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Tuchet Family

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This document is a transcription of pages 28 to 31 of volume 2 'The Baronage of England by William Dugdale and published in 1675. The pages transcribed details the history of the Tuchet family who by marriage took over the title of Lord Audley. The aim of this transcription is to duplicate as far as possible the original document, however the following points should be taken into account when reading this document:

- Dates in the original document are written in 'Regnal format' e.g 16 H 3, the sixteenth year of the reign of Henry the third; and 9 R 2 the ninth year of the reign of Richard the second. These regnal dates have been left in the text wiith the date in modern format being included in brackets after the regnal date e.g 16 H 3 in modern format is 1232 and 9 R 2 in modern format is 1386. As the exact date in the original document is not specified I have assumed that the exact date was 1st June when transcribing regnal dates into modern formal.
- The original document used the symbol "f" to represent the letter "s" in this transcription the letter "s" has been used. For example the word also has been transcribed as also and likewife is transcribed as likewise.
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William

The first mention I have seen of this Family is in the time of King Edward the First; William Tuchet being ¹ in the 25th of his Reign (1297), in that Expedition, then made into Gascoigne. Also, the next year following, in ² that into Scotland: and, obtain d a Charter for Fee-warren, in all his Demesn-lands at Burreth, Cotes, and Wylemeby, in Com. Linc. The like Charter for Fee-warren, in 28 E 1 (1300) he had at Thorpe- Watervill, in Com. North. Drindon, in Com

¹ Rot Vasc 25 E1 m 2

² Rot.Scoc 26 E 1 n 6

³ Cart 25 E 1 n 9

⁴ Cart 28E1, n 9

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Glouc.Tawell and Derpeswell in Com. Linc. And in⁵ 29 Ed 1 (1301) at Levenhales, in com. Heref. Finemore and Shalderwell in Com Oxon. and Breston, and Cunells, in Com Buck. As also⁶, for a Market upon the Wednesday every week at Levenhales before- specified; and a Fair tearly upom the Eve, Day and Morrow of St. Michael the Arch-Angel, and five dayes following.

In 31 E. 1 (1303) he was again⁷ in the wars of Scotland. So likewise in⁸ 34 E 1 (1306) And had summons⁹ to Parliament, anongst the Barons of this Realm, from 28 E, 1 (1300) until 34 E 1 (1306) inclusive.

William

After this viz. in 4 E 2 (1311) there was another William Tuchet, who, upon the death of Nicholas Tuchet, his Father, being ¹⁰ his son and heir and doing his Fealty,had Livery ¹¹ of his Lands. Whereupon he received command ¹² to be at Rorborough, upon the Feast-day of St Peter ad vincula, well fitted with Horse and Armes, to March into Scotland. And in 8 E 2 (1315) had summons ¹³ to be at Newcastle upon Tine in the Festival of the blessed Virgin's Assumption to restrain ther Incursions of the Scots.

In 12 E 2 (1319) this William having been a partaker¹⁴ with Thomas Earl of Lancaster in his bold Attempts; obtain'd Pardon¹⁵: and, the same year was again¹⁶ in the Wars of Scotland. But in 15 E 2 (1322) upon the Insurrection¹⁷ of that Earl, and his defeat at Burrough – brigg, being there taken,¹⁸ with him, he was hanged¹⁹ at York.

Comment: The key words in the description below of {ZT11} Thomas Touchet is the first three words 'Contemporary with these' this suggests that Dugdale could not identify a relationship between the two William Touchets above with those below. Based on dates the first William above would be alive at the same time {ZT11} Thomas and the second William was alive at the same time as {ZT13}

{ZT??} Thomas

Contemporary with these was Thomas Tuchet; Which Thomas, in 27 E 1 (1299) obtain'd a Charter²⁰ for Free-warren, in all his Demesn- lands at Tattenhale and Launten (commonly called Bug-Lauton) in Com Cestr. And had issue²¹:

{ZT13} Robert

Sir Robert Tuchet Knight, his son and heir; who, in 8 Edw 2 (1315) doing his Homage had Livery²² of his Lands and had issue²³ Thomas.

