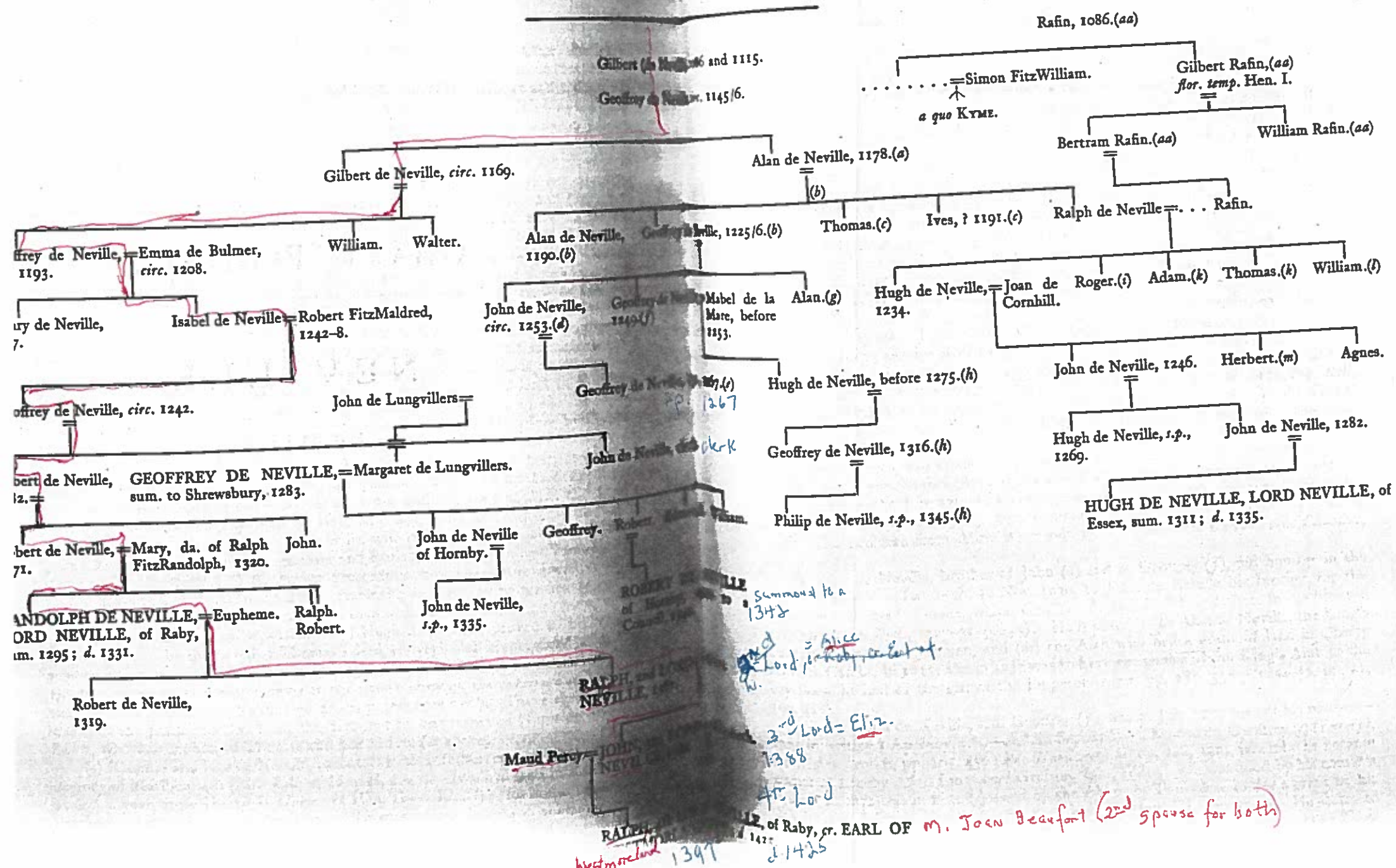


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# PEDIGREE OF NEVILLE—partly conjectural— showing descent of Neville of [1195]; Neville of Essex [1311]



