

## THE SAVILE FAMILY

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### Medieval Genealogy

The early history of the Saviles<sup>1</sup> is clouded in mystery. In the Elizabethan times when every family wished to trace their origin as far back as possible the genealogists tried to claim a descent from the Savelli, an Italian family. This idea cannot be entertained. Mr. Joseph Hunter, F.S.A., says, "The family, like others of those which are now accounted the best and most ancient families in England, began early with small possessions, probably in the parish of Silkstone."

There are no complete printed pedigrees of this great family, which has occupied a large place in the West Riding history, except the one in Foster's *Yorkshire Families*. That is in the pedigree form which allows so little space for many details. Mr. Hunter, who seems to have taken great interest in the family, has, in *South Yorkshire*, given several of the branches: that of the main line of Elland, Tankersley, Thornhill, in vol. i, 300; that of Newhall in vol. i, 67; that of Thribergh in vol. i, 46; and that of Mexborough in vol. ii, 393. There are also sketch pedigrees in Watson's *Halifax*, and in the Heralds' Visitations.<sup>2</sup>

Since these have been printed much additional information has been obtained. We have the Wills at York and London, which are more accessible by the indexes in the Yorkshire Record Series, the Inquisitions at the Record Office, the parish registers at Elland, Halifax, Batley, Horbury, Dewsbury, Wakefield, etc., which can be better examined, so it seems possible to throw more

<sup>1</sup> There are various ways of spelling the name Savile, Savill, Seyvill, Seyville.

<sup>2</sup> There is also information in Mr. Hunter's charming *Antiquarian Notices of Lupset and Hallamshire*, Sheard's *Batley*, Cooper's *Savile Correspondence*, Foxcroft's *Life of the Marquis of Halifax*, *Dictionary of National Biography*.

light on this family, and the works of Hunter are costly and scarce, and there are few dates in Watson and in the Visitations, so that perhaps the following paper may be useful to the readers of *The Journal*.

The earliest printed notices we have of the Saviles appear to be as follows:-

1225 (9 Henry III). John de Dewsbury and Odo de Richmond granted to Henry de Seyvill, our parishioner, a chantry in the chapel of Guthlaker (Chadwick's *Notes on Dewsbury Church*, 26).

1251-2 (36 Henry III), Assize Rolls. Sir John de Seyvill summoned concerning a message in Pontefract (Record Series, xliv, 60).

1274-1307. Wakefield Court Rolls. Baldwin de Seyville and his three sons, William, John, Hugh, are mentioned without place of abode.

1286 (Edw. I), 20 July. Lunacy Inquisition of Peter de Seyvell at the Record Office.

*Inq.* Petri de Seyvell taken before Thos. de Normenvill at York pursuant to a writ dated 20 July, 14 Edw. I (1286). Peter de Seyvill is clearly mad and an idiot, incapable of managing his land. He holds the manor of Goullackarres, viz. three fourth parts of the inheritance of Ric. le Botiler of Sandale, and the fourth part of Sir John de Heton for a service of 3*d.* yearly. The manor is worth £8 yearly. Thereof Peter gave to Agnes de Seyvell, his sister, one mill worth 30*s.* yearly 4 years ago when he was insane. Peter holds in Skelebrok 3½ oxgangs of land from Sir Ran. de Blamustre for the service of 10*s.* yearly; it is worth 46*s.* 8*d.* yearly; he demised this land to Robert son of Stephen de Kirkeby for 20 years at a rent of 26*s.* 8*d.*, of which term 8 years are elapsed. The same Peter holds in Smetheton one messuage and 4 oxgangs of land of the Earl of Lincoln by suit of court at Pontefract every three weeks, worth £4 yearly, none of it is alienated except that Peter while sane demised the land to William Seyvill, his uncle, for 14 years, whereof 7 are elapsed; in Thurleston 42*s.* of rent of assize from the heir of Hoderode, whereof nothing is alienated; in Holdeham 60 shillingsworth of land from the heir of Roger de Wamwell which he demised while sane to John de Wamwell for 20 years, whereof 6 are elapsed, for a sum of money beforehand and 4 marks yearly. The execution of the writ was delayed owing to John de Dychton to whom the escheator had committed the custody of the said Peter and his land being unequal to the management and also weak (who has to wife Pleasance Peter's sister).

1338 (Edw. III). Yorkshire Fines. Adam son of John de Sayvill mentioned.

1353-4 (Edw. III), 1372 (Edw. III). John Sayville of Eland and Isabel his wife, John son, and Henry his brother regarding the manors of Eland and Tankersley.

1377, 1 Mar. (51 Edw. III). Will. Henry Sayuill. To be buried in the chapel of the blessed Marie of Hoderfeld. To John my son *xli.* To Johan my daughter *x* marks. To Alice my daughter *x* marks. If any residue among my children. I make Thomas and John my sons executors (*Reg. Alex. Nevell*, i, 23).

There have been many attempts at bringing the early accounts of the family into proper order by the heralds and other authorities, some of which are as follows, but they are all incorrect and not worth reprinting:-

Flower's *Visitation*, taken 1563 and 1564 (Harleian Soc., xvi). Glover's *Visitation*, taken 1584 and 1585, edited by Joseph Foster. Whitaker's *Loidis and Elmete*, no authority given. Foster's *Yorkshire Families*, no authority given. Watson's *History of Halifax*, which is often quoted and is very amusing.

He says "it is a family of great antiquity supposed to be descended from the Sabelli or Savelli of Rome. Some were consuls at Rome before our Saviour's time, and it is said to have existed for 3,000 years. The first I meet with is Sir John Savile of Savile Hall, Dodworth, who married a daughter of Syr Symon de Rockley, by her he had Sir Walter and John. Sir Walter married a daughter of Adam Everingham of Stainborough, by whom a daughter Elizabeth married to Sir John Everingham. John, brother of Sir Walter, married about 1240 Agnes daughter and heir of Sir Roger Aldwark, and by her had Henry, who married Agnes daughter and heiress of John Golcar of Golcar, by whom Thomas, who married .... daughter and heiress of Sir Richard Tankersley of Tankersley, by whom Sir John, Henry, and Alice wife of .... Lockwood. Sir John of Tankersley married Agnes daughter and heiress of .... Rochdale, by whom he had John of Tankersley (Peter by Foster), Elizabeth wife of Thomas Kay, and Margery wife of John Thornton. John Savile of Tankersley married Isabel daughter of Sir Robert Latham, by whom Sir John and Jane wife of .... Ashton of Lancashire. Sir John

married Jane daughter of Mathew de Bosco (or Wood), by whom John and Margaret, Prioress of Kirklees 32 Edw. III (1358-9). Sir John married Margery daughter of Henry Rushworth of Rushworth, by whom Sir John Savile, who married Isabel de Eland."

Watson, of course, is quite wrong, as Tankersley did not come to the Saviles till the Eland marriage.

The best account appears to be in the "Autobiography of Sir John Savile," Baron of the exchequer, copied in the *Yorkshire Archaeological Journal*, xv, 421, where he states that his ancestor, Henry Savile of Copley, was a younger son of Henry Savile of Thornhill, brother of John Savile, Kt., and cousin and heir of Isabell the sister and heiress of John Savile, who was the son and heir of the aforesaid John Savile, who was the son of Sir John Savile, Kt., who was son of John Savile and Margaret his wife, daughter of Henry Rishworth.

Notwithstanding all these various accounts, we can only say that the Saviles originally started with lands in Shelley and Golcar, near Huddersfield, which they might have obtained through an heiress, as they quartered the Golcar arms, but that, of course, may have been an after-consideration. Their real rise was by fortunate marriages with heiresses. The first one with the Eland heiress brought in the Elland and Tankersley manors, and soon after the great Thornhill property came in. All these estates still remain to the present owner.

It seems impossible to start the pedigree properly before the Rishworth marriage, till there is more information, which can only probably be obtained if there are some early deeds at Rufford,<sup>1</sup> which have never been properly examined. We therefore propose in this paper to begin with Sir John de Savile who married Margery de Rishworth as follows.

### **THE PEDIGREE OF SAVILE OF THORNHILL.**

I. SIR JOHN DE SAVILE, Knt., of Golcar and of Rishworth, by his marriage; mar. Margery, daughter and coheir of Henry de Rishworth, of Rishworth<sup>2</sup>; probably dead in 1337. They had issue -

II. SIR JOHN DE SAVILE; did homage 1337; dead 1353; mar. Margerie. They had issue-

<sup>1</sup> I believe that Mr. W. Paley Baildon has the offer of looking at the deeds at Rufford, and if he succeeds in finding anything important that he will bring it forward at a future date.

<sup>2</sup> All the authorities agree about this match, but it is a pity we have no dates. This marriage took place certainly before 1306 and probably in 1300. The other coheirs were Ellen, wife of Thos. de Langfield, and Isabel, wife of John de Insula. The general account is that his son married Isabel de Eland, but Mr. Baildon is confident there must have been a generation between. The Rishworth property has always been held by the family, and the moors there still afford much sport of grouse to the present lord.

III. SIR JOHN SAVILE, Knt., of Golcar and of Elland and Tankersley, by his marriage; was High Sheriff of Yorkshire 1380-83-88; Knight of the Shire 1375-82-84-89.

He founded a chantry at Elland church by licence, 10 July, 1396, to pray for John, Duke of Aquitaine and Lancaster, Sir John Sayvill and Isabella his wife and their children, Henry, late Earl of Lancaster, John Sayvill and Margaret his wife, the parents of the said Sir John, Thomas de Eland and Joan his wife, parents of the said Isabella (*Chantry Surveys*, Surtees Soc., ii, 298).<sup>1</sup> Inq. ad quod damnum, file 436, no. 36.

Will. - <sup>2</sup>No date, proved 23 Sept., 1399 (*Reg. Scrope*, 157); he desires to be buried at Elland; he gives many legacies to sundry people, to his tenants at Golcar and Tankersley, and only mentions John Savile of Shelley, who was executor and proved his will.

There seems no Inquisition. Mar. Isabel, daughter of Thomas de Eland, Esq., of Elland and Tankersley, before 1353, which manors she brought.

1399. Nov. 17, in the chapel within the manor of Newstead, near the Priory of St. Oswald's of Nostell, William, Bishop of Pharos, the suffragan of the archbishop, received the vow of chastity of Isabella, widow of Sir John Saville, knt., and gave her the ring and mantle (*Reg. Scope*, 21a).

They had issue -

- Sir John Savile, of Elland, Knt., High Sheriff 1402; mar. Isabel, daughter of Sir Robert Radclyffe, of Radclyffe Tower (Whitaker's *Whalley*). They had issue -
  - Sir John Savile, Knt., died *s.p.*; mar. Isabel, daughter of Sir William Fitzwilliam.
  - Isabel, mar. Thomas Darcy, second son of Philip, Lord Darcy.
- HENRY (IV).

IV. HENRY SAVILE, ESQ., of Elland and of Thornhill, by his marriage; died 1412 (Hunter); mar. Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of Simon, son and heir of Sir Brian Thornhill, Knt., of Thornhill. They had issue -

- Sir THOMAS (V).

<sup>1</sup> In the same *Chantry Surveys*, p. 292, Sir John Savile is said to have founded a chantry at Thornhill with rents of lands "in Brighowse by will x<sup>mo</sup> Decembris, Edward iiij, xx<sup>mo</sup>." This is not in, nor agrees with, he above will.

<sup>2</sup> Mr. E. W. Crossley found this long Latin will at York, and copied it in *Halifax Wills*, ii, 216, but nothing further relating to the Savile family is in his extract.

- Henry, mar. Eleanor, daughter of Thomas Copley, Esq., of Copley (*A quo* the Saviles of Copley, Hullinedge, Newhall, Methley, etc.).

+V. SIR THOMAS SAVILE, Knt., of Thornhill, and heir to his cousin, Isabel Darcy, to Elland and Tankersley, etc.; M.P. Yorkshire 1439.

Will. - In the feast of St. Edmund, Archbp. of Canterbury, after the feast of St. Martin in Winter, 1449, I, Thomas Savyll, knight, sound of mind, make my testament. First I bequeath my soul to God, the Blessed Mary, and St. Michael and all Saints, and my body to be buried in the parish church of Thornhill near the grave of Margaret my wife. I bequeath for my mortuary my best horse with the better trappings; to the church of Thornhill one suit of vestments, viz. for priest, deacon and subdeacon, of yellow cloth, with a cap; to the fabric and repair of the bridge of Horbery xls.; to each order of Friars, viz. to the Friars of Pontefract xiiis. viiid., and to the Friars of Tikhill vis. viiid., and to the Carmelites of Doncaster vis. viiid.; and to the Friars Minors of Doncaster vis. viiid.; to the house of St. Robert of Knaresburgh with my land iiis. iiiid. I bequeath to buy a table for the high altar xls., to the light before the crucifix xls., for my funeral and burial and to make a tomb over me and my wife iiis. marcs, for a chaplain to celebrate for me, my wife and ancestors in the church of Thornhill<sup>1</sup> on the altar of St. Mary near my tomb for vi years after my decease xxiiid.; to the Recluse at Beston iiis. iiiid. The residue I bequeath to my son and heir John, knight, whom I constitute my executor. Proved by John Netiltown and Richard Whitley, 16th December, A.D., abovesaid, at York (*Reg. Test.*, ii, 204).

Mar. Margaret, daughter of Sir John Pilkington, Knt., of Bradley; bur. at Thornhill. They had issue -

- Sir JOHN (VI).

- Margaret, (?) mar. Sir John Hopton, of Swillington.
- Alice, (?) mar. Conan Aske.
- Elizabeth, (?) mar. Sir John Harrington.

VI. SIR JOHN SAVILE, Knt., of Thornhill, Elland, etc.; High Sheriff of Yorkshire 1455 and 1461; M.P. Yorkshire 1450, 1467. Mr. Hunter says "he was chief steward of the manor of Wakefield, connected with which office was the custody of the castle of Sandal. The castle thus became his occasional residence, where he died on the morrow of the feast of St. Basil, 1482. He was carried through Wakefield and sumptuously buried at Thornhill."

<sup>1</sup> Dodsworth says there was the following inscription: "Orate pro anima Thome Sayvill, militis, qui hanc capellam fieri fecit ..... anno Domini 1447."

Will. - Nov. 23, 1481. Johannes Savile, miles. Corpus meum loco sepulturæ patris in eccl. St. Mich. de Thornhill. Margaretæ Savile, filiæ meæ, xlii. Lego ad distribuendum inter servientes meos secundum eorum merita et servitia, xli. Johanni Savile pro le heirelomes, j lectum pendentem cum pertin., j librum vocatum Missale, cum calice et vestimento, cum pannis ornamentis altari pertinentibus, j craterem argenti stantem et coopertum, j craterem stantem et deauratum cum quibusdam signis argenti, j mappam cum tuello, j salsarium argenti et coopertum, j par de awndeirenes, cum tabulis et formis, tristellis, et cathedris, ij ollas æneas, j stantem in le fournes, aliam sine fournes, j patellam, j pelvim cum lavacro de masselyn, ij veruta ferrea, vj cocliaria argenti, ij plumba, et iij le wortelede, j maskefat, j gilefat, j stepefat cum cæteris vasis ligneis pandoxatorio pertinentibus, j cilicium j plastrum j aratrum cum cultura et vomere, ij herpicas. Item Willelmo Savile, filio meo, xx marcas. Thomæ Savile, filio meo, xx marcas. Henrico Savile, filio meo, xls. Ricardo Savile, filio meo, xls. Nicholao Savile, filio meo, xls.

