

Notes on the Deakin's Family:

1. The Deakeyn or Deakin family bearing the Arms I have, was from Stubbing Edge Hall - Derbyshire - The Arms were granted in 1563 & borne by H. C. Deakin of Leicestershire in 1824 -

"Copied from Beryng Encyclopedia of Arms Vol. 2.

2. John Deakin was transported into the Province of Maryland (U.S.A) in 1659 (-my ancestor)
3. Thomas Deakin transported in 1668 - (to date I have no data on this Deakin)
4. John Deakin was the son of Admiral Deakin of the British Navy. (I judge the date to be in 1600)

Notes on the Duke Family.

Richard Duke, Colonist, came to Maryland (U.S.A.) in 1634. He descended from the family of Lake-House in England, which branch originated in Devonshire.

Arms. ----- Per fesse Argent and Azure three Chaplets Countercharged.

Crest. ----- A demi Lion, or, holding a Chaplet azure.

Motto. ----- Always faithful.

" The Dukes of Maryland descended from Richard Duke, Gentleman, who came to the Province of Maryland (U.S.A.) with Gov. Leonard Calvert in 1634. He took a prominent part in the early settlement of the Province, was a close & trusted friend of the Lord Proprietor, who writes of him as

Duke family.

.2

"Our honored and trusted friend."

In 1653 Richard Duke returned to England with his wife & 2 children: Richard and Thomas, later his son William returned to England & died there unmarried.