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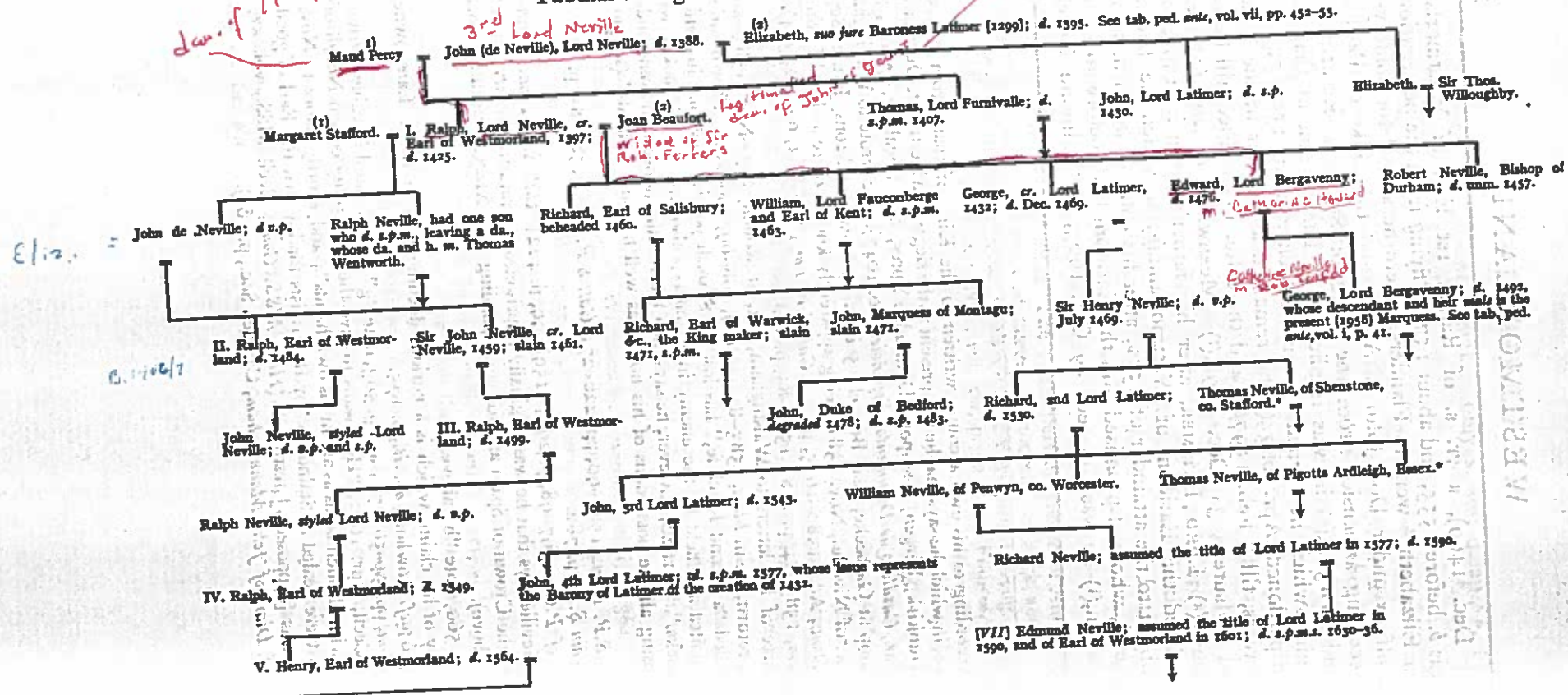
desc. of Henry (de Percy) Lord Percy

Complete  
Pedigree  
by G.E.C.  
Geof. H. White, F.S. Lou MA.

with his 3rd  
wife Katherine  
Roet (da. of  
Sir Payn Roet) of  
Guinevere King of  
Arms' widow of  
Sir Hugh Swinford

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### Tabular Pedigree of the Neville Earls of Westmorland:—



be added the lands then held by the Dow. Marchioness, viz., the Mowcombe estate of 8,794 acres in Dorsetshire, and 4,112 acres in Wiltshire. Total of such addition, 12,906 acres, worth £26,958 a year. This return does not include the metropolitan area, in which the Duke holds the largest and the most valuable estate of any one. *Principal Residences*.—Eaton Hall, near Chester, co. Chester, and Halkin Castle, co. Flint. (\*)

## WESTMORLAND

## EARLDOM.

I. 1397. 1. RALPH (DE NEVILLE), LORD NEVILLE, (b) s. and h. of John (DE NEVILLE), 3rd LORD NEVILLE (a Baron by writ, 1295), by his 1st wife, Maud, da. of Henry (DE PERCY), LORD PERCY, was b. about 1364; (c) took part in the Earl of Buckingham's expedition to Brittany, where he was knighted at St. Omer, July 1380; (d) a Commr., app. 14 Nov., with his cousin, Henry Percy ("Hotspur"), to supervise a duel between an Englishman and a Scotsman at Lyliat Cross, (e) 25 Nov. 1381, and to receive from the Scots 24,000 marks due for King David's ransom, 1 Dec. 1383; Joint Keeper of the castle and city of Carlisle, 26 Oct. 1385; Joint Warden of the West March towards Scotland, 27 Mar. 1385/6 and 8 May 1386. (f) He suc. his father, 17 Oct. 1388, (h) and was sum. to Parl. from 16 Dec.

