

# LINCOLNSHIRE ARCHIVES

(incorporating Lincoln Diocesan Record Office)

## **BURGH LE MARSH PAR**

Deposited by Burgh le Marsh PCC on 10 August 1989 (Acc 89/113), 18 May 2000 (Acc 00/71), and 30 March 2001 (Acc 01/28). With the exception of **4/1**, which was deposited by the PCC via Burgh le Marsh Parish Council on 26 October 1989 (Acc 89/168).

### **BURGH LE MARSH PAR 1. REGISTERS**

1. General register: baptisms 1538-1667/8  
marriages 1538/9-1668  
burials 1538-1667/8  
[At the end of the baptisms section are  
absolutions, undated; excommunications,  
1663-1667; marriages, 1653/4-1668;  
burials, 1667/8]
2. General register: baptisms 1668-1722/3  
marriages 1668-1722/3  
burials 1668-1722/3
3. General register: baptisms 1723-1809  
marriages 1723-1753  
burials 1723-1810
4. Baptisms: 1810-1812  
Burials: 1811-1812
5. Baptisms. 1813-1840
6. Baptisms. 1840-1864
7. Marriages. 1754-1812  
[With banns]
8. Marriages. 1813-1837
9. Burials. 1813-1854
10. Marriages. 1837-1930

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 1.**      REGISTERS (continued)

11. Marriages. 1931-1940

12. Marriages. 1940-1950

13. Marriages. 1950-1960

14. Marriages. 1960-1973

15. Burials. 1854-1959

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 2.**      BANNS BOOKS

1. 1851-1948

2. 1951-1973

[See also 1/7 above]

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 3.**      TERRIERS AND INVENTORIES

1. Copy glebe terrier. Original dated 1 Aug 1606

2. Copy terrier, listing glebe, fees, church plate and furniture, information about the school, charity land etc. 25 Oct 1864

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 4.**      TITHE

1. Tithe award dated 1841, with a plan dated 1842 that includes an inset detailed plan of the town. 1841-1842

2. Letter from the Tithe Commission stating that a copy of the altered apportionment has been sent to the parish. 4 Jul 1860

3. Form from the Tithe Redemption Commission giving information about the amount of rentcharge due. 10 Mar 1947

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 5. BENEFICE**

1. Copy grant and plan of a plot of land in Burgh to act as a site for Bishop Tozer's or St Michael's chapel and a school for "the labouring and other poorer classes in the parish", 27 Dec 1867. Two letters dated 1952 are with the deed. 3 items 1867 and 1952
2. Copy of The London Gazette containing a grant of a stipend of £150 per annum to maintain an Assistant Curate in Burgh le Marsh with Winthorpe. With a letter from the Ecclesiastical Commission. 1914
3. Valuation of "garden and accommodation pasture land" belonging to the benefice. 28 Aug 1948
4. Copy of a pastoral order stating that the benefices of Bratoft with Irby in the Marsh, Burgh, Orby and Welton le Marsh with Gunby should be held in plurality. 10 Sep 1971

[See also **3/1-2** above and **10/1** below]

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 6. VICARAGE**

1. Conveyance of vicarage house and glebe paddock by Revd John Martindale, vicar of Burgh le Marsh, to John Dawson of Burgh le Marsh, builder. Includes a plan. 1857
2. Plan showing outbuildings and the site of the vicarage. 1868
3. Plan showing part of Cockhill field as set out for a vicarage house. 1869
4. Plan of property belonging to Mr Hayter, showing the vicarage stable and garage buildings. Undated [20c]

## BURGH LE MARSH PAR 7.

## CHURCHWARDEN

1. Loose sheets of accounts listing expenditure for the year, running from Easter to Easter. The list below states the dates of the accounts and the name of the churchwarden:
  1. Thomas Fouller. Undated [early 18c]  
**NFP**
  2. Francis Batchilor. 1704-1705
  3. [ ] and Thomas Fowler. 1711-1712 **NFP**
  4. Robert Connam and Thomas Fowler. 1712-1713 **NFP**
  5. Thomas Smith and John Sargison. 1721-1722
  6. Mathew Colnam, deceased, and William Tayler. 1730-1731
  7. [ ] Fowler and William Taylor. 1736-1737 **NFP**
  8. William Pinchbeck and Robert Dawson. 1738-1739
  9. Robert Evison and Jacob Kelk. 1741-1742
  10. S Fowler. 1745-1846
  11. Mycal Hare. 1748-1749
  12. Robert Evison and John Beniworth. 1753-1754 **NFP**
  13. John Odlin and Thomas Moody. 1755-1756
  14. Robert Evison. 1756-1757
  15. John Smith. 1763-1764
  16. John Dawson. 1764-1765
  17. Robert Holmes. 1765-1766
  18. William Tayler. 1766-1767
  19. Thomas Towl. 1767-1768
  20. Michael Harr. 1768-1769
  21. Michael Harr. 1769-1770
  22. Michael Harr. 1770-1771
  23. Benjamin Wright. 1774-1775
  24. Benjamin Wright. 1775-1776
  25. Robert Coxson. 1776-1777
  26. Robert Coxson. 1777-1778
  27. John South. 1778-1779
  28. John South. 1779-1780
  29. M Harr. 1780-1781
  30. Michael Harr. 1781-1782
  31. Michael Harr. 1783-1784
  32. John Smith. 1784-1785
  33. John Smith. 1785-1786
  34. John Smith. 1787-1788
  35. John Fowler. ?1788-1789

