

**The Taverner
Diaries**

1350 to 1399

by

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 45

Source: Lichfield Joint Record Office: B/A/1/2 f.53r

Title: *Register of Bishop Roger Northburgh of Coventry & Lichfield*

30 June 1350

Heywod

Couen'

Institut'o eccl'ie de Wysshawe

Apud Heywod. ij. Kal'n Julij. Anno d'ni sup^ad'co Joh'nes Graunt Cap'llan^s admissus fuit ad ecclesiam de Wysshawe n're dioc' vacant' & institut^s in ead'm ad p'sentaco'm Edmundi de Bereford veri eiusd'm eccl'ie Patroni, Et vacabat dicta eccl'ia p' resignaco'm Nich'i dicti le Tau'ner de Lich' vltimi R'coris eiusd'm in manus dicti ven' p'ris leg'ime fact' de ead'm Et mandabat Offic' Archid' de inducendo Et Id'm admissus iuravit obed'iam

Coventry [Archdeaconry]

Institution of Wysshawe church

At Heywod, 2 kalends July in the year of the Lord abovesaid [1350], John Graunt chaplain was admitted to the church of Wysshawe in our diocese, vacant, and instituted in the same at the presentation of Edmund de Bereford the true patron of the same church. And the said church became vacant by the resignation of Nicholas called le Taverner of Lich[field], the last rector of the same, lawfully made into the hands of the said Venerable father, of the same. And it was ordered the Official of the Archdeacon to induct. And the same, having been admitted, swore obedience.

William
Isolda of Lincoln

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 1

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 24 Edward III i m.37*

28 January 1350

Westminster

Pardon, of special grace, to John de Stokhith, sometime parson of the church of Hole, of the king's suit and all that pertains to him for the rape of Isolda wife of William Taverner of Lincoln skynner, and goods of the said William, found in his house at Lincoln, carried away, whereof he is indicted or appealed, and of any consequent outlawries.

By privy seal.

Essex
William T

1351

1351

D/DL 150

ref. D/D4 150.

May, William Tavernere. Grant indented from Roger de Colushulle, rector of Theydon Mount, to John crips of Wennington. Sen and his wife Joan, of all the tenements shops etc, which he had of John Ward ~~of~~ Barking, William Tavernere was a witness to this document.

Andrew

Southampton

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 12

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 27 Edward III i m.12d*

18 April 1353

Westminster

On the petition of Peter Johan, master of a ship called *la Seinte Marie de Matruco* of Spain, exhibited before the king and council for himself and other masters and merchants of Spain, showing that the said ship, laden in Spain with 480 barrels of white herrings worth 1600 florins with the shield, and freighted from there to Flanders, for 180 florins with the shield, to trade there, when sailing between Dovre and Calais towards Flanders, was taken by Thomas Gyboun and John Coggere, mariners, and brought to Southampton, and the herrings there sold by parcels by the said Thomas and John Coggere to Walter Flemmyng, Andrew Taverner, Ralph Taillour, Adam Inesse, Edward Dieugard of Suthampton, Nicholas Taillour and Daulard de Lemyngton, and to John Gest of Salisbury, and divers others of the said and other towns and places contiguous to them, against the will and inhibition of the said Peter and merchants, and carried away by the buyers, contrary to the truce lately taken between the king and those of Spain, and praying for satisfaction to be made of the price which the herrings were then worth or could be sold at, of the freight and of the damages sustained by Peter and the merchants on account of the premises and their expenses applied in their prosecution; the king, because, on the matter coming before the council with great deliberation, it has been adjudged by the council that they shall have restitution accordingly from the said merchants and buyers, detainers of such goods, has appointed John de Wynchestre and John Mayn, king's serjeant at arms, to make inquisition, on the oath of good men of the counties of Suthampton and Wilts, of the quantity and value of the said herrings and the names of the buyers, and in whose hands any part thereof is now detained, and to move and enjoin on the king's behalf the buyers and detainers to make satisfaction, attaching and committing into custody any that will not do so, so as to have their bodies before him in the chancery by the Monday after Ascension Day, with their inquisitions. Therefore he commands all admirals, masters, constables and mariners of ships, mayors and bailiffs of cities, boroughs and towns, sheriffs, bailiffs and all others to be aiding to them herein whenever required.

By the king and council.

Walter.
Yorks

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 13

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 27 Edward III i m.7*

20 April 1353

Westminster

Walter of K.U.H.

Pardon, for 100s which **Walter Taverner** and John de Cotyngham, wardens of the fabric of the church of St Mary, Beverley, will pay to the king, to them for acquiring in mortmain, in aid of the same fabric, from Reynold de Briune a messuage in Beverley, from Isabel de Ryston the like, from Thomas Harald 3s 4d of rent there, from Nicholas de Sighlesthorn, sometime vicar of the said church, a plot of land there, and from Thomas Chaundeler 2s of rent there, and entering therein without licence; and pardon to them also for entering likewise without licence into four messuages and a garden in the same town bequeathed to them by John de Sighlesthorne, four messuages there bequeathed by Richard de Hulbrigg, two messuages there bequeathed by Peter de Catwyk, a messuage and a garden there bequeathed by John le Hunter, a messuage there bequeathed by Alice de Wetewang, the like bequeathed by John Lewelyn, two messuages there bequeathed by Thomas Coppandale, a messuage and a garden there bequeathed by Roger Scoule, a shop there bequeathed by Agnes Jurdan, the like bequeathed by Nicholas de Lokyngton, a garden there bequeathed by Thomas Stork, a messuage there bequeathed by Nicholas Spycer, a garden there bequeathed by Richard de Sighlesthorne, a garden bequeathed by Alice de Usflete, a plot of land there bequeathed by John de Wodmanse, 14s of rent there bequeathed by Robert de Cotyngham, a messuage there bequeathed by William de Housflete, 3s of rent there bequeathed by Laurence de Ryse, and 5s of rent bequeathed by William de Dalton; and licence for them to retain the premises.

And the 100s have been paid in the hanaper.

William

K. de Thames

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 11

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 27 Edward III* ii m.13d

1 August 1353

Westminster

Commission of oyer and terminer to Thomas de Uvedale, Richard de Birton, Thomas de Lincoln, Simon de Kegworth and Adam de Acres, on complaint by John Malewayn that William Taverner Jonesservant of Oxstede of Kyngeston on Thamise, Henry Denmars, John Boys, William Ottelonde, Walter Grandon, Ralph Thurbarn, John Fisshere, Thomas de Colchestre, Roger Skire, Robert Hoggeman flesshewere, Richard Hardyng flesshewere, Philip Hagge draper, John Witherberche, William Moryn, Thomas Skot, John Northrigge, William Fullere, William Crippes, Richard Dyer, William Fruyter, John Babbe, John Page, John Sherewynd, Gilbert le Mareschal, Roger Benet of Kyngeston on Thamise and others assaulted him as he was going about business enjoined on him by the king at Kyngeston upon Thamise, county Surrey, carried away his goods and assaulted his servant William de Redyng there, whereby he lost his service for a great time.

Nicholas
York

1353

John Taverner had lands in Norfolk 26 Ed III (1353) and North Elmham 16 RII (1393) wife Cecilie Gelham father Sir Nicholas, children John, Henry councillor of law, died 1466 (see 1376 or Agincourt 1415), William, Freeman of London died 1454.

1353
Nicholas to Taverner Chambolain of York

Robert
southwards to the Tower
Survey

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 40

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 28 Edward III* ii m.10d

6 August 1354

On testimony by John de Beauchaump, keeper of the Tower of London, that John Sherewynd lately took out of the keeping of Alexander de Dalby, clerk of the king' change in the said Tower, £60 of the king's treasure against the will of the said Alexander, and that when the latter followed him with the money, to Suthewerke, and caused him to be attached there by the bailiffs of the town and would have had him brought back to the Tower to answer touching the premises, Thomas Sherewynd, Robert le Taverner and Idonia wife of the said John, rescued him there and permitted him to go at will; the king has appointed Alexander de Dalby, Richard de Dalby, Roger Porter of la Tour, William Clyderhowe, Peter Vyncent and Alexander Fourbour to arrest the said John, Thomas, Robert and Idonia, with their goods, to bring their bodies to the Tower for safe keeping and to keep their goods under arrest until further order.

By testimony of the said John de Beauchaump

Rye Kent 1355
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Item no 43

Source: East Sussex Record Office: RCHM v 509

Title: *Rye Corporation Archives*

25 January 1354 - 24 January 1355

Rye

Peter Mulwod of the parish of Playdenne, to Richard Pak of Rye:
grant of the moiety of a place of land, with half the house built thereon,
formerly belonging to William Joye; and of 2s yearly rent which he was wont
to receive of Alice Kytteye, from the principal tenement formerly belonging to
Nicholas Joye, situate in the Market place.

Witnesses: Paul Portsmouthe, mayor, Henry Gold3eve, Benedict Cely, John
Curboille, Richard Gaillard, Laurence Taverner, John Lad clerk.

28 Edward III

Toh J
Gurney

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 37

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 29 Edward III* ii m.11

10 July 1355

Westminster

Pardon of special grace to John le Tavernier of the island of Gerneseye of the king's suit for the death of Robert Turgys, whereof he is indicted or appealed, and of any consequent outlawry; as well as of the abjuration of the king's islands of Gerneseye, Jereseye, Serk and Aureneye, which he made in the church of St Peter Port, Gerneseye, for that cause.

By privy seal.

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William of
Herleston, in
Gascony,
France

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 36

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 31 Edward III* ii m.28

6 September 1357

Westminster

Pardon, at the asking of the king's son Edward prince of Wales, and for good service to the king and prince done by John le Thecchere of Herleston in the prince's company in Gascony, to him of the king's suit for the death of **William le Taverner of Herleston**, whereof he is indicted or appealed and of any consequent outlawry.

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No of references ordered: 20

Item no 16

Source: King's Lynn Town Hall: NRA 3008: RCHM xviii 219

Title: *King's Lynn Borough Accounts 30 Edward III*

29 September 1356

King's Lynn

Account of Nicholas de Swerdestone, John de Brunham, Edmund de Brestone and Andrew Taverner, chamberlains, &c., of the borough of King's Lynn, 29 to 30 Edward III.

Cirencester
Richard le T

1357

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 13

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Ancient Deeds* B 3638

31 January 1357

Katherine, daughter and heir of Adam Clement and Margaret his wife, to Robert Michel chaplain, and John de Cirecestre perpetual vicar of Wychebury:

release of all right in the lands that Richard le Taverner of Cranebourne gave to the said Adam and Margaret in Fordyngebrigg.

Dated Tuesday before the feast of the Purification of the blessed virgin Mary, 31 Edward III.

Seal.

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No of references ordered: 20

Item no 11

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Ancient Deeds C 1627*

20 September 1357

Richard le Flesshe were of Solihull to John Pecche, lord of Hampton and Arden, knight, Geoffrey Rolves and William Taverner of Hynton: grant of a messuage in the borough of Solihull, adjoining the High Street. Wednesday after the Exaltation of the Holy Cross 31 Edward III.

william of York

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 34

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 32 Edward III i m.27d*

26 February 1358

Westminster

Commission of oyer and terminer to Thomas Ughtred chivaler, Thomas de Seton, William de Notton, John Moubray, William de Fyncheden and John Dayvel, on complaint by Adam de Hedeleye clerk, that William Gra of York, John de Surflet of Duffeld, John Duket, Nicholas del West, Hugh Emblenache, John de Hoyeden, William Taverner, William Bryd, William de Casteleye and others, broke his close and houses at Neuton Kyme, county York, imprisoned him, brought him so imprisoned to Tolleston and detained him until he made fine by £20 for his deliverance, took away a boat of his worth £10, felled his trees at Bekhagh and carried away those trees with his goods there and at Neuton Kyme, trod down and consumed with cattle the shoots of his copse at Hedeleye, and assaulted and imprisoned his men and servants.

For 20s paid to the king in the hanaper.

Thomas of Lichfield

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 35

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 32 Edward III i m.10d*

12 May 1358

Westminster

Commission of oyer and terminer to Richard de Stafford, William de Shareshull, Henry de Motelowe, Hugh de Aston and John Cokayn, on complaint by Thomas le Taverner of Lychefeld the elder, that John Grym of Donasthorp, John de Grendon of Donasthorp, John Page servant of Edmund de Appulby knight the younger, John le Cartere servant of the same Edmund, Thomas son of John de Atterton of Meysham, William Aleyn of Donasthorp coliere, and others, came by night at Stretton by Meysham, county Derby, and broke his house there, burned his goods in the house there, imprisoned his men and servants and brought John Hegh, one of his servants, imprisoned to Donasthorp. and there broke his arms and legs.

For 20s to be paid to the king.

Fol
Sarah
Staunford

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 41

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 32 Edward III* i m.2

7 July 1358

Westminster

Licence, for 10s paid to the king by Richard Arden of Staunford, for the said Richard to enfeof John Taverner of Staunford and Sarra, his wife, of a messuage in Staunford, held of the king in chief.

Thomas of
Lychefeld

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 33

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 32 Edward III ii m.33*

10 July 1358

Westminster

Commission of oyer and terminer to Richard de Stafford, William de Shareshull, Henry de Motelowe, Hugh de Aston and John Cokayn, on complaint by Thomas le Taverner of Lychefeld the elder, that John Grym of Donasthorp, John de Grendon of Donasthorp, John Page servant of Edmund de Appulby knight the younger, John le Cartere servant of the same Edmund, Thomas son of John de Atterton of Meysham, William Aleyn of Donasthorp coliere, and others, at Stretton by Meysham, on the confines of the counties of Leicester and Derby, burned his goods in his house by night, imprisoned his men and servants and brought John Hugh one of them imprisoned to Donasthorp in the said confines and imprisoned him there.

Changed because sealed at another time for 20s paid in the hanaper.

Nicholas
York

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 39

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 32 Edward III ii m.24d*

18 October 1358

Westminster

Commission to Thomas de Seton, Peter de Nuttle sheriff of York, and John Moubray, reciting that, whereas of late on its having been found by inquisition that a plot of land called La Holme between the king's castle of York and the water of Ouse is and time out of mind has been of the right and appurtenances of his free chapel of St George by his mills without the castle, and has been in the hands of all wardens of the chapel who have taken their profit thereof, as in herbage and other issues, until 12 Edward II [8 July 1318 - 7 July 1319], that that plot was enclosed and separate in the time when Henry de Faucomberge was sheriff of the county and always before, that it is now occupied by Nicholas Taverner of York, William de Crulle of York and Roger de Whiteley of York, and many others who there carpenter, make and work divers ships and boats, as well as by the most part of the commonalty of the city of York who on feast days shoot arrows, wrestle and play there, whereby the now warden of the chapel cannot take his profit of the plot, and that Henry de Belton, late mayor of the city, and all mayors and bailiffs of the same after him with the commonalty, from the said twelfth year, have occupied the plot and by force prevented the warden from enclosing the place or taking any profit thereof, the king charged the sheriff to summon the said Nicholas, William and Roger, as well as the mayor, bailiffs and commonalty of the city to be before the king in the chancery on the octaves of Trinity last [3 June 1358] to shew cause why the warden should not hold that plot enclosed in severalty in right of the chapel, and the sheriff returned that he caused John de Acastre, William Ferroure and Thomas de Stansale, bailiffs of the liberty of the said city, to have the return of the writ, and they had given him no answer, and the king charged the sheriff not, because of the liberty, to omit to enter the said liberty and summon the said Nicholas, William de Crulle and Roger

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as well as the present mayor and bailiffs to be before the king in the chancery on the octaves of Midsummer last [31 July 1358] to shew cause why the warden should not hold that plot enclosed in severalty in right of the chapel, and the sheriff returned that he had summoned them as well as John de Langeton, mayor, and the bailiffs and commonalty by John de Norton and Robert de Lyth. At which day they all came by Walter de Askham, their attorney, and said that the plot is and time out of mind has been parcel of the city, and this they would prove by the country, and William de Ketelwell chaplain, who sues for the king, said that the plot was of the right or appurtenances of the said free chapel, or in the hands of the wardens thereof, as their several soil. Wherefore the cause is adjourned until the quinzaine of Hilary and the king, wishing to do justice for all parties, has appointed them to make inquisition in the presence of the said **Nicholas**, William de Crulle, Roger the mayor, bailiffs and commonalty, if they will attend, touching the whole truth of the matter.

1358

Richard le Taverner release by Katherine Clement of all lands
given by Richard Taverner of Cranborne.

Benedict
Kent

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 42

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 33 Edward III* ii m.9

30 August 1359

Leeds Castle

Pardon of special grace to Benedict Taverner of Sandwich, of the king's suit for the death of Joan late the wife of Robert Gibbe, whereof he is indicted, and of any consequent outlawry.

By privy seal.

Thomas
Elis. of Westminster

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 50

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 33 Edward III* iii m.11

18 November 1359

Woodstock

Pardon to Ralph Anketil of his outlawry in the county of Northampton for non-appearance before the justices of the Bench to answer Thomas le Taverner of Westminster and Elizabeth his wife, touching a plea that he render to them £20, he having now surrendered to the Flete prison, as Robert de Thorpe, chief justice, has certified.

Toh Hull

1359

John Taverner chief magistrate for Hull.

