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County Index of Visits by the Queen.

'Proposed progresses': the section following this Index and Hosts' Index. Other references are to the main Text. Counties are as they were in Elizabeth's reign, disregarding later changes. (Knighted): knighted during the Queen's visit. Proposed visits are in italics.

Bedfordshire.

Bletsoe: 1566 July 17/20: proposed: Oliver 1st Lord St John. 1578: 'Proposed progresses' (letter): Lord St John.

Dunstable: 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. At The Red Lion; owned by Edward Wyngate; inn-keeper Richard Amias: 1568 Aug 9-10; 1572 July 28-29.

Eaton Socon, at Bushmead: 1566 July 17/20: proposed: William Gery.

Holcot: 1575 June 16/17: dinner: Richard Chernock.

Houghton Conquest, at Dame Ellensbury Park (royal): 1570 Aug 21/24: dinner, hunt.

Luton: 1575 June 15: dinner: George Rotherham.

Northill, via: 1566 July 16.

Ridgmont, at Segenhoe: visits to Peter Grey. 1570 Aug 21/24: dinner, hunt. 1575 June 16/17: dinner.

Toddington: visits to Henry Cheney. 1564 Sept 4-7 (knighted). 1570 Aug 16-25: now Sir Henry Cheney. (Became Lord Cheney in 1572). 1575 June 15-17: now Lord Cheney.

Willington: 1566 July 16-20: John Gostwick.

Woburn: owned by Francis Russell, 2nd Earl of Bedford. 1568: 'Proposed progresses'. 1572 July 29-Aug 1.

Berkshire.

Aldermaston: 1568 Sept 13-14: William Forster; died 1574. 1572: 'Proposed progresses'. Visits to Humphrey Forster (son); died 1605. 1592 Aug 19-23 (knighted). 1601 Sept 1-5: now Sir Humphrey Forster. 1602: 'Proposed progresses'. Aldworth Church: 1568 Sept 6? Avington: 1592 Aug 26: dinner: Alexander Choke. 1602: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Choke. Binfield: royal manor-house: 1574 July 15: dinner. Bisham, at the Abbey: visits to Hoby family. 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. (Thomas Hoby; knighted and died, 1566). 1563: February/March: proposed. 1564: 'Proposed progresses'. 1568: 'Proposed progresses': Lady Hoby (widow). 1569: December, end: proposed visit: Lady Hoby. 1586: 'Proposed progresses'. (Lady Russell, formerly Hoby, widow). 1592 Aug 12-14: Elizabeth Lady Russell, widow. Bray, at Foxleys: 1568 Sept 22: dinner: Mr Stafford. Bray, at Philberds: visits to Sir Thomas Neville (lessee, died 1582). 1570 Sept 29: dinner; 1572 Sept 27: dinner; 1575 November, start: dinner. 1601: Aug 10/22: proposed: William Goddard (lessee). Burghfield: 1592 Aug 19: dinner: Francis Plowden. 1602: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Plowden. Cookham?: 1592: Thomas Posthumous Hoby (note, July 29). Donnington: see Shaw-cum-Donnington. Englefield: 1572: 'Proposed progresses'. 1601 Sept 1: dinner: Sir Edward Norris. Finchampstead: 1602: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Harrison. (Thomas, died 1603). Foliejon Park: see Windsor Parks. Hampstead Marshall: 1592 Aug 25-26: Thomas Parry. Hurley?: 1592 Aug 14: dinner: John Hayes or John Haynes. Hurst: 1576 Oct 8-9: Richard Ward (I); died 1578. Visits to Richard Ward (II; son): knighted 1601; died 1605. 1592 Aug 14-15; 1601 Aug 24-26. Maidenhead: 1563 Aug/Sept, via (anecdote). 1592 Aug 12: dinner: Lion Inn.

Mote Park: see Windsor Parks.

Newbury: 1563: Sept 23: proposed. 1572: 'Proposed progresses'. New Lodge, and New Park: see Windsor Parks. Old Windsor (royal): 1601 Aug 10/22: dinner (twice): Richard Meredith. Philberds: see Bray. Reading, at the Abbey (royal): 1563 Sept 23: proposed. 1568 Sept 14-22. 1570 Sept 16-29. 1572 Sept 20-27. 1574 July 15-22. 1576 Sept 22-Oct 8. 1586: 'Proposed progresses'. 1592 Aug 15-19: Richard Davers, occupier. 1601 Aug 26-Sept 1: Richard Davers. Shaw-cum-Donnington: At the Castle (royal): 1568 Sept 6-13. Donnington Park (royal): 1592 Aug 24: hunt. At Shaw House: 1592 Aug 23-25: Thomas Dolman. 1602: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Dolman; see also Aug 3 (Lady Russell). Sunninghill (royal), with a park. Keeper 1557-1593: Sir Henry Neville. 1563 Aug/Sept. 1565 August, end: proposed. 1574 July 12. 1575 July 12. 1576: Aug 27: proposed. 1577 September, end. 1580 Aug 16-20. Nov 14: proposed. 1582 Sept 4-8. 1583 Aug 31-Sept 6 1584 Aug 20-22. 1590 Aug 31-Sept 5. (Sir Henry Neville died January 1593). 1593 Aug 27-Sept 1: Keeper: Henry Neville (son; in prison 1601-3). 1602 Sept 1: proposed. Swallowfield: 1602: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Backhouse. (Samuel, died 1626). Thatcham: 1568 Sept 13, via. At Chamberhouse: 1592 Aug 23: dinner: Nicholas Fuller. 1602: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Fuller. Wallingford, at the Castle (royal): 1568 Sept 2-6. 1572: 'Proposed progresses'. Welford: 1602: July 24: proposed: Sir Thomas Parry.

Windsor Castle: 1559 Aug 15,19,20: proposed. 1560 Aug 30-Sept 26. 1563 Aug 3-Dec 31. 1564 Jan 1-April 27. Dec 4: proposed. 1565 Aug 8-Sept 13. 1566 Sept 9-Sept 16. 1567 April 21: proposed. 1567 July 22-Aug 12; Aug 30-Oct 11. 1568 Sept 22-Oct 27. 1569 Sept 23-Dec 31. 1570 Jan 1-Jan 20; Sept 29-Nov 6. 1572 Sept 27-Nov 11. 1574 July 7-15. 1575 Oct 10-Dec 20. 1576 Sept 3-10; Oct 9-12. 1577 Sept 23-Dec 10. 1580 Sept 11: proposed. 1581 July 25, Aug 6: proposed. 1582 Sept 20-Dec 31. 1583 Jan 1-14. 1584 Aug 24/29: dinner. 1586 Aug 10-Oct 24. 1590 c.Sept 5-Nov 10. 1593 Aug 3-27; Sept 1-Dec 1. 1601 Aug 8-Aug 24. 1602 Aug 12: proposed. Windsor Forest: specific references to: 1563 Sept 3: hunt. 1576 Sept 3. 1580 Aug 23: Brokesgrove; Nov 12/14. 1583 Sept 3/5: dinner, hunt. 1584 Aug 20/21: Burley Bush. 1602 September, start: dinner: Mr Brooke's house in the Forest. Windsor Parks, specific references to: Great Park: 1567 Aug 25/30; 1584 c.Aug 24/29; 1590 September, mid. Little Park: 1584 Aug 24/29; 1593 August, end; 1601 Aug 10/22. Mote Park: 1580 Aug 17; 1582 Sept 5/7: dinner, hunt. 1593 August, end, twice; 1601 Aug 10/22. New Lodge: 1563 Aug 21: dinner; 1582 September, end: hunt; 1586 c.Sept 23; 1590 September, early; 1593 July, end: dinner, hunt. 1600 Sept 1: hunt; 1602 August, end: dinner, hunt. New Park: 1576 Sept 3. Foliejon Park (royal), Winkfield. 1576 Sept 4/8: dinner. Keeper: John Norris; died 1577. Keeper: William Norris (son); died 1591. dinner, and hunt: 1582 September, end; 1590 September, mid. Keeper: Mr Duck: 1601 Aug 10/22: dinner, hunt. Yattendon: 1568 Sept 6: dinner: Mr Norris (son of Sir Henry Norris). 1572: 'Proposed progresses'.

Buckinghamshire.

Amersham: 1592 Oct 4: dinner; at Shardeloes? (note). Ankerwick: see Wraysbury. Aylesbury: 1564: 'Proposed progresses'. Beachampton: 1572 Aug 4: proposed visit: Thomas Pigott. Boarstall: 1564: 'Proposed progresses': Sir Henry Lee. 1568: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Dynham. Bradenham: 1566 Sept 7-9: Edward 3rd Lord Windsor; died January 1575. 1575 Oct 8-10: Frederick 4th Lord Windsor (son). Brickhill, Great: 1568 Aug 10: dinner: Thomas Duncombe. Buckingham: 1564: 'Proposed progresses'. At Parsonage: 1568 Aug 25: dinner. Burnham: see Hitcham. Chalfont St Giles: 1576 c.Sept 3: proposed visit: John Gardiner. Chalfont St Peter: 1576 Sept 3: dinner: Sir Robert Drury. Chenies: owned by Francis Russell, 2nd Earl of Bedford. 1562: 'Proposed progresses': Lord Bedford. 1564: 'Proposed progresses'. 1570 July 19-Aug 14 (in the absence of the Earl and Countess). 1576 Aug 24,26: proposed. (The Earl died in 1585). 1592 Oct 4-7: Bridget Countess of Bedford (widow). Chicheley: visits to Mrs Elizabeth Weston, widow. 1572 Aug 1: dinner; 1575 June 17-18. Colnbrook: dinners at inns: 1574 July 7. 1575 Dec 20: inn-keeper Peter Colborne. 1583 Jan 14; 1586 Oct 24; 1592 Aug 11: Ostrich Inn. Visit to Mr Draper: 1580 Nov 11 or Nov 15: dinner. Cublington, or Linslade: 1564 Sept 2-4: Sir Andrew Corbet. Datchet: 1602 Aug 9: dinner: Richard Hanbury. Denham: 1570 July 18-19: George Peckham. 1592 Oct 7-9: William Bowyer. Ditton Park: see Stoke Poges. Eton College: 1560: Aug 30. 1569 Sept 23, via Brocas. 1580 Nov 11-15. 1590 September, end. 1592 Aug 11-12. 1593 Sept 1: proposed. 1601 c.Aug 8, via.

Eythrope: see Waddesdon. Great Hampden: 1592 Oct 2-4: Mrs Anne Hampden and William Hampden, son. Great Marlow, via: 1592 Aug 12. Hambleden, at Greenlands: 1580 Aug 11: proposed visit: Sir Henry Neville. Hitcham: 1602 Aug 3-9: Sir William Clarke. Latimer: 1576 Sept 1-3: Miles Sandys. Leckhampstead: 1575 July 5: dinner, hunt: Michael Harcourt. Linslade, or Cublington: 1564 Sept 2-4: Sir Andrew Corbet. Missenden (Great or Little): 1564: 'Proposed progresses'. Mursley, at Salden: 1572 Aug 1-4: John Fortescue; knighted 1592. 1602 July 8: proposed. Princes Risborough: 1592 Oct 2: dinner: John Reve (minister). Salden: see Mursley. Shardeloes: see Amersham. Stoke Poges: at Ditton Park (royal). 1580 Nov 12/14: hunt; 1590 September, mid: hunt. At manor-house: 1601 Aug 13: dinner: Edward Coke and wife Lady Hatton. Taplow: 1602 Aug 7: dinner, hunt: Sir Henry Guildford. Thornton: 1564 Sept 1-2: George Tyrell. Twyford: 1568: 'Proposed progresses': Sir Thomas Wenman. Tyringham: 1568, 1575: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Tyringham. (Thomas, died 1595). Upton-cum-Chalvey: 1602 August, end: George Woodward. Waddesdon, at Eythrope: 1570 Aug 28-30: Sir William Dormer. Whaddon: 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. 1568 Aug 10-13: Arthur 14th Lord Grey of Wilton. Wing: 1570 Aug 25-28: Sir William Dormer. Wooburn: visits to John Goodwin; knighted 1570. 1566 Sept 9: dinner; 1575 Oct 10: dinner: now Sir John Goodwin. Wraysbury, at Ankerwick: 1565 Aug 8: dinner: Sir Thomas Smith (abroad; wife also absent). Buckinghamshire: unidentified location. 1592 Oct 7: dinner: Mr Norris.

Cambridgeshire.

Cambridge: 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. 1564 Aug 5-10: at King's College. Provost: Dr Philip Baker. 1578: 'Proposed progresses'. Chippenham: 1578 Aug 30-Sept 1: Thomas Revet. Grantchester, via: 1564 Aug 5. Haslingfield: 1564 Aug 4-5: William Worthington. Horseheath: 1578 Sept 3-6: Sir Giles Alington. Kirtling: 1578 Sept 1-3: Roger 2nd Lord North. Linton, at Barham Hall: 1578 Aug 1: dinner: Robert Millicent. Longstanton: 1562: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Hatton. (John Hatton, died 1587). Madingley: 1578: 'Proposed progresses' (letter): Mr Hynde. (Francis Hynde, died 1596). Newnham: 1564 Aug 5: miller's house, 'to shift in'. Papworth St Agnes: 1575: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Mallory. (William Mallory, died 1585). Shelford (Great or Little): 1578: 'Proposed progresses'. Shingay: 1575: 'Proposed progresses'.

Derbyshire: proposed visits.

To George Talbot, 6th Earl of Shrewsbury, Keeper of the Queen of Scots. Buxton: 1576: June 1. Chatsworth: 1576: June 1. Tutbury, at the Castle: 1571: June 9,24.

Essex.

Abbess Roding, at Rookwood Hall: visits to Wistan Browne. 1571 Sept 13-14; 1578 Sept 17-19. 1579: 'Proposed progresses': Woodcroft Hall: Wistan Browne. Aldersbrook: see Little Ilford. Ashdon, at Waltons: 1578 Sept 5: dinner: Edward Tyrell. Audley End: see Saffron Walden. Berden: 1578 July 26: dinner: Mrs Mary Avery (widow). Birch Hall: see Theydon Bois. Boreham: at New Hall: 1561 July 22-26 (royal). Visits to Thomas Radcliffe, 3rd Earl of Sussex. 1577 July 30: proposed. 1578: 'Proposed progresses'. 1579 c.Sept 15-21. Brentwood: 1579 Sept 14: dinner: Mr Searle. Castle Hedingham: 1561 Aug 14-19: John de Vere, 16th Earl of Oxford. Chelmsford, via: 1561 July 22; 1579 c.Sept 15. Chigwell, at Chigwell Hall: 1576 Aug 7: dinner: Robert Wroth. 1597 Sept 1/3: hunt: Robert Wroth's grounds. At Luxborough Hall: visits to Stoner family. 1576 Aug 7-10; 1578 Sept 20-23: John Stoner; died 1579. 1591: 'Proposed progresses': Luxborough: Widow Stoner (Anne). Visits to Francis Stoner (John's brother). 1594 June 25-26; 1597 Aug 31-Sept 5. Chingford: hunting lodge: 1592 June 2 (note). Claybury: see Ilford. Colchester, at St John's: 1561 July 26-30: Thomas Lucas; knighted 1571. 1578: 'Proposed progresses' (and preparations): Colchester. 1579: 'Proposed progresses' (and preparations): Colchester: Sir Thomas Lucas. Coopersale: see Theydon Garnon. Copt Hall: see Epping. Cranbrook: see Ilford. Epping, at Copt Hall: visits to Thomas Heneage; knighted 1577. 1568 July 19: dinner. 1578 May 12-13: now Sir Thomas Heneage. 1595 July 11,25,31, Aug 2,9: proposed; with 2nd wife: Mary Countess of Southampton. (Sir Thomas Heneage died on October 17). Gidea Hall: see Romford.

Gosfield: 1561 Aug 19-21: Sir John Wentworth; died 1567. 1578, 1579: 'Proposed progresses': Lady Maltravers (daughter, died 1580). Great Dunmow, via: 1561 Aug 25; 1571 Sept 6. Great Easton, via: 1578 Sept 5. Great Hallingbury: 1561 Aug 25-27: Henry Parker, 11th Lord Morley; went abroad in 1570. 1576 Aug 11-14: Crown property, confiscated from Parker family. Harlow, at Mark Hall, formerly in Latton: Visits to James Altham; and wife Lady Judd. 1571 Sept 14-17; 1576 Aug 10-11; 1578 July 21-23. Harwich: 1561 Aug 2-5: at an inn: inn-keeper Thomas Hart. 1578 and 1579: 'Proposed progresses'. Hatfield Broad Oak: 1576 Aug 11: dinner: Sir Thomas Barrington. Havering: at royal manor-house: 1561 July 14-19. 1568 July 12-19. 1572 July 15-22. 1574 May 10, June 13: proposed. 1576 July 30-Aug 7. 1578 July 9-21. 1579 Sept 9-14. 1590 July 2: proposed. 1591: 'Proposed progresses'. 1594: 'Proposed progresses'; see also May 22, June 17. 1597 Aug 19-31. Havering: at Pyrgo: 1561 July 16: dinner: Lord John Grey; died 1564. Visits to Henry Grey (son), knighted 1587. 1568 July 13/17: dinner. 1576 Aug 1/4: dinner. 1597 Aug 20/30: dinner: now Sir Henry Grey. Henham Park: 1571 Sept 4: hunt. Hornchurch, via: 1597 Aug 19. Horndon-on-the-Hill: 1588 Aug 8-9: Edward Rich (visited from Tilbury Camp). Horham Hall: see Thaxted. Ilford: At Cranbrook: 1568 July 12: dinner: Thomas Powle. Location not stated: 1579 Sept 28: dinner: Thomas Fanshawe. At Claybury: 1594: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Warren: see also June 7 (Gawdy). 1597 Aug 19: dinner: Thomas Knyvett; wife, widow of Richard Warren.

Ingatestone: 1561 July 19-22: Sir William Petre; died 1572. 1578: 'Proposed progresses': Anne, Lady Petre (widow). 1579 Sept 14-15: Anne, Lady Petre; died 1582. Kelvedon, at Felix Hall: 1561 July 26: dinner: tenant of Henry Long. Latton: see Harlow. Layer Marney: 1561 July 28: proposed visit: Mr Tuke. (George, died 1572). 1579: 'Proposed progresses': Mrs Tuke. (Margaret, widow, died 1590). Leez: see Little Leighs. Leyton: 1581 July 6/8: Anne, Lady Paulet (widow). At Ruckholt: 1597 Aug 17-19: Michael Hicks. Leytonstone: 1591: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Saunderson. Little Ilford, at Aldersbrook: 1581 July 6/8: dinner: Nicholas Fuller. Little Leighs, at Leez Priory: 1561 Aug 21-25: Richard 1st Lord Rich; widower; died 1567. 1570 July 29: proposed: Lord Rich. 1571 Sept 6-13: Robert 2nd Lord Rich (son); died 1581. 1578: 'Proposed progresses': Lady Rich (wife; died 1591). 1579: 'Proposed progresses': Lord Rich. Loughton: visits to Stoner family. 1561 July 17: dinner: John Stoner; died 1579. 1581 July 5-8: Mr Stoner (Francis, brother) Luxborough: see Chigwell. Maldon: 1579: 'Proposed progresses': Mrs Harris. (Mary, widow). Manuden: 1578 Sept 13: dinner: Thomas Crawley. Mark Hall: see Harlow. Moulsham: 1579 Sept 21: dinner: Sir Thomas Mildmay. Mountnessing, at Thoby: 1579 Sept 21-22: John Butler. New Hall: see Boreham. Ongar: 1579: 'Proposed progresses' (and letter): James Morice. Pyrgo: see Havering. Romford, at Gidea Hall: 1568 July 13/17: dinner: Sir Anthony Cooke; died 1576. 1579 c.Sept 22-28: Richard Cooke (son); died October 3. Rookwood Hall: see Abbess Roding. Ruckholt: see Leyton.

Saffron Walden: 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. 1571 Aug 27, via; 1578 July 26, via. At Audley End: Lord Thomas Howard. 1571 Aug 27-Sept 3; 1578 July 26-Aug 1. St Osyth: 1561 July 30-Aug 2: John 2nd Lord Darcy of Chiche. 1570 July 29: proposed: Lord Darcy. 1578 and 1579: 'Proposed progresses': Lord Darcy. Thaxted, at Horham Hall: visits to John Cutts; knighted 1571. 1571 Sept 3-6; 1578 Sept 5-13: now Sir John Cutts. Theydon Bois, at Birch Hall: visits to Elrington (or Elderton) family. 1572 July 22: dinner: Edward Elrington; died 1578. 1578 Sept 19-20: Mrs Dorothy Elrington (widow). 1591: 'Proposed progresses': Mrs Elderton. Theydon Garnon: At Coopersale: 1576 Aug 10: dinner: Henry Archer. At Garnish Hall: 1578 July 21: dinner: John Branch. At Gaynes Park: 1578 Sept 19: dinner: Sir William Fitzwilliam. Theydon Mount: 1570 July 29: proposed: Sir Thomas Smith (died 1577). Thoby: see Mountnessing. Tilbury: at the Camp: 1588 Aug 8: arrival; Aug 9: review of army; Tilbury Speech; dinner in Earl of Leicester's tent. Waltham, at Harold's Park: 1576 Aug 15/18: hunt. Waltham Forest: 1587 July, late: hunt. 1590 June 2: dinner: Sir Richard Berkeley; hunt, Leyton Walk. 1597 Aug 18: Leyton Walk (Ralph Colston's Forester's Walk). 1597 Aug 20/30: hunts. Waltham Holy Cross, at Pyenest: 1594 June 18/22: dinner: Edmund Downing. Wanstead: 1561 July 14: dinner: Richard 1st Lord Rich; died 1567. Visits to Robert Dudley, Earl of Leicester. 1577 Feb 26-March 2. Leased by Dudley, who bought Wanstead manor in 1578. 1578 May 13-16; Sept 23: dinner. 1579 April 28-May 2; June 24-26; Aug 28-Sept 2. 1581 July 27-29. 1582: proposed visits: April, end; May 17-19. 1584 Feb 24-26. 1588 May 7-8. (Earl of Leicester died 4 September 1588). West Ham: 1578 July 9: dinner: Hercules Mewtas.

Gloucestershire and Bristol.

Berkeley, at the Castle: 1574 Aug 11-13: Lord Berkeley (absent). Boddington: 1574 Aug 6: dinner: Francis Dennys. Bristol: 1569: 'Proposed progresses' (payment). 1573 May 23: proposed. 1574 Aug 14: St Lawrence's Hospital. 1574 Aug 14-21: at St Augustine's Back: John Young (knighted). 1602: proposed: June 30, July 8,15,18,26,28. Chipping Campden: 1575 c.Aug 22: proposed: Thomas Smith. Cirencester: 1592 Sept 2-6: Sir John Danvers. Down Ampney: 1592 Sept 1-2: John Hungerford. Driffield, via: 1592 Sept 2. Frocester: 1574 Aug 10-11: George Huntley. Gloucester: 1574 Aug 6-10: Richard Pate. Iron Acton: 1574 Aug 13-14: Sir Nicholas Poyntz. Northleach: 1592 Sept 14: dinner: Thomas Parker. Rendcomb: 1592 Sept 6-9: Sir Richard Berkeley. Sherborne: visits to Thomas Dutton; died 1581. 1574 Aug 3-4; 1575 Aug 25-27. 1592 Sept 14-16: William Dutton (son). Sudeley Castle, Winchcombe: visits to Chandos family. 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. 1574 Aug 4-6: Dorothy Lady Chandos. 1575 Aug 22-25: Dorothy Lady Chandos. 1582 July 10: proposed. 1592 Sept 9-14: Giles Brydges, 3rd Lord Chandos (son). Whittington: 1592 Sept 9: dinner: John Cotton.

Hampshire and Isle of Wight.

See also: Proposed progresses: 1586, to Hampshire.

Abbotstone: see Itchen Stoke.

Alice Holt Forest: see Holt.

Basing: owned by Marquis of Winchester. 1560 Aug 23-29: William Paulet, 1st Marquis. 1569 Aug 23-30: William Paulet, 1st Marquis; died 1572. 1591 Sept 13-16: William Paulet, 3rd Marquis; died 1598. 1599 July 24: proposed: William Paulet, 4th Marquis. 1600 July 7: proposed: William Paulet, 4th Marquis. 1601 Sept 5-18: William Paulet, 4th Marquis.

Basingstoke, via: 1591 Sept 13.

Beaurepaire: see Sherborne St John.

Bedhampton: 1591 Aug 26: dinner: Sir John Caryll.

Bishop's Waltham: At Bishop of Winchester's Palace. 1569 June 28: proposed (letter). 1586 July 16: proposed. 1591 Sept 7-9: Thomas Cooper, Bishop. At Fairthorne: 1591 Sept 7: dinner: Mr Serle.

Blackwater: see Yateley.

Bramley, via: 1601 Sept 5.

Bramshott: 1591 Aug 14: dinner: Edmund Mervyn.

Calshot Castle (royal): 1569 Sept 8/12. 1591 Sept 4,6: proposed (letters).

Crondall: 1569 Aug 23, via; 1574 Sept 16, via. 1601 Sept 18-19: George Paulet.

East Tisted: 1560 Aug 8-9: John Norton; died 1561.

Elvetham: 1591 Sept 20-23: Edward Seymour, Earl of Hertford.

Fairthorne: see Bishop's Waltham.

Farleigh Wallop: 1591 Sept 11-13: Sir Henry Wallop.

Hartley Wintney: 1560 Aug 29-30: Sir John Mason; died 1566. 1569 Sept 22-23: Elizabeth Lady Mason (widow).

Herriard: 1574 Sept 14: dinner: George Puttenham; wife Lady Windsor.

Holt: Alice Holt Forest: Keeper: William West, 1st Lord De La Warr. 1591 Aug 11/13: dinner, and proposed visit for hunting. Hurstbourne Priors: Robert Oxenbridge: no visit: 1569 Sept 16 (note). Isle of Wight: 1569 proposed: June 28, July 19, Aug 1 (La Mothe); Aug 27 (De Spes). 1591 proposed: Sept 4,6. Itchen Stoke: At Abbotstone: 1569 Aug 30-31: John Paulet, Lord St John. 1574 Sept 13-14: John Paulet, now 2nd Marquis of Winchester; died 1576. 1591 Sept 9-11: William Paulet, 3rd Marquis of Winchester (son). Kingsley: 1569 Aug 15/22: hunt: Nicholas Backhouse. King's Somborne: 1574 Sept 10: dinner: Henry Gifford. Melchet Park (royal): 1569 Sept 13: Richard Audley. Micheldever: 1560 Aug 23: dinner: Edmund Clerk. Mottisfont: visits to William 3rd Lord Sandys. 1569 Sept 13-16; 1574 Sept 9-10. Netley: 1560 Aug 12-13: William Paulet, 1st Marquis of Winchester. Odiham: royal manor-house: 1560 Aug 29: dinner. 1567 Aug 25/30. 1569 Aug 23: dinner, hunt. 1574 Sept 14-16: Mr White, occupier. 1576 Sept 20-22: Francis Walsingham, occupier; died 1590. 1591 Sept 16-20: Edward More, occupier. Portchester, at the Castle: 1591 Aug 30: dinner in house-keeper's room. Portsmouth: 1560 Aug 10-12. 1584 June 30: proposed. 1591 Aug 26-28: Henry Radcliffe, 4th Earl of Sussex. Sherborne St John: At the Vyne: 1569 Sept 19-22: Elizabeth, Lady Sandys, widow of 2nd Lord Sandys. 1601 Sept 11: hunt (house occupied by Duke of Biron). Sherborne St John: At Beaurepaire: 1601 Sept 5: dinner: Sir Robert Remington. Silchester Heath, via: 1601 Sept 5.

Soberton: 1569 Aug 31: dinner: Anne, Lady Lawrence (widow). Southampton: 1560 Aug 13-16. 1569 Sept 7-13: John Caplin (I); died c.1570. 1591 Sept 4-7: Mr Caplin. South Stoneham: 1591 Sept 4: dinner: John Caplin (II) (son). South Warnborough: 1601 Sept 18: dinner: Richard White (knighted). Southwick: 1560 Aug 9-10: John White (I); died 1567. 1591 Aug 28-Sept 2: John White (II) (grandson). Steventon: 1569 Sept 19: dinner: Sir Richard Pexall. Stratfield Saye ?: 1602: 'Proposed progresses': 'at Dabscotte's'. (Thomas Dabridgecourt? }. Tichborne: 1560: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Tichborne. (Francis, died 1565). 1591 Sept 9: dinner: Benjamin Tichborne (half-brother). Tisted: see East Tisted. Titchfield: 1560: 'Proposed progresses'. (Henry, 2nd Earl of Southampton). 1569 Aug 31-Sept 7: Jane Dowager Countess of Southampton, widow of 1st Earl. 1591 Sept 2-4: Henry Wriothesley, 3rd Earl of Southampton. Vyne, The: see Sherborne St John. Warblington: 1560: 'Proposed progresses'. (George Cotton). Warnford: 1591 Sept 9: proposed: William Neale. Wherwell: 1569 Sept 16-19: Sir Adrian Poynings. Wield: 1591 Sept 11: dinner: William Wallop. Winchester, at Bishop of Winchester's Palace: 1560 Aug 16-23 (Bishopric vacant). 1574 Sept 10-13: Robert Horne, Bishop. 1586: see July 16. 1591: 'Proposed progresses' (preparations); see also Sept 9. See also: 'Anecdotes' (Westminster School and Winchester College).

Yateley, at Blackwater: 1584 Aug 8/19: hunting, coursing.

Hertfordshire.