(As to estates, in English.) Wife Alice, if she survives me, to have for her life the manor called Bothamhall and all those lands, etc., in Risshworth and Goulkery which Thos. Savile, knt., my father, by his deed gave to me and Alice my wife at our marriage. Wife to have also for life the capital messuage of Coldeby with the lands thereto belonging in the Isle of Axholme, and lands in Estrington and in Thurstleton in the parish of Penyston, which the said Thos. Savile, knt., by his deed gave to us after our marriage. Wife to have also for life the manor of Thornhill and lands in Ovenden, Waddesworth and Skircoittes, which Wm. Gascoigne, knt., and others granted to me and Alice my wife by deed dated 1 July, 28 Hen. VI. My feoffees to grant by deed, with power of distress on non-payment, to my son Henry an annual rent of £4 out of the manor of Hundesworth for his life. And like annuities to my sons Richard and Nicholas. And to my son, William Savile, a moiety of the manor of Hundesworth in tail male, with remainder to his brother Thomas. And to my son, Thomas Savile, the other moiety of the said manor in tail male, with remainder to his brother Wm. And after the death of the said Henry, Nicholas, and Richard, the said William and Thomas Savile to have the said manor free from the said annuities. After wife's death my feoffees to convey all my lands, etc., to my right heirs according to my deed. Residue of my goods to wife Alice and son William, extrix. and exor. Witnesses, John Cooke, vicar of Sandall, John Porter, rector of High Holand, and Robt. Chaloner, literate.

Proved June 21, 1482, by widow, power reserved for son William, the other exor. (*Reg. Test.*, v, 66; *Halifax Wills*, i, p. 21).

Mar. Alice, daughter of Sir William Gascoigne, Knt., of Gawthorp, extrix. of her husband's will. On July 3, William, Bishop of Dromore, was commissioned to veil Alice, widow of Sir John Savile (*Reg. Rotherham*, 23b). On Jan. 14, 1493-4, Sir John Waterton, Knt., administered

the effects of Lady Savile (*Ibid.*, 3616). They had issue -

- JOHN (VII).
- Henry, in his father's will.
- William, exor. of his father, of Grays Inn, enlarged the choir of Thornhill church.<sup>1</sup>
- Richard, in his father's will.
- Nicholas, in his father's will.

- Thomas, of Lupset (see Savile of Lupset, p. 15).
- Elizabeth, mar. 1st, Sir Robert Waterton, of Walton; 2ly, Thomas Savile, of Hullinedge. Adm. Jan. 14, 1493-4, to John Waterton, Knt. (*Rotherham*, i, 61).
- Isabel, mar. Oliver Mirfield.
- Anne, mar. 1st, John Butler, of Lancashire (Tonge); 2ly, Ralph Snaith<sup>2</sup>; 3d, Sir Roger Hopton.<sup>3</sup>
- Margaret, had xlii. in her father's will.

VII. JOHN SAVILE, died *vi. pa.*; mar. Jane, daughter of Sir Thomas Harrington, of Brierley, Knt., and Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas, Lord Dacre (Hunter's *South Yorkshire*, ii, 402). They had issue -

- Sir JOHN (VIII).
- Alice, wife of Sir William Calverley, of Calverley; will, 10 Sept., 14 Henry VIII (1522), proved Sept. 25, (?) 1522; to be buried in Calverley church near her husband (*Reg. Test.*, ix, 235; Thoresby Soc., ix, 174).

VIII. SIR JOHN SAVILE, Knt., of Thornhill; High Sheriff of Yorkshire 1 Henry VII (1486), the year of the battle of Bosworth. He probably died on Palm Sunday, 20 Hen. VII (1504).

<sup>1</sup> There was in Dodsworth's time in the east window of the choir the following inscription: Pray for the gude prosperity, mercy and grace of William Sayvile, one of the Company of Grayse In, and for the Sowles of Sir John Sayvile and Dame Alice his wief, fadyr and modyr to the said William, and also for the gude prosper(i)ty, mercy and grace to Sir John Sayvile and Dame (Alice) his wief. The which William Sayvile enlardged this quyer att his cost, att the oversight of the said Sir John, his nephew, wherwith pray we all that God be pleased, the which werke was finished the yere our Lord 1493.

<sup>2</sup> There is a long will of Ralph Snaith, 11 March, 1472, proved York, 23 March, 1472-3 (*Test. Ebor.*, iii, 203), mentioning his wife's brother, Wm. Savile, and sister, Waterton.

<sup>3</sup> ? of Ackworth. See engraving of a memorial slab in the church there to him and his wife Anne (Banks, *Wakefield Walks*).

<sup>1</sup>Will - The last day of March A.D. (1503), 18 Henry VII, I Sir John Sayvell, Knight. Soul to God, body to be buried in church of Thornhill, debts to be paid. Whereas by indenture between William Calverley, the elder, now deceased and me, of the marriage of Sir William Calverley, the elder, his son and Alice my sister, it is lawful for me, if my sister inherit my lands, to do with lands of the yearly value of (100)li. what my will is, or shall be; also if I die without issue the same William immediatly after my decease shall pay 100li. yearly to my executors, till 800 marks be fully paid; I will that if he and my sister and their heirs peaceably suffer my executors to occupy and minister according to this my last will, the same sum of 800 marks be not asked of the said William (his) heirs or executors. Immediately after my decease my feoffees, viz. Thomas, earl of Surrey, Sir Raynold Bray, George Tailbois, Sir Thomas Wortley, Knts., William Fayrfax, John Cut, Richard Chumley, John Chaloner, and Robert Fryston, shall make a lease of all such lands and advowsons and chantries, to take such profits of, to my son Henry or to such as there happen to be next heir, if he or they be at the age of twenty years, he or they finding sufficient surety to my executors to pay them yearly 100li. during ten years next after my decease at Whitson and Martinmas equally, Provided that the said lease be not prejudicial to my wife in such lands as her jointure or to any other grant by me made in this my last will; and if he or they to whom the said lease be made, be under twenty, or refuse to find the said surety, then I will that my executors take the profits of all my lands which should ... the said lease, till such time as the sum of 1,000li. be received; if my said heir or heirs being at the age of 20 trouble my executors, I will that my feoffees sell the lordship of Thornhill with the advowson and lands to the yearly value of 100li. to the King of England for the time being after the price of xiiiith yere purchase to be paid in iiii yerez day; and if his highness refuse to buy it, then my executors to sell it at their pleasure and therewith perform this my last will. Provided if my son Henry or other issue of my body, be within the age of twenty years at the time of my decease, then my feoffees shall suffer my executors to take the whole profits of my lands during the nonage of my said heir, my wife's jointure excepted, and if the said profits shall content the King's grace 1,000 marks, so that his highness suffer my lady his mother, the said earl of Surrey, Sir Henry Vernon, Master Robert Frost, Chancellor to the prince and Sir Thomas Pek, parson of Thornhill, or such of them as shall be then living, to have the ward, marriage and governance of my said son and heir; if it be a daughter or daughters, his Grace to have 1,000li.; either sum to be paid in (three) years after my decease; and if

his Grace refuse the said sum or sums then I will that his Grace have the governance of my said heir or heirs and 20*li.* a year for finding thereof or they come to the age of twenty years, to be paid yearly by my executors; executors to suffer wife to have all her apparel and all such goods as was her father's, and over that of my

<sup>1</sup> Mr. E. W. Crossley found this will in the State Papers, which does not appear to have before seen the light.

goods to the value of 100 marks in such stuff as she think convenient, to be delivered and appraised by Master Robert Frost, chancellor to the prince, if living, and if not by Sir Thomas Pek, parson of Thornhill; my house to be kept as it is at my costs twenty weeks after my decease; if son under age at my death live to age of twenty, executors to account to him, and my debts paid and will performed, the residue over costs and charges to be to the (use of such) son; on coming to his age of sixteen son to have 100*li.* yearly for his finding, if the King suffer him to be married by such as I have assigned before, and that he be in such place as he may go to school till he be fourteen years old and it at the discretion of them that have the ordering of him as is aforesaid, and if it be a daughter or daughters it to be disposed by my executors and if or they (to have) nothing at the age of twenty years but my lands and the 20*li.* to their finding as is aforesaid, the 1000*li.* aforesaid received, anything behind to be received after she or they be twenty after the some of 100*li.* a year, as above. At Michaelmas after my decease my executors shall meet at the abbey of St. Oswald's and the prior for the time being, calling to him John Chaloner, William Eleson and William Amyas, is to take account of my executors, and yearly at Michaelmas, or within twenty days, the said prior to have 40*s.* at the finishing of the account and 5*li.* for the costs of the audit, if he will be content and the audit to be at my charges; provided always that every of my executors exceed not the number of eight horses and the auditor four horses; and I will that the said John Chaloner, William Eleson, and William Amyas to have 40*s.* for their reward at every audit when they have made and engrossed their books, and such as minister of my executors to have 10 marks yearly during their (ministering) over their reasonable costs; if they all die within ten years such other persons to act as shall be assigned by the said earl of Surrey and Sir Reynald Bray, or if they die the said prior for the time being to put in such as he shall think meet. If any of my executors fail in coming to the audit, if he send his accounts he is to be rebated 5 marks of his reward, if he neither come nor send his account, the said prior is forthwith to sue him by the church law and compel him thereto, the said prior so doing to receive 5 marks over the said costs; and if the said John Chaloner, William Elleson, and William Amyas or any of them fail in coming to the audit, they shall lose their reward for that year, if they die the prior shall put in other as aforesaid. At the three years' (end) (the executors) to bring or send the accounts then finished to the said earl, Sir Raynald Bray and Marmaduke, now Abbot of Fountains, and John Cutt to comp(t)rolle the said accounts, whether it agree with my will and thereupon to subscribe it with their hands, the earl and Sir Reynald receiving 100*s.* each and the abbot and John Cutt 46*s.* 8*d.*, etc. At the ten years' end the accounts to be engrossed and sent to the archbishop of York under the seals of the earl and the others and of the said prior of St. Oswald's and the archbishop to make acquittance to the executors. Anything doubtful in the will to be construed by Master Robert Frost, one of my executors or the said Sir Thomas Pek. Servants to have a year's wages, etc. Executors,

Sir Harry Vernon, Knight, Master Robert Frost, chancellor to my lord prince, and Sir Thomas Pek, parson of Thornhill. Witnesses, Robert Fryston, William Levet, and Richard Breres.

The said John Sayvell, Knight, died on Palm Sunday, 20 Henry VII. Henry Sayvell is his son and heir and was aged at the time of his father's death six years and more.

Cal. of State Papers. *Inq. p.m.* Hen. VII, vol. ii, p. 511, No. 803.

There is an Inquisition, very dilapidated. Mar. 1st, Alice, daughter of William Vernon, Esq., died *s.p.*; mar. 2ly, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir William Paston, Knt., by Jane daughter and coheirress of Edmund Beaufort, Duke of Somerset who was slain at the battle of St. Albans, 1455, and cousin german to the Countess of Richmond, mother of King Henry VII. Mr. Hunter calls this the most splendid marriage of any of the earlier Saviles, as the son was thus a partaker of the royal blood.<sup>1</sup>

Her will, 1 July, 33 Hen. VIII (1542). Called Elizabeth Savile of Tankersley, widow. To be buried in the Lady quire in Thornhill church. To Edward and Dorithie, children of my son Henry Savile, each a spoon. To my daughter, Lady Anne Thwaites, my daughter, Lady Elizabeth Conyers, each a goblet. To Margaret Wortley a goblet. To Christopher Conyers, son of Sir Christopher Conyers, knt., 2 silver salts. To William and Isabell Thwaites, children of the aforesaid Anne, to Michael and Frances Sotehill, children of the aforesaid Elizabeth Conyers, each a spoon. To Elizabeth Lacie, wife of Richard Lacie, a spoon and a pair of beads. To Katherine

Thwaites, daughter of Lady Anne, a pair of coral beads. To Richard Lacie and Henrie Thwaites, sons of the Lady Anne, each a spoon. All other goods to Isabell Thwaites and Frances Sotehill equally. The Lord Talbote, Earl of Shrewsbury, and Henry Savile, knt., supervisors. Proved 12 Jan., 1541-2, by Lady Elizabeth Conyers, Lady Anne Thwaites, the other executrix, renouncing (*Reg. Test.*, xi, 591).

They had issue -

- Sir HENRY (IX).
- Anne, mar. Sir Henry Thwaites, of Lund.
- Elizabeth, mar. 1st, 18 July, 2 Hen. VIII (1519), Sir Thomas Conyers, of Sockburn, Knt., who died June, 1520; mar. 2ly, Thomas Sothill, Esq., of Sothill.
- Margaret, mar. 1st, Thomas Wortley, of Wortley, Esq., cov. 7 June, 13 Hen. VIII; mar. 2ly, Richard Corbet,

<sup>1</sup> Mr. Hunter says she remarried 1st Sir Richard Hasting, 2ly Sir Edward Poynings, 3d Robert Gargrave. If so, she kept the Savile name.

- Esq., of Wortley, whose will is dated 5 Oct., 1564, proved London, 20 Aug., 1566 (*Crymes*, 22; *North Country Wills*, Surtees Soc., cxxi, 42).

IX. SIR HENRY SAVILE, Knt., of Thornhill, etc., and of Sothill, *ju. ux.*; High Sheriff of Yorkshire 1537-41; a very important man in the reign of Henry VIII, to whom he steadfastly adhered at the time of the Pilgrimage of Grace; a great supporter of Robert Holdsworth, Vicar of Halifax, and an enemy of Sir Richard Tempest, Knt., of Bolling.<sup>1</sup> He died 25 April, 1558 (*Dewsbury Reg.*), but probably bur. Thornhill.

Will. - Feb. 15, 1555. Henrye Savyle, of Thornehill, knyghte. I wyll that my bodye be buryed at Thornehill if I die wythein the countie of Yorke, the same buryall and funralls expenses there of to be done by the dystression of my executrix. I wyll that Dorythe Savyle, my dowghter, shall have all my manors, landes, tenementes and heridamentes in the countie of Yorke or ells where wythein the realme of Englande, and shall tayke all the yssues of all the manors, &c., unto the end of fyve yeres next, and that she shall pay all my lawfull debtes and performe all my gyftes, &c., in my will. Also I gyve to Elizabeth the my wyffe all my corne in Dewsburye and Emley peryshes, also all maner of my goodes there, my playtt onelye except, which playtte wythe all my goodes wythein the peryshes of Thornhill and Tankersley I gyve to Edward Savyle, my sonne, my corne at Thornhill bothe grovyng and in the laythe excepted. Also I gyve to John Byrkes all money as he nowe owethe me, except suche money as he owethe me for corne. And I wyll that my sayde exectrix shall appoynt Henrye Bayt to keipe the courtes wythein all my lorde shippes and manors, and yf he dye, wyche God defende, then Henrye Gryce to enyoie the same offyce. I gyve unto the sayde Henrye Batte one yerelye annuyte of fortye shillinges to be payde to hime duryng his lyfe. I gyve Henrye Gryce one yerelye annuyte of fortye shillinges. I gyve unto Henrye Payge all somes of money as he dyd owe me at the fourte day of Aprill last past. I wyll that my executrix shall pay unto George Savyle one hundrethe markes in fyve yeres. I gyve the profyttes of all the landes belongynge to yonge Claton to my cosyn Thomas Savyll of Kyrkbye, he honestlie kepinge the sayde Rycherde in lerneynge. I gyve to the sayde Rycherde his maryage so that he do not marye but by the consent of John Birkes, John Claton of Dewly (? Denby) grannge, and Robert Wheatley, or two of them. Also I dyscharge all wardes dew to me at this day of there

<sup>1</sup> He had an illegitimate son whom he allowed to bear the name of Savile, whose mother was Margaret Barkston, one of the waiting maids of Lady Savile. In this son was centred the talent of the family, and it was a great object to release out of entail as much as possible of his estate, that he might establish a family in the posterity of this son called Robert (Hunter's *Lupset*). See the Saviles of Howley.

maryages. I wyll that all my landes whiche I have commytted in maryage in the indentors of Henry Savyll of Lupsett, my wyll fulfilled, yf anye thinge chance to Edward Savyll, my son, wythe oute yssew mayle to remayne treulye accordynge to the same commyttes, and also all landes as I have couynanted in maryage in the indentors of couynantes of Robert Savill shall remayne to the true intent of the same couinanttes. Also I gyve unto my dowgter Dorythe my leasses of Waythe and Bolton frome the terme of Ester next to the end of thos



yeres that I nowe have in the same so that she suffer my son Thomas Wentworthe and his uncle Thomas Wentworthe durynge the same terme to haue that that they do occupye at this present day paynges lyke rentes for the same as they do to me. And I wyll my dettes and bequestes be truly payd wythe reasonable charges for execution of my wyll. And all the rest of the revynes to be resayved durynge the sayde fyve yerres I gyve to Dorythe Savyle, my dowgter, for the avauncement of hir maryage. Also I gyve Geffray Barneby and Fraunces his Wyffe all my leas and terme I haue of the Lady Brandon durynge there lyves, and yf they dye durynge the sayd yerres I gyve the rest of the sayde terme to the heyres malle of there two bodyes lawfullye begotten. I do mayke the abouesayde Dorythe, my dowgter, my hole executrix. Thes beyng wytnes, Alverye Coppelay, esquier, Thomas Cockson, preist, Henrye Batte. I mayke the supervisors of my wyll Sir Thomas Gargrave, Sir John Nevyle, and Sir Wyllm Caluerlay, knyghtes, and every one of them to have twentye nobylls for there paynes. No probate annexed (*Reg. Test.*, xv, ii, 387).

