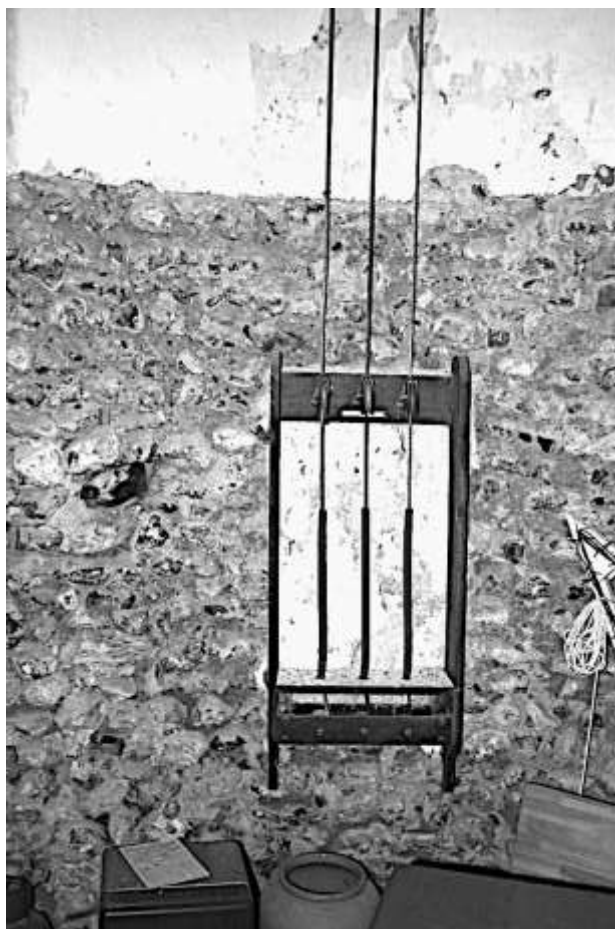


SOUTH ELMHAM AND DISTRICT LOCAL HISTORY GROUP



PROBATE INVENTORIES FROM ILKETSHALL

ST. MARGARET



Bell pulls at St. Margaret's church tower

Introduction

Probate inventories were lists of the moveable possessions of the recently dead, produced by local men under oath and presented to the appropriate ecclesiastical court with the will by the executrix or executor. These inventories were mandated by the probate courts from 1526 until the late eighteenth century. Without them probate would not be granted and the will of the testator could not be acted upon.

Now, more than four hundred years after they were written these documents give us insight into domestic interiors, farming, shop keeping, and rural trades. Each room is usually named and its contents listed. In addition, farm animals, farming equipment and tools of various trades are recorded. All these details are linked to the name of the deceased person; the name of the property never appears, but the number of rooms gives an impression of its size.

The Inventory Group of the South Elmham and District Local history Group have met at monthly intervals over seven years. Initially set up by the late Audrey McLaughlin we have puzzled over photocopies of microfilm, photographs of microfilm and photographs of original documents. In this publication we present our transcriptions beside the clearest copies of the original documents, the oldest first.

Most of the originals are held at The Norfolk Record Office in Norwich the remainder in The Ipswich Record Office.

There is an alphabetical list of all the names. Personal names are often the most difficult to transcribe and here reference to copies of the original inventories may help. We have made a glossary of words no longer in use with the help of 'A Researcher's Glossary of words found in historical documents of East Anglia' by David Yaxley and other reference books, for each parish. The spelling of all words varies greatly.

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Statement on Methods Used

The length of the project and change in personnel has resulted over time in some variance of method. However, the following conventions have been followed in most cases:

1. Contractions are expanded using brackets – gent(leman).
2. Roman numerals are converted to Arabic.
3. Values are tabulated to £ s d so that 14d becomes 00 01 02, even when these values are not tabulated in the original.
4. Numbers written in full are treated like any other word – fyve remains fyve.
5. Spelling is not corrected.
6. (-----) denotes something we have been unable to transcribe.
7. ^-----^ denotes an insertion above the line.
8. [] denotes words missing through damage etc.
9. [? ----] is used to suggest a possible transcription when the meaning is not obvious.

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An Inventory of all such goods moveables
and Jewells as were Symon Gryces
at the time of his death Edward
the sixth Robert Waterhouse Andrew
Kendall and John Fox of the
date of September the sixteenth
1606

Inprimis in the hall

- Item in the hall one longe table wth 4
frames
- Item fyve byned Chaires
- Item ij great chairs and fyve smale
- Item one Chubbord
- Item ij coffers and one chest
- Item one payer of doob front and fyve fute end
payer of long end and a fyve fute end wth
fron de gate and a Speck
- Item fyve Chestons
- Item one Bible one psalter
- Item one posted bed wth 4p. Clayne clothes one
fotter bed ij blankett and coverlett f^rom
bonstere one pillow one Chayn bed
- Item one Trumpe wth hood one ould paper bed
one flork bed and one bonstere and blankett
- Item one payer of be thonds one latten end
wth my p^r...
- Item ij ould silver spoons ij of the broken
- Item one ould latten glass and Choke wth sh^r...

