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Records of the Carruthers Family

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To Subscribers :

Twenty-five years have passed since the above "Records of the Carruthers Family" was compiled. During this period, as opportunity has presented itself, research has been carried on by or on behalf of the undersigned, and a number of additions to our knowledge of the family has become available, quite apart from births, marriages and deaths which fall to be recorded.

A search has been made through the majority of Dumfriesshire Parish Registers, and the Registers of the northern Parishes of Cumberland, for Carruthers entries up to about the end of the 18th Century in each case, and this has provided additional matter regarding some families. It has also enabled a more detailed record of the Carruthers family of Brydegill and Guileburn and their descendants to be prepared.

It is thought that the result of these researches should be put on record, and the attached Appendix, together with the reprint of the article on the Brydegill and Guileburn family and their descendants, from "Transactions of the Dumfriesshire and Galloway Natural History and Antiquarian Society, Volume xxxv," will bring the "Records" up to date.

It is hoped that recipients of this Appendix and the Reprint will attach them to the pages provided at the end of the "Records," and also draw reader's attention to the additions and alterations, either by means of a general note at the beginning of the book, or by a note — e.g. "See Appendix" — on each of the pages referred to in the Appendix.

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APPENDIX.

ADDITIONS AND ALTERATIONS.

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- 7 D. A. Carruthers, M.D. (Edin.), D.P.H.—for Glasgow, N.12, *read* London, N.12.
- ~~12~~ Line 18, for Thompson *read* Thomson (see also note 3, p.18, and note 1, p. 19).
- ~~13~~ John, men. Dec. 27, 1544, Mar. 15, 1549, *and* July 14, 1551. ✓
- ~~14~~ James, men. Feb. 21, 1620, *possibly* ancestor of Broomhills—see p. 19.
- John, in Woodfoot, men. 1684; *mentioned* Dec. 9, 1687, as of Gawcote, Bucks. Buried July 11, 1710, at Christ Church, Newgate, London (Parish Register). His son, John Carruthers, merchant in London, was heir to his uncle Thomas, June 18, 1713 (Decennial Service of Heirs). He married Judith . . . who was buried March 11, 1764, aged 84, some twenty years after John, who also had been buried Jan. 28, 1744, aged 71, at St. Stephen's, Walbrook, London (Parish Register). John had died Jan. 21, 1744. He was a Cashier at the Bank of England. Under his Will (May 20, 1725) his wife Judith was sole executrix and all was left to her. (Holograph Will, Somerset House, Archdeaconry of London Register). They had four children: 1—Thomas, buried Feb. 2, 1703, at St. Matthew-in-Friday Street, London (Parish Register); 2—Judith, baptised May 27, 1707, at Christ Church, Newgate, London (Parish Register) and buried Mar. 15, 1787, at St. Stephen's, Walbrook, London (Parish Register); 3—Anne, baptised Dec. 13, 1710, at Christ Church, Newgate, London (Parish Register), and buried Dec. 2, 1795, at St. Stephen's, Walbrook, London (Parish Register); and 4—Thomas, baptised Dec. 21, 1716, at All Hallows, Bread Street, London (Parish Register) and buried Dec. 27, 1735, at St. Stephen's, Walbrook, London (Parish Register). None of these left issue and with them the Woodfoot branch of the Carruthers family came to an end.
- ✓ Thomas, in Woodfoot, men. 1684; *married* Dec. 18, 1669, Jean, dau. of John Richardson, of Kellobank.
- ✓ George, of Milne, m. Helen Scott, of *Merrilaw* (*not* Merryland). This George had a sister Margaret, mentioned 1697.
- ✓ George, of Milne, heir to Great-grandmother was born Dec. 8, 1723. His wife died Nov. 23, 1811, and he died Oct. 27, 1791. George had three sisters: Rose, born Oct. 1722; Bessie, born 1726; and Isabella, born Dec. 1732.
- ✓ David, in Kinnell Hall—delete.
- ✓ William, in Leithenhall, d. unm. May 29, 1807.

