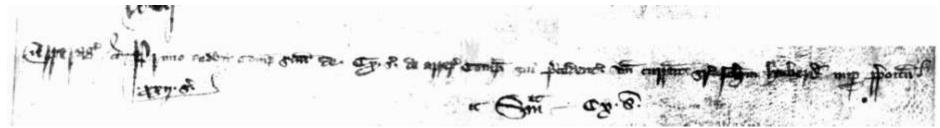


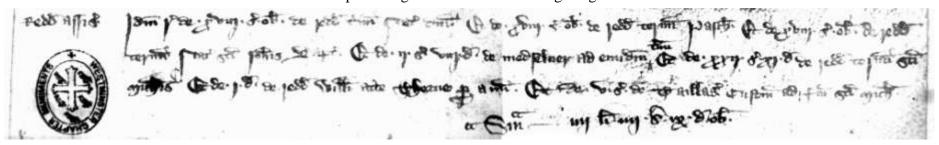
Morden - Account of Richard Edward reeve at the same place of the issues of the same manor from Michaelmas Day in the 16th year of the reign of King Edward III after the Conquest until the same feast next following in the 17th year of the reign of the same king. [1342-1343]



Arrears

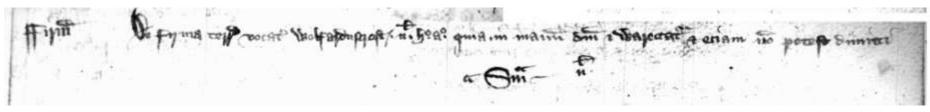
First he renders his account for 110s of arrears of his preceding account of which charged against John Huberd late reeve 22s.

Sum 110s.



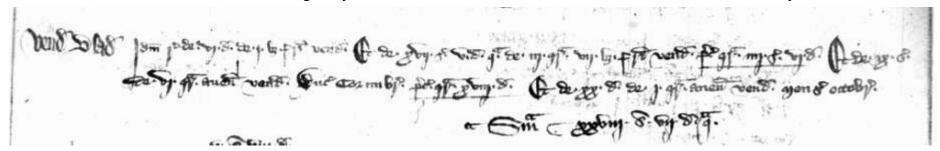
Rent of assize

The same answers for 18s 0½d from rent for the Christmas term. And for 18s 0½d from rent for the Easter term. And for 18s 0½d from rent for the term of the Nativity of St John the Baptist. And for 2s 8d of Medsilver at the same. term And for 22s 11d from rent for the Michaelmas term. And for 1d from rent of William atte Thorne for the year. And for 5s from tallage of customary tenants at Michaelmas. Sum £4 4s 9½d.



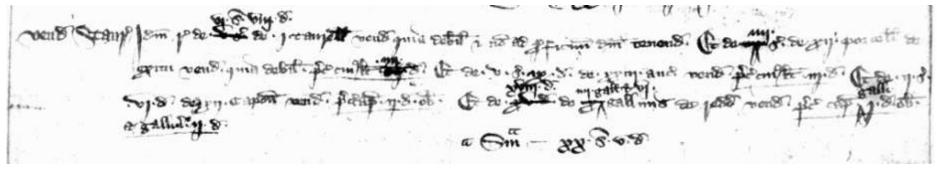
Farm

For farm of land called Wolfarduscroft nothing this year because in the lord's hand and fallow and also he has no authority to demise. Sum nothing.



Corn sold

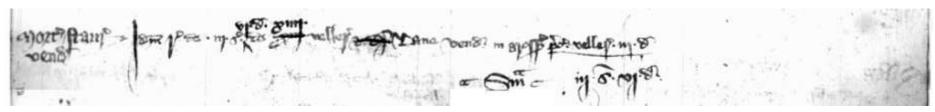
The same answers for 6d for 1 bushel wheat sold. And for 17s 5½d for 3 quarters 7 bushels wheat sold, price per quarter 4s 6d. And for 9s for 6 quarters oats sold to the Duke of Cornwall, price per quarter 18d. And for 20d for 1 quarter oats sold in the month of October. Sum 28s 7½d.



Livestock sold

The same answers for 5s ^{6s 8d} for 1 bull-calf sold because weak and of no profit for the lord to maintain. And for 6s ^{4s} for 12 piglets of issue sold because weak, price of each 6d. ^{4d} And for 5s 9d for 23 geese sold, price of each 3d. And for 2s 6d for 12 capons sold, price per head 2½d. And for 15d ^{18d} for 10 ^{4 cocks and 6} hens from rent sold, price per head of cocks 1½d and hens 2d.

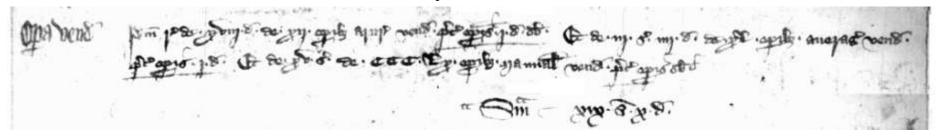
Sum 20s 5d.



Dead stock sold

The same answers for 3s ^{6d} for 13½ wool fleeces sold wholesale, price of a fleece 3d.

Sum 3s 6d.

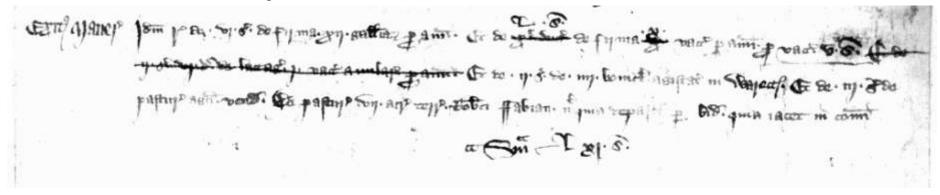


Sale of labour services

The same answers for 18d for 12 ploughing works sold, price of a work 1½d. And for 3s 4d for 40 carrying services sold, price of a work 1d.

And for 15s for 360 manual works sold, price of a work ½d.

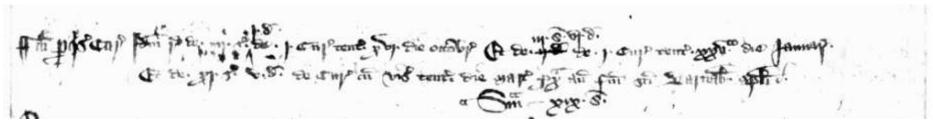
Sum 19s 10d.



Issues of the manor

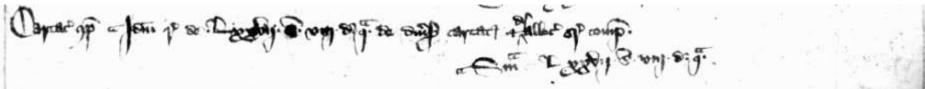
The same answers for 6s for the farm of 12 hens for the year. And for 45s 50s for farm of 9 10 cows for the year per cow 5s. And for 2s 6d for dairy products of 1 yearling cow for the year. And for 2s for 4 bullocks agisted in the fallow. And for 3s for pasturage for lambs sold. For pasture of 7 acres land of Robert Fabian nothing because of grazing for ewes, because it lies in common.

Sum 61s.



Fines and profits of the Court

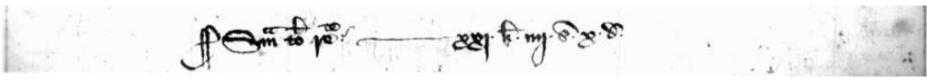
The same answers for 4s ^{1d} for 1 Court held 16th October. And for 2d ^{3s 6d} for 1 Court held 25th January. And for 11s 5d for Court with View held the Tuesday next before the feast of St Barnabas the Apostle.