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Andrew f
Lenne
Norfolk

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 38

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 34 Edward III i m.29*

23 February 1360

Westminster

Licence, until Midsummer, for Alban Frere of London fisshemonger, and Andrew Taverner of Lenne, to buy 200 quarters of wheat in Norfolk and the neighbouring parts, ship the same in the port of Lenn and bring it to Durdraht in Zeeland to make his profit there.

Thomas
Thomas
Lychefeld

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 48

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 34 Edward III* i m.27d

10 April 1360

Westminster

Commission of oyer and terminer to Hugh de Meignill, John Moubray, William de Fynchedene, John Cokayn and William de Wakebrugg, on complaint by Henry duke of Lancaster, that Thomas le Taverner of Lychefeld the elder, Thomas de Pype, John atte Crosse of Lychefeld, John le Wodeward of Lychefeld, John de Longedon of Lychefeld, William de Vernay, Thomas son of John de Stafford knight, and others, entered his free chace of Nedewode at Barton, Yoxhale, Tuttebury, Marshynton and Outokeshatre, county Stafford, and broke his parks there, hunted in these and took and carried away deer.

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 11

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Ancient Deeds* B 3072

10 April 1360

John Campenade, nephew and one of the heirs of Thomas Taverner of Rouchestre, to Katherine de Pelham of London:
grant of all his share in a tenement and land in the parish of St Nicholas of Rochester, which he inherited together with Thomas Campenade, on the death of his uncle.

Dated 10 April 34 Edward III

Seal.

Joh - France

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 49

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 34 Edward III* i m.2

8 June 1360

Westminster

Pardon, for good service done in the war of France, to John Doughty of Jermowth, of the king's suit for the death of John Taverner, servant of Stephen de Stalham, killed before Michaelmas last, and of any consequent outlawry.
By privy seal and by testimony of John Chaundos.

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 47

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 34 Edward III* i m.5

8 June 1360

Westminster

Pardon, for good service done in the war of France in the company of Reynold de Cobham, to Thomas Colet of Asshefeld, of the king's suit for the death of John Taverner of Aylesham, servant of Stephen de Staleham, killed before Michaelmas last, and of any consequent outlawry.

By privy seal.

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 46

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 34 Edward III i m.6*

10 June 1360

Westminster

Pardon, for good service done in the war of France in the company of William Latymer, to Roger de Catfeld of Jermouth, of the king's suit for the death of John Taverner, servant of Stephen de Staleham, killed before Michaelmas last, and of any consequent outlawry.
By privy seal.

John
Penreth

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Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 40

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 35 Edward III* i m.32

28 January 1361

Westminster

Grant for life to John Taverner of Penereth of the bailiwick of the forestership of the ward of Penrefell in Inglewod forest, he taking and doing in the bailiwick as others who had it before these times have taken and done; granted at the request of the king's serjeant, Richard des Armes, one of the yeomen of the chamber, who had a grant of the bailiwick by letters patent dated 10 September last, surrendered.

By privy seal.

Robert
No H. J. H.

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 45

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 35 Edward III* i m.36

13 February 1361

Westminster

Pardon, for good service in the war of France in the company of John earl of Richmond, to Robert Chapman of Cossehalle, for the death of Robert Taverner of Nottingham, perpetrated before Michaelmas in the thirty-third year [29 September 1359], whereof he is indicted or appealed, and of any consequent outlawry.

Thomas
son Lychfeld

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 32

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 35 Edward III iii m.28*

18 October 1361

Westminster

Richard de Stafford clerk, staying in Ireland on the king's service in the company of Ralph earl of Stafford, has letters nominating Simon de Lychefeld and **Thomas le Taverner of Lychefeld the younger** as his attorneys in England for one year.

The chancellor received the attorneys.

1361

William Taverner lands in Inverness. Ref. Hall of Names.

Foh
Lichfeld

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 44

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 36 Edward III* i m.16d

3 April 1362

Westminster

Commission of oyer and terminer, on complaint by Richard de Stafford, that William Prelat of Lichefeld, Henry Fourbour, John Notte barker, John le Taverner of Lichefeld, John de Asshebourne barker, William de Barneby, John othe Hull, John le Herdeman le puisne, taillour, John Silvestre, John Persone, John Hawardyn, Nicholas le Cooke, John ate Crosse, Adam Alblaster, John de Sewell sherman, William Fraunceys sherman, Henry Suchantour sherman, Adam de Hopton, William le Hewester, Richard Wyse, John Wyse, Randolph le Tynker, Richard de Walton, John de Walton, Robert de Stotfold, Henry le Sawyere, William de Tamworth, Thomas le Flesshewere, John le Cardemaker, John Buggyng, Laurence le Sporier, John Laurensservant Sporiere, and others, have carried away his goods at Lycheveld, county Stafford, and assaulted his men and servants, and are now in league together to kill them and burn his manor of Pipe.

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 50

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Close Roll 36 Edward III m.4d*

5 December 1362

Memorandum of acknowledgment by the Abbot of Stonleye of:

Thomas abbot of Stonleye and the convent thereof, to Nicholas Tavernere chaplain, Henry Pype, William Stokton, John Bray, Thomas Blakenhale, John Fylonglie, Richard Ymayn and Roger Stok and their assigns, during the life of the said abbot:

gift with warranty of the manor of Melburn, with lands, meadows, woods, groves, thickets, rents, reversions, services, waters, fisheries, feedings, pastures, &c., the township of Melburn and the fields of Forwode, Whitmorefeld and Colyneswast, the mill of Crulefeld, two groves or thickets in the town of Kenelworth called Great Maney and Little Maney, all rents, reversions and services which they have in the town of Fynham and all their right therein, also one hall with a chamber and garden in the abbey of Stonleye situate between the churchyard and the old infirmary, with ingress and egress, for a yearly rent of one peppercorn at Christmas for all secular service, claims and demands, granting that they shall not be impleaded or trouled for any waste; giving also all goods and chattels upon the premises at the date of these presents.

Stonleye abbey, the translation of St Thomas 36 Edward III [3 July 1362]

Witnesses: Sir Richard Herthill knight, John Sparry, John Broughton, Geoffrey Milward, William Braundon.

York

1362

Nicholas Taverner of Devon and 1367 Mayor of Exeter.

1364

Taverner	Al	M. Hull	Freedom of York
Taverner	Al	in York	Freedom.
TAVERNER	THOMAS	Hull	Freedom of York.
Taverner	THOMAS	York	Freedom

Robert
Nathaniel

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 43

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 37 Edward III* i m.13

13 February 1363

Westminster

Pardon, for good service done in the war of France in the company of the king's son, John duke of Lancaster, to Robert Chapman of Cossehole, of the king's suit for the death of Robert Taverner, of Nottingham, killed before Martinmas in the thirty-fourth year [11 November 1360], and of any consequent outlawry.

By the king.

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John
N. de Tyne
York
Notts
Derby
Cumberland
Westmoreland

Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 31

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 37 Edward III i m.38*

28 April 1363

Westminster

Writ of aid during the pleasure of the king's yeoman William Hervey, to whom on 29 June last the king granted the office of the alnage of woollen cloths for sale in England to hold himself or by deputy for life pursuant to the ordinance thereof made in the great council lately held at Westminster, in favour of John Taverner of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, whom he has deputed before the king in the chancery to do what pertains to the office in the counties of York, Nottingham, Derby, Cumberland and Westmoreland.

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 49

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Close Roll 37 Edward III m.25*

8 June 1363

Westminster

Order to the sheriff of Berkshire to cause a coroner to be elected instead of Reynold le Taverner of Walyngford, who is dead.

Thomas of Rochester

FONS

Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 12

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Ancient Deeds* B 3156

20 July 1364

John Campenade, kinsman and one of the heirs of Thomas Taverner of Rochester, to Katherine de Pelham of London:
release of all his right in a tenement with land in the parish of St Nicholas, Rochester, a moiety of which descended to himself and to Thomas Campenade, his late brother.

Dated Saturday the feast of St Margaret the virgin, 38 Edward III.
Seal.

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William f.

Lincoln
Vintner

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 25

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 38 Edward III* ii m.35

5 October 1364

Dover

Licence for John Redyng hous son of William Taverner of Lincoln, vintner of Lincoln, £50 in money and cloths to the value of £50 from the port of Boston.

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Margate
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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 24

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 38 Edward III ii m.6d*

26 December 1364

Windsor

Commission to John Sefeghel and William Taverner, pursuant to the ordinance made with the assent of the council that no one cross the sea from the realm without the king's special licence and that in the case of all persons who cross diligent scrutiny be made that they do not take with them gold or silver in money or mass, jewels or letters of exchange, and that, in case any such be found on any one crossing on the sea or an arm of the sea or on water running to the sea, the bearer shall be arrested and sent before the king and council, merchants known to be such crossing for business only excepted, and these shall find security before the bailiffs or keepers of the port or place where they cross that the money which they have shall be used only for trade, on pain in the case of the sender of forfeiture of the amount sent and in the case of the bearer of imprisonment and ransom thereout at the king's will, also that diligent search be made that none coming into the realm bring from the court of Rome or elsewhere beyond seas, and none going from the realm take, letters patent, bulls, instruments, processes or anything prejudicial to the king, his realm or his subjects, and that none going with the king's licence to the court of Rome or other parts beyond the seas pass in any port or place before he have found security before the king in the chancery that he will not do or procure to be done anything that may fall out to the prejudice of the king, his realm or his subjects or the weakening of the laws of the realm, to make such scrutiny in the port and town of Mergate.

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 44

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Close Roll 39 Edward III* m.31

10 May 1365

Westminster

To the sheriff of Gloucester:

Order to remove the king's hand, and not to meddle further with twelve tuns of wine of John de Cherleton, Richard de Beorton, Thomas de la Grene and John Taverner of Wircestre by him taken into the king's hand; as lately the king ordered the sheriff to certify in chancery the cause wherefore he took and detained the said wine, and he certified that he did so in case the wine should be adjudged for wreck, for that a boat wherein were the said tuns was by a storm of wind sunk in the river Severn between the lordship of Berkeley and the forest of Dene, when no man escaped alive therefrom; and the business being examined before the council, it seems to the council that goods found in such rivers ought not to be adjudged for wreck.

The like to Philip de Lutteleye, escheator in Gloucestershire, for the said John de Cherleton, &c.

Thomas
Newmarket

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 23

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 39 Edward III i m.7d*

17 June 1365

Westminster

Commission to Nicholas de Styuecle, William Castellacre, Thomas Cook of Walton, Richard atte Chambre, John Sampson and Richard Mariot, to take Roger Brasyere of Bery, county Suffolk, William de Brumme of Royston, Simon Shereman of London, John Wolde of Foulmere, William Horte of Ely, John de Eboraco, Thomas de Beverle, William de Beverle sclattere, Walter Cook of Newmarket, John Smyth of Pokerych, William de Thorneye of Norwych, Geoffrey Dysse of Plumpton, William Smyth of Royston, Maud Raban of Tikhill, Thomas Flecchere of the county of Stafford, William Rage feryman of Chesterton by Cambridge, Robert Webbere of Bykeleswade, William Tripel webbere of Bykeleswade, Roger Joynour of St Edmunds, county Suffolk, John Gasthorp of Grantham, Andrew Coteler of Grantham, Andrew Bocher of Walthamcros, Geoffrey Speed of Walthamcros, Richard de Pedryngton taillour of Ware, Ralph Rennaway of Weston by Baldok, Hugh Upheldere of Luton, Alexander Ratonner called Blakesaundre, Nicholas Jeweler of Sleaford, John Waryner of Sleaford baxtere, John de Bannebury of London, Robert de Brokfordbrige in the county of Suffolk, William atte Water of Brokfordbrugge, John Hyne sadelere of Brokfordbrigge, Edmund Smyth of Brokfordbrigge, William Smith of Shales of the county of Norfolk, John Godefroi of Longestratton, county Norfolk, Stephen de Caston of the county of Norfolk, William Crane webbere of Caston, John Kedyere of Sculton, county Norfolk, John atte Wode of Risynge by Sculton, Thomas Taverner of Newmarket, Thomasd Barbour of Newmarket, Nicholas Bocher of Newmarket, Roger Lucas of Pokerich, John Parys of Foulmere maltmongere, and John Bakere of Berkeway, appealed by John de Goldesburgh, king's approver detained in the gaol of the castle of Cambridge, of felonies done in divers counties and Thomas Ovenmakere of Cambridge, John Stalwortheman

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of Asshewell, John Bernard of Lenne, William Broun Iryssh of London, Nicholas Whisshton, Robert Osegod, Luke Coupere of Alkumbury, Walter Cook of Newmarket, Henry Lullay of Bikeleswade webbere, John Taillour of Bernewell by Cambridge, John Knotyng of Bedeford flesshewere, Thomas de Plumpton, John Vessy of Staunford, Agnes Bytham of Staunford and Walter Bussh of Buntynghford, appealed, as above, by John de Bannebury, king's approver, detained in the same gaol, as appears by a certificate of the sheriff of Cambridge and Huntingdon and the coroners of those counties, who are now vagabonds perpetrating felonies and misdeeds in divers counties, at which the king is very greatly disturbed; and to bring them to the said gaol and deliver them into the keeping of the sheriff.

Thomas of
Lichfield

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 22

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 39 Edward III ii m.7*

28 December 1365

Windsor

Exemption for life of Thomas Taverner of Lichfeld the younger, from being put on assizes, juries or recognitions, and from appointment as mayor, sheriff, escheator, coroner or other bailiff or minister of the king, against his will.

By privy seal.

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No of references ordered: 20

Item no 1

Source: Lichfield Joint Record Office: B/A/1/4 B/A/1/4 f.112r

Title: *Register of Bishop Robert Stretton of Coventry & Lichfield*

16 October 1366

Lichfield

Hoc est Reg^{rm} beneficior^u ecc^{cor} p subscriptos cl[']icos in Couentr['] & Lich['] dioc['] co[']morantes iuxta forma['] cuiusdam monico[']is seu mandati ap^{ci} in hac pte vt dicit^r fact['] exhibitor

...

It[']m eisdem die loco & Anno p[']d[']cis Joh[']es fil['] Thome Tauerner senioris de Lich['] pcurator Nich[']i de Lich['] cl[']ici ad inf^ascripta speci^{tr} consti^{is} no[']ia quali^t & tax['] o[']im b[']nfic[']or^u ecc^{cor} ip[']ius constituentis d[']co ven['] p[']ri in sc[']ptis exhibuit sub hac forma

In dei no[']ie Amen Ego Joh[']es fil['] Thome Tau[']ner senioris de Lich['] pcurator d[']ni Nich[']i de Lich['] moram faciens in dioc['] Lich['] vob['] ven['] p[']ri d[']no R dei gr[']a Couent['] & Lich['] Ep[']o intimo & notifico no[']ie pcur['] p eodem q[']d idem Nich[']s optinet in p[']senti eccl[']iam poch['] de Calan in Hib[']n dioc['] Cistren['] taxat['] ad quinq^aginta m[']rc['] It[']m optinet in p[']senti lib[']am Capella['] Castri Stafford ad valorem xl. s[']. Lich['] dioc[']. de quib^s vos c[']tifico no[']ie quo sup^a iux^a mandat['] ap^c p p[']ntes in hiis sc[']ptis

This is a register of the ecclesiastical benefices exhibited by the following clerks residing in Coventry and Lichfield diocese according to the form of a monition or apostolic mandate made, as is said, in this behalf

...

Lichfield
John, Son of
Thomas T

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Also the same day and year aforesaid [16 October 1366 at Lichfield] John son of Thomas Taverner the elder of Lichfield proctor of Nicholas de Lichfield clerk, specially appointed for the following, exhibited in writing the names, quality and valuation of all the ecclesiastical benefits of his client to the said Venerable father, as follows

In the name of God, Amen, I John son of Thomas Taverner senior of Lichfield proctor of sir Nicholas de Lichfield residing in the diocese of Lichfield, inform and notify you, Venerable father lord bishop R by the grace of God bishop of Coventry and Lichfield, as proctor for the same, that the said Nicholas holds at present the parish church of Calan in Ireland, diocese of Chichester [miscopying of Ossory], valued at 50 marks: he also holds at present the free chapel of Stafford castle worth 40s, Lichfield diocese: of which I certify you as above according to the apostolic mandate by these presents in these writings.

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 45

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Close Roll 41 Edward III* m.26d

8 February 1367

Memorandum of acknowledgment of:

Richard Taverner of Chelmersford to Helminus Leget and sir Robert Crulle
and to their assigns:

grant of all his estate in the lands which he has to farm for a term of years of
John Wroth in Chelmersford and Spryngefeld; also for a sum of money in
hand by them paid all his moveable goods and chattels thereupon, and the
profits thereof.

Witnesses: William Prentys, William Skeet, John Clubbe, Adam atte Pond,
John Glover

Fancherche in the city of London, Wednesday the morrow of Michaelmas 40
Edward III [30 September 1366]

Thomas f
Lichefeld

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 21

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 41 Edward III i m.18*

21 May 1367

Westminster

Pardon to Philip Vynour of Teukesbury of his outlawry in the county of Worcester for non-appearance before the justices of the Bench to answer Thomas le Taverner of Lichefeld the younger, touching a plea of trespass; he having now surrendered to the Flete prison, as Robert de Thorpe, chief justice, has certified.

