PARISH RECORDS OF DENSTON.

In the Parish Chest is a paper folio volume, enclosed in a portion of a parchment deed relating to certain messuages and cottages at Wickhambrook, and endorsed 1646.

The first page begins thus:—

A Booke of Towne Accounts 1665.

These accounts are chiefly in connection with the election of Parish Officers. Besides these, however, are entries of more general interest, as a list of Church Briefs from 1665 to 1808; the names (with amounts given) of those who contributed towards the Redemption of his Majesty's English subjects from Turkish slavery in 1671; a reference to the Chimney tax; and a remarkable allusion to the King's Evil.

CHURCH BRIEFS.

1665  Collected at the fast August the second towards the releife of those that were sick of the Plague in London & in other places, as by Proclamation by his Maiestie giuen July the sixteenth & sento Mr William Colman Register of the Eclesiasticall Count for the hundred of Rishbridge & the whole Denarie of Sudbury in Suff. set downe by John Parman Curate ibid.  li  s  d

"  It. Collected to a Breife for diuers persons Inhabitans of North Church in Hertfordsheire; by Thomas Midleditch & John Albon Churchwardens in Denston in Suff. August 27th 0  3  0

"  It. Collected on the fast day being Sepr. the sixt towards the releife of those woch were sick of the plague in London, by the Churchwardens of Denston 4

"  It. Collected on the fast day beinge the fourth of October towards the releife of those that were sick of the plague in London 2

"  It. Collected to a Breife Oct. 15 for shelling fileete in the East ridinge of Yorkesheire Oct. 15. 1665. 2 1
1665 It. Collected on the fast day NoIT-1 the 8th towards the reliefe of those that were sick of the plague in London & els where by the Churchwardens in Denston 1665 0 3 0

It. Collected this sixt day of December being the fast day for the reliefe of those whch were afflicted with the plague & pestilence in diuers places in the nation 0 4 0

Collected 3 Jan, being the fast day for those afflicted with the plague 2 0

7 Feb. for ditto 3 6

7 March for ditto 2 0

3 April the fast day for ditto 3 0

6 May being fast day for ditto 2 6

4 July the fast day 1 5 1

20th of October in our parish of Denston to the reliefe of the distressed people of London being the fast day 4 9

Mem: Received an acquittance for ye said moneys being in all thirty & two shillings, and ten pence by order of ye Lord Maior of London under the hands of Thomas Ployer the 23th day of Novem: 1666. This acquittance was deluvered to John Albone Churchwarden of Denston in Suffolk to be shewn to Mr Coleman Register by me Clemâ Raye Clerke: Decem: 11 : 1666.

Received by me John Albone in witness whereof I have subscribed My marke ye mke A of John Albone.

Received by me Barnabas Houlton sixteen shillings, & a peny for ye reliefe of ye pore of Haveril in Suff. who suffered by fire, together with a briefe of ye Kings Maj. letters pattents for ye collecting thereof I say were

By me Barnabas Houlton.

1677 May 11. 77.

Delivered then to Thomas Haile of Northampton the brief for Northampton, with ye Collection of fiue, and twenty shillings and received by me Tho: Hayle Collector.

1688 Apr. 27. Pd. then to Mr Henry Goodwin upon the second breife for the French protestants the sum of twenty fiue shillings and six pence by us

Isaac Raye Rect. 16

Tho Snell

Sam. Ray 

Churchwardens.
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<td>May 2</td>
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<td>June 6</td>
<td>For St Jues (Ives)</td>
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<td>For Bishops Lavington</td>
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<td>For Stafford</td>
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<td>Collected for the Irish Protestants</td>
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[The "Eastern Counties Collectanea" by John L'Estrange (published 1872, p. 116), states a brief was read at Easton, Northants 1692 Mar. 19. when £6 was collected for "John Clapton & others, Norwich, poor sufferers by casualties at sea." A brief was also read at Cranbrook, Kent, Oct. 4, for John Clapton of Norwich, when £15. 2s. was collected.

Archæologia Cantiana, xiv., 211.]

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<td>For Thirske (Poor Persons, in N. Riding of Yorks)</td>
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<td>Sept. 27</td>
<td>For Beal (Poor persons of Bealt, Brecon)</td>
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<td>For Havant in Southamptonshire</td>
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Isaac Raye Rectr.

Collected upon ye Brief towards ye Redemption of Captives in Algiers ye sum of £14 9s. 6d. Wm Edgely Curat.

For Hedon in Yorkshire towards Changford Brief | £1 1s. 9d. |

For a Fire near ye Saw-mill Yard in Lambeth towards Ledbury Brief in Herefordshire | £1 10s. 6d. 2s. 3d. |

For Druridge, Widdrington & Chibborn in Northumberland towards Churchill Brief | £2 4s. 2d. 1s. 7d. |

Elseworth | £2 0s. |

Dennis Gunton's Brief | £1 7s. 6d. |

["Collectanea," p. 116. 1693. At Easton, Northants; Dennis Gunton of Wickmar. Norwich. 3s. 4d.]

Denston Briefs rec'd May 30th 1804.
1804 When Read—
June 3rd Haughton Barn Fire in Staffordshire  422 £ s. d.
July 1st Chiswardine Church Salop. Charge  1,019 15 0
—29th Newton Chapel, com. Lancaster  858 7 3
—12th Wetton Church, Stafford, charge  1,292 2 2
August 5th Ince Fire, Lancaster  603 10 6½

Denston Briefs read June 2nd 1805.

