

Account of Robert de Nunthey *serviens* of Morden from Michaelmas in the 14th year of King Edward [II] until the same feast next following in the 15th year of the same.

[1320-1321]

Arrears

The same answers for 10s 10½d of arrears of the last account for the preceding year.

Sum 10s 10½d.

Rents of assize

The same renders account for 17s 11d for rent for the Christmas term. And for 17s 10½d for rent for the Easter term. And for 17s 11d for rent for the term of the Nativity of blessed John. And for 2s 8d for medsilver at the same term. And for 21s 10d for the Michaelmas term. And for 5s for tallage at the same term.

Sum £4 3s 2½d.

Issues of the manor

The same renders account for 4s for the farm of 8 hens. And for 12d for pasture [*herbagio*] sold in Neweburicroft'. And for 9s 10d for couch grass [*quiches*] sold this year. And for 6s 8d for animals agisted in the pasture in summer.

Sum ~~14s 10d.~~^{21s 6d}**Corn sold**

The same renders account for ~~39s 8¼d~~^{43s 8d} for 7 quarter 7½ bushels of wheat sold, price of a quarter 5s.^{5s 6d} And for 5s 6d for 1 quarter 3 bushels mixstillio sold, price of a bushel 6d. And for 12s 10d for 3 quarters 4 bushels vetches sold, price of a quarter 3s 8d. And for 44s 6d for 11 quarters 1 bushel barley sold, price of a quarter 4s.

Sum ~~102s 6¼d.~~^{106s 6d}**Profits of court**

The same renders account for 5s^{7d} for the Court held the Monday after the feast of St Lucy the virgin. And for ~~14s 11d~~^{24s 11d} for the Court and View held the Wednesday the Morrow of the translation the nativity [sic] of St John the Baptist.

Sum ~~19s 11d.~~^{30s 6d}**Labour services sold**

The same renders account for 3s 0½d for 73 works sold, price of a work ½d.

Sum ~~as appears~~ 3s 0½d**Foreign receipts**

The same renders account for 34s 6d received from tithes.*

Sum ~~as appears~~ 34s 6d.**Sold at the audit**

The same answers for 44s 0¾d for things sold at the audit.

Sum 44s 0¾d.

Sum total of receipts £16 14s 2¼d.

* The Rectory account on membrane 5 includes this sum 'delivered to the demesne'.

[Expenses]**Surplus**

The same accounts in surplus of the account for the preceding year paid 41s 1d.[†] Sum 41s 1d.

Rent paid

The same accounts in rent paid to W de Kenewardesle for the year 4s. In acquittance of John Huberd beadle for the year 2s. In acquittance of tallage of the same for the same time 4¼d. In acquittance of the same for medsilver 2d. Sum 6s 6¼d.

Cost of ploughs

The same accounts in iron and steel bought for the ironwork of ploughs and in applying the same 13s.^{12s} In 6⁵ plough feet bought 18d.^{15d} In 1 ploughshare bought 10d. In shoeing draught horses in preparation for [*contra*] harvest 3d. Sum 15s 7d.^{14s 4d}

Cost of carts

The same accounts in 20 clouts bought with nails for the same 20d. In grease for greasing carts 6d. In 1 pair of wheels bought 2s. In 1 collar bought 6d. In making 1 rope, 1 pair of traces, 6 halters from their own hemp 6d. In shoeing 2 carthorses for the year 18d. Sum 6s 8d.

Building costs

The same accounts in stipend of 1 roofer with his mate roofing over the buildings in the courtyard in places [*per loca*] for 9 days, taking per day 4½d, 3s 4½d. In withies bought for the same 4d. In 100 laths bought for mending the cow-shed wall 3d. In 200 lath nails bought for the same 1½d. Sum 4s 1d.

Mill costs

The same accounts in expenses made concerning [*sirca*] carriage of the mill-stone 12d. In nails [*clavis*] bought for mending the mill wall 2d. In 6 gads of steel [*gadd' aceri'*] bought for enlarging bills for the new mill-stone with stipend of the smith 4d. In sharpening bills for the year 4d. Sum 22d.

