

Thomsone, spous to the said William Chalmer, and mother to the said Alex<sup>r</sup>, is the laifull dauchter of vmquhill Georg Thomsone, somtyme in Fintray, procreat betuixt him and the deceast Cristiane Tailor, his spous, in the band of laifull matrimonie; all quhich they deponit to be of trueth. Quhairvpon the baillie ordanit ane testimoniall to be extendit.

Att Aberdein, the nynt day of December, 1670 yeirs, in presence of ane honorabill man, Gilbert Molleson, ane of the baillies of the same.

It wes judicially veriefed and provine be the depositions of Alex<sup>r</sup> Strachan of Glenkindie, John Meldrum of Hattoun, Major George Meldrum in Petule, and Archibald Meldrum, burges of Aberdein, that William Maitland, merchant in \_\_\_\_\_, in the kingdome of Polland, who went from this about sextein yeirs [agoe], is the lauchfull sone of William Maitland of Monletty, procreat betuixt him and Jeane Knoks, his spous, in the band of lauchfull matrimony, and that the said William Maitland, elder, wes the lauchful sone of vmquhill Mr. Robert Maitland in Monlety, procreat betuixt him and vmquhill Beatrix Meldrum, quho wes dauchter lauchfull to the Laird of Jakstoun, being \_\_\_\_\_ Meldrum, and that the said Jeane Knoks is the lauchfull dauchter of William Knoks of Crechie brother german to the Laird of Knoks of that ilk, procreat betuixt him and Janet Keith, dauchter to Mr. John Keith, portioner of Duffus, quho wes lauchfull sone to John Keith of Northfield, brother german to the Earle Marshall.

Att Aberdein, the nyntent day of Januar, 1671, in presens of ane honorabill man, Mr. Alexander Skein, ane of the baillies of the same.

It wes judicially veriefed and provin, be the depositions of Alex<sup>r</sup> Alexander, Gilbert Mollesone, tuo of the baillies therof, Alex<sup>r</sup> Burnet of Counteswalls, lait baillie, Captane William Cuthbert, George Barclay,

That Sir James Chalmer, knicht and barronet, now in Slesia, in Germany,

who went from this brugh about                      yeirs agoe, being then of the aige of                      yeirs, or therby, is the lafull sone of the deceast Gilbert Chalmer, burges of the said brugh, procreat betuixt him and the deceast Cristiane Con, his spous, in the band of lafull matrimony; and that the said deceast Gilbert Chalmer, his father, was the lafull sone of the deceast Alex<sup>r</sup> Chalmer of Cultra, procreat betuixt him and the deceast Jeane Lumsdane, his spous, in the band of lafull matrimony, all of honorable esteeme and reputatioun. And, further, vpon the tuintie-thrid day of Februar, 1650, in presence of the then provest and baillies of the said brugh, it wes prowine by the depositions of the deceast Mr. Thomas Gray, then late provest of the said brugh; George Morresone, then baillie therof; Mr. John Chalmer, advocat ther, and certane other famous witnessis; that the said vmquhill Jeane Lumsdane, mother to the said vmquhill Gilbert Chalmer, wes dauchter to vmquhill Mr. Robert Lumsdane of Clova, brother german to Robert Lumsdane of Cushnie, procreat vpon Elizabeth Keith, dauchter to Alexander Keith of Pettie, brother german to ane noble and potent Earle, William, Earle Mershell, &c.; and that the said Gilbert Chalmer, his grandschir wes Alexander Chalmer of Cultra, and his grandhame, Elizabeth Irvine, lafull dauchter to Alex<sup>r</sup> Irvine of                      , who wes brother german to the richt honorabill Alexander Irvine of Drum; and that the said Gilbert his for grandschir wes Alexander Chalmer also of Cultra, and that his for grandhame wes Margret Rait, dauchter to the deceast                      Rait, Laird of Halgrein; and that the said Cristiane Con, mother to the said Sir James Chalmer, wes the lafull dauchter of Patrik Con of Auchry, procreat betuixt him and the deceast Margret Cheine, lafull dauchter to the deceast Thomas Chein of Eselemount; and that the said Gilbert, his gudame on the mother syd wes Margret Gordon, lafull [dauchter] to vmquhill James Gordoun, Laird of Haddo, who is descendit out of ane antient and noble familie, the familie of Huntlie, and that his grandschir wes vmquhill William Con of Auchry; and Barbra Lesly, who wes lafull dauchter to John Leslie, Laird of Balquhyne, who is descendit out of ane antient and noble familie, the familie of Rothes, and that his for grandschir wes Alex<sup>r</sup> Con of Auchry, quhos father wes William Con, lafull sone to Donald of the Iles and Kintyr, cheefe of the Macky Donald, and his for grandhame Jeane Chein, dauchter to James Cheine of Straloch and Essilmont. In respect quherof, and that the said Gilbert Chalmer, younger, in quhos



fauors the probation aboue mentionit wes deducit, wes brother german to the said Sir James, and both of the same parents ; and that the saids persons exprest in the probation relating to the said Gilbert were depairtit this lyfe, except the said Gilbert Mollesone, quho wes ane therof. The said baillie ordanit ane ample testimoniall to be extendit in fauor of the said Sir James, lafull sone to the said vmquhill Gilbert Chalmer, and brother german to the said Gilbert Chalmer, younger, bearing the hail procedor of probation aforsaid, to be subscrivit be the comon clerk of the said brugh, and seallit with the comon seall therof, anent all quhich these presents to be warand.

Att Aberdejn, the last day of May, 1671, in presens of Gilbert Mollesone,  
ane of the baillies of the said brugh.

It wes judiciallie veriefed and prowen, be the depositions of Mr. William Sibbald, baillie of Kintor, William Daudsone, Duncan Kellie, Androw Ray ther, that Robert Chalmer, merchant in Dantzick, in the kingdome of Polland, quho went from this countrey, as is informit, about tuentie-ane yeirs agoe, is the onlie lafull sone of vmquhill Gilbert Chalmers in Kintor, procreat betuixt him and vmquhill Elspet Reid, his spous, in the band of lafull matrimony ; and that the said vmquhill Gilbert Chalmer wes the lafull sone of vmquhill Andro Chalmer, some-tyme baillie of Kintor, procreat betuixt him and vmquhill Jealls Forbes, his spous, in the band of lafull matrimony ; and that the said vmquhill Elspet Reid wes the lafull dauchter of vmquhill William Reid in Monymusk, in the shirrefdome of Aberdein, procreat betuixt him and vmquhill Margret Blinschell, his spous, in the band of lafull matrimony. All which they, togidder with Patrik Leslie, merchant, and John Blinschell, weaver, burgessis of the said brugh, deponit to be of weretie. In respect quherof the said baillie ordanit ane testimoniall to be extendit in ample form.