

# **Wills on Microfilm at The Hive**

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## **Wills and Probate records**

The main types of probate records are wills, letters of administration and inventories. A will is a legal document in which a person records their last wishes before they die and describes the rights of others over their property after their death. If a person dies without making a will he is described as 'intestate'; in this case the court can grant 'letters of administration' which appoints administrators to administer the estate of the intestate. Letters of administration are sometimes referred to as 'admons'. Up to 1782 it was obligatory for every executor or administrator to return into the registry of the court an inventory of the deceased's goods, although these have not always survived.

### **Why we have wills**

Before 1858 proving of wills came within the jurisdiction of courts that were administered by the church. The Prerogative Court of Canterbury (PCC) had over-riding jurisdiction in England and Wales during this time and also had sole jurisdiction over those with property in more than one diocese in the Southern Province, which included Worcestershire. The Prerogative Court of York (PCY) had jurisdiction over the Northern Province. PCC wills are held by The National Archives and PCY wills are held by the Borthwick Institute in York.

Each diocese had a consistory court, and copies of these records can usually be found at County Record Offices. Our collection of wills is for the Diocese of Worcester. This means that it may be possible to find wills in our collection from parishes in other counties that may have been in the Diocese of Worcester.

There are, however, some exceptions as to how and where wills were proved. These include:

- During the interregnum (1653-1660) all wills were proved in London
- If the Bishop owned land and property in some parishes he could grant special jurisdiction to these places and allow them to prove their own wills. These parishes are also known as 'Peculiars'

In 1858 a Principal Probate Registry and 40 District Probate Registries for England and Wales were established. You are able to view the copied versions of these wills up until 1928.

## Using the Handlist

1. If you are searching for a will proved at Worcester then most wills between 1451 and 1928 can be viewed on microfilm. If you are looking for the will of a particular person, you will first need to use our wills name index to establish whether there might be a will. Remember also that any date given will be a date of probate, not a date of death.
2. This handlist is indexed by type of will and date. Find the section containing the type of will and the date you require and this will tell you what number microfilm you need to view.
3. Select the film you require. The films are arranged in numerical order. Take out the film, leaving your marker in its place.

### Wills can give:

- Names and relationship of family members
- Details of occupation
- Names and description of the contents of a property
- Value of belongings
- Description of the size of the property

### Limitations include:

- Some wills have not survived, are badly damaged or illegible
- The majority of people did not make a will
- Before the Married Women's Property Act (1883) very few women made wills.
- Some wills were never proved
- Some records give little information

### Other Sources

- General Index to original records
- National Probate Calendar 1858-1943.
- Wills proved in the Prerogative Court of Canterbury 1686 - 1693. Index, collated by Anthony Camp, available in three volumes.
- Greenbank wills 1631-1800. An artificial collection created by Mr Greenbank, the Diocesan Registrar.

These are not to be found in the main indexes. Instead index available online.

- Peculiars. Certain parishes were exempt from the jurisdiction of the bishop and archdeacon of the Diocese in which they were situated. They were subject instead of others such as lord of the manor or Dean and chapter of the Cathedral. Most were abolished in 1840. Index available online.

<b>Worcester Consistory Court Registered Wills 1451-1642</b>			
<b>Dates</b>	<b>BA Numbers</b>	<b>Volume Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>
1451-1495  1509-1539  1543-1642 (part)	3590/1	1  2 and 3  5 (part)	A
1543-1642 (part)	3590/2	5 (continued) 6 Part 1 6 Part 2 7 (part)	B
1543-1642 (part)	3590/3	7 (continued) 8	C

<b>Worcestershire Wills Proved in London 1652-1739</b>			
<b>Dates</b>	<b>BA Number</b>		<b>Film Number</b>
1652-1739	3590/4	Item number 4 on film	C

**Worcestershire Original Wills Part 1  
1493-1694**

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Will Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1493-1536	1-80	1	
1493-1536 (continued) 1537	81-268 1-130	2	
1538	1-4 5-335	3	
1538 (continued) 1539	335-379 1-110	4	Pages in very poor condition
1540 1541-1542 1543  1543-1544	65-104 1-92 1-103  2-139	5	No 80 missing  Some pages missing
1543-1544 1544-1545	139-262 1-148	6	
1544-1545 (continued)  1546	89 -398  1-58	7	Filmed out of sequence and some gaps.  In correct order
1548-1551 (continued) 1551-1553	12-38 1-74 75-162	9	

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Will Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1551-1553 (continued)	162-168 1-114 1-57	10	
1551-1553 (continued) 1554 1555	57-95 1-106 1-35	11	
1554-1555 (continued) 1556	35-71 1-136	12	
1556 (continued) 1557	136 2-126	13	138-165 missing Pages in very poor condition
1557 (continued) 1558	126-242 1-34	14	Pages in very poor condition
1558 (continued)	34-200	15	
1558 (continued)	200-327	16	
1558 (continued)	438-550	18	429-437 missing Pages in very poor condition



<b>Dates</b>	<b>Will Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1558 (continued)	550-581 582-806	19	
1558 (continued) 1559	807-885 1-75	20	
1559 (continued)	76-155 File 2 1-59 75-59	21	Filmed backwards
1559 (continued)	58 57 76-97 File 3 248- 348	22	
1559 (continued) 1560	348-350 File 4 886- 943 1-72	23	
1560 (continued)	73-227	24	
1560 (continued)	228-325	25	
1561	1-37	26	Pages in very poor condition

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Will Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1561 (continued)	37-140	27	Pages in very poor condition
1561(continued) 1562	141-153 1-89	28	
1562 (continued) 1563	89-123 113-117 2-83	29	
1563 (continued) 1564	84-132 1-44	30	List of names at the beginning
1564 (continued) 1565	44-96 1-43	31	
1565 (continued) 1566	43-101 1-25	32	Fragments of 102
1566 (continued)	26-126	33	
1567	1-84	34	