Petty expenses

The same accounts in 3 bushels salt bought for servants' pottage 12d. In expenses of 16 men with 8 ploughs for 1 day's boonwork at the winter sowing, Robert the *serviens*, the beadle, dairyworker, and smith 2s 6d. Also in expenses of ~~20 men with 10~~^{16 men with their 8} ploughs for 1 day's boonwork at the Lenten sowing, Robert the *serviens*, the beadle, dairyworker, and smith 3s.^{2s 6d} In expenses of household servants for Christmas and Easter Days 3s. Sum 9s 6d.

Corn bought

The same accounts in 4 bushels oats bought 12d. Sum 12d.

Livestock bought

The same accounts in 1 carthorse bought 28s. In 1 ox bought 13s. In 1 capon bought 2½d. In 12 hens bought 2s. In 2 chickens bought 2d. Sum 43s 4½d.

[†] This 'surplus' had been offset by the arrears on his Rectory account, leaving a net debt of 10s 10½d accounted above under Arrears.

Hoing and mowing

The same accounts in mowing the garden of Neweburi' by piece-work 6d. In mowing the meadow of Eylond by piece-work 16d. In mowing the meadow of Comstrode 12d. In mowing the meadow of Bereworth 14d. In mowing the meadow at Gillyne by piece-work 5½d. In mowing Le Medhawe 4d. In mowing the meadow of Eylond for the second crop 4p. In cheese bought for customary tenants haymaking 3d. Sum 5s 4½d.

Harvest costs

The same accounts in fish bought for the expenses of 24 men at 2 dry boonworks 14d. And they reaped 5 acres beans and 7 acres barley. Also in fish bought for the expenses of 72 men with the household servants at 2 boonworks and 78 men at the third boonwork 2s 8d. In meat bought for the same 10s. In ale 13s 4d. In cheese 2s 8d. And they reaped 52 acres wheat, ^{and vetches} 6 acres mixstillio, 22 acres oats, 1 acres 1 rood barley and 1½ acres beans. And let it be known [*sciendum e'*] that [customary] labourers reaped 24 acres wheat, 24 acres oats. In mowing 8⁴ acres vetches 4s. ^{2s} And so the reapers have in gain [*sic h't in avantag messiois*] 4 acres. In ale bought for the expenses of Robert the *serviens* and 1 beadle for 8 weeks and 4 days, 1 reap-reeve and 1 stacker for 6 weeks in harvest 6s. In meat bought for the same 6s 8d. In fish bought 2s 6d. In cheese 15d. In candles 4d. In expenses of household servants for 'harvest goose' 19½d. Sum ~~52s 2½d.~~ ^{50s 2½d}

Threshing and winnowing

The same accounts in threshing 49 quarters 5 bushels wheat and curall and 3 quarters mixstillio, for a quarter per 9 bushels 3d, ^{2½d} ~~11s 8½d.~~ ^{9s 7½d} In threshing 12½ quarters beans, 5½ quarters vetches, per 9 bushels 2½d, 3s 4d. In threshing 78½ quarters oats, per 9 bushels 1d, 5s 10½d. In winnowing half the total corn 22d. ^{21d} In threshing 18 quarters 1 bushel barley, per 9 bushels 2d, ^{1½d} ~~2s 8d.~~ ^{2s} Sum ~~25s 5d.~~ ^{22s 6½d†}

Stipends

The same accounts in stipend of Robert the *serviens* for the year 13s 4d. Also 1 carter and 4 ploughmen for the same time 22s 6d. Also 1 dairyworker for the same time 3s 6d. Also 1 reap-reeve and 1 stacker in harvest 6s. Sum 45s 4d.

Foreign expenses

The same accounts in expenses of the prior for 1 coming 21d by tally. In expenses of the bailiff for his comings 7s by 2 tallies. In expenses of W Bissop for his comings 13d by tally. Sum 9s 10d.

Deliveries

The same accounts in delivery to brothers Robert de Bebi and William de Harlestone, treasurers of Westminster, 74s by 1 tally. Sum 74s.

