

TYRIE

OF BUSBY

Tyrie of Busbie are closely related to the family of Tyrie of Drumkilbo, as is evinced by Walter Tyrie and his brothers being served heir provisional to their Busby relatives in property in Perth in 1479 although the exact nature of the relationship is uncertain. The first for whom there is evidence is :

1. John Tyrie, senior, was a provisional heir to his younger brother John Tyrie in a tenement in Perth on 10 June, 1479, and was appointed Rector of Ballingry. He *d.* prior to 28 August, 1511.
2. **SIR JOHN TYRIE, 1ST OF BUSBY**, appointed Provost of the Collegiate Church of Methven and had a charter for the lands of Easter and Wester Busby under the Great Seal on 15 October, 1510,¹ which he afterwards disposed to his brother Robert Tyrie on 15 April, 1511. He founded the Altar of St. Catherine in the Parish Church of Perth.
3. Sir John Tyrie, appointed Vicar of Cramond and *d.* prior to 28 August, 1511.
4. William Tyrie, was a provisional heir to his younger brother John Tyrie in a tenement in Perth on 10 June, 1479, was one of the servants of King James III. and was appointed Vicar of Kingoldrum. He *d.* prior to 28 August, 1511.
5. Robert Tyrie, 2nd of Busby, (*see below*).
6. Alexander Tyrie, became a Burgess and Provost of Perth and founded and endowed the Altars of St. Christopher and St. Clement in the parish church of Perth, in 1511, and also that of St. Barbara the Virgin in the parish church of Perth, in 1525. He *m.* Janet Lauder and was father of,
 - 6a) James Tyrie, who, with his father, granted certain annualrents to the Altar of St. Clement in the parish Church of Perth for the weel of the souls of, Mr. John Tyrie, Rector of Ballingry, Sir John Tyrie, Provost of Methven, Sir John Tyrie, Vicar of Cramond, Mr. William Tyrie, Vicar of Kingoldrum, and Robert Tyrie, his brothers on 28 August, 1511.²

ROBERT TYRIE, 2ND OF BUSBY, became a Burgess in Perth and had a Charter from his brother Sir John Tyrie for the lands of Easter and Wester Busby on 15 April, 1511.³ He

¹ GD190/3/16/1

² RMS 1424-1513. No. 3806

³ GD190/3/16/5

m. Agnes, sister of Mr. Richard Abercromby, Abbot of St. Colum's Isle, with whom he is named in their daughter Elizabeth's marriage contract in 1540, and was father of :

1. Sir James Tyrie, the eldest son who was appointed Vicar of Melginch. He followed a religious life and consented to his father disposing the lands of Easter and Wester Busbie in favour of William Tyrie his younger brother on 1 December, 1541. He *m.* Christine Murray.
2. William Tyrie, 3rd of Busby, (*see below*).
3. Elizabeth Tyrie, *m.* James Rogerson of Drumdewan, (*c/m* 30 June 1540¹).

WILLIAM TYRIE, 3RD OF BUSBY, had a charter for the lands of Easter and Wester Busby from his father, with consent of Sir James Tyrie, his elder brother on 1 December, 1541.² He *m.* firstly to a woman whose name has not yet been ascertained but by whom he had issue ; and secondly by 2 June, 1568, Christian Rattray, (she was widow of Mr. Hew Guthrie by whom she had issue). He was father of,

WILLIAM TYRIE, FIAR OF BUSBY, who was passed over in succession by his father for his "ungodly and unnatural behaviour towards him." He *m.* his step-sister Isabel, daughter of Mr. Hew Guthrie,³ and had issue,

WILLIAM TYRIE, 4TH OF BUSBY, had a charter for the lands of Easter and Wester Busby from his father on 1 December, 1580, and *m.* firstly, by 27 January 1589, to Isabel Stewart. He *m.* secondly, Janet, daughter of John Moray, 6th of Abercairney, (she was widow of Andrew Tosheoch, of Monzievaird), and was father of,

1. William Tyrie, 5th of Busby, (*see below*).
2. George Tyrie, styled as son of William Tyrie, elder of Busbie, when witness to a Bond on 31 March, 1613, and became a Messenger in Perth.⁴

WILLIAM TYRIE, 5TH OF BUSBY, had a charter for the lands of Easter and Wester Busby from his father on 19 June, 1611, and *m.* Marie, daughter of Alexander Bruce, of

¹ Dupplin Charters.

² GD190/3/16/9

³ RD1/11/342

⁴ B59/13/1/f.108v

Cultmalundy. He sold the lands of Easter and Wester Busby to Malcolm Hall, Baxter in Perth, on 28 April, 1621, and was father of,

1. William Tyrie,
2. Laurence Tyrie, gave his consent to the disposing of the lands of Busbie to Malcolm Hall on 28 April, 1621.¹

The lands of Easter and Wester Busbies were afterwards sold by William Hall of Busby, only son of the deceased Malcolm Hall of Busbie, to David Murray of Buchanty on 19 March, 1634, with Robert Murray of Buchanty, son and heir of the said David, disposing them to John Tyrie, Lister Burgess of Perth, on 19 November, 1653. What relationship this John Tyrie was to the previous possessors is unknown. He *m.* to Isobel Johnstone, *d.* by 23 July 1681, and was father of,

JOHN TYRIE OF BUSBY, succeeded his father and is styled as his only son when he had letters of Horning against Alexander Campbell of Lochdochart and Duncan Campbell of Auchlyne dated 13 July 1681.² He *m.* Jean, daughter of Thomas Blair of Pittendreich, (*c/m* 17 April, 1695). He *d.* prior to 14 December, 1719, and was father of,

ROBERT TYRIE, styled as son of the deceased John Tyrie of Busby when witness to a discharge by Margaret Walker, relict of John Monro, Vinter in Perth, to Thomas Stewart in Kinnaird on 14 December, 1719. He *m.* at Perth on 5 September, 1730, Ann, daughter of Alexander Blair, 2nd of Inchyra, (she *m.* secondly to John Blair, Writer in Edinburgh,) and apparently *dsp.*

¹ GD190/3/17/19

² Hornings. Perthshire. Vol. 27.