

# Court Rolls of the Manor of Tottenham in the Parish of St Pancras, Middlesex.

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Guildhall Sequence MS 25, 346/4

**Court 43**

**1322**

**Court held there on Monday next after the Feast of the Epiphany of the Lord, in the fifteenth year of the reign of King Edward [11 January 1322]**

Essoins

[John Baldewyne Junior](#) [essoined] in common by [John](#), son of [John ate Forde](#)  
[Mathew Eget](#) in common by [John le Cartere](#)

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[Henry de Sachford/Sethford](#), tenant of the lands formerly/lately of [John a Godesname](#) gives 6d to the Lord for having respite of suit of court for a whole year together.

[Alice](#), daughter of Simon Randolf, surrenders into the hands of the Lord one cottage, together with two and a half acres of arable land, with the appurtenances, which the said Alice had by inheritance of the said Simon, in the vill of [Kentessetoun](#) to the use of John le Porter. And the steward seises thereof the aforesaid John, saving the right of whosoever to have and to hold to himself and his heirs issuing from the bodies of the same John and Alice. And if the aforesaid John and Alice should die without issue of their bodies lawfully begotten, the aforesaid tenement, with its appurtenances shall revert to the direct/right heirs of the said Alice. And the same John did fealty to the Lord and he gives to the Lord for entrance 12d.

Now it is ordered as on many occasions to retain in the hands of the Lord the land formerly of [Robert Walter](#) until etc.

[John de Mareys](#) surrenders into the hands of the Lord once acre of arable land, with the appurtenances in la [Kentessetoun](#), which he formerly had by the gift of [Adam ate Pyrie](#) senior, to the use of [Richard ate Pyrie](#). And the steward seises thereof the aforesaid Richard, saving the right of whosoever, performing the services therefore owed and accustomed. And he gives to the Lord for entrance ?6d

Total 2s

**Guildhall Sequence MS 25,346/4**

**Court 44**

**1322**

**Court held there on Monday the Feast of St Peter in Cathedra, in the fifteenth year of the reign of King Edward [22 February 1322]**

Essoins

Thomas Broun [essoined] in common by William Broun

John Baldewyne in common by John le Caret? [Carter]

John atte Forde in common by John, his son

Adam atte Pyrye Junior, in common by Adam, his father

Alice, who was the wife of Henry Cok, claims against Stephen Coleman a third part of one acre of arable land, with the appurtenances in la Kentessetoun, as the dower of the same aforesaid Alice, by the death of the same Henry, formerly/lately her husband etc. And Stephen comes and denies etc. And he therefore calls to warranty John le Monner of Ely to have in his trial here until the next court.

Robert son of Robert Walter comes and claims the land formerly/lately of the aforesaid Robert, which is in the hands of the Lord, as the son and heir of the aforesaid Robert etc. And the aforesaid Robert the son etc gives to the Lord 6d for having an enquiry as to whether or not he is the nearest heir of Robert. An enquiry having been held on this matter, they say that the aforesaid Robert is the right heir. Therefore seisin of the land is delivered to him and he gives to the Lord for a relief 4d. Pledge William Coleman.

Phillip Dykeman holds of the Lord arable land and meadow at rent, by the demise of Adam atte Pirie, and because the same Phillip has granted the said tenement ?in Common and in contempt of the Lord, it is asked to take into the hands of the Lord the said arable land and meadow until he satisfies the Lord concerning the said contempt.

Alice, who was the wife of Henry Kok, attorns William, her son against Stephen Coleman concerning a plea of dower.

**Guildhall Sequence MS 25,346/4**

**Court 45**

**1322**

**Court held there on Monday next before the Feast of the Annunciation of the Blessed Mary, in the fifteenth Year of the reign of King Edward [22 March 1322]**

John le Monner de Ely whom Stephen Coleman calls to warrant against Alice, who was the wife of Henry Cok, concerning a plea of dower.

John atte Forde [essoined] in common by Michael atte Forde

Alice, who was the wife of Henry Cok, by attorney appears against Stephen Coleman in a plea of dower and John le Monner of Ely whom the said Stephen Coleman thereof calls to warranty is essoined as above and has a day until the next court.

It is ordered as on other occasions to distraint [Philip Dykeman](#) to answer the Lord concerning a contempt.

[William](#), the son of [Henry Cok](#), has been removed from the office of [Woodward](#). And the whole soke/suit has elected [John atte Grene](#) to the performance of the same office.

[William Coleman](#), [John de ?Canerion](#), [John atte Grene 2d](#), [William Bartram 2d](#), [John de Mareys](#) made default 2. Therefore they are in mercy.

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[William](#), the son of [Henry Cok](#), the [Woodward](#) of the Lord, is accused that ... to have done much damaged in the Lord's wood at the ?season of faggots, in the fourteenth year of the reign of King Edward, and also at other times in the same year. And in the year of the reign of the same King next following, there having been carried away by him and others from the wood of the Lord as many large ... as faggots at his will and to the great damage of the Lord. To whom being present ... which Court ?having been sworn on this matter ... [Adam ate Pirie Junior](#), Robert ... on their oath that the same .... in London two ... the same Wood.

#### **Guildhall Sequence MS 25,346/5**

##### **Court 46**

**1330**

**Court of the Prebend of Tottenhall there on Friday next after the Feast of St Barnabas the Apostle in the fourth year of the reign of King Edward 15 June 1330]**

Essoins

[Thomas Broun](#) [essoined] in common by [John Reysonn](#)

[The roll illegible in parts due to creasing, dirt, rubbing. No apparent signs, however, that it has ever formed part of a larger roll.]

Now [William Pope](#) came and did fealty to the Lord and acknowledged himself to hold of the Lord 2 acres of arable lying in [Herewardesfeld](#), and he pays annually 3d for all other services.

[John ?Vinour](#) came and did fealty to the Lord and acknowledged himself to hold of the Lord half a cottage and 2 acres of arable land at [Kentissetoun](#), and he pays annually 4d for all services except suit of court once a year.

[Nicholas Cheseman](#) did fealty to the Lord and acknowledged himself to hold of the Lord a third part of 1 cottage/cotland and 2 acres of arable land lying in the field called [?Kelbournelond](#), and he pays annually to the Lord 4d and suit of Court.

[Robert Rake](#) in the same way and acknowledged himself to hold of the Lord 1 acre of arable land lying at [?Polestbote](#) and he pays annually ... and ... once at the view.

**Richard de Godesname** complains of **Warren Broun** concerning a plea of debt, pledges of prosecution **Nicholas le ?Weler, William de ?Kesta** ... And the aforesaid Warren, being present appears against the aforesaid Richard because he came not ? on 2 consecutive occasions. Therefore he is in mercy because he is not present. And the aforesaid Warren ... *sine die*.

**John le Fuller** surrenders into the hands of the Lord 1 cottage/cotland, with a toft adjoining at **Grenestrete** iuxta **cruce** to the use of ... **Cheseman** and Lettice, his wife for the turn of the life of the same Lettice, on condition that after her death it shall remain to the right heirs of the same Nicholas, and the said Nicholas gives to the Lord for having entrance 12d and it is granted to him, and seisin is delivered to him, and he did fealty to the Lord, and acknowledged himself to hold of the Lord the aforesaid cottage/cotland and he pays annually 1d and suit of Court once a year.

