

Mynsterworthe

View of Frankpledge with Court of our Lord King Edward the sixth there held on the 10th day of November in the year of the reign of our said Lord King the 4th, etc. [i.e. 1550].

Essoin

William King essoined of his suit [i.e. excused] by Nicholas Keylock.

In attendance 12 Jurors on behalf of our lord king

Thomas Perkyns	William Awyntill	John Pyrton	William Grasyng
William Boyffeld	Richard Calowe	John Carter	William Smyth
Richard Adams	Nicolaus Keylock	Henry Barrett	William Barrett
William Adams	Richard Feld	Thomas Adams	John Malson

Common 6 shillings 8 pence fine

The Tithing-man, at the same place demanded, with his tithing comes, & from the office of Juror, presents as common Fine up to this day, regarding the head-silver*, 6 shillings 8 pence.

[* payment in lieu of reading the roll of suitors at a view of Frankpledge]

Estray 3 shillings in addition 8 pence

And that 8 geese & 3 falcons of the value of 3 shillings 4 pence issuing from the estrays, as at the last court, etc., in the above, etc., and continue in the Keeping of John Feld, without, etc. And that one falcon of the value of 3 pence issuing from the estrays, as at the last court, etc., in the above, etc., and continues in the Keeping of of William Boyfeld, etc.

Fine for 3 shillings a licence

To this court come William Bruton, John Pugett, & Thomas Abocull(?), & give to our lord king as a fine, as appears above their Margins in the Court Roll for having a licence for selling ale in this year ensuing, etc.

Amercement 5 shillings 2 pence

The jury, at the same place demanded, comes, & from the office of Juror, presents that Agnes ^{4d} Rudall, widow, Robert ^{3d} Phypott, Walter ^{4d} Grene, & William ^{3d} Awyntill are tenants of this Manor, and owe suit of Court, and have defaulted of their suit of court up to this day, therefore themselves in mercy, as appears, etc. And that John ^{12d} Hunteley, previously on the Common held of our lord King, with many animals, which to have he owes according to the size of his feudal holding, to their grave damage, therefore himself in mercy, as appears above his margin, etc. And that John ^{20d} Harris, Robert ^{4d} Dagg, and William ^{12d} Hunt are common trespassers with their beasts, to the grave Damage of the tenants of our lord King in that place, therefore themselves in mercy, etc., as appears above their margins, etc.

12 Jurors

Of Whom named previously, etc., (they) confirm all to be true according to their knowledge.

Amercement 2 shillings 6 pence

And furthermore they present that William ^{2s} Bruton harbours & protects various persons of bad repute and governance, to the great disturbance & nuisance of his neighbours, and bad example, therefore himself in mercy, as appears above his margin, etc.

And that Christofer ^{6d} Bullock has made an assault on Edward Ryley with his fist, against the peace of our lord King, therefore himself in mercy, etc.

Elected offices

Johanna Church, widow, is elected in the office of reeve or Bailiff by means of her land called Churcheland, and puts in her position William Kyng, who is a Juror in this year ensuing, etc.

William Adams & Nicolaus Willmottes are elected & Sworn in the office of Constables of the peace of our lord King

William Barret is elected & Sworn in the office of tithing-man, etc.

21 shillings

Total of this view with court——

Assessors**Jurors**

Thomas Perkyns

Richard Adams

William Grassyng

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View of Frankpledge with Court of (our) afore-mentioned Lord King there held (on) the 27th day of May (in) the year of the reign of (our) said Lord King the 5th, etc. [i.e. 1551], to wit:(?) [indistinct] etc.

Essoin

No one.

In attendance 12 Jurors on behalf of (our) lord king

John Aguillym armiger – esquire	Richard Adams	Nicolaus Heyward
Thomas Perkyns	Henry Barrett	William Barrett
William Boyfeld	William Adams	John Pyrton
Nicolaus Hopper	Thomas Adams	Egidius Wilmotes

Common fine 6 shillings 8 pence

The Tithing-man, at the same place demanded, with his tithing comes, & from the office of Juror, presents as common Fine up to this day, regarding the head-silver, 6 shillings 8 pence.