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- ~~14~~ ✓ Samuel, of Milne, b. 1769, married Dec. 28, 1807, Margaret Carruthers, of Leithenhall.
- ✓ William, of Stenrieshill, born Mar. 1777; married May 28, 1818, Isabella Rogerson, of Fingland.
- ✓ Children of Samuel, of Milne: Elizabeth, b. Jan. 21, 1808; George, b. June 4, 1810; Walter, b. Aug. 10, 1812; Margaret, b. Oct. 2, 1814.
- ✓ William, b. 1850; m. Annie Rogerson (b. 1849; d. 1934). He died 1939.
- ✓ Elizabeth, b. 1852; d. 1945.
- ✓ George, b. 1858; d. unm. 1938.
- ✓ Isabella, b. 1885; d. 1935.
- ~~15~~ ✓ James Carruthers, in Woodhead, married first Margaret Corrie and second Janet Ainslie. (Delete Margaret, and seven brothers . . .). Their children were: 1—Robert, bapt. Mar. 23, 1758; 2—David, in Troquier, bapt. July 15, 1759; 3—Grizel, bapt. Dec. 21, 1760 (died in infancy); 4—Janet, bapt. Apl. 2, 1763; 5—Nicholas, bapt. Aug. 11, 1765; 6—Grizel, bapt. Aug. 2, 1767; 7—Helen, bapt. Oct. 16, 1770; 8—Margaret, bapt. Aug. 9, 1773; and 9—William, bapt. Sept. 1775 (by second wife).
- ✓ Mary (dau. of David, in Troquier) mar. Ninian Johnston (issue).
- ✓ Children of David, b. Sept. 14, 1834: Samuel James, *died* Aug. 17, 1938, in Sydney, n.s.w.; and William, *born* 1887, married . . . Bruce (no issue).
- Children of David Allan and Nora Jack: 1—David Graeme, b. March 14, 1905; mar. 1935, Mary Cunyngnam Brown. In 1945 Inspector of African Police in Accra. (They had a son, David, born 1939); and 2—Mary Elizabeth, b. Oct. 12, 1903.
- ✓ William John Haldeman, married *secondly* Katharine Miller (no issue).
- ✓ Anna Reigart married, Aug. 22, 1940, Maurice John Lynn (no issue).
- ~~16~~ ✓ Children of David Carruthers, in Kinnell Hall: 1—Joan, b. May, 1730; 2—William, b. Mar. 18, 1735; 3—Jean, b. Mar. 1738; 4—John, b. Aug. 29, 1740 (died in infancy); 5—John, b. Sept. 18, 1741 (Carrier); 6—Simon, b. Aug. 27, 1744; 7—Margaret, b. Apl. 1, 1746; and 8—David, b. Aug. 5, 1749. John (b. Sept. 18, 1741) had a son, Rev. James, b. Nov. 21, 1772, who married Robina Johnstone. He was a Missionary in Portland, Maine, U.S.A. They had three children: a—Rev. John Johnstone, b. 1800; mar. Eliza Sloan (issue, one daughter); b—Jane, d. 1838, aged 29; and c—Helen, d. 1822, aged 21.

16 contd. ✓ David, b. Aug. 5, 1749, mar. Catherine Carruthers, and had two children: a—Janet, bapt. Feb. 24, 1770; and b—William, bapt. Oct. 26, 1771.

✓ Rev. David was baptised Nov. 21, 1758 (*delete* b. 1760 — Moffat Parish Register).

Janet was baptised Mar. 1, 1761 (*delete* aged 81 — Moffat Parish Register).

17 ✓ Children of John Carruthers, in Macmaw: David, in Waterhead (*delete* Heithat), b. May 12, 1796, m. Elizabeth Corrie, of Nethermill (*delete* Cubbington—d. Sept. 30, 1837, aged 37); d. May 19, 1866; Walter, d. unm. Jan. 21, 1884.

✓ Children of David: John, b. Apl. 1, 1817; Jean, d. Jan. 4, 1898; William, b. Feb. 21, 1823, m. Ann Graham, of Shaw, Dryfe (b. Sept. 10, 1819; d. Nov. 3, 1894); d. Mar. 23, 1866; Janet, b. Jan. 25, 1825, d. unm. July 11, 1857; George, d. abroad, Mar. 9, 1873.

✓ 18 Add William Carruthers, in Know and Kirkwood, mar. Martha Johnstone (men. 1666 and 1684), parents of James, John, William and Jane.

