

Rowlis Lester, at least trans. and adm. in 1699, pres. to the vicarage by James VI., b. 1st April 1616, w/o a member of Assembly in 1610, and suddenly together with James Rutherford of Kilsyth became a choir in Dundee, 29th Dec. 1613. He marr'd Mary, daughter of John Rutherford of Perth, who survived him, and had issue James, on whose behalf a royal brieve was given to the Archibishop St Andrews, 24th Feb. 1613, regarding his presentation to the first stipend living which should fall vacant, that he might be able to support his mother, brothers, and sisters in their necessity. Andrew, min. of Alva, three danchs.

JAMES JARDEN, educated at University of St Andrews, M.A. 1606, pres. to vicarage of Cawdor, 27th July 1606, which he did not accept, pres. to vicarage of Ferryport-on-Craig by James VI. (th. N. v. 1606), pres. by the King to this parish 29th Feb. 1613, died after 29th Oct. 1630, aged about 44.

JOSEPH LAURIE, trans. from Stirling, 1630, inst. 29th Nov., and pres. by Charles I. 24th Dec. 1630, trans. to Second Charge, Perth, Feb. 1635.

DAVID BROWN, possibly of the Fordell family, educated at University of St Andrews; M.A. July 1612, adm. to Eastie after 2nd Oct. 1617, pres. by Charles I. 1st Feb. 1635, till min. 13th July 1634, died in 1646. He marr'd, and had issue Patrick, Jean, Anne. [Philip's *The Priest of Longforgan*, 177-183.]

ALEXANDER MYLNE of Timore, M.A., died after 29th July 1640, trans. to Second Charge, Dundee, 19th Sept. 1641.

JAMES MIDDLETON, was educated 21st Nov. 1659, ord. to Second Charge, Montrose, 17th March 1661, trans. and adm. 18th Dec. 1661, died 1672. He marr'd Elizabeth Murray, and had issue John, Helen. [St Andrews *Pastor*.]

ALEXANDER SYMMER, born about 1673, son of John Symmer of Melgyle, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 24th July 1697, Inst. by the Presby. of Dundee, rec. nominated for ordination 19th April, and adm. 5th May 1698, died unmarried Oct. 1693. [Philip's *Lay of Longforgan*, 173-174.]

DAVID FORRESTER of Melhill, 1694, Inst. 1694, son of Alexander Forrester, a prominent citizen of Dundee, after a crisis of Melhill, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 12th June 1696, Inst. by the Presby. of Dundee 29th July 1696, ord. to Leander in 1697. He promised, 22nd Dec. 1691, to "serve the protestant Commission of the Church of Scotland in his country and never to own the cause of Antinomianism"; 7th Sept. next before 12th Aug. was in Vols. II, 153, 1684, died 13th Aug. 1697, "a man most highly distinguished by integrity of life, or oration, and worth of xy." He was a partner in the Durrie's business. He marr'd, and had issue Alexander of Melhill, educ. inst. died 1715, aged 40; John of Melhill, Martha of Melgyle, and Elizabeth. [The *Dissertatio de la morte et de l'enterrement du pasteur David Forrester* (thesis in favour of Episcopacy) Edinburgh, 1699. — *St Andrews Past.* Philip's *Longforgan*, 177-183.]

[The parish vacant 1697-1701]

THOMAS MITCHELL, Inst. about 1702, son of William Mitchell of Tindie, Clerk, Dundee, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 22nd July 1663, becoming scholmester of St Martins, Dundee, Inst. of Dalkeith 13th July 1697; ord. to Cleper in Augs. 17th Oct. 1698, called 22nd May 1701, trans. and adm. 29th May 1702, died 18th Aug. 1708, died Dec. 1713.

JAMES HODGE of Beflik, minister, ord. 1700, to Mains 6th March 1707, called by the Presby. of Dundee 10th Aug., trans. and adm. 5th Oct. 1707, died 21st Nov. 1737. He left 400 marks for the poor of the parish. In 1715 he was obliged to leave the parish for a time, when William

Elphinstone intruded. He marr. 19th Jan. 1710, Margaret Symeour, who died 30th Jan. 1762, and had issue: John; Elizabeth, b. on (marr. 1732); John Guthrie, younger, of that ilk; Janet; Margaret; Catherine (marr. George Lyon, min. of this parish). [Philip's *Longforgan*, 197-206.]

[WILLIAM ELPHINSTONE.] From 4th Sept. 1715 to 19th Feb. 1716 the Longforgan Records are blank. But there is this note: "Observe! That in regard the unhappy and unnatural rebellion headed by the late Earl of Mar in favour of a Popish Pretender had the entire management of this Country; ministers for their safety were obliged to retire South so that we had no sermon by our own Minister until the first Sabbath of February ensuing, when His Majesty King George his forces under the command of His Grace the Duke of Argyle dispersed the rebels and reduced this Country to its former liberties." During this period William Elphinstone (with the connivance of the Strathmore family, who then owned Castle Huntly) intended. He had been min. of Logie Wallach but was deprived and officiated as Episcopal min. here in 1709. See Vol. IV., 355.]

GEORGE LYON of Wester Ogil, born 1733 - 29th Aug. 1711, son of William Lyon, min. of Airlie; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Meigle 15th Dec. 1736; pres. by George H.; called 31st May, and ord. 29th Sept. 1738; died 12th Feb. 1793. He is described as a man of "unimpeachable character. His charity, benevolence, and attention to the poor made him extremely useful and much beloved." He marr. (1) (cont.) 23rd Aug. 1739; Catherine (died 1742), daugh. of James Hedge, min. of this parish, and had issue: Margaret; (2) 15th June 1744, Margaret (died 9th April 1793, aged 76), daugh. of Hugh Rodger, merchant, and Provost of Glasgow, and had issue: William of Wester Ogil, born 10th May 1745, died 12th Aug. 1795; Margaret, born 20th April 1746; Hugh of Wester Ogil, captain H.E.A.C.S., born 29th Jan. 1748, died 12th Oct. 1797; Jean, born 12th Sept. 1749;

Margaret, born 24th March 1751 (marr. James Playfair, Principal of St Andrew Univ. (p. 1); George, born 29th Jan. 1755, died in London 7th Sept. 1812; Thomas, born 25th July 1756, died 7th Nov. 1763; James, D.D., min. of Glanis, born 29th March 1757; Janet, born 6th Jan. 1762 (marr. George Moncrieff, physician, Perth). [Tomist. *Lyon of Cossens*, etc.; Philip's *Longforgan*, 205-14.]

ADAM CAIRNS, born 1758; educated at Parish School, Temple; licen. by 1793 Presb. of Dundee 7th March 1787; pres. by George H., 7th March, and ord. 12th Sept. 1793; died 6th Nov. 1821. He marr. (1) 27th Nov. 1795, Margaret (died 28th Feb. 1798), daugh. of James Mylne, min. of Kinnaird, and had issue: James George Paterson, born 30th Aug. 1796, died 21st Feb. 1797; (2) 23rd April 1799, Elizabeth (died 28th Nov. 1847), daugh. of Andrew Hall, min. of Lundie, and had issue: Mary Anne, born 1st July 1800; Adam, D.D., min. of Cupar, afterwards of Melbourne, born 30th Jan. 1802; John Paterson, born 26th March 1804; Margaret Paterson, born 29th Oct. 1805; James Mylne, born 18th Nov. 1806; Francis Charteris, born 3rd Sept. 1808; Alexander, born 7th July 1810.

ROBERT SKENE WALKER, born 1822 Strathmiglo, 1780; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Cupar 26th Sept. 1804; ord. to Auchtergaven 28th July 1808; trans. to Kinelaven 18th March 1812; pres. by George IV., 22nd Nov. 1821; trans. and adm. 5th Sept. 1822, joined the Free Church in 1843; min. of Longforgan Free Church, 1843-54; died 11th May 1854. He marr. (1) 1st Feb. 1809, Cecilia Cornfute (died 13th Feb. 1833), daugh. of a Perth merchant, and had issue: Anne Margaret, born 10th Aug. 1823; (2) 11th Dec. 1836, Mary Holmes (died at Dundee 14th Jan. 1870), youngest daugh. of James Howden, watchmaker, Edinburgh, and had issue: David, born 6th Jan. 1840. Pub. *Account of the Parish (New Stot. Ann. v)*.

WILLIAM LUNDIE, born Edinburgh, 1843, son of Andrew Lundie, a bookseller, 1843–1862, and his wife, Elizabeth Lundie, nee Gray, daughter of Rev. Dr. John Lundie, minister of the Free Church of Scotland, died April 12, 1891, at St. Martin's Hospital, 193, Queen Victoria Street, 1890–1891, from consumption, aged 48. 1861–1862, St. Andrews, now founded by Rev. Dr. James G. McMillan, pastor of the St. Andrews Presbyterian Church, minister of the Free Church of Scotland, died April 12, 1891, from consumption, aged 48. 1861–1862, St. Andrews, now founded by Rev. Dr. James G. McMillan, pastor of the St. Andrews Presbyterian Church, minister of the Free Church of Scotland, died April 12, 1891, from consumption, aged 48. 1861–1862, St. Andrews, now founded by Rev. Dr. James G. McMillan, pastor of the St. Andrews Presbyterian Church, minister of the Free Church of Scotland, died April 12, 1891, from consumption, aged 48.

NELL KENNEDY MACKENZIE, born 1835, died at 18, 10, one of Seven Marys of Kintail, educated at Ursuline Academy, MA, 1859, and taught in Kintail, May 1861–1862, died Nov. 11, 1896, Sept. 1, 1897, tradesman, artist and author, died Dec. 1, 1897, mother of Captain William 7th April 1897, Ruth Henriette, first daughter of Major General James Murray Grant of the Glens, in the family, and H. L. Cameron, and three sons, Captain Helen George, died April 18, 1898, aged 15, and Hugh Paul, Captain John Evelyn Campbell Helen, M.C., M.D., D.P.H., Captain Lucy Grant, born 17 Nov. 1899, married 21 Aug. 1924, David C. H. in Watson, option Cameron Highlanders. Edward Jane Grant,

born 30 March 1894, died 23 Nov. 1924, Nellie A. at birth, a grant, born 10th May 1900.

LENDIE AND FOWLER EASTER.

The church was founded 1st June 1864.

Lendie.—The Parish of Lendie was divided into St. Lendie and St. Andrew's, 1864, by St. Andrew's. The church was dedicated 1st June 1864.

Fowler Easter.—The church was founded 1st June 1864, by St. Andrew's. The church of Fowlie was founded 1st June 1864, by St. Andrew's. In 1864, it was joined with Longforgan, and became a united church. The church was founded 1st June 1864, by St. Andrew's.

ARCHIBALD KEITH, rector of Lendie, Mar. 1864, died 1877, transferred to Fowlie, 1877, died Nov. 1897.

GEORGE COCHRANE, rector, 1874–1874, died 1874.

WILLIAM RAITH, rector from May 1893 to 1896, died 1896, died 1896, died 1896, died 1896.

ALEXANDER SCRIMGOUR, rector, 1894–1894, from Beny, in 1894, remained there until 1896.

ANDREW MORTON, M.A., 1864, died 1864, rector of St. Andrew's, MA, 1864–1865, admitted to Fowlie Easter, 1865–1866, pres. of parish council of Fowlie, 1866–1867, admitted to Fowlie Easter, after 1867, died 1868, rector of Fowlie, after 1868, 1869–1870, rector of the Synagogue, 1870–1871, the meetings on the platform were held in the church hall, Fowlie, now the requirements of the congregation, 14th April 1871, and there were no names signed to have this done. He replied that Mr. Gray will do what he can for the synagogue, as is allowable. The congregation was not told he died Dec. 1873. His mother Margaret, widow of William Blackford of that ilk, she survived him, and had issue, Andrew,

JAMES BELL, sonne James Leckie, of St Andrews, Pastur. A. & soon Starf. Ch. of Rec'd. 26th. 1600. G. R. 1602. 1st Nov. 1609. Warden of Arts [has a d'scription of above printed] [iv. 290-72.]

JOHN DUNCAN, man. in 1607, trans. 1607, to Edin before 1613.

ANDREW MORTON, adm. at 1613, maintained.

HENRY FITHIE, adm. at Univ. 1614, of St Andrews, M.A. 1609, adm. to Kincardine, May 1612, trans. and adm. at Fowl. 11th April 1614, died in Dundee, May 1621, aged c. 37. He gave his body to be buried in the West Kirk of Dundee, and directed James Fithie to purchase a bell for the church of Lundie. He was buried in Dundee, who survived him. (*Actes of Pastors, Sessiones in P[ro]p[ri]etatis*, 1623.)

ALEXANDER FOTHERINGHAM, 1620, pres. by Archb. Lord Gray, and letters of charge issued to the Archibishop of St Andrews thereon 30th June 1620, but he was apparently not settled. [*Actes of Pastors, Sessiones in P[ro]p[ri]etatis*.]

JAMES BLAIR, D.D., son of William Blair, B. of Balloch, and Jean, daugh. of Alexander Blair of Denshead, protracted from Session Master hap in New College of St Andrews, ord. 21st Sept. 1620, trans. to another charge before 31st March 1633. He marr. (see p. 11th Oct. 1611) Catherine, daugh. of Andrew Wood of Greenock. (*Actes of Pastors*, 21st Aug. 1633, 17, 58-81st, viii, 360; *Reg. of Doct[or]s*, c. cl. 424, 327.)

DONALD BLAIR, fifth son of Patrick Blair, B. of Pittendreich, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1632, pres. by Charles I, 31st March 1636, dep. in 1640 by the Council of the Kirk, for supporting the royal cause and favouring the separation of 1638. He was created 1st Aug. 1641 by the Privy Council 215 francs a day, upon account of his great misery, infirmity of body and many children whom he had nothing to support. He marr. a lady whose initials were K. O., and had issue: James, died 1647,

James, died 1650, Colin, died 1651, and others. (*Actes of Pastors*, 192; *Actes of P[ro]p[ri]etatis Rec'd.* 3rd series, i, 21.)

WILLIAM RIGG, son of William Riggs, man. of Inventory, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1643, adm. before 16th April 1660, died before 16th April 1665.

JOHN ROBERTSON, M.A., adm. at Univ. 1665, Presb. 11th June 1665; trans. to Auchterhoise 1st Sept. 1667, having exchanged livings with James Campbell.

JAMES CAMPBELL, son to son of Sir Colin Campbell of Lundie, Bart., 1667, and Jean Stirling, educated at Univ. of St Andrews 28th July 1656, became tutor in the family of the Lord of Pitcairn, Ross, by Presb. of Middle recommended 26th Nov. 1664, became chaplain to Marjory, Countess of Buchan, Ord. to Auchterhoise 29th Sept. 1665; suspended on his own confession, 13th Dec. that year, till next Synod for illicit intercourse with the said Countess, but on repentence dissolved 27th and retired from that charge, adm. here 27th and inst. 26th Nov. 1667. The parish was vacant 6th May 1683, C. having been "a great burden for three years by reason of his sickness." He died Dec. 1682. He marr. Marjory Ramsay, daugh. of William, first Earl of Dalhousie, and widow of James Erskine, Earl of Buchan, and had issue. [*P[ro]p[ri]etatis Rec'd.* 3rd series, viii, 327, 1, 8, 18; *Actes of Pastors*, ii, 273, iii, 100.]

JAMES BROWN, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. (23rd July 1674), pres. by Alexander, Archibishop of St Andrews, June 1684, but settlement was delayed owing to a dispute about the pensioner passed trials before Presb. of Dundee recommended 16th Nov. for ordination, adm. 3rd Feb. 1686, dep. 19th Oct. 1688, died between 8th Nov. 1690 and 1st April 1707. (*Actes of Pastors*, 1701)

WALTER MINSIE, born 1693, nephew of James A., man. of Minto, educated at Univ. of Edinburgh, M.A. 22nd May 1697, licens'd by Presb. of

Hair, tenth, prof. Presb. at Montrose Mar. 3 1706; died 1711. Ord. 8th May 1711, deputate minister of forty, etc., 10th April 1713, which office was annexed 1st Oct. 1713, to keep residence in Fifeburgh, where he was a presbyter for three months by the Presb. of Edinburgh July 1724, to memory of his predecessor, and dep. 26th Feb. 1725, for continuing that office, and thereafter 2d Feb. 1728. He married 1st Mary Low, and had issue: Alexander George, b. 2d 16th April 1726, Beatrix, daughter of George Craikman, writer, Edinburgh; widow of David Main, writer, Edinburgh, and had issue: Beatrix, married John Douglas, man. of Dufforth, *Liber. M. & R. Rec. C. & L.*

GEORGE FLEMING, educated at Univ. of Edinburgh, M.A. (30th April 1711) 1700, became chaplain to the Lord of Linlithgow, by the United Presb. of Dumfries and Galloway 8th June 1700, called in April, and ord. 22nd Aug. 1711, died between 1st Sept. and 2nd Oct. 1733, aged about 53. He married 1st 29th Nov. 1712, Ann Wilkie, holding Paisley, and had issue: Alexander, b. in 26th March 1715; William, born 7th Aug. 1716; John, born 16th Oct. 1721; Christian, born 13th Sept. 1722; 2^d Margaret, daughter of Alexander Glass, man. of Kincalven, 13th Apr. 1730, 30th April 1732; Agnes, widow of Robert Hamilton of Northcraig.

JAMES ANDERSON, born by Presb. of Fife, in 1701, Oct. 1722, ord. to 1730—Gifford, 19th May 1731, called at Fowlis 26th May, trans. and ord. 27th Oct. 1733, died Sunday morning, 12th Dec. 1756. He married 1st July 1734, Jean, daughter of Alexander Brown, baker and ship-writer, Dundee, and had issue: Jane, born 13th May 1736; James, born 6th March 1743; 2^d 5th Aug. 1745, Helen, and 3^d 8th Oct. 1753, daughter of John Duncan, Dean of Guild, Edinburgh. {See *C. & L.'s Misc. Rec.*}

GEORGE SWAN, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1718; b. 1st 1753 by Presb. of Cupar 7th Jan. 1753, called 24th Nov. 1757, ord. at Fowlis

26th March 1758, and 4th Aug. 1763. He married 1st April 1760, Elizabeth Craw, died 29th Nov. 1764, widow of a Minister of Kirkcaldy, had issue: two children still living, 29th Feb. 1764. Eliz. re-married 13th March 1763.

ANDREW HALLY, born 1733, son by Presb. of Fife, 17th Oct. 1733, 1734—called 17th June, and ord. 8th Sept. 1734, d. 1st April 1766. He married 1st 17th April 1736, Elizabeth Lamore of Blair, widow, who died 11th Oct. 1766; 2^d 7th Dec. 1771, Mary, b. 1st 1821, daughter of James Mylne, man. of Kirkcaldy, had issue: Elizabeth, born 17th Dec. 1772, m. Adam Currie, man. of Longforgan; Jane, born 26th June 1774, m. William Gardiner, St. Andrews; James, born 13th May 1776, died 10th Sept. 1789; Catherine, born 9th Jan. 1778; John, born 10th Aug. 1780, died 11th May 1793; Mary, born 26th Feb. 1781; Anne, born 13th Sept. 1782; m. 2^d 11th Aug. 1787, George Keith, teacher in Kirkcaldy. Mary, born 10th June 1784; Alexander, b. on 10th March 1786; Christian, b. in 1788; John 1790; Henrietta, b. and d. in 1791; Nov. 1791, d. d. 7th Dec. 1793.

WALTER TAIT, presb. by Presb. of Edinburgh, Alexander Duncan of Linlithgow, 3rd 1756, June, and ord. 23rd 8th Sept. 1756, trans. to Tealing 1st Oct. 1757.

CHARLES CUNNINGHAM, presb. by Adam, Vicar, and Duncan, D. 1767, 1768—ord. 23d May 1768, trans. to Fife, 5th May 1769.

THOMAS RAITT, born St. Andrews 1709, educated at Grammar School, and thereafter, probably at Fife, 21st Oct. 1722, assistant at Leven, ord. to St. Andrew's Chapel, at Easby, Durham, 21st May 1730, presb. by Robert, Vicar, and Duncan, in June, trans. and adm. into July 1730, d. d. 28th Nov. 1828.

THOMAS IRVINE, born Edinburgh, 1793, educated at Univ. of Edinburgh, 1821, b. 1793, presb. by Presb. of Kirkcudbright, 7th July 1819, trans. and interim-finely of Viscount Duncan, pres. by

Robert, Vicar and Duncan, in April, and ord. assistant and successor at Fowlis 23rd Aug. 1871. Having lost his sight, he employed his time in knitting for charitable purposes, died 2nd April 1874. He married 23rd April 1831 Eliza, the daughter of John Webster of Beldorney, and had issue a daughter, Agnes Webster, born 9th July 1833, and 29th April 1838, Patrick, a reader of the Parochial Visitations, died 8th Jan. XVIII. Cf. *Scots Hist. Rec.* 1874.

PETER LORIMER BURR, born 17th May 1833, son of John B. and 1866 Sir James Lorimer, ed. at Latymer's School and Univ. of Edinburgh, became Presb. of Edinburgh 31st July 1861, assistant at St Stephen's, Edinburgh, presby. by Adam, Earl of Campbown, ord. assistant and successor 29th July 1861, clerk of Presba. 1871, to Rev'd D.D. Dr. Andrew, 1876, died 10th Oct. 1906. He married 25th Dec. 1861 Mary Smith, died 21st July 1919, aged 75, daughter of James Keith, merchant, Arbroath, and Mary Smith, and had issue: Mary Smith, born 8th Sept. 1867, died 20th Jan. 1938; John, min. of Bowden, born 25th April 1869; Susan Lorimer, born 13th Dec. 1870 (mar. 27th July 1901, Dr Robert Henry Somer, F.R.S.V.A., died 31st Dec. 1902); James Keith, born 13th July 1873, d. 23rd May 1878; Marion, Adam Keith, born 23rd, and died 20th April 1875.

CHARLES SCOTT BURDON, born 1910 2nd Nov. 1892, trans. from Blackhill 21st April 1909, trans. to Dean Park, Govan, 6th Feb. 1919.

JOHN SINCLAIR, born Edinburgh, 1919 31st Dec. 1884, son of Charles William S. and Jessie Craig, educated at Royal High School and Univ. of Edinburgh, M.A. 1910, licenc. by Presb. of Edinburgh April 1913; as Istant at Woodside, Aberdeen, *then towns* at Armadale, ord. to Fiddhouse 16th Feb. 1916, trans. and adm. 17th July 1919.

FOWLIS IN GOWRIE, or FOWLIS EASTER.

NICOLAS SPITFALL, min. in 1563, 1563 with Fenton and Benzie, d. 1572, charged in 1567, trans. to Bowes, 1st or 1574.

PATRICK MORTIMER, reader 1574, in 1574.

PATRICK GALLOWAY, min. in 1576, in 1579, with Lettow, also in 1579, the charge trans. to Perth after 24th April 1581.

ROBERT RYND, trans. from Montrose, 1581, pres. to the vicarage by James VI, 16th Dec. 1581, trans. to Longton, in 1599.

ANDREW MORTON, M.A., min. in 1594, 1594, trans. to Lenzie in 1595.

GILBERT RAMSAY, M.A., min. in 1595, 1595; still min. in 1617.

ANDREW MORTON, above mentioned, 1603, trans. from Lenzie in 1608, re-trans. there after 21st Sept. 1619.

MAINS AND STRATHMARTINE.

The two parishes were united on 21st Nov. 1792.

Mains, of old Strathlight. The church of Strathlight, now ruined, was dedicated to St Ninian. It belonged to the Abbey of Arbroath. There was here a Well of St Ninian.

Strathmartine. The church of this parish was dedicated to St Martin.

WILLIAM AUCHMOWIE, clm. Aug. 1568, with Lenie, ds. in his charge, trans. to Strathmartine in 1572.

1572 NINIAN COOK, reader at Mains.

ALEXANDER TYRIE, trans. from Meigle in 1574, having Strathmartine, Auchterhouse, and Teding also in his charge, trans. to Auchterhouse before 1582.

WILLIAM BRUCE, min. from 1656,
1595 [G. R. *Scot.*, 1st ser., 1921, p. 102].

WILLIAM RAFT, min. in 1590, died
1590 [cf. Lewis in 1593, trans. to Strath-
martine in 1591, returned here in
1595, was one of the forty-two ministers who
signed the protestation Parliament against the
introduction of Episcopacy, had Strath-
martine also in his charge in 1612, died
between 16th Oct. 1630 and 16th Feb. 1631]. He
marr. Janet Leslie, and had issue
David, min. of Kinneil; Harry, Margaret
[Rec. of Docts., xxviii, 3rd Edn. 1913].

HENRY FITTHE, son of James Fit-
1633 tient, burghs of Dundee, and
Anne Mayne, educated at Univ. of
St Andrews, M.A. (1621), adm. to Beaufort
25th March 1627, pres. by Charles I, 16th
Feb. 1633; was compelled by the General
Assembly, 16th Aug. 1633, to crave pardon
on his knees and promise amendment for
not naming the malignant in a sermon
at the Synod, dep. with seventeen others
in the Synod by the Committee of the
Assembly for Visitation, died before 1651.
He marr. Isobel Erskine, who died between
1668 and 1673, and had issue: Henry,
James, min. of this parish. [Perth *Sc.*,
iii, 297; G. R. *Intell.*, 3rd Jan. 1669;
13th Jan. 1674; *Act. of C. D.*, Durie,
xxiii, 132].

HENRY AUCHENLECK, M.A., ord.
1652 13th Oct. 1652, trans. to Second
Charge, Perth, 23rd Dec. 1662.

JAMES FITTHE, born about 1630, son
1663 of Henry Fitthe, min. of this parish,
educated at Univ. of St Andrews,
M.A. (26th July 1650), ord. May 1663,
died, after preaching, 23rd June 1672. He
marr. (1) Martha Souter, and had issue:
David, Henry, Isobel (marr. (1) James
Ramsay, clerk depute of Dundee; (2) George
Crockett); John, Henry, Christian; (2)
Martha Johnston, who survived him, and
had issue: James, Martha. [G. R. *Intell.*,
3rd July 1668, 2nd Nov. 1668, 11th Jan. 1673,
5th July 1680; *Perth Intell.*, xviii, 238;
G. R. *Sc.*, lxxxviii, 370, 23rd Aug.
1705.]

PATRICK STRACHAN, born about
1673, son of James S. in Carnwylie,
ord. at Fife Univ. or St Andrews,
M.A. 15th July 1696, trans. by Presb. of
Aberdeen in 1697, had a ministerial
charge at Carnwylie, and from 16th March
1693 dep. and Oct. 1701 for Strath-
martine, died at Fife Univ. 1707, and
was buried at Fife. He marr. 13th
May 1695 Margaret Martin, St Andrews,
and had issue: George, 2. Rev. old, a
deacon of Arbroath, & remained at Dundee
[Liber Presb. Scot. Hist. MS. C. 56].

JAMES HODGE, called by the Presb.
of Fife Univ. 1697, trans. to Dundee
1707, 13th March 1707, died at Dundee
5th Oct. 1736.

ANDREW RONALDSON, called by
1710 Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 23rd
July 1697, called 28th June, which
was corroborated by the Presb. of Fife
26th July, and ord. 27th Oct. 1710, died
between 16th Jan. and 29th Feb. 1711, and
about 66. He marr. 13th July 1704,
Margaret, died in Dundee, a daughter of
William Hackstein, tailor, Dundee, and
had issue: Florence, marr. 7th June 1733,
James, Donaldson, shoemaker, Edinburgh;
Helen, marr. 28th March 1737, John White,
shoemaker, Dundee, and two other

JOHN KERR, born about 1693, brother
1723 of Thomas Kerr, min. of Hamilton,
educated at Univ. of St Andrews,
M.A. 6th May 1713, was chaplain to
Sir John Sinclair of Stevenston, chosen by
Presb. of Hamilton 23rd Feb. 1720, called
by Presb. of Fife 7th Nov. 1722, ord.
6th Feb. 1723, died 26th June 1739. He
marr. 13th Nov. 1722, Elizabeth Campbell,
who died 6th Sept. 1763, and had issue:
Ann, Thomas, born 3rd Jan. 1733; Eliza-
beth, born 14th Feb. 1735; Margaret, born
23rd Aug. 1738.

JOHN GIBSON, born 1732, son of John
1760 G., farmer in Pettinane, Lanarkshire,
benn. by Presb. of Hamilton 23rd
July 1749, pres. by George H. 31st Aug.
1759, ord. 12th March 1760, died 9th
Feb. 1795. He marr. 1st Sept. 1766,

Euphemia Hallerton, who died 3rd Dec. 1810, and had issue—Agnes, born 13th Feb. 1773; marr. Patrick Macleay, min. of Third Charge, Dundee.

ALEXANDER STRACHAN, born 9th Sept. 1747, son of James Strachan, 1705, of Kinkell, educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; M.A. 1766; became schoolmaster of Dundee, licen. by Presb. of Brechin 11th April 1770; ord. to Strathmartine 10th Jan. 1775; removed to Mains on the union of the parishes 21st Nov. 1795; died 24th Feb. 1799. He marr. 16th Sept. 1771, Jean Fullerton, who died 27th April 1777, and had issue—Margaret, born 5th June 1772; James, M.D., Mauritius, born 6th Dec. 1773, died 16th Feb. 1795; Mary, born 26th May 1775, died 31st April 1784; Jean, born 6th Oct. 1776; marr. James Burnett, merchant, Arbroath, died 31st Dec. 1803; (2) 18th Oct. 1781, Elizabeth Mitchell, who died 31st July 1796, and had issue—William, born 5th Dec. 1782; Elizabeth, born 13th April 1784; Nancy Adamson, born 12th Feb. 1786, died 23rd April 1794; Euphonia, born 25th Feb. 1788, died 24th May 1794; Janet, born 25th Feb. 1791; Isabella, born 27th April 1792; Lilia, born 23rd Aug. 1794. Publication—*Account of the Parish* (Sinclair's *Stat. Rec.* viii. xiii.).

FRANCIS NICOLL, M.A.; trans. from Auchtertool; pres. by George III. 1799, 29th May, and adm. 19th Sept. 1799; trans. to St Leonard's, St Andrews, 29th July 1820.

DAVID CANNAN, born at The Shield, 1820 parish of Kells, 1774, son of James C., farmer; educated at Kells Parish School and Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Kirkcudbright 3rd March 1802; ord. to Kirriemuir 21st March 1803; trans. to Murroes 3rd Aug. 1807; pres. by George IV. 17th Aug., trans. and adm. 16th Nov. 1820; D.D., St Andrews, 13th Dec. 1828; dem. 28th June 1848; died in Edinburgh, 12th July 1851. He marr. 30th April 1804, Margaret Low, and had issue—James, born 30th July 1805; Joseph, born 19th Dec. 1806; Mary, born 15th Feb. 1808, died 23rd Feb. 1815; Francis, min. of

Lintrathen, born 4th Sept. 1809; Robert, lieut. general William Pasha in Turkish Service, was mainly instrumental for the Russian defeat at Gingezovo in 1823; born 12th Jan. 1811; Helen, born 2nd July 1812, died 15th Jan. 1833; John, Principal Registrar of the Court of Bankruptcy, born 22nd Feb. 1813; Peter, born 6th 1815; Thomas, planter, Myon, born 7th Sept. 1817; David, born 15th Feb. 1819; Alexander, born 17th Nov. 1822; a daughter, marr. Jas. Ferguson, writer, Dundee. Publications—*On the Poor, and the Duty and Mode of Supporting them* (Edinburgh, 1845); *Account of the Parish* (*New Stat. Rec.* xi.); *Contributions to the Edinburgh Committee*. [*The Gentleman*, xiv., 100.]

JOHN ROBERTSON, pres. by Queen Victoria 14th July, and ord. 21st Sept. 1848; trans. to St Mungo's, Glasgow, 24th June 1858.

JOHN M'MURTRIE, M.A.; pres. by Queen Victoria 29th June, and 1858, ind. 2nd Sept. 1858; trans. to St Bernard's, Edinburgh, 11th Jan. 1866.

WILLIAM BOYD, born Dundee, 30th Oct. 1810, son of John B., farmer, and Isabella Thomson; educated at Abernyte School, High School, Dundee, Madras College, and Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1836; Halle, and Tübingen; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews in 1863; assistant at Leslie; pres. by Queen Victoria 15th Jan., and ord. 19th April 1863; died of malarial fever at Florence 2nd April 1873. He marr. 2nd Oct. 1860, Janet Lockie, died 29th July 1900; daugh. of David Runciman, D.D., min. of St Andrews, Glasgow, and had issue—Janet Aitchison, born 7th May 1868; John James, born 18th Oct. 1869; David Runciman, born 26th Feb. 1872.

ALEXANDER STEWART, M.A., D.D.; pres. by Queen Victoria 5th June, 1873, and ord. 18th Sept. 1873, res. on appointment as Professor of Systematic Theology, Aberdeen, 4th Nov. 1882 (*q.v.*).

RICHARD SPENCER LITCHFIELD, born 1693, son of William Spencer and Catherine Litchfield, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1716, S.T. 21 July 1720, M.D. 1725, and became LL.D. Nov. 1728, died 1st April 1757. He married 21 Oct. 1716 Sophia Elizabeth, daughter of Andrew Wilson, town-clerk of Dundee, and Anne Wilson, daughter of Alexander Wilson, by Sophie May, daughter of John Marshall, Reg. minister, died Henry Dunbar, minister of St. Mad's Kirk, Fife, buried 17th Dec. 1730. His Crystalline, 1st Nov. 1734; Catharine Gill, 2nd Nov. 1736.

ALEXANDER ANDERSON, born 1918, Frasburgh, 1st Oct. 1879, son of Alexander Anderson and Elizabeth Penny; educated at Frasburgh School, Robert Gordon's College, and Univ. of Aberdeen, M.A. 1896, St Andrews, B.D. 1901, LL.M., M.A. Germany, lecturer Prof. of St Andrews May 1917, elected to Professor of Hebrew, St Andrews, 1920, at Edinburgh, 1921, of Latin, St Andrews, 1922, of Greek, 1923, and until 29th Feb. 1928. Publications: *Lectures on New Wales and Majorca* (1920); *Songs, Stories, & more Stories*, words and music (London, 1917).

STRATHMARTINE.

JAMES WEIGHT, min. in 1567, died 1572 Aug. 1572.

WILLIAM Auchmowthie, adm. Mains Ayr 1560, created and died 1572 in 1572, prior to the priory of Queen's College, founded on the former part of the parishage of Strathmartine by James VI, 29th March 1572.

1572 DAVID TYRIE, reader.

WILLIAM RAFT, trans. from Linlithgow 1593, removed to Mains in 1596, still retaining this charge in conjunction till after 23rd April 1612.

WILLIAM HOLLOWAY, born at 1620 Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1640, D.D. 1645, minister of St. Mary's Kirk, Edinburgh, 1645. He was ejected in 1662, and became Prof. of Divinity, Univ. of Edinburgh, 1673, Arch'd 1673, *Tracts of Prof. T. C. Holloway*.

DAVID JAMESON, born at 1620 Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1640, D.D. 1645, minister of St. Mary's Kirk, Edinburgh, 1645, ejected in 1662, and became Prof. of Divinity, Univ. of Edinburgh, 1673, Arch'd 1673, *Tracts of Prof. D. Jameson*.

ALEXANDER RAMSAY, son of Alexander Ramsay and Gillian, and 1633, Maria Hay, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1650, D.D. 1655, minister of St. Mary's Kirk, Edinburgh, 1650, ejected in 1662, and became Prof. of Divinity, Univ. of Edinburgh, 1673, Arch'd 1673, *Tracts of Prof. A. Ramsay*.

JAMES FRASER of Kinkell, died 1653, buried 29th June 1653, interred in Arbroath, 27 July 1653.

JOHN MOY, born 1575, died Dec. 1655, son of John Moy, minister of Parliament, died July 1611, still min. 3rd Feb. 1603, *Arch'd Prof.* viii, App. 81.]

DAVID PERGUSSON, son of David Perguson, of Dundee, and great-grandson of David Perguson, of Dundee, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1648, D.D. 1655, prior to 18th May 1653, still min. 29th Feb. 1656, died after 29th June 1656, when the parish was declared vacant. He preached 6000 marks to maintain two boys at school and, if capable, as bursars, at St Leonard's College, St Andrews, for four years. He married Barbara Lister, and had issue: David, an only son, writer, drowned in Nor Loch, Edinburgh. [*Arch'd Prof.* viii, 810.]

THOMAS OGILVIE, called by the Presbytery of Dundee 14th Nov. 1697, and 13th May 1698, trans. to Cawdor, May 16th May 1703.

JAMES GOODRICH, called 29th April 1700, and by the Presbytery of Dundee 19th Dec. 1700, trans. to Dundee 1st June 1701; died at Monikie 12th Feb. 1746.

WILLIAM THOMSON, called 1st March 1713, and by the Presbytery of Dundee 17th April 1714, trans. to the Kirk of St. Andrew 23rd Nov. 1719, called 16th Dec. 1717, and 29th April 1718, was one of the fifteen ministers who disengaged from the re-union of the General Assembly to depose the eight Seceders 15th May 1749, died 29th Jan. 1743.

HUGH MAXWELL, descended from the Maxwells of Tullibody, educated 1744 at Univ. of St. Andrews, M.A. 21st March 1762, licen. by Univ. Presby. of Dundee, Montrose, and Forfar 1st July 1762, ord. to Taddington 26th July 1763, trans. to Forfar 21st March 1767, pres. by George II. 11th March 1763; trans. and dim. 27th June 1744, died 3rd Jan. 1751, aged about 60. He married 1. 3rd March 1703, Margaret Kinloch, and had issue. David, min. of this paroch, Robert, George, Isobel, Jean, & mur. William Murray, son of Kinloch, 2. Jean, 26th April 1724, Katherine, daughter of Sir Alexander Bruce of Braemarold, 30th Dec. 1745. Katherine, daughter of Murray, collector of the county of Perth, and widow of William Chalmers, min. of Kinloch, & Anne Dalglish, who died 20th Jan. 1770. Publication: *The Best and Pithy Part of the Gospel Church, or Remarks and Reflections upon the Distress contained in the Mirror of Modern Divinity*, Edinburgh, 1721. [Reg. of Poets, Edin., clxxv, 1st July 1748.]

DAVID MANWELL, born 1704, son of preceding; educated at Univ. 1751 of St. Andrews, M.A. 6th May 1725; licen. by Presb. of Forfar 21st July 1731; ord. to Ecclesie 22nd April 1733; called 25th Sept., trans. and adm. 14th Nov. 1751, died 6th June 1771. He was

min. of the church of Strathmartine, Dundee, 14th Jan. 1737, 1st del. and 4th Dundee, Presb. Act 1737, 1st 1738, and son of Alexander Bruce, son of Dundee, and Isabella, born 2nd Aug. 1736, married 15th Feb. 1758, James, Marq. of Newark, and Strathmartine, died 29th May 1777; Catherine, born 2nd April 1739, died 1st Jan. 5th April 1766; Anna, born 12th Oct. 1740; Helen, born 2nd April 1741; Mary, born 2nd Feb. 1743; Sarah, Act 1750; Elizabeth, born 10th March 1745; and 4th son.

ALEXANDER STRACHAN, M.A. 1755 presby. Garioch III. 7th July 1755; 1759 died 16th Jan. 1755, removed to Meldes in terms of the Act of Annexation in 1755.

MONIFIETH.

[The church of Monifieth was dedicated to St. Rule. It belonged to the Abbey of Arbroath. Its bell has this inscription: "HIC SONETUS ANI STIS 1621 RORUM VENAE JACONI SIR WILL. MDLAV." In 1622 two silver Communion cups, 1638, gifted to Monifieth Church in 1635, and subsequently parted with and lost sight of, were restored to the parish by Archibald, Earl of Rosslyn and Middlethorpe, who had purchased one of them from a firm of London silversmiths, and by the Society of Antiquaries of Scotland, to whom the other had been bequeathed by Mrs. Jackson, wife of the rector of Exeter College, Oxford.]

GILBERT GARDEN, was min. and a member of Assembly 25th Dec. 1567; 1565 Monikie was also in his charge in 1567, trans. to Fordyce Feb. 1569.

ANDREW CLAYHILLS, born 1546, son of Peter, Ca. Dean of Guild and burgess of Dundee, and Lillard Wishart; adm. Feb. 1566, trans. to Leith about 1574; trans. to Eckford before 30th April 1593, re-trans. to this charge 16th April 1598; was a member of Assembly in 1602; burgess of Dundee in 1602, died 23rd March 1617. He married 1. Katherine, daughter of David Primrose in Culross, and 2. of James Pa, clerk of Cramond, and

Lodisire Archibald, Margaret, Jean Sybille, son and Andrew, M.A., minister of Finavon, died in 1611; Rev'd K. Dunham, man of this parish, 1612, died 2nd April 1613; Charles, son of Robert, died at Crastal Fyall, now warden of Chirnside, and widow of William Gray, minister of the said Kirk.

[*St Andrews, Rec. of Deeds*, cxxv, 233; *Rec. of Deeds*, cxxvii, 6.]

JAMES LOVILLE, LAWAL, or
1574 LYALL, minister.

ANDREW MICHINLECK, minister of
1574 Barry, had charge of this parish
1574-98.

PATRICK DURHAM, born about 1576,
1616 son of William D. of Grange, and
Jean, his wife, connected at Univ. of
St Andrews; M.A. 26th July 1606; a fellow,
colleague, and successor to Clayhills, 1611;
and inst. 2nd Oct. 1616, which was ratified
by the King 6th Aug. 1617, and 27th Aug.
1624. He married, 2nd 17th May 1613
Janet, daughter of Andrew Clayhills, man
of this parish, and had issue: (1) Andrew,
William, John, Grizzell. [*St Andrews*
Test. Rec. of Deeds, cxxv, 233.]

GEORGE WISHART, M.A., presby by
1624 James VI, 29th Aug. 1624, trans. to
Second Charge, St Andrews, before
18th April 1626.

JOHN RUTHERFORD, born about 1576,
1626 son of John, R. man of St Andrews,
educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. 1782; adm. to Second Charge
Cuper, after 6th March 1700; trans. to
Kileonpuhar, 21st July 1704; dep. for
neglect of duty 26th July 1704; reported
by Commissioner of Assembly and 1st
1597; presby Dairsie by James VI, 25th
Feb., and adm. betw. 13th April and 3rd
May 1611; presby Chark, 1. 27th June,
coll. 1st Aug., and adm. 10th Sept. 1626; died
5th June 1632, and was buried in the
Old College of St Andrews. Calderwood
says of him: "He never did good in the
ministry, after his deposition at Kileonpuhar in 1704, neglected it, and took
him to the exercise of physick, and now,
a man, after the exercise of his ministry in

old age, went mad. He married before
17th Sept. 1617 Barbara Sordon, widow
of Thomas Durham, man of Arbroath, and had
one child, name of Kirkland. [Wood, *Rec. of Deeds*, cxxv, 237; *Rec. of Deeds*,
cxxxviii, 264; *Rec. of Deeds*, cxxv, 247;
Rec. of Deeds, cxxvii, 1.]

ANDREW WOOD, M.A., Rector in the
1632 Old Kirk of St Andrews, adm. to
Barry, 2nd March April 1610, pres.
by Charles I, induction, and adm. 7th
Aug. 1630; he was a member of the Glasgow
Assembly in 1638, and the Assembly of
1639, was one of the deputations for
visiting the Univ. of St Andrews 16th Nov.
1641; died 3d feb. 1648, aged
about 57. His wife, Jean, Williamson, to
whom James Wishart, minister, man of
Kirkaldy, was married, 1st 1611, and
2nd 1647. [*Rec. of Deeds*, cxxv, 233; *Rec. of Deeds*,
cxxxviii, 264.]

JOHN BURCLAY, son of John B. of
1649 Johnston, parson of Leven, Kirk;
educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. 1622; adm. to the Kirkland 29th Nov.
1633, app'd by the Presby. to proceed to
England 16th July 1643, to preach to Lord
Comper's regiment stationed at York, and returned from Newcastle 21st Sept. that
year; trans. to 1. adm. 10th May 1646; died
29th Aug. 1675, aged about 73. He
bequeathed £2000 to the poor of the parish,
and appointed his library to be buried in the
chord of the church. He married, 1. Margaret
Lindsay, who died 28th April 1637; (2)
Nov. 1648, Grizzell Petheringham, in the
parish of Longforgan, and had issue: John,
a lexicographer; David; Alexander; William;
George; Thomas; Henry; Patrick; Girsell
in memory of the tutor of Omachy;
John; Margaret; Elizabeth; Jean;
Dervise; Fergus; in 1661, St Andrews
Test. Rec. of Deeds, cxxv, 238; *Rec. of Deeds*,
cxxxviii, 262; Monteith's *M. et al.* 129.]

JOHN DEMESTER, son of George D.,
1676 Glover, burgess of Brechin, educated
at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. 1692; became schoolmaster of Brechin; adm.
probably as assistant or chaplain

to the Bishop to Brechin before 23rd March 1665; pres. by George, Earl of Panmure; trans. and adm. 16th, and inst. 17th Jan. 1676; conformed to the Government at the Revolution, but was dep. for irregularity; reposed by Commission of Assembly June 1702; died Aug. 1708, aged about 67. [The date on a monument in the church is April 1710, but the Presb. Reg. gives 1708.] He marr. Anna Maule, widow of Alexander Erskine, chamberlain to the Earl of Panmure. She died 27th June 1722, and had issue—George of Dunnichen, merchant, Dundee, born 1678, died 2nd June 1753 [father of George D., M.P. and agriculturist]; John; Charles; James; Henry; Mary; Jean. [*Tombst.*; Nisbet's *Heraldry*, i., 60; Jervise's *Memorials*, ii., 216; Malcolm's *Monifieth*, 98-101.]

JOHN BALLANTYNE, educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (19th July 1700); called by the Presb. *jure devoluto* 16th Nov. 1709; ord. 23rd Feb. 1710; was thrust from his charge by the Jacobites, 6th Nov. 1715, because he "would not read Marr's Declaration against His Majesty King George and desist from praying for him as King of Britain: also the keys of the church were violently taken from him by Panmure's orders, and the church possest by Mr Thomas Auchenleck, Episcopal preacher, till 4th Feb. 1716, at which time the minister came home and took possession of the church again, the keys being at the church." He died 12th June 1738, aged about 58. He marr. Margaret Maxwell, who died 3rd July 1734.

WILLIAM DALL, licen. by Presb. of Arbroath 11th Oct. 1727; assistant to preceding; called 16th Nov. 1738; ord. 25th April 1739; died 25th May 1762.

JAMES HENDERSON, licen. by Presb. of Arbroath 28th Sept. 1743; ord. to Dunnichen 4th Sept. 1746; pres. by William, Earl of Panmure, 6th Sept. 1762; trans. and adm. 9th March 1763; died 26th April 1787. He marr. 9th Jan. 1753, Helen (died 29th March 1800), daugh. of William

Chalmers, provost of Aberdeen, and Helen Mollison, and had issue a son, born 19th Sept. 1753; John, born 23rd May 1754.

WILLIAM JOHNSTONE, born 1752; pres. by George, Earl of Dalhousie, 1787; in Aug., and ord. 27th Sept. 1787; died unmarr. 25th Sept. 1829. Publications: *A Familiar Contrast between Christ and Solomon*, a sermon (Dundee, 1807); *The Principal Causes of the Decline of Piety* (Dundee, 1814); *A Glossary to the Holy Scriptures, for the use of Families and Schools* (1824).

JOHN BISSET, born April 1778; educated at King's College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1796); licen. by Presb. of Garioch 17th March 1802; ord. (assistant) 5th April 1808; pres. by the Hon. William Maule of Panmure in June, and adm. 5th Sept. 1816; died 5th March 1839. He marr. 26th Oct. 1809, Isabella Dick, who died 14th Aug. 1825, and had issue: Jean, born 12th Nov. 1810; Margaret, born 26th Aug. 1812; Thomas, born 4th Feb. 1816; Isabella, born 25th Feb. 1818; Willion, born 20th April 1819; Ann, born 29th Oct. 1820; James Erskine, born 25th May 1823; David Sim, born 26th June 1825.

SAMUEL MILLER, born 2nd March 1810, son of James M., min. of Monikie; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Dundee 1st Feb. 1832; pres. by the Hon. William Maule of Panmure, in June, and ord. (assistant and successor) 17th Sept. 1835. Joined the Free Church in 1843; min. of Monifieth Free Church, 1843-4; min. of St Matthew's Free Church, Glasgow, 1844-51; D.D. (Princeton, U.S.A., July 1848); died 5th July 1881. "Ian Maclaren" said of him: "He was the best of friends. He had the unsuspicious nature of a child, the royal dignity of a king. His love for little children, whom he delighted to hold in his arms, was very great, and a more gracious picture I never saw than when that splendid-looking man folded to his breast an infant he had just baptized." He marr. 13th July 1840, Thomasina (died *s.p.* 20th May 1879), daugh. of

Walter Foggo Ireland, D.D., min. of North Leith. Publications: *A Selection of Arts*, v. 43, *which the Doctor of Divinity Preaches before the Clergy of Edinburgh*, 1830; *Readings from the Holy Gospels*, 1845; *Doctrines taught before the Free Church in the Author's Hometown*, Edinburgh, 1844; *Specimens of the Pastoral Letters of Paul*, D.D., Glasgow, 1852; A Sermon of the Parable of the Sower, and a Sermon on the Cross and Resurrection, *Memoirs* by Thomas Smith, D.D., 1853; George Ernest Phillips' *The St. Matthew's Church, Glasgow, or, Readings of Pastoral Expositions*, 2d edn. Glasgow, 1861.

ALEXANDER TODD, born Brechin
about 1815; educated at Kincardine
College, Aberdeen; M.A., March
1835; Murray Lecturer in 1842; ord. to
Loddoe 28th April 1842; pres. by William, Lord
Panmure, trans. and adm. 13th Dec.
1843; dep. by General Assembly 29th
May 1853. Publication: *The Practical
Ministrant*. Murray Lecture, Aberdeen,
1842. [Paul's Up-Gathering, India;
*Memoirs of the Disciples and Elders and
Leaders*.]

PETER MYLES, born Liff, 21st July
1829; son of David M. and Helen
Isles; educated at Liff School and
Univ. of St. Andrews; B.A. 1847; taught
in Madras College, and was tutor to the
family of Col. Petherkin Grant of Granada,
Forres; licen. by Presb. of Forres 29th
April 1851; a assistant at Menzies in 1852; the
parishioners of Liff petitioned to have him as their minister, but the patron appointed
another, ord. to St. David's, Dundee, 16th
Dec. 1852; trans. and adm. 29th Dec.
1853; died 23rd Feb. 1855. His last
sermon was from the text, "We all do
fade as a leaf." He marr. 7th Feb. 1854; Christine (died 30th Dec. 1863), daughter
of Captain William Mather, R.N., and
Christina White, but had no issue.

JAMES GERARD YOUNG, born
Edinburgh, 1821; son of William Y.
W.S., agent for the Church of Scotland,
served apprenticeship in his father's

office, educated at Univ. of Edinburgh
and St. Andrews; ord. to Fetter 16th
Jan. 1854; trans. and adm. 29th Dec.
1855; clerk of Presb. 1860-71; Con-
venor of General Assembly's Committee
on Sunday Schools for twenty-six years;
D.D., St. Andrews, 1871; died unmarried,
the Oct. 1891, bequeathing the bulk of
his estate to F. and the General Cottage
Hospital, opened in Oct. 1892. He wrote
many poems and hymns, and collected
much valuable information regarding old
Monkieith; by his will all his manu-
scripts, except his sermon, were destroyed.
Publication: *A Selection of Texts from
the Doctrines of His Royal Highness the Prince
Consort*, Dundee, 1861; *The Lord of
Uprightness, a Sermon for the New Year*,
Dundee, 1864; *Fifty Short Letters on
the XIXth Chapter of St. Matthew*, Dundee,
1877; *First and Last Christ, the
Saviour of the Living*, Dundee, 1878; *A
Winter's Soliloquy*, Dundee, 1880; *The First
Christmas Day*, Dundee, 1881; *The Lord
of Uprightness*; *Hymns and Metrical
Prayers*, Dundee, 1890; *Sermons for the First
Sunday of the New Year*, Dundee, 1891;
Memor. of Dr. Robertson, min. of Mains
and Strichenhill, printed to be sold and
Exposition of the Ten Commandments,
D.D., London, 1895. [M. Young's *The
Priest of Monkieith*, portrait, 1891.]

DAVID DUTHIE MCLAUGHLIN, born
Fifehead, 1st March 1860; edu-
cated at Univ. of St. Andrews;
M.A. 1886; B.D. 1889; ord. to Brown-
field Chapel in 1891; trans. to Oldham
Street Church, Liverpool, 1st Nov. 1893;
trans. and adm. 12th April 1900; res. 17th
May 1921, on appointment by Colonial
Committee to Belize, British Honduras,
which he res. because of ill health, July
1922. Marr. (1) 3rd Jan. 1894, Mary Ann
(died 29th Oct. 1933), daughter of John
Laverock and Margaret Rolland, and has
issue: Margaret Rolland, born 29th Oct.
1895; David Duthie, born 1st April 1898;
John Laverock, born 3rd Dec. 1899; Gordon
Rate, born 14th Jan. 1903; (2) 19th March 1906, Annie Grace, daughter of
James Brebner, D.D., min. of Fergie,

GORDON QUIG, M.A., B.D.; trans. from St Paul's, Glasgow (*q.v.*) and adm. 28th Sept. 1921.

MONIKIE.

[The church of Monikie belonged to the Abbey of Arbroath. It was dedicated to St Andrew.]

MATTHEW GRIEVE, vicar pensioner in 1591; reader in 1597; pres. to 1591 the vicarage 17th Jan. 1597-8. [*Coll. of Thirds*, 1591, 95.]

HENRY GRIEVE, reader from 1574 to 1585.

JOHN DURHAM, son of Robert D. of Grange, was min. of Elsk in 1576; 1585 trans. and adm. before 1585; pres. by James VI. 1st June 1612; died FATHER OF THE CHURCH, 15th Aug. 1639, "an auld agit man." He marr. and had issue Patrick, min. of New Abbey; Jean (marr. William Auchinleck, min. of this parish). [*Brechin Tests.*; *Fife Inhabit.*, 11th March 1657.]

WILLIAM AUCHINLECK, M.A.; adm. (probably as helper) before 1634 31st Aug. 1634; trans. to Barry in 1642.

PATRICK MAKGILL, tenth son of James M. of Rankieillour and Jean, daugh. of Sir David Wemyss of that Ilk; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (21st July 1621); pres. to Barry 20th May 1632; pres. by Charles I. 2nd March 1642; died 49th Jan. 1680, aged about 79. He marr. Jane or Lueras Irving, who died in 1680, and had issue Patrick, min. of Tealing; George, min. of Arbirlot; John, drowned in the "Witch Hole," St Andrews, 30th Jan. 1660; Mary, who drew the stipend which was due in July 1681. — [Lamont's *Diary*, 120.]

WILLIAM RAIT of Pitforth, born about 1653, eldest son of William 1680 R., min. of Third Charge, Dundee; educated at King's College, Aberdeen; M.A. (7th July 1677); pres. by Lord

Pannure, in July, adm. and inst. 28th Sept. 1680; took the oaths to William and Mary at the Revolution, but ceased exercising ministerial functions 22nd Jan., and dep. 30th April 1716, for joining the Jacobites. He marr. Isobel, daugh. of Patrick Yeaman of Dryburgh, Forfarshire, and had issue George; James, Episcopalian min. at Kirriemuir and Dundee, consecrated Bishop of Brechin in 1742, born 6th Feb. 1689, died 13th Jan. 1777; Barbara (marr. Henry Edgar, Episcopalian min. in Arbroath); Margaret (marr. 16th Oct. 1699, George Dempster of Dunnichen), buried 6th May 1741. [*Brechin Tests.*; *Forfar Sis.*, xiii., 392; Lawson's *Hist. Scot. Epis. Ch.*, ii., 321; Teviotdale's *Episcopacy in Dundee*, 9, 16; Philip's *The Church in Kirriemuir*, 23.]

JAMES GOODSLIR, educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (9th July 1717 1700; licen. by United Presb. of Dundee and Forfar 6th March, and ord. to Strathmartine 12th Dec. 1706; called by the Presb. *jure devoluto* 26th Dec. 1716; trans. and adm. 12th Feb. 1717; died between 12th Dec. 1733 and 2nd Jan. 1734, aged about 54. He took an active part in the prosecution of John Glas, min. of Tealing. He marr. Florinda Griffith, who survived him.

GEORGE JOHNSTONE, son of Patrick 1738 J., min. of Auchterhouse; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (6th May 1725); licen. by Presb. of Dundee 1st Dec. 1731; pres. by George II. 27th April 1731; ord. 2nd Feb. 1738 (delay having been caused by opposition in the Church Courts); died 4th Oct. 1773, aged about 68. He marr. 21st April 1740, Isobel (died *s.p.* 7th June 1767), daugh. of Alexander, Lord Colville of Culross; (2) 16th Dec. 1768, Agnes, daugh. of William Arthur, min. of Glenisla.

JAMES HUNTER, born about 1720, 1774 son of John H., farmer, Kennethlees, and Margaret Hill; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Forfar 21st Sept. 1743; ord. to Kirkden 16th Aug. 1753; pres. by George III. 19th

Oct. 1773; trans. and adm. 21st July 1774; died 17th Aug. 1792. He marr. Janet Reynolds, Cairnie, Athroath, and had issue:

John, born 26th Aug. 1791; died in Jamaica; James, merchant, Dundee, born 1st April 1793; Janet, born 13th May 1795; Robert, born 1st Oct. 1797.

WILLIAM MAUL, born Angus, 1755; educated at King's College, Aberdeen, 1783; deacn., M.A. 1772; licens. by Presb. of Dundee 3rd July 1776; ord. to Strathcathro 29th Sept. 1782; pres. by George III, 29th Oct. 1782; trans. and adm. 3rd July 1783; D.D. of St Andrews, 29th Dec. 1812; died 30th Jan. 1827. He marr. 3rd May 1785, Margaret, died 2nd Oct. 1817, eldest daugh. of James Blair, min. of Caputh, and had issue: Helen, born 29th Dec. 1786. Publications: Account of the Parish Sandon's *Stat. Agric.*, iv.

JAMES MILLER, born Newcastle, 1777; son of David Miller, educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licens. by Presb. of Meigle 11th Sept. 1799; ord. to Eastie and Nevay 3rd April 1803; pres. by George IV., 27th Feb., trans. and adm. 29th Sept. 1827. Joined the Free Church in 1843; min. of Free Chapel, Monkies, 1843-60; died 25th May 1860. He marr. 17th April 1803, Barbara, died 21st March 1871, daugh. of Samuel Martin, D.D., min. of Monimail, and had issue: David, born 26th April 1807; Elizabeth, born 27th Oct. 1808 (marr. 28th Dec. 1835, Robert Geikie of Rosemount); Samuel, min. of Monkies, born 2nd March 1810; James, Professor of Surgery, Univ. of Edinburgh, author of *A System of Surgery* (1804), well known for his interest in religious and social questions, born 2nd April 1812, died 17th June 1867; John, born 29th Nov. 1813, died 21st March 1844; William, born 19th Oct. 1815; Barbara, born 16th April 1817, died 26th Jan. 1826; Mary Ann, born 6th Sept. 1819; Janet, born 24th Sept. 1820; Jane Martin, born 16th March 1825; John, born 26th April 1827; Wilhelmina, born 13th Dec. 1829, died 14th Dec. 1836. Publications: *A Seminar presented before the Forfar and Strathearn Publishing Table Society* (Dundee, 1816);

A Catechism on the Gospel by Matthew Dunlop, 1818; *An Account of the Parish New Stat. Agric.*, xi.

THOMAS MCKIE, pres. by Queen Victoria 17th Aug., and ord. 8th 1843 Nov. 1843; trans. to Elske 15th Jan. 1852. He had issue (of Vol. III, 1843): Agnes Dunlop, marr. 23rd Sept. 1856, Dr Graham Steel, Manchester; Robert Dunlop, merchant; John Macmillan, bank agent; Thomas George, East India merchant; Walter Dunlop, commission agent.

JOHN REID, born Terryburn, 25th Aug. 1823, son of William Reid, 1852 Inspector of Poor, and Mary Bruce; educated at Terryburn School and Univ. of St Andrews; licens. by Presb. of St Andrews, assistant at St Mary's, Dundee, pres. by Queen Victoria 29th June, and ord. 7th May 1852; died at Wormit 8th Sept. 1860. He marr. 16th May 1855, Elizabeth Davidson, died 1st May 1911, daugh. of James Reid, min. of Kirkinner, and had issue: Mary Bruce, born 2nd May, died 16th Dec. 1856; William Elliot, commission agent, born 23rd Oct. 1857, died 14th May 1910; Mary Jane, born 22nd June 1859, died 3rd Oct. 1882; Margaret Louise, born 14th Jan. 1861 marr. Gordon Irving Donald, min. of Ruthven; James Burnett, student, born 30th Jan. 1863, died 13th Feb. 1881; Harry, teacher, born 16th Sept. 1863, died 28th Aug. 1917; Elizabeth Joanna, born 26th March 1867.

ANDREW ARMIT, born 6th Aug. 1835, son of James Armit, Kettle, and Elizabeth Rattray; educated at Madras Academy, Cupar, and Univ. of St Andrews; licens. by Presb. of Cupar May 1857, assistant at Brightley Ferry, ord. to Picton, Nova Scotia, 11th April 1863; trans. assistant and successor 18th May 1866. Marr. 26th Jan. 1863, Elizabeth, daugh. of James and Georgina Wilson, and has issue: Ethel Elizabeth, M.A., born 15th Nov. 1863; James Wilson, M.A., B.Sc., born 2nd Dec. 1865; Annie Gordon, M.A., born 6th Sept. 1867; Cecil Brodie, medical student, born 23rd April 1869; Gerald, agricultural student, born 13th Feb. 1901.

MURROES.

[The church of Murroes belonged to the Abbey of Arbroath. Upon its south wall is a stone panel inscribed: A.D. 1548, Christo, Luci mundi, et humanae salutis Auctori haec aedes consecrata est; J.L.C.]

NINIAN COOK, vicar and reader 1561 in 1561.

WILLIAM OLIVER, reader in 1567 1567.

NINIAN COOK, reader in May 1570 1570.

ANDREW AUCHINLECK, min. of 1574 Barry, Monifieth, and of this parish in 1574.

WILLIAM OLIVER, reader from 1574 1574 to 1589; died before 18th June 1599.

HENRY DUNCAN, brother of Alexander D., goldsmith, burgess of 1585 Dundee; min. at Ballumbie in 1585, with this parish also in charge; removed here in 1590, Ballumbie being still in his charge; was one of the forty-two mins. who signed a Protest to Parliament 1st July 1606 against the introduction of Episcopacy; died 5th April 1618, bequeathing his books to William Rait, min. of Mains, and what he might not take, to the Presb. He marr. (1) Alison or Margaret Futhie, who died June 1608; (2) Janet Sibbald (who survived him and marr. (2) cont. 11th Dec. 1621, David Guthrie of that Ilk), and had issue Marjory (marr. George Clephane of Carslogie). [*St Andrews Test.*; *Douglas's Breviary*, 349; *Prot. Book of T. Wichtoun*, 54; *G. R. Inhib.*, *Fofair*, 26th Feb. 1636; *And. of Ercheq.*, 1584-98, 107; *Reg. of Deeds*, ccxxv, 362; *Reg. Mat. Sig.*, ix, 1639.]

ROBERT ROLLOCK, eldest son and 1618 heir of Walter R., merchant, burgess of Dundee, and Janet Blyth; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (29th July 1609); pres. by James VI June 1618; dep. by Commission of Assembly in 1639, for non-residence for

three years together, neglect of his charge and maintaining the universality of the benefits of Christ's death. He had issue

Andrew. [*Perth Sis.*, 31st May 1635; *Parliamentary Petitions*, 21st June 1661; *P. C. Reg.*, 2nd ser., iii., 198.]

JAMES GARDINER, educated at Univ. 1611 of St Andrews; M.A. (1627); pres. by Charles I, 3rd March 1641; died Nov. 1647, aged about 34.

MICHAEL GILBERT, son of Thomas 1643 G., of Kaimes, advocate, Edinburgh, licentiate for long at St Andrews; pres. by James VI, to North Berwick and after much dispute inst. 6th Feb. 1622; trans. to Gariock in 1628; trans. and adm. about 1648; died before 3rd Jan. 1652. He marr. Eupham Wood, who survived him. [*St Andrews Test.*]

ROBERT EDWARD, born about 1616, 1648 son of Alexander E., Dundee; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1632); adm. to Kirkmichael (Ayr), 1637; pres. by Patrick, Earl of Panmure, trans. and adm. before Aug. 1648; deprived at the Revolution; died in Edinburgh 23rd March 1696. He marr. (1) Jean Johnston, and had issue Alexander, min. of Kembreck; Charles, min. of this parish; John, tutor to the son of Sir James Fleming; Robert, Episcopal min.; Magdalene, born and died 1656, aged 4 months; Martha, born and died 1660, aged 4 months; (2) Elizabeth Adamson, who survived him, and had issue Jean, buried 26th Feb. 1694; Robert, buried 16th July 1695, and children buried in Greyfriars, Edinburgh, 10th March 1691, 12th April and 11th June 1694, 10th May 1696. Publications — *A Description of the County of Angus containing the map of Angus* (1678). [Edward's Description of Angus is in Latin, and was printed in the form of a broadside on one large sheet of paper. The map was engraved by Gerard Vale and Peter Schenk of Amsterdam at the expense of the Earl of Panmure, whose arms are upon the map, and to whom the work was dedicated. A translation [43 pp.] (Dundee, 1793, 1832; Edinburgh,

1880, 1883) was made by James Trail, min. of St. Cyrus, from a copy found at Penmuire House in 1780. The Latin version is extremely rare. The Description has been reprinted in Warden's *Archæologiae, or, Ecclesiastical History*, vol. vi, 233-52; Dundee, 1881. [See *The Description of Ayrshire*, Edinburgh, 1653; *Gregorian Breviary*, Tayside, 797; *P. C. Reg.* 3rd ser., v. viii, 161.]

CHARLES EDWARD, son of preceding; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A., 24th July 1679; licen. by Presb. of Dundee, recommended for ordination 27th Aug. 1684 as colleague to his father; is last mentioned on 27th Aug. 1692.

[The parish was vacant for over six years.]

JAMES MARIE (or MARI), born at Dundee, 1674; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A., 20th July 1695; licen. by United Presb. of Angus and Mearns 4th Aug. 1697; called by them *pro tempore*; ord. 20th March 1698; died between 6th Aug. and 3rd Sept. 1710. He marr. Ann Alison, and had issue George, his successor in the parish; Margaret (marr. James Alison, governor of Guinea); [Dufferin *Sus.*, 11th Sept. 1732.]

GEORGE MARI (or MARI), born about 1711, son of preceding; served heir to his father 2nd June 1711; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A., 7th May 1729; licen. by Presb. of Dundee 7th July 1730; pres. by George II, 30th Dec. 1740; ord. 6th June 1741; died 16th Aug. 1760. He marr. 5th Nov. 1745, Janet Rodger, who died 12th Feb. 1767, and had issue Margaret, born 18th May 1747; Anne, born 18th Sept. 1748; Janet, born 26th Nov. 1749; Elizabeth, born 2nd Feb. 1751; James, born 31st May 1752, served heir to his father 26th Dec. 1770; Christopher, born 17th July 1754; Mary, born 3rd Aug. 1755; Hugh, born 4th Oct. 1756.

