# A Literal Transcript of the Earliest Register of Dale Abbey, Derbyshire.

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ANCTION for the transcript of the Register has been very kindly given by the Rev. W. Fox, Rector of Stanton-by-Dale, and Chaplain of Dale Abbey.

This Register is of greater value than those of most villages, owing to the excessive number of marriage entries it The yearly average of marriages for the past sixty contains. years is about three; but in 1685 there were thirty-eight, and in 1686 there were forty-six. The first suggestion of the numerous entries is, that the people were not inhabitants of Dale; and this suggestion is made a certainty by such remarkable entries as "One maried Decb ye 4 there names not knowne." Why, we may wonder, did strangers come to this remote village to be married? Was there some superstition as to a special blessing on a marriage contracted in the quaint church beside the ruins of an abbey, and under the same roof as an inn? Or was it a local Gretna Green? Whatever it may have been, Burn in his "History of Parish Registers" (p. 127) makes the following remarkable statement :--- "The marriages in the parish of Dale Abbey were, until a few years previous to the Marriage Act (i.e., Lord Hardwick's Act, 1754), solemnized by the clerk of the parish, at one shilling each, there being no minister." If this be

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correct, it would seem that the people of Dale took a worldlywise view of the marriage fees. High fees might deter people from marriage at Dale, and, in consequence, the poor of the parish would be deprived of a certain amount of relief, as, at the close of the seventeenth century, the shilling fees were distributed by the overseers of the poor. This is shown by entries in the Register. On the other hand, when the question of the place of burial left little choice, the fee was a higher one—three shillings and fourpence. It may be noted that, though there are several different styles of writing, some extremely bad, almost all the entries of any period are in one hand, be they weddings, christenings, or burials.

The state of the document makes it desirable that a copy should be made, and the information safely recorded. It is in a state of sad dilapidation. It is a coverless *paper* book, with a large hole through the first two leaves. It has, moreover, been kept in time past in a damp place, and the paper is consequently in a poorly preserved condition—the edges are worn away and turned; and as time goes on, words at present decipherable will become unrecognisable, or will disappear altogether.

A study of the entries will show that they are not contemporary ones. Omissions, cramped entries, and the want of chronological order and sequence will show that the entries were made some time after the ceremonies. Some of the words and figures have been corrected by contemporary, and some by apparently later, hands.

The book has been re-bound at some time, and it is plainly evident that at that time there were more leaves than at present. In the process of re-binding there was a considerable displacement of the leaves. The notes on the text, it is hoped, will explain this. To make this transcript as chronologically correct as possible, the following order of the pages of the Register has been made :—I to I2 (I3 blank), 45 to 48, 42 to 37, 43, 44, 36 to 26 (25 and 24 blank), 23 to I6 (I5 blank), 14.

The volume measures 15 in. by 6 in.

In the transcript, dots show where the Register is worn away; brackets, where words are undecipherable; and spaces, where omissions occur in the original.

A few notes are added from an inventory (in the overseers' account-book) of the contents of the parish chest in 1806. One item is, "Rec<sup>t</sup> for  $10^{s}/11^{d}$  for the French protestants 27 Sep<sup>r</sup> 1694."

. . . . ye 16: 1667

. . . dy of Deall (?) abey and ffranc . .

. . . . ame parish was married . .

. . . [b] orne sonne of Richard Grun [dy]

- and f. . wife was borne October ye  $23^d$  1668: and was babtised the  $3^d$  of nouember flowllowing By M<sup>r</sup> Robert horne then minister of westhallam.
- Mary the ffirst borne daugter of Richard Grundy was borne september ye 22<sup>d</sup> and babtised October the 25<sup>th</sup>: 1670: and died ye 6<sup>th</sup> of december ffowllowing
- Isacke and Jacob being twins and second and third son [s] to the aforesaide Richard Grundy and Frances his wife was borne the 6<sup>th</sup> of Aprill 1672 : and babtised the 7<sup>th</sup> day and buried ye 14<sup>th</sup> day by M<sup>r</sup> greatrex minister at Risley and west [ha]llame
- Elizabeth the seco . . . Richard Grundy and frances Grundy his . . was borne ye 25<sup>th</sup> . . and babtised ye 12<sup>th</sup> of August . . . et vicar of Ockbrook
- J [oseph?] . . . of Henry tayler and kathe . . . . wife was borne the 11<sup>th</sup> day of may an . . ised the 08 day of may 16 . .

Hannah tayler daughter of Joseph and mary tayler was borne July the 7 and babtised the 04 of the same 16 . .

- Thomas ye sonne of George Wallker and Elizabeth his wife was babtised december ye 16 i678
- Ruth ye daughter of Richard Grundy and France . . his wife was borne Octtober ye 3<sup>d</sup> i678
- John Shaw the soon of William Shaw buryed 14 day of Febryary Anno dom<sup>9</sup> 1678

- Thomas Whith the soon of Francis wh . . buryed the 15 day of febray Anno dom<sup>9</sup> 16 . .
  - . . In Gurtton was bured the 20 day of march Ann dm°  $167\frac{8}{9}$
- . . . hn briggs the soon of John briggs was . . uried the 29 day of March Anno dn
- . . Marot the wife of La [?] marrot . . the 12 day of Aprill Anh dom  $^{\circ}$  16 . .
- . . . . . 15 day of June
- . . eorge Clarke was buryed the : 25 : . . .
- . . lizabeth walker was buryed the : 29 : d . .
- Mary the Wiffe of William S . . . buryed the 21 day of nouem . . .
- Ame the Wiffe of William . . . buryed the 4 day of decem . .
- John Jankinson & Anne osbourne w . . marryed on Sunday night the 25 day of december by m<sup>r</sup> Leeson m<sup>r</sup> Gilberts Chaplaine 1681
- Elizabeth the Wiffe of George Walker was buryed the 27 day of december 1681
- John Wright of dalle abby Baker dyed upon Friday night February the 10 & was buryed upon Sabbath day in the afternoone February the 12: by  $m^r G$ . atrax then minister of Westhallam  $168\frac{2}{1}$
- . . thy Boswell widdow of Edward Boswell departed this liffe February the 13 at night & was buryed February the : 14 by m<sup>r</sup> Leeson then Chaplaine to m<sup>r</sup> Gilbert
- John Wright seni . . le abby yeoman dyed in February 16 . . buryed by the aforementioned mi . .
- Will: Osborn . . . Abby dyed May the  $23^{th}$  and . . . the  $25^{th}$  1685
- John Wrig . . . sunn of John Wright aboue departed this life february the 1<sup>th</sup> and was buried february ye  $3^{\text{th}}$   $\mathbf{168}\frac{7}{8}$
- Mary Wright the onely doughter of John Wright and Mary his wife was baptized february ye  $3^{\text{th}}$  168% the same day her father were buried.

Elezbeth Reyley widow departted this life Aprile ye 4 1693

Know . . . men by these p<sup>9</sup>se . . . s tha . . . neigh(?) . . . s of dalle abby whose hands are here . . . . tten did upon the second day of February 1 . . . about(?) seuerall occations of the towne and finding (?) then & before a great neglect of paying the summe of three shillings & floure peance ffor euery corps be it man woman or child being intered in the in the church of dalle abby according to an antient & usuall custome, thereffore it is ordered the day & yeare aboue written by Us the inhabitants whose hands are here under written that ffor euery corps that shall hereafter be intered in the parish church of dalleabby be it man woman or child the shall beffore the makeing any graue in the church for any person as aboue pay unto the Cunstable or head borrow then in being the summe of three shillings and ffoure peance according to there antient usual custome. and that the parish Clarke ffor the time being shall not attempt to breake open any ground ffor the interment of any in the church aforesayd beffore such money be payd as aforesaid upon paine of the Clarke then in being paying the the money himselffe the same day of interment

Witnesse oure hands the day & yeare first aboue written

John Wright Matt. Han . . . Thomas . . . . tes Grange John Br . . . . Willia . . . . ne Edward . . . . nte his marke Ralph tealer William Cooke his W marke Tho Wheatley his marke Edward Briggs his marke

# George Walker his marke Henry Greene his marke

[This note is in the same writing as the entries of 1681 and presumably of the same date.]

