

# BELL

## OF COWCADDENS

**PATRICK BELL**, was a Merchant and Bailie in Glasgow and *m.* on 25 October 1649, to Mary, only daughter of Robert Campbell of Elie.<sup>1</sup> He *d.* in August of 1685<sup>2</sup> and was father of :

1. Patrick Bell of Cowcaddens, (*see below*).
2. Robert Bell, *bap.* on 10 April 1659.
3. James Bell, *b.* on 3 February 1665.
4. Margaret Bell, *bap.* on 29 September 1650.
5. Mary Bell, *bap.* on 8 July 1652.
6. Mary Bell, *bap.* on 8 December 1653, and *m.* John Govan of Hogganfield. They had issue :
  - 6a) Margaret Govan, *bap.* on 4 September 1679. She and her sister, Mary, were served heirs to their father on 18 January 1720.<sup>3</sup> She *m.* on 9 June 1704, to James Peadie of Roughill, (he *d.* in May of 1728), and had issue :
    - 6b) John Peadie of Roughill, succeeded his father and was served his heir in the lands of Ruchhill on 30 January 1730.<sup>4</sup> He *m.* Margaret, sister of Sir Michael Stuart of Blackhall, *d.* in January of 1731,<sup>5</sup> and was father of :
      - 6c) James Peadie of Ruchill, *bap.* on 24 December 1730, and was served heir to his father in the lands of Ruchill and Garrioch on 16 December 1736.<sup>6</sup> He *dsp* in July 1740 with his aunts Agnes, Grizel, Janet, Margaret and Mary being served his heirs portioners, on 19 July 1745.
    - 6b) James Peadie, *bap.* on 12 August 1718, and *d.* young.

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<sup>1</sup> OPR – Glasgow.

<sup>2</sup> Services of Heirs.

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6b) Grisel Peadie, *bap.* on 7 July 1709, and was a co-heir to her nephew, James Peadie of Ruchill, and her father an ancestors in 1740, 1742 and 1745.<sup>1</sup> She *m.* Sir William Maxwell, Baronet of Calderwood, (he *d.* on 2 January 1789), and had issue :

6c) **SIR WILLIAM MAXWELL, BARONET OF CALDERWOOD**, succeeded his father on his death in 1789, and was served his heir in the lands of Calderwood on 2 June 1789.<sup>2</sup> He was served and heir portioner to his cousin, Patrick Bell of Cowcaddens, on 2 March 1808.<sup>3</sup>

6b) Mary Peadie, *bap.* on 20 March 1711, and was a co-heir to her nephew, James Peadie of Ruchill, and her father an ancestors in 1740, 1742 and 1745.<sup>4</sup> She *m.* on 17 April 1737, to John Coulter, Merchant in Glasgow,<sup>5</sup> and had issue :

6c) James Coulter, became a Merchant in Glasgow and was served heir general to his father on 2 November 1750.<sup>6</sup> He *dsp* by 1 April 1789, when his brother, Lawrence, and sisters, Janet and Margaret were served his heirs.<sup>7</sup>

6c) Peadie Coulter, *b.* on 1 February 1739, and *dsp.*

6c) Lawrence Coulter, *b.* on 26 January 1740, was a coheir to his brother James, on 1 April 1789,<sup>8</sup> and was served one of the heirs portioners to his aunt, Agnes Peadie, on 8 May 1794.<sup>9</sup> He was served heir to his sister, Margaret, on 2 March 1796,<sup>10</sup> and *dsp* by October 1799, when his sister, Janet, was served his heir.<sup>11</sup>

6c) Margaret Coulter, *b.* on 8 March 1738, was served coheir to her brother, James, on 1 April 1789,<sup>12</sup> and *dsp* by 2 March 1796, when her brother, Lawrence, was served her heir.<sup>13</sup>

6c) Marion Coulter, *b.* on 22 May 1741, and *dsp.*

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6c) Grsel Coulter, *b.* on 30 July 1742, and *dsp.*

6c) **JANET COULTER**, *b.* on 13 September 1744, was served heir to her brother, James, on 1 April 1789, and to her brother, Lawrence, on 2 October 1799.<sup>1</sup> She was also served an heir portioner to Patrick Bell of Cowcaddens on 2 March 1808.<sup>2</sup>

6b) Agnes Peadie, *bap.* on 10 February 1713, and *d.* young.

6b) Janet Peadie, *bap.* on 18 July 1714, and was a co-heir to her nephew, James Peadie of Ruchill, and her father an ancestors in 1740, 1742 and 1745.<sup>3</sup>

6b) Agnes Peadie, *bap.* on 9 October 1720. She and her sisters, Grizel, Janet, Margaret and Mary, were served heirs to (1) their nephew, James Peadie of Ruchill, on 24 September 1740 (2) their grandfather, James Peadie of Ruchill on 19 November 1742 (3) their father, James Peadie of Ruchill, also on 19 November 1742 (4) their great-grandfather, James Peadie of Ruchill, on 19 July 1745.<sup>4</sup> She *dsp* and to whom her nephews, James Colquhoun of Garscadden, Lawrence Coulter and Sir William Maxwell of Calderwood, were served heirs portioners on 8 May 1794.<sup>5</sup>

6b) Margaret Peadie, was a co-heir to her nephew, James Peadie of Ruchill, and her father an ancestors in 1740, 1742 and 1745.<sup>6</sup> She *m.* on 13 February 1729, to William Colquhoun of Garscadden<sup>7</sup> and had issue :

6c) Andrew Colquhoun, *bap.* on 25 December 1730, and *dsp* when young.