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Will Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1567 (continued) 1568	85-133 1-43	35	
1568 (continued) 1569	43-90 1-62	36	
1567-1569 (continued) 1570-1571	62-111 1-29	37	
1570-1571 (continued)	29-72 2-55	38	Pages missing
1570-1571 (continued)	55-155	39	
1572	1-76	40	
1573 (continued)	30-119	42	
1573 (continued) 1574	120-136 1-47	43	

Dates	Will Numbers	Film Numbers	Notes
1574 (continued)	47-77	44	
1574 (continued)  1575	77-134  1-9	45	
1575 (continued)	9-106	46	
1575 (continued)  1576	106-115  1-77	47	
1576 (continued)  1577	77-106  1-26	48	
1577 (continued)	26-118	49	
1577 (continued)  1578	119-125  1-90	50	
1578 (continued)  1579	90-111  1-69	51	Pages in poor condition

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Will Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1580 (continued)	56-127	53	
1581	1-34		
1581 (continued)	34-121	54	
1581 (continued)	121-138	55	Pages in poor condition
1582	1-45		
1582 (continued)	45-98	56	
1583	1-40		
1583 (continued)	40-132	57	
1584	1-90	58	
1584 (continued)	90-121	59	
1585	1-40		
1585 (continued)	40-112	60	
1586	1-17		

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Will Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1586 (continued)	17-85	61	
1583 (continued)	85-103	62	
1587	2-67		
1587 (continued)	67-171	63	
1587 (cont.)  1588	171-208  2-32 64-83 33-53	64	Papers missing
1588 (continued)	53-63 84-161	65	
1588 (continued)	161-181	66	
1589	1-83		
1589 (continued)	83-111	67	
1590	1-79		
1590 (continued)	79-112	68	
1591	1-97		

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Will Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1591 (continued)	97-187	69	
1592	1-92	70	
1592 (continued)	92-153	71	
1593	1-71	72	
1593 (continued)	71-147	73	
1594	1-85	74	
1594 (continued)	85-108	75	
1595	1-37		
1595 (continued)	37-112	76	

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Will Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1596	1-81	77	
1596 (continued)	81-122	78	
1597	1-40	79	
1597 (continued)	40-112	80	
1597 (continued)	112-168	81	
1598	1-70	82	
1598 (continued)	70-152	83	
1598 (continued)  1599	152-186  1-45	84	



<b>Dates</b>	<b>Will Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1599 (continued)	45-116	85	
1600 (continued)	75-120	87	
1601	1-21		
1601 (continued)	21-130	88	
1601 (continued)	130-171	89	
1602	1-47		
1602 (continued)	47-134	90	
1602 (continued)	134-142	91	
1603	1-79		
1603 (continued)	79-138	92	
1604	1-19		
1604 (continued)	19-109	93	

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Will Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1604 (continued)	109-160	94	Pages missing and in very poor condition
1605	2-34		
1605 (continued)	34-139	95	
1605 (continued)	139-168	96	
1606	1-89		
1606 (continued)	89-133	97	
1607	1-125	98	
1607 (continued)	125-151	99	2-3 missing
1608	1 4-74		
1608 (continued)	74-136	100	
1609	1-69		

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Will Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1609 (continued)	69-163 166-174	101	164-165 missing
1610	1-124	102	
1610 (continued)  1611	124-164  1-15	103	
1611 (continued)	15-129	104	
1611 (continued)  1612	129-197  1-10	105	
1612 (continued)	10-73	106	
1612 (continued)	73-176	107	
1612 (continued)  1613	176-226  1-23	108	

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Will Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1613 (continued)	131-194	110	
1613 (continued)	194-211	111	
1613 (continued)  1613  1614	211-213  oddments  1-100	112	Names either torn away or indecipherable due to damp
1614 (continued)	100-230	113	
1614 (continued)  1615	230-244  5 10 16-70	114	Some pages missing
1615 (continued)	70-119 121-140	115	120 missing
1615 (continued)	140-226	116	

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Will Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1615 (continued)	226-255 257-275 oddments	117	256 missing
1616	1-114	118	
1616 (continued)	114-260	119	
1616 (continued)	260-263 oddments	120	
1617	1-14		
1617 (continued)	14-137	121	
1617 (continued)	137-175	122	
1618	1-76		
1618 (continued)	76-165	123	
1619	1-69	124	Pages missing and in a poor condition

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Will Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1619 (continued)	69-144	125	
1619 (continued)	144-184	126	1-2 missing
1620	3-70		
1620 (continued)	70-182	127	
1620 (cont.)	182-227 oddments	128	
1621	1-19		
1621 (continued)	19-130	129	
1621 (continued)	130-157	130	1-5 missing and pages in very poor condition
1622	6-51		
1622 (continued)	51-146	131	
1622 (cont.)	146-166 oddments	132	
1623	1-28		

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Will Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1623 (continued)	28-106	133	
1623 (continued)	106-130 189-199 131-164	134	Pages in very poor condition
1623 (continued)	170-188 200-222	135	189-199 missing
1624	1-79	136	
1624 (continued)	79-175	137	
1624 (continued)	175-279	138	
1625	1-119	139	
1625 (continued)	120-226	140	

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Will Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1625 (cont.) 1626	226-240 1-84	141	
1626 (continued)	84-186	142	
1626 (cont.) 1627	186-223 1-65	143	
1627 (continued)	65-160	144	
1627 (continued) 1628	160-187 1-102	145	
1628 (continued)	100-227	146	
1629	1-85 86-95	147	Pages In very poor condition
1629 (continued)	95-189	148	
1629 (cont.) 1630	189-203 1-111	149	
1630 (cont.) 1631	111-179 1-44 45-49	150	Pages in poor condition



