# A CHRONOLOGY of YARBOROUGH DATA Arranged by Peter Yerburgh M.A.

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# YERBURGH ANCESTORS compiled by P.C.YERBURGH M.A.

#### PREFACE

Before a family tree can be traced it is necessary to have information. Luckily for the Yerburghs, my Grandfather, the Reverend E.R. Yerburgh was fascinated by genealogy. His 'Some Notes on our Family History' (Published by Constable, 1913) is an invaluable source of information. Sir Alfred Scott-Gatty, Garter King of Arms, aided him.

Later researchers included Sir Arthur Cochrane, (Chester Herald) and Sir Anthony Wagner (Garter King of Arms). The volumes of their research, with an introduction by E.R. Yerburgh, are included in two volumes entitled: 'The History of the Yarborough Family'. These volumes are owned by Lord Alvingham and are kept at Bix Hall, Oxon. I have made a copy of the relevant parts. The other source of information is a file kept at the College of Arms under the file name of Wagner. Most of the information contained in this volume has come from these three sources but some additional material is added from sources acknowledged on the next page.

How often I have wished that I could be transported back in time so that I could sort out the many unsolved links that must necessarily appear in a family tree. Probably only the Royal Families can trace their descent with certainty.

Our family is both fortunate and unfortunate in its name. It is fortunate because the name is easy to spot in lists. It is unfortunate in that the name is also the name of a village in Lincolnshire. Thus many people, who had lived in the village and had moved away, might be known also as 'de Yerburgh', though they might be no blood relation.

Before I had read (in 1999) Dudding's article in the Lincolnshire Architectural and Archaeological Society Report (1932 Vol. XLI pp 27-38), I had thought that there was only ONE main family, who in later years, retained the surname Yarborough. I now believe that there were TWO: i.e. that the Cockerington Yerburghs descended from Germund's family and that the Yarburghs of Yarburgh village descended from Landric.

The 'old' Yerburgh family tree has a third name - Eustachius - as flourishing at the time of William the Conqueror. His entry is probably a legend, as may be the next two names in the 'old' pedigree but it is possible that some of the 14th century 'old' names came from the Landric line.

Note. E.H.Cooke-Yarborough of Lincoln Lodge, Longworth, Nr. Abingdon has a hand written Yerburgh pedigree, which has this third pedigree. It is headed "Transcribed out of Mr. Wentworth's booke of pedigrees of Woolley exactly this July 25 - 77."

E.H.C-Y. notes 'The handwriting is almost certainly that of the elder Thomas Yarborough who died on 30th, November 1697... It is interesting that this Thomas Yarborough had to go to his neighbour to discover his own pedigree. Presumably it had been written much earlier.'

Dr. Round in his book 'Family Origins' showed the weakness of the claim of the Yerburghs to have held the manor of Yarburgh from the time of the Norman Conquest. Although Dr. Round was wrong in his assertion that the Yerburghs never held the Manor, never the less, he has made us look more closely at our early ancestry. Certainly Dr. Round has shown that there are not enough names in the 'old' pedigree, to cover the dates, for it to be a full pedigree.

My Grandfather and his researchers linked our ancestors to the family of Germund and of Hameline de Jerdeburgh. The latter was an important benefactor to Kirkstead and Alvingham monasteries. This ancestry goes back to about 1000 A.D. but it is not easy to follow the tree after 1275.

R.C.Dudding's article has caused me to think that quite a few of the names 'claimed' as belonging to 'Germund's descendants', were, in fact, descendants of Landric!!

P.C.Yerburgh. Revised 2003.

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#### LIST OF ABBREVIATIONS.

Alv. Chart. Alvingham Chartulary in the Bodleian Library Oxford. Laud MSS 642.

Bod.Lib. Bodleian Library. Department of Western Manuscripts, Oxford.Boyd Abstracts of Final Concords. W.Boyd. Printed London 1896

Chester Sir Arthur Cochrane K.C.V.0. Chester Herald.

De Banco see Rolls.

Dudding Article in Lincs. Architectural and Archaelogical Report (1932) pp 27-38.

ECF. Early Chancery Proceedings in the P.R.O.

ERY MSS I & II Two manuscript volumes in the possession of Lt.Col.J.R.Yerburgh. ERY Fam.Hist. Some Notes on our Family History. E.R.Yerburgh. Constable, 1913.

F.A. Feudal Aids. Printed by H.M.S.O. 1899.

fo. Folio.

Foster Wills 3 Volumes of Lincoln Wills. Lists of names. Printed by Lincoln Rec. Soc. Foster Concords Collection of Concords (land agreements) at Lincoln Record Office.

Gibbons Early Lincoln Wills. Published Williamson, Lincoln, 1888.

Harleian Lincolnshire Pedigrees Published by Harleian Society, Vol 50 -2. Editor A.R.Maddison, London 1902.

K. or Kirk.Chart. Kirkstead Chartulary Rotograph FL P 15 – 27 in the Lincoln Archives Office.

Lancaster P.Ll.Gwynn-Jones . Lancaster Herald at the College of Arms. Now Garter King of Arms.

Lansdown MSS Manuscripts in the Bodleian Library.

LCC Reference number of Wills in Lincs. Office. See next.

L.R.O. Lincoln Record Office, Lincoln.

L.R.S. Lincoln Record Society - printed volumes.

m. Membrane.

Memoranda Roll Documents held In the Public Record Office.

Misc.Laud.M Alvingham Charters from Laud MS 642 held in Western MSS. Dept. of Bodleian Library.

Pipe Rolls Volumes published by the Pipe Roll Society the Public Record Office.

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P.R.O. Public Record Office. Chancery Lane, London WC 2A 1 LR.

Roll De Banco Rolls held in the P.R.O. Hen. VII - Ed. VI.

Scott-Gatty Sir Alfred Scott - Gatty K.C.V.0. Garter Principal Kings of Arms .

Wagner file of work on the Yerburghs, produced by Sir Anthony Wagner K.C.V.O. Clarenceux King of Arms,

College of Arms.

Y.H. History of the Yerburgh Family.2 volumes written in part by E.R.Yerburgh, 1916. Held by Lord Alvingham at Bix Hall, Bix, Oxon.

# CHAPTER ONE THE YERBURGH PEDIGREE AND THE HAMELINES. by Peter Yerburgh

The earliest Yerburghs may have come from Europe. The name Germund, which heads the pedigree, suggests someone who came from a Norse country. The other early names: - Alveric, Ketelcroc, Osbert, Hameline - suggests that Germund married an Anglo-Saxon. Germund must have been a Christian. About 1086 Alan, Duke of Brittany gave him land and two churches.

The relevant parts of the Alvingham Charters are to be found in the Bodleian Library, Oxford (MS.Laud Misc. 642 folio 96 - 98). One of the most important sources for the Yerburgh pedigree is in a note at the bottom of 96v. The note is in Latin. It was written about 1275 but refers to people living in the 11th. century.

#### Memorandum.

Because Alan, Count of Brittany enfeoffed Germundus of the lands in Grainthorpe and of the advowson of the church of that town. Truly after Germundus, Alvericus, his son, succeeded. And after Alvericus, Kettlecroc, his son, succeeded. And after the said Kettlecroc, Osbert - his son - the dean - succeeded and was parson of the Church by the gift of the said Kettlecroc, his father.

#### **CHRONOLOGY**

We might make an approximate chronology for these ancestors of Hameline:

 Germundus
 born c.1005
 married c.1032

 Alvericus
 c.1032
 c.1060

 Ketelcroc
 c.1062
 c.1090

 Osbert
 c.1092
 c.1120

 Hameline
 c.1122
 c.1157

THE SONS OF OSBERT:- HAMELINE, Hameline (twin), Richard.

I HAMELINE DE YERDEBURGH, (SENIOR) de Jerdeburc.

He was Osbert's eldest son and was sometime dean of Jerdeburc (Yarburgh). The Laud text continues:

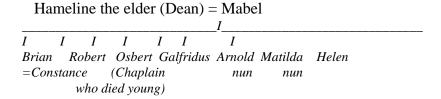
He (Osbert) resigned the said church and took a wife by whom he had the two Hamelines who both were deans. And the elder Hameline, after resigning the said church took a wife - the daughter of the Mayor of Beverly, Mabel by name.

F.M.Stenton in his book, 'Transcripts of Charters relating to the Gilbertine Houses' (Lincoln Record Society, Vol.18. Pub. Horncastle 1922) wrote:

The most interesting figure among the early benefactors (of Alvingham - founded c.1150) is Hameline, "the dean", apparently the dean of Louthesk Wapentake. His personal history is confused by the extraordinary circumstance that a brother of his also bore the name Hameline, and was like him a rural dean in East Lincolnshire. By descent he belonged to the native Anglo-Danish stock of this region. He possessed a considerable estate in Alvingham and Grainthorpe, in which his eldest son Brian succeeded him. Most, if not all his land lay within the great Soke of Gayton, a franchise of the count of Britanny to which the greater part of both Alvingham and Grainthorpe belonged. Three- quarters of the church of St. Athelwold of Alvingham, of which Hameline was parson, were annexed to the land, which he held of the count's fee. The odd quarter belonged to Roger, son of Jocelin, the founder of the Priory (Alvingham), in virtue of (his having) a separate manor in the village. Soon after the foundation of the Priory, Roger gave his quarter of the church to the nuns, with the consent of

Hameline, who was parson of the whole. Hameline subsequently resigned all his rights as parson into the Bishop's hand for the benefit of the nuns, and finally gave them the three quarters of the church, which were apparently appurtenant to his land in Alvingham.

The family of Hameline, dean of Yerdeburgh and Adelsicroft (Alvingham) in the first generation is:



F.M.Stenton in his book - Charter 2 gives the text by which Hameline piously gives his gifts to the Priory:

Let all, as well present as future, know that I, Hameline the Dean, with assent and counsel of my heirs, have given and granted, and by this my present charter confirmed to God and the church of St. Mary at Alvingham and the nuns serving God there, to possess in perpetual alms, all that part of the church of St. Athelwold of Alvingham which belongs to the lands which I hold of the fee of the Count of Brittany in the same village

........... The nuns hold the fourth part of the same church by the gift of Roger, son of Jocelin, with consent of me, who for some time was 'persona' (parson) of the same church but I resigned the 'personatus' into the hand of Robert de Chenei, Bishop of Lincoln. Upon my resignation the aforesaid Bishop invested the nuns with the church.

Note. Robert Chenei was Bishop of Lincoln from 1149 to 1166.

Another charter (Stenton No.9), written after his gift, suggests that Hameline became a Chaplain to the nuns' chapel:

Let present and future know that I, Hameline, lately dean .... with the consent and assent of my heirs, by this my charter confirmed to God and to the blessed Virgin Mary and to the nuns of Alvingham, who attend the service of God there, at that time when I surrendered myself to the aforesaid house to serve God there all the days of my life, in pure and perpetual alms have given and granted......

In total the bequests, which were made over many years from 1155 onwards, came to: Most of two churches. (Alvingham and Grainthorpe). Seventeen crofts and their appurtenances. One salt pan. Sixty acres of farm land. A hundred sellions (strips of land). Pasture for a hundred sheep.

When Hameline was a Dean, he had a seal. An Harleian Charter (48 C.10) shows it was an oval seal of a floriate design with the words FLOS HAMEL... inscribed on it.

As a result of these gifts, and other donations, Alvingham Priory (founded about 1150) was able to increase in numbers to eighty nuns and lay sisters and forty canons. The existence of these two religious houses accounts for the amazing fact that there are two churches in one churchyard at Alvingham. The church of St.Mary was the priory chapel (and was given later to the people of North Cockerington). The second church of St.Athelwold's (Hameline's gift) has always been the village church of Alvingham but presumably was, also, the nuns' chapel.

Unfortunately, Hameline seems to have borrowed money from Aaron, the Jew of Lincoln. Perhaps he needed the money to restore the churches, which he gave. The Pipe Roll entry of 1221 still has Hameline owing ninety-seven pounds, though he must have died long before this date. However the debt may give a reason as to why the grandsons wished to get back the advowson of Grainthorpe church in 1242. Hameline died before his twin, about 1205.

II HAMELINE. DEAN OF COVENHAM, (Osbert's second son).

This man was brother of the Hameline above, and probably was his twin, because he has exactly the same name; though one of them - probably the elder - sometimes adds the name Croc to his name. Hameline, the younger was a dean of the neighbouring territory of Covenham. He married Hadweysa and they had a son, Ace, and a daughter, Nicola. Hameline, the younger, appears as a witness in many Kirkstead charters. He lived until about 1195.

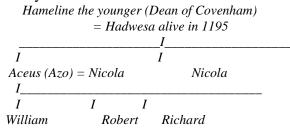
# Philpot fo.85) Kirkstead Charter 94.83 has the words:

Hamel de Kovenham, decanus, confirms to Kirkstead all that they hold in Germtorp (Grainthorpe) of the gift of Hameline, my brother, except Athelsicroft, which I and my assignees hold of them.

Witnesses include Alex, Abbot of Melsa. Abbot between 1197 - 1210

I should have expected this Hameline to have died near the date of this charter. He would certainly have been old, if the dates given for Alex, Abbot of Melsa are correct. The Pipe Rolls suggest that this Hamelines's wife, Hadwesa, was a widow in 1195.

# The family of



# III RICHARD de Jerdeburch. Osbert's youngest son.

From information in the Alvingham Chartulary folio 84(See Y.H. p.317) we know that Osbert had a third son - Richard de Yerburgh - brother to the Hamelines. In a Kirkstead Charter we find:

Hameline "clericus de Jerdeburch" gives to Kirkstead twelve acres ...... in the lands of Welltuna, with the consent of Richard, my brother and heir. (Kirkstead fo.85 xxxi. See Y.H. p.310.)

Here Richard is called Hameline's "heir" but this was before Hameline's marriage. After his marriage, and the birth of his first born, Brian de Jerburc became Hameline's heir.

Richard had sons: Robert, Walter and Hameline.

Note. Of these, Walter was certainly Richard's son. The others were sons of a Richard (Yerburgh) but they might have been a generation later.

# THE SONS OF THE HAMELINE THE ELDER - BRIAN and others

The Laud Manuscript Memorandum quoted earlier, continues with details of Hameline's family through his wife, Mabel:

By her, he had:

- *i* His first born son, Brian and another four sons as follows:
- ii Robert, priest.
- iii Galfridus (Geoffrey).
- iv Arnold Vilde.

  (Vilde could be short for Villefredus
  = Wilfred.)

#### John.

A note on the folio's opposite page gives a few details about the sons of Hameline.

Brian has two sons - John and Gilbert. Robert was a priest. Galfridus had a son - John Gee. Arnold had a son Hugo. John. (There are no details after his name).

#### BRIAN DE JERTHBURC.

Brian was the eldest son and inheritor of his father's lands. As such, he confirms both the gifts of his father and his own numerous gifts. He was still alive in 1219.

There is a rather touching charter of Brian, son of Hameline. (Stenton. Charter No.8 p.106. Laud manuscript 642, folio 97 r.)

To all the sons of holy mother church, Brian, son of Hameline the dean, sends greeting. Since it is the part of good sons and heirs to confirm and approve the reasonable gifts of their predecessors, I have thought fit by this charter to make known to the whole body of you, that at the impulse of divine love and with the counsel and assent of my wife, Constance, and my heirs and friends, I have confirmed to God and the Blessed Virgin Mary and the Convent of Alvingham whatever Hameline the Dean, my father, granted to the same convent in his life ....

# There follows a long list of donations.

- 1 A toft (homestead) in Alvingham.
- 2 Land with a toft which was Osbert Hac's.
- 3 A meadow adjoining the nun's holt (wooded hill).
- 4 All tofts and crofts in my fee.
- 5 In Grainthorpe, a certain dwelling which was Anger's.
- 6 One saltpan.
- 7 All the land in length and breadth detailed.
- 8 The toft that was Maisand's.
- 9 The toft that was Anger's.
- 10 The toft that was Ulkell Fesewald's.
- 11 The toft that was Broclaus with all
  - the enlargement which my father acquired from Baldric.
- 12 Four acres in Newcroft.
- 13 The common way through all my fee; for their use and convenience without hindrance of me and mine. All these things I, Brian, and my heirs will warrant to the Convent of Alvingham against all men from all things, I and Constance my wife have pledged our faith and touched the holy altar of the Blessed Mary that these things may remain established and inviolate for ever.

# JOHN and GILBERT . Sons of Brian.

The Laud manuscript shows that, around 1241, the grandchildren of Hameline tried to repossess some of the gifts of their deceased grandfather and father.

# The Charter (MSS Laud Masc. 642 fo.96 - 98. Bodleian) reads:

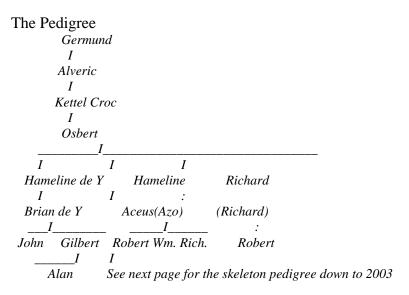
This is the final agreement made in the King's Court at Reading in the Octave of St Michael in the 25th year of King John, son of King Henry. (1241) in the presence of the Itinerant Justices..... between John and Gilbert, sons of Brian and the Prior of Alvingham for better or worse. Truly, the said Brian gave to us the advowson of the said church (Grainthorpe) and he had two sons: John and Gilbert who, after the death of Ralph de Warville, sued us in the court of the King. In the end the matter was settled between the parties and, in the charter above, they have confirmed to us the said advowson.

It is a fact of life that the younger generation often feels cheated by the bequests of their fathers! The gift of two churches and much property must have seemed a great loss to the family's wealth. However it 'was settled' to the agreement of the grandsons.

John and Gilbert, Hameline's grandsons, probably died about the time of the court case (1241). We know that Alan, son of Gilbert, 'stood in' for his father during the case, so perhaps his father was unwell.

#### ROBERT

Following that case, we find a new name - ROBERT, son of Richard de Yarborough. He was clearly the senior representative of the Yarborough family at that time. He may have come from the line of Richard - Hameline's youngest brother. He may have been Hameline de Ys great nephew. He certainly seems to be the head of Hameline of Yarborough's family in the later period of 1240 - 1275. He must have been a close relation to be so connected with a charter confirming the gifts of Brian de Yerdeburgh.



The Cockerington Yerburghs.

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Germund
Alveric
 Kettelcroc
 Osbert
Hameline (younger twin) = Hadweysa
Ace* = Nicola
William
          Robert
                            Richard
killed
          Ι
        John
                              _(Robert)
        Ι
      Richard
        Ι
      Sir John (M.P.)
        Ι
       Robert***
        I
       John*
        Ι
  Richard of Cockerington
      Roger Yerburgh. Attorney.
  William Yerburgh yeoman, married Agnes.
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I Richard Yerburgh (2nd son) yeoman, married Margaret.

I George Yerburgh yeoman, married Anne Gentle.

I Robert Yerburgh gent. of Boston, married Ann.

I Robert Yerburgh gent. of Boston, married Mary.

I George Yerburgh gent. married Alice.

I John Yerburgh gent. J.P. married Mary Coddington.

I Richard Yerburgh gent.J.P., D.L. married Elizabeth Betts.

I The Revd Dr.Richard Yerburgh D.D. m Elizabeth Norton.

I The Revd Richard Yerburgh B.A. married 1st Susan Higgin.

I Robert A. Yerburgh M.A.,J.P. D.L. M.P. m.Elma Thwaites.

I 1st Baron Alvingham (R.D.T.Y) M.P. m. 1st Dorothea Yerburgh.

I (living) 2nd Baron Alvingham (R.G.E.Y.) Major Gen. m.Beryl Williams.

I (living) The Hon. Robert Yerburgh who is married and has children
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#### THE 1242 DOCUMENTS

I give a translation below, of the Harleian Charter 52.B.13. The document was drawn up at Westminster, in 1242, by Robert, son of Richard de Yarborough, on the one side and the representatives of the Abbot of Kirkstead, the Abbot of Louth Park and the Prior of Ormsby on the other. It must have been considered a very important occasion to have four judges. (Notice their wonderful names!) With six other judicial officers they witnessed the following document confirming gifts to Kirkstead Abbey.

Robert, son of Richard de Jerdeburg, confirms to Kirkstead all the lands etc. which they have of the gift of the ancestors of John, son of Brian at the octave of St.Michael 26 Henry III. (1241) Witnesses. Lord Robert de Lexington, Lord Roger of Turkelby, Jollan de Neuill, Gilbert de Preston, Justices of the Lord King de Banco and six others.

Seal: a fleur de lys with the words.

OBART DE I...

(R)obert de Y's seal. Hameline had a similar seal.