Barkway, at Cokenach (described): 1578: 'Proposed progresses': Magdalene, Lady Chester (widow). Barnet (near): at Fold: see Middlesex: South Mimms. Bishop's Stortford, via: 1561 Aug 27; 1578 Sept 13 and 16. Brent Pelham: 1571 Aug 25-27: Crown property, confiscated from Parker family. Brockett: see Hatfield. Broxbourne: 1575 June 6: dinner: Sir George Penruddock. Bygrave: 1566 July 15-16: William Warren. Cheshunt: 1562: 'Proposed progresses': Mr (Henry) Denny. 1587 July 10/15: dinner: Gilbert Lord Talbot. Cheshunt: at Theobalds: visits to William Cecil, 1st Lord Burghley. 1564 July 26: supposed visit (note). 1571 Sept 22-25. 1572 July 22-26. 1573 Feb 23-28. 1575 May 24-June 6. 1577 May 15-18. 1578 May 7-10. 1583 May 27-31. 1585 June 14-19. 1587 July 8-20; July 21-Aug 2; Aug 4-15. 1591 May 10-20; 1594 June 13-25. 1597 March 26, April 3: proposed. 1597 Sept 5-12. (Lord Burghley died in August 1598). Gilston: 1576 Aug 14: dinner: Henry Chauncy. Gorhambury: see St Albans. Hadham: see Little Hadham. Hatfield: royal manor-house: 1558 Nov 17, Accession-Nov 23. 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. 1563 Sept 23: proposed. 1564 Aug 30. 1566 July 10-15. 1568 July 26-Aug 7. 1571 Aug 10-21. 1572 July 26: dinner. 1575 June 6-14. 1576 Aug 27-30. 1578: 'Proposed progresses'. Hatfield: At Brockett Hall: 1573 March 2-5: John Brockett; knighted 1577. 1587: 'Proposed progresses': Sir John Brockett. At Ponsbourne: 1583 May 28/30: dinner: Sir Henry Cock. 1587: 'Proposed progresses': Sir Henry Cock, at 'Fulborne'.

Hertford, at the Castle (royal): 1561 Aug 30-Sept 15. 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. 1564 Aug 1-3. 1576 July, start: proposed. 1576 Aug 20-27. 1578: 'Proposed progresses'. Hunsdon: proposed visits to Henry Carey, 1st Lord Hunsdon. 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. 1571 Sept 8: proposed. Hyde Hall: see Sawbridgeworth. Knebworth: visits to Rowland Lytton. 1566 July 15: dinner; 1568 Aug 3: dinner; 1571 Aug 21-25. Lamer: see Wheathampstead. Little Hadham: 1578 Sept 13-16: Henry Capell; wife Lady Mary Grey. Northaw: visits to Ambrose Dudley, Earl of Warwick; died 1590. 1573 Feb 28-March 2. 1576 Aug 30: dinner. 1577 May 18: dinner. 1587 July 20-21. 1597 March 26, April 3: proposed: Anne Countess of Warwick (widow). Putteridge Bury (manor in Offley parish; house in Lilley parish). 1568: 'Proposed progresses': Putteridge: Mr Docwra. (Thomas, died 1602). Rickmansworth, at The More: 1563 Sept 23: proposed. Ridge, at Tyttenhanger: 1578: 'Proposed progresses': Lady Paulet (widow, died 1593). Royston, at the Priory: 1562: 'Proposed progresses': Sir Robert Chester; died 1574. 1575: 'Proposed progresses': [Edward Chester, son, died 1577]. 1578: 'Proposed progresses' (house described): Mr Chester. (Robert, Edward's son; died 1640). St Albans: At Sopwell: visits to Sir Richard Lee. 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. 1564 Sept 7-12. At Holywell House: 1568 Aug 7-9: Sir Ralph Rowlatt. St Albans: 1572 July 26, via. 1576 July, start: proposed. 1576 Aug 30-Sept 1: Bull Inn: inn-keeper John Goodrich. St Albans: At Gorhambury: visits to Sir Nicholas Bacon. 1572 July 26-28. 1575: 'Proposed progresses'. 1576 Sept 1: dinner. 1577 May 18-22.

Sandon: 1564 Aug 3-4: William Hyde. Sawbridgeworth, at Hyde Hall: 1578 Sept 16-17: Henry Heigham. Standon: visits to Sir Ralph Sadler. 1561 Aug 27-30. 1575: 'Proposed progresses'. 1578 July 23-26. Stanstead Abbots: At Stanstead Bury: visits to Edward Bashe. 1571 Sept 17-22. 1575: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Bashe. 1576 Aug 14-20. 1578 May 10-12. Theobalds: see Cheshunt. Tring: At Pendley: 1570 Aug 14-16: Edmund Verney. Watton-at-Stone: 1578: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Butler. 1587: 'Proposed progresses': Sir Philip Butler. Wheathampstead: At Lamer: 1575 June 14-15: Sir John Butler.

Huntingdonshire.

Fenstanton: 1564 Aug 10: dinner: Richard Cox, Bishop of Ely. Godmanchester, via: 1564 Aug 10. Great Staughton: 1578: 'Proposed progresses' (letter): Sir James Dyer. Huntingdon: At Hinchingbrooke: owned by Henry Cromwell. 1562: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Cromwell. 1564 Aug 10-12: Henry Cromwell (knighted). 1575: 'Proposed progresses'. 1578: 'Proposed progresses' (letter). Kimbolton, at the Castle: visits to Thomas Wingfield. 1564 c.Aug 12-16; 1566 July 20-22. Leighton Bromswold: visits to Sir Robert Tyrwhit (I); died 1572. 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. 1566 July 22: dinner. 1575: 'Proposed progresses': Sir Henry Darcy (son-in-law). Somersham: 1578: 'Proposed progresses' (letter): Cox, Bishop of Ely.

Kent. See also: Proposed progresses: 1596: in Kent, to review troops. Baston Heath, via: 1574 July 21. Beckenham: 1573: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Damsel. Benenden, at Hemsted: 1573 Aug 8-11: Thomas Guildford. Birling, at Comfort: 1573 July 29-Aug 1: Henry Nevill 6th Lord Abergavenny. Blackheath: 1582 June 7. Blackwall, via: 1573 Jan 31; 1575 April 20; 1581 June 20; 1597 May 7. Boughton Malherbe: 1573 Aug 17-19: Thomas Wotton. Brabourne: see Smeeth. Canterbury: At St Augustine's Abbey (royal): 1573 Sept 3-16. At Archbishop's Palace: 1573 Sept 7: dinner: Matthew Parker. In Canterbury: 1582 Feb 6: dinner, with Duke of Alençon. At Hackington: 1582 Feb 5-13: Sir Roger Manwood. Chislehurst: 1597 July 22: dinner: Richard Carmarden. At Scadbury: 1597 July 20-22: Thomas Walsingham (knighted). Cobham, at Cobham Hall: visits to William Brooke 10th Lord Cobham. 1559 July 18-21. 1573 Sept 23: dinner. 1579 Aug 28: dinner. 1581 Dec 14 (Manners), 18, 25: proposed. Cranbrook, via: 1573 Aug 14. The George Inn. See also: Sissinghurst. Dartford: At the Priory (royal): 1559 July 17-18; 1573 Sept 23-25. At Horsman's Place: 1582 Feb 16-17: Nicholas Beer. Deal, at the Castle (royal): 1573: 'Proposed progresses'. Deptford (royal house): 1560 April 13: dinner; c.April 26: dinner aboard ship, mock battle. 1573 Nov 2/23: twice, for launch of ships, 1577 July 1/18: for launch of two ships. 1581 April 4: dinner; visit aboard The Golden Hind; knighting of Drake. 1581 Dec 18: proposed. 1582 June 1/29: for launch of The Golden Lion. 1595 Feb 3/18: for launch of The Scourge of Malice. Deptford: at Lord Admiral Howard's house:

Dover, at the Castle (royal): Keeper: Lord Cobham. 1573 Aug 25-31. 1582 Jan 28: proposed: at the Castle (Mendoza). 1582 Feb 4: proposed: at The Queen's Arms. Eltham (royal): 1559 Aug 2-4. 1560 May 29: dinner; Nov 27: Lord Robert Dudley's banquet; hunt. 1563 Sept 23, Nov 23: proposed. 1568 via Eltham (twice): April 6. Keeper, 1568 July-1591: Christopher Hatton. 1569 July 10. 1576 June, end: dinner. 1581 June 29: dinner, hunt; September, start. 1596 Aug 22/27: hunt: Little Park; Sept, end: dinner, hunt: Little Park. 1597 July 20: dinner, hunt: Middle Park. 1598 July, end: Home Park, hunt. Keeper: John Lee. 1598 July, end: Little Park, hunt. Keeper: Hugh Miller. 1599 July, start: dinner, hunt. 1601 July, end: Little Park: dinner, hunt: Hugh Miller. 1602 July 1/24: Great Park: dinner, hunt: Sir Thomas Walsingham. July 1/24: Little Park: three hunts: Hugh Miller. July 15: dinner, hunt: Eltham Palace and Park: Sir John Stanhope. July 19: Eltham Park: hunt. Erith: 1588 April 25/30: dinner: Mr Compton; Aug 9-10: Henry 1st Lord Compton. Faversham: 1573 Sept 16-18 (at an inn). 1582 Feb 5, via; Feb 13-14 (at an inn). Folkestone, via: 1573 Aug 25. Gillingham: 1559 July 20: dinner. 1573 Sept 21: visit. Goudhurst: At Bedgebury: 1573 Aug 7-8: Alexander Culpeper. Gravesend: 1581 Dec 18: proposed. Greenwich? 1561 June 24: dinner: Lord Robert Dudley. Greenwich: 1561 June 24: aboard Bark of Boulogne for river 'triumph'. 1588 Nov 9: visit to Drake's new ship. Dec 5: dinner aboard Thomas Cavendish's The Desire. 1596 May 5: Mr Weston's garden, to see French envoys. 1600 June 10: dinner: Lady Lumley, wife of Lord Lumley.

Greenwich Palace: 1559 March 31; May 17; June 21-July 17. 1560 May 14-July 29; Nov 27-28. 1561 April 26-July 10. 1562 June 5-Sept 16. 1563 June 14-July 20. 1564 July 7-21. 1565 May 12: dinner; June 27-July 14. 1566 Feb 5-June 28. 1567 Dec 13,29: proposed. 1568 April 6-July 6. 1569 May 6-July 21. 1571 March 1-31; Oct 23-Dec 12. 1572 April 10-May 6. 1573 Jan 31-Feb 23; March 9-July 15; Sept 25-Nov 24. 1574 March 3-June 30. 1575 April 20-May 23. 1576 April 26-May 9; May 19-July 9. 1577 April 29/May 6-May 14; May 23-July 19. 1578 March 3-May 6; May 16-July 9; Sept 23-25. 1579 July 2-Aug 28; Sept 2-9; Sept 28-Dec 22. 1581 June 20-July 5; July 8-July 27; July 29-Sept 22. 1582 Feb 17-May 21; May 23-July 10. 1583 April 18-May 27; May 31-July 30. 1584 April 30-May 30; Dec 22-31. 1585 Jan 1-Feb 5; Feb 27-March 26; March 30-April 28; May 3-June 14; June 19-July 20; Dec 18-31. 1586 Jan 1-July 11; Dec 21-31. 1587 Jan 1-April 27; May 29-July 8; Dec 23-31. 1588 Jan 1-Jan 19; Jan 26-April 12; April 20-May 1; May 4-May 7; May 8-July 5; Oct 25-Nov 16; Nov 29-Dec 21. 1590 Jan 24-May 28; June 6-July 31. 1591 Feb 13-May 5; May 22-July 30. 1592 April 21-July 28. 1594 March 26-May 7; May 13-29; June 28-Oct 1; Dec 11-31. 1595 Jan 1-Jan 30; Feb 1-Feb 19; May 3-Aug 18. 1596 April 3-Oct 1. 1597 May 7-July 20; July 22-Aug 17. 1598 May 2-Sept 12. 1599 April 3-July 27. 1600 April 18-June 16; June 17-July 29. 1601 May 7-Aug 6. 1602 April 17-July 28. Hackington: see Canterbury. Halden: see Tenterden. Hothfield: 1573 Aug 19-21: John Tufton. Kilndown, via: 1573 Aug 7. Knole: see Sevenoaks. Leeds Castle: 1573: 'Proposed progresses'. [St Leger family].

Lewisham: royal manor-house, lessee Sir Francis Knollys. 1585 April 1/27: dinner. 1588 April 25/30: dinner (or at Sir Richard Bulkeley's?). At Sydenham: visits to Dr William Aubrey; died 1595. 1590 July, end: dinner; hawking, Sydenham Park (royal). 1592 April 21: dinner. At Sydmoncourt: 1602 May 1: dinner, Maying: Sir Richard Bulkeley. Littlebourne, via: 1573 Sept 3. Lullingstone, or Orpington: 1559 July 28: dinner: Sir Percival Hart. Maidstone: 1573: 'Proposed progresses'. 1586: 'Proposed progresses' (payment). Newington: 1582 Feb 3 and Feb 14: dinners: John Cobham. Northfleet, via: 1581 Dec 18: proposed. 1582 Feb 1. Orpington: visits to Sir Percival Hart. 1559 July 28: dinner (or at Lullingstone). 1573 July 21-24. Otford: royal manor-house: 1559 July 21-Aug 2. 1573 July 27: dinner: Sir Henry Sidney (lessee). Queenborough: see Sheppey. Rochester: 1573 Sept 19-22: Crown Inn: inn-keepers John and William Bowle. 1573 c.Sept 21: dinner aboard ship. 1582 Feb 1-3 and Feb 14-16: Crown Inn: inn-keepers Bowle family. Rochester, at Satis House, owned by Richard Watts; died 1579. 1573 Sept 22-23: visit, and river 'triumph'. 1582 Feb 2: dinner: Mrs Marian Watts (widow). Sandgate, at the Castle (royal): 1573 Aug 25: dinner. Sandwich: 1573 Aug 31-Sept 3: Mrs Manwood (widow of John or Thomas). 1582 Feb 4: proposed: Mr Manwood. 1596 see March 26. Scadbury: see Chislehurst. Sevenoaks, at Knole: 1573 July 24-29: John Lennard (lessee). Sheppey, Isle of: 1559 July 9,29: proposed. 1560 July 25: proposed: Queenborough. 1573: 'Proposed progresses'.

Sissinghurst: 1573 Aug 14-17: Richard Baker. Sittingbourne: 1573 Sept 18-19: James Cromer. 1581 Dec 18: proposed. 1582 Feb 3-5: George Inn. Smarden, via: 1573 Aug 19. Smeeth: 1573 Aug 24: dinner: Sir Thomas Scott. Southfleet: 1582 Feb 1: dinner: John Sedley. Stanford: At Westenhanger: 1573 Aug 21-25: 'Customer' Thomas Smith. Strood, via: 1582 Feb 1. Sundridge: 1581 September, start: William Isley. Sutton-at-Hone: 1573 Sept 23: visit/proposed visit: Henry Cobham. Swanscombe: 1582 Feb 16: dinner: Ralph Weldon. Sydenham: see Lewisham. Tenterden, at Halden: 1573: 'Proposed progresses': Sir Henry Sidney. Tunstall: 1573 Sept 19: dinner: William Cromer. Westenhanger: see Stanford. West Peckham: 1573 Aug 1: dinner: Sir Thomas Cotton. Wingham: 1573 Sept 3: dinner: Thomas Palmer. Woolwich: 1559 July 3: aboard The Elizabeth Jonas: supper. 1572 April 10 (during April/May). 1596 April 14: aboard The Due Repulse. 1598 May 2 (during May/September). 1598 June, end: proposed visit to The Elizabeth Jonas. 1601 July, end: aboard The Advantagia. Wye, at Olantigh: 1573: 'Proposed progresses': Sir Thomas Kempe: see also Aug 21.

Leicestershire.

Ashby-de-la-Zouch: owned by Henry Hastings, 3rd Earl of Huntingdon; died 1595. 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. 1576 July 6,11: proposed. Belvoir Castle: Earls of Rutland. 1562: 'Proposed progresses': Henry Manners, 2nd Earl; died 1563. 1568 Dec 10 (note). 1575: 'Proposed progresses'; see also June 4: Edward Manners, 3rd Earl. Garendon: 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. [2nd Earl of Rutland]. Launde: 1564 Aug 18-23: Henry 2nd Lord Cromwell. Leicester: 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. 1575: 'Proposed progresses' (preparations). 1576: 'Proposed progresses' (preparations); see also July 6. 1585: 'Proposed progresses' (preparations). Loughborough: 1562, 1575, 1585: 'Proposed progresses'.

Misterton: 1566 Aug 16-17: Michael Pulteney; died 1567. 1575: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Pulteney.

Lincolnshire.

Barton-upon-Humber: 1575: 'Proposed progresses'.

Bourne: Grimsthorpe Castle: 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. 1566 Aug 5-7: Katherine Duchess of Suffolk; with 2nd husband Richard Bertie.

Burghley House: see Stamford.

Glentworth: 1575: 'Proposed progresses': Sir Christopher Wray (died 1592).

Irnham: 1566 Aug 9-10: John? Thimelby.

Lincoln: 1575: 'Proposed progresses'.

Marston: 1575: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Thorold. (Anthony, died 1594).

Thornton Curtis: 1575: 'Proposed progresses'.

Sempringham: 1566 Aug 7-9: Edward 9th Lord Clinton.

Stamford: 1564 July 4: proposed (letter).
At Burghley House: 1566 Aug 4-5: proposed: Sir William Cecil.
At Greyfriars: 1566 Aug 5: dinner: Sir William Cecil.

Wrawby, at Kettelby: 1575: 'Proposed progresses': Sir Robert Tyrwhit (II); died 1581.

Lincolnshire: not located: 1566 Aug 6: dinner: Lady Eleanor Neville; wife of William Pelham.

London, the Strand, and Westminster.

Arundel House, Strand: owner: Henry Fitzalan, 12th Earl of Arundel. 1567 Feb 10 (in Earl of Arundel's absence abroad). Visits to Philip Howard, 13th Earl of Arundel (son-in-law). 1580 Nov 17-19 (for Accession Day Tilt). 1581 May 4: supper given by Earl of Sussex to Queen and Frenchmen. 1584 Dec 9: supper. 1585 February, early; see also July 7 (chaplain's description). (Arundel was in the Tower from April 1585 until his death in 1595). 1602 Dec 15: dinner: Charles Howard, Earl of Nottingham; lessee. Baynard's Castle: visits to William Herbert, 1st Earl of Pembroke. 1559 April 25: supper. 1562 Jan 15-16. 1564 June 28: dinner, to view St Peter's Watch. 1566 Feb 14: dinner. (1st Earl of Pembroke died in 1570). 1575 April/May: Katherine, Countess of Pembroke, wife of 2nd Earl; in her sickness: see letters April 16, May 8,13. Visit to Sir Robert Sidney (brother-in-law of 2nd Earl). 1600 Dec 10. Bedford House: visits to Cecilia of Sweden: 1565 Sept 14; Oct 7; Oct 14. Visits to Ambrose Dudley, Earl of Warwick. 1590 Jan 27 (in sickness); two visits (note). (The Earl died Feb 21). See also: Russell House. Bishopsgate: At Gresham House: 1571 Jan 23: dinner: Sir Thomas Gresham. At Fisher's Folly: visit to Jasper Fisher. 1572 July 15: proposed. 1573 March 6-9. (Gresham and Fisher both died in 1579). Blackfriars: visits to Sir George Carey. 1592 July 26: dinner: Sir George Carey. (Became Lord Hunsdon 1596). 1601 June 9, and further visits: now Lord Hunsdon. Dec 29: dinner; play. 1602 April 19: and further visits. Nov 23: visit. Dec 4: proposed. Blackfriars, visits for marriage of Anne Russell. 1600 June 16: dinner: Lady Russell (mother); via: Dr William Paddy. June 16-17: Henry Brooke, 11th Lord Cobham. Cecil House, Strand: visits to Sir William Cecil. 1561 July 13: supper. 1563 May 13: supper. 1564 July 6: supper. 1567 May 28: supper. (Cecil was created Lord Burghley, February 1571). 1571 Dec 19: dinner: now Lord Burghley. 1581 July 13. 1591 July 19: for review of horsemen in Covent Garden. 1593 Feb 5-14. 1594: proposed: Feb 28. July 15: visit. 1595 Jan 30-Feb 1; also by June 7. 1596 April 8. 1598 July 5: dinner; in his last illness. (Lord Burghley died Aug 4).

Charterhouse: see Middlesex. City of London: ceremonial entries: 1558 Nov 28: to the Tower of London. 1559 Jan 14: pre-Coronation entry. 1561 July 14: start of progress in Essex and Suffolk. 1571 Jan 23: to name the Royal Exchange. 1588 Nov 24: to St Paul's for Armada Thanksgiving. Durham House/Place, Strand (royal): 1565 April 27; and again by May 5; also May 8: to visit Earl of Leicester. 1565 July 16: supper: Sir Ambrose Cave: after his daughter's marriage. 1566 May 25: supper: Earl of Leicester. Ely House: see Middlesex: Holborn. Hances House (royal), Westminster: 1584 May 14: dinner: Lady Howard of Effingham, wife of 2nd Lord. Visits to Charles 2nd Lord Howard of Effingham. 1585 Nov 16-19. 1587 Oct 24-26; Nov 17-Nov 21. 1595 March 12: dinner. (Howard became Earl of Nottingham, October 1597). 1600 July 10: Elizabeth Lady Southwell (widow), the Earl's daughter. Heneage House: visits to Sir Thomas Heneage. 1584 Jan 15. 1591 July 1? (entertainment). Hertford House, Westminster: Anne, Duchess of Somerset: 1560 Nov 27: reference to visits. Visits to Edward Seymour, Earl of Hertford (son). 1596 June, end; November, end. Huntingdon House: 1566 March 30: Catherine (Pole), Dowager Countess of Huntingdon. 1571 Dec 23: dinner: Henry Hastings, 3rd Earl of Huntingdon. 1595 Dec 20: Catherine (Dudley), Countess of Huntingdon (condolence). Hyde Park: 1569 March 28: Muster of Gentlemen Pensioners. 1576 July 24/28: supper; hunt. 1581 May/June: hunt; November, end: hunt. Leicester House, Strand: visits to Robert Dudley, Earl of Leicester. 1571 Jan 16/20: dinner. 1572 by Aug 10 (note). 1573 Nov 24-26. 1574 Nov 20-c.Nov 25. 1576 May 9-10. 1577 by May 27, evening visit. 1578 Feb 27-March 3; April 5; April 28; by Oct 7: dinner. 1579 Jan 30: visit. 1581 April 27: dinner. 1585 May 19: dinner. (Earl of Leicester died in 1588).

Marylebone Park: 1576 July 24/28: supper; hunt. 1581 May/June: hunt; November, end: hunt. Mile End Green, via: 1587 Dec 23. Oxford Place: 1566 April 2: attempted meeting with Earl of Leicester. Paulet House: 1564 July 26: dinner: William Paulet, 1st Marquis of Winchester. Royal Exchange: 1571 Jan 23, to re-name the Bourse. Russell House: 1599 June 25: dinner: Alice Dowager Countess of Derby. Sackville House: 1564 July 5: dinner, supper: Sir Richard Sackville. 1600 by Dec 4: Thomas Sackville, Lord Buckhurst (son). St James's Palace: 1561 Sept 22-Dec 10. 1564 Sept 13-Dec 7. 1566 June 28-July 8. 1571 Sept 8,21: proposed. 1572 May 6-June 10. 1575 March 25-April 20. 1576 July 9-July 23. 1581 March 20-April 20. 1582 Feb 12,17: proposed. 1583 Oct 5-Nov 25; Nov 29-Dec 20. 1584 Nov 12-Dec 22. 1588 July 29-Aug 8; Aug 10-Oct 25. 1593 Feb 23-April 21. 1595 Feb 22-March 1. 1602 November, start: proposed. St James's Park: specific references. 1559 May, end: supper, in tents; with Lord Robert Dudley. 1561 Nov 26: archery match; see also Dec 9. 1571 June 23: to review soldiers. 1581 November, end: hunt. 1588 Aug 12 onwards: shows of horsemen. Aug 18: verses presented. Aug 20-24, 26: shows of horsemen. St James's Park houses: 1598 Feb 27, March 1: proposed: Sir William Knollys, to shrove. 1599 Jan 8: Frances, Lady Burgh, widow of Lord Burgh. 1602 May 5: dinner: Sir William Knollys and wife, Lady Chandos. St Paul's Cathedral: 1562 Jan 1 (alleged visit), see note. 1588 Nov 24: Cathedral, and Paul's Cross: Armada Thanksgiving. Bishop of London's Palace: dinner: John Aylmer. Salisbury Court: 1580 March 10: French Ambassador, Mauvissière.

Savoy, Strand (royal): 1565 Christmas/New Year: to Cecilia of Sweden, with a play. 1594 Dec 7: dinner: Sir Thomas Heneage; wife Countess of Southampton. 1600 Dec 22: dinner/proposed dinner: Sir Robert Cecil. Somerset House, Strand (royal): 1558 Dec 5-22. 1562 Nov 9-Dec 21. 1571 Jan 15-31. 1573 Jan 27-31; Nov 26-Dec 19. Keeper, 1574-1596: Henry Carey 1st Lord Hunsdon. 1582 May 21-23: marriage of Lord Hunsdon's daughter. 1583 March, end: proposed; c.July 10 for a marriage? 1585 Feb 5-27. 1587 Dec 6-23. 1588 Nov 16-29. 1589 Nov 15-Dec 2. 1590 Nov 14-25. 1593 Feb 17-23. 1594 March 19; Nov 15-16; Nov 27-Dec 11. 1595 June, start: proposed. 1596 by July 23? (note). (Lord Hunsdon died July 23). 1597 March, end. Keeper: Anne, Lady Hunsdon. Strand: visits to Sir Robert Cecil. 1593 Jan 30-Feb 1. 1594 July 12. 1596 Dec 23: dinner. 1602 Dec 6: dinner, at new house. Tower of London: 1558 Nov 28-Dec 5. 1559 Jan 12-14. 1561 July 10: to the Mint. 1565 May 22: to the Arsenal. 1572 June 1: eve of Duke of Norfolk's execution. Tower Hill, at Lumley House: 1584 Jan 9: John Lord Lumley. Walsingham House: 1587 Nov 20: dinner: Sir Francis Walsingham. Westminster: 1560 by Oct 26: supper, Lord Robert Dudley. 1564 Sept 20: dinner: Elizabeth Lady Marquis of Northampton. 1565 July 17: Mrs Katherine Astley (died July 18). Westminster Abbey: 1559 Jan 15: Coronation. For sermon at Opening of Parliament: 1559 Jan 25; 1563 Jan 12; 1571 April 2; 1572 May 8; 1584 Nov 23; 1589 Feb 4; 1593 Feb 19; 1597 Oct 24; 1601 Oct 27. Westminster: numerous visits to Parliament, for Opening, Presentation of Speaker; and for Closing. See Subject Index: Parliament. See also 'Anecdotes' (Westminster School).

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Whitehall Palace:
1558 Dec 22-31.
1559 Jan 1-12; Jan 14-June 21; Sept 28-Dec 31.
1560 Jan 1-May 14; Nov 15-27; Nov 28-Dec 31.
1561 Jan 1-April 26; Oct 28: bear-baiting; Dec 10-31.
1562 Jan 1-15; Jan 16-June 5; Dec 21-31.
1563 Jan 1-June 14.
1564 July 4-7; July 21-26; Dec 7-31.
1565 Jan 1-June 27; July 14-17; Sept 13-Oct 29; Oct 31-Dec 31.
1566 Jan 1-Feb 5; Sept 27-Dec 31.
1567 Jan 1-16; Feb 1-June 11; Dec 22-31.
1568 Jan 1-April 6.
1569 Feb 8-May 6.
1571 Jan 31-March 1; March 31-June 7; June 9-July 7; Dec 12-31.
1572 Jan 1-April 10; June 10-July 15.
1573 Dec 19-31.
1574 Jan 1-12.
1575 March 31: Maundy.
1576 Feb 6-April 26; July 23-30.
1577 Feb 12-26; March 2-April 29/May 6.
1579 Jan 24-April 28; May 2-June 24; June 26-July 2; Dec 22-31.
1580 Jan 1-Feb 15; Feb 16-May 27; Nov 17: Tilt; Dec 6-31.
1581 Jan 1-March 20; April 20-June 20; Nov 16-Dec 31.
1582 Jan 1-Feb 1.
1583 Dec 20-31.
1584 Jan 1-Feb 24; Feb 26-April 30; Nov 17 and Dec 6: Tilts.
1587 Nov 18: Tilt.
1588 Nov 17: Tilt.
1589 Jan 30-May 26; May 28-June 9; June 11-19; Nov 17: Tilt.
1590 Jan 27: via; Nov 17: dinner, Tilt; Nov 19: Tilt.
1591 Nov 15-Dec 31.
1592 Jan 1-April 7.
1593 March 4: sermon; April 21-May 2.
1594 March 19-26; Nov 16-27.
1595 March 1-May 3; Aug 18-21; Nov 14-27; Dec 19-23.
1596 Nov 17-Dec 31.
1597 Jan 1-May 7; Oct 20-Dec 31.
1598 Jan 1-May 2; Nov 13-Dec 31.
1599 Jan 1-Feb 10; Nov 13-Dec 7.
1600 Jan 12: proposed.
1600 Nov 13-Dec 31.
1601 Jan 1-May 7; Oct 24-Dec 31.
1602 Jan 1-Feb 19; Nov 15-Dec 31.
1603 Jan 1-21.
York House, Charing Cross:
1565 March 2: Sir Nicholas Bacon, with play, masque.
1599 Nov 28: to visit Earl of Essex.
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Middlesex.

Bethnal Green: 1572 July 15: dinner: Joan, Lady White (widow). Brentford: 1583 Nov 25; Nov 29: dinners: Thomas Wilkes. 1601 Aug 7: at an inn. Charterhouse: Visits to Edward 1st Lord North (died 1564): 1558 Nov 23-Nov 28. 1561 July 10-July 14. Visits to Thomas Howard 4th Duke of Norfolk: 1568 by Jan 2; July 6-July 12. (Norfolk was executed in 1572). Visit to Philip Howard, Earl of Surrey (Duke of Norfolk's son). 1580 Feb 15-Feb 16, for marriage of the Earl's sister. Visits to Lord Thomas Howard (also Duke of Norfolk's son). 1598 March 20: christening of his child. 1603 Jan 17: dinner. Chelsea: manor-house: 1559 April, end. Locations at Chelsea not stated: 1579 Jan 24: 'to shift in'; 1583 July 30: dinner; 1589 April 5. 1602 Nov 8: proposed. Chelsea: manor-house: visits to Charles 2nd Lord Howard of Effingham. 1593 Feb 1-Feb 5. 1595 April, end: proposed. 1597 Feb 19: dinner; Oct 20: dinner. (Created Earl of Nottingham Oct 24). 1599 Nov 13: dinner; Dec 7: visit. 1600 Jan 19: dinner. Chelsea: visits to Gilbert Talbot, 7th Earl of Shrewsbury. 1598 Nov 13: dinner; 1599 Feb 10: dinner; 1600 Nov 13: dinner. On river past new house of Sir Arthur Gorges, with verses: 1599 Nov 13. Chelsea: visits to house of Henry Clinton, 2nd Earl of Lincoln. 1601: April 28: thwarted visit; May 2: dinner (Earl absent). Chiswick: 1574 Oct 25/30: dinner: Lady Sidney, wife of Sir Henry Sidney. 1602 July 28-July 29: Sir William Russell. Clerkenwell: 1587: 'Proposed progresses': St John's. Drayton: see West Drayton. Ealing, at Gunnersbury: 1571 Aug 9: dinner: John Spelman. East Bedfont: visits to John Draper. 1592 Oct 9: dinner; 1602 Sept 9 and 11: dinners. Edmonton: 1583 May 27: dinner: Elizabeth, Lady Nicholas (widow); died summer 1583. 1585 June 19: dinner: Thomas Bressie; died 1592. 1597 Sept 5: dinner: John Woodward (son-in-law of Bressie).