<b>Dates</b>	<b>Will Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1631 (continued)	49-151	151	
1631 (cont.)  1632	151-217  1-54	152	
1632 (continued)	54-177	153	
1632 (cont.)  1633	177-259  1-34	154	
1633 (continued)	34-151	155	
1633 (cont.)  1634	151-179  1-101	156	
1634 (continued)	101-193	157	
1635	1-143	158	
1635 (cont.)  1636	143-240  1-31	159	
1636 (continued)	31-175	160	
1636 (cont.)  1637	175-215  1-36	161	

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Will Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1637 (continued)	36-136	162	
1637 (cont.)  1638	136-155  1-85	163	
1638 (continued)	85-198	164	
1639	1-135	165	
1639 (continued)	135-240	166	
1640	1-110	167	
1640 (continued)	110-214	168	
1640 (cont.)  1641	214-245  1-67	169	Pages in very poor condition
1641 (continued)	67-150	170	
1641 (continued)	150-225	171	
1642	1-118	172	
1643	1-85	173	
1643 (cont.)	85-147	174	

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Will Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1644	1-19	174	
1644 (continued)	19-110	175	
1644 (cont.)  1645	110-140  1-55	176	
1645 (cont.)  1646	55-93  1-47	177	
1646 (cont.)  1647	47-88  1-46	178	
1647 (continued)	46-179	179	
1647 (cont.)  1648	179-215  1-56	180	Pages in poor condition
1648 (continued)	56-145	181	
1648 (cont.)  1649	145-172  1-18 20-79	182	19 missing
1649 (cont.)  1650  1651	79-104  1-36  1-15	183	Pages missing  Pages missing

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Will Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1660	90-115	183	Pages out of order
1660 (cont.)	90-78	184	Pages out of order
1661 Jan – May (part)	1-127		
1661 May (part) – Dec	127-292	185	
1662	1-157	186	
1663 Jan – Nov (part)	1-166	187	
1663 Nov (part) – Dec	166-184	188	
1664	1-54		
1665	1-178	189	
1666	1-176	190	
1667 Jan – Sep (part)	1-166	191	
1667 Sep (part) – Dec	166-219	192	
1668 Jan – Aug (part)	1-121		
1668 Aug (part) – Dec	121-190	193	

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Will Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1669 Jan – Mar (part)	1-74	193	
1669 Mar (part) – Jun	74-184	194	
1669 Jul – Oct (part)	185-290	195	
1669 Oct (part) – Dec	290-356	196	
1670 Jan – Feb (part)	1-49		
1670 Feb (part) – Jun	49-182	197	
1670 Jul – Oct (part)	183-306	198	
1670 Oct (part) – Dec	306-378	199	
1671 Jan – Feb (part)	1-41		
1671 Feb (part) – May (part)	41-146	200	
1671 May (part) – Sep (part)	146-248	201	
1671 Sep (part) – Dec	248-324	202	

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Will Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1672 Jan – Feb (part)	1-34	202	
1672 Feb (part) – Aug (part)	34-150	203	
1672 Aug (part) – Dec	150-245	204	
1673 Jan – Jun (part)	1-127	205	
1673 Jun (part) – Dec	127-222	206	
1674 Jan (part)	1-24		
1674 Jan (part) – Aug (part)	24-153	207	
1674 Aug (part) – Dec	153-229	208	
1675 Jan – Feb (part)	1-44		
1675 Feb (part) – Jun (part)	44-157	209	
1675 Jun (part) – Dec	158-266	210	
1676 Jan-Apr	1-107	211	

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Will Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1676 Apr (pt) – Aug 1676(pt)	107-220	212	161, 196 missing
1676 Aug (part) – Dec	220-328	213	
1677 Jan – May	1-115	214	
1677 Jun – Oct (part)	115-228	215	
1677 Oct (part) – Dec	228-270	216	
1678 Jan – May (part)	1-80		
1678 May (part) – Dec (part)	80-196	217	
1678 Dec (part)	197-205	218	
1679 Jan – Apr (part)	1-87		
1679 Apr (part) – Aug (part)	87-162	219	
1679 Aug (part) – Dec	162-267	220	

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Will Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1680 Jan– Mar	1-104	221	
1680 Apr – Aug	105-200	222	
1680 Sep – Dec	201-304	223	
1681 Jan – Apr (part)	1-111	224	
1681 Apr (part) – Jul	111-233	225	
1681 Aug – Dec (part)	234-352	226	
1681 Dec (pt)	352-371	227	
1682 Jan – Apr (part)	1-99		
1682 Apr (part) – Jun (part)	99-220	228	
1682 Jun (part) – Nov (part)	220-345	229	
1682 Nov (part) – Dec	345-388	230	



<b>Dates</b>	<b>Will Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1683 Jan – Mar (part)	1-73	230	
1683 Mar (part) – Jul	73-180	231	
1683 Aug – Nov (part)	180-279	232	
1683 Nov (part) – Dec	280-314	233	
1684 Jan (part)	1-47		
1684 Jan (part) – Apr (part)	47-157	234	
1684 Apr (part) – Jul (part)	157-258	235	
1684 Jul (part) – Oct (part)	258-380	236	
1684 Dec	501-518	238	
1685 Jan – Mar (part)	1-102		
1685 Mar (part) – May	102-222	239	
1685 Jun – Sep (part)	223-336	240	

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Will Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1685 Sep (part) – Dec (part)	336-445	241	
1685 Dec (pt)	445-454	242	
1686 Jan – Mar	1-88		
1686 Apr – Jun	89-211	243	
1686 Jul – Oct (part)	212-325	244	
1686 Oct (part) – Dec	235-377	245	
1687 Jan – Mar (part)	1-65		
1687 Mar (part) – Jun	65-179	246	
1687 Jul – Oct (part)	180-299	247	
1687 Oct (part) – Nov	299-332	248	December 1687 not filmed.
1688 Jan – May (part)	1-79		
1688 May (part) – Oct (part)	79-198	249	

