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[P. McNeill](#) - 1902 - Prestonpans (Scotland)

John Davidson, first minister after the Reformation : — Ninian Moore, 17th Oct. 1596. ... **Acheson**, elder, of **Gosford**, and George **Acheson**, his brother. And on the ...

Under the first Minister, John Davidson.

"The following are the names of the first 12 children who received baptism at Salt Prestoun after the appointment of the Rev. John Davidson, first minister after the Reformation:— Ninian Moore, 17th Oct. 1596. Then follows Ninian Reid, Agnes Davidson, Mark Acheson, Johane Gray, Beckie Shadowie, George Black, Isobell Staigg, James Lyndsay, Barbara Wood, John Matheson. Witnesses to the above, besides the parents, were John Banks and Dr William Wallace. May 5th 1597, Margret Acheson. The witnesses were Alex. Acheson, elder, of Gosford, and George Acheson, his brother. And on the 29th of May 1598 George Acheson; George Hamilton of Preston, witness; George Acheson, witness; Alex. Acheson, witness; and George Fallsyde, elder, witness. The following were elders during 1596 up to 1601—John Banks, George Acheson, David Hamilton, W. Nicholson, George Hamilton, John Cubie, Alex. Acheson, and George Fallsyde. John Ker was admitted minister to the parish of Salt Prestoun ye 11th day of April 1605."

[2 Acheson/Morrison's Haven - Prestoungrange.org](#)

www.prestoungrange.org/core-files/archive/acheson.pdf

Jul 1, 2000 ... Landward view of Morison's Haven Harbour featuring trading ships or 'bushes' In 1609, John Morison of Edinburgh, a Bailie, purchased the Estates of ... Morison's belief was grounded in the fact that the Masons ... Port Seton who has seen sight of the Minute Book of the Lodge of Aitchison's Haven. This.

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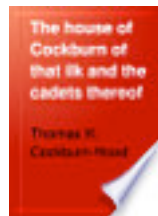
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John James. AvingUm, Htrogerford, Berks. The Prices or Llanftwyst (2n<1 S. ix. 503.) — Were a very ancient family in Monmouthshire, but ... kingdom, was Patrick **Acheson**, the younger son of a prolific family of the name settled at Salt Preston, or **Prestonpans**, in East Lothian, ... When Sir Archibald's ' successor, the 6th Baronet, was raised to the Irish peerage, he took the title of **Gosford** in memory of that ...

Acheson Family (2nd S. ix. 344.) —The father of Sir Archibald Acheson, of Ulencairny, in [reland, Baronet of Scotland and Lord of Session, and Secretary of State in that kingdom, was Patrick Acheson, the younger son of a prolific family of the name settled at Salt Preston, or Prestonpans, in East Lothian, one branch of which possessed the estate of Gosford in that county j for about sixty-five years. When Sir Archibald's' successor, the 6th Baronet, was raised to the Irish peerage, he took the title of Gosford in memory of that connexion, though the Scottish estate had

been parted with a century and a half before, and had never been in the possession of his lineal progenitors. Various members of the family, flourishing in the sixteenth century, were burgesses of Edinburgh and Haddington. Three of these held the office of Master Cumzieor, or Master of the Mint, and one married a sister of Heriot of Trabrown, a near relative of the celebrated George Heriot. Although Sir Archibald acquired lands in Ireland in 1611, he did not leave Scotland, in which he continued to discharge high official posts; but he occasionally visited his estates in that island, and died there in 1634. From the service of his son, Sir Patrick, as heir to him, it appears that he was possessed of a tenement in the Canongate of Edinburgh, and of Saltpans and other subjects in Prestonpans ond the neighbourhood. After this the connexion with Scotland of this line of the Achesons terminated, but various collateral families of the name continued to exist in Mid and East Lothians. R. R.

The house of Cockburn of that ilk and the cadets thereof: ...



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Page 91, expresses that Alexander Acheson of Gosford is Marion Cockburn and

Alexander St. Clair of Herdmanstons son! Sir Archibald Acheson is the son of Alex and grandson of Alex St. Clair. Archibald is the brother of Margaret, who married Robert Scot of Scotstarvet, the gr-gr-grandfather of Robert Scot the United States, Great Seal maker!