A similar document exists for Alvingham. It is given in W.K.Boyd's 'Abstracts of Final Concords', Vol.1, Spottiswood, London 1896, p.336-7

# A TRAGEDY OF 1239 \*

While this dispute about Yarborough gifts was going on, we have a glimpse of a possible family tragedy\*. It seems that another Richard, son of John de Yerburgh, had caused the death of William, son of Azo, Hameline's great nephew, (See pedigree). Was the death caused by a misfired arrow or by intention. The pardon came from Rome itself and was allowed by two cardinals. The pardon was renewed in 1269, "because the royal seal had been changed". It sounds as though this particular Richard was alive in 1269.

\* Patent Rolls, 23 Hen.III p.339. See, also, The Lincolnshire Notes and Queries, Vol.III.No.18, p.60.

#### LATE 13th & 14th CENTURY - THE UNCERTAIN PERIOD

It is fairly clear that the Yarboroughs, whom I have so far mentioned, are linked together both by their name and by the way they each, in their turn, ratify the gifts of Hameline. The monastic Cartulary of Alvingham stops about 1275, so we must not expect the mentioning of Yarboroughs to be so frequent in the 14th century.

We must remember that there was not just one family called 'from Yarborough' or 'de Jerdeburgh'. We read of 'Robert Carpentar' fil de Robt de Jerbur' and of 'Jueta filia Thome ferraunt de Jerdbc'. These were the Carpenter and the daughter of the Blacksmith of Yarburgh.

Some would have carried the name of the village with them if they left the village to go to a new area. In Louth (a town near Yarburgh) we have three Yarboroughs. One, Thomas Yarborough, was a fletcher (arrow maker). Another, also named Thomas Yarborough, was a mercer (fabric dealer), another was a victualler (inn-keeper). A few 'from Yarburgh' went away to be ordained or to join a monastery. One or two were sent to study law. Most stayed in the village and farmed.

In time surnames became established. Prof.Ekwall writes that 'the preposition 'de' began to be dropped shortly after 1300 but was preserved during the 1300s. After 1400 the 'de' is usually absent.'

In the Preface I mentioned Landric as the other family connected with Yarburgh village. Both Landric's descendants and Germund's used the name 'Yarbugh' as a surname. Disappointingly, between 1300 and 1440, there are few national records which confirm only one or two names of the 'old' pedigree! This was due, in part, because the manor passed to the Kiddle family about 1386.

One or two of the 14th century Yarboroughs rose to important positions. We do not know their ancestry for certain.

There was a Yarborough who was Member of Parliament for Lincolnshire in 1325. Another, Sir John de Jerdeburg (fl.1380), became the Chancellor to the Duke of Lancaster. Another, Thomas Yarborough was one of the first scholars of Eton to go, in 1445, to King's College, Cambridge, where he became a Doctor of Law.

My own branch of the Yarboroughs (which retained the 'old' spelling, Yerburgh) has a pedigree, which has been 'accepted' by the College of Heralds. It goes back to Germund and includes the 14th century Lincolnshire M.P. But, as the pedigree was made before R.C.Dudding had made his research (about Landric), it may have to be revised in the light of further research.

The pedigree, which the College of Arms gives is:

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Ace son of Hameline

Robert who was father of

John, son of Robert (fl.1285)

Richard, son of John who died before 1316

Sir John de Yerburgh, M.P. for Lincoln 1325.
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The last named man was an important man. He was one of two Knights from Lincolnshire appointed, in 1325, to attend Edward II's parliament. It is, also, recorded\* that he was commissioned to levy scutage (tax on weapons) from the army of Scotland, when it came to Lincolnshire. In which case, he must have been a brave man too!

\*In the Calendar of Fine Rolls, 17 Edward II (1324).

In honesty, the link with Sir John is unlikely. He seems to be from the Grimsby Ys. (See entries 1304, 1307, 1313, 1323-1331.) I am not certain how they are linked to any other Yarboroughs but with his status as a knight I would assume that Sir John was from Landric's lineage.

# 15th CENTURY. YERBURGHS of COCKERINGTON

After 1350 some descendants of Hameline, named Yerburgh, moved to the villages of Cockerington and Alvingham, four miles from Yarburgh village. (See Hardy's note). Meanwhile, Landric's descendants, also named Yarburgh, continued to live at Yarburgh. We have snippets of information about these Yerburghs of Cockerington. We can also start to work backwards from known historical documents, such as Parish Registers, Wills and old deeds. In my family's case, this gets us back to 1480. We deduce a further fifty years by looking at the Manor Court Rolls and the IPMs - Inquisitions into a person's property after their death.

# W.J.Hardy, researcher at the PRO wrote to ERY:

"I have made a very careful examination of those Rolls under Cockerington from 19 Richard II (1395) to 11 Henry VII (1434). The name Yerburgh does not occur (at Cockerington), though Courts were frequently held. Neither does the name appear in the very full Subsidy returns of I Edward II (1307) or 6 Edward II (1332). Though the name does (appear) in other and adjacent parts of the County." Hardy's words imply that the movement to Cockerington was after 1400, though the 1383 item below might make this earlier than he suggested.

# **ITEMS**

In 1383, a William Yerburgh of Cockerington was a juror on the Inquisition post mortem, for Alan Day of Cockerington.

In October 1425, Richard Yerburgh of Cockerington is sued by Ivo Scupholm, for 'heavy damage' to his property. De Banco Roll 4 Hen.VI.m.544.

In December 1435, Richard Yerburgh is recorded at Cockerington Manor Court as 'owing suit' but was fined 2 pence for not being present himself.

In 1454, Roger Yerburgh ought to have come to the same Manor Court and he, too, was fined 2 pence for not attending in person.

In October 1490, William Yerburgh of Cockerington paid a 2 pence fine for not attending the Manor Court in person.

The above items are taken from the PRO Manuscripts of Cockerington Court Rolls. (In the P.R.O.: DL30/91/1252, DL30/92/1253 and DL30/92/1258).

# The Cockerington Yerburgh Tree

The Yerburgh descent shown below is based partly on the data of Wills and Court Rolls.

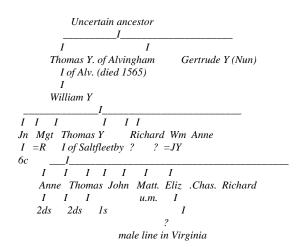
b.c.= born about. m.c.= married about.

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Group 1
                             Group 2
                                               Group 3
     Cockerington
                             Cockerington
                                                 Cockerington
                            husbandmen
                                                & Alvingham
      yeomen
       William Yerburgh of Cockerington
b.c.1408 Richard Yerburgh
b.c.1437 Roger Yerburgh 1
       _I____?_b_r_o_t_h_e_r_s_
b.c.1466 William Y.
                                  Roger Y.2
                                                     John Y.
       ___I__
                                          I(elder)
b.c.1492 1Rb Y 2Rich.Y 3Thomas Y* 4JnY Wm Y Wm.Y Eliz Y = T.H Robert Y
                                                                          Thomas Y*
          I(d.1545) \ (u.m.) \ d.1541 \ d.1557
                                        d.1552
                                                    d.1557
                                                             d.1565
                          I
                     Ι
                                  Ι
                                      2 sons
b.c.1520 Thomas Y George Y
                              3 daus
                                                Harde George
                                                                    Wm.Y
          I(d.1593)
                                    family
    2 daus Cockerington Ys
                                                John Y Alv.Ys *
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\*There are two Thomas Ys. Thomas Y of Alvingham died 1565 (see below) and Thomas Y (unmarried) of Cockerington who died in 1542. Location and date suggests that the singleman was a brother of Richard Y, of Cockerington, our ancestor.

# The Alvingham Yerburgh Tree

Thomas Yerburgh of Alvingham was probably a cousin of William Y of Cockerington (see Group 1) but he also seems to have connections with the old stock of Yarburghs of Yarburgh. His land dealings with them and his involvement with the Lincolnshire Rebellion shows this. In that event he escaped the death penalty possibly through friends of Charles Yarburgh of Yarburgh's family. This might suggest a link with the gentry stock of that time. However, his financial assets and his own yeoman status make it more probable that he was more closely linked with William Y of Cockerington.



#### **CHAPTER TWO**

# THE YARBOROUGHS of Yarburgh

It always seemed to me unlikely that the Yerburghs of Cockerington were directly related to the Yarburghs of Yarburgh village.

They had things in common, both families derived their eventual surnames from the village of Yarburgh, both of their ancestors (Germund and Landric) had grants of land and churches from the Counts of Britanny, both families have had distinguished members.

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COCKERINGTON
                                    YARBURGH.
ANCESTORS
                                ANCESTORS
Germund
Alveric
Kettel Croc
                             Landric
Osbert
                           Alan (i)
Ш
                     Brian de W. (Knight)
Hameline
                                             Gikell de Y. (Soke Steward)
IIIIII
Brian
                    Alan (ii) Robert Y
                                         Sir John Y
           Ralph
           ob.s.p.
John Gilbert
                  daughter=Walt.de\ C
                                           Gikell Richard = Alice
            Alan (iii) de C
                                       Richard(A) = Joanne
                                                     __I__
                                 (B) (C)
                                           (D)
                                                  (E)
                                                         (F)
  Alan de C (iv) Robert de Y(1)
                                       Ralph Y William Thomas
                                                                 Richard
            Ι
                                        (I) (J) (K)
                                                      (L)
                                                              (M)
  Diana=Phlp F. Jn (2) Wm(3)
                                   Robert Joanna (?Ric) Jn Roger
      T
                Ι
                                                                                            = Rbt
                                                    = Jn Bek
  Wm. Fraunk Robert Y Robert Y
                                  (?Chancellor)
                                                              of Keleby
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(Letters refer to 1297 Court cases)

Note. This is based on folio 110 of Laud MSS copy of the Alvingham Chartulary. Also De Banco and Coram Rege Rolls have been used. (See entries around 1279 and also. R.C.Duddings article in the 1932 Report of the Lincolnshire Architectural Society. Vol. XLI, pp 27 - 38.)

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Approximate Dates
                   Born
                          Married Died Notes
               1066
                      1088 1120 Domesday 1086
Landric.
Alan de Welton (i) 1090
                         1118
                                1150 Lindsey Survey 1115
Brian de Welton.
                  1120
                          1147
                                 1180 Contemp. Hamlin de Y.
              1150
                     1178 1220 Presented 1219
Alan (ii)
daughter = Walter de C 1179
                           1206
                                  1240 Alv. Chart fo. 110
Alan de C (iii)
               1208 1235 1268 Holding fee 1242. Presented 1267.
Alan (iv) & Robert de Y1237
                            1264
                                   1300 Alan gave to Alv. 1280
Diana/ Jn & Wm
                   1266
                          1293
                                 1330 Alive 1303
Wm. Fraunke
                  1300
                         1327
                                1360 De Banco case 1328
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# Landric in the Domesday Book 1086

Landric held land of Count Alan as Counts man. He had two teams of oxen in Cheluingeholm in the Wapentake of Yarborough (North Lincolnshire). He had two teams of oxen in Welton the Wold (9 miles

from Yarburgh village) and he held, of the Count, 5 carucates of land (800 acres) in Holbeach (South Lincolnshire).

The 'Lindsey Survey (1115 - 1118') and the Testa de Nevill' (1212) refer to this gift:

Alan Earl of Richmond held in chief, of the King one carucate and a half (=240 acres) in Welton in the honour of Richmond. And the said Earl gave it to Landreus. And the heirs of Landreus (in 1212) now hold it of William de Mandevill of the King, as it is said.

We know that Landric had a son, Alan, (branch 1). The Kirkstead Chartulary Charter fo. 81.viii has: *Alan, son of Landric, gives to Kirkstead two bovates (40 acres) in Saxedale with a common in Welton.* Alan became a monk at Kirkstead towards the end of his life. (Dudding. p.29)

Alan had two sons: Brian 'de Welton' (see later) and Gikell (or Jukell) de Yarburgh'. It is almost certain that the Yarboroughs of Heslington descended from this Brian.

This family apparently had connections with Brittany. It is recorded in the Alvingham Chartulary (fo.110 margin) that Brian was a Breton ('of Brittany') and a knight. Brian lived about 1150.

It will be noted that the family name varied, according to where they lived. Sometimes they are known as 'de Welton', sometimes as 'de Yarburgh' and sometimes as 'Gikell'.

In the younger line, we have John, son of Gikell de Yerburgh, who was a knight. John married Alice and they had six sons: John, Ralph, Thomas, Richard and Peter (who died before his father). John's own son, Richard, paid a fine, in 1267 to escape knighthood!!.

This side of the family seems to have used both the names of Gikell and de Yarburgh as a kind of surname. The name 'Gikell' was probably to honour Gikell de Yarburgh, the steward of the Soke of Gayton in 1181.

The great grandsons of Gikell de Yarburgh: John and his brothers Rafe and Richard seem to have been 'trouble makers'! Several cases arose in 1279 and through these we learn about their family tree!

Brian de Welton (late 13th century). The senior branch.

Brian de Welton was a contemporary of Hameline de Yerdeburgh. His wife's name was Edina.

The Alvingham Chartulary (fo.110, verso, in the margin) gives much of the pedigree:

#### Memorandum:

Lord Conan, Earl of Brittany and of Richmond has given to a certain Brian de Brittany', knt., his 8 pounds of annual rent in Yerdeburgh and Germthorpe.... and the advowson of the church of Yerburgh, at the instance of the said Brian. Half of the 8 pounds and half the demesne (ownership) to the brother of the said Brian, Gikell by name.

# Descendants of Brian de Welton

Brian had two sons - Ralph and Alan (2). Of these, Ralph is mentioned as having no heirs. In the Kirkstead Chartulary (fo.82.13) he confirms the gifts of his father (Brian) and grandfather. The Harleian Charter 57 G 23 (Stenton Danelaw p.115) shows that Brian had a third son, Robert.

Alan (2), son of Brian, presented a Vicar to the church of Yarburgh in 1219. He then disappears from the records and he probably died young, leaving an only daughter who married Walter de Couton.

Walter de Couton had a son, Alan (3) de Couton. In the 1242 Book of Fees, Alan is recorded as holding, 'with Richard, son of John, half a knight's fee in Yarburgh'.

Alan (3) de Couton had two sons: Alan (4) de Couton and Robert de Yarburgh.

Alan de Couton (4) gave an annual payment to Alvingham Priory. He, also, gave them the living of Yarburgh (fo.110v. margin) about 1280. He died shortly after this, leaving an only daughter, named Diana. She married Philip Fraunke who, in 1303, held a fourth part of a knight's fee in Yarburgh and Grainthorpe "which Richard, son of John and Alan, son of Walter had held."

The brother, Robert de Yarburgh, in 1281, allowed the Prior of Alvingham to appoint Geoffrey de Richmond as Vicar of Yarburgh, which "Robert, son of Alan (3) grants to the Prior (of Alvingham) this turn".

# 14th Century.

Robert de Yarburgh had two sons John and William de Yarburgh. It seems that Robert de Yarburgh's sons and grandsons did not wish to relinquish the right of nominating the Rector of Yarburgh. John and William de Yarburgh claimed this right in 1308 and 1330. A Lincoln Court case, recorded in the De Banco Rolls (Roll 292). Michaelmas 6 Edward III (1332) m ..., refers back to events in 1308:

The Prior of Alvingham in the Court of Edward late King of England etc. before Rafe le Hengman and his fellow justices &c at Westminster in the Octave of St. Hilary of this reign (1308/9). (The Prior) should recover 15 marks against John, son of Robert de Yerdeburgh and William, son of Robert de Yerdeburgh because lately (in 1308!) they had declared that the said Prior should present a suitable person (parson) to the church of Yerdeburgh.

The Sheriff summoned John and William in 1332, but was told that they were now dead. Instead, John's two sons, both named Robert de Yarburgh\*, were summoned. The assize decreed against them. The same document records the statement:

Robert de Yerdeburgh and Robert, his brother now (i.e. 1332) hold the lands which were John's and William's. \*The approximate dates for Robert are in the next paragraph.

### The next hundred years

The 'old' pedigree shows these names. The theoretical dates are based on the known death of Charles Yarburgh in 1544:

	Born near		Married near	Died near
Robert	1321	1351		1381
William	1353	1383		1413
Richard	1385	1415		1455

# Notes on each of these:

# Robert de Yerburgh

The 'old' pedigree has a Robert de Yerburgh marrying Isabel Ewerby in 1380. For reasons too complicated to go into here, it can be shown that Isabel, if she existed (!), would have lived fifty years later. It is possible that she was confused with Isabella Mussenden (her aunt).

[N.B. A 1380 marriage date is impossible if the grandson (Richard) was in public life from 1411!]

# William de Yerburgh.

So far I not found his name in any document except in the traditional pedigree. There it states that William married a daughter of Thomas Angevin. A law-suit shows this William's grandson bringing a case against Bernard Avngevyn of Threddlethorpe for 40 marks. (See 1457)

# Richard Yerburgh

This man is well attested in public records. For information about him and his descendants see the Appendix on p.74f.

# The Chancellor

Sir John de Yerdburgh was Keeper of the Royal Wardrobe (1379) and later (1380 -1383) Chancellor to John of Gaunt, Duke of Lancaster. He was an important clerical lawyer and Keeper of the Royal Seal. He would have been a contemporary of the William de Yerburgh above but was probably descended from John Yarburgh\*. This branch seems to have had connections with the Abbey of Grimsby. \*This ancestor is identified by the letter (*B*) in the pedigree on page 17.

# The Pedigree of the Descendants of Landric.

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Ancestor of the
                        Yarburghs of Yarburgh
Gen.1 fl.c.1080
                            Landric
                               Ι
Gen. 2 fl.c.1120
                          Alan (1) de Welton
                                I
Gen.3 fl.c.1160 (fl.1170) Brian de W
                                                            Gikell de Y
Gen.4 fl.c.1200
                       Alan 2
                               Ralph
                                                            Sir John
Gen.5 fl.c.1225
                      daughter = Walter de Couton
                                                           Richard = Alice
                        I
                                                              I
Gen.6 fl.c.1243 (fl.1243-80)
                               Alan 3 de C.
                                                          John (line continues
                                                          through his brothers)
Gen.7 fl.c.1277
                    Alan4 de C.
                                         Robert de Y.
                                              Ι
Gen.8 died 1313 Diana=Philip Frank
                                        William John de Y died c. 1330.
Gen.9 fl.c.1342
                                         Rbt de Y
                                                   Robert de Y
                         William Y. Esq.
Gen.10 fl.c.1383
Gen.11 c.1388 - c.1454
                          Richard Y Esq.
Gen.12 c.1420 - c.1480
                          William Y. Esq.
Gen.13 c.1430 - c.1490
                         Richard Y. Esq.
Gen.14 c.1475 - 1544
                          Charles Y Esq.
                          ШШШ
                      Ys of Lincoln
Gen.15 c.1509 - 1590 (3rd s.) Edmund Y Esq.
                               II
                       Ys of Northorpe
Gen.16 c.1540 - 1595 (2nd s.) Francis Y. Esq.
                      Ys of Snaith
Gen.17 1581 - 1631 (2nd s.) Edmund Y Esq.
                                                       Ys of Campsall
                              Π
Gen.18 1612 - 1655
                      Sir Nicholas Y Knt.
                                                       Thomas Y (2nd son)
                            ШШ
                                                       b.1623 d.1697
Gen.19 1637 - 1716
                      Sir Thomas Y. Knt.
                                                       m 1st Mary Ellis (d.1682)
                                                       m 2nd Mary Watson (c.1685)
                           IIIIIIIIII
                        Ys of Heslington
                                                                I
Gen.20 1665 - 1728
                      Col. James Y. Squire
                                                                   Tobiah Harvey Esq..
                                                                                                Cooke of Doncaster
                         ШШШШ
                                                                        d.1720
                                                                                             Sir George C. 1687-1768
                      Charles Y. Esq. (11th child)
Gen.21 1716 - 1789
                                                    (1687-1772)
                           I
                                                    m. Joanna Harvey
                                                                            Mary Harvey m. George Cooke Esq. 1737-1816
                                                                            (took name of Cooke-Yarborough 1802)
                            Ι
                                                       (4 daughters)
                                                                          of Campsmount
                         ШШШШ
                                                                                  Ш
Gen.22 1765 - 1785 Sarah Y (12th and sole surviving child) = John Greame Esq.
                                                                                John Cooke (-Y) Esq. 1765-1836
                                                                                        George C-Y. Esq.
Gen.23 1784 - 1867
                    Alicia G = George Lloyd Esq.
                                                                                                               1794-1870
Gen.24 1814 - 1856
                        George Lloyd Esq.
                                                                                   m 2nd 1842
Gen.25 1841 - 1884
                        Mary = 2nd Lord Deramore
                                                                                        George B.C-Y. Esq.
                                                                                                               1843-1931
                            IIII
                                                                                   ШШШ
Gen.26 1870 - 1943
                                                                       (1st son) George E.C-Y. Esq.
                      3rd Lord Deramore
                                                                                                     1876-1984
                            Ш
                                                                                  I
                            of Pickering
                                                                               of Oxfordshire
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Gen.27 1911 - living Edmund H.C-Y. Esq. b.1918 – living 2003 6th Lord Deramore 2003 П Gen.28 1950 - living Anthony E.C-Y. Esq. Hon. Ann de Y-B = J.Peel Esq. b.1956 - living (see Rugge-Price Bt.) Ш Gen.29 1987 - living Nicholas Richard Yarburgh Peel George E.C-Y. b.1991 - living

#### YERBURGH CHRONOLOGY

#### 1080

Kettelcroc (grandfather of the Hameline de Yerburgh) lived about this date. (*Laud Misc.* 642 97v).

