

quatrefoils in the head. The containing arch has the same mouldings as the lancets, and is supported on nook shafts with capitals, &c., exactly similar to the Earlier lights. Possibly these belonged to a pair of lancets, and were utilised for the new window. We find a parallel instance at Cholsey, where the beautiful decorated east window is similarly brought into harmony with the lancets on the north and south side. The sill of this window is brought down to a much lower level than those of the lancets to the east of it.

(To be continued.)

Extracts from the Parish Registers of Oxfordshire.

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PARISH OF HANBOROUGH, OXFORDSHIRE.

(From a list of Rectors 1598 to 1673 :—)

Rectores Ecclesiæ de Hanborough.

- 1638. Thomas Walker ejectus est a Delegatis Parliament :
1648 suffectus est ab iisdem.
- 1660. restitutus. ob. Dec. 5 1665 et sep. est in Eccl. S. Petri
in Oriente, Oxon.
- 1666. Ricardus Baylie. ob. July 27 1667. sep. est in Sacello
Coll. S. Joan. Bapt. Oxon.
- 1667. Petrus Mews. provectus ad Episcopat. Batho-Wellens :
resignavit hanc Rectoriam A.D. 1673.

(See Dict. of Nat. Biog).

Registru custodiendu in Eccliæ parochiali de Hanborowghe
infra diocoesin Oxon : confectu ex pergamento, Anno dni millesimo
quingentesi [mo] nonogesimo octavo, Ano Regni serenissimæ dnæ
nræ Elizabethæ dei gratia Angliæ Francæ et Hiberniæ Regina, fidei
defensoris et quadragesimo. Johan. Bates Rect. ibidem et Johan

Tirrie ac Willmo Colgrove gardianis seu œconomicis eccliaē predictaē. Continens in se non modo ex veteri libro chartaceo transcripta nomina eoru qui ab initio Regni dictaē serenissimæ Reginaē Elizabethaē aut baptismatis aqua abluti aut matrimonio copula [ti] aut Ecclesiastica sepulturaē beneficio affecti sint apud Hanborough prædicta usque in diem confectionis hujus libri sed etiam nomia baptizatoru, matrimonio conjunctoru, et sepultoru apud Hanborough predicta, suo ordine post confectione hujus libri.

Anno Dom. 1623. The sixth day of July in the yeare of our Lord god 1623 & in the yeare of our Sovereigne Lord King James of England Fraunce & Ireland the one and twentieth, & of Scotland the six and fiftieth : Memorandum that I Joseph Forde, clarke, Rector of the Church of Hanborowghe in the Diocesse of Oxon, the day & yeare first above written did publicquely reade in the said Church of Hanborowghe all the Articles of Religion agreed upon by the Archbishopps & Bishopps of both provinces together with the whole cleargie in the convocation holden at London in the yeare of our Lord god 1562 in the psence of those whose names are under-written.

Anno Domini 1667. The eight day of March in ye yeare of our Lord God 1667, & . . . of our Sovereige Lord King Charles ij of England Scotland France & Ireland the 20th. Memorandum that Dr. Peter Mews, Clerke, Rector of the Church of Handborough in ye Dio. of Oxon the day & year . . . did declare his assent & consent to those things which are now established in Church & State, did uterly renounce the Solemne Leage & Convent, & did then publicquely reade in the sd Church &c.

REGISTERS OF THE PARISH OF NORTHMOOR, OXFORDSHIRE.

March 15th 1653.

I havinge received a testimony ffrom the Inhabitanτες of Northmore in the County of Oxond that they have all with one unnanimus consent made choyse of and agreed upon John Hadden to be there pish Register ffor the enteringe of marridges birthes and burials accordinge to the late act of parliament and accordingly I have sworne him. wittness my hand this the daye and yeare above written. John Nixon.

These are to sertifie that John Hadden Register of the perish of Northmore hath published the intended marriage betwene Mr. Edward Twyford of Northmore in the County of Oxond Gent & Elizabeth Greene in the Same County Widow three Lords

dayes first the 12th & the 19th & 26th of this instant of March according to the late Acte of Parliament in the parish of Northmore aforesayd in wittnesse herof I have put my hand this 27 March 1654.
John Nixon.

