

***THE BLACKER (DE BLAKKER / BLAKER) FAMILY OF
BLACKER HALL FARM,
WAKEFIELD, YORKSHIRE, ENGLAND.***

**JOURNAL THREE
FOR SARAH WILSON AND HAROLD CORKHILL**

**NOTE: THE ANCESTORS OF SARAH AND HAROLD ARE...
'HEPZIBAH BLACKER' MARRIED 'HENRY WILLIAM B HURST'
OF SOMERSET, ENGLAND.**

**SEE JOURNAL FOUR...FOR THE 'BLACKER FAMILY' CONNECTION
TO THE 'HURST AND WILCOCK' FAMILIES OF ENGLAND**

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CHAPTER ONE

FOREWORDS AND OTHER...

Note: *The compiler is attempting to find a connection for ‘Hepzibah Blacker’ of Clutton, Somerset, England to the families of ‘Blacker Hall Farm, Yorkshire, England...*

BLACKER HALL FARM



Above map shows the area of where the Blacker’s of Yorkshire hung their hats



Address: Branch Rd, Calder Grove, Wakefield WF4 3DN, United Kingdom

In a fascinating study of the story of the farm and its occupants Jean Garthwaite traces *The History of Blacker Hall* back to the 14th century and beyond.



'The oldest recorded field name at Blacker Hall goes right back to the 1371 deed between John and Alice Dey, the owners, and Richard de Blacker the tenant. In the deed it was stated that he was to have a third part of Calfrod, which as a field was known as Calfroyds until the railway line cut it off from the farm in the late 19th century.'

The book is available at the farm shop. The evidence of field names, tithe and enclosure maps, and architectural details in the old farm buildings is used alongside personal reminiscences to bring the story to life.

Blacker Hall Farm came into the Garthwaite family in 1901. They were originally tenant farmers and subsequently the landowners. According to *'The History of Blacker Hall'* by Jean Garthwaite, the attraction was partly due to the family brewery, *The Oak Brewery, Calder Grove*. The 17th century malt kiln, forming part of the farmstead, was a jewel in the crown to brewer John Garthwaite and his wife Hannah-Maria, a farmer's daughter. It would appear, Hanna-Maria was keen to capitalise on her farming roots with the production of their own barley for the family brewery.



Anne Garthwaite : "As John and I both grew up with farming we were used to eating our own meat. We knew it was totally unadulterated and this is what we fed to our children. Bread was baked from scratch, treats were from the family recipe books and milk came from the cow outside. Somehow we wanted others to experience that same feeling, as we really believed it was better and the most natural way of doing things.

When we moved to Broad Cut Farm, just down the road from Blacker Hall, after we were married we had one sow, a handful of calves and grew quite a few vegetables. Now along with our youngest daughter Mary and her husband, Matthew, we supply all the pork for The Farm Shop, most of the beef and even some vegetables."

CHAPTER TWO

**ANCESTORS AND DESCENDANTS FOR
NICHOLAS BLACKER**

Note: The compiler has discovered that there may be a connection between the Blacker family of Blacker Hall Farm, Yorkshire, England and the Blacker family of Somerset, England. The factor being a possible common ancestor in Yorkshire, England, known as 'NICHOLAS BLACKER**' born about 1570 in Yorkshire. It is known that he moved to 'Clutton, Somerset England about 1600...**

Note: The compiler has noted that another common factor between the Blakkers/Blackers of Yorkshire and the Blacker's of Somerset, was, that some individual Blacker families had owned 'FARMS' and alongside these farms they had owned 'BREWERIES'...a coincidence or not?

❑ BLACKER FAMILY FORUM

I Can Trace Back To William Blacker (1657-1721) And His Wife, Ann, Who Were Married In 1682. Can Anyone Take It Further Back?

Posted: 2005, Member Logged In: 2017

❑ BLACKER

I Have Been Researching My Family Connection To The Blacker Family Which Originated In Clutton, Somerset, England. My Research Is Mostly Completed However, I Am Trying To Find The Link Between William Blacker Born 1647, Clutton, Married To Ann? And Blacker's In Ireland Namely Valentine Blacker Of Carrick Blacker, Armagh.

*I Have An Extract From A Family Bible Which States That Three Descendants Of **VALENTINE BLACKER, NAMELY; William went to Mid-Somer, Norton. George went to Farrington, Gurney. And Nicholas went to Clutton, Somerset.***

Above information sourced from the following...

https://www.curiousfox.com/locale/Clutton__Somerset.html

Please note: *The following certificate confirms there was a **Nicholas Blacker living in Clutton, Somerset England about 1625. This works for **Nicholas Blacker** mentioned in the following genealogy of the 'Blacker's of Blacker Hall', Yorkshire...***

CERTIFICATE. 17 JUL 1625

Repository	Somerset Heritage Centre
Reference number	Q/SR/55/58
Description	Certificate stating that Nicholas Blacker of Clutton has paid maintenance for the support of the base child of Mary Garman of Clutton.
Date	17 Jul 1625
Extent	1
Format	document
Access status	Open
Level	Piece

See above at: www.batharchives.co.uk

CHAPTER THREE

Note: The following thread or genealogy for 'Nicholas Blakker/Blacker' comes from the following source. Some may be conjecture only...

<https://www.geni.com/people/William-de-Blakker-of-Blacker-Hall/6000000008393068459>

HENRY DE BLAKKER

Generation one: Henry

GENERATION: ONE

Henry was born about: c1250.

At: Blacker Hall Farm, Wakefield, Yorkshire, England

Died about:

At:

Married about:

At:

To:

She was born about:

At:

Died about:

At:

He had the following child...

1/. William de Blakker

***Following are sources and the official records...for the above
Births, Deaths, Marriages, and place names.***

BIRTHS OF PARENTS OF THESE CHILDREN...

MARRIAGE...

BIRTHS OF CHILDREN...

DEATHS...

ARCHIVES...

Henry de Blakker, of Blakker Hall

Birthdate: circa 1250

Death: circa 1290 (31-48)

Immediate Family: Father of **William de Blakker, of Blakker Hall**

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WILLIAM DE BLAKKER

Generation one: Henry. Generation two: William

GENERATION: TWO

William was born about: c1280.

At: Blacker Hall, Wakefield, Yorkshire, England

Died about:

At:

Married about:

At:

To:

She was born about:

At:

Died about:

At:

He had the following child...

1/. Henry de Blakker

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BIRTHS OF PARENTS OF THESE CHILDREN...

MARRIAGE...

BIRTHS OF CHILDREN...

DEATHS...

ARCHIVES...

William de Blakker, of Blakker Hall

Birthdate: circa 1280

Death:

Immediate Son of Henry de Blakker, of Blakker Hall

Family: Father of **Henry de Blakker, of Blakker
Hall**

Occupation: Still living in 1300

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HENRY DE BLAKKER

Generation one: Henry. Generation two: William. Generation three: Henry

GENERATION: THREE

Henry was born about: c1313.

At: Blacker Hall, Wakefield, Yorkshire, England

Died about:

At:

Married about:

At:

To:

She was born about:

At:

Died about:

At:

He had the following child...

1/. Robert de Blakker

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BIRTHS OF PARENTS OF THESE CHILDREN...

MARRIAGE...

BIRTHS OF CHILDREN...

DEATHS...

ARCHIVES...

Henry de Blakker, of Blakker Hall

Birthdate: circa 1313

Death:

Immediate Family: Son of William de Blakker, of
Blakker Hall
Father of **Robert de Blakker**,
of Blakker Hall

Occupation: Still living in 1334

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**ROBERT DE BLAKKER OF BLACKER HALL AND DAUGHTER
OF 'DE BOZOCH'**

**Generation one: Henry. Generation two: William. Generation three: Henry
Generation four: Robert and daughter of de Bozoch**

GENERATION: FOUR

Robert was born about: 1350.

At: Blacker Hall, Wakefield, Yorkshire, England

Died about:

At:

Married about:

At:

To: Daughter of (John de Bozoch/Bozich of Doddesworthe)

She was born about:

At:

Died about:

At:

They had the following child...

1/. Richard

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BIRTHS OF PARENTS OF THESE CHILDREN...

MARRIAGE...

BIRTHS OF CHILDREN...

DEATHS...

ARCHIVES...

FULL TEXT OF "YAS RECORD SERIES VOL. 39: YORKSHIRE DEEDS" ...

171. Grant by John, called le Bozoch, of Doddeworthe, to Robert de Blacker, his son-in-law, of a messuage with its curtilage, which the grantee had, by inheritance after the death of Alice S'ocris' 4 in the vill of Doddeworth, and which lay between messuage formerly belonging to Thomas Nabil and Spickefoccroft, one end of which abutted on the road from Doddeworth leading through the middle of the vill, and other on the croft of Agnes, daughter of Adam del Hethilee. Witnesses, Henry de Rockeley, John de Doddeworth, clerk, Roger del Hethilee, Ralph son of Peter of the same, Ralph son of Henry, John the clerk.
(Rev. H. C. Holmes.) 5

Robert de Blakker, of Blakker Hall

Birthdate: circa 1350

Death: circa 1380 (21-38)

Immediate Family: Son of Henry de Blakker, of Blakker Hall

Family: Husband of Daughter of f de Bozoch

**Father of Richard de Blakker of West
Bretton**

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RICHARD DE BLAKKER OF WEST BRETTON

***Generation one: Henry. Generation two: William. Generation three: Henry
Generation four: Robert. Generation five: Richard***

Note: West Bretton is a village and civil parish near Wakefield, West Yorkshire, England. It lies close to junction 38 of the M1 motorway at Haigh.

GENERATION: FIVE

Richard was born about: c1373.

At: Of West Bretton, Yorkshire, England

Died about:

At:

Married about:

At:

To:

She was born about:

At:

Died about:

At:

He had the following child...

1/. John

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BIRTHS OF PARENTS OF THESE CHILDREN...

MARRIAGE...

BIRTHS OF CHILDREN...

DEATHS...

ARCHIVES...