*Inq. p. m.* - 25 Aug., 5 and 6 Phil. and Mary (1558). This Inquisition is very imperfect, but a little information can be extracted. It was taken at Pontefract before Thos. Gargrave, ..... Nevile, Knt., Francys Frobisher, Wm. Hawmond. The Jury say he was seised with his wife Elizabeth in her right in the manors of Soythyll, Rowtonstall, Laxton, Hadlesay, Daryngton and Emley, and of 10 watermills, 1 windmill, ..... acres of pasture, 80 of wood, 4,000 of heath and furze, £20 rent in the above and in Chydsell, Myrfeld, Stansfeld, Dewsbury and Ovenden, and the advowson of the parish church of Emley, with remainder to Edward Sayvell, their son and heir, and in default of his issue to Elizabeth and her heirs.

Sir Henry before his death, in consideration of a marriage between Henry Sayvell of Lupset, Esq., his kinsman, and Margaret Fuller, one of the daughters and heiresses of Thos. Fuller, late of Islington, Esq., granted an estate in Hunsworth to the said Henry, Knt., and heirs, and in default of issue to the same Henry Sayvell, Esq., and heirs, in default to Robert Sayvell and heirs, remainder to Sir Henry Sayvell. By the same deed he would make sufficient estate. In consideration of a marriage between Robert Sayvell and Anne Thymbleby, widow, he granted to Humfrey Browne, Knt., and Francis Ascough, Knt., he would have an estate made in the manors of Elland, etc., to the use of Sir Henry, Knt., remainders to Robert Sayvell, the heirs of Thomas Sayvell, late of Lupsett. In consideration of a marriage between Edward Sayvell, his son and heir, and Mary, one of the daughters and heiresses of Richard Leigh, Knt., he granted to said Edward and Mary and their heirs the manors of Tankersley and Southourome, the park of Southourome called Eland Park, and ..... of Myrfeld, Thurleston, and Estrington, with all his lands in the said places by deed 3 Feb., 2 and 3 Phil. and Mary (1555-6), by virtue whereof they are still possessed.

He died 23 April last. These manors are held of the King and Queen as of their lordship of Wakefield, now parcel of the Duchy of Lancaster - Wadsworth and Stansfeld by rent of 2s. yearly, worth £30. Ovenden by rent 5s., worth £26 10s. Skircote and Halifax, rent 2s., worth £13 6s. 8d. Shelf by rent 2s., worth £8. Ryshe worth, Shakelton, Heptonstall and Northland, Northowrome, Hunshelpe by rent 2s., worth £22. Brygehouse in free socage by fealty only, worth 8s. beyond a rent of £5 6s. 8d. (to the chantry priest of Thornhill). The manors of Eland, Southowram and Gretland, and messuages there, are held of the King and Queen of their honor of Pontefract, parcel of the Duchy of Lancaster, for the third part of a knight's fee and rent of 6s., worth £56. The manor of Myrfeld for 20th part of a knight's fee, worth £5. The manor of Thornhill by 4th part of a knight's fee and rent of 16s. 8d., worth £80. The manors of Gylcerr and Bothomley, worth ..... Haddlesey, worth £3. Darton manor, worth £13. Thurleston, worth £4. The manor of Wyke held of the King and Queen of their manor of Bradford, parcel of the Duchy of Lancaster, and that an annual rent of £5 6s. 8d. was paid yearly, having been granted by the ancestors of said Henry to a chantry priest in Elland church, worth £5 6s. 8d. The manor of Estrington is held of the Bp. of Durham, worth £29. Hunsworth is held of Henry and Ellen Tempest of their manor of Tonge, worth £80. Laxton held of the Bp. of Durham, worth (?) £33. Hanging heaton, Chydsell of the manor of Wakefield, worth £5. Stainland, Barkisland, and Over Lyndley, worth £6.<sup>1</sup>

Mar. Elizabeth, daughter and coheiress of Thomas Sothill, of Soothill; remar. Thomas Gascoigne, of Barnbow, Esq. They had issue -

- Edward Savile,<sup>2</sup> of weak intellect, aged 20 years 20 weeks and 12 days at his father's death; bapt. Dewsbury, 16 Feb., 1538-9; bur. 16 Feb., 1603-4, Thornhill; mar. 1st, Mary, daughter and heiress of Sir Richard Leigh, Knt., of St. Albans, before his father's death in 1555; she was divorced; mar. 2ly, Elizabeth, daughter of Geoffrey Barnby (Whitaker).

<sup>1</sup> Mr. Whitaker has printed a list of the estates in *Loidis and Elmete*, p. 312, not quite corresponding with the above. He makes the total £489 14s., consisting of 300 messuages, 300 tofts, 10 water mills, and 22,080 acres, not including the extensive wastes and commons perhaps amounting to as much more.

<sup>2</sup> He lived in obscurity, and it is said he was under the influence of the Earl of Shrewsbury. A settlement of the estates was made 28 Sept., 1559, which transferred them at Edward's death to the Lupset Saviles.

- Dorothy,<sup>1</sup> mar. John Kaye, of Okenshaw; executrix of her father's will, but she renounced that post.

Jul. 28, 1558. Dorothy Savile, the sole executrix in the will of Sir Henry Savile of Suttihall, par. of Dewisburys, Knight, her father, appeared in person in the Exchequer of York before the commissary, and exhibited the will of the deceased written on paper, and then publicly refused to take upon herself all execution of the will, and afterwards Lady Elizabeth Savile, relict of Sir Henry, appeared personally and sought administration of the goods of her husband, and the lord committed it to the said Elizabeth, and a bond is entered sealed by the said Lady Elizabeth Savile, Henry Grice, and Henry Batt, etc. (*Act Book*).

- John, died young.

## THE LUPSET (after of Thornhill) SECOND BRANCH.

I. THOMAS SAVILE, of Lupset, younger son of Sir John Savile, Knt., of Thornhill (VI), and Alice, daughter of Sir William Gascoigne, of Gawthorpe, Knt.; valet of the Crown.

Will. - Dec. 17, 1505. Thomas Sayvill of Lopished, Esq. I bequeath my body to be buried in the parish church of Wakefield in the Quire of St. Katherine. Also to the Curate of the same church for tithes forgotten iij. s. iij. d. I will that Margaret my wife have for her own use for life the hall of Lopished and a close called Bachrode; remainder after her decease to John and Ralph my sons, to be equally divided. I will that Johanna and Alice my daughters have that messuage in the "graifship of Allerthorp" with the croft and all its appurtenances. I will that George, James, Robert, Thomas, and Percival, my sons, have that messuage built in Thornes and another messuage built in Dewisbery with appurtenances, and the said messuages to remain to the survivor of them. To Elizabeth my daughter one heifer. The residue I give to Margaret my wife and to Alice my daughter, making them my executrices. Witnesses, Leonard Reidknap, Robert Bedforth, and Eliz. Bolling. Proved 20 February, 1505-6, by the executrices (*Reg. Test.*, vi, 224).

Mar. Margaret, daughter and heiress of Thomas Basworth, licence 21 Aug., 1482, in Wakefield church (*Reg. Rotherham; Test. Ebor.*, iii, 346). They had issue -

- JOHN (II).
- George, of Grantham (see Savile of Grantham, p. 36).

<sup>1</sup> The daughter is almost the only lady of the great Yorkshire houses of the sixteenth century who has been handed down as having sullied the honour of her family (Hunter's *Lupset*). She is said to have had seven illegitimate children.

- James.
- Ralph.
- Robert.
- Thomas, of Wakefield (see Savile of Wakefield).
- Percival.
- Johanna.
- Alice.
- Elizabeth.

II. JOHN SAVILE, Esq., of Lupset.

Died 16 Jan., 21 Hen. VIII, according to the Inquisition 30 June, 25 Hen. VIII (1533), taken at Wakefield before Sir Brian Hastings and Anthony Awkwood, Esq. He was seised in his demesne of 4 acres of land called Gylbert's Rodde in Lupsett in the township of Stanley, also in one messuage and three acres of land in Stanley called Lupsett. The 4 acres are held of the King in socage as of his manor of Wakefield by fealty and a rent of 4*d.* yearly, and are worth yearly 2*s.* The said messuage and 3 acres in Lupsett are of like tenure, rent 7½*d.* yearly, and are worth yearly 2*s.* 8*d.* The said John was seised in his demesne as of fee tail, viz. to himself and the heirs male of his body, reversion to Henry Savile, Knt., for ever of one messuage, 100 acres of land, 60 of meadow, 100 of pasture, 20 of wood, in Hunsworth, Byrley, and Clakheton, and of one water mill in Clakheton, and so seised he died. The premises in Hunsworth are held of the said Henry Sayvyll by reason of the said reversion by what tenure the jury know not, and are worth yearly 10*li.* clear. The said John died 16 Jan., 21 Hen. VIII, Henry Sayvyll, son and next heir, was then aged 12 years and more.

Mar. Anne, daughter and heiress of William Wyatt; remar. Leonard Bate. They had issue -

- HENRY (III).

III. HENRY SAVILE, Esq., of Lupset and Barrowby, *ju. ux.*; Surveyor of the Crown for the Northern Provinces, commonly called "The Surveyor"; M.P. Yorkshire 1558; High Sheriff 1567; one of the Council of the North; will 5 Jan., 1568-9, proved 16 May, 1569 (*Reg. Test.*, xviii, 11 York, and Sheffield 2, P.C.C.); *Inq. p. m.* 7 Sept., 12 Eliz. (1570).

Will. - 1 Jan., 1568. Henry Savile of Lupsett, Esquier. My body to be buried in the parishe churche, where it shall please God to call me, onlesse it be in the Countie of Yorke or Lincolne, then I will that my body be buried in the parishe churche of Thornehill or Barowghby by my ancestores at Thornehill, or at Barowghby where Johan, my late wief, lieth, decentlie and comelie as to my executor shalbe thought most mete. I will that my house at Wakefelde bridge and called the Chauntry house, of the yerelie value of xxvjs. viij*d.*, and the messuage over against the same wherein John Roo dwellith, of the yerely value of xxiijs., and my cotages lieng nere and those closes nere to Hernes (?) feilde in the parishe of Wakefelde, of the yerelye rent of ..... belonging to my Chauntry, and all that messuage in Wakefelde, of the yerlie value of xxs., which latelie belonged to the late Chauntry of our Lady in Wakefelde, and all my houses belonging to my late Chauntry to Sir William Cordell, knight, Mr. of the Rolles, Leonard Bate, gentleman, William Savile of Humby, Esquier, Henry Bate, gentleman, and William Savile, gentleman, my servaunt, and to their heires, upon condicon that they with the said landes make an hospitall at the bridge ende at Wakefelde, in suche order as the said Mr. of the Rolles shall devise, in the names of me and Dorothe my wife, the said Leonard Bate and Anne his wife, being my naturall mother, who I trust will augment the same according to their promyse unto me for six pore people contynualle for ever to pray for all Christian people, the which hospitall I will shall be erected within thre yeres after my death, which I do most hartelie require my wife and Mr. Bate and my mother to consent unto, and to suffer the proffittes of the premisses to be bestowed there on as my full trust is they will do. I give to Sir William Cordell, Leonard Bate, William Savile, Henry Bate, and William Savile for the building of the hospitall, and to make convenient romes for every of the six pore folkes with gardeyns, as shalbe convenient, ffortie poundes, and do chardge George Savile, my sonne and heire, upon my blessing to agree to the same foundacon, and to make assueraunce of the premisses asmuche as in hym is, and to augment the same to his power for his duetie to Almyghtie God, and to be thankefull to hym for the greate benefites that he hath received at his handes. To Dorothe, my wife, the occupacon and proffittes of my parsonages of Wakefelde and Dewisburie, whiche I have for terme of yeres, according to the covernautes at our mariage, she paieng the yerlie rent, and after her decease I gyve my lease to George my sonne upon condicon that he shall suffer Dorothe, my wife, to have during her life all the mannors and landes in the parishe of Barowghby, late the enheritament of William Vernon, Esquier, and the Lady Bozome, his wife, which I now holde as tenaunte, she paieng to hym as shall hereafter be appointed by this my will, and if my sonne George do not suffer my wife to enioye the Mannors in the said parishe during her life, then I will that after the death of my wife my sonne, ffraunces Savile, shall have the lease of the parsonages. I give the manor of Crumwell, in the Countie of Nottingham, which I latelie purchased of my cosen Dorothe Savile, to my wife during her life, and after her decease to Cordell Savile, my thirde sonne, and the heires of his body upon this condicon hereafter expressed, and for defaulte of yssue to my right heires. I bequeath the occupacon of the parsonage of Crumwell unto my wife, and after her decease to Cordell Savile. To George Savile, my sonne, my lease of my farme at Whissendine in the Countie of Rutland, which I have of the graunte of Thomas Cony of Bassingethorpe, Esquier, my stocke of c shepe and two mares in Castrooppe feilde, in the parishe of Barowghbie, and the tythes of Newboo, he paieng yerelie to my wife for the shepe gates xls., and for the tyth iiij*s.* iiij*d.* I will that within a convenient tyme all my cattell, corne, horses, mares, cowltes, and shepe being upon the demesnes of Barowghby, Whissondyne, Wyvell, Houghton, and Lynly, in the Counties of Lincoln and Nottingham, and Hatfield gate and Hooke in the Countie of Yorke, and Epworthe and Crowle

