

STEWART

OF DALGUISE

JOHN STEWART, 1ST OF DALGUISE, was a younger son of John Stewart, 3rd of Arntully and Cardney and obtained the rental of the lands of Dalguise from George, Bishop of Dunkeld, in 1543.¹ He *m.* Elspeth, daughter of Alexander Stewart, 6th of Grantully, *d.* between 27 February, 1570, being the dated of his Testament and 11 November 1572, when it was confirmed² and was father of :

1. Alexander Stewart, 2nd of Dalguise, (*see below*).
2. John Stewart, styled as second son in his father's Testament in 1572.
3. A daughter, *m.* John Barron to whom John Stewart of Dalguise granted 9 merks as part payment of Tocher in his Testament in 1572.

ALEXANDER STEWART, 2ND OF DALGUISE, styled as "*Sandy*" in his father's Testament in 1576 and whom he succeeded in the lands of Dalguise. He granted an assignation of a tack to George Crichton on 2 January, 1588, *m.* Grizel Forbes, and *d.* in around 1620. He was father of,

1. John Stewart, 3rd of Dalguise, (*see below*).
2. George Stewart, styled as son of Alexander Stewart of Dalguise when he granted a Bond for £40 Scots to John Fleming, Saddler Burgess of Perth, on 21 May, 1614.³
3. Grizel Stewart, *m.* James Menzies, in Drumdewan, (*c/m* 19 December, 1607⁴).

He was also father of a natural son :

4. John Stewart, styled as a natural son in an outlawing of 1602.

¹ SHS Rental of Dunkeld

² GD38/1/66

³ B59/13/1/f.142v

⁴ GD38/1/96

JOHN STEWART, 3RD OF DALGUISE, styled as son and apparent heir of his father in a Disposition by Thomas Stewart in Dowallie for the lands of Middle Dalguise in favour of Alexander Stewart, of Dalguise, his father, and himself on 9 April, 1596. He joined the standard of the Marquis of Montrose during the civil wars and was one of the distinguished leaders of the Atholl Stewarts. He *m.* Isabel, daughter of William Stewart, 2nd of Kinnaird, (she *d.* in May of 1648¹), *d.* in 1653 and was father of,

1. Alexander Stewart, 4th of Dalguise, (*see below*).
2. William Stewart, 1st of Middle Dalguise, second son of his father and to whom he disposed his 3 oxengang lands of Middle Dalguise on 12 April, 1630. He *m.* firstly, Helen, daughter of Robert Menzies, in Aberfeldy, by his wife Christian Ferguson, (*c/m* 23 July, 1630.² She *d.* in December of 1641³), secondly, Grizel, daughter of George Small of Dimanean, (*c/m* 25 August, 1642,) and was father of,
 - 2a) John Stewart, 2nd of Middle Dalguise, the eldest son by his father's first marriage and was *b.* in around 1633. He *m.* to Janet, daughter of Patrick Scrimgeour of Sock, (*c/m* 9 July, 1663,⁴), *d.* in November of 1684⁵ and had issue,
 - 2b) Isabel Stewart of Middle Dalguise, *m.* to her cousin John Stewart, 5th of Dalguise, (*c/m* 20 July, 1686,⁶) and had issue.
 - 2a) James Stewart, a son by his father's second marriage and is styled as such in a discharge dated 24 March, 1676.⁷ He was father of,
 - 2b) Elspeth Stewart, *m.* Patrick Kae, in Arntullie, (*c/m* 12 August, 1684,⁸).
 - 2a) Isabel Stewart, the eldest daughter by his father's first marriage and is styled as such in her mother's Testament in 1642. She *m.* Donald Stewart, eldest son of John Stewart, in Middle Tulloch, (*c/m* 29 December, 1651⁹).

