

**Thomas Holmes of Basingstoke, 1664**  
**Ref: Hants. RO 1664A/050**

**In the name of God Amen** the nineteenth day of July 1664 I Thomas Holmes of Basingstoke in the county of Southampton yeoman, being sick and weak in body but of perfect mind and memory, thanks be to Almighty God, do make and ordain this my last will and testament in manner and form following. **First** I bequeath my body unto the earth to be decently buried in Christian burial according to the discretion of my executor hereafter in and by these present nominated and appointed. **Item** I give and bequeath all and singular my goods, monies, chattels and dues whatsoever in any place unto me due or belonging unto Walter Froude my loving kinsman who of this my last will and testament I do appoint my sole executor, written my hand and sealed the day and year above written.

The mark of Thomas Holmes.

Sealed and published for my last will and testament in the presence of John Stanbrig, the mark of Aime Parris, James Parkhurst.

Probate granted 22 February 1664 to the nominated executor. Obligation on James Parkhurst of Basingstoke, gentleman.

An inventory of the goods and chattels of Thomas Holmes late of Basingstoke deceased taken and appraised the twenty fifth day of March 1665 by John Spyer and Joseph Mansfeild.

	£	s	d
<b>At the house of Richard Cox of Basingstoke</b>			
<b>Imprimis</b> one brass pan	0	4	0
<b>Item</b> ten pieces of pewter	0	10	0
<b>Item</b> one brass ladle	0	1	0
<b>Item</b> one skimmer	0	0	6
<b>Item</b> one brass great spoon	0	0	6
<b>Item</b> a little pewter basin	0	0	6
<b>Item</b> a brass pot	0	10	0
<b>Item</b> two leather chairs	0	6	0
<b>Item</b> one leather stool	0	1	0
<b>Item</b> one red cloth chair	0	0	6
<b>Item</b> one coffer	0	2	0
<b>Item</b> a pair of [books]	0	6	8
<b>Item</b> four curtains and the valance	0	10	0
<b>Item</b> four books	0	10	0
<b>Item</b> a band and stockings	0	1	0
<b>Item</b> one pair of white linings	0	1	0
 <b>At Robert Sayeth, his house</b>			
<b>Item</b> one jack to roast meat	0	2	0
<b>Item</b> one old chest	0	0	6
<b>Item</b> two old kettles	0	0	6

<b>Item</b> one [suttle]	0	1	0
<b>Item</b> one gridiron	0	1	0
<b>Item</b> one table at	1	10	0
<b>Item</b> one chair	0	0	6
<b>Item</b> one pair of andirons	0	5	0
<b>Item</b> one bottle	0	0	6

**At Mr Joseph Mansfeilds**

<b>Item</b> one round table	0	5	0
<b>Item</b> one chest	0	5	0
<b>Item</b> one chair	0	1	6
<b>Item</b> one side cupboard	0	1	6
<b>Item</b> one press at	0	4	0
<b>Item</b> one bed and a feather bolster and a flock bolster at	1	0	0
<b>Item</b> one side cupboard	0	5	0
<b>Item</b> two barrels at	0	2	0
<b>Item</b> one dish at	0	2	6
<b>Item</b> a box at	0	1	0
<b>Item</b> a coffer at	0	1	6
<b>Item</b> two great books	0	6	0
<b>Item</b> two nets at	0	2	0
<b>Item</b> two waistcoats at	0	6	0
<b>Item</b> a pair of leather linings	0	0	6
<b>Item</b> two coats, one doublet, one pair of breeches at	1	10	0
<b>Item</b> left in his pocket in money	0	4	2
<b>Item</b> two caps	0	2	0
<b>Item</b> for the embroidered shift	1	0	0
<b>Item</b> one pair of clasps	0	3	0
<b>Item</b> one silver dish at	0	5	0
<b>Item</b> two gold rings	2	0	0
<b>Item</b> one green rug	0	5	0
<b>Item</b> a musket and sword	0	10	8
<b>Item</b> two pairs of shoes	0	4	0
<b>Item</b> three pairs of stockings	0	5	0
<b>Item</b> one hat and ribbons	0	5	0
<b>Item</b> one tablecloth and three pillow beres and three napkins	0	10	0
<b>Item</b> one cedar chest	0	15	0
<b>Item</b> eight cushions with other small things	1	5	0
Sum total	17	12	4

Probate granted 27 April 1665 to the executor.