# *1086*

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(Domesday Survey. L.Rec.Off. Foster & Longley p.62, 64 & 71)

Landric (Ancestor of the Yarburghs of Yarburgh) is given 'one carucate' [149 acres] by Alan, Count of Brittany.

(Lindsey Survey. Lincs. Rec. Office. Foster & Longley p.258)

1187 King William Rufus ruled Sept. 1087 - Aug 1100

1100 King Henry I ruled Aug.1100 - July 1135

# *1080*

Osbert, dean, (father of the Hamelines) lived about this date. (MS Laud 642 Bod.Lib.97v - Memorandum in margin.)

# <u>1105</u>

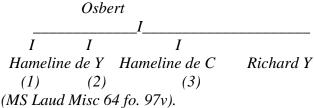
According to Mr. Woolley's Pedigree Book (1677) Rbrt Yarbrough married the daughter of Sir Lambert Mumby 5 Hen I

### *c.1110*

Alan de Welton, son of Landric lived about this date. (See pedigree for 1140)

# 1130

About this date lived the sons of Osbert de Yerburgh:-



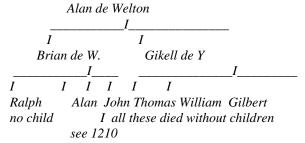
- (MS Laud Misc 04 jo. 977).
- 1) Hameline de Jerdeburgh (see 1155) (dean of Yarburgh and Alvingham.) He married Mabel, daughter of the Mayor of Beverley.
- 2) Hameline (? Twin). Dean of Covenham married Hadewys.

(See Kirk. Chart. fo 94 LXXXII). 3) Richard de Jerdeburc. (Ibid fo.85. xxxi) 1135 King Stephen reigned 1135 - 1154

# c.1140

About this date was born Brian de Welton and Gikell de Yerdeburgh. These were the sons of Alan de Welton, (see 1100).

The Alvingham Chartulary (Laud MSS 642 fo.110d) shows:



# 1137 (2 Stephen)

According to Mr Woolley's Pedigree Book (1677). Lambert Yarbrough of Yarburgh. (2 Stephen) married the daughter of Arthur Ormsby in this year.

1154 King Henry II ruled Dec 1154-July 1189

#### 1170

Near this date flourished the offspring of Hameline de Jerdeburg, dean.

Hameline de Y (eldest brother)

= Mabel daughter of the Mayor
I of Beverley.

I
Brian Osbrt Rbrt Gffrey Jhn Mtlda Helena ?A & H

\*Note Osbert died young and was buried in the nuns' churchyard of St. Athelwold's Church, of which Hameline gave 3 parts [of 4] to the nuns.

(See Alvingham Charter fo.83.Y.H. 317)

Note A & H = Arnold and Hugo, who may also have been sons.

(Laud MS 642.97r. (In bottom margin)

# <u> 1160 - 80</u>

Hameline and his son, Brian de Yerdeburc, gave to Alvingham Priory. (Alv.Chart. fo.97 & 98)

- 1. 3 parts (of 4) of St Athelwold church, Alvingham.
- 2 The advowson of Grainthorpe,
- 3 17 crofts.
- 4 1 Salt pan.
- 5 60 acres of farmland.
- 6 100 selions (strips).
- 7 Pasture for 100 sheep.

They gave :- To Kirkstead Abbey.(Kirk.Chart.fo.85 et al.)

- 1 3 tofts.
- 2 46 acres of farmland.
- 3 6 other smaller lands

#### *1157*

Near this date flourished the family of Hameline - dean of Covenham.

Alvingham Chartulary fo.85 records Azo as the son of Hameline de Jerburgh, (the younger twin of Hameline de Y).

\*(Pipe Roll Vol XVII p.26 date c.1195)

#### 1158

Near this date flourished the family of Richard, son of Osbert, and the youngest of the Hameline brothers.

- 1) Robert. See c.1200. Witness to a deed.
- 2) Walter is 'nepos' of Azo.(See Alv. Charter fo. 85) Azo was son of Hameline, Dean of Covenham.(Y.H. p.315) Nepos = (Latin) = nephew and could mean cousin.

#### 1161

Hameline, the dean, is entrusted to see that Ranulf's bequest is carried out.(*Kirkstead Folio 83 XIV-MCLXI* (1161) - 5th of 9th.)

Hameline Croc and Hamel, his brother, both witness Charter *K.fo.83 xiii*. (In the previous charter Reginald is dean of Covenham. Reginald may have been Hameline's uncle.)

#### 1170

Hameline Dec. (Decanus - Dean) is mentioned in the Pipe Rolls for many years - As dean, Hameline owed about £100 to Aaron, the Jew of Lincoln. The debt was taken over by the Treasury after Aaron's death. The name Hameline might have been continued to be written in the Pipe Rolls after Hameline's own death which was probably before 1189 (see 1189). (*Pipe Roll Vol 16 p.103*)

#### 1182

Kirkstead charters mention a Gikell or Jukell de Yerburgh, son of Alan.

1189 King Richard I ruled Sept 1189 - April 1199

If Hameline married Mabel about 1130 (say aged 21-25) then by 1189 he would be about 80 years old. His brother's wife is a widow in 1195. I would expect the Hamelines to have died c.1180.

#### 1195

(Case between William, son of Heremer, (in place of Maud de Lissington - his wife) (plaintiff) and John, son of Gikell - tenant touching Maud's dowry which Robert, son of Gikell, gave her at Ierborc and Gerumtorp (Yarburgh and Grainthorpe) when he was espoused to her - 20s. of yearly rent in Yarburgh and Grainthorpe.

John, son of Gikell, charges the following for rents at Yarburgh and Grainthorpe:-

William, son of Ralph 2s 8d Hawis, wife of Hameline 12d (L.R.S.vol.17 p.301. Also in Pipe Roll Society vol.XVII p.26)

#### 1197

Alex. Abbot of Meaux is a witness to a Cyrograph between Kirkstead and Hameline 'de Covenham' dean of Adelsicroft for 12d p.a. rent.

Note: Alex was Abbot of Meaux between 1197 and 1210. (*K.fo.94 LXXXII*).

1199 King John ruled May 1199 - Oct 1216

#### c.1200

Richard, son of John, son of Gikell de Jerdburgh (see 1182 for pedigree) gives 20 acres in Jerdeburg to Lincoln Cathedral. Witnesses include:- Robert, son of Richard de Jerdburgh. (Y.H. p.508, Muniment Room Lincoln (D.ii.88.3.54. Yerburgh.)

#### 1208

Hameline, son\* of Gilbert holds 2 bovates with appurtenances in Jerdeburg. Recognized by Robert son of Siward for a rent of 10s 4d per annum. (*Pipe Roll New Series vol. 29 p 137*)

Hamelin son of Gilbert witnesses a charter granting lands in Yarburgh to the church of Lincoln. (This Hamelin may have been grandson of Hameline the dean.) (*Pipe Roll New Series. Vol 29. p 138*)

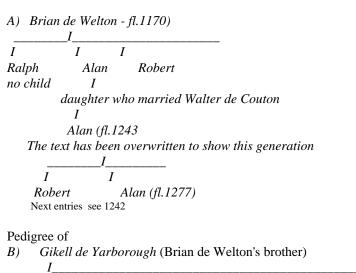
# *1210*

Hameline the Dean owed to Aaron the Jew of Lincoln nearly £100.

The pledge is guaranteed by:- Walter of Grimsby and Brian, son of Alan de Welton.(see 1182). (*Pipe Roll New Series vol. 26 p.59*)

# *1210*

Pedigree of two brothers



Sir s	Iohi	n (a k	nigl	nt) (	fl.12	210)	Thomas William Gilbert	
			I				all died without child	d
I			I					
Gikell	!		1	Rick	ıard	$I = A_i$	lice	
			I					
			Rich	ara	l = J	Ioani	ne (fl.1267)	
	_						I	
	I	I	I	I	Ι	I		
	Pet	er J	ohn	Ra	lph	Wm	Thos Richard (fl.1300)	
		Next	ent	ries	see	Pedi	gree on p.17.	

[Brian de Welton was a contemporary of Hameline de Yerburgh.]

1216 King Henry III ruled Oct 1216 - Nov 1272 <u>c.1211</u>

(12 John) THE 'OLD' PEDIGREE

N.B. Some parts of this pedigree may have links with the de Welton Yarboroughs, other parts (especially the names of the wives) may be fictional!

According to the Woolley Pedigree book, Ralph Yarbrough married around 1211:-

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Ralph Yarbrough = Anne dau. of Sir Wm Staine (12 John)

I
Robert Yarbrough = _____ d. of Sir Jo. Bussam
I
William Yarbrough = Beatrix d. of Sir G. Auke
I
Richard Yarbrough = Cassandra d, of Sir P.Mablethorpe
I
Robert Yarbrough = Isabel d. of Sir Jo. Uerbie
(3 Ric. 2 = 1380)
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#### 1219

1) Alan son of Brian (prob. de Welton family) presents to the Church of Yarburgh. (Fleet of Fines. ERY MSS II p.280.)

# <u>1219</u> cont.

2) Quit claim by Brian de Yarburgh\*, tenant of a toft in Welton.\* \*This was probably Brian de Welton not Brian de Yerburgh.

(Boyd Concords p.135. ERY MSS I p.75)

#### *1224*

Hameline the dean's owes about £100 to Aaron the Jew. (Memoranda Roll QR 7 .1224m. ERY MSS II p.293, Y.H. p.514)

#### 1229

The Prior of Ormsby sues Hameline de Yerburgh regarding a free tenement in Little Grimsby. (Close Rolls of Lincoln. Y.H.p.500)

# *1230*

A list of tenants (formerly) holding land from Hameline:-

Alvingham <u>13 16 3</u>

The Pipe Roll after the places mentioned above, has a list of those holding lands of Robert de Waltham. (Alvingham Chart. fo.98r.) Among the names are: William, son of Ace

Galfridus, son of Hamel (Cost family)

Hamel' son of Rich.(Cost family)

(Pipe Rolls New Series No.4 p.317)

#### 1234

Robert, son of Rici (Richard) de Jerdeburg, confirms all the lands, which Ormsby Priory had by the gift of John, son of Brian de Yerdeburg, in the Soke of Germethorp.

(Lansdown MSS 738 18 Hen.iii)

#### 1237

1) Agreement between William, son of Ace, with Matilda, his wife. They agree to pay 2s. a year rent to Gilbert de Jereburgh and Mabel, his wife.

(Fleet of Fines Concord. Y.H. p.455)

2) Agreement made by William, son of Ace, on the one side, and Constance, daughter of Alice. The agreement is over the tenancy of three and a half acres in Jereburgh.

(Fleet of Fines Concord. Y.H. p.455)

#### 1239

Quotes the case of Richard, son of John de Jerdeburgh, granted pardon by two cardinals for causing the death of William, son of Azo. The pardon was renewed in 1269 'because the Royal Seal had been changed.'

(Lincs. Notes and Queries Vol.III No.18 p.60.)

# 1239 cont.

William, son of Ace, is mentioned in 1230 as holding land which had belonged to Hameline, the Dean. Was this a family quarrel?

(Pipe Rolls New Series Vol.4 p.311.)

#### *1241*

1) John, son of Brian, gave lands and tenements to Kirkstead Abbey. This is confirmed by Robert, son of Richard de Jerdeburgh. (See 1200).

(Kirkstead Chartulary fo.96.112. Y.H. p.214 & Boyd Concords p.337)

2) John (son of Brian) and Gilbert (de Jordeburgh).[Gilbert, represented by his son - Alan,] recognized the Prior of Alvingham to have the advowson of Grainthorpe. (*Boyd Concords p.336*).

#### 1242

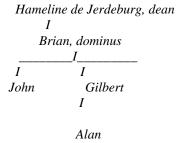
1) Records that Yarburgh and Grainthorpe are in the hands of Richard, son of John, (John de Yerdeburgh - see 1239). See also Feudal Aids Vol.3 p.133 (HMSO 1931. In 1303 Philip Frauke held quarter of knight's fee in Jordeborw and Grympelthorp (Yarburgh and Grainthorpe) 'which Richard. son of John and Alan, son of Walter at one time held.'

(Book of Fees Vol.I p.1053)

There are no surnames but it is almost certain that "Alan, son of Walter" was Diana's grandfather. It is pretty certain that "Richard, son of John" was Gikell de Yarburgh's grandson = Richard (A), son of Sir John. See Pedigree p.17.

2) Robert, son of Richard de Jerdeburgh confirms the gifts made by his ancestors to the Priory of Alvingham.

(Fleet of Fines p.337 26 Hen. III. Y.H. p.456)



# *1256*

1) Mention of Robert son of Richard de Jertheburg. (*Lansdown MSS.422*, *Y.H.p.512*, *513*)

#### 1256 cont.

- 2) Case between Benedict, son of Hamelin (plaintiff) and Simon de Yardeburgh (tenant) re moiety (half) of 2 tofts and 2 bovates and 8 selions in Yardeburgh.
- 3) Agreement between Benedict, son of Hameline, and Simon de Y and his son Simon re moeity (half) of 1 toft in Yardeburgh. Outcome Benedict acknowledges the right of Simon. Simon gave him 20s. as a quit fee.
- 4) Hugh, son of William de Yardeburgh, quit claims his right to 29 acres of land in Cockerington to Gilbert Vavasseur (tenant).

Outcome. Gilbert for this right has given Hugh three and a half marks of silver.

5) There is also mention of 51 acres of land in Saltfleetby and one messuage associated with those in No.4.

(Items 2 - 5 in L.R.S. Vol 17 p.148)

## <u>1271</u>

- 1) Robert, son of Richard de Yerdburgh, v Gilbert\*, son of John de Kokerington, re 7 acres in Germthorpe. (Grainthorpe)
- \* Is Gilbert, son of John, the same as Gilbert Vavasseur who in 1256 had land in Cockerington? See 1256' (Assize Roll 56 Hen. III. Y.H.p.517)
- 2) Johanna, wife of Richard de Yerdeburgh, re land in Saltfleetby and Somercotes. Mention is made of Rafe le Carpenter of Yerdeburgh.

(Assize Roll 483 m.57d Y.H. p.518)

1272 King Edward I ruled Nov.1272 - July 1307

#### <u> 1275</u>

- 1) Abbot of Louth Park v William, son of Robert de Jerdeburgh, re beasts in Westfurlange. (De Banco Roll II Mich. 3 & 4 Ed. I m. 59)
- 2) William de Jerdeburgh, son of John de Jerdeburgh, v William, son of Robert de Jerdeburgh. (De Banco Roll 17 Mich.4&5 Ed.l m.19d)

# <u>1278</u>

1) Mention made later (in 1309) of land in Yerdeburgh acquired from Martin de Yerburgh in 1278.

(Y.H.p.500, E.R.Y. MSS I p.145)

### 2) Joan who was wife of Richard de Jerdebrigg. (? of Saltfleetby).

\* It seems likely that 1278 (the date given in Yerburgh History p.515) is correct and 1238 is either a reference number or a mistake. See 1271 where Johanna wife of Richard de Yerdeburgh is concerned with a case against Peter de Lekeburn of Sal(flee) i.e. Saltfleetby. (Yerburgh History p.518)

(Assize Roll 1238\* (sic) m 10. Y.H. p.515)

#### 1279

1) Robert, son of John de Jerdeburgh, re toft and land in Alvingham.

William and John, sons of Richard de Y. summoned to come.

(Coram Rege Roll 45 Easter 7 Ed.I m.7. ERY MSS II p 434)

2) Richard de Jerdeburgh's son, John, sued by Roger, son of Rafe de Jerdeburgh. Peter, a brother of Rafe, is mentioned.

(De Banco Roll 28 Hil.7 Ed.I m.33. Y.H. p.335)

#### FOUR CASES AGAINST THE BROTHERS

See page 17 for the associated pedigree.

In 1279 the brothers William (D) and John (B), sons of Richard (A) were involved in assaults on William of Brackenburg.

Note. In the same incident William Hewelyn of Yarburgh was killed by Rafe, the carpenter of Yarburgh. [It is not known if Rafe was the same man as (C) the brother of William and John]. The carpenter's land came to be held by Philip Frank and Diana. His toft was held by John (2), son of Robert de Yarburgh (1), and Diana. Robert and John are descendants of Brian de Welton.)

A case against John, son of Richard de Jerdeburgh (i.e. B son of A) and William le Clerk were charged that "they assaulted William, son of Alan de Brackenburg, at Brackenburg" (5 miles west of Cockerington) and "did beat, wound and evilly entreat him" etc. The defendants were ordered to come to Court.

Another summons was brought by the same man to charge Richard de Yerdeburgh (F) and Rafe (C) his brother that "they made waste the growing corn of William de Brackenburg ....and with their horses and by force and arms did beat and evilly entreat the men of the said William". The damage was worth 60 shillings. They were ordered to come to the next Court.

Rafe(C) and his brother, John de Yarburgh (B) were summoned by William, son of William of Cockerington and William, son of Roger of the same (Cockerington). The Sheriff orders distraint upon their lands and that they are to appear at the next Court, to hear judgment.

# 1279 THE NEPHEWS BRING A CASE AGAINST THEIR UNCLE.

Their nephews seem, also, to have quarrelled with their uncle, John (B), son of Richard (A). This uncle was attached (seized by legal authority) by Roger (K) (son of Rafe de Jerdeburgh (C)) and Peter, his brother

#### 1285

John, son of Robert de Yerdeborough, is a witness to a quitclaim. (It refers back to 1200) (Lincoln Cathedral Muniment Room. Y.H. p.508)

<u>1287</u> DISPUTES ABOUT INHERITANCE (See also 1279)

In 1287, an Assize (Lincs. Assize Roll 1281 was summoned to see if John (B), Ralph (C) had dispossessed Joan (M), daughter of Peter. Joan claimed her inheritance came from her Great grandmother\* Alice. (See Pedigree page 14.).

(Note. Dudding has great grandmother (p.31, lines 3-4). She was the wife of Sir John de Yedeburgh. See p.17 pedigree.)

NOTES about the Inheritance Disputes.

Joanna (daughter of Rafe de Yarburgh) married John Bek. They may have had no child. She was the daughter of Ralph de Y.

(See De Banco Roll 230. Mich.11 Edward II.(1316) m.349. Yarborough History p.335)

(1313)Property\* is conveyed by John and Joan Bek to the Kiddall family in default of heirs to the Beks: (Fleet of Fines, Lincs. 8 Ed.II. File 82 (18) Dudding (p.31)

The property consisted of: \*1) one messuage, 2) one mill, 3) three tofts, 4) 130 acres of land, 5) 30 acres of meadow, 6) 2 acres of pasture, 7) Rent. 1 shilling in Yarburgh and Grainthorpe "which William Gikell (Joan's uncle?) held for a term of years for the inheritance for Joan.

#### 1290-1

Either Richard de Yerburgh (Y.H. 336) or Aceus de Yerburgh (E.R.Y. MSS Vol.2, p.222) v the township of Yerburgh.

(De Banco Roll. Roll 93 Trin. 19 Ed.I m.69)

# 1291

Land in Yarburgh and acquired from Ralph son of Martin (de Yerburgh). The land originally belonged to Alan de Couton. (*Calendar of Inquisition ad quod damnum. File 15, No 12 19 Ed.I*)

Land in Yarburgh and Grainthorpe which had belonging to Robert son of John de Y now acquired by the Prior of Alvingham.