6c) William Colquhoun of Garscadden, *bap.* on 5 June 1737, was served heir to his mother, Margaret Peadie, daughter of James Peadie of Ruchill, and to his father on 10 December 1759.<sup>8</sup> He *dsp* in January of 1784,<sup>9</sup> and was succeeded by his brother, James.

6c) James Colquhoun of Garscadden, *bap.* on 17 March 1741, succeeded his brother on his death in 1784, and was served his heir in the lands of Garscadden on 3 August 1784.<sup>10</sup> He *dsp* on 11 September 1800.<sup>1</sup>

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- 6c} **JEAN COLQUHOUN OF GARSCADDEN**, *bap.* on 10 March 1734, succeeded her brother, James, and was served his heir in part of the lands of Drumry and Ledcameroch on 31 July 1801.<sup>2</sup> She was served an heir portioner to her cousin Patrick Bell of Cowcaddens on 2 March 1808.<sup>3</sup>
- 6c} Margaret Colquhoun, *bap.* on 7 December 1729.
- 6a} Mary Govan, *bap.* on 7 March 1682, and *m.* James Hamilton of Aikenhead. They had issue :
- 6b} James Hamilton of Aikenhead, *bap.* on 21 April 1710, succeeded his father and was served his heir general on 3 August 1722.<sup>4</sup> He was also served his mother's heir on 12 January 1728,<sup>5</sup> and *d.* in August of 1740,<sup>6</sup> being father of :
- 6c} James Hamilton of Aikenhead, succeeded his father on his death and was served his heir in the lands and barony of Aikenhead on 2 February 1741.<sup>7</sup> He was served heir general to his great-grandfather, Robert Hamilton of Aikenhead, on 16 June 1768, and to his grandfather, James Hamilton of Aikenhead, on 2 February 1770,<sup>8</sup> and *d.* on 14 April 1770.<sup>9</sup> He was father of :
- 6d} **JAMES HAMILTON OF AIKENHEAD AND HOLMHEAD**, succeeded his father and was served his heir general on 8 September 1774.<sup>10</sup> He was served one of the heirs portioners to Patrick Bell of Cowcaddens on 2 March 1808.<sup>11</sup>
- 6c} John Hamilton, became a Merchant in Glasgow and *dsp* on 1 August 1754, with his brother James Hamilton of Aikenhead being served his heir in the six merk lands of Glentoris, on 13 December following.<sup>12</sup>
- 6c} Jane Hamilton, to whom her brother, James Hamilton of Aikenhead, was served heir on 16 June 1768.<sup>1</sup>

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6b) John Hamilton, *bap.* on 31 May 1711.

6a) Isobel Govan, *bap.* on 15 July 1683, and *dsp* prior to January 1720.

6a) Marion Govan, *bap.* on 28 April 1685, and *dsp* prior to January 1720.

6a) Jean Govan, *bap.* on 26 October 1687, and *dsp* prior to January 1720.

6a) Grizel Govan, *bap.* on 5 February 1691, and *dsp* prior to January 1720.

7. Margaret Bell, *bap.* on 6 May 1655.

8. Marion Bell, *bap.* on 24 March 1663.

**PATRICK BELL OF COWCADDENS**, *bap.* on 7 May 1657, was a Merchant in Glasgow and was served heir to his mother, Mary Campbell, on 10 June 1706,<sup>2</sup> and to his father in one-half of the lands of Personslands, near the Broomielaw, on 13 July 1709.<sup>3</sup> He *m.* Janet, daughter of Hugh Nisbet, Merchant and Dean of Guild of Glasgow, *d.* in 1719,<sup>4</sup> and was father of :

1. Patrick Bell of Cowcaddens, (*see below*).

2. Janet Bell, *bap.* on 12 October 1704.

3. Marion Bell, *bap.* on 7 November 1706.

**PATRICK BELL OF COWCADDENS**, succeeded his father on his death in 1709 and was served his heir in the lands of Little Cowcaddens and one-half of Parsonslands, on 29 January 1729.<sup>5</sup> He was also served heir to his cousin, Janet Bell, widow of John Herbertson of Barachnea in the lands of Over and Nether Dunsystoun, in the parish of Shotts, on 7 May 1731,<sup>6</sup> and to his grandfather, Patrick Bell, in the Temple lands of Spittall of Tombuy, in the Earldom of Lennox, on 13 April 1739.<sup>7</sup> He *m.* Mary, daughter of James Hamilton of Aikenhead, *d.* on 5 March 1770,<sup>8</sup> and was father of :

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<sup>7</sup> Services of Heirs.

<sup>8</sup> Chancery record.

1. Patrick Bell of Cowcaddens, (*see below*).
2. Janet Bell, *b.* on 3 April 1739.
3. Margaret Bell, *b.* on 19 December 1740.

**PATRICK BELL OF COWCADDENS**, succeeded his father on his death in 1770 and was served his heir in the lands of Little Cowcaddens, in the barony and regality of Glasgow, on 18 July 1770.<sup>1</sup> He *dsp* on 29 November 1807, following which with his cousins, Jean Colquhoun of Garscadden; Janet, daughter of John Coulter, Merchant and Provost of Glasgow; Sir William Maxwell of Calderwood, and James Hamilton of Holmhead, all descended from Mary Bell, sister of Patrick Bell of Cowcaddens, and John Govan of Hogganfield, her husband, being served his heirs portioner in the lands of Little Cowcaddens, on 2 March 1808. For each of these see *ut infra*.<sup>2</sup>

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