(excepte suche legaces bequeathed out of the same), shalbe solde towards the payment of my funeralles, debtes, and legaces. I gyve all my housholde and ymplementes of husbandry at Barowghbie unto my wife, and I will that she enioye to her use during her life all the said mannors in Barrowghbie, paieng my sonne George foertie poundes yerelie, and the parsonage of Barowghbie and landes, and after the death of my wife my sonne George shall have all the parsonage and said landes and my interest of the patent and office which my Lorde Admyrall, the Lorde Clynton, and I have graunted to us by the Quenes Matie of thoffice of Hatfeilde and Thorne Meare, and all my householde stuffe, &c., at Hatfeilde, my leases of the Mannor house of Epworth, and landes of the manor of Wrotte, upon this condicon, that he suffer my wife to have during her life the said mannor, and if he refuse, then I gyve them to my sonne, Cordell Savile. To my wife all my housholde stuffe, cattell, horses, corne (excepte my plate), at Thornhill and New Parke and at Crumwell, in full satisfaction of her porcon. I will that all my plate shall be equallie devided in two partes, thone to my wife, thother to my sonne Frauncis Savile and my daughter Katheryne, his wife. To my wife the profittes of one lease nere Lupsett of the devise of Mistres Palmes, and of closes and the vicaridge of Crowle, and after her decease to my sonne George. I will that my sonne Cordell Savile shall call for an accompte for the goodes of the father of Mary, his wife, to be made by his executor according to his Inventory at Yorke, her parte wherein amountith to a thousand markes, and do pray myne executors to assiste my sonne and his wife. I will that George Wyett shall have the occupacon of the house of the said Mary, which she hath in lease of the late Archebushop of Yorke, and of Wellam tythe, unto my sonne Cordell be of thaige of xxj yeres, paieng to my sonne and his wife fiftie poundes yerelie. I will that my sonne Cordell and Mary his wife shalbe in the order of his godfather Sir William Cordell, Knight, Mr. of the Rolles. I will the mannour of Crumwell after the death of my wife to Fraunces Savile, my sonne. I will that the said Fraunces and Katheryne his wife shall enter into her parte at Whitsontide or Metyl misse after my decease, so that they be ordered by Sir William Cordell, Knight. To my daughter Bridgitt fower hundred poundes, the money for the payment whereof I will to my executors the mannors of Sotell, Hangingheaton, Chidsell, and Darrington, after the death of the Lady Savile untill suche tyme as they have received the some of ccccli., and that the said Sir William shall have the bringing upp of my daughter. And also for avoiding of trouble hereafter betwene my executors and the Commyttees of Thomas Wilbram, my wyves sonne, I do declare I did owe to my said sonne Thomas Wilbram cclxli. and vijclxli. I have put into the handes of Sir William Cordell, my brother, Anthony Gravener, and Henry Bate, certyn leases and goodes. Whereas two hundred poundes is owing to me by Peter Haldsworth of Hallifax, I will my executors shall receive the same and shall pay the same to Dorothie my wife, who I will shall have the same and pay the debtes due to her sonne. I will that Friswithe my daughter shall have a full parte of my goodes according to my covernauntes made with Roger Ratcliff, Esquier, her husbände's father. To my sonne George my flagan chayne. To Dorothie my wife my chayne of lincke fasshion, parte wherof was my father Vernons. To Fraunces Savile, my sonne, my cheyne of small linckes which George my sonne now hath, and if my sonne George be not content with theis thre devises then my wife to have the flagan cheyne. To my Lady Cordell my white gelding. To Mrs. Allington my owen gelding. I will that George Wyett have the ferme in Barowghbie in the tenure of Henry Horner. To John Wyat landes in Sutton upon Lounde of the value of iiijli. xs., and after to Cordell Savile. To said John one fermeholde in Crumwell. Whereas I have one lease of the Mr. of the Savoye in the Counties of Yorke, Lincoln, Nottingham, and Lancashire, I will the same to William Savile, my servaunt, also one yerelie rent of iiijli. of the mylne of Horbury during the life of the Lady Savile, now wife to Richard Gascoigne, Esquier, and after his decease the said annuitie of iiijli. shalbe taken upon my landes in Chidsell. I gyve my lease of my terme of Horburie myll to George Savile, my sonne, during the life of the Lady as is aforesaid. To Gabriell Savile, my servaunt, one yerelie rent of foure markes. Whereas I owe somes of money aswell to my cosen, Dorothie Savile, as to others, and there is landes put upon trust towards the payment of the debtes, parte whereof is solde, I will that somuche as is unsolde shall be solde towards the payment of my cosen Dorothie and my debtes, legacies, and funeralles, as to my executors shalbe thought mete to supplye the rest over my corne, cattall, and other goodes before appointed to be solde, and the residue of the said landes I will that John Bate and Edward Birtbye shall make a good estate to my sonne George Savile. The residue of my goodes thone moitie I gyve to Dorothie my wife, and thother to my sonnes George, Fraunces and Cordell, and to my daughters Friswith and Bridgett. I make executors Sr William Cordell, Knight, Mr. of the Rolls, Dorothie my wife, William Savile, of Humby, Esquier, Leonard Bate and Henry Bate, Esquiers, and I gyve to Sir William lxxxi. and one yonge dapled grey hobby, and to William Savile, Leonard and Henry Bate, to every of them twentie poundes. Witnesses, Bryan Thornehill, p. me Willm. Savile, p. me Gabrielem Savile, p. me Johem Nottingham. Proved 16 May, 1569.

*Inq. p. m.* - Henry Savile, late of Lupset, arm., taken at Wakefield 7 Sept., 12 Eliz., 1570, before Thomas Gargrave, Knt., William Hamond, Esq., Robert Lee, Esq., and Charles Jackson, Esq.

The Jurors say, That before his death, he and one Thomas Savile, late of Exley, were seised of the manors of Thornhill, Southowrom, Eland Parke, Skircote, Brighouse, Hipperholme, Ovenden, Shelfe, Wyke, Waddesworth, Stansfeld, Myrfelde and Thurlston, and of 400 messuages, 206 cottages, 200 tofts, 20 watermills, 6 fulling mills, 10 wind mills, 20 dove cotes, 70 gardens, 6,000 acres of land, 2,200 acres of meadow, 4,000

acres of pasture, 1,030 acres of wood, 8,000 acres of moor, 1,000 acres of moss, 1,000 acres of turbary, 1,000 acres of heath and furze, and £20 rent and of a free fishery in the water of Chalder, and of the advowson of the church of Thornehill, to the use of Edward Savile, Esq., during his life, and after his decease to the use of Henry Savile in the writ, and his heirs male, and their heirs, as by an indenture 10 Oct., 8 Eliz. (1566), made between Edward Savile, late of Thornhyll, on the 1st part, and the said Henry Savile and Thomas Savile, of Exley, Esq., of the 2d part, and Richard Beamond of Whitley and John Thornhyll of Fixby, Esqres, of the 3d part, by which the said Edward Savile was seised of all the premisses for his life, and is still living.

Moreover the jurors say that the said Edward Savile was seised to himself and heirs male in the reversion of the manors of Gretland, Routonstall and Emley, and of lands in Byerley, Bollinge, Clayton, Heaton Clacke, Gomersall, Leversedge, Huddersfelde and Skelmanthorpe, and of the reversion of the manors of Hunsworth, Elande, Staneland, Barkisland, Ryshworth, Norlande, Golcarre, and Bothomhall, which Lady Elizabeth Savile, formerly wife of Sir Henry Savile, held and yet holds for her life, and being so seised the said Edward Savile levied a fine in the octave of St. Michael, 8 Eliz., between him and Robert Fletcher, querents, and the aforesaid Henry Savile, Dorothy Savile, sister and heir apparent of said Edward, Michael Soteshill. Thomas Savile of Copley, Esq., Thomas Savile of Hullinedge, Nicholas Savile of Newhall, Thomas Savile of Exley, Thomas Savile of Banke, Thomas Thornhyll, and John Batte, deforciant, by which fine the said Edward and Robert granted the manors to Thomas Thornhyll and John Batte for 100 years if Edward so long shall live, and after to remain to Henry Savile, late of Lupset, deceased, and to his heirs male, remainder to the heirs of Thomas Savile, formerly of Lupsett, deceased, grandfather of the said Henry, with remainder to the Saviles above.

Moreover the jurors say that Lady Elizabeth, above, late wife of Sir Henry Savile, deceased, was seised for life of the manors of Soteshill, Chydesell, Hanging Heaton, Smeaton, Laxton, Darrington in Darton, with remainder to Dorothy Savile, daughter of the said Sir Henry, and her heirs for ever, and the said Dorothy in consideration of £1,800 paid her by the said Henry in the commission, by her deed 5 Oct., 9 Eliz. (1567), sold the said lands to Henry Savile and Richard Beamonde and the heirs of Henry, by virtue of which indenture the said Henry and Richard were seised of the above manors, &c.

Moreover the jury say that some time before the decease of Henry Savile, named in the commission, Edward Savile was seised in the manors of Haddlesay and Tankersley, and of lands in Hunshelpe and Pondes, and being so seised, in consideration of a marriage to be had between George Savile, son and heir of Henry Savile of Lupset, and Mary Talbot, one of the daughters of George, Earl of Shrewsbury, by indenture 10 June, 2 Eliz. (1560), made between The Honourable George Talbot, now Earl of Shrewsbury, of the 1st part, Edward Savile of the 2d part, and Henry Savile of Lupsett of the 3d part, he the said Edward agreed he would make a good estate of the manors, &c., Edward, Earl of Derby, Henry, Earl of Rutland, William, Earl of Pembroke, William Cecill, Kt., James Dyer, Kt., William Cordell, Kt., Thomas Gargrave, Kt., William Calverley, Kt., William Gascoigne, and Walter Calverley, Esqres., to hold the same to the use of the Lady Elizabeth, after to said Edward, and after to the said George Savile and Mary Talbot and heirs male.

Mar. 1st, Margaret, daughter and coheiress of Henry Fuller or Fowler, licence 3 May, 1545. They had issue -

- Henry, bur. at Islington, 1546.

Mar. 2ly, Joan, daughter and heiress of William Vernon, of Barrowby, co. Lincoln, widow of Sir Richard Bozon, Knt. (*Linc. Pedigrees*, Harl. Soc.); bur. at Barrowby. They had issue -

- Sir GEORGE (IV).
- Francis, mar. Katherine,<sup>1</sup> daughter of John, 3d Lord Conyers of Hornby (Glover and Flower's *Visitations*).
- Cordell, of Sutton-upon-Lound, co. Notts.; bur. 14 Sept., 1615, Barnby-upon-Don; Adm. 27 Oct., 1615 (*Act Book*); mar. 1st, Mary, daughter and heiress of William Welbeck, died *s.p.*; mar. 2ly, Susan, daughter of ..... Shakelton, of London. They had issue -

- Cordell, of Clerkenwell, in Nottingham Visitation, 1623; mar. Catherin, daughter of Edw. Hunings, of Aye, co. Suffolk, and had several children entered in the register of St. James', Clerkenwell.

Mar. 3d, Jane, daughter of Richard Beaumont, of Elmley, widow of Robert Holmes, of Barnby; bur. 28 Jan., 1615-6, Darton.

Will. - 20 Dec., 1615. Jane Savile, widow, late wife of Cordell Savile of Barneby-sup.-Donne, gent., deceased. To be buried in the chancel of the parish church of Darton. To my cosen Winifride, wife of the right worshipfull Mr. John Armitage of Kirklees, Esq., an angel of gold. To my cosens, Jane and Dorothea Beaumont, my saddle cloeth, pillion seate and furniture therto belonging. To my brothers, Mr. William Beaumont of Lassell Hall, and Mr. Thomas Beaumont of the Nether Haigh, gent., each xijd. To John Savile, youngest son to my cosen, Mr. Francis Savile of the Haigh, deceased, five marks, and I ordain Francis Savile, second son of the aforesaid Francis Savile, sole executor, and supervisor Ralphe Carr of Nether Haigh, gent. Proved 23 Feb., 1615-6 (Reg. Test., xxxiii, 755).

<sup>1</sup> Mr. Brown, in *Yorkshire Deeds*, i, 89 (Rec. Ser.), rather doubts this match. Katherine Conyers mar. John Atherton, Esq., of Atherton, and her will, 10 Jan., 1625-6 (Katherine, late wife of John Atherton), makes no mention of Francis Savile. On the other hand Henry Savile the father, leaves legacy to him and his wife Katherine. Foster says he married 1st, Mary, daughter of Gilbert Saltonstall, of Rookes. There seems no further information about him.

- Bridget, mar. Henry Nevile, Esq., of Grove, co. Notts. (*Visitation*).
- Frediswide, mar. 1st, Francis Radcliffe, of Mulgrave (Glover, 206); mar. 2ly, William Vernon, of Wakefield; bur. Wakefield, 24 Jan., 1618-9. Mar. 3d, Dorothy, who had great legacies in her husband's will.

IV. SIR GEORGE SAVILE, of Barrowby, after of Thornhill, created a Baronet 29 June, 1611; High Sheriff of Yorkshire 1613; of St. John's College, Oxford; M.P. Boroughbridge 1586-87; Yorkshire 1592; succeeded to the great Savile estates on the death of his cousin, Edward Savile, 1603, by settlement; died 12, bur. 19 Nov., 1622, at Thornhill (Reg.); M.I.; Adm. 21 Dec., 1622 (*Act Book*); mar. 1st, Mary, daughter of George Talbot, 6th Earl of Shrewsbury, who brought Rufford as her dowry. They had issue -

- Sir GEORGE (V).

Mar. 2ly, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Edward Ayscough, of South Kelsey, co. Linc., by Hester, daughter of Thomas Grantham, widow of George Savile, of Stanley; lic. 1596; bur. 25 Jan., 1625-6, Horbury (Reg.).

Will. - 4th Oct., 1625. In the name of God, Amen. I, Dame Elizabeth Sauile of Lupsett, widowe, calling to mynd the uncertaintie of this mortall life, beeing in perfect memorie doe make and ordaine this my last will, first I committ my selfe wholie bodie and soule into the handes of the Almighty, by whose exceeding grat mercie and favour through the death of his sonne our onlie Saviour Jesus Christ, I doe asuredlie beleue and am certainlie perswaded by the testimonie of the holie spirit being witnes thereof from tyme to tyme to my conscience that I am one of the number of the faithfull and elect children of God. For my bodie when it shall please God to parte the same from my soule I will that it shall bee buried in the Chappell of Horburie if I die at Lupsett, or if not there at the discrecion of my frende and executor. I demise £40 of lawful money to be paid to 16 governors appointed by Decree by virtue of a Commission with the towne and parish of Wakefield, to be employed towards a stocke for setting in work such poor people in the said town and parish as are able to work, or for the yearly releefe of such poore as are not able to work. Whereas Sr. George Sauile, Knt. and Bart., my deceased husband, have heretofore made a lease to Henrie S., our 2nd son, of all that mess. called the Parsonage House in Wakefield, and of tithes of corn and hay I confirm the same. I give my daughter, Margaret S., £1,500 to be paid at 21 by my said son, Henry S., out of the profits of the rectories of Calverley, Cottingham and Bardsey, and moiety of the Rectory of Ottley. I give to Henrie S., my son, and his heirs the said Rectories and moiety. To my

sister Sauile of Wath one saluer, being double gilt with gold, and used for sucke with the cover thereof. To every one of my friends whose names are written in a paper made for that purpose, a ring of gold as is mentioned, with some posie grauen in everie one of them, for a remembrance of my love to them. I will £100 to be bestowed upon a tomb for a memorial of Sr. George S., Kt. and Bart., my late husband, and I desire the same tomb be placed in the church of Thornhill as near where his corps lye interred. The residue of all my goods I give to my son Henrie, whom I make my executor. In presence of Xpofer Naylor, Gilbte. Barrett, and Henrie Savile.

Codicil. - 14 Oct., 1625. I give my son, John S., Esq., towards the furthering of his house £100, to Mrs. Marie Pearsie, servant, £10, to Eliz. Pearsie, daughter of Henrie Pearsie, gent., my god-daughter. Whereas I bequeathed my daughter Margaret £1,500, if she die before she shall be married then the portion to be equally divided between my sons, John and Henrie S. Witness, Henrie S. Proved 21 March, 1625 (*Reg. Test.*, xxx, 350).

They had issue -

- Sir John, of Lupset (see Lupset branch A, p. 31).
- Henry.
- Richard, died unmar.; bapt. 28, bur. 30 Oct., 1605, Thornhill (Reg.).
- Elizabeth, bapt. 4 June, 1601, Thornhill (Reg.).
- Hesther, bapt. 19 July, 1604; bur. 21 April, 1605, Thornhill (Reg.).
- Margaret, bapt. 23 Aug., 1612, Thornhill (Reg); mar. John Archer, an Utter Barrister of Gray's Inn.