(ibid & Y.H.p.516. See also 1278 & 1309)

#### 1294

- 1) Robert le Feure (Smith) de Yerdeburgh and Annabella his wife v The Prior of Alvingham. (*De Banco Roll 106. Mich. 22/3 Ed.I, m.223d.*)
- 2) William, son of Constance de Yerdeburgh, v Robert and Annabella de Yerdeburgh. (*De Banco Roll 106 Mich. 22/3 Ed.I. m.223d.*)

#### 1297

- 1) Gilbert, son of Thomas de Jerdeburgh and Rads le Carpent' de Jerdeburgh are involved. (Esc. 25 Ed.I. ERY. MSS II p.294)
- 2) William Gikell de Jerdeburg\* and Gilbert, son of Thomas Jerdeburgh, are involved. \* de Welton family. See pedigree p.17) (*Inquisition. ERY MSS. Vol II p.294*)

# *1298*

The sub bailiff of Yerdeburgh did not come and surety (bail) was made through: William and Thomas de Yerdeburgh, sons of John de Yerdeburgh.

(Lincs. Record Soc. Vol. 36 Editor W.S. Thomson)

# *1301*

1) Two cases in the Covenham area - John, son of Robert de Yerdeburgh, are involved. (Coram Rege Roll 163 Hil.29 Ed.I. ERY Hist.II p.434)

2) John, son of Robert de Yerdeburgh, v John Wynn and others regarding a trespass in the Covenham area.

(De Banco Roll 163 Hil.29 Ed.I m. 27d. Y.H.336)

#### 1302

William, son of Robert de Yerdeburgh, is a juror. (*Inq. ad quod damnum. E.R.Y MSS II p.280*)

#### 1303

Simon de Jordeborw is a juror at Osbernby. (See 1346). (Feudal Aids Vol 3 p129)

Mention of Johanne de Jordeborwe (Yerburgh). (Feoda Episcopi Lincolniensis A.D. 1303 p 1211 - ERY MSS I p.149)

#### 1304

- 1) Case over 1 acre in Thorgamby and the advowson there. Robert de Benyngsworth, parson of Wokingham, and John de Yerdeburgh and Johanna his wife. (Calendar of Fine Rolls 32 Ed.I Aug 25th) (De Banco Roll 149 Mich.32 Ed.I m.355d. Y.H. p.336)
- 2) John de Yerdeburgh. A suit regarding a bovate and carucate in Rothwell belonging to John de Yerburgh.

(Calendar of Fine Rolls. 32 Ed.I. Y.H. p.527)

John, son of Richard de Yerburgh, and Joan his wife regarding land in Killingholm. (De Banco Roll 153 Mich.33 Ed.I m.348 also Roll 156 Trin. 33.Ed.I m.188 ERY.MSS II p.222)

# <u>1306</u>

- 1) John son of Richard de Yerdeburch regarding one and a half acres in Yerdeburch v Rafe Gykel. (*De Banco Roll 161 Mich.34 Ed.I m.185. Y.H.p.338*)
- 2) Robert de Jerdburgh demands service from William de Som(er)cotes regarding a tenement in Yarburgh.

(De Banco Roll 160 Trin. 34 Ed.I m.151. Y.H.338)

King Edward II ruled 1307- Nov.1326

# <u>130</u>7

1 Wapentake of Bradele (see 1329): -

Vill de Irby: John de Yerdeburgh.

Borough of Grimsby: Richard de Jordeburgh Vill de Grimoldby: William de Yerdeburgh.

2 Wapentake of Coryngham

(Western edge of Lincolnshire)

Township of Gaynesburgh: William de Yerdeburgh.

Compare Lay Subsidy of 6 Ed.III. See 1331/2.

(No mention of a Yerburgh at Cockerington). (Lay Subsidy. 135/11 I Ed. II ERY. MSS II p.227)

3) Witness at Lincoln. John de Yerdeburg (Knight) and others, re Manor of Dunoblsy. (? Bridgeley) (Calendar of Close Rolls. ERY. MSS II p.294)

4) John, son of Richard de Jerdeborough, regarding the Common in Bradele.

(PRO vol.2 c 1954)

(Calendar of Ancient Deeds. ERY. MSS II p.295)

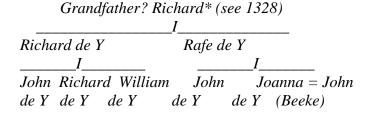
The Prior of Alvingham, in 1308, sought 15 marks from John de Yerburgh. (see 1332) shows:

Note. These are recorded in the Yerburgh of Cockerington pedigree but it seems that they were of Landric's line. (See Dudding)

(De Banco Roll 292 Mich. 6 Ed.III. Y.H. p.340)

# 1309

De Banco Roll (Roll 220 Mich. 2 Ed.Il 349. Y.H. p.335 See 1310. It shows part of Landric's descent :-



For fuller pedigree see page 15.

### 1316

# DISPUTES ABOUT THEIR INHERITANCE.

Around 1315 Richard (A) de Yerdeburgh, the father and grandfather, died, leaving his inheritance to his sons: John, Richard, William and Rafe.

Rafe (C) and Thomas (E) and Peter predeceased their father. Anyway, one of Rafe's five children named Joanna (H), (who had married John Bek), inherited four fifths of the lands in Somercotes, Yarburgh and Grainthorpe.

Two of her uncles John (B) and Richard (F) brought a law suit against Joanna in 1316 to repossess 10 messuages, ten tofts, sixteen bovates of land, 60 acres of meadow, a hundred acres of wood and an annual rent of 100 shillings.

Joanna and her husband, through their attorney, claimed that the case could not be brought unless all the interested parties were in court - namely, beside her uncles John and Richard, there should be in court her uncle William (D) and her own brother - John (J). These two were ordered to appear in court in three weeks time. The outcome of the case is unknown.

# *1309*

1) Case about an acre of land in Yerdeburgh and 6 acres of meadow acquired from Ralph, son of Martin de Yerburgh thirty-one years before, ...... 6 acres of meadow acquired from Robert, son of John de Yerdeburgh, 31 years before. (see 1275, 1290) (Close Rolls. Y.H. p.500. ERY MSS.I p.145)

2) John de Yerdeburgh is a free tenant in Yerdeburgh and Alvingham. (Calendar of Fine Rolls 2 Ed.II l0th June. ERY MSS. II p.527)

# 1310

Robert, son of John de Yerdeburgh, regarding land in South Somercotes and Yarburgh which John Beech and Johanna claim.

(De Banco Roll, Mich. 2 Ed.ll m 30d. Y.H. p.338. See 1316)

#### 1313

1) William, son of Robert de Yerburgh, re 1 messuage, 2 bovates and 7s. rent for land in Yarburgh, Grainthorpe and Alvingham.

(Foster Final Concords B.191. File 81, Case 135)

2) John Yornburgh holds land in Holme, near Grimsby. (See 1314) (Calendar of Patent Rolls 7 Ed.II pt.2 m.23. Y.H. p.469)

#### 1314

Final Concords of Lincoln Fleet of Fines in PRO John de Yordeburgh and Elizabeth, his wife gave lands to Grimsby Abbey. (See 1313. See Foster Concords B.281, B.358, D.68 and Lincoln Record Society vol. 17)

## *1316*

1) John de Yerburgh to be replaced as coroner for Lincolnshire. (Close Roll, April 24.1316. Westminster. Y.H. p.501)

#### 1317

- 1) Elizabeth, wife of John de Jordeburgh, agreement over land at Rothwell. (10 miles N of Kelstern) (Foster Concords B 358)
- 2) Controversy between Sir John de Jerdeburgh Knt. (and Elizabeth his wife) v Henry de Ryddeford (and Joan, his wife). (see 1318) re the advowson of Ireby Church, after the death of Master John Malet, the last rector. (see 1321)

(Landsdown MSS 207. fo.31 1b. Y.H. p.529)

#### 1318

John de Jordeburgh is owed 50 marks (50s.) by Henry de Ridford.

Ralph de Ridford was one of the monks associated with Yerburghs in the 1345 Cockerington case. (Close Rolls. Sept. York. Y.H. p.501, ERY.MSS II .p.294)

# <u>1321</u>

Gift of land in Ireby. Witnessed by Sir John de Yerdeburgh Knt. and Sir John de Yerdeburgh Knt. (*Lansdown MSS.207 fo. 31 1b. Y.H. p.529*)

#### 1322

- 1) John de Yerdeburg appointed assessor for Lindsey (Patent Rolls Dec.2nd., Wagner p.41 and 52).
- 2) William de Jordeburgh (Chaplain). Will, of September 1322.

3) John de Yerdeburgh, clericus, sells to Simon de Driby lands in Grymsby, Wath, Honiton and Briggeley. (Lansdown MSS 207C Y.H.511. ERY.MS II 390-1.)

# *1323*

The gift of John de Yerdeburgh in a charter of 16 Ed.II. (Lansdown MSS 207c DD 135. ERY. MSS. II p.391, Y.H. p 511)

#### 1324

- 1) List of Knights includes John de Yerdeburgh. (See also 1325) (*List. B6 Cott. Claud.C2 p.45*)
- 2) Pardon to John de Yerdeburgh for acquiring from Philip de Kyme 10 marks rent in Stalynburgh, near Grimsby, without the King's licence.

(Patent Rolls. Portchester, Wagner p.41, Y.H. p.469).

3) Sir John de Yerdeburgh is owed 140 marks by the Abbot of Welholl, near Grimsby. (Close Rolls 18 Ed.II. Byfleet. Oct.11th. Y.H. p.501).

#### 1325

£4 expenses for two Knights to attend Edward II's parliament: Thomas de Wylughby (Willoughby): John de Yerdeburgh.

(Close Rolls 19 Ed II m. 19d. Fam. Hist. p.315)

1326 King Edward III ruled 1326-June 1377

# 1327

1) Gift of lands in Yerdeburgh by Ralph de Yerdeburgh - son of Martin - to Alvingham Priory and Convent. (See 1309)

(Patent Rolls Sept 20th, Wagner p.41)

2) Matilda, wife of John de Yerburgh, versus William, son of Philip Fraunke, of Grimsby, regarding land in Yerburgh and Somercotes.

(Y.H. 339. See also Feudal Fees 1303, p.133.) (De Banco Roll 272 Hil.2 Ed.III m.86, Y.H. p.339)

3) John Beke and Johanna his wife - a case between these and John de Yerburgh, son of Robert de Yerburgh. John de Yerburgh is called to warrant and does so by Robert, son of John de Yerburgh, the younger, (See 1316. The text in Latin shows that the case was over land in South Somercotes and Yarburgh area.)

(De Banco Roll 274 Trin.2 Ed.III m.ld., Y.H. p.338 & 339)

A Robert, son of John de Yerdeburgh, brought a law suit, in about 1327, against Matilda who 'was' the wife of John (2).(He had died about 1331.) Robert claimed: three acres ....... half, sixteen acres of meadow, one acre of pasture in South Somercotes and Yerdeburgh which John Bek and Joanna (H), his wife, claim.

Another contemporary of Joanna's grandfather was Alan de Couton. (See pedigree on page 17.). He had two sons Alan de Couton and Robert de Yerdeburgh (1). Robert's sons were John (2) and William (3). John (2) married Matilda and they had two sons both named Robert (4 & 5).

The Robert, son of John de Yarburgh, who brought the case, could not have been suing his mother! That Robert (5) was 'under age' in 1331 and he would only have been a baby in 1326. It is possible that the summons was issued by the son of John (B).

# *1329*

- 1) Sir John de Jordeburgh living 1329 at a manor in Ireby. (See 1317). (Lansdown MSS 207 D in vol. IV p.311, ERY. MSS.II p.391, Y.H. p.529)
- 2) William de Yerdeburgh and others in a case over trespass at Scot Willoughby, Lincs. Value £20 damage.

(Calendar of Patent Rolls, July 23.Windsor. ERY MSS I p.135)

#### 1330

William, son of William, son of Walter de Yarlbergh.

Trespass at Ingleton, Co. York. This is probably not a Yerburgh.

(Patent Rolls Dec. 10th. Wagner p.41 & 52)

# *1331*

William de Yerdeburgh of Osberneby (see 1303 also 1368) owes to John de Spaneby. (Close Rolls. July 16th, Y.H. p.502)

# <u>1332/3</u>

Lay Subsidy. Grynesburgh: William de Yerdeburgh.

In Wapentake of Southesk:

Grimsby and Steveton: William de Yerdeburgh.
Vill of Grimsby: Richard de Yerdeburgh.
(No Yerburgh at Cockerington mentioned).

(Lay Subsidy. ERY. MSS II p.227)

#### 1332

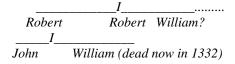
Recognisance of 140 marks regarding Matilda, wife of said John de Yerdeburgh. Robert de Yerdeburgh (son) - a minor (under 21).

(Close Rolls Jan.27, Y.H. p.502)

Regarding the right of advowson for the Church of Yerdeburgh. The Prior of Alvingham seeks to recover 15 marks due 1308-9. The case was between John de Yerdeburgh, son of Robert, and William, son of Robert de Yerdeburgh.

(De Banco Roll 292 Mich. 6 Ed III m.\_. Y.H. pp.339 & 340)

Genealogical Tree from a Close Roll seems to be:



and Robert, (? twin) brother of Robert de Yerdeburgh now holds (Close Rolls Jan.27, Y.H. p.502)

# *1335*

At the head of a list of clergy and patrons that used to be in Yarburgh Church, the name of Richard de Yarborough headed the list, with the date

#### 1342

1) Robert de Yerdeburgh, Ralph de Riddeford, John de Brynkhill and Adam Trewe are enfeoffed with the Manor of Cockerington.

#### 1342 cont.

Robert de Yerdeburgh was Sir Henry Vavasour's steward. Sir Henry made this gift on his deathbed, while he was at Louth Park Monastery - the monastery of the four monks. As the gift was to finance ten monks to celebrate masses for the soul of Sir Henry and his family and his ancestors, it is likely that the gift was to the monastery, rather than to the monks. But see 1345. (*Y.H. p.472*)

Note. The steward, in the above event, was thought to be from the Cockerington line but Dudding is probably right in seeing this man to be from Landric's line

2) Richard de Yerdeburgh is also mentioned in the case. Perhaps he was the monk-vicar of Yarburgh. (Calendar of Patent Rolls. 19 Ed.III part iii, mem.14,15)

#### 1345

- 1) Constance Vavasour disputes the gift of 1342. The Abbot of Louth Park counter charges and an Inquisition were held before Justices.
- 2) November 1345. The decision was that the gift stood but the Abbot was to pay the widow and her son, Roger, 100 marks yearly. (*Patent Rolls. 19 Ed.III mem.3ld*)
- 3) December 1345. Thomas Wake\* awards quarter of the manor of Cockerington to Robert de Yerdeburgh and John de Brynkhill "which I have by enfeoffment of Adam Trewe." Perhaps Adam Trewe had died and that this was a private purchase by the monks, but this seems unlikely.

\*Thomas Wake had been appointed by Parliament in 1344 to assist the Abbot of Louth Park over his debts. (Lansdown MSS 207 A. Gervasse Holles. Brit.Mus.Y.H. p.512)

#### 1346

- 1) Regarding Land at Cockerington, a suit bought by Henry le Vavasour (De Banco Roll 347 Trin.20 Ed.III m.177)
- 2) Inquisition near Sleaford. William de Yerdeburgh is one of the jurors. Court of Bolyingbroke fee. (Feudal Aids vol. 3 p.208)
- 3) Fee of Gaunt. William de Yerdeburgh one of the Feudal Assessors at Rippingale (5 miles south of Osbournaby). See 1303. (Feudal Aids vol. 3 p.195)
- 4) Lands in Thorgramby held of Johannis de Yerdeburgh (Feudal Aids vol.3 p.217)
- 5) Feoda Episcopi Lincolniensis mentions John de Yerdeburgh. (*ERY MSS I p.150*)

# 1350

Possibly Robert Yerburgh was born near this date. He is supposed to have married Isobel Ewerby in 1380.

## 1355

Coram Rege Roll shows this family at Yarburgh.

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Hugh de Yerburgh
I
Richard de Yerburgh
I
William de Yerburgh
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William Yerburgh versus John de Dunmore who burnt a deed. They do not come to Court. Peter de Yerburgh is involved

(Coram Rege Roll 381 Mich. Term Ed.III. ERY. MSS Vol 2 p.436)

#### 1362

1) Alice, daughter of William de Yerburgh, living 'juxta Louth', versus Robert (son of Robert de Yerburgh) and Johanna his wife.

(De Banco Roll 411 Mich. 36 Ed.III m.77)

Note. Alice had been assaulted by Robert and Johanna. The latter two had been seized (arrested). Peter de Yerburgh and another are involved.

2) Case Anna de Multon v Peter de Yerburgh regarding money. (*De Banco Roll 408 Hil. 36 Ed.III m.52*).

#### 1368

John de Yerdeburgh is to bring gold and silver for a felony at Osbournby. (see 1331) (Close Rolls June 25th. Y.H. p.502)

#### 1371

Aleyne Gerberge, wife of Edward Gerberge. Consort lady in the Court of John of Gaunt, Duke of Lancaster

(Cross. Chaucer Records. Oxford 1966 pp.86, 88-89.)

#### 1373

Warrant 1st May 1373 to John of Gaunt's Keeper of the great wardrobe - "bien clerc sire Johan de Yerdeburgh." (Cross. Chaucer Records. Oxford 1966 p.88)

#### 1374

De Banco Roll shows:

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Gilbert de Yerburgh*
_____I
Simon de Yerburgh (heir) = Isabella daughter of William Frikendale
I
(heir) William de Yerburgh = ?
_____I
John Isabella Alice Eleanor Joan Marian Elizabeth de Y
(son & heir. Died without child)
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# <u>1374</u> cont.

\*This Gilbert would have been born circa 1275 and so was not the Gilbert Yerburgh of 1288. (De Banco Roll 48 Ed.III. ERY. MSS II p.222)

Lincs. Rec. Soc. Vol.30 records the following:

Richard de Yordeburgh - Juror of Aswardeshowe. p.102.

William de Yordeburgh - Juror of Southriding. p.67.

William de Yerdeburgh of Gainsborough,'one of the watch' assaulted at night so badly that his life was despaired of.'

1377 King Richard II ruled 1377 - deposed 1399

# *1377*

- 1) Sir John de Yerburgh was Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster. I Rich.1. (1377). (Wagner p.51, ERY MSS I p.132)
- 2) John de Yerdeburgh clerk has custody of the Duke's castles. One of five who 'shall, after the said Duke's death, have the custody of all his castles, manors and lands held by him.....for a whole year following his death'.

(The Calendar of Patent Rolls. July 26th. 2 Rich.II. Westminster. ERY MSS I p.133. Wagner p.41)

John de Yerburgh was vicar of Ribchester in 1374, then rector of Preston - appointed by John of Gaunt. Afterwards he was made a canon of York, which he exchanged for a canonry at St Pauls in 1399. (Presumably a non-residential post to provide income for the Chancellor.)

# 1379

- 1) Claim against John Yerburgh of Grymolby chaplain. (De Banco Roll 474 East. 2 Rich II m. 404)
- 2) John de Yerdeburgh clerk, senior, obtained a licence to concord with Richard Yerdburgh and Alice his wife, regarding the right to the manor of Eton (? Etton. Notts. Not the Yorkshire Etton of the 1463 case.

(Concord Aug. 8 1379/80. Wagner p.28, Y.H.p.346)

3) Grant by the Duke to John de Yerdeburgh, the elder, to have the lands and tenements of John Cutt of Eton (Notts). Aug 18 1380.

(John of Gaunt's Register (Lodge) No.964.)

- 4) Mention of John Yerburgh of Grymoldby. (De Banco Roll 471 Trin.I. Rich.II m.356. (Wagner p.41) also Roll 472 Mich.2 Rich.II m.55 and m.225.)
- 5) John de Yerdeburgh the younger, regarding the manor of Scotton, Co.York and other manors. (*De Banco Roll 476 Mich.3 Rich II m.686*)

# 1379 cont.

- 6) Sir John de Yerdeburgh, the elder. Sir John de Y., the younger regarding Scotton and other places. (*Close Rolls. Wagner p.28*)
- 7) William de Yerdburgh of Grymolby is a witness for Richard Trewe\* of Alvingham.

\*Surname of one of the monks associated with Yerburghs and Cockerington Manor.(see 1345). (Chancery File on Debts. 27 No.5. Y.H. p.515)

- 8) John de Yerburgh. Prebend of the North part of the Church of Grantham, (De Banco Roll 472 Mich.2 Rich.II m.139)
- 9) Walter de Shirland, parson of Scotre v John de Yerdeburgh (chaplain) (De Banco Roll 472 Mich. 2 Rich.II m.304 and other Rolls)

- 10) 21st May. Two half-yearly payments to Philippa Chaucer (Sir Geoffrey Chaucer's wife) by the hands of John Yerburgh, the Duke of Lancaster's Chancellor. Writs issued under the Great Seal. (M. Crow Chaucer Life Records. Oxford. 1966. p.80)
- 11) John de Yerdeburgh is Clerk and Keeper of the Royal Seal.(see 1211) (Calendar of Patent Rolls. 3 Rich II. June 1. ERY MSS I p.133)

# <u> 1379 - 1383</u>

Many references in the De Banco Rolls to John de Yerdeburgh as an attorney. These probably refer to the Duke of Lancaster's Chancellor, Sir John de Yerdeburgh. The cases were probably undertaken by his juniors.