Richard de Blakker of West Bretton

Birthdate: circa 1373

Death: circa 1398 (16-34) (Still living 28th
October 1382)

Immediate *Son of Robert de Blakker, of Blakker*

Family: *Hall and Daughter de Bozoch*

Father of John de Blakker, of Blacker Hall

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Hall/6000000008393068459](https://www.geni.com/people/William-de-Blakker-of-Blakker-Hall/6000000008393068459)**

JOHN DE BLAKKER AND ALICE DEYE 1394

Generation one: Henry. Generation two: William. Generation three: Henry

Generation four: Robert. Generation five: Richard

Generation six: John and Alice

Note: 'The oldest recorded field name at Blacker Hall goes right back to the 1371 deed between John and Alice Dey, the owners, and Richard de Blacker the tenant. In the deed it was stated that he was to have a third part of Calfrod, which as a field was known as Calfroyds until the railway line cut it off from the farm in the late 19th century.'

GENERATION: SIX

John was born about: c1394.

At: Blacker Hall, Wakefield, Yorkshire, England

Died about: 1421.

At:

Married about:

At:

To: Alice Deye (daughter of John Deye of Stainton by Alice)

She was born about:

At:

Died about:

At:

They had the following child...

1/. Robert

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BIRTHS OF PARENTS OF THESE CHILDREN...

MARRIAGE...

BIRTHS OF CHILDREN...

DEATHS...

ARCHIVES...

John de Blakker, of Blacker Hall

Birthdate: 1394

Death: 1421 (26-28)

Immediate Family: Son of Richard de Blakker of
West Bretton
Husband of Alice Deye
Father of Robert Blakker of
Blacker Hall

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JOHN DEYE OF STAINTON

Birthdate: estimated before 1415 

Death:

Immediate Family: Husband of [Alice](#)

Family: Father of [Alice Deye](#)

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ROBERT BLACKER AND ALICE BOYNE

**Generation one: Henry. Generation two: William. Generation three: Henry
Generation four: Robert. Generation five: Richard
Generation six: John and Alice. Generation seven: Robert and Alice.**

GENERATION: SEVEN

Robert was born about: c1415.

At: Blacker Hall, Wakefield, Yorkshire, England

Died about: c1458.

At:

Married about:

At:

To: Alice Boyne (daughter of John Boyne of Boyne Hill by Elena)

She was born about:

At:

Died about:

At:

They had the following children...

1/. Thomas

2/. John

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BIRTHS OF PARENTS OF THESE CHILDREN...

MARRIAGE...

BIRTHS OF CHILDREN...

DEATHS...

ARCHIVES...

Robert Blakker of Blacker Hall

Birthdate: circa 1415

Death: April 08, 1458 (38-47)

Immediate Family: Son of [John de Blakker, of Blacker Hall](#) and [Alice Deye](#)
Husband of [Alice Boyne](#)
Father of [Thomas Blakker, of Blacker Hall](#) and [John Blakker](#)

Occupation: Will proved 4th July 1458

WIFE OF ROBERT


ALICE BOYNE

Birthdate: estimated between 1341 and 1401 

Immediate Family: Daughter of [John Boyne of Boyne Hill](#) and [Elena](#)
Wife of [Robert Blakker of Blacker Hall](#)
Mother of [Thomas Blakker, of Blacker Hall](#) and [John Blakker](#)

BROTHER OF THOMAS

JOHN BLACKER

Birthdate: estimated between 1420 and 1458 

Death:


Immediate Family: Son of [Robert Blakker of Blacker Hall](#) and [Alice Boyne](#)
Husband of [Margaret Leake](#)
Father of [Roger Blacker](#) and [Robert Blacker](#)
Brother of [Thomas Blacker, of Blacker Hall](#)

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SONS OF JOHN

1/. ROGER BLACKER

Birthdate: estimated between 1400 and 1520 

Death: 1530


Immediate Family: Son of [John Blacker](#) and [Margaret Leake](#)
Husband of [Joan Thorneton](#)
Brother of [Robert Blacker](#)

Occupation: Died without heirs, estate went to younger brother Robert

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2/. ROBERT BLACKER

Birthdate: estimated between 1400 and 1520 

Death:

Immediate Family: Son of [John Blacker](#) and [Margaret Leake](#)
Brother of [Roger Blacker](#)

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THOMAS BLACKER AND AGNES SAVILLE

Generation one: Henry. Generation two: William. Generation three: Henry

Generation four: Robert. Generation five: Richard

Generation six: John and Alice. Generation seven: Robert and Alice.

Generation eight: Thomas and Agnes

GENERATION: EIGHT

Thomas was born about: c1430.

At: Blacker Hall, Wakefield, Yorkshire, England

Died about: c1486.

At:

Married about:

At:

To: Agnes Savile (daughter of Thomas Savile of Hullenedge, son of Henry of Copley (by Ellen, dau/heir of Thomas Copley of Copley) by Ann, dau of John Stansfeld of Stansfeld

She was born about:

At:

Died about:

At:

They had the following children...

1/. Robert

2/. Ralph

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Births, Deaths, Marriages, and place names.***

DEATHS...

ARCHIVES...

Thomas Blacker, of Blacker Hall

Birthdate: circa 1430

Death: circa August 11,

Immediate Family: Son of [Robert Blakker of Blacker Hall](#) and [Alice Boyne](#)

Husband of [Agnes Saville](#)

Father of [Robert Blacker, of Blacker Hall](#)

Brother of [John Blacker](#)

Occupation: Will proved Aug 20 1486

WIFE OF THOMAS BLACKER

AGNES SAVILLE

Birthdate: estimated between 1438 and 1444

Death:

Immediate Family: Daughter of [Thomas Saville](#) and [Anne Saville \(Stansfield\)](#)

Wife of [Thomas Blacker, of Blacker Hall](#)

Mother of [Robert Blacker, of Blacker Hall](#)

Sister of [John Saville of Hullenedge](#); [Thomas Saville, Jr.](#); [Henry Saville](#); [Nicholas Savile](#); [Ellen Savile](#); and [Alice Savile](#) « less

BROTHER OF THOMAS BLACKER

JOHN BLACKER

Birthdate: estimated between 1420 and 1458 

Death:

Immediate Family: Son of [Robert Blakker of Blacker Hall](#) and [Alice Boyne](#)
Husband of [Margaret Leake](#)
Father of [Roger Blacker](#) and [Robert Blacker](#)
Brother of [Thomas Blacker, of Blacker Hall](#)

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ROBERT BLACKER AND MARY SPRIGONELL

***Generation one: Henry. Generation two: William. Generation three: Henry
Generation four: Robert. Generation five: Richard
Generation six: John and Alice. Generation seven: Robert and Alice.
Generation eight: Thomas and Agnes. Generation nine: Robert and Mary.***

GENERATION: NINE

Robert was born about: c1450.

At: Blacker Hall, Wakefield, Yorkshire, England

Died about:

At:

Married about:

At:

To: Mary Sprigonell (daughter of John Sprigonell of Crigglestone)

She was born about:

At:

Died about:

At:

They had the following children...

1/. Thomas

2/. Robert

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BIRTHS OF PARENTS OF THESE CHILDREN...

MARRIAGE...

BIRTHS OF CHILDREN...

DEATHS...

ARCHIVES...

Robert Blacker, of Blacker Hall

Birthdate: 1450

Death:

Immediate Family: Son of [Thomas Blacker, of Blacker Hall](#) and [Agnes Saville](#)

Husband of [Mary Sprigonell](#)

Father of [Thomas Blacker of Blacker Hall](#) and [Robert Blacker](#)

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WIFE OF ROBERT

MARY SPRIGONELL

Birthdate: estimated between 1421 and 1481 

Death:

Immediate Family: Daughter of [John Sprigonell, of Hall Green,](#)

[Chapelthorpe](#) and [Anne Savile](#)

Wife of [Robert Blacker, of](#)

[Blacker Hall](#)

Mother of [Thomas Blacker of](#)

[Blacker Hall](#) and [Robert Blacker](#)

THOMAS BLACKER AND MARY AMYAS

Generation one: Henry. Generation two: William. Generation three: Henry

Generation four: Robert. Generation five: Richard.

Generation six: John and Alice. Generation seven: Robert and Alice.

Generation eight: Thomas and Agnes 1430. Generation nine: Robert and Mary.

Generation ten: Thomas and Mary.

GENERATION: TEN

Thomas was born about: c1487.

At: Blacker Hall, Wakefield, Yorkshire, England

Died about:

At:

Married about:

At:

To: Mary Amyas

She was born about:

At:

Died about:

At:

They had the following children...

1/. John

2/. Ralph

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Births, Deaths, Marriages, and place names.***

BIRTHS OF PARENTS OF THESE CHILDREN...

MARRIAGE...

BIRTHS OF CHILDREN...

DEATHS...

ARCHIVES...

Thomas Blacker of Blacker Hall

Birthdate: circa 1487

Death: circa October 22, 1516 (20-37)

Immediate Family: Son of [Robert Blacker, of Blacker Hall](#) and [Mary Sprigonell](#)
Husband of [Mary Amyas](#)
Father of [John Blacker](#) and [Ralph Blacker of Blacker Hall](#)
Brother of [Robert Blacker](#)


Occupation: Will proved October 22 1516

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WIFE OF THOMAS

MARY AMYAS


Birthdate: estimated between 1452 and 1492 

Death:

Immediate Family: Daughter of [Roger Amyas of Sandal](#) and [Alice Staynton](#)
Wife of [Thomas Blacker of Blacker Hall](#)
Mother of [John Blacker](#) and [Ralph Blacker of Blacker Hall](#)
Sister of [John Amyas of Milnthorpe](#); [Isabel Amyas](#); [Beatrice Amyas](#) and [Ralph Amyas, Vicar of Penistone](#)

BROTHER OF THOMAS

ROBERT BLACKER

Birthdate: estimated between 1456 and 1516 

Death:

Immediate Family: Son of [Robert Blacker, of Blacker Hall](#) and [Mary Sprigonell](#)
Brother of [Thomas Blacker of Blacker Hall](#)

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RALPH BLACKER AND ANN GRICE

Generation one: Henry. generation two: William. generation three: Henry

Generation four: Robert. Generation five: Richard.

Generation six: John and Alice. Generation seven: Robert and Alice.

Generation eight: Thomas and Agnes. Generation nine: Robert and Mary.

Generation ten: Thomas and Mary. Generation eleven: Ralph and Ann.



GENERATION: ELEVEN

Ralph was born about: c1520.

At: Blacker Hall, Wakefield, Yorkshire, England

Died about:

At:

Married about:

At:

To: **Ann Grice**

She was born about: c1520.

At:

Died about:

At:

They had the following children...

1/. John

2/. Dorothe

3/. Robert

4/. **Nicholas**

5/. Agnes

6/. Isabel

7/. Ralph

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BIRTHS OF PARENTS OF THESE CHILDREN...

