

# BAYNE

## OF LOGIE, RIRES & DURA

**LINEAGE:** John Bayne, of uncertain parentage and ancestry, was admitted a Writer to the Signet and was entered a Burgess of Edinburgh on 23 January, 1661. He was father of,

1. Alexander Bayne, (*see below*).
2. David Bayne, was educated at the University of Edinburgh from where he graduated Master of Arts in 1671. He was admitted Minister of Moonzie prior to 17 August, 1675, and was transferred to Kinglassie on 29 October, 1678. He was charged by the Privy Council for not praying for William & Mary in 1689, but was acquitted. He *m.* on 9 December, 1692, to Agnes Alexander and *dsp* in February of 1710, his great-nephew Alexander Bayne of Logie being retoured his heir on 12 June 1711.

**ALEXANDER BAYNE**, styled as son of John Bayne, Writer to the Signet, in 1665, and was retoured heir to his father on 8 October 1700. He held the office of Sheriff Clerk of Fife, *m.* on 7 January 1658, to Elspeth, daughter of James Littlejohn, Sheriff Clerk of Cupar,<sup>1</sup> (she *d.* on 19 April 1706<sup>2</sup>), and *d.* prior to April of 1706. He was father of,

1. James Bayne, *c.* at Cupar on 21 April, 1661, and *d.* young.
2. John Bayne, *d.* on 16 August, 1664.
3. Alexander Bayne, *c.* at Cupar on 16 March, 1666, and *d.* young.
4. John Bayne of Logie, (*see below*).
5. David Bayne, *c.* at Cupar on 23 July, 1669.
6. James Bayne, *c.* at Cupar on 10 September, 1670, and was admitted an Advocate.<sup>3</sup> He *m.* Agnes, daughter and heiress of David Kinnear of that Ilk, and upon which he assumed the surname and arms of Kinnear of that Ilk, and was father of,
  - 6a) James Kinnear of that Ilk, retoured heir to his mother in the lands of Kinnear on 10 October, 1711, and *dsp* prior to 19 August, 1714.
  - 6a) Cecilia Kinnear, retoured heir to her mother in the lands of Kinnear on 19 August, 1714, and *m.* on 6 October, 1714, to Dr. David Bayne. They had issue. (*see Kinnear that Ilk*).
7. Alexander Bayne, *c.* at Cupar on 21 November, 1674, and was apprenticed to James Graham, Merchant in Edinburgh on 23 July, 1690.
8. Jean Bayne, *c.* at Cupar on 23 June, 1667.
9. Janet Bayne, *c.* at Cupar on 3 July, 1668.

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<sup>1</sup> Chronicle of Perth. P. 44

<sup>2</sup> Cupar OPR Register of Burials

<sup>3</sup> GD20/1/864 In which James is styled as brother of John Bayne, son of Alexander Bayne, Sheriff-Clerk of Fife.

10. Anna Bayne, *c.* at Cupar on 9 September, 1671.
11. Elizabeth Bayne, *c.* at Cupar on 22 February, 1673.

**JOHN BAYNE OF LOGIE**, *c.* at Cupar on 20 May, 1667, and succeeded his father as Sheriff Clerk of Fife. He acquired the lands of Logie in around 1692, *m.* on 29 March, 1684, Cecil Gibson. He *d.* prior to June of 1711, and was father of,

1. Alexander Bayne of Logie, (*see below*).
2. John Bayne, *c.* at Cupar on 26 May, 1686.
3. Ann Bayne, *c.* at Cupar on 18 October, 1689.
4. Elizabeth Bayne, *c.* at Cupar on 10 October, 1692.
5. Alison Bayne, *c.* at Cupar on 4 April, 1694.