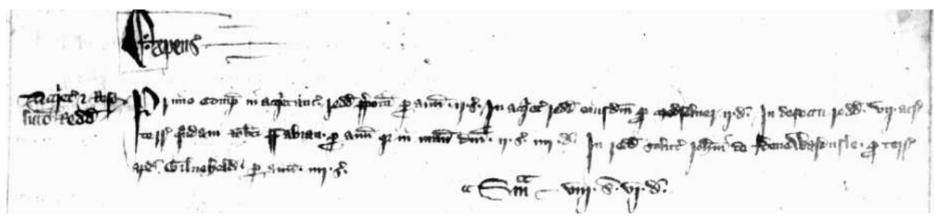
Debit of the account

The same answers for 77s 81/4d for various [things] charged and dis-allowed at the audit.

Sum 77s 81/4d.



Sum Total Receipts: £21 4s 10d.

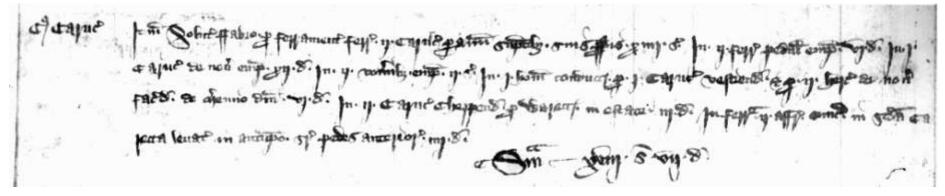


EXPENSES

Quittances and rent paid

First he accounts in quittance of rent of the reeve for the year 2s. In quittance of rent for the same for medsilver 2d. In default of rent of 7 acres land formerly Robert Fabian for the year because in the lord's hand 2s 4d. In rent paid to John de Kenewardusle for land at Gilnehelde for the year 4s.

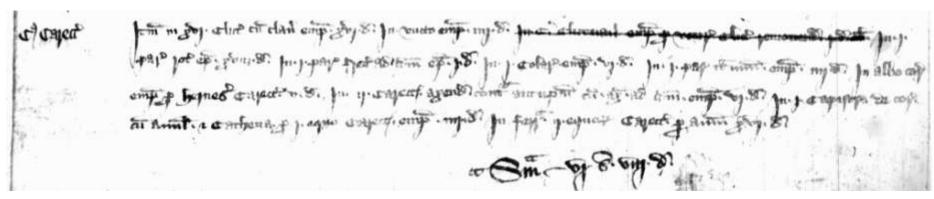
Sum 8s 6d.



Cost of ploughs

Also paid to the smith for fitting iron to 2 ploughs for the year at his own expense 14s. In 2 plough feet bought 6d. In 1 new plough bought 12d. In 2 ploughshares bought 2s. In 1 man hired for fitting a mould-board to 1 plough and making 2 new harrows from the lord's timber 6d. In fitting 2 ploughs with share-beams for the fallow [*pro warectz*] in summer 3d. In shoeing 2 draught horses pulling the second cart raised in harvest, on their front feet 4d.

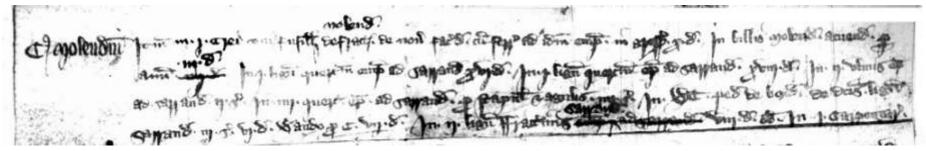
Sum 18s 7d.



Costs of carts

Also in 16 clouts with nails bought 16d. In grease bought 4d. In 100 cloutnails bought for old clouts remaining 1½d. In 1 pair wheels bought 18d. In 1 pair frets bought for the same 1d. In 1 collar bought 6d. In 1 pair traces bought 4d. In white-tawed leather bought for harness for carts 5d. In fitting 2 carts before harvest with axle-trees bought for the same 6d. In 1 halter of hide with rings and a chain for 1 carthorse bought 4d. In shoeing 2 carthorses for the year 16d.

Sum 6s 8d.

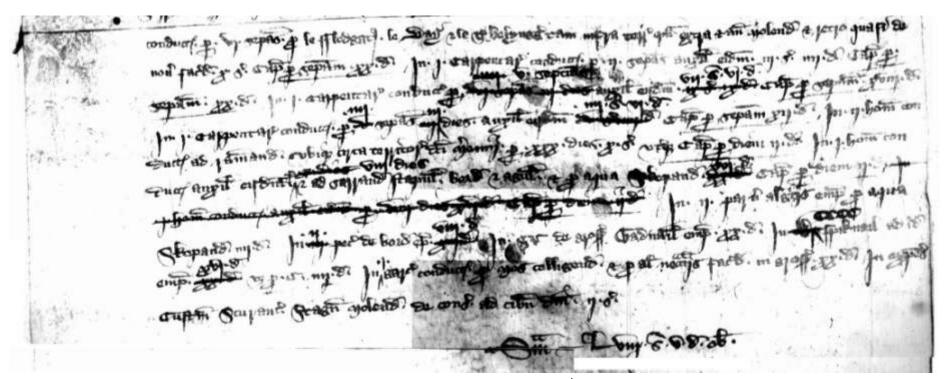


Mill costs

Also in 1 *crei** for making anew one broken ^{mill-}spindle with iron bought for the same wholesale 10d. In sharpening mill bills for the year 4d. ^{3d} In 1 oak trunk bought for sawing 16d. In 1 oak trunk bought for sawing 18d. In 2 elms bought for sawing 2s. In 4 oaks bought for sawing, trimming and sharpening 4s. † In sawing 600 feet of boards from the said trunks 3s 6d, giving for 100 7d. In ^{sawing} 2 ash trunks bought for sawing 8½d. In 1 carpenter ...

^{*} Possibly an error for acet meaning 'steel', which would make sense in this context - M Page 8.7.06

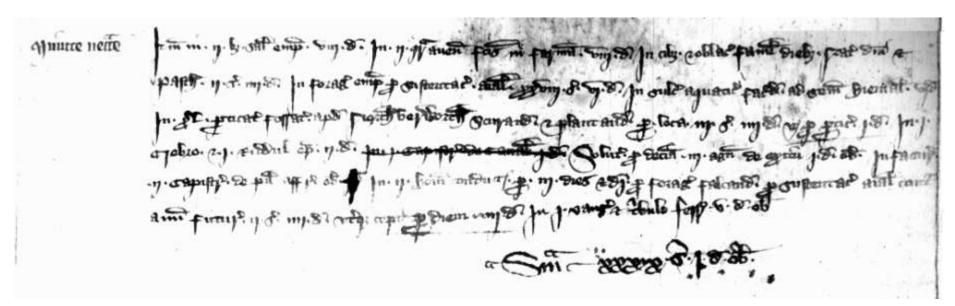
 $^{^{\}dagger}$ The wood was sharpened in order to drive it into the ground along the mill's watercourse – M Page 14.12.05



... hired for 6 weeks for the flood-gates [*le flodgates*], the bay [*le Bay*] and *le Thelyngg* '\$ both within the ground and outside and before and behind the mill as if new made 10s, taking per week 20d. In 1 carpenter hired for 2 weeks to assist the same 3s 4d, taking per week 20d. In 1 carpenter hired for 6 weeks 3 days 45 weeks to assist the same 9s 9d. 7s 6d taking per week 18d. In 1 carpenter hired for 5 weeks 4 days to assist the same 5s 4d, 4s 6d taking per week 12d. In 2 men hired for ramming the said timber anywhere around the territory [of the mill] for 30 days 10s, each taking per day 2d. In 1 man hired to assist the same for 8 days 16d, taking per day 2d. In 2 small troughs bought for scooping out water 20d, 16d taking per day 2d. In 105 large *gadnails* bought 20d. In 500 400 spikenails bought for the same 20d, 16d viz per 100 4d. In 1 lad hired for collecting moss and for doing other necessaries wholesale 20d. In expenses of customary tenants scouring the mill pond by custom with the lord's food 2s.