<b>Dates</b>	<b>Will Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1688 Oct (pt) – Dec 1689 Jan – Mar (pt)	198-245  1-63	250	
1689 Mar (part) – Jul (part)	63-180	251	
1689 Jul (part) – Dec  1690 Jan – Feb (part)	180-271  1-28	252	
1690 Feb (part) – May (part)	28-143	253	
1690 May (part) – Sep (part)	143-256	254	
1690 Sep (part) – Dec  1691 Jan – Feb (part)	256-340  1-30	255	
1691 Feb (part) – Jul (part)	30-159	256	
1691 Jul (part) – Dec	160-277	257	
1692Jan-May	1-99	258	
1692May-Jun	99-138	259	
1693Jan-Apr	1-90		
1693 Apr-Oct	91-216	260	

**Worcestershire Original Wills Part 2  
1694-1857**

<b>Year</b>	<b>Dates covered</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1694	Jan 1 – Mar 18	261	May include other dates in March.
1694	Mar 18 – May 1 Jun 16 – Jun 29	262	May include other dates in May.
1694 (continued)	Jun 29 – Dec 22	263	May include a few dates in March.
1695	Jan 4 – Jun 1	264	
1695 (cont.)	Jun 1 – Nov 6	265	
1695 (cont.) 1696	Nov 6 – Dec 28 Jan 1 – Feb 23	266	Incorrectly described as 1697
1696 (continued)	Feb 23 – Jun 27	267	Incorrectly described as 1697
1696 (continued) 1697	Jul 3 – Dec 30 Jan 1 – Feb 14	268	
1697 (continued)	Feb 14 – Jun 30	269	
1697 (cont.) 1698	Jul 1 – Dec 21 Jan 1 – Jan 24	270	
1698 (continued)	Jan 24 – Jun 30	271	

<b>Year</b>	<b>Dates covered</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1698 (continued)	Jun 30 – Dec 3	272	Filmed backwards.
1699	Jan 1 – May 25	273	
1699 (continued)	May 25 – Jun 29 Jul 1 – Sep 12	274	
1699 (continued)	Sep 12 – Dec 15	275	Also includes Dec 30.
1700	Jan 1 – May 14	276	
1700 (continued)	May 14 – 11 Nov	277	May filmed out of order.
1700 (continued)	Nov 11 – Dec 31 Jan 1 – Apr 9	278	
1701			
1701 (continued)	Apr 9 – Jun 25 Jul 1 – Jul 18	279	
1701 (continued)	Jul 18 – Dec 29	280	
1702	Jan 2 – May 12	281	
1702 (continued)	May 12 – Jun 6 Jul 1 – Sep 12	282	
1702 (continued)	Sep 12 – Dec 31 Jan 4 – Mar 14	283	
1703			
1703 (continued)	Mar 14 – Sep 24	284	Some filmed out of order.
1703 (cont.)	Sep 24 – Dec 31	285	

<b>Year</b>	<b>Dates covered</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1704	Jan 1 – Mar 6	285	March-August missing
1704 (continued)  1705	Aug 2 – Dec 26  Jan 2 – Mar 9	286	
1705 (continued)	Mar 9 – Jun 15	287	Also includes some dates in July.
1705 (continued)  1706	Jul 14 – Dec 31  Jan 1 – Feb 6	288	
1706 (continued)	Feb 6 – May 25 Jun 1 – Jul 3	289	
1706 (continued)  1707	Jul 3 – Dec 20  Jan 9 – Feb 24	290	
1707 (cont.)	Feb 24 – Jun 28	291	Also includes some dates in July.
1707 (cont.)	Jul 2 – Dec 26	292	
1708	Jan 3 – Jun 4	293	
1708 (continued)	Jun 4 – Oct 28	294	
1708 (cont.)  1709	Oct 28 – Dec 22  Jan 6 – Mar 18	295	
1709 (cont.)	Mar 18 – Jun 20	296	

<b>Year</b>	<b>Dates covered</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1709 (continued)	Jul 23 – Dec 27	297	Some missing and others filmed out of order.
1710	Jan 2 – May 19	298	
1710 (continued)	May 19 – Oct 21	299	Some missing and others filmed out of order.
1710 (continued)	Oct 21 – Dec 30	300	
1711	Jan 4 – Feb 28		
1711 (continued)	Feb 28 – Jun 16	301	
1711 (continued)	Jul 2 – Oct 24	302	
1711 (continued)	Oct 24 – Dec 28	303	
1712	Jan 1 – Apr 8		
1712 (continued)	Apr 8 – Jun 7	304	
1712 (continued)	Jul 1 – Nov 12	305	
1712 (continued)	Nov 12 – Dec 31	306	
1713	Jan 21 – Apr 27		
1713 (continued)	Apr 27 – Jun 19 Jul 1 – Sep 19	307	
1713 (continued)	Sep 19 – Dec 22	308	

<b>Year</b>	<b>Dates covered</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1714	Jan 3 – Feb 16		
1714 (cont.)	Feb 16 – Jun 16	309	
1714 (cont.)	Jul 1 – Oct 13	310	
1714 (cont.)	Oct 13 – Dec 31	311	
1715	Jan 2 – Mar 20		Poor condition.
1715 (cont.)	Mar 20 – Jun 27	312	
1715 (cont.)	Jul 1 – Dec 3	313	
1715 (cont.)	Dec 3 – Dec 6	314	
1716	Jan 1 – May 7		
1716 (continued)	May 7 – Jun 30 Jul 2 – Nov 8	315	
1716 (cont.)	Nov 8 – Dec 31	316	
1717	Jan 4 – May 20		
1717 (continued)	May 20 – Jun 20 Jul 4 – Aug 29	317	
1717 (cont.)	Sep 16 – Dec 30	318	
1718	Jan 2 – Feb 28		
1718 (continued)	Feb 28 – Jun 29 Jul 3 – Jul 19	319	
1718 (continued)	Jul 19 – Nov 11	320	
1718 (cont.)	Nov 11 – Dec 27	321	



