

**Margery Blunden of Basingstoke, spinster, 1666**

**Ref: Hants. RO 1666AD/017**

An inventory of all and singular the goods and chattels of Margery Blunden of Basingstoke in the county of Southampton spinster, deceased as the same were seen, taken, valued and appraised the first day of May AD 1666 and in the eighteenth 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 Obadiah Kew and Bernard Allen of Basingstoke aforesaid as follows.

	£	s	d
<b>Imprimis</b> her wearing apparel of all sorts	6	0	0
<b>Item</b> ready money in her purse	18	0	0
<b>Item</b> a featherbed, two feather pillows, one feather bolster, a flock bolster, one bedstead and curtains and valance	1	10	0
<b>Item</b> flax yarn and two blankets	0	16	0
<b>Item</b> two small silver bowls	2	10	0
<b>Item</b> twelve dishes of pewter great and small	0	12	0
<b>Item</b> a small table and six stools	0	8	0
<b>Item</b> a pot, a skillet and a kettle	0	5	0
<b>Item</b> eight cushions	0	8	0

**Debts sperate**

**One bond** or obligation of three score pounds under the hands and seal of William Barwicke the younger conditioned for the payment of thirty pounds and eighteen shillings

	30	18	0
Sum total	61	7	0

**Debts desperate**

**One bond** or obligation of forty pounds under the hands and seal of Robert Smith the younger conditioned for the payment of twenty pounds and sixteen shillings

	20	16	0
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**One other bond** or obligation of one hundred pounds under the said Robert Smith and John Clapshaw their hands and seals conditioned for the payment of fifty pounds and fifteen shillings

	50	15	0
Sum	132	18	0

Barnard Allen, Obadiah Kew appraisers.

Probate granted 16 May 1666 to Ann Mayne, widow, sister

Obligation [*illegible*] on Robert Blundell of Basingstoke, grocer.

**Accounts of Margery Blunden, 1669**

**Ref: Hants. RO 21M65/D8/210**

The true and perfect account of Anne Mayne widow the natural and lawful administratrix of all and singular the goods [*missing*] of Margery Blunden of Basingstoke in the County of Southampton and diocese of Winchester spinster [*missing*] intestate as well of her receipts as of her disbursements by virtue of the letters of administration unto her committed, given and exhibited the nine and twentieth day of July In the year of Our Lord 1669 as follows vizt:

	£	s	d
<b>The charge</b>			
This accountant charges herself with the sum of one hundred thirty two pounds and eighteen shillings of lawful money of England for the full price and value of all and singular the goods and chattels of the said deceased as the same were indifferently priced and valued, specified and contained in an inventory thereof made and exhibited remaining on record	132	18	0
Sum of the burden is			

Whereof this accountant discharges herself and craves an allowance as follows viz:

<b>The discharge</b>	<b>Imprimis</b>	this accountant craves an allowance of the sum of seven pounds nineteen shillings and two pence by her expended and laid forth for the necessary expenses of the funeral of the said deceased	7	19	2
<b>Item</b>	she likewise craves an allowance for the letters of administration and commission thereupon for engrossing and exhibiting of the inventory and other charges thereunto incident		1	6	8
<b>Item</b>	for drawing of this account in writing, for engrossing the same, for the fees to the judge, registrar and proctor upon the passing of this account and for the act and actuary's pains		1	7	2
	Sum		10	13	0
	Remaining in the hands of the accountant and the allowance allowed		122	5	0

Probate granted 29 July 1669 to Ann Mayne the nominated administratrix and Margaret Barwick, wife of James Barwick to be equally divided.