1805 June 9 Woodbury Fire coun. Devon, collected nothing. Charges  1,005 8 2
— 16 Coley Chapel coun: York. Charges  106 10 8
collected nothing
— 23 Kighley Church coun: York. Charge  2,620 12 9
collected nothing
— 2 Eastham Church coun: Worcester. Charges  705 5 0
collected nothing
— 30th Stivichall Church coun: Warwick charges 1,064 16 0
Rob: Brook Cur  collected nothing

Denston Briefs Received October 27th 1805
Kingston Church coun Stafford. Charges  1,337 6 9
collected nothing
Nov. 10. North in Hales Church Coun: Salop
Charges 1,353 4 9
House to House  collected nothing
— 17. Chipnall Fire coun. Salop. Charges  1,084 7 0
collected nothing
— 24. Wobsey (?) Chapel Coun: York. collected 833 14 9
charges. collected nothing

1806 June 8. Recd Denston Briefs.
— 15. St. Swithin Church in Coun: of Lincoln charges  777 8 2½
— 16. Luddenham Church in Coun. York  1,413 18 0
— 22. Northwood Fire in Coun: of Southampton 1,500
— 29. Buxton Chapel in coun: Derby  2,247
July 6. Church Kirk Chapel Coun: Lancaster  1,691 10
— 13. Elton Church coun: Derby  1,100 12 10

1807 June 7. Recd the Briefs 1807.
— 14. Woodseaves Fire county of Salop  541
— 21. Cedfall Church County Stafford  687 5 3½
— 28. Darlaston Church Co. Stafford charges 2,200
July 5. Oldbury Chapel, co. Salop  2,311 4 0
— 12. Saint Andrew's Church coun: Worcester charges 1,784 0 8½
— 19. Thornwaite Chpel, coun: York  253 11 5½
— 26. Ranton Church, coun. Stafford
House to house throughout England.
Charges 1016 17s  collected nothing.
CHURCH BRIEFS.

1807 August 2nd Childs Ercall Church, coun: Stafford £1,098 5 0
1808 June 19th. Received Denston Briefs.
——— Eller Fire, County of Lancaster £294 13 4
——— Bishop Chapel & Brainton Church in Coun: Warwick and Hereford. Charges £205 9s. and £353 15s.
——— 17 Fewston Church in coun: York 750
——— 24 Shireside Chapel " Lancaster 719 16 5¹/₄
——— 31 Cold Hatton Fire " Salop 300
Sep. 18 Pudsey Mill Fire " York 123 14
——— 8 Middlewich Church " Chester 165 4 7
——— 25 Littleborough Chapel, " Lancaster 1,009 13 1²/₄
Oct. 16 Lognor Chapel " Stafford 1,196 14 1
——— 23 St Helens Church " Worcester, 1,107 15

REDEMPTION OF CAPTIVES.

A note of such persons who have contributed there, & what they have contributed upon the briefe for redemption of his Majestyes English subjects from Turkish slavery:

£ s. d.

In pr: Clement Raye Clerke 0 5 0
It: Abraham Browne his manservant 4
" John Goodey his servant 4
" Margaret Deere his maid servant 4
" Mr John Parman curate ibid 1 0
" Mr Willia Gattyward gen. 2 6
" John Name his manservant 4
" Mr Hamond 4 0
" Lydia Hamond his sister 2 0
" George Hamond jun: 6
" Thomas Snel servant to ye said George Hamond 4
" Willia Rowley his servant 4
" Bridget Marishe his servant 4
" Sarah Prior his 4
" Joseph Raye 2 0
" Goodm Disborough 1 0
" Goodm Juil 1 0
" Mrs Floyde 6
" Goodm Middleditch 6
" Goodm George Nune 6
Mem Oct 24 Agreed with Mr Pleasande of Sudbury, & he is to make the Church clocke goe well, & to mond y° writings upo the Church-wals, & to haue for his paines twelve shillings, & what more the Churchwardens shall thinke fitt, viz he is to haue yeerly, the first yeere ending at Michaelmas next 1666 eight shillings p an. to keepe ye said clocke going well so long as ye churchwardens shall consent. This agreement made with Mr Pleasance by good ThAbove churchwardens in presence of us. Clemt Raye sen: Clemt Raye jun: CHIMNEY TAX.

June 9th 1667. Denston in Suff. These are to certifie in behalfe of these underwritten, y° non of them pay either to Church or pore, nor are soe farr as we know, or can judge, are worth ten pounds, nor any of them dwell in a house of more then two Cheimnes : Joh Worlidge, Edmund Prigg: Ralph Nunn, John Nunn, William Worlidge seni, widdow Coxidge, The townes houses, widdow Smith John Tridget, Thomas Aberi, Henry Howe: Phillip Worlidge William Worlidge in Clement Ray Clerke William Gattyward I beleive this certificate to be true Joseph Ray Henry North George Hamond William Disborough Thomas Medleditch John Parman Curat ibid
Denston in Suff. Dec: the 8th 1678

A note of such persons who have contributed there and what they have contributed upon the breife for the burning of St Pauls Church in London

Imp: Clemt Raye Clerke and Isaac Raye

his sonne curate ibid

£  s.  d.

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The following entry upon the same subject is found
in the Parish Register:—

1633. Gathered towards the repayringe of St Paules Church in London the sum of three shillings and eight pence. Given by the Chiefer sort of the pish in particular as here followeth:—

John Robinson Esq.                  xj
John Tallokarne Gent                   j
John Ray Gent.                        iijs
John Hulls                            j
Widow Hamond                           j
Ffrauncis Westropp.                    j
William Mayor                         j
Richard Ceely                          j
John Bulhooke                          j

Joh Hubbert minister ibid.

1684. Mem: April 9. The churchwardens by consent of ye towne did allow to Ralph Nune ye sexten one shilling, & they allow ye Church-
wardens to buy him a dust-sloppe, & a shovel, but he promiseth to have ye spade amended of himself.

By me Clemt Raye senr

Mem Apr 17: 1687
there was given a certificate by the minister and Churchwardens that Mary the wife of Joseph Middleditch had not been heretofore for the Kings evil witnes our hands
Isaac Raye Rectr
Samwell Raye
Thomas Snell

1687. Officers chosen for the town of Denston 28 March

Imp. Churchwardens Samll. Raye and Tho: Snell
Overseers John Bridge Will Desborough
Constables William Langham Will Harvy
Surveyours John Robinson Esq George Raye
Sidesman Tho: Smith

chosen by us
John Robinson Isaac Raye Clerke
George Daye Joh Bridge

(In faded ink a note) the name of Robinson, Esq., appears first on this page.

1705 Samuel Raye churchwarden.
1714 I nominate and appoint my Brother Ambrose Raye to be my Churchwarden for the year 1715 witnesse my hand Isaac Raye Rector.

An Account of the election of Parish Officers, and sacrament money (H. Com. being celebrated four times a year from 1815 to 1830) is continued down to the year 1830.
DENSTON HALL, SUFFOLK.

From a Drawing dated 1676.
DENSTON HALL.

