



Inquisition

Charlton, Pewsey

John Charles 1311

Inquisition taken at New Sarum before the King's escheator, 20th October, 5 Edward II [1311], of the land and tenements which John Charles sometime acquired in Charletone in co. Wilts, by the oath of John de Wodefande, Ralph Druet, Ralph le Ferror, William le Draper, John de Farle, Robert Gilbert, John de Harnham, John Martyn, John Elys, Willilam le Younge, Henry le Frye, and John de Stratford, who say that

William le Duyn while he lived held of the inheritance of Cristiana, his wife, in Cherletone by the law of England one messuage and half a virgate of land, which said half virgate of land the said William demised to William Charles, father of John Charles that now is, 8 acres of land, to hold together with the said messuage of the said William le Duyn to the said William Charles, whether in fee or for a term of years the jurors now not, and so after the death of the said William Charles the said John Charles his son, by fine made with the said William Duyn, had entry into the said messuage and land, and still holds them.

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