{ZT14} Thomas

Which Thomas gave certain Lands in Wombruge, in Com Salop. To the Canons of that place. He was²⁴ also Lord of Berton, near Derby: and havying Marryed²⁵ {**ZA14**} Joane, one of the daughters and coheirs to {**ZA16**} Nicholas Lord Audley of Heleigh, left issue²⁶ John his son and heir. Which {**ZC1**} John in 25 Edw 3 (1351) doing his Homage, had Livery²⁷ of his Lands in Com. Salop.

Comment The appears to be a number of errors in the above paragraph as follows:

- ⁵ Cart 29 E. 1 n 41
- 6 Ibid n 51
- ⁷ Rot. Scoc 21 E 1 m 10
- ⁸ Rot. Protect. 34 E 1 m 5
- 9 Claus de iifd ann in dorfo
- 10 f rot Scoc
- ¹¹ 4E2 m3
- 12 Ib in dorfo m 5
- Rot Scoc 8 E 2 in dorfo m 9
- ¹⁴ Pat 12 E 2 p. r. m. 17
- ¹⁵ Pat 12 E 2 p. r. m. 17
- ¹⁶ Rot Scoc 12 E 2 m 13
- ¹⁷ H Knighton 2541 n20
- ¹⁸ H Knighton 2541 n20
- ¹⁹ H Knighton 2541 n20
- ²⁰ Cart 17 E 1 n 20.
- ²¹ Rot Fin 8 E 2 m 1
- 22 Rot Fin 8 E 2 m 1
- Menast Angl vol 2 b 41
- ²⁴ Cart 22 E 3 n 34
- ²⁵ Claus 15 R 2 m 3
- ²⁶ Rot Fin 15E5 m 24
- ²⁷ Rot Fin 15E5 m 24

- The above paragraph stated that {ZA14} Joan(e) was' one of the daughters and coheir to Nicholas Lord Audley' infact she was the sister and coheir of Nicholas Lord Audley
- Joan the sister of Nicholas Lord Audley married {ZT18} Sir John Touchet and not Thomas Touchet. As listed above. This error may have occurred because the father of {ZT18} Sir John Touchet was {ZT14} Sir Thomas Touchet who also married a Joan and this may be the cause of the error in the above paragraph.

{ZC1} John

And in 33 Edw 3 (1359) being a Knight was²⁸ in that Expedition them made into France.

{ZC2} John

To whom suceeded John, his son and heir: who, being in²⁹ Minority in 15 Rich 2 (1392) was found³⁰ to be one of the heires to the said Nicholas Lord Audley. This John, thereupon bearing the Title³¹ of Lord Audley, in 5 Hen4 (1404) (by reason of Owen Glendour's Rebellion) was assocoiated³² with Richard Beauchamp Earl of Warwick, in the defence of the Castle, Town and Lordship of Breghnoc, in Wales, for one whole year; having One hundred Men at Armes, and Three hundred Archers on Horseback assigned³³ to them for that service; and for each Man at Armed Twelve pence a day; and every Archer Six pence. And departed³⁴ this life 19 December 10 H 4 (1408) being then sessed³⁵ of the Mannor of Sapurton, and fourth part of the Mannor of Beggeworth in Com Glouc. Also of the Moiety of the Mannor of West Rddon; the Moeity of the fifth part of the Mannor of Kilmvngton and Moiety of the fifth part of the Mannor of george-Nymetm in Com Devon. Likewise of the third art of the Mannors of Bonyton and Delewin and Moiety of the Castle and Lordship of Newport in Kemmeys; as also of the third part of the Castle and Lordship of Lanandevrie, in the Marches of Wales: Of the fourth part of the Mannors of Alton-Giffard and Broughton in Com Wiltes. Of the Moiety of the Mannors of Stoway, Wolavynton, Puritone, Dounhenede, Donybere, and Stokeland Lovel in Com Somers. Of the third part of the Burrough of Betteley; the third part of the third part of the Park of Heley; the Moiety of the third part of the Park at Audley; the third part of the third part of the Mannor of Horton, the Moiety of the Mannors of Over Longelden, the Moiety of the third part of the Towns of Balderley and Tunstall and the Moiety of the third part of the town of Alstonefeld in Com Staff. Of the third part of the Castle and Lordships of Red-Castle, the third part of the Mannor of Egmundon, the Moiety of the Mannor of Fordeshome in Com Salop and of the Mannor of Leygh-Combrey in the Marches of Wales; also of two parts of the Mannor of Affewel in Com Rotel and of the Mannor of Barton, in Com Derb. Leaving³⁶ James his Son and Heir, ten years of age.

