



# *Inquisition*

## *West Harnham*

### **Nicholas de Kyngestone 1323**

*Inquisition taken at Sarum before the King's escheator, 12<sup>th</sup> April, 16 Edward [II (1323)], by the oath of Peter de Tidolside, Richard atte Halle, Adam Bartelot, Henry Rich. Robert Symme, Nicholas Harlestone, William Ric[h], John Brademere, Robert de Clandone, Henry Codyn, Ralph atte Mulle, William Quintyn, and William Serle, who say that*

Nicholas de Kyngestone held in his demesne as of fee on the day he died one messuage and one carucate of land in Westharnham of Alan Plokenett by the service of the sixth part of one knight's fee. There are there 119 acres of arable land, 40 acres of which are worth per annum 10s., price of the acre 3d. ; and 79 acres are worth per annum 9s. 10½d., price of the acre 1½d. There are there 18½ acres of meadow that may be mown, which are worth per annu, 37s., price of the acre 2s. The pasture there is worth per annum 19s. 6d. at the four principal terms of the year by equal portions for all services. There are there 6 natives holding the villenage, whose rents and services are worth per annum 45s. 6d., to be received at the same terms. The perquisites of the court there are worth per annum 12d. Sum-total 126s. 10½d.

### Wynterbourne

The said Nicholas held in his demesne as of fee on the day on which he died one messuage and one virgate of land, containing 25½ acres of meadow in Wynterbourne, Schirneton, and Nettleton of the heirs of John de Sancto Laudo by the service of 10s. yearly for all services, and it is worth 13s. 4d. yearly beyond the said service ; and one messuage and one virgate of land, containing 25 acres from the Abbess of Lacok, by the service of 8s. yearly for all services, and they are worth 15s. yearly beyond the said service ; and one virgate, containing 25½ acres of meadow there, from William Bynnebury by the service of 1d. yearly for all services, worth 16s. yearly beyond the said service ; and one messuage and half a virgate of land, containing 12½ acres of land and half a meadow there, from the Prior of St. Dennis by the service of 6s. 8d. yearly for all services, and they are worth 6s. 8d. beyond the said service ; and 11½ acres of land and half an acre of meadow there from the said heirs of John de Sancto Laudo, by the service of one rose yearly, worth 6s. 8d. yearly. The said Nicholas had 50s. yearly rent there arising from five free tenants, payable at the four usual terms of the year, besides which they owe suit to the lord's court twice yearly. Sum-total, 107s. 8d.

### Orcheston'

The said Nicholas held in his demesne as of fee on the day he died on messuage and 4 virgates of land in Orcheston St George from John de Bonham by the service of 30s. yearly for all services, worth yearly 21s. beyond the said service ; and one messuage and one virgate of land there of the Earl of Winchester by the service of 4s. yearly for all services, worth yearly 17s. beyond the said service. Sum-total, 38s.

#### Langeford'

The said Nicholas held as above one messuage and 3 virgates of land in Stupellangeford' from Oliver de Ingham and the heirs of Laurence de St. Martin, by the service of 4s. yearly, worth 16s. yearly beyond the said service. Sum-total, 12s.

#### Corselegh

The said Nicholas held as above one messuage and 70 acres of arable land and 5 acres of meadow, and a moiety of the profit of one mill, in Corslegh, from Henry Sturmy, and John de Lucy, by the service of 10s. and one rose yearly for all services, worth yearly 35s. beyond the said service. He also had there 10s. 1d. yearly rent arising from divers tenants, payable at the four usual terms of the year. Sum-total, 55s. 1d.

#### Stapelford'

The said Nicholas held as above one messuage with a curtilage and other appurtenances in Stapelford from the Earl of Winchester and Henry Sturmy, by the service of 6d. yearly, worth 4s. beyond the said service. Sum-total, 4s. Total of all, £18 12s. 7½d. Two parts thereof is £12 8s. 5d., one-third £6 4s. 2½d.

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