

OLNCN 788

Old Olney deeds

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OLNCN 788.1 Counterpart lease between Parish Trustees and Nathaniel Frents 26.2.1683 for a house in Moore Close, Olney.

OLNCN 788.2 Counterpart lease between Parish Trustees and William Robinson 26.2.1683 for a house in Horsepond Head, Olney for seven years.

OLNCN 788.3 Counterpart lease between Parish Trustees and Thomas West 26.2.1683 for a house in Olney for seven years.

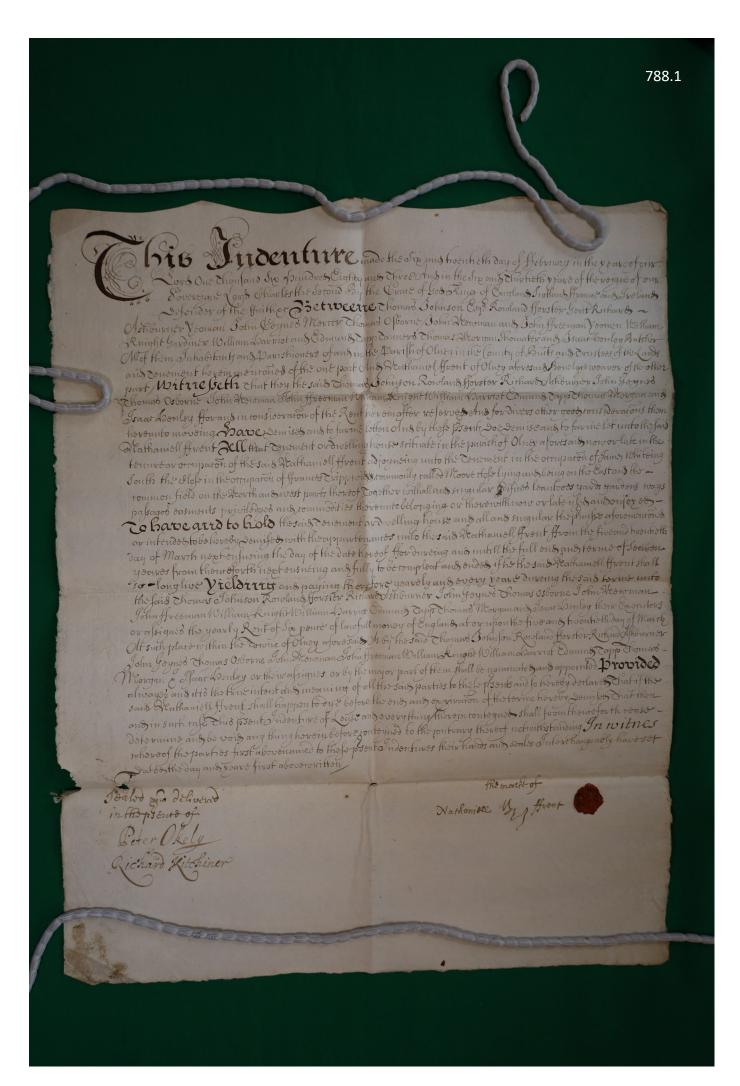
OLNCN 788.4 Counterpart lease between Parish Trustees and Martha Dickason 26.2.1683 for a house in Horsepond Head, Olney for seven years.

OLNCN 788.5 Counterpart lease between Parish Trustees and John Phillips 26.2.1683 for a cottage in Olney for seven years.

OLNCN 788.6 Counterpart lease between Parish Trustees and John Little 9.10.1684 for a new-built house in Bear Lane for seven years.