Amercement 22 shillings 4 pence

The jury, at the same place demanded, comes, & from the office of Juror, presents that Agnes ^{4d} Rydall, widow, William ^{4d} Bullock, Richard ^{4d} Awyntill, & William ^{4d} Bruton are tenants of this Manor, and have defaulted of their suit (of court) up to this day, therefore themselves in mercy, as appears, etc. And that William ^{6s 8d} Bullock, John ^{12d} Hunteley, John ^{10s} Kene(?), William ^{6d} Awoode(?), Thomas ^{4d} Clerke, Thomas ^{2s} Tyler, & Florence ^{6d} Colyns overburden cattle (on) the Common in that place, with many animals, which to have (they) owe according to the size of their (feudal) holdings, to grave damage of the other tenants in that place, therefore themselves in mercy, as appears, etc.

Patet & c penalty 5 shillings

And that John ^{20d} Hunteley, William ^{20d} Grasyng, & William ^{20d} Bullock have not adequately enclosed their portions of the fence [/hedge] around the Field of grain [/corn] situated, just as (at) the Hundred (Court) in penalty, therefore whatsoever of their markets [(in) penalty? – final abbreviation indecipherably faint] as appears above their Margins, etc.

12 Jurors

Of Whom named previously, etc., (they) show, etc., (they) declare all (which) previously (they) had presented to have been true according to their knowledge, etc. And furthermore, all well, etc.

Patet

it is manifest

Total

34 shillings

Assessors**Jurors**

Thomas Perkyns

William Boyfeld

Henry Barrett

Common fine

13 shillings 4 pence

Penalty to be declared

5 shillings

Estray

3 shillings 8 pence

Fine for licence

3 shillings

Other amercements

30 shillings

Sum of the total

55 shillings, homage, Witness of the Court aforesaid

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View of Frankpledge with Court of (our) Lord Edward the sixth (by) god's grace of England, France, and Ireland the King, defender of the faith, and on earth, of the church of England and Ireland the supeme Head, there held (on) the 23^[rd] day of November (in) the Year of the reign of (our) said lord King the Fifth [i.e. 1551], Before Anthony Kyngston, knight, then Chief Steward in that place, about the mighty Hundred (Court) business Duty, that concerning, (by) Authority of his letters patent (of) the proper order for trying (in a court of law), and carrying through the meeting.

Essoin

No one

In attendance 12 Jurors on behalf of (our) lord king

Thomas Perkyns	William Adams	Richard Awintill	<i>Richard Feld</i>
Richard Calowe	John Keylock	William Hunt	<i>Nicholaus Heyward</i>
William Bullock de clivum*	William Buffeld	Egidius Wilmotes	
Henry Barrett	John Malson	William Barrett	

[* Clevum & Glevum are mediaeval Latin forms for Gloucester]

Common fine 6 shillings 8 pence

The Tithing-man, in the same place, with his tithing comes, & from the office of Juror, presents as common Fine up to this day, regarding the head-silver, 6 shillings 8 pence.

Amercement 2 shillings 10 pence

And that Robert ^{4d} Phipott, William ^{4d} Messynger, gentleman, Henry ^{2d} Bullock, William ^{4d} Grasyng, Richard ^{4d} Boyfeld, and John ^{4d} Syms are tenants, and have defaulted of their suit of court up to this day, therefore themselves in mercy, as appears above their margins. And that John ^{12d} Hunteley is a common trespasser with his Beasts, within the common of this Manor, to the grave Damage of the tenants, etc., therefore himself, etc.