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No of references ordered: 20

Item no 7

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 41 Edward III i m.8d*

5 July 1367

Westminster

Commission to John Dabernoun, sheriff of Cornwall, Richard de Brankescombe, sheriff of Devon, and Nicholas Taverner, mayor of Exeter, to take and bring to the Marshalsea prison John de Uphull, clerk, who has been put out of the king's protection for disobedience and contumacy, whereby his lands and goods are demanded to be seized into the king's hands as forfeit, as more plainly appears by process made before the king, and who has now brought within the realm from foreign parts many matters prejudicial to the king and his crown, against the king's proclamation and prohibition; also to make inquisition in the said counties touching the lands and chattels held by him therein on the day of his being put out of the king's protection, and afterwards, to seize these into the king's hand and have the goods appraised and the lands extended, and to keep the said goods and the profits of the lands for the king's use, until further order.

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 29

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 41 Edward III ii m.23d*

10 October 1367

Westminster

Commission to Ralph de Nevill, Ralph Daubeney, Walter Serleby, John Halle and Richard Lovel, to arrest and take **John Taverner**, John Abyndon, John Bolton, William Derby, John Strecch, Nicholas de Werk, John Dousyng, John Barton the elder, Richard Bakere, John Spicer, John Lavenham, John Barton the younger, Thomas Pardoner of Brendwode, Richard Prentys, John Tilere, Geoffrey de Opton, John Apehwayt, Nicholas Chelmesford, Peter Bolmere, Geoffrey Swyneston, Stephen Hopton, John Wythe Croune, John Alkebarwe the elder, John Alkebarwe the younger, Robert Selbe chaplain, John Stoke, Richard Alberd, Simon Roger, John Queldryk the elder and John Queldryk the younger, **impeached of forging the king's money, gold and silver**, and the great, privy and secret seals of the pope, the king, the archbishops, bishops and other prelates, to search for the machines for forging the said money and seals, and for the seals so counterfeited, and bulls or letters sealed with such seals, to arrest the said machines, seals, bulls and letters, together with the persons in whose possession they are or on whom notorious suspicion rests, and to bring them before the king wherever he be in England, to be delivered to the justices of the King's Bench.

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 46

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Close Roll 41 Edward III* m.5d

4 December 1367

Westminster

Memorandum of a mainprise made by John de Stodeye of London, John de Birlyngham of London, Philip Taverner of London and Thomas White of Great Jernemuth before the chancellor, the treasurer and others of the council at Westminster on Saturday 4 December this year for Geoffrey de Fordelee of Great Jernemuth, who appeared in person before the council and acknowledged that at sea without the port of that town he bought 8 lasts of fresh herrings coming thither in a boat of Holand, to have his body before the council in the quinzaine of St Hilary next [27 January 1368] to answer concerning the premises and all other things that shall be laid against him on behalf of the king and of John Wroth citizen of London.

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Nicholas Taverner Mayor of Exeter.

Fohn
son Lincoln

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 41

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 42 Edward III i m.28d*

8 February 1368

Westminster

Commission of oyer and terminer to Robert de Thorpe, John Knyvet, Andrew Loterell, William Mamyon, Richard de Treton and William Bray, on complaint by Gilbert de Umframvill earl of Angus, that whereas the king lately appointed him, with others, to treat in the march of England and Scotland upon the due reformation of breaches of the late truce with those of Scotland, William de Melton chivaler, William de Everyngham of Laxton, master Alexander de Nevill clerk, master John de Kirkeby clerk, master John de Welton of Retford, Robert de Everyngham of Laxton, John de Bekyngham, John de Multon, Hugh son of Adam de Everyngham of Rokle, John Disney, John Wasteneys, Robert Cauce and Roger his son, Robert de Barley, William Crecy, William Bard of Granley, William Lachebere of Retford, **John Taverner of Lincoln the younger, John de Redynghous of Lincoln**, William Whittop of Fylyngham, John Scoter of Fylyngham, John Jonfelawepie, Hugh de Tilnay of Retford and William Lumynour of Lincoln, with others, broke his park at Skeldynghop, county Lincoln, while he was on the above service, made stay therein by armed force for three days and more, hunted therein without licence, took away no small number of deer and perpetrated other enormities.

For 40s paid in the hanaper.

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 48

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Close Roll 42 Edward III* m.14d

12¹ May 1368

Westminster

To the mayor and bailiffs of Leomynstre:

Order to cause William le Taverner and Richard Kedel burgesses of Leomynstre to have of the commonalty of that town 116s for their expenses in coming to the parliament summoned at Westminster on 1 May last, there abiding and thence returning, namely 2s a day each for 29 days.

Lawrence

Rye - Kent

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 46

Source: East Sussex Record Office: RCHM v 497

Title: *Rye Corporation Archives*

18 August 1368

Rye

Prior and convent of the order of Friars Heremites of St Austin in Rye, to the reverend William Taillour of Rye and Agnes his wife:

not only grant of the suffrages of their prayers, but also assignment of a brother, a priest professed of their order and convent - for a sum of money paid by the said William and Agnes, and for other benefits bestowed, and in future to be bestowed - to celebrate daily at the altar of St Nicholas in the parish church of Rye, for the healthful estate of them and their children, and for the soul of John, the brother of the said William; and for ever for the souls of the said William and Agnes, when they shall depart this life. Touching the holy [Gospels], the prior and convent have made corporal oath thereon, and executed these presents. In case of omission or neglect, they are to incur sentence of the greater excommunication. The seal of their community, and the seal of the office of prior, are attached.

Given at Rye, in our chapter place, on the 18th day of August in the year of our Lord 1368

Witnesses: the venerable sir Stephen, dean of the deanery of Hastyngges, sir William de Leycestre, perpetual vicar of the church of Rye, Richard Baddyng, then mayor, Henry Golde3eve, John Ivory, Laurence Taverner, John Salerne, Stephen Andrew, Laurence Curboyl, Stephen Elyot, Thomas Kittay, Robert Bernhand, Richard Pak, John Otringham.

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 47

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Close Roll 42 Edward III m.9*

20 October 1368

Westminster

To the mayor and bailiffs of the town of Kyngeston upon Hull, and to the collectors of customs in the port thereof:

Order to make inquisition by oath of true men, as well merchants as others, whether John Williamesson of Middelburgh would have sailed to Newcastle upon Tyne with his ship and £33 sterling to buy coals there or no, and if they shall so find that such was their will, to dearrest the said ship and money and restore them to him, taking security of him that he will sail thither for the purpose aforesaid and to no other parts until his ship be laded with such coals, and if the contrary be found to keep the said ship and money under arrest until further order, certifying their action in chancery before Martinmas next; as by complaint of the said John the king has learned that a shop of his, laded at Lespruce with divers merchandise to be brought to the port of Kyngeston, was by Herman van the Werde merchant of Lubyk freighted for £33 to be paid to the said John for himself and his fellows the seamen thereof, that the said Herman paid him the money at Kyngeston, the ship being there unladed, that having received payment in the presence of John Taverner his host, he hired two lodemen, one called Robert, the other called Simon, to take him and his ship to Newcastle there to buy coals with the said money, and that when the ship was ready to sail the king's searchers and the controller of the customs came and entered the ship, and finding therein the said money, took it and arrested the ship as forfeit to the king, and are unlawfully keeping the ship and money under arrest, wherefore he has prayed for restitution thereof.

Philip London

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 28

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 43 Edward III i m.36*

6 February 1369

Westminster

Licence for William son of John Elys of Yarmouth to ship in the port of Great Yarmouth 60 quarters of malt and 50 pockets of flour and take them to Newcastle-upon-Tyne; as Geoffrey de Neuton, Ralph de Swanton, Philip Taverner of London and William Wlys the younger of Yarmouth have mainperned in the chancery that he will take the same to that town and bring back by Whitsunday letters from the mayor and bailiff of Newcastle attesting the discharge of the said corn there.

Nicholas
Chichester

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 27

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 43 Edward III ii m.9*

22 November 1369

Westminster

Exemplification, at the request of the mayor, bailiffs and citizens of Cicestre, of the tenour of a certificate of the treasurer and king's chamberlains as follows:-

1. Pleas of the Crown at Chichester, county Sussex, on the morrow of Midsummer, before John de Reygate and his fellows, justices in eyre, 7 Edward I [25 June 1279]. Pleas of the crown of the city of Chichester. The city of Chichester comes by twelve jurors. Roffa. Names of the bailiffs after the last eyre, to wit, Roger Germanyn and William Beolf, for one year; William Hervy and Robert le Mareschal, for two years; Henry Prykelone and Henry Hervy, for one year; Nicholas le Taverner and William Bewolf, for two years; John le Botiller and Roger Poleyn, for one year, who now are and answer. These were the coroners after the last eyre, to wit, Nicholas le Taverner and Richard de Boxgrave, who is dead; and Robert le Marescal and Robert Blett who now are and answer of their time. Touching purprestures, they say that Nicholas le Taverner of Chichester has narrows the king's highway without the north gate in length 25 perches and in breadth 4 perches to the nuisance of the whole city, and that he had made another purpresture without the east gate by raising a watermill and a stank whereby a backwater is established to the nuisance of the country and the city. Afterwards the said Roger comes and makes fine for the said purpresture by 1 mark.

2. Pleas of the crown before Salomon de Roffa, Walter de Hopton, master Thomas de Sudynton and Richard de Boylond, justices in eyre at Chichester, county Sussex, on the morrow of the Ascension 16 Edward I [7 May 1288]. Pleas of the city of Chichester to wit. These were the coroners in the city after the last eyre, to wit, Robert le Mareschal and Robert le Bleu, who is dead,

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and John le Botiller who answers with the firstnamed Robert, and John was elected by the town of Chichester after the death of Robert le Bleu without the king's writ.

These were the bailiffs after the last eyre, to wit, William Bewolf and Henry Gundewyne, for two years; Godfrey le Cordeaner and William de Erchham, for one year; Nicholas le Taverner and John Prikelone, for one year; William Bewolf and Henry Gundewyne, for two years; Roger Pulleyn and John Juvenis [Young] for two years, who now are the bailiffs and answer.

The city of Chichester comes by twelve jurors, to wit:- Richard Boncop of Arundel, bearing two ox-hides by the mill stank, fell in the king's mill stank without the east gate and was drowned at once. The first finder and two neighbours come and are not suspected, and no one else is; judgement, death by misadventure; price of the hides, 2s, of which the sheriff will answer. And Henry le Poter and John Deyred, two neighbours, come not nor are they suspected. And Henry was attached by John Twyepanes and Geoffrey Poleyn. Therefore he is in mercy. And John Deyred was attached by Roger Fugbel and William le Scletere. Therefore he is in mercy. Ralph de Nyton of the country of Lincoln put himself in the church of St Michael without the east gate of Chichester and acknowledged himself to be a homicide and a burglar of houses, and abjured the realm before the coroners. He had no chattels and was not in tithing because he was a stranger.

John
London

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 26

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 43 Edward III ii m.3*

4 January 1370

Westminster

Pardon to Richard Pouchemaker of Wyrcestre, alias Dycoun Pouchemaker, of the king's suit for the death of John Taverner of London pouchemaker, whereof he is indicted or appealed, and of any consequent outlawry,
By privy seal.

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Thomas Taverner - John Campanade nephew and one of the heirs.

John Taverner, Exeter, Devon.

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 43

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Close Roll 45 Edward III* m.29d: damaged

27 April 1371

Westminster

To the sheriff of Hereford:

Order to warn Thomas Chaundos knight of the shire, Henry Cachepol citizen of Hereford and William Taverner burgess of Leomyntre who by the king's command came to the parliament last holden at [Westminster] for the commons of the said county and the said city and town, if yet living, or otherwise their fellows who were elected with them so to do, to leave over all else and ceasing every excuse to be in person at Winchester in the octaves of Trinity next [8 June 1371] to inform the king and council touching the manner and form in which answer may most speedily and most conveniently made to the king concerning the sum of £50,000 according to the intent of the grant made to him in the said parliament, and in the mean time to make inquisition concerning the number of parish churches, chapels and prebends in the county as well in the hands of secular persons as of men of religion, and certify at the day and place aforesaid the names thereof and of the said knight, citizen and burgess, sending again this writ; as [in aid of the expenses which] as well for the safety and defence of the realm and the shipping thereof as for furtherance of the war with France, the earls, barons, lords and commons of the realm in the said parliament [granted] the king a subsidy of 22s 3d to be levied and taken of every parish of the realm, [every parish of greater] value aiding and contributing rateably to another of less value, to the intent that the subsidy should amount [to the sum of £50],000; and after deliberation had by the king and council touching the levy thereof [it seems to the council that] 22s 3d levied of every parish does not [by] much amount to the said sum, and it is feared that answer may not be made for that sum at the said terms appointed according to [the intent] of the grant; and the king willing to be better

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informed touching the declaration of intent aforesaid and how the levy may most speedily be made, and considering that it would be burdensome for all the lords, knights, citizens and burgesses who at his command came to the said parliament to be assembled a second time for that cause. in order to spare them labour and expense has appointed to hold speech and treaty with certain of them touching the premises.

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 39

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 45 Edward III ii m.35d*

10 July 1371

Westminster

Commission of oyer and terminer to Richard de Stafford, William de Wychyngham, Edmund de Chelrewe, Henry Percehay and John Cary, on complaint by Edward prince of Aquitaine and Wales and duke of Cornwall, that Thomas Irissh, Baldwin atte Leye, Peter Godesgrace, Odo Trevelan, John Kyn, Robert Kyn, Richard Dory, John Pyk, Odo Hog, John Chapmon of Porpirra, William Spaynull, John Anissh, John Hobbe, John Sherere, Oger Moram, William atte Leye, Thomas Gilbert, Robert Tregon of Lost, John Kynte of Lost, Roger Swenge of Lost, John de la Wedel of Lost, John Umfrey of Lost, John Hikedon of Lost, John Hora of Lost, John Huwet of Lost, Richard Pruet of Lost, Laurence Bodynet, Thomas Rouland, John Martyn of Lost, William Carpenter, John Hog, Nicholas Pegau, Thomas Pegau, Philip Benet, William Cok, John Teyr, Richard Mayho, Nicholas Martyn, Thomas Raulyn, Thomas Hog, Henry atte Leye, Stephen Athelard, Richard Randolph, John Broun, William Gill, Nicholas Irissh, Adam Blake, John Robert, Martin Pierres, Richard Asshman, Nicholas Taban, Henry Dannel, John Sutch, John Gibbe, John Langourthoi, Michael Greuk, Martin Boye, John Scurleg, John Hora of Fawy, Odo Ouger, Peter Cok, Thomas Top, Richard Taillour, Edward Trusse, John Emery, Robert Bailiff of Tewardreyt, John Cornysch, John Tregu, John Porthalou the younger, Odo Pierres, John Harry, Henry Tudman, Ralph Oliver, Ralph Cok, John Tomud, John Wille, Richard Cok, Richard Stodele, Walter Wynkele, John Laengard, Robert Lybob, John Kelyob, Roger atte Mulle, John Waryn, David Cok, William Dawe, John Crerk, Odo Greyk, Walter Greyk, Thomas Davy, John Denyel, John Hobkyn, William Gille, William Bakiere, William Bowerewe, William atte Welle, Robert Possebery, Nicholas Cok, James Taxeney of Fawy, Laurence Skracy,

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William Fissher, John Lawydelle, John Huwet, John Hora, William Horewode, William Scot, Roger Hell, Thomas Prege, William Holewille, Adam Taillour, Hugh Taillour, Henry Stonard, John Venour, John Porthalawode the elder, John Dawe of Loo, John Tregewe, William Scarlet, John Kendale atte Coumb, John Pole of Bodmyn, William Flecchere, Thomas Gwyk taillour, Stephen Derneforde, William Gurdon, William Honyngton, William Whitchirch, John Hobbe of Polruan, John Mewesewe, John Vincent, John Bernard, William Bewerewe the younger, John Caperoun, John Stoke of Coumb, John Lercedeakne chivaler, Richard Wythead, Robert Sampson, Thomas Pirok, Richard Peel, John Plays, William Wekays, William Aissh, John atte Wore the elder, John atte Wore the younger, William Thornyng, Roger Stone, Geoffrey Wynkelegh, Reynold Tavystok, Ralph Seton, Richard Totewille, Maurice Gladwyn, John Moris, John Rounde, Philip Durneford, Richard Skelly, Thomas Rayn, Richard Trobba, Robert Lomlegh, William Penylok, William Herbard, John Serle, Henry Sare, John Pipere, Richard de Chestre, William de Portlond, William Glas, John Penbrok, John Hauekyn, William Noyter, John Wydecomb, Richard Wydecomb, Simon Carpenter, William Carpenter, William Criour, John Castel, Thomas Mosbury, John Monk, John Paywell, William Massy, John Artour, John Scot, Ralph Helyere, John Ropere, John Pynho, Thomas Peynton, William Totewill, Richard Norman, Roger Wekays, John Offord, Walter Tenghere, John Shap, Thomas Episwich, John Hasewe, John Boghiere, John Coterel, Richard Wadisworthi, Richard Ston, David Kylmenand, Walter Shepestowe, Nicholas Medwill, Thomas Masoun, John Portlond, John de Fawy, Thomas Vincent, John Adam, Thomas Don, Thomas Russel, John Holman, William Okelegh, Robert Hopere, Andrew Carpenter of Dertemuth, Ralph Sopere, Thomas Boterescastel, Richard Peche, Richard Chambernoun, John Knyght, Simon Deyngel, Walter Pleghe, William Sadeler, Walter Sadeler, Walter Tamerton, John Kete, Thomas Bounda, John Poundfold, Roger Besta, Thomas Vacy, William Wyte, John Mathern, Luke Doyngnel, John Tonge, John Sarra, John Blog, Nicholas Raundel, John Knyght the younger, Walter Guolde, John Vora, Henry Tote, Simon Fay, Richard Penenesheghe, Bernard Jaan, Robert Lokyere, Walter Warrewyk, John Boghiere the younger, William Flete, Gilbert Uppehull, William Ropere, John Roode, Nicholas Hurt, John Nyweman, William Rena, John Fisshere, John Payn, Richard Adam, John Cornewaille, William Abel, William Stoke, Stephen Fleg, Richard Blog,

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Robert atte Wore, John Hopere, Stephen Forslegh, William Hureward, Roger Caperon, John Bovy, Philip Tavener, Reynold Cantel, John Gregge, David Peyntour, Walter Leche, Geoffrey Sadeler, William Glovyere, John Skollyng, John Greta, Robert Doffa, Reynold Elys, Robert Galney, Edmund Ferrersa, Robert Taillour, Robert Thecchere, William Savage, John Wakelyn, John Elys, Gilbert Kyng, John Gernesie, John Shadelok, William Mate, William Wytebigel, William Radelegh, John Colvere, John Mareys, John German, John Gest, Robert Bele, John Herman, William Deghere, William Pilhe, Walter atte Howe, Richard Hureward, Robert Lymere, Robert Ives, John Wyot, Philip Elys, John Lange, John Halselegh, William Goffa, John Closhely, Roger Syse, John Swet, John Corbour, Robert Corbour, Robert Trolla, John Trolla, Richard Pegou, William Stevyn, Robert Carpenter, John Carpenter, John Wellifet, John Blake, Robert Austyn, John Socour, Walter Kecitson, John Edmund, John Bastard, Richard Averay, William Stratton, Walter Rauf, Richard Bole, Warin Torryng, Henry Armurer, Richard Wytelegh, Richard Berard, Thomas Persoun, Richard Durant, John Halswille, John Bonde, Richard Mossel, John Edward, William Clofhely, John Cosyn, Robert Horle, Henry Machon, Edward Pedon, John Bernard, Richard Cras, William Boghiere, and others, carried away 200 barels of his wine and other goods at Penryn, county Cornwall, and assaulted his men and servants at Lostwythiel.