(\*) The Grosvenor gallery of pictures was at Grosvenor House, in Upper Grosvenor Str. This formed part of the block of land (bounded by Oxford Str. on the north, Davies Str. on the east, and Park Lane on the west) which, together with the Ebury estate in Pimlico (see p. 539, note "a" above) belongs to the family of Grosvenor. G.E.C. Grosvenor House, with its fine screen and open work bronze gates, its ballroom and garden, was sold by the 2nd Duke in 1924 for about half a million and was pulled down in 1927. V.G. In addition to the above estates held by the 1st Duke, many others were acquired by the 2nd Duke in Scotland, Surrey, Norfolk, Westmorland, Lincolnshire, Shropshire and Ireland. In 1953, just before his death, he not only bought several valuable properties in the big Australian cities, but he also took over Annacis Island, a large barren swamp in the Fraser River, British Columbia, near New Westminster, on which he planned a great industrial estate. His will showed that he had left a gross estate in Britain of £5,703,655, and that he owned property all over the world valued provisionally at more than £10,000,000 (*Times*, 6 Jan. 1955).

(b) For the early history of this family see *ante*, vol. ix, sub NEVILLE (of Ribblesdale). Cf. an elaborate "Original pedigree of Tailbois and Neville" in *Genealogist*, N.S. vol. iii, pp. 31-35, 107-11. Accounts of the Neville Earls of Westmorland may be found in Rowland, *Hist. of the Family of Nevill* (1830), and Swallow, *De Nevill* (1885).

(c) His father's *inq. p.m.*

(d) Froissart, ed. Kervyn de Lettenhove, vol. ix, pp. 244, 248.

(e) Perhaps Lilliard's Edge, between Melrose and Jedburgh. See Bain, *Docs. [S.]*, vol. iv, Introd. p. xx.

(f) Rymer, vol. vii, pp. 335, 415-16; *Cal. Close Rolls*, 1381-85, p. 352.

(g) *Cal. Patent Rolls*, 1385-89, p. 42; *Rot. Scotiae*, vol. ii, pp. 81, 96.

(h) The escheators were ordered to give him seisin of his lands, the King having

(1389) 13 Ric. II to 30 Nov. (1396) 20 Ric. II, by writs directed *Radulpho de Newyll de Raby*. Joint Surveyor of Fortifications in the Marches, 25 Oct. 1388; Keeper of the Forest beyond Trent for life, 24 May 1389.<sup>(a)</sup> From 1389 till 1424 he was continually employed on the Border in negotiating truces and peace with Scotland.<sup>(b)</sup> On 3 June 1391 he obtained the custody of the lands of Gilbert de Umfreville, *titular* Earl of Angus [81], including Harbottle Castle, Northumberland, which he retained till Jan. 1409/10.<sup>(c)</sup> He also held Wark Castle, in that co., from Feb. 1396/7 to Sep. 1398.<sup>(d)</sup> Constable of the Tower of London, 21 Sep.—30 Oct. 1397.<sup>(e)</sup> For his support of the King in that year against the Duke of Gloucester and the Lords Appellant (of 1387–88)<sup>(f)</sup> he was *cr.*, 29 Sep. 1397, **EARL OF WESTMORLAND**,<sup>(g)</sup> Guardian of the truce in the East March, 28 Nov. 1398.<sup>(h)</sup> He was, however, with the Earl of Northumberland, one of the first to join the banished Duke of Hereford, his wife's brother, after the landing at Ravenspur, July 1399, and played a prominent part in procuring Richard II's abdication and the elevation of Henry to the throne as Henry IV.<sup>(i)</sup> On 30 Sep. 1399, the day of Henry's accession, he was made Marshal of England for life,<sup>(j)</sup> which office he resigned in or before 1412/3.<sup>(k)</sup> He carried a Sceptre at the Coronation,

taken his homage and fealty, 9 Nov. 1388 (*Cal. Fine Rolls*, vol. x, p. 260).

<sup>(a)</sup> *Rot. Scotiae*, vol. ii, p. 96; *Cal. Patent Rolls*, 1388–92, p. 39.

<sup>(b)</sup> Rymer, vols. vii–x, and *Rot. Scotiae*, vol. ii, *passim*.

