

SECTION XVIII.

HERALDRY OF THE CORBOULDS.

- (A) JOHN CORBOULD. Only the descendants of John of Braconash are entitled to bear the arms set out in the first recorded grant to this family by the College of Arms, vizt.,

Arms :—Sable on a Pile between Two Ravens in Base Or a Raven of the Field.

Crest :—On a wreath of the Colours Two Arms embowed in Armour with Gauntlets proper each charged with a Rose Gules and grasping a sword fessewise point towards the Dexter also proper pendant from the blade by a Chain an Escoccheon Or thereon a Raven Sable.

Motto :—“ Sola virtus invicta.”

[NOTE.—Five generations of the Orillia (Canada) branch of the family, descended from the above John (through Charles b. 1799), are legally entitled to bear these arms, and apparently have not recorded; it behoves the survivors of them to prove and record their lineage from him at the College of Arms, Queen Victoria Street, London, Eng., while the Church and other registers are still intact.]

- (B) (1) RIC. CORBOULD (unrecorded).

Arms :—Or, a Raven proper display'd.

Crest :—On a Chapeau an Elephant of the Indies proper.

[NOTE.—Richard Thomas Corbould, born 1783, discarded the cap of maintenance of his ancestors, but used the same crest on a wreath instead. One of the old seals is still in the family, and is now in the possession of L. A. Corbould of New Milton, Hants.]

- (B) (2) . . . CORBOULD (unrecorded).

Arms :—Two Lions. [Position and colours not now known. Another version gives “ A Lion.”]

Crest :—Out of a Crown a Raven's Head.

[NOTE.—This is a very old tradition of the Corboulds of Hoxne Abbey and Bath, mentioned on account of the general accuracy of the other traditions of this branch, and that, possibly being a grant to an ancestor on the distaff side, it may be of use in tracing the lady's male ancestry.]

(C) PELHAM STEWART CORBOULD. The second grant recorded by the College of Arms, London.

Arms :—Sable, a fesse chequy azure and argent, between four buckles, three in chief and one in base or.

Mantling :—Sable and Argent.

Crest :—On a wreath of the Colours, a Corbie proper holding in the dexter claw a buckle Or.

Motto :—“Corbeau le detiendra.”

(D) The above arms “C” quartered with those of OBBARD by the College of Arms, London.

(E) WILLIAM CORBOULD-WARREN. Grant recorded by the College of Arms, London, on the occasion of William Corbould, Clerk in Holy Orders, changing his surname to Corbould-Warren.

To the original arms of his family (the first grant, see “A” above) he was empowered to add, by quartering, those of Warren; and the new grant, dated 1854, is as follows :—

Arms :—Quarterly 1 and 4, chequy ermine and azure, two flanches or, each charged with a cross patée fitchée gules (for Warren); 2 and 3, sable, on a pile between two ravens in base or, a raven of the field (for Corbould). Upon the escutcheon is placed a helmet befitting his degree, with a mantling azure and argent; and for his

Crests :—(1) Upon a wreath of the colours, upon a rock proper, a wyvern argent, winged barry of six ermine and azure (for Warren);

(2) upon a wreath of the colours, two arms embowed in armour with gauntlets proper, each charged with a rose gules and grasping a sword fesseways, point towards the dexter also proper, pendant from the blade by a chain an escutcheon or, thereon a raven sable (for Corbould); with the

Motto :—“Sola virtus invicta.”