{ZC3} James

Which James in 7 H 5 (1419) was³⁷ in the Wars of France, and in 8 H 5 (1420) making proof³⁸ of his age had Livery³⁹ of his Lands. Whereupon, being summon'd⁴⁰ to Parliament the same year, as Lord Audley he attended⁴¹ the King, in that expedition then made into France landing⁴² with him at Calais. And in 9 H 5 (1421)was again⁴³ in those wars. So likewise in⁴⁴ 9 H 6 (1431) and had Summons⁴⁵ to all Parliaments until 33 H 6 (1455) inclusive. But after that time, all I have seen of him is; that, in 37 H 6 (1459) he was sent⁴⁶ by Queen Margaret to encounter Richard Nevill, Earl of

- ²⁸ Rot Franc 15 E 3 m24
- ²⁹ Claus 15 R 2 m3
- 30 Claus 15 R 2 m3
- 31 Hx autogr penes Cler pell
- 32 Hx autogr penes Cler pell
- Hx autogr penes Cler pell
- ³⁴ Esc. 10 H. 4 n47
- ³⁵ Esc. 10 H. 4 n47
- ³⁶ Esc. 10 H. 4 n47
- Rot Franc 7 H5 m4
- ³⁸ Claus 8 H 5 m 19
- ³⁹ Claus 8 H 5 m 19
- Clausde eodem ann in dorso
- ⁴¹ Rot Fin 8 H 5 m4
- 42 Stow's Ann
- ⁴³ Rot Franc 9 H 5 m 14
- 44 Rot Franc 9 H 6 m 7
- ⁴⁵ Claus de iifd an in dorso
- ⁴⁶ Polyd Virg p 507 n 10

Salisbury, in his passage from Ludlow, (which Earl was then in Armes on behalf of the House of York; and giving him Battle⁴⁷ at Blore- Heath, (not far from Newport in Com Salop) lost⁴⁸ his life in that Encounter⁴⁹; whereupon his Corps had Burial⁵⁰ in the Abby of Derley, in com Derb.

{ZC4} John

Whereupon in consideration⁵¹ of the many and faithful Services by him performed whilst he lived, John his Son and Heir had a special Livery⁵² of all his Castles, Lordships and Lands without proof of his age, but passing⁵³ soon after into France, with the Duke of Somerset, he was taken and carried⁵⁴ into Calais then in posession of the Yorkists. After which, adhering⁵⁵ to that Party, he found such esteem from King Edward the Fourth, in the first year of his Reign; that in consideration⁵⁶ of his laudable services, before that time done, (as the preamble of the Patent doth import) he obtained a Grant⁵⁷ bearing the date 2 Maii, of the Stewardship of all the Kings Mannors and Lands, lying in the county of Dorset; as also of the Office of Warden of all his Forests, Chases and Parks, in that Shire. Likewise of the Castles of Wardone and Parks thereunto belonging in Com Wilts. And in 2 E 4 (1462) being employed⁵⁸ with the Lord Fauconbridge (then Earl of Kent) andothers, to guard the Seas, landed⁵⁹ with him in Britanny, with ten Thousand Men, where they took⁶⁰ the Town of Conquet, and the Isle of Rethe.

Moreover in 4 E 4 (1464) he was joyned in Commission⁶¹ with John Tiptot, Earl of Worcester and others, to Treat with the Ambassadors of Francis Duke of Britanny, for a Truce. And in 7 E 4 (1467) in consideration⁶² of his great Labors and Expences in the Kings Service obtained another grant⁶³ to himself and the Heirs Male of his Body, of the Mannors of Shire and Dachery in Com Sur. with the Knights Fees to them appertaining; then in the Crown, by the Forfeiture of James Earl of Wiltshire

In 11 E 4 (1471) being present in Parliament 3 Julii, he there with divers others of the Lords swore⁶⁴ fealty to Prince Edward, the King's eldest Son. And in 14 E 4 (1474) was reteyned by Indenture⁶⁵ to serve the King in Normandy, and other parts of France, for one whole year, with Twenty Spears, and two Hundred Archers. Also in consideration of his attendance⁶⁶ upon the Kings Person, being of his Council he then obtained the Kings Pension⁶⁷ of one hundred pounds per annum to be received out of the Customs in the Port of South during his life.

