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## Historical List of recorded Treasurers

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The list up to 1575 may not be complete.

Spellings of names are variable up to the early 19th century.

<b>Date</b>	<b>Name</b>
1530	William Walsingham (d 1534)
1534-1540	Unknown
1540 Nov 25	Edmund Grey and Robert Urmyston jointly
1548/49 Feb 6	William Henly and William Staunford jointly
1552 Oct 24	Nicholas Bacon
1555 May 16	Gilbert Gerrard (at first jointly with Nicholas Bacon)
1567 May 15	Thomas Seckford
1575 Nov 16	John Kytchine and Thomas Colby jointly
1576 Nov 7	Robert Alcock and Robert Shute jointly
1577/78 Feb 5	Richard Anger or Aungier and William Whiskins jointly
1578 Nov 17	Christopher Yelverton and William Cardinall jointly
1579/80 Feb 10	Thomas Snagge and John Brograve jointly
1582 Nov 15	Michael Lewis and Gilbert Sherington jointly
1583/84 Feb 8	John Brograve and Thomas Colby jointly
1584 Nov 25	Richard Anger or Aungier and Christopher Yelverton jointly
1586 Nov 14	William Cardinall and Richard Kempe jointly
1587 Nov 3	William Daniell and Edward Stanhope jointly
1588 Oct 28	Gilbert Sherington and John Spurling jointly
1590 Nov 19	Nicholas Fuller and Edmund Pooley jointly
1594 Nov 26	John Lancaster and Jeremy Betenham jointly
1595 Nov 24	John Lany and Richard Barker jointly
1596 Nov 15	John Brograve and Richard Anger or Aungier jointly (Aungier was murdered in his chambers by his son in Nov 1597)
1604 Nov 16	Cuthbert Pepper
1608 Oct 17	Francis Bacon
1617 May 26	Edward Moseley
1622 Oct 29	Thomas Ireland

1623 Oct 30	Francis Brackin
1624 Oct 27	Eubule Thelwall
1625/26 Jan 27	Lancelot Lovelace
1626 Nov 3	John Finch
1627 Nov 9	William Denny
1628 Oct 29	Roger Downes
1629 Nov 6	John Wright
1631 Nov 16	John Bankes
1634 Nov 12	Peter Phesant
1635 Nov 16	Richard Osbaldeston (jointly with Phesant)
1636/37 Feb 3	William Clopton (jointly with Phesant)
1637 Nov 3	Christopher Fulwood (jointly with Clopton)
1638 Nov 2	Thomas Bedingfeild
1639 Nov 8	John Whistler (jointly with Bedingfeild for 1 year)
1641 Nov 18	Thomas Widdrington
1650 May 20	Thomas Brickenden
1657 Nov 25	William Ellis
1666 Jul 2	Thomas Hardres
1668 Nov 12	Nicholas Willimot
1669 Nov 10	William Lehunt
1671 Nov 16	Edmund Jones
1673 Nov 12	John Amhurst
1675 Nov 24	John Otway
1677 Nov 23	Robert Pickering
1679 Nov 12	Creswell Levinz
1680/81 Feb 11	William Williams
1682 Nov 15	George Gifford (provided that he should not enter office until Williams' 2 yrs had expired)
1684/85 Jan 26	John Rotherham
1686 Jun 11	William Scroggs junior
1688 Jun 22	Thomas Pritchard
1689 Apr 22	John Thorburne (Acting Treasurer after death of Pritchard)
1689 May 6	Samuel Buck (was "eased of his office" 21 July 1690, although without blame)
1690 Jul 21	Warner South
1692 Jun 3	Charles Pigeon
1694 May 19	Ralph Cooke
1696 Jun 26 (c.)	Daniel Bedingfeild
1698 Jun 1	William Dixon
1700 Jun 12	William Spencer
1701 Jun 30	Thomas Carter
1704 Jun 26	Martin Folkes
1705 Jun 22	Charles Kenrick
1707 Jun 20	Edward Smith
1709 Jun 4	Rowland Holt
1713/14 Feb 10	Lewis Monox