Will: James sun and Eare of Will: and Mary James was borne att Dale Abby one good friday ye 6 day of Aprill 1694 and was baptised by ye Honourable Anchitills Grays Chaplin one ye 5 day of May 1694

Anaccount of all the wedings that have b . . . pish of Dale Abby since January the first Anno  $Dom^9$  1684 as followeth

- 1 Robert Hardy and Ellen Blood were married ye 4<sup>th</sup> of January 1684
- 2 Matt: Steeuens and Annie Burros were maried the 10<sup>th</sup> of January 1684
- 3 Robert Winfeild and Sarah Burch were maried ye 28th of January 1684
- 4 Joseph Morley and Anne Blarstone were maried ye 1<sup>th</sup> march 1684
- 5 Rich. Morgill and Elin. Haward were Maried ye 1th march 1684
- 6 Will: Radcliffe and Amy Wright were Maried the 3<sup>th</sup> march 1684
- 7 Rich: Leausley and Mary Loccow were maried 20th Aprill 1684
- 8 Isack Aulby and Jone Shelton were maried the 15<sup>th</sup> march, 1685
- 9 John Fouk and Elen Bacon were Maried the 21 of Aprill 1685

[The last two entries were originally dated 1684, but 5 has been written over the 4.]

- 10 Will: Knight and Mary Wells were Maried the 10<sup>th</sup> may 1685
- 11 Tho Brammer and Hannah Auldey were maried 11<sup>th</sup> may 1685

- 12 John Mee and Mary Bradley were maried may 17th 1685
- 13 Edw Maston and Barbara Jreland were Marryed June ye 5<sup>th</sup> 1685
- 14 Hen: Lindop and Sarah Tompson were Married June ye 7<sup>th</sup> 1685
- 15 William Sanders and Mary Waters were Marryed June 13<sup>th</sup> 1685
  - Will: Dexter and Eliz: Pemberton were married June 23<sup>th</sup> 1685
- 17 John Rilth and Martha Morris were married June 27the 1685
- 18 Rob: Brook and Sarah Worthington were married July 8th 1685

. ob Close and Dorathy Gent . . . ried July  $19^{th}$  1685 Just Was and Anne Baly were married August the  $2^{th}$  1685

- 21 John Bonssall and Majest (?) Smith were maried August 16<sup>th</sup> 1685
- 22 John Vrins and daroty Barker was maried August 23<sup>th</sup> 1685
- 23 Rob. England and Darothy Bayly was maried Sept 6th 1685
- 24 Joseph Bayly and Darcas Choice was maried Octob ye 5<sup>th</sup> 85 [In this entry Sept was written, then erased, & Octob written in the same hand.]
- 25 Abraham Hooe and Jane Longman were maried ye 5<sup>t</sup> Octob 85
- 26 Will: Creswell and Elner Cooper was maried Octob 8th 85
- 27 Thomas Eaton and Mary Branson was maried Octob 8th 85
- 28 Geo. Willgresle and Ann Poyfer was married Octob 9<sup>t</sup> 1685
- 29 John Redgate and Margerit Oldersha were married ye 16 day Octob 1685
- 30 John Asle and Jane Bloor were married ye 25<sup>th</sup> Octob 1685
- 31 John Dent and Anne Hood were maried Nob. the 7<sup>th</sup> 1685

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- 32 Ralph Jollecocke and Hannah Turton were maried Nob. 19th 1685
- 33 Will. Milner and Sarah Watson were maried ye 21<sup>st</sup> Nob. 1685
- . Andrew Walton and Ann Chamberlaine were maried December 2<sup>th</sup> 1685
- 35 Edw: Fetherston and Margeret Gibbins were Maried Decb. 18th 1685
- 36 Tho. Dawson and Anne Finney were maried Decb. 18th 1685
- --7 Rob. Smith and Elin Astis were maried Decb. 27th 85
- 38 Solomon King and Mary Wa []ton were maried Decb. 29<sup>th</sup> /1685

Anacount of all the wedings that haue bin in . . . of Dale Abby since January the first Anno Dom . . . as followeth

- 01 Tho. Barker and Eliz: Roust were maried febr. 9<sup>th</sup> /1685 02 John Roulland and Eliz: Ellot were maried Febr. 9<sup>th</sup> /1685
- 3 Tho : Franks and Eliz : Frances were maried March ye 3th /85
- 4 Will : Coats and Eliz. Newton were maried March ye 4th /85
- 5 Rich : Cocks and Mary Baley were maried March 11th /85
- 6 Tho: Lee and Isabell Huskinson were maried March ye 19<sup>th</sup>
- /85
- 7 Edw: Winney and Millicent Day were maried March 24<sup>th</sup> /1685
- 8 George Hanley and Mary Fish were maried Aprill ye 6th /86
- 9 Henry Robey and Millisent Pime were maryed Aprill ye 12<sup>th</sup> 1686
- 10 Rob: Pearsee and Eles. Hodkinson were maried Aprill 17<sup>th</sup> /1686
- II Danniell Moreland and Dorothy Martin were maried Aprill 29th /1686
- 12 Edw: Bosbos and Elizebeth Sison were maried May 2<sup>th</sup> 1686
- 13 John Robinson and Sara Hooley were maried May 2th 86

- 14 Josiah Wheldon and Jane Erringham were maried May ye 9<sup>th</sup> /1686
- 15 John Husbond and Sarah Chapman were maried May 17<sup>th</sup> /1686
- 16 John Woollans and Anne Whittacar were maried May 18<sup>th</sup> 86
- 17 Will: Smith and Eliz: Jones were maried May 25 /86
- 18 Augustin Low and Eliz: Middlebreek were married May 30<sup>th</sup> /1686
- 19 Rob: Heathcote and Susannah Lakin were maried June 23<sup>th</sup> /86
- ...Geo: . . . Mary Brammer were . . . . <sup>th</sup> . . 6
- -- I James Thacker and Millisent Roberts were maried July, 17<sup>th</sup> /86
- 22 Will: Burton and Mary Brightman were maried July 18th /86
- 23 Tho: Woodhouse and Eliz: Salt were maried July 18th /86
- 24 Tho: Wright and Mary Straw were maried Aug<sup>st</sup> ye 1: 86
- 25 Charles Baxter and Darathy Simpton were maried Augst 2th 86
- 26 Tho : Harrison and Margery Dickson were maried Aug<sup>st</sup> 15<sup>th</sup> 86
- 27 James Hall and Jane Sherwood were maried Aug<sup>st</sup> 15: 86
- 28 Daniell Care and Hannah Taylor were maried Augst 19:86
- 29 Robetta and Sosiae Moore were maried Aug ye 23th /86
- 30 Tho: Aire and Joan Wotherd were maried Sept ye 4th: 86
- 31 Edw: Steeinsun and Ruth Humychry were maried Sep<sup>t</sup>: 6<sup>th</sup> /86
- 32 Tho : Goodale and Anne Hewett were maried Sept : 6th /86
- 33 Tho : Brookfeild and Anne Mecock were maried Sept : 22<sup>th</sup> /86
- 34 George James and Eliz: Flamsted were maried Sept 30th 86
- 35 Rich : Allam and Mary Clay were maried Octob. 11th /86
- 36 Michaell Gregory and Ailes Hough were maried Octob 14<sup>th</sup> /86
- 37 John Spery and Mary Souter were maried Oct<sup>9</sup> : 13<sup>th</sup> 86
- 38 Frances Hudsun and Ailes Charton were maried Nouemb. 15<sup>th</sup> 86

