

grélee gules and this was, with the various brisures, used by his descendants. One authority states that Jean preserved the armes of Franchimont—arg. 3 lions des sinople. Thus his descendants inherited the FRANCHIMONT coat-armor and assumed the heiress surname of LANNOY as their own. [See figures 2, 6 & 9.] [There was a knight called Jean d'Allery 1310 of Picardy, and much later this house adopted the surname de Lannoy with the armes [Argent, 3 lions sinople armé & lamp. de gules, couronne d'or] Rietstap vol. I. 1895—it is also claimed that 2 authentic chartes in Picardie 25 & 26, give d'Allery. It is very clearly an error and refers not to our Lannoy in Flandres but to LANNOY d'AMERACOURT in Picardie 1300, and which is probably from Lannoy ancient. The connection by a marriage d'Allery with Lannoy is in some obscure way brought in at this date—there can be no other clear reason for their using the Franchimont coat-armor and furthermore there is no authority for that usage. When and by what right did Allery use the Franchimont armes?]

[2d son of Hellin II]

5-A JEAN de FRANCHIMONT. About the year 1300 A.D. Jean passed into Flanders with a suite of Franchimontois retainers and followers in number [3000] three thousand, whom he brought to the assistance of Gui de Dampiere comte de Flanders [1225-1305 did homage to St. Louis 1251 & 1294 his dau. m. Edward pr. of Eng.] See Vredius. The fame and power of this seigneur de Franchimont must have been indeed great to lead and control as his own such a large body of followers. He married Mahienne, Mayenne or Mahaud de Lannoy daughter and sole heiress of the last seigneur de Lannoy and de Lys, from whom her husband assumed the seigneurie de Lannoy and their issue bore the surname of Lannoy ever after. The date of this marriage is generally given as 1312, but this would make their eldest son who married in 1329 only sixteen at that date, for this and other reasons the date more likely is 1310. Jean married a second wife; Isabeau de Cléry, but had by her no children. The descendants of JEAN & MAHIENNE de FRANCHIMONT seigneur & dame de LANNOY & de LYS, are as follows: [they had but one child] [also a son ?] Wallerand de Lannoy (doubtful) seigneur de Lannoy & de Lys married Isobel de Clary—[Possibly meant for 2d wife of Jean]. No further account found. From the *Annuaire de la Noblesse*. The son and heir was—

6-A HUGUES de LANNOY [sometimes Hue or Hues]. He was born about 1311 and died in June 1349. Succeeded as seigneur de LANNOY & de LYS. Married in 1329 Marguerite dame de Mingoval daughter of Gilles de Maingoval or Mingoval a Peer of the chateau de Béthune. She died aged 70 years and was buried beside her husband in the entry to the choir of the church at Lys. Upon her tomb is the Maingoval coat-armor, color unknown, being a shield or écusson charged with a bande or bend. Hue de Lannoy chevalier gave a quittance the 23d of May 1338 to