1716 Jun 18	Richard Vaughan
1718 Jun 23	William Marriott
1719 Jun 10	Andrew Card (resigned during term because of illness)
1719/20 Feb 5	Thomas Jackson
1721 Jul [?]	William Gylby
1724 Jun 16	Brathwaite Otway
1725 Jun 5	William Peer Williams
1728 Jul 3	William Jessopp
1729 Jun 27	Nathaniel Booth
1731 Jun 26	Thomas Clarke
1731/32 Feb 3	Waller Bacon
1733 Jun 7	Andrew Wither
1735 Jun 19	Richard Darby (died during 2nd year of office)
1736-37 Feb 3	William Aspin
1739 Jul 5	Jeffrey Amhurst
1744 Jun 28	Morgan Owen
1745 Jun 20	William Swinburn
1746 Jun 21	William Henley
1747/48 Feb 1	Ralph Feltham
1749 May 6	Patrick Garden
1750 May 26	Edmund Barker
1751 May 2	Charles Monson
1752 May 8	John Cay
1753 May 30	Luke Robinson
1754 May 14	Ayscough Fawkes
1755 Apr 29	Charles Gray
1756 May 20	John Frederick
1757 May 12	Richard Morley
1758 May 8	Richard Lamplugh
1759 May 22	John Waple
1760 Jun 18	George Sturt
1761 Jun 2	Samuel Wegg
1762 Jul 7	Samuel Berkley
1763 Jun 21	William Rookes
1764 Jul 5	Edward Bacon
1765 Jun 24	Matthew Ridley
1766 Jun 18	James Eyre
1767 Nov 27	Gryffydd Price
1769 Feb 6	Samuel Pechell
1770 Feb 9	Danby Pickering
1771 Feb 11	John Fenton Clarke
1772 Feb 11	Charles Owen
1773 Feb 10	Charles Swayne Booth Sharpe
1774 Feb 17	William Mayhew
1775 Feb 8	Andrew Hudleston
1776 Feb 7	Edward Montagu

1777 Feb 11	Thomas Allen
1778 Feb 19	Joshua Grigby
1779 Feb 18	John Sherwin
1780 Feb 16	William Bumpstead
1781 Feb 7	Robert Burton
1782 Feb 5	Metcalfe Russell
1783 Feb 10	Alan Chambre
1784 Feb 11	Samuel Wegg
1785 Apr 22	William Rookes
1786 Feb 8	Thomas Chapman
1787 Feb 10	John Lloyd
1788 Feb 11	Charles Swayne Booth Sharpe
1789 Feb 11	Thomas Hill
1790 Feb 11	William Paul
1791 Feb 11	George Samuel Wegg
1792 Feb 11	Nicholas Ridley
1793 Feb 11	Thomas Morgan
1794 Feb 11 (c.)	Oliver Dixon
1795 Feb 11	John Fisher
1796 Feb 11	John Topham
1797 Feb 11	Andrew Hudleston
1798 Feb 10	Warcop Consett
1798 Jun 13	Henry Collingwood Selby
1799 Feb 11	Edward King
1800 Feb 11	Robert Burton
1801 Feb 11	John Matthew Grimwood
1802 Feb 11	William Lambe
1803 Feb 11	Samuel Romilly
1804 Feb 11	Henry Stebbing
1805 Feb 11	John Knill
1806 Feb 11	William Paul
1807 Feb 11	Philip Dauncey
1808 Feb 11	George Samuel Wegg
1809 Feb 11	Henry Collingwood Selby
1810 Feb 10	Edward Christian
1811 Feb 11	Isaac Espinasse
1812 Feb 11	George Sowley Holroyd
1813 Feb 11	Montagu Farrer Ainslie
1814 Feb 11	John Wear
1815 Feb 11	John King
1816 Feb 10	William Sheldon
1817 Feb 11	John Bell
1818 Feb 11	John Williamson
1819 Feb 10	Stephen Gaselee
1820 Feb 9	Joseph Smith
1821 Feb 7	George Heald