✓ James, in Know (son of John Carruthers), was heir to father on Jan. 18, 1745. His son John was baptised May 2, 1762, and married Aug. 2, 1786, Mary, daughter of John Carruthers, of Guileburn.

✓ Children of William Carruthers: John, of Breconsyde, served heir also to brother Francis, July 28, 1736; and Francis, in Breconsyde, d. Sept. 1734. He married Henrietta Porteous (Moffat Parish Register) and had two children: William, b. Sept. 28, 1727, and Henrietta, b. June 27, 1729. (Both died in infancy).

✓ 19 James Carruthers, of Broomhills, is possibly the same as James, mentioned Feb. 21, 1620, son of John Carruthers, in Woodfoot (see under p. 14).

✓ John, of Langbedholm, married Christian Graham, and had four children: 1—William, bapt. Jan. 17, 1731; 2—Alison, bapt. Dec. 28, 1743; 3—John, bapt. May 13, 1746; 4—Marjory, bapt. Dec. 20, 1750.

✓ George, of Langbedholm, had two children: 1—George, bapt. Sept. 3, 1749, who may be identified as George Carruthers, in Swinefoot, who had a son, William, baptised on Mar. 20, 1798; and 2—Rosina.

✓ Betty—*Substitute* Elizabeth. She married Adam Johnston, of Beattock (men. Dec. 12, 1757), and had issue.

Note 1: Add Moffat Parish Register to sources.

21 ✓ George, 10th of H. and 6th B., had a sister Agnes, who on June 13, 1720, married William Carruthers, of Nutholm.

✓ John, 12th of H. and 8th B., m. 1762, Charlotte Laurie, bapt. Jan. 10, 1743. Their daughter Christian married John Erskine, of Aberdona, on Aug. 30, 1786.

✓ Malcolm William's wife, Margaret Angela, dau. of Professor Sir Charles Vernon Boys, LL.D., F.R.S., died Aug. 1937. Malcolm William died June 2, 1941.

✓ Emma Mary died May 11, 1952.

22 ✓ William, of Nether Warmanbie, mar. Mary Hamilton (she died 1783). Their daughter Katharine died March, 1785.

23 ✓ George, of Brydegill, 4th son of Francis, 3rd of Dormont, had another son (beside John who married Mary Carruthers), James, in Breckonhill, who married, on Oct. 5, 1710, Agnes Davidson (St. Mungo Parish Register) — see page 33, Notes.

✓ Helen, in Brae of Knok, d. Mar. 1771, aged 96.

✓ Elizabeth, 1st wife of William Aikman, 7th of D., died Dec. 1790.

✓ Eleanor, sister of Francis John, 11th of D., had a further name, Caroline. She died March 14, 1949.

✓ Francis John, 11th of D., was a C.B., Lord Lieutenant of Dumfriesshire, and a Brigadier of the King's Bodyguard for Scotland (Royal Company of Archers). He died May 22, 1945.

✓ Christopher John, eldest son of Francis John, 11th of D., died on Jan. 17, 1938. His widow, Elizabeth Anne Long (born 1913) married secondly, on Oct. 7, 1952, Peter Horace Gordon Clark. Christopher John had two daughters: 1—Harriet Anne, b. Nov. 2, 1935, and 2—Olivia Mary, b. Oct. 24, 1937.

✓ William Nigel, 12th of D., married June 7, 1947, Constance Margaret, daughter of Cyril Jarrett. She was born 1914.

✓ Simon Francis, married Nov. 19, 1946, Pamela Elizabeth, daughter of Wm. Melville Foster, of Box, near Stroud. She died May 22, 1955. They had two children: 1—James Andrew, b. Aug. 15, 1947; and 2—Marianne Caroline, b. Dec. 11, 1948.

✓ Michael George, married, Jan. 15, 1946, Maureen Dorothea, daughter of F. E. E. Booker, of Hong-Kong. She was born 1921. They had two children: 1—Ian Robert, b. Mar. 10, 1947; and 2—David Noel, b. Feb. 22, 1949.

✓ Hew Douglas, married, Nov. 8, 1939, Pamela, daughter of Col. Thomas J. Torrie. She was born 1916. They had two children: 1—Christopher Hew, b. July 28, 1940; and 2—John Anthony, b. Sept. 17, 1941.

