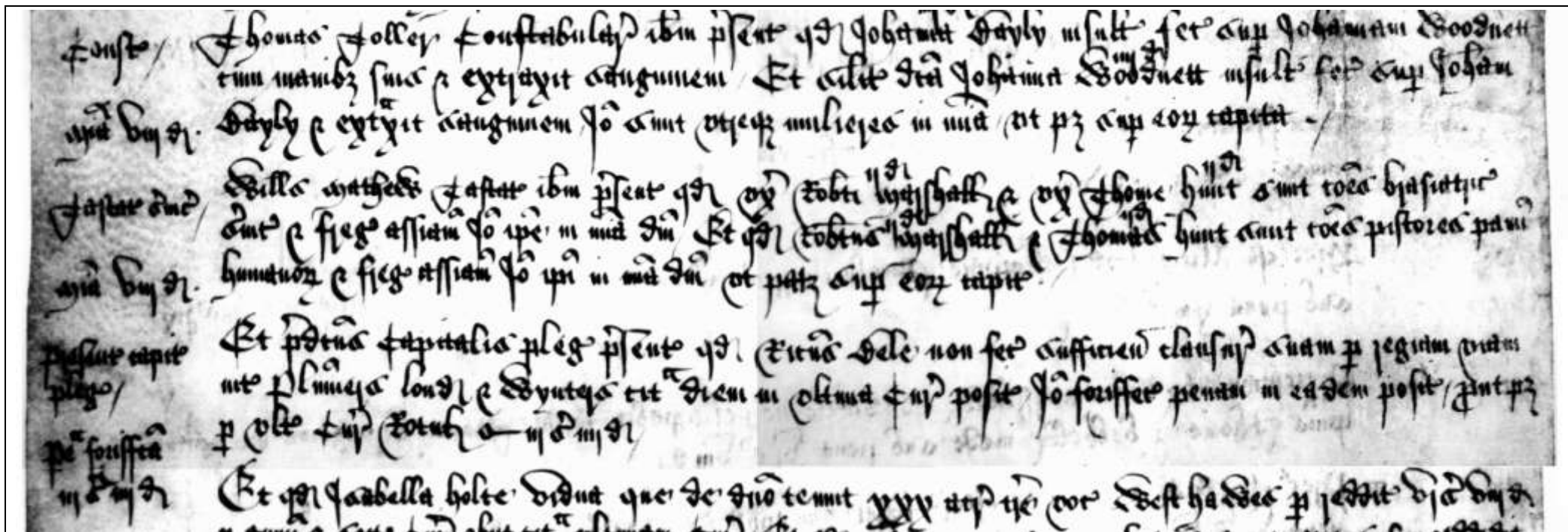


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	Morden	View of Frankpledge with Court at the same place held 7 May 30 Henry VIII by grace of God king of England and France, defender of the faith, lord of Ireland, and on earth supreme head of the English church.
1	essoins chief pledge[s]	Thomas Toller, John Playstowe, William Woodman, John Tyler, Richard Bele, sworn. Thomas Heryngman, John Hiller, Ralph Bayly, Roger Woodnett, Richard Hawkysley, Henry Fermour, sworn. Nicholas Goryng, Thomas Kyng, William Mathewe, Richard Smyth, Robert Darley, Richard Holte, sworn.
2	Tithingman	Robert Marsshall at the same place presents that they give the lord for common fine at this day 21d. And that Ralph Bayly, <sup>essoined</sup> John Hiller, <sup>essoined</sup> Thomas Kyng, <sup>essoined</sup> Richard Bele, <sup>essoined</sup> Richard Harlowe, <sup>essoined</sup> Thomas Hunt, <sup>essoined</sup> Humphrey Nelson <sup>essoined</sup> and Richard Smyth <sup>essoined</sup> have defaulted. Therefore etc. <sup>§§§</sup>

<sup>§§§</sup> Several of these names appear in the above entry, which is headed *essoins chief pledges*. Several of the courts in this roll list names among the *homage etc* that are also listed as defaulting in doing suit of court.