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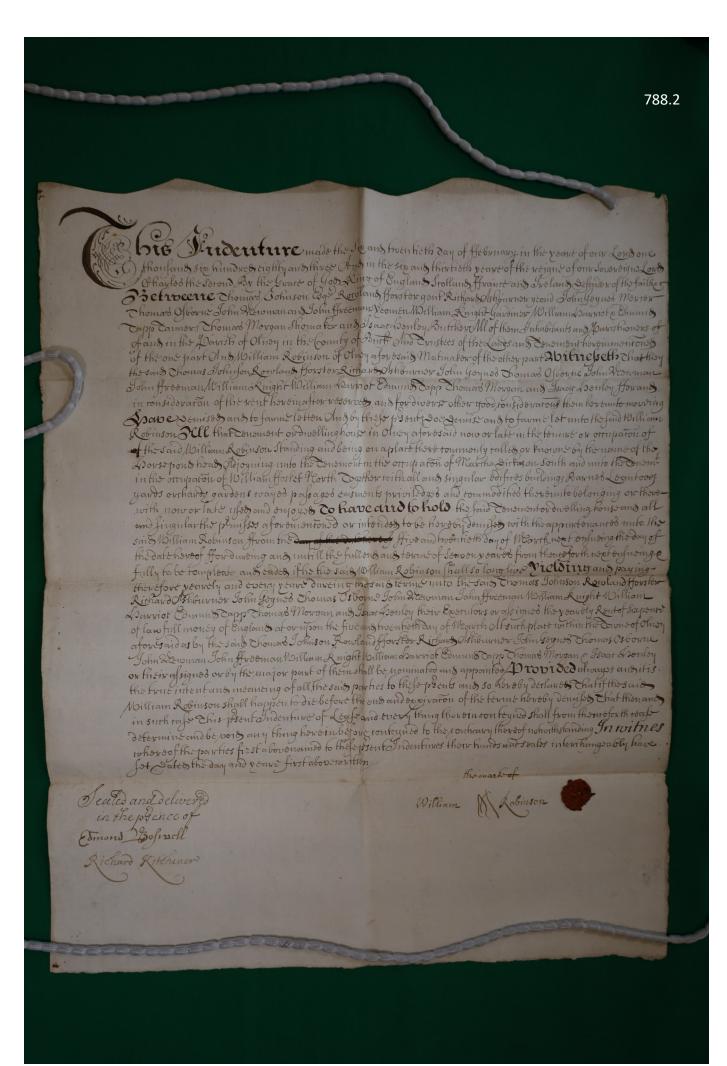
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Nathaniell ffrents Counterpart of a Lease Granted to him for 7 years commencing at Lady day 1684

This Indenture made the Six and twentieth day of ffebruary in the yeare of our Lord One Thousand Six Hundred Eighty and Three And in the Six and Thirtieth yeare of the reigne of our Sovereigne Lord Charles the Second By the Grace of God King of England Scotland ffrance and Ireland Defender of the ffaith etc Betweene Thomas Johnson Esqr Rowland fforster Gent Richard Ashburner Yeoman John Geynes Mercer Thomas Osborne John Newman and John ffreeman Yeomen William Knight Gardiner William Harriot and Edmund Tapp Tanners Thomas Morgan Shomaker and Isaac Henley Butcher All of them Inhabitants and Parishioners of and in the Parish of Olney in the County of Bucks and Trustees of the Lands and Tenement herein menconed of the one part And Nathaniel ffrent of Olney aforesaid Bonelaceweaver of the other part Witnesseth That they the said Thomas Johnson Rowland fforster Richard Ashburner John Geynes Thomas Osborne John Newman John ffreeman William Knight William Harriot Edmund Tapp Thomas Morgan and Isaac Henley ffor and in consideracon of the Rent hereinafter reserved And for divers other good consideracons them hereunto moveing Have Demised and to farme letten And by these presents Doe Demise and to farme let unto the said Nathaniell ffrent All that Tenement or dwelling house situate in the parish of Olney aforesaid now or late in the tenure or occupacon of the said Nathaniell ffrent adjoyneing unto the Tenement in the occupacon of James Whiteing South the Close in the occupacon of ffrances Tripp widdow commonly called Moore close lying and being on the East and the common field on the North and West parts thereof Together withall and singular Edifices leantooes yards gardens ways passages easments priviledges and commodities thereunto belonging or therewith now or late used and enjoyed To have and to hold the said Tenement or dwelling house and all and singular the premisses aforemenconed or intended to be hereby Demised with the appurtenances unto the said Nathaniell ffrent ffrom the five and twentieth day of March next ensueing the day of the date hereof ffor dureing and untill the full end and terme of Seaven yeares from thenceforth next ensueing and fully to be compleat and ended if he the said Nathaniell ffrent shall so long live Yielding and paying therefore yearely and every yeare dureing the said terme unto the said Thomas Johnson Rowland fforster Richard Ashburner John Geynes Thomas Osborne John Newman John ffreeman William Knight William Harriot Edmund Tapp Thomas Morgan and Isaac Henley their Executors or assignes the yearly Rent of Six pence of lawfull money of England at or upon the five and twentieth day of March At such place within the Towne of Olney aforesaid As by the said Thomas Johnson Rowland fforster Richard Ashburner John Gevnes Thomas Osborne John Newman John ffreeman William Knight William Harriot Edmund Tapp Thomas Morgan and Isaac Henley or their assignes or by the major part of them shall be nominated and appointed Provided alwayes and it is the true intent and meaning of all the said parties to these presents and so hereby declared That if the said Nathaniell ffrent shall happen to dye before the end and expiracon of the terme hereby Demised That then and in such case This present Indenture of Lease and every thing therein conteyned shall from thenceforth cease determine and be void any thing herein before conteyned to the contrary thereof notwithstanding In witnes whereof the parties first above named to these present Indentures their hands and seales Interchangeably have set Dated the day and yeare first above written Sealed and delivered

