

Matilda DE L'AIGLE (daughter Of Gilbert) & Descendants

First Generation

1. Matilda DE L'AIGLE (daughter Of Gilbert)¹.

Matilda is listed in Burke's Peerage, and is named a daughter of Gilbert de l'Aigle. I believe Matilda was child of Gilbert and Julienne. I also believe that Stephen du Perche was Matilda and Fulk's son... and as such was cousin to Marguerite, queen of Sicily. See notes below about Stephen.

Matilda married **Fulk (Fulcois or Foulke) DE BELLESME DU PERCHE DE NOGENT**, son of Routrou I DU PERCHE Viscount of Chateaudun, Count Mortagne and Adeline (Adelise) DE BELLÊME-DE DOMFRONT DE MONTFORT.

Accompanied William the Conqueror.

Burke's Peerage:

FOULKE de Bellesme, together with his elder brother, Geoffrey de Bellesme, Count of Perche, were the sons of Rotrou de Bellesme, Lord of Nogent le Rotrou, Count of Perche, 4th in descent from William de Bellesme, Lord of Nogent le Rotrou, Count of Alencon and of Perche, A.D. 1028, and 7th in descent from Albert, 1st Count of Perche, AD 930. Both brothers accompanied William the Conqueror from Normandy, and were with him at the battle of Hastings. Foulke de Bellesme was father of Gilbert de Nogent and Hugh de Nogent. The latter m. Emma, daughter and heiress of Walter de Lacy, Lord of Evias de Lacy, in Herefordshire, and assumed the name of LACY. Their son, Gilbert, took the name of Lacy, and was father of Hugh de Lacy, Lord of Meath, in Ireland; and of Rosa de Lacy who afterwards m. Gilbert de Nogent, 1st Baron of Delvin, her cousin. Gilbert de Nogent, the elder son of Foulke de Bellesme, was the grandfather of Gilbert de Nogent, 1st baron of Delvin; and also of Hugh de Nogent, who obtained a grant of the lands of Bracklin. The branches of Alencon, Perche, Chateaudun, and Lacy, having merged, by heireses or otherwise, in the crowns of France and Engalnd, the only remaining male branch of the house of Bellesme, or Nogent le Rotrou, is that of the Nugents in Ireland.

They had the following children:

- 2 M i. **John DE BELLESME DU PERCHE Died In The Holy Land.**
- + 3 M ii. **Gilbert (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DU PERCHE DE NOGENT Lord of Nugent.**
- + 4 M iii. **Hugh (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT.**
- 5 M iv. **Stephen (my belief - hypothesis) DU PERCHE DE NOGENT chancellor and archbishop of Palermo**
was buried in Jerusalem, Palestine.

Stephen du Perche

Stephen du Perche was the chancellor of Sicily (1166–1168) and archbishop of Palermo (1167–1168) during the early regency of his cousin, Queen Margaret of Navarre (1166–1171). His relation to her is unknown, as is his parentage. He may be a son of Robert I of Dreux, the brother of Louis VII of France.

In 1166, Margaret appealed to her other cousin, Rotrou, Archbishop of Rouen, to send her a family member to aid and support her in government. Coincidentally, Stephen was at that moment preparing to go on crusade to the Holy Land and so decided to visit Palermo, the capital of Sicily, for a few months. There he ended up staying for two years. He was very young at the time, described as puer and adolescens by William of Tyre, and may have still been in his teens. Nevertheless, in November, Margaret appointed him chancellor. His appointment was resented by the local nobility. His chancellorship was noted, according to Hugo Falcandus, in that he never allowed powerful men to oppress their subjects, nor ever feigned to overlook any injury done to the poor. In such a way his fame quickly spread throughout the Kingdom . . . so that men looked on him as a heaven-sent angel of consolation who had brought back the Golden Age. The opinion of Falcandus probably coincides better with that of the lower classes than Stephen's fellow aristocrats.

In 1167, Margaret had Stephen elected as archbishop of Palermo, the highest ecclesiastic office in the land. He was ordained by Romuald, Archbishop of Salerno, only days before his elevation and it deeply rankled the old nobles. Romuald and Richard Palmer, bishop of Syracuse, both candidates for the vacant see of Palermo themselves, were strongly opposed. But Stephen's greatest opponent was Matthew of Ajello, a notary whom he had offended the year previous. Stephen went so far as to try and seize Matthew's mail, but nothing indicating conspiracy was ever proven against the notary.