**Rikelota Fikaltes** did fealty to the Lord for 1 cottage/cotland and 1 acre of arable land and she pays annually 3d and ...that...and... of the land on condition that he/she might have...

**Paul Grey** surrenders into the hands of the Lord 1 acre of arable land lying in **Puriettesham** to the use of ?**Scheps ?Warren** and ...and the aforesaid ?Scheps gives to the Lord for having entrance 8d. And seisin is delivered to him.

To the Court comes the Master of the **Hospital of St Giles** and acknowledges himself to hold of the **church of St Pancras** in 1 .... Of the aforesaid ... And ...was in arrears ... the vicar ... of the aforesaid church ... to distrain.

The **Vicar of St Pancras** gives to the Lord for having favour/consent in .... 6d

...le Baker and **John le Wite** are in mercy because they did not acknowledge ... their services as they had a day in the ....Court ....and .... That he should be at the next Court to acknowledge ... services.

#### **Guildhall Sequence MS 25,346/5**

##### **Court 47**

**1330**

**Court of the Prebend of Totenhal held there on Friday next after the Feast of St James the Apostle in the fourth year of the reign of King Edward. [27 July 1330]**

Essoins

**John Coleman** [essoined] in common by **John Reysonn** 1<sup>o</sup>

**John Baldewine** in common by ... **Digonn** 2<sup>o</sup>

.... **Sclademan** in common by **John Sclademan** 3<sup>o</sup>

....**Kesteven** in common by **John Bolom** 4<sup>o</sup>

.... ?**Richard Agodesname** surrenders into the hands of the Lord one messuage with 2 houses built thereon and all other appurtenances ... 25 acres of arable land with meadow and pasture ... messuage now and ?lands belonging to the land, to the use of **Warren Broun** and **John ?Coblington** and their heirs and assigns, which messuage ... to the said Richard after

the death of ... his father. And the aforesaid Warren and John, being present, give to the Lord for having entrance 7s to have and to hold to the aforesaid ... and arable land with meadow and pasture and all other their appurtenances by the agreement made between them. On condition that ... should hold his part to him and his heirs and assigns forever. And ... is granted to them, by the performance of the services therefore owed. And they do fealty to the Lord and acknowledge themselves to hold of the Lord ... and their appurtenances by the services therefore owed and accustomed.

**Guildhall Sequence MS 25,346/5**

**Court 48**

**1330**

**View of frankpledge of Thothenthal held on Monday next before the Feast of St Denis in the 4<sup>th</sup> year of the reign of King Edward the third since the Conquest. [8 October 1330]**

**John Andrew** did fealty and acknowledged himself to hold of the Lord and he gives to the Lord 1d annually [no details of holding]

**Simon Randolph** did fealty and acknowledged himself to hold one acre of arable land and he gives to the Lord 1d annually.

**William Broun** did fealty and acknowledges himself to hold

**Geoffrey Broun** did fealty etc

[these entries appear on 2 separate lines but are bracketed together]

And they acknowledge themselves to hold of the Lord one messuage and 10 acres of land, and they give annually 20d at the 4 terms of the year.

**Walter ?Pekot** for having respite of suit of the Lord's Court for a year, and he gives to the Lord.

**Thomas le Woodward** for the same.

The Jurors give to the Lord for a common fine 2s, so that they might not be challenged until the next.

**John Merlawe** [W John Coleman – this erased]

**John Coleman** brewed against the assize, therefore etc. 3d

The Jurors say on their oath that a certain ditch between **H Bedikes** and the Lord has not been cleansed, that is to say, at **Morwell**, to the great damage of the Lord by the default of the said H. Bedikes, therefore it is ordered to distrain on the said H.

**Adam ate Pirie** for default on cleansing a ditch at **Rustel/Ruscel** to the common damage, therefore in mercy. 3d

**Robert de Kesteven** because he did not scour one ditch at **Rustel/Russcel** and one at **Bisshop lane** and 1 ditch at ?angevin as he was ordered at the last leet. 9d.

John ate forthe for one ditch at ?stoniput in mercy 3d

Alice Slademan for 1 ditch at the doorway/gate to the nuisance/injury of the King's highway, therefore 3d

The same Alice and her son because they insulted/abused [cannot make out sense of next 3 words] in mercy 6d

John With is taken in distraint. J Mareis.

Nicholas Chesman is taken in distraint. Stephen ate Grene

Nicholas Chesman did fealty and acknowledge himself in hold of the Lord 2 acres of arable land and one messuage and he pays 5d annually.

Alice Slademan gives to the Lord for suit of Court for a year.

Total 5s 7d

**Guildhall Library MS 25,346/5**

**Court 49**

**1330**

**Court held at Tottenhale on Monday next after the Feast of All Saints in the 4<sup>th</sup> year of the reign of King Edward the third since the Conquest [5 November 1330]**

Essoins

William Broun by John Reisonn 1°

Adam ate Pirie by Stephen Dykonn 1°

John Nichole by William Randulf 1°

John Baldewine by John Wyt 1°

Walter Baker in mercy 2d because he came not to the leet.

John the Miller surrenders into the hands of the Lord 1 acre of arable land next to Couperes brok, next to the land of William Bartram and one piece of meadow in Le Rounde mede in Rusthele, lying between Robert de Kestevene and William Bartram, to the use of Robert le Carpenter and Margaret, his wife, their heirs and assigns, to have the aforesaid acre of land after the death of the said John and the said piece of meadow at once, paying therefore annually to the Lord [illegible erased words] 1½d performing the services therefore owed and accustomed, and he gives to the Lord etc.

William Hobocokes comes not therefore in mercy 2d

John, son of William Coleman, puts himself in the tithing group of John Mareis.

Matilda Baker comes not, therefore in mercy 2d

Warren Broun puts himself in the tithing group of John Coleman.

William Wyth for an offence committed by his beasts in the Lords pasture. In mercy 2d.

[Athenulph ate Nelme – erased] comes not

[John de Cobelinton for the same –erased]

### **Guildhall Sequence MS 25,3465**

#### **Court 50**

**1330**

**Court held at Tottenhal on Thursday the feast of St Lucy the Virgin, in the year abovesaid  
[13 December 1330]**

#### **Essoins**

Michael ate Forde [essoined] in common by John Atteford 1o

It is ordered to distrain Walter Pekok for an offence done to the Lord etc

William Broun comes not to guarantee the essoin, therefore amerced 2d

[John – erased] William Bartram comes not, therefore amerced 2d

John the Miller for the same. He came afterwards

Robert de Kestevene for the same. He came afterwards

Mary Coleman for the same. Amerced 2d

John Merlawe for the same. Amerced ?2d/3d

The Master of the Hospital of St Giles appears in ... for an offence done to the Lord.

John le Fuller comes not, therefore

Robert [illegible surname] for the same.

John le Wyte surrendered into the hands of the Lord one acre of arable land in Putschot, to the use of [name illegible] and his assigns, who came on the same day and received the said acre of land from the Lord, and he gave for entrance performing the services therefore owed and accustomed.