in the presence of Peter Okely Richard Kitchener

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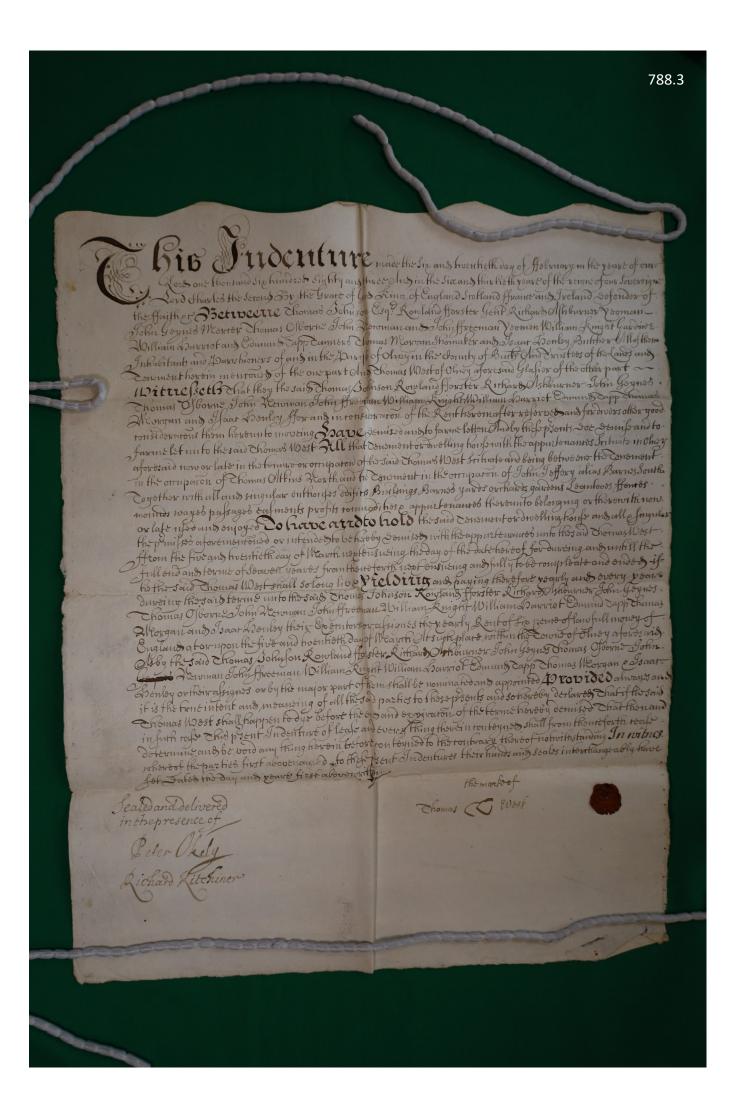


William Robinson's Counterpart of a Lease granted to him for 7 years commencing at Lady day