And in 2 R 3 (1485) was consistituted⁶⁸ treasurer of the Kings Exchequer, but died⁶⁹ 26 Sept An 1491 (6 H 7) leaving Issue⁷⁰ James his son and Heir.

{ZC5} James

Which James was made⁷¹ Knight of the Bathe in 15 E 4 (1475) upon the Creation of Edward Prince of Wales, (the Kings eldest Son) and in 6 H 7 (1491) had a special Livery⁷² of his Lands. After which, ere long, seil in 8 H 7 (1493) he

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    Polyd Virg p 507 n 10
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    Stdw's Ann p405 n 20
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    Pat. 38 H 6 p1 m11
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          Stow ut supra p 406 b n 20
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    Stow ut supra p 406 b n 20
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    Ib 408 b.b.50
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    Pat 1E 4 p 1 m 18
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    Pat 1E 4 p 1 m 18
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    Stow ut supra 416 b n 40
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    Stow ut supra 416 b n 40
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    Stow ut supra 416 b n 40
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    Rot Franc 4 E 4 m 15
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    Pat 7 E 4 p 1 m 6
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    Pat 7 E 4 p 1 m 6
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    Claus 11 E 4 in dorfo m1
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    Autogr pemes Cler Pell
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    Pat 14 H 4 p 1 m 20
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    Pat 14 H 4 p 1 m 20
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    Pat 2 R 3 p 1 m 1
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    Stow ut supra 474 b n 10
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    Stow ut supra 474 b n 10
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    Ib 429 2
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    Pat 6 H 7 p 1
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attended⁷³ the King at his Seige of Boloine, (but return'd without⁷⁴ success) And had Summons⁷⁵ to Parliament fron 1 E 4 (1461) to 12 H 7 (1497) inclusive, but in that year taking discontent⁷⁶ at a Subsidy then granted in Parliament he joyned⁷⁷ with the Cornish Men in that Insurrection, by them at that time made. Whereupon being taking ⁷⁸ Prisoner in Battle at Black- Heath, 22 Junii he was drawn⁷⁹ from Newgate to Tower-Hill, in his own Coat of Arms, painted on paper, but reversed and torn; and there being Beheaded⁸⁰ 28 Junii, had Burial⁸¹ in Black-friers near Ludgate.

{ZC6} John

To whom succeeded John his Son and Heir, by Joane his wife⁸², daughter to Fulk Bourchier Ld Fitz Warine, which John in 5 H 8 (1513) attended⁸³ the King at his taking of Therouene: and in 22 H 8 (1530) being one of the Lords then siting in Parliament subscribed⁸⁴ that Letter to Pope Clement the Seventh, wherby they represented to his Holiness, that in case he did not comply with the King, in that business of his Divorce, the future acknowledgement of his Supremacy here, would be in danger. In 25 H 8 (1533) this John had a special Livery⁸⁵ of all the Lands whereof James Lord Audley his Father, and Joane his Mother, Daughter of Fulke Bourchier Lord Fitzwarine had been possess'd and by Mary his Wife, Daughter of Richard Griffin of Braybroke, in Com. North Esquire,

{ZC7} George

Had Issue George Lord Audley; who Married⁸⁶ Elizabeth the Daughter of Sir Bryan Tuke Knight, (Receiver to King H 8) and lieth Buried⁸⁷ in St Saviors Church in Southwarke, leaving issue⁸⁸ Henry.