#### 1380

According to Woolley MSS Pedigree (1677)

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Robert Yarbrough = Isabel daughter of Sir John Uerbie (Ewerby)

I m.3 Richard II

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William Yarb. = d of Thos.Angevine

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Rich. Yarb.= Jonatha eldest daughter

and heir of J.Atwell.
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1) Emma is said to be the farmer wife of John. de Yerdeburgh. She remarried Henry Spyan. (Note. In 1383 Sir John de Yerdeburgh was the Duke's Chancellor and not a farmer, so this John de Yerdeburgh is a different man.)

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(De Banco (Roll 478 Easter 3 Rich. II (1380) m. 246)
(See E.Lodge. John of Gaunt's Register vol.2 No.918)
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2) A debt to John Yerburgh of Grimoldby. (Patent Rolls. Oct.28th 1380, Y.H.p.486. Wagner p.41)

# 1381

- 1) John de Yerdeburgh senior and junior as attorneys. (twice) (De Banco Roll 480, Mich. 4 Rich.II m.571 & Roll 461, Hil. 4 Rich. II m.242. Wagner p.30)
- 2) John Yerburgh and others. A commission to enquire about their tenancy as farmers of the Priory of Haughton. (5 miles south of Louth)

(Patent Rolls. ERY. MSS II p.295, Y.H.p.486)

#### 1382

- 1) John de Yerdeburgh senior and junior as attorneys Lincoln.\*
- (De Banco Roll 481 Hil. 4 Rich II m.242. Wagner p.30)
- \*They acted as attorneys in cases in many counties. Hence the different counties named below.
- 2) John de Yerdeburgh, clerk, makes concord for a tenement in Lenn Epi.(Norfolk) (De Banco Roll 282 Easter m.76)
- 3) Thomas Yerburgh as attorney (Norfolk twice). (De Banco Roll 487 Mich. 4 Rich II m.73. Wagner p.30)
- 4) John Zeredeburgh (see 1401) mentioned. (London and Lincoln.) (De Banco Roll 488 Hil.m.250. Wagner p.30 & 488 Hil. m.436, Wagner p.30.)
- 5) John de Yerdeburgh, the elder, re Chapel in Donington.

(Patent Rolls October 21 1382. Wagner p.42 twice)

6) John Yerdeburgh, parson of Denton. Lincs. presented to Leadenham, Co. Richmond. (*Patent Rolls Oct. 30 1382. Wagner p.42*)

#### 1383

1) Oath of William de Yerburgh of Cockerington. Inquisition Post Mortem on Alan Day, regarding land in Cockerington

(ERY. MSS II p.215)

2) John Yerburgh as attorney (Norfolk).

(De Banco Roll 491 Mich.1383, 5 Rich.II m.61

and De Banco Roll 559 Mich. 1400 m.71, Wagner p.29)

3) John Yerburgh, clerk attorney (York).

(De Banco Roll 655 Mich.1483 m.140 and m.151). Wagner p.29/30)

4) John Yerburgh, attorney (Bedford).

(De Banco Roll 484 Hil.1383 m.98. Wagner p.30)

5) John Yerdeburgh. (London)

De Banco Roll 488 Hil. 1383 m.250. Wagner p.30)

6) Walter Yerdeburgh. (London)

(De Banco Roll 486 Trin.1383 m.447. Wagner p.30)

#### 1383 cont.

7) John de Jordeburgh re land in Fulstowe and its advowson.

(Patent Rolls. Y.H. p.487)

8) John de Yerdeburgh asks to be relieved of his chancellorship due to illness.

(John of Gaunt's Register. Lodge. vol.2. p.289)

There are more De Banco references but those given above cover the names and places.

#### 1386

The Abbot and convent of Louth Park have acquired a messuage and land in Yarburgh by John de Yerburgh, their attorney.

(Placitu in Cancellaria. File 13 No.23. Plea in Chancery. Trinity 10 Rich.11)

#### 1390

Alice, wife of John de Yerburgh, son of William de Yerburgh. Concord regarding land in Lincoln. (Foster Concords D.122)

# <u>1391</u>

John de Yerdeburgh is linked with William Systel, late sub-sheriff of London. A Chaplain complains that they have falsely imprisoned him in Newgate.

(Early Chancery Proceedings vol. 7-18. Y.H. p.575)

#### 1392

John de Yereburgh. Clerk, regarding land in Grantham.

(Patent Rolls Aug 18 1392. Wagner p.42)

# *1393*

Sir Thomas Gerberge. £20 debt. (M.Crow. Chaucer Records p.392. Court of Pleas 40/530 m.2)

# 1398

William Yerburgh - Chaplain of Laghterton, Lincoln diocese. (Patent Rolls. Sept. 5. Wagner p. 42, Y.H. p. 489)

1399 King Henry IV ruled September 1399 - March 1412.

# <u>139</u>9

- 1) John Yerburgh. Attorney to the Bishop of Lincoln. (Patent Rolls May 20th. Wagner p.42)
- 2) John Yerburgh. Chaplain of St Mary's Leicester.(see 1401) (Calendar of Patent Rolls 1 Hen.IV Oct 16, Y.H. p.489)
- 3) Ormsby Charters refer to John Yerburgh de Wytchall, near Louth. (*E.R.Y. MSS II p.281*)

### 1400

Around 1400 was born Richard Yerburgh of Yarburgh and Kelstern. He married (c.1420-25) Joan, daughter of John Atwell of Legbourne.

1) John Yerburgh attorney. Thomas Yerburgh. Knight. (Assize Rolls Co Lincs. No.154 m.87. ERY p.314)

[De Banco Rolls and Wagner File. Page number in brackets.]

- 2) John Yereburgh as attorney mentioned at York. (p29), Middlesex (p29), see 1383. Notts. (p29), Kent (p29), Oxford (p29).
- 3) Thomas Gerberge. Militem. Co. Norfolk.(see 1393) (*Wagner p.29*)
- 4) William Yarbere Bedford, (De Banco Roll 559 Mich. 1400 m.556. Wagner p.29)
- 5) John de Yerburgh Attorney. (De Banco Roll 563 Mich. m.324. Notts. Wagner p.31)

# 1401

- 1) John de Yerburgh. Attorney. (Wagner p.31)
- 2) John Yerburgh granted a prebend in St Mary's Leicester. (Patent Rolls July 4. Wagner p.42)
- 3) The name of Johannis Zerburgh de Zerburgh appears as a Juror at Louth. (Feudal Aids vol.3 p.245. see 1382)
- 4) The oath of John Zerburgh of Yerburgh (? same as No.3) Southriding Wapentake. (Foeda Episcopi Lincs.1401. ERY MSS I p.150)

## 1403

1) John de Yerburgh was an attorney for the Skipwith family over the sale of certain manors and lands to Henry Vavasour.

The brother of this John was great-great-grandfather to Charles Yerburgh of Kelstern (d.1544).

(Scott-Gatty Letter. ERY MSS II p.359)

Pedigree

# 1403

- 2) John de Yerburgh\* is in an Ormsby Charter, concerning Layceby Manor.
- \* Scott Gatty in a 1908 letter (E.R.Y. MSS II p.359) writes that this John was apparently grandson of the Robert Yerburgh who was granted a quarter of the Manor of Cockerington, by Sir Henry Vavasour. See 1345. (E.R.Y. MSS II p.311)

# <u>1404</u>

- 1) John, son of Richard de Yerburgh, regarding land in Germundorp and Yerburgh. (De Banco Roll 578 Mich. 6 Hen.IV m.45. Y.H. p.365)
- 2) John de Yerburgh. Covenant, regarding land in Germthorpe and Yerburgh. (De Banco Roll, Lincoln 575 Mich. 6 Hen IV m.44).
- 3) E 22. John, son of Richard of Yarburgh re pasture in Yerburgh and Germethorpe. (Foster Concords E.22)
- 4) E 55 John, son of Robert of Yerburgh, re land in Yarburgh. (*Foster Concords E.55*)

# 1405

4) John de Yerburgh formerly held half a fee in the Hundred of Walchecroft. (Adjacent to Louth Wapentake).

(Lay Subsidy. Lincoln 135/174.ERY. MSS Vol.II p.228)

### 1406

- 1) John de Yerburgh is owed a debt.
- (Patent Rolls Oct.20th. Wagner p.42. ERY MSS I p.144)
- 2) Case involving Walter, son of John de Yerburgh.

(De Banco Plea PRO. Roll 580 7 Hen.IV m.11. Y.H. p.367 note)

### *1408*

A debt to John de Yerburgh.

(Patent Roll No. 6. Wagner p.42, ERY MSS I p.143, Y.H. p.489)

# <u>1409</u>

John de Yerburgh is owed a debt by Richard Croxton of Wraughby. (Patent Rolls Jan 31, ERY MSS I p.144, Y.H. p.490)

# <u>1410</u>

Walter Yerburgh is attorney for William Sergeant of Holcroft. (Assize Rolls m.97. 1410 July, ERY MSS II p.315)

#### 1411

1) Richard Yerburgh and two others in an agreement over 4 messuages and 76 acres in Yarburgh, Germthorpe and Wargholme.

(Fleet of Fines. File 153. No. 18(128) 12 Hen. IV. ERY MSS II p.283)

## <u>1411</u> cont.

2) John, son of Robert de Y. in an agreement with John Wolf and his wife for 100s. about 16 acres and a half in Yarburgh

(Fleet of Fines. File 153, No.21 (131). 12 Hen.IV. ERY MSS II p.283)

3) Walter Yerburgh - Messingham area.

(Patent Rolls Nov. 6th. Y.H. p.490, ERY. MS I p.144)

- 4) John de Y. Attorney for Prioress of the Orders of Preachers. (*Patent Rolls April 29th. Wagner p.42*)
- 5) Richard Yerburgh of Yerburgh. Concord regarding land in Yarburgh, Germethorpe (Grainthorpe) and Wargholme.

(Fleet of Fines. Mich. 12 Hen.IV No.21.Foster Concords E.54. ERY MSS II p.283, Y.H. p.457)

6) John de Yerburgh, son of Robert de Yerburgh, (plaintiff) v John Webb and Margaret. He is mentioned in other Rolls around this date.

(Fleet of Fines Summer 12 Hen.IV No.154 (24). ERY MSS II p.283, Y.H. p.456)

1413 King Henry V ruled March 1413 - August 1422

#### 1412

- 1) A debt to Walter Yerburgh (Messynham area (Patent Rolls Nov.6, 13 Hen.IV, Wagner 42. ERY MSS.I p.144, ERY.II p.279)
- 2) John Yerdeburgh of Reepham (near Lincoln), "late(ly) one of the clerks of the late King [Hen.IV] of Common Pleas and his son Walter."

(Assize Lincs. M4. Y.H. p.528)

# *1413*

- 1) John, son of Willi' de Yerburgh. (Y.H. has Webbe de Yerburgh.) (De Banco Roll I Hen.V Easter m.130. ERY MSS II p.275. Y.H. p.465)
- 2) Case v Waltam Yerburgh. (? Walter. See 1423.) (De Banco Roll I.Hen.V. Trin. m.80)

The De Banco Rolls (*De Banco Rolls 10 Henry m.733 et al.*) show the descent temp Hen V 1413-22. See 1518.

1) Agnes and John Yerburgh of Wraweby regarding the rent (one third of a pound of pepper) for the manor in Wraweby. (= Wrawby, near the Humber.)

(Foster Concords F.11. Lincs. Rec. Office)

- 2) Richard de Yerburgh. "New tenant\* by purchase". Richard is made taliman of Yarburgh Court.
- \*This probably means that he bought the right to be Bailiff of the Soke of Gayton. Certainly, this Office was held by his descendants, until Richards great grandson.

(Court Rolls P.R.O.m.188/39. See 1479. Y.H. p.557)

### 1416

- 1) John Yerdeburgh of Refham. Walter Yerdeburgh and Frances his wife.
- \* This must be a reference number and not a date.

(Assize Rolls m.4 1445\* Feb.2 2 Hen.V. ERY. MSS II p.315)

2) Court of Sir Thomas Hauley in the manor of Yarburgh. Richard de Yerburgh mentioned. (*Y.H. p.557-8, Wagner p.26*)

#### 1417

Richard Yerdeburgh twice witnesses an Ormsby charter.

(ERY. MSS II p.311)

### 1418

The concord of Walter Yerburgh and Frances, his wife, regarding the manor of Reepham. (see 1412) (Foster Concords F.20. ERY. MSS II p.284)

#### 1419

A debt to John de Yerburgh for £20.

(Wagner p.42, ERY. MSS I p.143. Calendar of Patent Rolls.7 Hen.V Westminster June 30)

#### 1420

A debt to John de Yerburgh, alias John Yerburgh of London.

Possibly he was owed a fee. See 1408 where John Yerburgh was an attorney of the Common Bench. (Calendar of Patent Rolls. 8 Hen. V October 18. Y.H. p.490. ERY. MSS I p.143)

1422 King Henry VI Ruled 1422 - March 1461 (deposed).

## 1422

- 1) John Zerburgh mentioned but did not come.
- \* Includes Alvingham and Cockerington.

(Court Roll of Edlyngton\* 10 Hen.V. Y.H. p.551)

### 1422 cont.

2) A debt to Walter Yerburgh

(Patent Rolls. Oct 26. Wagner p.43)

3) Walter Yerburgh is a member of a Lincoln Commission.

(Patent Rolls. Nov.26, Y.H. p.490)

# <u>1423</u>

Walter Yarburgh against the parson of Layceby and two others to get a debt of 40/- from each. (De Banco Roll 651 Mich.2 Hen.VI m.418 Y.H. p.366)

John Yerburgh versus John Pyper of Staynfold - goods value 40/-. (De Banco Roll 655 Mich.3 Hen VI m. 590. Y.H. p.366)

# *1425*

- 1) Ivo Skupholm versus Richard Yerburgh of Cockerington for damage. (De Banco Roll 659 Mich.4 Hen. VI. m.544 Y.H. p.367)
- 2) John Kyme and Richard Yerburgh, Lord of Fulstow. (See 1431) (Ancaster Court Rolls. Wagner p.22)

#### 1426

Case in Lincoln versus Walter Yareburugh of Lincoln, 'gentilman'. (De Banco Roll 661 Easter 4 Hen.VI m.46 Y.H. p.367)

#### 1427

- 1) John Kyme and Richard Yerburgh hold the lordship of Fulstow. Note: In 1464/5 Richard Wells holds the lordship. (Ancaster Court Rolls. Wagner p.23)
- 2) Richard Yerburgh, with John Kyme, was Lord of Fulstow Bek.(See 1431). (Ancaster Court Rolls. Wagner p.22)

# 1428

- 1) Johannis de Yerdburgh sometime connected with Thorganby. See next item. (Feudal Aids Vol 3 p.268 Y.H. p.519)
- 2) The heirs of Thomas Belesby claim a knight's fee in Thorgamby, except for part, which was held by Johannes de Yerburgh of the Bishop of Lincoln's fee.

This may refer to a John de Yerburgh who held the land, with three others back in 1346. (see 1346) (Feoda Episcopi Lincolniensis. ERY MSS I p.150)

#### 1428 cont.

3) A debt to Walter Yerburgh. Probably this man was Walter Yerburgh, gent. of Reepham Manor, near Lincoln.

(Calendar of Patent Rolls. Oct 26 ERY p.143. Y.H. p.491)

### 1429

1) Enfeoffment by Robert de Wyloughby Knt. of land to William Tirwhit Knt., John Kyme and Richard Yerburgh and two others. The land (nearly 60 acres) is in Mablethorpe, Cockeryngton, Hoggesthorpe and Skirbeck.

(Patent Rolls July 1. ERY MSS I p.142, Y.H. p.491)

- 2) An agreement of Richard Yerburgh and five others\* with Robert Willoughby regarding the manors of Skidbrook, Saltfleetby, Nether Toyton and Over Toynton.12 houses, a mill, 36 acres and £24 rent are included. Haltonby, Spilesby, South and North Somercotes are also mentioned and the advowsons of Spillesby and Nether Toynton.
- \* Including Sir William Tirwhit and John Kyme.

(Fleet of Fines. File 167 No.ll (483) ERY.MSS II p.284, Y.H. p.458. Foster Concords G.22. Lincs. Rec. Office.)

## 1430

Richard Yerburgh versus John Drax of Netilton.

(De Banco Roll 679 Mich. 9 Hen.VI. m.187. Y.H. p.368)

### 1431

1) Richard Yarburgh, Gent. is the holder, with others, of property and lands in Somercotes, Skidbrooke, Threddlethorpe, Ashby by Partney, Hamby (Hundleby?) and Friskney.

(Feudal Aids. Details in Y.H. 519 & 520. ERY. MSS II p.228, 229)

The Jurors say that John Kyme and Richard Yerburgh, Gent. were seized of Hamby Manor etc. also lands in Freskeney, the manor of Willoughby and tenements in Thredylthorpe. (Inquisition of the Wapentake of Candleshowe, in the Soke of Bolingbroke. ERY MSS II p.228-9)

#### 1432

- 1) Notts. Case v Walter Yereburgh of Lincoln. (De Banco Roll 687 Mich.11 Hen VI m.217. ERY MSS I p.368)
- 2) Refers to Walter Yerburgh of Lincoln.
- (Early Chancery Proceedings Bundle 12 No.177. Y.H. p.576)
- 3) Case. Walter Yarburgh v Robert Chamberlayn, parson of Scampton. (De Banco Roll 687 Mich.11 Hen VI m.274. ERY MSS I p.368)
- 4) Case Walter Yarburgh v Alice Toynton. (De Banco Roll 687 Mich. 11 Hen.VI m.361. Y.H. p.369)

# <u>1432</u> cont.

- 5) Walter Yarburgh v John Biggs.
- (De Banco Roll 687 Mich. 11 Hen.VI m.369 & 432. Y.H. p.369)
- 6) Walter Yarburgh v Hugh Flinton.

(De Banco Roll 687 Mich. 11 Hen VI. m.418. Y.H. p.370)

## 1434

- 1) Case Alice Toynton versus Walter Yerburgh, Gent. of Lincoln. (De Banco Roll 695 Mich.l3 Hen.VI m 659. Y.H. p.371)
- 2) De Banco case. Sir Robert Wylughby, John Kyme, Richard Haygh and Richard Yerburgh and others versus Agnes Wylkyonson regarding a trespass at Great Stepyng. She took her daughter back from service.

(De Banco Roll 695 Mich.l3 Hen.VI m.271. Y.H. p.370)

3) Richard Yerburgh regarding property held by the Willoughby family in Somercotes St. Peter. (Foster Concords G.39 file 158 No.9. ERY. MSS II p.285)

### 1435

- 1) Notts. Case. Alice Toynton v Walter Yerburgh Gent. (De Banco Roll 699 Mich. 14 Hen.VI m.80 Y.H. p.371)
- 2) Richard Yerburgh and Johanna his wife v William Ashfordby of Tateshale. Case over land (c. 200 acres) and property in Ingoldmells, Hoggesthorpe, Partenay and Askeby near Parteney. Also with the same person, over land in Slotheby. (*De Banco Roll 699 Mich. 14 Hen.VI m.80 Y.H. p.371*)
- 3) Richard Yerdburgh. Bailiff of the Soke of Gayton. See 1436. (Ministers' Accounts. Mich. 13-14 Hen. VI. Y.H. p.544)
- 4) Cockerington. Richard Yerburgh fined ii d. and Roger Caddalle fined iii d. (*Michaelmas Court Edlyngton, Bolyngbroke fee. Court Rolls. Y.H. p.551*)
- 5) Ricus Yerburgh de Yerburgh is recorded. Also Laurence Moigne of Threddlethorpe with others. (Subsidy Roll. ERY. MSS I p. 181.)

# 1436-8

1) versus Walter Yareburgh. Four cases brought by Alice Toynton. (De Banco Cases Roll 700 Hil. 14 Hen.VI m.4., Roll 701 Easter 14 Hen.VI m.230. Also Roll 703 Mich. 15 Hen.VI m.528 and Roll 707 Mich. 16 Hen.VI m. 435. Y.H. p.373)

# 1436,1437,1440,1453,1454 specified.

2) Richard Yerburgh as Bailiff of Gayton Soke 1426-1455.

Note. In 1494, 1500, 1501 Richard Yerburgh's grandson is Bailiff of the Soke. A Soke probably consisted of one or two main villages and some lesser hamlets. The Bailiff was responsible to the overlord (Duke of Bedford?) for tax collection and the smooth running of the farms etc. there.