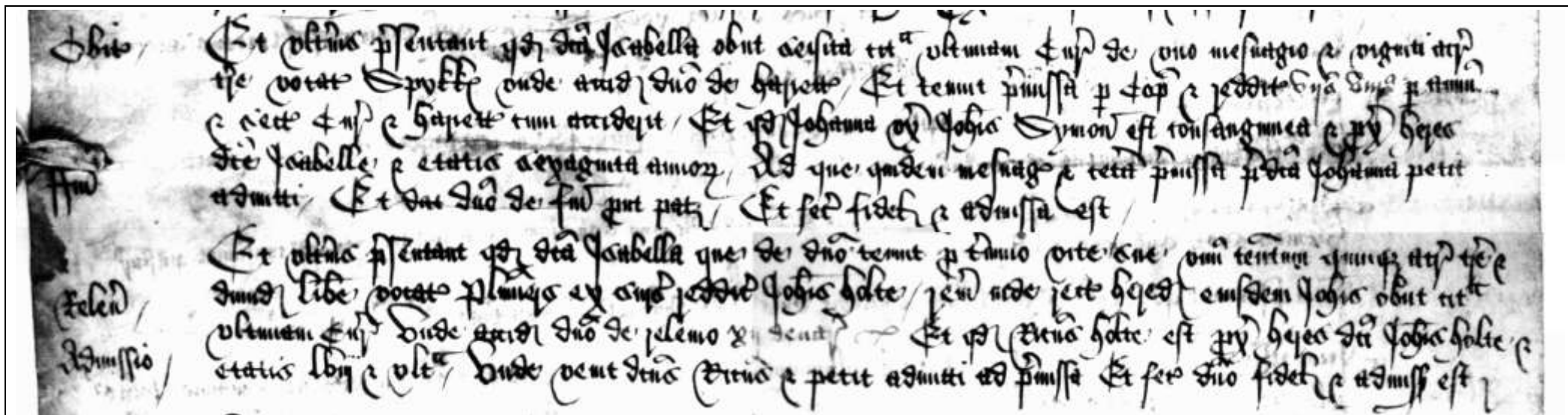


3	constable amercement 8d	Thomas Toller, constable at the same place, presents that Johanna Bayly <sup>4d</sup> assaulted Johanna Woodnett with her hands and drew blood. And similarly he says that Johanna Woodnett <sup>4d</sup> assaulted Johanna Bayly and drew blood. Therefore both women are in mercy as appears over their names.
4	aletaster amercement 8d	William Mathew, aletaster at the same place, presents that Robert Marshall's wife, <sup>2d</sup> Thomas Hunt's wife, <sup>2d</sup> are common brewers of ale and break the assize. Therefore they are in the lord's mercy. And that Robert Marshall <sup>2d</sup> and Thomas Hunt <sup>2d</sup> are common bakers of bread for human consumption [human] <sup>****</sup> and break the assize. Therefore they are in the lord's mercy as appears over their names.
5	presentment of chief pledge[s] penalty forfeited 3s 4d	And the aforesaid chief pledge[s] present that Richard Bele has not sufficiently made his fences by the king's highway between Plummers land and Wynters before the day imposed in the last court. Therefore he forfeits the penalty imposed in the same as appears by the last court roll 3s 4d.

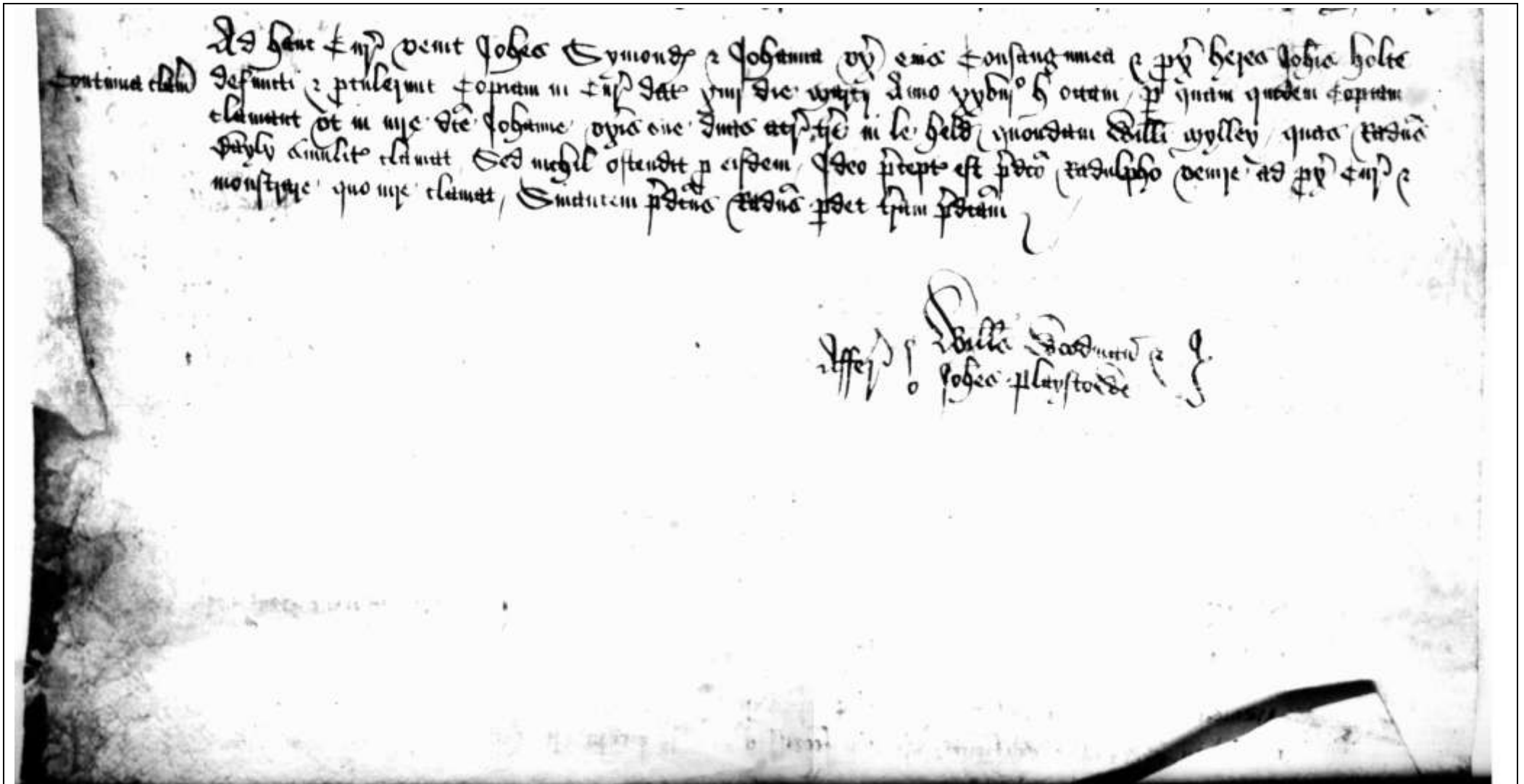
\*\*\*\* as opposed to bread for feeding horses

