



Inquisition

Sevenhampton

HENRY MUNDAY

Inquisition taken at Devizes, co. Wilts, 16th August, 1 Charles I [1625], before Nicholas Yonge, gent., escheator, after the death of Henry Munday, yeoman, by the oath of William Longe, Robert Longford, Thomas Yerbury, William Wilkins, John Stokes, John Tellinge, Thomas RUnity, Jake Davis, Jake Stephens, John Munty, William Stileman, Daniel Deverell, and Michael Gilbert, jurors, we say that

Henry Munday was seised of the messuage or tenement in which he lately dwelt, together with on virgate and a half of land, to the same pertaining, within the parish, hamlet and fields of **Merston, Berton, and Sevenhampton**, in Wilts, and of 29½ acres of arable land in the field of Merston, and 5 acres of meadow in the common land in the field of Merston, and 5 acres of meadow in the common meadows of Merston, and of 1½ acres of meadow or pasture in "**Ryes meade**," and of 11 acres of land lately enclosed from out of [extra] the marsh, and of 1½ acres of meadow called "Home Close," and of a close of pasture called "Cook's close," containing by estimation 2 acres ; which same premises lie within the said parishes, hamlets, and fields of Merston, Berton, and Sevenhampton.

The premises are held of the King in Chief by knight's service, but by what part of a fee the jurors are ignorant, and they are worth by the year, beyond reprises, 26s. 8d.

The said Henry Munday being so seised, died on the 3rd June last past (1625).

Henry Munday, son of the said Henry, is his next heir and was, at father's death, aged 7 years.

Inq. p.m. V.O. 1 Charles I, p.2, No. 33. "Abstracts of Wiltshire Inquisitions Post Mortem," 1901, edited by George S. Fry & Edw. Alex Fry.