*MEMBRANE 7***Sum of all expenses and deliveries £14 14s 1¼d. And so he owes 40s 1d.**

Also he owes 27s 7¾d for arrears of his account for the tithes of the church for 14 Edward [II].[§] ~~Also~~ And so he owes in total 67s 8¾d. Of which there is allowed to the same for various disallowances above in this account and for rent arrears of William de Norwico sheriff of Middlesex remitted [*relaxit*] by the convent 33s 10d. ^{**} And so he owes 33s 10¾d.

† These figures total 22s 7d.

*MEMBRANE 6 DORSE***Issues of the Grange at Morden Year 14.**

Wheat The same renders account for 34 quarters 5 bushels wheat and 15 quarters curall of the issue of the grange threshed by piece-work by
at 3-fold 1 tally. And for 3 quarters 5 bushels of issue at the audit as he answered at 3-fold. Sum ~~49 quarters 5 bushels.~~^{53 quarters 2 bushels}

Of which in sowing 19 quarters. In customary payment to the sower 1 bushel. In livery of Robert the *serviens* from Michaelmas from Michaelmas [sic] until 1 August for 43 weeks and 4 days, 5 quarters 3½ bushels. In maslin for servants' livery 15 quarters cural wheat. In baking bread for harvest expenses 1 quarter 1 bushel. Delivered to the keeper of the grange of Westminster 1 quarter by 1 tally. In sale 7 quarters 7½ bushels wheat. In sale at the audit 3 quarters 5 bushels at 21s 9d. Sum as above. And none remains.

Mixstillio The same renders account for 3 quarters mixstillio of issue of the grange. And for 6 quarters 1 bushel of issue of the mill.^{for want of}
at 3-fold a millstone by witness of the bailiff Sum 9 quarters 1 bushel.

Of which in sowing 1½ quarters. In maslin for servants' livery 6 quarters 1 bushel. In customary payment for haymaking 1 bushel. In sale 1 quarter 3 bushels mixstillio. Sum as above. And none remains.

Beans 4-fold plus The same renders account for 12½ quarters beans of issue of the grange threshed by piece-work. Sum 12½ quarters.
4 bushels

Of which in planting 3 quarters 3 bushels. In maslin for servants' livery 9 quarters 1 bushel beans. And none remains.

Vetches The same renders account for 5½ quarters vetches of issue of the grange threshed by piece-work. ^{And for 4 bushels of issue at the audit as he}
at 3-fold answered at 3-fold. Sum ~~5½ quarters.~~^{6 quarters}

Of which in sowing 2 quarters. In sale 3½ quarters vetches. ^{In sale at the audit 4 bushels for 22d.} And none remains.

Barley 4-fold The same renders account for 18 quarters 1 bushel barley of issue of the grange threshed by piece-work.
less 3 quarters 7 Sum 18 quarters 1 bushel.
bushels

Of which in sowing 3 quarters 7 bushels. In customary payment to the sower 1 bushel. Delivered to the keeper of the granary of Westminster 3 quarters by 1 tally. In sale 11 quarters 1 bushel barley. Sum as above. And none remains.

[§] see membrane 5 for the Rectory account.

^{**} William de Norwich is also mentioned in the Oats account on the dorse.