- 39 John Ault and Mary Renald were maried Novemb. 16th 86
- 40 Henry Silkstone and Mary Silkstone were maried Novemb. 24<sup>th</sup> 86
- 41 Samuell Clarke and Mary Bacon were maried Novemb. 27: 86
- 42 Rich: Hand and Mary Smith were maried Decemb<sup>9</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> 86
- 43 Joseph Beardsley and Anne Row were maried Decemb. 12th 86
- 44 Rich Warriner and Martha Garner were maried Decemb. 26<sup>th</sup> 86
- 45 Sampson Armishaw and Mary Coopstake were maried Decb. 27<sup>th</sup> 86
- 46 Tho. Alsebreeke and Mary Bowler were were maried Dech.: 31<sup>th</sup> 86
  - 1 David Wealthdall and Eliz : Blackiall were maried Jan : 2<sup>th</sup> : 86
  - 2 Tho: Johnson and Mary Weedcock were maried Jan: 2th: 86
  - 3 Sam : Blood and Mary Dickin were maried Jan. 9th 86

Anacount of all ye wedings that haue bin in this pish of Dale Abby since Jan. 9<sup>th</sup> 1686 as I Can Com to the knowledge of

- I John Adcocke and Rebekeh Millaiton (?) were maryed Homphy Mainfeild and Grace Wouen were maryed October 8/ 1689
- 2 Henry Ashe and Hannah Play weare maryed April 1th 8 . .
- 3 John Waller and os Rouers were maryed 1689
- 4 Will : Smith and Sara Chesterelen (?) were maryed 1689
- 5 Samuell Sarson and Mary Creswell were maryed March 16 /89
- . . . ohn Walker and Ellim Billidges . . re maried 23 March 89
  - 7 Tho. Slater and Elezabeth Armfeild were maried 25 March 1690
  - 8 George Robey and Mary Barnesby were maried Jan. 7th 89
  - 9 Tho : Borous and Sarah Harison were maried Jan. 13 1688
- 10 Will: Tletcher and Ellezabeth Rollin were maried Jan 13 88
- 1 John Bančroft and Margerit Jackson were maried 2 May 1690

- 2 Will Tou and Hannah Holinds were maried 6 May 1690
- 3 Will Criple and Katherin Noden were maryed 6 May 1690
- 4 John Woodward and Ann Wleelhouse were maried April last 1690
- 5 Tho : Nixson and Ann Neuton one Care Sunday 1690. [Care Sunday is the 5<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Lent. Carling Sunday.]
- 6 Tho: Wood and Hannah Bailey were maried Septemb. 17/1690
- 7 Joseph Arme and Elizabeth Frerson were maried Sept 10/90
- 8 John Vnderwood and Darothy Cocer were maried Oct<sup>9</sup> 10/1690
- 9 Will : Cooke and Ann Wheatly were maried Sept<sup>9</sup> 27/90
- 10 Will. Carter and Margerit Bowler were maried
- II Joseph Peile and Mary Talor were maried
- 12 Fran : Dexter and Kath : Anabell were maried
- 13 John Denes and Briget Harue . . were maried August I . . [? 17]
- 15 Rob : Parker and Elezbeth Bingh . . maried August 24 /1690
- 16 Edw. Allceck and Deborah Symms were maried
- 17 John Woodward and Ann Wheelhous were maried [see this entry above]
- 18 Edw. Smedly and Hannah Gose were maried Septem<sup>5</sup> 8: 1690
- 19 Rob : Bradbery and Ann Pete were maried 15 decemb. 1690 [? 5 decemb.]
- 20 Hen : Golder and Ann Hooley were maried Decb. 15 /1690
- 21 Rich: Allin and Mary Wage were maried Nob. 6 /1690
- 22 Will: White and Lidiay Hemsley were maried ye last Nouemb. 90
- 23 Rob. Hodskinson and Mary Newton were maried Decemb 16/1690
- 24 James Talor and Anne Ratcliffe were maried Jan : 1 /1690
- 25 Will: Nortts and Elez. Jerram were married Aug. 17/1690
- 26 Will, Moris and Rebeketh Breren (?) were maried Aug. 17/90
- 27 Rich Toby and Ann Windly were maried Jan 12/1690

Anaccount of wedings since Jan. 12. 90

- I James Gad and Anne Wheatly were maried Jan: 1690
- 2 Hen : Smith and Soorsby were maried Jane : 24 /90
- 3 Jon : Wilson and Hannah Blood were maried 26 Jan : 1690
- 4 Godfree Sykes and Ann Knighter were maried feb. 6 1690
- 5 Tho. Worren and Mary Nuton were maried Aprill 12 /1690
- . Edw. Burgiyn and Margery . . cocke were maried May 4 /9 . .

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- 7 Will. Dally and Mary Carter were maried
- 8 Will. Egleston and Mary Corner were maried Feb. 24 1690
- 9 Will Knowles and Jane Siylkington were maried May 15 1691
- 10 Tho Boote and Helen. Merrill were maried May 25 /91
- 11 Joseph Ainsworth and Mary Simmes were maryed Jun 8. 91
- 12 Charles Dunnag and Lucy Boote were maried June 19: 1691
- 13 Hen: Roger and Eliz<sup>9</sup> Flecher were maried May 6 /1691
- 14 Timothy Harison and Sarah Brunte were maried July 19. 1691
- 15 John Wheelhouse and Deberra Richarson were maried
- 16 Tho: Perry and Ester Wilson were maried
- 17 John Preston and Mary Hayes were maried July 26 /1691
- 18 Isaack Jackson and Mary Wagstaff were maried Aug: 9:91
- 19 John North and Sarah Hoges were maried Octo 11 /1691
- 20 Tho : Peate and Elez. Ball were maried 11 Octob. 91
- 21 John Walker and Joune Waites were maried Aug 12:91
- 22 Michill King and Mary Harrison were maried Aug 12. 1691
- 23 Rob: Lasy and Anna White were maried 17 Octob. 1691
- 24 Dauid Jones Fran: Caluert were maried 21 Octob. 01
- 25 Edw. Plimmer and Re . . Rivit were maried 22.

[The next page, No. 13, is blank, and page 14 contains the late entries of 1730 and 1731. The marriage entries which follow have apparently been misplaced in re-binding the Register, and are at the end of the book. They are in the same writing as the foregoing, and, without doubt, originally followed immediately after them.]

- . Jon Eare and Sarah Orebl (? Orebb) . . . June
- . . John Habberam 6 June 92 and Grace Broomilow
- 9 John Clarke and Elizabeth Sleephers were maried 92
- 10 Frances Preen and Barbara Chambers were maried June 92
- 11 Rouland Pi[?up] ost and Elez: Webster were maried August ye 28 /92
- 12 Charles Millard and Mary Shelden were married Septemb. 4-92
- 13 Edmond Harte and Elez: Wallbaich were maried Septemb. 4 /1692
- 14 Geo: Hallam and Anna Fletcher were maried Septemb. 6 /92
- 15 Will. Noble and Mary Harttill were maried Septemb. 11 /92
- 16 Fran: Kearke and Mary Robison were maried Septemb. 11/92
- 17 Hen: Webster and Anne Shefeild were maried Septemb. ye 13/92
- 18 One maried Decb. ye 4 there names not knowne
- 19 Joseph Dowman and Mary Kerey were maried Septemb. 1/1692
- 20 Daniell Chaplin and Mary Slaicke were maried Octob. 2-92
- 21 Samuell Barns and Mary Smith were maried Octo 9 92
- 22 Edw. Adeson and Martha Mabbat were maried the 18 day 92
- 23 Will. Smith and Elez. Chandler maried Nov. 10 92
- 24 Tho: Meeds and Saray Churchitt were maried 27 day 92
- 25 Rob. Okleuer [? Olleuer] and Mary Sadler were maried Dec. 4. 92
- • Rob: Knowth and Mary Drawlitt were maried ye 11 Decemb. 92

[The leaf on which the preceding 20 entries and the following 16 entries occur has been turned the wrong way in re-binding. The following 16 entries, therefore, should follow "Edw. Plimmer and Re . . . Rivil" preceding the last note above].

