

The Kiplings of Pitcherhouse

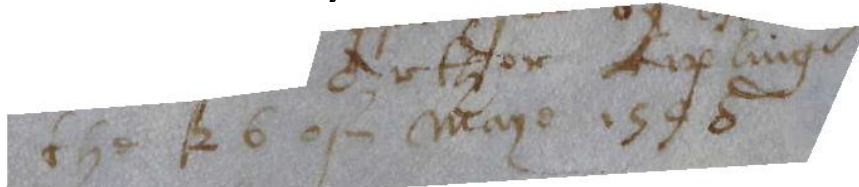
				Arthur W1 (-1624 P)	=(1594) Margaret Kipling (-1627) W1				
Margaret W1 (1596-)	Anthony W1 (1598-1646)	=(1629) Maria Coates	John (1600-)	Lionel W1 W2 (1603-73) Westwick	=Mary W2	Michael W1 (1606-)	Jennet W1 (1608-)	Elizabeth W1 (1610-)	
Arthur A1 (1631-78) =(1650)	Anthony? A2 Northallerton =(1691 Brompton)	Elizabeth (1633-)	John (1636-)	Tobias A2 (1639 P- ?) Richmond	Charles A2 (1643P -94?) Bedale	Arthur W2 (1638 BC- 94)	Ann W2 (1642 BC-)	=(1674 Gainford) George Blenkinsop	
Margaret Jackson of Hury (-1699) A1	Jane Wilkinson		?	=(1682 Grinton) Margaret Alderson	= Anne (-1694)	dsp			
	John (1692-)	Charles (1695-95)		Jane (1686-)					
Anthony (1651P-) Gateshead?	Mary (1653-)	Henry A1 (1655P-)	Charles (1659P-61P)	Jennet (1661P-)	William (1664P-)	Michael (1668-70)	Elizabeth (1670-)	Tobias (1674-75)	Lionell (1676-) ?
		Margaret (1687-)	Ann (1689-)	Edward (1691P- 1756?)					

Arthur Kipling (? – 1623)

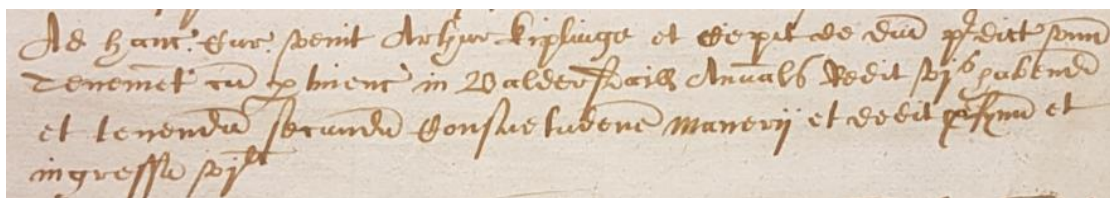
The first known reference to Pitcherhouse Farm in Baldersdale in connection with the Kipling family is in January 1623 (old calendar) when “Arthurius Kiplinge de Pitcherhouse” was buried at Romaldekirk parish church.¹

Arthur had married Margaret Kipling at Romaldekirk in 1594 and their children were Margaret (1596- poss.1649), Anthony (1598), John (1600), Lionel (1603), Michael (1606), Jennet (1608) and Elizabeth (1610).

In 1598, Arthur had been one of the appraisers of the inventory of George Tinkler of Scoonbank. The inventory included a debt of 4s owed to a John Kipling.

