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Will of William Minchin, Husbandman, of Churchill, 1602

In name of god Amen I Willia[m] minchin of Churchill in the countie of oxford husbandman being sicke in bodie but of good and p[er]fect remembrance thanks be to god I Doe make this my last will and testament the xxxth Day of October in yere of ou^r lord god 1600i First I bequeath unto my soule to Almightie god and my bodie to the ground to be buried in the Churchyard Aforesaid, Item I give to the mother church in oxford ijd Ite[m] I give unto thomas my son[n]e twentie pounds of good english monye and two beasse to be payde unto him when he is of age and Discretion Ite[m] I give to willia[m] my sonne twentie pounde of monye and two beasse to be Delivered to him in the same mano^r Ite[m] I give to John my youngest sonne twentie pounde and two beasse to be payde in like sorte Ite[m] I give unto my three sonnes thomas willia[m] and John xxx^H Sheepe to be equallie Devided betwixt them Ite[m] all the Debts betwixt my brother clemente and my selfe I Doe freelie forgive it him Ite[m] I give to my brother thomas Minchin one redd verlinge oxe calfe Ite[m] I give to my uncle midleton of Sarsden two strickes of wheat Item I give to John Lovedaie two bushels of malte All the rest of my goodes my Debts beinge paide and my fines all Discharged I Doe give unto Alis my wife also in this my will I Doe make Alis my wife my whole executor Desiring my two brothers in Lawe thomas mullington and Robert frinch to see this my will fullie satisfied & kept

Witness

John lovedaie thomas mullington [] his mark

Robert frinch

Probate granted at Chipping Norton by John Craiker – substatute Anthony Blincoe to the executrix

Inventory Summa

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