

QUERIES.

VICTORIA AVENUE,
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NEW ZEALAND,
24th July, 1911.

REV. FATHER,

I am desirous of location of any of the Browne family who belong to the House of Camus, Co. Limerick. Walter Browne died 1633 at Camus, and is interred in the church at Kilkilane. Ulick or Ulysses Browne, of Camus, married Elizabeth, daughter of Gerald Herbert, Esq., of Ratheall, Co. Limerick, ancestor of Baron Herbert of Austria. The De Lacey family are also united by marriage to the Brownes of Camus. Walter Browne of Camus married a Miss Mary O'Madden. Count Ulysses Maximilian Browne was born in Limerick in 1705, educated at the Diocesan school there under the Rev. Cashin, then joined his uncle, Count George Browne, in Austria-Hungary, became Field-Marshal, became Knight of the Golden Fleece, the King of Poland conferring on him the Order of the White Eagle; he died in Austria from wounds received in action, on 26th June, 1752. He married, 25th August, 1726, Maria Phillipina, Countess of Martinitz of Bohemia. George Browne (Baron), Governor-General of Livonia, married The Countess De Rohat. General Count Browne of Russia married a daughter of Field-Marshal De Lacey. The family pedigree, duly certified by the College of Heralds, and other documents are in my possession. The pedigree dates back to 1154, over seven centuries. The Crest of the family is the Eagle displayed, and Motto thus, in Latin: *Fidem Servabo Genusque*.

I should be glad to learn the address of *any descendants of the Brownes of Camus*, or the *Brownes of Malrankin*. If the funeral entries

are obtainable at Kilkilane you might kindly give me some details. Details were sworn to in 1638 by Thomas Browne of Camus before the then Ulster-King-at-Arms, Thomas Preston, Esq.

It is possible there are descendants of the family still in or around Limerick. My father, James Unsworth Browne, was a native of Dublin. Born 19th May, 1823; died March 16th, 1883; he was a son of William Browne (Baron), Solicitor, Rutland square, Dublin.

Any information *re* Brownes of Camus or Malrankin I shall be grateful for. I have gone into detail to help you in being certain should any doubt arise.

Thanking you in anticipation,

I remain,

Yours faithfully,

J. ULYSSES BROWNE.

P.S.—I have written Chief of Police, Limerick, and only now heard of Kilkilane. J. U. B.

[This will be answered in next issue.—Ed.]