MARRIAGE...

BIRTHS OF CHILDREN...

DEATHS...

ARCHIVES...

Ralph Blacker

Birthdate: 1513

Birthplace: Blacker Hall, Crigglestone,
Yorkshire, England (United
Kingdom)

Death: 1578 (64-65)

**Immediate
Family:** Son of Thomas Blacker of
Blacker Hall and Mary
Amyas
Husband of Ann Grice
Father of John
Blacker; Dorothe
Blacker; Robert
Blacker; Nicholas
Blacker; Agnes Blacker and 2
others
Brother of John Blacker

Occupation: Will dated 20 July 1562, but
not proved until April 16 1578

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WIFE OF RALPH BLACKER

ANN GRICE

Birthdate: circa 1510
Death: 1582 (67-76)
Immediate Family: Daughter of [Thomas Grice](#) and [Anne \(Agnes\) Beeston](#)
Wife of [Ralph Blacker of Blacker Hall](#)
Mother of [John Blacker](#); [Dorothie Blacker](#); [Robert Blacker](#); [Nicholas Blacker](#); [Agnes Blacker](#) and [2 others](#)
Sister of [Isabel Grice](#); [Elizabeth Thornhill](#); [Jane Grice](#) and [Henry Grice](#)




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BROTHER OF RALPH BLACKER

JOHN BLACKER

Birthdate: estimated between 1460 and 1492 

Death: July 01, 1560
Yorkshire, England (United Kingdom)

Place of Burial: Sandal

Immediate Family: Son of [Thomas Blacker of Blacker Hall](#) and [Mary Amyas](#)
Father of [Ralph Blacker](#); [Robert Blacker](#); [Walter Blacker](#); [Elizabeth Blacker](#); [Jennet Blacker](#) and [3 others](#)
Brother of [Ralph Blacker of Blacker Hall](#)

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RALPH BLACKER AND ANN GRICE
HAD THE FOLLOWING CHILDREN...

1/. JOHN BLACKER AND AGNES SPRIGONELL

Generation one: Henry. generation two: William. generation three: Henry

Generation four: Robert. Generation five: Richard.

Generation six: John and Alice. Generation seven: Robert and Alice.

Generation eight: Thomas and Agnes. Generation nine: Robert and Mary.

Generation ten: Thomas and Mary. Generation eleven: Ralph and Ann.

Generation twelve: John and Agnes.

GENERATION: TWELVE

John was born about: c1540.

At:

Died about:

At:

Married about:

At:

To: *Agnes Sprigonell*

She was born about:

At:

Died about:

At:

They had the following children...

- 1/.**
- 2/.**
- 3/.**
- 4/.**
- 5/.**

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BIRTHS OF PARENTS OF THESE CHILDREN...

MARRIAGE...

BIRTHS OF CHILDREN...

DEATHS...

ARCHIVES...

John Blacker

Birthdate: circa 1540

Birthplace: Yorkshire, England (United Kingdom)

Death: 1584 (38-48)
Blacker Hall, Yorkshire,
England (United Kingdom)

Immediate Family: Son of [Ralph Blacker of Blacker Hall](#) and [Ann Grice](#)
Husband of [Agnes Sprigonell](#)
Father of [George Blacker](#)
Brother of [Dorothie Blacker](#); [Robert Blacker](#); [Nicholas Blacker](#); [Agnes Blacker](#); [Isabel Blacker](#) and [1 other](#)

Occupation: Eldest son, inherited Blacker Hall

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**GEORGE BLACKER SON OF JOHN AND AGNES BLACKER
SOLD BLACKER HALL TO HIS SON IN LAW...**

1. GEORGE BLACKER

- | | |
|-------------------------|--|
| 2. Birthdate: | 3. circa 1565 |
| 4. Birthplace: | 5. Blacker Hall,
Yorkshire,
England (United
Kingdom) |
| 6. Death: | 7. circa June 26,
1594 (20-37) |
| 8. Immediate
Family: | 9. Son of John
Blacker and Agn
es Sprigonell
Husband
of Margery Allot
Father of George
Blacker, SOLD
BLACKER HALL
to his son-in-
law; Sarah
Blacker; Robert
Blacker; John
Blacker and Rich
ard Blacker |
| 10. Occupation: | 11. Owner of Blacker
Hall, Constable
and Sokereeve
(sheriff of a 'soke'
- a territory) for
Crigglestone
1593. |
| 12. | |
| 13. Managed by: | 14. Private User |
| 15. Last Updated: | 16. November 17,
2014 |

2/. DOROTHIE BLACKER AND MR THORNES

Generation one: Henry. generation two: William. generation three: Henry

Generation four: Robert. Generation five: Richard.

Generation six: John and Alice. Generation seven: Robert and Alice.

Generation eight: Thomas and Agnes. Generation nine: Robert and Mary.

Generation ten: Thomas and Mary. Generation eleven: Ralph and Ann.

Generation twelve: Dorotheie and Mr Thornes

GENERATION: TWELVE

Dorotheie was born about: c1560.

At:

Died about:

At:

Married about:

At:

To: Mr Thornes

He was born about:

At:

Died about:

At:

They had the following children...

1/.

2/.

3/.

4/.

5/.

***Following are sources and the official records...for the above
Births, Deaths, Marriages, and place names.***

BIRTHS OF PARENTS OF THESE CHILDREN...

MARRIAGE...

BIRTHS OF CHILDREN...

DEATHS...

ARCHIVES...

Dorothie Blacker

Birthdate: estimated between 1518 and
1574 

Death:

Immediate Family: Daughter of [Ralph Blacker of
Blacker Hall](#) and [Ann Grice](#)
Wife of [Mr Thornes](#)
Sister of [John Blacker](#); [Robert
Blacker](#); [Nicholas
Blacker](#); [Agnes Blacker](#); [Isabel
Blacker](#) and [1 other](#)

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**[https://www.geni.com/people/William-de-Blakker-of-Blakker-
Hall/600000008393068459](https://www.geni.com/people/William-de-Blakker-of-Blakker-Hall/600000008393068459)**

3/. ROBERT BLACKER AND

Generation one: Henry. generation two: William. generation three: Henry

Generation four: Robert. Generation five: Richard.

Generation six: John and Alice. Generation seven: Robert and Alice.

Generation eight: Thomas and Agnes. Generation nine: Robert and Mary.

Generation ten: Thomas and Mary. Generation eleven: Ralph and Ann.

Generation twelve: Robert and

GENERATION: TWELVE

Robert was born about: c1560.

At:

Died about:

At:

Married about:

At:

To:

She was born about:

At:

Died about:

At:

They had the following children...

1/.

2/.

3/.

4/.

5/.

***Following are sources and the official records...for the above
Births, Deaths, Marriages, and place names.***

BIRTHS OF PARENTS OF THESE CHILDREN...

MARRIAGE...

BIRTHS OF CHILDREN...

DEATHS...

ARCHIVES...

Robert Blacker

Birthdate: 1543

Death: circa 1626 (77-87)

Immediate Son of [Ralph Blacker of Blacker](#)

Family: [Hall](#) and [Ann Grice](#)

Brother of [John](#)

[Blacker](#); [Dorothie](#)

[Blacker](#); [Nicholas](#)

[Blacker](#); [Agnes Blacker](#); [Isabel](#)

[Blacker](#) and [1 other](#)

Occupation: Recorded as 83 in 1626 in
Hunter's Pedigrees

Managed by: Private User

Last Updated: November 17, 2014

4/. NICHOLAS BLACKER

Generation one: Henry. generation two: William. generation three: Henry

Generation four: Robert. Generation five: Richard.

Generation six: John and Alice. Generation seven: Robert and Alice.

Generation eight: Thomas and Agnes. Generation nine: Robert and Mary.

Generation ten: Thomas and Mary. Generation eleven: Ralph and Ann.

Generation twelve: Nicholas and

SEE 'JOURNAL FOUR' 'HURST AND WILCOCK FAMILIES OF ENGLAND' FOR THE POSSIBLE CONNECTION TO BLACKER FAMILY OF SOMERSET, ENGLAND

Note: The compiler has discovered that there may be a connection between the Blacker family of Blacker Hall, Yorkshire, England and the Blacker family of Somerset, England. The factor being a possible common ancestor in Yorkshire, England through **Nicholas Blacker** born about 1570 in Yorkshire who then went to live in Somerset, England about 1600...

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Information sourced from the following...

Source: https://www.curiousfox.com/locale/Clutton_Somerset.html

❑ BLACKER FAMILY FORUM

I Can Trace Back To William Blacker (1657-1721) And His Wife, Ann, Who Were Married In 1682. Can Anyone Take It Further Back?

Posted: 2005, Member Logged In: 2017

❑ BLACKER

*I Have Been Researching My Family Connection To The Blacker Family Which Originated In Clutton, Somerset, England. My Research Is Mostly Completed However, I Am Trying To Find The Link Between William Blacker Born 1647, Clutton, Married To Ann? And Blacker's In Ireland Namely Valentine Blacker Of Carrick Blacker, Armagh. I Have An Extract From A Family Bible Which States That Three Ancestors Of **VALENTINE BLACKER, NAMELY; William Went To Mid-Somer, Norton, George Went To Farrington Gurney And Nicholas Went To Clutton, Somerset.***

GENERATION: TWELVE

Nicholas was born about: c1560.

At:

Died about:

At:

Married about:

At:

To:

She was born about:

At:

Died about:

At:

They had the following children...

1/.

2/.

3/.

4/.

5/.

***Following are sources and the official records...for the above
Births, Deaths, Marriages, and place names.***

BIRTHS OF PARENTS OF THESE CHILDREN...

MARRIAGE...

BIRTHS OF CHILDREN...

DEATHS...

ARCHIVES...

NICHOLAS BLACKER

Birthdate: estimated between 1518 and
1574 🔄

Death:

Immediate Family: Son of [Ralph Blacker of Blacker Hall](#) and [Ann Grice](#)
Brother of [John Blacker](#); [Dorothie Blacker](#); [Robert Blacker](#); [Agnes Blacker](#); [Isabel Blacker](#) and [1 other](#)

5/. AGNES BLACKER AND MR LIELL

Generation one: Henry. generation two: William. generation three: Henry

Generation four: Robert. Generation five: Richard.

Generation six: John and Alice. Generation seven: Robert and Alice.

Generation eight: Thomas and Agnes. Generation nine: Robert and Mary.

