

Records of the Trumbull, Downshire and related families, 1717-1911.
(19 vols, 2 bdl)

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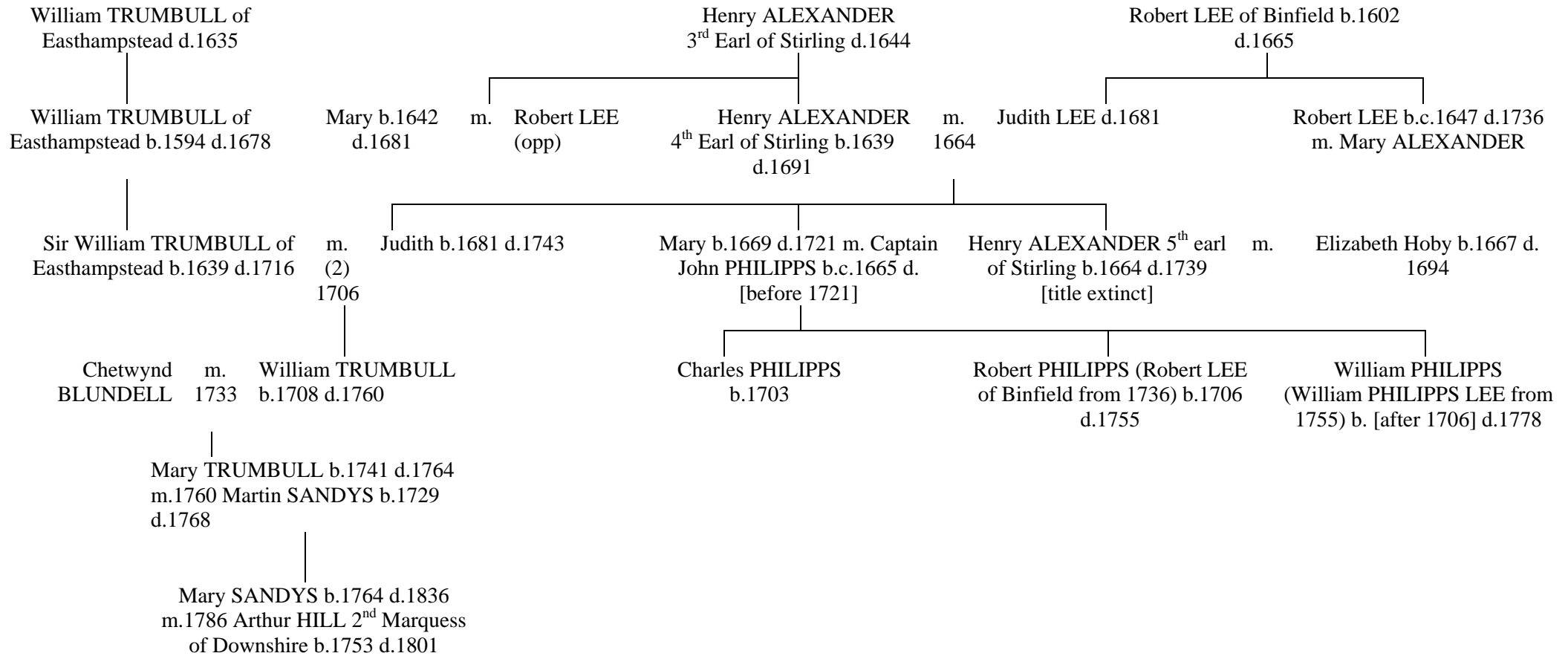
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TRUMBULL, DOWNSHIRE AND RELATED FAMILIES

Introduction

The records in this collection appear to be strays from the Downshire archive (*see* D/ED). Like the latter, they come from various families subsequently related to the Hills, marquesses of Downshire.

