References and Additional Notes for the monument entries.

The following pages provide a complete set of references used when researching the book. The number for each entry refers to the monument number as given in the book. Text is red gives additional information that could not, for reasons of length, be incorporated into the book entries.

Abbreviations:

TNA: The National Archives.

1: St Mary the Virgin, Norton, Durham


Notes:
The surname has various spellings in documentation: Lytlegraynes, Lythegranes, Litgraines, Lithgreunes, Lythegraines.

2: St Mary, Easington, Durham
Probably Isabella Bruce. Date from the late 13th Century.


3: St Boniface, Bunbury, Cheshire
Sir Hugh Calveley. Died 23rd of April 1394.


4: St Mary the Virgin, Acton, Cheshire
Sir William Mainwaring. Died 1399.

5: St Peter, Chillingham, Northumberland
Sir Ralph and Lady Elizabeth Grey. Died 17th of March 1442/3 and after 1453.


6: St Oswald, Winwick, Lancashire
Sir Peter and Lady Ellen Legh. Died 11th of August 1527 and 17th of May 1491.


Notes:

From Newton, 1917:
He desires also that his executors should buy an "overlay" of marble "and lay upon me with a picture after me and my Wieff and our Armes to be set in eithere of our Coots" and a superscription is to be set on the said "overlay" with their names and the day and year of their decease.

7: St Lawrence, Appleby, Westmorland
Lady Margaret Clifford, Countess of Cumberland. Died 14th of May 1616. Erected 1617.


8: St Mary the Virgin, Acton, Cheshire
The Wilbraham Family. Died between 1643 and 1662.

Burke, J. and Burke, B. *Peerage, Baronetage and Knightage* (London, 1949). p. 1848

9: Holy Trinity, Wetheral, Cumberland
Lady Maria Howard. Died 9th of November 1789
10: St Mary, Sebergham, Cumberland
Thomas Watson. Died 20th of December 1823.


11: St Kentigern, Crosthwaite, Cumberland


12: St Mary, Rostherne, Cheshire
Charlotte Lucy Beatrix Egerton. Died 10th of November 1845.

GRO. EGERTON, CHARLOTTE LUCY BEATRIX. 1845 D Quarter in ALTRINCHAM UNION Volume 19 Page 9.

Notes:
There is a story that she died by drowning in the nearby mere before her wedding. The registration of her death states she died from bronchitis – exhaustion after 12 days.

13: St Barnabas, Bournmoor, Durham

Wikipedia. No other references available.

14: St George, Jesmond, Northumberland
Charles Mitchell. Died 22nd of August 1895.

Institute of Mechanical Engineers, 1895. pp. 537 - 539.
15: **St James, Burnopfield, Durham**  
Henry William Watson and Mary Elizabeth Hyatt. Died 4th of March 1886 and 1917.

Meara, D. Modern Memorial Brasses. 1880-2001 (Donington, 2008). pp. 132, 261. Fig. 94.

16: **St Thomas, Brompton-in-Allertonshire, Yorkshire North Riding**  
Hogback Tombs. Dating from the 10th century.

Badham, S., Medieval Church and Churchyard Monuments (Shire Publications, 2011). 

17: **St Michael, Middleton Tyas, Yorkshire North Riding**  
Coffin Lid. Dating from c.1300.


18: **St Peter, Conisbrough, Yorkshire West Riding**  
Coped Grave Marker. Dating from c.1140-60.

English, B. and Wood, R., 'St Peter, Conisbrough, Yorkshire, West Riding.' The Corpus of Romanesque Sculpture in Britain and Ireland https://www.crsbi.ac.uk/view-item?i=7752 (Accessed: 02 July 2020) 

19: **St Mary, Goldborough, Yorkshire West Riding**  
Probably Richard de Goldsborough IV. Died 1308.


20: **Holy Cross, Gilling East, Yorkshire North Riding**  
Military Effigy. Dating from the mid-14th Century.


21: **St Felix, Felixkirk, Yorkshire North Riding**  

22: St Mary, Church Fenton, Yorkshire West Riding
Effigy of a Lady. Dating from c.1330.

23: St Andrew, Bainton, Yorkshire East Riding
Sir John de Mauley. Died in 1331.
Appendices p. 17.

24: St Martin, Lowthorpe, Yorkshire East Riding
Probably Sir John and Marjorie de Heslerton. Dating from c.1340.
Appendices p. 110.

25: St John of Beverley, Harpham, Yorkshire East Riding
Sir William and Lady Joan (Elizabeth) de St Quintin. Died 1349 and 1384. Erected after 1380.
History of Parliament: ST . QUINTIN, Sir John (c.1347-1398), of Harpham and Brandesburton, Yorks.

26: All Saints, Harewood, Yorkshire West Riding
Sir William and Elizabeth Gascoigne. Died 17th of December 1419 and before 1419.

27: St Oswald, Methley, Yorkshire West Riding
Robert and Cecily Waterton. Died 17th of January 1424/5 and between 1412 and 1424.


Notes:

'The BoE claims that the chapel replaced an “earlier” one (the one built by the will of Robert Waterton). Fowler and I agree that there is nothing to suggest that the chapel is early or late C15, although it was most likely embellished when Lord Welles was buried there in 1461.'

**28: St Anne, Catterick, Yorkshire North Riding**


Capwell, T., Email correspondence.


Raine, J. *Catterick Church in the County of York* (London, 1834).

Notes:

'Toby Capwell told me in an email that the sallets on which their heads rest have a strap at the back; this is what the odd bulbous segment, attached to the rear of the sallet, is meant to represent.'

**29: St Mary and St Alkelda, Middleham, Yorkshire North Riding**

Robert Thornton. Died 1533.


Chasuble in the V&A. http://collections.vam.ac.uk/item/O118444/chasuble-unknown/ [accessed 20 July 2020].


**30: St Peter & St Paul, Bolton-by-Bowland, Yorkshire West Riding**

Sir Ralph Pudsay. Died 14th of April 1468.


**31: Holy Trinity, Wensley, Yorkshire North Riding**

Henry and Richard le Scrope, Died 25th of March 1525 and 28th of July 1525.


Wiltes Peerage, p. 18

**32: St Agatha, Gilling West, Yorkshire North Riding**

Sir Henry and Isabelle Boynton. He died 7th January 1531/2.
Notes:


"Here lies Lord Henry Boynton, a soldier, the last heir of Sedbury of that name, and Isabella his wife, who died the 7th day of January in the 1531st year of our Lord, to whose souls may the Lord be gracious, Amen."

"Here lies Lord Henry Boynton, knight, the last heir of Sudbury of that name, and Isabella his wife, who died the 7th day of January in 1531 may the Lord have mercy on his soul. Amen"

33: St Mary, Worsborough, Yorkshire West Riding

Inquisition Post Mortem of Roger Rockley, 30th of June 1534. Sheffield City Archives Wh M/D/306.

34: St Martin, Burton Agnes, Yorkshire East Riding

Adam White: telephone conversation 2021/02/18 – possibly by the Christmas brothers.
Email 2021/02/19 from the estate office at Burton Agnes Hall regarding the marriages and military activity of Sir Henry Griffith.

35: All Hallows, Great Mitton, Yorkshire West Riding
The Sherburne Family. Erected 1699.

Ingilby, J., The Shirebourns of Stoneyhurst. No page numbers.

36: St John the Baptist, Kirkheaton, Yorkshire West Riding

37: All Saints, Thirkleby, Yorkshire North Riding


38: St Mary Magdalene, Campsall, Yorkshire West Riding
The Yarborough Family. Erected 1806.


39: St John the Baptist, Kirkheaton, Yorkshire West Riding
Charlotte and Sarah Elizabeth McCumming. Died 16th August 1813 and 2nd February 1815.


40: All Saints, Owston, Yorkshire West Riding
Frances Cooke. Died 1st of January 1818.


41: St Peter, Hackness, Yorkshire North Riding
Margaret Anne Johnstone. Died 20th of June 1819. Erected 1821.


Notes:
“Vanden Bempde” is correct, not “Van den Bemp de”.

42: Holy Cross, Gilling East, Yorkshire North Riding
Thomas and Mary Anne Fairfax. Died 18th of August 1828 and buried 6th of May 1809. Erected 1830.


43: St Mary, Tickhill, Yorkshire West Riding
Louisa Blanche Foljambe. 7th of October 1871. Erected 1872.


44: St John of Beverley, Harpham, Yorkshire East Riding
Matthew Chitty Downes St. Quintin. Died 19th of April 1876.


Hull History Centre: Papers of the St Quintin Family of Harpham and Scampston. p. 3.


45: Christ Church, Marton-cum-Grafton, Yorkshire North Riding
The Reverend John Robert Lunn. Died 1899.


Rix, K. J. B., Marton-cum-Grafton church guide. p. 7. (draft copy provided by the author).

46: St John the Baptist, Kirby Wiske, Yorkshire North Riding
Fanny Isabel Samuelson, Died 1897.


Notes:

Translation:
"Like Absalom, a victim however by an accident more cruel of her very own beauty. Her hair set on fire by an evil fate, she died after suffering for 21 days through unspeakable pain with no less determination than that of brave men who have fallen in battle."
"O lovable wife, loyal sister, dutiful daughter and the mother most sweet of three little daughters and one boy and of another who did not survive his mother's death, poor little unfortunates. Never was she a friend more earnest than during those final agonies and bitter was the death that took her off. Love remains."

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**47: St Wilfrid, Harrogate, Yorkshire West Riding**


**Notes:**

Translation:

'You who look at this picture while passing by pray for the soul of William Fowell Swann priest. A notable man, firm in his purpose, he was the attentive originator of this house of God. As first parson of the parish of Saint Wilfrid he watched the Lord's sheepfold for seventeen years, 1902-1919. Full of years he passed from life into the peace of God in the county of Sussex, 1947. God be merciful to me, a sinner.'

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**48: St Thomas Becket, Hampsthwaite, Yorkshire West Riding**

Amy Woodforde-Finden, Died 13th of March 1919. Erected 1923.

Gerald (Gerolamo) Giudici', *Mapping the Practice and Profession of Sculpture in Britain and Ireland 1851-1951*, University of Glasgow History of Art and HATH (on-line resource)


**Notes:**

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**49: St Michael, Sollers Hope, Herefordshire**

A Member of the de Sollers Family. Dating from c.1260.


**Notes:**

Sally Badham also suggests (I've not seen it):


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**50: St Giles, Bredon, Worcestershire**

Probably Sir Nicholas and Edith Mitton. Dating from c.1300-10.


51: All Saints, Clehonger, Herefordshire
Sir Richard de Pembrugge. Died 1345/6.

Correspondence with Sally Badham.

52: St Bartholomew, Much Marcle, Herefordshire
Blanche Mortimer, Lady Grandison. Died 1347.


53: St Andrew, Allensmore, Herefordshire
Sir Andrew and Juliana Herley. Died circa 1392 and after 1420.


54: St Milburga, Wixford, Warwickshire
Thomas and Juliana de Cruwe. Died 21st of September 1418 and 1411


55: St Swithun, Lower Quinton, Warwickshire
Dame Joan Clopton. Died 1430.


Notes:

C[h]riste nepos Ann[a]e Clopton’ miserere Joh[ann]e
Que tibi sacrat[u] clauditur hic vidua
Milite defuncto s[pon]so < pro te [Jesus] fuit ista
Larga libens miserin [u] prodiga et hospitib[us]
Sic ven[er]abilibus templis < sic fudit egens
Mitteret ut c[a]elis < quas sequetur opes
Pro tantis meritis < sibi done[s] regna beata
Laura Wood’s translation:
Christ, have mercy on Joan, grandchild of Anne Clopton,
Who, consecrated to you, is enclosed, widow
Of the deceased knight, her spouse. For you, Jesus, she was
Gladly generous to the unfortunate and magnanimous to strangers.
Just as to the venerable churches, she poured out her riches to the needy,
Sending them to the heavens for her to follow them there.
For such great service, may you grant her the blessed realm
And may the funereal tomb not weigh her down, but may the palace of God delight her.

Francesca M. Steele (from Anchoresses of the West) translation:
O Christ! Grandson of Anne, have mercy on Joan Clopton,
Who, as a widow, was consecrated to Thee, and enclosed here;
Her husband having died a soldier. For They sake, JESU,
She made great sacrifices, generous to the miserable and to guests,
Thus she bestowed her wealth on venerable temples and on the poor,
Sending her good works to heaven that she might follow.
For merits so great, give to her blessed realms;
Let no purgatory detain her, but let the palace (court) of God bless her.

C. T. Davis (from Monumental Brasses of Gloucestershire) translation:
Vowed to a holy life when ceased her Knightly husband’s breath
Joan Clopton here, Anne’s grandchild dear; implores Thy grace in death
O Christ!— for Thee O Jesu blest, how largely hath she shed
Her bounteous gifts on poor and sick—how hath she garnished
Thy stately shrines with splendour meet—how hath she sent before
Her earthly wealth to Thee above, to increase her heavenly store!
For such blest fruits of faith, O grant, in Thine own joy her meed
Light-lies an earthly tomb on those whom Heavenly blessings speed!

56: St Bartholomew, Tong, Shropshire
Sir William and Dame Margaret Vernon. Died 31st of June 1467 and after 1467.


Notes:
benedictus deus in donis suis – blessed is God in His gifts
Ihū fili dauid miserere nob – Jesus son of David have mercy on us
Hic jacent Dns Willmus Vernon Miles quondam Constabularius Angliae filius et haeres Domini Ricardi Vernon Militis, qui quondam erat Thesaurarius Calaisae qui quidem Dominus Willius obiit ultimo die mensis Junii Anno Anno Dni Milesimo CCCCLXVII. Et Margareta uxor dicti Willmi filia hereditar’ dni Roberti Pypis et Spernore Militis : quae quidem Margareta obiit .... anno Domini millimo CCCCLX. Quorum Animabus Propicietur Deus AMEN
Here lies Sir William Vernon, Knight, Constable of England, son and heir of Sir Richard Vernon, Knight, who was Treasurer at Calais, the said Sir William died the last day of June in the Year of our Lord 1467. Also Margaret, wife of the said William, daughter and heiress of Sir Robert of Pipe and Spernore, Knight: this Margaret died … in the Year of our Lord 1460. May God bless their souls. Amen.

57: St Bartholomew, Tong, Shropshire
Sir Richard and Dame Benedicta Vernon. Died August 1451 and 1444.


58: St Mary, Stanford-on-Teme, Worcestershire
Humphrey and Joyce Salwey. Died 1493 and unknown.


*Inquisition Post Mortem*. 8 Henry V, No. 68.


Will of Humphrey Salwey TNA PROB 11/10/139.

59: St Peter, Besford, Worcestershire
Child of the Harewell family. Dating from the 1590s.


60: St Michael, Whichford, Warwickshire

Birmingham Archaeological Society Transactions (1921), quoted in the church.


61: St Andrew, Clifton Campville, Staffordshire
Sir John and Ellen Vernon. Died 9th of February 1545/6 and unknown.

Bayliss, Jon. Email correspondence, April 15th 2021.


Notes:

From Jon Bayliss:
I didn’t include the Vernon tomb in my list of Richard Parker work in my 1990 article but now believe that it belongs there. Although it looks as if it fits better with monuments fifteen or twenty years earlier, this may just be because it’s what the patron wanted. I think it’s just conservative rather than being appropriated from a monastery.

The closest parallels for the seated bedesmen are those on the Hazelrigg tomb at Castle Donington but there are a number of similar figures seated under the feet of the commemorated on alabaster tombs at various places.

62: St Andrew, Wroxeter, Shropshire
Sir Thomas and Lady Isabel Bromley. Died 15th of May 1555 and after 1555.

Pidgeon, H., Memorials of Shrewsbury (Shrewsbury, 1837). p. 224.
Will of Thomas Bromley: TNA PROB 11/37/463.

Notes:
The will mentions his wife and the wife’s date of death is left blank on the tomb. The Shillian thesis is incorrect in stating she was not in the will and pre-deceased him.
The Memorials of Shrewsbury states that the tombs were “beautified” in 1824. This is confirmed in the following newspaper column:


To the Editor of the Salopian Journal. Sir, “Your Correspondent” S. E. “has, in my humble opinion, been very judicious in his remarks on the improvement of Wroxeter Church, particularly on the curious and valuable Monuments, which have been restored, we may imagine, to more than their original splendour, principally under the direction of a learned Antiquary,— His remarks induced me to pay a visit to Wroxeter, nor were my expectations, though sanguine, at all disappointed by the event.— Passing by St. Alkmund’s Church, “soon after my return, I could not but regret the dilapidated state of the handsome altar- tomb of the Jones’s, standing in the Church Yard; which is left to reckless decay. It appears to me that if it had but the same attention bestowed upon it which those I have just adverted to have received, it would afford an equal treat to accidental visitors, and to those of our Townsmen who have a taste for Antiquities. — Although about twenty years ago considerable expense was munificently bestowed upon it by a representative of the family, it now appears to retain scarce a remembrance of his zeal. Three of the shields are broken off, and two of them, I perceive, are missing; the wire screen is completely rotten, and many parts are subject to a more rapid decay than their beauty deserves, or than Time, if restrained in his silent career by the hand of Care, would be able to effect. I am, Your’s &c. N. H. Y. Shrewsbury, June 21st, 1824

63: St Mary, Burford, Shropshire

64: **Holy Trinity, Bosbury, Herefordshire**


65: **St John the Baptist, Kinlet, Shropshire**
Sir George and Lady Constance Blount. Died 20th of July 1581 and 1584. Erected 1584.

Bayliss, J. Email correspondence. 2021/04/29.

Notes:
Jon Bayliss says:
"By the way, the Kinlet monument was made by Robert Coxe of Kenilworth, Warwickshire, who left his initials on an inner spandrel along with his rather decorative mason’s mark, which also occurs as decoration elsewhere on the monument. The alabaster chimneypiece now in the gatehouse at Kenilworth castle, dated 1571, compares closely."

66: **St John the Baptist, Ashley, Staffordshire**
Sir Gilbert and Lady Anne Gerard. Died 4th of February 1592/3 and after 1597.

History of Parliament: GERARD, Sir Gilbert (d.1593), of Ince, Lancs. and Gerrard’s Bromley, Staffs.

Notes:
Anne was living at Little Hoole, Lancashire in 1597. See Farrer and Brownbill.

67: **All Saints, Spetchley, Worcestershire**

Will of Catherine Berkeley: TNA PROB 11/157/38.

Notes:
Here rest in the Lord the bodies, or rather, the [single] body of Rowland etc and Katharine, his wife, who lived together in a single-hearted state of matrimony for the space of 37 years, and to whom, moreover, in that time, [were born] 7 sons and 9 daughters, of whom one small son died in the cradle [i.e. as a baby], but all the others grew to adulthood and have, with the utmost sorrow, left this memorial to celebrate their father, and each of whom individually hopes above all that it should be granted them to take after their father.

To the memory of that man whose body is entombed here, and who, descended from the ancient stock of the [barons - bit unclear here] of Berkeley in the county of Gloucestershire, keenly mindful of death in life, and of life in death, after living out sixty three years soldiery this world with Christ as his commander, on the first day of June 1611, he handed himself back dutifully and gladly to his Lord and commander. Robert Berkeley Knight, "Modernus Vicecomes Com: Wigorn:" (not sure exactly what title this corresponds to) and second son of the deceased, for piety's sake, had this monument made and set up, together with the adjacent chapel to the holy sacred Trinity. Year of our Lord 1614.

Translation by Dr Francis Young (Twitter):
"Here lies in the Lord the bodies, or rather the body, of Rowland Berkeley, gent. and Katherine his wife; who in the unanimous state of matrimony lived together for the space of 37 years and more…"

[The Latin gag is the use of the singular for two bodies, reinforcing the closeness of the marriage; furthermore, 'unanimi' has the double meaning of 'unanimous, in agreement' as well as the literal idea of being in a single soul. 'Simul' is a strange choice of preposition too]

Translation of Latin inscription on LH side of tomb (from JMC4/Flickr – origin unknown):
John their most sorrowful son erected this to his most noble, best and most beloved parents, Giles Reed & Katherine Greville.

68: St Giles, Bredon, Worcestershire
Giles and Katherine Reed. Died 22nd of April 1611 and 11th of September 1611.


Notes:
Translation of Latin inscription on LH side of tomb (from JMC4/Flickr – origin unknown):
*John their most sorrowful son erected this to his most noble, best and most beloved parents, Giles Reed & Katherine Greville.*

69: St James, Kinnersley, Herefordshire
Francis and Susan Smalman. Died 7th of September 1633 and 11th of August 1632. Erected 1635.

History of Parliament: SMALMAN, Francis I (c.1565-1633), of Kinnersley Castle, Herefs.; formerly of St. John Street, Clerkenwell, Mdx.

70: St Mary, Elmley Castle, Worcestershire
William and Giles Savage. Died 7th of August 1616 and 31st of January 1631/2. Erected c.1632.


Notes:
Translation:
Here lies William Savage, Esquire, Justice of the Peace and Quorum, father of Giles, who married Anne Knotesford, daughter and one of the co-heiresses of John Knotesford, by whom he had four sons and twin daughters, of which daughters Mary married Thomas Escourt, soldier, and died 7th August, 1616. The souls of the just are in the hand of God. Here lies Giles Savage, Esquire, son of William Savage, Esquire, of Elmley Castle, Justice of the Peace and Quorum, High Sheriff of the County of Worcester, who died 31st January, 1631. In whose memory his most loving wife, Katharine, daughter of Richard Daston, Esq, placed near, together with her four sons, Thomas, William, Giles, and John (of whom John, the youngest, died in the same year with his father), and a beloved little daughter, born after his death, whom she embraces in her arms, had this monument erected as a pledge of her faithfulness and obedience.
Reader, build your own monument while you live, unless fortune has given you as good a wife.

71: St John the Baptist, Strensham, Worcestershire
Sir Thomas and Elizabeth Russell. Died 30th of December 1632 and 8th of July 1618.


