Somersetshire, and left issue three daughters.

Thomas, who m. the Hon. Mary Hutchinson, daughter of the Right Hon. John Hely-Hutchinson, and aunt of the present Earl of Donoughmore by whom (who d. in 1821) he had issue,

1. Hely-Hutchinson, in holy orders, now deceased.

2. A daughter.

 C. Jocelyn Mary, m. to the Rev. H. B. Tristram, and d. 3rd August, 1830, leaving two sons and four daughters.

William, d. young.

Charles, who d. leaving three sons and one daughter.

William, d. young.

George, d. leaving three sons and a daughter.

James, present possessor of Ashlyns.

Arms---Or, a chevron cottised between three demi-griffins, the two in chief respectant sa.

Crest---An elephant's head, erased or, eared gu.

Motto---Preignes haleine tire fort.

Estate---Ashlyns Hall, near Great Berkhampstead, Herts, purchased in 1801.

Seat --- Ashlyns Hall, Herts.

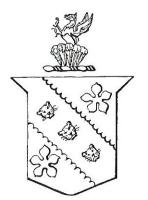
ALDERSEY, OF ALDERSEY.

ALDERSEY, SAMUEL, esq. of Aldersey and of Spurstow, in the county of Chester, m. 9th August, 1824, Lucy, daughter of George Baylis, esq. of Shifnal, Salop, and has issue,

HUGH-ROBERT, b. 19th November, 1828. Thomas, b. 30th March, 1830. Susan-Mary. Lucy-Anne.

Mr. Aldersey, who served the office of high sheriff for the county of Chester in 1816, s. his father in 1803.

Lineage.



The family of ALDERSEY is of great antiquity in the county of Chester.

HUGH DE ALDERSEY, of Aldersey, who flourished temp. HENRY III. was father of

ADAM DE ALDERSEY, lord of a moiety of Aldersey, who had three sons, viz.

RALPH, his heir.

Robert, of Middle Aldersey, ancestor of the Alderseys of that place. William.

From the eldest son,

RALPH ALDERSEY, of Aldersey, who d. in 1327, lineally descended,

WILLIAM ALDERSEY, esq. of Aldersey, living temp. Henry VI. who m. Margaret, daughter and heiress of John Stalker, of Lower Spurstow, and was s. by his son,

HENRY ALDERSEY, esq. of Aldersey and Spurstow. This gentleman m. Jane, daughter of John Hockenhull, esq. of Hockenhull, and had issue,

JOHN, his successor.

Robert, m. Anne, daughter of Malbon, of Malpas, and was ancestor of the Alderseys who settled in Kent and in Staffordshire.

Hugh, m. Margaret, daughter of Randle Bamville, of Gawsworth, and had an only daughter, Margaret, who espoused, first, Henry Bunbury, esq.; and, secondly, Sir Rowland Stanley. Richard, of Picton, m. Margaret, daughter of James Cotgreave, esq. of Hargrave, and was grandfather of

WILLIAM ALDERSEY, the celebrated antiquary, mayor of Chester in 1614.

Henry Aldersey was s. by his eldest son,

JOHN ALDERSEY, esq. of Aldersey and Spurstow, who m. Anne, daughter and eventually heiress of Thomas Bird, esq. of Clutton, by whom he had, inter alios,

JOHN, his successor.

Thomas, founder of the school of Bunbury, m. Alice, daughter of Richard Calthrop, esq. of Allingham, Norfolk, but dying s. p. his estates passed to his nephew, John Aldersey, esq. of London.

John Aldersey d. in 1528, and was s. by his eldest son.

JOHN ALDERSEY, esq. of Aldersey and Spurstow. This gentleman espoused Anne, daughter of Hugh Aston, esq. of Aston Green, and was s. in 1582, by his son,

RANDLE ALDERSEY, esq. of Aldersey and Spurstow, whose great-grandson,

THOMAS ALDERSEY, esq. of Aldersey and Spurstow, barrister-at-law, b. in 1634, m. Margaret, daughter of Thomas Lee, esq. of Dernhall, and dying in 1715, was s. by his eldest son,

ROBERT ALDERSEY, esq. of Aldersey and Spurstow, who wedded in 1698, Jane, daughter and co-heiress of Thomas Webb, gent. of Middlewick, but leaving no issue at his decease in 1730, the estates devolved upon his brother,

THE REV. SAMUEL ALDERSEY, of Aldersey and Spurstow, rector of Wigan, in the county of Lancaster. This gentleman m. Henrietta, daughter of Henry Bridgeman, D.D. bishop of Sodor and Man, third son of John, lord bishop of Chester, and had issue,

THOMAS, M.D. b. in 1704; m. Mary, eldest daughter and co-heiress of

Cornelius Hignett, esq. of Darland, and d. s. p. in 1743.

John, d. unmarried.

Robert, d. s. p.

Bridgeman, m. Nancy, daughter of Foote Gower, M.D.

Henry, both predeceased their fa-Charles, ther.

Samuel Aldersey d. in 1742, and the estates ultimately devolved upon his only surviving son.

THE REV. SAMUEL ALDERSEY, of Aldersey and Spurstow, who m. Margaret, youngest daughter and co-heir of Cornelius Hignett, esq. of Darlands, and was s. at his decease, in February, 1802, by his son,

ROBERT ALDERSEY, esq. of Aldersey and Spurstow, b. in 1738, a bencher of the Inner Temple, at whose decease, unmarried, in November, 1802, the estates devolved upon his brother.

SAMUEL ALDERSEY, esq. of Aldersey and Spurstow. This gentleman wedded Elizabeth, only child of William Wotton, esq. of Haddenham, in the county of Bucks, and had issue,

SAMUEL, his successor.

Thomas.

Catherine.

Margaret.

Elizabeth.

Mr. Aldersey d. in 1803, and was s. by his elder son, Samuel Aldersey, esq. present representative of the family.

Arms—Gu. on a bend engrailed arg. between two cinquefoils or, three leopards' heads cabossed vert.

Crest—A demi griphon segreant gu. beaked and armed issuing from a plume of five ostrich feathers or.

Estates—ALDERSEY, in the parish of Coddington, possessed since the Conquest; Spurstow, and other estates, in Bunbury; and Peel Hall, in the parish of Tarvin.

Seat-Aldersey Hall and Spurstow Hall, both in Cheshire.