<sup>(c)</sup> *Genealogist*, N.S., vol. xxvi, p. 207; *Cal. Patent Rolls*, 1408–13, p. 156.

<sup>(d)</sup> *Idem*, 1396–99, pp. 73, 410.

<sup>(e)</sup> *Idem*, pp. 194, 250.

<sup>(f)</sup> It is related that at the trial of the Earl of Arundel, 21 Sep., Neville took off the latter's scarlet hood and belt (*Annales Ric. II*, Rolls Ser., p. 214; Adam of Usk, *Chron.*, ed. Thompson, 1904 edn., p. 13).

<sup>(g)</sup> *Cal. Charter Rolls*, vol. v, p. 369. He appears to have held no land in Westmorland but it was "the nearest available county" (*cf.* Round, *Geoffrey de Mandeville*, pp. 191, 272) to Yorkshire and Durham, where most of his vast estates lay (*viz.* Raby, Brancepeth, Middleham, Sheriff Hutton, &c.), as also was it to his Royal Honor of Fenrich, which had been granted to him and his 2nd wife for their lives, 29 Nov. 1396, and in tail male, 7 Oct. 1397 (*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 1396–99, pp. 39, 267). However he received certain offices and services which pertained to the King in Westmorland, 4 Feb. 1397/8, and was granted the fee farm of Appleby, 15 July follg., both for life (*Idem*, pp. 362, 384).

<sup>(h)</sup> *Rot. Scotiae*, vol. ii, p. 145; *Cal. Close Rolls*, 1396–99, p. 347.

<sup>(i)</sup> *Idem*, p. 512; Adam of Usk, p. 25; *Traïson et Mort du Roy Richart*, ed. Williams, pp. 180, 287; *Annales Ric. II*, pp. 252–53; *Annales Hen. IV*, Rolls Ser. p. 289; *Rolls of Parl.*, vol. iii, p. 416.

<sup>(j)</sup> Under grant of 16 Dec. he was to bear by virtue of his office "a golden stick ringed with black at either end, with the king's arms at the upper end and his own arms at the lower end, notwithstanding that his predecessors have born a wooden stick" (*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 1399–1401, pp. 9, 202).

<sup>(k)</sup> No documentary evidence has, however, been found of the transfer of the Marshalcy from the Earl to his son-in-law and successor therein, John, Earl of Norfolk. See *ante*, vol. ix, note *sub* NORFOLK [1405].

13 Oct.,<sup>(a)</sup> and on the 20th received a grant for life of the Honor of Richmond;<sup>(b)</sup> P.C. on or before 4 Dec. 1399, being app. by Parl., 1 Mar. 1403/4;<sup>(c)</sup> Commr. to treat with the King of the Romans for the marriage of the Princess Blanche, 13 Feb. 1400/1;<sup>(d)</sup> Keeper of Roxburghe Castle, 16 Mar. 1401/2–12 Nov. 1408;<sup>(e)</sup> K.G. circa 1403.<sup>(f)</sup> He was with the King in Wales when the Scots were defeated by the Percies at Homildon Hill, 14 Sep. 1402,<sup>(g)</sup> but he took the field against Northumberland in the North when the King defeated Hotspur and his uncle Worcester at Shrewsbury, July 1403;<sup>(h)</sup> Warden of Berwick and the East March, 29 July–6 Aug. 1403, and of Carlisle and the West March, 6 Aug. 1403–15 May 1414.<sup>(i)</sup> On 29 May 1405 he intercepted the rebellious Archbishop Scrope and the young Lord Mowbray (generally known as the Earl Marshal) at Shipton Moor, co. York, where after a friendly conference he arrested them in (apparently) a somewhat unscrupulous manner. For his services against the Percies he received a large grant for life of their forfeited "Lucylandes"<sup>(k)</sup> in Cumberland and Northumberland, June 1405.<sup>(l)</sup> He was app., 17 Apr. 1415, one of the Council of Regency under John, Duke of Bedford, with special responsibility for the Scottish Marches,<sup>(m)</sup> and took no part in the invasion of France and the battle of Agincourt in that year.<sup>(n)</sup> On the death of Henry V he was one of the

<sup>(a)</sup> Adam of Usk, p. 34.

<sup>(b)</sup> He was not given the title of Earl of Richmond, which was granted in his lifetime (with the reversion of the honor), 24 Nov. 1414, to Henry IV's son, John, Duke of Bedford. See *ante*, vol. x, *sub* RICHMOND. Westmorland already held a 10 years lease of Richmond and Bowes castles, which he had received, 30 Sep. 1395, at the death of Queen Anne (*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 1396–99, p. 13).