Denston Hall is approached by a fine avenue of limes, and situated within half a mile of the church. The mansion has been greatly altered from time to time, and the front possesses no special features; the offices, however, at the back are of considerable extent, and the windows and door-ways furnish good examples of early brick-work. These long corridors have suggested the idea that they once formed a part of the old College: but this theory requires confirmation. Traces of the ancient moat are clearly visible, and upon one side water still flows up to the foundations of the outbuildings.

From an old map at the Hall, kindly lent by Mrs. Tharp, the present tenant, we are enabled to give some idea of the ground plan, as well as the front elevation of the mansion as it appeared two centuries ago. This map has been traced from the original, whilst a drawing of the Hall itself, placed at the top of the same map, appears in our engraving one-third of the size.

The Indian ink sketch (made by W. N. Last) clearly shows that the moat completely surrounded Denston Hall in 1676, and from another ground plan dated 1778, it appears to have remained intact up to that period.

The two central towers resemble those now existing at Sissinghurst Castle, Kent, leading one to suppose that the mansion was originally built after the same style. (Archæologia Cantiana ix., xci.)

In a window at the Hall are the following Arms, having over them an Earl's coronet.

Russell of eight Coats.
1. Russell, Arg. a lion rampant, gu. on a chief, sa. 3 escallops of the field.
2. A device resembling a pillar.
3. Or. 4 bars, gu. a crescent of the last, in chief.
4. Heringham, Gu. 3 lucies hauriant, arg.
5. Fraximere, Sa. a griffin segreant, between 3 cross-crosslets fitche arg.
6. Wyse. Sa. 3 chevrons, erm, in dexter chief, a crescent or.
7. De la Tour, sa. 3 castles arg. a mullet in chief or.
8. Badeham (?) Arg. on a cross gu. 5 mullets, or.
These are probably the Arms of John Russell, 1st Earl of Bedford. He married Anne, da. and heir of Guy Sapcote, Esq., and widow of John Broughton, in whose right he held the Manor of Denston Hall in 1548. He was then Lord Russell, but the next 18 June, 3 Ed. III, he was created Earl of Bedford. He died 14 March, 1554. An account of the above Arms was given by Rev. T. Mills, 1833. (Davy MS. 19102, xxvi.)

At the foot of the map is written: "A Survey of the Maner of Denson, and other Lands adjoyning lying in the several Parishes of Denson, Stragwel, Wickhambrook and Stansfield, in the County of Suffolk, parcel of the possessions of John Robinson, Esq', afterwards Sir Jo. Robinson, Knight Banneret.

Distinguishing by one and the same Colour what is held by each particular Tenant; expressing the Ichnography or Ground-plot of the Mansion-house, and all other houses, and buildings belonging to the said Maner, and shewing where the Fence and Ditch is included or excluded by a prickt line drawn within or without the out-lines of the same."

By Robert Felgate of Gravesend Ao. 1676.
Copied by B. Last, and Son, January 1822. This map measures 3 ft. 3 in. by 3 ft. 8 in. No scale of feet is drawn, but merely indicated thus (Scale 4).

KEY TO THE GROUND PLAN.
A. DENSON HALL.
B. THE MOTE.
C. THE YARD, STABLES AND BARNES.
D. THE POUND.
E. THE GREEN.
F. THE PARSONAGE HOUSE.
G. DENSON CHURCH.
H. THE COLLEGE.

From a study of the Map it is evident that the College could not have occupied the site of the present Hall, for it is clearly marked near the church.

No Parsonage now exists, but a farm house close to the church gates, is still known as the Chantry Farm. This contains a well carved mantel piece, whilst the ceilings and old panel work merit attention.
GROUND PLAN OF DENSTON, SUFFOLK. SHOWING THE RESPECTIVE POSITIONS OF THE HALL, CHURCH AND COLLEGE. From a Map dated 1676.
DAVY'S NOTES ON DENSTON.

DAVY'S SUFFOLK COLLECTIONS. VOL. XXVI., AD. MS. 19,102.

Hundred of Risbridge. I.

Denston.


2. De manibus Reginæ amovendis de Manerio de Denston, & Willielmo Burde & uxori liberandis.


4. Denston or Denardeston. Here was a College or Chauntre endowed with £22 8s. 9d. per ann. & granted with a Manor called Beaumonds thereto belonging 17 June, 2 Ed. 6. (A.D. 1548) to Thomas & John Smith. Thos. Smith sold it 9. Eliz. (1566) to William the son of William Bird, Citizen & mercer of London. In this Parish is a Beautiful Seat, which is now the Mansion of John Robinson, Esq., late Lieut. Col. in the Coldstream Regt. of Foot Guards, who has the Lordship.

5. Archdry. of Sudbury, Dry. of Clare.
   Propr. Mr. Robinson, Patr. Bacon, 731.

   Prior. de Chipley, (or Chilton) et n. 192. See Chilton, 3.


Morant's Essex, ii., 99.


11. Denston was the Lordship of Thomas de Grey. 9. E. 1. (1280). Atlas, 244.

12. Lands &c. holden of the honour of Clare.


Idem tenuit maner. de Stonehall & Shepasta in Denston de hon. pred. p. servic. dni feod. milit.


Rental of the Honor of Clare in Duchy Crt of Lanc.


17. Sir Roger Grey, Knt. by his last will dated at Dover 45 E. 3. (1371) directed that his Feoffees Sr. William Bawd, Robt. Kedyntone,
Jeffrey de Hundon, & Wm. Keterynhgham Clk, & Willm. Hore should, out of the profits of the Manor of Denstone, pay an annuity of xx marks to his brother Thomas Grey for his life, & after his death to be at their disposal. See the Will int. Pedig: Grey.


In the attic room of the Chapter House, A. 10. C. 3.

Harl. MS. No. 971, p. 113.


Wm. Hore holdeth a Knight's fee in Denston of the Manor of Haverell.
Walter de Clopton holdeth the iiiijth pt. of a Knt's fee in Denaston.


26. Lre'patent de Mnio de Stonehall & divers. al. tent. in Com. Suff.
concess. Thome Goldinge & Georgio Goldinge & hered. impptm.
Dat. xxxj die Martij Ao. vij E. 6.