Et qd Isabella Holte vidua que de dno tenet xxx acres cor Westhaves p reddidit dca dca  
 p anni p sex sup obit tit ultima sup Et qd ipa in vita sua cum fuit sana memorie suam reddidit  
 tunc p dca in manus Johis Playstowe & Thome Toller duoz tenent maner de Morden p dca ad opus & us  
 Thome Bryghtman heredi & assigno suoz In dno p Stewallum sui concessit seisin p rodum hendi  
 eidem Thome Bryghtman heredi & assigno suo ad voluntatem dni scdm consuetudinem maner reddere  
 inde annuatim reddidit & curia ex antiquo debet & consuetudo Et dca dno de fine p magna dno vide hendi  
 pat pz in capite Et fecit dno feidm Et admissus est tenens etc Patz p antiquos rotulos qd  
 dno anteqm debet de hinc optimi animal post mortem dca Isabelle  
 Et plms pstat qd quedam domus nup in tenura Johis Holte cor Duntons iaten ex pte orden  
 domus Rad Bayly que tenet de dno p cop & reddidit Inter anni p annu est tot in decas & pstat in  
 defen Johis Symonde & Johanne uxoris eius ut in iure eiusdem Johanne qd pcept est eidem  
 redificare dict domu sufficienter ante festum Pasche p sub pena foriffen eidem

6	fine 13s 4d  nothing for heriot	And that Isabella Holte widow, who of the lord held 30 acres land called Westhaves by rent of 6s 8d a year and suit of court, died since the last court. And that she in her lifetime, when she was of sound memory, surrendered the land aforesaid into the hands of John Playstowe and Thomas Toller, two tenants of the manor of Morden aforesaid, to the use [ <i>ad opus &amp; us</i> ] of Thomas Brightman, his heirs and assigns. To whom the lord by his steward grants seisin by the rod, to have to the same Thomas Bryghtman, his heirs and assigns, at the lord's will according to the custom of the manor. Rendering in respect thereof yearly the rent and services from of old due and accustomed. And he gives the lord for fine to have his entry therein as appears in the heading. And he does the lord fealty. And he is admitted tenant etc. It appears by ancient rolls that there ought to fall due to the lord for heriot the best animal after the death of the said Isabella.
7		And furthermore they present that a certain house late in the tenure of John Holte called Duntons lying on the west of Ralph Bayly's house, which he held of the lord by copy and rent of 2d a year, is totally in decay and falling down by default of John Symondes and Johanna his wife as in right of the same Johanna. Therefore the order is given to them to rebuild the said house sufficiently before Easter next under penalty of forfeiture of the same.



8	death fine	And furthermore they present that the said Isabella died seised since the last court of one messuage and twenty acres land called Spykkes, whence there falls due to the lord for heriot. And she held the premises by copy and rent of 7s 8d a year and suit of court and heriot when it falls due. And that Johanna wife of John Symon is kin and next heir of the said Isabella and aged sixty years. To which messuage and whole premises the aforesaid Johanna seeks admittance. And she gives the lord for fine as appears. And she does fealty and is admitted.
9	relief admission	And furthermore they present that the said Isabella, who of the lord held for the term of her life one tenement, 5½ acres of free land called Plummers by surrender [sic] of John Holte, reversion in respect thereof to the rightful heirs of the same John, died since the last court, whence there falls due to the lord for relief 12d. And that Richard Holte is next heir to the said John Holte and aged 58 and beyond. Whence comes the said Richard and seeks admittance to the premises. And he does the lord fealty and is admitted.



10	adjourned claim	At this court comes John Symonds and Johanna his wife, kin and next heir of John Holte deceased, and brings forward copy in court dated 14 March 28 Henry VIII, by which copy they claim, as in right of the said Johanna his wife, two acres of land in Le Held' formerly William Mylley, which Ralph Bayly similarly claims, but nothing is shown by the same. Therefore the order is given to the aforesaid Ralph to come at the next court and show by what right he claims. Or else [ <i>sivautem</i> ] the aforesaid Ralph will lose the aforesaid land.
11		Afferers: William Woodman and John Playstowe.