Outline pedigree showing the families' links



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Easthampstead estate papers

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| 1 | Accounts of Richard Stevens with Lady Judith Trumbull, November 1719-May 1724.
(Detailed accounts of cash expended managing the Easthampstead estate for Lady Judith Trumbull, and Stevens' reimbursement by Lady Judith. Includes names of labourers employed.)
[For Lady Judith's personal accounts, <i>see</i> D/ED/F19.] | 1 vol | 1719-1724 |
| 2 | Accounts of Richard Stevens (later of William Cooper) as [steward of the Easthampstead estate], July 1729-May 1742.
(Detailed accounts of cash expended managing the Easthampstead estate, and Stevens' or Cooper's reimbursement. Includes names of labourers employed. Volume started by Stevens but passed to his successor by the end of July 1729. Also includes, at front, memorandum of beating the bounds of the parish, 1730 and 1735, after which William Trumbull sent a loaf, cheese and 12 gallons of strong beer to Wishmoor Cross [Winkfield] on each occasion; and, reversed, memoranda relating to draining and stocking the moat, horsepond and cockspond, 1731-1737.) | 1 vol | 1729-1742 |
| 2A/1-4 | Receipted bills and vouchers for payments made for the estate by William Cooper, 1737-1738, 1741-1741/2.
[Found loose in D/EZ 91/2.] | 1 bdl | 1737-1742 |
| 3 | Accounts of William Cooper (later of Abraham Belcham) [as steward of the Easthampstead estate], July 1742-June [1747].
(Detailed accounts of cash expended managing the Easthampstead estate, and Cooper's or Belcham's reimbursement. Includes names of labourers employed. Accounts by Cooper to January 1742/3, and by Belcham from February 1742/3.) | 1 vol | 1742-[1747] |
| 4 | Journal: Easthampstead estate, October 1748-March 1750/1.
(Includes, at front, inventory of money, goods and debts belonging to William Trumbull, 1748.) | 1 vol | 1748-1751 |

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| 5 | <p>Day book recording work undertaken by each labourer on the estate, and management of livestock, October 1748-April 1751.
(Includes, inside front cover, plan of four fields (Middle Green Close, Green Close, [the] Warren and West-postern Piddle), c.5 chains: 1.75 inches, and calculations of [location of] lambs in the fields (divided into E, W and R [ewes, wethers and rams?], 1748-1749, continued at the end of the volume, 1749/50-1750/1. Also includes, at end, memoranda relating to sending deeds of Easthampstead manor to Richard Manlove, 1750; calculations regarding numbers of stakes to be used per pole when fencing land, n.d. [c.1750]; inventory of deer, 1750; and riding weights of Mr Trumbull and various employees, mostly with boots, whip, spurs, bridle and saddle, 1749/50.)</p> | 1 vol | 1748-1751 |
| 6 | <p>Day book recording work undertaken by each labourer on the estate, and management of livestock, timber etc, March 1751-December 1753.
(First few entries copied from D/EZ 91/5. Includes, at end, account of hares given away after the hunt, n.d.)</p> | 1 vol | 1751-1753 |
| 7 | <p>Day book recording work undertaken by each labourer on the estate, and management of livestock, January 1754-Janaury [1757].
(Includes, at front and back of volume, account of hares given away after the hunt, 1754-1757.)</p> | 1 vol | 1754-1757 |
| 8 | <p>Crop accounts or stock book, February 1746/7-December 1749.
(Accounts of management of crops, recording amounts rather than value. Records amounts held in granary, sold, or used in the house or on the estate. Arranged by crop: wheat, barley, oats, French wheat, carrots, hay, peas, beans and vetches. Wheat was used mainly in the house, barley and oats in the stables, French wheat to feed poultry and pigeons, carrots, hay and peas for livestock feed, beans to the groom and post man, and vetches for the pigeons.)</p> | 1 vol | 1747-1749 |

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- 9 Provision accounts, December 1849- November 1854. 1 vol 1849-1854
(Includes accounts of provisions (food for the household and forage for the stables) sent from Easthampstead Park Farm to the family's residence, variously at Hillsborough Castle, [co Down, Ireland], Easthampstead Park, and a house in Hanover Square, London.)
- 10 Dairy book, July 1870-July 1872. 1 vol 1870-1872
(Records milk, butter, cream, eggs, poultry and meat supplied to the mansion and to Colonel Peel, and butter and eggs sold for cash. Includes records of amount of butter made or "tubbed" and eggs received.)

Beenham estate

- 11 Beenham estate cash accounts, September 1746-March 1757. 1 vol 1746-1757
(Includes accounts of Beenham Farm and with tenant Elizabeth Carter, the Revd Mr Golding (owner of one third of the estate), and various workmen.)

Ombersley estate papers

[Ombersley was an estate in Worcestershire belonging to the Sandys family. It was acquired by the Hill family (Marquesses of Downshire) by marriage in 1786. *See also* D/ED/E45A and F103.]

- 12 Ombersley farming accounts, August 1729-March 1761. 1 vol 1729-1761
(Includes accounts for sale of butchered sheep, cattle and pigs.)

Blundell family

- 13 Household and stables accounts [possibly kept by Montague, Viscount Blundell (1689-1756), father-in-law of William Trumbull (1708-1760)], March 1737-February 1742/3. 1 vol 1737-1743
(The author's household moves between Winkfield, "Gryndon", London, and Sheen, Surrey. Includes a number of payments for music and musicians. Some pages have been cut out.)