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 7.****CHURCHWARDEN (continued)**

1. Loose sheets of accounts listing expenditure for the year, running from Easter to Easter. The list below states the dates of the accounts and the name of the churchwarden:
  36. John Fowler. 1789-1790
  37. John Fowlar. 1790-1791
  38. John Fowler. ?1791-1792
  39. John Kelk. 1792-1793
  40. Robert Dawson. 1793-1794
  41. Robert Dawson. 1794-1795
  42. George Ward. 1795-1796
  43. George Ward. 1796-1797
  44. Garmston Chapman. 1798-1799
  45. John Kelk. 1799-1800
  46. Samuel Taylor. 1800-1801
  47. Samuel Taylor. 1801-1802
  48. Samuel Taylor. 1802-1803
  49. J Smith. 1803-1804
  50. John Smith. 1804-1805
  51. John Kelk. 1806-1807
  52. Benjamin Wright. 1808-1809
  53. Richard Maidens. 1810-1811
  54. John Smith. 1811-1812
  55. William West. 1814-1815
  56. William West. 1815-1816
  57. William West. 1816-1817
  58. John Smith. 1817-1818
  59. John Smith. 1818-1819
2. Account book containing expenditure and rates assessments. 1838-1847
3. Small roughly bound book containing the names of contributors of Easter offerings, with the amount that they owe, 1825-1827. The volume has been bound using what appears to be parchment from either a rough parish register or a Bishop's Transcript dated c1812-1813.
4. Offertory account book listing receipts and expenditure of money received from collections for church expenses. 1885-1900
5. Offertory account book listing receipts and expenditure of money received from collections for church expenses. 1900-1912

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 7.**

CHURCHWARDEN (continued)

6. Miscellaneous receipts for wine, outrents, work on the church, etc. Most of the receipts date from 1795-6, 1798-9 and 1810-12.  
48 items 1757-1878

[See also **10/1** below]

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 8.**

CHURCHYARD AND PARISH PROPERTY

1. Copy conveyance of land to be used as an addition to the churchyard, by Revd Colin Marr, vicar of Burgh, to the Church Commissioners for England, 12 Jul 1951. The deed includes a plan and correspondence. 10 items 1951-1953
2. Agreement for the maintenance of war graves in Burgh le Marsh churchyard, with a related letter. 1952-1953

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 8.**

CHURCHYARD AND PARISH PROPERTY  
(continued)

3. Deeds relating to 2 acres and 3 roods of pasture land in the north common of Burgh:
  1. Bargain and sale:
    1. Thomas Ballard of Burgh
    2. Henry Neale of Winthorpe, labourer.Conveyance by 1 to 2.  
Consideration: £14.  
5 Feb 1601/2 **NFP**
  2. Bond:  
Thomas Ballard of Burgh and  
James Ballard of Sleaford,  
“wollendraper”, bound to Henry Neale of  
Winthorpe, labourer, for £30.  
Condition: Thomas Ballard shall fulfil  
the conditions in his deed poll and sell  
the land to Neale, Neale is to be  
indemnified against any claim on the  
land by Alice, wife of Thomas Ballard.  
5 Feb 1601/2 **NFP**
  3. Will of Henry Neale of Burgh, labourer.  
12 Feb 1616/7 **NFP**
  4. Bargain and sale with enfeoffment:
    1. Henry Neale of Burgh, husbandman
    2. William Simpkinson of BurghConveyance of land by 1 to 2. The land  
is referred to as containing 2 acres.  
Consideration: £8.  
12 Feb 1630/1 **NFP**

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 8.**

CHURCHYARD AND PARISH PROPERTY  
(continued)

4. Deeds relating to a cottage and ½ acre of land south and west of the common land in Burgh:

1. Bargain and sale with enfeoffment:

1. Richard Cooper of Burgh, bachelor
2. Richard Chaunt of Firsby,  
cordwainer

Conveyance by 1 to 2.

Consideration: £10 10s.

10 Nov 1670

2. Quitclaim:

1. Richard Cowper of Burgh, yeoman
2. Richard Chaunt of Burgh,  
cordwainer.

Quitclaim of all manner of actions, suits and quarrels, debts, duties, bills, bonds, writings, obligations, reckonings, accounts and demands whatsoever by 1 to 2.

3 Oct 1672

3. Lease for a year:

1. Richard Chaunte of Burgh,  
cordwainer, and Rose, his wife
2. John Parkins of Shilton,  
Warwickshire, gent.

Lease by 1 to 2. Peppercorn rent.

11 Feb 1686/7

4. Bond:

Richard Chaunte of Burgh, cordwainer bound to John Parkins of Shilton, Warwickshire, for £30.