<sup>(c)</sup> Nicolas, *Proc. P.C.*, vol. i, p. 100; *Rolls of Parl.*, vol. iii, p. 530.

<sup>(d)</sup> Rymer, vol. viii, pp. 176, 179.

<sup>(e)</sup> When his s. John was so app. (*Rot. Scotiae*, vol. ii, pp. 161, 189).

<sup>(f)</sup> In place of Edmund, Duke of York, who *d.* 1 Aug. 1402.

<sup>(g)</sup> Though many of his retainers were in the fight (Rymer, vol. viii, p. 292).

<sup>(h)</sup> After Northumberland's pardon the two Earls were formally reconciled at an open Parliament, 9 Feb. 1403/4 (*Idem*, p. 319; *Proc. P.C.*, vol. i, pp. 209–10; *Annals of Hen. IV*, p. 371; *Rolls of Parl.*, vol. iii, p. 525).

<sup>(i)</sup> When his s. John was so app. (*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 1401–05, p. 258; *Rot. Scotiae*, vol. ii, pp. 164, 166, 203, 210–11).

<sup>(j)</sup> His alleged offence lay in his taking wine with the Archbishop after the meeting to allay the suspicions of the latter's followers. See Wylie, *Hist. of England under Henry IV*, vol. ii, pp. 219–27. Westmorland was not responsible for the execution of the two men at York, 8 June.

<sup>(k)</sup> These were the inheritance of Maud, *suo jure* (according to modern doctrine) Baroness Lucy, da. of Thomas (de Lucy), Lord Lucy, who *m.*, as his 2nd wife, Henry, 1st Earl of Northumberland abovenamed, and settled her estates on the Percies, who held those titles.

<sup>(l)</sup> *Cal. Patent Rolls*, 1405–08, p. 50.

<sup>(m)</sup> *Proc. P.C.*, vol. ii, p. 157.

<sup>(n)</sup> He is misrepresented by Shakespeare (who follows Hall and Holinshed) as resisting, at the Parl. of Leicester, the advice of Archbishop Chichele and as being himself present at Agincourt.

King's executors, and was made a member of the Council of Regency under Humphrey, Duke of Gloucester, Dec. 1422.<sup>(a)</sup> Founder of the collegiate church at Staindrop, co. Durham.<sup>(b)</sup> He *m.*, 1stly, Margaret,<sup>(c)</sup> da. of Hugh (DE STAFFORD) 2ND EARL OF STAFFORD, by Philippe, da. of Thomas (DE BEAUCHAMP), EARL OF WARWICK. She *d.* 9 June 1396 and was *bur.* at Brancepeth, co. Durham.<sup>(d)</sup> He *m.*, 2ndly, before 29 Nov. 1396,<sup>(e)</sup> Joan (formerly JOAN DE BEAUFORT), widow of Sir Robert FERROUS,<sup>(f)</sup> the legitimated (in 1397) da.<sup>(g)</sup> of John, "of Gaunt", DUKE OF LANCASTER, by his 3rd wife, Katharine, widow of Sir Hugh SWYNFORD, da. of Sir Payn ROER, Guienne King of Arms. He *d.* 21 Oct. 1425 at Raby Castle,<sup>(h)</sup> aged about 61, and was *bur.* under a splendid altar tomb at Staindrop afsd. M.I. to him and his two wives.<sup>(i)</sup> Will dat. 18 Oct. 1424 at Raby Castle, pr. at Durham.<sup>(j)</sup> His widow *d.* 13 Nov. 1440 at Howden, co. York, and was *bur.* (with her mother) in Lincoln Cath. M.I.<sup>(k)</sup> Will dat. 10 May 1440.<sup>(l)</sup>

<sup>(a)</sup> *Rolls of Parl.*, vol. iv, pp. 399, 175.

<sup>(b)</sup> Letters patent of the Bishop of Durham for a lic. to do so, dat. 1 Nov., were confirmed by the King, 28 Nov. 1408 (*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 1408-13, p. 35).

<sup>(c)</sup> If, as stated by Rowland (*op. cit.*, p. 30), he had a disp. to marry from Pope Urban V, he must have obtained this in or before 1370, when quite a child.

<sup>(d)</sup> *Genealogist*, N.S., vol. iii, p. 109.

<sup>(e)</sup> *Cal. Patent Rolls*, 1396-99, p. 39.

