

Inquisition

Upton Scudamore

Walter Vaughan, knight.

Inquisition taken at the City of New Sarum, 25th September, 16 Charles I [1640], before John Sevior, gent., escheator, after the death of Walter Vaughan, knight, by the oath of Richard Sherfield, gent., John Barrowe, John Guydott, Thomas Wilson, Thomas Sevyor, John Gilbert, gent., George Acry, William Bragg, William Wimbleton, Henry Judd, Thomas Wolford, George Coleman, George Batter, and Philip Minterne, who say that

Walter Vaughan was seised of the manor of Falleston alias Fallersdon, in the parish of Bishopston and Combe, and divers lands, tenements, and hereditaments in Bishopston, Falleston, and Combe; the manor of Guyssage Bownd alias Guyssage B onne; all that portion of the tithes yearly forthcoming and frowing on the demesne land of Guyssage Bownd and Guyssage St. Michael, in co. Dorset; the advowson, free gift, and right of patronage of the church or rectory of Guyssage St, Michael; divers other manors, lands, etc., there; all those several manors or lordships of Altmerchant, Velyn, Newrth, Llyswyn, Trenecka, Vedowe, and Fostill, Tredirherne, Bufford, Seonsyll, and Werne vawre, alias Gwerne vawre, in co. Brecknocke alias Brecon; the site, capital messuage, mansion house, and demesne of the manor of Porthamble alias Porthamell, and the park there, in co. Brecknock; the manor and lordship of Porthamble, 2 mills there, sometime the inheritance of Roger Vaughan, knight, deceased. and Rowland Vaughan; all those lands, tenements, and hereditaments called Langmore and Brews meadowe, Fosthill, and Vedowe; the patronages, advowsons, and gifts of the churches of Llanelewe, Llansanfred, and Ilanvill, in co. Brecknock; the lands called Jenkin Williams landes, Tredirherne, Bufford landes, Iliswen, Brenlies, and Charles Farme, Curreykeed, Genford, the Lake, containing 3 acres, in Talgarth; all that part of the mioety of the lordship or manor of Cantrecelly alias Brentleyes; the manors, lands, tenements, and hereditaments within the several parishes of Glasbery and Llangorse; the manor or lordship of Llanyhangell cum Dye; the manor of Colinowe and the manor or lordship of Talgarth alias English Talgarth; all which premises last mentioned are situate in co. Brecknock; the manor or lordship of Weston, within theparish of Llangenwith, in co. Glamorgan; the manor of Pembury, in co. Carmarthen, with all the lands, etc., thereto belonging; the manor of Dunurraven, with the appurtenances within the parish of St. Bride and elsewhere, in co. Glamorgan; the lands, etc., within the parish of Weeke, in the said county; the messuages, lands, etc., to the said manor of Talgarth belonging; the field or farm called Cladecott, in co. Carmarthen; and all those several messuages, lands, etc., lying in Llanthanson, in the said county.

So seised, the said Walter Vaughan, by indenture dated 14th October, 7 Charles I [1631], made between John Booth of the Canons Close of the Cathedral Church of Salisbury, gent., Christian his wife, and Barbara Booth their only daughter, Thomas Sadler of the said Close, esq., Giles Hungerford of Skidmore Upton, gent., and Thomas Shuter of the said Close, gent., of the one part; and the said Walter Vaughan,