72: St Mary Magdalene, Croome d’Abitot, Worcestershire
Thomas Coventry, 1st Baron Coventry of Aylesborough. Died 14th of January 1639/40.


73: St Leonard, Charlecote, Warwickshire
Sir Thomas Lucy. Died 8th of December 1640. Probably erected c.1642.

Will of Thomas Lucy: TNA PROB 11/185/287.

74: St Mary, Ross-on-Wye, Herefordshire
Colonel William Rudhale. Died 20th of September 1651.


75: St Mary, Stoneleigh, Warwickshire

76: St Andrew, Quatt, Shropshire
Mary Wolryche. Died 13th of June 1678.

Will of George Elphick: TNA PROB 11/326/91.

Notes:
George Elphick’s monument is apparently at Gray’s Inn: In the Longe Walk Near Mr Martin’s Monument on the Middle Temple Side.

77: St Peter and St Paul, Weobley, Herefordshire

Lancashire Archives: Dispute as to a monument to Colonel Birch. DDKE/acc. 7840 HMC/828

Notes:
I have transcribed 7840 HMC/828 and it makes interesting reading in all its gory details. In part:

... A short time after which the monument with the inscription on lay ready upon the floor in the chancell before it was to be put up, the minister & churchwardens of Weblly came to the Bpp complaining of an encroachment made upon the chancell by means of ye monument ... Upon this complaint the Bpp sent an order to Mr Birch forbidding him to set it up with that inscription, Mr Birch took no notice at all of ye order but went on & set up the monument ...after his Lopp wth 2 or 3 friends, as many servants, & a mason went to Weblly, & after morning prayers in the church caused the chancell door to be opened, & viewed the monument & found it to be every way such as set forth in ye presentment. After prayers came into ye churchyard and a great many of ye parish expecting what would be done amongst whom was Richard Birch brother of Esq John Birch, that set up ye monument & all or most of Mr Birch’s servants wth clubs in their hands.... After the people were gone out of ye churchyard his Lordpp ordered Mr Page his chaplain & ye mason to go to ye church & deface the inscription; Some persons hearing the mason at work gave notice of it in the town, so yt immediately a great company was gathered together. Mr Birch’s servants ran with their clubs, they climb’d up to the chancell windows and threatened the mason & Mr Page saying if they could come into the church they would hang the mason’s guts upon ye iron spikes … Doctor Turner came to him & asked him what hee meant & asked him to forbear & laying his hands upon his shoulders to hinder him from breaking open the door Parker designingly as all thought that saw him threw himself about with all his force & wth his club struck Dr Turner in the face that the blood came. … In his Lopps ??? home to Hereford Mr Birch’s servants laying wait in the streets of Weblly (intending?) to set upon the monument, & accordingly as hee rode by my Lord’s Gent some distance before the coach they threw stones at him, & then made at him wth their clubs and in the scuffle struck my Lords gent. that endeavoured to defend him.

78: St Cuthbert, Holme Lacy, Herefordshire
Jane Scudamore. Died 21st of February 1699/1700.


Will of Jane Scudamore: TNA PROB 11/458/68.

79: St Mary, Hanbury, Worcestershire

Thomas Vernon. Died 5th of February 1721/2.


Will of Sir Thomas Vernon: TNA PROB 11/579/64.

Notes:

From the Will:

*I desire to be Inter’d in the chancell att Hanbury with my ancestors and that my ffuneral may be without unnecessary charge and free from vanity in other matters I leave it to the decision of my Executors herein after named and give them power to lay out any sune not exceeding ffive hundred pounds in a Tomb or Monument for mee and one in memory of my father and mother if not done by mee in my lifetime.*

80: St Michael, Great Witley, Worcestershire


History of Parliament: FOLEY, Thomas III (1673-1733), of Witley Court, Great Witley, Worcs.


https://www.thepeerage.com/p3528.htm#i35278

81: St Mary, Acton Round, Shropshire

The Acton Family. Erected 1763.


Marriage register, Holy Trinity, Clapham, Surrey.


Notes:

The monument claims that the bodies of all three are buried in the chancel of the church, but according to *The Baronetage* he was buried at Moville, where his father was buried. Looking at the registers may solve this. The monument also claims
that the “chancel” was built in 1761 – I presume this actually means the chapel, as the chancel of the church was rebuilt by Sir Whitmore in 1714.

82: All Saints, Honington, Warwickshire
Joseph Townshend. Died 8th of July 1763.


83: St John the Baptist, Berkswell, Warwickshire
Elizabeth Emma Eardley-Wilmot. Died 22nd of March 1818.


84: St Mary & St Andrew, Condover, Shropshire
Sir Thomas Cholmondeley / Owen. Died 20th of April or 12th of May 1864. Erected 1867.


Notes:
The date of death is given as 20th of April in the probate and 12th of May on the monument.

85: St Mary the Virgin, Ingestre, Staffordshire


86: St Mary, Lapworth, Warwickshire
Florence Matilda Bradshaw. Died 1925.

Anonymous Ancestry.com family history entry giving a biography of John Gerald Bradshaw (1860-1931) and the Packwood Haugh school.
BMD records.
Census records for 1881, 1901, 1911.
History of Packwood School: packwood-haugh.co.uk/information/our-history/
87: St Mary & St Andrew, Stoke Rochford, Lincolnshire
Sir John and Elizabeth de Nevill. Erected first quarter of the 14th century.


88: All Saints, Holbeach, Lincolnshire
Sir Humphrey de Littlebury. Died in the Autumn of 1339. Dating from c.1340-60.


89: St Helen, West Leake, Nottinghamshire
Effigy of a Civilian. Dating from the early 14th century.


90: Crowland Abbey, Crowland, Lincolnshire
William de Wermington. Created 1330s.


Notes:

+ICI GIST MESTRE WILLM DE WERMINGTON LE MASON A LALME DE KY DEV LY PAR SA GRACE DOUNE ABSOLUTION

Here lies William de Wermington the Mason, may God grant his soul absolution.

91: St Leodegar, Wyberton, Lincolnshire
Adam and Sybill de Franton. Died 28th December 1325 and after 1325.


Notes:

Sally Badham also suggests:


92: All Saints, Bakewell, Derbyshire

Godfrey and Avena (Anne) Foljambe. Died 29th of May 1376 and 13th of September 1382.


Also written up at: [http://johnmnwason.blogspot.com/2015/04/](http://johnmnwason.blogspot.com/2015/04/)


93: All Saints, Strelley, Nottinghamshire

Sir Sampson and Lady Elizabeth de Strelley. Died 1390 and 1405.


94: St Mary, Clifton, Nottinghamshire

Dame Alice Clifton. Died c.1481.


95: St John the Baptist, East Markham, Nottinghamshire

Dame Millicent Meryng. Died 17th of September 1419


Marshall, G. W. (ed.), *The Visitations of the County of Nottingham in the Years 1569 and 1614* (London, 1871)


The History of Parliament: Burdon, Nicholas (d.1403), of Maplebeck, Notts.

The History of Parliament: Meryng, Sir William (d.1449), of Meering, Notts.

96: St Mary, Bottesford, Leicestershire

Henry de Codyngton. Died 8th of September 1404.


Southwell & Nottingham Church History Project (on-line): https://southwellchurches.nottingham.ac.uk/coddington/hhistory.php
Trollope, E., 'Wollaton Hall, St. Mary's Church, Nottingham, and other Churches' in Associated Architectural Societies Reports and Papers, Volume VII, Part II, MDCCCLXIV. p. 211.

Notes:

(Henricus) de Cognyngtoun, quondam rector istius ecclesie, et prebendarius altius pre . . benedat de Ortounet Crophill in ecclesia collegiata beate Marie de Suthwell, .... qui obiit octavo die Septembris, anno (M) cccc quarto, cujus anime propicietur Deus. amen.

97: St Matthew, Morley, Derbyshire
Sir Thomas, Lady Thomasine, and Lady Elizabeth Statham. Died 27th of July 1470, before 1470, after 1470.


Notes

Orate pro animabus Thome Statham militis nuper domini hujus ville qui obiit xxvii die Julii anno domino Mxxxxlxx et domine Elizabeth uxoris et filie Roberti Langley Armigeri ac Thomasine alterius uxoris et filie Johannis Curzon quorum animabus propicietur deus Amen.

Pray for the souls of Thomas Statham knight late lord of this town who died 27 July, 1470 and Lady Elizabeth, his wife and daughter of Robert Langley Esquire and Thomasine his other wife and daughter of John Curzon, may God bless their souls Amen.

98: St Edward, Fenny Bentley, Derbyshire
Thomas and Agnes Beresford. Died 1473 and 1467.

Caya, A., 'Encountering the Shrouded Effigies of Thomas Beresford and Agnes Hassall at Fenny Bentley’ in Contemporaneity, Volume 8, Number 1 (2019). On-line.
Frosch, P. 'Mind thee to die: The Beresford monument at Fenny Bentley' in Church Monuments 15 (Church Monuments Society, 2000), pp. 31-43.

Notes:

A monument on the chancel wall to John Beresford (d.1607), his father Lawrence (d.1577), and grandfather Hugh (d.1516) has an inscription in the same hand as the inscription on the east panel of the tomb to Thomas and Agnes. The side panels with the shrouded children appear to be mid to late-16th century. It appears that the tomb as seen now is a composite made from parts of different dates. Of some interest is the will to Ade (Aden) Beresford (d.1598. TNA PROB 11/94/211) who states that he wishes a monument to be made to himself, his father and grandfather, like the monuments to his kinsmen in the chancel of the church. Aden was the son of George, son of Aden, who in turn was a son of Thomas and Agnes and brother of the Hugh mentioned above.

Details about the family may be found in John Lodge's Peerage of Ireland. Volume II (1754). pp.210-214.

99: St Mary and St Barlok, Norbury, Derbyshire
Sir Ralph and Elizabeth Fitzherbert, Died 1483 and 1490.


Notes:

Sally Badham also suggests:


### 100: St Mary Magdalen, Stapleford, Leicestershire

Geoffrey and Joyce Sherard. Died May 1490 and 16th of September 1492.


### 101: All Saints, Youlgreave, Derbyshire

Joan Gylbert. Died 2nd of November 1492.


### 102: St Giles, Holme, Nottinghamshire


Barton, A. B., ”’The sheep hath paid for all’: Church Building and Self-Expression in the Late Middle Ages’ in *Of Churches, Toothache and Sheep: Selected Papers from the Norwich Historic Churches Trust Conferences 2014 and 2015* (Norwich, 2016). pp. 61-72.
Lee, J., ’This the sheep have paid for all: Merchant Commemoration in Late Medieval Newark’ in *Transactions of the Monumental Brass Society*, Volume 19 (2017).pp. 302-327.

### 103: St Mary, Ashby Folville, Leicestershire

Ralph Wodford, Died 4th May 1498. Dating from c. 1485.


Notes:

Sally Badham also suggests:

C B Newham’s extra observations:
Nichols, the county historian, writes that the face is missing and the engraving in his book shows it as missing. Greenhill suggests this is because the face was, by mistake, not cut and only the laying out marks were left, leading to the mistaken impression the figure was complete. Over time this was rubbed out, leaving a blank space. The face which exists now was subsequently cut in the 19th century. I find the first part of this narrative not particularly credible given that the slab was made 10 to 15 years before Wodford died, and that the finishing of the slab after the pitch was poured into the lines would reveal the mistake. I instead suggest that the face was painted on to the slab. The back-plate was certainly painted (and some of it remains on a shield). The framed blank area at the foot of the plate also looks like it may once have been the setting for a painting – maybe the image of the Virgin as he states in his will. The paint on all of these had disappeared by Nichols’ visit.

104: St Winifred, Kingston-on-Soar, Nottinghamshire
The Babington family. Erected 1535-8.


Will of Lady Katherine Babyngton: TNA PROB 11/27/203.

Notes:
From the will:
… I will that my body be buried in the new Chapell of the Churche of Kyngston in the Countie of Nottingham as may be after my decease and that my executor dispenses(?) unto poure people for me at my funerall as he shall think convenient. Also I will that my executor do furnyshe the Chapell which I have begonne to make bothe in ??? of all other thinges. And that he cause to be made our Tombe of Alabaster stone over my said husband and me in the Arche between the Chancell and the said Chapell. And that my said executor do fine one priest to singe for my soule and my said husband in the said Church of Kyngston by the space of one yere next...

105: St Mary, Bottesford, Leicestershire
Thomas Manners, 1st Earl of Rutland and Countess Eleanor Manners. Died 20th of September 1543 and 1551. Erected 1544.


106: St James, Spilsby, Lincolnshire
Richard Bertie and Baroness Willoughby de Eresby. Died 9th of April 1582 and 19th of September 1580.


Notes:

Originally there were two naked boys placed above the cornice. These are noted in Trollope as having been moved into the vault.

107: St Mary, Bottesford, Leicestershire

Henry Manners, 2nd Earl of Rutland and Margaret, Countess of Rutland. Died 17th of September 1563 and 13th of October 1559.


108: St Peter, Barrowden, Rutland

Rowland Durrant. Died 18th of April 1588.

History of Parliament: DURRANT, Roland (by 1516-88), of Barrowden, Rutland.


Notes:

The monument gives a DoD as 70, making his birth 1518. However, the IPM (which I have not seen, but is referenced in the HoP biography) indicates Rowland was over 21 at his father’s death, making Rowalnd’s age at death 72+. I expect the commissioner of the monument (presumably George, his son) didn’t know his father’s exact age and chose a round number of 70.

The latin inscription along the base translates as:

"Whilst he lived he lived uprightly, now he is dead; both dead therefore and living he is and was to God" (from the parish website on-line: stpeters.wellandfosse.org/?page_id=2274).

109: St Andrew, Langar, Nottinghamshire


History of Parliament: SCROPE, Thomas (c.1567-1609), of Carlisle, Cumb.


110: St Mary, Old Bolsover, Derbyshire

Sir Charles Cavendish. Died 4th of April 1617.

Bayliss, J. Public Twitter and email discussions, August 2020.


History of Parliament: CAVERNISH, Sir Charles (1553-1617), of Welbeck Abbey, Notts.

Notes:

Twitter posts by Jon Bayliss on 2020/08/02:
Designed by John Smythson but executed by Hugh Hall. I intend writing up Hugh Hall when I have finished the article I am currently working on.
1/2 From the mid-1970s onwards, I have been sorting alabaster monuments dating from the period between the reformation and the Civil War in the Midlands into groups that largely appear to come from a limited number of workshops. I assessed them on stylistic grounds.
2/2 I have published my findings over the years but still have those dating from 1600 onward to do. One of the groups I isolated clearly relates to some later work by Richard Hall of Nottingham. 2 are documented by his father Hugh of Ashby-de-la-Zouch. The Bolsover mon’t belongs

111: St Lawrence, Snarford, Lincolnshire


112: St Peter, Edensor, Derbyshire

History of Parliament: CAVENDISH, Henry (1550-1616), of Tutbury, Staffs.

113: St Mary, Bottesford, Leicestershire


Notes:
On page 376 of Eller:
"On the floor at the base of this monument, is another inscription :-‘Francis Earl of Rutland was buried Feb. 20, 1632.’ This, with the omission of the date of his death in the principal inscription, confirms what was said in page 66, that the monument was erected in his lifetime.

114: St Michael and All Angels, Edmondthorpe, Leicestershire
The Smith Family. Died between 1599 and 1655. Erected 1658.

Carrington, D., 'The monument to Sir Roger Smith (d.1665) and his two wives, son and grandson.' Email document 2021/02/19 intended for the CMS website Monument of the Month.

115: St Peter and St Paul, Exton, Rutland
Anne, Lady Bruce of Kinlosse. Died 1628.


Notes:
Anne also appears on the tomb of her father at Pilton, Devon. (Parish Church Photographic Survey Picture Archive)
Pevsner’s remark comes from the first edition, 1960.

116: St Edmund, Holme Pierrepont, Nottinghamshire
John Oldham, Died 19th of April 1683.


Notes:
'M. S.
OLDHAM poetæ quo nemo
sacro furore plenior, nemo rebus
svalimior avt verbis felicivs
avdx! Cvjvs famam omni ævo
propria fatis confecrabvnt carmina
qvem inter primos Honoratifsimi
GVILIELMI comitis de KINGSTON
amplexvs Variolis correpvtn hev!
nimis immatvra mors rapvit et
in celefem tranfvlit chorvm
Natvs SHIPTON, in agro GLOU
CESTRENSI. in avla Sancti
EDMUNDI OXONIÆ gradvatvs
Obiit 19 April anni Dom
1683 ÆSTATIS 30.'
Essentially, the translation of the above is that the memorial is dedicated to the daring poet Oldham from Shipton, Gloucestershire, a graduate of St Edmunds Hall, Oxford, who was highly esteemed by William, Earl of Kingston, but who died of smallpox on 19 April, 1683, at the age of 30.

117: St Peter and St Paul, Exton, Rutland
Baptist Noel, 3rd Viscount Campden. Died 29th of October 1682. Erected 1686.

118: St Peter and St Paul, Brooksby, Leicestershire
Sir William and Dame Ann Villiers, Died 27th of February 1711/12 and 31st of July 1711.
Easter, C., Email correspondence.

Notes:
Clive Easter: The files of the Conway Library, Courtauld Institute of Art have this monument listed as possibly the work of William Palmer. I think it could be right.

119: St Mary, Bunny, Nottinghamshire
Sir Thomas Parkyns. Died March 1741.
Will of Thomas Parkyns: TNA PROB 11/710/122.

Notes:
Buried 25th of March 1741.

120: St Wilfrid, Kelham, Nottinghamshire
Robert Sutton, 2nd Baron Lexington and Margaret his wife. Died September 19th 1723 and April 17th 1703. Erected 1726.

121: St Andrew, Welham, Leicestershire
The Edwards Family. Died between 19th February 1728/9 and 25th of February 1838.
122: St Mary Magdalen, Stapleford, Leicestershire
Bennet Sherard, 1st Earl of Harborough. Died 16th of October 1732.

History of Parliament: SHERARD, Bennet, 3rd Baron Sherard of Leitrim [I] (1677-1732), of Stapleford Hall, Leics.

Notes:
2002 Church Monuments article:
Ten years later , in 1738 according to the inscription , another equally grand memorial was erected at Edenham (Plate 2) . Like the 1st Duke ’ s tomb it shares a classicist taste , but one that is now perhaps rather more emphasised , for the seven busts that are included are - leastways for the male ones – more severely Roman in treatment . These seven are members of the Bertie family , and many are brother or sister to the Duke ( and to Charles , who is separately commemorated at Theddlethorpe , and whose monument will be discussed later ) . The father of these children Robert , Earl of Lindsey , is shown with his second wife , Elizabeth ; Arabella , Lady Rivers , a daughter by his first marriage ; and his sons by Elizabeth , Peregrine , Philip , Norreys and Albemarle . Thus the tomb commemorates the Earl , his second wife and his children not commemorated elsewhere. Of these only Albemarle was ...

123: St Michael, Edenham, Lincolnshire


Notes:
Clive Easter: I wonder if this monument is by Sir Henry Cheere – it looks as though it could be.

124: St Mary, Teversal, Nottinghamshire
Sir Francis and Lady Diana Molyneux. Died 8th of January 1718/19 and 2nd of March 1741/2.

Easter, C., Email correspondence.
History of Parliament: MOLYNEUX, Sir Francis, 4th Bt. (c.1656-1742), of Kneeton and Teversall, Notts.

Notes:

125: St Peter & St Paul, Belton (near Grantham), Lincolnshire

126: St Andrew, Burton-upon-Stather, Lincolnshire
Charles and Margaretta Sheffield. Died 1774 and 1762. Erected 1776.
pp. 433-439.

127: St Peter and St Paul, Exton, Rutland
The Noel family. Erected 1790.
p.901.

128: Holy Rood, Ossington, Nottinghamshire
William and Robert Denison. Died 11th of April 1782 and 13th of March 1785.

129: St Oswald, Ashbourne, Derbyshire
Penelope Boothby. Died 13th of March 1791. Erected 1793.

130: St Mary, Hainton, Lincolnshire
Frances Anne Heanage. Died 12th of March 1807. Erected 1808.
pp. 44-54.

131: St Luke, Gaddesby, Leicestershire
Colonel Edward Hawkins Cheney. Died 3rd of March 1848.
**132: All Saints, Kedlestone, Derbyshire**


**Notes:**

From Stocker:

*The said recumbent figure of Lord Curzon is to be so executed as to be detachable from the main work in order that it may be placed in position after the death of Lord Curzon. 2. The said tomb shall consist of a sarcophagus with the said two recumbent figures placed thereupon and at the head thereof two figures bending over supporting Heavenly Crown also two large panels on the sides and enriched with figures at the four corners and the end of the sarcophagus shall comprise the Arms of Lord Curzon. All the said figures and work shall be designed to the reasonable satisfaction of Lord Curzon. 3. The said tomb shall be executed and completed to the reasonable satisfaction of Lord Curzon according to a sketch model to be approved by Lord Curzon in Serravezza and Verde Ancio [sic] or some other marble to be selected by Lord Curzon. The outcome, at once emotionally affecting and technically remarkable, is a tribute to Mackennal’s unsung, unnamed, probably Italian carvers, and the versatility of the pointing machine that they employed. 28 Was Curzon’s figure removed after its trial placement, stored in safekeeping – presumably at Kedleston Hall – and then reattached after his death? ... Curzon states that the grille was executed after his designs by the misnamed P.*

**133: St Michael, Edenham, Lincolnshire**


**134: All Saints, Acton, Suffolk**
Sir Robert de Bures. Died September 1331.


**135: St Andrew, Fersfield, Norfolk**

136: All Saints, Conington, Huntingdonshire
Franciscan Tertiary. Dating from c.1330.

137: St Mary, Reepham, Norfolk
Sir William de Kerdeston, 2nd Baron Kerdeston. Died 14th of August 1361.
Badham, S., 'The medieval monuments in the former Trinitarian priory church at Ingham, Norfolk Part 2: the high tombs' in Church Monuments, XXII 2007, pp. 7-42 and 161-74.