<sup>(f)</sup> *Idem*, p. 548; see ped. of Ferrers of Chartley, *ante*, vol. v, between pp. 320 and 321.

<sup>(g)</sup> *Ante*, vol. vii, note sub LANCASTER, Dukedom [1362].

<sup>(h)</sup> *Genealogist*, N.S., vol. iii, p. 109; 45th *Rep.*, D.K. Pub. Rec., App. i, pp. 279-81 (*Inq. p.m.*). Owing to his numerous family and the large estates diverted by him to his issue by his 2nd wife, the later Earls of Westmorland had a landed position inferior to that of their ancestors, the Lords Neville. Westmorland's 23 children, 9 by the 1st and 14 by the 2nd wife, are listed in *Genealogist*, N.S., vol. iii, pp. 109-10, but, however, Anastasia (who probably *d.* in infancy), the 9th child, being the yst. by the 1st wife, is omitted. Of his 11 sons, 4 were Peers (see below); of his daughters, 7 were Peeresses (by modern standards), 3 being Duchesses, of whom the yst., Cicely, Duchess of York, was mother of 2 Kings, Edward IV and Richard III. From 1404 to 1407 he and his 2 brothers, Thomas, Lord Furnival, and John, Lord Latimer, sat together in the House of Lords. From 1450 to 1455, 5 of his sons, *viz.* Richard, Earl of Salisbury, Robert, Bishop of Durham, William, Lord Fauconberg, George, Lord Laundet, and Edward, Lord Bergavenny, 5 of his sons-in-law, *viz.* Richard, Duke of York, Humphrey, Duke of Buckingham, Henry, Earl of Northumberland, John, Viscount Beaumont, and Thomas, Lord Dacre, and several of his grandsons, including John, Duke of Norfolk, Richard, Earl of Warwick, and Ralph, Earl of Westmorland, all sat together in the House of Lords.

<sup>(i)</sup> Engraved and described in Surtees, *Hist. of Durham*, vol. iv, pp. 130-31; *Swallow*, *op. cit.*, pp. 311-13.

<sup>(j)</sup> *Durham Wills and Inventories*, Surtees Soc., pt. i, pp. 68-74.

<sup>(k)</sup> *Genealogist*, N.S., vol. iii, p. 109; *Swallow*, *op. cit.*, pp. 137, 297; 44th *Rep.*, D.K. Pub. Rec., App. pp. 525-27 (*Inq. p.m.*).

<sup>(l)</sup> G.E.C.

Cicely

of the Queen Consort, Katherine,  
 in Westm. Abbey (a) 24 Feb. 1420  
 d. Jan. 4, 1422/3 + br. in the  
 choir of Greyfriars, London  
 M.I. (b)

son by Ralph + his 1<sup>st</sup> wife Margaret Stafford

WESTMORLAND

[JOHN DE NEVILLE, 1st s. and h. ap., by 1st wife, was b. in or before 1387; (a) Keeper of Roxburghe Castle, 12 Nov. 1408-1 Aug. 1411; (b) Warden of the West March towards Scotland, 15 May 1414 till his death. (c) He accompanied the King to France, July 1417, (d) taking part in the sieges of Caen, Aug.-Sep. follg., (e) and Rouen, July 1418-Jan. 1418/9; (f) was app. to receive the surrender of those in the castle of Courcy, 2 Oct., and, with Henry FitzHugh [Lord FitzHugh], that of other castles and their garrisons, 7 Oct. 1417; (g) Capt. of the castle and town of Verneuil, 31 Oct. 1417; (h) Commr. to array the men-at-arms and archers in certain towns, 8 Jan. 1417/8, to redress infractions of the truce between the King and the Duke of Burgundy, 28 Apr. 1418, and to array the men of Humphrey, Duke of Gloucester, 7 May 1419; (i) Keeper of the Warren of St. John, Argences, in the bailiwick of Caen, 25(?) July 1419. (l) He m. (lic. Durham, 29 Aug. 1394, to marry at Brancepeth) (k) Elizabeth, sister and coh. of Edmund (DE HOLLAND), 4th EARL OF KENT, 5th da. of Thomas, 2nd EARL OF KENT, by Alice, da. of Richard (FITZALAN), EARL OF ARUNDEL. He d. v.p. shortly before 20 May 1420. (l) His widow, who was present as such at the Coronation

(a) He is listed as 4th child in *Genealogist*, N.S., vol. iii, p. 109, and was presumably of age before 1 Dec. 1408, when the escheator was ordered to give him livery of his wife's pourparty (*Cal. Fine Rolls*, vol. xiii, p. 137).

