



Inquisition

Great Wishford

William Kingman (body of text shows forename as **Walter**)

Delivered into Court 31st January, 7 Charles I [1632]

Inquisition taken at Marlborough, 30th July, 5 Charles I [1629], before Robert Worsham, esq., escheator, after the daeth of *Walter Kingman*, by the oath of *John Sadler*, gent., *Thomas Smith*, gent., *William Keate*, gent., *Robert Keadsman*, gent., *Henry Smith*, gent., *Thomas Freeman*, gent., *Thomas Waldron*, gent., *William Cooper*, gent., *Silvester Cooke*, gent., *Edward Arnold*, gent., *Thomas Hitchcocks*, gent., *John Cheyney*, gent., *Thomas Stevens*, gent., *John Waterton*, gent., and *Thomas Norris*, gent., who say that

Walter Kingman was seised in his demesne as of fee and in the reversion of ne messuage, one cottage, and one toft, called Surredge Hold, situate in Winterbornestoke, co. Wilts, and of 100 acres of land, 2 acres of meadow, and 100 acres of pasture in Winterbornestoke and Madlington, co. Wilts, to the aforesaid messuage pertaining, now or late in the tenure of *John Kingwaie* or his assigns, after the term of 8 years from the death of *Thomas Kingman* and *William Kingman*.

And the jury further say that the premises aforesaid are held of Sir *Edward Hungerford*, knt. of the Bath, as of his manor of Winterbornestoke, in free socage, by fealty, suit of court to the same manor, and the yearly rent of 6d. for all services, and are worth yearly, beyond reprises, £3.

The said *Walter Kingman* died 3rd April, 5 Charles I [1629], after whose death the premises descended in reversion after the term aforesaid to *Walter Kingeman* as son and next heir of the said *Walter*, deceased, which same *Walter* was, at the time of the death of his father, of the age of 21 years and more.

Inq. p.m., 7 Charles I, v.o., No. 24. "Abstracts of Wiltshire Inquisitions Post Mortem," 1901, edited by George S. Fry & Edw. Alex Fry.