It was ordered to distrain the land [illegible Christian name] for doing suit to the Lord according to the custom etc.

### **Guildhall Sequence MS 25,346/2**

## Court 51

1332

**Court of Totenhale held there on Friday, the Feast of St Valentine in the sixth year of the reign of King Edward the third since the Conquest [14 February 1332]**

Essoins

John Coleman in common by Henry ate Grene 2<sup>o</sup>

John Mareys in common by Roger Randolf not valid because after the default [rest is illegible – first part of document damaged by dirt/rubbing and many little creases]

Now as on many occasions it is ordered to distrain Matthew de Brankebie, John de Merlawe and William Forester that they might be at the next to answer the Lord concerning default of Court etc.

Stephen ate Grene and John ate Grene ... concerning a plea of trespass on condition that the said Stephen appears.

John, vicar of the Church of St Pancras, gives to the Lord as a fine 6d for a release from his suit of Court until the Feast of St Michael next ensuing.

John Mareis in mercy for 2d for default of Court. John Meleward pardoned because he is poor. Hamo ate Welle in mercy for 3d for the like. Warren Pekoc in mercy for 4d for the like. And this because they are customary tenants.

Adam ate Pirie comes into open Court and surrenders into the hands of the Lord ?one half acre of arable land, lying in Rushleye to the use of Stephen ate Grene and Margaret his wife, and their heirs, performing for the Lord the services owed and accustomed which Stephen gives to the Lord for having entrance 4d.

An Enquiry is held by all the customary tenants of the Lord concerning damage and offences done to the Lord, who say on their oath that Stephen ate Grene .... 3 ....of....to the value of 3s. Item. They say that the said Stephen had 4 bullocks going/straying on the Lord's pasture from the time of the harvest until the Feast of St Michael, together with his sheep and pigs to the damage of the Lord. Item. They say that the said Stephen had animals of ... on the Lord's meadow.

All the Customary tenants present that John ate Pirie entered into 1 acre of customary arable land of the Lord, which was of/belonged to Agnes ate Pirie, and held the same for one whole year before this Court, and this without the Lord's permission. Therefore it is ordered to take the said land into the hands of the Lord until etc. And /finally it is ordered to distrain the said John and Agnes that they might be etc.

William Martyn, a servant of the Lord, was ordered to deliver the dower of Petronilla Nicole, according to the custom of the Manor, concerning a certain tenement of John Nichole, her husband. And the said William said that he could not carry this out because of John Hamersmyth. Therefore the said John was distrained to answer the Lord and he puts himself



in mercy 2d. And finally it is ordered that the said John should deliver to her a fair dower according to the custom etc.

Assessors [Warren Broun](#), [William de Henham](#).

Total of this Court 2s

### **Guildhall Sequence MS 25,346/2**

#### **Court 52**

**1332**

**Court held there on Thursday next before the Feast of St Ambrose in the sixth year of the reign of King Edward the third since the Conquest [2<sup>nd</sup> April 1332]**

[Matthew de Branketre](#) and Alice his wife defend/deny against [Margaret de Merlowe](#), complaining of a plea of debt, by [William de Neuneham](#).

Essoins

[Henry Randolf](#) in common by William, his son 1<sup>o</sup>

[William Broun](#) in common by [John Barnam](#) 1<sup>o</sup>

[Adam ate Pirie](#) in common by Richard, his son 1<sup>o</sup>

[Petronilla de Nicole](#) in common against [John Amersmith](#) concerning a plea of land by [Simon Deye](#). 1<sup>o</sup>

On this day came [Matthew de Branktre](#) and did fealty to the Lord.

Memorandum that [cannot make out next few words] of the lands of [John de Merlawe](#) which were taken by way of a distraint etc until the same should pay a fine.

[John Stiward](#) complains of [William ate Chirche](#) concerning a plea of trespass. Pledge of prosecution [Simon Deye](#). The same John attached by the pledge of [Adnulph ate Nelme](#) who says that he hand over ?a male pig to the said William **[cannot make out next few words – very badly written and ends of several lines here eaten away]** nor did he make any payment to him, to his damage 16d and the said William comes and acknowledges. Therefore ... in damages and in mercy 2d.

[Petronilla](#), who was the wife of [John Nicole](#) has begged and now begs the dower [blotted word] of 12 acres of arable land which formerly were of/belonged to John, her husband, according to the custom of the Manor, on which day comes [John Hamersmith](#) and Agnes his wife and they say that she claims unjustly because whilst her husband was alive, she went away in adultery with [John ate Grene](#) for a long time, wherefore she should not have her dower, and the said Petronilla says that she did not go away as they say, and she begs an enquiry and the party likewise, and they have a day at the next.

[Written in later at the end of this item] The Jurors say that the said Petronilla went away as the same John said.

[John Hamersmith](#) and Agnes, his wife, complain of [Petronilla](#) who was the wife of [John Nicole](#) that she has unlawfully entered into ... acres of arable land, with the appurtenances

in la **Kentuscheoun** and those withheld against English law after the death of the said John, her husband, who only held for the term of his life, with reversion to the said John and Agnes, his wife the plaintiffs, and the said Petronilla came and said that she entered the said land and holds it as her right but no other came forward, wherefore the aforesaid John and Agnes who, as their right, beg that the aforesaid land be awarded to them following their right request, since the aforesaid Petronilla did not oppose their right as it appears, and the aforesaid John and Agnes give to the Lord for entrance, holding of the Lord and performing the services therefore owed and accustomed.

**Margaret Merlowe** because she did not prosecute against **Matthew de Branktre** in a plea of debt, therefore she is in mercy 6d. Pledges **John Andrew** and **Hamon ate Welle**.

**Agnes ate Pirie** satisfied the Lord for 1 acre seized into the hands of the Lord. Pledge **W Cauntelo**.

**William de Donsforde** and Matilda his wife, surrendered into the hands of the Lord one plot of land in la **Kentus [toun]** containing one rood of arable land and more, and five acres of arable land in [illegible words] to the use of **Robert de Kestevne**, to have and to hold to him and his heirs and assigns, performing therefore for the Lord the services etc. Fine 3s

**John Bolom** surrenders one acre of arable land in la **Kentuseton** to the use of **Robert de Kesteven**, to have and to hold to him and his heirs and assigns etc. Fine 6d

**Agnes ate Pyrie** surrenders one acre of arable land in la **Kentusetoun** to the use of **John ate Pyrie** to have and to hold etc.

Master John, the perpetual vicar of the **church of St Pancras** surrenders one messuage with a garden in la **Kentischetoun** with two pieces of arable land in **Vollereshomfeld** containing 3 acres of arable land with a half [?acre] with the appurtenances to the use of **Stephen ate Grene** and Margaret his wife, and John their first-born son, to have etc.

The Jurors say that **Walter Pecok** comes not.

**Stephen ate Grene** because he broke down/into the pound and took out a distraint without permission is in mercy 6d

**Petronilla Nichole** in mercy 2d, **Henry Randulf** in mercy 2d and **William Randulf** in mercy 2d because they and their wives cut the Lord's hedges at **Russthele**.