In that year as well, Henry, Count of Montescaglioso, the queen's brother, returned from the peninsula on the counsel of his friends, who had goaded him into making a complaint to his sister about the rank of Stephen. Stephen won Henry over, for a while, but rumours of an affair between Stephen and Margaret was enough to push him into a conspiracy. Most of the Moslem staff of the palace and the eunuchs were involved in the plots and, on 15 December, Stephen promptly moved the court to Messina, to where he had implored his cousin Gilbert, Count of Gravina, to go with an army. The plotters, led by Matthew of Ajello and Gentile, Bishop of Agrigento, went to Messina, but Henry, for reasons unknown, gave them up to a local judge. At a meeting of the entire court, Gilbert accused Henry of treason and the latter was imprisoned in Reggio. By allowing Matthew to go free, however, Stephen prepared the way for future plots against his life.

In March 1168, Stephen and his entourage, including the king, William II, and queen regent, arrived in Palermo, where the conspirators had already arrived. This time, Matthew was imprisoned and Gentile fled. He was arrested in Agrigento. But, though the Arabs of Palermo had been soothed, the Messinan Greeks had been riled by the past months and a rebellion consequently broke out in that city (on account of the criminal practices of one of Stephen's friends, Odo Quarrel). There, a mob commandeered some ships and sailed to Reggio, there to force the release of Henry of Montescaglioso. After Henry's arrival in Messina, Odo was arrested and brutally executed and all the Frenchmen of the city massacred: an inglorious prelude to the more widespread Sicilian Vespers of 1282. Stephen prepared an army (largely of Lombards from the region of Etna) and was ready to march on Messina when the young king postponed the campaign on astrological grounds.

Matthew of Ajello, from prison, had organised the rebellion in Palermo and, seeing his opportunity, struck. The chancellor-archbishop was forced to take refuge in the campanile, there he held out until offered terms. In return for his safety, he agreed to embark at once for the Holy Land. He was deposed as archbishop and Walter of the Mill was elected to replace him. Gilbert of Gravina and his family were forced to do the same and they all left for the Kingdom of Jerusalem.

He arrived in Jerusalem the summer of 1169 and soon fell ill and died. According to William of Tyre, "he was buried with honour in Jerusalem in the chapter-house of the Temple of the Lord."

Second Generation

3. **Gilbert (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DU PERCHE DE NOGENT Lord of Nugent¹** (Matilda).

Burke's Peerage:

Gilbert de Nogent, the elder son of Foulke de Bellesme, was the grandfather of Gilbert de Nogent, 1st baron of Delvin; and also of Hugh de Nogetn, who obtained a grant of the lands of Bracklin. The branches of Alencon, Perche, Chateaudun, and Lacy, having merged, by heiresses or otherwise, in the crowns of France and England, the only remaining male branch of the house of Bellesme, or Nogent le Rotrou, is that of the Nugents in Ireland.

GILBERT de Nogent, lord of Nogent. He married and had two sons who settled in England, viz:

1. Richard, who married Alicia de Hacket, and had issue:

A. Gilbert de Nugent, 1st baron of Delvin, who married Rosea, sister of Hugh de Lacy, earl of Meath; but d.s.p in 1202.

B. Richard de Nugent, heir to his brother, 2nd baron of Delvin, whose only child married Richard le Tuit, who became, jure uxoris, 2nd baron of Devlin. He was father of John le Tuit, 5th baron of Delvin, whose son, Richard Fitz-John le Tult, 5th baron of Delvin married Eglantina Dewswell, and was father of Thomas Fitz-John, 6th baron of Delvin, was father of John Fitz-John, 8th baron of Delvin, whose only daughter and heir, Catharine, conveyed the barony of Delvin to her husband, William Nugent, who because, jure uxoris, 9th baron of Delvin.

He had the following children:

- + 6 M i. **Richard DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT.**
- + 7 M ii. **Fulke DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT.**
- 4. **Hugh (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT** (Matilda).

Burke's Peerage: Hugh assumed the surname of de Lacy on his marriage with Emma, daughter of Walter de Lacy, lord of Ewyas Lacy, in Herefordshire, and sole heiress of her nephew Robert de Lacy.

The GRANDSON of this alliance:

Hugh de Lacy, lord of Ewyas Lacy and of Meath; married Roesia, daughter of O'conor, king of Connaught, and had two sons.

Hugh married **Emma DE LACY -daughter and heiress (children assumed De Lacy name)**, daughter of Walter DE LACY Lord of Ewyas de Lacy, in Herefordshire.

They had the following children:

- + 8 M i. **Gilbert DE LACY (assumed Mother's name).**
- + 9 M ii. **Hugh DE LACY created Earl of Ulster.**

Third Generation

- 6. **Richard DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT** (Gilbert (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DU PERCHE DE NOGENT, Matilda).

Richard married **Alicia DE HACKET**.

They had the following children:

- 10 M i. **Gilbert DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT 1st baron of Delvin (no children)** died¹ 1202.

Gilbert married **Rosa DE LACY (married Gilbert de Nogent, Cousin)**, daughter of Gilbert DE LACY (assumed Mother's name).

