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The Accompte of Joseph Philpott the/ naturall and La<w>full brother and [illegible] Administrator of all/ and sing[u]lar the goods and Chatells of William/ [illegible] <Philpott> late of the Isle of Thanett in Countie of Kent/ and Arc[h]d[iocese] of Canterbury deceased By him made/ and declared of and uppon all and singular shuch/ goods and Chattells as late were the said decea[se]ds his/ whilest hee lived and since his death have or might/ have come into the hands and possession of this/ Accomptant by [illegible] force and vertue of Letters of/ Administrac[i]on of the said decea[se]ds goods to him this/ <Accomptant> in due forme of Lawe Com[m]itted as followeth/

Administrac[i]on of the said decea[se]ds goods to him this/ <Accomptant> in due forme of Lawe Com[m]itted as followeth/ That is to say/ li d First this Accomptant and Administrator/ aforesaid doth Chardge himselfe w[i]th all and/sing[u]lar such goods and Chattells as late were/ the said deceaseds his whilest he lived and since/ his death have or might have come in to the/ hands and possession of this Accomptant by/ vertue of his Letters of Administrac[i]on aforesaid/ All w[hi]ch goods and Chattells are menc[i]oned specified/ and Conteyned in an Inventory there of made/ and here unto annexed doth in the whole extend/ an amount unto the sum[m]e of/ Clxxviii xix νij Out of w[hi]ch this Accomptant and Administrator aforesaid/ hath necessarily paid and layed out and craveth to be/allowed these p[ar]ticular sum[m]es of money following vizt/ Inprimis paid for a Coffin wherein to interr/ the said decea[se]ds dead Corps for the minister and/p[ar]ish Clarkes dueties for the buriall of the said decea[se]d/ xxxxviij and for all othe[r] funerall Chardges the sum[m]e of/ It[e]m paid for the Letters of Aministrac[i]on of the said/ deceaseds goods for the obligac[i]on in p[ar]chment for/ Regist[e]ring and ingrossing the Inventory of the said/ decea[se]ds goods and for all other Chardges of Court/ thereabouts made xviij the sum[m]e of/ It[e]m this Accomptant craveth to be allowed for/ his and his fa Sureties Chardges in coming to Cant[erbury]/ to take out the said Letters of Administrac[i]on of the/ said decea[se]ds goods and to enter in to bond for the/ same the sum[m]e of/ ΧV It[e]m paid to Mr Cory for writting the Inventory/ of the said decea[se]ds goods the V sum[m]e of/ It[e]m paid to Henry Smith for debt due and/owing unto him by the said decea[se]d at the time of his/ death for cutting 5 acors of stra[w]e the suim[m]e of/ Χij νį [end first page] [second page] It[e]m p[ai]d to Rafe Grederes for coles debt due and/owing unto <him> by the said decea[se]d at the time of his/ for coles/ ix It[e]m paid to Henry Twyman the smith for debt/ due and owing unto him by the said deceased <at his death> for/ severall worke done for him in his Life time/ the

sum[m]e of/

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It[e]m paid to William Smith for debt due and owing/ unto him by the said decea[se]d at the time of de <a>th/ for severall worke done for <the decea[se]d="" s[ai]d=""> in his Life time/ the sum[m]e of/</the>		V		
It[e]m paid to John Stone collermaker for debt/ due an owing unto him by the said decea[se]d at the tyme of/ his death for collers and divers other worke done/ for <the> [illegible] ,<s[ai]d decea[se]d=""> in his life time the sum[m]e of/</s[ai]d></the>			ix	iiij
It[e]m paid to Humphrey Whetly for a Cesse made/ for the use of the poore of the s[ai]d p[ar]ish/		vij		
It[e]m paid to Henry Catland for debt due and/ owing <unto him=""> by the said deceased at the time of his/ death for worke done for him in harvist/</unto>		χv		vj
It[e]m paid to John Stone for debt due and/ owing unto him by the s[ai]d decea[se]d for worke done/ for him in harvis and money w[hi]ch he lent to the/ said <decea[se]d> in his life time the sum[m]e of/</decea[se]d>	iij	xiij		ij
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It[e]m paid for Letters of Admi[nistra]c[i]on of the said decea[se]ds/ goods <taken> by Luke [illegible] Philpott the said decea[se]ds eldest/ brother who shortly after taking them died the/ sum[m]e of/</taken>		xix		iiij
It[e]m paid for horshiers for the said Luke Philpott/ and his suerties when he [words illegible] <came> to take out the/ said Letters of Administrac[i]on. the sum[m]e of/</came>		х		iiij
It[e]m paid to Abraham Binge for debt due and owing/ unto him by the said deceased at the time of his/ death for harvis worke and severall other worke done/which he did for him in his Life time the sum[m]e of/	v			
It[e]m paid to Anne Hollman the said deceaseds maid/ servant for wages due and owing unto <her> by the s[ai]d/ deceased at the Michilmus when the said decea[se]d died/ the sum[m]e of/</her>		xxvij		ij
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It[e]m paid to Jeremiath Reade the said deceaseds/ manservant for wages due and owing unto him/ by the said deceased at Michilmus when the said deceased died the sum[m]e of/		V		iiij
It[e]m paid to Elizabeth Halman for helping ye/ said deceaseds maid servants wash the said decea[se]ds/linen the sum[m]e of/			ij	
It[e]m paid to Robert Curling for debt due and/ owing unto him by the said deceased at the tyme/ of his death for worke done for him in harvis /for the said deceaseds in <his> life time the sum[m]e of/</his>	ij			

