



Legacies & Benefactions For Charity

North Wraxall

The Mabbett Benefaction

1880. January 23. Death at Stinchcombe, Gloucestershire, of Elizabeth Ann Mabbett, the daughter of John Mabbett of Stinchcombe, and Mary Holborow of North Wraxall.

Her mother born, baptised May 22, 1777, married December 28, 1797, at North Wraxall, the daughter of Isaac and Dorothy Holborow, grand-daughter of Isaac and Martha Holborow, and great grand-daughter of William and Ann Holborow. By her will, dated December 3, 1869, and proved August 27, 1880, she bequeathed four hundred pounds to the Rector and Churchwardens for the time being of the Parish of North Wraxall to apply the interest thereof "for the benefit of the most deserving and necessitous inhabitants of the said Parish, to be selected for this purpose by the Rector and Churchwardens, for providing clothes, bedding and fuel as shall be considered by the said Rector and Churchwardens most advantageous to them, and that no funds of the charity shall be applied directly or indirectly to the relief of the poor rates of the said Parish."

The Charity Commissioners, Ryder Street, London, purchased £408 13s. 8d., consolidated three per cent. annuities. The first half-yearly dividends, £6 2s. 7d., was paid January 10, 1881. The annual income now is £10 4s. 4d. The bonus, £1 0s. 4d., given by the Government on the conversion of consols in 1888 was used towards raising the Hooper benefaction to £200.