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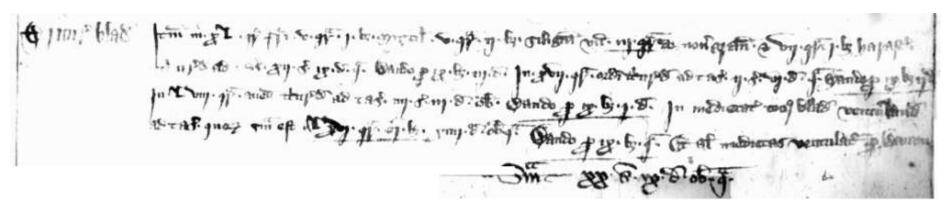
[‡] "Possibly related to eyling, a building term meaning aisle, wing, lean-to or bay – see OED" Dr M Page April 2006



Petty necessities

Also in 2 bushels of salt bought 8d. In making 2 quarters oats into meal 8d. In food and oblations for servants on Christmas and Easter days 2s 4d. In forage bought for sustenance of animals 28s 6d. In making water channels at winter sowing 6d. In scouring 40 perches of ditch at Northberworth and planting in places 3s 4d, viz per perch 1d. In 1 sieve and 1 riddle bought 2d. In 1 hemp halter bought 1d. Payment for tithes of 3 lambs of issue 1½d. In making 2 halters of draught horses' hair ½d. 34d In 2 men hired for 3½ days for mowing forage for sustenance of animals against the following year 2s 4d, each taking per day 4d. In 1 spade and shovel/threshing sledge of iron 5½d.

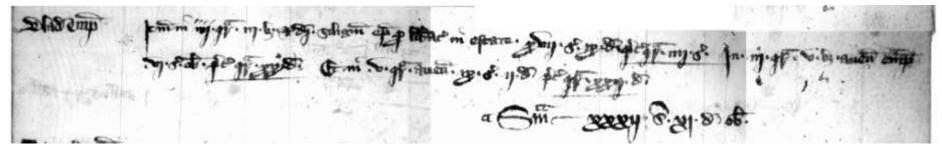
Sum 39s 1½d.



Threshing corn

Also in threshing 40 quarters wheat, 5 quarters 1 bushel mixstillio, 5 quarters 2 bushels rye, of which 3 quarters of new grain, and 7 quarters 1 bushel pulses by piece-work 12s 9½d, giving for 9 bushels 3d. In threshing 17 quarters barley by piece-work 2s 6¼d, giving for 9 bushels 2d. In threshing 58 quarters oats by piece-work 4s 3½d, giving for 9 bushels 1d. In winnowing half the total corn by piece-work, of which the sum is 66 quarters 6 bushels, 14¾d, giving for 9 bushels ¼d. And the other half winnowed by the dairy worker.

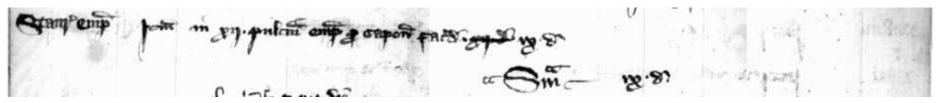
Sum 20s 9¾d.



Corn bought

Also in 4 quarters 3½ bushels rye bought for livery in summer 17s 9d, price of a quarter 4s. In 3 quarters 5 bushels oats bought 6s 0½d, price of a quarter 20d. And in 5 quarters oats 9s 2d, price of a quarter 22d.

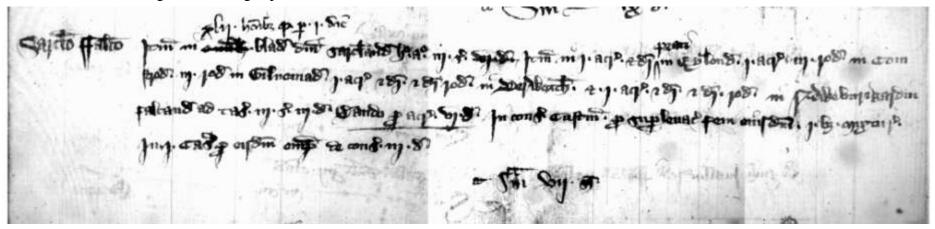
Sum 32s 11½d.



Livestock bought

Also in 12 chickens bought for making capons 12d.9d

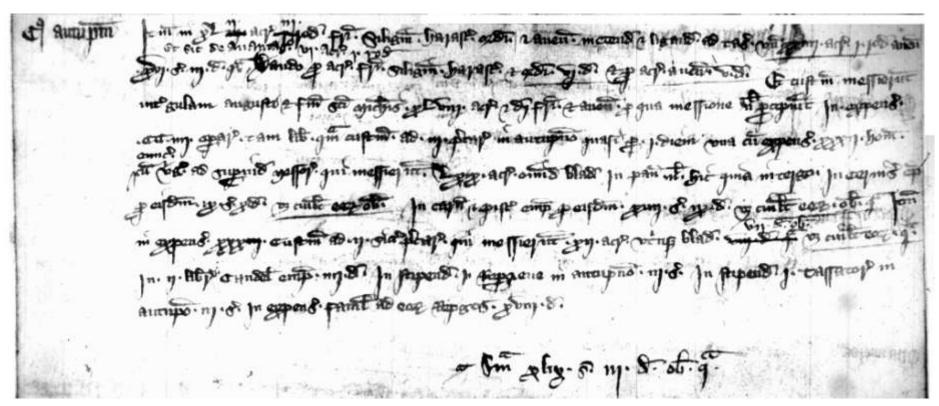
Sum 9d.



Hoeing and Mowing

Also in hoeing all ^{42 men working for 1 day} the lord's corn this year 3s 6d. Also in mowing 1½ acres ^{meadow} in Eylond, 1 acre 3 roods in Comstrod 3 roods in Gilnemad, 1½ acres ½ rood in Berworth and 1½ acres ½ rood in Neweburigardin by piece-work 3s 3d, giving per acre 6d. In customary payment to customary tenants for lifting the hay in the same 1 bushel maslin. In 1 cheese bought for the same by custom 3d. Sum 7s.

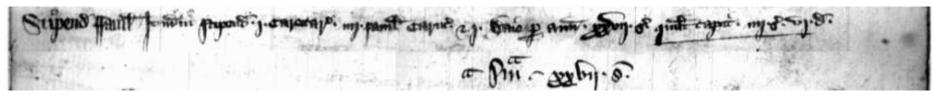
[§] The acreages total 71/4 acres, which @ 6d per acre, totals 3s 71/2d.