27. The names of all such psonages as were to be impropriated unto
Cardinal College in the Universitie of Oxforde.
   Inter als in div. Com.
   The psonage of Denarston & als. in Suff.
   Cotton MSS. Cleopatra E. 4. fo. 373 b.

28. Abstract of the Valuation of all the lands belonging to any religious
   house in England, taken out of the Court of First fruits & tenths.

29. Dennardeston, Leta ptinet ad Castr. de Clare 35 E. 1. no. 47.
    Dennardiston, fo. 16 Gilb. Clare Com. Glouc. 8 E. 3. 8 E. 2. 68.
    Denardeston, Leta Ed. Mortimer Com. Marsh. 5 R. 2. 43.
        m. Tho. Gray, 7 R. 2. 41.
           Ext. 16 R. 2. 27. pt. 1.
    Leta Rog. de Mort. Com. Suff. 24 R. 2. 34.
    Denarston, f. ib.
    Donerston, f. 16 Ed. Co. Stafford 4 H. 4. 41.
    Donaston, Tho. Grey Knt. pt. m. 5. H. 4. 11.
    Denarston, f. p. W. f. h. (Fitz hugh.) Walt. Fitz. Humfrey. 3 H. 6. 32.
    Deneston, f. ib. 11 H. 6. 12.
    Denardenst, in Com. Suff. de Cantaria ib. fac. voc. Denston's
    Harl. MSS. No. 4626. Gipp's Collns.

30. Plita de Banco, Term Mich. 7 E. 2. Suff. 5.
   Henr. atte Wode de Couling & Agnes ux. pett. vers Walt. de
   prati in Denardeston, & Henedene ut jus. Def. dict. qd. tene fuer.
   tot. jus p script &c. rot. 388.

Henricus Faber de Hundene tenet un. acri. terre in vill de Denardeston qni Avicia de Bernardiston quond. tenuit abutant contra tuftam Galfri Presbyteri qni terram idem Henrici tenet de Willmo de Haverhill Caplo. & idem Willius de Sacrista (Sci Edmi.) & redd. p. ann. ijd. ob.


Registr. Kempe. Harl. MSS. No. 645; fo. 84.


Denardeston als Denston nup Collegii Scit. cum ptin. in vill. ped. tent p Thomam Smythe de R in cap. & het licenc. alien. Willo Burde jurr. & hered. suis p 9 po. 9 Eliz.


33. Orig. de A. 15 Jac. p. 3 rot. 20 Suff.

Rex dimisit ad finu. Rico Ray divers. ten. & tent. in Denston & Wickhambrooke de ten. Willi Birdie Gen. nup Collect. & pre custume dne nup Rue Eliz. in portu Civit. Lond. heud qin diu in
34. Pat. 18 H. 8 p 1 m 22. 1526.
De concessionibus, pro Collegio Cardinalis Eborum.

Rex omnibus, &c. Scias qd. nos de grâ, &c. concessimus, &c.
Thomæ Cardinali Eborum, &c. qd. ipse Rectorias seu Ecclias de
Chettisham, Swillond, Falkenham, Snape, Friston, Bedyngesfelde
& Denarston in Com. ëro Suff. de ipsius Cardinalis Patronatu
existentes, cum omnibus ptin, &c. Decano & Canoniciis Collegii
Thomæ Wolsey Cardinalis Eborum Angliæ vocati Cardinall College
in Oxonia, appropriare, &c. possit.

Proviso semper qd. perpetuae Vicariae in eisd. Ecclias de uno
Presbytero idoneo in ear. qualibet impptm dotetur & qd. com-
petentis summa inter Pauperes parochianos Eccliam, Predictce
per Ordinarios in eisd. annuatim distribuatur, juxta formam
Statuti in hujusmodi casu provisi, &c.

Teste R apd Westm. 10 die Maij

35. Inquis Ao. 3 E 1.

de tento Appilgar. in Denardiston, in prjudic. dni Rg.

solebt tenere. p 195.

Item dicunt qd. Comes Glovernie hût warenm. in Denardeston
de novo and nesct. quo warrant, et excedit metas. Ibid. p 153.

Glovem in Denardeston et cap. nãnd (?) pan. & cervis. Ibid 172.

Item dicunt qd. idem Comes Clamat hère warren in vill. de
Denadeston in tris libor hoium ultra ñnicum suum et nesct.
quo warrant. Ibid p 173 and 196.

36. Orig. de Ao. 29 H. 8 rot. 45.

Rex xijj Feb. de advisament Johis Dauncy et al. dimisit ad
firmam Hen. Everard Rectoriam de Denerston, heîd. a festo Sci.
Michis ult. prter. usq ad finem term. xxj annor. redd. inde iijj.
et xijj de incio p ann. Index Orig. in Brit. Mus. Vol. 3 fo. 18.

37. Orig. de Ao. 3 E 6 p 4 rot. 137.

Rex 17 die Junii conc. Thome Smythe and Johi Smythe Scitum
Collegii de Denerdeston, ac. Maner. de Beamondes, simul cum
div. al. ten. ibm specif. heîd sibi and hered. suis impptm.

Ibid Vol. 5 fo. 101.

38. Orig. de Ao. 6 Eliz. p 3 rot. 20. Suff.
De licenc Thome Smyth alien. mediat. domus et scitus nup.
Collegii sive Cantar, de Denardeston Thome Lawrence de.
suis impptm. Ibid Vol. 9 fo. 19.

39. Orig. de Aø. 9 Eliz. p. 1 rot. 45 Suff.
Rna. licenc. dedit Thome Smyth alien dom. et scit. nup
Colleg. de Denston cum ptin. Willo Burde jun. et hered. suis.
Ibid fol. 127.

40. Esc. Aø. 35 E. 1 n 47.
Joha uxor Gilbti de Clare Com. Glouc. et Hertf. conjunct. cum
Gibto viro suo Dennardeston leta eid. ptin vir. Clare Custi bon.

41. Esc. Aø. 8 E. 2 n 68.
Gilbertus de Clare Comes Glouc. et Hertf.
Chippeleye Clopton Wyhleshey et Denardston, Suff.
Hershau. Haverhill Withersfield Hersethe, Denardston et
Rede 4 foed ... Suff.
Mymmes, Bygrave and Denardestone tria foeda... Herts. and
Suff. Ibid p 269, 270.