Ely House: see Holborn. Enfield: manor-house (royal): 1561 Sept 15-22. 1564 July 26-Aug 1. 1568 July 19-26. 1575: 'Proposed progresses'. 1597 Sept 10: dinner, hunt: Sir Robert Cecil (Keeper). Enfield: visit to Henry Middlemore: 1587 May: 'proposed progresses'. 1587 c.Aug 2-4. Enfield: at Durants: visits to Robert Wroth: 1591 May 10: dinner. 1594 June 25: dinner. Enfield Chase and Forest: hunting: 1587 c.Aug 3; 1597 Sept 9. Friern Barnet: 1594 June 12-13: Sir John Popham. Fulham: At Bishop of London's palace. 1588 Jan 19-20: John Aylmer, Bishop. 1601 Aug 6-7: Richard Bancroft, Bishop. Gunnersbury: see Ealing. Hackney: 1565 Jan 25. 1568 Feb 12: proposed. Hackney: King's Place: visits to Sir Rowland Hayward. 1583 May 31: dinner. 1587 May: 'Proposed progresses'. 1587 July 8: dinner. 1588 April 12-20. 1590 May 28-June 4. 1591 May 5-10; May 20-22. (Sir Rowland died in 1593). 1594 June 26-28: Catherine, Lady Hayward (widow). 1596 March 13: proposed. 1597 Aug 17: dinner: Lady Hayward. 1600 April 4: proposed. Hammersmith: At Palingswick: 1592 April 7: dinner: William Payne. Hampton: 1568 by Nov 29: conference in unnamed house. Hampton Court Lodge: Visits to Charles Howard, Earl of Nottingham. 1600 Sept 11: visit of condolence. 1602 Sept 28.

Hampton Court: 1559 Aug 10-17; Aug 22-Sept 28. 1560 Sept 26-Nov 15. 1561 October, start: proposed. 1562 Sept 16-Nov 9. 1563 Sept 23: proposed. 1565 July, end: proposed. 1567 Oct 11-Dec 22. 1568 Oct 27-Dec 31. 1569 Jan 1-Feb 8. Sept 18,19,23: proposed (La Mothe's dispatches). 1570 Jan 20-June 19; Nov 6-Dec 31. 1571 Jan 1-15; July 7-Aug 9; Oct 1/23. 1572 May 28: proposed. Nov 11-Dec 31. 1573 Jan 1-27. 1574 Jan 12-Feb 9; Feb 13-18; Feb 20-March 2; Oct 1-19; Oct 22-Nov 20; Nov 25-Dec 31. 1575 Jan 1-Feb 5; Dec 20-31. 1576 Jan 1-Feb 6; Oct 12-Dec 31. 1577 Jan 1-Feb 12; Aug 23: dinner; Dec 10-31. 1578 Jan 1-Feb 25. Christmas: proposed. 1580 Nov 21/Dec 5: coursing. 1583 August, start: proposed. Nov 25-29. 1584 Oct 6-Nov 4. 1586 July 12-July 15. 1589 January, end; September, end: dinner. 1590 December, end. 1591 Oct 4: dinner. 1592 April 10-14; Oct 9-Dec 31. 1593 Jan 1-30; Feb 14-17; June 22: dinner; Dec 1-31. 1594 Jan 1-March 19. 1599 Sept 3-6; see Oct 3. 1600 Sept 20,26, Oct 3: proposed. Hampton Wick: 1593 Dec 21. Hanworth: visits to Anne, Duchess of Somerset; died 1587. 1577 Sept 12: dinner; 1580 Aug 25: dinner. Hanworth: visits to William Killigrew: 1590 Aug 18: dinner, hunt. 1592 Aug 10-11. 1600 Jan 16, April 4: proposed. Sept 4: dinner, hunt. 1601 Aug 7-8. Harefield: 1602 July 31-Aug 3: Sir Thomas Egerton and wife Alice Countess of Derby. Harlington: 1602 July 29-31: Ambrose Copinger. Harmondsworth: 1580 Nov 11 or Nov 15: dinner: Mr Drury. Harrow: visits to William Wightman; died 1580. 1564 Sept 12: dinner. 1571 Sept 25-26. 1578: 'Proposed progresses': Harrow on the Hill. 1587 c.Aug 16-17: Mrs Audrey Wightman (widow).

Hendon: 1566 July 8-10: William Herbert, 1st Earl of Pembroke; died 1570. 1571 Aug 9-10: Edward Herbert (son). 1576 July, start: proposed: Mr Herbert. 1594 June 10-12: Sir John Fortescue. Highgate: 1558 Nov 23, via. 1576 July, start: proposed: Mr Lichfield. 1577 May 23: dinner: Thomas Lichfield. Visits to Douglas Lady Sheffield; husband Sir Edward Stafford. 1582 March, end; 1589 June 9-11. Visits to Sir William Cornwallis. 1594 June 7-10 (knighted). 1597 Sept 12-19. 1601 May 2: dinner, 'Maying'. Highgate: 1587: 'Proposed progresses': Henry 4th Earl of Sussex. Highgate: proposed: 1595 Aug 8; 1596 March 13; 1600 April 4. Holborn: at Ely House: visits to Sir Christopher Hatton. 1587 Nov 21-Dec 6. 1588 Aug 19: dinner, and review of troops. 1589 May 1: dinner. 1590 June 4-6; Nov 16: 'secretly'. 1591 Nov 11-15, in his last illness. (Hatton died November 20). Holywell: see Shoreditch. Hounslow: 1567 April 21: proposed. 1588 Jan 20-25: Thomas Crompton; died 1601. 1602 July 29: dinner: Mr Whitby. Isleworth: 1577 July 24: supper: Margaret, Countess of Derby. See also: Osterley. Islington: 'taking the air': 1582 Feb 4; 1597 by April 30. Kensington: 1588 Jan 25: dinner: Ferdinando Malin. 1597 Sept 19: dinner: Walter Cope. Laleham: 1593 Dec 1: dinner: Laurence Tomson. Monken Hadley: 1558 Nov 23: dinner: Alice, Lady Stamford (widow). 1571 Sept 25: dinner: Lady Stamford; and 2nd husband Roger Carew. Osterley: visits to Sir Thomas Gresham. 1564 Sept 12-13. 1565 Sept 13: dinner. 1567 Jan 27-Feb 1. 1570 July 18: dinner. 1571 June 7-9. 1574 Feb 18-20; Nov 20: dinner. 1576 May 10-12. 1578 February, start: proposed. (Gresham died in 1579).

Osterley: visits to Anne, Lady Gresham (widow of Sir Thomas Gresham). 1592 February, start: proposed. 1592 April 7-10; 1594 June 3-7. 1596 March 13: proposed. (Lady Gresham died in November 1596). Osterley: 1600 April 4: proposed. St John's: see Clerkenwell. Shepperton, via: 1587 Aug 19; 1602 Sept 6/29, twice. Shoreditch, at Holywell: 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. [2nd Earl of Rutland]. South Mimms: at Fold: visits to Ralph Waller. 1573 March 5-6. 1576 July, start: proposed: Mr Waller. 1577 May 22-23; 1587 c.Aug 15-16. Staines: dinners at inns. 1577 Dec 10; 1586 Aug 10; 1590 Nov 10. 1601 Aug 8: Bush Inn. Stanwell: visits to Edward FitzGarrett or Garrett. 1563 Aug 3: dinner; 1568 Sept 23/30: dinner; 1574 July 7: visit. Stepney: 1591 by June 12. Stoke Newington: visits to John Dudley; died 1580. 1575 May 23-24; 1577 May 14-15. 1588 April 15/19: dinner: Roger Townshend. Stratford: visits to Richard Young. 1576 July 30: dinner; 1579 Sept 9: dinner. Sunbury: 1600 Oct 9: dinner: Sir Philip Butler. Syon (royal): 1576 Feb 6: dinner. 1583 July 30-31; Oct 4-5. 1587 Aug 17-19. Tottenham: At Bruces: 1578 May 6-7: Henry, 1st Lord Compton. At High Cross: visits to Richard Martin; knighted 1589. 1585 June 14: dinner; 1588 April 15/19: dinner. 1591 May 20: dinner: now Sir Richard Martin. 1594: 'Proposed progresses'. Twickenham: 1599 November, start: proposed: Francis Bacon. Uxbridge: 1592 Oct 9: proposed: Francis Clifford; wife Lady Abergavenny. West Drayton: 1562: 'Proposed progresses': William 1st Lord Paget. 1586: 'Proposed progresses'. 1587 Sept 19-21: Sir Christopher Hatton; lessee; died 1591. 1602 Sept 9-11: George Carey 2nd Lord Hunsdon; lessee. Willesden: 1594: June 7: dinner: Richard Payne.

Norfolk.

Baconsthorpe: 1578: 'Proposed progresses': Sir Christopher Heydon (died 1579). Bracon Ash: 1578 Aug 14-16: Thomas Townsend; wife: Elizabeth Lady Style. Bradenham: 1578: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Hogan. (Thomas Hogan, of East Bradenham, died 1586). Breckles: 1578 Aug 26: dinner: Francis Wodehouse. Costessey: 1578 Aug 19: dinner, hunt: Frances Lady Jerningham, widow. Earlham, via: 1578 Aug 22. Great Yarmouth: 1578: 'Proposed progresses' (preparations); see also Aug 15. Harleston: 1578: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Gawdy. (Thomas Gawdy, of Redenham, died 1595). Hartford Bridge, via: 1578 Aug 16. See also 'Miscellaneous': Norfolk. Kenninghall: 1578 Aug 11-14: Philip Howard, Earl of Surrey. Kimberley: 1578 Aug 22-23: Roger Wodehouse. King's Lynn: 1578: 'Proposed progresses' (preparations). Little Walsingham: 1578: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Sidney. (Thomas Sidney, died c.1586). Ludham: 1578: 'Proposed progresses': Bishop of Norwich. Norwich: 1578 Aug 16: house 'to shift her in'. At Bishop's Palace: 1578 Aug 16-22: Edmund Freake, Bishop. At Mount Surrey: 1578 Aug 20: dinner: Philip Howard, Earl of Surrey. Oxborough: 1578: 'Proposed progresses': Sir Henry Bedingfield (died 1583). Paston: 1578: 'Proposed progresses': William Paston. Rushford, at Shadwell: 1578 Aug 11. Shipdham, via: 1578 Aug 26. Thetford: 1578 Aug 26-27: Sir Edward Clere. Thornage: 1578: 'Proposed progresses': Sir William Butts (died 1583). Woodrising: 1578 Aug 23-26: Lady Paget, wife of Thomas 4th Lord Paget. ['Proposed progresses': Lord Paget]. Wroxham: 1578: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Wodehouse.

Northamptonshire.

Althorp: 1562: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Spencer. (Sir John, died 1586). Apethorpe: 1566 July 29: dinner: Sir Walter Mildmay. Boughton: 1564 Aug 16-18: Edward Montagu. Braybrooke, at the Castle: 1564 Aug 23-26: Sir Thomas Griffin. Charwelton: 1568 Aug 19-20: Sir Robert Lane. Collyweston: royal manor-house: 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. 1566 July 29-Aug 5; Aug 10-13. 1575: 'Proposed progresses'. Culworth, via: 1572 Aug 9. Daventry: 1564: 'Proposed progresses'. Deene: 1566 Aug 13-14: Edmund Brudenell. Dingley: 1562: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Griffin. 1566 Aug 14-16: Edward Griffin. Drayton: 1575: 'Proposed progresses': Lady Mordaunt. Easton Neston: visits to Fermor family. 1562: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Fermor. 1564 Aug 29-Sept 1: Sir John Fermor; died 1571. 1568 Aug 13-14; Aug 20-25. 1572 Aug 4-9: George Fermor (son). Edgcote: 1572 Aug 9-11: William Chauncy. Fawsley: 1562: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Knightley (knighted 1566). 1575 July 7-9: Sir Richard Knightley. Fotheringhay, at the Castle (royal): 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. 1566 July 22-29. Grafton: royal manor-house, with park: 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. 1563 Sept 23, Nov 23: proposed. 1564 Aug 30/31: hunt. 1568 Aug 21/24: hunt. 1575 June 18-July 7. 1576 July 6,11: proposed. 1578: proposed: see 1577 July 9. 1582 July 16: proposed. Holdenby: 1585: 'Proposed progresses' (Northampton order): Sir Christopher Hatton.

King's Cliffe, at Cliffe Park (royal); Keeper: Sir William Cecil: 1566 July 29: hunt. Northampton: 1564 Aug 26-29: Mr Crisp. 1576 July 6: proposed. 1585: 'Proposed progresses'. Paulerspury: 1564 Aug 30/31: dinner: Sir Nicholas Throckmorton. Rockingham: 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. Rushton: 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. Towcester, via: 1568 Aug 25.

Nottinghamshire: proposed visits.

Clifton, at Hodsock: to visit Sir Gervase Clifton; died 1587. 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. 1575: 'Proposed progresses'. Egmanton: 1562: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Powtrell. Newark-upon-Trent: 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. Nottingham Castle (royal): 1562: 'Proposed progresses' (with masques);

see also: June 25,30; July 3,4,11,12,13.
1563: see 1562 July 16.
1575: 'Proposed progresses' (and preparations).
1576: 'Proposed progresses' (and payments).
1585: 'Proposed progresses' (and preparations).

Rufford, at the Abbey: to visit George Talbot 6th Earl of Shrewsbury. 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. 1575: 'Proposed progresses'.

Scrooby: 1575: 'Proposed progresses': Archbishop of York (Edmund Grindal).

Southwell: 1562: 'Proposed progresses': Archbishop of York (Thomas Young); see also July 3,11 (De Foix). 1575: 'Proposed progresses': Archbishop of York (Edmund Grindal).

Welbeck (royal): 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. 1575: 'Proposed progresses'.

Worksop: 1562: 'Proposed progresses'.

Oxfordshire.

Banbury: 1564: 'Proposed progresses'. Bicester: 1564: 'Proposed progresses'. 1568 Aug 25-28: Thomas More. Broughton: 1562: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Fiennes. 1566 Aug 22-23: Richard Fiennes. Burford: 1574 Aug 3: via. 1592 Sept 16: dinner: Lawrence Tanfield. Caversham: 1601 Aug 29: dinner: Sir William Knollys. Charlbury, at Cornbury Park: 1575 Aug 29: dinner: Thomas Stafford. Ditchley: see Spelsbury. Ewelme: royal manor-house: Keeper: Sir Francis Knollys. 1563 Nov 23: proposed. 1564: 'Proposed progresses'. 1568 Sept 2: dinner. 1570 Sept 12-16. 1572 Sept 18-20 1574 July 22-23. Great Tew: 1562: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Rainsford. 1572 Aug 26: dinner: Hercules Rainsford. Holton: visits to Sir Christopher Browne (or Brome); died 1589. 1572 Sept 17-18. 1574 July 23-24. 1575 Oct 4-5. 1592 Sept 28: dinner: George Browne (son). Langley: royal manor-house: 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. 1563 Sept 23: proposed. Visits to Sir Edward Unton; wife: Anne Dowager Countess of Warwick. 1572 Sept 1-3. 1574 Aug 2-3. 1575 Aug 27-29. Oxford: 1564: 'Proposed progresses'. 1566 Aug 31-Sept 6: at Christ Church. Dean: Dr Thomas Godwin. 1592 Sept 22-28: at Christ Church. Dean: Dr William James. 1602 June 30: proposed. Rotherfield Greys: visits to Sir Francis Knollys. 1574 July 22: dinner. 1576 Oct 8: dinner. Rycote: see Thame. South Stoke: 1572 Sept 20: to shelter in Smith's tenement.

Spelsbury: at Ditchley. 1592 Sept 20: dinner, Sir Henry Lee, with entertainment, continued Sept 21. 1600 June 13: proposed (Lee). Thame: At Rycote: visits to Henry Norris. 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. 1564: 'Proposed progresses'. 1566 Sept 6-7 (knighted). 1568 Aug 28-Sept 2: Lady Norris. (Sir Henry abroad as Ambassador). 1570 Aug 30-Sept 12. (Sir Henry and Lady Norris both abroad). 1575 Oct 5-8: now Lord Norris. (Became Lord Norris in 1572). 1582 Sept 10,11: proposed. 1592 Sept 28-Oct 2. Witney: 1592 Sept 16-18: Mr Yate. Wolvercote, via: 1566 Aug 31. Woodstock Palace: 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. 1563 Sept 23, Nov 23: proposed. 1564: 'Proposed progresses'. 1566 Aug 23-31. Lieutenant of Woodstock, 1571-1611: Sir Henry Lee. 1572 Aug 26-Sept 1; Sept 3-17. 1574 July 24-Aug 2. 1575 Aug 29-Oct 4. 1582 July 10: proposed. 1592 Sept 18-22. 1600 June 13: proposed (Lee). Yarnton: 1592 Sept 22: dinner: Sir William Spencer.

Rutland.

Exton: Visits to James Harington; knighted 1565. 1562: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Harington. 1566 Aug 10: dinner: now Sir James Harington. 1575: 'Proposed progresses': Sir James Harington.

Oakham, via: 1566 Aug 10? (note).

Shropshire: proposed visits.

Shrewsbury: 1575: 'Proposed progresses' (preparations); see also June 4; Aug 15 (Smith).

Somerset.

Bath: 1574 Aug 21-23: Mr Bush. 1602: proposed: June 30, July 8 (with payments), July 28.

Kelston: John Harington: alleged visit, see 1592 August, end (note).

Keynsham: 1574 Aug 21: dinner: Henry Brydges.

Morecroft, near Bath: 1574 Aug 21: `to shift her'.

Staffordshire.

Alrewas: 1575 July 30: via. Brewood: At Chillington: 1575 Aug 8-10: John Giffard. Burton-upon-Trent: 1575 July 30: dinner: Thomas 4th Lord Paget. Chartley: 1575 Aug 3-8: Lettice Knollys, Countess of Essex. (Wife of Walter, 1st Earl of Essex, who was in Ireland). Colton: 1575 Aug 3: dinner: Katherine, Lady Gresley (widow). Drayton Bassett: 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. Dudley, at the Castle: see Worcestershire. Enville: 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. 1575: 'Proposed progresses'. Lichfield: 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. 1575 July 28-Aug 3. Stafford: At the Castle: 1575 Aug 8: dinner: Edward 3rd Lord Stafford. Weeford: At Swinfen Hall: 1575 July 28: 'to shift her'.

Suffolk.

Bures, at Smallbridge: 1561 Aug 11-14: William Waldegrave. 1579: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Waldegrave. Bury St Edmunds: At the Abbey: 1578 Aug 5-9: Thomas Badby. Cavendish: At Colt's Hall: 1578 Aug 2: dinner: George Colt (knighted). Earl Soham: 1578: 'Proposed progresses'. Euston: 1578 Aug 9-11: Edward Rookwood. Eye: 1578: 'Proposed progresses'. Hadleigh, via: 1561 Aug 11. Hawstead: 1578 Aug 7: dinner: Sir William Drury. Helmingham: 1578: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Spring (?). Hengrave: 1578 Aug 27-30: Sir Thomas Kitson. Ipswich, at Christchurch: 1561 Aug 5-11: Edmund Withipoll; died 1582. 1578: 'Proposed progresses' (and preparations): Ipswich. 1579: 'Proposed progresses' (and payment): Ipswich. Kedington: 1578 Aug 1-2: Thomas Barnardiston. Lawshall: 1578 Aug 5: dinner: Henry Drury. Long Melford: 1578 Aug 2-5: Sir William Cordell. Redgrave: 1578 c. Aug 13: Nicholas Bacon (son of Sir Nicholas). Shelley: 1561 Aug 11: dinner: Philip Tilney. Smallbridge: see Bures.

Surrey.

Bagshot: At the Lodge (royal): 1565 August, end: proposed. 1569 Sept 23: dinner. At inns: 1560 Aug 30: dinner: inn-keeper Richard Cottrell. [Bush Inn]. 1566 Sept 16: dinner: Bush Inn. [Richard Cottrell]. 1574 Sept 24-25: Bush Inn: inn-keeper Richard Cottrell. 1591 Sept 27: dinner. Bagshot: visit to Sir Henry Weston, at manor: 1584 Aug 8/19: dinner. Locations at Bagshot not stated: 1567 Aug 25/30. 1602: 'Proposed progresses'. Barnes, at Barn Elms: 1577 July 26: dinner: 'Customer' Thomas Smith. Visits to Sir Francis Walsingham. 1583 Feb 11: dinner. 1586 July 11: dinner; July 30: dinner. 1589 May 26-28. (Walsingham died in 1590). Battersea: 1594 Nov 15: dinner: Oliver St John. via Battersea: 1602 April 27, June 27. Beddington: 1559 Aug 5: dinner: Sir Arthur Darcy; died 1561. Visits to Sir Francis Carew. 1576 May 17-19 (knighted). 1580 June, start: dinners. 1581 Oct 3: dinner. 1582 July, end: dinner. 1585 April 29: dinner; August, end: visit. 1587 May, start: dinner; also a banquet. 1590 July 31-Aug 4. 1592 April 18/20: dinner. 1595 Aug 27-Aug 29. 1598 Sept 25-28. 1599 Aug 16-17. 1600 Aug 13-16. Bermondsey: Visits to Thomas Radcliffe, 3rd Earl of Sussex. 1566 July 1: supper, after marriage of Earl's sister. 1572 Feb 14: visits, in the Earl's sickness. 1583 February, end. (Earl of Sussex died in June 1583). Byfleet: royal manor-house: Keeper: Edward Lord Clinton. 1571 July, end. (Lord Clinton was created Earl of Lincoln, 1572). 1576 Sept 10-11: now Earl of Lincoln. 1582 Sept 1: dinner: Lady Anne Askew (the Earl's daughter). At Byfleet Lodge: 1602 August, end. Camberwell: 1594 Oct 1: dinner: Bartholomew Scott.

Cheam, at Nonsuch: Visits to Henry Fitzalan, 12th Earl of Arundel. 1559 Aug 5-10. 1563 July 26-31. 1565 Oct 29-31. 1567 Jan 21-27 (in the Earl's absence abroad). 1574 Oct 19-22. 1576 May 15-17. (Earl of Arundel died in February 1580). Cheam, at Nonsuch: Visits to John Lord Lumley (Earl of Arundel's son-in-law). 1580 May 27-July 12; October, end (2 days). 1581 Sept 22-Oct 4. 1582 July 11-Aug 17. 1583 July, end: proposed. 1584 July 20-Aug 7; Nov 4-12. 1585 July 21-Aug 23; Aug 27-Oct 8. 1587 May 3-29. 1589 June 19-Aug 12. 1591 July 31-Aug 3. (Lumley transferred Nonsuch to the Crown January 1592, continuing as Keeper). Cheam, at Nonsuch Palace: 1592 July 31-Aug 10. 1593 May 17-June 22. 1594 Oct 2-25. 1595 Aug 22-27; Aug 29-Oct 20. 1596 Oct 2-12. 1598 Sept 13-25; Sept 28-Oct 12. 1599 July 30-Aug 16; Aug 17-Sept 3; Sept 6-Oct 3. 1600 July 30-Aug 13; Aug 16-26. 1601 Oct 2,3: proposed. Chertsey: At Addlestone: 1593 July, end: hunt. At the Abbey: 1602 August, end: Dr John Hammond. Chessington: 1590 c.Aug 4: dinner: Mr Harvey. Chobham: 1559 Aug 19: proposed. 1602: 'Proposed progresses'. Chobham: 1580 July, end: dinner: Thomas Heath. (Note on Archbishop Heath). Chobham: visits to Edward Bray: 1580 July, end: dinner. 1590 Aug 31: dinner. Chobham: visits to John Wolley. 1580 July, end: dinner. 1582 Sept 4: dinner. 1583 Aug 30-31. 1584 Aug 8/19: dinner. Clandon: see West Clandon.

Clapham: Visits to John Worsopp; died c.1594. 1577 July 19: dinner; 1583 April 18: dinner. Visits to Dr Bartholomew Clerke. 1586 Dec 20: dinner. 1588 Dec 19: proposed: Dr Clerke (died 1590). 1596 Nov 11: proposed: Henry Maynard. Visit to Noel Caron: 1599 July 27: dinner. Cobham: 1577 Sept 4: proposed: Lady Anne Askew. 1590 c.August 5: via. Coombe: see Kingston. Croydon, at Archbishop of Canterbury's Palace: 1559 Aug 4-5. Visits to Matthew Parker, Archbishop 1559-1575. 1567 Jan 16-21. 1573 July 15-21 (Archbishop absent). 1574 May 19: proposed lodgings allocated. (Matthew Parker died in 1575). No visits to Edmund Grindal, Archbishop 1576-1583. Croydon: visits to John Whitqift, Archbishop 1583-1604. 1585 April 28-May 3. 1587 April 27-May 3. 1588 May 1-4. 1592 April 17-21. 1593 May 2-17. 1600 Aug 14: dinner. Croydon: at Charles 2nd Lord Howard of Effingham's house. 1594 Oct 15: dinner. (Created Earl of Nottingham, 1597). 1598 Sept 27: visit: now Earl of Nottingham. Dorking: 1583 Aug 27: proposed. East Horsley: 1591 Aug 3-4: Thomas Cornwallis. East Molesey: Visits to Dorothy Lady Edmondes (widow). 1595 Aug 31: proposed dinner. 1599 Oct 19: dinner. 1600 Aug 8: proposed dinner. 1600 Aug 26: dinner. Egham: Mr Bower: 1582 Sept 5/7: dinner, hunt. Egham: visits to Richard Kellefet. 1582 Sept 8: dinner. 1583 Sept 6: dinner. 1584 Aug 22: dinner. 1593 Aug 3: dinner. Esher: Bishop of Winchester's manor-house: 1560 Oct 8: dinner (Bishopric vacant). 1600 Sept 9: dinner: Richard Drake (lessee).

Farnham: At the Castle, Bishop of Winchester's Palace. 1560 Aug 6-8 (Bishopric vacant). 1565 August, end: proposed. 1567 Aug 23-30: Robert Horne, Bishop 1561-1579. 1569 Aug 12-23. 1574 Sept 16-24. 1576 Sept 15-20. 1583 June 4: proposed: John Watson, Bishop 1580-1584. 1586: 'Proposed progresses'; see also July 16. 1591 Aug 10-14; Sept 23-25: Thomas Cooper, Bishop 1584-1594. 1600 Aug 8: proposed: Thomas Bilson, Bishop 1597-1616. 1601 Sept 19-23: Thomas Bilson, Bishop. Godalming, at Busbridge: 1591 July 10: proposed: Lawrence Eliot. Guildford: At royal manor-house, with park: 1559 Aug 19: proposed. 1567 Aug 18-23. 1569 Aug 9-12. 1576 Sept 13/14: dinner, hunt, Guildford Park. 1583 Aug 29: dinner, hunt. At St Catherine's Hill: 1591 Aug 5/9: dinner, hunt, Guildford Park. via Guildford: 1601 Sept 25. Guildford: At Loseley: visits to (Sir) William More (died 1600). 1567 Aug 2: proposed. (More was knighted in May 1576). 1576 Sept 12-15: now Sir William More. 1583 Aug 28-30. 1586: July 16: proposed. 1591 Aug 4-10. 1601 Sept 23-25: Sir George More (son). Horsley: see East Horsley; West Horsley. Kew: 1560 c.July 30: banquet: Lord Robert Dudley. 1594 Aug 14: memorandum for a visit to Lord Keeper Puckering. 1595 Dec 11: dinner: Sir John Puckering. Kingston-upon-Thames: Visits to John Evelyn. 1584 Aug 7: dinner; 1598 Oct 12: dinner; 1599 Oct 3: dinner. Visit to John Cox: 1596 Oct 12: dinner. Kingston-upon-Thames: At Coombe: visits to Thomas Vincent. 1594 Oct 25: dinner. 1595 Oct 20: dinner. 1601 Oct 1/23: dinner (knighted).

Kingston-upon-Thames: other specific references. 1567 Jan 27: via; Aug 25/30; October/December: two visits. 1568 Nov 29; 1569 July 28: via. 1570 to Bare Field, many visits: listed December, end. 1571 Jan 8/12; 1572 Dec 19,22: via. 1573 Jan 14: via; 1576 Jan 20: via. 1592 Oct 19: via; 1593 Jan 30: via. 1599 Sept 3: via: 'in state'; Sept 6: via. 1602 Sept 28: via. Lambeth, at Archbishop of Canterbury's Palace: Visits to Matthew Parker, Archbishop 1559-1575. 1560 July 29: dinner. 1567 Jan 16: dinner. 1569 July 21: dinner. (Parker died in 1575. See also 'Anecdotes': Parker). 1574 March 2-3. No visits to Edmund Grindal, Archbishop 1576-1583. Lambeth: Visits to John Whitgift, Archbishop 1583-1604. 1585 Feb 26; March 26-30; April 28-May 3; Dec 17-18. 1586 Oct 28-31: proposed. 1588 Jan 19: dinner; Jan 25-26; Dec 21-23. 1590 Jan 23-24. 1591 Feb 11-13. 1594 May 7-11; May 29-30. 1595 Feb 19-22. 1596 April 2-3. 1597 May 7: visit. 1599 April 3: dinner; May 1: visit. 1600 April 18: dinner. 1602 April 17: dinner; by April 26 (condolence); July 28: dinner. Lambeth: At Carlisle House: 1574 April 29: banquet: Sir Henry Sidney. At Stockwell manor; owner: Anthony Browne, 1st Viscount Montagu. 1584 May 30: dinner. 1588 July 5: dinner: Mr Pender, occupier. Lambeth: visits to Thomas 5th Lord Burgh. 1586 Dec 20-21. 1596 Oct 1: dinner. (Lord Burgh died October 1597). 1597 Nov 7: Frances Lady Burgh (widow): visit of condolence. Lambeth: other specific references: 1562 Sept 16: via; 1565 Dec 2. 1572 c.Feb 14 (note); 1575 April 21: via. 1583 July 10: via; 1594 Nov 16: via. 1600 June 17: via. 1601 May 7, 23; June 9, 19; Aug 6: via; 1602 April 19: via. Lambeth Fields: 1568 by Feb 6 (Parker). 1571 April 20. Leatherhead: 1591 Aug 3: dinner: Edmund Tilney. Loseley: see Guildford.