Harvest costs

Also in reaping and binding 43 ⁴² acres 1 ³ roods wheat, rye, pulses, barley and oats by piece-work, of which 24 acres 1 rood oats, 16s 3¼d, ** and so for gain 6 acres 1 rood giving per acre wheat, rye, pulses and barley 6d and per acre oats 5d. And customary tenants reaped between 1st August and Michaelmas 48½ acres wheat and oats for which reaping they received nothing. In expenses of 204 workers both free and customary at 3 boonworks in harvest as though for 1 day together with expenses of 32 men sent out with rods to superintend reapers who reaped 70 acres of corn of every kind; in bread nothing here because claimed; in ale bought for the same 9s 10d, viz for each of them ½d; in meat and fish bought for the same 14s 9d, viz for each of them ¾d. Also in expenses of 33 customary tenants at 2 dry boonworks, who reaped 12 acres of whichever corn, 81/4d, 71/2d viz for each of them ¼d. In 2 lb of candles bought 4d. In stipend of 1 reap-reeve in harvest 3s. In stipend of 1 stacker in harvest 3s. In servants' expenses for their 'harvest goose' 18d.

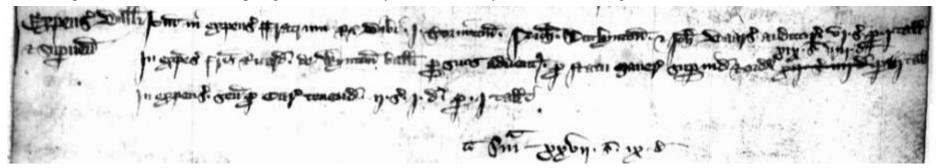
** ie $6\frac{1}{4}$ acres unpaid, $24\frac{1}{4}$ acres @ 5d, and $12\frac{1}{4}$ acres @ 6d = 16s $2\frac{3}{4}$ d. Was the $6\frac{1}{4}$ acres @ $\frac{1}{2}$ d?



Servants' stipends

Also in stipend of 1 carter, 4 servant ploughmen and 1 dairy worker for the year 27s, each taking 4s 6d.

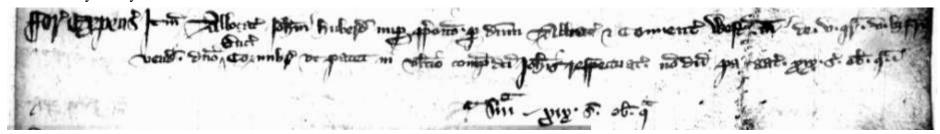
Sum 27s.



Expenses of Bailiff and visitors

Also in expenses of brothers R Bibi, J Torinton, Nicholas Littlynton and John Baars auditors 6s by 1 tally. In expenses of brother Richard de Wynton bailiff for his coming for superintending and regulating the state of the manor 12s 4d 19s 8d by 3 tallies In expenses of steward for Courts held 2s 1d by 1 tally.

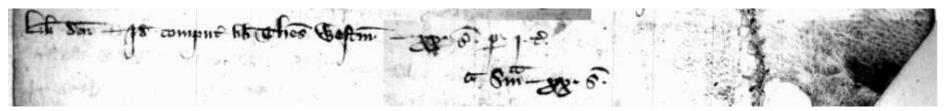
Sum 27s 9d.



Foreign Expenses

Also allowed to John Huberd former reeve by the lord abbot and convent of Westminster of 5 quarters 5 bushels wheat sold to the lord Duke of Cornwall as appears in the last account of the said John respited not yet paid 19s 03/4d.

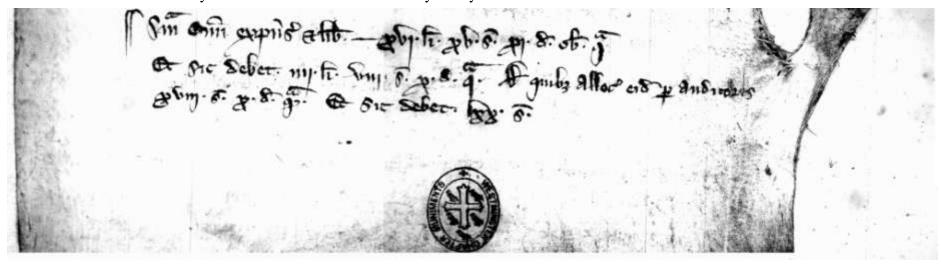
 $^{^{\}dagger\dagger}$ See WAM 27315 and WAM 27316. [a tear in the membrane here has been stitched and the word is therefore partly illegible].



Cash payments

The same accounts for delivery to treasurer of Westminster 20s by 1 tally.

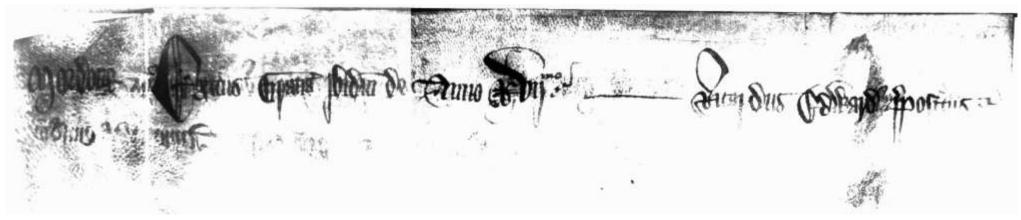
Sum 20s.



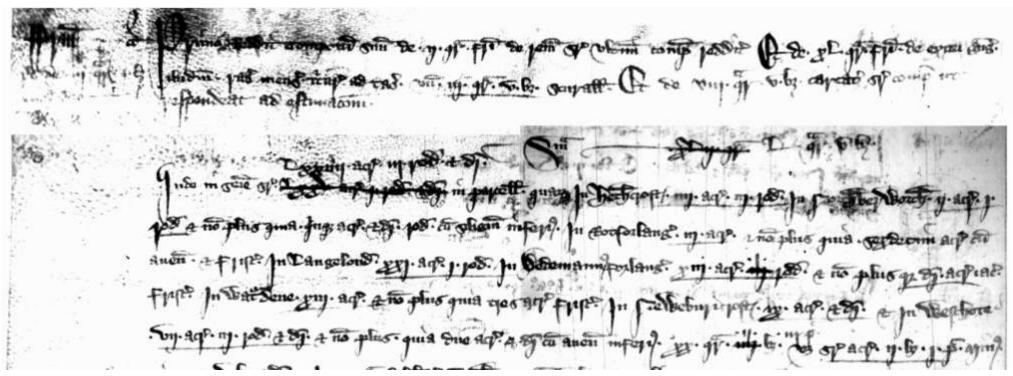
Sum of all expenses and deliveries £16 15s 11¾d.

And thus he owes £4 8s 10¼d. Of which in allowance to the same by the auditors 18s 10¼d. And so he owes 70s.

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Morden Issues of the grange at the same place for year 17 – Richard Edward reeve



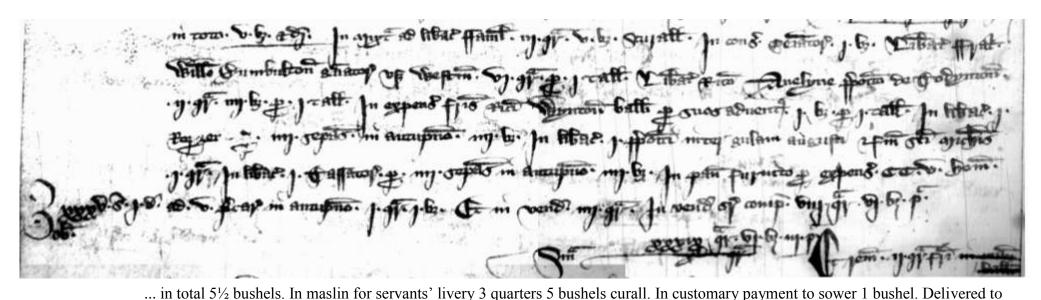
Wheat

He answers for 3fold minus 3 quarters 1 bushel First he renders his account for 2 quarters wheat of the remaining rendered upon the last account. And for 40 quarters wheat of issue of the grange at the same place by struck measure, threshed by piece-work, of which 3 quarters 5 bushels curall. And for 8 quarters 5 bushels charged at the audit as he answered by estimation. The sum 42 quarters are summarized by struck measure, threshed by piece-work, of which 3 quarters 5 bushels curall. And for 8 quarters 5 bushels charged at the audit as he answered by estimation.