Rosa de Lacy who afterwards m. Gilbert de Nogent, 1st Baron of Delvin, her cousin.

- + 11 M ii. **Richard II DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT 2nd baron of Delvin.**
- + 12 M iii. **Haket DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT.**
- 7. **Fulke DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT** (Gilbert (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DU PERCHE DE NOGENT, Matilda).

He had the following children:

- + 13 M i. **Hugh (de Bellesme du Perche) DE NUGENT obtained a grant of the lands of Bracklin.** died 1216.
- 8. **Gilbert DE LACY (assumed Mother's name)**¹ (Hugh (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Matilda).

He had the following children:

- + 14 M i. **Hugh DE LACY Lord of Meath in Ireland.**
- 15 F ii. **Rosa DE LACY (married Gilbert de Nogent, Cousin).**

Rosa de Lacy who afterwards m. Gilbert de Nogent, 1st Baron of Delvin, her cousin.

Rosa married **Gilbert DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT 1st baron of Delvin (no children)**, son of Richard DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT and Alicia DE HACKET. Gilbert died¹ 1202.

9. **Hugh DE LACY created Earl of Ulster** (Hugh (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Matilda).

Hugh de Lacy, created Earl of Ulster. His daughter and sole heir, Matilda de Lacy, married Walter de Burgh, lord of Connaught, and was great grandmother of William de Burgh, Earl of Ulster, whose only child, Lady Elizabeth de Burgh, Countess of Ulster, wedded Lionel Plantagenet, Duke of Clarence, 3rd son of King Edward III.

He had the following children:

- 16 F i. **Matilda (Maud) DE LACY.**

Matilda married **Walter DE BURGH lord of Connaught.**

Fourth Generation

11. **Richard II DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT 2nd baron of Delvin** (Richard DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Gilbert (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DU PERCHE DE NOGENT, Matilda).

Richard de Nugent, heir to his brother, 2nd baron of Delvin, whose only child married Richard le Tuit, who became, jure uxoris, 2nd baron of Devlin. He was father of John le Tuit, 5th baron of Delvin, whose son, Richard Fitz-John le Tuit, 5th baron of Delvin married Eglantina Dewswell, and was father of Thomas Fitz-John, 6th baron of Delvin, was father of John Fitz-John, 8th baron of Delvin, whose only daughter and heir, Catharine, conveyed the barony of Delvin to her husband, William Nugent, who because, fure uxoris, 9th baron of Delvin.

He had the following children:

- + 17 F i. **(daughter) DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT (only child).**

12. **Haket DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT¹** (Richard DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Gilbert (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DU PERCHE DE NOGENT, Matilda).

Haket de Nugent, who left two daughters, his co-heirs, viz: Avicia, wife of Robert Arthur; and Ismania, wife of Stephen de Lacy.

He had the following children:

- 18 F i. **Avicia DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NUGENT.**

Avicia married **Robert ARTHUR.**

- 19 F ii. **Ismania DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NUGENT.**

Ismania married **Stephen DE LACY.**

13. **Hugh (de Bellesme du Perche) DE NUGENT obtained a grant of the lands of Bracklin.** (Fulke DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Gilbert (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DU PERCHE DE NOGENT, Matilda) died 1216.

HUGH DE NUGENT, (son of Fulke de Nugent, 2nd son of Gilbert de Nugent, Lord of Nogent, the son of Fulke de Bellesme), went to Ireland with Hugh de Lacy and Gilbert de Nugent, his cousins, and obtained a grant of the lands of Bracklyn, in Westmeath. By Theffania his wife, he left at his decease in 1216, a son and heir, GILBERT de Nugent.

Hugh married **Theffania.**

They had the following children:

- + 20 M i. **Gilbert (de Bellesme du Perche) DE NUGENT.**

14. **Hugh DE LACY Lord of Meath in Ireland** (Gilbert DE LACY, Hugh (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Matilda).

Burke's Peerage: Hugh de Lacy, lord of Ewyas Lacy and of Meath; married Roesia, daughter of O'Conor, king of Connaught, and had two sons.

Hugh married **Roesia O'CONOR Daughter King O'Conor of Connaught**.

They had the following children:

- + 21 M i. **Walter DE LACY Lord of Meath in Ireland**.

Fifth Generation

- 17. **(daughter) DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT (only child)¹** (Richard II DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Richard DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Gilbert (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DU PERCHE DE NOGENT, Matilda).

(daughter) married **Richard LE TUIT 3rd baron of Delvin**.

Richard le Tuit, who became, jure uxoris, 3rd baron of Delvin.