Merton, at the Abbey: visits to Gregory Lovell. 1571 Jan 11/12; 1574 June 30: dinner; 1589 June 19: dinner. Mitcham: Visits to Margaret Lady Blanke (widow); died 1597. 1591 July 30-31; 1594 Oct 1-2. Visits to John Dent; died December 1595. 1592 July 28-31; 1595 Aug 21-22. Visit to Mr Branch: 1596 Oct 1-2. Visit to Dr Julius Caesar and wife Alice, widow of John Dent. 1598 Sept 12-13. Molesey: see East Molesey; West Molesey. Mortlake: near Dr John Dee's house. 1575 March 10. 1580 Sept 17; Oct 10: visit of condolence. 1583 Feb 11; April 18. (Dee was abroad from September 1583-November 1589). 1590 Dec 4; Dec 14. Mortlake Park Lodge (royal): 1577 July 27: supper: Earl of Leicester. Newington: 1598 Sept 12: dinner: William Sanderson. 1600 July 29: dinner: Mr Carey. Nonsuch: see Cheam. Oatlands: see Weybridge. Putney: visits to John Lacy. 1578 Feb 25-27. 1579 Jan 30: dinner. 1580 May 27: dinner. 1581 Nov 16: dinner. 1582 July 10-11. 1584 Nov 12: dinner. 1585 July 20-21. 1586 July 11-12. 1587: 'Proposed progresses': May 8-9. 1588 July 29: dinner. 1589 Nov 15: dinner; Dec 2: dinner. 1590 Nov 14: dinner; Nov 25: dinner. 1593 Jan 30: dinner; Feb 17: dinner. 1595 Nov 14: dinner; Nov 27: dinner. 1596 April 2: dinner; Oct 1: visit; Nov 17: dinner. 1597 Sept 19-20; Oct 20: 'resting and warming'. 1599 Nov 13: 'to warm herself at'; Dec 7: dinner. 1601 Oct 24: dinner. 1602 Feb 19-20; Nov 15: dinner. 1603 Jan 21: dinner. Putney Park: 1599 Nov 10: dinner, hunt: Sir William Cornwallis.

Pyrford: Visits to Edward Clinton, 1st Earl of Lincoln. 1574 Feb 9-13. 1576 May 12-15; Sept 11-12. 1577 Sept 4-7. 1580 Aug 2-6. 1582 Sept 1-4. 1583 Aug 13-16. (Earl of Lincoln died in 1585). 1595 Sept 5: proposed; 1599 July 24: proposed: Sir Thomas Egerton. Reigate: 1583 April 13: proposed (for a marriage). 1587 April 27: dinner: Sir Robert Southwell. Richmond Palace: 1560 July 29-Aug 3. 1563 July 20-26; July 31-Aug 3. 1564 April 27-July 4. 1565 July 17-Aug 8. September, start: proposed. 1566 Sept 16-27. 1567 June 11-July 22. 1569 July 21-28. 1571 Sept 26-Oct 23. 1574 June 30-July 7. 1575 Feb 5-March 25. 1577 July 19-Aug 23. 1578 Sept 25-Dec 31. 1579 Jan 1-24. 1580 Sept 13-late October; end October-Nov 11; Nov 15-17; Nov 19-Dec 6. 1581 Oct 4-Nov 16. 1583 Jan 14-April 18. 1584 May 30-July 20. 1585 Oct 8-c.Nov 16; Nov 19-Dec 17. 1586 July 15-Aug 10; Oct 24-Dec 20. 1587 Sept 21-Oct 24; Oct 26-Nov 17. Nov 27, Dec 1,5,8,14 proposed. 1588 Jan 6: proposed. July 5-29; Dec 23-31. 1589 Jan 1-30; Sept 27-Nov 15; Dec 2-31. 1590 Jan 1-23; Nov 10-14; Nov 25-Dec 31. 1591 Jan 1-Feb 11; Oct 4-Nov 11. Nov 13: proposed. 1593 Dec 2: proposed. 1594 Feb 3; early March: proposed. 1594 June 3: dinner; Oct 25-Nov 15. 1595 Oct 20-Nov 14; Nov 27-Dec 19; Dec 23-31. 1596 Jan 1-April 2; Oct 12-Nov 17. 1597 Sept 20-Oct 20. 1598 Oct 12-Nov 13. Nov 20: proposed (cart-takers' preparations). 1599 Feb 10-April 3; Oct 3-Nov 13; Dec 7-31. 1600 Jan 1-April 18; Oct 9-Nov 13. 1601 Sept 28-Oct 24. 1602 Feb 20-April 17; Oct 8-Nov 15. Nov 30, Dec 10,15,23: proposed. 1603 Jan 21-March 24. Death of Queen Elizabeth. St George's Fields: 1573 May 22/June 27; 1583 July, end.

Seale: 1591 Aug 10: via; Sept 25: dinner: Sir Nicholas Woodroffe; died 1598. 1601 Sept 23: proposed dinner: Grissel Lady Woodroffe (widow).

Sheen (royal): 1570 March 19: to visit Madame de Châtillon. 1589 c.Oct 15: dinner: Helena Lady Marquis of Northampton (lessee). Southwark: 1562 Sept 15; 1566 April 2: via. At Winchester Place: 1577 June 25: for two marriages. (George Clifford, 3rd Earl of Cumberland; Philip 3rd Lord Wharton). Stockwell: see Lambeth. Stoke D'Abernon: 1586: 'Proposed progresses'. 1590 Aug 4-5: Thomas Lyfield; died 1596. 1601 Sept 25-28: Francis Vincent. Streatham: At Tooting Bec: visits to Dr Robert Forth; died 1595. 1581 Sept 22: dinner. 1583 July, end: proposed. 1587 May 29: dinner. 1593 May 2: dinner. Visit to Robert Livesey, now owner: 1600 July 29-30. Sutton: see Woking. Thorpe: 1576 Sept 10: dinner: Mrs Elizabeth Polsted (widow). Visits to John Wolley and wife: Elizabeth (More) widow of Richard Polsted. 1577 Sept 23: dinner. 1580 July, end: dinner. 1589 Aug 21: dinner. Visit to William Bereblock: 1600 Sept 12: dinner, hunt. Visit to Mr Oglethorpe: 1602 Aug 9-11. Tooting: 1578 Sept 25: 'a resting place', probably at Tooting Bec. See also Streatham. Vauxhall, via: 1599 July 27. Walton-on-Thames: 1601 Sept 28: dinner: Robert Blackden. Wandsworth: via: 1571 May 27/1572 (note); 1599 July 27; 1601 Aug 6. West Clandon: 1591 Aug 4: dinner: Sir Henry Weston; died 1592. 1601 Sept 25: dinner: Sir Richard Weston (son). West Horsley: visits to Edward, 9th Lord Clinton. 1559 Aug 17-22; 1560 October, end; 1569 Aug 11. 1571 Jan 8/10; July, end. (Became 1st Earl of Lincoln, 1572; died 1585). 1599 July 24: proposed: Thomas Sackville, 1st Lord Buckhurst. West Molesey: visits to Thomas Brend. 1580 July 12: dinner; Sept 13: dinner. 1582 July, end: dinner; 1587 Aug 19: dinner. 1589 Aug 12: dinner; 1592 Aug 10: dinner.

Weybridge, at Oatlands Palace: 1560 Aug 3-5. 1562 October, start: proposed; 1563 Sept 23: proposed. 1564 Dec 4: proposed; 1565 July, end: proposed. 1567 Aug 12-18. 1569 July 28-Aug 9. 1570 June 19-July 18; c.Nov 15. 1571 by Aug 1: hunt. 1574 Sept 25-Oct 1. 1577 Aug 23-Sept 4; Sept 7-23. 1580 July 12-Aug 2; Aug 6-16; Aug 20-Sept 13. 1581 July 25, Aug 6: proposed. 1582 Aug 17-Sept 1; Sept 8-20. 1583 July 31-Aug 13; Aug 16-28; Sept 6-Oct 4. 1584 Aug 7-20; Aug 22-Oct 6. 1587 Aug 19-Sept 19. 1589 Aug 12-Sept 27. 1590 c.Aug 5-28. 1591 Sept 27-Oct 4. 1593 June 22-Aug 3. 1594 Aug 24: proposed; 1595 Sept 5: proposed. 1599 July 24: proposed. 1600 Aug 8: proposed (Whyte). 1600 Aug 26-Oct 9. 1602 Aug 11-Sept 9; Sept 11-Oct 8. Wimbledon: Visits to Sir Thomas Cecil: 1585 Aug 23-27. 1588 Jan 6: proposed. 1592 April 14-17. 1594 c.May 11-13; May 30-June 3. (Cecil became 2nd Lord Burghley, 1598). 1599 July 27-30: now 2nd Lord Burghley. 1601 April 22: proposed dinner. 1602 April 8,10: proposed dinner. At Wimbledon Lodge (royal): 1599 July 30: dinner. Windlesham, at the Twelve Oaks: 1563 Aug/Sept. Woking, Old: royal manor-house: 1567 Aug 19/23: dinner. 1569 Aug 9: dinner. 1580 Aug 23: proposed. 1582 August: end: proposed. 1583 Aug 28: dinner. 1586: 'Proposed progresses'; see also July 16. 1590 Aug 28-31. 1602 September, start: dinner. At Sutton, Woking: visits to Sir Henry Weston. 1560 Aug 5-6; 1591 Sept 25-27. Surrey: locations unidentified: 1577 c.Sept 6: dinner: Sir John Zouche. 1584 Aug 8/19: dinner: 'Chislike'. 1592 Aug 7: Noel Caron, resident Dutch Agent.

Sussex.

See also 'Proposed progresses': 1586: to Sussex. Arundel: owned by Earls of Arundel: 1577 July 4: proposed: Henry Fitzalan, 12th Earl of Arundel. 1583 May 23: proposed: Philip Howard, 13th Earl of Arundel. Battle (or Cowdray): 1577 July 4: proposed: Viscount Montagu. Burton: 1577 July 10: proposed: Henry Goring. Chichester: 1591 Aug 20-23. Cowdray, Midhurst: owned by Anthony Browne, 1st Viscount Montagu. 1577: July 4: proposed (or at Battle). 1591 Aug 14-20: Viscount Montagu (who moved to Easebourne). Easebourne, at the Priory: 1591 Aug 17: dinner: Viscount Montagu. Eridge: see Frant. Fernhurst: at North Park: 1591 Aug 14: 'to rest'. Frant, at Eridge: 1573 Aug 1-7: Henry Nevill, 6th Lord Abergavenny. Kirdford, at Shillinglee: 1591 July 10: proposed: Mr Bonner. Mayfield: 1573 Aug 3/6: Sir Thomas Gresham. Midhurst: see Cowdray. Northiam: 1573 Aug 11 and Aug 14: dinners; *George Bishop. Petworth: owned by Earls of Northumberland. 1583 June 29: proposed: Henry Percy 8th Earl (died 1585). 1586: 'Proposed progresses' (preparations). 1591 July 10: proposed: Henry Percy 9th Earl (died 1632). Rye: 1573 Aug 11-14: Mr Welles/Welsh. Stoughton, at Stansted: 1591 Aug 23-26: John Lord Lumley. West Dean: 1591 Aug 20: dinner: Richard Lewknor. Winchelsea?: 1573 Aug 13: dinner: Mr Savage. Withyham: 1577 July 4: proposed: Thomas Sackville, 1st Lord Buckhurst.

Warwickshire.

Bishop's Itchington: 1572 Aug 11: dinner: Edward Fisher. Charlecote: visits to Sir Thomas Lucy. 1566 Aug 21-22 (knighted). 1572 Aug 23: dinner. Coleshill: 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. Compton Verney: 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. Compton Wynyates: 1572 Aug 23-26: Henry 1st Lord Compton. Coventry: 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. 1564: 'Proposed progresses'. 1566 Aug 17-19: at White Friars: Stephen Hales. 1571 June 7: proposed. 1575: 'Proposed progresses' (payments). Kenilworth, at the Castle: owned by Lord Robert Dudley. 1564: 'Proposed progresses' (and 'Remembrance'): Lord Robert Dudley; see also May 31 (Clough). Visits to Robert Dudley Earl of Leicester. (Created Earl: 29 Sept 1564). 1566 Aug 19-21. 1568 c.Aug 14-19. 1570 Aug 10: proposed. 1571 June 7: proposed. 1572 Aug 13-16; Aug 18-23. 1575 July 9-27. 1578: proposed: see 1577 July 9. Long Itchington: 1575 July 9: dinner, in a tent: Earl of Leicester. Meriden: 1575 July 27: dinner: William Foster. Middleton: 1575 July 27-28: Francis Willoughby (knighted). Packington: via: 1575 July 27. Warwick: via: 1566 Aug 21. Warwick: At the Castle: visits to Ambrose Dudley, Earl of Warwick. 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. 1564: 'Proposed progresses'; see also April 27 (Luis Roman). 1572 Aug 11-13; Aug 16-18. (The Earl moved to Warwick Priory). At Warwick Priory: 1572 Aug 16: Thomas Fisher.

Wedgnock Park: 1575 July 20: proposed supper.

Wiltshire.

Amesbury: 1574 Sept 7/8: dinner: Edward Seymour, Earl of Hertford. Box: at Hazelbury: 1574 Aug 23: dinner: John Bonham. Chiseldon, at Burderop: 1592 Aug 29-30: Thomas Stephens. Clarendon Park: see Salisbury. Devizes, at Vize Park: 1574 c.Aug 30: hunt: Henry Herbert, 2nd Earl of Pembroke. Erlestoke: 1574 Aug 28-31: William Brouncker. Fonthill Gifford: 1574 Sept 3: dinner: Elizabeth Lady Marvyn, widow; with stepson James Marvyn. Ford: 1601 Aug 21: proposed: John Whitgift, Archbishop of Canterbury. Hazelbury: see Box. Heytesbury: 1574 Aug 31-Sept 3: Hugh Hawker. Lacock: at the Abbey: 1574 Aug 23-28: Henry Sharington. Littlecote: proposed visits to Sir John Popham, Lord Chief Justice. 1601 Aug 13,21,26; Sept 1 (John Chamberlain). 1602: 'Proposed progresses'; see also July 8, Aug 22,30. Longleat, Warminster: 1574 Sept 2: dinner: Sir John Thynne. Lydiard Tregoze: 1592 Aug 30-Sept 1: John St John (knighted). Ramsbury: owned by Henry Herbert, 2nd Earl of Pembroke. 1572: 'Proposed progresses' (letters). 1592 Aug 26-29: Earl of Pembroke. 1600: July 7,19: proposed. Salisbury: Bishop's Palace: 1574 Sept 6-9: Edmund Guest, Bishop. Salisbury, at Clarendon Park (royal): 1574 Sept 4: dinner, hunt. Tottenham, Savernake Forest: Edward Seymour, Earl of Hertford. 1600 July 7,19, Aug 2: proposed (Whyte's letters). 1601 Sept 1: proposed (John Chamberlain). 1602: 'Proposed progresses': see also: letters, July 8, Aug 7,14,24,25,30. Wilton: 1574 Sept 3-6: Henry Herbert, 2nd Earl of Pembroke. 1599 July 24: proposed. Winterslow: 1574 Sept 9: dinner: Giles Thistlethwaite.

Worcestershire.

Battenhall Park: 1575 Aug 19: abortive hunt: Anthony Bourne. Bewdley: 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. Claines, at Whistones Farm: 1575 Aug 13: 'to attire herself'. Dudley: At the Castle: 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. 1575 Aug 10-12: Edward Sutton, Lord Dudley. Elmley Bredon: 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. Elmley Castle parish: 1575 Aug 20-22: Mrs Anne Daston; with son William Savage. Hallow: 1575 Aug 18: dinner, hunt: John Abington. Hartlebury: At the Castle, Bishop's Palace: 1575 Aug 12-13: Nicholas Bullingham, Bishop of Worcester. Hindlip: 1575 Aug 16: dinner: John Abington. Worcester: 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. At Bishop's Palace: 1575 Aug 13-20: Nicholas Bullingham, Bishop.

Camblesforth: 1575: 'Proposed progresses'. Cawood: 1575: 'Proposed progresses': Archbishop of York, Edmund Grindal. Doncaster: 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. Everingham: 1575: 'Proposed progresses': Sir Marmaduke Constable. Hatfield, West Riding: 1575: 'Proposed progresses'. Healaugh: 1562: 'Proposed progresses': Thomas 1st Lord Wharton; died 1568. 1575: 'Proposed progresses': Anne Lady Wharton (widow); died 1585. Hull: 1575: 'Proposed progresses'. Leconfield: 1575: 'Proposed progresses': Henry Percy 8th Earl of Northumberland. Pontefract, at Castle (royal): 1562: 'Proposed progresses'. 1563: see 1562 July 16. 1575: 'Proposed progresses' (and payment). Sheffield: 1562 July 10: proposed. 1575 June 5: proposed. Sutton-upon-Derwent: 1575: 'Proposed progresses': Mr Vaughan. (John, died 1577). Tadcaster, at Hazlewood: 1562: 'Proposed progresses': Sir William Vavasour. Wighill: 1562: 'Proposed progresses': Lady Stapleton. (Elizabeth, widow of Sir Robert Stapleton). York: 1562: 'Proposed progresses' (and preparations); see also June 10,28,30. 1563: proposed: see 1562 July 16. 1574 May 3: proposed. 1575: 'Proposed progresses' (and preparations); see also March 4, June 4.

Counties unidentified.

1585: 'Proposed progresses' (and preparations).

Yorkshire: proposed visits.

1567 Aug 25/30: Mr Kyrre: Berkshire or Surrey.1576 Sept 22: dinner: Mr Hall: Berkshire or Hampshire.1602 August, end: dinner: Mr Bromley: Berks, Bucks, Surrey.

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Brouncker, William: Wilts: Erlestoke. Browne, Anthony, 1st Viscount Montagu: Surrey: Lambeth, at Stockwell; Sussex: Cowdray; Easebourne. Browne, Sir Christopher: Oxon: Holton. Browne, George (son of Sir Christopher): Oxon: Holton. Browne, Wistan: Essex: Abbess Roding. Brudenell, Edmund: Northants: Deene. Brydges, Giles, 3rd Lord Chandos: Gloucs: Sudeley. Brydges, Henry: Somerset: Keynsham. Buckhurst, Lord: see Sackville, Thomas. Bulkeley, Sir Richard: Kent: Lewisham. Bullingham, Nicholas: Bishop of Worcester: Worcs: Hartlebury; Worcester. Burgh, Thomas, 5th Lord: Surrey: Lambeth. Burgh, Lady (widow): London: St James's Park; Surrey: Lambeth. Burghley, Lord: see Cecil, Thomas; William. Bush, Mr: Somerset: Bath. Butler, John: Essex: Mountnessing. Butler, Sir John: Herts: Wheathampstead. Butler, Philip: Herts: Watton-at-Stone. Butler, Sir Philip: Middx: Sunbury. Butts, Sir William: Norfolk: Thornage. Caesar, Dr Julius: Surrey: Mitcham. Canterbury, Archbishop of: see Parker; Whitgift. Capell, Henry: Herts: Little Hadham. Caplin, John (I): Hants: Southampton. Caplin, John (II): Hants: South Stoneham. Caplin, Mr: Hants: Southampton. Carew, Francis: Surrey: Beddington. Carew, Roger: Middx: Monken Hadley; with wife Lady Stamford. Carey, Sir George: became 2nd Lord Hunsdon, 1596: London: Blackfriars; Middlesex: West Drayton. Carey, Henry, 1st Lord Hunsdon: Herts: Hunsdon; London: Somerset House, Strand (Keeper). Carey, Mr: Surrey: Newington. Carmarden, Richard: Kent: Chislehurst. Caron, Noel (Dutch Agent): Surrey: Clapham. Caryll, Sir John: Hants: Bedhampton. Cave, Sir Ambrose: London: Durham House. Cavendish, Thomas: Kent: Greenwich (aboard The Desire). Cecil, Sir Robert (2nd son of Sir William Cecil): London: Savoy; Strand; Middx: Enfield. Cecil, Sir Thomas (1st son of Sir William; became 2nd Lord Burghley 1598). Surrey: Wimbledon. Cecil, Sir William: became 1st Lord Burghley, 1571: Herts: Cheshunt, at Theobalds; Lincs: Stamford; London: Cecil House, Strand; Northants: King's Cliffe. Cecilia of Sweden: London: Bedford House; Savoy. Chandos, Dorothy Lady (widow of 2nd Lord Chandos): Gloucs: Sudeley. London: St James's Park; with 2nd husband, Sir William Knollys. Chandos, Lord: see Brydges. Châtillon, Madame de: Surrey: Sheen. Chauncy, Henry: Herts: Gilston. Chauncy, William: Northants: Edgecote. Cheney, Henry Lord: Bedfordshire: Toddington.

Chernock, Richard: Bedfordshire: Holcot. Chester, Sir Robert: Herts: Royston. Chester, Lady (widow of Sir Robert): Herts: Barkway. Chester, Edward (son of Sir Robert): Herts: Royston Chester, Robert (son of Edward Chester): Herts: Royston. Choke, Alexander: Berks: Avington. Clarke, Sir William: Bucks: Hitcham. Clere, Sir Edward: Norfolk: Thetford. Clerk, Edmund: Hants: Micheldever. Clerke, Dr Bartholomew: Surrey: Clapham. Clifford, Francis: Middx: Uxbridge. Clifford, George 3rd Earl of Cumberland: Surrey: Southwark (marriage). Clifton, Sir Gervase: Notts: Clifton. Clinton, Edward 9th Lord: became 1st Earl of Lincoln, 1572: Kent: Woolwich; Lincs: Sempringham; Surrey: Byfleet; Pyrford; West Horsley. Clinton, Henry, 2nd Earl of Lincoln: Middx: Chelsea (absent). Cobham, Lord: see Brooke: Henry; William. Cobham, Henry (brother of 10th Lord Cobham): Kent: Sutton-at-Hone. Cobham, John (brother of 10th Lord Cobham): Kent: Newington. Cock, Sir Henry: Herts: Hatfield, at Ponsbourne. Coke, Edward: Bucks: Stoke Poges. Colston, Ralph: Essex: Waltham Forest (his forester's walk). Colt, George: Suffolk: Cavendish. Compton, Henry, 1st Lord: Kent: Erith. Middx: Tottenham. Warwicks: Compton Wynyates. Compton, Mr: Kent: Erith. Constable, Sir Marmaduke: Yorks: Everingham. Cooke, Sir Anthony: Essex: Romford. Cooke, Richard (son of Sir Anthony): Essex: Romford. Cooper, Thomas: Bishop of Winchester: Hants: Bishop's Waltham; Winchester; Surrey: Farnham. Cope, Walter: Middx: Kensington. Copinger, Ambrose: Middx: Harlington. Corbet, Sir Andrew: Bucks: Cublington or Linslade. Cordell, Sir William: Suffolk: Long Melford. Cornwallis, Thomas (cousin of Sir William): Surrey: East Horsley. Cornwallis, Sir William: Middx: Highgate. Surrey: Putney Park. Cotton, John: Gloucs: Whittington. Cotton, Sir Thomas: Kent: West Peckham. Cox, John: Surrey: Kingston. Cox, Richard: Bishop of Ely: Hunts: Fenstanton; Somersham. Crawley, Thomas: Essex: Manuden. Crisp, Mr: Northants: Northampton. Cromer, James (son of Thomas): Kent: Sittingbourne. Cromer, Thomas: Kent: Tunstall. Crompton, Thomas: Middx: Hounslow. Cromwell, Henry, 2nd Lord: Leics: Launde. Cromwell, Henry: Hunts: Huntingdon. Culpeper, Alexander: Kent: Goudhurst. Cumberland, Earl of: see Clifford, George. Cutts, John: Essex: Thaxted.

Dabridgecourt, Thomas: Hants: Stratfield Saye. Damsel, Mr: Kent: Beckenham. Danvers, Sir John: Gloucs: Cirencester. Darcy of Chiche, John 2nd Lord: Essex: St Osyth. Darcy, Sir Arthur: Surrey: Beddington. Darcy, Sir Henry: Hunts: Leighton Bromswold. Daston, Mrs Anne (widow): Worcs: Elmley Castle parish; with son William Savage. Davers, Richard: Berks: Reading. Dee, Dr John: Surrey: Mortlake. De La Warr, Lord: see West, William. Denny, Edward: Essex: Waltham. Denny, Henry: Herts: Cheshunt. Dennys, Francis: Gloucs: Boddington. Dent, John: Surrey: Mitcham. Derby, Alice, Countess of (widow of 5th Earl): London: Russell House. Middx: Harefield; with 2nd husband, Sir Thomas Egerton. Derby, Margaret, Countess of (wife of 4th Earl): Middx: Isleworth. De Vere: see Vere. Devereux, Robert, 2nd Earl of Essex: London: York House, Charing Cross. Docwra, Thomas: Herts: Putteridge Bury. Dolman, Thomas: Berks: Shaw-cum-Donnington. Dormer, Sir William: Bucks: Waddesdon; Wing. Downing, Edmund: Essex: Waltham Holy Cross. Drake, Sir Francis: Kent: Deptford (on Golden Hind); Greenwich (new ship). Drake, Richard: Surrey: Esher. Draper, John: Middx: East Bedfont. Draper, Mr: Bucks: Colnbrook. Drury, Henry: Suffolk: Lawshall. Drury, Sir Robert: Bucks: Chalfont St Peter. Drury, Sir William (nephew of Henry Drury): Suffolk: Hawstead. Drury, Mr: Middx: Harmondsworth. Duck, Mr: Berks: Winkfield. Dudley, Ambrose, Earl of Warwick: Herts: Northaw; London: Bedford House; Warwickshire: Warwick. Dudley, John: Middx: Stoke Newington. Dudley, Lord Robert: became Earl of Leicester, 1564: Essex: Tilbury; Wanstead; Kent: Eltham; Greenwich. London: Durham House, Strand; Leicester House, Strand; Oxford Place; St James's Park; Surrey: Kew; Mortlake Park Lodge. Warwicks: Kenilworth; Long Itchington. Dudley, Lord: see Sutton, Edward. Duncombe, Thomas: Bucks: Brickhill. Dutton, Thomas: Gloucs: Sherborne. Dutton, William (son of Thomas): Gloucs: Sherborne. Dyer, Sir James: Hunts: Great Staughton. Dynham, Mr: Bucks: Boarstall. Edmondes, Dorothy Lady (widow): Surrey: East Molesey. Effingham: see Howard of Effingham. Egerton, Sir Thomas: Middx: Harefield; Surrey: Pyrford. Elrington (or Elderton), Mrs Dorothy (widow of Edward): Essex: Theydon Bois. Elrington (or Elderton), Edward: Essex: Theydon Bois. Eliot, Lawrence: Surrey: Godalming. Ely, Bishop of: see Cox, Richard. Essex, Lettice, Countess of (wife of 1st Earl of Essex): Staffs: Chartley. Essex, Earl of: see Devereux. Evelyn, John: Surrey: Kingston.

Fanshawe, Thomas: Essex: Ilford. Fermor, George (son of Sir John): Northants: Easton Neston. Fermor, Sir John: Northants: Easton Neston. Fiennes, Richard: Oxon: Broughton. Fisher, Edward (son of Thomas): Warwicks: Bishop's Itchington. Fisher, Jasper: London: Bishopsgate. Fisher, Thomas: Warwicks: Warwick, at the Priory. Fitzalan, Henry, 12th Earl of Arundel: London: Arundel House, Strand; Surrey: Cheam, at Nonsuch; Sussex: Arundel. FitzGarrett, Edward: Middx: Stanwell. Fitzwilliam, Sir William: Essex: Theydon Garnon. Forster, Humphrey (son of William): Berks: Aldermaston. Forster, William: Berks: Aldermaston. Fortescue, Sir John: Bucks: Mursley; Middx: Hendon. Forth, Dr Robert: Surrey: Streatham. Foster, William: Warwicks: Meriden. Freake, Edmund: Bishop of Norwich: Norfolk: Ludham; Norwich. Fuller, Nicholas: Berks: Thatcham; Essex: Little Ilford. Gardiner, John: Bucks: Chalfont St Giles. Garrett: see FitzGarrett. Gawdy, Thomas: Norfolk: Harleston. Gery, William: Bedfordshire: Eaton Socon. Giffard, John: Staffs: Brewood, at Chillington. Gifford, Henry: Hants: King's Somborne. Goddard, William: Berks: Bray. Godwin, Dr Thomas: Oxford: Christ Church. Goodwin, John: Bucks: Wooburn. Gorges, Sir Arthur: Middx: Chelsea. Goring, Henry: Sussex: Burton. Gostwick, John: Bedfordshire: Willington. Gresham, Anne Lady (widow of Sir Thomas): Middx: Osterley. Gresham, Sir Thomas: London: Bishopsgate; Middx: Osterley; Sussex: Mayfield. Gresley, Lady (widow): Staffs: Colton. Grey, Henry (son of Lord John): Essex: Havering, at Pyrgo. Grey, Lord John: Essex: Havering, at Pyrgo. Grey, Peter: Bedfordshire: Ridgmont. Grey of Wilton, Arthur 14th Lord: Bucks: Whaddon. Griffin, Edward: Northants: Dingley. Griffin, Sir Thomas (brother of Edward): Northants: Braybrooke. Grindal, Edmund: Archbp of York: Notts: Scrooby; Southwell; Yorks: Cawood. Guest, Edmund: Bishop of Salisbury: Wilts: Salisbury. Guildford, Sir Henry (son of Thomas): Bucks: Taplow. Guildford, Thomas: Kent: Benenden. Hales, Stephen: Warwicks: Coventry. Hall, Mr: county unidentified. Berks, Hants. (1576). Hammond, Dr John: Surrey: Chertsey.

Hampden, Mrs Anne (widow): Bucks: Great Hampden; with son William Hampden.

Hanbury, Richard: Bucks: Datchet. Harcourt, Michael: Bucks: Leckhampstead.