Generation ten: Thomas and Mary. Generation eleven: Ralph and Ann.

Generation twelve: Agnes and Mr Liell.

GENERATION: TWELVE

Agnes was born about: c1560.

At:

Died about:

At:

Married about:

At:

To: Mr Liell

He was born about:

At:

Died about:

At:

They had the following children...

1/.

2/.

3/.

4/.

5/.

***Following are sources and the official records...for the above
Births, Deaths, Marriages, and place names.***

BIRTHS OF PARENTS OF THESE CHILDREN...

MARRIAGE...

BIRTHS OF CHILDREN...

DEATHS...

ARCHIVES...

Agnes Blacker

Birthdate: estimated between 1518 and
1574 

Death:

Immediate Family: Daughter of [Ralph Blacker of
Blacker Hall](#) and [Ann Grice](#)
Wife of [Mr Liell](#)
Sister of [John Blacker](#); [Dorothe
Blacker](#); [Robert
Blacker](#); [Nicholas
Blacker](#); [Isabel Blacker](#) and [1
other](#)

Managed by: Private User

Last Updated: November 17, 2014

6/. ISABEL BLACKER AND MR LEAKE

Generation one: Henry. generation two: William. generation three: Henry

Generation four: Robert. Generation five: Richard.

Generation six: John and Alice. Generation seven: Robert and Alice.

Generation eight: Thomas and Agnes. Generation nine: Robert and Mary.

Generation ten: Thomas and Mary. Generation eleven: Ralph and Ann.

Generation twelve: Isabel and Mr Leake

GENERATION: TWELVE

Izabel was born about: c1560.

At:

Died about:

At:

Married about:

At:

To: **Mr Leake**

He was born about:

At:

Died about:

At:

They had the following children...

1/.

2/.

3/.

4/.

5/.

***Following are sources and the official records...for the above
Births, Deaths, Marriages, and place names.***

BIRTHS OF PARENTS OF THESE CHILDREN...


MARRIAGE...

BIRTHS OF CHILDREN...

DEATHS...

ARCHIVES...

ISABEL BLACKER

Birthdate: estimated between 1518 and
1574 

Death:

Immediate Family: Daughter of [Ralph Blacker of
Blacker Hall](#) and [Ann Grice](#)
Wife of [Mr Leake](#)
Sister of [John Blacker](#); [Dorothe
Blacker](#); [Robert
Blacker](#); [Nicholas
Blacker](#); [Agnes Blacker](#) and [1
other](#)

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7/. RALPH BLACKER AND JUDITH

Generation one: Henry. generation two: William. generation three: Henry

Generation four: Robert. Generation five: Richard.

Generation six: John and Alice. Generation seven: Robert and Alice.

Generation eight: Thomas and Agnes. Generation nine: Robert and Mary.

Generation ten: Thomas and Mary. Generation eleven: Ralph and Ann.

Generation twelve: Ralph and Judith.

Note: Parents of Valentine who moved to Ireland. Valentine is a nephew of Nicholas...

GENERATION: TWELVE

Ralph was born about: c1560.

At:

Died about:

At:

Married about:

At:

To: Judith

She was born about:

At:

Died about:

At:

They had the following children...

1/. Elizabeth

2/. Valentine

***Following are sources and the official records...for the above
Births, Deaths, Marriages, and place names.***

BIRTHS OF PARENTS OF THESE CHILDREN...

Ralph Blacker of Blacker Hall and Ann Grice

MARRIAGE...

BIRTHS OF CHILDREN...

DEATHS...

ARCHIVES...

Ralph Blacker

Birthdate: circa 1550

Birthplace: Blacker Hall, Yorkshire,
England (United Kingdom)

Death: September 05, 1624 (69-78)
Durkar, Yorkshire, England
(United Kingdom)

Immediate Family: Son of **Ralph Blacker of
Blacker Hall and Ann Grice**
Husband of **Judith
Blacker**
Father of **Valentine
Blacker and Elizabeth Worrall**
Brother of **John
Blacker; Dorothe
Blacker; Robert
Blacker; Nicholas
Blacker; Agnes Blacker;
and Isabel Blacker « less**

RALPH BLACKER AND JUDITH BLACKER...
HAD THE FOLLOWING CHILDREN

1/. ELIZABETH WORRALL (BLACKER)

Birthdate: estimated between 1561 and 1601 🌐

Death:

Immediate Family: Daughter of [Ralph Blacker of Durkar](#) and [Judith](#)
Wife of [Revd. Richard Worrall, of High Hoyland](#)
Sister of [Valentine Blacker](#)

Managed by: [Karl Friedrich Smit](#)

Last Updated: May 8, 2020

2/. VALENTINE BLACKER

Birthdate: 1597

Birthplace: Yorkshire, England (United Kingdom)

Death: August 17, 1677 (79-80)

Place of Burial: Sego (Seagoe), County Armagh, Ireland

Immediate Family: Son of [Ralph Blacker of Durkar](#) and [Judith](#)
Husband of [Judith Harrison](#)
Father of [Lt-Col George Blacker](#); [Captain Lt Ferdinand Blacker](#); [Robert Blacker](#); [Frances Blacker](#); [Violetta Blacker](#); and [Rose Blacker](#) « less
Brother of [Elizabeth Worrall](#)

CHAPTER FOUR

BLACKERS OF IRELAND

VALENTINE BLACKER AND JUDITH HARRISON

Generation one: Henry. generation two: William. generation three: Henry

Generation four: Robert. Generation five: Richard.

Generation six: John and Alice. Generation seven: Robert and Alice.

Generation eight: Thomas and Agnes. Generation nine: Robert and Mary.

Generation ten: Thomas and Mary. Generation eleven: Ralph and Ann.

Generation twelve: Ralph and Judith. Generation thirteen: Valentine and Judith.

Valentine Blacker was born in 1597.^[2] He married Judith Harrison, daughter of Michael Harrison.^[3] He died on 17 August 1677.^[4]

He lived at Poppleton, Yorkshire, England.^[5] He was Commandant of the Horse and Foot.^[6] He was the first of the family in Ireland, he settled at Carrick, County Armagh, Ireland.^[7] He purchased the manor of Carrowbrack, Drumaconwey, County Armagh, Ireland, (later known as Carrickblacker), from Sir Anthony Cope of Loughgall in 1660.^[8] He lived at Carrowbrack, Drumaconwey, County Armagh, Ireland.^[9]

GENERATION: THIRTEEN

Valentine was born about: c1597.

At:

Died about:

At:

Married about:

At:

To: Judith Harrison.

She was born about:

At:

Died about:

At:

They had the following children...

1/. George

2/. Ferdinand

3/. Robert

4/. Francis

5/. Violetta

6/. Rose

[Lt-Col George Blacker](#); [Captain Lt Ferdinand Blacker](#); [Robert Blacker](#); [Frances Blacker](#); [Violetta Blacker](#); and [Rose Blacker « less](#)

***Following are sources and the official records...for the above
Births, Deaths, Marriages, and place names.***

BIRTHS OF PARENTS OF THESE CHILDREN...

Son of [Ralph Blacker of Blacker Hall](#) and [Ann Grice](#)

MARRIAGE...

BIRTHS OF CHILDREN...

DEATHS...

**VALENTINE
BLACKER**

Principal
Find A Grave Index

Burial Portadown, Seagoe, County Armagh, Northern Ireland,
United Kingdom

VALENTINE BLACKER

BIRTH

unknown

DEATH

Jun 1706

BURIAL

[Seagoe Cemetery](#)

Portadown, County Armagh, Northern Ireland

MEMORIAL ID

244941650 · [View Source](#)

Also attached to this memorial...

***Valentine son of Mr William Blacker and Hanna his wife was buried the 4th day of
June 1706***

George son of Valentine Blacker and Elizabeth his wife baptised October 3rd 1714

***Valentine son of William Blacker Esq. and Hanna his wife baptised February the
7th 1710/11***

Robert son of C. Val Blacker and Eliz. his wife baptised Nov? the 26th

***Valentine, son of Valentine Blacker and Elizabeth his wife was baptised the 22nd of
December 1717***

William, son of Valentine and Elizabeth Blacker baptised January ye 6th 1712/3

ARCHIVES...

VALENTINE BLACKER

Birthdate: 1597
Birthplace: Yorkshire, England (United Kingdom)
Death: August 17, 1677 (79-80)
Place of Burial: Segoe (Seagoe), County Armagh, Ireland
Immediate Family: Son of [Ralph Blacker of Durkar](#) and [Judith](#)
Husband of [Judith Harrison](#)
Father of [Lt-Col George Blacker](#); [Captain Lt Ferdinand Blacker](#); [Robert Blacker](#); [Frances Blacker](#); [Violetta Blacker](#); and [Rose Blacker « less](#)
Brother of [Elizabeth Worrall](#)

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[Valentine Blaker](#)

Principal

Ireland, Court of Chancery Bill Books, 1627-1884

Legal 8 May 1633

Dublin, County Dublin, Ireland

[Valentine Blaker](#)

Principal

Ireland, Court of Chancery Bill Books, 1627-1884

Legal 12 June 1634

Dublin, County Dublin, Ireland

[Valentine Blacker](#)

Principal

Ireland, Court of Chancery Bill Books, 1627-1884

Legal 11 February 1640

Dublin, County Dublin, Ireland

[Valentine Blacker](#)

Principal

Ireland, Court of Chancery Bill Books, 1627-1884

Legal 10 January 1658

Dublin, County Dublin, Ireland

Valentine Blacker

Principal

Ireland, Betham Genealogical Abstracts, 1179-1830

**Other 22 August 1660
Ireland**

Valentine Blacker

Principal

Ireland, Betham Genealogical Abstracts, 1179-1830

**Other 10 April 1666
Ireland**

Valentine Blacker

Principal

**Ireland, Diocesan and Prerogative Wills & Administrations Indexes, Ireland
1595-1858**

Probate 1677

1633

VALENTINE BLAKER

Principal

Ireland, Court of Chancery Bill Books, 1627-1884

Legal 8 May 1633

Dublin, County Dublin, Ireland

VALENTINE BLAKER

Principal

Ireland, Court of Chancery Bill Books,
1627-1884

Legal 12 June 1634

Dublin, County Dublin,
Ireland

1639

Valentine Blaker

Principal

Ireland Births and Baptisms, 1620-1881

**Christening 17 August
1639**

**Dublin, County Dublin,
Ireland**

**Death 20 November
1639**

Parents George Blaker

Name

Valentine Blaker

Sex

Male

Death Date	20 Nov 1639
Father's Name	George Blaker
Father's Sex	Male
Event Type	Christening
Event Date	17 Aug 1639
Event Place	Dublin, County Dublin, Ireland
Event Place (Original)	Saint Michan, Dublin, Dublin, Ireland