✓ Andrew Henry married, Oct. 5, 1941, Marguerite, daughter of C. W. Edwards. She was born 1906. He died Sept. 1, 1945, in a prison camp in Sumatra.

- ✓ 24 James Carruthers, of Breckonhill, married Margaret Henderson, of St. Mungo Manse, who died Nov. 2, 1715.

NOTE: The dates of Baptisms in St. Mungo Parish Register in some cases vary somewhat from the dates given in the Chart on this page.

- ✓ 25 Francis, 3rd of Whitecroft, died in April, 1764.
- ✓ 26 Christopher Carruthers, of Hardriggs, married, in 1691, Margaret, second daughter of Adam Carlyle, of Lymekills.
- ✓ John, of H., was alive in 1791.
- ✓ Isabella, Christiana, and James, of Longdyke, were all mentioned on March 21, 1788.
- ✓ 27 Lt. Col. James, of P.—*add* D.S.O., M.V.O. He died June 27, 1936. *Add* C.H. after Violet Markham. His brother Peter is a Surg. Lieut.-Cmdr. R.N. — *add* M.B., Ch.B. (Edin.)
- ✓ 28 William, Physician in Dumfries, married Margaret Hay in 1708. Their children: 1—James, b. Sept. 18, 1709; mar. Mar. 21, 1729, Margaret Oliphant, by whom he had: a—William, presumed dead in 1783; b—Elizabeth, mar. George Baillie at Portsmouth (issue); and c—Henrietta, b. 1738, mar. 1771, George Maxwell, of Carruchan; 2—Lawes, b. Jan. 4, 1723, mar. 1st, Mrs. Ann Johnson, 2nd, Mary Collyfour; 3—Wingate, b. Jan. 4, 1723; 4—Margaret, b. Jan. 8, 1726; 5—Henrietta, b. July 15, 1731; and 6—Robert, b. June 30, 1718, Surgeon on H.M.S. "Windsor" and later Surgeon in Wareham, Dorset. (His wife was alive in 1771).
- ✓ 31 Families of Over Denbie: Note on Chart—Confusion arose owing to the succession of sons bearing the name John. In the Chart shown on this page, John, 3rd of Denbie, and his brother George, Advocate in Edinburgh, should be deleted. John, 4th of D., *should be* John, 3rd of D., and John, 5th of D., *should be* John, 4th of D.
- John, 3rd of D., was b. 1697, and heir to brother George, Advocate in Edinburgh (who died March, 1734—per Faculty of Advocates, Scotland) in 1742. John married Mary, dau. of William Carruthers, of Braes. He died Nov. 7, 1770. In addition to George, he had a brother William, in Denbie, mentioned 1777.
- John, 4th of D., was b. Sept. 25, 1750, and was heir to his father Nov. 25, 1773. His wife, Mary, was b. Jan. 19, 1750 (not 1749). He died July 26, 1832. His son, John, was b. Dec. 31, 1778, and d. Dec. 21, 1797. In addition to Isobel, Mary and Louisa, he had two other daughters: Jacobina, b. Jan. 25, 1776, and d. Feb. 20, 1777, and Louisa, b. Aug. 10, 1777, and d. Oct. 11, 1777. He also had a sister Margaret.
- Agnes, daughter of William Carruthers, 1st of D., was married, 1714/5, to the Rev. James Murray, minister of St. Mungo.

