

Take Notice, That the above-named *Sarah Bassett*, now inhabiting the Workhouse of the Warwick ~~now residing at~~ Union, in which Union the parish in this ^(a) of *Leamington* has, with Priors is comprised, has with the above-named *Mary Ann Bassett*, become and now is chargeable to the said ^(a) parish of *Leamington Priors* — — — and is now receiving Relief from the said ^(a) parish — — — ^(b)

^{b)} Adding, where the order is suspended by reason of sickness, &c. The said relief being necessary by sickness of said —, [or, accident to said —, as the case may be] which sickness [or accident] is such as will produce permanent disability.

and that an Order of Justices has been obtained for her Removal to your ^(c) parish — of *Steeple Barton* as her last place of legal Settlement (a duplicate of which Order is herewith sent). **And Take Notice,** that the following are the grounds of the said Removal, including the Particulars of the Settlement relied upon by us in support thereof:

^{c)} Here set out the settlement or settlements intended to be relied upon, in the same way a settlement is stated in writs of appeal.

For that ^(c) the said *Sarah Bassett* has a derivative settlement from her father, *William Bassett*, in your said parish of *Steeple Barton* —.

The said *William Bassett* was legally settled in your said parish of *Steeple Barton* by being born there in or about the years 1800 — 1801 —.

And further the said *William Bassett* was legally settled in your said parish of *Steeple Barton* by deriving a settlement from his Father *Henry Bassett*, who is also a native of your said parish of *Steeple Barton*, and who is now residing there.

The said *William Bassett* was legally married to *Mary Parsons* at *Westcott Barton* in the County of Oxford in the year 1823, and the said *Sarah Bassett* was the legal issue of such marriage —.

And also for that the said *Sarah Bassett* — — — with *Mary Ann*, her infant illegitimate child, — — — has come to inhabit and is now inhabiting in the said ^(a) parish — of *Leamington Priors* — — — and before and at the time of the making of the said Order was and still is chargeable to the said ^(a) parish of *Leamington Priors* — — — and receiving relief therefrom.

And Take Notice, That unless Notice of Appeal against the said Order be received by us within Twenty-one Days from the sending hereof, or (in case of your application for a Copy of the Depositions on which such Order has been made) within a further period of Fourteen Days after the sending of such Copy, the said Paupers will be removed to your said ^(a) parish — of *Steeple Barton* — — — in pursuance of the said Order, and no Appeal against such Order shall afterwards be allowed.

BASTARDY

Glouc. J.

To the High Constable of the Upper part of
Hundred of Tewkesbury and to the Constable of
tithingman of Church Stanning in the said
County and to all other Constables of tithings
within the same

Where Complaint hath this day been made before me one
of his Ma^{ties} Justices of the Peace for the County aforesaid by the
Overseers of the poor of the Parish of Stoople Barton in the
County of Oxon That Martha Morris late of your parish
in Trovant being now removed by Order of two of his Ma^{ties}
Justices of the Peace for the County of Gloucester to
Stoople Barton aforesaid And is great with Child
of a Bastard Child and That Thomas Hallaway Junr of
Bredington in the parish of Stanning aforesaid and
he only did begett the said Child on the body of the
said Martha Morris as on her examination upon
Oath before me on the Eighteenth day of October
last did fully appear which Child when it shall be
borne is likely to become chargeable to the parish
of Stoople Barton aforesaid These are therefore in her
Ma^{ties} name to command you some or one of you to
attach the body of the said Thomas Hallaway
to bring him before one of his Ma^{ties} Justices of
the Peace for this County of Gloucester to find
Sufficient Sureties that the said Bastard Child
when it shall be borne shall not become
chargeable to the parish of Stoople Barton
aforesaid And to be of good behaviour towards his
Ma^{ties} all his Lige people And to be further
dealt with as to Justice doth appertain Hereof
faith not att your Perills Given under my
hand and seal this Twelfth third day of
November in the Fifth year of his Ma^{ties}
Reigne Annoq^{ue} Domⁱⁿⁱ 1709

Rob. Parson

Oxfordshire to Wit. { The Order of us whose Hands and Seals are hereunto set, two of his Majesty's Justices of the Peace in and for the said County, one whereof is of the Quorum, and both residing in or next unto the Limits of the Parish Church, within the Parish of *Steeple Barton* in the said County, made the *fifteenth* Day of *November* in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Twenty *three* concerning a male Bastard Child lately born in the Parish aforesaid, of the Body of *Mary Ann Egglestone* - single Woman.