Laurence.
Rye Kent

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Item no 42

Source: East Sussex Record Office: RCHM v 511

Title: *Rye Corporation Archives*

25 January 1371 - 24 January 1372

Rye

John Peytevyn of Wynchelse, to William Passelewe, son of John, of the township of Rye, and Isabel his wife:

grant of 2s out of 7s yearly rent which they were wont to pay him, for a tenement formerly of John Callere of Rye, near the tenements of John Vox, Walter Scherman, and Thomas Taillour.

Witnesses: William Taylour, mayor, Thomas Taillour, bailiff, Laurence Courboille, John Yvori, John Salerne, Laurence Taverner, Simon atte Wode, Robert Bucher.

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William D Derby

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Item no 11

Source: Lichfield Joint Record Office: B/A/1/4 f.86r

Title: *Register of Bishop Robert Stretton of Coventry & Lichfield*

10 June 1371

Heywod

Cestr'

Institut'o vicarie de Eccles

It'm iiij Id' Junij Anno d'ni sup^ascripto apud Heywod Rob'tus de Mawnton' p'br admissus fuit in psona' Rob'ti [d]e Bolton' Capell'i pcur' sui sufficient' in hac pte constituti ad vicaria' eccl'ie de Eccles vac'. Et institutus in [e]ad' ad p'sentac' Abb'is & Conts. de Whalley ver' eiusd' vicar' p'ronor Et vacauit die Mart^s px' post f'm Asc' [d]n'i vlti'o p'tit' p mortem d'ni Joh'is de Milnegate vlt'i vicar' eiusd' Et id' pcurator iurauit ob'iam & [c]onti'am residencia' no'ie d'ni sui, Et me^d q'd die Jouis in Septi'a Pentecost' vlti'o p'tit' ap'd Derby in quoda' gardino inf^a Mans'm Will'i d'ci Tau'ner de Derby cora' Mag'ro Joh'e de Outheby Notar' pu^o & Will'o de Neuagh' tu'c d'ni Ep'i Lich' Regist^ario & Joh'e d'co le Messag^r Linc' & Ebor' dioc' p'd'cus Rob'tus de Maunton' ib'm tu'c pso^{tr} consti^s ordinauit & constituit p'd'cm Rob'm de Bolton' pcur'em suu' ad om'ia sup^adict' pagend'

Chester [archdeaconry]

Institution of the vicarage of Eccles

Also 4 ides June the year of the Lord abovewritten [10 June 1371] at Heywod, Robert de Mawnton priest was admitted, in the person of Robert de Bolton chaplain his proctor sufficiently appointed in this behalf, to the vicarage of the church of Eccles, vacant. And instituted in the same at the presentation of the Abbot and Convent of Whalley, true patrons of the said vicarage. And it became vacant on Tuesday after the feast of the Ascension of the Lord last past

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[20 May 1371] by the death of sir John de Milnegate last vicar of the same. And the said proctor swore obedience and continual residence in the name of his master. And note that onb Thursday in Whit week last past [29 May 1371] at Derby in a garden within the mansion of William called Taverner of Derby, before master John de Outheby notary public and William de Neuhagh then registrar of the lord bishop of Lichfield, and John called le Messenger of Lincoln and York dioceses, the aforesaid Robert de Maunton then and there personally present ordained and appointed the aforesaid Robert de Bolton his proctor to conduct all the business aforesaid.

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Wilhelmus Taverner M.P. Branstaple.

William Taverner Burgess of Barnstaple - Devon.

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Henry of
Lodlow &
Bristol

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Item no 1

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 46 Edward III ii m.19*

4 November 1372

Westminster

Pardon to Henry Taverner of Lodlowe of his outlawry in the county of Gloucester for non-appearance before the justices of the Bench to answer Beatrice late the wife of William de Priston of Bristol, Alexander Moys and William Hanam, executors of the will of the said William, touching a plea that he render them 100s; he having now surrendered to the Flete prison as William de Fyncheden, chief justice, has certified.

1372

Thomas Taverner of Hull, had died before 1372 leaving a widow,
Emma.

Nov 22 Cal. of charter rolls

W^m De Elmham Kt & Heirs in their towns of Wethorp Co
Suffolk & Frenge, Norfolk.

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Item no 16

Source: Guildhall Library

Title: *City of London Court of Husting Registered Copy Will 102/94*

made 9 July 1373

registered 17 July 1374

John de Weston, called de St Ives, brewer, of Colmanstrete

... to be buried in St Mary's Chapel in the church of St Stephen de Colmanstrete

... bequests to the said church and ministers therein, comprising a silver girdle in aid of the thurible called sensere therein; also to divers orders of friars so that each order say two trentals of masses for the good of my soul, the souls of William my father, Matilda my mother, Katherine, Joseana, and Deonisia, my late wives, and others; to every lazar house and every anchorite in London; also for the maintenance of lights of the Fraternity of St Stephen de Colmanstrete and the Fraternity of St Giles without Crepulgate, repair of belfries of the churches of St Ethelburga within Bishopesgate and St Margaret de Lotheburi, &c.

... for a pilgrim to go to Santiago in Gallicia on my behalf I leave my best silver girdle and forty shillings

... to John son of Margaret my wife, Clemence and Agnes, daughters of the same, my servants, and others, I leave sums of money

... to Henry Craft a new gowne and a new robe of mottelee

... I acquit William atte Thole lodere of a debt, and leave to the man called Va donn lodere, a coat and hood

... Geoffrey le Taverner at le Bole in Chepe is to receive in ale from my aforesaid wife forty shillings, to which extent I have formerly defrauded him

... to sir William Scryveyn, vicar of St Peter's church in the town of St Alban, twenty shillings

... to my aforesaid wife I leave all my lands and tenements in the parish of St Stephen aforesaid for life; remainder in trust for sale for pious uses

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Dated London, Saturday next after the feast of the translation of St Thomas the martyr, to wit, 9 July, 1373

... also to Margaret, daughter of the said Joseana, six shillings and eightpence
... to the hermit at Hakeneye twelve pence

1374

Geoffrey le Taverner at Le Bole in Chepe is to receive in all from his afore said wife 40/- to which extent the testator had formerly defrauded him - Will of John de Weston.

Cal. of Close Rolls.

1000 marks from W^m de Elmham

Dec 8 W^m de Elmham kt of Norfolk & Ralph de
Sheldan to keep the peace.

in 1318 John de Weston kt
was given lands in Bristol belonging to
John le T.

Edward
of Gloucester

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 7

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 49 Edward III ii m.17d*

18 October 1375

Westminster

Commission to Peter de Veel, sheriff of Gloucester, Edward Taverner, Nicholas Birdlep, William Hayberer, Thomas Styward, Robert Walour and John de Compton to arrest Richard Ferrour of Great Dene, William Smyth, who has himself called Sire John Geffrey and Admiral, Nicholas de Castell, Richard del Milne, Walter Shepard, William Coutays, Richard Shait, who has himself called Sire William Recchemenever, John Hicokes, Ralph Grayndon the elder, John Smyth of Little Dene, who has himself called Sire Richard Misavysed, John Willi and John Hawardyne, bring them to the Tower of London and have them delivered by indenture to the constable thereof for safe keeping in the Tower prison until other order for their delivery.

By the king and the Great Council.

The like to Gilbert Talbot, Peter de Veel, John Joce, Thomas Hathewy, John the lord of Stanton, John Ketford, Edward White, John Gayner, John of Aure, Thomas Bray the younger, Robert Hunteley, Thomas Beynoun, John Stephenes, Thomas Bray the elder, Richard Staure, Richard Brayn and John Magat, to arrest the same persons, as above.

Tol
Boston

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 35

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Fine Roll 49 Edward III m.9*

28 December 1375

Westminster

Licence for John Taverner of Boston and his deputies and officers to sell sweet wines by retail or in parcels in the town of Boston, county Lincoln, for 4 years, by survey and controlment of William Waryn, whom the king has appointed controller for the purpose, provided that he pay at the Exchequer 1 mark on each vessel of wine so sold; notwithstanding the late ordinance against making such sales.

1375

December 13th Edward Taverner of Gloucester and others deliver
2 prisoners to the Tower of London.

Gilbert Taverner Northampton list of persons to do no bodily harm
to Gilbert under pain of £80.00

Truce between England & France.

Rob in Hood appears in English popular lit.

John
Penreth ward

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 6

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 50 Edward III i m.40*

7 February 1376

Westminster

Grant, during pleasure, to John Sharpe of the bailiwick of being forester in Penreth ward in Ingelwode forest, which John Taverner deceased had of the king's grant, with the fees and profits pertaining to the same.
By privy seal.

Hugh
K.u. Thames

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 5

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 50 Edward III i m.26*

30 April 1376

Westminster

Grant to Hugh Taverner and John Haigne of pontage for ten years in aid of the repair of the bridge of Kyngeston upon Thames, which is broken down.
By the king on the information of Nicholas Carreu, keeper of the privy seal.

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 4

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 50 Edward III i m.22d*

20 May 1376

Westminster

Commission to Hugh Cheyne, sheriff of Wilts, Richard atte Halle of North Okebourne, John Balle, Henry atte Lake and Robert atte Lake, to arrest John Whiteside of Chiselden, outlawed in the county of Sussex for non-appearance before the king to answer Alice de Compton touching a plea of trespass, who is lurking in divers parts of the realm so that he cannot be brought to justice; and to bring him before the king on the octaves of Midsummer.

The like to Nicholas atte Crouche, sheriff of Kent, William Lambyn, Geoffrey Robyn and Thomas Taverner, to arrest Thomas Sullefene of Mynstre, outlawed in the said county at the suit of Alice as above.

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 3

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 50 Edward III* ii m.32

26 September 1376

Westminster

Protection with clause volumus, for one year, for Henry Taverner of Bristol, going to Ireland to stay on the king's service there in the company of James le Botiller earl of Ormond.

1376

Edward Taverner of Gloucester £16.18 to Edward for 82 days at parliament. (Calendar of Patent Rolls).

Henry Taverner of Guildford £15.14 for 76 days at Parliament.

John Taverner of Norfolk to set free G. Pulle from Newgate Prison. (see 1353).

July 10 To the sherriff of London. Order by man prise
of Ralph de poley Kt, John Taverner, Geoffrey Bee
and John Ingman of Norfolk to set free
Geoffrey Pulle of Tene-mouth from Newgate Prison
ref. Cal. of Close Rolls

Surrey
Hugh T.

1377

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No of references ordered: 20

Item no 7

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Ancient Deeds* B 1759

[25 January 1376 - 24 January 1377]

Letters of attorney by Richard de Warmynton clerk, for Hugh Taverner of Kyngestone, county Surrey, to deliver to John de Wytewell clerk, attorney of William de Walworth and William de Haldene, citizens of London, seisin of the lands, tenements, &c., in the town of Kyngeston' on Thames which the said Richard and Robert de Bikenore, chaplains, had of the feoffment of John Wenge and Agnes his wife.

50 Edward III

Seal.

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 36

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Fine Roll 51 Edward III* m.13

4 March 1377

Westminster

Commission to William Stenby, John Broun, Richard de Arderm and John Taverner, to levy in the town of Staumford the subsidy of 4d from every lay man and woman over the age of 14 years, except true and genuine mendicants, which was granted to the king in aid of the expenses of his war by the magnates, knights and commonalties of the counties, cities and boroughs of England in the Parliament summoned at Westminster on the quinzaine of Hilary last, so that they answer therefor at the Exchequer or elsewhere, as the king shall appoint, by the morrow of the Close of Easter next; and order to them to go from place to place of the said town, and to summon before them the mayor and the bailiffs with all speed, and cause the said money to be levied and answer thereof made to the king; and order to the sheriff of Lincoln, and the mayor, bailiffs and whole commonalty of the town, to be intendant to them, and to join with the commissioners in distraining, and if necessary arresting and keeping in prison, all persons who refuse to pay. By the king and council.

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 2

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 51 Edward III* m.17

21 April 1377

Westminster

Commitment for three years to Alexander Taverner of York of the office of the gauging of wines in the city of York and the port thereof, taking the accustomed fees, so that he exercise the office by himself or by deputy and answer at the Exchequer for the forfeitures.

By bill of the treasurer.

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No of references ordered: 20

Item no 16

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Rotulorum Originalium in Curia Scaccarii Abbreviatio* ii 351: 51
Edward III r.12

25 January 1377 - 21 June 1377

Ebor'.

R. commissit Alex'o Tav'ner de Ebor officium gaugeati vinor in civitate R.
Ebor & in portu ejusdem h'end' p tres annos Ita &c.

York

*The king committed to Alexander Taverner of York the office of gauger of
wine in the king's city of York and in the port of the same, to have for three
years: so &c.*

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 14

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 1 Richard II* i m.27d

16 July 1377

Westminster

Commission of oyer and terminer to Gilbert de Umframvill earl of Angos, Ralph de Crumwell, Ralph Basset of Sapcote, Andrew Lutrell, William de Skipwyth, Roger de Kirketon, Simon Symeoun, Henry Asty, William de Spaigne and Thomas Claymond, on complaint by John bishop of Lincoln, that Thoimas Tornour of Sleaford, Robert Ledebeter, Robert Benet, Thomas Stele, Thomas Tavernere, John Smyth, John Taverner, Robert Leante, Ralph Whitebarn, William Aubreye, Thomas Edward, John Warnere, John Croftes, Robert Denton, Richard de Kyme, Thomas Waddester, William de Lesyngham the younger, Thomas de Dyrington, John Faillon, John Kilnere, Walter Skynner, John Peper, Thomas de Tye, Thomas Saunby, John Bakestere, John Saxton, William Denton, William Houwell, Wllliam son of Robert Denton of Sleaford and others confederated by oath and broke his mill at Sleaford, county Lincoln, and the pond thereof and the causeways thereto, made his miller there swear that he would grind no one's corn except that of the men of Sleaford, prevented him (the bishop) from holding his court in his manor by his steward or other ministers and from levying amercements and other profits thereof, and his tenants and others from prosecuting their pleas and suits therein, and the men of that country from coming to his market, overran with swine his land, meadow and pasture there and at Haldyngham, entered his free warren at Sleaford, hunted therein without his leave, trampled his growing grass, fished in his several fishery, dug in his soil, carried away earth, fish, grass, hares, rabbits, pheasants and partridges, overwhelmed his bondmen with threats and insults and by extorting several sums of money from them, so that they did not dare to cultivate his lands, but were compelled

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to depart out of his demesne, depastured his corn and grass with cattle, and assaulted his servants.

For 20s paid in the hanaper.

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 15

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 1 Richard II i m.2*

26 October 1377

Shene Manor

Grant, for life, during good behaviour, to Thomas Forester of Drybek, of the forester's office in Penrethwarde in the forest of Ingelwode, in the room of John Taverner deceased.

By privy seal.