Condition: Richard Chaunte shall fulfil the conditions in the bargain and sale between Chaunte, his wife Rose, and John Parkins.

12 Feb 1686/7

5. Receipt for 8/4/4 above. 12 Feb 1686/7

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 8.**

CHURCHYARD AND PARISH PROPERTY  
(continued)

4. Deeds relating to a cottage and ½ acre of land south and west of the common land in Burgh (continued):

6. Lease for a year:

1. John Parkins of “Kelenworth”  
[?Kenilworth], Warwickshire, gent.
2. Thomas Fowler and James Loft of Burgh, yeomen, overseers of the poor, and Thomas Dyon and Robert Conham of Burgh, yeomen, churchwardens

Lease by 1 to 2. Peppercorn rent.

1 Apr 1719

7. Release:

1. John Parkins of “Kelenworth”, Warwickshire, gent.
2. Thomas Fowler and James Loft of Burgh, yeomen, overseers of the poor, and Thomas Dyon and Robert Conham of Burgh, yeomen, churchwardens

Conveyance by 1 to 2, for the use of the poor.

Consideration: £30

2 Apr 1719

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 8.**

**CHURCHYARD AND PARISH PROPERTY**  
**(continued)**

5. Deeds relating to a message with an orchard, etc, containing 1 rood of land, west of Burgh common lands:

1. Release:

1. Thomas Payne of Bilsby, brickmaker
2. Christopher Crosley of Burgh,  
butcher

Conveyance by 1 to 2.

Consideration: £13 10s

27 Jun 1717

2. Release:

1. Christopher Crosley of Burgh,  
butcher
2. Thomas Fowler and John Hill of  
Burgh, yeomen, overseers of the  
poor, and Robert Conham and  
Thomas Smith of Burgh, yeomen,  
churchwardens.

Conveyance by 1 to 2 for the use of the poor.

Consideration: £16

1 May 1718

Other deeds:

6. Tenancy agreement:

1. Revd Sir George William Craufurd
2. Michael Harr

Lease of 'Five Acres meadow', a piece of land containing 5 acres, 3 roods and 10 perches, by 1 to 2. Agreement includes a plan.

Yearly rent: £12.

25 Feb 1841

7. Tenancy agreement:

1. Revd D J White, vicar of Burgh
2. Charles Clayton of Burgh

Lease of a piece of land containing 5 acres, 3 roods and 10 perches and a piece of land containing 1 acre, 2 roods and 10 perches, by 1 to 2.

Yearly rent: £14.

6 Oct 1887

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 8.**

**CHURCHYARD AND PARISH PROPERTY**  
(continued)

- 8.** Tenancy agreement:
1. Revd D J White, vicar of Burgh.
  2. John Robert Riggall of Croft  
Lease of land in Croft and Bratoft measuring  
15 acres, 1 rood and 34 perches, by 1 to 2.  
Yearly rent: £28.  
6 Apr 1897
- 9.** Conveyance:
1. Peter Bainbrigge le Hunt of Ashbourne,  
Derbyshire, Esq
  2. John Hurst of Louth, chemist and  
druggist
  3. John Allenby of Louth, gent.
  4. Sir George William Craufurd of Burgh,  
bart.
  5. Thomas Davey of Honington, farmer
  6. Joseph Lea of Burgh, farmer  
Conveyance of pasture land at Burgh in  
Marsh by 1 to 2.  
16 May 1861
- 10.** Compensation agreement between Arthur G  
Atkinson, Esq. and Revd Wilfred C W  
Pulleyn, vicar of Burgh cum Winthorpe.  
In compensation for the extinguishment of  
manorial incidents on 14 acres 2 roods and 6  
perches of land in Croft, Revd Pulleyn is to  
pay £9 to Mr Atkinson, 7 Apr 1936.  
With related letter. 2 items 1936

[See also **10/1** below]

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 9.**

**FABRIC OF THE CHURCH**

1. Citation and correspondence from A K  
Nicholson relating to the Bosanquet  
memorial windows. 4 items 1925-1926
2. Estimate for work to the tower roof from E  
Bowman & Sons, building contractors. 3  
Jun 1937

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 10.**      VESTRY

1. Vestry book. 1604-1859  
The volume includes memoranda about parish land, the maintenance of the poor, and appointments and accounts of parish officers, etc, 1622-1859. There is a memorandum relating to the erection of a new workhouse for £500 in 1818. The memoranda of resolutions passed at meetings become more detailed in the 19<sup>th</sup> century.  
At the beginning of the volume are memoranda and accounts relating to 'Holdens land', 1604-1622.  
At the back of the book are a list of persons in the parish of Burgh on 12 Feb 1724/5; an account for a new clock, c1616; an account of "monies received and expended about the getting of an augmentation to the vicarage of Burgh and Wynthorpe and setting a minister there", including several trips to London and payments for quartering soldiers, 1645-1647; and memoranda about regulations for the common land, 1659, 1750, 1805.