**Richard Agodesname** for having an inquest of office to ascertain whether the lands and tenements which belonged to **John Agodesname**, his late father, and which belong to Margerie, his mother, now living must descend by right to him after the death of his mother, or his aforesaid mother, during her life, may alienate the said lands and tenants to whomsoever she may wish, at the will, gives to the Lord etc. Pledges **John de** [Bonynton – erased], **Cobelington** and **Warren Broun**, that they have a day until the next to reply etc who say on their oath that the said Richard is the right heir and that his mother has the right in the aforesaid tenements only for the term of her life.

[John Mareis](#) for having respite of suit of Court from the day until the Feast of St Michael next ensuing. He gives to the Lord etc.

[Stephen ate Grene](#) for an offence done to the Lord. He gives a fine of 13s 4d by the Lord's consent.

Assessors [William de Henham](#), [Warren Broun](#)

### **Guildhall Sequence MS 25,346/2**

#### **Court 53**

**1332**

**Court held there on Friday next before the Feast of St Dunstan in the sixth year of the reign of King Edward the third since the Conquest [15 March 1332]**

Essoins

[Henry Randolf](#) in common by [Stephen Fairesire](#) 2<sup>o</sup>

[William Broun](#) in common by [John Langeley](#) 2<sup>o</sup>

[John Baldwyne](#) in common by [John ate Pirie](#) 1<sup>o</sup>

[John Coleman](#) in common by [Henry ate Grene](#) 1<sup>o</sup>

[Richard de Godesname](#) comes into open court and surrenders into the hands of the Lord all the right and reversion which he has or might have in one messuage and 18 acres of arable land with all the appurtenances whatsoever, which formerly belonged to [John de Godesname](#), his father, to the use of [Henry Cros](#), and the heirs and assigns of the same Henry, who comes and gives to the Lord as a fine two shillings, that he might have and hold the said reversion of the land, according to the custom of the Manor, as will happen after the death of Margaret, who was the wife of John de Godesname.

The Jury presents that [Walter Pekok](#) [John Brouning](#) 2d and [Robert Deveneis](#) 3d owe suit and are not present. Therefore in mercy because their tenements are customary.

[William Henham](#) has entered upon the Lord's fee and therefore this tenement to be taken until the said William informs the Court by what right and in what way he entered upon the customary lands of the Lord. And likewise to take the tenement which [John the Miller](#) holds until etc as above.

[Petronilla Nichole](#) complains against [John Hamersmyth](#) and Agnes, his wife, concerning a plea of land, that unlawfully they withhold from her 3 acres of arable land, with the appurtenances in [Kentiston](#), which she claims to hold for all his life by the gift of [Joan](#), daughter of [John Hereward](#). Pledges of prosecution [John ate Forde](#) and [Adam ate Pirie](#). And therefore it is ordered to summon the said John and Agnes, that they might be at the next.

John le [surname blotted and illegible] comes into Court and by the permission of the Lord surrenders one acre of arable land with the appurtenances, which lies in [Couperesfeld](#) to the use of [John Diconn](#), to have and to hold etc. And the said John Dicon gives to the Lord

for having entrance 10d by the pledge of [John ate Forde](#) and [Stephen ate Grene](#). And he has seisin by the Steward.

[John Nichole](#) complains against [John Hamersmyth](#) and Agnes his wife, concerning a plea of land that unlawfully they withhold from him one messuage and 12 acres of arable land with the appurtenances in [Kentishton](#), which he claims to be his right and inheritance. Pledges of prosecution [John ate Forde](#), [John Meleward](#). And therefore it is ordered to summon the said John Hamersmyth and Agnes that they might be at the next to answer.

[Walter Barthelmeu](#) of [Cephigbarnet](#) comes into Court to prove ownership of a certain dappled mare and ....lost/stolen from Sunday the feast of the Invention of the Holy Cross until this day, and he proves it well and therefore by the decision of the Court it is freed to him by the pledge of [Stephen ate Grene](#) and [Adam ate Pirie](#), that they might reply thereof concerning the price, that is to say 40d ?about one animal with another versus ... for the aforesaid mare. And he gives to the Lord for custody 6d by way of a fine.

Touching the suit of [Petronilla](#), who was the wife of [John Nichole](#), plaintiff and John [Hamersmyth](#) and Agnes, his wife, defendants in a plea of dower, the Enquiry is respited until the next, to come without delay under the relevant penalty.

The whole Homage has a day until the next to inform concerning the land of [John de Godesname](#) as appears in the preceding Court concerning the articles/causes.

Assessors [William de Henham](#), [Stephen ate Grene](#)

#### **Guildhall Sequence MS 25,346/2**

#### **Court 54**

**1332**

**Court held there on Friday next before the feast of Pentecost in the sixth year of the reign of King Edward the third since the Conquest [5 June 1332]**

[John Hamersmythe](#) defends/denies against [Petronilla Nichole](#) concerning a plea of land by [Walter Bylingham](#) 1<sup>o</sup>

[Agnes](#), the wife of the same John defends/denies concerning the same by [William Blakestone](#) 1<sup>o</sup>

[John Hamersmythe](#) defends/denies against [John Nichole](#) concerning a plea of land by [Ralph Bedal](#) 1<sup>o</sup>

[Agnes](#), the wife of the same John, concerning the same by [William Nuwenham](#). 1<sup>o</sup>

[John Hamersmyth](#) [Interlined: he does not prosecute therefore in mercy] complains of [Petronilla Nichole](#) in a plea of trespass. Pledges of prosecution [Stephen ate Grene](#) and [William de Kaunteloo](#), and therefore it is appointed by bail/security and by reliable pledges that he might be etc.

[John Hamersmyth](#) [Interlined: he does not prosecute therefore in mercy] complains of [Petronilla Nichole](#) in a plea of debt. Pledges of prosecution as above.

[John Hamersmyth](#) and Agnes his wife attorn Walter de Bylynham against [Petronilla](#), who was the wife of John Nichole, in a plea of dower.

[Margaret](#) who was the wife of [Gilbert le Foghelere](#) complains of [John Hamersmyth](#) and Agnes, his wife, in a plea of dower. Pledges of prosecution [Stephen ate Grene](#) and John le Meleward.

[John Hamersmythe](#) complains of [Petronilla Nichole](#) executive of the testament of [John Nichole](#), concerning a plea of debt. Pledges of prosecution Stephen ate Grene and [William de Kauntelo](#). Therefore to summon/to be summoned. [Interlined: respited because another day was provided]

[William de Kaunteloo](#) gives to the Lord for permission to hold two acres of arable land of [Henry Sondar](#) and Margery his wife, for the term of the life of the said William and he gives to the Lord as a fine 6d.

[John le Meleward](#) de [Hampstede](#) gives to the Lord as a fine 12d that he might hold nine acres of arable land of [William Pope](#) and Rose, his wife, for the term of the life of the same John, as is contained in the Rolls of the Court held in the time of Master [James de Ispannia](#) which is attested by the custumal.

It is ordered to take into the hands of the Lord one acre of arable land which [Roger Bygot](#) holds of the Lord. And to summon the said Roger that he might be at the next to answer the Lord etc.