In the low chamber

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Simon Gryce Yeoman Ilketshall St Margaret 1606/7 DN/INV 21/132B (1)

An Inventory of all such goodes, moveables
and chattells as were Symon Gryces
at the tyme of his death Seene vewed
and preysed Robert Battely Andrewe
Ruddock and John Foxe the 20th
daie of September Anno D(om)in(i) 1606

	Imprimis in the hall	£	s	d
It(e)m	in the hall one Longe table w(i)th the			
Frame		00	05	00
It(e)m	fyve joyned stoles	00	05	00
It(e)m	2 great chayers and three smale	00	03	00
It(e)m	one Cubbord	00	06	00
It(e)m	two coffers and one Cheste	00	03	00
It(e)m	One payer of cobbirons one fyer forke one payer of tongues and a fyer pan (and) one rost Iron a hake and a speete	00	03	04
It(e)m	fyve Chussons	00	02	06
It(e)m	one Bible one psalter	00	05	00
It(e)m	one posted bedd with the stayne clothes one fether bedd two blankettes one coverlett two bowsters one pillow one straw bedd	10	05	00
It(e)m	one Trundle bedstead one ould fether bed			
	one flock bedd one ould boulster one blankett	00	06	08
It(e)m	one payer of bellows one battelder one			
rowing pyn		00	00	04
It(e)m	four ould silver spones two of the(m) broken	00	14	00
It(e)m	one ould loking glasse one stoole & stickstane	00	00	08
		04	19	06

Simon Gryce Yeoman Ilkeshall St. Margaret 1606/7 DNV/INV 21/132B (2)

4 1/2 1/2 1/2 1/2
7 1/2 1/2 1/2

In the Tow Chamber
 I have one linnen bed head and foyer bult
 A foyer bult ij linnen foyers and one lett one
 payre of 23 linnen and one pillow
 I have one great coffen and desk
 I have one box
 I have my little poyre of linnen
 I have my small bene messells
 I have one little flap table
 I have one pecke of linnen pecke
 I have all the brass & pewter nly
 a drapping pan fying pan ij randles
 one mortar & pestle
 I have ij standes of yarrow
 I have iii wite fute and Claffe
 I have halfe a negg of brass
 I have one poyre of linnen and foyers
 I have all the apparrell
 I have my payre of foyers ij pillow bedded
 2 nappins pynne boudels ij table chelges
 I have ij combes of sylver
 I have ij tables one black one salt nly
 table
 In the Stopp

Simon Gryce Yeoman Ilketshall St. Margaret 1606/7 DNV/INV 21/132B (2)

	£	s	d
In the Low Chamber			
It(e)m one livery bedsteed one fether bedd }			
A straw bedd two bowlsters one cov(er)lett one }			
payer of Blankettes one pillow }	01	13	00
It(e)m one greate coffer one deske	00	04	00
It(e)m one box	00	06	00
It(e)m four little peeces of leather	00	01	00
It(e)m four small bone vessells	00	02	06
It(e)m one little flesh tubb	00	00	04
It(e)m one peck & three potts	00	00	06
It(e)m all the brasse & pewter w(i)th a dripping pan frying pan (and) two candlestickes	00	02	00
It(e)m one mortar & pestle	00	01	00
It(e)m six skaynes of yarne	00	02	00
It(e)m Three pitchforks one Staffe	00	01	00
It(e)m half a waye of Cheese	00	18	00
It(e)m one payer of mustard quernes	00	01	00
It(e)m all his apparrell	00	12	00
It(e)m four payer of sheetes six pillow beeres }			
ten napkins foure towels two table cloothes }	02	00	00
It(e)m three combes of Aples	00	03	00
It(e)m six Tubbes one Keeler on Salting keler	00	12	00
	<hr/> 07	13	(--)

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In the Shoppe

Item a coppie of working Cakes belonging to
 one black smythes trade
 Item one half ounce Iron
 Item one quarter weight of lead
 Item one plow and wheels
 Item one form
 Item one payre of Stocks and beam
 Item one bonde w^{ch} rentage of five small pence
 of wood
 Item one tye of presse and tye of bands
 5th 12th int

At Salts warte

Item one bedstead w^{ch} one payre
 one great Table w^{ch} one small tynke in
 all the value of
 Item one long Table w^{ch} a framety
 and one long Chbe
 Item one little maye
 Item one mylde tyme
 Item one bill obligatory
 3th 11th 2d

Robert Kattel

Judas de Dudding
Johu ffay

Simon Gryce Yeoman Ilketshall St. Margaret 1606/7 DNV/INV 21/132B (3)

In the Shoppe

It(e)m All his working Tooles belonging to blacksmythes trade	02	00	00
It(e)m all the ould iron	00	05	00
It(e)m one quarter wayte of leade	00	04	00
It(e)m one plow and wheles	00	02	00
It(e)m one Form	00	00	10
It(e)m one payer of scales and beame	00	02	00
It(e)m six bords w(i)th certeyn other smale peces of woode	00	04	00
It(e)m one Chese press and chese bords	00	15	00
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	05	12	10

At Hallesworth

It(e)m one bedstedd four Curteynes one chayer one great Tubb w(i)th other small thinges in all to the value of	01	00	00
It(e)m one longe Table w(i)th a frame } and one longe Stole }	00	10	00
It(e)m one little nagge	02	00	00
It(e)m foure mylch kyne	08	00	00
It(e)m one bill obligatory	04	15	00
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	16	05	00

£32. 11s. 2d.

