

ASSESSMENT OF THE PARISH OF
COWDEN, A.D. 1599.

COMMUNICATED BY MR. J. S. SMALLFIELD.*

*The rate of the single ffifteene of all Cowndon assessed vij^o Julii Anno
Regni Eliz. R'ne nunc xlj^{mo}*

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| <i>Inprimis</i> of Walter Kildermere for Brounsell feild | ... | x ^d |
| Of Isack Bowne for the land late Michael Joyners | ... | ij ^d |
| Of M ^r Mathewes for Heathy feild | ... | ii ^d |
| Of John Bowne for Browne's Cloase | ... | ii ^d |
| Of the heyres of W ^m Clark for the free lande in Cowndone late Bonde's land and the land in the Common feildes | ... | viiij ^d |
| Of Issabell Wall for Neeldersbreech | ... | ij ^d |
| Of W ^m Shewall for his 2 houses and lande for the Lorde's acre <i>alias</i> the longe feilde | ... | vj ^d |
| Of John ffaux for his Groue and cloase late Strong's lande | ... | iiij ^d |
| Of Richard Treene for Browne Hierne | ... | iiij ^d |
| Of Samuell Bowne for Stones Cloase and meadowe | ... | iiij ^d |
| Of Samuell Bowne for Crabtree feild | ... | iiij ^d |
| Of M ^r Breers for Geffryes and Rycrofte | ... | iiij ^d |
| Of M ^r Saunders for his messuage and Cloases | ... | iiij ^d |
| Of Henry Shewall for his house and Cloases | ... | ij ^d |
| Of Samuell Bowne for his house and Cloases | ... | iiij ^d |
| Of M ^r Whitwick for a Cloase late in thooception of Tedsall | ... | ij ^d |
| Of Hugh Shewall for Gallowtree feildes | ... | v ^d |
| Of Humfrey Smallwood | ... | iiij ^d |
| Of M ^r Marston for the Mott house and groundes | ... | viiij ^d |
| Of M ^r Band for Fryorsfeild | ... | iiij ^d |

* This assessment is written upon a long narrow roll of parchment which Mr. Smallfield has presented to the Kent Archæological Society's Library.

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| Of Goodwief Clark for her parcell in Hobbescrofte late Cramp's, ij ^d ; of her for Lewyns meadowe, ij ^d ; of her, Reynoldes feild, ij ^d ; of her for Roses lande, j ^d ... | vij ^d |
| for Wrights feild, (v ^d <i>erased, and</i> iiij ^d <i>substituted</i>) ... | v ^d |
| Of Browne Hierne belonginge to Trinity Church ... | ij ^d |
| Of M ^r Barker for a Cloase lately boughte of M ^r Hearinge | j ^d |
| Of Isack Bowne for 2 houses and groundes late Hilles and W ^m Shewalls ... | viiij ^d |
| Of Isack Bowne for Congertons house ... | iiij ^d ob. |
| Of John Bowne for Browne's waste ... | ij ^d |
| Of the occupyer of Stiles peece ... | iiij ^d |
| Of Thomas fflynte for M ^r Nethermylles lande in Cowndon waste ... | iiij ^d |
| Of the same John Bowne for lande in the common feildes | ij ^d |
| Of John Band for S ^t Jones peece ... | j ^d |
| Of Clem ^t Stone for Hearings lande ... | j ^d |
| Of Isack Bowne for my Lord a Burgevenys landes in the common feildes ... | iiij ^d |
| Of Torleton for his groue and lande in the feildes ... | vij ^d ob. |
| for the other parte of Harps groue ... | vij ^d ob. |
| for little Chappell feild ... | viiij ^d |
| for Greate Chappell feild and Blanch meadowe ... | xx ^d |
| Of Ramond ffytch for a Cloase parcell of the Lord of Burgeveny his landes ... | vj ^d |
| for Parson's Cloase ... | vj ^d |
| Of M ^r Barker for parcell of ffoure pounce feild ... | iiij ^d |
| Of the same M ^r Barker for Bondes groue ... | iiij ^d |
| Of the same M ^r Barker for Hicks Cloase ... | xviiij ^d |
| Of John Bowne for Smarts [<i>added in other ink</i>] iiij ^d | |
| | Summa xvij ^s ix ^d ob. |

(Signed) HENRY BRERES. THOMAS SAUNDERS.
RICHARD BARKER. HENRY SHEWELL'S mark.
J. MARSTON. HEW. SHEWELL.