An Enquiry held by the oaths of [William de Kaunteloo](#) and others, swears that [Petronilla](#), who was the wife of [John Nichole](#), went away with [John ate Grene](#) as was said by [John Hamersmythe](#) in a plea of dower as appears in the Court held on Thursday before the Feast of St Ambrose in the sixth year, who say on their oath that the said Petronilla went away as is said and therefore it is adjudged by the decision of the Court that the aforesaid John his land etc and the said Petronilla in mercy by pledge. 3d

[John Hamersmythe](#) [Interlined: he withdraws, therefore in mercy] complains of [Nicholas Chesman](#) in a plea ... pledges of prosecution [Roger Bykoc](#) and [William Pope](#). Therefore it is appointed by bail/security and by reliable pledges etc.

[John de Caunterbury](#), [bookbinder](#), complains of [William Galey](#) and [Robert de Kestevene](#) concerning a plea of land. Pledges of prosecution [John Baldewine](#) and [John ate Fordere](#), and to be summoned.

[Margaret](#), who was the wife of [Gilbert le Foghelere](#) attorns [John Bolom](#) against John [Hamersmyth](#) in a plea of dower.

[Walter le Bakere](#), a customary tenant is in mercy for default of Court

[John ate Pirie](#) 2d, [John ate Grene](#) 3d, [Nicholas le Chesman](#) 2d and [Richard Dodyn](#) 3d, customary tenants are in mercy for default of Court.

Assessors [William de Kauntelo](#) and Robert Deveneys

**Guildhall Sequence MS 25,346/2**

**Court 55**

**1332**

**Court of Totenhale held on Tuesday the Feast of the Translation of St Thomas in the sixth year of the reign of King Edward, the third since the Conquest [7 July 1332]**

Essoins

[Robert de Kestevene](#) against [John de Caunterburi](#) concerning a plea of land by [John Bolome](#) 1<sup>o</sup>

[William Galeys](#) against the same concerning the same by [William de Newenham](#) 1<sup>o</sup>

[John Nichole](#) against [John Hamersmythe](#) and Agnes, his wife concerning a plea of land by [John ?Onre/Oure](#)

[Margaret](#) who was the wife of [Gilbert le Foghele](#) plaintiff appears against [John Hamersmyth](#) and Agnes, his wife, in a plea of dower and claims a third part of 3 acres of arable land, with the appurtenances in [Kentistoun](#), as the same Gilbert was seised of demesne as of fee in the time of King Edward, the ancestor of the present King, and of such estate to which the same claimed right of dower as she says. And John and Agnes, his wife, say that the said Gilbert was not seised of the aforesaid tenements after the celebration of the marriage, as she claimed the same right of dower, and he will show proof thereof, and the said Margaret likewise and therefore to be enquired into.

[John Nichole](#) comes into open Court and surrenders into the hands of the Lord two acres of arable land, with the appurtenances, with the permission of the Lord, to the use of [Walter Baker](#) and his heirs etc. Walter gives to the Lord for having such entrance into the said two acres 20d

[Nicholas Chesman](#) complains against [John Hamersmyth](#) and Agnes, his wife, concerning a plea of compromise/agreement of land. And concerning this matter, the aforesaid Nicholas comes and acknowledges two acres of arable land with the appurtenances in [Kentisstoun](#) to be the right of the said John and Agnes, and the said John and Agnes allow of the acknowledgement and beg the aforesaid land, to hold of the aforesaid Nicholas for themselves etc.

[John Hamersmyth](#) complains against [Nicholas Chesman](#) in a plea by the pledges of [Roger Bycok](#) and [William Pope](#), afterwards at this view in Court, the same John withdrew and therefore by the decision of the Court the same John and his pledges are in mercy. 3d.

Now it is ordered to take into the hands of the Lord one acre of arable land which [Roger Bikoc](#) holds of the Lord. And to summon the said Roger so that he might be at the next to answer the Lord etc.

John Hamersmyth complains against Petronilla Nichole in a plea of trespass by the pledges of Stephen ate Grene and William de Kaunteloo. He did not prosecute against the same Petronilla, therefore the said John and his pledges are in mercy 6d

John Hamersmyth complains against Petronilla Nichole in a plea of debt, by the pledges of the abovesaid. He did not prosecute therefore they are in mercy. 6d

John Hamersmythe complains against Petronilla Nichole executrix of the testament of John Nichole, in a plea of debt by the pledges of the above said, he appears against the same Petronilla and concerning this matter the aforesaid parties begged permission to agree and permission was granted to them to be here at the next without essoin, that is to say on Tuesday next before the Feast of St Peter Advincola [28 July 1332].

John de Caunterburi, bookbinder, plaintiff complains against William Galeys and Robert de Kesteven concerning a plea of land and the aforesaid William and Robert essoined above. And a day is given to them to be here at the next and this it is stayed.

Assessors: Stephen ate Grene, John Baldewine

#### **Guildhall Sequence MS 25,346/2**

#### **Court 56**

**1332**

**View of Frankpledge held at Totenhale on Thursday the Feast of St Wulfriamis in the sixth year of the reign of King Edward, the 3<sup>rd</sup> since the Conquest [15 October 1332]**

Essoins

Robert de Kestevene against John de Canterbury, bookbinder, in a plea of land by William the Clerk.[some line endings damaged by rubbing here.] 1<sup>o</sup>

William le Galeis against John de Caunterburi, bookbinder in a plea of land by John Bolom 1<sup>o</sup>

Headboroughs

Stephen ate Green, John Furder, Nicholas Cheseman [William Bartram – erased] John Nichole, John Mareis, John Baldewyne, John Hamersmyth [William Broun erased] Michael ate Forde, Henry Randulf, Adenulph ate Nelme, William Cantelo [Richard Dodyn – erased] John Pyyer

Alice, who was the wife of John Hereward, has died, who held one acre of arable land freely. On this day there comes William, son of John Hereward and of the said Alice, of the age of 11 years, and claims the said acre of arable land as his right and inheritance by the death of the aforesaid Alice, his mother and custody is awarded/passed to James le Gurdlere and Joan his wife, until his majority performing for the Lord etc. Pledges John Andrew, Hamo ad Fontem and when he should come to his majority he should do fealty to the Lord and he gives to the Lord for a relief 21d

John the Miller of Hampstede has died who held of the Lord in villeinage 7 acres and [?a half and 1 rood – end of line damaged] of arable land, on this day there come Lucy and Joan,

daughters of Alice, daughter of the said deceased John, Margaret, daughter of the aforesaid deceased John, Matilda daughter of the aforesaid deceased John, and John, son of Rose, daughter of the said deceased John, and they claim the aforesaid land as their right and inheritance, and the whole Homage swears on its oath that all the aforesaid beg justly and are the right heirs thereof and therefore they be admitted according to the custom of the Manor, and custody of the 3 children is awarded to their fathers until their majority etc.