- 26 John Chapman and Elizabeth . . . were married Nob. 29 /1691
- 27 Samuell Dudley and Ruth Goodw . . . were maried Jun 2 / 1691
- 28 Tho: Dowman and Margerit Pattericke were were maried Decb. 24 /1691
- 29 James Haruey and Jssabell Woodard were married Decb. 26/1691
- 30 John Oldershaw and Anne Seuern were maried January 2: 1691
- 31 Benimin Jackson and Plebe Ward were maried 17 Jan. 91
- 33 [No names entered ] were maried
- 33 James Hanson and Eliz: Orm weare maried Jan: 27 /1691
- 34 Tho: Columbell and Ann Haries were maried Feb 3 /1691
- 35 John Hant and Eliz. Armsen were maried Feb. 3 /91

# Anaccounte of weding since March 28 /1692-

- o1 Tho. Adams and Jane Steuer were maried Apr. 3/1692
- 02 Tho. Pight and Susanna Williams were maried April 8 /92
- 03 Edw. Boote and Eliz. Bostocke were maried April 10 /92
- 04 James Hellond and Keaterin Newam were maried Apr. 16/92

05 Phili. Peader and Mary Smalledge were maried May 16 /92 06 Will. King and Daras weare maried June  $1^{th}$  92

30 Rob. Greene and Elez. Simson were maried Aprill 9 1693

31 Hen. Swifte and Margerite Wood were maried 93

32 One Cuple more there names not knowne

33 Rob. Bankrast and Ann Garland weare maried 93

34 Tho. Burryer and Jane balle were maried 93

35 Tho. Lim and Saray Smith were maried 93

36 Hugh Gaskin and ond (?) Ward were maried 93

37 One Caple more theire names not knowne

- Samuell Hancocke and Ann Cowle were maried by Mr. Leeson att Chadson in this County Derby one August ye 3 Anno Dom<sup>9</sup> 1693
- Matt. Hancocke the first borne sune of ye foure sd Samuell and Anne his wife were borne May ye 22: 1694 and baptised by Mr. Baratt ye 29 of May next ensuing.
- Edw. the second sun of ye foure sd Samuell and Ann his wife were borne feb. ye 22: 1695 and baptiesed att Sendi . . . by Mr. Barate March ye first 95
- John ye third sun of ye foure sd Samuell and Ann his wife weare borne April ye 22: 16. . and baptiesed by Mr. Barate ye 27 of ye s [ame] m [onth]
- Will (?) Wright of Bartto . . . . . of Dale Abby weire
- Sarah ye firste borne . . . and Sarah was borne ye 2[5?] . . . .
- Michill ye fourth son of ye foure sd Samue . . and Ann weire borne April 28: 1700
- Josep the fifth son of the aforesaid Samul Hancock and Ann his Wife were born July ye 19<sup>th</sup> 1702.

[The original entry was 1703, but was corrected to 1702 by apparently the same hand.]

- Elizabath the fourst born douter of Samul Hancock and Ann his wife were borne in Maye ye 22 1704
- Samul Hancock sixth son of Samul and Ann his wif wear boorn the 22 day of august 1706
- Ann Hancock second douter of Samul and Ann his wif wer born august 24-1708
- Ann Hancock wido of Mathew Hancock departted this lif Septem ye 19 1710
- Samul Hancock the sixt son of Samul Hancock and Ann his wife departted this lif Octo 20. 1710
- Beniamin Hancock the 7th son of Samul and Ann his wif wer born feb the 12 day. 1710

William Wright the Second Son of John and Elizabeth Wright was born feb ye eight 1729

[This is the last page of the *present* volume. The entries other than marriages, with the above few exceptions, begin on page 42 of the Register, which was at one time, from its appearance, the last page. The Register was evidently begun at both ends, and the following pages retain the characteristic position. The first leaf of these entries is much soiled, and one corner has been torn away.]

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Whereas there was the sum of thirty tow shillings Rec<sup>d</sup> by Rich Haruey Clark for thirty tow weding before Crismas 16 . . it was by him deliuered to the parish . . . and by the Consent of Nighboor will Co . . Ouerseer of the poore, disposed of it . . . the poore as followeth, wid Morley . . . Phill: Boden  $1^{s}-6_{d}$  Amy Bridges  $1^{s}$  wid Reyley  $1^{s}-6^{d}$  Mary Talor  $6^{d}$  Joh . . Roper  $1^{s}-6^{d}$  wid Hardy  $6^{d}$  Jo<sup>s</sup> Rop . . . . Will Shirwood  $6^{d}$  Jo<sup>n</sup> Haywood  $1^{s}$  Rob Dowman  $2^{s}-6^{d}$  Tho Eare  $2^{s}-6^{d}$  w . . Taylor  $2^{s}-6^{d}$  Jere : Maples  $1^{s}-6^{d}$  w . . . Spur  $1^{s}$  Edw Spur  $1^{s}$  Will Jacson . . . wid Richardson  $2^{s}$ Edw Roulson  $1^{s}$  John Osborne  $1^{s}$  wid Bourous  $6^{d}$  J . . . Bowthers  $6^{d}$  Mary Wats  $1^{s}$  Will Shaw  $1^{s}$  Rich Mariatt  $1^{s}$  in the who . . . as aboue  $01^{ll}-12^{s}-00^{d}$  deuided January the  $4^{th}$ 1685

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March 28/1692 Barth : Peate being Ouerseer of ye poore Distributed of ye widing mony to ye poore this parish ye sum of one pound fufteme shillings for Thirtti fue wedings

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Rob: Mason being Ouerseer ye poor and others sinse to Jerimy Mapels att 3 tims . . . 00 : 03 : 00 . . . to Thomas Eare att 5 tims before ye 14 feb./92 ... 00 : 05 : 00 to phillap boden . . . 00 : 0I : 00 ... . . . ... 00 : 01 : 00 to him more ... . . . ... . . . ... to Tho : Eare more 00 : 0I : 00 ... . . . . . . ... 00 : 02 : 06 to Edw: Rousston... ... . . . . . . ... 00 : 01 : 00 to Tho : Eare more . . . ... ... . . . to Phillap Boden ... 00 : 0I : 00 . . . ... ... . . . 00 : 0I : 00 Geo: Walker ... . . . ... ... ... Will: Jacson 00 : 01 : 00 ... ... . . . . . . ... 00 : 00 : 06 Sara: Spur . . . . . . ... . . . ... 00 : 00 : 06 ... her more ... ... . . . . . . ... 00 : 01 : 00 Phillap boden more ... ... ... ...

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Bengamen Walker sun of Geo. Walk . . departted this life May ye 12<sup>th</sup>/1695

Amy Bridges Spinster departted this life May ye 13th 1695/

William Hanford and Elizabeth Waldrum were Maried May ye 6th 1605/

Elezabeth Cooke the wife of Will Coo . . departed this life Jun 19: 1695/

Elezabeth Vallence ye doughter of Edw: Vallence departed this life ye 27 day of July 1695/

Ann Roper ye first borne of Jo<sup>n</sup> Roper and Mary his wif weire borne August ye 15 1695 and buried ye 17 day of ye same month/

Phillip\* the first borne basterd of Mary Spur was borne Septemb. 10<sup>th</sup> 1695 Phillip Dreacod is suposed to bee his father

- Rob: the sun of Rob: Needam and Grace his wife were borne August ye 19. 1695.
- Michill the sun of Tho : Wheatly and Mary his wife weare borne Septemb. 29 : 1695

Rich : Clower and Ann Whellwrigh . . weire maried Nob. 14 — 1695

<sup>\* &</sup>quot;Phillip Spurr to Sam<sup>1</sup>. Shepherdson 30 Nov<sup>7</sup> 1703. Parish Indenture, Mason, plasterer and tiler." "Sessions Order Phillip Dreacott Child born 10 Sep<sup>t</sup>. 1695." (Parish Chest.)