<b>Year</b>	<b>Dates covered</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1719	Jan 1 – Apr 29	321	
1719 (continued)	Apr 29 – Sep 21	322	
1719 (cont.)	Oct 1 – Dec 28	323	
1720	Jan 4 – Feb 18		
1720 (continued)	Feb 18 – Jun 39	324	
1720 (continued)	Jul 2 – Oct 29	325	
1720 (cont.)	Oct 29 – Dec 31	326	
1721	Jan 2 – Mar 23		
1721 (continued)	Mar 23 – Jun 8	327	
1721 (continued)	Jun 8 – Nov 1	328	
1721 (continued)	Nov 1 – Dec 27	329	
1722	Jan 1 – Apr 7		
1722 (continued)	Apr 7 – Jun 30	330	
1722 (continued)	Jul 2 – Oct 13	331	
1722 (continued)	Oct 13 – Dec 31	332	
1723	Jan 2 – Apr 13	332	

<b>Year</b>	<b>Dates covered</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1723 (continued)	Apr 13 – Aug 26	333	
1723 (continued)	Aug 26 – Dec 31	334	
1724	Jan 2 – May 2	335	
1724 (continued)	May 2 – Jun 29 Jul 3 – Sep 8	336	
1724 (continued)	Sep 8 – Dec 30 Jan 1 – Jan 17	337	
1725			
1725 (continued)	Jan 17 – May 8	338	
1725 (continued)	May 8 – Oct 5	339	
1725 (continued)	Oct 5 – Dec 29 Jan 2 – Apr 11	340	
1726			
1726 (continued)	Apr 11 – 30 Jul Aug 2 – Oct 15	341	
1726 (cont.)	Oct 15 – Dec 26	342	
1727	Jan 1 – Feb 17		
1727 (continued)	Feb 17 – May 29	343	
1727 (cont.)	Jun 1 – Sep 30	344	

<b>Year</b>	<b>Dates covered</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1727 (continued)	Oct 2 – Nov 30	345	
1727 (continued)	Nov 30 – Dec 28	346	
1728	Jan 2 – Mar 14		
1728 (continued)	Mar 14 – Mar 31 Apr 1 – May 1	347	After 25 Mar, year is given as 1729.
1728 (continued)	May 1 – Jul 15	348	
1728 (continued)	Jul 15 – Oct 18	349	
1728 (cont.)	Oct 18 – Dec 31	350	
1729	Jan 1 – Jan 27		
1729 (continued)	Jan 27 – Mar 24 Apr 1 – Apr 28	351	Also includes Mar 25 – Mar 31 1730
1729 (continued)	Apr 28 – May 31	352	
1729 (continued)	Jun 1 – Aug 30	353	
1729 (continued)	Sep 1 – Nov 22	354	
1729 (continued)	Nov 22 – Dec 31	355	
1730	Jan 2 – May 12		
1730 (continued)	May 12 – Sep 26	356	

<b>Year</b>	<b>Dates covered</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1730 (continued) 1731	Sep 26 – Dec 31 Jan 2 – May 19	357	
1731 (continued)	May 19 – Dec 31	358	
1732	Jan 1 – Sep 16	359	
1732 (cont.) 1733	Sep 16 – Dec 28 Jan 1 – May 21	360	
1733 (cont.) 1734	May 21 – Dec 31 Jan 3 – Mar 8	361	
1734 (cont.) 1735	Mar 8 – Dec 20 Jan 8 – Feb 28	362	
1735 (cont.)	Feb 28 – Dec 31	363	
1736	Jan 1 – Dec 23	364	
1737	Jan 2 – Dec 5	365	
1737 (cont.) 1738	Dec 5 – Dec 31 Jan 1 – Dec 23	366	
1739	Jan 1 – Dec 22	367	
1740	Jan 3 – Dec 27	368	
1741	Jan 2 – Dec 31	369	
1742	Jan 3 – Dec 29	370	

<b>Year</b>	<b>Dates covered</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1743	Jan 7 – Dec 31	371	
1744	Jan 5 – Dec 31	372	
1745	Jan 1 – Apr 20		
1745 (continued)	Apr 20 – Dec 28	373	
1746	Jan 7 – Dec 27	374	
1747	Jan 2 – Dec 31	375	Also includes Mar 25 1749
1748	Jan 3 – Mar		
1748 (continued)	Mar – Dec 30	376	
1749	Jan 10 – Dec 29	377	
1750	Jan 4 – Dec 31	378	
1751	Apr 11 – Dec 28	379	Jan – Mar missing
1752	Jan 1 – May 4		
1752 (continued)	May 4 – Dec 29	380	
1753	Jan 1 – Jun 6		
1753 (continued)	Jun 6 – Dec 22	381	
1754	Jan 2 – Apr 23		
1754 (continued)	Apr 23 – Dec 28	382	

<b>Year</b>	<b>Dates covered</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1755	Jan 1 – Mar 17	382	
1755 (continued)	Mar 17 – Dec 27	383	
1756	Jan 3 – Dec 29	384	
1757	Jan 5 – Dec 20	385	
1758	Jan 5 – Dec 28	386	
1759	Jan 8 – Dec 31	387	
1760	Jan 2 – Dec 27	388	
1761	Jan 5 – Nov 3	389	
1761 (cont.)	Nov 3 – Dec 30	390	
1762	Jan 1 – Oct 13		
1762 (continued)	Oct 13 – Dec 30	391	
1763	Jan 1 – Jul 18		
1763 (continued)	Jul 18 – Dec 28	392	
1764	Jan 2 – May 30		
1764 (continued)	May 30 – Dec 31	393	
1765	Jan 3 – May 15		
1765 (cont.)	May 15 – Dec 30	394	

