

Ladies of the Fraternity of Saint George and of the Society of the Garter.

ISABEL, COUNTESS OF BEDFORD, daughter of King Edward the Third, and wife of John Sire de Coucy, Earl of Bedford, K. G., who resigned the Order in 1377. Received Robes from 1375 to 1379. Died, apparently, before 1380.

JOAN, PRINCESS OF WALES, daughter and heiress of Edmund Earl of Kent, youngest son of King Edward the First, called "the Fair Maid of Kent." She married 1st, Sir Thomas Holland, K. G., *jure uxoris* Earl of Kent; 2nd, William, Earl of Salisbury, K. G.;¹ and 3rd, Edward the Black Prince, by whom she was mother of King Richard the Second. Received Robes in 1378, 1379, and 1384. Died 7th August 1385.

CONSTANCE, QUEEN OF SPAIN, DUCHESS OF AQUITAINE, and DUCHESS OF LANCASTER, eldest daughter of Peter the Cruel, King of Castile and Leon, and second wife of John of Gaunt, Duke of Lancaster, K. G., who assumed the title of KING OF CASTILE AND LEON in her right. Received Robes as "Queen of Spain, Duchess of Lancaster" in 1378 and 1379; as "Duchess of Lancaster" from 1381 to 1384; as "Queen of Spain" in 1385; as "Duchess of Lancaster" in 1386 and 1389; as "Duchess of Aquitaine" in 1390; and again as "Duchess of Lancaster" in 1393 and 1394. Died 1394.

JOAN, DUCHESS OF BRITTANY, eldest daughter of Sir Thomas Holland, K. G., (by Joan, afterwards Princess of Wales, half-sister of King Richard the Second,) and second wife of John de Montfort Duke of Brittany, K. G. Received Robes in 1378 and 1379. Died about October 1386.

MAUD LADY COURTENAY, second daughter of Sir Thomas Holland, K. G., by Joan, afterwards Princess of Wales, and half-sister of King Richard the Second. She is described by Froissart as "the fairest Lady in all England," and married 1st, Sir Hugh Courtenay, K. G., who died in 1348 or 1349; and 2ndly, Waleran de Luxembourg, Count of St. Paul. Received Robes as "Lady Courtenay" in 1378 and 1379.

PHILIPPA OF LANCASTER, QUEEN OF PORTUGAL, eldest daughter of John, Duke of Lancaster, K. G. She married John the First King of Portugal, K. G. Received Robes in 1378, 1379² and 1381, and from 1384 to 1386; and, as "Queen of Portugal" in 1399 and 1401, and from 1408 to 1411, and they were again prepared for her in 1416. Died 9th June 1415.

ELIZABETH OF LANCASTER, COUNTESS OF HUNTINGDON, and DUCHESS OF EXETER, second daughter of John Duke of Lancaster, K. G. She married, 1st, John Holland Earl of Huntingdon, afterwards Duke of Exeter, K. G.; and 2ndly, Sir John Cornwall, Lord Fanhope, K. G. Received Robes in 1378, and 1379;³ as "Countess of Huntingdon," in 1389 and 1390; as "Duchess of Exeter" in 1399; and again as "Countess of Huntingdon" in 1401, 1405, and from 1408 to 1421. Died 1426.

KATHERINE OF LANCASTER, QUEEN OF SPAIN, daughter of John Duke of Lancaster, K. G., by Constance of Castile. She married Henry the Third King of Castile, K. G. Received Robes from 1384 to 1386; and as "Queen of Spain" in 1401, and again from 1408 to 1416. Died 1st June 1418.

¹ Vide INTRODUCTION, p. lxxxiv, n.

² In 1378 and 1379, Robes were issued "to the two daughters of the Duke of Lancaster," who are presumed to have been Philippa and Elizabeth, his daughters by his first wife, Blanch of Lancaster. In 1381, Philippa again received Robes; and in 1384, 1385, and 1386, they were again given to Philippa, and to his daughter Katherine, his only child by his second wife, Constance, of Castile.