- Will Dracod\* ye sun of Geo Dracod and Hanna his wife weire borne Octob: 11:95
- Edw ye second sun of Samuell Hancock and Ann his wife were borne febury 22 . . .
- Ann. ye wife of Rich. Dawson and Daughter of John Sheperson departted t . . . life March ye 4. 1695 and was bur . . . the 5 day of ye same month.
- Mary ye Doughter of Will Winrow and Susan . . . his wif was borne March 25 day 1696
- Will Dracod\* departed this life 1696
  - . . . the doughter . . . [? Bacon] . . . . his wife were borne April 27 [07]
- Ann the Doughter of Geo. Walker and . . . his wife were borne April 27: 1696
- Will, ye sone of Will. Hanford and Eliz : his wife were borne Aprile ye 29: 1696
- Hanna the Doughter of Edw. Steeuens and Ann his wife were borne July 28: 1696

The sun of John Roper and Mary his wife were borne Septemb ye 20: 96

Jane Clower ye widow of Will : Clower departed this life October ye 4 : 1696

the sun of Edw Valens and Elez: his wife were borne Nouember 12: 1696

the sun of Rich Clower and his wife were borrne Nouember 28: 96

The sun of Rich Portter and Sarah his wife were borne Nouemb. 29.96

The sun of Geo. Dreacod borne 96

A basterd Child keepte by Tho: Oxley supposed to be Tho: Twelues of Dunington in ye County Lester departed this life Decemb. ye 3: 96

Mary ye wife of John Smith departted this life March 15 - 1696

<sup>\*</sup> In 1696 there are entries in the Parish Registers of Heanor relating to children of "George and Hannah Draycott of Loscoe," one of them being an entry of the burial of their son William, on Feb. 14th (1696 new style); and in 1697 to a child of "George and Hannah Draycott of Stanly grange."—See *Journal*, vol. xx. p. 19.

Sarah Milns ye wife of Joseph Milns departed this life July ye 12 - 1697

Rich: Haruey departted this life July ye 26 — 1697 Jo<sup>n</sup> Smith and Sarah Cooke were maried Jun 24 — 1697 Joseph Milns and Ann Turton Maried August 24: 1697 Will · Wright and Lidiay his wife were Maried

The sun of Joseph Row and Mary his wife weire borne Jan: ye 12: 1697

ye third ancock and Ann his wife weire borne Aprile ye 22 1698

Margeritt Hancock the doughter of John Hancock departed this life June ye 14 1698

Ann Haslam departed this life July ye 18 169

John ye son of Edw Steeuens and Ann his wife weire borne Septemb. ye 18 — 1698

Will Jackson departted this life July 28 1698

John ye first borne son of Will: Wright and Lidiay his wife weire borne Octob. ye 8: 1698

Mary ye wife of Tho. Wheatly departed this life Nouemb. ye 22 -1698

the doughter of Will: Winrow and Susana [? y] his wife were borne Nouemb. 25: 98

Grace Needam departed this life March ye 18: 1698.

A child of a strange woman weire borne att Stanley Grange this yeare 98

The fore s<sup>d</sup> Child departed this life ye foure s<sup>d</sup> yeare

John ye sunn of John Roper and Mary his wife weire borne ye 18 of dece . . . 1698

ye of Geo Dreacod and Hannah his wife weare borne 98

Jane Shaw ye wife of Will: Shaw departted this life May ye ninth 1699

Joseph Roper and Mary Phips weire Maried April: 13 — 1699 Jane ye wife of William Hardey depearted this life August ye 23: 1699

Ralph the sun of Rich · Porter and Sarah his wife weire borne Septemb. the 15: 1699

Hanah ye doughter of Will. Hanford and Eliz: his wife weire borne August 27: 99

Mary the doughter of Edw: Vallence and Eliz: his wife weire borne Octob. 17 . . .

Hen: Frith departed this life Octob. 2 [? 6]

Joseph ye sun of Jo<sup>s</sup> Milns deperted th . . . July ye 14: 1699

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Will Hardey and weare maried . . .

[Jo?] hn Routher departed this life february 29: 1699

Rich\* the son of Rich: Clower and Ann his wife were borne feburary ye 20: 1699

Rob. Needam and Grace his wife were borne 1699

Mich: the sun of Samuell Hancock and Ann his wife weire borne Aprill ye 28: 1700

Henre the son of Edw: Vallence departed this life in May.

- Joseph Roper ye first Son of Joseph Roper And his wife Mary was born February the 24: 1700 (This entry is written in a different hand and with a different ink.)
  - Cat . . . wife were borne aprill ye 6 17 . .
- Tho [?] Roper the 2 Sun of Jo<sup>s</sup> Roper and Mary his wife were borne April the 8. 1702

Ralph Taler the first borne Sun of Ralph Taler were borne y<sup>e</sup>: 19 daye of [Aprill ?] 1702.

the doughter of Edw : Vallence were born. may. 4.

\* This son Richard was a weaver in 1733 (Parish Chest).

Joseph the 5 Sun of Samul Hancock and Ann his wife were born July the 19 1702

Hana Osborn the wife of Joseph osbo . . . departed this life July the 7. 1702

The wright honouerabl Anshontell Gra Esq<sup>ui</sup> departed this life July 8<sup>th</sup> 1702 (The previous entry has been erased, but only differed from this in that the surname was omitted and afterwards written above the line "Graye.")

Isak Haruey and Ann Truman were mared Octobr the 1702 Richerd Sheperson and prudence his wi . . were mared nouember 4<sup>th</sup> 1702

Ann Cook the ferst born doute . . of Willam Cook and Ann his wife were born august the 9<sup>th</sup> 1702 [Cook—the second word of the entry—is written above a deleted word somewhat like Winfield].

Catherine Smith wife of Will Smith departed this life nouember ye. 15. 1702

Smith doughter of John Smith departed this life nouembr ye 21-1702

Rich Bouthers departed this life febru . . . the the  $6^{th}$  170 $\frac{3}{2}$ Ann Hawood departed this life feb 22 . . .

Rich Potter [? Portter] and Catherine Elson we . . . mared Jenuary the  $1^{\rm th}\colon$  1702

Sarah Vallans ye Daughter of Edward . . . . was born ye 4 day of February in ye year  $171\frac{5}{4}$ 

Sarah Sheperson ye daughter of Richard Sheperson was born ye 14 day of June 1707

Joseph Hucker the [Sun] of John and Elizebth Huker His Wif Was born agust the 27 in the year 1710

Samul Portter Sun of Rich Portter and Catherine his wife were born in September . 1705

John Binge of Chaddesden and Ann Taler were mareyed at Dal Abby by M<sup>r</sup> fletcher of Sponndo . . . June: 29: 1713

[The above entries succeeding that of Joseph Roper, son of Joseph and Mary, are on a leaf near the end of the book

and which has been misplaced in re-binding. The last five entries are on the back of the leaf, with great spaces between them].

## 1703

. . [Roubotam?] Son of George [Roubotam?] . . . borne Maye the  $2^{d}$ 

Steeuen Farmer Son of Will Farmer were borne June the 1<sup>d</sup>

Catherine Steeuens wife of Jo<sup>s</sup> Steeuens departed this life Octobr 15

Elizabath Porter dauter of Rich Porter and Catherine his wife bere born Septem the ro<sup>th</sup> day

Amy Wright douter of Will Wright and Lidea his wife were born the  $2^{d}4$  daye of decem · 1704

[The figure 4 in the "24" and 1704, are later insertions.]

Henery Wrigh the son of William Wright and Lidea his wife was born Jenuwary  $y^e$  10:  $17\frac{15}{14}$ 

for the year - 1704

- Elizabath Hancock douter of Samul Hancock and Ann his wif were borne Maye 22 · 1704—
- Elizabath Cook douter of Will<sup>m</sup> Cook and Ann his wife were born on the 6<sup>th</sup> daye of Septembr in the year aboue sd

George Walker and Sarah [?]eiden were mareed in Maye

Ann Backon wife of Will Backon departed this life feburarey 11<sup>th</sup> Will Smith son of John Smith was babtsed february the 3<sup>d</sup> daye—

Elizabeth Roper douter of Jo Roper was born the 20<sup>th</sup> daye of iuly 1704 [pore]

Rob Needam had a child born this year 1705

Susanna Wagstaf departed this life April the 9<sup>th</sup> daye

Aless Wright wido deperted this life April ye [30?] daye-

George Smith and Mary his wife were marred april the 14-

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John Walker forst born Son of George Walker and Sarah his wife were born april the 26

Elizabath Steeuens douter of Edwerd born maye 10th

George Smith Son of the abousaid George were born feb ye 5<sup>th</sup>: and died the 15

Ralph Taler Son of ralph and Ann his wife we . . born the : 19<sup>th</sup> daye of feb— John Vallenc . . Son of Edw Vallence were born august 18<sup>th</sup>

fo . . . . . .