138: Holy Trinity, Chrishall, Essex
Sir John and Lady Joan de la Pole. Died March 1379/80 and before 1379.

Notes:
He is probably depicted on the dexter side because he wished to be buried between his wife and his mother; the brass would have been placed in the south aisle beside the tomb of his mother and thus his effigy would be placed between them.

139: Holy Trinity, Balsham, Cambridgeshire
John Sleford. Died 18th of March 1400/1.

Notes:

Jon. Sleford di mu’do q’ relict
Bursa no* strict* iacet hie s”b marmor pict’ | ffautor
instor constas vltoor vicior. I S Que Rex Edward* : dilexerat
ad mala tard*. I S Garderoba exiet : ilii dn bene vixit. Eecl*am
struxit : hac nuqm postea luxit I S Hec fecit stalla* : large
fu’desq’ catalla | I S Canonic* p*mo : Wellijis Rijppon fuit imo.
Edwardi festo : decessit fine nxodestro. IS
milleno : quadrigeno quvo* pleno.
Huic addes p*mu : deductu' corp* ad imu' I S clemes xpes celos.
precor inrtr vt iste Nil habeat tristes qr *prulit oibz is . . |
[Brass, marginal, (mutilated) with evangelistic symbols (2 lost),
round fine effigy of priest in cope, with saints ; under a triple canopy
with soul, &c. (mutil.), shields & 2 roundels with monogram, IS.
Chancel Floor] .
Jon Sleford dictus rector mundoque relic tus,
Bursa non strictus, jacet hie sub marmore pictus,
Fautor justorum constans ultor viciorum,
Quern Eex Edwardus dilexerat, ad mala tardus,
Garderobam rexit illius, dum bene vixit,
Ecclesiam struxit hanc, nunquam postea luxit,
Hsec fecit stalla, large fundensque catalla,
Canonius primo Wellys, Ryppon fuit imo, 1
Edward festo decessit fine modesto,
Eegis et Anglorum qui detulit acta reorum, 2
Anno Milleno quadringeno quoque pleno,
Huic addens primum, deductum corpus ad imum.
clemens Christe, ccelos precor intret ut iste,
Nil habeat triste, quia protulit omnibus iste.

Portrayed here, John Sleford lies beneath this stone. He was Rector by
appointment, and after the World had abandoned him he opened his purse
generously. He protected good men and firmly punished vices. He had been
loved by King Edward, who lingered into evil times; while he still prospered
he was Keeper of the King’s Wardrobe (or: while the King still flourished he
was keeper of the Wardrobe). He built this church and never regretted his
gifts afterwards. He had these stalls made, and poured out money for them
freely. He was first a Canon of Wells, and then of Ripon. He ended his life
peacefully, dying on the feast of Edward (King and Martyr) ending his life
peacefully at the very end of the year of our Lord 1400. When his body was
carried down to the grave it was already the first (year of the new century). O
merciful Christ, I pray he may enter heaven. May he feel no sorrow, because
Christ bore sorrow for the sake of all men.
(Above the soul of Sleford)
o Holy Trinity, “I beseech you to receive me at the end.

140: St Andrew, Blickling, Norfolk
Sir Nicholas Dagworth. Died 2nd of January 1401/02.
History of Parliament, Dagworth, Sir Nicholas (d.1402), of Blickling, Norf.

141: St Margaret, Felbrigg, Norfolk
Sir Simon and Lady Margaret Felbrigg. Died 1442 and 27th of June 1416.
History of Parliament: GREEN, Ralph (c.1379-1417), of Drayton, Northants.

Notes:
Brass conserved in 1991.

Hic jacet Simon Felbrigge miles quandà vexillari illustriissimi, D ‘ni. D ‘ni . Regis Richardi
Se’di qui obiit - die mensis — Anno D ‘ni, m ,cccc - et D ‘ni Margareta quandà consors sua natione et generousa sanguine
Boama, ac olim domicella nobilissime D ‘ne D ‘ne Anne, qu ‘da Anglie regine que obiit , XXVII, die mensis junii . Ao. D ‘ni
M , ccccxvi,
quar à i ab p 'pitictur D ‘eus , Amen

Here lie Simon Felbrigg, knight, former Standard bearer to the most illustrious lord, our lord the King Richard the Second.
He died on the ...day of the month of ... in the year of our Lord 14.. and the lady Margaret formerly his wife, of the nation
and noble blood of Bohemia and formerly maid of honour to the most noble lady Anne, Queen of England; she died on the
27th day of June in the year of our Lord 1416; upon whose souls may God have mercy

142: All Saints, Burnham Thorpe, Norfolk
Sir William Calthorpe. Died 24th of December 1420.

Cotman, J. S., Engravings of Sepulchral Brasses in Norfolk and Suffolk, Volume I (London, 1839). p. 16, pl. XVIII.

Notes:
Calthorp Militis, et Sibille Uxoris ejus filie - - - - - - - - sub hoc marmore in Ecclia. predicta requiescent obiit xx. quarto die
Decembris Anno Dni. m.cccc.xx. quor. animabus propitietur Deus, Amen.

143: St Mary, East Horndon, Essex
Lady Alice Tyrell. Died in 1422. Dating from c.1440.


Notes:
Hic jacet humata Alicia filia Willam Cogesale Militis et Antiochie consortia sue quondam uxor Johes Tyrell qui quidem
Jokes et Alicia habuerunt inter se exitum Filios et Alias quorum noraina hie scripta sunt ex utraque pte istius lapide que obiit

Translation:
Here lieth buried Alice, daughter of William Coggeshall, Knight, and Antioche his wife, formerly the wife of John Tyrell,
which said John and Alice had between them issue, sons and daughters, whose names are written on both sides of this stone,
who died in the year of our Lord 1422, on whose soul may God have mercy. Amen.

144: St Mary, Dennington, Suffolk
William Phelip, 6th Baron Bardolph and Joan, Lady Bardolph. Died 6th of June 1441 and 12th of March 1446/7.


Notes:
The B&W pre-1935 picture on page 334 of Gardiner’s book seems to show the effigies in an unpainted state – see especially the Garter on Lord Bardolph and the left shoulder of Lady Bardolph. The sword is mostly a replacement, probably made at the same time as the effigies were painted. Charles Stothard does not indicate any colouring on his drawings made in the early C19.

145: Holy Trinity, Balsham, Cambridgeshire
John Blodwell. Died 16th of April 1462.

Badham, S., Email correspondence.

Notes:

Sally Badham: “It was composed by Blodwell himself, who is here shown to be familiar with biblical and classical texts and a poet of considerable ability.”

The eminent doctor John Blodwell, who stays for a while beneath this stone, was blind for a long time. A little old man, living here, he was an ornament of the Church, a good host; to whom may God be refreshment, rest and light (lit. day) He died on the sixteenth day of the month April, in the year of our Lord 1462; to whom may God, pitying (him) give eternal rest. Blodwell. Wales gave me birth, Bologna taught me the laws; (i.e. both Roman and Canon Law); 1. Rome gave me the practice of law, and five nations (lit: the five each nation) gave me speech. 2. Vox Secunda. This your outward show has become a trouble. 3. Blodwell. Praise, fame, good health, strength, rank, long life, beauty, may be offered to God (or: may come from God) 4. Vox Secunda. You may think them vain, transitory things. Blodwell. What is the flower of life (lit: the flowering age) ? 5. Vox Secunda. All flesh is short lived grass. Not knowing the limits, you are running to the end (or lowest point) of old men. 6. Blodwell. Fate may rain down the things strived for? 7. Vox Secunda. The pious man finds nothing happy in this life on any side, except to love God; 8. whom (may you) beseech in prayer to have mercy on the dead man, and (beseech) that before (lit: not when) you are like him 9 you may become (such a man) that you may know that mindful living men are restrained by this law: he is ashes today who was fire yesterday. 11.

146: St Andrew, Isleham, Cambridgeshire

Notes:

Many websites quote a date of death for Margaret Bernard as “(December) 1442” but I am unable to ascertain where this date originates from.

147: St Mary, Hunstanton, Norfolk
Sir Roger le Strange. Died 7th of October 1506.

Greenwood, R., 'Wills and Brasses: Some Conclusions from a Norfolk Study' in Monumental Brasses as Art and History (Stroud, 1996). p. 92.
Harvey, W., The Visitation of Norfolk in the Year 1563, Volume I (Norwich, 1878). pp. 63-64.

148: St Andrew, Blickling, Norfolk
Anne Astley. Died 18th of August 1512.


Notes:


149: St Mary the Virgin, Layer Marney, Essex
Henry Marney, 1st Lord Marney. Died 24th of May 1523.


150: St John the Evangelist, Oxborough, Norfolk
Possibly for Sir Edmund and Dame Margaret Bedingfeld. Died late 1496 and January 1513/4.

151: St Michael, Framlingham, Suffolk


152: All Saints, Kirtling, Cambridgeshire
Roger North, 2nd Baron North. Died 3rd of December 1600.


153: St Andrew, Great Staughton, Huntingdonshire

Bayliss, J. Personal communication, May 22nd 2020.

Notes:
Georgius Wauton Eques auratus
Egressus ex hac vita quarto nonas Junii
Anno parte salutis millesimo sexcentessimo
Sexto statis sue septuagesimo secundo
Sub spe melioris resurrectionis
Hoc est conditus monumento quod
Oliverus Cromwell miles de la Bathe
Amicus optimus optimo amico in mutui
Amoris, verteque gratitudinis
Testimonium persolutis ante Justis
Funeribus posuit et locavit

Translation:
George Wauton Knight
Departed this life on the second of June
In the year of our redemption 1606
and of his own age 72
In the hope of a Resurrection to a better life
He was buried beneath this monument.
This, Oliver Cromwell, Knight of the Bath,
A very dear friend to a very dear friend
In token of their mutual affection and his sincere gratitude
After the funeral ceremonies had been duly performed,
Erected and placed here in the aforesaid year.
[Note. — "Eques Auratus" in the above inscription might be translated "Gilded Spur Knight" which is only the fuller form for "Knight." The Spurs of Knights were gilded, those of Squires silver.]

154: St Mary and St Lawrence, Great Waltham, Essex
Sir Anthony and Anne Everard. Died 8th November 1614 and 19th December 1609. Erected 1611.

History of Parliament: EVERARD, Anthony (d.1614), of Great Waltham, Essex.
Watercolour painting dated 1866 in the church vestry.

Notes:
I don't know who conserved and re-gilded the monument.

155: Holy Cross, Felsted, Essex


156: St John, Elmswell, Suffolk

Nichols, J., *Collections Towards the History and Antiquities of Elmeswell and Campsey Ash, in the County of Suffolk* (London, 1790). pp. 16-17.
Will of Robert Gardiner: TNA PROB 11/135/27.

Notes:
From the will:
"...to be buried in the parish church of Elmswell in the little aisle there, And in memory of my death and buriall I will be bestowed in the said church, or Chancell, or Isle, so much as shall make some devout and convenient monument there as well in memory of my life, as of my late sonne nowe deceased named William Gardener nowe buried in the Chauncell of Ixworth..."

From "Collections Towards the History and Antiquities of Elmeswell and Campsey Ash, in the County of Suffolk" by John Nichols, part of an article on the erection of the tomb from a manuscript that Tom Martin had:
... and gracefully as it is in the Plotte ... and beautifull from ... as direction shall be given, with twoe pedistalls, inlayed with tutch on each side of the arche, as the maner is in the Plott, and on the top, for strength; and to adorne the worke is to be two pillasters terme wise, of the reddest and richest raunce, and is to be fairly well pullished and galssed, with twoe masks heads on the freeze thereof, as it is in the Plott. And the spandrells of allabaster. And in it is to be twoe swellinge rounds of tuche, gracefull, and the corners thereof tryangle wise, of tutche, as it is in the Tutche Plotte, to be well pullished and glassed,
with a cherubim in the medle thereof. And a cornishe moulde of allabaster on the same. And on the topp of all, on the cornishe, is to be the cheife coate of armes, with mantle, helme, shield, and creast, with deathes heade on the topp of all, with a crowne, signifyinge his happye immortalitie. The same coate of armes to be from outter compas twoe foote and twoe inches, besides the wings and garnishinge, with two scutchins or shields, to be imb ... orth of allabster on each side, as it is in the Plotte, with the impalled matche imb ... ein. This worke is to be eight foote wide, besides the sails of the moulds, and eigtheene foure highe ... and every parte to be well wrought, and of good, and of the best and cheifest ... fornamed. And shall as well and fairly guild all the nayles, buckles, of his whole suite of armor, and all that needefull be of the saide Right Worshipfull Sir Robert Gardyner, to be put into proper colors, and guild. And soe likewise the garments of his sonne put into proper colors, according as they shall give advice and direction. And his face and hands to be colored fleshlye like him, and the tassells and morris worke of his cushion guilte also. All the hayre of the cherubins and hayre of the a ... scutchins of arms. And ...

From elmswell-history.org:
More explanation of Sir Robert Gardener’s tomb in St John’s Church, Elmswell
Provided by Chloë Cockerill who is the former Regional Development Manager for The Churches Conservation Trust, with special interest in heraldry and fabulous beasts.
I have checked up on the arms of Sir Robert Gardener which are:-
Gules (red) a chevron between three tigers’ heads erased or (gold)
Crest – a rhinoceros passant argent (silver)
(Burke’s Armory 1884)
There are many different branches of the Gardener family with different arms and different crests, and so he could well have chosen a rhino to be different from all of them because arms relate to one individual, not a family.
It is always difficult knowing why someone chooses a particular animal or other charge for their arms unless there is a pun on their name (e.g. Shakespeare has a spear) or some obvious connection with their history or profession. I have checked Gardener’s life and can’t see any obvious connection with rhinos and their country of origin: perhaps he just liked the animal and its history and the mystery surrounding the properties of its horn. There is also the point that there were numbers of people applying for grants of arms in the late Tudor period, and as so many knights and others already had chosen lions, these new applicants often turned to the Bestiaries to find more exotic animals, e.g. the griffin.
One other explanation could lie in the symbolism of heraldry which is not agreed by all the experts, some say “load of rubbish”! However in “Symbolisms of Heraldry” 1898 by W. Cecil Wade, his entry states “The rhino is of immense size and strength and of great ferocity when roused. It never seeks combat, but in defence of itself or its fellows, will fight at all odds. It may be regarded as denoting this character in heraldry, but it is a very rare bearing. It is borne as a crest by the Colvilles, and by the Wades of Essex, and also as a supporter in the arms of Lord Mountcashell”
Hope this helps, let me know if another explanation comes to light.
Best wishes. Chloë Cockerill, 21st April 2015

157: St Mary, Culford, Suffolk
Nathaniel Bacon. Died in June 1627.
Hearn, K. Nathaniel Bacon: Artist Gentleman and Gardener. (Tate, 2005).

158: All Saints, Writtle, Essex
**159: Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Harlton, Cambridgeshire**

The Fryer Family. Died between 1614 and 1631.


Will of Thomas Fryer. TNA PROB 11/141/449.


Notes:

Inscription:

[Dexter]:

\[SALUS.HAECA.MARMORA.INTVENTIB\]:

[M.S.:

ASCVLAPIO ALTERI THOMÆ FRYER :M:D:
HENRICI FRYER ARMIGERI
OPTIME MERENTIS PATRI
NECNON
ISTI\' CONIVGI HUI\' MATRI MARIAE PIENITISSIME
QUORUM ILLE 9 MAI 1623 AETATIS 86
ILLE AUTEM 11 MAI 1614 AETATIS 57
REDDIDERUNT
QUÆ.COELI.COEO.SOLO.QUÆ.SOLI

[Sinister):

THIS MONUMENT OF MEMORY IS RAYSED BY Ye EXECUTORS
OF HENRY FRYER ESQUIRE, SECOND SONNE OF THE
SAYD THOMAS FRYER DOCTOR IN PHYSIQUE
WHO DYED Ye 5 OF JUNE 1631 &
IS HERE INTERRED LEAVING
HIS DEARE WIFE BRIDGET TO LAMENT HIS LOSSE &
HIS LARGE ALMES TO Ye POORE TO COMMEND HIS FAITH.
INCLOISTERED IN THESE PILES OF STONE
THE RELIQUES OF THE FRYER REST
WHOSE BETTER PART TO HEAVEN'S GONE,
THE POORE MAN'S BOWELS WERE HIS CHEST
AND 'MONGST THESE THREE, GRAVE, HEAVEN, POORE
HE SHARED HIS CORPS, HIS SOUL, HIS STORE.

**160: St Andrew, Swavesey, Cambridgeshire**

Anne Kempe Lady Cutt. Died 16th of March 1631/32.

161: St Michael, Oxnead, Norfolk
Dame Katherine Paston. Died 3rd of January 1636/7.

Norfolk Museum Collections: Oxnead Church, mural monument to Lady Katherine Paston 1636 (drawing). 1951.235.27.B73.
Parish registers for Oxnead, Norfolk.

162: St Margaret, Stratton Strawless, Norfolk
Thomas Marsham. Died 8th of December 1638.

FreeReg parish registers search for burials at Stratton Strawless in 1618/19: Lucy and Alice Marsham.

163: Holy Trinity, Boxted, Suffolk
Sir John Poley. Died 3rd of December 1638.

Bindman, D., Email correspondence.
Boxted parish register: John Poley, buried 6th Dec. 1638.
Date of 3rd of December 1638 given on frame of portrait at Boxted Hall (Email from Guy Weller-Poley, 22nd of March 2021).
Will of Sir John Poley: TNA PROB 11/179/78.

Notes:

From Abigail Poley’s will (5th of September 1652):
…And my body I comit to the earth to be buried in decent & Christian buriall, att Boxstead in the County of Suffolk in the chappell there which I lately built and in which is interred the body of Sir John Pooley my late husband.

ITEM I give unto Henry Clifton and Gilbert Wigmore my sonnes in lawe, two hundred pounds for this ende and purpose, That soone after my decease they doe expend the same for the erecting of two monuments of white marble, the one for Sir John Pooley my late husband, the other for my selfe, in the aforesaid chappell of Boxted And that they doe also pave the said chappell and paynt the roofe thereof wth clouds [???]. And that they also with the same money, buy two marble gravestones, and place them in Clare Chancell upon the grave of William Worsley my late father and Ellenor my late mother.
164: St Peter, North Barningham, Norfolk
Sir Austin (Augustine) and Lady Elizabeth Palgrave. Died November 1639 and June 1634. Erected between 1641 and 1649.

North Barningham burial register.

Notes:
Their son John was created a baronet on 24th of June 1641, and the inscription refers to him as a baronet, fixing the earliest date of erection as June 1641. Clement Palgrave Esq., listed on the monument as alive, died 21st August 1649, thus the latest date is August 1649.
I have not found the will (presumably at Norfolk RO), but I have found a partial transcription:
Sir Austin Palgrave made his Will on 24 November 1637 and this was proved by John Palgrave on 18 January 1639/40 - District Probate Court at Norwich - "Sir Austin Palgrave of Norwood Barningham, co. Norfolk, Knight. To be buried in the grave where by good wife was lately buried, in the Upper End of the North Isle of the Church of Northwood Barningham, my tenants and servants accompanying my body, and a small monument to be built in remembrance of us, what children I have had by my said wife, to whom they were married, my age, and time of death. Whereas I Sir Austin Palgrave by deed dated 17 March, 16 James, have enfeoffed Sir Henry Willoughby of Risley, co. Darby, Barrowe Knight, and others in my manors and lands, &c., Hethersett, Woodhall, Metteshall, Mountneys, Wymondham, Hethesett, and of Teballs in Thuxton, &c., to the use of me the said Sir Austin Palgrave for my life, then to such uses as I should declare by my last will, &c. To my sons Nathaniell and Philip £400 each. To my son John Palgrave. To my daughter Frances Palgrave. To my son William Palgrave. To my son John Palgrave executor. To my sister Frances. To Mrs Goodwyn. To Margaret. To my cussen Anne Palgrave to make up the £4 she had £10. To William King. To William Dixe. To Coke."

165: All Saints, East Barsham, Norfolk
Mary Calthorpe. Died 12th of May 1640.

166: St Christopher, Willingale Doe, Essex
Sir Robert, Richard and Mary Wiseman. Died 11th of May 1641, 11th of November 1618, and 10th of October 1635. Erected before 1643.


Notes:
Partial translation from the church guide:
Sir Robert Wiseman, of Torrels in the County of Essex, first born son and heir of Richard Wiseman, esq. a man of a very good family, well accomplished, both body and mind, pious, sincere, just, peacable, steady to himself and friends, a lover of his brethren and of the muses; an excellent patron of learning and learned men, friendly sociable and hospitable to his neighbours, hospitable and kind to strangers,
just to all, having acquired the highest esteem and goodwill for his cheerful
disposition, happy memory, pleasant and innocent conversation - having shewn his
preference for a life of chastity by his celibacy of 65 years, and having lived in a
state of good health, piously and calmly resigned his soul to Jesus Christ his spouse,
rests in this tomb (which, when living, he himself provided), in hope of a
resurrection to glory. His death is lamented by all good men.
He died on the 11th day of May, 1641 aged 65

Extract from will transcribed by CBN:

ITEM I give and bequeath One hundred pounds to be provided for a monument or tomb to be made and sett upp neare
the place aforesaid which I have appointed to be buryed, in remembrance of my good father and mother (of pious memory)
deceased, with my owne effigies made all att length placed lying underneath them, and some inscription wherein mention to
be made of all my father’s children, the most p[ar]ticuler (manner), whereof I comend and leave to the care and discretion of
my Executor, to whom I have some what imparted my minde therein, same to be fynished and sett upp within one yeare and
an halfe after my Decease.
The “place aforesaid” being “...next to the South wall att the East ende of the said chancell...”.

167: St Peter and St Paul, Bassingbourn, Cambridgeshire

FrecReg: Bassingbourn parish registers. (on-line).
Will of Dame Elizabeth Dingley. TNA PROB 11/341/418.

