

Estate memoranda and accounts of Anthony Morris Storer of Purley Park, 1793-1822.
(1 vol)

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| 1 | Copies of estate documents and letters, made by Anthony Morris Storer [owner of Purley Park] relating to part of his estate at Purley, 1793-1796.
(Subsequently used (reversed) for accounts of wages paid to labourers and servants [at Tilehurst], 1813, 1822. Cover labelled Tilehurst Farm Book 8. The volume has been paginated, numbering the reversed section first.)
[Anthony Morris Storer purchased Purley Magna manor from John Martindale in 1793. He died in 1799, leaving it to his nephew Anthony Gilbert Storer. The Tilehurst property is less clearly identifiable. For a calendar of the volume's contents, see Appendix I.] | 1 vol | 1793-1822 |
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Appendix ICalendar of D/EX 2066/1

- pp.3-19 Accounts of wages paid to named labourers and servants (many female) [at Tilehurst], February-December 1813.
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- pp.22-54 Accounts of wages paid to named labourers, with some receipts for rent and sale of crops, October-December 1822.
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- pp.57-61 Survey of Purley Magna [manor or estate] belonging to John Martindale, and let to Mr Ludlow (formerly to Mr Sherwood), 1793 (includes names of tenants of cottages).
- pp.62-68 Copy of court roll of Purley Magna manor (court baron, comprising perambulation of the manor boundaries), 1786 (copy n.d. [but almost certainly 1793]).
- pp.69-72 Blank.
- pp.73-74 Copy letter from H Hodgson of Reading to Matthias Deane concerning a dispute over the right to fish at Purley, 23 February 1788. (Mentions Robert Mackreth [lord of the manor before John Martindale].)
- p.75 Copy letter from Edward Sherwood to Anthony Morris Storer accepting the lease of [Purley Farm], 17 September 1793.
- p.76 Copy letter from Townley Wood to Anthony Morris Storer concerning the same, 22 September 1793.
- pp.77-79 Copy agreement for Anthony Morris Storer to let [Purley Farm] to Edward Sherwood, with additional notes, 1793.
- p.80 Copy letter from A M Storer to Humphrey Repton mentioning delay in plans [for alterations to Purley Park?], 1 February 1794.
- p.81 Copy letter from Henry Allnutt on behalf of the Thames Navigation Commissioners concerning the status of land used for a towing path along the River Thames at Purley, 25 January 1794.
- pp.82-85 Copy letter from Matthias Deane to Francis Annesley, MP, concerning the same, 28 January 1794.
- p.86 Copy list of tools and movable goods at Purley belonging to Anthony Morris Storer and handed to George Reynolds, 1794.
- p.87 Copy land tax assessment for Purley, 1794.
- p.88 Copy promissory note of Benjamin Cottrell for the use of Mr Storer's meadow called the Hascut, 1794.
- pp.89-90 Copy agreement for Anthony Morris Storer to let the farm to Edward Sherwood, 1794, with notes.
- pp.91-92 Copy agreement for John Martindale of Cookham, esquire, to let a farm at Purley to Sarah Sherwood, widow of John Sherwood, 1792.

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- p.93 Copy attestations sworn before the mayor of Reading 1794: by James Swallow that he never promised any money to Jos[eph] Golden for any business done for Anthony Morris Storer, and by William P Swallow that he delivered trees and shrubs to Jos[eph] Golden on behalf of Mr Storer.
- pp.94-95 Copy extract of letter from George Reynolds to A M Storer, with account of flood at Purley, 16 February 1795.
- p.96 Blank.
- pp.97-99 Copy letter from Anthony Morris Storer to Henry Allnutt giving the Thames Navigation Commissioners notice to quit a "yeate" taken from a meadow [adjoining the towing path], 11 July 1795.
- pp.100-103 Draft survey of estate, with notes, n.d. [1795-1796].
- p.104 Memorandum of placing in Purley Church of a memorial tablet to Thomas Storer, father of Anthony Morris Storer, 1796.
- p.105 Rough notes of landowners, acreages and rent in Purley, n.d. [c.1796].