42. Esc. Aø. 43 E. 3 p 1 n 23.
Leonellus Dux de Clarencia and Elizabetha uxor ejus Dinner-
diston leta ... Suff. Ibid Vol. 2 p 295.

43. Esc. Aø. 46 E. 3 n 17. 2d.
Rogerus Grey chr pro Thoma de Grey filio suo.
Denardeston Maner. ut de honore de Clare. Suff. Ibid p 324.

44. Esc. Aø. 45 E. 3 n 27.
Rogerus Grey chr. Denerdeston Maner ... Suff. Ibid p 309.

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Hodgson's Acct of Queen Anne's Bty.

46. Feceda Mil. quond. Gilbti de Clare, Com. Glouc et mo. ptin ad
Coronam, Aø. 8 E. 2.
Quinque foed. Mil. cum suis ptin in Chipley, Clopton, Winsley,
et Denardston in dco Com. Suff. que Walterus fil. Humfridi
tenet. MS. Sparrow.

47. Heredes Johis Bayliol tent 4 foed. Mil. in Horsham Hersecell,
Withersfield, Horseth, et Denardeston als Denston et Reede,
de eod. Comite Ibid.
48. Johes dela Kersauer tent tres ptes unius feod. Mil. in Cavendish, Denardston Hawkedon et Stansfield in deo Com. de deo Comite. Ibid.

49. Feoda Mil. quond. Edi Com. March and mo. ptin, ad Dnam Rnam, Esc. A°. 3 H 6.
   Johes de Brassmore tent. 3 pt. un. feod. Mil in Cavendish, Denardston, Hawkedon, and Stanfield. Ibid.


   Un. feod. Mil. in Denarston quond. Wills. Hore tent. de prdeo Comite ut de Mnio suo de Haverell A°. 47 E. 3. Ibid.

52. Tot. ill. capital domus et Scit. nup. Collegii de Denarston sive Cantaria de Denarston, Que quid. Thomas and Johes Smyth habuert. ex dono Rg Edw. 6 de dono Rg in cap. p Lionellum Smyth A°. 11 Eliz. nunc Rne, p Memorand. A°. 4 dici Ed. 6 rot. 133. Ibid.

   No. 108, An unnamed person to the Lord Treasurer, for purchase of the Manor of Deverston in Suffolk, Act. 73.


MANOR OF DENSTON HALL.

LORDS.

20 W. 1  1086 Richard fil. Comit. Gisleberti, dead in 1090
4 W. 2  1090 Gilbert de Clare, son and heir
   Richard de Clare, son and heir. Slain 1136
1 Step.  1136 Gilbert de Clare, E of Hertford, son and heir
   Died 1151
16 Step. 1151 Ralph de Clare, E of Hertford, bro.
19 H. 2  1173 Richard de Clare, E of Hertford, son & heir
13 Joh.  1211 Gilbert de Clare, E of Gloucester and Hertford,
   son and heir
13 H. 3  1229 Richard de Clare, E of Glouc. and Hert., son
   and heir
   Died 1229,
   Died 1262
ON DENSTON.

46 H. 3 1262 Gilbert de Clare, E of Glouc. and Hert., son and heir

30 E. 1 1301 Thomas de Grey, had free warren 3 Ed. 1 1275


45 E. 3 1371 Thomas Grey, son and heir. Died unmar. 7 R. 2 1384

6 H. 4 1405 Margaret (Alice?) widow of Sir Roger Grey

6 H. 4 1405 Josia Vine, daughter of John Vine released to Sir Thos. Culpeper, Knt., and Josia, his wife, her mother.

John Broughton, mar. Anne, da. of John Denston

Died 19 E. 4

19 E. 4 1479 Sir Robert Broughton, Knt., son & heir Died 22 H. 7

22 H. 7 1507 Sir John Broughton, Knt., son & heir Died 9 H. 8 1517

9 H. 8 1517 John Broughton, Esq., son & heir Died 21 H. 8 1529 s.p.

2 E. 6 1548 John Lord Russell, in right of his wife Anne (or Agnes) late wife of Sir John Broughton, Knt.

Died 1558

36 Eliz. 1594 William Bird, Esq. Died 36 Eliz: 1594

15 Ja. 1617 William Robinson had a lease of it from the Crown, in which it then was, for a debt due from Wm. Bird

John Robinson, Esq: Died 1659

1659 Sir John Robinson, Knt. of Denston, son and heir

Died 1704

1704 John Robinson, Esq., son and heir Died 1734

1734 John Robinson, Esq., son and heir Died 1772

1772 John Robinson, Esq., Genl. son and heir Died 1819


1826 Henrietta Jeaffreson, daughter and heiress of Lt. Gen. Christopher Jeaffreson, and Henrietta his wife, sister of Gen. Robinson. She mar. Wm. Pigott, Esq., 3rd son of Sir George Pigott, Bart. of Knapton Queen's County in 1827, and died 1838, leaving one son

1857 Christopher William Robinson, The present Lord, now living at Dullingham House, Newmarket, took the name of Jeaffreson on the death of Mrs. Pigott, and that of Robinson on coming of age, and under the will of William Henry Robinson in 1857.

MANOR OF BEAUMONDS.

Sir John Howard, and John Broughton, jun. founded about

14 E. 4 1474 The College or Chauntrey of Denston

The Crown at the Dissolution

2 E. 6 1548 Thomas Smith, & John Smith, by grant from the Crown.
6 Eliz. 1564 Thomas Smith had licence to alien a moiety to
6 Eliz. 1564 Thomas Lawrence
9 Eliz. 1567 William son of William Bird, Citizen and Mercer of
   London, by purchase of Thomas Smith
   John Robinson Esq. by purchase Died 1659
   Sir John Robinson, Knt.
1826 William Henry Robinson Esq.
   From 1567, this Manor appears to have had the same
   Lords, as Denston Hall Manor.

MANOR OF STONEHALL AND SHEPCOTE.