This Indenture made the Six and twentieth day of ffebruary in the yeare of our Lord One Thousand Six Hundred Eighty and Three And in the Six and Thirtieth yeare of the reigne of our Sovereigne Lord Charles the Second By the Grace of God King of England Scotland ffrance and Ireland Defender of the ffaith etc Betweene Thomas Johnson Esqr Rowland fforster Gent Richard Ashburner Yeoman John Geynes Mercer Thomas Osborne John Newman and John ffreeman Yeomen William Knight Gardiner William Harriot and Edmund Tapp Tanners Thomas Morgan Shomaker and Isaac Henley Butcher All of them Inhabitants and Parishioners of and in the Parish of Olney in the County of Bucks and Trustees of the Lands and Tenement herein menconed of the one part And William Robinson of Olney aforesaid Matmaker of the other part Witnesseth That they the said Thomas Johnson Rowland fforster Richard Ashburner John Geynes Thomas Osborne John Newman John ffreeman William Knight William Harriot Edmund Tapp Thomas Morgan and Isaac Henley ffor and in consideracon of the Rent hereinafter reserved And for divers other good consideracons them hereunto moveing Have Demised and to farme letten And by these presents Doe Demise and to farme let unto the said William Robinson All that Tenement or dwelling house in Olney aforesaid now or late in the tenure or occupacon of the said William Robinson Standing and being on a place there commonly called or knowne by the name of the Horsepond head Adjoyning unto the Tenement in the occupacon of Martha Dickes on South and unto the Tenement in the occupacon of William ffosket North Together with all and singular edifices buildings Barnes Leantooes yards orchards gardens ways passages easments priviledges and commodities thereunto belonging or therewith now or late used and enjoyed To have and to hold the said Tenement or dwelling house and all and singular the premisses aforemenconed or intended to be hereby Demised with the appurtenances unto the said William Robinson ffrom the five and twentieth day of March next ensueing the day of the date hereof ffor dureing and untill the full end and terme of Seaven yeares from thenceforth next ensueing and fully to be compleat and ended if he the said William Robinson shall so long live Yielding and paying therefore yearely and every yeare dureing the said terme unto the said Thomas Johnson Rowland fforster Richard Ashburner John Geynes Thomas Osborne John Newman John ffreeman William Knight William Harriot Edmund Tapp Thomas Morgan and Isaac Henley their Executors or assignes the yearly Rent of Six pence of lawfull money of England at or upon the five and twentieth day of March At such place within the Towne of Olney aforesaid As by the said Thomas Johnson Rowland fforster Richard Ashburner John Geynes Thomas Osborne John Newman John ffreeman William Knight William Harriot Edmund Tapp Thomas Morgan and Isaac Henley or their assignes or by the major part of them shall be nominated and appointed Provided alwayes and it is the true intent and meaning of all the said parties to these presents and so hereby declared That if the said William Robinson shall happen to dye before the end and expiracon of the terme hereby Demised That then and in such case This present Indenture of Lease and every thing therein conteyned shall from thenceforth cease determine and be void any thing herein before conteyned to the contrary thereof notwithstanding In witnes whereof the parties first above named to these present Indentures their hands and seales Interchangeably have set Dated the day and yeare first above written

Sealed and delivered in the presence of Edmond Boswell Richard Kitchener

the mark of William Robinson

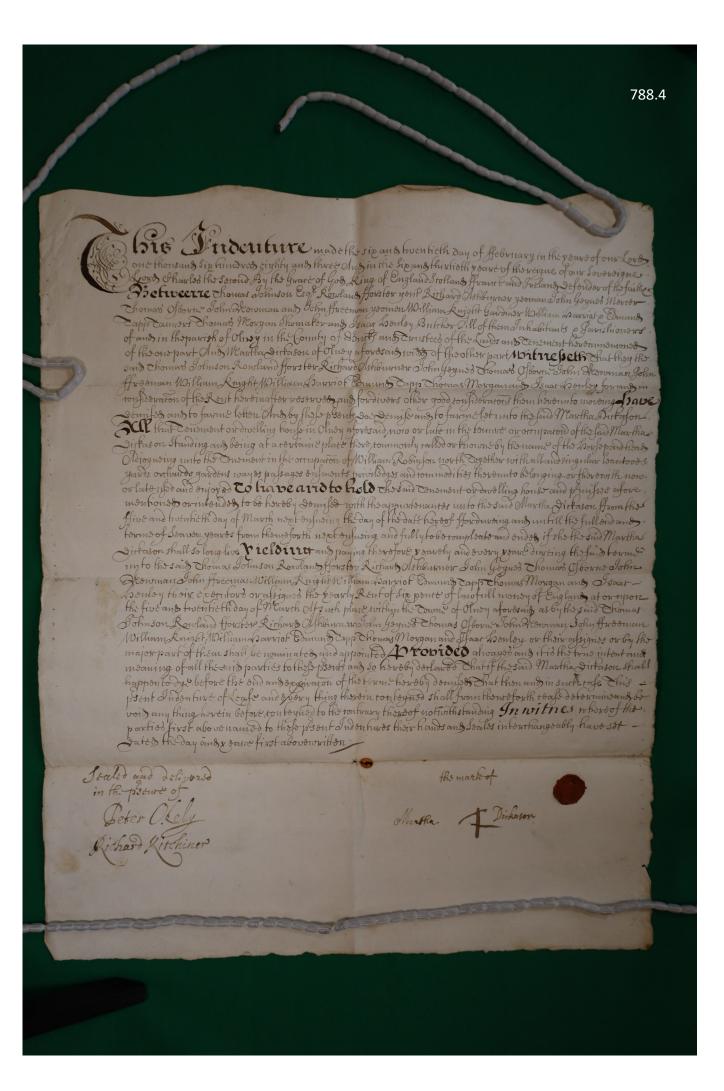


Thomas West his Counterpart of a Lease Granted to him for 7 years commencing at Lady Day