[James le Gurdere](#) and [William Carpenter](#) give to the Lord for respite of suit of Court until the Feast of St Michael next ensuing. Fine 6d

[Thomas Cocus](#) for the same. Fine 6d

The Jury presents [Walter Pecok](#) 6d, [John Merlawe](#), [Walter Baker](#), [Robert Simond](#), [William Randulf](#), [Adam ate Pyrie](#) 3d, [Roger](#) son of [William Randulf](#) 2d, [Geoffrey Broun](#) made default.

Item. They present that a ditch is stopped up which should be cleansed by [Robert de Kestevene](#).

Item. That say that [John Coleman](#), brewer, sold twice against the assize.

Item. [William Cauntelo](#) 3d a common alehouse keeper. [Juliana Smythes](#) 3d for the same, [John Slademan](#) for the same 3d.

[Marion \(sic\) Coleman](#), raised a hue on [William Atte chyrche](#) for compensation. Therefore the Headborough is in mercy because he does not have a pledge.

[John le Wyte](#) raised a hue on the aforesaid William justly for compensation and does not have a pledge, therefore 3d

[Petronilla Nicole](#) raised a hue on the aforesaid William unjustly. Therefore 3d. Pledge [Stephen Atte Grene](#)

[Henry Randulf](#) on [Alice](#), his wife unjustly, therefore. 2d

[William](#) the son of [Henry Randulf](#) on [Henry Randulf](#) unjustly, therefore the Headborough is in mercy 3d because he does not have a pledge.

[Nicholas Rudberd](#) took corn at harvest time, that is to say, 5 sheaves of wheat, barley and oats, and he was admitted into the houses of [Rychelotte](#) and [John Attegrene](#) and there came [John le Botyler](#), and the said Nicholas removed the said corn from the Lords fee without liberty or permission. Therefore it is ordered to distrain the aforesaid Nicholas [Hubered](#) and [John le Botiler](#) when they should come onto the Lord's fee.

[Stephen Attegrene](#) by the agreement of the aforesaid is put at the will of the Lord. He paid a fine 6d

[John](#) son of [John Atte grene](#) rescued 29 sheaves of corn from a certain [Reapreeve](#), [John de Oxeneforde](#), who stole them and they were admitted into the house of [Alice Dyconn](#) which



same house the same John leased/rented and the said John to be attached. Pledges [John Atte grene](#) and [Stephen Atte grene](#), and it is ordered to retain the said corn until such times as etc.

The Headboroughs give to the Lord as a common fine. 2s

[Alice Slademan](#) for respite of suit of court for a year. 4d

[John Hamersmyth](#) finds pledges to answer the Lord for a certain ?cow which he had to farm 7s per year, to be paid at 3 terms by equal portions, that is to say, at the Feast of the Invention of the Holy Cross, the Feast of St Peter ad Vincula, the Feast of the Birth of the Blessed Mary. Pledges [William Cantelo](#), [Walter Bakere](#), [Stephen Attegrene](#), [John Attegrene](#) and [John Mareis](#).

[John Hamersmyth](#) and Agnes, his wife, handed over to [Walter Bakere](#) 6 acres of arable land as security for a certain sum of money, to be paid to the aforesaid Walter at the Feast of St Michael next ensuing, and if he does not pay then the aforesaid six acres of arable land shall remain to the aforesaid Walter and to Matilda his wife and their heirs.

Assessors [William Cantelo](#), [John Attegrene](#) [John Hamersmyth](#).

#### **Guildhall Sequence MS 25,346/2**

#### **Court 57**

**1332**

**Court held there on Thursday next after the feast of All Saints in the 6<sup>th</sup> year of the reign of King Edward the 3<sup>rd</sup> since the Conquest [5 November 1332]**

[William le Galeys](#) against [John de Canterbury](#), [bookbinder](#), concerning a plea of land by [John le Botyler](#) 2<sup>o</sup>

[Robert de Ketstevne](#) against [John de Canterbury](#), [bookbinder](#), concerning a plea of land by [John Bolom](#) 2<sup>o</sup>

[John Hamersmyth](#) in common by [Robert Cate](#) 1<sup>o</sup>

[John Maries](#) because he did not have [William Randulf](#) for whom he stood bail at the Leet. 2d

[John Atte grene](#) and [Stephen Atte grene](#) because they do not have John, his son, for whom they stood bail until the next, in mercy 6d. and now it is ordered to retain as above, and to distraint the said John, son of John ate Grene to answer as above by better pledges.

[John ate Forde](#) 2d, [John Nichole](#) 2d, Henry Randolf 2d, [Nicholas le Chesman](#) 3d, William Bartram 3d, the Tenants of the tenement of John le Meleward 3d, [Robert Deveneys](#) 2d and [William Broun](#) 2d, customary tenants made default, therefore they are all in mercy.

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It is ordered to distraint the tenement of Hamo ate Welle so that he might be at the next to answer the Lord concerning default of Court etc.

It is ordered to distrain [Walter Pekoc](#) so that he might be at the next to answer concerning default of Court for the tenement of [Margerie ?Perlii](#)

Assessors [John Coleman](#), [John Baldewyne](#).

**Guildhall Sequence MS 25,346/2**

**Court 58**

**1332**

**Court held there on Thursday next after the Feast of Saint Katherine the Virgin in the sixth year.... [26 Nov. 1332]**

[Robert Symond](#) and Matilda, his wife, come into open court and beg ... right of the same Matilda after the death of John the Miller, the father of the aforesaid Matilda, and one ... relief for 2a and a half of arable land. Pledges of relief [Stephen ate Grene](#) and John Mareys ...

Now it is ordered to distrain [Hamo ate Welle](#) and [Walter Pekoc](#) that they might be at the next...

[Mary Coleman](#) 1d, [William Bartram](#) 2d, the Tenants of the tenement formerly of [John le Meleward](#) 8d ... the tenants of the tenement of [Ralph Peris](#) and [William Broun](#) 2d, customary tenants, in mercy for default of Court.

[John de Caunterburi](#), [bookbinder](#), plaintiff, appears against [Robert de Kestevene](#) ... and [William Galeys](#) tailor in a plea of land. And afterwards ... they should have a day at the next Court without essoins in the same estate and now etc. And a day is given on Thursday next before the feast ...

Assessors [John Mareis](#), [Stephen ate Grene](#), [Warrant Broun](#)

**Guildhall Sequence MS 25,346/2**

**Court 59**

**1332**

**Court held there on Thursday next before the Feast of St Thomas the Apostle in the sixth year of the reign of King Edward, the third since the Conquest [17 December 1332]**

Essoins

[John Broun](#) in common by [Henry Broun](#)

[Henry Randolf](#) in common by [William Randolf](#)

[Stephen ate Grene](#) and [John ate Grene](#) give to the Lord for a certain [deodand](#) 12d by the pledge.

Now it is ordered to distrain [Walter Pekoc](#) so that he might be at the next to answer the Lord concerning default of Court.

It is ordered to distrain the Master of the **Hospital of St Giles** so that he might be at the next to answer the Lord concerning default of Court.

The tenants of the tenement of **Ralph Pieris** 3d, customary tenants, and **John Hamersmythe** are in mercy 2d for default of Court.