- Oats** 3-fold less 8 quarters The same renders account for 78½ quarters oats of issue of the grange threshed by piece-work. And for 8 quarters of the same issue by estimation in sheaves for ox fodder. And for 4 bushels of purchase. Sum 87 quarters.
- Of which in sowing 23 quarters 4½ bushels. In making meal for servants' pottage 2 quarters. In fodder for 2 carthorses from Michaelmas until the day of St John before the Latin Gate for 219 nights, 13 quarter 5½ bushels, taking per night ½ bushel. In draught-horse fodder from Christmas until the feast of the Annunciation of blessed Mary for 89 nights, taking per night ¼ bushel, ^{3 pecks} ~~11 quarters 1 bushel.~~ ^{8 quarters 2½ bushels 1 peck} In fodder for ⁴ oxen by estimation in sheaves ~~8 quarters.~~ ^{4 quarters this year} In fodder for the bailiff's horse for his coming 3 bushels by tally. In fodder for the prior's horse 1½ bushels by 1 tally. In fodder for William Bissop's horse ½ bushel. Delivered to the keeper of the grange of Westminster 20 quarters by 1 tally. Delivered to Robert *serviens* of Battersea [*Batricheseye*] 4 quarters by 1 tally. In giving to the bailiff of the vicar of Morden 2 quarters. Also to William de Northwico 2 quarters by letter. ^{††} In sale at the audit 6 quarters 6 bushels 1 peck for 13s 6¾d. Sum as above. And none remains.
- Servants' livery** The same renders account for 15 quarters curall wheat, 6 quarters 1 bushel mixstillio and 9 quarters 1 bushel beans received above for servants' livery. Sum 30 quarters 2 bushels.
- Of which in livery of 1 carter and 4 ploughmen for the year, each taking a quarter per 10 weeks, 25 quarters 7½ bushels. Also 1 dairyworker also making servants' pottage, for the same time, except 8 weeks when she was at table in harvest, taking a quarter per 12 weeks, 3 quarters 5 bushels 1 peck. ~~Also 1 harrower for 16 weeks at the time of winter sowing 1 quarter.~~ In sale at the audit 5 bushels 1 peck for 2s 7½d. Sum 30 quarters ~~4½ bushels 1 peck.~~ ^{2 bushels} ~~And there are owed to him 1½ bushels 1 peck of eorn.~~ ^{And none remains.}

^{††} see also balance at foot of recto

[LIVESTOCK]

- Carthorses** The same renders account for 1 carthorse from the remaining. And for 1 horse of purchase. Sum 2. And there remain 2 carthorses.
- Draught horses** For 5 draught horses from the remaining. Sum 5. And there remain 5 draught horses.
- Oxen** For 3 oxen from the remaining. And for 1 of purchase. Sum 4. And there remain 4 oxen.
- Steers** For 2 steers from the remaining. And there remain 2 steers.
- Bullocks** For 2 bullocks from the remaining. And there remain 2 bullocks.
- Geese** For 2 ganders, 4 breeding females, from the remaining. And for 28 goslings of issue. Sum 34.
Of which ~~in murrain 2~~. Delivered to brother Philip de Sutton 25 by tally. In expenses of the prior 1 goose. ^{In sale at the audit 2 for 8d.}
And there remain 6, of which 2 ganders, 4 breeding females.
- Capons** For 1 capon of purchase. And accounted in expenses of William Bissop by 1 tally. And none remains.
- Cocks & hens** For 8 hens from the remaining. And for 10 from rent. And for 12 hens of purchase. Sum 30.
Of which delivered to the cellarer at Westminster 10 by 1 tally. Also to the same for the prior's feast 12 by 1 tally. And there remain 8 hens.
- Chickens** For 2 chickens of purchase. And accounted in expenses of the prior by 1 tally. And none remains.
- Plough-feet** For 1 plough-foot of rent. And accounted in plough expenses. And none remains.
- Hurdles** For 11½ hurdles of rent. And there remain 11½ hurdles.
- Works** For 676 works arising from 13 customary tenants for the year, viz each of them working 1 work a week. Sum 676.
henceforth he shall separate the works Of which in their allowance for the weeks of Christmas, Easter and Pentecost 39 works. In allowance of John Huberd beadle for the year 49 works. In harrowing at the time of winter sowing ~~22~~.¹² In furrowing [*sulcand*] land at the same sowing ~~76~~ works.⁶⁸
works^s In carting dung 46 works. In planting beans 61 works. In harrowing at the Lenten sowing ~~64~~ works.²⁴ works^s In tedding hay in the meadow 2 works. In weeding 50 acres corn 100 works. In scouring ditches 48 works. In reaping 24 acres wheat and 24 acres oats, per acre 2 works, 96 works. In sale 73 works. In sale at the audit 58 for 3s 7½d, of which 14½ works worth 1½d a work, and 23½ works worth ½d a work.^{††} ~~Sum as above.~~ And none remains.
Henceforth he shall make account of ploughing and carrying services and of other works they ought to do.

MEMBRANE 7 DORSE

Account for the manor of Morden for 14th year of King Edward [II] son of King Edward – Robert de Nunthey.

^{††} This should be 43½ at ½d.