

Surrey History Centre K85/2/3 early 16th C. {in English}

{Certain lands in Moredon', late John Playstowe, deceased, cousin of recipient of letter.

Letter from Rychard Bray to John Playstowe of Merstham, cousin of John Playstowe decd., which originally accompanied a deed (n.d.) of release.}

John playstowe I commend me unto you and thus it is that you have certain lands in Moredon after the decease of your cousin John Playstowe your cousin and his wife hath occupied it this last half year as I am informed and for that tyme you demaunde the ferme thereof which it is reason you have it and by cause the said John Playstowe your cousin was your grete frynd in grannting you the said land without any suyt or troubyll and partely att my desyre and the goodman Marchalle of Cheyham and in so mych more that your seyde cosyn left all the tymber and woode upon the said land to your use att the tyme of his deth and that you were content to abyde the order of the seyde goodman Marchall and me for occupying of the said land untill Mychelmas last past, the goodman Marchall and I wyll that you shall take noe more for the occupying of the said land butt 10s which we thynk is responsibyll consydering all thynges and thus fare you well from Ewell by your frynd the last day of October.

Richard Bray

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The copy of the deed of release of the lands in Moredon

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