Robert Battely

Andrew Ruddock
John Fox

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A true Just & perfete

Invention of all such goods as late now
 Richard Marshall yeoman of the parish of
 St. Margaret of the Whitechapel in the County
 of Middlesex being deceased his last will
 & testament by writing bearing date the
 20th day of August 1617
 of the said Richard Marshall yeoman of the
 parish of St. Margaret of the Whitechapel in the
 County of Middlesex deceased his last will
 & testament by writing bearing date the
 20th day of August 1617

Supremis

for so much as by the said will
 is contained that the said Richard Marshall
 doth give unto the said Richard Marshall
 his son the sum of ten pounds
 the said Richard Marshall his son
 to be paid unto him the said Richard Marshall
 his son the sum of ten pounds
 the said Richard Marshall his son
 the sum of ten pounds

Item his Appoint

Thomas Dickman

William Goche

the Clerk

Richard Dickman

In witness whereof I the said
 Richard Marshall yeoman of the parish
 of St. Margaret of the Whitechapel in the
 County of Middlesex deceased his last will
 & testament by writing bearing date the
 20th day of August 1617

Richard Marshall Yeoman, St. Margaret 1617/18 DN/INV 28/142

A true Just & perfete
 Inventory of all such goodes as late were
 Richard Marshall while he lyved late
 of St Margaretts of Ilketshall in the County
 of Suff(olk) singleman seene viewed valued
 & prised by Will(ia)m Gooche Thomas Pretyman
 Rob(er)te Richman gent the twentieth daie
 of Marche 1617:

Inprimis	fyve sev(er)all bonds to be paid in	}	
	fyve sev(er)all years after that the Richard should	}	
	have had accomlishe his age of 21 yeres	}	
	for the paiem(en)te of tenne pounds a peece	}	£50.00.00.
It(e)m	his App(ar)ell		£ 1.00.00.

Thomas Pretiman
 Willim Gooche
 Ro. Richman

Hugh Ashley clerk Ilkeshall St Margaret 1625/6 DN/INV 32/24 (1)

An Inventorie of all the goods, & chattels of
 Mr Hugh Ashley, Vicar of St Margaret of
 Ilkeshall, who deceased, taken & priced the 11th day
 of May, in the year 1625, by Mr Thomas King,
 Clerk, Robert Booth, & John Massey.

In the hall $\frac{10}{10} - \frac{6}{0} - \frac{0}{0}$

In the hall.
 The a long table, a linnen table, two turboard
 two chairs, eight stools, one forme, a pair of
 andirons, a fire pan, & long, & other lumber
 $\frac{3}{3} - \frac{10}{10} - \frac{0}{0}$

In the parlour.

The one posted bedstead, as it stands furnished
 with a featherbed, a bolster, two pillows, a
 coverlet, two blankets, & furniture: and a
 table, two desks, two chairs, four quissinges
 with some lumber $\frac{7}{7} - \frac{17}{17} - \frac{0}{0}$

In the parlour chamber.

The a posted bedstead furnished with a featherbed,
 bolster, & two pillows, & blankets, & a coverlet,
 & a linnen bed as it is furnished, two chests,
 linen, & some lumber $\frac{20}{20} - \frac{4}{4} - \frac{0}{0}$

In the gate chamber.

The a plain posted bed as it stands furnished, a pillow,
 a spinning wheel, a fagg-saw, & other lumber
 $\frac{3}{3} - \frac{10}{10} - \frac{0}{0}$

In the buttrie chamber.

The a linnen bed as it is furnished
 with other lumber $\frac{1}{1} - \frac{10}{10} - \frac{0}{0}$

In the buttrie:

Hugh Ashley clerk Ilketshall St Margaret 1625/6 DN/INV 32/24 (1)

An Inventorie of all the goods, & chattals of
M(aster) Hughe Ashley, Vicar of S(ain)t Margrets of
Ilketshall late deceased, taken & prised the 4th Day
of May in the year 1625 by M(aster) Henrie King,
Clark, Robert Gooch, & John Marshall.