They had the following children:

- + 22 M i. **John LE TUIT 4th Baron of Delvin**.
- 20. **Gilbert (de Bellesme du Perche) DE NUGENT¹** (Hugh (de Bellesme du Perche) DE NUGENT, Fulke DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Gilbert (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DU PERCHE DE NOGENT, Matilda).

GILBERT DE NUGENT, of Bracklyn, a minor in 1215, father of HUGH de Nugent, of Bracklyn and of Platyn, whose son and successor was NICHOLAS.

He had the following children:

- + 23 M i. **Hugh DE NUGENT of Bracklyn & Platyn**.
- 21. **Walter DE LACY Lord of Meath in Ireland** (Hugh DE LACY, Gilbert DE LACY, Hugh (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Matilda).

Burke's Peerage: Walter de Lacy, lord of Meath, who married Margaret, daughter of William de Braose, of Brecknock, and was father of Gilbert de Lacy, who d.v.p., leaving two daughters, his co-heirs, viz.: Matilda, married to Geoffrey de Geneville; and Margaret, married to John de Verdon.

Walter married **Margaret DE BRAOSE**.

They had the following children:

- 24 F i. **Matilda DE LACY**.

Matilda married **Geoffrey DE GENEVILLE**.

- 25 F ii. **Margaret DE LACY**.

Margaret married **John DE VERDON**.

Sixth Generation

- 22. **John LE TUIT 4th Baron of Delvin** ((daughter) DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Richard II DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Richard DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Gilbert (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DU PERCHE DE NOGENT, Matilda).

He had the following children:

- + 26 M i. **Richard Fitz-John LE TUIT 5th Baron of Delvin**.
- 23. **Hugh DE NUGENT of Bracklyn & Platyn** (Gilbert (de Bellesme du Perche) DE NUGENT, Hugh (de Bellesme du Perche) DE NUGENT, Fulke DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Gilbert (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DU PERCHE DE NOGENT, Matilda).

He had the following children:

+ 27 M i. **Nicholas DE NUGENT.**

Seventh Generation

26. **Richard Fitz-John LE TUIT 5th Baron of Delvin** (John LE TUIT, (daughter) DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Richard II DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Richard DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Gilbert (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DU PERCHE DE NOGENT, Matilda).

Richard married **Eglantina DEWSWELL.**

They had the following children:

+ 28 M i. **Thomas Fitz-John LE TUIT 6th Baron of Delvin (dropped name Le Tuit).**

27. **Nicholas DE NUGENT** (Hugh DE NUGENT, Gilbert (de Bellesme du Perche) DE NUGENT, Hugh (de Bellesme du Perche) DE NUGENT, Fulke DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Gilbert (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DU PERCHE DE NOGENT, Matilda).

NICHOLAS de Nugent, of Bracklyn, living in 1325, was father of Richard.

He had the following children:

+ 29 M i. **Richard DE NUGENT.**

Eighth Generation

28. **Thomas Fitz-John LE TUIT 6th Baron of Delvin (dropped name Le Tuit)** (Richard Fitz-John LE TUIT, John LE TUIT, (daughter) DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Richard II DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Richard DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Gilbert (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DU PERCHE DE NOGENT, Matilda).

He had the following children:

+ 30 M i. **Richard FITZ-JOHN (TUIT) 7th Baron of Delvin.**

29. **Richard DE NUGENT** (Nicholas DE NUGENT, Hugh DE NUGENT, Gilbert (de Bellesme du Perche) DE NUGENT, Hugh (de Bellesme du Perche) DE NUGENT, Fulke DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Gilbert (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DU PERCHE DE NOGENT, Matilda).

RICHARD de Nugent, of Bracklyn, who married Juliana, daughter and eventual heir of Nicholas Drake of Albrytestown, county Meath, and was s. by his son, Nicolas Nugent of Bracklyn, 1391, who married Judith, daughter of Thomas Dillon of Cuirin, and had issue.

Richard married **Juliana DRAKE.**

They had the following children:

+ 31 M i. **Nicholas NUGENT** was born 1391.

Ninth Generation

30. **Richard FITZ-JOHN (TUIT) 7th Baron of Delvin** (Thomas Fitz-John LE TUIT, Richard Fitz-John LE TUIT, John LE TUIT, (daughter) DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Richard II DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Richard DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Gilbert (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DU PERCHE DE NOGENT, Matilda).

He had the following children:

+ 32 M i. **John FITZ-JOHN (TUIT) 8th Baron of Delvin.**

31. **Nicholas NUGENT** (Richard DE NUGENT, Nicholas DE NUGENT, Hugh DE NUGENT, Gilbert (de Bellesme du Perche)

DE NUGENT, Hugh (de Bellesme du Perche) DE NUGENT, Fulke DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Gilbert (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DU PERCHE DE NOGENT, Matilda) was born 1391.