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 12.**      CONSTABLE

1. Loose sheets of accounts listing expenditure for the year, running from Easter to Easter. The list below states the dates of the accounts and the name of the constable:
  1. Laurence Cotton and Thomas Dion. 1714-1715
  2. Laurence Cotton and Thomas Dyan. 1715-1716 **NFP**
  3. Laurence Cotton and Thomas Dyon. 1716-1717 **NFP**
  4. William Sargant and Robert Smith. 1719-1720
  5. Thomas Hardy. 1726-1727
  6. Thomas Horn. 1734-1735
  7. Robert Chapman and William Pinchbeck. 1736-1737 **NFP**
  8. Thomas Horn. 1737-1738
  9. Robert Evison. 1743-1744
  10. Robert Evison and William Evison. 1744-1745

1. Loose sheets of accounts listing expenditure for the year, running from Easter to Easter. The list below states the dates of the accounts and the name of the constable:
  11. John Harr and Robert Dawson. 1754-1755
  12. John Harr. 1755-1756
  13. John Harr and Henry Ashling. 1760-1761
  14. John Harr and Henry Ashling. 1761-1762
  15. Richard Willows. 1766-1767
  16. John Smith. 1769-1770
  17. Thomas Towl. 1771-1772
  18. Thomas Towl and Roger Woods. 1772-1773
  19. Thomas Towl and Roger Woods. 1773-1774
  20. Roger Woods. 1774-1775
  21. Roger Woods. 1775-1776
  22. Roger Woods. 1776-1777
  23. George Ward. 1777-1778
  24. George Ward. 1778-1779
  25. George Ward. 1779-1780
  26. George Ward. 1781-1782
  27. George Ward. 1782-1783
  28. George Ward. 1783-1784
  29. George Ward. 1784-1785
  30. Robert Dawson and Thomas Towl. 1787-1788
  31. Amos Frances and William Dawson. 1788-1789
  32. Amos Francis and Roger Woods. 1791-1792
  33. Amos Francis and Roger Woods. 1792-1793
  34. Amos Francis and Roger Woods. 1793-1794
  35. Christopher Jessop and John Prior. 1795-1796 **NFP**
  36. [ ]. 1797-1798
  37. George Ward. 1800-1801
  38. William Towl and M Smith. 1801-1802
  39. William and George Towl. 1803-1804
  40. William and George Towl. 1804-1805
  41. William Towl. 1805-1806
  42. William and George Towl. 1806-1807
  43. William and George Towl. 1808-1809

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 12.****CONSTABLE (continued)**

1. Loose sheets of accounts listing expenditure for the year, running from Easter to Easter. The list below states the dates of the accounts and the name of the constable:
  44. William and George Towl. 1810-1811
  45. William Towl. 1811-1812
  46. William Towl. 1812-1813
  47. William Towl. 1814-1815

[See also **10/1** above]

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 13.****OVERSEER OF THE POOR****Accounts, bills and receipts**

1. Loose sheets of accounts listing expenditure for the year, running from Easter to Easter. The list below states the dates of the accounts and the name of the overseer:
  1. Thomas Fowler and [ ] Millington. 1716-1717
  2. [ ]. 1717-1718 **NFP**
  3. Thomas Hardy. 1729-1730
  4. S Fowler and Joseph Tayler. 1739-1740
  5. S Fowler and William Taylor. 1740-1741
  6. [ ]. 1741-1742
  7. [ ]. 1742-1743
  8. Mr Odling. 1774-1775
2. Account book containing expenditure, rates assessments and lists of payments to paupers, including some lists of the inhabitants of the workhouse. 1752-1778
3. Account book containing expenditure, rates assessments and lists of payments to paupers. At the back of the book are an inventory of the household furniture of Widow Tompson, and memoranda of agreements that state that William Tucksworth agrees to administer the workhouse in return for money and the profit from the labour of the poor. 1794-1808

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 13.**

OVERSEER OF THE POOR (continued)

Accounts, bills and receipts (continued)

4. Account book containing expenditure, rates assessments and lists of payments to paupers. 1808-1818
5. Account book containing expenditure, rates assessments and lists of payments to paupers. 1818-1832
6. Receipts and bills, etc. 11 items 1676-1843  
The documents include an inventory of the goods of Thomas Graseley taken for rent and arrears of rent due to Captain Mears, 1721; an account of money expended on Glen Thompson, his ancestors and family, c.1797; and a receipt for expenses on account of Thomas Ostler and family, 1823. Most of the documents are from the early 1820s.
7. Balance sheets, receipts, bills and appointments of the overseers. 30 items 1877-1884