Death of tenant

The jury, at the same place demanded, comes, & from the office of Juror, presents that William Kynge, who of the lord king has held by means of Indenture, according to the custom of the Manor in that place, one suit and one Rentland, with its appurtenances, by rent during the year (of) 6 shillings 6 pence, has died since the last Court, etc.

Heriot 26 shillings 8 pence

By Rule of which falls due to our lord king by heriot one ox appraised at [*blank space where cost should be listed*], besides which, a proclamation has been made, whether, etc.

Fealty

And furthermore, they declare that John Meyowt is the kinsman and heir of Thomas Danyell, deceased, to whom all premises, with their appurtenances, should descend in low tenure, according to the custom of the Manor in that

place, etc., after the fine and determination of the Indenture aforeaid, thus far continuing, etc.

Death of tenant

And that William Pyrton, who of (our) lord king has held has held [*sic.*] at will, according to the custom of the Manor in that place, one suit and one Munday land, by rent during the year (of) 9 shillings 11 pence, has died since the last Court, etc.

Heriot 20 shillings

(By) Rule of which falls due (to our) lord king by heriot one cow appraised at 20 shillings, to remain in the keeping of Agnes Pyrton, relict of the aforesaid William Pyrton, deceased, etc., besides which, a proclamation has been made, whether (, etc.)

Fealty adjourned

And furthermore they declare that John Brether, son and heir of John Brether, deceased, of the age of 16 years, is the next heir, to whom all premises should descend, according to the custom of the Manor in that place. And he is admitted tenant thereupon. But fealty is adjourned, because he is under age, etc.

More fully 4 shillings

And his relief payment is pledged at 4 shillings.

Penalty 29 shillings 4 pence Market

And appear in court John ^{6s 8d} Keylock, John ^{20d} Bodnam, John ^{20d} Allen, Thomas ^{4d} Hyatt, William ^{12d} Hunte, John ^{20d} Trapull, Francis ^{12d} Adams, Elizabeth ^{12d} Tarterr, Richard ^{20d} Adams, Nicholas ^{20d} Wylmottes, Agnes ^{4d} Pyrton, Nicholas ^{12d} Keylock, Johanna ^{2d} Hyll, Nicholas ^{12d} Hopper, Johanna ^{2d} Perkyms, Richard ^{2s} Leytheton, William ^{2s} Grassinge, Robert ^{2s} Hyett, Thomas ^{4d} Adams, William ^{8d} Adams, William ^{4d} Aboxford, and John ^{12d} Veysye, who have not shredded [/lopped], and neither have they pruned their portions of the fence [/hedge], nor have they scoured their portions of the ditch, in no places where it requires work below the sky, such according to the order of the Court, therefore whatsoever of their markets in penalty of 6 shillings 8 pence, as appears above their margins, etc.

View of Frankpledge to be enacted

And it is ordered to William Bullock, Richard Callowe, and Thomas Perkyms to enact a view of Frankpledge regarding all parcels of land being in the liberty between William Cowley and William Barret, & afterwards, from investigating diligently, to register the deed at the next court, about which, the parcels of land aforesaid, lawfully pertaining, under penalty of whomsoever committing offense to our lord king, 3 shillings 4 pence.

Elected offices

Thomas Perkyns [and] Nicholaus Hopper de Hampton are Elected & Sworn in the office of Constables

Richard Wotton is elected & Sworn in the office of Tithing-man.

Elizabeth Hyet is elected in the office of reeve for the land of Anthony Arnold, and puts in her exchange Henry Barret, who is a Juror, etc.

In attendance 12 Jurors

Of Whom named previously, etc., they show concerning and about the articles at the view of Frankpledge pertaining by the charge, and the Jurors declare upon their oath that all previously by the official presented, and by those in succession who read through, which they have heard and satisfactorily have understood, are true according to their knowledge, and thus they them confirm. And furthermore, all well, etc.