Nicholas Nugent, of Bracklyn, 1391, who married Judith, daughter of Thomas Dillion of Cuirin, and had issue:

Nicholas married **Judith DILLON**.

They had the following children:

33 M i. **Thomas NUGENT**.

Burke's Peerage: Thomas Nugent, of Bracklyn, living in 1454, whose son, LAVALIN NUGENT, Esq. of Bracklyn, living in 1517, was father of Christopher Nugent, who d.v.p. leaving a son, THOMAS NUGENT of Brackly, who died 20 December 1553, leaving by Alicia his wife, daughter of Geroge Barnewall, Esq. of Arrollstown, a son, Edward Nugent of Bracklyn, who married Ismay Barnewall, and died in 1599. His son: Thomas Nugent, was father of Edward Nugent of Bracklyn, who married Frances Nugent, and had a son, Gilbert Nugent, of Brackly, who married Rose, daughter of James Walsh of Shenganagh, and had a son, Edward Nugent, of Bracklyn, who married Mary Green, and was father of a son Edward, who d.s.p. and of a daughter and heiress, Elinor, who married her first husband, James Nugent of Dromeng, grandson of Richard, 15th Baron of Delvin and 1st Earl, and by him was mother of Edward Nugent, of Bracklyn, Count of the Empire, great-grandfather of Lavall, Count Nugent, field marshal in the Austrian service, K.C.B., etc.

+ 34 M ii. **William NUGENT 9th Baron of Delvin** died before 1415.

Tenth Generation

32. **John FITZ-JOHN (TUIT) 8th Baron of Delvin** (Richard FITZ-JOHN (TUIT), Thomas Fitz-John LE TUIT, Richard Fitz-John LE TUIT, John LE TUIT, (daughter) DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Richard II DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Richard DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Gilbert (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DU PERCHE DE NOGENT, Matilda).

He had the following children:

+ 35 F i. **Catharine FITZ-JOHN (TUIT) (only daughter & heir)**.

34. **William NUGENT 9th Baron of Delvin** (Nicholas NUGENT, Richard DE NUGENT, Nicholas DE NUGENT, Hugh DE NUGENT, Gilbert (de Bellesme du Perche) DE NUGENT, Hugh (de Bellesme du Perche) DE NUGENT, Fulke DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Gilbert (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DU PERCHE DE NOGENT, Matilda) died before 1415.

William Nugent, who became 9th baron of Delvin, in right of his wife, Catherine Fitz John.

This 2nd son, Sir William Nugent, married Catherine, daughter and sole heir of John Fitz-John, 8th Baron of Delvin, and became in her right, Baron of Delvin. She was sheriff of Meath 2nd Henry IV. By Catherine he had issue: Richard, his heir; and William of Moyrath. Lord Delvin died before 1415, and was succeeded by his son, Richard.

William married **Catharine FITZ-JOHN (TUIT) (only daughter & heir)**, daughter of John FITZ-JOHN (TUIT) 8th Baron of Delvin.

Conveyed the Barony of Delvin to her husband, William Nugent, who became, jure uxoris, 9th baron of Delvin.

They had the following children:

+ 36 M i. **Richard NUGENT 10th Baron of Delvin; lord deputy of Ireland**.

37 M ii. **William NUGENT of Moyrath**.

William, of Moyrath, which he obtained in right of his wife, Joane, daughter and heir of Richard Talbot. By her he was ancestor of the Nugents of Moyrath (created Baronets in 1621); the

Nugents of Dardistown, of Ballinselott, of Culvin, and of Gillstown, co. Roscommon.

William married **Joane (dau. of Richard) TALBOT**.

Eleventh Generation

35. **Catharine FITZ-JOHN (TUIT) (only daughter & heir)** (John FITZ-JOHN (TUIT), Richard FITZ-JOHN (TUIT), Thomas Fitz-John LE TUIT, Richard Fitz-John LE TUIT, John LE TUIT, (daughter) DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Richard II DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Richard DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Gilbert (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DU PERCHE DE NOGENT, Matilda).

Conveyed the Barony of Delvin to her husband, William Nugent, who became, jure uxoris, 9th baron of Delvin.

Catharine married **William NUGENT 9th Baron of Delvin**, son of Nicholas NUGENT and Judith DILLON. William died before 1415.

William Nugent, who became 9th baron of Delvin, in right of his wife, Catherine Fitz John.

This 2nd son, Sir William Nugent, married Catherine, daughter and sole heir of John Fitz-John, 8th Baron of Delvin, and became in her right, Baron of Delvin. She was sheriff of Meath 2nd Henry IV. By Catherine he had issue: Richard, his heir; and William of Moyrath. Lord Delvin died before 1415, and was succeeded by his son, Richard.