(Ministers' Accounts. Y.H. p.544 et al.)

### 1437

- 1) John Yerburgh is a juror at Wythcall. 1437 1465. (Court Rolls. Y.H. p.551. Wagner p.24)
- 2) Richard Yerburgh of Yerburgh enfeoffed (with two others) of various manors in Co Lincoln:-Threddlethorpe, Somercotes, Wythcalle (? Wythcall. See 1392 No.3). (Close Rolls. Y.H. p.502. Wagner p.24)
- 3) Richard Yerdburgh is bailiff Gayton Soke. (*Ministers' Accounts. Y.H. p.544*)

4) Richard Yerburgh of Yarburgh and four others. Re case of the lands of Thomas Themelby in Co. Lincoln.

(Chancery Proceedings. Bundle 9-294. Y.H. pp.576-7)

#### 1438

- 1) Richard Yerburgh in a dispute regarding the manor of Wykyngby (? Willoughby). See 1441. (De Banco Roll 707 Mich. 16 Hen.Vl m.130 Y.H. p.373)
- 2) Richard Yerburgh in connection with others property in five areas in Lincolnshire. (Feet of Fines .File 158 No.34. Y.H. p.459 ERY MSS I p.285)

#### 1439

- 1) Robert Yerburgh late Vicar of Swaynford Co. Leicester. (Calendar of Patent Rolls. 17 Hen.VI ERY MSS I p.142)
- 2) Richard Yerburgh and William Braytoft regarding rent in Somercotes. (1 pound of cummin & half a pound of pepper).

(De Banco Roll. 17 Hen.VI. Y.H. p.459)

- 3) Richard Yerburgh offers service and homage at Boston. (Foster Concords G.51. ERY MSS II p.285. Y.H. p.459)
- 4) Richard Yerburgh regarding land in Somercotes. (Foster Concords G.55. ERY MSS II p.285. Y.H. p.459)
- 5) Enfeoffment of Richard Yerburgh and others with the Manors of Wykesufford, Sungenhoo and Vyndirvile le Kay and the castle and town of Orford, Suffolk. (*Patent Rolls. 1439. Oct 1st. Y.H. p.491*)

# 1440

1) Robert Yerburgh. Provost and parson of Cotherstoke, Co.Lincs. (Calendar of Patent Rolls. 18 Hen.VI. ERY MSS I p.142)

### 1441

- 1) Richard Yerburgh. Case about the manor of Wykyngby. (De Banco Roll. Hil. 19 Hen.VI m.127. Y.H. p.375)
- 2) Case v Thomas Yerburgh alias Thomas Fletcher of Louth for debt. (i.e. Thomas Yerburgh was an arrow maker.)

(De Banco Roll. 715 Mich. 19 Hen.VI m.503. Y.H. p.375)

- 3) Alice Toynton v Walter Yerburgh, Gent. Case continues. (De Banco Roll. 715 Mich. 19 Hen.VI m.503. Y.H. p.375)
- 4) Richard Yerburgh and two others sell lands (300 acres of varied nature) in Mumby, Hoggesthorpe, Burgh in the Marsh, Wynthorp, Skegneys, Westmeles, Ingoldmells (see 1443 No.5), Westbankworth and moiety (half) of the Manors of Wragby and Panton. 300 marks. (Foster Concords G.56. ERY MSS II p.286. Y.H. p.459)
- 5) Richard Yerburgh bailiff of two parts of the Soke of Gayton.

(Ministers Accounts. 19 Hen.VI. Y.H. p.545)

6) Agreement. Richard Yerburgh and John Cowper, clerks. Regarding the Manor of Calthorpe and rent (20s.) and land in Gerumthorpe, Covenham and Wargholme.

(Feet of Fines. 19 Hen.VI File 159/5 Y.H. p.460)

7) Richard Yerburgh concord with William Skipwith and others regarding land and rent in Germthorpe, Wargholme and Covenham.

(Foster Concords G.62. Lincs. Rec. Office)

#### 1442

1) Richard Yerburgh called to warrant. Case adjourned. (De Banco Roll 725 Easter 20 Hen.VI m.2. Y.H. p.375)

2) Alice Toynton v Walter Yerburgh, Gent. Case continued. (De Banco Roll 726. 20 Hen VI. m.219. Y.H. p.376)

3) Richard Yerburgh and others in case about land (62 acres) at West Raysen, Mydle Rasen and Newton Toft

(Feet of Fines 20 Hen.VI. File 159/8. Y.H. p.460)

### 1443

1) Richard Yerburgh of Yerburgh sues for a debt (£40) from Simon Burgh of Partney. (De Banco Roll 728. Hil. 21 Hen.VI. m.246 Y.H. p.377)

### 1443 cont.

2) At Lincs. Richard Yerburgh with the Bishop of Carlisle to obtain a debt of £20. Case adjourned. (De Banco Roll 723 Hil. 21 Hen VI m.163. Y.H. p.377)

3) At London. Richard Yerburgh of Yerburgh (Gent) and Richard Fryth sue for a debt of 100 marks. Case adjourned.

(De Banco Roll 723 Hil. 21 Hen.VI m.65. Y.H. p.377)

- 4) York Court. Robert Yerburgh, parson at Etton. Co.York (Wagner p.50). v William Ben of Cheryburton. A servant had been abducted by Ben at Etton, near Beverley. (*De Banco Roll 728 Hil.21.Hen.VI m.296. Y.H. p.376*)
- 5) Ormsby Charters refer to Sir William Skipwith who appoints attorneys to receive various lands and manors (a dozen or so including Ingoldmells and Cockerington). 'which we had of the gift and grant of Sir John Barre, Sir Walter Devereux, Hamon Sutton Esq. and Richard Yerburgh, Gentilman'. (Ormsby Charters. Probably now in L.R.O. ERY MSS II p.282)
- 6) Richard Yerburgh of Yerburgh. Executor (for the Will) of the Bishop of Durham. (see 1445) (Wagner p.50)

### <u> 1444</u>

1) v William Yerburgh of Tathwell, yeoman, and Robert Gentill of Beseby, husbandman, for a debt of £20.

(De Banco Roll 732 Hil. 22 Hen.VI m.309 and 304. Y.H. p.378)

2) A case adjourned v Robert Yerburgh, late of London. clerk, "otherwise of Lekynfeld Co Yorkshire" for a debt of 4 marks.

(De Banco Roll 732 Hil. 22 Hen.VI m.309 and 304. Y.H. p.377-8)

3) Lincoln Case. Henry Yerburgh of Walesby (milner) for a debt. Case adjourned. (*De Banco Roll 732 Hil. 22 Hen.VI m.11. Y.H. p.378*)

#### 1445

1) Versus John Yarbur of Louth for a debt of 100s. 8d. (De Banco Roll 737 Easter 23 Hen.VI m. 220. Y.H. p.378)

2) Case v John Yarborowe of Louth, chapman, for a debt. He had died recently in testate. (De Banco Roll 727 Easter 23 Hen.VI m.241. Y.H. p.379)

3) John Yerburgh of Thornton juxta Covesby\*, husbandman, and Thomas Yerburgh of the same, husbandman, trespass at Ouresby Kykyardby. Case adjourned.
\*Note. Might be Ormsby, which is N.W of Horncastle

(De Banco Roll 727 Easter 23 Hen.VI m.55. Y.H. p.379)

## 1445 cont.

4) Wythcall. Richard Yerburgh makes presentation at the Court held at Edlyngton. (*Court Roll.7th May*, 23 Hen.VI. Y.H. p.552)

5) The Bishop Lincoln and others versus Richard Yerburgh of Yerburgh, Gent. and two merchants, over a debt of £10. Richard Yerburgh and the merchants were executors of William Rosselyn's Will, Cottenes, Co. York.

(De Banco Roll 737 Easter 23 Hen. VI m. 193 and 400. Y.H. p. 378)

#### 1446

1) Robert Yerburgh, late of London, clerk, of Lekyngfeld, Yorkshire, is pardoned for a debt of 4 marks. (see 1443)

(De Banco Roll 740 Hil. 24 Hen.VI m.507. Y.H. p.379)

- 2) Debt owed by the late John Yarbur of Louth. (mercer/hosier) (see 1445 No.2) (De Banco Roll 740 Hil. 24 Hen.VI m.64. Y.H.p.380)
- 3) Richard Yerburgh ought to have come to Threddlethorpe Court. (Ancaster Court Roll, 11 Oct 1446. Wagner p.9, p.17)

# <u> 1447</u>

- 1) Walter Yerburgh, Gent. of Lincoln, sues for a debt. Case adjourned. (De Banco Roll 745 Mich. 25 Hen.Vl m.498. Y.H. p.380)
- 2) Richard Yerburgh ought to have come to Threddlethorpe Court of Sir Robert Willoughby. (*Ancaster Court Rolls. Wagner p.17*)
- 3) John Yerburgh of Wythcall mentioned as attending Edlington Court. (Court Rolls. Wagner p.24. Y.H. p.552)

### *1448*

- 1) William Yerburgh over a servant taken from service at Threddlethorpe. Case adjourned. (De Banco Roll 748 Hil. 26 Hen.VI m.213. Y.H. pp 380-1)
- 2) Case at Lincoln. Richard Yerburgh to recover a debt of forty shillings. Case adjourned. (*De Banco Roll 748 Hil. 26 Hen.VI m.213. Y.H. p.381*)
- 3) William Yerburgh of Yerburgh, Gent. with others, are feofees of Sir William Skipwith of the manors of Holltoft and Ingoldmells.

(Ormsby Charters. ERY MSS II p.311)

### 1449 cont.

4) John Yerburgh attends Wythcall Court. (Court Rolls. 26 Hen.VI. Wagner p.24)

#### 1449

1) Case at London brought by Sir William Oldhall v Richard Yerburgh of Yerburgh Gent. to obtain a debt of £10 from him.

(De Banco Roll 751 Mich. 27 Hen.VI m.45. 300 & 638. Y.H. p.381)

2) Case at Lincoln. Richard Yerburgh v Robert Sleye of Sybsey for taking three heifers, worth 4 marks, 'with force and arms'.

(De Banco Roll 751 Mich. 27 Hen.VI m.226. Y.H. p.382)

- 3) Case at Lincoln. Richard Yerburgh sues to recover a debt of £2 from Robert Massyngberd. (De Banco Roll 751 Mich. 27 Hen.VI m.226. Y.H. p.382)
- 4) Case versus Thomas Yarburgh of Louth (wright) to recover a debt of £2 pounds owed to William Langholm.

(De Banco Roll 751 Mich. 27 Hen.VI m.215. Y.H. p.382)

5) Richard Yerburgh enfeoffed, with John Langholm, of land in Holoft and Anderby. (See 1448 No.3. Holltoft)

(Early Chancery Proceedings. Bundle 19 No.431. Wagner p.48)

### *1450*

1) Richard Yerburgh and others concord regarding land and rent in Spyllesby, Ingoldmells and 29 other villages. Concord made with the Willoughby family.

(Foster Concords G.89 in L.R.O. Y.H. p.384)

2) Case at Lincoln. Richard Yerburgh and 3 others against Walter Bek for trespass and damage at Saltfleetby.

(De Banco Roll 759 Mich. 29 Hen.VI m.238. Y.H. p.383)

3) William Yerburgh versus Robert Jenkynson of Yarburgh, husbandman. Damage of £20 claimed. Adjourned.

(De Banco Roll 759 Mich. 29 Hen.VI m.382. Y.H. p.383)

4) William Yerburgh, late of Yerburgh Gent. and Isabel his wife to answer a charge of why they 'with force of arms entered land and houses at Kyrkeley in Ashfield.' William Yerburgh claimed that the land belonged to his wife. Judgement is given to the plaintiff.

(Coram Rege Roll 756 Easter 28 Hen.VI. ERY MSS II p.437)

5) Case at Lincoln. Richard Yerburgh versus Robert Forman of Utterby for £20 debt. Adjourned. (*De Banco Roll 759 Mich. 29 Hen.Vl m.382. Y.H. p.383*)

### 1450 cont.

- 6) Case brought by an alderman of London against Richard Yerburgh, Gent., late of Yerburgh for £40 debt. Adjourned.
- (De Banco Roll 759 Mich. 29 Hen.VI m 407 and 178. Y.H. p.384)
- 7) Richard Yerburgh and others, regarding 8 manors and rents from 30 places including Toynton. (Feet of Fines. Case File 160 No.26 (37). ERY MSS II p.287)

### 1452

- 1) Case versus William Yerburgh of Yerburgh Gent. for £9 5s 4d debt. Adjourned. (De Banco Roll 763 Mich. 30 Hen.Vl m.225 &.m.454. Y.H. p.383)
- 2) Robert Willoughby, Knight, Lord of Ereby. "The Manors of Ffulstowe, Arsyk, Burgh, Partney, Ffodryngham, which I have purchased, to be sold to pay my debts." (Will of Robert Willoughby Gibbons p.192.)
- 3) Westminster. Pardon to William Yerburgh Gent. Co. Lincoln. (Patent Rolls 8 Nov 1452. Y.H. p.492, Wagner p.43)

#### 1453

Wm Yerburgh of the Guild of Weavers seeks to recover 40/- debt. (De Banco Roll 768 Hil. 31 Hen. VI m.341. Y.H. p.383)

#### 1454

- 1) Richard Yerburgh and John Newport versus two men from Bolyngbroke to recover £100 debt. Case adjourned.
- (De Banco Roll 771 Mich. 32 Hen.VI m.94. Y.H. p.385, 386)
- 1) Gonne family of Yerburgh assaulted Robert Yerburgh of Yerburgh. Case adjourned. (*De Banco Roll 775 Mich. 33 Hen.VI m.164. Y.H. p.387*)
- 2) Roger Yerburgh of Cockerington should have come to owe suit at Cockerington but did not come. Fined ii d.

(Court Rolls. Y.H. p.552. Wagner p.24, E.R.Y. MSS II p.232)

- 3) Case versus William Yerburgh, Gent. of Yerburgh to recover £10 12s 7d. Case adjourned. (De Banco Roll 775 Mich. 33 Hen.VI m.46. Y.H. p.387)
- 4) Pardon to Robert Yerburgh, clerk, late of London, alias of Lekyngfeld, Co.York (Patent Rolls May 11., Wagner p.43, Y.H.p.492)
- 5) Refers to a quitclaim made by Richard Yerburgh and others, in 1454, of the manors of Fulstow, Pynchebeck and Betchford. Renewed by William Yerburgh. (see 1456) (*Ing. Post Mort. of Lady de Willoughby (1462). Y.H. p.429*)
- 6) Richard Yarburgh Bailiff of two parts of Gayton Soke. (Ministers' Accounts. Mich. 33 Hen.VI. 910-911. Y.H. p.545)

### 1455

1) Roger Yerburgh of Cockerington and another sell ale contrary to the Assize. Fined iid. each. (*Court Rolls. Y.H. p.552, Wagner p.24, ERY MSS II p.232*)

- 2) Case versus William Yerburgh late of Tathewell to recover 10 marks. Adjourned. (De Banco Roll 779 Mich. 34 Henry VI.m.291. Y.H. p.387)
- 3) Case versus Thomas Yerburgh of Great Grimsby (sergeant = law officer) for damage (14s. 2d.) at Great Grimsby. Case adjourned.

(De Banco Roll 779 Mich. 34 Hen.VI m.65. Y.H. p.387)

### 1456

- 1) John Yerburgh, juror, mentioned. (Edlyngton Court Roll. Y.H. p.552. ERY MSS II p.232)
- 2) John Yerburgh and another sell ale contrary to the Assize. Fined ii d. (Wythcall Court. Y.H. p.552)
- 3) William Yerburgh quitclaims a charter regarding the manors of Fulstowe, Pynchbek and Belchford. (See 1435 and 1462)

(Inq.Post Mort.1462. of Lady de Willoughby. Y.H. p.429-430)

#### 1457

- 1) Case versus William Yerburgh of Yerburgh, and Isabella his wife. See next entry. Adjourned. (De Banco Roll 789 Easter 36 Hen.VI m.1. Y.H. p.388)
- 2) William Yerburgh v Cholley. Case continues. William Yerburgh is charged that 'with force of swords, bows and William Yerburgh answers that John Cholley is a villein (i.e. not a free man) and that Bollingay Manor (Threddlethorpe) is theirs by fee tail. (i.e. Isabella's ancestors' right). Case goes against the Yerburghs. William and Isabella 'are to be taken.'
  (De Banco Roll 787 Mich.36 Hen.VI m.441.Y.H. p.388-390)
- 3) Case by William Yerburgh to recover 40 marks from Bernard Avngevyn. (De Banco Roll 787 Mich.36 Hen.VI m.156. Y.H. p.388)
- 4) Versus William Yerburgh of Yerburgh. for a £10 debt. (De Banco Roll 789 Easter 36 Hen.VI m.16 and 450. Y.H. p.388)

### 1459

- 1) John Yerburgh of Cockerington mentioned.
- 2) John Yerburgh, juror at Wythcall mentioned.
- 3) John Yerburgh, juror at Edlyngton.
- 4) Robert Yerburgh of Cockerington ought to have come to owe suit. Fined 2d.

(Court Rolls. Wagner p.24. ERY MSS II p.232)

1461 King Edward IV ruled March 1460 - April 1483.

#### 1460

1) William Yerburgh at Fulstow Arryk Court. (Ancaster Court Rolls. Wagner p.9)

2) William Yerburgh is one of the feoffees of the court.

(Ancaster Court Rolls. Wagner p.21)

3) Thos. Whyte of Newark is summoned to hand over a chest of charters; one referring to land in Wylyhby (Willoughby) and Carleton 'with which Thos. Willoughby, Lord of Ereby, Knt. and Richard Yerburgh had to do.'

(Is it a coincidence that the Nottingham Yerburghs later held Willoughby manor? But note that c.1570 they held it through the marriage of Charles Yerburgh to Barbara Whalley.)

(De Banco Roll 799 Mich. 39 Hen.VI m.159. Y.H. p.391)

4) John Yerburgh sworn as juror at Edlyngton.

John Yerburgh, juror at Wythcall court.

(Court Rolls. ERY MSS II p.232)

### 1461

1) Case versus Robert Yerburgh of Elton, clerk.

Pardon to Robert Yerburgh. Case Adjourned. (Wagner p.43).

(De Banco Roll 802 Mich. 1 Ed.IV m.224. Y.H. p.292)

#### 1462

1) Mention of Richard Yerburgh with a six year lease, dated 1454, regarding the manors of Pynchebek and Belchford.

(Inq. Post Mortem. Lady de Willoughby 1462. Y.H. p.429-430)

2) Also mention of William Yerburgh who has a charter about Fulstowe. (see 1456) (*ibid*)

# <u>1463</u>

- 1) Case against Robert Yerburgh, Clerk of Elton, for removal of ten pigs at Middleton upon the Wold. (*De Banco Roll 810 Hil. 3 Ed.IV m.224. Y.H. p.392*)
- 2) Robert Yerburgh versus Robert Thorp for trespass at Etton (see 1451). Case adjourned. (De Banco Roll 810 Hil. 3 Ed.IV m.293. Y.H. p.392)
- 3) William Yerburgh as bailiff of two parts of the Soke of Gayton. (*Wagner p.56*)

### 1464

William Yerbrugh and Robert Yerbrugh at Saltfleethaven Court. The Court declares that they hold land of William Langholm.

See Early Chancery Case.1449 - 1453. Y.H. p. 577. Mention of John Langholm of Holoft and Anderby. (*Court Roll of the Earl of Ancaster. Wagner p.8*)

- 1) William Yerburgh at Saltfleethaven Court holds land of John Langholm.
- (Court Roll of Earl of Ancaster. Wagner p.10)
- 2) Thomas Yerburgh, juror at Wythcall Court.

(Court Rolls. Wagner p.24, ERY MSS II p.232)

- 3) John Yerburgh mentioned.
- 4) John Yerburgh at Edlyngton Court.

(Court Rolls. Wagner p.24, ERY MSS II p.232)

#### 1466

- 1) Robert Yerburgh of Yerburgh ought to have come to Cockerington Court. Fined 2d.
- 2) Thomas Yerburgh ought to have come to Wythcall Ct. Fined 2d.

(Court Rolls. Wagner p.25, ERY MSS p.232, Y.H. p.553)

## 1467

1) Robert Yareburgh, late rector of Etton Co. York.

(Patent Rolls June 26. Y.H. p.492)

2) Roger Yerburgh. Appointed attorney for Beatrice Scupholme re land in Cockerington.

(Lincs. Rec. Office. North Cockerington parish dep.29)

# <u>1469</u>/70

William Yerburgh, late of Yerburgh, Gent. and other rebels\* in the County of Kent and the City of London. Court at Salisbury. Commission to seize lands and manor.

