

GRANT

OF KILGRASTON

PATRICK GRANT OF GLENLOCHY, succeeded his father and *m.* Beatrix, daughter of Donald Grant of Inverlochy, (she *d.* on 24 January 1780, aged 69 years). He *d.* on 15 April 1783, and was father of :

1. **JOHN GRANT OF KILGRASTON**, was appointed Chief Justice of Jamaica which he held 1783-1790 and returning to Scotland, he purchased the estate of Kilgraston and Pitkeithly, in lower Strathearn. He *m.* Margaret, daughter of Roderick MacLeod, W.S., (she *d.* at Portobello on 3 December 1825¹), and *dsp* on 31 March 1793, being succeeded by his brother Francis.
2. Francis Grant of Kilgraston, (*see below*).

FRANCIS GRANT OF KILGRASTON, succeeded his brother John in the lands of Kilgraston on his death without issue on 1793 and to whom he was served heir of tailzie on 4 April 1794. He *m.* at Edinburgh on 27 February 1796, to Anne, daughter of Robert Oliphant, 3rd of Rossie, (she *d.* at Edinburgh on 6 November 1837²), *d.* at Kilgraston House on 26 July 1818,³ in his 73rd year, and was father of :

1. John Grant of Kilgraston, (*see below*).
2. Robert Grant, *b.* on 17 December 1799, entered the Royal Navy and *d.* at St. Helena on 17 December 1820.⁴
3. Henry Dundas Grant, *b.* on 7 August 1801, and *d.* at Charlotte Square, Edinburgh, on 22 January 1824.⁵
4. Sir Francis Grant, *b.* on 18 January 1803, and became an eminent painter. He was appointed President of the Royal Academy in 1866, and *m.* first, on 19 May 1826, to Amily, eldest daughter of Jams Farquharson Ross of Invercauld, (she *d.* at Kilgraston House on 8 March 1827,

¹ Aberdeen Journal. 21st December 1825, edition.

² Perthshire Advertiser. 23rd November 1837, edition.

³ Inverness Courier. 13th August 1818, edition.

⁴ Scots Magazine. 1st April 1821, edition.

⁵ Perthshire Courier. 6th February 1824, edition.

from the effects of childbirth¹). He *m.* secondly, on 8 July 1829, to Isabella Elizabeth, daughter of Richard Norman, *d.* at Melton Mowbray on Saturday 5 October 1878,² and was father of,

4a) John Emilius Grant, *b.* at Kilgraston House on 28 February 1827.

4a) Francis Richard Charles Grant, *c.* at Melton Mowbray on 20 March 1834, entered the army and was raised to Colonel in the 5th and 9th Lancers. He *d.* on 10 October 1899.

4a) Ferdinand Cecil Hope Grant, graduated from Trinity College, Cambridge, in 1862, and entering the church he was consecrated by the Bishop of Chester in 1864. He was appointed Vicar of Kimbolton in 1868, and Domestic Chaplain to the Duke of Manchester. He *m.* at Chester on 26 May 1864, to Frances Maria, youngest daughter of Rev. T. Keaton, Canon of Chester,³ and *d.* in May 1875, aged 35 years.

4a) Mary Isabella Grant, *m.* at Melton Mowbray on 11 March 1852, to Francis Geary, son of Sir William Geary, Baronet, of Oxon Hoath.⁴

4a) Anne Emily Sophia Grant, *m.* at St. George's, Hanover Street, London, on Wednesday 15th April 1857, to William Thomas Markham, of Becca Hall.⁵ They had issue.

4a) Rachel Grant,

4a) Elizabeth Catherine Grant, *b.* on 26 September 1847.

5. Sir James Hope Grant, *b.* on 18 January 1808, and entering the army as a Coronet, in 1826, his subsequent career was extremely active and distinguished. He *m.* Elizabeth Helen, daughter of Benjamin Taylor, Chief Judge at Agra, (she was *b.* on 9 March 1826, and *d.* on 4 November 1891⁶), and *d.* at London on 7 March 1875.⁷

6. Mary Ann Grant, *b.* on 21 January 1797, *m.* on 16 February 1819, to James Lindsay of Balcarres,⁸ and *d.* on 14 July 1820.

7. Catherine Ann Grant, *m.* at Whitehouse on 21 March 1832, to Mr. Robert Cunningham Grahame Spiers, Advocate.⁹

¹ Perthshire Courier. 15th March 1827, edition.

² Statutory record. See also London Evening Standard. 7th October 1878, edition.

³ Statutory record. See also Oxford Times. 4th June 1864, edition.

⁴ Statutory record. See also Durham County Advertiser. 19th March 1852, edition.

⁵ Yorkshire Gazette. 18th April 1857, edition.

⁶ Statutory record. See also Grange Cemetery, Edinburgh, inscriptions.

⁷ Statutory record. See also Grange Cemetery, Edinburgh, inscriptions.

⁸ OPR. See also Inverness Courier. 25th February 1819, edition.

⁹ Inverness Courier. 28th March 1832 edition.