This Indenture made the Six and twentieth day of ffebruary in the yeare of our Lord One Thousand Six Hundred Eighty and Three And in the Six and Thirtieth yeare of the reigne of our Sovereigne Lord Charles the Second By the Grace of God King of England Scotland ffrance and Ireland Defender of the ffaith etc Betweene Thomas Johnson Esqr Rowland fforster Gent Richard Ashburner Yeoman John Geynes Mercer Thomas Osborne John Newman and John ffreeman Yeomen William Knight Gardiner William Harriot and Edmund Tapp Tanners Thomas Morgan Shomaker and Isaac Henley Butcher All of them Inhabitants and Parishioners of and in the Parish of Olney in the County of Bucks and Trustees of the Lands and Tenement herein menconed of the one part And Thomas West of Olney aforesaid Glasier of the other part Witnesseth That they the said Thomas Johnson Rowland fforster Richard Ashburner John Geynes Thomas Osborne John Newman John ffreeman William Knight William Harriot Edmund Tapp Thomas Morgan and Isaac Henley ffor and in consideracon of the Rent hereinafter reserved And for divers other good consideracons them hereunto moveing Have Demised and to farme letten And by these presents Doe Demise and to farme let unto the said Thomas West All that Tenement or dwelling house in Olney aforesaid now or late in the tenure or occupacon of the said Thomas West situate and being betweene the Tenement in the occupacon of Thomas Atkins North and the Tenement in the occupacon of John Jeffery alias Barnes South Together with all and singular outhouses edifices Buildings Barnes yards orchards gardens Leantooes ffences mounds wayes passages easments profits commodities and appurtenances thereunto belonging or therewith now or late used and enjoyed To have and to hold the said Tenement or dwelling house and all and singular the premisses aforemenconed or intended to be hereby Demised with the appurtenances unto the said William Robinson ffrom the five and twentieth day of March next ensueing the day of the date hereof for dureing and untill the full end and terme of Seaven yeares from thenceforth next ensueing and fully to be compleat and ended if he the said Thomas West shall so long live Yielding and paying therefore yearely and every yeare dureing the said terme unto the said Thomas Johnson Rowland fforster Richard Ashburner John Geynes Thomas Osborne John Newman John ffreeman William Knight William Harriot Edmund Tapp Thomas Morgan and Isaac Henley their Executors or assignes the yearly Rent of Six pence of lawfull money of England at or upon the five and twentieth day of March At such place within the Towne of Olney aforesaid As by the said Thomas Johnson Rowland fforster Richard Ashburner John Geynes Thomas Osborne John Newman John ffreeman William Knight William Harriot Edmund Tapp Thomas Morgan and Isaac Henley or their assignes or by the major part of them shall be nominated and appointed Provided alwayes and it is the true intent and meaning of all the said parties to these presents and so hereby declared That if the said Thomas West shall happen to dye before the end and expiracon of the terme hereby Demised That then and in such case This present Indenture of Lease and every thing therein conteyned shall from thenceforth cease determine and be void any thing herein before conteyned to the contrary thereof notwithstanding In witnes whereof the parties first above named to these present Indentures their hands and seales Interchangeably have set Dated the day and yeare first above written