Assessors**Jurors**

William Bullock
Richard Callowe
Henry Barrett

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View of Frankpledge with Court of (our) Lord King Edward the sixth, (by) god's grace of England, France, and Ireland the King, defender of the faith, and on earth, of the church of England and Ireland the supeme head, there held (on) the 17th day of June (in) the Year of the reign of (our) said lord King the Sixth [i.e. 1552], before Anthony Kyngston, knight, then Chief Steward in that place, etc.

Essoin

John Pyrton essoined from appearance at this view by Henry Barrett. William Mylles essoined from appearance at this view by [sic.] Thomas Hiett. William Awintill essoined of his suit by Henry Barrett.

In attendance 12 Jurors on behalf of our lord king

William Abofeld	John Malson	Richard Calowe	Robert Hyett
John Keylock	Thomas Adams	William Adams	William Hunt
William Barrett	Nicholaus Keylock	Nicholaus Heyward	John Carter
Richard Adams	Richard ffeld	Egidius Wilmottes	John Goslinge

Liberty of speaking

Egidius Wylmottes makes formal complaint against Richard Leyghton in a plea of of trespass. And in respect whereof, he makes formal complaint in his own person, declaring that (at) a certain day and time, within the one year last past, the aforesaid defendant, in a certain pasture called Calcrofte, within the Jurisdiction of this Court, etc., one mare from the goods and cattles of the aforesaid plaintiff, at that time and in that place, has beaten and given to the same mare a blow from which (she) died. And other enormities to him has inflicted, to the damage of the said plaintiff (of) 33 shillings 4 pence, and from that cause (he) brings suit. And the aforesaid defendant, in his own person, comes and entreats the liberty of speaking, etc.

Death of tenant

The jury, at the same place demanded, comes, & from the office of Juror, presents that John Pugett, otherwise Carpenter, who of our lord king has held by means of Indenture, for a term of Years, still continuing, according to the custom of the Manor in that place, one messuage, with appurtenances, in Dynny within the Manor aforesaid, by rent during the year (of) [. . . – page torn] has died has died [*sic.*] since the last Court, etc.

Heriot 26 shillings 8 pence

(By) Rule of which falls due (to) the lord king by heriot one cow appraised at [. . . – page torn – ? shillings] 8 pence. Besides which, a proclamation has been made, whether, etc. And besides this comes Agnes, relict of the said John [. . . – page torn], administratrix of the testament and last will of the same John, and claims to hold and [possess(?)- page torn] the premises, with their appurtenances, (by) alleged reason of the same Indenture, bearing the date of discharge. And has been admitted thereupon [tenant,] and has done fealty for the premises.

Common fine 6 shillings 8 pence

The Tithing-man, in the same place, with his tithing comes, & from the office of Juror, presents as common Fine up to this day, regarding the [head-silver, – page torn] 6 shillings 8 pence.

Amercement 12 pence

And that Richard ^{3d} Awyntill, Henry ^{2d} Bullock, Robert ^{3d} Phypott, and William ^{4d} Messing, gentleman, are free-holders, and have defaulted of their suit of court at this view of Frankpledge, etc., therefore themselves in mercy, as appears above their margins, etc.

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Estray to continue

And that one mare of the colour Bay, of the value of 6 shillings 8 pence, issuing from the estray at the feast of Pentecost, lawfully, by proclamation according to the customs, etc., to continue in the keeping of Henry Barrett, has been challenged. And that 1 hen of the colour Red, of the value of 6 shillings 8 pence. And one hen of the colour Red, of the value of 6 shillings 8 pence, issuing from the estray during the feast of Corpus Christi, lawfully, by proclamation according to the customs, etc., to continue in the keeping of Henry Barrett, without suing for possession, etc.

In attendance 12 Jurors

Of Whom named previously, they show concerning and about the elected (ones?) [very faint] etc., they say upon their oath, all [which previously] they had presented, by means of their office, to have been true according to their knowledge, etc. And furthermore, all well, etc., as far as [. . .] etc.

Assessors

William Boysen

John Matson