

**Richard Marlyn/Maudlin of Mapledurwell, sieve maker, 1639**

**Ref: Hants. RO 1639A/155**

**In the name of God Amen.** The 28th day of October Anno Domini 1638 and in the year of the reign of our sovereign Lord Charles by the grace of God of England, Scotland, France and Ireland, King, defender of the faith etc, that is to say for which I Richard Maudlin of Mapledurwell in the county of Southampton, sieve maker being weak in body but of perfect mind and good remembrance, thanks be to God, do ordain, make and declare this my present last will and testament in manner and form following, that is to say: **first** and principally I commit my soul unto Almighty God my maker, redeemer and sanctifier hoping and steadfastly believing to have free pardon and forgiveness of all my sins only by and through the precious death and merits of my Lord and saviour Jesus Christ and I will my body to be decently buried in the parish churchyard of Mapledurwell above named. **Item** I give and bequeath unto John Maudlin, my youngest son, one cow and the biggest chest I have to be delivered unto him, he being 21 year old. **Item** I give and bequeath unto Anis my daughter, the wife of William Smith of Basingstoke, one shilling to be paid presently after my decease. **Item** I give and bequeath unto Anna Maudlin my youngest daughter one cow and one chest to be delivered unto her after my death, she being 21 year old. **Item** I give and bequeath the rest of my goods, chattels movable and unmovable not before given and bequeathed I do now give and bequeath unto Elizabeth Maudlin my wife and unto Thomas Maudlin my eldest son whereof I do make my executor and I will that they shall pay and discharge all such portions by me given and bequeathed after my decease other then above written. **Item** I appoint and desire my loving friends John Canner and Henry Smith of Mapledurwell to be my overseers to see that this my last will and testament be performed accordingly. **In witness** whereof I, the said Richard Maudlin, have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year above written

Richard Maudlin his mark

Sealed signed and delivered in the presence of us

John Shedd

Henry Smith his mark

John Canner his mark

Probate granted 15 May 1639 by

Mr William Trussell, sworn by Elizabeth Maudlin, widow

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An inventor of all the goods and cattles of Richard Marlyn of Mapledurwell in the county of Southampton sieve maker lately deceased, praised the 15th day of November Anno Domini 1638, praised and priced by John Canner, Henry Smith and John Justice

	£	s	d
<b>Imprimis</b> his wearing apparel the price	1	10	0
<b>Item in the chamber</b> one flock bed and furniture belonging to it	2	0	0
<b>Item</b> in the same chamber or room one chest and two coffers and one little side table the price	1	0	0
<b>Item in the chamber over the hall</b> six pound of wool and two bushels of malt with other lumber the price	1	0	0
<b>Item in the buttery</b> for two barrels and other lumber	0	8	0
<b>Item in the kitchen</b> two kettles and a pot with other lumber	0	6	0
<b>Item in the malthouse</b> one tub and a vat with other lumber	1	0	0
<b>Item</b> in the same room for timber	1	0	0
<b>Item in the milk house</b> one powdering trough and a plank with other lumber the price	1	0	0
<b>Item</b> the pewter and dishes	1	0	0
<b>Item in the hall</b> one table and a cupboard one spit and a pair of andirons	0	10	0
<b>Item</b> for three cows and two hogs price	8	0	0
<b>Item</b> in the barn for corn and hay	4	0	0
<b>Item</b> for cheese and a grindstone with other lumber	1	0	0
<b>Item</b> for two pair of sheets and other linen	1	0	0
<b>Item within the yard</b> for wood and timber	2	10	0
<b>Item</b> for one acre of wheat sown upon the ground	0	10	0
The sum of this inventory is	29	4	0

Proved 15 May 1639