Sealed and delivered in the presence of Peter Okely Richard Kitchiner

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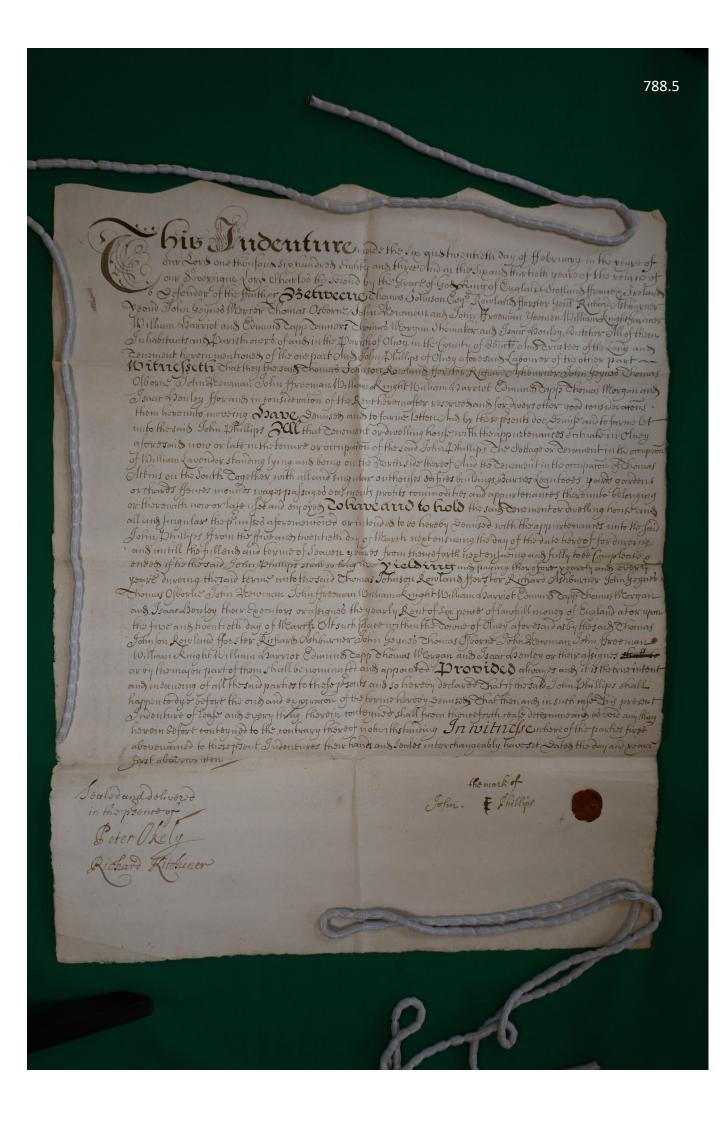
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Martha Dickason's Counterpart of a Lease granted for 7 years commencing at Lady day 1684

This Indenture made the Six and twentieth day of ffebruary in the yeare of our Lord One Thousand Six Hundred Eighty and Three And in the Six and Thirtieth yeare of the reigne of our Sovereigne Lord Charles the Second By the Grace of God King of England Scotland ffrance and Ireland Defender of the ffaith etc **Betweene** Thomas Johnson Esqr Rowland fforster Gent Richard Ashburner Yeoman John Geynes Mercer Thomas Osborne John Newman and John ffreeman Yeomen William Knight Gardiner William Harriot and Edmund Tapp Tanners Thomas Morgan Shomaker and Isaac Henley Butcher All of them Inhabitants and Parishioners of and in the Parish of Olney in the County of Bucks and Trustees of the Lands and Tenement herein menconed of the one part And Martha Dickason of Olney aforesaid widdow of the other part Witnesseth That they the said Thomas Johnson Rowland fforster Richard Ashburner John Geynes Thomas Osborne John Newman John ffreeman William Knight William Harriot Edmund Tapp Thomas Morgan and Isaac Henley ffor and in consideracon of the Rent hereinafter reserved And for divers other good consideracons them hereunto moveing Have Demised and to farme letten And by these presents Doe Demise and to farme let unto the said Martha Dickason All that Tenement or dwelling house in Olney aforesaid now or late in the tenure or occupacon of the said Martha Dickason Standing and being at a certaine place there commonly called or knowne by the name of the Horsepond head Adioyneing unto the Tenement in the occupacon of William Robinson north Together with all and singular leantooes yards orchards gardens wayes passages easments priviledges and commodities thereunto belonging or therewith now or late used and enjoyed To have and to hold the said Tenement or dwelling house and all and singular the premisses aforemenconed or intended to be hereby Demised with the appurtenances unto the said Martha Dickason ffrom the five and twentieth day of March next ensueing the day of the date hereof for dureing and untill the full end and terme of Seaven yeares from thenceforth next ensueing and fully to be compleat and ended if she the said martha Dickason shall so long live Yielding and paying therefore yearely and every yeare dureing the said terme unto the said Thomas Johnson Rowland fforster Richard Ashburner John Geynes Thomas Osborne John Newman John ffreeman William Knight William Harriot Edmund Tapp Thomas Morgan and Isaac Henley their Executors or assignes the yearly Rent of Six pence of lawfull money of England at or upon the five and twentieth day of March At such place within the Towne of Olney aforesaid As by the said Thomas Johnson Rowland fforster Richard Ashburner John Geynes Thomas Osborne John Newman John ffreeman William Knight William Harriot Edmund Tapp Thomas Morgan and Isaac Henley or their assignes or by the major part of them shall be nominated and appointed Provided alwayes and it is the true intent and meaning of all the said parties to these presents and so hereby declared That if the said Martha Dickason shall happen to dye before the end and expiracon of the terme hereby Demised That then and in such case This present Indenture of Lease and every thing therein conteyned shall from thenceforth cease determine and be void any thing herein before conteyned to the contrary thereof notwithstanding **In witnes** whereof the parties first above named to these present Indentures their hands and seales Interchangeably have set Dated the day and yeare first above written