<b>Year</b>	<b>Dates covered</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1766	Jan 2 – Mar 22	394	
1766 (cont.)	Mar 22 – Dec 31	395	
1767	Jan 3 – Mar 7		
1767 (continued)	Mar 7 – Dec 28	396	
1768	Jan 1 – Oct 11	397	
1768 (cont.)	Oct 11 – Dec 27	398	
1769	Jan 1 – Oct 18		
1769 (cont.)	Oct 18 – Dec 27	399	
1770	Jan 1 – Sep 3		
1770 (cont.)	Sep 3 – Dec 31	400	
1771	Jan 2 – Jul 26		
1771 (cont.)	Jul 26 – Dec 31	401	
1772	Jan 2 – Sep 19		
1772 (cont.)	Sep 19 – Dec 30	402	
1773	Jan 6 – Oct 29		
1773 (cont.)	Oct 29 – Dec 31	403	
1774	Jan 1 – Dec 31		
1775	Jan 7 – Dec 30	404	
1776	Jan 2 – Jan 22	404	

<b>Year</b>	<b>Dates covered</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1776 (continued)	Jan 22 – Nov 20	405	
1776 (continued)	Nov 20 – Dec 31	406	
1777	Jan 9 – Nov 17		
1777 (continued)	Nov 17 – Dec 26	407	
1778	Jan 1 – Dec 24		
1779	Jan 2 – Jan 21		
1779 (continued)	Jan 21 – Dec 27	408	
1780	Jan 1 – Feb 24		
1780 (continued)	Feb 24 – Dec 30	409	
1781	Jan 4 – Dec 31	410	
1782	Jan 5 – Feb 6		
1782 (continued)	Feb 6 – Dec 31	411	Some filmed out of order
1783	Jan 1 – Mar 10		
1783 (continued)	Mar 10 – Dec 27	412	
1784	Jan 10 – Apr 7		
1784 (cont.) 1785	Apr 7 – Dec 23 Jan 3 – May 2	413 413	



<b>Year</b>	<b>Dates covered</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1785 (continued)  1786	May 2 – Dec 23  Jan 7 – May 25	414	
1786 (cont.)  1787	May 25 – Dec 30  Jan 1 – Jul 27	415	
1787 (cont.)  1788	Jul 27 – Dec 29  Jan 2 – Nov 22	416	
1788 (cont.)  1789  1790	Nov 22 – Dec 20  Jan 1 – Dec 19  Jan 2 – Feb 23	417	
1790 (cont.)  1791	Feb 23 – Dec 29  Jan 3 – Jun 8	418	
1791 (cont.)  1792	Jun 8 – Dec 28  Jan 6 – Oct 17	419	
1792 (cont.)  1793	Oct 17 – Dec 6  Jan 2 – Dec 24	420	
1794  1795	Jan 2 – Dec 27  Jan 1 – Apr 25	421	
1795 (cont.)  1796	Apr 25 – Dec 21  Jan 1 – Jun 21	422  422	

<b>Year</b>	<b>Dates covered</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1796 (continued)	Jun 21 – Dec 24	423	Some filmed out of order
1797	Jan 1 – Nov 18		
1797 (continued)	Nov 18 – Dec 7	424	
1798	Jan 3 – Dec 31		
1799	Jan 6 – Feb 20		
1799 (continued)	Feb 20 – Dec 30	425	
1800	Jan 2 – Mar 10		
1800 (continued)	Mar 10 – Dec 23	426	Some filmed out of order
1801	Jan 3 – May 27		
1801 (continued)	May 27 – Dec 31	427	Some filmed out of order
1802	Jan 3 – Jul 16		
1802 (continued)	Jul 16 – Dec 12	428	
1803	Jan 1 – Jul 5		
1803 (cont.)	Jul 5 – Dec 31	429	
1804	Jan 6 – Aug 6		Some filmed out of order
1804 (cont.)	Aug 6 – Dec 28	430	
1805	Jan 1 – Sep 7		
1805 (cont.)	Sep 7 – Dec 30	431	

<b>Year</b>	<b>Dates covered</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1806	Jan 1 – Dec 6	431	
1806 (cont.)	Dec 6 – Dec 31	432	
1807	Jan 2 – Dec 8		
1807 (cont.)	Dec 8 – Dec 31	433	
1808	Jan 2 – Dec 29		
1809	Jan 3 – Dec 23	434	Some filmed out of order
1810	Jan 1 – Dec 31	435	Some filmed out of order
1811	Jan 1 – Dec 31	436	
1812	Jan 4 – Dec 31	437	
1813	Jan 7 – Feb 15		Some filmed out of order
1813 (continued)	Feb 15 – Dec 30	438	
1814	Jan 4 – Feb 10		
1814 (cont.)	Feb 10 – Dec 27	439	
1815	Jan 2 – Feb 8		
1815 (cont.)	Feb 8 – Dec 29	440	
1816	Jan 3 – Feb 5		
1816 (cont.)	Feb 5 – Dec 24	441	

<b>Year</b>	<b>Dates covered</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1817	Jan 1 – Mar 8	441	
1817 (cont.)	Mar 8 – Dec 31	442	
1818	Jan 3 – May 4		
1818 (cont.)	May 4 – Dec 12	443	
1819	Jan 8 – Jun 23		
1819 (cont.)	Jun 23 – Dec 28	444	
1820	Jan 1 – Jul 1		
1820 (cont.)	Jul 1 – Dec 30	445	Some filmed out of order
1821	Jan 19 – Jun 28		
1821 (cont.)	Jun 28 – Dec 22	446	
1822	Jan 1 – Aug 13		
1822 (cont.)	Aug 13 – Dec 28	447	
1823	Jan 1 – Jul 26		Start of Jul missing
1823 (cont.)	Jul 26 – Dec 31	448	
1824	Jan 7 – Jul 19		Some filmed out of order
1824 (cont.)	Jul 19 – Dec 31	449	
1825	Jan 8 – Jun 9		
1825 (cont.)	Jun 9 – Dec 31	450	Some of Jul missing and some filmed out of order
1826	Jan 2 – May 10		