- ✓ 32 William, 2nd of B., married Margaret Irving, on July 9, 1725.
- 33 John and James Carruthers, Manufacturers in Langholm—James Carruthers, farmer in Bankhead, Middlebie Parish, was almost certainly their father. He was the son of James Carruthers, in Breckonhill, who, on Oct. 5, 1710, had married Agnes Davidson. (James, in Breckonhill, was the son of George Carruthers, of Brydegill, and grandson of Francis Carruthers, of Dormont—see page 23, Notes). James, farmer in Bankhead, was baptised July 14, 1719. He married Mary Johnstone, who died Jan. 28, 1790, and was buried in Langholm Kirkyard. He died prior to 1790. In addition to John and James, mentioned above, Johnstone (mentioned July 11, 1818), and Janet, buried in Langholm Kirkyard July 15, 1794, were also almost certainly their children.
- ✓ John (Manufacturer), in addition to James (b. June 28, 1788), and John, had a further child (unnamed), who was buried Nov. 23, 1793.
- ✓ James (son of James, the Manufacturer) was a student of Divinity at the Burgher Hall.
- ✓ George (Watchmaker) married Jane Hope, who died Sept. 30, 1867, aged 68.
- ✓ Sarah Jane Wales, 2nd wife of John (in U.S.A.), died Oct. 11, 1915, aged 77.
- ✓ Rev. Christopher (Master of Arts)—the full name of his second wife was Jane Hamilton Fleming Macleod. She died Feb. 2, 1951. Both are buried in Putney Vale Cemetery, London.
- ✓ James, b. Feb. 1, 1858, died Jan. 6, 1936.
- ✓ George Malcolm was b. Mar. 25, 1865.
- ✓ Sarah Ann, wife of James Arthur, died Apl. 5, 1952, and on Apl. 9, 1952, was cremated at Croydon (Surrey) Crematorium, her name being inscribed in the Book of Remembrance.
- ✓ Archibald Hill was married on Oct. 29, 1899, and died Jan. 1, 1946. His son, Cecil Earl, married, 1936, Ethel McHenry and have issue: 1—Earl, b. Feb. 7, 1937; 2—Carl, b. Dec. 14, 1939; and 3—Elizabeth, b. March 16, 1945.
- ✓ James Ernest died July 25, 1912. His wife died in Apl. 1954. His daughter Elaine Agnes, married, May 30, 1926, Clarence A. McConkey, who died Feb. 1941. Doris Yvonne married, in 1942, Albert Cowles (issue).
- ✓ John, b. Mar. 2, 1891, married Grace Oakes Winslow. Children: 1—Edith Margery, married 1st, in 1941, Edwin R. Frye (marriage dissolved) and 2nd, Oct. 16, 1948, Frank B. Kelley, Jr. (issue); 2—Evelyn Grace, married 1st, in 1942, Kenneth

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- G. Dunn (marriage dissolved) and 2nd, May 29, 1947, Emile A. Dumas, Jr. (issue); 3 - Dorothy Winslow, married Sept 1, 1948, David Donald Conners (issue).
- Arthur Stanley, b. Mar. 10, 1902, and wife, Phyllis Amy King, had three children: 1 - Jean, married, May 15, 1954, Dr. Peter Jervis Ashton, M.B., B.S. (b. Mar. 7, 1931), son of the late Rev. Philip Ashton, B.A. (issue); 2 - Arthur Christopher (Kester), b. May 21, 1935 (an Ordination Candidate and Student at the London College of Divinity, St. John's Hall, Northwood, Middlesex); and 3 - Helen, b. May 5, 1936, engaged to be married to David John, son of C. W. Fisher, of Cullompton, Devon (April 5, 1958).
- ✓ 34 Sarah Redmayne, wife of Jardine Carruthers (b. Aug. 18, 1827), was the daughter of John Peacock Redmayne, of Preston, Lancashire.
- ✓ Margaret Ann Dand, wife of Jardine (b. May 5, 1863), died March 17, 1947.
- ✓ Thomas, b. July 25, 1867, died Nov. 21, 1938.
- Kate Adeleine Stelling, b. July 6, 1901, wife of Jardine (b. Mar. 7, 1898), died April 12, 1935. Jardine married secondly, on May 7, 1936, Mary Elizabeth, daughter of William Brown, of Middle Herrington, Sunderland, Co. Durham. She was born Sept. 9, 1902. Issue: Elizabeth, born Aug. 30, 1937.
- ✓ Ellen, wife of Thomas Hutchinson, was born Jan. 7, 1898. She was the daughter of John Berry, Chief Constable of Barrow-in-Furness. Children: 1 - John Hutchinson, married, Aug. 15, 1953, Dorothy Frances (b. Mar. 23, 1928), daughter of A. E. Maidment, of Exbury, and have issue - Ian James, b. May 11, 1956; 2 - Patricia Mary, b. Aug. 11, 1935, married, Jan. 16, 1957, Robert Garry Hawker, and have issue.
- 35 Children of George Carruthers, b. June 14, 1831:
- ✓ Mary, d. Feb. 1938.
- ✓ Christiana Jardine, d. Dec. 24, 1946. Her husband, John Welch, d. July 18, 1935, aged 78.
- Jane Anne's husband, George Atkinson, d. Aug. 9, 1935, George Murray's wife, Sarah Agnes Lishman, d. May 20, 1934. Elizabeth Fanny mar. James Lishman on Jan. 27, 1906.
- John William, d. Nov. 5, 1947. His wife, Mary Ormerod, d. in Aug. 1952.
- Margaret Katherine was born Apl. 13, 1871.
- Children of Thomas Acton, b. Dec. 2, 1857:
- Dorothy Annie Giles, b. Oct. 7, 1900, and mar. July 14, 1934, Ralph Lowe.
- Nellie Goodheart Hope, b. Apl. 16, 1902.