Notes:
The date of erection can be deduced by the fact that Elizabeth Dingley (nee Butler) was married to Sir John Dingley at St
Paul’s Wharf on the 28th of September 1648 and she is referred to as Lady Dingley on the monument.

168: St Mary and St Clement, Clavering, Essex
Margaret and Mary Barley. Died 1653 (16th of December 1653) and 1658 (9th of March 1658/9).

pp. 98-99.

169: Babraham, St Peter, Cambridgeshire
Richard and Sir Thomas Benet. Died 12th of April 1658 and 28th of June 1667

Will of Levinus Munck or Muncke, Clerk of the King’s Majesty’s Signet: TNA PROB 11/141/627.

170: St Mary and St Margaret, Sprowston, Norfolk
Sir Thomas Adams, Baronet and his wife Anne. Died 24th of February 1667/8 and 16th of January 1641/2.

pp. 219-220.
171: All Saints, Hawstead, Suffolk
Sir Thomas Culham. Died 6th of April 1664. Erected 1675


172: St Mary, Longstowe, Cambridgeshire
Sir Ralph Bovey, 1st Baronet. Died 15th of September 1679.

Will of Ralph Bovey: TNA PROB 11/360/599.

Note:
From the will:

ITEM My will is that my Executrix hereafter in this last Will and Testament Doe cause an arched Vault of Brick of a convenient length [and height with?]. Arches in the walls of the length of a Coffin on all the sides with a slate of free-stone over each Arch fitting to receive an Inscription in letters inlayed with black marble, whose Remains lye deposited underneath the said vault to be built in my Chapell in Stow Church where my pew is where I intend to be buried. ITEM My will and desire is that there may be a murall monument with an halfe figure of white marble set in a niche of black marble with an Urne over it and Festoons and a plate of black marble at the bottome to receive an Inscription in letters of Gold. The halfe figure to have the right hand erected laying hold of an Anchor commg out of the Clouds, and an arme and hand holding it. The plate of black marble at the bottome to receive an Inscription which I shall annex to my Will in a Codicill And my will and desire is that Mr Bushnell (if hee be living) whose work I have seen very good in that kinde, may p[e]rforme it.

173: St Mary, Redgrave, Suffolk

174: St Mary, Steeple Bumpstead, Essex
Sir Henry Bendyshe. Died 3rd of September 1717.

Cokayne, G. E., Complete Baronetage, Volume I (Exeter, 1900). p. 64.
Parish records of St James, Piccadilly, London. 2nd of October 1710.

175: All Saints, Rettendon, Essex
Edmund Humfrey. Died 12th of June 1727.

Will of Edmund Humfrey: TNA PROB 11/616/19.

176: St Andrew, West Dereham, Norfolk

Litten, J., Email correspondence.

Notes:
Email from Julian Litten on 2021/06/29:
That is indeed the case. The elderly churchwarden informed me in the late 1990s that the stags were of solid silver (which I would have expected of Thomas Dereham), that they were stolen (I think that he said sometime in the 1950s) and that, as they could not afford to replace them in silver, they went for brass.

177: Holy Trinity, Stow Bardolph, Norfolk
Sarah Hare. Died 9th of April 1744.

Will of Sarah Hare. Norfolk Records Office. Hare 5804 226 x 1.
Will of Sarah Hare. TNA PROB 11/733/168.

178: All Saints, Brightlingsea, Essex
Nicolas and Elizabeth Magens. Died 18th of August 1764 and 30th of August 1779.

Marriage Licence, 15th of February 1736, Swedish Church, Trinity Lane, London (image of it obtained via Ancestry.com).


The Ipswich Journal, Saturday, November 8, 1766, No. 1447. p. 3.

179: St Margaret, Witton, Norfolk
Elizabeth Norris. Died 1st of December 1769.

'Some Account of the late John Norris Esq., of Witton in Norfolk' in *European Magazine and London Review*, 5 (1784), 333–4


Notes:

The child, John, can be identified by searching on FreeReg. Baptised at Tombland, Norwich in 1760 (John and Eliz. as parents) and buried at Witton in 1762.

180: St Andrew, Wimpole, Cambridgeshire
John Yorke. Died 4th of September 1801.


181: St Mary and St Margaret, Sprowston, Norfolk


182: St Mary Magdalene, Thornham Magna, Suffolk
John Henniker Major second Baron Henniker and Emily, Lady Henniker. Died 5th of December 1821 and 19th of December 1819.


Notes:

The bird depicted is not a pelican (as one would perhaps expect). It is a cormorant, which is a representation of the Cross (see, amongst other sources, the Wikipedia entry for “cormorant”).

183: St Withburga, Holkham, Norfolk  
Juliana, Countess of Leicester. Died 21st of April 1870.


184: St Andrew, Blickling, Norfolk  

On-line references only.

185: St Mary, St Neots, Huntingdonshire  

1851, 1861, 1871 Censuses of England.  

186: St Mary, Culford, Suffolk  
Beatrix Jane Craven, Countess Cadogan. Died 9th February 1907.


187: St Mary, Little Easton, Essex  


188: St Mary, Hampstead Norris, Berkshire
Mounted Military Figure. Dating from the late 13th Century.


189: St Peter and St Paul, Dorchester, Oxfordshire
Possibly William de Valence the Younger. Dating from c.1280-1310.


190: St Nicholas, Asthall, Oxfordshire
Lady Joan Cornwall. Erected c.1325.


191: St Mary, Higham Ferrers, Northamptonshire
Laurence St Maur. Died in 1337.


Notes:
This brass is one of only two surviving in Britain to show a plate-makers mark, stamped into the bottom right of the super-canopy.

192: St Britius, Brize Norton, Oxfordshire


193: St Mary, Warkworth, Northamptonshire


194: St Thomas of Canterbury, Pucklechurch, Gloucestershire
William and Eleanor de Cheltenham. Died 1371-74 and unknown. Erected 1340-60.


195: St Andrew, Cotterstock, Northamptonshire
Canon Robert Wyntryngham. Died 4th of July 1420.


196: All Saints, Yelvertoft, Northamptonshire
John Dycson. Died March 1479.


197: St Michael, Thornton, Buckinghamshire
Robert Ingylton. Died 17th of October 1473.


Notes:

Armiger Ecce pius Jacet Hic tellure Rob(er)t(us) Ingylton · Domin(us) de Thornton jur(e) patron(us) / In qui(n)to decimo · Moriens Octobr(is) ab orbe / Sit sibi p(ro)picia · celi Regina · Maria / Saluet eum (Christus)a · Matris amore Deus. a xpc


See, here lies a pious squire under the earth, Robert Ingleton, Lord of Thornton and rightly its patron. He died and passed to heaven from this world on the fifteenth day of October, 1472. May Mary, Queen of heaven, be kindly to him, may Christ who is God save him for the love of his Mother. Here lies Robert Ingleton Esquire, once Lord of Thornton, who was once an expert in the Law, and a friend to all virtue. Here too lie three wives, Margaret, Clemency and Isabel; and Robert died on the 15th of October 1472; may God have mercy on their souls.

Date of death from the IPM is 17th of October 1473 and from the (now missing) tomb edge inscription 15th of October 1472. I suspect the latter was probably a misreading. It originated from a source transcription made in the C18 or earlier that no longer exists.

As the History of Parliament draft entry explains, he was never Chancellor of the Exchequer – he was scheduled to be appointed on the expected death of the incumbent due to illness.
198: St Mary the Virgin, Ewelme, Oxfordshire
Alice de la Pole, Duchess of Suffolk. Died 20th of May 1475.


199: St Andrew, Oddington, Oxfordshire
Ralph Hamsterley. Died 2nd of August 1518.


200: St Mary, Fawsley, Northamptonshire
Sir Richard and Lady Jane Knightley. Died 8th of December 1534 and after 1535.


201: St Mary, Cardington, Bedfordshire
Sir William Gascoigne. Died Summer 1540

History of Parliament: GASCOIGNE, Sir William (by 1485-1540), of Cardington, Beds.

202: All Saints, Bisham, Berkshire
Sir Philip and Sir Thomas Hoby. Died May 1558 and 13th of July 1566.

203: St Mary, Thame, Oxfordshire

John Williams, 1st Baron Williams of Thame and Elizabeth, Lady Williams. Died 14th of October 1559 and 25th of October 1556.

Anonymous, Some Account of Lord Williams of Thame (Thame, 1873). pp. 19, 22.
Will of Lord Williams: TNA PROB 11/43/156.

Notes:
The tomb was originally ascribed to “T. Kirby”. Possibly a mistake for Thomas Thorpe who built Kirby Hall.

From the will:
...and my bodde to be buried in the parrish churche of Turvey in the walle next above my fathers tombe. And I will that the boddie of the Ladie Elizabeth Mordaunt my late wief deseased be removed and taken upp and laid and buried againe on my right side … And I will that my executors and administrators within one year after my desseeace shall prepare for me and the said ladie Elizabeth a … Tombe of marble with ii pictures of Alabaster th one for my selfe and the other for the saide ladie Elizabeth, both the saide pictures representing the state that God of his infinyte goodnes hath called me …

204: All Saints, Turvey, Bedfordshire

John Mordaunt, 1st Lord Mordaunt and Elizabeth, Lady Mordaunt. Died 18th of August 1562 and before 1562.


Notes:
The tomb was originally ascribed to “T. Kirby”. Possibly a mistake for Thomas Thorpe who built Kirby Hall.

205: All Saints, Wing, Buckinghamshire

Sir Robert and Dame Mary Dormer. Died 8th of June 1552 and 10th of February 1541/2.

History of Parliament: DORMER, Robert (1485/6-1552), of West Wycombe and Wing, Bucks. and London.
Telephone conversation with Adam White.

Notes:
Here lieth buried Sr Robt Dormer of Winge in ye county of Buck Knight who Maried Jane
Dought’ of John Nudigat of Herfeld in ye County of Middx Esq’er and of Amphelyce his Wiff, Daughter & heir of John Nevell in Rolleston in ye Counti of Nottingam Esquir.
wch Robt had issue by ye said Jane Sr William Dormer Knight, his sone & Heir.
wch Robt. died ye 8 day of July. Anno 1552
A second plate has an inscription to his daughter-in-law:
Here lieth Dame Mary Dormer, Daugth of Sr Willm Sidney Knight.
Firste Wyfe of Sr Willm Dormer Knight, who had Issue by her twayne Dowghters
Jane the eldest dowghter maried unto Dun Gomis Swaris de Figueria Duke de Feria &c in Spayne
Anne ye secod dowghtr maried to Sr Walter Hungerford Knight sone & heire of ye Lord Hungerford
wc Mary Died ye xth of February 1541

206: All Saints, Braybrooke, Northamptonshire
The Griffin Family. Erected c.1570.
Baldon, W. P. Braybrooke: It's Castle, Manor and Lords (Privately Published, 1923). p. 59.
Nichols, J. The History and Antiquities of the County of Leicester Volume II Part II (London, 1800). Plate XCIX p. 589,
pp. 588, 592.

207: St Mary, Adderbury, Oxfordshire
Thomas and Mary More. Died 2nd of January 1586 and after 1586.
Badham, S., 'A painted canvas funeral monument of 1615 in the Society of Antiquaries of London and its comparators' in
Church Monuments (2009), pp. 89-111.
196-197.
Will of Anthony Bustard. TNA PROB 11/76/2.

Notes:
DATA SVNT IPSIS QUOQ[VE] FATA SEPVLCHRIS – The tombs themselves the fates obey
OMNIS SCRIBITVR HORA TIBI – Every hour is scored against you
VIVE PIVS MORIERE PIVS – Live righteously, die righteously
QUASI MORITURUS VIVE – As we die we live
MORE FLVENTIS AQUAE – Like flowing water

208: All Saints, Bisham, Berkshire
Lady Margaret Hoby. Died 30th of November 1605.
Adam White: Telephone conversation 2021/04/23.
odnb-9780198614128-e-13410.

209: St Etheldreda, Hatfield, Hertfordshire
National Biography. Retrieved 10 May, 2021, from

**210: St Mary, Easton Neston, Northamptonshire**
Sir George and Mary Fermor. Died 1st of December 1612 and 12th of October 1628.


**211: St Nicholas, Stanford-on-Avon, Northamptonshire**
Richard Cave. Died 26th of July 1606.


**212: St Leonard, Apethorpe, Northamptonshire**
Sir Anthony and Grace Mildmay. Died 1617 (2nd September 1617) and 1620 (July 22nd 1620). Erected 1621.

The History of Parliament: MILDMAY, Anthony (c.1549-1617), of Apethorpe, Northants. and London.

**213: St Michael, Stowe-Nine-Churches, Northamptonshire**
Elizabeth Lady Carey. Died 24th of June 1630. Erected 1620.


**214: St Peter, Buntingford, Hertfordshire**
Alexander Strange. Died 8th of December 1650.


**Notes:**

**Translations:**
I.M.T.D. Has placed this monument of love to Alexander Strange (son of Sir Jo. Or. Strange, LL.D, and Master-in-Chancery), Bachelor of Sacred Theology, and formerly Student in St. Peter’s College, Cambridge, vicar of Layston, who caused this chapel to be built at the cost of the pious.

Alexander, little of stature, but eminently great in strength and mind, he it was who built this temple for us.
215: All Saints, Barnwell, Northamptonshire
Henry Montagu, Died 28th April 1625. Erected 1627.


Original manuscript in the church.

Notes:
Several texts mention an orange being involved in the child’s death (he dropped an orange which rolled into the moat and thus he drowned attempting to retrieve it). Indeed, there is a plastic orange thrust into the cup of the monument (which has been there since at least 2000). I was unable to find where this story originated but it is clearly wrong. The manuscript suggests he was playing unsupervised – the “scoopt” (a wooden shovel found with the body) being “supposed” as the reason for him entering the pond. It’s fairly obvious that he found the scoopet and was playing with it, scooping water from the pond, when he fell in and drowned. The cup is clearly meant to be a baptismal cup, both by its design, the inscription on it, and the other references to water and baptism on the monument. It is not the “opening of a village pump” (Pevsner) nor a mounting point for a missing alabaster orange!

The plastic orange currently disfiguring the monument should be removed and disposed of in the nearest rubbish bin.

Attribution by Geoffrey Fisher (Pevsner), but incorrectly assigned to Dr. Adam White in Phillippy’s article (which is, ahem, full of speculation and errors).

216: St Mary, Meysey Hampton, Gloucestershire
James, Edith, and Philip (Philipe) Vaulx. Died 17th of March 1626/7, August 1617, Buried 5th of June 1631.

Staunton parish burial register.
Were, F., 'Heraldry of the Summer Meeting' in *Bristol and Gloucestershire Archaeological Society Transactions*, Volume XXII (Bristol, 1899), pp. 139-140.
Will of James Voase, Gentleman of Hampton Massey. TNA PROB 11/152/150.
"Philip the son of James Vaux" 18th of June 1623. Meysey Hampton register.

217: St James, Chipping Campden, Gloucestershire
Sir Baptist Hicks, Lord Campden. Died 18th of October 1629.

The History of Parliament: HICKS (HICKES), Sir Baptist, 1st Bt. (c.1551-1629), of Milk Street, London; Kensington, Mdx. and Chipping Campden, Glos.

218: St Peter and St Paul, Easton Maudit, Northamptonshire
Sir Henry and Mary Yelverton, Died 24th January 1629/30 and 6th May 1625.


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219: St Mary, Hambleden, Buckinghamshire

Sir Cope and Dame Martha D’Oyley. Died 4th of August 1633 and buried 23rd of September 1618.


Hambleden parish register. 1618.


Will of Cope D’Oyley: TNA PROB 11/164/532 (English), TNA PROB 11/165/668 (Latin).


Notes:

From the will (11/164/532 in English):

ITEM I desire a small monument of such value as my said executors shall thinke fitt may bee sett upp for my selfe and my wife and tenn children in the parish church of Hambledon aforesaid in the ile there belonginge to my family.

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220: St Mary, Hardmead, Buckinghamshire

Francis Catesby. Died 3rd of November 1636.


Notes:

EPITAPHIUM IN MEMORIA MERANCISCI
CATESBY AMIGERI QUI DECESSIT DIE 3
NOVEMBRIS ANO DOMINI 1636
HIC DEASHODIE QUAM PREGNANS NUMINE TEMPLUM
CORPORIS IN TENUEM QUOD NUNC DEICITUR
URNAM : EN JACET ADVITNAM PROPERANS SIMILISO
SUPERBA : DUM PREMATURELLAMMA, QUO PRONIOR
ALTITUS ARCEM : AD CALVININSTRUXIT : GRANDICOGNO
MINE DIGNUS : SANCTIF ALICISTANTOSED NOMINA
DESINIT VIRTUT ?? CREDITO QUEM PALMA
CORONATIUS TITIAIUSTUM PATREM QUEM SACRA
CREAVIT CONCIO MUSARUM TROIANO SANGUINE
MATUMOVIS NESCIT VIXIT PATRIA SIC GLORIA
GLORIA TRANSTI
221: St Mary, Marholm, Soke of Peterborough
Edward Hunter alias Perry, Died October 9th 1646. Erected 1646-49.


Notes:
*The Aldermen of the City of London* raises the doubt that Jane Perry was the daughter of the alderman and Sheriff of London, Hugh Hunter Perry, but gives no indication as to why. It’s presumably because Jane married a merchant while her three sisters married baronets. However, she herself married the son of a baronet, so it doesn’t seem unreasonable to think that she wasn’t the daughter of Hugh Hunter Perry.

222: St Mary, Middle Claydon, Buckinghamshire
The Verney Family. Died between 1642 and 1717. Erected 1653.


223: St Mary, Great Brington, Northamptonshire

Alpha. 'The Old Houses of Brentfort' in the *Middlesex Independent*, 17th of January 1885, p. 4.

Notes:
Idea from St Paul, Corinthians. “Put on the armour of light”.

'Translation of bottom inscription:
"Most dear wife, this monument himself as he described it living of honour and of love therefore to the deceased she erected”

224: St Mary, Gilston, Hertfordshire
Sir John Gore. Died 3rd of November 1659.


225: St Martin, Knebworth, Hertfordshire
Lady Judith Strode. 9th of March 1662/3.


Knebworth parish burial register, 1663-4 (two separate entries for the daughter Judith).
St Giles in the Field, London, parish baptisms register, 1662.

226: St Andrew, Sonning, Berkshire


History of Parliament: RICH, Thomas (c.1601-67), of Sonning, Berks.

Man, J., *The History and Antiquities, Ancient and Modern, of the Borough of Reading in the County of Berkshire* (Reading, 1816). pp. 205-207.


Register. Baptisms at St John the Baptist, Gloucester.


227: St Bartholomew, Brightwell Baldwin, Oxfordshire


History of Parliament: STONE, John (c.1627-1704), of Brightwell Baldwin, Oxon.


228: St Peter, East Carlton, Northamptonshire

Sir Geoffrey and Lady Margaret Palmer. Died 5th of May 1670 and 16th of May 1655. Erected 1660-1.


Notes:

White, BDLTS gives the spelling of his first name as “Jeffrey”, the same as on a memorial to his son (Note 116, page 103). His will (TNA PROB 11/333/109) spells it “Geffrey” and so I have used the modern spelling of that form here.

229: St Mary, Therfield, Hertfordshire

230: St Bartholomew, Yarnton, Oxfordshire


231: St Mary, Swinbrook, Oxfordshire

The Fettiplace Family. Erected 1686.

Berkshire Baptisms (Childrey): John son of Edmund Fettiplace, 23rd May 1583. (via Find My Past)


Family tree: http://www.tudorplace.com.ar/FETTIPLACE.htm#Edmund%20FETTIPLACE%20(Sir)
The History of Parliament. FETTIPLACE, John (1583-1658), of Swinbrook, Oxon. and Childrey, Berks.

232: Great St Mary, Sawbridgeworth, Hertfordshire

George Hewett, 1st Viscount Hewyt of Goran. Died 1st of December 1689.


Parish church website: http://www.sawbridgeworthchurch.com/museum.htm

233: St Martin, Knebworth, Hertfordshire

Lytton Lytton. Died Late April 1710.


Will of Sir William Lytton: TNA PROB 11/480/244.

Notes:

From the will of Sir William Strode:

...and Lytton Strode Esq son of my nephew Sir George Strode Executors of my Last Will and Testament the said Lytton Strode altering his surname from Strode to Lytton and for the future shall write in and set his surname Lytton to all deeds writings and evidences that shall be by him signed and sealed And in case the said Lytton Strode shall not alter his surname from Strode to Lytton as is by my desire then my mind and will is that the Executorship by me to him hereby appointed
shall wholly cease and be void as if he never had been named one of the executors of this my will And I do appoint the said George Strode Guardian to the Said Lytton Strode during his minority.

234: St Mary, Aspenden, Hertfordshire


Notes:

Translation:
Ralph Freman, who died in the year of his mayoralty of the City of London, 1634, aged 74. By his wife, Joan Crowch, he left an only daughter and heir, Jane, married to George Sondes, K.C.B., afterwards Earl Feversham.
William Freman, who with his brother Ralph was chosen Sheriff of London, died 1623, aged 68. By his wife Elizabeth, sister of the above Joan Crowch, he left three children, Ralph, Joan, and Elizabeth, who married with the knightly families of Hewyt, Soame, and Luke.
The two brothers united by nature and marriage, one in business as in mind, who when living had but one house, so in death were laid in one tomb. His body, originally buried in St. Michael’s Church, Cornhill, was removed after the great fire to this place in 1702
http://www.layston-church.org.uk/FH%20Website/ind52.html

235: St Mary, Titchmarsh, Northamptonshire


236: St Rumbald, Stoke Doyle, Northamptonshire


237: St Mary, North Mymms, Hertfordshire
John Somers, Baron Somers of Evesham. Died 20th of April 1716.

238: All Saints, Pusey, Berkshire
Jane and John Allen Pusey. Died 10th of January 1742/3 and 14th of November 1753.