1822 Feb 11	John Wishaw
1823 Feb 11	Francis Maude
1824 Feb 18	Lockhart Johnstone
1825 Feb 9	Henry Sockett
1826 Feb 8	Jefferies Spranger
1827 Feb 7	Herbert Jenner (later Jenner-Fust)
1828 Feb 11	George Wailes
1829 Feb 11	Thomas William Carr (died soon after election)
1829 May 6 (c.)	John Matthew Grimwood
1830 Feb 10	Francis Whitmarsh
1831 Jan 29	John Perry
1832 Jan 30	Thomas Parker
1833 Jan 30	John Palfrey Burrell
1834 Jan 29	John Bell
1835 Jan 28	Robert Bayly

*Note: hereafter term of office starts on 1st day of Easter term after election*

1836 Jan 27	Thomas James
1837 Jan 30	George Long
1838 Jan 30	Henry Edgell
1839 Jan 30	Robert Greene Bradley
1840 Jan 29	John Godfrey Teed
1841 Jan 30	Thomas Greenwood
1842 Jan 26	Samuel Turner
1843 Jan 30	Thomas Purvis
1844 Jan 24	Archer Ryland
1845 Jan 29	Thomas Greene
1846 Jan 30	John Romilly
1847 Jan 30	Herbert Jenner-Fust
1848 Jan 26	Henry Tennant
1849 Jan 30	William Jope
1850 Jan 30	Thomas Chandless
1851 Jan 29	William John Broderip
1852 Jan 30	Thomas Horncastle Marshall
1853 Jan 29	Walter Coulson
1854 Jan 30	Francis Whitmarsh
1855 Jan 30	Boyce Combe
1856 Jan 30	James Barstow
1857 Jan 30	Thomas Parker
1858 Jan 30	William Henry Bodkin
1859 Jan 26	John Walter Huddleston
1860 Jan 30	Robert Lush
1861 Jan 30	Henry Manisty
1862 Jan 29	Archibald John Stephens
1863 Jan 30	William Matthewson Hindmarch

1864 Jan 27	William Wilde
1865 Jan 30	Thomas Southgate
1866 Jan 31	John Lee (died soon after election)
1866 Apr 18	John Romilly
1867 Jan 30	Thomas Greenwood
1868 Jan 29	John Walter Huddleston
1869 Jan 27	Thomas Norton
1870 Jan 26	Thomas Parker
1871 Jan 25	Smith Spencer Wigg
1872 Jan 31	James Whishaw
1873 Jan 31	John Lawrence Tatham
1874 Jan 28	John Archibald Russell
1875 Jan 29	John Holker
1876 Jan 26	William Cracroft Fooks
1877 Jan 31	Aldborough Henniker
1878 Jan 30	John Edwards
1879 Jan 29	Thomas Davis Bayly
1880 Jan 28	William Peter Jolliffe
1881 Jan 26	Henry Griffith
1882 Jan 25	William St James Wheelhouse
1883 Jan 31	Arthur John Hammond Collins
1884 Jan 30	William Shaw
1885 Jan 28	Benjamin Pine
1886 Jan 27	William Brown
1887 Feb 25	HRH The Duke of Connaught
1888 Jan 25	Hugh Shield
1889 Jan 30	William Bowen Rowlands
1890 Jan 29	James Sheil
1891 Jan 27	Arthur Beetham
1892 Jan 27	Walter David Jermy
1893 Jan 26	John Rose
1894 Jan 31	William Paterson
1895 Jan 30	Edward Henry Power
1896 Jan 29	James Mulligan
1897 Jan 29	Miles Walker Mattinson
1898 Jan 26	John Charles Lewis Coward
1899 Jan 31	Stuart Cunningham Macaskie
1900 Jan 30	Charles Alfred Russell
1901 Jan 25	Charles Montague Lush
1902 Jan 31	Herbert Parker Reed
1903 Jan 30	Edward Dicey
1904 Jan 29	Thomas Terrell
1905 Jan 27	Henry Charles Richards (died June 1905)
1905 June 6	Arthur John Hammond Collins (to 31 Dec 1905)