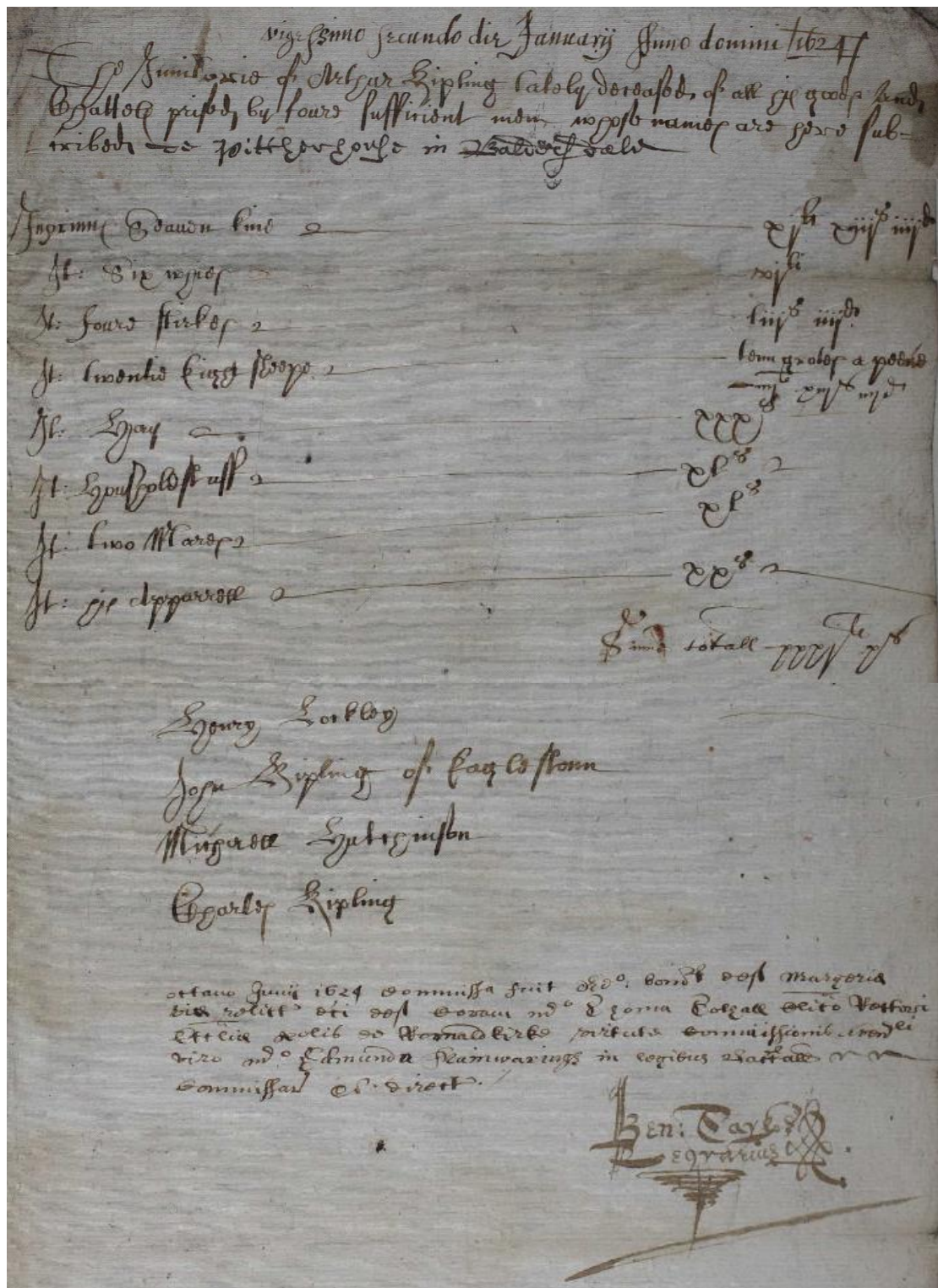


There was also a reference to him in 1616 entering into a tenement for the yearly rent of 6s and in 1622 he served on the manor jury.



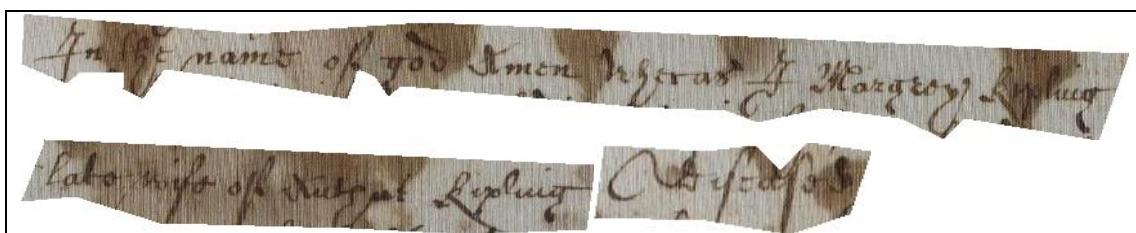
¹ It is possible that Arthur was the son of Anthony Kipling of Newhouses (and later Dalehead) who had died in 1572 (see ‘The Kiplings of Baldersdale’) as the tradition of eldest sons’ being alternative Anthonies and Arthurs seems to have been followed.

An inventory was taken of Arthur's possessions after his death and administration granted to Arthur's widow Margaret.



