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Burton Agnes Almshouses

1714

Historical Background:

Burton Agnes lies on the southern edge of the Yorkshire Wolds nearly six miles from Bridlington. Listed in the Domesday Book, it has been known as either Agnes Burton or Burton Agnes and is believed to owe its name to Agnes the daughter of Geoffrey Baynard who married Robert de Brus who then became overlord of the manor in the late 11th century. The manor house built by Roger de Stuteville in the late 12th century stands beside the 17th century mansion, with the original manor subsequently becoming servant's quarters and is now managed by English Heritage. The almshouses, which stood on the south side of the Bridlington Road, were demolished in 1939 and replaced by Hill House.

Custodial history:

Donated by Howard Colvin, St. John's College, Oxford, Sep 1974

Description:

Draft notes primarily concerned with the rules under which the Charity and its Trustees will operate, also includes some notes relating to the sale of property to raise £200 to build the almshouses and provide for the poor of Burton Agnes.

Extent: 1 item

Related material:

Hull United Charities, records [C DMC]
Gregg's House Hospital records [C WJ]

Access conditions:

Access will be granted to any accredited reader

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'Abstract of Haystropp Charity'

1-2 Sep 1714

Draft summary of Lease and Release: for 10s.: Sir Griffith Boynton to Dr. Richard Kirshaw, Francis Boynton, Henry Barnard, John Moyser and William Peirson esqs to raise funds for the £200 required to build the almshouses and provide for the poor.

Almhouses in Burton Agnes (erected with the proceeds of the sale of a messuage in Hull devised by Griffith Boynton's mother for that purpose in her will 4 May 1706); and a messuage, 5 oxgangs and closes in Haystrop (Haisthorpe). Outlines the rules under which the Charity and its Trustees will operate
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