WHEREAS it has been duly made appear unto us, the said Justices, as well upon the complaint of the churchwardens and overseers of the poor of the said parish of *Steeple Barton* as upon the oath of the said *Mary Ann Egglestone* - that she was delivered of a male bastard child, in the said parish, on the *seventh* day of *August* last past, and that the said bastard child is now chargeable to the said parish, and likely so to continue; and further, that *John Chilton* of *Sackley* in the said county *Salisbury* did beget the said bastard child on the body of her the said *Mary Ann Egglestone* -

And whereas the said *John Chilton* being now present, hath not shewn any sufficient cause why he shall not be the reputed father of the said bastard child, We therefore upon examination of the cause and circumstance of the Premises, as well upon the oath of the said *Mary Ann Egglestone* as otherwise, do hereby adjudge him, the said *John Chilton* to be the reputed father of the said bastard child.

And thereupon we do order, as well for the better relief and indemnifying of the said parish of *Steeple Barton* that the said *John Chilton* shall and do forthwith, upon notice of this our order, pay or cause to be paid, to the churchwardens and overseers of the poor of the said parish of *Steeple Barton* or to some or one of them, the sum of *thirty shillings*

for the charges and expences incident to the birth of the said bastard child, and also the sum of

~~for the reasonable costs of apprehending and securing the said~~
~~and the further sum of~~
~~for the costs of this order of filiation, (such charges, expences, and~~
~~costs having been duly ascertained on oath, before us,) and also the further~~
~~sum of *fifteen shillings*~~
for the maintenance and sustentation of the said bastard child to the time of making this our order.

And we do hereby further order, that the said *John Chilton* shall likewise pay, or cause to be paid, to the churchwardens and overseers of the poor of the said parish of *Steeple Barton* - for the time being, or to some or one of them, the sum of *one shilling and six pence* weekly, and every week, from this present time, for and towards the keeping, sustentation, and maintenance of the said bastard child, for and during so long a time as the said bastard child shall be chargeable to the said parish of *Steeple Barton* - And we do further order that the said *Mary Ann Egglestone* shall pay or cause to be paid, to the said churchwardens and overseers of the poor of the said parish of *Steeple Barton* for the time being, or to some or one of them, the sum of *nine pence* weekly and every week, so long as the said bastard child shall be chargeable to the same, in case she shall not nurse or take care of the said child herself.

Given under our hands and seals the day and year first above written.

M. J. H.
No. 1. J. J. H.

Oxfordshire } The Order of us whose Hands and Seals are hereunto set, two of his Majesty's
to Wit. { Justices of the Peace in and for the said County, one whereof is of the
Quorum, and both residing in or next unto the Limits of the Parish Church,
within the Parish of *Steeple Barton* in the said County,
made the *third* Day of *June* in the Year of our Lord
One Thousand Eight Hundred and Twenty four concerning a *female*
Bastard Child lately born in the Parish aforesaid, of the Body of *Mary*
Abraham single Woman.

WHEREAS it has been duly made appear unto us, the said Justices, as
well upon the complaint of the churchwardens and overseers of the poor
of the said parish of *Steeple Barton* as upon the oath of
the said *Mary Abraham* that she was delivered of a *female*
bastard child, in the said parish, on the *fourteenth*
day of *March* last past, and that the said bastard child is
now chargeable to the said parish, and likely so to continue; and further, that
Thomas Radbourn of *Glympton* in the
said county of *Oxford* Laborer did beget the said
bastard child on the body of her the said *Mary Abraham*
And whereas the said *Thomas Radbourn*
being now present, hath not shewn any sufficient cause why he shall not
be the reputed father of the said bastard child,
We therefore upon examination of the cause and circumstance of the Premises,
as well upon the oath of the said *Mary Abraham*
as otherwise, do hereby adjudge him, the said *Thomas Radbourn*
to be the reputed father of the said bastard child.

And thereupon we do order, as well for the better relief and indemnifying
of the said parish of *Steeple Barton* that
the said *Thomas Radbourn*
shall and do forthwith, upon notice of this our order, pay or cause to be
paid, to the churchwardens and overseers of the poor of the said parish of
Steeple Barton or to some or one of them,
the sum of *forty shillings*

for the charges and expences incident to the birth of
the said bastard child, and also the sum of

for the reasonable costs of apprehending and securing the said
and the further sum of

for the costs of this order of filiation, (such charges, expences, and
costs having been duly ascertained on oath, before us,) and also the further
sum of

for the maintenance and sustentation of the said bastard child to the time
of making this our order.