Rich Needam sener . . . . this lif between Lady day and the forst day of August.

Will Wright Son of Will Wright and Lidea his wif wer born the 5<sup>th</sup> daye of Jun in the year aboue s<sup>d</sup>

- Samul Hancock the sixth Son of Samul and Ann his wif wer born the 22 daye of Augest in the yer aboe . . .
- On the 28 day of Augest 1706 at Edw: Vallences hous ther were born a femal basterd Child of the bodey of one Catherin Taler of Ashbey dale S ouch bond to Save dal from damag is given by M<sup>r</sup> Barker of Bortton and M<sup>r</sup> Smith . . .

Ann Baker departed this lif on the 20th daye of decem 1706

Joseph Grundy the son of Tho<sup>s</sup> Grundy and Elisabeth his wife born the 21<sup>th</sup> day of Jenuary 1707

Mary Grundy the Daughter of Tho<sup>s</sup> Grundy and Elizabeth his Wife was born the 4th day of July 1712

Elisabath Portter doughter of Rich Portter and Cathoryes (?) his wif wer born — Septem 2<sup>d</sup> 1703

Jo: Portter ther Son wer born the 7. of decem 1707

Rich. ther Son wer born Jun 9 1711

Ralph : Portter Sener of Dal departed this lif Janary 1st 1711

Lidea Wright doughter of Will<sup>m</sup> and Lidea his Wif departed this

Lif nouem 25. 1711

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• . . . Wright and . . . . .

. . . [ay?] 29: 1712

Edw. Vallence [senior?] departted this lif feb. 21. 1711 Hanah Bakon doughter of Will wer born march .12. 1711 Ralph Taler : Sener. departted this lif. may. 8. 1711 Prudence Sheperson doughter of : Richard wer born may · 30.

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Edw. Bridgges Sener departted this Lif feb 12. 1711/

Mary Cook : Doughter of Will Cook wer born of Ann his Wife Jun. 15. 1712

John Milnes : Son of Jo<sup>s</sup> Milnes wer born • march • 1 day • 1711

Jo<sup>s</sup>: Milnes.\* and Ann his Wiff and Ann ther doughter al depertted this lif on a Lorde's day · miserably in a Col pit Jun the: 15 · 1712

Georg Walker Sener depertted this Lil. Septem. 16. 1712

Lettis Wright wido Relix of John Wright departted this life nouem. 19. 1715

[Here follow two entries which have been erased. One refers to the birth of Mary, daughter of Will Cook, in June, and the other to that of Henry, son of William and Lidea Wright, in Feb. 1714. Both of them are entered above.]

Henery Cooke the son of Willam Cook was born desember the: 31 1714

Willam Walker the son of georg walker was born Februwary the 22: 1712

Sarah Walker the doughter of georg walker was born september the 21: 1710

Sarah the wife of Robart dowman departed this Lif April the 23: 1713

Mary Cormickel the daughter of John Cormickel was born the 21 of Jenewary in the year 1714 or 15

[About an inch has been cut off the bottom of this leaf, on which it is clear there was at least one entry].

\* "Sessions Order for Josh Milnes and his Wife. Orderd to Dale Abby." No date. (Parish Chest).

Thomas oxley departed this Life May the 3: 1716

Mary the wife of John Roper departed this life may the 6: 1716 Ann Cormickel the daughter of John Cormickel was born august

the 19: 1716 John Roper and mary the widdow of george smith was marryed

July the 9: 1716

Henery Clark departed this life June the 27: 1716

George walker departed this life the 22 of July : 1716

John Roper Juner and Ann dethick was marryed september the 17: 1716

Ann the wife of edward stephen departed this life september the 19: 1716

Richard porter departed this life october the 10: 1716

Robart dowman departed this life october the 10: 1716

Mary porter departed this life nouember the 19: 1716

Banjamen walker the first son of John walker was born the 14 day of desember 1716

Edward bridges Juner departed this life desember the 22 : 1716 Mary Mapples the daughter of Jeremiah Mapples Juner was born

the 4 of Jenewary 1716

Thomas wheatly departed this life februwary the 20: 1716/17 prudence sheperson the wife of Richard sheperson departed this

life may the 8: 1717

Ann haruey the wife of Isaac haruey departed this life may the 17: 1717

Richard mariot departed this life may the 26: 1717

Cathrine wilkins the daughter of thomas wilkins was born the 25 of April 1717

Ann Roper the daughter of John Roper sener was born the 26 of June 1717

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August in the year 1717

John Ear the first son of John ear Juner was born the 17 day of August In the year 1717

Ann Cook the wife of william Cook departed This life october the 17 In the year 1717

- Elizabeth Grundey the daughter of Thomas grundey was born the 19 day of October In the year 1717
- Sarah Roper the first daughter of John Roper was born the 26 of october In the year 1717
- Edward Stephen and Cathrine the widdow of Richard porter was married the 16 day of desember In the year 1717 ["desember" has been substituted for "Nouember" by the writer of the entry].
- Richard Sheppersen and Elizabeth Vallens were married Feb 11 1717/8
- Thos. Clark and Elizabeth Winson were married desember 31 1717/8 ["desember 31" is a correction—the original being "sober 31."]
- Jos<sup>h</sup> & Mary y<sup>e</sup> first son & daughter of Will<sup>m</sup> Walker & Elizabeth his wife departed y<sup>s</sup> Life (*sic*) were born Feb: 6: 1717/8 & dyed one one (*sic*) on ye 12<sup>th</sup> ye other on y<sup>e</sup> 13 day of y<sup>e</sup> same Month. [The words underlined have been erased.]
- Ann walker the daughter of Joseph walker and Cathrine his wife was born the 27 of March In the year 1715
- Ann walker the daughter of Joseph walker and Cathrine his wife departed this life May the 27-1716
- mary wright the daughter of Joseph wright was born y<sup>e</sup> 25 of des 1717 [This entry is inserted in a cramped style towards the side of the page.]
- Will Newton the first born son of John Newton and Sarah his wife was born the 8 day of february 1717/18
- John Cormickles y<sup>e</sup> son of John Cormikles and his wif Eliz was born ye 20 day of May in year 1718. [The wife's name, Eliz., has been inserted over the erased name Ann,—by the same hand.]
  - .
  - . . Brigges and of his wife Elizabeth w . . . born the first day of march 1717/18

william winrow the first son of of John winrow and of his wife Ann was born the 2 day of June in the year 1718

- Mary Twellfs the first daughter of Tho Twellfs and of his wife Sarah was born the 18 day of July 1718
- John Clark the son of Thō Clark and Elizabeth his wife was born the 4 day of desember in the year 1718
- William Smith departed this Life the 31 of desember 1718
- Hannah walker the daughter of will<sup>m</sup> walker and Elizabeth his wife was born the 10 day of Jenuary in the year 1718/19
- Ann walker the daughter of Joseph walker and Cathrine his wife was born the 29 of Jeneuary 1718/19
- James Lacey and Sarah Jonson was Maryed the 30 day of March in the year 1719
- John wheatley the first son of Micael wheatley and hannah his wife was born the 21 of May 1719 and departed this life In August the 19 day 1719
- Thomas porter the first son of tho porter and his wife Mary was born the 26 of October in the year 1719
- Mary Jackson departed this life June the 10 day 1719
- Edward Brigges the first son of John brigges and his wife Elizabeth was born the 5 day of July 1719