**John Maries** gives to the Lord for a release from his suit of Court until the Feast of St Michael 6d.

**John de Caunterburi**, **bookbinder**, plaintiff, appears against **Robert de Kestevene** of **London**, **tailor**, and **William Galeys**, **tailor**, in a plea of land and he claims six acres of arable land with the appurtenances in **Kentistoun** called **Brokland**. And afterwards by permission they agreed on condition that the aforesaid John gives the aforesaid Robert and William 6s 8d in full. And the aforesaid Robert and William quitclaim the said land, with the appurtenances, to the said **John of Caunterburi** and his heirs forever etc. And the said John puts himself by the pledge of **Walter le Bakere**.

It is ordered to take into the hands of the Lord 2 acres of arable land, with the appurtenances in **Kentishetoun** which formerly belonged to **John le Meleward**, and after his death were delivered to Margaret the wife of **Robert de Kelebourne**.

**John de Caunterburi**, **bookbinder**, comes into open Court and surrenders into the hands of the Lord six acres of arable land with the appurtenances in **Kentishetoun**, called **Brokland** to the use of **Walter le Bakere**. To have and to hold etc...

Assessors **Stephen ate Grene**, **John Mareis**.

#### **Guildhall Sequence MS 24,346/2**

#### **Court 60**

**1333**

**Court held at Totenhale on Thursday next before the Feast of St George in the 7<sup>th</sup> year of the reign of King Edward the 3<sup>rd</sup> since the Conquest [22 April 1333]**

Essoins

**William Bartram** in common by **John Bartram** 1<sup>o</sup>

**John Holeway** [erased] in common by **John Broun** 1<sup>o</sup>

Now it is ordered to distrain the tenant **Prilli** [sic] for suit etc and for default etc.

Given to the Master of the **Hospital of St Giles** until the next for the doing of fealty to the Lord.

**Andrew**, son of **Robert de Kylbourne**, Richard, his brother, William his brother, and Miles, his brother, come into open court and claim 2 acres of arable land, which were taken into the hands of the Lord at the preceding Court as their right and that of their heirs, after the death of Margaret, formerly the wife of the aforesaid Robert, who had the hereditaments

after the death of [John the Miller](#), as they are the sons and heirs of Margaret, and custody is awarded to the aforesaid Robert, their father, until their full age, and they give to the Lord as a relief 3d

[John Chese](#) purchased/acquired 4 acres of arable land from John Merlawe, to have and to hold to him and his heirs freely of the chief Lord of the fee, and he was admitted and did fealty to the Lord, and he had a day until the next to show ... and the aforesaid John Chese paid the arrears of rent which were in arrears by ?three years as ... he paid 10s and he owes 14s ... might make an enquiry whether any part thereof might have been paid of which he paid 7s on the feast of the birth of St John the Baptist and 7s on the Feast of St Peter ad Vincula etc.

[Nicholas Cheseman](#) surrenders into the hands of the Lord one close of arable land in [Pedschote](#), to the use of [Henry Sندان](#), to have and to hold to him and to Margery his wife etc.

[Stephen Parys](#) complained against [John Hamersmyth](#) concerning a plea of debt, pledge of prosecution Robert Ketstevene. The said John came into Court and acknowledged that he owed the said Stephen 8s. The attorney of the said Stephen for the prosecution [John Bolom](#). And it was ordered to levy the 8s to the use of the said Stephen before the said Stephen or his attorney should find sufficient/reliable pledges to answer the said John concerning his complaint, and afterwards John Bolom, the attorney of the said Stephen, for pledges to answer the complaint of the said [John Hamersmyth](#), that is to say, [Stephen ate Grene](#) and [John Mareis](#).

[John Hamersmyth](#) complains against [Stephen Parys](#) concerning a plea of debt. Pledges of prosecution [Walter Baker](#) and [William Pope](#). The aforesaid Stephen is summoned to the next and distrained for the aforesaid 8s.

Stephen Parys complains of [John Hamersmyth](#) concerning a plea of debt. Pledges of prosecution [John Coleman](#), [Walter Baker](#) and the said John is summoned to the next.

#### **Guildhall Sequence MS 25,346/5**

#### **Court 61**

**1335**

**Court of the Prebend of Totenhale held there on Thursday next before the Feast of St Hillary in the 8<sup>th</sup> year of the reign of King Edward the 3<sup>rd</sup> [6 Jan 1335]**

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Essoins

[John Hamersmythe](#) complains of [Roger Randolf](#) concerning a plea of trespass by [John le Potter](#)

[Henry Sندان](#) in common by [Thomas Stystede](#)

It is ordered to seize the land of [Henry Sodan](#) into the hands of the Lord until the next Court for the exhibiting of his deed of tenure of the aforesaid land.

[John Andrew](#) appears against the Lord concerning a trespass. In mercy 3d.

[Walter le Bakere](#) was attached to answer the Lord concerning the carrying/driving away of one [heriot](#) whereupon the aforesaid Walter says that he is not guilty thereof. And this ... An Enquiry etc which says the aforesaid Walter is guilty

[Beatrice de Copblyictonn](#) appears against [Walter le Bakere](#) concerning a plea of dower etc of one third part of one acre and half of one acre .... The aforesaid Walter. And he/she says that ... rendering the aforesaid third part. An Enquiry etc which says that ... the aforesaid Beatrice. Therefore in mercy.

An Enquiry having been held between [Richard Sprot](#) and [Walter Baker](#) concerning a plea of debt, says on oath ... the aforesaid Walter ... by the Court ... against ... damaged 12d. And the aforesaid Walter is in mercy.

[Warren Broun](#) was attached to answer the Lord concerning a trespass etc. And Warren says that he is not guilty thereof etc. Therefore ...

[John Colman](#) and [John Sladman](#) are elected as Keepers/guardians of the wood ...

#### **Guildhall Sequence MS 25,346/5**

##### **Court 62**

**1335**

**Court of the Prebend of Totenhale held there on Thursday next after the Feast of St Valentine in the ninth year of the reign of King Edward the third since the Conquest [16 February 1335]**

Essoins

[William Bertram](#) in common by [John Barham](#)

[William Broun](#) in common by [Ralph Rook](#)

[William Pope](#) in common by [John Hamond](#)

[Geoffrey le Goldbetter](#) in common by [John Warren](#)

[Nicholas le Cheseman](#) in common by [John le Hopper](#)

[William ate Cherche](#) in common by [Roger de Hampton](#)

[Roger Randolf](#) distrained against [John Hamersmythe](#) for 8d

An Enquiry held between the Lord and [Warren Broun](#) concerning a trespass made, who say on oath etc that the said Warren is not ...

Now it is ordered to seize the land of [Henry Sodan](#) into the hands of the Lord until the next Court for the exhibiting of the deed ...

[Walter Baker](#) ... pledge.

All the tenants elected [John Sladman](#) in the place of [John Coleman](#) ...

[John Nichol](#) ....

**Guildhall Sequence MS 25,346/3**

**Court 63**

**1335**

**Court of the Prebend of Totenhale held on Saturday the Feast of the Annunciation of the Blessed Mary in the ninth year of the reign of King Edward the third since the Conquest [25 March 1335]**

Essoin

[William Colyn](#) in common by [Henry Godfelawe](#)

[John atte Grene](#) complains of [John Coleman](#) concerning a plea of trespass. Pledge the Bailiff.