239: St Mary Magdalene, Sherborne, Gloucestershire
James Lenox and Jane Dutton. Died 6th of September 1776 and 29th of May 1776. Erected 1791.


240: St Edmund, Warkton, Northamptonshire


241: St Michael & All Angels, Great Badminton, Gloucestershire
The Somerset Family. Erected 1754.


242: St Mary, Southwick, Northamptonshire

Uses into possession If the said James Grimes may be in the Actual possession of all and singular the aforesaid premises made is so made to this only Intent and purpose That by virtue hereof and by Force of the Statute made for Transferring of Michael the Archangel next ensuing the date hereof (if the same shall be lawfully demanded) Which bargain and sale hereby ensuing and fully to be compleat and ended yielding and paying therefore the rent of one peppercorn on the feast of Saint parcel thereof with the Appurtenances unto the said James Grimes his Executors Administrators and assigns from the Day and to hold All and Singular the aforesaid premises hereby Bargained and Sold or intended so to be and every part and Reversions Remainder and Remainders Rents and Services of the same premises and of every part and parcell thereof To have and thereof All and Singular the aforesaid premises hereby Bargained and Sold or intended so to be and every part and parcel thereof with the Appurtenances unto the said James Grimes his Executors Administrators and assigns from the Day next before the Day of the Date hereof for and during and unto the full end and term of one whole year from thence next ensuing and fully to be compleat and ended yielding and paying therefore the rent of one peppercorn on the feast of Saint Michael the Archangel next ensuing the date hereof (if the same shall be lawfully demanded) Which bargain and sale hereby made is so made to this only Intent and purpose That by virtue hereof and by Force of the Statute made for Transferring of Uses into possession If the said James Grimes may be in the Actual possession of all and singular the aforesaid premises

243: St Peter and St Paul, Kings Sutton, Northamptonshire
Thomas Langton Freke. Died 4th of November 1769.

History of Parliament: WILLES, John (1721-84), of Astrop, Northants.

Thomas Langton Freke, esq of Bristol: commission and inquisition of lunacy, into his state of mind and his property. National Archives: C211/9/F28.

Notes:

Indenture for a brewery (fishponds.org.uk/tucker_street1.html):
This Indenture made this thirteenth day of October in the year of our Lord one Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy seven and in the Seventeenth year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the Third by the Grace of God of Great Britain France and Ireland King Defender of the Faith and so forth Between John Willes of Astrop in the County of Northampton Esquire and Frances his wife only Sister and Heir at Law of Thomas Langton Freke heretofore of the City of Bristol Esquire deceased who in his lifetime and at the time of his decease was a Lunatic and John Joseph Freke Willes Eldest Son and Heir Apparent of him the said John Willes and also of the said Frances his wife of the one part and James Grimes of the City of Bristol Brewer of the other part Witness that for and in consideration of the sum of five shillings a piece of Good and lawful money of Great Britain to them the said John Willes and Frances his wife and John Joseph Freke Willes in hand well and truly paid by the said James Grimes at or before the sealing and delivery of these presents the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged They the said John Willes and Frances his wife and John Joseph Freke Willes Have and each of them Hath bargained and sold and by these presents do and each of them doth bargain and sell unto the said James Grimes All that one undivided part or share out of Eight of and in all that heretofore Sugar House with Five Several messuages or tenements thereunto belonging with the appurtenances situate in or near Tucker Street in the parish of St. Thomas in the City of Bristol heretofore purchased of Lydia Williams Widow and also of and in Two Old messuages or tenements situate in Tucker Street aforesaid and a cellar lying behind the said Two Old messuages and several Rooms or Chambers lying near the said cellars heretofore purchased of and from John Rayner Paper Merchant all which or the greatest part thereof have been pulled down and Destroyed and in the Room thereof of Erected and Built a Malthouse Brewhouse Distill House And a Message Tenement or Dwellinghouse with proper Warehouses Outhouses and other Conveniences for Carrying on the Arts Mysteries or Businesses of Maltmaking Brewing and Distilling and also all other the Messuages or Tenements and Hereditaments whatsoever with the appurtenances by Ezekiel Longman and others purchased of and from the said Lydia Williams and John Rayner and either of them and also of all that heretofore Messuage or Tenement and Garden thereto adjoining and belonging formerly a Garden or void Ground situate In Tucker Street aforesaid heretofore in the tenure of Thomas Ballard Grocer since of Daniel Jones deceased bounded with the Law Ditch there on or towards the west side with a Garden sometime since belonging to the Sugar House towards the East side and extending from a Tenement and Backside sometime since in the Tenure of John James Turner deceased after that of the said John Rayner on or towards the South side and to the River Avon backwards or toward the North side AND also of all Cellars Sollars Chambers Lofts Rooms Buildings Courts Pavements Outletts Easements Wells Lights Ways Waters Commodities Profits Emoluments Liberties Priviledges and Appurtenances whatsoever to the said premises every or any part or parcel thereof belonging or in any wise appertaining or therewith held used Occupied or enjoyed or reputed deemed or taken as part parcel or member thereof or of any part thereof All which premises were heretofore and are now in the Occupation of the said James Grimes and the Reversion and Reversions Remainder and Remainders Rents and Services of the same premises and of every part and parcel thereof To have and to hold All and Singular the aforesaid premises hereby Bargained and Sold or intended so to be and every part and parcel thereof with the Appurtenances unto the said James Grimes his Executors Administrators and assigns from the Day next before the Day of the Date hereof for and during and unto the full end and term of one whole year from thence next ensuing and fully to be compleat and ended yielding and paying therefore the rent of one peppercorn on the feast of Saint Michael the Archangel next ensuing the date hereof (if the same shall be lawfully demanded) Which bargain and sale hereby made is so made to this only Intent and purpose That by virtue hereof and by Force of the Statute made for Transferring of Uses into possession If the said James Grimes may be in the Actual possession of all and singular the aforesaid premises
herein before particularly mentioned and hereby Bargained and Sold or intended so to be and every part and parcel thereof with the appurtenances And maybe thereby enabled to accept and take a Grant and Release of the Reversion and Inheritance of all and singular the aforesaid premises to him the said James Grimes and his Heirs In Witness to hereof the partys first above named have hereunto set their Hands and Seals the Day and Year first above written.

John Willes       Frances Willes       John Freke Willes

244: All Saints, Spelsbury, Oxfordshire
George Henry Lee, 3rd Earl of Lichfield and Dinah, Countess of Lichfield. Died 17th of September 1772 and 8th of January 1779.

Draft marriage settlement: https://archiveshub.jisc.ac.uk/search/archives/bfadfdce-13c9-37fa-bec2-b9f75c4d5609?
component=d8f6b153-9953-3a04-a4ca-e5626be0ef0

Notes:
His wife’s name is given as “Diana” on the monument inscription and in some BMD records (which may have been transcribed incorrectly) and in a 19th century family tree. Given as “Dinah” in many other places including the marriage settlement.

245: St Mary Magdalene, Offley, Hertfordshire
Sir Thomas and Dame Sarah Salusbury. Died 1773 and 1804. Erected 1777.


246: St Edmund, Warkton, Northamptonshire
Mary, Duchess of Montagu. Died 1st of May 1775. Erected 1779-81.


247: St Giles, Desborough, Northamptonshire
Mary Pulton. Died 6th of April 1779.

Pedigree of the Poultons of Desborough (PDF file).

248: St Mary, Great Brington, Northamptonshire
John Spencer, 1st Earl Spencer. Died 31st of October 1783.
Notes:

Roscoe's BDSB does not have an entry for this monument. Oops!

249: St Mary, Cardington, Bedfordshire


250: St Michael, Farthinghoe, Northamptonshire

"St Mary le Bone, St Marylebone, Middlesex”. FreeREG Parish Register database https://www.freereg.org.uk/search_records/5818199ce93790eb7f308be0. Free UK Genealogy (accessed 22 Dec 2020).

Notes:

He is listed as “widower” in the marriage register. I currently can find no registration of his original marriage. He married Kitty aged 50, which suggests his first wife lived for quite a while.

From the will (TNA PROB 11/1398/18/2, page 33):
...that my body may be decently interred in my vault in the parish church of farthinghoe aforesaid and that the body of my late daughter Kitty may be laid on the right side of mine and the body of my late daughter Henrietta on the left side of mine and direct that any sum not exceeding two hundred pounds sterling be allowed and expended in and about my funeral interment and I request the said Alexander Murray to attend and inspect my body in the coffin immediately before it be sealed up and having seen the coffin sealed up to see it placed as by me before directed and I do further direct that a tomb be raised to my memory at the foot of and opposite to the monument I have lately put up in farthinghoe church to the memory of my two dear departed children six feet long and four feet broad or of such other dimensions as may be competent to ?? a full length figure of me in marble to be laid on the said tomb and that such figure be accordingly laid there provided always and my will further is and I do hereby further direct...

251: All Saints, Cottesbrooke, Northamptonshire
The Langham Family. Erected 1815.

Notes:

252: St Michael, Stanton Harcourt, Oxfordshire

Royal Academy Website: George Harcourt, 2nd Earl Harcourt. www.royalacademy.org.uk/art-artists/name/george-simon-harcourt

253: Holy Trinity, Cookham, Berkshire
Isaac Pocock. Died 8th of October 1810.

Ancestry website. Pocock family tree. (accessed 2020/12/20)
Parish Register of marriage: Ann Joyce and Isaac Pocock at Southwark Christ Church. 1784.
https://www.awiatsea.com/ PDF on the *Sturdy Beggar*. (accessed 2020/12/20)

254: St Peter and St Paul, Little Gaddesden, Hertfordshire


255: St Nicholas, Hatherop, Gloucestershire
Barbara, Lady de Mauley. Died 5th of June 1844. Erected 1848.


256: St Michael, Great Tew, Oxfordshire
Mary Anne Boulton. Died 7th June 1829. Erected 1834.


257: St Nicholas, Stanford-on-Avon, Northamptonshire


258: St Peter, Deene, Northamptonshire

259: St Peter, Sharnbrook, Bedfordshire
The Magniac Family. Erected 1887.

260: St Nicholas, Stanford-on-Avon, Northamptonshire

Notes:
It is called a “lance cap”, not a “lancer’s cap”. This is not a typo.

261: St Laurence, Wyck Rissington, Gloucestershire

262: St Peter, Ightham, Kent
Sir Thomas Cawne. Died 26th of September 1374.
263: St Peter and St Paul, Lingfield, Surrey
Sir Reginald Cobham, 2nd Lord Cobham. Died 3rd of July 1403.

Poffley, M. F., The de Cobhams of Sterborough (RH7 History Group, 2008).

Notes:

264: St Peter and St Paul, Upper Hardres, Kent
John Strete. Died 6th February 1405.

Rogers, N. Monumental Brass Society, Brass of the Month for November 2005 (published on-line).

265: St Peter and St Paul, Thruxton, Hampshire


Notes:
Sub lapide isto jacent pie memorie dominus Johannes Lysle miles, dominus de Wodynton in insula Vecta et Domina Elizabeth Lysle uxor ejus. Idem dominus Johannes obiit ultimo die mensis Januarii anno domini millesimo cccc viio Eorum anime pace fruantur eterna Amen

266: St George, Trotton, Sussex
Thomas Lord Camoys and Elizabeth Camoys. Died 28th of March 1421 and before 1st of May 1417.


Notes:

Sally Badham: “It is an unusual instance of a hand-holding monument, symbolising the actual marriage ceremony, the moment when the joining of hands set the seal on the mutual exchange of consent.”

**267: St Nicholas, Arundel, Sussex**

Thomas and Beatrice FitzAlan, 5th Earl and Countess of Arundel. Died 13th of October 1415 and c.1380-23rd of October 1439.


**268: St Peter, Cowfold, Sussex**

Thomas Nelond. Died 15th of May 1432.


Notes:

The scrolls read:

Mater sancta Jhu. me serves mortis ab Esu
Martir sancta Dei duc ad loca me requiei.
Sis Sancti Thome suspecta precatio pro me.

Main inscription:

Hic terre cumulus Thome Nelond tegit ossa,
Est et ei tumulus praesens sub marmore fossa;
Virtutum donis hic claruit et rationis,
Exemplis que bonis decus auxit religionis.
In mundo viguit sederat sibi cella Sophia;
In Maii mensis, quarto decimoque kalendas
Mundo Martha uit sed Xro. mente Maria,
Ad celi sentis sedes migravit habendas.

**269: St James, Sheldwich, Kent**

Joan Mareys. Died 31st of October 1431.


**270: St Nicholas, Arundel, Sussex**
John FitzAlan (Arundel), 7th Earl of Arundel. Died 12th of June 1435.


271: St Nicholas, Arundel, Sussex
William and Joan FitzAlan, 9th Earl and Countess of Arundel. Died 15th of December 1487 and before September 1462.


272: St Mary, Clapham, Sussex
John and Elizabeth Shelley. Died 3rd of January 1526/7 and 30th of July 1513.


Will of John Shelley: TNA PROB 11/22/38.


Notes:

Both prayer scrolls translate as “Let everything that hath breath, praise the Lord”

"Pray for the souls of John Shelley esquire and Elizabeth his wife, daughter and heiress of John Michelgrove of Michelgrove, esquire, which Elizabeth died the [penultimo] 30th day of July in the fifth year of the reign of Henry VIII and AD 1513 and the aforesaid John Shelley died the third day of January in the 18th year of the reign of King Henry VIII 1526”.

273: St Botolph, Lullingstone, Kent
Sir John Peche. Died 1st of January 1521/2.

Mann, J. G., 'Two Helmets in St Botolph’s Church, Lullingstone, Kent’ in The Antiquarian Journal Issue 2, April 1932. pp. 139-141.


Will of Elizabeth Peche (nee Scrope): TNA PROB 11/30/166.

Will of Sir John Peche: TNA PROB 11/20/389.

Notes:

From the will:

… Also I wull that my chapell at Lullingstone aforsaide shalbe made vp and fynysshid of my costes as I haue shewid vnto my frendes ...
274: St Mary, Goudhurst, Kent
Sir Alexander and Dame Constance Culpeper. Died 1541 and 1542. Erected 1537.

Duncan, L. L. (transcriber), Medieval & Tudor Kent P.C.C. Wills, Book 54, Page 28, 'ALEXANDER COLPEPER, Will 20 May 1540' (Kent Archaeological Society) at https://www.kentarchaeology.org.uk/Research/Libr/Wills/Bk54/page%2028.htm
Duncan, L. L. (transcriber), Medieval & Tudor Kent P.C.C. Wills, Book 54, Page 37, 'CONSTANCE COLEPEPER, Will 4 Oct 1541' (Kent Archaeological Society) at https://www.kentarchaeology.org.uk/Research/Libr/Wills/Bk54/page%2037.htm

Notes:
The ODNB entry for the Culpeper family is uncharacteristically poor and has conflated and confused information about the Sussex and Kent branches of the family. Sir Alexander, son of Sir John and Agnes Roper (widow of John Bedgebury) was born in 1479 and thus Alexander could never have taken part in Buckingham's rebellion against Richard III. Unfortunately this mistake escaped both me and the copy-editor. Thanks to Sally Badham for pointing this out while doing research for an article on the Culpepers which came too late for correcting the book entry. CBN 2022/08/31

Alexanders Will:
The 20 day of Maye 1540, 32 Henry VIII, I ALEXAUNDER COLPEPER of Bedgeburye wt in the parishe of Goutherst [Goudhurst] in Kent, Knighte.

To be buried in the Chappell being on the sowthe syde of the churche of Goutherste wherein I have preparid my Tombe for my body therin to be buryde or in some other place afore the blesside Sacrament. My body to be broughte in earthe and to be don for at the day of my buryall and at the day of my mounethe mynde according as shalbe meate for a man of my degre and because that greate multitude of prese of people will resorte and come at the day of my buriall by the wch resorte prese and mulhlude dyners and many parsons mighte therby perishe and also dyners other inconvenyents mighte therby ensue and for avoyding the occasyon therof.

I bequeth certeyne somes of money particulary to be dispoaside tin dyners and sundry parishes that is to say I will my Knyll to be ronge in Goutherst with the greate bell the day of my buryall and dyrige to be song there the same daye and three masses one of the Trynitie and other of oure Ladye and the thirde of Requiem to be song the next daye after my buryall for the whiche I give and bequethe three poundes to be dealyde at Goutherst in fourme following: To the vycar for his payne and labor yf he be there present 20d., and to the parishe priste for the tyme being 16d., and to euery priste 12d., to the parishke clarke 8d. to euery singyng man 4d. and to euery childe that singithe in the Queare 2d. and to the Sexten for the bell knylle and the grave suche some of money as shalbe thoughte meate by the discretion of myne executrix and the Resydue in almys to pore people of the same parishe in twoo penny dole to pray for my soule my frendes soules and all xpen soules.

I will my knyll to be Ronge in Cranbroke the day of my buryall and dyrige to be songe there the same daye and 3 masses [as before] and I geve or bequethe fourtye shillinges [same as beofre only “to the Sexten for the bell and knyll suche some as shalbe thoughte mete by my executrix]. [Same at Haulkherste and 20s. but only two masses one of the Trynity and the masse of Requiem]. [Same at Lamberhurst and two masses one of or Ladye and one of Requiem and 1s. 6d.]. [Same at Horsemonden, Merden and Stapleherst with two masses one of Trynity and the other of Requiem].

I will myne executrix geve to 12 pore men to euery of them a black goune wt a hood and 4d. and they to stande about the hearse holdinge euery of them a Torche praying all the servyce tyme for my soule my frendes soules and all xpen soules at the day of my buriall and on the morowe all the tyme of the masses and other obsequies to be doon there in lyke manner at the day of my mounethes mynde.

Also I will that Dame Constance my saide executrixe (Constantia Chamberlayn) shall geve to as many parson or parsonnes blake gowmes and cotes as she shall thinke convenient.

All my detts to be fully contentid and paide and restitution to be made of all wartiges and miuryes by me done if anny suche cane be duely provide before myne executrix and ouerseers.
Dame Constance my executrix shall exhibite and fynde one honest seculer priste to sing and pray for my soule within the foresaid Chappell by the space of fayne yere and my saide executrix geving to the saide priste verelxe for his Sallary and wage £6. 13. 4., the same priste findinge hym selve waxe, wyne and breade to syng and say masse with.

To the churche of Goucherst £20 wt in 6 yere towards the Reparacons of the same churche and vestry there.

To twoo of my daughters Margaret (Margaret Culpepper) & Katheryn (Catherine Culpepper) £200 towards theire marraiges being not married in my life, to either £100.

To Alyce Culpepper other one of my daughters (Alice Culpepper) one yerely pencon of £3. 6. 8. for 20 yere but if she be advanced in marage then the saide pencon to cease and to be utterly voyde.

I bequeathe £10 for to by fyve Vestmentes for pristes to syng masse yn wherof the fyrst thereof to be for the priste that shall syng masse for me in the saide Chappell where I have prepared my Tombe and the secounde to the churche of Aswyte in the county of Waryaw and the thirde to the churche of Manchester in the saide County of Waryaw and the fourthe to the churcbe of Fynchingfelde in the county of Essex and the fyfte to the churche of Sainte Marye Bewers in the County of Suffolke.

An obyte at Goucherste the space of 20 yere ys. 8d. Tenne marks to the porist people and inhabitants of Goucherste in alms that is to say yerelye 33s. 4d.

To Thomas Willenhall 20s., Alexander Dodde 20s., John Browne 20s., Robert Thorpe 20s., Jane Porter 20s., John Dodes 13s. 4d., William Haddon 13s. 4d., John Wateman 13s. 4d., Hugh Pecke 10s., Thomas Arglas 10s., Rycharde Kempe 6s. 8d., George Cots 6s. 8d., John Style 6s. 8d, Rycharde Mose 6s. 8d., John Emery 6s. 8d., Leonarde Larshar 6s. 8d., William Clowe 6s. 8d., John Emery, cooke, 6s. 8d., to all other of my saruauntes as shall happen to be in my servyce at the tyme of my death to ever one of them 3s. 4d.

Resydue of all my goodes, juells &e to Dame Constance my wife to her owen proper vse, the whiche Dame Constance I doo ordeyne and make my sole executrix and supervysours and Ouersears my brouther Sr. Edwarde Chamberlayne, Knighte (Alexander’s brother-in-law, the son of Sir Robert Chamberlayn of Sussex), and John Baker, Esquier, generall attorney to the Kynges highness and to either of them a blakke gowne and 40s.

In witnesse whereof I the saide Sr. Alexander to this my pnt testament and laste will have putt my seale and written this lyne wt myne owen hande by me Ser Alexander Culpepper Knight. By me Thomas Harlakenden ( an unknown person ), by me William Sydenham, William Hyne priste, Henry Rogers, Thomas Willinhall, Symonde Willenhall, Thomas Darell, Henry Sampson, John Wellys curate of Goutherst.

This Codyceel made by me Sr. Alexander Culpepper Knighte the 5 May 33 Henry VIII. Furste where as Thomas Culpepper my eldist sonne sole executrix to the churche of Goucherst and of the vestrye there, and other doo ordeyne and make my sole executrix and supervysours and Ouersears my brouther Sr. Edwarde Chamberlayne, Knighte (Alexander’s brother-in-law, the son of Sir Robert Chamberlayn of Sussex), and John Baker, Esquier, generall attorney to the Kynges highness and to either of them a blakke gowne and 40s.

If the saide Thomas Culpepper myne eldist sonne doo well and truly paye £300 to myne executrix, £100 within one moneth after my decease in the parise churche of Goucherst and within one yere £50, of that remaynethe, the same £50 to be delyuere to the Reparaco of the churche of Goucherst and of the vestrye there, and other £50 parcell of the Resydue to be paide in the saide parise churche of Goucherst to John my sonne (John Culpepper of St. Stephens) to his exhibicon and findinge, and also fourescore pounds parcell of £100 the last of the saide £300, the same fourescore pounds I will and give as folowithe: To Anne (Anne Culpepper), John [Johanna] (Johanna Culpepper), Margaret and Katherine my doutheres euenly to be shisted and paide, and £20 the hole resydue of the £300 I give to Robert Gaen, Thomas Willenhale, and Symonde Willenhale eally, and if the saide Thomas my sonne well and truly kepe paye and parfourm all the payments, then the writing oblygatory of £1000 shalbe clerly acquited.