V. SIR GEORGE SAVILE, Knt., of Thornhill; born 1583; died *v.p.*, bur. 24 Aug., 1614, Thornhill (Reg.); M.I.

Will. - 20 July, 1612. George Savile of Soothill, knt., to be buried in Thornhill church or where my wife pleaseth. I give her all my claim in the milnes of Wakefeild, Horbury, Numiller Dame, my right in the tythes of Wakefeild, Warmfeild, Heath, the ould parke of Wakefeild, the newe parke of Wakefeild, Ouchthorpe, Wrenthorpe, Deusbury, Soothill, Chidsell, Heaton, and Ossett. To my eldest son George all right in my landes in Thornehill, Soothill, Chidsell, Heaton, Darrington, Wentbrigge, Smeaton, Yorke, Emley, Thurston, Bothomhall, Golcer, Eland, Barrowbie, Hunsworth, except the Heath landes, to him and his heirs. I give him one ringe of gould set with diamondes in forme of a harte. To my seconde sonne William one annuytie of a hundreth poundes, and the little howse at Heath, and a ring wherein is sett a blewe saphire. If my wife have any other sonne I will he have one hundreth poundes by year, if a daughter I will she have at her mariage or at nyneteene yeares one thousand poundes. To my ever honored father, my most honorable uncle, the Earle of Shrewsbury, my Ladie Grace Cavendish, Mrs. Jane Talbott, and my kind cosin, Gilbert Nevill of Grove, esquire, a gould ringe weighing twentie shillings. To my aunt, Mrs. Vernon, and my cosen, Mrs. Hester Savile, to either tenn poundes in gould. I appoint George, Archbishop of Canterbury, my antient lovinge tutor in Oxford, Edward Talbott, Esquier, my uncle, Sir Thomas Wentworth, Knight, my brother in lawe, and Mr. Charles Greenwood, parson of Thornhill, my cosen, my executors, giving each a silver bowle. Proved ult. Apr., 1616, London (Cope, 34).

Mar. 1st, Sarah, daughter of John Rede, of Cotesbrooke, co. Northampton; bur. 16 Feb., 1604-5, Thornhill (Reg.); mar. 2ly, Anne, eldest daughter of Sir William Wentworth, of Wentworth Woodhouse, sister of the Earl of Strafford, 14 Sept., 1607, at Wentworth; bapt. 11th July, 1591, St. Dunstan's in the West (*Coll. Top. et Gen.*, v, 366); bur. 31 July, 1633, Thornhill (Reg.). They had issue -

- Sir George, 2d Bart.; student of University College, Oxford; mat. 5 May, 1626; born *circa* 1611; died at Oxford 19 Dec., bur. 20 Jan., 1626-7, Thornhill.
- Sir WILLIAM (VI).

VI. SIR WILLIAM SAVILE, 3d Bart., of Thornhill, succeeded his brother; mat. University College, Oxford, 8 Dec., 1626; of Gray's Inn, 1628; M.P. Yorkshire April to May, 1640; for Old Sarum; a Commander on the Royalist side; Governor of Sheffield 9 May, 1643, and of

York; died there 24 Jan., bur. at Thornhill, 15 Feb., 1643-4 (Reg.); will 18 July, 1642, proved 21 Jan., 1643-44 (unregistered).

Will. - 18 July, 1642. To be buried (if with conveniency it may be) at Thornhill amongst my ancestors. Whereas on the 20 Nov., 1634, I being then by reason of fines and other assurances seized of an estate in fee simple of and in divers manors, lands, etc., in counties York, Nottm., Lincoln, Derby, Stafford, Oxon., Salop, Wilts., and co. of city of York, did by indenture of that date grant 2 thirds thereof to my brothers in law, John Coventry of Barton, co. Somst., esq., and Sir John Hare of Stow, co. Norf., knt., and my friends, Sir John Ramsden of Longley, co. York, knt., Sir Rd. Hutton of Hutton Pannell, co. York, knt., Fran. Nevile of Chivete, co. York, esq., Wm. Walter of Sarsden, co. Oxford, esq., Chas. Greenwood, clk., rector of Thornhill aforesaid, and Henry Cooksonne, gent., my servant. To hold to them for 20 years upon the trusts therein declared. My will is that the said lease be for payment of my debts, and if it and my personalty be insufficient for that purpose, my land and tithes in Craven to be sold, and my exors. to have power to demise for 21 years (reserving £5 rent per ann.) my manor of Hunsworth, and all my lands in Birstall, co. York. My most deare and louinge wife £500, and the best bed I have, and such a suit of hangings as she shall choose, and all the plate and jewels she commonly keepeth in her chamber or closet. Eldest son George all my arms both horse and foot. Daurs. Anne and Margt. £5,000 each at 18. Son Wm. £500 at 21. Son Henry £200 yearly for life out of my lands in Alton, co. Stafford, and £1,000 at 21. If my wife shall have a child before I make provision for it, I give it, if a son, £200 a year for life out of my lands in co. Derby, and £500 at 21; and if a daughter, £4,000 at 18. Each of my daurs. £120 per ann., till they have their portions, out of my lands in co. Derby. All my children to be bred in such place as my exors. shall think fit. John Coventry, esqr., and the rest of my friends named with me in this my will as parties to lease of 20 Nov., 1634 (living at my death), £30 each. Servants 2 years' wages each, except those to whom I leave annuities. List of annuities set down in a separate paper, to be paid out of my lands and milnes in Denby, Claiton, and Inburchworth during the several lives of the persons to whom I give same. Henry Allen to have the land he now is in possession of, part of my demesne of Thornhill, until my son Geo. is 21, paying for the same £200 per ann., and not ploughing any part of the ground the last 3 years of his term. [N.B. - The whole will appears to be in the testator's own handwriting, and in the margin here he puts: "Md. that I doe not meane he shall by this bargain have the 20 loades of hay I now pay him, but I meane that he enioy the closes knownen by the name of Britan closes and Gelder closes."] I give my wards their marriages, except His Majesty's ward, Wm. Savile, "to whom I entreat my executores to be very kind, and if he doe well to give him the least halfe of his wife's portion." Friends Sr. Thos. Danby, Sr. Ingram Hopton, John Vauhan of the Inner Temple, esq., and Captaine Tho. Beamount, £20 each and a horse out of my stable. My honourable kinswoman, the Countess of Kent, £50. My faithful friend, John Selden, esq., £50. £100 to be bestowed in rings and given to my friends in remembrance of me. Wife and friends, Sr. John Ramsden, Sr. Rd. Hutton, Fran. Nevile, esq., exors. My exors. to take (if the Mr. of the Wardes be so pleased) the wardship of my son. To each of my exors. £40, and the running of 6 horses in any of my parks until my son shall attain 21. Witnesses, Chas. Grenewoode, W. Armitage, George Cartwright, Willm. Denison, Tho. Beaumont, John Batte, and Joseph Sill. Proved 21 Jan., 1643, in the house of John Savile in York, before Philip Broome, M.A., surrogate, by Lady Anne Savill, Sir John Ramsden, Sir Rd. Hutton, power being reserved for Francis Nevile.

List of annuities to be paid out of my lands and milnes in Denby, Claiton, and Inburchworth, co. York. John Batt of Okwell, esq., £20. Thos. Farran, gent., my servant, £20. Joseph Sill of Thornhill, gent., £20. Robt. Bladen, my servant, 20 marks. Geo. Cartwright, Tho. Colbrand, Tho. Raulines, my servants, 20 nobles each. Tho. Addy, my servant, and his wife, and the survivor, 20 nobles. Joseph Sikes, John Milner, my servants, 5 marks each.

Codicil. - 1 Jan., 1643. "Upon perusall of my will made the 18th of July, 1643, findinge that I haue made noe provision for the maintenance of my sonne Wm. duringe his minority," and I have settled the inheritance of Barroby and the rest of my lands in co. Linc. on him. I hereby give to him the manor and advowson of Barroby and all other my lands in co. Linc., and because this cannot take effect during my wife's life in case she stand to her jointure, therefore I give my said son Wm. £100 yearly during his mother's life out of all my manors, etc., in co. Salop, with power of distress in default of payment. But if my wife do take to her thirds and waive her jointure, then this rent charge to cease. Sir Paul Nele to have as I have devised (*sic*) to Sr. Ingram Hopton. Mr. Robt. Butler £10. Witnesses, Jo. Cosin, Robert Butler, Tho. fferrand, Sam. Jackson, Paul Neile, J. Monckton.

Mar. Anne, daughter of Thomas, 1st Lord Coventry; she was with her husband at Sheffield, and had a child there during the siege; she remar. Sir Thomas Chicheley, of Whimple, co. Cambridge, and was bur. there *circa* 1661.<sup>1</sup> They had issue -

- Sir GEORGE (VII).



- William, died unmar. before 1660; to have £500 in his father's will.

Henry, of Barrowby; M.P. Newark 1673; an envoy at Paris; Vice-Chamberlain. His correspondence was printed by the Camden Society in 1858, edited by W. D. Cooper, F.S.A. He was born at Rufford 1641 or 1642, and died at Paris 6 Oct., 1687 (see *Dict. Nat. Biog.*).

<sup>1</sup> See her life, by Dr. Barwick (G.E.C.).

Will. - 15 June, 1687. Henry Savile of Barroughby, co. Lincoln, esq., now not in very good health. I make my dear brother George, Marquess of Halifax, sole exor., and give him and his heirs all my manors, lands, etc., debts, goods, and personal estate, as well what doth belong unto me as one of the exors. of Sir William Coventry, Knt., deceased. If the Marquis die during my life then I make his 2nd son, the Lord Wm. Savile, exor., and in such case I give him all my manors, lands, etc., and personal estate. To my dear friend and kinsman, Sir Chas. Sedley, Bart., £500. I give unto the Chest of Chatham £1,500 due to me from the King upon a privy seal. To my Lady Eland £200 for a ring. To my sister in law, the Marchioness of Halifax, to my nieces, the Countess of Carbery and Lady Eliz. Savile, Thos., Earl of Plymouth, John, Earl of Carbery, Henry, Lord Eland, Thos., Visct. Wymouth, Lord Wm. Savile and Lord George Savile, and Sir Thos. Chicheley, to each alive £10 for rings. To my cousin, Henry Savile, now Captain in the King's Regiment of Foot Guards, £100. My exor. to pay the poor French Protestants £100 as he shall think fit. To Monsieur de Ruvigny, eldest son of old Monsieur de Ruvigny, the picture of a French Lady in an oval frame in a kind of boyish dress that hangs in the gray bedchamber at Bushy Parke, as also a little picture of the Dutchess of Mazarin which will be found in a drawer of one of my cabinets. To Thomas Jobson, gent., £100, also mourning to him and his wife. To my servant Mozay £150, with all such guns, pistols, or other arms as I shall have left at Bushy Park. To Mrs. Lord and Ellinor Blyton the yearly sum of £5 each. To Henry Guy, esq., my gilt cup which has his arms on one side and mine on the other with the late King's cypher on the cover. To Henry Sedney, Esq., 2 fowling peeces with my arms on them, left in the custody of Mr. Thos. Robson. To Mr. Hall, rector of Barrowby, £10 for a ring. To the Corporation of Newark a piece of plate of value of £50, my arms to be put on it. To the poor of Newark £20, of Barroughby £10, of Bampton in Oxford £10, of Hampton in Middlesex £10, in which place I desire to be buried if I die in England, but if I die beyond the seas I desire only the convenienest interment may be had there. My executor out of my estate shall pay my funeral charges, debts, legacies. Proved London, 12 Oct., 1687, by executor (Foot, 130).

- Talbot, born 12 Aug., 1644; died young.
- Mary, bapt. 29 Aug., 1632, Thornhill; died young, (?) 1637.
- Anne, born 18 Jan., bapt. 10 Feb., 1634, Thornhill (Reg.); mar. 12 May, 1656, at St. Giles in the Fields, Thomas Windsor, 1st Earl of Plymouth; she died 22 Mar., 1666; bur. Tardebrigg, co. Worc. (G.E.C.); she had £5,000 in her father's will.
- Margaret, bapt. 22 Sept., 1640, Thornhill (Reg.); had £5,000 in her father's will.

VII. SIR GEORGE SAVILE, 4th Bart.; created 13 Jan., 1668, Baron Savile of Eland and Viscount Halifax; 16 July, 1677, Earl of Halifax; 17 Aug., 1682, Marquess of Halifax, the eminent Statesman (see his life and letters by H. C. Foxcroft, and *Dict. of Nat. Biog.*); bapt. 28 Nov., 1633, Thornhill (Reg.); bur. 11 April, 1695, in Westminster Abbey.

Will. - 17 Mar., 1691. George, marquesse of Halifax. "I am not sollicitous to chuse my grave, neither do put any weight upon the being buried where I was borne, yet not to appear singular I am content in case I shall happen to dye at Rufford or in Yorkshire, to be carryed to Thornhill, there to lye amongst my ancestors; if I shall dye in London I desire to be buried at Westminster, but wherever I shall be putt into the ground my will is that the ceremony of it may be performed with noe greater expence than must in strict decency be thrown away upon me." To my dear wife one thousand pounds, her jewels, chamber plate, or other plate upon which her coat of arms only shall be engraved, with the usual furniture belonging to any one room in my house at London at her choice, and I give her the terme of the house in St. James Square, now possessed by my son William, Lord Eland. To my wife my house, gardens, etc., purchased by me in the name of Sir Thomas Clergis, in Acton, with all that belongeth me in Acton, and the use of all the furniture, and after her decease to my son Wm., Lord Eland, and his heirs. I give her all the lands in Crich with the profits of the lead mines for her life. My will is that as touching all my lands not included in the settlement made on the marriage of my son, Lord Eland, I give the same to my son and his heirs, and for want of issue to my daughter Stanhop, my intention being that my

daughters of the half blood shall not hinder her from inheriting in course as is above directed. My son, Lord Eland, sole exor.

Codicil. - 19 Nov., 1693. I give my godson, George Savile, son of the present rector of Thornhill, £1,000 towards his education and support that he may be the better qualified to enjoy a considerable part of my estate which I have settled upon him by deed in case my son William, Lord Eland, should die without issue male.

Codicil. - 4 April, 1695. To my wife £500. To my cousin, Henry Savile, £100. To the poor of St. James' £100, and £100 amongst the poor French Protestants. To the Governors of the Hospital of King James in Charter House, at the charges of Thomas Sutton, Esq., of which I have been for some years a Governor, £100. To servants, Thos. Medhurst £100, John Gregory £100, and to the rest a year's wages. John Nicholls and Nathaniel Champion £10 yearly. To Mr. John Conyers £20 for a ring. To my steward, Theophilus Shelton, £10 for ring. My will is to be buried in the Abby church of Westminster with as little ceremony as may be. Proved 17 April, 1695, by his son (Irby, 57).

Mar. 1st, 29 Dec., 1656, St. Giles in the Fields, Dorothy, daughter of Henry Spencer, 1st Earl of Sunderland; she died 16, bur. 31 Dec., 1670, Thornhill (Reg.). They had issue -

- George, bapt. 10 March, 1659-60, St. James', Clerkenwell; bur. there 10 Jan., 1660-1.
- Henry, Lord Eland of Christ Church, Oxford; mat. 11 April, 1674, aet. 13; bapt. 2 Mar., 1660-1, St. James', Clerkenwell; died 1688 *v.p.*

Will. - 7 Oct., 1687. Henry Savile, Lord Eland. Whereas my father, the Lord Marquess of Halifax, by indenture 11 Apr., 36 Chas. II, did settle the reversion of a certain fee farm rent of £550 out of the manors of Bradbury and Hilton, co. Durham, after the death of the now Queen Dowager, unto himself, and after his decease unto me and my heirs. I give unto my dear wife Hester, Lady Eland, and her heirs, all such rent of £550, and other rents issuing out of the said manors. I make my wife sole executrix, and give her all my money, plate, jewels, furniture, and personal estate whatsoever. In presence of Carbery, Tho. Tenison, Wm. Smythe, Edward Browne. Proved 8 June, 1688, by Hester Savile.