ALEXANDER IMIACH, born 1727; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; became teacher at Kirriemuir, born by Presb. of Forfar 18th Oct. 1758; pres. by George II, 13th Aug. 1769; ord. 14th May 1761; died 5th Nov. 1801. He marr. 23rd July 1752, Susanna Orlify, who died 6th Sept. 1761, aged 63, and had issue George, W.S., born 23rd Aug. 1753; died 1812; Janet, born 17th Feb. 1757; died 16th Dec. 1764; Henry, colonel H.E.L.C.S., born 20th May 1760; Anne, born 7th June 1762; died 3rd May 1789; Margaret, born 29th Oct. 1763 (marr. pres. 22nd June 1789); George Orlify of Beckie, born 17th Jan. 1775 (marr. pres. 4th Dec. 1788); James Spence, writer, Edinburgh; Susan, born 8th Feb. 1767. Publication: *Account of the Parish of Sinclair's Strath*, 4 vols.

DAVID CANNAN, train. from Kirriemuir, pres. by George III, 26th Nov. 1808; adm. 3rd Aug. 1809; trans. to Mains and Strathmartine 16th Nov. 1820.

JOHN IRVING CURRIE, born Dundee, 1821; friesshire; son by Presb. of Edinburgh 28th Aug. 1813; pres. by George IV, 23rd Nov. 1820; ord. 10th April 1821; assumed name of Irving in 1837; died 26th July 1863. Publication: *Account of the Parish of Muir of Ord*, 3 vols.

JOHN ROYD, pres. by Queen Victoria 28th Nov. 1863; ord. 17th March 1864; 1864; trans. to Kirriemuir 10th Jan. 1873.

JAMES NICOLL, born Dundee, 27th Sept. 1845; son of Thomas N. and Agnes Hill; educated at Dundee High School and Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Dundee Nov. 1870; constant at East Parish, Aberdeen; ord. to Rosebank, Dundee, 14th Jan. 1873; pres. by Queen Victoria 24th March, trans. and adm. 5th June 1873; res. 15th May 1894. Marr. 6th June 1877, Cecilia Beatrice, second daughter of Richard Baird, C.E., and has issue Thomas, born 17th May 1878; James, architect, born 1st Aug.

1879; Catherine Burman, born 1st March 1881; Agnes Hill, M.B., C.M., born 21st Aug. 1882. Peter Hill, min. of Abbey Parish, Arbroath, and St Andrew's, British Guiana, born 19th Feb. 1884; Cecilia Baird, born 26th June 1885; Jean Cuthbert, M.A., born 19th Aug. 1888.

WILLIAM AUGUSTUS FORBES
1919 born Tain, 15th July 1882, youngest son of the Rev. Alexander F., B.A., classical master, Morgan Academy, Dundee, and Margaret Surette; educated at Morgan Academy and Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1902), B.D. (1906); assistant at Scots Church, Buenos Aires, and Lady Yester's, Edinburgh; chaplain to Forces in European War; ord. to North Ronaldshay 7th Sept. 1910; trans. and adm. 24th Sept. 1919.

BALLUMBIE.

HENRY DUNCAN, min. in 1585 with
1585 Murroes also in charge; removed to
Murroes about 1590.

JAMES FOTHERINGHAM, min. in
1604 1604. [P. C. Regs. vii., 576.]

ST MARGARET'S, BARNHILL (Q.S.).

[A chapel of ease was constituted here in June 1884. A church, dedicated to St Margaret of Scotland, was opened on that Saint's day 16th Nov. 1895. Its lectern is a replica of that which was gifted to Holyrood Abbey by Abbot George Crichton, when made Bishop of Dunkeld by James IV. The parish of St Margaret was disjoined from Monifieth 8th March 1907.]

THOMAS NEWBIGGING ADAMSON,
1884 born 1st April 1855, son of John A., min. of Newton; educated at Royal High School and Univs. of Edinburgh and Leipzig; licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 15th May 1879; assistant at East Parish, Aberdeen; ord. 30th Oct. 1884; died 18th Nov. 1911. His alleged ritualistic practices were the subject of proceedings in the Church

Courts at different times. He marr. 9th Oct. 1894, Christina, daugh. of Angus Fraser, Woodbank, Cults, and Isabella Carter.

JAMES FLEMING GORDON ORR,
1912 M.A., B.D.; adm. by the General Assembly from the Presbyterian Church of New Zealand May 1910; assistant at St Cuthbert's, Edinburgh; adm. here 27th March 1912; res. on appointment by Colonial Committee to Nairobi, East Central Africa (*q.v.*) 3rd Feb. 1921.

GEORGE BREMNER, born Forres,
1921 19th March 1875, son of George B.; educated at Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A. (1895), B.D. (1902); became English Master in Mackie Academy, Stonehaven; licen. by the Presb. of Edinburgh in 1902; assistant at St Bernard's, Edinburgh; ord. to Inverarity 18th Jan. 1906; trans. and adm. 13th July 1921. He marr. 2nd Oct. 1907, Jeannie, daugh. of D. M. Mackay, Aberdeen.

TEALING.

[The church of Tealing, dedicated to St Peter the Apostle, belonged to the Priory of St Andrews. Tealing was a prebend of Dunkeld. The min. was Archdeacon of Dunkeld. St Peter's Well is in the parish. In the north wall of the church are a number of inscribed stones.]

ANDREW GIBB, reader from 1567 to
1587 1590.

DAVID ROBERTSON, min. in 1567,
1587 probably holding Rossie in conjunction.

JOHN RAMSAY [called D.D. on tombstone], born 1590; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1587); min. in 1590, with Inverarity also in the charge; was a member of Assembly March 1596, May 1597, and March 1597-8; had charter of the half Flands of Auchreny in Panbride in 1602; was app. by the Assembly in 1606 constant Moderator of the Presb.; named

member of the Court of High Commission 21st Dec. 1645, died 14th May 1648. He marr. Elizabeth Kirk, b. wife of James Archibald of Woodhill, and had issue Catherine (marr. William Ogilvery of Seton), Helen (marr. the cont. 2nd July 1649, Alexander, son of James Durham of Pittkirk), 21st Dec. 1632, John Kinkoch of Little Gourdie. [*Reg. of Decls.*, ccclxxxviii, 25, ccclix, 119, 118; *Acts of T. Decl.*, ccclxxii, 9; *Pr. of S. A. Actgs.*, 8, fol. x, 292; *A. of T. Decl.*, iv, 112; *T. Decl.*, Wardens' Accts., v, 212, 231.]

ALEXANDER BRUCE, brother of Dr 1823 Peter Bruce, educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. 1596, adm. to Kincardines 6th Sept. 1611, trans. and adm. before 10th Sept. 1623, probably dep. by the Committee of Assembly appointed for Visitation, Sept. 1630. He marr. Isobel Kinman or Kinlumouth, and had issue George; Catherine (marr. cont. 21st April 1633, William Drummond in Biddulph); Barbara; Margaret. [*Pr. of S. A.*, iii, 3, viii, 128, 310; *Reg. of Decls.*, Mack., 14th Dec. 1634.]

JOHN CAMPBELL, third son of Colin 1650 Ca. marr. of Third Charge, Dundee, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1634, adm. after 12th May 1650, deprived by Act of Parliament 11th June, and Decret. of Privy Council 1st Oct. 1652, but reinstated 20th Oct. 1653. He marr. Margaret, daughter of William Rait, marr. of Third Charge, Dundee, she survived him and marr. 2d. Billy Kellock, Dundee, and had issue a daughter, marr. George Fotheringham of Ballindaloch; a daughter (marr. Patrick, son of George Hildibert, Bishop of Aberdeen). [*P. C. Rec.*, 3rd ser. i, 351.]

PATRICK MACGILL, eldest son of 1695 Patrick Macmillan of Monzie, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 9th July 1695, licens. by Presb. thereafter 30th March 1696, ord. 16th to 21st, and adm. 27th June 1695, died between 2nd Jan. and 5th March 1694. He marr., and had issue George, writer,

Hilburnie, buried here 16th Jan. 1700. [*P. C. Rec.*, 3rd ser. i, iv, 78.]

JOHN LYON, third son of John L. of 1684 Wester Osil and Catherine Ogilvy; educ. at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 25th July 1676, licens. by Presb. of Forfar in 1680, ord. to Aikie 17th Oct. 1683, trans. to Glams 21st Dec. 1684, titulus and adm. before 20th July 1684, Archdeacon of Dunkeld in 1687, d. adm. 3rd Sept. 1701, educ. at Kintore near June 1702. He marr., and had issue John; Patrick; George; Charles; Andrew; Margaret; Agnes. [*The Lyon of Glans*, 53; *Hunters' Descr. of Dunkeld*, 488; *St Andrews' Test.*]

HUGH MAXWELL, M.A. called 18th, 1703, app'd by the Presb. to 3d. 16th 24th Feb., and ord. 27th July 1703, trans. to Forfar 21st March 1717.

JOHN GLAS, born Auchtermeikty, 1719, 21st Sept., bapt. 19th Oct. 1676, only son of Alexander Glas, man of Auchtermeikty, afterwards of Kinloven (descended from the family of Glas of Sac hies), educated at Parish School of Kinloven and Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 6th May 1713, and Edinburgh, licens. by Presb. of Dunkeld 20th May 1718, called 16th Feb., and app'd by the Presb. *pro tempore* 16th March, and ord. 6th May 1719. He became very popular as a preacher. On 13th July 1725 he formed a society of nearly a hundred persons within the parish for a monthly celebration of the Communion. He further adopted views in regard to the National Covenant, the relation of the Church to the State, and the right of the latter to interfere in matters of religion, which brought him into conflict with the Church Courts. Having renounced certain passages of the Confession of Faith and withdrawn his signature from the Formularies, he was suspended by the Synod of Angus and Mearns, 18th April 1728, which sentence was confirmed by the General Assembly in May of that year. He desisted of this sentence and continuing to exercise ministerial functions, he was dep. by

the Synod 15th Oct. thereafter, the Commission of Assembly affirming the same, 12th March 1730; notwithstanding strong appeals in his favour, notably by Duncan Forbes of Culloden, then Lord Advocate. G. now removed to Dundee, where he set up a church according to his views, whose members became known as Glassites. In 1733 he went to Perth, where he formed a church in face of much opposition, steps being taken to eject him from the city. At Perth he was joined by Robert Sandeman (1718-71), a youth of twenty, who became his son in law, and from whom the sect is known in England and in America (to which it spread, largely through Sandeman's labours there). In 1738 George Byres, min. of St Boswells, dem. his charge and ministered to a small body of Glassites at Kippilaw, parish of Bowden. On 22nd May 1739, the General Assembly on its own initiative reposed G. to the office of the Christian ministry, but declined to recognise him as a min. of the Church until he should renounce the principles embraced by him and inconsistent with the constitution of the Church. He latterly returned to Dundee, where he died 2nd Nov. 1773. He marr. 1721, Katherine (died Dec. 1740), eldest daugh. of Thomas Black, min. of Perth, and had issue: Captain George (sometimes called John), born 1725, bred a sailor, made several voyages to the West Coast of Africa and the Canary Islands, and after an adventurous life was murdered by mutineers off the south coast of Ireland in 1765, his wife and daugh. being thrown overboard and drowned. The murderers were discovered and executed. Captain Glas was translator of Galindo's *History of the Discovery and Conquest of the Canary Islands* (London, 1764) [also in Pinkerton's *Collection of Voyages and Travels*, vol. xvi., 808]. He wrote: *A Description of Teneriffe*; Thomas, bookseller, Dundee, and pastor of the Glassite Congregation there, died of fever in the prime of life; Alexander, author of *The River Tay: a Fragment*, and other poems, and Glassite hymns, died young; Katherine (marr. Robert Sandeman, founder of the

Sandemanians, and author of *Letters in Cettersim of Heresy's Therm and Apasio*, 2 vols. (1757), died 1746; and eleven others, all of whom predeceased their parents. Publications: *The Testimony of the King of Martyns concerning his Kingdom* (Edinburgh, 1727, 1728, 1729, 1730, 1747) [Preface by Robert Ferrier, min. of Larro, who joined the Glassite sect in 1768]; 1759, 1777, 1813; *A Narrative of the Rise and Progress of the Controversy about the National Covenants* (Edinburgh, 1728; Dundee, 1828); *An Explication of that Proposition contained in Mr Glas's Answers to the Synod's Queries* (Edinburgh, 1728); see also *The Humble Thoughts of some Sober and Judicious Christians concerning the Affair of the Rev. J. G.* (n.p., 1728); *A Further Continuation of Mr Glas's Narrative* (n.p., n.d.); *A Continuation of Mr Glas's Narrative* [3 parts] (Edinburgh, 1729); *The Speech of Mr J. Glas before the Commission of the General Assembly*, 11th March 1730 (Edinburgh, 1730); *Remarks upon the Memorial of the Synod of Angus against Mr Glas, and the Sentence of the Commission deposing him from the Ministry* (Edinburgh, 1730); *Memorial concerning the Affair of Mr J. G.* vindicating the Synod's Procedure against him [by Henry Maxwell] (1730); *Some Observes upon the Original Constitution of the Christian Church* (Edinburgh, 1732); *Sermon preached in the Congregational Church of Dundee* (Edinburgh, 1740); *A Plot for Pure and Unspotted Religion* (Edinburgh, 1741); *Sermon preached in . . . Dundee, with a Note on the History of Mordacai and Haman* (Edinburgh, 1741); *Catholick Charity* (Edinburgh, 1742); *The Unlawfulness of Blood-eating* (Edinburgh, 1743); *A View of the new Communion Office, together with some thoughts occasioned by reading Mr Johnson's Undeely Sacrifice and Altar Unveil'd* (Edinburgh, 1743); *A Treatise on the Lord's Supper* (Edinburgh, 1743); *A Dissertation on Infant Baptism* (Edinburgh, 1746); *Notes on Scripture Texts* [seven numbers] (Edinburgh, 1748-60); *The Works of . . . J. G.*, 2 vols. (Edinburgh, 1761-2); 2nd ed., 5 vols., Perth, 1782-3); *Christian Songs* (Dundee, 1775). [Warden's

A. S. v. 223; *Cent. of Home Offr. Procs.* 1760-5; *Cent. Environs May.* xxxv. 545, has a full account of Captain Glass's murder in Julian's *Dict. of Hom. Env.* 1833; Marshall's *Hist. of Sociers on Earth* ch. x. 124; Wilson's *Dissenting Churches in London*, 1st & 2d vols., p. 1; Grimes' *Eccl. Hist. of Scotl.* iv. 55; Hunt's *Repros. of Sects in England*, 1st. 222 &c seq.; Evans' *Sketch of the Different Denominations* 1763; *Cat. Elm. Univ. Lib.* 1st. 79; Cunningham's *Church Hist.* iii. 300; *Dict. Nat. Biog.*]

JOHN STEWART, born 15th March 1731, son of William St., min. of Second Charge, Perth; educated at Univ. of St. Andrews; M.A. 26th April 1722; licen. by Presb. of M'gill 3rd May 1727; ord. to Dunkeld 27th Dec. 1727; called 13th Aug. and 13th Oct. 1730; trans. and adm. 19th Sept. 1731; died 12th Sept. 1763. He marr. 15th Nov. 1734, Katherine, died at Dundee, 29th July 1781; second daugh. of Sir Michael Balfour of Dennyln, Bart., and had issue William, born 22nd Feb. 1746. Publication - *A Sermon.*

JOHN GELLATLY, born Forgan, 27th Feb. 1732, son of John G., min. of Third Charge, Dundee; educated at Grammar School, Dundee, and Univ. of St. Andrews; M.A. 1756; licen. by Presb. of Dundee 6th Jan. 1764; pres. by George III. 23rd Feb., and ord. 2nd Aug. 1764; died 16th Dec. 1796. He marr. 26th Sept. 1780, Mary, died 17th March 1810, daugh. of David Graham of Meiklewood, and had issue John, born 26th Sept. 1782, died 3rd Sept. 1783; Isabella, born 5th April 1786; marr. Archibald McLachlan, min. of First Charge, Dundee. Publications - *Sermons* (Aberdeen, 1800); *Account of the Parish* (Sandie's *Stat. Agric.* iv. xxii.) [*Life Sciences.*]

WALTER TAFT, trans. from Lundie, pres. by George III. 1st Feb., and 1797 adm. 5th Oct. 1797; trans. to Trinity, Edinburgh, 25th Nov. 1813. He

had issue - Vol. I. 120. Robert Dundas, born 22nd March 1809, died 26th June 1843.

CHARLES ADIE, pres. by George IV. Prince Regent, 1st Dec. 1813; ord. 1814 17th March 1814; trans. to Second Charge, Dundee, 12th Oct. 1826.

GEORGE TOD, pres. by George IV. 23rd Oct. 1826; adm. 26th March 1827 1827; trans. to St. David's, Dundee, 6th Aug. 1829.

PETER BALFOUR, trans. from Evie and Rendall, pres. by George IV. 1830 15th Jan., and adm. 22nd April 1830; trans. to Clackmannan 13th May 1835.

DAVID BARCLAY MELLIS, born 16th Nov. 1809, youngest son of James M. of Newhall and Janet Barclay, daugh. of Sir William Nairn, Lord Dunsmuir; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Perth 31st Dec. 1823; ord. by Presb. of Edinburgh as min. of a Presbyterian Congregation at Douglas, Isle of Man, 26th Aug. 1830; assistant at Markinch in 1835; pres. by William IV. in Sept., and adm. 5th Nov. 1835. Joined the Free Church in 1843; min. of Free Church, Tealing, 1843-61; died in Edinburgh, 27th May 1861. He marr. 6th Aug. 1842, Mary, died 27th Nov. 1862; daugh. of John Campbell, D.D., min. of Tolbooth, Edinburgh, and had issue James, M.A., min. of Free Church, Carnbee, and afterwards at Southport, born 12th June 1837; John Campbell, advocate, sheriff-substitute, Kirkwall, born 16th Jan. 1835, died 18th Nov. 1887; Jane Kinnear, born 12th May 1836, died 25th July 1901; Jessie Barclay, born 28th Jan. 1848, marr. 11th Aug. 1881, Robert Fraser, min. in New Hebrides, died 11th April 1886; Mary Campbell, born 2nd Aug. 1849 (marr. 10th May 1883, George Smith, min. at Swatow, China). Publications -

The Christian Home: or Notes on the Hundred and First Psalm.

WILLIAM ELDER, born Dundee, 1804; educated at Univ. of St Andrews and Original Secession Divinity Hall; licen. by Original Secession Presb. of Perth and Dunfermline 12th Aug. 1834; declined a call to Cumbernauld; ord. min. of the Original Secession Church, Cupar Fife, 25th Aug. 1836; joined the Church of Scotland, and became min. of St Mary's, Cupar, 1839; although he "subscribed the Solemn Engagement and both series of Resolutions of Convocation," he did not join the Free Church, but was trans. and adm. to this charge 28th Sept. 1843; died unmarr. 26th Aug. 1890.

SAMUEL MACAULAY, born Castleblayney, Ireland, son of Matthew M., 1889 min. of Irish Presbyterian Church, and Mary Margaret McClelland; educated at Newry Collegiate School and Queen's Univ. of Belfast; B.A. (1883), LL.B. (1884), LL.D. (1886); licen. by Presb. of Ballibay in 1886; adm. to Church of Scotland by General Assembly May 1887; assistant at Brechin and St. Bernard's, Edinburgh; ord. 30th Dec. 1889; app. clerk of Presb. 3rd Sept. 1919. Marr. 5th Aug. 1897, Helen Scott, daugh. of John Shiell, S.S.C., Dundee, and Susan Lyall Guthrie, and has issue—Mary Margaret, born 23rd Nov. 1898; Sheila Lyall Guthrie (marr. 23rd July 1924, Graham Nicoll Warner, min. of Bervie); Helen Scott.

PRESBYTERY OF BRECHIN

[The Register of the Presbytery of Brechin began at 16th May 1636. There is no Record between April 1633 and 1st May 1635, the 1st November being inserted under the letter dated "This daye for the year next vyz, from April 1633 to May 1635, is by reason of the troubles, Brechin being plundered by the commone enimie, this Presbyterie book was taken away by the rebels togidder with the scroll containing the proceedings of the presbytery from April 1633 till the first day of May 1635. The scrolls perished but the book was recovered. The three earliest volumes were given back to the Presbytery in Feb. 1688 by Sir John Wedderburn of Ballindalloch Bart. There are gaps in the Record from 11th April 1661 to 1st Avril 1662, and from 1st June 1665 to 1st Dec. 1668. From 1688 to 1696 the Presbyteries of Dundee and Brechin were united.]

BRECHIN AND KELMORE.

[These parishes were united in the sixteenth century.]

Brechin. In early times Brechin was the seat of a great Celtic Abbey. Some where about 1150 David I appropriated its endowments, and founded with them the See of Brechin. The old dedication to the Holy Trinity was retained for both the parish church and the cathedral. Soon after the Reformation the cathedral was made the church of the parish. In 1631 a Second Chapel was founded for the parish. In its two western towers, both fine, though utterly unlike, the church possesses a feature all its own. The Round Tower, 103 feet high, is a fabric of the greatest interest. In its origin it was a watch tower and place of strength belonging to the Celtic monastery. Its age is very uncertain, but it was not likely less than 200 years old when the cathedral was built beside it. It was, in its early time, a structure standing by itself, not an adjunct of a larger edifice. The alters in the cathedral of Brechin included dedications to the Holy Trinity, the Holy Rood, St Ninian, St Christopher, St Katherine, St

Thomas the Martyr, St Magdalene, St Peter, St George, St Leonard, St Sebastian, and St Nicholas. After the Reformation the church fell into ruin, and in 1807 the aisles were taken down and rebuilt in the taste of the day. In 1800 a complete restoration was begun, and the church was opened for public worship 23rd April 1802. In 1267 there was built in Brechin the hospital or Maison Dieu of St Mary. There is not a little architectural interest in the part of it which still stands in ruin. There were in the parish chapel of St Michael and St Magdalene, and another chapel at Arrait. A fair was held at Brechin on Trinity Sunday.

Kelmore. The church of Kilmore, or Kilmoir, was dedicated to St Mary. This parish was a prebend of Brechin.

First Charge.

JOHN HEPBURN, one of those 1592 "thought apt and able to minister" by the first General Assembly 20th Dec. 1592, was treasurer of Brechin in 1594, and was appointed to preach in Moray 29th Dec. 1592. A more extended commission was given him on 29th June

1563. This he was unable to fulfil on account of sickness, and it was renewed 31st Dec. 1567, Banbride being then also in the charge. In 1571 Banbride was excluded, and Farnell, Auldbar, Kelmore, Buttergill, and Cuikistoun included. In 1587 Farnell and Auldbar were excluded. He was a member of Assembly, and was still min. in 1601. [Comp. of the Collector of Thirds, copy 1581, f. 165; Calderwood's Hist. ii. 66, 224, 245, iii. 465, iv. 306, 549; Reg. Epis. Brechin.]

JOHN MERSCHELL, M.A. (Edinburgh, 29th July 1598); adm. before 1600 7th Nov. 1600; had a gift of the sub-deanery from James VI. 13th Jan. 1602; still min. in 1607. He died before 16th July 1633, when his widow, Marjory Smith, received charity from Calder. She was again recommended for charity by the General Assembly Aug. 1647, was in old age "at the poynit of starvynge" 2nd May 1657, and alive 3rd Nov. 1659. — [Mid Calder Sess. Rec.; Newtyle, Menmuir, and Kenmure Sess. Recs.]

ALEXANDER BISSET, M.A. (King's College, Aberdeen, 1605); pres. to 1608 the parsonage and vicarage of Kelmore in the Cathedral Kirk of Brechin by John Livingston of Dunipace, 26th Aug. 1611, and by Andrew, Bishop of Brechin, 10th Feb. 1612; was at Dundee, 17th Aug. 1630, agreeing with a skipper to take the great bell to Holland, "and found her of new because she was riven"; refused to read the Service Book in 1637; had a gift of the few duties of Brechin from Charles I. 12th Oct. 1641, and gifted a silver Communion cup in 1643. He died 29th Jan. 1644, aged about 59. He left 300 mervs. in addition to 400 formerly provided to the poor of the parish. He marr. (1) Jean Ogilvy, who died before 14th July 1614; (2) Margaret Fullerton, who survived him, and had issue Robert; Margaret. [Reg. Soc. Sig.; Brechin Tests.; Inq. Ret. Gen., 3033; Jervise's Memorials; Reg. May. Sig., vii., 1678; G. R. Inhib.]

WILLIAM RAFT, M.A.; trans. from Aberluthnot; adm. 3rd Dec. 1644; 1644 there was no service 23rd and 30th March, 27th July and 16th Nov. 1645, by reason of the enemies being in the town, on 28th June 1647 the sermon being at the Castle for fear of the enemy, and also from the end of Aug. to end of Oct. 1651, the mins. being absent owing to the English forces lying in garrison round about the town. He gifted a silver Communion cup in 1643; was a member of Commissions of Assembly 1646, 1647, 1649; was called to Aberdeen in 1652, but declined to accept; nominated by the Council of England one of those for authorising admissions to the ministry in Perth, Fife, and Angus; trans. to the Principalship of King's College, Aberdeen, 1661, and afterwards min. of Dundee.

DAVID STRACHAN, trans. from Fettercairn; consecrated bishop here 7th May 1662 (q.v.).

JOHN DEMPSTER, M.A.; adm. 1665 (probably as assistant or chaplain to the bishop) before 23rd March 1665; trans. to Monifieth 16th Jan. 1676.

ROBERT LAURIE, M.A.; Dean of Edinburgh; consecrated bishop here 14th July 1672 (q.v.); died 1678.

HENRY LINDSAY, M.A.; app. assistant or chaplain by the bishop before 1676 16th Feb. 1676; trans. to Farnell before 15th Jan. 1682.

GEORGE HALIBURTON, D.D.; trans. from Coupar-Angus; consecrated bishop here 13th June 1678; trans. to bishopric of Aberdeen 15th July 1682 (q.v.).

ROBERT DOUGLAS, M.A.; trans. from deanery of Glasgow; consecrated bishop here 25th July 1682; trans. to bishopric of Dunblane 10th Aug. 1684 (q.v.).

ALEXANDER CAIRNCROSS, trans. from Dumfries; consecrated bishop here 10th Aug. 1684; trans. to archbishopric of Glasgow 18th Dec. 1684 (q.v.).

JAMES DRUMMOND, trans. from 1684. Muthill, born 1640, died 1684, at the Pres. 1684, was deprived of Rev. by Pres.

MATTHEW SKINNER, pres. since 1686. Lasswade, Scotland, University, 1686. Ord. Law of St. Andrews, M.A., 1st May 1686, and master of the Grammar School, Forres, in May 1692, and, 1st Nov. 1693, May 1695, trans. to St. Andrews, May 1697, gave credit to the church, 1698, provided the Kirk Session, 1st April, May 1699, for being delayed from Popay, trans. and adm. in 1699, d. 1st Aug. 1699, and, 1st Aug. 1700. His mare, Mary, the daughter of James Gethel, of Peebles, had issue: John, name of Second Charge, who died before 4th Sept. 1711; Margaret, marr. James Gethel, marr. of Cumbernauld; Katherine, Anna. One of these daughters marr. John Kincaid of Bodders, burgess of Brechin. [Black's *Brechin*, 169.]

JOHN WILLISON, called by a committee of Synod, *pro rebus ecclesiasticis*, 1703, Sept., and ord. 3rd Dec. 1703, trans. to Second Charge, Dundee, 9th Sept. 1710. So bitter was the feeling against him that he found it impossible to get a cart to remove his furniture to his new charge. [Black's *Brechin*, 119.]

ROBERT GRAY, born about 1685, son of Capt. G. Gray, born by Pres. of Aberdeen 26th April 1710, ord. to Cabrich Kirk, Jan. 1711, trans. to Elie, 26th Aug. 1713, called 10th April, trans. and adm. 8th May 1717, d. 1st 16th July 1738. He marr. Anne Swanton, and had issue: Alexander, surgeon in the island of Sumatra, and others. [Black's *Past.*]

DAVID BLAIR, born 1701, M.A., St Andrews, 2nd March 1710, d. 16th Oct. 1738, by Pres. of Dundee 9th March 1722, became chaplain to Colonel Patrick O'Dowd, ord. to Lockie, 16th Sept. 1726, trans. to Second Charge 9th June 1733, pres. by George II, 26th Aug., trans. and adm. 11th Oct. 1738, died 26th April 1766. He is said to have opened the first Sabbath evening school in Scotland about 1760, and

was a zealous opponent of patronage. He married 1st, 1st Sept. 1730, Christiana, d. Sept. 1733, 2d, 1734, Sarah, and heirs of John Duncanson, of Elgin, 1734, and of Christopher, d. 1731. M. A., 1731, trans. to New York 1732, and 1733, 1734, 1735, and to the West 1734. Spent some time in America, and died 1st May 1736, at New York, 1736. [Carter, *Arch. West.* 1732, 8 Sept. 1732, Pres. of Columbia, 9th Aug. 1732, 14th Aug. 1732, 1st Aug. 1733, 1st Aug. 1734, 1st Aug. 1735, 1st Aug. 1736, 1st Aug. 1737, 1st Aug. 1738, 1st Aug. 1739, 1st Aug. 1740, 1st Aug. 1741, 1st Aug. 1742, 1st Aug. 1743, 1st Aug. 1744, 1st Aug. 1745, 1st Aug. 1746, 1st Aug. 1747, 1st Aug. 1748, 1st Aug. 1749, 1st Aug. 1750, 1st Aug. 1751, 1st Aug. 1752, 1st Aug. 1753, 1st Aug. 1754, 1st Aug. 1755, 1st Aug. 1756, 1st Aug. 1757, 1st Aug. 1758, 1st Aug. 1759, 1st Aug. 1760, 1st Aug. 1761.]

JOHN BISSIT, born 1712, son of John Bissit, Rambler of St. Andrews, 1712, and of Mrs. Marjorie, wife of Mr. Andrew, formerly Professor of Brechin, and Adm. 1730, ord. to Culross Kirk, Nov. 1731, pres. by George II, 26th May, ad. 16th Aug., trans. and adm. 9th Nov. 1736, and 16th Oct. 1737. He marr. 1st Aug. 1739, Eliz. the d. 21st Jan. 1760, 2d, 16th of John Angus, marr. of Culross Kirk, and had issue: Anna, born 1st Feb. 1740, John, born 16th April 1741, M. A., Marshaled College 1759, ord. marr. of St. John's, New Brunswick, 1786, author of *Sixty Years, Maryland*, 1792, constant reader at Trinity Parish, New York, 1796, Professor of Rhetoric and Bell's *Lectures*, Columbia College, res. at Edin. in 1810, William, born 16th March 1793, Ames, born 16th Jan. 1796, died at Nigg Manso 21st Oct. 1847, Keith, duchy, born 4th March 1772, Jean, born 1st Feb. 1777, Publications: *The Scottish Society*, (Aberdeen), 1794, Preface to Bisset's *Sixty and Five Years of Domestic and Ecclesiastical Visitations*, and *The Christian Convert of the People*, Edinburgh, 1757, Account of the Parish, *Sixty and Five Years*, 1757, *xxvii*.

JAMES BURNS, born Falkirk, 1774, son of John B. (who was present as a boyish spectator at the Battle of Falkirk, 17th Jan. 1746, when Prince Charles's army defeated the Hanoverian troops), surveyor of Customs at Boness, and factor on the King's Estates of the Duke of Hamilton, and Grizel, daughter of John Ferrier, writer, Linlithgow; educated at Univs. of Glasgow and St Andrews; M.A. 1798; licen. by Presb. of Linlithgow 25th Nov. 1795; pres. by George III. 23rd June, and ord. 4th Oct. 1798; chaplain to Brechin Volunteers in 1798; died 2nd Jan. 1837. He marr. 1st Dec. 1802 Christina (died 6th Oct. 1837, aged 63), daugh. of James Chalmers, printer, Aberdeen, and Margaret, daugh. of David Douglas, merchant, London, and had issue: John, born 15th May 1804, died 29th May 1807; Margaret, born 2nd April 1807, died 20th March 1817; James Chalmers, born 29th March 1809, ord. to Scots Church, London Wall, 1837, adm. to Kirkliston Free Church 30th Nov. 1843, elected Moderator of General Assembly of the Free Church 22nd May 1879 (D.D. 1884), died 30th Nov. 1892; Anne, born 25th Nov. 1810 (marr. Thomas Guthrie, D.D., min. of Arbirlot, afterwards of Free St. John's, Edinburgh); David, editor of the *Brechin Advertiser*, born 19th June 1812, died 15th Aug. 1906; Catherine, born 15th April 1815; Walter William, born 13th Nov. 1820; Christina Elizabeth, born 9th May 1822. Publications—*Several Single Sermons; Sermon preached on Occasion of the Death of the Rev. Robert Coutts* (Coutts' Sermons, Aberdeen, 1806).

[WILLIAM NORVAL, M.A., min. of the South Parish, Kirriemuir, was pres. by Queen Victoria 4th April 1837. Three trial discourses which he preached were found to be taken almost word for word from the printed sermons of Henry Melvill, Canon of St Paul's, who had the reputation of being the most popular preacher in London. Proceedings were taken, when N. intimated resignation of his charge. He afterwards joined the Church of England, and died chaplain of Fulham Workhouse, London. See under Kirriemuir.]

JAMES MCCOSH, born 1st April 1811, 1833 only son of Andrew M., farmer, Carskeoch, Stradon, Ayrshire, and Jean, daugh. of James Carson, farmer; educated at Univs. of Glasgow and Edinburgh; M.A. (30th March 1833); licen. by Presb. of Ayr 29th March 1834; ord. to Abbey Church, Arbroath, 17th Dec. 1835; pres. by Queen Victoria 7th June, and by the Presb. *jure devoluto* 6th Nov. 1838; trans. and adm. 23rd Jan. 1839. Joined the Free Church in 1843; min. of Free Church, Brechin, 1843-51; app. Professor of Logic and Metaphysics in Queen's Univ., Belfast, 11th Nov. 1851; President of Princeton College, New Jersey, 27th Oct. 1868 to 20th Jan. 1888; LL.D. (Aberdeen, 1850; Harvard, 1868); D.D. Brown Univ. 1868; Washington and Jefferson, 1868; D.Litt. (Queen's Univ., Ireland, 1882); res. Presidency in 1888, but continued Professor of Philosophy until his death at Princeton, 16th Nov. 1891. Immortalised by Thackeray in the ballad of "The Last Irish Grievance"; founded bursaries at Brechin and Patna Schools. He marr. 29th Sept. 1845, Isabella (died 12th Nov. 1909), daugh. of Alexander Guthrie, surgeon, Brechin, and had issue: Mary Jane, born 5th July 1846; Andrew, born 15th April 1848, died 15th Oct. 1849; Alexander Guthrie, born 16th Jan. 1850; Margaret Sarah, born 21st June 1852; Andrew James, born 15th March 1858. Publications—*The Wheat and the Chaff gathered into Bundles: a Statistical Contribution towards the History of the Recent Disruption of the Scottish Ecclesiastical Establishment* (Perth, 1843); *Does the Established Church acknowledge Christ as its Head?* (Brechin, 1846); *A Tribute to the Memory of Dr Chalmers, by a Former Pupil* (Brechin, 1847); *The Method of the Divine Government, Physical and Moral* (Edinburgh, 1850, last ed., New York, 1874); *The Ulster Revival and its Physiological Accidents* (Belfast) [1850]; *The Intuitions of the Mind Inductively Investigated* (London, 1860, 1865; New York, 1872); *The Supernatural in relation to the Natural* (Cambridge, Belfast, and New York, 1862); *Supplement to*

David Livingstone's Own Story of His Life and Work, 1865; *A Doctor's Visit to Her Majesty's Prisoner, John Brown, Detained at Fowlis Castle*, Fife, London, 1866, and 1868; New York, 1871, and 1880; *The Doctor's Papers. A Record of Sixty Years' Work in Hospitals, London, II. Reply to Mr. Macmillan's First Edition*, III. *Present State of Medical Philosophy in Britain*, London, 1868; New York, 1869; *The Doctor's Life*, London and New York, 1870; *Medical Pictures and Presentations. A Series of Letters from Mr. J. P. Macmillan*, London and New York, 1871-5; *The Doctor's Philosophy*, Edinburgh, 1873; *Eighty Years of Work among the Poor*, London, 1874; *New York, 1880; Herbs of Nature*, London, 1874; *Do They Live?* New York, 1875; *The Doctor and His Patients*, London and New York, 1876; *The Doctor's Life*, London and New York, 1880; *The Doctor's Life in the Age*, New York, 1881; *Practicing the Medical Professions*, Fetter Lane, Clerkenwell, London and New York, 1882; *Realistic Philosophy Defended in a Philosophical Series*, London and New York, 1887; *The Religious Aspect of Evolution*, the *Religious Letters* for 1887, New York, 1888-90; *First and Last*, Fetter Lane, London and New York, 1890; *Practicing the Clerical Professions*, London and New York, 1890-1; *The Tests of Various Kinds of Truth*, Merrick Lectures, New York and Cincinnati, 1890-1; *The Physician's Papers of Philip Parker Johnson*, London and New York, 1890; *Our Mother Nature*, New York, 1892; (jointly with Dr George Dickie) *Topics of Science and Social Ethics*, or *Creation*, Edinburgh, 1893; London, 1892; New York, 1893; and a very large number of contributions to periodicals & reviews.

Dr. N. H. Brechin's Sketches, Sketches of James Morris, 1861-1862, *Lit. Crit. Soc. Edinburgh*, ii. 1865; M. Barnes' *Eminent Athletes*, 317-32; *The Princeton College Bulletin*, Feb. 1865; *American Cyclopaedia*, 76 (1865).

NATHANIEL MORREN, born at Aberdeen, 3rd Feb. 1798, son of George M., Aberdeen, educated at Grammar School there and Marischal College, M.A.

1814; became a tutor in a family near Fort George, and subsequently taught in a school at Cen. in France, studied theology at Univ. of Aberdeen and Edinburgh, licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen, 10th Oct. 1822, ord. to North Blackhall Street, Greenock, 29th June 1823, presby Queen Victoria 17th July, trans. and adm. 28th Sept. 1833; died 28th March 1847. He marr. 26th April 1825, Mary, died 16th July 1873, second daughter of Alexander Skene, advocate, Aberdeen. Publications: *All His Past Children. The Parishes of Old Town, The New Town*, 1826; *Journal of Practical Medicine*, 1830; *A Manual of the Physician*, also *Practitioner* 1739-40, 1759, 2 vols. Edinburgh, 1838-9; *Medical Pictures*, Greenock, 1843; *Doct. Johnson's Church*, Greenock, 1843; *A Biblical Manual for the Use of My People*, Glasgow, 1843; *Fest. Nativit. Christi, or Birth of Jesus*, Edinburgh, 1844; *Sermons*, (with a Memoir), Edinburgh, 1848; *Sermons Christiana et Prophetae*, Ardmore, Kittis, London, Edinburgh, Cambridge, translated into Welsh as *Eu Gwylsiad I Jair*; Translated from the German, Rosenmüller's *Lehrbuch der christlichen Theologie*, 3 vols.; Conjoint with others he edited the *Journal of Family Religion* and subjoined notes to a pocket edition of the Bible, 1845; *Doct. Mit. Lect.*

ANDREW HALKEIT, born Edinburgh, 2nd Nov. 1814, son of Samuel H., communion minister, and Elizabeth Wallace, educated at High School and Univ. of Edinburgh, licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 28th Dec. 1839, assistant at St. George's, Edinburgh, ord. to St. Andrews Church, St. John's, New Brunswick, 7th Sept. 1843, presby Queen Victoria 25th May, trans. and adm. 23rd Sept. 1847, clerk of Presb. 31st Aug. 1852 to 19th April 1857, died at St. Andrews 1st Sept. 1874. He marr. 12th June 1843, Frances Ann, died 24th Nov. 1869, daughter of William Taylor, Fredericton, New Brunswick, and had issue: James Brooke, born 24th Sept. 1845; Sarah Taylor, born 18th Sept. 1847, died 24th March 1886; William, born 29th

June 1849, died 25th Oct. 1854; Andrew, born 4th May 1851, died 14th Oct. 1852; Frances Ann, born 12th Jan. 1853; Andrew, naturalist, Department of Marine and Fisheries, Canada, born 28th Oct. 1854; Ellen Eliza, born 11th June 1856; William, born 22nd Dec. 1858, died Oct. 1908; Robert Moir, born 26th Aug. 1862; Charles Samuel, born 27th Sept. 1866.

JAMES MACKAY, born Brae of Tough, Aberdeenshire, 20th Jan. 1835, son of William M. and Elizabeth Herd; educated at Tough School and Univ. of Aberdeen; assistant at West Parish, Aberdeen; ord. to St Clement's, Dundee, 22nd Dec. 1861; trans. and adm. 26th Aug. 1875; res. 5th Nov. 1891; died at St Andrews, 17th May 1899. He marr. 26th Jan. 1860, Isabella, daugh. of David Nicoll, mill-spinner, Dundee, and had issue—Helen Boyle, born 17th Feb. 1870; William, born 10th Sept. 1871, died 28th March 1875; Alice, born 6th April 1873; Robert Henry, min. of Boorhills, born 13th Dec. 1874; Lizzie Herd, born 11th Sept. 1876; David Nicoll, attorney, Condon, Oregon, U.S.A., born 30th March 1878; James, born 15th April 1880, died 7th Jan. 1881; Harry, born 11th May, and died 7th June 1881; Caroline Louise, born 3rd July 1882 (marr. 5th Oct. 1920, James Leask, banker, Negapatam); Douglas Reay, R.N.A.S., born 13th April 1884.

JOHN ALEXANDER CLARK, born Glasgow, 29th Aug. 1859, son of Laurence C. and Eliza Kerr Jack; educated at High School and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1880), B.D. (1883); licen. by Presb. of Glasgow June 1883; assistant at Monigaff and St Enoch's, Dundee; ord. to Coltness Memorial Parish 23rd April 1886; trans. and adm. 11th May 1892; died 29th Oct. 1900. It was greatly due to the energy and thoroughness of his organising abilities that rapid progress was made with the scheme for the restoration of Brechin cathedral, an undertaking he did not live to see completed. He marr. 25th June 1890, Margaret Eliza Anna, daugh. of Peter McIntyre and Eliza Jane Eadie,

and had issue—Elspeth Eadie, born 3rd March 1891; Nancy Stewart, born 20th March 1893; Janet Mary, born 14th Nov. 1894; Barbara Macmillan, born 12th Sept. 1896; Dorothy Campbell, born 19th Aug. 1899; Edith Margaret (twin), born 19th Aug. 1899.

WALTER WILLIAM COATS, born Glasgow, 18th June 1856, son of John C. of Dykehead, M.D., Glasgow, and Jane, elder daugh. of John Jackson of Hallhill and Westquarter; educated at Glasgow Academy and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1875), B.D. (1878); licen. by Presb. of Glasgow in 1878; assistant at Gallowshields and Barony, Glasgow; ord. to Girthon 1st July 1880; trans. and adm. 16th May 1901; D.D. (Glasgow 1904); Grand Chaplain Grand Lodge of Freemasons in Scotland, 1911-12; Chaplain to Territorial Forces. Marr. 19th Jan. 1888, Margaret Janet, daugh. of Dundas Hamilton, Glasgow, and great-great-granddaugh. of Archibald Hamilton, min. of Cambuslang, and Margaret Jane, daugh. of Francis Orr, and has issue—Margaret Jane, born 16th June 1890; John Dundas Orr, B.A. (Oxon), lieut. 5th Black Watch, served in European War as captain Machine Gun Corps, born 12th Oct. 1893. Publications—*The Church of Scotland, the People's Possession* (Newton Stewart, 1887); *The Church's Appeal* (Castle Douglas, 1892); *A Short History of Brechin Cathedral* (Brechin, 1903); occasional articles in *Review of Theology and Philosophy*.

SECOND CHARGE.

DAVID CARNEGIE, M.A.; adm. in 1631; trans. to Farnell in 1633.

WILLIAM MARSHALL, M.A.; school master of the parish, which office he held in conjunction in 1633; trans. to Saline before 2nd April 1639.

ROBERT NORRIE, M.A.; schoolmaster of the parish, which office he held in 1639 in conjunction 3rd Oct. 1639; trans. to Lethnot in 1642.

LAURENCE SKINNER, M.A.; trans. from Navan, 21st April, 1731; March and 1650 12th April, 1731, and 20th May 1730, trans. to First Church in 1730.

JOHN SKINNER, Feb. 22nd Jan. 1650, son of John Skinner, adm'd. 1637 proctorary trials, 10th Sept. 1653, called by James Bishop of Brechin, 16th May 1658, presented by him, and installed as curate in 1657. Skinner rec'd. date in the Ord. of All the Presb. according to Act of Parliament 1653, 14 P.C., and having declined the charge, it was therefore declared vacant by the Presb. with concurrence of General Sess. of Assembly 17th April 1657. Skinner died in 1730, and was depy'd by the Presb. 13th Sept., which sentence was affirmed by Synod 29th Oct. 1709. He continued to perform the duties, and was presented before the Lords of Justiciary, and imprisoned till he gave an obligation to desist from exercising ministerial functions unless reprieved. He was further ordered to remove out of the bounds of the Presb. of Brechin at Whitsunday 1710. He died in Edinburgh about 1725. He marr'd 1. Margaret Little, widow of Ensign William Campbell in Colonel Archibald Row's Regiment; 2. Jean Guild, and had issue Margaret. [Black's *Brechin*, 100, 104, 113, 115, 120.]

JOHN JOHNSTON, educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen, born 1710 by Presb. of Stirling 13th March 1706, called by the Presb. 29th Sept. 1710, and ord'd. 12th May 1710, died 3rd Nov. 1732. He left upwards of £10000 to establish a school at Pittulloch in the west end of the parish. This school was afterwards removed to Little Brechin. He marr'd 1. March 1711, Mary Marshall of the parish of Montrose; 2. Jean Dow, who marr'd 2. John Wright, min. of Tumblane. [Black's *Brechin*, 149.]

DAVID BLAIR, M.A.; trans. from Leebree, pres. by George H. 24th 1733 Feb., called 23rd April, and adm'd 6th June 1733, trans. to First Church 11th Oct. 1738.

WILLIAM SHANK (or SHANKS), taught 1714, son of Alexander and Susanna of Drumak, educated at King's College, Aberdeen, M.A. 1st April 1730, licensed by Presb. of Kirkcudbright, O'Neil 17th July 1730, called 28th June 1730, ord. 16th Jan. 1730, d. 11th April 1733. He left 29th 1731, 4th to the Presb. at Pittulloch. [Black's *Brechin*, 136.]

JAMES FORDYCE, pres. by George H. 14th April, and ord. 28th Aug. 1715, trans. to Alloa 12th Oct. 1733.

THOMAS MATHISON, at first a writer in Edinburgh, born by Presb. of Falkirk 1st Nov. 1714; held an appointment in north of England for a time, ord. to Inverkeilor 27th Sept. 1730, pres. by George H. 23rd March, trans. and adm'd 11th July 1731, died 16th June 1760. He marr'd 22nd April 1752, Margaret Whyte, and had issue Anne, born 16th June 1753; Margaret, born 6th Oct. 1756; Mary, born 5th Aug. 1758. Publications: *The Great and Her Glorious Form* (Edinburgh, 1733 and 1735); *A Survey of the Lives of the Late Successors unto their Bish. Seats* (Edinburgh, 1760). [Black's *Brechin*.]

ANDREW BRUCE, born 1722, son of John Bruce, educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen, born by Presb. of Deer 3rd Jan. 1733, ord. (assistant) at Pittloch 21st Sept. 1737, assistant at Montrose, pres. by George H. 13th Aug., and adm'd 13th Nov. 1760, died 23rd Sept. 1801. He marr'd Rebecca Forbes, who died 26th Nov. 1797, and had issue: John, min. of Forfar, born 24th July 1758; Rebecca, born 6th March 1760; Margaret, born 15th Sept. 1761; Sophia, born 24th May 1763; Isabell, born 14th July 1765; William, born 1st April 1767. Publication: Account of the Parish (Sinclair's *Stat.* 1751, v. xxii.); [Reid's *Barony of Angus and the Mearns*, 627.]

ROBERT COFFERS, born Largo, 1772, son of the factor to David, Earl 1793 of Leven; educated at Univ. of St Andrews and Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 8th June 1796; became assistant to Professor Vilant in the Mathematical Chair there; assistant in this parish; pres. by George III. in Nova, and ord. (assistant and successor) 27th Dec. 1798; died at Forfar on his way home from a tour made in the hope of having his health restored, 18th June 1803. He marr. 7th July 1801, Janet (died at Edinburgh, 26th May 1849), daugh. of Robert McCulloch, D.D., min. of Dairsie (she was a great friend of Dr Thomas Chalmers, and is often referred to in his *Life and Letters*), and had issue Ebenezer, born 6th April 1802, died 14th March 1805; Robina, born 2nd Aug. 1803 (posthumous) (marr. 24th June 1824, Dr James Spence, physician, Cupar), died 25th May 1825. Publications —*Sermons on Interesting Subjects* [Memoir by Dr Guthrie, Preface by Dr Chalmers (portrait)] (Aberdeen, 1806, and Brechin, 1847). See also *Memoirs and Correspondence of Mrs Coutts*, edited by W. M. Hetherington, D.D. (Edinburgh, 1854).

GEORGE WHITSON of Parkhill, born 1775, brother of Alexander W. of 1804 Parkhill; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 27th Sept. 1797; pres. by George III. 31st Oct. 1803; ord. 15th March 1804; died 23rd Nov. 1835. He left £50 to the poor of the parish. He marr. 29th Aug. 1806, Mary (died s.p. 7th Aug. 1856, aged 83), daugh. of John Molison, provost of Brechin.

ALEXANDER LEITH ROSS FOOTE, born 6th Feb. 1805, son of Robert F. 1834 min. of Fettercairn; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1821); licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen 20th June 1827; pres. by William IV. 27th May, and ord. (assistant and successor) 18th Sept. 1834. Joined the Free Church in 1843; min. of West Free Church, Brechin, 1843-78; D.D. (Edinburgh, 20th April 1870); died 6th Sept. 1878. He was a preacher of rare power and felicity at times breaking out into the broadest

Doric, which had a peculiar effect upon the hearer. His portrait, presented by numerous friends, hangs in the Mechanics' Hall. He marr. (1) 26th Aug. 1835, Margaret (died 29th April 1842), daugh. of William Dingwall Fordyce, younger of Culsh; (2) 6th Sept. 1847, Jessie (died 6th Oct. 1855), daugh. of Andrew Murray of Murrayshall, and had issue — Robert James, born 29th Oct. 1848, died 30th Dec. 1857; Alexander, born 28th Aug. 1850, died at Bath 6th June 1917; Jessie, born 25th Nov. 1851; (3) 17th Nov. 1856, Alison Ker, died 4th April 1862, daugh. of Major General Cunningham, H.E.I.C.S., of Newton and Huntingtower, and had issue — Alice Marjory, born 11th Nov. 1860; Archibald, born 10th Feb. 1862, died 11th Jan. 1863. Publications —*Christianity and Life* (Edinburgh, 1853); *Incidents in the Life of Our Saviour: Three Single Sermons* (Edinburgh, 1854-7); *Christianity viewed in some of its Leading Aspects* (Edinburgh, 1854); *Views of Faith*, a sermon (1866); *Closing Scenes in the Life of Christ*; *Fragments of Truth*, a sermon (*Free Church Pulpit*, i.).

[Edwards's *Brechin*, 65.]

ALEXANDER GARDNER of Esbie, 1843 born 1810, third son of Matthew G., farmer, Cambusnethan, and Euphemia Dalziel; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1831); licen. by Presb. of Glasgow 7th Dec. 1835; assistant at Annan, Lanark, Roberton, and Brechin; ord. to Lethnot and Navar 12th Aug. 1842; pres. by Queen Victoria 12th July, trans. and adm. 31st Aug. 1843; died 12th April 1893. He marr. 28th Oct. 1851, Jemima (died 17th Dec. 1890), youngest daugh. of James Marnie of Deuchar, Fern, and Mary Onchterlony, and had issue — James Alexander, M.A., advocate, born 6th Jan. 1857, died 27th Sept. 1887.

ADAM DUNCAN TAIT HUTCHISON, born Carlowrie, Kirkliston, 1893 20th May 1868, son of Robert H. of Carlowrie and Mary Jemima Tait; educated at Edinburgh Collegiate School and Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (1888); licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh April 1891; assistant at West Parish, Aberdeen, and at the

Berney, Glasgow, ord. 1st Nov. 1863.
 Mar. 18th March 1866. Margaret, daughter of Andrew McLean, of Balloch, Lanarkshire, and Mary Berney, and his wife.
 G. J. Tait, M.C., Major R.F.A., born 21st Dec. 1866. Lewis McLean, born 31st Dec. 1903.

EAST CHURCH (Q.S.).

[A chapel was built here in 1836. The East Parish was disjoined from Brechin 6th July 1874.]

MUNGO FAIRIE PARKER, born 1837, second son of John Parker, merchant, Kilmarnock, educated at Univ. of Glasgow, licen. by Presb. of Haddington 5th Dec. 1833, called in June, and ord. 24th Aug. 1837. Joined the Free Church in 1843, min. of East Free Church, Brechin, 1843-51, returned to Rutherglen, Aberdeen, where he carried on a successful mission; died 1st April 1867. Published his Sermon XXXI.; Lecture XXVI.; *Free Church Proprietary*.

[The church was in possession of the Free Church 1843-51, when it was restored to the Church of Scotland.]

DANIEL MCLEAN, app. by mins. of Brechin March 1858, ord. 18th Aug. 1859, res. on appointment to Presbyterian Church at St Vincent, West Indies, 16th Feb. 1862.

JOHN CUMMING GRANT, born about 1830, son of Robert Grant, ground officer, Dertih, educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; M.A. 1854, became schoolmaster at Daviot 4th July 1854 and Melbourn, Icen., by Presb. of Garroch 26th June 1856, ord. 18th Sept. 1862, died 10th July 1864.

JOHN YOUNG SCOTT, ord. 17th Oct. 1867, trans. to Inverness 24th Aug. 1871.

ANDREW RUSSELL, ord. 7th Dec. 1871, trans. to North Church, Stirling, 17th Sept. 1874.

DAVID MILLER, M.A., B.D., mission 1874, parson at Blackberry, ord. first min. of the parish 31st Dec. 1874, trans. to Ardlech 2nd Feb. 1883.

ROBERT BAMSLEY, ord. 28th June 1883, trans. to Carseston 11th Jan. 1890.

HENRY CHALMERS CARGILL, born 1905. An teacher West, 24th March 1874, son of John Chalmers Chalmers, educated at Ward Academy, Anstruther, and Univ. of St Andrews, licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 4th May 1898, assistant at Prestonside, St Andrews, Dundee, and Tolbooth, Edinburgh, ord. 12th July 1905; was Head Master of Brechin District during European War 1914-18, elected Provost of Brechin, Nov. 1920, res. charge and status 1st Feb. 1921. Mar. 18th July 1909, Agnes Wood Macquorn, only daughter of Alexander Ingles, Prestonside, and her son Ian Macquorn, born 10th June 1907; Alexander Ingles, born 17th April 1900; Agnes Jessie Macquorn, born 26th March 1911.

REGINALD FREDERICK WHITELLY, born Edinburgh, 12th Jan. 1865, son of Frederick W. and Carrie Wade, educated at Dalziel Stewart's College and Univ. of Edinburgh, M.A. 1885, B.D. 1892, licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 31st March 1892, assistant at Dunnottar, ord. 11th May 1892, Mar. 18th Aug. 1921, Gwendolen, daughter of Walter Braeck and Mary Josephine Yeo.

GARDNER MEMORIAL (Q.S.).

[This church, erected in memory of Alexander Gardner, min. of the Second Charge, 1843-63, by his trustees and Mrs. and Miss Agnes Milne of Moredun, Brechin, was dedicated 18th Nov. 1868. The parish was endowed out of Mr. Gardner's estate of Esbie, Dumfriesshire, by his trustees in memory of his son, and was disjoined by the Court of Teinds on 14th July 1869.]

ALEXANDER MIDDLETON, born 1800 Midstrath, Birse, Aberdeenshire, 26th Sept. 1858, son of Hugh M. and Margaret Lyall; educated at Fettercairn School, Grammar School, Aberdeen, and Univs. of Aberdeen, M.A. (1880), and Edinburgh, B.D. (1884); licen. by Presb. of Fordoun June 1884; assistant at Barony, Glasgow; ord. to St Margaret's, Arbroath, 12th July 1892; trans. and adm. first min. of the parish 27th Sept. 1899. Marr. 25th April 1893, Margaret Stevenson (died 17th March 1921), daugh. of Andrew Gillespie, Helensburgh, and Barbara Hogg.

CARESTON.

[A chapel was built here in 1636. The parish of Careston (originally Caraldston) was disjoined from Brechin and erected by Act of Parliament on 17th Nov. 1641. It was endowed by Sir Alexander Carnegie of Balnamoon. The church was restored in 1905.]

DAVID CAMPBELL, M.A.; adm. before 6th June 1639; attended the army at Newcastle in 1640; trans. to Eecbsreig [St Cyrus] after 27th Feb. 1641.

JOHN RAMSAY, M.A.; adm. before 1st May 1645; trans. to Scoonie 11th Aug. 1662.

THOMAS SKINNER, M.A.; pres. by 1663 Sir John Carnegie of Balnamoon in 1662; passed trials before the Presb., was recommended 26th March for ordination, adm. after 9th April 1663; trans. to Dailly 5th July 1665.

GILBERT SKENE, born about 1640, 1666 second son of Alexander S. of Dumbreck and Agnes, daugh. of Gilbert Keith of Affrosh; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; doctor in the Grammar School of Montrose; ord. 19th Dec. 1666; died between 3rd March and 29th July 1679. He marr. Elizabeth Campbell, who survived him, and had issue Alexander. [Brechin *Tests.*; Jervise's *Land of the Lindsays*, 271; *Memorials of the Family of Skene of Skene*, 71.]

WILLIAM CARNEGIE, M.A., pres. 1679 by the Laird of Balnamoon in March, and adm. in 1679; trans. to Hoddom in 1681.

JOHN MURRAY, M.A. (King's College, Aberdeen); pres. by James Carnegie 1682 of Balnamoon in March; passed trials before the Presb., was certified 29th that month; adm. in 1682; died April 1710, aged about 55. He marr. Marjory Livingston, and had issue James; John; Margaret; Elizabeth. —[*Fife Sis.*, 29th May 1723; *Fairf Sis.*, xii, 577; Jervise's *Land of the Lindsays*, 271.]

ALEXANDER LINDSAY, M.A.; formerly of Cortachy and Clova 1710 (*q.v.*); intruded here before March 1710.

JOHN GILLIES, born 1681, a native of 1716 the West Country, whose ancestors for seven centuries had occupied themselves with "the needle and bodkin," became schoolmaster of Wigtown; was licen. by that Presb. 19th July 1715; app. schoolmaster of Fern in 1716; called by Presb. *jure devoluto* 30th Aug. and ord. 18th Sept. 1716; died 1st March 1753. He marr. 27th Sept. 1711, Mary Watson, who died 16th May 1779, and had issue

John, LL.D., min. of Blackfriars, Glasgow; Robert of Little Keithock, merchant, Brechin (father of Adam G., one of the Senators of the College of Justice [Lord Gillies], and John G., LL.D., author of a *History of the Royal and Historiographer Royal for Scotland*); Thomas, born 1723, died March 1736; Mary; Isabel; Janet, and five others who died young. [Jervise's *Land of the Lindsays*, 219; Edwards's *Brechin*, 62.]

WILLIAM MORRICE, born 1708, 1755 son of John M., baker, Aberdeen; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen 20th June 1753; became schoolmaster at Skene; pres. by George Skene of Cardalston Aug. 1754; ord. 30th April 1755; dem. 24th June 1772; died at Kincardine O'Neil 18th April 1779. [Descendents of James Young, 179.]

ANDREW GRAY, son of Rev. M.A. 1773—St Andrews, born 1st July 1773, of Brechin, died 17th June 1853; pres. by George Skene of Skene Oct. 1773, ord. 16th June 1773, died 16th Dec. 1853. He married 19th June 1791, Roberta Bell, who died 13th June 1822. Filled certain Account of the Parish Session 1809, &c.

ALEXANDER BURNETT, son of John Burnett of Claypits, born 1763, at Marfield Colliery, Ayrshire, M.A. 1793, pres. by George Skene of Skene in 1793; ord. to Brechin, Ayrshire, 16th June 1795, died 10th Aug. 1793, pres. by George Skene of Skene in June, and adm. 8th Aug. 1793, died 25th Dec. 1800, and died 1804.

DAVID LYELL, born 1796, younger son of Stewart Lyle of Kinnoull, born 1800, by Presb. of Arbroath 3rd Aug. 1796, pres. by George Skene of Skene in July, and ord. 3rd Oct. 1800, died 11th July 1853. He married 16th April 1826, Hon. Catherine, died 16th Dec. 1853, youngest daughter of John, 4th Viscount Aberthorn, and Lady, 2nd daughter of William Barley Graham of Morphie, and had issue:—John Gurdener, born 19th March 1826; Stewart Thomas, married H.E.L.C.S., born 13th July 1827, died 17th July 1873; James Leitch, born 19th Sept. 1829; Isabella, born 11th Feb. 1830. He had Aberthorn's name, or Aberthornes, born 8th June 1842. Filled certain Account of the Parish 1806, &c.

ROBERT MOIR, M.A., ord. 21st Dec. 1854, trans. to Ruthven 7th Jan. 1855.

GEORGE GORDON MILNE, M.A., ord. 13th May 1858, trans. to 1859—Cortachy 16th May 1862.

WILLIAM LINTON BAXTER, born Brechin 23rd March 1836, son of Alexander Baxtander, and Jean Currie, educated at Brechin Grammar School and Kings' College, Aberdeen, M.A. 1856, licensed by Presb. of Brechin 16th June 1860; assistant at Crail and

Newhall, Aberdeenshire, 31st July 1862, and Dundee 9th Sept. 1866.

MICHAEL HALL, ord. 11th March 1866—1867, trans. to Rothesay 24th Feb. 1867.

HUGH MACKENZIE CAMPBELL, M.A. 1867—1868, 12th July 1867, pres. 1868—1869, Fife, and assistant to Alexander Campbell, Calford, died 1869, and afterwards in County of Antrim until 1869.

DONALD MILLAN, M.A., ord. 11th Sept. 1869, trans. 3rd Sept. 1870—1872, on stipend at the Protestant Chapel, East Lothian, &c. V. 1, 1873—1874, Chaplain of Edinburgh Education Authority 1873.

ROBERT PAISLEY, born St. Ninians, 22nd March 1870, son of Robert Paisley 1865—1871, Deacon of St. Ninians, educated at High School, East Stirlingshire, Univ. of Glasgow, locally Brechin, at Stirling Nov. 1872, assistant at St. Stephen's, Brechin, parish, and East Parish, Brechin, 1873—1874, trans. and adm. 16th June 1874. Married June 1884, Amy, daughter of Thomas Taylor, Cudby, Brechin, Harry, and Sophie Fenton, and has issue:—Thomas, god-horn, 16th Sept. 1884, died 16th June 1895; Ernest, married 1st Sept. 1895, Ernestine, born 31st Sept. 1895; Charles, married 1st Sept. 1896, Rosalie, born 21st Sept. 1897; Catherine, married 1st Sept. 1898, Kenneth Ernest Neil, Robert Norman, M.A., born 2nd June 1901, educated at Brechin High School and Univ. of St. Andrews, born by Presb. of Brechin, Inst. 18th Scottish Rite, ord. to Ladykirk 11th Jan. 1921.

CRAIG AND DUNNINALD.

The parishes were united in 1818.

Craig, of old *Laird's*—The church of Inchbrack was dedicated to St. Broich. The parish was a prebend of Brechin. There were within the bounds chapels of St. Burgess and St. Mary. The church of Craig was rebuilt, with its square tower eighty feet high, by Mrs. Ross of Rossie in 1799.

Dunnind' L. The church of Dunnindd was dedicated to St Skiaich.]

RICHARD MELVILLE, adm. in 1562
1562 with Maryton also in the charge,
 was a member of Assembly 29th June 1562; removed to Maryton before 1567.

JOHN BEATTIE, formerly of Montrose,
1571 adm. reader in 1571.

THOMAS HOG, ord. before 1607;
1607 trans. to Second Charge, Dysart, that year.

JAMES LICHTON, M.A.; adm. before 1615 (11th Oct. 1615); was also master of the Grammar School, Montrose, 1616, which he held in conjunction; trans. to Dim before 1st Oct. 1622.

JAMES LYON, educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1615); became tutor to the laird of Clackmae's bairns; adm. to the Exercise at Perth 21st April 1619; pres. to Collace in Aug., and certified for ordination, but proceedings were stopped by the Archbishop at the request of the laird of Pitcur, 15th Sept. 1621; recommended to this Presb. 20th Nov., and adm. here before 1st Sept. 1622; was app. to attend Colonel Henry Sinclair's Regiment at Stirling 12th June 1631; died before Jan. 1633.

ANDREW SPENCE, M.A. (St Andrews, 13th May 1653); became chaplain to David Carnegie of Craig; called 27th March, and adm. assistant 21st July 1659; deprived by Act of Parliament 11th June, and Decree of Privy Council 1st Oct. 1662, being the only member of Presb. who refused to conform to Episc. pacy. - [Wodrow's *Hist.*, i. 329.]

JOHN MATHIE, M.A. (St Andrews, 20th July 1656), was on the Exercise 2nd Aug. 1660; pres. in March, recommended for ordination 16th June, and adm. 8th Aug. 1663; died after 1689. He marr. Mary Nicolson who, as his widow, was granted the stipend for 1696 and 1697. [Treasury Sealant Book, 26th June 1697.]

JAMES FORSYTH, son of James F., min. of St Ninians; passed trials 1699 before Presb. of Stirling, had testimonial to the bishop for licence 10th Aug., for which he expressed his sorrow to the Presb. of Angus and Mearns 21st Oct. 1698, and was received as a probationer; called 11th July, and ord. 27th Sept. 1699; died 30th Jan. 1713. He marr. Katherine Watson, who survived him. [St Andrews *Test.*.]

ROBERT STEPHEN, born about 1680, son of Robert S., min. of Aberlour; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; became tutor in Lady Chesters' family; licen. by Scots Presb. of London; ord. to Aberlour 18th Sept. 1707; called 22nd July 1713; trans. and adm. 6th May 1714; died 12th Aug. 1759. He marr. 23rd June 1715, Margaret, daugh. of James Leslie, min. of Ecclesgreig [St Cyrus].

