

last year of Queen Elizabeth, 1602, and as Sergeant the next year after the Michaelmas term, then as Sergeant to Prince Henry and the Queen, his mother. But I have described these things before and must avoid repetitions.

The Judge married a London lady. It seems most likely that he or his father first made the acquaintance of the Dudleys in London. There is no evidence showing that any of their family had previously resided in Northamptonshire. But many of them perhaps had been living for a hundred years in London. Besides those Dudleys already described, as being in St. Dunstan's Parish\* and at Stoke Newington, there were several in Westminster: Edward Dudley of Westminster, in his will, 1542, mentions "Roger Dudley," and makes him his executor.

Thomas Dudley of London, the draper, who died in 1549, mentions "Robert Hardy in his will. The Hardys of London came over; and Robert Hardy's son Samuel in 1675, married Rev. Samuel Dudley's daughter Mary. This Robert was a haberdasher in London. John Dudley of London died 1545. In his will he appoints John Hardy (spelling it "Herde" to be the overseer of his estate. He speaks of his father Thomas Dudley, and requests to be buried at St. Michael's Church.

In 1569, Katherine Dudley, daughter of the late John Dudley, citizen and draper of London, speaks of her uncle, Henry Clerke, Fellow of Trinity College, Cambridge. She makes a bequest to the children of John Hilton, citizen and merchant tailor of London, also to Roger Dudley, her brother, and to Richard Hatton, her step-father. She must have been the dau. of John Dudley. Therefore John Dudley married Elizabeth Clerke, (daughter of John Clerke, citizen

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\*Richard Dudley, priest, was a pilgrim to Rome in 1584-5 from St. Dunstan's in the West of London. He was son of Edmund Dudley, Sheriff of Co. Cumberland, son of Richard Dudley of Yanwath, Cum., great grandson of Sir John Dudley, Baron, and K. G. at Dudley Castle.

There was a Sir Bartholomew Pells living in Chancery Lane, St. Dunstan's, in 1619.

Several of the Pells came over to America in the early days of the Colonies. John, son of Rev. John Pell of London came in 1670. His uncle Thomas Pell, settled at New Haven in 1635, and died in Fairfield, Ct. 1669. He was brother to Rev. John of London.

There was a Thomas Nicolls living here in 1641. Wm. Pell came to Boston about 1633 and Joseph came about 1638. There is a large family of this name in New York state, as also of the name of Nicolls." But I have never seen any of the Purefoys in this country.