[Nicholas le Cheseman](#) is in mercy because he did not guarantee his essoin.

[John Coleman](#) junior is in mercy because of a trespass done to [John atte Grene](#).

Now it is ordered to seize and retain the land of [Henry Sondan](#) in the hands of the Lord until the next court etc

[Stephen atte Grene](#) is in mercy because he came not. 2d

[Richard Sprot](#) give to the Lord 6d for having a writ/letter of execution against [Walter Bakere](#).

**Guildhall Sequence MS 25,346/3**

**Court 64**

**1335**

**Court of the Prebend of Totenhale held on Thursday next after the Feast of the Ascension of the Lord in the 9<sup>th</sup> year of the reign of King Edward the Third since the Conquest [1 June 1335]**

**[This Court follows that of 25 March on the same skin and it would seem that no Courts were held in the intervening months]**

Essoins

[Henry Sondan](#) in common by [Henry Donelyn](#)

[John Brounyng](#) in common by [Henry Richard](#)

[William Bertram](#) in common by [John Bertram](#)

[John Baldwyn](#) in common by [John Hamond](#)

[Richard ate Pirie](#) in common by [John ate Pirie](#)

[William Pope](#) in common by [John Reysonn](#)

[William Colyn](#) in common by [John shirloke](#)

[John Mareys](#) in common by [John Torold](#)

Warren Broun in common by John de Ossex [sic]

The Master of St Giles is in mercy because he came not. 2d

John Nicole complains of Walter le Bakere and of John Hamersmythe concerning a plea of making a payment/contribution. Pledge the Lord who came into Court and granted/allowed the making of the aforesaid contribution/payment and said etc.

Walter le Bakere is warned/given notice to render to Richard Sprot.

Henry Randolf comes into open Court and surrenders in the hands of the Lord one piece of arable land containing in length eight roods and thirty feet of land in breadth, lying against la Grenestrete, to the use of John le Whyte and Christine, his wife, and their heirs etc which same Stephen [sic] give to the Lord for entrance 3d

**Guildhall Sequence MS 25,346/3**

**Court 65**

**1335**

**Court of the Prebend of Totenhale held on Monday next after the Feast of the Apostles Peter and Paul in the year abovesaid [3 July 1335]**

Beatrice, who was the wife of John de Coblyntonn, executrix of the testament of the aforesaid John defends/denies against Henry ?Dynelyn and Richard de Grafton and Alice, who was the wife of Robert de Wyrcestre, executors of the testament of Robert de Wircestre, in a plea of debt by William de ?Momby.

Essoins

Nicholas le Cheseman in common by John le Hoppere

William Pope in common by John Hamersmythe

Richard de Godesname complains of Warren Broun concerning a plea of debt, as was granted/allowed in the Court

John Nichole is in mercy because he came not. 2d

William Randolf comes into open Court and surrenders into the hands of the Lord one acre of arable land, lying in le Brodefeld, to the use of Henry Cros, his heirs etc.

Henry Cros comes into open Court and surrenders into the hands of the Lord one acre of arable land, lying in 1 acre Brodefeld, to the use of William Randolf, his heirs etc. 10d

Richard de Godesname comes into open Court and acknowledges that no one claims concerning all the lands and tenements which Henry Cros has of his feoffment, but entirely/all together for him, his heirs etc.

**Guildhall Sequence MS 25,346/3**

**Court 66**

**1335**

**Court of the Prebend of Totenhale held on Thursday the Feast of St Laurence the Martyr, in the year abovesaid [10 August 1335]**

Essoins

[William Bertram](#) in common by [John Bertram](#)

[Stephen atte Grene](#) in common by the same

[John Brunnyng](#) in common by the same.

The land of [Simon Randulf](#) is taken into the hands of the Lord etc. 8s fine.

[Beatrice de Coblyntonn](#) comes here into Court and begs as her dower three acres of arable land, with the appurtenances which formerly belonged to [Margaret Peers](#), which were granted to her for her life, to have etc until her death, they shall remain to the right heirs of [John de Coblyntonn](#) and she gave to the Lord for entrance 8s.

A love day between [Richard de Grafton](#) and [Henry Dynelyn](#) executors of the testament of [Robert de Wincestre](#) plaintiffs, and [Beatrice de Coblyntonn](#) executrix of [John de Coblyngton](#) defendant, concerning a plea of debt, until the next etc.

[John Randolf](#) begs the land of [Simon Randolf](#) which was seized etc and the land was delivered to the same to hold etc. Relief 3½d

[William le Smyth](#) and Matilda, his wife, come into Court and surrender into the hands of the Lord a fifth part of one messuage and one plot of garden, to the use of [John Slademan](#) to have to him etc.

**Guildhall Sequence MS 25,346/3**

**Court 67**

**1335**

**View of Frankpledge of Totenhalle held on Thursday the Vigil of St Edward in the ninth year of the reign of King Edward the third since the Conquest [12 October 1335]**

[Beatrice de Coblyntonn](#) executrix of the testament of [John de Coblyntonn](#) defends/denies against [Henry Dunelyn](#) and [Richard Grafton](#) executors of the testament of [Robert de Wircestre](#), concerning a plea of debt.

[Stephen atte Grene](#) in mercy for common suit.

[William atte Chirche](#) 2d, [Nicholas Cheseman](#) 2d, [Stephen atte Grene](#) 2d, [Michael atte Forde](#) 2d, [Richard atte Pyrie](#) 2d, [John atte Holleway](#) 2d, [Warren Broun](#) 2d put themselves in mercy for trespass

[Richard Grafton](#) and [Henry Dynelyn](#) recovered 39s against [Beatrice de Coblyntonn](#) executrix of the testament of [John de Coblyntonn](#) because/on the ground that she did not deny/defend.



The Jurors say etc [Hamo atte Welle](#) 2d, John, the son of [John atte Grene](#) 2d, [Roger Bigot](#) 2d, [Roger Randolf](#) 2d make default. They say that [William Randolf](#) 2d raised a hue unjustly. Item [John atte Grene](#) 2d, [William atte Chirche](#) 2d raised a hue unjustly. William ate Chirche 2d pastured against the regulation assessment. [John Coleman](#) 8d brewed against the assize. [Petronilla Nicol](#) carried away corn. Therefore etc.

### **Guildhall Sequence MS 25,346/3**

#### **Court 68**

**1335**

**Court of Totenhale held there on Thursday the Feast of St Andrew in the ninth year of the reign of King Edward the third since the Conquest [30 Nov 1335]**

Essoins

[William Bertram in common by John Bertram](#)

[John Nichole in common by John ?Orne](#)

[William Broun in common by John Reysonn](#)

[Stephen atte Grene in common by Stephen his son](#)

[Henry Sondon in common by John ?Flegard](#)

These are assessed by tenure/tenancy

[William atte Chirche](#) 20d

[Warren Broun](#) 20d

[Richard ate Pirye](#) 20d

These are assessed by goods/stock

[Nicholas Cheseman](#) 13d

[John Holloway](#) 13d

[Michael ate Forde](#) 13d