JAMES PATON, born Auchtergaven, 1727; educated at Univs. of St Andrews, M.A. (1751), and Edinburgh; became tutor in families of James, Earl of Moray, and John Balfour of Fernie; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 10th May 1758; pres. by Principal and Masters of St Mary's College, St Andrews, 23rd Jan., and ord. 8th May 1760; D.D. (Kings College, Aberdeen, 26th Aug. 1762); dem. 30th Nov. 1803; died 10th Nov. 1811. He marr. 11th July 1766, Anne, died 26th Oct. 1810, eldest daugh. of David Greig of Barns of Rossie in this parish, and niece of Sir James Napier, Inspector General of Forces in North America, and physician to King George III., and had issue: David, in London, born 26th Oct. 1767; James, M.A. (Marischal College), born 13th Nov. 1768, died 14th Feb. 1790; Jean, born 24th Sept. 1770, died 18th Nov. 1792; Ann, born 15th June 1773, died 5th May 1854; John, flax-spinner, Montrose, born 6th June 1776, died 21st Nov. 1837; George, twin, flax-spinner and Provost of Montrose, born 6th June 1776, died 1846; Elizabeth, born 14th Oct. 1781 (marr. 6th Feb. 1838, George Ramsay, Inchyra), died 12th Sept. 1858. Publications: *An Attempt to show*

Three Years in America, 1837-1840; A Personal Narrative of Robert Elliot's Travels in North America, with Recollections of the Slave State of South Carolina, Edinburgh, 1840, and 1842. A copy of the English-Swiss *Sketches of the United States, by Edward Lyle, Esq.,*

JAMES BREWSTER, born Edinburgh, 29th Aug. 1777, died 21st Dec. 1804. Brother of the Grammar School of Edinburgh and Margaret Key, and brother of Sir David Brewster, educated at Univ. of Edinburgh, hon'dy Presb. of Edinburgh 26th Nov. 1800, a year in this parish, Prop. & Principal and Masters of the New Coll. of St Andrews, Dec. 1803, ord. 11th June 1804, joined the Free Church in 1833, man of Free Church, Craig, Fife, died 1837, 71, died 5th Feb. 1847. His marr. 8th Feb. 1804, Jane, died 16th Nov. 1850, daughter of Dr Crichton, Dumfries, and wife of Dr James C. founder of the Crichton Institution, Dumfries, and his issue James, born 14th April 1806, Henry, marr. of Farnell, born 28th Sept. 1806, David, went to Canada, born 22nd Sept. 1808, George John, born 7th Oct. 1811, Elizabeth Margaret, born 31st Jan. 1813, Margaret Agnes Scott, born 29th Nov. 1818. Publications—*Meditations of a Recluse*, 1808; *Meditations for the Home*; *Meditations for Friends*; *Lectures on the Arts*, 2 vols.; *Lectures on the Association*; *Lectures on the Life, Services, and Death of Edinburgh's Free Churchman*; *Testimonies of Distress and Encouragement to the Friends of奴隸 in the United States*; *Notes on the North American Slave*, Edinburgh, 1822; *A Series of Letters to the Friends of the Slave in the United States*, Edinburgh, 1826; *A Sketch of Montreal*, 1829; *The First Missionary Meeting*, 1833; *A Discourse on the Duties of Ministers in the Principles of Independent Societies*, Montreal, 1832; *A Series of Pastoral Subjects*, Edinburgh, 1833; *Letters to the Theologians of the Free Church on Right & Wrong Subjects*, as the Rev. Dr Keith's *Essays on Political Economy*, Edinburgh, 1836; "A Vindication of the Re-

marks of Dr. Margaret Lydie Evans, *Review of Theological Pictures*, May 1837; *Report of the Associate's Sister Committee*, Edinburgh, 1837; "A Part of the Parish of St Andrews, a Sermon Homily on the Pardon of Articles in Brewster's *Edinburgh Free Church*," Edward's *Universal Register*, 1841.

ROBERT MITCHELL, born at Dundee, 21st Feb. 1801, son of John McTarmair, Weddell, and Catharine McTarmair, educated at Dundee Sch. and Univ. of St Andrews, licensed by Presb. of Ayrshire 10th March 1831; ord. to Carrington, Falkirk, 26th June 1832; trans. and adm. 2nd Sept. 1833; and 4th Aug. 1832. He marr. 16th Oct. 1833, Sophie Dugdale, born 2nd Jan. 1802, daughter of Henry Brewster, Berrichill, Edin., and had 1 son, Helen Walker, born 7th Oct. 1838; Ann Wardlaw, born 16th June 1841, marr. Robert Grant, man of Strathmore; Sophie Dugdale, born 17th Dec. 1833, marr. John Leckie, merchant, Dundee, died 6th July 1823; Mary Jane Thomson, born 17th July 1836, died 1st Dec. 1911; Henry Bell, born 17th June 1836, died 15th April 1934.

ROBERT SCOTT, born Perth, 10th Sept. 1833, son of Robert Baker, 1873, and Helen Murray, educated at Perth High Sch. and Univ. of St Andrews, B.A. 1850, M.A. 1851, licensed by Presb. of Perth, assistant at Firske and Port Dundas, Glasgow, until Preaching Session Brodick Ferry, 8 Sept. 1858, 23rd Dec. 1859, trans. and adm. 16th Feb. 1873, D.D., St Andrew, 2nd April 1877, died suddenly in Edinburgh, where he had gone to attend the General Assembly, 25th May 1877. He marr. 3rd Sept. 1874, Mary, and 1st April 1877, daughter of David Johnson, Provost of Dundee, and Mary Fender, and had issue—Robert, major 53rd Sikhs, Contingent Magistrate, Madras, born 13th Sept. 1875; Mary Johnson, born 16th May 1878; Helen Murray, born 11th Sept. 1879, died 10th May 1889; David Johnson, M.D., D.Ph., O.B.E., M.C., Lieutenant-colonel R.A.M.C., born 7th July 1881; William, man of Bressay,

born 24th Sept. 1882; Florence, born 19th March 1884; James, M.C., min. of Scot. Church, Alexandria, Egypt, born 23rd March 1886, Capt. R.F.A., died of wounds at Tel Asur, Palestine, 9th March 1918; Flora Murray, M.A., B.Sc., M.B.E., Unit Administrator, Queen Mary's Army Auxiliary Corps, born 6th Sept. 1891. [Edwards's *Scottish Peerage* (portrait) 108.]

PETER SMITH BISSET, born Aboyne, 29th July 1863, son of John B., farmer, 1908 and Sarah Smith; educated at Maud Parish School and Grammar School and Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A. (1891), B.D. (1894); licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen May 1894; assistant at St George's in the West, Aberdeen; ord. to Oyne 15th April 1897; trans. and adm. 12th Nov. 1908. Marr. 15th June 1898, Maria Greasham Elrick, daughter of Robert Milne, Aberdeen, and Margaret Shier, and has issue—Douglas George, M.A., born 18th April 1900; Norman William, National Bank, Montrose, born 22nd Dec. 1904; Edith Margaret, born 23rd July 1906; Winifred May, born 15th May 1909.

DUN AND ECCLESJOHN.

[These parishes were united 2nd May 1583.]

Dun. The vicarage of Dun belonged to the Priory of Eleho. Its church was dedicated to the Virgin Mary.

Ecclesjohn. The parsonage of Ecclesjohn formed a prebend of Brechin.]

JAMES ERSKINE, had a gift of the Archdeaconry of Aberdeen, with the 1567 kirk of Rayne and the mansion and lodging in Old Aberdeen for his lifetime, 15th April 1565. He was pres. to the parsonage by James VI, 21st coll. (by the Superintendent) 29th Sept. 1570, and inst. soon afterwards. In 1574 Ecclesjohn was in his charge; died before 24th March that year.

[THOMAS ERSKINE, fifth son of Sir John E. of Dun, Superintendent of Angus and Mearns; pres. to the parsonage and

vicarage by James VI, 24th March 1574, but does not appear to have been settled.]

SIR JOHN ERSKINE of Dun, born 1569, son of Sir John E., younger 1575 of Dun (descended from a branch of the Erskines of Erskine) who fell at Flodden along with his father, and Margaret, daughter of Sir William, first Lord Ruthven, and widow of Alexander, Earl of Buchan. He was educated at King's College, Aberdeen, and on the Continent, to which he went in his twelfth year, urged to go thither, it is said, from having accidentally caused the death of a priest, Sir John Forster, in the bell tower of Montrose. From France he brought to Scotland a scholar, Petrus de Masiliers, who opened a school for classical studies at Montrose (of which town E. was hereditary Provost), and was the first to teach Greek in Scotland a step which not inconsiderably hastened the Reformation. From Masiliers both Andrew Melville and George Wishart had their introduction to the Greek language. E. early espoused the Reformed Faith and became the friend and disciple of John Knox, who spoke of him as being "miraculously illuminated." In 1555, after Knox's first arrival from Geneva, he visited E. at Dun, where he remained for a month, preaching and making many converts to Protestantism. E. was the fourth to sign the first bond of the Scottish Reformers, 3rd Dec. 1557, inviting Knox to return from Geneva. On 13th Dec. he was app. one of the commissioners to witness Queen Mary's marriage with the Dauphin. Upon his return he identified himself more publicly with the Reforming Party, and on 10th May 1559, at Stirling, he attended as intermediary between the Queen Dowager and the preachers who had refused to attend Mass. He signed the Act of 23rd Oct. 1559, deposing her from the Regency. In July 1560, though a layman, he was elected Superintendent of Angus and Mearns, was a member of the first General Assembly 20th Dec. following, and was one of those thought apt and able to minister. He was ord. to the ministry in 1561. He attended forty-

four out of fifty, x. G. and Associates, he was Moderator of the Kirk of Fife 25th Dec. 1583, 25th Dec. 1587, 25th June 1590, 25th Dec. 1594, & 25th Aug. 1597. He was one of the founders of the *Soc. of Bk. of Discipline*, and was present at the parochy of James VI, on 11th April, and called by the Superintendent of Fife 25th Aug. 1585, died before 25th May 1583, and offered also to resign his office of Superintendent, but continued after the others had done so, given up their work, died 12th March 1587, leaving his son, John, to keep in promoting and accomplishing the work of Reformation. He married, 11th Sept. 25th Dec. 1567, when in his sixtieth year, Elizabeth, Lady, died 26th July 1588, daughter of David, Earl of Crawford, and had issue, John, younger of Dun, died 7th Sept. 1603; Robert of Dun, died 27th Dec. 1589. Thomas, pres. to the parsonage here, 25th Aug. 2 Jan. 1589, Barbara de Beville, a native of Picardy, who died 15th Nov. 1572, and had issue, John, John of Kirkberdo, Margaret, mur., Patrick, Marq. of Fannier, and was mother of Patrick, first Earl of Fannier. Publication of Part of the *Soc. of Bk. of Discipline*, 8, 6, A. top, iv. 118, *Diss. Pap. in Suppl. to the MSS.*, iv., *Hist. MSS.* 37, 19, fifth Rep. pt. i, App. C33-34, James Melville's *Diary*, Calderwood's *Hist.* 167, 303, iii. 11, 35 et seq., Wardens' Accounts, p. 56, 174-81, *Act. Arts. Recd.*

ANDREW STRATHAUCHEN
1583 STRACHAN, adm. to Nair before
1574, trans. to Inverkeilie in 1574, trans. to Maryton in 1575, assisted at consecration of David, Bishop of Aberdeen, 11th Nov. 1577, pres. to the parsonage and vicarage by James VI, 25th May 1583, also to the vicarage 7th Dec. that year, being 2nd and interim in 1584, he had a dispensation from the General Assembly for non-residence, he died to Montreal, Canada, before 1st Dec. 1614, and died there 8 Sept. 1622. His son, Christian Arlithurst, who survived him, and had issue, Andrew, Alexander, James, mur., of Kinnell, [see *Arch. Soc. Ge. R. Soc.* xviii., 377, *Rep. of Doc.*, cxxv., 569, ccclxxvii., 399.]

JOHN PRISKIN, prior to Elie-le-Breig
1614 St. Cyprian before 12th May 1592,
1614, waifitor of Dun in 1614, presby-
ter of Elie 1614, adm. assistant, died
Jan. 1621. He was the only man
north of the Tay who opposed the Five
Articles of the Perth Assembly, [See
J. J. & S. F. Soc. Trans., P. 26.]

JAMES LIGHTON, or LEIGHTON]
of the Leek family, M.A. [St.
1622] Andis, waifitor of Dun in 1614, adm.
to Craigforth 10th Oct. 1615, tress and
waifitor of Elie 1622, was ordained
16th Oct. 1615, by the Commission of General
Assembly, on various pretences, and was
resigned by the Commission after personal
negotiation with Nov. 1616, d. 16th Nov.
1639, and buried in the H. marr., and had
issue, William, man. of this parish, Alexander,
assistant, d. 12th Feb. 1637, d. 16th March
1638; Mary, married, and died 1647; Robert
Gentleman, resident in town of Montrose;
M. [See *Rep. of Soc. Ge. R. Soc.* Mackay,
13th June 1711.]

WILLIAM LIGHTON, son of preceding,
educated at Univ. of St. Andrews,
1646 M.A. 11th May 1637, was in the
Exiles 15th Oct. 1638, ord. assistant
26th Nov. 1639, died after 1st July 1685. He marr., and had issue, Elizabeth,

JOHN DOUGALL, son of Arthur D.
in Ardmaville, educated at Univ. of
1685 St. Andrews, M.A. 27th July 1675; he became schoolmaster of Kinneff, and afterwards of Crail, was chaplain and
tutor to the sons of the Laird of Dun,
died after 1685, cited for infamy
after 14th June 1687.

JAMES KER, educated at Kings
College, Aberdeen, M.A. 1668,
1701 esp. 11th Feb. 1701, and 5th Nov.
1702. He marr. 12th April 1706, Ann
Beattie, who died 24th Oct. 1779, and
had issue, Margaret, bapt. 11th Feb. 1706, Robert, marr. of Leathet, bapt. 1st June
1707, Anna, bapt. 11th Aug. 1708, Alex-
ander, bapt. 2nd April 1710, Janet, bapt.
21st May 1711, Isobel, bapt. 23rd Feb.
1713, Helen, bapt. 15th April 1714;

James, bapt. 7th Feb. 1716, died young; John, bapt. 23rd Nov. 1717; James, bapt. 17th Jan. 1720; Magdalene, bapt. 17th Aug. 1721, died young; Elizabeth (twins), bapt. 17th Aug. 1721; Magdalene, bapt. 27th March 1724.

JAMES LAUDER, born Melville Mill, Lasswade, 1706; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. 31st Oct. 1744; pres. by the Hon. David Erskine of Dun [Lord Dun], Senator of the College of Justice, 22nd Nov. 1752; ord. 16th May 1753; died 10th April 1802. He marr. 9th Nov. 1771, Esther Campbell, who died 23rd June 1828, and had issue—Mary Erskine, born 22nd Oct. 1772; John Erskine, born 10th March 1774; Magdalene Erskine, born 28th July 1775; Jean, born 15th May 1777; David Erskine, born 4th Aug. 1779; James, born 29th Jan. 1783. Publication—*Account of the Parish* (Sinclair's *Stat. Acc.*, iii.).

WILLIAM BURNS, pres. by John Erskine of Dun in Oct., and ord. 1800 (assistant and successor) 4th Dec. 1800; trans. to Kilsyth 10th April 1821.

JOHN EADIE, educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. 1808; licen. by Presb. of Arbroath 3rd Feb. 1813; pres. by Miss Alice Erskine of Dun in May, and ord. 12th July 1821; elected joint clerk of Synod 22nd April 1823; died 29th Sept. 1857. He marr. 12th Nov. 1821, Helen, died 20th Nov. 1850, daugh. of David Scott of Newton, and had issue—Helen, born 22nd March 1823; Sarah Erskine, born 23rd March 1824 (marr. Charles Ross, clothier, Edinburgh); Catherine, born 14th July 1825; David, born 10th March 1828; John, born 15th June 1829. Publication—*Account of the Parish* (*New Stat. Acc.*, xi.).

CHARLES [STUART] MACLEAN, born 19th June 1823, son of Lauchlan M., min. of Liff and Benvie; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; ord. to St Luke's Chapel, Glasgow, 17th Aug. 1854; trans. and adm. 28th April 1858; died 13th March 1865. He marr. 3rd July 1843, Eliza Grace Wilmer Grant Finnie, who died 19th April 1902, and had issue—

Charles Fitzroy Stuart, born 21st May 1844; Christine Mary St Clair, born 19th Nov. 1845; Lauchlan Alexander Matthew, born 2nd July 1849; Moray Gordon, born 9th April 1853.

JOHN STEVENSON, trans. from Millbrex, and adm. 3rd Aug. 1855; trans. 1865 to Glenside 6th Feb. 1873.

ALEXANDER ANDERSON, born 1832, 1873 son of Archibald A., min. of Crathie; educated at Crathie School and Univ. of Aberdeen; licen. by Presb. of Kinneardine O'Neil in 1861; assistant at Dirleton, Canisbay, Campbeltown, Culross, and Montrose; ord. 9th May 1873; died 12th Dec. 1909. He marr. 21st Dec. 1884, Amelia Emily, daugh. of Robert Rodger, farmer, Dun, and Margaret Lawrie, and had issue—Archibald Robert, engineer, Burma, born 13th Dec. 1882.

ROBERT EWING LEE, born Lenzie, 1910 26th Sept. 1883, son of Thomas Morton L., Kilmarnock, and Robina Ewing; educated at High School and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1906), B.D. (1909); assistant at St Paul's, Leith; ord. 19th May 1910; res. 29th Sept. 1913 on appointment as Church of Scotland chaplain in India; min. of St Andrew's Church, Bombay, 23rd Oct. 1913; Chaplain to Forces; M.A. 1918. Marr. 5th Oct. 1919, Annie, daugh. of Alexander William Roberts, D.Sc., U.F. Mission, Lovedale, South Africa, and Elizabeth Dunnett.

WILLIAM PATERSON BLACK, born 1914 Craigiss, Shotts, 15th Feb. 1873, son of James B. and Margaret Paterson; educated at Cleland School and Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Glasgow May 1912; assistant at Uddingston; ord. 19th Feb. 1914.

EDZELL AND NEWDOSEK.

[These parishes were united in 1658. A new church was built in 1848.

Edzell. The church of Edzell was dedicated to St Laurence. The parish was a rectory. There were in it Wells of Our Lady and St Laurence.

Mr. John, the Laird of Newdose, was deposed to St. Dunstan's. There was a trial at Well of St. Dunstan.

THOMAS RAMSAY, Laird from 1567 to 1611.

JOHN DUNNISON, Laird from 1571 April 1571, demoted July 1571 to 1613.

JAMES FULLARTON, Laird of Navar 1573 to 1577, pres. by James VI. 1573 to 1577. He 1573 Dundee, Letham, Lathalmond, Navar were all in his charge, died at the place of Fullarton 31st Dec. 1590. He married, 1st to 1st Graham, who survived him, and had issue Charles, and others. [*The Past*.]

HENRY STIRLING, M.A., adm. in 1580 (with Letham) as co-heir to his father, but it was separated in 1601, trans. to Aberdeen in 1597.

RICHARD MERICHTON, M.A., adm. in 1597; was a member of Assembly in 1610, trans. by the Synod 3rd April 1611, and settled at Bower in 1612.

DAVID WOOD, M.A., King's College, Aberdeen, 1608, was an expectant 1613 (ith Sept. 1611), adm. before 6th Oct. 1613, lost liberty of transportation from the Synod 2nd Oct. 1619, died before 27th Nov. 1640. He married a sister of John Guthrie of the Falkland estate, Andrew, Bishop of Coldingham. [*Top. Rec. Gen.*, 2, 30, Miller's *Deed R.*, 217.]

GEORGE FOOGO, M.A., adm. before 1630 16th May 1639, trans. to Streaton 16th Jan. 1644.

DAVID FULLARTON, M.A., Glasgow, 1620, pres. by the Laird of Edzell 1644 in 1645, and adm. 28th July 1645, had no services on 30th Nov. 1651, the English army being in the district, and having extorted all the people to go and provide corn and straw, died between 14th April and 16th May 1656. He married Anna Lichten in the parish of Durn, and had issue John.

JOHN KELLY, Laird of Ardoch, 1690 12th Dec. 1690, trans. to Kinneff 1690 3rd Dec. 1693.

GEORGE DIMESTER, was born in 1695, educated Dec. 1698, ordained Sept. 1703, died 1st May 1708, buried 3rd May 1708, his son 3rd Sept. 1708, buried in Kinneff church Jan. 1709. [*Archiv. Brev. in Edzell, Part I, Chap. IV*.]

WILLIAM IRVINE, educated May 1692, called at Marischal College, Aberdeen, M.A. 1692 1st July 1693, ordained to David Lindsay of Lussitoun, and trans. to Kinneff 4th Sept. 1693, died June 1692, died probably unmarried before 4th June 1693.

JOHN BALVAIRD, M.A., adm. in 1684 1684, died 1st Feb. 1684, buried in 1686, and interred at Glencairn.

ROBERT LINDSAY, probably son of David Lindsay of Rosly, M.A. 1701 1st Andrew, 24th July 1680, recommended for licens. 7th Jan. 1681, intruded about 1701, was forbidden to exercise his ministry by the Lords of Justiciary 8th Feb. 1710, and gave up the charge 6th June 1710. He was intruded again, he was dispensed Oct. 1716, and died before 1720. He married, and had issue Hercules, advocate, Professor of Law, Glasgow, died 2nd June 1791. [*Lives of the Lairds, II, 261.*]

ROBERT GRAY, trans. from Cadder, called by the Presbytery of Ayr 1714 6th May, and adm. at Brechin 26th Aug. 1714. His settlement was opposed by David Lindsay of Hirsel, who with his friends intruded the church and attacked those of the congregation supporting the minister, who had to take safety in flight and appeal to the civil authority for protection. On 3rd Jan. 1715 he was allowed to enter on his functions without molestation, the laird being glad to settle matters by advice of the Lords of Justiciary. He was trans. to Brechin 8th May 1717.

GEORGE LESLIE, son of Peter L.
Mains of Fyvie, brother of Alexander
1717 L. of Warthill, educated at Marischal
College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1683); licen. by
Presb. of Deer 11th Feb. 1712; ord. to
Nairn 23rd Sept. 1714; called 22nd Aug.;
trans. and adm. 19th Sept. 1717; died
Dec. 1718. He marr. Sept. 1715, Janet
Keith, who survived him, and had a gift
of vacant stipend from Exchequer 28th
Aug. 1721. [St Andrews *Tests*.]

JAMES THOMSON, educated at Mari-
schal College, Aberdeen; called 10th
1721 Feb. 1720; ord. 22nd March 1721;
died 30th Jan. 1729. He marr. Ann
Thomson, who died 6th May 1772.

JAMES MURISON, M.A.; called 18th
June, and ord. 17th Sept. 1729;
1729 trans. to Kinnell 13th Oct. 1743.

GEORGE WILSON, pres. by George II,
27th Dec. 1743; called 23rd Feb.,
1744 and ord. 25th April 1744; trans. to
Kinnaird (Brechin) 5th Oct. 1748.

GEORGE BLAIR, born 1707, tutor in
Colonel Ogilvie's family; licen. by
1749 Presb. of Dundee 29th Oct. 1729;
ord. min. of Abernyte 31st Oct. 1733; dem.
that charge, 16th Nov. 1738, on appoint-
ment as Master of the Grammar School
of Dundee; pres. by George II, 20th Dec.
1748; called 6th Feb., and adm. 8th March
1749; died 19th June 1773. He marr.
Katherine Fairweather, who died 15th
Feb. 1798, and had issue Agnes, born
15th May 1742, died 27th Jan. 1806; James,
born 19th July 1743, apprentice
to a W.S. 1759; Elizabeth, born 22nd
June 1745; Margaret, born 20th July 1746,
died 1st Dec. 1813; Katherine, born 13th
July 1748; Robert, born 2nd July 1752.

DAVID MILLAR, pres. by George III,
23rd July 1773; ord. 2nd Feb. 1774;
1774 died 24th March 1788. [St Andrews
Tests.]

ANDREW HUTTON, born 1703; licen.
by Presb. of Dalkeith 29th April
1788 pres. by George III, 16th May, and
ord. 25th Sept. 1788; clerk of Presb.; died

5th June 1842. Publications—Accounts of
the Parish (Sinclair's *Stat. Rec.*, xi., and
New Stat. Rec., xi.).

ROBERT INGLIS, born Glamis, 4th
1841 Dec. 1803, son of David L. min. of
Lochlee, app. schoolmaster of Loch-
lee in 1819; educated at King's College,
Aberdeen; M.A. (30th March 1821); licen.
by Presb. of Brechin 1st March 1829; ord.
to Lochlee 5th June 1837; trans. and adm.
(assistant and successor) 29th Oct. 1841.
Joined the Free Church in 1843; min. of
Free Church, Edzell, 1843-76; died 19th
Jan. 1876. He marr. 3rd Dec. 1830,
Helen, died 9th Oct. 1884, daughter of
Alexander Brand, shipmaster, Montrose,
and Jean Anderson, and had issue—David,
after an adventurous career in various
parts of the world, became a coach-briller
in Montrose, born 2nd Sept. 1831, died 25th
Aug. 1888; Jane, born 28th April 1833, died
13th March 1910; Robert, born 26th Sept.
1835, died 8th March 1843; Catherine, born
15th May 1837, died 17th March 1843;
Alexander Brand, Indian merchant, Presi-
dent of the Calcutta Chamber of Commerce
and Member of the Legislative Council,
born 26th Jan. 1839, died 13th Sept. 1886;
William Panmure, born 27th April 1841,
died 27th Feb. 1843; Lieut. Col. Sir
Robert Williams, Kt., stockbroker, London,
Chairman of Committee London Stock
Exchange (1907-17), born 22nd July 1843,
died 10th April 1923; The Hon. James,
colonial politician, Minister of Public In-
struction, New South Wales (1887-9),
author of *Our An' Folk, being Memoirs
of Mans' Life in the Mearns; Sport and
Work on the Naperl Frontier; Tent Life
in Tiger Land; Our Australian Cousins;
Our New Zealand Cousins; Tirth-t Rhymes*,
born 27th Nov. 1845, died 11th Oct. 1908;
Thomas Chalmers, tea planter, India, born
29th Oct. 1847, died 21st Oct. 1863; John
Knox, M.A., Inspector of Schools, Raj
Bareli, India, born 6th Aug. 1849, died of
cholera 3rd Aug. 1878; William Burnett,
banker, born 3rd Oct. 1851, died of sun-
stroke at Wilemannia, Australia, 12th Jan.
1882; George Brown, min. of the Presby-
terian Church at Auckland, N.Z., born 11th

OCT. 1863.—Henry, teekraker, London, born 31st Jan. 1857. [Published in *Synod CMV, Proc. C. 1574-575, pt. 2, M. 10, v. 6, p. 10*, *Proc. of the Presb. of Edinburgh, 1872*, p. 10; also *Proc. of the Presb. of Jamesfield, Edinburgh, 1864*.]

CHARLES SMITH, M.D., presbyter 1843—Queen Victoria, aged 17, died, and entombed at St. Sepulchre-without-Newgate, 13th Sept. 1843; transferred to Westminster, 25th March 1869.

DAVID STUART ROSS, born 1830, 1869—son of Alexander Ross, of Elgin, New Deer, and Jessie Stuart, educated at Elgin, Aberdeen, M.A. (1854), assistant at Alloa, ord. at request of minister of Alloa, by Presb. of Stirling 28th Jan. 1854, presby Queen Victoria 21st April, and entombed at St. Sepulchre-without-Newgate, 2nd July 1869, clerk of Presb. Longfellow, died 12th March 1906. He married 29th March 1888, Jemima, daughter of William Carnegie of Dunlopwood, and Margaret Elfin, and had issue: Elsie, deceased in 21st June 1889.

DAVID WILLIAMSON, born Greenlaw, Berwickshire, 24th May 1852, 1865—son of John Williamson, and Mary Ann Conacher, educated at Greenlaw School, Dollar Academy, and Univ. of St. Andrews, M.A. (1869), B.D. (1863), licensed by Presb. of St. Andrews in 1863, assistant at Wallacetown, Dundee, and Lady Glenorchy's, Edinburgh, ord. 17th Aug. 1865. Married 7th Nov. 1868, Emily Mary, younger daughter of James Shanks, engineer, Arbroath, and Margaret Jane Cargill, and has issue: Olive, Margaret, born 26th Aug. 1869; Ella Mary Conacher, born 12th May 1911; Quentin John, born 26th June 1917.

NEWDOSK.

DAVID STRATON, reader from 1574 1574 to 1580.

THOMAS STEWART, reader in 1583 1583. [*Reg. Aul. of Exch.*, 16th Jan. 1583-7.]

FARNELL AND KINNAIRD.

The joint presbytery separated on 10th Dec. 1577. A new church was built in 1864.

The church of Farnell was dedicated to St. Ninian. The endowment of this parish was given by Dr. John of Brechin.

JOHN MELDRUM, reader from 1597 1597-1604.

THOMAS SHEWAN, presbyter to the 1573 1573-1574, 8th Sept. 1573, reader 1573-1577. [*Reg. of Docs. 1573-7*.]

JAMES NICOLSON, reader to the 1577 1577—writer and master barker of the town, and lands of Brumelis, having completed his course of Arts, and intended to be ordered to complete his education had a call for ten years from Abbot of M.L. 31st May 1567, of the lands and tenement of Middle Brums worth 900, which he pertained to the canons of Brechin, prior to the creation of Brechin 24th Nov. 1577, with a pension for life of 900 from the rents of the abbey 24th Jan. 1577. [*Reg. of Docs. 1573-7*, 3-21.]

DUGALD CAMPBELL, M.A. Glasgow 1579, presby by Jan. VI. 3rd Nov. 1581 1581, w/o Moderator of Presb. in 1597, and app. Convent Moderator by General Assembly in 1600, was a member of Assembly in 1611, died before 8th July 1633, and entombed at 76. He married (1) before 7th Dec. 1606, Margaret King, widow of John Carnegie of Elvair, Fifeshire; (2) Katherine, died before 14th Dec. 1604, daughter of John Mackay, tailor, burgess of Edinburgh, and had issue: Dugald; Margaret, m. Andrew, constable Jan. 1608; James, son of John Macdon, burgess of Montrose. [*Reg. of Docs. 1573-7*, 167, 200, 201; *Reg. of Docs. 1583-7*, 299; *Doct. Inf.*, 19th April 1611; *G. R. Inf.*, 24th April 1619; *Prot. Book of John Hay*, v., 128; *Cit. Campbell*, vi., 75, 117, 233.]

DAVID CARNEGIE of Craig, Logie Pert, born 1595, son of David C. of Cookston and Unthank; educated at King's College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1618), adm. to Second Charge, Brechin, 1631, pres. by Charles I, 8th July 1633; was one of the two chaplains of Maison Dieu of Brechin; died in 1672. He left 600 merks to the poor of the parish. He marr. (1) Helen (died 18th July 1650), eldest daugh. of David Lindsay of Dinkenny, Bishop of Edinburgh, and had issue: David of Craigo, physician; James, min. of Barry; Robert, licentiate; Agnes (marr. Robert Paterson, Principal of Marischal College, Aberdeen); (2) Helen Stewart (s.p.). [G. R. *Inhabitants*, 15th Feb. 1672; *Foigair Sasa*, iii. 253, iii. 106; *Brechin Testis.*; *Imp. Rec. Foigair*, 269, *Gen.*, 5645.]

JOHN LAMMIE, probably brother of Sylvester L., min. of Glamis; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1617); was tutor and servitor to James, Marquess of Montrose, 1628-9; ord. to Maryton 26th May 1642; trans. and adm. between 6th March and 1st May 1673; died 21st Jan. 1680, aged about 82. He marr. Katherine, daugh. of Alexander Lindsay of Canterbury and Helen, daugh. of John Haldane of Glencales, who survived him, and had issue: John, min. of Ecclesgreig; Helen; Margaret (marr. Alexander Arbuthnott, min. of Arburghott). [Sect. *Antiqu.*, vi., 96; *P. C. Decrees*, 29th Jan. 1685.]

GEORGE HALIBURTON, Bishop of Brechin (*q.v.*); pres. by Charles II, 21st Jan. 1680, "in respect the Bishopric is small and inconsiderable, so that it is very incompetent for maintaining of a Bishop in the dignity due to his sacred character."

HENRY LINDSAY, M.A.; trans. from Brechin and adm. before 15th Jan. 1682; trans. to Dunnichen that year.

CHARLES CARNEGIE, fifth son of Sir Alexander C. first of Pitarrow and Margaret, sister of first Viscount Arbuthnott; became a regent in St Leonard's College, St Andrews; pres. by Robert, Earl

of Southesk, 1682; adm. 15th May 1684, D.D. (St Andrews, 22nd Jan. 1685), died July 1694, aged about 38. He marr. 21st Feb. 1685, Barbara, daugh. of George Martin, min. of Second Charge, Dundee, and had issue: Robert, Snell Exhibitioner, Glasgow, 23rd Jan. 1696, B.A. (Oxon. 1703), M.A. (1703), M.D., died in London 1721; James, Snell Exhibitioner, Glasgow, 8th Oct. 1709, student at Balliol College, Oxford, 1709-10, said to have been expelled, and becoming a sailor was mate of the sloop *Ruby*, drowned 1721 or 1722; Alexander, merchant, London; Magdalen (marr. John Mudie of Ardbikie). His widow marr. (2) Robert Scott, D.D., min. of Hamilton. [Tombst.; Macfarlane's *Gen. Coll.*, iii. 173, 194, 203; *Snell Exhibitors*, 29, 33.]

ANDREW GEDDIE, M.A., Edinburgh, 1703 (9th July 1688); ord. to Dairsie 3rd March 1696; trans. and adm. 5th Oct. 1703; dep. 22nd Feb. 1716 for compliance with the Rebellion; died before 27th Feb. 1719. He marr. Christian Duncan, widow of William Chapman, and had issue: Helen, bapt. 26th July 1707; Anne, born 13th Oct. 1708; Mary; Barbara. [*Brechin Testis.*; Fountainhall's *Decisions*, ii.]

DAVID FERGUSSON, licen. by Presb. of Dalkeith 15th March 1714; called 1716 by the Presb. *jure devoluto*, 18th Sept., and ord. 4th Oct. 1716; his manse was robbed, 11th Feb. 1747, and a silver watch, about £10 in cash, and other articles carried off; died 14th Aug. 1751. He marr. 12th Jan. 1721, Anna, daugh. of John Russel, merchant, Edinburgh, and had issue: Margaret, bapt. 5th Nov. 1721; Jean, bapt. 12th Sept. 1723; David, min. of this parish; Janet, bapt. 24th March 1726; Anna (twin), bapt. 24th March 1726; Katherine, bapt. 17th June 1728; Elizabeth, bapt. 7th July 1731. [*Brechin Testis.*; *Tombst.*]

DAVID FERGUSSON, bapt. 17th Sept. 1724, son of preceding; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; licen. by the Presb. 2nd May 1750; pres. by George H. in April, and ord. (assistant and successor)

27th July, born 1st Dec. 1763; H. married 25th May, 1787, Jane, born 17th Nov. 1766, daughter of Dr. John Macmillan, minister of Ardrosson, died 17th Aug. 1830, David, born 23rd Feb. 1789; Mary, born 17th Aug. 1791; married Rev. James, of Fife, 1793; died 27th Sept. 1800; Margaret, born 27th June, 1795, died 17th Oct. 1802; Thomas, born 2nd Jan. 1800; Patrick, born 27th March, 1801; Alexander, born 17th April 1803; Armstrong, of Maryhill, born 18th March, 1805; Kirkcaldy, born 27th Sept. 1811; Rev. John, Vicar of the Parish School, 1816, died 1819.

JAMES WHISON, born 17th Oct. 1707 or 1704, son of George Whison, of Kirkmichael, educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen, M.A. 1722; licensed by Presb. of Brechin 7th May 1777; ord. to Maybole 24th June 1778; pres. by George III. in March, trans. and clm. 29th Sept. 1791; died 18th Oct. 1829; H. married 11th Nov. 1797, John, born 19th May 1798; died 22nd Jan. 1840; died of Sir William Nicolson of Glenravel, Bart., and his issue; Helen Mill, born 29th Nov. 1799; marr. David Smith, schoolmaster, Farnell, Ayr, born 16th Nov. 1796; died 18th Dec. 1831; Robert Bident, of Arthurestone, M.D., died 3rd Oct. 1828; Jane, born 29th Oct. 1800; George, student at Marischal College, Aberdeen, born 16th Nov. 1801, died 1823; McMillan, died, born 1st March 1806; died unmarried; Eliza, died unmarried; Marion Mill, born 15th June 1806; marr. 1828, Thomas John Bremner of Glasserton. [Burke's *Lat. & Gent.*, 12th ed., 1792.]

ALEXANDER DOUGLAS, educated at Univ. of St. Andrews, Hon. M.A. 1827; Presb. there 11th Feb. 1824; pres. by George IV. in Feb., and ord. curate and reader 22nd June 1827; died unmarried, 25th June 1833; Published Account of the Parish Venerable Ancients.

HENRY BREWSTER, born 28th Sept. 1806, second son of James Brewster, D.D. 1834, min. of Craig, born by Presb. of Brechin 17th Sept. 1829; pres. by William

IV. with May 1832; ord. 10th Dec. 1834; h. 1st Dec. 1837; H. married 11th Aug. 1837, Jane Valentine, died 21st Oct. 1841; son Alexander, of David, 17th July 1840; Mary Clark, wife, died 27th June 1841; Sept. 1842.

ALEXANDER OGILVY HOOD, born 1804; H. married 1831, son of David Hood, minister, and Jane Ogilvy, educated at Univ. of Edinburgh, Univ. of St. Andrews, and Edinburgh, Licency Presb. of Montrose 17th July 1832; assistant in parish of Kirkcaldy, 1832; minister 22nd Dec. 1843; his church, Kirkcaldy, 1844; min. 12th Sept. 1873; died 1st March 1896.

THOMAS ALEXANDER CAMERON, 1871, son of John Cameron, minister, and Margaret Fraser, widow of Kirkmichael School, Univer. of St. Andrews, educated at Univ. of Edinburgh, Kirkcaldy, assistant at St. Mary's, Old Town, Edinburgh, 11th June 1872; pres. by Queen Victoria 3rd Oct. 1873; trans. and ord. 26th Feb. 1874; served as chaplain in South African Field Force; died 1st Dec. 1882; H. married 14th July 1872, Isabella, died 23rd Dec. 1887; son, James Clarke, Cameron, and his wife, Jane Stewart, and widow of Gaird's Stewart, man of Kincraig, and his wife, Thomas Macpherson Gray (Caroline), died 27th May 1873; Mary Ross, born 18th June 1877; marr. 1895, Hugh McCalmont (McGillivray), died 1st Dec. 1892; 2nd 11th Aug. 1897, Mary Jane Lyon.

JOHN MACNAUGHTON CLARK, born 1883, son of Alexander, 12th July 1883, son of John Clark, shipmaker, and Elizabeth Macnaughton, educated at Fort Gordon's College, and Univ. of Aberdeen, M.A. 1904, B.D. 1908; born by Presb. of Aberdeen 8th Sept. 1908; assistant at High Church, Inverness, ord. assistant and reader 22nd Nov. 1912; served in European War as chaplain to Forces in 5th and 6th Black Watch and 2nd Royal Scots Fusiliers.

KINNAIRD, FORMERLY CUIKSTON.

[The church of Cuikston was dedicated to St Ronnald. A knoll a mile north from the church is called Rumes Cross. Cuikston Church was rebuilt by David Carnegie of Kinnaird, who, in his will, dated 15th April 1608, the day before his death, ordained his eldest son and successor to "complete the work." In 1603 an Act of Parliament was passed changing the name of the parish to Kinnaird.]

JOHN WEMYSS, pres. to the parish kirk of the prebendary called the 1597 subdeanery of Brechin by James VI. 10th April 1597; signed the Protest with forty one other mins., 1st July 1600, against introduction of Episcopacy; was a member of Assembly in 1639, and on the passing of the Act containing the Cause and Remedy of the bygone Evils of the Kirk 17th Aug., he "could scarce get a word spoken for teares trickling downe along his gray haires, likes droppes of rain or dewe upon the toppe of the tender grassy, and yet all smylling for joy," on which the Moderator (David Dickson, D.D., Professor of Divinity at Glasgow) said, "I believe the King's Majestic made never the heart of any so blythe in giving them a bishoprick, as he has made the heart of that reverend man joyfull in putting them away." W. was FURTHER OF THE CHURCH in 1658. He taught many of the children in the parish without fees, and assisted the Carnegie family in matters of legal business. [*Acts of Parl.*, iv., 358.]

WILLIAM PHERSON, M.A.; called 1659 (to be assistant and successor) Nov. 1658; ord. 31st March 1659; trans. to Paisley before 26th Oct. 1663.

DAVID RAFT, son of William R., min. 1664 of Mains; M.A.; adm. in 1664; died before 2nd Feb. 1676, aged about 73. He marr. a lady whose name is unknown, and had issue Henry, died Oct. 1669, aged 18.

JOHN DALL (or DAW), M.A. (St Andrews, 25th July 1653), became 1676 chaplain to the Laird of Dunnindd; pres. by Robert, Earl of Southesk, in Aug., and adm. 28th Sept. 1676; died in 1695, aged about 55.

ALEXANDER WILSON, son of John 1701 W. of Whytecroft; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (13th May 1653), adm. to Elie 8th June 1678; deprived by the Privy Council 8th Sept. 1689; intruded here before 17th April 1701. He marr. 10th July 1656, Janet Weems in parish of Elie, and had issue Andrew, apprenticed to George Leslie, stationer, Edinburgh, 5th July 1682. [*Edin. Gaib Reg.*; *Fif. Srs.*, x., 221, xi., 22.]

FRANCIS RAFT, son of John R., min. 1711 of Inverkeilor; tutor to the Master of Kinnaird; intruded here but left before 6th April 1711. He was prosecuted before the Lords of Justiciary, 26th July 1717, for intruding into parish churches, leasing-making and praying for King James; but the Solicitor-General deserted the diet in respect of the King's Act of Grace; dep. by Presb. 31st July 1717, for again intruding during the Rebellion. He had an illegal meeting house in Brechin in 1726, which was shut up by the Lords of Justiciary.

JOHN SMITH, educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1700); 1716 been, by Presb. of Arbroath 13th Aug. 1707; called by the Presb. *jure absolute* 22nd March, and ord. 5th April 1716; died 22nd Sept. 1723.

ANDREW KNOX, M.A. (St Andrews, 6th May 1712); became a teacher in 1724 the Grammar School, Brechin; licen. by Presb. of Brechin 8th Feb. 1721; called 23rd Nov., and pres. by Colonel Stratton 11th Dec. 1723; ord. 9th April 1724. His manse was invaded by house-breakers, 12th Feb. 1747, and silver and other articles carried off to the value of £15. An elder having obtained a decree in the Commissary Court of Brechin against him for an alleged slander uttered in the Presb.,

he appointed to the Chair of St. John, and the appointment was ratified in the course of private audience in Feb. 1744, and confirmed 1745. He married 2nd April 1742, Mary, of Gifford, who died 17th May 1764, and had four children—Andrew, Stuart, *Robert Tern, 8th May, 1745.*

GEORGE WILSON, son of Patrick W. 1748, and Margaret Aikley, died 1771. Married Celia, daughter of Elizabeth 2nd Apr. 1744, and died 1770; trans. and ent. 10th Oct. 1748, and 10th July 1787. He married 2nd June 1747, Mary, died 10th May 1767, daughter of William Barnet, of Crichton, and sister of Sir Thomas Barnet, Bart., and had three—Mary, born 10th Dec. 1749; Margaret, born 27th March 1751; Elizabeth, born 1st Aug. 1754; James, estate of Ferniehirst, born 28th Feb. 1756; Katherine, born 29th Oct. 1759.

The parish was united to that of Brechin 1752.

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[The church was originally founded by Bishop Colman, about 600. There was in the parish a Well of St. Asaph, who was possibly the patron of the Parish Church. The Bishop of Brechin had a castle at Fife. The present church was built in 1833.]

JAMES MELVILLE, M.A., died before 10th Sept. 1766, at the Assembly 29th Dec. that year, less with others, signed a letter to the Bishop and pastor in Edinburgh, 1st July, of which of their birth was 1713, to comply with the order prescribing the wearing of ecclesiastical vestments in Divine Service; in 1667 Montague and Kinnell were also in his charge, trans. to Tain, or soon after.

ANDREW LEITCH, pres. to the vicarage of Kilmarie, within the 1580 Cathedral Kirk of Brechin, by James VI. 15th May 1577, man. here in 1580 with Dunlop. Also in charge, w. Master of the Grammar School of Brechin 13th Jan. 1580; trans. to Maryton before 1585.

ALEXANDER NORIE, son of Robert 1596, N. & J. Kelman, Donald, man. of Dunlop, in 1586 with Fern also in charge, 15th May 1596, and died 1598, ent. Nov. 1st. He married 2d, Helen, daughter of Barrie, & Katherine, 1st, of Agnes.

ROBBIE NORIE, M.A., died 1607, trans. to Fife, and ent. 12th Sept. 1607.

GEORGE SYMMES, son and son 1614 of Robert S. and Janet Ogilvy, and nephew of George S. of Brechin, died 1614 at King's College, Aberdeen, M.A. 1609, and killed at Dundee in March 1613. He married Jean Arthurett, and had issue—Alexander, Helen, and a daughter, another daughter, *Robert of Duff*, xxvii, 411. *Actes of Parc.,* 3rd July 1632. *Actes of Synod,* v. 13.

JAMES CRAMOND, younger brother 1633 of Henry C. of Ballan, educated at King's College, Aberdeen, M.A. 1644, was of the Hospital 1st Oct. 1646, went to England in 1648 as preacher to a regiment, for which he was suspended, but having exposed his brewer to the officers, he was reprieved by the Commissioner of Assembly 30th June 1648, exiled in June, and died 14th Sept. 1653, aged about 60. He married, Gods. Ramsay, and had issue—Captain William, James, Elizabeth, Jean, Cler. of William, Clephane, *Actes of Parc.,* 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. 9. 10. 11. 12. 13. *Actes of Synod,* 11th Feby. 1653.

ALEXANDER WILLSON, M.A., formerly of Elie, married here but 1699, was exiled, and went to Kentland.

GEORGE WEMYSS, M.A., St Andrews, 1st July 1660, and 10th Dec. 1665, died 8th June 1737, aged about 77. He married 2d April 1666, Mary, daughter of John Spalding, man. of the Second Charge, Dunlop, and had issue—Robert, James, man. of the par. h. Publication—*The Elevated Flame, or a Devout Soul in Actual Communion with God*, annexed to Spalding's *Exercises of the Holy Trinity* (Edinburgh, 1720). He edited Spalding's *Synopsis Sacra* (1703), (*Cupr. Sac. Rec.*; *Jervise's Land of the Lindsays*, 222).

JAMES WEMYSS, son of preceding; called 6th Dec. 1734; ord. (assistant) 1735; and successor 2nd April 1735; trans. to Errol 30th Oct. 1744.

GEORGE TYTLER, born 1706, son of John T., Corsindie, Aberdeenshire; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; licen. by Presb. of Alford 13th Sept. 1732; ord. to Fremay 16th Oct. 1733; pres. by George II, 26th Nov. 1744; called 11th Feb.; trans. and adm. 24th April 1745; died 29th July 1785. He marr. 22nd Oct. 1734 Janet Robertson, who died 21st July 1765, and had issue: Barbara, born 10th Aug. 1735; George, student of divinity, born 11th May 1737, went abroad; Mary, born 7th March 1744; James, miscellaneous writer, editor of various periodicals, compiler of three fourths of the second edition of *Encyclopaedia Britannica*, author of "The Bonnie Bricket Lassie" and other songs, better known as "Balloon Tytler," being the first person in Britain to ascend in a balloon [27th Aug. 1784, at Comedy Gardens, Edinburgh]; born 17th Dec. 1745; died at Salem, U.S.A., 1805; Henry William, M.D., Brechin, translator and author, born 4th April 1753, died in Edinburgh, 24th Aug. 1808. [Jervise's *Land of the Lowlands*, 180, 333; Kay's *Portraits*, i.; Black's *Brechin*, 183; *Dist. Nat. Recd. Govt. Mag.*, 1784, ii. 709, 711, 1808, ii. 852.]

JOHN GILLANDERS, born Aberdeen-shire, 1757; M.A. (King's College, Aberdeen, 25th March 1778); school master of Tannadice; licen. by Presb. of Forfar 19th Feb. 1783; pres. by George III, 22nd Aug. 1785; called 1st March, and ord. 7th June 1786; died unmarr. 9th Nov. 1802. Publication—Account of the Parish (Sinclair's *Stat. Recd.* iii.).

DAVID HARRIS, born 1774, son of George II, farmer, and Janet Pirnie; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Dundee 1st Dec. 1802; pres. by George III, 27th Dec. 1802; ord. 8th Sept. 1803; died FATHER OF THE CUTMEN at Riverside Villa, Blairgowrie, 28th Oct. 1867. He marr. 21st May 1812,

Grace (died 22nd Feb. 1845, aged 62), daughter of William Dow, min. of Blairgowrie. [She had a taste for Scottish ballad poetry and music, and left a large collection of both. She and her daugh. joined the Free Church in 1843, and continued members till their deaths.] He had issue: Mary Duncan, born 4th July 1813, died 24th June 1849; Amelia, born 7th April 1815; George, min. of this parish; Grace, born 25th June 1819, died 5th April 1842; Elizabeth Greenhill, born 18th Jan. 1821, died 25th May 1847; Jane, born 18th Jan. 1823; William, born 2nd June 1825.

GEORGE HARRIS, born 18th Jan. 1818, son of preceding; educated 1851 at Fern School and Univ. of Edinburgh and Aberdeen; licen. by Presb. of Brechin 21st May 1843; assistant at Gamrie; ord. (assistant and successor) 12th Oct. 1854; died unmarr. 20th July 1869.

ANDREW WHISON, born Maeduff, 12th Nov. 1819, son of Andrew W., 1861 seaman, and Margaret West; educated at Parish School and King's College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1837); teacher at Alehouse hillock School, Cairnie, 1839-41; schoolmaster at Alyah in 1841; licen. by Presb. of Turriff 22nd Jan. 1845; headmaster of John Watson's Institution, Edinburgh, 1850-5; ord. to Lochgelly Chapel 11th July 1853; trans. and adm. (assistant and successor) 25th April 1861; res. 28th Oct. 1867; engaged in literary work, reviewing and writing for the newspapers under the nom de plume "Cornelius Crabtree, Gentleman"; died in Edinburgh 29th Feb. 1891. Publication—*Nature Notes on the Potholes*.

WILLIAM WADDELL, born Gaynton, Langton, Berwickshire, April 1844, 1868 son of Alexander W., builder, and Elizabeth Rae; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. 1863; licen. by Presb. of Dundee; assistant at Forfar; pres. by Queen Victoria 3rd June, and ord. 23rd April 1868; dep. 30th May 1874; died 18th Sept. 1896. He marr. (1) 7th Oct. 1869, Jane Reid, who died Head of Church

of Scotland (Rev'd. Mr. John Smith) son and
a.t. Dec. 1877, died at John Alexander
Catharine Fern, 16, D.D., man of Grand
old family; John Tancred Bent, 18th
Northampton Regiment, born 19th Feb.
1853, killed in action, Tadla Expedition,
India, 1869, aged 1st Jan. 1883, Mary
Davidson, who married him, and died
28th Dec. 1890.

JOHN FERGUSON, born Kincraig,
Glenrothes, 20th July 1834, son of
1875 Donald Ferguson, farmer, and Mary
McGregor, educated at Glenrothes School,
Dundee High School, and Univ. of St
Andrews, and Aberdeen; licensed by Presb.
of Montrose 4th Aug. 1858, assistant at St
John's Parish, Dundee, ord. to Glenrothes
10th Oct. 1860, trans. to New Pitlochry 16th
March 1870, pres. by Queen Victoria 11th
Sept. 1873, pres. and adm. 7th Jan. 1875,
LL.D. St Andrews 1883, died unmarried
6th Aug. 1897. He was a noted botanist,
founder of the Cryptogamic Society, an
extensive contributor to British and Con-
tinental Scientific Journals and to Heriot's
Musae Gallica et Herbier de Menises de
France et Divers Contre-s de l'Europe et

ROBERT CONSTABLE MITCHELL,
born Dykehead, Kilry, Glenisla, 16th
1807 Jan. 1872, son of John Mu, farmer,
and Jessie Dick; educated at Kilry and
Alyth Schools, West End Academy, Dundee,
and Univ. of St Andrews; licensed by Presb.
of Dundee 2nd July 1835, assistant at St
Paul's Parish, Perth, ord. to Wormit
Chapel 15th Sept. 1838, trans. and adm.
19th Dec. 1867. Marr. 14th April 1814,
Elizabeth Allan, daughter of Hugh Allan
Geilt, C.E., Christopher, N.W.Z., died,
and Sarah Simple Black, and has issue:
Malcolm Lionel, born 11th April 1816.

HILLSIDE (Q.S.).

The parish of Hill-side was disjoined
from Montrose 17th March 1870.]

ALEXANDER MILNE, ord. 16th March
1850, trans. to St Andrews Parish,
1870 Dundee, 1st Nov. 1871.

THOMAS MITCHELL, born Auch-
terarder, Fife, 31st March 1846,
1872 son of James Milne and Helen Duffus;
educated at Grammar School and Univ.
of Aberdeen, M.A. 1864, L.L.B. 1866, Presb.
of Aberdeen 3rd Dec. 1872, assistant at
Montrose, ord. 4th Jan. 1872, first min.
of the parish 1872, m. 1st June 1872. He
marr. 18th April 1876, Eliza, widow of
Rev'd. McWilliam, Aberdeen, and had
issue: Thomas, M.B.A., Kirkcaldy, born 16th
April 1876.

MICHAEL CUNNINGHAM WILSON,
born Glasgow, 9th Feb. 1871, son of
1897 James Wilson, man. of Gartmorn town,
educated at Brechin School, Granite, and
Univ. of Aberdeen, M.A. 1891, B.D.
1894, licensed by Presb. of Arden May
1894, assistant at Marischal High Church,
Inverness, and Helmsdale, Aberdeen, ord.
16th Sept. 1897. Marr. 6th April 1922,
Annie, widow of Charles William Swynfen
Jones, Southsea, Hants. Published
Sister's Time Addresses, Paisley, 1818.

LETHNOT AND NAVAR.

The parishes were united by the Com-
missioners of Tithes on 9th Feb. 1723. A
new church was built in 1827.

Lethnot. The church of Lethnot was
dedicated to St. Mary. Near it was Our
Lady's Well. Lethnot was a prebend of
Brechin.

Navar. The church of Navar was dedi-
cated to St. Columba. The incumbent of
Navar was, as such, chancellor of the
diocese of Brechin.]

THOMAS FOULLAR, or FULLAR-
TON, probably a relative of James
1507 F., who was minister in 1517;
reverend in Lethnot 1557 to 1580.

JOHN MAN, man. in 1580, with Loch-
bo, also in his charge, trans. to
1589 Monimail after 1590.

JOHN LINDSAY, son of John L. of
Burrs, parish of Kinnoull, man. in
1591 1591, still man. in 1595; became
servitor to Sir David Lindsay of Edzell,

and was one of the followers of David Lindsay, younger of Edzell, who, on the night of 5th July 1607 in the High Street of Edinburgh, attacked David, Master of Crawford, and mortally wounded Alexander, Lord Spynie, for which act they were denounced rebels by the Justiciary Court. In 1616 the charge against them was revived by the son of the slain lord, but a compromise was arranged, followed by a full pardon from the Crown to all parties concerned. [Pitcairn's *Crim. Trials*, iii. 529, iii. 62; *Lives of the Lindsays*, i. 386; *P.C. Rec.*, viii. 383, 393; *G. R. Infib.*, xxiv., 349, 350.]

JOHN PIGGOT, M.A.; adm. before 1622 17th May 1622; trans. to Cortachy after 7th Sept. 1637.

ROBERT NORIE [or NORRIE], M.A., 1639 (St Andrews 1630); became Master of the Grammar School, Brechin, which he dem. before 19th May 1642; adm. 22nd Aug. 1639; was still min. 5th Dec. 1683. He marr. and had issue two sons.—[*Land of the Lindsays*, 128, 135, 314.]

ROBERT THOMSON, son of George 1685 T., merchant, Aberdeen; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; became chaplain to the laird of Edzell; recommended for licence 21st Sept. 1684; pres. in May, and certified for ordination 1st July, and adm. before 2nd Dec. 1685; dep. 7th March 1716 for intrusion and support of the Jacobite cause. He was prosecuted by the Lord Advocate for keeping a meeting house contrary to law, but defended himself, stating he only preached to his own family. He marr. Anna Lindsey of the House of Edzell, and had issue. [*Jervise's Land of the Lindsays*, 128, 130; *Case of Greenshields*.]

ROBERT KER, called by the Presb. 1717 *juxta devoluta* 4th, and ord. 18th July 1717; trans. to Lochlee on its erection in 1723.

JOHN ROW, born Leslie, Fife, became 1723 a schoolmaster; M.A. (St Andrews, 23rd July 1697); licen. by Presb. of Kirkcaldy 10th Jan. 1717; ord. to Navar

1st May 1718; removed here on union of parishes 4th Nov. 1723; died 24th Dec. 1745, aged about 60. He left £10 for maintaining the bridge of Lethnot. He marr. 1703, Elizabeth Young, who died 5th Sept. 1746, leaving £10 to the poor of the parish, and £10 the interest of which was to be applied to the maintenance of the stone bridge on the West water, Lethnot. [*Brechin Tests.*; Jervise's *Land of the Lindsays*, 106.]

WILLIAM DAVIDSON, born 1746 Aberdeenshire, 1702; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1728); became schoolmaster of Navar; licen. by Presb. of Brechin 19th Aug. 1741; called 11th Aug., and ord. 25th Sept. 1746; died 12th March 1775. He marr. Janet Farres, who died 24th Feb. 1795, and had issue—George, born 25th Feb. 1745, died 16th Aug. 1760; Alexander, sailor, born 2nd Nov. 1746, died 23rd July 1793. —[*Brechin Tests.*; Jervise's *Land of the Lindsays*, 107.]

JOHN TAYLOR, M.A. (King's College, 1775 Aberdeen, 1765); licen. by Presb. of Fordoun 1st April 1772; schoolmaster at St Cyrus; pres. by George III, 15th June, and ord. 4th Sept. 1775; clerk of Presb.; died 5th Nov. 1808, aged about 63. He marr. 27th Nov. 1788, Isabel (died 13th Dec. 1818), daugh. of John Pirie, min. of Lochlee, and had issue—Heben, born 20th Nov. 1789 (marr. 20th Aug. 1806, Andrew Smith of Edzell); Ann, born 17th July 1791; Alexander, born 23rd Nov. 1793; John of Bellfield, M.D., born 6th March 1796; Robert, M.A., born 8th Nov. 1797; David, born 17th June 1800; Margaret, born 24th Feb. 1802; Katherine, born 23rd Nov. 1805. Publication—Account of the Parish (Sinclair's *Stat. Agric.* iv.).

ALEXANDER SYMMERS, born 1809 Montrose, 1797; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; M.A. (23rd March 1787); licen. by Presb. of Arbroath 2nd May 1798; pres. by George III, 7th Dec. 1808; ord. 14th Sept. 1809; died 9th May 1842. He marr. Clementina

[*Brechin Tests.*, *Rept. Soc. Scip.*, *Acts of Parls.*, vi., 478, 553; Cruickshank's *Narr. and Lett.*, t. 36, 30.]

LAURENCE SKINNER, son of preceding; M.A.; ord. 1st May 1638; **1648** trans. to Second Charge, Brechin, 24th May 1650.

JOHN FYFE, was proposed for Brechin 26th Oct. 1638, but refused; ord. **1650** 24th Sept. 1650; died probably unmarr. between 12th May and 17th June 1658. In 1655 he gave a bell to the parish, 1000 marks for the maintenance of a student at the Theological College of St Andrews, and his books to John, son of his brother Alexander. [*Brechin Tests.*; Black's *Brechin*, 279; Jervise's *Land of the Lindsays*, 134; Cruickshank's *Narr. and Lett.*, 40, 4.]

HERCULES SKINNER, M.A.; called to be helper 6th May, and ord. 22nd **1658** July 1658; trans. to Fettercairn 29th Oct. 1660.

ALEXANDER SYMSON, M.A. (King's College, Aberdeen, 10th July 1666); **1670** licen. by George, Bishop of Edinburgh, 11th July, and pres. by Charles II. Dec. 1669; ord. 26th May 1670; died June 1707, aged about 64. He marr. Margaret Carnegie, who was alive in Sept. 1735, and "in so low and penurious a condition that she had nothing to live upon but what was given her in charity."

HENRY HAMILTON, M.A.; called by the Presb., *jure devoluto* 11th Feb., **1708** and ord. 3rd March 1708; trans. to Glenelvie 6th April 1712.

ANDREW HAMILTON, younger son of Alexander H. of Kinkell, and **1713** brother of preceding; M.A. (St Andrews, 22nd July 1693), licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 10th Aug. 1694; app. to supply vacancies within the bounds of the Presb. 20th Oct. 1708; was on trials for Careston 28th Nov. 1711, but did not wish to be settled in that parish; called by the Presb., *jure devoluto* 4th, and ord. 19th Feb.

1713, died unmarr. at Monmar, 16th Feb. 1714, aged about 41, and was buried there. [*Brechin Tests.*]

GEORGE LESLIE, called by the Presb., *jure devoluto* 9th, and ord. 23rd **1714** Sept. 1714; trans. to Edzell 19th Sept. 1717.

JOHN ROW, M.A.; called by the Presb., *jure devoluto* 9th April, and ord. 1st **1718** May 1718; removed to Lethnot on the union of the parishes in 1723.

LOCHLEE.

(The church of Lochlee was dedicated to St Drostain. Near it was St Drostain's Well. Lochlee was united to Lethnot in or about 1618. The two parishes were severed again by the Commissioners of Teinds on 6th Feb. 1723. Lochlee Church was burned in 1645 by the troops of the Marquess of Montrose. A new church was built in 1803.)

JAMES FULLARTON, M.A.; had charge of Edzell, Dunlapie, Lethnot and Navar, and of this parish. **1567**

WILLIAM HAY, reader in 1567 to **1567** 1587.

THOMAS FULLARTON, reader in **1588** 1588 to 1590.

GEORGE DONALDSON, min. in 1607; **1607** trans. to Dunlapie in 1611.

DAVID WOOD, M.A.; min. of Edzell; held this parish in conjunction in **1615** 1615.

ROBERT KER, bapt. 1st June 1707, **1723** son of James K., min. of Dim; ord. to Lethnot 18th July 1717; removed here on erection of parish in 1723; dem. 9th Oct. 1728; died Feb. 1735.—[*Brechin Tests.*]

DAVID BLAIR, M.A.; called 22nd May, and ord. 10th Sept. 1729; **1729** trans. to Second Charge, Brechin, 6th June 1733.

JOHN SCOTT, son of John Scott, teacher 29th July 1731, died 14th Dec. 1733; born 1st Aug. 1703, Kilmarnock, taught at Ardrosson, then at Ardrosson, 1718-1727, at Ardrosson, 1727-1733. He was called upon 1727 to take up the pastorate in the parish of Ardrosson, having been in ministerial charge since the Argyll High Court of Session had ordered his removal from the pulpit of the church of the Hamiltonians. He married 2nd Aug. 1733, Magdalene Mill, who died 29th July 1751. (*Review of Books*, May 1867, p. 78.)

ALEXANDER ROSS, born 16th Feb. 1749, son of Alexander Robertson, King's Advocate, O'Neill, educated at Marischal Coll., Aberdeen, M.A. 1718, then by Presb. of Dorn 29th July 1727, and assistant at Arbroath 1st Oct. 1730, afterwards assistant at Fife 1731, died 29th June, and bur. 4th Oct. 1733, and 29th March 1733. He married 3rd Oct. 1750, Elizabeth, died 29th June 1763, probably daughter of William Thain, man of Arbroath. The schoolmaster of the parish during Ross's ministry was Alexander Ross, M.A. 1800-1784, author of *Histoire des Poètes Ecossais*, 1783, which, by strangers, was frequently mistaken for the min. O'Nell, or even a gentleman called at the innkeeper for an interview with the poet, when the man frankly observed, "It'll be the schule master ye're wanting, I'm only the minister." A public monument to the poet's memory is in the churchyard. (Ross's *Histoire*, with *Life* by Thomas, 1812; Jervise's *Life of the Poets*, 1818.)

JOHN PIRIE, son of John Pirie, nott-educated at Marischal Coll., 1771, Aberdeen, became schoolmaster of Brechin, licensed by Presb. of Brechin, Nov. 1798, called 31st Oct., and ended his first and second pastorates 4th Dec. 1771, died 3rd Feb. 1806. He married 29th April 1763, Helen Webster, who died 29th March 1795, and had issue: Jean, born 3rd Feb. 1764, Fadil, born 23rd Jan. 1766, marr. John

Taylor, and had 4 children; Isabella, schoolmaster, Dundee, marr. Mr. Mathies, died 1st July 1775; Margaret, died 17th May 1773; Robert, born 14th Jan. 1776; Katharine, married Dr. James Arne, and had 4 children. Taylor died 29th Aug. 1795, and the family removed to Dundee.

DAVID INGLIS, born Dorn 1761, 1800, died David Inglis Christian Inglis, teacher, educated at Kirkcudbright Academy, M.A. 1800, licensed by Presb. of Glasgow 8th Sept. 1803, marr. by George III, third son, and 19th Sept. 1804, died 19th June 1837. He married 29th Aug. 1804, Charlotte, born 13th July 1801, daughter of Thomas Chalmers, and had issue: David, farmer, Ballinlough, Glenmalure, 18th April 1822, died 20th Sept. 1850; Robert, named after the paternal grandfather, married Anne, born 29th Jan. 1824, died 11th June 1859; Charles, born 3rd July 1826, died 10th July 1854; George, born 3rd July 1828, died 10th March 1852; Jane, born 29th Nov. 1829, died 11th Sept. 1841; William Burnet, born 19th Oct. 1830, died 12th Sept. 1845; Jane, Christian, born 19th April 1812, died 11th July 1830; Christine, born 31st May 1814, died 1st Jan. 1835; Frances Ward, née Urquhart, widow, Edinburgh, died 1890; Wedderburn Burnet, born 29th Aug. 1816, marr. James Stern, 11th farmer, died 9th July 1869. (Edinburgh *Advertiser*, Account of the Parish, Vol. 80, pt. A, and *Memoranda R. M. McCosh*, p. 178, 1837.)

ROBERT INGLIS, M.A., son of preceding, presb. by William IV, 27th Dec. 1837, Fife, and died 5th June 1851, trans. to Edzell 29th Oct. 1831.

ALEXANDER TOLIB, presb. Queen Victoria 29th Dec. 1841, died 28th April 1842, trans. to Montrose 19th Dec. 1843.

WALTER LOW, born Ardrosson 10th July 1801, son of Walter Low and Jean Jamieson, educated at Ardrosson Sch. and Univ. of Edinburgh, licensed by Presb. of Arbroath 1st Oct. 1827, became schoolmaster at Ewshot, presb. preacher

in Auchincruive Chapel, pres. by Queen Victoria 3rd Jan., and ord. 18th April 1844; died 22nd March 1887. He marr. 20th Sept. 1824, Marjory, died 8th Jan. 1853, daugh. of John Malcolm and Elizabeth Peters, and had issue: Jean Jameson, born 17th June 1825, died 7th Oct. 1846; Walter, shipowner, and alderman of the City of London, born 5th Aug. 1826, died 19th Oct.; James Battie, born 20th July 1827; Ann, born 15th Dec. 1828; Robert Thomson, born 27th June 1831, died 2nd Sept. 1858; Isabella, born 20th Oct. 1834; Alexander, born 20th March 1836; Elizabeth Durrie, born 9th Nov. 1837; David, born 27th March 1839; Mary Ann, born 10th June 1840, died 1st June 1853; William, born 22nd April 1842, died 24th Sept. 1877; Pannure, born 7th Feb. 1845, died 10th May 1870; and four others.

JOHN STEWART, born Ballindieck, Little Dunkeld, 23rd May 1852, son of Thomas S., farmer, and Jessie Forbes; educated at Drumour and Little Dunkeld Schools and Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (1879); was a certificated teacher in several schools; licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 18th May 1882; assistant at Fodderty and Blair Atholl; ord. (assistant and successor) 22nd Dec. 1885; died 18th Dec. 1921. He marr. 14th Nov. 1908, Annie Morris, daugh. of Charles Venters, Methil, Fife, and Janet Christie, and had issue: Janet May, born 21st Aug. 1909.

JOHN M'CORRIE RAY, formerly min. of Ardriehaig (*q.v.*); adm. 19th May 1922, 1922.

LOGIE, OR LOGIE MONTROSE, AFTERWARDS LOGIE-PERT.