(b) *Rot. Scotiae*, vol. ii, pp. 189, 197; *Cal. Docs.* [S.], vol. iv, nos. 808-110.

(c) When his br. Richard was app. Warden, 11 June 1420 (*Rot. Scotiae*, vol. ii, pp. 210, 226; Wylie, *Reign of Henry V*, vol. ii, pp. 317-18 note).

(d) With 44 lances and 113 archers (*Hen. V, Gesta*, ed. Williams, p. 269; 44th Rep., D.K. Pub. Rec., App. pp. 597, 609).

(e) Walsingham, *Hist. Angl.* (Rolls Ser.), vol. ii, p. 322.

(f) "And in that othyr syde of Sayne  
 Lay Huntyngdone, that cytte a gayne,

Also Nevylle that nobylle knyght."

(Page, "Siege of Rouen," in *Hist. Coll. of a Citizen of London*, Camden Soc. p. 9; cf. Monstrelet, *Chron.*, Soc. de l'Hist. de France, vol. iii, p. 284).

(g) Hardy, *Rot. Norman.*, pp. 173-75, 306-07, et passim.

(h) *Idem*, p. 193.

(i) *Idem*, p. 230; 41st Rep., D.K. Pub. Rec., App. i, p. 683; 42nd Rep., App. p. 318. His own men were frequently arrayed in France up to 14 Aug. 1419 (*Idem*, p. 324), after which date his name has not been found on the Norman Rolls as calendar. On 2 Apr. 1418 Neville was granted the wardship of the possessions of George, 5th Earl of Arundel, deceased, during the minority of John, his s. and h. (41st Rep., App. i, p. 682).

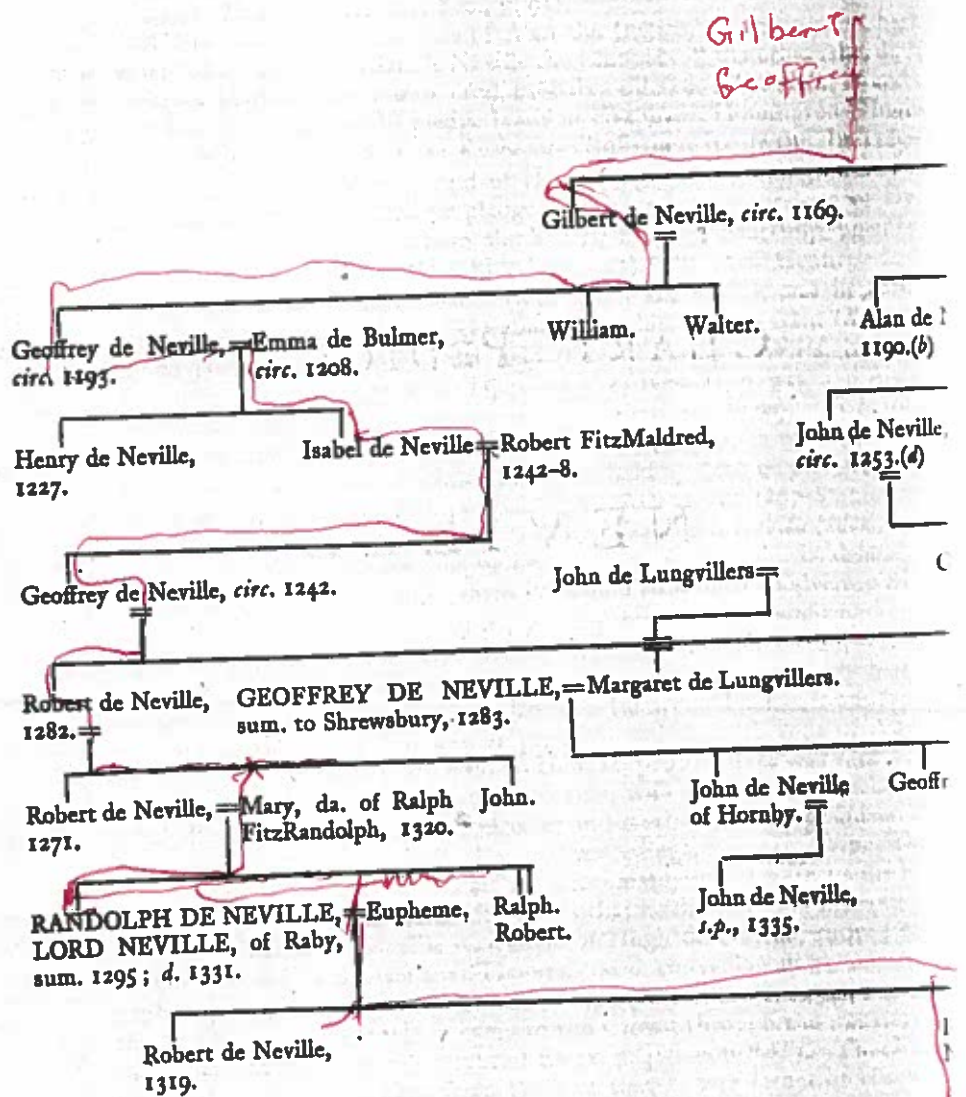
(l) *Idem*, 42nd Rep., p. 323.