¹ GD38/1/195

² GD38/1/152

³ GD38/1/183

⁴ GD38/1/229

⁵ GD38/1/347

⁶ GD38/1/350

⁷ GD38/1/273

⁸ GD38/1/336

⁹ GD38/1/194

- 2a) Katherine Stewart, a child by her father's first marriage and is styled as such in her mother's Testament in 1642. She *m.* Robert Low, in Auchnag of Tulliemet, (*c/m* October of 1652¹).
- 2a) Janet Stewart, a daughter by her father's second marriage and is so styled in a discharge dated 24 March, 1676.
3. Thomas Stewart, styled as the youngest son of his parents in his mother's Testament in May of 1648 and resided in Tomtewan. He *m.* Helen, daughter of David Ramsay, in Grantully, (*c/m* 14 May 1647²), *d.* by July of 1679 and was father of,
- 3a) John Stewart, who, on behalf of his mother and brothers, paid a Bond due by his late father to John Scott of Glenalbert on 23 July, 1679.³
- 3a) Alexander Stewart,
- 3a) Robert Stewart,
- 3a) William Stewart,
- 3a) Walter Stewart,
- 3a) Grizel Stewart, *m.* Donald Bain, son of John Bain, in Glenalbert, (*c/m* 20 November, 1694,⁴).
4. Margaret Stewart, *m.* to Alexander Menzies, second son of Robert Menzies, in Aberfeldy, (*c/m* 26 November, 1624,⁵).
5. Grizel Stewart, *m.* to John Scott, eldest son of Alexander Scott, in Kilmorich, (*c/m* 26 December, 1627⁶).
6. Christian Stewart, styled as third daughter of John Stewart of Dalguise, in a charter by her husband John MacLaren in Balnaguard, for the third part lands of Dalshian on 27 December, 1628.⁷ They had issue.
7. Isabell Stewart, *m.* firstly, Patrick MacSteine, younger of Sock, (*c/m* 23 and 28 November, 1631,⁸) by whom she had issue, and secondly, by 23 June, 1664, William Menzies, in Newbigging of Rotmell.

¹ GD38/1/198

² NRAS1126/9

³ GD38/1/290

⁴ GD38/1/420

⁵ GD38/1/138

⁶ GD38/1/144

⁷ GD38/1/146

⁸ GD38/1/171

ALEXANDER STEWART, 4TH OF DALGUISE, styled as son and heir of his father in his sister Margaret's contract of marriage on 26 November, 1624, and whom he succeeded in the lands of Dalguise. He *d.* in October of 1675, having *m.* firstly in 1625 to Christian, daughter of James Drummond, 1st of Boghall, (she *d.* in March of 1658¹), by whom he was father of,

1. Alexander Stewart, fiar of Dalguise, (*see below*).
2. Janet Stewart, *m.* Malcolm Reid, second son of Adam Reid of Eastertyre, (*c/m* 12 June 1647²).
3. Elspeth Stewart, *m.* John Stewart, eldest son and heir of Robert Stewart, in Croftcorre, (*c/m* 5 July 1658³).

He *m.* secondly to Cecil, daughter of Adam Reid, of Eastertyre, (*c/m* 18 August 1659.⁴ She *d.* in July of 1665⁵), by whom he was father of,

4. John Stewart, mentioned in his mother's Testament in July of 1665, and was witness to a Discharge by his brother Thomas to their nephew John Stewart of Dalguise on 27 June, 1693. He resided at the Mains of Innernytie and was father of,

4a) William Stewart, 1st of Gourdie, obtained these lands by 8 August, 1717, when he is styled as eldest son of the deceased John Stewart in Mains of Innernytie. He *d.* by 12 March, 1729, and was father of,

4b) William Stewart, *bap.* at Clunie on 30 July, 1712, and *d.* in infancy.

4b) Charles Stewart, 2nd of Gourdie, *bap.* at Clunie on 21 June, 1716. He was infeft in the lands of Wester Gourdie as heir to his deceased father on 3 December, 1728, and to whom he was retoured heir on 13 April 1731. He *m.* Sarah Stewart, (she *d.* at Arbroath on 20 October 1790), and was father of,

4c) John Stewart, 3rd of Gourdie, succeeded his father and was father of,

4d) Janet Stewart of Gourdie, the only child of her father who *m.* at Little Dunkeld on 29 June, 1806, to John Gow, (he *d.* on 18 January, 1858), and had issue.