		£	s	d
	Imprimis his books & apparrell	16	02	04
	In the Hall			
It(e)m	a long table, a liverie table, two cupboards three chairs, eight stooles, one forme, a pair of andirons, a fire pan, & tongs, & other lumber	03	10	00
	In the Parlour			
It(e)m	One posted bedsteed, as it stands furnished With a featherbed a boulder, two pillows, a Coverlet, two blankets, & curtains and a Table, two desks, two chairs, fower quishings with some lumber	07	17	00
	In the Parlour Chamber			
It(e)m	A posted bedsteed furnished with a featherbed & boulder, & two pillows, & blankets, & a Coverlett, & a liverie bed as it is furnished, two chists, linnen, & some lumber	20	04	00
	In the hall chamber			
It(e)m	a plain posted bed as it stands furnished, a still, a spinning wheel, a hagg-saw, & other lumber	03	10	00
	In the buttrie chamber			
It(e)m	a liverie bed as it is furnished with other lumber	01	10	00

In lfe buttrie:
 Thw. powder, brass, five silver spoons, a laltz puse,
 spoils, beer vessels, diverse other small vases/ells,
 & lumber 2 ————— 6-11-0

In lfe daries
 Thw. one of y^e press, milk-vessels, teapots/ells, &
 other lumber 2 ————— 1-14-0

In lfe barbycons
 Thw. A topser, malt quern, a tubb & other lumber
 2 ————— 1-14-0

In lfe pastures
 Thw. five milke towes, one yast tow, two yunge geese
 & one mare 2 ————— 28-0-0

In lfe barns
 Thw. a yamp, yew ladders, a trowd barrow, & other
 lumber 2 ————— 0-15-0

In lfe yards
 Thw. one bell, two piggs, & wals/doors ell
 is lfe 2 ————— 0-16-0

Suma tot 2 ————— 86-1-0

Opinio v^o King Ep^o in dat quiri juan
 Salt Charles tenor subur h^olandia p^o
 John marshall p^o marg^oth^o 01/3/24 vid^o de p^o
 2 b^oh^o d^o d^o p^o u^o u^o u^o

Hugh Ashley clerk Ilketshall St Margaret 1625/6 DN/INV 32/24 (2)

It(e)m	In the buttrie pewter, brasse, five silver spoons, a latchpan, speets, beer vessels, & diverse other small utensels , & lumber	06	11	00
It(e)m	In the darie one cheese presse, milk vessels, cheesefats & other lumber	01	14	00
It(e)m	In the backhouse A copper, maltquearns, a tubb & other lumber	01	14	00
It(e)m	In the pastures five milch coves, one gast cove, twoo yonge heafers and one mare	28	00	00
It(e)m	In the barne hemp, three ladders, a crowd barrow, & other lumber	00	15	00
It(e)m	In the yarde one shott, twoo pigs, & whatsoever els is there	00	16	00
	Suma tot	£86	2s	0d.

Henrie King

Rob(er)t Gooch

John Marshall

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At this first & perfect indenture of all
 that good & lawfull & honest & lawfull
 which the Lord into of the Margratt of
 Scotland in the county of South Argyll
 have binne & shal be by John
 James Spalding and John Macphail the
 Twelveth day of May 1625.

James the second hand for the payment of Twelve
 pounds a pair //

£100 in silver money, which he did buy without hand.	20
£100 in ready money	20
£100 Two ffelings of Haron //	20
£100 out of the	20
£100 for apparel his, Lyman and macon	20

Summa totalis. Dicitur ad 100 John Macphail

By this our first indenture
 the said James the second
 the said John Macphail
 the said John Macphail

James Spalding
 John Macphail

Reynold Sampson Singleman St. Margaret Ilk. 1625 DN/INV 32/30

A true Just & perfecte Inventory of all
such goodes as late were Reynolde Sampsons
while he lyved late of St Margrets of
Ilkitsall in the county of Suff(olk) singleman
sene viewed valued & prised by John Fox
James Spatchet and John Marshall the
Thirtene day of May 1625:

		£	s	d
Inprimis	two several bonds for the payment of three Pounds a peice	06	00	00
It(e)m	in other money which he did lend without bond	05	02	00
It(e)m	in Ready money	00	10	00
It(e)m	Two Fitches of Bacon	01	04	00
It(e)m	one mare	10	00	00
It(e)m	his apparrell both Lynnen and woollen	03	00	00

Summa totalis £17. 16. 00.

John Fox

James Spatchett
John Marshall

William Ashly Singleman 1685 Ilketshall St Margaret DN/INV64/132 (1)

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An Inventory of goods & chattels found
 = stuff & implements of household & other the
 personal estate of William Ashly late of
 St Margarets Ilketshall in the County of Suffe
 Singleman appriced by us whose names are
 hereunto subscribed the thurliche day of March
 in the first year of our Sovereign Lord King
 James the second. Annoq^{mo} Domini 1685.

