Oxfordshire



BURFORD PROBATE DOCUMENTS

Name	Agnes CHARLEYE						
Code	ORO 185.155	ID No.	61	Year	1573		
1. Document de	etails						
a) Person b		b) Docum	b) Document dates		c) Transcription		
Name	Agnes Charleye	Will	4 June 1572	Name	Angela Dix		
Occupation	Widow	Inventory		Date	September 2006		
Date of death		Bond		Checked	H. Horner, Feb 2009		
Date of burial		Admon		Keywords:	valuables buildings crops		
Parish	Burford	Proved	22 November 1573		clothing family location		

2. People mentioned in the documents a) Family

Thomas Hutchins son

John Grene son

daughter Alice Andrewe daughter Marie Grene

son Simon Grene brother Simon Wisdom

husband Richard Charley(d'csd)

?q'daughter Agnes Andrewe

Others

Goodwife Sambage

Margerie Foster Thomas Foster inr;

Thomas Foster snr. Deceased

b) Executors Simon Green - son

Benedic Fawler

Thomas Hewes c)Witnesses John Hunt

Robert Hyett of Milton

Bartholomew Can(n)on (writer of will)

Simon Wisdom of Burford and Thomas Wisdom of

Shipton-u-Wychwood, Clothiers

f) Appraisers

e) Overseers

g) Others

Edward Maddockes of Taynton-husbandman

Alice Harris (servant)

Edye Mecocke;

3. Details in the Will

a) Bequests to family

b) Bequests to the church

12d

Thomas Hutchins-described as disobedient-see lines 24 to 34 - brass pot, maizar, bed and bedding John Grene - bed and bedding

Alice Andrewe - bed, bedding, clothing, malt, wheat and 2 pans

Marie Grene - 2 beds, bedding, clothing, furniture, household goods, lease of house, 40s in money

Simon Grene -share of house (known as Sambage house) with sister Marie and residue of estate others

Margerie Foster - 20s, bed and bedding, clothing, pewter, coffer

Thomas Foster - 20s + goods belonging to his late father

Edye Mecocke - gown, wheat and barley; Agnes Andrewe - clothing; Alice Harris - working day gown

All maid servants 12d each; Simon and Thomas Wisdom 5s each

4. Details in the Inventory No surviving inventory

a) Rooms in main place

b) Other places mentioned

Hall, Painted Chamber, Lyon Chamber; Paradice Chamber; Corner Chamber, Little Chamber, Buttery

c) Values

Crops and land	Trade/shop goods	Clothes	Household	Animals	Cash etc	Total
						£129 16s 8d

d) Particular items of interest

Mazer - bowl, drinking cup or goblet without a foot - line 26

Dabnett - line 65

Wand table - made from the young shoots of willow - line 69

Her late husband was executor of estate of Edward Mattocks, husbandman of Taynton (lines 15-24)

Agnes Charley was married at least 3 times, to Thomas Hutchins by whom she had 4 children as mentioned in the will of her next husband James Green (ID 10); 4 children by James who died in 1546 and finally to Richard Charley by whom she had no surviving children. Only 5 of these 8 children are named in her will so we must assume the other 3 had pre-deceased her.

In 1547 under the name of Agnes Green and described as a widow (her husband James had died in 1546) she was fined 4d as a common hostel keeper and 6d as a common vintner.

See will for James Grene dated 1546 - ORO 170.191 ID 10

See will for Richard Charley dated 1567 - ORO 184.326 ID 56