Valentine Blaker's Parents and Siblings

OPEN ALL

George Blaker

Father

M

1640

VALENTINE BLACKER

Principal
Ireland, Court of Chancery Bill Books, 1627-1884

Legal 11 February 1640
Dublin, County Dublin, Ireland

1658

VALENTINE BLACKER

Principal
Ireland, Court of Chancery Bill Books, 1627-1884

Legal 10 January 1658
Dublin, County Dublin, Ireland

1660

VALENTINE BLACKER

Principal
Ireland, Betham Genealogical
Abstracts, 1179-1830

Address

Other **22 August 1660**
Ireland

Carrick

Principle Is Deceased	No
Event Type	Other
Event Date	22 Aug 1660
Event Place	Ireland
Source Collection Title	Betham's genealogical abstracts
Series Name	Betham Genealogical Abstracts series 10 continued Miscellaneous collection
Volume	Betham's Genealogical Abstracts Misc. Colln.
Affiliate Name	National Archives of Ireland

Blacker

Indent. 27 Jan 1658 whereby George
W. of Ballymaghie in co Armagh
Esq. for £60 aliened to Rob. Stewart
of Brye Esq in Tyrone Esq the town
lands of Coenagh in Par. of Tulle
sicken in Tyrone

Indent. 22 Aug. 1660. Whereby Anthony
Scope of Loghcell Esq sold to Valentine
Blacker of Carrick Esq. the town
lands of Carrick, Ballybreagh
Doonaneconary, Doonantish ne
quillagh Ballyhoragan and
Ballymoraghie in the Parish
of Scope. B. O'Neilan co Armagh
with his park and free over
the parquises and benefits of
Court, let and Bacon, waifs

1666

VALENTINE BLACKER

Principal
Ireland, Betham Genealogical Abstracts, 1179-1830

Other 10 April 1666
Ireland

Thays, jines and amarranuth
in the same being part of
the manor of Corbrackoge
Inrolled 13 Feb 1660

Indent triplicate 10 April 1666 betw
Valentine Blacker of Corbrack. Esq
George Blacker of Ballynaghee
Esq. son of said Val. & Rose B.
his wife, of 1st part - Robert He
watt of Lory in 1st part by
William Stewart 2^d butler to
Robt. Foulk Martin of Brownlowes
cleruy & William Draper of Tully
logan co. Antrim Esq. of 2^d
part: William Blacker grand
son of said Valentine son and son
of said George and Elizabeth
his wife sister of the said Robt
and William Stewart of
the 2^d part. To settle the
moiety of the manor of Cor
brack, & the lands
of Aghewa, Bonnetown
Killaghdullaghan, Ela, Kellamany
Killyela, and Ballynaghee
in co Tyrone & so all of

- 87
- 1st Valentine B. for life
 - 2^d George B. for life and the lands
of Ballynaghee to his wife
Rose after his decease
 - 3^d William B. and his heirs
male by said Elizabeth
 - 4th to Legard Blacker 2^d son of
George

Deeds in 26 & 27 June 1671 betw
James Earl of Suffolk, Henry Howard
his brother and Mary his wife
daur and heir apparent
of Andrew Lord Castlestewart
sold to William Blacker of
Ballytran by the lands of
Aghewy, Bonnetown, Killvolleygram
Killsally, Ballynaghee, Ellye
and Kiltremoyne

14 March 1675 George Blacker of
Ballynaghee sold the lands
of Meekana in par. Kildriss
to James Stewart of Ballyma
ney

Shays, fines and amercements
in the same being part of
the manor of Corbrackoge
Inrolled 13 Feb 1660

Indent triplicate 10 April 1666 betw
Valentine Blacker of Corvink Esq
George Blacker of Ballynaghee
Esq. son of said Val. & Rose B.
his wife, of 1st part - Robert He
watt of Lory in es Tyrone Esq
William Stewart 2^d brother to
Robt. Faulk Martin of Brownlowes
Esq & William Draper of Tully
logan es Armagh Esq. of 2^d
part: William Blacker grand
son of said Valentine son and son
of said George and Elizabeth
his wife sister of the said Robt
said William Stewart of
the 3^d part. To settle the
moiety of the manor of Corv
brack, & & and the lands
of Aghera, Borne from
Killaghdullaghan, Ela, Kellamany
Killyela and Ballynaghee
in es Tyrone & To use of

1st Valentine B. for life

2^d George B. for life and the lands of Ballymonaghan to his wife Rose after his decease

3^d William B. and his heirs male by and Elizabeth

4th to Legard Blackan 2^d son of George

Deeds In 26 & 27. June 1671. betw James Earl of Suffolk, Henry Howard his brother and Mary his wife dau. and his apparent of Andrew Lord Castlemount sold to William Blackan of Ballytrou by the lands of Aghovy, Bonatroun, Killvolleyhan, Kellsally, Ballymonaghin, Ullagh and Kiltimonagh

14 March 1675 George Blackan of Ballymonaghin sold the lands of Muckana in par. Kildrops to James Stewart of Ballymonaghin

1677

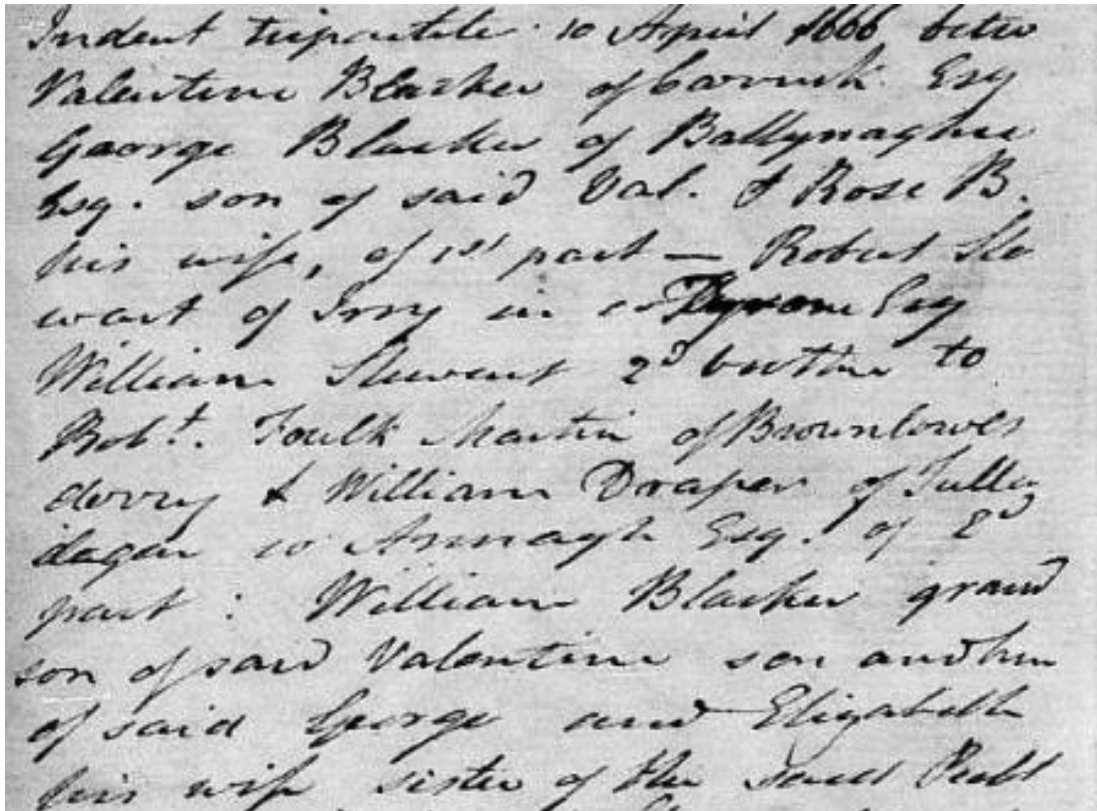
VALENTINE BLACKER

Principal

Ireland, Diocesan and Prerogative Wills & Administrations Indexes, 1595-1858

Probate 1677

Ireland

A snippet of a handwritten probate document in cursive script. The text is written on aged, slightly yellowed paper. It begins with 'Indent tripartite. 10 April 1666 betw' and lists several individuals and their relationships, including Valentine Blacker of Carvink, George Blacker of Ballymaghew, Robert Stewart, Foulk Martin, and William Draper. The document is divided into two parts, with the second part mentioning William Blacker as the grandson of Valentine.

Above: Valentine 10 April 1666 of Carvink, Ireland. George Blacker son of Valentine and his wife Rose Blacker of Ballymaghew being the first part. Foulk Martin of ? and William Draper of Tullen Annaagh esq. of the second part.

William Blacker grandson of said Valentine son? of said George and Elizabeth his wife sister of the said Robert.

degn to Arranagh 2^d of 2
part: William Blacker grand
son of said Valentine son and heir
of said George and Elizabeth
his wife sister of the said Robt
said William Stewart of
the 3^d part. To settle the
moiety of the Manor of Core
brack, & the lands and the tithes
of Aghera, Borne town
Killaghdullaghan, Ela, Kellamony
Killyela, and Ballymagurn
in co Tyrone & To use of

1st Valentine B. for life
2^d George B. for life and the land
of Ballymonaghie to his wife
Rose after his decease
3^d William B. and his heirs
male by said Elizabeth
4th to Edward Blacker 2^d son of
George.