They had the following children:

- + 38 M i. Richard NUGENT 10th Baron of Delvin; lord deputy of Ireland is printed as #36.
- 39 M ii. William NUGENT of Moyrath is printed as #37.

36. **Richard NUGENT 10th Baron of Delvin; lord deputy of Ireland** (William NUGENT, Nicholas NUGENT, Richard DE NUGENT, Nicholas DE NUGENT, Hugh DE NUGENT, Gilbert (de Bellesme du Perche) DE NUGENT, Hugh (de Bellesme du Perche) DE NUGENT, Fulke DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Gilbert (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DU PERCHE DE NOGENT, Matilda).

Richard Nugent, 10th Baron Delvin, heir to his mother, sheriff of Meath in 1424, lord deputy of Ireland under James, Earl of Ormonde, in 1444, and seneschal of Meath in 1452. He married Catherine, daughter and heir of Thomas Drake of Carlanstown, County Meath, and had issue.

Richard married **Catherine (dau. of Thomas) DRAKE**.

They had the following children:

- + 40 M i. **James NUGENT (died prior to his father)** died 1450.
- 41 M ii. **Edward NUGENT ancestor of the Nugents of Cloncoskerane..**

Edward, who married Joane, daughter and heir of Richard Butler, Esq. of Cloncoskerane, County Waterford, and was ancestor of the Nugents of Cloncoskerane.

Edward married **Joane BUTLER**.

Twelfth Generation

38. Richard NUGENT 10th Baron of Delvin; lord deputy of Ireland is printed as #36.

- + 42 M i. James NUGENT (died prior to his father) is printed as #40.
- 43 M ii. Edward NUGENT ancestor of the Nugents of Cloncoskerane. is printed as #41.

40. **James NUGENT (died prior to his father)** (Richard NUGENT, William NUGENT, Nicholas NUGENT, Richard DE NUGENT, Nicholas DE NUGENT, Hugh DE NUGENT, Gilbert (de Bellesme du Perche) DE NUGENT, Hugh (de Bellesme du Perche) DE NUGENT, Fulke DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Gilbert (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DU PERCHE DE NOGENT, Matilda) died 1450.

James, who died vita partris, 1450, leaving by Elizabeth his wife, daughter and co-heir of Sir Robert Holywood, or Artane, county Dublin, several children.

James married **Elizabeth (dau of Sir. Robert) HOLYWOOD.**

They had the following children:

+ 44 M i. **Christopher NUGENT 11th Baron of Delvin.**

45 M ii. **Robert NUGENT of Drumcree.**

ROBERT, of Drumcree, county Westmeath, who married Anna Cusack, and was ancestor fo the Nugests of Drumcree and New Haggard, county Meath.

46 M iii. **Lavallin, NUGENT of Dysert.**

Lavallin, of Dysert, county Westmeath, ancestor of the Nugents of Dysert, Farthingstown, Ballynacorr, etc.

47 M iv. **Andrew NUGENT of Donore.**

Andrew, of Donore, County Westmeath, married Anne, daughter of George d'Arcy, and was father of Christopher Nugent of Clonlost, who died 1 March 1613, leaving by his wife (a daughter of William Fitz-Lawrence) a son: James Nugent of Clonlost, who married Marion, daughter of Redmond Petit, of Ballindeery and, dying in 1626, left a son and successor, Thomas Nugent of Clomlost, who married Ismania, daughter of Theobald Nugent of New Haggard, and widow of Walter Pollard, Esq. and was father of JAMES Nugent, of Clonlost who married Anne, daughter of John Cook, of Meygallen, and was father of Thomas Nugent of Clonlost, who married in 1693 Mary, daughter of Thomas Smythe, Esq. of Drumcree, and had a son and heir, James Nugent of Clonlost, who married in 1719 Jane, daughter of John Cook of Cooksborough, and had five daus and five sons:

John . Elizabeth Power... son: John Nugent of Clonlost.

James, capt. In the army

Nicholas, an officer in the army, killed at the Havannah

Walter, who died in 1789, had, with others.... John who died in 1827, leaving wife Mary with other issue, a son.... Walter. This Walter created a baron of the Austrian empire. (etc) see page 1169 "West" in Burke's Peerage for more info.

Thirteenth Generation

42. James NUGENT (died prior to his father) is printed as #40.

+ 48 M i. Christopher NUGENT 11th Baron of Delvin is printed as #44.

49 M ii. Robert NUGENT of Drumcree is printed as #45.

50 M iii. Lavallin, NUGENT of Dysert is printed as #46.

51 M iv. Andrew NUGENT of Donore is printed as #47.

44. **Christopher NUGENT 11th Baron of Delvin** (James NUGENT, Richard NUGENT, William NUGENT, Nicholas NUGENT, Richard DE NUGENT, Nicholas DE NUGENT, Hugh DE NUGENT, Gilbert (de Bellesme du Perche) DE NUGENT, Hugh (de Bellesme du Perche) DE NUGENT, Fulke DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Gilbert (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DU PERCHE DE NOGENT, Matilda).