Lords.
   John Broughton Esq.
   Sir Robert Broughton Knt. son and heir Died 22 H. 7
22 H. 7 1507 Sir John Broughton, Knt. son and heir Died 9 H. 8 1517
9 H. 8 1517 John Broughton Esq. son & heir Died s.p. 21 H. 8 1529
2 E. 6 1548 John Lord Russell, in right of his wife, Anne or
   Agnes, late wife of Sir John Broughton, Knt.
   She died 1558
7 E. 6 1553 Thomas Golding, and George Golding, by grant from
   the Crown
   William Bird, Esq. (2 E. 6) Died 36 Eliz. 1594
36 Eliz. 1594 William Bird, Esq. son and heir
   It probably descended from hence with the Chief Manor.

DENSTON CHURCH NOTES.

In Glass to Denston.
1 Arms. Denston, quartering
   Wanton, Arg. on a chevron S. a cross fl. of the field
2 Clopton
3 Arg. a chevron between 3 mulletts gu.
4 Howard
5 Clopton
6 Mild. sa. a lion arg.

On a grave Stone (see page 413).
   The first Coate on the man, the 4 last on the woman
1 On a fess between 3 estoiles 3 mullets
2 A chevron. between 3 mullets
3 On a chevron 3 fleurs de lis
4 On a cross 5 escallops
5 Denston

A fayre Tombe with a man naked, and a woman, I suppose for Denston.
A Stone (see page 408).

Wm. Bird Esq. who died 1591.

Arms. Quarterly 1 Bird, 2 an eagle, 3 Quarterly, 4 2 Trefoils, not Denston.

MS. Church Notes pen. Sir J. Blois p 282.

Church Notes taken March 22, 1814, by H. I. & D. E. D. (David E. Davy)

The church consists of a Nave, Chancel, and 2 Isles, all covered with lead.

The Chancel is 35 ft. in length, and 16 ft. 6 in. in breadth. Under the E. window on the wall is painted the Lord’s Prayer (not existing in 1887). The Communion table is raised one step, and railed off. There is scarcely any distinction between this and the Nave, except that the former is rather lower in the roof. Between the Chancel and the Isles, are 3 lofty arches on each side, but little pointed, and supported by light pillars, above which, are 3 windows on each side. In the 1st N. clerestory Window from the W. is a shield of Arms, which, tho’ much broken, appear to be Clopton, impaling Clopton, and under it Williems Clopton. The E. window is large and handsome. Between the Nave and Chancel, in 2 and 3 arches, a carved wooden Screen.

The Nave is 44 ft. 1 in. long, by 14 ft. 7 in. wide. The Pulpit stands in the N.E. corner, of oak, ordinary. Between the Nave and the Isles are 4 arches on each side as those in the Chancel: above the arches on each side are 4 windows, by which the Nave is lighted. The seats are chiefly of oak, with carved ends. The Font stands in the last arch near the W. end, on the S. side, of sand stone, octagon, the faces carved with figures. At the W. end is a small gallery. (The Font stands in the Nave near the Western Arch, and no gallery now exists.)

The Isles extend to the full length of both the Nave and Chancel, and are each 80 ft. 1 in. long, by 8 ft. 10 in. wide. The last arch of the S. isle is inclosed with a wooden palisade. In the E. window hangs a hatchment nearly destroyed (see page 406, 1).

Against the S. side hang, a small shield of Robinson, and a banner of the same, with helmet, sword &c.

The last arch of the N. isle is also inclosed, like that in the S. isle. In the E. window hangs a Hatchment (see page 406, 2).

1. Against the N. side (see page 406, 3).
2. Above the last, in a lozenge, &c. (see page 406, 4).
3. (page 406, 5).

In the N. wall of the N. isle, is a stone stair case to the rood loft, the door into which still remains. In the windows are many remains of painted glass.

The Steeple is a square embattled Tower of flints cast over, with buttresses; In it are 2 Bells.
On the S. side of the Nave is a Porch, with a groined stone roof, the Key stone of which appears to have the following coat of arms upon it,—A fess between 3 mullets.

The outside walls of the Church are of flint plaistered over, with buttresses; the parapet of Sand stone.

In the E. buttress of the Porch is a Piscina. (Davy mistook this for a Holy Water Stoup. F.H.)

The whole Church will have a very neat and elegant appearance, when the repairs which it is now undergoing, are completed.

MONUMENTS, INSCRIPTIONS, &c.

IN THE CHANCEL.

Between the Chancel and E. end of the N. isle, on a kind of altar tomb raised about a foot and half from the floor, lie the figures in stone of a man and woman: the man nearly naked, on a shroud; the woman also in a shroud: they lie under a stone canopy, covered with a large slab of marble full of shells. Upon the top of this slab were the figures in brass of a man and woman, with 3 shields of brass at top, & 3 others at bottom: all now gone. Round the edge appears to have been an inscription likewise on brass.

Within the Communion rails, are 2 stones, which had formerly small brasses.

Below the Rails, near the W. end, on a large stone, are the figures in brass, of a man and woman (page 413): the man in armour, his head and hands bare, his head resting upon a helmet (side faced), upon which is his crest, a man's head nearly full faced, couped at the shoulders, on his head a cap, fretty: the helmet lies on a mantle. Upon his surtout, are his arms.

Everard. On a fess between 3 etoiles, as many mullets, a crescent for difference. Upon each arm, is a shield of the same Arms. The Woman rests her head upon a large square cushion, and has over her shoulders, a mantle, upon which, are her husband's, and her own arms: over her right arm, the coat of arms above mentioned, and over her left shoulder, a coat, quarterly.

1 A Chevron, between 3 mullets, Broughton (?) [sic F.H.]
2 Chevron ......
3 On a cross, 5 escallops, Weyland (?) [sic]
4 2 lions passant guardant, Denston (?) [sic]

Beneath their feet was an Inscription, now gone, and over their heads 2 shields, that over the man has his arms, as on his surtout; that over the woman, the same, impaling, her own arms quarterly, as above.
ON DENSTON.

IN THE NAVE.

On a flat Stone, a whole length small figure of a woman in brass, which had below it an inscription which is gone: above her head is a Shield of Arms (page 414).

Drury (? sic) On a chief, 2 mullets, pierced.

\{ Roger Drury of Hawsted Esq. mar. Felice or Phillis, d. and hr of Wm. Denston of Besthorp. Roger died in 1500. She was his second wife. (Thus bracketed by Davy.) \}

IN THE SOUTH ISLE.

Arms, above Amee Robinson, &c., set 63 Years (page 412). Robinson, bucks statant:—Impaling Elwes—a fess, and bend.