Of which in sowing over 75 acres 1½ roods, ^{74 acres 3½ roods} in parcels [*in parcell*], of which in Hethcroft 4 acres 3 roods, in Northberworth 2 acres 1 rood, and no more because 5 acres ½ rood with rye below, in Rotforlong 3 acres, and no more because 16 acres with oats and uncultivated, in Langelond 21 acres 1 rood, in Dedemannesforlong 13 acres 3 rood and no more because ½ acre lies uncultivated, in Waterdene 13 acres and no more because 3 acres uncultivated, in Neweburicroft 9½ acres and in Westchote 7 acres 3½ roods and no more because 2½ acres with oats below, 20 quarter 4 bushels, ^{3 pecks§§} viz over the acre 2 bushels 1 peck minus ...

^{‡‡} This account has a similar entry for each of type of corn, etc. The final entry in each section, for corn sold at the audit, normally referred to grain not accounted for in the list of outgoings, but in this roll it would appear that the auditors questioned the yield, which was less than the reeve answered to, or was answerable for. Does this represent a set quota which he failed to achieve?

^{§§} Actually works out to 20 quarters 3 bushels 3 pecks.



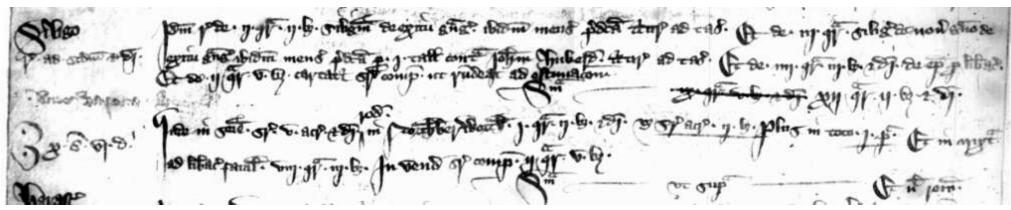
6d

brother William Dumbulton keeper of the granary at Westminster 6 quarters by 1 tally. Delivered to Richard Anelyne reeve of Teddington 2 quarters 4 bushels by 1 tally. In expenses of brother Richard de Wynton bailiff for his coming 1 bushel by 1 tally. In livery of 1 reapreeve for 4 weeks in harvest 4 bushels. In livery of 1 reeve between 1st August and Michaelmas 1 quarter. In livery of 1 stacker for 4 weeks in harvest 4 bushels. In bread baked for expenses of 205 men at 5 boonworks in harvest 1 guarter 1 bushel. And in sale 4 guarters. In sale at the audit 8 quarters 6 bushels 1 peck.*** Sum 40 quarters. ^{39 quarters 6 bushels 3 pecks} And there remain 2 quarters wheat in the hands of the bailiff.

Mixstillio

The same answers for 5 quarters 1 bushel mixstillio of issue of the grange at the same place of rye sown the preceding year, by struck measure, threshed by piece-work. Sum 5 quarters 1 bushel. And accounted in servants' maslin. And none remains.

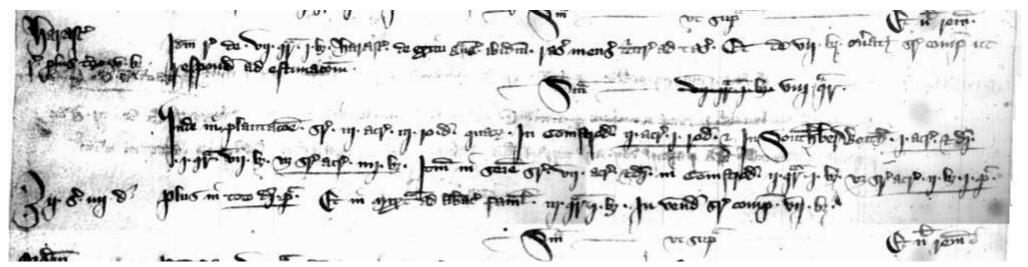
^{***} This entry is not included in the total inserted below.



Rye
He answers at 2½fold

The same answers for 2 quarters 2 bushels rye of issue of the grange at the same place by the aforesaid measure, threshed by piece-work. And for 3 quarters rye of new grain of issue of the grange at the same place by the aforesaid measure by 1 tally against John Huberd, threshed by piece-work. And for 4 quarters 3½ bushels of purchase for livery. And for 2 quarters 5 bushels charged at the audit as he answered by estimation. Sum 9 quarters 5½ bushels. 12 quarters 2½ bushels

Of which in sowing over 5 acres ½ rood in Northberworth 1 quarter 2½ bushels, viz over the acre 2 bushels plus in total 1 peck. And in maslin for servants' liveries 8 quarters 3 bushels. In sale at the audit 2 quarters 5 bushels. Sum as above. And none remains.



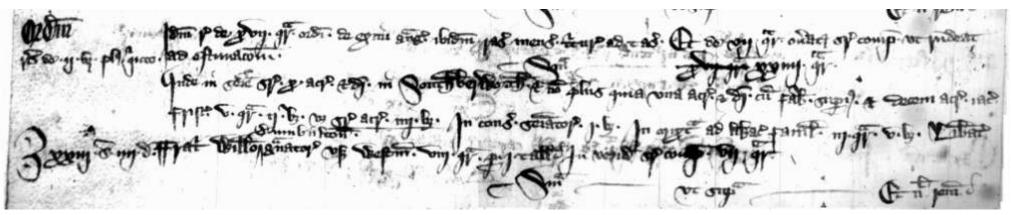
Pulses He answers 3-fold plus 5 bushels^{†††}

The same answers for 7 quarters1 bushel of pulses of issue of the grange at the same place by struck measure, threshed by piece-work. And for 7 bushels charged at the audit as he answered by estimation. Sum 7 quarters 1 bushel. ^{8 quarters}

2s 4d

Of which in planting over 3 acres 3 roods, of which in Comstrod 2 acres 1 rood, in Southberworth, 1½ acres 1 quarter 7 bushels, viz over the acre 4 bushels. Also in sowing over 7½ acres in Comstrod, 2 quarters 1 bushel, viz over the acre 2 bushels 1 peck plus in total ½ peck. And in maslin for servants' livery 3 quarters 1 bushel. In sale at the audit 7 bushels. Sum as above. And none remains.