It[e]m paid to Nicolas Freman for debt due and/ owing and owing unto him by the said deceased/at the time of his death and for going downe/ the said decea[se]ds well and for butter had of him/ by the said deceased in his Life time the sum[m]e of/	xij		
It[e]m paid to Edward Avery for the tythes of/ Astene feilds due and for the tythes of fleete due/ by the deceased the Michilmus next after his/ death [words illegible]/		vij	vj
It[e]m paid to Edward Avery for debt/ due and owing unto him by the said deceased/ at the time of death for butter and severall/ other things had of him by the said decea[se]d in/ his life time the sum[m]e/		x	ij
It[e]m paid to James Cred <for> a Cesse made to the/ use of the poore of the p[ar]ish of Deale the sum[m]e of/</for>		ij	
It[e]m p[ai]d more to the said James Cred a Church cesse/ made and towards the repare of the <p[ar]ish> church of Deale/ the sum[m]e of/</p[ar]ish>		v	viij
It[e]m p[ai]d to William Fri[e]nd for debt due and owing/ unto him by the s[ai]d decea[se]d at the time of his death/ for money Lent by him to the said decea[se]d in his/ Life tyme the sum[m]e of/		хl	
It[e]m p[ai]d to Steven Greedier for f sugger and/ Currants and butter feched at the buriall of the/ said <deceased> [words illegible] and things feched before/</deceased>		xlviij	
It[e]m p[ai]d to Tho[mas] Emt <i>ge for debt due and owing/ unto him by <ye decea[se]d="" s[ai]d=""> at the time of his death for one/ paier of shooes and severall other things had/ of by the said decea[se]d in his life time ye sum[m]e of/</ye></i>		v	ij
It[e]m paid to Thomas Tery for debt due and owing/ unto him by the said decea[se]d at the time of his/ death for severall things had of him and money/	iiij	j	
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Lent by him to the said deceased in his life/ time the sum[m]e of/			
It[e]m p[ai]d to Alixander Chilles for debt due and/ owing to <unto by="" him=""> the said deceased at the time of his death/ for dew raking of 7 acors of corne for the said/deceased in his Life time the sum[m]e of/</unto>		ij	
It[e]m p[ai]d to Mr Fearman for debt due and owing <un>to/ him by the said deceased at the time of his death/ for hot waters had of him by the said decea[se]d the/ sum[m]e of/</un>			vj
It[e]m p[ai]d to Abrahames Binges wife for helping/ when the said deceased had noe maid the sum[m]e of/		v	
It[e]m p[ai]d to goodwife Avery <for> watching w[i]th the said at/ the for deceased at ye time of his death and for helping/ the said deceaseds servants the sum[m]e of/</for>			xviij

It[e]m paid to John Whitfield for rent of marchland/ due unto him by the said deceased at the time/ of his death or in short time after the sum[m]e of/	٧	xiij	x
It[e]m paid for a Cesse at at one halpeny in the pound/ Cessed at 16 pound a cesse for fleete due at the s[ai]d/ decea[se]ds death or in short time after ye sum[m]e of/			viij
It[e]m p[ai]d more for a Cesse at a Leven pence halpeny/ in the pound for <the said=""> fleete due by the s[ai]d decea[se]d at the/ time of his death or within short time after ye sum[m]e of/</the>		xv	iiij
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It[e]m p[ai]d to Roger Wetnall for 12 bushells of malt/ and fe halfe a pound of hops w[hi]ch the said deceased had of/ him in his Life time the sum[m]e of/		xxviij	x
It[e]m p[ai]d to widow Kebell for debt due and owing unto/ her by the said decea[se]d at the time of his death for seve[ral]l/ things feched of her by the said decea[se]d in his Life time/ the sum[m]e of/		ij	viij
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It[e]m paid to John Whitford for m rent for Asten feild/ due and owing unto him by the said at the time of his death/ or in short time after the sum[m]e of/	xxiij	j	х
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It[e]m p[ai]d to Abraham Neuman debt due and owing/ unto him by the said decea[se]d at the time of his/ death <for> Coles and Lambes bought of him by the/ s[ai]d decea[se]d in his Lifetime the sum[m]e of/</for>		xv	iij
It[e]m p[ai]d to Luke Philpott for a bucket bought of/ him by the s[ai]d decea[se]d [illegible] in his Life time ye sum[m]e/		vj	
It[e]m paid to Thomas Fullar <for a="" at="" cesse=""> 3 fardings an acor for/ Asten feild being 80 acors for making the beacon/ the sum[m]e of/</for>		iiij	iij
It[e]m p[ai]d to John Pamplete for debt due and owing/ unto him by the said decea[se]d at the time of his de[a]th/ for pasture had of him <by decea[se]d="" s[ai]d="" ye=""> in his Lifetime the sum[m]e of/</by>		xix	