[The parishes of Logie and Pert were united in or about 1612. The church was rebuilt in 1775 and 1841.]

Logie. The old church of Logie (restored in 1857 as a burial place for the Carnegies of Craig) was dedicated to St Martin. Near it are St Martin's Well and St Martin's Den.

Pert. The old church of Pert still stands ruined. The building is about forty-five feet long.]

WILLIAM GRAY, brother to Andrew 1563, G. of Dunnindall, a guid learned kynd man, who also kept an academy or school, at which James Melville attended for five years, describing his residence in the manse as "a happy and golden tyme," it being here that he first "fand the spirit of sanctification beginning to work some motiones in his heart"; was min. here in 1563; trans. to Pert in 1567, still having logic in charge; returned and was pres. to the parsonage and vicarage by James VI, 29th Feb. 1573. In 1574 Pert, Menmuir, and Fern were also in the charge; died before 22nd March 1603. He marr. Christian, daugh. of Cristal Lyall or Ogilvy, goodwife of Chatleton; she survived him, and marr. (2) Andrew Clayhills, min. of Moratti, [Reg. of Deeds, exxi., 263; G. R. Inhabit., xx., 116; Melville's Diary, 16.]

1574 JOHN WILSON, reader.

JOSHUA DURIE, M.A.; trans. from Forfar; pres. by James VI, 22nd March 1603; trans. to Second Charge, St Andrews, after 22nd Oct. 1606.

THOMAS MONTGOMERIE, adm. in 1607; died between 4th April 1644 and 15th May 1645. He marr. a lady who survived him, and had issue: James, bursar of Presb. in 1625.

PATRICK SYMONSON, son of Alexander 1645 S., min. of Laurinekirk; M.A. (King's College, Aberdeen, 1635); ord. preacher at Second Charge of Montrose 7th June 1643; nominated by the Presb. 16th Oct. 1645; inst. 10th Sept. 1646; died of old age Oct. 1690. He marr. 1645, and had issue: Patrick, min. of this parish.

PATRICK SYMONSON, son of preceding; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. 1677 (27th July 1676); recommended for ordination 1st Feb., and inst. (colleague) 23rd Aug. 1677; dem. 4th July 1716; died 5th Jan. 1722, aged about 63.

JAMES BELL, M.A. (Edinburgh, 12th May 1703), became chaplain to the 1717 Lord of Bemirstane, licensed by Presb. of Dundee 22nd Feb. 1710, called by the Presb. of Edinburgh, 1711, and ord. 26th Feb. 1717, died 12th Feb. 1739, aged about 57. He marr. May 1716, Elizabeth, daughter of William Arystonan, of Montrose, and had issue: James, and four others. Publication: *The Course of the Christian's Duty, brought down to the year of the birth-mass of Christ*, a sermon. Edinburgh, 1735.

WILLIAM TRAILL, M.A.; called 29th 1740 Aug., and ord. 16th Nov. 1740, trans. to Aberdeenshire 3rd June 1752.

WILLIAM CREDEN, born 1726, son of 1753 Alexander Cruden, died at Pitlochry, probably of the same family as Alexander Cruden, author of the *Congregationalist*, educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen, M.A. 1743, became teacher of English at Montrose, licensed by Presb. of Brechin 26th Sept. 1752, called 27th Dec. that year, ord. 12th Sept. 1753, dem. 16th June 1767 on appointment to the first Relief Meeting House, Glasgow, and parish declared vacant 1st July 1767, adm. to Scots Presbyterian Congregation, Crown Court, London, 1774, when he advised his congregation to return to the Church of Scotland, died 5th Nov. 1785, and was buried in Bunhill Fields, "a worthy minister." He marr. Clementina Hadden, and had issue: William, born 29th June 1759; John, born 13th June 1754; Elizabeth, born 29th Nov. 1756; James, born 24th Oct. 1760. Publications: - *Hymns on a Variety of Divine Subjects* (Aberdeen, 1761); revised as *Divine Hymns* (London, 1765); *A Virtue Spiritualized*, in a variety of Poems containing proems and practical observations on the works of Nature and the ordinary occurrences in life (London, 1766); *Sermons on Evangelical and Practical Subjects*, portraits (London, 1787); *Scots Mag.*, xxx, xxxviii, Wilson's *Hist. of Dissenting Churches*, iv, p. Jones's *Religious Memorials*, 3d; *Notes and Queries*, 2nd ser., iii, 47, 516; *Aberdeen Univ. Lit. Bulletin* 513 (April 1917).

DANIEL BRYCE, schoolmaster of Fowlis Wester, and a distinguished 1768 teacher, pres. by George III. 26th Aug. 1767, ord. 28th Jan. 1778, died 14th July 1784. He marr. 24th Sept. 1770, Mary Chalmers, who died 1st Sept. 1792.

ALEXANDER PETERS, M.A., D.D.; 1784 adm. 1st Dec. 1784, trans. to St John's, Dundee, 12th Oct. 1806.

JAMES FOOTE, M.A., pres. by George III. 7th July, and ord. 21st Dec. 1809, 1809, trans. to North Church, Aberdeen, 23rd June 1824.

THOMAS HILL, born 11th Aug. 1758, 1825 son of George Hill, D.D., Principal of Univ. of St Andrews, educated at Univ. there, licensed by Presb. of St Andrews 14th Sept. 1820, ord. to Balnafra 11th Sept. 1824; pres. by the Principal and Masters of St Mary's College, St Andrews, in July, trans. and adm. 22nd Sept. 1825, was suspended with nine others by the General Assembly, 30th July 1832 until 1st March 1843, for holding communion with the depositaries of Strichenbieg, died 1st Jan. 1864. Publications: - *A Discourse given before the First Session of the Public Worshipers professed in the Church of Leith, Part I.* Montrose, 1840; *A Discourse spoken at the Opening of the new Parish Church in Leith Port*, Montrose, 1844; *Address to the Parishioners* (Montrose, 1843); *Account of the Parish* (No. 81, Edinburgh).

ARCHIBALD BUCHANAN, born Ballater, 27th May 1817, third son of 1864 John B. and Elizabeth Sutherland, educated at High School and Univ. of Glasgow, assistant at St Clements, Dundee, ord. to Ladyland, Ayrshire, 8 pt. 1847, trans. to St Thomas's, Leith, 13th Feb. 1851, pres. by Queen Victoria 10th March, trans. and adm. 27th July 1864, died 2nd Aug. 1886. He marr. 1st 23rd Dec. 1851, Margaret, died 27th May 1861, daughter of James Mill and Elizabeth Guild, and had issue: Elizabeth Sutherland, deaconess, Church of Scotland, born 11th Sept. 1852; Jacobina Mill, born 2nd May 1854; Grace Marshall, born

26th Jan. 1856; Archibald, born 15th Nov. 1858; Margaret Mill, born 12th May 1861; (2) 5th July 1863, Anne Murray (died 24th Sept. 1896), daugh. of John Archibald.

JAMES LANDRETH, born Cupar Fife, 8th Aug. 1850, son of Peter L., some time min. of the Secession Church, Aberchirder, and Jessie Turnbull, youngest daugh. of Adam Thomson, D.D., min. of the Secession Church, Coldstream, and Isabella Turnbull; educated at Glasgow Academy, Univ. of Edinburgh, M.A. (1874), and United Presbyterian Theological Hall; licen. by United Presbyterian Presb. of Edinburgh in 1875; ord. to United Presbyterian Church, Maison Dieu, Brechin, 26th Jan. 1876; adm. by the General Assembly 2nd June 1884; adm. (assistant and successor) 18th Sept. that year; app. clerk of Presb. in 1905, Marr, (1) 28th Nov. 1889, Elizabeth (died s.p. 24th Sept. 1890), daugh. of Thomas Stewart, farmer, Ballinlack, Little Dunkeld, and Jessie Forbes; (2) 22nd May 1914, Janet Patton, daugh. of David Gorrie, farmer, Ardoch of Gallyery, Logie Pert, and Margaret Young, and has issue: James, born 3rd April 1915; David Peter, born 23rd Sept. 1917. Publications: *Brechin Cathedral: its History, with a Survey of the Religious Bodies that have worshipped on its Site* (Brechin, 1883); *The People's Church* (Montrose, 1885); *The Whole Family in Earth and Heaven* (Brechin, 1886); *The Future Church of Scotland* (Perth, 1897); *A Plot for Common Prayer in the Church of Scotland* (Edinburgh, 1898); *A Grampian Diary* (Paisley, 1921). [Peter Landreth's *Life of Dr Alexander Thomson*.]

PERT, or OVER INCHBRAYOCK.

[Was united to Logie in 1612. An Act of Parliament for building a central church was passed 12th March 1617, and ratified 4th July 1631.]

WILLIAM GRAY, min. here in 1567 with Logie-Montrose also in his charge; trans. to Logie in 1573.

ALEXANDER FRASER, min. in 1608; still min. 3rd April 1616.

MARYTON, OR OLD MONTROSE.

[The church of this parish was dedicated to St. Mary. Near it was St. Mary's Well. The church belonged to the Abbey of Arbroath. A new church was built in 1791.]

DAVID MELDRUM, reader and vicar in 1561. [*Coll. Gen. of Thirds*, 1561-95.]

RICHARD MELVILLE of Baldovie, born about 1522, second son of Richard M. of Baldovie, Forfarshire (who was killed at the Battle of Pinkie), and brother of Andrew, the Reformer, and Giles, daugh. of Thomas Abercrombie of Montrose; became tutor to James Erskine, son of the laird of Dun; studied theology in Germany and under Melanchthon; was one of those thought apt and able to minister by first General Assembly 20th Dec. 1560; adm. to Craig with this parish also in his charge in 1562; was a member of Assembly 29th June 1562; removed here in 1567, with Lunan, Inchbrayock (Craig), and St. Kaa or Dunnynaid in his charge; died June 1575, having been "a man of rare wisdom, judgment, and discretion, and therefore mikle employed in the trysts and offeares of the noble and gentlemen of the country, quilk distracted him fra his calling, hinderit his vertew and schortened his lyff. There was none of his rank, and verie few above it, that was sa honored and loven as he." He marr. Isabel Scrymgeour, sister of Henry S. of Glasswell, and had issue: Patrick of Baldovie; James, min. of Kilrenny, born 26th July 1556; David; Barbara (marr. James Balfour, min. of St. Giles, Edinburgh). [Melville's *Autobi.*; McCrie's *Melville*; Jervise's *Land of the Lindsays*, 346.]

JOHN MELVILLE, brother of preceding reader.

ANDREW STRACHAN, trans. from Inverkeilor in 1575; trans. to Dun in 1575 in 1583.

ANDREW LITCH, brother of James Litch, in St Andrews, pres. to the vicarage of Kilmar by James VI. 1585. Had David Appleby as his charge in 1590. Master of the Grammar School of Brechin that year, trans. and died before 1596, with Inchbervy in Brechin, and St Kevock in his charge. Litch and St Kevock were dropped in titles. He was a member of seven of seventeen Assemblies from 1596 to 1600, and of the Court of High Commission 15th Feb. 1600, died in Montreal 1 June 1611. He marr'd 1610 Isabella, daughter of Robert Duddon, and Mary Meldrum, and had issue: John, M.A. 1614; Andrew, M.A. 1621; David, Nicolas, marr'd Paul Somer, Christine (2nd cont. 22nd Dec. 1606), Magdalene Adamson, Montrose, widow of David Orme of Mugirian. *B. & T. Test.*, *1610-1620*, p. xvi, 67; *G. R. I. Lib.*, 19th May 1608, 27th March 1620, 3rd Dec. 1622; *Edin. Intell.*, 8th Sept. 1623; Black's *Lat. Lex.*, 45; *G. R. S. 83a*, viii, 102.]

RICHARD MELVILLE of Balovie, nephew of the Reformer, M.A. 81 1613 Andrews 1603, adm. before 25th Aug. 1613, died 1641, aged about 58, and had issue: Andrew of Balovie, min. of the parish. Patrick of Balovie, served heir to his brother Andrew 6th Dec. 1642. [Brontëana Miscell., iii.]

ANDREW MELVILLE of Balovie, 1639 son of preceding; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1630), ord. probably assistant and successor 22nd June 1630, died unmarried at Balovie April 1641, aged about 31.

JOHN LAMMIE, ord. 26th May 1642, suspended by Commission of Assembly 4th Oct. 1646, for actively promoting the views of David, Earl of Southesk, to be a member of the Assembly in 1638, as he had joined in the unlawful Enforcement against Earlbad, rec. adm. 23rd Nov. 1650, trans. to Farnell in 1673.

DAVID LINDSAY, born 1635, elder son of David L. min. of Rosebank 1673 educated at Univ. of St Andrews, pres. by Archbishop of St Andrews 1st

May 1633, recommended 5th June, and admitted 3rd July 1673, and 10th Sept. 1700. He marr'd 17th Dec. 1673, Cecil, daughter of Sir William Nicoll of Dean, and had issue: David in Montreal, died before 1st March 1719; William, Alex and in, died young; Cecil marr'd Hercules Skinner, merchant, Montreal; Katherine, died young. *L. & T. Test.*, *1673-1700*, viii, 150; *J. R. I. Lib.*, 1673, 1675, 1676, 1677, 1678, 1679, 1680, 1681, 1682, 1683, 1684, 1685, 1686, 1687, 1688, 1689, 1690, 1691, 1692, 1693, 1694, 1695, 1696, 1697, 1698, 1699, 1700, 1701, 1702.

GEORGE STEPHEN, born 1673, son of Robert Stephen of Airlie 1707, brou. by Friz. of Airlie, and Mary, 18th May 1698, ord. to Second Charge, Montreal, 23rd Dec. same year; called 16th Feb., trans. and adm. 10th June 1707, died 8th March 1724. He marr'd Mary Barclay, who died 3rd May 1723, and had issue: James, Robert, Elizabeth, Mary. *L. & T. Test.*, *1673-1700*, 1677.

CHARLES IRVINE, born 1657, said to be descended from the family 1726 of Drum, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, licensed by Presb. of Airooch 4th Aug. 1714, ord. to Larin 25th June 1715, called 1st June, trans. and adm. 14th Sept. 1726; died "a very poor man" 12th Aug. 1737. Owing to his strong support of the Hanoverian Government he had to take shelter in Edinburgh during the Rebellion of 1715. He marr'd Bethia Forbes, who died at Edinburgh, March 1759, aged 79, and had issue: two sons and three daughters. *P. & C. Test.*, *1715-1735*; *E. & C. Test.*, *1715-1735*; *Edinburgh, 1772*.

JAMES BEATTIE, son of Alexander Beattie, Haberton, and cousin of Dr 1738 Beattie, author of *The Minstrel*; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen, called 7th Aug., adm. 11th 26th Nov. 1738; died 25th Nov. 1777. He marr'd 22nd Dec. 1740, Margaret Farquharson, and had issue: Mary, born 21st Dec. 1741. *Frasers St. Muir's of Fife, Monteath, 1971*.

JAMES WILSON, pres. by George III. 2nd Jan., and ord. 24th June 1778; 1778 trans. to Farnell 24th Sept. 1794.

ANDREW FERGUSSON, born 18th March 1769, son of David F., min. of Farnell; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; M.A. (23rd March 1797); ord. assistant at Farnell 16th Oct. 1793; pres. by George III. in Feb., and adm. 17th March 1795. Joined the Free Church in 1843; died 24th Oct. 1843. Not being able on account of age and infirmity to travel to Edinburgh to sign the Deed of Demission, his signature was taken in his own house. He was on his way to take up residence at Ballovie, but was seized with sudden illness at Maryton farmhouse, where he died next day. He marr. 27th Dec. 1800, Elizabeth (died 4th Feb. 1827), daugh. of William Bruce, Episcopal min. at Arbroath, and had issue: David Scott, min. of Strachan, born 11th June 1808; Andrew Forbes, M.D., born 2nd Feb. 1811, died 24th April 1853.

WILLIAM REID, born Kirriemuir, 12th Sept. 1800, son of John R., school master, and Jean Milner; educated at Kirriemuir School and Marischal College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1820); licen. by Presb. of Dundee 7th Dec. 1829; became school-master at Mains and Strathmartine; pres. by Queen Victoria 22nd Aug., and ord. 26th Oct. 1843; clerk to Presb. 1848-52; died 25th July 1867. He marr. Margaret Bruce, who died 30th Dec. 1876, and had issue: William, born 16th April 1842, died 26th July 1860.

WILLIAM RUXTON FRASER, born Laurencekirk, 20th June 1832, son of William F., tailor, and Mary Ruxton; educated at Laurencekirk School, Grammar School, and King's College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1852); became school-master at Auchterhouse in 1854; licen. by Presb. of Dundee in 1857; assistant at Lundie and Fowlis; pres. by Queen Victoria 20th Aug., and ord. 28th Nov. 1867; died unmarr. 7th April 1897. Publications: *History of the Parish and Burgh of Laurencekirk* (Edinburgh, 1880); *St Mary's of Old Montrose, or Parish of Maryton* (Edinburgh, 1896).

RICHARD HENDERSON, M.A., B.D.;
1803 ord. (assistant and successor) 1st Nov. 1803; trans. to Longside 11th Aug. 1904.

JOHN DAWSON MCLEAN, born 22nd July 1870, son of Alexander M., min. of Strachan; educated at Milne's Institution, Fochabers, and Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A. (1892); B.D. (1893); licen. by Presb. of Kincardine O'Neil 3rd May 1893; student missionary at Greyfriars Parish, Aberdeen; assistant at Slains, Dalziel, and St Andrew's, Perth; ord. to St Modan's Chapel, Falkirk, 15th Aug. 1899; trans. and adm. 5th Jan. 1905.

MENMUIR.

[The church of Menmuir was dedicated to St Aidan. Not far from it was St Aidan's Well. A new church was built in 1767.]

JAMES MELVILLE, trans. from Tannadice in 1568; member of 1568 Assembly 6th Aug. 1571; trans. to St Vigeans between 12th Aug. 1573 and 6th March 1573-4.

ANDREW ELDER, vicar and reader 1569 in 1569. [Acts and Dec., xli, 300.]

JOHN LINDSAY, called parson in 1584. 1584 [Bannif Charters, 64, 97.]

JOHN MAN, min. of Lethnot in 1589; 1590 trans. and adm. after 1590; pres. by James VI. 13th Sept. 1598; still min. 3rd Feb. 1636.

THOMAS COUPER, M.A.; trans. from 1639 Saline and adm. before 2nd April 1639; trans. to Montrose 16th June 1642.

GEORGE HALYBURTON, M.A.; 1642 pres. by General Assembly 1st Aug., and adm. 15th Nov. 1642; attended the army at Newcastle in 1643; trans. to Second Charge, Perth, 4th Aug. 1644.

DAVID CAMPBELL, born 1716, died 1744, son of Colin Campbell, minister of Univ. of St. Andrews, M.A. 26th May 1696, adm. 12th Dec. 1697, had no recess from 15th Feb. to 15th Aug. 1707, because the enemy were still in the fields, so that the minister did not have seen in the parish induction on 17th Nov. of that year because the enemy, whose number had increased, were in the parish. He was supplied by the Presb. 28th May 1708 to 20th July to the army, and 8th Aug. 1708 to attend the Earl of Argyll's Regiment for a month, died June 1709. He marr'd Margaret Livingston, who died in Fife about 1710, and had issue: Colin of Balquidder, James, who married her. (*P. C. Rec.*, 3rd ser. v. 351.)

JAMES CAMPBELL, son of preceding, educated at St. Leonard's College, 169—
170 St. Andrews, M.A. 27th July 1706, adm. to trial 28th Sept. 1683, recommended by Presb. of Brechin for Hon. Lt. Col. 1683, intruded her. Lt. Col. was deposed, died at Balquidder in the parish 1709, aged about 61. (*Dab. of T. Test.*)

JAMES ROBERTSON, M.A., ord. 2nd Sept. 1701, trans. to Crathie 23rd March 1709.

JOHN DUNBAR, educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen, born by Presb. of Forfar 27th March 1706, ord. 23rd Nov. 1709, died 18th July 1744. He marr'd 20th Aug. 1717, Elizabeth, died 26th June 1768, daughter of Thomas Ogilvie, minister of Corpach Angus; she marr'd 2. Thomas Ogilvie of Corfa, and had issue: Margaret, Elizabeth, Katherine, Anne, John, Robert, David. (*Dab. of T. Test.*)

GEORGE OGILVY, born 1715, son of George, minister of Kirriemuir, born by Presb. of Forfar 6th July 1707, ord. to Certyfachy 22nd Dec. that year, pres. by the Hon. David Erskine of Dun, Lord of Session, in Jan., trans. and adm. 22nd Aug. 1745, died 9th Aug. 1779. He marr'd,

1. Elizabeth Crawford, who died 13th Sept. 1749, 2. 13th Sept. 1756, 1. 1751 Yeoman, who died 12th Dec. 1751, and had issue: 1. George, appointed to the W.S. 1760, born 29th Sept. 1752, died 20th Aug. 1793, 2. 1753, Alexander, born 11th Sept. 1755, 3. 1756, xxviii. 1757.

JAMES CAMPBELL, son of Robert 1770—
 6th of Lally, Kirkcudbright, born by the Presb. of Brechin, 28th Sept. 1736, educated in Aberdeen University, the Free Church of Scotland, 1756, pres. by John Fulton of Dun in Nov. 1756, with a student of the law, 1st Dec. 1759, and 11th Dec. 1763, H. marr'd Ann Darward, who died 12th Nov. 1764, and had issue: Robert, born 11th May 1777, 1. 2nd wife, 2. 11th May 1787, Colin, who died Jan. 1784.

JOHN WATSON, born 27th Aug. 1716, son of Rev. Mr. Watson of Westmead and Hilton, curate of the Parish of Edinburgh, born by Presb. of Brechin 29th April 1683, pres. by John Erskine of Dun in Jun., and died in the Oct. 1753, and 7th July 1764. He marr'd 19th Nov. 1753, Frances Elizabethe Gregory, who died 28th May 1827. Erskine, 1st Vicar of the Parish, Souter, 1816, d. 1827.

WILLIAM CRON, born Dundee, born 1787, son of John Cron, and 1825—
 1. James Irvine, 2. 1830, in the family of Sir Thomas Erskine, Justice of Ward, he was educated by Presb. of Arbroath 3rd Dec. 1812, pres. by Alexander Erskine of Dun in 1824, ord. 21st April 1827, adm. 22nd May 1828.

MARK LOUDEN ANDERSON, ord. 22nd Sept. 1816, trans. to Second 1850—
 Charge, St. Andrews, 22nd July 1856.

JAMES LAING THOMSON, born New Pittenweem 30th Sept. 1818, son 1875—
 of James T. and Margaret Laing, educated at New Pittenweem School, Grammar School, and Univ. of Aberdeen. M.A. (1860), B.D. 1884, licensed by Presb. of

Aberdeen, 4th Feb. 1873; assistant at Gamrie, St. Enoch's, Dundee, and at St. Cyrus, ord. 27th Sept. 1875; died 10th Oct. 1902. He marr. 3rd May 1877, Eliza Ann (died 19th April 1887), daugh. of James Lair, farmer, and Elspeth Wilcox, and had issue: James Linton, min. of Peterculter, born 19th April 1878; George Eddie, min. of Murthly, born 8th June 1880; Margaret Wilcox, born 11th Feb. 1883, died 11th June 1884; William, M.A., B.D., M.B., min. of Caledonian Church, Holloway, and medical practitioner, London, born 7th May 1885.

ALEXANDER HANNAY MILLRATH, 1903 M.A., ord. 25th March 1903; trns. to Kinghorn 19th April 1908.

DAVID AVENEL VIPONT [formerly MELVILLE ANDERSON], born 1908 Whaw (now Armatdale), Auckland, New Zealand, 5th March 1864, only son of Andrew Anderson, min. at Armatdale, New Zealand, 1865-6, afterwards of the Free Church, Cowdenbeath, Fife, and Eliza Whyte; educated at High School, Dunfermline, and Univ. of Edinburgh; Rec'd. by Presb. of Edinburgh 27th Nov. 1886, assistant at North Berwick; ord. to Annabank 28th Sept. 1895; app. to St Ninian's Mission, Edinburgh, in 1898; app. to Townhill Chapel, Dunfermline, 27th Oct. 1904; dem. 1907; adm. here 26th Aug. 1908, died 27th Nov. 1922. He marr. (1) 21st April 1897, Jane Florence Clark (died 15th Feb. 1906), daugh. of George Mackay, M.A., min. of Presbyterian Church, Whitehaven, Cumberland, and Helen Cowan Eddie, and had issue: Olga Florence Gladys, born 12th April 1898, died 26th Feb. 1902; Helena Frances Charteris Avenel, born 11th Oct. 1899; Ermyntrude Rose Muriel Soulis Morville, born 6th April 1901; Roland Seaward Alan Avenel, born 21st Feb. 1903; Francis George Malise Avenel, born 21st Feb. 1903; (2) 5th March 1907, Flora Anna Laing, eldest daugh. of Duncan Macdonald, min. of Kirkmichael, Perthshire. Assumed name of Vipont in lieu of paternal surname of Anderson, with official recognition of Lyon King-of-Arms, 21st Nov. 1899.

WILLIAM BUCHANAN, born Auchincruive, 17th Sept. 1890, son of George 1923 B. and Anne Stewart; educated at Lesmahagow Higher Grade School, and Univ. of Glasgow; licenc. by Presb. of Lanark Dec. 1921; assistant at Larbert, ord. 20th April 1923. Marr. 11th Sept. 1923, Jessie Munson Bowie, daugh. of George and Helen Porter.

MONTROSE.

[The church of Montrose was dedicated to St John the Evangelist. In it there were altars of St Bride and St Sebastian. The parish was a prebend of Brechin. There were within the bounds chapels of the Holy Rood and St John the Baptist. There were also Wells of the Holy Rood and St Fergus. A Second Charge for the parish was erected in the sixteenth century. St Mary's Convent of the Black Friars at Montrose was founded by Alan Durward in 1230. A Roodmas Fair was held at Montrose.]

FIRST CHURCH.

THOMAS ANDERSON, schoolmaster 1568 in the town, stated by his pupil James Melville to have been esteemed "the best maister in his tyme, howbeit nocht the maid Jeunit"; adm. before 11th Sept. 1569; died 1585, "being aged and unable," and "a man of mean gifts but of singular guid lyf." [Zurich Letters; Melville's Autobiog., 22, 38.]

JOHN CRAIG, trans. from St Giles, Edinburgh, in 1571; trans. to Aberdeen 1571 6th Aug. 1573.

JOHN DURIE, born Mauchline, 1537; 1585 educated at Ayr; through the influence of his cousin George, Abbot of Dunfermline, became a conventional brother in that abbey, but falling under suspicion of heresy, was condemned to be shut up till he died. On the Reformation taking place, he escaped through the influence of James, Earl of Arran, and became exhorter at Restalrig between 1563 and 1567; was min. at Hailes (Colinton) in

1609, trans. to St. Swithin, 1st May 1610; trans. to St. Giles, Edinburgh, before 6th Aug. 1633. (Born here in 1585, he was a member of the Assembly of 1586, 1587, 1588, 1589, 1590, and 1591, by a petition of 21 Feb. granted to him, out of the lands of Alyre, 7th Aug. 1590, for his services in advancing the publick affairs of the Church for many years, died 29th Feb. 1600.) He marr'd Marjorie, daughter of Sir John Marjoribanks, Provost of Edinburgh. He survived her, and had issue, John Graham, of Inverkeilor, Robert, marr'd Ainslie, Simeon, marr'd of Atherton, Christian, marr'd George Geddes, Archbishop of St. Andrews, Elizabeth, marr'd James McEvill, min. of Kilrenny, & deth. marr'd John Dykes, min. of Kildrummy. [McEvill's *Autobiog.*, 1678 (*of Presb.*, iii. 551, iv. 311, *Eccles. Tests.*)]

SAMUEL RAMSAY, min. of Glamis in 1595; trans. and adm. in 1601, died 1601 April 1631. He left his books and gown to Andrew Collier, min. of Eccle's greig [St. Cynes], and £40 to the poor of the parish. He marr'd Janet Moncur (died 1625, aged 56), widow of William Hali burton, burgess of Dundee, and had issue, John; Anna (marr'd cont. 1621, James Govan, min. of Blackford); [Buchanan *Tests.*; Monteith's *M. & T.*, 226; *Reg. of Recd.*, Sept., viii., 1599; *Reg. of Deeds*, ccclxxviii., 56, 57.]

ARCHIBALD SYMMER, adm. before 18th Dec. 1631, still min. before 1631 Dec. 1633. He had issue, Archibald; Grizell.

JAMES DUNCAN, M.A., St. Andrews 1625, adm. before 12th Nov. 1633, died Aug. 1641, aged about 36. He marr'd Jean, deth. of David Lindley of Dunkenny, Bishop of Edinburgh; she survived him and marr'd (2) cont. 26th March 1649, Patrick Aire, burgess of Dundee, and had issue, David, born 6th Sept. 1634; James, Athertine (deth.), born 25th Feb. 1636; Jean, Mary, Catherine. [Inq. Rec. *Fairfir*, 270, *Fairfir Sac.*, iii., 100.]

THOMAS COOPER, son of Thomas C., burgess of Edinburgh, educated at Univ. there, M.A. 23rd July 1625; on Exercise at Perth 11th Dec. 1627, adm. to Saline before 21st June 1634, tried, to Montrose, before 2nd April 1636, trans. and adm. 12th June 1632, died "of grief" 28th March 1632, aged about 56. He marr'd, died Aug. 1672, deth. of Robert Burrell marr'd Cooper, Perth, a reputed witch, and had issue, James, Eliza, Janet (marr'd Theodore Umphray, min. of Netherg), *Buchanan Tests.*

DAVID STRACHAN, born 1611, eldest 1632, son of David S., Bishop of Brechin; educated at Univ. of St. Andrews, 25th July 1637, adm. in 1632, died 2nd July 1672. He marr'd deth. of James McEvill of Dysart, and had issues—Margaret, bapt. 14th June 1633, died 29th May 1676; James, bapt. 30th May 1633; David, bapt. 13th July 1638. [*Time of Strachan and Wise*, sc.]

DAVID LYELL, born 1634, son of Walter Lyell of Balhall, hereditary town clerk of Montrose, and Margaret Hamilton of Bonland; educated at King's College, Aberdeen, M.A. 1653, licens'd by Presb. of Brechin 10th July 1653, ord. to Banffshire-Devonick before 18th Oct. 1658; trans. to Third Charge, Aberdeen, 1660; trans. and adm. before 3rd April 1673, elected to Trinity Parish, Edinburgh, 18th Dec. 1678, but did not accept, died March 1696. He had "a thundering way of preaching." He left £100 to the poor. He marr'd shortly after 17th Nov. 1658, Mary (died 1689), deth. of Sir James Sandilands of St. Monans, and Agnes, deth. of Sir David Carnegie, first Earl of Southesk, and had issue, James of Balhall, adv. etc., died Feb. 1696; Patrick of Balhall, died 1703; Anne, Mary.—*Brechin Tests.*; *Inq. Rec. Fairfir*, 541; *trans.*, 7703; *Reg. of Recd.*, Durie, 27th Feb. 1637.]

WILLIAM ARROTT, son of Andrew 1637 A. of Dunbarrow, educated at St Leonard's College, St. Andrews; M.A. 25th July 1656, passed trials before

Presb. of Forfar and recommended for licence 1st Dec. 1680; adm. to Church Kirk 31st Aug. 1682; received into communion by the Presb. of Lander 12th Oct. 1691; called 26th June 1696; adm. 6th Jan. 1697; died (after a lengthened illness) 15th Aug. 1730, aged about 73. He marr. Magdalene Oliphant, who survived him, and had issue Andrew, min. of Dunnichen; Margaret (marr. John Williamson, min. of Second Charge, Dundee); Elizabeth (marr. James Bell, min. of Logie-Pert). [*Brechin Test.*; Allan's *Hist. of Chatren Kirk*, 184-91.]

JOHN COUPER, born 1697, son of **1731** Matthew C., min. of Kinfauns, and chaplain to John, Duke of Atholl; ord. to Second Charge 24th Sept. 1724; pres. by George II, 19th Oct. 1730; trans. and adm. 20th April 1731; retired from public duty in 1761, and his charge supplied by licentiates till 1764; died at Nether Caldhaune 21st Jan. 1774, leaving all his estate to Elizabeth Pratt, his servant. [*Brechin Test.*]

CHARLES NISBET, born 21st Jan. **1764** 1736, third son of William N., schoolmaster at Long Yester, East Lothian; educated at High School and Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (1754); licens. by Presb. there 24th Sept. 1760; became preacher at Gorbeds Chapel-of-Ease in 1760; res. in 1762; pres. by George III, 25th Nov. 1763; called 25th Jan., and ord. (assistant and successor) 17th May 1764; D.D. (College of New Jersey, Nov. 1783). During the American War he espoused the Colonial cause in such a way as to make his position at home uncomfortable. Because he absented himself for some time and visited America, the Presb. resolved, 3rd Aug. 1785, that if he did not return, or if they had not notice of his being on the way to Britain, they would declare the charge vacant 5th Oct. that year. This was done. He was elected President of Dickinson College, Carlisle, Pennsylvania, 1786; died 18th Jan. 1804. He left his library to Princeton College, New Jersey. His course of theological lectures was the first of the kind to be delivered in America; he

lectured also on classics and philosophy, in which subjects he was a considerable proficient. He marr. 18th June 1766, Anne (bapt. 11th Jan. 1735, died 12th May 1807), daugh. of Thomas Tweedie of Quarter and Kingledores, Peeblesshire, and Mary Stevenson, and had issue Thomas, born 8th April 1767; Mary, born 2nd April 1769; William, born 1st Feb. 1771; Alison, born 28th May 1773; Ann twin, born 28th May 1773; Elizabeth, born 2nd March 1775; Alexander, judge at Baltimore, born 26th July 1777; Charles, born 18th Aug. 1780. Publications: *Address to the Students of Dickinson College, Carlisle* (Edinburgh, 1786); *Miscellaneous Writings* (1806). [*Memoir by Samuel Miller, D.D., of Princeton* (New York, 1840); Kay's *Portraits*, i.; Scott's *Mag.*, lxx.; *Dict. Nat. Biog.*; *Hist. of the Tweedie Family*, 166; Appleton's *Cyclo. of American Biog.*]

ALEXANDER MOLLISON, born **1735** 1749, son of James M., Kinnell, Forfarshire; educated at King's College, Aberdeen; M.A. 1767; licens. by Presb. of Kirkcaldy 1st Sept. 1773; ord. to Second Charge 8th Feb. 1774; pres. by George III, 20th Oct., trans. and adm. 17th Nov. 1785; died 19th Feb. 1825. He marr. Anna Lyon, who died 4th Feb. 1795, and had issue Jean, born 29th Sept. 1799 (marr. 23rd May 1791, James Mitchell, min. of Second Charge); Alexander, merchant, Glasgow, born 15th Jan. 1772; James, M.D., Edinburgh, born 1st Dec. 1774; George Crawford, M.A., licentiate of the Church, born 16th Aug. 1777. Publication: *Account of the Parish* (Sinclair's *Stat. Acc.*, v.). [Low's *Memorials of the Parish Church of Montrose*, 70.]

ROBERT SMITH, born 1st Aug. **1825** 1788, son of Theophilus S., farmer, Stanley; educated at Dunning School and Unive. of St Andrews and Edinburgh; became tutor in the families of Bruce of Kennet and Dundas of Arniston; licens. by Presb. of Dalkeith 4th Aug. 1812; ord. (assistant and successor) to Borthwick 22nd July 1814; trans. to Newtyle 24th Sept. 1818; joint clerk to Synod of Angus and Mearns 22nd April

1823 to 1826 pres. by George IV, 6th June, trans. and adm. 15th Sept. 1826; D.D. St Andrews, 1st Nov. 1830; died 10th May 1873. He was an 18th Oct. 1818, Elizabeth, accidentally killed at Waverley Station, Edinburgh, 10th Aug. 1830, aged 11 years old, daughter of Alexander Thomson, Leithburgh, and wife, a sort of some painted work, and had issue: Isabella, born 1st Aug. 1819, marr. 13th Sept. 1838, James Wilson, wool merchant, Earlston; died 18th Jan. 1862; Margaret Marshall, born 21st Oct. 1820; Theophilus, minister Temple, born 12th March 1822; Elizabeth, born 3rd April 1824; Alexander Thomson, born 24th Feb. 1826; Robert, man of St Clement's, Dundee, born 27th May 1827; Mary Ann, born 10th Jan. 1829; Sylvia, born 29th Oct. 1830; Edward Leitch, born 29th Nov. 1832; Frederick, born 26th April 1835; Frances, born 6th April 1837; James, baptiste of the Church, born 2nd Jan. 1839. Publications: *Hints for Heroes, or the True Friends of Gospel Preaching* (Montrose, 1820); *Observations at the Commencement of a New Year* (Montrose, 1823); *A Address on the Grounds of the late Success in Montrose, 1843*; *A Address to a Young Clergyman of Montrose, 1846*; *Instructions to Men* (Montrose, 1853) [jointly with Dr Peterson]; Account of the Parish *Von Stat. A. M.*

COLIN McCULLOCH, pres. by Queen Victoria 31st Aug., trans. from 1853 Denny 22nd Dec. 1853; trans. to East Parish, Aberdeen, 26th June 1862.

GEORGE STEWART BURNS, pres. by Queen Victoria 28th Oct. 1862; trans. from 1863 Houston 12th Feb. 1863; trans. to St Mungo's, Glasgow, 22nd June 1865.

MALCOLM CAMPBELL TAYLOR, pres. by Queen Victoria 7th July, 1865 and trans. from New Kirk and Parish (Greyfriars), Dumfries, 28th Sept. 1865; trans. to Crathie 6th June 1867.

DONALD MACLEOD, D.D.; pres. by Queen Victoria 18th July, trans. from 1867 Greyfriars, Dumfries, 15th Nov. 1867; res. on appointment to St Marks Chapel, Dundee, 16th June 1870.

WILLIAM EWAN BULL GUNN, 1870 election of William G., soldier, Africander; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; ord. to Newton-upon-Ayr 17th Jan. 1867; trans. to Anderston, Glasgow, 21st Dec. 1868; pres. by Queen Victoria 22d June, trans. and adm. 25th Sept. 1870; res. on appointment to St Andrews Church, Rodney Street, Liverpool, 30th Oct. 1873. He joined the Church of England, deacon in 1878; priest in 1879; vicar of Ellement, Cheshire, died 19th Sept. 1911. He marr. 1. 18th July 1876; 2. 15th Nov. 1881, Sophie M. Chatton.

ROBERT DUNCAN, born Blackburn, 1874 Layaston, 30th March 1837, son of George D. and Jane Muirhead; educated at Layaston School and Leith School and Univ. of Edinburgh; licens. by Presb. of Edinburgh, assistant at Pathhead, Kirkcaldy, ord. to Middle Parish, Paisley, 7th May 1868; pres. by Queen Victoria 8th Nov. 1873; trans. and adm. 29th Feb. 1874; died 29th Oct. 1893.

JAMES NIBLOCK STUART, born 1891 Avallane House, Co. Monaghan, Ireland, 14th April 1841, son of James N. of Corrigan, and Mary, only child of John Stuart of Edenderry, educated at Classical Seminary, Monaghan, Queens Univ. and Presb. College, Belfast; B.A. (Dublin) 1863; licens. by Presb. of Balliboy 6th June 1866; ord. to Newry 30th March 1867; adm. to Comber, Ireland, 17th June 1873; trans. to Newark, Port Glasgow, 7th Aug. 1877; trans. to Yester 25th July 1878; trans. to South Dulwich, London, 4th Feb. 1886; trans. to North Church, Stirling, 17th Jan. 1889; trans. and adm. 12th July 1894; died at Edinburgh 26th July 1921. He marr. 11th June 1869, Eliza, died 27th June 1915, daughter of Joseph Gray of Rockfield, Monaghan, and Elizabeth Smith, and has issue: William Johnston Smith, insurance manager, born 6th Aug. 1871; Elizabeth Marion, born 13th May 1874; Caroline Louise, born 24th April 1876; James in Woods Service, South Africa, born 6th March 1878; Julia Evelyn, born 18th June 1880; Joseph Gray, electrical engineer,

born 22nd Aug. 1881; John Herbert, Colonial Service, Nairobi, British East Africa, born 25th Feb. 1884. N. assumed the surname of Stuart with official recognition of Lyon King of Arms 24th Nov. 1882. Publications: *John Knox; Fallen Empires of the World; st Paul at Rome, Corinth, etc., with other historical discourses.*

JOHN STEWART ROBERTSON, born 1918 Banffshire, 1899, son of John R., agricultural engineer, and Margaret Fordyce; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1892), B.D. (1905); licen. by Presb. of Glasgow 10th May 1905; assistant at Barony, Glasgow; ord. to High Kirk, Kilmarnock, 24th Oct. 1907; trans. to Wallacetown, Dundee, 10th Feb. 1911; trans. and adm. (assistant and successor) 17th May 1918. He marr. 25th Jan. 1911, Euphemia Clark, daugh. of James Robertson, builder, and Agnes Robertson.

SECOND CHARGE.

[The date when a second minister was first appointed is not known. At different times prior to 1650 he is referred to in the Presb. Records as "Preachour of God's Word at the Kirk of Monrose."]

JOHN BEATTIE, reader in 1593; trans. 1596 to Inchbrayock (Craig), 1571.

GEORGE GLEDSTANES, reader, 1586-7; ord. to Ecclescraig 23rd July 1585.

JOSHUA DURIE, M.A.; min. in 1594; 1594 trans. to Forfar in 1596.

JOHN OSWALD, M.A.; adm. before 1626 29th Jan. 1626; trans. to Pencaitland 7th July 1629.

JAMES GRANGER, M.A.; min. from Martinmas 1635 to Martinmas 1640; afterwards min. of Kinneff.

WILLIAM FORBES, servitor to the Earl of Montrose; ord. 20th Nov. 1640; trans. to Inverurie 14th Jan. 1643.

PATRICK SYMONS, ord. 7th June 1643; inst. to Logic-Pert 10th Sept. 1646.

JOHN RAIT, M.A.; ord. 23rd Dec. 1647; trans. to Inverkeilor after 5th Sept. 1650.

JAMES MIDDLETON, called June 1650; ord. 17th March 1650; trans. to Longforgan 18th Dec. 1661.

[**JAMES FITHE**, preacher at Leith; 1663 app. 8th March 1663, but ord. to Mains and Strathmartine May 1663.]

JAMES STRACHAN, app. in 1663; 1663 dem. Feb. 1668; afterwards min. of Oyne.

GEORGE STRACHAN, M.A.; adm. 1669 24th April 1669; trans. to Old Machar before 15th Feb. 1672.

ALEXANDER MYLNE, M.A.; adm. 1672 11th Feb. 1672; trans. to Benholme 23rd July 1684.

JOHN MHNE, son of William M., tailor, Aberdeen; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; passed trials before Presb. of Fordoun and had testimonial for ordination 17th Nov. 1669; ord. to Garvock 2nd March 1670; trans. and adm. Oct. 1684; deprived by Privy Council for nonjuriancy in 1695; had a meeting house at Inverarity in 1701; died Sept. 1710. He marr. June 1670, Elizabeth Milne of the parish of Fetteresso, and had issue: Robert, admitted burgess of Montrose 9th Sept. 1690; Jean (marr. cont. 1st and 6th July 1707, Thomas Thomson, notary at Chancery Inn). [*Brechin Test.;* *Reg. of Deeds*, Mack., 20th Aug. 1730.]

GEORGE STEPHEN, called 19th and 1698 by Presb. *jure devoluto* 21st Sept., and ord. 27th Dec. 1698; trans. to Maryton 10th June 1707.

JAMES FRALLE, born Baundister, near Ludford, Ireland, 1684; son of William Farmer, man of Bothwick, educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. 29th June 1700; called 2nd Nov. 1708; ord. 2nd Feb. 1709; having obtained a sume towards building an Episcopal chapel in the parish, he was rebuked by the Presb. in 1718 for encouraging malignants; died of a broken heart 25th March 1723. He marr. Nov. 1713, Christian, died at Brechin Sept. 1747; daughter of John Allardice, provost of Aberdeen, and had issue—John, student at Aberdeen, 1728; Agnes marr. Alexander Thomson, book-seller, Aberdeen; Susanna, born 1729 (marr. 1739), James C. Chalmers, printer, Aberdeen, and founder of the *Aberdeen Journal*, son of James C., Professor of Divinity in Marischal College, died 1791. [See her *Postscript*; Wodrow's *Chronicle*; Lord Grithrie's *Times and Trial Acrostic* (portrait), 40, 427.]

JOHN COUPER, called 4th June, and
1724 ord. 23rd Sept. 1724; trans. to First Charge 29th April 1731.

WILLIAM HOPPER, a native of Berwickshire, chaplain to the Laird of Allanbank; licen. by Presb. of Kelso 7th Oct. 1729; called 17th June 1731; pres. by Town Council 1st Feb., and ord. 7th Feb. 1732; dep. for immorality 21st Nov. 1733.

GEORGE AITKEN, educated at St 1735 Salvators College, St Andrews; M.A. 3rd May 1721; licen. by Presb. of Kirkcaldy 28th Nov. 1728; called 17th Sept. 1734; ord. 26th Jan. 1735; died 24th Aug. 1775, aged about 74. He marr. (1) 29th April 1735, Margaret, died 5th Dec. 1763, daughter of William Burnet of Criggie; (2) 6th Nov. 1764, Margaret Mudge, who died 23rd April 1783. [See her *Postscript*; Douglas' *Biography*, 43.]

ALEXANDER MOLLISON, M.A., 1776 pres. by Town Council 4th Dec. 1775; ord. 8th Feb. 1776; trans. to First Charge 17th Nov. 1785.

JAMES MITCHELL, born 1763, educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 30th July 1783; became chaplin to Williblame, Lady Glenorchy, ord. 22nd June 1784 to Presbyterian congregation at South Shields, pres. by Town Council in May, and admis. 22nd June 1785. On account of certain local difficulties, chiefly "because he could not persuade the members of the guild of setting oil of a Sabbath," he dem. 13th Feb. 1803. He accepted charge of the Scots congregation at Wooler, and died there 26th Oct. 1835. His classical attainments were of a high order. Whilst a divinity student he was tutor to Sir Walter Scott, who thus writes of him in his Autobiographical fragments: "He was a young man of excellent disposition and a laborious student. From him I learned writing and arithmetic. I repeated to him my French lessons, and studied with him my themes in the classics. I also acquired by disperting with him (for this he readily permitted) some knowledge of school divinity and church history, and a great acquaintance in particular with the old books describing the early history of the Church of Scotland, the wars and sufferings of the Covenanters, and so forth. I, with a head on fire for chivalry, was a Cavalier, my friend was a Roundhead; I was a Tory, and he was a Whig. I hated Presbyterians, and admired Montrose with his victorious Highlanders; he liked the Presbyterian Ulysses, the dark and politic Aryle, so that we never wanted subjects of dispute; but our disputes were always amicable." In 1796 Scott paid him a visit at Montrose and spent the night. "Few visits have been more gratifying," says Mr. — "Impressed with the conviction that he would one day arrive at honour and influence in his native country, I endeavoured to improve the occasion to secure his patronage in behalf of the strict and evangelical party in the Church of Scotland, in exerting himself to induce patrons to grant to the Christian people liberty to elect their own pastors in cases of vacancy. His answer struck me much; it was: 'Nay, nay, Mr Mitchell, I'll not do that; for it that were

to be done, I and the like of me would have no life with such as you,' from which I inferred he thought that, were the evangelical clergy to obtain the superiority, they would introduce such strictness of discipline as would not quadrate with the ideas of that party called *the moderate* in the Church of Scotland, whose views, I presume, Sir Walter had now adopted.' M. left in MS. "Memorials of the most remarkable occurrences and transactions of my life," one chapter of which was devoted to his association with Scott and the Scott family, and was used by Lockhart in the *Life*. He marr. 23rd May 1791, Jean (died 1848), daugh. of Alexander Mollison, min. of the First Charge, and had issue James, born 15th Oct. 1792; Alexander, indigo planter, Tirhoot, born 8th Dec. 1797; Jean, born 5th April 1802. [Lockhart's *Scott* (Edinburgh Edition), i. 31, 113-24, 275.]

JAMES ESDAILE, pres. by Town Council in June, and ord. 11th Aug. 1805; trans. to East Church, Perth, 29th Nov. 1810.

JOSEPH PATERSON, born Aberdeen, 1811 17th Jan. 1779, son of Alexander P., Aberdeen; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; M.A. (31st March 1797) tutor to Lord Byron; licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen 8th May 1805; app. schoolmaster of Fintray in 1809; elected by the Town Council 22nd Dec. 1810; ord. 18th April 1811; D.D. (Aberdeen, March 1821); died 24th April 1871. In 1858 he was presented at a banquet with his portrait, subscribed for by people of all denominations. In making his reply he struck a fine note when he said, with tenderness, "Since I came to Montrose a new generation has arisen, but it cannot be said that they 'knew not Joseph.'" He marr. 6th June 1814, Janet (died 14th Sept. 1854, aged 73), daugh. of Robert Hunter, Dundee, and had issue Jane Scott, born 14th April 1815; Elizabeth Crawford, born 5th Sept. 1816, died 19th July 1845; Robert, student of medicine, born 29th Dec. 1817, died 6th Nov.

1837; Mary, born 4th April 1819; Susan Scott, born 28th Oct. 1820; Alexander McNaughtane, born 26th March 1822, died 31st March 1851; Janet, born 21st Jan. 1825 (marr. Andrew Spence, Broughty Ferry), died 1st Jan. 1860. Publication (jointly with Dr Smith) Account of the Parish (*New Stat. Acc.*, xi.). [Dr William Mair's *My Life*, 56.]

JOHN METHVEN ROBERTSON,
1871 M.A.; trans. from Dunnichen 12th Oct. 1871; trans. to Stow 17th July 1873.

GEORGE BROWN, trans. from Newtyle
1873 25th Sept. 1873; trans. to Bendochy 6th July 1875.

WILLIAM WORKMAN, trans. from
1875 Fullarton 2nd Dec. 1875; trans. to Stow 29th April 1882.

HUGH CAMERON, ord. 14th Sept.
1882 1882; trans. to Newington, Edinburgh, 8th June 1898. (Cf. Vol. I., p. 86.) Publication *Prayers for Use in Public Worship* (Edinburgh, 1921).

HUGH CALLAN, born Ayr, 13th Aug.
1899 1860, son of Thomas C. and Freebairn Dickie; educated at Wallace-town School, Ayr Academy, and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1885); Interim Modern Languages Master at Ayr Academy in 1880; Modern Languages Master at Bellahouston Academy in 1885-6; English and Botany Master at West End Girls' School, Glasgow, 1886-7; licen. by Presb. of Glasgow in 1887; assistant at St Andrew's Parish, Glasgow, and Deputy Chaplain to Barlinnie Prison; ord. to Catrine 8th Nov. 1893; trans. and adm. 13th Jan. 1899; died 13th Aug. 1924. He marr. 19th March 1901, Jessie Dickie, daugh. of Sir John McDowell, Piraeus, Greece. Publications *Wanderings on Wheel and on Foot through Europe* (London, 1887); *The Story of Jerusalem* (Edinburgh, 1890); *From the Clyde to the Jordan* (Glasgow, 1895); *Memorial Sermon and Appreciation* (Montrose, 1909); *Heart Cures from the Beatitudes* (London, 1912).

ST. JOHN'S CHAPEL.

Opened the day before a constitution from the General Assembly 31st May 1833, retained by the Free Church after 1843.

THOMAS LIDDELL, elected 26th June, and ord. 17th Sept. 1820; trans. to Lady Glenorchy's, Edinburgh, 22nd Dec. 1831.

WILLIAM NIXON, born 3rd May 1803, fourth son of John Nixon, merchant, Glasgow, educated at Univ. of Glasgow, licensed by the Presb. there 27th June 1825, assistant at Whitburn, ord. by Presb. of Chirnside & St. Cuthbert's congregation at Hexham 13th June 1831, elected 13th June 1832, adm. 27th June 1833, joined the Free Church in 1843, man. of the Free Church, Montrose, 1843-1860, Moderator of the Free Church General Assembly 21st May 1861, died 26th June 1900. He married 16. 12th Aug. 1835, Margaret, died 29th Nov. 1867, only daughter of A. Sedgley, 22. 1855, Janet Craig. Publications: *Testimony Extracted from the Minutes of the Assembly, Session 1832-33*, Montrose, 1837; *Remarks on Christian Electors*, Edinburgh, 1838; *A Reply to Anti-Presbyterian Specimens and Defences of Other Extremists*, Glasgow, 1839; *Christian Spirit in Irish Ministers*, a sermon, Edinburgh, 1840; *Our Duty to the Young*, Edinburgh, 1841; *Sermons & Other Essays*, Edinburgh, 1847; *The Duty of the Poor*, Edinburgh, 1850; *The Duties of Electors*, 1853; *The Free Churchman & the Household Budget*, Edinburgh, 1856; *The Articles of Agreement in the present Adjacent Assembly*, speech, Edinburgh, 1858; *The Kingdom of the Nations, and the Duty of Earthly Rulers to His People*, a sermon, Edinburgh, 1860; *A Remonstrance of the Friends before the same*, or present *Mentient for the Union of the Churches*, Montrose, 1870; *A Lecture on Alluvial Sermen* (1882); *Testimony of Men in the Public Workshops of our Church Unsanctified* (Edinburgh, 1883), sermon.

MLIII. *For Church Proprietary*, sometime editor of *The Free Church Missionary Review*.

MELVILLE (Q.S.).

(This parish was disjoined from Montrose with others 1835. It was named Melville in memory of Andrew Melville, the Reformer, who was born at Balloch in the parish of Craignish.)

ROBERT SMITH, ord. in 1852, res. 1852, 10th June 1853, on appointment to Scots Chapel, at Keady, Cavan.

JAMES DODDS, ord. 11th Sept. 1853; trans. to St. Clement's, Dundee, 23rd Sept. 1858.

DAVID SKINNER MAXWELL, adm. from Melville Chapel, 7th Dec. 1858; 18. 8th trans. to Montreal 12th May 1864.

WILLIAM ANDERSON, ord. 6th Oct. 1864, trans. to Fifetown 8th Aug. 1867.

WILLIAM JOHN STEVEN, born 19th July 1841, son of Charles Bannatyne 1867. Student of Stewarton, 1854, studied at Stewarton School and Univ. of Glasgow, licensed by Presb. of Irvine, assistant at The Park Parish, Glasgow, 1862, ord. 7th Nov. 1867, died 19th May 1877. He married 20th June 1871, Jessie, only daughter of Andrew Spence, Broxley, Perry, and granddaughter of Joseph Peterson, D.D., man. of Second Chapel, Montrose, and had issue: William Charles, C.A., M.C., London, born 11th March 1872; Jean Paterson, born 22nd April 1873 (mar. 23rd April 1921, E. Kenyon Howden, M.B., C.M., Natal); Joseph Peterson, student in medicine, born 23rd March 1877, died 7th Feb. 1896.

THOMAS BURNS, ord. 8th Nov. 1877; trans. to Lady Glenorchy's Parish, 1877, Edinburgh, 26th Aug. 1882.

JOHN ARCHIBALD ST. CLAIR, born 1832, Perth 1839, son of John Patrick St. Clair, man. of St. Stephen's Chapel (Glasgow), Perth, educated at Perth Academy and

Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Perth 15th May 1882; assistant at St Paul's, Perth; ord. 28th Dec. 1882; dep. 18th June 1891. He marr. 11th July 1883, Margaret Frances (died 26th Sept. 1914), only daugh. of Evan Ross, min. of Ardersier, and had issue John Ewan, born 8th April 1884; Sydney Francis, born 1st March 1886; Melville, born 19th April 1887; Evelyn, born 26th and died 28th Nov. 1889; Robert,

WILLIAM TAYLOR, born Muthill, Perthshire, 3rd Nov. 1863, son of **1891** Peter T. and Margaret Hughes; educated at Muthill School and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1881); licen. by Presb. of Auchterarder 11th May 1887; assistant at North Parish, Stirling, Dalkeith, and Dunbarton; ord. 11th Dec. 1891; app. chaplain to 1st Forfar R.G.A., 1902, and to North Scottish R.G.A. (T.), 1910; died 19th Oct. 1916. He marr. 5th Feb. 1895, Jane Gow, daugh. of Robert Latty, Dunbarton, and Catherine Smith McMillan, and had issue Peter Raymond, born 5th May 1896, died 15th Nov. 1911; Kathleen McMillan, born 30th April 1899. Publications: *Sabbath Keeping*, a sermon preached 22nd April 1902, before the Synod of Angus and Mearns (1902); *Tudie's Favourite Hymns, their Messages and their Writers* (Paisley, 1907).

JULIUS MC CALLUM, born Paisley, **1917** 11th Aug. 1890, son of Charles M. and Mary M.; educated at John Neilson Institution, Paisley, Univ. of Glasgow M.A. (1890), B.D. (1894), and Regent's Park College, London; became Baptist Missionary at Raygama, Bundara gama, Ceylon; adm. to Church of Scotland by General Assembly May 1902; ord. to Merrylea Chapel, Glasgow, 18th Aug. 1904; res. 28th Nov. 1910; assistant at Dornoch and at Unst in 1911; *locum tenens* North Church, Stirling, 1912, and at St Ninians in 1913; adm. to Whalsay 26th Oct. 1915; trans. and adm. 2nd May 1917. Marr. 5th Nov. 1896, Margaret Lang Smith, daugh. of Angus Macarthur and Margaret Galbraith Sharp Mackie, and has issue Margaret Julia Mary, born 15th Feb. 1898; Julius Charles Neil, born 13th Oct. 1906.

STRACATHRO AND DUNLAPPY.

[These parishes were united in 1618. A new church was built in 1799.]

Stracathro. The church of Stracathro was dedicated to St Rule. Near it was St Rule's Well. The parish was a presbytery of Brechin.

Dunlappie. At Kilgary in the parish of Dunlappie there was a chapel with a hermitage.]

1561 JAMES LICHTON, reader.

ANDREW MYLNE, min. in 1567; was **1567** a member for Montrose in first General Assembly 20th Dec. 1569; had Dunlappie also in charge in 1567; schoolmaster of Montrose in 1569; when James Melvill was one of his pupils; trans. to Dunnottar in 1574.

PAUL FRASER, had a grant of the Chantry 18th July 1566; adm. **1567** about 1567; was a member of five out of eight Assemblies from Oct. 1581 to June 1587; was one of the Commissioners appointed by the Privy Council 6th March 1589 for the preservation of the Protestant religion in the sheriffdom of Forfar; died 22nd Aug. 1606. He marr. Barbara Liddell, widow of David Schewan, citizen of Brechin (she predeceased her husband), and had issue Isabel (marr. Thomas Erskine of Quhittfield); a daugh. (marr. James Schewan). [*Brechin Test.*; Black's *Brechin*, 42; Calderwood's *Hist.*, iv., 569, 615, 627, 630.]

1574 JOHN SYM, reader here and at Dunlappie.—[*Misc. Writ. Soc.*, 319.]

ROBERT NORIE, M.A. (St Andrews, 1596); min. of Fern in 1607; adm. before 12th Sept. 1610; still min. 22nd June 1643. He marr. Bessie, daugh. of George Donaldson, min. of Dunlappie. [*Bannatyne Miscell.*, iii.]

GEORGE FOGO, M.A. (St Andrews, 1626); was on the Exercise at Kirkcaldy 15th May 1630; adm. to Edzell before 16th May 1630; pres. by David, Earl of Southesk; trans. and adm.

period 1644—was minister of Comrie
1645—of Montrose 1647—suspended 2nd
Oct. 1649 for playing at cards, and dis-
missed a year before, and drinking and
idle—was removed 1st, and
readmitted Nov. 1650. Broke his leg
by a fall from a tree, and died April
1655, aged 50 years. He marr., before
the May 1631.

ALEXANDER GUTHRIE, younger son of James Guthrie of Erforth, and
1655 brother of William Guthrie of Foul-
wick, and John Guthrie of Tarbolton,
educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A.
29th July 1639; was on the Exchequer
1651—called in May, and ord.
1655. It is said the change
to Episcopacy so affected him that it
shortened his life, died March 1662, at
about 33. He marr. Magdalene, died 1702, a
daughter of Alexander Carnegie of Cockston,
and had issue—Alexander, served heir
12th July 1667; Margaret, Janet, marr.
William, grandson of William Lyon of
Ogil, May marr. David Lyon, W.S.,
Commissary of Brechin. [*Brechin Testes.*
Eng. Rec. Gen. 508.]

JAMES GULD, domestic chaplain at
1663 King's Ward, born by Presb. of Brechin
13th July 1653, ord. to Stromness
and Sandwick 22nd May 1680, trans. and
adm. between 8th Oct. and 5th Nov. 1683,
died July 1676. He marr. Dec. 1644, Janet
died Jan. 1700, daughter of Robert Graham of
Bolshan, and had issue—Henry, writer,
Edinburgh; Catherine. [*Brechin Testes.*
Groceries Review., Or, and *Scots.* 64.]
See also *Memoirs.* m. 292; *P. C. Reg.*
3rd ser. iii. 206.]

ALEXANDER CUTTS, born 1656, a
native of Montreal, M.A., King's
1677 College, Aberdeen, 1670, born by
Alexander, Bishop of Edinburgh, 29th
March 1675, pres. by David, Earl of
Northesk, in May, recommended for
ordination 6th Sept. 1677, died 11th April
1695. He marr. Elizabeth Burnett, and
had issue—Alexander. [See *Brechin Testes.*
P. C. Reg., 3rd ser. vi. 167.]

JOHN DAVIDSON, born before 26th
Nov. 1641, and admitted Nov.
1701 1715, when he became it with near
eighty min. older, born with bleeding
drams and flying oysters, and preached a
little in the church, and after that kind
of worship was over, he mounted upon his
mammoth at the back of the pulpit, and in
their front went to Kinnaird, dep. 3rd Oct.
1646, at which time he lived at Ardbell
and educated as factor to James, Earl of
Southesk. [B. L. Add. MS. 1430, Warden's
Memos. v. 1671. Marshall, *Histoire des Sures*
en Ecosse. 245.]

JOHN GLASFORD, born Capar.
1641, by Presb. of Brechin 11th
1701 Aug. 1666, ord. 12th Feb. 1701;
died 23rd July 1743. He marr. 19th
June 1704, Margaret Orkney, d. 11th
June 1743, and had issue—John, born
1706, died 29th Jan. 1742; Euphemia;
Margaret; Agnes. [*Brechin Testes.*
Testes. i. 167.] See 167.

PATRICK TURNBULL, born by
Presb. of Dundee 23rd Oct.
1747 1734, called 2nd July 1749, ord.
15th July 1747, died 1st April 1782. He
marr. 26th Nov. 1753, Margaret Ferguson,
who died at Brechin 1st March 1818,
aged 97.

WILLIAM MAULE, M.A., pres. by
George III. 22nd June, and ord.
1782 26th Sept. 1782, trans. to Montrose
3rd July 1783.

ROBERT HANNA, born 1753, licen.
1784 by Presb. of Dundee 2nd April 1783;
pres. by Anthony, Earl of Kintore,
Dec. the year, ord. 5th May 1784, died
unmarr. 7th April 1828. [A Relation—
Account of the Parochial Sinclairs. 894.
Part iv.]

WILLIAM GERARD, born Old
1828 Aberdeen, Sept. 1791, sixth son
of Gilbert G. D.D., Professor of
Divinity, King's College, Aberdeen, educated
at that Univ., M.A. 25th March
1814, licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen 6th
May 1818, pres. by George IV. 3rd May,

and ord. 12th Sept. 1828; died unmarr. 20th July 1851. Publications. Edited *A Compendious View of the Evidences of Natural and Revealed Religion*, by his father and grandfather (London, 1828); Account of the Parish (*New Stat. Acc.*, xi.).

ROBERT GRANT, born Old Morlich, Towie, Aberdeenshire, 1824, son of Robert G., farmer, and Isobel Ross; educated at Dr Davidson's Private School, Logie, Colstone, and King's College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1842); licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen; assistant at Rothiemay; ord. 24th Dec. 1851; clerk of Presb. 1857-1902, and of Synod 1875-1907; died 1st June 1909. He marr. 23rd Oct. 1867, Anne Wardlaw (died 12th Feb. 1920), daugh. of Robert Mitchell, min. of Craig.

WILLIAM NEWLANDS, born Wishaw, 30th Oct. 1866, son of James N. and Janet Kay; educated at Cambusnethan School and Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Glasgow June 1893; assistant at Dumbarton and Lossiemouth; ord. at Lossiemouth 12th Dec. 1900 as min. at St Vincent, West Indies; adm. here 12th Aug. 1909. Marr. 28th Dec. 1900, Helen Thom,

daugh. of John Brown M'LAY, St Ninians, Stirling, and Helen Thom, and has issue—Arthur James, born 13th Dec. 1905; David Watson, born 24th April 1908; William Kay (twin), born 24th April 1908.

DUNLAPPIE

1574 JOHN SYM, reader, 1574 to 1579.

ALEXANDER NORIE, min. in 1585, with Fern also in charge; removed to Fern about 1586.

JAMES SCHEWAN, min. in 1593, with Lethmot also in charge; trans. to Navar in 1597.

GEORGE DONALDSON, min. of Lochlee in 1607; trans. by the bishop in 1611; pres. by Sir Patrick Hepburn of Waughton; coll. 16th April 1611; died 23rd Jan. 1614. He marr. Margaret Croill, who survived him, and had issue—Bessie (marr. Robert Norie, min. of Stracathro). [*St Andrews Test.*]

LAURENCE SKINNER, M.A.; adm. 5th Oct. 1615; trans. to Navar before 17th Feb. 1621.

PRESBYTERY OF ARBROATH

The earliest mention of this Court shows that it was already at work in 1593. On 26th Sept. 1593, a volume of the Presbytery Register, covering the time from 1593 to 1639, was put into the hands of John Johnston, Minister of Barry, to be conveyed by him to Andrew, Bishop of Orkney, who was then at St Andrews. Of it nothing further is known. Two, or it may be three, other volumes, covering the period from 1639 to 1661, are mentioned in a Muster of 18th Nov. 1662, but they also are untraced. The existing Records begin at 3rd Nov. 1666. The first volume opens at 3rd Nov. 1666 and ends at 4th Sept. 1670. From this last date until 1703 this Court was united to the Presbytery of Dundee. From 17th May 1703, the Records of the Presbytery of Arbroath are completed.¹

ARBIRLOT.

The church of Arbirlot was dedicated to St Ninian. It belonged to the Abbey of Arbroath. The early name of the parish was Aberelliot. There was within the bounds a Well of St Ninian. With the exception of that of St Mary's College, St Andrews, the silver Communion cups of this parish bear the oldest Scottish marks of any cups in Scotland.²

CHARLES MICHELSON, min. in 1567,
1597 leaving Inveresk clerical in his charge,
and in 1571, instead of Inveresk, Paisley and Montrose with Barry conjointly
in 1573, prior to the vicarage before 7th
July 1576. In 1583 he removed to Barry
but returned here before 1590; died before
7th Dec. 1592. *Rec. Assign. Act. 1670, p. 7*
Dec. xlii, 516.

GEORGE GLEDSTANES, M.A., trans.
from Edinburgh St Cyrus, pres. to
1592 the vicarage by James VI. May 1592;
trans. to St Andrews in 1597.