Archibald the Irish Lord, has no other mention in the main stream history world that he is a St. Clair. Page 357, states that Alexander Acheson is the son of Aleander St. Clair and Marion Cockburn of Gosford, except Alexander St. Clair is the son to Herdmanston! Which this is well documented, Alex may have changed his name, after Killing a one, John Sinclair of Aberlady of the lands given by his mother, Marion Cockburn.

Alexander St. Clair-Acheson has mention of a brother George and we have also learned that Acheson Haven or Salt-Preston or Prestonpans is this ST. Clair Acheson line of family. Where the oldest Masonic Lodge, records in the world exist or that are surviving today! The lands belonged to Lord Seton, who if you know anything of their history line, are Templars. No record ever has said the St. Clairs or Sinclairs are Templars, that has yet been found by this researcher.

The Coiners or Acheson of the Scottish Royal mint, are documented in these records, as being the ST. Clair-Acheson lines. Such as this would explain, why Robert Scot during the course of the American Revolution made the Great Seals. He also added small arms symbols of these families in these Great Seal designs, the Phoenix, Dove to the Dunkeld lines that link to their lines of St. Cloumba (Dove)! While getting off track, Robert Scot of Scotstarvit, who is related to the St. Clair Achesons, by his wife Margaret, sister of Lord Archibald of Gosford, 1st baron of Nova Scotia. The Grail chasers, never knew of this connection, that this title covers the land of Oak Island. The famous island that Prince Henry Sinclair, was said to leave the famous Templar Treasure in the Money Pit! He we have the St. Clairs who are believed to be a direct line of males with the Sinclairs of Rosslyn! Rosslyn titles shift to these Herdmanston St. Clairs and St. Clairs married Sinclairs, as is well documented. The finest treasure hunters, never connected a St. Clair controlled Oak Island under their title as Baron of Nova Scotia!

Robert Scots son, Sir John Scot of Scotstarvet is documented as the direct or Chancery, his family Title, passed down by a few fathers down the line! The first was Robert Scott of Allanhugh, of the Buccloch line of Scott's, who are now proven to originate from Anselm le Fleming and Agnes of Dunbar of Molle. Richard Scott, their son is the said first person in Scottish history to use the surname Scott. These Flemings of direct blood relation to the Lord Fleming of Biggars,

[Overview of Morrison's Haven - Gazetteer for Scotland
www.scottish-places.info/features/featurefirst4114.html](http://www.scottish-places.info/features/featurefirst4114.html)

The harbour was let to an Alexander Acheson in 1542 and became known as ... (or Aitcheson's) Haven was the location of the oldest recorded Masonic Lodge in the world.

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ACHESON, or Atcheson, a small coin current in Scotland, in the 16th century, ...
Acheson's Haven, a small harbour and village in the parilh of Preston Pans, and

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GCG-NOTES(Achesons of Gosford, Preston-Prestonpan, Edinburgh and the
Glencairney lines "all Orignate from the St. Clair Herdmanston lines".....

The Encylopedia documents clearly, documents that John Acheson is the Governor of the Royal Mint. He is of the male line, of Alexander Ancheson of Gosford and then to Alexander St. Clair of Herdmanston. This is one of the big factors, to WHY RObert Scot the United States Seal engraver, was the United States first Chief, engraver "FOR LIFE"! Scot was not picked, because he could sink coins, he was placed their to control the sinking of coins for his Jacobite families back in Scotland, who controlled the banks! The Achesons and Scot lines married Drummonds, so did the Sinclairs. Drummand had their hands in the Banking origins in Scotland. Acheson is documented to have owned gold mines and was a coiner and gold smith! Please note the Hamiltons who are married to these Achesons and Sinclairs. Aleander Hamilton USA is not of the Douglas-Hamilton lines, still he is associated with the US Treasury. Sir David Hume, who was Robert Scot of the US Mints, Philosphy Teacher in Edinbugh and Ben Franklins dear friend. Humes are well married to the St. Clairs of Herdmanston lines. Alex Hamilton based the US Treasury foundations off of Humes, economical philosphy. Humes, if you do not know are the male lines of Crinan of Dunkled. Blood to the ancient kings of Iona! If you do not understand the importance of what I just wrote, this is the bloodlines of the Kings of Scotland. George Washington is a documented line of Wessingtons, who are to the direct male line of Cospatric of Dunbar, son of Crinan. King Duncan I is the son of Crinan also, now you can understand why GW was asked to be King of the United States! Historical surviving buttons made by Scot, show all the ancient symbolism of GW and the families blood associations.

