

The Descendants of Charles, Second Son of “Tottenham in his Boots”, through his Eldest Son’s Third Son’s Fourth Son, Henry Loftus Tottenham

C5. The Tottenham-Lowry Family

a) **Henry Loftus Tottenham (1814-1896)**, B.A. (Trinity College, Dublin). Barnster-at-Law. Freeman of Dublin, 1841. Practised in Dublin and then went to live at Mon Plaisir Villa, Guernsey, where he seems to have devoted his energies to genealogical inquiries. The compiler of the old Tottenham Pedigree. He married the daughter of James Lowry (widow of E.L. Colvill), of Rockdale, Co. Tyrone, and records the fact that she was the great-great-grand-daughter of John Lowry, who was one of the defenders of Derry in the siege of 1689. He also compiled genealogical tables showing all his and his wife’s ancestors for seven generations, and giving the armorial bearings of most of them.

b) **Henry Loftus Tottenham (1852-1949)** first spent some years tea planting in Assam, and then, with eventual success, went into business in London, where his house in Hornton Street was a meeting place for many relatives. His first wife was the daughter of the Rev. E.L. Barnwell of Melksham, Wilts. He died in his 97th year and held the record for longevity in the family until surpassed by Anne Tottenham (B4h-12) who died in her 100th year and Percy Tottenham (C11g-13) who died at the age of 101 years, 11 months.

c) **Lowry Cliffe Tottenham (1858-1937)** was District Inspector in the Royal Irish Constabulary, in which he served in many parts of Ireland. His wife was the daughter of the Ven. William Creek, D.D., Archdeacon of Kilmore. After the three southern provinces acquired their independence they moved to Moy, County Tyrone. After retirement he lived at Monart, Enniscorthy.

d) **Charles Edward Tottenham (1857-1941)** was at Harrow with Sir Richard, the compiler of the first edition of this book. Served with the Middlesex Regiment in World War I.

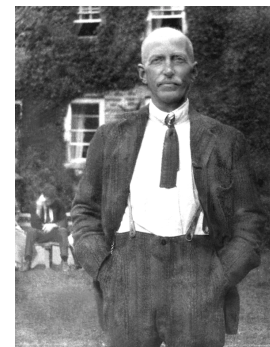
e) **Harry Tottenham (1889-1970)** (Bill) of The Hill, Newry, Co. Down. He and his brother, Rex (C5f-13) both served in the Royal North West Mounted Police (later named RCMP) before World War I, but deserted in 1916 to return for war service in Europe. After the war they both served in the Royal Irish Constabulary until independence of the three provinces was obtained in 1922. He then served in the Royal Ulster Constabulary for the remainder of his active career. He married the daughter (Dot) of J. E. Proctor, of Moy.

f) **Reginald Tottenham (1893-1966)**, C.B.E. (Rex). After service with the RCMP (see C5e-13) he was commissioned as Lt. in 10th Hussars and R.T.C. in World War I. He then served in the R.I.C. with brother Harry, becoming a District Inspector and later private secretary to the Inspector General. After the Irish independence he joined the Colonial Police Service and served in Trinidad and Gold Coast, ending as Inspector-General, Mauritius. He married the daughter of Major J.F. Pearce and lived at Lydford, Devon. He was at Trinity College, Dublin.

g) **Edward Lowry Tottenham (1894-1916)**, M.C., Loyal North Lancs Regiment. Killed in action at Kut el Amara, Mesopotamia, 1916.

h) **Arthur Henry Tottenham (1896-1916)**, Royal Inniskillings. Killed in action in France, near Albert, 1916, and is buried at Bouzincourt Communal Cemetery.

i) **Capt. James Loftus Tottenham (1897-1922)**, 22nd Punjab Regiment and Mohmand Militia. He was second in charge to Stewart Bates Merrylees who commanded a wing (about 700 men) of South Waziristan Scouts in 1922. Whilst on patrol they both climbed a rickety ladder of a watch tower to view the hostile terrain they were patrolling. A rung in the top flight broke and he plunged to earth and broke his spine. He was evacuated to Peshawar and died two days later of a broken skull. His grave at Peshawar reads “*In loving memory of James Loftus Tottenham, Captain XXII Punjabis and Mohmand Militia, of The Grange, Moy, County Tyrone, Ireland. Died 11th January 1922. Aged 24 years*”.



