

SIR ARCHIBALD NAPIER, Knt., who having accompanied JAMES VI. into England, was sworn of the privy council, appointed treasurer-depute of Scotland, in 1622; appointed clerk and a judge of Session, in 1623; created a *Baronet of Nova Scotia*, 2 March, 1627; and elevated to the peerage of Scotland, 4 May, in the same year, as BARON NAPIER, of *Merchistoun*. He *m.* Margaret, dau. of John, 4th Earl of Montrose, and dying in 1645, left, with two daus. (Margaret, *m.* to Sir George Stirling, of Keir; and Liliastoun, who *d. unm.*),