**Rate books**

- 8.** Rate books containing rates assessments which list occupants of property and the amount that they owe in rates:
  - 1.** Nov 1837, May, Oct 1838, Mar, Oct 1839
  - 2.** May 1839, Feb, Oct 1840, Apr 1841, Feb, Apr 1842
  - 3.** May 1840, Feb, Oct 1841
  - 4.** Nov 1842, Nov 1843, Nov 1844
  - 5.** Apr 1843, Apr 1844, Apr 1845, Apr 1846
  - 6.** Oct 1845, Oct 1846, Oct 1847
  - 7.** May 1847, May, Oct 1849
  - 8.** Nov 1857, Nov 1858, Nov 1859, Nov 1860
  - 9.** May 1859, May 1860, Apr 1861, Apr 1862
  - 10.** Apr 1865, Apr 1866, Feb, Apr 1867, Apr 1868
  - 11.** Oct 1866, Oct 1867, Oct 1868
  - 12.** Nov 1869, Oct 1870, Dec 1871, Nov 1872, Dec 1873, Nov 1874, Mar 1876
  - 13.** Apr 1869, May 1871, May 1876, Jun 1877, Apr 1878, Apr 1879
  
- 8.** Rate books containing rates assessments which list occupants of property and the amount that they owe in rates:
  - 14.** May 1870, May 1872, Jun 1873, May 1874, May 1875
  - 15.** Nov 1876, Oct 1877, Oct 1878, Oct 1879
  - 16.** Apr 1880, May 1881, May 1882
  - 17.** Nov 1880, Nov 1881, Nov 1882
  - 18.** Nov 1891, June, Dec 1892, May, Nov 1893, May 1894
  - 19.** Nov 1894
  
- 9.** Spilsby Union valuation lists for the parish of Burgh. The lists give the names of occupiers and owners of property, and a brief description of the property with its rateable value. 6 items 1879-1884

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 13.****OVERSEER OF THE POOR (continued)****Apprenticeship**

- 10.** Register book of parish apprentices (8 entries only). 1803-1836\*
- 11.** Apprenticeship indentures. 109 items 1624-1832\*
- 12.** Agreement relating to the apprenticeship of James Richardson, son of Abraham Richardson of Winthorpe, to William Hutchinson of Burgh, cordwainer. 4 Aug 1828
- 13.** Bond relating to the apprenticeship of Robert Dawson, son of William Dawson of Burgh, to Robert Dawson. 15 Feb 1683/4\*
- 14.** Notice from the churchwardens and overseers of Mumby cum Chapel to their counterparts at Burgh relating to the apprenticeship of Abraham Barfield Scrimshaw of Mumby to Rachel Stokes of Burgh, plumber and glazier. 27 Apr 1833

**Settlement**

- 15.** Settlement certificates. 201 items 1699-1793\*
- 16.** Settlement certificate from the parish of Addlethorpe for Thomas [?Royuls] and family. 3 Aug 1772
- 17.** Settlement examinations. 105 items 1767-1846\*
- 18.** Settlement examination of Joseph Mays of Burgh, labourer. 4 Mar 1844
- 19.** Settlement orders. 7 items 1713-1730\*
- 20.** Settlement orders. 4 items 1704-1738/9
- 21.** Removal orders. 102 items 1766-1860\*

\*See Lincolnshire Poor Law Index and lists in searchroom for further details

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 13.**

OVERSEER OF THE POOR (continued)

Settlement (continued)

- 22.** Removal orders:
1. Catherine Handsley to be removed from Belchford to Burgh. 8 Jul 1843
  2. Henry Gresswell and family to be removed from Boston to Burgh. 14 Sep 1843
- 23.** Confirmation of removal order: John Sargison and family to be removed from Burgh to Candlesby. 16 Jul 1748
- 24.** Notice from the parish of Burgh to the parish of Welton in the Marsh, abandoning an order for the removal of Thomas and Frances Maltby to Welton. 1858
- 25.** Notices of appeal by the parish of St Michael, Stamford, against an order for the removal of Albert Robinson, Susan his wife, and Sarah Elizabeth and Martha their children, to the parish. 2 items 1845
- 26.** Opinions of council on the liability of the parish to maintain certain individuals:
1. Ann Usher and child. 1796
  2. John Robinson and family. 1797
  3. William Hall and family. 2 items 1822-1823
- 27.** Order requiring the parish of Hogsthorpe to levy money from Michael Harr, overseer of the parish of Burgh, for expenses incurred in the removal of Thomas and Charlotte Ostler and family to Burgh. 1823

Bastardy

- 28.** Bastardy bonds. 27 items 1683-1823\*
- 29.** Bastardy warrants. 6 items 1787-1833\*
- 30.** Bastardy examinations. 2 items 1781 1785\*

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## **BURGH LE MARSH PAR 13.**

## OVERSEER OF THE POOR (continued)

### Bastardy (continued)

**31.** Maintenance orders. 40 items 1790-1833\*

**32.** Maintenance agreements:

1. Robert and Elizabeth Hollfoot agree to maintain the child of Ann Hollfoot and Robert Chester. 18 Apr 1764
2. William Kelk of Burgh, grazier, to maintain the child of Mary Handsley of Burgh. 29 Sep 1834

### Miscellaneous

**33.** Maintenance agreements:

1. George Hobson agrees to maintain William Coates until he reaches the age of 18. 14 Nov 1766
2. Agreement for the maintenance of the child of Elizabeth Dawson. Signed by J Smith junior, John South, William Horton and Robert Shaw. 12 Feb 1785
3. Robert Walker of Spalding agrees to maintain his brother William Walker until Mayday 1808. 20 Jan 1806

