

Ancestors of Charles James Robert Stirling

Sir Walter Stirling (1718-1766) went to sea at an early age. He entered the Navy, and was promoted to the rank of lieutenant in 1745. In 1753-54 he was engaged in trading to Philadelphia, where he married Dorothy Willing (1735-1782). The portrait of Captain Sir Walter Stirling by Northcote is found in the National Maritime Museum at Greenwich.

Walter Stirling (1567-1656) was a Burgess of Glasgow and Guild Brother. In 1630 he was elected Baillie, and in 1638 he was elected Dean of Guild and re-elected the following year. He was elected Commissioner to the General Assembly in 1643 and again in 1646.

John Stirling (1640-1709), heir of his grandfather Walter Stirling, was a Burgess and Guild Brother of the Burgh of Glasgow.

Charles Stirling (1760-1833) was Lieutenant by the age of 18, Commander at age 20 and Captain before he turned 23. He became Rear Admiral at 44 and Vice Admiral seven years later. The home where he lived with his wife Anne Grote (1763-1825) was known as Woburn Farm; seen in 1759 and in 2006.



C.J.R. Stirling married Fanny Strathy (above)

Charles Willing was mayor of Philadelphia at the time of his death at the age of 44.

Thomas Harrison was an army officer who rose to high military and political office under Cromwell, a leader of the fanatical Fifth Monarchy Men and an unrepentant Regicide. His execution was witnessed by Samuel Pepys.



Edward Shippen was first mayor of Philadelphia



Portraits of Anne Harrison and Anne Shippen can be seen at Powel House in Philadelphia

Andreas Grote was a merchant from Bremen who settled in England about 1730, and in 1766 established the London banking house of Grote, Prescott & Co. Portraits of Andreas Grote and Mary Ann Culverden by Sir Joshua Reynolds

Abraham Luard came to England in 1685, at the Revocation of the Edict of Nantes.

Peter Abraham Luard, a Hamburg merchant, was one of the leading men of London who signed an address to George II, offering their services to defend him against the Pretender 1745.

Peter Francis Luard, M.D, received his medical education at Edinburgh, where he graduated 24th June, 1808. He was admitted a Licentiate of the College of Physicians 1st April, 1822, and settled at Warwick, where he was much respected. For the last few years of his life he retired to Florence for his health, and died in that city in 1857 aged 71. - From Roll of the Royal College of Physicians 1878

This lady appears beside J.F. Stirling in a daguerreotype of a large family group; she may be his wife Mary Dormer Luard



Mary Dormer Luard b. 23 July 1825 d. 21 June 1900

Mary Magdalene Morgan d. 1857

Charles Daldiac b. 23 May 1830 d. 23 May 1830

John Bourryau b. 1752 in Blythburgh Hall d. 1799

Sponser

Elizabeth Myer

Peter Robert Luard b. 22 December 1727 d. 1800

Peter Abraham Luard b. 1763 d. 1768

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Abraham Luard b. 1635 in Caen, France

Jeanne Bonnefoy

Helene Susson de Cabanel d. 1728

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Zachariah Bourryau d. 1752 in Blythburgh Hall

Jane Bourryau b. in Blythburgh, Lincs d. 1799

Peter Francis Luard b. 25 December 1837 in Florence

Peter John Luard b. in Blythburgh Hall, Lincolnshire

Elizabeth Myer

Abigail Grasse b. 24 January 1675 in Boston d. 28 June 1716 in Philadelphia

Elizabeth Phillips

Thomas Grasse

Edward Shippen b. 2 March 1659 in Methley, Yorkshire d. 2 October 1712 in Philadelphia

Mary Numes d. 1672 in Methley, Yorkshire

William Shippen b. Abt. 1680 in Abbot Eppston, Yorkshire d. 1681 in Stockton, Cheshire

Simon Myne, Regicide b. 1612 in Essex, Bucks d. 1661 in Tower of London

Dorothy Myne

Anne Harrison b. 1684 d. 11 September 1747

Charles Harrison

Thomas Harrison, the Regicide b. 1606 in Newark-on-Trent, Staffs d. 1660 in Charing Cross, London

Anne Lawe b. in Tockington, Gloucestershire

Thomas Willing b. Abt. 1619 d. 3 February 1759 in Bristol, England

Joseph Willing

William Ruthven, of Torryburn b. Abt. 1619

Janet Ruthven b. 1607 d. 1721

Elizabeth Hall

Janet Campbell d. 6 May 1695

Charles Campbell, of Ballochyle d. in Battle of Worcester

Janet Neilson b. Abt. 1648

Walter Stirling, of Sherra b. 25 June 1686 in Sherra, Fife d. 1732

John Stirling b. 1 June 1640 in Glasgow d. 31 July 1709 in Glasgow

John Stirling b. Ref. 31 January 1614/15 in Glasgow d. 8 February 1687/88 in Glasgow

Helen Weanys b. Abt. 1580

Walter Stirling b. 1567 d. 1656 in Glasgow