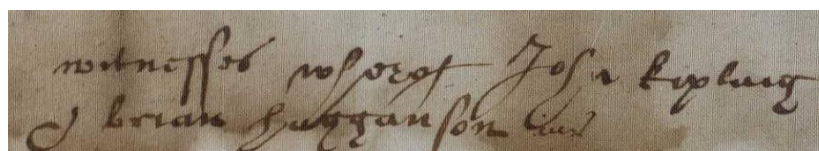
His wealth consisted largely of the value of his cows and sheep, totalling £31 10s. Two of the appraisers of his estate were John Kipling of Eggleston (see 'The Kiplings of Middleton') and Charles Kipling.

In 1627, his widow Margaret died, leaving a will.



In it she gave various farm animals to her family, and a lamb to each of daughter Margaret's three daughters and brother John's three sons. She named sons Michael (who gets a black colt), Lionel (a mare and a foal) and Anthony (ten ox stirks) and her "two younger daughters". There is no mention of son **John**, so he may have died before 1627

Anthony and Michael were named as executors and a witness was a John Kipling (probably Margaret's brother – but seemingly not the same writing as John of Egglestone above).

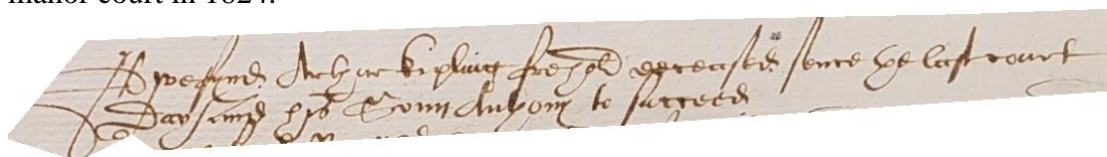


The other witness, Brian Hugganson (of Hury), had married daughter Margaret at Romaldekirk in 1619.

Lionel later farmed at Westwick east of Barnard Castle (see 'The Kiplings of Westwick'). It is not known what happened subsequently to **Michael**.

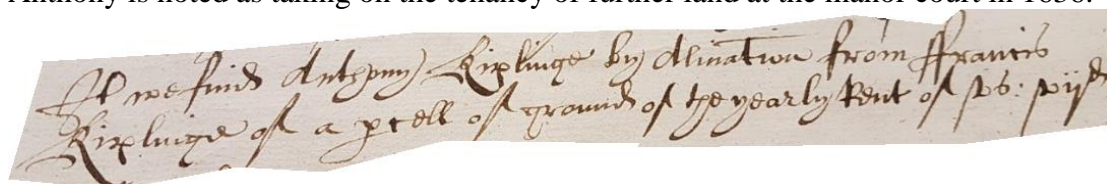
Anthony Kipling (1598 -1646)

Anthony, as the eldest son, inherited the tenancy of Pitcherhouse, confirmed at the manor court in 1624.



He married Maria Coates of Arkengarthdale at Romaldekirk in 1629. Their children were Arthur (1631), Elizabeth (1633), John (1635), Tobias (1639) and Charles (1643). The records of the final two baptisms mention Pitcherhouse.

Anthony is noted as taking on the tenancy of further land at the manor court in 1636.



He also served on manor court juries in 1626, 1636, 1637, 1638 and 1641

Son **Charles** possibly later lived in Bedale, where he was a fellmonger (a dealer in leather). He died in 1694, his wife Ann having predeceased him the same year, and administration was granted to his brother, Anthony Kipling, limeburner of Northallerton. A debt to 'Toby' Kipling of Richmond is mentioned in his inventory and Tobias (also a fellmonger) and Anthony (and a John Calvert) provided the bond for the administration (see 'The Kiplings of Swaledale').

Tobias, of Richmond, married Margret Alderson at Grinton in 1682 and had a daughter Jane at Richmond in 1686.

An **Anthony** (not necessarily the same one) had married a Jane Wilkinson at Brompton in 1691 and had sons John (1692) and Charles (1695, d same year) baptosed at Northallerton.

However, there is no record of an Anthony's baptism at Romalldkirk and no concrete evidence linking the three to Pitcherhouse. Brother **John** is also untraced.

Anthony senior died in 1646. However, it was not until 1650 that his tenancy passed to son Arthur.