¹ GD38/1/216

² GD38/1/190

³ GD38/1/215

⁴ GD38/1/221

⁵ GD38/1/239

- 4b) Alexander Stewart, *bap.* at Clunie on 16 August, 1717.
- 4b) William Stewart, *bap.* at Clunie on 14 April, 1719, and *m.* at Meigle on 15 November, 1760, Anna, daughter of Alexander Nairn of Drumkilbo.
- 4b) James Stewart, *bap.* at Clunie on 11 July, 1721.
- 4b) Anna Stewart, *b.* in 1717 and *d.* in Dundee in 1784.
- 4a) John Stewart, became an Apothecary in Dunkeld and *d.* prior to 18 July, 1717 when his brother William Stewart of Gourdie, is named as his executor.¹
- 5. Thomas Stewart, mentioned in his mother's Testament in 1665. He granted a Discharge to John Stewart of Dalguise, whom he styles as his nephew, concerning his part in a decret against John Reid, his uncle on 27 June, 1693, and was then residing at Ardblair.
- 6. Gilbert Stewart, mentioned in his mother's Testament in 1665.

He *m.* thirdly, Isabel MacNab *alias* Borrie, by whom he had no apparent issue.

ALEXANDER STEWART, FIAR OF DALGUISE, was the only son of his father's first marriage and is styled as being still a minor in his mother's Testament in March of 1658. He had a Disposition for the lands of Wester Dalguise from his father on 9 May, 1661, and *m.* Giles, daughter of Robert Fleming, 4th of Moness (*c/m* 13 February, 1663.² She *m.* secondly, John Stewart, in Brae of Tulliepowrie). He *d. vita patris* in May of 1669³ and was father of,

- 1. John Stewart, 5th of Dalguise, (*see below*).
- 2. Beatrix Stewart, *m.* Neil Stewart in Brae of Moness, son of John Stewart, of Overblarish, (*c/m* 3 March 1690⁴).

JOHN STEWART, 5TH OF DALGUISE, *b.* in around 1665 and granted a Deed of Factory to John Stewart of Middle-Dalguise on 23 August, 1678, as his closest living male relative on his father's side. He *m.* his cousin Isabel, eldest daughter and heiress of John Stewart of Middle Dalguise, (*c/m* 20 July 1686), after which union these lands were reunited with the senior male line of the family. He *d.* in 1706 and had issue,

¹ GD38/1/628

² GD38/1/226

³ GD38/1/295

⁴ GD38/1/380

1. John Stewart, 6th of Dalguise, (*see below*).
2. Thomas Stewart, apprenticed to Daniel MacDuff, Barber and Periwig Maker in Edinburgh, on 18 July, 1711.¹
3. Gilles Stewart, *c.* at Logierait on 4 September 1687, and *m.* at Dull on 20 April 1710, to Neil Stewart, brother to John Stewart, 8th of Bonskeid, (*c/m* at Kincairgie on same day with the Tocher being 1000 merks²). They had issue.
4. Margaret Stewart, *bap.* at Logierait on 5 March 1698.
5. Jean Stewart, *bap.* at Logierait on 30 January 1704, and *m.* Andrew Grant, in Cowford, (*c/m* at Invar on 5 May 1730, with the Tocher being 500 merks³).

JOHN STEWART, 6TH OF DALGUISE, *b.* in 1689 and is mentioned in a discharge dated 2 June 1705. He was active in the Jacobite army during the rising of 1715 during which he served as an officer in the Cavalry at Sheriffmuir in November of 1715 and after which he suffered imprisonment and a fine. He *d.* at Dalguise on 25 September 1776,⁴ having *m.* firstly, Catherine, eldest daughter of Mungo Murray, Minister at Kincairney, (*c/m* at Sock on 1 June 1710⁵), by whom he was father of :

1. John Stewart, 7th of Dalguise, (*see below*).
2. Thomas Stewart, apprenticed to James Mansfield, Merchant in Edinburgh, on 11 December 1734.⁶ He was appointed Treasurer of the Bank of Scotland, *m.* at Edinburgh on 14 September 1760, Isabella, daughter of Patrick Murray, 2nd of Kincairney,⁷ (she *d.* at Edinburgh on 28 April 1775⁸), and *d.* without apparent issue at Edinburgh on 2 February 1792.⁹
3. David Stewart, *b.* on 20 September 1747, was elected Lord Provost of Edinburgh and *m.* at Edinburgh on 24 March 1776, Anne, daughter of Robert Fordyce, Merchant and Provost of

¹ GD38/1/574

² GD38/1/587

³ GD38/1/758

⁴ Caledonian Mercury. 28th September 1776, edition.

⁵ GD38/1/565

⁶ SRS Register of Edinburgh Apprentices.