In the Bed-chamber

The Bed & Bedstead with cover blanket	003 : 00 : 00
Bolster & rug as it standeth	00 : 03 : 00
An hanging cupboard	00 : 03 : 00
A chest	00 : 10 : 00
His wearing apparel & linen	00 : 10 : 00

In the Kitchen

A Drawing Table and six joynal stools	01 : 00 : 00
A small Table	00 : 03 : 00
3 chairs and two long stools	00 : 06 : 00
A pair of Bellows / A Cob-iron / A fire pan	00 : 03 : 06
A pair of tongs and a spit	00 : 01 : 00
A pair of tongs and a spit	00 : 01 : 00
In the little Buttery	00 : 01 : 00
Two pewter dishes	00 : 04 : 00
Two pewter dishes and 2 stools	00 : 04 : 00
Two earthen plates and an earthen dish	00 : 00 : 00

In the Great Buttery

A Brewing Tub A Cup and a Tunnell	00 : 04 : 00
A little iron-pot and Pot-hooks	00 : 02 : 06
A Brass Kettle A Grid-iron a sieve A frying pan	00 : 10 : 00
A Brass Kettle A small Kettle and a	00 : 04 : 00

William Ashly Singleman 1685 Ilketshall St Margaret DN/INV64/132 (1)

An Inventory of goods & chattels Houshold stuff & implem(en)ts of houshold & other the personal estate of William Ashly late of St Margarets Ilketshal in the county of Suff(olk) singleman appraised by us whose names are hereunder subscribed this thirtieth day of March in the first yeare of o(ur) Sov(e)igne Lord King James the second Anno (?) Domini 1685.

In the Bedchamber	£	s	d
The Bed on bedstead matt cord blanket bolster & rugg as it standeth	03	00	00
An Hanging cupboard	00	03	00
A Chest	00	03	00
His wearing apparel & linnen	00	10	00
In the Kitchin			
A drawing Table and six joyned stools	01	00	00
A small table	00	03	00
three chairs and two long stools	00	06	00
A pair of Bellows 4 Cob-iron A firepan			}
A pair of tongs and a spit	00	03	06
A Hake and a pan	00	01	00
In the little Butterie			
Two pewter dishes	00	01	00
Two Ferkins and an Ale stoole	00	04	00
Two earthen plates and a earthen dish	00	00	08
In the Great Butterie			
A Brewing tub A cup and a Tunnell	00	04	00
A little iron pot and pot hooke	00	02	06
A Brass Kettle A Grid-iron a sieve A frying pan			}
	00	10	00

William Ashly Singleman 1685 Ilketshall St Margaret DN/INV64/132 (2)

frying pan ————— }
 A deep Kettle & small Kettle and a } 00 . 04 . 00
 washing - bowl ————— }
 A great ~~one~~ Cupboard with drawers — 00 . 05 . 00
 A long Cupboard and an Almirah and } 00 . 05 . 00
 a great stool ————— }
 A Dresser ————— 00 . 03 . 00
 A Case of shelves and other things — 00 . 01 . 06
 Two pecke of Hops ————— 00 . 06 . 00

 In the Hall
 A hook a hatchet 3 Iron wedges } 00 . 04 . 00
 a Mattock and other Lumber }

 In the Chamber
 A sizer & sacks two footes — 00 . 05 . 00
 A Bushell ————— 00 . 01 . 06
 The wood in the yard ————— 01 . 00 . 00

 In the stable
 Two saddles a fork a Rake a hay croni 00 . 03 . 00
 A pair of langwells on a lock — 00 . 02 . 00

 In the money Millstone and } 10
 Gasperate }
 Lumber and things ~~omitted~~ } 00 . 02 . 00
 In all ————— 09 . 13 . 05

 Jo: Stratford & Co: Wm: 40 m fr & Co
 —————

William Ashly Singleman 1685 Ilketshall St Margaret DN/INV64/132 (2)

A deep kellar A small Kellar and a washing bowl	}	00	04	00
A great Cupboard w(i)th drawers	}	00	05	00
A Long Cupboard and an Ale stoole And a great stoole	}	00	05	00
A dresser	}	00	03	00
A case of shelves and other things	}	00	01	06
Two poke of hops	}	00	06	00

In the Hall

A hooke a hatchet 3 Iron wedges a mattock and other lumber	}	00	04	00
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In the Chamber

A sithe 4 sacks two forkes		00	05	00
A Bushel		00	01	06
the wood in the yard		01	00	00

In the stable

Two Ladders a forke a Rake a hay crome		00	03	00
A pair of Langnills and a lock		00	02	00

Debts

In ready money Debtssperate and desperate	}	10	00	00
Lumber and things omitted	}	00	02	00

In all		<u>19</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>08</u>
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Jo. ?Theatford Tho(mas) Pomfrett

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A True Inventory of the goods and Chattels of Elizabeth Healey widow of Mr. Marguett Ilketshall in the County of Suffolk deceased appraised the 25 day of Aug: 1711 by us whose names and handwrittes are written as followeth

All the Goods in the parcell appraised at	03 - 12 - 00
All the Goods in the Buttery appraised at	00 - 19 - 03
All the Goods in the Chamber appraised at	05 - 16 - 09
All the Goods in the Closet	00 - 13 - 08
All Silver Lining of Clothes, plate and ready money all appraised & Lumber	18 - 03 - 08
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Total is 24 - 05 - 04	

Appraised the 25 Day of August by us -
whose names and handwrittes are written

Richard Atkinson
his mark
Roger M. Grimble

In witness whereof we have subscribed our names at London the 25th day of August 1711

Elizabeth Healy widow Ilketshall St. Margaret 1711 DN/INV 71/120

A Trew Inventory of the goods and Chattels of
Elizabeth Healy widow of S(ain)t Margarett
Ilkenshall in the County of Suffolk Disseaced
Apprized the 20 day of August 1711 By us whose
names are hereunder written as followeth.