Arthur Kipling (1631-1678)

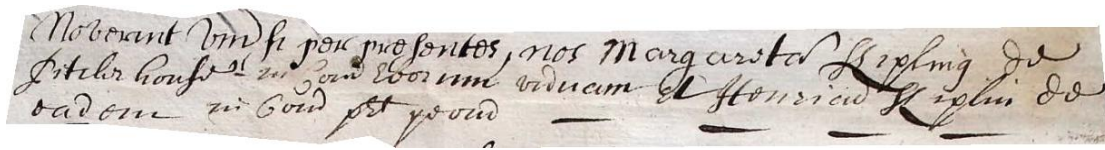
Arthur married Margaret Jackson of Hury in 1650 and had children Anthony (1651), Mary (1653), Henry (1654), Charles (1659-61), Jennet (1661), a male child (1663-1663), Willliam (1665-67), Michael (1668-70), Eliz (1670), Tobias (1674-75) and Lionel (1676). The records of the first six baptisms mention Pitcherhouse.

In 1664 and 1678 , he was one of the appraisers of the inventories of Henry Dodsworth of West Park and Francis Kipling of Blackton respectively.

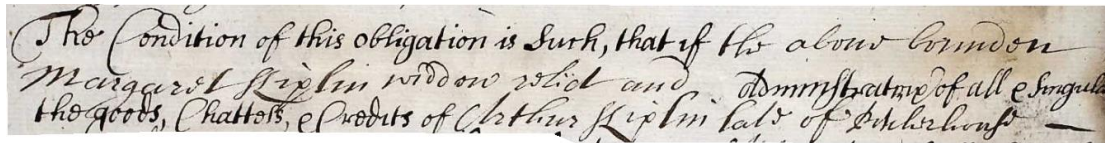
In 1672, he was mentioned in his father-in-law, Henry Jackson of Hury. Wife Margaret received a small legacy.

Arthur died in December 1678 and it is recorded "Buried in woollens. Arthur Kipling ... whose relatives made Affidavit According to the late Act in that Case".

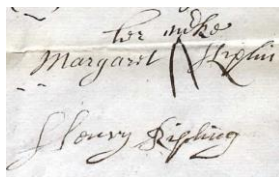
Administration was granted to widow Margaret and son Henry also provided the bond.



Noterant vniuersi presentes, nos Margareta Kipling de
Pitcherhouse vidua et Henricus Kipling de
eadem in bono p[ro]p[ri]o

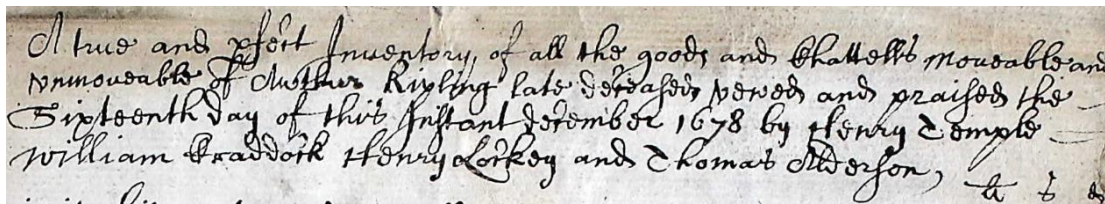


The Condition of this obligation is such, that if the above bounden
Margaret Kipling widow shall and Administratrix of all & singular
the goods, Chattels, & Credits of Arthur Kipling late of Pitcherhouse



Margaret Kipling
Henry Kipling

His inventory totalled £61 11s, the majority of value arising from farm animals.

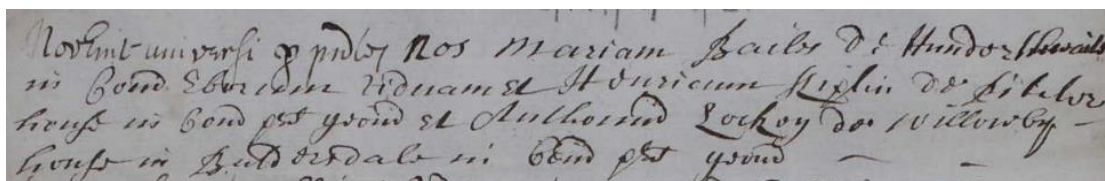


A true and exact Inventory, of all the goods and Chattels moveable and
immovable of Arthur Kipling late of Sedburgh parson and parished the
Sixteenth day of this Instant December 1678 by Henry Compton
William Bradock Henry Lockett and Thomas Alderson, &c

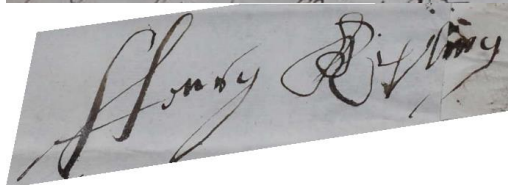
Margaret died in 1699.