^{** 4} quarters 7 bushels of pulses were planted in the previous year producing only 8 quarters of issue, so the yield was around 1%-fold, not 3%-fold as stated here



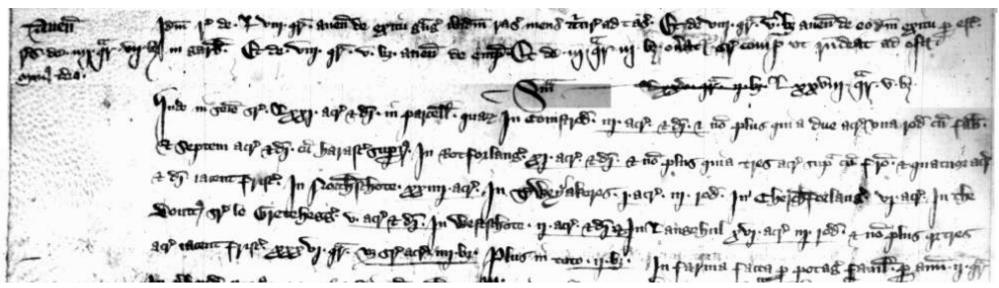
BarleyHe answers for 5-

fold plus 2 bushels

The same answers for 17 quarters barley of issue of the grange at the same place by struck measure, threshed by piece-work. And for 7 quarters charged at the audit as he answered by estimation. Sum 17 quarters. ^{24 quarters}

Of which in sowing over 10½ acres in Southberworth and no more because 1½ acres with beans above and 10 acres lie uncultivated, 5 quarters 2 bushels, viz over the acre 4 bushels. In customary payment to sower 1 bushel. In maslin for servants' livery 3 quarters 5 bushels. Delivered to brother William Dumbulton keeper of the granary at Westminster 8 quarters by 1 tally. And in sale at the audit 7 quarters. Sum as above. And none remains.

23s 4d

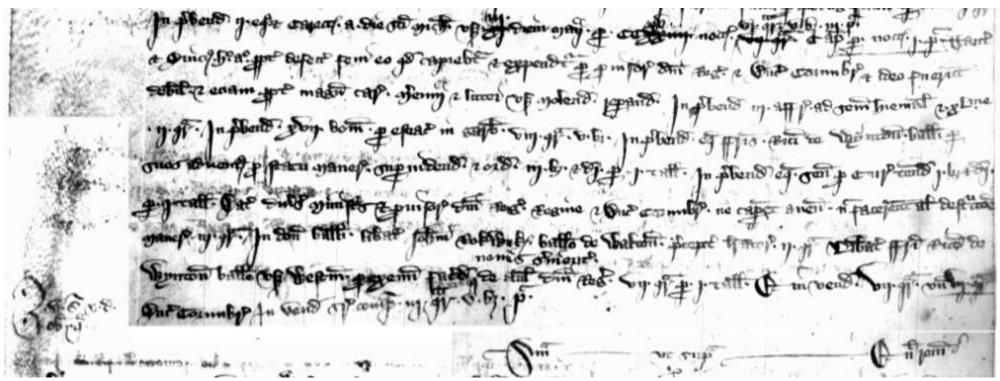


Oats

He answers for 3fold minus 4 quarters 7 bushels^{‡‡‡} The same answers for 58 quarters oats of issue of the grange at the same place by struck measure, threshed by piece-work. And for 8 quarters 5 bushels oats of the same issue by estimate in sheaves. And for 8 quarters 5 bushels oats bought. And for 3 quarters 3 bushels charged at the audit as he answered by estimation. Sum 75 quarters 2 bushels.

Of which in sowing over 71½ acres in parcels, of which in Comstrod 3½ acres and no more because 2 acres 1 rood with beans and 7½ acres with pulses above, in Rotforlang 11½ acres and no more because 3 acres above with wheat and 4½ acres lie uncultivated, in Northschote 24 acres, in Tweyakeres 1 acre 3 roods, in Cherchforlang 6 acres, in the Bouttes upon le Gretehegg 5½ acres, in Westschote 2½ acres and in Langehul 16 acres 3 roods and no more because 3 acres lie uncultivated, 36 quarters, viz over the acre 4 bushels plus in total 2 bushels. In making meal for servants' pottage for the year 2 quarters. ...

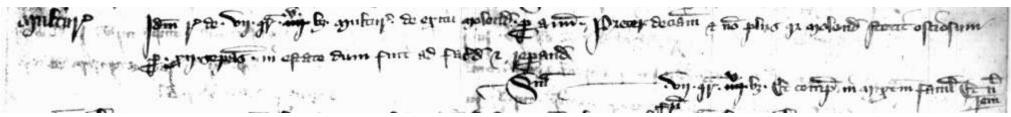
ttt According to the quantities sown in the previous account, the yield this year was nowhere near the figure stated in spite of the charge at the audit.



... In fodder for 2 carthorses from Michaelmas day until 11th May for 224 215 nights, 7 quarters 6 quarters 5 bushels 3 pecks taking per night 1 peck. And this was so much this year on account of lack of hay because taken and expended by purveyors of the lord king and Duke of Cornwall and therefore they had insufficient and also on account of the great carting of timber and clay to do with the repairing of the mill. In fodder for 3 draught horses at winter and Lenten sowing 2 quarters. In fodder for 17 oxen by estimation in sheaves 8 quarters 5 bushels. In fodder for the horse of brother R de Wynton bailiff for his coming for superintending and regulating the state of the manor 3½ bushels by 1 tally. In fodder for the steward's horse for Courts held ½ bushels by 1 tally. Given to various ministers and purveyors of the lord king, the queen and the Duke of Cornwall for not taking oats nor making other destruction in the manor 3 quarters. In gift of the bailiff delivered to John Rokwik bailiff of Walton by order in writing 2 quarters. Delivered to brother Richard de Wynton bailiff at Westminster for leaving to make new servants for the hall of the lord King 7 quarters by 1 tally. And in sale 7 quarters of which 6 quarters to the Duke of Cornwall. In sale at the audit 3 quarters 5 bushels 1 peck. Sum as above. And none remains.

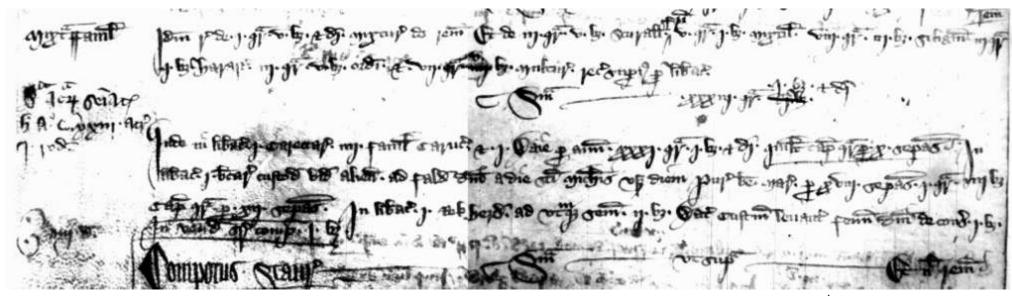
5s 53/4d

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Multure

The same answers for 7 quarter 4⁻⁵ bushels multure of issue of the mill for the year besides tithe, and no more because the mill stood idle for 12 weeks in summer whilst it was being made and repaired. Sum 7 quarters 4 bushels. And accounted in servants' maslin. And none remains.



Maslin for servants

The same answers for 1 quarter 5½ bushels maslin from the remaining. And for 3 quarters 5 bushels curall, wheat 5 quarters 1 bushel mixstillio, 8 quarters 3 bushels rye, 3 quarters 1 bushel pulses, 3 quarters 5 bushels barley and 7 quarters 4⁵ bushels multure received above for livery. Sum 33 quarters $\frac{1}{2}$ bushels.

Sum of acres acres 1 rood 4d.

