Hubert de Burgh FitzGerald Townsend [264]

Shepperton





Townsend.—Piers Townsend, J.P., Whitehall, Church Cross, co. Cork; son of G. W. Hughes, of Ely, Wexford; educated at St. Bees, and University College, Durham. Justice of the Peace for co. Cork. Assumed the name and arms of Townsend in 1879. Married Caroline, only daughter of the late Major Noel Shore, Connaught Rangers.



Mr. C. L. U. Townshend.



Mr. M. F. S. Townshend.



Captain H. de B. F. T. S. Townshend, J.P.

Townshend. - Charles Loftus Uniacke Townshend, The Castle, Castletownshend, and 46, Lansdowne Road, Dublin; eldest son of Charles Uniacke Townshend, of Dublin, and his wife, Annie, eldest daughter of the Rev. Robert Loftus Tottenham; born in Dublin, January 7th, 1861; educated at Repton. Late Captain 5th Battalion Royal Irish Rifles. Recreations: yachting, and shooting. Married, April 27th, 1895, Beatrice Margaret, only child of the late Carl von Bunsen, of Mein, Genügen, Biebrich, Germany, and granddaughter of Baron Bunsen, formerly Prussian Minister at the English Court, and has issue Charles Richard de Bunsen Loftus, Frederick William Chisholm Loftus, Charles Maurice Waddington Loftus, Edward Arthur Penderell Loftus, Walter Bevil Granville Loftus, and Bernard Hugo Uniacke Loftus. Clubs: Sackville Street, Dublin; and Royal St. George Yacht, Kingstown.

Townshend.—Maurice Fitzgerald Stephens Townshend, Riviera Lodge, Glandore, and Iron Acton, Gloucestershire; elder son and heir of the late Henry John Townshend, J.P., 2nd Life Guards, whose wife was Jane Adeliza Clementina, eldest daughter of John Hamilton Hussey de Burgh, J.P., of Kilfinnan Castle, co. Cork; born at Castletownshend, November 4th, 1865; educated at Stubbington House, Hampshire. Lord of the Manor of Iron Acton, Gloucestershire. Mr. Townshend is the representative of the great family of Townshend, in Ireland, which traces descent from the ancient House of Townshend in Norfolk (see Shepperton House).

Townshend.—Captain Hubert de Burgh Fitzgerald TOWNSHEND STEPHENS TOWNSHEND, J.P., Shepperton Park, Leap; younger son of the late Henry John Townshend, J.P., 2nd Life Guards; born at Castletownshend, April 4th, 1867; educated at Stubbington House, Hampshire, and under Justice of the Peace for co. Cork; late military tutors. Captain 4th Battalion Essex Regiment; served in the Boer war, 1901-02; Queen's Medal and four clasps. Has travelled in every part of the world, sometimes in association with Sir Henry Lunn's cruising tours; takes keen interest in yachting; promoter of regattas round the south coast of Ireland. Recreations: yachting, shooting, and fishing. Clubs: Royal Cork Yacht; Royal Munster Yacht; Alpine Sports; and the County, Cork. Captain Townshend is younger brother to Maurice Fitzgerald Stephens Townshend, present representative of the Townshends in Ireland.

Transcript of a letter from Hubert's Aunt, Geraldine Townsend [252] to Edward Mansel Townsend [630]

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Saturday 21st. August 1897. [embossed] Thornbury House, Thornbury,
Gloucestershire.

Dear Mr. Townshend,

I heard at last from Hubert, from Lord Wicklow's place Nr. Arklow - Ireland. Shelton Abbey, Arklow, Co. Wicklow. He is coming to remain there as Sub agent! & says he must "work" - In no other way can the loss of that loved "old place" be got over. It may make a "man" & a good man of him, to have to turn his hand to the plough & become useful. He was my sub-agent at Castle Town'd. At least I lent him the shooting & gave him rooms at the Castle (& a Piano & horse!) & in return he looked after everything out of doors, & my old caretaker Mrs. Tegard a Protestant & her daughter, together with his handyman "Jack" made themselves quite happy. All I asked Hubert was always to go to Church & he was so good & exact in his top hat & Sunday coat, always in the "family pew". He will have the charge of the heir looms, & I told him to furnish his Cottage nr. Shelton Abbey from the Castle. He hates the idea of leaving anything to be tampered with by Mr.C.L.Townshend & suite. I want to give him responsibility because I understand his proud & sensitive nature as he has been so much with me both before & after my widowhood & reminds me often of my poor only brother, but avoiding the temptation of household goods removed from the Castle. It is too sad a Subject to dwell on. Pray give my love to your wife & accept the same from yrs. very sincerely Geraldine H.T.Mundy