**34.** Indemnity bonds:

1. Thomas Parker of Tetford, yeoman, to indemnify the parish against John and Ann Archer. 9 Feb 1698/9
2. Ann Lounds of Burgh, widow, to indemnify the parish against Francis Dickenson, a poor boy. 11 Nov 1730
3. The overseers and churchwardens of Marham on the Hill to indemnify the parish against Edward and Easter Woodthorpe and family. 26 May 1753
4. John Silvester of Toynton All Saints, to indemnify the parish against Christopher Cotes, a poor boy. 13 Apr 1767
5. Bryan Cartwright of Burgh, butcher, and William Cartwright of Spilsby, butcher, to indemnify the parish against Henry Roughton, the son of Rebecca Roughton and Bryan Cartwright. 19 Jan 1818

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**Miscellaneous (continued)**

- 35.** Bonds to keep agreements and to pay certain sums of money:
- 1.** Francis Batcheler, grazier, and Henry Bradley, yeoman, of Burgh, bound to William Woolbie of Burgh. 19 Apr 1703
  - 2.** Thomas Dyon, Robert Connam and Thomas Fowler of Burgh, yeomen, bound to Lyonell Barr of Handleby, yeoman. 1 May 1711
  - 3.** Thomas Fowler, gent, and Lawrence Cotton, glazier, of Burgh bound to Hussey Chapman of Skegness, gent. 24 May 1714
  - 4.** Edward Woodthorpe of Huttoft, gent, and William Cawthorne of Willoughby, clerk, bound to the overseers of Burgh. 30 Jun 1752
  - 5.** George Towl of Burgh, Thomas Massingberd of Candlesby, William Cooke of Croft, John Benniworth of Toynton All Saints, John Stainton of Dalby, Garmston Chapman of Partney and Robert Midgley Kinder of Skendleby, bound to Benjamin West of East Kirkby, farmer. 28 Sep 1818
- 36.** Order to pay relief to Ann, the wife of Christopher Rayner, a member of the Royal North Regiment of Lincolnshire Militia. 28 Nov 1803
- 37.** Agreements appointing individuals to run the workhouse. These include information about the regime inside the workhouse:
- 1.** Edward Woodthorpe of Huttoft, gent. 30 Jun 1752
  - 2.** George Gray, John Dawson and Thomas Gray of Burgh. 12 Apr 1766
- 38.** Deed relating to a charge on the parish rates. The churchwardens and overseers of the poor are to borrow £50 from William Walker the younger and John Walker of Spilsby, gentlemen. 27 Jun 1831

[See also **10/1** above]

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 14.**

**SURVEYOR OF THE HIGHWAY**

1. Account book containing expenditure and rates assessments. 1824-1838
2. Books containing weekly accounts of expenditure:
  1. 1840-1841
  2. 1841-1842
  3. 1842-1843
  4. 1843-1844
  5. 1844-1845
  6. 1846-1847
  7. 1847-1848
  8. 1848-1849
  9. 1859-1860
  10. 1875-1876
  11. 1876-1877
  12. 1877-1878
  13. 1878-1879
  14. 1879-1880
3. Receipts and expenditure account book. 1880-1881
4. Repairs expenditure account book. 1880-1881
5. Stock and stores account book. 1881
6. Highway account books:
  1. 1881-1882
  2. 1882-1883
  3. 1883-1884
  4. 1884-1885
  5. 1885-1886
  6. 1886-1887
  7. 1890-1891
  8. 1892-1893
  9. 1893-1894
  10. 1894-1895

7. Rate books:
  1. May, Oct 1841, Jan 1842, Apr 1843
  2. May 1870
  3. Sep 1877
  4. Jan 1878
  5. Jul 1878
  6. Jan 1879
  7. Jul 1879
  8. Feb 1880
  9. May 1880
  10. Nov 1880
  11. July 1881
  12. Nov 1881
  13. Jul 1882
  14. Nov 1882
  15. May 1883
  16. Nov 1883
  17. May 1884
  18. Nov 1884
  19. May 1885, May 1886
  20. Nov 1885, Nov 1886
  21. May 1887, Apr 1888
  22. Nov 1887, Dec 1888, Nov 1889, Nov 1890
  23. Apr 1889, May 1890
  24. Jun, Nov 1891, Jun, Dec 1892, May, Nov 1893
  25. May, Nov 1894
  
8. Receipts and bills, etc. 61 items 1880-1881
  
9. Receipts and bills, etc. 52 items 1881-1882
  
10. Receipts and bills, etc. 50 items 1882-1884
  
11. Case for the opinion of the Attorney  
General: outline of a legal case in which Mr Charles Burrell Massingberd had prevented the collection of gravel from the shoreline at Ingoldmells in order to avoid damage to the beach. The gravel was intended to be used to repair the roads. 1831

[See also **10/1** above]

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 15.      CHARITY**

[See 3/2 above and 16/1 below]

