

**William Purchase/Purchis of Basingstoke, dyer, 1608**

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**BASINGSTOKE: INVENTORY OF WILLIAM PURCHASE (PURCHIS) DYER 1608**

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The inventory of the goods and chattels of William Purchis of Basingstoke in the county of Southampton dyer deceased, made and appraised by Walter Madgwicke, John Purchis, John Hall, John Stocker, Thomas Hall and Andrew Butler the sixth day of February 1608.

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<b>In the hall</b>			
<b>First</b> two cupboards, two tables with 5 joined frames, 15 stools, one chair, two carpets with cushions and one form	3	2	0
<b>Item</b> 7 trenches of new woad cloth, one net with sack cloth and hurdle band	2	4	8
<b>In the parlour</b>			
<b>Item</b> one joined bedstead, one truckle bedstead, one cupboard, two chests, one box, one settle	4	0	0
<b>Item</b> one feather bed, two flockbeds with curtains and valence, one feather bolster, two flock bolsters, three blankets and two coverlets	5	10	0
<b>Item</b> 6 brasen candlesticks, two dozen of platters, 5 serving platters, one dozen of pottingers, five serving pottingers, two dozen [laking], two of another sort, 11 flat serving dishes, two dozen of deep saucers, 4 other saucers, 2 plates and two salt cellars	5	13	4
<b>Item</b> two iron rods and two curtains	0	5	0
<b>Item</b> one Abridgment of Statute*, Ursinus Catechism <sup>+</sup> , one service book, one other book concerning law, The Exposition of the Revelation of St John with other books	1	0	0
<b>In the loft over the parlour</b>			
<b>Item</b> one bedstead, one flockbed, one coverlet, one chest and one blanket	1	3	0
<b>Item</b> brass plate there	0	8	0
<b>In the buttery</b>			
<b>Item</b> two ambries, one tub, one stillatory with stand and shelves	0	12	0
<b>In the loft over the buttery</b>			
<b>Item</b> on joined bedstead, one table with a joined frame, one feather bed, one feather bolster, one flockbed, one flock bolster, two coverlets, one blanket, one rug mantel, one settle	5	0	0

### **In the loft over the hall**

**Item** one table with a frame, one joined form, two old chests

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**Item** one table with trestles, two forms

0 4 0

### **In the milk house**

**Item** two racks

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**Item** one ambry, 3 leather bottles, 2 glass bottles, one cheese press, one great kiver with shelves and other lumber

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### **In the bolting house**

**Item** one moulding kiver, one bushel, one bolting which, one vat, one linen wheel, two kives, one meal tub, one clensieve, two buckets, one sieve and one riddle

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**Item** one tenon saw, one mathook and two shovels

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### **The brass in the kitchen**

**Item** two bell posnets, 2 brass pots, 2 dripping pans, 3 spits, one skimmer, one brasen basin, one chafer, one brasen ladle, one brasen basting ladle, 2 pot-hooks, one gridiron, two trays, two wooden platters, 3 tubs, five kivers, one bowl, one frying pan, 2 hogs-heads, five barrels, one firkin, one cleaver, one slice, one shredding knife, two chamber pots, 2 brasen pot lids, 7 kettles and two cauldrons

7 9 2

**Item** one brewing furnace

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**Item** two skillets

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**Item** 9 andirons, one fender, 2 pot-hangers, one iron bar in the chimney, one fire pan, one pair of tongs, two fire prongs, one trivet, one double iron hook

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### **The pewter in the hall**

**Item** upon the cupboard there one great basin, 4 pewter candlesticks, two salt cellars, 2 mortars, one pestle, five flour cups, 2 brasen candlesticks, one bread grate, one half pint pot, three basins, 4 platters, 3 deep pottingers, 6 other pottingers, nine saucers, 14 spoons, 3 pewter dishes

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### **The linen**

**Item** nine pairs of sheets, one long table cloth, six short table cloths, 11 table napkins, 8 hand napkins, 6 pillows, 4 pillow beres

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### **In the shop**

**Item** of [brassell] 33lb at

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<b>Item</b> blockwood	0	15	0
<b>Item</b> the [demeane marther]	0	13	4
<b>Item</b> alum	1	0	0
<b>Item</b> one beam with scales and one iron bar with other implements	0	13	4
<b>Item</b> one chair	0	2	0

#### **In the loft over the kitchen**

<b>Item</b> one bedstead joined, one truckle bestead, one boarded bedstead, four flockbeds, five bolsters, 3 coverlets, 2 blankets	3	5	0
<b>Item</b> [rynes] ten quarters	1	0	0

#### **In the warehouse**

<b>Item</b> ware there by estimation 7 seams	4	0	0
<b>Item</b> weights, three hundred and a half	2	0	0
<b>Item</b> one beam with scales and 2 sledges	0	10	0
<b>Item</b> one trough	0	3	4
<b>Item</b> 3 ladders	0	2	0
<b>Item</b> one saddle and two bridles	0	5	0

#### **In the dye house**

<b>Item</b> three furnaces	40	0	0
<b>Item</b> one cistern, 2 pairs of [sowes], 2 prongs, 6 woad vats and other implements belonging to the same	22	0	0

#### **In the backside**

<b>Item</b> two kine and one bullock	6	6	8
<b>Item</b> in faggots by estimation five thousand	12	0	0
<b>Item</b> four pieces of timber in the close	2	8	0
<b>Item</b> 3 billet poles and other wood by estimation 50 loads	10	0	0
<b>Item</b> timber in the backside	5	0	0

#### **The corn in the field**

<b>Item</b> 8 acres and a half of wheat	10	0	0
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#### **The corn in the barn**

<b>Item</b> barley by estimation 8 quarters	10	0	0
<b>Item</b> in wood by estimation 3 loads	10	0	0
<b>Item</b> one fan	0	7	0

#### **In the woad house**

<b>Item</b> made woad to be divided between John Hall and the said William Purchis by estimation 12 tun, the half of the same is	120	0	0
<b>Item</b> made woad in the house by estimation one tun	20	0	0
<b>Item</b> 9 hundred of woad at Andover and [balls]	24	0	0

**In the woad mill house**

<b>Item</b> one woadmill, half a cart and lathes	1	10	0
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<b>Item</b> his apparel <del>and money in his purse</del>	10	0	0
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<b>Item</b> one corselet with his furniture and one musket and one halberd	1	3	8
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<b>Item</b> one lease for term of six years for one close of ground containing 3 acres appraised	12	0	0
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<b>Item</b> three hogs appraised	1	0	0
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<b>Item</b> in bonds, bills and specialties and on the books some good and some desperate amounting to the value of	1016	4	8
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Henry Purchis

John Purchis  
John Hall  
Walter Madgwicke  
John Walker  
Thomas Hall  
Andrew Butler

Sum total	1400	14	0
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Probate granted 3 February 1608

\* Probably a book listing principal law cases

+ Zacharias Ursinus was a 16th century theologian leading the reformed protestant movement. Born in Poland, lived in Heidelberg