

Barony of Hatfield Peverel

Seat/County	Unknown location in London/ Essex	Principle source	Baronies IJ Saunders
Date	History of Lordship		Monarchs
871	Creation of the English Monarchy		Alfred the Great 871-899 Edward Elder 899-924 Athelstan 924-939 Edmund I 939-946 Edred 946-955 Edwy 955-959 Edgar 959-975 Edward the Martyr 975-978 Ethelred 978-1016 Edmund II 1016 Canute 1016-1035 Harold I 1035-1040 Harthacnut 1040-1042 Edward the Confessor 1042-1066 Harold II 1066 William I 1066-1087
1066	Norman Conquest- Battle of Hastings Ranulph, a Norman Knight, accompanies William the Conqueror in the invasion of England. As a reward he is granted the Barony of Hatfield Peverel in Essex. Ranulph marries William the Conqueror's mistress Maud Ingelrica (a Saxon Princess) and takes the surname of Peverel.		
1086	Domesday Ranulph is listed in the Domesday Book holding lordships predominantly in Essex and Suffolk. His son William is also recorded as having 162 lordships. Among these included the castles of Nottingham and Peveril.		
1090/1	Ranulph dies leaving a son and heir William the 2nd Baron of Hatfield Peverel . He is also known as William Peverel of London and has previously been a Governor of Dover Castle and was the first High Sheriff of Nottinghamshire and Derbyshire. There are rumours that William may have been the illegitimate son of William the Conqueror but neither party confirms this in records.		William II 1087-1100
Various	William is a favourite of William the Conqueror and is granted over 100 lordships in central England.		Henry I 1100-35
1115/30	William dies without issue (childless) and Hatfield Peverel escheats (passes) to the Crown even though he has a brother and sister. The Barony is not granted again.		

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1215	Magna Carta	Stephen 1135-54 Henry II 1154-89 Richard I 1189-99 John 1199-1216
1215-1217	First Barons War	Henry III 1216-72
1264-1267	Second Barons War	Edward I 1272-1307 Edward II 1307-27 Edward III 1327-77 Richard II 1377-1399 Henry IV 1399-1413 Henry V 1413-22
1455-1487	War of the Roses	Henry VI 1422-61 1470-71 Edward IV 1461-70 1471-83 Edward V 1483 Richard III 1483-5
1534	The Act of Supremacy – Church of England	Henry VII 1485-1509 Henry VIII 1509-47 Edward VI 1547-53 Mary I 1553-58 Elizabeth I 1558-1603
1642-1651	English Civil War	James I 1603-25 Charles I 1625-49 Charles II 1660-85 James II 1685-88 William III 1688-1702
1750-1850	Industrial Revolution	Anne 1702-14 George I 1714/27 George II 1727/60 George III 1760-1820 George IV 1820-30 William IV 1830-7 Victoria 1837-1901 Edward VII 1901-10 George V 1910-36 Edward VIII 1936
2021	The title has not been used for 891 years.	George VI 1936-52 Elizabeth II 1952-