

Extracts from Winterbourne Gunner Parish Register

1661

Henry Johnes Orrator ibidem Timothy Pickhaner ibid Rector

1673

Mem'dum – The seat set up in ye chauncell at ye upper end on ye south side thereof by Mr. Bee, with my consent and by me leave in ye time of Cromwell was by agreement vz bweene us, to continue his for ye use of him and his family for so longe time only as he and I should both live in this P[ar]ish but now he being deceased it remaines to me and ye succeeding Ministrie of this P[ar]ish, and was left and resignned to me by Mr. Bee before his death at his departure out of this P[ar]ish into ye P[ar]ish of Downton. So if ye succeeding owners of or Inhabitants in ye ffarme w[hi]ch he here sold & in w[hi]ch he lived when he set up the seat have no right in, nor any authority to lay clayme to the seat.

So testified by me Jo. Burnley Rectr. Octobr 6th 1673

Opc note: Matthew Bee buried 1671?

1722

Dec 29: Sepultus est Edwardus Strong A.M. Lujus Ecclesia Rector Dignistimus Collegii Balio Sensisolim Socius Lornamentum Et omnium ubig Erudiforum delicice G:G:

Source: Parish Register 1573-1746