Harington, Sir James: Rutland: Exton. Harington, John (cousin of Sir James): Somerset: Kelston: no visit (note: 1592 August, end). Harris, Mrs Mary: Essex: Maldon. Harrison, Thomas: Berks: Finchampstead. Hart, Sir Percival: Kent: Lullingstone; Orpington. Harvey, Mr: Surrey: Chessington. Hastings, Henry, 3rd Earl of Huntingdon: Leics: Ashby-de-la-Zouch; London: Huntingdon House. Hatton, (Sir) Christopher: Kent: Eltham; Middx: Holborn, at Ely House; Middx: West Drayton; Northants: Holdenby. Hatton, John: Cambs: Longstanton. Hawker, Hugh: Wilts: Heytesbury. Hayes/Haynes, John: Berks: Hurley. Hayward, Catherine Lady (widow of Sir Rowland): Middx: Hackney. Hayward, Sir Rowland: Middx: Hackney. Heath, Nicholas: Surrey: Chobham (note, 1580). Heath, Thomas (nephew of Nicholas): Surrey: Chobham. Heigham, Henry: Herts: Sawbridgeworth. Heneage, Sir Thomas: Essex: Epping; London: Heneage House; Savoy. Herbert, Edward: Middx: Hendon. Herbert, Henry, 2nd Earl of Pembroke: Wilts: Devizes; Ramsbury; Wilton. Herbert, William, 1st Earl of Pembroke: London: Baynard's Castle; Middx: Hendon. Hertford, Earl of: see Seymour, Edward. Heydon, Sir Christopher: Norfolk: Baconsthorpe. Hicks, Michael: Essex: Leyton. Hoby, Elizabeth Lady (widow; later Lady Russell): Berks: Bisham. Hoby, Thomas: Berks: Bisham. Hoby, Thomas Posthumous (son of Thomas): Berks: Cookham (note). Hogan, Thomas: Norfolk: Bradenham. Horne, Robert: Bishop of Winchester: Hants: Bishop's Waltham; Winchester; Surrey: Farnham. Howard, Philip, Earl of Surrey: became 13th Earl of Arundel, 1580. London: Arundel House, Strand; Middx: Charterhouse; Norfolk: Kenninghall; Norwich. Howard, Thomas, 4th Duke of Norfolk: Middx: Charterhouse. Howard, Lord Thomas (son of Duke of Norfolk): Essex: Saffron Walden, at Audley End; Middx: Charterhouse. Howard of Effingham, Charles, 2nd Lord: became Earl of Hottingham, 1597. Kent: Deptford; London: Arundel House, Strand; Hances House, Westminster; Middx: Chelsea; Hampton Court Lodge; Surrey: Croydon. Howard of Effingham, Lady (wife of 2nd Lord): London: Westminster. Hungerford, John: Gloucs: Down Ampney. Hunsdon, Anne Lady (widow): London: Somerset House, Strand (Keeper). Hunsdon, Lord: see Carey: George; Henry. Huntingdon, Catherine Pole, Dowager Countess of (widow of 2nd Earl): London: Huntingdon House. Huntingdon, Catherine Dudley, Dowager Countess of (widow of 3rd Earl): London: Huntingdon House. Huntingdon, Earl of: see Hastings, Henry. Huntley, George: Gloucs: Frocester. Hyde, William: Herts: Sandon. Hynde, Francis: Cambs: Madingley. Isley, William: Kent: Sundridge.

James, Dr William: Oxford: Christ Church. Jerningham, Frances Lady (widow): Norfolk: Costessey. Kellefet, Richard: Surrey: Egham. Kempe, Sir Thomas: Kent: Wye. Killigrew, William: Middx: Hanworth. Kitson, Sir Thomas: Suffolk: Hengrave. Knightley, Sir Richard: Northants: Fawsley. Knollys, Sir Francis: Kent: Lewisham; Oxon: Rotherfield Greys. Knollys, Sir William (son of Sir Francis): London: St James's Park; Oxon: Caversham. Knyvett, Thomas: Essex: Ilford. Kyrre, Mr: county unidentified. Berks, Surrey. (1567). Lacy, John: Surrey: Putney. Lane, Sir Robert: Northants: Charwelton. Lawrence, Anne Lady (widow): Hants: Soberton. Lee, Sir Henry: Bucks: Boarstall; Oxon: Spelsbury, at Ditchley; Woodstock Palace (Keeper). Lee, John: Kent: Eltham Home Park (Keeper). Lee, Sir Richard: Herts: St Albans, at Sopwell. Leicester, Earl of: see Dudley, Lord Robert. Lennard, John: Kent: Sevenoaks, at Knole. Lewknor, Richard: Sussex: West Dean. Lichfield, Thomas: Middx: Highgate. Lincoln, Earl of: see Clinton: Edward; Henry. Livesey, Robert: Surrey: Streatham. London, Bishops of: see: Aylmer; Bancroft. Long, Henry, tenant of: Essex: Kelvedon. Lovell, Gregory: Surrey: Merton. Lucas, Thomas: Essex: Colchester. Lucy, Sir Thomas: Warwicks: Charlecote. Lumley, Elizabeth Lady (wife of Lord Lumley): Kent: Greenwich. Lumley, John Lord: London: Tower Hill; Surrey: Cheam, at Nonsuch; Sussex: Stoughton. Lyfield, Thomas: Surrey: Stoke D'Abernon. Lytton, Rowland: Herts: Knebworth. Malin, Ferdinando: Middx: Kensington. Mallory, William: Cambs: Papworth St Agnes. Maltravers, Lady: Essex: Gosfield. Manners, Edward, 3rd Earl: Leics: Belvoir. Manners, Henry, 2nd Earl: Leics: Garendon; Belvoir; Middx: Shoreditch. Manwood, Sir Roger: Kent: Canterbury, at Hackington. Manwood, Mrs (Sir Roger's sister-in-law): Kent: Sandwich. Manwood, Mr: Kent: Sandwich. Martin, Richard: Middx: Tottenham. Marvyn, Lady (widow): Wilts: Fonthill Gifford; with stepson James Marvyn. Mason, Elizabeth Lady (widow of Sir John): Hants: Hartley Wintney. Mason, Sir John: Hants: Hartley Wintney. Mauvissière (French Ambassador): London: Salisbury Court. Maynard, Henry: Surrey: Clapham. Meredith, Richard: Berks: Old Windsor. Mervyn, Edmund: Hants: Bramshott. Mewtas, Hercules: Essex: West Ham. Middlemore, Henry: Middx: Enfield.

Mildmay, Sir Thomas (nephew of Sir Walter): Essex: Moulsham. Mildmay, Sir Walter: Northants: Apethorpe. Miller, Hugh: Kent: Eltham Little Park (Keeper). Millicent, Robert: Cambs: Linton. Montagu, Edward: Northants: Boughton. Montagu, Viscount: see Browne, Anthony. Mordaunt, Lady: Northants: Drayton. More, Edward: Hants: Odiham. More, Sir George (son of Sir William): Surrey: Guildford, at Loseley. More, Thomas: Oxon: Bicester. More, Sir William: Surrey: Guildford, at Loseley. Morice, James: Essex: Ongar. Morley, Lord, see Parker, Henry. Neale, William: Hants: Warnford. Nevill, Henry, 6th Lord Abergavenny: Kent: Birling; Sussex: Frant, at Eridge. Neville, Lady Eleanor: Lincs: location unidentified. Neville, Sir Henry: Berks: Sunninghill (Keeper); Bucks: Hambleden. Neville, Henry (son of Sir Henry): Berks: Sunninghill (Keeper). Neville, Sir Thomas: Berks: Bray. Nicholas, Elizabeth Lady (widow): Middx: Edmonton. Norfolk, Duke of: see Howard, Thomas. Norris, Sir Edward (son of Lord Norris): Berks: Englefield. Norris, Sir Henry: became 1st Lord Norris 1572: Oxon: Thame, at Rycote. Norris, John: Berks: Winkfield, at Foliejon (Keeper). Norris, William (son of John): Berks: Winkfield, at Foliejon (Keeper). Norris, Mr (son of Sir Henry Norris): Berks: Yattendon. Norris, Mr: Bucks; location unidentified. (1592). North, Lord: Roger 2nd Lord: Cambs: Kirtling. Northampton, Elizabeth Lady Marquis of: London: Westminster. Northampton, Helena Lady Marquis of: Surrey: Sheen. Northumberland, Earls of: see Percy, Henry. Norton, John: Hants: East Tisted. Norton, Sir Richard (son of John): Hants: East Tisted. Norwich, Bishop of: see Freake. Nottingham, Earl of: see Howard of Effingham, Charles. Oglethorpe, Mr: Surrey: Thorpe. Oxenbridge, Robert: Hants: Hurstbourne Priors (no visit, note). Oxford, Earl of: see Vere. Paddy, Dr William: London: Blackfriars. Paget, Nazareth Lady (wife of 4th Lord): Norfolk: Woodrising. Paget, Thomas 4th Lord Paget: Middx: West Drayton; Staffs: Burton. Paget, William 1st Lord: Middx: West Drayton. Palmer, Thomas: Kent: Wingham. Parker, Henry, 11th Lord Morley: Essex: Great Hallingbury. Herts: Brent Pelham (confiscated by Crown). Parker, Matthew: Archbishop of Canterbury: Kent: Canterbury; Surrey: Croydon; Lambeth; Wilts: Ford. Parker, Thomas: Gloucs: Northleach. Parry, Thomas: Berks: Hampstead Marshall; Welford. Paston, William: Norfolk: Paston. Pate, Richard: Gloucs: Gloucester.

Paulet, Anne Lady (widow): Essex: Leyton. Paulet, Elizabeth Lady (widow): Herts: Ridge. Paulet, John, Lord St John: became 2nd Marquis of Winchester, 1572: Hants: Itchen Stoke. Paulet, George: Hants: Crondall. Paulet, William, 1st Marquis of Winchester: Hants: Basing; Netley; London: Paulet House. Paulet, William, 3rd Marquis of Winchester: Hants: Basing; Itchen Stoke. Paulet, William 4th Marquis of Winchester: Hants: Basing. Payne, Richard: Middx: Willesden. Payne, William: Middx: Hammersmith. Peckham, George: Bucks: Denham. Pembroke, Earls of: see Herbert: Henry; William. Pembroke, Katherine Countess of (wife of 2nd Earl): London: Baynard's Castle. Pender, Mr: Surrey: Lambeth, at Stockwell. Penruddock, Sir George: Herts: Broxbourne. Percy, Henry, 8th Earl of Northumberland: Sussex: Petworth; Yorks: Leconfield. Percy, Henry, 9th Earl of Northumberland: Sussex: Petworth. Petre, Anne Lady (widow of Sir William): Essex: Ingatestone. Petre, Sir William: Essex: Ingatestone. Pexall, Sir Richard: Hants: Steventon. Pigott, Thomas: Bucks: Beachampton. Plowden, Francis: Berks: Burghfield. Polsted, Mrs Elizabeth (widow): Surrey: Thorpe; and with 2nd husband, John Wolley. Popham, Sir John: Middx: Friern Barnet; Wilts: Littlecote. Powle, Thomas: Essex: Ilford. Powtrell, Mr: Notts: Egmanton. Poynings, Sir Adrian: Hants: Wherwell. Poyntz, Sir Nicholas: Gloucs: Iron Acton. Puckering, Sir John: Surrey: Kew. Pulteney, Michael: Leics: Misterton. Puttenham, George: Hants: Herriard. Radcliffe, Henry, 4th Earl of Sussex: Hants: Portsmouth; Middx: Highgate. Radcliffe, Thomas, 3rd Earl of Sussex: Essex: Boreham; London: Arundel House, Strand; Surrey: Bermondsey. Rainsford, Hercules: Oxon: Great Tew. Remington, Sir Robert: Hants: Sherborne St John. Reve, John: Bucks: Princes Risborough. Revet, Thomas: Cambs: Chippenham. Rich, Edward: Essex: Horndon-on-the-Hill. Rich, Richard, 1st Lord: Essex: Little Leighs; Wanstead. Rich, Robert, 2nd Lord: Essex: Little Leighs. Rich, Lady (wife of 2nd Lord): Essex: Little Leighs. Rivett: see Revet. Rookwood, Edward: Suffolk: Euston. Rotherham, George: Bedfordshire: Luton. Rowlatt, Sir Ralph: Herts: St Albans, at Holywell. Russell, Elizabeth Lady (widow of Lord Russell; formerly Lady Hoby): Berks: Bisham; London: Blackfriars (daughter's marriage). Russell, Francis, 2nd Earl of Bedford: Bedfordshire: Woburn; Bucks: Chenies. Russell, Sir William: Middx: Chiswick. Rutland, Earl of: see Manners, Edward; Henry.

Sackville, Sir Richard: London: Sackville House. Sackville, Thomas, 1st Lord Buckhurst (son): London: Sackville House. Surrey: West Horsley; Sussex: Withyham. Sadler, Sir Ralph: Herts: Standon. St John, John: Wilts: Lydiard Tregoze. St John, Oliver, 1st Lord: Bedfordshire: Bletsoe. St John, Oliver: Surrey: Battersea. St John, Lord: see Paulet, John. St Leger family: Kent: Leeds Castle. Salisbury, Bishop of: see Guest. Sanderson, William: Surrey: Newington. Sandys, Elizabeth Lady (widow of 2nd Lord): Hants: Sherborne St John. Sandys, William, 3rd Lord Sandys: Hants: Mottisfont; Sherborne St John. Saunderson, Mr: Essex: Leytonstone. Savage, William: Worcs: Elmley Castle; with mother Mrs Anne Daston. Savage, Mr: Sussex: Winchelsea? Scott, Bartholomew: Surrey: Camberwell. Scott, Sir Thomas: Kent: Smeeth. Searle, Mr: Essex: Brentwood. Sedley, John: Kent: Southfleet. Serle, Mr: Hants: Bishop's Waltham. Seymour, Edward, Earl of Hertford: Hants: Elvetham; London: Hertford House, Westminster; Wilts: Amesbury; Tottenham, Savernake Forest. Sharington, Henry: Wilts: Lacock. Sheffield, Douglas Lady (widow of Lord Sheffield): Middx: Highgate; with 2nd husband Sir Edward Stafford. Shrewsbury, Earl of: see Talbot: George; Gilbert. Sidney, Sir Henry: Kent: Otford; Tenterden; Surrey: Lambeth, at Carlisle House. Sidney, Mary Lady (wife of Sir Henry): Middx: Chiswick. Sidney, Sir Robert (son of Sir Henry): London: Baynard's Castle. Sidney, Thomas: Norfolk: Little Walsingham. Smith, Sir Thomas: Bucks: Wraysbury (absent); Essex: Theydon Mount. Smith, Thomas: Gloucs: Chipping Campden. Smith, 'Customer' Thomas Smith: Kent: Stanford; Surrey: Barnes. Somerset, Duchess of: London: Hertford House, Westminster; Middx: Hanworth. Southampton, Earl of: see Wriothesley. Southampton, Jane Dowager Countess of (widow of 1st Earl): Hants: Titchfield. Southampton, Mary Countess of (widow of 2nd Earl); with 2nd husband Sir Thomas Heneage: Essex: Epping; London: Savoy. Southwell, Elizabeth Lady (widow of Sir Robert): London: Hances House, Westminster. Southwell, Sir Robert: Surrey: Reigate. Spelman, John: Middx: Ealing. Spencer, Sir John: Northants: Althorp. Spencer, Sir William: Oxon: Yarnton. Spring, Mr: Suffolk: Helmingham (?). Stafford, Edward, 3rd Lord: Staffs: Stafford. Stafford, Sir Edward: Middx: Highgate; with wife Lady Sheffield. Stafford, Thomas: Oxon: Charlbury. Stafford, Mr: Berks: Bray, at Foxleys. Stamford, Lady (widow): Middx: Monken Hadley; and with 2nd husband Roger Carew. Stanhope, Sir John: Kent: Eltham. Stapleton, Lady (widow): Yorks: Wighill. Stephens, Thomas: Wilts: Chiseldon. Stoner, Mrs Anne (widow of John): Essex: Chiqwell. Stoner, Francis (brother of John): Essex: Chigwell; Loughton. Stoner, John: Essex: Chigwell; Loughton.

Style, Elizabeth Lady: Norfolk: Bracon Ash; with 2nd husband Thomas Townsend. Suffolk, Duchess of: Lincs: Bourne; with 2nd husband Richard Bertie. Surrey, Earl of: see Howard, Philip. Sussex, Earl of: see Radcliffe: Henry; Thomas. Sutton, Edward, 4th Lord Dudley: Worcs: Dudley. Talbot, George, 6th Earl of Shrewsbury: Derbyshire: Buxton; Chatsworth; Tutbury; Notts: Rufford. Talbot, Gilbert Lord; became 7th Earl of Shrewsbury, 1590: Herts: Cheshunt; Middx: Chelsea. Tanfield, Lawrence: Oxon: Burford. Thimelby, John: Lincs: Irnham. Thistlethwaite, Giles: Wilts: Winterslow. Thorold, Anthony: Lincs: Marston. Throckmorton, Sir Nicholas: Northants: Paulerspury. Thynne, Sir John: Wilts: Longleat. Tichborne, Benjamin: Hants: Tichborne. Tichborne, Francis (half-brother of Benjamin): Hants: Tichborne. Tilney, Edmund: Surrey: Leatherhead. Tilney, Henry: Suffolk: Shelley. Tomson, Laurence: Middx: Laleham. Townsend, Thomas: Norfolk: Bracon Ash; with wife Lady Style. Townshend, Roger: Middx: Stoke Newington. Tresham, Thomas: Northants: Rushton. Tufton, John: Kent: Hothfield. Tuke, George: Essex: Layer Marney. Tuke, Mrs Margaret (widow of George): Essex: Layer Marney. Tyrell, Edward: Essex; Ashdon. Tyrell, George: Bucks: Thornton. Tyringham, Thomas: Bucks: Tyringham. Tyrwhit, Sir Robert (I): Hunts: Leighton Bromswold. Tyrwhit, Sir Robert (II): Lincs: Wrawby. Unton, Sir Edward: Oxon: Langley; wife Anne Dowager Countess of Warwick. Vaughan, John: Yorks: Sutton-upon-Derwent. Vavasour, Sir William: Yorks: Tadcaster. Vere, John de, 16th Earl of Oxford: Essex: Castle Hedingham. Verney, Edward: Herts: Tring. Vincent, Francis (son of Thomas): Surrey: Stoke D'Abernon. Vincent, Thomas: Surrey: Kingston, at Coombe. Waldegrave, William: Suffolk: Bures. Waller, Ralph: Middx: South Mimms. Wallop, Sir Henry: Hants: Farleigh Wallop. Wallop, William (half-brother of Sir Henry): Hants: Wield. Walsingham, Sir Francis: Hants: Odiham; London: Walsingham House; Surrey: Barnes. Walsingham, Thomas (cousin of Sir Francis): Kent: Chislehurst; Eltham Great Park (Keeper). Ward, Richard (I): Berks: Hurst. Ward, Richard (II, son): Berks: Hurst. Warren, Richard: Essex: Ilford. Warren, William: Herts: Bygrave. Warwick, Earl of: see Dudley, Ambrose. Warwick, Anne Countess of (widow of Ambrose Dudley): Herts: Northaw. Warwick, Anne Dowager Countess of (wife of Sir Edward Unton): Oxon: Langley.

Watson, John: Bishop of Winchester: Surrey: Farnham. Watts, Mrs Marian (widow of Richard): Kent: Rochester. Watts, Richard: Kent: Rochester. Weldon, Ralph: Kent: Swanscombe. Welles/Welsh, Mr: Sussex: Rye. Wendy, Mrs Margaret: Cambs: Haslingfield; with 2nd husband William Worthington. Wenman, Sir Thomas: Bucks: Twyford. Wentworth, Sir John: Essex: Gosfield. West, William, 1st Lord De La Warr: Hants: Holt. Weston, Mrs Elizabeth (widow): Bucks: Chicheley. Weston, Sir Henry: Surrey: West Clandon. Weston, Sir Richard (son of Sir Henry): Surrey: West Clandon. Weston, Mr: Kent: Greenwich. Wharton, Philip, 3rd Lord: Surrey: Southwark (marriage). Wharton, Thomas, 1st Lord: Yorks: Healaugh. Wharton, Lady (widow of 1st Lord): Yorks: Healaugh. Whitby, Mr: Middx: Hounslow. White, Joan Lady (widow): Middx: Bethnal Green. White, John (I): Hants: Southwick. White, John (II, grandson): Hants: Southwick. White, Richard: Hants: South Warnborough. White, Mr: Hants: Odiham. Wightman, Mrs Audrey (widow of William): Middx: Harrow. Wightman, William: Middx: Harrow. Wilkes, Thomas: Middx: Brentford. Willoughby, Francis: Warwicks: Middleton. Winchester, Bishop of: see Bilson; Cooper; Horne; Watson. Winchester, Marquis of: see Paulet: John; William. Windsor, Edward, 3rd Lord: Bucks: Bradenham. Windsor, Frederick, 4th Lord: Bucks: Bradenham. Wingfield, Thomas: Hunts: Kimbolton. Withipoll, Edmund: Suffolk: Ipswich. Wodehouse, Francis: Norfolk: Breckles. Wodehouse, Roger: Norfolk: Kimberley. Wodehouse, Mr: Norfolk: Wroxham. Wolley, John: Surrey: Chobham; Thorpe. Woodroffe, Grissel Lady (widow of Sir Nicholas): Surrey: Seale. Woodroffe, Sir Nicholas: Surrey: Seale. Woodward, George: Bucks: Upton. Woodward, John: Middx: Edmonton. Worcester, Bishop of: see Bullingham. Worsopp, John: Surrey: Clapham. Worthington, William: Cambs: Haslingfield. Wotton, Thomas: Kent: Boughton Malherbe. Wray, Sir Christopher: Lincs: Glentworth. Wriothesley, Henry, 3rd Earl of Southampton: Hants: Titchfield. Wroth, Robert: Essex: Chigwell; Middx: Enfield. Yate, Mr: Oxon: Witney. Young, John: Gloucs and Bristol: Bristol. Young, Richard: Middx: Stratford. Young, Thomas: Archbishop of York: Notts: Southwell. York, Archbishops of York: see Grindal; Young. Zouche, Sir John: Surrey, unidentified. (1577).

Proposed Progresses.

Summary of letters quoted in the Text, followed by: **1560:** To Hampshire: itinerary. 1562: To meet Mary Oueen of Scots: Letters, preparations at Leicester, Nottingham, York. Itinerary to and from York. Proposed masques at Nottingham. Itineraries: Windsor to Nottingham; Windsor to Collyweston; Coventry to Woodstock; Nottingham to Hatfield. 1564: To Kenilworth: 'Remembrance'; itineraries; fireworks. 1568: To and from Northamptonshire: itinerary. 1569: To Bristol: preparations. 1572: Kenilworth to Windsor: itinerary; to Wiltshire: letters. 1573: To and from Surrey, Kent and Sussex: first itinerary. To and from Surrey, Kent and Sussex: second (Dering) itinerary. 1575: To and from York: itinerary; preparations at Coventry, Leicester, Nottingham, Pontefract, Shrewsbury, York. 1576: To the Midlands: preparations at Leicester, Nottingham. 1578: To and from Norfolk: itinerary. Norfolk to Hampton Court: list of houses. Suffolk to Bedfordshire: letter. Preparations at Colchester, Great Yarmouth, Ipswich, King's Lynn. 1579: To and from Essex: itinerary. To and from Essex and Suffolk; itinerary; preparations at Colchester, Ipswich. 1585: To York: letters; preparations at Leicester, Northampton, York. 1586: To and from Hampshire and Sussex: itinerary. Also to Maidstone, Kent. 1587: To and from Surrey, Middlesex, Hertfordshire: itinerary. 1591: To and from Middlesex, Hertfordshire, Essex: itinerary. To Winchester, Hants: preparations. 1594: To and from Hertfordshire: itinerary. 1596: To Kent: locations to review foot-bands and horse-bands. 1599: To Hampshire, Surrey, Wiltshire. 1602: To Bath. To Wiltshire: itinerary.

Proposed progresses, visits: summary of letters quoted in the Text.

1559 July 17: summer progress started, to Kent and Surrey. July 29: Queen unwell on way to Isle of Sheppey. (De Noailles). No visit. Aug 19: Queen to go to Guildford, Chobham, Windsor. (Bishop). No visits. Aug 20: Windsor Castle ready for the Queen. (Marguis of Winchester). Aug 23: Queen ill, cannot go to Windsor. (De Noailles). 1560 July 20: Queen going towards Portsmouth, July 29. (Petre). July 21: 'soft ways' for the progress. (Earl of Arundel). July 29: summer progress started, to Portsmouth. Aug 6: to be 'a posting journey'. (Dudley). 1561 May 16: Queen to go to Ipswich, Suffolk. (Sir Nicholas Bacon). May 24: progress to be through Essex to Ipswich. (Sir William Cecil). May 25: progress to Essex, Suffolk, Norfolk; plans changed. (Jones). July 14: summer progress started, to Essex, Suffolk, Herts. Aug 19: Mary Queen of Scots returned to Scotland from France. Dec 22: the Queen and Mary Queen of Scots desire to meet. (Cecil). 1562 Jan 29: Scots to make 'first motion' of meeting. (Maitland). Feb 12: opinion in Scotland as to meeting. (Randolph). Feb 27: Mary's great desire for a meeting. (Maitland). April 25: Scots to wear black cloth. (Randolph). May 3: Scots making preparations. (Randolph). May 26: Scots desire a meeting. (Randolph). May 29: Mary doubts if a meeting will take place. (Randolph). June 1: Maitland, envoy, in England to 'solicit interview'. June 3: preparations ordered in Scotland. (Randolph). June 7: contentions in France may prevent meeting. Articles agreed. June 10: preparations in England. (Maitland). June 13: consultations in England. (De Foix). June 14: consultations. (Sidney). June 17: Mary still desires the meeting. (Randolph). June 20: consultation 'for' and 'against'. (Cecil). June 21: Mary to be received at Berwick. (Lord Grey). June 23: the progress depends on news from France. (Cecil). June 24: advice to Earl of Northumberland. (Pembroke and Cecil). June 25: meeting to be at Nottingham. (Dudley). June 28: decision on interview. June 30: arguments for and against. (Cecil); Vintners sent for. July 3: first meeting to be at Southwell. (Mason). July 4: meeting to be at Nottingham. (De Quadra). July 5: news from Scotland as to the interview. (Randolph). July 6: agreement for the interview. July 8: safe-conduct for Mary. July 10: to meet at Sheffield. (Lady Throckmorton). July 11: Maitland left; news from De Foix and De Quadra. July 12: preparations at Nottingham. (Killigrew). July 13: preparations at Nottingham, but hostilities in France. (Somers). July 15: Mary's preparations for the interview. (Randolph). July 15: Elizabeth deferred the interview, for `matters in France'. July 16: Sir Henry Sidney left for Scotland: interview to be in 1563. July 25: Mary's 'great grief' at the news. July, end: Duchess of Suffolk paid a man who brought the news.

1563: The English were fighting in France 1562-1563.

1564 April 19: Elizabeth and Mary will meet at York. (Clough). April 27: Queen to go on progress to Warwick. (Luis Roman). May 22: interview unlikely this year. (Randolph). May 27: Elizabeth not to meet Mary. (Roman). May 31: still going on progress to Warwickshire. (Clough). June 4: no interview this year. (Cecil); and June 5. (Randolph). July 4: progress to go 'towards Stamford'. (Haddon). July 26: summer progress started, towards Cambridge.

1565 July 9: Queen to make a progress near London. (De Silva). No progress.

1566 May 18, and 25: Queen to start a progress in June. (De Silva). May 27: Queen to go to Northants and Kenilworth. (Fitzwilliam). June 15: Killigrew sent to Scotland: no interview this year. June 16: Queen to go to Northants and Lincs. (Cecil). June 29: Queen to start progress on July 3. (De Silva). July 8: summer progress started, towards Northants, Lincs, Kenilworth.

1569 June 18: Queen to make a progress to Southampton. (Cecil).
June 28: Queen to go to Isle of Wight. (La Mothe to Charles IX).
June 28: Queen to go to Bishop's Waltham. (Bp of Winchester). No visit.
Aug 1: Queen to go to Southampton and Isle of Wight. (La Mothe).
Aug 9: summer progress started, to Southampton (not Isle of Wight).

1570 July 25: Queen to go to East Anglia. (La Mothe). July 29: Queen not to go to Essex. (Cecil). July 30: Queen's injured foot prevents her going far. (La Mothe). Aug 9: to make a progress to Oxfordshire. (Norris). Aug 10: preparations at Kenilworth. (Duchess of Suffolk). No visit. Aug 11: still going towards Oxford. (La Mothe). Aug 30-Sept 16: Queen at Rycote and Ewelme, Oxon.

1571 June 7: Queen's progress going towards Coventry. (La Mothe). No visit. June 9: progress going towards Tutbury. (Earl of Shrewsbury). June 24: still going to Tutbury, Staffs. (Kniveton). No visit. Aug 9: summer progress started, to Middlesex, Herts, Essex.

1572 April 3: Queen to go on progress towards the North. (La Mothe). April 11: progress to York unlikely. (Smith). No visit.

1573 Feb 23: short progress started, to Hertfordshire and Middlesex. May 23: Queen's great desire is to go to Bristol. (Lord Talbot). July 15: summer progress started, to Surrey, Kent, Sussex.

1574 March 12: Queen's progress to go to York. (La Mothe). May 3: still going to York. (Boischot and Sweveghem). May 10: going to Havering, Essex, then to Bristol. (Lord Talbot). May 19: lodgings prepared at Croydon, Surrey. (Bowyer). No visit. June 3: Queen hopes to visit Longleat, Wilts. (Lord Henry Seymour). June 13: visit to Havering deferred, after foreign news. (La Mothe). June 13: stay at Havering abandoned, after preparations. June 25: Queen is going to Bristol. (Sweveghem). July 15: summer progress started, to Bristol. 1575 Feb 16: Earl of Leicester is preparing Grafton, Northants. March 4: progress planned to York. (Archbishop of York). March 17: Archbishop of Canterbury's advice to Archbishop of York. May 26: progress has started, Queen may meet Queen of Scots. (De Guaras). June 4: not going to York, maybe to Shrewsbury. (Walsingham). June 5: brewing at Sheffield for the Queen. (Gilbert Talbot). June 10: Queen still desires to go to York. (Leicester). June 12: to go a long way towards the North, and Kenilworth. (La Mothe). July 9-27: Queen stayed at Kenilworth Castle. Aug 7: Queen not going to Worcester, for smallpox. (Walsingham). Aug 7: still going to Worcester. (Burghley). Aug 13-20: Queen stayed at Worcester. Aug 15: Queen may go to Shrewsbury. (Smith). No visit.

