

**Oxfordshire History Centre, MS Wills Oxon 160/4/28**

Bond of William Beard, Weaver, of Churchill, 1671 (side 2)

The Condition of this Obligation is such th[e] if th[e] w[i]thin bounden on Mary Beard of Sarsden in Th[e] Arch=Deacon[r]y of Oxon Relict & ad[ministra]trix of all & singular th[e] goods & Ch[at]ells of William Beard of

Sarsden above so Dec[ease]d do make or cause to be made a true &

p[er]fect Inven[to]ry of all & singular th[e] goods, Ch[at]ells & Credits of th[e] s[ai]d De[cease]d w[hi]ch have or shall come to th[e] hands

possession or knowledge of her th[e] s[ai]d Mary or into th[e] hands & possession of any oth[er] p[er]son or p[er]sons

for her & if th[e] same so made do exhibit or cause to be exhibited into th[e] Reg[istr]y of th[e] Archdeacons Co[ur]t of

Oxon at or before th[e] First day of Novemb[er] next ensuing & th[e] same goods Ch[at]ells, & Credits & all

oth[er] goods Ch[at]ells & Credits of th[e] said Dece[ased] at th[e] time of h[is] death w[hi]ch at anytime after shall come

to th[e] hands or possession of y<sup>e</sup> s[ai]d Mary or into th[e] hands & possession of any oth[er] p[er]son or p[er]sons

for her, do well & truly Administer according to Law & furth[er] do make or cause to be made a true & just Account of he[r] s[ai]d ad[ministrat]ion at or before th[e] First day N[ovember] next (*illegible in fold*)

yeare of o[ur] Lord one thousand six hundred seventy & two And all th[e] Rest & Residue of th[e] s[ai]d goods Ch[at]ells

& Credits w[hi]ch shall be found remaining upon th[e] s[ai]d Admin[istr]ators Account th[e] same being first exam[ined]

& allowed of by th[e] Judge or Judges for th[e] time being of th[e] s[ai]d Co[ur]t shall deliver & pay unto such per[son]

or p[er]sons respectively as th[e] s[ai]d Judge or Judges by his or their decree or sentence pursuant the true intent & meaning of a Late Act of p[ar]liam[en]t entituled an Act for th[e] better selling of (*illegible*)

testates estates shall limit & appoint and if it shall hereafter appeare [tha]t any last will & Testa[ment]

was made by th[e] s[ai]d Dec[ease]d & th[e] Executor or Executors therein named do exhibit th[e] same into th[e] s[ai]d

Co[ur]t making request to have it allowed & approved accordingly if th[e] s[ai]d Mary Beard w[i]thin bounden on being there unto required do render & deliver th[e] s[ai]d Letters of Admini[stration] Approba[tum] approved

of such Testam[ent] being first had & made in th[e] s[ai]d Co[ur]t then this Obligation to be void & of nonless

or else to remaine in full force & Virtue

**Transcribed by The Churchill and Sarsden Probate Group 2014**