

**Jone Hall of Dummer, widow 1609**

**Ref: Hants. Ro 1609A/33**

**In the name of God Amen** I Jone Hall of Dummer in the county of Southampton widow being but of a weak and sickly body but of a good and perfect memory, thanks be given to God, do ordain and make this my last will and testament on the twenty sixth day of February in the year of Our Lord God one thousand six hundred and eight in manner and form following. **Imprimis** I bequeath my soul into the hands of God my Creator and of Jesus Christ my Saviour hoping to be saved by faith in His death and passion, which He sustained on the cross for the redemption of me and all mankind, and my body to be buried in the churchyard of Dummer on the south side thereof where my father Raphe Cooper deceased lies and the rest of my kindred.

**Item** I give to the cathedral Church of Winchester 4d, and to my parish church of Dummer 12d. **Item** I give to my daughter Annis Hall the bedstead whereon I lay in my chamber. **Item** I give her one feather bed and one flock bed, one feather bolster and one flock bolster belonging to the same, one feather pillow and a flock pillow, one pair of new canvas sheets, two coverlets, one white coverlet which is the best and another coverlet of the worst sort, one pair of lockeram pillow beres belonging to the same. **Item** I give also to my said daughter Annis Hall 4 table napkins neither of the best nor of the worst but to be delivered at the discretion of my overseers. **Item** I give also to my said daughter Annis Hall a dozen of nycettes good and bad and two of my best double Holland kerchiefs. **Item** I give to my said daughter Annis Hall my best gown with a velvet cape, my two best petticoats, the best chest in my house, one coffer with his lid shut, my little cupboard standing in the hall and a round table standing in the hall. **Item** I give to my said daughter Annis Hall 3 kettles of brass, one containing a bushel or thereabouts, the second 3 pecks and the least, a gawn, one brass posnet, one brass candlestick, one pewter candlestick, 3 pewter dishes, 3 fair pewter platters, 3 fair pewter pottingers, one basin which I had of my mother, a brass chafing dish, 3 pewter salts, 3 saucers, one dozen of pewter spoons, a pair of pot hangers over the fire, 1 little trivet, one good andiron. **Item** I give moreover to my said daughter Annis one mashing tub, one wort kiver, two bowls one greater and one lesser, two firkins to put drink in, one woollen wheel, a pair of cards and a reel belonging thereunto, one spit, one stool joined, a sack to put corn in, a canvas bag and a wallet. **Item** I give moreover to my said daughter Annis Hall six wether sheep, half a quarter of wheat and half a quarter of barley and one dry tub to put corn in. **All which** things that I have so given and bequeathed to my said daughter Annis Hall my will is that they should be delivered unto her within one month after my decease and not before. **Item** I give to my daughter Jone Goslinge of St Mary Bourne one gown which is my third best gown. **Item** I give and bequeath to my younger son Walter Hall one bedstead whereon he now lies, one feather bed and one flock bed, two flock bolsters one feather pillow, two coverlets, one coverlet which is my best, and one other coverlet which is my worst, one pair of canvas sheets, one pair of lockeram pillow beres, one tablecloth of canvas of three ells or thereabouts, my second best chest that I have, my second best coffer, one kneading kiver, one kive tub, one little kiver, two firkins to put drink in. **Item** I give moreover to my son Walter Hall one kettle of brass containing a bushel, my best brass pot and one kettle of the lesser sort or middle sort and a little kettle of brass also, one brass candlestick, one andiron, one pair of pot hangers, and a forest bill. **Item** I give moreover to my son Walter Hall 3 fair platters of pewter, 3 fair pewter porringers, 3 salts, 3 saucers and one dozen of spoons. **Item** I give moreover to my son Walter Hall one cloak which

was my husband's wedding cloak and one gown of dark russet medley of my own. **Item** I give moreover to my said son my best horse that I have, my worst cow 6 wether sheep and 4 ewes. **Item** I give moreover to my said son Walter Hall two acres of wheat and two acres of barley upon the ground to be indifferently delivered at the discretion of my overseers, one of my best corn sacks to put his corn in and one table board which lies in my chamber, all which things I will that shall be delivered unto him one month after my decease. **Item** all the rest of my goods moveable and unmoveable all my former legacies being paid, my debts discharged, and my funeral expenses defrayed and disbursed I give and bequeath to my eldest son John Hall, whom I do make and appoint the sole executor of this my last will and testament, and I do request my good and trusty friends John Millingate of Dummer the eldest my cousin and my brother John Cooper of Farleigh *Wallop* to be my overseers of this my last will and testament, and to see that all things which I have given and bequeathed therein may be faithfully and truly paid and delivered according to my true intent and meaning. **In witness** whereof I have put to my hand and seal the day and year first above written unto these presents.