  - . . ohn Newton and his wife Sara . . . . born the 12 day of Jenewary  $17\frac{20}{19}$
- Ann winrow the first daughter of John winrowe an his wife Ann was born the 16 day of Jenewary  $17\frac{20}{19}$
- Sarah Mariot the first daughter of Richard mariot and his wife mary was born the 16 day of Jenewary in the year  $17\frac{20}{10}$

sarah Mapples the second daughter of Jerimiah mappes was born the 20 day of Jenewary in the year  $17\frac{20}{10}$ 

Ann Twellfs the second daughter of Thomas Twelfs and sarah

his wife was born the 16 day of februwary in the year  $17\frac{20}{19}$ John Jankison departed this life March the 25 in the year 1720 John smith departed this lif April the 19 in the year 1720 Edward stephen departed this life June the 27 in the year 1720 Frances Grundy the wife of Richard Grundy departed this lif July

the 13 In the year 1720

- Joane wheatley widdow departed this life october the 23 in the year 1720
- John Lacey the first son of James Lacey and his wife sarah his wife (*sic*) was born the 2 day of Nouember 1720

Elizabeth Cormickels the daughter of John Cormickels and his wife Elizabeth was born the 25 of Nouember 1720

John minles departed this Life Nouember the 25 1720

Edward Vallence the first son of Ed Vallence and Easter his wif was born the 5 day of desember in the year 1720

- William Stevens first born son of Matthew Stevens and Elisabeth his Wife was borne January ye  $25 \ 17\frac{20}{21}$
- John Moore and Sarah Redgate was Marryed February ye 20<sup>th</sup>  $17\frac{20}{21}$
- William Carter of Stanton and Ann Taylor of Spoondon was. Marryed February ye 23-17<sup>20</sup>/<sub>21</sub>
- William wheatley the son of Micael wheatley and Hanah his wife was born ye 10 day of march  $17\frac{21}{20}$
- Sarah Roubottom ye wife of George Roubottom departed This Life March ye 21 17<sup>21</sup>/<sub>20</sub>
- Georg Roubottom departed this life Apprill ye 15: 1722 [Here follows half a page blank.]
  - . . . Roper the daughter of Joh . . Roper Juner and his wife Ann was Born ye 28 day of March 1721
- Joseph Walker the son of Joseph Walker and Catharine his Wife was born August ye 13—1721
- Robert Roper son of John Roper Sen<sup>r</sup>. and Mary his Wife was born Sep<sup>br</sup> ye 9<sup>th</sup> 1721

Hannah Roper Daughter of Ann Roper Widdow departed this life Sep<sup>br</sup> ye 11<sup>th</sup> 1721. Aged 47 years

Mary Wagstaff\* Widdow departed this life Octbr ye 13th 1721

- Elizabeth Brigges y<sup>e</sup> Davghter of John Briggs and his Wife Elizabeth was born y<sup>e</sup> 28 day of Desember in y<sup>e</sup> year 1721
- John Winrow ye son of John Winrow and his Wife Ann Was born ye 16 day of Jenevary in ye year 1721
- D Richard Porter ye son of Thomas Porter was born ye 29 day of Jenvary in ye year 1721
- Edward Hancock Departed this life ye 12 day of march in ye year 1721

william sheepy departed this life Apprill ye 13: 1722

Mary peat the daughter of Richard peat departed this life Apprill ye 19: 172...

Ann Roper widdow departed this life Apprill ye 20: 1722

ye Last

Samwell shepersont departed this Life June ye 20-1722

Ann Shepardson Departed this July ye 16 1722

Prewdence Shepardson y<sup>e</sup> Daughter of Richard Shepardson Departed this Life August y<sup>e</sup> 11 1722/

Ellin Mapples y<sup>e</sup> Daughter Jeremey Mapples born y<sup>e</sup> y<sup>e</sup> 2 day of September 1722

Samuell Hancock y<sup>e</sup> son of Sarah Hancock Departed ye 11 of July Aged 9 Weeks 1 [72 . . .?]

<sup>\*</sup> Removal order. "From Dale to Ockbrook Mary Wagstaff I Nov.
1701." (Parish Chest.)
+ Mason, plasterer and tiler. (Parish Chest.)

John Walker Departed this Life September ye 12 1722

- Richand Carmickels y<sup>e</sup> son of John Carmickels was borne October ye 16 1722
- John [h?] aslenton and sarah dickison was Married The 30 day of may in the year 1732
- Ruth Hardey\* the Daughter of Dauid Hardey was born the 15 day of March in the year  $172\frac{5}{4}$
- James Lacey the Son of James Lacey was born the 26 of June in the year: 1725

Samuell poter departed this Life June the 23 1726

Wright was born the 26 of desember 1722

- Mary madkin the wife of william departed This Life Jenewary the 14 1722
- Judah Oxley departed this life februwary the 26 in the year afore said
- Robart Roper the son of John Roper departed This Life the 8 day of March 1722
- Ann Winrow the daughter of John winrow Departed this life march the 27 in the year 1723
- John Burrowes the son of Robert borrowes and his wife Sarah was born ye 31 of March in the year 1723

Jeremiah Mapples departed this life April ye 12: 1723

["Mary Jonson the daughter" has been written here and erased.]

Mary Lacey the daughter of James Lacey and his wife Sarah was born y° 5 day of may In the year 1723

<sup>\*</sup> Mary Rowbottom was apprenticed to David Hardy 25 Jan<sup>y</sup> 1722 Parish Indenture. "Huswifery." (Parish Chest.)

- Martha Roper the daughter of John Roper was born the 10 day of July in the 1723
- William Walker the son of W Will: Walker was born the 23 of July in the year 1723
- Ann stephen the daughter of matthew stephen was born the 3 day of August 1723
- William Hardey departed This Life september 15: 1723 [The two pages following contain no entries.]
- Sar[ah ?] Newton . . . . of John newton depar [ted ?] this life the 30 of september . .
- John Vallance<sup>\*</sup> the son of Edward uallan [ce] Was born y<sup>e</sup> 27 of desember 1723
- Mary Mariot the daughter of Richard Mariot Was borne the 10 day of March in the year 1724
- George walker the son of Joseph was born ye 6 day of April in ye year 1724
- Mark Cormicklest the son John Cormickles was born ye 19 day of June-1724
- Joshua Grundy the son of Thomas grundy was born ye 16 day of July-1724
- Sarah Porter ye daughter of Thomas porter was born ye 28 of August-1724
- Susanna winrow the daughter of John winrow was born ye 3 day of september—1724

Ann walker widdow departed this life the 30 day of september-1724

<sup>\*</sup> Indenture of "Ino Vallance to Charles Draycott 12 Apl. 1733 F.W.K." "Not a parish concern." (Parish Chest.) + 'Mark Curmickels to Jnº. Stevens 13 June 1732 Overseer farmer."

<sup>(</sup>Parish Chest.)

Elizabeth Grundy the wife of Thomas Grundy departed this life Nouember ye 12 1724

William Cook departed this life Desember ye 10 - 1724

Richard Grundy Senier Departed this life December ye 22 1724 [Jos?] eph Spur of Baldock . . . . . . . . .