<b>Year</b>	<b>Dates covered</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1826 (cont.) 1827	May 6 – Dec 31 Jan 1 – Jun 30	451	
1827 (cont.) 1828	Jul 14 – Dec 31 Jan 5 – Aug 26	452	Some filmed out of order Some filmed out of order
1828 (cont.) 1829	Aug 26 – Dec 29 Jan 3 – Jul 25	453	Start of Jul missing
1829 (continued) 1830	Jul 25 – Dec 30 Jan 1 – Jun 12	454	
1830 (cont.) 1831	Jun 12 – Dec 29 Jan 1 – May 19	455	Some filmed out of order
1831 (cont.) 1832	May 19 – Dec 28 Jan 4 – Jun 7	456	
1832 (cont.) 1833	Jun 7 – Dec 31 Jan 5 – Jul 18	457	Some filmed out of order
1833 (cont.) 1834	Jul 18 – Dec 30 Jan 1 – Jun 12	458	
1834 (cont.) 1835	Jun 12 – Dec 31 Jan 5 – May 23	459	Some filmed out of order

<b>Year</b>	<b>Dates covered</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1835 (cont.) 1836	May 23 – Dec 30 Jan 2 – Apr 30	460	
1836 (cont.) 1837	Apr 30 – Dec 31 Jan 11 – Feb 25	461	
1837 (continued)	Feb 25 – Sep	462	Sep not in order
1837 (cont.) 1838	Sep 4 – Dec 29 Jan 8 – Jul 30	463	
1838 (cont.) 1839	Jul 30 – Dec 29 Jan 2 – Jun 20	464	
1839 (cont.) 1840	Jun 20 – Dec 28 Jan 1 – Mar 28	465	
1840 (cont.) 1841	Mar 28 – Dec 22 Jan 2 – Feb 1	466	Some later dates in Feb also included
1841 (continued)	Feb 1 – Nov	467	Some damaged and illegible
1841 (cont.) 1842	Nov – Dec 31 Jan 4 – Sep 13	468	Some damaged and illegible
1842 (cont.) 1843	Sep 13 – Dec 28 Jan 3 – May 31	469	
1843 (cont)	Jun 1 – Dec 27	470	

<b>Year</b>	<b>Dates covered</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1844	Jan 3 – Feb 1	470	
1844 (continued)	Feb 1 – Oct 17	471	
1844 (cont.)	Oct 17 – Dec 30	472	
1845	Jan 3 – Jun 24		
1845 (cont.)	Jun 24 – Dec 27	473	
1846	Jan 7 – Mar 13		
1846 (continued)	Mar 13 – Dec 30	474	Also includes some dates in Jan 1747
1847	Jan 6 – Jul 17	475	
1847 (cont.)	Jul 17 – Dec 30	476	
1848	Jan 3 – Apr 6		
1848 (continued)	Apr 6 – Dec 30	477	Some filmed out of order
1849	Jan 1 – Oct 10	478	
1849 (cont.)	Oct 10 – Dec 28	479	
1850	Jan 1 – Aug 20		
1850 (cont.)	Aug 20 – Dec 21	480	
1851	Jan 3 – Jun 25		
1851 (cont.)	Jun 25 – Dec 29	481	Some filmed out of order
1852	Jan 2 – Mar 5		

<b>Year</b>	<b>Dates covered</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>	<b>Notes</b>
1852 (continued)	Mar 5 – Oct 2	482	
1852 (cont.)  1853	Oct 2 – Dec 31  Jan 6 – Apr 28	483	
1853 (continued)	Apr 28 – Dec 31	484	
1854	Jan 2 – Aug 5	485	
1854 (cont.)  1855	Aug 5 – Dec 30  Jan 2 – Apr 3	486	
1855 (continued)	Apr 3 – Oct 8	487	Some filmed out of order
1855 (cont.)  1856	Oct 8 – Dec 22  Jan 1 – May 26	488	Wrongly called 1855 at beginning of film
1856 (cont.)  1857	May 26 – Dec 29  Jan 1 – Feb 28	489	
1857 (continued)	Feb 28 – Nov 7	490	
1857 (continued)	Nov 7 – Dec 19	491	



<b>Peculiars</b>				
<b>Place</b>	<b>Dates</b>	<b>Type of Document</b>	<b>Document Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>
Alvechurch	1666-1729	Administrations	Not given	1
Alvechurch	1698-1773	Indexes	Not given	1
Alvechurch	1670-1712	Wills	Not given	2
Alvechurch	1691-1730	Registered Wills	Not given	1
Alvechurch	1713-1847	Wills	Not given	3
Alvechurch	1729-1847	Administrations	Not given	4
Berrow (Barrow)	1670-1786	Wills	1-65	5
Bredon	1669-1672	Wills	Not given	6
Bredon	1669-1750	Wills	Not given	7
Bredon	1750-1793	Wills	Not given	8
Fladbury	1642-1675	Wills	1-45	9
Fladbury	1666-1775	Indexes	Not given	4
Fladbury	1675-1718	Wills	46-163	10
Fladbury	1677-1726	Administrations	Not given	4
Fladbury	1726-1795	Administrations	Not given	11
Fladbury	1718-1795	Wills	163-308	12
Hanbury	1561-1762	Indexes	Not given	11
Hanbury	1624-1716	Administrations	Not given	11

