

# Oxfordshire

## BURFORD PROBATE DOCUMENTS

**Thomas PLOME the elder, butcher of Burford**

**Will proved 1561**

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Testamentum Thoms plome senior

De ville Burforde

1 In the name of god amen the iiij<sup>th</sup> daye of aprill anno d(omi)ni 1561 in  
2 the second yere of the Reigne of ower sofferane ladie Elsab(et)h  
3 by the grace of god queen of England France and Ireland def  
4 ender of the faythe etc I Thom(a)s plome thelder of the towne of  
5 burford in the Cow(n)ti of oxon bowcher being sicke in bodie but  
6 of good and p(er)fett mynd and reme(m)b(e)rannce thankes be unto god do  
7 printe and ordayne this my present testame(n)t contay(n)inge here  
8 in my last wyll in maner and forme folowinge that is to say  
9 first I co(m)mend my soule in to the handes of allmyghtie god my only  
10 maker saviour and redimer and my bodie to the earthe to be buried  
11 in the p(ar)ishe churchyard of burford aforesaid Item I geve and beq  
12 uethe to the mother church in oxford ijd and to the vicar of bur  
13 ford for my forgotten tythes ijd Item I geve and bequethe to Tho  
14 mas plome my sonne after my decesse all that my part and por-  
15 c(i)on of the howse that he and I have in use and occupac(i)on to ge-  
16 ther w(i)th all the impleme(n)tes and furniture of my shoppe com(mo)nly  
17 cawlyd my shoppe gere what so ev(er) it be Item I wyll that the sa  
18 yd Thom(a)s shall have after my decesse all my sayd shoppe lar-  
19 der howse and stable and a convenia(n)t chamber w(i)thin my  
20 dwelling howse for his bead for so long time as he dothe and  
21 shall use himsellffe honestlie in his behavior and condico(n)gs  
22 towardys his mother naturall my wyffe nowe and paying ha  
23 llfe the rent of the sayd howse by all the sayd tyme And lykew-  
24 yse my wyll is that if the sayd Thom(a)s and my wyffe his mother  
25 can gryn to occupie to gether in byeng and sellinge of ware lyke

26 as heretofore he and I have done Item I wyll the sayd Thomas  
27 shall bayre and paye thone moitie or halffe of all mann(er) of chardges  
28 what so ev(er) shalbe requysyte and nedefull to be had occupyd and spent  
29 w(i)thin the sayd howse or other wayes and his mother to bayre and pay  
30 thother halffe for and duringe so long time as she shall so occupye  
31 to gether Item I geve and bequethe to Will(ia)m plome Agnes  
32 plome Elsab(et)h plome and Jane Plome my children after my decesse  
33 one halffe quarter of mawlt a pece and to ev(ery) of them one store  
34 pygge a pece to be delyv(ere)d to them and ev(er)y of them at the day of  
35 ther maryages or when they shall accomplyshe thage of xxj yeres  
36 And if any of the iiij children above named happe(n) to decesse owt of  
37 this worlde before the tyme they shall receave ther sayd legacies  
38 by me to them geven in maner and forme aforsayd and be they  
39 unmaryed Then I wyll that all suche part or partes of this my  
40 legacies to that part or partes <sup>so being decessed</sup> shall remayne to the rest of  
41 them then being survyvinge or lyvyng my thing aforsayd not w(i)th  
42 standinge Item I geve and bequethe to ev(er)y one of my godchyldren  
43 that shalbe lyvinge at the daye of my decesse iiijd a pece to be  
44 payd w(i)thin one ~~m~~ viij wekes next after my decease The rest of all  
45 other my goodys cattalles and dettes what so ev(er) they be before not  
46 geven and bequeathed after my deptes beyng payd and my funeral ex-  
47 penses done and p(er)formed I wholie geve and bequethe to Jane my  
48 wyffe aforsayd whome I do make my sole and hole executrix of  
49 this my <sup>sayd</sup> Last wyll and testame(n)t and the further to dyspose therof as  
50 god shall move her provyded that if my wyffe after my decease do  
51 mary agayne then I wyll that she shall have but thone moytie or  
52 halffe of all my sayd goodys and cattalles and the other moitie or halffe  
53 therof to be equally devyded by my ov(er)seers hereafter named amo(n)ge  
54 my iiij children above namyd yf they be lyvinge any thinge aforesayd  
55 notwithstandinge and I make my sup(er)visers of this my last wyll and  
56 testament Hugh Colburne and will(ia)m p(ar)tryge of burford aforsayd  
57 and for ther paynys therin to be taken I geve to ether of them  
58 xijd a pece. In Wittnes here unto the sayd hughe Colleburne Wyll(ia)m  
59 p(ar)tryge wyll(ia)m Foster and henry parrott of burford aforsayd.

*[Summary of Latin probate]*

Probate granted 3rd day of January 1561[2] to the executrix

Court Official John Coole[?]

Inventory value    viij<sup>li</sup> vj<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>    [£8 6s 8d]

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