		£	s	d
Imp(rimis)	All the Goods in the parller Apprized at	01	12	00
	All the Goods in the Buttry Apprized at	00	19	03
	All the Goods in the Chamber Apprized at	05	16	09
	All the Goods in the Clossett Apprized at	00	13	08
	All Her Lining A clothes & plate and } Ready mony all Apprized & Lumber }	15	03	08
	total is	24	05	04

Apprized the 20th day of August by us
whose names are hereunder written

Richeard Atkinson

his mark

Rogger Grimble

In Inventory of all the Simples the Chittell
 Jewells Goods Cuttells & Divers other Stuff and
 Implem^ts of the said St. Margaret of Ilkeshall
 Constance Sister of St. Margaret
 Ilkeshall in the County of Suffexeman
 taken & valued and appoyzed the
 eight day of December in the year of
 our Lord 1714: by M^r Samuel Dwyer
 & M^r Symon Butler

The wearing apparel of the said St. Margaret
 ready money 700 : 00 : 00
 Divers Jewells and desperate 17 : 01 : 00

In the Parter

One feather bed as in furniture as
 it stands 703 : 10 : 00
 One ch. Chest and one Dresser 00 : 06 : 00
 One long table & one round table
 one set of chairs one pair of
 Bedsteads two Cushions & a little chest 01 : 00 : 00

In the Cell

One long table here formed & stait
 Joyner & Colly 00 : 15 : 00
 One yoke of oxen & other things 00 : 07 : 00
 Five ch. stools one small table here
 one Cushion & a little round stool 00 : 06 : 00
 One ch. stool & two iron Crucibles 01 : 00 : 00
 One pair of Bedsteads & here payn of things 00 : 05 : 00

William Constance St Margaret Ilketshall 1714 DN/INV 71/250 (1)

An Invontary of all & Singler the Chattels
 Credditts Goods Cattell houshold Stuff and
 Implem(ent)s of houshold of Will(ia)m
 Constance late of St Margaretts
 Ilketshall in the County of Suff(olk) yeoman
 Dec(ease)d taken valeued and apprized the
 Eight day of December in the yeare of
 o(ur) Lord God 1714 by Mr Samuell Harper
 & Mr Symon Barber.

	£	s	d
The wearing apparell of the (?Deceased) ready money	08	00	00
Debts Good and desperate	17	01	00
In the Parler			
One fether bedd w(i)th its furniture as it stands	03	10	00
One old Cupboard & one Prese	00	06	00
One long table six joynd stools four old Lether Chaires one payer of Cobirons three Cushings & a (-----) basket	01	00	00
In the Hall			
One long Table tooe formes & seaven joynd stools	00	15	00
One Glass Keepe & one other Keepe	00	17	00
Five old chaires one small table tooe old Cushings one little joynd stoole	00	06	00
One old C(o)ffer & tooe iron Bracketts	01	00	00
One payer of Cobirons & tooe payer of tongs	00	05	00

William Constance St. Margaret Ilkeshall 1714 DN/INV71/250 (2)

One payer of Beavers & hore payer of hore 00 : 05 : 00
 In the Butcherie
 Six Beers of Beavers & hore payer of hore
 three ch. of Beavers & hore payer of Mustard 00 : 12 : 00
 Querns
 One ch. of Beavers & hore payer of Beers 00 : 01 : 00
 Two Iron Hells one iron Hells one
 frying Pan & three iron Hedges 00 : 11 : 00
 In the Kitchen
 One payer of Beavers hore & hore 00 : 07 : 00
 & of hore pan
 Three Spectles one Jar & one Smocking iron 00 : 06 : 00
 Two ch. hells one ferret & three Chisels 00 : 06 : 00
 Staron Holes Dish: one pector: basin
 One herring & three small: fish 00 : 15 : 00
 One & sixing iron a payer of fish
 Six herring: one & hore one payer of
 herring: one herring: one payer of
 herring: one ch. hells: one
 One Gun 00 : 03 : 00
 In the Barthouse
 Three Eggs: one Drill 01 : 15 : 00
 One ch. of fish: hore hore hore 00 : 15 : 00
 D4 00 : 38 : 00

William Constance St. Margaret Ilketshall 1714 DN/INV71/250 (2)

In the Butteries

Six beere vessells One powdring tubb	}			
three old (-----) one payer of Mustard	}			
Quernes	}	00	12	06
One old Cupboard & one (-----)		00	01	06
Twoe Iron Potts one iron kittle one	}			
frying Pan & three iron wedges	}	00	11	00