Sealed and delivered in the presence of Peter Okely Richard Kitchiner

the marke of Martha Dickason



John Phillips his Counterpart of the Lease granted to him for 7 yeares commencing at Lady day

This Indenture made the Six and twentieth day of ffebruary in the yeare of our Lord One Thousand Six Hundred Eighty and Three And in the Six and Thirtieth yeare of the reigne of our Sovereigne Lord Charles the Second By the Grace of God King of England Scotland ffrance and Ireland Defender of the ffaith etc Betweene Thomas Johnson Esqr Rowland fforster Gent Richard Ashburner Yeoman John Geynes Mercer Thomas Osborne John Newman and John ffreeman Yeomen William Knight Gardiner William Harriot and Edmund Tapp Tanners Thomas Morgan Shomaker and Isaac Henley Butcher All of them Inhabitants and Parishioners of and in the Parish of Olney in the County of Bucks and Trustees of the Lands and Tenement herein menconed of the one part And John Phillips of Olney aforesaid Labourer of the other part Witnesseth That they the said Thomas Johnson Rowland fforster Richard Ashburner John Geynes Thomas Osborne John Newman John ffreeman William Knight William Harriot Edmund Tapp Thomas Morgan and Isaac Henley ffor and in consideracon of the Rent hereinafter reserved And for divers other good consideracons them hereunto moveing Have Demised and to farme letten And by these presents Doe Demise and to farme let unto the said John Phillips All that Tenement or dwelling house with the appurtenances situate in Olney aforesaid now or late in the tenure or occupacon of the said John Phillips The Cottage or Tenement in the occupacon of William Lavendor standing lying and being on the North side thereof And the Tenement in the occupacon of Thomas Atkins on the South Together with all and singular outhouses edifices buildings Barnes Leantooes yards gardens orchards ffences mounds wayes passages easments profits commodities and appurtenances thereunto belonging or therewith now or late used and enjoyed To have and to hold the said Tenement or dwelling house and all and singular the premisses aforemenconed or intended to be hereby Demised with the appurtenances unto the said John Phillips ffrom the five and twentieth day of March next ensueing the day of the date hereof for dureing and untill the full end and terme of Seaven yeares from thenceforth next ensueing and fully to be compleat and ended if he the said John Phillips shall so long live Yielding and paying therefore yearely and every yeare dureing the said terme unto the said Thomas Johnson Rowland fforster Richard Ashburner John Geynes Thomas Osborne John Newman John ffreeman William Knight William Harriot Edmund Tapp Thomas Morgan and Isaac Henley their Executors or assignes the yearly Rent of Six pence of lawfull money of England at or upon the five and twentieth day of March At such place within the Towne of Olney aforesaid As by the said Thomas Johnson Rowland fforster Richard Ashburner John Geynes Thomas Osborne John Newman John ffreeman William Knight William Harriot Edmund Tapp Thomas Morgan and Isaac Henley or their assignes or by the major part of them shall be nominated and appointed Provided alwayes and it is the true intent and meaning of all the said parties to these presents and so hereby declared That if the said John Phillips shall happen to dye before the end and expiracon of the terme hereby Demised That then and in such case This present Indenture of Lease and every thing therein conteyned shall from thenceforth cease determine and be void any thing herein before conteyned to the contrary thereof notwithstanding In witnes whereof the parties first above named to these present Indentures their hands and seales Interchangeably have set Dated the day and yeare first above written

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The Counterpart of John Little's Lease commencing at Michmas 1684 for 7 years Expired Michmas 1691