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 16.      SCHOOL**

1. Records relating to the school founded by the Palmer endowment. Jane Palmer of Newark, spinster, donated 27 acres, 6 perches and 1 rood of land, including Plumtree farm, to support a Free School for the children of Burgh:
  1. Copy of the Burgh School Trust deed with additional articles, constitutions and ordinances. The documents include the rules and orders concerning the schoolmaster and scholars. 2 items  
Original dated 1726
  2. Mortgage:
    1. Revd William Barnes, vicar of Burgh, Revd Edward Greene, vicar of Croft, Revd Robert Cholmeley, rector of Wainfleet All Saints
    2. John Edward Brown of Burgh, schoolmaster
    3. John Sargisson of Croft, farmer.
    4. Revd Joseph Walls of Boothby Hall  
Mortgage of Palmer's charity lands by 1 and 2 to 4, for £65.  
10 Jun 1833
  3. Lease for 14 years:
    1. Revd Sir George William Craufurd, vicar of Burgh, Revd William Williams, vicar of Croft, Revd Robert Cholmeley, rector of Wainfleet All Saints.
    2. John Sargisson of Croft, farmer.
    3. Thomas Leeman of Croft, farmer.  
Lease of Palmer's charity lands by 1 to 2  
Yearly rent: £65  
6 Apr 1840
  4. Security to Mr Frederick Cooke of Boston, gent, for £300 and interest charged on Burgh School Lands. With receipt. 8 Jul 1840

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 16.****SCHOOL (continued)**

1. Records relating to the school founded by the Palmer endowment. Jane Palmer of Newark, spinster, donated 27 acres, 6 perches and 1 rood of land, including Plumtree farm, to support a Free School for the children of Burgh:
  
5. Lease for 7 years:
  1. Revd Charles Dudding Holland, vicar of Burgh and Winthorpe, Revd William Williams, vicar of Croft, and Revd David Winston, rector of Wainfleet All Saints.
  2. Thomas Harness and George Crow of Burgh, farmers and graziers.  
Lease of Palmer's charity lands by 1 to 2  
Yearly rent: £70.  
6 Feb 1854
  
6. Lease for 7 years:
  1. Revd William George Tozer, vicar of Burgh and Winthorpe, Revd Walter Hill James, vicar of Croft, and Revd David Winston, rector of Wainfleet All Saints.
  2. Thomas Harness and Thomas Cram of Burgh, farmers and graziers.  
Lease of Palmer's charity lands by 1 to 2  
Yearly rent: £70.  
Apr 1861
  
7. Security to Mr John Hellyer Tozer of Teignmouth, Devon, gent, for £230 and interest, charges on Burgh School Lands.  
9 Oct 1861
  
8. Lease for 7 years:
  1. Revd William Stephen Thomason, vicar of Burgh and Winthorpe, Revd Hon Evelyn John Monson, vicar of Croft, and Revd David Winston, rector of Wainfleet All Saints.
  2. Thomas Harness and John Dawson of Burgh, farmers and graziers.  
Lease of Palmer's charity lands by 1 to 2  
Yearly rent: £70.  
21 Apr 1868

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 16.****SCHOOL (continued)**

- 1.** Records relating to the school founded by the Palmer endowment. Jane Palmer of Newark, spinster, donated 27 acres, 6 perches and 1 rood of land, including Plumtree farm, to support a Free School for the children of Burgh:
- 9.** Conveyance of 1 acre, 1 rood and 6 perches of land in Burgh for educational purposes by Mr John S Calvertt to Revd William S Thomason, vicar of Burgh, Revd David Winstone, vicar of Wainfleet All Saints, and Revd William E Monson, vicar of Croft. 16 Oct 1869
- 10.** Board of Education scheme for the administration of Palmer's school, with later alteration. 2 items 1904 and 1913
- 11.** Letter from the Ecclesiastical Commissioners about annual subscriptions towards the maintenance of National Schools. 2 Mar 1904
- 12.** Reply to questions from the 'National Society's Enquiry' about the number of children at the school, etc. 1909
- 13.** Copy of the Church Union Gazette containing an account of a meeting to discuss church schools under the Hadow reorganisation scheme. 1930
- 14.** Architect's report on school buildings, with a related letter. 27 Apr 1939
- 15.** Copy ground floor plan of the school. Feb 1945
- 16.** Folder containing reports following the Diocesan Inspection of Schools, 1966, 1968; together with miscellaneous correspondence, etc, about the school. 12 items 1936-1969
- 17.** Receipts. 56 items 1940-1945

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 16.**      SCHOOL (continued)

1. Records relating to the school founded by the Palmer endowment. Jane Palmer of Newark, spinster, donated 27 acres, 6 perches and 1 rood of land, including Plumtree farm, to support a Free School for the children of Burgh:

18. Fire insurance policy, with related documents. 4 items 1930

2. Burgh National School:

1. Cash book. 1894-1904

[See also **3/2** and **5/1** above]

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 17.**      ENCLOSURE

1. Memorandum requesting the calling of a general vestry meeting to discuss altering the stint of the open common, with resolutions about the maintenance of the common. 3 Mar 1831
2. Notice of a meeting to discuss the better management of the common land, signed by  $\frac{1}{3}^{\text{rd}}$  of the proprietors and occupiers of meadow or pasture ground in the common. 15 Mar 1833