{ZC19} Henry

Which Henry in 28 Eliz (1586) accompanied⁸⁹ Robert Earl of Leicester, with her English Auxilliaries, into the Netherlands. And having Married⁹⁰ Elizabeth the Daughter of Sir William Snede of Bradwell, in Com Staff. Knight, left issue two sons, {ZC20} George and {ZC??} James, and two Daughters, {ZC43} Anne Married⁹¹ to Thomas Brooke of Norton in Com Cestre, Esquire and {ZC44} Elizabeth

{ZC20} George

Which George was Created Earl of Castle-haven in Ireland..... Sept 14 Jac.(1616) And was sometime Governor of Utrecht in the Netherlands; and sore Wounded at the Battle of Kinsale in Ireland, yet Victorious. He took to Wife⁹² Lucie Daughter of Sir James Mervyn of Funteil in Com Wilts Knight and had Issue two Sons, viz {ZC21} Mervin, Knighted⁹³ at Whitehall, 30 Martii, An 1608 (10 Jac) and {ZC36} Ferdinando made Knight of the Bath at the Creation of Henry Prince of Wales, the same year. Also five daughters, viz {ZC38} Elizabeth, first Married to Sir John Stowel of Rotherston in Com Somers Knight afterwards to Sir Thomas Griffin of Dingley, in Com North. Knight. {ZC39}

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<sup>73</sup> Stow 476 a n 60
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⁷⁴ Stow 476 a n 60

⁷⁵ Claus de iifd ann in dorso

Polyd Virg P 600

Polyd Virg P 600

⁷⁸ Stow's Survey 374 b

⁷⁹ Stow's Survey 374 b

⁸⁰ Stow's Survey 374 b

Stow's Survey 374 b

⁸² Pat 25 H8 p r

Hist of H8 by the Ld Hero p 36

⁸⁴ Ibid p306

⁸⁵ Pat 25H 8 p 8

⁸⁶ Ex Coll praf s Erdsw

H12 in officio Arm F 13 b

⁸⁸ Ex Coll praf s Erdsw

⁸⁹ Annal Eliz per Camd

⁹⁰ Ex Coll Praes S Erdsf

⁹¹ Ex Coll Praes S Erdsf

 ⁹² Ex Coll Praes S Erdsf

⁹³ MS in officio Arm

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Elanore, first Married to Sir John Davis Knight, the Kings Atturney in Ireland, and afterwards to Sir Archibald Douglas Knight. (ZC37) (Catherine?) Anne to Edward Bleunt of Arletton in Com Derb Esquire; (ZC40) Mary to Sir Thomas Thyn of Long-Lete in Com Wilts. And {ZC41} Christian to Sir Henry Mervyn Knight.

{Z55} Mervyn

The foresaid Sir Mervyn Tuchet succeeded his father in his Lands and Honor and had two Wives, viz Elizabeth, Daughter and Coheir to Benedict Barnham, Alderman of London⁹⁴ and Anne Eldest Daughter to Ferdinando Earl of Derby (Widdow of Grey Brugges Lord Chandos.) But being accused of certain high Crimes; and by Virtue of a Comission⁹⁵ of Oyer and Terminer thereupon arraign'd had Sentence of Death passed upon him, and lost⁹⁶ his Head on Tower-hill...... Maii 7 Car 1 (1631) leaving Issue by the same Elizabeth,, three Sons,

{Z56} James

viz James, who by⁹⁷ Letters Patents bearing date at Westminster 3 Junii 19 Car 1 (1643) was restored to the Title and Dignity of Lord Audley, and Earl of Castle-haven; {Z57} George a Benedictine Monke at Dolway, and {Z58} Mervyn who Married Mary the only Daughter to John late Earl of Shrewsbury, Widdow of Charles Arundel Eldest Son to William Arundel a younger Brother to the Lord Arundel of Wardour. And Three Daughters, {Z68} Lucie, first Married to John Antell Esquire, afterwards to Gerald Fitz-Maurice, Brother to the Lord of Kerry in Ireland; {Z69} Dorothy to Edmund Viscount Mountgarett, and {Z102} Frances to Richard Butler, Brother to James Duke of Drumund. Which James (now Lord Audley and Earl of CastleHaven) hath Married Elizabeth, one of the Daughters of Grey Bruges Lord Chandes, but as yet is without Issue by her.

⁹⁴ Pat 7 Car 1 p 16 indorso Annal R Car 1 per E Howes

⁹⁵ Pat 7 Car 1 p 16 indorso Annal R Car 1 per E Howes

⁹⁶ Pat 7 Car 1 p 16 indorso Annal R Car 1 per E Howes

Pat 9 Car 1 p 11

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