DAVID BLACK, educated at Univ. of
1597 St Andrews, adm. on the recom-
mendation of Andrew Melville, min.
of St Andrews Nov. 1599. Having offended
James VI. by "certain irreverent speech-

full and impious speeches in his sermons,"
he was summoned before the Privy Council
18th Nov. 1599, but denied the King's jurisdiction "in matter spiritual." In this he was
supported by "his whole brethren of the
ministry." Twenty days later he begged a
second audience, but was found guilty on
2nd Dec., and "the points referred to the
King's will and pleasure." On 7th Dec. he
was ordered to enter the prison in ward.
The Synod of Elie petitioned the King to
restore B. to his charge, but that was not
done, and he was transferred thence in
1599, pres. to the vicarage by James VI.
15th May 1598. While making way to Perth
he died suddenly at Dundee of apoplexy,
immediately after having given thanks at
council, Tuesday 12th July 1603. He had
preached and dispensed the Communion on
the preceding Sunday. He is characterised
as eminent for learning, fidelity and diligence,
mighty and terrible, a powerful proclaimer,
zealous, faithful, and painstaking pastor,
whose ministry was productive of much
fruit. He was strongly opposed to Episcopacy.
He married Katherine Pratice, who
survived him, and had issue Sarah, who
with her mother was recommended to
charity by the Synod of Lothian and
Tweeddale 4th Nov. 1600. *Rec. Assign.*
Calderwood's Hist. v. 180, *et seq.* vi. 184,

1655, 290; Cunningham's *Hist.*, i., 434-5; Honyman's *Survey*, ii.; Fleming's *Fulfilling of Scripture*; *G. R. Inhib.*, xxxi., 14th July 1608.]

JOHN GUTHRIE, M.A.: trans. from 1603 Kinnell, and adm. in 1603; pres. by 1603 James VI, 14th March 1610; trans. to Second Charge, Perth, 26th Feb. 1617.

JAMES IRVING, min. of Touth in 1617 1599; for having attended the Aberdeen Assembly, 2nd July 1605, he was imprisoned in Stirling Castle 3rd Oct. following. He declined the jurisdiction of the Privy Council 24th Oct., and was ordered to be confined to Orkney in 1606, but refusing to obey, was allowed to exercise his ministry in his own parish 2nd July 1607; trans. to Monymusk after 26th Nov. 1607; pres. by James VI, 14th March 1617; trans. and adm. soon after; died in 1625. He marr. Helen Strachan, and had issue Alexander. [Reg. Soc. Sig.; Calderwood's *Hist.*; *G. R. Inhib.*, 8th Feb. 1668.]

JAMES GUTHRIE, born 17th Sept. 1625, son of Patrick G., goldsmith, St Andrews; M.A. (St Andrews, 28th July 1640); min. of Kinnell in 1614; app. clerk of Synod 29th April 1617; pres. by Charles I, 24th Aug., trans. and adm. Oct. 1625; died 17th May 1662. He marr. 12th July 1614, Isabella Durie, who died 5th Dec. 1658, and had issue a son, Laird of Nidbar; James, M.A.; John, min. of this parish; Jane (marr. James Philip, min. of Lunan). [Breckin *Test.*; *Fife Inhib.*, 27th Jan. 1658.]

JOHN GUTHRIE, M.A., son of preceding; called 12th Aug., and adm. (colleague) 4th Oct. 1655; trans. to Second Charge, Dundee, 14th March 1667.

GEORGE MAKGHILL, born about 1641, second son of Patrick M., min. of 1687 Monikie; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1662); passed trials before Presb. of St Andrews, and recommended for licencee 28th June 1663; ord. 16th Sept. 1667; died between 18th June 1691 and 27th July 1702. He marr. Margaret

Guthrie, and had issue Alexander, architect, Edinburgh. [*Forfar Sis.*, xiii., 159; *Fife Sis.*, vi., 106.]

CHARLES CHARTERIS, born about 1702 1673, a native of East Lothian; M.A. (Edinburgh, 28th June 1697); licen. by Presb. of Haddington 1st Sept. 1701; ord. in 1702; dep. in Aug., this sentence being affirmed by the Synod of Angus, Oct. 1728, but reversed by Commission of Assembly March 1729; died Dec. 1729. He marr. April 1704, Marjory Williamson, in Montrose, and had issue Marjory (marr. Thomas Hunter, min. of this parish), and others. [*Lets of Ass.*, 1729, 1730.]

ROBERT PRESTON, M.A.; called 30th 1731 Sept. 1730; ord. 18th Feb. 1731; trans. to Second Charge, Cupar Fife, 9th Nov. 1758.

THOMAS HUNTER, licen. by Presb. 1759 of Dunbar 4th Oct. 1751; pres. by George II, 6th April, and ord. 2nd Aug. 1759; died 28th Oct. 1789. He marr. 28th Jan. 1757, Marjory (died 6th Aug. 1783), daugh. of Charles Charteris, min. of this parish, and had issue—William, born 4th Dec. 1759; Thomas, born 3rd April 1761, died 11th March 1776; Charles, born 25th July 1764.

RICHARD WATSON, educated at 1790 Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Cupar 5th Sept. 1769; ord. (assistant) at Arbroath 5th May 1777; pres. by George III, in April, and adm. 10th June 1790; died 7th Sept. 1820, "a good and able man." "He used to boast of having challenged John Wesley, on his visit to Scotland, to a public passage at arms in Arbroath, and how Wesley refused the challenge." He marr. 6th July 1778, Isobel Balfour (died 17th Jan. 1837), and had issue Elizabeth, born 6th May 1779 (marr. 19th Jan. 1807, David Phillip, merchant, London); Richard, born 12th Aug. 1781, died 24th Nov. 1799. Publication—Account of the Parish (Sinclair's *Stat. Acc.*, iii.).—[*Scots Mag.*, li.; *Tombst.*; *Autobiography of Dr Thomas Guthrie*, 97.]

THOMAS GUTHRIE, pres. by George IV, 21st June, and ord. 13th May 1830; trans. to Old Greyfriars Parish, Edinburgh, 21st Sept. 1837.

JOHN KIRK, born St Andrews, 1795; son of John Kirk, baker, educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 9th Sept. 1820; ord. to Barry 24th June 1823; pres. by Queen Victoria 12th Oct.; trans. and adm. 28th Dec. 1837. Joined the Free Church in 1843, man. of the Free Church, Barry, 1843-58, died 4th March 1858. He is described as "a man of cultivated mind, of a deportment becoming his high calling, and of a conversation that savoured of the things of Christ." He marr. 19th Dec. 1828, Christiane Gertrude, died at Edinburgh, 22nd June 1865; daugh. of Alexander Carnegie, min. of Inverkeilor, and had issue: Alexander Carnegie, LL.D., eminent naval engineer, born 19th July 1830, died in Glasgow 5th Oct. 1892; Sir John Carnegie, K.C.B., F.R.S., M.D., LL.D., D.C.L., D.Sc., born 19th Dec. 1832, Chief Officer on Dr Livingstone's Expedition to Africa 1853-54, H.M. Agent and Consul General at Zanzibar 1880, British Plenipotentiary at Brussels to African Conference 1880-80, served on many Government Committees, Foreign Secretary Royal Geographical Society, died 15th Jan. 1922; Elizabeth Jane, born 29th Sept. 1834 (marr. 20th June 1852), James R. Black, writer, Arbroath; James, born 8th April 1838. [M'Brin - *Eminent Arbroathers*, 407-14.]

GEORGE ADDISON, born Auldearn house, 7th April 1806, son of George Addison, A.A., D.D., min. of Liff and Benyett; educated at Dundee High School and Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Dundee, pres. by Queen Victoria 29th April, and ord. 2nd Nov. 1833, died unmarr. 3rd July 1852.

JOHN CHRISTIE, born 1826, son of Archibald Christie, writer, and Elizabeth Kennedy McFadzen; pres. by Queen Victoria 27th Sept., and ord. 13th Dec. 1852, died 30th May 1884. He marr. 28th April 1857, Margaret (died 25th Aug.

1890), daughter of Thomas Finlayson of Lawton, and had 1-2 sons: Archibald Kennedy, born 4th March 1858, Isabelle Johnstone, born 25th May 1859, Elizabeth Kennedy, born 30th July 1861, Margaret Finlayson, born 29th June 1863, Helen Cathcart, born 6th June 1865, Mary Cathcart, born 31st Oct. 1871, John Cathcart, born 6th May 1875.

WILLIAM WHITEBURN SCOTLAND, 1884, born 5th Jan. 1860, son of James Whiteburn, S., and Helen Henderson, educated at Greenock Academy and Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Greenock 2nd May 1883; elder assistant and successor 25th Jan. 1884; died at Arbroath 15th May 1923.

ARCHIBALD COWAN KENNEDY, born Old Aberdeen, 21st March 1823, 1892, son of Archibald Robert Stirling Kennedy, D.D., Professor of Hebrew, Edinburgh Univ.; educated at George Watson's College and Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. 1913, B.D. (March 1921); served in European War as captain in Royal Field Artillery 1914-18, licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 1921, assistant at St Michaels, Dunries, July 1921 to Sept. 1923; ord. 29th Sept. 1923. Marr. 27th Nov. 1923, Janet Amy, daughter of James Lumden, min. of Ratho.

ARBROATH.

[The parish of Arbroath was disjoined from St Vigeans in or about 1587. The Tyronensian Abbey of St Thomas the Martyr at Arbroath was built by William the Lion. When a prisoner in England, King William had known St Thomas personally. Thomas A Becket, Archbishop of Canterbury, was murdered in his own cathedral in 1170. He was canonised in 1173, and in 1178 this great monastery was consecrated to his name. In 1214 its royal founder was buried within its walls. The abbey was famed for its vast wealth, and for the size and dignity of its buildings. But a higher renown in history is drawn from the Convention of the Estates of Scotland held within it in 1320, when the noble

declaration and protest for the nation's freedom was signed and sent off to Pope John XXIII., who had allied his spiritual powers with the treacherous policy of the English king. Even in its ruin the abbey of Arbroath is splendid. Among the altars in it were dedications to St. Mary, St. James, St. Katherine, St. Peter, St. Laurence, and St. Nicholas. Close beside the abbey was a chapel of St. Michael. In the town there were a hospital of St. John the Baptist and a chapel of St. Mary, which contained an altar of St. Duthac. There were also Wells of St. Mary and St. Ninian. Fairs were held at Arbroath in honour of St. Ninian, St. Feachan, and St. Thomas the Martyr.]

NINIAN CLEMETT [or CLEMENT], min. of St. Vigeans, had charge here 1564 in 1564 when he was adm. a burzess; trans. to Forfar in 1573.

THOMAS LINDSAY, formerly a monk 1567 of the Abbey of Arbroath, reader in 1567. [Hay's *Arbroath*, 195.]

JOHN GRAINGER, formerly a monk 1579 of the Abbey of Arbroath, reader in 1579.

JAMES MELVILLE, fifth son of John 1580 M. of Dysart, near Montrose; was one of those thought apt and able to minister by the first General Assembly 20th Dec. 1569; adm. to Fern before 4th Sept. 1596; at the Assembly 25th Dec. that year he and others signed a letter to the bishops and pastors in England on behalf of such brethren as refused to comply with wearing the prescribed apparel in Divine service; in 1567 Menmuir and Kinnell were also in his charge; trans. to Tannadice about 1569; was a member of Assembly that year; pres. to the vicarage of Auchterhouse 29th July 1568; trans. to Menmuir that year; was a member of Assembly 6th Aug. 1571; trans. to St. Vigeans, and adm. between 12th Aug. and 6th March 1573; had Athie and Kinnell also in his charge in 1574; was a member of Assembly March 1573, Aug. 1574, and March 1574-5, Oct. 1576, April 1581, June 1582, May 1586, June 1587,

and 1590; trans. and adm. in 1580; was one of those appointed by the Synod in April 1586 to confer with Archibishop Adamson and endeavour to bring him to submission, before pronouncing the extreme sentence of excommunication, which it was found he had merited for his contumacy and disobedience to the Kirk. He was also one of those appointed by the Privy Council in March 1589 for the maintenance of true religion in Angus; died 29th Aug. 1596. He marr'd, and had issue—Nicolas; Margaret; Barbara. [Rig. May. Sig. v. 348; *Fou' Charters of Kirklands*, ii. 103; *Test.*.]

ANDREW LAMB, trans. from Burnt-island, and adm. in 1596; trans. to 1596 South Leith 22nd July 1600.

HENRY PHILIP of Almerieclose, born 1601 about 1572, perhaps son of David P., who with his wife was infest in a tenement on the north side of Lordburn in 1587; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1592); adm. to Cricht in 1594; trans. and adm. in 1601; was a member of Assembly in 1602 and 1606 when he acted as clerk, and of 1608, 1610, 1616, and 1618; was one of the Conference at Falkland 4th May 1609 for healing divisions, and promoting peace and discipline in the Church; pres. to the modified stipend by James VI, 20th Jan. 1610; was a member of Court of High Commission 15th Feb. 1610 and 15th June 1619; D.D. (St Andrews, 29th July 1616); died Sept. 1627. He marr'd Isobel Paterson, Cupar-Fife, who died after 21st April 1628, and had issue—James, of Almerieclose, burgess and baillie of Arbroath, died in 1634; Thomas; Marjory; Isobel (marr. (1) after 16th Aug. 1638, John Guthrie of Halkerton; (2) James Fraser, min. of this parish). [Edin. and St Andrews *Test.*; Forfar *Sas.*, ii. 123; M'Bain's *Eminent Arbroathians*, 81-102; Hay's *Arbroath*, 197, 436; *Tombst.*; Introduction to *The Girmeid*.]

SIMEON DURIE, son of John D., 1628 min. of Montrose; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1600); adm. to Ferryport-on-Craig in 1605; trans.

to his expenses to the vicarcy by James VI, in the June 1606, was a member of Arbroath in 1611, pres. by Charles I 27th May, trans., and adm. in 1628, was adm. 1st July 1633, July 1633. He married Margaret Maitland [Acts of Pres., vol. p. 22, 1600].

JAMES FRASER of Kirkton, said to 1653 son of the family of Philorth, educ. at Marischal College, Aberdeen, became reader at Strichenburgh before 24th Aug. 1633, called 27th June, trans., and adm. 1st July 1633, suspended by the Kirk Session after a quarrel with Suthers, Provost of Arbroath, 16th Dec. 1638, deposed 21st April 1639, died Dec. 1640. His parishioner, the son of Hopitalfield and buried there for the "doctor of the school." He marr. 13th March 1634, Isobel, daughter of Henry Philip, D.D., minister of this parish, and had issue James, of Hopitalfield, Warden's Assess., v. 156; *o. R. S. S.*, xxix, 433; *Lament's Deceas*.]

JAMES CARNegie, born about 1633, 1669 son of Alexander Carnegie of Cookston, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 13th May 1653, licens. by Presb. of Brechin 26th Jan. 1653, ord. to Kilmarnock that year, trans. and adm. 7th Oct. 1669, and April 1680. He was also parson of Kilmore and Preliminary of Butterwick. He marr. Isobel Hay, and had issue Alexander, served heir 18th Nov. 1680, Robert, Anne, marr. Alexander Blair of Inchyra. [*Imp. Rec. Presb. Far.*, 560, *o. R. S. S.*, 7073, 7233.]

WILLIAM CARNegie, brother of preceding, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 27th July 1657, became tutor in the family of James, Earl of Socothay, licens. by Presb. of Arbroath in 1673, adm. to Careston in 1674, trans. to Hoddum in 1681, trans. and adm. 3rd Nov. 1683, died before 15th Dec. 1693. He marr. Oct. 1682, Jean Carnegie, who died 1708, and had issue Charles, served heir 15th Dec. 1693, James. [Brechin *Pres.*, *Imp. Rec. Gen.*, 7246; *P. C. Acta*, 4th Aug. 1682.]

JOHN FERGUSON, adm. to 1669 Robertson in Teviotdale 23rd Sept. 1669, omitted in Vol. II., 190; trans. and adm. 1st April 1670. As an indemnification for his losses in the Darien Expedition, he got the gift of a lease and a piece of ground from the Exchequer, died May 1637, age 17 about 82. His courtesy of manner and freedom of speech, even in the pulpit, and his honesty, personal integrity, & sometimes gave great offence. He was in an action against the magistrates for payment of old duty marks as his rent, for which the Lords of Session, 2nd Jan. 1717, found them liable in all true costing. He had a gift from William III, 10th May 1703, of the yard or orchard in the abbey which belonged formerly to the Bishop of Brechin, in room of his glebe at Robertson. He marr. 10 Aug. 1705, Margaret, daughter of James McDougall of Nenabrook, 2nd marr. 3rd Oct. 1724, Bethna, daughter of Sir Alexander Brand of Bransfield, and Christian Scott, [Elin. Minn. Rec., *Imp. Rec. Presb. Far.*, 746, 825; *M. J.*, lxxviii, *Rec. of Decls.*, 141, exlib. 7th July 1737, Jervis' *Memorials of Annes*, p. 240; *Burgess' First Court of Scotland*, 50; Hay's *Arch. 4th*, 96, 201, 256, 338.]

JAMES PURDIE, M.A., ord. assistant 1735 29th Oct. 1735, trans. to Guthrie 1735 19th June 1737.

GEORGE CRUICKSHANK, school-master of the parish, pres. by 1738 George II, 3rd Sept., and called 10th Nov. 1737, ord. 26th Jan. 1738, trans. to Kinneil 10th March 1748.

WILLIAM BELL, born 1720, educated 1748 at Marischal College, Aberdeen; licens. by Presb. of Brechin 23rd Feb. 1748, ord. to Benthine 11th Jan. 1744, called 4th Aug., trans. and adm. 1st Dec. 1748, died 18th Dec. 1775. He marr. 30th June 1746, Bethna (died 10th June 1778), daughter of John Willison, min. of Second Charge, Dundee, and had issue James, merchant, Arbroath, born 6th Dec. 1747; Margaret, born 23rd Dec. 1749, died 10th

June 1762; Isabella, born 17th May 1756, died 13th Jan. 1835. [*Tombst.*; Pennant's *Tour in Scotland*; Hay's *Arbroath*, 203, 325.]

ALEXANDER MACKIE, born 23rd Aug. 1732, son of James M., min. of St Cuthbert's; licen. by Presb. of Stirling 2nd Nov. 1763; became assistant in the parish; pres. by George III. in April, and ord. in presence of John Wesley 16th May 1776; died 29th Dec. 1787. He marr. 16th Dec. 1776, Mary Pearson, who marr. (2), and died 27th June 1830. [*Tombst.*; Butler's *Wesley and Whitefield in Scotland*, 286.]

GEORGE GLEIG, born Brechin 1757, son of George G., blacksmith, 1788 Badrönig, Menmuir; bred an Episcopalian; educated at King's College and Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A. (31st March 1777); licen. by Presb. of Brechin 11th Sept. 1782; assistant at Garvoch; pres. by George III. 13th Feb., and ord. (at Inverkeilor) 11th Dec. 1788; died 19th Jan. 1835. Objection was taken to his settlement on the ground that none had signed his call. On the instructions of the Synod the Presb. proceeded to ordination, but the Assembly, 29th May 1789, found that though the Presb. "have acted irregularly and are subject to censure, yet the ordination and settlement of G. are good and valid." The Presb. were required to appear at the bar of next Assembly to answer for their conduct, and on 25th May 1790, their proceedings were found to be "highly irregular and incompetent, in respect that they proceeded to take steps towards the settlement, without having any call before them, and afterwards proceeded to the settlement in face of an appeal regularly taken against the sentence of Synod," and they were admonished and enjoined "to be careful to guard against such irregularities in future." He marr. 10th March 1786, Mary, died 19th Jan. 1836, daugh. of Alexander Duncan of Wardham, Forfarshire, and sister of Jonathan D., Governor of Bombay, and had issue—Jean, born 13th Jan. 1787, died 11th Dec. 1821; Helen, born 18th July 1788; Mary, born 6th April 1790 (marr. Peter Brown,

late of Bombay); Margaret, born 25th Aug. 1792 (marr. 2nd June 1820, David Scott of Newton); Anne Forbes, born 21st March 1794 (marr. David Lounse of Springfield, town-clerk of Arbroath, died 17th Nov. 1827); Jonathan Duncan, born 1st Dec. 1795; Alexandrina, born 15th May 1797, died 15th May 1814; George, born 19th Dec. 1798, died 6th April 1827; Michie (son), student of law, born 6th Dec. 1800, died 16th Feb. 1823. Publication Account of the Parish (Sinclair's *Stat. Acc.*, vii., 1); [*Tombst.*; *Acts of Ass.*, 1789, 1790; *Scots Mag.*, lii., liii.; Hutton's *Collections* (MS., vol. ix.) in Adv. Lib.; Hay's *Arbroath*, 27, 440; *Fall and Impartial Account of the Settlement of the Rev. G. G.* (1789); *Diet. Nat. Biog.* (under Duncan).]

WILLIAM STEVENSON, pres. by 1833 William IV. in July, and ord. (assistant and successor) 17th Oct. 1833; trans. to South Leith 10th May 1844.

WALTER FORBES IRVINE, born 1844 Langholm, Dumfriesshire, 1814, son of Walter I., general merchant, and Jane Paterson; educated at Langholm School and Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (28th April 1835); pres. by Queen Victoria 5th Oct., and ord. 12th Dec. 1844; died 14th Jan. 1882. He marr. 27th July 1852, Eliza Mary Jane (died 9th July 1884), only daugh. of William Gray Fearnside, London, and had issue—Walter Fearnside, born 15th June 1854; Amy Gray, born 25th Feb. 1856 (marr. 1877, Alexander Gordon of Ashludie); William Patterson, born 28th Sept. 1857; Leonora Jane, born 24th June 1859; Irene Eliza Margaret, born 24th May 1861; George Rolland, born 20th March 1863; Archibald Louis John, born 17th March 1865; Louis Godfrey, born 20th Dec. 1868.

JAMES THOMSON, born Glenbervie, 1842 10th Sept. 1848, son of James T. and Isobel Smith; educated at Fetteresso School, Grammar School, Aberdeen, and Univs. of Aberdeen, M.A. (1874), and St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen May 1878; assistant at Elches, Kinned, Dowally, and Arbroath; ord. 1st Aug. 1882; died at Crieff, having accidentally taken

1867. Ordained by Presb. of Dundee, 17th Dec. 1866, and received into the church at Arbroath, 17th Dec. 1866. Minister of Ardrosson, 1867-1871; of Maryburgh, 1871-1875; of Meldrum, 1875-1880; of Cullen, 1880-1885; of Elgin, 1885-1890; of Fife, 1890-1895; of Dundee, 1895-1900; of Dundee, 1900-1905; of Dundee, 1905-1910; of Dundee, 1910-1915; of Dundee, 1915-1920; of Dundee, 1920-1925; of Dundee, 1925-1930; of Dundee, 1930-1935; of Dundee, 1935-1940; of Dundee, 1940-1945; of Dundee, 1945-1950; of Dundee, 1950-1955; of Dundee, 1955-1960; of Dundee, 1960-1965; of Dundee, 1965-1970; of Dundee, 1970-1975; of Dundee, 1975-1980; of Dundee, 1980-1985; of Dundee, 1985-1990; of Dundee, 1990-1995; of Dundee, 1995-2000; of Dundee, 2000-2005; of Dundee, 2005-2010; of Dundee, 2010-2015; of Dundee, 2015-2020; of Dundee, 2020-2025; of Dundee, 2025-2030; of Dundee, 2030-2035; of Dundee, 2035-2040; of Dundee, 2040-2045; of Dundee, 2045-2050; of Dundee, 2050-2055; of Dundee, 2055-2060; of Dundee, 2060-2065; of Dundee, 2065-2070; of Dundee, 2070-2075; of Dundee, 2075-2080; of Dundee, 2080-2085; of Dundee, 2085-2090; of Dundee, 2090-2095; of Dundee, 2095-2000.

WILLIAM JACK NICHOLSON, M.A., B.D., ord. 1st Dec. 1866, 1866-1871, Minister of West Dunbartonshire, died Sept. 1904.

JAMES SELINGER CUTTHILL, born 1805, Burghhead, Studied Edinburgh, 1826-1831; May 1831, son of Andrew McCandless, and Jane Spence, died 1831; 1831-1835, High School and Univ. of Glasgow, May 1835, B.D.; 1835-1840, by Presb. of Dundee, 1835-1840; 1840-1845, Inverness, 1840-1845; and Inverness, 1845-1850; 1850-1855, B.D.; 1855-1860, Bridge of Allan, 1855-1860; 1860-1865, Dundee, 1860-1865; 1865-1870, Dundee, 1865-1870; 1870-1875, Dundee, 1870-1875; 1875-1880, Dundee, 1875-1880; 1880-1885, Dundee, 1880-1885; 1885-1890, Dundee, 1885-1890; 1890-1895, Dundee, 1890-1895; 1895-1900, Dundee, 1895-1900; 1900-1905, Dundee, 1900-1905; 1905-1910, Dundee, 1905-1910; 1910-1915, Dundee, 1910-1915; 1915-1920, Dundee, 1915-1920; 1920-1925, Dundee, 1920-1925; 1925-1930, Dundee, 1925-1930; 1930-1935, Dundee, 1930-1935; 1935-1940, Dundee, 1935-1940; 1940-1945, Dundee, 1940-1945; 1945-1950, Dundee, 1945-1950; 1950-1955, Dundee, 1950-1955; 1955-1960, Dundee, 1955-1960; 1960-1965, Dundee, 1960-1965; 1965-1970, Dundee, 1965-1970; 1970-1975, Dundee, 1970-1975; 1975-1980, Dundee, 1975-1980; 1980-1985, Dundee, 1980-1985; 1985-1990, Dundee, 1985-1990; 1990-1995, Dundee, 1990-1995; 1995-2000, Dundee, 1995-2000; 2000-2005, Dundee, 2000-2005; 2005-2010, Dundee, 2005-2010; 2010-2015, Dundee, 2010-2015; 2015-2020, Dundee, 2015-2020; 2020-2025, Dundee, 2020-2025; 2025-2030, Dundee, 2025-2030; 2030-2035, Dundee, 2030-2035; 2035-2040, Dundee, 2035-2040; 2040-2045, Dundee, 2040-2045; 2045-2050, Dundee, 2045-2050; 2050-2055, Dundee, 2050-2055; 2055-2060, Dundee, 2055-2060; 2060-2065, Dundee, 2060-2065; 2065-2070, Dundee, 2065-2070; 2070-2075, Dundee, 2070-2075; 2075-2080, Dundee, 2075-2080; 2080-2085, Dundee, 2080-2085; 2085-2090, Dundee, 2085-2090; 2090-2095, Dundee, 2090-2095; 2095-2000, Dundee, 2095-2000.

JOSEPH HENDERSON, M.A., ord. Nov. 1852, 1852-1855, Grangemouth, Scotland, 1855-1860.

JAMES SELINGER CUTTHILL, born 1805, Burghhead, Studied Edinburgh, 1826-1831; May 1831, son of Andrew McCandless, and Jane Spence, died 1831; 1831-1835, High School and Univ. of Glasgow, May 1835, B.D.; 1835-1840, by Presb. of Dundee, 1835-1840; 1840-1845, Inverness, 1840-1845; and Inverness, 1845-1850; 1850-1855, B.D.; 1855-1860, Bridge of Allan, 1855-1860; 1860-1865, Dundee, 1860-1865; 1865-1870, Dundee, 1865-1870; 1870-1875, Dundee, 1870-1875; 1875-1880, Dundee, 1875-1880; 1880-1885, Dundee, 1880-1885; 1885-1890, Dundee, 1885-1890; 1890-1895, Dundee, 1890-1895; 1895-1900, Dundee, 1895-1900; 1900-1905, Dundee, 1900-1905; 1905-1910, Dundee, 1905-1910; 1910-1915, Dundee, 1910-1915; 1915-1920, Dundee, 1915-1920; 1920-1925, Dundee, 1920-1925; 1925-1930, Dundee, 1925-1930; 1930-1935, Dundee, 1930-1935; 1935-1940, Dundee, 1935-1940; 1940-1945, Dundee, 1940-1945; 1945-1950, Dundee, 1945-1950; 1950-1955, Dundee, 1950-1955; 1955-1960, Dundee, 1955-1960; 1960-1965, Dundee, 1960-1965; 1965-1970, Dundee, 1965-1970; 1970-1975, Dundee, 1970-1975; 1975-1980, Dundee, 1975-1980; 1980-1985, Dundee, 1980-1985; 1985-1990, Dundee, 1985-1990; 1990-1995, Dundee, 1990-1995; 1995-2000, Dundee, 1995-2000; 2000-2005, Dundee, 2000-2005; 2005-2010, Dundee, 2005-2010; 2010-2015, Dundee, 2010-2015; 2015-2020, Dundee, 2015-2020; 2020-2025, Dundee, 2020-2025; 2025-2030, Dundee, 2025-2030; 2030-2035, Dundee, 2030-2035; 2035-2040, Dundee, 2035-2040; 2040-2045, Dundee, 2040-2045; 2045-2050, Dundee, 2045-2050; 2050-2055, Dundee, 2050-2055; 2055-2060, Dundee, 2055-2060; 2060-2065, Dundee, 2060-2065; 2065-2070, Dundee, 2065-2070; 2070-2075, Dundee, 2070-2075; 2075-2080, Dundee, 2075-2080; 2080-2085, Dundee, 2080-2085; 2085-2090, Dundee, 2085-2090; 2090-2095, Dundee, 2090-2095; 2095-2000, Dundee, 2095-2000.

THE ABBEY (Q.S.)

A chaplain appointed 17th Dec. 1707. On 16th July 1708 the Abbey Parish was divided from that of Arbroath.

ROBERT THOMSON, M.A., ord. 1st Dec. 1707, 1707-1710, 1710-1715, 1715-1720, 1720-1725, 1725-1730, 1730-1735, 1735-1740, 1740-1745, 1745-1750, 1750-1755, 1755-1760, 1760-1765, 1765-1770, 1770-1775, 1775-1780, 1780-1785, 1785-1790, 1790-1795, 1795-1800, 1800-1805, 1805-1810, 1810-1815, 1815-1820, 1820-1825, 1825-1830, 1830-1835, 1835-1840, 1840-1845, 1845-1850, 1850-1855, 1855-1860, 1860-1865, 1865-1870, 1870-1875, 1875-1880, 1880-1885, 1885-1890, 1890-1895, 1895-1900, 1900-1905, 1905-1910, 1910-1915, 1915-1920, 1920-1925, 1925-1930, 1930-1935, 1935-1940, 1940-1945, 1945-1950, 1950-1955, 1955-1960, 1960-1965, 1965-1970, 1970-1975, 1975-1980, 1980-1985, 1985-1990, 1990-1995, 1995-2000, 2000-2005, 2005-2010, 2010-2015, 2015-2020, 2020-2025, 2025-2030, 2030-2035, 2035-2040, 2040-2045, 2045-2050, 2050-2055, 2055-2060, 2060-2065, 2065-2070, 2070-2075, 2075-2080, 2080-2085, 2085-2090, 2090-2095, 2095-2000.

JAMES JOHNSTONE MACFARLANE, M.A., ord. by Presb. of Glasgow, 1827, 1827-1830, assistant at Shotts, 1830-1835, elected presb. Oct. 1835, ord. 18th Dec. 1835, dep. for Kirkcaldy, Oct. 1835-1836; 1836-1840, Helensburgh, 1840-1845, Elizabeth, wife of John Anderson, Kilmarnock, 1845-1850, 1850-1855, 1855-1860, 1860-1865, 1865-1870, 1870-1875, 1875-1880, 1880-1885, 1885-1890, 1890-1895, 1895-1900, 1900-1905, 1905-1910, 1910-1915, 1915-1920, 1920-1925, 1925-1930, 1930-1935, 1935-1940, 1940-1945, 1945-1950, 1950-1955, 1955-1960, 1960-1965, 1965-1970, 1970-1975, 1975-1980, 1980-1985, 1985-1990, 1990-1995, 1995-2000, 2000-2005, 2005-2010, 2010-2015, 2015-2020, 2020-2025, 2025-2030, 2030-2035, 2035-2040, 2040-2045, 2045-2050, 2050-2055, 2055-2060, 2060-2065, 2065-2070, 2070-2075, 2075-2080, 2080-2085, 2085-2090, 2090-2095, 2095-2000.

JAMES MCCOSH, M.A., ord. 12th Dec. 1835, 1835-1840, 17th Dec. 1835, trans. to the Unit. Philad. 1836.

GEORGE WILHELM, born Nov. 1830, 1830-1835, 1835-1840, 1840-1845, 1845-1850, 1850-1855, 1855-1860, 1860-1865, 1865-1870, 1870-1875, 1875-1880, 1880-1885, 1885-1890, 1890-1895, 1895-1900, 1900-1905, 1905-1910, 1910-1915, 1915-1920, 1920-1925, 1925-1930, 1930-1935, 1935-1940, 1940-1945, 1945-1950, 1950-1955, 1955-1960, 1960-1965, 1965-1970, 1970-1975, 1975-1980, 1980-1985, 1985-1990, 1990-1995, 1995-2000, 2000-2005, 2005-2010, 2010-2015, 2015-2020, 2020-2025, 2025-2030, 2030-2035, 2035-2040, 2040-2045, 2045-2050, 2050-2055, 2055-2060, 2060-2065, 2065-2070, 2070-2075, 2075-2080, 2080-2085, 2085-2090, 2090-2095, 2095-2000.

JOSEPH HENDERSON, M.A., ord. Nov. 1852, 1852-1855, 1855-1860, 1860-1865, 1865-1870, 1870-1875, 1875-1880, 1880-1885, 1885-1890, 1890-1895, 1895-1900, 1900-1905, 1905-1910, 1910-1915, 1915-1920, 1920-1925, 1925-1930, 1930-1935, 1935-1940, 1940-1945, 1945-1950, 1950-1955, 1955-1960, 1960-1965, 1965-1970, 1970-1975, 1975-1980, 1980-1985, 1985-1990, 1990-1995, 1995-2000, 2000-2005, 2005-2010, 2010-2015, 2015-2020, 2020-2025, 2025-2030, 2030-2035, 2035-2040, 2040-2045, 2045-2050, 2050-2055, 2055-2060, 2060-2065, 2065-2070, 2070-2075, 2075-2080, 2080-2085, 2085-2090, 2090-2095, 2095-2000.

JAMES SYMES, M.A., born London, 1804, 1804-1810, 1810-1815, 1815-1820, 1820-1825, 1825-1830, 1830-1835, 1835-1840, 1840-1845, 1845-1850, 1850-1855, 1855-1860, 1860-1865, 1865-1870, 1870-1875, 1875-1880, 1880-1885, 1885-1890, 1890-1895, 1895-1900, 1900-1905, 1905-1910, 1910-1915, 1915-1920, 1920-1925, 1925-1930, 1930-1935, 1935-1940, 1940-1945, 1945-1950, 1950-1955, 1955-1960, 1960-1965, 1965-1970, 1970-1975, 1975-1980, 1980-1985, 1985-1990, 1990-1995, 1995-2000, 2000-2005, 2005-2010, 2010-2015, 2015-2020, 2020-2025, 2025-2030, 2030-2035, 2035-2040, 2040-2045, 2045-2050, 2050-2055, 2055-2060, 2060-2065, 2065-2070, 2070-2075, 2075-2080, 2080-2085, 2085-2090, 2090-2095, 2095-2000.

ANDREW DOUGLAS, born 21st Jan. 1875, 1875-1880, Andrew Douglas, maker, and Margaret Richardson, daughter of Rev. Dr. Thomas Richardson, M.A., 1880-1885, 1885-1890, 1890-1895, 1895-1900, 1900-1905, 1905-1910, 1910-1915, 1915-1920, 1920-1925, 1925-1930, 1930-1935, 1935-1940, 1940-1945, 1945-1950, 1950-1955, 1955-1960, 1960-1965, 1965-1970, 1970-1975, 1975-1980, 1980-1985, 1985-1990, 1990-1995, 1995-2000, 2000-2005, 2005-2010, 2010-2015, 2015-2020, 2020-2025, 2025-2030, 2030-2035, 2035-2040, 2040-2045, 2045-2050, 2050-2055, 2055-2060, 2060-2065, 2065-2070, 2070-2075, 2075-2080, 2080-2085, 2085-2090, 2090-2095, 2095-2000.

PETER HILL MCQUELL, born 16th Dec. 1919, 1919-1924, assistant at St. Andrews, N.Y., 1924-1929, 1929-1934, 1934-1939, 1939-1944, 1944-1949, 1949-1954, 1954-1959, 1959-1964, 1964-1969, 1969-1974, 1974-1979, 1979-1984, 1984-1989, 1989-1994, 1994-1999, 1999-2004, 2004-2009, 2009-2014, 2014-2019, 2019-2024, 2024-2029, 2029-2034, 2034-2039, 2039-2044, 2044-2049, 2049-2054, 2054-2059, 2059-2064, 2064-2069, 2069-2074, 2074-2079, 2079-2084, 2084-2089, 2089-2094, 2094-2099, 2099-2004.

ALEXANDER CLARK, born Letham, parish of Monifieth, 26th Dec. 1884, 1884-1889, son of Robert Clark, shoemaker, and Georgina Watt Small, educated at Cupar Life School and Univ. of St. Andrews 1893-1900, been by Presb. of Perth in

1911; assistant at Markinch; ord. to Eddrachillis 27th March 1912; trans. to Unstrut Nov. 1912; trans. to Dunnichen 14th Dec. 1916; trans. and adm. 6th June 1923. Marr. 3rd July 1912, Mary MacLaren, daugh. of Daniel Hamilton, Greenock, and has issue: Sara Hamilton, born 3rd June 1919; Alice MacLaren, born 15th July 1921.

INVERBROTHOCK Q.S.,

[A chapel was opened here on 19th Oct. 1828. On 7th March 1855 the parish of Inverbrothock was disjoined from St Vigean's.]

JAMES MELVILLE McCULLOCH,
1829 M.A.; elected 3rd Nov. 1828; ord.
25th Feb. 1829; trans. to Kelso 27th
Sept. 1832.

ROBERT LEE, M.A.; elected 13th Feb.
1833 and ord. 10th April 1833; trans. to
Campsie 5th May 1836.

JAMES LUMSDEN, elected 12th Oct.
1836 and ord. 22nd Dec. 1836; trans. to
Barry 3rd May 1838.

DAVID CRICHTON, born Kirkpatrick
1838 Irongray, 1802, son of Andrew C.
farmer, and Margaret Cowan; educated at
Univs. of Edinburgh and St Andrews;
sometime teacher of a private
school at Anstruther Easter, and English
Master in Madras College, St Andrews;
licen. by Presb. of St Andrews 27th March
1833; called 15th Oct., and ord. 6th Dec.
1838. Joined the Free Church in 1843;
min. of Inverbrothock Free Church,
1843-88; LL.D. (Tusculum College, Ten-
nessee, U.S.A., Jan. 1869); died 4th Feb.
1888. He marr. 1832, Margaret Scott
Smith, and had issue: Andrew, B.A., min.
of Chapelshill Free Church, Dundee,
born 1837, died 1867; Margaret Stalker
(marr. 1868, George Ogilvy Elder, min.
of Free Church, Berque, Kirkcudbright-
shire). Publications: *Departure at Hand*,
a sermon (Perth, 1851); Sermon XLVIII,

Free Church Polity, i.e. Lectures on Ecclesiastical History
(Memoir by George O. Elliot).

JAMES LAW, born in or near Leeside
1846 Glasgow in 1796, son of Peter Law and
Margaret Davidson; originally a
working man who set himself late in life
to study for the ministry; educated at
Priv. of St Andrews; app. to Mariners'
Chapel, Dundee, 3rd March 1839. Joined
the Free Church in 1843; sympathising
with the doctrines of Edward Irving he
was suspended by the Presb., but expressing
contrition, was restored. Readmitted
to Church of Scotland, but immediately
suspended in consequence of a letter from
Henry Horsley, Dean of Brechin, in
which the writer showed how Law had begun
to entertain doubts as to the validity of his
Presbyterian ordination, and contemplated
taking orders in the Church of England.
The suspension was removed and he was
app. to South Church, Kirriemuir, 24th
April 1845; ord. to this charge 29th Jan.
1846; adm. first min. of the parish in 1855;
died unmarr. at Arbroath, 4th Oct. 1860.
[Norrie's *Dundee Celebrities*, 1854-60.]

JOHN McCALMAN, ord. 16th May
1861; trans. to Inch and Sutleat
(Stranraer) 19th June 1862.

CHARLES CADELL MACDONALD,
1862 M.A.; ord. 26th Dec. 1862; trans. to
New Rothesay 9th March 1876.

GEORGE LOGAN, born Glasgow, 1st
1876 June 1839; educated at Univ. of
Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Glasgow;
ord. to Newmains Chapel 6th Aug. 1868;
trans. and adm. 29th Sept. 1876; died 24th
July 1897. He marr. Helen, daugh. of
William Russell, and had issue: Christina
Kirkhope Craig, born 16th Oct. 1876;
Sarah Caroline, born 23rd Dec. 1877;
David Dale, D.S.O., lieut.-colonel, engineer-in-
chief, born 26th Aug. 1879; George
Hugh, born 12th April 1881; William,
born 27th May and died 3rd June 1882;
Norman Russell, born 26th Aug. 1883;
Percy William, born 10th June 1885, died
13th May 1886; Helen Percy, born 8th July
1887; Agnes Jeannie, born 19th Oct. 1888.

DAVID GRAHAM, trans. from Bethel,
 1803—late, and adm. 16th Feb. 1878; trans.
 to St Gilbert's Chapel, Glasgow, 7th July 1893.

THOMAS DOW STEWART, born 10th
 1904—Aug. 1862, son of Robert Paton Sa-
 bookseller, and Helen Dow, educated at
 Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of
 Glasgow in 1887; ord. to Preston, N. via
 Scotia, 1888; res. in 1890; assistant at
 Kilmacolm, adm. to Stepps 16th Feb., 1904;
 trans. and adm. 18th Feb. 1904; died 2nd
 June 1909. He marr. Agnes Duncan, but
 had no issue.

GEORGE HITCHCOCK, born Gar-
 mouth, Morayshire, 13th May 1873,
 1909—son of James H. and Margaret Gray,
 educated at Milne's Institution, Fochabers, and
 Univ. of Aberdeen, M.A. 1896, B.D. 1899;
 licen. by Presb. of Elgin April
 1899; assistant at Crieff; ord. to Black-
 ford 16th Sept. 1901; trans. and adm. 20th
 Dec. 1901. Marr. 6th Sept. 1903, Margaret
 Ann, daugh. of Alexander Spence, and his
 issue Annie Morrison Gray, born 21st
 Aug. 1901; Jane Spence, born 13th June
 1906.

LADYLOAN (Q.S.).

[A chapel was built here in 1837. The
 parish of Ladyloan was disjoined from
 Arbroath and St Vigeans on 19th July
 1865.]

JAMES MACBETH, ord. 17th Oct.
 1837—1837; trans. to Laurieston, Glas-
 gow, 20th Jan. 1842.

ALEXANDER LESLIE, born Aberdeen,
 1842—1914, son of George L., merchant,
 Aberdeen; educated at Grammar School,
 Marischal College, and Univ. of
 Aberdeen, 1833-7; licen. by Presb. of ABER-
 DEEN in 1840; app. lecturer in John Knox
 Church, Aberdeen; ord. in 1842. Joined
 the Free Church in 1843; min. of Lady-
 loan Free Church, 1843-79; of Bon Accord
 Free Church, Aberdeen, 1879-81; died
 11th May 1878. He marr. 1846, Isabella
 Morison. [Gammie's *The Churches of*
Aberdeen, 94.]

ARCHIBALD BUCHANAN, ord. Sept.
 1847—trans. to St Thomas's, Leith,
 13th Feb. 1851.

JAMES EWEN MACDOUGALL, born
 1851—Kilm., 13th May 1812, son of Hugh
 Macmillan of Kilm., educated at
 Univ. of Edinburgh; assistant at Linton;
 ord. 11th July 1851; adm. first min. of the
 parish in 1855; res. 13th Aug. 1901; died
 in Arbroath 23rd Dec. 1901. He
 marr. Mary Ann, sp. daugh. of David
 Loison, town clerk, Arbroath, and Mary
 Colville.

JOHN McWILLIAM, born Sept. 31st
 1801—July 1871, son of Thomas M. and
 Margaret Hutchison; educated at
 Ayr Academy and Univ. of Edinburgh;
 M.A. 1801; B.D. 1805; licen. by Presb.
 of Ayr in 1805; assistant at St Georges,
 Glasgow, and Bonhill; ord. 26th Dec. 1901.
 Marr. 12th June 1912, Elizabeth Glouc,
 daughter of James Batterby, Bellshills,
 and Margaret Sutherland.

ST MARGARET'S (Q.S.).

[A church was opened here 13th Nov.
 1879. St Margaret's Parish was disjoined
 from Inverbroughton, St Vigeans, and
 Arbroath, 15th March 1886.]

WILLIAM PROUDFOOT, M.A.; ord.
 1879—26th Dec. 1879; adm. first min.
 of the parish in 1886; trans. to
 Second Charge, Haddington, 20th Nov.
 1891.

ALEXANDER MIDDLETON, M.A.,
 B.D.; ord. 12th July 1892; trans. to
 Gardner Memorial Parish, Brechin,
 27th Sept. 1896.

DAVID MELVILLE STEWART, trans.
 1900—from Queensferry, and adm. 25th
 Feb. 1900; trans. to St Matthew's,
 Edinburgh, 6th Jan. 1904.

WILLIAM DESTERRE ROBERTS
 MACLEOD, born Jedburgh, 28th
 1894—Oct. 1877, fourth son of Donald Ma-
 cLeod, min. of Jedburgh, afterwards of St
 Columba's, London; educated at South
 Kensington College, London, George Wat-
 son's College, Edinburgh, and Univ. of St

Andrews; M.A. (1900), B.D. (1902); licen. by Presb. of St Andrews in 1902; assistant at Troon Parish, Edinburgh; ord. 11th May 1904; died unmarr. at Fassfern, Kilmallie (where as a student he had been tutor to the son of Everard Jones), 16th July 1907, and was buried in Kilmallie churchyard, "a bright and lovable presence, a pure white soul, a gifted mind, a true heart." To his memory a brass lectern was placed in Kilmallie Church. [*A Short Sketch of the Life of the Rev. W. D. E. R. Macleod* (portrait), (Edinburgh, 1912).]

DAVID FRASER LIDDELL, M.A.,
1907 B.D.; trans. from Tannadice, and
adm. 26th Dec. 1907; trans. to Blackfriars, Glasgow, 9th May 1913.

ROBERT SMITH MACKINTOSH,
1916 born Cupar-Fife, 4th March 1882, son of Alexander M. and Grace Smith; educated at Madras Academy, Cupar, George Heriot School, Edinburgh, and Univs. of Glasgow and Paris; became a journalist; student missionary at St Matthew's and Kelvinside, Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Glasgow May 1913; assistant at Kelvinside, Glasgow; ord. to Annbank 5th June 1913; trans. and adm. 6th Dec. 1913; trans. to Girvan 27th June 1923. Marr. 25th Dec. 1917, Ella, daugh. of Andrew Spalding, Lochore, and Mary Ann Aneell, and has issue—Moira Aneell Spalding, born 10th April 1919, died 25th Jan. 1920; Andrew Spalding, born 1st Sept. 1921; a daugh., born 10th April 1924.

WILLIAM EWART GLADSTONE
1923 MILLER, M.A., B.D.; trans. from
Laurieston, Glasgow (*q.v.*), 18th Dec.
1923. Marr. 2nd Nov. 1920, Dorothy, younger daugh. of C. H. Blackwood, South Shields, and has issue—Kenneth Gladstone, born 20th Sept. 1921; Pamela Dorothy Gladstone, born 18th Nov. 1922.

ST NINIAN'S CHAPEL.

[Opened as a Chapel of Ease on 24th Jan. 1886.]

WILLIAM GRANT, M.A., B.D. [after-
1887 wards min. of Drumblade].

ARCHIBALD ALLAN, M.A.; app. to
1829 St Ninian's Chapel Oct. 1889; ord.
to Channelkirk 23rd Dec. 1891 (*cf.*
Vol. II, 118). Publication *The Transfiguration of Jesus* (Edinburgh, 1923).

WILLIAM BLACK JACK, app. in
May 1891; ord. May 1893; trans.
1891 to Calderruix 16th April 1896.

JAMES MALCOLM HUNT, ord. 19th
1896 Aug. 1896; trans. to Belize 16th
Nov. 1904; trans. to Kingston,
Jamaica, 1923.

AUCHMITHIE (Q.S.).

[The parish of Auchmithie was disjoined from St Vigeans on 15th March 1886.]

JAMES CHRISTIE, born Berryleys,
1886 Fordyce, Banffshire, 17th March
1856; son of William C. and Mary
Stewart; educated at Deskford School and
Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A. (1880); licen. by
Presb. of Aberdeen 2nd May 1882; assistant
at Dunkeld and at St John's, Edinburgh;
ord. first min. of the parish 18th May 1886;
died 25th Dec. 1906. He marr. 8th June
1892, Eliza Matilda (*s.p.*), daugh. of the Rev.
Thomas Hill.

ROBERT INGRAM, born Newmill, 6th
1907 Aug. 1874, son of James I. and Ann
Lorimer; educated at Keith Academy
and Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A. (1897), B.D.
(1900); licen. by Presb. of Strathbogie in
1900; assistant at Marnoch, Rosemount,
Kilsyth, Bothwell, and Gartsherrie; ord.
17th May 1907.

BARRY, OR OLD FOTHMUREE.

[The church of Barry was dedicated of old to St Marnoch, but later to St Stephen. It belonged to the Abbey of Balmerino.]

CHARLES MICHELSON, reader in
1560 1560; min. in 1584.

ANDREW AUCHINLECK, min. in
1567 1567, with Murroes also in his
charge and Monifieth in 1574, to
which parish he removed about 1576.—
[*Reg. Assig.*]

CHARLES MICHELSON trans. from
1591 Aulard, and adm. before 31st May
 1584; returned to Aulard before
 1st June.

JOHN GARDYNE, M.A., St Andrews
1591 1st July, in manum 17th Sept., died 6th Sept.
 1611, having been accused of im-
 morality.

JAMES STRACHAN, M.A., adm. 27th
1611 8th April 1611, trans. to Kinneff in 1619.

ANDREW WOOD, M.A., presby. by
1619 James VI, before 16th April 1619,
 and adm. soon after, trans. to Mont-
 eth 1st April 1632.

PATRICK MAGGILL, M.A., presby. by
1632 Charles I, 20th May 1632, and adm.
 soon after, trans. to Montrose after
 26th March 1632.

WILLIAM AUCHINLECK, M.A., St
1642 Andrews 1626, adm. to Montrose
 probably collapses before 31st Aug.
 1633, presby. Charles I, 2nd Jan. 1642,
 trans. and adm. soon after, died before
 10th March 1643. He marr'd Jean, daughter
 of John Dunbar, min. of Montrose. [Rep.
 Sec. 8, 8.]

PATRICK LYON, born 1602, son of
1633 Andrew Ly, of Balhillo, citizen of
 Brochin, educated at Univ. and
 King's Coll., Aberdeen; M.A. (1623),
 adm. (probably collapses) before 10th Dec.
 1633, presby. Charles I, 27th March 1633;
 trans. and adm. soon after, was a member
 of Commission of Assembly in 1638, died
 March 1658. He marr'd (1) Nov. 1623
 Isobel, daughter of Hercules Crandall of
 Balhillo, and had issue: Patrick of Car-
 nethie, advocate, 1678; Mary of heir (died
 Jan. 1663), died July 1686; his father left
 him his book that the Lord had pleased to
 make him a preacher, meantime they
 were to be given to the boy's uncle, James
 Crandall, min. of Fern, that, if his son did
 not need them, they were to be enjoyed
 by him. Agnes marr. Hercules Skinner,
 min. of Fettercairn; a daughter, marr.
 William Chalmers, min. of Glams. [Rep.
 Sec. 8, 8, 1, 1st Ante, & Tests.]

8th, Sec. 1, 1st Ante, & Tests. *Inq. Ret. Gen.*,
 p. 39, 4721, b. P. 6, 881, *Recd. of Deeds*, dñ,
 215, *Letters Recd.*, i., 363.]

JOHN SOUTAR, M.A., St Andrews,
1650 1st June 1652, adm. before 3rd
 Nov. 1650, suspended for anti-
 royalist fervour in 12th March 1650, but
 released 12th July following, with his wife
 and son of distinction from Sir James Merton
 of Albie for 22nd marks, 23rd April 1661,
 and probably admitted. His marr. Marion
 Hydeburn.

JOHN JOHNSTONE, of Wardynhoe,
1662 second son of David J. of Wardynhoe,
 educated at Marischal Coll.,
 Aberdeen, 1649-53, adm. before 3rd
 Oct. 1662, died before 27th Jan. 1681.
 His marr. Marion Hydeburn, probably
 widow of his predecessor, and with her
 discharged the debt aforementioned to Sir
 James Merton. [Rep. Sec. 8, p. 1, Connell
 & Tait, iii., 6, R. I. 2, 2nd July 1680.]

JAMES CARNEGIE, of Craigie, born
1681 about 1640, son of David Carnegie of
 Farnell to whom he was ayo'd heir
 12th July 1673, educated at St Andrews
 Univ.; M.A. (23rd July 1679); passed
 trials before Presb. of Brochin, and licen.
 by David, Bishop of Brochin, 26th Jan.
 1693; ord. by said Bishop before 29th
 March, and adm. to Redcorton 2nd April
 1693, presy. by Charles II, 27th Jan., trans.
 and adm. 7th April 1681; died 6th Dec.
 1701. He marr'd Ann, died 30th Dec. 1739,
 daughter of John Gardyne of Lawton, and
 had issue: David of Craigie, Elizabeth
 marr. (1) Robert Arbutinect; (2) Sir
 James, Nielson of Lesswade, Bart.;
 Helen, Mardon, born 1682 (marr. John
 Muir of Ardikie, died 21st Dec. 1771);
 Agnes marr. Thomas Ozilvie of Kinaldie;
 Catherine marr. (1) Pearson; (2) Ann
 marr. (1) Dickson of Stonefield). - [Rep.
 Sec. 8, 8, 1, 1st Ante, & Tests.]

ALEXANDER ARCHIBALD, studied
 at Marischal College, Aberdeen;
1701 M.A. (1694), licen. by United Presb.
 of Brochin and Airneath 23rd Nov. 1702;
 called by a committee of Synod *jure
 locuti* 17th Nov. 1703, ord. 22nd Feb.

1794; died 4th July 1724. He marr. Ann Kennedy, and had issue—Jane (marr. William Dawling, officer of excise, Maybole), a daughter. [Glasgow *Testis*, 6th May 1731.]

WILLIAM DALL, called 18th Sept. 1724 and ord. 19th Nov. 1724; died 27th Sept. 1775. He marr. 11th March 1729, Rachel Russel, who died 1st Sept. 1755, and had issue—Rachel, born 1727 (marr. 15th Oct. 1762, John Speid, merchant, Dundee); Anne, born 10th July 1730 (marr. 11th April 1763, George Grant, excise officer, Blair Atholl, and tacksman of Bellieforth and Faskally, Strathspey); Thomas, born 10th Aug. 1732; Janet, born 20th Nov. 1734 (marr. 3rd May 1763, James Walker of Daifhill, Collessie), died April 1824; Marjory, born 15th Sept. 1740 (marr. 3rd May 1763, George Thomson of Nolthill).—[G. R. Sims, clxxix., 391.]

DAVID SIM [or **SIMM**], born 1753, son of a farmer at Panlathie, of the **1776** Greenlandhill family; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Arbroath 3rd Jan. 1776; pres. by George III. 24th Feb., and ord. 19th Sept. 1776; died 1st Oct. 1823. He marr. 6th May 1786, Agnes Maule (died 15th Aug. 1839), and had issue—James Milne, Captain H.E.I.C.S., born 21st March 1787, died 3rd July 1827; Elizabeth, born 13th June 1788; Margaret, born 7th Feb. 1790, died 7th April 1797; Jean, born 3rd Sept. 1791; John, born 22nd July 1793, died 26th Oct. 1796; David, born 28th Jan. 1795; Margaret, born 11th June 1797; Robert, licentiate, born 31st March 1801, died 20th March 1825; Wilhelmina, born 22nd Dec. 1804. Publication—*Account of the Parish* (Sinclair's *Stat. Rec.*, iv.).

JOHN KIRK, pres. by George IV. 17th Oct. 1823; ord. 21st June 1824; trans. to Arbirlot 28th Dec. 1837.

JAMES LUMSDEN, born Dysart, Fife, in Jan. 1810, eldest son of James L. **1833** merchant, and Margaret, daughter of Robert Oswald, shipmaster, Dysart; educated at Dysart School and Univ. of St

Audews and Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Kirkcaldy Oct. 1831; a deacon at Larbert and Dunipace, 1833-5; app. city missionary at Dunfermline in 1835; ord. to Inverbroomock 22nd Dec. 1836; pres. by Queen Victoria 1st Jan., trans. and adm. 3rd May 1838. Joined the Free Church in 1843; min. of Barry Free Church, 1843-56; app. Professor of Systematic and Pastoral Theology and Early Church History in Free Church College, Aberdeen, 13th Aug. 1856; app. first Principal of that College in 1864; D.D. of St Andrews, 13th Feb. 1866; received Order of Knight of the North Star, Sweden, 1871; died unmarr. 7th Oct. 1875. He took a deep interest in the religious life of Sweden, which he frequently visited, and where he was familiarly known as the "Scots Professor." Publications—*The Duty of Nations to the Church, and their Danger in Neglecting it* [a sermon] (London, 1845); *Infant Baptism: its Nature and Objects* (Edinburgh, 1853) [withdrawn from circulation on account of the attacks made upon it by Alexander Hislop, author of *The Two Babylons*]; *Sweden: its Religious State and Prospects* (1855); *The Difference between Free and Establish'd Churches* (1858); Sermon XXXVI. (*Free Church Pulpit*, i.); *The Place that Temporal Death has in the Economy of Grace* (Aberdeen, 1872); joint editor of *The Presbyterian* [the organ of the non-intrusion party in Forfarshire] (1843-6); Account of the Parish (*New Stat. Rec.*, xi.), [McBain's *Eminent Arbroathians* (portrait, 334-44); *Memorial and Estimate* by John Rae (1876); *Life*, by David Brown, D.D.]

WILLIAM SIMPSON, pres. by Queen Victoria 7th Sept., and ord. 3rd Nov. 1843; dep. (by General Assembly) 30th May 1851; died 5th March 1865. He marr. 5th May 1844, Margaret Smith, who died 18th March 1855, and had issue—Margaret, born 18th March 1845; Janet Isabella, born 19th June 1846; William, born 17th Sept. 1849.

JAMES SOMMERS, born Stirling, 1811, eldest son of Robert S., artificer; educated at Univ. of Glasgow; ord. to St. James's Chapel, Forfar, 3rd Jan.

1860, pres. by Queen Victoria, with annotations and vols. 15th Sept. 1851, died 22nd June 1866. He marr. Margaret, died 25th Oct. 1870, daughter of William Carruthers, farmer.

CHARLES FINDLATER, STEVENSON SON, born Wilton, Hawick, 27th April 1831, son of David Stevenson of Wilton, educated at Univ. of Edinburgh, born by Presb. of Jedburgh, ord. to St. Cuthill 10th May 1856, pres. by Queen Victoria 6th Aug., trans. and ord. 26th Nov. 1863, died unmarried at Maudeth, 13th July 1895.

JOHN HEGGIE, born Belfair, Markinch, 21st July 1865, son of Robert H. and Grace Cottin, educated at Thornton School and Univ. of St. Andrews, licen. by Presb. of St. Andrews in 1882, assistant at Lewis, ord. assistant and successor 25th Oct. 1896. He marr. 21st Aug. 1899, Jessie Carrie, daughter of John Anderson, M.D., Camerton, and Isabella Glegg, and has issue John Keith, born 6th June 1900.

CARMYLINE.

[A chapel of St. Mary was built at Carmylie in or about 1110. The parish of Carmylie was disjoined from Penicke, St. Vigeans, and Inverkearn, and was erected by Act of Parliament on 24th June 1660. At Both, within the bounds, stood a chapel of St. Lawrence. There was a Well of Our Lady at Milton of Carmylie.]

THOMAS STRACHAN, chaplain, died before 1660.

DAVID LINDSAY, M.A., pres. by James Strachan of Carmylie 1st May 1660, trans. to Kinneff before 20th Sept. 1660. [Pfrs. of Clergy.]

GEORGE OCHTERLONY, brother of David O., burgess of Airthrey 1610 M.A. St. Andrews 1660; died before 1619, still min. 3rd April 1619, when he was accused of having caused scandal by his marriage. [Reg. Asy., Reg. of Decls., lxxviii, 28.]

HENRY FEEHILLOK (FATULLO);
1620 M.A. St. Andrews, 22nd July 1668; died before March 1620, still min. 21st April 1623. [See *Post.*]

PATRICK STRACHAN, M.A., pres. by George, Earl of Huntly, coll. 1650 and adm. in 1651, trans. to St. Vigeans 5th Nov. 1651.

ALEXANDER OCHTERLONY, son of John O., Provost of Brodick, and 1660 brother of John O., min. of Airthrey, M.A. (King's College, Aberdeen, 1661), passed trials before the Presb. of Glasgow, and was recommended for licence 17th March 1663; was entitled for ordination 2nd March 1663, and adm. 21st May 1663; died before 21st May 1684, aged about 42. He marr. Helen, third daughter of David Midie of Bryant, who had issue John, min. of Airthrey, who was second heir 21st July 1664. Robert, dean.

DAVID STRACHAN, born about 1662, 1684 son of above Patrick, educated at Univ. of St. Andrews, M.A. 26th July 1679, passed trials before the Presb., and was recommended for licence 26th July 1683, and for ordination 7th Nov. following, ord. 14th May 1684, died before 24th June 1700. He marr. Margaret Ochterlony, who died before 7th Sept. 1715. [Reg. of Decls., Mack., 17th July 1716.]

JAMES SCOTT, M.A. St. Andrews, 1710 12th July 1666, licen. by the United Presb. of Dundee, Meigle, and Forfar 7th Sept. 1666, called 16th March, app'd by the Presb. *pro tempore*, 26th April, and ord. 22nd Sept. 1710, died March 1724, aged about 41. He marr. Elizabeth Badine, who predeceased him, and had issue Elizabeth.

JAMES SMALL, educated at Univ. of St. Andrews, M.A. (3rd May 1710); 1720 licen. by Presb. of St. Andrews 29th April 1720, called 26th July, and ord. 23rd Sept. 1720, had a call to Fettercairn 16th Jan. 1723, but the Synod refused translation, died 3rd Jan. 1771. He marr. 24th Sept. 1723, Lilles Scott, who died 4th Feb.

1775, and had issue: James, born 6th Dec. 1730; Robert, D.D., min. of Dundee, born 12th Dec. 1732; Anne, William, born 13th Oct. 1734.

PATRICK BRYCE, born 1732, son of **1771** Patrick Bryce, educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Arbroath 4th July 1762; pres. by George III, 1st Jan., and ord. 17th Oct. 1771; died 21st June 1846. He marr. 25th Nov. 1771, Mary Alken, who died 16th Sept. 1801, aged 72, and had issue: an only child, Mary, born 5th Feb. 1773; marr. John Webster, min. of Inverness. Publication
Account of the Parish Sinclair's Stat. Arbroath.

WILLIAM ROBERTSON, born Gartly, **1817** 1773, son of William Robertson, educated at Univ. and King's College, Aberdeen, M.A., 2nd April 1803, and Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Brechin 28th Aug. 1811; schoolmaster of Clatt, pres. by George, Prince Regent, 13th July 1816; ord. 3rd April 1817; died 27th Nov. 1836. He marr. 25th Aug. 1824, Dorothea, died 11th Jan. 1875, daughter of David Trail, D.D., min. of Psalbridge, and had issue: William, born 30th Oct. 1825; David Trail, born 28th March 1827; Elizabeth Jane, born 29th Nov. 1828; James, born 12th Feb. 1831; Margaret Mary Ann, born 12th Jan. 1834. Publications: Author of many songs, epistles, and ballads: "The Song o' the Starvin' Poet"; "The Laird Baron of Gartly"; "The Laddies of Bonny Scotland"; &c.

WILLIAM WILSON, born in a sheep **1837** herds' cottage at Blawearie, parish of Westruther, Berwickshire, 15th June 1805, son of Andrew Wilson and Agnes Rutherford; educated at Westruther School and Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Leedr in 1833; parochial missionary in Glasgow, 1833-7, during part of which period he edited the *Scottish Christian*, a bi-weekly paper, the organ of the Evangelical party in the Church of Scotland; pres. by the Presby. *reindebut*, after considerable opposition by the Crown, who pres. 6th May 1837, James Watson, min.

at Embleton, near Alnwick) 2nd Apr., and ord. 22nd Sept. 1837. Joined the Free Church in 1833, min. of the Free Church, Carmylie, 1838-8, of Free Mariner, afterwards St. Paul's Free Church, Dundee, 1848-77 (min. *emeritus* 1877-88); was clerk to Free Presb. of Dundee, and to Free Synod of Angus and Mearns; convener of Home Mission Committee, 1863-73; elected Moderator of Free Church General Assembly 24th May 1866; app. junior clerk of Assembly in 1868; D.D., Edinburgh 1870; app. secretary of the Suspension Fund Committee in 1877; app. senior clerk of Assembly in 1884; died in Edinburgh 4th Jan. 1888. He was one of the most remarkable mins. of his time, a lover of hard work, a scholar, a preacher of note, a skilled polemic, with the most intimate knowledge of Church history and law, and business qualifications of a high order. He was a beloved figure amongst all classes. Charles Hadden Spurgeon, who visited the General Assembly over which W. presided, was "charmed with the Moderator," in whom he found his "beau-ideal of a Scottish divine and ecclesiastic." He marr. 13th Jan. 1840, Eliza Smith, died 25th Feb. 1860, daughter of Alexander White of Driminstermont, Forfar, and Helen Farquhar, and had issue:

Helen Farquhar, born 26th Aug. 1841, died 17th Feb. 1890; Agnes Martin, born 11th July 1843; marr. Irvine Driminstermont; Andrew James, born 10th April 1845, died at Cocanada, Madras, 18th Aug. 1881; Eliza Jane, born 19th June 1847; Ann Isabella, born 16th Jan. 1849; marr. William Wilson; Mary Louis, born 17th Dec. 1850, died 26th Oct. 1868; Alexander White, born 1st Oct. 1853, died in India 15th July 1875; William, born 14th April 1855, died June 1898. Publications: *Statement of the Scriptural Argument for the Priority* (Edinburgh, 1842); *The Poor & Banishing Helpless Sons to Jesus* (Dundee, 1850); *The Kingdom of Our Lord is Christ* (Edinburgh, 1856); *The Heavenly Path* (Edinburgh, 1862); *Christ setting His Precious Jewels* (Dundee, 1878); *Memories of Robert Smith Candlish, D.D.* (Edinburgh, 1880).