PHILIPPA, COUNTESS OF OXFORD and DUCHESS OF IRELAND, daughter of Ingelram Earl of Bedford, K. G., by Isabel, daughter of King Edward the Third. She married Robert de Vere, 9th Earl of Oxford and Duke of Ireland, K. G. Received Robes as "Duchess of Ireland" in 1387, 1399, 1401, 1405, 1408, and 1409; and she was probably the "Countess of Oxford,"² to whom they were issued from 1378 to 1386. Died 1412.

ISABEL, COUNTESS OF CAMBRIDGE and DUCHESS OF YORK, second daughter and co-heiress of Peter the Cruel King of Castile and Leon, and wife of Edmund Earl of Cambridge, Duke of York, K. G. Received Robes as "Countess of Cambridge" in 1379, 1384 and 1385; and as "Duchess of York" from 1386 to 1390. Died 1394.

ANNE, QUEEN OF ENGLAND, CONSORT OF KING RICHARD THE SECOND, and daughter of the Emperor Charles the Fourth. Received Robes from 1382 to 1394. Died 7th June 1394.

ELEANOR, COUNTESS OF BUCKINGHAM and DUCHESS OF GLOUCESTER, wife of Thomas Earl of Buckingham, Duke of Gloucester, K. G., eldest daughter and co-heiress of Humphrey de Bohun Earl of Hereford, Essex, and Northampton, K. G. Received Robes as "Countess of Buckingham" in 1384 and 1385, and as "Duchess of Gloucester" from 1386 to 1390. Died 3rd October 1399.

ANNE, COUNTESS OF PEMBROKE, daughter and heiress of Walter Lord Manny, K. G., (by Margaret Duchess of Norfolk, grand-daughter of King Edward the First), and widow of John Hastings Earl of Pembroke, K. G., to whom she was second wife. Received Robes in 1381 and 1384; and they are stated to have been also prepared for her in 1385 and 1386. Died 3rd April 1384.

ELIZABETH, COUNTESS OF SALISBURY, daughter and co-heiress of John Lord Mohun, K. G., and wife of William de Montacute, 2nd Earl of Salisbury, K. G. Received Robes from 1384 to 1390; again in 1399, 1401, and 1405; and as "Countess of Salisbury, senior," in 1408, 1409, and 1413. Died 14th January 1414.

JOAN LADY MOHUN, daughter of Bartholomew, and sister of Bartholomew Lord Burghersh, K. G., and wife of John Lord Mohun, K. G. Received Robes from 1384 to 1390, and again in 1399. Died 1404.

ELIZABETH, COUNTESS MARSHAL, afterwards DUCHESS OF NORFOLK, daughter of Richard, and sister, and co-heiress of Thomas Fitzalan, Earls of Arundel and Surrey, Knights of the Garter, and wife of Thomas Mowbray Earl of Nottingham, Earl Marshal, afterwards Duke of Norfolk, K. G. She afterwards married Sir Robert Goushill and Sir Gerard Ufflete. Received Robes as "the Countess Marshal" from 1386 to 1390. Died 8th July 1424.

CONSTANCE, LADY LE DESPENCER, COUNTESS OF GLOUCESTER, daughter of Edmund Duke of York, K. G. by Isabel of Castile, and wife of Thomas Lord le Despencer Earl of Gloucester, K. G. Received Robes from 1385 to 1390, and as "Countess of Gloucester" in 1399. Died 28th November 1416.

COUNTESS OF OXFORD, apparently Maud, daughter and heiress of Sir Ralph Ufford, Justiciary of Ireland, (by Maud, sister of Henry Duke of Lancaster, K. G.), and widow of Thomas de Vere, 8th Earl of Oxford. She is presumed to have been the "Countess of Oxford" who received Robes from 1388 to 1390, if not also between 1378 and 1386, and again in 1399. [*Vide* DUCHESS OF IRELAND, *antea*, and LADY DE VERE, *infra*]. Died 25th January 1413.

LADY DE VERE, apparently Alice, daughter of John Lord Fitz Walter, and wife of Sir Alberic de Vere, the King's Chamberlain, uncle of Robert Duke of Ireland, K. G. He became 10th Earl of Oxford in 1392, and died in 2 Hen. IV. 1400-1401. Or, LADY DE VERE may have been Elizabeth, daughter of Hugh de Courtenay, 1st Earl of Devon, wife of Sir John de Vere, another uncle of Robert Duke of Ireland, and widow of Sir Andrew Luttrell, which Lady de Vere died 7th August 1395. Received Robes as "Lady de Vere" from 1385 to 1390; and, if she were the former of those Ladies, probably again as "Countess of Oxford" in 1399.