⁷ OPR - Edinburgh

⁸ Scots Magazine, 1st April 1775, edition.

⁹ Scots Magazine, 1st February 1792, edition.

Aberdeen,¹ (she *d.* at Annan on 9 February 1828²). He *d.* at the Moat of Annan on 19 May 1824,³ and was father of :

3a) John Robert Stewart, entered a Burgess of Edinburgh by right of his father on 4 July 1782, and is then styled as his eldest son.⁴

3a) Hew Stewart, admitted a Burgess of Edinburgh in right of his father on 4 July, 1782, entered the Royal Navy, being raised to Captain in that service and was present at the battle of Camperdown. He was admitted a Knight in the Order of St. Vladimir. He *m.* Frances Hannah, (she *d.* at Claylands, South Norwood, on 1 April 1869⁵), *d.* at Bishopwearmouth, Durham, on 15 June 1837,⁶ and was father of :

3b) Harriet Stewart, *b.* on 12 February 1812, and *d.* at Slinfold, Sussex, on 6 October 1907, in her 96th year.⁷

3b) Frances Elizabeth Stewart, *b.* on 13 January 1820, and *m.* at Langton-upon-Swale on 9 April 1850, to Rev. Robert Morgan Price, Chaplain in the H.E.I.C.S. Bengal Establishment.⁸

3a) William Fordyce Stewart, *bap.* at Edinburgh on 11 December, 1783.

3a) Thomas David Stewart, *bap.* at Edinburgh on 3 August 1782, and entered the H.E.I.C.S., being raised to Lieutenant-Colonel of the 1st Regiment of Bengal Light Cavalry. He *m.* on 1 September 1823, to Mary, eldest daughter of George Pinkerton,⁹ and *d.* in Bengal being buried at Neemuch on 11 October 1836. He was father of :

3b) Charles James Stewart, *b.* at Meerut, Bengal, on 7 March 1826, and entered the army, serving as Captain in the of 13th Regiment of Native Infantry. He *d.* of a "malignant jungle fever" at Bombay on 24 October 1859.¹⁰

3a) James Stewart, *c.* at Edinburgh on 10 January 1794, and served as a Lieutenant in the Royal Navy. He *dsp* at Calcutta on 12 April 1820.¹¹

¹ OPR – Edinburgh.

² Caledonian Mercury, 16th February 1828, edition.

³ St. Cuthbert Inscriptions. See also: Perthshire Courier, 4th June 1824, edition.

⁴ SRS Edinburgh Burgess Roll.

⁵ Portsmouth Times, 10th April 1869, edition.

⁶ Perthshire Courier, 29th June 1837, edition.

⁷ Hampshire Advertiser, 19th October 1907, edition.

⁸ Oxford Chronicle, 13th April 1850, edition.

⁹ OPR – Barony. See also : The Scotsman, 3rd September 1823, edition.

¹⁰ Greenock Advertiser, 29th December 1859, edition.

¹¹ Scots Magazine, 1st October 1820, edition.

- 3a) Claude Scott Stewart, *c.* at Edinburgh on 22 December 1794, and *d.* at Dalguise House on 5 June 1860.¹
- 3a) Charles Stewart, *bap.* at Edinburgh on 13 January 1784.
- 3a) Janet Stewart, *c.* at Edinburgh on 2 May 1786.
- 3a) Harriet Stewart, *m.* Robert Anderson of Eskbank.
- 3a) Mary Sophia Stewart, *m.* at Edinburgh on 30 September 1815, John Robertson of Foveran.
- 3a) Ann Stewart, *m.* at Edinburgh on 5 April 1800, to Hugh Mair of Wysebie (*c/m* 7 April, 1800), and *d.* at Dalguise on 21 February 1847.² They had issue.