<b>Place</b>	<b>Dates</b>	<b>Type of Document</b>	<b>Document Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>
Hanbury	1630-1691	Wills	Not given	13
Hanbury	1683-1705	Registered Wills	Not given	11
Hanbury	1683-1784	Administrations	Not given	14
Hanbury	1686-1760	Wills	Not given	15
Hanbury	1760-1781	Wills	Not given	16
Hartlebury	1671-1688	Wills	Not given	17
Hartlebury	1671-1795	Administrations	Not given	18
Hartlebury	1680-1728	Administrations	Not given	14
Hartlebury	1688-1729	Wills	Not given	19
Hartlebury	1716-1784	Indexes	Not given	14
Hartlebury	1720-1784	Indexes	Not given	11
Hartlebury	1729-1784	Wills	Not given	6
Kempsey	1669-1759	Wills	12-129	20
Kempsey	1759-1779	Wills	129-138	17
Knowle	1665-1730	Wills	1-12	21
Norton	1668-1671	Wills	1-58	9
Ripple	1663-1688	Wills	Not given	22
Ripple	1689-1769	Wills	Not given	23, 21
Ripple	1766, 1768, 1771	Visitations	Not given	23
Shipston-	1670-1706	Wills	Not given	5

<b>Place</b>	<b>Dates</b>	<b>Type of Document</b>	<b>Document Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>
on-Stour/ Treddington				
Shipston-on-Stour/ Treddington	1687- 1738	Administrations	Not given	24
Shipston-on-Stour/ Treddington	1691-1788	Indexes	Not given	18
Shipston-on-Stour/ Treddington	1698-1762	Registered Wills	Not given	18
Shipston-on-Stour/ Treddington	1730-1787	Wills	Not given	21
Shipston-on-Stour/ Treddington	1738-1802	Administrations	Not given	25
Shipston-on-Stour/ Treddington	1748-1798	Wills	Not given	26
Shipston-on-Stour/ Treddington	1778-1762 (in reverse order)	Wills	Not given	26
Stoulton	1668-1787	Wills	1-54	17
Stratford	1685-1773	Indexes	Not given	18
Stratford	1729- 1733/4	Wills	Not given	9
Stratford	1785-1849	Wills	Not given	22

<b>Place</b>	<b>Dates</b>	<b>Type of Document</b>	<b>Document Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>
Tibberton	1670-1788	Wills	1-23	6
Treddington/ Shipston-on-Stour	1670-1706	Wills	Not given	5
Treddington/ Shipston-on-Stour	1687 - 1738	Administrations	Not given	24
Treddington/ Shipston-on-Stour	1691-1788	Indexes	Not given	18
Treddington/ Shipston-on-Stour	1698-1762	Registered Wills	Not given	18
Treddington/ Shipston-on-Stour	1730-1787	Wills	Not given	21
Treddington/ Shipston-on-Stour	1738-1802	Administrations	Not given	25
Treddington/ Shipston-on-Stour	1748-1798	Wills	Not given	26
Treddington/ Shipston-on-Stour	1778-1762 (in reverse order)	Wills	Not given	26
Wolverley	1668-1788	Wills	1-134	27
Worcester St Michael College	1669-1755	Wills	1-97	8
Worcester	1755-1772	Wills	97-122	2

<b>Place</b>	<b>Dates</b>	<b>Type of Document</b>	<b>Document Numbers</b>	<b>Film Numbers</b>
St Michael College				
Index to Wills in Peculiars	15 <sup>th</sup> C-1788	Index	Not given	28

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22 September 1865 – 31 December 1866	500
1 January 1867 – 15 March 1868	501
6 March 1868 – 31 December 1868	502
1 January 1869 – 21 July 1869	503
21 July 1869 – 26 October 1870	504
26 October 1870 – 31 December 1870	505
January – December 1871	506
January – December 1872	507
January – December 1873	508
January – December 1874	509
1 January 1875 – 8 October 1875	510
7 October 1875 – 31 December 1875	511
January – December 1876	512
January – December 1877	513

January – December 1878	514
January – December 1879	515
January – December 1880	516
January – December 1881	517
January – December 1882	518
January – December 1883	519
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January – December 1887	523
January – December 1888	524
January – December 1889	525
January – December 1890	526
January – December 1891	527
January – December 1892	528
January – December 1893	529
January – December 1894	530
January – December 1895	531
January – December 1896	532
January – December 1897	533
January – December 1898	534
January – December 1899	535
January – December 1900	536
January – December 1901	537
January – December 1902	538
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January – December 1904	540
January – December 1905	541
January – December 1906	542
January – December 1907	543
January – December 1908	544
January – December 1909	545
January – December 1910	546
January – December 1911	547
January – December 1912	548
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## **Lichfield Wills**

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## **Northampton Wills**

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Indexes	1510 – 1751 (A-P)
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## **Wills and Admons of minor courts at Somerset House – sub deanery of Sarum**

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## **Probate Act Books**

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Probate Act Books list all Wills and Admons dealt with by a probate court.

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August 1769 – May 1798  
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## **Bishops Registry**

On microfilm

Evidence of wills presented to Bishop of Worcester

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## **Index to Wills and Admons.**

On Microfiche

Forerunner to National Probate Calendar

1853 – 1857

**National Probate Calendars**  
On Microfiche

1858 – 1943

**Index to PCC Wills and Administrations**  
On Microfiche

1701 – 1749

## **Additional Sources**

Bound volumes to be found on the shelves of the self service area:

Alphabetical Index of Miscellaneous Probate Inventories

Occupations in English Wills 1451 – 1652

Wills of Earls Croome, Hill Croome and Strensham 1550 – 1799

Wills of Birlingham and Eckington 1550 - 1799

Wills of Broughton Hackett, Churchill, Naunton Beauchamp, North Piddle, Peopleton, Upton Snodsbury, White Ladies Aston 1550 - 1799

Wills of Besford and Defford 1550 – 1799

Wills of Charlton, Cropthorne and Elmley Castle 1550 – 1799

Wills of Great Comberton and Little Comberton

Wills of Defford 1550 – 1800

Wills of Pershore and area 1660 – 1799

Wills of Bishampton, Fladbury, Throckmorton and Wyre Piddle 1550 – 1799

Wills of Croome D'Abitot, Pirton, Stoulton 1550 - 1799