Mar. Esther, daughter of Charles Gouvernet, Marquis de la Tour, *circa* April, 1684; she was bur. 26 May, 1694, in Westminster Abbey; M.I.

- George, born 1667; wounded at the siege of Buda; died *s.p.*, 1688 (see Cooper's *Savile Correspondence*).
- Sir WILLIAM (VIII), 2d Marquis.
- Anne, born 1663; mar. 10 Aug., 1682, St. Martin's in the Fields, John Vaughan, Earl of Carbery; she was bur. 23 Jan., 1689-90, St. Andrew's, Holborn.

Mar. 2ly, Nov., 1672, Gertrude, daughter of Hon. William Pierrepont, son of the Earl of Kingston; she died 1, bur. 5 Oct., 1727, in Westminster Abbey.

The Will of Gertrude, Marchioness Dowager of Halifax.

24 Oct., 1723. My body to be privately buried, and no scutcheons, and laid, if I die in London, by the body of my dear Lord, George, Marquis of Halifax, at Westminster; if in the country in the next parish church. Rest of personal estate to my grandson, Phillip Dormer Stanhope, commonly called Lord Stanhope, to be sole exor. I declare this paper part of my will. To the parish church where I shall die £20. To the poor of Belforston parish, now my jointure, £30; of Wingfield, Crich, Shirland, and Streeton, £10 each. To Penelope Talbot 30 guineas. To Mr. James Morris, clerk in the Pell office, 20 gs. To John Mumford 10 gs., and to all my servants ½ year's wages. 26 Oct., 1723. To Martha Davis 10 gs. Proved London, 19 Oct., 1727 (Farrant, 234).

They had issue -

- Elizabeth, bapt. 4 Sept., 1675, St. Martin's in the Fields; mar. 24 Feb., 1691-2, Philip Stanhope, Earl of Chesterfield; she died 4, bur. 11 Sept., 1708, in Westminster Abbey.

VIII. SIR WILLIAM SAVILE, 5th Bart., 2d Marquess of Halifax; born 1665; mat. Oxford, 5 Dec., 1681; M.P. Newark 1689-95; bur. 9 Sept., 1700, St. Alban's.

Will. - 16 Aug., 1695. William, Lord Marquis of Halifax. I desire my body may be buried either at Thornhill or at St. Miles in St. Albans at the discretion of my executors with respect to the place I shall die. To my dear wife all her jewels, dressing plate, all my guilt plate, together with the service of plate which was my late uncle's, Henry Savile's, also the use of the jewels which were my late dear wife's until my daughter, the Lady Anne Savile shall attain 21 or be married, if she die then I give her the absolute property. If my daughter live I give her all her mother's jewels, and to my wife in recompence £1000. For the rest of my personal estate, except leases for years and furniture of my houses, if I have no sons living, then I give the rest to be equally divided as followeth: if I have no issue female or born afterwards then one moiety to my wife and the other to my daughter, the Lady Anne, but in case I have issue one third to my wife, one third to the Lady Anne, and one third to my daughter or daughters by my wife. In case I have issue male that then my exors. do stand possessed of the residue of my personal and leasehold estate in trust to raise £5,000 increase of portion for my daughter, the Lady Anne Savile, to be paid her, together with the £15,000 provided for her by the settlement on her mother's marriage. I charge my leasehold estate and ground rents in London with £500 p. an. to my wife for increase of her jointure. As to the furniture of my houses, Halifax house, Rufford, and Acton, my will is the same shall belong to such persons to whom my houses shall descend. For my leasehold estates if I have no issue male I give the same to my daughter, the Lady Anne, and to all other my daughters living or afterwards to be born, equally. If all die, to my sister Stanhope. Education of daughters by my wife by the advice of her father, the Earl of Nottingham, Hon. Heneage Finch, and Wm. Finch, esq. Guardianship of my daughter, the Lady Anne, to Rt. Honble. Gertrude, March. Dowager of Halifax, my wife, the Earl of Nottingham, and her grandfather, Sr. Samuel Grimston, Bart., Lord Visct. Weymouth, and the survivors. I make the Earl of Nottingham, Lord Visct. Weymouth, Heneage Finch, esq., Francis Gwyn of St. Martin's in the Fields, esq., and John Conyers of Middle Temple, esq., exors. In presence of Tho. Medhurst, Sam Hoyle, Nathl. Champion, Tho. Gregory.

Codicil. - 20 Aug., 1700. Additional portions for daughters if no son.

Proved London, 11 March, 1700-1 (Dyer, 36).

Mar. 1st, licence, 24 Nov., 1687, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Samuel Grimston, 3d Bart.; died 1694. They had issue -

- George, died inf.
- Lucy Anne, died young, 1700.
- Anne, coheiress; mar. Charles Bruce, 3d Earl of Ailesbury; died 18 July, 1717.

Mar. 2ly, Lady Mary, daughter of Daniel Finch, 2d Earl of Nottingham, 2 April, 1695; she remar. 1st Jan., 1708, John Ker, 1st Duke of Roxburgh. They had issue -

- William, Lord Eland; bapt. 2 April, 1696; bur. 18 Feb., 1696-7, St. James', Westminster.
- George, died young.
- Essex, died young.
- Dorothy, bapt. 24 Sept., 1699, St. James', Westminster; mar. 21 Mar., 1720-1, Richard Boyle, 3d Earl of Burlington; bur. 12 Oct., 1758, Londesborough.
- Mary, bapt. 30 Sept., 1700, St. James', Westminster; mar. 11 June, 1722, Lincoln's Inn Chapel, Sackville Tufton, 7th Earl of Thanet.

The 2d Marquis of Halifax having left no male issue, the Thornhill and Rufford estates, etc., descended to the Lupset (after of Thornhill) branch, sprung from the marriage of Sir George Savile and his second wife, Elizabeth Ayscough.

## **YOUNGER LINE OF LUPSET, AFTER OF THORNHILL.**

A. SIR JOHN SAVILE, Knt., of Lupset, eldest son of Sir George Savile, 1st Bart. (IV), by his 2d wife, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Edward Ayscough; Knighted 22 June, 1627; High Sheriff of Yorkshire 1649; a Parliamentarian; bur. Horbury 8 May, 1660 (Reg.).

Will. - 24 Oct., 1659. Debts to be paid out of lands. I give my whole estate (except manor of Wath on Dearne, manor house, etc., there, and lands hereinafter devised to my son, Thos. S., as per Marriage Articles made between John Armitage, esq., decd., and me) to my exors. and trustees upon trust to pay as follows: To Kath. S., my 2nd daur., £2,000 for her portion, and to my daur., Mary S., £2,000 at 21, and to my daur., Anne S., £2,000 at 21. In pursuance of an indenture made between me and Dame Anne, my late wife, decd., of the one part, and Sr. Thos. Glemham and Sr. John Wentworth, knts., and John Soame, gent., of the other part, I give to my son, John S., £300 a year till my eldest son, Thos. S., shall attain 21, for said John's maintenance and for raising a portion for him. Son and heir, Thos. S., closes near Lupsett hall called Gt. Tunstall Close and Little Tunstall Close, Hilly Close, Well Close, Gt. Waltroyd, Mistriss Ingg, Broakesbanks Close, and Head Ings, with right of way to the River Calder. To hold to him in tail male. My servants 40s. each. Servant John Foster £10 yearly for life, to be paid to him by John Archer and Rd. Tolson, esqres., my Trustees, and he to be employed in collecting my rents. I have surrendered my copyholds of the Manor of Wakefield on date of this my will, and my copyholds in Criglestone Court on the same date, to John Archer, esq., and Rd. Tolson, esq., to the uses of my will. Upon trust to pay debts, etc., and then to the use of Thos. Savile, my son and heir in tail male, with rem. to my 2nd son, John S., in tail male. Manor of Wath on Dearne, and manor house and lands, etc., there, to Sr. John Armitage, bart., and Wm. Hustler, esq., Provided that if said Rd. Tolson, esq., or his heirs or assigns shall pay to them £1,200 on the 5th July, 1663, towards payment of my debts and legacies, then they shall convey sd. manor, etc., to him. But if not paid, the sd. Armitage and Hustler to sell sd. manor, etc., towards payment of my debts, etc. Eldest daur., Frances Hustler, and sd. Wm. H., her husband, exors. John Archer, esq., supervisor. Said John Archer, esq., and my daur. Frances, 100 marks each for their pains. Wits., Rd. Benett, Abraham Haighe, Timothy × Milner, John Foster, and Thos. Scholay.

No probate in Register [1661-2] (*Reg. Test.*, xliv, 73, York).

Mar. 1st, 4 Feb., 1626-7, Hartshead (Reg.), Elizabeth, daughter of Sir John Armytage, Bart., of Kirklees; bur. 14 Jan., 1638-9, Horbury (Reg.). They had issue -

- George, bapt. 22 Jan., bur. 2 Feb., 1627-8, Hartshead (Reg.).
- Margaret, bapt. 1 Dec., 1628, Wakefield (Reg.); bur. 8 Oct., 1629, Hartshead.
- Elizabeth (twin with Margaret), bapt. 1 Dec., 1628, Wakefield (Reg.); bur. 17 April, 1630, Hartshead (Reg.).
- Frances, bapt. 24 Aug., 1630, Wakefield; mar. 9 Nov., 1654, Horbury, William Hustler, Esq., of Acklam.
- Marie, bapt. 11 Dec., 1632, Wakefield; bur. 24 April, 1633, Horbury (Reg.).
- Christian, bapt. 9 April, 1635; bur. 7 Feb., 1640-1, Hartshead (Reg.).
- Anna, bapt. 24 Aug., 1636; bur. 7 Jan., 1640-1, Hartshead (Reg.).
- Katherine, of Acklam, bapt. 31 Mar., 1634, Wakefield; died unmar.

Will. - 31 July, 1680. "A true and reall daughter of the Church of England." To be buried in Acklam church, close to my dear deceased servant, Mary Parker. Poor of Acklam and Middlesbrough, £5. Brother, Joseph Savile, £400. Sister, Mary Jenison, £200. Nephews, John Hustler, Rd. H., and James H., £200 each. Nieces, Elizabeth and Catherine Hustler, £200 each. Mr. John Johnson of Thornton, £30; and £50 more to dispose of as I have ordered. Abraham Haigue £20. Sister, Anne Harris, 10s. Residue to Sr. Wm. Hustler, exor. Wits., John Johnson, Eliz. Hustler, Ellen Corney, and Eliz. Lodge.

Proved York, 9 Aug., 1680, by extrix. (*sic*) (*Reg. Test.*, lviii, 95).

- Winifred, bapt. 11 Jan., bur. 12 Jan., 1638-9, Horbury.

Mar. 2ly, Anne, daughter of Sir John Soame; bur. 23 May, 1651, Horbury (Reg.). They had issue -

- THOMAS SAVILE, Esq., of Lupset, which he left to his sister Anne Harris, passing over his brother John; mat. St. Alban Hall, Oxford, 19 Oct., 1666, aet. 18; bur. 3 Sept., 1677, Horbury (Reg.).

Will. - 1676, 17 June. Thomas Savile of Lupset Hall, Esq., son and heir of Sr. John Savile, Knt., my late father, deceased. To be buried at the discrecon of my Executors. I give unto my loveing brother in law, John Harris of the Inner Temple, London, gentl., and to my loveing sister Anne, the now wife of the said John Harris, and to the heirs of their two bodies, and for want of such issue to the right heirs of the said John Harris for ever, all my capital messuage called Lupsett wthin the manor of Wakefield, and all my lands, etc., in the said manor in Thornes, Sandall, Horbury, Ossett and Stanley, (and) all my rectory or parsonage impropriate of Wakefeld. I give £500 a ps. unto my nephews and neeces, John, Ann, Thomas, and Mary, the four children of my brother in law, John Harris, and of my sister Anne, and for want of issue to the right heirs of the said John Harris. I make my brother in law and sister exors. In presence of us, George Hill, Richard Taylor, Will'm Edward Hutton, Edward Dalby (Copied in Taylor's *Rectory Manor*, 110).

- Sam., bapt. Horbury; bur 11 Mar., 1647-8 (Reg.).
- Sir JOHN SAVILE, 6th Bart., succeeded to the Thornhill and other estates on the death of his cousin, the 2d Marquis of Halifax, 1700; bapt. Horbury, 15 Feb., 1650-1 (Reg.); died unmar. *circa* 1704.
- Anne, bapt. 24 Aug., 1636, Hartshead; had Lupset from her brother Thomas; mar. John Harris, seal-bearer to the Earl of Nottingham, but lived apart from her husband, and is said to have shortened her days with intemperance; she died 28, bur. 29 Oct., 1681, Wakefield; their son, John Harris, sold Lupset.
- Mary, mar. Robert Jennison, Esq., of Newcastle, licence, 30 Sept., 1667 (Surtees *Durham*).

B. HENRY SAVILE, Esq. (younger son of Sir George Savile by his 2d wife, Elizabeth Ayscough), of Bowling, near Bradford, which he bought 1648, and sold 1669 to Francis Lindley; Adm. Lincoln's Inn, 2 April, 1618; bapt. Thornhill, 9 Dec., 1599 (Reg.); bur. 1 June, 1667, Bradford (Reg.); mar. Anne, daughter of Robert Cruse, of London (Dugdale). They had issue -

- George, son and heir, aet. 22 ann. 2 April, 1666; Adm. Lincoln's Inn, 9 May, 1661; bapt. 16 July, 1643, Thornhill (Reg.).
- JOHN (C).
- Henry, a Colonel, of St. James', Westminster; bapt. 12 Feb., 1648-9 (Reg.); bur. 6 Aug., 1706, Thornhill (Reg.).
- Robert, bur. 22 June, 1660, Bradford (Reg.).
- Edward, died *s.p.*
- Elizabeth, mar. Charles Ubaldino, Marquis de Montesaltro, licence, 2 Sept., 1668.
- Anne, mar. Sir Robert Forbes.
- Mary.

C. JOHN SAVILE, Rector of Thornhill for 29 years 8 months and 10 days; bur. there 25 Jan., 1700-1 (Reg.).

Administration of Revd. John Savile, Rector of Thornhill (from Original papers unregistered).

Date 12 July, 1701. Sureties, Barbara Savile of Rufford, Notts., widow, relict of said Rev. John, the Administratrix, and Geo. Savile of Rufford, Esq.

Mar. 1st, Elizabeth, daughter of Dr. Tully; died *s.p.*; bur. 17 Feb., 1675-6, Thornhill (Reg.); mar. 2ly, Barbara, daughter of Thomas Jennison, of Newcastle. They had issue -

- Sir GEORGE (D).
- Anne, mar. 1st, Sir N. Cole, of Brancepeth, 3d Bart.; mar. 2ly, a Belgian adventurer called "Baron Dognyes" (G.E.C.); bapt., 9 Feb., 1680-1, Thornhil (Reg.).
- Gertrude, bapt. 9 Feb., 1696-7, Thornhill (Reg.).

D. Sir GEORGE SAVILE, 7th Bart., of Thornhill, Rufford, etc.; succeeded in Baronetcy his cousin, Sir John Savile, 6th Bart., in 1704; mat. Christ Church, Oxford, 4 July, 1696; M.P. Yorkshire 1728-34; bapt. 18 Feb., 1678-9, Thornhill, (Reg.); died 16, bur. there 25 Sept., 1743 (Reg.).

Abstract of Will of Sir Geo. Savile of Rufford, Notts., Bart.