He *m.* secondly, Margaret, daughter of Rev. Thomas Findlay, Minister of Prestonkirk, (*c/m* at Prestonpans on 13 October 1727³), by whom he was father of,

4. James Stewart, emigrated to North Carolina in 1749 where he became a Shipwright. He *dsp* in 1755.
5. Hew Stewart, apprenticed to David Sandeman, Merchant in Perth on 3 November, 1749. He was appointed to the position of Governor of Bencoolen, in Sumatra, and *dsp* in 1782. His brother David Stewart, Banker in Edinburgh, was retoured his heir on 3 April, 1783.
6. Ann Stewart, *m.* James Duncan, Merchant in Perth (*c/m* 26 July 1757), and *d.* in 1758. Her husband granted Letters of Obligation to John Stewart of Dalguise, her father, dated 17 July, 1759, that he would deliver to him his copy of the contract of marriage upon settlement of an account and in which she is styled as deceased.
7. Christian Stewart, *b.* in 1730 and *m.* on 10 August 1762, Rev. John Steele, Minister of Stair, (he was son of John Steele, Minister of Old Cumnock, and had *m.* firstly, Mary, eldest daughter of John Chalmers of Gadgirth, the contract for which marriage being dated 6 June 1748. She *d.* on 14 October 1761. He *d.* on 13 April 1804, aged 93 years). She *d.* at Edinburgh on 21 April 1814, and had issue.

JOHN STEWART, 7TH OF DALGUISE, *b.* in 1712 and was retoured heir to his father on 9 October 1779. He was granted the freedom of Stirling on 15 September 1756, and was appointed to the office of Depute Clerk to the Justiciary. He *m.* Christian, daughter of Samuel Graham of Stoneyhill, *d.* on 9 June 1785, and was father of,

¹ Statutory record.

² Perthshire Advertiser, 4th March 1847, edition.

³ GD38/1/731

1. Charles Stewart, 8th of Dalguise, (*see below*).
2. John Stewart, *bap.* at Edinburgh on 19 August, 1748.
3. Thomas Stewart, *m.* at Edinburgh on 8 February, 1787, Susanna, daughter of Captain William Dick of Tulliemet (she *m.* secondly on 5 May, 1794, Alexander Niven, Minister of Dunkeld, and *d.* on 31 March, 1834, leaving issue). He *d.* at sea in 1793 and had issue :
 - 3a) Helen Stewart,
 - 3a) Agnes Donaldson Stewart, *bap.* at Dunkeld on 29 February, 1788.
 - 3a) Christian Helen Stewart, *c.* at Dunkeld on 20 December, 1792, and *m.* at Dunkeld on 13 June, 1809, John Stewart of Persey.
 - 3a) Nancy Stewart, mentioned in many of her relations the Oliphants of Gask's letters.
4. David Stewart, apprenticed to John Coutts, & Co. Merchants in Edinburgh, on 15 January, 1777.¹

CHARLES STEWART, 8TH OF DALGUISE, *b.* in 1756 and was retoured heir to his father on 6 September, 1785. He *d.* at Dalguise on 27 October 1821,² having *m.* firstly, on 16 April, 1786, Grace, eldest daughter of Robert Stewart, 8th of Ballechin, (she *d.* in 1787), by whom he was father of :

1. John Robert Stewart, who *d.* young.³

He *m.* secondly Gask on 19 July, 1794, Amelia Ann Sophia, daughter of Laurence Oliphant, 7th of Gask, (she was *b.* on 19 August, 1765, and *d.* at Dunkeld on 9 April, 1808⁴), and was father of :

2. John Stewart, 9th of Dalguise, (*see below*).
3. Laurence Stewart, *c.* at Little Dunkeld on 19 February, 1801, and *d.* later the same year.
4. Charles Stewart, *c.* at Little Dunkeld on 2 May, 1803, and *dsp* of a "Malignant fever" at Gibraltar on 3 November, 1828.⁵

¹ SRS Regsiter of Edinburgh Apprentices.

² Caledonian Mercury, 3rd November 1821, edition.

³ Lyon Court Funeral Escutcheons

⁴ Scots Magazine, 1 May 1808, edition.

⁵ Caledonian Mercury, 24th November 1828, edition.

5. Margaret Henrietta Maria Stewart, *bap.* at Little Dunkeld on 1 May, 1797, and *d.* unmarried at Edinburgh in 1896, in her 100th year.