1670-1720

[Valentine Blaker](#)

Principal

Ireland, Court of Chancery Bill Books, 1627-1884

Legal **25 October 1670**

Dublin, County Dublin, Ireland

[Vallantine Blacker](#)

Principal

Ireland, Court of Chancery Bill Books, 1627-1884

Legal **9 June 1673**

Dublin, County Dublin, Ireland

[Valentine Blacker](#)

Principal

Ireland, Court of Chancery Bill Books, 1627-1884

Legal **18 February 1673**

Dublin, County Dublin, Ireland

[Valentine Blacker](#)

Principal

Ireland, Court of Chancery Bill Books, 1627-1884

Legal **7 May 1673**

Dublin, County Dublin, Ireland

[Valentine Blacker](#)

Principal

Ireland, Court of Chancery Bill Books, 1627-1884

Legal **3 November 1674**

Dublin, County Dublin,

Ireland

[Valentine Blacker](#)

Principal


Ireland, Court of Chancery Bill Books, 1627-1884

Legal **23 October 1674**

Dublin, County Dublin, Ireland

JUDITH HARRISON

JUDITH HARRISON

Birthdate: estimated between 1562 and 1614 

Death: March 27, 1664

Immediate Family: Daughter of [Michael Harrison, of Ballydargan, Ireland](#) and [Michael Harrison](#)
Wife of [Valentine Blacker](#) and [Valentine Blacker](#)
Mother of [Katherine Hollingsworth](#); [Lt-Col George Blacker](#); [Captain Lt Ferdinand Blacker](#); [Robert Blacker](#); [Frances Blacker](#); [Violetta Blacker](#) and [Rose Blacker](#) « less

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MICHAEL HARRISON, OF BALLYDARGAN, IRELAND

Birthdate: circa 1570

Birthplace: Ballygardan, County Down, Ireland

Death:

Immediate Family: Father of [Judith Harrison](#)

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Last Updated: May 8, 2020

**VALENTINE BLACKER AND JUDITH HARRISON
HAD THE FOLLOWING CHILDREN...**

Father of Lt-Col George Blacker; Captain Lt Ferdinand Blacker; Robert Blacker; Frances Blacker; Violetta Blacker; and Rose Blacker « less

Generation:

GENERATION:

was born about:

At:

Died about:

At:

Married about:

At:

To:

She was born about:

At:

Died about:

At:

They had the following children...

1/.

2/.

3/.

4/.

5/.

***Following are sources and the official records...for the above
Births, Deaths, Marriages, and place names.***

BIRTHS OF PARENTS OF THESE CHILDREN...

MARRIAGE...

BIRTHS OF CHILDREN...

DEATHS...

ARCHIVES...

[The Wedding of Lt. Col. Stewart Blacker and Lady Doris Peel \(Other\)](#)

[Leyden House And Garden \(Other\)](#)

[Leyden House \(Other\)](#)

[Leydene House External \(Other\)](#)

[Marriage Newspaper Article \(Other\)](#) [The Guardian, Wed, Feb 16, 1927](#)

[Wedding at St. Margaret's Westminster \(Other\)](#)

[Blacker Bombard Weapon \(Other\)](#) [Infantry anti-tank weapon devised by Lieutenant-Colonel Stewart Blacker in the early years of the Second World War](#)

[Profile Pic \(Other\)](#)

[Profile Pic 2 \(Other\)](#)

[Profile Pic \(Other\)](#)

[Annie and John's marriage certificate \(Document\) Date: 1883 Location: Wistow, Yorkshire, England](#)

Note: All of the above eleven photos are available on <https://www.ancestry.com.au/>...one has to join...

The wedding of Lt. Col. Stewart Blacker and Lady Doria Peel took place on 19 February 1887 at St Margaret's Westminster. It was a bitterly cold day. The bride arrived from the church with a fur coat covering her wedding dress. Her dress was of medieval design with long sleeves, tight bodice and full gathered skirt. It was of rich ivory satin with motifs of pearl and diamond embroidery on the front. There was a gold girdle train, studded with red blackish gems and fringed with deep blue ermine. The bride was given away by her father Vincent Peel. There was a retinue of five B&B girls and five boys who wore garish blue velvet costumes of Charles I period. The best man was Sir Geoffrey Eastwood. Pictures of the happy couple and their attendants can be seen in The Sketch 23 Feb 1887.

**Col Latham Valentine
Stewart Blacker (born 1887)**



The house and garden today

**Col Latham Valentine
Stewart Blacker (born 1887)**



**Col Latham Valentine
Stewart Blacker (born 1887)**



Lynton House

The entrance

**Col Latham Valentine
Stewart Blacker (born 1887)**

MARRIAGE OF LORD PEEL'S DAUGHTER.
The Archbishop of York, assisted by the Rev. Richard Crowley, conducted the service at the marriage yesterday at St. Margaret's, Westminster, of Major Stewart Blacker, eldest son of Major Latham Blacker, late Royal Artillery, and Miss Blacker, with the Hon. Doria Peel, daughter of Vincent and Warrington Peel, Mr. Geoffrey Eastwood was best man.
The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a dress of ivory satin with intricate work in pearls and diamonds. Ten children attended the bride—Miss Julia Peel, Miss Lucy Burton, Miss Kestling and Master Peat (half-brother-in-law of the bridegroom), Miss Harriette Leitch, Miss Joan Bennett, the Misses Anne, Marjory, and Mabel Peat, Misses Lee, Elizabeth, and Mabel John Kestling. The girls wore blue tulle, smart dresses with Italian caps, and the boys wore in knee breeches and caps.
Lady Peel held a reception afterwards at St. George's Hall, and among the guests were Earl and Countess de Malmesbury, the Marquis of Londonderry, Mrs. Balfour, the Earl and Countess of Malmesbury, Lady de Malmesbury, the youngest Countess of Essex, Lady Doria Peel, and Vincent Pease.

**Col Latham Valentine
Stewart Blacker (born 1887)**



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Stewart Blacker (born 1887)



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Col Latham Valentine
Stewart Blacker (born 1887)



Latham Blacker (born 1793)



John Blacker (born 1837)

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Nephew B
John B
sister in law Alex^r Willason
elder son Joshua Esq
son Richard
Joseph Peter Esq

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Other **14 March 1675**
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[Jane Blacker Alias W](#)

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Spouses **Tho Wilkinson**

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Other **10 April 1666**
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Father
Ireland Births and Baptisms, 1620-
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Spouses **Rose**
Children **Raph Blacker**

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Principal
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Other **14 March 1675**
County Armagh, Ireland

[Robert Blacker](#)

Principal

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Legal **10 January 1658**
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[Mary Blaker](#)

Spouse
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[Bridget Blaker](#)

Principal
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Legal **1 July 1656**
Dublin, County Dublin, Ireland

Christening **17 August 1639**
Dublin, County Dublin, Ireland

Death **20 November 1639**
Parents **George Blaker**

Other **10 April 1666**
Ireland

Other **21 November 1636**
Ireland

Other **1623**
Ireland
Spouses **William Blaker**

Other **1623**
Ireland
Spouses **Mary Blaker**

Other **23 December 1702**
Ireland

Children **Sara Blaker**

Children **Valentine Blaker**

Spouses **Mary Blaker**

Spouses **William Blaker**

Other **8 October 1678**
County Galway, Ireland
Spouses **Mark Lynch**

1830

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Principal

Ireland, Court of Chancery Bill Books, 1627-1884

Legal **2 May 1656**

Dublin, County Dublin,

Ireland

[Bridget Blaker](#)

Spouse

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Spouses **Mark Lynch**

[Rose Blacher](#)

Spouse

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Spouses **John**

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DONOVAN OF SEAFIELD.


ST. JOHN HENRY DONOVAN, of Seafield, co. Kerry, J.P., High Sheriff 1909, Chairman of Kerry County Council 1899-1901, *b.* 29 Oct. 1863; *m.* 22 June, 1886, Susan Josephine, dau. of Daniel Donovan, of Ballyard, co. Kerry, by Agnes his wife, dau. of Edmund Purcell, of Tralee. She *d.* 1891, leaving issue,

1. HENRY JOSEPH BRENDAN, *b.* 15 May, 1887.
1. Mirian Agnes.
2. Kathleen Mary.
3. Agnes Mary Aloysia.

He *m.* 2ndly, 11 Feb. 1909, Eileen, eldest dau. of Thomas O'Connor, of Ballyseedy Tralee, and has issue,

2. John Aloysias Mary.
3. Thomas Joseph Anthony, twins, *b.* 4 July, 1910.

Lineage.—JOHN DONOVAN, of Frogmore Spa, Tralee, and the Square, Tralee, co. Kerry, *m.* Katherine, dau. of James Galwey of Skibbereen, co. Cork, and had issue. His 5th son, SIR HENRY DONOVAN, of Clogher's House, Seafield, Tralee, co. Kerry, J.P., High Sheriff 1873, Chairman of Town Commis-



1. Elizabeth. The eldest son, THOMAS DOUGLASS, of Grace Hall, *m.* 1786, Elizabeth, dau. of Mathew Forde, of Seaforde, co. Down and Coolgreaney, co. Wexford, by Elizabeth his wife, sister of Thomas, 1st Viscount Northland, and had issue,
 1. CHARLES MATHEW, his successor.
 1. Elizabeth, *m.* the Rev. Samuel Blacker, of Elm Park, co. Armagh (*see* BLACKER family), and had, with other issue, ST. JOHN THOMAS BLACKER-DOUGLASS, heir to his uncle.
 2. Theodosia, *m.* the Rev. William Brownlow Forde, of Seaforde, co. Down. The only son, CHARLES MATHEW DOUGLASS, of Grace Hall, J.P. and D.L., High Sheriff co. Down 1836, *b.* 1793; *d.s.p.* 1880, and was *s.* under the provisions of his will, dated 10 Feb. 1865, and proved 31 March, 1860, by his nephew, ST. JOHN THOMAS BLACKER-DOUGLASS, of Grace Hall, &c.
2. Ellen. **Lineage**—(of BLACKER).—SAMUEL BLACKER, of Tanderagee, co. Armagh, Barrister-at-Law, 3rd son of William Blacker, of Carrick Blacker, by Theodosia his 2nd wife, dau. of Sir Oliver St. John, Knt. of Tanderagee Castle, *m.* 29 April, 1734, Mary, dau. of Isaiah Corry, of Rock Corry, co. Monaghan, and had by her (who *d.* 30 Oct. 1771) a son, REV. ST. JOHN BLACKER, M.R.I.A., Rector of Moira, co. Down, and Prebendary of Inver, co. Donegal, *b.* 28 Sept. 1743; *m.* 1st, 1767, Grace, dau. of Maxwell Close, of Elm Park, co. Armagh, by whom he had five sons and four daus.,
 1. SAMUEL (Rev.), his heir.
 2. Maxwell, of Dublin, Q.C., Chairman of Kilmainham, *b.* 14 March, 1773; *d.s.p.* 1843.
 3. William, *b.* 1776; M.R.I.A.; *d.s.p.* 20 Oct. 1850.
 4. Valentine, C.B., Lieut.-Col. E.I.C.S., Quartermaster-General of the Madras Army, Surveyor-General of India, &c., *b.* 1778; *m.* 22 Dec. 1813, Emma, dau. of Robert Johnson, of Elm Grove, Lancaster, and had three sons, Rev. Valentine Samuel Barry Blacker, Vicar of East and West Reedham, Norfolk, *d.* 10 Sept. 1858; Rev. Maxwell Julius, who left issue; and Murray Mac-

of Skibbereen, co. Cork, and had issue. His 5th son, SIR HENRY DONOVAN, of Clogher's House, Seafield, Tralee, co. Kerry, J.P., High Sheriff 1873, Chairman of Town Commissioners of Tralee, b. 4 Dec. 1822; m. 16 June, 1853, Kathleen, dau. of the Hon. Patrick Morris, of St. John's, Newfoundland, and Frances Mary his wife, dau. of Dr. William Bullen, of Cork, and d. 16 July, 1886, having had issue, St. JOHN HENRY, now of Seafield. Frances Mary Philippa.