And if not my executrix to procede in sute of the saide oblygacon and with the £700 resydue my foresaide executrix shall lye and purchase the parsonage of Goucherst with the Advouson therto belongyng, and the same to remayne to one of my sonnes and his heyres whome I shall happen to have the Maner and Denne of Goutherste.

An obyte at Goucherste the space of 20 yeres 6s. 8d. Tenne marks to the porist people and inhabitants of Goucherste in alms that is to say yerelye 33s. 4d.

To Thomas Willenhall 20s., Alexander Dodde 20s., John Browne 20s., Robert Thorpe 20s., Jane Porter 20s., John Dodes 13s. 4d., William Haddon 13s. 4d., John Wateman 13s. 4d., Hugh Pecke 10s., Thomas Arglas 10s., Rycharde Kempe 6s. 8d., George Cots 6s. 8d., John Style 6s. 8d, Rycharde Mose 6s. 8d., John Emery 6s. 8d., Leonarde Larshar 6s. 8d., William Clowe 6s. 8d., John Emery, cooke, 6s. 8d., to all other of my saruauntes as shall happen to be in my servyce at the tyme of my death to ever one of them 3s. 4d.

Resydue of all my goodes, juells &e to Dame Constance my wife to her owen proper vse, the whiche Dame Constance I doo ordeyne and make my sole executix and supervysours and Ouersears my brouther Sr. Edwarde Chamberlayne, Knighte (Alexander’s brother-in-law, the son of Sir Robert Chamberlayn of Sussex), and John Baker, Esquier, generall attorney to the Kynges highness and to either of them a blakke gowne and 40s.

In witnesse whereof I the saide Sr. Alexander to this my pnt testament and laste will have putt my seale and written this lyne wt myne owen hande by me Ser Alexander Culpepper Knight. By me Thomas Harlakenden ( an unknown person ), by me William Sydenham, William Hyne priste, Henry Rogers, Thomas Willinhall, Symonde Willenhall, Thomas Darell, Henry Sampson, John Wellys curate of Goutherst.

This Codyceel made by me Sr. Alexander Culpepper Knighte the 5 May 33 Henry VIII. Furste where as Thomas Culpepper my eldist sonne sole executrix to the churche of Goucherst and of the vestrye there, and other doo ordeyne and make my sole executrix and supervysours and Ouersears my brouther Sr. Edwarde Chamberlayne, Knighte (Alexander’s brother-in-law, the son of Sir Robert Chamberlayn of Sussex), and John Baker, Esquier, generall attorney to the Kynges highness and to either of them a blakke gowne and 40s.

If the saide Thomas Culpepper myne eldist sonne doo well and truly paye £300 to myne executrix, £100 within one moneth after my decease in the parise churche of Goucherst and within one yere £50, of that remaynethe, the same £50 to be delyuere to the Reparaco of the churche of Goucherst and of the vestrye there, and other £50 parcell of the Resydue to be paide in the saide parise churche of Goucherst to John my sonne (John Culpepper of St. Stephens) to his exhibicon and findinge, and also fourescore pounds parcell of £100 the last of the saide £300, the same fourescore pounds I will and give as folowithe: To Anne (Anne Culpepper), John [Johanna] (Johanna Culpepper), Margaret and Katherine my doutheres euenly to be shisted and paide, and £20 the hole resydue of the £300 I give to Robert Gaen, Thomas Willenhale, and Symonde Willenhale eally, and if the saide Thomas my sonne well and truly kepe paye and parfourm all the payments, then the writing oblygatory of £1000 shalbe clerly acquited.

And if not my executrix to procede in sute of the saide oblygacon and with the £700 resydue my foresaide executix shall lye and purchase the parsonage of Goucherst with the Advouson therto belongyng, and the same to remayne to one of my sonnes and his heyres whome I shall happen to have the Maner and Denne of Goucherst.

And if the £700 will not purchase the saide parsonage then £200 to be bestowed in repayiring and amending of the highe way between the parsonage gate of Goucherst and Begebury Crosse and £100 in the high way from Goucherst Church vnto Iden Crosse and £100 in the highe way from the playne of Goucherst a long and through the Stony lane there and so forthe to Techinghole Mylle and so vpp along to Winstnott hill and £100 in the highe way leyding from Winstnott hill vnto the Crosse in Merden Streten. Also £100 in the highe way from Hartley Crosse vnto Cranebroke and £100 Resydue of the £700 vnto 12 parsonnes that shall have the Rule and ouersight of the Repayring and amending of all the highe wayes above written to euer of them £8. 6. 8.

In witnesse whereof to this pnt codycell in paper I the foresaide Ser Alexander Culpepper have subscribed my name with myne owen hande. By me Alexander Culpepper knighte.

Proved, with codicil 21 June 1541 by relict and executrice. (P.C.C. 30 Alenger.)

Constance’s Will:
The 4 October 1541, 33 Henry VIII, I DAME CONSTANCE COLEPEPIR, wydow, of Goutherst [Goudhurst] in the countie of Kent. To be buried in the paryshe churche of Goutherst in the chappell where my husband lyethe. To high aulter 6s. 8d.

I will my body be brought in erthe and to be doon for at the daye of my buryall and at the daye of my mounethes mynde conenycnt and according as schalbe mete for a woman of my degree. (Then as in her husabnds will to avoid multyuite of people). That is my knly to be rownge at Goutherst wt the grete bell the daye of my buryall and dirige to be sone there the same daye, three masses, one of Trinitty and other of our Lady and the thyrde of Requien to be sone the next day after my buryall and £3 there for &e &e (as in her husbands will) and at Cranebroke, Benenden, Lambersheirst and Stapleheerst.

Also my executours do fynde two tapers of waxe to berne upon my herse and as many tapers to berne about the Chapell as I nowe fynde about the ayd Chapell to continue one hole yere.

To 12 poore mens a gowne wt a hod and 4d. and thaye to stonde aboute my herse holding eyver of them a Torche praying all the service tyrne for my soule, my husband soule and all xpen soules. Fyve por women to cum ons a weke vnto the churche on the same daye yet shall happen me to dye and there to here Mass wt in my foresayed Chapell during the space of one hole yere to praye for my soule &e and my executours to content and paye vnty euery of the seyd por women quarterly 3s. 4d.

One honest preest to singe and saye masse and to pray for my soule my husbands soule and all xpen soules wt in the foresayd Chapell by the space of one hole yere and the same prest shall saye dirige every daye in the weke wt in the foresayd chapell from the daye of my decease vntill the morowe after my mounethes mynde &e and to have £7 he fynding wyne, wyne and brede.

Also I will that my vestment of blake veluet wt the cresse of clothe of gold lynccel vpyn yt now remaynyng in my chapell at Begebury shall remayne and be occupied in my chapell at Goutherst during one hole yere and remayn to the behoof of the churche of Goutherst for euer.

To the paryche churche of Goutherst £20 towards the Reparacions or byinge of new ornaments.

Unto my sone Thomas Colepepyr (Sir Thomas Culpeper of Bedgebury in Goudhurst) my basone and ewer of syluer wt his fathers armes and myne graven in them, two grete salts of syluer all gilte with a cover, two syluer quartes potts parcell gilt wt his fathers armes and myyn graven on the lyddes of themy, three syluer bowls wt a couer parcell gylte, two of my best dyaper table clothes, two of my best dyaper towells, 12 of my new dyaper napkyns, a garnyshe of my bet pewter vessell, my hanging of areys that hangith in the chambr called the blewe chambr wt the Tester, seelez, curteyns, fetherbed, bolster, pillowes lustynys and counterpoynte as yt now lyeth and my best cushhyon of clothe of golde wt two carpetts in the foresayed Chambur one ouer the coper and the other in the wyndowe a long carpett for a table which ys my best carpett. Also sixe moo fetherbeds for seruaunts to lye on. Also my best aultercoute, my best vestments of white damaske embrothered, wt all things therto belonging, wt a corporas clothe and a corporas case of blewe clothe of golde, my chaleys, my masse boke and myn Ringe that I was maryed wt to his father wt A and C graven in the ynnesyde of the same ryng. And also 12 workinge oxen wt plowes, harrowes, wagnes, corts and all things to them belonging.

Also vnto my sone John Colepepyr (John Culpeper of St. Stephens) in redy mony £26. 13. 4., 6 syluer spones wt rounde playne knoppis gyfte, two lytel gilte salts with a couer, a longe cussyn of clothe of golde Tyncel and blake veluet wt Trayfoyles of gold vpyn yt nowe embrothered, 6 cussynys of verder, a garnyshe of my new pewter vessell, a tester of celer of tawny veluet and tawney damaske paned wt three curteyns of blake silke, my fetherbed that lyeth in the greate Bedsted in the new parlor, a bolster two pillowes two payre of shets, a payr of blanketts and my best counterpoynte of blewe silke and golde.

Also vnto my foresayd two sones Thomas and John all my harneys or Armure that is to saye Almayne Ryvetts, splents, oxen wt plowes, harrowes, wagnes, corts and all things to them belonging.

Also vnto my sone George Harpur (Sir George Harper) my Ringe of golde with a dyamond three square sett therein, a grete boll of syluer wt a couer all gilte, a spone of syluer with a steele gilte wt a forke a thende, my chayre coueryd wt blake veluett, my fetherbed that lyeth in the lytell bed in the newe parloour wt the bolster, pillowes and blanketts to the same wt a couerlett of tawny silke of bawdekyn wt a tester and celer of the same silke and brede.

To the paryche churche of Goutherst £20 towards the Reparacions or byinge of new ornaments.

Unto my sone Thomas Colepepyr (Sir Thomas Culpeper of Bedgebury in Goudhurst) my basone and ewer of syluer wt his fathers armes and myn graven on the lyddes of themy, three syluer bowls wt a couer parcell gylte, two of my best dyaper table clothes, two of my best dyaper towells, 12 of my new dyaper napkyns, a garnyshe of my bet pewter vessell, my hanging of areys that hangith in the chambr called the blewe chambr wt the Tester, seelez, curteyns, fetherbed, bolster, pillowes lustynys and counterpoynte as yt now lyeth and my best cushhyon of clothe of golde wt two carpe
my best sadell with the gilte pomell wt the brydell and harneys therto perteynyng and also my pylion of fustyan of Naples wt brydell, harnes and foote scale therto belonging.

Unto my daughter Kateryn (Catherine Culpeper) my chayne of gold I dyd weare for a girdell sowen vpon a blake lace, thother half of my flagon chayne of gold, thother half of the chayne of golde that I hadd of my forsayd brother Sir. Edward Chamberlyn Knight, thother of my brasletts of golde and a Rose of golde enamelyd white with viij Rubyes and a pointyd dyamond sett therein, a grete boll of syluer all gilte wt a foote, sixe palyne spones of syluer, a stone crusse wt a couer of syluer, a brouwche of golde wt a crucifix and seynt Jerom graven in ytt. Also my new parlor and the cupbord that standith in the dyning parlor, a chayre of Sypres, two cushions wherof one of them ys alonge cussynhyt of white cloth of bawdekyn and blake velvet wt trayfoyles of gold enbrothered and thother ys a square cussynhyt of silk wrought wt nedellworke and two grete grene carpett cussynhs and my grete grene carpett that I occupye every daye in the parlour, my worser bonett of veluet, my fruntelet of blak veluet, my best poothered bonett, my paryrs and larbes. Also my nyght gowne of tawny damask, my kyrtell of crymsyn velvet, my olde kyrtell of blak velvet, my two aulators cloth of white and grene saracenet paneed, embrothered wt Imagery and flowers. Also my fetherbed whiche I now lyne on with the bolster, two pillowes, the tester, celler and couerlett as yt now ys with three custens of grene silk wt all other things to the same bed belonging, two pewter basons, a little chaffer of brase and my sorell Colte that I bought of Bruer the Colyer and my sadell couered wt tawny velvet wt brydell and harnys therto belonging and my pylion of tawny velvet wt brydell and harnes therto apperteynyng. Also my thirde vestment of silk wt all things therto belonging wt the aulator cloth halowed and a corporas cloth with the corporas case of crymsyn cloth of gold and grene tyncellyed wt gold.

Also unto my foresayd two daughters Margarett and Kateryn my gowne of blak velvet to be departyd betwene theym and also all my sleves of silk and lynen in like maner betwene the same Margarett and Kateryn to be deuyd and shisted.

Also I bequeath vnto my daughters Anne Molyns (Anne Culpeper) and Johane Fitzyames (Johanna Culpeper) my hole folde of chaynes of golde equally and indifferently betwene them to be deuyd and shysted. Also unto the same Anne a stone pott wt a couer of syluer and gilte wt a rose graven on the lydde therof and also a pece of syluer without a foote and sixe spones of syluer wt Lyons gilte on the knoppes. Also my gowne of blak taffata and my best kyrtell of blak velvet. Also vnto the foresayd Johane Fitzyames six spones of syluer wt Lyons on the knoppes gilte and a litell pece of syluer all gilte without a foote, a stone pott wt a couer syluer and gilte wt a Rose graven vpon ytt, also my gowne of blak damask and my kyrtell of blak damask chekeryd. Also unto my foresayd foure daughters Anne, Johane, Margaret and Katheryn all my dyaper sheets, bordeclothes, cupbordclothes, towells, napkyns and pollowbeers not before nor hereafter by me wyllde.

Unto my nephew Rafe Chamberlyn my litell pott gilte wt a couer which my brother dyd gyve me, and to my neece his wyff my gilte pott which my brother also dyd gyve me. Unto my nephew George Chamberlyn two syluer spones with flatt knoppes gylte and to my neece his wyff my Ringe of golde wt a litell turkes in ytt. Unto my nephew Leonard Chamberlyn two syluer spones wt flatt knoppes gilte. Also vnto the foresayd Francis Chamberlyn one spone of syluer wt a flatt knoppe gilte. Unto my neece Marye Ryther my Ring of golde wt a table dyamonde and a browche of golde wt a mans hedd sett therein and sett with redd amell with a wreath of perle aboute yt.

Unto my Lady Gray of the Mote in Kent a payre of beades of golde with a tassell of golde attendhe and 19 grete bead stones, besyds the smale bead stones in the same. Unto my Lady Baker my grette Ringe of golde with a grete Turkes sett in yt and a grete button of golde for a pertelett wt a grete Baley sett therein.

Unto my cosyn John Colepepyr (John Culpeper of Ingham, co. Norfolk) the yonger sonne of my cosyn Rycharde Colepepyr of Wakenherst (Richard Culpeper of Wakehurst) in redy money foure pounds. Also my cosyn Jasper Colepepyr (Jasper Culpeper of Penshurst, Kent & Arlington, Sussex) his brother my lytell lantern of syluer.

Unto my sonnes Nicholas Clyfford my flagon bottel of syluer to cast swete water wt. (Jasper Culpeper of Penshurst, Kent & Arlington, Sussex) his brother my lytell lanter of syluer.

Also I give unto Alice Colpepyr my husband doughter (Alice Culpeper) my gowne of blake clothe wt stayte (sic) sleves of my kyrtell of blak Russell worsted, a fethered, a bolster, two payre of sheets, 2 blanketts and a couerlett, a tester and ceeler wt three curteyns of white cloth and two kyne.

Also I bequeath vnto my doughters Anne Molyns (Anne Culpeper) and Johane Fitzyames (Johanna Culpeper) my hole gowne of blak damask, Kerchers and Smocks.

Also vnto my doughters Anne Molyns (Anne Culpeper) and Johane Fitzyames (Johanna Culpeper) all my dyaper foote, a stone pott wt a couer syluer and gilte wt a Rose graven vpon ytt, also my gowne of blak damask and my kyrtell of blak damask chekeryd. Also unto my foresayd foure daughters Anne, Johane, Margaret and Katheryn all my dyaper sheets, bordeclothes, cupbordclothes, towells, napkyns and pollowbeers not before nor hereafter by me wyllde.

Unto my Lady Baker my grette Ringe of golde with a grete Turkes sett in yt and a grete button of golde for a pertelett wt a grete Baley sett therein.

Also unto my nephew Edward Colepepyr doctor (Unidentified by Culpepper Connections), in redy money foure pounds.

Unto Elizabeth Ryther a syluer spone wt a flatt knopp gilte. Vnto my cosyn Henry Sampsons wyff my pertelett wt a grete brydell, harnes and foote scale therto belonging. Also unto my foresayd two daughters Margarett and Kateryn my gowne of blak velvet to be departyd betwene theym and also all my sleves of silk and lynen in like maner betwene the same Margarett and Kateryn to be deuyd and shisted.

Unto my Lady Gray of the Mote in Kent a payre of beades of golde with a tassell of golde attendhe and 19 grete bead stones, besyds the smale bead stones in the same. Unto my Lady Baker my grette Ringe of golde with a grete Turkes sett in yt and a grete button of golde for a pertelett wt a grete Baley sett therein.

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Unto Jane Porter my gowne of frenche blake cloth and my kyrtell of blak saten and tenne pounds in redy money and my worser partielett of blacke velvet and also a fethered, a bolster, two pillowes, a payt of curteyns, two paye of sheets of bokeram and the tester, ceeler, three curteyns and a counterpoint of Redd and yewlow saye paned.

Unto the foresayd Alice Colepepyr and Jane porter all my Rayles, Kerchers and Smocks.

Unto my neece Mary Watto my best wryttyn prymyr with two clapses of syluer and gilte couered with blake velvet and three pounds in money.

Also unto my nephew Edward Colepepyr doctor (Unidentified by Culpepper Connections), in redy money foure pounds.

Unto Elizabeth Ryther a syluer spone wt a flatt knopp gilte. Vnto my cosyn Henry Sampson wyff my pertelett of tawny velvet poothered.

Unto my two sonnes in lawe, Aldred Fitzyames (Alfred Fitzjames of Somerset) and Wyllyam Nolyns (William Molyns) in redy mony foyve pounds apecce.

Unto Thomas Darells wyff thelder of Scoytney a gilte spone with a perle at thende, my lytell penner and ynyekorne of gold enameled with blak and my best partielett of blake velvet.

Unto Henry Rogers of Westwell my best tablet of golde. Nicholas Fynche my baye horse and 40s. and to Agas hys wyff 20s. to by her a gowne. Wylliam Syddenden gent 20s. My goddoughter Constance Fynche a cowe. Margarett Curle my matens booke couered with blake velvet harnessed and clapsed wt syluer, wt the letter of A and C, chayned, and my signet of

Unto Symond Wyllenhalne other tenne pounds and the young Roane gelding of my owne brede and the fetherbed &e whiche he nowe lieth on and a payre of bokeram sheets. And for William Pyerson, my chapelyn 20s. To Cristofer Petter 40s. and the gelding that was bought of Hvenden. Alexander Dode thre pounds 6s. 8d. and 2 kyne and a fetherbed, bolster payer of shets a payr of blankets and a couerlet.

unto John Dod 20s. and a cowe. Robert Thorpe 40s. and a cowe. John Browne 40s. and a cowe. John Whatman 20s. and a cowe. Wylliam Hadden 20s. and the gelding called Essex. John Sharpe 20s. and a gelding called Collshawe. Hugh Pecok 20s. and a cowe. Anthony Lyle 13s. 4d. Thomas Arglas 20s. and a cowe. Henry Cooke 13s. 4d. Wylliam Clowte 20s. and a cowe. Richard Kemp 10s. and a cowe. Anne Basset 10s. and a cowe. Lore Raper 10s. and a cowe. George Cots 10s. and a cowe. And to all other of my seruants as shall happen to be in my service at the tyme of my death 6s. 8d. a pece.

And where Sir Alexander Colepeepir Knight my late husbande, whose soule God pardone, by his last will willd that yf I dye my doughters Margaret and Katheryn being unmaryed that they shall have towards theire gynding yere lyly £6. 13. 4. a pece out of the manors of Hardyshall and Austeley and bequethed for the space of 20 yeres and also one hundreth pounds a pece towards their marayge, my wyll mynde and entent ys that my sayd two doughters Margaret and Katheryn shall have the yerely rents and profyts for the space of 9 yeres and a half next after my deceas which be of the yerely value of £66 sterling deducting oute thereof yerely for theire forsayd annuyttes £6. 13. 4. a pece and also an anuyte yerely of £3. 6. 8. vnto Alice Colepeper according to her fathers wyll and 26s. 8d. of my gyfte to her yerely during the same nine yeres.

Also for my lord Marques fee 20s., for Alexander Parker and Mighell Parkers fees 20s., for Wylliam Hylles fee 20s. for his fee that shall gather the rent yerely 33s. 4d. for costs of the Corte 6s. 8d. All whiche deduccioun yerely allowed Remayneth yerely vnto the foresayd Margaret and Katheryn £43 egally betwene them to be devyded and shysted. The whole yerely value of £43 in nitre years and di amounteyth vnto the some of £408. 10s. whereof £200 ys of their fathers bequest towards theire marayges and £208.10 Resydue ys of my gyfte vnto the sayd Margaret and Katheryn.

If it happen the forsayd Margaret to dye or deceas, whiche God forbyd, unmaryed, at any tyme before the 9 yeres dy be fully expyred endyed, lyving her syster Kateryn or yf the sayd Kateryn dye then the sum to revert vnto her syster [and then to her other systers Anne and Johane egally and to their children and to her two brothers Thomas Colepepir and John Colepepyr equally].