Date 9 June, 1743. Very long Will, mentions following relations, Daughters Arabella and Barbara Savile (under 21). Only son, George Savile. Sister, Gertrude Savile. Aunt Newton. Cousin, Eliz. Ogle, daur. of sd. Aunt Newton. Cousins, Nathl. Ogle, Newton Ogle, Chaloner Ogle, Isabella the wife of Sir Chaloner Ogle, and Elizth. wife of ..... Gray, Esq., sons and daus. of my sd. cousin, Elizth. Ogle. Also Martha Ogle, unmarried dau. of sd. cousin Elizth. Ogle. Cousin, Jane Bird, widow Exors., Nathl. Ogle, Hy. Elmsall of Thornhill, clerk, and Gilbert Mitchell, Rector of Eakring, Notts.

1st Codicil. - Dated same day, 9 June, 1743. Mentions Mr. Newton Ogle, Mr. Chaloner Ogle, and Miss Martha Ogle, the 2 youngest sons and daughter of my Cousin, Eliz. Ogle, widow of Nathl. Ogle, late of Kirkby, co. Northumberland, Esqre., and Nathl. Ogle, eldest son of same.

2nd Codicil. - Dated 10th June, 1743. Provision made for housekeeper, Mary Ardell.

Proved 7 July, 1744.

Mar. 19 Dec., 1722, St. James', Westminster, Mary, daughter of John Pratt, of Dublin. They had issue -

- Sir GEORGE (E).
- Arabella, mar. John Thornhagh or Hewet, Esq., of Osberton.
- Barbara, mar., Richard Lumley, 4th Earl of Scarborough, 12 Dec., 1752; she died 22 July, 1797; bur. St. Marylebone; M.I.

E. SIR GEORGE SAVILE,<sup>1</sup> 8th Bart., of Thornhill, Rufford, etc.; an eminent politician; M.P. Yorkshire 1758-83; died unmar. 10, bur. 24 Jan., 1784, Thornhill (Reg.), æt. 57 years (*Whitaker*); M.I. (see *Dict. Nat. Biog.*).

Abstract of Will of Sir Geo. Savile- of Rufford, co. Nottm., Bart.

Date 18 Aug., 1783. Very long Will, mentions Brother in law, John Hewitt of Shire Oaks, Notts., Esqre. Rev. John Michell of Thornhill, clerk, and Gilbert Michell of same. Rev. Dr. Newton Ogle of Abbots Worthy, co. Southampton, and Sir Chaloner Ogle, Knight. Nephew in law, Francis Ferrand Foljambe, and niece, Mary Arabella Foljambe his wife, John Foljambe their eldest son, and Francis Foljambe their 2nd son. Nephew, Hon. Richd. Lumley (2nd son of my sister Barbara, Countess of Scarborough, by the Rt. Hon. Richd., late Earl of Scarborough, decd.). Nephew, John Lumley, 3rd son of sd. Barbara. Nephew, Frederick Lumley, 4th son of sd. Barbara. Nephew, Savile Hy. Lumley, 5th son of sd. Barbara. Nephew, William Lumley, 6th son of sd. Barbara. Person becoming entitled to Mansion to take surname Savile.

Codicil. - Dated 19 Aug., 1783. Mentions Cousin, Eliza Pratt, now living with my Mother. Cousin, Baroness Starck.

Proved 25 March, 1784.

## SAVILE OF GRANTHAM.

I. GEORGE SAVILE, of Grantham, 2d son of Thomas Savile, of Lupset, and Margaret Basforth<sup>2</sup>; mar. Elizabeth, daughter and heiress of ..... Sturley, son and heir of Henry Sturley; bur. at Somerby-by-Grantham. They had issue -

- WILLIAM.

II. WILLIAM SAVILE, of Grantham, Humby, and Sapperton; will 3 May, 1598, proved 24 May, 1600; to be buried at Somerby; *Inq. p. m.* 20 Oct., 43 Eliz. (1600).

Willelmi Savyle, nuper de Humby, co. Linc.

P. 1, N. 90. *Inq. p. m.* - 20 Oct., 43 Eliz. (1601). He was seised of the Manor of Sapperton within the ..... of Grantham, and of divers lands and Messuages there. The Manor was worth £3 6s. 8d. yearly, the lands, etc., £4. He died at Humby, 20 Feb., 41 Eliz. (1598-9), when Wm., son and heir of John Savile, gent., son and heir of the said William, was found to be his heir, and aged 14 years and more at his grandfather's death.

<sup>1</sup> He was the last heir male of the main branch of the Savile family. The estates came to his nephews, Richard and John Lumley, Earls of Scarborough, who assumed the name of Savile.

<sup>2</sup> Page 15.

Wilhelmi Savile, armigeri.

P. 1, N. 104. *Inq. p. m.* - 19 Jan., 4 Jac. I (1607). *Melius Inquirend'*, and merely relates to tenures in Lincolnshire, referring to a former *Inq.*

Wilhelmi Savile, armigeri.

P. 2, N. 83. *Inq. p. m.* - 8 April, 3 Jac. I (1605). He was seised in his demesne as of fee of the Manor of Saperton, co. Linc., formerly the estate of Lord Audley, and of another Manor of Saperton, late the estate of Lord Hussey, and of divers messuages and lands there. He was seised also of a moiety of the manor of Humby Magna and Somerby, co. Lincoln, and of divers messuages and lands at Humby Magna, Somerby, Ingolsby, Ropseley, Walcott, and Haseby, parcel of the said Manor of Humby, and of the advowson of the church of Saperton, and a moiety of the advowson of the church of Somerby. And being so seised on the 19th May, 20th Eliz., by Indenture made between said William Savile and Ann his wife of the one part, and Nicholas Strelley of Stratford Bow, in co. Middx., Esq., and Susan his wife of the 2d part, and in consideration of a marriage before then solemnized between John Savile, gent., son and heir apparent of the said William, and Cecily, then only daughter and heir apparent of the said Nicholas and Susanna, he the said, covenanted and agreed with sd. Nicholas for settlement of the estate as set out here at great length. Wm. Savile, gent., was found to be kinsman and heir of the William above mentioned, viz. son and heir of John, son and heir of the said William, and now aged 19 years and 8 days.

Wilhelmi Savile, armigeri.

P. 2, N. 68. *Inq. p. m.* - 27 Aug., 3 Jac. I (1605). *Melius Inquirendum* about facts stated in the *Inq.*, 8 April, 3 Jac. I.

Mar. Anne, daughter and coheir of Godfrey Colville of Humby; will 31 Aug., 1600, proved May, 1601; bur. at Somerby. They had issue -

- JOHN (III).
- Robert, *s.p.*
- Henry, 1598, *s.p.*
- George, proved his mother's will 1601, *s.p.*

- Frissold or Fridiswide, mar. William Walcott, of Walcott.
- Anne, mar. William Porter, of Grantham.
- Frances, mar John Dalton.
- Elizabeth.

III. JOHN SAVILE, High Sheriff of Lincoln, 1590; bur. at Somerby; mar. Cecily, daughter of Nicholas Strelley, of Stratford Bowe; remar. Humphrey Cardinall. They had issue -

- WILLIAM (IV).
- Susan, mar. William Holmes, of Claypole.
- Anne, mar. .... Smith, of London, silkman.

IV. WILLIAM SAVILE, of Humby, aet. 14, 1598; Patron of Rectory of Sapperton; mar. Katharine, daughter of Sir Richard Pell, Knt., of Dembleby, licence, 20 Jan., 1605. They had issue -

- Thomas, bapt. at Grantham 23 May, 1616.
- William, died young.
- Jane.
- Mary.

(*Lincolnshire Pedigrees*, Harl. Soc., 860.)

## SAVILE OF WAKEFIELD.<sup>1</sup>

I. THOMAS SAVILE, of Stanley Hall, in Wakefield parish, some time of Netherton (Glover), a younger son of Thomas Savile, of Lupset<sup>2</sup>; mar. 1st, Katherine, daughter of John Chaloner, of Stanley *alias* Midgley Hall; mar. 2ly, Joan, daughter of John Michell, of Crossley. They had issue –

<sup>1</sup> There is very little information about this branch. Part is in Glover's *Visitation* and in Foster's *Pedigrees*, and Mr. Taylor, in *Wakefield Rectory Manor*, refers to several of the persons. It seems strange that no M.I. exists in Wakefield Cathedral. There are many entries in the registers difficult to identify.

<sup>2</sup> Page 15.

- Henry Savile, of Wakefield, eldest son, *sans* issue (Glover).
- Thomas Savile, of Overthorpe, Thornhill; bur. 15 June, 1601 (Reg.); will, no date, proved 1 Oct., 1601.

The Will of Thomas Savile of Thornhill, gent.

No date. Thomas Savile of Thornehill, gent. My bodye to be buried in the churche of Thornhill amongst my freindes. To Richard Tempeste of Tonge, gen., my sonne in lawe, iijs. iiij*d.*, in consideracon of all his porcon as promisse. Unto my sonne Thomas my beste goulde ringe and x*li.* which nominated for him, of which som Mr. Tempeste gave him ii*jl.* vjs. viij*d.*, and Mr. George Savile of Waickfeild other ii*jl.* vjs. viij*d.*, my beste cloake or the reasonable price of it, also a bedd. To George Radcliffe my virginalles. To the poore vjs. viij*d.* To Robart Smalpadge my frezed coate. To John Smalpadge a quie calfe. To Richard Singgleton a doblet, and to his wief a gowne. To Elizabeth Smalpage a gowne. To my sonne Thomas the salte which I claime of Mr. Radcliffe, or that which shall be gotten or given in consideracon of it, and these parcelles to stand for his sole porcon of my goodes without any more dividinge with my daughter and wief. I will that my wief have her third parte, and Anne my daughter the other third parte which by lawe belongeth to her brother and her, and what remaineth of my parte to be divided betwixte my wief and my daughter, and I make my wief my executor and garden to my children, also I desire my brother Robart and my sonne Mr. Tempeste to be



overseers, desiringe my sonne Tempeste to be good to my daughter Anne.

Proved 1st Oct., 1601 (*Reg. Test.*, xxviii, 465).

Mar. (?) Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Nettleton, of Thornhill. They had issue -

- Thomas, in his father's will.
  - Elizabeth, mar. Richard Tempest, Esq., of Tong, cov. 1 Sept., 1572, and bur. there 30 Sept., 1581.
  - Anne, in her father's will.
  - Dorothy.
- JOHN (II).
  - Robert, of Snyderdale (Glover); (?) Adm. 15 June, 1603, to Alice and Henry, children (*Act Book*), mar. ...., daughter of .... Greene, .... They had issue -
    - Henry, son and heir; (?) Adm. 25 April, 1606, to John Bedford (*Act Book*).
    - Robert (Glover).
    - George, in his uncle George Savile's, of Wakefield, will.
    - Alice, mar. Wakefield, John Bedford of Crow Nest, Dewsbury, 1603.
  - George (see younger line - A).

II. JOHN SAVILE, of Stanley, living 1585 (Glover); died Richmond, 10 Aug., 32 Eliz. (1590).

Will. - 27 Jan., 1588-9. To be bur. in the Parish church of Wakefield. Elizabeth, now wife. To godson, John Vavasour, son of Maior Vavasour, an annuity of £3 6s. 8d. To Joane Vavasour, my daughter, now wife of Maior Vavasour, an annuity of xv*li*. To daughter, Margaret Waller, wife of William Waller, an annuity of xv*li*. Thomas, George, my brethren, supervisors. To Saraie Sproxton, daughter of Richard Sproxton, v*li*. To Grace Sproxton, daughter of Richard Sproxton, v*li*. Residue to Elizabeth my wife and Margaret Waller, my daughter, executors.

Codicil. - 27 Jan., 1588-9. I give to John, son of Henry Savile, a lease of tenement in Arkendall.

Proved 29 Aug., 1590 (*Reg. Test.*, xxiv, 382).

Mar. Elizabeth, daughter of Robert Cockson, of Wakefield. They had issue -

- Edward Savile, of Stanley Hall, eldest son; (?) Adm. 25 Aug., 32 Eliz. (1590) (*Act Book*); mar. Katherine, daughter of Alvery Copley, Esq., of Batley, mar. there 22 Nov., 1574; she remar., Sheffield Savile, Esq., of Beeston; Adm. 18 July, 1616, to Grace, daughter (*Act Book*). They had issue -
  - John.
  - Grace, mar. Gervase Hatfield, of Hatfield Hall, near Wakefield.
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- Henry Savile, of Boxhall, in Wakefield (Glover); died 1 May, 33 Eliz. (1591), as by Inquisition taken 1 Dec.; mar. Ann, daughter of Gervase Bosvile, of Newhall (Glover). They had issue -
  - George, aet. 5 years in 1585 (Glover).
  - John (Glover).

- Henry,<sup>1</sup> of Horbury, gent.; bur. there 18 July, 1639.

Will. - 16 July, 1639. Henry Savile of Horbury, gent. My body to be buried at the discretion of myne executrix, and as for my landes I give them to my loving wife both frehold and copyhold according to the lawes of the land and the custome of the manner by which I hold them during her life naturall, provided that she pay or cause to be payd unto my two sonnes, John and Artur Savile eyther of them yearly during her life xls. a peece in full satisfaction of their whole right, tytle, and interest unto my sayd landes, goodes, cattells, chattells, and estate whatsoever. Moreover I geve and bequeath unto my youngar sonne, Arthur Savile, *vli.* to be paid unto him by myne heire out of a cloase cald the Towne Carr within one yeare after my wives decease, provideed alwayes that if myne heire do not pay the *vli.* within the tyme limited, that then my will and mynd is and I do give the sayd close with all the rightes therunto belonging unto my sayd youngarr sonne, Arthur Savile, his heires and assignes. All the rest of my goodes, chattelles, cattelles, credittes, and estate I give unto my loving wife, Benedict Savile, whome I make whole and sole executrix of this my last will and testament.

Henry Savile.

Wittnes hereof

Ro. Radcliffe.

Willm. W Pollard.

marke.

Mercy V Shaw.

mark. Jurat Richard Wormald.

Proved 2 Oct., 1639 (unregistered).

<sup>1</sup> He built the church wall at his own charge (Reg.).

Mar. Benedict<sup>1</sup> ..... sole executrix; (?) bur. 22 Nov., 1652, Horbury. They had issue -

- John, bur. Horbury, 28 April, 1614 (Reg.).
- Arthur,<sup>2</sup> bur. Horbury, 6 Nov., 1616 (Reg.).

- Elizabeth (Glover).

- John (III).
- Robert, of Broomhall, near Wakefield (Glover); mar. Normanton, 30 May, 1587, Mary, daughter of Richard Breaton, of Normanton, gent. (Reg.).
- Alice, mar. Richard Sproston, of Wakefield (Glover).
- Jane, mar. 1st, James Metcalfe, Esq., of Nappa; mar. 2ly, Sir Mauger Vavasour, of Weston; will, 19 May, proved 17 June, 1617; "to be bur. at Askrigg nere my husband Metcalfe."
- Margaret, executrix of her father; mar. William Waller, of Wakefield (Glover).
- Ann, (?) mar. William Wombwell, Esq.; died *s.p.*

III. JOHN SAVILE, of Netherton; bur. 14 Dec., 1602 (Reg.); Adm. 20 Dec., 1602, to wife Elizabeth (*Act Book*).

*Inq. p. m.* - 6 Sept., 1 James I (1603). John Savile, late of Netherton, or Nether Shitlington, gent., taken at Doncaster. He was seised of the manor of Netherton and of 2 messuages, 2 cottages, 5 gardens, 2 applegarths, one water corn mill, 40 acres of land, 20 of meadow, 30 of pasture, and 4 of wood, and by indenture 1 May, 37 Eliz. (1595), made between him and his wife Elizabeth of the 1st part, Jarvase Wyrrell, Esq., of Loversall, and Sampson Mallory, gent., of the 2d part, and Robert Stappleton of Wyghell, Kt., John Mallory, Esq., now Kt., of the 3d part, assured the premisses above to the use of the said John Savile and Elizabeth his wife for their lives, remainder to the use of Stappleton Savile, gent., their heir, remainder to the 2d, 3d, and 4th sons of John and heirs, remainder to the right heirs of said Stappleton. The said John died 20 Dec., 45 Elizabeth (1602), Elizabeth his wife surviving, when Stappleton their son was aged 9 years and 10 months.