In the Kitching

One payer of Cobirons twoe Hanks & one fire pan		00	07	00
Twoe Speets one Jack & one smoothing iron		00	06	00
Twoe tables one forme & three Chaires		00	06	06
Seaven Pewter Dishes one pewter basen	}			
One Porringer & three Candlesticks	}	00	15	00
One Dripping Pan a payer of flesh forks	}			
six trenchers one (?scomer) one payer of	}			
(-----) one Gridiron one payer of	}			
bellows & one old Wool wheele	}	00	05	06
One Gunn		00	03	00

In the Backhouse

Three Coppers & one Skillitt		01	15	00
One Cheese Press three tubbs & four payls		00	15	00

Total		38	08	00
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John Sampson St. Margaret Ilk. 1718 FE1/12/28



A true and perfect Inventory of all the Goods and
 Chattels of John Sampson late of St. Margarets
 Ilkeshall in the County of Suff^s Forwaded as followeth

	l ^s	s ^d	d ^{rs}
Impris - One Bed as it stands	2	0	0
Linnen	0	12	6
One Iron Kettle one Fryng pan one Chafing Dish & one Skillet	10	6	0
Four Beer bottles one old pail & a Tunnell	0	2	6
Two Kellers one Earthen Bottle & a Cream pot	0	2	0
porcer	0	9	0
Earthen ware	0	0	4
A pestle a Mortar two Candlesticks and one pair of Tiders	0	1	6
Two joynt Stools one Chest & one Table	0	7	6
Two Chairs	0	1	0
One Firepan one pair of Handirons and one pair of Bellows	10	9	0
his wearing apparoll	2	0	0
Moneys upon Bonds	45	0	0
Books Debt's good & bad	62	18	9
	57	16	7

Valued & appraised the 24th Day of
 January Anno Dom^o 1718 by us Notaries
 named and subscribed

Andrew Pett
 John Goldring

John Sampson St. Margaret Ilk. 1718 FE1/12/28

A True and perfect Inventory of all the Goods and
Chatels of John Sampson late of S(ain)t Margarets
Ilketshall in the County of Suff(olk) Deceased as followeth

	£	s	d
Impri(mi)s One Bed as it stand	2	0	0
Linnen	0	12	6
One Iron Kettle one Frying pan one Chafing Dish } & one Skillet }	0	6	0
Four Beer Vessells one old pail & a Tunell	0	2	6
Two Kelers one Earthon Bottle & a Cream pot	0	2	0
pewter	0	5	0
Earthan Ware	0	0	4
A pestel a mortar two Candlesticks and one pair } of Shears }	0	1	6
Two joynt Stooles one Chest & one Table	0	7	6
Two Chairs	0	1	0
One Firepan one pair of handirons and one } Pair of Bellows }	0	5	0
His Wareing Apparel	2	0	0
Moneys upon Bonds	45	0	0
Booke Debts good & bad	6	13	3
	<u>57</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>7</u>

Valued & appraised the 24th Day of
January Anno Dom(ini) 1718 by us whose
Names are here underwritten

Andrew Raffé
John Holding

John Golding Linen Weaver St. Margaret Suffolk 1721 FE1/14/70



An Inventory of the goods and chattels of
John Golding late of St. Margaret in the County of Suffolk
Linen Weaver deceased. Valued & certified by Justina
Kinn & Benjamin Primrose the 20th day of
November one thousand seven hundred twenty one
as followeth

Inventory a bed as it stand with curtain & coverlet	£ 8 8
two benches one willow mat & line	13 0 0
It. one set of cupboard and little table one chair	0 4 4
It. two rooms of whitewash	1 6 0
It. four boxes of flints two willow boxes fine flints	17 0
It. nine North shillings	0 15 0
It. the new chest	0 5 6
It. the spinning wheel	0 9 3
It. five sacks of stone & salt of home	0 12 6
It. the old shoes	0 17 0
It. the scum and all that belong to the weaver	2 0 0
It. his horse and bridles & saddle	2 10 0
It. his bonds and bills good and bad & ready money	168 0 0
It. his wearing apparel	3 0 0
	<u>184 16 7</u>

Justina Kinn
Benjamin Primrose

John Goulding Linen Weaver St. Margaret Suffolk 1721 FE1/14/70

An Inventory of the goods and chattles of
 John Golding late of S(ain)t Margreat in the County of Suffolk
 Lynning Weaver deceased. Valued & apprized by Johna
 Nunn & Benjiman Primrose the three & twentyth day of
 November one thousand seven hundred & twenty one
 as Followeth

	£	s	d
Imprimis a bed as it stand with curtin a coverlet			
two Bousters one pillow mat & line	03	00	00
Itt(em) one p(ai)r of cupboard one little table one chaire	00	04	04
Itt(em) two coome of Wheat	01	06	00
Itt(em) four payer of sheets two pillowbers five shoits	01	17	00
Itt(em) nine neck clorths	00	15	00
Itt(em) the new clorth	00	05	06
Itt(em) the lynning yarne	00	09	03
Itt(em) five sacks a stone & half of hemp	00	12	06
Itt(em) the old selver	00	17	00
Itt(em) the Loom and all that belong to the weaver	02	00	00
Itt(em) his Horse and bridle & sadle	02	10	00
Itt(em) his Bonds and bills good and bad & ready money	168	00	00
Itt(em) his Wearing apparriall	<u>03</u>	<u>00</u>	<u>00</u>
	184	16	07