(k) *Test. Ebor.*, Surtees Soc., vol. iv, p. 340. On 10 Aug. 1394, his father had lic. to grant his lands in Sutton in Galtres, co. York, to his s. John and Elizabeth, da. of Thomas de Holland, Earl of Kent, and their heirs tail (*Cal. Patent Rolls*, 1391-94, p. 494; cf. *V.C.H.*, Yorks, N. Riding, vol. ii, p. 198).

(l) When the writ to the Yorks escheator issued (*Cal. Fine Rolls*, vol. xiv, p. 211; see *N. and Q.*, 10th Ser., vol. xii, p. 177). No inq. has been found. According to *Northern Chron.* (Kingsford, *Eng. Hist. Lit. in the 15th Century*, p. 289) he died at Verneuil afd., which seems probable.

PEDIGREE OF

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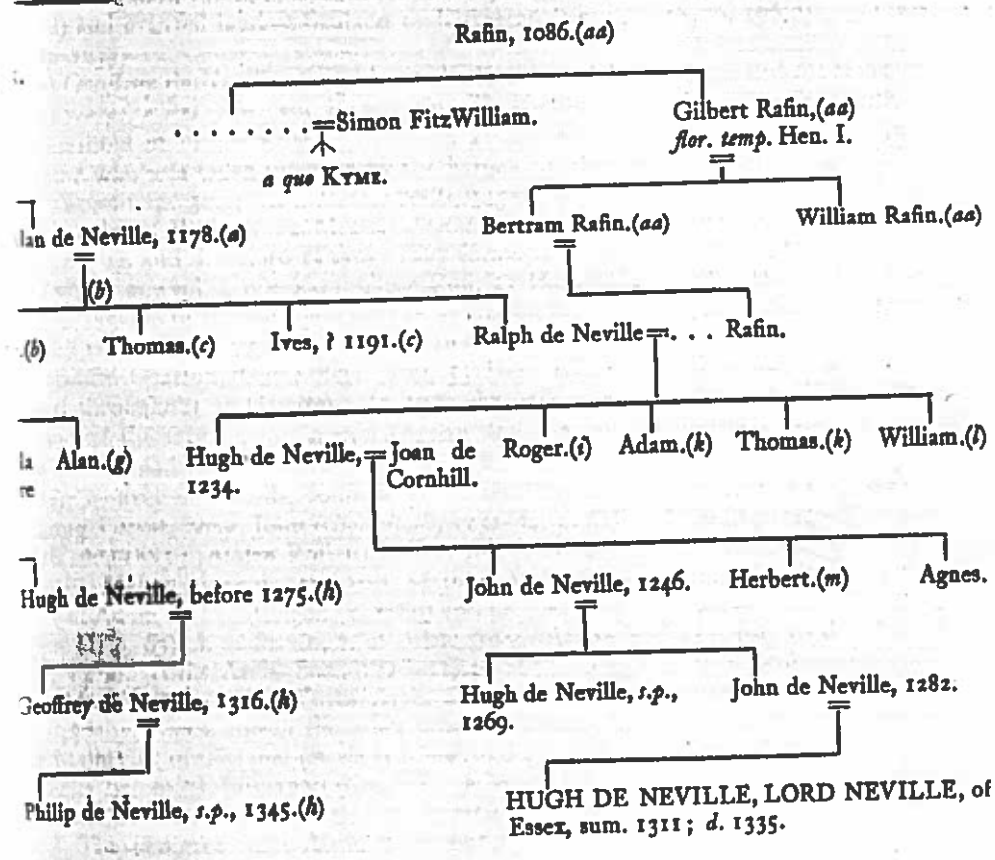
Gilbert  
Geoffrey

Maud Percy

(\*) The dates given are those of death, except in the 1st three unconnected generations;



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 ville of Essex [1311]



Raby, or EARL OF