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- ✓ Margaret Joan, b. Sept. 5, 1912, and married in Nov. 1948, Charles Birchall (issue).
- ✓ Children of Thomas Acton Youde, b. July 21, 1897:
- Hilary, b. Aug. 25, 1931.
- Donald, b. May 26, 1934.
- ✓ Ronald, b. July 19, 1900, married Mar. 24, 1934, Dinah Dorothy Taylor (b. Apl. 16, 1908). Issue: Beryl, b. Nov. 9, 1934.
- ~~68~~ Line 18. After "(Dumfries)" *add* note 84a. He is probably the same as Mark Carruthers, Rector of Mouswald, natural son of late Simon Carruthers, of Mouswald (Dec. 2, 1530) (Reg. Sec. Sig. Vol. II, No. 771).
- 68 Note 97. *Read as* Acta Dom. Con. et Sess. XXVII, f. 82a; see also "Barony of Mouswald and its Barons" and History of the Douglas Family of Morton, Appx. C, No. 166.
- 76 Lines 15/16, *Delete* "Of John... no descendants" *and substitute* the following: Of John little further is known: on Dec. 9, 1687, he was described as "sometime in Woodfett, now of Gawcote in County of Bucks"¹². He appears to have had a son, John, who on June 18, 1713, was heir to his uncle Thomas. John is described as "merchant in London"¹⁴ (See earlier, under page 14).
- Line 20, *Delete* "It is... issue" *and substitute* the following: On Dec. 18, 1669, he had married Jean, daughter of John Richardson, of Kellobank¹³.
- Add to footnotes:
- 12 - Dumfries Burgh Processes. 13 - Dumfries Burgh Processes. 14 - Decennial Service of Heirs.
- ~~28~~ ✓ Line 2, *Add* James had a son John, baptised May 2, 1762, and who, on Aug. 2, 1786, married Mary Carruthers (Dryfesdale Parish Register). She came from the parish of St. Mungo and was probably the daughter of John Carruthers, of Guileburn.
- ~~100~~ Line 27, For "were" *read* "was."
- ~~114~~ Line 18, After "Charlotte," *add* footnote 214a - Baptised Jan. 10, 1743 (Parish Register).
- ~~120~~ Add to footnote 32 - She was buried at Dumfries on March 7, 1783 (Parish Register).
- ~~121~~ Line 13, *Read* (v) Katharine, who was buried at Dumfries, March 22, 1785 (Parish Register).
- ~~125~~ Line 13, After "1731" *add* footnote 9a - May 18, 1731 (St. Mungo Parish Register).
- ✓ Line 15, After "Carruthers" *add* footnote 9b - Agnes was sister to George Carruthers, of Holmains. The marriage was on June 13, 1720 (St. Mungo Parish Register).

125 Footnote 7, *add* A sister of William, Margaret, married, on Aug. 11, 1709, John Irving, one of the Baillies of Annan (St. Mungo Parish Register).

128 Lines 20/24 — *Delete* "It gives George . . . George ⁴¹" and *substitute* the following: [REDACTED], who, it is known, had a son, [REDACTED] d [REDACTED], by whom he had a son — William Carruthers, in Ecclefechan (baptised July 13, 1746), and two daughters, Agnes and Janet (baptised respectively on May 18, 1744, and Sept. 23, 1748). George was dead before Sept. 23, 1748 (St. Mungo Parish Register). It gives John Carruthers, of Brydegill, another son, John Carruthers, of Gyleburn, who had James, John and George ⁴¹.