1576 July, start: abandoned progress to Middx and Herts. July 4: Queen is going on a progress near London. (Mauvissière). July 6: progress planned to Northants and Leics. (Gilbert Talbot). July 11: Queen is going to Grafton, Northants. (Lord Talbot). No visit. July 26: Queen abandoned her progress, after Dutch news. (De Guaras). July 30: summer progress started, to Middx, Essex, Herts, Bucks.

1577 July 4: planned progress to Sussex. (Lord Buckhurst).
July 9: Queen to go to Grafton and Kenilworth in 1578. (Topcliffe).
July 10: Queen is coming to Sussex. (Goring).
July 25: two or three progresses `set down'. (Stanhope).
July 30: proposed progress to Essex. (Leicester).
Aug 4: progress abandoned, after Oxford `Black Assize'. (Burghley).

1578 May 3: Queen may go on progress to Norfolk. (Gilbert Talbot).
June 18: Queen not to go to Kirtling on East Anglian progress. (Hatton).
June 28: Queen 'doubtful of her progress'. (Hatton).
July 9: summer progress started, to East Anglia.
July 15: route of progress may be changed. (Lord Burghley).
July 20: progress to Norfolk uncertain. (Heydon).
Aug 16-22: Queen at Norwich. Sept 1-3: at Kirtling, Cambs.

1582 July 10: Queen to go to Oxfordshire and Gloucs. (*Browne*). July 16: journey to Northants not convenient. (*Burghley*). No progress. Sept 11: Queen had planned to visit Rycote, Oxon. (*Leicester*).

1583 May 23: Queen to go to Sussex. (*Hatton; and Earl of Arundel*). June 4: Queen to go to Farnham, Surrey. (*Bishop of Winchester*). No visit. June 29: Queen is dissuaded from going to Sussex. (*Cornwallis*).

1584 June 30: progress to Portsmouth 'suspended'. (Reynolds).

1585 Feb 12: rumoured progress to York. (Mendoza). May 7: progress abandoned after many preparations by towns.

1586 July 16: long progress abandoned after Babington Plot. (*Bishop*). Payments at Petworth, Sussex, and Woking, Surrey.

1591 July 10: proposed progress to Portsmouth. (Hunsdon); reply by More. July 30: summer progress started, to Portsmouth. Sept 4: Queen is determined to go to the Isle of Wight. (Cecil). Sept 6: Queen has been dissuaded from going to Isle of Wight. (Cecil). Sept 9: Queen changed her plan to visit Winchester, which was ready. 1592 Oct 12: Queen to visit North in 1593. (Lady Scudamore). Plague, no visit. 1594 May 22: preparations for Queen to visit Havering. (Heneage). No visit. 1595 July 11: progress to Essex planned. (Heneage). July 25: uncertainty over Essex progress. (Heneage). July 31: Essex progress still uncertain. (Heneage). Aug 2: Queen still coming to Essex. (Countess of Southampton). Aug 8: Queen may go to Highgate, Middx. (Howard). No visit. Aug 9: smallpox in Essex. (Countess of Southampton). No progress. 1596 March 13: Queen plans short Middlesex progress. (Standen). No progress. 1597 March 26: Queen plans Hertfordshire progress. (Whyte). April 3: progress is broken off. (Whyte). 1598 March 25: Queen intends a little progress. (Carleton). No progress. 1599 July 21: Queen to make a long progress. (Cordale). July 22: progress to be shortened. (Boissise). July 24: progress extended again. (Danvers). Only Wimbledon visited. 1600 Jan 16: Queen to go shroving in Middlesex. (Whyte). No visit. April 4: Queen to make a short Middlesex progress. (Whyte). No progress. June 13: rumoured progress to Oxfordshire. (Lee). No progress. July 7: progress planned to Hants and Wilts. (Whyte). July 19: Queen still going to Wiltshire. (Whyte). July 27: long progress still planned. (Whyte). Aug 2: Queen still resolved to go to Wiltshire. (Whyte). Aug 7: Cofferer needs more money for the progress. (Sir Henry Cock). Aug 8: Queen may only go to Farnham, Surrey. (Whyte). No progress. 1601 Aug 13: progress planned to Wiltshire. (Chamberlain). Aug 21: Queen still going to Wiltshire. (Cecil). Aug 26: pleased to know Queen is still coming. (Popham). Aug 27: progress abandoned for Duke of Biron's visit. (Herbert). **1602** July 8: progress planned to Bath and Bristol. (Chamberlain). July 15: French Ambassador to accompany Queen. (Beaumont). July 18: to go towards Bristol. (Cecil). July 24: progress to include Welford, Berks. (Rabbards). No visit. July 26: still going to Bristol. (Rivers). July 28: Queen is starting her long progress. (Rivers). Aug 3: progress cut short, for bad weather. (Edmondes). Aug 3: preparations made at Donnington, Berks. (Lady Russell). Aug 14: Queen still to go to Earl of Hertford, Wiltshire. (Savile). Aug 17: progress 'dissolved'. (Cecil). Aug 22: not going to Wiltshire. (Popham). Aug 24: still going to Earl of Hertford, Wiltshire. (Lord Henry Howard). Aug 25: still going to Wiltshire. (Rivers). Aug 30: progress is now 'broken'. (Cecil).

1560: Proposed progress to Hampshire.

[1560] 'The Queen's gestes from Greenwich to Portsmouth'.

July 29, Mon: from Greenwich - Richmond (11 miles) Aug 3, Sat: Oatlands (8 miles) 5, Mon: Sutton (9 miles) 6, Tues: Farnham (12 miles) 8, Thur: Mr Tichborne 'beside Alforde' (14 miles) [Tichborne, near Alresford] 9, Fri: Southwick (12 miles) 10, Sat: dinner, Portsmouth 10, Sat: Warblington (13 miles) 12, Mon: dinner, Portsmouth 12, Mon: Titchfield (13 miles) 13, Tues: dinner, Netley 13, Tues: Southampton (12 miles) 16, Fri: Winchester (10 miles) 19, Mon: Mr Tichborne (7 miles) [Tichborne, again] 20, Tues: Basing (10 miles) 22, Thur: Wintney, Mr Mason (9 miles) [Hartley Wintney] 23, Fri: dinner, Bagshot [Surrey] 23, Fri: Windsor (17 miles) [Berkshire] and there during the Queen's Majesty's pleasure.

The progress started as planned, and all but three of the places listed were visited, though not all on the planned dates. The places not known to have been visited in 1560 were: Tichborne, Hants: Francis Tichborne. Titchfield, Hants: Henry Wriothesley, 2nd Earl of Southampton. Warblington, Hants: George Cotton. Itinerary, with distances in miles: College of Arms, MS 2/6/46.

1562: Proposed progress to meet Mary Queen of Scots.

June 18: Letters sent from Greenwich by Queen Elizabeth included: (1) To the Earls of Northumberland and Cumberland, to be ready with the Bishop of Durham and the Sheriffs and gentlemen of Northumberland and the Bishopric, to meet the Queen of Scots either in Berwick or at the bridge thereof and conduct her from thence to the Tees.

(2) To Lord Dacre and others, to attend on the Earls, to conduct the Queen of Scots either to Newcastle or to the Tees.

(3) To Earl of Rutland: As the meeting shall take place about next Bartholomew Tide, either in York or on the side near the River Trent, he, being President of the Council of the North, with the Archbishop of York and the nobility and gentry of Yorkshire, shall receive the Queen of Scots at the water of Tees, and conduct her to the place of meeting. He is required to put himself and them in good order by the beginning of August.

(4) To the Archbishop of York, to be ready to accompany the Earl of Rutland.
(5) The Barons of Yorkshire, to be ready to attend the Queen of Scots in August.
(6) Duke of Norfolk, 4 Earls, and Viscount Montague: They and their wives shall be ready with at least 24 persons for the interview with the Queen of Scots.
(7) Proclamation of the arrival of the Queen of Scots. As the meeting shall be at Nottingham Castle in the beginning of September next, the person addressed is to go to Nottingham before September 4 with his wife and train.

[State Papers Foreign].

Leicester preparations, 1562.

1562 July 5: Hall Book: 'Every one of the 24 called the Mayor's brethren shall pay and deliver to the Chamberlains 20s and every one of the 48 10s, to be paid on Friday next towards the repairing of the town against the Queen's Majesty's coming...Every Alderman within his own Ward shall bring in the names of every one of the commonalty dwelling within his said Ward able to be taxed on Wednesday next, to be taxed and assessed by Mr Mayor and other Justices, every one to be taxed and assessed according to his ability and by their discretion'...

'Every one shall see the pavement paved before his door and compass of his house immediately'. [Mary Bateson, ed. *Records of the Borough of Leicester*, 3 vols. (Cambridge, 1899-1905), iii.101].

Nottingham preparations, 1562.

1562 July 4, Greenwich: Privy Council: 'A letter to the Sheriff of Nottingham that where the Queen's Majesty hath determined to meet the Queen of Scots at Nottingham the 3rd of September next, both whose trains will amount to 4000 persons, like as her Majesty hath already given order for the furnishing with sufficient victuals her own court, so is he required to repair forthwith to Nottingham, and there calling unto him as well the most expert and skilful gentlemen of that shire as of the confines of the shires adjoining, and to consider with them what store of victuals, especially of bread corn and drink corn, may be put in a readiness in those parts for the furnishing of the train, and to make a particular note thereof and to send the same hither with speed, wherein the more speed is required for that if they shall not be there able to furnish the train, some order may be taken in time that the same may be appointed out of some other more remote parts'.

July 14, Westminster: Privy Council: 'Letters to the lords and others that were formerly warned to attend upon the Queen's Majesty to Nottingham, signifying unto them that her Highness hath altered this journey for this summer'. [Acts of the Privy Council].

York preparations, 1562.

June 18, York, Earl of Rutland to Sir William Cecil: Mr Controller [Sir Edward Rogers, Controller of the Household] wrote to know what preparation might be made here of certain things, and at what prices. Whereupon I caused the Mayor and Aldermen to declare the same in notes; a copy is herewith. Certificate by Mayor and Aldermen of York of what provision may be had upon

20 days' warning to serve the Queen's household for 20 days:

100 dozen of bread per day, at £1.1s.4d the quarter of wheat.

7 tuns of ale and beer, by the day; ale at 4 marks and beer at £2 the tun. 30 tuns of Gascon and French wines: there is none in the city fit for the service. 4 butts of sack, £4 the butt. Hops: £1.8s the 100.

12 load of tall wood and 1000 faggots per day, to be had and delivered at the waterside for £3.6s8d the 1000. 100 quarters of charcoal per day: none to be had in the city. 50 tuns of empty casks per day: 5s8d per tun.

June 19, Earl of Rutland to Cecil: I have according to request viewed the best houses here, and found the merchants' houses not meet for either of the Queens, nor could they be made so, as they differed in height and are not together, but they may serve for the train. The Palace is not meet for them, as it has been so defaced that only one large chamber remains. The Prebendaries' houses about the Minster are the meetest to serve the purpose required.

[Letters, and York Certificate: Calendar of State Papers Foreign, v.103-4].

1562 Proposed progress to York to meet the Queen of Scots.

Endorsed 'The Queen Elizabeth's progress to have met the Scottish Queen anno 1562'; with mileage. July 18: from Greenwich. July 18, Sat: to Holywell (5 miles) [Shoreditch, Middx: Earl of Rutland] July 21, Tues: Cheshunt, Mr Denny (8 miles) [Herts] July 22, Wed: Hertford (8 miles) July 23, Thur: Royston, Sir Robert Chester (14 miles) July 24, Fri: Cambridge (14 miles) July 28, Tues: dinner, Mr Hatton [Longstanton, Cambs] July 28, Tues: Hinchingbrooke, Mr Cromwell (12 miles) [Hunts] July 31, Fri: dinner, Sir Robert Tyrwhit, Leighton [Hunts] July 31, Fri: Fotheringhay Castle (12 miles) [Northants] Aug 4, Tues: Collyweston (5 miles) [Northants] Thur: dinner, Mr Harington [Exton, Rutland] Aug 6, Aug 6, Thur: Belvoir Castle (14 miles) [Leics: Earl of Rutland] Aug 10, Mon: Newark-upon-Trent (8 miles) [Notts: Earl of Rutland] Aug 11, Tues: Mr Powtrell (8 miles) [Egmanton, Notts] Aug 12, Wed: Sir Gervase Clifton [Hodsock, Clifton, Notts] Aug 14, Fri: Doncaster (10 miles) [Yorks, West Riding] Aug 15, Sat: Pontefract (10 miles) [Yorks W.R.] Aug 18, Tues: Hazlewood, Sir William Vavasour (12 miles) [Tadcaster, Yks W.R.] Aug 19, Wed: Lady Stapleton (8 miles) [Wighill, Yorks W.R.] Aug 20, Thur: York (8 miles) Sept 8, Tues: from York to Lord Wharton (8 miles) [Healaugh, Yorks W.R.] Sept 11, Fri: Pontefract (10 miles) Sept 14, Mon: Doncaster (11 miles) Sept 15, Tues: Worksop (8 miles) [Notts] Sept 16, Wed: Welbeck (8 miles) Sept 18, Fri: dinner, Rufford Abbey [Notts: Earl of Shrewsbury] Sept 18, Fri: Southwell (14 miles) [Archbishop of York] Sept 22, Tues: Nottingham (8 miles) Sept 24, Thur: Loughborough (8 miles) [Leics] Sept 25, Fri: Leicester (8 miles) Sept 26, Sat: Mr Griffin (8 miles) [Dingley, Northants] Sept 28, Mon: Easton, Mr Fermor (8 miles) [Easton Neston, Northants] Sept 30, Wed: Mr Spencer (12 miles) [Althorp, Northants] Oct 1, Thur: Dunstable (12 miles) [Bedfordshire] Oct 3, Sat: Sir Richard Lee (10 miles) [St Albans, Herts] Oct 5, Mon: Chenies, Lord Bedford (10 miles) [Bucks] Oct 7, Wed: Drayton, Lord Paget (10 miles) [West Drayton, Middx] Oct 8, Thur: to Windsor or to Hampton Court and there during her Majesty's pleasure.

The proposed meeting of the two Queens was called off in mid-July 1562, because of the breaking out of hostilities in France. Itinerary: College of Arms, MS 2/6/47. 1562: Proposed Masques at Nottingham before the two Queens.

'Devices to be shown before the Queen's Majesty, by way of masqueing, at Nottingham Castle after the meeting of the Queen of Scots'.

First night: A prison called Extreme Oblivion to be made in the hall, its Keeper being Argus (Circumspection). A masque of ladies: Pallas riding on a unicorn, Prudentia on a golden lion, Temperantia on a red lion, six or eight ladies masquers bringing in Discord and False Report as captives.

Pallas to make a speech in verse before the captives are locked everlastingly in the prison. 'Then the trumpets to blow, and the English ladies to take the nobility of the strangers and dance'.

Second night: A castle called the Court of Plenty to be made in the hall. Peace to enter on a chariot drawn by an elephant, ridden by Friendship, followed by six or eight ladies masquers. Peace comes to dwell for ever with Prudentia, Temperantia, and the castle's two porters, Ardent Desire and Perpetuity.

Friendship to make a speech in verse.

'Then shall spring out of the Court of Plenty conduits of all sorts of wines, during which time the English lords shall mask with the Scottish ladies'.

Third night: Disdain to enter on a wild boar, with Prepensed Malice as a serpent. 'These two shall draw an orchard having golden apples, in which orchard shall sit six or eight ladies masquers'. Disdain is sent by Pluto to order that Discord and False Report, or Peace, shall be delivered up. Discretion to enter, leading a horse ridden by Valiant Courage (Hercules). 'After him six or eight lords masquers'. Discretion is sent by Jupiter 'to demand of Prudentia how long...Peace shall dwell between her and Temperantia'. Prudentia is to lower to Discretion 'a grandguard of azure' inscribed 'Ever'; Temperantia is to lower 'a girdle of azure, studded with gold, and a sword of steel, whereupon shall be written Never'. Discretion is to lay the grandguard and sword at the feet of the Queens, and then to arm Valiant Courage with them for a fight in which Disdain is to escape, Malice is to be slain. 'After this shall come out of the garden the six or eight ladies masquers with a song...as full of harmony as may be devised'.

Dated May 1562; printed in full, *Malone Society Collections*, i. part 2 (1908), 143-148. On May 10 there was a warrant for delivery of silks for masques and revels to the Master of the Revels. [*Revels*, 114].

[1562] Proposed progress from Windsor to Nottingham Castle.

'If the Queen's Majesty goes to Nottingham' From Windsor to Chenies (12 miles) [Bucks] Boarstall, Sir Harry Lee (11 miles) [Bucks] Whaddon (8 miles) [Bucks] Grafton (7 miles) [Northants: Crown property] Fawsley (10 miles) [Northants] 'By the way...Verney' (6 miles) [dinner, Compton Verney, Warwicks] Warwick (7 miles) Coventry (8 miles) [Warwickshire] Coleshill (7 miles) Drayton Bassett (7 miles) [Staffordshire] Ashby (11 miles) [Ashby de la Zouch, Leicestershire] Garendon [Garendon Park] or Loughborough (8 miles) [Leics] Nottingham (8 miles) Endorsed 'Distance of places in the Queen's progress to Nottingham'; with mileage. [BL Lansdowne MS 19, no.92].

[1562]: The following are three itineraries drawn up by Sir William Cecil, two without heading or mileage. [BL Lansdowne MS 19, no.92].

Proposed progress from Windsor to Collyweston, Northants.

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'If but to Collyweston'
From Windsor to
Bisham (8 miles) [Berks]
Rycote (12 miles) [Oxon]
Woodstock (9 miles) [Crown property]
Rainsford's [Great Tew, Oxon]
or Mr Fiennes [Broughton, Oxon]
Warwick (12 miles)
Coventry
Knightley's [Fawsley, Northants]
or Spencer's [Althorp, Northants]
Grafton [Northants]
Mr Tresham's [Rushton, Northants]
Rockingham [Northants]
Collyweston [Crown property]
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Proposed progress from Coventry to Woodstock, Oxon.

From Coventry to Coleshill [Warwicks] Drayton Bassett [Staffs] Lichfield [Staffs] Dudley [Dudley Castle] Enville [Staffs] Bewdley [Worcs] Worcester Bredon [Elmley Bredon, Worcs] Sudeley [Sudeley Castle, Gloucs] Langley [Oxon] Woodstock

Proposed progress from Nottingham to Hatfield, Herts.

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From Nottingham to
Belvoir [Leics]
'Kenningham'
Grimsthorpe [Lincs]
Collyweston [Northants]
Fotheringhay [Northants]
Hinchingbrooke, Mr Cromwell [Hunts]
Cambridge
Walden [Saffron Walden, Essex]
Hunsdon [Herts]
Hatfield
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[1564]: Proposed progress from Windsor to Kenilworth, Warwickshire.

'Remembrance'.

'First that carriages be appointed for all nobility and all officers for the Queen's Majesty and her house.

(2) That no herdward man, shoemaker, nor artificer have any cart allowed but their carriage with horses.

(3) That there may be letters to the Sheriff of Oxfordshire and Warwick for levying in every shire 300 quarters of wheat, in all 600 quarters, beside the Privy Bake-house, or else to know how they are able to serve with baked bread by the day to the said houses.

(4) That letters be directed to the Commissioners of the Peace of both the shires or to other gentlemen to know how the Queen's Majesty may be served of beefs, muttons, veals, and lambs.

(5) For heronshaws, shovellers, bitterns, or any kind of fowl or fresh water fish, rabbits, etc. and what mey be served by the day at the houses of Woodstock, Coventry, Warwick, and Killingworth [Kenilworth], and prices set for the same for the time of her Grace's abode there, and by whom the said things may be [served].

(6) That Oxford and Coventry brewings may serve for Woodstock, Warwick, and Killingworth, and also bought bread if need be.

(7) A staple [*purchasing monopoly*] to be made for the Poulters for the mouth at Oxford and Coventry for the standing houses.

(8) For salt store to be laid at [blank].

(9) For wood of sorts to be had of the Queen's own about her Grace's standing houses and to be laid in, and also rushes of the country.

(10) That coals [*charcoal*] be made out of such woods and laid in aforehand.
(11) That order be given by the Sheriff of the Shire at the said standing houses by letters for laying in of hay, litter, oats, horses' bread, and such like.
(12) Wines of all sorts to come from London and laid in places appointed for the journeys by the Jestes [*itinerary*].

(13) If the ale of the country will not please the Queen's Majesty then it must come from London, or else a brewer to brew the same in the towns near to the places appointed.

(14) That ale and beer be brewed at Oxford and to serve within 20 miles of the same town'.

[Route 1] Windsor; Chenies (11 miles) [Bucks]; Rycote (12 miles) [Oxon]; Oxford (8 miles); Woodstock (7 miles); Banbury (10 miles) [Oxon]; Coventry (8 miles) [Warwicks]; Warwick (8 miles); Killingworth (5 miles).

[Route 2] Windsor; Bisham (7 miles) [Berks]; Ewelme (11 miles) [Oxon]; Bicester [Oxon] or Buckingham (10 miles); Banbury (10 miles); Coventry (8 miles); Warwick (8 miles); Killingworth (5 miles).

[Route 3] Windsor; Missenden (12 miles) [Bucks]; Aylesbury (6 miles); Buckingham (12 miles); Daventry (16 miles) [Northants]; Coventry (14 miles); Warwick (8 miles); Killingworth (5 miles).

Marginal calendar notes include 'Easter Day 2nd of April'. [The only year in the reign when Easter Day fell on April 2 was 1564].

'Remembrance', routes, letter, and Italian proposal for fireworks: at Magdalene College, Cambridge: Pepys MSS, vol II. f.517,607,609. 'Remembrance' and routes first printed in *HMC Pepys* (1911), 178-179, (assigning the progress to 1575), with an undated and unaddressed letter from Henry Killigrew to introduce an Italian maker of fireworks, and a detailed proposal in Italian for three nights of fireworks for the Queen.

R.J.P.Kuin, ed. Robert Langham. A Letter (Leiden, 1983), prints the letter and fireworks proposal (in translation and in Italian), assigning all to 1575. C.E.McGee in 'Fireworks for Queen Elizabeth' suggests 1564 as the date. (Malone Society Collections xv (1993) 199-203).

The letter can be dated Spring 1564 (when the Queen was at Windsor), by a reference to Henry Killigrew intending 'to go over myself this journey' with Lord Hunsdon. Killigrew accompanied Lord Hunsdon on a special embassy to France in 1564, the only such journey abroad which they undertook together.

The fireworks were to be near a river, which would point to the intended location as Warwick Castle (owned by Lord Robert Dudley's brother the Earl of Warwick), rather than Kenilworth Castle.

The Queen visited Cambridge in 1564.

Her first visit to Kenilworth was in 1566; she watched fireworks at Warwick Castle in 1572.

1568: Proposed progress to Northamptonshire.

[from the Charterhouse, Middlesex] July 12, Mon: dinner, Mr Paul [Powle; Cranbrook, Ilford, Essex] July 12, Mon: Havering (11 miles) [royal; Essex] July 19, Mon: dinner, Copthall, Mr Heneage [Epping, Essex] July 19, Mon: Enfield (10 miles) [Middx] July 24, Sat: Hatfield (9 miles) [Herts] July 30, Fri: Knebworth, Mr Lytton (7 miles) [Herts] Aug 2, Mon: dinner, Putteridge, Mr Docwra [Herts] Aug 2, Mon: Woburn (14 miles) [Earl of Bedford] Aug 7, Sat: Mr Tyringham (8 miles) [Tyringham, Bucks] Aug 9, Mon: Easton, Sir John Fermor (8 miles) [Northants] Aug 19, Thur: Twyford, Sir Thomas Wenman (10 miles) [Bucks] Aug 21, Sat: Boarstall, Mr Dynham (10 miles) [Bucks] Aug 26, Thur: Rycote, Sir Henry Norris (7 miles) [Oxon] Aug 28, Sat: Ewelme (8 miles) [Crown property; Oxon] Aug 30, Mon: Yattendon, Mr Norris (8 miles) [Berks] Sept 1, Wed: Donnington (8 miles) [Berks] Sept 4, Sat: Aldermaston, Mr Forster (8 miles) [Berks] Sept 6, Mon: Reading (8 miles) [Berks] Sept 9, Thur: Bisham, Lady Hoby (7 miles) [Berks] Sept 10, Fri: Windsor (7 miles) Sept 17, Fri: Hampton Court and there at her Majesty's pleasure.

The 1568 progress started as planned, except that the Queen stayed longer at Enfield and Hatfield. The places not known to have been visited in 1568 were: Bisham; Boarstall; Putteridge; Twyford; Tyringham; Woburn.

Itinerary, and mileage: included with the French Ambassador's dispatches, and headed 'Voyage de la Reine'. PRO 31/3/26, f.236-7; at TNA, Kew.

1569: Proposed progress to Bristol.

At Bristol payment was made to two men for 'pitching from Newgate door... until you come to a tailor's shop on this side the watering place which is 240 yards in length and 7 yards in breadth one with another which is 1680 yards at 1½ the yard done at the commandment of Mr Mayor for that the Queen's Majesty was looked for when the work began, £10.10s'.

[Bristol Audit Book, Sept 1569-Sept 1570; payment c.Aug 1570].

This proposed visit to Bristol is not mentioned elsewhere.

1572: Proposed progress from Kenilworth Castle to Windsor.

'The Queen's Majesty's Gestes'

From Kenilworth

Aug 23, Sat: dinner, Sir Thomas Lucy [Charlecote, Warwicks] Aug 23, Sat: Compton [Compton Wynyates, Warwicks] Aug 26, Tues: dinner, Mr Rainsford [Great Tew, Oxon] Aug 26, Tues: Woodstock [Oxon] Sept 6, Sat: Sir Christopher Browne [Holton, Oxon] Sept 9, Tues: Wallingford [Berks] Sept 11, Thur: dinner, Yattendon [Berks] Sept 11, Thur: Newbury [Berks] Sept 15, Mon: Englefield or Aldermaston [Berks] Sept 17, Wed: Reading [Berks] Sept 24, Wed: Windsor and there during the Queen's Majesty's pleasure.

The progress went as planned from Kenilworth Castle to Woodstock Palace, where the Queen had intended to stay for 11 days. On August 29 news of the Massacre of St Bartholomew reached the court from France; the Queen changed her plans for September. The places not visited in 1572 were:

Aldermaston; Englefield; Newbury; Wallingford; Yattendon.

Itinerary: Longleat House, Dudley Papers, III, f.57.

1572: Proposed progress to Wiltshire.

Letters from Henry Herbert 2nd Earl of Pembroke to his cousin Edward Stradling, of St Donat's, Glamorgan, Wales.

1572, Aug 9, Earl of Pembroke to Edward Stradling:

'Good cousin Stradling, for as much as the Queen's Majesty intendeth to be at my house at Ramsbury, the 9th of September next, at which time I am desirous to have the company of my friends and kinsmen there; wherefore, if you amongst other will take so much pains as to come and be merry with me then, after her Grace's departure thence we will hunt...In haste, at Downton [Wilts]'.

Oct 6, Earl of Pembroke to Edward Stradling, at St Donat's:

'Cousin Stradling...Where I did by my letters request you to take the pains to have come to Ramsbury when the Queen's Majesty thought to have made her progress thither; and afterward receiving other advertisement of her alteration, and perceiving your good readiness of coming thither, I willed mine officers to advertise you of her Grace's alteration. with thanks for your gentle readiness, which I do thankfully accept; I do perceive that, either by negligence or haste, mine officers did not so perfectly advertise you hereof as my meaning was they should...Wilton, in haste'. [Stradling Correspondence, ed. J.M.Traherne (1840), 63-65].

The route of the 1572 progress was changed. The Queen visited the Earl of Pembroke at Ramsbury only in August 1592. 1573: Proposed progress in Surrey, Kent, Sussex: first itinerary.

'The Queen's Majesty's gestes'.

July 14, Tues: from Richmond - Croydon (8 miles) [Surrey] July 20, Mon: [dinner], Mr Damsel [Beckenham, Kent] July 20, Mon: Orpington (11 miles) July 23, Thur: 'Mr Knowles' (11 miles) [Knole, Sevenoaks] July 28, Tues: Birling, Lord Abergavenny (11 miles) July 31, Fri: Maidstone (7 miles) Aug 3, Mon: Leeds Castle (8 miles) [St Leger family] Aug 10, Mon: Boughton, Mr Wotton (7 miles) Aug 12, Wed: Sissinghurst, Mr Baker (11 miles) [Cranbrook] Aug 14, Fri: Bedgebury, Mr Culpeper (7 miles) [Goudhurst] Aug 17, Mon: Halden, the Lord President's house (8 miles) [Tenterden: Sir Henry Sidney, Lord President of Wales] Aug 21, Fri: Rye [Sussex], with the household remaining at Halden. Aug 22, Sat: Halden [again] Aug 25, Tues: Hothfield, Mr Tufton (10 miles) Aug 27, Thur: Sir Thomas Kempe's beside Wye (8 miles) Aug 29, Sat: Westenhanger (11 miles) [Stanford] Sept 1, Tues: dinner, Hythe Sept 1, Tues: Dover (14 miles) Sept 8, Tues: dinner, Deal Castle [Crown property] Sept 8, Tues: Sandwich (9 miles) Sept 11, Fri: Canterbury (10 miles) Sept 22, Tues: Faversham (8 miles) Sept 23, Wed: dinner, Sheppey [Isle of Sheppey] Sept 23, Wed: Sittingbourne (7 miles) Sept 24, Thur: Rochester (9 miles) Sept 30, Wed: Dartford (9 miles) Oct 2, Fri: Greenwich and there during her Majesty's pleasure.

The progress began on July 15; the Queen started from Greenwich, not from Richmond. She visited the majority of the places named. Places not known to have been visited in 1573 were: Beckenham; Deal; Halden; Isle of Sheppey; Leeds Castle; Maidstone; Wye.

Itinerary, with mileage: Longleat House, Thynne MSS, miscellaneous papers of Sir John Thynne, 1561-76, II, f.268.

1573: Proposed progress in Surrey, Kent, Sussex: second (Dering) itinerary.

