SMITH, OF ASHLYNS HALL.

SMITH JAMES, esq. of Ashlyns Hall, in the county of Herts, m. first Frances, sister of the Right Honorable Charles Arbuthnot, by whom he had an only son,

James, b. in 1800, d. in 1811.

He espoused secondly, in 1803,

of the late Augustus Pechell.

He espoused secondly, in 1803, Mary-Isabella, daughter of the late Augustus Pechell, esq. receiver general of his Majesty's customs, and niece of Sir Thomas Pechell, by whom (who d. in 1823) he has had issue,

Augustus, b. 15th September, 1804. Frederick-George, b. 20th March, 1806, d. in June, 1826. Robert-Algernon, b. 2nd October, 1814.

Frances-Mary-Isabella. Paulina-Wilhelmina.

Mr. Smith served the office of high sheriff of the county of Herts, in 1831.

Lineage.

This family, with the collateral branches of Sir George Bromley and Lord Carrington, derive immediately from Thomas Smith, of Reyworth, in the county of Nottingham, and of Gadesby, in Leicestershire, who was a descendant of the Smiths, of Ashby Folville and Gadesby, and from whom he inherited this latter property in 1699. The Smiths of Ashby deduced their origin from Sir Michael Carrington, standard-bearer to King RICHARD I. in the Holy Land, one of whose descendants changed his name to SMYTH during the conflicts between the houses of York and Lancaster, for purposes of concealment, which surname remained afterwards that of the family.

THOMAS SMITH, esq. of Reyworth, m. Fortune, daughter of Laurence Collin, esq. banker, at Nottingham, and had issue,

THOMAS, who served the office of high sheriff for the county of Leicester. He m. Miss Mary Manley, and had five daughters, viz.

- 1. Mary, m. to Thomas Tomson, D.D.
- 2. Elizabeth, m. to Giles Eyre, esq.
- 3. Catherine, m. to William Ring, esq.
- 4. Anne, m. to Henry Walters, esq.
- 5. Harriet d unmarried.

SAMUEL, of whom hereafter.

- Abel, of Nottingham, banker, m. Jane, daughter of George Beaumont, esq. of Chapelthorpe, in Yorkshire, and had issue,
 - George, created a baronet in 1757, whose son, Sir George Smith, the second baronet, assumed the surname of "Bromley."
 - 2. John, of London, merchant.
 - 3. ABEL, whose son,

Robert, was elevated to the peerage, 16th July, 1796, as LORD CARRINGTON.

Samuel Smith, esq. (the second son of Thomas Smith, of Reyworth), left issue,

John, who d. unmarried.

Thomas, who m. Dorothy, daughter of John Lister, esq. of Sysonby, and had an only daughter, who espoused the late Sir Philip Hales.

Samuel.

The third son

SAMUEL SMITH, esq. who m. Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Watson, esq. and had issue,

Samuel, M.P. for Worcester, who m. Miss Lockyer, daughter and heiress of George Lockyer, of Mappleton,