LADY DE POYNINGS, apparently Blanch, daughter of — Mowbray, and widow of Thomas Lord Poynings. She and her second husband, Sir John Wrothe, were dismissed from Court at the request of Parliament in 1387, but she was soon after recalled; and in 1401 was one of the Ladies who attended Queen Isabel to Calais on her return to France. Received Robes, as "Lady de Poynings," from 1385 to 1390, and in 1399, 1408, and 1409. Died about 1410.

LADY DE GOMENIES, apparently Anne, widow of William, son of John de Geaux Sire de Gomenies, a foreigner, who was in the service of Richard the Second. She received Robes from 1387 to 1390, and in 1399, and was probably the "Anne" or "Agnes Guney" or "Gunneys," to whom they were issued in 1408 and 1409.

² *Vide* COUNTESS OF OXFORD, *infra*.

LADY KATHERINE SWYNFORD, DUCHESS OF LANCASTER, daughter of Sir Payne Roelt, and widow of Sir Hugh Swynford. She was first the mistress, and afterwards the wife of John Duke of Lancaster, K. G. Received Robes as "Lady Katherine Swynford" from 1387 to 1390, and as "Duchess of Lancaster" from 1395 to 1397. Died 10th May 1403.

ALICE, COUNTESS OF KENT, daughter of Richard Fitz Alan Earl of Arundel, K. G., and wife of Thomas Holland, 2nd Earl of Kent, K. G. She received Robes from 1388 to 1390, in 1399 and 1401. Died 1416.

MARY, COUNTESS OF DERBY, daughter and co-heiress of Humphrey de Bohun Earl of Hereford, Essex, and Northampton, K. G., and first wife of Henry Earl of Derby, afterwards King Henry the Fourth. Received Robes as "Countess of Derby" from 1388 to 1390. Died 1394.

LADY TRYVET. Apparently the daughter and heiress of Sir Philip Timbury, and widow of Sir Thomas Tryvet, Banneret, who died in 1388. She had previously married Thomas Swynburne, Esq. Received Robes as "Lady Tryvet" in 1390 and 1399. Died 1433.

JOAN LADY BEAUCHAMP, second daughter of Richard, and sister and co-heir of Thomas Fitz Alan, Earls of Arundel, Knights of the Garter, and wife of Sir William Beauchamp, K. G. afterwards Lord Bergavenny. Received Robes as "Lady Beauchamp" in 1390, 1399, 1408, 1409, 1413 and 1416. Died 1436.

PHILIPPA, LADY FITZ WALTER, afterwards DUCHESS OF YORK, fifth daughter and co-heiress of John Lord Mohun, K. G., and widow of Walter Lord Fitz Walter, who died in 1386. She married secondly, Sir John Golafre; and, thirdly, Edward Duke of York, K. G. Received Robes as "Lady Fitz Walter" in 1390 and 1399; and as "Duchess of York, Junior," in 1408, 1409, 1413 and 1416. Died 1433.

ISABEL, QUEEN OF ENGLAND, Consort of KING RICHARD THE SECOND, and daughter of Charles the Sixth, King of France. Received Robes from 1395 to 1399.

KATHERINE, DUCHESS OF GUELDRS, daughter of Albert, Count or Duke of Holland, and wife of William, Duke of Gueldres, K. G. She married first Edward, Duke of Gueldres. Received Robes as "Duchess of Gueldres" in 1399. Died 1400.

JOAN, DUCHESS OF YORK, daughter and co-heiress of Edmund Holland Earl of Kent, K. G., and second wife of Edmund of Langley Duke of York, K. G. She married secondly, William Lord Willoughby of Eresby, K. G.; thirdly, Henry Lord Scrope of Masham, K. G.; and, fourthly, Henry Lord Bromflete. Received Robes as "Duchess of York" in 1399 and 1401, and as "Duchess of York, senior," in 1405, 1408, and 1416. Died 1433 or 1434.

