

John Harford of Basingstoke, victualler 1674

Ref: Hants. RO 1674B/20

Memorandum that upon or about the fifth day of July AD 1674 John Harford then of Basingstoke in the county of Southampton being sick and weak in body but of good and perfect memory and understanding did make and declare his last will and testament nuncupative in manner and form following viz., (after he had committed his soul to Almighty God and his body to the earth), he willed and bequeathed unto Joane Payne his maid servant twenty shillings. **Item** he willed and bequeathed unto Edward Deverell one suit of his wearing apparel and another suit of his apparel he willed and bequeathed unto Henry Wright. **And all** the rest of his goods and chattels (after his debts and legacies paid and funeral expenses discharged) he willed and bequeathed unto Joane Harford his wife whom he made his sole executrix. **All which** or words to the same effect the said John Harford the testator declared in and for his last will and testament in the presence of the said Joane Payne and his said wife Joane Harford.

Probate granted 20 August 1674 to the executrix nominated. Obligation on the same.

In this Inventory or writing indented is contained all and singular the goods and chattels of John Harford late of Basingstoke in the county of Southampton victualler deceased, as the same were seen, taken, valued and apprized the sixteenth day of August AD 1674 and in the six and twentieth year of the reign of our sovereign Lord Charles the Second by the grace of God King of England, Scotland, France and Ireland, Defender of the Faith etc., by William Warner clothier and John Mitchener joiner of Basingstoke aforesaid as follows.

	£	s	d
In his bedchamber			
Imprimis his wearing apparel and money in his purse	2	10	0
Item a feather bed, bedstead, 2 feather bolsters, 12 pairs of sheets, 2 trunks, a coffer, a box, a trundle bedstead, a feather bed, a flock pillow, 2 dozen of napkins and 3 table cloths with other lumber	5	5	2
Sum	£7	15s	2d

In the hall			
Item two tables with their frames, a settle, a side cupboard, 2 iron andirons, a pair of tongs, three low stools with other lumber	1	10	0
Sum as is			

In the kitchen			
Item nine and twenty dishes of pewter great and small, six pewter chamber pots, eight pewter flagons, a pewter pot, ten pewter bowls, six pewter porringers, two pewter wine pots, a salt cellar, eight small saucers and seven pewter candlesticks	2	10	0
Item a brass pot, three brass skillets, three little brass			

kettles, a warming pan, a brass skimmer, a little brass pan and a brass ladle	0	15	2
Item a still, three spits, two fire forks, a pair of tongs, a toasting iron, a pair of pot hooks, a frying pan, a fire pan, a fender, a cotterell, a jack and a pair of andirons	0	12	10
Item a cupboard, a small table, two joined stools, two chairs with other lumber	0	14	3
Sum	£4	12s	3d

In the wash house

Item three brass kettles, a brass pot, two tinnen dripping pans, three iron pots, a salting trow, a tray with other lumber	1	1	6
Sum as is			

Item in the little buttery two small barrels, a tinnen water pot, a joined stool with other lumber	0	4	6
Sum as is			

Item in the brewhouse a little brass furnace, a brewing vat, a tun and six kives with other lumber	1	14	0
Sum as is			

In the cellar, malt loft and room next to it

Item three hogsheads of beer, two empty hogsheads, a stand and two little tubs with other lumber	3	10	0
Item a hanging press, the malt in the loft, some hops, a side saddle, and a pair of old boots with other lumber	2	7	6
Sum	£5	17s	6d

In the chamber over the hall

Item a bedstead, a feather bed, a feather bolster a flock bolster, a blanket, a rug, curtains and valance, a trundle bedstead, a flock bed a flock bolster another blanket and a rug	3	10	4
Item a side cupboard, basin and ewer and two cushions	0	8	0
Item a table and frame, and six stools	0	12	0
Item a chest, three chairs and a basket chair	0	8	0
Sum	£4	18s	04d

In the chamber next to it

Item a bedstead, a feather bed, a frame bed, a blanket, a feather bolster, a flock bolster, a coverlet, a trundle bedstead, a flock bed, a flock bolster, a blanket, a coverlet, curtains and valance	2	12	6
Item a little table, 3 stools, a pair of iron andirons, and other lumber	0	9	0
Sum	£3	1s	6d

In the chamber over the kitchen and two lofts over the brewhouse

Item a bedstead, a flock bed, a coverlet, curtains and
valance, a trundle bedstead, flock bed and bolster, an
old chest and a little table 1 10 6

Item a bedstead, bed, a little table and a spinning wheel
with other lumber 0 9 8

Sum £2 0s 2d

In the stable a horse, some small quantity of wood, and
hay in the loft over it 3 2 6

In the backside

Item two shoots 0 10 6

Item the wood, a ladder and other lumber 3 19 0

Sum £7 12s 0d

Sum total this inventory comes to 40 9 11

William Warner) appraisers

John Mitchener)