Also I wyl my cosyn John Colepepyr the yonger, one of the sonnes of my foresayd cosyn Richard Colepepyr of Wakeherst shall have out of the rents of the foresayd maners after my sone John Colepepyr be payd his parte and porcion £10. Also my sone George Harpur £40. My goddaughter Constance Colepepyr £20 out of the rents &e of the foresayd maners ymmedyately after my foresayd husbande George Harpur be contentyd and payd of hys parte. To my goddaughter Dorothey Fitzjames £20 [after Constance is paid]. Also I wylle that Constance Molyneys have £10 [similarly]. To my goddaughter Constance Clyfford £10. To Ursula Clyfford £5 in like maner when her syster Constance ys payd [the will then arranges in case any of these die].

My executors shall sell so much tymber growing vpon lands of the manor of Hardyshall and Austeley as shall amount vnto £30 wherof I bequeth vnto Sir John Baker, Knight, £20, and £10 of the resyidue ys of my gyfte vnto the sayd Margaret and Katheryn.

If it happen the forsayd Margaret to dye or deceas, whiche God forbyd, unmaryed, at any tyme before the 9 yeres dy be fully expyred endyed, lyving her syster Kateryn or yf the sayd Kateryn dye then the sum to revert vnto her syster [and then to her other systers Anne and Johane egally and to their children and to her two brothers Thomas Colepepir and John Colepepyr equally].

Also I wyll my cosyn John Colepepyr the yonger, one of the sonnes of my foresayd cosyn Richard Colepepyr of Wakeherst shall have out of the rents of the foresayd maners after my sone John Colepepyr be payd his parte and porcion £10. Also my sone George Harpur £40. My goddaughter Constance Colepepyr £20 out of the rents &e of the foresayd maners ymmedyately after my foresayd husbande George Harpur be contentyd and payd of hys parte. To my goddaughter Dorothey Fitzjames £20 [after Constance is paid]. Also I wylle that Constance Molyneys have £10 [similarly]. To my goddaughter Constance Clyfford £10. To Ursula Clyfford £5 in like maner when her syster Constance ys payd [the will then arranges in case any of these die].

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The obit in last will of my husband Sir Alexander Colepepyr to kepe. Also where the same my husbande by his last wyll wylled an honest seculer prest to sing and saye masse for his soule and all xpen soules in the Chapell of Seynt George and Seynt Sebastian wt in the parysche churche of Goutherst aforesayd during the terme of fuye yeres and the same preest to have £6. 13. 4. and to poore people in almes 33s. 4d. and also yerely towards the reparacions of the same churche £3. 6. 8. during six yeres, whereof my sayd husbande dyd wyll and bequeth vnto me the Rents, revenues &e of his purchased lands and tenements called the Market Place of Goutherst wt the shoppis, fayre and the Tenement and lands called Beshefelds, for the space of fuye yeres which be of the clerre yerely value of £5. 7. 7. and also his purchased lands and tenement called Paynetts and Tryggs of the yerely value of £9. 12. by yere which be of the yerely value of £14. 19. 7. by yere. Whereof deducted and alowe oute for the prests wages £6. 13. 4. and for almes 33s. 4d. for reparacions of the churche of Goutherst £3. 6. 8. and for hym that shall gather the rents and fermes for fuye yeres 20s. – sm. of all the deducions and allowances yerely £13. 6. 8. and so remayneth yerely clerre vnto me 33s. 9d., the which I geve vnto my sone John Colepepyr.

Sir John Baker and Thomas Daroll to ordeyn for my soule and all xpen as also to kepe hospitality and howsold ymmedyately after my deceas wt in the maner of Regebury and to fynde all my doughters and other my household and I make them my executors. To the whiche Sir John Baker I do give my Ringe of golde whiche ys edged on euery syde lyke a smale Jenumour and six fett steeres and to Thomas Darell my ringe of gold wreathed wt a Rubye sett in yet and foure fart steers.

Supervisors my neewe John Ryther Esquire and my cosyn Harry Sampson Esquyre.

By me Constance Colepepyr.

The Codicell of Dame Constance Colepepyr deceased made after the making of her testament and last will.

In primes to Sr. John Baker, Knight, a bason and an ewer of syluer and percell gylte wt three moryons hedds enamylede upon them. Wynes therunto Nicholas Fynche, Thomas Wyllenhale, John Browne and other.

Item to Verny 40s. Wynes Mr. Sampson, Nicholas Fynche, Robert Grene and John Browne. To John Rade 40s. Wynnes Nicholas Fynche and Thomas Wellenhale.

Item she wylled that Sir Wylliam Pyerson clerke should sing for her soule in the chapell of Seynt George and Seynt Sebastyan in Goutherst one yere ouer and above the yere expressyd in her sayd wyll and to have for his labour £7. Wynes: Nicholas Fynche and Thomas Wyllenhale.

To Peter 40s. and a gelding called Hovenden. Wynnes Mastres Margart Masteres, Kateryn Colepepyr, Nicholas Fynche and other.

To her daughter Margarett the gray gelding that was bought of Maye, a lytell goblet of syluer wt a cover.

To her daughter Kateryn a goblet of syluer wt out a cover and a few saddell of fustyan of Naples with a gylt pomell and a fork of syluer and gyfte with a dogge at thende.

To her daughters Margarett and Kateryn fowre grote pecs of golde in a purse of blake velvet.

To Mayes wyfe, to Chemannys wyfe, Woodes wyfe and Benchekyns wyfe foure elles of lynyn clothe egally devyded and shysted.

To her daughter Margaret and Kateryn the some of fouyrte pounds due to her for woode sale viz £10 due by Burges and £30 due by Dorley and moreover she gave to Margarett and Kateryn £10 due to her by Raaf Chamberley esquyer.

Proved at London 13 November 1542 by Robert Alen notary public for executors. (P.C.C. 12 Spert.)

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**275: St Peter, Hever, Kent**

Sir Thomas Boleyn (Bullen), 1st Earl of Wiltshire. Died 12th of March 1538/9.


**276: St Mary, Slindon, Sussex**

Anthony St Leger. Died in 1539.


**277: St James, East Tisted, Hampshire**

Richard and Elizabeth Norton. Died February 1536/7 and 1530? Erected 1525-1535


**278: St Mary Magdalene, Cobham, Kent**
George Brooke, 9th Baron Cobham and Anne Baroness Cobham. Died 29th September 1558 and 1st November 1558. Erected 1561.


279: St Peter, Titchfield, Hampshire

Thomas, 1st Earl of Southampton, Mary his wife and their son, Henry 2nd Earl of Southampton. Died 30th of July 1550, 15th of September 1574, and 4th of October 1581. Erected after 1594.


Notes:

From Henry’s will:
'I bequeth my body to be buried in the chapel of the parish church of Titchell, co. Southampton, where my mother lies interred; which chapel I will and direct to be newe altered and finyshed by my executors within five years after my decease, in form following, that is to say,—Neve side windowes of stone to be made, the roof plaistered withe pendaunts being sett-full of my Armes, and all the walls plaistered lyke my howse at Dogmers Feilde and the same faire paved and divided with yron grate from the' church. Also two faire Monuments thereto be made, the one for my Lorde my Father (whose bodye I wulde have thether to be brouhte and there buried), and my Ladye my Mother; the other for mee, with portraiture of white alabaster or such lyke uppon the said Monuments ; and I will to be bestowed thereupon one Thousand pounds by my foyside Executors. And I will suche Funerall charges and obsequies to be donrie and bestowed uppon my saide buriall as shall seeme meete and convenient to my executors for myne estate and degree, Soe’that the same exceedenot a Thousand poundes And I will to be- given 100 marks (£66 13s. 4d.) at the time of my burial in charitable Almes according to the executors’ discretion. Also to the needy poor within my several lordships the sum of, £200 to pray for the good estate of my soul, the souls of my ancestors and all Christian souls. Also (for the same purpose) £3 to every Alms-house in the City of London and County of Southampton”

280: St Lawrence, Otterden, Kent

Sir Justinian Lewin. Died 28th of June 1620


281: St Peter & St Paul, Lymsted, Kent

Christopher Roper, 2nd Baron Teynham. Died 16th of April 1622. Erected 1622-1625.
282: St Peter and St Paul, East Sutton, Kent

Inscription on the monument to Robert Filmer in East Sutton church.


283: St Mary, Chilham, Kent


284: All Saints, Hollingbourne, Kent
Elizabeth Culpeper. Died 27th of October 1638.

History of Parliament: Culpeper (Colepepper), Thomas (1575-1662), of Greenway Court, Hollingbourne, Kent and the Middle Temple, London.

285: St John the Baptist, Egham, Surrey


286: St Peter, Ightham, Kent
Lady Dorothy Selby. Died 15th of March 1641.
Notes:

The inscription at the very bottom reads:

This monument was erected at the charge of Richard Amherst, Esq., Dorothy his wife, and William Amherst, Gent., son and heir-apparent of the aforesaid Richard, executors of the last will and testament of the above-named Dame Dorothy Selby.

287: St Mary, Brading, Isle of Wight


Notes:

Genealogical Gleanings has a modern English transcription. There is at least one incorrect transcription on-line (Probate Records). My literal transcription of the relevant section of the will:

ITEM I further give towards the erecting a tombe, for my father, Sir William Oglander and my selfe my father’s to be placed on the south side of my chancell, to the east of Mr. John Oglander’s tombe and my inscription of brasse in my studdy to be sett in it and the statue in my house to be placed thereon. And my owne tombe to be sett at the east end of my great Grandfather, Oliver Oglander’s with the statue alreadie in my Chancell to be placed theron And an inscription of brasse to be sett on the tombe showinge when my selfe and wife dyed and the command I have had. And my sonne George’s statue, who dyed at Cawne in Normandy to be placed in the arch I made over the place I intend to be buryed in, with the frame in my studdy to be new written I made in memory of him with an Inscription in brasse to be sett over it showing whome he was, the time and place he dyed in for all which I give the summe of twenty and five pounds. And I charge my executor not to faile in the sudden doinge of it all things beinge allmost provided by my selfe which if he performes not in two yeares the I give the twenty five pounds to my sonne John and hee to see it done within halfe a yeare.

The brass on the tomb is hard to read. From a transcription (missing a line) in the church, and another transcription (with incorrect parts and added punctuation) and from an image of the brass itself:

Heere lyeth the body of Sir John Oglander of Nunwell Kt., whoe was in his lifetyme Deputy Governour of the Garrison of Portsmouth under Wm. Earle of Pembrooke Lord High Steward of England. Hee was alsoe Deputy Lieutenant of ye Isle of Wight under Lord Viscount Conway & under ye Earle of Portland Lord Treasurer of England and under Jerome Earle of Portland. Hee was a Justice of ye Peace & Coram at 22 years old Hee married ffrances ye youngest daughter of Sir George Moore of Losley in ye County of Surrey Kt. Shee departed this life in London ye12th of June 1644 in ye 52nd yeare of her age & hee departed this life at Nunwell ye 28th of November 1655 in ye 70th yeare of his age. Sic transit Gloria Mundi.


289: St Michael, Withyham, Sussex


290: St Mary the Virgin, Wingham, Kent

The Oxenden Family. Erected 1682.


291: St Nicholas, Great Bookham, Surrey

The Shiers Family. Erected after 1700.

Baptismal record for George Shiers, 18\textsuperscript{th} December 1660, Great Bookham, Surrey.


Marriage record (banns): St Dunstan in the West. Robert Shieres and Elizabeth Welde of Gedney, 13\textsuperscript{th} Nov, 7\textsuperscript{th} Dec, 14\textsuperscript{th} Dec 1656.


Notes:

From *Visualising Legal History*:

“While books or scrolls were common items included on memorials to lawyers, this seems to be more than just a representation of a barrister/bencher, since Shiers died only a few months after giving the Lent reading in 1668 and the pose and accompanying hand gesture may well depict him in the act of lecturing”.
292: St John the Baptist, Penshurst, Kent


293: St Mary the Virgin, Bletchingley, Surrey

Will of Robert Clayton. TNA PROB 11/495/372.

294: St Peter, Racton, Sussex
Sir Charles Gounter Nicoll. Died 24th of November 1733.


295: All Saints, Ockham, Surrey
Peter King, 1st Baron King of Ockham. Died 22nd of July 1734.

History of Parliament: KING, Peter (c.1669-1734), of the Middle Temple, London and Ockham, Surr.

296: St Botolph, Lullingstone, Kent
Percyvall and Sarah Hart. Died 27th of October 1738 and 6th of November 1720.

Baptism register: Percivall Hart, May 7th 1666, Lullingstone, Kent.
Marriage register: Persevall Hart and Anna Say, 9th July 1660, Swanscombe, Kent.
297: St Peter & St Paul, Shadoxhurst, Kent
Sir Charles and Dame Ellen Molloy. Died 24th of August 1760 and 17th of October 1765.

Birth register, 1674, St Andrew, Holborn, London.

298: St James, Bramley, Hampshire
Bernard Brocas. Died 8th of November 1777.

Arborfield Local History Society. Transcription of parish registers.
http://www.arborfieldhistory.org.uk/Registers/Marriages_1700-1837.htm

299: St Nicholas, Great Bookham, Surrey
The Andrewes Family. Erected after 1833.


300: St John the Evangelist, Northington, Hampshire
The Baring family. Erected 1848.


301: St Mary, Chilham, Kent
Arthur Bainbridge and John Edmund Hardy. Died 22nd of October 1858 and 23rd of October 1858. Erected 1862.

Hardy family history site: http://www.beanweb.net/ft/bean/pafg361.htm (accessed 2020/12/01)

302: St Michael & All Angels, Lyndhurst, Hampshire
Anne Frances Cockerell. Died 11th of September 1880. Erected 1882.

1881 Census: Samuel P. Cockerell.
1896 Probate Calendar of England and Wales.
Painter and Sculptor whose gentle generous spirit deeply endeared him to all his friends. He passed away quietly on March 12th 1921 at his residence 35 Phillimore Gardens, Kensington in his 77th year.
d. March 12th 1921.
303: All Saints, Hollingbourne, Kent
Duppa Family. Erected c. 1890.

'The Late Mr George Duppa' in Pres, Volume XLV, Issue 7020, 23 March 1888 (New Zealand, 1888).
Death certificate of Archie Duppa.
England and Wales Civil Divorce Records. 1887. 01809:Duppa.
MacDonald, G. R., Biography of George Duppa on a card index (D552) written for the Canterbury Biography Project (1952-1964), New Zealand.
Nelson Provincial Museum, Tyree Studio Collection, ref. 24706 / Papers Past.

304: St Katherine, Exbury, Hampshire
John and Alfred Forster. Killed 14th of September 1914 and Died 10th of March 1919. Erected 1924.

Notes:
The bronzes on the rear wall are a general war memorial and a memorial to Harold Fox Pitt Lubbock.

305: St Katherine, Winterbourne Bassett, Wiltshire
Unidentified couple. Created 1280s.

306: St Roch, Pendomer, Somerset
Sir John Domer. Died after 1321.
Collinson, J., The History and Antiquities of the County of Somerset, Volume II (Bath, 1791). p. 349.

307: St Mary, Puddletown, Dorset
Probably Sir Thomas Martyn. Died 14th of September 1485.
Email correspondence with Toby Capwell and Sally Badham.

308: St Dubricius, Porlock, Somerset
John, 4th Baron Harington and Elizabeth, Lady Harington. Died 11th of February 1417/8 and 28th of October 1471. Erected in the 1440s.
Capwell, T., Email correspondence, 1st of April 2021.
Halliday, M., *A Description of the Monument & Effigies in Porlock Church, Somerset* (Torquay, 1882).

History of Parliament: Harrington family.


**Notes:**

Toby Capwell comments: *The Porlock effigies have to have been carved in the 1440s really. Really no earlier or later.*

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**309: All Saints, Long Ashton, Somerset**

Sir Richard and Lady Margaret Choke. Died 5th of July 1483 and before 22nd of September 1484.


Weaver, F. W. (ed.), *Somerset Medieval Wills (1385-1500)* (Somerset Record Society, 1901). pp. 238-245.

Will of Ricardi Chokke: TNA PROB 11/7/131.

**Notes:**

Born before 1416. See page 107 of Rosenthal which gives earliest records of him in 1437 and 1438.

From Rosenthal and Weaver (for Elizabeth).

*From the will:*

> My body to be buried if God will in the parish Church of Ashton in the county of Somersett in my chapel there. And that there be made a sculptor making mention of the day month and yer of my decease. Also I will that my expenses funerals be don honestly without pomp or bust after the sadde discretion of my executors underwretyn. And that ther be gyven to every poor man and woman comyng to the seid churc of Ashton the day of my burying 4ct to pray for my soule.

Joan probably died before 1461 as she is not mentioned in her father’s will (Will of William Pavey – extracts in Weaver, above). He died between 23rd of April 1461 (date of will) and 5th of October 1466 (will proved). Richard Chokke was executor.

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**310: St Andrew, Feniton, Devon**

Probably a member of the Malherbe family. Erected second quarter of the 15th century.


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**311: St John the Baptist, Glastonbury, Somerset**

Will of John Camel: TNA PROB 11/8/100.

312: St Petroc, Bodmin, Cornwall

Thomas Vivian. Died 1st June 1533.


Notes:

*Hic tumulatus venera’dus pater Tomas Vivian Megarensis Epus bujusq domus prior, qui obiit anno D’ni M.D.XXXIII primo die Junii, cujus animae propitietur Deus, Amen.*

313: St James, Ludgershall, Wiltshire

Sir Richard and Lady Jane Bridges. Died 1st of August 1558 and 29th of September 1593.

History of Parliament: BRYDGES, Richard (c.1500-58), of West Shefford, Berks.

Notes:

The figures on the panel on the south side of the monument gradually turn towards the viewer, from right to left. Perhaps an attempt at perspective? This unusual feature is not something I have seen elsewhere.

The following article arrived just too late for me to use for this entry:


314: St Peter, Church Knowle, Dorset


315: St Mary, Berry Pomeroy, Devon
Seymour Family, Died 1593-1613.

The History of Parliament, *SEYMOUR, Edward I (c.1563-1613), of Berry Pomeroy, Devon*.

316: St Mary, Ilminster, Somerset
Nicholas and Dorothy Wadham. Died 20th of October 1609 and 16th of May 1618. Erected c.1610.

Will of Dorothy Wadham: TNA PROB 11/131/660.
Will of Nicholas Wadham: TNA PROB 11/114/482.

Notes:

Translations:
Here lies Wadham, well known to the Western English, whose splendour departs with the lamp of Phoebus. Yet he does not altogether descend into the earth; he still shines with much brilliant light in the Eastern regions.
Do you not see? look at the towers set on the other side of Isis; what habitations he built for the Muses, what temples for God.

Unless you behold the rays of Wadham in those parts, a thicker mist has been shed over your own mind.
As to many to gain is life, and to lose is death, so you think it your loss to live, your gain to die.
Forsooth, those riches which you think little of on earth, heaven restores to you in death with much interest.
Great in her father Petre, great in her husband Wadham, here lies a Founder’s daughter and wife.
Equal to either of them in her own titles to distinction, to her father and her husband, great in herself, here lies the lady Wadham, a Foundress.

Noble in her beginnings, her progress, her end, she becomes illustrious by the rays of her parent, her consort, and her own.

Address to the Reader.

Do you ask how many years she lived? she lived long.
Do you regard the wishes of good men? she lived too short a time.
Do you look to the buildings which she raised with a pious hand? she will live for ever.
Nor ever will there ages to come so late, a world so old, but that this most beautiful work shall remain; and in it shall live the name of this most famous lady older than the latest old age.
This monument, fallen to ruin with age,
was restored at the expense of
Sir Edward Wyndham, Baronet,
and Thomas Strangeways, Esquire,
two of the Co-heirs of the said Nicholas Wadham,
7 September, a.d. 1689.

317: St Mary, Lydiard Tregoze, Wiltshire
The St. John family. Erected 20th of July 1615.

318: St Manarck and St Dunstan, Lanreath, Cornwall
Charles and Agnes Grylls, Died 2nd March 1611/12 and 13th June 1607. Erected 1623.


319: St Peter, Tawstock, Devon
William Bourchier, 3th Earl of Bath, Died 12th July 1623.

Easter, C., Email correspondence.
White, A., Email correspondence.
Will of William Bourchier: TNA PROB 11/142/325.

Notes:
Inscription:

Translation:
Sacred to eternity. Read O Traveller what (grave)stones of the great very seldom speak: Here lies a man both upright and noble, William Bourchier Earl of Bath, deserving of eternal memory amongst men. By a most pleasing marriage he joined virtue to nobility and in everything unswervingly preserved and adorned the dignity of both. He lived in this very county of Devon of which he was given the prefecture and for more or less thirty years he administered his province with the greatest integrity. He honoured God most religiously as well in private as in public duties. He was a great example of beneficence and hospitality and a most keen patron of the poor and oppressed. At last when he had led on his life even to old age he departed from the living, to the great and lasting sorrow of Devon, on the twelfth of July in the year of Redemption 1623 and indeed in the 65th of his age. As wife he married the most select woman, his companion in this sepulchre, Elizabeth, daughter of Francis, Earl of Bedford, with whom he begat sons John, Robert and Edward and Frances a daughter, out of whom he left behind him only Edward, late Earl of Bath, himself about to be an ornament to his most famous family also in his virtues and from his most happy marriage. This do and thou shalt live.

Clive Easter: In his will it is clear that he expected a grand monument as he set a limit of £500 'or between that and £300'.

Adam White: This attribution fits the effigies and the tomb chest but not the rather ponderous and heavy canopy which could be the work of Hans Weller, an obscure sculptor who worked for William Cure the Younger, the king's master mason at the time.

320: St Andrew, Brympton, Somerset
Sydenham, H. Nature’s Overthrow and Death’s Triumph (London, 1626 and republished 1636).

Notes:
Precise day and month of death are from Geni.com and I haven’t been able to find the source. The funeral sermon was preached on 16th of December, so it sounds reasonable.

321: St Bartholomew, Cadeleigh, Devon
Sir Simon and Lady Katherine Leach. Died 1637 and before 1636. Erected before 1636.

Sinclair, E., and Katkov, M., Church of St Bartholomew, Cadeleigh, Devon, Diocese of Exeter. Monument to the Leach Family (1660) Polychromy investigation, September 2008.
White, A., Email correspondence.
Will of Sir Simon Leach: TNA PROB 11/173/559.

