**MABLEY APPENDIX to Analysing Thomas MYLLS alias KENDALL’s 1605 Will**

MABLEY is, apparently, an English name, from French, with possible origin near to NP in Northants: <https://www.surnamedb.com/Surname/Mabley>. A Walter MABLEY (of N Crawley) was a constant in the Quaker records of Leighton MM (from late 1640s-50s) and there were MABLEYs at Sherington, as well as N Crawley and NP. The name of Luke MABLEY doesn’t appear at FMP (searched all records 1538-1618) except in 1613, in a child’s burial at nearby Hanslope, son of Thomas MABLEY.

Variants of the name include MAPLEY, MAPERLEY etc and MABLE.

I only found one ref in Discovery for Luke MABLEY (this is one we have on file already):

**Northants Archives** ref W6207 (14 Jul 1638) – the WYKES (Haselbeech) Collection – Title Deeds – Westons Farm &c: Indenture Covenant to stand seised. 1. Agnes SOME of Newport Pagnell widow; 2. Nathaniell SOME of Hasselbeech gent; 3. Joseph SOME of NP gent; 4. David SOME of Oxford University gent, as regards Haddon in Haslebeech (40a) occupied by Wm WIKES & pasture in Branckley (40a) occupied by J. WIKES. to use of 4. as regards Maidehill (40a) occ. Nathl SOME, & Furbushlong (40a) occ. J. WIKES to use of (1) for life in lieu of dower & then to (2).

as regards Sandpitts Close (1½a) occ. J. PARKER, a messuage occ. Nath. SOME, 6 acres of pasture, 'Fiveacres' close (40a) occ. N.S, & Harborowe way close (20a) occ. N.S. & all other lands late Ri SOME. To use of (2). as regards parcel of leayes in Cranfeilde, Beds called Garners land (10a) occ. Geo UTTON, messuage in Fenny Stratford, Bucks, being a corner house occ. J. MOOREBYE called The White Horse, messuage in Tickford in parish of Newport Pagnell once occ. Thos REYNOLDS, & now of Steven WILLIAMSON, & close (1a) & messuage in Tickford & all houses &c. belonging once occ. Ri GOODWYN, Raphe PICKERINGE & Edwd NEWCOMBE & late of Wm HARTLEY, & 2 yardlands in T., once occ. Rt ANNESLEY, T. ANNESLEY, & James ANNESLEY, & now occ. Joseph SOME & Wm HARTLEY & J. KNIGHT & also all those lands called Lytchfeilds in T & N P, Chicheley, Great Linford, Little Linford, & Caldecott & all messuages &c. in N P occ. Bartholomew FRITH & now occ. **John CONINGHAM** & **Luke MABLEY**, & 2 messuages in N P occ. J. COMENDALE & now occ. J. COLES & Steven MARSHALL, ½ acre of arable in the Port Feilds of N P on a furlong in Pitwell Feilde called Langfurlonge purchased of Thos BARNES & Anthony POTTER & 3 cottages in Tickford occ. J. KNIGHT, J. MITCHELL, & Ri SOME & the Belhouse & yard in Tickford - the inheritance & freehold of Ri SOME: to use of (3)

Some other MABL(E)Y refs:

**Worcs RO** have a quitclaim of 6 Jan 1387/8 naming Joan, wife of William MABLY of Aylesbury.

**TNA** C 8/36/115 (1627) Six Clerks Office, Pleadings before 1714 (Mitford): Plaintiff: **Walter MABLEY**; defendants: Richard KILPIN & John GLOVER. Property in North Crawley, Bucks. Bill only

**Oxford History Centre**: LSN/II/iii/8 (7 Nov 1661) LOWNDES-STONE-NORTON family – Deeds & papers rel. to Bucks estates – Bonds &c rel to various members of the GREGORY family of North Crawley, Bucks: Relase? 1. John CORBIT of North Crawley, Bucks, moaltster; 2. William SEER of Greate Harewood, Bucks yeoman. 1. conveys to 2. an acre of arable land in a piece of enclosed land called Crouches (3a) in the parish of N Crawley; which 1a was left to 1. & the remainder to **Mary MABLY** of N Crawley widow for life (reversion to 2. + wife elizabeth & heirs) by **Josias MABLY** late husband of Mary decd by his will dated 7 Dec 1660. 1.+ wife Ann quitclaims 2. of the property; property to be held of the chief lords of the fee; 1. binds himself in £5 for the performance of the covenance contained in the deed. Consideration 40s. Wits: Tho GREGORY; Tho DUDLEY; Raphe ANNESLEY

**Beds RO** ref FR24/19/2 (22 Jan 1689/90) Society of Friends – Individual Properties – Sherrington: Conveyance (or trust deed). 1. Jas BRIERLY, Hen GLIDWELL, **Walt MABLEY**; 2. Wm MARKES of N Crawley yeoman, Richard MARKES of Sherrington, blacksmith, Robt NEWMAN of N Crawley shoemaker, Wm CHURCH of N Crawley carpenter, Joseph YORKE of N Crawley grazier, Mat ROPER of Olney grocer, Tho CUNNINGHAM of Newport butcher, Tho MARSHALL jnr of Sherrington grocer (s of Ste), Edward COOPER of Newport grocer (s of Ste), Tho SMITH of Olney grocer (s of Ste): 40 acres in Sherrington, abutting N on the common field, E to James BRIERLY, West to the pightle occupied by Geo CHAPMAN and S to the room hereafter mentioned; - room 40 x 22 ft as before. – stable. Wits: Geo & Joseph MASON.

*Looks like the trustees for a Quaker meeting house at Sherington newly registered after the 1689 Toleration Act; many names familiar from my transcripts of Quaker CMBs]*

WILLS at Bucks RO

1537 Robert MABLEY of North Crawley (DAWe 3 220)

1564 Walter MABELY husbandman of North Crawley (DAWe 15 19)

1568 John MABLYE yeoman of Hanslope (DAWe 16 70; DAWf 6 320)

1575 Richard MAPLE husbandman of Soulbury (DAWe 17 120; DAWf 7 283K)

1580 Margaret MABLEY widow of North Crawley (DAWf 9 48)

1597 John MABLE of March End, Newport Pagnell (DAWe 19 110; DAWf 13 282)

1597 William MABLEY servant of Haddenham, servant to Richard BECKE snr (DAWf 13 279)

1606 Robert MABLEY of Newport Pagnell, died of plague, nuncup (DAWf 17 74)

1612 Lawrence MABLYE yeoman of Hanslope (DAWe 24 214; DAWf 19 212)

1636 John MABLY of Chicheley (DAWe 149 15)

1649 Walter MABLY yeoman of North Crawley (DAWe 37 263; DAWf 37 235)

Thomas MABELLEY was a witness to the 1709 PCC Will of John BLACKLOCK laceman of NP (among the Scotch Chapman but possibly a Cumbrian family)

Widow Ann CHRISTIE (Scottish family) of Newport Pagnell’s Will proved 1713, written 1705, names her “cousin Thomas MAPLEY’s wife” as beneficiary, and also a Goody MABLEY, who may be the same person.

**Oathtakers of 1723**

Thomas MABLEY of Dinton (signed)

William MABLEY of Ellesborough (X)

Anne MABLEY of Dinton (X)

**Quarter Sessions**

12 Jan 1681/2 Walter MABLEY of North Crawley, absent from church 1 month (same guy named 9 more times 1683-6, this will be the Quaker). Matthew MABLEY of N Crawley named 9 Oct 1684 (no details given)

Elizabeth MAPELEY was a member of NP Independent Meeting between 1709 and 1725.