MARGARET, COUNTESS OF SOMERSET, MARCHIONESS OF DORSET, and afterwards DUCHESS OF CLARENCE, daughter of Thomas Holland, second Earl of Kent, K. G. She married first, John Beaufort, Earl of Somerset and Marquess of Dorset, K. G.; and secondly, Thomas Duke of Clarence, K. G. Received Robes as "Marchioness of Dorset" in 1399; as "Countess of Somerset" from 1401 to 1411; and as "Duchess of Clarence" in 1413 and 1416. Died 31st December 1440.

JOAN, COUNTESS OF WESTMORLAND, daughter of John, Duke of Lancaster, K. G., by Katherine Swynford, and wife of Ralph Neville, 1st Earl of Westmorland, K. G. She married first, Sir Robert Ferrers, of Wem and Oversley. Received Robes as "Countess of Westmorland" in 1399, 1401, and from 1405 to 1416. Died 13th November 1430.

LADY BLANCH BRADESTON, probably the wife or sister of Sir Thomas de Bradeston. Received Robes in 1399.

AGNES LADY ARUNDEL, apparently the wife of Sir William Fitz Alan, *alias* Arundel, K. G., but the name of her family has not been discovered. Received Robes in 1399. Died about 1401 or 1402.

LADY DE ROOS, apparently Margaret, daughter of John Fitz Alan, *alias* Arundel, Lord Maltravers, sister of John Earl of Arundel, K. G., and wife of William Lord Roos of Hamlake, K. G. Received Robes in 1399, 1408, 1409, 1413 and 1416. She died 1439.

LADY DE COUCY. She is presumed to have been Margaret, the wife of Sir William de Coucy, who, with her husband, accompanied Queen Isabel to England. Received Robes in 1399.

JOAN, QUEEN OF ENGLAND, Consort of KING HENRY THE FOURTH, daughter of Charles the Second, King of Navarre, and widow of John the 4th Duke of Brittany, K. G. Received Robes in 1405, from 1408 to 1413, and in 1416. Died 10th July 1437.

MARGARET, DUCHESS OF HOLLAND, daughter of Adolph, Duke of Cleves, and wife of Albert, Count Palatine Duke of Bavaria, Hainault, and Holland, K. G. Received Robes as "Duchess of Holland, Senior," in 1405.

MARGARET, DUCHESS OF HOLLAND, daughter of Philip the Bold, Duke of Burgundy, and wife of William of Bavaria, Duke of Holland, and Count of Ostrevant, K. G. Received Robes as "Duchess of Holland, Junior," in 1405, as "Duchess of Holland and Bavaria, and Countess of Ostrevant" in 1409, and as "Duchess of Holland" in 1408, 1410, 1411, and 1416.

ANNE, COUNTESS OF STAFFORD, daughter of Thomas, Duke of Gloucester, K.G., and widow of Edmund, Earl of Stafford, K.G., who was slain at Shrewsbury in 1403. She married secondly, William Bourchier, Earl of Ewe, K.G. Received Robes as "Countess of Stafford" in 1405. Died 1438 or 1439.

ELEANOR, COUNTESS OF SALISBURY, fourth daughter of Thomas, and sister and co-heiress of Edmund Holland, Earls of Kent, Knights of the Garter; and wife of Thomas de Montacute, 4th Earl of Salisbury, K.G. Received Robes as "Lady de Montacute" in 1405, and as "Countess of Salisbury, Junior," in 1408, 1409, 1413, and 1416. Died before 1426.

PHILIPPA, QUEEN OF DENMARK, Consort of Eric, King of Denmark, and second daughter of King Henry the Fourth. Received Robes as "Queen of Denmark" from 1408 to 1411, and in 1416.

MARGARET LADY BEAUFORT, afterwards COUNTESS OF DORSET, daughter of Sir Thomas Neville, of Hornby, and wife of Sir Thomas Beaufort, K.G., afterwards Earl of Dorset and Duke of Exeter. Received Robes as "Lady Beaufort" in 1408, 1409, and as "Countess of Dorset" in 1413. Died 1458.

LADY BLANCH OF LANCASTER, eldest daughter of King Henry the Fourth. She married first, Lewis of Bavaria, eldest son of Rupert, Emperor of Germany. Received Robes as "Lady Blanch the King's daughter" in 1408 and 1409.

