



Inquisition

Milford

John Ellyott, Lunatic. 1625.

Inquisition taken at Salisbury, co. Wilts, 23rd September 1 Charles I [1625], before Nicholas Yonge, esquire, escheator, after the lunacy of John Ellyott, by the oath of *Roger Langley, Giles Compton, Richard Twgood, George Acgrigge, Jasper Bampton, John Bacon, William Rowe, John Thomas, Henry Gauntlett, Stephen Hurst, William Penny, Edward Shaw, and "Coffer" Hughes*, jurors who say that

John Ellyott is, and since the age of 33 years has been a lunatic and incapable of managing his affairs.

The said *John* is, and for long has been, seised in his demesne as of free tenement, for life, at the will of the Lord, according to the custom of the manor of Milford, co. Wilts, of one customary tenement, containing in itself one cottage and half a virgate of land, and one customary croft or garden in Milford worth by the year £8.

The said *John Ellyott* and *Thomas Ellyott*, his brother, were also seised, in like manner of one messuage in "Oatmeale Rowe," within the city of Salisbury.

Thomas Ellyott aforesaid is brother and heir apparent of the said *John Ellyott*, and is of the age of 48 years and more.

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