JOHN STEWART, 9TH OF DALGUISE, *bap.* at Little Dunkeld on 7 August, 1799, and was appointed High Sheriff of the colony of the Cape of Good Hope. He *m.* at Portobello on 6 April, 1829, Janet Oliphant, eldest daughter of Alexander Murray, 8th Lord Elibank,¹ (she was *b.* on 15 May, 1805, and *d.* on 9 August, 1871), *d.* at Wynberg, Cape Colony, on 29 December, 1881,² and was father of

1. Margaret Henrietta Maria Janet Stewart, *b.* at the Cape of Good Hope on 22 June, 1830, and *m.* at Wynberg, Cape of Good Hope, on 14 October 1854, to Major Horace Durrant of the Bengal Cavalry.³ She *d.* in 1857 and had issue,

1a) **CHARLES HORACE DURRANT-STEWART, 10TH OF DALGUISE**, *b.* on 25 May, 1855, and assumed the surname of Stewart in accordance with his maternal grandfather, John Stewart's Will. He *m.* firstly on 9 April, 1882, Leila Mary, daughter of John Wright, Launceton, Cornwall, (she *d.* on 11 February, 1886), and had issue ; and secondly on 6 April, 1889, Alice Katherine Rens, (she *d.* at Bradenham House, High Wycombe, on 9 June 1915⁴). He *d.* at Dalguise House on Monday 29 December 1890,⁵ and was father of :

1b) **JOHN NAIRNE DURRANT-STEUART, 11TH OF DALGUISE**, *b.* at Dalguise on 18 January, 1883, and succeeded his father in the lands of Dalguise on his death in 1890. He served as 2nd Lieutenant in the 10th Bengal Lancers and *d.* of an "enteric fever" at Lucknow on 22 April 1904,⁶ with the lands of Dalguise passing to his cousin, Sir Tristram Tempest.

2. Charolette Æmelia Sophia Stewart, *b.* at Wynberg, Cape of Good Hope on 2 October, 1832, and *dsp.*

3. Caroline Jane Stewart, *b.* at Wynberg, Cape of Good Hope on 19 August 1834, and *d.* unmarried in 1855.

4. Amelia Helen Stewart, *b.* at Wynberg, Cape of Good Hope, on 4 February, 1837, and *m.* at St. George's, Hanover Square, London, on 26 July, 1861, to Sir Robert Tempest Ricketts,

¹ Caledonian Mercury, 11th April 1829, edition.

² Edinburgh Sheriff Court Inventories.

³ Illustrated London News, 6th January 1855, edition.

⁴ The Scotsman, 14th June 1915, edition.

⁵ Statutory record.

⁶ London Daily News, 28th April 1903, edition.

afterwards Sir Robert Tempest Tempest, 3rd Baronet of Tong Hall and Aughton, eldest son of Sir Cornwallis Ricketts, Baronet,¹ (he was *b.* at Rome on 7 December, 1836, and *d.* at Torquay on 4 February 1901). She *d.* at Wynberg on 26 December 1869,² having had issue :

4a) **SIR TRISTRAM TEMPEST, 4TH BARONET OF TONG HALL AND OF DALGUISE**, *b.* at Wynberg, Cape of Good Hope on 10 January 1865, succeeded to the Dalguise estate in 1903 and *m.* at St. Peter's Church, Eaton Square, London, on 24 April 1902, to Mabel Ethel, daughter of Major-General Sir George MacGregor,³ (she *d.* at Bath on 16 April 1906). He *dsp* at Tong Hall on 23 June 1909.⁴

4a) **HENRIETTA FRANCES TEMPEST OF TONG HALL AND DALGUISE**, *b.* in 1864, and *m.* at the parish church at Tong on 12 January, 1886, to John Hicks Graves, of Bradenham Manor, High Wymcombe,⁵ (he *d.* at Bradenham House, High Wymcombe, on 11 January 1915⁶). She succeeded to the estate of Dalguise upon the death of her brother Sir Tristram Tristram in 1909, and *dsp* at Bradenham House, on 8 February 1948,⁷ with the lands of Dalguise passing to Philip James Kington-Blair-Oliphant of Ardblair, in whose hands they were exposed for sale later that same year.

5. Clara Mary Montague Stewart, *c.* at Little Dunkeld on 4 September, 1839.

¹ Caledonian Mercury, 31st July 1861, edition.

² Morning Advertiser, 15th February 1870, edition.

³ Western Times, 25th April 1902, edition.

⁴ Dundee Courier, 25th June 1909, edition.

⁵ St. James's Gazette, 16th January 1886, edition.

⁶ Dundee Courier, 16th January 1915, edition.

⁷ The Scotsman, 10th February 1948, edition.