George Vaughan, esq., son and heir-apparent fot he said Walter, and Frederic Vaughan, another of the sons of the said Walter, of the other part; in consideration of a marriage then had between the said George Vaughan and Barbara Booth, and for the sum of £2,500 in had paid to the sia Walter by the said John Booth for the full marriage portion of the said Barbara, the said Walter, George, and Frederic Vaughan agreed that they, before the feast of the Nativity of Our Lord next coming, by fine or fines, would grant and convey to the said John Booth and Thomas Sadler all the said premises, except one parcel of arable land containing 10 acres within the parish of Talgarth called the dead poole, to the following uses: as to the manors and lordships of Altmarchant, Velyn, Newrth, Lyswin, Trenecka, Vedowe, and Fostill, Trederherne, Bufford, Leonsill, and Wernevawre alias Gwernevawre, the site, capital messuage, and mansion house of Porthamble, the park there, the manor of Porthamble, the 2 mills there, the lands called Longmore, Brewys Meadowe, Fostill, and Vedowe, the advowsons, presentations, and gifts of the churches of Llanlewe, llansanfrede, and Laivillo, the lands called Jenkins Williams lands, Trederherne, Bufford lands, Lyswyn, Brenlyes, and Charles Farme, Curreykeed, and Glenford, parcel of the meadow called the Lake in Talgarth, part or the moiety of the lordship of Cantrecilly alias Brentlies, the premises in the parishes of Glasbery and llangorse, the manor of Lannyhangell cum Dye, the maor of Colinowe, the manor of Talgarth alias English Talgarth, and all other the premises in co. Brecknock, except the said 10 acres called the dead poole, to the use of the said George Vaughan and Barbara Booth and their heirs male; for default, to the use of the heirs male of the body of Richard Vaughan, knight, late of Bredwarden, in c. Hereford, deceased, great-grandfather of the said Walter Vaughan; and for default, to the use of the said Walter and his heirs for ever. As to the manor of Falleston, and the site, capital messuage, and demesnes thereof, after the said fine and after the death of Dame Dorothy Vaughan, widow, late the wife of Charles Vaughan, knight, deceased, to the sole use of the said Walter for his life; after his decease, to the use of the said George Vaughan and his heirs male by the said Barbara; afterwards to the use of the heirs male of the said Richard Vaughan; and for default, to the sole use of the said Walter Vaughan and his heirs for ever. Ast to the manor of Dunnrrayen, and the lands, etc., in the said parishes of St. Brides and Weeke, to the use of the said Walter for his life; after his decease, to the use of Dame Dorothy Vaughan, then the wife of the said Walter, for her life; after her decease, to the use of the said George Vaughan and his heirs male by the said Barbara: for default, to the use of the heirs male of the said Richard Vaughan, knt.; and for default, to the sole use of the said Walter and his heirs for ever. As to the manor of Penbrey and the field or farm called Caldecot, to the use of the said Walter for his life; after his decease, to the use of the said George and his heirs male by the said Barbara; afterwards, to the use of the heirs male of the said Richard Vaughan; and for default, to the use of the said Walter and his heirs for ever. As to the manor of Guyssage Bound, all the premises in Guyssage Bound and Guyssage St. Michael, and all the royalties of the lands to the said manner belonging, after the several deceased of the said Dame Dorothy, late the wife of the said Charles Vaughan, and of the said Walter, to the use of the said George and his heirs by the said Barbara; afterwards to the use of the heirs male of the said Richard Vaughan; and afterwards to the sole use of the said Walter and his heirs for ever. As to the manor of Weston, to the use of the said Walter for his life; after his decease, to the use of the said George Vaughan and his heirs male by the said Barbara; afterwards to the heirs male of the said Richard; and afterwards to the sole use of the said Walter and his heirs for ever.

Of whom or by what services the manor of Falleston and all the lands, etc., in Bishopston, Falleston, and Combe are held the jurors know not. They are worth per annum, clear, £21 8s. 7d. and 1 lb. of pepper. The manor of Guyssage Bound, the advowson and right of patronage of the church or rectory of Guyssage St. Michael, and all other the premises in Guyssage Bound, are held of the King in chief by the service of the twentieth part of a knight's fee, and are worth per annum, clear, £33 6s. 3½d. The portion of the tithes there is held of the King as of his manor of East Greenwich, in co. Kent, by fealty and the yearly rent of £3 8s. 4d., in free and common socage, and not in chief or by knight's service, and is worth per annum, clear, 5s. The manors of Altmarchant, Velyn, Newrth, Llyswen, Trenecka, Vedowe and Fostill, Tredirherne, Bufford, Dwonsill, and Wernevawre, are worth per annum, clear, £20, by of whom they are held is not known. The manor of Porthamble and the site, capital messuage, demesne, and mills there are worth per annum, clear, £5, but of whom they are held the jurors know not. Of whom the lands called Longmore, Brewys meadowe, Fostill, and Vedowe are held is not known; they are worth per annum, clear, 10s. Of whom the advowsons, presentations, and gifts of the churchs of Llanelewe, Llansanfrede, and Llanvillo, and the several lands called Jenkins Williams land, Tredirherne, Bufford landes, Llyswen, Brenlyes, and Charles Farme are held is not known; they are worth per annum, clear, 20s. Of whom the

the lands called Curreykeed, Genford, the parcel of meadow called the Lake in Talgarth, the part of the moiety of the manor of Cantrecelly are held, is not known; they are worth per annum, clear, 10s. Of whom the manors, lands, etc., in Glasbery and Langorse are htle id not known; they are worth per annum, clear, 5s. Of whom the manor of Llannyhangell is held is not known; it is worth per annum, clear, 40s. Of whom the manor of Colinowe is held is not known; it is worth per annum, clear, 5s. Of whom the manor of Talgarth is held is not known; it is worth per annum, clear, £4. Of whom the manor of Weston is held is not known; it is worth per annum, clear, 20s. Of whom the manor of Penbrey is held is not known; it is worth per annum, clear, £10. The manor of Dunnrraven is held of the King as of his Castle of Ogmore by knight's service, and is worth per annum, clear, 7s. 0½d. Of whom the premises in the parishes of St. Bride and Weeke are held is not known; they are worth per annum, clear, 5s. The field or farm called Caldecott is held of the King and of his manor of Enfield, in co. Middlesex, by fealty only, in free and common socage, and not in chief or by knight's service, and is worth per annum, clear, 5s. Of whom the premises in Llanthoysant are held is not known; they are worth per annum, clear, 40s.

Walter Vaughan died at Falleston 7th May, 15 Charles I [1639]: George Vaughan, esq., is his son and next heir, and was then aged 40 years and more.

The said Dame Dorothy, late wife of the said Walter, died 3rd October last past.

The said Dame Dorothy, wife of the said Charles Vaughan, deceased, still survives.

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