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 37

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Fine Roll 1 Richard II i m.4*

14 November 1377

Westminster

Commission to Nicholas Slyfffeld, Robert Danehurst, Peter atte Merssh, Walter Otteworth, Roger Lumbard, Thomas Taillard, John Hadresham, Roger Brokham, Hamelin de Metham, Thomas Daan, Henry Baillyf, Thomas Bakere, Hugh Taverner, Thomas de Croydon, Roger Haselmere, Thomas Drapere, Henry Mareschal of Suthwerk, Richard atte Legh of Dadyngton, Walter Colgrym, Walter Spicer of Croydon and John Hore of Croydon, to collect and receive from all cities, boroughs, towns and secular lords of towns in the county of Surrey, and from all ecclesiastics in the county in respect of goods issuing from lands acquired since 20 Edward I [20 November 1291-19 November 1292], the two fifteenths and tenths which were granted to the king in the Parliament convoked at Westminster in the quinzaine of Michaelmas last in aid of the necessary expenses to be incurred about the furtherance of the king's wars and for the safeguarding and defence of the realm and church of England, to wit, as great a sum as has been wont to be levied in like case, and no more, provided that the said secular lords of towns contribute to such payment in respect of all their goods whatsoever, and the ecclesiastics as above, and that noone of whatsoever estate be spared, and that answer be made at the Exchequer or elsewhere for the said tenths and fifteenths at the feast of the Purification next; and order to them to go from town to town and from place to place, and summon before them two men and the reeve from each town, and the mayor and bailiffs and four men from each city and borough, intructing the said reeves etc. to cause the said money to be levied as above by one or two of the most sufficient men of the said cities, boroughs and towns, and delivered to them without delay; or else to cause the money to be levied from the said reeves etc. themselves: and order to all earls, barons, knights, lords of towns, freemen and the whole commonalty of the county, and to the bailiffs and commonalties of cities, towns and boroughs, and to the sheriff, to be intendant to the said commissioners, and to the sheriff to join with them in distraining those who refuse to pay.

By the king and council.

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 13

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 1 Richard II* ii m.8d

30 November 1377

Westminster

Commission of oyer and terminer to William de Skipwyth, Thomas de Ingelby, Roger de Fulthorpe, Robert Roos of Ingmanthorpe, Henry de Barton, John de Ask and Thomas de Beverlay, on complaint by the king's clerk, Richard de Ravenser, master of the hospital of St Leonard, York, that although Edward III and other the king's progenitors took the said hospital, its master and brethren and all their possessions, under his protection, yet John abbot of Kirkestall, John de Rughford clerk, John de Doncastre marchaunt, John de Coupelond shether, William Louesham spicer, Simon de Watton taillour, John de Bolton taillour, John de Dighton webster, William de Aynderby taillour, Alexander Taverneer, William Clif taillour, William de Ake webster, Thomas Thwayt, Thomas de Feriby, William Sevenhous, and others, broke his closes and houses at York, Benyngburgh, Rughford, Saxton, Heselyngton, Heworth, Brouneflete-by-Southecave and Moramwik, in the county of York, entered and hunted his free warrens at the said places, felled trees and underwood at Benyngburgh and Rughford, dug in his turbary at Hslyngton and Moramwik, carried away turves, trees, underwood, timber and other goods, besides hares, rabbits, pheasants and partridges, and assaulted his servants so that they went in fear of their lives, and in consequence left 100 acres of land at Saxton uncultivated.

For 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

Nicholas son of John Taverner, Tenement in Southampton. Calendar of Close Rolls.

Robert Taverner of York Lay Subsidy

William Taverner of York Lay Subsidy

April 13 (Cal. of Close Rolls)

To the Sherriff of Southampton a prohibition to the baliffs of Southampton against holding a plea in the Kings Court of that town between Nicholas, son of John Taverner, John Monday and Isabel his wife and Roger Mascall and Felicia his wife, Plaintiffs, and Thomas Haywode, Clemance, his wife and John, son of Thomas, Tennants tenants, concerning a Messuage in Southampton.

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 9

Source: Public Record Office: E 179/206/49

Title: Yorkshire West Riding Poll Tax 2 Richard II¹

12 September 1379

Austerfeld

Wappentagium de Strafford'

Villa de Austerfeld

Nicholaus Bate & Mergareta vx^r ejus, marchant de bestes

	xijd
Johannes seruiens dicti Nicholai	iiijd
Matilda seruiens dicti Nicholai	iiijd
Willelmus Symmeson' & Cecilia vx ^r ejus	iiijd
Willelmus Cok' & Sibilla vx ^r ejus	iiijd
Johannes Gepson' & Agnes vx ^r ejus	iiijd
Adam de Amcotes & Alicia vx ^r ejus	iiijd
Robertus Smyth' & Emma vx ^r ejus	iiijd
Willelmus Rundell' & Emma vx ^r ejus	iiijd
Ricardus Foghler & Alicia vx ^r ejus	iiijd
Johannes Tauerner & Isabella vx ^r ejus	iiijd
Magota Pegge	iiijd
Cecilia filia ejus	iiijd

¹ ... nomina omnium personarum in Westrythyngo predicto existentium etatem xvj annorum excedencium veris mendicantibus dumtaxat exceptis ac summe particulares singulas earundem personarum de dicto subsidio [regi Ricardo secundo post conquestum anno regni sui secundo concessi] juxta status suos & gradus conting[ent]es ... Datum apud Doncastre die lune proximo ante festum Exaltacionis sancte Crucis anno regni dicti domini Regis tercio. -

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FONS

Robertus Richerd' & Magota vx ^r ejus	iiijd
Johannes Pegge & Cecilia vx ^r ejus	iiijd
Thomas Bate & Cecilia vx ^r ejus	iiijd
Simon Williamson' & Agnes vx ^r ejus	iiijd
Agnes Brasse	iiijd
Ricardus Cusson' & Elena vx ^r ejus	iiijd

Summa	vijs
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Wapentake of Strafford

Township of Austerfeld

<i>Nicholas Bate and Margaret his wife, cattle merchant</i>	12d
<i>John servant of the said Nicholas</i>	4d
<i>Matilda servant of the said Nicholas</i>	4d
<i>William Symmeson and Cecilia his wife</i>	4d
<i>William Cok and Sibilla his wife</i>	4d
<i>John Gepson and Agnes his wife</i>	4d
<i>Adam de Amcotes and Alice his wife</i>	4d
<i>Robert Smyth and Emma his wife</i>	4d
<i>William Rundell and Emma his wife</i>	4d
<i>Richard Foghler and Alice his wife</i>	4d
<i>John Taverner and Isabella his wife</i>	4d
<i>Magota Pegge</i>	4d
<i>Cecilia her daughter</i>	4d
<i>Robert Richerd and Magota his wife</i>	4d
<i>John Pegge and Cecilia his wife</i>	4d
<i>Thomas Bate and Cecilia his wife</i>	4d
<i>Simon Williamson and Agnes his wife</i>	4d
<i>Agnes Brasse</i>	4d
<i>Richard Cusson and Ellen his wife</i>	4d
<i>Sum</i>	7s

FONS

Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 10

Source: Public Record Office: E 179/206/49

Title: *Yorkshire West Riding Poll Tax 2 Richard II²*

12 September 1379

Bautre

Wappentagium de Strafford'

Villata de Bautre

...

Isabella de Morton'

iiijd

Emma Diker

iiijd

Alicia Coke

iiijd

Agnes Tauerner

iiijd

Matilda de Fyshelake

iiijd

Willelmus Nouthird'

iiijd

Johanna Taylour

iiijd

...

Wapentake of Strafford

Township of Bautre

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FONS

...

Isabella de Morton

4d

Emma Diker

4d

Alice Coke

4d

Agnes Taverner

4d

Matilda de Fyshelake

4d

William Nouthird

4d

Johanna Taylour

4d

...

FONS

Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 11

Source: Public Record Office: E 179/206/49

Title: *Yorkshire West Riding Poll Tax 2 Richard II*³

12 September 1379

Donecastre

Wappentagium de Strafford'

Villata de Donecastre

...

Johannes de Carleton' & Alicia vx^r ejus iiijd

Nicholaus Frere & Agnes vx^r ejus, taylour vjd

Adam Lyster & Johanna vx^r ejus iiijd

Thomas Tauerner & Emma vx^r ejus iiijd

Thomas Glouer & Sibilla vx^r ejus iiijd

Johannes Wylegouse iiijd

Ricardus seruiens Nicholai de Bramwyth' iiijd

...

Wapentake of Strafford

Township of Donecastre

³ ... nomina omnium personarum in Westrythyngo predicto existentium etatem xvj annorum excedencium veris mendicantibus dumtaxat exceptis ac summe particulares singulas earundem personarum de dicto subsidio [regi Ricardo secundo post conquestum anno regni sui secundo concessi] juxta status suos & gradus contingent]es ... Datum apud Doncastre die lune proximo ante festum Exaltacionis sancte Crucis anno regni dicti domini Regis tercio. -

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FONS

...

John de Carleton and Alice his wife 4d

Nicholas Frere and Agnes his wife, taylour 6d

Adam Lyster and Johanna his wife 4d

Thomas Taverner and Emma his wife 4d

Thomas Glover and Sibilla his wife 4d

John Wylegouse 4d

Richard servant of Nicholas de Bramwyth 4d

...

FONS

Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 12

Source: Public Record Office: E 179/206/49

Title: *Yorkshire West Riding Poll Tax 2 Richard II*⁴

12 September 1379

Rypon

Wappentagium de Clarrowe

Westgate in Rypon'

...

Agnes de Bisshopton'

iiijd

Thomas Eryom'

iiijd

Agnes de Richemond'

iiijd

Johannes Tauerner & vxor ejus, hosteler

ijs

Margareta seruiens ejusdem

iiijd

Willelmus Webster & vxor ejus

iiijd

Ricardus de Stowe & vxor ejus

iiijd

...

Wapentake of Clarrowe

Westgate in Rypon

⁴ ... nomina omnium personarum in Westrythyngo predicto existentium etatem xvj annorum excedencium veris mendicantibus dumtaxat exceptis ac summe particulares singulas earundem personarum de dicto subsidio [regi Ricardo secundo post conquestum anno regni sui secundo concessi] juxta status suos & gradus conting[ent]es ... Datum apud Doncastre die lune proximo ante festum Exaltacionis sancte Crucis anno regni dicti domini Regis tercio. -

... the names of all persons over the age of 16 in the aforesaid West Riding, excepting only real beggars, and the particular sums pertaining to each according to their state and station, for the said subsidy [granted to king Richard II for the second year of his reign ... given at Doncaster, Monday next before the feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross, in the third year of the reign of the said lord king [12 September 1379]

FONS

...

<i>Agnes de Bisshopton</i>	<i>4d</i>
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<i>Thomas Eryom'</i>	<i>4d</i>
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<i>Agnes de Richemond</i>	<i>4d</i>
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<i>John Taverner and his wife, hosteler</i>	<i>2s</i>
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<i>Margareta servant of the same</i>	<i>4d</i>
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<i>William Webster and his wife</i>	<i>4d</i>
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<i>Richard de Stowe and his wife</i>	<i>4d</i>
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...

FONS

Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 13

Source: Public Record Office: E 179/206/49

Title: Yorkshire West Riding Poll Tax 2 Richard II⁵

12 September 1379

Pontiffract

Wappentagium de Osgodcrosse

Pontiffract'

...

Willelmus Baughtwer, tayllour, & Alicia vx^r ejusvjd

Ricardus seruiens ejus iiijd

Alicia seruiens ejus iiijd

Raude Tauerner & Johanna vx^r ejus iiijd

Johannes seruiens ejus iiijd

Willelmus filius ejus iiijd

Thomas Marchall', smyth, & Juliana vx^r ejus xijd

Johannes seruiens ejus iiijd

Alicia Fithyller iiijd

Johannes Gayton', marchaunt, & Margareta vx^r ejus

dimid' marc'

Willelmus filius ejus iiijd

Matilda filia ejus iiijd

⁵ ... nomina omnium personarum in Westrythynge predicto existentium etatem xvj annorum excedencium veris mendicantibus dumtaxat exceptis ac summe particulares singulas earundem personarum de dicto subsidio [regi Ricardo secundo post conquestum anno regni sui secundo concessi] juxta status suos & gradus contingent]es ... Datum apud Doncastre die lune proximo ante festum Exaltacionis sancte Crucis anno regni dicti domini Regis tercio. -

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Robertus de Beghall', drapour, & Magota vx^r ejus
dimid' marc'

Robertus de Layrthorp iiijd

Johannes Knyght iiijd

...

Wapentake of Osgodcrosse

Pontiffract

...

William Boughtwer, tayllour, and Alice his wife 6d

Richard his servant 4d

Alice his servant 4d

Raude Taverner and Johanna his wife 4d

John his servant 4d

William his son 4d

Thomas Marchall, smyth, and Juliana his wife 12d

John his servant 4d

Alice Fithyller 4d

John Gayton, marchaunt, and Margaret his wife
1/2 mark

William his son 4d

Matilda his daughter 4d

Robert de Beghall, drapour, and Magota his wife
1/2 mark

Robert de Layrthorp 4d

John Knyght 4d

...

FONS

Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 14

Source: Public Record Office: E 179/202/69

Title: *Yorkshire East Riding Poll Tax 2 Richard II*

[22 June 1378-21 June 1379]

Wappentagium de Houdenshire

[name of township lost]

...

De Willelmo de Kyrkby, chapman, et Matilda vx^r ejus xld

De Agnete filia ejus, seruant iiijd

De Johanne Knout et Agnete vx^r ejus, chapman ijs

De Henrico Pynder, husband', et Idonia vx^r ejusiiijd

De Johanne Tauerner, mason', et Matilda vx^r ejusxijd

De Roberto Mason' et Cristiana vx^r ejus vjd

De Willelmo de Wharrom, webster, et Margareta vx^r ejus vjd

De Roberto Payth, webster, et Johanna vx^r ejus vjd

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Wapentake of Houdenshire

[name of township lost]

• • •

From William de Kyrkby, chapman, and Matilda his wife 40d

From Agnes his daughter, servant 4d

From John Knout and Agnes his wife, chapman 2s

From Henry Pynder, husbandman, and Idonia his wife 4d

From John Taverner, mason, and Matilda his wife 12d

From Robert Mason and Christiana his wife 6d

FONS

From William de Wharrom, webster, and Margaret his wife 6d

From Robert Payth, webster, and Johanna his wife 6d

...

FONS

Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 20

Item no 15

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Chancery Inquisition post mortem Richard II* Surrey 2/8

10 March 1378

Kyngeston on Thames

Robert Heggeman of Kyngeston on Thames deceased held no lands of the king in chief; but he held the under-mentioned shops, land and houses in his demesne as of fee:

Kyngeston on Thames: a shop and 8 acres of land, held of the men of the said town, the king's fee-farmers of the town, as their farmer, by service of rendering to them 12d yearly for the shop and 4d yearly for each acre of land, towards the farm of the town. Thomas Carpenter and Richard Richelot, bailiffs of the liberty of the said men of Kyngeston, seized the premises in the name of the farm of the town and demised them to **Hugh Taverner**, to hold as Robert held them; and Hugh has occupied them ever since Robert's death;

Kyngeston: a house with a curtilage, held of Robert Northrug and Isabel, his wife, by service of 2d; a house, held of James, son and heir of William de Hadresham, by service of 4½d yearly; and a shop, held of William Culham of London, by service of 5s yearly. On the death of the said Robert Hegman the premises were seized as escheat by the persons of whom they were respectively held, who have ever since occupied them.

The said Robert was a bastard, and died on Thursday before the Assumption last [13 August 1377] without heir of himself.

FONS

Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 49

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 2 Richard II* m.27

7 April 1379

Westminster

Promise to repay before Martinmas to John Taverner, John Hanneson and Simon Curteys of Gaynesburgh, 20 marks which the king has received as a loan for the war.

By bill of the treasurer.

FONS

Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 12

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 3 Richard II* i m.46

6 July 1379

Westminster

Pardon of outlawry to John Taverner of Cambridge, for not appearing to answer Walter Doget, citizen and vintner of London, touching a debt of £20. London.

FONS

Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 3

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Fine Roll 3 Richard II m.14*

4 March 1380

Westminster

Commission to John Leg, William Weston, John Olyver, Robert Savage, Hugh Taverner and Roger Lumbard, to levy, collect and receive for the king's use from all cities, boroughs, towns, secular lords of towns, and others both great and small in the county of Surrey, except the town of Suthwerk, and from all ecclesiastical persons in respect of the goods forthcoming from lands acquired by them since 20 Edward I, the fifteenth and a half and tenth and a half of moveable goods which were granted to the king in the Parliament convoked at Westminster on Monday after Hilary last, to wit, a fifteenth and a tenth as a pure and free gift, and half-a-fifteenth and half-a-tenth as a pure advance or loan until the next Parliament; provided always that the secular lords of towns and others aforesaid contribute in respect of all their goods, and that ecclesiastical persons contribute in respect of their goods acquired as above, and that answer be made at the Exchequer or other place appointed at the feast of St George next. And order to them to go from town to town and from place to place, and summon before them two men and the reeve from each town, and the mayor and bailiffs and four men from each city and borough, instructing the said reeves &c. to cause the said money to be levied as above by one or two of the most sufficient men of the said cities, boroughs and towns, and delivered to them without delay; or else to cause the money to be levied from the said reeves &c. themselves: and order to all earls, barons, knights, lords of towns, freemen and the whole commonalty of the county, and to the bailiffs and commonalties of cities, towns and boroughs, and to the sheriff, to be intendant to the said commissioners, and to the sheriff to join with them in distraining those who refuse to pay.
By the king and council.