March the 23th 1658.

Receved of the churchwardens of Northmore the sume of five shillings eleven pence towards the rebuilding of the parish church of Oswestree in the County of Salop I say receved by mee, John Jones, in the yeare of the Lorde God 1658.

By mee, John Hadden, regester.

1669.

Vous tous quy la tairre abitez chantez adieu, servez adieu, joieulsmement venez devatt luy, sachez quy laist le [J]ay soubzygne lacrote dun patay la mie ensoit maga[i e] et mon . . tout Jay aprins de[n]s nouvelle que ma maitres.

1681. July the 4 there was a child found in Wessmede under a hayrick, and it was baptized at this Parish Church the 10 of July . . . and it was named Sarah.

Mephibosheth Freeman baptized 2 Feb 1682, being then too and twenth 22 yeares of age.

Christian, being an infant left in the Parish, but the father & mother unknown, bap. 24 Feb 1706.

Janne Thomasis est mort de 25 jour de Novembre 1689 il fait entairay de 27 jour.

1662. Buried the xxth of Dec Jno Jonson a traviler.

To the Churchwardens & Overseers & all other the inhabitants of the pish of Northmoore in the Co of Oxon. These are to certifie you that whereas Jno Dawson with his wife & 4 children have a desiar upon hopes of geting a better livelyhood for himself & familly at yr towne & pish of Norhmoore wee therefore the churchwardens & overseeres of ye poore of ye pish of Stanlacke Com. . . in ye same co. do hereby owne & acnowledge the sd Jno Dawson his wife & fower children to be inhabitants of oure sd pish of Stanlacke Com. . ., & doe hereby promise that whenever the sd Jno Dawson his wife & 4 children shall become chargeable to yr sd towne we will receve them againe, in witness whereof we have set our handes & seales this 26 day of Feb 170 $\frac{3}{4}$.

(signed & sealed by two churchwardens, two overseers, & two witnesses).

Allowed by us, 4 Mar 1703.

(two signatures).

(Adult Baptisms).

- Lot Clifton, about 18. 10 Sept 1721.
 Henry Clifton, about 19½. 13 May 1722.
 John Clifton, about 22. 8 July ..
 Joseph Hanford, about 18. 23 May 1724.
 Thomas Rudge, about 25. 7 Aug 1737.
 Elizabeth Rudge, about 23
 Frances Greening, about 16. 12 Oct 1766.
 The children of Thomas Holloway, deceased, & Anne Walter,
 ages 22, 20, 17, 14, 9. 25 Mar 1770.

PARISH OF SPELSBURY, OXFORDSHIRE.

1545. Agnes Graye baptizatur vto die mensis Decembris, qe
 quidem Agnes fuit illegitima, creata inter Willm Graie
 et Agnete Margetts.
 Phillippus Huckwell et Joanna Crosse maritati sunt die
 Jovis, vz xvj^o die mensis Julij, ano ut sup.
 1546. Johannes Kerrye eodem die q^o natus est, vz xj^o die
 mensis Februarij, sepultus est.
 1548. Henricus Bagot, jam bigamus, et Joanna Ba [got] mar.
 1570. Christoferus Iron advena et pagrinus ambulans p: viam
 moretur, et sup. montem nuncupatu Leedownes, ex
 certis legitimis causis, sepultus fuit 18^o die Octobris.

Receyved 14^o Aprilis 1620 of Sr Henry Lea Knight and Barro-
 nett, the summe of xiijs iiijd to be distributed [unto] the poore of
 the parish of Spelsbury; wch money was for a [special?] licence
 wch was granted [him] by the Lord Bishopp of Oxford for eating
 flesh that Lent. I say receyved, Wm Negose, Vic [ar].

1642. Katherina filia Johannis Carey de Ditchley baptizata fuit
 in Cap [ella] Ditchliana die duodec^o Maij.

[On this Viscount Dillon says: "The only account we have, or
 reference to the site of the old house is in Hearne's diary under
 date 1718 June 10. He says he saw all the rooms, but he does not
 mention any chapel. John Carey was the land steward in 1642
 and with the Countess of Rochester helped to preserve the estate for
 the young Sir F. H. Lee. He also founded the almshouses at
 Spelsbury."]