*The Present State of the Manufacture of the Office Buildings of His Church, Free Church, Presbytery [Chalmers' Lecture 1857]; Christ's Carter the Church and His Duties [1858]. He edited Daniel Defoe's *Memoirs of the Robberies of the Cut-throat Devil*, Barth, 1843; and *Stirling's Virgil* (Barth, 1847); Sermons XXII., CXXVI., Lecture XIX., *Two Ch. of Popul.* I., II., "Biography of David Welsh, D.D." (*Discourse* B. Evans, Edinburgh, 1876); Account of the Parish *New Stat.* A., B., S., &c., xi. [Frontispiece to his portrait, 33558; *The Border Minstrel* (1880); *Annals of the Disruption*, 175, 223, 362; Smith's *Scottish Clergy*, no. 351; *Dict. Nat. Biog.*]*

PATRICK BELL, born Mid Lothian, 1801, son of George Bell, farmer, educated at Auchterhouse School and Univ. of St Andrews, became tutor to Charles Baillie, afterwards Lord Jerviswood, Senator of the College of Justice, and resided in Canada 1833-7, as tutor to the family of a Scottish settler; resumed teaching on his return to Scotland; pres. by Queen Victoria 15th Sept., and ord. 11th Dec. 1843, LL.D., St Andrews 1865; died 22nd April 1869. His ruling passion was mechanics, and even as a boy he devised a number of labour-saving appliances. His chief invention was the reaping machine, of which he constructed a model in 1827. In the year following a test was made with a larger machine on his brother's farm of Inchinchael, and at a competition in 1852 on the farm of Keiller, in which a number of rival American machines were in operation, that of Bell was pronounced by judges selected from Scotland, England, and Ireland, as "the best and most effective reaping machine that has yet been submitted to our notice. It is superior in every respect, both in principle and practice, to any of its rivals, which are only humble and defective imitations of the original." In 1867, at the Dundee meeting of the British Association, Dr Bell gave a full account of his invention, and in 1868 his machine was purchased for the museum of the Patent Office, where it now

is. Under the auspices of the Highland and Agricultural Society he was presented with a silver salver and the sum of £1000, in appreciation of his prominent services as the inventor of an efficient reaping-machine constructed in 1827. He married Oct. 1st, 1831, Jane, (died 22nd April 1911), daughter Alexander Lawson, Dundee, and Jean London, and had issue: Jessie, born 29th Aug. 1832; John, born 3rd Jan. 1832; Jane, born 29th Jan. 1833. [*Eminent Scottish Ministers*, p. 363-78; Nichol's *Register and Minutes of Edinburgh* 1860, 473; *Dict. Nat. Biog.*]

GEORGE ANDERSON, born Greenlaw, Berwickshire, 1827, son of William Anderson, and Elizabeth Redpath, and brother of James Anderson, minister of Kirkton; educated at Greenlaw School and Univs. of Edinburgh and St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Dumfries, assisted at St Andrews, Glasgow, prison chaplain at Stirling, ord. mis. rotary to Madras, India, 1863; res. in 1865; pres. by Queen Victoria 13th May, trans. and adm. 23rd July 1866; died unmarr. 21st Dec. 1903.

JAMES GORDON LYON, born Peterculter, 22nd March 1834, son of William Lyon, M.A., and Jean Gordon Stuart, educated at Grammar School and Univ. of Aberdeen, M.A. 1857, B.D. 1893; licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen 6th May 1860; assistant at St Stephen's, Broughty Ferry, and the Barony, Glasgow; ord. assistant and successor 18th Oct. 1869.

CARNOUSTIE (Q.S.).

[A chapel was opened here in 1838. The parish of Carnoustie was disjoined from Bury on 25th Nov. 1833.]

THOMAS DYMOCK, born Kelso, 18th Aug. 1806, son of John D., LL.D., 1838 compiler of *Bethany's Classical*, rector of the Grammar School of Kelso 1791-1808, afterwards classical master in the High School of Glasgow, and Jean Lockhart, educated at High School and Univ. of Glasgow, M.A. 1833; he intended to follow the medical profession,

but becoming impressed by the death of a fellow student, resolved to enter the ministry, and was licen. by Presb. of Glasgow 4th Dec. 1833; missionary at Gilmoreton; ord. (assistant) at Arbroath 22nd Feb. 1837; adm. to this charge 6th Nov. 1838. Joined the Free Church in 1843; min. of Carnoustie Free Church, 1843-51; min. of Free Middle Church, Perth, 1845-58; died in Edinburgh 4th Feb. 1888, and was buried in Wellshill Cemetery, Perth. He was a man of superior intellectual gifts and an excellent classical scholar. He marr. 29th Oct. 1830, Ruth (died 7th Sept. 1897), younger daugh. of James Bentley, Professor of Hebrew, King's College, Aberdeen, and Isabell Dingwall Fordyce, and had issue—John, M.A., min. of the Free Church, Kemnay, 1860-69, born 25th Jan. 1841, died 11th Feb. 1896; Isabell, born 8th Oct. 1842, died 16th Feb. 1879; James Bentley, banker, Edinburgh, born 21st Oct. 1844, died 28th July 1874; Margaret Addie, born 5th Nov. 1846; Thomas, C.A., Secretary of Scottish American Mortgage Co., Ltd., born 23rd Nov. 1848, died 22nd Aug. 1922; William, M.A., born 18th Dec. 1850, ord. min. of United Free Church, New Aberdour, 27th Aug. 1878; Ruth, born 9th May 1853. Publications. He assisted his father in the compilation of *Bibliotheca Classica* (London, 1833); Sermon LXXIV., Lecture XVIII., (*Free Church Pulpit*, ii., iii.).—[*The Border Am'rine* (1880).]

WILLIAM ALLAN, born 1823, son of 1857 William A., merchant, and Elizabeth Dickie; ord. 1st May 1857; died 12th Aug. 1859.

ROBERT FISHER, ord. 26th Jan. 1860; 1860 adm. first min. of the parish in 1863; trans. to St Boswells 17th June 1879 (cf. Vol. II., 193); died 18th Feb. 1891 (not 1901). His son, William White, died 1st Dec. 1918.

ALEXANDER ROBERTSON GIB- 1880 SON, born Fowlis Easter, 30th May 1844, son of David G. and Elizabeth Robertson; educated at Fowlis School, High School, Dundee, and Univ. of St

Andrews, licen. by Presb. of St Andrews in 1873; assistant at Old West Kirk Greenock; ord. to Patna, Ayrshire, 27th March 1876; trans. and adm. 7th Jan. 1880; dem. 11th June 1918. Marr. 10th May 1881, Kate Joan, daugh. of Alexander Bowie and Margaret Colville, and has issue Alexander Robertson, born 1st May 1884.

JAMES ALEXANDER FLEMING, 1919 trans. from St Thomas's Parish, Leith (q.v.), and adm. 6th Feb. 1919; res. 1921; died at Edinburgh 31st July 1921.

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COLLISTON (Q.S.).

[The parish of Colliston was disjoined from St Vigeans on 6th Dec. 1875.]

ALEXANDER THOM SCOTT, ord. 1871 16th Oct. 1871; adm. first min. of the parish in 1875; trans. to Bar- gie 11th Dec. 1876.

WILLIAM SMITH, ord. 11th May 1877; 1877 trans. to St Paul's, Dundee, 9th May 1883.

ALEXANDER MILLS, born Montrose, 1883 31st Jan. 1854, son of Alexander M. and Ann Watson; educated at St John's School, Montrose, and Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (1877); licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh in 1880; assistant at St Andrew's, Edinburgh; ord. 2nd Nov. 1883; app. clerk of Presb. in 1890; app. clerk to Synod of Angus and Mearns in 1919, Marr. 11th March 1885, Georgina, youngest daugh. of George Anderson, fish-eurer, Montrose, and Jessie Kelman, and has issue Alexander Harold, secretary and treasurer to Municipality of Kellross, Canada, born 15th Dec. 1885, died 12th Feb. 1924; Mary Kelman, M.A. (marr. 13th May 1916, Robert T. C. Moir, M.A., LL.B., assistant executive officer for the Education Authority of Forfarshire); Anita Watson M.A., born 15th Aug. 1889 (marr. 15th July 1915, James Arthur Colson Hay, M.A., English Master, Keith Grammar School); Ina Andrew, M.A., born 9th March 1891 (marr. 21st Nov. 1917, Charles Orford Allan, min. of Kirknewton); David

WILSON, born 1803, L. I., New York, served with Canadian in European War, born 9th Nov. 1896; James Keeling, Tailor, M.B., Ch.B., Goldthorpe, Yorkshire, surgeon, as captain R.A.M.C. in German East Afr. during War, born 13th Sept. 1893; George Anderson, farmer, Le Ress, Saskatchewan, which he operated at sea during War, born 11th April 1896; Arthur Kellman, student in science, University College, Dundee, born 26th Dec. 1902.

TRIOCKHEIM (Q.S.).

[Opened as an extension church in 1835. Disjoined from Kirkden and erected, *pro cœlum*, 28th Feb. 1875.]

THOMAS WILSON, born Glasgow, Lanarkshire, 1801, third son of James Wilson, farmer, educated at Univ. of Glasgow, licensed by Presb. of Lanark 16th May 1830, a minister at Middle Parish, Paisley, declined a call to Lenzie town Presbyterian Church in 1833, appointment at Trinity Parish, Edinburgh, ord. 16th Feb. 1837, sometime clerk of Presb. Joined the Free Church in 1843, min. of Frioekheim Free Church, 1843-72, died at Carnoustie 30th March 1872. Publication, Sermon CVII, *(Free Church Papers)*, no. 1 [Pres. Rec. vol. xi].

JAMES BLACK, born Airdrie, 1819, son of James Black, cotton manufacturer, and Jean Duncan; educated at Airdrie School and Univ. of Glasgow, licensed by Presb. of Hamilton, assistant at Larbert and Dunipace, ord. in 1845, became first min. of the parish in 1870, res. in 1877, died at Dundee 25th Dec. 1882. He married Isabella Cook.

ALEXANDER SETON, born 11th Jan. 1843, assistant at New Greyfriars, Edinburgh, ord. assistant and successor 14th Nov. 1877, died 17th May 1888, died in London 29th Aug. 1907. He married Maria Richardson, who died 3rd Feb. 1881, and had issue: Mary Mearns, born 24th Aug. 1876; George Alexander Davidson, born 22nd Aug. 1878; 2) 13th Nov. 1890, Lilla Edelse,

PATRICK ALCHIUR ANDREW, born 1833, Edinburgh, 16th May 1857, son of John Alchiur Andrew, M.A., educated at Edinburgh Institution and Univ. of Edinburgh, licensed Edinburgh, Ordination at Newcastle, 26th June 1857, licensed by General Assembly 26th June 1857, licensed by Presb. of Edinburgh, assistant at Melville, ord. 16th Sept. 1858, res. 1924.

GUTHRIE AND CARBUDDO.

[These parishes were united in the sixteenth century.]

Guthrie. The church of Guthrie was dedicated to St. Mary. It belonged to the Vicar of Ardreich. A collation foundation was granted to Guthrie in 1479 by Sir David Guthrie of that ilk and it was confirmed by Sir Alexander Guthrie in 1497.

Carbuddo. The church of the vicar of Carbuddo, dedicated to St. Bridget, was a manse'd kirk of Guthrie. The parish is sometimes called Kirkcudbie.

JAMES BALFOUR, min. in 1567, with Idbie [Kirkden] about the charge, 1568, trans. to Denside in 1574.

PATRICK LINDSAY, M.A., min. in 1568, trans. to St. Vigeans between 1588 and 1591, and 1593.

JOHN LINDSAY, son of John L. of Barres, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A., after 16th Dec. 1586, min. in 1593, was still min. in 1607, but seems to have removed soon afterwards. He was concerned in the slaying of Alexander Lord Spynie, in 1607. [Lindsay's *Life of the Lairds, 1586*; *Reed's Orig. Privileges Court, Fifes, m. 520*; *Farquharson*.]

DAVID LINDSAY, M.A., pres. by Alexander Guthrie of that ilk to 1568, the provostry of Guthrie and presbytery of Hilton and Langlands 29th Dec. 1568, adm. in 1568, trans. to Dundee before 1604.

THOMAS GLOVER, M.A. (St Andrews 1591); was an "expectant" in the Presb. in 1602; student and school master at Kirk of Arbirloch pres. by Alexander Guthrie of that ilk to the provostry of Guthrie 18th Jan. 1604 and prebend of Hilton and Langlands 2nd April 1604; died Nov. 1623, aged about 53. He marr. Margaret Gardyne, who survived him, and had issue Thomas; Margaret.

HENRY GUTHRIE, M.A.; adm. after 1623 1623; trans. to Stirling in 1632.

PATRICK LYON, M.A.; adm. before 1636 1636; trans. to Barry after 10th March 1643.

PATRICK LYELL, M.A. (St Andrews 1628); min. in 1655; died March 1660, aged about 51. He marr. Barbara Durie, who survived him, and had issue James; Patrick, merchant, Elsinore, served hir 18th Dec. 1685. [*Inq. Ret. Fofir*, 397; *G. R. Infib.*, 27th Feb. 1697.]

GEORGE STRACHAN, born 1632, son of John S.; was bursar to the Presb. 1663 of Perth in 1643; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (22th June 1652); "having preached during the long vacancie," he passed trials before the Presb., was certified for ordination 22nd Aug., and inst. 5th Dec. 1663; died Dec. 1692. He marr. 23rd Oct. 1670, Jean, daugh. of James Thomson, min. of Kinnell, and had issue James; Elspet; Magdalen; Catherine, who were served heirs portioners 13th Sept. 1694. [*Connell on Tithes*, iii.; *Inq. Ret. Fofir*, 532.]

JAMES GUTHRIE, a native of Angus, 1692 probably closely connected with the Guthries of Guthrie; M.A. (Kings College, Aberdeen, 1670); became servitor to the Bishop of Moray; schoolmaster of Rathven, 1675-83; had a certificate of licence from Presb. of Fordyce 31st Jan. 1678; adm. min. of Cambusnethan 16th Aug. 1685; deserted at the Revolution; called 18th Dec. 1692, and intruded here, where he continued under the protection

of the Guthrie family till the Rebellion of 1715. He marr. Margaret, daugh. of Laurence Skinner, min. of Brechin, and had issue John; Laurence; David; William; Alexander. [*Cambusnethan Ses.*; *Ret. Case of Greenshields*.]

FRANCIS ARCHIBALD, M.A. (St Andrews, 14th April 1704); pres. by Guthrie of that ilk; called by the Presb. *jure devoto* 1st Aug., and ord. 15th Nov. 1716. He sympathised with the Cameronian section, but having come under the influence of John Glas, min. of Tealing, founder of the Glassites, he joined that body and was dep. by the Synod 29th Jan. 1729. This sentence was recalled by the Commission of Assembly 12th Nov. that year, which, however, declared him to be no longer min. of this parish nor a min. of the Church of Scotland. He formed at Guthrie a congregation of the Glassites and ministered to them for a time. In 1741 he was app. Master of the Orphan Hospital, Edinburgh; died between 1742 and 1748. He marr. 27th Nov. 1718, Alison, daugh. of Robert Hunter, merchant, Dundee, who survived him s.p., and gave to above Hospital in 1748 £27, 15s. 6d. Publications

A Letter concerning his Case before the Assembly (1730); *Reasons of Complaint against the Commission in regard to him* (1731). [Wodrow's *Anal.*, iii. 358, 349, iv. 187, 261; *Act. of Ass.*, 1729, 1730; *Memoir of Mr. John Glas*; *Account of Orphan Hospital*; Hay's *Arbroath*, 232.]

JAMES ANDERSON, called 18th March, 1731 and ord. 13th May 1731; trans. to Lundie and Fowlis 27th Oct. 1736.

JAMES PURDIE, M.A.; called 21st April, and adm. 16th June 1737. In 1743 he was rebuked by the Presb. on his own confession for having consulted a necromancer for recovery of goods which had been stolen from him; trans. to Morham 19th July 1753.

THOMAS CRAIG, born about 1720, 1754 son of James C., farmer, Traprain; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Dunbar 7th Dec. 1743; pres. by John Guthrie of Guthrie 31st Oct.

1773; ord. 21st Feb. 1773; died unmarr. 16th April 1797.

JAMES WILLIAMS, born 1790; educated at Univ. of St Andrews, born 1796; son of Dr. James Williams, M.D., of Arbroath, died Oct. 1792; marr. to Barbara, daughter of Mr. John Smith, Sept. 1791; pres. by John Guthrie of Guthrie, Oct. 1797; trans. and adm. 16th Aug. 1798; died 3rd May 1818. He marr. 16th April 1819, Susan, daughter of Patrick McLean, widow of James Laidlaw, minister. Publication: *Account of Ruthven, Sinclair's Scott, 3, 1819, p. 76.*

JOHN PRICE, M.A.; pres. by John Guthrie of Guthrie in July, and ord. 1818; Presb. of Meigle 6th May 1818; pres. by John Guthrie of Guthrie in Jan., and ord. 12th May 1831; died 1st Jan. 1840. He marr. 2nd July 1834, Margaret, died 15th May 1886, daughter of Robert Hepburn, Perth, and had issue: Patrick Robert, born 2nd June 1835; David, born 10th Nov. 1836, died 19th Dec. 1839; John, born 22nd March 1838, died 13th Dec. that year; James, born 6th Dec. 1839. Publication: *Account of the Parish, Ave. 1818, 1, 1818, ad. [Tunstall].*

GEORGE ARKLAY, ord. 18th Feb. 1841; trans. to Inverkeilor 13th Oct. 1843.

WILLIAM RAMSAY, born 30th Jan. 1822, son of William Ramsay, min. of Alyth; educated at Alyth School and Univ. of St Andrews, born by Presb. of Meigle, ord. 18th Jan. 1844, died unmarr. 6th Jan. 1850.

PETER MILLIGAN, born Edinburgh, 1850; 17th Nov. 1822, son of George Milligan, D.D., min. of Elie; educated at Kilmarnock School and Univ. of St Andrews, born by Presb. of St Andrews, assistant at Larbert, ord. 2nd Aug. 1850, died 10th June 1863. He marr. 1st March 1853, Magdalene, died 27th Aug. 1912;

daughter of David Leighton of Bearhill, and Ann, Ann Valentine, and had issue: Agnes, Leighton, born 12th Jan. 1854, died 1st April 1875; Maudeline Patricia, born 1st May 1857, died 3rd Nov. 1864; Helen Wood, born 1st May 1859; Jane Peter, marr. 2nd June 1861, died 2nd Oct. 1869; George Colville, M.A., M.B.C.M., born 5th March 1863, died 23rd June 1903; David Leighton, born 18th March 1865, died 1st Nov. 1885; Patrick Fraser, M.A., W.S., Edinburgh, born 6th Dec. 1867; Winifred, born 27th Aug. 1869, died 29th Dec. 1907.

WILLIAM MC CONACHIE, M.A., ord. 1863; 28th Nov. 1863, trans. to Leader 16th Nov. 1864; 2, Vol. II, 1875, D.D., Aberdeen 1921; editor *Dialect & Poetry* by David Gilmore Macmillan of Montrose, Edinburgh, 1922.

WILLIAM GUTHRIE LAW, born 1807; 21st Oct. 1827, son of John Daniel Law, and Margaret Elizabeth Guthrie, born at Montreal Academy and Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1839; born by Presb. of St Andrews in 1842, as istate at Brechin, Montrose, St Ninians, Marykirk, ord. 18th April 1867.

INVERKEILOR.

[*Inverkeilor and Ethie.*] These parishes were reunited in the sixteenth century.

Inverkeilor Church. The church of Inverkeilor was dedicated to St Conan. It belonged to the Abbey of Arbroath. It contained an altar of St John the Baptist. There was a chapel in this parish, at Quhytfield, now called Cleperton.

Ethie. The church of Ethie, now a ruin, was dedicated to St Mungo. It belonged to the Abbey of Arbroath.

CHARLES ROSSIE, reader 1567 to 1567-1573.

1573 JOHN PITCAIRN, reader in 1573.

ANDREW STRACHAN, trans. from Nigg, and adm. in 1574, trans. to 1574 Maryton in 1575.

JOHN TULLERTON, min. in 1576; pres. to the vicarage of Athie by James VI, 1st July 1597; died in the Haldoun of Inverkeilor Dec. 1598. He marr. Margaret Ramsey, who survived him. Henry F., son of David F., burghs of Montrose, to whom he left his books, was probably his nephew.

ARTHUR FITTHE, min. of Airth 18th Dec. 1582; trans. to Kinnell after 1598—28th June 1587, trans. and adm. in 1598; pres. to the vicarage of Ethie by James VI, 13th Dec. 1598; he had also a gift of the "hald vicarage" of Inverkeilor 26th Oct. 1601 and 18th Feb. 1604. He was a zealous supporter of Episcopacy, and in 1606, when the Bishops rode in state to Parliament, his attendance was very conspicuous, "being at the stirrup of the Metropolitan with his cap at his knee." He was nominated by the Assembly constant Moderator of Presb., the members of which were charged by the Privy Council, 17th Jan. 1607, to receive him as such within twenty-four hours after notice under pain of rebellion. He was a member of Assembly 1602, 1608, 1610, and of the Court of High Commission March 1610; died 13th Aug. 1613. He is described as "a man of big stature." He marr. and had issue—James; Patrick; Nicolas; Margaret. [R.P. Assig.; Calderwood's *Hist.* iv, 569, v, 268, vi, 494, vii, 58, 105, App. 75; *Booke of the Kirk.*]

JOSHUA DURIE, born about 1570; eldest son of John D., min. of the First Charge, Montrose; entered St Leonard's College, St Andrews, 10th Dec. 1586; M.A. (St Andrews 1590); min. of the Second Charge, Montrose, 1594; trans. to Forfar about 1596; trans. to Logie Pert after 22nd March 1603; trans. to Second Charge, St Andrews, about 1607; pres. by James VI, 27th Oct. 1613; trans. and adm. soon after. He had a gift, 29th Aug. 1612, of a yearly pension of £140 from four of the lands of Altyre, "having repaired to the Court of England divers tymes for the oured and performance of his Highness's service." This gift was extended to his wife also. Died about 1631. He marr.

Euphane Maklene, and had issue—John; Nicolas (marr. David Meldrum, min. of St Cyrus); and others. [R.P. Assig.; Sig.]

ANDREW ELLIOT, elder son of James E., min. of Forfar; M.A. (St Andrews, 1631—16th July 1620); pres. by Charles I, 29th Nov. 1631; was a member of the Commission of Assembly in 1640; died June 1650, aged about 50. He marr. Margaret Lindsay, and had issue—James; David, apprenticed to George Suttie, merchant, Edinburgh, 23rd Dec. 1646. [Forfar *Sis.*, i, 368, 370; *Thib.*, 1st May 1684.]

JOHN RAIT of the family of Rait of Halgreen, Berwick; M.A. (King's College, Aberdeen, 1644); ord. to Second Charge, Montrose, 23rd Dec. 1647; trans. and adm. after 5th Sept. 1650; died Nov. 1685, aged about 62. He marr. (1) Elizabeth Beattie, who died 1st Dec. 1661, and had issue—James, born 1653, died in Nevis, West Indies, 1675; and six others; (2) Euphaine, eldest daugh. of David Mudie of Bryantown, who survived him, and had issue—David of Bryantown; Robert; Janet; Francis, min. of Kinnaird.

JAMES RAIT, born about 1648, probably nephew of preceding; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (25th July 1668); passed trials before the Presb., was recommended for licence by Archbishop, 11th Jan., and for ordination 21st March 1672; ord. (collegiate) 9th May 1672; ousted by the Privy Council for nonjurancy about 1703. He intruded at Lunan 21st April 1713, and again when residing at Montrose, and was dep. 5th June 1717 for Jacobitism; died before 1730. He marr. (1) 1677, Katherine, daugh. of David Mudie of Bryantown; (2) Nov. 1710, Elizabeth Smith, Montrose, and had issue—Margaret (marr. William Wallace, baillie of Montrose). [Brichin *Test.*; Forfar *Sis.*, vi, 382.]

ANDREW BRUCE, born 1670; M.A. (St Andrews, 22nd July 1693); licen. 1705 by Presb. of Dundee, Forfar, and Meigle, 25th Jan. 1700; ord. to Cortachy 23rd Sept. 1701; called 19th July 1704;

from his death, 21st May 1766, died at Edinburgh, 2nd June 1773. His mare, Catherine Best, who survived him, with a foal, was sold by the wife of the vicar, Mr. John Best, of the Barony of Ry, on 29th Nov. 1773.

WILLIAM HEBURN, born 17th April 1726, died 1st Jan. 1799. He left Leith to study at the Univ. of Edinburgh, M.A. 29th May 1743; chaplain to family of Brudenell-Preston, Baron by Presb. of Dunbar 3rd Oct. 1722; chaplain to Lord President D'Albemarle, called 26th Oct. 1726; ord. 21st June 1729; died unmarried 29th Feb. 1799.

THOMAS MATHISON, called 12th July, and ord. assistant, and 1750 successor 27th Sept. 1750; pres. to S. and Clergy, Brechin, 11th July 1754.

JOHN CARNEGIE, educated at Gray's Inn, Edinburgh, M.A. 23rd April 1755; called by Presb. of Haddington 3rd Sept. 1759; called 29th Oct. 1759; ord. assistant, and successor 29th Feb. 1761; died 29th Feb. 1806. He married, 11th Nov. 1760, Catherine, died 27th Nov. 1790, aged 57, a daughter of William Walker of St. Fort, Fife, and had issue Isabella, born 29th Oct. 1761; Alexander, minister of this parish, George, born 29th Feb. 1764, died 6th Sept. 1774; Anne, born 25th Dec. 1765; David, 3rd inst. Sept. 1767; Thomas, born 26th Jan. 1770, died 11th Jan. 1771; James, born 2nd Nov. 1771; John, born 31st March, died 16th Oct. 1774; George, born 11th Sept. 1776, died 6th Feb. 1777; William, born 17th April 1778. Publication Account of the Parish (Scribner's Series), 1874. [McBain's *Encyclopædia Britannica*, 1875.]

ALEXANDER CARNEGIE of Redhall, which he purchased in 1825, born 1799, 1st the Dec. 1792, son of preceding, educated at Marischal College and Univ., Aberdeen, M.A. 1783; licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen 3rd Sept. 1788; ord. assistant 29th Sept. 1793; pres. by George III, in April, and adm. assistant and successor

29th May 1796, died 1 Jan. 1836. He married 28th Sept. 1794, and she died 3rd June 1825, and had a son Adam Skivington, minister of Gifford, Haddingtonshire, author of the *Sainted King George and Other Lyrics*, and had issue: Charles Carnegie, born 10th Jan. 1803, married John Kirk, man of Ardillie, a son John of Redhall, born 13th March 1806; Adam, born 8th Oct. 1806; Frederick, an Assistant in the English Non-Subscribing Academy, &c. [Prest. *Recd.*, McBain's *Encyclopædia Britannica*, 1875.]

JOHN LAIRD, born 8th July 1771, son of Hugh Laird, burgess of Portmeirion, elected at Leith, 1st Edinburgh, later in Dundee, has been man of Presb. of Dunbar 29th July 1833; app. assistant at Alloa, Nov. 1834; and as itinerant there 16th March 1835; pres. by William IV, on election by the congregation 8th June, and adm. 11th Aug. 1836. Joined the Free Church in 1843; man of Inverkeilor Free Church, 1843-7; of Free St. George's Church, Montrose, 1858-1861; 1867, trans. to Free Church, Cupar Fife, 29th Aug. 1853; D.D. St. Andrews 1886; elected Moderator of the Free Church General Assembly 23rd May 1886; died 10th April 1896. He married 7th Nov. 1840, Agnes Macleod, born 12th May 1822, died 11th Dec. 1887; children of Thomas Anderson, farmer, West Lothian; Charles, wife Jean Sim, and had issue: Hugh Alexander, merchant, Bargeddie, Renfrew, born 1st Dec. 1841, died 21st Aug. 1871; Jane Catherine, born 10th Feb. 1843, died 31st May 1873; John George, merchant, clerk, born 21st Nov. 1848, died 12th Aug. 1877; Henry James, merchant, London, born 27th June 1853; David Michael William, born 1st April 1856, man of the Free Church, Dunris, Kincardineshire, 1883-1893, died in Edinburgh, March 1902. Alexander Anderson, banker, London, born 8th Oct. 1859, died 122nd July 1922. Publications: *Hearing the Word*; a sermon; *Sermon on the Death of Christian A. O'Day*; *Sketches*; *Sermon LVI*; *Free Church Pulpit*; *III. Sermons*; *Memorial Sketch* (portrait by his son David); [Edinburgh, 1897]. [Prest. *Recd.*, viii.]

GEORGE ARKLAY, born Murroes, Fife-shire, 1814, son of George A.; educated at Murroes School and Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Dundee; assistant at Alyth; ord. to Guthrie 18th Feb. 1841; pres. by Queen Victoria 22nd Aug., trans. and adm. 13th Oct. 1843; sometime clerk of Presb.; died unmarr. 19th June 1866. He was an intimate friend of Thomas Erskine of Linlathen.

JAMES HAY, born Montrose, 24th Nov. 1820, son of James H. and Helen Japp; educated at Montrose Academy and Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A. (1839); licen. by Presb. of Brechin in 1845; ord. to St Bernard's, Edinburgh, 2nd Oct. 1845; trans. to Lunan 17th Jan. 1850; pres. by Queen Victoria 15th Aug., trans. and adm. 8th Nov. 1853; D.D. (Aberdeen, 5th March 1881); sometime Presb. clerk; res. 20th Oct. 1887; died unmarr. at Montrose, 25th Aug. 1889.

ANDREW HALDEN, born Paisley, 6th April 1857, son of Alexander H. and Margaret Aitken; educated at Wason's School, George Street, Glasgow, and Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Paisley March 1884; assistant at Lady Yester's, Edinburgh, 1884-7; ord. (assistant and successor) 20th Oct. 1887. Publications: *Harvest Lessons* (Edinburgh, 1890); *The Blessedness of Sorrow* (Edinburgh, 1904).

ETHIE or ATHE.

[United to Inverkeilor in 1585.]

DAVID MYLNE, reader, 1574 to 1574 1585.

KINNELL.

[The church of Kinnell was dedicated to St Malrubhi. It contained an altar to the Virgin Mary. The rectory of Kinnell was a prebend of St Andrews. There was a chapel in this parish at Balishan or Bolshan.]

1583 JAMES GRAY, reader in 1593.

1587 DAVID FYFE, reader, 1587 to 1589.
ARTHUR FITHIE, trans. from Airth; pres. by James VI, 28th June 1587; trans. to Inverkeilor in 1588.

JOHN GUTHRIE, M.A.; pres. by James VI, 27th Aug. 1590; trans. to Arblot in 1603.

WILLIAM KINNEAR, M.A. (St Andrews 1598); reader at Arbroath in 1601; pres. by James VI, 8th June 1603; died March 1612, aged about 31. He marr. Margaret Aikman, who survived him, and had issue — perhaps David, min. of this parish. [Reg. Assign. St Andrews Tests.]

HENRY FITHIE, M.A.; adm. 4th May 1612; trans. to Lundie and Fowlis 11th April 1614.

JAMES GUTHRIE, M.A.; min. in 1614; app. clerk of Synod 29th April 1617; trans. to Arblot Oct. 1625.

DAVID KINNEAR, perhaps son of above William K.; M.A. (St Andrews 1614); adm. before 1635; died Nov. 1638, aged about 48. He marr. Helen Nairne, who survived him, and had issue Jean; Alison; Catherine; Helen. [Inscr. on Manso; Tombst.]

JAMES THOMSON (*principus*), son of James T., min. of Kilmany; M.A. (St Andrews 1626); min. in 1640; was a member of Commission of Assembly in 1649; died 13th Dec. 1690, aged 85. He marr. Margaret Collace, who died in 1665, and had issue James, min. of this parish; David, min. of this parish; Elizabeth; Margaret; Marjory; Catherine; Jean (marr. George Strachan, min. of Guthrie). [Tombst.; *Inq. Rec. Gen.*, 3677.]

JAMES THOMSON (*secundus*), born 1647, son of preceding; educated at St Andrews Univ.; M.A. (27th July 1666); passed trials before the Presb. and was recommended for licence 11th June 1674, and for ordination 13th Aug. following; ord. 10th Oct., and inst. 30th Oct. 1675; died (after a long illness) Jan. 1681. He marr. Catherine, daugh. of John

Ochterlony, min. of Aberlemno. She survived him, and had issue one child, who predeceased him. [*Dom. Stat.; St. Andrews Tests.*]

DAVID THOMSON, born 1639, brother of preceding, educated at St Andrews Univ.; M.A. 23rd July 1666; pres. of trials before Presb. of St Andrews and recommended for licence 26th Oct. 1673; ord. a preaching deacon in 1678; adm. colleague to his father 23rd May 1681; died June 1702. He marr. 31st March 1687, Catherine Graham, and had issue: James, Charles, served heir 11th Dec. 1720; Mary. [Min. Book Reg. Pres. Socyl.; *Index to Services.*]

ALEXANDER DALLAS, sixth son of John D., Dean of Ross; licen. by Presb. of Duns 16th Nov. 1700; ord. 23rd Sept. 1703; died 20th Jan. 1705. He marr. Feb. 1681, Alison, daugh. of John A. Watson of Dunnikier, and widow of James Inglis, tanner, burgess of Edinburgh. She survived him, and had issue: Charles, and seven others. [*Reg. of Deeds, Mackay, 1st Oct. 1700*; *Family of Dallas, 576.*]

THOMAS FRASER, M.A.; licen. by Presb. of Dalkeith 16th Jan. 1704; called in June, and ord. 16th Sept. 1705; dem. 23rd Oct. 1707; dep. for drunkenness 16th May 1708. He marr. (pro. 22nd July 1710) Isobel Grant, in dweller in the Canongate, Edinburgh.

JAMES ROBERTSON, a near relative of Robertson of Dinorwic; M.A. (St Andrews, 23rd July 1687); licen. by United Presb. of Dundee, Forfar, and Montrose 6th Nov. 1701; called 18th Aug., and ord. 5th Sept. 1708; died 16th May 1723. He marr. (1) Sept. 1711, Grizell Lamb, and had issue: Andrew; (2) Euphine Watson, called Lady Balskelly; (3) Ann Henderson, who married again. [*Instruthr. West Court Book; St Andrews Tests.*]

WILLIAM MONCRIEFFE, licen. by Presb. of Brechin 3rd Jan. 1722; called 17th Sept. 1724; ord. 21st Jan. 1725. When intimating the sentence of deposition against his co-Presbyter, Francis

Archibald, min. of Guthrie, in 1729, he was obliged to force his way to that church, the passages having been lined and barricaded by a crowd who threatened his life if he should attempt to go to church and preach. He was killed by a fall from his horse 18th May 1742. He marr. Janet, died 26th Oct. 1768, daughter of Hugh Maxwell, min. of Strichenstone, and had issue: David, min. of Redgorton; William, apprenticed to a W.S. in 1756.

JAMES MURESON, M.A.; pres. from Edzell, pres. by George H., Nov. 1743; 1752; adm. 13th Oct. 1753; dem. on election as Principal of St. Mary's College, St Andrews (q.v.), 30th Sept. 1747.

GEORGE CRUCKSHANK, born about 1705, son of John C., merchant, Aberdeen; died; educated at Marischal College and Univ., Aberdeen, 1721-5; app. schoolmaster of Arbroath; licen. by Presb. of Arbroath 8th Oct. 1735; ord. to Arbroath 26th Jan. 1738; pres. by George H., Nov. 1747; trans. and adm. 10th March 1748; died 12th Nov. 1753. He marr. 21st Nov. 1738, Isobel Wallace, who died 26th Aug. 1751, and had issue: John, born 3rd Nov. 1739; George, born 1st June 1741; Robert, born 21st April 1743, went to Montreal; William, born 16th Sept. 1745, died 27th June 1746; Henry, born 10th April 1748, died 9th Nov. 1752; William, born 2nd March 1750, went to Jamaica, died at Arbroath 15th Sept. 1817; Isobel, born 26th Aug. 1751 (marr. Haldane, stocking manufacturer, Haddington). An interesting story is related of the minister's domestic servant, Margaret Matthew, who, after his death, removed with his orphan children to an attic in the Market-gate of Arbroath, where she attended to their needs, often at great self denial on her part, and brought them up so well, that much attention was drawn to her case, which has been finely told in the *Mystificatives* by Miss Graham-Stirling of Duntrune. Publication — "Answers to the Queries circulated by Mr. Maitland, when he was about to publish his History of Scotland" (Sinclair's *Stat. Acc.*, xxii.). [Dean Ramsay's *Scot. Life*, Edwards's *Marsile Glimpses*, 274-6.]

ALEXANDER CHAPLIN, born Barnhill, Bervie, 17th March 1719; educated at King's College and Univ. Aberdeen; M.A. (1st April 1737); licen. by Presb. of Fordoun 21st Aug. 1743; pres. by George H. 25th March, and ord. 25th July 1754; died 6th May 1813. He marr. 3rd July 1767, Margaret Robertson, who died 8th March 1792, and had issue—Jean, born 6th April 1769; Alexander, born 24th Oct. 1770; Mary, born 21st June 1773, died 28th Feb. 1774; Margaret, born 22nd April 1776; Mary Ann, born 5th July 1784. Publication—Account of the Parish (Sinclair's *Stat.* Acc. ii.)—[Sinclair's *Catechism of Health*, ii.; *St Andrews Tests*.]

GEORGE WALKER, bapt. 6th Jan. 1783, son of Arthur W. of Pitblado, Fife, farmer, and Agnes Millar; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Cupar 25th March 1806; tutor in the family of Taylor of Kirktonhill, Mearns; pres. by George, Prince Regent, 19th May, and ord. 23rd Sept. 1813; D.D. (Edinburgh, 24th April 1867); died FATHER OF THE SYNOD 11th Sept. 1868. He and his predecessor were incumbents for 111 years. He was unmarr. He represented the best traditions—intellectual, philanthropic, and spiritual—of the ministry of the Scottish Church. He was an eminent classical scholar, and had in contemplation an exhaustive History of the Church in Scotland, for which he made elaborate and original researches. He was much interested in educational matters, and he saw to it that due provision was made of the higher instruction that would carry a promising boy to the threshold of a Scottish Univ. He was an assiduous helper of the poor, fervently evangelical in his mode of preaching, singularly devout in his own life, and much given to private prayer. He contributed liberally towards the endowment of new parishes both in his own and other Presbs. “Even if the name of George Walker were no more than a fading memory in an obscure parish, it might be taken as certain that the seeds which he sowed will continue to bear fruit for generations in Scottish characters and lives.” The

Walker Trust of the Univ. of St Andrews was founded in his memory. Publications—*Hymns translated or imitated from the German* (London, 1860); *Prayers and Hymns for the Mornings and Evenings of a Week* (Edinburgh, 1862); *Prayers and Hymns for Morning and Evening and Other Times and Occasions* (Edinburgh, 1866); Account of the Parish (*New Stat. Acc.*, xi.). [Missionary Record, N.S., vi.; Hay's *Funeral Sermon*; Julian's *Dict. of Hymnology*, 1231; *The Power of Prayer* (Walker Trust Essays, edited by W. P. Paterson, D.D.) (London, 1920).]

ALEXANDER MILN DAVIDSON, born Knowhead, Menmuir, 1838, son of Alexander D., farmer, and Catherine Guthrie; educated at Brechin High School and Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Brechin; assistant at St John's, Dundee; ord. (assistant and successor) 6th April 1865; died 20th Feb. 1883. He marr. 19th Dec. 1865, Margaret Findlay (died 27th Dec. 1919), daugh. of William Clark and Betsy Strachan, and had issue—Betsy Strachan Clark, born 23rd Nov. 1866 (marr. 25th July 1897, Robert Morton); William Clark, born 22nd June 1868, went to Australia; Bella Graham, born 27th Feb. 1870, died 2nd Feb. 1905; Ann Donaldson, born 15th April 1872 (marr. 2nd Oct. 1903, Leonard Lewson, Clifton, Bristol); Guthrie (son), born 21st May 1874, died 5th Feb. 1902; Jane Cowie, born 13th May 1876, died 28th Jan. 1877; Mary Donaldson, born 27th Oct. 1882 (marr. 6th June 1906, Lewis Carwardine); James, died in infancy.

DUNCAN MACARTHUR, born 1833 Bombay, India, 30th March 1855, son of Peter M. and Jane Corsan; educated at Greenock Academy and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1877); licen. by Presb. of Greenock 11th May 1880; assistant at St Paul's, Perth; ord. to Toward 9th Nov. 1880; trans. and adm. 22nd Aug. 1883; Marr. 2nd Oct. 1884, Isabella, daugh. of Archibald Fleming, min. of St Paul's, Perth. [Edwards's *Glimpses of Men and Manners about the Muirsides*, 10, 268.]

KIRKDEN, or opp. HDEVIE.

The church of Kirkden was dedicated to St Machar, Bishop of the See of the Abbey of Arbroath. The parsonage was removed from the Provost of Forfar, and added to that of Arbroath, in 1617, Oct. 1617. There was within the church a Well of St Machar.

1597 JOHN JOHNSTON, reader in 1597,

DAVID GUTHRIE, reader, 1574, to
1574 1578;

1579 JAMES DEAS, reader in 1579;

WILLIAM GARROCH (or GARROCH II.)
1630 reader in 1589;

JAMES BALFOUR, min. of Guthrie in
1591, had also charge here, removed

1591 here in 1584, with Drummond also in the charge till 1589, trans. to St. Giles, Edinburgh, "after long communion," 8th Oct. 1589.

GEORGE HAY, M.A., adm. in 1589,
1590 trans. to Turriff in 1590;

ANDREW DRUMMOND, M.A., adm.
1590 in 1590, trans. to Panbride, abt. 1593.

CHARLES WELWOOD, M.A., St. Andrews 1583, was "ready to enter the ministry," 26th April 1593, min. of Inverarity in 1593, presby James VI before 16th June 1595, died about Dec. 1615, aged 53. He marr'd Agnes Chapman, who survived him, and had issue: Samuel, Nicolas (marr'd James Peter in Dunbar), Agnes (marr'd James Pyett), Jean (marr'd David Robertson in Newtyle), Elizabeth (marr'd John Mathers, burgess of Forfar). (*Reg. Asses. for the year 1874, Presb. Presby.*, *Inq. Ret. Gen.* (1791).

THOMAS RAMSAY, M.A., St. Andrews
1617 1609, was an "expectant" licensed in Provc. of Brechin, 9th April, and 4th Sept. 1611, adm. doct. 4th 1617, had liberty from the Synod 3rd April 1633, to meet with the Presb. of Forfar during his service at said Kirk, died April 1633, aged about 55. He was marr'd, and had issue:

LAWRENCE DURHAM, M.A., ord.
1623 1623, transferred to Arbroath 1623, trans. to Avoch, in 1630.

JOHN RUTHERFORD, born 1623, son
1640 of John Rutherford of Menstrie, M.A., St. Andrews 1643, min. here about 1649, certainly have been one of the eighteen ministers sent in Arms by the Assembly's Committee for Visitation in 1650, died March 1659. He marr'd Margaret Auchmuty of Drumdine, and had issue: John, who also served here; his grandfather 26th March 1694, Janet, Elizabeth marr'd, 2nd 31st July 1678, Andrew Erskine of Tillicoultry, William, *"Lectura Teste; Inq. Ret. Gen."* 370, *"T. f. f. S. S.,"* iii. 43; *"Rec. of Deaths,"* Downton, dlxxii, 26th Oct. 1694, 13th Aug. 1693.]

JOHN BALVAIRD, M.A., ord. 13th
1650 June 1650, trans. to Glamis 24th
Sept. 1650.

WILLIAM BALVAIRD, bapt. 29th
1635 May 1635, son of preceding;
M.A., St. Andrews 23rd July 1652; had a curacy from the Presb. 15th Feb. 1675, passed trials and recommended for license 14th Sept. 1676, was chaplain to Patrick, Earl of Stretton, pres. by Arthur, Archbishop of St. Andrews, passed trials for ordination 10th Sept. 1685, adm. and inst. 8th Nov. following, died April 1710. (*Circumstances,* &c.)

JOHN HENDERSON, trans. from
1711 Aberlemno, d. abt. 3rd Aug. 1719;
min. 4th July 1711, trans. to St. Vigans 16th Dec. 1734.

JAMES MOIR, M.A., Marischal College,
Aberdeen, 1719, born by Presb. of
Fife in 6th April 1729, assistant at
Arbroath, presby George H. 26th Dec.
1734, called 26th March, and ord. 30th
April 1735, died 28th Jan. 1753. He marr'd
14th Nov. 1740, Margaret Walker, who died
2nd June 1764, and had issue: Catherine,
died 3rd Jan. 1751; David, born 13th June
1743; Elizabeth, born 13th Jan. 1746.—
[Hay's *Archit. of Fife*, 239.]

JAMES HUNTER, pres. by George II,
1753 5th April, and ord. 16th Aug. 1753,
trans. to Monikie 21st July 1774.

WILLIAM MILLIGAN, born Bal-
maclellan, 1733; educated at Univ. of
Edinburgh; pres. by George III,
20th Oct. 1773; ord. 23rd Feb. 1775; died
unmarr. 15th Nov. 1823. George Dempster
of Dunnichen described him as "the best
informed man in the Presbytery." In 1777
an application for augmentation of stipend
was opposed by the heirs, when the
Lords Commissioners of Tents found,
22nd July 1778, that by a decree of aug-
mentation in 1716 M. had no title to sue.
The House of Lords reversed this decision,
and an augmentation was obtained in 1780.
Publications: *Sermon preached at opening the Synod of Angus and Mearns* (Dundee,
1787). Accounts of Kirkden and of Guthrie
(Sinelir's *Stat.*, loc. cit., viii.). [*Tentst.; Connell on Tithes*, 403; Morison's *Dec.*,
xvii.; *Literary Correspondence of George Chalmers* (British Museum MSS.); Hay's
Arbroath, 239.]

DAVID CARRUTHERS, born 1784;
1824 licen. by Presb. of St. Andrews
1st May 1816; pres. by George
IV, 16th March, and ord. 6th Sept. 1824;
died unmarr. 21st Nov. 1846.—[*Acts of Ass.*
1842.]

JAMES ANDERSON, born Greenlaw,
1847 Berwickshire, 1820, son of William
A. and Elizabeth Redpath, and
brother of George A., min. of Carmyllie;
educated at Greenlaw School and Univs.
of Edinburgh and St. Andrews; licen. by
Presb. of Duns; assistant at Selkirk; pres.
by Queen Victoria 21st Jan., and ord. 6th
May 1847; clerk of Presb.; died 6th
March 1898. He marr. 30th Oct. 1855,
Anne (born 28th April 1830, died 31st
July 1911), daugh. of James Sontar and
Catherine Watson, and had issue: William
Redpath, born 7th Oct. 1856, died 22nd
Nov. 1856; Catherine Alison, born 30th
Jan. 1858 (marr. John Strachan, min. of
Cortachy); Elizabeth Redpath, born 5th
June 1859, died 1917; Janet Mary, born

26th July 1862 (marr. William Watson,
farmer, Monikie); Annie, born 8th April
1865, died 27th May 1880.

JOHN BOYLE, born Farnell, 5th Jan.
1803 1864, son of John B. and Margaret
Edward; educated at Brechin High
School and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1889),
B.D. (1892); licen. by Presb. of Glasgow in
1892; assistant at First Charge, Montrose; (ord.
assistant and successor) 29th Dec.
1893. Marr. 2nd Jan. 1901, Betsy Edward,
daugh. of John Anderson, merchant,
Leitham, and Jane Petrie, and has issue:
Jane Petrie, born 12th May 1902; Margaret
Edward, born 5th May 1904; Isabella Anne,
born 24th Jan. 1907.

LUNAN, or old INVERLUNAN.

[The church of Inverlunan appears to
have been dedicated to St Lunan, or
Luan, who is commemorated at Kirk-
Lunan in the Isle of Man, and elsewhere.
This church belonged to the Abbey of
Arbroath. Walter Miln, the priest of In-
verlunan, who had been incumbent of this
parish for over forty years, was burned as
a heretic in 1558. A monument to his
memory is in the church.]

JOHN BATY [or BEATTIE], reader
1567 in 1567.

DAVID GUTHRIE, reader, 1571 to
1574 1590.

ANDREW LEITH [or LEITCH], min.
1585 of Maryton; adm. before 1585; had
this and other parishes under his
care but removed to Maryton in 1589.

ALEXANDER INGLIS, M.A.; min. in
1590 1590; pres. to the vicarage by James
VI, 21st Feb. 1598; trans. to St
Vigeans in 1622.

JAMES PHILIP, brother of Henry P.,
1622 D.D., min. of Arbroath; M.A. (St
Andrews, 26th July 1613); school
master of Arbroath; pres. by James VI, 15th
Oct. 1622, and was still min. 26th Nov. 1630.
He marr. (1) Jane, daugh. of James Guthrie,
min. of Arblot; (2) Margaret Aikman.—
[*Poefar Sots.*, iii., 261.]

ROBERT NORRIS, educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen, 1625; in 1650 became Regent of Humanity in St Leonard's College, St Andrews; adm. in 1659, and was still min. of Durie, 1676.

ROBERT BRUCE, probably of the Bruce's of Airth, M.A., St Andrews 1651; 11th May 1637, he came from Pres. of Stirling as chaplain to Lindsay of Edzell, was on the Exercise of Pres. of Brechin, 6th Jan. 1653, adm. 3rd Aug. 1654; died (buried 6th Aug. 1668), aged about 52. He married Margaret Fullerton, who survived him. [Recd. of Deeds, Durie, 18th April 1676.]

ALEXANDER PEEDEY (or PEEDEY) M.A., (King's College, Aberdeen, 1669—1682), in obedience to the Archbishop's orders he passed trials before the Presb. and had a testimonial for ordination 8th April 1680, and was adm. 20th May following; he did not take the Oath of Allegiance at the Revolution, but was allowed to remain in his charge, died 17th Feb. 1713, aged 70. He left plate for the Communion, stipulating that any Episcop'd congregation within seven miles of Linlithgow should have the use of it, if desired. He marr. (1) 16th Feb. 1671, Isobel Guthrie, St Vigeans, who died s.p. 8 Sept. 1682; (2) Marjory Lindsay, of the family of Dowhill, who survived him (s.p.) and left an annuity of £4 for keeping her husband's tombstone [a marble tablet within the church] in repair. In 1836 this money was used by the Kirk Session for the purpose of establishing a parish library. [Tombs, Case of Greenshields, Jervise's Library, the Lindsays, 423; St Andrews Testes, Hay's Arbroath, 249.]

JAMES RAFT, formerly min. of Inverkeilor, who had been assistant to presbyterian intruded in 1713, and was still min. during the Rebellion of 1715, dep. in 1717. He preached his farewell sermon from 2 Cor. xiii. 11. [K. S. Ryd.]

CHARLES IRVINE, called by the Presby. of Leven, 12th April, and 1715 ord. 28th June 1715; trans. to Maryton 13th Sept. 1726.

HENRY OGILVIE, born 1657, son of Thomas Ogilvie, of Coper Angus, 1727 and younger brother of Thomas Ogilvie of Ruthven and Corl, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, born by Presb. of Duns 5th July 1726, called Jun. and ord. 23rd April 1727, and 23rd May 1781. He was remarkable for the familiarity and eccentricity of his pulpit attractions. He marr. 15th Nov. 1746, Margaret, whom he had baptised, died 12th July 1803, daughter of Alexander Wyllie of Linlithgow; Margaret Nurie, and had a son, Eliz. Firth, born 15th Aug. 1750; Robert, born 11th Feb. 1752; Thomas, born 23rd March 1754; Henry, bapt. R.N., born 18th Aug. 1756; James, born 14th Jan. 1759; John, born 28th Nov. 1760; Margaret, b. m. 31st July 1762; Catherine, born 24th May 1764; Isobel, bapt. 3rd May 1766; marr. James Scott, min. of Bonhill.

ALEXANDER GIRVAN, pres. by George III, 3rd Sept. 1781, ord. 1782 18th April 1782; trans. to Langton 30th Oct. 1786.

JOHN GOWANS, born Kinnell 1739, 1790 son of John G., merchant, educated at Marischal College, and Univ. of Aberdeen, M.A. 1769, schoolmaster of St Vigeans, born by Presb. of Arbroath 21st April 1770, ord. to Glenisla 7th May 1780; trans. and adm. 22nd April 1790; died 14th Nov. 1820. He marr. 12th July 1771, Isobel Webster, died s.p. 2nd March 1823, and 77. Publication Account of the Parish Session 1816, p. i, xi).—(Postscript)

ROBERT BARCLAY, born about 1786, 1821 son of David B., Logie Port, M.A. Marischal College, Aberdeen, 1st April 1809, born by Presb. of Garloch 30th July 1811, pres. by George IV, in Feb., and ord. 17th July 1821, died unmarr. 11th July 1849. Publication Account of the Parish Nov. 1816, p. i, xi).

JAMES HAY, M.A., pres. by Queen Victoria 2nd Oct. 1849, trans. from 1850 St Bernard's, Edinburgh, and adm. 17th Jan. 1850, trans. to Inverkeilor 8th Nov. 1866.

ALEXANDER FRIDGE, born Forres, 25th Jan. 1840, son of James F. and **1867** Janet McPherson; educated at Forres Academy and Univ. and King's College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1861); licen. by Presb. of Fordoun 10th May 1865; assistant at St Cyrus and Montrose; pres. by Queen Victoria 15th Nov. 1866; ord. 21st Feb. 1867; dem. 6th Dec. 1893; died 14th Jan. 1917. He marr. 24th Dec. 1884, Elizabeth Catherine, daugh. of Charles Macdonald and Martha Parsell George.

WALTER PERCY COX, born Penman, **1907** Aberdour, 15th Jan. 1869, son of Henry William C. and Margaret Taylor, and brother of James Taylor C., min. of Dyce; educated at Gordon's College and Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A. (1894); licen. by Presb. of Perth 18th May 1900; assistant at Forteviot, Coats, Larbert and Dunipace; ord. (by Presb. of Hamilton) for Church extension work in South Africa 12th Nov. 1902; assistant at Selkirk in 1904; adm. here 3rd May 1907. Marr. 12th April 1904, Wilhelmina Agnes, daugh. of Robert Brown and Mary Rankin.

PANBRIDE.

[The church of this parish was dedicated to St Bride. It belonged to the Abbey of Arbroath. There were two chapels within the bounds, that of St Laurence at Both, and another dedicated to St Marnoch. This parish got its name from a Well of St Bride. The old Celtic word *Pan* has passed into English, as has also the kindred word *Cain*, which appears in various European languages. In Welsh *Pan* means a bowl or a cup. In Scottish place-names it describes the more or less round opening from which a spring wells up. Hence it means a Well. When compounded, *Pan* is apt to become *Ban*. We find such names as Panbride, St Bride's Well, Pannure, St Mary's Well, *Pan an Phithich* the Raven's Well, Bangour, the Goat's Well, and others. There is now a mission chapel of St Bride in this parish at Carnoustie.]

ROBERT MAULIE, reader, 1567 to 1585.
1567 [Aul. of Exch., 1584-98, 107.]

DAVID MITCHELL, reader at Arbirlot **1585** 1574-80; min. in 1585; still mentioned as min. in 1588. [Reg. Assig.]

ROBERT RAMSAY, M.A. (St Andrews 1589) 1589; adm. in 1589; but not mentioned after 1593; afterwards min. of Kinfauns in 1595.

ANDREW DRUMMOND, born 1570, **1593** fourth son of George D. of Blair, and Catherine Hay; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1590); min. of Kirkden [or Idvie] in 1590; trans. and adm. about 1593; was a member of Assembly in 1610, and of the Court of High Commission in 1619; died 1635. He marr. Margaret Allan, and had issue — Henry of Gairdrum; Sir Patrick, app. Conservator of the Scottish Privilege at Campvere, Holland, 13th July 1625; James, M.A., a clergyman in the diocese of Durham; Archibald; Andrew; Susanna (marr. Henry, son of Thomas Robertson in Netherlton of Tullois). [Malcolm's *House of Drummond*, 46; Reg. of Decls., xlv, 8, cxxxi, 8th Feb. 1614; Calderwood's *Hist.*, vii, 105, 385; *The Scottish Staple at Veere*, 197 *et seq.*; P. C. Reg., 2nd ser., i, 146; G. R. Sus., ix, 201.]

ARTHUR GRANGER, eldest son of **1636** John G., indweller in Arbroath; M.A. (St Andrews 1622); reader at Arbroath in 1625; pres. by Charles I. 20th Jan. 1636; was a member of Commission of Assembly in 1648; still min. 25th Nov. 1675; died before 15th April 1702. He marr. Janet, daugh. of Forrester of Dryhouse, Barry, and had issue John, min. of this parish; Martha (marr. William Chalmers, min. of Glamis); Lucrese (marr. Patrick Strachan, min. of Mains). [Brechin Test.]

JOHN GRANGER, born about 1645, **1675** son of preceding; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (28th July 1666); passed trials before Presb. of St Andrews, and was recommended for licence 14th July 1699, and for ordination 7th Oct.

ROBERT TRAILL, son of Robert
Muggeridge Trail, died Nov. 17, 1717, at the age of 21 years. He was buried
at the church of Borthwick, near Edinburgh,
on the 20th of November. M.A. of Aberdeen
University. He was a student at Edinburgh University.
He was buried at the church of St. John the Baptist,
in the South Churchyard of Edinburgh. See
Foster's *Edinburgh*, 1746, p. 134, and
by the Edinburgh Society, 1748, March 20,
and the April 10, 1748, and the Nov. 11, 1748.
He married on the 10th of October, 1714,
Sept. 1715, or 1716, Elizabeth, daughter of
John Mytton, of Cheshire, who died in
the parish of Little Budworth, April 1724.
William, born and M.A. of Edinburgh, 1715,
March 1726, died at Dornoch, Ross-shire, on
the 29th of February, 1752, and died 1st
Nov. 1753. Margaret, his wife, died 1st
January, William Trail, son of Robert Trail
and Margaret, was born 1717, and died
1st April, 1758. — William, D.D.,
died 19th March, 1763. William, D.D.,
professor of Chemistry at Edinburgh, 1763-1767,
died 1770. Widowed, he married

ROBERT THOMAS, son of ROBERT THOMAS
1703 - of Bala, Denbighshire, by Elizabeth
Hannah, daughter of John Evans of
Aberchirchog, Denbighshire, m. 1731
18th July 1739, probably at St. Asaph,
Bala, trans. to Llanuwchllyn, Denbighshire
1st April 1753 - Haverfordwest, Carmarthenshire
died 1770, buried 1st April 1770, at the
Anthony Dovecote of Llanuwchllyn,
in the church of St. Cadoc, Llanuwchllyn,
Denbighshire, m. 1753 - Anne, daughter
of Maelor ap Dafydd, of Pen-y-Nant, Llanuwchllyn,
and 1753 - Nant-y-Melan, Llanuwchllyn, St.
Cwyfan, born 7th May 1727, died 1770, buried

and the 19th May 1900 at W. Ham,
and the 2nd June 1900 at W. Ham,
1900. The first two were collected
in the same place as the last, and the
last was collected in the same place as
the first. The first two were collected
on the 19th May 1900, and the last on
the 2nd June 1900.

WILLIAM LANG WOTHERSPOON,
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JAMES CAESAR, born Tinwald, son of William C. and Agnes Cowan; educated at Dumfries Academy and Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Dumfries; assistant at Kinglassie; ord. to St John's, Dundee, 29th April 1837; trans. and adm. 29th Feb. 1851; died 26th June 1867. He marr. 6th Aug. 1846, Janet (died June 1893), daugh. of Thomas Wilkin and Margaret Rae, and had issue—Margaret Rae, born 26th Oct. 1847; William, town-clerk of Carnoustie, born 22nd Oct. 1852, died 15th Oct. 1905; Agnes Cowan, born 12th March 1855; a daugh. born and died 10th Sept. 1857; Henrietta Wilkin, born 29th Aug. 1858, died 23rd Jan. 1859; Henrietta Wilkin, born 4th April 1860, died 16th Sept. 1869; Janet Wilkin, born 26th March 1862, died 30th Sept. 1869; John, min. of this parish.

JOHN CAESAR, born 5th Oct. 1865, son of preceding; educated at Panbridge and Dundee High School, and Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1885); licen. by Presb. of Arbroath in 1888; assistant at East Parish, Aberdeen; ord. (assistant and successor) 28th March 1895. Marr. 28th June 1916, Isabel Mary, daugh. of James Asher, Aberdeen, and Mary Grant Leith.

ST VIGEANS.

[The church of this parish was dedicated to St Pechan. It was finely restored and enlarged in 1872, and contains a number of ancient sculptured stones of the utmost interest and historical value. There was of old in the church a chapel of St Sebastian.]

NINIAN CLEMENT, min. in 1564; 1564 trans. to Forfar about 1573.

JAMES MELVILLE, trans. from Menmuir, and adm. between 12th Aug. 1573 and 6th March 1573; in 1574 Ethie and Kinnell were included in the charge; removed to Arbroath between 1574 and 1593.

PATRICK LINDSAY of Kirkton, M.A.; trans. from Guthrie between 1591 1593 and 1593; had a gift from James VI, of the third of the vicarage, 26th Oct.

1604, and of the fruits of the Abbey of Arbroath, 5th Feb. 1602; became Bi. bop of Ross (*q.v.*) in 1613, which he held in conjunction to 5th Oct. 1630.

THOMAS RAY of Kirkton of Brothock, brother of Andrew R., merchant 1618 burgess of Perth; M.A. (St Andrews 1581); pres. to Cortachy by James VI, 11th Dec. 1582; trans. and adm. (colleague) in 1618; burgess and freeman of Arbroath 6th Nov. 1618; died before Feb. 1623. He marr. Barbara Dempster, and had issue—Joseph, min. of Cortachy; James, died before 1631; Thomas, died before 1631; Elizabeth (marr., cont. 1612, Andrew Donaldson, skinner burgess of Perth, [Miller's *Arbroath*; *Forfar Sis.*, i, 45; *G. R. Inhib.*, 2nd ser., viii, 321; *Reg. of Deeds*, ccciii, 331; *Inq. Ret. de Tuta*, 33, 34]; *Perth Sis.*, Sec. Reg., iv, 380.]

ALEXANDER INGLIS, M.A. (St Andrews 1587); min. of Lunan in 1622 1590; trans. and adm. in 1622; a member of Assembly 12th Aug. 1630; still min. in 1645. He marr. and had issue—Peter.—[Peterkin's *Records*; *Forfar Sis.*, ii, 501.]

ROBERT REYNOLD [or RENNOLD], M.A.; ord. after 15th Aug. 1650; 1650 trans. to First Charge, Old Machar, 29th Oct. 1655.

PATRICK STRACHAN, M.A. (Marischal College, Aberdeen, 1637); 1665 studied theology at St Andrews; had a testimonial for licence before 14th June 1655; was on the Exercise in Presb. of Brechin 18th Oct. following; adm. and coll. at Carmylie in 1659; trans. and adm. 5th Nov. 1659; died about 1663. He marr. Helen Erskine, and had issue—George, min. in 1696; Anna; David, min. of Carmylie; Margaret. Publication *Map of the Little World, illuminated with Religion: (with Appendix) or Minister's Legacie to his Flock, in Sermons upon 2 Peter*, i, 12-16 (Edinburgh, 1693).—[*Forfar Sis.*, 13th July 1677.]

GEORGE STRACHAN — not present
1693 — being called by Arthur, Archibald before
St Andrew's, introduced before 6th April 1696, but the parish was declared
vacant by the United Presb. of Angus and
Mearns 26th Nov. 1697.

THOMAS WATSON, M.A., St Andrew,
26th June, pres. ord. in 1702, died
1702 — between 20th Oct. and 3rd Nov. 1720,
"or in mean parts but had something of a
peopled city." Being much depressed by
his sister having committed suicide, he cut his own throat. He left £100 to the
poor of the parish. He married Margaret
Meldrum. [See *Angus Test.*, 12th June
1743, p. 156; *St. Andrew's Test.*, iii, 334.]

TOBIAS MARTIN, educated at
University of Glasgow, was app. schoolmaster
1727 — of Inveruray (died 1708), becm. by
Presb. of Inveruray 22nd June 1715, called
11th May, and ord. 18th July 1727; died
Sept. 1730. He left to Robert Stephen
min. of Inchbrayoch [Craig], his copy of
[Isaac] Barrow and [Dean] Tillotson's Works,
in 4 vols., beside any other books
he pleases to choose; to William Moncrieff
min. of Kinell, "five of the best
books after what is destined to Mr Stephen,
with all my household furniture;" and to
his executor, Moncrieff, "if he cannot be
present with me at my death, a handsome
suit of mountings." [Inveruray Church
Records, *Burial Test.*]

JOHN BURN, becm. by Presb. of Edin-
burgh 26th May 1728, pres. by
1731 — George II, 30th Nov. 1730, called
10th March, and ord. 14th May 1731, died,
perh.s. suddenly, 11th May 1734, "having
faithfully and to the great satisfaction of
almost all the parishioners discharged his
ministerial office."

JOHN HENDERSON, called by the
Presb. *pro hac vice*, 13th May and
1734 — ord. to Aboyne 15th June 1709.
As noticed under that parish, John Crichton,
the preceding incumbent, opened a
meeting house there which practically all
the parishioners attended, while, as the
Register says, he "had nobody to hear
him." trans. and adm. to Kirkden 11th July

1711, in 1712 of the charge of ministrant
in the meeting of Episcopacy and Presby-
terianism. He was struck with fire and lame
by Eustace Beyer, who was called before the
Court of Justiciary with the rest of his
movable goods by George II, 16th
Aug., trans. and adm. 16th Dec. 1733, died
10th July 1733. He married 1st Dec. 1719,
Anne McElroy, who died 14th Sept. 1755,
and had issue Margaret, deceased before 1753,
Elizabeth, Robert, Jane, Jean, Alexander,
all over 10 at 5th March 1749, and
Katherine, born 23rd April 1731. Amelia,
born 28th Dec. 1732, died 12th Aug. 1749,
Williamina, born 8th Nov. 1733. [Hume's
Craig Lough, iii, Hyp. 4, *infra*, 238.]

JOHN ATKIN, born 1726, app. school-
master of Arbroath 13th April 1748,
1754 — becm. by Presb. of Arbroath 8th Nov.
1752, pres. by George II, 16th Nov. 1753,
ord. 16th May 1754, died Examin. of THE
CHURCH 2nd May 1816. He was unmarried.
Soon after his settlement at the Presb., & his
request expressed the liberty of the parish
for certain repairs to the kirk, when the
majority of them refused, allowing an agree-
ment entered into between them, and some of
the minister's friends who had offered themselves
to repair the kirk, and, as offices at A. should be ill, the Kirk Session itself was
perfectly innocent of any complicity. The
matter came before the Assembly in 1755,
and again in 1756, whereupon a committee
was app. to prepare an Overture, which
ultimately led to an Act against Nonconformist
Practices, 20th May 1756. This Act in
an amended form [Act 1888, xviii.] is
required [Act 1803, viii.] to be read by all
candidates for licensure, and any person
elected to a vacant charge must state to
the Presb. that such Act is known to him,
and that he has done nothing at variance
with it. When advanced in life, and
troubled with deafness, A. consulted a
well-known physician in Edinburgh, who
would not accept of a fee offered, on the
ground that it was not his custom to charge
country ministers, as they could not afford it.
"But," said A., "I can, I have no
family." "Why," said the medical man,
"did you not tell me that at first? Then

you will be a bachelor." Destroy the prescription I gave, go home and get married as fast as you can, and be assured, ere long time elapse, you will hear on the dearest side of your head." His grand niece, Miss Mudie of Ardkie, placed a memorial window to him in the church. Publication—Account of the Parish (Sinclair's *Stat. Rec.*, viii.) [Mair's *Dist.*, 333 s.; *Sots Mag.*, xvii., xviii., lxxviii.]

JOHN MUIR, born West Calder, 1779; son of John Muir, farmer, and Eliza 1816 beth Graham; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; tutor at Benholme Castle; licen. by Presb. of Fordoun 1st July 1807; ord. to Fettercairn 27th Dec. 1814; pres. by George, Prince Regent, 24th July, trans. and adm. 24th Sept. 1816; died 25th Nov. 1863. He had a considerable knowledge of scientific subjects, and was a skilled meteorologist. From him Alexander Brown, LL.D., the Arbroath astronomer, received much help and inspiration. He marr. 14th Aug. 1817, Grace, daugh. of George Watson (died 20th Feb. 1855), and had issue John, born 30th April 1819, went to Jamaica, died 19th March 1849; Janet, born 20th July 1820, died 6th Aug. 1820; Agnes, born 12th June 1822 (marr. Robert Lindsay of Almerieclose), died 20th June 1853; George Watson, farmer, Cabus, born 16th June 1824. Publications—*Sorrows* (Edinburgh, 1861); Account of the Parish (*New Stat. Acc.*, vi.). [McBain's *Eminent Arbrothians*, 419-20; Cameron's *Fettercairn*, 210.]

