

FALCONAR- STEWART

OF CARLOWRIE & BINNY

GEORGE FALCONAR, was accountant to the Bank of Scotland, in Edinburgh, and *m.* Janet, sister of Andrew Marjoribanks of Carlowrie. He *d.* in 1743, and was father of :

1. **GEORGE FALCONAR OF CARLOWRIE**, *b.* at Edinburgh on 13 December 1713, became a merchant in Cadiz for a time until returning to Edinburgh and being appointed one of the Directors of the Bank of Scotland. He was served heir of line general to his uncle, Andrew Marjoribanks of Carlowrie, on 27 April 1774, and to his uncle Alexander Marjoribanks, general in Dutch Service, in the lands of Over and Nether Carlowrie, in the sheriffdom of Linlithgow, on 20 June following. He *dsp* at Edinburgh on 18 December 1789,¹ and was succeeded by his nephew :
2. Alexander Falconar, was appointed Secretary to the Bank of Scotland and *dsp* at Edinburgh on 8 June 1767.²
3. David Falconar, *m.* at London on 8 August 1776, and was father of :
 - 3a) **DAVID FALCONAR OF CARLOWRIE**, (*see below*).

DAVID FALCONAR OF CARLOWRIE, who succeeded his uncle, George Falconar, in his lands of Carlowrie and to whom he was served heir on 26 January 1790. He *m.* on 27 December 1795, to Jane, daughter of Robert Stewart of Binny,³ (she *d.* in 1837), *d.* at Carlowrie on 17 May 1842,⁴ and was father of :

1. George Falconar of Carlowrie, (*see below*).
2. David Falconar, *b.* in 1801, and *d.* at Coates Crescent, Edinburgh, on 22 May 1827.⁵
3. Robert Falconar, *b.* in January of 1810, and *d.* young.
4. George Falconar, *b.* on 27 January 1800.
5. Magdalen Falconar, *b.* on 11 April 1797, and *d.* unmarried at Carlowrie on 4 July 1823.¹

¹ Scots Magazine, 1st December 1789, edition.

² Scots Magazine, 1st June 1767, edition.

³ OPR – Linlithgow.

⁴ The Scotsman, 25th May 1842, edition.

⁵ The Scotsman, 30th May 1827, edition.

6. Helen Robina Stewart Falconar, *m.* at Edinburgh on 14 February 1825, to John Tulloch of Arthursbeill,² and *d.* on 27 February 1882.
7. Jane Falconar, *b.* on 12 August 1797, and *m.* at Dundas Street, Edinburgh, on 29 April 1822, to William Currie of Linthill.³ She *d.* on 9 December 1844,
8. Mary Stewart Falconar, *b.* on 11 April 1805, and *d.* at Edinburgh on 16 July 1843.⁴
9. Joanna Falconar, *b.* on 9 September 1807, and *d.* unmarried in April of 1857.

GEORGE FALCONAR OF CARLOWRIE, succeeded his father on his death in 1842, and was served his heir general on 1 November of that year however falling into “embarrassed circumstances,” he was compelled to convey his estate into the hands of a trustee in 1850 with Carlowrie being subsequently purchased by Thomas Hutchison, merchant in Leith. He *m.* firstly, on 2 July 1827, to Isabella, eldest daughter of Lieutenant-General John Goldie of the Nunnery, Isle of Man,⁵ (she *dsp* in 1831), by whom he had no apparent issue ; and secondly, at Dryden House on 14 June 1842, to Frances Georgina, daughter of George Mercer of Gorthy and Dryden,⁶ and *d.* at Portobello on 20 August 1870.⁷ He was father of :

1. John Stewart Falconar, *b.* on 12 April 1843.
2. George Mercer Falconar Stewart, (*see below*).
3. Charles Lewis Currie Falconar, *b.* on 16 October 1855, and drowned between Singapore and Johore on 16 March 1881.⁸
4. Stewart Falconar, and was appointed Minister at St. Mark’s Episcopal Church, Portobello.
5. William David Falconar, *b.* on 15 July 1845, and *dsp* in Ceylon.
6. Charles Louis Currie Falconar, *b.* on 10 October 1866, and *dsp* in 1881.
7. Frances Henrietta Falconar, *b.* on 30 September 1846.

¹ The Scotsman, 12th July 1823, edition.

² Fife Herald, 24th February 1825, edition.

³ Perthshire Courier, 7th May 1822, edition.

⁴ Perthshire Courier, 27th July 1843, edition.

⁵ London Evening Standard, 7th July 1827, edition.

⁶ OPR – Lasswade. See also: Perthshire Courier, 23rd June 1842, edition.

⁷ Statutory record. See also: Glasgow Herald, 23rd August 1870, edition.

⁸ Dundee Courier, 21st April 1881, edition.

8. Helen Jane Falconar, *b.* on 8 July 1848, and *m.* at St. Mark's Church, Portobello on 30 September 1869, to John Monsey Collier, barrister-at-law.¹

GEORGE MERCER FALCONAR STEWART OF BINNY, *b.* on 10 June 1843, and went abroad when young, only returning in 1878, upon his succession to the Binny estate, when he adopted the additional surname of Stewart. He *m.* Louise Victoria Emmanuella, eldest daughter of Vincenzo Bartolucci of Cantanio, Rome, (she *d.* at Coates Crescent, Edinburgh, on 20 December 1936²), *d.* at St. Andrews in October of 1921, and was father of :

1. Ronald Dundas Falconar, *b.* on 4 July 1882, served as a Lieutenant-Colonel in the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders and *d.* of wounds received in the Balkans on 19 September 1918, only hours before the armistice.³
2. Cyril Falconar, (*see below*).
3. Percy George Falconar, *b.* on 24 November 1886, and became manager of the Sungei Salah Rubber plantation. He *d.* at sea near Rangoon, in about May of 1924.
4. Ivan Falconar Stewart, who served in WWI., and *d.* of wounds received at Longuville in 1916.

CYRIL FALCONAR STEWART OF FEDDALL, *b.* on 14 May 1884, and served in the 9th Battalion Scots Guards in France during WWI., being wounded and invalided home in 1915. He *m.* Nita, only daughter of Bryce Allan, Wemyss Bay, and was father of :

1. Robert George Falconar Stewart, (*see below*).
2. Grizel Falconar Stewart,

RONALD GEORGE FALCONAR STEWART, the only son, served as Squadron Leader during WWII., and was *k.* in air operations in 1944.

¹ Statutory record. See also: Edinburgh Evening Courant, 1st October 1869, edition.

² Statutory record. See also: The Scotsman, 22nd December 1936, edition.

³ The Scotsman, 20th May 1924, edition.