Of which in livery of 1 carter, 4 servant ploughmen and 1 dairy worker for the year 31 quarters 1½ bushels, each taking a quarter per 10 sown this year 173 weeks. In livery of 1 shepherd keeping alien ewes at the lord's sheepfold from Michaelmas day until the Purification of blessed Mary for 18 weeks 1 quarter 4 bushels taking a quarter per 12 weeks. In livery of 1 rook-scarer at both sowings 2 bushels. Given to the customary tenants lifting the lord's hay by custom 1 bushel. In sale at the audit 1 bushel. Sum as above. And none remains.

LIVESTOCK ACCOUNT



Carthorses
Draught horses

Oxen

The same answers for 2 carthorses from the remaining. Sum 2. And there remain 2 carthorses.

The same answers for 3 draught horses from the remaining. Of which stolen by night in the field 1. And there remain 2 draught horses.

The same answers for 17 oxen from the remaining. Sum 17. And there remain 17 oxen.



Bulls

The same answers for 1 bull from the remaining. And there remains 1 bull.

Cows

The same answers for 10 cows from the remaining. Sum 10. And there remain 10 cows, of which 1 is a yearling. §§§

Bull calf

The same answers for 1 bull calf from the remaining. And sold within because not fit to maintain. And it balances.

^{§§§ 10} adult cows were carried forward in the previous account. There were no yearlings or calves of issue!



Calves of issue For calves of issue nothing to answer for because weak at weaning.



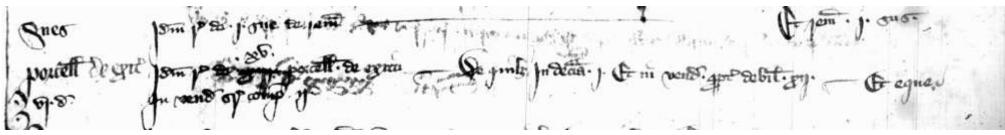
Wethers The same answers for 6 wethers from the remaining. And for 3 added from hoggets. Sum 9. And there remain 9 wethers.

Ewes The same answers for 4 ewes from the remaining. Sum 4. And there remain 4 ewes.

Hoggets The same answers for 3 hoggets from the remaining. And added above with wethers. And it balances.

Lambs The same answers for 2 lambs from the remaining. Sum 2. And there remain 2 hoggets.

Lambs of issue The same answers for 3 lambs of issue and no more because 1 ewe sterile. Sum 3. And there remain 3 lambs.



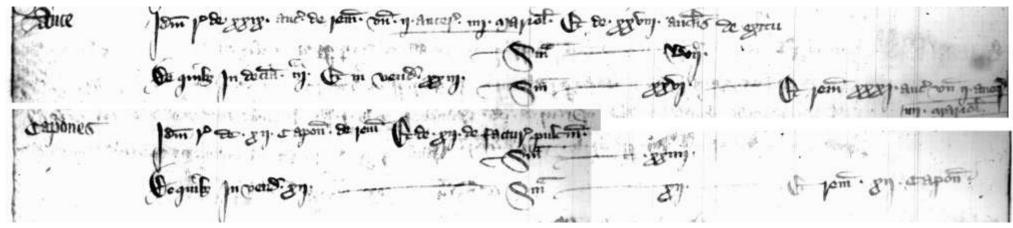
Sows

The same answers for 1 sow from the remaining. And there remains 1 sow.

Piglets of issue

The same answers for 13 15 piglets of issue this year. Of which in tithe 1. And in sale because weak 12. And it balances.

In sale at the audit 2.



Geese

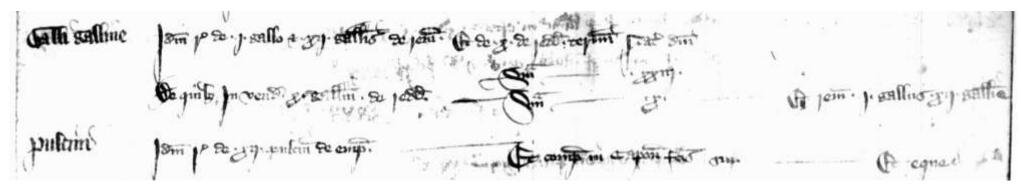
The same answers for 29 geese from the remaining, of which 2 are ganders and 4 breeding females. And for 28 goslings of issue. Sum 57.

Of which in tithes 3. And in sale 23. Sum 26. And there remain 31 geese, of which 2 are ganders and 4 breeding females.

Capons

The same answers for 12 capons from the remaining. And for 12 made from chickens. Sum 24.

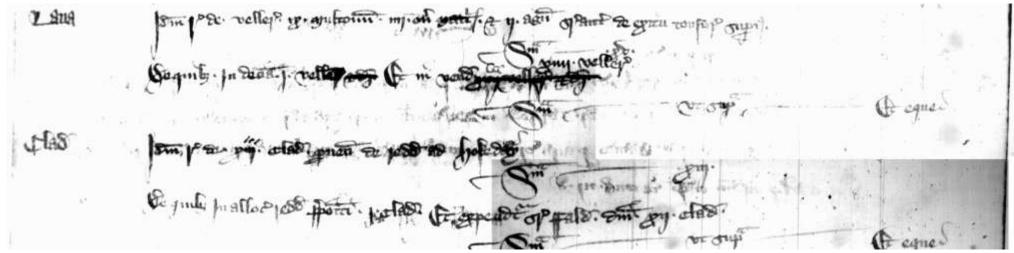
Of which in sale 12. Sum 12. And there remain 12 capons.



Cocks and hens The same answers for 1 cock and 12 hens from the remaining. And for 10 from rent at the Christmas term. Sum 23.

Of which in sale 10 hens from rent. Sum 10. And there remain 1 cock and 12 hens.

Chickens The same answers for 12 chickens of purchase. And accounted in making capons above. And it balances.



Wool The same answers for the fleeces of 9 wethers, 4 ewes and 2 yearling lambs from issue of shearing above. Sum 15.

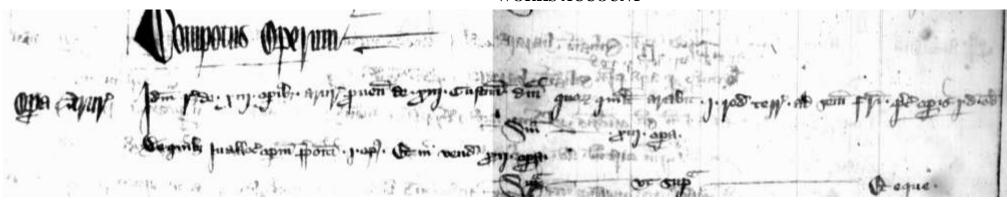
Of which in tithe $1\frac{1}{2}$ fleeces. And in sale $\frac{13\frac{1}{2}}{2}$ fleeces. Sum as above. And it balances.

Hurdles The same answers for 13 hurdles arising from rent at Hokeday. Sum 13.

Of which in allowance of rent to reeve 1 hurdle. And expended upon the lord's sheepfold 12 hurdles. Sum as above. And it balances.

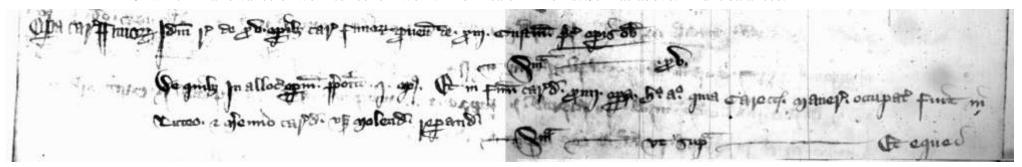
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WORKS ACCOUNT



Ploughing works The same answers for 13 ploughing works arising from 13 customary tenants of the lord, each of whom ploughs 1 rood of land at the sowing of wheat, the price of a work 1½d. Sum 13 works.