FONS

Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 20

Item no 6

Source: Lichfield Joint Record Office: B/A/1/4 f.72v

Title: *Register of Bishop Robert Stretton of Coventry & Lichfield*

21 March 1380

Stafford'

Instituc'o ecc'ie de Kyngesley ex c'a pmut'

It'm xij K'ln April' Anno d'ni sup'd'co apud Heywod Joh'es de Kyrkeby p'br in psona' Joh'is Moy laici Lincoln' [dioc'] pcur'is sui suffi' in hac pte constituti admissus fuit ad eccl'iam de Kyngesley p lib'am resignac' d'ni [Thome] de Burghay vlt'i R'ctoris eiusd' ex c'a pmutac' de ip'a cu' eccl'ia de Allerwych' cuius R'ctor id' d'ns J[oh'es] prius extit'at in manib' d'ni Lich' Ep'i fact' & p ip'm discuss p'mit' & appbat' ca'is pmutac' p'd'ce l'ie acc[eptat'] vacant' Et institut' in ead' p modu' & ex c'a pmut' h'is ad p'sentaco'em d'ne Joh'e Relict' d'ni Ric'i Milit' defunct' vere eiusd'm eccl'ie pat'ne Et inceptit vacare eisd' die & loco vt s^a Et id' pcur' iur' [ob'iam] no'ie d'ni sui Et mandabat' Offic' Arch'i de inducendo

Instituc'o ecc'ie de Allerwych' ex c'a p'd'ca

It'm eisd' die loco & anno sup'd'cis p'fatus Thom'as de Burghway p'br admissus fuit ad eccl'iam de All[erwych'] p li. r'. d'ni Joh'is de Kyrkeby vlt'i R'ctoris eiusd' p Joh'em Moy laicu' Lincoln' dioc' pcur'em suu' suffi' in [hac pte] constitut' ex c'a pmutac' de ip'a cu' ecc'ia de Kyngesley cuius R'ctor id'm Thom'as p'us extit'at in manib' [d'ni Ep'i] fact' & c' & p ip'm discuss & c' l'ie acceptat' vacant' Et institut' in ead' p modu' & ex c'a pmutac' h'is [ad] p'sentaco'em Will'i Blumenhull Mag'ror Rob'ti de Stretton' & Joh'is de Outheby de Couentr' & Staff[ord] Archi'anor Hugonis Hopewas R'ctoris eccl'ie de Clyfton' Aliu'i Tau'ner & Henrici Pewe veror' eiusd' [ecc'ie] hac vice p'ronor Et inceptit vacare eisd' die & loco vt s^a Et id' institut' iur' ob'iam Et man' Of[fic'] Arch'i de inducendo

Stafford [archdeaconry]

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Institution of the church of Kyngesley by reason of an exchange

Also 12 kalends April the year of the Lord abovesaid [1380] at Heywod, John de Kyrkeby priest, in the person of John Moy layman of Lincoln diocese his proctor sufficiently appointed in this behalf, was admitted to the church of Kyngesley, vacant by the free resignation of sir Thomas de Burghay last rector of the same, by reason of an exchange of the same with the church of Allerwych whose rector the said sir John formerly was, made into the hands of the lord bishop of Lichfield, and by him first discussed and approved, and the reasons for the aforesaid exchange accepted as lawful: and instituted in the same by means and because of this exchange, at the presentation of lady Joan relict of sir Richard knight deceased true patron of the said church: and it became vacant the said day and place as abovesaid: and the said proctor swore obedience in the name of his master: and the official of the archdeacon was instructed to induct.

Also the said day, the place and year abovesaid, the aforesaid Thomas de Burghway priest was admitted to the church of Allerwych, vacant by the free resignation of sir John de Kyrkeby last rector of the same, by John Moy, layman of Lincoln diocese, his proctor sufficiently appointed in this behalf, by reason of an exchange of the same with the church of Kyngesley whose rector the said Thomas formerly was, made into the hands of the lord bishop &c and by him discussed &c and accepted as lawful: and instituted into the same by means and because of this exchange, at the presentation of William Blumenhull, masters Robert de Stretton and John de Outheby archdeacons of Coventry and Stafford, Hugh Hopewas rector of the church of Clyfton, Aliver Taverner and Henry Pewe, the true patrons of the same church on this occasion: and it became vacant the said day and place as above: and the said instuted swore obedience: and the official of the archdeacon was instructed to induct.

FONS

Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 11

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 3 Richard II* ii m.30

20 April 1380

Westminster

Pardon of outlawry to John Taverner of Huntyngdon, for not appearing to answer John de Stodeye, citizen and vintner of London, touching a debt of £15 7s 5d.

London.

FONS

Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 10

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 3 Richard II* ii m.30

24 April 1380

Westminster

Pardon of outlawry to Thomas Taverner of Nottingham, for not appearing to answer Thomas de Swynflete of Kyngeston-upon-Hull touching a debt of £10. County York.

1381

Essex Tax: A list of names of men & women over 15 in the hundred of Chelmesford.

Great & Little Baddow, Chelmesford, Chignal St James, Danbury, Fingrith in Blackmore, East, South & West Hanningfield, Great & Little Leighs, Runwell, Rettendon, Sandon, Springfield, Great Waltham, Widford, Woodham Ferres, Moulsham, Buttsbury and Ingatestone and three others illegible.

Rettendon-John Taverner
Moulsham-Robert Taverner.
Chelmesford-John Taverner.

Stephanus Taverner of York Lay Subsidy.

1382

Thomas Taverner, Sadler of York - Freedom

FONS

Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 20

Item no 16

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Chancery Inquisition post mortem Richard II* Stafford 14/13

5 January 1381

Alrewas

Assignment of dower of Margaret, late the wife of Rees ap Griffitz, knight, deceased. The undermentioned third parts &c. were assigned to her in dower:

Alrewas: a third part of the hall called le Moothalle with a third part of the close there, a third part of Pynfold place, a third part of the watermill, a third part of the quarry by Frefordespitul, the fishery of the river Trent from le Halledom to le Kyngesbrugge, with a moiety of the fishery of the same river from Kyngesbrugge to le Netherende of Brodholm and the fishery of the river Thame from Marebrook to Salteresbrugge, and divers lands &c., including: [placenames mentioned:] Churcheholm, Maltputles, Shiteresholm, Curburghthornes, Buyresheye, Ednynghale, Sedhull, le Yongewode, le Yongewodehaye, Redichmore, le Whitemore, Stokford, Holmesmore, Pouncereslond, Anablemedowe, Threhurdul, Yongewodesend, Sondyfordlake, Frodeleye, Herlaston, Orgrave, and the river Meys.

[tenants &c. mentioned:] Robert de Pipe, John de Freford knight, Thomas Darden knight, Henry Fraunceys, John Somerville bastard, Richard Fraunceys, Maud Fox, Joan daughter of Richard Gunnyld, Thomas Swan, William Fraunceys, John Fraunceys, John son of John Eliot, Ivo de Borwe[?], Richard Raven and Eleanor his wife, John Adam, Hugh Osebarn, John Fyssher, Henry Wild and Margery his wife, Thomas Smyth, Richard son of John Pertrich, William Pertrich, Stephen Beaumont and Agnes his wife, Richard Reynald, John Fox, Henry Bernard, John de Alrewich of Lichfield glasier, John Swan, Nicholas Swan, Andrew Amiot, Maud Hurrok, Gilbert Gadelyng, William Woderoue the younger, William Bernard the younger, Thomas Pracy and Maud his wife, John son of William le Woderoue, Maud le Ward, John son of William Eliot, William Bernard and Alice his wife, Richard Eliot, William

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Eliot, Thomas Gyn, Richard Woderoue, Maud relict of William Woderoue, John son of Henry Swan, John Tylbury, Hugh Balkok, Richard de Hopewas of Cumberford, Richard Pouncere, Mary Pouncere, [blank] wife of John Pouncere, Richard Adekok, John Snell, Henry Hawkyn, Adam Hubart, Richard Soutere and Alice his wife, Thomas de Greseley, John Burdon, Adam Haliday and Alice his wife, Maud Falpeny, Richard Andrew, Thomas son of Henry Alewyn, John Adekok, Walter Ednyng hale, Henry Nightgale the younger and Agnes his wife, Adam de Beynham, **Thomas Tavernere of Lichfield**, Nicholas son of John Hubarde the elder, Alice relict of Gilbert Molen....., William de Frodeleye the elder, Walter de Orreby, William Fraunceys of Frodeleye, William son of John de Alrewich, Thomas Mariot, John Ward, Silvester Gunnyld[?], Alice relict of William del Heth, William de Frodeleye the younger, Richard Brid, Henry Hayward, Sarah atte Sale of Ednyng hale, John Smyth of Ednyng hale, John Wold, Hugh Halpeny, Robert Champion, John Goderich, John de Arundel, Margery Boteler, Henry Coupere, Roger Baker, John Bruyne, Thomas Campvill, John Smyth, Richard Scald, William Smyth of Herlaston, William Boteler, Nicholas Lawesone, Henry Mogg, John Fyssher of Orgrave, Agnes Lacy, Reynald, Richard Hont, Henry Heryng of Orgrave, Adam Schepherd, John F....., Letitia daughter of John Williamsone, William de Frodeleye the younger, John son of William, William Mogg of Orgrave, Richard Batemon, and Richard de Vernon lord of Herlaston;

Whichenovere: the house called le Deyehous, a long house with bays over against the great barn, all the chambers at the outer gate and on the said gate roofed with sclatston, with the orchard over against le Clif and the garden by the dovecote, free entry and exit to and from the river Trent near the bridge between the church and the manor for the watering of all her beasts, free entry and exit by the road and over the said bridge to le Medoweyate to carry her dung and grass and to drive her beasts and those of her farmers to pasture there, the fishery of the river Trent between the bridge by the church and Aldeford, and divers lands and rents &c. Le Utturcourtyerd by the church and le Pynfold are held in common, two-thirds for the heirs and a third for the said Margaret as her dower: [placenames mentioned:] Worthynfurlong, le Poolefurlong, Banefurlong, Stanyfurlong, le Poolparkyate, Hayeyatefurlong, Bradeweyehalogh, Blakenhale, le Clif, le Stokkyngfeld, Yoxhale Wodehouses, Shuplodehalogh, Hayefeldhaye[?], Sekemonesmedowe, Ravenesholm, Schelford, Cowholm, le Wetebreeche, le Ladypark, le Wodeyate,

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Fageneyeweye, Littulfageneye, le Hayeyate, le Longeglade, le Shuttre, le Newelond, Hervyesholm, Stodemareholm, Pouncereslond, Shepholm, Calverheye, Falogholm and Bruggefurlong.

[tenants &c. mentioned:] Richard de Ruggeleye and Joan his wife, John del Botery, Henry Smyth, Richard Chamberleyn, William Bochard, Henry son of William atte Brugges, Thomas Scot, John del Grene, Robert Fyldyng, John Scot, John Rous, David Walsshemon, Henry Somurville, John Frensshemon, Henry de Coton, John Brayn, Agnes late the wife of Thomas atte Brugges, Henry son of William atte Brugges, John Somurville and John Cowherd.

FONS

Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 9

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 4 Richard II* ii m.21

16 February 1381

Westminster

Grant to the good men of Stanes of pontage for three years, to be taken by Thomas Gregory, William Taverner, Thomas Palmer and Richard Couper, all of Stanes.

FONS

Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 8

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 4 Richard II* ii m.10d

26 March 1381

Westminster

Commission to Robert de Thornes, Thomas Skynnere of Shrewsbury, Richard de Pontesbury, Hugh de Donvowe, Reginald de Mitton, William de Byryton, Richard de Burton, William de Weston, James Deyere, Robert de Grafton, John de Wircestre, Richard Russell, Roger Taverner, Reginald Scrivayn, Richard de Bayston, Thomas Pryde, William de Longenore, and William de Prisele, on information that disturbers of the peace have assembled those who have no lands or tenements therein, and by threats prevented the customary election of bailiffs, to see to the quiet of the town of Shrewsbury, proceed to the election of bailiffs, support them when elected, and arrest and imprison all who disturb them or make unlawful assemblies if they will not give security for their good behaviour.

Vacated by surrender because nothing was done.

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No of references ordered: 20

Item no 17

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Exchequer Proof of Age Richard II* Sussex 48/10

7 June 1382

Cicestre

Proof of age of John son of John son of Laurence de Pagham, taken at Cicestre, Saturday before St Barnabas 5 Richard II:

The undermentioned jurors say that John son of John was of full age on 26 May last, and was born at Sydelesham and baptized in the church there, and that John Adam Sydelesham and John Kyppyng were his godfathers, and Agnes Brommere his godmother:

William atte Halle, aged 50 years, knows this because in the year of the birth Thomas atte Halle, his father, died, and his father's lands &c. descended to him by hereditary right;

Nicholas Ropere, aged 45 years, knows it because in the same year he began to have a dwelling at Drayton and live there;

John Ropere, aged 46 years, knows it because in the same year he set out on a pilgrimage to Santiago;

John Taverner, aged 41 years, knows it because in the same year Agnes his kinswoman, the said heir's godmother, was married to Thomas de Hunstonl

Godfrey atte Hone, aged 43 years, knows it because in the same year he built a new house in le Manewode, in which he still dwells;

Clement Batesmere, aged 49 years, knows it because in the same year he did homage to Henry Whyssh for lands &c. which he holds of him at Lovente;

Mauncer Philip, aged 47 years, knows it because in the same year John Philip, his father-in-law, died, and appointed him his executor;

John Medmene, aged 43 years, knows it because in the same year he bought a wood called Northwode from Thomas in the Hale;

John Gyffard, aged 44 years, knows it because in the same year he married Alice daughter of John Medmene;

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William atte Purye, aged 42 years, knows it because in the same year he acquired 5 acres of land in fee from John Wycchere;
John Sodd and William Jenever, both aged 40 years and more, know it because in the same year they set out for Jerusalem.

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Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 38

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Fine Roll 6 Richard II m.23*

2 November 1382

Westminster

Commission to John de Carleton of Coventre, John Maxstoke of Coventre, Walter Dawe of Coventre, John Shuckeburgh, Oliver Burdet, John Asshebrok, John Botiler of Shustoke, John Taverner of Athirton, John Bisshopesdon, Thomas Wynnecote, Walter atte Touneshende, Edmund de Compton, Walter Brehull and Geoffrey Frankeleyn of Compton, to collect from all cities, boroughs and towns in the county of Warwick, and from all secular lords of towns and others, both great and small, and from all ecclesiastical persons in respect of their own goods existing on lands acquired by them since 20 Edward I, the tenth and fifteenth which was granted to the king in the Parliament convoked at Westminster on Monday in the octave of Michaelmas last, provided

1. that on this occasion, for the relief of the king's poor lieges, all dukes, earls, barons, bannerets, knights, esquires and other temporal lords of towns, manors and other places, of whatsoever estate, rank or condition they may be, in all towns and places where a fifteenth only has been wont to be levied, contribute and be assessed to such fifteenth with the other men of such towns and places according to the quantity, rate or share of their crops and beasts, and of their demesne lands if the lands of others are assessed for the purpose, notwithstanding that perchance they have not heretofore been so charged or assessed in such case,

2. that such a sum be demanded and levied for the said tenth and fifteenth as was demanded and levied in the last grant of such tenth and fifteenth, and no greater or lesser sum by pretext of the assessment of the said lords temporal or on any other pretence, and

3. that answer be made for the said tenth and fifteenth at the Exchequer or other appointed place on the feast of the Purification next at latest;

and order to the said commissioners to go from town to town and from place to place within the county, and to cause to come before them from every town two men and the reeve, and from every city and borough the mayor, bailiffs and four of the most discreet and upright men, enjoining on them that they cause the said money to be levied and delivered without delay to the commissioners by one or two of the most sufficient men of every town, city and borough, or else to cause the said money to be levied from the men themselves and answer therefor to be made to the king in form aforesaid. It is not, however, the king's will that the present concession made by the temporal lords out of reverence for God and for the relief and succour of the poor commons of the realm turn to the prejudice of the said lords or any of them, or be drawn into a precedent in future.

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Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 39

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Fine Roll 6 Richard II m.22*

2 November 1382

Westminster

Commission to William Echyngnam chivaler, Thomas Rademyld, William Raketon, John Tavernere, Richard de Halle, John Birle, John Broker, William Wellys, William Wilcombe, Thomas Pereham, William Stedeham, Richard Vyns, Henry atte Grove and Stephen Apsele, to collect from all cities, boroughs and towns in the county of Sussex, and from all secular lords of towns and others, both great and small, and from all ecclesiastical persons in respect of their own goods existing on lands acquired by them since 20 Edward I, the tenth and fifteenth which was granted to the king in the Parliament convoked at Westminster on Monday in the octave of Michaelmas last, provided

1. that on this occasion, for the relief of the king's poor lieges, all dukes, earls, barons, bannerets, knights, esquires and other temporal lords of towns, manors and other places, of whatsoever estate, rank or condition they may be, in all towns and places where a fifteenth only has been wont to be levied, contribute and be assessed to such fifteenth with the other men of such towns and places according to the quantity, rate or share of their crops and beasts, and of their demesne lands if the lands of others are assessed for the purpose, notwithstanding that perchance they have not heretofore been so charged or assessed in such case,

2. that such a sum be demanded and levied for the said tenth and fifteenth as was demanded and levied in the last grant of such tenth and fifteenth, and no greater or lesser sum by pretext of the assessment of the said lords temporal or on any other pretence, and

3. that answer be made for the said tenth and fifteenth at the Exchequer or other appointed place on the feast of the Purification next at latest;

and order to the said commissioners to go from town to town and from place to place within the county, and to cause to come before them from every town two men and the reeve, and from every city and borough the mayor, bailiffs and four of the most discreet and upright men, enjoining on them that they cause the said money to be levied and delivered without delay to the commissioners by one or two of the most sufficient men of every town, city and borough, or else to cause the said money to be levied from the men themselves and answer therefor to be made to the king in form aforesaid. It is not, however, the king's will that the present concession made by the temporal lords out of reverence for God and for the relief and succour of the poor commons of the realm turn to the prejudice of the said lords or any of them, or be drawn into a precedent in future.