Memorandum by Richard Dering, of Surrenden Dering, Pluckley, Kent. 'The Queen made her progress into Kent...1573'. From Greenwich to Croydon in Surrey Croydon to Orpington, Sir Percival Hart Orpington to Knole, Mr Lennard Knole to Birling, Lord Abergavenny Birling to Eridge in Sussex, Lord Abergavenny Eridge to Bedgebury, Mr Culpeper Bedgebury to Hemsted, Mr Guildford Hemsted to Rye in Sussex Rye to Sissinghurst, Mr Baker Sissinghurst to Boughton, Mr Wotton Boughton to Hothfield, Mr Tufton Hothfield to Westenhanger, Mr Smith Westenhanger to Dover Castle Dover to Sandwich Sandwich to Canterbury Canterbury to Faversham Faversham to Tunstall, Mr Cromer Tunstall to Rochester, Mr Watts Rochester to Cobham Hall Cobham Hall to Dartford Dartford to Greenwich during pleasure.

'The gentlemen of this county met her Majesty at three several places. First, at Baston Heath, nigh Bromley. Then at Keldowne [Kilndown], nigh Sussex. Then at Folkestone Down. In the which progress her Majesty made knights: Sir Thomas Guildford, Sir Thomas Walsingham, Sir Alexander Culpeper, at Rye in Sussex. Sir Richard Baker, Sir Thomas Vane, at Dover. Sir Thomas Hales, at Cobham Hall. Mr Thomas Wotton, by his great labour and earnest suit, was not made knight'.

This itinerary of overnight stays needs the following emendations: The Queen stayed overnight at Sittingbourne and dined at Tunstall. At Rochester she stayed at The Crown and for one night with Mr Watts. She dined at Cobham Hall, but did not stay overnight.

Dering's list of those knighted is incomplete. For his note of courtiers who stayed at his house see 20 August 1573.

Richard Dering's 'Book of divers necessary remembrances', p.356. At Folger Shakespeare Library; microfilm at British Library.

1575: Proposed progress to York.

anno 17 E.R. 'The Queen's Majesty's Gestes to York' June 7, Tues: [with an alternative date, May 30, Mon] from Greenwich to Mr John Dudley [Stoke Newington, Middx] June 9, Thur: Hatfield [Herts] [no date] Gorhambury [Herts; Sir Nicholas Bacon] [no date] Mr Rotherham [Luton, Beds] June 8, Wed: Lord Cheney [Toddington, Beds] June 10, Fri: Mr Tyringham [Tyringham, Bucks] June 10, Fri: Grafton [Northants] June 27, Mon: Sir Richard Knightley [Fawsley, Northants] June 28, Tues: Kenilworth [Warwicks] July 4, Mon: Misterton, Mr Pulteney [Leics] July 5, Tues: Leicester July 8, Fri: Loughborough [Leics] July 9, Sat: Nottingham July 14, Thur: Southwell, the Archbishop of York [Notts] July 18, Mon: Rufford, Earl of Shrewsbury or Welbeck, her Majesty's own house [Notts] July 20, Wed: Hodsock, Sir Gervase Clifton or Scrooby, the Archbishop of York [Notts] July 22, Fri: Hatfield [Yorks, West Riding] July 26, Tues: Camblesforth [Yorks W.R.] July 30, Sat: Cawood, the Archbishop of York [Yorks W.R.] Aug 3, Wed: Healaugh, Lady Wharton [Yorks W.R.] Aug 4, Thur: York 'Homewards' Aug 15, Mon: Sutton, Mr Vaughan [Sutton-upon-Derwent, Yorks, East Riding] Aug 16, Tues: Everingham, Sir Marmaduke Constable [Yorks E.R.] Aug 17, Wed: Leconfield, Earl of Northumberland [Yorks E.R.] Aug 20, Sat: Hull [Yorks, E.R.] Thur: Barton [Barton-upon-Humber, Lincs] Aug 25, or Thornton [Thornton Curtis, Lincs] Aug 26, Fri: Kettelby, Sir Robert Tyrwhit [Wrawby, Lincs] Aug 29, Mon: Justice Wray [Sir Christopher Wray; Glentworth, Lincs] Aug 31, Wed: Lincoln Sept 3, Sat: Marston, Mr Thorold [Lincs] Sept 5, Mon: Belvoir, Earl of Rutland [Leics] Sept 8, Thur: Exton, Sir James Harington [Rutland] Sept 9, Fri: Collyweston [Northants] Sept 12, Mon: Drayton, Lady Mordaunt [Northants] Sept 15, Thur: Sir Henry Darcy, Leighton [Hunts] Sept 16, Fri: dinner, Sir Henry Cromwell [Hinchingbrooke, Hunts] Sept 16, Fri: Mr Mallory [Papworth St Agnes, Cambs] Sept 17, Sat: Sir Robert Chester [died 1574; Royston, Herts] or to 'Syingles' [Shingay, Cambs] Sept 19, Mon: Sir Ralph Sadler [Standon, Herts] Sept 21, Wed: Mr Bashe [Stanstead Abbots, Herts] Sept 23, Fri: Enfield [Middlesex] Sept 26, Mon: 'To the house where her Majesty will end her progress'.

Itinerary: BL Lansdowne MS 19, no.92.

[1575] The progress started on May 23 at Stoke Newington.

Of the places or persons named on the outward journey the Queen visited only: Hatfield, Herts; Mr Rotherham; Lord Cheney; Grafton; Sir Richard Knightley. After almost three weeks at Kenilworth the Queen went north to Staffordshire; her route homewards to Windsor was completely different from that envisaged.

Coventry Chamberlains' payments, 1575.

'To two of the Queen's Guard that came to survey for her Grace's progress, 6s8d; Queen's Clerk of the Market, 20s; Queen's Trumpeter, 40s; Queen's Footmen, 40s; Black Guard, 20s'.

Leicester preparations, 1575.

Leicester Hall Book. [April]: 'Provision in case the Queen's Majesty do come, for a stock of money and repairing the town'.

'For that it is supposed the Queen's Majesty is determined (God so willing) to come to the town of Leicester this summer, and for that the town doth not only lack a stock of money but also is in great decay, which is to be redressed, therefore it is ordered, condescended, concluded, and agreed in the manner and form following...First for a stock of money the Mayor and his Brethren to pay... 40s apiece and the 48 20s apiece...to the Chamberlain upon one fortnight's warning to be to them given, upon the coming of our said Sovereign Lady the Queen's Majesty'...

'The Mayor and all them that have been Mayors to wear and to meet her Majesty in scarlet gowns, and the rest of that company to wear black gowns, and every of them to be made of a new, decent and comely fashion'...

'The 48...to wear coats of fine black cloth, and to be guarded with velvet, and to meet her Majesty on horseback'...

'Every householder as well within the Town as the Liberties thereof do presently and forthwith repair, amend and beautify the forepart or forefront of all and every their houses, and also do amend or cause to be made and amended the pavements or causeways belonging to their houses, and this to be done at the commandment and sight of the Alderman of every Ward at the furthest within one fortnight after Whitsuntide next'. [Whit Sunday: May 22].

Leicester Chamberlains' Accounts, 1575: 'Gifts: Wine and sugar bestowed of two of the Queen's Majesty's pursuivants when they came to view the town and a place against her coming then supposed; the same in reward by the commandment of Mr Mayor and certain of his Brethren', 10s. [Mary Bateson, ed. *Records of Leicester*, iii.158,160].

Nottingham Castle preparations, 1575.

In winter 1574 a panel of local gentry was commissioned to survey the Castle with the aid of workmen. They submitted a lengthy list of defects, with an estimate of over £900 for repairs. In February 1575 the Surveyor of the Queen's Works was instructed to lay out £200 on the Castle, and during the next four months spent almost £280 on repairs. [King's Works, iii.285].

The Works accounts have a long list of work done, and make reference to `her Grace's lodgings'.

Pontefract Castle preparations, 1575.

There was a warrant to obtain furniture etc. `which must needs be provided before our coming to the said Castle' . [King's Works, iii.289].

Shrewsbury preparations, 1575.

Shrewsbury Assembly Minute Book: July 18: 'They be agreed at this Assembly that there shall be given to Mr Churchyard the sum of five marks, for his pains taken in setting forth of Show against the Queen's Majesty's coming, being sent hither by my Lord President'.

Bailiffs' Accounts: 'Given to the Queen's Harbinger in gold and spent upon her Grace's servants resorting to this town at sundry times this year concerning her Grace's coming to this town, 47s10d. Given Mr Churchyard in reward being sent unto us by my Lord President with letters concerning the coming of the Queen's Majesty to this town...f3.6s8d'. [REED: Shrewsbury, 220].

Thomas Churchyard, who wrote entertainments for several of the Queen's progresses, was a native of Shrewsbury. Sir Henry Sidney was Lord President of Wales; Philip Sidney and his other sons were educated at Shrewsbury School.

Chronicle of Shrewsbury, 1575: 'This year the Queen's Majesty went a progress toward Shrewsbury, but because of death within a four miles of the same she came no further than Lichfield and from thence went to Worcester, the which city she liked well'. [Trans.Shropshire Arch.and Nat.Hist.Soc. (1880), iii.275].

York preparations, 1575.

1575, May 28: 'The Lord Mayor declared that two or three of the Queen's Majesty's servants and of her Guard had been with him at his house and required to have a Certificate from him and his Brethren to the right honourable Earl of Sussex, Lord Chamberlain, of the state and health of this City, suburbs and County of the same. Whereupon it was agreed that a Certificate should be made accordingly, and to be sealed with seal of Mayoralty. The tenor whereof hereafter followeth, word by word:

'Pleaseth it your honour to be advertised that we, Thomas Harrison, Mayor of the City of York, and the Aldermen of the same, Justices of Peace within the said City of York and County of the same, do certify your honour that the said City of York etc, is at this present in good safety, good state and health, and without any plague or other contagious sickness (praised be God) who long preserve your good Lordship in much honour with good health'.

'A copy of the Articles which the Queen's Majesty's said servants and Guards had to enquire upon:

(1) First you be to make your present repair with all diligence to every place underwritten and to make true enquiry of the Constables, parish priests, churchwardens and other officers of every town near to every of the said places, fit for lodging of her Highness's train, whether there be any infectious sickness at this present or hath been of late, and you shall bring with you true certificate thereof under the hands of the officers beforesaid.

(2) You shall in every county, where any of the said places be, repair to the Sheriff of the county and give charge to him to give order to all the aforesaid officers to make certificate to him from time to time, until her Majesty shall pass the places appointed for her lodgings, if any person happen to be sick or to die of any infectious disease after your departing from thence, which certificate he shall see safely to be sent to me with expedition, to the end her Majesty may have knowledge thereof in due time. To the end this may be better executed it shall not be amiss that the Sheriff do give charge to some Justices of Peace that shall dwell next to every of these places, to have care that the said officers do truly discharge their duties in their certificates'.

(3) 'You shall make a perfect book of the number of miles that every of the said places is distant from the other, as they be set in order, and what be the names of the corporate towns or market towns next adjoining fit to receive the train, and what corporate towns or market towns her Majesty shall ride through, from place to place, and at what places her Majesty shall enter every Shire.

(4) You shall view every of the said houses and shall lay down in writing what chambers there be fit for her Majesty's own lodging, and what other chambers fit to receive others that be to attend upon her Highness, that thereby the receipt of every house may be known.

(5) If you find any of the said houses to be over little or for any other respect unfit for her Majesty's lodging, you shall enquire what other houses be near to that house and shall take view of those houses, note the number of miles and do all other things appointed to be done at the houses undernamed, to the end it may appear where her Majesty may be best lodged, both in respect of the house and of the journey.

(6) In all places where her Majesty's journey shall be ten miles or upward you shall enquire of a convenient dining place by the way and note it in your book.

(7) If you find by your travail in this journey that for lack of good knowledge of the country her Majesty's journey may be either appointed out of a convenient course to bring her to principal places and houses where it is likely her Majesty will remain for any time, or that by some other ways her Majesty might be better conveyed and with better lodgings, to these principal places and houses; then you shall set down your opinions thereof in writing and shall take note of the houses, of the miles and of all other things before specified, and you shall take a note of all parks, forests and chases that be at the places where her Majesty shall lie or near to them by three miles.

(8) Finally you shall return with as much expedition as you possibly may and shall bring perfect declaration in writing of all the premises, that upon consideration thereof present direction may be taken as shall be best to her Highness's good liking and contentation'.

'Dated at Greenwich 13th May 1575. T.Sussex'. [Thomas Radcliffe, 3rd Earl of Sussex, Lord Chamberlain].

York City council, minutes of meetings in 'The House Books'. York Civic Records, vii.105-107.

1576: Proposed progress to the Midlands.

Leicester preparations, 1576.

Hall Book. June 25: 'For that it is supposed of the Queen's Majesty's coming to Leicester this summer, and presently it is agreed for a stock of money...viz. the 24 40s apiece and the 48 20s...to be paid to the hands of the Chamberlains to the use of the town before the 8th July next, upon pain of doubling the sum demanded and not paid'.

['This not executed for that her Majesty came not as it was supposed'].

'What apparel the Mayor and his Brethren and the 48 shall wear'. 'The Mayor and they that have been Mayors to wear scarlet gowns, and the rest of the 24 to wear fine black gowns, and to meet her Majesty on horseback with footcloths...and every one of them to have their footman'...

'The Chamberlains and all they that have been Chamberlains to ride in coats of fine black cloth guarded with velvet, and the rest with biliment lace'.

Chamberlains' Accounts: 'Gifts: Two of the Queen's Majesty's servants that surveyed the town this summer against her Majesty's coming then supposed', 10s. [Mary Bateson, ed. *Records of Leicester*, iii.165-166].

Nottingham preparations, 1576.

Nottingham Chamberlains' Accounts, 1576:

June 14: 'Unto the Queen's man that came from the court to survey the state of the town, 10s'.

June 16: 'Unto Mr Frear, the Queen's Majesty's man, 10s'.

[W.H.Stevenson, ed. Records of the Borough of Nottingham (Nottingham, 1882), iv.163].

1578: Proposed progress to Norfolk.

'The Progress into Norfolk, the way outward thus appointed, William Bowles gone to view'. From Greenwich to Havering [Essex] Lady Petre [Ingatestone] New Hall [Boreham: Earl of Sussex] Lady Rich [Little Leighs] Lady Maltravers, Gosfield Colchester St Osyth, Lord Darcy Harwich Ipswich [Suffolk] Helmingham, Mr Spring Earl Soham Eye [Suffolk] or Harleston, Mr Gawdy [Redenham, Norfolk] Norwich Ludham, the Bishop's house Yarmouth Wroxham, Mr Wodehouse Paston, Mr William Paston Baconsthorpe, Sir Christopher Heydon Thornage, Sir William Butts Walsingham, Mr Sydney [Little Walsingham] Oxburgh, Sir Henry Bedingfield Bradenham, Mr Hogan Woodrising, Lord Paget Kenninghall, Earl of Surrey 'The way homewards is yet thus appointed, as follows' Bracon Ash, Mr Townsend [Norfolk] Thetford [Norfolk] St Edmunds Bury [Bury St Edmunds, Suffolk]

Lord North [Kirtling, Cambs] Sir Giles Alington [Horseheath, Cambs] Audley End, Lord Thomas Howard [Essex] 'Thence to Barkway, thence to Royston, or one of them' [Herts] Standon, Sir Ralph Sadler [Herts] Mr Butler [Watton-at-Stone, Herts] Tyttenhanger, Lady Paulet [Ridge, Herts] Harrow on the Hill [Middlesex] 'Thence to a standing house, such as in the meantime her Majesty shall please to appoint'.

The Queen went no further than Norwich. Of the other places named she visited in 1578 only: Audley End; Bracon Ash; Bury St Edmunds; Havering; Horseheath; Kenninghall; Kirtling; Standon; Thetford; Woodrising. 'Helmingham, Mr Spring': the Spring family were of Lavenham, Suffolk. Helmingham: the seat of the Tollemache family; William Bowles, who went to view: a Harbinger.

Itinerary: Francis Blomefield, <u>History of Norfolk</u>, (1807), vi.178; from the original in the Bedingfield MSS at Oxburgh Hall, Norfolk.

1578: Proposed progress from Norfolk to Hampton Court.

'A brief show of the situation of the several houses named in her Majesty's Gestes with the number of miles between every of them'.

Thetford [Norfolk] Hengrave [Suffolk] Chippenham [Cambs] Lord North's [Kirtling, Cambs] Horseheath [Cambs] Shelford [Great or Little Shelford, Cambs] Cockness [Cokenach, Barkway, Herts] Royston [Herts] Hyde Hall [Sandon or Throcking, Herts] Watton [Watton-at-Stone, Herts] Hertford Hatfield [Herts] Harrow [Middx] Hampton

The houses are not listed as above, but are marked on a diagram, with the mileage between each, varying from 4 miles to 12 miles.

With the diagram are also 'platforms' (floor-plans) of the lower and upper floors of two of the houses - Cockness and Royston - with captions giving brief descriptions of them.

There is a plan of Cockness house, alias Cokenach or Cockenhatch, near Barkway, Herts, occupied by Magdalene Lady Chester, widow of Sir Robert Chester, one of the Queen's Gentlemen Ushers, who died in 1574.

Cockness: 'The platform of the lower floor of Cockness house by Barkway. A very small house standing pleasantly in good air, having pleasant prospects, walks and fishing. The country round about it clear from all infectious diseases'.

'The platform of the second floor of Cockness the Lady Chester's house'.

The second plan: Royston Priory, Herts, occupied by Lady Chester's grandson Robert Chester (c.1565-1640).

Royston: 'The platform of the lower floor of Mr Chester's house at Royston. A very unnecessary house for receipt of her Majesty. It stands adjoining to the church on the south side thereof (not having any pleasant prospects any way). The country round about it healthy and clean'.

'The platform of the second floor of Royston house'.

The Queen visited neither house. On her return journey from Norwich to Greenwich in 1578 she visited only the first five places shown on the diagram: Thetford; Hengrave; Chippenham; Kirtling; Horseheath.

The route was then completely changed because of plague.

Diagram and floor-plans: SP12/125/46. Royston floor-plan is reproduced by Alfred Kingston, A History of Royston, Hertfordshire (1906), 75.

1578: Proposed progress from Suffolk to Bedfordshire.

1578, July 15, Havering, Lord Burghley to the Vice-Chancellor of Cambridge University: 'It is presently to be doubted, whether her Majesty will go any further into Suffolk than the Master of the Rolls, and if she do not, then it is likely she will change her progress, by returning by Cambridge, by Mr Hynde's, by Somersham, by Mr Cromwell's, and so by Justice Dyer, and the Lord St John's, and so return through Buckinghamshire towards Windsor. But...the intention is not settled'. [CUL: Letters Eliz I, 9, B.13 a].

People and places referred to by Lord Burghley: Master of the Rolls: Sir William Cordell, Long Melford, Suffolk. Mr Hynde: Francis Hynde, Madingley, Cambs. Somersham, Hunts: Richard Cox, Bishop of Ely's palace. Mr Cromwell: Sir Henry Cromwell, Hinchingbrooke, Huntingdon. Justice Dyer: Sir James Dyer, Chief Justice of the Common Pleas, of Great Staughton, Hunts. Lord St John: Oliver, 1st Lord St John: Bletsoe, Bedfordshire.

The Queen stayed at Long Melford on her way to Norwich, but did not visit in 1578 any of the other places named by Lord Burghley.

Colchester preparations, 1578.

Colchester Assembly Book.

[1578] July 7: 'The Assembly of the Bailiffs and Aldermen and Common Council in the Council Chamber the 7th of July anno...20 for the receipt of her Majesty into the town'.

'It is agreed and ordered that the Bailiffs and Aldermen, in the receipt of her Majesty, shall ride upon comely geldings with foot-cloths, in damask or satin cassocks or coats, or else jackets of the same with satin sleeves, in their scarlet gowns, with caps and black velvet tippets'.

'The Council to attend upon the Bailiffs and Aldermen at the same time upon comely geldings with foot-cloths, in grogram or silk cassock coats or jackets, with silk doublets or sleeves at the least, in their livery moray gowns, with caps, every moray gown and gelding to be viewed and allowed by the Bailiffs and Aldermen and where fault is found by them the same to be amended within the time by them appointed, upon pain of every Alderman making default £10 and every Councillor £5'.

'There shall be appointed 40 of the best commoners of the town by the Bailiffs and Aldermen to attend the same time of the Bailiffs and Aldermen in such decent order as shall be thought good by the Bailiffs and Aldermen, upon pain of every one making default shall forfeit 40s'.

'Her Majesty shall be gratified from the town with a cup of silver doublegilt, of the value of 20 marks, or £10 at the least, with 40 angels in the same; and the Officers of her Majesty to be gratified as afore they have been.

The Recorder for the time being to make the oration to her Majesty'.

Assembly Book No.1, at Essex Record Office. Part printed by Philip Morant, *History and Antiquities of the County of Essex* (1768), i.51; mis-dated 1579.

Great Yarmouth preparations, 1578.

Assemblies of the Mayor and Corporation.

Assembly, July 2: 'To have knowledge of the Queen's coming'. 'Richard Mayham is appointed to ride to Mr Grice with a letter to understand of her Majesty's coming to this town, and shall make provision there of two lasts of gunpowder...and also to cause Mr Grice to make a ship or a cup by his discretion, so it be under fl6, for a present to her Majesty, and also to move Mr Grice to provide a fair ancient [ensign] for the town, and other flags for the town by his discretion, as he see the likelihood of her Majesty coming hither'. [William Grice, of Great Yarmouth and London, a Burgess; also Clerk of the Stables to the Queen].

July 18: 'To prepare the bridge for the Queen's carriage'. Two men to 'be appointed to foresee that the bridge be made strong and able to bear her Majesty's carriage to and fro'.

'To entertain the Queen and how'.

'It is agreed that every one of the 24 wearing scarlet gowns shall await upon Mr Bailiffs in their scarlet gowns upon their horsebacks and their foot-cloths, to receive her Majesty at the entrance into our Liberties, and likewise that every of the 48 shall wait upon Mr Bailiffs and their brethren in a convenient and fair gown of broad black cloth to receive her Majesty, and none of the 24 or 48 now in the town to be absent at that time without leave of Mr Bailiffs, upon pain to be fined by the discretion of their honours'.

Aug 4: 'Every one of the 24 shall provide two buckram coats and every one of the 48 one coat of buckram, every of which coats to be made in convenient time before her Majesty's coming'. 'The Mount shall be repaired with all speed, and the Chamberlains shall cause flags to be graven with speed, in such place of the Common as by their discretions shall be thought meet, and shall have authority to take up carts to bring the same flags unto the Mount, and if any of the same carters be obstinate and shall refuse to carry the same flags, then the Chamberlains shall have authority to commit them to ward'.

Aug 11: 'Mr Felton shall take up a keel to make a barge for the Lords of the Council' and 'shall have authority to take up workmen to trim the same barge'. Aug 15: 'About the Queen's coming'.

Five persons 'were appointed to go to Norwich with Mr Bailiffs to await upon them unto the Queen's Majesty and the Lords of the Council'.

[Assembly Book 1570-1579, f.199v-203].

Whilst the Queen was in Norwich, 16-22 August 1578, Lord Burghley and the Earl of Leicester visited Great Yarmouth.

A contemporary described Yarmouth's 'magnificency and sumptuous building... The very sight whereof caused...William Lord Burghley...and Robert Earl of Leicester in...1578 (at such time as Queen Elizabeth of happy memory came in progress to Norwich, and themselves, with many others of the nobles, came to Yarmouth, where they were most worthily entertained in martial manner, and at the Priory at the town's charges royally feasted, and in like manner by the principal merchants of Yarmouth attended), in my hearing highly to commend the stately uniform buildings then in it, which, since that time (praised be God) is more than redoubled'.

History of Great Yarmouth, ed. C.J.Palmer (Great Yarmouth, 1854), i.65, attributed to Henry Manship, Town Clerk 1579-1585; died 1625.

Now attributed to Thomas Damet, a Bailiff in 1578; completed by Manship in 1619. There is also a Latin description.

Ipswich preparations, 1578.

Assembly, June 26: 'Persons appointed to devise against the Queen's coming'. 'Forasmuch as it is supposed the Queen's Majesty is to come to this town at this her progress into Suffolk' seven men 'shall have authority to devise such orders and matters as shall be meet and necessary touching the receiving of her Majesty in this town'.

Sept 15: 'It is agreed that forasmuch as John King scrivener hath taken pains for the town about the setting forth of pageants as well at the Guild as against the Queen's coming, the said John King shall have given to him...by the town Treasurer 40s'. [Assembly Book, 1577-1587].

King's Lynn preparations, 1578.

Assembly, Aug 6: 'Mr Mayor, Aldermen and Common Council have condescended and agreed that, where the Queen's Majesty is now coming into the county of Norfolk in progress, that (to the intent to show their dutiful obedience and good wills), a present shall be given and presented to her Majesty of 100 angels if it shall so be thought meet and convenient by the Earl of Leicester, being High Steward of this town, and Mr Recorder. Towards the performance whereof there was delivered to Mr Mayor £45.10s of the common treasure of this town'. [King's Lynn Hall Book 5, f.156v].

KING'S LYNN HALL BOOK 5, 1.150V].

1579: Proposed progress in Essex.

From Greenwich to: Havering [July 16, Thursday; only date given] Mr Morice, Ongar [James Morice: Chipping Ongar] Lord Rich [Little Leighs] Gosfield, Lady Maltravers Colchester, Sir Thomas Lucas Layer Marney, Mr Tuke Maldon, Mrs Harris Moulsham, Sir Thomas Mildmay Lady Petre, Ingatestone Havering; Greenwich.

This progress did not take place, but in September 1579 the Queen visited Havering, Ingatestone and Moulsham.

Itinerary: Nichols, *Progresses* (1823), ii.285-287. Reprinted in Nichols, *Progresses* (2014), iii.23-24, both assuming that this progress went ahead as planned.

Nichols (1823) not only assumed that the whole progress took place as planned, but confused it with a second 1579 itinerary (see below). This has misled a number of historians of Essex.

1579: Proposed progress in Essex and Suffolk.

Aug 5, [Wed] from Greenwich to Havering Aug 10, [Mon] Woodcroft Hall, Wistan Browne [Rookwood Hall, Abbess Roding] Aug 12, [Wed] Leez, Lord Rich [Little Leighs] Aug 15, [Sat] Gosfield, Lady Maltravers Aug 20, [Thur] Smallbridge, Mr Waldegrave [Bures, Suffolk] Aug 22, [Sat] Ipswich [Suffolk] Aug 26, [Wed] Harwich [Essex] Aug 29, [Sat] Lord Darcy [St Osyth] Sept 1, [Tues] Colchester Sept 3, [Thur] Layer Marney, Mrs Tuke Sept 5, [Sat] Maldon, Mrs Harris Sept 7, [Mon] Moulsham, Sir Thomas Mildmay Sept 11, [Fri] Lady Petre, Ingatestone Sept 14, [Mon] Havering

Itinerary: Morant, *History of Essex*, i.51. Morant, followed by Nichols, *Progresses* (1823), ii.285, assumed that the whole progress took place as planned.

The Queen eventually began a progress in Essex on Sept 9, after the Duke of Alençon had left for France. Of the places listed only Havering, Ingatestone and Moulsham were visited (although not on the dates originally planned).

Colchester preparations, 1579.

1579, July 24, James Morice to the Bailiffs of Colchester: 'Mr Bailiffs. I heartily thank you for your fish. And as concerning her Majesty's coming to Colchester and my attendance there, the one is not yet certainly known, for aught I can learn, the other (God willing) shall not then be wanting. I am but an ill orator, nevertheless my good will shall be ready to pleasure your town in what I may. If you send to me at the next Assizes I think we shall more certainly determine of our doings for her Majesty's receipt into Colchester. You shall have my company before her Majesty's coming to you, when you shall think good'.

'And if her Majesty take my house in this her progress, as yet I doubt (in respect that some of my children have been of late visited with the measles), I will then with thanks receive your gentle offer for fish'.

'And so with my hearty commendations to you both and to all Mr Aldermen, I commit you to the Almighty...Your loving friend'.

[Morice (1539-1597), of Chipping Ongar, lawyer, Town Clerk of Colchester. The Queen visited Colchester only in 1561. Essex RO. D/Y 2/3.

Ipswich preparations, 1579.

Chamberlains' Accounts, 29 Sept 1578-29 Sept 1579: 'Paid Mr Lingfild for the charges of the Queen's men which came to enquire for the country being clear of disease'. The Queen visited Ipswich only in 1561.

1585: Proposed progress to York.

Feb 12: Queen is rumoured to be going to York to meet King James. (Mendoza).

1585: Proposed progress to York.

[1585] Feb 28, Earl of Leicester, Sir Francis Knollys, and Sir James Croft: 'To all and singular her Majesty's Justices of Peace, Mayors, Sheriffs, Bailiffs, Constables, and all other her Highness's officers to whom it shall appertain. Whereas her Majesty intending this next summer to make her progress unto York, and for that such necessary provisions as are needful against her Highness's coming into those parts cannot be carried from the City of London, but to be provided in the country in such towns and places as are most convenient for the same'.

'We have therefore appointed the bearer hereof, Roderick Powell, her Majesty's Purveyor of Ale and Beer, together with her Highness's commission as well to view the state of the countries. Whereby it may be known how her Majesty may best be served, as also to appoint brew-houses and make stay of all kinds of provisions and other necessaries as he shall think meet for brewing, viz. malt, hops, hoops, clapboard, empty casks, etc. And if at this present he shall not find all such things as shall be needful for that service, that then you do cause all such necessary provisions as hereafter shall come, to be stayed until her Highness's coming thither, or that you hear further from us again to the contrary. Whereof we pray you not to fail, requiring you and every of you to aid and assist this bearer in the execution of the said service'. *[This letter was received at Leicester, Northampton, Nottingham, and York]*.

March 10: It was copied into the **Leicester** Hall Papers, together with the following Precept brought by the Purveyor 'written by her Majesty's Purveyor of her Buttery delivered unto to me with charge to be sent unto you'.

'Instructions and articles to be delivered up to the Mayors and others of her Majesty's officers of the towns of Northampton, Leicester, and Nottingham. (1) First that you do call before you and her Majesty's Purveyor all the brewers in your town to take their names and to know how much every one of them can brew.

(2) To know the price of a tun of their best beer and ale, after four hogsheads or six barrels to a tun or after the measures used in your town.

(3) The price of a tun of their second beer and ale.

(4) That you will give charge unto your brewers to make good provision of good malts and hops, and of all other things necessary to be had and employed in this behalf.

(5) That you do call before you all such as sell any wine within your town, and all your coopers, to know what provision of empty cask may be made within your town, or within 20 miles distance of the same, or where any clapboard or hoops may be had and provided for her Majesty.

(6) That you do certify unto us the prices of a quarter of your best straw dried malt, the best wheat and the best oats sold in your market, and where the best provision of it is to be made.

(7) The price of the second malt, wheat and oats sold in your market, and where it may be provided.