[See also **BURGH LE MARSH PAR CO**]

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 18.**      DRAINAGE

1. Account book for the dikereeves of Burgh North Common and Winthorpe South End, containing rates assessments and details of expenditure. 1776-1790
2. Account book for the dikereeves of Burgh North Common and Winthorpe South End, containing rates assessments and details of expenditure. 1790-1824

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 18.**

DRAINAGE (continued)

3. Account book for the dikereeve of Burgh South Common, containing rates assessments and details of expenditure. 1798-1815
4. Order from the court of sewers stating that the town of Orby should take measures “to prevent their waters falling upon Burgh”. 22 Sep 1697
5. Rate assessment listing owners and occupiers of land in Burgh, Winthorpe, Croft, Skegness, Bratoft, Addlethorpe and Ingoldmells, with the amount that they owe in rates. 2 copies Nov 1831

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 19.**

REGISTERS OF SERVICES

1. Preachers’ book. 1886-1898
2. Preachers’ book. 1898-1906
3. Preachers’ book. 1906-1913
4. 1913-1926  
[At back: summary of collections, 1913-1923]
5. 1926-1936
6. 1936-1942
7. 1942-1947
8. 1947-1956  
[Enclosure: order of service for Coronation, 1953]
9. 1956-1959
10. 1959-1966
11. 1966-1971 **NFP**
12. 1971-1975
13. 1975-1980

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 19.**

REGISTERS OF SERVICES (continued)

14. 1980-1984

15. 1984-1989

16. 1989-1994

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 23.**

MISCELLANEOUS

1. Bargain and sale:
  1. John Coxon of Burgh, mercer.
  2. Newcomen Palmer of Burgh, apothecary.  
Sale of 1 red cow, 1 black 2 year old colt, 1 black gelding, 1 bay gelding, 1 sow and 6 pigs, 3 holding pigs, 1 black hat and all household goods, by 1 to 2.  
Consideration: £6 17s 4d  
6 Nov 1718
2. 'The town's bill' for the making of nails, hoops, plates, etc, to be paid to Mr Bradley.  
1717
3. Part of a blacksmith's bill for shoeing horses, etc, to be paid to Mr Clarkson (?).  
1739
4. List of the post-Reform Act voters of Burgh, 1832, together with related letters and claim forms for their inclusion in the list of voters for the South Division of the County of Lincoln. The forms include the signature of the voter, with their place of abode and the nature of their qualification to vote. 81 items 1832-1835
5. List of the 8 people entitled to vote for the election of knights of the shire for Kesteven and Holland, in the parish of Carrington. The list states their place of abode, the nature of their qualification to vote and the location of their property. Undated [c1832]

**BURGH LE MARSH PAR 23.****MISCELLANEOUS (continued)**

6. Affidavits in which individuals intending to marry confirm their identity and length of residence in the parish prior to the publication of banns:
  1. John Fowler and Mary Green. 15 Mar 1822
  2. Ann Bourn (to marry John Bierley of Orby). 19 Oct 1822
  3. Esau Allat and Mary Gibson. 16 Nov 1822
  4. Martha Scawthorpe (to marry David Stephenson of Bilsby). 7 Dec 1822
7. Confirmation register for Burgh and Orby, written in Latin. After the last entry is a note, written by the vicar's less High Church successor, which states that a new confirmation register has been started in English. 1940-1950
8. Account book for the clothing club. The volume consists of the names of subscribers and the amounts they pay per week. 1860s
9. Bill posters for a sale of timber by auction at Winthorpe to be held at the house of Mr T Hutton, innholder. 1834
10. St Paul's Missionary College:
  1. Copy conveyance transferring a schoolhouse from the Bishop of Nottingham and the vicar of Burgh to trustees of the college. 8 Feb 1883
  2. Specification, site report, plan, receipts and correspondence about the building of a chapel at the College. 100 items 1894-1908
  3. Report on the sanitary, constructional and decorative condition of the college by Harold Bailey and Douglas Wood, architects. 18 Apr 1905

**10. St Paul's Missionary College:**

4. Correspondence about the building of a cricket pavilion, with a copy of the bylaws of Spilsby Rural District Council for new streets and buildings. 4 items 1907-1912
5. Agreement for the supply of water in bulk to the college, between the Urban District Council of Skegness and the Governing Committee of St Paul's Missionary College, with correspondence. 6 items 1911-1923
6. Valuations and copy valuation of household furniture and effects at the college as transferred from Revd Canon H Foster to Revd Canon Boulter. 3 items 31 Jul 1920
7. Letter about a legacy from the will of Canon Foster. 15 Feb 1928
8. Annual report, 1922, with newspaper cuttings, 1938-1952. 16 items
9. Plan of a proposed extension to the college, with a letter from Harold S Hall, architect, about building work. 2 items 6 Apr 1927
10. Insurance policies and related correspondence. 20 items 1906-1927

[See also **Binnall 1/1-5**]