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Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 20

Item no 12

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 7 Richard II i m.27*

11 September 1383

Westminster

Pardon of forfeiture, incurred by the abbot and convent of Stonley and their tenants, of parcel of the grange of Crulefeld, within the manor of Stonleye, under the following circumstances:- The king having granted to the said abbot and convent licence to demise certain lands, parcel of their manors of Stonleye and Buricot, held of the king in frankalmoin, to tenants for term of years or for life, for the profit of their house, they, with consent of their visitor, granted the said grange to Robert Stafford and John Peyto, knights, Thomas Butiller of Sudele, John Beauchamp of Holt, John Dencourt, William Bagot, Robert Dyngeley, Warin Waldegrave, Thomas Meryngton, Thomas Lychefeld of Wircestre, Adomar Taverner, John Bray of Stretton, Thomas Shokkebergh, John Styward of Coventre, John Ray of Coventre, Adam Walsheman of Coventre, John Hukyns of Wroxhale, Robert Walden and William Allesle, to the use and for the maintenance, for life, of sir Thomas Pipe, formerly abbot of Stonleye, but because the abbey is of royal foundation and in the king's patronage, and parcel of the lands of the said grange is of the same foundation, of which no mention is made in the said licence, at the supplication and for the security of the aforesaid Robert Stafford and the other tenants, the king pardons the forfeiture and trespass, and grants to the tenants the said parcel, together with the residue of the said grange to the use aforesaid.

By privy seal and for 40s paid in the hanaper.

1383

Robert Taverner, Devon.

1384

Ref. Chaucers Life Works.

Thomas? Elmham was clerk of the privy seal between 1384 and 1391 and was possibly of the Elmham Family of Norfolk, went to Calais in 1384 to assist in Peace negotiations after retiring from being clerk of the works in 1389 Elmham was sent twice to Portugal on the Kings business. He ranked as an esquire to the king and along with his wife had various grants and amunities from both Richard II and Henry IV. Elmham career thus offers a number of parallels with Chaucer's.

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 33

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Fine Roll 7 Richard II* m.22

28 November 1383

Westminster

Commission to Edward Taverner, John Sheteby, Richard Larke, Philip Dyere, John Belhous the younger, John Webbe, John Bemystre and Nicholas Capon to levy and collect from in the town of Gloucester and the suburbs thereof, the moiety of a tenth and fifteenth, payable in the octave of Hilary next, which the lords, magnates and commonalties of counties, and the citizens and burgesses of cities and boroughs, considering the grave perils which might befall the realm both by land and sea unless a sounder plan of defence were speedily prepared for the same to the king in the parliament held and convoked at Westminster on Monday before All Saints last [26 October 1383], to wit, as great a sum as has heretofore been levied in like case from the said cities, boroughs and towns, and no more; and order to them to cause to come before them the mayor and bailiffs and four men, from among the most discreet and upright men of the said town, charging the said men to have the money levied and delivered to them (the collectors) without delay by one or two of the most sufficient men of the said town, or else have the money levied from the said men themselves and cause answer therefor to be made to the king, provided always that answer be made for the whole sum at the octave of Hilary next [20 January 1384] at latest, so that the affairs of the realm be not delayed owing to failure of payment thereof through their default.

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Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 46

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 7 Richard II* i m.8d

16 November 1383

Westminster

Commission of oyer and terminer to William la Zouche, John la Warre, William de Thorpe, William de Skipwyth, Anthony Mallore, John Holt, Richard Treton, William Thirnyng and John Tyndale, on complaint by the abbot of Croyland that John Houton, Laurence Palmer, John Malpas, William Wakeleyn, Walter Bengeworth, Henry Launden, John Colyngtrouth, John Gaytyngton, Neel Mercer, Robert Taverner, Nicholas Sherman, William Deystre, William Toppyng, Henry Toppyng, William Steer, John Waldegrave, Richard Milner, John Hunte, Adam Boseyate, William Gladman, John Burton, Robert Stodevyle, Nicholas Bisshop, Robert Sharp and others broke his close at Wendlyngburgh, county Northampton, carried off his goods and Robert Philip of Wendlyngburgh, his bondman, besieged him and his servants and threatened to burn his house.

For 1 mark paid in the hanaper.

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Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 45

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 7 Richard II* ii m.22

26 January 1384

Westminster

Grant to the good men of **Stanes** of pontage for three years, to be taken by **William Taverner**, Alexander Tresore and Thomas Gregory, all of Stanes, to be levied on all articles for sale passing under or over the bridge there.

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 32

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Fine Roll 7 Richard II* m.6

27 May 1384

Salisbury

Commission to Edward Taverner, John Sheteby, Richard Larke, Philip Dyere, John Belhous the younger, John Webbe, John Bemystre and Nicholas Capon, to levy and collect and receive for the king's use in the city of Gloucester, the moiety of a tenth and fifteenth, payable at Michaelmas next, which the lords, magnates, and commonalties of counties, and the citizens and burgesses of cities and boroughs, considering the grave perils which might befall the realm both by land and sea unless a sounder plan of defence were speedily prepared for the same, granted to the king in the parliament held and convoked at Salisbury on Friday after the feast of St Mark the Evangelist last [29 April 1384], to wit, as great a sum as has heretofore been levied in like case, and no more; provided always that answer be made for the whole sum at Michaelmas next at latest, so that the affairs of the realm be not delayed owing to default in payment thereof through their fault.

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Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 44

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 8 Richard II* ii m.12

12 June 1385

Westminster

Pardon of outlawry to Adam Taverner of Grantham, for not appearing to answer Walter Hemery of Boston, touching a debt of £4 13s 4d.
County Lincoln.

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 41

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Fine Roll 9 Richard II* m.20

6 December 1385

Westminster

Commission to Richard Walsted, Thomas Jardyne, John Taverner, Richard Wiltshire, William atte Hull, James de Byne, Thomas Peplesham, Thomas Horham, Thomas Osbarn, Roger Whate, Richard Halle, William Wolcombe and John Harold to levy and collect from all cities, boroughs and towns, all secular lords of towns and other lay persons having goods and possessions, and other persons both great and small in the county of Sussex, and from all ecclesiastical persons in respect of goods forthcoming from lands acquired by them since 20 Edward I, the tenth and fifteenth of a tenth and fifteenth, (payable as regards the tenth and fifteenth at the Purification next, and as regards the moiety at Midsummer following), which the lords, magnates and commonalties of counties, and the citizens and burgesses of cities and boroughs, considering the grave perils which might befall the realm both by land and sea unless a sounder scheme of defence were speedily prepared for the same, granted to the king in the parliament held and convoked at Westminster on Friday after the feast of St Luke the Evangelist last [20 October 1385], so that they answer therefor at the Exchequer or other place appointed by the king on the said feasts at the latest; and order to them to go from town to town and from place to place, and cause to come before them from every town two men and the reeve, and from every city and borough the mayor, bailiffs and four men, from among the most discreet and upright men of the said towns, cities and boroughs, charging the said men to have the money levied and delivered to them (the commissioners) without delay by one or two of the most sufficient men of every city, town and borough, or else have the money levied from the men themselves and cause answer therefor to

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be made to the king in form aforesaid, so that the affairs of the realm be not delayed owing to failure of payment through their default.

By the king and council.

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 42

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 11 Richard II* i m.7

25 November 1387

Westminster

Licence, for £30 paid in the hanaper by Thomas Taverner, Aymar Taverner, Simon de Lichefeld, Richard Mortymer, David Brid, Henry Broun and Robert Teyntrell of Lichefeld, for them to form a fraternity and gild in Lichefeld of themselves and others who wish to be members, in honour of St Mary the Virgin and St John the Baptist, to meet yearly and choose a warden or master, to have a chaplain to celebrate divine service in St Mary's chapel, Lichefeld, for the good estate of the king and queen and for their souls after death and the souls of their progenitors, also for the good estate of the brethren and sisters and benefactors of the said fraternity and gild and others, provided always that under colour hereof they do not hold any meetings or assemblies against the king's peace or do anything out of which dissension might arise, By privy seal.

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Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 47

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 11 Richard II* i m.2

25 November 1387

Westminster

Licence for the acquisition in mortmain by Thomas Taverner, Aymer Taverner, Simon de Lichefeld, Richard Mortymer, David Brid, Henry Broun and Robert Teyntrell of Lichefeld, and the brethren and sisters of the gild or fraternity which the said persons have the king's licence [recited] to found in Lichefeld in honour of St Mary and St John the Baptist, of lands, tenements and rents, not held in chief, to the yearly value of £10 in maintenance of the gild and support of the chaplain thereof.

By privy seal and for £10 paid in the hanaper because there was given for another licence £30.

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 43

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 11 Richard II* i m.13

26 October 1387

Westminster

Grant to Thomas Gregory, Alexander Tresor, Thomas Palmere and William Taverner of Stanes, of pontage for five years in aid of the repair of the bridge there, by view of Geoffrey Martyn, Clement atte Merke and John Dodde.

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No of references ordered: 20

Item no 4

Source: Public Record Office: C 145/240/22

Title: *Chancery Inquisitions Miscellaneous: Richard II*

18 April 1388

Oxford

Inquisition taken before John Dautre clerk and John Thame, escheator in county Oxford, by virtue of a commission dated 21 March 11 Richard II [1388]

On 1 October 10 Richard II [1386], Robert Trusilian knight, convicted of divers treasons at the Parliament held at Westminster on the morrow of the Purification last [3 February], had the following rents of assize in Oxford:-

from the tenement of Henry Tywe 4d,

from the tenement of Juliana Garlond 18d,

from the tenement of William Bagenney in the suburbs 12d,

from the tenement of John Yifteley 9s 4d,

from the tenement of the prior of St Frideswyde 2s 4d

from the tenement held by Thgomas Baldewyn 15s,

from the tenement of Robert Watlyngton 7s 6d,

from the farm of 15 acres of arable land in the parish of St Giles in the suburbs of Oxford 10s,

from the farm of 6 acres of meadow behind Ossney 13s 2d, whence there is payable to the lords outside the north gate and to master Northam 3s 2d.

He also held a tenement worth 20s net yearly in the parish of All Saints now held by Thomas Latoner.

On 25 October 45 Edward III [1371], the abbess and convent of Godestowe demised to Agnes late the wife of John Stodle of Oxford, John her son and Alice her daughter at a yearly rent of 10s for 80 years, with reversion to the abbess and convent if all the grantees should die before the expiry of the term, two shops under the hall of the said Agnes in the parish of All Saints, Oxford, formerly held by John her husband for life of the demise of the said abbess

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and convent, which things appear together with others in an indenture sealed with the seals of the parties and shown to the jury.

On 30 October 45 Edward III [1371], Margery prioress of Stodley and her convent demised a shop in the same parish to the said Agnes, John and Alice for their lives at a yearly rent of 6s 8d.

Afterwards the said John the son and Alice died and Agnes married Richard Preston; and by virtue of a grant by the said Richard and Agnes the said Robert occupied the said three shops, a tenement called Stodleyssynne and other shops annexed thereto, until the day of his conviction, the yearly value of the whole being £6 4s 8d gross, but after deduction of the rents payable therefrom 113s. The rents due to the said abbess and prioress for the term of the Annunciation are still in arrear.

He held in the same parish a tenement worth 5s yearly now held by Robert Merssh and another worth 6s net yearly lately held by Simon Harwe and in the parish of St Martin a tenement now held by Nicholas Sandreston and Bartholomew Taverner and worth 52s 6d yearly, from which 12s 6d yearly is payable to the abbot of Enysham. In the same parish he held a tenement called Patessynne with shops annexed worth £8 12s 8d yearly, whence 33s 4d is payable to Richard Snarceston and 6s to the abbot of Ossney; and a tenement called Gyngersynne with garrets and shops annexed worth £11 11s 11d yearly, whence 5s is payable to the abbot of Ossney, 36s 8d to Richard Rouedon of Grendon, 32s 6d to the prior of Merton and 6s 11d to the honour of Walyngford. He also held a tenement worth 13s 5d yearly now held by Richard Broune, another worth 6s 8d yearly now held by Thomas Smart, and a tenement in the Bailey in the same parish now held by John Byrt and worth 36d 4d yearly, whence 5s is payable to Alice Hertwell and Agnes Knaphall and 16d for longblee; a tenement in the parish of St Peter-le-Bailey worth 13s 4d now held by John Taillour; two tenements in the parish of St Ebbe, one worth 13s 4d yearly and now held by William Wermynghon, the other worth 6s 8d yearly and now held by Thomas Brewere and worth 18s yearly, the other now held by William Maunsyple and worth 10s yearly. The tenement called Patesynne has been empty ever since the Annunciation last past and that formerly held by John Byrt since the feast of St Thomas the Apostle last past. A cellar with a solar built over, parcel of Stodleyssynne, has been empty since the said feast of the Annunciation and the tenement held by Simon Harwell has

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been empty from the same date, the rents being payable at the four usual terms.

Richard Preston and Agnes his wife demised the premises for their lives to the said Robert at a yearly rent of 40 marks, as appears by a fine levied in the king's court, and for the payment of £4 yearly during the lifetime of Agnes to a chaplain celebrating in the chantry of the Holy Trinity in the parish of All Saints, Oxford, and of 8 marks yearly to another chaplain celebrating in the same chantry for ever, as appears by an indenture between Robert of the one part and the said Richard and Agnes of the other.

Sum clear £31 12s 6d yearly.

The said Robert and his ministers received the issues from 1 October 10 Richard II [1386], to 1 October following, when he owed 20 marks of the rent to the said Richard and Agnes and 7 marks of their stipends to the chaplains. Afterwards, on the feast of St Thomas the apostle last [21 December 1387], Roger Scattare, bailiff and collector of rents of the said Robert there, assigned to Richard and the chaplains the rents due at the feasts of St Thomas the apostle and the Annunciation in payment of the arrears, whereby the tenants became debtors to them and John Blythe, chaplain and attorney of Richard and Agnes, levied the said rents to their use on the day of St Nicholas next before Christmas [6 December]

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 3

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 12 Richard II* ii m.28

28 January 1389

Westminster

Ratification of the estate of William Tavernere as warden of the hospital of St Nicholas by Richmond.

By privy seal.

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 2

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 12 Richard II* ii m.12

10 March 1389

Westminster

Grant of pavage for one year to Simon Bynham chaplain, John Bogeys, John Turnour and John Taverner of Pokeryche, in aid of repairing the highway from All Saints chapel, Pokeryche, to the bridge called Lapdenbrigge.

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No of references ordered: 20

Item no 5

Source: Public Record Office: C 145/242/19

Title: *Chancery Inquisitions Miscellaneous: Richard II*

11 March 1389

Lincoln

Commission to the mayor of Lincoln and John de Melton, one of the clerks of the Receipt of the Exchequer, to inquire concerning the lands and goods late of John Fitz Martyn in the city and suburbs of Lincoln and to seize them, if there be any, into the king's hand for certain causes. Westminster. 28 February 12 Richard II [1389].

Inquisition in the Guildhall of the city of Lincoln, Thursday in the first week of Lent [11 March 1389]:

John Fitz Martyn clerk had two messuages in the parish of St John the Evangelist in the suburbs of Lincoln, one of which stands empty and in ruins and is of no yearly value besides a rent of 20s yearly paid to the prior of Worsop, the other being worth 22s clear yearly besides a yearly rent of 24s paid to the abbot of Bardenay; a messuage in the parish of St Peter at Pleas worth 5 marks 6s 8d clear yearly besides a yearly rent of a landtolpeny to the king; 20s yearly rent issuing from a shop held by John de Hudleston in the same parish; 13s 4d yearly rent issuing from two shops held by Margery late the wife of William de Carleton cordwaner in the parish of St Martin; 2 shops in the same parish worth 23s 8d clear yearly besides a rent of 18d yearly to the great gild of St Mary, Lincoln; a messuage in the parish of the Holy Trinity by the Minorites which has fallen down to the ground and pays no rent; a garden in the parish of St Edmund in the suburbs worth 6d clear yearly besides a yearly rent of 2s 6d to the church of St Swithin; 2 crofts and 6 selions of arable land in the parish of St Faith in the suburbs worth 21s 1d clear yearly besides a yearly rent of 3s to the prior and convent of St Katherine's without Lincoln; and 50 acres of arable land in the fields of Lincoln worth 23s 2d clear yearly besides a yearly rent of 6s 10d to William

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de Blyton of Lincoln. There are all held by John de Hudleston, John de Watlyngton, John Porter parson of Waldham, Thomas de Wyggesley chaplain and Hugh de Waterton of the gift of John Fitz Martyn by his charter dated at Lincoln on Saturday after the Annunciation 7 Richard II [26 March 1384]. The said John de Watlyngton has taken the issues to the use of John Fitz Martyn.