And we do hereby further order, that the said *Thomas Radbourn*
shall likewise pay, or cause to be paid, to the
churchwardens and overseers of the poor of the said parish of *Steeple*
Barton for the time being, or to some or one of them, the sum of
one shilling and *eight pence* weekly; and every week, from this present
time, for and towards the keeping, sustentation, and maintenance of the
said bastard child, for and during so long a time as the said bastard child
shall be chargeable to the said parish of *Steeple Barton* And
we do further order that the said *Mary Abraham*
shall pay or cause to be paid, to the said churchwardens and overseers of
the poor of the said parish of *Steeple Barton* for the time
being, or to some or one of them, the sum of *ten pence*
weekly and every week, so long as the said bastard child shall be chargeable
to the same, in case she shall not nurse or take care of the said child herself.

Given under our hands and seals the day and year first above written.

Thos Perrott
Thos Law



Oxfordshire (The Order of us whose Hands and Seals are hereunto set, two of his Majesty's
to Wit. Justices of the Peace in and for the said County, one whereof is of the
Quorum, and both residing in or next unto the Limits of the Parish Church,
within the Parish of *Steeple Barton* — in the said County,
made the *ixth* — Day of *November* in the Year of our Lord
One Thousand Eight Hundred and Twenty *four* concerning a female
Bastard Child lately born in the Parish aforesaid, of the Body of *Susanna*
Franklin — single Woman.

WHEREAS it has been duly made appear unto us, the said Justices, as
well upon the complaint of the churchwardens and overseers of the poor
of the said parish of *Steeple Barton* — as upon the oath of
the said *Susanna Franklin* that she was delivered of a female
bastard child, in the said parish, on the *eighteenth* —
day of *September* — last past, and that the said bastard child is
now chargeable to the said parish, and likely so to continue; and further, that
Thomas Hollis ^{the younger} of *Middle Barton* in the
said county *Miller* — did beget the said
bastard child on the body of her the said *Susanna Franklin*

And whereas the said *Thomas Hollis* —
being now present, hath not shewn any sufficient cause why he shall not
be the reputed father of the said bastard child,
We therefore upon examination of the cause and circumstance of the Premises,
as well upon the oath of the said *Susanna Franklin* —
as otherwise, do hereby adjudge him, the said *Thomas Hollis* —
to be the reputed father of the said bastard child.

And thereupon we do order, as well for the better relief and indemnifying
of the said parish of *Steeple Barton* — that
the said *Thomas Hollis* —
shall and do forthwith, upon notice of this our order, pay or cause to be
paid, to the churchwardens and overseers of the poor of the said parish of
Steeple Barton — or to some or one of them,
the sum of *Thirty shillings* —

for the charges and expences incident to the birth of
the said bastard child, and also the sum of

~~for the reasonable costs of apprehending and securing the said~~
~~and the further sum of~~

~~for the costs of this order of filiation, (such charges, expences, and~~
~~costs having been duly ascertained on oath, before us,) and also the further~~
sum of *four shillings and six pence* —
for the maintenance and sustentation of the said bastard child to the time
of making this our order.

And we do hereby further order, that the said *Thomas Hollis* —
shall likewise pay, or cause to be paid, to the
churchwardens and overseers of the poor of the said parish of *Steeple* —
Barton — for the time being, or to some or one of them, the sum of
one shilling and six pence weekly, and every week, from this present
time, for and towards the keeping, sustentation, and maintenance of the
said bastard child, for and during so long a time as the said bastard child
shall be chargeable to the said parish of *Steeple Barton* — And
we do further order that the said *Susanna Franklin* —
shall pay or cause to be paid, to the said churchwardens and overseers of
the poor of the said parish of *Steeple Barton* — for the time
being, or to some or one of them, the sum of *one shilling* —
weekly and every week, so long as the said bastard child shall be chargeable
to the same, in case she shall not nurse or take care of the said child herself.

Given under our hands and seals the day and year first above written.

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J. Stuart

Oxfordshire, } The Order of us, whose hands and seals are hereunto set, two of His
to wit. } Majesty's Justices of the Peace in and for the said County, one whereof
is of the Quorum, and both residing in or next unto the Limits of the
Parish Church within the Parish of Steeple Barton
in the said County, made the seventh Day of January
in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty six
concerning a *se* male Bastard Child, lately born in the Parish
aforesaid, of the Body of Sarah Mole — Singlewoman.

