

Overton CHURCH FAMILY

Details relating to the Church Family

Year	Details
No date	Margaret Mortymer mort widowe holdeth for the period of her widowhood according to the custom of the manor a messuage and one yardland and one half for the yearly rent of The reversion thereof belonging to George Church 25 Margaret Fry and John Church 21 by copie of the court roll
Nov 1668	This granted to George Church and Thomas his son on surrender of the said Geo and John his fine of xxx s vii d
13 Oct 1673	Joan Church widow and Eliz her daughter wife of William Cooper (now in prison) is in ... of one yardland and half formerly Margaret Mortimor viz a dwelling house, a barn, backside, garden and orchard, a little close of mead adjoining conveying in all one plot of meadow in the south side of the river called South Mead cont half an acre of one other plot of meadow on the south side of the river called Kormett Mead and George Church hath the other part of the plot called Mead lying to his half yardland of the yardland other plot of meadow on the south side to Geo Church half yardland and 32a on half a yardland of lamb in the common field.
No date	Thomas Church a messuage one yardland. George Church. Robert and George his sons ½ yardland.
26 May 1691	Six and a half of arable land on the roll of Thomas Church yardland was granted to James and Charity his son and daughter.
19 May 1695	Upon surrender of Thomas Church the messuage and one yardland regranted to the said Thomas ? and Elizabeth his widow.
2 May 1699	?
12 May 1714	Robert Church: on surrender of the above mentioned by said Robert and George Church they were then re - granted to the said Robert for his own life and the lives of Mary and Ann his daughters.
16 June 1738	The life of Robert Church only the same was now surrendered and to the said Robert Church * as purchaser for his own life and the lives of Gabriel Church (17) son of Gabriel Church of Overton and George Church (20) son of John Church of Hungerford in the county of Berkshire. * died 20 July 1717.
20 June 1758	The death of Robert Church was presented and Gabriel Church admitted Tenant.
9 Feb 1796	Came into Hand by death of Ruth Church except the Dwelling House as above

	<p>mentioned and is Let to Edwd Pumphery with the first above mentioned Estate at Will at the Rent of £18/annum.</p> <p>Robert Church holds part of the said premises, by Copy of Court Roll date 16 June 1738, as purchaser for his own (dead) life, and for the lives of Gabriel Church (17), and of George Church (20) son of John Church of Hungerford in the County of Berkshire yeoman under the yearly rent of 4s /8d and Heriot of the Best Beast. Rent £0-4-8, Heriot Best Beast Fine for adding one life and exchange one £18</p>
26 May 1799	<p>Held by Ruth Church widow of Gabriel Church for her widowhood. Not admitted on account of her not being able to come to Court.</p> <p>Cg 36 – Homestead Plan B</p> <p>Mary Church holds by Lease in Reversion dated 26 May 1796 after the interest of Ruth Church her mother is determined, a cottage, house, stable, yard and gardens containing 0 – 1 – 30 (see below Gabriel Church holding 1789) for Ninety Nine Years determinable on the lives of the said Mary Church (35), George Fowler (12) son of James Fowler, carpenter and Stephen Rimon (13) son of Saml Rimon labourer. Rent £0-1-0 Fine £40 for three lives in Reversion</p>
1802	<p>West Overton Alloted and Divided in 1802 (WRO S2057/S136) No. 36 – Mary Church – Cottages and gardens Lifehold 0a 1r 30p</p>

Details of Gabriel Church's Holding in 1789

Gabriel Church (copyhold) $\frac{3}{4}$ yardland

(Tithe 1/3 to Duke of Marlborough 1/3 to Earl of Pembroke)

36	HOMESTEAD Plan B	a	r	p	L	s	d
	A dwelling house consisting of a kitchen, hall, pantry, cellar, and 3 bedrooms. Barn of one floor and two mews, stable for three horses, wagon house, for one wagon, granary, woodhouse, yards and garden.	0	1	30			
65	Meadows						
	Lot in Pigeon house Meads	0	1	7		14	8
Pp 81	Arable						
	Drove Ground	3	3	1			
	<i>In Ditch Hedge Field Plan C</i>						
152	Three yards in ditch hedge furlong	0	2	1		8	7
155	Five yards in ditto	0	3	16		14	5

169	Half an acre shooting down on church ditch	0	1	13		7	10
182	Three acres above White Pit	1	3	10	1	3	6
131	Half an acre shooting against Windmill Way	1	11	16		5	1
193	Two acres a yard under Windmill	2	1	27	1	1	9
	<i>In Double Ditch Field</i>						
215	Three yards in Furlong thwart Alton Way	0	2	39		11	1
222	Half an acre shooting along Alton Way	0	1	23		6	3
276	Yard in Double Hedge Furlong	0	0	28			
273	Half an acre in ditto	0	1	37		7	8
295	Sheep ridge Acre	0	3	29		10	2
	<i>In Windmill Field</i>						
110	Half an acre in Peaked Furlong	0	1	37		6	
122	Three yards on Windmill Hill	0	3	8		12	9
338	Half an acre in Shaw Path Furlong	0	1	20		4	10
334	Three yards in ditto	0	2	35		8	7
329	Acre and half in Lewes Shaw Path Furlong	1	2	7		15	5
325	Half acre in Down Furlong	0	1	35		3	9
341	Three yards in Haih Gate Furlong	0	2	38		5	7
	Total in Arable Land	14	0	24	8	17	6
	Coppice						
362	Let in Pickridge Wood	4	1	6			
	Total of Gabriel Church	22	3	28			
	Common of Pasture for 43 sheep on Downs Field						
	Common of Pasture for 3 houses on the fields						
	Common of Pasture for 3 cows on the Cow Down						
	Common Arable	14	0	24	8	17	6
	Common of Pasture for 43 sheep				0	13	8
	Common of Pasture foe 3 cows				1	18	4
	Ex Inclosures				0	14	8
	Carried to Accounts				12	4	3

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