



Extracts From 17th Century Court Cases

Hankerton

CASE Hibbert v Hibbert & Stock (Tithes) 24 March 1603/4

DEPONENT Roger Skargan, butcher, of Cirencester. Lived there 50 years. Born Witney, Oxon.
Aged 70. On the part of Robert Hibbert

DEPOSITION (Abstract) At least fifty years ago Roger Skargan was an apprentice to William Mann, butcher, of Cirencester who then farmed all the tithes calves and geese in the parish of Hankerton from Sir John Whithorne, then vicar of Hankerton, who held it for another five or six years. During this time Skargan received most of the tithes calves that fell in Hankerton but his master did not receive any calves for tithes from the grounds called Morden nor were any tithes paid for Morden to the vicar of Hankerton.

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