Henry Kipling married Ann Dent in 1683. They had children Margaret (1687), Ann (1689) and Edward (1691). Pitcherhouse was only noted on Edward's baptism record.

In 1686, Henry provided a bond for the administration of the estate of Edward Bayles of Hunderthwaite. He also appraised his inventory.



Noterant vniuersi presentes Nos Mariam Bayles de Hunderthwaite
in bono edicere viduam et Henricum Kipling de Pitcherhouse
in bono p[ro]p[ri]o et Antholin Lockett de Willowby
in bono edicere in bono p[ro]p[ri]o

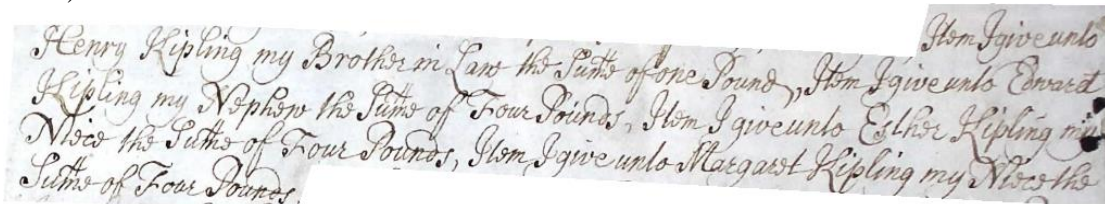


Henry Kipling

Wife Ann died in 1693. The same year, Henry was summoned to appear at the North riding Quarter-sessions "to keep the peace towards William Lind of Baldersdale" along with George Race and Anthony Lockety.

239. Henry Kipling of Pitcher-House, Baldersdale, William Wade of Dalton,
John Heslopp of Newsham : Henry Kipling's appearance to receive
what the Court may enjoin and to keep the peace as above
10 March 1693/4

Henry was mentioned in the 1717 will of George Dent of Hagworm Hall (proven in 1721).



Henry Kipling my Brother in Law the Sum of one Pound, I give unto
Kipling my Nephew the Sum of Four Pounds, I give unto
Niece the Sum of Four Pounds, I give unto Margaret Kipling my Niece the
Sum of Four Pounds, I give unto

Esther Kipling (presumably a daughter of Henry) has not otherwise been traced.²

Henry may have died in 1728 (“weaver”) or 1731 (“Baldersdale”).³ Son Edward may have been the “poor man of Lunedale” who was buried at RK in 1756.

Lionel cannot be traced.

An **Anthony** Kipling married a Mary Spencer at Gateshead in 1677. This could possibly be Arthur’s eldest son. Anthony had children Tobias (1678, possibly named after his recently deceased brother), Jane (1679), Alice (1681) and Anthony (1683) all at Gateshead.

However, an Anthony Kipling also had children Mary (1680), John (1682) and, again, John (1691) baptised at Romalldkirk. None of the records name a farm.

An Anthony of Gateshead had further children (after a gap of eleven years, if the same as above) John (1691), Margaret (1693), Mary and Anthony (1695), Henry (1698) and Grace (1701).

It is unclear what happened this/these Anthonys afterwards (but see Mickleton in ‘The Kiplings of 18th and 19th century Baldersdale’).

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The next parish record to refer to Pitcherhouse is in 1719, when William, the son of Jonathan and Grace Kipling is baptised (Jonathan had married Grace Raine in 1713 and was of the Dalehead branch). They had a further son, John, at Pitcherhouse in 1722.

² Neither is niece Ann is mentioned in the will. Was she known as Esther, perhaps, or had died, or had been given a gift on marriage?

³ See also Henry of Dalehead.

In 1723, John, the son of Tobias and Bridget Kipling of Pitcherhouse was baptised (Tobias, aka Talbot, had married Bridget Lockety in 1698 when they were both living in Cotherstone). Tobias himself died in 1731. This Tobias could be the one the one born at Gateshead in 1678 or possibly the Tobias of Scoonbank born 1654.

The two families above are told in “18th and 19th Century Baldersdale Kiplings”.

The next entry is not until 1777, when William, the son of William and Elizabeth was baptised. A son John followed in 1781 and daughters Margaret and Nancy in 1786 and 1789. See “Pitcherhouse 1911” for their story.