Johna Nunn
 Benj(ami)n Primrose

Anne Hillyard widow St. Margaret Ilkeshall 1727 FE1/18/19 (1)

All Property of the Goods & Chattels of Anne Hillyard of St. Margaret Ilkeshall in the County of Salts. Lond. Apprais'd upon the 20th day of September A.D. 1727. by her Executors whose names are hereunder written. ————

C. D. D.
60.00.00.

Sept 26. Cows & a Bull	09:00:00
£ 3. hirsers, 3 Calves & a year old bull	06:00:00
£ 12 hogs	14:00:00
£ 5 Cart horses	
£ 1 one Cart & 2 old wheels, plough & harrows Roll add of Harrows together make	03:00:00
£ 22 Load of hay	24:00:00
£ for the Barley in the Barn	05:00:00
£ for the Cuts in the Barn	07:10:00
£ for the Peas in the Barn	02:05:00
£ for the Peas in the Barn	03:00:00
£ for 2 Cows of Wheat Samely	00:15:00
£ for the Bed in the greater Chamber as it stand	04:00:00
£ all the Lining	07:00:00
£ a Chest and 4 Boxes	00:06:00
£ a Stand and 2 Chairs	00:01:06
£ for Tow	00:02:00
£ a looking Glass	00:01:06
£ for the Gown & the Coat	00:04:00
£ one Matt	00:02:06
£ for her wearing Apparel	02:00:00
£ for 3 spinning Wheels 2 old Lodes & 1 penell and other Lumber	01:00:00
£ for 9 beseles & 16 stools & a Duddering Tab	00:19:00
£ in the hall 10 Chairs a little Table & a Keop and 2 Piers of Dogions	00:14:00
£ all the things in the Buttery	00:14:00
£ for things in the Kitchen	04:10:00
£ for eleven pewer Dishes	01:04:00
£ a doz. & half of pewer Plates & one Basin and four pottagers	00:14:00
	19.
	164:02:06.

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Anne Hillyard widow Ilketshall St Margaret 1727 FE1/18/19

An Inventory of the Goods & Chattles of Anne
Hillyard of S(ain)t Marg(aret) Ilketshall in the County of Suff(olk) Wid(ow).
Apprised upon the 20th day of September A(nno) D(omini) 1727 By [?us]
whose Names are hereunder written

	£	s	d
Impri(mis) 26 Cowes & a Bull	68	00	00
It(em) 3 heifers, 3 Calves & a year old bull	09	00	00
It(em) 12 hoggs	06	00	00
It(em) 5 Cart horses	12	00	00
It(em) one Cart & 2 old wheels, plough & harrows Roll and } Harness together make }	03	00	00
It(em) 22 Load of hay	24	00	00
It(em) for the Barley in the Barn	05	00	00
It(em) for the Oats in the Barn	07	10	00
It(em) for the Peases in the Barn	02	05	00
It(em) for the Pightle of Turneps	03	00	00
It(em) for 2 Acres of Wheat Samely	00	15	00
It(em) for the Bed in the parlor Chamber as it Stand	04	00	00
It(em) all the Lining	07	00	00
It(em) a Chistt and 11 Boxes	00	06	00
It(em) a Stand and 2 Chairs	00	01	06
It(em) for Tow	00	02	00
It(em) a looking Glass	00	01	06
It(em) for the Gown & the Coat	00	11	00
It(em) one Hatt	00	02	06
It(em) for her wearing Apparel	02	00	00
It(em) for 3 Spining Wheels 2 old Sadles & 1 panell+other lumber	01	00	00
It(em) for 9 Vessels 2 Ale Stools & a Poudering tub	00	19	00
It(em) in the hall 10 Chairs a little Table & a Keep and 2 Pair } of Dogirons }	00	14	00
It(em) All the things in the Buttrey	00	14	00
It(em) For things in the Kitchen	04	10	00
It(em) For Eleven pewter Dishes	01	04	00
It(em) A doz(en) & half of pewter plates & one Bason } and four porringers }	00	14	00
	164	02	06

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Glossary of unusual words

Battelder	Flat wooden bat used in washing clothes or smoothing linen
Cobbirons	Pair of upright iron bars with hooks to support spits across the open fire
Chussons	Cushions
Flesh tubb	Wooden tub for pickling meat in brine
Fitches of bacon	Side of a pig
Gast cowe	Barren cow or heifer
Keeler	Wide shallow bowl used for cooling liquid like milk
Langnills	A horse hobble
Latchpan	Pan placed underneath the spit to catch the drips
Mattock	A wooden handle with socketed iron or steel head, having a blade on one side and a pick like point on the other
Mylch Kyne	Milking cow
Peck	A measure of capacity, two gallons or a quarter of a Bushell
Porringer	Bowl for pottage
Powdering tub	Vessel for salting or pickling meat
Shoits	Sheets
Trundle bed	Low bed on wheels that can be stowed under another bed