**ALEXANDER BAYNE OF LOGIE AND RIRES**, *c.* at Cupar on 9 May, 1685, was admitted an Advocate and was appointed Professor of Law at Edinburgh University. He *m.* Mary, youngest daughter of John Carstairs of Kilconquhar, (*c/m* 4 November 1713.<sup>1</sup> She *d.* at Perth on 25 February 1759<sup>2</sup>), *d.* in 1737 and was father of,

1. Alexander Bayne, 2<sup>nd</sup> of Rires, (*see below*).
2. John Bayne, apprenticed to James Scott & Partner, Edinburgh, on 27 June, 1750, and *d.* unmarried in 1797.
3. William Bayne, *b.* on 4 November, 1730, and served as a Captain in the Royal Navy. He was one of the Tutors of his nephew Alexander Bayne of Rires, *d.* unmarried in 1782, with his nephew, the said Alexander, being served his heir on 22 August 1783.
4. Ann Bayne, *m.* on 29 April, 1739, to Allan Ramsay, the celebrated Artist, (he *d.* at Dover on 10 August 1784. He eloped with and *m.* secondly, on 1 March 1752, to Margaret, daughter of Sir Alexander Lindsay of Evelick, by whom he had issue), and *d.* on 4 February 1743. They had issue.
5. Cecil Bayne,

**ALEXANDER BAYNE, 2<sup>ND</sup> OF RIRES**, practised as a Physician in Perth and was retoured heir to his father on 29 March 1738. He *m.* Jean, daughter of John Moir of Aberargie and niece and heiress of Robert Cairns of Dura,<sup>3</sup> (she survived him and *m.* secondly, in 1762, Dr. Robert Menzies, by whom she had further issue, and *d.* at Dura on 8 February 1804<sup>4</sup>), *d.* at Perth on Thursday 26 October 1758,<sup>5</sup> and was father of,

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<sup>1</sup> GD29/122

<sup>2</sup> Caledonian Mercury. 27<sup>th</sup> February 1759, edition.

<sup>3</sup> She was served heir to her father John Moir of Aberargie in the half lands of Aberargie on 14 January 1757, and also to her uncle John Cairns, son of John Cairns of Dura, on the same day.

<sup>4</sup> Caledonian Mercury. 16<sup>th</sup> February 1804, edition.

<sup>5</sup> Caledonian Mercury. 4<sup>th</sup> November 1758, edition.

1. Alexander Bayne, 3<sup>rd</sup> of Rires and Dura, (*see below*).
2. Mary Bayne, *d.* at Dura on 16 February 1794.<sup>1</sup>

**ALEXANDER BAYNE, 3<sup>RD</sup> OF RIRES AND DURA**, *b.* on 6 May, 1757, and succeeded his father, being served his heir on 22 January 1766. He *m.* Elizabeth Morris, (she *d.* at Dura House on 16 January 1828<sup>2</sup>), *d.* at Dura on 4 February 1826,<sup>3</sup> and was father of,

1. **WILLIAM BAYNE OF RIRES AND DURA**, *c.* at Kemback on 8 February, 1783, and succeeded his father on his death in 1826. He *m.* on 13 June 1829, to Catherine, daughter of David Meldrum of Craigfoodie, and *dsp* at Dura on 18 December 1831.<sup>4</sup>
2. **MARY BAYNE OF RIRES AND DURA**, *b.* 7 May, 1794, and was served heir to her father on 27 August 1827, and to her brother on 4 June 1832. She *m.* at Dura House on 30 October 1822, to Robert Dalgleish of Scotsraig,<sup>5</sup> (he *dsp* at Dura House on 16 August 1871<sup>6</sup>), who, on the death without issue of her brother William Bayne, in 1831, assumed the additional surname of Bayne. She *dsp* at Edinburgh on 24 August 1864.<sup>7</sup>
3. Jean Bayne, *c.* at Kemback on 18 March, 1796, and *d.* at Dura in January of 1802.<sup>8</sup>

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<sup>1</sup> Caledonian Mercury. 17<sup>th</sup> February 1794, edition.

<sup>2</sup> Caledonian Mercury. 26<sup>th</sup> January 1828, edition.

<sup>3</sup> Caledonian Mercury. 11<sup>th</sup> February 1826, edition.

<sup>4</sup> Caledonian Mercury. 29<sup>th</sup> December 1831, edition.

<sup>5</sup> Scots Magazine. 1<sup>st</sup> December 1822, edition. She is then styled as only daughter.

<sup>6</sup> Statutory record. See also Fife Herald. 24<sup>th</sup> August 1871, edition.

<sup>7</sup> Statutory record. See also Caledonian Mercury. 27<sup>th</sup> August 1864, edition.

<sup>8</sup> Aberdeen Journal. 13<sup>th</sup> January 1802, edition.