Notes:
From the will:
The fifteenth day of February in the yeare of our Lord god one thousand six hundred thirty and six.... to be buried and layed by the Lady Katherine Leach my late wife in that monumentfull vault wch is erected in the north east side of the parish church of Cadeleigh aforesaid.
The Latin inscription translates as: “Bowed down by the fate of my wife I am going to her tomb, her partner in life, in death I will be her companion.”
The window is described as being rebuilt and the glazing re-done in the bill for the work of 1903, suggesting that it was already open by then.

Adam White: It certainly looks to me as if the inscription recording Simon Leach’s death in 1660 has been added at a later stage. The window tracery does not look old and the glass certainly not. I’d say the monument is a homogeneous creation of c.1637 which originally blocked the window and that the window was re-opened during the 1903 restoration.

322: St Mary and St Katherine, Edington, Wiltshire

Easter, C., Email correspondence.

Notes:
Clive Easter: The crown is a sign of the gift of immortality. The maker is unknown but is not Marshall or Gerard Christmas. Probably London work.

323: St Edward King and Martyr, Goathurst, Somerset
Sir Nicholas and Dame Bridget Halswell. Died 1st of May 1633 and 28th of July 1627.
**324: St Cyriac and St Julitta, Newton St Cyres, Devon**

Northcote Family. Probably erected 1640.

Easter, C., Email correspondence.

Notes:

Conjectured erection based on the fact there are 6 children of Sir John and Grace shown on the monument: Arthur (1628 s+h), John (1629 2nd son), Susanna (1632), Lewis (3rd son), Elizabeth (1638) and Halswell (1639, 4th son). Later children were: Grace (1640), William (1642-43), and William (1648).

Clive Easter: Another unusual feature of the monument is the use of French in the inscription to describe the virtues of Sir John's wife while other family members are commemorated in English and Latin.

**325: St Peter ad Vincula, Broad Hinton, Wiltshire**

Lieutenant-Colonel Francis Glanville. Killed 20th of July 1645.

Glanville family notes: PR/Broad Hinton St Peter ad Vincula/1505/1

**326: St Mary, Lydiard Tregoze, Wiltshire**


Friends of Lydiard Park: *Report 4*.
Friends of Lydiard Park: *Report 6*.

Notes:

Translation:
Sacred to pious memory.
Know ye, whose concern is our human lot, and who trace words on the unyielding stone, that it is just to grieve especially [et] for one unwilling to die.
Edward St.John: using his natural good fortune to win quick glory, he lived but briefly, a shining example among men; nay, he strove for everything great, to lack nothing but years.
For scarcely had he embellished his luck with courage and his family with good repute than he was bidden to pass through those shades, not dry shod [and cross the river of death].
Alas, too quickly yet calmly, he sent his mortal remains, in the full flower of youth, to mingle with the ashes of his ancestors; as to the rest, to be sure, he is caught up to Heaven.
How much [of him] is left in this lofty memorial; see for yourselves, who were his friends when in full vigour, mourned him when he still had life to come, and indeed who may miss him now that he is dead.
Thus he once stood, as this statue now stands upright, against the onslaught of horrid war, and bore the affrighting threats of embattled death with calm expression and trusting heart; for he fell in such a manner that you would have thought him still standing, firm too in resolve.

Nay, the love of his good father wanted him to survive beyond death for his friends to weep over and good men to remember: that father’s noble love set up this eloquent monument. He died on the 12th April, 1645.

Expanded text:

Piae Memoriae Sanctum
Scitote
Vos quorum interest humanitatis,
Iustum esse dolorem et nolentem mori,
Qui per difficilem lapidem verba queritis,
Edoardus St. John
Felicissima natura usus ad repentinam gloriam,
Brevi visit speciosum inter homines exemplar
Immo ad omne magnificum contendens,
Annorum tantum sit egenus.
Non enim citius virtute fortunam, fama bona
Ornaverat familiam, quam per istas iubertur umbras
Transire haud sicco pede.
Eheu, festine satis reliquias mortales, maiorum
cineti promiscuas florida juventate
(sed placide) misit, caetera scilicet
in Coelum raptus.
Quantus in hoc elato marmore relinquitur, vos videte
Qui vigentem colebatis, victurum lugebatis.
Et vos etiam qui vita functum
Desideretis.
Sic ille stetit olim ut erecta iam imaginatio est
Adversum impetus incivilis belli, et rigidas minas
Armatae mortis, honesto vultu, fidentique pectore tulit:
Sic enim ille cecidit, ut stantem putes,
et mente saltem immobilem.
Quin immo superstitem voluit amicorum subinde lachrymis
Probosque memoriae, Amor Parentis optimi,
Cuius igeniosa pietas hunc lapidem
fecit eloquentum.
Obiit pridie Iduum Aprilium: Anno MDCXLV

327: St Decuman, Watchet, Somerset

Parish register of Portman Orchard: John Windham and Joan Portman, 3rd Sept 1582.
Parish register of St Decuman (Watchet): Dame Joan Windham the wife of Sir John Windham.
Parish register of St Decuman (Watchet): Sir John Windham. 23rd of April 1645.

Notes:
The Wyndham book is probably the most badly researched document I have had the misfortune to use while writing this book. No references are given. The author hardly says anything about Sir John and doesn’t mention his knighthood. No dates are given – he hasn’t bothered to look in parish registers, such as for John’s marriage, and gives, in a footnote, the marriage date based on the birth of Sir John’s first son. Wyndham calls him “John of Orchard” in the text when he is quite clearly knighted. Yet he is shown as “Sir John” in the rather poor pedigree at the end of the book. There is no mention made of his monument.

328: St Peter, Tawstock, Devon


329: Borbach Chapel, West Dean, Wiltshire
Robert Pierrepont. Died 26th of April 1669.

Master, G. S., ’Collections for a History of West Dean’ in *The Wiltshire Archaeological and Natural History Magazine*, Volume XXII (Devizes, 1885). pp. 239-317.
Tong (Shropshire) Parish Register: Born and baptised 27th of September 1634 to William and Elizabeth Peripoynt (of Tong Castle).

Notes:
The date of birth found in numerous places on-line (30th of August 1636) is wrong and does not accord with the age of 35 as given on the tomb.

Born and Baptised September 27th 1634, Son of William and Elizabeth Peripoyn.

Upper inscription:
To YOV Yt READE & YOV Yt HEARE
(for Here’s Enough for EYE & EARE)
wC VAVLTS have VOICEs , & d . . . . H
All ORTH
Or, if not All ye later ENDS of All
In ME
(them know)
- Some soul
- below
This TREASURE ly.

Left hand door:
OF
ROBERT PIERRPONT
Eldest son of ye Hooble WILLIAM Esqr
& Heire to the whole Familie
The BODIE
Which yet, as One of Her worst Enemies
The SOULE ye dwelt in’t did as twere Despise
At THIRTY FIVE when grown full Ripe for Action
Then She forsooke It, if not Unkindly — Saye
Untimely too Readily — too Soone
So some SUNS are Overcast at NOONE

Yet Twas Deriued from Highe & Noble STOCKE
Crownd wth an EARLEDOME on Eyther Side There
of SHREWSBURY of KINGSTON here stood HEIRE
Apparent unto This had in Its Veines
Beside ye BLODD of Both Their Seminal
Their Bullion VERTUES too readie Coynable
Into Exploits as greate as Eyther ANCESTORS
Had but occasion Call’d wch was (& was
The Only Thing yt was) Here Wanting

Healthie & Sound It Passd thro ITALIE & FRANCE
& SPAINE, Un-mutilated, Un-Diseasd
Without ye Marks of SIN or CHANCE
Returnd Matchd wth a LADYE — Of Whom
Though All Good might, Nothing must Here be said
St VAULTS speake not ye Living but ye DEAD
Yet This To Parte with HER alone
I Over-Heard was Th’ Expiring Grone
Both Great EXAMPLES Never to Refuse
In Matches What Wise PARENTS Chuse

Blest with FIVE Hopeful CHILDREN Each enough
T’ Enrich ye Future Age, & To Invite
A BODY’s longer Staye in This if ought
Might doe’t
But
Thus It was— Too big for It
The SOULE was grown, & SOULES Once fitt
To Mount at Heaven’s Call
Soone let ye Mantle of ye BODIE Fall
So Was, & So Did THIS.

Right hand door:
A SOULE
That had Great PARTS, & Many very Singular
Of a NATVRE in All most Sweete & Obliging
Of a very Generous and Cleare TEMPER
Perfectly Loyal to’s Prince in all Sub & Supra Drences
ever Pre-Judging for AUTHORITIE
Of Greate Reueverence & Pietie to’s PARENTS
Of a most Intire Affection to’s WIFE
Of great Indulgence unto his CHILDREN
Of Vnmou’able Constancy to his FREIND
LEARNED, much beyond ye Gentleman of This Age
in Languages & Arts chiefly Mathematical
Spake little, but to Purpose Could not Chide
Sufferd in Its Displeasure more then Did
Observ’d Things well ; Not to find Fault but Praise
Look’d thorough Men yea NATIONS quickly spid
The TALENT uppermost in Eache Got that.
Religion It had plac’d in highest Top o’th SPIRIT, & having
Many Scene The Best reserving yet Inferior Observances
for Any Person, Thing, or Rite yt shewed like SACRED, prizing so
All about DEVOTION as Not to slight Its SHADOWE.
A most Candid Intepeter of all Mens Actions hardly
Speaking Ill of Any, though Ill deserving
Infirmities It had; (Who Not?) Of Malice None
Of Frailtie Some, wch Still It Selfe did Own without Disguise
without Defense, but never without Revenge upon It Selfe
in Penances of great Retirm ts — Prayer — Study — & Spare Dyet, &c.
Whom Nothing could prevail with to Speake an UNTRUTH nor
any Advantage engage in an Unhandsome ACTION
Would Doe no Wrong; None, if foreseen SUFFER, being
guarded wth a PRVEDURE often to Prevent It euer
a Courage, yt dared to be Honest agt all Terrors;
Above Feares, Greifes, or any Cowing Passion, Fac’d DEATH
familiarly, and Unconcernd Discours’d of It; Shew’d
such Patience & Passive Valo’ i’ the Cutting off
his LEGG, as was to Admiration.

A SOVLE (in fine)
Of QVALITIES, as well as MAKE, DIVINE
Wh soaring Thus, up to These skirts of GLORY
Was quickly caught up Higher, & left Here
The Yet Unperfect FLESH, to be Matur’d
For GLORY too, against a (Hop’d) joint Glorious
RESVRRECTION.

On the base:
For This Then: (quitting other Tendernesses)
Darre a Prayer— Drop a Teare,
You yt Reade, & you yt Hear:
And neuer thinke yt Long Life Here is All
SHRVSBS Stand, Contemnd when CEDARS for Vse, fall
DECEASED
April ye xxvi
In ye yeare of Our Lord MDCxix
His Age xxxv.
— Nec Vilius IPSVM
Lugeri voluit CONJUX moestissinia
E. P.

330: St George, Hinton St George, Somerset
John, 1st Baron Poulett, Died 29th of March 1649 and John, 2nd Baron Poulett, Died 15th of September 1669.

Information at the church on the conservation work.

331: St Peter, Tawstock, Devon
Lady Rachael Fane, Countess of Bath and Middlesex. Died 11th November 1680

Notes:

Inscription:
Rachel
Comitissa Henrico digna, vix altera e sexu
vel animo, vel virtute aequipollens
Rebus demisticis civilibus sacris, ingenio
pluaquam virili, at materno
(quo suo tempore vix maius dabatur in terris)
Ecclesiae Anglicanae Filla humillis, et devota,
et iniquis temporibus eiecorum Patrum mater
et hic pene unica faurtix
Unicum Lugendum quod in se perjisset nobile
Bourchieri nomen, ni sat illa habuit virtutum
vel illu immortale reddere
Er liset improlis plus mille liberorum Parens,
quos liberalissime educavit, doravit,
sacrat, et nobilitavit
Adhuc vivit et nunquam moritura dum his
Regionibus supersunt grata pectora.

Translation:
Rachel
A Countess, really worth of Henry,
who had scarce an equal of her sex
either in spirit or in virtue
In Domestic, Civil and Religious affairs
she had a genius exceeding that of a man,
(and such a Motherly Disposition
that scarce a greater then existed in the World).
She was a humble and devote Daughter
of the Church of England
and in times of Persecution a Mother to
the Distressed Fathers
in these parts almost their only Protectress
This alone was worthy of our tears, that in her
the noble name of Bourchier would have
been extinct if she had not been endowed with
Virtues sufficient even to render it Immortal
And, tho she was childless, yet she was
parent to more than a thousand Children
whom in a very genteel manner she brought up,
gave them portions, consecrated and even ennobled.
She still lives and never will die
While any sparke of gratitude
Remains in this Country.

332. St Torney, North Hill, Cornwall

North Hill Local History Group: http://www.northhillhistory.co.uk/spoure.htm

Notes:
Henry Spoure’s will is CRO AP/S/2003.
The following article arrived just too late for me to use for this entry:


333: St Germanus, St Germans, Cornwall
Edward Eliot. Died 18th of September 1722.


334: St Mary Magdalene, Launceston, Cornwall

Peter, R., and Peter, O. B., The Histories of Launceston and Dunheved in the County of Cornwall (Plymouth, 1885). p. 403.
Petition to Bishop of Exeter: B/LAUS/423
Rendell, J., Launceston: Some Pages in History (Truro, 1993). pp. 30-1.

Notes:

Translation of inscription:
The Empty Tomb of Granville Pyper, Esquire, and Richard Wise, gentleman., formerly Alderman of this Town, whose mortal remains are lying at Bath in the County of Somerset.
As they had in life been of one mind and most closely associated together, so now after death these equally true hearted of friends are not divided.
The former when much urged to seek his health at Bath, consented. He died there 16th April in the year of our Lord, 1717, in the 38th year of his age. The latter dying at Launceston on the 27th July, in the year of our Lord, 1726, aged 64 wished that his ashes should be deposited at Bath near those of his most loving and dearest Master.
This Cenotaph (a memorial of their mutual affection and of the highest respect which he always had for the most liberal and most munificent of patrons) Richard Wise, gentleman, ordered by his latest writing to be erected.
Therefore that his heirs Philip Welsh, and William Couch, gentlemen, might satisfy such pious directions they have made this marble for ever sacred to the memory of the man.

335: St Mary, Gillingham, Dorset
Frances Dirdoe. Died 18th of January 1733/4.

Will of Frances Dirdoe, 16th of October 1733. Obtained from Ancestry.co.uk. DD/S/WI/82

Notes:

Sons: Henry, John, Christopher, Jacob, Edward
Daughters: Dorothy (Chapman), Sara (Finney), Mary (Marnes), Anna (Galpon), Elizabeth (Whitchurch), Catherine (Dalton), Rebecca, Jane (Long), Rachel, Frances.

One of the sisters was really hard done by in the will – she must have had a falling out with Frances.

336: St Michael, Shute, Devon
The History of Parliament: POLE, William (1678-1741), of Colcombe Castle, nr. Colyton, and Shute, nr. Honiton, Devon

337: St Probus and St Grace, Probus, Cornwall
Thomas Hawkins. Died 1st of December 1766.

338: St Nicholas, Moreton, Dorset
Mary Frampton. Died 14th of September 1762.

339: St Peter, Clyffe Pypard, Wiltshire
Thomas Spackman. Died 13th of October 1786.
Family trees on Ancestry.co.uk.

Notes:
From the will:
And it is my desire to be buried in the parish church of Cliff Pypad aforesaid as near the south west corner thereof as conveniently may be and that my grave be walled and lined with good sound brick thoroughly burnt and I direct that the sum of one thousand pounds be expended in erecting as good and substantial a monument of marble to my memory over my grave or as near thereto as convenient with three carved figures of the best statuary marble to be set thereon as can be made for that sum and that the centre figure do represent myself in height, size and likeness as near as the artist can make the same and t?? the other two be leper ffigures and placed on each side my own, the one representing a school boy the other a school girl each holding a book in one hand and a pen in the other as if writing in those books and that there be a devise engraved on the front of the said monument representing a carpenter’s broad ax a hand saw a square and a pair of compasses
with a carpenter’s basket full of other tools of the trade and I direct that neat and substantial iron palisades fixed in a stone
kirk be erected round the said monument in order to guard the same as good as can be made for fifty pounds over and above
the said one thousand pounds and my will and desire is that the same John Rogers if he survives me be appointed moderater
of my funeral and likewise have the sole direction and management of the said monument and rails in seeing the same
executed according to the plan and exactly[?] intended for the same and that he be paid for all such time trouble and expense
that he shall necessarily loose[sic] and be at in and about executing such my intentions.

340: St Michael, Over Compton, Dorset
Robert Goodden. Died 3rd of October 1828. Erected 1825

Newham, C. B. Photographs of monumental inscriptions at Over Compton. The Parish Church Photographic Survey.

341: St Bartholomew, Corsham, Wiltshire

pp. 750-758.

342: St Mary, Buckland St Mary, Somerset


343: All Saints, Nynehead, Somerset
Henrietta Sanford. Died 24th of August 1837. Erected 1840.

History of Parliament: SANFORD, Edward Ayshford (1794-1871), of Nynehead Court, Wellington, Som. and 41
Grosvenor Street, Mdx.
pp. 314-315.

344: St Katherine, Savernake Forest, Wiltshire
Mary Caroline Brudenell-Bruce, 2nd Marchioness of Ailesbury. Died 20th of January 1892.


345: St Petrock, Little Petherick, Cornwall
Andalusia Louisa Charlotte Georgina Riley. Died 29th of February 1912.


Notes:
There seems to be no information on who Comper used to create the bronze effigy.

346: St Andrew, Mells, Somerset

Information in the church.

347: St Michael, Wilsford-cum-Lake, Wiltshire
Winifred (Wynlayne) Lodge. Died 2nd of September 1922.

Ancestry and FreeBMD entries.

348: St Mary and St Nicholas, Beaumaris, Anglesey
Possibly Eleanor de Montfort. Late 13th century.

Gray, M., ‘Four weddings, three funerals and a historic detective puzzle: a cautionary tale’ in Transactions of the Anglesey Antiquarian Society and

349: St Deiniol, Llanuwchllyn, Merionethshire
Ieuan ap Gruffydd ap Madog ap Iorwerth. Died 1398.

Lloyd, J. Y. W., The History of the Princes, the Lords Marcher, and the Nobility of Powys Fadog, Volume VI (London, 1887). p. 121

350: St Elidyr, Stackpole, Pembrokeshire
Probably Richard Stackpole. Mid-14th century.

Stackpole, E., History and Genealogy of the Stackpole Family (Maine, 1920).
351: St Mael and St Sulien, Corwen, Merionethshire
Iorwerth Sulien. Late 14th century.


Notes:
Westwood says that the monument was “recently cleaned so as to allow its features to be determined” (presumably cleaned of limewash) in 1846.

352: St Mary, Tenby, Pembrokeshire
Thomas and John White. Died 1482 and c.1500.


353: St Mary, Tenby, Pembrokeshire
Possibly John Denby. Died 1499.


354: All Saints, Gresford, Denbighshire
John Trevor. Died June 1589.


Notes:
Translation of inscription from *The Red Dragon*:
John Trevor, of Trevalyn, Esquire, the nineteenth from father to son from Tudor Trevor, died in London, in the month of June, 1589. His bones his son and heir, Sir Richard Trevor, caused to be moved to this burying place to rest with his ancestors, as he requested at leaving this world. The years of his youth he spent abroad in the wars of France, under King Henry VIII. ; the middle of his life he passed in travelling through foreign countries. His latter days he spent at home in the Government and service of his native country. He married Mary, daughter of George Bridges, Esquire, and had by her five sons and two daughters.”

355: St Nicholas, Montgomery, Montgomeryshire
Richard Herbert. Died 15th of October 1596 and 1627. Erected 1600.

356: St Illtyd, Llantrithyd, Glamorganshire

The Mansell family. Erected 1597.

History of Parliament: MANSELL, Anthony (?1532-1601 or later), of Llantrithyd, Glam.
Llantrithyd Register: Burial of Anthony Mansell, 13th of November 1604.

357: St Grwst, Llanrwst, Denbighshire

Sir John Wynn, Baronet and his wife Sydney. Died 1st of March 1627.

Wynn, J., History of the Gwydir Family (Oswestry, 1878). p. xvi, Table III, Table IV.

358: St Michael, Rudbaxton, Pembrokeshire

The Howard (Hayward) family. Erected between 1685 and 1692.


359: St Dyfnog, Llanrhaeadr-yng-Nghinmeirch, Denbighshire

Maurice Jones. Died 10th of January 1702/3.

Will of Maurice Jones: TNA PROB 11/469/409.

360: St Mary, Chirk, Denbighshire


History of Parliament: MYDDELTON (MIDDLETON), Sir Richard, 3rd Bt. (1655-1716), of Chirk Castle, Denb. and Soho Square, Westminster.
History of Parliament: MYDDELTON, Sir Richard, 3rd Bt. (1655-1716), of Chirk Castle, Denb.
History of Parliament: MYDDELTON, Sir Richard, 3rd Bt. (1655-1716), of Chirk Castle, Denb. and Soho Square, Westminster
361: St Mary, Haverfordwest, Pembrokeshire


History of Parliament: PHILIPPS, Sir John, 4th Bt. (c.1666-1737), of Picton Castle, Pemb.

362: All Saints, Gresford, Denbighshire
Christopher and Anne Arabella Parkins. Died 1843 and June 11th 1825.


363: St Cybi, Holyhead, Anglesey


364: St Deiniol, Hawarden, Flintshire


365: St Mary, Tenby, Pembrokeshire

FreeBMD Death: Henderson Betsy A 68 Pembroke 11a 1223.

Notes:

He died 18th of December 1923 (probate).
Curiously she does not appear in the 1881, 1891, 1901 or 1911 censuses.