Arms—Arg. issuing from the sinister a dexter cubit arm vested gu., cuffed az., the hand grasping an old Irish sword, the blade entwined with a serpent all ppr., in the dexter chief point a cross crosslet fitchée of the second. **Crest**—A falcon alighting ppr. holding in the beak a cross crosslet fitchée gu. **Motto**—Adjuvante Deo in hostes.

Seat—Seafield Spa, Tralee.

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BLACKER-DOUGLASS OF GRACE HALL.

MAXWELL VAN-DELEUR BLACKER-DOUGLASS, of Grace Hall, co. Down, Elm Park, co. Armagh, J.P., D.L., High Sheriff co. Kerry 1905, High Sheriff co. Dublin 1909, late Lieut. 4th Batt. Royal Inniskilling Fusiliers, b. 1859; m. 9 Sept. 1891, Alice, only child of the late Robert MacGeough, of Silver



Lancaster, and had three sons, Rev. Valentine Samuel Barry Blacker, Vicar of East and West Reedham, Norfolk, d. 10 Sept. 1858; Rev. Maxwell Julius, who left issue; and Murray Macgregor, of Claremont, co. Mayo, J.P. and D.L., b. 1824; m. 1851, his cousin Frances Elizabeth, dau. of the Rev. Samuel Blacker, LL.D., Rector of Mullabrack, and by her (who d. 1 July, 1905) has issue; and one dau., Emma Louisa Rosa. He d. 1823.

5. St. John, Lieut.-Col. in the Madras Army, and at one time Envoy to the Court of Persia, b. 14 March, 1786; m. 1828, Anne Hammond, only child of Sir Charles Morgan, and d. 1842, leaving two sons, St. John Maxwell, Lieut. 21st Fusiliers, d. 1852; William, and two daus., Charlotte and Isabella Louisa, m. 1854, Ferdinand, Baron de Wydenbruck.

1. Mary, d. unkm. 27 July, 1857.
2. Catherine, m. 1st, Jan. 1804, Rev. Charles Barker, Canon of Wells; 2ndly, Rev. Robert Ball.
3. Grace, m. 6 May, 1809, Robert Alexander, of Gloucester Place, London, representative of the elder branch of the CALEDON family, and d. 1835.
4. Charlotte, m. 8 Dec. 1809, Gen. Munro, of Teanich.

Rev. St. John Blacker m. 2ndly, Susan, dau. of Dr. Messiter, of London, but had no further issue. His eldest son, REV. SAMUEL BLACKER, LL.D., Prebendary of Mullabrack, co. Armagh, b. 1771; m. Elizabeth, dau. of Thomas Douglass, of Grace Hall, co. Down, and had issue,

1. St. JOHN THOMAS, his heir.
2. Thomas Samuel, of Castle Martin, co. Kildare; m. 9 Dec. 1852, Frances Mary Anne, dau. of Thomas A. Forde, of Seaforde, co. Down, and d. 1857, leaving issue,
 1. WILLIAM BLACKER, of Castle Martin, J.P., High Sheriff co. Kildare 1878, Capt. 3rd Batt. R. Dublin Fusiliers, b. 29 Sept. 1853; m. 28 April, 1877, Hon. Mary Lawless, dau. of Edward, 3rd Lord Cloncurry. He d. 21 Nov. 1907. She d. 20 June, 1885, leaving issue,
 - (1) Cecil William, b. 27 Dec. 1877; d. 3 Feb. 1885.
 - (2) Frederick St. John, Capt. Rifle Brigade, b. 6 March, 1881.
 - (1) Marjorie Mary, m. 2 April, 1908, Major Arthur Alec Goschen, D.S.O., R.H.A. (see BURKE'S Peerage, GOSCHEN, V.). He m. 2ndly, 1892, Eva Harriett Cator, dau. of Edward Beauman, of Furness, co. Kildare, and d. 21 Nov. 1907, having by her had issue,
 - (2) Alice.
2. Frederick Henry, b. 1854, formerly Capt. 4th Queen's Own Hussars, and late Major Notts Y.C.; m. 25 Nov. 1884, Anna,

of the late Robert MacGeough, of Silver Bridge, co. Armagh (see MACGEOUGH - BOND of Drumsill), and has issue,



1. ROBERT ST. JOHN, b. 30 Nov. 1892.
2. Charles Maxwell, b. 19 Feb. 1900.
1. Alice Florence, b. 20 Jan. 1895.

Lineage—(of DOUGLASS).—This family is of Scottish descent. ROBERT DOUGLASS, b. 1655, son of Robert Douglass, of co. Down, by Elizabeth Henderson his wife, was Lieut. in the Army of King WILLIAM III at the Battle of the Boyne. He was thrice married, 1st, to Miss Elliot; 2ndly, to Miss Whitney; and 3rdly, to Miss Usher; and d. Jan. 1733, when he was s. by his son, CHARLES DOUGLASS, High Sheriff co. Down 1760; m. 1st, Grace, dau. of Richard Warring, of Waringstown, co. Down, but had no issue. He m. 2ndly, 1758, Theodosia, dau. of George St. George, of Woodgift, co. Kilkenny, who was created a baronet 1766, and by her had issue,

1. THOMAS.
2. George.
3. Robert.

- (2) Alice.
2. Frederick Henry, b. 1854, formerly Capt. 4th Queen's Own Hussars, and late Major Notts Y.C.; m. 25 Nov. 1884, Anna, dau. of Sir Joseph Bazalgette, Knt., of St. Mary's, Wimbledon, C.B., and has issue,
 - (1) William Frederick, Lieut. Roy. Irish Fus.
 - (2) Francis, b. 1889.
 - (3) Cecil, b. 1889.
 - (1) Theresa.

1. Louisa Elizabeth.
1. Theodosia, d. unkm. 1847.
2. Frances Elizabeth, m. 1851, her cousin Murray Macgregor Blacker, of Claremont, co. Mayo. She d. 1 July, 1905.
3. Isabella, m. 1855, Rev. Arthur W. Boycott.

Rev. Samuel Blacker d. 1849, and was s. by his eldest son, ST. JOHN THOMAS BLACKER-DOUGLASS, of Grace Hall, co. Down, Elm Park, co. Armagh and Tullahinnel, co. Kerry, J.P. cos. Kerry and Armagh, D.L. co. Kerry, High Sheriff co. Armagh 1861, and co. Kerry 1865, b. 1822; m. 1855, Elizabeth, dau. of Col. Crofton Moore Vandeleur, of Kilrush, co. Clare, M.P., by Lady Grace Toler his wife, dau. of Hector John, 2nd Earl of Norbury, and d. 26 Sept. 1900, leaving issue,

1. MAXWELL VANDELEUR, now of Grace Hall.
2. St. John Douglass Stewart, b. 16 Feb. 1871; m. 9 Nov. 1897, Isabel, only dau. of Major Pulteney, late 52nd Regt.

1. Grace Elizabeth, *d. unm.* 1878.
2. Georgina Frances, *d. unm.* 1889.
3. Emily Theodosia, *m.* 1886, Capt. Thomas Graves Lowry Herbert Armstrong, Northumberland Fusiliers, of Kildare, King's Co.

Mr. Blacker-Douglass assumed by Royal Licence, dated 10 June, 1880, the additional surname and arms of DOUGLASS, on *s.* to the estate of his uncle, Charles Matthew Douglass.

Arms—Quarterly: 1st and 4th, per pale arg. and or, a human heart gu. on a chief az. a trefoil slipped between two estoiles of the second, for DOUGLASS; 2nd and 3rd, arg. on a mount vert a warrior in complete armour in the act of advancing towards the right, and brandishing in his dexter hand a battle-axe ppr. from his shoulder a mantle flowing gu., for BLACKER. **Crests**—1st, DOUGLASS: A cubit arm erect ppr., the hand grasping a human heart as in the arms, and charged with a trefoil slipped vert; 2nd, BLACKER: A dexter arm embowed armed ppr. the hand gauntleted grasping a battle-axe, as in the arms. **Mottos**—DOUGLASS, Forward; BLACKER, Pro Deo et rege.

Seat—Elm Park, Armagh. **Residence**—2, Bellevue Park, Killiney, co. Dublin.

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BLACKER OF CARRICKBLACKER



THE BLACKERS OWNED 1,466 ACRES OF LAND IN COUNTY ARMAGH

*This family, according to Burke's, derives its name and descent from **BLACAR**, king or chief of the Norsemen, or Danes, who settled at Dublin in the beginning of the 10th century. He was the son of **Godfred**, and the grandson of **Imar**. Succeeding his brother **Amlave** in 938, he led back the Danes to Dublin, from whence they had been driven.*

In 940, he plundered Clonmacnoise and Kildare, and the next year he slew with his own axe, in a pitched battle on the banks of the River Bann, Muirchertach, King of Ailech, called the Hector or bravest of his time. A battle-axe features in the Blacker coat-of-arms and crest.

The day after, he marched against and sacked the city of Armagh. It is a singular fact that his descendants have for many generations possessed the site of this victory; the traditions of the country; the remains of an ancient encampment; and the discovery of both Danish and Irish weapons (some of which are in the possession of the Blacker family).

These facts strongly corroborate the testimony of historians, in this particular. In 943, Blacar was driven from Dublin by a successful attack of the Irish, and he fell in 946 near that city, with 1,600 of his people, vanquished by Congalach, King of Ireland, and was succeeded by his son, SITRIC MacBLACAR.