(8) The price of a load of wood, and of a load of brushwood or bavin [firewood] and where provision of it may be made.

(9) That you do send the Purveyor's Precepts unto all the market towns next adjoining unto you, to be delivered unto the Mayors, Bailiffs and other head officers of the same town, to make search and stay all empty cask that is to be found within their Liberties.

(10) That you do certify unto us all and singular the premises under your hands and seals; and the state of the health of your town and other places adjoining unto the same, where her Majesty's train is to be lodged'.

May 7, court, from Gregory Lovell and James Woodford: 'After our hearty commendations. The Queen's Highness having determined this summer to make her progress northwards: Purveyors were sent down to make stay of cask and other provisions and necessaries as was thought needful for brewing against her Highness coming into these parts. And now her Majesty being altered of her determination, we thought it meet to give you knowledge thereof, requiring you hereby to release all such cask and other provisions as was stayed for her Majesty within the town of Leicester. And this shall be your discharge for the same'. 'Your loving friends, Gregory Lovell, Cofferer. James Woodford'. [Letters of February 28 and May 7, and instructions, and brewers' names, in Mary Bateson, ed. *Records of Leicester*, iii.213-215].

Northampton preparations, 1585.

Assembly Book, 1585: Ordered that 'John Hensman being Mayor of the Town of Northampton have towards his charges at the Queen's Majesty's progresses through the town to Holmbie [Holdenby] the allowance sum of £20'.

[C.A.Markham and J.C.Cox, *Records of the Borough of Northampton*, 2 vols. (Northampton, 1898) i.469]. Holdenby House was built during the 1570s by Sir Christopher Hatton, who hoped to entertain the Queen there, but never did.

York preparations, 1585.

[1585] Feb 28, Earl of Leicester and Sir Francis Knollys: `To our loving friends the Lord Mayor of the City of York', and his brethren Aldermen:

'The Queen's Majesty intending this next summer to make her progress unto York, and by reason of the far distance of the same from the City of London, that provisions cannot be carried without great trouble to the country and hindrance to her Majesty's service; and forasmuch as we are given to understand that there cometh yearly to the City of York good store of wines which will serve for the expenses of her Majesty's house. We have therefore for the ease of her Highness's subjects to commission John Domelow to repair unto the said City and by virtue thereof to make stay and mark all such wines as he shall find meet for the expenses of her Majesty's house against her Highness coming thither. And if there be not already some such wines as are meet for her Majesty, that you do cause such wines as before that time shall come to be stayed and kept in your store-house until her Highness's coming, or that you hear further from us again Requiring you, and every of you, to aid and assist her to the contrary. Majesty's Purveyor in the execution of the said service, whereof we pray you not to fail'. [Roderick Powell, Purveyor of Ale and Beer, was sent to York with the same letter of February 28 as he took to Leicester town].

March 15: A note was made of 'The names of brewers, and what they can serve weekly towards the Queen's Majesty's provision'. Five brewers would serve either 8 or 10 tuns beer weekly, three brewers 10 tuns either ale or beer; beer for 30s the tun, and ale for 36s. [York Civic Records, viii. 95-97]. 1586: Proposed progress to Hampshire and Sussex.

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'The Queen's Majesty's jestes'
[from Greenwich]
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July 12, Tues: Richmond (there 10 days) [Surrey] July 22, Fri: Stoke (1 day) [Stoke D'Abernon, Surrey] July 23, Sat: Woking (3 days) [Surrey] July 26, Tues: Loseley, Sir William More (3 days) [Guildford, Surrey] July 29, Fri: 'Uchester' (1 day) July 30, Sat: Petworth (5 days) [Sussex; Earl of Northumberland] [Aug] 4, Thur: Cowdray (6 days) [Sussex; Viscount Montagu] Aug 10, [Wed]: Halnaker (3 days) [Boxgrove, Sussex] Aug 13, [Sat]: Chichester (3 days) [Sussex] Aug 16, Tues: Stansted (1 day) [Sussex] Aug 17, Wed: Warblington (2 days) [Hampshire] Aug 19, Fri: Portsmouth (7 days) Aug 26, Fri: Titchfield (3 days) Aug 29, Mon: Bishop's Waltham (3 days) [Sept] 1, Thur: Winchester (4 days) Sept 5, Mon: Tisted, Sir Richard Norton (1 day) [East Tisted] Sept 6, Tues: Basing, Lord Marquis [of Winchester] Sept 10, Sat: Odiham (3 days) Sept 13, Tues: Farnham (2 days) [Surrey] Sept 15, Thur: Wintney (2 days) [Hartley Wintney, Hants] Sept 17, [Sat]: Reading (4 days) [Berkshire] Sept 21, [Wed]: Bisham (2 days) [Berks] Sept 23, [Fri]: Drayton (1 day) [West Drayton, Middx] Sept 24, [Sat] Hampton Court there during her Majesty's pleasure.

The progress did not take place. The Queen moved to Hampton Court on July 12, and to Richmond later in July. The Babington Plot was discovered during July. Itinerary, with number of days: Hatfield MS 14/86.

1586: Maidstone, Kent.

Maidstone Chamberlains' Accounts, Nov 1585-Nov 1586: 'Paid to Mr Bingham and Robinson that they bestowed on the Queen's men in wine when her Majesty was purposed to come into Kent', 3s. [K.S.Martin, ed. *Maidstone Records* (1926), 203].

This proposed visit to Kent is not mentioned elsewhere.

1587: Proposed progress in Surrey, Middlesex, Hertfordshire.

From Greenwich to Apr 26, Wed: dinner, Southwell's [Sir Robert Southwell: Reigate, Surrey] Apr 26, Wed: Croydon (5 days) [Surrey] May 2, Tues: Nonsuch (6 days) [Surrey] May 8, Mon: Putney (1 day) [Surrey] May 9, Tues: St John's (2 days) [Clerkenwell, Middx] May 11, Thur: Enfield, Mr Middlemore (2 days) [Middx] May 13, Sat: 'Fulborne', Sir Henry Cock (2 days) [Herts?] May 15, Mon: Sir Philip Butler (3 days) [Watton-at-Stone, Herts] May 18, Thur: Sir John Brockett (2 days) [Brockett, Herts] May [20, Sat: omitted] May 22, Mon: Barnet (1 day) [Herts] May 23, Tues: Highgate, Earl of Sussex (3 days) [Middx] May 26, Fri: Hackney, Sir Rowland Hayward (1 day) [Middx] May 27, Sat: Greenwich

The Queen moved to Croydon on April 27. She moved to Nonsuch on May 2, as planned, but then remained at Nonsuch until May 29, and returned to Greenwich on the same day. Sir Henry Cock had houses at Broxbourne and Ponsbourne, Herts.

Itinerary, with number of days: BL Add MS 63742, f.117v.

1591: Proposed progress in Middlesex, Hertfordshire, Essex.

'1591. A short progress for her Majesty'.

May 4, Tues: from Greenwich to Hackney [Middx]
May 10, Mon: Theobalds [Herts; Lord Burghley]
May 14, Fri: dinner, Theydon Bois, Mrs Elderton
May 14, Fri: Havering [Essex: Crown property]
May 19, Wed: Luxborough, 'the Widow Stoner' [Chigwell]
May 21, Fri: dinner, Leytonstone, Mr Saunderson [Essex]
May 21, Fri: Greenwich

The actual progress lasted from May 5-22. The Queen prolonged her stay at Theobalds with Lord Burghley to May 20, then made a second visit to Hackney on the way back to Greenwich. Richard Coningsby, Gentleman Usher, made ready at 'Havering of the Bower'.^T The places not visited in 1591 were: Theydon Bois; Havering; Luxborough; Leytonstone. Itinerary: HT.iv.115.

1591: Winchester preparations for proposed visit.

Winchester Corporation Proceedings, Book A, 1590-1598: 1591, Aug 30: 'It was agreed that £12.6s8d should be taken out of the Coffers to pay for a cup of silver and gilt bought for a present at the Queen's coming to Winton and also that 20s should be given by the Chamberlains to the Clerk of the Market, her Majesty being within the Verge'.

Aug 31: 'It is agreed that the Chamberlains of the City shall pay and give unto her Majesty's Trumpeters for their reward 20s. And also...10s unto her Majesty's Marshal, and 10s unto a Trumpeter attending the Clerk of the Market of her Highness's Household'. 'And also...5s in reward to the Purveyor and Master of her Majesty's Buttery'.

'The sum of f10 shall be taken out of the Coffers of the City and converted into gold and presented in a silver cup unto her Majesty if it be not otherwise determined before her Majesty's coming. And also that all such fees as have been heretofore given unto the Officers of her Majesty's Household in the time of her Highness's progress shall likewise be paid by the Chamberlains. And that all other meet things and rewards shall be paid and disbursed by the discretion of Mr Mayor [William Hodson] not exceeding the sum of 20 or 40s above that which hath been accustomed. And likewise the sum of 53s4d shall be given unto the three Sergeants and Bedell towards the provision of their apparel against her Majesty's coming to the City'...

'The Chamberlains of the City shall give and pay unto Nicholas Marks the sum of 10s for and toward his labour and charges in his travel to London in providing of a gilt cup to be presented to her Majesty, and other business of the City'. Sept 7: 'It is agreed that the whole sum of £20 shall be taken out of the Coffers and converted into gold and presented and given to her Majesty in the cup thereto provided'.

Winchester Coffer Accounts, 1589-1627: 1591, Aug 30: 'The same day and year was taken out of the Coffers by the assent of Mr Mayor and the more part of his brethren £12.6s8d to pay for a cup of silver and gilt which was bought to present to her Majesty if she had come to the City'. [Hampshire Record Office].

During the Queen's progress in Hampshire she had planned to visit Winchester, was still expected there on September 7, but abruptly changed her route.

1594: Proposed progress to Hertfordshire.

'1594: her Majesty's gestes'. May 28, Tues: from Greenwich to Lambeth May 29, Wed: Wimbledon [Surrey] June 1, Sat: Osterley [Middx] June 4, Tues: Hendon [Middx] June 7, Fri: Barnet [Friern Barnet, Middx] June 8, Sat: Theobalds [Herts; Lord Burghley] June 11, Tues: Luxborough [Chigwell, Essex] June 12, Wed: Havering [Essex] June 17, Mon: Claybury, Mr Warren [Richard Warren; Ilford] June 19, Wed: Tottenham or Hackney [Middx] June [22], Sat: Greenwich.

The progress started on May 29, and the Queen visited all the locations named from Lambeth to Theobalds, although not on the planned dates, then made a longer stay than planned at Theobalds.

Not known to have been visited in 1594: Claybury; Havering; Tottenham. Itinerary: BL Lansdowne 819, f.24.

1596: Proposed progress in Kent.

In March 1596 plans were made for the Queen to go to the coast of Kent in April and May, inspecting foot-bands of trained men on the way there and horse-bands on the way back. The siege and surrender of Calais caused the Queen to remain near London; these reviews did not take place.

The order prescribed for a show of the bands before her Majesty. At her Majesty's going towards Sandwich these foot-bands. April 14: Mr Thomas Walsingham's company to show themselves before her Majesty being 204 between Greenwich and Dartford. April 16: Sir John Leveson's band being 305 between Dartford and Rochester. April 17: Rochester band being 50 beyond the city. April 19: Mr Sondes' band being 300 between Sittingbourne and Faversham. April 21: The two bands of Faversham being 225 beyond the town; Mr Kempe's band being 194 between Faversham and Canterbury. April 26: The trained band of Canterbury being 192 beyond the city; Mr Manwood's band being 30 between Canterbury and Sandwich. [Apr 27]: The two bands of Sandwich being 400, the day that her Majesty is to go to the Downs. At her Majesty's return from Sandwich towards Greenwich these horse-bands. April 28: Mr Palmer and Mr Crisps' bands of light horse being 84 between Sandwich and Canterbury. April 30: Mr Cromer and Mr Rochafes' bands being 58 between Canterbury and Faversham, or May 3: between Faversham and Sittingbourne, or Sir John Roper's. May 5: Mr Twysden's band being 45 between Sittingbourne and Rochester. May 7: Mr Lennard's band being 43 between Crayford and Dartford. The Queen's proposed route, deduced from the order in which the foot-bands or horse-bands were to come before her: April 14, Wed: Dartford April 16, Fri: Rochester April 17, Sat: Sittingbourne April 19, Mon: Faversham April 21, Wed: Canterbury April 26, Mon: Sandwich April 27, Tues: visit to the Downs, from Sandwich April 28, Wed: Canterbury April 30, Fri: Faversham May 5, Wed: Rochester May 7, Fri: Dartford, Greenwich Mr Thomas Walsingham: of Chislehurst. Sir John Leveson: of Halling. Mr Sondes: Michael Sondes, of Throwley. Mr Kempe: Thomas Kempe, of Olantigh, Wye. Mr Manwood: Peter Manwood, of Hackington, near Canterbury. Mr Palmer: Thomas Palmer, of Wingham. Mr Crisp: of Birchington. Mr Cromer: James Cromer, of Sittingbourne; Mr Rochafe. Sir John Roper: of Well Hall, Eltham. Mr Twysden: Roger Twysden, of East Peckham. Mr Lennard: Sampson Lennard, of Chevening and West Wickham. Order for 'Show': Sutherland Papers, 593/S/4/39/2; at Staffs CRO.

1599: Proposed progress to Hampshire, Surrey, Wiltshire.

Referred to in several letters. July 24: locations listed. Only Wimbledon, Surrey, was visited.

1602: Proposed progress to Bath.

This progress, referred to in several letters, was abandoned, although the Queen had planned to go to visit Lord Hunsdon, the Lord Chamberlain, who was taking the waters at Bath, Somerset.

1602: Proposed progress to Wiltshire.

[1602] 'Jesse of her Majesty's progress'.

From Oatlands Palace, Surrey

Aug 31,Tues: [dinner], Chobham [Surrey] Aug 31,Tues: to bed, Bagshot [Surrey] Sept 1,Wed: dinner, 'Mr Dawbriges' [not located] or dinner at Mr Harrison's, Finchampstead [Berks] Sept 1,Wed: to bed at Mr Backhouse's [Swallowfield, Berks] or at 'Dabscottes' [Thomas Dabridgecourt, Stratfield Saye, Hants?] Sept 2,Thur: dinner, Mr Plowden, Burghfield [Berks] Sept 2,Thur: to bed, Aldermaston [Berks] Sept 4,Sat: dinner, Mr Fuller [Thatcham, Berks] Sept 4,Sat: to bed, Mr Dolman [Shaw-cum-Donnington, Berks] Sept 6,Mon: dinner, Mr Choke [Avington, Berks] Sept 6,Mon: to bed, to my Lord Chief Justice [Sir John Popham; Littlecote, Wilts] Sept 8,Wed: to my Lord of Hertford's for 3 nights [Earl of Hertford; Tottenham, Savernake Forest, Wilts]

This progress was abandoned. The Queen remained at or near Oatlands in September 1602, and never visited Littlecote or Tottenham in Wiltshire.

Itinerary: Talbot Papers, BFM2/277; Sheffield Central Library.

Alleged and Traditional Visits.

Visits for which no contemporary source has been found, except that some were proposed visits. From local histories, histories of families, houses, inns. See also the next section: Mistaken Visits. Berkshire: Binfield: Stag and Hounds; Bucklebury manor-house; Faringdon, at Wadley; Winkfield manor-house. Buckinghamshire: Boarstall manor-house; High Wycombe, at Bassetsbury manor-house; Quarrendon. Cambridgeshire: Childerley; Longstanton. Essex: Aveley, at Belhus; Feering, at Feeringbury manor-house; Horndon, at Ardern Hall; Steeple Bumpstead; Layer Marney; Maldon; Ongar, at Shelley Hall. Gloucestershire: Alderton, at Dixton manor-house; Arlingham, at Wick Court; Bisley, at Over Court; Chipping Campden; Fretherne; Stonehouse. Hampshire: Netley Castle; Nursling, at Grove Place; Warblington. Hertfordshire: Aldbury; Shenley; Watton Woodhall. Huntingdonshire: Ramsey Abbey. Kent: Brabourne; Folkestone, at Thomas Fisher's; Horsmonden; Leeds Castle; Nettlestead; Penshurst, near Tonbridge; Plumstead; Saltwood Castle; Sandown Castle; Smarden, at Ash Farm; Walmer Castle; Westwell. Leicestershire: Belvoir Castle. Lincolnshire: Stamford, at Burghley House, and at the Whitefriars. London: Blackfriars Playhouse; King's Head, Fenchurch Street; Gray's Inn; Inner Temple; Middle Temple; Tiger, Tower Hill. Middlesex: Acton, at the Wells; Bishopsqate, at St Mary Spital; Islington: Barnsbury manor-house; Canonbury manor-house, Sir John Spencer; Islington, at Queen's Head; also visits to Earl of Leicester, and Walter Ralegh. Pinner; Twickenham Park house.

Norfolk (mainly visits proposed in 1578): Blickling; Bradenham; Harleston; Intwood; Little Fransham; Little Walsingham; Norwich, at Maid's Head; Oxborough, at Oxburgh Hall; Redenhall. Northamptonshire: Castle Ashby; Easton Maudit; Kirby Hall; Sulgrave manor-house. Nottinghamshire: Averham; Eakring, at an inn; Wollaton. Oxfordshire: Hardwick. Shropshire: Shrewsbury. Somerset: Croscombe; Kelston; Queen Charlton. Staffordshire: Beaudesert; Ellenhall. Suffolk: Barrow; Bramfield; Helmingham; Heveningham; Huntingfield; Onehouse; Rattlesden; Rougham; Rushbrooke; Stowmarket. Surrey: Brixton, to visit Ralegh; Cheam, at Whitehall; Godalming; Sanderstead; Slyfield; Southwark, at Paris Garden bear-baiting arena. When the Queen watched bear-baiting the bears were brought to court. Sussex: Ashington; Bramber; Lewes, at Southover; Midhurst, The Spread Eagle; Northiam, at Brickwall; Parham; Petworth; Pulborough, at New Place; Rye, at The Mermaid; Westham, at Priesthawes. Warwickshire: Barcheston, at Weston House; Harborne, at Tennal Hall. Wiltshire: Devizes, The Bear; Littlecote; Longford Castle. Worcestershire: Bewdley, at Tickenhall; Evesham.

Mistaken Visits: chronological list.

These are primarily from the 'Court Calendar' compiled by E.K.Chambers, in *The Elizabethan Stage* (Oxford, 1923), iv.77-116; his main sources were the Treasurer of the Chamber's Accounts, which have payments for making ready houses for the Queen, but which include some houses not eventually visited.

This 'Calendar' was followed by Mary Hill Cole, *The Portable Queen* (Amherst, 1999) in a 'Chronology of Royal Visits and Progresses'. This was in turn followed by Nichols, *Progresses* (2014); this also repeated some mistaken visits from Nichols, *Progresses* (1823); these have been included here.

1559: Hanworth, Middlesex. First known visit during the reign: in 1577. London: to visit Sir William Pickering; he met the Queen at court.

1560: Netley Castle, Hants. Visit was to Netley Abbey.

1561: Helmingham, Suffolk. Visit was to (Castle) Hedingham, Essex. Layer Marney, Essex: George Tuke. A proposed visit.

1561/1562: Inner Temple Revels, with a play. Play was at Whitehall: 18 Jan 1562. There is no evidence that the Queen visited any of the Inns of Court. When the law students put on any entertainment for her they came to the royal court.

1562: St Paul's Cathedral for sermon by Dean Nowell, Jan 1. The Queen visited St Paul's only for the Armada Thanksgiving in 1588.

1563: Visit to Northampton. This was in August 1564. Visit to Toddington, Beds. This was in September 1564.

1564:

July 27: at Theobalds, Herts, dinner with the Lord Treasurer; Theobalds was not yet built; its owner, Sir William Cecil, became Lord Treasurer in 1572. Queen dined with Marquis of Winchester, Lord Treasurer, at his London house. Aldbury, Herts: Thomas Hyde. Queen visited William Hyde, of Sandon. Dallington, Northants: Sir Andrew Corbett. Visit was to his house in Bucks. Great Hampden; Princes Risborough; Amersham, Bucks. Visited in October <u>1592</u>. Longstanton, Cambs, Aug 10: Bishop of Ely. He was visited at Fenstanton, Hunts. Stamford, Lincs: visited in 1566.

1565: Gray's Inn, March 6. The play was at Whitehall Palace.

1565: Visits to Coventry, Kenilworth, Stamford: all visited in 1566.

1566: Feb 19: Earl of Southampton's marriage. Queen was not present. Kings Cliffe, Northants. This was to Cliffe Park, where the Queen hunted. Shenley, Herts: Michael Pulteney. Visit was to his Misterton, Leics, house. Stamford, Lincs: to Sir William Cecil at Burghley House: visit cancelled, as Cecil's daughter had smallpox; Queen dined at Greyfriars (not Whitefriars). Warwick Castle. No visit; Queen went via Warwick. Wrest, Beds: Duchess of Suffolk. Visit was to her Lincolnshire house.

1567: Beddington, Surrey: Francis Carew. No visit in this year. Loseley, Guildford: William More. A proposed visit.

1568: At 'Howard Place': alternative name for the Charterhouse, Middx. Belvoir Castle, Leics. No visit (note, 10 Dec 1568).

1569: Chertsey, Surrey. No visit. Hurstbourne, Hants: Sir Robert Oxenbridge. No visit (note, 16 Sept 1569). Southampton Tower: a mis-reading of Southampton 'town'. 1570: Dame Ellensbury, Houghton Conquest, Beds. A park, not a woman. Ham House, Surrey. Not yet built. Madame de Châtillon was at Sheen. Privy Council Register: Aug 17: 'At Penleys'; index: 'Penley in Wilts'. Aug 20: 'At Tuddington': index: 'Toddington, in Gloucestershire'. Council was at Pendley, Tring, Herts, and at Toddington, Bedfordshire. 1570, 1571, 1578: Hunsdon House, Herts: Lord Hunsdon. No visit after the Queen's Accession, but several proposed visits. 1571 December: London, for marriages. The marriages were at court. 1571, 1576, 1578: Mark Hall: in Latton, now in Harlow, Essex. Several other Mark or Mark's Halls have been mistakenly suggested. 1572: Beachampton, Bucks. A proposed visit. Bishopsgate, Middlesex: Jasper Fisher. Visit deferred to March 1573. Dunstable, Beds. At The Red Lion, owned by Edward Wyngate. 1573: Brabourne, Kent: Sir Thomas Scott. Visit was at Smeeth, nearby. Folkestone, Kent: Thomas Fisher. Nichols mis-read 'Mr Fisher's house in Lent' as 'Mr Fisher's house in Kent', and Chambers surmised a visit to Thomas Fisher. Gorhambury, St Albans, Herts. No visit in this year. Islehampstead Latimer, Bucks: Miles Sandys. Visited only in 1576. Wye, Kent, at Olantigh: Sir Thomas Kempe. A proposed visit. 1574: May: Croydon Palace. Preparations were made for a visit. Alresford, Hants. The Queen went via Alresford. Berkeley Herne, Gloucs. Visit was to Berkeley Castle. Caversham, Oxon: Sir Francis Knollys. Visit was to his Rotherfield Greys house. Churcham, Gloucs. Francis Walsingham stayed there, Aug 10-11, not the Queen. Wadley, Faringdon, Berks: Sir Edward Unton. Visit to his Langley, Oxon, house. Wylye, Wilts: Lady Marvyn. Visit was to her Fonthill Gifford house. 1575: Alrewas, Staffs: Walter Griffith. No visit; Queen went via Alrewas. Beaudesert, Staffs: Lord Paget. Visit was to his Burton house. Chipping Campden, Gloucs. A proposed visit. Chiswick and Osterley, Middlesex, in April. No visits in 1575. Ellenhall, Staffs: Walter Harcourt. No visit. It was Michael Harcourt who was visited at Leckhampstead, Bucks. Evesham, Worcs. No visit. Reading, Berks. No visit in 1575. Watton Woodhall, Herts: Sir John Butler. Visit to his Wheathampstead house. 1576: Hedgerley, Bucks: Sir Robert Drury. At his Chalfont St Peter house. Highgate and Hendon, Middx, and Barnet, Herts. No visits in 1576. Upshire, Essex. Visit was at 'Cupper Shawe': Coopersale, Theydon Garnon.

1576-1597: visits to 'Loughborough', Essex: Luxborough, Chigwell. 1578: Aveley, Essex, at Belhus: Edward Barrett. No visit. Blickling, Norfolk: Edward Clere. Visit was to his Thetford house. Childerley, Cambs: Sir John Cutts. Visit was to Horham Hall, Thaxted, Essex. Hatfield Broad Oak, Essex: Sir Thomas Barrington. Visited only in 1576. Onehouse, Suffolk: Sir William Drury. Visit was to his Hawstead house. Osterley, Middx: Sir Thomas Gresham. Proposed visit, February. Stowmarket, Suffolk. No visit. 1579: For alleged visits to Colchester, Ipswich, Maldon, etc, see 'Proposed Progresses'. Several local historians followed Nichols, Progresses (1823), and supposed this progress in Essex and Suffolk to have taken place; also reprinted in Nichols, Progresses (2014). Gravesend and Deptford. No visits in 1579. 1581: Tilt at Hampton Court, May 6-7. Tilt was at Whitehall, May 15-16. Chelsea, Middx: Lord Howard of Effingham. No visit until 1593. 1582: Dover and Sandwich. No visits. Both were visited in 1573, but in 1582 the Queen went no further than Canterbury, with the Duke of Alençon. 1583: London: marriage. April 17. At Reigate, Surrey, Queen not present. Petworth, Sussex: Earl of Northumberland. A proposed visit. 1584: Cobham, Surrey: Robert Gavell. Visit was to John Wolley, at Chobham. 1585: Oatlands, Surrey. No visit in 1585. March-July: Tilt for M.de Champagney. This was during his visit in 1576. 1586: Lambeth: Feb 26, and in March. These visits were in 1585. 1587 Nov 20: visit to Sir Francis Walsingham at Barn Elms, Surrey. The visit was to Walsingham House, London. 1588: Aveley, Essex, at Belhus. No visit. Horndon, Essex, at Ardern Hall: Thomas Rich. No visit. Visit, from Tilbury Camp, was to Edward Rich, Saffron Garden, Horndon. 1590 November: Sydenham Park, Kent. Queen visited Sydenham in August. 1591 or 1592: Bath, Somerset. Visited only in 1574. 1591: Croydon, Surrey, July 1. No visit (letter, end April 1590). Katherine Hall, Surrey. St Catherine's Hill, near Guildford. Warnford, Hants: William Neale. A proposed visit. Winchester, Hants. Preparations were made. See 'Proposed Progresses: 1591'. The Vyne, Sherborne St John, Hants. No visit in 1591.

1592: Alderton, Gloucs: John Hickford or Higford. No visit. He was not knighted at Alderton, but at Sudeley on Sept 14. Chequers, Ellesborough, Bucks: William Hawtrey. No visit. Kelston, Somerset: John Harington. No visit (note, end August 1592). Quarrendon, Bucks: Sir Henry Lee. Visit was to Woodstock and Ditchley, Oxon. Sherborne, Dorset: Walter Ralegh. Visit to William Dutton, Sherborne, Gloucs. Taynton, Oxon: Mr Bray. No visit. Twickenham, Middx: Francis Bacon. No visit; in November 1599 the Queen 'had a purpose' to dine there (but did not do so). 1594 Aug 14: Kew, Surrey. Sir John Puckering's memo for a future visit. Queen dined at Kew on 11 December 1595. 1595: Nov 4: visit to Earl of Essex at Barn Elms, Surrey; he was at court, Richmond. 1595 or 1596: to visit Richard Fletcher, Bishop of London, at Chelsea. No visit. 1597: Sept 5: 'Mrs Bracy'. Katherine Bressie, widow, had died in 1596; visit was to her son-in-law John Woodward, at Edmonton, Middlesex. 1598: Theobalds, Herts: Lord Burghley died 4 Aug 1598; last visit: Sept 1597. Newington, Kent: Mr Saunderson. Visit to William Sanderson, Newington, Surrey. 1599: Paris Garden, Southwark: bear-baiting. Bears were brought to court, as usual. Holborn, Middx, June 25: Countess of Derby. Visit was to Russell House, London; not for a marriage, which had taken place on June 24 at St Margaret Westminster. Holborn, Aug 12: for a christening. Queen was godmother by proxy, as usual. St James's Palace, rumoured stay: Aug 9. Not visited after 1595. Vauxhall, Surrey: Noel Caron. Visited at Clapham, Surrey, reached via Vauxhall. 1600: Kingston, Surrey: George Evelyn. No visit. There were visits to John Evelyn. Tooting, Surrey: John Lacy, or Henry Maynard. Visit was to Robert Livesey. 1601: Absey Court, Surrey: Mr Blanden. This was not at Epsom, but to Robert Blackden at Apse Court, Walton-on-Thames. Aldersgate Street, London: Countess of Pembroke. No visit. Aug 4: with William Lambarde at the Tower; this was at Greenwich Palace. York House: Sir Thomas Egerton and new wife Alice, Countess of Derby;

visit was at Harefield, Middlesex, 1602.

POSTSCRIPT: MIDDLESEX VISITS.

Kentish Town and St Pancras, north-west London (formerly in Middlesex).

Members of the Camden History Society, London, brought to the author's attention in autumn 2017 a partial transcript of the churchwardens' accounts of Old St Pancras Church. The original account-book appears to be lost. As the precise dates of the Queen's visits are not known, the payments are given here in their entirety. Kentish Town, although referred to as 'the town', was a hamlet in the parish of St Pancras; it

had the largest population in the parish.

There is no reference in the royal accounts to Kentish Town or St Pancras. Any visits were likely to have been when the Queen was staying at Whitehall Palace or St James's Palace. In 1568 possible dates are March 15 and April 3, when the Queen was at Whitehall and the Spanish Ambassador reported that he went out 'in the country' with her. The 1572/1573 payment for 'eating of the buck which the Queen gave' suggests that she had recently been hunting in the neighbourhood. (Compare payments by Gloucester Council for eating deer which the Queen sent: 11 Sept 1574). In July 1576 the Queen was at Whitehall for a week in late July, when she was enjoying much hunting. A Gentleman Usher made ready 'supper houses' for her to use whilst she was hunting at Hyde Park and Marylebone Park. The east side of Marylebone Park was in St Pancras parish. As there is not known to have been any house at Kentish Town suitable for a royal visit, and there were no prominent residents at this time, one of these 'supper houses' may have been where the Queen 'dined', as the churchwardens described the event.

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