Arms, above monument to Sir John Robinson, who died 1704 (page 412). Robinson, as the last. Crest, on a Knt's helmet, and torse, a buck trippant.

Arms, above monument to Lady Elizabeth Jones (page 409). Robinson, as before, Impaling, Allen, a Cross potent.

IN THE NORTH ISLE.

Arms, above, Amy Robinson (page 409). In a lozenge, Robinson.


Arms above monument to Lieut. Col. John Robinson (page 408) Robinson, as last, Impaling Cotes, Quarterly, 1 and 4, 5 erkm spots in saltire; 2 and 3, 3 pales. Crest, Robinson.

Arms above monument to Hon. Rebecca Robinson (page 407). Robinson, with quatrefoils on the chevron, impaling Clive, on a fess, 3 mullets. Crest, Robinson, as before.

Byrde (page 408) 1 quarterly, arg. a crosse flower'd betw. 4 martlets-gu. upon the 1st martlet, a canton verte.

2 pttie per pale, or and arg. surtout an aigle disploie sa.

3 quarterly gu. and or. in ye 1st and 4th. 6 fleur de lis arg. yt is in eache q 3.

4 (sic) Arg. 2 trefoyle slypped, a cheefe sa. sur tout crescent for diffce.

His creaste in a crowne arg. a greyhound's hed cowpee or.

Everarde G. 2 molletts of the same upon a fesse arg. between 3 staves of 6 points argent. crescent for difference.

The arms of his wyfe, Quarterly,
1 Arg. a chevron between 3 molletts pierced, gu.
2 Arg. upon a chevr. gu. 3 de lis, argent.
3 Arg. 5 escallops or. upon a crosse sa.
5 As 1.

In Denston church, in the wyndowes these belowe

A woman kneelinge and prayinge, ye. coat armour of Clopton, on hir breste
A woman kneelinge, on hir breste; Cavendish, sa. 3 bucks heads erased and arg. attd. or.
A man armed, kneelinge with the Coate armor of Cavendess on his breste
A man armed kneelinge, with Harleston and Walton on his breaste, empaled
A woman kneelinge, ye coate of Clopton on hir breste
A man kneelinge, his coat armour, Clopton, his wyfe on the other syde

1 Clopton
2 Sa. upon a griffin segreant arg. a barre checky of 2 partes, arg. and or.

Harl. MSS. No. 381 fo. 169 b.

In Glasse,

Johannes Denston
Denston, B. ij lions passant gardant, or, quartered with Wanton Arg. on a chevron, Sa. a cross croslett, arg.
(not a crosse floree, sic).

Clopton
... Arg. a chevron between iiij mulletts, g.

In a window, the name Broughton. MS. of Suff. Fams. Conder, p 198.

Further Notes taken (by Davy) Augt. 23rd, 1831.

The Church has lately been put into a complete state of repair, and considerable alterations have been made. It is now one of the prettiest Churches in Suffolk.
In the E. window of the Chancel, have been placed the following Arms, besides figures, flowers &c.

1. Clare, or. 3 chevrons, gu.
2. A cross of the Union, Az. a saltire, arg. surmounted of a cross, gu. edged, of 2d.
3. Gyronny of 8 ... patched
4. Le Hunte, Vert. a saltire or.
5. Dabanon (? Az. a chevron or.
6. Paly of ... patched
7. Wanton, Arg. on a chevron, sa. a cross patonce of the 1st.

On the roof of the Nave.

S. side.
1 Robinson, impaling, Allen, Sa. a cross potent, or.
2 Robinson on an inescutcheon, Bromsall.
3 Robinson Qy. 1 and 4 Robinson,
   2 and 3 Bromsall, impaling Clive.

On the N. side.
1 Robinson, quartering Bromsal, impaling blank.
2 Robinson, quartering Bromsal,'impaling Cotes.
3 Robinson, impaling Elwes.
4 Robinson, impaling Jenkinson, Az. on a fesse danzette, arg. a cross patee, gu.
   in chief 2 etoiles or.

The windows are all similar.
Only 1 bell remains in the Steeple; dimensions of Steeple, 9 ft. 2 in. sq.

Arms, below monument to Robert Robinson (page 407).
Robinson, impaling
Bingham, Qy. '1 and 4 Bingham, a bend double cotised betw. 6 crosses patee.
2 and 3 Douglas, Qy. 1 and 4 Douglas, a human heart, imperially crowned, on a chief, 3 mullets.
2 and 3 on a chief raisonnee, 2 mullets.

Crest and Motto, Robinson.

MINISTERS OF DENSTON.

Richard Peachie, Minr. 1602.
Henry Whitehead — 1628.
John Hubberd, Clk. 1637.
John Snowden, Minr. and Prudence Debnam mar. 17 Nov. 1579.
Robt. Raie, Minr. and Alice Web, mar. 7 Feb. 1587.
George Harelakenden, Minr. and Judeth Raie mar. 7 Octr. 1596.
Clement Raye, Clk. bur. 6 Apr. 1686.
Mr. Isaace Raye, Minr. of this Parish, bur. 21 Apr. 1720.

Died, Tuesday, in an advanced age, the Rev. Beriah Brook, perpetual Curate of Denston, Suffolk, and formerly Vicar of Wressel in Yorkshire.


Monday last, the Rev. Thos. Seabrook, A.M. was licensed to the perpetual Curacy of Denston in this County, on the nomination of Major General Robinson, of Denston Hall.


Rev. Beriah Brook, buried at Stansfield, of which he was Curate 42 years.

Regr. of Stansfield, and Church Notes.

In the morning of Tuesday sennight, died much regretted, in his 58th year, the Rev. Thomas Seabrook, M.A. Caius Coll. Camb. B.A. 1799; M.A. 1800: he was Perpetual Curate of Denston, and last year was presented to the Vicarage of Wickham Brook; he has left a widow and 10 children.


Monday last, the Rev. Augustus James Tharp, A.B. was licensed to the perpetual Curacy of Denston, in this County, on the nomination of Wm. Pigott, Esq. of Denston Hall.

Ibid. June 12th, 1830.

At a General Ordination, holden in the Cathedral of Norwich, on Sunday last, the following was admitted into Holy Orders, as Priest.