Add Footnote 40a. This James Carruthers, in Breckonhill, married, Oct. 5, 1710, Agnes Davidson. In addition to George, there was another son, James, baptised July 14, 1719, farmer in Bankhead, Middlebie Parish, who married Mary Johnstone; also two daughters, Isabel and Philadelphia (Parish Registers — St. Mungo and Langholm).

NOTE* *Delete* and *substitute* the following:

William Carruthers, of Guileburn, had two other sons besides John, his heir, viz. Christopher and William, and also three daughters, Elizabeth, Mary and Jean, all mentioned in February 1768. Four grandchildren are also mentioned, viz. Joseph, Mary, Elizabeth and Jean. (Dumfries. Reg. Sas., Vol. xx, fo. 120).

129 Continuation of footnote 41:

Line 2 — *Delete* "was alive" and "when he" and *read* "John Carruthers, of Guileburn, in 1798 dispond . . ."

Line 5 — After "(ibid)" *add* On Feb. 13, 1810, there is a Bond of Provision to his younger children by John Carruthers, of Guileburn, and his eldest son and heir apparent, James Carruthers. The children named are William, John, Christopher, David, Walter and Mary (an only daughter — Sheriff Court Deeds).

Line 6 — For "(ibid)" *substitute* "(Dumfries Reg. Sas.)."

NOTE: For fuller details of the Guileburn Family and of the descendants of James Carruthers, in Breckonhill, and William Carruthers, in Sorsyke, see the attached reprint of the article in the "Transactions of the Dumfriesshire and Galloway Natural History and Antiquarian Society," Vol. xxxv.

130 Footnote 51, *Add* She died in Mar. 1771, aged 96 (Dalton Parish Register).

132 Lines 27/28, For "Kirkmuire of Carsopland," *read* "Kirkmuire or Carsopland."

135 Line 29, For "Mole" *read* "Mote."

142 Line 27, After Jan. 4, 1742, *add* footnote 28^a — Lawes Carruthers married firstly Mrs. Ann Johnson, on July 9, 1747, and, secondly, Mary Collyfourt, on Aug. 7, 1749 (Register of St. George's Chapel, Hyde Park Corner, Mayfair).

147 Line 5, After "1767" *add* footnote 15^a — Apl. 1764 (St. Mungo Parish Register).

175 Line 3, After "Langholm" *add* footnote 1; *Delete* "The..."

Lines 4–7, *Delete* "brothers... relationship."

Line 8, *Insert* after "New Langholm" — "at Meikleholm Mill."

Line 12, After "persons" *add* footnote 2a.

Lines 13-15, *Delete* "whether . . . Langholm⁸" and *substitute* "when these brothers established the industry in the Langholm district, it is certain, however, that they had for some years, at least, previously resided in Langholm⁸."

FOOTNOTES: *Delete* 1, 2, 3 and 4 and *substitute* the following:

1. James Carruthers, farmer in Bankhead (Middlebie Parish), was almost certainly their father, and on January 30, 1790, his relict, Mary Johnstone, who had died on January 28, 1790, was buried in Langholm Churchyard (Parish Register, 1668-1819). He was the son of James Carruthers, in Breckonhill, (See details of Guileburn family).

2. Previously the brothers had carried on the industry at a mill called Whiteshiells, situated on the Ewes road about a mile from the town.

2a. See "Statistical Account of Scotland." (Sinclair), Vols. 13 and 21.

3. Buccleuch Estates Ledger records entries in 1778 and onwards. John Carruthers lived at 6, Buccleuch Square, Langholm, from Whit-Sunday, 1800, until his death on Dec. 1, 1810.

4. Session Records of Associate Burgher Congregation, Langholm.

176 Line 14 — After "17⁵" *insert* "There was also a third child, name unknown, buried on Nov. 23, 1793 (Langholm Parish Register)."

176 Line 19 — After "Robert Hope,⁷" *add* "Johnstone Carruthers, mentioned July 11, 1818,¹⁰ and Janet Carruthers, buried July 15, 1794,¹¹ were almost undoubtedly a brother and sister of John and James Carruthers."