The mark of Jone Hall

Signed, sealed, delivered  
in the presence of those whose names  
are underwritten

John Millingate  
Robert Marriatt  
The mark of John Cooper

Probate granted 4 April 1609 to the sole executor named. Obligation on John Cooper, of Farleigh *Wallop*, yeoman.

Southampton county

An inventory of all such goods and chattels as Jone Hall late of Dummer widow deceased had which inventory was taken by John Millingate of Dummer yeoman, Richard Marriatt clerk and parson of Dummer and John Cooper of Farleigh *Wallop* yeoman on the 21 day of March in the year of Our Lord 1608.

	£	s	d
<b>In the chamber</b>			
<b>Item</b> for her apparel both for holy days and working days which she wore	4	0	0
<b>Item</b> for 2 bedsteads	0	2	0
<b>Item</b> for 2 feather bed and 2 feather bolsters	2	10	0
<b>Item</b> for 3 feather pillows and 4 pillow beres	0	7	0
<b>Item</b> for 3 coarse flock beds and 2 flock bolsters	1	0	0
<b>Item</b> for the best coverlet	0	13	4
<b>Item</b> for the 2 next best coverlets	0	13	0
<b>Item</b> for the 2 worst coverlets	0	5	0
<b>Item</b> for 3 blankets	0	10	0
<b>Item</b> for 7 pairs of sheets and 2 linen testers	2	13	4
<b>Item</b> for 2 wainscot chests	0	14	0
<b>Item</b> for 6 coffers	0	10	0

<b>Item</b> for a stained cloth	0	1	0
<b>Item</b> for 1 chair of ease other lumber of household	0	2	0
<b>Item</b> for 11 platters of pewter	0	15	0
<b>Item</b> for 8 pewter pottingers	0	6	0
<b>Item</b> for 6 pewter salts, six saucers 4 pewter dishes, one pewter candlestick and 2 brass candlesticks	0	5	0

#### **In the hall**

<b>Item</b> for 1 fair table and the frame, 1 form and 1 joined stool	0	6	0
<b>Item</b> for 2 cupboards	0	15	0
<b>Item</b> for wainscot	0	6	8
<b>Item</b> for 1 round table in the hall	0	1	0
<b>Item</b> for 1 fair brass cauldron	1	0	0
<b>Item</b> for 2 brass pots, 1 brass posnet, and 1 brass skillet	1	0	0
<b>Item</b> for 6 brass kettles and 3 skillets	1	0	0
<b>Item</b> for 1 brass chafing dish, 2 basting ladles, 1 skimmer and 1 brass basin	0	5	0
<b>Item</b> for 2 andirons and 2 broches	0	3	0
<b>Item</b> for 2 trivets and a gridiron	0	1	8
<b>Item</b> for 2 pair of pot hooks and 2 pot hangers	0	2	0
<b>Item</b> for 1 brass mortar and a pestle	0	6	8
<b>Item</b> for 3 old cushions	0	1	0

#### **In the kitchen**

<b>Item</b> 5 small tubs	0	2	6
<b>Item</b> a kneading kiver, a bolting witch, one old tub and six firkins	0	7	0
<b>Item</b> for treen vessels, 2 dishes, platters trenchers and lumber of household	0	6	8
<b>Item</b> for clothes hanging in the hall	0	2	0
<b>Item</b> for 4 small hogs of bacon	0	13	4
<b>Item</b> one bill and 2 iron wedges	0	1	8
<b>Item</b> wood about the gate and timber	1	10	0
<b>Item</b> barley threshed, 6 bushels and one bushel of malt	0	18	0
<b>Item</b> barley in the barn unthreshed 2 quarters and 2 bushels	2	0	0
<b>Item</b> 5 acres of wheat upon the ground in the field	2	10	0
<b>Item</b> one little cart	0	10	0
<b>Item</b> for 2 old harrows	0	2	0
<b>Item</b> for 2 kine	2	0	0
<b>Item</b> for 2 young hogs	0	6	8
<b>Item</b> for 2 horses	2	10	0
<b>Item</b> 28 wether ewes and tegs	6	0	0
<b>Item</b> one tod of wool	1	6	8
<b>Item</b> one cock and four hens	0	2	0
<i>Sum missing</i>	42	3	4