Of which in allowance of work to reeve 1 work. And in sale 12 works. Sum as above. And it balances.

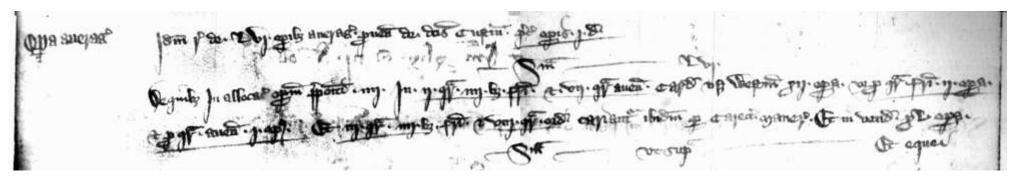


Dung-carrying services

The same answers for 15 dung-carrying services arising from 13 customary tenants, the price of a work ½d. Sum 15.

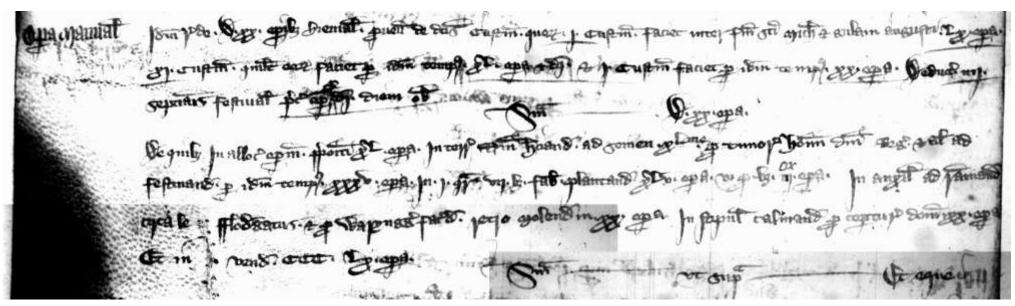
Of which in allowance of work to reeve 1 work. And in carrying dung 14 works this year because manorial carts were occupied in carting clay and timber to the repairing of the mill.**** Sum as above. And it balances.

^{****} These works were normally commuted for a cash payment, but were demanded in labour this year because the manorial carts were fully used for the mill repairs.



Carrying services The same answers for 56 carrying services arising from the said customary tenants, the price of a work 1d. Sum 56.

Of which in allowance of work to reeve 4 works. In carrying 2 quarters 4 bushels wheat and 7 quarters oats as far as Westminster 12 works, viz per quarter wheat 2 works and per quarter oats 1 work. And 3 quarters 4 bushels wheat and 8 quarters barley were carried to the same place by manorial carts. And in sale 40 works. Sum as above. And it balances.

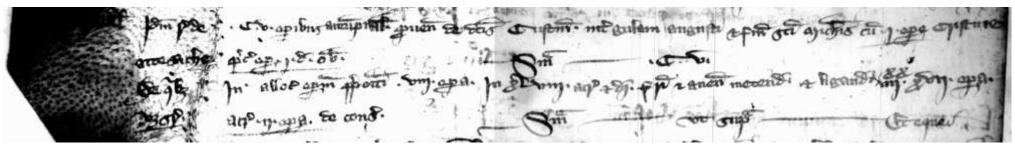


Manual works

The same answers for 520 winter works arising from the said customary tenants of which 1 customary tenant does 60 works between Michaelmas and 1st August and 11 customary tenants each do 40½ works^{††††} for the same period and 1 customary tenant does 20 works for the same period, deducting 4 festival weeks, the price of a work per ½-day ½d. Sum 520 works.

Of which in allowance of works to reeve 40 works. In harrowing the lord's land at Lenten sowing in a hurry for fear of men of the lord king and others during the same time 35 works. In planting 1 quarter 7 bushels beans 45 works, viz per bushel 3 works. In helping at ramming around le flo[o]dgates and for making the weir [*Waryngg*] behind the mill 20 works. In cutting stubble [*stipula*] for roofing buildings 20 works. And in sale 360 works. Sum as above. And it balances.

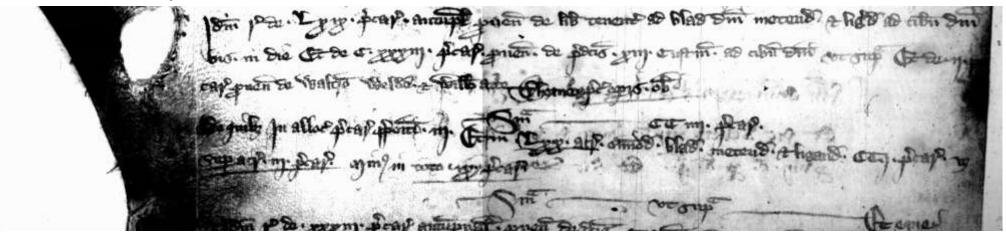
^{††††} This should only be 40 works, not 40½.



Harvest works

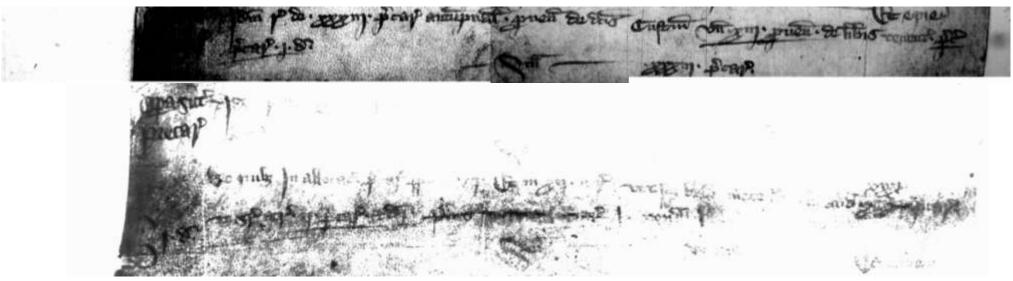
The same answers for 105 harvest works arising from the said customary tenants between 1st August and Michaelmas, with 1 work from Christina atte Rithe, the price of a work 1½d. Sum 105.

Of which in allowance of works to reeve 8 works. And in reaping and binding 48½ acres wheat and oats 97 works, viz over the acre 2 works by custom. Sum as above. And it balances.



[Harvest boonworks with lord's food] The same answers for 69 harvest boonworks arising from free tenants at the reaping and binding of the lord's corn with the lord's food twice in a day. And for 133 boonworks arising from the aforesaid 13 customary tenants with the lord's food as above. And for 2 boonworks arising from Walter Welde and William atte Thorne, the price of a work ½d. Sum 204 boonworks.

Of which in allowance of boonworks to reeve 3. And in reaping and binding 70 acres corn of every kind 201 boonworks, viz over the acre 3 boonworks minus in total 9 boonworks. Sum as above. And it balances.

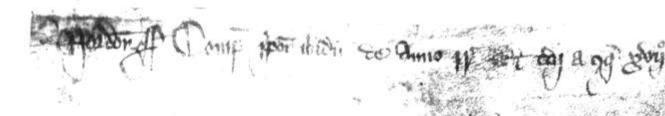


Dry boonworks

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The same answers for 33 harvest boonworks arising from the said customary tenants of which 13 arise from free tenants, price of a boonwork 1d. Sum 33 boonworks.

Of which in allowance of boonworks to reeve 2. In reaping and binding 12 acres of whichever corn 31 30 works, viz over the acre 2½ works plus 1 work. In sale [at the audit] 1. Sum as above. And it balances.



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