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1906	William Tyndall Barnard
1907	Richard Reader Harris
1908	Henry Edward Duke
1909	James Henry Mussen Campbell
1910	Herbert Francis Manisty, KC
1911	Edward Clayton, KC
1912	Arthur Edmund Gill
1913	Edmund Francis Vesey Knox
1914	James Richard Atkin
1915	Sir William Byrne
1916	Sir William Byrne
1917	Lord Birkenhead
1918	Lord Birkenhead
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1920	Sir Montague Sharpe
1921	Sir Frederick Greer
1922	Sir Dunbar Plunket Barton, KC
1923	Ivor Bowen, KC
1924	Lord Birkenhead
1925	Sir Alexander Wood Renton
1926	Sir William Clarke Hall
1927	Lord Merrivale
1928	R Ernest Dummett
1929	Timothy M Healy, KC
1930	Lord Greenwood
1931	Sir Cecil Walsh
1932	Sir Courthope Willson
1933	Sir Walter Greaves-Lord
1934	George Darell Keogh
1935	Bernard Campion, KC
1936	Lord Morison
1937	Lord Atkin
1938 Jan-Aug	Richard Storry Deans (died August 1938)
1938 Aug-Dec	(Acting Treasurer) Sir Miles Mattinson
1939	Augustus Andrewes Uthwatt
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1941	Sir Malcolm Hilbery
1942	Noel Middleton
1943	Nicholas Lechmere Cunningham Macaskie
1944	Sir Albion Richardson
1945	Robert Warden Lee
1946	Sir Hubert Wallington
1947	Sir Arnold MacNair
1948	Sir Harold Derbyshire
1949	Sir David Fyfe
1950	Sir Arthur Comyns Carr

1951	Sir William McNair
1952	Sir Frederick Sellers
1953	Sir Henry Barnard
1954	HRH The Duke of Gloucester
1955	Sir Hartley Shawcross
1956	Sir Leonard Stone
1957	Sydney Elsdon Pocock
1958	Sir John Forster
1959	Henry Salt, QC
1960	Henry Grazebrook, QC
1961	Michael Rowe, QC
1962	Percy Lamb, QC
1963	Lord Devlin
1964	Sir Denis Gerrard
1965	Sir Edmund Davies
1966 Jan-June	Sir Archie Marshall (d June 1966)
1966 June-Dec	Sir Edmund Davies
1967	Geoffrey Tookey, QC
1968	Sir Dingle Foot
1969	Sir John Willis
1970	David Karmel, QC
1971	Sir Humphrey Waldock
1972	Roy Borneman, QC
1973	Sir Roy Wilson
1974	Hugh Francis, QC
1975	Charles John Hamson, QC
1976	Sir John Megaw
1977	Richard Marven Hale Everett, QC
1978	Sir George Waller
1979	Leonard Caplan, QC
1980	Lord Elwyn-Jones
1981	Sir David Croom-Johnson
1982	Sir William Mars-Jones
1983	Ronald Graveson, QC
1984	Brian Gibbens, QC
1985	Dame Rose Heilbron
1986	Lord Hooson
1987	Sir Kenneth Jones
1988	Sir Gordon Slynn
1989	Lord Wigoder
1990	Lord Neill of Bladen
1991	Philip Cox, QC
1992	Richard Stone, QC
1993	Sir John Vinelott
1994	Charles Sparrow, QC
1995	Sir Iain Glidewell



1996	Conrad Dehn, QC
1997	Esyr Lewis, QC
1998	Sir Murray Stuart-Smith
1999	Martin Collins, QC
2000	Sir Anthony Evans
2001	Lionel Read, QC
2002	Sir Paul Kennedy
2003	Anthony Butcher, QC
2004	Sir Mark Potter
2005	Sir John Mummery
2006	Sir Alan Ward
2007	Sir Robin Jacob
2008	Hon Michael Beloff, QC
2009	Sir Mark Waller
2010	John Leighton Williams, QC
2011	Professor John Uff, QC
2012	Sir Michael Burton,
2013	Sir Maurice Kay
2014	Sir Stephen Silber
2015	Desmond Browne, QC
2016	David Hunt, QC
2017	Baroness Hale of Richmond
2018	Sir David Foskett
2019	William Clegg QC
2020	The Rt Hon. Sir Stephen Irwin
2021	Ali Malek QC
2022	Sir Peter Gross
2023	Lady Justice Nicola Davies DBE