LADY WATERTON, probably Ellen, daughter of Robert Mowbray, and widow of Sir Hugh Waterton, who was governor of the Princesses Joan and Philippa; but she is said (Beltz's "Memorials of the Garter," p. ccxxiii.) to have been Margaret, daughter of . . . Clarell, and wife of Sir Robert Waterton. She may however, have been the "Cecilia Waterton," who, in 1408, was one of the Maids of Honour (Domcella) of the Queen. Received Robes in 1408, 1409, 1413 and 1416.

LADY ANNE GUNNEYS. *Vide* Lady de Gomenies, p. lxxviii, antea.

JOAN LADY BURNELL, daughter of Sir John, 1st Lord Devereux, and sister and heiress of John, 2nd Lord Devereux, K.G. She married first, Walter Lord Fitz Walter, and secondly, Hugh Lord Burnell, K.G. Received Robes as "Lady Burnell" in 1409.

BEATRIX, COUNTESS OF ARUNDEL, natural daughter of John the First, King of Portugal, and wife of Thomas Fitz Alan, Earl of Arundel and Surrey, K.G. She married secondly, John Holland, Earl of Huntingdon and Duke of Exeter, K.G. Received Robes as "Countess of Arundel" in 1413 and 1416. Died 13th November 1439.

KATHERINE, QUEEN OF ENGLAND, Consort of KING HENRY THE FIFTH, and daughter of Charles the Sixth, King of France. She married secondly, Owen Tudor. Received Robes in 1421. Died 9th January 1437.

JOAN LADY GREY, COUNTESS OF TANCARVILLE, daughter and co-heiress of Sir Edward Cherleton Lord Powis, K.G., wife of Sir John Grey, Count of Tancarville, in Normandy, K.G. She is represented on her Tomb with a Garter on her left arm, (*Vide* p. 499, antea). Died 1425.

JAQUELINE, DUCHESS OF GLOUCESTER, daughter and heiress of William, Duke of Hainault and Holland, Count of Ostrevant, K.G. Although the wife of John, Duke of Brabant, she married Humphrey, Duke of Gloucester, K.G. Received Robes as "Duchess of Gloucester" in 1423. Her marriage with the Duke of Gloucester was declared invalid about 1425. Died 1436.

ELEANOR, DUCHESS OF GLOUCESTER, daughter of Reginald Lord Cobham, of Sterborough, and wife of Humphrey, Duke of Gloucester, K.G. Received Robes from 1432 to 1441.

ISABEL, COUNTESS OF WARWICK, daughter of Thomas le Despencer, Earl of Gloucester, K.G., and wife of Richard Beauchamp, Earl of Warwick, K.G. She married first, Richard Beauchamp, Earl of Worcester. Received Robes as "Countess of Warwick" from 1432 to 1436. Died December, 1439.

ALICE, COUNTESS, MARCHIONESS, AND DUCHESS OF SUFFOLK, daughter and heiress of Thomas Chaucer, and wife of William de la Pole, Earl, Marquess, and Duke of Suffolk, K.G. She married first, Sir John Phelyp; and secondly, Thomas de Montacute, 4th Earl of Salisbury, K.G. Received Robes as "Countess of Suffolk" from 1432 to 1444; as "Marchioness of Suffolk" from 1445 to 1448; and as "Duchess of Suffolk" in 1449; and the Garter is on her arm on her effigy in the Church of Ewelme, in Oxfordshire, (*Vide* p. 499, antea). Died 20th May 1475.

BARBARA, EMPRESS OF GERMANY, Consort of SIGISMUND, EMPEROR OF GERMANY, K.G. and daughter of Hermannus, Count of Cilley in Crain. Orders were given for preparing Robes for her in 1439, but they were countermanded on account of a rumour of the Emperor's death; and it is probable that Robes had been issued to her in many previous years.

JAQUETTE, DUCHESS OF BEDFORD, daughter of Peter, Count of St. Paul, and wife of John Duke of Bedford, K.G. She afterwards married Richard Wydville, Earl Ryvers, and was by him mother of Queen Elizabeth, Consort of King Edward IV. Received Robes as "Duchess of Bedford" in 1434 or 1435.

MARGARET, QUEEN OF ENGLAND, Consort of KING HENRY THE SIXTH, daughter of René, Count of Anjou. Received Robes from 1449 to 1458.* Died 1482.