Christopher married **Elizabeth PRESTON Dau Of Viscount Gormanston.**

They had the following children:

+ 52 M i. **Richard NUGENT 12th Baron of Delvin** died 28 Feb 1537.

Fourteenth Generation

48. Christopher NUGENT 11th Baron of Delvin is printed as #44.

+ 53 M i. Richard NUGENT 12th Baron of Delvin is printed as #52.

52. **Richard NUGENT 12th Baron of Delvin** (Christopher NUGENT, James NUGENT, Richard NUGENT, William NUGENT, Nicholas NUGENT, Richard DE NUGENT, Nicholas DE NUGENT, Hugh DE NUGENT, Gilbert (de Bellesme du Perche) DE NUGENT, Hugh (de Bellesme du Perche) DE NUGENT, Fulke DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Gilbert (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DU PERCHE DE NOGENT, Matilda) died 28 Feb 1537.

Richard's son was Christopher (Sir, Knight) who married Marian, daughter of Nicholas, 15th Baron Howth, and dying vita patris in 1531, left issue: Richard, James, Oliver, Gerald, and Nicholas.

Richard, 12th Baron Delvin, had summonses to parliament in the years 1486, 1490, and 1493, and was constituted by the lords justices and council, in 1496, commander and leader in chief of all the forces destined for the defense of the counties of Dublin, Meath, Kildare, and Louth. His lordship was subsequently summoned to parliament in 1498, but failing to appear, he was fined forty shillings for non-attendance. In 1504, Lord Delvin accompanied the Earl of Kildare to the famous battle of Knocktough, in Conaught, and was the first to throw a spear into the ranks of the Irish, by which he chanced to kill one of the Burkes. In 1527, he was nominated lord-deputy of Ireland, and conducted the public affairs with integrity and honour, until treacherously taken prisoner by O'Connor. That native chieftain having made inroads upon the confines of the Pale, in 1528, Lord Delvin ordered the detention of a yearly rent due to him out of certain carucates of lands in the county of Meath; which procedure led to a conference at the castle of Rathin, belonging to Sir William, d'Arcie, when by stratagem the lord deputy was seized and detained prisoner, many of his attendants being slain, wounded, and taken. Walter Wellesley, of Dangan Castle, and Sir Walter Delahide, of Moyclare, were subsequently deputed to expostulate with O'Connor, and to procure his lordship's liberation, but ineffectually, when another lord deputy was appointed to administer the government and Lord Delvin remained in confinement until O'Connor's pension was restored. His lordship died 28 February, 1537, and was succeeded by his grandson, Richard.

See Burkes Peerage for further information.

Richard married **Isabella FITZGERALD**.

They had the following children:

+ 54 M i. **Christopher NUGENT**.

Fifteenth Generation

53. Richard NUGENT 12th Baron of Delvin is printed as #52.

+ 55 M i. Christopher NUGENT is printed as #54.

54. **Christopher NUGENT** (Richard NUGENT, Christopher NUGENT, James NUGENT, Richard NUGENT, William NUGENT, Nicholas NUGENT, Richard DE NUGENT, Nicholas DE NUGENT, Hugh DE NUGENT, Gilbert (de Bellesme du Perche) DE NUGENT, Hugh (de Bellesme du Perche) DE NUGENT, Fulke DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT, Gilbert (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DU PERCHE DE NOGENT, Matilda).

He had the following children:

56 M i. **Richard NUGENT 13th Baron of Delvin** died 1532.

Sixteenth Generation

55. Christopher NUGENT is printed as #54.

57 M i. Richard NUGENT 13th Baron of Delvin is printed as #56.

Appendix A - Sources

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- 1 "Burke's Peerage and Barontage Genealogical and Heraldic Dictionary ", A Genealogical and Heraldic Dictionary of the Peerage and Baronetage of the British Empire.

1. Matilda DE L'AIGLE (daughter Of Gilbert)

sp: Fulk (Fulcois or Foulke) DE BELLESME DU PERCHE DE NOGENT

+2. Stephen (my belief - Hypothesis) DU PERCHE DE NOGENT chancellor and archbishop of Palermo
(bu.Jerusalem,Palestine)

|-2. John DE BELLESME DU PERCHE Died In The Holy Land

|-2. Gilbert (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DU PERCHE DE NOGENT Lord of Nugent

| sp: UNKNOWN

|-3. Richard DE BELLESME DU PERCHE DE NOGENT

| sp: Alicia DE HACKET

|| |-4. Gilbert DE BELLESME DU PERCHE DE NOGENT 1st baron of Delvin (no children) (d.1202)

