

freed him from training, watching and warding" [Pynchon Court 250, citing HamCCR 1:4-6].

*ESTATE*: On 2 November 1635, "granted to William Hannum to have one acre of meadow ground in the fresh marsh" in Dorchester [DTR 13]. On 4 January 1635/6, granted sixteen acres for a Great Lot "at the bounds betwixt Roxbury and Dorchester" [DTR 14]. On 18 February 1635/6, granted one acre of meadow in "the fresh marsh nearest the town" [DTR 15]. Granted two acres, Lot #41, in the Meadow beyond Naponset River [DTR 321].

On 10 September 1637, the town of Dorchester granted to "William Hannam that part of the swamp lying over against his house" [DTR 24]. On the same day, "William Hammon of Dorchester, together with the consent of my wife," sold to "Jonas Humfrey of Dorchester my house and homelot of 3 acres belonging thereunto, with the corn and all other fruit upon together with the swamp before the door, and also with plot of land that is my right & proper due and is to be taken at the west end of my homelot, next unto Roxberry, my meadow ground promised at the fresh marsh the value of one acre or thereabouts with my great lot and all other rights in commons or allotments that shall hereafter be allotted" [NEHGR 40:254, transcribing original deed; DTR 24].

In the Windsor land inventory on 28 February 1640[/1], "William Hannum hath granted from the plantation a homelot three-quarters of an acre ..., also on the west side of the street, on the plain, and running over the swamp, six acres ..., also on the Great Meadow, three acres and half" (annotated "exchanged to Robert Winchell," perhaps applying to all three parcels, but perhaps only to the first) [WiLR 1:87r]. "William Hannum hath purchased of Eady Tilly one parcel of land containing two acres and quarter ..., as also purchased of Thomas Buckland land on Sandy Bank, three acres three quarters ..., also purchased of Walter and Nicholas Hoyte twenty acres of land" [WiLR 1:87r]. "William Hannum hath purchased of Samuell Rockwell one parcel of land on the west side of the street, in quantity two acres and half" (annotated "sold to Richard Saxton") [WiLR 1:87v].

In his will, dated 15 May 1677 and proved 25 September 1677, "W[illia]m Hannam of Northampton" bequeathed "my houses & lands of all sorts with all their appurtenances to my well beloved son John Hannam to be his own forever on these conditions, viz: he paying all my just dues & allowing me an honorable funeral and pay to my daughter Sacket forty shillings and to my daughter Mary Aline five pounds and to my daughter Elizabeth twelve pounds and to allow his mother my well beloved wife comfortable maintenance during her life, which condition