WHEREAS it has been duly made appear unto us, the said Justices, as well upon
the complaint of the Churchwardens and Overseers of the Poor of the said
Parish of Steeple Barton — as upon the Oath of the said
Sarah Mole — that she was delivered of a *se* male Bastard Child
in the said Parish — on the twenty third day of January
last past, and that the said Bastard Child is now Chargeable to the said Parish
and likely so to continue; and further that Thomas Finch
of Steeple Barton — in the County of Oxford *Haver* —
did beget the said Bastard Child on the Body of her the said Sarah Mole

And whereas the said Thomas Finch — being now present, hath
not shewn any sufficient cause why he shall not be the reputed Father of the said Bastard
Child. We therefore, upon examination of the cause and circumstance of the premises,
as well upon the Oath of the said Sarah Mole — as otherwise,
do hereby adjudge him the said Thomas Finch — to be the reputed
Father of the said Bastard Child. And thereupon, we do order as well for the better
relief and indemnifying of the said Parish of Steeple Barton
as also, for the sustentation and relief of the said Bastard Child, that the said
Thomas Finch — shall and do forthwith upon Notice
of this our Order, pay or cause to be paid to the Churchwardens and Overseers of the
Poor of the said Parish of Steeple Barton — or to some or one of
them, the sum of *forty shillings* — for the charges and
expences incident to the birth of the said Bastard Child, and also, the sum of
— for the reasonable costs of apprehending and
securing the said — and the further sum of
— for the costs of this Order of Filiation, (such
charges, expences, and costs having been duly ascertained on Oath, before us,) and also,
the further sum of — for the maintenance and
sustentation of the said Bastard Child to the time of making this our Order. And we do
hereby further order, that the said Thomas Finch — shall
likewise pay or cause to be paid to the Churchwardens and Overseers of the Poor of the
said Parish of Steeple Barton — for the time being, or to some
or one of them, the sum of *two shillings* and — weekly and every week
from this present time, for and towards the keeping, sustentation, and maintenance of the
said Bastard Child, for and during so long a time as the said Bastard Child shall be
chargeable to the said Parish of Steeple Barton — And we do
further order that the said Sarah Mole — shall pay or cause
to be paid to the Churchwardens and Overseers of the Poor of the said Parish
of Steeple Barton for the time being, or to some or one of them, the sum of
one shilling — weekly and every week, so long as the said Bastard
Child shall be chargeable to the same, in case she shall not nurse or take care of the said
Child herself. Given under our hands and seals the Day and Year first above-written.

Before us
to wit.

**The Order of John Lechmere Esquire
and William Gorden, Clerk**
two of his Majesty's Justices of the Peace, acting in
and for the said County.

Whereas it hath been duly made appear unto Us, the said Justices, as well upon the Complaint of the Churchwardens and Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of *Steeple Barton* in the said County, as upon the Oath of *Mary Ann Egglestone* Single Woman, that she was delivered of a *female* Bastard Child, at the said Parish, on the *ninth* Day of *January* last and that the said Bastard Child is now living, and chargeable to the same. And further, that *James* ~~*Hollis*~~ *Hollis* of ~~*Steeple Barton*~~ *Steeple Barton* in the said County, *Cordwainer* did beget the said Bastard Child on the Body of her the said *Mary Ann Egglestone* And whereas the said *James Hollis* hath appeared before us, ~~in pursuance of a Summons for that Purpose,~~ but hath not shewed any Cause why he should not be adjudged the reputed Father of the said Bastard Child.

We do, therefore, upon the Examination of the Cause and Circumstances of the Premises, hereby adjudge him, the said *James Hollis* to be the reputed Father of the said Bastard Child; and Order, that he do pay to the Churchwardens and Overseers of the Poor of the said Parish of *Steeple Barton* the Sum of *two pounds six shillings* for the Charges incident to the Birth of the said Child, and the Maintenance thereof, to the Time of making this our Order, viz.—

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For the Relief of the said Bastard Child, to the Day of the Date hereof	—	6	—
For the reasonable Charges and Expences incident to the Birth	2	—	—
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For the reasonable Costs of obtaining this our Order	—	—	—

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And we do further Order, that the said *James Hollis* shall also pay to the Churchwardens and Overseers of the said Parish of *Steeple Barton* for the Time being, the Sum of *one shilling and six pence* Weekly, for and towards the Keeping, Sustentation, and Maintenance of the said Bastard Child, for so long Time as the said Bastard Child shall be chargeable to the said Parish. And that the said *Mary Ann Egglestone* shall also, in like manner, pay the Sum of *one shilling* Weekly, in case she shall not nurse and take Care of the Child herself.—The said several Sums being duly and respectively ascertained on Oath, before us, pursuant to the Statutes in such case made and provided.

Given under our Hands and Seals, the *fifth* Day of *March* in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and *thirty one*

John Lechmere
W^m Gorden