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Blundell family (cont.)

- 14 Receipt book: payments from the Hon. Mrs Blundell, mostly to John Stuart for horse hire, coach house and stable rent, and similar expenses.
(Not arranged chronologically.)

1 vol 1786-1795

Earl of Stirling's papers

[Henry Alexander, 5th Earl of Stirling (1664-1739), was the grandson of Robert Lee of Binfield (1602-1665) and brother-in-law of Sir William Trumbull of Easthampstead (1639-1716). He spelt his title "Sterline" but the catalogue uses the modern spelling of Stirling. He died without issue. For additional memoranda books, c.1722-1733, see D/ED/F44/1-2.]

- 15 Account and memoranda book.
(Described inside front cover as "A Particul[a]r of My Estate 1717" and inscribed on flyleaf "Sterline Near Windsor" and "4th Book". Relates to estates at Bisham and Cookham in Berkshire, Amersham, Great Marlow and Great and Little Missenden, [Buckinghamshire]; North Petherton, [Somerset]; and London. Includes inventory of contents of the house at Little Missenden locked up while the house was let to Marmaduke Penn, 1718. Entries are extremely disorderly.)

1 vol 1717-1729

1 vol 1728-1734

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Earl of Stirling's papers (cont.)

- 17 Account book, with some memoranda. 1 vol 1733-1739
(Includes references to estates at Beenham, Binfield, Hampstead Norreys and Tilehurst, Berkshire; Missenden, Buckinghamshire; London; and North Petherton, Somerset. Memoranda include copy certificate and proxy vote relating to the Scottish peers' election of 16 representatives to sit in the House of Lords, 1739 (ff 89-90); valuation of timber and copy correspondence relating to Beenham and Binfield estates, 1733-1734 (ff 173v, 174v-175, 176v-178); and memoranda concerning the sale of lottery tickets, 1733/4.)

Robert Lee's papers

[Robert Lee (1706-1755), formerly Philipps, was the nephew and heir of Robert Lee (c.1647-1736). He adopted the name of Lee on inheriting the Lee estate in Binfield in 1736. See D/ED/O34 for Lee's papers as justice of the peace for Berkshire and Surrey.]

- 18 Diary, January 1737/8-August 1739. 1 vol 1738-1739
(Includes copy correspondence, January 1737/8-March 1738/9.)
[For additional diaries of Robert Lee, 1735/6-1737, 1742-1743/4, see D/EZ 30/F1-2.]
- 19 Rental and estate accounts: estates of Robert Lee (later of William Philipps Lee and William Trumbull) at Bisham, Cookham and Tilehurst, arranged by tenant. 1 vol 1749-1761
(Indexed. Includes, at front, rental of William Philipps Lee's estates in Berkshire, in the parishes of Binfield, Bisham, Cookham, Hampstead Norreys, Hurley, Tilehurst, Warfield and Wokingham, and Hedsor Mills and Marlow, Buckinghamshire, n.d. [c.1755-1756].)
[William Philipps-Lee was the youngest brother of Robert Lee (1706-1755). He adopted the name of Philipps Lee in 1755, on inheriting his brother's estate.]

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Lord Downshire's papers

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| 20/1-45 | Letters to [Arthur, 6 th] Marquess of Downshire, mainly soliciting and thanking him for charitable and community donations and subscriptions, June-July 1911.
(Includes references to the East Berks Horse Show Society; Wokingham Coronation Festivities (thanks for gift of ox for roasting on Coronation Day); Berkshire Constabulary annual sports day; Wellington Polo Club, Crowthorne; purchase of a picture of Hillsborough Castle; the Girls' Village Home, Barkingside, Essex; the Royal School for Deaf and Dumb Children, Margate, Kent; West London Hospital, Hammersmith, London; Mr and Mrs Sydney Callard Scoble's concert at the Drill Hall, Wokingham (including programme); the Revd J J H Septimus-Pennington's Clare Market and Drury Lane Country Holiday Fund (annual report and balance sheet, 1910); purchase of a vase from Ottaviano Rossi Ciampolini of Pisa, Italy; Berkshire Yeomanry Rifle Club; Reading Children's Holiday Fund (including balance sheet, 1910); the Salvation Army (relating to work in Lurgan, [co Ulster, Ireland], and Wokingham); personal appeal for employment from F Basson of Crowthorne, the Benevolent Branch of the London Cabdrivers' Trade Union; the Gardeners' Royal Benevolent Institution; and draft household accounts, June 1911, including some payments in response to appeals.) | 1 bdl | 1911 |
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