It[e]m p[ai]d to William Head and John Whotene and/ [words illegible] for debts due and owing unto them/ by the said deceased at the time of his death for/ [words illegible] severall [illegible] things had of them <by <time="" decea[se]d="" his="" in="" life="" s[ai]d="" the=""> ye sum[m]e of/</by>			iij	ij
It[e]m p[ai]d to John Freman bucher for debt due/ and owing unto him by the said deceased at the/ time of his death for meate had of him <by deceased="" said="" the=""> in his/ Life time the sum[m]e of/</by>	iij			
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It[e]m p[ai]d to Abraham Nuenan for debt due and/ owing unto him by the said deceased at the time/ of his death for 2 Sheepe had of him by the/ s[ai]d decea[se]d in the time of his <life> death the sum[m]e of/</life>		xiij		
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It[e]m p[ai]d for 2 Cesses for the Kinge for the afores[ai]d/ marshland at Chestlet at tenn pence halpenny on/ [illegible] the pound and alsoe the tenant is to pay ye [illegible] sixt p[ar]t/			ij	j
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It[e]m p[ai]d for two Kinges Cesses due by the s[ai]d decea[se]d/ for his <afore[men]t[ioned]> marsh land at Chislet att <8> halpeny in pound/ the sum[m]e of/</afore[men]t[ioned]>		ij		iij
It[e]m p[ai]d to Francis Corge for wages due by the/ s[ai]d decea[se]d at the time of his death he being Clarke/ of the s[ai]d p[ar]ish where in the s[ai]d decea[se]d Lived/		[illegibl	e]	
It[e]m p[ai]d to Richard Fuller for debt due and owing/ unto him by the said decea[se]d at the time of his death/ for meat and other things had of him by the s[ai]d/ deceased in his Life time the sum[m]e of/		xvij		j
It[e]m p[ai]d to Becham for three sege Collers/		xviij		
It[e]m p[ai]d to James Groufes for debt due and owing unto/ him by the s[ai]d decea[se]d at the time of his death for worke/ done <in harvis=""> for the s[ai]d deceased in his Life time the sum[m]e of/</in>		xlix		vj
It[e]m p[ai]d to John Smith the d[o]c[t]or for phisicke when the said/ deceased lay upon his death bedd the sum[m]e of/		x		

It[e]m p[ai]d to the afore[sai]d John Smith for <rent for> halfe an acor/ of Land for <5 yeares at> eight shillings an acor [-words illegible] due and/ and owing unto him by the said decea[se]d at the time of his/ death or in short time after the χl sum[m]e of/ It[e]m p[ai]d to Joseph Philpott the s[ai]d decea[se]ds brother for debt/ due and owing unto him by the said deceased at the time/ of his death for Corne had of xxvij xiij him by the said deceased/ in his Life time the sum[m]e of/ It[e]m p[ai]d to the said Joseph Philpott for [money] <debt> due and/owing unto him by the said at the time of his death/ uppon bond the sum[m]e of/ xxvij χvj It[e]m p[aild to Roger Taddie for debt due and owing/ unto him by the said iii decea[se]d at the time of <his> death uppon/ bond the sum[m]e of/ XXXIII It[e]m this for drawing this Accompt to forme/ to exhibit in to the Court for the p[rox]ie and pr[oc]tors/ fee to p[ro]cure the Admission thereof For Registring/ and ingrossing the same in p[ar]chment for the /Quietus Est there uppon had and granted limitac[i]ons/ of porc[i]ons Judges seale of Office and all other/ Chardges of Court thereuppon {words illegible}//made the sum[m]e of/ XXX ٧j [end sixth page] [seventh page] Summe totall of the paiments and/allowances aforesaid is/ Clxxvij j Soe it may and doth most plainely <appeare> that this/ Accomptant hath well and truly administered/ in the goods and Chattells of the s[ai]d decea[se]d and/ that Computats Computands et deducts/ deducendis she hath still remaining in his hands/ to be limited and allotted into porc[i]ons by the/ Judge of this Court the sum[m]e of/ iiii xxxix

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With apportionment to: John Philpott, Susanna Philpott, Margaret Philpott and Maria Philpott; brothers and sisters of the said deceased sum to be divided equally between them./

xiiij shillings/

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