

Note on Susan Blaker of Portslade, the wife of Edward Alfrey (d. 1672)

Edward Alfrey Susan Blaker of Portslade, Sussex, the family had left 'Gullege' by 1662. Shortly before the death of Edward³, his son, Edward⁴, married Susan Blaker of Portslade, Sussex, and there is evidence to show that the family had left 'Gullege' by 1662, as the Hearth Tax listed Richard Head as responsible for paying the tax on the eight hearths of 'Gullege'. It is unclear whether 'Gullege' had been sold or whether it was being tenanted out, but Edward⁴ died unexpectedly, in Shoreham in 1672, and had not made a will, so his estate passed to his wife Susan. It would appear that the 'Gullege' connection with the Alfrey family ended around this date, with the Alfrey family having moved to Shoreham, Sussex.

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