ELEANOR, DUCHESS OF SOMERSET, second daughter and co-heiress of Richard Beauchamp, Earl of Warwick, K.G. and wife of Edmund Beaufort, Duke of Somerset, K.G. She married first, Thomas Lord Roos. Received Robes as "Duchess of Somerset" in 1452. Died 12th March 1467.

ELIZABETH, QUEEN OF ENGLAND, Consort of KING EDWARD THE FOURTH, daughter of Richard Wydeville, Earl Rivers, and widow of John Lord Grey, of Groby. Received Robes in 1477 and 1480. Died about 1492.

LADY ELIZABETH, the King's daughter. Received Robes in 1477 and 1480. Became QUEEN CONSORT in 1486.

ELIZABETH, DUCHESS OF SUFFOLK, sister of King Edward IV. and wife of John de la Pole, Duke of Suffolk, K.G. Received Robes as "Duchess of Suffolk" in 1477. Died 16th November 1500.

LADY MARY, second daughter of KING EDWARD IV. Received Robes as "Lady Mary the King's daughter" in 1480. Died 23rd May 1482.

LADY CECILY, third daughter of KING EDWARD IV. She married John Viscount Welles, K.G. Received Robes as "Lady Cecily the King's daughter" in 1480.

MARGARET, LADY HARCOURT, wife of Sir Robert Harcourt, K.G., and daughter of Sir John Byron. She is represented with the Garter on her arm in the Church of Stanton Harcourt, in Oxfordshire. (Vide pp. 499, 500, *antes*).

ELIZABETH, QUEEN OF ENGLAND, Consort of KING HENRY THE SEVENTH, eldest daughter of King Edward the Fourth. Received Robes as "Lady Elizabeth the King's daughter" in 1477 and 1480; and as "Queen of England" in 1488 and in 1494. Died 11th January 1503.

MARGARET, COUNTESS OF RICHMOND, daughter of John Beaufort, Duke of Somerset, K.G., widow of Edmund Tudor, Earl of Richmond, and mother of KING HENRY VII. Received Robes in 1488. Died 29th June 1509.

LADY MARGARET, daughter of King Henry the Seventh, afterwards married James IV. King of Scotland. Received Robes as "Lady Margaret the King's daughter" in 1495, though she was not then five years old.

LADY ELIZABETH, daughter of King Henry the Seventh, Received Robes as "Lady Elizabeth the King's daughter" in 1495, though she was then only three years old. Died 14th September 1495.

* It is stated in Beltz's "Memorials of the Order of the Garter," p. cccxiv. that in the 26 Hen. VI. 1448, Robes of the Order were issued to MARGARET, QUEEN OF ENGLAND, to LADY ANNE MOLEYNS, LADY DE SAY, LADY DE BEAUCHAMP, and ALICE NORREYS. No authority is referred to; but if, as seems nearly certain, the statement was taken from the Accounts of the Great Wardrobe from the 25th to the 27th Hen. VI. (Roll marked "T. G. 2242,") it is incorrect; because the only Lady who is recorded to have received Robes of the Order in those Accounts was the Marchioness of Suffolk, though certain articles were then issued to the Queen, to Lady Anne Moleyns, Lord Say, (query James Lord Say and Sele,) Lord Beauchamp, (query Sir John Beauchamp, Lord Beauchamp of Powyk,) and Alice Norreys. The following is a literal copy of the entry alluded to:

"Et vij. henr Regis p toꝝ capuꝝ doubletꝝ robis lineis caliꝝ sotulaꝝ ocꝝ calcaꝝ linthiaꝝ ⁊ aliis diꝝ rebz eis oportuꝝ Marchioni Suff' j mantellam de fraꝝnitate Sꝛi Georgii, Margaretæ Reginaꝝ Angl' D'ne Anne Molyꝝ D'no de Say, D'no de Beauchamp Alice Norreys' (sic) Thome Tudenham militi Pho Wentworth hostiaꝝ Castr' Regis Thome Sharneboꝝne Armigꝝ Johi Norys Armigꝝ Fulconi Bernyngham Chico [and numerous others, Chaplains, Valets, &c.] et Johi Trevilian diꝝ res et stuffuꝝ h'end de dono dñi Regis."