## THE EDWARDIAN INVENTORIES OF MIDDLESEX

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The certificate and presentment of the Jury of all the goodes, playte, ornamentes, Juelles and Belles belonging and apperteynyng to the churche of Hadley wthin the countie of Midd'x aswell conteyned wthin the Inventory taken by the Kinges Mates Commyssyoners as also other goodes belonging to the same churche at this present third daye of August in the sixth yeare of the reigne of our Soverayne Lord King Edward the vjth by the grace of God king of England, ffraunce and Ireland, Defendor of the faith and in earth of the churche of England and also of Ireland the Supreme heade.

## Imprimis a gilt crosse weying xxx ounces qr Item one gilt challys weying xiij ounces Itm iiij belles whereof the greate bell in footewydnes in the mouthe from the outsyde of the skeartes iij foote iiij ynces and in depth ij foote di ynces. Itm the next bell unto the sayde greate bell broken in wydnes as is aforesayd ij foote xj ynces. ij foote ij ynces and in depth Itm the greteste bell unto the sayd ij belles in wideness as is aforesayd ij foote vij ynces. and in depth ij foote. Itm the least of the sayd iiij belles in wydness ij foote iiij ynces 1 foote x ynces. and in depth 1 foote iij vnces Itm one sanctus bell in wydness and in depth x ynces. Itm ij lytle hande belles.

Itm one lytle sakering bell<sup>1</sup>

Itm one cross of lattyn

HADLEY

Itm one pixe of Lattyn Itm ij coopes the one of whyte braunched damaske a little Imbroyderyd w<sup>t</sup> golde thother of

Dornix<sup>2</sup> old and sore worne.

Itm one vestyment of sylke Dornix bleu and white with a crosse of blewe velvet, Imbrodered wth gold and an albe p'teyning to the same.

Itm ij other vestyments of satten of Bridges color blewe wth a redde crosse of the same satten

Imbrodered w<sup>th</sup> flowerd velvet and w<sup>th</sup> golde and twoo albes ij amyses and stoles and ij phannelles app'teyning to the same.

Itm one other vestyment color blacke of olde saye<sup>3</sup> crossed w<sup>th</sup> fustyan,<sup>4</sup> one cope color blewe w<sup>t</sup> an albe, an amis, stole , phannelles app'teyning to the same.

Itm one other vestyment of olde whyte fustyan crossed w<sup>th</sup> blewe and imbroderde and an aulbe, an amis, and one stole and phannell app'teyning to the same.

Itm one other vestyment of old whyte fustyan crossed wth blewe and embrodered, an albe, an amis, and one stole wth a phannell app'teyning to the same.

Itm ij other old vestimentes the one color redde of saye crossed w<sup>th</sup> grene saye thother color grene of Dorney crossed w<sup>th</sup> the same.

Itm iiij olde vestimentes worne and torne of Dornix crossed with the same.

Itm one crosse clothe of sarcenet.<sup>5</sup>

Itm one dyshe of Lattyn

Itm one Bason and one ewer of latten.

Itm ij Cruettes of tynne.

Itm one Christmatorye<sup>6</sup> of lattyn.

Itm ij clothes hanging before thealter of Satten of Brydges color whyte.

Itm iiij alterclothes whereof iij is of lynen and the other of curse diaper.<sup>7</sup>

Itm ij diaper towelles.

Itm vj towelles of lynen.

Itm one olde clothe that hangeth before the high alter.

Itm v olde paynted clothes that hangeth about the high alter and other alters that were then in the saide church.

Itm iij olde stremers of sercenet.

Itm ij surplysis for the prest and one for the clerke.

Itm one hearse clothe<sup>8</sup> of black say crossed w<sup>th</sup> whyte.

## NOTES

- 1. Sacring bell bell rung at the elevation of the host.
- Dorney, Dornick, Dornyx(e), dornex, darnex, etc. The name of a Flemish town (in French Tournay) applied to fabrics manufactured there. Fabric (worsted, silk, woollen or partly woollen fabric) used for vestments, etc.
- 3. Say thin woollen stuff or serge.

- 4. Fustyan material woven in same manner as velvet.
- 5. Sarsenet a thin tissue of fine silk.
- 6. Chrismatory vessel for holding chrism or consecrated oil.
- 7. Diaper linen or cotton cloth woven in slightly defined figures.
- 8. Hearse cloth pall.

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