

CALLANDER

OF MANOR

ROBERT CALLANDER OF MANOR, of uncertain parentage but certainly descended from Callander of Dorrator, had Sasine for the lands of King's Powis in 1494,¹ and was in possession of the lands of Manor, Lipnoch and Ashentruil in 1502. On 10 December 1512, he had a gift of the ward of Alexander Livingston and his lands of Terenturan which had been renounced by Agnes Houston,² and was father of :

1. Henry Callander, whom King James V., appointed Tutor to Alexander, Lord Elphinstone, and James Elphinstone, his brother, on 13 August 1519, despite his not being of the lawful age of twenty-five years, and is then styled as son and heir apparent of Robert Callander of Manor.³ He appears to have *dsp vita patris*.
2. Robert Callander of Manor, (*see below*).
3. Isabella Callander, *m.* James Kinross of Kippenross, and had issue.
4. Margaret Callander, who *m.* by 2 September 1532, to Patrick Menteith of Randiefurd, was probably another of Robert's daughters.⁴

ROBERT CALLANDER OF MANOR, *m.* Catherine Elphinstone with whom he and their sons Alexander and Robert, had the rental of the crown lands of Hall of Airth on 20 July 1514, and with their sons John, Andrew and James, the had the rental of the crown lands of Skeoch on 20 and 22 July 1514.⁵ He and his wife had a charters of confirmation for (1) the lands of Manor dated 3 January 1525, and (2) the Halls of Airth on 8 August 1528. He *d.* by 25 August 1542, when she is styled as his relict, and was father of,

1. **JOHN CALLANDER OF MANOR**, was retoured heir to Robert Callander, his grandfather, in the lands of Lupnoch and Ashintruill on 6 March 1556, and to whom Janet, daughter of Andrew

¹ Ex. Rolls. Vol. X. P. 770.

² RPS Vol. I. No. 2457

³ RPS Vol. I. No. 3047

⁴ B66/25/95

⁵ Ex. Rolls. Vol. XV. P. 557.

Rollo, 6th of Duncrub, was offered in marriage on 20 March 1555, although this does not seem to have been undertaken with Elizabeth Sommerville being styled as his relict and now spouse to Thomas Arnot on 8 July 1572. He *d.* in February of 1557.¹

2. Robert Callander of Manor, (*see below*).
3. Alexander Callander, infeft in the fee of the lands of Westerton of Bothkennar with the liferent being reserved to his mother Catherine Elphinstone on 25 August 1542. He had issue, (*see Callander of Westerton of Bothkennar*).
4. James Callander, infeft with his mother, Catherine Elphinstone, in the fee of the lands of Airth, and was father of :
 - 4a) Alexander Callander of Halls of Airth, infeft in an annualrent of 20 merks from a tenement in the burgh of Stirling on 19 November 1592, which he then disposed to Walter Callander of Bordie and Barbara Rollo, his spouse and is then styled as son and heir to James Callander of Halls of Airth.² He was retoured heir to his father in a tenement in the burgh of Stirling on 5 February 1607, and *m.* Jean Knox.
5. Andrew Callander, infeft with Catherine Elphinstone, his mother, in the lands of Bordie on 16 October 1546.³ He *m.* Margaret Hamilton and was father of :
 - 5a) James Callander, disposed his portion of the lands of Westerton of Bothkennar to Walter Callander, “now of Bordie,” in December of 1595 and is then styled as son of the deceased Andrew Callander.⁴
6. Walter Callander, 1st of Bordie, styled as brother german to Robert Callander of Manor when witness to a charter by Margaret Dumbrek, daughter and heir of Thomas Dumbrek of that ilk, granting the lands of Dumbrek to Robert Reid of Aikenhead on 16 February 1568.⁵ He had a charter from Alexander, Commandator Culross, for the lands of Bordie, in the Lordship of Culross, on 13 May 1581, and is then styled as brother to the deceased Robert Callander of Manor.⁶ He *m.* Barbara Rollo.
7. Isabella Callander, who, with her brother Walter, were joint executors to their brother John Callander of Manor in 1567.

¹ Edinburgh Tests

² B66/25/169

³ CB7/1

⁴ GD65/23

⁵ RMS 1546-1580. No. 1840

⁶ RMS 1580-1593. No. 913

ROBERT CALLANDER OF MANOR, succeeded on the death of his brother John Callander of Manor in 1557, and had Sasine for the lands of Ahinstruill and Lupnoch on 3 Noveber 1561, which had then been in Crown hands for the space of three years.¹ He *m.* Margaret Reid, (she *m.* secondly to John Stirling of Craigbernard), *d.* prior to 6 April 1579, when the ward of his lands and his son and heir was granted to Robert Erskine, son and heir apparent of James Erskine of Little Sauchie,² and was father of :

1. John Callander of Manor, (*see below*).
2. Christian Callander, *m.* John Sempill of Aikenbar, son of Robert Sempill of Corruth and Aikenbarr, (*c/m* 24 January 1601³).

JOHN CALLANDER OF MANOR, succeeded his father and was infeft in the lands of Lupnoch as his heir on 6 March 1592.⁴ He *m.* Margaret Colville, *d.* in April of 1600 and was father of :

1. Robert Callendar of Manor, (*see below*).
2. James Callander, gave his consent to the disposing of the lands of Manor Powis to Mr. John Rollo, in 1616.
3. Christian Callander, named in her father's Testament in 1600.

ROBERT CALLANDER OF MANOR, who was underage at his father's death with his ward being gifted to Anna, daughter of Sir John Drummond of Slipperfield, on 6 May 1600.⁵ He was offered the hand firstly of Jean, daughter of this Sir John Drummond, on 27 February 1605, but this was declined and on 18 February 1608, he was offered that of her sister Rebecca but this too was turned down.⁶ He was retoured heir to his father in the lands of Lupnoch and Ashintrulle on 25 July 1609, and disponded his lands of Manor to Mr. John Rollo, Advocate, in 1616.

¹ Ex. Rolls. Vol. XIX. P. 485.

² RPS Vol. VII. No. 1873.

³ GD22/1/269

⁴ NP1/184/f.18.

⁵ GD22/2/7

⁶ GD90/2/42