This Indenture made the Ninth day of October in the yeare of our Lord One Thousand Six Hundred Eighty foure And in the Six and Thirtieth yeare of the reigne of our Sovereigne Lord Charles the Second By the Grace of God King of England Scotland ffrance and Ireland Defender of the ffaith etc Betweene Thomas Johnson Esqr Rowland fforster Gent Richard Ashburner Yeoman John Geynes Mercer Thomas Osborne John Newman and John ffreeman Yeomen William Knight Gardiner William Harriot and Edmund Tapp Tanners Thomas Morgan Shomaker and Isaac Henley Butcher All of them Inhabitants and Parishioners of and in the Parish of Olney in the County of Bucks and Trustees of the Lands and Tenement herein menconed of the one part And John Little of Olney aforesaid Pipemaker of the other part Witnesseth That they the said Thomas Johnson Rowland fforster Richard Ashburner John Geynes Thomas Osborne John Newman John ffreeman William Knight William Harriot Edmund Tapp Thomas Morgan and Isaac Henley ffor and in consideracon of the Rent Covenants and Agreements hereinafter in and by these presents reserved menconed and expressed on the part of the said John Little to be paid observed and performed Have Demised and to ffarme letten And by these presents Doe demise and to farme let unto the said John Little All That new built Tenement or dwelling house with the appurtenancs in Olney aforesaid consisting of two small bayes of building situate neare the west end of a Lane there called Beare Lane and adjoyning unto the Tenement or dwelling house now in the occupacon of James Whiteing on the North end thereof Together with all and singular wayes passages easments profits commodities and appurtenances whatsoever to the same belonging To have and to hold the said Tenement or dwelling house and premisses with the appurtenances unto the said John Little ffrom the Nine and twentieth day of September last past before the date hereof ffor dureing and untill the full end and terme of seaven yeares from thence next ensueing and fully to be compleat and ended if he the said John Little shall so long live Yielding and paying therefore yearely and every yeare dureing the said terme unto the said Thomas Johnson Rowland fforster Richard Ashburner John Geynes Thomas Osborne John Newman John ffreeman William Knight William Harriot Edmund Tapp Thomas Morgan and Isaac Henley their Executors or assignes the rent or sume of Sixteene shillings of lawfull money of England on the ffive and twentieth day of March and the Nine and twentieth day of September by even and equall portions At such place within the Towne of Olney aforesaid As by the said Thomas Johnson Rowland fforster Richard Ashburner John Geynes Thomas Osborne John Newman John ffreeman William Knight William Harriot Edmund Tapp Thomas Morgan and Isaac Henley or their assignes or by the major part of them shall be nominated and appointed Provided alwayes that if the said yearly rent or any part thereof shall be behind or unpaid by the space of ffourteene dayes next after any of the said dayes whereon the same ought to be paid as aforesaid The same being lawfully demanded That then and from thenceforth it shall and may be lawfull to and for the said Thomas Johnson Rowland fforster Richard Ashburner John Geynes Thomas Osborne John Newman John ffreeman William Knight William Harriot Edmund Tapp Thomas Morgan and Isaac Henley their Executors or Assignes into the said demised premisses or into any part thereof in the name of the whole to reenter and the same to have againe repossesse and reenjoy as in their former estate and interest any thing herein conteyned to the contrary thereof notwithstanding And the said John Little doth for himselfe Covenant promise and grant to and with the said Thomas Johnson Rowland fforster Richard Ashburner John Geynes Thomas Osborne John Newman John ffreeman William Knight William Harriot Edmund Tapp Thomas Morgan and Isaac Henley their Executors and assignes and to and with every of them by these presents in manner and forme ffollowing (that is to say) That he the said John Little shall and will well and truely pay or cause to be paid unto the said Thomas Johnson Rowland fforster Richard Ashburner John Geynes Thomas Osborne John Newman John ffreeman William Knight William Harriot Edmund Tapp Thomas Morgan and Isaac Henley or their assignes the yearly rent above reserved at such dayes as is abovenamed and limited for the payment of the same and at such place as shall be appointed for the payment thereof as aforesaid And also the said John Little shall and will at the end and expiracon or sooner or other determinacon of this Demise quietly and peaceably leave and yield up the said premisses with the appurtenances into the hands and possession of the said Thomas Johnson Rowland fforster Richard Ashburner John Geynes Thomas Osborne John Newman John ffreeman William Knight

William Harriot Edmund Tapp Thomas Morgan and Isaac Henley their Executors or assignes without any wilfull spoyl done to the same and without suit of Law **And also** That the said John Little shall not nor will let assigne or demise the said premisses or any part thereof or his interest or terme therein or any part thereof unto any person or persons whatsoever without the approbacon consent or good likeing of the said Thomas Johnson Rowland fforster Richard Ashburner John Geynes Thomas Osborne John Newman John ffreeman William Knight William Harriot Edmund Tapp Thomas Morgan and Isaac Henley their Executors or assignes or the major part of them first had and obteyned in writing under their hands and seales And lastly it is Covenanted concluded and agreed by and betweene all the said parties to these presents and so hereby declared That if the said John Little shall happen to dye before the end and expiracon of the terme hereby demised That then and in such case This present Indenture and the terme herein granted and every matter clause and thing herein conteyned shall from thenceforth cease determine and be void Any thing herein before conteyned to the contrary thereof notwithstanding In witnes whereof the parties first abovenamed to these present Indentures their hands and seales interchangeably have set dated the day and yeare first abovewritten Sealed and Delivered

in the presence of

Joh. Malo Rachael Raeker Richard Kitchener

the marke of John Little