

A DESCENT FROM EDWARD I, KING OF ENGLAND.

" The messenger to the pope com,
And seyde that OUR KYNGE was ded :
Ys oune hond the lettre he nom,
Ywis his herte was full gret :
The Pope him self the lettre redde,
Ant spee a word of gret honour,
' Alas ! he seid, is EDWARD ded ?
Of Christendome he ber the flour. "'

The above verse is part of an early attempt at elegy which seems to have been composed soon after the death of KING EDWARD I., July 7th, 1307.

KING EDWARD I., crowned 19th Aug., 1274. First consort, ELEANOR OF CASTILE.	= MARGARET OF FRANCE, dau. of KING PHILIP III., and MARY OF BRABANT.
Edmund of Woodstock, Earl of Kent; brother of KING EDWARD II. (1)	= Margaret, dau. of John, Lord Wake.
Joan Plantagenet, the Fair Maid of Kent; mother, by the BLACK PRINCE, of KING RICHARD II.	= Sir Thomas Holland, K.G., Earl of Kent; d. 1360.
Thomas Holland, second Earl of Kent, d. 1397.	= Alice Fitzalan, dau. of Richard, ninth Earl of Arundel; at Cressy, 1346.
Lady Eleanor Holland, eventual co-heir.	= Edward, fourth Lord Charlton, d. 1420 (2).
Joyce Charlton, Lady Tiptoft; buried at Enfield, 1446. <i>Vide</i> Frontispiece & p. 26	= Sir William Stanley, K.G., brother to the Earl of Derby; at Bosworth, 1485.
Jane Stanley, m. 1487. Of Sutton Hall.	= Sir John Warburton; at Bosworth; d. 15 Hen. VIII. (3)
Blanche Warburton, of Arley, co. Chester.	= William Davenport, Armiger, of Bramhall; d. 1541. Buried with his ancestors in the Lady Chapel at Stockport.
Margaret Davenport. (First wife.)	= Leonard Shaweross, Armiger; d. 1605.
Issue as in the Lineage.	

(1) Arms.—England, within a bordure, arg. (Frontispiece.)

(2) A lineal descendant of Hawise, dau. and heiress of Owen ap Griffith, last Prince of Powys—Wenwynwyn.

(3) " The Royal Ratchliffe that rude was never,
And trustye Trafforde kene to tye,
And WIGHTY WARBURSTONE out of Chesshire,
All came with the Earle of Derbye."

Ballad, *temp.* HENRY VIII.