WILLIAM DUKE, born Brechin, 27th Oct. 1832, son of Alexander D. and 1859 Margaret Glendye; educated at Brechin Grammar School, King's College, Aberdeen, and Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A.

(March 1851); licen. by Presb. of Brechin in 1858; assistant at East Church, Dundee; ord. (assistant and successor) 11th July 1859, D.D. (St Andrews 1889); died 2nd Nov. 1911. He marr. 21st Jan. 1863, Annie, died 2nd Dec. 1895, only daugh. of Peter Leonard and Ann Rodger, and had issue Sir Frederick William, G.C.I.E., K.C.S.I., Under Secretary for India, born 8th Dec. 1863, died 11th June 1924; Alexander Leonard, lieut.-col. I.M.S., born 12th Oct. 1866, died at Quetta 27th Feb. 1918; Sidney, born 25th April 1868, died 18th Sept. 1900; Herbert, born 30th March 1870, died 21st Sept. 1875; Ernest Hamilton, min. of Middlebie, born 25th May 1873; Evelyn Annie, born 1st July 1877 (marr. Arthur Rawlins). Publications—"Account of St Vigean's Church and Antiquities" (Jervise's *Memorials of Angus and the Mearns*, ii., 310); "Notice of the fabric of St Vigean's Church, Forfarshire, with notice and illustrations of early sculptured stones discovered there" (*Proc. Soc. Antiq. Scot.*, xi., 481, Edinburgh, 1872).

CHARLES EDWARD DUFE, born 1912 Kilmeny, Islay, 23rd May 1885, son of Alexander D., min. of Kilmeny (afterwards of St Columba's, Oban); educated at Oban High School, Glasgow High School, and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1906), B.D. (1910); licen. by Presb. of Lorn 3rd May 1910; assistant at St Andrew's, Edinburgh; ord. 17th April 1912; served as lieutenant 5th Black Watch, in European War. Marr. 4th June 1912, Helen Mary, second daugh. of Alexander Robertson, Oban, and Euphemia McColl, and has issue—Alastair Charles, born 24th Aug. 1913; Aidan Robertson, born 11th Nov. 1915; Constance Helen Mary Drummond, born 7th March 1918.

PRESBYTERY OF FORDOUN

The Register of this Presbytery began at 14th Nov. 1663. The old volume, which had long been in the possession of the Vicars of Arbroath till Arbroath Hall was recovered in 1862. It covers the time from 12th Nov. 1662 to 9th June 1685. There is a gap in the Record from 18th Sept. 1685 to 14th April 1700. From 19th Sept. 1685 to 17th Sept. 1695 this Presbytery was united to that of Dundee, which was then styled the United Presbytery of Angus and Mearns. From 17th Sept. 1695 to 14th Sept. 1700 the Presbytery of Fordoun formed part of the United Presbytery of Dundee, Fordoun, and Arbroath. Two volumes of the Register earlier than any of the above dates contained the Minutes from 1623 to 1660. They were extant on 1st Nov. 1662, but extracts of them can now be found.]

ARBUTHNOTTE.

The church of Arbroath was dedicated to St Ternan and consecrated by Bishop David de Bernham on 3rd Aug. 1232. It belonged to the collegiate church of St Mary on the Kirk Hough at St Andrews. The church is a fine picturesque building about ninety feet long. On the south side it has a stately Lady Chapel. A psalter, known as the Arbroath Missal, a large folio, written and illuminated 1391-2 by Sir James Sibbald, chaplain here, who died in 1507, was gifted to this parish in 1506 by Sir Robert Arbutnott of that ilk. There is a mission chapel within the bounds at Fife.

ALEXANDER ARBUTHNOT. Born 1535; Principal of the Univ. and 1560 King's College of Aberdeen, presby. James VI. 26th July 1560, only two days after being presented to the Principalship, he must therefore for a time have held both offices in conjunction.

ALEXANDER KEITH, had charge of Arbutnott, Bervie, Garve, and 1574 Kinnoull in 1574.

ROBERT ARBUTHNOT, pres. by James VI. 3rd Dec. 1583; trans. to Arbroath, Marykirk, 1585; returned after 1601, still pres. 17th Nov. 1663.

ARCHIBALD WATSON, reader 1572 to 1585, probably assistant or colleague in 1563, was reader only from 1585 to 1601.

ANDREW RAMSAY, born 1574; 1605 educated at King's College, Aberdeen, M.A. from here in 1605, was trained as tutor. Moderator of the Presb. by the Assembly in 1607; 1611, was a member of Assembly in 1607, 1611, and was nominated for Scottish Church Compt. 29th Oct. 1612, but declined to accept trans. to Old Greyfriars, Edinburgh, 28th April 1614. [See 8th Step. at Peer, 273.]

ROBERT ARBUTHNOT, son of 1614 Robert Aram Craighall, "was but a novice in respect he never made the Exercise as yet at Aberdeen 14th Dec. 1596, adm. to Garyk in 1604; pres. by Sir Robert Arbutnott of that ilk to parsonage and vicarage before 2nd

Nov. 1614; trans. and adm. before 7th Feb. 1615. He marr. (cont. 6th May 1605) Helen, daugh. of George Barclay of Syle. [Rec. of Docts., cxvii, 243, cxlvii, 243, 247; Acts and Decr., cxxxvi, 205.]

JAMES BEDDIE, an "expectant" 1615 Rec. entitled] in Sept. 1614; adm. 11th Oct. 1615; was still min. 19th Oct. 1626. [St. Andrews' Tests.]

JOHN SIBBALD, son of Alexander S. of 1630 Kair family, and brother of James S., D.D., min. of Aberdeen; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; min. about 1630; died unmarr. 22nd Feb. 1652; a man of great learning and singular piety, of indefatigable pains in his parochial duties. He contributed liberally towards a school and bequeathed considerable sums of money for the maintenance of a schoolmaster and to the poor of the parish. He also left his library (long since disappeared) to the "Aisle of Arbuthnott" for the use of succeeding incumbents. [Robertson's *Ayrshire Gleanings*, 26; *Memories of the Arbuthnotts*, 29.]

JOHN CHAMER, M.A.; adm. 28th Sept. 1652; trans. to Peterhead in 1662 1664.

ALEXANDER ARBUTHNOT, eldest 1665 son of Robert A. of Scotsmill, Aberdeenshire, and Beatrix, daugh. of John Gordon of Shiels; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1654); min. of Holywood in 1653; trans. and adm. 22nd March 1655; deprived by the Privy Council 16th Sept. 1689 for general non-compliance with Presbyterianism. He retired to the Castle of Hdgreen, at the mouth of the Bervie, purchased the estate of Kinzherrie, and continued Principal Arbuthnot's *History of the Arbuthnot Family*; died 27th Feb. 1691, and was buried at Arbuthnott. He marr. (1) 11th April 1666, Margaret, daugh. of John Lamme, Dean of Brechin and min. of Farnell, and had issue John, bapt. 29th April 1667, M.D. (St Andrews 1696), served heir 15th Aug. 1696; Physician in Ordinary to Queen Anne, had considerable influence at Court, formed with Swift, Pope, and Gay

a brilliant group in the literary revival of that period, known (from his *History of John Bull*) as inventor of the character of "John Bull" as typifying England, died at Hampstead 27th Feb. 1735, and was buried in the church of St James's, Piccadilly; Robert, banker at Rouen, France, a noted Jacobite, bapt. 3rd June 1659, died in 1741; Alexander, bapt. 27th June 1671, died in infancy; Katherine, bapt. 1st Dec. 1672, probably dead before 1733; Alexander, merchant, Calcutta, bapt. 7th Dec. 1675, died before 24th Nov. 1742, when his will was proved; Anne, bapt. 25th Aug. 1681, alive in 1733; John, bapt. 17th March 1685 (marr. Caldwell or Aikenhead); Elizab. th. alive at Montrose in 1738; (2) Catherine, probably daugh. of David Ochterlony, min. of Fordoun. She survived him, and had issue George of Kinghornie, originally an officer in Queen Anne's Guard, wine-merchant, France, bapt. 15th Feb. 1688, died in China in 1733. [Inq. R. & G., 7759; *Memories of the Arbuthnots*, 153, 155 & seq.]

FRANCIS MELVILLE, ord. by United Presb. of St Andrews and Cupar at 1690 Arbuthnott 30th Oct. 1690, being the first Presbyterian min. settled in the Synod after the Revolution; was a member of the General Assembly in 1692; trans. to Aberdeen 20th Dec. 1711.

[The parish vacant four years.]

JAMES DOUGLAS, probably of the 1715 Douglases of Stanypath, East Lothian; licen. by Presb. of Dunbar 29th Oct. 1698; ord. to Aboyne 21st March 1700; pres. by James Ferguson of Pitfour, advocate, Aug. 1714; trans. and adm. 16th March 1715; died between 4th May and 9th June 1743, aged about 69. He marr. Elizabeth, daugh. of Captain Robert Arbuthnot in Kirkside of Fordoun, and Anne Douglas, widow of James Sibbald.

ALEXANDER SHANK, bapt. 4th Oct. 1743 1708, son of Alexander S., min. of Drumoak; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; licen. by Presb. of

Dalkeith 28th April 1731; ord. to Haddington St. Cyrus 23rd Aug. 1732; presby. Robert Thomson, sheriff of Kinross, Sept., trans. and adm. 26th Oct. 1733; died 3rd Jan. 1780. He marr. 12th March 1733, Jane, died 2nd Nov. 1785, daughter of Ruth Gordon, and had issue: Alexander, man of St. Cyrus, born 2nd June 1736; John, his successor in this parish; William, man of Fettercairn, born 26th June 1738; Jean, born 26th March 1742 (marr. Kenneth Mackenzie, merchant, Aberdeen); Henry, born 16th Feb. 1745, died 2nd Oct. 1769.

JOHN SHANK, born 23rd Jan. 1738, son of preceding, studied Arts at Marischal College, Aberdeen, then Law, of which he tired and returned home, where for eight or ten years he studied divinity though he never took a theological curriculum. The Presb. having resolved to recommend him to the Synod for probationary trials, the Synod refused, but on appeal, the General Assembly, 26th May 1780, remitted the matter to the Presb., and enjoined them not to finish the trials of S. till they had again taken the judgment of the Synod; licens. by Presb. of Fordoun 27th June, pres. by John Viscount Arbuthnott, that day, and ord. 28th Sept. 1780; died unmarried, 10th Dec. 1818.

JAMES MILNE, born 1770, son of an innkeeper at Kirkton of 1821 Arbuthnott, educated at Kings College, Aberdeen; M.A. 30th March 1791; became schoolmaster of Arleathnott; ord. (assistant and successor) to Garycock 9th May 1814; pres. by John Viscount Arbuthnott, Jun. 1819; trans. and adm. 1st March 1821 (deceit having been caused by a competing presentation in favour of James Millar, which was not sustained by the Court of Session), died 24th Jan. 1850. He marr. 23rd May 1802, Ann, died 26th Jan. 1869, aged 75, daughter of James Anderson, tenant in Redford, and Helen Webster. Publication: Account of the Parish (*New Stat. Accts.* vi).

SAMUEL TRAIL, M.A., ord. assistant 1841, and pres. on 5th Aug. 1841, trans. 1841 to Barby 7th Nov. 1843.

ROBERT MOIR SPENCE, born Kirkwall 1st Oct. 1737, son of James Spence, banker, educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; M.A. 1760; licenc. by Presb. of Kirkwall 3rd Aug. 1760; ord. 28th Aug. 1760; B.D. 1763; trans. 21st July 1768, died 3rd March 1769. He marr. 12th Sept. 1767, Anne Farquhar, died at Berwick 26th Jan. Head, daughter of John Gleng, man of Berwick, and had issue: Helen, born 18th July 1769; Margaret Anne, born 23rd Sept. 1774; Anne Gerard, born 12th Feb. 1777.

CHARLES DUNN, M.A., B.D., ord. 2nd July 1803, trans. to Upl. 12th 1803 Sept. 1812.

PETER ALEXANDER DUNN, M.A., B.D., ord. 6th July 1913, trans. to Woodside, Aberdeen, 3rd Sept. 1920.

JOHN SIMPSON MUTCHE, born 1921 Huntly, 21st March 1892, younger son of Alexander Mc and Mary Simpson, educated at Gordon Public School, Huntly, and Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A. 1913; B.D. 1915; licenc. by Presb. of Strathbegie 3rd May 1915; assistant at Scone and East Parish, Ayrshire; served in 5th Camerons in European War; ord. 2nd Feb. 1921. Married 4 Feb. 1922, Margaret Wood, daughter of James Aitchison, Stronsay, Orkney.

BENHOLME.

[The church of Benholme was dedicated to St. Marischal. It belonged to the collegiate church of the Kirk Head at St. Andrews. There is a mission chapel of St. David in the parish at Johnshaven.]

JOHN GUDEFALLO (GOODFELLOW), Canon of St. Andrews 1507 Priory, man in 1507, with Ecclesgreig or St. Cyrus also under his charge; died before May 1572.

ALEXANDER ALLARDICE, adm.
1572 May 1572; removed to Ecclesraig
 (St Cyrus), 1572.

WILLIAM MORISON, pres. by James VI, 24th Feb. 1577; died 19th Nov.
1577 1587. He translated into Scots Principal Arbuthnot's Latin *History of the Arbothnot Family*, the MS. of which is extant and in Lord Arbothnot's possession. He marr. a daugh. of James Melville of Dysart, and had issue an only child Isobel. [Edin. *Testes*.]

ALEXANDER KEITH, min. of Garvoeck
1588 in 1568, and also of Kinneff, Catterline,
 Bervie, and Arbothnot; trans. to Dunnottar in 1579; trans. and adm. in 1588; slain 5th June 1594. He marr. (1) Agnes Wishart, who died 10th Dec. 1583; (2) Isabel Lundy, who survived him, and had issue George; Robert; Alexander; William; Isabel; Christian. [Edin. *Testes*.]

JAMES SIBBALD of Kair and Mondynes, second son of David S.
1595 of Kair; promoted from being regent in King's College, Aberdeen, 1595; was a member of Assembly in 1602 and 1638; died before 16th March 1649, when a commission was given by Parliament to Sir Robert Graham of Morphie, who had obtained the lands of Kair, to distribute the price among his children. He marr. Isabel Gordon, and had issue Donald; James, probably min. of Torryburn; Robert; John; a daugh. (marr. Robert Douglas); Jean (marr. James Melville, min. of this parish); a daugh. (marr. James Peddie). [Orem's *Old Aberdeen: Act of Parl.* vi., (2), 329; *Reg. Mag. Sig.*, ix., 216, 430; *Reg. of Deeds*, ccvii., 280.]

JAMES MELVILLE, M.A. (King's College, Aberdeen, 1636); was a
1648 licentiate at Brechin 11th Nov. 1641; adm. before 26th April 1648; died April 1684, aged about 68. He marr. (1) Jean Sibbald, daugh. of his predecessor; (2) Isobel Stratton, widow of Arthur Stratton of Smadon. [St Andrews *Testes*; G. R. *Hornings*, 20th May 1671; *Reg. of Deeds*, Durie, xiv., 73.]

ALEXANDER MYLNE, born Montrose,
1684 about 1646; educated at King's College, Aberdeen; M.A. (2nd July 1667); elected to Second Charge, Montrose, 14th Feb. 1672; pres. by Robert Scott of Benholme 21st May, trans. and adm. 23rd July 1684; died Dec. 1709. He marr. Janet Miln, who died 14th Nov. 1726, and had issue—Robert; John; Alexander; Janet.

WILLIAM TRAIL, born at Ballindrait, near Lifford, Ireland, 13th Oct. 1683;
1710 second son of William T., min. of Borthwick; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (29th April 1701); licen. by Presb. of Dalkeith 27th Dec. 1709; called by the Presb. *jure devoluto* 1st Nov., and ord. (owing to opposition) in the old tower of Brechin 6th Dec. 1710. He soon gained the affection of his parishioners by his conduct; was called to Second Charge, Montrose, on the death of his brother in 1723, but declined to accept as the people were dissatisfied with him on account of his voice. He died between 19th Jan. and 9th March 1743. He marr. (1) Isobel, daugh. of John Haldane of Myrton, and (2) Marion (died 24th Nov. 1751), daugh. of Alexander Hamilton of Kinkell, and had issue—William, min. of St Monans; Robert, D.D., Professor of Divinity, Univ. of Glasgow (*q.v.*). Publication *Rules and Directions for Self-Examination: A Guide to Christian Communicants in the Exercise of Self-Examination* (4th ed.), with additions and a Life by Robert Burns (Glasgow, 1824). [St Andrews *Com. Deeds*, 25th March 1725.]

WILLIAM BELL, pres. by — Scott of Brotherton July 1743; ord. 11th Jan. 1744; trans. to Arbroath 1st Dec. 1748.

ROBERT YOUNG, born about 1716, second son of Robert Y., min. of Inverarity; educated at King's College, Aberdeen; licen. by Presb. of Forfar 12th March 1740; pres. by Scott of Benholme in Jan., and ord. 23rd Feb. 1749; presented in 1785 one of the volumes of the *Breviarium Aberdeenense* (Edinburgh, 1509-10) to King's College Library, Aber-

dean, died 27th Sept. 1788. He marr'd 11th March 1759, Christina Campbell, who died 2nd May 1793, and had issue: Robert, born 21st March 1762, died 5th March 1812; David, born 12th May 1753; John, born 26th July 1755, died in infancy.

JAMES SCOTT, born 1764; M.A., King's College, Aberdeen, 30th 1788; March 1781; licen. by Presb. of Fife 7th May 1788; pres. by David Scott of Nether Benholme in Aug., and ord. assistant and successor to 3rd Decr. 1788, died 7th Aug. 1825. He marr'd, 30th July 1790, Isobel, died 16th April 1838, daugh. of Henry Ogilvy, min. of Lunan, and had issue: Margaret, born 22nd April 1791, died 21st May 1820; Amelia, born 30th April 1792 (marr. Andrew Brown); Hercules, LL.D., Professor of Moral Philosophy, King's College, Aberdeen, born 15th Sept. 1793, died 5th Aug. 1860; Robert Ogilvy, born 14th July 1795; John, an eminent physician, near London, born 26th Jan. 1797; Ann, born 23rd April 1800 (marr. John Glegg, min. of Berwick); Helen, born 9th Nov. 1807 (marr. Samuel Trail, D.D., LL.D., Professor of Divinity, King's College, Aberdeen). Publication Account of the Parish (Sineldris *Stat. Acc.*, xv.).

JAMES GLEN, born 1792, son of William G., farmer, Lochwinnoch, 1826 and brother of Andrew G., Free Church min. at Glenbovirie; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (10th April 1809); licen. by Presb. of Dumbarton 1st Aug. 1820; pres. by James Scott of Brotherton Nov. 1825, and ord. 23rd March 1826. Joined the Free Church in 1833, min. of Free Church, Benholme, 1833-63, died 11th Dec. 1866. He marr'd, 13th June 1833, Janet, died 17th Oct. 1859, daugh. of William Boyd, min. of Fenwick, and had issue: Elizabeth, born 13th Aug. 1835; Anne Elliot, born 24th Dec. 1837; William, born 7th Nov. 1841, died 29th Jan. 1843; Margaret, born 12th Oct. 1843. Publications — *Comfort and Counsel for Suffering People* (Edinburgh, 1836); Sermon preached at the opening of New Church (*Edin. Chr. Inst.*, N.S., ii.); Sermon

LXXVII, *Free Church Pulpit*, iii. Account of the Parish (*Nor. Stat. Acc.*, xi.).

ALEXANDER SMART MYERS, born 1843, Hillsdale, Montrose, 25th Aug. 1812, son of John M., general merchant, and Diana Cooper, educated at King's College, Aberdeen; M.A. (March 1831); licen. by Presb. of Brechin, 6th April 1836; ord. 21st Sept. 1843, died 10th Feb. 1884. He marr'd 8th Sept. 1851, Elizabeth, died 19th Dec. 1883, second daugh. of James Drummond, min. of Glenbovirie, and had issue: Helen Forrest, born 26th Nov. 1852; Jane, born 25th June 1853; Diana, born 23d June 1856; Joanna Cooper, born 6th Feb. 1858; Jemima Drummond, born 5th Dec. 1859, died 9th Dec. 1864.

JOHN NICOLL, born 23rd Jan. 1858, 1884 son of John N. and Elizabeth Bell, educated at Fortar Academy and Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (1876), B.D. (1882); licen. by Presb. of Edinburgh 18th May 1882; assistant at High School, Inverness; ord. 5th Aug. 1884, died in Edinburgh, 10th Feb. 1924. He marr'd, 23rd July 1885, Frances Ann, died 4th Oct. 1908, youngest daugh. of Col. Col. John Patrick Stuart, staff officer of Pensions, Inverness, and had issue: Gertrude Stuart, born 23rd June 1889; Francis John, scholar of Pembroke College, Oxford, lieut. 12th Batt. Highland Light Infantry, born 15th Sept. 1891, killed at Loos 25th Sept. 1915.

GEORGE MURRAY DAVIDSON SHORT, born Beith, Ayrshire, 21st 1919 Dec. 1890, son of John S. and Jessie Stevenson, educated at Spier's School, Beith, and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1912); licen. by Presb. of Hamilton in 1915; assistant at Cudusburgh; ord. to Alexandria, Egypt, 6th Sept. 1916; adm. assistant and successor to 12th Nov. 1919; trans. to Barrhead 26th Sept. 1922. Marr. 15th April 1919, Janet Anderson, daugh. of John Thomson and Jane Perry, and has issue: John Stuart, born 6th Dec. 1920.

JOHN BARCLAY DAVIE, born 1923 Aberdeen, 6th May 1891, son of Andrew D. and Jean Low Barclay; educated at Robert Gordon's College and

Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A. (1912); licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen 4th May 1915; assistant at West Church, Aberdeen, Grange Parish, Edinburgh, and West Church, Greenock; ord. (assistant and successor) 1st Feb. 1923. Marr. 2nd June 1923, Helen Edith, daugh. of Captain Robert Alexander, Aberdeen.

BERVIE, OR INVERBERVIE.

[The parish of Inverbervie was disjoined from Kinneff by the Lord Commissioners for the Plantation of Kirks in 1618. Near the town of Inverbervie there was a priory of the White Friars. On the Thursday of Holy Week, and on Ascension Day, fairs were held at Inverbervie.]

1567 JAMES SYMSON, reader in 1567.

DAVID RATTRAY, trans. from Shains in 1589; trans. to Philorth (Fraserville) before 1593.

JAMES RAIT, trans. from Auldearn in 1591; trans. to Caterline before 8th **1591** July 1613.

ANDREW MONCUR, M.A. (King's College, Aberdeen, 1613); adm. before **1622** 12th May 1622; still min. in 1625. [*Reg. of Deeds*, ccclxxxvii., 499.]

JAMES STRACHAN, younger; M.A. (St Andrews 1622), probably one of the **16** — eighteen mins. dep. by the Assembly's Committee for Visitation in Oct. 1649. He received charitable supply from the Kirk-Session of Newtyle, 23rd Oct. 1653, 9th July 1654, and a petition from his children was recommended to Parliament by the Lords of the Articles 22nd April 1661. [*Acts of Parl.*, vii., App., 61.]

WILLIAM WRIGHT; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; adm. **1651** 12th Feb. 1651; died 27th Aug. 1669.—[*Tombst.*].

WILLIAM CHALMERS, adm. after 4th May 1670; trans. to Glamis 15th **1670** April 1674.

PETER RAIT, a native of Angus; educated at King's College, Aberdeen; **1674** M.A. (1663); pres. in May, and adm. 2nd Sept. 1674; deprived by the Privy Council in 1695, for not reading the Proclamation of the Estates, nor praying for William and Mary, etc.; died Oct. 1698, aged 56. He marr. Anna Innes, who survived him, and had issue Robert; Mary. [Brechin *Test.*].

JAMES ARBUTHNOTT, brother of Robert A., baillie of Montrose; licen. **1698** by the united Presb. of Angus and Mearns 5th May 1696; called in June, and ord. 30th Aug. 1698; dep. 22nd Oct. 1713, for disrespect of the Sabbath, etc.; died at Montrose April 1732.—[*Brechin Test.*].

WILLIAM ARNOTT, M.A. (St Andrews, 10th May 1705); licen. by **1714** Presb. of Brechin 5th July 1710; called by the Presb. *jure devoluto*, and ord. at Benholmie 19th May 1714 as no access could be obtained to the church at Bervie, the doors and windows being barricaded. A. himself was taken off his horse by force and carried a prisoner to Gourdon, and thence to a house outside the parish where he was detained, when the Presb. went in a body and demanded his release but were violently repulsed with many indignities. He died 20th Sept. 1741. He marr. Isobel Scott, who died 26th May 1763.

THOMAS DOW, licen. by Presb. of Fordoun 3rd Nov. 1730; pres. by **1742** George II, 9th Dec. 1741; ord. 23rd June 1742. Learning during the Rebellion of 1745 that the Hanoverian army was burning the boats at Johnshaven and otherwise ill-treating the inhabitants because they had been suspected of sending provisions to the troops of Prince Charles, he set out to intercede with the Duke of Cumberland on their behalf. Meeting the troops about three miles off, he was given a seat in the coach of the Duke, whom he conveyed to the manse for the night, and assured him of the loyalty of the parishioners. Thus he saved them and those of neighbouring parishes from further ill-treatment. D. died 17th Sept. 1757. He

marr. 13th Jan. 1771; died 8th Dec. 1792, husband of William Chapman, minister Kirkinner, 3rd March 1771.

ROBERT CROLL, born 1744, died 1780. Robert Croll, rector, 2nd April 1767, Marischal Coll., Aberdeen, M.A. 1767; curate of Kirkton, 1st Feb. 1770, 1779; app'd. by Presby. of Fife, 1st Feb. 1779; pp'd. by Presby. of Fife, parish 30th Jan. 1779; presby. of Fife, 1st March 1780; died 1780; wife, Margaret, 2nd July 1779, died 2nd June 1780; son, Robert, 8th June 1780; died 2nd June 1820. He married 1st, 1770, 2nd, 1779, Maria, Thomasina, who died 8th April 1807, 3rd, 1786, David, 1806. Christian Ferguson, died 12th Feb. 1837, aged 53, widow of James Strachan, her illiterate son of Kincairdine, bairn.

JOHN GLEEDON, born 1773, son of John, 1821, G. Farmer, Fife, educated at Marischal Coll., Aberdeen, M.A. 2nd April 1813; licensed by Presby. of Ayr, 2nd Dec. 1813; presby. of George IV, 13th Nov. that year, and 22nd March 1821; died 20th Sept. 1876. He married 1st, 20th Oct. 1821, Ann, died 24th June 1822, third daugh. of James Scott, min. of Bieldshill; 2d, 8th March 1834, Helen, died 19th Oct. 1882, third daugh. of David Bertheot Lonsdown, and had issue, Anne Ferguson, born 11th Feb. 1837, marr. Robert Moor Spence, D.D., min. of Arbroath, in Publication Account of the Parish No. 8 Stat. 18th v.

JOHN BROWN, born Denside, Cupar, Fife, 22nd March 1836; son of James B. and Catherine Lethbridge, educated at Cupar Academy and Univ. of St Andrews, licensed by Presby. there 18th June 1862; assistant in this parish, 1862; assistant and successor to 24th July 1863; clerk of Presb. 1871-1915, D.D. 81; Andrews 1913, res. 7th Oct. 1915; died at Fife 16th May 1919. He married 5th June 1850, Margaret Hepburn, died 26th Nov. 1923, daughter of Andrew Russell, Cupar Fife, and Agnes Hepburn, and had issue, Agnes Russell, born 12th March 1872, Catherine Lethbridge, born 19th Dec. 1873, died 29th Jan. 1895; James, born 4th May 1874; Margaret Hepburn Russell, born 26th June 1878; Euphemia Mary, born 7th Nov. 1879.

DAVID SILVER JOHNSTON, born 1816, Skene, 17th Dec. 1886, son of David Johnston, Sampson G. 1833, educated at Central High Grade School and Univ. of Aberdeen, M.A. 1911, B.P. 1915, licensed by Presy. of Ayrshire, May 1915; assistant at Old Monkland, 1st March 1886; trans. to Newhaven, Edinburgh, Feb. 1887; 1913, Mar. 3rd, 8 p.m. 1918, Gladys May, M.A., daughter of William Cowie, min. of Monkland, his 1st wife. David William Johnston, born 18th April 1920.

GRAHAM NICOLL WARNER, born Dundee, 19th July 1863, son of Robert Warner, Elizabeth Nicoll; educated at Downton School and Morgan Academy, Dundee, and Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1921; licensed by Presy. of Dundee 7th Dec. 1897; assistant at St Mark's, Dundee; ord. 27th Feb. 1921; marr. 23rd July 1921, Sheila, by H. G. Galloway, daughter of Samuel McEvilly, min. of Tadcaster, Yorkshire. *The Practice of Pastoral Duties*.

COOKNEY (Q.S.).

(The church was built as a chapel of ease c. 1817. The parish was disjoined from Fife, so 10th March 1850.)

ALEXANDER GRANT, born Aberdeen, 1843, 1797, son of Alexander, G. grocer, and Ann Taylor, educated at Marischal Coll., Aberdeen, M.A. 1860; app'd. class master and missionary, Lethbridge, in 1863; joined the Free Church in 1863, trans. to Lumphuman Free Church in 1844; died 25th April 1879. He married, 1832, Eliza Russell, and had issue, Alexander, missionary, Amoy, W. J.

PATRICK CLERKHEW, born Old Meadow, 1816, educated at King's College, Aberdeen, M.A. (1834); app'd. as missionary in 1835; ord. in 1849; res. in 1852; died at Maryborough, Queensland, 10th Dec. 1868.

JOHN BARRACK, M.A., ord. 25th Jan. 1853, adm. first min. of parish 1853, in 1859, trans. to Falkland 3rd Jan. 1867.

JAMES TAYLOR, born Peterhead, 2nd Nov. 1831, son of George T. and Isabella Johnston; educated at Peterhead School and Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A. March 1858; was schoolmaster at St Fergus; ord. 9th Aug. 1867; res. 5th Dec. 1900, bled at Stonehaven 31st Jan. 1904. He marr. (6th Sept. 1867) Mary Whyte, died 23rd April 1882; daugh. of Dr Nathaniel Lawrence, Longside, and Beatrice Whyte, and had issue: Isabella Johnston, born 1st Aug. 1868; Beatrice Jane, born 29th Nov. 1869; Mary Whyte Lawrence, born 30th March 1873; Georgiana Janet, born 29th June 1876.

ALEXANDER MACKENZIE, ord. 24th April 1901; trans. to Banchory 1901; Devonick 11th July 1919.

ANDREW ELVIN HARRIET, born Glasgow, 16th Feb. 1889, son of Archibald Elvin and Agnes Elvin; educated at Allan Glen's School and Univ. of Glasgow; M.A. (1915); licen. by Presb. of Glasgow 15th Jan. 1918; assistant at Rutherglen; ord. 15th Oct. 1919. Marr. 26th Nov. 1919, Ethel, daugh. of William Burns.

DUNNOTTAR.

[The church of Dunnottar belonged to the Priory of St Andrews. The ancient church stood near Dunnottar Castle. It was dedicated to St Ninian. Near its site are St Ninian's Dean and St Ninian's Well. The later church of St Bride, on the present site, was a rebuilding of an early chapel of St Bride. Within this parish, at Stonehaven, there is now a mission chapel of St Bride.]

JAMES PAWTOUN [PATON], reader 1567 in 1567.

ANDREW MYLNE, trans. from Strathcathro with Fetteresso and Benholmie also in the charge in 1571; was a member of Assembly Aug. that year; pres. to the subdeanery of Trinity College, beside Edinburgh, founded on half of the fruits of the parsonage, and vicarage of Dunnottar, by James VI, 18th Aug. 1573, and to the other half of said fruits 3rd Nov. 1578; trans. to Fetteresso in 1579.

ALEXANDER KEITH, trans. from Garveock: pres. to the parsonage 1579 and vicarage between the two prebends of the Queen's College 24th Nov. 1579, and to vicarage of Garveock 6th Feb. 1586; trans. to Benholmie in 1588.

WILLIAM LEASK, assistant at Aberdeenshire 8th Oct. 1585; adm. to Nigg 1588 in 1589; trans. and adm. in 1588; still min. in 1594.

JOHN KEITH, min. in 1593; trans. to Peterhead in 1604, but returned and 1593 was readm. in 1605; still min. 6th April 1630. He marr. and had issue: Annas (marr., cont. 10th Aug. 1624), Robert, son of Alexander Youngson, min. of Durris. [Reg. of Deeds, ccxxv., 295.]

JAMES RAFT, M.A. (King's College, Aberdeen, 1632); adm. before Jan. 1654; 1654; had an adjudication of the lands of Finlastoun 18th July 1673; died 25th July 1676, aged about 64. He marr. (1) 21st Aug. 1665, Elizabeth Allardes, in parish of Arbutnott, who died in May 1666; (2) Jean Edmonston in Montrose, and had issue: John of Finlastoun, served heir 8th Dec. 1682. [St Andrews Tests.; Inq. Ret. Kinross-shire, 159.]

WILLIAM DICKIE, educated at King's College, Aberdeen; pres. by George, Earl Marischal, Aug. 1676; passed trials before the Presb. had a testimonial for ordination 21st Nov., and adm. 31st Jan. 1677; died 24th May 1686.

GILBERT KEITH of Auchhorsk, Caldhamie, and Sanchieburn; educated at King's College; M.A. (6th July 1672); ord. a presbyter in England; pres. by George, Earl Marischal, in June, and adm. 18th July 1686; conformed at Revolution, acquired the estate of Auchhorsk in 1690; died 24th May 1709, aged about 57. He marr. Oct. 1706, Elizabeth, daugh. of Alexander Young, Bishop of Ross (she survived him), and had issue: George in Caldhamie, served heir 22nd March 1712. [St Andrews Tests.]

JAMES MITCHELL, son of John M. M. A., given name presbiter, 1710, fanatic who tried to capture Sir Archibald Sharp, and was banished by Blackfriar Wyndham Bishop of Edinburgh, 17th June 1708, for which he was excommunicated 1710; died 17th Nov. 1710, and buried 1st July 1711, by Presb. of Linlithgow, 17th Aug. 1711, called by the Presb. of Linlithgow, *Postscriptum*, 17th April 1719. He was condemned to appear before the Justices of the Peace Court, 17th March 1713, to answer for an infidelity in Church discipline in the Society of the Clergy. Living encouraged and connived at Francis Rossi, formerly of Ross, widow's son. Rossi died 29th June 1733, aged about 56. He married, 11. 1733, Elizabeth Turnbull, 2. Mary, second daughter of William Gibbons, baptised in St Andrews; she married Edmund, died 10th Dec. 1753. *Postscriptum*, *Ecclesiastical History of Scotland*, 145, 17, 218, 12, 34, 13.

DAVID CORSE, born abt. 1700, son of David Cumming, or Old Mackellar, educated at King's College, Aberdeen; M.A. 21st March 1720, 1721, became assistant in the parish presbytery George II, 20th Dec. 1733, ord. 20th June 1734, died 26th Feb. 1736. He married, 1733, 1736, Rachel, daughter of Andrew Hemmings, min. of Kincorth.

JAMES WALKER, born 1707, buried 1730, by Presb. of St Andrews, 28th Oct. 1731, pres. by George II, 18th March 1732, called 21st June, and ord. 1st Sept. 1733, died 19th May 1772. He married, 29th Nov. 1739, Mary, daughter of 23rd April 1739, daughter of Alexander Shank, laird of Drumock, and had issue James, his successor in the parish, 21st Oct. 1747; Isabella, died 7th July 1800, daughter of Robert Stewart, Provoost of Aberdeen.

JAMES WALKER, born 27th June 1751, 1772, son of preceding, educated at Univ. of St Andrews, M.A. 1793, 1796, by Presb. of Fife, 16th Feb. 1772, pres. co-steward and successor to George III, 17th April, and ord. 23rd July 1772, died unmarried, 29th Nov. 1813. In the churchyard

of Dunnottar and its ward in the manse, in the autumn of 1793, Sir Walter Scott met with Robert Peterkin, who twenty-three years later informed the prototype of Old Mortality, "He and Mr Walker, the minister of the parish, were in the poor man's house the night before on the tombstone of George II, who had fallen and never been buried, and lay in the S. end of the cemetery." Being invited into the minister's outer chamber to take a glass of whisky, he pushed his chair in the minister's party of two, and laid his head upon the shoulder of Walker, and said, "I am come to see the Society for the Sons of the Clergy at Aberfeldy, of which he was one of the promoters." *Postscriptum*, Account of the Parish of Sinclairs, 1802, 1803, 1804, Lockhart's *Literary History* (Edinburgh), 1833.

JOHN GLENNIE, born 18th Dec. 1814, son of John Gl. D.D., minister of Maryburgh, 1814, at Marischal College, Aberdeen, M.A. 20th March 1831, Rector of Pitlochry Presb. of Alness, 13th May 1836, and ordained by it, came to the Society of Glasgow 24th Dec. 1837, Hollands, editor, co-steward and successor to Guycock, 29th July 1841, dies 28th Sept. 1842, 1843, probably George II, 1842, 1843, 1843, pres. of the Society, 10th June 1841, died 19th May 1872. He married, 1st Dec. 1814, Henrietta, 14 Nov. 1874, daughter of John Clark, Professor of Med. & Phys., St Andrews, 1813, 1814, and died testate 29th July 1877, dies 1878.

ALEXANDER HAVEN, M.A., pres. by George IV, 21st Jan., and ord. 1827, 26th Sept. 1827, trans. to Peterhead 17th July 1833.

ALEXANDER SHIVER, born Mill of Ures, Dunnottar, 31st May 1804, 1844, son of John Sh. Farmer, educated at Univ. of Aberdeen, M.A. 1822, became headmaster of Fetteresso, pres. by Queen Victoria 11th July, and ord. 3d Oct. 1844; died unmarried, 29th Aug. 1884.

ROBERT DAVIDSON, ord. assistant
1878 and successor 1st Oct. 1878; trans.
 to St Cyrus 29th July 1884.

DOUGLAS GORDON BARRON, born
1885 Dunning, 21st Oct. 1854, son of
 Peter Barron, min. of the U.P. Church,
 Dunning, and Robina Hunter Adie; educated at
 Madras College and Univ. of St
 Andrews; M.A. (1876); licen. by U.P.
 Presb. of Cupar in 1879; adm. to Church of
 Scotland as licentiate 31st May 1880; assistant
 at Greyfriars, Dumfries, Tron,
 Edinburgh, and New Greyfriars, Edin-
 burgh; ord. 4th March 1885; O.B.E. (1st
 Jan. 1920); D.D. (Aberdeen, 31st March
 1921); res. 15th June 1923. Marr. 27th
 July 1907, Louise Eliza, daugh. of Robert
 Brydon, The Den, Seaham Harbour, Dur-
 ham, and Louise Hunting. Publications—
*Our Lapsed Masses, with some practical
 Suggestions for their Reform* (Edinburgh,
 1884); *The Court Book of the Barony of
 Crieff* (Scottish History Society, Edinburgh,
 1892); *In Defence of the Replum*, 1651-2,
 being *Selections from the Family Papers of
 the Officers of Burris* (London, 1910); *For
 King and Country, a Record of the Fallen
 to which is appended a selection from
 Services provided in Dunnottar Church*,
 1914-18 (Aberdeen, 1920).

JOHN GARDNER WHITE
1923 HENDRIE, born 3rd Feb. 1888,
 son of George Smith H., min. of
 Dalmellington; educated at Ayr Academy
 and Univ. of Edinburgh; M.A. (1910).
 served with Ayrshire Royal Horse Artillery
 (lieutenant Oct. 1914) and 300th Brigade
 (R.F.C.); Military Cross and Belgian Croix
 de Guerre; captain in 1919; assistant at St
 John's, Edinburgh; ord. 26th Sept. 1923.
 Marr. 23rd Jan. 1924, Elizabeth Simpson,
 daugh. of John Barr Cumming, min. of
 Mortlach.

FETTERCAIRN.

[The church of Fettercairn was dedicated
 to St Mark. It was a mensal kirk of the
 Archibishop of St Andrews. At Arnhall,
 in the parish, there was a chapel of St
 Martin. A Lammas fair and a fair of St
 Mark were held at Fettercairn.]

PATRICK BONCLE, min. of Fordoun;
1597 had charge of this parish in 1597.

1571 JOHN THOM, reader in 1571.

JAMES LINDSAY, fourth son of
 David, ninth Earl of Crawford, and
1576 Catherine, daugh. of Sir John
 Campbell of Cawdor; pres. by James VI.
 16th June 1576. He visited France to seek
 relief from the stone with which he was
 painfully afflicted; died in Geneva 15th
 June 1580, "a mild, learned, and ac-
 complished divine." A Latin elegy to his
 memory was written by Andrew Melville
 and published in *Interv. Postarum
 Scotorum* 1637. [See *Scots Peerage*, iii. 29; *Lives of the Lindsays*, i. 327-8; *Edin.
 Test.*; McCrie's *Meterite*, i. 426.]

JOHN COLLAICE, son of John C. of
1580 Balmainoon; min. in 1580, with
 Newesk also in the charge in 1585; died
 16th March 1587. [Edin. *Test.*]

ALEXANDER FORBES, M.A.; pres.
1588 to the personage by Sir John
 Wishart of Pittarro 28th May 1588; promoted
 to bishopric of Caithness in
 1606, but held this charge in conjunction;
 trans. to bishopric of Aberdeen (*q.v.*) 21st
 Aug. 1616.

WILLIAM WISHART, M.A.; adm.
1611 (colleague) 24th April 1611; trans.
 to Minto after 6th Oct. 1613; pres.
 by James VI. 10th March 1618, and readm.
 soon after; trans. to South Leith 6th
 May 1630.

DAVID STRACHAN, M.A.; pres. by
1630 Charles II. 2nd Aug. 1630; con-
 secrated bishop of Brechin (*q.v.*) 7th
 May 1662.

WILLIAM CHALMERS, born 1620, son
 of William C., min. of Boyndie;
1665 educated at King's College, Aber-
 deen; M.A. (1640); adm. to Marykirk
 before 17th Jan. 1648; trans. and adm.
 21st June 1665; died in London in 1669.
 He marr. Elizabeth Barclay, said to be
 of Towie family (in a poor and sickly
 condition in 1678, when the mins. of the
 Presb. contributed 6s. sd. each for her

righteousness, &c. W., and many of Glengary's slaves, &c. of Cawdor, & Ruth, appears as Director of Friends by John Elliot, Edinburgh, 1793, pp. 10, 11, No. 1, *Hist. of Presb. App.* 1793, General Assembly, 1793, p. 193.]

HERCULES SKINNER, younger son of Hercules Skinner, of Newark, 1669, educated at Univ. of St. Andrews, M.A. 1684, app. to the Master of Brashears, Nov. 1683, was appointed to the church of Newark, and to Newark until July 1690, then to Newburn, July 1690, then to and while 2nd Oct. 1690, dissolved, presided about 67. He married about 1690, Anne, daughter of Patrick Lyttelton, of Berry, and had issue—Hercules, Isabella, &c. *R. H. Hist.* 29th Feb. 1672, 1874, 4, 1, 2, 3, *Postscript*.

DAVID RAMSAY, M.A., St. Andrews, 21st April 1690, called by the Presb. 1700, *Archib. 1690*, 23rd Nov. 1690, died 26th March 1700, died between 20th May and 13th June 1722, and about 72. He married, Oct. 1700, Margaret Rattray, and had issue—Elizabeth, &c.

ANTHONY DOW, M.A., St. Andrews, 16th May 1713, born, by Presb. of 1723, Cupar 31st May 1723, called 3rd July, and ord. 29th Sept. 1723, was attacked by a gang of armed men in the afternoon of 12th Feb. 1747, but defended himself, took the leader prisoner, when the others released him and did Dow much injury, died 29th Aug. 1752, aged about 78. He married 29th Nov. 1724, Ann, daughter of William Reid, min. of Dunning, and had issue—William, John, married Robert Trail, min. of Fifebridge, Davy, min. of Dornoch, Anne, born 2nd Sept. 1732, died 19th Oct. 1748, Anthony, born 21st Dec. 1736, died 31st Aug. 1742, Catherine, Fatty, who died 14th Aug. 1768.

[**JOHN BARCLAY**, born 1733, son of Ludovic B., farmer and moulder in the parish of Muthill, educated at Univ. of St. Andrews, where he graduated M.A. about 1755, born by Presb. of Auchterarder 27th Sept. 1759, assistant at Errol, 1759-63, and in this parish, 1763-72. He

spent 1764 at Dundee, in which, together with his eloquent appearance in the pulpit, gained him considerable popularity. The Friends were glad to ascertain him, and noted his certainty of character. An appeal to the General Assembly was made on 29th May 1765. But the response came to the effect of the following Acts, April 1765, and sometimes after himself, Barclay, or Mr. Barclay. He was followed by the larger proportion of the parishioners of Fifebridge, &c. a place of worship was erected at Scolburn, situated at the centre of the parish in which he resided, &c. After this, B. was called a man but permitted to settle in Edinburgh, where a congregation of the sect had done so, &c. &c. His ordination there took place at Newcastle upon Tyne, 12th Oct. 1769. Other clerics were turned the other side of Scotland and England, and in London, B. carried on his practice for about twenty years. He died suddenly of apoplexy in Edinburgh whilst kneeling at prayer in the house of a friend) 26th July 1789, and was buried in the Old Calton graveyard, where a monument was erected. He was author of 12 publications—*The Works of the Rev'd. Dr. Barclay, with his Dissertations on the Four Heads of Step, the Author of the First Edition, 1789, &c.* [Edinburgh, 1789], *Letters to Friends, or Discourse Addressed to the Glasgow Friends, on the Subject of their Appeal against the Rev'd. Mr. H. H. H. in His Defence* (1790), *The Works of the Rev'd. Dr. Barclay, 1789*, [Edinburgh, 1790], *Principles of Truth* (Edinburgh, 1771), *Letter on Principles Addressed to the Rev'd. Independent Clergyman, 1771*, *S. Friend, 1771*, *The Principles of the Friends of the New Testament, and Society of Friends of Spiritual Subjects, and Friends of Friends Subjects*, 3 vols. [Edinburgh, 1780], *Epistles to the Friends, Principals, &c.* 1783, 1, 2, *A Close Examination into the Truth of several Received Principles*, 1783, 1, 2, 3, [Edinburgh, Glasgow, 1782], *Dr. M. B. Barclay's Principals of Life; A Sermon, Journal, Notes and Queries*, vii. 180, 225, Hastings's *Dict. of Religion and Ethics*,]]

ROBERT FOOTE, born 11th March 1773; son of Charles F., min. of Kinfauns; educated at Grammar School, Perth, and Univ. of St Andrews and Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Perth 26th Nov. 1793; ord. to Eskdalemuir 22nd Sept. 1798; pres. by George III. 17th Nov. 1772; trans. and adm. (in face of great opposition and personal abuse) 15th Sept. 1773; died 1st July 1809. He marr. 27th Nov. 1778, Jane (died 19th Dec. 1851, aged 83), daugh. of James Smith, min. of Garvoeck, and had issue: Charles William, born 26th Nov. 1779, died 23rd Dec. 1784; James, D.D., min. of North Parish, Aberdeen, born 30th Aug. 1781; Mary, born 30th March 1784; Barbara Stewart, born 24th May 1787; John, born 11th April 1789; Christian Cree, born 25th March 1791, died 6th Feb. 1796; Elizabeth Burnett, born 1st June 1793, died 2nd July 1795; Archibald, merchant, Montrose, born 5th Dec. 1796, died 1807; Catherine, born 9th Sept. 1799, died 12th Sept. 1800; Robert, born 28th Nov. 1800, died 27th March 1806; Alexander Leith Ross, D.D., min. of Brechin, born 6th Feb. 1805; and eight others, who died young. Of his nineteen children only five survived him. Publication—*Sermons*, with Memoir (Aberdeen, 1810); Account of the Parish (Sinclair's *Stat.* App., v.).

JAMES KEYDEN, born 11th Oct. 1785, 1810 son of James K., min. of Dunbog; educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; pres. by George III. 23rd Oct. 1809; ord. 5th April 1810; res. in 1814; became purser on a vessel in the H.E.I.C.S.; died unmarr. at Loches, 5th Nov. 1821.

JOHN MUIR, pres. by George, Prince Regent, in Oct., and ord. (assistant and successor) 27th Dec. 1814; trans. to St Vigeans 27th Sept. 1816.

ALEXANDER WHYTE, born 1790, son 1817 of David W., farmer, Clova; educated at King's College, Aberdeen; M.A. (30th March 1810); became tutor in the family of Earl of Airlie; schoolmaster of Auchterhouse 15th Nov. 1813 to 15th Feb. 1817; pres. by George, Prince Regent,

in Feb., and ord. (assistant and successor) 13th March 1817; died 11th Jan. 1858. He marr. 16th April 1827, Jane Farquhar (died 22nd Oct. 1843), daugh. of James Shand, min. of Marykirk, and had issue: James Shand, went to Grenada, born 2nd Feb. 1828; Margaret Helen Eliza, born 24th Oct. 1830. Alexander, in Colonial Service at Uganda, a distinguished naturalist, discovered upwards of 500 new species of animals and plants in Africa, born 5th March 1835; Mary Georgina, born 24th May 1838 (marr. 21st Aug. 1873, William Low Henderson, architect, Aberdeen). Publications—*The Duty of Prayer* (Edinburgh, 1833); *The Heritage of God's People* (Edinburgh, 1837); *The Lord's Supper* (Edinburgh, 1839); *An Exposure of the Rev. William Nixon's Erroneous Statements as to Moderation, and of his Unconstitutional Thems as to Church Defence Associations and Intruding into the Parishes of his Brethren* (Montrose, 1842); Account of the Parish (*New Stat.* App., xi.). [Cameron's *Fettercairn*, 210.]

ADAM INCH RITCHIE, pres. by 1858 Queen Victoria 31st March, and trans. from St Davids, Dundee, 28th July 1858; trans. to Whitkirk and Tymingham 7th March 1867.

WILLIAM ANDERSON, born Londoun, 1867 8th Dec. 1834, third son of James A., lapidary, Kilmarnock; educated at Kilmarnock Academy and Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Irvine 2nd July 1861; ord. to McIville, Montrose, 6th Oct. 1864; pres. by Queen Victoria 29th March, trans. and adm. 8th Aug. 1867; res. 21st Oct. 1869; died at Edinburgh 16th Jan. 1917. He marr. 16th July 1867, Grace Isabella (died 28th May 1917, aged 73), eldest daugh. of Captain David Ferguson, Marine Lodge, Irvine, and had issue: James Edward, born 3rd April 1871; Grace Hamilton, born 24th Dec. 1872; William Daniel Ferguson, born 13th May 1875; John Alexander, factor to Lord Clinton, Fettercairn, born 11th May 1876; Edith Jane, born 7th Oct. 1880; Frederick, born 19th June 1884.

CHARLES LAMB HUNTER, born 27
1910 Boswell 4th Nov. 1878, son of
Benjamin H. and Janet Oliver
Wallace, educated at St Boswell School,
Royd High School, and Univ. of Edin-
burgh, M.A. 1901, licensed by Presby. of
St. Kirk in 1901, assistant at East Park
Aberdeen, and at The Park Edinburgh, now
ord. 6th April 1910, Chaplain to Forces
not previously mentioned in despatches. Mar-
ried April 1911, with Alice, daughter of
William Kerr, grain merchant, Glasgow,
and Henrietta Ann.

FETTERESSO.

[The old church of Fetteresso was dedicated to St. Ciaran. It is a picturesque building, over eighty feet long, and is roofless. It belonged to the collegiate church of the Kirk-Hough at St Andrews. Within the bounds is the ruined chapel of St Nachlan at Cowie, a building about seventy feet in length. There was also another chapel at Ruddykes. The parish contained Wells of St. Nachlan and St. Randolph. A fair of St. Nachlan was held at Fetteresso. There is now, within the bounds, at Stonhaven, a mission chapel of St. John.]

JOHN CHRISTISON, probably the
1580 friar who failed to appear, and was
outlawed at Stirling, 10th May 1569,
for usurping of the Kirk and taking the
ministry at his own hands, min. here in
1560, with Dunnottar and Glenbervie also
in his charge, removed to Glenbervie before
28th Sept. 1570.

[PETER BROWN held the parsonage,
but it is doubtful if he was a man; died
before 24th Nov. 1570.]

ANDREW MYLNE (*primus*), was a
Commissioner for Montrose at the
1570 first General Assembly 26th Dec.
1569, min. at Strachur with Dunloppe
also in charge in 1567, schoolmaster at
Montrose in 1569, where he taught James

Melville, trans. to Dunbar in 1574,
pres. by James VI, 22nd Nov. 1579,
was a member of ten of the twenty-four
Assemblys from April 1601 to March 1609,
one of the Visitors to the College of
Aberdeen in Oct. 1582, was one of six
to William Dumbell, yearling of Glen-
bervie, that he was due to wed to be
placed under him after the end of his life,
which caused the Assembly to present a
complaint to the King in 1582. He was
one of ten selected by the ministry in
Jan. 1583 for presenting petitions to the
King, and claimed the poverty and dangers
threatened to the professors of the true
religion. For his good service and thankful
services done, King James VI granted him
the third of the pension in 1611. He died
poor, well-moderately kynd men, very
skilful and diligent. He marr'd Elspeth
Chalmers, who died 22nd Nov. 1619, and had issue—Andrew minister of this parish—
[*St. Andrews Test.*, Melville's *Act.* 21, 297, 302.]

ANDREW MYLNE, son & son of
1605 preceding, M.A. St Andrews 1601;
adm. in 1606, was a member of
Assembly 1638 and 1639, died 12th Oct.
1669, aged 57. He marr'd (1) cont. 14th
Jan. 1611 Elspeth, daugh. of James Mowat
in Reidlock; (2) Catherine Th. king, who
died 1st March 1631, and had eighteen
children, of whom Isobel marr'd cont. 26th
March 1629, Robert Leslie, Burgess of
Aberdeen. [*Rec. of Deaths, Govrvin.* 432;
Aberdon. 8 of 2d c. of *Rec. of Dece.* 29;
Tud. st.]

PATRICK LESLIE, M.A. (King's Col-
leges) Aberdeen, 1626, min. of
1640 Skene, preached in Old Machar
7th April 1636, and intimated the sentence
of excommunication passed by the General
Assembly in 1638, against eight bishops;
pres. by William Earl Marischal in Nov.
trans. and adm. 13th Dec. 1640, was one
of eighteen mins. dep. by the Assembly's
Commission for Visitation in Oct. 1649.
He marr'd Isobel Smith, and had issue—
William, apprentice to Peter Maill,
merchant, Aberdeen, 28th May 1662.

JOHN MYLNE, son of George Mylne, of Premlay, educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1657), adm. before 11th June 1652; died Jan. 1703. He marr. Christian Innes, and had issue James, writer, Stenhaven; Helen; Katherine (marr. Richard Maidland, min. of Nigg); Alexander, min. of Edny. [G. R. *Inhba*, 11th March 1673.]

GIDEON GUTHRIE, born at Castleton of Fordoun, 24th May 1633, second son of Harry G. of Halkerton in Angus, and Margaret, daugh. of David Sibbald of Kair, and Jean, daugh. of Sir David Auchinmonty; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; licen. by Presb. of Mearns Sept. 1688; had calls to Grange and Aboyne, but "the Committee of the Kirk coming North, anno 1694, defeated me." He intruded at Glenmuick Dee, 1697 to May 1698, and after spending some years as tutor to the sons of William, ninth Earl Marischal (one of his pupils becoming the famous Marshal Keith), he was settled in this charge 26th Dec. 1703; was required to give up the keys of the church 21st March 1705. He intruded afterwards at Brechin in 1709 and was forbidden to preach or exercise any part of the ministry within that parish under pain of 500 merks, and further declared incapable for seven years of any post or benefice in Scotland, fined 1000 merks and ordered to go to prison till payment. Instead of doing so, he and John Skinner assumed possession of the pulpit during the Jacobite Rising in 1715. He was dep. 3rd Oct. 1716, afterwards went to Edinburgh, and was subsequently at Carmylie; died in 1732. He marr. 1706, Anne (born 1671, died 7th Feb. 1727), daugh. of Andrew Melvin or Melville, min. of Morham, and had issue William, author of a *Historical and Geographical Grammar*, a *History of England*, and a *General History of Scotland*, born 7th Jan. 1708, died 9th March 1770; Harry, writer, Edinburgh, born 5th Jan. 1709, died 5th June 1734; Margaret, born 13th Sept. 1711, died 7th Aug. 1715; Isobel, born 3rd May 1713, died 14th Sept. 1714. [Black's *Brechin*, 127; *Gideon Guthrie, a Monograph* [edited

by C. E. Guthrie Wright] (Edinburgh, 1900).]

JOHN WEBSTER, M.A.; called by the Presb. with a committee of Synod 1705, *pro tempore* 25th July 1705; ord. 13th March 1705; trans. to New Deer 29th April 1707.

DAVID BURN, licen. by Presb. of Kirkeally 27th March 1708; called by the Presb. *pro tempore* 23rd Aug., and ord. 2nd Nov. 1709; died 28th May 1749. He marr. 13th Oct. 1714, Isobel (died 16th Feb. 1760), daugh. of James Durham of Largo, and had issue Ann; Elizabeth (marr. Alexander Angus, bookseller, Aberdeen); Isobel; David, min. of Largo; John, born 4th July 1732.

ALEXANDER FORBES, born 1722, 1750 son of George F., schoolmaster, Foyean; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; licen. by Presb. there 27th April 1748; pres. by George II, 8th Aug. 1749; ord. 31st Jan. 1750; died 23rd Dec. 1758. He marr. 27th Aug. 1751, Jean Forbes, who died 16th July 1798, and had issue Alexander, born 10th Aug. 1752; Arthur, M.A., born 16th April 1754, a student at Aberdeen in 1765; William, M.A., born 7th July 1757.

JOHN BALLANTYNE; licen. by Presb. of Auchterarder 22nd Jan. 1731; ord. to South Ronaldshay 29th March 1735; pres. by George II, May 1759; trans. and adm. 1st May 1760; died 15th Aug. 1762. He marr. 19th June 1738, Margaret (died 17th Dec. 1767), daugh. of Morris Trent of Pitcully, and had issue Margaret, born 10th July 1739; Maurie, born 30th Aug. 1741, died 3rd March 1760; William, born 21st July 1743.

WILLIAM SHANK, born 29th June 1739, son of Alexander S., min. of Ecclesgreig; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; licen. by Presb. of Fordoun 22nd Oct. 1761; pres. by George III, Nov. 1762; ord. 2nd March, and died unmarr. 8th July 1763.

JOHN HUCHISON, born 1733, died 1764, rector at Marischal College, Aberdeen, son, by Fr. b. of Aberdeen 6th Dec., 1758, pres. by George III, 12th April, 1763, ord. 7th March, 1764, died 27th Feb., 1780. He marr'd Dec. 1764, Mary, died 11th Aug., 1775, aged 31, daughter of James Morrison of Ellick, Prosector of Aberdeen, and had issue: David, advocate in Aberdeen, born 29th Oct., 1766, died 1st Dec., 1832; Alexander, born 15th Nov., 1768, went to Kingston, St Vincent, died 6th Oct., 1812; Isabel, born 15th July, 1768, marr'd William Paul, min. of Maryculter; James, born 29th June, 1770, died 13th Oct., 1773; Mary, born 13th April, 1772, died 16th April, 1794; James, M.A., born 4th Feb., 1774. Publication—*Account of the Parish* (Sinclair's *Stat.*, 1802, p. 20).

GEORGE THOMSON, born Banffshire, 1775, grandson of Alexander Chalmers, min. of Glass, educated at King's College, Aberdeen; M.A. (29th March 1792); licen. by Presb. of Fordon 5th Feb., pres. by George III, 12th March, and ord. 18th Sept., 1800; died FATHER OF THE SYNOD 15th July 1862. He marr'd 30th March 1807, Margaret Kemp, who died 4th June 1836. He bequeathed the residue of his estate for the erection of a church and manse at Glen of Cowie, now Rickartown. Publication—*Account of the Parish* (*New Stat.*, 1802, xii).

JOHN WATT, born Lumphanan, about 1820; educated at King's College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1841), ord. assistant and successor, 25th Sept., 1845; res. 25th Oct., 1850; died at Dunedin, New Zealand, 23rd July 1853. He marr'd 1st July 1855, Elizabeth Hector, died 2nd April 1863, eldest daughter of George Birnie of Johnston, and had issue: Elizabeth Leslie, born 25th Aug., 1856 (marr'd 2nd Aug., 1883, James Pitcairn Sym, W.S., Edinburgh); George Birnie, born 3rd Jan., 1858; John, born 7th Dec., 1859; Thomas David, min. of Glen-gairn, born 28th Aug., 1861; James Leslie, M.B., C.M., Tavistock, born 9th March 1863; William Birnie, born 25th Sept.,

1865. Gordon Beattie, twin, min. of Forbes, born 25th Sept., 1865; Harry Lawrie, merchant, Dunedin, born 27th July 1870.

JAMES ROBERTSON, M.A., B.D., 1860, trans. from Garthkirk 30th April 1860, trans. to Anderson, Glasgow, 4th Oct., 1867. He had issue: Vol. III, no. 1, David, born 4th May 1868; Charles, born 10th May 1869; Jane Patricia, born 10th Oct., 1872.

JAMES BEATTIE BURNETT, born St. Cyrus, 5th July 1861, son of Joseph Edward and Jessie Hogg, educated at St. Cyrus Public School, Brechin High School, and Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A. (1889), B.D. (1894), licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen April 1889, as pastor at Kinghorn, ord. to Aberlensay 25th Sept., 1891; trans. and adm. 8th March 1895. Chaplain to Forces Home service, 1915-16. Marri. 23rd April 1897, Helen May, only daughter of George W. Christison, tea-planter, Dargavel, and Mary McCulloch, and has issue: James Beattie, born 23rd March, 1898. Publications—*The Presbytery of Fife* (Bazaar Book, Forfar, 1904); *The Fair of the Lord* (Sermon) (Stonehaven, 1917).

FORDON.

[The old church of Fordon was dedicated to St. Palladius. It was a mensal kirk of the Archbishop of St. Andrews. The ancient building still stands, and has been restored so far as to allow of its use for burial purposes. It is about forty feet in length. John of Forfeord, the Chronicler, was priest of this parish in the fourteenth century. In the Friars' Glen & Drumtochty, within the bounds, a Priory of the White Friars was founded in 1362 by James Fraser of Fyndraught. At Kincardine stood a chapel of St. Katherine of Siena. There was a Well of St. Palladius at Fordoun, where also a fair of St. Palladius was held. Kincardine too had its yearly fair in honour of St. Katherine of Siena. At Pitarrow in

the parish. George Wishart the martyr was born in 1513. A granite obelisk was erected to his memory in 1850.]

PATRICK BONCLE, Canon of St Andrews Priory, min. here in 1565, with Fettercairn and Newdosc also in the charge in 1567; trans. to Conveth (Laureneekirk) before 1574, but returned before 1580, with Newdosc also in his charge, till 1585, was still min. in 1601, and died before 1607. He marr. and had issue

Elizabeth. [Proc. in Reg. House, 18th Jan. 1603/4; Reg. Soc. Sig., xliv., 97.]

ADAM WALKER, M.A. (St Andrews 1589); pres. to the vicarage by James VI., 16th Aug. 1590, as colleague to the preceding. While engaged with other brethren, 26th March 1601, in designing a manse for Patrick Boncle and his successors, he was "set upon and invadit by Sir David Wood of Craig, Knight, and twelve others, who strack him with the gaird of his sword upoun the heid, putt violent handis upon him, and with his sword, behind his bak, strak at him, and dang him to the cird, and with thair drawn swordis hurt and woundit him in baith his handis to the effusione of his blude in grit quantitie." He was a member of Assembly in 1610, and died 25th Aug. 1634. He marr. Elspeth Erskine, who survived him, and had issue

Patrick, apprenticed to Thomas Lindsay, merchant, Edinburgh, 11th Sept. 1616; James, apprentice to said Thomas Lindsay 9th Feb. 1631.—[*St. Andrews Tests.*; Cramond's *Fordoun*, 35.]

OLIVER HOUSTON, M.A. (Edinburgh, 29th July 1626); while living in 1634 St Andrews, was pres. by Charles I., 16th July 1633, to North Leith, but not settled; pres. by the King to this parish 15th Nov. 1634; was still min. in 1654. He marr. Margaret Findlaw, and had issue — Alexander, served heir to his mother 15th Dec. 1671. [Log. Rec. Gen., 5476.]

DAVID OCHTERLONY, son of John O., citizen of Brechin; M.A. (St. Andrews 1643); became a schoolmaster; was a leentiate in the Presb. of

Forfar 10th Dec. 1646; ord. to Finaven (Oathlaw) 8th Aug. 1650; app. by Presb. of Forfar, chaplain to Lord Carnegie's Regiment, 25th Feb. 1651; trans. and adm. after 23rd Sept. 1658; died Feb. 1691, aged about 68. He marr. (1) Margaret Carnegie, who died Sept. 1647, and had issue John, his successor in this parish; David, apprenticed to Charles Durie, Dean of Guild, Aberdeen, 27th March 1678; Agnes (marr. James Farquharson of Tullochcoey); and probably Catherine (marr. Alexander Arbuthnot, min. of Arbuthnott); (2) Mary Erskine, who died before 1672. [*St. Andrews Tests.*; P. C., Dec., 24th Jan. 1693; G. R. Hornings, 28th April 1672; G. R. Inhib., 17th July 1666.]

JOHN OCHTERLONY, son of preceding; adm. to Balmerino in 1682; according to one account, he was outed in 1689, but the Session Records show he left before 21st March 1690; intruded here before 31st July 1690; died 27th Jan. 1712. He marr. 15th Oct. 1704, Margaret, daugh. of John Barclay of Johnston, and had issue — Mary, bapt. 22nd Sept. 1705; John, bapt. 7th May 1707; Peter, bapt. 24th March 1709; Margaret, bapt. 2nd Sept. 1711. [*Balmerino and its Abbey*, 32.]

DAVID HENDERSON, M.A. (Edinburgh, 27th April 1705); licen. by Presb. of Dalkeith 27th Dec. 1709; called by the Presb. *jure devoluto* 12th Nov., and ord. 24th Dec. 1712; objections were made at his settlement that he did not use the Lord's Prayer; died "of high fever" between 22nd April and 20th May 1713, aged about 28, and was probably unmarr.

GILBERT ANDERSON, licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen 5th Oct. 1713; called by 1714 the Presb. *jure devoluto* 21st Oct., and ord. 8th Dec. 1714; died 15th Oct. 1746. He marr. 2nd June 1719, Christian (died 15th Sept. 1773), daugh. of David Brown, min. of Blackfriars, Glasgow, and had issue — Christian; Elizabeth; George; Janet, born 15th July 1733. [*St. Andrews Tests.*]

WILLIAM FORBES, son of Thomas Forbes, of Thornton, educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen, called 8th April, and ord. 6th Sept. 1747; died 20th March 1771. He marr. 28th Jan. 1748, Susanna Walker, who died 11th Jan. 1801, and had issue: Thomas, born 4th Jan., and died 10th July 1769; Mary Ann, born 4th Nov. 1750; Janet, born 24th June 1752; Elizabeth, born 29th March 1755; Margaret, born 29th July 1760, died 7th Dec. 1833; Middleton, born 9th Dec. 1763, marr. William Bell, wine merchant, Leith; Phoebe, born 18th May 1769.