By some authors he is called Blaccard, and it is worthy of observation, that the name is still frequently pronounced, in some circles, Blackard.

THE FIRST of the English family who settled in Armagh, Ireland was...

CAPTAIN VALENTINE BLACKER, of Carrick, in the parish of Seagoe, County Armagh, (as he is described in old records), was born in 1597.

This soldier, a commandant of Horse and Foot, went from Poppleton, in Yorkshire, to Ulster.

Captain Blacker purchased the manor of Carrowbrack from Anthony Cope, of Loughgall, in 1660.

This manor was subsequently called Carrickblacker.

During Captain Blacker's lifetime, and principally by his means, the old church of Seagoe, now in ruins, was built.

He married Judith, daughter of Michael Harrison, of Ballydargan, County Down, and had issue,

Ferdinando "*Capitaine-Leifftenant*" in Savile's troop of horse;
GEORGE, of whom we treat;
Violetta; Dora; Maud.

Captain Blacker died in 1677, and was succeeded by his younger son,

LIEUTENANT-COLONEL GEORGE BLACKER, of Carrickblacker, a firm adherent of the royal house of STUART, High Sheriff of County Armagh, 1684, who wedded Rose, daughter and heiress of William Latham, of Ballytroan, County Tyrone.

Colonel Blacker was one of the gentlemen obliged by JAMES II to proceed to Londonderry for the purpose of demanding the surrender of that city; but remaining firm to the cause of WILLIAM III, his name, together with that of his son, William Blacker, appeared in the Act of Attainder of that day.

Mrs Rose Blacker died in 1689.

The precise time of Colonel Blacker's demise is uncertain, but it must have been shortly after: Both were buried in Seagoe Church.

Colonel Blacker was succeeded by his son,

WILLIAM BLACKER, of Carrick and Ballytroan, who built (as appears from a date cut on a stone in the wall) the manor house of Carrickblacker in 1692.

A staunch supporter of WILLIAM III, he fought at the battle of the Boyne.

This gentleman wedded firstly, in 1666, Elizabeth, daughter of **Colonel the Hon Robert Stewart**, of Irry, County Tyrone, third son of **1st Baron Castle Stuart**, descended from the Dukes of Albany, and by her he had issue,

STEWART, *his heir*;

Robert, ancestor of BLACKER of *Drogheda and Meath*.

Mr Blacker espoused secondly Hannah Lawrence; and thirdly, Theodosia, daughter of Oliver St John, of Tandragee Castle, County Armagh, and had further issue, Samuel, ancestor of BLACKER of *Elm Park and Tullahinell*.

Mr Blacker died in 1732, and was succeeded by his eldest son,

STEWART BLACKER, of Carrickblacker, High Sheriff of County Tyrone, 1706, who married, in 1704, Barbara, daughter of the Rev Henry Young, and niece and heiress of William Latham, of Brookend, County Tyrone, by whom he had issue,

WILLIAM, *his heir*;

Latham;

Henry (Rev);

George, of Hallsmill, Co Down;

Barbara.

Mr Blacker died in 1751, aged 80, and was succeeded by his eldest son,

WILLIAM BLACKER (1709-83), of Carrickblacker and Brookend, High Sheriff of County Armagh, 1734, County Tyrone, 1749, who espoused, in 1738, Letitia, daughter of Henry Cary, of Dungiven Castle, MP for County Londonderry, and had issue,

STEWART, *his heir*;

William;

Henry;

George (Rev), Rector of Seagoe;

Eliza; Barbara; Martha; Alicia; Letitia; Lucinda.

Mr Blacker died in 1783, and was interred beside his wife in the abbey church of Bath, in which city he had resided the latter years of his life.

He was succeeded by his eldest son,

THE VERY REV STEWART BLACKER (1740-1826), of Carrickblacker, Dean of Leighlin, Archdeacon of Dromore, Rector of Drumcree, Vicar of Seagoe, who married Eliza, daughter of Sir Hugh Hill Bt, MP for Londonderry, and had issue,

WILLIAM, *his heir*;

George, Captain, East India Company;

Stewart, Captain RN;

James Stewart (Rev);

Letitia; Sophia; Eliza; Louisa; Caroline.

Dean Blacker was succeeded by his son,

WILLIAM BLACKER JP DL (1777-1855), of Carrickblacker, Lieutenant-Colonel,

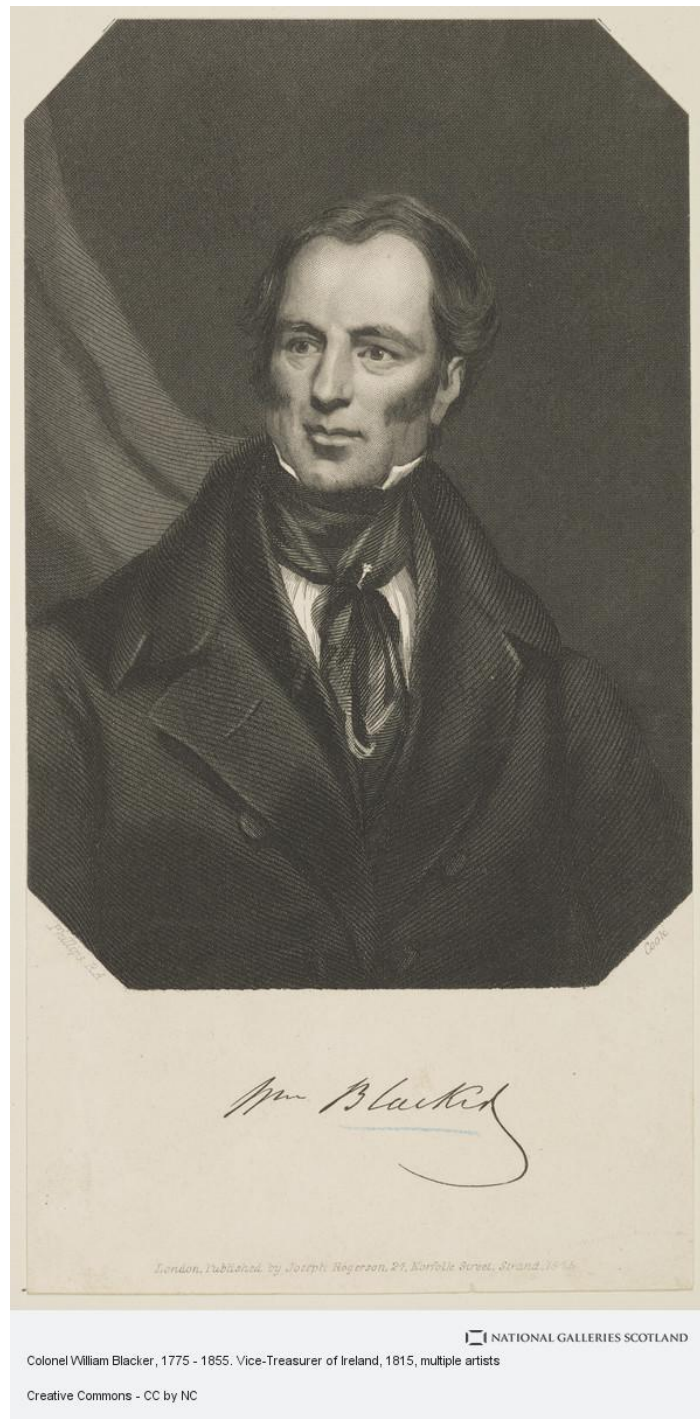
Armagh Militia, High Sheriff of County Armagh, 1811, who wedded, in 1810, Anne, eldest daughter of **Sir Andrew Ferguson Bt**, MP for Londonderry.

LIEUTENANT-COLONEL VALENTINE BLACKER CB (1778-1826), Surveyor-General of India, was a relative.



Colonel and Mrs Blacker and Lady Ferguson

Colonel Blacker was Vice-Treasurer of Ireland, 1810-17.



Artist:

Henry Richard Cook English

Title:

Colonel William Blacker, 1775 - 1855. Vice-Treasurer of Ireland

Date created:

1815

After:

Thomas Phillips English (1770 - 1845)

Dying without an heir, the family estates devolved upon his nephew,

STEWART BLACKER JP DL, of Carrickblacker, Barrister, High Sheriff of County Armagh, 1859, Member, Royal Irish Academy, who died *unmarried* in 1881, when the Carrickblacker estate devolved upon his sister,

HESTER ANNE, BARONESS VON STIEGLITZ, for her life, and the representation of the family reverted to his kinsman,

THE REV ROBERT SHAPLAND CAREW BLACKER JP MA (1826-1913),

of Woodbrook House, Enniscorthy, County Wexford, and Carrickblacker, County Armagh, son of William Blacker and Elizabeth Anne Carew, who wedded, in 1858,

Theodosia Charlotte Sophia, daughter of George Meara, of May Park, County Waterford, by Sarah Catherine his wife, sister of Edward Southwell, 3rd Viscount Bangor, and had issue,

William Robert George (1860-80);

EDWARD CAREW, *of whom hereafter;*

STEWART WARD WILLIAM, *succeeded his brother.*

The eldest surviving son,

EDWARD CAREW BLACKER JP DL (1863-1932),

of Carrickblacker and Woodbrook House, High Sheriff of County Wexford, 1908, died *unmarried* and was succeeded by his brother,

LIEUTENANT-COLONEL STEWART WARD WILLIAM BLACKER DSO JP DL (1865-1935),

of Carrickblacker and Woodbrook House, who married, in 1903, Eva Mary Lucy St John, daughter of Colonel Edward Albert FitzRoy, and had issue,

WILLIAM DESMOND, *his heir;*

Robert Stewart, Commander RN;

Terence Fitzroy;

Betty Mary.

Colonel Blacker was succeeded by his eldest son,

LIEUTENANT-COLONEL WILLIAM DESMOND BLACKER DSO (1903-44),

of Carrickblacker, who was *killed in action* at Normandy, France.

Colonel Blacker died *unmarried*.



CARRICKBLACKER HOUSE

Near Portadown, County Armagh, was a house dated 1692, though much embellished during the 19th century.

It had a three-storey, five-bay front, a curvilinear "Dutch" gable in the centre, a balustrade parapet to the roof, and urns at the sky-line.

There was a balustrade above the entrance door.

The estate was purchased in 1937 by Portadown Golf Club, which demolished Carrickblacker House in 1958 to make way for a new clubhouse.

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