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- ¹ **This Indenture** made the twenty third day of September in the <first> second
- ² year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the second by the grace of God
- ³ of great Britain France and Ireland King Defender of the Faith &c
- ⁴ Anno Dei 1728. **Between** Edward Hassletine of Kilnsey in the
- 5 County of Yorke Yeoman of the one part, and Matthias Weatherhead of Giggleswic\k/
- 6 in the said County Butcher of the other part, **Witnesseth** that whereas
- ⁷ Mary Lawson of Theasby in the parish of Aisgarth in the aforesaid County
- ^{8 <[?--]>2} now pregnant with a Bastard Child at the request of the sd
- ⁹ Edward Hassletine by and with the Consent of the said Matthias Wea[therhead]³
- 10 and other the Leaseholders <[?--]>4, and pri[?--]5
- ¹¹ Inhabitants within the <said> Mannoure of Sawley and Tosside in the County afores^d
- ¹² is received therein in order to bear the said Child, And whereas the said Child may
- ¹³ hereafter become chargeable and troublesome to the Inhabitants of the said
- ¹⁴ Mannour. Now this Indenture Witnesseth that the said Edward
- ¹⁵ Hassletine as well as for securing and indempnifying the Inhabitants of and from
- ¹⁶ all and all manner of Costs Charges, Damages, and Expenses whatsoever which
- ¹⁷ shall or may at any time hereafter happen, arise, or be occasioned to them by
- ¹⁸ the said Child being born within the said Mannour, as also for and in consideracon
- ¹⁹ of the sume of five shillings, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, hath
- ²⁰ Demised granted bargained Sold, Assigned and transferred, and by theis presents doth
- ²¹ Demise grant bargain sell Assign and transfer unto the said Matthias Weatherhead
- ²² his Executors Administrators & Assignes All that one Dwelling house scituate in

¹ Probably Thoresby

² Illegible word crossed through

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- ²³ Kilnsey aforesaid together with one garth or garden, and all other the Appurtenances
- ²⁴ whatsoever thereunto belonging, now in the possession of the s^d Edward Hassletine, his
- ²⁵ Assignes or Undertenants. And the Reversion & Reversions, Remainder & Remainders, Rents
- ²⁶ Issues & proffits of all & singular the said premises and every part thereof and also
- ²⁷ All and singular the right Title Intrest [?For osier] by [?her in] of years claim and demised whatsoever of fines
- ²⁸ the said Edward Hassletine of in to or out of the premises abovementioned or any part thereof **To have**
- ²⁹ **And to hold** the s^d premises and every part thereof with the appurtenances abovementioned and
- ³⁰ Thereby intended to be bargained and sold unto the s^d Matthias Weatherhead his Executors Adm^{rs} and Assignes
- ³¹ from the day of the date hereof for dividing and untill the rest residue & remainder of the term of 2000 yeares yet to
- ³² come & unexpyred therein be fully Compleat finished & ended yielding & paying therefore yearly unto the Lord or
- ³³ Lords of the Fee or Fees thereof such Rents & services as are due & of right accustomed to be paid done & performed
- ³⁴ for & in respect thereof. And the s^d Edward Hassletine doth for himself his Heires Exêc^{rs} and Adm^{rs} Covenent promise
- ³⁵ grant and agree to and with the s^d Matthias Weatherhead his Exêc^{rs} Adm^{rs} and Assignes in manner following that
- ³⁶ is to say that he the s^d Matthias Weatherhead his Exêc^{rs} Adm^{rs} & Assignes shall & may from time to time and at
- ³⁷ all times hereafter during the rest Residue & Remainder of the s^d Term of 2000 yeares peaceably & quietly have
- ³⁸ hold use occupy possess and enjoy the s^d premises, with all & every the appurtenances without the lawful
- ³⁹ let suit trouble molestation or disturbance of the s^d Edward Hassletine his Heires Exêc^{rs} and Admīnis[trators]⁶
- ⁴⁰ or any other person or persons whatsoever. Provided alwayes nevertheless and its hereby agreed to be
- ⁴¹ the true interest & meaning of these presents and the parties thereunto that in case the said Bastard
- ⁴² Child shall not at any time hereafter become chargeable or troublesome to the Inhabitants within

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- ⁴³ the said Mannour of Sawley wth Tosside and that they incurr no Loss or, damages by reason or [?means]
- ⁴⁴ of its being born there that then this present Indenture and every Clause sentence and article
- ⁴⁵ therein contained shall be utterly void frustrate and of none effect to all intents & purposes
- ⁴⁶ whatsoever. **In Witness** whereof the parties abovenamed to the parts of this Indenture
- ⁴⁷ have interchangeably put their hands and seals the day and year first abovewritten
- ⁴⁸ Sealed Signed and delivered being
- ⁴⁹ first duly stampt in the presence of Edward [seal] Haseltine
- ⁵⁰ Tho: Gelderd.
- 51 John Binns

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1 C.P.40.\1728/\8/

2 Indr. Hasseltine of Kilnsey

3 Weatherhead of Giggleswick

4 ho. In Ki. As bond for bastard

5 \ C.P.40 /

6 \ 40 /

7 Cuth: Wade Esqrs free Rent att Arnclif7

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|-----------------------------------|---------|-----|
| 9 Jnº Jonson | 1 | 5 |
| 10 Rowland Jonson | 0 | 1/2 |
| 11 Jnº Wood or Land Ladys | 3 | 9 |
| 12 Tho. Toster | 1 | 2 |
| 13 W ^m Sigweeck | 0 | 5 |
| 14 Tho. Topham | 0 | 3 ¾ |
| 15 Hen: Atkinson Esq ^r | 0 | 3 ¾ |
| 16 Jnº Preston | [blank] | |
| 17 [?Al] Nelson | 0 | 3 |
| 18 Mr ^s Tenant | 0 | 1 ½ |
| 19 Ch ^{rs} Hamen | 0 | 2 ½ |

⁷ Lines 7 onwards are written in a later hand, and appears to be hastily written notes which are completely unrelated to the Bastardy bond, which seems to be used here as a piece of scrap notepaper to calculate rent payments 27/05/2020 Trans.Les Hardy Kilnsey/ Transcriptions/NYCRO-ZM-8 1728.doc 3

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| 20 Jnº Preston & Fra Petty | 0 | 6 |
|----------------------------|---|-----|
| 21 Ri ^d Hamon | 0 | 4 ½ |
| 22 James Elison | 0 | 3 |
| 23 Fr: Gill | 0 | 2 ½ |
| 24 Jnº Ward for [?his] own | 0 | 1 8 |
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⁸ There are several rough arithmetical sums (additions) scribbled below 27/05/2020 Trans.Les Hardy Kilnsey/ Transcriptions/NYCRO-ZM-8_1728.doc