<sup>1</sup> In the printed *Thornhill Register*, Mr. Benedict Savile, bur. 22 Nov., 1652. Can it be a mistake for Mrs. ?

<sup>2</sup> Arthur had legacy of manors in William Savile's will, 1653-4, and is mentioned in Manor Rolls, 20 Car. II. Foster says he died unmarried.

Mar. Elizabeth, .....; remar. Thomas Riccard, Esq.; bur. 10 May, 1606, Thornhill (Reg.). They had issue -

- John, bapt. 23 Feb., 1591-2, Thornhill (Reg.).
- Stapleton, died 25 Sept., 1609.

*Inq. p. m.* - Stapleton Savile. 18 Jan., 7 James I (1610). His father, John Savile, was seised of the manor of Netherton (see his *Inq.*), and died 1602, leaving his wife Elizabeth surviving, who after married Thomas Riecard, Esq., and died 7 May, 5 James I (1608), and Stapleton the son died 25 Sept. last past. The Jurors say that Elizabeth then 19 years and more, Joana 15 years and more, Dorothy 14 years and more, and Fridiswithe 12 years and 9 months, were sisters and next heirs of said Stapleton.

- Anna, bapt. 2 Dec., 1599; bur. 15 Feb., 1599-1600, Thornhill (Reg.).
- Ellen, bapt. 31 May, 1601; bur. 7 Feb., 1601-2, Thornhill (Reg.).
- Grace, bapt. 31 Aug., 1602; bur. 14 Nov., 1602, Thornhill (Reg.).
- Elizabeth, mar. Gregory, 2d son of John Armytage, Esq., of Kirklees, and Emma Gregory, licence, 1611, at Hartshead; bur. in the quire at Woodkirk.
- Joana.
- Dorothy.
- Fridiswith, mar. John Payne, of Cheshunt, Herts, licence 13 April, 1611, at Enfield.

## YOUNGER LINE.

A. GEORGE SAVILE, of Wakefield (younger son of Thomas Savile, of Stanley) (I); a woollen merchant, called a "Blackwell Hall man," lived at Haselden Hall; Governor, or perhaps real founder of Wakefield Grammar School; a churchwarden; died 24 Oct., 1593.

Will. - 6 Oct., 1593. George Savile, Wakefield, gent. Eldest son, George Savile, shall have all the lease which I or either of my sons had of the grant of William Savile, of Humbie, co. Linc., Esq., of George Savile of Thornhill, Knt., of the tithes of corn and hay of Osset, Standley, the new parke and ould parke of Wakefield. To my eldest son George the parsonage and tithes of Otley and Calverley, my second son Thomas and George Spivie to convey all their right to my said son. To my second son, Thomas Savile, the parsonage and tithes of Bardsey, George Savile and George Spivie to convey their interest to Thomas Savile, also lease of Hassell tithe and lease I had at Owsten. Fourscore pounds of current English money shall be given out of the goods which I have conveyed to my brother, Robert Savile, John Battye, and George Spivie, to the governors of the free school of Wakefield to the use of the school in two years, and if there be not a house builded for that use I will that the said sum shall be given to George Savile, Thomas Savile, Richard Sproxton, Richard Claiton, William Savill, John Battie, Thos. Robinson, Thomas Cave, to be employed for the poor of Wakefield. George and Thomas Savile to convey to my wife the tithes of corn in Haton in Nottingham. I will if my son Rodes be contented that his son which he had by my daughter shall be brought up and kept with one of my sons from the time of my decease until such time that he shall be fit to go to one of the Universities, that then my nephew shall have maintenance for his education and bringing up in learning till the time the goods which I appoint be conveyed to my sons George and Thomas for that purpose. George Savile, son of my brother Robert to be maintained at school till he be fit for the University of the goods which I shall appoint, and from the time he shall go to the University he shall have £6 13s 4d. paid unto him yearly for 10 years, if he continue so long there, out of the parsonages in Notts. by sons George and Thomas and Geo. Sproxton. And if the school goe forward and be built in the time aforesaid, I give £20 out of the leases in Notts. to be for the use of the poor of Wakefield. To Margaret Walker one cowe. To Alice Savile 2 kine. To Thomas his son of Thornhill, £3 6s. 8d. To Sir Rodes a ring. John Spivie to have meat so long as he be content to be in my house with son George. Sister Battie shall have one cloak of a sad greene which was my wife's. Son George lease of tithe of Clayton, Frickley, and Hooton Pannell, which I had of John Savile of Howley, Esq., and that my brother Robert, John Battie, and George Spivie shall make assurance to him, and son Thomas shall convey his right to George of his right in tithe of Hooton,

which my son Thomas and I purchased. Residue to George and Thomas, executors. Proved 2 Nov., 1593 (*Reg. Test.*, xxv, 475).

*Inq. p. m.* (Abstract.) - 26 Nov., 36 Eliz. (1593). He was seised of 50 messuages, 40 cottages, 40 tofts, 30 barns, 6 dovecotes, 50 gardens, 300 acres of land, 300 of meadow, 300 of pasture, 10 of wood, 50 of heath and furze, 50 of moor in Wakefield, Standley, Sandall, Woodall, Newton, Owthorpe, Pontefract, Hunsworth, Horbury, Ossett, Osgnathorpe, Knowethorpe, Leedes, and Halton. He had the capital messuage of Hasylden Hall, etc., which he left to George his son and heirs, remainder to his son Thomas. He had a messuage called Horberry Hall in Horberry, etc., which he left to his son Thomas, remainder to son George. The said George Savile died 24 Oct., 35 Eliz. (1593), when George, his son and heir, was aged 33 years and more, and Elizabeth, late wife of George, is still living.

Mar. Elizabeth, daughter of George Spivie, of Wakefield. They had issue -

- GEORGE SAVILE, Esq., of Wakefield; assisted in the foundation of Wakefield School; died in London 2 Jan., 27 Eliz. (1594-5) (*Scott*, 2).

Will. - 16 Dec., 1594. To be bur. in Wakefield church. To daughter Margaret all lease for years and interest which I have in all those tythes of corn in the parishes of Hutton Pannell, Clayton, Frickley, if my daughter shall live so long; if she do not to next heirs of her body. Elizabeth, now my wife. I have tythes and advowson of Hutton Pagnell, if no other heir then to my daughter, in default of issue I give the 3d part to Edward Waud, pastor of Wakefield, Robert Dickson, pastor at Birstall, and ..... Whittaker, pastor at Thornhill, to the governors of the schole of Queen Elizabeth at Wakefield, and the other 2 thirds to my brother Thomas and his heirs, in default of issue to John Rodes, son and heir of John Rodes of Barlborough. To my wife lease of tithe of Stanley and the old parke of Wakefield. Tithes of Ossett to brother Thomas. Proved 17 Feb., 1594-5 (*Reg. Test.*, xxvi, 65).

Inquisition. - 25 Aug., 37 Eliz. (1595); 18 Jan., 40 Eliz. (1597-8); 3 Oct., 42 Eliz. (1600). He was seised of the rectory of Hutton Pannell and advowson of the vicaridge, of lands in North Elmsall, South Kirkby, Alverthorpe, Flamshaw, Ouckthorpe, Stanley, Sandal, Woolley, Haselden hall, remainder to his brother Thomas and heirs, remainder to George, 3d son of Robert Savile of Ouckthorpe, and heirs. Margaret his heir was one year and more.

Mar. Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Edward Ayscough, Knt., of South Kelsey, there, 25 Oct., 1591 (remar. Sir George Savile, 1st Bart., of Thornhill); bur. 25 Jan., 1625-6, Horbury (Reg.). They had issue -

- Margaret, mar. 29 July, 1612, Thornhill (Reg.), Thomas Middleton, Esq., of London; bur. 29 Dec., 1613, Thornhill.
- THOMAS (B).
- Dorothy, mar. Sir John Rodes, of Barlborough, 2d wife.

Mar. 2ly, Elizabeth, daughter of Henry Grice, of Wakefield, widow of John Nowell, licence, 1591.

Will. - 11 Jan., 1613-4. Elizabeth Savile of Milnthorpe, widdowe. To brother, Henry Grice, Esq., best geldinge in full satisfaction. To Elizabeth, wyfe of said Henry my best gowne and kirtle. To his three sonnes, Richard, Thomas, and Edward Grice, to everie of them one cove and all my sheepe divided. To Henrie, heyre apparant of said Henrie Grice, Esq., all the glasse and sealinge in my nowe dwellinghowse at Milnthorpe, one longe table, one bench, one longe table, one square table, one liverie cupbord and one bench in the dyninge parlor, and one standinge bed in the chamber over the parlor. To Elizabeth, daughter of said Henrie Grice, Esq., my nutt sett in silver and gilded, one payr of fyne lynne sheetes, and payre of pillowe covers, one damaske table cloth, one dozen of fine line napkins, sowed withe white worke, and a linnen towell. To Francis, Margaret, Anne, and Suzan Grice, daughters of said Henrie, to everie of them a silver cupp and one payre of linnen sheetes, one payre of linne pillow covers, and to everie one one linnen table cloth. To Henrie, sonne of Henrie Grice, Esq., one trunke which was his uncle, Mr. Robert Grice's, and these parcelles of plate and lynnyn therein, two saltres,

double guilt, halfe a dozen of silver spoones with lyons at the end, and two silver cupps, double guilt, one silver beaker, one damaske table cloth, one dozen of damaske napkins, and one damaske towell. Mr. Richard Lister shall have a morninge cloake at my funerall, to him my new bible. To Mrs. Ashburne my newe freise gowne and my freeze kirtle. (Bequests to servants.) £10 to repayringe of the high wayes between Milnethorpe and Wakefield. £20 to be bestowed on some parcell of land where uppon I will three Alms howses shalbe buylded for three poore widdowes. Henrie Grice supervisor. Residue to Henrie sonne and heir apparent of said Henrie Grice, and he and his father executors. Thomas Watterton of Walton, Esq., and Michael Wentworth of Wolley, supervisors. Witnesses, Richard Lister, John Prynce, William Bevit, John Awstwick. Proved York, 9 Aug., 1614 (*Reg. Test.*, xxxiii, 239).

#### B. THOMAS SAVILE, Esq., of Wakefield (heir male to his brother George).

Will. - 23 April, 1599. Thomas Savile, Esq., of Wakefield. I will that my body shall be buried in the parish church of Wakefield. I will unto my daughters, Dorothe, Margrett, and Elizabeth Savile, all those 6 messuages and 6 oxgangs of land in Owston which I hold by demise from the Queen's Matie, to have the same for xxj years, and after the term or after the death of the survivor of them I will the residue unto the child which my wife goeth with (if it be a son), and if it be not a son then to my son John. I will my rectory or parsonage of Everton, co. Notts., which I hold of demise from the Queen, to said daughters for xxj years, and after to the child (etc., as before). Whereas George Spivie holdeth for his life after the death of me the parsonage of Sutton upon Lound, Scrowby, Gringley, Bollome, Tilne, Wellome, and Mooregate in co. Nott., and the rectory of Heiton, yet nevertheless in confidence that he shall convey the one moiety to such persons as the said Thomas Savile shall nominate, my will is George Spivie shall convey the same after my death to such persons as Richard Clayton of Wakefield, and John Battie shall advise so that the benefit shall come to my 3 daughters and to the child my wife goeth with, if it be a daughter for xxj years, then to the use of my son John. I give the child my right of the tithes of Hersell in the parish of Wragby. I will my wife Sara shall have the education of my son and heir till xxj or be married, my wife to become bound with securities as my supervisors, Sir John Savile to be one, shall think fit, if my wife shall not I will my supervisors especially Sir John Savile, to make choice of some persons for the education of my children. I give her the 3d part of my goods. Rest to my daughters and the child my wife goeth with, whom I make executors. Witnesses, Wm. Clayton, Richard Clayton, John Battie. A codicil. - The said Thomas Savile did appoint by will nuncupative supervisor, Richard Clayton of Wakefield, draper, William Clayton of Okenshaw, and John Battie of Wakefield, chapman, and gave unto every of them five pounds. Proved York, 7 Aug., 1599 (*Reg. Test.*, xxvii, 661).

*Inq. p. m.* - 23 Sept., 42 Eliz. (1600). He was seised of burgages in Wakefield, 6 messuages, 6 gardens, 3 villages, 6 tofts, 5 applegarths, 40 acres of land, 30 of meadow, 30 of pasture, 20 of moor in Wakefield, Newton, and Stanley. Sara was his wife. Elizabeth, wife of George Savile, was seised of Haselden Hall. The said Thomas was seised in two parts of a messuage called Horbury Hall, and of the rectory of Thorp and advowson. He died - April, 41 Eliz. (1599), and John Savile, his son, was aged 9 months and 4 days.

Mar. Sarah, daughter of Richard Clayton, of Wakefield (remar. 28 Oct., 1602, Wakefield, Sir Robert Mounson, Knt., of North Carlton, who died 15 Sept., 1638); bur. High Choir, Wakefield, 11 Aug., 1640. They had issue -

- JOHN (C).
- Dorothy, mar., licence, 1611, Sir Thomas Musgrave, Knt., of Norton Conyers.
- Margaret, mar. 5 Jan., 1619-20, Horbury (*Reg.*), Sir Francis Monckton, Knt., of Cavil.
- Elizabeth, mar. at St. Giles in the Field, 11 July, 1627, Sir William Wentworth, Knt., of Ashby, co. Linc., who fell at Marston Moor; bur. 9 Nov., 1666, Goxhill.

C. JOHN SAVILE, Esq., of Wakefield; aet. 9 months and 4 days at his father's *Inq.*; mar. Katherine, daughter of Sir William Monson, Knt., of Carlton; bapt. 18 Sept., 1606 (*Linc. Visitation*). They had issue -

- WILLIAM (D).

D. WILLIAM SAVILE, Esq., of Wakefield.

Will. - 31 Jan., 1653-4. I give an annuity of £10 to Jerman Poole of Wakefield till he is 21, and then to have in lieu £100. To my aunt, the Lady Wentworth, 10s., to my aunt, the Lady Monson, 10s., and to my cosen, Mr. Simon Musgrave, 10s., to buy rings. To my loving friend, Mr. George Ryder of the City of Westminster, one bond of £3,000 wherein Mr. Rumsey and Mr. Irwin stand bound unto me for the payment of £1,500, and I give him all the debt by virtue of the bond. To George Ryder and my friend, Mr. Wm. Slater of Halifax, £50 a piece, to be paid by Mr. Arthur Savile out of my lands. To my cosen, Thos. Hatfeild, an annuity of £3. To Mrs. Williamson, wife of Francis Williamson of Whitefryers, London, £20 to buy a horse. To Mr. Geo. Ryder all bedding and furniture in the house now occupied by Wm. Beeston of Wakefield. To said cozen, Mr. Arthur Savile, all my manors in co. York to him and his heirs. Codicil. - Feb. 6, 1653. To my loving friend, Geo. Ryder, my messuage at Hemsworth after the death of Sir Thos. Midleton, Knt. Proved London, 20 Feb., 1653-4, by George Ryder (Vol. Alchin., 361).

Mar. 1st, Elizabeth, daughter of Sir Francis Williamson, of Westminster; mar. 2ly, Elizabeth, daughter of Henry Romley, Esq. (remar. William Oglethorpe).