. . . this Parrish Departed this life being Drownd Accidentally att Darby January the  $22 - 172\frac{4}{5}$ 

- Mary Borrows the daughter of Thomas Borowes was borne the 6 day of Feb<sup>y</sup> in the year 1725
- Ann Mappels the daughter of Jeremy Mappels Was borne the 16 of Feb<sup>y</sup> in the year 1725
- Elizabeth Hewood the davghter of Joseph Hewood was born the 28 of Feb : in the year 1725
- Lucy Clower ye wife of William clower departed this Life July ye 12<sup>th</sup> 1725
- Edward Hancock and Sarah Hancock was marryed ye 23 of July 1725
- William Hardey and Ann Bifield was Marryed ye 16 day of september In ye year 1725
- Joseph sanders and Mary Potts was Marryed ye 19 day of september in The year 1725
- John Wright and Elizabeth Hancock was Marryed ye 29 of september in The year 1725
- Joseph Rowe and Mary Johnson was marryed ye 14 day of October in ye year of our Lord 1725
- Hannah Wheatley ye wife of Michael Wheatley departed this life Nouember the 22-1725

- Mary Cartwright ye Daughter of William Cartwright was born ye 11<sup>th</sup> day of March in ye year 1725
- Henery Vallance the son of John Vallance was born ye 29 of Desember in ye year 1725
- James Lacey ye son of James Lacey was born ye 27 of July in ye year - 1725
- Cathrine walker ye Daughter of Joseph walker was born ye : 15: day of March in ye year 1725

Robart Shaw\* departed this life May ye 6 in ye year 1726 Samuell the son of John Wright and Elizabeth his wife was born ye 25 of September in ye year 1726

- Thomas Rowbottum departed this Life october ye 16, 1726 William Clower and Sarah Truman was Maried ye 30 day of Nouember 1726
- Vriah Cormckles ye son of John Cormickles and his wife Eliz was born ye 17 of september in ye year 1726 ["Eliz" is written above "Ann" erased.]
- Henery Vallance ye son of John Vallance Departed this Life Desember ye 28 1726
- Robert Vallans† ye son of Edward Vallans and his wife Aster was born ye 8 day of Jenewary in ye year  $172\frac{7}{6}$
- Ann Twells ye Daughter of Thomas Twells and his wife Sarah was born the  $17^{\text{th}}$  of Februwary  $172\frac{6}{7}$
- Rebeckah Wright ye Daughte of Joseph Wright and Rebeckah his wife was born the 10<sup>th</sup> day of June in ye year 1727

William Eaton Departed this Life June ye 26: -1772

<sup>\*</sup> Removal order. "From Dale Abby to Algreavs in the Parish of Heanor, Robt. Shaw, 13 Oct. 1699." Sessions order "for Robt. Shaw and his wife—ordered to Shipley." No date. Notices for trial about him Oct. 20th, 1699. "Certificate" from Shipley, 12 Jan. 1699.—(Parish Chest.) † Inventory—"Robt. Vallance to Richd. Clower 28 March 1733 Weaver. Not a parish concern."—(Parish Chest.)

- William Hardey ye first son of William and his wife Ann was born ye 2<sup>d</sup> day of July in ye year 1727
- Sarah Wright ye Daughter of Mary wright was born ye 9<sup>th</sup> day of August in ye year 1727

Tabitha Hardey Departed this Life August ye 31: 1727

Samuell Wheatley the son of Michæl wheatl his wife [A space has been cut out here.]

- William Rowbottom ye son of William Rowbottom was born september 11<sup>th</sup> 1727
- Elizabeth porter ye Daughter of Thomas porter was born ye first of Nouember 1727
- Sarah Cormickles ye Daughter of John Cormickles was born ye 17 day of Octobr 1728
- Susanah Mariot the Daughter of Mary Mariot was born ye 5<sup>th</sup> day of february 1727

the 10 1727

- ichard Moriot Departed this Life septem . . ye 23 1727

- Sarah Lacey the Daughter of James Lac . . was born ye  $4^{th}$  day of October 1727
- And Sarah ye wife of James Lacey Depar . . . this Life October ye 6: 1727
- Hannah the wife of Richard peat depar . . . this Life October ye 9<sup>th</sup> 1727

Sarah Mariot widdow departed this Life October ye 15th 1727

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- Richard Warin and Ann Cook was Maried the Last day of October 1727
- Sarah ye Daughter of Mary Wright depa . . this Life ye 6 day of Desember 1727
- Hannah ye wife of William Bakon Departed this Life Desember ye 11<sup>th</sup> 1727
- Rebeckah Wright ye daughter of Joseph w[right] Departed this Life Desember ye 12-1727
- Ann the wife of Samuell Hancock and [A . . ?] the wife of John Langhton Departed the L . . both on ye  $11^{\text{th}}$  day of January  $172\frac{8}{7}$
- Stephen Hewood ye son of Joseph Hewood was born ye 25 of January 1727
- Mary Roper ye wife of Thomas Roper departed . . . life feb ye 7
- Mary ye wife of John Vallance Depar . . this Life ye 6<sup>th</sup> day of february  $172\frac{8}{7}$
- Mary the wife of Thomas porter Departe . . . this Life february ye  $_{15}^{th}$   $_{172\frac{8}{7}}$
- Joseph Cockin of Mackworth and M . . . shaw of Dale Abby was Maryed the 27<sup>th</sup>. of february 1727
- . . . th Cormickles y<sup>e</sup> Daughter of John . . . ickles was born ye 17 day of October 172 . . . (sic) [The words underlined have been erased.]
- Richard Ann walker ye daughter o . . . walker departed this life 2 . . . of January
- John and mary son and daughter of the Roper and mary his wife was baptized January 29 the same day departed John smith the son of henery Smith

[Here follows some writing which was evidently by way of practice :---

Time and Tide stays for no Man

Death is most sertain but

Nor knows when]

William Cartwrigh and Cathrine Sheperson was Maryed May ye 20: 1729

[Below this were written five lines and one word, but they have been effectually deleted.]

Richard Clower and Elizabeth the wife of Richard sheperson Departed this Life both on the 3 day of March : 1727

Cathrine Janckison alis Johnson departed this Life October ye 22: 1728

Sarah Warin ye Daughter of Richard Warin and Ann his wife was born ye 24 of December 172. . .

Sarah Wright ye Daughter of Joseph Wright and Rebeckah his wife was born ye 26 of December 1728

Elisabeth Stephen ye Daughter of John Stephen And Mary his wife was born ye 21 of febuary  $172\frac{8}{9}$ 

John Burrows the Son of Thomas burrows And Sarah his wife Departed this Life March The 9<sup>th</sup> 1728

Richard peat ye Son of Richard peat and Hannah his wife departed this Life March the  $16: 172\frac{8}{9}$ 

Samuell Robisson of Marton and Darothy Wilkins of Dale Abby was Married April ye 9: 1729

- William Grundy ye son of Thomas Grundy and Sarah his Second wife was born ye 6 day of September 1729
- Sarah Rowbottom ye Daughter of William Rowbottom and Ellin his wife was born ye 16 day of September: 1729

Thomas Wilkins Departed this Life September The 17: 1729

Lydia Wright ye wife of William wright departed this life Nou<sup>br</sup> ye 15: 1729

[This entry is cramped in towards the side of the page.] Sarah ye Second wife of Edward Vall . . . Departed this life

September ye 19: 1727

Daniel kennelley Departed this Life Nouember ye 21: 1729

John Cormickels Departed this life December ye 2 : 1729

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William Walker departed this Life december . . .  $26: 17\frac{30}{29}$ William More departed this life January ye  $29: 17\frac{30}{29}$ 

William Wright ye Second Son of John wright and Elisabeth his wife was born ye 8 day of feb<sup>ry</sup> :  $17\frac{30}{29}$ 

Richard Clower ye first Son of Richard Clower and Sarah his wife was born ye 11 day of feb :  $17\frac{30}{29}$ 

Isaac Haruey Departed this life feb :  $y^e$  15 :  $17\frac{30}{29}$ 

Elisabeth ye daughter of Tho: porter departed this life feb: ye  $19: 17\frac{30}{29}$ 

Izabel ye Daughter of. Mary Wilkins departed this Life March ye 29: 1730

Tho: porter departed this life April ye 8 (sic) [This entry has been erased—see below.]

John ye Son of Michel Wheatley and Catherin his wife was born ye same day

Tho: porter departed this life April ye 8: 1730

John Haruey ye Son of Richard haruey was born ye 11 : of April 1730

Tabiatha ye daughter of William Hardy and his Wife Ann was born ye 22 day of April 1730

Edward Winrow ye son of John Winrow and his wife Ann was born ye 27 of April 1730

Dauid Hardy ye 1 Son of Dauid Hardy and his wife Elisabe . . . Was bor ye 10 day of Nouenber 1730

Christopher ouldknow and Elizabeth Roper was marreed may the 27 1730

John Stephen ye first Son of John Stephen And Mary his wife was born ye 20 day of feb :  $17\frac{31}{30}$ 

Susanah Mariot ye daughter of Mary Mariot Departed this life April ye 28 1731