JOHN GRANT OF KILGRASTON, *b.* on 13 June 1798, succeeded his father on his death in 1818, and to whom he was served heir general on 10 September 1818. He *d.* at London on 20 January 1873,¹ having *m.* first, at Kinfauns Castle on 20 June 1820, to Margaret, third daughter and eventual heiress of Francis, 14th Lord Gray, (she *d.* on 24 April 1822), and by her he had an only child :

1. Margaret Grant, Baroness Gray, *b.* on 14 April 1821, and *m.* at Kilgraston House on 10 November 1840, to David Henry Murray, son of William Murray, 3rd Earl of Mansfield, (he *d.* 5 September 1862, aged 51 years). She *d.* without issue at London on 26 May 1878.²

He *m.* secondly, at Broomhall, on 14 March 1828, to Lucy, daughter of Thomas Bruce, 8th Earl of Elgin and Kincardine,³ (she *d.* at London on 5 September 1881⁴), by whom he had further issue :

2. Francis Augustus Grant, *b.* on 24 February 1829, entered the army, serving in the 82nd Regiment of Foot. He *dsp* on 1 October 1854, during the Crimea campaign

3. Charles Thomas Constantine Grant of Kilgraston, (*see below*).

4. Arthur Grant, *b.* on 27 July 1832, and *d.* in India on 20 September 1853.⁵

5. John Ludovick Grant, *b.* on 31 May 1839, and *d.* at Kilgraston on 10 May 1854.⁶

6. Robert Henry Grant, *b.* on 16 December 1840, entered the army, serving in Crimea as a Lieutenant. He *d.* there of cholera in October of 1854.⁷

7. Alan Rudolph Grant, *b.* on 28 February 1843, and *m.* at London on 17 July 1884, to Florence, only daughter of James Cuffe St. George.⁸ He *dsp* at Torquhay in October of 1925.

8. Alaric Frederick Grant, *b.* on 17 August 1844, entered the Royal Navy, retiring with the rank of Commander. He *m.* at St. George's, Hanover Square, London, on 6 May 1884, to Victoria, only daughter of Eyan Baillie,⁹ and *dsp*.

¹ Statutory record. See also Morning Post. 28th January 1873, edition.

² Morning Post. 29th May 1878, edition.

³ OPR. See also Perthshire Courier. 20th March 1828, edition.

⁴ Statutory record. See also Edinburgh Evening News. 12th September 1881, edition.

⁵ Montrose Advertiser. 11th November 1853, edition.

⁶ Montrose Advertiser. 19th May 1854, edition.

⁷ Perthshire Advertiser. 26th October 1854, edition.

⁸ Statutory record. See also Morning Post. 23rd July 1884, edition.

⁹ Statutory record. See also Fife Herald. 14th May 1884, edition.

9. Mary Grant, *b.* on 16 March 1830, and *d.* unmarried.
10. Anne Grant, *b.* on 13 March 1834, and *m.* at Perth on 9 August 1856, to Captain John Brooke Johnson Brooke, nephew and heir of Sir James Brooke Rajah of Sarawak.¹ They had issue,
 - 10a) John Charles Evelyn Hope Brooke, *b.* on 13 November 1858, and *m.* on 27 April 1892, to Violet Mary, daughter of William Barrington of Shrivenham House, (she *d.* on 10 December 1938). He *d.* on 19 June 1934, leaving issue :
 - 10b) **BASIL CHARLES BARRINGTON BROOKE**, *b.* on 6 April 1895, and succeeded his cousin John Patrick Nisbet Hamilton Grant of Kilgraston, Direlton and Beil on his death in 1950. He led a distinguished career in the Royal Navy, being raised to Vice-Admiral, and *d.* on 20 January 1983. He *m.* on 16 April 1925, to Nora Evelyn Toppin and had issue.
11. Matilda Catherine Grant, *b.* on 17 April 1835, and *d.* on 2 March 1842.
12. Lucy Grant, *b.* on 5 October 1836, and *m.* at Perth on 27 September 1866, to Rev. Charles William Alexander Feilding, Rector of Stapleton.²
13. Eliza Louise Grant, *b.* on 14 December 1837, and *d.* young.
14. Charlotte Augusta Grant, *b.* on 12 January 1849.

CHARLES THOMAS CONSTANTINE GRANT OF KILGRASTON, *b.* on 2 July 1831, and succeeded his father on his death in 1873. He *m.* at Dunse Castle on 8 October 1856, to Janet Matilda, daughter of William Hay of Dunse,³ (she *d.* at Drimonie House on 15 March 1908), *d.* Drumonie House, Kilgraston, on 8 May 1891, and was father of :

1. John Grant, *c.* at Erith, Kent, on 24 November 1867, and *d.* young.
2. John Patrick Grant of Kilgraston, (*see below*).
3. Annie Grant, *b.* at Singapore on 3 February 1860.
4. Constance Mary Grant, *b.* on 15 May 1862.
5. Margaret Grant, *b.* in 1865.
6. Beatrice Grant, *c.* at Erith, Kent, on 16 June 1866.

JOHN PATRICK GRANT OF KILGRASTON, DIRELTON AND BELHAVEN, *b.* on 25 August 1872, and succeeded his father on his death in 1891. In 1920, he also succeeded to the

¹ OPR

² Statutory record. See also Dundee Courier. 28th September 1866, edition.

³ Statutory record. See also Dundee Advertiser. 10th October 1856, edition.

estates of Direlton, Belhaven and Biel, in Haddingtonshire, by right of his descent via his grandmother, Lucy Bruce, following which he assume the additional surnames of Nisbet Hamilton. He *dsp* in 1950 being succeeded in his properties by Vice-Admiral Basil Charles Barrington-Brooke.

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