Augustus James Tharp, A.B. Christ's Coll. Camb. Ibid.

On the 19th ult. the Rev. William Leonard Suttaby, Clk., A.B. was licensed to the Perpetual Curacy of Denston, in this co. on the nomination of Wm. Pigott, of Denston hall afsd. Esq.

Ibid. Dec. 3, 1836.

Leonard Klamborowski, M.A., the present Vicar (formerly Vice-Principal of the North Wales Training College, Carnarvon), was appointed 1876.
PARISH REGISTERS.

EXTRACTS FROM THE PARISH REGISTERS DATING FROM 1561.

The Parish Registers have been well kept, and are in good order.

They commence thus:—"The Regester Booke of Denston beginninge at the yere of our Lord 1561."

Preceding the Baptisms is:—"There is a tyme to be borne and a tyme to dye."

Heading the Marriages is:—"Whom God hath ioyned together let noe man seperate." Before Burials: "The last Enemy yt shall be distrouedis is death."

BAPTISMS.

Susan, dau. of Thomas Smith, Gent., 15 March, 1561
Roberte, son of Ditto 18 April, 1565
William, son of William Harvie, Gent., 18 July, 1563
Susanna, dau. of John Higham, Gent., Sept., 1563, bur. 30 Sept., 1563
Judith, dau. of William Burd, Gent., 12 Sep., 1565
Alice, dau. of William Burd, Esq., 9 Oct., 1566
Katherin, da. of William Burd, Esq., and Mirable, 22 Aug., 1568
Mirable, dau. of Thomas Burd, Gent., and Elizabeth, 1 Sept., 1577
William Worledge, several of his children about 1590 to 1598
Elizabeth, dau. of Richard Peachie, minister, and Judeth, 11 July, 1602
Theophilus, son of Ditto ditto 19 Feb., 1603
Joseph, son of Ditto ditto 3 July, 1606
John, son of Robert Robinson, Gent., and Apolina, 21 March, 1623
Bridget, dau. of Ditto ditto 25 July, 1625
John, son of John Robinson, Esq., and Bridget, 15 Jan., 1625
Elizabeth, dau. of John Robinson, Esq., 7 June, 1682
Isabella, dau. of Ditto and Amy, 4 Jan., 1684
Bridgett, dau. of Ditto and Ama, 23 July, 1689
Francis, dau. of Ditto ditto 2 Aug., 1692
Anne, dau. of Henry Whitehead, Minister, and Anne, 1 Feb., 1628
Thomas, son of Ditto ditto 16 Jan., 1630
George, son of John Tallakerne, and Martha, 25 March, 1630
Martha, da. of John Tallakerne, Gent., and Martha, 23 March, 1632
Anne, da. of John Hubberd, Clk., and Ann, 29 Sep., 1637
Charles, son of Ditto ditto 7 Oct., 1638
Mary, dau. of Ditto ditto 5 March, 1639
Hothersall, son of Ditto ditto 6 May, 1641
William, son of Ditto ditto 24 July, 1642
DAVY'S NOTES

William, son of William Gattaway, Gent., 1 Nov., 1641
Samuel, son of William Gatiward, Gent., and Sarah, 23 Ap., 1649
Elisabeth, dau. of Ditto ditto 23 Ap., 1649
Abigal, dau. of Samuel Gatiward, and Abigal, 5 Oct., 1673
Samuel, son of Ditto ditto 11 March, 1677
William, son of Samuel Gattyward, and Abigal, 2 Augst., 1679
Elizabeth, dau. of Thomas Wright, Gent., and Edith, 21 Aug., 1674
Jane Frances } twin dau. of Ditto ditto 30 July, 1677
Thos., son of Mr. William and Mrs. Amie Wood, 11 June, 1714
Morice, son of Ditto ditto 5 Aug., 1716
Amie, dau. of John Dirling, and Mrs. Rebecca, 11 Oct., 1719

MARRIAGES.

Thomas Symond and Thomasin Golding, 12 Sept., 156...
Anthony, the sonne of Sir Robert Wingfeilde, Knt., and Anne, the dau.
of William Burd, Esq., 27 Apr., 1575
George Harelakenden, Minn., and Elizabeth Raie, 7 Oct., 1596
Richard Peachie, Mynister, and Judeth Nynge, 21 Sep., 1601
Richard Flacke, of Sandon, Co. Hertford, Gent., and Marie Emerson, W.,
of Stansfield, 13 Feb., 1631
William Colt, of Cavendish, and Rebecca Crispe, of Clare, W., 29 Oct., 1663
John Hill, Gent., and Anne Soame, of Little Thurlow, 29 June, 1669
Richard Godfrey, Gent., and Mrs. Mary, dau. of Mr. Clement Ray, Minr.
of Denston, 6 Apr. Easter Tuesday, 1675
Mr. George Raye, of Denston, and Mrs. Mary Write, 9 Sept., 1683
William Taylor, Gent., and Mary Godfrey, 9 Jan., 1688
Mr. Francis Trobridge, of Crutchett Friars, London, and Mrs. Mary
Robinsón, 12 Oct., 1703
John Dirling, and Mrs. Rebecca Robinson, 2 July, 1719

BURIALS.

Mirable Burd, 31 March, 1578
Thomas Burd, Gent., last of Feb., 1578
William Burd, Esq., 14 June, 1591
Mirable, late wife of William Burd, Esq., dec., 1 June, 1602
Lidiah, dau. of Sir Roger Thornton, 8 Mar., 1630
John, son of John Raye, Impropr., 9 Mar., 1635
William, son of John Hubberd, Clk., and Ann, 16 Sep., 1641
Sarah, wife of Mr. William Gattiward, died 1 Apr., 1644
Mrs. Dorothy Sikes, 30 Sept., 1666
William, Gattaward, Gent., 2 Sept., 1672
George Hamond, Gent. and singleman, 5 Feb., 1676
William, son of Willm. Gattyward, and Abigal, in wollen, 6 Feb., 1680
Anno 1641. November the 5th.

A Protestation approved by the House of Commons sittinge in Parliament was made by the Minister and Parishioners agst. all Poperie and popish Innovations.

Among other records in the Parish Chest are good black letter copies of a Prayer Book, dated 1676, also "The Workes of Rev. Father in God John Jewell 1611."