

Oxfordshire



BURFORD PROBATE DOCUMENTS

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| Name | Henry STRINGFELLOW | | |
| Code | ORO 181.85 | ID No. | 31 |
| | | Year | 1557 |

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| 1. Document details | |
| a) Person | b) Document dates |
| Name Henry Stringfellow | Will 25 March 1557 |
| Occupation weaver | Inventory |
| Date of death | Bond |
| Date of burial | Admon |
| Parish Burford | Proved 30 April 1557[?9] |
| c) Transcription | |
| Name Barbara Tearle | |
| Date August 2006 | |
| Keywords arms, clothing, crops, debtors, mills/looms, tradestock | |
| Checked A.Dix December 2007 | |

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| 2. People mentioned in the documents | |
| a) Family | b) Executors |
| widow Isabell | Isabell wife |
| children | c) Witnesses |
| | Edmund Silvester; Richard Dalby, John Jorden, Richard Dallam, William Hutt (Nutt?), Thomas Turner, Henry Perett |
| others - all described as kinsman | d) Administrators |
| Richard Stringfellow (minor) | e) Overseers |
| Richard Dalby | Edmund Sylvester the elder of Burford; Richard Dalby of Burford; John Jorden of Burford |
| John Gorden | f) Appraisers |
| | g) Others John Rords otherwise Jone Barben of Sygnet. Thomas Richards of Burford, debtor |

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| 3. Details in the Will | |
| a) Bequests to family | b) Bequests to the church |
| To kinsman Richard Stringfellow 3 looms, and shop gear; his clothing; barley owed to testator and half barley in his 6½ acres; bed, bedding, coffer; | 4d to mother church of Oxford. 8d to the vicar of Burford for forgotten tithes |
| The above to Richard Dalby & John Gorden/Jorden if RS dies before reaching 21 or does not obey the overseers. | c) Bequests to the poor |
| Residue to wife Isabell | d) Items of interest |
| others | descriptions of looms and weaving equipment. Description of his clothes Debt of 10s owed to testator A bill and dagger |

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| 4. Details in the Inventory | | | | | | |
| a) Rooms in main place | | | No: | | | |
| b) Other places mentioned | | | | | | |
| c) Values | | | | | | |
| Crops and land | Trade/shop goods | Clothes | Household | Animals | Cash etc | Total |
| | | | | | | £ |
| d) Particular items of interest | | | | | | |
| Lines 14-19: 1 broad loom, 2 narrow looms; shafts, harness, sleyes, and shuttles for the broad loom; harnesses, and shuttles for the narrow looms; a warping bar, a skarme & 2 hel.. Boards; ballance and weights. | | | | | | |
| Lines 23-25: clothing | | | | | | |
| A Henry Stringfellowe is listed in 1542 Muster Roll as an archer, householder, goods valued £5 | | | | | | |