

William Butler/Buttler of Cliddesden, 1665

Ref: Hants. RO 1665A/019

Memorandum that upon or about the twenty sixth day of April AD1665 William Buttler, then of Cliddesden in the county of Southampton late deceased, being sick of the sickness whereof he shortly after died but of perfect sense and memory did make and declare his last will and testament nuncupative, or by word of mouth, in manner and form as follows or to the same effect (vizt): **first**, after he had bequeathed his soul to God and his body to the earth, he gave and bequeathed to his brother Walter Butler the sum of twenty pounds. **All the** rest of his goods and chattels, money and debts whatsoever he gave and bequeathed to his three brothers John, Francis and Robert Butler to be equally divided between them thereby making them executors. **All which** or words the same in effect he uttered and declared as and for his last will and testament in the presence of Edward Mooring, clerk and John Belchamber.

Probate granted 10 June 1665

Walter Butler, brother, of Baughurst, yeoman.

An inventory of all and singular the goods and chattels of William Buttler late of Cliddesden in the county of Southampton deceased, taken and appraised the 10th day of June 1665.

	£	s	d
Imprimis the deceased's wearing apparel, linen and woollen	3	0	0
Item due upon specialities and otherwise	36	14	0
Item for wages due from his master John Belchamber	4	0	0
Item for goods	4	15	0
	5	0	0
Sum total	53	9	0

Robert Butler
John Belchamber