ALEXANDER LESLIE, born 26th Oct. 1733, son of James Leslie, min. of St 1771 Fergus; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1755), licen. by Presb. of Deer 10th Oct. 1758, ord. to Durris 5th April 1759, pres. by George III, 6th July, trans. and adm. 31st Oct. 1771; died 15th Sept. 1807. He marr. 26th Feb. 1763, Margaret, died 29th June 1820, daughter of Lewis Reid, min. of Strachan, and had issue: James, his successor in this parish; Lewis, born 1st June 1766, died 15th Oct. 1768; Thomas, born 2nd March 1768, died 23rd May 1785; Janet, born 24th May 1770, died 18th June 1850; Elizabeth, born 31st Dec. 1771, marr. 1st Aug. 1808, William Lindsay of Oatlands, writer, Glasgow, died 26th July 1855; Alexander of Birkwood, merchant, Glasgow, born 15th May 1773, Grace, born 23rd April 1775, died 23rd Dec. 1837; Lewis, born 23rd March, and died 31st Dec. 1777; John, born 8th July 1778, died 25th Nov. 1801; William, born 15th Aug. 1781. Publication—Account of the Parish (Sinclair's *Stat. Acc.*, iv.).

JAMES LESLIE, born Durris, 14th March 1788, son of preceding; edu 1788 cated at Univ. of Glasgow, where he obtained a prize for the best essay on "The Goodness of God"; licen. by Presb. of Fordoun 26th Nov. 1786; pres. by George III, 3rd June 1787, ord. (assistant and successor) 12th June 1788; D.D. Glasgow, 1st May 1812; adm. 18th Oct. 1843, died unmarr. at Beth Lodge, Stonhaven, 20th March 1858. Publication—"Topography

and Natural History—in Account of the Parish (See *Stat. Acc.*, xi.). [Toml'st.; Mollyson's *Parish of Fordoun*, 510.]

JAMES FLOWERDEW, son of an officer of corps, educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Melgyle 3rd April 1822, ord. to Eassie and Nevay 17th April 1828, pres. by Queen Victoria 5th Dec. 1833, trans. and adm. 22nd Feb. 1844, died unmarr. (after a prolonged period of ill-health) 22nd Aug. 1845. He was of medium height, neat in person, with fine classic features, bright intelligent eyes, and a finely developed forehead. His aspect in the pulpit was commanding. He had few equals as a debater. Publication—Account of Eassie and Nevay (*New Stat. Acc.*, xi.). [Mollyson's *Fordoun*, 10-15].

CHARLES FORBES BUCHAN, born Peterhead, 1817, son of Peter B. 1846 of Denmylochhead, printer, Peterhead, educated at Univ. of Aberdeen; Hon. M.A. (1850); ord. to Scots Church, North Shields, 1849, trans. to High Church, Paisley, 10th May 1844, pres. by Queen Victoria 10th Oct. 1845, trans. and adm. 11th Jan. 1846; D.D. Jefferson College, U.S.A.; died 15th Feb. 1875. He marr. (1) 2nd March 1843, Isabella Carr died 2nd Aug. 1863, daughter of Michael Robson of West Chester, and Dorothy Donkin, and had issue: Charles Forbes, M.A., M.B., C.M., assistant surgeon, R.N., born 16th Dec. 1843; Patrick, M.A., stockbroker, London, born 18th Feb. 1845; David Stewart, born 15th Jan. 1847; Dora, born 30th Dec. 1848; Alexander Irvine, born 19th Nov. 1850, died 5th Nov. 1852; Margaret, born 3rd March 1853; William Muir, born 1st July 1854. Harry, born 31st Aug. 1855, died 22nd Feb. 1867; Eveline, born 6th April 1857, died 1st May 1860; Frank, born 5th Feb. 1859, died 28th April 1869; Isabella Catharine, born 24th Sept., and died 18th Nov. 1861: (2) 21st Nov. 1871, Jane (died 24th Jan. 1879), daughter of John Paterson, Edinburgh. Publications—*The Old Chapel of Palladius and Its Story* (Montrose 1875, 1879); *Harp of Zion* (collection of hymns for the Sunday

School); booklets for Sunday scholars: *The Gathered Lily; Apples of Gold in Pictures of Silver*; [Case of C. F. Buchan 1853].

JOHN MENZIES, born Weem, 1st Nov. 1875, son of Robert M. and Margaret Thompson; educated at Dull and Aberfeldy Schools, and Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1865); licen. by Presb. of Weem; ord. to Fort-Augustus in 1872; trans. and adm. 11th Aug. 1875; died 5th July 1902. He marr. 8th April 1885, Susan Gordon, youngest daugh. of John Garland, Cairnton, and Mary Ann Pirie. Publication *Historical Sketches in Fordoun* (Montrose, 1887).

ROBERT GALBRAITH, born Linwood, 18th Dec. 1866, son of William G. and Elizabeth Armour; educated at Linwood School and Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Paisley April 1891; assistant at Saughtree and Linlithgow; ord. to Buckie 9th Feb. 1895; trans. and adm. 24th Dec. 1902. Marr. 13th Dec. 1892, Eliza, daugh. of Francis Alison, engineer, Loanhead, and Jane Alison, and has issue—Robert, architect, born 29th Nov. 1893; Jane Jack, born 3rd Aug. 1895.

GARVOCK.

[The church of Garvock was dedicated to St James. It belonged to the Abbey of Arbroath. Near the church was St James's Well, and a fair of St James was held at the Hill of Garvock. There was also in the parish a Well of St Medan, at Ingismaddie. (Ingismaddie *Eaglais Mhealain*, the Church of St Medan.)]

JAMES SYMMER, reader in 1567; 1567 dep. in 1569.

ALEXANDER KEITH, removed from Caterline, having Arbuthnott, Bervie, 1568 and Kinneff in addition; trans. to Dunnottar in 1579.

ROBERT MYLNE, reader in 1569 and 1585. [Aud. of Exch., 1584-85, f. 107.]

WALTER MORISON, brother to William M., min. of Benholme; 1588 min. in 1588; died 11th May 1603. He marr. Margaret Rait, who survived him, and had issue James, min. of Evie and Rendall; William; Isobel. [*Elin. Test.*]

ROBERT ARBUTHNOTT, pres. by 1604 James VI. 20th Feb. 1604; trans. to Arbuthnott before 7th Feb. 1615.

ANDREW COLLACE, M.A.; pres. by 1615 James VI. 7th Feb. 1615; trans. to Ecclesgreig before 6th April 1619.

DAVID MITCHELL, M.A.; adm. before 6th April 1619; trans. to Old Kirk Parish, Edinburgh, before 6th Feb. 1628.

MICHAEL GILBERT, trans. from 1628 North Berwick; pres. by Charles I. 6th Feb. 1628; trans. to Murroes about 1648.

JOHN KEITH, educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; adm. before 1653 24th March 1653; still min. 11th Nov. 1663. He left notes in MS. of some remarkable things in the Mearns. He had issue—George, min. of Old Deer. [Jervise's *Memorials*, ii., 237.]

JOHN MYLNE, younger; pres. July 1669; ord. 2nd March 1670; trans. to Second Charge, Montrose, before 2nd Dec. 1685.

ROBERT OCHTERLONY, of the Guynd family, born there 27th Oct. 1685 1662; passed trials before the Presb. of St Andrews; recommended for licence 5th June 1684; pres. by George, Earl of Panmure, in Nov., and adm. 20th May 1685; deprived by the Privy Council in 1693, for not reading the Proclamation of the Estates, and not praying for William and Mary; dep. by Presb. of Brechin, 3rd Oct. 1716, for intruding at Montrose during the Rebellion. He was prosecuted with others, before the Lords of Justiciary, for intruding into parish churches, leasing making, praying for James the Old Chevalier, but the

Solicitor General, intended to desert the diet, 6th July 1715, in respect of the King's Act of Grace. He returned to Montreal, and died there, 11th Jan. 1716, the 1st Surveyor of the unsettled province, & the author of *The Survey of the Province of Quebec*.

JAMES MURISON, *ed.* at E. of Marshall College, Aberdeen, chaplain to the Duke of Lennox, licen. by the United Faculty of Chancery and Divns. 23rd March 1707, *ed.* 21st Aug. 1713, died 2nd July 1709. He marr. 27th May 1713, Grizel Dallas, and had issue James, Principal of St. Mary's College, St. Andrews, *ed.*

JAMES SMITH, *princ.*, born 1702, *app. sch. -master of St. Cyrus* 27th July 1743 - 1726, educated at King's College, Aberdeen, M.A. 17th April 1727, licen. by Presb. of Fordoun 4th June 1740, *ed.* 9th June, and ord. assistant and successor 12th Oct. 1743, was carried off a prisoner in Jan. 1746 by the Jacobite army, but attended on the Duke of Cumberland in Feb. that year, and died 6th Nov. 1780. He marr. 6th July 1732, Mary, died 5th Nov. 1808, daughter of Archibald Nequemin, of Maryculter, and had issue James, his successor in this parish; Jean, born 6th March 1756, marr. Robert Foster, min. of Fettercairn.

JAMES SMITH, *sch. -master*, born 26th Sept. 1753, son of preceding, educated at King's College, Aberdeen, M.A. 1780, licen. by Presb. of Fordoun 3rd May 1775, pres. by George III. Jan. 1777, *ord. assistant and successor* 19th Aug. 1779, became mentally affected shortly thereafter, died unmarried, 18th July 1836.

JOHN GLENNIE, M.A., pres. by George III. in June, and *ord. assistant and successor* 29th July 1804, trans. to Echt 16th Dec. 1813.

JAMES MHNE, M.A., pres. by George III. Prince Regent, in March, and *ord. assistant and successor* 9th May 1814, trans. to Arbuthnott 1st March 1821.

JOHN CHARLES, born Cullercoats, 1821, son of John C. wheelwright, educated at Cervock School and Marshall College, Aberdeen, M.A. 26th March 1792, *sch. -master of Glenarm*, 17th Oct. 1811, pres. by George IV. in March, and *ord. assistant and successor* 7th June 1792, *ed.* in 1797, *sch. -master of Kirk-Saint-Nicholas* of the parish, and *2nd pres.* of that of Lennox-kirk, *ed.* 1st October, and *2nd* in 1811, *sch. -master of Garvock*, the rent of which he paid to the lessees in trust, *for* *two or more poor children* of his name. By Kirk Session, d. 1st Feb. Nov. 1850. It is to be noticed that for upwards of 17 years there was no vacancy in this parish, a circumstance only paralleled in the parish of Berwick. Published: *A Sermon Preached in the Church of St. Nicholas, Aberdeen, 1814*, *Sunday 11th June 1815*. Printed: *The Protestant Hymn Book*, Edinburgh, 1855.

JAMES MITCHELL, born Aberdeen, 1814, son of James Mitchell and Margaret Gordon, educated at Grammar School, and King's College, Aberdeen, *becomes sch. -master of Kinnell*, *ord. assistant and successor* 11th Jan. 1844, *ed.* 2nd April 1851. He marr. 26th March 1827, Elizabeth, died 21st Aug. 1863, daughter of Captain Christie, 88th Connacht Rangers, and had issue James, D.D., min. of South Leith, born 5th Oct. 1830, Margaret Elizabeth, born 29th Feb. 1833, died 29th Oct. 1862.

WILLIAM STEPHEN, born Tarves, 10th Dec. 1840, son of Alexander Stephen and Margaret Duncan, educated at Methlick Public School, Grammar School, and Univ. of Aberdeen, M.A. 1870, B.D. 1879, licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen in 1874, *assistant at Banff, Turriff, Boness, and St. Cyrus*, *ord. assistant and successor* 17th Oct. 1877, *res.* 17th May 1923. Marr. 17th May 1892, Jane Latta, oldest daughter of Charles Morrison, min. of Laurencekirk, and has issue Alexander Charles, B.Sc. (Aberdeen), naturalist, Scottish Fishery Board, born 17th Dec. 1893.

FRANCIS M' HARDY, born Ordiquhill, 1923 Bantf., 30th Nov. 1874, son of John M. and Mary Duff; educated at Fordyce Academy, Univ. of Aberdeen, M.A. (1897), B.D. (1900), and Berlin; licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen in 1902; assistant at Govan, Glasgow; ord. to Galashiels West, 15th April 1903; trans. to Midmar 12th Nov. 1908; trans. to Monquhitter 19th Jan. 1917; trans. to Rickartton 3rd Oct. 1919; trans. and adm. 25th Oct. 1923. Examiner for degrees, Univ. of Aberdeen, 1918-21. He marr. 7th June 1904, Helen Hannah, daugh. of William Andrew Plummer Sanderson, manufacturer, Gala shields, and Sarah Annie Thomson, and has issue Francis, born 8th May 1905; John William Thomson Duff, born 31st Oct. 1913; Charles George Plummer Sanderson, born 13th Nov. 1915.

GLENBERVIE.

[Glenbervie was a prebend of Brechin. At Drumlithie in this parish there was a Well of St Carran. A fair of St Michael was held at Drumlithie. At Delliavaird stood St Mary's Chapel and a shrine.]

JOHN CHRISTISON, min. of Fetteresso, had also charge here in 1560; 1560 removed here before 28th Sept. 1570; was still min. in 1580. [Elin. Comm. Dec., i., 275.]

JOHN AUCHINLECK, reader in 1567 1567.

ARCHIBALD DOUGLAS, son of 1581 William, ninth Earl of Angus; parson here in 1581; died (s.p.) 1584. - [Scots Peerage, i., 198; Reg. of Decls., xxii., 63 Douglas Book, ii., 377.]

DUNCAN DOUGLAS, youngest son of 1585 William, ninth Earl of Angus, and brother of preceding; parson in 1585; died before 1591.

JAMES DOUGLAS, second son of Sir 1590 Archibald D. of Glenbervie and uncle of preceding, and Elizabeth, daugh. of Alexander Irvine of Drum;

person in 1590, was still min. 17th July 1635. He marr. Grizel, daugh. of Irvine of Beltie, and had issue Robert of Nether Kilmouth, ancestor of Lord Glenbervie, and families of Brigton, Whiteriggs and Fochil; James, min. of Kirkwall; John; Elizabeth (marr. - Lockhart in Park, in Douglasdale); Jean (marr. - Inglis in Brigtondykes). [Douglas Book, iii., 548; Scots Peerage, i., 198.]

JOHN CHALMER, son of John C. 1634 of Bdnaraig; educated at King's College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1630); app. (assistant and successor) in 1634; died unmarr. April 1635, aged about 25. He desired his body to be buried in the Kirk of Lumphanan, and bequeathed fifty merks to the poor of that parish. [Brechin Testes.]

JOHN IRVINE, of the family of Montboddo, born 1605; educated at Univ. 1636 of St Andrews; M.A. (1634); adm. in 1636; died Nov. 1680. He marr. Margaret, daugh. of John Gordon in Belgum, and had issue Robert, his successor in this parish; James; George; John; Alexander, a min.; Marjory; Christian. [Fayre Horning, 18th Sept. 1676; Tombst.; Gen. Reg. of Sas., ii., xxviii.; Inq. Ret. Gen., 6990, 7147.]

ROBERT IRVINE, son of preceding; 1678 educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; adm. (colleague) 7th Feb. 1678; died between March 1710 and 21st March 1711.

HENRY HAMILTON, born 1677, son 1712 of Andrew (or Alexander) of Kinnell, who suffered in the time of Episcopacy; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (11th July 1694); licen. by Presb. of Kirkcaldy 11th Feb. 1703; ord. to Navar 3rd March 1708; called by the Presb. *jure devoluto* 9th Jan., trans. and adm. 11th April 1712; died 20th May 1754. He marr. at Dalzell 28th Oct. 1726, Grizel (died 30th Aug. 1772), daugh. of John Haldane of Myrtoun. [House of Hamilton, 435.]

ROBERT ALLARDICE, born King's College, Aberdeen, 1723, became schoolmaster of Fetteresso, educated at King's College, Aberdeen, M.A., 29th March 1744, licensed by Presb. of Fetteresso 27th June 1733, pres. by Sir James Nicolson of Glenbervie Aug. 1734, ord. 19th March 1735, died 17th Sept. 1756. He married 1st March 1736, Margaret Simpson, who died at Montrose 29th Dec. 1755, and had issue, James, b. 1st Feb., and died 17th April 1757.

ALEXANDER THOM, born 1738, M.A., King's College, Aberdeen, 29th April 1759, became schoolmaster of Drumtoft; licens'd by Presb. of Fetteresso 5th Oct. 1768, pres. by Sir James Nicolson of Glenbervie in 1770, ord. 15th May 1780, died 13th April 1815. He married 29th March 1788, Christian Thom, who died 29th Sept. 1816, and had issue, Alexander, licentiate of the Church, afterwards surgeon at Dalmecross, near Manchester, born 23rd Sept. 1790; Jean, born 1st Sept. 1793, died 9th May 1797; Christian, born 26th June 1795; Patrick, born 27th June 1797. Publication, *Account of the Parish of Sinclair's Stat. Act. viii.*

JAMES DRUMMOND, born 1784, son of Adam Dr., cabinet-maker, and Elizabeth Callender, licens'd by Presb. of Brechin 10th Aug. 1808, pres. by Mr. Helen Mitchell Nicolson of Glenbervie, with consent of her husband in Aug., and ord. 24th Sept. 1815, died at Stonehaven 11th Dec. 1867. He married 16th April 1827, Helen (died 17th Oct. 1850), daughter of James Forest, merchant, Drumthistle, and had issue, Jane, born 10th Feb. 1828, died unmarr.; Elizabeth, born 30th June 1829 (marr. Alexander Smart Myers, min. of Benholm); Helen, born 29th April 1831 (marr. William Gordon, min. of this parish); James, M.A., M.D., Brechin, born 12th Jan. 1836, died (of fever contracted from a patient) 16th March 1856. Publication, *The Warning Voice*, a sermon (Stonehaven, 1844). Account of the Parish (Aug. Stat. Act. xi.). [Kinneff's *Glenbervie*, 32, 141-8 (portrait).]

WILLIAM GORDON, born Kirkaldy, Fife, 1803. Educated at Peterhead, 19th May 1817, Presb. of Peterhead, farmer, educated at King's College, Aberdeen, M.A., 1847, became schoolmaster of Auchterarder, 10th Oct. 1847, pres. by Mrs. Nicolson of Glenbervie, trustee and tutor assistant and successor 14th June 1853, and 14th May 1867, He married 1st April 1860, Helen (died 12th Sept. 1912), daughter of James Drummond, minister of this parish, and had issue, Patrick Lindsay, his successor in this parish; Helen Jane Drummond, born 17th Dec. 1861, died 30th Nov. 1893; Margaret C. L., born 22nd Sept. 1867, d. 12th June 1884; James Drummond, M.A., B.D., B.Sc., Indian chaplain, and son of Beatrix, born 16th June 1871; William Lindsay, min. of Yetholm, born 19th Dec. 1871. [Kinneff's *Glenbervie*, 33 (portrait).]

PATRICK LINDSAY GORDON, born 18th Aug. 1863, son of previous, 1894, educated at Glenbervie S.E. & Grammer School, Aberdeen, Old Academy, and Univ. of Aberdeen, M.A., 1886, B.D., 1889, licens'd by Presb. of Aberdeen in 1889, assistant at Auld Skene, Maryton, Ettrick, and Lerwick, ord. assistant and successor 17th Oct. 1894, served as Ambulance driver in France, 1916-18, of a car presented by himself, and received *Croix de Guerre*, app. clerk of Presb. in 1921. [Kinneff's *Glenbervie*, 34 (portrait).]

KINNEFF AND CATERLINE.

[These parishes were united by the Court of Session 7th Jan. 1719.]

Kinneff. The church of Kinneff was dedicated to St Adomnan. At Baras, in this parish, stood a chapel of St John. There was also within the bounds a Well of St Mungo.

Caterline. The church of Caterline was dedicated to St Catherine. It belonged to the Abbey of Arbroath.

JAMES FULLARTON, reader in 1507-1567.

JAMES SIMSON, reader here and at Bervie and Caterline, 1574 to 1585; pres. to the vicarage of Caterline by James VI, 31st Oct, 1576.

GEORGE YOUNG, educated at King's College, Aberdeen; min. in 1585, 1586 with Bervie and Rescobie also in the charge, still min. in 1589, with Kinneff and Bervie then in the charge.

ALEXANDER SIBBALD, M.A.; adm. before 10th June 1611; trans. to 1611 Kinney before 1613.

JAMES RAFT, adm. to Auldearn in 1585; trans. to Bervie in 1591; was 1613 a member of Assembly in 1610; trans. to Caterline before 1613; trans. and adm. in 1613; died 2nd Dec. 1618. He marr. and had issue Robert, died before 27th Oct. 1624; William. [St Andrews *Testis.*]

JAMES STRACHAN, son of Andrew S., min. of Dun; educated at Univ. 1619 of St Andrews; M.A. (1604); adm. to Barry 27th Sept. 1611; trans. and adm. in 1619; dep. about 1639. On account of his sufferings and loyalty he had £100 sterling allowed by Parliament 3rd May 1641; was alive 14th June 1662. He marr. (cont. 16th April 1610), Margaret Feithie. [*Reg. of Deeds*, ccclxxxvii., 499; *Acts of Parl.*, vii., App. 65.]

JAMES GRANGER, M.A. (St Andrews 1626); became a preacher in Mont- 1649 rose in 1635; the Assembly passed an Act under which the Presb. were to take him on trials and to ordain him 6th Oct. 1640. In 1651 the "Honours" or Regalia of Scotland were committed for safe custody by the Earl Marischal to his own castle of Dunnottar, and George Ogilvie of Barras was placed in command. The castle was besieged by the English Parliamentary troops. When it ultimately surrendered in May 1652, the English general found that the Regalia were no longer there. They had been conveyed out of the castle in March by the minister's wife, and buried by her husband under the floor of Kinneff Church close to the pulpit. In 1660 they

were dug up and restored to the King. According to all the evidence it was the Grangers who played the most prominent part in this patriotic act. On 11th Jan. 1661, an Act of Parliament granted to Mrs Granger a sum of 2000 merks Scots, "because she was most active in conveying the royall honours . . . out of the castle . . . and that by her care the same was hid and preserved." It would appear, however, that she never received more than a fraction of the amount voted to her. G. died between 14th Jan. and 20th May 1663, aged about 57. His gravestone has the following commendatory lines:

"Sic ex Granger, cuius est a Bervie et Caterline, Servatae regalis placita, accepit
Alstedius obsequia pro captivitate regis
Contra et saecula, atque alter homines
Principis spiritu patr. servat' regal' honoris
S. gratias superstitiose inter secula regis."

He marr. Christian Fletcher (who survived him and marr. (2) James Sandilands, first Lord Abercrombie), and had issue John. Publications A Letter to the Governor, 21st July 1660, with his obligation to the same 28th Sept. following (Papers relative to the Regalia of Scotland) (*Bannatyne Club*, 1829). [*Tombst.*; *Acts of Parl.*, vii., 11, App. 3; *Aberden Sas.*, ii., 635; Papers relative to the Preservation of the Honours of Scotland [ed. by Charles Howden] (*Scot. Hist. Soc.*, xxvi., 1896); Barron's *In Defence of the Regalia*, 2-45; *Scot. Hist. Rev.*, xx., 78 (Jan. 1923).]

JAMES HONYMAN (*primus*), son of David H. in Pitairchney, baker in 1663 St Andrews, and brother of Andrew, Bishop of Orkney; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. 26th July 1649; assistant to James Sharp, min. of Crail for two years before 31st March 1658; adm. 30th Sept. 1663; died 25th May 1693, aged about 64. He marr. May 1671, Margaret Leask, in the parish of Maryculter, and had issue Andrew, his successor in this parish; Alexander; Robert, M.A., min. at New York in 1702; James, min. at Newport, Rhode Island, U.S.A.; Cecil; Rachel (marr. William Elphinstone, min. of Logie). [*Tombst.*; *Scots Mag.*, xlvi.]

ANDREW HONYMAN, bapt. 1st May 1672, died 1st April 1701, presbyter, president of the Free Church of St. Andrews, M.A., 17th June 1699, called by the church at Elgin, died 1st April 1701, O.C. 1699, canon of the Culdee, and cathedral chapterman of Elgin, 1732. He married 17th Aug. Helen Ruth, of the family of Fadyston, and had issue: John, his successor in the parish; Andrew, William, Rachel, marr. David Carse, man of Drumtoftie; John, of Fadyston, 1808; Mary, wife of James Kinneff, lxxv.]

JAMES HONYMAN, son of Andrew Honyman, 1701-1733, son of Andrew Honyman, of Kinneff, educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen, licensed by Presb. of Dundee 6th Oct. 1725, ord. Keithhall 26th Sept. 1728, pres. by George III. 27th Feb., call'd 3rd June, curate, and died 26th Aug. 1733, died 6th Jan. 1750. He was author of the song, "Hie, bonnie Leslie, bink over the burn," and other poems in MSS. He married 11th April 1738, Katherine, died 22nd Oct. 1772, daughter of John Allardyce, provost of Aberdeen, and had issue: John, born 16th June 1739; Helen, born 10th June 1741, marr. Robert Edward, Harvey's son; James, his successor in this parish; John, M.A., born 11th Dec. 1745, licen. 11th Oct. 1767 as presbyter, became a dissenting man in England; Robert, physician in Virginia, born 10th Dec. 1747; Patrick, born 14th Dec. 1751, died 13th Feb. 1792.

JAMES HONYMAN, son of James Honyman, 1780-1781, educated on of proceeding, educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen, M.A., 1793, min. at Newport, Rhode Island, U.S.A., pres. by George III, assistant and successor 16th June 1773, ord. 17th Aug. 1780, died unmarried, 5th Aug. 1781. The Honymans of four generations were the minis. of this parish in succession, a period of 115 years. Their actual lives embraced over a century and a half.

PATRICK STEWART, son of James S. 1782 of Carnaverton, farmer, Meldyne, Fife, and Marjory Grant, educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen, licen.

by Presb. of Kirkaldie, O.N., 10th April 1783, ord. by the assistant to English Church at Kirkaldie, Howden, 23rd May 1772, pres. by George III. 26th Sept. 1781, died in this parish 1st May 1782, died 1st May 1833. He married 24th Aug. 1743, Christian Leslie, who died 20th March 1783, and had issue: James, born 1st Jan. 1745, died 1st May 1789; John, born 22nd March 1748, marr. May 1789, John Campbell Stewart, M.D., Edinburgh, died 22d July 1832; Duncan, born 12th Nov. 1750, died 2d Aug. 1802; William, Factor, and Barrister, Stonehaven, born 22d April 1753, Lewis, born 4th Dec. 1755, died 3rd July 1833; Islay Grant, born 2nd July, and died 18th Dec. 1764. Allan, his successor in this parish, Patrick, in Christin Howes, London, born 19th Jan. 1768; Eliza, M.A., L.R.C.P. & S.H., born 3rd June 1789, died 19th June 1826; Walter, born 1st Sept. 1801; Alexander, a distill surgeon, H.E.L.C.S., born 23rd Feb. 1804; John, farmer, Caterline, born 9th June 1806; Christian, born 31st Jan. 1810, died 13th Oct. 1822. Education: Account of the Parish-Scholars Stat. 1740, lxxv.

ALLAN STEWART, born 12th May 1818, son of preceding, educated at 1818 Marischal College, Aberdeen, M.A. 2nd April 1844, and studied divinity at Edinburgh, licen. by Presb. of Fife 1st May 1848, pres. by George Prince Regent, July, and by John Vincent Arbuthnot, same month, ord. assistant and successor 17th Sept. 1848, died unmarried, 13th Jan. 1857.

THOMAS BROWN, born 23rd April 1811, son of John B. D.D., min. of 1837 Langton, educated at Dens School and Univ. of Edinburgh, licen. by Presb. of Dens 10th Feb. 1837, missionary at Dumfries, pres. by William IV. 24th April and 28th June, and ord. 15th Sept. 1837, joined the Free Church in 1843; min. of Kinneff Free Church, 1843-9; Dean Free Church, Edinburgh, 1849-63; President of Berwickshire Naturalists Club in 1881; D.D. Edinburgh 1888, elected Moderator

of Free Church General Assembly 22nd May 1890; died in Edinburgh 4th April 1893. He was an accomplished botanist and geologist. He marr. 27th April 1838, Marianne (born 30th Nov. 1814, died 6th Dec. 1856), daugh. of James Wood, M.D., Edinburgh, and Mary Wood of Grangegill, and had issue: John James Graham, M.D., President, Royal College of Physicians, Edinburgh; Lecturer on Neurology in Univ. of Edinburgh, born 6th Sept. 1853; Mary Eleanor Lucy, died in infancy; James Wood, M.A., min. of the Free Church, Gordon, Berwickshire, author of *Controversies of the Merse*, and other works, born 2nd Dec. 1856, died at Florence 16th March 1913. Publications—*Annals of the Disruption* (Edinburgh, 1875, 1884, 1893); *Church and State in Scotland from 1560 to 1843* [Chalmers Lecture] (Edinburgh, 1891); "The Game of Ball as played in Dunse on Eastern's Eve" (*Hist. Berwickshire Nat. Club*, vol. i, 44-6); "Notes on the Mountain Limestone and Lower Carboniferous Rocks of the Fifeshire Coast, from Burntisland to St. Andrews" (*Trans. Roy. Soc. Edin.*, vol. xxii.); "On a Clay Deposit . . . recently observed in the Basin of the Forth" (*Trans. Roy. Soc. Edin.*); "Notice of Glacial Clay near Errol"; "On the Parallel Roads of Glenroy"; "On the Old River Terraces of the Farn and Teith" (*Trans. Roy. Soc. Edin.*, xxvi.); "Address to Berwickshire Nat. Club, 12th Oct. 1881" (*Hist. Berwickshire Nat. Club*, ix., 115-24); Account of the Parish (*New Stat. Acc.*, xi.). [Obituary Notice by Prof. Duns, D.D., in *Hist. Berwickshire Nat. Club* (1892-3), 339-46; *The Border Almanac* (1894, 76-8).]

WILLIAM MEARN'S of Disblair, born 1843 Tarves, 21st July 1844, son of Duncan M., D.D., Professor of Divinity, King's College, Aberdeen; educated at Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A. (1832); ord. to Glenrines 11th May 1838; pres. by Queen Victoria 19th July, trans. and adm. 15th Sept. 1843; D.D. (Aberdeen 1866); res. 5th Dec. 1886; died at Manse of Oyne 5th Oct. 1891. He marr. 7th April 1842, Margaret Moir (died 11th Feb. 1880), daugh. of James Smith, M.D., of Whitehill, and

had issue: Jemima Smith, born 26th April 1843, died 22nd May 1844; Duncan George, min. of Oyne, born 11th Jan. 1846.—[Walker's *Disblair*, 31.]

ALEXANDER MORISON ABELL, born 1881 17th Dec. 1855, son of John A., min. of Forgue; educated at Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A. (1877); licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen 4th May 1880; ord. (assistant and successor) 22nd Feb. 1881; died unmarr. at Aliwal North, South Africa, 19th May 1886.

JAMES CORSAIR ANDERSON, born 1887 Monmuir, 22nd July 1861, son of Mark Louden A., D.D., min. of St Andrews; educated at Clifton Bank School and Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1884); B.D. (1885); licen. by Presb. of St Andrews in 1885; assistant at Galashiels; ord. 6th May 1887; died 14th Sept. 1907. He marr. 14th Sept. 1887, Jeannie Anne Elizabeth Stephen (died 9th Oct. 1907), daugh. of John Boyd, Abernyte, and had issue—Flora Belle, born 9th May 1889 (marr. H. Ramsay); Margaret Jane, born 1st Aug. 1892 (marr. 18th May 1918, Robert Kirkland Galloway, R.A.F., Dunbar); Mark Louden, M.C., Forestry Officer, Edinburgh, born 16th April 1895; Agnes Just, born 27th June 1896 (marr. F. Rogers).

WILLIAM CRUICKSHANK, born 1908 Bankhead, Newhills, 29th June 1871, son of James C. and Elizabeth Shewan; educated at Stoneywood School and Univ. of Aberdeen; M.A. (1896); B.D. (1899); licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen 26th March 1901; assistant at Aviemore and Boat of Garten, and Holburn, Aberdeen; ord. to Leslie, Aberdeenshire, 18th Aug. 1903; trans. and adm. 11th March 1905. He marr. 2nd June 1905, Annie, daugh. of Henry Tynie, Sheffield, and Mary Annie Oxley, and has issue: Mary Barbara, born 6th April 1909; James Henry, born 28th Jan. 1913; William Leslie, born 14th April 1918. Publication—*The Bible in the Light of Antiquity* [Guild Text Book] (London and Edinburgh, 1913).

CATERLINE.

ALEXANDER KEITH, min. in 1667, with Kirkcaldy, Bervie, Arbroath, and Garioch, in the charge, removed to Garioch before 1679.

JAMES RAIT, tried from Bervie, 1679, died betw. 20th July 1683, and 1st Aug. of that year.

THOMAS CARGILL, M.A., King's Coll. 1623, Logie, Aberdeen, 1640, was schoolmaster of Bervie, adm. before 20th April 1623, still min. 12th Nov. 1662, probably died before 3rd Sept. 1678, at which date the parish was vacant. He had issue Thomas. [Jervise's *Memoirs*, p. 243.]

THOMAS ROBERTSON, M.A., pres. in April, and adm. 26th Sept. 1679, trans. to Clackmannan 3rd April 1682.

DUGALD JAMESON, a native of Angus, M.A., King's College, Aberdeen, d. on 13th July 1674, adm. before 3rd Jan. 1683, deserted the charge after 15th Sept. 1688, and went to Ireland.

WILLIAM CUMIN, brother to Robert C., min. of Riccarton, Kilmarnock, 1700, licens. by Presb. of Kirkcaldy 22nd June 1693, called 7th Sept. 1707, and by the Presb. 29th June 1708, ord. 23rd Aug. 1709, died 1717. [Brock's *Test.*]

LAURENCEKIRK, OR OLD CONVENT.

[The church of Convent was dedicated to St Laurence. It belonged to the Priory of St Andrews. At Chapel Knop of Seestream, within the bounds, stood a chapel of St Anthony, and there a fair of St Anthony was held. At Convent there was a yearly fair of St Laurence.]

PATRICK RAMSAY, of the family of Balmain, min. in 1667, with Arbroath 1667, nott also in the charge; became reader from 1674 to 1679.

PATRICK BONCLE, removed from Fordoun, having left that parish, Peter Cairns, and Newick also in the charge, returned to Fordoun, 1676.

WALTER KER, vicar, adm. 26th Nov. 1680, [After *Test.* p. lxxvii, 1680.]

WILLIAM GRAY, min. in 1680, and 1685, licens. 1691. [Frasers' *Liverpool Kirk*, 223.]

ALEXANDER SYMONS, M.A., 1st Andrews, 1633, licens. in 1657, was 1667 a member of General Assembly, 1638, 1639. He married, and had issue Patrick, name of Logie Port. [Reg. of Deeds, exd. 346.]

ROBERT DOUGLAS, M.A., adm. before Jan. 1657, tried to Bethwell 1657, before 20th Sept. 1657.

PATRICK TURNBULL, M.A., King's College, Aberdeen, 12th July 1660, 1669, adm. 29th Sept. 1669, and between 1st April 1671 and 13th July 1671. He married Anna McVilly, who survived him, and had issue James, tried heir 27th Dec. 1694. [Inq. R. Kirkcaldy, 1621. Frasers' *Liverpool Kirk*, 226.]

WILLIAM DUNBAR, a native of Murray, educated at King's College, 1677, Aberdeen, M.A., 1679, became schoolmaster of this parish, having testified for ordinates 23rd May, and 21st, 12th Sept. 1677, deprived in 1683 for not praying for William and Mary. He is said to have compelled his parishioners to swear publicly in the church that they should never bear arms against any of the race and name of Stewart. Deposed by Presb. of Brechin 3rd Oct. 1716, for intruding at Montrose during the Rebellion, died Nov. 1729, aged about 80.

ARTHUR SHEPHERD, M.A., 1st Andrews, 25th July 1668, app. 1690, schoolmaster of Knross Jan. 1683; licens. by Presb. of Kirkcaldy 11th June 1691, he having professed his sorrow for passing trials and taking a testimonial

under Episcopacy, called by the Presbytery *de voluntate* 10th Feb., and ord. 2nd March 1699; died 23rd April 1707, aged about 50. He marr. Isobel Craw, and had issue—Arthur, merchant and sheriff depute of Kincardineshire. [Fraser's *Laurencekirk*, 228.]

DAVID ARCHER, son of John A. at **1710** Pathhead; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (12th July 1699); licen. by Presb. of Kirkcaldy 27th Nov. 1707; called 12th Feb., and ord. 4th April 1710; died 14th May 1720, aged about 47. He marr. 3rd July 1716, Katherine Brown. [Fraser's *Laurencekirk*, 230-5.]

ANDREW THOMSON, born 1701, son of William T., min. of Flisk; licen. **1727** by Presb. of Cupar 31st Dec. 1723, called 25th Jan., and ord. 11th May 1727; died 11th Feb. 1759. He was "a very learned man," and was useful to the poet Dr Alexander Beattie when schoolmaster of this parish by lending him books. He marr. 29th Aug. 1746, Christian Anderson (died 10th Sept. 1750), and had issue—William, born 12th June 1747; Gilbert, born 23rd Dec. 1748, died 24th March 1750; Andrew, born 6th Nov. 1750, died 9th June 1752; Agnes, born 29th Sept., died 30th Nov. 1752; Christian, born 24th July, died 26th Oct. 1754.

DAVID FORBES, born Garvoeck, 1725, **1760** son of Alexander F., blacksmith; educated at King's College, Aberdeen; M.A. 4th April 1749; pres. by the Principal and Masters of the New College, St Andrews, July 1759; ord. 27th Aug. 1760; died 24th March 1795. He marr. 15th Sept. 1792, Catherine (died s.p. 22nd Oct. 1820, aged 70), daugh. of James Morison of Elsick, provost of Aberdeen. [Toml's.]

GEORGE COOK, born Dec. 1772, second son of John C., Professor of **1795** Moral Philosophy in Univ. of St Andrews, and Janet, daugh. of John Hill, min. of St Andrews; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1790); licen. by Presb. there 30th April 1795; pres. by the Principal and Masters of St Mary's College in June, and ord. 3rd Sept. 1795; D.D. (St

Andrews 1808). From an early period he took a prominent part in the deliberations of the General Assembly, and was leader of the Moderate party in the Church; elected Moderator of the General Assembly in 1825; dem. on appointment 16th Nov. 1828 to the Chair of Moral Philosophy at St Andrews 10th June 1829. He still continued to take a leading part in the discussions which preceded the Disruption, giving a persistent and strenuous opposition to the Evangelical party led by Dr Chalmers; died 13th May 1845. He marr. 23rd Feb. 1801, Diana, youngest daugh. of Alexander Shank, min. of St Cyrus, and had issue—Diana, born 18th May 1802, died 8th April 1817; Janet, born 27th March, died 2nd April 1805; John, D.D., min. of Haddington, born 12th Sept. 1807; Mary, born 21st May 1809, marr. Thomas Marjoribanks, min. of Stenton; Alexander Shank, advocate, Procurator of the Church, born 6th Dec. 1810, died 16th Jan. 1860; George, D.D., min. of Borgue, born 14th June 1812; Henry David, H.E.L.C.S., born 19th May 1814, died 1882. Publications: *An Illustration of the General Evidence establishing the Reality of Christ's Resurrection* (Newcastle, 1808 and 1826); *History of the Reformation in Scotland*, 3 vols. Edinburgh, 1811; *History of the Church of Scotland*, 3 vols. (Edinburgh, 1815); *A Speech respecting Residence and Pluralities* (Edinburgh, 1816); *Life of George Hill, D.D.* (Edinburgh, 1829); *A General and Historical View of Christianity*, 3 vols. (Edinburgh, 1822); *A Speech relating to the Appointment of Ministers* (Dundee, 1833); *A few Plain Observations on the Enactments of the General Assembly of 1834, relating to Patronage and Calls* (Edinburgh, 1834, 2nd ed. to which are now added some Supplementary Remarks, 1835); *A Brief Synopsis of a Course of Lectures on Intellectual, Moral, and Political Philosophy* (Edinburgh, 1837); *A Manual of Political Economy* (Edinburgh, 1837); *A Speech delivered in the General Assembly, 23rd May 1838, on the Overtures relating to the Spiritual Independence of the Church* (Edinburgh, 1838); *A Speech on the Auchterarder Case* (Edin-

burgh, 1830; *Memorandum before Her Majesty's Government by the G. Clerk, D.D., and a Committee*, Edinburgh, 1842; *A Special Address to the General Assembly*, 24th May 1843, respecting a Motion in relation to the Ministers and Elders who have withdrawn from the Established Church (Edinburgh, 1843).

JOHN COOK, M.A., nephew of preceding, pres. by the Principal and 1829 Masters of St. Mary's College in June, and ord. 3rd Sept. 1829; trans. to St. Leonard's, St. Andrews, 2nd Oct. 1845.

JAMES MCGOWAN, born 1806, son of Robert McFerner, Kilmallock, Perthshire; educated at Univ. of Glasgow, M.A. (1828); ord. (assistant and successor to Bonhill 27th Aug. 1840), trans. and adm. 15th Jan. 1846; died 27th May 1852. He marr. 29th June 1841, Isabella Davidson (died 10th Oct. 1864), daughter of John Stuart, Lennoxbank, and had issue—Robert, born 18th May 1842; John Stuart, born 10th Jan. 1844; Ann Arthur Semple, born 15th Feb. 1846; James George, managing director of Bedford Petroleum Company, Paris, born 13th Dec. 1847; Jane, born 5th June 1850, died 4th April 1867; Isabella Jessie, born 12th June 1856.

CHARLES MORRISON, born Cupar Fife, 31st May 1828, son of Alexander M. and Elizabeth Latto, educated at Madras College and Univ. of St. Andrews; M.A. 1850; licen. by Presb. of St. Andrews; ord. as missionary to Newington, Edinburgh, 1857; acted as chaplain to the 79th Highlanders in India and the East from 1857-71; adm. to this charge 27th Nov. 1872; died 16th Dec. 1890. He marr. (1) 21st March 1861, Jane (died 6th Dec. 1879), daughter of W. A. Green, Inspector General of Hospitals, Bengal, and Mary Stalkhart, and had issue—Cameron, born 27th April 1862; Alexander Hugh, born 10th April 1864; Mary Ellen, born 1st Nov. 1865, died 25th Dec. 1865; Jane Latto, born 7th June 1867 (marr. William Stephen, min. of Garvoch); Annie Latto, born 12th May 1869; Charles Keith, born 26th March

1871, died 2nd June 1890; Mary Ellen, born 1st Aug. 1873; William Stalkhart, born 23rd May 1876; (2) 18th Nov. 1885, Margaret (died 30th Sept. 1924, aged 60), younger daughter of David Dickson, banker, Laurencekirk.

THOMAS SCOTT, born Stonehaven, 1st Nov. 1809, son of Thomas Scott, min. 1831 of U.P. Church, Stonehaven, and Antoinette Brown, educated at Dimmittar Public School and Univ. of Edinburgh, M.A. (1886); licen. by Presb. of Fordoun in 1890; assistant in this parish, ord. 13th April 1891; served as chaplain to Forces at Charder Hospital 1914-18; Marr. (1) 14th Aug. 1862, Robina Barton, died 22nd May 1917, (2) 1875, only daughter of George Oman, St. Andrews, and Robina Hunter Adie, and has issue—Thomas Douglas, in Strathcona, Hon.; born 30th Aug. 1893, died at Winnipeg 22nd March 1917; Robina Antoinette Macfarlane, M.B., Ch.B., first missionary of the Girls' Guild of the Church of Scotland at Ichang, China, 1923, born 24th Jan. 1893; Margaret Westlie, born 17th Aug. 1897, died 11th Sept. 1898; Mary, born 8th Jan. 1900; John Murray, born 12th Oct. 1903; (2) 19th Aug. 1919, Janet Atchison, second daughter of David Williamson Runciman, min. of Leslie, Fife.

MARYKIRK, or OLD ABERLETHNOTT.

[The church of this parish was dedicated to St. Mary. It belonged of old to the ministry of the Red Friars at St. German's, but later to the Abbey of Arbroath. At Balmanno, within the bounds, there was a Well of St. John. Balmanno = *Bale Mynoch*, the Monks' Town. At Sperlichburn the Barons had a chapel built in 1763 for John Barclay, founder of that sect. There is now a mission chapel at Luthernear.]

THOMAS RAMSAY, reader from 1567 1567 to 1585.

ROBERT ARBUTHNOT, trans. from Arbuthnot in 1585, retrans. there 1585 after 1591.

RICHARD LUNAN, M.A., Edinburgh 1588; elected Porter to the College 1593 of Edinburgh in 1586; was a probationer 19th Nov. 1588; adm. in 1593; still min. 23rd April 1612. [Reg. of Deeds, clxxx., 389.]

JAMES RAFT, born 1584; M.A. King's College 1603; promoted from being Regent in King's College, Aberdeen; adm. in 1617; was a member of Assembly in 1639; died 1st May 1642. He marr. Isabella Blackburn, who died 19th Jan. 1637, aged 32, and had issue—William, his successor in this parish. [Kincairline Sas., iii., 320.]

WILLIAM RAFT, M.A., son of preceding; promoted from being Regent 1643 in King's College, Aberdeen; adm. about 1643; trans. to Brechin 3rd Dec. 1644.

WILLIAM CHALMERS, M.A.; adm. prior to 15th Jan. 1648; trans. to 1648 Fettercairn 21st June 1665.

ROBERT RAFT, educated at King's College, Aberdeen; M.A. (27th April 1668 1659); adm. to Roberton before 18th June 1665; trans. and adm. 14th March 1666; died 1692. He marr. 5th April 1665, Margaret Forbes, who survived him, and had issue—Katherine (marr. David Rait of Bryantown). —[P. C. Dec., 5th Dec. 1693.]

JOHN THOMSON, from the Presb. of 1699 Kirkealdy; called by the Presb. *jure devoluto* 9th May, and ord. 31st Aug. 1699; died 1734. He marr. and had issue—William, his successor in this parish.

WILLIAM THOMSON, born 1705, son 1731 of preceding; licen. by Presb. of Fordoun 2nd Oct. 1728; called 18th Feb. 1730; ord. assistant and successor 8th April 1731; died 17th Dec. 1770. He marr. 8th Dec. 1735, Jean (died 11th Aug. 1793), daugh. of Alexander Shank, min. of Drumoak, and had issue—Elizabeth, born 28th Sept. 1736; John, born 20th Sept. 1737; Katherine, born 24th Sept. 1738; Jean, born 5th Oct. 1744; Margaret, born 24th Feb. 1748; William, born 16th April 1753.

JOHN BRYMER [or BREMNER], 1771 born about 1740, son of John B., merchant at Marischal Kirk; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1761); licen. by Presb. of Strathbegie 25th March 1767; ord. 30th Nov. 1768 with a view to a congregation in England; pres. by his father in March, and adm. 3rd July 1771; a complaint was made against the settlement on the ground of simony but his admission was affirmed by the Synod 23rd Oct. that year and by the General Assembly 27th May 1772; died suddenly on his glebe 16th Oct. 1804. He marr. 11th Sept. 1777, Mary, died 15th Feb. 1810, daugh. of William Hay, min. of Cruden, and had issue—John, born 6th Sept. 1778, died at Nassau, Bahamas, 10th July 1799; William, born 18th Nov. 1779, died at Bombay 18th June 1802; James, born 8th July 1781, died at sea on H.M.S. *Le Daunusne* 22nd March 1804; Thomas, born 18th Feb. 1783; Helen Hay, born 28th Aug. 1788, died 11th April 1806; Jane Belsches, born 1st Aug. 1791, died 7th Sept. 1821; Mary, born 5th Oct. 1792. Publication Account of the Parish (Sinclair's Stat. Acc., xviii.).

JAMES SHAND, born Aberdeen, 1805 18th Aug. 1757, son of James S., merchant; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; M.A. (Feb. 1777); licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen 26th March 1783; ord. to Greyfriars Chapel, Aberdeen, 11th May 1791; pres. by Alexander Crombie of Phesdo and Thornton in March, trans. and adm. 5th July 1805; died 5th Jan. 1837. He marr. 15th Nov. 1798, Margaret (born 11th Aug. 1767, died 12th Jan. 1840), daugh. of Alexander Farquhar, bailie, Kintore, and Elizabeth Harvey, and had issue—Alexander, M.A., born 2nd Sept. 1799; John, W.S., born 6th Jan. 1801, died 26th Oct. 1876; Elizabeth Harvey, born 1st April 1802, died 18th May 1819; Janet, born 19th April 1805, died 28th May 1814; Jane Farquhar, born 14th July 1806 (marr. Alexander Whyte, min. of Fettercairn); Margaret, born July, died 9th Oct. 1807; Mary Ann, born 28th June 1808, died 26th Sept. 1814; James Davidson,

born 11th Oct. 1809, died 14th Sept. 1814; Sir Charles Farquhar, advocate, Chief Justice of Macartney, born 1810, died 15th Dec. 1889; George, rector of Heydon, Norfolk, born 20th Aug. 1816.

ALEXANDER CROMBIE LOW, born 1811, son of David La. farmer, 1838; Skene, educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1827); became school master of Foveran, pres. by the Rev. Alexander Crombie of Phesdo and Thornton; LL.D., Dec. 1835; ord. (assistant and successor) 21st Jan. 1836, died 20th May 1857. He marr. 1st Aug. 1837, Isabella (died 28th March 1881), daughter of John Black, shipowner, and Jane Kilgour, and had issue: David, born 11th Oct. 1838; John, born 28th Aug. 1840; Alexander, born 23rd Dec. 1841; Jane Kilgeir, born 27th July 1843; Elizabeth, born 10th Aug. 1844; Thomas Black, born 23rd Nov. 1845; Robert, born 9th April 1850; Isabella Mary, born 22nd March 1852; Catherine Margaret, born 17th Aug. 1853. Publication: *Account of the Parish (Non Stat. Aec. xii.)*

JAMES CAMPBELL MCCLURE, born 1857 Ayr, 30th Dec. 1820, son of George McClure, builder, educated at Univ. of Glasgow; licen. by Presb. of Islay; ord. 3rd Dec. 1857; died 4th Nov. 1907. He marr. 26th April 1859, Agnes Peacock (died 5th June 1917), eldest daugh. of Alexander McEwan of Sunderland Hill, Islay, and had issue: Jane Thomson, born 25th Oct. 1860; Elizabeth Annie, born 27th April 1862; George John, born 22nd May 1863; Alexander William (twins), born 22nd May 1863; James Campbell, born 17th Feb. 1866, died in U.S.A. 4th Nov. 1907. Publication: *Marykirk in the Often Time*, a lecture (Montrose, 1902).

WILLIAM ALEXANDER MACFARLANE FORBES, born Inver-

1908 Dunkeld, 17th Oct. 1873, son of Alexander F. and Grace Macfarlane (sister of William M., missionary of the Church of Scotland at Darjeeling); educated at Univ. of St Andrews; licen. by Presb. of Perth 5th May 1903; assistant at Kinnettles and in

this parish ord. 7th May 1905. Publication: *Sometime Editor of College Echoes (St Andrews Univ. Magazine)*.

RICKARTON (Q.S.).

[The parish of Rickarton was endowed by the gift of George Thomson, man. of Fetteresso, who bequeathed the residue of his estate for this purpose. The church was built in 1871 and the parish was disjoined from Fetteresso and Glenbervie on 22nd Jan. 1872.]

JOHN REITH, born St Cyrus, 25th Nov. 1842, son of John Reith, surgeon, and Mary Hall, educated at Univs. of Aberdeen (M.A. 1860) and Edinburgh (B.D. 1869); assistant at Linlithgow and at Dysart; ord. 8th Aug. 1872; res. his charge and duties 30th Nov. 1898, died 23rd Feb. 1923. He marr. (1) 3rd Sept. 1872, Mary, died 1st Dec. 1898, daughter of Thomas Buchanan, farmer, and Janet Swart, and has issue: Mary, daugh., born 8th Oct. 1873; John, born 26th Sept. 1874, died 5th Dec. 1887; Thomas Buchanan, Classical Master, George Watson's College, Edinburgh, born 27th Oct. 1875; Louisa, born 26th Aug. 1878; (2) 5th Sept. 1895, Isabella Carmichael, daughter of William Blackwood and widow of Thomas Sewers Mitchell, authoress of *The Early House of Blackwood*, and other works. Publications: *The Life and Writings of Rev. Alexander Murray, D.D.* (Dumfries, 1903); *Life of Dr John Lenox Galeshiels*, (nd); He contributed 300 articles to the *Glasgow Encyclopedia*; — [The Border Minstrel (portraits, January 1906); *The Gallie Chain*, 1902, 1913.]

JAMES SCOTT NALSMITH, born 1890 Stonehouse, Lanarkshire, 1st June 1890, son of Robert N. and Bethia Browning Paterson; educated at Univ. of Glasgow, M.A. (1884), B.Sc. (1886); assistant at St John's, Dundee; ord. 26th April 1899, died unmarr. 31st May 1906.

ROBERT SCARTH VALENTINE LOGIE, M.A.; ord. 17th Oct. 1906; trans. to Aberdalgie 12th March 1919.

FRANCIS M' HARDY, M.A., B.D.;
1919 trans. from Monquhitter 3rd Oct.
 1919; trans. to Garveock 25th Oct.
 1923.

JOSEPH M' KENZIE M' PHERSON,
1924 born Aberdour, 10th Aug. 1875, son
 of Neil M. and Jessie M' Kenzie; educated at Grammar School and Univ.
 of Aberdeen; M.A. (1895), B.D. (1899); licen. by Presb. of Aberdeen, May 1898; assistant South Parish and East Parish
 Churches, Aberdeen; ord. to Birsay 11th
 May 1900; trans. to Newmill 8th Feb. 1906;
 trans. and adm. 12th March 1924. Marr.
 12th July 1900, Loveday, youngest daugh.
 of Alexander Murray, Aberdeen, and Janet
 Anderson, and has issue—Janet Loveday,
 born 21st Sept. 1902, died 10th June 1919;
 Neil M' Pherson, farmer, Canada, born 3rd
 April 1904; Charlotte Anderson, born 15th
 Sept. 1905; Margaret Murray, born 18th
 July 1907.

ECCLESGREIG, or ST CYRUS, OF OLD ECCLESCYRIG.

[The church of Ecclesgreig was dedicated to St Curig of Llanbadarn. It belonged to the Priory of St Andrews. There was near the church a Well of St Curig. There was also, at Chapelfield near Lauriston, a chapel of St Laurence.]

JOHN GOODFELLOW, min. of Ben-
1565 holme, had charge here in 1567.

1587 ROBERT NEILSON, reader in 1567.

ROBERT BURNET, reader at May
1589 1569.

ALEXANDER ALLARDICE, min. of
1572 Benholme May 1572; trans. and
 adm. with Aberlethnott (Marykirk)
 also in the charge; he lived in Montrose;
 died April 1587, leaving a widow and
 children, John Allardes of that ilk being
 one of his executors. He had a natural
 daugh. to whom he left forty merks.—
 [Edin. *Test.*]

GEORGE GLEDSTANES, adm. before
1587 23rd July 1587, in which year he
 was several times beset in his house
 by armed followers of William Douglas,
 younger, of Glenbervie, and narrowly
 escaped death. In 1588 Aberlethnott
 (Marykirk) was also in the charge; trans.
 to Arbirlot in 1592.

JOHN ERSKINE, pres. to the vicarage
1592 by James VI, before 13th May 1592; trans. to Dun in 1614.

DAVID MELDRUM, son of James M.
1614 in Segichill, and Agnes Bruce; educated at Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (22nd July 1608); adm. 28th Aug. 1614; died 29th Nov. 1616, aged about 29. He marr. Nicolas, daugh. of Joshua Durie, min. of Inverkeilor, and had issue—George; John.
 —[*St Andrews Test.*; *Fife Sust.*, x., 241.]

ANDREW COLLACE, M.A.; adm.
1619 before 6th April 1619; trans. to
 Dundee before 24th July 1635.

ROBERT RAMSAY of Woodston, son
1635 of Andrew R., min. of Old Kirk,
 Edinburgh; educated at Univ. of
 Edinburgh; M.A. (27th July 1628); pres.
 by Charles I, 24th July 1635; died 1643,
 aged about 35. He marr. (cont. 29th Dec.
 1635) Elizabeth, eldest daugh. of Sir
 William Fairlie of Bennetfield, and had
 issue—Maria (marr. John Lundie, far. of
 Strathairly); Margaret (marr. William
 Walker, preacher, Canongate); Helen;
 they were served heirs portioners 21st
 March 1644. [*Inq. Ret. Gen.*, 2964; *Reg.
 of Deeds*, 16th Jan. 1603; *G. R. Sust.*, x.
 i, 392, li. 65, 67.]

DAVID CAMPBELL, son of John C.,
1644 portioner of Cowbyre; educated at
 Univ. of St Andrews; M.A. (1624); adm. to Careston before 6th June 1639; attended the army at Newcastle in 1640; pres. by Charles I, to this parish 5th Jan., and adm. after 27th Feb. 1644; was a member of the Commissions of Assembly,
 1646, 1649; conformed to Episcopacy; died between 4th Oct. 1676 and 26th Feb. 1679. He marr. (cont. 17th June 1643) Margaret (born 1626), eldest daugh. of Robert Car-

to son of his friend, and had issue, four sons: Margaret, marr'd 6th Nov. 1699, Alexander Heriot, marr'd Edinburgh; Elizabeth, and three other daughters. (*Eccles. Mem. Reg. Faculty, Lect. & Sess. Reg.*)

JOHN LAMMIE, son of John L. Dean 1679, of Brechin, and min. of Farnell, died 1673; pensioned for losses 10th March 1673; ord. a presbyter by the Bishop of Brechin, pres. by Alexander, Bishop of Edinburgh, as Vicar General during vacancy in Archdiocese of St. Andrews, and adm. 23rd Sept. 1679, deprived by the Privy Council 10th Sept. 1680, for not reading the Proclamation of the Estates, not praying for William and Mary but for James VII., keeping correspondence with Viscount Dundee, and sending persons to appoint the Jacobites of Sir John Lamier being on the march to attack them. He violently intruded himself on the church 16th Oct. 1715, "assisted by an armed band of ruffians, brought from other parishes, and was dep. by the Presb. 11th Feb. 1717, for intruding during the late Rebellion, and for conspiracy," died 1723. He is described after his death as "late of Littlefeithy in the shire of Forfar." He marr'd. Cecil Graham, who survived him, and had issue Charles, purser R.N., served heir 20th Feb. 1724; Silvester, and others. (*Brechin Test.*; *Inventory of Heirs*, iii., 138.)

JAMES LESLIE, M.A., St. Andrews, 1693, 23rd July 1687, ord. 15th April 1696, deformed while going to church 16th Oct. 1715, by a band of "armed ruffians, who forced him to return to his own house, where he preached." He repossessed himself of his pulpit 5th Feb. 1716, "the rebels having all passed by about two in the afternoon," died 11th March 1731, aged about 64. He marr'd 30th July 1696, Janet Stephen, and had issue Margaret, marr'd Robert Stephen, min. of Craig; Janet, marr'd Robert Beattie, merchant, Montrose. (*St. Andrews Test.*)

ALEXANDER SHANK, called 14th Oct. 1731, ord. 23rd Aug. 1732, trans. to Arbroath 26th Oct. 1743.

JAMES MOLLISON, son of John M. in 1744 min. of Cletter, Birse, became master of Sanz School in Aberdeen, educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen, pres. by George II., 21st Nov. 1743, ord. 17th April 1744, died 22nd Jan. 1759. He marr'd. 18th Dec. 1733, Catherine Douglas, who died at Dumferton 31st March 1789, and had issue: Elizabeth, born 22nd March 1735; Barbara, born 23rd July 1736, marr'd. John Froehling, min. of Dumferton; John, born 2nd Feb. 1740, died while a student at Aberdeen Univ. 12th Jan. 1758; Margaret, born 2nd Feb. 1743.

ALEXANDER SHANK of Castleriz, 1750, born 2nd June 1739, son of Alexander Sh. min. in 1732; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen, Bsn. by Pres. of Foreside, 18th May, pres. by George II., 18th May, and ord. 23rd Sept. 1750, dom. 13th June 1751, retired to Laurine kirk, where he died 5th Jan. 1813. He marr'd 8th May 1770, Diana, died 23rd Feb. 1827, aged 87, daughter of Robert Scott of Drumald, and had issue: Alexander, merchant, Glasgow, born 16th June 1771, parishioner c. 1818; David, born 5th Dec. 1772, marr'd. George Cook, D.D., min. of Laurine kirk; Martin, born 20th Sept. 1774, died 4th April 1787; Jane, the pious lady, 97, to the poor of the parish, born 9th Feb. 1777, died 23rd Nov. 1870; Henry of Castleriz, H.E.I.C.S., born 11th March 1778, died 11th Jan. 1860.

WILLIAM WALKER, son of George W. Newmill, M.A., Marischal Col. 1781, 14th Dec. 1781, 1800, by Pres. of Inverness 28th Sept. 1773, pres. by George III., 30th June, and ord. 23rd Sept. 1781, died 24th March 1787, aged about 49. He marr'd 2nd June 1788, Margaret Scott, who died 3rd Oct. 1803, and had issue: Margaret, born 23rd Dec. 1789; William, captain Native Infantry, H.E.I.C.S., born 31st Jan. 1791, killed at Fort of Rooughur; James Scott, born 25th Dec. 1791; John, born 31st Jan. 1793, died while a student of medicine 4th Feb. 1815; David, born 7th March 1794; Susan, born 12th March 1796, died 12th Aug. 1797. Publication Account of the Parish Sinclair's *Stat. Recd.* viii.

JAMES TRAIL, born 7th May 1797, third son of Robert T., min. of Panbride; **1797** educated at Univ. of Edinburgh; licen. by Presb. of Arbroath 2nd Oct. 1782; ord. by it assistant at Kettins 20th June 1792; pres. by George III. 14th July, and adm. 11th Dec. 1797; died 1st May 1816. He marr. Ann (died 23rd Oct. 1846), daugh. of David Burn, min. of Largo. Publication *A Description of the County of Angus, translated from the original Latin of Robert Edward, minister of Murroes* (Dundee, 1793 and 1832; also Edinburgh, 1880 and 1883).

ALEXANDER KEITH (*primus*), born **1816** 13th Nov. 1792, second son of George Skene K. of Keith Hall, min. of Tulliallan; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1st April 1809); licen. by Presb. of Garioch 17th March 1813; pres. by George, Prince Regent, 23rd May, and ord. 27th Aug. 1816; D.D. (Aberdeen 1833). In 1839 he visited Palestine and Eastern Europe in the interests of the Church as a member of a Commission of Enquiry into the state of the Jews, and in 1844 he revisited Palestine with his son, Dr George Skene K., who was the first to photograph that country. He joined the Free Church in 1843, and was repeatedly offered the Moderatorship, but declined on the ground of ill-health; died at Buxton (where he had resided for some years) 8th Feb. 1880, and was buried at Chinley, Chapel-en-le-Frith, Derbyshire. He marr. 10th Dec. 1816, Jane (died 2nd Feb. 1837), daugh. of John Blackie, plumber, Aberdeen, and had issue - Alexander, his assistant and successor; George Skene, M.D. (Edinburgh 1841), LL.D. (Aberdeen 1895), author of *Plea for a Simpler Life, Plea for a Simpler Faith, Fads of an Old Physician*, etc., born 11th March 1819, died 12th Jan. 1910; John, in Mercantile Marine, born 5th Jan. 1821; James, M.D. (Edinburgh 1845), born 22nd Jan. 1823; Patrick, born 29th Jan. 1825; Thomas, M.D. (Edinburgh 1848), LL.D. (Aberdeen 1894), an eminent surgeon and author, born 27th May 1827, died in London 9th Oct. 1895; David, M.D. (Edinburgh 1851), assistant surgeon, H.E.I.C.S., born 9th March 1829; Helen,

born 18th Sept. 1831. Publications - *Sketch of the Evidence from Prophecy* (Edinburgh, 1823); *Evidence of the Truth of the Christian Religion derived from the literal Fulfilment of Prophecy* (Edinburgh, 1828, translated into Persian, Edinburgh, 1836); *The Signs of the Times*, 2 vols. (Edinburgh, 1832); *Demonstration of the Truth of the Christian Religion* (Edinburgh, 1838); *Letter to the Right Hon. Lord Buxley on the Collision between the Civil and the Church Courts in Scotland* (London, 1841); *A Sermon Preached at St Cyrus* (with another by Dr Davidson) (Aberdeen, 1841); *The Land of Israel, according to the Covenant with Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob* (Edinburgh, 1843); *An Examination of Mr. Elliott's Theory of the First Six Seals* (Edinburgh, 1847); *The Harmony of Prophecy* (Edinburgh, 1851); *Scripture versus Stanley* (London, 1859); *History and Destiny of the World and the Church according to Scripture* (1861). - [Dict. Nat. Biog.; Cat. Lib. Edin. Univ. ii, 623.]

ALEXANDER KEITH (*secundus*), born **1840** 13th Sept. 1817, son of preceding; educated at Marischal College, Aberdeen; M.A. (1835); ord. (assistant and successor) 5th Nov. 1840. Joined the Free Church in 1843; min. of Free Church, Ecclesgreig, 1843-80; died unmarr. 29th April 1880. Publication *Isaiah as it is, or Judah and Jerusalem, the subjects of Isaiah's Prophecy* (Edinburgh, 1850).

THOMAS MACKINTOSH, born 1807, son of William M., general merchant; **1843** pres. by Queen Victoria 5th Aug. 1843; ord. 28th Sept. 1843; died 28th Jan. 1882. He marr. 19th April 1855, Helen, died 17th July 1911, daugh. of Alexander Keith, grain merchant, and Helen Strachan, and had issue - Georgina Keith, born 24th May, died 10th Dec. 1856; William Alexander of Usan, medical practitioner in Stirling, born 25th Dec. 1858, died at Inchbrayock, Montrose; Jane Christina, born 2nd Dec. 1860 (marr. William Leonard Todd, paper manufacturer, Polton); Thomas, W.S., Edinburgh, born 12th Oct. 1863, Archibald,

M.B., Ch.B., Edin., medical practitioner, Trinity, Edinburgh; born 17th April 1866.

WILLIAM MILNE, born near Fraserburgh 1833, son of James M., farmer, 1880, and Helen Nicoll, ord. to Linwood 11th S. pt. 1853, stats. and adm. assistant and success. ord. 18th May 1880; died 30th Dec. 1883. He marr. Margaret McEwen (died 1st March 1912), daughter of David Boston, min. of Elderslie.

ROBERT DAVIDSON, born Kinneff, 1st March 1849, son of Robert D. 1884 and Ann Coutts; educated at Kinneff School, Grammar School, Aberdeen, and Univs. of Aberdeen, M.A. 1870, and Edinburgh, B.D. (1877); licen. by

Presl. of Edinburgh 16th May 1877; assistant at St. Barnabas, Edinburgh; ord. to Dumbarton 1st Oct. 1878; trans. to Adm. 29th July 1881. Marr. 14th April 1885, Susan Pattock Murray (died 21st Nov. 1913), dtr. of John Cunningham, D.D., LL.D., Principal of St. Mary's College, St Andrews, and his ism. — Robert, M.B., Ch.B., St Andrews; capt. in R.A.M.C., born 19th Aug. 1886; John William Murray Cunningham, banker in Cawnpore, born 27th Nov. 1887; Frederick Churchill, M.B., Ch.B., Edinburgh, licent. colonel R.A.M.C., born 1st June 1888; Edwin Maxwell Murray, min. of Dunning, born 21st Aug. 1890; Reginald Len, min. of Foss, born 22nd Sept. 1891; Harry Cunningham, Capt. Indian Army, born 21st July 1893.

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