Robert Constable of Lincoln holds a messuage in the parish of St Lawrence, Lincoln holds a messuage in the parish of St Lawrence, Lincoln, in fee of the gift of the said John Fitz Martyn alias John Taverner at a yearly rent of 13s 4d during the life of the grantor. The rent is 13s 4d in arrear, for which the said Robert will answer. Richard de Blyton armurer of Lincoln, holds a messuage in the same parish in like manner at a yearly rent of 20s. The rent is 20s in arrear, for which the said Richard will answer.

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Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 50

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 13 Richard II* i m.35

8 July 1389

Westminster

Revocation of protection with clause volumus for one year granted 14 February last to Robert Alvyngton alias Taverner of London, as going on the king's service to stay in the company of John Justice, captain of the castle of Sangatte, because he tarries in London on his own affairs, as certified by the sheriffs.

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Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 23

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Ancient Deeds* D 1263

14 July 1389

William Stoket and Joan late the wife of Richard Koc of Talworth, to Hugh Taverner of Kyngeston:

demise for the life of the said Joan, of all the lands, tenements, rents and services &c in Longeditton, Talworth, Maldon and Ewell, which the said Joan had for term of her life, of the grant of Thomas atte Holyland; reserving to the grantors, from the woods, five thousand talwod and fagettes, with free ingress and egress at the grantors' pleasure.

Dated Wednesday after the feast of the translation of St Thomas the martyr, 13 Richard II.

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Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 20

Item no 6

Source: Public Record Office: C 145/245/18

Title: *Chancery Inquisitions Miscellaneous: Richard II*

17 November 1389

Huntingdon

Inquisition taken before Thomas Danyell and Henry Prowde, bailiffs of the liberty of the town of Huntingdon.

On and after 20 January mentioned in the writ sewn to this schedule [missing], **John Taverner** of Huntingdon had no lands in the said liberty. On the day of the inquisition he had goods and chattels to the value of £17 7s 10d, namely an iron plate, a bowl with a hanging ewer, two chairs, a banker with six quissyns, a table with two trestles, a gridiron, a large tub, two small tubs, six stantes, three small leaden vats, 14 coverlets, six blankets, four matras, 14 sheets, an ark, two basins with two ewers, two copper candelabra, three canvas cloths, a towel, a sanenape, two brass pots, two pitchers, a copper chaunfoure, two brass spoons, six dishes, six parapsides, six old pewtre salt cellars, five horses in poor condition, dredge in the barn in sheaves and in chaff estimated at 60 quarters, pease in sheaves estimated at 10 quarters, a stack of hay and a heap of wood, an aundirne and a pair of tonges. These goods have all been seized into the king's hand as the said writ requires. John had no moe goods within the said liberty which can be appraised.

1390 ish

John Taverner, of North Elmham.

1390

Ref. Chaucer's World P190.

2nd September one Roger Elinham or Elmham, Chaucers succesor as clerk of the works in 1391 was bound as mainpernors for a detinue of 106s 8d (P.R.O. Calander of Close Rolls 1389 - 1392 P286).

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 41

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Close Roll 14 Richard II* m.25d

12 December 1390

Westminster

To the sheriff of Essex:

Writ of supersedeas and order by mainprise of John Paston, John Burgeys, John Taverner and Richard Peresson, each of London, stokfisshemongere, to set free Thomas Brampton citizen and stokfysshemongere of London, if taken at the suit of Walter Watforde and Richard Brandoun citizens of London for debt.

FONS

Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 42

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Close Roll 14 Richard II* m.41d

25 September 1390

Westminster

To the sheriff of Middlesex:

Writ of supersedeas, by mainprise of Thomas atte Welle, Peter Wakeday and Thomas Gulle of Surrey, and William Taverner of Middlesex, in favour of Richard Nichol fullere, at the suit of the king and John Westram for leaving the service of the said John at the parish of St Sepulchre without Smythfelde bar before the term agreed.

FONS

Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 12

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 16 Richard II* i m.26

5 July 1392

Nottingham

Licence for the alienation in mortmain by Richard de Admundeston, Thomas Aylemond and Geoffrey de Braylesford, chaplains, of four messuages, nine cottages, two tofts, 10 acres of land and the moiety of one messuage in Lichfield, not held in chief and of the yearly value of 26s 6d as found by inquisition taken by John Delves, escheator in the county of Stafford, to Thomas Taverner, Aymar Taverner, Simon de Lichefeld, Richard Mortymer, David Brid, Henry Broun and Robert Teyntrell of Lichefeld, to the brethren and sisters of the fraternity and gild of St Mary the virgin and St John the Baptist, Lichfield, in part satisfaction, to wit, 100s of a licence lately granted to them by the king to acquire lands, tenements and rents to the yearly value of £10 in aid of the maintenance of the gild and support of a chaplain to celebrate divine service in the chapel of St Mary there.

FONS

Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 1

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 16 Richard II* ii m.31

21 September 1392

Oxford

Licence, for 5 marks paid to the king by the chaplains of Carnar's chantry in the chapel of St Michael annexed to St Oswald's church, Gloucester, for the alienation in mortmain by Edward Taverner, John Conestable, William Taverner and Simon Baker of Gloucester of six messuages and 3s rent issuing from certain tenements and gardens in the suburb of Gloucester, not held in chief, to the said chaplains and their successors, in aid of their maintenance.

FONS

Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 11

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 16 Richard II* ii m.21

25 October 1392

Lincoln

Licence, for 50s paid in the hanaper, for the alienation in mortmain by Thomas Turnour, Robert Lewete and John Taverner of New Sleford of a messuage there; and by the said Thomas and Robert, and John Slorye of Old Sleford, John Holinton, John de Folkyngham, Thomas Stele, John Bene, Robert Ledbeter, John Laweson, Geoffrey Brun, Laurence Lawson, John Sayton and John Kylner the elder, all of New Sleford, of another messuage there, neither held in chief, to the chaplain of the chapel or chantry of St Mary in the church of St Denis, New Sleford, and his successors, in aid of their maintenance.

FONS

Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 20

Item no 11

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 17 Richard II i m.21*

5 October 1393

Westminster

Grant to Nicholas Monketon and William Sandham, servants of the chamber, of the moneys due to the king for the escape from the king's prison of Aylesbury, county Buckingham, of David Walshman fishmonger of Tame, Geoffrey Spencer, Henry Taverner and John de Berton, felons.

Vacated by surrender and cancelled, because the king granted to them £20 due to him for the escape therefrom of David Walsshman, Geoffrey Spencer, Henry Taverner and John de Breton [sic], felons, 17 February in his nineteenth year [1396].

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Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 10

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 17 Richard II* i m.12

16 November 1393

Westminster

Pardon, at the supplication of the archbishop of Canterbury, to the said archbishop of the forfeiture incurred by him for the escape from his gaol of Maydeston, county Kent, of Richard Mene alias Ameen clerk, convicted of felony; John Fraunceys, servant of Matthew Kelly; Henry Northfolk, servant of William Lechour; William Taverner, William Bal, John Scot and John Foxegrove, felons, who by great force and subtlety broke the said gaol. By privy seal.

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Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 9

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 17 Richard II* i m.5

16 November 1393

Westminster

Pardon, at the supplication of the archbishop of Canterbury, to him of the forfeiture incurred by him for the escape from his prison of Maydeston, county Kent, of the following prisoners, to wit, Richard Mene alias Ameen, a convicted clerk, John Fraunceys, servant of Matthew Kelly, Henry Northfork, servant of William Lechour, **William Taverner**, William Bal, John Scot and John Foxegrove, in his custody for felony.

By privy seal.

FONS

Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 8

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 17 Richard II* ii m.33

25 February 1394

Westminster

Grant for life to John Forester, son of Thomas Forester of Drybek, of the office of forester in Penrethwarde in Ingelwode forest, on the surrender for this purpose by his father of the letters patent granting to him that office as held by John Taverner deceased.

By privy seal.

FONS

Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 7

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 18 Richard II* ii m.30

14 December 1394

Westminster

Commission and special mandate to masters Michael Sergeaux, doctor of canon law, Thomas Stowe and Richard Ronhale, doctors of laws, Nicholas Dagworth and John Wiltshire, knights, and masters William Sunday and Alan Newerk, to hear and determine the appeal of Andrew Trygge, citizen and fishmonger of London, in a cause in the court of chivalry before the constable and marshal of England between him as plaintiff and John Mapuldene, John Ledet and Thomas Taverner, citizens of London, as defendants, against a sentence of John Cheyne knight, supplying the place of the constable of England.

By privy seal.

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Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 20

Item no 5

Source: Public Record Office: Inq p m C Ric II 85/18 [damaged]

Title: *Proof of Age of Thomas son of Hugh de Swynford*

1394-5

Lincoln

John Plaint, aged 60 years or more, says the said Thomas was born at Lincoln on the feast of St Matthias 47 Edward III [24 February 1373] and baptized the next day in the church of St Margaret in the Close, on which dat the said John was servant to master Thomas de Sutton clerk, godfather of the said Thomas de Swynford, and brought fire to light the candle.

Richard Fynden of Lincoln, aged 70 years and more, agrees, and says that on that day he was chamberlain to John de Worsop clerk, the other godfather.

John Liminour of Lincoln, aged 50 years and more, agrees, and says that on that day he brought two books, one of which was a missal, to the said church, and sold them to the said John, one of the godfathers.

John de Sereby of Lincoln, aged 63 years and more, agrees, and says that on the day of the baptism William Hamond, his servant, taking two jars of wine to the church, fell and spilled the wine out of one jar, for which the said John beat him.

John Baldon, aged 56 years and more, agrees, and says that on that day of the baptism he was servant to the said Thomas de Sutton and was riding to Louth on his master's business when his horse fell and the said John broke his leg.

Gilbert de Beseby of Lincoln, aged 54 years and more, agrees, and says he was then chamberlain to lady Catherine de Swynford, mother of the said Thomas, and went with divers clothes of silk and gold to the said church when the said Thomas was baptized.

Nicholas Bolton, aged 60 years and more, agrees, and says that he held a basin and offered water to the godfathers and godmother to wash after the baptism.

William de Middelton, aged 60 years and more, agrees, and says he held a towel by the font for the godfathers and godmother to wipe their hands.

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Richard Colvill of Lincoln, aged 52 years and more, agrees, and says that on that day he was charged by the said lady Catherine's steward to bring home 24 bows, which the said steward bought and gave to divers servants.

Henry Taverner, aged 60 years and more, agrees, and says that on the day of the baptism Agnes his wife gave birth to John his firstborn son.

Thomas Boterwyk, aged 68 years and more, agrees, and says he was clerk in the church and took the chrism from the altar to the font.

John Waltham of Lincoln, aged 49 years and more, agrees, and says that in that year William de Waltham his father set out for Jerusalem and died beyond the seas and in that year the said John entered into his inheritance.

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 40

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 18 Richard II* ii m.27

25 February 1395

Westminster

Grant to Clement atte Merke, Alexander Tresor, Thomas Palmere and William Taverner of Stanes, of pontage for one year for repairing the bridge there; by view of Geoffrey Martyn,

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No of references ordered: 50

Item no 40

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Close Roll 18 Richard II* m.15d

3 March 1395

Westminster

To the sheriff of Kent:

Writ of supersedeas in favour of Adam Profete, and order by mainprise of John Sheldewyche of Kent, William Parker, William Rouchestre and John Taverner, all of London, to set him free, if taken at the suit of Richard Lukke of Petham for debt.

1395

Place Names of Essex - Stebbin Tanners Farm. John Tannere 1393-1398 (Court Rolls).

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Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 6

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 19 Richard II* ii m.33

17 February 1396

Nottingham

Grant to Nicholas Monketon and William Sandeham, servants of the chamber, of £20 belonging to the king for the escapes from Ayllesbury prison in the county of Buckingham of David Walsshman, Geoffrey Spencer, **Henry Taverner** and John de Breton, felons; on the surrender of letters patent dated 5 October in the 17th year [1393], found invalid on account of misdescription. By privy seal.

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Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 5

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 19 Richard II* ii m.26

11 June 1396

Westminster

Pardon of outlawry to **Harry Taverner** of Caunbrigge, for not appearing to render his account to John Heryng of London vintner, for the time when he was his receiver.

London

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Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 4

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 19 Richard II* ii m.4

14 June 1396

Westminster

Grant to John Warmeston, Alexander Tresor and William Taverner of Stanes of pontage for three years for repairing the bridge of Stanes, by view of Godfrey atte Piry.

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Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 21

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 21 Richard II* i m.17

27 September 1397

Westminster

Pardon, for 20s paid to the king by John de Penreth, parson of Kirkeland, **John Taverner**, Thomas Grisdall and John Farford, chaplains, to them for acquiring in fee from John Appelby clerk, a messuage and 30 acres of land in Scotby, county Cumberland, held in chief, and entering thereon without licence, and grant to them of the premises as acquired.

Vacated because otherwise below.

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Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 20

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Patent Roll 21 Richard II* i m.11

27 September 1397

Westminster

Pardon, for 20s paid to the king by John de Penreth, parson of Kirkeland, **John Taverner**, Thomas Grisdall and John Farford, chaplains, of their trespass in acquiring in fee, from John Appelby clerk, and entering on, without licence, a messuage and 30 acres of land in Scotby, county Cumberland, held in chief, and now seized into the king's hands; and licence for them to have the premises as acquired and, after seisin had, to enfeoff the said John Appelby of the same.

1397

ref. Chaucer's World P141.

Chaucer made sub-forester of Petherton (Somerset) Chaucer owed his appointment indirectly to Roger Mortimer, Earl of March, Lord Lt of Ireland and hereditary of Petherton.

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Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 15

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Close Roll 22 Richard II* i m.34d

15 July 1398

Westminster

To the sheriffs of London:

Order by mainprise of William Taverner wollemman, John Godechepe hurer, John Russell wollemman and Alexander Offynton taillour, all of London, to set free Henry Benet, imprisoned at the suit of John Goshill, averring threats.

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Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 16

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Close Roll 21 Richard II* ii m.4d

14 June 1398

Memorandum of acknowledgment of:

John Balton (or Bolton) vicar of Kyngeston upon Thames and Alexander Bykenore, to John the Thorp and Margaret daughter of Edmund Broke of Aldenham, county Hertford, and to the heirs of their bodies, with remainder to the right heirs of John de Thorp:

grant and surrender of three messuages, whereof one is a water mill, and of 100 acres of land and 4 acres of meadow in Kyngeston upon Thames and Longeditton, reciting a fine levied at Westminster in the quinzaine of Easter 21 Richard II [2 May 1378] of seven messuages, the said land and meadow and of 26s 8d rent there between the said John Balton and Alexander plaintiffs and John Sutton of Kyngeston upon Thames and Joan his wife deforciants, whereby the plaintiffs acknowledged the right of the said Joan, and the deforciants granted the same during their own lives to the plaintiffs and to the heirs of John Balton, with remainder to the said John de Thorp and Margaret and to the heirs of their bodies, remainder to the right heirs of the said John de Thorp; and a grant of four of the said messuages and the said rent afterwards made by the said John Balton and Alexander to the said John Sutton and Joan for their lives.

Witnesses: Hugh Herlond, John Driffelde, John Renner, Roger Cheldewell, Hugh Taverner

Kyngeston upon Thames, Thursday after the feast of St Dunstan 21 Richard II [23 May 1398]

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Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 50

Item no 17

Source: Public Record Office

Title: *Close Roll 20 Richard II* i m.30d

10 July 1396

Westminster

To the treasurer and the barons of the exchequer:

Writ of supersedeas omnino in respect of any process against John Peraunt, lieutenant of John Golafre knight keeper of the islands of Jersey, Gernesey, Serke and Aurney, appointed with others to arrest John Taverner and all his goods, and to put such goods in safe keeping until further order, but order to proceed against others who did meddle therein; as he has made oath in chancery that he executed not that commission, neither meddled in aught therein contained.

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Pre-1600

No of references ordered: 20

Item no 7

Source: Public Record Office: C 145/272/28

Title: *Chancery Inquisitions Miscellaneous: Henry IV*

16 December 1399

Bury St Edmunds

Writ de causa capcionis et detencionis to the bailiffs of Bury St Edmunds concerning John Taverner of Bury, said to be forcibly detained in the prison of the said town. Westminster. 14 February 1 Henry IV [1400].

Endorsed by Edmund Lakynghithe and Edmund Carleton, bailiffs.

Inquisition taken for the king before the bailiffs at the Tolhous of Bury St Edmunds at the portmanmote held there on Tuesday after St Lucy 1 Henry IV [16 December 1399]

The said John is a common wanderer by night against the king's peace, so that a great multitude of the people hold him suspect of misconduct. With others he lay in wait in the highways of Bury St Edmunds to kill John Lound, Walter Draweswerd and others of the king's people. On Wednesday after St Faith [8 October 1399] he with others feloniously stole a horse worth 18s from John Holwelle of Bramfield in the town of Bramfield. He with others is a common waylayer in the highways of Bury St Edmunds and other places to rob and kill the king's people. He threatened to kill Walter Cook and Thomas Bernyngham because they were on an inquisition for the king and indicted him of divers trespasses and other articles.