Lowry Cliffe Loftus
Line 12



Arthur Henry
Line 13



Harry Leslie William
Line 13

The memorial to him in St. John’s Church, Peshawar - “*In memory of Captain James Loftus Tottenham. 22nd Punjabis. Attached Mohmand Militia. Accidentally killed at Sadarghari Camp near Shabkadr Fort on 11th January 1922.*” Stewart Bates Merrylees later met and married his sister Eileen Etta.

j) **Ann Nylsalie Joice Tottenham (1932-1991)**, after school at St. Swithins Winchester and in Mauritius, attended St. Bartholomew’s Hospital, London qualifying as a nurse in 1954. Following her marriage to Lieutenant John Jacobsen, Royal Navy, she devoted the remainder of her life to her family.

k) **John Loftus Tottenham (1940-)**, after various occupations, studied and awarded B.A. at the University of Michigan (1966-69). He served in the U.S. Army, Military Police, Fort Riley, Kansas (1st Infantry Division), 1969-1972 and thirteen and one half months in Vietnam (1971-72). Afterwards studied and awarded M.A., University of Michigan (1972-75). He has recently retired from teaching in the History Department, Hawken School, Gates Mills, Ohio.



Edward Lowry
Line 13



James Loftus
Line 13



Isobel Joice
Line 13



Reginald Loftus
Line 13



Ann Nylsalie Joice
Line 14



Eileen Etta
Line 13



John Loftus
Line 14



Isobel Joice and
Eileen Etta

C5. The Tottenham - Lowry Branch

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2. Charles Tottenham
b. 1716
d. 10-Sep-1795
m. 1741
Anne Loftus
b. 08-Nov-1718
d. 10-Nov-1768

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1. Charles
b. 19-Apr-1743
d. 13-Jun-1823
m. 23-Jun-1766
Frances Boswell
b. 1737
d. 11-Mar-1821

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3. Henry Loftus
b. 29-Oct-1770
d. 21-Nov-1826
m. 01-Mar-1802
Sarah Cliffe
b. 20-Sep-1781
d. 12-Dec-1839

Compiler of
The Old Pedigree
a

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I. Frances Anne
b. 1806
d. 22-Jan-1822

II. Elizabeth
b. 1808
d. 17-Jun-1875

III. Anne
b. 1811
d. 11-Nov-1887

4. Henry Loftus
b. 16-Jan-1814
d. 26-Apr-1896
m. 01-Oct-1851
Joice Lowry
b. 1820
d. 27-Sep-1892

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b

1. Henry Loftus
b. 03-Jul-1852
d. 11-Feb-1949

I. Henrietta Elizabeth (twins)
b. 03-Feb-1855
d. 31-Mar-1872

II. Georgina May
b. 03-Feb-1855
d. Jan-1918

c

2. Lowry Cliffe Loftus
b. 12-Apr-1858
d. 01-Jul-1937
m. 18-Sep-1888
Isabella Ogle Creek
d. 30-Dec-1930

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d

1. Charles Edward Loftus
b. 29-Oct-1887
d. 03-Apr-1941

s.p.

e

1. Harry Leslie William
b. 02-Oct-1889
d. 02-Aug-1970
m. 08-Mar-1928
Emma Frances Bonner Proctor
d. 29-Jul-1978
s.p.

f

2. Armar Cecil
b. 20-Apr-1891
d. 21-Apr-1891

g

3. Reginald Loftus
b. 01-Jul-1893
d. 24-Jan-1966
m. 27-Aug-1931
Nylsalie Pierce
d. Nov-1979

h

4. Edward Lowry
b. 18-Sep-1894
d. 09-Apr-1916

i

5. Arthur Henry
b. 08-Jun-1896
d. 27-Jun-1916

6. James Loftus
b. 17-Dec-1897
d. 11-Jan-1922

I. Isabel Joice
b. 19-May-1900
d. 23-Feb-1926

II. Eileen Etta
b. 15-Sep-1903
d. 07-Nov-1981
m. 11-Nov-1925
Stewart Bates Merrylees
d. 16-Oct-1966
Issue

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j

I. Ann Nylsalie Joice
b. 24-Aug-1932
d. 24-Feb-1991
m. 10-Mar-1956
John Jacobsen
b. 21-Sep-1930
Issue

k

1. John Loftus
b. 09-May-1940