\*Note. Wars of the Roses 1455 - 1485.

(Patent Rolls March 3. Wagner p.13,.Y.H. p.493)

### *1470*

John Yerburgh of Louth and William Yerburgh at Saltfleethaven Court. They did not come.

The Court chose John Yerburgh of Louth as 'taxman' in the place of Roger Tote.

(Court Roll of the Earl of Ancaster. Wagner p.8, p.11)

#### 1471

1) John Yerburgh of Louth, yeoman, (see 1192) at Saltfleethaven Court.

(Court Roll of the Earl of Ancaster. Wagner p.8, p.11)

(Patent Rolls. May 26. Y.H. p.495)

2) Commission to arrest Margaret Dimmock, Roger - Abbot of Kirkstead, Humphrey Littlebury, William Yerburgh and others. Commissioners - William Skypwith Knt., Thomas Kyme, Thomas Moigne. John Burgh and others.

(Court Roll of Earl of Ancaster. Wagner p.8, p.11)

### 1472

William Yerburgh (feofee of Thomas Champerd [?]) at Threddlethorpe Court.

(Ancaster Court Roll. Wagner p.17)

### 1473

Westminster case. William Yerburgh, Gent. late of Yerburgh (also late of London). Four entries. (*Patent Rolls. April 16th. Wagner p.41, Y.H. p.495*)

<u>1475</u>

Around this date was born Charles Yarborough, Esq. of Kelstern. (His sister married Thos. Barde).

### 1478/9

Richard Yerburgh ought to have come to Threddlethorpe Court. Fined 2d. (Ancaster Court Roll. Wagner pp.9, 12 & 18)

#### 1479

- 1) Richard Yerburgh. John Yerburgh at Saltfleethaven Court. They hold land of Katherine Tetford. (Court Roll of the Earl of Ancaster. Wagner p.8 & 12)
- 2) Threddlethorpe Court. Richard Yerburgh ought to have come. (Ancaster Court Roll. Wagner p.9, p.18)
- 3) 8th Oct.1479. Richard Yerburgh is chosen as taxman. (Ancaster Court Roll. Wagner p.12)

#### 1480

Richard Yerburgh, John Yerburgh at Saltfleethaven Court. Feoffees of Catherine Tetford, (see 1479) (Court Roll of the Earl of Ancaster. Wagner p.8)

- 1483 King Edward V ruled April to July 1483.
- 1483 King Richard III Ruled 1483-5.
- 1485 King Henry VII ruled 1485-1509.

## 1488/9

Threddlethorpe Court. Richard Yerburgh ought to have come. (Ancaster Court Roll. Wagner p.9, p.18)

# *1489*

Case versus Richard Yerburgh regarding land in Slotheby, Hoggesthorpe, also 30 acres in Threddlethorpe and South Somercotes.(See Y.H. p.371 - 1435) (*De Banco Roll Mich. 5 Hen. VII 602. Y.H. p.393*)

## <u>1489</u>

The following pedigree is shown in a De Banco Roll:

#### Note

This pedigree shows Joan's father as Robert. Dugdale (1665) and Woolley (1677) name him John. (*De Banco Roll 910 Mich. 5 Hen.VII. m.602. Y.H.p.396*)

#### 1490

William Yerburgh of Cockerington. (Son of Roger Y.) owes suit at Edlington 1490. Did not come (mercy 2d). Also 1491, 1497, Presented 1523. Sold Land 1526, to his son, Richard, in 1537. (*Edlington Court Roll, Y.H. p.553*)

## 1491

Robert\* and William Yerburgh of Cockerington mentioned.

\*Robert is son of William.

(Court Rolls 9 April 6 Hen.VIII. Y.H. p.554)

#### 1492-1500

Case in which Thomas Pormard, of Saltfleetby, claims that land was sold to him for £9 6s 6d. by John Yerburgh (late of Louth). However, John Yerburgh had sold the land to Richard Yerburgh. John Yerburgh had died. Isabel, his wife, as executrix had refused to return the money or to give Thomas the land. No outcome is recorded.

(Court of Chancery. E.P.C. 219/30. Y.H. pp.561-563)

### 1493

1) Isabel Yarburgh, widow. Re thirteen dwellings in Lincoln. (*Court of Chancery 223 - 1 & 2. Y.H. p.560*)

- 2) Threddlethorpe Court. Richard Yerburgh owed suit and did not come. 4d Fine. (Ancaster Court Roll, Wagner p.9, p.18)
- 3) Robert Yerburgh and William Yerburgh of Cockerington ought to have come. (Cockerington Court Rolls. Wagner p.25, ERY MSS II p.233)
- 4) Roger Yerburgh -Juror. Oct.1493 and April 1494. (Cockerington Court Rolls. Wagner p.25)

# <u>1494</u>

Richard Yerburgh, Bailiff of the Soke of Gayton. Charles Yerburgh, his son, took over in 1503. (*Ministers' Accounts. Y.H. p.545*)

Robert Yerburgh, juror, is sworn in and makes presentation. (Cockerington Court Rolls. ERY MSS II p.233, Y.H. p.544)

### *1495*

Threddlethorpe Court. Richard Y. ought to have come. 4d fine. (Ancaster Court Roll. Wagner p.9, p.19)

### 1497

1) Cockerington. William Yerburgh and two others presented for brewing contrary to the Assize. They are fined 6d.

(Court Rolls. Y.H. p.554, PRO DL 30/91/1253)

2) Cockerington. It is said John Yerburgh made an affray and is fined 20d. (*Court Rolls. Y.H. p.554, ERY MSS II p.233*)

1) Richard Yerburgh and John Yerburgh, the heir of John Yerburgh. They ought to have come. Fined 4d.

(Ct.at Saltfleethaven. Roll of Earl of Ancaster. Wagner p.8.13)

2) Threddlethorpe Court. Richard Yerburgh. Fined 4d.

(Ancaster Court Roll. Wagner p.9 and p.19)

3) Fulstow Arayt Ct.Richd Yerburgh ought to have come. Fined 4d.

(Ancaster Court Roll. Wagner p.21)

4) Thomas Fitzwilliam Knt. leased manor of Mablethorpe to Richard Yerdeburgh and Richard Thymolby.

(Inq.Post Mortem. 13 Hen. VIII. Y.H. p.431)

#### 1499

Saltfleethaven Court. Richard Yerburgh and John, the heir of John Y., ought to have come. Richard fined 4d. John fined 2d.

(Court Roll of the Earl of Ancaster. Wagner p.8, p.13)

#### 1500

1) Saltfleethaven Court. John Yerburgh held, of Lord Willoughby, 12 acres of pasture in Skydbrook. John Yerburgh died 1500.

(Ancaster Court Roll. Wagner p.15)

2) Richard Yerburgh is Bailiff of Gayton Soke and in 1501.

(Ministers' Accounts. 15-16 Hen.VIII. Y.H. p.545)

#### 1502-3

Saltfleethaven Court. The heir of Richard Y. ought to have come but did not come Sept. 1502. Fined 1d. Oct 1502 he did come.

(Ancaster Court Roll. Wagner p.14)

### 1503

The heir of Richard Yerburgh did not come May 1503. Fine 4d. He did come April 1504. Heir was Charles Yerburgh of K.(see 1503).

(Ancaster Court Roll. Wagner p.14)

# <u>1503</u>

Richard Yerburgh (bailiff) dies and Charles Yerburgh takes over. Charles Yerburgh is recorded as Bailiff for years 1505, 1508, 1509, 1510, 1511, 1512, 1513).

(Wagner p.56)

### 1504

Saltfleethaven Court. Charles Yerburgh heir of John Yerburgh -

Probably two people:1. Charles Yerburgh son of Richard.

2. heir of John Yerburgh

(Earl of Ancaster Court Roll. Wagner p.8)

### 1505

Charles Yerburgh is bailiff of Gayton Soke.

(Ministers' Accounts No.1775. Y.H. p.546)

#### 1506/7

Saltfleethaven Court. John Yerburgh's wife had died. See 1500. Margaret (married to John Mason) and Joan Candyll (daughter of Richard Candyll) are the next heirs. (Ancaster Court Rolls. Wagner p.15)

# *1508*

1) Alvingham Charter of 1529 refers back to 1508 when Pygott rents land to Charles Yerburgh, Christopher Meares, John Whalley, (1st husband of Ursula Yarborough) and Richard Howett. (Rylands Charter No.4. Y.H. p.532)

2) Charles Yerburgh. Bailiff of Gayton. (Ministers' Accounts. Y.H. p.546)

1509 King Henry VIII - Ruled 1509 - 1546

#### 1508

William and John Yerburgh of Cockerington 1513 1514, 1516 (Cockerington Court Roll. 1 Hen.VIII. Wagner p.25)

#### 1510

James Yerberowe recorded at Donyngton Court. Also for the years: 1511,1513,1514. (*Court Rolls. Wagner p.25*)

## 1511

Charles Yerburgh - Bailiff of Gayton. (Ministers' Accounts. 2 Hen.VIII. Y.H. p.546)

#### 1512

1) Charles Yerburgh - Bailiff of Gayton. (Ministers' Accounts. 3 Hen.VIII. Y.H. p.546)

2) Charles Yerburgh with Richard Yerburgh (son), and many others, versus Alexander Moigne for land in Lincoln.

(De Banco Roll 998 Hil. 3 Hen. VIII. m. 152. Y.H. p. 397)

3) Same people versus James Capeldyke seeking land as theirs; including the manors of Wysselynghem, Stowe Street and other places.

(De Banco Roll. 3 Hen.VIII m.347, 350. Y.H. p.397)

### 1513/1514

John Y. of Cockerington owes suit, at Edlyngton, 1513,1514. (Cockerington Court Rolls. Wagner p.29)

Richard Yerburgh - Bailiff of Gayton. (Ministers' Accounts. 4 Hen. VIII. Y.H. p.546)

# <u> 1516</u>

Thomas Yerburgh of Cockerington mentioned. It is likely that he the son of William Yerburgh of Cockerington. (Cockerington Court Roll.8 Hen.VIII. Wagner p.25)

### 1518

Charles Yerburgh regarding property (6 tofts, 46 acres) in Grymoldby. (De Banco Roll 1020. Mich.9 Hen. VIII m.733. Y.H. p.399)

- 1) Same case as 1518 with mention of Richard Yerburgh and his wife Johanne. (Charles Yerburgh's great grandparents.)
- (De Banco Roll 1022. Mich.10 Hen.VIII m.733. Y.H. p.400)
- 2) Case versus James Yerburgh, 'late of Donyngton in Lyndesey, for damage.'
- (De Banco Roll 1022. Mich.10 Hen.VIII m.220. Y.H. p.401)

#### 1523

1) William Yerburgh of Cockerington St Mary succeeded to his father's land and owed suit at the Manor Court of Edlington in 1490, 1491, 1493. Presented there in 1497. Assessed there in the 1523 Lay Subsidy.

(Court Rolls and Lancaster Herald's letter)

	0	ne Value	
Cockering	ton William Y	Y £10 good	ds 5s.
ditto	Robert Y	£2 goods	12d.
ditto	Richard Y	£2 goods	12d.
ditto	Raufe Y	£2 goods	12d.
ditto	Thomas Y	£3 goods	18d.
ditto	Roger Y	£2 goods	12d.
ditto	William Y	£1 wages	4d.
ditto	John Y	£ 1 wages	4d.
Alvingham	n Thomas Y	£4 good	s 2s.
ditto	William Y	£3 goods	18d.
Yarburgh	Charles Y	£50 land	50s.
Walesby	Christophe	rY £24 good	s 20s.
ditto	Thomas Y	£2 goods	12d.
(Lay Subsi	dy. PRO E179/	/138/178. ERY M	ISS II p.329)

# <u>152</u>8

William Yerburgh of Cockerington St. Mary, son of Roger Yerburgh, sold land in Cockerington to Richard Reynolds.

(Star Chamber. Reference in 1555 case. Y.H. p.566)

Charles Yerburgh is granted 40s per annum as Steward of the Priory of Alvingham. (*Ministers' Accounts.11 April 1528/9. Y.H. p.548, ERY MSS II p.322 [Latin]*)

# *1529*

1) Charles Yerburgh, Esq. and his son, Christopher, named as Chief Steward of the Priory of Alvingham.

(Ministers' Accounts. Y.H. p.547)

2) Case versus Charles Y. for recovery of land in Thatewell. (De Banco Roll 1058 Easter 20 Hen. VIII m. 124. Y.H. p. 401)

# <u>1530</u>

Thomas Yerburgh, Charles Yerburgh and C. Meeres hand over land in Alvingham to Thomas Philipp. Thomas Yerburgh was either the cousin or the brother of our ancestor, Richard Yerburgh of Over Toynton.

Thomas Yerburgh of Alvingham is connected with quite a few land purchases in the Alvingham area between 1535 and 1560.

(Rylands Charter No.4 Y.H. p.532)

### 1530 cont.

The Lay Subsidies show that Thomas Y of Alvingham was assessed:

1523	£4 in goods.	Charged 2s
1541	£20 in goods.	Charged 10s. 3d.
1543	£15 in goods.	Charged 10s.
1547	£3 in land.	Charged?
1552	£10 in goods.	Charged 10s.
1562	£20 in goods.	Charged 25s.

## 1533

Petition by Ellen Yerburgh, widow. She claimed land in Alvingham because she was the cousin and next heir of John Mody. The petition is against Rychard Thorysby, whom she claims, is wrongfully holding back the evidence.

(E.C.P. Bundle 931. Wagner p.47)

#### 1534

1) Charles Yarborough (junior) and Christopher Yarborough regarding lands in Marom and Woodendby.

(Foster Concords L.91. Lincs. Rec. Office)

- 2) Louth. Thomas Yarburgh and others witness on oath. (Inq. Post Mortem of Thomas Godfrey senior. Y.H. p.435)
- 3) John Whalley hands over the enfeoffment of 1533 to Charles Yerburgh (d 1545) and his son Richard Yerburgh (d 1533) and to E. Meres and John Newcomen 'for the use of John Whalley and Ursula his wife' (nee Yarburgh) (Escheators Roll 83. Family Notes p.317)
- 4) William Yerburgh is one of the trustees over land in Cockerington St Mary. (Inquisition Post Mortem of Richard Reynolds of Cockerington St Mary. 27 Hen.VIII.Y.H. p.435)
- 5) Thomas Philipp (see 1530) sells land in Alvingham and Yarburgh to Thomas Yerburgh of Alvingham (and others including G. Horsard and John Reynolds. (see note). This is the land which Philipp had of Richard Yerburgh son of Charles Yerburgh.

Note. John Reynolds was one of those who rented land from Charles Yerburgh and Christopher, his son. (See Y.H. p.548) (Rylands Charter 10. Y.H. p.533)

6) The marriage of John Whalley and Ursula Yerburgh was about this date. Ursula was a daughter of Charles Yerburgh of Kelstern. (The Inq. Post Mort. of John Whalley shows their daughter was five and a half years old in 1542).

# <u>1536</u>

The Abbey of Louth Park was dissolved (1536) and Alvingham priory (1538), along with many others.

### 1536 cont.

Thomas Y.of Alvingham and John Yerburgh of Louth took part in the Lincolnshire rebellion to protest about religious changes. They were sentenced to death at Lincoln but were pardoned.

Bishop Gardiner's letter contains a list of the Grand Jury for the trial of the rebels in the Rebellion of 1537. Among the names of the jury are: Christopher Yerburgh of Yarburgh and Thomas Hall of Yarburgh. (He had married Ursula Yerburgh, daughter of Charles Yerburgh of Kelstern. Both names were struck off: No doubt on account of their real or apparent kinship to Thomas Yerburgh of Alvingham - one of the rebels.

(Gardiner's Letters and Papers of 29 Hen.VIII, 5 May 1537)

### 1536 - 1538

A new rental for the Commissioners.

- 1) William Yerburgh's farm in Alvingham. Rent. 40s.
- 2) John Yerburgh's farm in Cockerington. Rent 31s. 10d.
- 3a) Charles Yerburgh Esq. Grange farm rented for 60 years £2.
- 3b) Charles Yerburgh Esq. rented the Rectory farm of S.Cockerington for 30 years at £8 10s. per annum.
- 4) Roger Y. 7 acres of farmland in Cockerington. Rent 26s.

Rents had been paid before the dissolution to the Monastery. Now they would go to the King. Note.

Before the dissolution the Prior of Alvingham had possession of the granges of Alvingham and Cockerington and 7 other places. Also the rectories of Alvingham, Cockerington St Mary, Cockerington St Leonards, Grainthorpe and others. See Lincolnshire. Victoria History Vol.1 p.8.

(Ministers' Accounts. Y.H. p.347-8. ERY MSS II p.322)

1. De Banco case at Lincoln. John Yarborowe (John Dyon his attorney) versus Robert Pulvertoft (Bailiff of Sir Robert Dymock), and Sir Christopher Willoughby and Sir Thomas Willoughby. Robert Pulvestoft detained cattle of John Yerburgh from East Croft (near Withcall). John says the tenement was owned by Robert Yarborowe, his father. Case adjourned.

(De Banco Roll 1089 East.28 Hen.VIII m. 438. Y.H. p.401/2)

2. 1555 Law Suit refers back to William Y., son of Roger Yerburgh, of Cockerington St Mary, selling land to his son, Richard Yerburgh of Over Toynton in 1537.

The property, which was in Cockerington, consisted of:

A toft (homestead).

A pasture of 3 furlongs & 5 rods.

A selion of arable land containing half an acre in East Field.

A selion of 3 furlongs in another part of East Field.

3 furlongs of pasture in Newlands. A selion of arable land in the West Field.

Richard Yerburgh bought property in Over Toynton from Thomas Winter and Thomas Eve. (See 1541) (Star Chamber Case. 1555. Y.H. p.563ff.)

### 1538

- 1) William Howyett sells land at Alvingham to Thomas Hall. (Ursula Yerburgh's second husband.) (Rylands Charter. Alvingham Deeds No. 16)
- 2) John Whalley sells a cottage and 6 acres, at Skidbrook and Marschappell, to Christopher Yerburgh for life.

(Escheators No 83. Family Notes p.317)

3) William Howyett sells land at Alvingham to Thomas Hall who was Ursula Yerburgh's second husband.

(Rylands Charter. Alvingham Deeds No. 16)

4) John Whalley sells a cottage and 6 acres, at Skidbrook and Marschappell, to Christopher Yerburgh for life.

(Escheators No 83. Family Notes p.317)

#### 1539

- 1) Richard Y. of Over Toynton living at Over Toynton. (see 1541) (Muster Roll. 1539. ERY MSS II p.328)
- 2) Gertrude Yarborowe was a nun at the Nunnery of Alvingham. She was granted a pension. Possibly she was a sister to Thomas Y. of Alvingham one of the Lincolnshire rebels. (see 1536/7) (Book of Augmentations. 40 Hen VIII. ERY MSS II p.324)
- 3) Charles Yerburgh claimed, through the Belyngaye (Billing) family, the manor of Slaghthwayt. Lineage shown:

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John Belyngaye (Sir John Billing)
I
William Yerburgh = Isabella, daughter and heir
I
Richard Yerburgh, son and heir
I
Charles Yerburgh, son and heir
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The overall Lord is the King, as the land is part of his manor of Alvingham.

(De Banco Roll 1107 32 Hen.VIII m.418)

John Traverner's letter to Cromwell (2 May 1510) refers to Charles Yerburgh as 'near kinsman', perhaps through a Billing - Traverner marriage.

(Gardiner's Letters and Papers of the Reign of Henry VIII)

4) Thomas Yerburgh of Alvingham. Regarding property in Alvingham. (Foster Concords L.176. Lincs. Rec. Office)

### 1539 cont.

5) John Yarborowe of Strikford claims, by virtue of his mother being sister of Geo. Cadelle, land at Saltfleethaven and Skidmore and Cockerington. (see 1545 No.3)

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George Cadelle

Elizabeth C.(heir)

= Thomas Yarborrowe

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John Yarborowe of Stykford
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Stickford is 18 miles S. of Cockerington. Stickney is the next village. A Richard Yarbray, labourer, was living at Stickney three generations later. They are not directly linked to our part of the family. (*Inq. Post Mortem of George Cadelle. Y.H. 436*)

6) John Yerburgh of Cockerington dies. He has land belonging to Lady Wellsby and to the King. Thomas Yerburgh and William Yerburgh are witnesses. Family shown as:

John Y = Margaret

7) Reference to the deed of 1541 by which Richard Yerburgh bought land from his father, William Yerburgh.

(Law Suit of 1555. Y.H. p.563)

8) Thomas Y. of Alvingham. Regarding property in Alvingham.