|| sp: Rosa DE LACY (married Gilbert de Nogent, Cousin)

|| |-4. Richard II DE BELLESME DU PERCHE DE NOGENT 2nd baron of Delvin

|| sp: UNKNOWN

|| +5. (daughter) DU BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT (only child)

|| sp: Richard LE TUIT 3rd baron of Delvin

|| +6. John LE TUIT 4th Baron of Delvin

|| sp: UNKNOWN

|| +7. Richard Fitz-John LE TUIT 5th Baron of Delvin

|| sp: Eglantina DEWSWELL

|| +8. Thomas Fitz-John LE TUIT 6th Baron of Delvin (dropped name Le Tuit)

|| sp: UNKNOWN

|| +9. Richard FITZ-JOHN (TUIT) 7th Baron of Delvin

|| sp: UNKNOWN

|| +10. John FITZ-JOHN (TUIT) 8th Baron of Delvin

|| sp: UNKNOWN

|| +11. Catharine FITZ-JOHN (TUIT) (only daughter & heir)

|| sp: William NUGENT 9th Baron of Delvin (d.Bef 1415)

|| |-12. Richard NUGENT 10th Baron of Delvin; lord deputy of Ireland

|| sp: Catherine (dau. of Thomas) DRAKE

|| |-13. James NUGENT (died prior to his father) (d.1450)

|| sp: Elizabeth (dau of Sir. Robert) HOLYWOOD

|| |-14. Christopher NUGENT 11th Baron of Delvin

|| sp: Elizabeth PRESTON Dau Of Viscount Gormanston

|| +15. Richard NUGENT 12th Baron of Delvin (d.28 Feb 1537)

|| sp: Isabella FITZGERALD

|| +16. Christopher NUGENT

|| sp: UNKNOWN

|| +17. Richard NUGENT 13th Baron of Delvin (d.1532)

|| |-14. Robert NUGENT of Drumcree

|| |-14. Lavallin, NUGENT of Dysert

|| +14. Andrew NUGENT of Donore

|| +13. Edward NUGENT ancestor of the Nugents of Cloncoskerane.

|| sp: Joane BUTLER

|| +12. William NUGENT of Moyrath

|| sp: Joane (dau. of Richard) TALBOT

|| +4. Haket DE BELLESME du PERCHE DE NOGENT

|| sp: UNKNOWN

|| |-5. Avicia DE BELLESME du PERCHE DE NUGENT

|| sp: Robert ARTHUR

|| +5. Ismania DE BELLESME du PERCHE DE NUGENT

|| sp: Stephen DE LACY

| +-3. Fulke DE BELLESME du PERCHE DE NOGENT
| sp: UNKNOWN
| +-4. Hugh (de Bellesme du Perche) de NUGENT obtained a grant of the lands of Bracklin. (d.1216)
| sp: Theffania
| +-5. Gilbert (de Bellesme du Perche) DE NUGENT
| sp: UNKNOWN
| +-6. Hugh DE NUGENT of Bracklyn & Platyn
| sp: UNKNOWN
| +-7. Nicholas DE NUGENT
| sp: UNKNOWN
| +-8. Richard DE NUGENT
| sp: Juliana DRAKE
| +-9. Nicholas NUGENT (b.1391)
| sp: Judith DILLON
| |-10. Thomas NUGENT
| +-10. William NUGENT 9th Baron of Delvin (d.Bef 1415)
| sp: Catharine FITZ-JOHN (TUIT) (only daughter & heir)
| |-11. Richard NUGENT 10th Baron of Delvin; lord deputy of Ireland (*Already Printed*)
| +-11. William NUGENT of Moyrath (*Already Printed*)
|-2. Hugh (son of Fulk) DE BELLESME DU PERCHE DE NOGENT
| sp: Emma DE LACY -daughter and heiress (children assumed De Lacy name)
|-3. Gilbert DE LACY (assumed Mother's name)
| | sp: UNKNOWN
| | |-4. Hugh DE LACY Lord of Meath in Ireland
| | | sp: Roesia O'CONNOR Daugher King O'Conor of Connaught
| | | +-5. Walter DE LACY Lord of Meath in Ireland
| | | sp: Margaret DE BRAOSE
| | | |-6. Matilda DE LACY
| | | | sp: Geoffrey DE GENEVILLE
| | | +-6. Margaret DE LACY
| | | sp: John DE VERDON
| | +-4. Rosa DE LACY (married Gilbert de Nogent, Cousin)
| | sp: Gilbert DE BELLESME DE PERCHE DE NOGENT 1st baron of Delvin (no children) (d.1202)
| +-3. Hugh DE LACY created Earl of Ulster
| sp: UNKNOWN
| +-4. Matilda (Maud) DE LACY
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