(Foster Concords L.176. Lincs. Rec. Office)

### 1541

9) John Yerburgh of Cockerington dies. His wife was Margaret. He had land belonging to Lady Wellsby and to the King. Thomas Yerburgh and William Yerburgh are witnesses. (*LCC Wills. 1541/151. Y.H. p.608, 609*)

Pedigree showing John's father and grandfather:

+Christine and Alice Yerburgh may be the same as the Christine and Alison Yerburgh in the Lay Subsidy (1541 - 1543) under the entry for Thomas Yerburgh of Alvingham. Each was assessed on £1 in goods and taxed 2d.

(LCC Wills. 1541/151. Y.H. p.608, 609)

# <u>1541</u> cont.

10) Roger Yerburgh of Cockerington St Mary dies. Thomas Crofte was a witness to his Will. Pedigree shown:

(LCC Wills. Y.H. p.609)

- 11) Between Richard Yerburgh and Thomas Eve. Richard Yerburgh buys one messuage and 40 acres of land, 8 acres of meadow, 6 acres of pasture with appurtenances in Over Toynton, for £80. (Concord 1541/2 Foster L.179. Lincs. Rec. Office. Y.H. p.460)
- 12) George Reynolds and Alice, his wife sold to Thomas Yerdeburgh: 2 messuages, 30 acres in Alvingham and Grainthorpe. 1/5th part of one messuage. One toft.10 acres of meadow. 9 acres of pasture with appurtenances in Alvingham and Grainthorpe.

Note. The same land as in the 1535 Reynold's Charter. (See 1534 No.5) (Concord 33 Hen.VIII. Y.H. p.461)

John Whalley died, in Jan.1542, leaving Christopher (second son of Charles Yerburgh), Edward Meres, John Newcomen, John Cawood and William Whalley holding land in Yarburgh. (Escheator 83. 33/34 Hen. VIII. Family Notes p.317)

### 1544

1) Roger Taverner deed, signed by Charles Yerburgh, Ursula Hall, John and Dorothea Croftes, Thomas Yerburgh and others.

(Ryland Deed No. 27. Nov 35 Hen VIII (1543) ERY MSS I p.2)

2) Robert Taverner sells land etc. in Alvingham to Thomas Yerburgh and his son, William. (Ryland Alvingham Deeds. 35 Hen.VIII. Y.H. 535

#### 1545

- 1) Case versus Walter Yerburgh late of Tathewell (husbandman) to recover 10 marks. Case adjourned. (De Banco Roll 771 Mich. 32 Hen.VI m.94. Y.H. p.386)
- 2) Case of assault versus William Yerburgh of Lincoln 'wever' (weaver). Case adjourned. (De Banco Roll 771 Mich. 32 Hen.Vl m.372. Y.H. p.386)

### 1545 cont.

- 3) Richard Yerburgh Bailiff of two parts of the Soke of Gayton. 31-2 Hen VI. (1453, 1454) (Ministers Accounts Y.H. p.545)
- 4) Margaret, widow of Roger Yerburgh, (see 1541 No.10) of Cockerington dies. Mention of William Yerburgh as Parish Clerk and a William Yerburgh is a witness.

Margaret\* Y.(wife), William Y.(heir), Elizabeth Y. (daughter).

\* Note. This is unlikely to be the wife of Roger Yerburgh, our ancestor. This Margaret's husband died in 1541 whereas, Roger Yerburgh, our ancestor, would have died 30 years before. (His married grandson died in 1545) (LCC Wills. Y.H. p.610 & 611)

#### 1544/5

1) Charles Y. of Kelstern dies.

In 1540, he was described by John Taverner, writing to Thomas Cromwell, as 'a man both aged, impotent and blind.' Charles Y.'s wife - Elizabeth (nee Newcomen) was the inheritor (Wills. Y.H. 609,610. I.P.M. Y.H. p.437 - 443)

- 2) Yarburgh Grange (the home of Charles Y. of K.) is sold, together with land 'in various counties' for £1909 11s, 5d. to Roger and Robert Taverner. The Grange formerly belonged to Alvingham Priory. (*Patent Rolls 36 Hen.VIII. Y.H. p.495*)
- 3) Petition by John Yarburgh of Saltfleethaven, labourer, regarding land in Cockerington, which he claims, from Alice Hunt. He claims a messuage and 102 acres in Mysterton, Co Nottingham and a tenement and 70 acres in Cockerington and Saltfleehaven. His claim is that he is a cousin' of George Caddelle.

(His mother [Elizabeth], Alice (Hunt), and George Caddelle were brother and sisters). (see 1541 No.5) (Chancery Case. Y.H. p.561/2)

### 1545

Richard Yerburgh of Over Toynton dies. Thomas Yerburgh is supervisor of his Will. Mention of a godson - William Yerburgh (possibly the son of Thomas Yerburgh of Alvingham).

Cockerington Pedigree. (Full pedigree - see Appendix 1, p.64)

Richard Y = MargaretRobert Y = Margaret I = IChristine Y = Geo.Sergent(LCC Wills 1543-5/227, Y.H. p.610)

1546 King Edward VI ruled Jan. 1546 - July 1553.

### 1549

1) Petition by Ellen Clyfford, widow, who says she is seized of Kelstern but that Elizabeth Y., widow, freeholder and tenant, had come into possession of deeds concerning Kelstern manor. (*Chancery Petition. Y.H. p.574*)

## 1549 cont.

2) + Brian Yerburgh, Gent, regarding property in Somercotes.

(Foster Concords M.86. Lincs. Rec. Office)

3) + Edmund Yerburgh regarding property in Somercotes.

(Foster Concords M.85)

- 4)+Christopher Yerburgh regarding property in Somercotes.
- + These were sons of the deceased Charles Y.

(Foster Concords M.83)

### 1552

1) Thomas Yerburgh of Cockerington St Mary, singleman, dies. Inventory of goods value £4.18s. Witnesses: Robert Yerburgh, Thomas Crofts, Richard Farmer and William Sergantt. (1552/Inv 44/78. Lincs. Rec. Office)

2) Lease from the King to William Y.for a messuage, a toft, and land (c.32 acres) in Alvingham for 21 years. Annual rent £2.

(Augmentation Office. 5 Edward VI. Y.H. p.518)

1553 Queen Mary ruled July 1553 - November 1558.

# <u>15</u>54

- 1) Haman Yerburgh at Kitmonde, holds land recently belonging to Sixhills Monastery. (*Patent Rolls. Wagner p.44*)
- 2) Christopher Yerburgh. Property in Wrangle and Leverton. (Foster Concords M.135. Lincs. Rec. Office)

# 1555

Thomas Yerburgh, son of Robert, grandson of Roger Y. claims land in Cockerington, which had belonged to his grandfather, Roger Y.

(Star Chamber Law Suit. Y.H. pp. 563 -571)

# *1556*.

When Thomas Yerburgh died (1565) his crops, animals and goods were valued at £28 15s, 4d. His land is not included.

(Lincoln Record Archives. Inv. 44/78)

### 1557

1) The Will of William Yerburgh of Alvingham is witnessed by Richard Horsard. (William Yerburgh does not die until 1565).

(LCC Will. 1565/97. Y.H. p.615)

2) William Yerburgh of Cockerington St.Mary, husbandman, dies.

Ellen (wife), William (brother)."my sister's two children." John and William Y. are witnesses. (LCC Will. 1557/ii/112. Y.H. p.612)

3) Robert Yerburgh of Cockerington dies. Will shows: Dorothy (wife), George and John (sons).

Witnesses include - Thomas Yerburgh, Thomas Croftes.

He was a cousin of Richard Yerburgh of Over Toynton.

(LCC Will. 1557-72/43. p.612)

#### 1558

1) Thomas Yerburgh (of Alvingham) is appointed supervisor to Richard Horsarde's Will. (LCC Will. 1558/ii/91. Y.H. p.656)

2) Christopher Yarborough and Margaret his wife (daughter of John Mitchell, late of Bollyngbroke, Co. Lincs. Regarding land at Stickford and Bolingbroke.

(Chancery Case. Wagner p.48, Y.H. p.573)

3) Complaint versus Christopher Yerburgh, regarding land in Lystbye, Hagworthingham, and Harrabie Co. Lines.

(Chancery Case. Y.H. p.583)

4) Christopher Yerburgh says John Glover's daughter, Margaret, was his wife and that she was the heiress of John Glover.

Note. See No.2 where Margaret is the daughter of John Mitchell.

(Chancery Case. Y.H. p.580)

- 5) William Yerburgh\* of Alvingham dies. His will mentions John Yerburgh (son) and Philip Bushby (son-in-law). They are to share the farm. Richard Horsarde witnesses the Will.
- \* Note. William Yerburgh was probably a twin to William Yerburgh of Cockerington who died in 1557. (*LCC Wills. 1558/ii/91*)
- 6) Richard Yarborowe of East Kirby dies.

He was married but no children are mentioned in his Will.

(LCC Wills. 1557-72/43)

1559 Queen Elizabeth I reigned 1559- 1603.

# <u>155</u>9

1) Thomas Yerburgh of Alvingham buys 26 selions of land from Ursula Hall. Thomas Horsarde is a witness.

(Rylands Charter 25. Y.H.p.539)

2) Thomas Yerburgh, yeoman, of Alvingham writes his will. Richard Horsarde is a witness. Will is not probated until 1565.

(LCC Wills. 1565/97. Y.H. p.615)

### *1560*

1) Thomas Clifford claims ownership of Kelstern manor. The case continued over several years. In 1565 the Yerburghs released their claim to the manor.

(De Banco Roll 1187. Easter 2 Elizabeth. Y.H. p.403)

2) Thomas Yerburgh of Alvingham purchases land from Dorothy Croftes of Cockerington. (Rylands Alvingham Charter No.2. Y.H. p.539)

# APPENDIX The Cockerington Yerburghs.

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George :	Yerburgh ye	oman, married Anne Gentle.
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Robert Y	erburgh gen	t. of Boston, married Ann.
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Richard Y	erburgh gei	nt.J.P., D.L. married Elizabeth Betts.
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The Revd	Dr.Richard	Yerburgh D.D. m Elizabeth Norton.
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1st Baron	Alvingham	(R.D.T.Y) M.P. m. 1st Dorothea Yerburgh.
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 $2nd\ Baron\ Alvingham\ (R.G.E.Y.)\ Major\ Gen.\ m. Beryl\ Williams.$ 

# APPENDIX

#### RICHARD YARBURGH son of William

The 'old pedigree' becomes certain with the name - Richard de Yarburgh. He became a notable landowner and married Joanna Atwell. He was Bailiff for the Soke (area) of Gayton and the lord of at least three manors.

The descent from Richard Yarburgh is well supported by other contemporary sources. The first known record of Armorial Bearings for the Yarboroughs is for this Richard Yerburghe. with the date 1420. The shield shows a rampant lion with twin tails. (British Museum Seals Vol.III p.698)

He purchased land in 1401 and four houses in 1410. He married Joanna Atwell who was heiress to Legbourne Manor. She also had lands in Scotheby and Hoggisthorpe. In 1415 Richard Yerburgh bought the right to be Bailiff of Gayton Soke. The Feudal Aids for Lincolnshire (1431) show that Richard Yerdeburgh Gent. owned property in, at least, nine Lincolnshire villages - stretching from Friskney to Fulstow. He had two sons, Robert and William.

## William Yarburgh Esq.

He was Lord of the Manor of Yarburgh. He married Isabel Billing, heiress of Sir John Tiais. They had two sons, William and Richard.

### Richard Yarburgh Gent.

He married Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Moyne Esq. They had two children - Charles and Margaret.

### Charles Yarburgh Gent.

He was Lord of the manors of Yarburgh, Kelstern, Threddlethorpe and Legbourne. He lived in the Grange at Yarburgh. He married twice. His first wife was Agnes, daughter of Sir John Skipwith. By her, he had his son, Richard, who predeceased him. His second marriage was to Elizabeth Newcomen. They had eight children. The eldest son was named Richard (Christopher) but the descent continued through the third son - Edmund. Charles Yerburgh Esq. died in 1544.

NOTE. Charles Yerburgh Esq. of Yarburgh married, first, Agnes Skipwith

By this marriage was born Richard (also called Christopher Richard) Yerburgh, eldest son of Charles Yerburgh of Kelstern.

Richard married Margaret Portington and had a son (Charles\*) and two daughters. Richard died eleven years before his father. Charles (heir) was 10 years old in 1544 and so must have been born about the time of his father's death.

(Y.H.p.443)

Charles married secondly Elizabeth Newcomen. They had 3 sons and 4 daughters.

1) Christopher Y. who married \_\_\_\_\_ Mitchell. 2) Edmund Y. who married Margaret Grantham. 3) Bryan Y. who married Dorothy ----. 4) Ursula Y. who 1st married Thomas Whalley. 2ndly Thomas Hall. 5) Margaret Y. who married John Dyon. 6)Bridget who married Thomas Radley. 7) Barbara Y. who married William Derby. 8) Jane Y. who married Nicholas Thornock.

### Edmund Yarburgh Gent.

"He appears to have been the founder of the fortunes of the Yorkshire Yarburghs" wrote E.R.Yerburgh in *Notes on our Family History*. Edmund Yarburgh married Margaret, daughter of Sir Vincent Grantham. They had two children - Francis and Charles. Edmund Yarburgh Gent. died in 1590 at a good age. He was buried in Lincoln cathedral and a monument was erected to his memory.

### Francis Yarburgh Gent.

He bought Northorpe Manor, which is in North Lincolnshire. A brass portrait of him is in the church there. His two wives, Elizabeth (nee Farmour) and Frances (nee Wray) are with him, though the portrait of one is broken, and those of his children (three) are gone. Francis Yarburgh's portrait used to hang in Heslington. (It is probably now in Ampleforth College along with other Yarburgh pictures). Francis Yarburgh's social standing was helped by his second marriage for Frances Wray's uncle, Christopher Wray, was Lord Chief Justice of the Queen's Bench. Francis became a Serjeant-at-Law (a superior barrister). He died at Snaith in 1593. The descent continues through the second son, Edmund.

# Edmund Yarburgh Gent.

Born 1585 at Northorpe. He married an heiress, Sarah, daughter of Thomas Wormley Esq. of Hatfield. His wife owned manors and lands in ten villages. She left these to her son, Nicholas when she died in 1662. Edmund became Treasurer for Lame Soldiers in 1626.

He died a wealthy man, in 1631, at Snaith.

They had five sons and four daughters. Nicholas, the eldest, was baptised in 1613 at Hatfield. The family had moved from Northorpe Manor to Snaith Hall, on the north side of the Humber, around 1615 where he was Capital Seneschal (lord) of the Manor of Snaith and Coswick. Snaith was to be the home of the Yarburghs for nearly a hundred years. They had a second home - Balne Hall - which was inherited by Sarah.

## Sir Nicholas Yarburgh, Knight

He lived during the despotic rule of Charles I. In 1638 he married Faith Dawney. They had seven sons and two daughters. The American Yarbroughs look to Nicholas as being the father of Richard Yarbrough, who sailed to Virginia around 1642\*. One of the King's methods of raising money was to fine any man whose lands were worth more than £40 a year, unless they were knighted. Nicholas was knighted about 1641. Sir Nicholas was a Justice of the Peace and was a Royalist supporter in the English Civil War. When he died, in 1655, he was buried at Snaith.

\*This is unlikely as that Richard was probably Richard Yarborrow of Saltfleetby.

### Sir Thomas Yarburgh Knight

Born 1637 at Snaith. As heir he inherited the Halls of Snaith and Balne on the death of his father (1655). He married, in 1662, Henrietta Maria Blagge. Lady Yarburgh was Maid of honour to the Duchess of York. Her father had served in the Court of Charles I. Her first son, James, was a godson of King James II. She had sixteen children (six died as infants). She died before her husband, in 1710. In 1673 Sir Thomas Yarburgh was appointed High Sheriff of Yorkshire. He became M.P. for Pontefract in 1685 and 1688. In 1690 he was Receiver of Revenues for the Dowager Queen Catherine (widow of King Charles II). He died in 1716.

## James Yarburgh Esq.

James was the eldest son of Sir Thomas and Lady Yarburgh. He was born in 1664. As a boy he was one of the royal pages to King James II. He became a lieutenant colonel of horse and aide-de- camp to the famous Duke of Marlborough. In 1692 he married an heiress, Ann Hesketh. Ann Yarburgh inherited

Heslington Hall, near York, in 1708. She died in 1718, aged 42. Her husband, James Y. Gent, died in 1731. Of their twelve children, four had died young. The first child, Henrietta Maria Yarburgh, was born in 1693. At the age of 26 she married the famous architect and playwright, Sir John Vanburgh. They were married in 1719. Sir John was aged 54. He died eight years later. Lady Vanburgh died at the age of 85 in 1776. Thomas, the first son of James Y. succeeded to the estates but was cut off with a shilling in his father's will, for having 'very unhandsomely disposed of himself in marriage without consulting me.' Thomas died in 1741.

### Charles Yarburgh Esq.

He succeeded in 1754 to the estate and money, after the death of his three elder brothers. He had been born in 1716. After the death of his first wife, he married her sister. He did much to beautify Heslington Hall. He died in 1789 but ensured, by a clause in his will, that the name and arms of Yarburgh should survive.

### Sarah Yarburgh

Sarah Yarburgh was born in 1761 and married John Greame Esq. in 1782. He took over the Heslington estate in 1852. He enlarged the manor house into a mansion of 109 rooms!

## Alicia, daughter of Sarah Yarburgh

Alicia Greame was born in 1784 and married George Lloyd Esq. In 1810, George Lloyd assumed the name and arms of the Yarburghs. She died in 1867, aged 83.

### George John (Lloyd) Yarburgh Esq.

He was the son of Alicia and George. In 1856, after the death of his unmarried uncle, he inherited the estate. George Yarburgh was born in 1811 and married in 1840. There were two daughters by the marriage - Mary and Susan. He was a J.P. He died in 1874.

### Lady Mary de Yarburgh Bateson

She was the elder daughter of the above. She was born in 1841. In 1862 she married George Bateson Esq. In 1892 her husband succeeded to the Deramore title as 2nd Baron.

#### 4th Lord Deramore

When the 2nd Lord Deramore died the title and estate were inherited by his brother (Robert Wilfred de Yarburgh-Bateson), who became the 3rd Lord Deramore. Subsequently he was appointed Lord Lieutenant of Yorkshire. On his death, in 1936, the title passed to another brother, George, who became 4th Baron. He had married Muriel Grey in 1900. They had two sons - Stephen and Richard.

# 5th Lord Deramore

Stephen became 5th Baron in 1943. He died without heir in 1964. Since then, his brother, Richard de Yarburgh-Bateson has been the 6th Lord Deramore. In 1939 Heslington Hall was commandeered by the R.A.F. After the war, Heslington Manor became the central building of York University.

### 6th Lord Deramore

The present Lord Deramore, brother of Stephen, Richard de Yarburgh-Bateson, was born in 1911. He was educated at Harrow and St. John's College, Cambridge. He served in the RAFVR during the war. In 1948 he married Janet Ware. They have a daughter and a grandson. The grandson still has the Yarburgh name among his baptismal names. He is Nicholas Richard Yarburgh Peel. He was born in 1987.

## THE PEDIGREE

Name	birth	married aged
Richard	c.1372	c.1400 c.28 Joan Atwell
William Y	c.1410	c.1440 c.30 Isabel Billing

Richard Y	c.1441	c 147	'9 c.30 Elizabeth Moigne	
Charles Y	c.1480	c 150	9 c.29 m 2 E. Newcommen	
Edmund Y	c.1512	c.1539	9 c.27 m Margaret Grantham	
From whom the Yorkshire Yarboroughs descend.				
Francis Y	1540	1581	41 m Frances Wray	
Edmund Y	1586	1611	25 m Sarah Wormley	
Sir Nicholas Y	1613	1635	22 m Faith Dawney	
Sir Thomas Y	1637	1662	25 m Henrietta Blagge	
James Y	1664	1692	25 m Ann Hesketh	
Charles Y	1716	2nd 1760	44 m Sarah Griffin	
Sarah Y*	1761	1782	21 m John Greame	
Alicia	1784	1810	26 m George Lloyd	
George	1811	1840	29 m Mary Cheetham	
Lady Mary	1841	1862	21 m 2nd Lord Deramore	
4th Ld Deramo	re 1870	1900	30 m Muriel Gray	
6th Ld Deramo	re 1911	1948	37 m Janet Ware	
He died 2006**				

<sup>\*</sup> With Sarah the Yarburgh name passed through the female line

\*\* With the death of the 6th Lord Deramore the Yarburgh name passed out of this branch but continues in the descendants of the Yerburghs of Sleaford, Lincolnshire, and the Yarb(o)roughs in America.